

Lecture 8: Fast Linear Solvers (Part 7)

Modified Gram-Schmidt Process with Reorthogonalization

- $v_{k+1} = Av_k$
for $j = 1, \dots, k$
 $h_{jk} = v_{k+1}^T v_j$
 $v_{k+1} = v_{k+1} - h_{jk}v_j$
- $h_{k+1,k} = \|v_{k+1}\|_2$
- If loss of orthogonality is detected
For $j = 1, \dots, k$
 $h_{tmp} = v_{k+1}^T v_j$
 $h_{jk} = h_{jk} + h_{tmp}$
 $v_{k+1} = v_{k+1} - h_{tmp}v_j$
- $h_{k+1,k} = \|v_{k+1}\|_2$
- $v_{k+1} = v_{k+1} / \|v_{k+1}\|_2$

Test Reorthogonalization

If $\|Av_k\|_2 + \delta \|v_{k+1}\|_2 = \|Av_k\|_2$ to working precision.

$$\delta = 10^{-3}$$

Householder Arnoldi

- In Arnoldi algorithm, the column vectors of a matrix to be orthonormalized are not available ahead of time.
- In stead, the next vector is Av_j , where v_j is current basis vector.
- In the Householder algorithm, an orthogonal column v_i is obtained as $H_1 \dots H_i e_i$.

ALGORITHM 6.3: Householder Arnoldi

1. *Select a nonzero vector v ; Set $z_1 = v$*
2. *For $j = 1, \dots, m, m + 1$ Do:*
3. *Compute the Householder unit vector w_j such that*
4. $(w_j)_i = 0, i = 1, \dots, j - 1$ *and*
5. $(P_j z_j)_i = 0, i = j + 1, \dots, n$, *where $P_j = I - 2w_j w_j^T$*
6. $h_{j-1} = P_j z_j$
7. $v_j = P_1 P_2 \dots P_j e_j$
8. *If $j \leq m$ compute $z_{j+1} := P_j P_{j-1} \dots P_1 A v_j$*
9. *EndDo*

H.F. Walker: Implementation of the GMRES method using Householder transformation. *SIAM J. on Sci. Comput.* 9:152-163, 1988

Givens Rotations

minimize $_{y \in \mathbb{R}^k} \|\beta \mathbf{e}_1 - \bar{H}_m \mathbf{y}^k\|_2$ involves QR factorization.

Do QR factorizations of H_k by Givens Rotations.

- A 2×2 **Givens rotation** is a matrix of the form $G = \begin{bmatrix} c & -s \\ s & c \end{bmatrix}$ where $c = \cos(\theta)$, $s = \sin(\theta)$ for $\theta \in [-\pi, \pi]$. The orthogonal matrix G rotates the vector $(c, -s)^T$, which makes an angle of $-\theta$ with the x -axis, through an angle θ so that it overlaps the x -axis.

$$GA \begin{bmatrix} c \\ -s \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

An $N \times N$ Givens rotation $G_j(c, s)$ replaces a 2×2 block on the diagonal of the $N \times N$ identity matrix with a 2×2 Givens rotation. $G_j(c, s)$ is with a 2×2 Givens rotation in rows and columns j and $j + 1$.

- Givens rotations can be used in reducing Hessenberg matrices to triangular form. This can be done in $O(N)$ floating-point operations.
- Let H be an $N \times M$ ($N \geq M$) upper Hessenberg matrix with rank M . We reduce H to triangular form by first multiplying the matrix by a Givens rotation that zeros h_{21} (values of h_{11} and subsequent columns are changed)

- Step 1: Define $G_1(c_1, s_1)$ by $c_1 = h_{11}/\sqrt{h_{11}^2 + h_{21}^2}$ and $s_1 = -h_{21}/\sqrt{h_{11}^2 + h_{21}^2}$. Replace H by G_1H .
- Step 2: Define $G_2(c_2, s_2)$ by $c_2 = h_{22}/\sqrt{h_{22}^2 + h_{32}^2}$ and $s_2 = -h_{32}/\sqrt{h_{22}^2 + h_{32}^2}$. Replace H by G_2H .
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- Step j : Define $G_j(c_j, s_j)$ by $c_j = h_{jj}/\sqrt{h_{jj}^2 + h_{j+1,j}^2}$ and $s_j = -h_{j+1,j}/\sqrt{h_{jj}^2 + h_{j+1,j}^2}$. Replace H by G_jH .

