

# Deflation acceleration for a domain decomposition preconditioner

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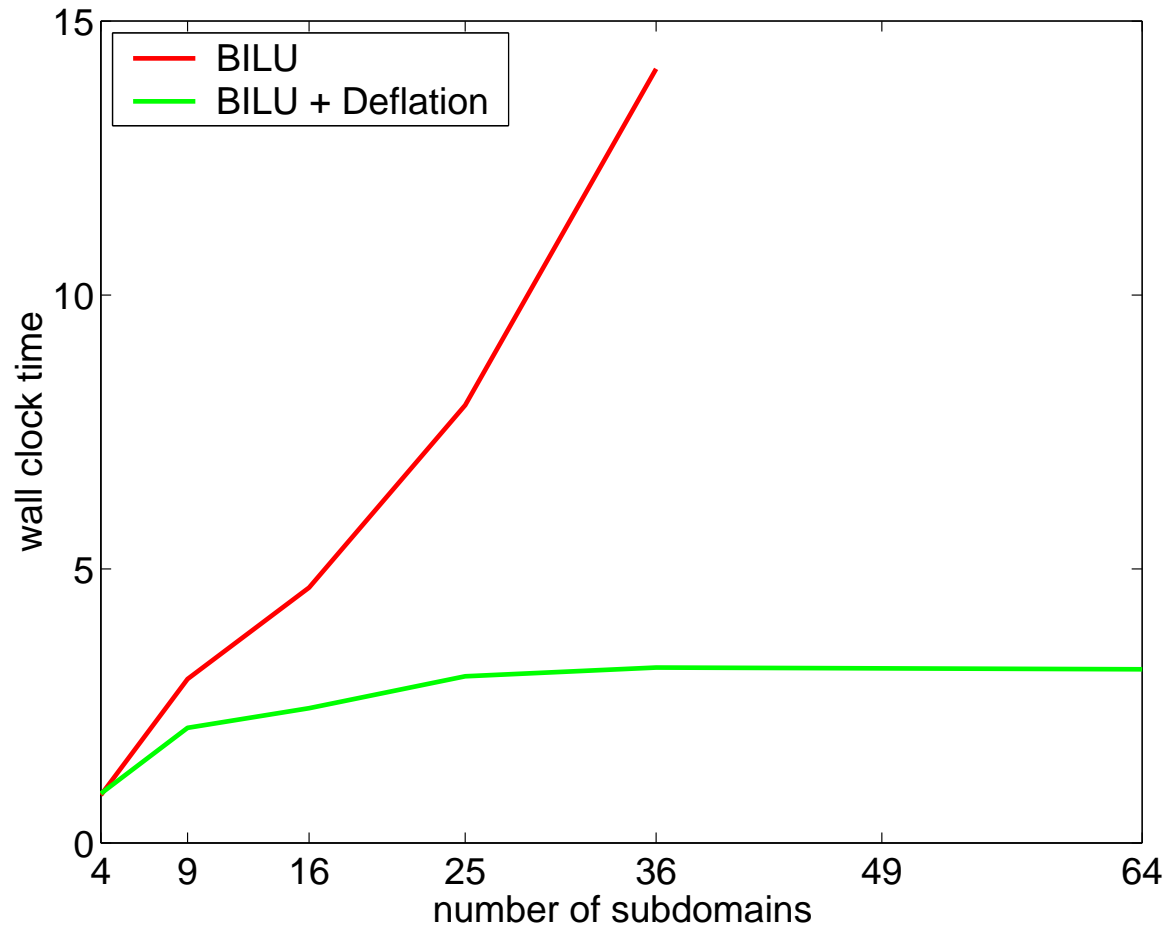
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Motivation

- large jumps in the coefficients
- domain decomposition/block preconditioners (parallel)
- IC preconditioners (serial)

# Parallel scalability

subdomain grid size  $50 \times 50$ , wall clock time, Cray T3E



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### Deflated CG and coarse grid projection vectors

