

# Software Lab Computational Engineering Science

Tutorial Exercises

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- ▶ Extend `LINEAR_SYSTEM` with an iterative (e.g, conjugate gradients) solver and use it in `NONLINEAR_SYSTEM` for the solution of the Newton system.
- ▶ Design at least one scalable (in the dimension of the nonlinear system) case study for run time experiments.
- ▶ Compare numerical results and run times with the original solution (direct linear solvers).
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- ▶ Replace Eigen/Dense by Eigen/Sparse<sup>1</sup> in `LINEAR_SYSTEM`.
- ▶ Design at least one scalable (both in the size of the state  $\mathbf{x}$  and in the number of parameters in  $\mathbf{p}$ ) case study for run time experiments in the context of the `NONLINEAR_SYSTEM` library.
- ▶ Compare numerical results and run times with dense version.
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<sup>1</sup>[eigen.tuxfamily.org/dox/group\\_\\_Sparse\\_\\_chapter.html](http://eigen.tuxfamily.org/dox/group__Sparse__chapter.html)

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- ▶ Replace dco/c++ by ADOL-C<sup>2</sup> in `NONLINEAR_SYSTEM`. Use ADOL-C both for the computation of the Jacobian of the residual within Newton's method and for parameter sensitivity analysis similar to `toy_dco.cpp`.
- ▶ Design at least one scalable (both in the size of the state  $\mathbf{x}$  and in the number of parameters in  $\mathbf{p}$ ) case study for run time experiments.
- ▶ Compare numerical results and run times with the dco/c++ version.
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<sup>2</sup>[github.com/coin-or/ADOL-C](https://github.com/coin-or/ADOL-C)



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- ▶ Extend the implicit solver in `ODE_SYSTEM` such that parameterized systems of explicit linear ordinary differential equations are solved by a linear (instead of the Newton) solver.
- ▶ Allow for use of  $LL^T$  or  $LDL^T$  factorization in case of known symmetry of the Jacobian of the residual.
- ▶ Design at least one scalable (in the dimension of the system) case study for run time experiments.
- ▶ Compare numerical results and run times with the original (suboptimal) solution.
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- ▶ Design a scalable (in the number of free parameters, i.e., in the size of  $\mathbf{p}$ ) case study for ODE\_SYSTEM; exchange with group working on Tutorial Exercise 6.
- ▶ Use dco/c++ and ADOL-C for parameter sensitivity analysis of the  $L_2$ -norm of the final state  $\|\mathbf{x}\|_2$  of the system, i.e. for the computation of the gradient of  $\|\mathbf{x}\|_2$  with respect to  $\mathbf{p}$ .
- ▶ Apply both dco/c++ and ADOL-C in tangent mode. Compare numerical results and run times (scaling); exchange with group working on Tutorial Exercise 6.
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- ▶ Use dco/c++ and ADOL-C for parameter sensitivity analysis of the  $L_2$ -norm of the final state  $\|\mathbf{x}\|_2$  of the system, i.e. for the computation of the gradient of  $\|\mathbf{x}\|_2$  with respect to  $\mathbf{p}$ .
- ▶ Apply both dco/c++ and ADOL-C in adjoint mode. Compare numerical results and run times (scaling); exchange with group working on Tutorial Exercise 6.
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- ▶ Extend ODE\_SYSTEM by at least two explicit Runge-Kutta methods.
- ▶ Design at least one scalable (in the size of the state  $\mathbf{x}$ ) case study for ODE\_SYSTEM for run time experiments.
- ▶ Compare numerical results and run times with those computed by the given (explicit and implicit) Euler methods
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- ▶ Extend ODE\_SYSTEM by a simple gradient descent method for minimizing the  $L_2$ -norm of the final state  $\|\mathbf{x}\|_2$  of the system as a function of the free parameters in  $\mathbf{p}$ .
- ▶ Use dco/c++ for the computation of the gradient.
- ▶ Design at least one scalable (in the number of free parameters, i.e., in the size of  $\mathbf{p}$ ) case study for run time experiments.
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- ▶ Extend `NONLINEAR_SYSTEM` by a simple gradient descent method for fitting the final state  $\mathbf{x}$  of the system to “observations” (perturbed simulations)  $\tilde{\mathbf{x}}$  through calibration of the free parameters  $\mathbf{p}$ . Minimize the least-squares objective  $\|\mathbf{x} - \tilde{\mathbf{x}}\|_2^2$ .
- ▶ Use `dco/c++` for the computation of the gradient of the objective with respect to  $\mathbf{p}$ .
- ▶ Design at least one scalable (in the number of free parameters, i.e, in the size of  $\mathbf{p}$ ) case study for run time experiments.
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- ▶ Implement a convex unconstrained optimization method by application of `NONLINEAR_SYSTEM` to the necessary optimality criterion  $\frac{df}{dx}(\mathbf{x}(\mathbf{p}), \mathbf{p}) = 0 \in \mathbf{R}^n$  for parameterized objective functions  $f = f(\mathbf{x}(\mathbf{p}), \mathbf{p})$  to be specified by the end user.
- ▶ Use `dco/c++` in adjoint mode for the computation of the gradient and of the Hessian of the objective with respect to  $\mathbf{x}$ .
- ▶ Use Eigen for checking the sufficient optimality condition (Hessian  $\frac{d^2f}{dx^2}(\mathbf{x}(\mathbf{p}), \mathbf{p}) \in \mathbf{R}^{n \times n}$  should be positive definite at the stationary point  $\mathbf{x}^*$ ).
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