



Preconditioned inexact inverse iteration and inexact
shift-invert Arnoldi method


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- In this talk: $B = I$ (but all results extend to $B \neq I$)

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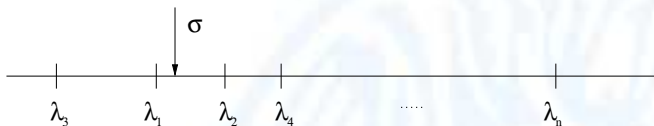
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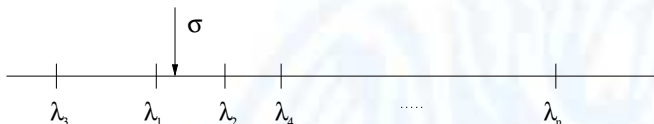
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- Problem becomes

$$(A - \sigma I)^{-1}x = \frac{1}{\lambda - \sigma}x$$

- each step of the iterative method involves repeated application of $\mathcal{A} = (A - \sigma I)^{-1}$ to a vector

- Inner iterative solve:**

$$(A - \sigma I)y = x$$

using Krylov method for linear systems. (CG, MINRES, GMRES, ...)

- leading to **inner-outer iterative method.**


This talk:

Convergence of outer iteration

Inner iteration and preconditioning

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Convergence rate analysis of inexact methods

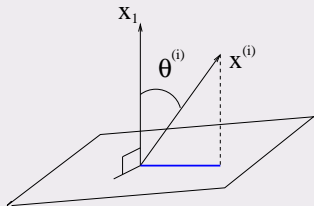
Main requirement: decreasing accuracy of the inner solves:

$$\xi^{(i+1)} \leq \xi^{(i)}$$

The convergence speed of the exact methods can be re-established.

[Lai/Lin/Lin '97, Golub/Ye '00, Simoncini/Elden '02, F./Spence '07, Elman/Xue '09, ...]

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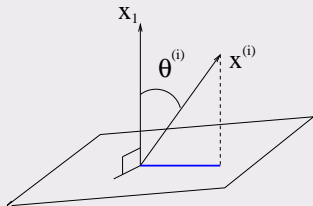


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Convergence rates of inexact inverse iteration - independent of the inner solver

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■ Choice 1: $\xi^{(i)} = C \|r^{(i)}\| = \mathcal{O}(\sin \theta^{(i)}) \Rightarrow T^{(i)} = \mathcal{O}(\tan \theta^{(i)})$

■ Choice 2: $\xi^{(i)} = \text{constant} \Rightarrow T^{(i)} = \mathcal{O}(1)$

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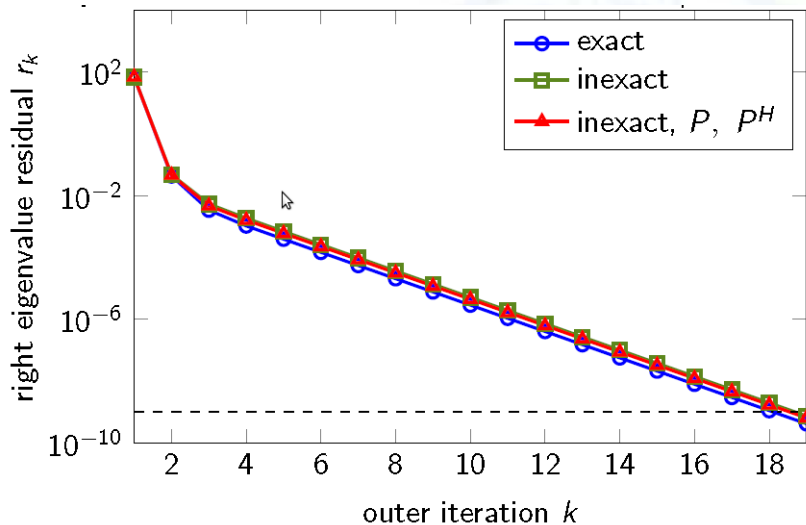
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then convergence rate is **linear** (same convergence rate as for exact solves).

