

Algebraic Multigrid Preconditioners for Adaptive-Cross-Approximated Boundary Element Matrices

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$$\begin{aligned} \sigma(y) &= 0 & y \notin \bar{\Omega} \\ \sigma(y) &= \frac{\Theta}{2\Pi} & y \in \Gamma \\ \sigma(y) &= 1 & y \in \Omega \end{aligned}$$

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with $v(x) = \frac{\partial u}{\partial n_x}(x)$.

we obtain the compact operator-form:

$$\begin{pmatrix} u \\ v \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2}I - K & V \\ D & \frac{1}{2}I + K' \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u \\ v \end{pmatrix}$$



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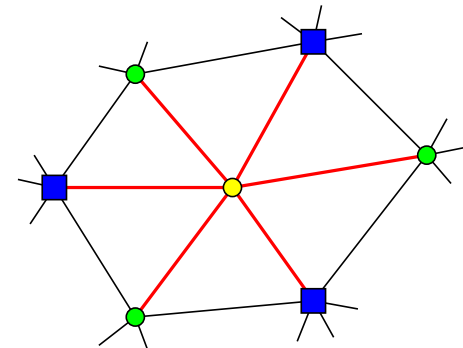
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eigenvalues, eigenvectors act conversly compared to the hypersingular operator

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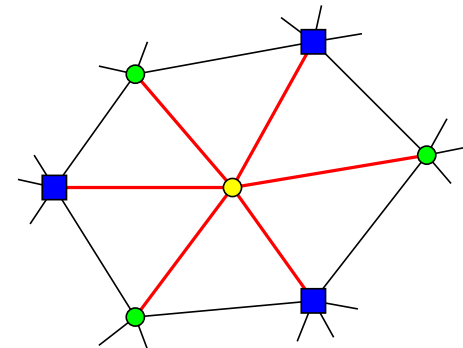
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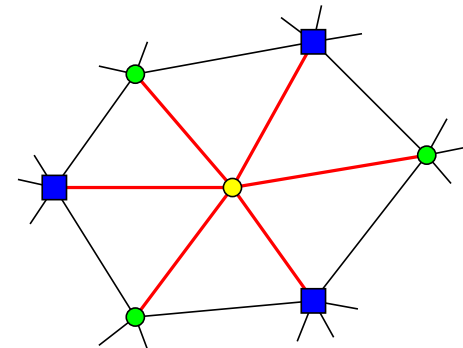
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2. Right-hand side $\underline{f}_h \in \mathbb{R}^{N_h}$

3. Construction of an iterative solver



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 with corresponding indices $I = \{1, \dots, N_h\}$

$$I \times I = \bigcup_{i=1}^k t_1^i \times t_2^i$$





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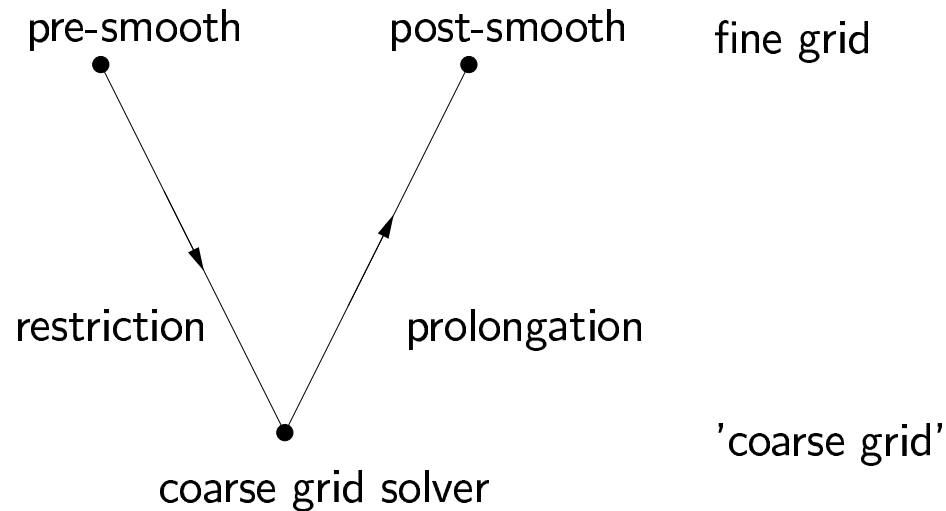
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$$\rightarrow \tilde{K}_h = K^{near} + \sum_{i=1}^{N_B} \sum_{j=1}^{r_i} u_j^i v_j^{i\top}$$



