

# Field of values error estimates for evaluating functions of matrices via the Arnoldi method

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- Explicit bounds for  $\exp(A)b$
- Explicit bounds for  $A^\kappa b$ ,  $-1 < \kappa < 0$ , and other Markov functions
- Explicit bounds for general powers and  $\log(A)b$

# The problem

How to approximately compute  $g(A)b$ , where

$$\|b\| = 1, \quad A \in \mathbb{C}^d \text{ large, sparse, non-symmetric...?}$$

Arnoldi decomposition

$$AV_m = V_m H_m + f_m e_m^*, \quad H_m \in \mathbb{C}^m \text{ upper Hessenberg,}$$

and  $V_m \in \mathbb{C}^{d \times m}$ ,  $V_m^* V_m = I_m$ ,  $V_m e_1 = b$ ,  $V_m^* f_m = 0$ .

We have for each polynomial  $p$  of degree  $< m$ :

$$p(A)b = p(A)V_m e_1 = V_m p(H_m) e_1.$$

## Approximation via Arnoldi:

- compute Arnoldi decomposition  $V_m, H_m$  for "small"  $m$
- compute exactly  $g(H_m)$
- approach  $g(A)b$  by  $V_m g(H_m) e_1$ .

# Error estimate with Crouzeix

For each polynomial  $p$  of degree  $< m$

$$\begin{aligned}\|g(A)b - V_m g(H_m)e_1\| &= \|(g - p)(A)b - V_m(g - p)(H_m)e_1\| \\ &\leq \|(g - p)(A)\| + \|(g - p)(H_m)\|.\end{aligned}$$

**THEOREM 1:** Let  $\mathbb{E} \subset \mathbb{C}$  be some convex and compact set containing the field of values

$$W(A) = \{y^* Ay : y \in \mathbb{C}^d, \|y\| = 1\},$$

and let  $g$  be analytic on  $\mathbb{E}$ , then

$$\|g(A)b - V_m g(H_m)e_1\| \leq 24 \eta_m(g, \mathbb{E}), \quad \eta_m(g, \mathbb{E}) := \min_{\deg p < m} \|g - p\|_{L_\infty(\mathbb{E})}.$$

**Proof:** Michel Crouzeix in 2006 showed that  $\|f(B)\| \leq 12 \|f\|_{L_\infty(W(B))}$ .

Also,  $H_m = V_m^* A V_m \implies W(H_m) \subset \mathbb{E}$ . □

# Riemann maps and Faber maps

Let  $\mathbb{E}$  convex and compact as before,  $\mathbb{D}$  the closed unit disc, then there exists unique conformal maps  $\phi : \mathbb{E}^c \mapsto \mathbb{D}^c$  with  $\phi(\infty) = \infty$ ,  $\phi'(\infty) > 0$ ,  $\psi := \phi^{-1}$ .

Level sets for  $R > 1$  defined by complement:  $\mathbb{E}_R^c = \{z \in \mathbb{E}^c : |\phi(z)| > R\}$ .

Bernstein Theorem: If  $g$  analytic in  $\mathbb{E}_R$  then

$$\eta_m(g, \mathbb{E}) = \min_{\deg p < m} \|g - p\|_{L_\infty(\mathbb{E})} \leq 2 \frac{R^{-m}}{1 - R^{-1}} \|g\|_{L_\infty(\mathbb{E}_R)}.$$

Faber map  $\mathcal{F} : \mathcal{A}(\mathbb{D}) \mapsto \mathcal{A}(\mathbb{E})$  defined by

$$\mathcal{F}(G)(z) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{|w|=1} \frac{\psi'(w)}{\psi(w) - z} G(w) dw.$$

$$g = \mathcal{F}(G) \quad \Longrightarrow \quad \frac{1}{\|\mathcal{F}^{-1}\|} \eta_m(G, \mathbb{D}) \leq \eta_m(g, \mathbb{E}) \leq 2 \eta_m(G, \mathbb{D}).$$

# Faber polynomials and Faber series

**Faber polynomial:**  $F_n(z) = \mathcal{F}(w^n)(z)$  polynomial of degree  $n$ ,

$F_n$  polynomial part of  $\phi^n$ ,

Pommerenke and Kövari '67 ( $\mathbb{E}$  convex):  $\|F_n - \phi^n\|_{L_\infty(\mathbb{E})} \leq 1$ .

**Examples:**  $\mathbb{E} = a + \mathbb{D}_R$ :  $F_n(z) = \left(\frac{z-a}{R}\right)^n$ .

$\mathbb{E} = [-1, 1]$ :  $F_n(z) = 2T_n(z)$  Chebyshev polynomials of first type.

**Faber series:** For  $g \in \mathcal{A}(\mathbb{E})$ ,  $j \geq 0$

$$g_j = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{|w|=1} \frac{g(\psi(w))}{w^{j+1}} dw \quad \Longrightarrow \quad g = \mathcal{F}(G), \quad G(w) = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} g_j w^j,$$

where the last sum, and  $g(z) = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} g_j F_j(z)$ , are absolutely convergent in  $\mathbb{D}$ , and  $\mathbb{E}$ , respectively.

