Skew Box Enclosure for the Parametric AE Solution Set

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Consider linear algebraic systems A(p)x = b(p) where the elements of the matrix A(p) and the vector b(p) are linear functions of uncertain parameters varying within given intervals, $p_i \in [p_i], i = 1, ..., k$. For two disjoint sets \mathcal{E} and \mathcal{A} , such that $\mathcal{E} \cup \mathcal{A} = \{1, ..., k\}$, the parametric AE solution set of the above system is defined by

$$\begin{split} \Sigma_{AE}^p &= \Sigma(A(p), b(p), [p]) \\ &:= \{ x \in \mathbf{R}^n \mid (\forall p_{\mathcal{A}} \in [p_{\mathcal{A}}]) (\exists p_{\mathcal{E}} \in [p_{\mathcal{E}}]) (A(p)x = b(p)) \}. \end{split}$$

A single step parametric method, called Bauer-Skeel method, based on the left-preconditioned system, is proposed in [1] for the outer estimation of a parametric AE solution set.

In this talk we present a outer estimate of the parametric AE solution set by right-preconditioning of the parametric matrix. The obtained outer estimate is in the form of a parallepiped, called skew box. A rightpreconditioning version of the parametric Bauer-Skeel method for outer estimation of the parametric AE solution set will be presented. In the special case of parametric united solution set a right-preconditioning version of the parametric fixed-point iteration will be outlined. The properties and the usefulness of the new outer estimation will be discussed on a number of numerical examples.

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