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## Abstract

In this paper, a new preconditioner for solving periodic boundary systems based on block factorization is proposed. When the two-dimensional partial differential equations (briefly PDEs) with periodic boundary conditions for  $x$ -direction are discreted by the finite difference method, the linear systems with periodic boundary matrix elements (briefly PBEs) in diagonal blocks are obtained. For these systems, the basic ideas of this preconditioner are splitting PBEs from the diagonal block matrix by a rank-1 correction with the Sherman-Morrison formula. Several numerical results show this preconditioner gives faster convergence than the conventional one.

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## 1 Introduction

The discretization of PDEs by finite difference method leads to large and sparse linear systems

$$Ax = b. \tag{1.1}$$

Especially, under the periodic boundary conditions, the coefficient matrix  $A$  has PBEs (In this research, we call so). The PBEs means the matrix elements corresponding to the periodic boundary conditions generated by discretizing the PDEs. To solve these systems, various preconditioned iterative methods are applied to. For example, the preconditioned conjugate gradient (PCG) method [8] is used for symmetric systems and the preconditioned BiCGSTAB [11] for nonsymmetric systems. Here, preconditioners should be chosen to attain fast convergence. The “preconditioning” means the transformation of a linear system to a nearby system which is easier to solve than the given one [2][6]. When deciding on which preconditioner  $K$  to use, several issues must be considered, of which the most important are (i) resemblance between  $K^{-1}$  and  $A^{-1}$ , (ii) cost of construction  $K$  and (iii) cost of computing  $r' = K^{-1}r$  [2]. Here, the decided preconditioner  $K = K_L K_R$  is applied to (1.1), such that the preconditioned system

$$(K_L^{-1} A K_R^{-1})(K_R x) = (K_L^{-1} b) \tag{1.2}$$

is converged faster than the given system (1.1).

In this paper, a new preconditioner for linear systems that arise from PDEs with periodic boundary conditions is proposed. This preconditioner is based on the block preconditionings [1][4], and algebraically equivalent to the complete factorization to block diagonal matrices. Consequently, the

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convergence of the iterative methods with this preconditioner is improved much more than the incomplete factorization to diagonal block. Nevertheless, its calculating cost increases only a little for the incomplete one.

In section 2, physical model, the linear system and some typical solvers are presented.

In section 3, the conventional preconditioners are presented.

In section 4, a new preconditioner for linear systems that arise from periodic boundary problems is proposed, and in section 5, some numerical results show that this preconditioner improves the convergence and reduces the calculating time.

## 2 Model Problem and Numerical Solving

In this research, the diffusion-convection equation (2.1) in two-dimensional unit square domain  $\Omega = [0, 1] \times [0, 1]$

$$-\Delta u + v_x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + v_y \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = f, \quad (x, y) \in [0, 1] \times (0, 1), \quad (2.1)$$

$$u(0, y) = u(1, y), \quad (\text{periodic boundary conditions}), \quad (2.2)$$

$$u(x, 0) = g_0, \quad (\text{Dirichlet conditions}), \quad (2.3)$$

$$u(x, 1) = g_1, \quad (\text{Dirichlet conditions}) \quad (2.4)$$

is discussed. Here,  $v_x$  is the  $x$ -direction's convection term and  $v_y$  is the  $y$ 's one.

### 2.1 Coefficient Matrix

Eq.(2.1) is discretized by five-points central differences, with stepsize  $h = 1/(n+1)$  in each direction. Then, the coefficient matrix  $A$  is a sparse nonsymmetric matrix of size  $n(n+1) \times n(n+1)$  with PBEs.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} P_1 & C_1 & & & \mathbf{0} \\ B_2 & P_2 & C_2 & & \\ & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & \\ \mathbf{0} & & B_{n-1} & P_{n-1} & C_{n-1} \\ & & & B_n & P_n \end{bmatrix}, \quad (2.5)$$

where  $P_l, B_l, C_l$  ( $l = 1, 2, \dots, n$ ) are block matrices whose size is  $(n+1) \times (n+1)$ .

The block diagonal matrix is

$$P_l = \begin{bmatrix} d_1^{(l)} & b_1^{(l)} & & \mathbf{0} & p_1^{(l)} \\ a_2^{(l)} & d_2^{(l)} & b_2^{(l)} & & \\ & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & \\ q_m^{(l)} & \mathbf{0} & a_{m-1}^{(l)} & d_{m-1}^{(l)} & b_{m-1}^{(l)} \\ & & & a_m^{(l)} & d_m^{(l)} \end{bmatrix}, \quad (2.6)$$

which is tridiagonal matrix with PBEs. Here,  $p_1^{(l)}, q_m^{(l)}$  are PBEs of the  $l$ -th block, and  $m = n+1$ .  $B_l, C_l$  are diagonal matrices.

### 2.2 Iterative Methods

To these systems, the iterative methods with preconditioning are often used. When the coefficient matrix is symmetric, usually the PCG method is adopted [8, 9] (Algorithm 1).

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 $x_0$  : is initial guess,
 $r_0 = \mathbf{b} - A\mathbf{x}_0$ ,  $\mathbf{p}_0 = K^{-1}r_0$ ,
for  $k = 0, 1, \dots$ , until  $\|r_k\| \leq \varepsilon \|\mathbf{b}\|$  do:
begin
     $\alpha_k = \frac{(K^{-1}r_k, r_k)}{(\mathbf{p}_k, A\mathbf{p}_k)}$ ,
     $\mathbf{x}_{k+1} = \mathbf{x}_k + \alpha_k \mathbf{p}_k$ ,
     $\mathbf{r}_{k+1} = \mathbf{r}_k - \alpha_k A\mathbf{p}_k$ ,
     $\beta_k = \frac{(K^{-1}r_{k+1}, r_{k+1})}{(K^{-1}r_k, r_k)}$ ,
     $\mathbf{p}_{k+1} = K^{-1}r_{k+1} + \beta_k \mathbf{p}_k$ ,
end

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Algorithm 1 : Preconditioned CG

When the coefficient matrix is nonsymmetric, the PBiCGSTAB method is one of the most effective[11] (Algorithm 2).

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 $x_0$  : is initial guess,
 $r_0^* = K^{-1}(\mathbf{b} - A\mathbf{x}_0)$ ,
 $\mathbf{p}_0 = \mathbf{t}_0 = \mathbf{r}_0 = r_0^*$ ,
for  $k = 0, 1, \dots$ , until  $\|r_k\| \leq \varepsilon \|\mathbf{b}\|$  do:
begin
     $\alpha_k = \frac{(r_0^*, r_k)}{(r_0^*, K^{-1}A\mathbf{p}_k)}$ ,
     $\mathbf{t}_k = \mathbf{r}_k - \alpha_k K^{-1}A\mathbf{p}_k$ ,
     $\zeta_k = \frac{(K^{-1}A\mathbf{t}_k, \mathbf{t}_k)}{(K^{-1}A\mathbf{t}_k, K^{-1}A\mathbf{t}_k)}$ ,
     $\mathbf{x}_{k+1} = \mathbf{x}_k + \alpha_k \mathbf{p}_k + \zeta_k \mathbf{t}_k$ ,
     $\mathbf{r}_{k+1} = \mathbf{t}_k - \zeta_k K^{-1}A\mathbf{t}_k$ ,
     $\beta_k = \frac{\alpha_k (r_0^*, r_{k+1})}{\zeta_k (r_0^*, r_k)}$ ,
     $\mathbf{p}_{k+1} = \mathbf{r}_{k+1} + \beta_k (\mathbf{p}_k - \zeta_k K^{-1}A\mathbf{p}_k)$ ,
end

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Algorithm 2 : Preconditioned Bi-CGSTAB

In these algorithms, the matrix  $K$  is the preconditioner. Usually, the preconditioning step is calculated as solving the system,  $\mathbf{s}' = K^{-1}\mathbf{s}$  in each iteration step. This nearby problem is solved repeatedly (with appropriately chosen right-hand-side vectors  $\mathbf{b}$ ) in such a way that the solution to the original problem can be obtained in the limit[3].

