Fast Eigenvalue Solvers for Three Dimensional Maxwell's Equations



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Maxwell's Equations

Maxwell's Equations for electromagnetic waves



$$\nabla \times E = \imath \omega B, \quad \nabla \times H = -\imath \omega D$$

$$\nabla \cdot (\varepsilon E) = 0, \quad \nabla \cdot (\mu H) = 0$$
Dielectric materials
$$D = \varepsilon E, \quad B = \mu H$$

$$D = \varepsilon E + \xi H,$$

$$B = \mu H + \zeta E$$

Dielectric materials (3D)





Dispersive metallic materials (3D)



Complex Media (3D)





Maxwell's Equations



Explicit Represent. of matrices

Eigen-decomposition of double-curl and SVD of single-curl

Null-space free method

Explicit Representations of matrices for Yee's scheme

Bloch Theorem

We are interest nding E satisfying the quasi-periodic condition ${}^{\ell}E(\mathbf{x})$

 $+\mathbf{a}_{\ell})$

Face-centered cubic (FCC)



$$\mathbf{a}_{1} = \frac{a}{\sqrt{2}} [1, 0, 0]^{\top}, \ \mathbf{a}_{2} = \frac{a}{\sqrt{2}} \left[\frac{1}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, 0 \right]^{\top}$$
$$\mathbf{a}_{3} = \frac{a}{\sqrt{2}} \left[\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}}, \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \right]^{\top}$$

Simple cubic (SC)



$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{a}_1 &= a \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{a}_2 &= a \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \\ \mathbf{a}_3 &= a \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Figures taken from Chern, Chang, Chang, Hwang, 2004



Discrete Double-Curl Operator

Curl operator

$$\nabla \times E = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial E_3}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial E_2}{\partial z} \\ \frac{\partial E_1}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial E_3}{\partial x} \\ \frac{\partial E_2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial E_1}{\partial y} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\frac{\partial}{\partial z} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial z} & 0 & -\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \\ -\frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} E_1 \\ E_2 \\ E_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Central face points (finite diff. Yee's scheme)

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -C_3 & C_2 \\ C_3 & 0 & -C_1 \\ -C_2 & C_1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{C}^{3n \times 3n}$$

 $C_1 = I_{n_2n_3} \otimes K_1 \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}, \ C_2 = I_{n_3} \otimes K_2 \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}, \ C_3 = K_3 \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$



Finite Diff. Assoc. with Quasi-Periodic Cond.



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SC lattice

 $J_2 = I_{n_1}$ and $J_3 = I_{n_1 n_2}$

FCC lattice

 $J_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & e^{-i2\pi\mathbf{k}\cdot\mathbf{a}_1}I_{n_1/2} \\ I_{n_1/2} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{C}^{n_1 \times n_1}, \text{ and}$ $J_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & e^{-i2\pi\mathbf{k}\cdot\mathbf{a}_2}I_{\frac{1}{3}n_2} \otimes I_{n_1} \\ I_{\frac{2}{3}n_2} \otimes J_2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{C}^{(n_1n_2) \times (n_1n_2)}.$

Eigen-decomp. of C₁, C₂, C₃ for SC lattice

Define unitary matrix T as

$$T = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \left(\left(D_{\mathbf{a}_3, n_3} U_{n_3} \right) \otimes \left(D_{\mathbf{a}_2, n_2} U_{n_2} \right) \otimes \left(D_{\mathbf{a}_1, n_1} U_{n_1} \right) \right)$$
$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \left(D_{\mathbf{a}_3, n_3} \otimes D_{\mathbf{a}_2, n_2} \otimes D_{\mathbf{a}_1, n_1} \right) \left(U_{n_3} \otimes U_{n_2} \otimes U_{n_1} \right)$$

with

$$U_{m} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & \cdots & 1 \\ e^{\theta_{m,1}} & e^{\theta_{m,2}} & \cdots & 1 \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ e^{(m-1)\theta_{m,1}} & e^{(m-1)\theta_{m,2}} & \cdots & 1 \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{C}^{m \times m}.$$

