

# Convergence of IRGNM type methods under a tangential cone condition in Banach space

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- **tangential cone condition**  $c_{tc} < 1/3$

$$\|F(\tilde{x}) - F(x) - F'(x)(\tilde{x} - x)\| \leq c_{tc} \|F(\tilde{x}) - F(x)\|, \forall x \in \mathcal{B}_R \subset \mathcal{D}(F)$$

- $\alpha_k, \rho_k$  **a priori**

$$\alpha_k = \alpha_0 \theta^k \text{ for some } \theta \in \left( \left( 2 \frac{c_{tc}}{1 - c_{tc}} \right)^p, 1 \right) \text{ and } \rho_k \equiv \rho \geq \mathcal{R}(x^\dagger)$$

## Convergence result (continuous version)

### Theorem

Let for all  $r \geq \mathcal{R}(x^\dagger)$ , the sublevel set  $\mathcal{B}_r = \{x \in \mathcal{D}(F) : \mathcal{R}(x) \leq r\}$  be compact with respect to some topology  $\tau$  on  $X$ . Let for all  $x \in \mathcal{B}_R$ ,  $F'(x)$  and  $F$  be  $\tau$ -to-norm continuous, for some chosen  $R > \mathcal{R}(x^\dagger)$ .

Then, for fixed  $\delta$  and  $y^\delta$ , the iterations are well defined and remain in  $\mathcal{B}_R$  and the stopping index  $k_*$  is finite.

Moreover, we have  $\tau$ -convergence as  $\delta \rightarrow 0$ .

If the solution  $x^\dagger$  of  $F(x) = y$  is unique in  $\mathcal{B}_R$ , then  $x_{k_*(\delta, y^\delta)}^\delta \rightarrow x^\dagger$  as  $\delta \rightarrow 0$ .

Additionally,  $k_*$  satisfies the asymptotics  $k_* = \mathcal{O}(|\log 1/\delta|)$ .

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5. Repeat for IRGNM-Ivanov

# Discretized version

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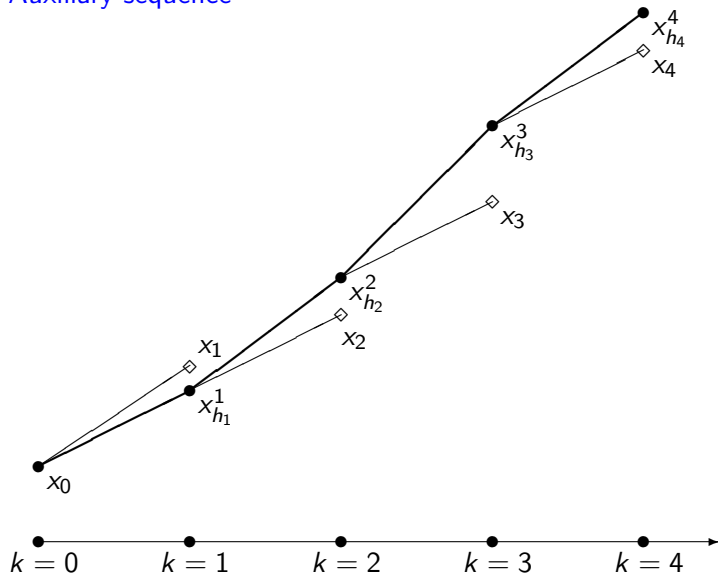
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# Convergence result (discretized version)

## Corollary

Assume the error estimates

$$\|F(x_{k,h}^\delta) - y^\delta\| - \|F(x_k^\delta) - y^\delta\| \leq \eta_k$$

$$\|F_h^k(x_{k,h}^\delta) - y^\delta\| - \|F_h^k(x_k^\delta) - y^\delta\| \leq \xi_k$$

$$\mathcal{R}(x_{k,h}^\delta) - \mathcal{R}(x_k^\delta) \leq \zeta_k$$

hold with

$$\eta_k \leq \bar{\tau}\delta, \quad \xi_k \leq \hat{\tau}\delta, \quad \zeta_k \leq \bar{\zeta} \quad (\text{tolerance})$$

for all  $k \leq k_*(\delta, y^\delta)$ .

Then, the Theorem remains valid for  $x_{k_*(\delta, y^\delta), h}^\delta$  in place of  $x_{k_*(\delta, y^\delta)}^\delta$ .