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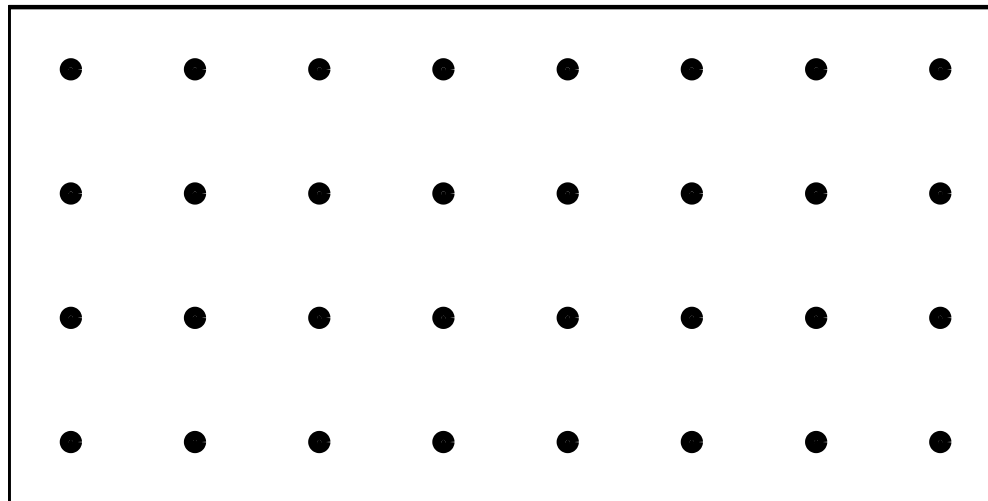
### Additive Coarse Grid Correction

Bramble, Pasciak and Schatz 1986, Dryja and Widlund 1991, Smith, Bjorstad and Gropp 1996, Benzi, Frommer, Nabben and Szyld 2001

### Balancing (Neumann-Neumann) preconditioner

Mandel 1993, Dryja and Widlund 1995, Mandel and Brezina 1996,  
Pavarino and Widlund 2002

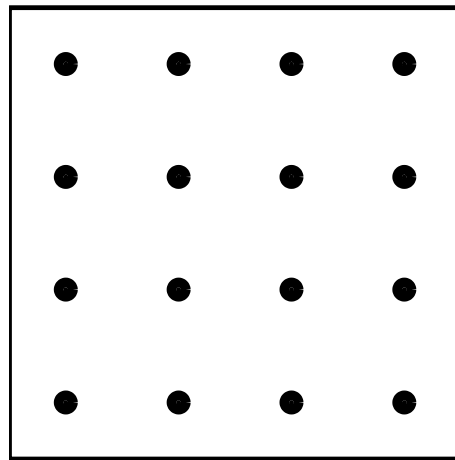
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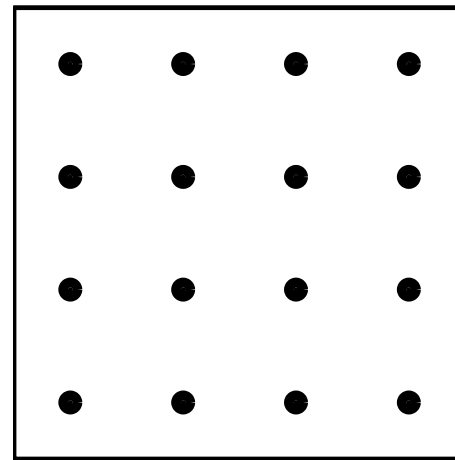
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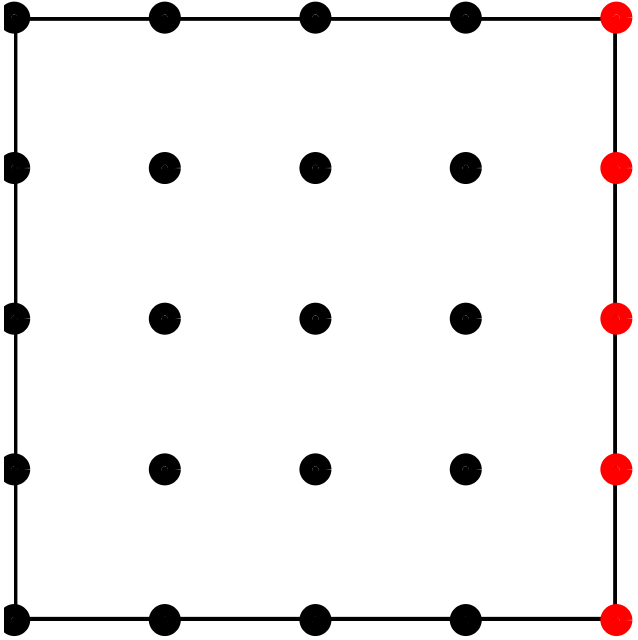
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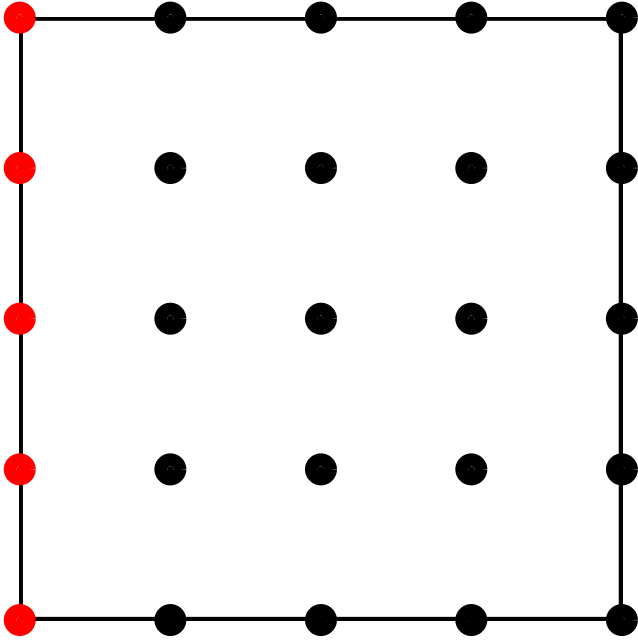
subdomain 2

