

Rosenbrock methods for solving differential Riccati equations

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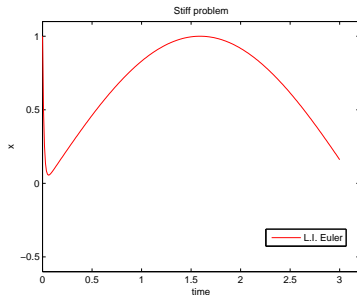
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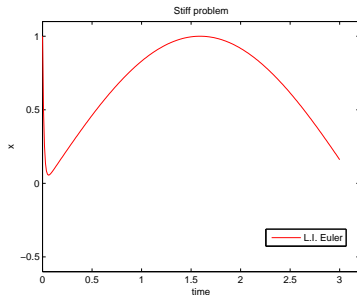
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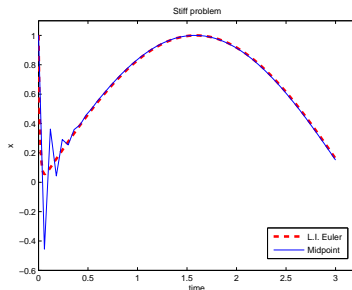
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s-stage Rosenbrock method

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where α_{ij} , γ_{ij} , b_j are the determining coefficients, h is the step size and J is chosen as $f'(x_n)$.

- For $J = f'(x_0)$ W-methods (T. Steihaug and A. Wolfbrand 1979).
- For $J = 0$ a DIRK method is recovered.



Rosenbrock schemes

Schemes

Let us consider an **non**-autonomous ODE system

$$\dot{x}(t) = f(x, t), \quad x(t_0) = x_0, \quad t_0 \leq t \leq t_f.$$

s-stage Rosenbrock method for non-autonomous systems

$$\begin{aligned} k_i &= hf(t_n + \alpha_i h, x_n + \sum_{j=1}^{i-1} \alpha_{ij} k_j) + hJ \sum_{j=1}^i \gamma_{ij} k_j \\ &\quad + \gamma_i h^2 \frac{\partial f}{\partial t}(t_n, x_n), \quad i = 1, \dots, s, \\ x_{n+1} &= x_n + \sum_{j=1}^s b_j k_j, \end{aligned}$$

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$$\alpha_i = \sum_{j=1}^{i-1} \alpha_{ij}, \quad \gamma_i = \sum_{j=1}^i \gamma_{ij}.$$



Rosenbrock schemes

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Autonomous case

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- Order one.
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[VERWER ET AL. '99] studied the second order method applied to atmospheric dispersion problems.

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- Suitable for changing the step size.



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If $\gamma = 1$

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- A-stability is achieved.



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General form for $A, R = R^T, Q = Q^T \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ given and $X \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ unknown:

DRE

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{X}(t) &= -(Q + A^T X(t) + P(t)A - X(t)RX(t)), \\ X(T_f) &= G.\end{aligned}$$

Here, control-theoretic assumptions ensure existence and uniqueness of the solution.

In large scale applications from semi-discretized control problems for PDEs,

- $n = 10^3 - 10^6$ ($\implies 10^6 - 10^{12}$ unknowns!),
- A has sparse representation ($A = -M^{-1}L$),
- R, Q low-rank with
 - $R = BB^T, B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}, m \ll n,$
 - $Q = C^T C, C \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times n}, p \ll n.$

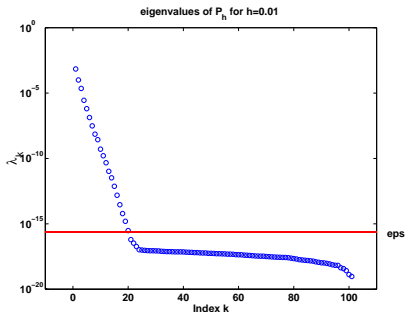


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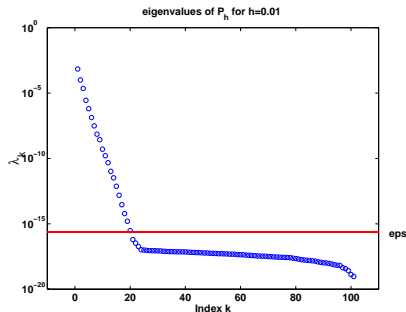


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Low-rank Rosenbrock methods

ADI Method for Lyapunov equations

Lyapunov equation

$$F^T P + P F = -G G^T$$

ADI iteration for the Lyapunov equation

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[PENZL 1999; LI/WHITE 2002] rewrite to iterate on the low rank Cholesky factors Q_j of P_j to exploit $\text{rank}(P_j) \ll n$ ($G \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times p}$, $p \ll n$)



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Schemes

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Numerical examples

Small-scale

Example 1.

