

Adaptive Model Trust-Region Methods for Generalized Eigenvalue Problems

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The Problem: Leftmost Eigenspace of a Matrix

Given $n \times n$ matrix pencil (A, B) , $A = A^T$, $B = B^T \succ 0$ with (unknown) eigen-decomposition

$$A \begin{bmatrix} v_1 & \dots & v_n \end{bmatrix} = B \begin{bmatrix} v_1 & \dots & v_n \end{bmatrix} \text{diag}(\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} v_1 & \dots & v_n \end{bmatrix}^T B \begin{bmatrix} v_1 & \dots & v_n \end{bmatrix} = I$$

$$\lambda_1 < \lambda_2 \leq \dots \leq \lambda_n$$

Given integer p with $0 < p < n$.

Compute the minor p -dimensional eigenspace $\text{col}(v_1, \dots, v_p)$.

Consider [Inverse Iteration](#) and [Rayleigh Quotient Iteration](#)

Preliminaries (1): Inverse Iteration (INVIT)

$$x_{k+1} = \frac{A^{-1}x_k}{\|A^{-1}x_k\|}$$

Properties:

- Global convergence to $\{\pm v_1, \dots, \pm v_n\}$.
- Stable convergence to $\pm v_1$ only.
- Local linear convergence, with ratio $\frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_2}$.
- Computing a new iterate is expensive.

Preliminaries (2): Rayleigh Quotient Iteration (RQI)

$$\rho_k = \frac{x_k^T A x_k}{x_k^T x_k}$$
$$x_{k+1} = \frac{(A - \rho_k I)^{-1} x_k}{\|(A - \rho_k I)^{-1} x_k\|}$$

Properties:

- Cubic local convergence.
- Converges to “nearest” eigenvector.
- Computing a new iterate is expensive.

The Ideal Algorithm

1. **Global convergence:**
 - Convergence to some eigenvector for **all** initial conditions.
 - **Stable** convergence to the minor eigenvector $\pm v_1$ only.
2. **Superlinear** (cubic) local convergence to $\pm v_1$.
3. **No factorization** of A .

Matrix A only utilized as operator $x \mapsto Ax$.
4. **Low** storage requirements.

A Hybrid Approach

Combine INVIT and RQI in two phases:

- Phase I: Use INVIT to reach domain of attraction of v_1
- Phase II: Use RQI to yield superlinear convergence

There are two problems with this approach:

- Need a **practical** and **reliable** switching criterion!
- **Exact** INVIT and RQI are **expensive**!

Proposed Remedy (1)

Phase I: Replace INVIT with **Basic Tracemin** (Sameh and Wisniewski [SW82], Sameh and Tong [ST00])

Basic Tracemin uses

- successive **approximate minimization** of...
- **inexact** local quadratic models...
- of the generalized Rayleigh quotient.

Similar to INVIT; equivalent when using exact preconditioner.

However, rate of convergence is only **linear**!

Proposed Remedy (2)

We desire a **superlinear** method for Phase II that is **reliable** and **less expensive** than RQI.

The recently proposed **Riemannian Trust-Region** (RTR) algorithm (Absil, Baker and Gallivan [ABG04]) is

- globally convergent
- superlinear convergence near the solution
- “matrix-free” and low-memory

Trust-region mechanism can prevent RTR from **fully exploiting** a good preconditioner.

Proposed hybrid method

Phase I: **Tracemin**

Phase II: **RTR**

Result: Efficient, **globally convergent** method with a **superlinear** rate of convergence near the solution.

We unify both methods in an **adaptive model-based framework** for minimizing the generalized Rayleigh quotient

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Optimization Formulation of SGEP

Goal: compute the p leftmost eigenpairs of the generalized eigenproblem, where A and B are symmetric and positive definite:

$$(v_1, \lambda_1), \dots, (v_p, \lambda_p)$$

$$\lambda_1 \leq \dots \leq \lambda_p < \lambda_{p+1}$$

Subspace $\mathcal{V}_p = \text{col}(v_1, \dots, v_p)$ is the column space of any **minimizer** of the Generalized Rayleigh cost function:

$$f : \mathbb{R}_*^{n \times p} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} : X \mapsto \text{trace} \left((X^T B X)^{-1} (X^T A X) \right)$$

Successive Model Minimization

Given $X \in \mathbb{R}_*^{n \times p}$, produce a correction S s.t. $f(X + S) < f(X)$

Choose S from $T_X := \{Z \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times p} : Z^T B X = 0\}$.