$$\bar{\Omega} = \bigcup_{i=1}^m \bar{\Omega}_i$$

# Decomposition of a vertex centered domain (FEM)



subdomain 1



subdomain 2

## Matrix for cell centered domain

Block system:

$$\begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & \dots & A_{1m} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ A_{m1} & \dots & A_{mm} \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_m \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} b_1 \\ \vdots \\ b_m \end{pmatrix}$$

Subdomain block Jacobi matrix  $K(A) \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$

$$K(A) = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & A_{mm} \end{bmatrix}$$

## Preconditioner for cell centered domain

Preconditioner  $M \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} M_{11} & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & M_{mm} \end{bmatrix}$$

where  $M_{ii}$  is a rough estimate of  $A_{ii}$  (e.g. IC decomposition).

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We use  $x = (I - P_D^T)x + P_D^T x$

Compute both terms:

1.  $(I - P_D^T)x = Z(Z^T AZ)^{-1} Z^T Ax = Z(Z^T AZ)^{-1} Z^T b,$
2. Solve  $P_D A \tilde{x} = P_D b,$
3. Form  $P_D^T \tilde{x}$  (Theorem:  $P_D^T x = P_D^T \tilde{x}$ ).

*Identity  $P_D^T \tilde{x} = P_D^T x$*

$$P_D = I - AZ(Z^T AZ)^{-1}Z^T$$

We have

$$AP_D^T = P_D A, \quad P_D^T A^{-1} = A^{-1} P_D$$

$$AP_D^T \tilde{x} = P_D A \tilde{x} = P_D b$$

$$P_D^T \tilde{x} = A^{-1} AP_D^T \tilde{x} = A^{-1} (P_D A \tilde{x}) = A^{-1} (P_D b) = P_D^T A^{-1} b = P_D^T x$$

$\tilde{x}$  is not unique, but  $P_D^T \tilde{x}$  is unique.

## *Choice of projection vectors*

Choose projection vectors equal to coarse grid vectors

- $z_i = 1$  on  $\bar{\Omega}_i$
- $z_i = 0$  on  $\Omega \setminus \bar{\Omega}_i$



## Enlargement of the projection space helps

**Theorem** (Nabben and Vuik 2004)

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$$\begin{aligned}\lambda_n((I - AZ_1 E_1^{-1} Z_1^T)A) &\geq \lambda_n((I - AZ_2 E_2^{-1} Z_2^T)A) \\ \lambda_{r+1}((I - AZ_1 E_1^{-1} Z_1^T)A) &\leq \lambda_{s+1}((I - AZ_2 E_2^{-1} Z_2^T)A)\end{aligned}$$

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### Theorem (Tang and Vuik 2005)

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda_n(A) &\geq \lambda_n((I - AZ_1 E_1^{-1} Z_1^T)A) \\ \lambda_1(A) &\leq \lambda_{r+1}((I - AZ_1 E_1^{-1} Z_1^T)A)\end{aligned}$$

### 3. Comparison of Deflation and Additive Coarse Grid Correction

$$\begin{aligned} P_D &= I - AZE^{-1}Z^T & P_C &= I + \sigma ZE^{-1}Z^T \\ M^{-1}P_D &= M^{-1} - M^{-1}AZE^{-1}Z^T & P_{CM^{-1}} &= M^{-1} + \sigma ZE^{-1}Z^T \end{aligned}$$

where  $E = Z^T AZ$ .