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Quantities of interest

$$I_1(x, v, u, \tilde{u}) = \|C(\tilde{u}) - y^\delta\|$$

$$I_2(x, v, u, \tilde{u}) = \|C(u) - y^\delta\| \rightsquigarrow \text{just in theory}$$

$$I_3(x, v, u, \tilde{u}) = \mathcal{R}(x)$$

## Computing $\eta_k, \xi_k, \zeta_k$ for IRGNM-Tikhonov

- Lagrange functional  $L(z)$ ,  $z$  its stationary point,  
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[Becker, Vexler 2005]  $\Rightarrow$

$$l_i^k(x, v, u, \tilde{u}) - l_i^k(x_h, v_h, u_h, \tilde{u}_h) = \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} M_i'(\tilde{z}_h)(\tilde{z} - \hat{z}_h)}_{\epsilon_i^k} + \mathcal{O}(\|\tilde{z} - \tilde{z}_h\|^3), \quad \forall \hat{z}_h$$

$$\eta_{k+1} = \epsilon_1^{k+1} + \epsilon_2^k \text{ (theory)}, \quad \xi_k = \epsilon_1^k, \quad \zeta_k = \epsilon_3^k$$

Only one more Newton step for the stationary point of  $M$

## Optimality conditions

The minimizer  $(x, v, u, \tilde{u}, \lambda, \tilde{\mu}, \mu)$  satisfies the optimality system

$$p = 2$$

... skipping  $h$  in notation

$$- \left( A'_x(x, u)^* \mu + A'_x(x_k^\delta, \tilde{u})^* \lambda \right) \in \alpha_k \partial \mathcal{R}(x), \quad \forall dx \in X$$

$$2 \langle C'(\tilde{u})(dv), C'(\tilde{u})v + C(\tilde{u}) - y^\delta \rangle + \langle A'_u(x_k^\delta, \tilde{u})(dv), \lambda \rangle = 0, \quad \forall dv \in V$$

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## Optimality conditions...in practice

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 \end{aligned}$$



## Computing stationary point

1st-  $\langle A(x_k^\delta, \tilde{u}), d\tilde{\mu} \rangle = 0, \forall d\tilde{\mu} \in W$

2nd-

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s.t.  $\forall w \in W : \langle A'_x(x_k^\delta, \tilde{u})(x - x_k^\delta) + A'_u(x_k^\delta, \tilde{u})v, w \rangle_{W^*, W} = 0$

3rd-

$$\langle A''_{xu}(x_k^\delta, \tilde{u})(x - x_k^\delta, d\tilde{u}) + A''_{uu}(x_k^\delta, \tilde{u})(v, d\tilde{u}), \lambda \rangle + \langle A'_u(x_k^\delta, \tilde{u})(d\tilde{u}), \tilde{\mu} \rangle$$

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s.t.  $\forall w \in W_0^{1,q}(\Omega) :$

$$\int_{\Omega} (\nabla v \nabla w + 3\kappa \tilde{u}^2 v w) d\Omega = \int_{\Omega} w d(x - x_k),$$

$$\int_{\Omega} (\nabla \tilde{u} \nabla w + \kappa \tilde{u}^3 w) d\Omega = \int_{\Omega} w dx_k,$$

$$\int_{\Omega} (\nabla u \nabla w + \kappa u^3 w) d\Omega = \int_{\Omega} w dx.$$

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(skipping  $h, \delta$ )... in strong formulation

1st- solve the nonlinear equation

$$-\Delta \tilde{u} + \kappa \tilde{u}^3 = x_{k,h}^\delta$$

2nd- solve the linear case

$$\begin{aligned} (x_{k+1,h}^\delta, v_{k,h}^\delta) &\in \operatorname{argmin}_{(x,v) \in \mathcal{D}(F) \times V} \|v + \tilde{u} - y^\delta\|^2 + \alpha_k \|x\|_{\mathcal{M}(\Omega)} \\ \text{s.t.} &\quad -\Delta v + 3\kappa \tilde{u}^2 v = x - x_{k,h}^\delta \end{aligned}$$

3rd- solve the linear equation, it matters just for error computation

$$-\Delta \tilde{\mu} + 3\kappa \tilde{u}^2 \tilde{\mu} = -6\kappa \tilde{u} v \lambda - 2(v + \tilde{u} - y^\delta)$$