The details of the preconditioner are explained in the next section.

### 3 Conventional Preconditioning

#### 3.1 Block Preconditioner

The block preconditioner  $K$  is defined as follows:

$$K = \begin{bmatrix} K_1 & & & & \mathbf{0} \\ & K_2 & & & \\ & & \ddots & & \\ \mathbf{0} & & & K_{n-1} & \\ & & & & K_n \end{bmatrix}, \quad (3.1)$$

where  $K_l$ 's are block matrices with size  $(n+1) \times (n+1)$ .

By block preconditioning for (2.5),  $K_l$  is assigned for diagonal block (2.6) [4]. Usually  $K_l$  is generated with the incomplete Cholesky (IC) factorization for symmetric, or the incomplete LU (ILU) factorization for nonsymmetric in order to decrease its calculating costs[5]. In other words, the incomplete factorization without *fill-in* is done. Fill-in is the behavior that the zero elements of original matrix change into non-zero by an exact factorization. That is to say,

$$K_l^{-1} \approx P_l^{-1}. \quad (3.2)$$

Then, the factorization is as follows:

$$K_l = \begin{bmatrix} \delta_1^{(l)} & & & & \mathbf{0} \\ a_2^{(l)} & \delta_2^{(l)} & & & \\ & \ddots & \ddots & & \\ & & a_{m-1}^{(l)} & \delta_{m-1}^{(l)} & \\ q_m^{(l)} & & & a_m^{(l)} & \delta_m^{(l)} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \delta_1^{(l)} & b_1^{(l)} & & & p_1^{(l)} \\ & \delta_2^{(l)} & b_2^{(l)} & & \\ & & \ddots & \ddots & \\ \mathbf{0} & & & \delta_{m-1}^{(l)} & b_{m-1}^{(l)} \\ & & & & \delta_m^{(l)} \end{bmatrix}. \quad (3.3)$$

On the other hand, from a convergence point of view,

$$K_l^{-1} = P_l^{-1} \quad (3.4)$$

brings better convergence than (3.2) [4]. Namely this is algebraically equivalent to the complete factorization to diagonal blocks.

$$K_l = \begin{bmatrix} \delta_1^{(l)} & & & & \mathbf{0} \\ a_2^{(l)} & \delta_2^{(l)} & & & \\ & \ddots & \ddots & & \\ & & a_{m-1}^{(l)} & \delta_{m-1}^{(l)} & \\ q_1^{(l)} & \star & \star & \rho_m^{(l)} & \delta_m^{(l)} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \delta_1^{(l)} & b_1^{(l)} & & & p_1^{(l)} \\ & \delta_2^{(l)} & b_2^{(l)} & & \star \\ & & \ddots & \ddots & \star \\ \mathbf{0} & & & \delta_{m-1}^{(l)} & \rho_{m-1}^{(l)} \\ & & & & \delta_m^{(l)} \end{bmatrix}, \quad (3.5)$$

where “ $\star$ ” means the non-zero element by fill-in.

However, this costs more flops.

### 4 New Preconditioner

In this research, a new preconditioner is proposed. This preconditioner satisfies eq.(3.4), but the cost of this new preconditioner increases little to one of the incomplete factorization.

On one-dimensional periodic boundary problems, the way for the direct method had always been proposed[12]. In this research, this way is developed as a preconditioner of two-dimensional systems. The detail is as follows:

## 4.1 Splitting PBEs as the Correction Term

Firstly, PBEs are split from the original  $K_l$ . Then the first and the last elements of the diagonal are corrected.

$$\begin{aligned}
K_l &= \begin{bmatrix} d_1^{(l)} - p_1^{(l)} & b_1^{(l)} & & & 0 \\ a_2^{(l)} & d_2^{(l)} & b_2^{(l)} & & \\ & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & \\ 0 & & a_{m-1}^{(l)} & d_{m-1}^{(l)} & b_{m-1}^{(l)} \\ & & & a_m^{(l)} & d_m^{(l)} - q_m^{(l)} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} p_1^{(l)} & 0 & \dots & 0 & p_1^{(l)} \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ q_m^{(l)} & 0 & \dots & 0 & q_m^{(l)} \end{bmatrix} \\
&= T_l + \begin{bmatrix} p_1^{(l)} \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ q_m^{(l)} \end{bmatrix} [1 \ 0 \ \dots \ 0 \ 1] \\
&= T_l + u_l v_l^T.
\end{aligned} \tag{4.1}$$

Consequently,  $K_l$  is split as tridiagonal matrix and the rank-1 matrix made up with PBEs. The latter is represented as the correction term by two vectors' product.

By using (4.1), the residual vector  $r_l$  updated by preconditioning is represented as  $r'_l$ . That is

$$r'_l = K_l^{-1} r_l = (T_l + u_l v_l^T)^{-1} r_l. \tag{4.2}$$

## 4.2 Applying to the Sherman-Morrison Formula

For solving eq.(4.2), the Sherman-Morrison formula [7]

$$\begin{aligned}
(T + uv^T)^{-1} &= T^{-1} - T^{-1}u(1 + v^T T^{-1}u)^{-1}v^T T^{-1}, \\
T &\in R^{m \times m}, \quad u, v \in R^m
\end{aligned} \tag{4.3}$$

is applied to. Then, eq.(4.2) can be rewritten as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
r'_l &= T_l^{-1} r_l - T_l^{-1} u_l (1 + v_l^T T_l^{-1} u_l)^{-1} v_l^T T_l^{-1} r_l \\
&= y_l - z_l (1 + v_l^T z_l)^{-1} v_l^T y_l \\
&= y_l - z'_l [1 \ 0 \ \dots \ 0 \ 1] \begin{bmatrix} y_1^{(l)} \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ y_m^{(l)} \end{bmatrix} \\
&= y_l - (y_1^{(l)} + y_m^{(l)}) z'_l.
\end{aligned} \tag{4.4}$$

Here,

$$y_l = T_l^{-1} r_l \tag{4.5}$$

$$\equiv [y_1^{(l)} \ y_2^{(l)} \ \dots \ y_m^{(l)}]^T,$$

$$z_l = T_l^{-1} u_l, \tag{4.6}$$

$$z'_l = z_l (1 + v_l^T z_l)^{-1}. \tag{4.7}$$

From the fact mentioned above, solving (4.2) is changed into solving (4.4). This calculating cost is less than the complete factorization for the diagonal block. Because, on the linear equations (4.5) (4.6),

those coefficient matrix  $T_l$  is tridiagonal without PBEs. Furthermore, eq.(4.6)(4.7) are sufficient to compute only one time at the first iteration step, because the  $u_l, v_l$  are invariant vectors for iterations. Therefore each iteration step's computation is to solve (4.5), and (4.4) with slightly amount of flop.

