MATH865 HW4

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1. Suppose that $u_D(z)$ solves the following biharmonic boundary value problem:

$$\Delta^2 u_D = 0, \quad u_D|_{\partial D} = u^0|_{\partial D}, \quad \Delta u_D|_{\partial D} = \Delta u^0|_{\partial D}.$$

Verify that u_D is a cubic impainting i.e. for any smooth function u^0 , we have

$$||u_D - u^0|_D|| = O(d^4)$$

where d is the diameter of D. (ref: Tony Shen p.263)

2. The elastica image model for inpainting is (ref: Tony Shen p.285)

$$\min \int_{\Omega} |\nabla u|(\phi(k))dx + \frac{\lambda}{2} \int_{\Omega/D} (u - u^0)^2 dx$$

where $\phi(k) = \alpha + \beta |k|^p$. Show that the steepest descent equation is given by

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = \nabla \cdot \vec{V} + \lambda_D(x)(u^0 - u), \\ &\vec{V} = (\phi(k))\vec{n} - \frac{\vec{t}}{|\nabla u|} \frac{\partial (\phi^{'}(k)|\nabla u|)}{\partial \vec{t}} \end{aligned}$$

Here \vec{n}, \vec{t} are the normal and tagent direction:

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abla n|}, \quad \vec{t} = \vec{n}^{\perp}, \quad rac{\partial}{\partial \vec{t}} = \vec{t} \cdot
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The natural boundary conditions along the boundary are

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial \vec{\nu}} = 0 \quad \frac{\partial (\phi^{'}(k) |\nabla u|)}{\partial \vec{\nu}} = 0.$$