# Simpson's Three-Eighths Approach for Computing Solutions of Absolute Value Problems numerically

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Abstract: In this study, we propose a two-step iterative procedure for solving absolute value equations. The method includes Simpson's Three-Eighths formula with five points as a corrector step and generalized Newton's approach as a predictor step. For solving large systems, this method is very effective because it is very simple. Moreover, we show the convergence analysis under certain conditions using different theorems. We conducted numerical experiments to examine the efficiency of the presented technique.

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### 1 Introduction

Consider the absolute value equation (AVE) of the form:

$$
Ax - |x| = b,\tag{1}
$$

where  $A \in R^{n \times n}$ ,  $|x| = (|x_1|, |x_2|, ..., |x_n|)^T$ , and  $b \in R^n$ . Another generalized form of Eq. (1) is

$$
Ax + B|x| = b,\t\t(2)
$$

where  $B \in R^{n \times n}$  was first presented by Rohn in [1]. When  $B = -I$ , where I represents the identity matrix, equation (2) is transformed into equation (1). Many engineering and scientific computing applications use equation (1), including linear complementarity problems (LCPs), linear programming, and network price [2, 3]. Numerical algorithms for AVEs are primarily examined with mathematical theories, the framework of solutions, and the accurate output of high-quality preconditioners and highly efficient numerical procedures AVEs. Numerous numerical techniques have been investigated in recent years to solve AVE, such as Salkuyeh [4] proposed the Picard-HSS iterative method for calculating AVE (1). A generalized Newton (GN) algorithm for solving AVE (1) was developed by Mangasarian [5], who also demonstrated that this method converges linearly when  $||A^{-1}|| < \frac{1}{4}$ . In their study, Cacceta et al. [6] investigated a smoothing Newton algorithm for equation (1) and determined that this method is convergent when  $||A^{-1}|| < 1$ . Saheya et al. [7] examined smoothing

type techniques to calculate equation (1) and presented convergence outcomes for the proposed algorithms. Abdallah et al. [8] Presented equation (1) as an LCP and determined it Utilizing a smoothing approach. In [9], Prokopyev analyzed unique features of AVE and their relationship to LCP. For instance, [10] presented a preconditioned iterative AOR technique for solving equation (1) and explained the conditions for the technique to converge. Wu with Li in [11] examined a novel iterative technique for determining the AVE using the shift splitting (SS) technique. Haghani studied the generalized version of Traub's approach in [12]. Hu and Huang [13] gave several convexity and existence results for the solution of the AVE system and reconstructed the AVE system as a standard LCP without any assumptions. Fakharzadeh and Shams in [14], investigated the convergence properties of the mixed-type splitting approach to solve equation (1). Dong et al. in [15] developed a new SOR-like approach for computing AVE. Feng with Liu [16] introduced an improved generalized Newton technique. Iqbal et al. [17] presented the Levenberg-Marquardt iterative procedure to solve AVE (1). Gul et al. [18] developed a two-step iterative approach for computing AVE (1). Noor et al. [19, 20] suggested minimization algorithms to solve AVE.

In this paper, Simpson's Three-Eighths approach, along with the generalized Newton approach, are discussed for solving equation (1). This new algorithm is simple and very effective. The following is a summary of the points discussed in this article. In Sec. 2, we introduce the proposed technique, different definitions and notations utilized in this article. Sec.3 discusses the convergence for solving equation (1). We present the numerical outcomes and our conclusions in Sections 4 and 5, respectively. We use the following notations.

Let  $sign(x)$  be a vector with elements  $-1, 0, 1$  based on the related elements of x. The generalized Jacobian  $\partial |x|$  of |x| based on a subgradient [21, 22] of the elements of |x| is the diagonal matrix D is defined as

$$
D(x) = \partial |x| = diag(sign(x)).
$$
\n(3)

 $\text{svd}(A)$  represents the n singular values of A.  $\psi$  is the maximum eigenvalue of  $A^T A$  in absolute and  $||A|| = (\psi)^{\frac{1}{2}}$ representss the 2-norm of A. The norm ||x|| will represent the 2-norm  $\sqrt{(x^Tx)}$  of the vector x. Note that  $|x| = D(x)x$ 