**THEOREM 2:** Let  $\mathbb{E} \subset \mathbb{C}$  be some convex and compact set containing the field of values  $W(A)$  and let  $g = \mathcal{F}(G)$  be analytic on  $\mathbb{E}$ , then

$$\|g(A)b - V_m g(H_m)e_1\| \leq 4\eta_m(G, \mathbb{D}).$$



## Idea of proof of Theorem 2

Inspired from Crouzeix, Delyon, Badea, BB 02-07, in particular the CRAS '05 of BB:  $\|F_n(A)\| \leq 2$ . It is sufficient to show

$$\|h(A)\| \leq 2\|H\|_{L_\infty(\mathbb{D})}, \quad h = \mathcal{F}(H) + H(0).$$

Here  $W(A) \subset \text{Int}(\mathbb{E})$  for simplicity. We have

$$\mathcal{F}(w^m)(A) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{|w|=1} w^m \psi'(w) (\psi(w) - A)^{-1} dw = \begin{cases} F_m(A) & \text{if } m = 0, 1, 2, \dots, \\ 0 & \text{if } m = -1, -2, \dots \end{cases}$$

Hence

$$h(A) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{|w|=1} H(w) \left( \underbrace{\left( w\psi'(w)(\psi(w) - A)^{-1} \right) + \left( w\psi'(w)(\psi(w) - A)^{-1} \right)^*}_{\text{positive definite}} \right) \frac{dw}{iw}.$$

# How to exploit Theorem 2?

$$\|g(A)b - V_m g(H_m)e_1\| \leq 4\eta_m(G, \mathbb{D}), \quad g(z) = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} g_j F_j(z), \quad G(w) = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} g_j w^j.$$

## LEMMA 3:

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} |g_m| \\ |g_m + g_{m+(m+1)} + g_{m+2(m+1)} + \dots| \\ |g_m - g_{m+(m+1)} + g_{m+2(m+1)} \mp \dots| \end{array} \right\} \leq \eta_m(G, \mathbb{D}) \leq \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} |g_{m+j}|.$$

Knitznerman '91 gave a similar upper bound with additional powers of  $m + j$   
 Hochbruck & Lubich '97 gave a more complicated bound, weaker up to factor 0.75.

**Idea of proof:** Upper bound partial sum. First lower bound

$$\deg q < m : \quad g_m = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{|w|=1} \frac{G(w)}{w^{m+1}} dw = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{|w|=1} \frac{G(w) - q(w)}{w^{m+1}} dw.$$

For second lower bound compute  $\eta_m(G, \{\exp(\frac{2\pi i j}{m+1}) : j = 0, 1, \dots, m\}) =$  modulus of leading coefficient of interpolating polynomial at these roots of unity.  $\square$

# Application 1: the exponential function

Consider  $\mathbb{E}$  symmetric with respect to real axis (e.g.,  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{d \times d}$ ), and  $g(z) = \exp(\tau z)$ ,  $\tau > 0$ . We write  $\psi(w) = \text{cap}(\mathbb{E})w + c + \mathcal{O}(1/|w|)_{|w| \rightarrow \infty}$ .

**LEMMA 4: the case of "large"  $j$ :** there exist explicit "modest" constants  $K, K_1, K_2 > 0$  such that for  $j \geq \tau \text{cap}(\mathbb{E})$

$$\left| f_j - e^{\tau c} \frac{[\tau \text{cap}(\mathbb{E})]^j}{j!} \right| \leq \frac{K}{\sqrt{j}} \frac{[\tau \text{cap}(\mathbb{E})]^j}{j!}, K_1 \frac{[\tau \text{cap}(\mathbb{E})]^j}{j!} \leq \eta_j(G, \mathbb{D}) \leq K_2 \frac{[\tau \text{cap}(\mathbb{E})]^j}{j!}$$

**Idea of proof:** convexity plus "elementary" properties of  $\psi$  allows to show that

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \frac{\psi(Re^{it}) - \psi(R)}{\text{cap}(\mathbb{E})} - R(e^{it} - 1) \right| &\leq \frac{|t|}{R} \implies \\ \left| e^{\tau(\psi(Re^{it}) - \psi(R))} - e^{\tau \text{cap}(\mathbb{E}) R(e^{it} - 1)} \right| &\leq \frac{\tau \text{cap}(\mathbb{E})}{R} |t| \implies \\ \left| e^{-\tau \psi(R)} f_j - \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{|u|=R} \frac{e^{\tau \text{cap}(\mathbb{E})(u-R)}}{u^{j+1}} du \right| &\leq \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^\pi \frac{\tau \text{cap}(\mathbb{E})}{R} |t| \frac{dt}{R^j} = \frac{\pi}{2} \frac{\tau \text{cap}(\mathbb{E})}{R^{j+1}} \end{aligned}$$

now take  $R = \frac{j}{\tau \text{cap}(\mathbb{E})} \geq 1$ . □

# Can we do something for $j < \tau \text{cap}(\mathbb{E})$ ?

Sometimes one may exploit the trivial bound

$$|f_j| \leq \min_{R \geq 1} \frac{e^{\tau\psi(R)}}{R^j}$$

with minimum attained at  $R = 1$  if  $j < \tau\psi'(1)$  (notice that  $\psi'(1) = 0$  if  $\mathbb{E}$  has an outer angle  $> \pi$  at  $\psi(1)$ ), and else at  $\tilde{R}$  being unique solution of  $\tau R\psi'(R) = j$ .

