

FPI with Systems (Exercise Solutions)

1. Let $\mathbf{x}_{n+1} = T\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{c}$. Show that

$$\mathbf{x}_n = T^n \mathbf{x}_0 + (T^{n-1} + T^{n-2} + \cdots + T^2 + T + I) \mathbf{c}$$

SOLUTION: Go through the first few of them:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{x}_1 &= T\mathbf{x}_0 + \mathbf{c} \\ \mathbf{x}_2 &= T\mathbf{x}_1 + \mathbf{c} = T(T\mathbf{x}_0 + \mathbf{c}) + \mathbf{c} = T^2\mathbf{x}_0 + (T + I)\mathbf{c} \\ \mathbf{x}_3 &= T\mathbf{x}_2 + \mathbf{c} = T(T^2\mathbf{x}_0 + (T + I)\mathbf{c}) + \mathbf{c} = T^3\mathbf{x}_0 + (T^2 + T + I)\mathbf{c} \end{aligned}$$

and we see the general pattern:

$$\mathbf{x}_n = T^n \mathbf{x}_0 + (T^{n-1} + T^{n-2} + \cdots + T^2 + T + I) \mathbf{c}$$

2. Show that, if $\mathbf{x}_{n+1} = T\mathbf{x}_n + \mathbf{c}$ and $\mathbf{r} = T\mathbf{r} + \mathbf{c}$, then using an induced matrix norm,

$$\|\mathbf{x}_k - \mathbf{r}\| \leq \|T\|^k \|\mathbf{x}_0 - \mathbf{r}\|$$

SOLUTION: Easiest to show working up from $k = 1$:

$$\|\mathbf{x}_1 - \mathbf{r}\| = \|T\mathbf{x}_0 + \mathbf{c} - T\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{c}\| = \|T(\mathbf{x}_0 - \mathbf{r})\| \leq \|T\| \|\mathbf{x}_0 - \mathbf{r}\|$$

Similarly,

$$\|\mathbf{x}_2 - \mathbf{r}\| = \|T\mathbf{x}_1 + \mathbf{c} - T\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{c}\| = \|T(\mathbf{x}_1 - \mathbf{r})\| \leq \|T\| \|\mathbf{x}_1 - \mathbf{r}\| \leq \|T\|^2 \|\mathbf{x}_0 - \mathbf{r}\|$$

And one more:

$$\|\mathbf{x}_3 - \mathbf{r}\| = \|T(\mathbf{x}_2 - \mathbf{r})\| \leq \|T\|^3 \|\mathbf{x}_0 - \mathbf{r}\|$$

Continuing in this fashion, we get the desired result:

$$\|\mathbf{x}_k - \mathbf{r}\| \leq \|T\|^k \|\mathbf{x}_0 - \mathbf{r}\|$$

3. Exercise 1(a), 1(c) (only Jacobi). Also see the code online that will split the matrix A for you.