Then it holds that

$$C_{1}T = \delta_{x}^{-1}T \left(I_{n_{3}} \otimes I_{n_{2}} \otimes \Lambda_{\mathbf{a}_{1},n_{1}} \right) \equiv T\Lambda_{1},$$

$$C_{2}T = \delta_{y}^{-1}T \left(I_{n_{3}} \otimes \Lambda_{\mathbf{a}_{2},n_{2}} \otimes I_{n_{1}} \right) \equiv T\Lambda_{2},$$

$$C_{3}T = \delta_{z}^{-1}T \left(\Lambda_{\mathbf{a}_{3},n_{3}} \otimes I_{n_{2}} \otimes I_{n_{1}} \right) \equiv T\Lambda_{3}.$$
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Define unitary matrix T as

$$T = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \begin{bmatrix} T_1 & T_2 & \cdots & T_{n_1} \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n},$$

$$T_i = \begin{bmatrix} T_{i,1} & T_{i,2} & \cdots & T_{i,n_2} \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times (n_2 n_3)},$$

$$T_{i,j} = (D_{\mathbf{z},i+j} U_{n_3}) \otimes (\mathbf{y}_{i,j} \otimes \mathbf{x}_i),$$

$$\mathbf{x}_i = D_{\mathbf{x}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & e^{\theta_{\mathbf{x},i}} & \cdots & e^{(n_1-1)\theta_{\mathbf{x},i}} \end{bmatrix}^\top,$$

$$\mathbf{y}_{i,j} = D_{\mathbf{y},i} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & e^{\theta_{\mathbf{y},j}} & \cdots & e^{(n_2-1)\theta_{\mathbf{y},j}} \end{bmatrix}^\top.$$

Then it holds that

$$C_{1}T = T\left(\Lambda_{n_{1}} \otimes I_{n_{2}n_{3}}\right) \equiv T\Lambda_{1},$$

$$C_{2}T = T\left(\left(\oplus_{i=1}^{n_{1}}\Lambda_{i,n_{2}}\right) \otimes I_{n_{3}}\right) \equiv T\Lambda_{2},$$

$$C_{3}T = T\left(\oplus_{i=1}^{n_{1}} \oplus_{j=1}^{n_{2}}\Lambda_{i,j,n_{3}}\right) \equiv T\Lambda_{3}.$$
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Dispersive metallic materials

Eigen-decomposition of double-curl and SVD of single-curl **Numerical results**

$$C_1T = T\Lambda_1, \quad C_2T = T\Lambda_2, \quad C_3T = T\Lambda_3$$

Null-space free method

Dispersive metallic materials (3D)

Maxwell's Equation

$$\nabla \times \nabla \times E = \omega^2 \varepsilon(r, \omega) E$$

Lossless Drude model

$$arepsilon(r,\omega) = \left\{ egin{array}{c} 1 - rac{\omega_p^2}{\omega^2} & ext{in material 1} \\ 1 & ext{in material 2} \end{array}
ight.$$

Resulting eigenvalue problem

$$\left(A + \omega_p^2 B_d\right) x = \omega^2 x \equiv \lambda x$$

where B_d is a diagonal matrix and

$$A = C^*C$$

Dispersive metallic materials (3D)

Lossy Drude model (or Drude-Lorentz model)

$$\varepsilon(\omega) = 1 - \frac{\omega_p^2}{\omega^2 + i\Gamma_p\omega} \qquad \varepsilon(\omega) = \varepsilon_\infty - \frac{\omega_p^2}{\omega^2 + i\Gamma_p\omega} + \sum_{j=1}^2 \Omega_j A_j \left(\frac{e^{i\phi_j}}{\Omega_j - \omega - i\Gamma_j} + \frac{e^{-i\phi_j}}{\Omega_j + \omega + i\Gamma_j}\right)$$

