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APPROXIMATIONS AND ERROR BOUNDS FOR  
COMPUTING THE INVERSE MAPPING

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*Abstract.* In this paper we propose a procedure to construct approximations of the inverse of a class of  $C^m$  differentiable mappings. First of all we determine in terms of the data a neighbourhood where the inverse mapping is well defined. Then it is proved that the theoretical inverse can be expressed in terms of the solution of a differential equation depending on parameters. Finally, using one-step matrix methods we construct approximate inverse mappings of a prescribed accuracy.

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1. INTRODUCTION

The aim of this paper is to propose a constructive method to provide continuous approximate functions and error bounds of the local inverse of a class of differentiable mappings acting between finite-dimensional Banach spaces. More precisely, we consider mappings  $f: \Omega \subset E \rightarrow E$ , which are  $C^m$  continuously differentiable in an open set  $\Omega$  containing a disk centered at the origin of the finite-dimensional Banach space  $E$ , satisfying the conditions

$$(1.1) \quad f(0) = 0, \text{ and } Df(0) \text{ is an isomorphism.}$$

The paper is organized as follows. In Section 2 we determine, in terms of the data, a neighbourhood where a mapping  $f$  of a class  $C^m$  in  $\Omega$  and satisfying (1.1) is invertible and its inverse mapping is expressed in terms of the solution of a differential initial

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value problem depending on parameters. In Section 3, using one-step matrix methods for the numerical solution of initial value matrix differential problems, we construct an approximate inverse mapping whose error in the predetermined neighbourhood is uniformly upper bounded by a prescribed admissible error  $\varepsilon$ .

If  $A$  is a matrix in  $\mathbb{C}^{r \times q}$  we denote by  $\|A\|$  its operator norm which may be computed by the square root of the maximum of the set

$$\{|z|: z \text{ eigenvalue of } A^H A\}$$

where  $A^H$  denotes the conjugate transpose of  $A$ , see [13, p. 21]. If  $f$  is a differentiable mapping  $f: E \rightarrow E$ , where  $E$  is a finite-dimensional Banach space, we denote by  $\|Df(x)\|$  the supremum of the set

$$\{\|(Df(x))(v)\|; v \in E, \|v\| \leq 1\}.$$

The open disk of radius  $r > 0$  centered at the origin of  $E$  is denoted by  $U_r$  and the corresponding closed disk is denoted by  $D_r$ . The set of all continuous linear mappings  $u: E \rightarrow E$ , endowed with the operator norm  $\|u\| = \sup \{\|u(x)\|; \|x\| \leq 1\}$  is a Banach space denoted by  $\mathcal{L}(E, E)$ .

If  $A$  is a matrix in  $\mathbb{C}^{p \times q}$ , then it follows from [5, p. 14] that

$$(1.2) \quad \max |a_{ij}| \leq \|A\| \leq \sqrt{pq} |a_{ij}|$$

## 2. THE INVERSE MAPPING AS THE SOLUTION OF A DIFFERENTIAL EQUATION DEPENDING ON PARAMETERS

We begin this section with a lemma which determines the neighbourhood where the differential equation satisfied by the inverse mapping is well stated.

**Lemma 2.1.** *Let  $E$  be a finite dimensional Banach space, let  $\Omega$  be an open set in  $E$  containing a closed disk  $D_r$  of radius  $r > 0$  centered at the origin of  $E$ , and let  $f: \Omega \rightarrow E$  be a differentiable mapping of class  $\mathcal{C}^2$  such that  $Df(0)$  is an isomorphism.*

(i) *Let  $M_0 = \sup \{\|D^2 f(y)\|; \|y\| \leq r\}$  and let  $r' > 0$  be defined by*

$$r' = \min \left\{ r, [2\|(Df(0))^{-1}\|M_0]^{-1} \right\}.$$

*Then for  $x \in U_{r'}$ ,  $Df(x)$  is an isomorphism and*

$$(2.1) \quad \sup \{\|(Df(z))^{-1}\|; \|z\| < r^{-1}\} \leq 2\|(Df(0))^{-1}\|.$$

(ii) Let us consider the mapping  $H: U_{r'} \longrightarrow \mathcal{L}(E, E)$  defined by  $H(x) = (Df(x))^{-1}$ . Then

$$(2.2) \quad \sup \{ \|H(x)\|; \|x\| < r' \} \leq 4M_0 \|(Df(0))^{-1}\|^2$$

where  $M_0$  is defined in (i).