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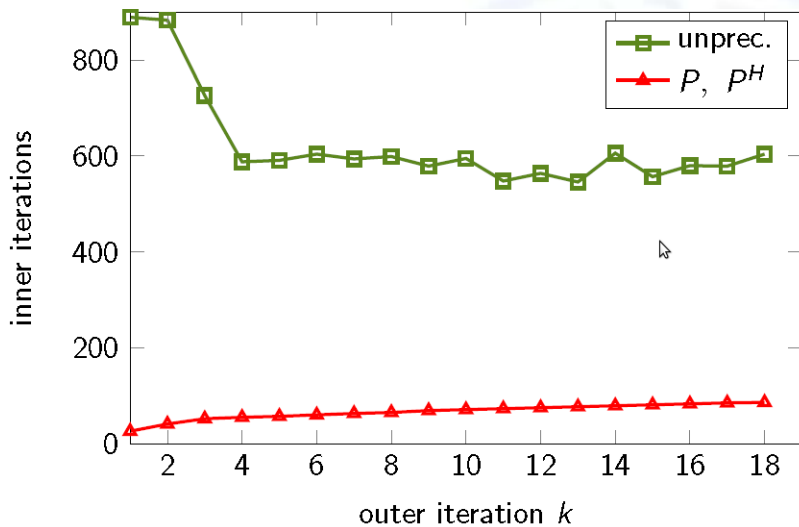
- exact solution (Matlab backslash)
- inexact solution (full GMRES) with decreasing tolerance
- termination when $\|r^{(i)}\| \leq 10^{-9}$, where
- preconditioned GMRES with incomplete LU preconditioners P

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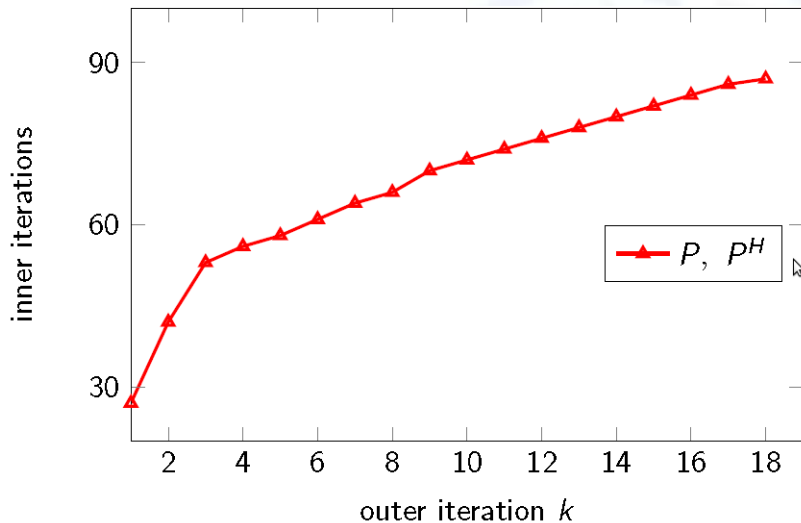
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Basic idea - key observation

Solving $Bx = b$ with a Krylov method, where b is an eigenvector of B :

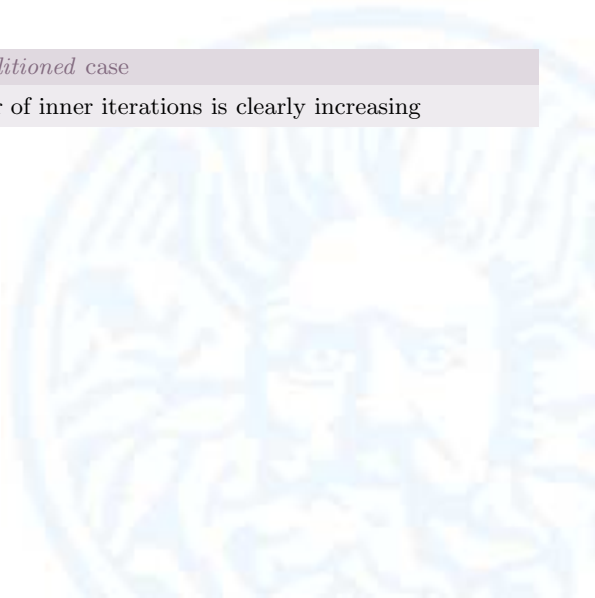
$$\Rightarrow \mathcal{K}_1(B, b) = \text{span}\{b\}$$

$$\mathcal{K}_2(B, b) = \text{span}\{b, Bb\} = \text{span}\{b, \alpha b\} = \text{span}\{b\}$$

Krylov method converges in one step!