Resulting nonlinear eigenvalue problem

$$(A - \omega^2 B_n - \omega^2 \varepsilon(\omega) B_d) x = 0 \qquad B_n + B_d = I$$

Multiplying the common denominator, it results

$$C(\lambda)x \equiv \left(\lambda^3 I + \lambda^2 A_2 + \lambda A_1 + A_0\right)x = 0$$

where
$$P(\omega)x = \left(\omega^7 A_7 + \omega^2 A_6 + \dots + \omega A_1 + A_0\right)x = 0$$
$$A_2 = i\Gamma_p I, \quad A_1 = -\omega_p^2 B_d - A, \quad A_0 = -i\Gamma_p A$$

FFT-based preconditioner

Solve the linear system

$$\left(A + \omega_p^2 B_d - \sigma I\right)\mathbf{z} = \mathbf{b}$$

Consider the preconditioned

$$M = (A - \tau I),$$

where τ is the average of the diagonal entries of $\sigma I - \omega_p^2 B_d$

$$\left(\lambda^3 I + \lambda^2 A_2 + \lambda A_1 + A_0\right) x = 0$$

 $\left(\omega^7 A_7 + \omega^2 A_6 + \dots + \omega A_1 + A_0\right) x = 0$ $(A + D) \mathbf{z} = \mathbf{b}$

Solving
$$(A - \tau I)\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{d}$$

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$$(A - \tau I)\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{d}$$

$$G = \begin{bmatrix} C_1^\top & C_2^\top & C_3^\top \end{bmatrix}^\top \quad \mathbf{v} \quad A = I_3 \otimes (G^*G) - GG^*$$

$$\{I_3 \otimes (G^*G) - \tau I\} \mathbf{y} = \mathbf{d} + GG^* \mathbf{y}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -C_3 & C_2 \\ C_3 & 0 & -C_1 \\ -C_2 & C_1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad CG = 0 \quad \mathbf{v} \quad GG^* \mathbf{y} = -\tau^{-1}GG^* \mathbf{d}$$

$$\{I_3 \otimes (G^*G) - \tau I\} \mathbf{y} = \mathbf{d} - \tau^{-1}GG^* \mathbf{d}$$

Solving
$$(A - \tau I)\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{d}$$

$$\begin{cases} I_3 \otimes (G^*G) - \tau I \} \mathbf{y} = \mathbf{d} - \tau^{-1} G G^* \mathbf{d} \\ G = \begin{bmatrix} C_1^\top & C_2^\top & C_3^\top \end{bmatrix}^\top \\ \Lambda_q = \Lambda_1^* \Lambda_1 + \Lambda_2^* \Lambda_2 + \Lambda_3^* \Lambda_3 \end{cases} \qquad \mathbf{f}_{1} \mathbf{f}_{1} \mathbf{f}_{1} \mathbf{f}_{2} \mathbf{f}_{3} \mathbf$$

This beautiful idea is proposed by Wei-Cheng Wang

T*p and Tq for SC lattice

$$T = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \left(\left(D_{\mathbf{a}_3, n_3} U_{n_3} \right) \otimes \left(D_{\mathbf{a}_2, n_2} U_{n_2} \right) \otimes \left(D_{\mathbf{a}_1, n_1} U_{n_1} \right) \right)$$
$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \left(D_{\mathbf{a}_3, n_3} \otimes D_{\mathbf{a}_2, n_2} \otimes D_{\mathbf{a}_1, n_1} \right) \left(U_{n_3} \otimes U_{n_2} \otimes U_{n_1} \right)$$

with

$$U_{m} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & \cdots & 1 \\ e^{\theta_{m,1}} & e^{\theta_{m,2}} & \cdots & 1 \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ e^{(m-1)\theta_{m,1}} & e^{(m-1)\theta_{m,2}} & \cdots & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \theta_{m,j} = \frac{i2\pi j}{m}.$$
$$(U_{n_{3}} \otimes U_{n_{2}} \otimes U_{n_{1}})^{*} \mathbf{p} \longrightarrow 3\mathbf{D} \text{ forward FFT}$$
$$(U_{n_{3}} \otimes U_{n_{2}} \otimes U_{n_{1}}) \mathbf{q} \longrightarrow 3\mathbf{D} \text{ backward FFT}$$