### 2 Proposed Method

Suppose

$$
\Psi(x) = Ax - |x| - b. \tag{4}
$$

The generalized Jacobian of  $\Psi(x)$  at x is:

$$
\partial \Psi(x) = A - D(x). \tag{5}
$$

Consider the predictor step as:

$$
\lambda^k = \left(A - D\left(x^k\right)\right)^{-1} b. \tag{6}
$$

Let  $m$  be the solution to AVE (1). To construct the corrector step, we proceed as follows:

$$
\int_{u}^{m} \Psi'(t)dt = \Psi(m) - \Psi(u) = -\Psi(u). \tag{7}
$$

Now, we use the five-point Simpson's Three-Eighths formula, we get

$$
\int_{u}^{m} \Psi'\left(t\right) dt = \frac{m - u}{90} \left[ 7 \Psi'(u) + 32 \Psi'\left(\frac{3u + m}{4}\right) + 12 \Psi'\left(\frac{u + m}{2}\right) + 32 \Psi'\left(\frac{u + 3m}{4}\right) + 7 \Psi'\left(m\right) \right].
$$
 (8)

From Equations (7) and (8), we get

$$
-\Psi\left(u\right) = \frac{m-u}{90} \left[7\Psi'\left(u\right) + 32\Psi'\left(\frac{3u+m}{4}\right) + 12\Psi'\left(\frac{m+u}{2}\right) + 32\Psi'\left(\frac{u+3m}{4}\right) + 7\Psi'\left(m\right)\right] \tag{9}
$$

Thus

$$
m = u - 90 \left[ 7 \Psi' \left( u \right) + 32 \Psi' \left( \frac{3u + m}{4} \right) + 12 \Psi' \left( \frac{m + u}{2} \right) + 32 \Psi' \left( \frac{u + 3m}{4} \right) + 7 \Psi' \left( m \right) \right]^{-1} \Psi(u). \tag{10}
$$

From equation (10) the algorithm for STE approach can be writte as:

#### Algorithm 2.1

- 1: Select  $x^{(0)} \in R^n$ .
- 2: For k compute  $\lambda^k = \left(A D\left(x^k\right)\right)^{-1} b.$ 3: Using Step 2, compute  $x^{k+1} = x^k - 90 \left[ 7\Psi' \left( x^k \right) + 32 \Psi' \left( \frac{3x^k + \lambda^k}{4} \right) \right]$ 4  $+ 12\Psi' \left( \frac{\lambda^k + x^k}{2} \right)$ 2  $+ 32\Psi' \left( \frac{x^k + 3\lambda^k}{4} \right)$ 4  $\bigg\} + 7\Psi'\bigg(\lambda^k\bigg)\bigg]^{-1}\Psi\bigg(x^k\bigg).$ 4: If  $x^{k+1} = x^k$ , then end. Otherwise, apply  $k = k+1$  and continue from step 2.

#### 3 Convergence

In this section, we prove the convergence of STE method. The predictor step is well defined (see Lemma 2 [5]) as

$$
\lambda^k = \left(A - D\left(x^k\right)\right)^{-1} b. \tag{11}
$$

Now, we want to prove that

$$
7\Psi'\left(x^k\right) + 32\Psi'\left(\frac{3x^k + \lambda^k}{4}\right) + 12\Psi'\left(\frac{\lambda^k + x^k}{2}\right) + 32\Psi'\left(\frac{x^k + 3\lambda^k}{4}\right) + 7\Psi'\left(\lambda^k\right) \tag{12}
$$

is nonsingular, we first consider

$$
\alpha^k = \left(\frac{3x^k + \lambda^k}{4}\right), \quad \beta^k = \left(\frac{\lambda^k + x^k}{2}\right), \quad \gamma^k = \left(\frac{x^k + 3\lambda^k}{4}\right)
$$
(13)

Now

$$
7\Psi'\left(x^{k}\right) + 32\Psi'\left(\frac{3x^{k} + \lambda^{k}}{4}\right) + 12\Psi'\left(\frac{\lambda^{k} + x^{k}}{2}\right) + 32\Psi'\left(\frac{x^{k} + 3\lambda^{k}}{4}\right) + 7\Psi'\left(\lambda^{k}\right)
$$
  