Work per iteration:

- 1 matrix vector product
- 1 preconditioner vector product
- 1 coarse grid operator

# Comparison of Deflation and Additive Coarse Grid Correction

## Definition

Eigenpair  $\{\lambda_i, v_i\}$ , so  $Av_i = \lambda_i v_i$  with  $0 < \lambda_1 \leq \dots \leq \lambda_n$ .

Take  $Z = [v_1 \dots v_r]$ .

## Theorem

- the spectrum of  $P_D A$  is  $\{0, \dots, 0, \lambda_{r+1}, \dots, \lambda_n\}$

- the spectrum of  $P_C A$  is  $\{\sigma + \lambda_1, \dots, \sigma + \lambda_r, \lambda_{r+1}, \dots, \lambda_n\}$

# Comparison of Deflation and Additive Coarse Grid Correction

## Proof

Note that  $P_D A = (I - Z Z^T) A$ , so

$$\begin{aligned} P_D A v_i &= (I - Z Z^T) \lambda_i v_i = 0, & \text{for } 1 \leq i \leq r, \\ P_D A v_i &= (I - Z Z^T) \lambda_i v_i = \lambda_i v_i, & \text{for } r + 1 \leq i \leq n. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $P_C A = (A + \sigma Z Z^T)$  we obtain:

$$\begin{aligned} P_C A v_i &= (A + \sigma Z Z^T) v_i = (\lambda_i + \sigma) v_i, & \text{for } 1 \leq i \leq r, \\ P_C A v_i &= (A + \sigma Z Z^T) v_i = \lambda_i v_i, & \text{for } r + 1 \leq i \leq n. \end{aligned}$$

# Comparison of Deflation and Additive Coarse Grid Correction

## Corollary

$$\text{cond}_{eff}(P_D A) = \frac{\lambda_n}{\lambda_{r+1}} \leq \frac{\max\{\lambda_n, \sigma + \lambda_r\}}{\min\{\lambda_{r+1}, \sigma + \lambda_1\}} = \text{cond}(P_C A)$$

- The eigenvalues of  $P_C A$  has a worse distribution than the eigenvalues of  $P_D A$

## Conclusion

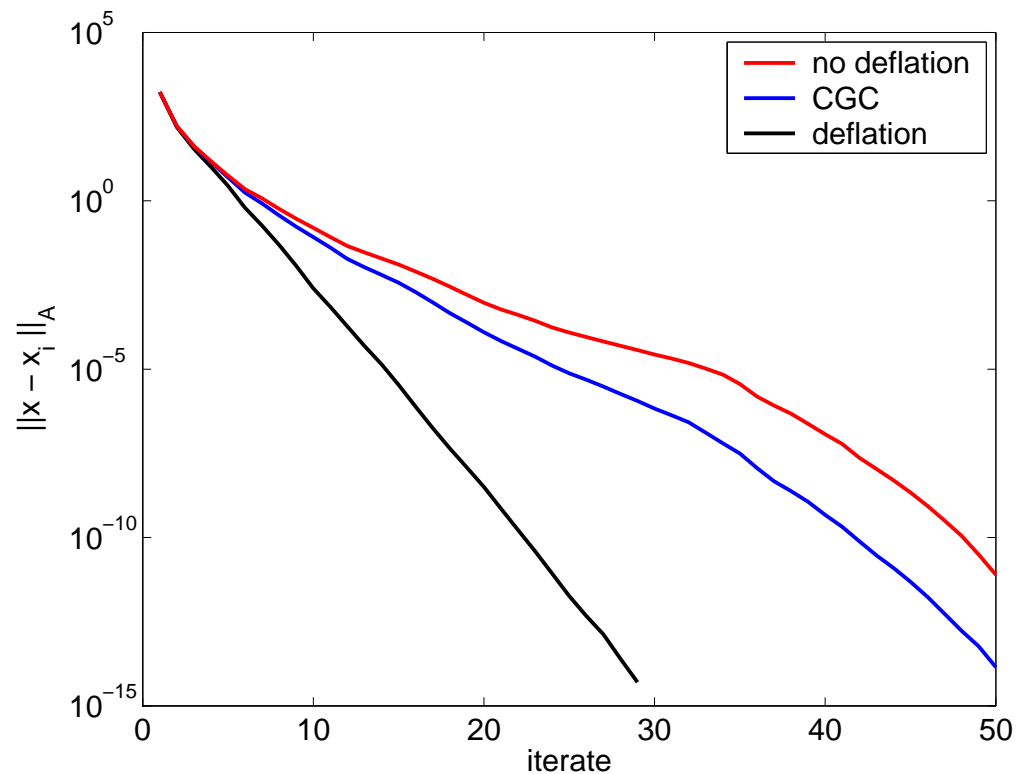
Deflation is asymptotically better than additive coarse grid correction!

