### PROBLEM No. 1 / I

Define the following numbers:

$$ULP = 2^{-23}$$
;  $EM = 2^{-24}$ ; and  $EPS = EPSILON (real*4)$ ,

where EPSILON(x) is the intrinsic Fortran function.

Write a program which computes in single precision, and displays the values:

- 1) *ULP*; *EM*; *EPS*;
- 2) u = 1.0 + ULP; u1 = 1.0 + EM; u2 = 1.0 + EPS;

Check (in the program) if u, u1, and u2 are greater than or equal to 1.0.

Explain the results.

#### PROBLEM No. 2 / I

Calculate the values of functions f, f2, and g, at the following x values:

$$x = 10^i$$
,  $i = 1, 2, ..., 7$ .

$$f(x) = x(\sqrt{x+2} - \sqrt{x-1})$$
 ... In single precision;

$$f 2(x) = x(\sqrt{x+2} - \sqrt{x-1})$$
 ... In double precision;

$$g(x) = \frac{3x}{\sqrt{x+2} + \sqrt{x+1}}$$
 ... In single precision.

- Tabulate computed values (f2(x) with 15 significant digits), and explain the results.
- Find out the number of correct significant digits of f(x) value, for  $x = 10^6$ .

# PROBLEM No. 3 / I

Equation  $f(x) = e^x - 4x^2 = 0$  has three roots.

Find the roots, with tolerance  $EPS = 10^{-6}$ , by:

- BISECTION Method
- NEWTON Method

Compare the number of iterations, needed to meet tolerance EPS.

# PROBLEM No. 4 / I

Consider the equation f(x) = 0, where:

$$f(x) = 0.98\cos(x) - x + 1.58$$

- 1) Solve the equation by NEWTON method, picking  $x_0 = 1.5$  and tolerance  $EPS = 10^{-6}$ .
- 2) Solve again by SECANT method, with  $x_0 = 1.5$ ,  $x_1 = 1.6$ , and  $EPS = 10^{-6}$ .
- 3) Compare the number of iterations in the two methods.

### PROBLEM No. 5 / I

Given the equation

$$tg(x) = \frac{8-x}{x+0.2}.$$

- 1) Solve the equation by NEWTON method, choosing  $x_0 = 4$  and tolerance  $EPS = 10^{-6}$ .
- 2) Solve the equation by SECANT method, with  $x_0 = 3.5$ ,  $x_1 = 4$ , and  $EPS = 10^{-6}$ .
- 3) Compare the number of iterations in the two methods.

#### PROBLEM No. 6 / I

Consider the function

$$f(x) = x + e^{-px^2} \cos(x),$$

where p is a parameter.

Equation f(x) = 0 has a unique root in the interval (-1, 0).

- 1) Find the roots for the following p values: p = 1; 5; and 25, with a tolerance  $EPS = 10^{-6}$ .
- 2) Solve by Newton method the case p = 25, with  $EPS = 10^{-6}$ , and  $x_0 = 0$ .
- 3) Comment the result.

### PROBLEM No. 7 / I

Let f be the friction factor for the flow of a suspension, R the Reynolds number, and k a constant depending of the suspension concentration. These quantities are related by the empirical relation (Lee & Duffy, 1976):

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{f}} = \frac{1}{k} \ln(R\sqrt{f}) + 14 - \frac{5.6}{k}$$

Determine f for the values: k = 0.28 and R = 3750.

### PROBLEM No. 8 / I

The equation  $e^x - 5x^2 = 0$  has a root in the interval [4.5, 5].

Consider the equation put in the form x = g(x), where:

1) 
$$g(x) = \sqrt{e^x / 5}$$

Iterate (in the fixed-point method) with  $x_0 = 4.7$ . The iteration does not converge.

Why?

2) 
$$g(x) = x - m(e^x - 5x^2)$$

- Determinate *m* such that the fixed-point iteration converge, and compute the root.
- Find out the value of m, for which the iteration converges the most rapidly.

# PROBLEM No. 9/I

Consider the equation x = g(x), where

$$g(x) = 1.6 + 0.98\cos(x)$$

- 1) Iterate in single precision with  $x_0 = 1.58$ , tolerance  $EPS = 10^{-6}$ , and limited number of iterations  $NLIM \ge 500$ . Comment the result.
- 2) Repeat the iteration in double precision, and find the root with tolerance  $EPS = 10^{-9}$ .