Algebraic Multigrid Methods - General



Objective: Construction of a multigrid cycle by using the system matrix and the right-hand side

Motivation: no hierarchical grid
(GMG) coarse grid is very large



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4. Smoothing operator

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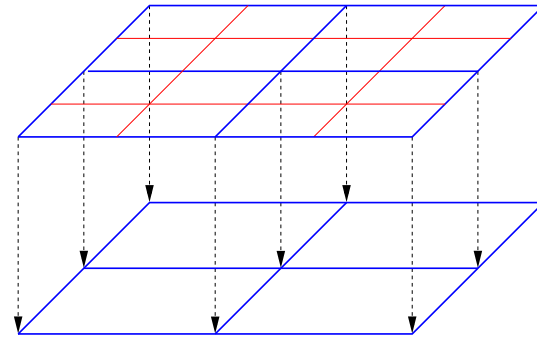
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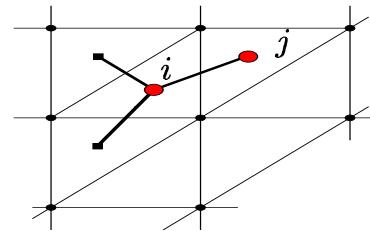
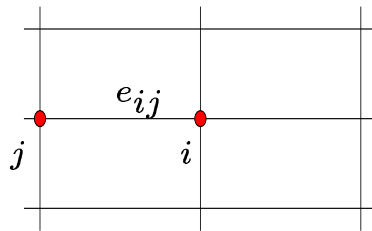
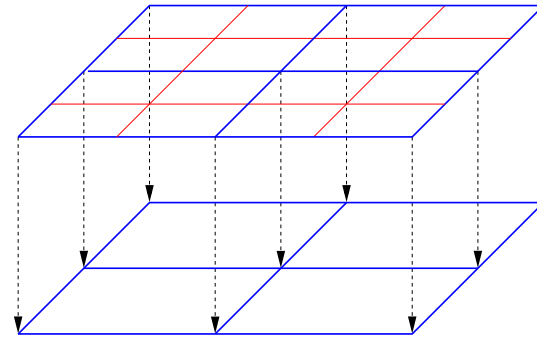
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$$(B_h)_{ij} = \begin{cases} -\frac{1}{\|e_{ij}\|} & i \neq j \text{ connected} \\ d_{ii} - \sum_{i \neq j} b_{ij} \geq 0 & i = j \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$



Coarse auxiliary/system matrix (sparse, M-matrix)

$$B_H = (P_h^B)^T B_h P_h^B \quad K_H = (P_h^B)^T K_h P_h^B$$





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Idea: suggested by Bramble, Leyk and Pasciak:
The Analysis of Multigrid Algorithms for Pseudo-Differential Operators of Order Minus One (1994)





BLP - Smoother

Let A_h be some discretization of the boundary corresponding to the Laplace-Beltrami operator. $A_h =$ auxiliary matrix B_h

An appropriate BLP-smoothing sweep is

$$\underline{u}_h = \underline{u}_h + \tau_h A_h (\underline{f} - K_h \underline{u}_h)$$

with $0 < \tau_h < 1/\lambda_u$ and λ_u the largest eigenvalue of

$$A_h K_h \underline{w} = \lambda \underline{w}.$$



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$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{K}_H^{far} &= P_h^\top \sum_{i=1}^{N_B} \sum_{j=1}^{r_i} u_j^i (v_j^i)^\top P_h \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^{N_B} \sum_{j=1}^{r_i} P_h^\top u_j^i (P_h^\top v_j^i)^\top \end{aligned}$$