Setting $Q = G_N \dots G_1$. $R = QH$ is upper triangular.

Let $\bar{H}_m = QR$ by Givens rotations matrices.

$$\text{minimize}_{\mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^k} \|\beta \mathbf{e}_1 - \bar{H}_m \mathbf{y}^k\|_2$$

$$= \text{minimize}_{\mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^k} \|Q(\beta \mathbf{e}_1 - \bar{H}_m \mathbf{y}^k)\|_2$$

$$= \text{minimize}_{\mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^k} \|\beta Q \mathbf{e}_1 - R \mathbf{y}^k\|_2$$

ALGORITHM 3.5.1. $\text{gmres}(x, b, A, \epsilon, kmax, \rho)$

1. $r = b - Ax$, $v_1 = r/\|r\|_2$, $\rho = \|r\|_2$, $\beta = \rho$,
 $k = 0$; $g = \rho(1, 0, \dots, 0)^T \in R^{kmax+1}$
2. While $\rho > \epsilon\|b\|_2$ and $k < kmax$ do
 - (a) $k = k + 1$
 - (b) $v_{k+1} = Av_k$
for $j = 1, \dots, k$
 - i. $h_{jk} = v_{k+1}^T v_j$
 - ii. $v_{k+1} = v_{k+1} - h_{jk}v_j$
 - (c) $h_{k+1,k} = \|v_{k+1}\|_2$
 - (d) Test for loss of orthogonality and reorthogonalize if necessary.
 - (e) $v_{k+1} = v_{k+1}/\|v_{k+1}\|_2$
 - (f)
 - i. If $k > 1$ apply Q_{k-1} to the k th column of H .
 - ii. $\nu = \sqrt{h_{k,k}^2 + h_{k+1,k}^2}$
 - iii. $c_k = h_{k,k}/\nu$, $s_k = -h_{k+1,k}/\nu$
 $h_{k,k} = c_k h_{k,k} - s_k h_{k+1,k}$, $h_{k+1,k} = 0$
 - iv. $g = G_k(c_k, s_k)g$.
 - (g) $\rho = |(g)_{k+1}|$.
3. Set $r_{i,j} = h_{i,j}$ for $1 \leq i, j \leq k$.
Set $(w)_i = (g)_i$ for $1 \leq i \leq k$.
Solve the upper triangular system $Ry^k = w$.
4. $x_k = x_0 + V_k y^k$.

Preconditioning

Basic idea: using GMRES on a modified system such as $M^{-1}A\mathbf{x} = M^{-1}\mathbf{b}$.

The matrix $M^{-1}A$ need not to be formed explicitly. However, $M\mathbf{w} = \mathbf{v}$ need to be solved whenever needed.

Left preconditioning

$$M^{-1}A\mathbf{x} = M^{-1}\mathbf{b}$$

Right preconditioning

$$AM^{-1}\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{b} \text{ with } \mathbf{x} = M^{-1}\mathbf{u}$$

Split preconditioning: M is factored as $M = M_L M_R$

$$M_L^{-1}AM_R^{-1}\mathbf{u} = M_L^{-1}\mathbf{b} \text{ with } \mathbf{x} = M_R^{-1}\mathbf{u}$$

GMRES with Left Preconditioning

ALGORITHM 9.4: GMRES with Left Preconditioning

1. Compute $r_0 = M^{-1}(b - Ax_0)$, $\beta = \|r_0\|_2$ and $v_1 = r_0/\beta$
2. For $j = 1, \dots, m$ Do:
3. Compute $w := M^{-1}Av_j$
4. For $i = 1, \dots, j$, Do:
5. $h_{i,j} := (w, v_i)$
6. $w := w - h_{i,j}v_i$
7. EndDo
8. Compute $h_{j+1,j} = \|w\|_2$ and $v_{j+1} = w/h_{j+1,j}$
9. EndDo
10. Define $V_m := [v_1, \dots, v_m]$, $\bar{H}_m = \{h_{i,j}\}_{1 \leq i \leq j+1; 1 \leq j \leq m}$
11. Compute $y_m = \operatorname{argmin}_y \|\beta e_1 - \bar{H}_m y\|_2$, and $x_m = x_0 + V_m y_m$
12. If satisfied Stop, else set $x_0 := x_m$ and GoTo 1

The Arnoldi process constructs an orthogonal basis for $\operatorname{Span}\{r_0, M^{-1}Ar_0, (M^{-1}A)^2r_0, \dots, (M^{-1}A)^{k-1}r_0\}$.