= 7A - 7D\left(x^{k}\right) + 32A - 32D\left(\alpha^{k}\right) + 12A - 12D\left(\beta^{k}\right) + 32A - 32D\left(\gamma^{k}\right) + 7A - 7D\left(\lambda^{k}\right)  
= 90A - 7D\left(x^{k}\right) - 32D\left(\alpha^{k}\right) - 12D\left(\beta^{k}\right) - 32D\left(\gamma^{k}\right) - 7D\left(\lambda^{k}\right),

which is nonsingular.

**Lemma 3.1.** If  $\mathrm{svd}(A) > 1$ , then  $\left(90A - 7D\left(x^k\right) - 32D\left(\alpha^k\right) - 12D\left(\beta^k\right) - 32D\left(\gamma^k\right) - 7D\left(\lambda^k\right)\right)^{-1}$  exists for any D defined in equation (3). **Proof** If  $90A - 7D(x^k) - 32D(x^k) - 12D(\beta^k) - 32D(x^k) - 7D(x^k)$  is singular, then  $\left(90A - 7D\left(x^{k}\right) - 32D\left(\alpha^{k}\right) - 12D\left(\beta^{k}\right) - 32D\left(\gamma^{k}\right) - 7D\left(\lambda^{k}\right)x = 0$  for some  $x \neq 0$ . As the svd(A) > 1, thus

$$
x^T x < x^T A^T A x = \frac{1}{8100} x^T \left( 7D \left( x^k \right) + 32D \left( \alpha^k \right) + 12D \left( \beta^k \right) + 32D \left( \gamma^k \right) + 7D \left( \lambda^k \right) \right) \times \\
 \left( \left( 7D \left( x^k \right) + 32D \left( \alpha^k \right) + 12D \left( \beta^k \right) + 32D \left( \gamma^k \right) + 7D \left( \lambda^k \right) \right) x \right. \\
 = \frac{1}{8100} x^T \left( 49D \left( x^k \right) D \left( x^k \right) + 49D \left( \lambda^k \right) D \left( \lambda^k \right) + 1024D \left( \alpha^k \right) D \left( \alpha^k \right) + 144D \left( \beta^k \right) D \left( \beta^k \right) \right. \\
 \left. + 1024D \left( \gamma^k \right) \left( \gamma^k \right) + 448D \left( x^k \right) D \left( \alpha^k \right) + 168D \left( x^k \right) D \left( \beta^k \right) + 448D \left( x^k \right) D \left( \gamma^k \right) \\
 \left. + 768D \left( \alpha^k \right) D \left( \beta^k \right) + 2048D \left( \gamma^k \right) D \left( \alpha^k \right) + 448D \left( \alpha^k \right) D \left( \lambda^k \right) + 168D \left( z^k \right) D \left( \beta^k \right) \\
 \left. + 768D \left( \beta^k \right) D \left( \gamma^k \right) + 448D \left( \lambda^k \right) D \left( \gamma^k \right) \right) x \\
 \leq \frac{1}{8100} 8100 x^T x \\
 = x^T x,
$$

which is a contradiction, hence  $90A-7D(x^k)-32D(x^k)-12D(x^k)-32D(x^k)-7D(x^k)$  is non-singular.

**Lemma 3.2.** If  $\text{svd}(A) > 1$ , then the sequence of STE approach is bounded and well-defined. Therefore, an accumulation point  $\bar{x}$  exists such that

$$
\widetilde{x} = \widetilde{x} - 90\left(7\Psi'\left(x^k\right) + 32\Psi'\left(\alpha^k\right) + 12\Psi'\left(\beta^k\right) + 32\Psi'\left(\gamma^k\right) + 7\Psi'\left(\lambda^k\right)\right)^{-1}\Psi\left(\widetilde{x}\right),\tag{14}
$$

or it is equivalent to

$$
\left(7\Psi'\left(x^{k}\right)+32\Psi'\left(\alpha^{k}\right)+12\Psi'\left(\beta^{k}\right)+32\Psi'\left(\gamma^{k}\right)-7\Psi'\left(\lambda^{k}\right)\right)\widetilde{x}
$$
\n
$$
=\left(7\Psi'\left(x^{k}\right)+32\Psi'\left(\alpha^{k}\right)+12\Psi'\left(\beta^{k}\right)+32\Psi'\left(\gamma^{k}\right)+7\Psi'\left(\lambda^{k}\right)\right)\widetilde{x}-90\Psi\left(\widetilde{x}\right).\tag{15}
$$