Compute T*p for FCC lattice

Algorithm 4 Forward FFT-based matrix-vector product T^*p [15]. **Input:** Any vector $\mathbf{p} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{p}_1^\top & \cdots & \mathbf{p}_{n_3}^\top \end{bmatrix}^\top \in \mathbb{C}^n$ with $\mathbf{p}_k = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{p}_{1,k}^\top & \cdots & \mathbf{p}_{n_2,k}^\top \end{bmatrix}^\top$ and $\mathbf{p}_{j,k} \in \mathbb{C}^{n_1}$ for $j = 1, ..., n_2, k = 1, ..., n_3$. **Output:** The vector $\mathbf{f} \equiv T^* \mathbf{p}$. 1D forward 1: for $k = 1, ..., n_3$ do FFT Compute $P_{\mathbf{x}}(:,:,k) = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{p}_{1,k} & \cdots & \mathbf{p}_{n_2,k} \end{bmatrix}^* E_{\mathbf{x}} U_{\mathbf{x}}$ 2: 3: end for 4: for $i = 1, ..., n_1$ do Compute $P_{\mathbf{y}} = \begin{bmatrix} P_{\mathbf{x}}(:,i,1) & P_{\mathbf{x}}(:,i,2) & \cdots & P_{\mathbf{x}}(:,i,n_3) \end{bmatrix}^{\top} E_{\mathbf{y},i}U_{\mathbf{y}}.$ 5: Compute $P_{\mathbf{z}} = U_{\mathbf{z}}^* \begin{bmatrix} E_{\mathbf{z},i+1}^* \bar{P}_{\mathbf{y}}(:,1) & E_{\mathbf{z},i+2}^* \bar{P}_{\mathbf{y}}(:,2) & \cdots & E_{\mathbf{z},i+n_2}^* \bar{P}_{\mathbf{y}}(:,n_2) \end{bmatrix}$ 6: Set $\mathbf{f}((i-1)n_2n_3+1:in_2n_3) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n_1n_2n_3}} \operatorname{vec}(P_{\mathbf{z}}).$ 7: 8: end for

Compute Tq for FCC lattice

Explicit Represent. of matrices

Dispersive metallic materials

Eigen-decomposition of double-curl and SVD of single-curl

Numerical results

Null-space free method

CPU Times for T*p and Tq with FCC MATLAB ··Τq Γр CPU times (sec.) Λ n x 10⁷

Comparison in Solving Linear System

SC lattice (dim = 46875)

Index j	Jacobi	SSOR(0.8)	ICC(1)	ILU(1)	FFT
1	852	493	296	273	27
2	853	492	296	273	27
3	1,008	462	287	284	28

Band Structure of FCC Lattice

G

X

W

к

1.5

1.45

х

U

Iteration Numbers of Solving Linear Systems

1.65

1.6

Leduer

1.5

1.45 X U

CPU times of Eigensolvers

1.65

1.6

1.55

1.5

1.45 X

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Eigen-decomposition of Discrete Double-Curl Operator and SVD of Discrete Single-Curl Operator

Define

$$Q_0 = (I_3 \otimes T) \begin{bmatrix} \Lambda_1 \\ \Lambda_2 \\ \Lambda_3 \end{bmatrix} \Lambda_q^{-1/2} \equiv (I_3 \otimes T) \Pi_0,$$
$$P_0 = (I_3 \otimes T) \overline{\Pi_0}.$$

• Then Q_0 and P_0 form orthogonal bases of the null spaces of C^*C and CC^* , respectively.