Let  $\gamma > 0$  and let  $G: U_r \times U_\gamma \rightarrow E$  be defined by

$$(2.3) \quad G(x, v) = (Df(x))^{-1}(v).$$

Then  $G$  satisfies the Lipschitz condition

$$(2.4) \quad \|G(x, v) - G(y, v)\| \leq 4\gamma M_0 \|(Df(0))^{-1}\|^2 \|x - y\|; \quad x, y \in U_{r'}, \quad v \in U_\gamma.$$

P r o o f. (i) From the Mean Value Theorem [2, p. 158], if  $x \in U_r$  one gets

$$\|Df(x) - Df(0)\| \leq \|x\| M_0.$$

From the definition of  $r'$ , if  $\|x\| < r'$  it follows that

$$\|Df(x) - Df(0)\| < \|(Df(0))^{-1}\|^{-1}.$$

The perturbation lemma [3, p. 584] and the last inequality imply the invertibility of  $Df(x)$ .  $\square$

From the Banach lemma, the Mean Value Theorem and the definition of  $r'$  it follows that

$$\begin{aligned} \|(Df(x))^{-1} - (Df(0))^{-1}\| &\leq \|(Df(x))^{-1}\| \|(Df(0))^{-1}\| \|Df(x) - Df(0)\| \\ &< \|(Df(x))^{-1}\| \|(Df(0))^{-1}\| r' M_0, \\ \|\|(Df(x))^{-1}\| - \|(Df(0))^{-1}\|\| &< \|(Df(x))^{-1}\| \|(Df(0))^{-1}\| r' M_0, \\ \|(Df(x))^{-1}\| (1 - r' M_0 \|(Df(0))^{-1}\|) &< \|(Df(0))^{-1}\|, \\ \|(Df(x))^{-1}\| &< (1 - r' M_0 \|(Df(0))^{-1}\|)^{-1} \|(Df(0))^{-1}\| \\ &< 2 \|(Df(0))^{-1}\|. \end{aligned}$$

Thus (2.1) is proved.

(ii) Note that  $H(x) = (g_2 \circ g_1)(x)$ , where  $g_1: U_{r'} \longrightarrow \mathcal{L}(E, E)$  and  $g_2: \mathcal{L}(E, E) \rightarrow \mathcal{L}(E, E)$  are defined by  $g_1(x) = Df(x)$  and  $g_2(y) = y^{-1}$ , respectively. From Theorem 8.2.1 of [2, p. 149] it follows that  $H'(x) = g_2'(g_1(x)) \cdot g_1'(x)$ . Hence, from Theorem 8.3.2 of [2, p. 151] it follows that

$$(2.5) \quad \|g_2'(g_1(x))\| = \|g_2'(Df(x))\| \leq \|(Df(x))^{-1}\|^2.$$

Taking into account that  $g'_1(x) = D^2f(x)$ , from (2.5) we obtain that

$$(2.6) \quad \|H'(x)\| \leq \|(Df(x))^{-1}\|^2 \|D^2f(x)\|.$$

From (2.6) and (2.1) one gets (2.2).

Note that  $G(x, v) = (Df(x))^{-1}(v) = H(x)(v)$ . From the Mean Value Theorem and (2.2) it follows that

$$\begin{aligned} \|G(x, v) - G(x, y)\| &= \|H(x)(v) - H(y)(v)\| = \|[H(x) - H(y)](v)\| \\ &\leq \|H(x) - H(y)\| \|v\| \leq \|H(x) - H(y)\| \gamma \\ &\leq \sup \{\|H'(z)\|; \|z\| < r'\} \gamma \|x - y\|. \end{aligned}$$

From (2.6) and (2.1) one gets (2.4).