**Example** (Hochbruck and Lubich): let  $\mathbb{E} = [-4\rho, 0]$  then

$$\psi(w) = \text{cap}(\mathbb{E})\left(w + \frac{1}{w} - 2\right), \quad R\psi'(R) = \text{cap}(\mathbb{E})\left(R - \frac{1}{R}\right),$$

and thus for all  $0 \leq j \leq \tau \text{cap}(\mathbb{E})$

$$|f_m| \leq \exp\left(-\frac{j^2}{7\tau \text{cap}(\mathbb{E})}\right), \quad \eta_j(G, \mathbb{D}) \leq K_3 \exp\left(-\frac{m^2}{7\tau \text{cap}(\mathbb{E})}\right).$$

## Application 2: powers/Markov functions

Consider  $\mathbb{E} \supset W(A)$  symmetric with respect to real axis (e.g.,  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{d \times d}$ ), and

$$g(z) = \int_{\alpha}^{\beta} \frac{d\mu(t)}{z-t}, \quad \alpha < \beta < \gamma = \min\{\operatorname{Re}(z) : z \in \mathbb{E}\}, \mu \geq 0.$$

**Example:**  $z^{\kappa} = \frac{\sin(\pi|\kappa|)}{\pi} \int_{-\infty}^0 \frac{|t|^{\kappa}}{z-t} dt$  for  $\kappa \in (-1, 0)$ .

Here Faber coefficients  $g_j = - \int_{\alpha}^{\beta} \phi(t)^{-j-1} \phi'(t) d\mu(t)$  with sign  $(-1)^j$ .

Improved:  $\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} |g_{m+j(m+1)}| \leq \eta_m(G, \mathbb{D}) \leq \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} |g_{m+2j}|$  sharp up to  $\frac{m+1}{2}$ .

**COROLLARY 5:** For Markov function

$$\|g(A)b - V_m g(H_m)e_1\| \leq 4 \int_{\alpha}^{\beta} \frac{|\phi'(t)|}{|\phi(t)|^2 - 1} \frac{d\mu(t)}{|\phi(t)|^{m-1}} \leq 4 \frac{|g(\gamma)|}{|\phi(\gamma)|^m} = 4 \frac{\|g\|_{L_{\infty}(\mathbb{E})}}{|\phi(\gamma)|^m}.$$

# A special case of Markov: FOM

Consider

$$x_m := V_m H_m^{-1} e_1 \in \text{span}(V_m) = \text{span}(b, Ab, \dots, A^{m-1}b)$$

then

$$\begin{aligned} b - Ax_m &= b - (AV_m)H_m^{-1}e_1 = b - (V_m H_m + f_m e_m^*)H_m^{-1}e_1 \\ &= -f_m e_m^* H_m^{-1}e_1 \perp \text{span}(V_m) = \text{span}(b, Ab, \dots, A^{m-1}b) \end{aligned}$$

i.e.,  $x_m$  is FOM iterate. From previous slide for  $0 \notin \mathbb{E} \supset W(A)$  symmetric with respect to real axis with  $g(x) = 1/x$

$$\|A^{-1}b - x_m\| \leq \frac{4 |\phi(0)|^{-m}}{\text{dist}(0, \mathbb{E})}.$$

Closely related known estimate

$$\frac{\|A^{-1}b - x_m\|}{\|A^{-1}b\|} \leq \frac{\|A\|}{\text{dist}(0, \mathbb{E})} \inf_{\deg q < m} \|A^{-1}b - q_{m-1}(A)b\|.$$

## ... some final comments ...

... and what to do with

$$\log(z) = (z-1) \int_{-\infty}^0 \frac{1}{z-t} \frac{dt}{1-t},$$

$$z^{7/2} = z^4 z^{-1/2} = z^4 \int_{-\infty}^0 \frac{1}{z-t} \frac{dt}{\pi \sqrt{|t|}},$$

... we go back to the proof of THM 2: if  $\tilde{g}(z) = p(z) + q(z)g(z)$  with  $\deg q = s, \deg p \leq m + s - 1$  and  $G = \mathcal{F}(g)$  then

$$\|\tilde{g}(A)b - V_{m+s}\tilde{g}(H_{m+s})b\| \leq 4\|q(A)b\|\eta_m(G, \mathbb{D}).$$

**Open:** how to deal with  $\phi_\ell$  functions?