

Newton-CG for Nonlinear Inverse Problems

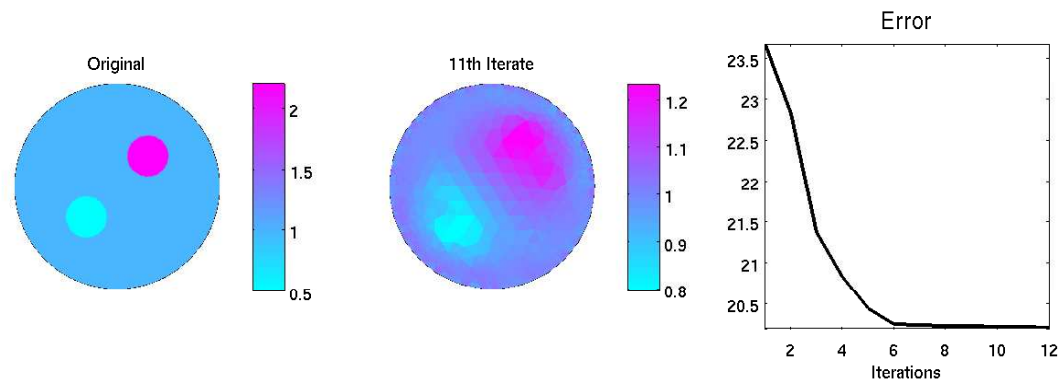
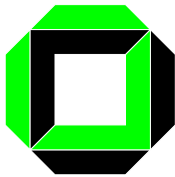
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Overview

- Regularizations of Newton type for nonlinear problems
- Inexact Newton-CG regularizations
 - Convergence analysis
 - Aspects of implementation
- Numerical experiments: impedance tomography
- References
- Conclusion: What to remember from this talk

Newton regularizations

$F : D(F) \subset X \rightarrow Y$, X, Y Hilbert spaces

$$F(x) = y^\delta$$

where $\|y - y^\delta\| \leq \delta$, $y = F(x^+)$, and $F(x) = y$ locally ill-posed in x^+ .

Let x_n be an approximation to x^+ : $x_{n+1} = x_n + s_n$

The exact Newton step $s_n^e = x^+ - x_n$ satisfies ($A_n := F'(x_n)$)

$$A_n s_n^e = y - F(x_n) - E(x^+, x_n)$$

\implies Determine s_n as regularized solution of

$$A_n s = b_n^\delta, \quad b_n^\delta := y^\delta - F(x_n)$$

Newton regularizations (continued)

$$s_n = s_{n,\ell} = g_\ell(A_n^* A_n) A_n^* b_n^\delta + (I - g_\ell(A_n^* A_n) A_n^* A_n) s_{\star,n}$$

$\{g_\ell\}$ regularizing filter:

$$\lim_{\ell \rightarrow \infty} s_{n,\ell} = \begin{cases} A_n^+ b_n^\delta + P_{N(A_n)} s_{\star,n} & : b_n^\delta \in R(A_n) \oplus R(A_n)^\perp \\ \infty & : \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$x_{n+1} = x_n + g_{i_n}(A_n^* A_n) A_n^* b_n^\delta + (I - g_{i_n}(A_n^* A_n) A_n^* A_n) s_{\star,n}$$

Tasks:

1. choice of $\{g_\ell\}$
2. choice of $s_{\star,n}$
3. choice of i_n
4. stopping of the Newton iteration

Examples

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$$x_{n+1} = x_n + A_n^* b_n^\delta, \quad \|A_n\| \leq 1,$$

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- nonlinear gradient decent (Scherzer 96)

$$x_{n+1} = x_n + \lambda_n A_n^* b_n^\delta, \quad \lambda_n = \|A_n^* b_n^\delta\|^2 / \|A_n A_n^* b_n^\delta\|^2,$$

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Examples (continued)

- iteratively regularized Gauss-Newton methods (Bakushinsky 92, Blaschke(Kaltenbacher), Neubauer & Scherzer 97, Kaltenbacher 98, ...)

$$x_{n+1} = x_0 + g_{i_n}(A_n^* A_n) A_n^* (b_n^\delta - A_n(x_0 - x_n))$$

$g_\ell(t) = 1/(t + \alpha_\ell)$, $\lim_{\ell \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_\ell = 0$ (strongly monotone),