In this research, this preconditioner is named the "Splitting Correction (SC)".

On the ratio of flop per iteration, the incomplete factorization for the diagonal block is set 1.00, then the SC is 1.18 and the complete factorization for the diagonal block is 1.55.

## 5 Numerical Results

In numerical examination, some linear systems based on physical problem (2.1) was examined and the analysis solution was  $u(x, y) = \sin(2\pi(x + y))$  in all cases.

For the coefficient matrix by discretizing this problem, the comparison between the conventional incomplete factorization and the SC was done by evaluating of convergence and CPU time.

Experiments were carried out in double precision and executed on IBM RS/6000 SP 1PE RISC processor. Compiler is xlf based on Fortran77. In all cases, the iterations were started with  $x_0=0$ , and stopped when  $\|r_k\|_2/\|r_0\|_2 \leq 10^{-12}$ .

### 5.1 Symmetric Problems

The Poisson's equation was discussed. The respective parameters of eq.(2.1) were set as  $v_x = 0.0, v_y = 0.0$ . Since this coefficient matrix was symmetric, the CG method was adopted as solver and the IC factorization was compared as the conventional preconditioner. Namely, the effect of block preconditioning by the conventional IC and the SC was compared. Calculating models were  $65 \times 64, 97 \times 96$  and  $129 \times 128$  (grid size).

Figure 1~ 3 are the performance of  $\log$  scaled relative residual 2-norm.

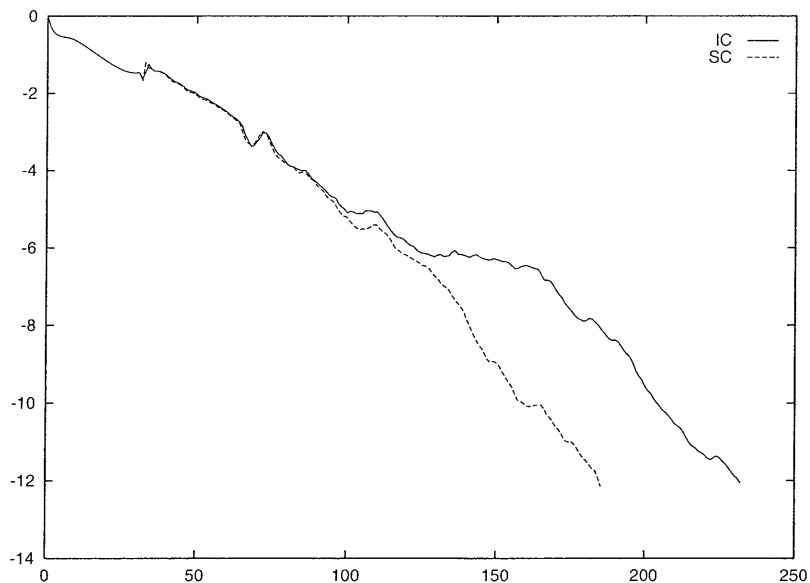


Figure 1: Performance of convergence between IC and SC preconditioner ( $65 \times 64$ ).

Table 1 shows a summary of the iteration number and CPU time for each model.

These results show the using SC had faster convergence than the using conventional IC preconditioner. On the calculating time, the using SC is about 20% shorter.

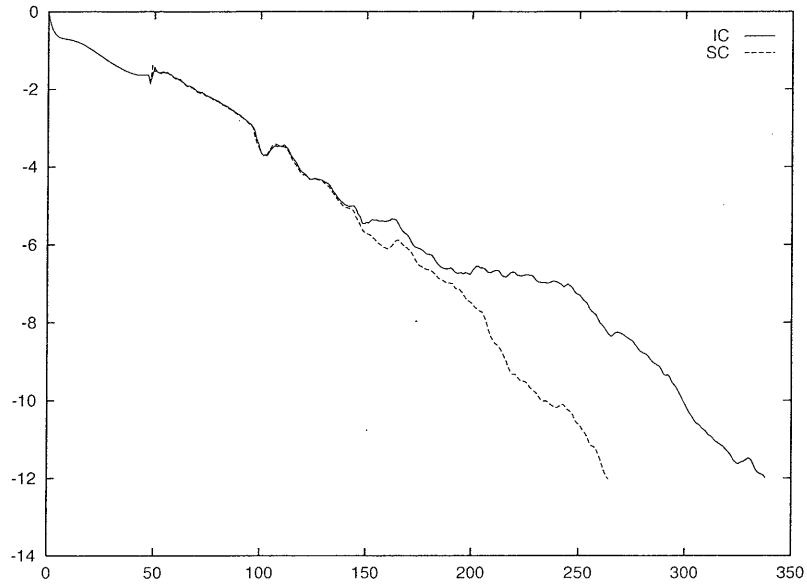


Figure 2: Performance of convergence between IC and SC preconditioner ( $97 \times 96$ ).

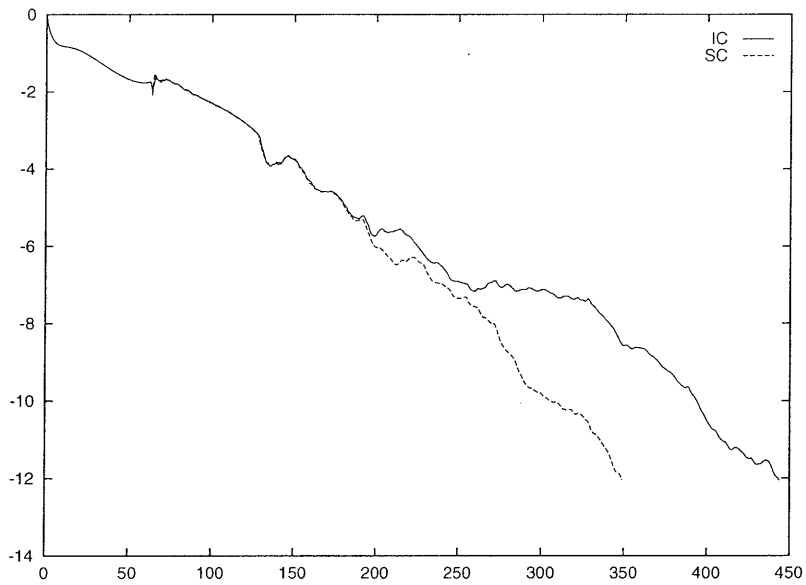


Figure 3: Performance of convergence between IC and SC preconditioner ( $129 \times 128$ ).

Table 1: The number of iterations until convergence for symmetric problem (CPU time[sec]).

grid size	$65 \times 64$	$97 \times 96$	$129 \times 128$
IC	232(1.43)	338(4.53)	444(10.23)
SC	185(1.15)	264(3.56)	349( 8.32)
SC/IC [%]	79.7(80.4)	78.1(78.6)	78.6(81.3)



## 5.2 Nonsymmetric Problems

The diffusion-convection equation was discussed. The respective parameters of eq.(2.1) were set as  $v_x = (0.0, 0.1, 0.5, 1.0, 5.0, 10.0)$ ,  $v_y = (0.0, 0.1, 0.5, 1.0, 5.0, 10.0)$ . Since these coefficient matrices were nonsymmetric, the BiCGSTAB method was adopted as solver and the ILU factorization was compared as the conventional preconditioner. Namely, the effect of block preconditioning by the conventional ILU and the SC was compared. Calculating models were  $65 \times 64$  (grid size) in all cases.

