

Summary: Multilevel ASM preconditioners

that are uniquely defined by

1. the multilevel space splitting $V = \sum_{j=1}^J V_j$ i.e. splitting index \neq level index
2. $a_j(\cdot, \cdot) : V_j \times V_j \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$,

namely

$$\tilde{P}u = \sum_{j=1}^J \tilde{P}_j u = \sum_{j=1}^J \Phi V_j u_j = \sum_{j=1}^J \Phi V_j C_j^{-1} V_j^T K u = \Phi \sum_{j=1}^J V_j C_j^{-1} V_j^T K u$$



$$u_j \in V_j : a_j(\Phi V_j u_j, \Phi V_j v_j) = a(u, \Phi V_j v_j) \quad \forall v_j = \Phi V_j v_j \in \tilde{V}_j$$

$$C_j u_j = V_j^T K u \quad \forall v_j \in \mathbb{R}^{N_j}$$

$$\underline{P}u = C^{-1} K u = \sum_{j=1}^J V_j C_j^{-1} V_j^T K u$$

No	name	splitting $V = V_h = \sum_{j=1}^J V_j$	$a_j(\cdot, \cdot)$	$\alpha(\tilde{P}) \approx \alpha(C^{-1}K)$	$\text{ops}(C^{-1}u)$
1	is practically meaningless	$V = \sum_{\ell=0}^L V_\ell$	$a_\ell(\cdot, \cdot) := a(\cdot, \cdot)$	$O(L)$?
2	Multilevel L_2 -projections	$V = \sum_{\ell=0}^L V_\ell$	$a_\ell(\cdot, \cdot) := 2^{2(\ell-1)} (\cdot, \cdot)_{L_2}$	$O(1)$	$M_j \rightarrow D_j$ $O(N_h)$
3	BPX (1990)	$V = \sum_{\ell=0}^L \sum_{j=1}^{J_\ell} V_{\ell,j}$	$a_{\ell,j}(\cdot, \cdot) := 2^{2(\ell-1)} (\cdot, \cdot)_{L_2}$	$O(1)$	$O(N_h)$
4	MDS (1992)	$V = \sum_{\ell=0}^L \sum_{j \in \omega_\ell} V_{\ell,j}$	$a_{\ell,j}(\cdot, \cdot) := a(\cdot, \cdot)$	$O(1)$	$O(N_h)$
5	HB (1986)	$V = \sum_{\ell=0}^L \sum_{j \in \omega_\ell \cup \omega_{\ell-1}} V_{\ell,j}$	$a_{\ell,j}(\cdot, \cdot) := 2^{2(\ell-1)} (\cdot, \cdot)_{L_2}$	$O(1), d=1$ $O(L^2), d=2$ $O(L^3), d=3$	$O(N_h)$
⋮	e.g. wavelets	⋮	⋮	⋮	⋮

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exact

where $V_{\ell,j} = \text{span}\{\varphi_{\ell,j}\} = \text{span}\{\Phi V_{\ell,j}\}$, $\dim V_{\ell,j} = 1$, $\omega_{-1} = \emptyset$,
 BPX = Bramble - Pasciak - Xu (1990)
 MDS = Multilevel Diagonal Scaling (1992) by Zhang,
 HB = Hierarchical Basis (1986) by H. Yserantant