

Retake Test, Febr. 2022

a) if Ref abs cond. number  $\max_{\delta d} \frac{\|\delta x\|}{\|\delta d\|}$

where  $F(x + \delta x) = d + \delta d \rightarrow A(x + \delta x) = d + \delta d$   
 $F(x) = d \quad \underline{A x = d}$

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial x}$$

$$A \delta x = \delta d$$

$$\Rightarrow \max_{\delta d} \frac{(\delta x)}{\|\delta d\|} = \max_{\delta d} \frac{\|A^{-1}\delta d\|}{\|\delta d\|} \equiv \|A^{-1}\|$$

ii) Ref rel. cond. number

$$\max_{\delta d} \frac{\|\delta x\| / \|x\|}{\|\delta d\| / \|d\|} = \frac{\|d\|}{\|x\|} \max_{\delta d} \frac{\|\delta x\|}{\|\delta d\|} = \frac{\|d\|}{\|x\|} \|A^{-1}\|$$

$$\text{iii) } \kappa(A) = \|A\| \|A^{-1}\|$$

$$\max_d \frac{\|d\|}{\|x\|} \|A^{-1}\| = \max_x \frac{\|d\|}{\|x\|} \|A^{-1}\| = \max_x \frac{\|Ax\|}{\|x\|} \|A^{-1}\|$$

$\xrightarrow{x \text{ and } d \text{ are } 1-1}$

$\xrightarrow{\text{coupled through } Ax=d}$

$$= \|A\| \|A^{-1}\| = \kappa(A)$$

So the condition number  $\kappa(A)$  is the

relative condition for the  $d$  that gives  
the biggest propagation of the error.

$$b) i) \quad b = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad A_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 2.001 & 2 \\ 2 & 2.001 \end{pmatrix} \quad A_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 2.001 & -2 \\ -2 & 2.001 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\cdot \det(A_1 - \lambda I) = \det \begin{pmatrix} 2.001 - \lambda & 2 \\ 2 & 2.001 - \lambda \end{pmatrix} = (2.001 - \lambda)^2 - 4$$

$$\det(A_2 - \lambda I) = \det \begin{pmatrix} 2.001 - \lambda & -2 \\ -2 & 2.001 - \lambda \end{pmatrix} = (2.001 - \lambda)^2 - 4$$

The characteristic polynomials of  $A_1$  and  $A_2$  are similar

$\Rightarrow$  eigenvalues of  $A_1$  and  $A_2$  are similar

$$\Rightarrow (2.001 - \lambda)^2 - 4 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_{\pm} = \pm 2 + 2.001$$

eigenvectors

$$A_1: \lambda = 4.001 \Rightarrow (A_1 - \lambda I) \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 2 \\ 2 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow -2x_1 + 2x_2 = 0 \Rightarrow x = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda = 0.001 \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow x = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A_2: \lambda = 4.001 \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} -2 & -2 \\ -2 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow x = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda = 0.001 \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -2 \\ -2 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow x = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

b

i Same characteristic polynomial  
+ checking that the eigenvalues are the same } see previous page

more advanced  $A_1 = 2.001 I + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$$A_2 = \sim - \sim$$

Any polynomial of  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  has the same  
eigenvalues so  $A_1$  and  $A_2$  have

Eigenvalues are 0.001 and 4.001

ii both  $A_1$  &  $A_2$  are symmetric  $\rightarrow \|A_i\|_2 = \rho(A_i)$

$$\|A_2\|_2 = \rho(A_2) =$$

$$\|A_1^{-1}\| = \rho(A_1^{-1}) = \max(|\frac{1}{\lambda_1}|, |\frac{1}{\lambda_2}|) =$$

$$\|A_2^{-1}\| = \rho(A_2^{-1}) = \max(|\frac{1}{\lambda_1}|, |\frac{1}{\lambda_2}|) =$$

$$\Rightarrow \kappa_2(A_1) = \kappa_2(A_2)$$

iii Relative condition number is here

$$\frac{\|d\| \|A^{-1}\|}{\|x\|} =$$

$d = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$  is an eigenvector

$$A_1 d = 4.001 d \rightarrow A_1 \frac{d}{4.001} = d \rightarrow \frac{\|d\|}{\|x\|} = \frac{\|d\|}{\left\| \frac{d}{4.001} \right\|}$$

$$A_2 d = 0.001 d \rightarrow A_2 \frac{d}{0.001} = d \rightarrow \frac{\|d\|}{\|x\|} = \frac{\|d\|}{\left\| \frac{d}{0.001} \right\|}$$

So for  $A_1$ , the relative cond number is

$$\underbrace{\frac{4.001}{\|d\|}}_{\|x\|} \underbrace{\|A_1^{-1}\|}_{\|A_1^{-1}\|} = 4.001 \times 1000 = 4001$$

$$\|A_1^{-1}\| = \max(|\lambda_1|, |\lambda_2|) = \max\left(\frac{1}{\lambda_1}, \frac{1}{\lambda_2}\right) = \max\left(\frac{1}{0.001}, \frac{1}{4.001}\right)$$