GMRES with Right Preconditioning

Right preconditioned GMRES is based on solving $AM^{-1}\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{b}$ with $\mathbf{x} = M^{-1}\mathbf{u}$.

- The initial residual is: $\mathbf{b} - AM^{-1}\mathbf{u}_0 = \mathbf{b} - A\mathbf{x}_0$.
 - This means all subsequent vectors of the Krylov subspace can be obtained without any references to the \mathbf{u} .
- At the end of right preconditioned GMRES:

$$\mathbf{u}_m = \mathbf{u}_0 + \sum_{i=1}^m \mathbf{v}_i \eta_i \quad \text{with} \quad \mathbf{u}_0 = M\mathbf{x}_0$$

$$\mathbf{x}_m = \mathbf{x}_0 + M^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^m \mathbf{v}_i \eta_i$$

GMRES with Right Preconditioning

ALGORITHM 9.5: GMRES with Right Preconditioning

1. Compute $r_0 = b - Ax_0$, $\beta = \|r_0\|_2$, and $v_1 = r_0/\beta$
 2. For $j = 1, \dots, m$ Do:
 3. Compute $w := AM^{-1}v_j$
 4. For $i = 1, \dots, j$, Do:
 5. $h_{i,j} := (w, v_i)$
 6. $w := w - h_{i,j}v_i$
 7. EndDo
 8. Compute $h_{j+1,j} = \|w\|_2$ and $v_{j+1} = w/h_{j+1,j}$
 9. Define $V_m := [v_1, \dots, v_m]$, $\bar{H}_m = \{h_{i,j}\}_{1 \leq i \leq j+1; 1 \leq j \leq m}$
 10. EndDo
 11. Compute $y_m = \operatorname{argmin}_y \|\beta e_1 - \bar{H}_m y\|_2$, and $x_m = x_0 + M^{-1}V_m y_m$.
 12. If satisfied Stop, else set $x_0 := x_m$ and Go To 1.
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The Arnoldi process constructs an orthogonal basis for $\operatorname{Span}\{r_0, AM^{-1}r_0, (AM^{-1})^2r_0, \dots, (AM^{-1})^{k-1}r_0\}$.

Split Preconditioning

- M can be a factorization of the form $M = LU$.
- Then $L^{-1}AU^{-1}\mathbf{u} = L^{-1}\mathbf{b}$, with $\mathbf{x} = U^{-1}\mathbf{u}$.
 - Need to operate on the initial residual by $L^{-1}(\mathbf{b} - A\mathbf{x}_0)$
 - Need to operate on the linear combination $U^{-1}(V_m\mathbf{y}_m)$ in forming the approximate solution

Comparison of Left and Right Preconditioning

- Spectra of $M^{-1}A$, AM^{-1} and $L^{-1}AU^{-1}$ are identical.
- In principle, one should expect convergence to be similar.
- When M is ill-conditioned, the difference could be substantial.

Jacobi Preconditioner

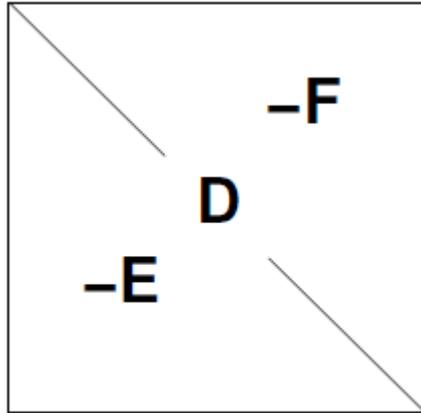
Iterative method for solving $Ax = b$ takes the form:
 $\mathbf{x}_{k+1} = M^{-1}N\mathbf{x}_k + M^{-1}\mathbf{b}$ where M and N split A into $A = M - N$.