Hence, there exists an accumulation point  $\tilde{x}$  with

$$
\left(A - \widetilde{D}(\widetilde{x})\right)\widetilde{x} = b,\tag{16}
$$

for some diagonal matrix  $\tilde{D}$  with diagonal elements 0 or  $\pm 1$  depends on wether the corresponding component of  $\tilde{x}$  is positive, zero, or negative as defined in equation (3).

Proof The proof of this Lemma is analogous to proposition 3 of [5]. Thus it is omitted.

Theorem 3.1 If  $\Big|$   $\left(7\Psi'\!\left(x^k\right)+32\Psi'\!\left(\alpha^k\right)+12\Psi'\!\left(\beta^k\right)+32\Psi'\!\left(\gamma^k\right)+7\Psi'\!\left(\lambda^k\right)\right)^{-1}\right|$   $\langle \frac{1}{270}, \text{ then the STE}$ approach converges to a solution  $m$  of equation  $(1)$ .

Proof Consider

$$
x^{k+1} - m = x^k - 90\left(7\Psi'\left(x^k\right) + 32\Psi'\left(\alpha^k\right) + 12\Psi'\left(\beta^k\right) + 32\Psi'\left(\gamma^k\right) + 7\Psi'\left(\lambda^k\right)\right)^{-1}\Psi\left(x^k\right) - m. \tag{17}
$$

Fot simplicity, let

$$
P = 7\Psi'\left(x^k\right) + 32\Psi'\left(\alpha^k\right) + 12\Psi'\left(\beta^k\right) + 32\Psi'\left(\gamma^k\right) + 7\Psi'\left(\lambda^k\right). \tag{18}
$$

Then, equations (17) converts into

$$
x^{k+1} - m = x^k - m - 90P^{-1}\Psi\left(x^k\right),
$$

$$
P\left(x^{k+1} - m\right) = P\left(x^k - m\right) - 90\Psi\left(x^k\right).
$$
(19)

We know that,  $m$  is the solution of equation (1), thus

$$
\Psi(m) = Am - |m| - b = 0.
$$
\n(20)

From equations (19) and (20), we obtain

$$
P(x^{k+1} - m) = P(x^k - m) - 90\Psi(x^k) + 90\Psi(m)
$$
  
= 
$$
P(x^k - m) - 90(\Psi(x^k) - \Psi(m)))
$$
  
= 
$$
P(x^k - m) - 90(Ax^k - |x^k| - Am + |m|)
$$
  
= 
$$
(P - 90A)(x^k - m) - 90(|m| - |x^k|)
$$
  
= 
$$
-(E)(x^k - m) + 90(|x^k| - |m|)
$$

where

$$
E = 7D\left(x^{k}\right) + 32D\left(\alpha^{k}\right) + 12D\left(\beta^{k}\right) + 32D\left(\gamma^{k}\right) + 7D\left(\lambda^{k}\right).
$$

Now

$$
x^{k+1} - m = \left(P\right)^{-1} \left[90\left(|x^k| - |m|\right) - \left(E\right)\left(x^k - m\right)\right],\tag{21}
$$

$$
x^{k+1} - m = \left(P\right)^{-1} \left[90\left(|x^k| - |m|\right) - E\left(x^k - m\right)\right],\tag{22}
$$

$$
\left| \left| x^{k+1} - m \right| \right| \le \left| \left| \left( P \right)^{-1} \right| \right| \left[ 180 \left| \left| x^k - m \right| \right| + \left| \left| \left( E \right) \right| \right| \left| \left| x^k - m \right| \right| \right]. \tag{23}
$$