This also holds for the preconditioning and general projection vectors

## Results for eigenvectors

The eigenvalues of  $A$  are  $1, 2, 3, \dots, 99, 100$ .

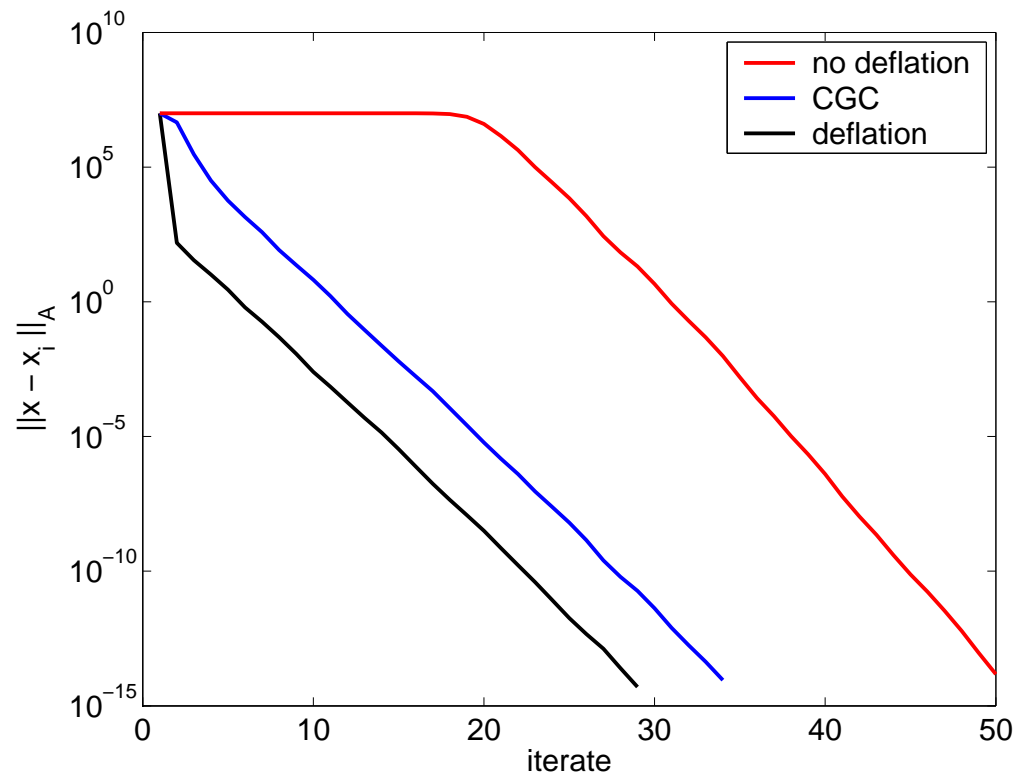
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## 4. Comparison of Deflation and the Balancing preconditioner

$$M^{-1}P_D = M^{-1} - M^{-1}AZE^{-1}Z^T$$

$$P_B = (I - ZE^{-1}Z^T A)M^{-1}(I - AZE^{-1}Z^T) + ZE^{-1}Z^T$$

$$P_B = P_D^T M^{-1} P_D + ZE^{-1}Z^T$$

Work per iteration:

	Deflation	Balancing (depends on implementation)
matrix vector product	1	3
preconditioner vector product	1	1
coarse grid operator	1	2

## Comparison of Deflation and the Balancing preconditioner

Take  $Z = [v_1 \dots v_r]$  and  $M = I$ .