- Define $G = M^{-1}N = M^{-1}(M - A) = I - M^{-1}A$ and $\mathbf{f} = M^{-1}\mathbf{b}$.
- Iterative method is to solve $(I - G)\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{f}$, which can be written as $M^{-1}A\mathbf{x} = M^{-1}\mathbf{b}$.

Jacobi iterative method: $\mathbf{x}_{k+1} = G_{JA}\mathbf{x}_k + \mathbf{f}$ where $G_{JA} = (I - D^{-1}A)$ and $\mathbf{f} = D^{-1}\mathbf{b}$

- $M = D$ for Jacobi method.

SOR/SSOR Preconditioner



- Define: $A = D - E - F$
- Gauss-Seidel: $G_{GS} = I - (D - E)^{-1}A$
- $M_{SOR} = \frac{1}{w} (D - wE)$

A symmetric SOR (SSOR) consists of:

$$(D - wE)\mathbf{x}_{k+\frac{1}{2}} = [wF + (1 - w)D]\mathbf{x}_k + w\mathbf{b}$$

$$(D - wF)\mathbf{x}_{k+1} = [wE + (1 - w)D]\mathbf{x}_{k+\frac{1}{2}} + w\mathbf{b}$$

This gives

$$\mathbf{x}_{k+1} = G_{SSOR}\mathbf{x}_k + \mathbf{f}$$

Where

$$G_{SSOR} = (D - wF)^{-1}(wE + (1 - w)D)(D - wE)^{-1}(wF + (1 - w)D)$$

- $M_{SSOR} = (D - wE)D^{-1}(D - wF)$; $M_{SGS} = (D - E)D^{-1}(D - F)$;
- Note: SSOR usually is used when A is symmetric

Take symmetric GS for example:

$$M_{SGS} = (D - E)D^{-1}(D - F)$$

- Define: $L = (D - E)D^{-1} = I - ED^{-1}$ and $U = D - F$.
- L is a lower triangular matrix and U is an upper triangular matrix.
- To solve $M_{SGS}\mathbf{w} = \mathbf{x}$ for \mathbf{w} , a forward solve and a backward solve are used:
 - Solve $(I - ED^{-1})\mathbf{z} = \mathbf{x}$ for \mathbf{z}
 - Solve $(D - F)\mathbf{w} = \mathbf{z}$ for \mathbf{w}

Incomplete LU(0) Factorization

Define: $NZ(X) = \{(i, j) | X_{i,j} \neq 0\}$

Incomplete LU (ILU(0)):

- $A = LU + R$ with $NZ(L) \cup NZ(U) = NZ(A)$

$$r_{ij} = 0 \text{ for } (i, j) \in NZ(A)$$

I.e. L and U have no fill-ins at the entries $a_{ij} = 0$.

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for  $i = 1$  to  $n$ 
  for  $k = 1$  to  $i - 1$  and if  $(i, k) \in NZ(A)$ 
     $a_{ik} = a_{ik} / a_{kj}$ 
    for  $j = k + 1$  to  $n$  and if  $(i, k) \in NZ(A)$ 
       $a_{ij} = a_{ij} - a_{ik} a_{kj}$ 
    end;
  end;
end;
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ILU(0)