Successive minimizations attempt to minimize the function

$$\hat{f}_X(S) := \text{trace} \left(((Y + S)^T B (Y + S))^{-1} ((Y + S)^T A (Y + S)) \right),$$

for $S \in T_X$.

We will perform this minimization using a [trust-region method](#) on a quadratic model m_X of \hat{f}_X

Trust-region Strategy

Init: $X_0^T B X_0 = I_p$

for $k = 0, 1, 2, \dots$

Obtain S_k as **approximate** solution of model minimization:

$$\min m_{X_k}(S) \quad \text{s.t.} \quad \|S\| \leq \Delta_k, S \in T_X$$

$$m_{X_k}(S) := f(X_k) + \langle 2PAX_k, S \rangle + \frac{1}{2} \langle \mathcal{H}_{X_k}[S], S \rangle$$

Compute $\rho_k = \frac{\hat{f}(S_k) - \hat{f}(0)}{m(S_k) - m(0)}$

Update the trust-region radius and iterate:

$$X_{k+1} = X_k \text{ or via } B\text{-orthonormalization of } (X_k + S_k)$$

end for

$$P = I - BX(X^T B^2 X)^{-1} X^T B \quad \langle X, Y \rangle = \text{trace}(X^T Y)$$

Solving the TR Subproblem

To solve the model minimization, we use a [preconditioned truncated conjugate gradient](#) algorithm (Steihaug [Ste83] and Toint [Toi81]).

Method has [low-memory requirements](#) and is [matrix-free](#) with respect to A and B .

For a preconditioner M , we use Olsen formula to solve $(PMP)\tilde{R} = R$, for $P\tilde{R} = \tilde{R}$ and $PR = R$:

$$\tilde{R} = M^{-1}R - M^{-1}BX(X^TBM^{-1}BX)^{-1}X^TBM^{-1}R$$

Truncated CG

Set $S_0 = 0$, $R_0 = 2PAX_k$, $\tilde{R}_0 = (PMP)^\dagger R_0$, $D_0 = -R_0$
for $j = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ until an **inner stopping criterion is satisfied**

if $\langle D_j, \mathcal{H}_{X_k}[D_j] \rangle \leq 0$

 Compute τ such that $S = S_j + \tau D_j$ minimizes $m(S)$

 and $\|S\|_M = \Delta$; **return** S ;

Set $\alpha_j = \langle R_j, \tilde{R}_j \rangle / \langle D_j, \mathcal{H}_{X_k}[D_j] \rangle$; Set $S_{j+1} = S_j + \alpha_j D_j$;

if $\|S_{j+1}\|_M \geq \Delta$

 Compute $\tau \geq 0$ such that $S = S_j + \tau D_j$ satisfies

$\|S\|_M = \Delta$; **return** S ;

 Generate R_{j+1} and D_{j+1} using the standard CG recurrences
end for.

Choice of the model

$$m_X(S) := f(X) + \langle 2PAX, S \rangle + \frac{1}{2} \langle \mathcal{H}_X[S], S \rangle$$

\mathcal{H}_X is allowed to be any symmetric operator:

- Tracemin-like:

$$\mathcal{H}_X[S] := 2PAPS$$

- Exact Hessian from quadratic expansion of \hat{f}_X :

$$\mathcal{H}_X[S] := 2P (AS - BS(X^T BX)^{-1}(X^T AX))$$

Properties of Tracemin model

Recall that $A \succ 0$.

Tracemin-like model Hessian: $\mathcal{H}_X[S] := 2PAPS$.