Figure 4~ 6 are the performance of *log* scaled relative residual 2-norm about  $(v_x, v_y) = (0.0, 1.0)$ ,  $(1.0, 0.0)$ ,  $(1.0, 1.0)$  cases and others are shown at Appendix A.

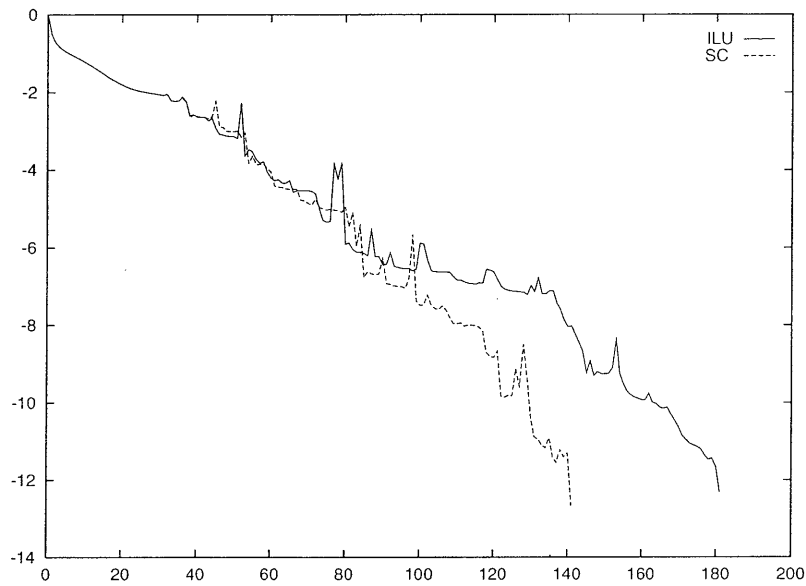


Figure 4: Performance of convergence between ILU and SC preconditioner ( $v_x = 0.0, v_y = 1.0$ ).

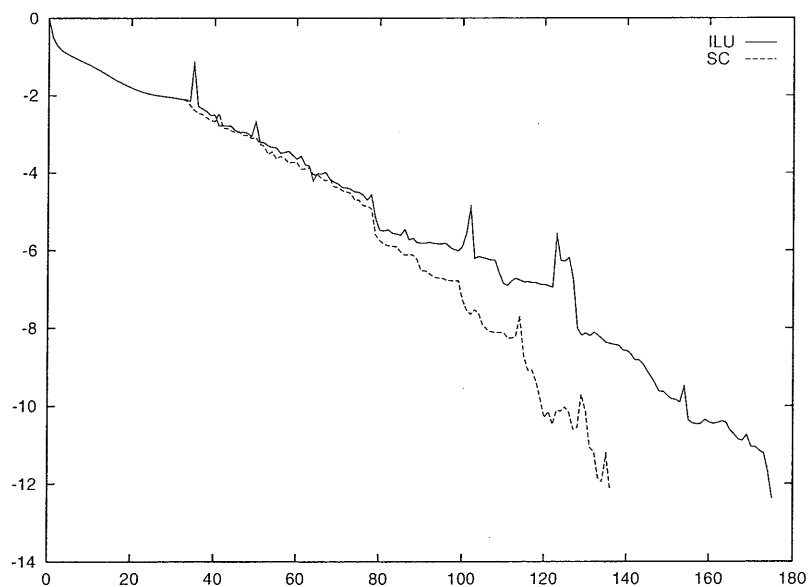


Figure 5: Performance of convergence between ILU and SC preconditioner ( $v_x = 1.0, v_y = 0.0$ ).

Table 2 shows a summary of the iteration number and CPU time for each model.

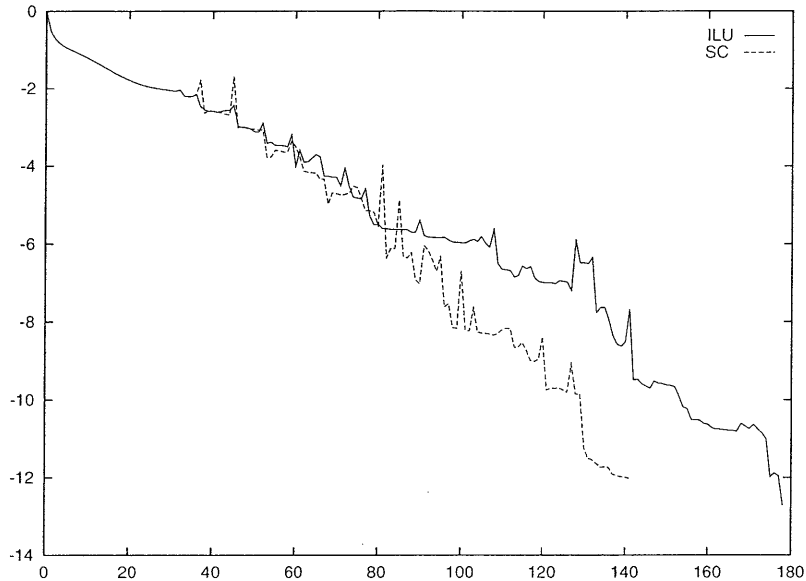


Figure 6: Performance of convergence between ILU and SC preconditioner ( $v_x = 1.0, v_y = 1.0$ ).

Table 2: The number of iterations until convergence for nonsymmetric problem (CPU time[sec]).

grid size ( $v_x, v_y$ )	$65 \times 64$ (0.0, 1.0)	$65 \times 64$ (1.0, 0.0)	$65 \times 64$ (1.0, 1.0)
ILU	181(4.37)	175(4.21)	178(4.32)
SC	141(3.43)	136(3.37)	141(3.49)
SC/ILU[%]	77.9(78.5)	77.7(80.0)	79.2(80.8)

These results show the using SC had faster convergence than the using conventional ILU preconditioner. On the calculating time, the using SC is about 20% shorter.

## 6 Conclusion

In this paper, we have proposed a new preconditioner “Splitting Correction (SC)” that is for solving the linear systems that arise from periodic boundary problems.

This preconditioner is based on the idea of the blockwise complete factorization. This method costs less than the blockwise complete one and increases only a little more than the blockwise incomplete one. Some numerical results show the SC improves the convergence than the using incomplete Cholesky factorization.

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## A Other Numerical Results for the Nonsymmetric Problems

In this section, the several numerical results for eq.(2.1) are shown and are size of  $65 \times 64$  (grid size). In these case, the parameters were set as  $v_x = 0.0, 0.1, 0.5, 1.0, 5.0, 10.0$ ,  $v_y = 0.0, 0.1, 0.5, 1.0, 5.0, 10.0$ .