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Question

Can we reduce the number of inner steps, e.g. to an \approx constant level?

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The tuned preconditioner for one-sided RQI

[F./Spence '09]

For $P \approx A$, the **tuned preconditioner** \mathbb{P} is defined by

$$\mathbb{P} = P + (x - Px)x^H$$

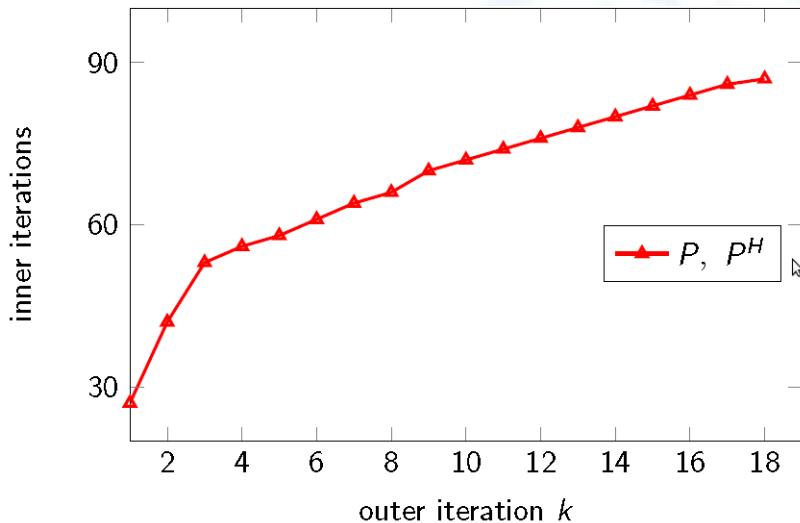
and we obtain

$$\mathbb{P}^{-1} = P^{-1} - \frac{(P^{-1}x - x)x^H P^{-1}}{x^H P^{-1}x}$$

Minor modification and **minor extra computational cost**.

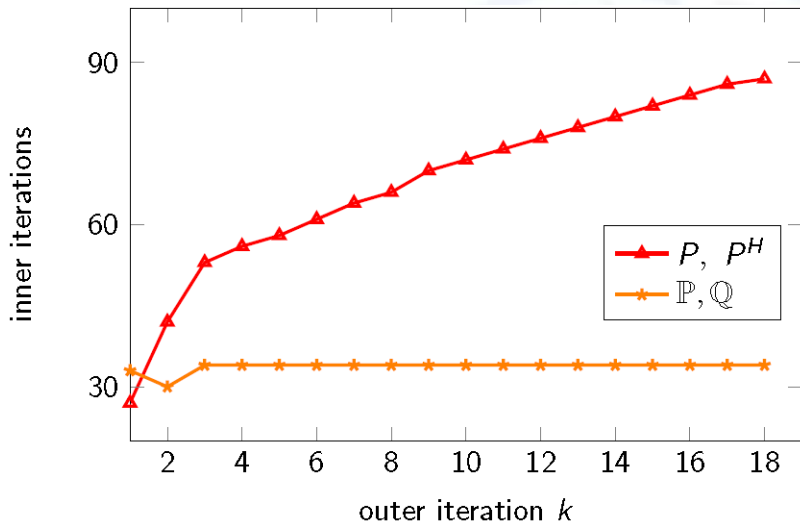
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More detailed GMRES theory for $y_0 = 0$

$$\|x - (A - \sigma I)y_k\| \leq \tilde{\kappa}(W) \frac{|\lambda_2 - \lambda_1|}{\lambda_1} \min_{p \in \mathcal{P}_{k-1}} \max_{j=2, \dots, n} |p(\lambda_j)| \|Qx\|$$

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where Q projects onto the space *not* spanned by the eigenvector.