**Theorem 2.1.** *Let  $E$  be a finite-dimensional Banach space, let  $\Omega$  be an open set in  $E$  containing a closed disk  $D_r$  of radius  $r > 0$  centered at the origin of  $E$ . Let  $f: \Omega \rightarrow E$  be a differentiable mapping of class  $C^m$ ,  $m \geq 2$ , such that  $f(0) = 0$  and  $Df(0)$  is an isomorphism.*

(i) *Let  $r' > 0$  be defined by Lemma 2.1 and let us consider the differential system depending on parameters*

$$(2.7) \quad \frac{dx}{dt} = G(x, v); \quad x(0, v) = 0, \quad \|v\| < \gamma$$

where  $G(x, v)$  is defined by (2.3) and  $\gamma > 0$ . Let  $\delta$  be defined by

$$(2.8) \quad \delta = 2\|(Df(0))^{-1}\| r' [1 + 2r' M_0 \gamma \|(Df(0))^{-1}\|].$$

Then the system (2.7) has only one solution in the interval  $]-\delta, \delta[$ .

(ii) *Let  $\delta$  be defined by (2.8) and let  $\varepsilon = \gamma\delta/2$ . Then the function  $f: U_{r'} \rightarrow U_\varepsilon$  admits an inverse mapping  $g: U_\varepsilon \rightarrow U_{r'}$ , defined by*

$$g(v) = X(\delta/2, 2v/\delta), \quad v \in U_\varepsilon$$

where  $x(t, v)$  is the solution of (2.7).

**Proof.** (i) From Lemma 2.1,  $Df(x)$  is an isomorphism for  $x \in U_{r'}$ , and thus problem (2.7) is well stated. From Theorem 10.7.1, 10.7.3 and 10.7.4 of [2], for every  $x \in U_\gamma$  there exists a unique solution  $t \rightarrow x(t, v)$  of problem (2.7) of class  $C^{m-1}$  defined in  $]-\delta, \delta[$  such that

$$df(x(t, v)) \frac{\partial x(t, v)}{\partial t} = v.$$

Consequently,  $\frac{df(x(t,v))}{dt} = v$ , and then  $f(x(t,v)) = tv + \Phi(v)$ . Taking  $t=0$ , we conclude that  $\Phi = 0$  and

$$(2.9) \quad f(x(t,v)) = tv.$$

(ii) Let  $\delta$  be defined by (2.7) and let  $g(v) = x(\delta/2, 2v/\delta)$  for  $v \in U_\varepsilon$  with  $\varepsilon = \gamma\delta/2$ . From (2.9) it follows that

$$(f \circ g)(v) = f(x(\delta/2, 2v/\delta)) = v$$

and  $f \circ g = \text{Id}$ . Thus,  $g$  is a right inverse mapping of  $f$  of class  $\mathcal{C}^{m-1}$ , where  $g: U_\varepsilon \rightarrow U_r$ . Otherwise, as  $(Df)^{-1}$  is of class  $\mathcal{C}^{m-1}$ , the identity  $Dg = (Df)^{-1} \circ g$  shows that  $g$  is of class  $\mathcal{C}^m$  indeed. Furthermore, the equality  $f \circ g = \text{Id}$ , implies that  $Df(0) \circ Dg(0) = \text{Id}$ . Since  $Df(0)$  is an isomorphism, we conclude that  $Dg(0)$  is also an isomorphism. Thus we can apply the first part of the proof to the mapping  $g$ , obtaining a right inverse  $h$  for it, i.e.,  $g \circ h = \text{Id}$ , in an appropriate neighbourhood of the origin. From the equations  $f \circ g, g \circ h = \text{Id}$ , it follows that  $f = h$  and the result is proved.  $\square$

The following example shows the utility of the above theorem in the case where the inverse mapping is known.