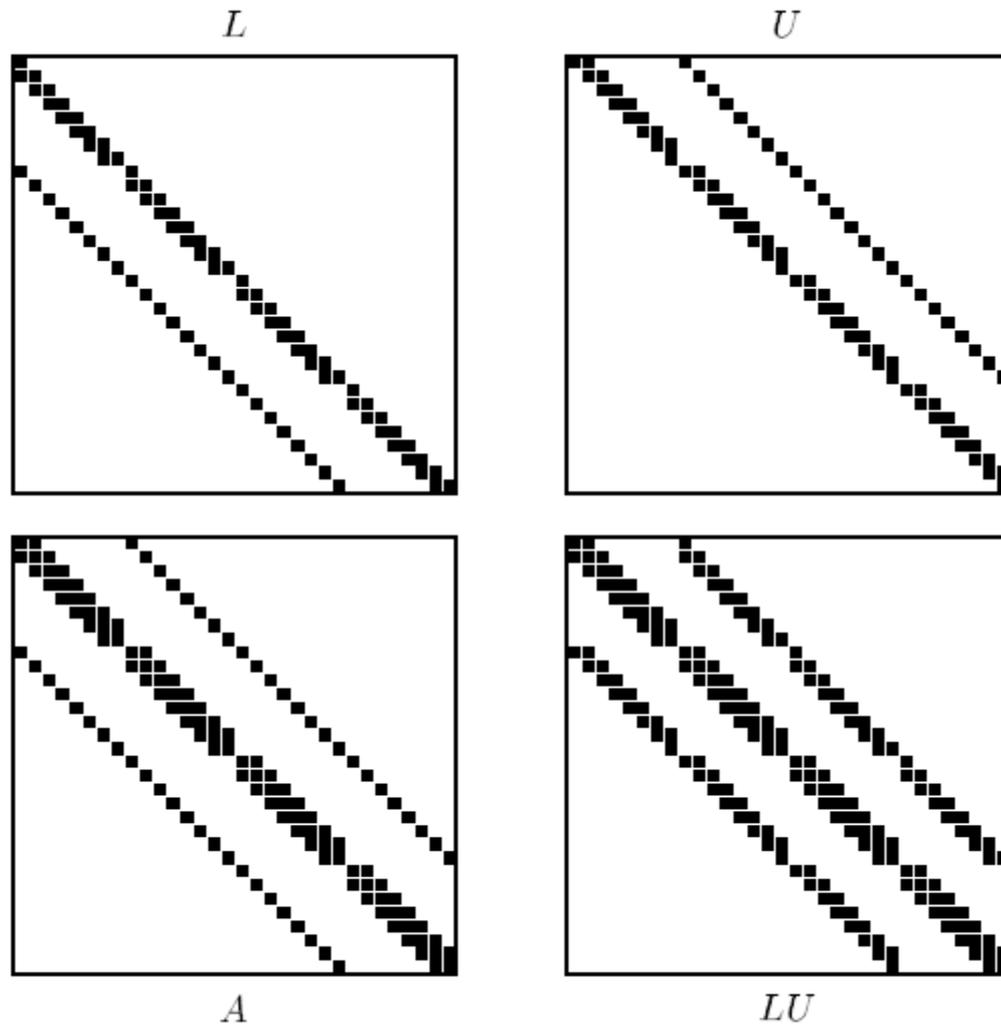
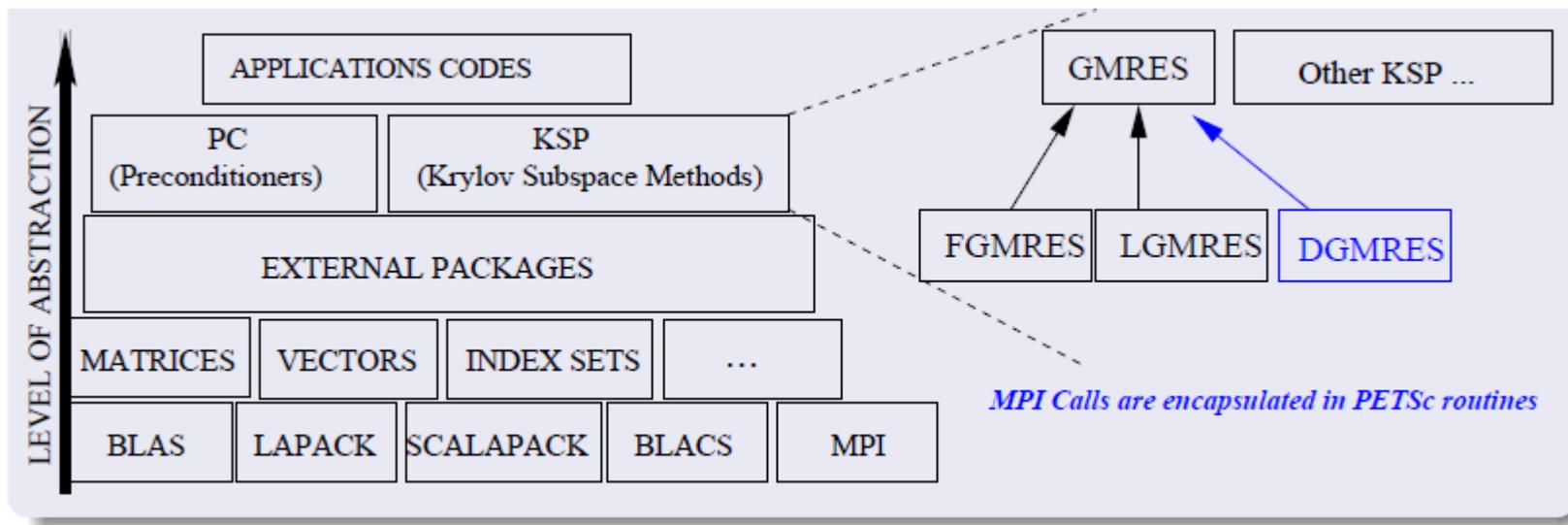


