



# Scientific Computing II

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## Exercise Sheet 7.

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**Exercise 1.** (A perturbation of  $A$  generates a weaker Hilbert scale) (5 Points)

Let  $A$  be a symmetric positive, and  $B = (I + A)^{-1}A$ . Prove that:

$$\|Bx\|_s \leq \|x\|_s \quad (1)$$

for all  $s \in \mathbb{R}$ .

*Ps: the norm  $\|\cdot\|_s$  is the one defined in class.*

**Exercise 2.** (The stiffness matrix has always been there) (5 Points)

Let  $X, Y, Z$  be real vector spaces,  $a(\cdot, \cdot) : X \times Y \rightarrow Z$  be a bilinear map,  $\psi \in X^m$  and  $\phi \in Y^n$ . We define the associated matrix in  $Z^{m \times n}$  as:

$$[a(\psi, \phi)]_{ij} = a(\psi_i, \phi_j) \quad (2)$$

calling it still  $a$  with a small abuse of notation.

Similarly, if  $l : X \rightarrow Z$  is a linear map and  $\psi \in X^{p \times q}$ , define the matrix in  $Z^{p \times q}$ :

$$[l(\psi)]_{ij} = l(\psi_{ij}) \quad (3)$$

Fix two matrices  $B \in \mathbb{R}^{s \times m}$ ,  $C \in \mathbb{R}^{t \times n}$  and prove the followings:

- i) if  $\psi \in X^m$ ,  $\phi \in Y^n$ , then  $a(B\psi, C\phi) = Ba(\psi, \phi)C^T$
- ii) if  $\psi \in X^{m \times 1}$ , then  $l(B\psi) = Bl(\psi)$
- iii) if  $\phi \in X^{1 \times n}$ , then  $l(\phi C^T) = l(\phi)C^T$
- iv) if  $\psi \in S_h^N$  is basis of the  $N$ -dim Galerkin approximation of  $H_0^1$ , then the solution of the variational problem can be written as  $\bar{x} = a(\psi, \psi)^{-1}l(\psi)$
- v) let's go in the setting of the multigrid algorithm, with  $\psi$  still to be the basis above with stiffness matrix  $A_h$ . Consider the basis for the level  $S_H$  done by  $\psi_H = P^T \psi_h$ . Show that the corresponding stiffness matrix actually coincides with the definition  $A_H = P^T A_h P$  given in class.

**Exercise 3.** (Missing details in Theorem 2.25) (5 Points)

In the setting of theorem 2.25, prove by induction that:

$$\rho_1^2 + \left(\frac{6}{5}\rho_1\right)^4(1 - \rho_1^2) \leq \left(\frac{6}{5}\rho_1\right)^2 \quad (4)$$

**Exercise 4.** (Missing details in Proposition 2.26) (5 Points)

In the setting of theorem 2.26, prove that:

$$\sum_i \lambda_i \mu_i^{2\nu} |c_i|^2 \leq \left[ \sum_i \lambda_i \mu_i^{2\nu+1} |c_i|^2 \right]^{\frac{2\nu}{2\nu+1}} \left[ \sum_i \lambda_i |c_i|^2 \right]^{\frac{1}{2\nu+1}} \quad (5)$$

*Hint: Hoelder inequality*