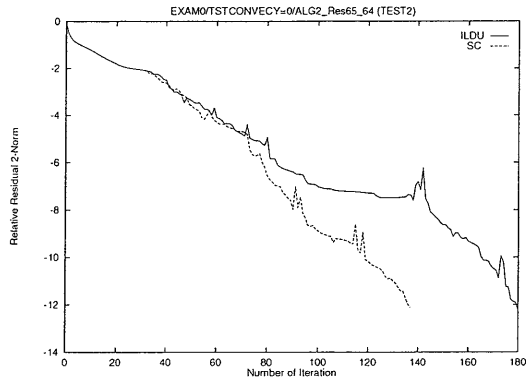


Figure 7:  $65 \times 64 : v_x = 0.0, v_y = 0.0$

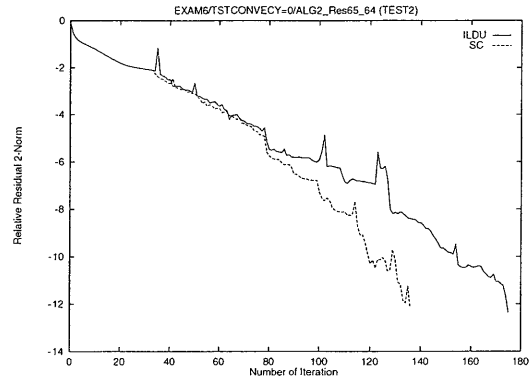


Figure 10:  $65 \times 64 : v_x = 1.0, v_y = 0.0$

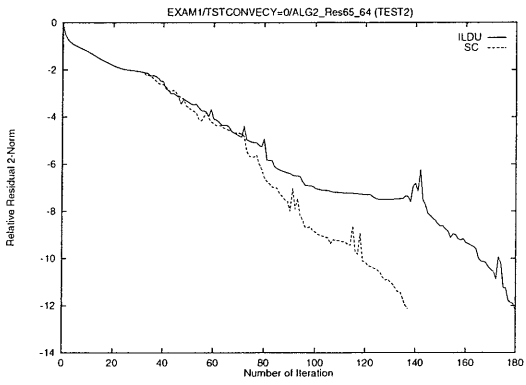


Figure 8:  $65 \times 64 : v_x = 0.1, v_y = 0.0$

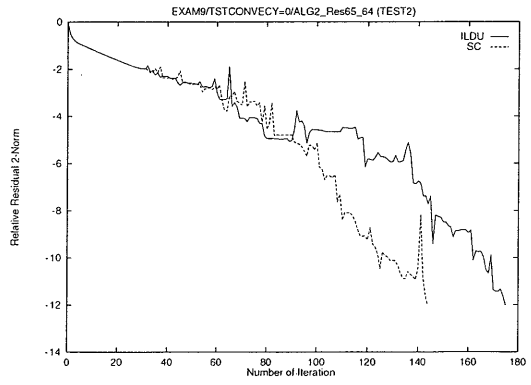


Figure 11:  $65 \times 64 : v_x = 5.0, v_y = 0.0$

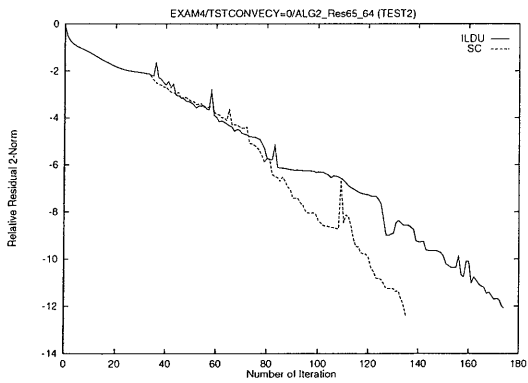


Figure 9:  $65 \times 64 : v_x = 0.5, v_y = 0.0$

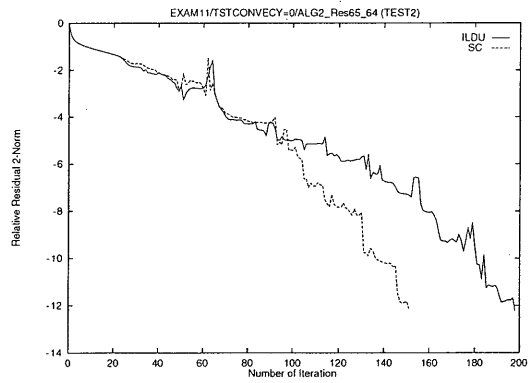


Figure 12:  $65 \times 64 : v_x = 10.0, v_y = 0.0$

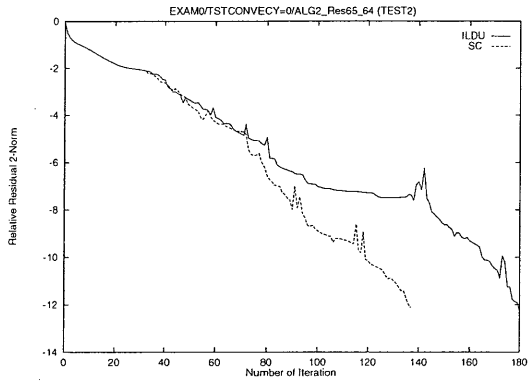


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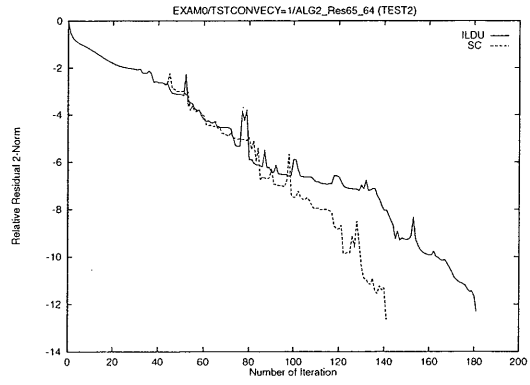