 $C_1T = T\Lambda_1, \quad C_2T = T\Lambda_2, \quad C_3T = T\Lambda_3$

$$\Lambda_q = \Lambda_1^* \Lambda_1 + \Lambda_2^* \Lambda_2 + \Lambda_3^* \Lambda_3$$

Range space of C^*C and CC^*

• Take orthogonal projection of $T_1 \equiv [\alpha T^{\top}, \beta T^{\top}, T^{\top}]^{\top}$ with respective to Q_0 and P_0 :

$$Q_{1} = (I - Q_{0}Q_{0}^{*}) T_{1} \left(\Lambda_{p}^{*}\Lambda_{p}\Lambda_{q}^{-1}\right)^{-1/2}$$
$$\equiv (I_{3} \otimes T) \Pi_{1} = (I_{3} \otimes T) \left[\begin{array}{c} \\ \\ \\ \\ \end{array} \right],$$
$$P_{1} = (I - P_{0}P_{0}^{*}) T_{1} \left(\Lambda_{p}^{*}\Lambda_{p}\Lambda_{q}^{-1}\right)^{-1/2} = (I_{3} \otimes T) \overline{\Pi_{1}}.$$

• Then Q_1 and P_1 are orthogonal, and

 $(C^*C)Q_1 = Q_1\Lambda_q, \quad (CC^*)P_1 = P_1\Lambda_q.$

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Range space of C^*C and CC^*

• Apply the discrete curl and dual-curl operators on T_1 , respectively:

$$Q_{2} = C^{*}T_{1} \left(\Lambda_{p}^{*}\Lambda_{p}\right)^{-1/2}$$

$$\equiv (I_{3} \otimes T) \Pi_{2} = (I_{3} \otimes T) \begin{bmatrix} \backslash \\ \backslash \end{bmatrix},$$

$$P_{2} = CT_{1} \left(\Lambda_{p}^{*}\Lambda_{p}\right)^{-1/2} = (I_{3} \otimes T) \left(-\overline{\Pi_{2}}\right).$$

• Then Q_2 and P_2 are orthogonal, and

$$(C^*C)Q_2 = Q_2\Lambda_q, \quad (CC^*)P_2 = P_2\Lambda_q.$$
Important Decompositions



Define

 $Q \equiv \begin{bmatrix} Q_1 & Q_2 & Q_0 \end{bmatrix} = (I_3 \otimes T) \begin{bmatrix} \Pi_1 & \Pi_2 & \Pi_0 \end{bmatrix},$ $P \equiv \begin{bmatrix} P_2 & P_1 & P_0 \end{bmatrix} = (I_3 \otimes T) \begin{bmatrix} -\overline{\Pi_2} & \overline{\Pi_1} & \overline{\Pi_0} \end{bmatrix}.$

• Eigen-decompositions of discrete double curl

$$C^*C = Q \operatorname{diag} \left(\Lambda_q, \Lambda_q, 0\right) Q^* = Q_r \Lambda Q_r^*,$$
$$CC^* = P \operatorname{diag} \left(\Lambda_q, \Lambda_q, 0\right) P^* = P_r \Lambda P_r^*.$$

• Singular value decomposition of single curl

$$C = P \operatorname{diag} \left(\Lambda_q^{1/2}, \Lambda_q^{1/2}, 0 \right) Q^* = P_r \Sigma_r Q_r^*$$

where

$$P_r = [P_2, P_1], \ Q_r = [Q_1, Q_2], \ \Sigma_r = \operatorname{diag}\left(\Lambda_q^{1/2}, \Lambda_q^{1/2}\right)$$
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Explicit Represent. of matrices

Eigen-decomposition of double-curl and SVD of single-curl



Null Space Free Method

Resulting Eigenvalue Problems



Discretized 3D photonic crystals (Dielectric materials):

$$\nabla \times \nabla \times E = \mu_0 \omega^2 \varepsilon(\mathbf{x}) E$$

leads to the generalized eigenvalue problem

$$A\mathbf{x} = \lambda B\mathbf{x} \qquad \qquad A = C^*C$$

B is a positive diagonal matrix.