### Theorem

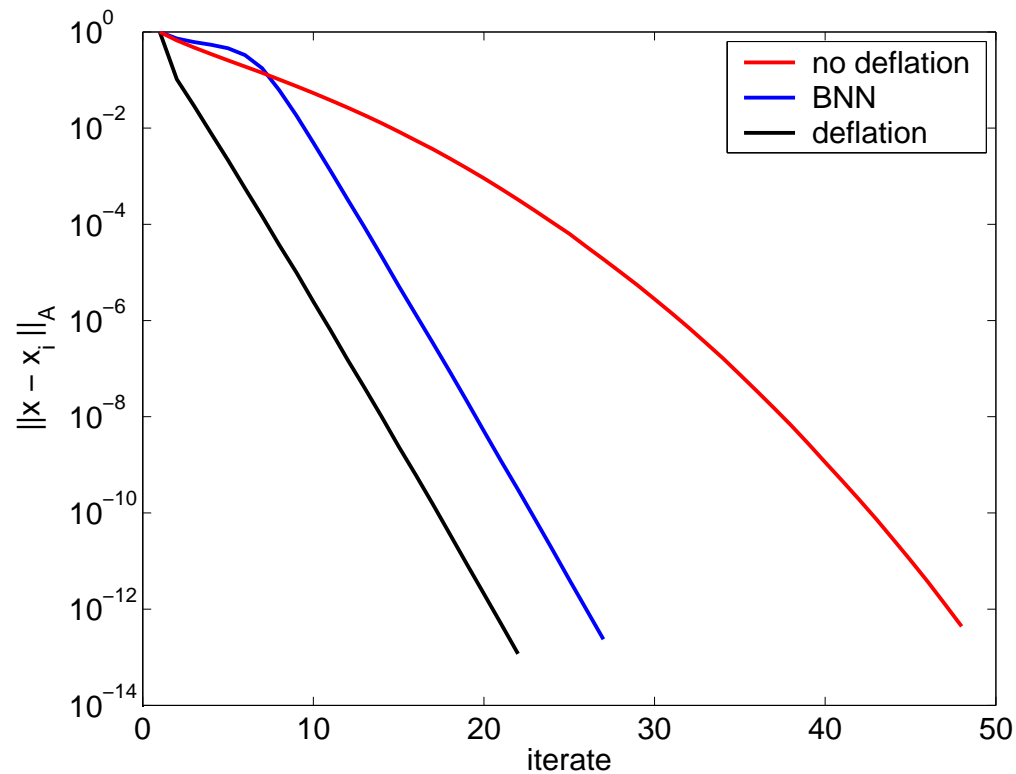
- the spectrum of  $P_D A$  is  $\{0, \dots, 0, \lambda_{r+1}, \dots, \lambda_n\}$
- the spectrum of  $P_B A$  is  $\{1, \dots, 1, \lambda_{r+1}, \dots, \lambda_n\}$

$$\text{cond}_{eff}(P_D A) = \frac{\lambda_n}{\lambda_{r+1}} \leq \frac{\max\{\lambda_n, 1\}}{\min\{\lambda_{r+1}, 1\}} = \text{cond}(P_B A)$$

