

Homework 1 Solutions for CAP6412

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1 Question 1

as we can easily see from figure 1

Derive $\Delta f = 0$ over Ω with $f|_{\partial\Omega} = f^*|_{\partial\Omega}$ from $\min_f \iint_{\Omega} |\nabla f|^2$ with $f|_{\partial\Omega} = f^*|_{\partial\Omega}$

Solution: Let $F = |\nabla f|^2 = \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}\right)^2$

according to Euler Lagrange optimization:

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial f} + \frac{d}{dx} \frac{\partial F}{\partial f_x} = 0, \text{ and, } \frac{\partial F}{\partial f} + \frac{d}{dy} \frac{\partial F}{\partial f_y} = 0$$

Notice that $\frac{\partial F}{\partial f} = 0$, $\frac{d}{dx} \cdot \frac{\partial F}{\partial f_x} = 2 \cdot \left(\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2}\right)$, and, $\frac{d}{dy} \cdot \frac{\partial F}{\partial f_y} = 2 \cdot \left(\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2}\right)$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2}\right) = 0, \text{ and, } \left(\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2}\right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2}\right) + \left(\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2}\right) = 0 \text{ with } f|_{\partial\Omega} = f^*|_{\partial\Omega}$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta f = 0$$

2 Question 2

Derive $\Delta = \text{div} \mathbf{v}$ over Ω , with $f|_{\partial\Omega} = f^*|_{\partial\Omega}$ from $\min_f \iint_{\Omega} |\nabla f - \mathbf{v}|^2$ with $f|_{\partial\Omega} = f^*|_{\partial\Omega}$



Figure 1: A nice figure

Again according to Euler Lagrange ...

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial f} + \frac{d}{dx} \frac{\partial F}{\partial f_x} = 0, \text{ and, } \frac{\partial F}{\partial f} + \frac{d}{dy} \frac{\partial F}{\partial f_y} = 0$$

In this case

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial f} = 0, \frac{d}{dx} \cdot \frac{\partial F}{\partial f_x} = \frac{d}{dx} \cdot 2 \cdot \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} - u \right) = 2 \cdot \left(\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} - \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \right) = 0, \text{ and, } \frac{d}{dy} \cdot \frac{\partial F}{\partial f_y} =$$

$$\frac{d}{dy} \cdot 2 \cdot \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} - v \right) = 2 \cdot \left(\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} - \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} \right) + \left(\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} \right) = \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \right) + \left(\frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta f = \text{div } \mathbf{v}$$

3 Question 3

Derive $\min_{f|\Omega} \sum_{\langle p,q \rangle \cap \Omega \neq \emptyset} (f_p - f_q - v_{pq})^2$, with $f_p = f_p^* \forall p \in \partial\Omega$

All we do is take the double integral: $\iint_{\Omega} |\nabla f - \mathbf{v}|^2$ and find the discrete version.

It is a sum over an area $\Rightarrow \nabla f = f_p - f_q$ with $\langle p, q \rangle \cap \Omega \neq \emptyset$ and $\mathbf{v} = v_{pq}$ a guidance vector.

From here we need to minimize the above equation and separate out the boundary conditions $f_p = f_p^* \forall p \in \partial\Omega$

In simple terms this means that $(f_p - f_q - v_{pq}) = 0$ for a neighborhood around point p. To achieve this we notice that $\Rightarrow |N_p| \cdot f_p - \sum_{q \in N_p \cap \Omega} f_q = \sum_{q \in N_p \cap \partial\Omega} f_q^* + \sum_{q \in N_p} v_{pq}$

4 Question 4

How to combine channels similar to how Tschumperle and Deriche did?

Equations $\left(\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} \right) + \left(\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} \right) = 0$ and $\left(\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} \right) + \left(\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} \right) = \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \right) + \left(\frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \right)$ are currently applied to each of the RGB channels separately. All we have to do is add the channels up as in:

$$\left(\frac{\partial^2 f_r}{\partial x^2} \right) + \left(\frac{\partial^2 f_r}{\partial y^2} \right) + \left(\frac{\partial^2 f_g}{\partial x^2} \right) + \left(\frac{\partial^2 f_g}{\partial y^2} \right) + \left(\frac{\partial^2 f_b}{\partial x^2} \right) + \left(\frac{\partial^2 f_b}{\partial y^2} \right) = 0$$

and

$$\left(\frac{\partial^2 f_r}{\partial x^2} \right) + \left(\frac{\partial^2 f_r}{\partial y^2} \right) + \left(\frac{\partial^2 f_g}{\partial x^2} \right) + \left(\frac{\partial^2 f_g}{\partial y^2} \right) + \left(\frac{\partial^2 f_b}{\partial x^2} \right) + \left(\frac{\partial^2 f_b}{\partial y^2} \right) = \left(\frac{\partial u_r}{\partial x} \right) + \left(\frac{\partial v_r}{\partial y} \right) + \left(\frac{\partial u_g}{\partial x} \right) + \left(\frac{\partial v_g}{\partial y} \right) + \left(\frac{\partial u_b}{\partial x} \right) + \left(\frac{\partial v_b}{\partial y} \right)$$