- $\mathcal{H}_X \succ 0 \Rightarrow$ the stationary point of the model is a minimizer.
- $m_X(S) \leq m_X(0) \Rightarrow f(X + S) \leq f(X)$

Can take trust-region radius $\Delta = \infty$

A large S returned by a good preconditioner is **always accepted!**

Two-Phase Strategy

This dictates parameters for two phases of algorithm:

Phase I: Tracemin Phase

Use $\mathcal{H}_{X_k}[S] := PAPS$ and $\Delta := +\infty$.

Phase II: RTR Phase

Use **exact Hessian** and $\Delta_k < \infty$.

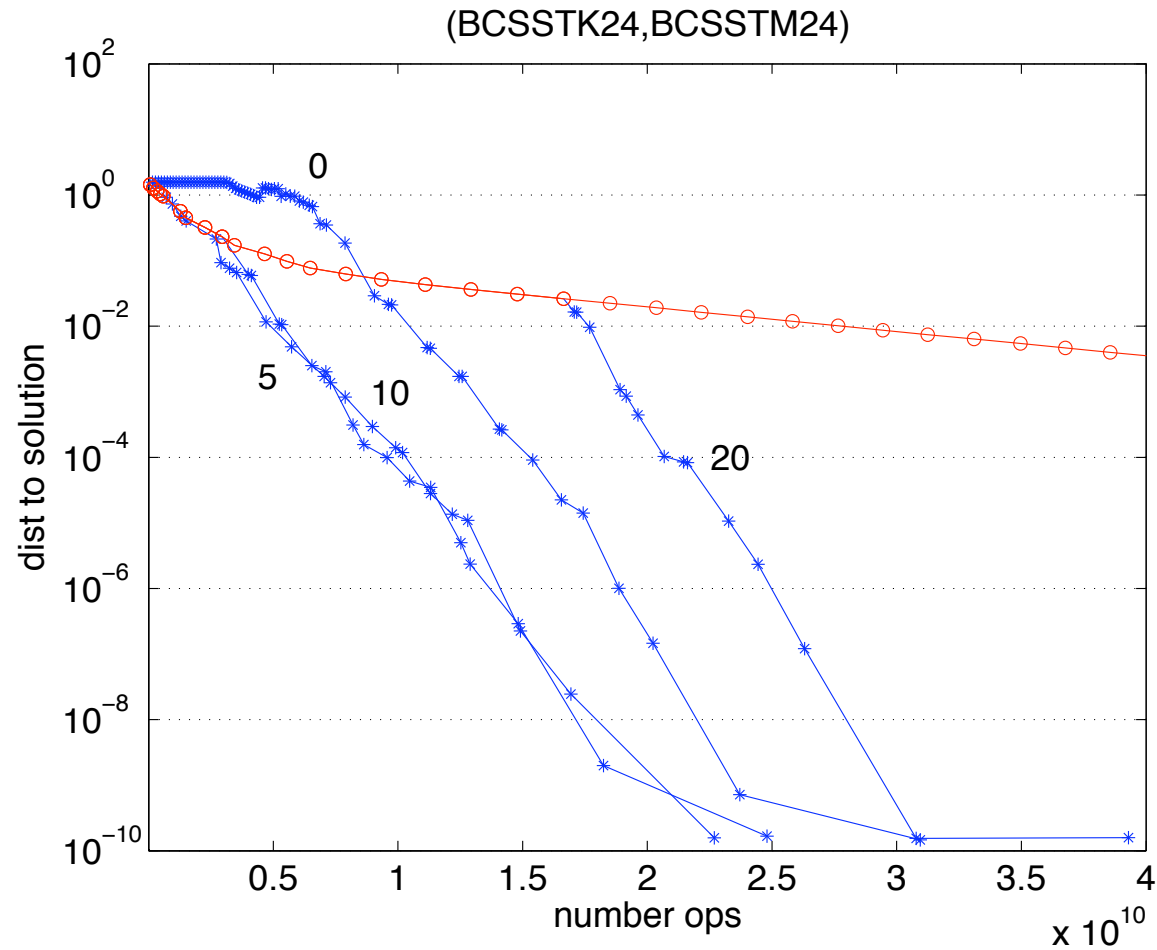
Regardless of switching criteria, **algorithm always converges to leftmost eigenspace!**