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Good news!

$$k^{(i)} \geq C'_1 + C'_2 \log \frac{C_3 \|r^{(i)}\|}{\xi^{(i)}},$$

where $\xi^{(i)} = C \|r^{(i)}\|$. **Iteration number approximately constant!**

Finite difference discretisation on a 32×32 grid of the convection-diffusion operator

$$-\Delta u + 5u_x + 5u_y = \lambda u \quad \text{on } (0, 1)^2,$$

with homogeneous Dirichlet boundary conditions (961×961 matrix).

- smallest eigenvalue: $\lambda_1 \approx 32.18560954$,
- Preconditioned GMRES with tolerance $\xi^{(i)} = 0.01 \|r^{(i)}\|$,
- standard and tuned preconditioner (incomplete LU).

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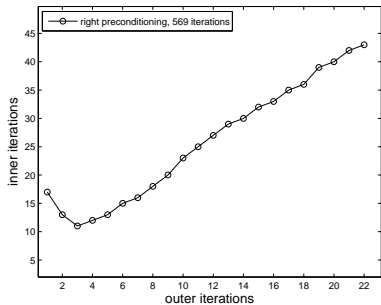


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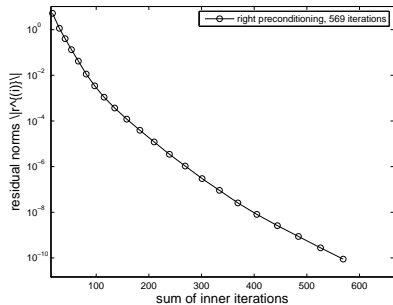


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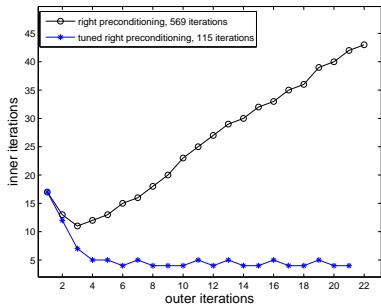


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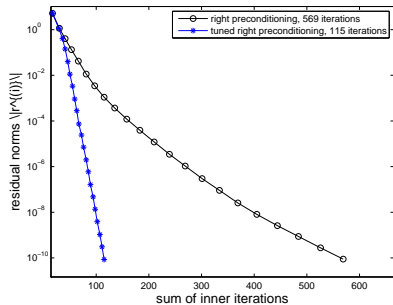



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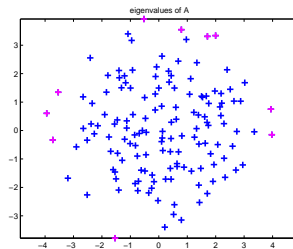
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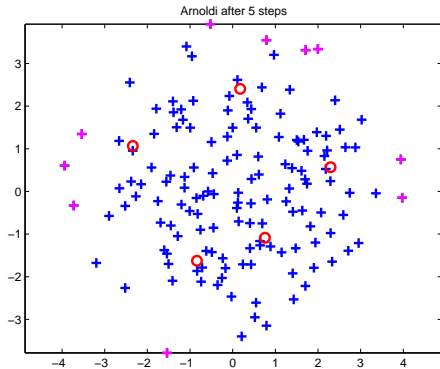
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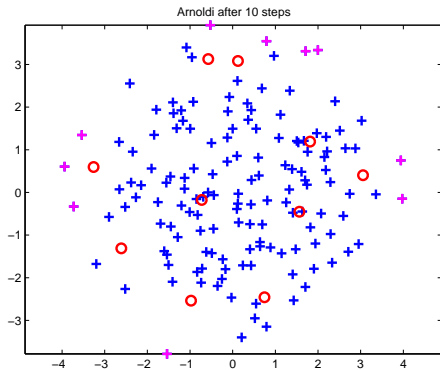
random complex matrix of dimension $n = 144$ generated in MATLAB:
`G=numgrid('N',14);B=delsq(G);A=sprandn(B)+i*sprandn(B)`