The discretization of

$$\begin{bmatrix} \nabla \times & 0 \\ 0 & \nabla \times \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} E \\ H \end{bmatrix} = \imath \omega \begin{bmatrix} \zeta & \mu \\ -\varepsilon & -\xi \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} E \\ H \end{bmatrix}$$

leads to the generalized eigenvalue problem:

$$C = P \operatorname{diag}\left(\Lambda_q^{1/2}, \Lambda_q^{1/2}, 0\right) Q^*$$

 $C^*C = Q \operatorname{diag}(\Lambda_q, \Lambda_q, 0) Q^*$

$$\begin{bmatrix} C & 0 \\ 0 & C^* \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} E \\ H \end{bmatrix} = \omega \left(i \begin{bmatrix} \zeta_d & \mu_d \\ -\varepsilon_d & -\xi_d \end{bmatrix} \right) \begin{bmatrix} E \\ H \end{bmatrix} \equiv \omega B \begin{bmatrix} E \\ H \end{bmatrix}$$



3D Photonic Crystals (Dielectric materials)



$$\nabla \times \nabla \times E = \mu_0 \omega^2 \varepsilon(\mathbf{x}) E$$

$$A\mathbf{x} = \lambda B\mathbf{x}, \quad A = Q_r \Lambda Q_r^*$$

$$\mathbf{y}$$

$$\mathbf{x} = \lambda B\mathbf{x}, \quad \lambda > 0$$

$$\mathbf{y}$$

$$\mathbf{y}$$

$$\left(\Lambda^{\frac{1}{2}}Q_r^* B^{-1}Q_r \Lambda^{\frac{1}{2}}\right) \mathbf{y} = \lambda \mathbf{y}, \quad \mathbf{x} = B^{-1}Q_r \Lambda^{\frac{1}{2}} \mathbf{y}$$

Advantages of SEVP

 $A\mathbf{x} = \lambda B\mathbf{x}$





- Dim. of GEVP and SVEP are 3n and 2n, respectively
- GEVP and SEVP have same 2n positive eigenvalues.
 SEVP has no zero eigenvalues.
 SEVP can be solved by inverse Lanczos.



As the SEVP

$$A_r \mathbf{y} = \lambda \mathbf{y} \qquad A_r \equiv \Lambda^{\frac{1}{2}} Q_r^* B^{-1} Q_r \Lambda^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

in inverse Lanczos, we need to solve

$$Q_r^* B^{-1} Q_r \mathbf{u} = \mathbf{c}$$

$$\Lambda_r^{\frac{1}{2}} \left(Q_r^* B^{-1} Q_r \right) \Lambda_r^{\frac{1}{2}} \tilde{\mathbf{u}} = \tilde{\mathbf{c}}$$

- Well-conditioned system
 - Can show that κ (Q^{*}_rB⁻¹Q_r) ≤ κ (B⁻¹)
 Conditioning number of B⁻¹ is 13

 - $Q_r^* \hat{\mathbf{p}}_2$ and $Q_r \hat{\mathbf{q}}_2$ can be computed efficiently by the FFTbased schemes
 - Can be efficiently solved by CG method









90 test problems





Comparison for Solving Linear Sys.





Iteration Numbers







CPU Time Comparison







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Remarks



Dispersive metallic materials

$$(A - \omega^2 B_n - \omega^2 \varepsilon(\omega) B_d) x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \quad Ax = \omega (\omega B_n + \omega \varepsilon(\omega) B_d) x \equiv \omega B(\omega) x$$

$$\Rightarrow \quad \beta(\omega) Ax = B(\omega) x, \quad \beta(\omega) = \frac{1}{\omega}$$

Linearization

$$\beta Ax = B(\omega_k)x$$

Newton's method

$$\omega_{k+1} = \omega_k - \left(\beta'(\omega_k) + \omega_k^{-2}\right)^{-1} \left(\beta(\omega_k) - \omega_k^{-1}\right)$$