Figure 10.2 *The ILU(0) factorization for a five-point matrix.*

Parallel GMRES

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- Implementation in PETSc (Portable, Extensible Toolkit for Scientific Computation)
 - <http://www.mcs.anl.gov/petsc/>



Parallel Libraries

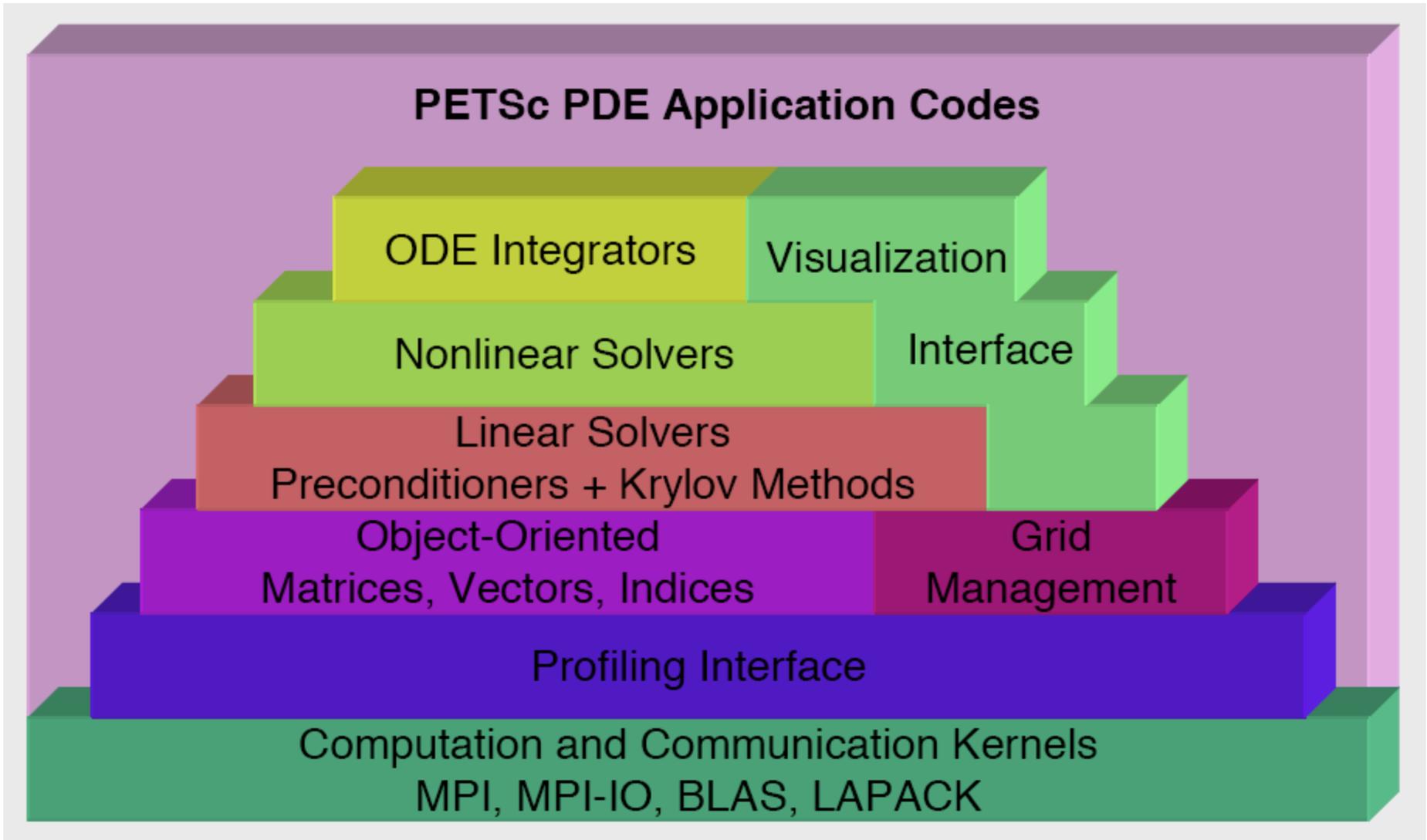
ScaLAPACK

- <http://www.netlib.org/scalapack/>
- Based on LAPACK (Linear Algebra PACKage) and BLAS (Basic Linear Algebra Subroutines)
- Parallelized by “divide and conquer” or block distribution
- Written in Fortran 90
- Successor of LINPACK, which was originally written for vector supercomputers in the 1970s
- Implemented on top of MPI using MIMD, SPMD, and used explicit message passing

PETSc (Portable, Extensible Toolkit for Scientific Computation)

- <http://www.mcs.anl.gov/petsc/>
- Suite of data structures (core: distributed vectors and matrices) and routines for linear and non-linear solvers
- User (almost) never has to call MPI himself when using PETSc
- Uses two MPI communicators: PETSC_COMM_SELF for the library-internal communication and PETSC_COMM_WORLD for user processes
- Written in C, callable from Fortran
- Has been used to solve systems with over 500 millions unknowns
- Has been shown to scale up to over 6000 processors

PETSc Structure



PETSc Numerical Solvers

Nonlinear Solvers

Newton-based Methods		Other
Line Search	Trust Region	

Time Steppers

Euler	Backward Euler	Pseudo Time Stepping	Other
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Krylov Subspace Methods

GMRES	CG	CGS	Bi-CG-STAB	TFQMR	Richardson	Chebychev	Other
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Preconditioners

Additive Schwartz	Block Jacobi	Jacobi	ILU	ICC	LU (Sequential only)	Others
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Matrices