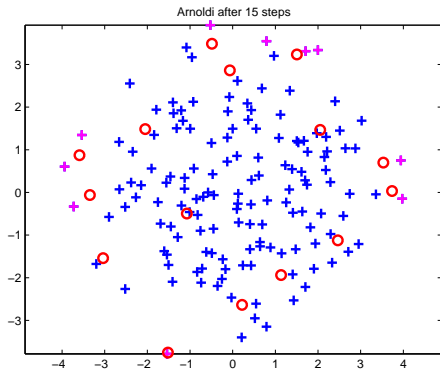
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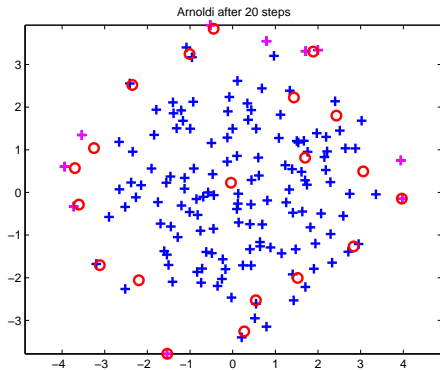
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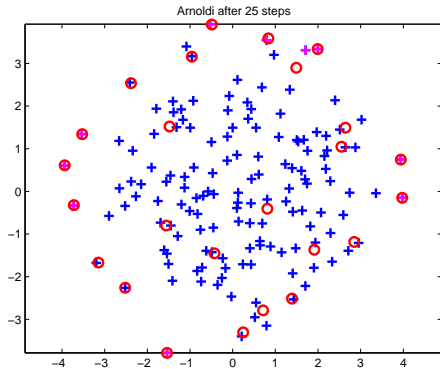
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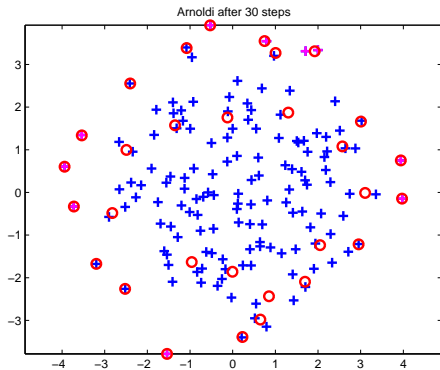
after 20 Arnoldi steps



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after 30 Arnoldi steps



The algorithm: take $\sigma = 0$

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Inexact solves (Simoncini 2005), Bouras and Frayssé (2000)

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and

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leads to

$$\begin{aligned} \|q_k - A\tilde{q}_{k+1}\| &= \|\tilde{d}_k\| \\ \|\tilde{d}_k\| &= C \frac{1}{\|r_{k-1}\|} \quad \diamond \end{aligned}$$

Solve tolerance can be relaxed.

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- the condition number
- the right hand side (initial guess)

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Tuned Preconditioner

using a **tuned** preconditioner for Arnoldi's method

$$\mathbb{P}_k Q_k = A Q_k; \quad \text{given by} \quad \mathbb{P}_k = P + (A - P)Q_k Q_k^H$$

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Implementation

- Sherman-Morrison-Woodbury.
- Only minor extra costs (one back substitution per outer iteration)

Numerical Example

`sherman5.mtx` nonsymmetric matrix from the Matrix Market library (3312×3312).

- smallest eigenvalue: $\lambda_1 \approx 4.69 \times 10^{-2}$,
- Preconditioned GMRES as inner solver (both fixed tolerance and relaxation strategy),
- standard and tuned preconditioner (incomplete LU).