**Example 2.1.** Let  $f: \mathfrak{R}^n \rightarrow \mathfrak{R}^n$  be the function  $f(x) = Ax$ , where  $x \in \mathfrak{R}^n$  and  $A$  is an invertible square matrix of order  $n$ . Since  $f'(x) = A$ , the corresponding differential system (2.7) takes the form

$$\frac{dx(t,v)}{dt} = A^{-1}(v), \quad x(0,v) = 0.$$

Integrating one gets  $x(t,v) = A^{-1}vt$ , and the solution  $x(t,v)$  is defined on the whole real line. Taking any values of  $r$  and of the corresponding  $\delta$  given by Theorem 2.1, the inverse mapping is

$$g(v) = x\left(\frac{\delta}{2}, \frac{2v}{\delta}\right) = A^{-1}v$$

### 3. APPROXIMATE INVERSE MAPPINGS AND ERROR BOUNDS

For the sake of clarity of presentation we summarize some results about the numerical solution of initial value matrix problems recently given in Section 2 of [9]. Let us consider the problem

$$(3.1) \quad Y'(t) = f(t, Y(t)), \quad Y(0) = Y_0 \in \mathbb{C}^{r \times q}, \quad 0 \leq t \leq b$$

where  $f: [0, b] \times \mathbb{C}^{r \times q} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^{r \times q}$  is bounded, continuous and satisfies the Lipschitz condition

$$(3.2) \quad \|f(t, P) - f(t, Q)\| \leq L\|P - Q\|,$$

which guarantees the existence of a unique continuously differentiable matrix function  $Y(t)$ , a solution of (3.1), [4, p. 99].

A one-step matrix method is a relationship of the form

$$(3.3) \quad Y_{n+1} - Y_n = h\{B_1 f_{n+1} + B_0 f_n\}, \quad n \geq 0$$

where  $B_0, B_1$  are matrices in  $\mathbb{C}^{r \times r}$  and  $Y_n, f_n = f(t_n, Y_n) \in \mathbb{C}^{r \times q}$ ,  $t_n = nh \in [0, b]$ ,  $h > 0$  and

$$(3.4) \quad B_0 + B_1 = I.$$

Let  $C_s$  be the matrix in  $\mathbb{C}^{r \times r}$  defined by

$$(3.5) \quad C_0 = 0; \quad C_1 = I - (B_0 + B_1) = 0; \quad \dots; \quad C_s = \frac{I}{s!} - \frac{B_1}{(s-1)!}; \quad s = 2, 3, \dots$$

The method (3.3)–(3.4) is said to be of order  $p$ , if in (3.5) we have  $C_0 = C_1 = \dots = C_p = 0$  and  $C_{p+1} \neq 0$ .

**Theorem 3.1.** ([9]) *Let us consider a one-step matrix method of the type (3.3)–(3.4) of order  $p \geq 1$ , and let  $h, \Gamma^*$  be positive constants defined by*

$$(3.6) \quad h < (L\|B_1\|)^{-1}, \quad \Gamma^* = (1 - hL\|B_1\|)^{-1},$$

where  $L$  is the Lipschitz constant given by (3.2). If  $G$  and  $D$  are given by

$$(3.7) \quad G = \|C_{p+1}\|, \quad D \geq \max\{\|Y^{p+1}(t)\|; \quad 0 \leq t \leq b\},$$

where  $Y(t)$  is the theoretical solution of (3.1), then the discretization error,  $e_n = Y(t_n) - Y_n$ , is upper bounded by the inequality

$$(3.8) \quad \|e_n\| \leq \Gamma^* h^p G D t_n \exp(\Gamma^* L B^* t_n), \quad n \geq 0.$$

**Example 3.1.** Let us consider the one-step matrix method

$$(3.9) \quad Y_{n+1} - Y_n = h f_n; \quad n \geq 0, \quad Y_0 = \Omega$$

where  $A_0 = I$ ,  $B_0 = I$ ,  $B_1 = 0$ . From (3.5) it follows that  $C_0 = C_1 = 0$  and  $C_2 = I/2$  and thus the method (3.9) is of order  $p = 1$ . In accordance with the notation of Theorem 3.1, we have  $C = \|C_2\| = 1/2$ ,  $\Gamma^* = 1$ ,

$$(3.10) \quad D_2 \geq \left\{ \|Y^{(2)}(t)\|; \quad t \in [0, b] \right\}$$

and the discretization error  $e_n$  verifies

$$(3.11) \quad \|e_n\| \leq \frac{h t_n D_2}{2} \exp(L t_n), \quad n \geq 0, \quad t_n = n h$$