In equation  $(23)$ , we utilized Lipschitz continuity of the absolute value (see [5]); that is,

$$
\left| \left| |x^k| - |m| \right| \right| \le 2 \left| x^k - m \right|.
$$

Since  $D(x^k)$ ,  $D(\lambda^k)$ ,  $D(\alpha^k)$ ,  $D(\beta^k)$  and  $D(\gamma^k)$  are diagonal matrices whose diagonal elements are 0 or  $\pm 1$  , thus

$$
\begin{aligned}\n\left|E\right| &= \left|\left|7D\left(x^{k}\right) + 32D\left(\alpha^{k}\right) + 12D\left(\beta^{k}\right) + 32D\left(\gamma^{k}\right) + 7D\left(\lambda^{k}\right)\right|\right| \\
&\leq \left|\left|7D\left(x^{k}\right)\right|\right| + \left|\left|32D\left(\alpha^{k}\right)\right|\right| + \left|\left|12D\left(\beta^{k}\right)\right|\right| + \left|\left|32D\left(\gamma^{k}\right)\right|\right| + \left|\left|7D\left(\lambda^{k}\right)\right|\right| \leq 90.\n\end{aligned} \tag{24}
$$

From equations (23) and (24), we obtain

 $\overline{\phantom{a}}$  $\overline{\phantom{a}}$  $\overline{\phantom{a}}$  $\overline{\phantom{a}}$ 

$$
\left| \left| x^{k+1} - m \right| \right| \le 270 \left| \left| \left( P \right)^{-1} \right| \right| \left| \left| x^k - m \right| \right| < \left| \left| x^k - m \right| \right|.
$$
\n(25)

In equation (25), we have utalized the condition that  $\Big|$  $\begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{c} \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} \end{array} \end{array} \end{array}$  $\left(7\Psi'\left(x^{k}\right)+32\Psi'\left(\alpha^{k}\right)+12\Psi'\left(\beta^{k}\right)+32\Psi'\left(\gamma^{k}\right)+\right.$  $7\Psi'\bigg(\lambda^k\bigg)\bigg)^{-1}\bigg\vert$   $\langle \frac{1}{270}$ . Thus,  $x^k$  linearly converges to the solution of AVE (1). Lemma 3.3. Let  $\Bigg|$  $\begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{c} \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} \end{array} \end{array} \end{array}$  $A^{-1}$  $\begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{c} \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} \end{array} \end{array} \end{array}$  $\langle \frac{1}{271} \text{ and } D(x^k), D(\alpha^k), D(\beta^k), D(\gamma^k) \text{ and } D(\lambda^k) \text{ be nonzero. Then } STE$ method is well defined and converges to the unique solution of AVE (1) for any initial vector  $x^0$ .

**Proof.** Since  $\begin{bmatrix} A^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$   $\langle \frac{1}{271}$ , therefore, AVE (1) is uniquely solvable for any b see ([2], Proposition 4). Since  $A^{-1}$  exists, therefore, by Lemma 2.3.2 [29], we have

$$
\left\| \left(7\Psi'\left(x^{k}\right) + 32\Psi'\left(\alpha^{k}\right) + 12\Psi'\left(\beta^{k}\right) + 32\Psi'\left(\gamma^{k}\right) + 7\Psi'\left(\lambda^{k}\right)\right)^{-1} \right\| \right\|
$$
\n
$$
= \left\| \left(90A - 7D\left(x^{k}\right) - 32D\left(\alpha^{k}\right) - 12D\left(\beta^{k}\right) - 32D\left(\gamma^{k}\right) - 7D\left(\lambda^{k}\right)\right)^{-1} \right\|
$$
\n
$$
\leq \frac{\left\| \left(90A\right)^{-1} \right\|}{1 - \left\| \left(90A\right)^{-1} \right\| \left\| - 7D\left(x^{k}\right) - 32D\left(\alpha^{k}\right) - 12D\left(\beta^{k}\right) - 32D\left(\gamma^{k}\right) - 7D\left(\lambda^{k}\right) \right\|}{1 - \left\| \left(90A\right)^{-1} \right\| \left\| \left( - 7D\left(x^{k}\right) - 32D\left(\alpha^{k}\right) - 12D\left(\beta^{k}\right) - 32D\left(\gamma^{k}\right) - 7D\left(\lambda^{k}\right) \right\| \right\|
$$
\n
$$
\leq \frac{\frac{1}{90} \left\| \left(A\right)^{-1} \right\| 90}{1 - \frac{1}{90} \left\| \left(A\right)^{-1} \right\| 90}
$$
\n
$$
< \frac{\frac{1}{271}}{1 - \frac{1}{271}} = \frac{1}{270}.
$$