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The discretization of

$$\begin{bmatrix} \nabla \times & 0 \\ 0 & \nabla \times \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} E \\ H \end{bmatrix} = \imath \omega \begin{bmatrix} \zeta & \mu \\ -\varepsilon & -\xi \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} E \\ H \end{bmatrix}$$

leads to the generalized eigenvalue problem:

$$\begin{bmatrix} C & 0 \\ 0 & C^* \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} E \\ H \end{bmatrix} = \omega \left(\imath \begin{bmatrix} \zeta_d & \mu_d \\ -\varepsilon_d & -\xi_d \end{bmatrix} \right) \begin{bmatrix} E \\ H \end{bmatrix} \equiv \omega B \begin{bmatrix} E \\ H \end{bmatrix}$$

Singular value decomposition:

$$C = P_r \Sigma_r Q_r^*, \quad C^* = Q_r \Sigma_r P_r^*$$

Null space free eigenvalue problem

$$\begin{bmatrix} C & 0 \\ 0 & C^* \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} E \\ H \end{bmatrix} = \omega B \begin{bmatrix} E \\ H \end{bmatrix}$$
$$C = P_r \Sigma_r Q_r^* \qquad \qquad C^* = Q_r \Sigma_r P_r^*$$
$$\operatorname{span} \left\{ B^{-1} \operatorname{diag} \left(P_r \Sigma_r^{\frac{1}{2}}, Q_r \Sigma_r^{\frac{1}{2}} \right) \right\} = \left\{ \mathbf{x}; \begin{bmatrix} C & 0 \\ 0 & C^* \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} = \omega B \mathbf{x}, \omega \neq 0 \right\}$$
$$\operatorname{diag} \left(\Sigma_r^{\frac{1}{2}} Q_r^*, \Sigma_r^{\frac{1}{2}} P_r^* \right) B^{-1} \operatorname{diag} \left(P_r \Sigma_r^{\frac{1}{2}}, Q_r \Sigma_r^{\frac{1}{2}} \right) y = \omega y$$

Null space free generalized eigenvalue problem



$$\begin{bmatrix} C & 0 \\ 0 & C^* \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} E \\ H \end{bmatrix} = \omega \left(i \begin{bmatrix} \zeta_d & \mu_d \\ -\varepsilon_d & -\xi_d \end{bmatrix} \right) \begin{bmatrix} E \\ H \end{bmatrix} \equiv \omega B \begin{bmatrix} E \\ H \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Phi \equiv \varepsilon_d - \xi_d \mu_d^{-1} \zeta_d \succ 0,$$

$$\mu_d \succ 0, \quad \xi_d^* \equiv \zeta_d.$$
All eigenvalues are real
$$\operatorname{diag} \left(\sum_r^{\frac{1}{2}} Q_r^*, \sum_r^{\frac{1}{2}} P_r^* \right) B^{-1} \operatorname{diag} \left(P_r \sum_r^{\frac{1}{2}}, Q_r \sum_r^{\frac{1}{2}} \right) y = \omega y$$

$$\left[\left(i \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \sum_r^{-1} \\ -\sum_r^{-1} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) y_r = \omega^{-1} A_r y_r$$

$$A_r \equiv \operatorname{diag} \left(P_r^*, Q_r^* \right) \begin{bmatrix} \mu_d^{-1} \zeta_d & -I_{3n} \\ I_{3n} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \Phi^{-1} & 0 \\ 0 & \mu_d^{-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \xi_d \mu_d^{-1} & I_{3n} \\ -I_{3n} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \operatorname{diag} \left(P_r, Q_r \right)$$

Advantages



$$\begin{pmatrix} \imath \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \Sigma_r^{-1} \\ -\Sigma_r^{-1} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{pmatrix} y_r = \omega^{-1} A_r y_r$$

- A_r is Hermitian and positive definite
- We can use the generalized Lanczos method to solve NFGEP
- In each step, we need to solve the linear system $\begin{bmatrix} P_r^* \\ Q_r^* \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \zeta_d & -I_{3n} \\ I_{3n} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \Phi^{-1} & 0 \\ 0 & \mu_1^{-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \zeta_d^* & I_{3n} \\ -I_{3n} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} P_r \\ Q_r \end{bmatrix} u = b$
- Because A_r is Hermitian positive definite, the linear system can be solved by the conjugate gradient method efficiently.