From a practical point of view it is important to obtain the constant  $D_2$  in terms of the data because the theoretical solution  $Y(t)$  of problem (3.1) is not known. For the sake of clarity of presentation we recall the concept and some properties of the Kronecker product of matrices. If  $A = [a_{ij}] \in \mathbb{C}^{m \times n}$  and  $B = [b_{ij}] \in \mathbb{C}^{r \times s}$ , then the Kronecker product of  $A$  and  $B$ , denoted by  $A \otimes B$ , is the block matrix defined by

$$A \otimes B = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11}B & \dots & a_{1n}B \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ a_{m1}B & \dots & a_{mn}B \end{bmatrix}.$$

The column vector operator acting on the matrix  $A \in \mathbb{C}^{m \times n}$  is defined by

$$\text{vec}(A) = \begin{bmatrix} A_{.1} \\ \vdots \\ A_{.n} \end{bmatrix}, \quad A_{.k} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{1k} \\ \vdots \\ a_{mk} \end{bmatrix}.$$

If  $A \in \mathbb{C}^{m \times n}$ ,  $Y \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times r}$  and  $B \in \mathbb{C}^{r \times s}$ , then [6, p. 25], implies that

$$\text{vec}(AYB) = (B^T \otimes A) \text{vec} Y$$



where  $B^T$  is the transpose matrix of  $B$ . If  $Y = [y_{ij}] \in \mathbb{C}^{p \times q}$  and  $X = [x_{rs}] \in \mathbb{C}^{m \times n}$ , then [6, p. 62 and p. 81], yields

$$\frac{\partial Y}{\partial x_{rs}} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial y_{11}}{\partial x_{rs}} & \cdots & \frac{\partial y_{1q}}{\partial x_{rs}} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial y_{p1}}{\partial x_{rs}} & \cdots & \frac{\partial y_{pq}}{\partial x_{rs}} \end{bmatrix}; \quad \frac{\partial Y}{\partial X} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial x_{11}} & \cdots & \frac{\partial Y}{\partial x_{1n}} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial Y}{\partial x_{m1}} & \cdots & \frac{\partial Y}{\partial x_{mn}} \end{bmatrix}.$$

The chain rule for the derivative of a matrix  $Z = Y(X)$  with respect to a matrix  $X$ , with  $X \in \mathbb{C}^{m \times n}$ ,  $Y \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times r}$ ,  $Z \in \mathbb{C}^{p \times q}$ , takes the form [6, p. 88], [14]

$$(3.12) \quad \frac{\partial Z}{\partial X} = \left[ \frac{\partial [\text{vec } Y]^T}{\partial X} \otimes I_p \right] \left[ I_n \otimes \frac{\partial Z}{\partial \text{vec } Y} \right].$$

If we consider the theoretical solution  $x(t, v)$  of problem (2.7) in an interval  $[0, \delta^*]$  where  $\delta^* < \delta$  and  $\delta$  is defined by (2.8), then by virtue of (3.12) the second derivative of the solution  $x(t, v)$  of problem (2.7) takes the form

$$(3.13) \quad \frac{d^2 x(t, v)}{dt^2} = \left( [\text{vec}(Df(x(t, v)))]^{-1}(v) \right)^T \otimes I_n \frac{\partial (Df(x(t, v)))^{-1}(v)}{\partial \text{vec } X}$$

where  $n$  is the dimension of the Banach space  $E$ . Taking into account that [11, p. 439] yields

$$(3.14) \quad \|A \otimes B\| = \|A\| \|B\|$$

we obtain from Lemma 2.1, Theorem 2.1 and (3.12), (3.13), (3.14), that

$$(3.15) \quad \sup \left\{ \left\| \frac{d^2 x(t, v)}{dt^2} \right\|; 0 \leq t \leq \delta^* < \delta, \|v\| < \gamma \right\} \leq 8 \|(Df(0))^{-1}\|^3 M_0 \gamma^2.$$

Thus for the problem (2.7), the constant  $D_2$  appearing in (3.11) takes the form

$$(3.16) \quad D_2 = 8\gamma^2 \|(Df(0))^{-1}\|^3 M_0.$$

The following result summarizes the procedure for constructing approximate inverse mappings and its proof is a direct consequence of Lemma 2.1, Theorem 2.1 and (3.11), (3.16).