Based on Theorem 3.1, we conclude that the STE approach converges linearly to the unique solution of equation  $(1).$ 

#### 4 Numerical Outcomes

Here, we conduct numerical tests to demonstrate the efficiency of Simpson's Three-Eighths method. Moreover, the iteration, residual, and CPU time, are represented, by Iters, RES, and CPU, respectively. We utilized Intel (R) Core (TM) i5-8145U, 2.30 GHz CPU, and 8 GB of RAM for all numerical experiments. All numerical experiments are initiated with the null vector, and the analysis is terminated when the current iteration is concluded.

$$
RES:=\tfrac{\|Ax^k-|x^k|-b\|_2}{\|b\|_2}\leq 10^{-6}.
$$

Example 4.1 Let A be a matrix in the form of

$$
A = (a_{ij}) \begin{cases} 1000 + i, & \text{for } j = i, \\ 1, & \text{for } \begin{cases} j = i + 1, i = 1, 2, ..., n - 1, \\ j = i - 1, i = 2, ..., n, \end{cases} \\ 0 & \text{Otherwise.} \end{cases}
$$

Calculate  $Au^* - |u^*| = b \in R^n$ , with  $u^* = (x_1, x_2, x_3, ... x_n)^T \in R^n$  such that  $x_i = (-1)^i$ 

In Example 4.1, the starting vector and the stopping criterion are taken from [23]. Furthermore, we compare the suggested technique to the new iteration procedure (NA) in [23], and the SORLoapt method given in [24] and with Picard method in [30]. Table 1 summarizes the outcomes of the investigation. According to Table 1, the developed method determines the AVE solution more rapidly than existing algorithms in terms of Iters and CPU.

Table 1: Numerical results for Example 4.1 with NA, SORLaopt, Technique I, and STE method



Example 4.2 [31] Let

$$
A = \text{Tridiag}(-1, 4, -1) = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 4 & -1 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 4 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 4 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & -1 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \in R^{n \times n}, \quad u^* = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ \vdots \\ -1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \in R^n,
$$

where  $Au^* - |u^*| = b \in R^n$ .

In this example, we compare the presented approach with the SOR-like approach [24] (written as SORLaopt) and the SS iterative approach proposed in [26] (represented by SSA) and with GGS approach [31].

In Table 2, we present the results of the study. Table 2 indicates that all experimented techniques quickly analyze equation (1). The proposed method offers superior Iters and CPU values in comparison to existing techniques.

Table 2: Numerical results for Example 4.2 with SORLaopt and SSA techniques, Technique I, and STE technique

Techniques	$\boldsymbol{n}$	1000	2000	3000	4000
	Iters	$21\,$	22	$22\,$	$22\,$
GGS	<b>CPU</b>	2.9658	7.7891	17.6613	31.6259
	<b>RES</b>	$7.89 - 07$	$4.90e - 07$	$6.01e-07$	$6.94e - 07$
	Iters	18	18	18	18
SORLaopt	<b>CPU</b>	2.5147	6.1249	15.9104	27.1345
	<b>RES</b>	$6.12e-07$	$6.13e-07$	$6.13e-07$	$6.14e-07$
	Iters	14	14	14	14
<b>SSA</b>	<b>CPU</b>	1.7828	5.0954	13.3028	21.1644
	<b>RES</b>	8.91e-07	$8.92e-07$	8.93e-07	8.93e-07
	Iters	$\overline{7}$	$\overline{7}$	$\overline{7}$	$\overline{7}$
<b>STE</b>	<b>CPU</b>	0.6072	1.9383	3.7563	9.5864
	<b>RES</b>	5.47e-07	5.48e-07	5.48e-07	5.48e-07

