

# Linear Systems

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## Mixing Chemicals

	Container 1	Container 2	Container 3
A	40 g	40 g	70 g
B	30 g	80 g	60 g
C	60 g	10 g	30 g

new mixture: 50 grams each of A, B, and C. Fractions  $f_1, f_2, f_3$  of A, B, C:

$$40f_1 + 40f_2 + 70f_3 = 50,$$

$$30f_1 + 80f_2 + 60f_3 = 50,$$

$$60f_1 + 10f_2 + 30f_3 = 50.$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 40 & 40 & 70 \\ 30 & 80 & 60 \\ 60 & 10 & 30 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} f_1 \\ f_2 \\ f_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 50 \\ 50 \\ 50 \end{bmatrix}$$

Solution:

$$\begin{bmatrix} f_1 \\ f_2 \\ f_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.70 \\ 0.22 \\ 0.19 \end{bmatrix},$$

Thus 70% of the contents of container 1, 22% of container 2, and 19% of container 3.

# Linear Systems

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{1,1} & \cdots & a_{1,n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{n,1} & \cdots & a_{n,n} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ \vdots \\ u_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ \vdots \\ b_n \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{A}\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{b}.$$

$$\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{b},$$

Do not use inverse!

# Gauss Elimination I

$$2u_1 - 2u_2 = 10,$$

$$6u_1 + 4u_2 = 10,$$

$-3$  \* first eq. added to second eq.:

$$2u_1 - 2u_2 = 10$$

$$10u_2 = -20.$$

Thus  $u_2 = -2$ .

# Gauss Elimination II

Transform

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 \\ 6 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

to

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 \\ 0 & 10 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ -20 \end{bmatrix}$$

## Gauss Elimination III

$$\begin{bmatrix} \star & \star & \star & \star \\ \star & \star & \star & \star \\ \star & \star & \star & \star \\ \star & \star & \star & \star \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \star & \star & \star & \star \\ 0 & \star & \star & \star \\ 0 & \star & \star & \star \\ 0 & \star & \star & \star \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \star & \star & \star & \star \\ 0 & \star & \star & \star \\ 0 & 0 & \star & \star \\ 0 & 0 & \star & \star \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \star & \star & \star & \star \\ 0 & \star & \star & \star \\ 0 & 0 & \star & \star \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \star \end{bmatrix}$$

diagonal  $\star$ s nonzero!

## Gauss Elimination IV

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 & 0 \\ 6 & 4 & -1 \\ 8 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \\ u_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 10 \\ -10 \end{bmatrix}$$

transformed to

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 10 & -1 \\ 0 & 10 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \\ u_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ -20 \\ -50 \end{bmatrix}.$$

No solution!



# Stability

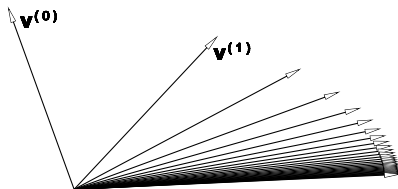
$$\begin{bmatrix} 0.8 & 0.1 & 0.1 \\ 0.7 & 0.24 & 0.06 \\ 0.6 & 0.4 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \\ u_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 9.49 \\ 8.856 \\ 8.16 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \mathbf{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 10.2 \\ 5.1 \\ 8.2 \end{bmatrix}$$

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System is **ill-conditioned**

# Vector Sequences

$\mathbf{v}^{(0)}, \mathbf{v}^{(1)}, \mathbf{v}^{(2)}, \dots$



# Vector Norms

## Euclidean Norm

$$\|\mathbf{w}\| = \sqrt{\mathbf{w} \cdot \mathbf{w}}.$$

## Norms

- ▶  $\|\mathbf{w}\| > 0$  when  $\mathbf{w} \neq \mathbf{0}$ ,
- ▶  $\|\mathbf{w}\| = 0$  when  $\mathbf{w} = \mathbf{0}$ ,
- ▶  $\|c\mathbf{w}\| = |c|\|\mathbf{w}\|$  for any scalar  $c$ ,
- ▶  $\|\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{w}\| \leq \|\mathbf{v}\| + \|\mathbf{w}\|$  (triangle inequality)

# Iterative Solving I

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 5 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \\ u_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{guess : } \mathbf{u}^{(1)} = \begin{bmatrix} u_1^{(1)} \\ u_2^{(1)} \\ u_3^{(1)} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A\mathbf{u}^{(1)} \neq \mathbf{b}$$

## Iterative Solving II

$$4u_1^{(2)} + 1 = 1,$$

$$2 + 5u_2^{(2)} + 1 = 0,$$

$$-1 + 2 + 4u_3^{(2)} = 3,$$

$$\mathbf{u}^{(2)} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -0.6 \\ 0.5 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$\begin{aligned}4u_1^{(3)} - 0.6 &= 1, \\5u_2^{(3)} + 0.5 &= 0, \\-1.2 + 4u_3^{(3)} &= 3,\end{aligned}$$

$$\mathbf{u}^{(3)} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.4 \\ -0.1 \\ 1.05 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{u}^{(\infty)} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.3333 \\ -0.3333 \\ 1.0 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Gauss-Jacobi I

$$A\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{b} \quad \text{guess : } \mathbf{u}^{(1)}$$

$$A = D + R; \quad d_{i,i} = a_{i,i}, \quad \text{other } d_{i,j} = 0.$$

$$D\mathbf{u} + R\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{b} \quad \text{or} \quad \mathbf{u} = D^{-1}[\mathbf{b} - R\mathbf{u}].$$

Iteration:

$$\mathbf{u}^{(k+1)} = D^{-1}[\mathbf{b} - R\mathbf{u}^{(k)}],$$

# Gauss-Jacobi II

Convergence:

$$\|A\mathbf{u}^{(k)} - \mathbf{b}\| \rightarrow 0 \text{ for } k \rightarrow \infty ?$$

Yes if diagonal elements of  $A$  are large:

$$|a_{i,i}| > |a_{i,1}| + \dots + |a_{i,n}| \text{ w/o } |a_{i,i}|$$

Then:  $A$  is **diagonally dominant**

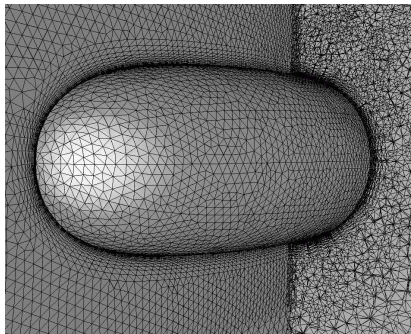


# Case Study: Fluid Flow

$\mathbf{x}_i$ : mesh vertex,  $\mathbf{y}_j$ : its neighbors  
FEM equations:

$$\mathbf{x}_i = \alpha_1 \mathbf{y}_1 + \dots + \alpha_N \mathbf{y}_N$$

**sparse** matrix, solve w/  
Gauss-Jacobi



# Overdetermined Systems

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{1,1} & \cdots & a_{1,n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{m,1} & \cdots & a_{m,n} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ \vdots \\ u_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ b_m \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{A}\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{b}$$

$A$  is not square!

Solution (normal equations):

$$\mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{A} \mathbf{u} = \mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{b}.$$

## Example: Linear Fit

Given:  $(1, 1), (2, 0), (3, 4), (4, 4), (5, 6)$

Wanted:  $y = ax + b$  linear fit.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 4 \\ 4 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 \\ 5 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix}$$

Normal equations:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 59 \\ 15 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 55 & 15 \\ 15 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix}$$

solution:

$$\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1.4 \\ -1.2 \end{bmatrix}$$