**Theorem 3.2.** *Let  $\gamma > 0$  and let  $E$  be a finite-dimensional Banach space, let  $\Omega$  be an open set in  $E$  containing a closed disk  $D_r$  of radius  $r > 0$  centered at the origin of  $E$ . Let  $f: \Omega \rightarrow E$  be a differentiable mapping of class  $\mathcal{C}^m$ ,  $m \geq 2$ , such that  $f(0) = 0$  and  $Df(0)$  is an isomorphism. Let  $\delta^* < \delta$  where  $\delta$  is defined by (2.8),*

let  $L = 4\gamma M_0 \|(Df(0))^{-1}\|^2$  and  $D_2 = 8\gamma^2 \|(Df(0))^{-1}\|^3 M_0$ . Let us consider the one step method

$$(3.17) \quad Y_{n+1} - Y_n = h [Df(Y_n)]^{-1} (v); \quad Y_0 = 0, \quad 0 \leq n \leq N - 1$$

where  $\gamma > 0$ ,  $h > 0$ ,  $v \in E$ ,  $\|v\| < \gamma\delta^*/2$  and  $N = [\delta^*/h] = 2p$  is an even integer.

Let us define the approximate inverse mapping  $\hat{g}(\cdot, h, \gamma): U_{\gamma\delta^*/2} \rightarrow U_{r'}$  by the expression

$$(3.18) \quad \hat{g}(v, h, \gamma) = Y_{N/2}(2v/\delta^*)$$

where  $r'$  is given by Lemma 2.1.

The error of  $\hat{g}$  with respect to the theoretical inverse mapping  $f^{-1}$  of  $f$  is upper bounded by the inequality

$$(3.19) \quad \|f^{-1}(v) - \hat{g}(v, h, \gamma)\| \leq h\gamma \|(Df(0))^{-1}\| K(\gamma) \exp[K(\gamma)]; \quad \|v\| < \gamma\delta^*/2$$

where

$$(3.20) \quad K(\gamma) = 4\gamma M_0 \|(Df(0))^{-1}\|^3 (1 + 2r' M_0 \gamma) \|(Df(0))^{-1}\| r'.$$

Given an admissible error  $\varepsilon > 0$ , taking  $h < \varepsilon [\gamma K(\gamma) \|(Df(0))^{-1}\| \exp(K(\gamma))]^{-1}$ , the corresponding approximate mapping  $\hat{g}(\cdot, h, \gamma)$  satisfies

$$(3.21) \quad \|f^{-1}(v) - \hat{g}(v, h, \gamma)\| < \varepsilon, \quad v \in U_{\gamma\delta^*/2}.$$

**Remark 3.1.** Note that by Theorem 3.2, for a given admissible error  $\varepsilon > 0$ , the error bound (3.19) as well as the domain of the inverse  $f^{-1}$  and of the approximate inverse  $\hat{g}(\cdot, h, \gamma)$  depend on the parameter  $\gamma$ . So, the required size of  $h$  and the domain of the inverse change if the parameter  $\gamma$  changes. This fact is illustrated by the next example.