# PROBLEM No. 10 / I

Determine t, with a tolerance of  $10^{-5}$ , from the equation

$$e^{-t/2} \cosh^{-1}(e^{t/2}) = \sqrt{0.5L_{cr}}$$
,

for  $L_{cr} = 0.088$ . (t is the temperature in the interior of a material with imbedded heat sources; Frank-Kamenetski, 1955).

### PROBLEM No. 11 / I

Given the LAGUERRE polynomial of order 5:

$$L_5(x) = \frac{1}{120} \left( -x^5 + 25x^4 - 200x^3 + 600x^2 - 600x + 120 \right)$$

- Find initial approximations of the roots (by algebraic methods, function graph, etc.)
- 2) Calculate the roots, with tolerance  $10^{-6}$ .

## PROBLEM No. 12 / I

Given the LEGENDRE polynomial of order 6

$$P_6(x) = \frac{1}{16}(231x^6 - 315x^4 + 105x^2 - 5),$$

- Find initial approximations of the roots (by algebraic methods, function graph, etc.)
- 2) Calculate the roots, with tolerance  $10^{-6}$ .

*Note*: All roots are of modulus < 1.

### PROBLEM No. 13 / I

The polynomial

$$p(x) = x^5 - 15x^4 + 85x^3 - 225x^2 + 274x - 120$$

has the roots:  $x_1 = 1$ ;  $x_2 = 2$ ; ...;  $x_5 = 5$ .

Let  $\tilde{p}(x)$  be the polynomial obtained form p(x) by replacing the coefficient  $a_4 = -15$  of  $x^4$ , with  $\tilde{a}_4 = -15.003$ .

- Calculate the roots of  $\tilde{p}(x)$ .
- Calculate the modulus of the ratio: relative perturbation in the root  $x_5$  / relative perturbation in the coefficient  $a_4$ . Comment the result. (If a perturbed becomes  $\tilde{a}$ , the relative perturbation is:  $(\tilde{a}-a)/a$ .)

# PROBLEM No. 14 / I

The polynomial

$$p(x) = x^5 - 18x^4 + 118x^3 - 348x^2 + 457x - 210$$

Has the roots:  $x_1 = 1$ ;  $x_2 = 2$ ;  $x_3 = 3$ ;  $x_4 = 5$ ;  $x_5 = 7$ .

Let  $\tilde{p}(x)$  be the polynomial obtained form p(x) by replacing the coefficient  $a_3 = 118$  of  $x^3$ , with  $\tilde{a}_3 = 118.02$ .

- Calculate the roots of  $\tilde{p}(x)$ .
- Calculate the ratio: maximum relative perturbation in the roots (in modulus) /
  the relative perturbation in the coefficient a<sub>3</sub>. Comment the result.
  (If a perturbed becomes \$\tilde{a}\$, the relative perturbation is: \$(\tilde{a} a)/a.\$)

### PROBLEM No. 15 / I

Consider the system:

$$\begin{cases} xy - z^{2} = 2 \\ -xyz - x^{2} + y^{2} = 4 \\ e^{x} - e^{y} - z = 7 \end{cases}$$

Solve by NEWTON method, with tolerance  $EPS = 10^{-6}$ .

- 1) With initial approximation  $w_0 = (1, 1, 1)$
- 2) With initial approximation  $w_0 = (2, 2, -1)$

Compare the number of iterations and explain.

# PROBLEM No. 16 / I

Consider the system:

$$\begin{cases} x - y + \sqrt{x + y} = 1\\ x + y - e^{x - y} = 3 \end{cases}$$

Solve the system, by iteration with constant matrix A (updated after 3 steps), with tolerance  $EPS = 10^{-6}$  and initial approximation  $w_0 = (1, 2)$ .

### PROBLEM No. 17 / I

Consider the system:

$$\begin{cases} x^2 + x - y^2 = 1 \\ y - \sin(x)^2 = 0 \end{cases}$$

Solve the system, with tolerance  $EPS = 10^{-6}$ , and initial approximations:

$$w_0^{(1)} = (0.7, 0.5); \ w_0^{(2)} = (-1.5, 0.4):$$

- 1) by NEWTON method;
- 2) by iteration with constant matrix A (with updating after 3 steps).

# PROBLEM No. 18 / I

Consider the system:

$$\begin{cases} x^3 + 3y^2 = 21\\ x^2 + 2y = -2 \end{cases}$$

- Find the initial approximations  $x_0, y_0$ , from the intersection of the two graphs.
- Solve by NEWTON method, with tolerance  $EPS = 10^{-6}$ .