Compressed Sparse Row (AIJ)	Blocked Compressed Sparse Row (BAIJ)	Block Diagonal (BDIAG)	Dense	Matrix-free	Other
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Distributed Arrays

Index Sets

Indices	Block Indices	Stride	Other
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Vectors

Parallel Random Number Generator

SPRNG (The Scalable parallel random number generators library)

- <http://sprng.cs.fsu.edu/>
- Random number sequence does not depend on the number of processors used, but only on the seed
a reproducible Monte Carlo simulations in parallel
- SPRNG implements parallel-safe, high-quality random number generators
- C++/Fortran (used to be C/Fortran in previous versions)

Parallel PDE Solver

POOMA (**P**arallel **O**bject-**O**riented **M**ethods and **A**pplications)

- <http://acts.nerisc.gov/formertools/pooma/index.html>
- Collection of templated C++ classes for writing parallel PDE solvers
- Provides high-level data types (abstractions) for fields and particles using data-parallel arrays
- Supports finite-difference simulations on structured, unstructured, and adaptive grids. Also supports particle simulations, hybrid particle-mesh simulations, and Monte Carlo
- Uses mixed message-passing/thread parallelism

Many more...

- Aztec (iterative solvers for sparse linear systems)
- SuperLU (LU decomposition)
- Umfpack (unsymmetric multifrontal LU)
- EISPACK (eigen-solvers)
- Fishpack (cyclic reduction for 2nd & 4th order FD)
- PARTI (Parallel run-time system)
- Bisect (recursive orthogonal bisection)
- ROMIO (parallel distributed file I/O)
- KINSol (solves the nonlinear algebraic systems)
<https://computation.llnl.gov/casc/sundials/main.html>
- SciPy (Scientific Tools for Python) <http://www.scipy.org/>
- ...

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