$\{i_n\}$ chosen a priori (strongly increasing),

$s_{\star,n} = x_0 - x_n$, discrepancy principle/a priori

Textbooks (on regularizations for nonlinear problems)

- A. B. Bakushinsky, M. Yu. Kokurin
Iterative Methods for Approximate Solution of Inverse Problems
Springer, 2004
- Y. Alber, I. Ryazantseva
Nonlinear Ill-posed Problems of Monotone Type
Springer, 2006
- B. Kaltenbacher, A. Neubauer, O. Scherzer
Iterative Regularization Methods for Nonlinear Ill-posed Problems
Springer, 2006 (to appear??)
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Keine Probleme mit Inversen Problemen (Chapter 7)
Vieweg, 2003

Inexact Newton-CG scheme

$$x_{n+1} = x_n + g_{i_n} (A_n^* A_n) A_n^* b_n^\delta + (I - g_{i_n} (A_n^* A_n) A_n^* A_n) s_{\star, n}$$

Guiding principles

1. $s_{\star, n} = 0$ (because $s_n \approx s_n^e = x^+ - x_n \rightarrow 0$)
2. Adapt i_n dynamically according to the local degree of ill-posedness
3. Choose the most efficient regularization scheme for $\{g_\ell\}$
4. Stop the iteration by an a-posteriori principle.

Inexact Newton-CG scheme (continued)

CG-REGINN($x, R, \{\mu_k\}$)

$n = 0, \quad x_0 = x$

while $\|b_n^\delta\| > R\delta$ do

{ $i_n = 0$

repeat

$i_n = i_n + 1$

$s_{i_n} = g_{i_n}^{\text{cg}}(A_n^* A_n, b_n^\delta) A_n^* b_n^\delta$

until $\frac{\|A_n s_{i_n} - b_n^\delta\|}{\|b_n^\delta\|} < \mu_n$

$x_{n+1} = x_n + s_{i_n}$

$n = n + 1 \quad \}$

$x = x_n$

Termination of CG-REGINN

Theorem: Assume the tangential cone condition

$$\|E(v, u)\| = \|F(v) - F(u) - F'(u)(v - u)\| \leq \omega \|F(v) - F(u)\|, \quad v, u \in B_\rho(x^+)$$

Moreover: $\omega, R, \{\mu_k\}$ “suitable”, $x_0 \in B_\rho(x^+)$

Then, all iterates $\{x_1, \dots, x_{N(\delta)}\}$ are well defined in $B_\rho(x^+)$. Additionally,

$$\|x^+ - x_n\|_X < \|x^+ - x_{n-1}\|_X, \quad n = 1, \dots, N(\delta).$$

Furthermore,

$$\|y^\delta - F(x_{N(\delta)})\|_Y \leq R\delta < \|y^\delta - F(x_n)\|_Y, \quad n = 0, \dots, N(\delta) - 1$$

and

$$\frac{\|y^\delta - F(x_{n+1})\|_Y}{\|y^\delta - F(x_n)\|_Y} < \mu_n + \frac{\omega}{1 - \omega} \leq \Lambda < 1, \quad n = 0, \dots, N(\delta) - 1.$$

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Theorem: Assume the factorization

$$\left. \begin{aligned} F'(v) &= Q(v, w)F'(w) \\ \|I - Q(v, w)\| &\leq C_Q \|v - w\| \end{aligned} \right\} \forall v, w \in B_\rho(x^+)$$

Moreover: $C_Q \rho, R, \{\mu_k\}$ “suitable”

Then, there is a $\kappa_{\min} < 1$ such that $x_0 \in B_\rho(x^+)$ with

$$x^+ - x_0 = |F'(x^+)|^\kappa w \text{ for one } \kappa \in]\kappa_{\min}, 1]$$

and $\|w\| \|y^\delta - F(x_0)\|$ sufficiently small, imply that

$$\|x^+ - x_{N(\delta)}\| \leq C_\kappa \delta^{\frac{\kappa - \kappa_{\min}}{1 + \kappa}} \|w\|^{\frac{1}{1 + \kappa}} \text{ as } \delta \rightarrow 0.$$

