

Quarter-sweep iterative alternating decomposition explicit algorithm applied to diffusion equations

ABSTRACT

The aim of this article is to describe the formulation of the quarter-sweep iterative alternating decomposition explicit (QSIADe) method using the finite difference approach for solving one-dimensional diffusion equations. The concept of the QSIADe method is inspired via combination between the quarter-sweep iterative and the iterative alternating decomposition explicit (IADE) methods known as one of the technique in two-step iterative methods. The QSIADe method has been shown to be very fast as compared with the standard IADE method. Some numerical tests were included to support our statement.

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