Chiral and pseudochiral media



- Two important complex media with positive ε and $\mu = I_3$
- Isotropic Chiral medium:

$$\xi = \imath \gamma I_3, \quad \zeta = -\imath \gamma I_3$$

Pseudochiral medium:

$$\xi = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & i\gamma \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ i\gamma & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \zeta = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & -i\gamma \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -i\gamma & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

• $\Phi = \varepsilon_d - \xi_d \mu_d^{-1} \zeta_d = \varepsilon_d - \xi_d \zeta_d$ is a positive diagonal matrix provided $\gamma \in (0, \sqrt{\varepsilon_i})$

All eigenvalues are real



Explicit Represent. of matrices

Photonic crystals

Eigen-decomposition of double-curl and SVD of single-curl

Numerical results

Null-space free method

Complex materials

Numerical results

Bandgap Diagram of SC Lattice

- Dim. of coefficient matrix A_r : 8,388,608
- 39 test problems with $(\varepsilon_i, \varepsilon_o, \gamma) = (13, 1, 0.5)$
- Chiral medium





Comparison for Solving Linear Sys.



Iteration Numbers of Solving Linear Systems





CPU Time for Solving Eig. Prob.







$$\begin{pmatrix} \imath \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \Sigma_r^{-1} \\ -\Sigma_r^{-1} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{pmatrix} y_r = \omega^{-1} A_r y_r$$

Dimension = 8,388,608



Conclusion



- Explicit representation and eigen-decomposition of the discrete double-curl matrix A
- FFT-based preconditioner for metallic materials
- Singular value decomposition of discrete single-curl operator
- Null-space free methods
 - The $3n \times 3n$ GEVP is reduced to $2n \times 2n$ SEVP for photonic crystals
 - The $6n \times 6n$ GEVP is reduced to $4n \times 4n$ GEVP for complex media
 - No zero eigenvalues in the reduced eigenvalue problems
 - Well-conditioned linear systems
 - Efficient FFT based algorithms

Thank you.



- If we design a three-dimensional photonic crystal appropriately, there appears a frequency range where no electromagnetic eigenmode exists. Frequency ranges of this kind are called photonic band gaps.
- Light waves can be reflected crystals.



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Bandgap Maximization



- For SC, depends on radius of "ball" & "cylinder"
- $\max_{r,s}(\min(\lambda_{i+1})-\max(\lambda_i))$.
- Many eigenvalue problems for the band structure



Numerical Challenges



Yee's scheme discretizes the equation

$$\nabla \times \nabla \times \tilde{E}(\mathbf{x}) = \mu_0 \omega^2 \varepsilon(\mathbf{x}) \tilde{E}(\mathbf{x})$$

to get the generalized eigenvalue problem (GEVP)

$$A\mathbf{x} = \lambda B \mathbf{x} \mathbf{A} \mathbf{x} = \lambda B \mathbf{x}$$

- A: complex Hermitian positive semi-definite
- B: positive diagonal (containing magnetic constant, frequency, material dependent permittivity)
- Dimension: 3n ($n=n_1n_2n_3$, i.e. order 3)
- Need a few of smallest (interior) positive eigenvalues₆₈

Challenge: Multiple Zero Eigenvalues



Backup Slides

Perodic Lattice






Preconditioning in SC

Simple Cubic Photonic Crystal



Spheres (radius r) connected with cylinders (radius s)



Biswas et al. (PRB, 2002)