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Initialize $\mu_{\text{start}} \in]0, 1[$, $\gamma \in]0, 1[$, $\mu_{\text{max}} \in]\mu_{\text{start}}, 1[$, $\tilde{\mu}_0 = \tilde{\mu}_1 := \mu_{\text{start}}$

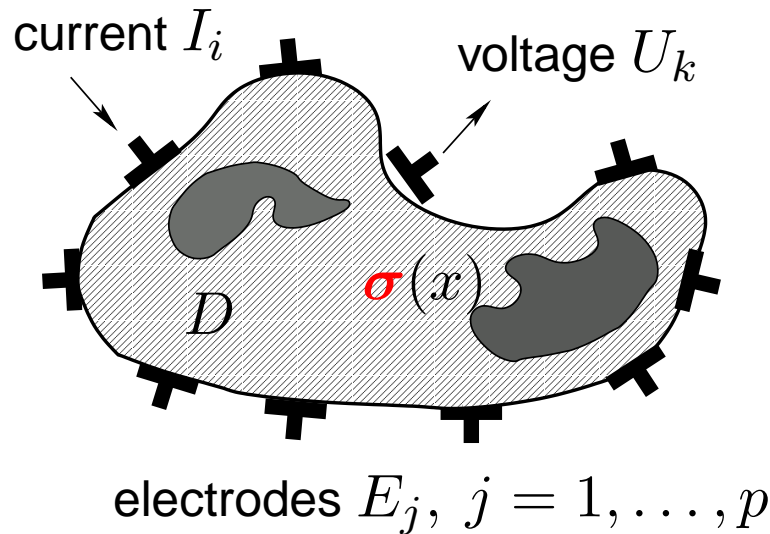
Choose

$$\mu_n := \mu_{\text{max}} \max \{ R \delta / \|F(x_n) - y^\delta\|, \tilde{\mu}_n \}$$

where

$$\tilde{\mu}_n := \begin{cases} 1 - \frac{i_{n-2}}{i_{n-1}} (1 - \mu_{n-1}) & : i_{n-1} > i_{n-2} \\ \gamma \mu_{n-1} & : \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \quad n \geq 2$$

Numerical experiments: Impedance tomography

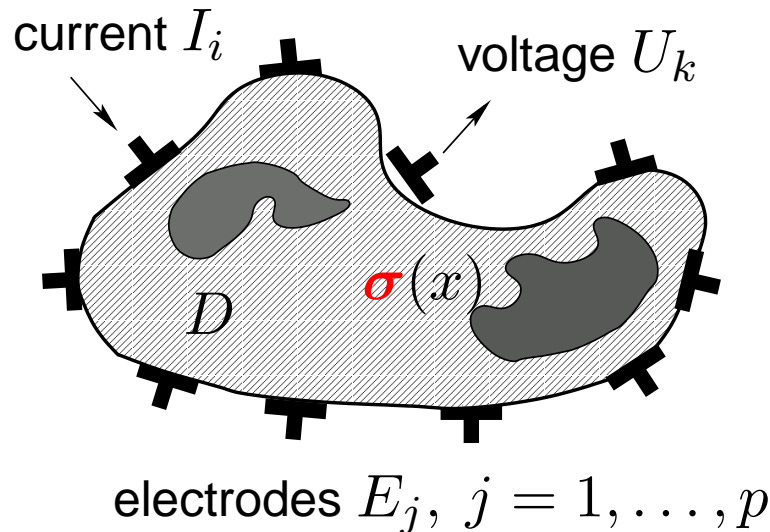


$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{div}(\sigma \nabla u) &= 0 \quad \text{in } D, \\ u + z_j \sigma \partial_{\mathbf{n}} u &= U_j \quad \text{on } E_j \\ \sigma \partial_{\mathbf{n}} u &= 0 \quad \text{on } \partial D \setminus \cup_j E_j. \end{aligned}$$

