

25. **NOTATION:** Use  $\underline{u}^k$  instead of  $\underline{u}^{(k)}$  to avoid brackets!

$$(1) \begin{cases} u_{m+1} - 2u_m + u_{m-1} = 2h^2, & m = 1:M, \quad (h = \frac{1}{M}) \\ u_0 = u_M = 0. \end{cases}$$

**TST theory:** The eigenvalues of  $H$  are

$$\lambda_p = \cos \frac{\pi p}{M}, \quad p = 1:M-1,$$

with corresponding eigenvectors  $\underline{v}^1, \dots, \underline{v}^{M-1}$ , where

$$v_m^p = \sin \frac{\pi p m}{M}, \quad m = 1:M-1.$$

**CLAIM:**  $\rho(H) = \cos \frac{\pi}{M} = \lambda_1$ .

**Proof:**  $\lambda_p$  is a decreasing sequence since  $\cos \pi x$  is decreasing for  $0 \leq x \leq 1$ , so  $\rho(H) = \max \{|\lambda_1|, |\lambda_{M-1}|\}$ . Finally,  $\lambda_{M-1} = \cos \frac{\pi(M-1)}{M} = -\cos \frac{\pi}{M} = -\lambda_1$ , so  $\rho(H) = \lambda_1$ .  $\square$

Now  $(\underline{v}^p)^T (\underline{v}^q) = \frac{M}{2} \cdot \delta_{pq}$  (**EXERCISE**).

**INNER PRODUCT:** Define

$$\langle \underline{a}, \underline{b} \rangle = \frac{2}{M} \sum_{k=1}^{M-1} a_k b_k, \quad \underline{a}, \underline{b} \in \mathbb{R}^{M-1}.$$

Then  $\underline{v}^1, \dots, \underline{v}^{M-1}$  are orthonormal and

$$\underline{e}^0 = \sum_{p=1}^{M-1} \langle \underline{e}^0, \underline{v}^p \rangle \underline{v}^p$$

$$\text{Write } \underline{e}^k = H^k \underline{e}^0 = \sum_{p=1}^{M-1} \lambda_p^k \langle \underline{e}^0, \underline{v}^p \rangle \underline{v}^p.$$

**HIGH FREQUENCIES DAMPED FASTER:**  $\underline{e}^k \approx \lambda_1^k \langle \underline{e}^0, \underline{v}^1 \rangle \underline{v}^1$

Thus largest component  $\approx \lambda_1^k \langle \underline{e}^0, \underline{v}^1 \rangle = \cos^k \frac{\pi}{M} \cdot \langle \underline{e}^0, \underline{v}^1 \rangle$

**INTEGRAL APPROXIMATION:**

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \underline{e}^0, \underline{v}^1 \rangle &= - \left\langle \frac{u^0}{M}, \underline{v}^1 \right\rangle \\ &= - \frac{2}{M} \sum_{q=1}^{M-1} u\left(\frac{q}{M}\right) \sin \frac{\pi q}{M} \\ &\approx -2 \int_0^1 u(s) \sin \pi s \, ds. \end{aligned}$$

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**EXERCISE:**  $-2 \int_0^1 (s^2 - s) \sin \pi s \, ds = \frac{8}{\pi^3}.$

Thus largest component  $\approx \frac{8}{\pi^3} \cos^k \frac{\pi}{M}$ .

ITERATION ESTIMATE: Want  $k$  s.t.

$$\frac{8}{\pi^3} \cos^k \frac{\pi}{M} \leq \delta. \quad (2)$$

Now  $\cos \frac{\pi}{M} = 1 - \frac{\pi^2}{2M^2} + \dots \approx e^{-\frac{\pi^2}{2M^2}}$ , so (2) is

$$\frac{8}{\pi^3} e^{-\frac{k\pi^2}{2M^2}} \leq \delta$$

$$\text{or } \log \frac{8}{\pi^3} - \frac{k\pi^2}{2M^2} \leq \log \delta, \quad (3)$$

i.e.

$$k \geq \frac{2M^2}{\pi^2} \log \left( \frac{8}{\pi^3 \delta} \right). \quad (4)$$

Crucial part here is  $k \geq O(M^2)$ , i.e. SLOW.

$$\text{Finally, } \frac{2}{\pi^2} \log \left( \frac{8}{\pi^3 10^{-6}} \right) \approx 2.53.$$