### PROBLEM No. 19 / I

Consider the system:

$$\begin{cases} \sin(xy) = 0.5 \\ \cos(x) = e^y \end{cases}$$

- Solve by NEWTON method, with tolerance  $EPS = 10^{-6}$ : Find the roots near  $w_0 = (-1, -0.5)$ , and  $w_0 = (5, -1)$ , respectively
- Solve again, by iteration with constant matrix A (with updating after 3 steps).

# PROBLEM No. 20 / I

Consider the system:

$$\begin{cases} f_1(x, y) = x^2 + 4y^2 - 9 = 0 \\ f_2(x, y) = -14x^2 + 18y + 45 = 0 \end{cases}$$

- Determine the initial approximations  $x_0$ ,  $y_0$ , from the intersection of curves  $f_1(x, y) = 0$  and  $f_2(x, y) = 0$ .
- Solve by NEWTON method, with tolerance  $EPS = 10^{-6}$ .

### PROBLEM No. 21 / I

Consider the system:

$$\begin{cases} x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 6.4\\ xyz = -2.2\\ x + y - z^2 = 2.4 \end{cases}$$

Solve by NEWTON method, with tolerance  $EPS = 10^{-6}$  and initial approximation  $w_0 = (2, 1, -1)$ .

### PROBLEM No. 22 / I

Consider the system:

$$\begin{cases} x^2 + 2\sin(y) + z = -0.1\\ \cos(y) - z = 2.1\\ x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 2 \end{cases}$$

Find the solution near  $w_0 = (1, 0, -1)$ , with tolerance  $EPS = 10^{-6}$ , either by Newton method, or by iteration with constant matrix A (with updating after 3 steps).

### PROBLEM No. 23 / I

Consider the system:

$$\begin{cases} (x - y)(x + y)^{1/2} = 3\\ x - \log(x - y) = 1 \end{cases}$$

Solve the system, with:

- Tolerance  $EPS = 10^{-6}$ .
- Initial approximation  $w_0 = (2, -0.5)$ .

Use either iteration with constant matrix A (updated after 3 steps), or Newton method.

## PROBLEM No. 24 / I

In the problem of missile interception, the following system is obtained:

$$\begin{cases} t\cos(\alpha) + t - 1 = 0 \\ t\sin(\alpha) - 0.1t^{2} + e^{-t} - 1 = 0 \end{cases}$$

(t is the time, and  $\alpha$  is the firing angle of the interceptor.)

Solve the system, with tolerance  $EPS = 10^{-6}$  and initial approximation

$$w_0 = (0.5, 1)$$
, by:

- 1) Iteration with constant matrix A (with updating after 3 steps)
- 2) NEWTON method.

### PROBLEM No. 25 / I

Given the linear system with matrix:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3.01 & 6.03 & 1.99 \\ 1.27 & 4.16 & -1.23 \\ .987 & -4.81 & 9.34 \end{bmatrix}$$

- 1) Calculate the solution for the right-hand side  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^T$ .
- 2) Repeat part (1), with matrix A' obtained from A, by the replacements:  $3.01 \rightarrow 3.00$  (element  $a_{11}$ ) and  $.987 \rightarrow .990$  (element  $a_{31}$ ). Compare the results and conclude about the conditioning of the problem.

# PROBLEM No. 26 / I

Given the matrix:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3.01 & 6.03 & 1.99 \\ 1.27 & 4.16 & -1.23 \\ .987 & -4.81 & 9.34 \end{bmatrix}.$$

- 1) Calculate the inverse  $A^{-1}$  of A.
- 2) Calculate the following number:  $cond(A)_{\infty} = \|\mathbf{A}\|_{\infty} \cdot \|\mathbf{A}^{-1}\|_{\infty}$ . (cond(A) is called number of condition)

### PROBLEM No. 27 / I

Given the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0.2 & 0.3 & 0.4 & 0.501 \\ 0.3 & 0.4 & 0.5 & 0.6 \\ 0.4 & 0.5 & 0.6 & 0.7 \\ 0.501 & 0.6 & 0.7 & 0.8 \end{bmatrix}$$

- 1) Calculate the inverse  $A^{-1}$  of A.
- 2) Calculate the following number:  $cond(A)_1 = \|\mathbf{A}\|_1 \cdot \|\mathbf{A}^{-1}\|_1$ . (cond(A) is called number of condition)