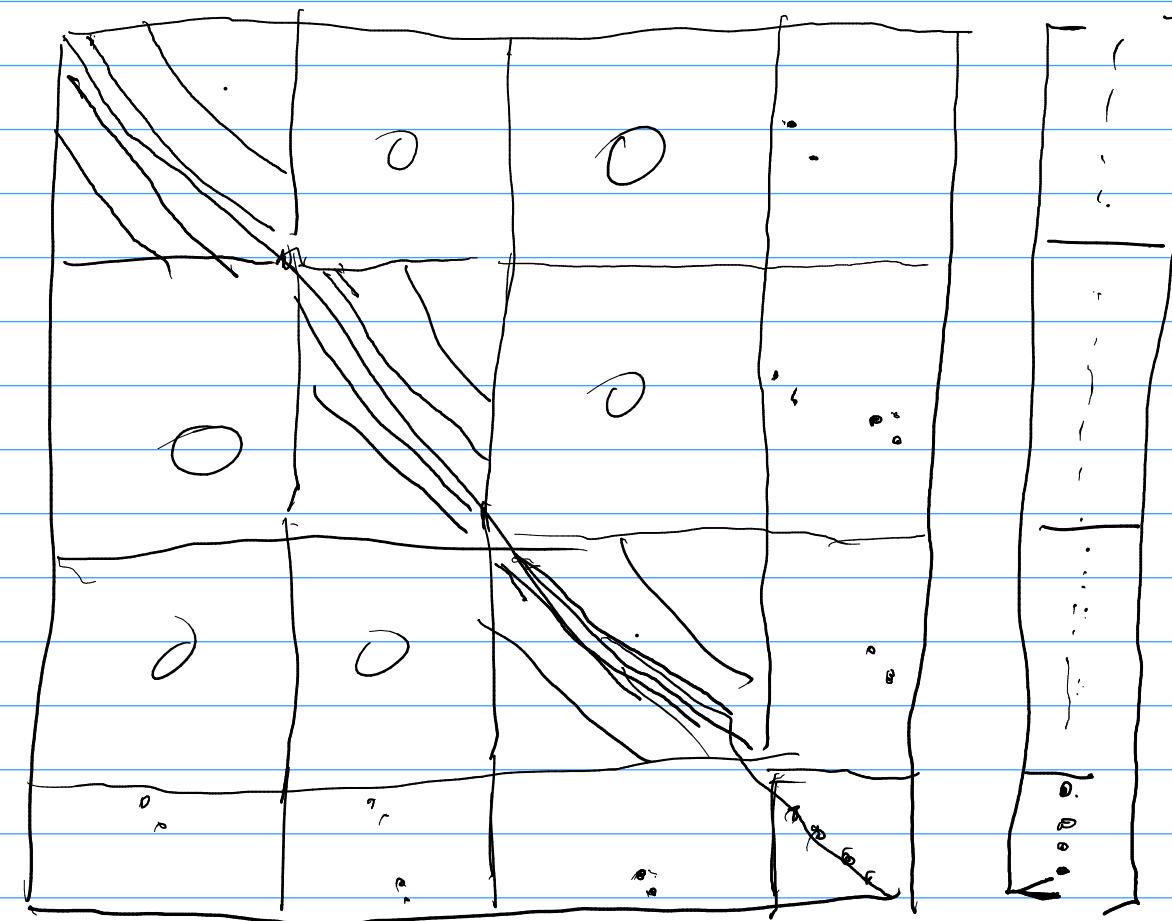
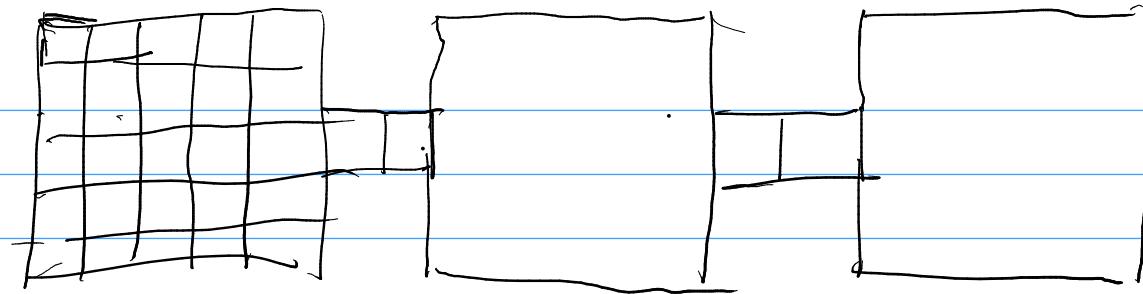
For  $A_2$  the relative cond number is

$$0.001 \|A_2^{-1}\| = 0.001 \times 1000 = 1$$

So for this problem the solution of

$A_1 x = d$  will suffer most from  
round-off error propagation

Problem 2



The advantage of this ordering is that we reduce the fill-in in the L and U

We need three LU factorizations on the

blocks which can be made independently of each other. After the elimination

of the associated unknowns there remains

only a  $4 \times 4$  matrix. Having solved for

the associated unknowns we can solve

for the unknowns in the blocks independently.