

Exercise 2 for the lecture
NUMERICS IV
SoSe 2012

Due: till Wednesday, November 7, 2012, 14 o'clock

Problem 1 (4 TP)

Let $\Gamma \subset \mathbb{R}^{n+1}$ and $W \subset \mathbb{R}^{n+1}$ an open neighbourhood of Γ .

- a) For $f, g \in C^1(W, \mathbb{R})$ prove the product rule

$$\nabla_{\Gamma}(fg) = f\nabla_{\Gamma}g + g\nabla_{\Gamma}f$$

where $\nabla_{\Gamma}f = \nabla f - (\nabla f \cdot \nu)\nu = (\underline{D}_1f, \dots, \underline{D}_{n+1}f)^T$.

- b) For $f \in C^1(W, \mathbb{R}^m)$ define

$$D_{\Gamma}f := \begin{pmatrix} \underline{D}_1f_1 & \dots & \underline{D}_{n+1}f_1 \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ \underline{D}_1f_m & \dots & \underline{D}_{n+1}f_m \end{pmatrix}.$$

Show that $D_{\Gamma}f = Df(I - \nu\nu^T)$, where Df is the usual Jacobian of f .

- c) For $f \in C^1(W, \mathbb{R}^m)$ and $g \in C^1(\mathbb{R}^m, \mathbb{R})$ derive a chain rule for D_{Γ} .

Problem 2 (2 TP)

Show that the curvature matrix $(H_{jk})_{j,k=1}^{n+1}$, defined by

$$H_{jk} = \underline{D}_j\nu_k, \quad j, k = 1, \dots, n+1$$

is symmetric.

Problem 3 (3 TP)

Prove the following properties of the oriented distance function $d : \mathbb{R}^{n+1} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$:

- a) d is globally Lipschitz and $\exists \delta > 0 : d \in C^2(\Gamma_\delta)$, $\Gamma_\delta = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^{n+1} \mid |d(x)| < \delta\}$
- b) $\forall x \in \Gamma_\delta \exists a(x) \in \Gamma : x = a(x) + d(x)\nu(a(x))$
- c) $|\nabla d(x)| = 1$

Problem 4 (3 TP)

Let Γ be given as the zero-levelset of the oriented distance function $d : \mathbb{R}^{n+1} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, i.e.

$$\Gamma = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^{n+1} \mid d(x) = 0\}.$$

Prove that

$$H(x) = \Delta d(x), \quad x \in \Gamma.$$