

Structured eigenvalue condition numbers for parameterized quasimseparable matrices

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Theorem

Let $C \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ be a $\{1, 1\}$ -quasiseparable matrix and

$$C = C_L + C_D + C_U$$

with C_L strictly lower triangular, C_D diagonal, and C_U strictly upper triangular.
Then

$$\begin{aligned} \text{cond}(\lambda; \Omega_{QS}) &= \frac{1}{|\lambda| |\mathbf{y}^* \mathbf{x}|} \left\{ |\mathbf{y}^*| |C_D| |\mathbf{x}| + |\mathbf{y}^*| |C_L \mathbf{x}| + |\mathbf{y}^* C_L| |\mathbf{x}| \right. \\ &\quad + |\mathbf{y}^*| |C_U \mathbf{x}| + |\mathbf{y}^* C_U| |\mathbf{x}| \\ &\quad + \sum_{i=2}^{n-1} \left| \mathbf{y}^* \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ C(i+1:n, 1:i-1) & 0 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} \right| \\ &\quad \left. + \sum_{j=2}^{n-1} \left| \mathbf{y}^* \begin{bmatrix} 0 & C(1:j-1, j+1:n) \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} \right| \right\} \end{aligned}$$

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Property 1

$\text{cond}(\lambda; \Omega_{QS})$ **does not depend on the parameters**. It only depends on the matrix entries, the eigenvalue, and the left-right eigenvectors.

Therefore, for any two sets Ω_{QS} and Ω'_{QS} of quasiseparable parameters of the same matrix C

$$\text{cond}(\lambda; \Omega_{QS}) = \text{cond}(\lambda; \Omega'_{QS})$$

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$$|C(\Omega_{QS} + \delta\Omega_{QS}) - C(\Omega_{QS})| \leq [(1 + \eta)^n - 1] C(|\Omega_{QS}|),$$

(only in the $\{1, 1\}$ -case we can replace $C(|\Omega_{QS}|)$ by $|C(\Omega_{QS})|$, and

- the unstructured condition number with respect these perturbations (Higham-Higham, 1998) is

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