**Example 4.3**  $[25]$  We consider AVE  $(1)$  with

$$
A = \text{Tridiag}(-I_n, Z_n, -I_n) = \begin{pmatrix} Z & -I & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ -I & Z & -I & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -I & Z & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & Z & -I \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & -I & Z \end{pmatrix} \in R^{n \times n}, \quad u^* = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ \vdots \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \in R^n,
$$

$$
Z_n = \text{Tridiag}(-1, 8, -1) = \begin{pmatrix} 8 & -1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 8 & -1 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 8 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 8 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & -1 & 8 \end{pmatrix} \in R^{n \times n},
$$

where  $m = n^2$  and  $b = Au^* - |u^*| \in R^n$ .

In Example 4.3, we compare our proposed algorithm with the SOR-like method [25], MSOR approach [27], and NSOR method [15].

Table 3 shows the numerical outcomes of the four methods. According to the data presented in Table 3, every tested technique produced an accurate outcome in solving for equation (1). Compared with the existing methods, the Iters and CPU values in the suggested method are superior. Therefore, we can conclude that the proposed approach is both very effective and practicable in terms of Iters and CPU.

Techniques	$\boldsymbol{n}$	1600	2500	3600	4900	
	Iters	$\overline{16}$	$\overline{16}$	$\overline{16}$	$\overline{16}$	
SOR-like	CPU	0.0433	0.0910	0.1945	0.3554	
	<b>RES</b>	$4.48e - 08$	$5.68e - 08$	$6.97 - 08$	$8.19e - 08$	
	Iters	$12\,$	$\overline{1}\overline{2}$	$12\,$	$12\,$	
<b>MSOR</b>	CPU	0.0351	0.0774	0.1585	0.2779	
	RES	$4.71e-07$	$5.99e - 07$	$7.28e - 07$	$8.56e - 07$	
	Iters	$\overline{9}$	$\overline{9}$	10	10	
<b>NSOR</b>	CPU	0.0252	0.0538	0.1276	0.2299	
	RES	$7.10e-07$	$9.16e - 07$	$1.54e-07$	$1.82e - 07$	
	Iters	$\overline{6}$	$\overline{6}$	$\overline{6}$	$\overline{6}$	
<b>STE</b>	CPU	0.0131	1.0336	0.0955	0.1971	
	<b>RES</b>	$2.69e - 07$	$2.76e - 07$	$2.81e-07$	$2.84e - 07$	

Table 3: Numerical results for Examlpe 4.3 with SOR-like, MSOR, NSOR and STE technique

Example 4.4 [15]. Let

$$
A = Tridiag(-1,8,-1) = \begin{pmatrix} 8 & -1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 8 & -1 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 8 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 8 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & -1 & 8 \end{pmatrix} \in R^{n \times n}, \quad u^* = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ -1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \in R^n,
$$

and vector  $b = Au^* - |u^*| \in R^n$ .

Table 4 shows the numerical results of four techniques. Example 4.4 compares the proposed approach with SOR-like approach, MSOR method, and NSOR approach. As shown in Table 4, the four techniques have the potential to solve the problem efficiently and effectively. In Table 4, we report the Iters, the CPU, and the RES. Table 4 shows that the iterations and CPU of the suggested technique are better than the SOR-like, MNSOR, and NSOR methods.

Table 4: Numerical results for Examlpe 4.4 with SOR-like, MSOR, NSOR and STE technique