$$\int_{E_j} \sigma \partial_{\mathbf{n}} u \, dS = I_j$$

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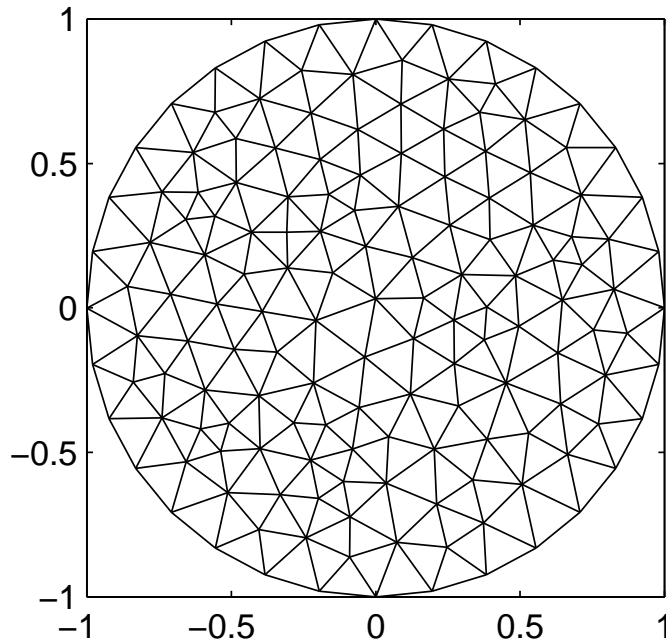
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Modification: ℓ different current patterns are applied, that is,

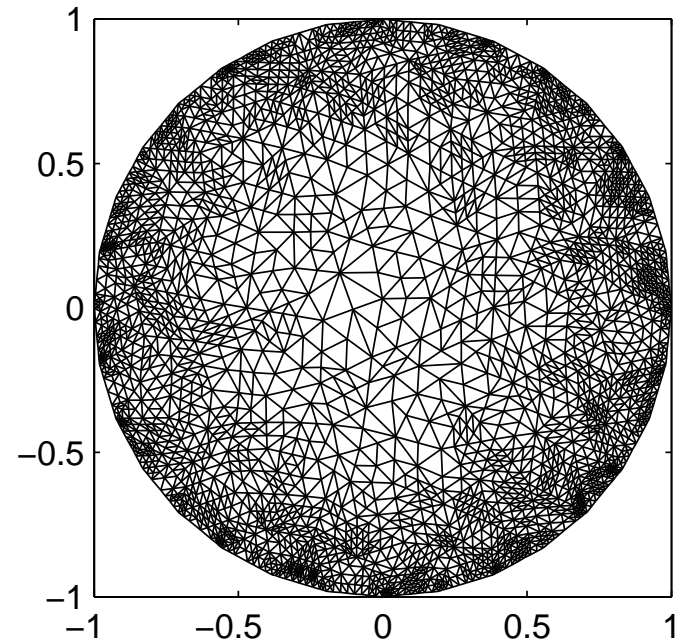
$$F : \sigma \mapsto U \in \mathbb{R}_{\diamond}^{p \cdot \ell} \quad \text{for } I \in \mathbb{R}_{\diamond}^{p \cdot \ell}$$

In all numerical experiments: $\ell = p$

Numerical experiments: FE meshes for 16 electrodes



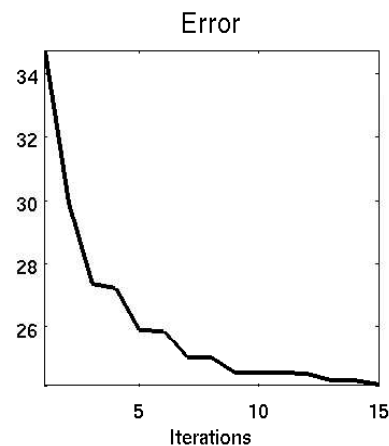
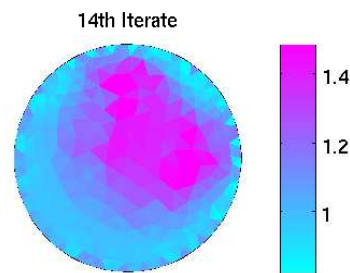
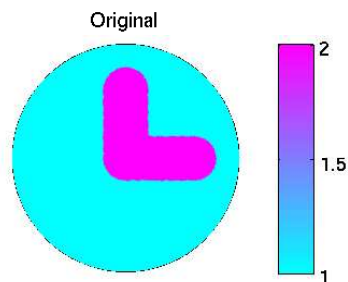
Finite element mesh
for reconstruction