No tuning and standard preconditioner

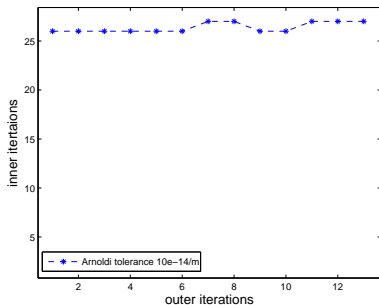


Figure: Inner iterations vs outer iterations

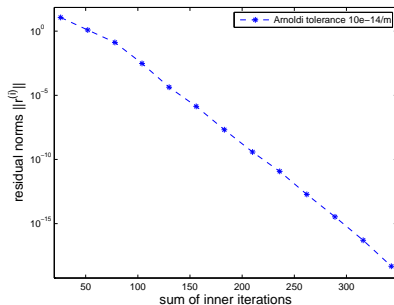


Figure: Eigenvalue residual norms vs total number of inner iterations

Tuning the preconditioner

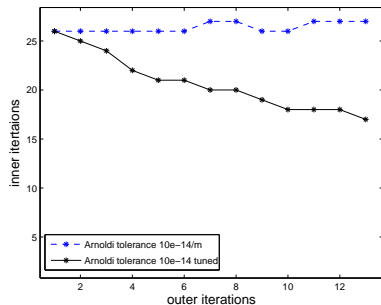


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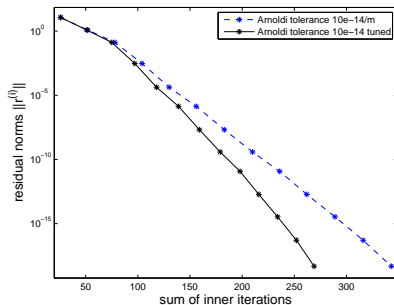


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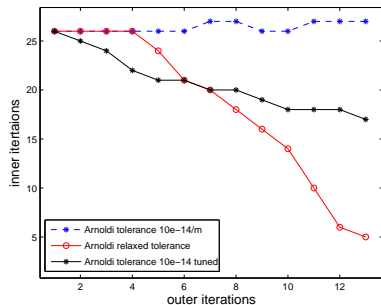


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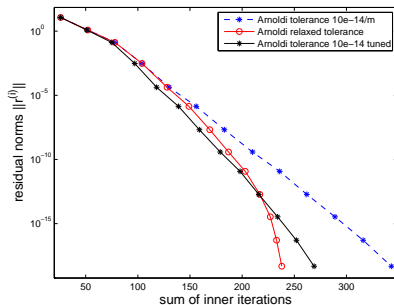


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Tuning and relaxation strategy

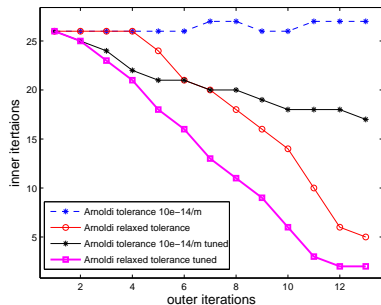


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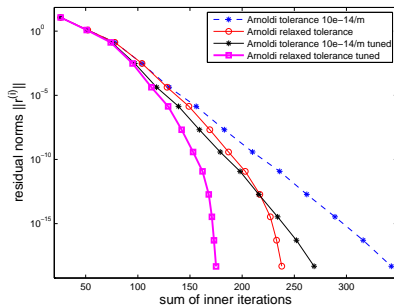



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Ritz values of exact and inexact Arnoldi







Exact eigenvalues	Ritz values (exact Arnoldi)	Ritz values (inexact Arnoldi, tuning)
+4.69249563e-02	+4.69249563e-02	+4.69249563e-02
+1.25445378e-01	+1.25445378e-01	+1.25445378e-01
+4.02658363e-01	+4.02658347e-01	+4.02658244e-01
+5.79574381e-01	+5.79625498e-01	+5.79817301e-01
+6.18836405e-01	+6.18798666e-01	+6.18650849e-01

Table: Ritz values of exact Arnoldi's method and inexact Arnoldi's method with the tuning strategy compared to exact eigenvalues closest to zero after 14 shift-invert Arnoldi steps.

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- For eigenvalue computations it is advantageous to consider small rank changes to the standard preconditioners
- Works for any preconditioner
- Works for SI versions of Power method, Simultaneous iteration, Arnoldi method

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