[CHOI/LAUB 1990]

Let us now consider the following symmetric DRE of size n ,

$$\begin{cases} \dot{X}(t) = -X^2(t) + k^2 I_n \\ X(t_0) = X_0 \quad t_0 \leq t \leq T \end{cases}$$

If X_0 is diagonalizable, i.e., $X_0 = S\Lambda S^{-1}$ where $\Lambda = \text{diag}[\lambda_i]$, then its **analytic solution** is:

$$X(t) = S \text{diag} \left[\frac{k \sinh kt + \lambda_i \cosh kt}{\cosh kt + \frac{\lambda_i}{k} \sinh kt} \right] S^{-1}.$$

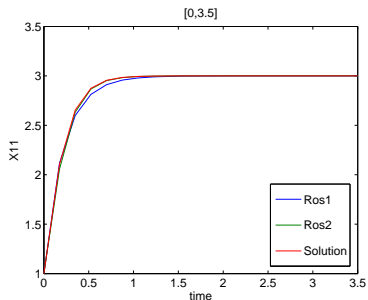
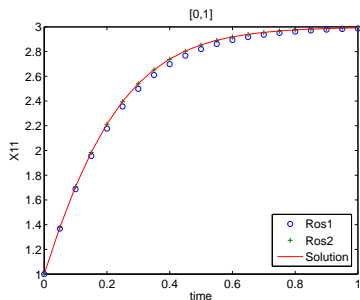
Here, we choose

$$X_0 = I_n, \quad k = 3, \quad n = 60.$$



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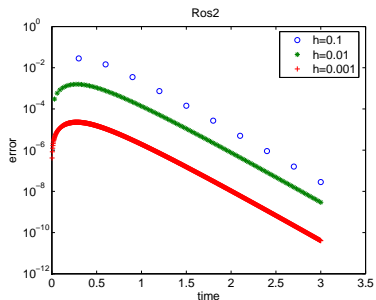
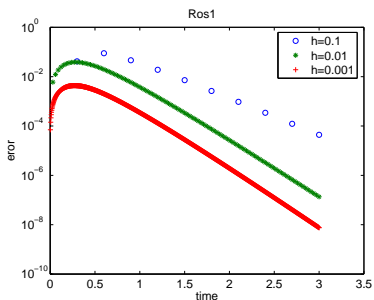
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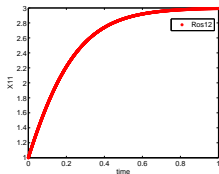
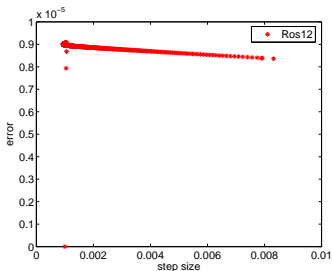
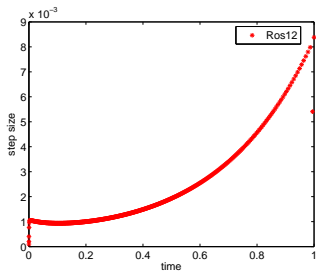
Small-scale





Numerical examples

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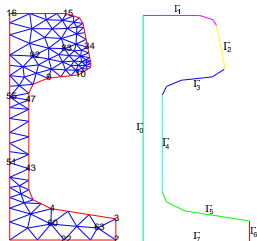
Large-scale

- Mathematical model: boundary control for linearized 2D heat equation.

$$c \cdot \rho \frac{\partial}{\partial t} x = \lambda \Delta x, \quad \xi \in \Omega$$

$$\lambda \frac{\partial}{\partial n} x = \kappa (u_k - x), \quad \xi \in \Gamma_k, \quad 1 \leq k \leq 7,$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial n} x = 0, \quad \xi \in \Gamma_7.$$



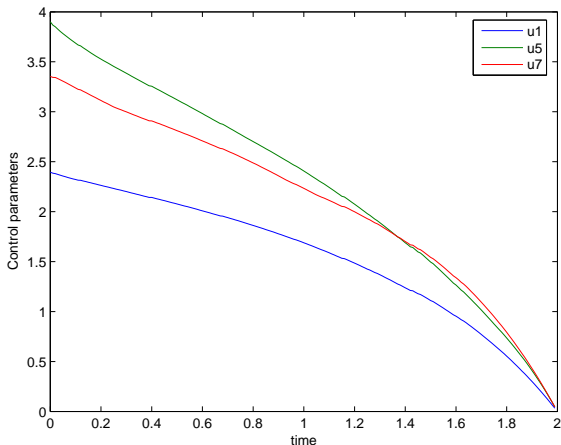
- FEM discretization, different models for initial mesh ($n = 371$),
 1, 2, 3, 4 steps of mesh refinement \Rightarrow
 $n = 1357, 5177, 20209, 79841$.

Source: Physical model: courtesy of Mannesmann/Demag.

Math. model: TRÖLTZSCH/UNGER 1999/2001, PENZL 1999, S. 2003.

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Conclusion and Outlook

Conclusions

- Rosenbrock schemes allow an efficient implementation for large-scale DREs arising in optimal control for PDEs.

Outlook

- Computation of the feedback matrices directly.
- Parallel implementation.

The End

Thank you for your attention!