Figure 16:  $65 \times 64 : v_x = 0.0, v_y = 1.0$

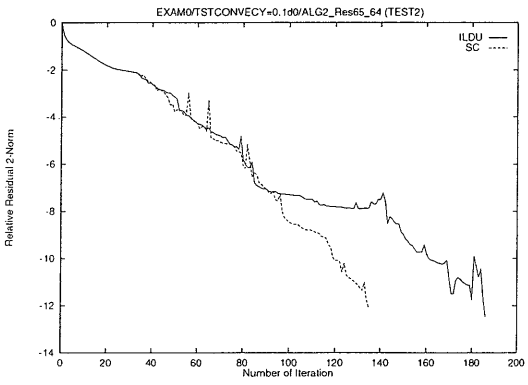


Figure 14:  $65 \times 64 : v_x = 0.0, v_y = 0.1$

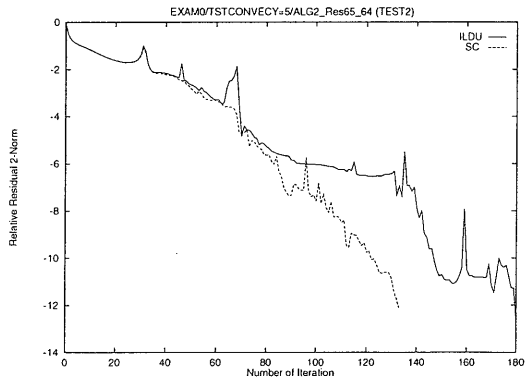


Figure 17:  $65 \times 64 : v_x = 0.0, v_y = 5.0$

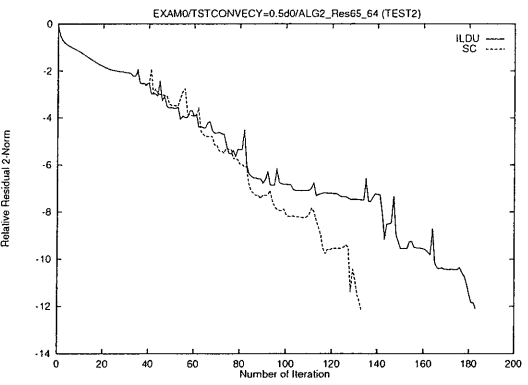


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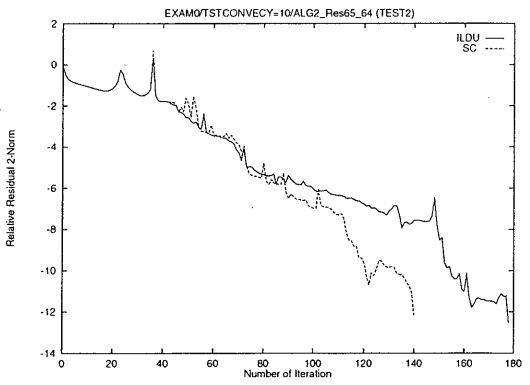


Figure 18:  $65 \times 64 : v_x = 0.0, v_y = 10.0$

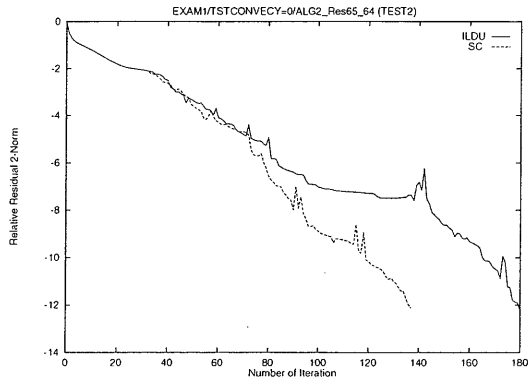


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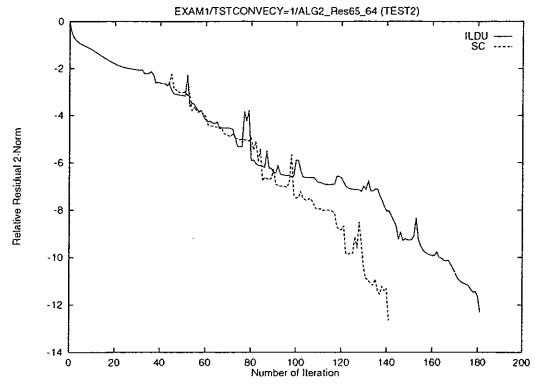


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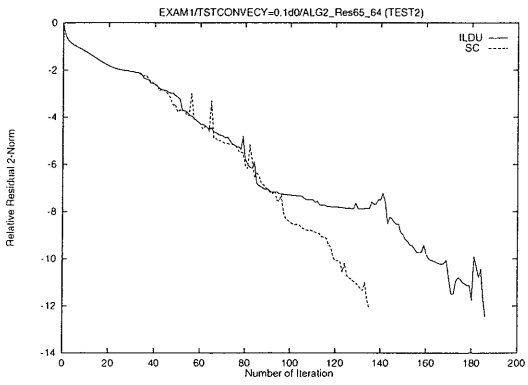


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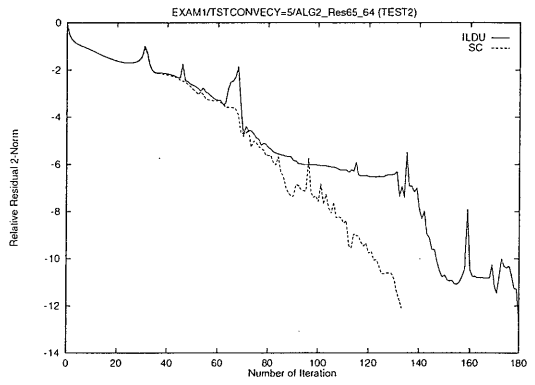


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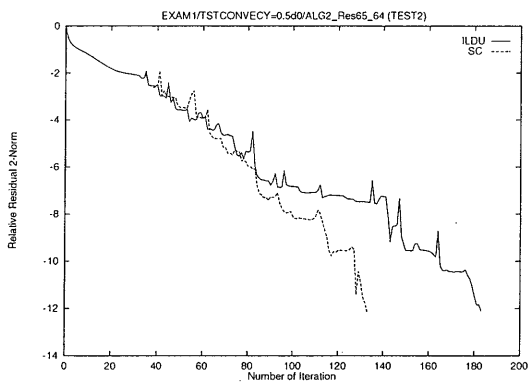


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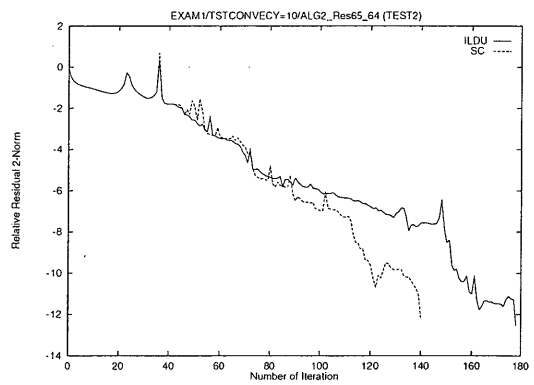


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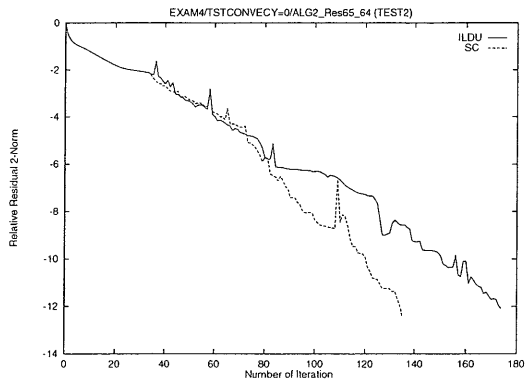


Figure 25:  $65 \times 64 : v_x = 0.5, v_y = 0.0$

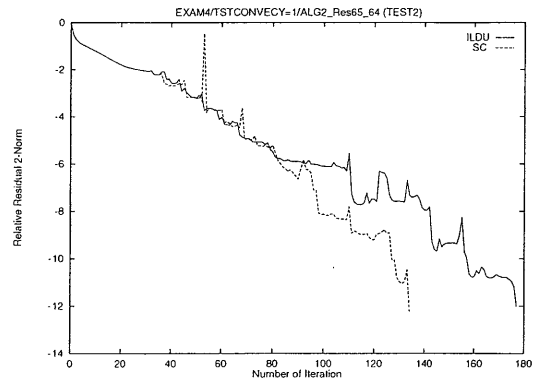


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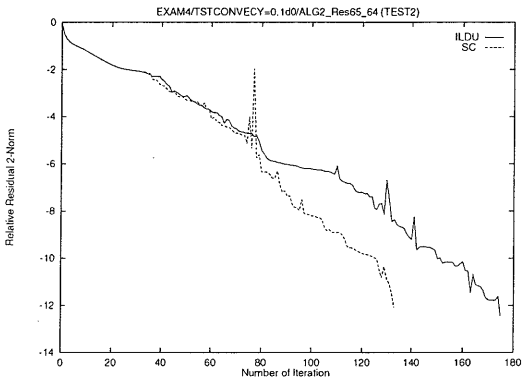