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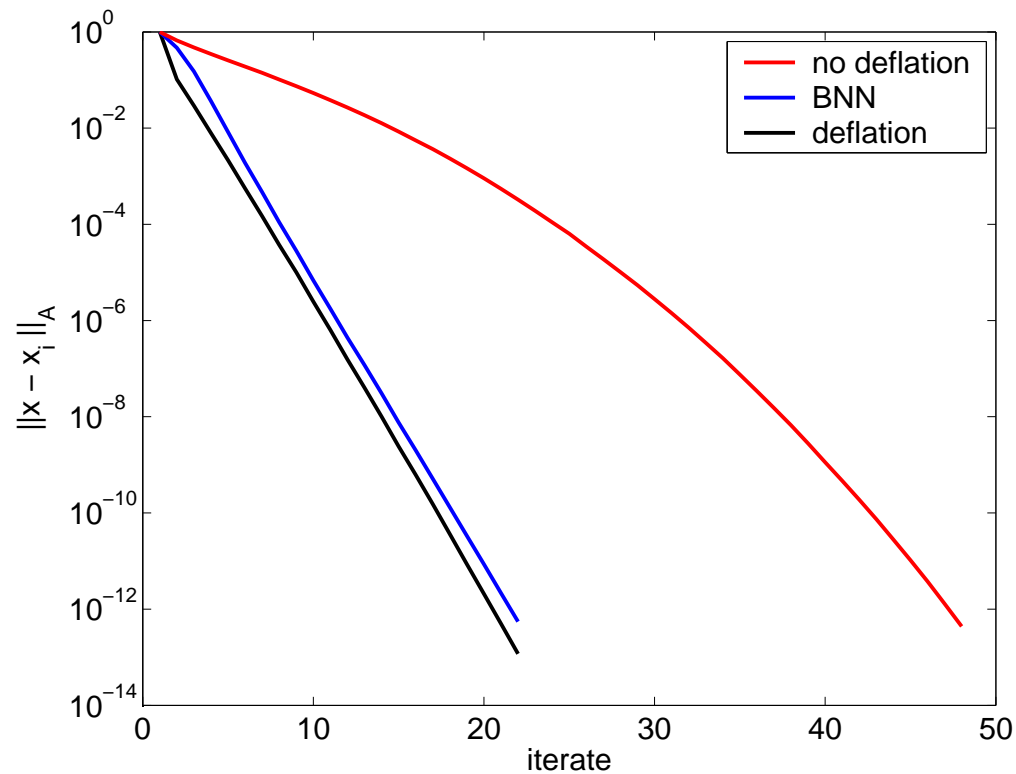
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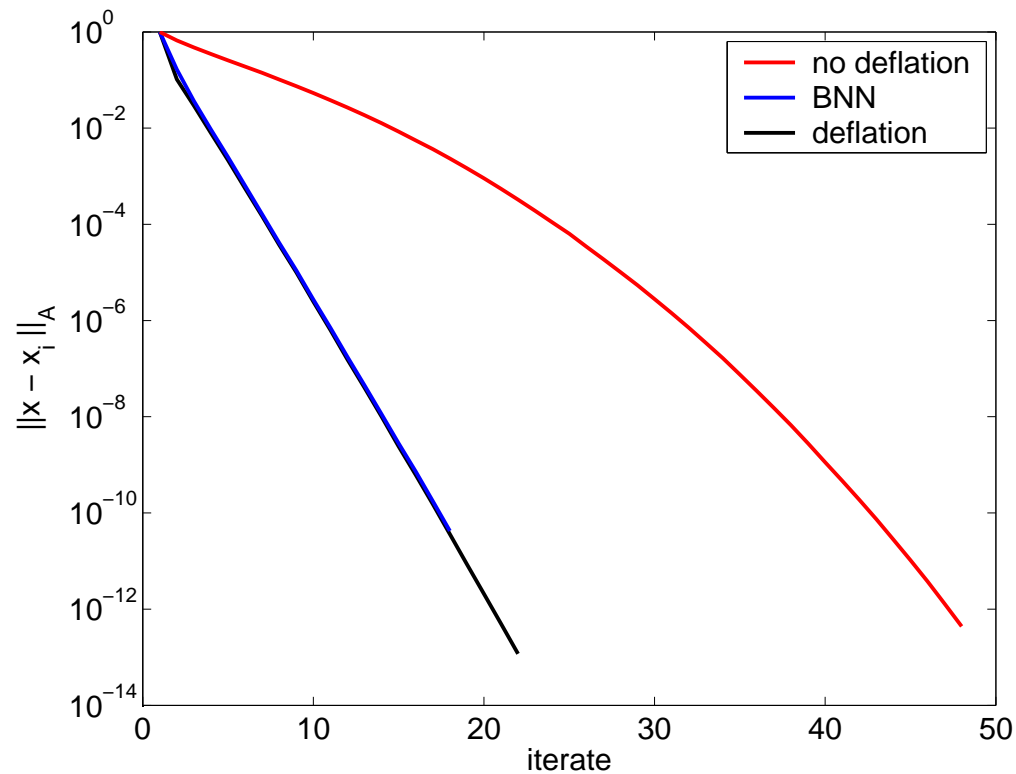
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The eigenvalues of  $A$  are  $0.01, 0.02, 0.03, \dots, 0.99, 1$ .