Finite element mesh for
computing the Jacobian

Numerical experiments: Results

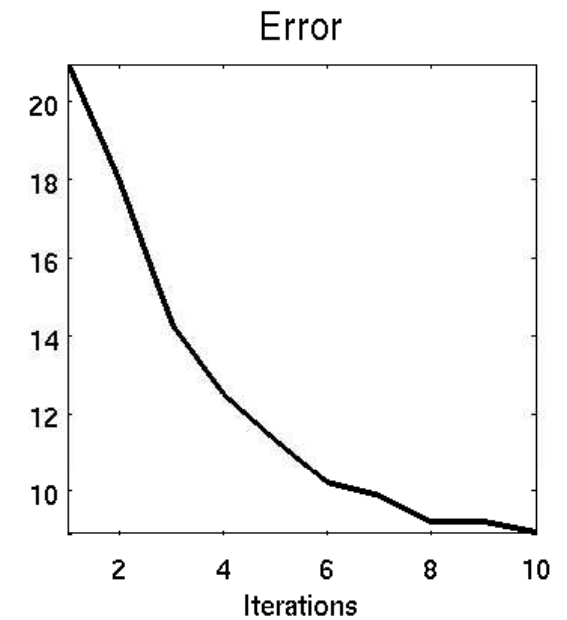
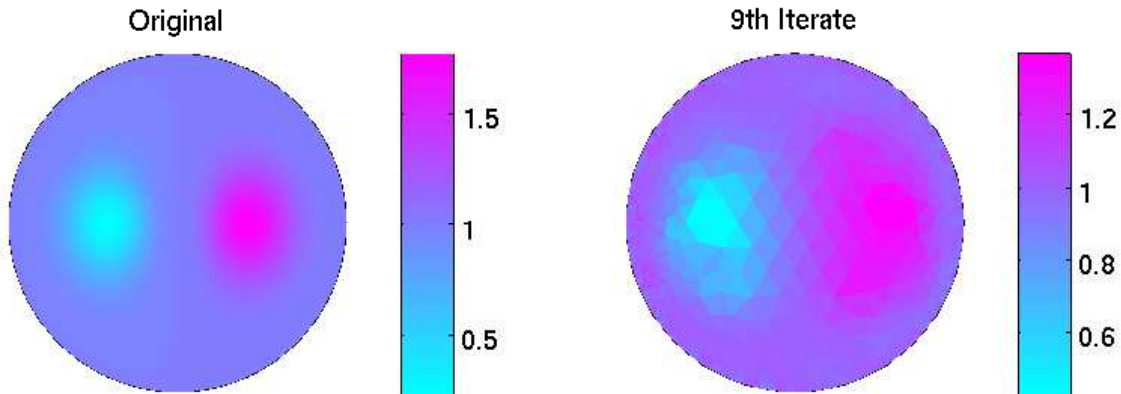
32 electrodes, 0.5% artificial noise



n	i_n	μ_n	error in %
0	0	—	34.72
1	2	0.799	29.92
2	4	0.799	27.35
3	3	0.899	27.20
4	6	0.871	25.88
5	2	0.935	25.84
6	6	0.906	25.01
7	1	0.968	25.00
8	6	0.938	24.52
9	1	0.989	24.52
10	2	0.958	24.50
11	1	0.978	24.50
12	5	0.948	24.30
13	1	0.989	24.29
14	5	0.958	24.15
15	1	0.991	24.15

Numerical experiments: Results (continued)

64 electrodes, 1% artificial noise



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Conclusion: What to remember from this talk

- The vital part of any Newton-like regularization is the stable computation of the Newton step from the locally linearized system. As the degree of ill-posedness of this system may change during the iteration a careful selection of the level of regularization is indispensable.
Surprisingly, this is not the case for most Newton methods.
- **CG-REGINN** selects the level of regularization of the locally linearized system incorporating information on the local degree of ill-posedness gained during the iteration. To this end the numerical effort for computing the Newton steps is monitored. An increase (decrease) of this numerical effort indicates an increase (decrease) of the local degree of ill-posedness. Accordingly the magnitude of regularization for the following linearized system is adjusted.