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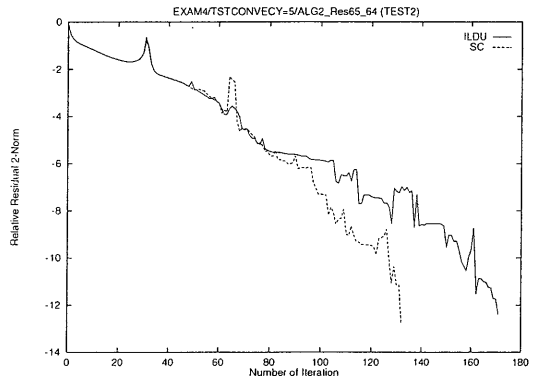


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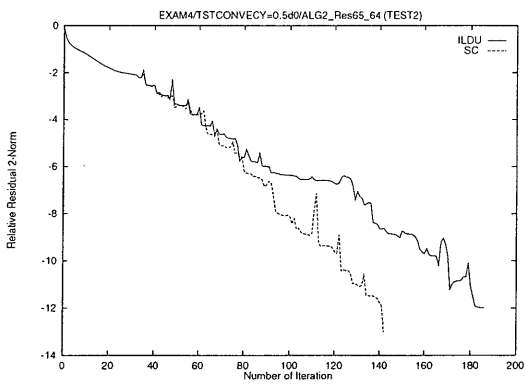


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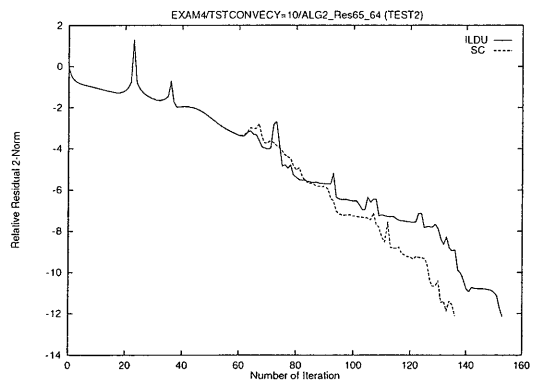


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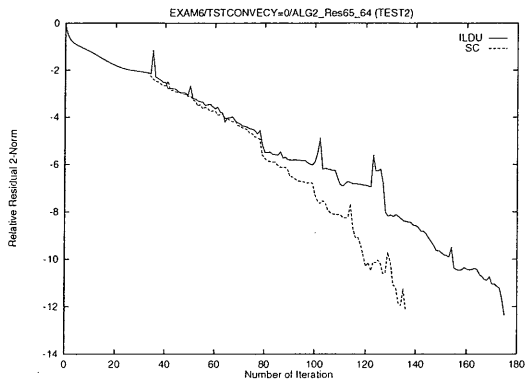


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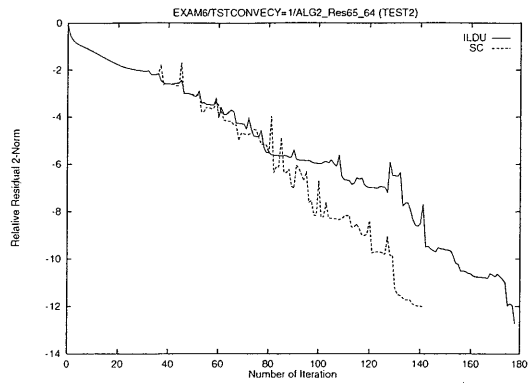


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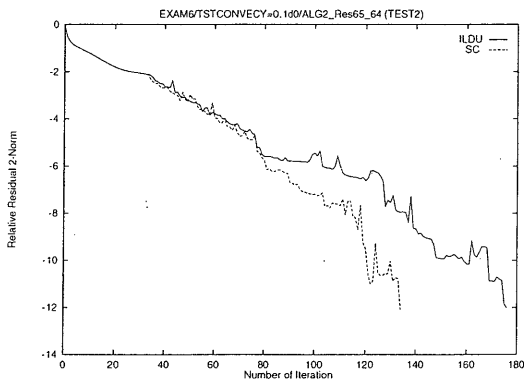


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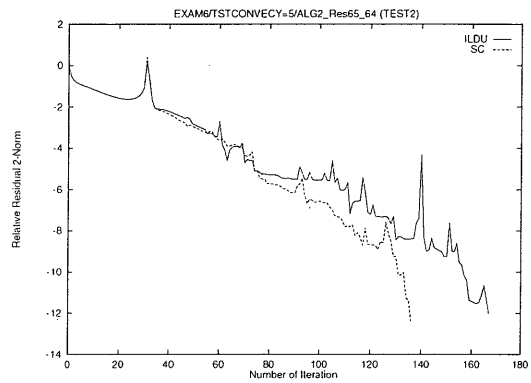


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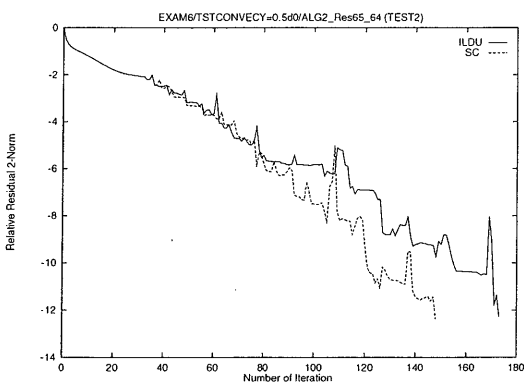


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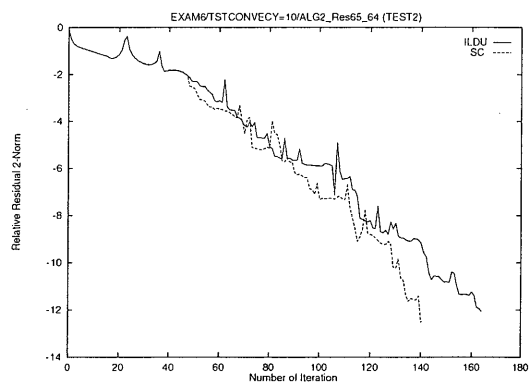


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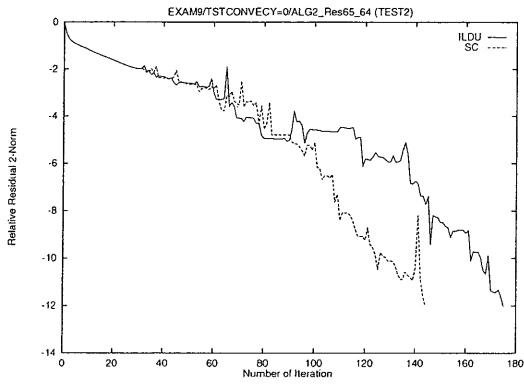