## 5. Deflation and multi grid?

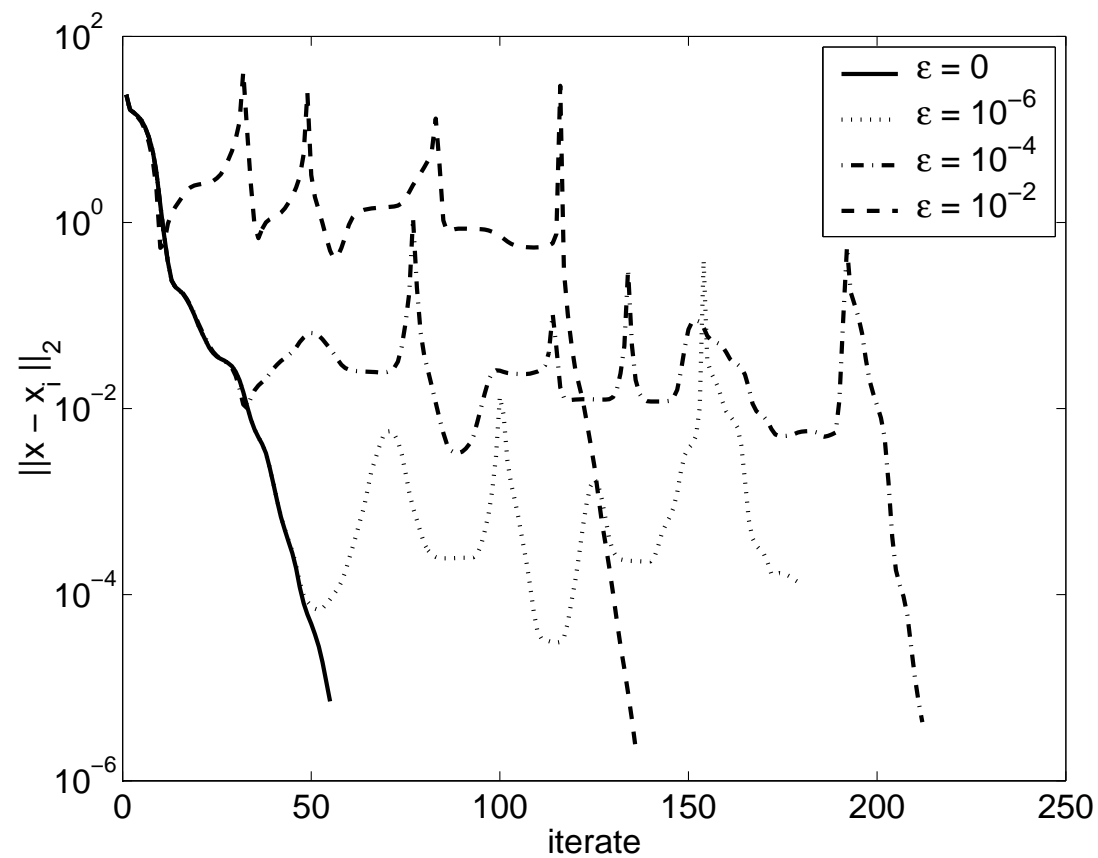
Is it possible to generalize the two grid Deflation approach to a multi grid Deflation?

Idea repeat the procedure on the small matrix  $E$ . Required accuracy of the inner iteration?

We replace  $E^{-1}$  by  $\tilde{E}^{-1} = (I + \epsilon R)E^{-1}(I + \epsilon R)$ , where  $R$  is a symmetric  $r \times r$  matrix with random elements chosen from the interval  $[-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}]$ .

# Deflation and multi grid?

Poisson problem with 7 projection vectors



## 6. Conclusions

- Block preconditioned Krylov methods combined with Deflation, CGC, or BNN are well parallelizable (scalable, good speed up)
- Deflation needs less iterations than additive coarse grid correction, and uses the same amount of work per iteration
- Deflation uses less (approximately the same) iterations as the Balancing preconditioner, but uses less work per iteration.
- Generalization of two grid Deflation to multi grid Deflation is not straightforward.



## *Further information*

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