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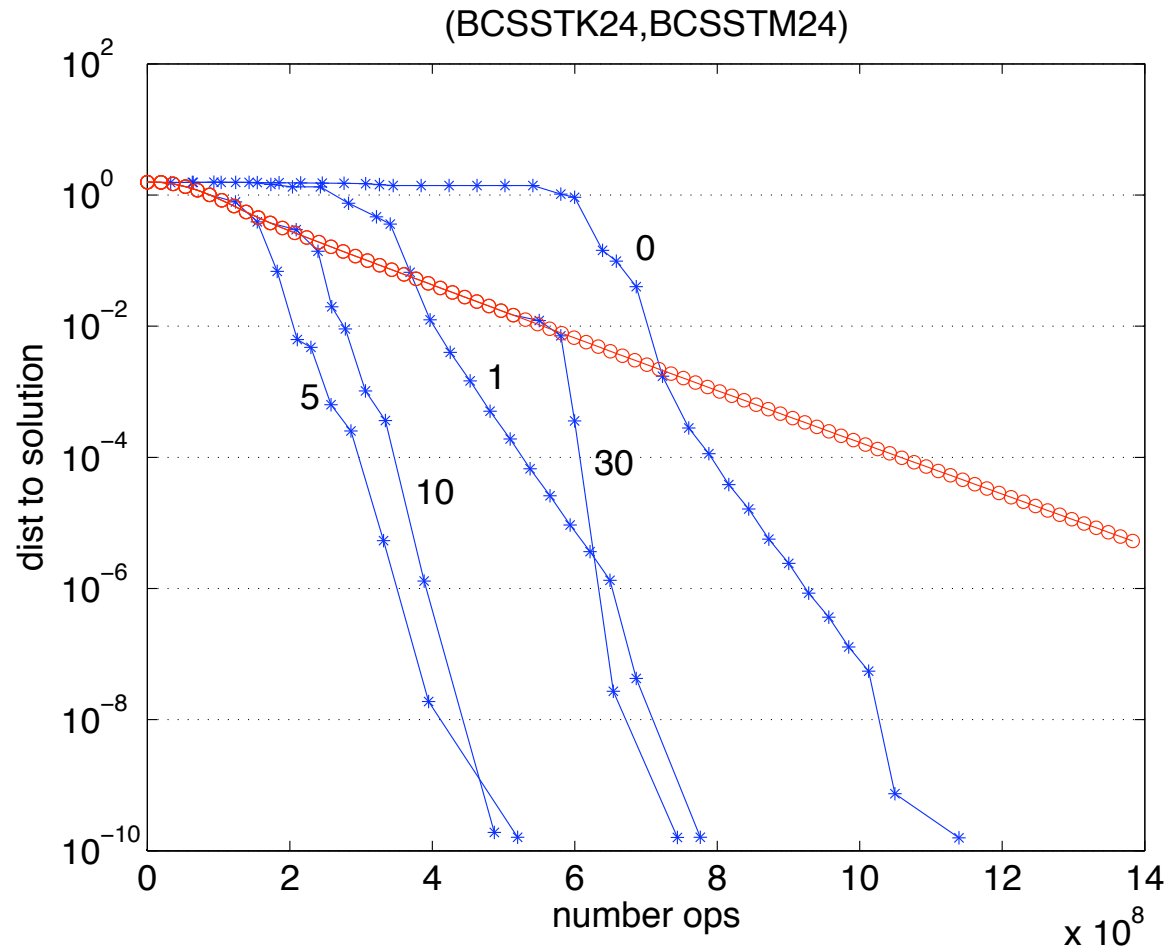
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Results



Distance to target versus approximate number of operations.
BCSST24 with Incomplete Cholesky preconditioner

Results



BCSST24 with exact (Cholesky) preconditioner after approximate minimum degree permutation.

Conclusion

- We presented a combination Basic Tracemin and Riemannian Trust Region for computing the leftmost eigenpairs of a symmetric positive definite pencil.
- The method is **globally convergent** with **superlinear** convergence.
- The appropriate combination is more efficient than the constituent methods.

Future research involves finding switching criteria to maximize the efficiency of the algorithm.

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