Techniques	$\, n$	1000	2000	3000	4000	5000	6000
	Iters	$12\,$	13	13	$13\,$	$13\,$	13
SOR-like	<b>CPU</b>	0.0188	0.0501	0.0785	0.1030	0.1358	0.1581
	<b>RES</b>	$9.45e - 08$	$2.69e - 08$	$3.29e - 08$	$3.80e - 08$	$4.25e - 08$	$4.66e - 08$
	Iters	10	10	10	10	10	11
<b>MSOR</b>	<b>CPU</b>	0.0120	0.0464	0.0954	0.1711	0.2583	0.4067
	<b>RES</b> $4.14e - 07$	$5.86 - 07$	$7.18e - 07$	$8.29e - 07$	$9.27e - 07$	$1.03e-07$	
	Iters	8	9	9	9	9	9
<b>NSOR</b>	<b>CPU</b>	0.0128	0.0347	0.0571	0.0761	0.0960	0.1153
	<b>RES</b> $8.69e - 07$	$6.88e - 08$	$8.43e - 08$	$9.73e - 08$	$1.08e - 07$	$1.19e - 07$	
	Iters	$\bf 5$	$\overline{5}$	$\overline{5}$	$\overline{5}$	$\overline{5}$	5
<b>STE</b>	<b>CPU</b>	0.0119	0.02942	0.0484	0.0731	0.1163	0.1920
	<b>RES</b>	$1.97e - 07$	$1.97e - 07$	$1.97e - 07$	$1.97e - 07$	$1.97e - 07$	$1.96e - 07$

#### Exmple 4.5 Let

$$
A = I \otimes Q + H \otimes I \in \mathbb{R}^{q \times q},
$$

where  $I \in \mathbb{R}^{q \times q}$  is the identity matrix, and  $\otimes$  represents the Kronecker product. Similarly, Q and H are  $q \times q$ 

tridiagonal matrices given by:

$$
\begin{cases} Q=\text{Tridiag}\bigg[-(\frac{2+\bar{p}}{8}),8,-(\frac{2-\bar{p}}{8})\bigg],\\ H=\text{Tridiag}\bigg[-(\frac{1+\bar{p}}{4}),4,-(\frac{1-\bar{p}}{4})\bigg],\\ \bar{p}=\frac{1}{n};q=n^2 \end{cases}
$$

The right-hand side vector  $b = Au^* - |u^*| \in \mathbb{R}^q$ , where  $u^* = ones(q, 1) \in \mathbb{R}^q$ . The assumption and the ultimate limiting factor of this example is the starting point from [28]. In the section on the assumption, we evaluate the offered Techniques in light of those demonstrated in [24] (revealed by SPM), the special shift-splitting iteration technique [11], and the Technique described in [30] (revealed by Picard).

Table 5 contains the results of this investigation. Table 5 shows that for each value of  $q$ , the presented techniques analyze the solution  $\bar{x}$ . Based on the numerical resultss proposed in Table 5, we can determine that the strategies we have provided are more successful than the SPM, SSM, and Picard techniques under specific situations when seen from the perspective of the 'Iters' and 'CPU.'

In conclusion, our unique strategies are relevant to AVEs and are within their capabilities. Table 5 shows all the results of the proposed techniques.

Techniques	$\boldsymbol{n}$	256	1296	2401	4096
	Iters	12	12	12	12
<b>SPM</b>	CPU	1.6492	2.0258	4.1522	7.3811
	<b>RES</b>	3.77e-07	3.74e-07	3.73e-07	$3.72e-07$
	Iters	8	8	8	8
<b>SSM</b>	<b>CPU</b>	0.9853	1.1725	2.0863	4.3729
	<b>RES</b>	1.54e-07	1.55e-07	1.56e-07	1.56e-07
	Iters	6	6	6	6
Picard	<b>CPU</b>	0.7305	0.9477	1.3571	3.2084
	<b>RES</b>	$2.13e-07$	$2.10e-07$	$2.09e-07$	$2.08e-07$
	Iters	$\overline{4}$	$\overline{4}$	$\overline{4}$	$\overline{4}$
STE	<b>CPU</b>	0.0514	0.6840	1.6036	1.9221
	<b>RES</b>	2.95e-07	$2.92e - 07$	$2.91e-07$	$2.90e - 07$

Table 5: Numerical results for Example 4.5 with SPM, SSM, Picard, and STE techniques

## 5 Conclusion

In this article, we have used a five-point technique to solve AVE. The well-known generalized Newton approach is used as the predictor step in this innovative new technique, while the STE method for AVEs is utilized as the corrector step. The proposed technique converges in the third phase of the analysis. The new technique is extremely useful for finding solutions to complex systems. This concept can be developed further to answer generalized equations involving absolute value.

## Conflict of interest

The authors declare that they have no conflict of interest.

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