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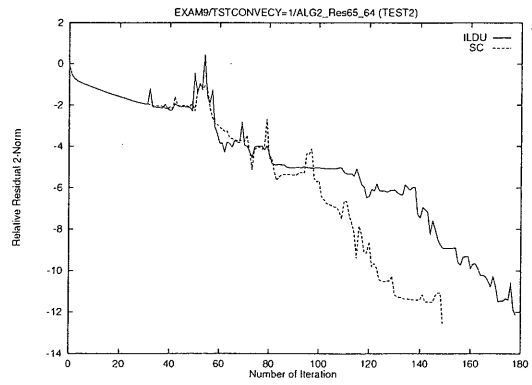


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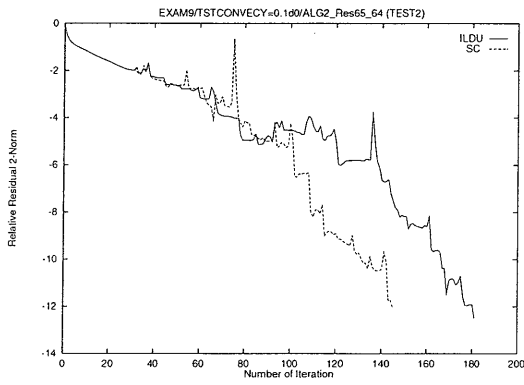


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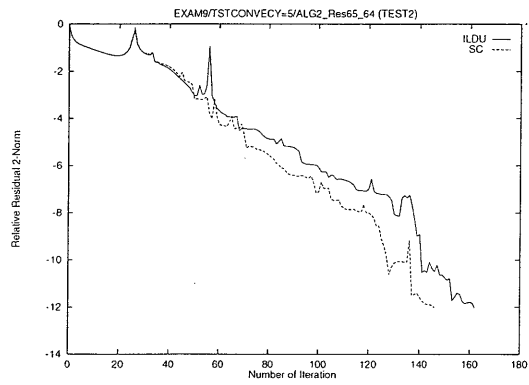


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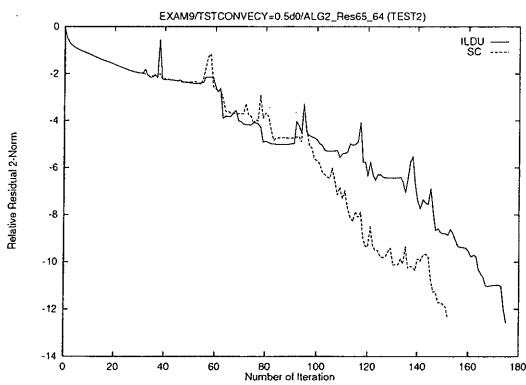


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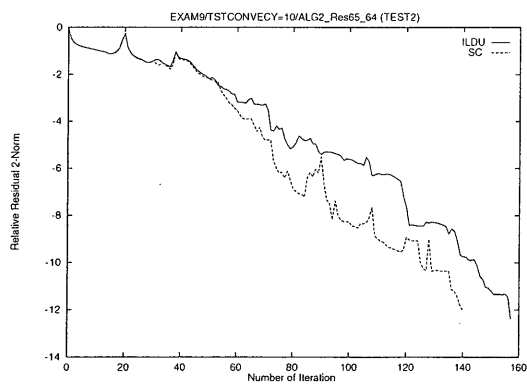


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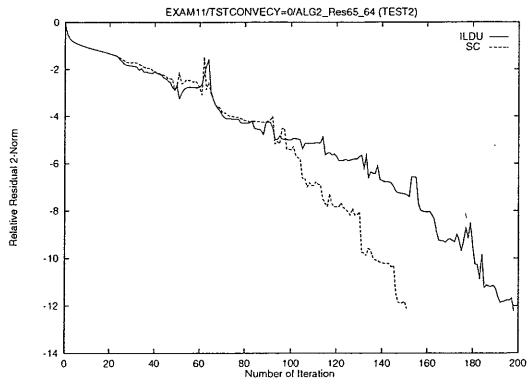


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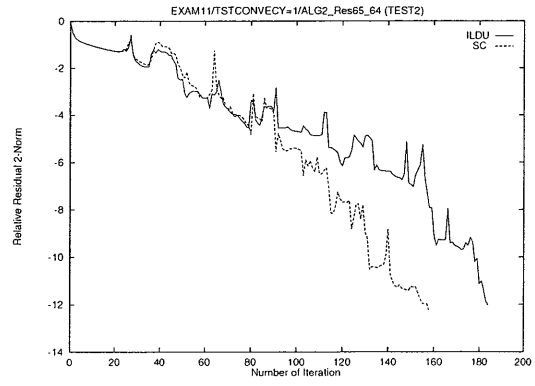


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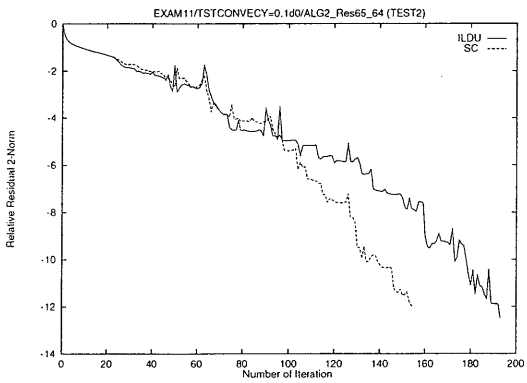


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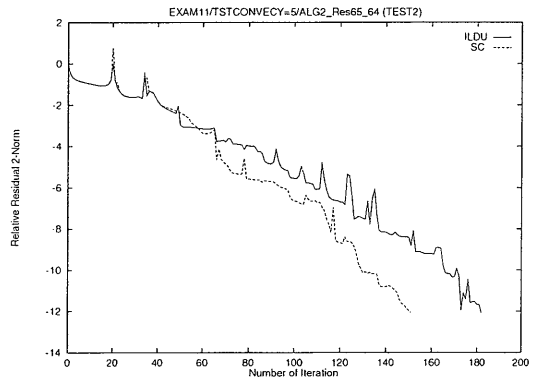


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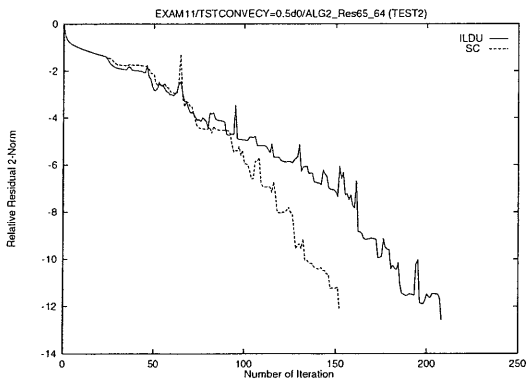


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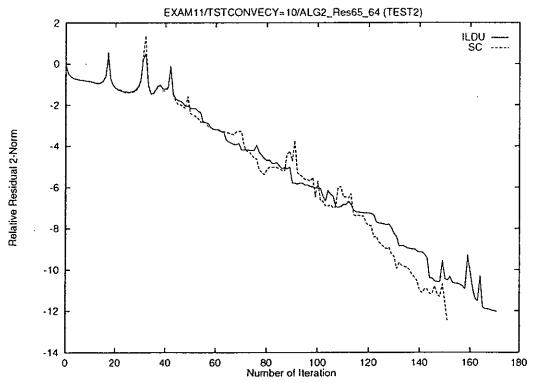


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