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1. Full BEM: direct methods
2. ACA BEM: iterative methods (Richardson, Tschebyscheff, PCG)
direct methods (evaluation of the ACA matrix)



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Prolongation Operators are defined locally $\rightarrow O(N_h)$



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5. V - Cycle

1.- 4. hold for each level

$$N_H = \frac{1}{2}N_h$$

Counting the operations yields

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Numerical Results

1. Implementation in the AMG program package PEBBLES
Parallel **E**lement **B**ased grey **B**ox **L**inear **E**quation **S**olver
 (www.numa.uni-linz.ac.at/Research/Projects/pebbles.html)
2. BEM-Matrix entries by OSTBEM (O. Steinbach)
3. AMG preconditioner for the conjugate gradient method
4. Sparse representation of K_h (ACA)
5. PC 2000MHz AMD Athlon(tm)

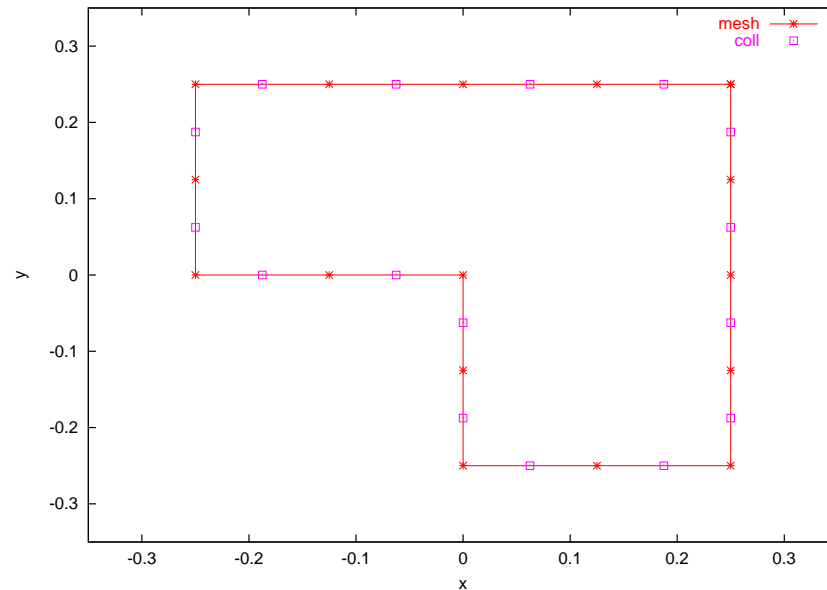
Interior Dirichlet Problem - L-Shape 2D

$$g(x) = \ln |x - y| \quad y \notin \bar{\Omega}$$

random initial guess u_0

$$\text{rhs } f = \left(\frac{1}{2}I + K\right)g$$

$$\epsilon = 10^{-8}$$





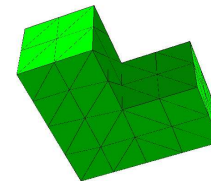
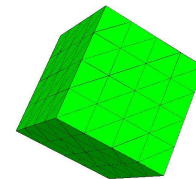
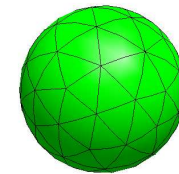
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	N_h	Iterations	Setup	Cycle
AMG (ACA)	22000	5	7.3	1.3
	44000	5	15.4	2.9
	88000	5	32.0	6.2
	176000	5	69.1	14.7



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Sphere	1920	1.9	0.2	9
	7680	8.2	1.4	10
	30720	33	8.3	11
Cube	3072	6.6	0.3	6
	12288	10	2.9	9
	49152	58	16.6	13
L-Shape	1792	1.9	0.2	7
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