**Example 3.2.** Let us consider the mapping  $f: \mathfrak{R}^{2 \times 2} \rightarrow \mathfrak{R}^{2 \times 2}$  defined by

$$(3.22) \quad f(X) = X^2 + X.$$

By Theorem 8.14 of [2, p. 148] it is easy to show that

$$(3.23) \quad \begin{aligned} Df(X) &: \mathfrak{R}^{2 \times 2} \rightarrow \mathfrak{R}^{2 \times 2}, \\ (Df(X))(V) &= XV + VX + V, \quad V \in \mathfrak{R}^{2 \times 2}, \quad X \in \mathfrak{R}^{2 \times 2}, \end{aligned}$$

It is clear that  $f(0) = 0$  and  $(Df(0))(V) = V$ . Thus  $Df(0)$  is an isomorphism, and the condition (1.1) is satisfied. Let us take  $r = 1$ , then in accordance with the notation of Lemma 2.1, Theorem 2.1 and Theorem 3.2 we have  $(Df(0))^{-1}(V) = V$  and

$$\begin{aligned} \|(Df(0))^{-1}\| &= 1, \quad M_0 = 3, \quad r' = 1/6, \quad L = 4\|(Df(0))^{-1}\|^2 M_0 = 12\gamma \\ \delta &= \frac{1}{3}(1 + \gamma), \quad D_2 = 24\gamma^2, \quad K(\gamma) = 2\gamma(1 + \gamma). \end{aligned}$$

Note that to compute the constant  $\delta$  appearing in (2.8) we need the expression of  $(Df(0))^{-1}$  which, by Lemma 2.1, is well defined for  $\|X\| < 1/6$ . From (3.22), if  $X, T$  are matrices in  $\mathfrak{R}^{2 \times 2}$  and  $\|X\| < 1/6$ , it follows that

$$\begin{aligned} (Df(X))(T) &= TX + XT + T = (X + I)T + TX \\ (Df(X))^{-1}((X + I)T + TX) &= T \end{aligned}$$

and in view of linearity

$$(X + I)(Df(X))^{-1}(T) + (Df(X))^{-1}(T)X = T.$$

If we denote  $A = (Df(X))^{-1}(T)$ , then it follows that  $A$  satisfies the Sylvester matrix equation

$$(3.24) \quad (X + I)A + AX = T.$$

Taking into account [8] and [1] or [12], we can write

$$\begin{aligned} (3.25) \quad A &= (Df(X))^{-1}(T) \\ &= [(1 + \operatorname{tr} X)T + TX - XT] [(1 + \operatorname{tr} X + |X|)I + (2 + \operatorname{tr} X)X + X^2]^{-1} \end{aligned}$$

where  $\operatorname{tr} X$  denotes the trace of  $X$  and  $|X|$  denotes the determinant of  $X$ . The one-step method (3.9) takes the form

$$(3.26) \quad X_{n+1} = h \sum_{j=0}^n (Df(X_j))^{-1}(V), \quad \|V\| < \delta^* \gamma / 2.$$

Taking  $N = 10$ , Table 1 shows the results obtained for different values of the parameter  $\gamma$  where  $E(\gamma, h) = 2h(1 + \gamma)\gamma^2 \exp(2\gamma(1 + \gamma))$ . The approximate inverse

mapping for different values of  $h$  is given by  $\hat{g}(V, h, \gamma) = \frac{2}{5}X_5$ .

$\gamma$	$\delta$	$h$	Error bound $E(\gamma, h)$
0.1	0.366666	0.036666	$1.0051685 \times 10^{-3}$
0.2	0.400000	0.040000	$6.205725 \times 10^{-3}$
0.3	0.433333	0.043333	$2.212012 \times 10^{-2}$
0.4	0.466666	0.046666	$6.407588 \times 10^{-2}$
0.5	0.500000	0.050000	$1.680633 \times 10^{-1}$

Table 3.1. Example 3.2

Using Mathematica, [15], for  $h = 0'0400$ ,  $\delta = 0'4$  and  $V = \begin{bmatrix} 0.01 & 0.01 \\ 0 & 0.01 \end{bmatrix}$  from (3.25) one gets the value of the approximate inverse at  $V$ ,

$$\hat{g}(V, 0'04, 0'2) = \frac{2}{0'4}X_5 = 5 \times 10^{-3} \begin{bmatrix} 1.99681 & 1.99363 \\ 0 & 1.99681 \end{bmatrix}.$$

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