#### PROBLEM No. 28 / II

Given the HILBERT matrix of order 4:

$$H_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1/2 & 1/3 & 1/4 \\ 1/2 & 1/3 & 1/4 & 1/5 \\ 1/3 & 1/4 & 1/5 & 1/6 \\ 1/4 & 1/5 & 1/6 & 1/7 \end{bmatrix}$$

1) Solve the linear system  $H_4x = b$ , for:

$$b = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0.2 & 0.3 & 0.4 \end{bmatrix}^T$$
, and  $b = \begin{bmatrix} 1.02 & 0.2 & 0.3 & 0.4 \end{bmatrix}^T$ .

2) Calculate the ratio: the maximum relative perturbation (in modulus) in solution / the relative perturbation in the right-hand side  $b_1$  (in modulus). Comment the result.

(If a perturbed becomes  $\tilde{a}$ , the relative perturbation is:  $(\tilde{a} - a)/a$ .)

### PROBLEM No. 29 / I

Consider the HILBERT matrix of order 5:

$$H_5 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1/2 & 1/3 & 1/4 & 1/5 \\ 1/2 & 1/3 & 1/4 & 1/5 & 1/6 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 1/5 & 1/6 & 1/7 & 1/8 & 1/9 \end{bmatrix};$$

1) Solve the linear system  $H_5 x = b$ , for:

$$b = \begin{bmatrix} 1.0 & 0.6 & 0.4 & 0.3 & 0.3 \end{bmatrix}^T$$
, and  $\tilde{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 1.02 & 0.6 & 0.4 & 0.3 & 0.3 \end{bmatrix}^T$ .

2) Compute the ratio: maximum relative perturbation in solution (in modulus) / relative perturbation in right-hand side  $b_1$  (in modulus). Comment the result. (If a perturbed becomes  $\tilde{a}$ , the relative perturbation is:  $(\tilde{a}-a)/a$ .)

## PROBLEM No. 30 / I

Consider the linear system Ax = b, where:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 4 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 4 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 4 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ and } b = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -2 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 \\ -2 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

- 1) Solve the system by LU method.
- 2) How can be computed the determinant of A?

### PROBLEM No. 31 / I

Consider the linear system Ax = b, where:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 16 & 4 & 8 \\ 4 & 5 & -4 \\ 8 & -4 & 22 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ and } b = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 28 \\ 1 & 1 & 5 \\ 1 & -1 & 26 \end{bmatrix}.$$

- 1) Solve the system by LU method.
- 2) Compute the determinant of A.

# PROBLEM No. 32 / I

Consider the HILBERT matrix of order 3:

$$H_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1/2 & 1/3 \\ 1/2 & 1/3 & 1/4 \\ 1/3 & 1/4 & 1/5 \end{bmatrix};$$

Matrix entries are:  $h_{ij} = 1./(i + j - 1)$ .

- 1) Calculate  $H_3^{-1}$  in single precision.
- 2) Calculate  $H_3^{-1}$  in double precision.
- 3) Calculate in single precision the *analytical* inverse  $(H_3^{-1})_T = [\alpha_{ij}]$ , where:

$$\alpha_{ij} = (-1)^{i+j} \frac{(n+i-1)!(n+j-1)!}{(i+j-1)[(i-1)!(j-1)!]^2(n-i)!(n-j)!}$$

Compare the elements of the inverses in part (1) and (2), with those of the inverse in part (3). Comment the comparison results.

### PROBLEM No. 33 / I

Consider the following linear system Ax = b:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 6 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 6 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 6 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 6 \end{bmatrix}; \qquad b = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0.8 \\ 1 & 0.9 \\ 1 & 1. \\ 1 & 0.9 \\ 1 & 0.8 \end{bmatrix};$$

Matrix *A* is positive definite.

- 1) Solve the system by CHOLESKY Method.
- 2) Print the matrix L, and calculate the determinant of A.

### PROBLEM No. 34 / I

Given the linear system Ax = b, where:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -36 & 12 \\ -36 & 218 & -74 \\ 12 & -74 & 64 \end{bmatrix}; \qquad b = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1.8 \\ 1 & 10.8 \\ 1 & 0.2 \end{bmatrix};$$

Matrix *A* is positive definite.

- 3) Solve the system by CHOLESKY Method.
- 4) Print the matrix L, and calculate the determinant of matrix A.