

Lecture 4 - 2/5

- Polynomial Reproduction
- Nonlinear stability
- Constrained Optimization

Our main hammer will be constrained
opt

$$\min_{\theta} F(x; \theta)$$

$$\text{s.t. } G(x; \theta)$$

Typical Cases

- F is a reconstruction, G are physics
"Physics-Constrained / PDE-constrained Opt"
- F is arbitrary, G is property we actually
care about / "wish-list"
"Feasibility problem"

Equality constrained quadratic programming

Consider
$$\min_x \quad \frac{1}{2} x^T A x + b^T x + c$$
$$\text{s.t.} \quad Bx = c$$

For non-linear
Replace w/
Hessian
+
Jacobian

To solve, add Lagrange multiplier λ

$$\min_{x, \lambda} \quad \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} x^T A x + b^T x + c + \lambda^T (Bx - c)}_{L(x, \lambda)}$$

The Karush Kuhn Tucker (KKT) conditions state that the minimizer satisfies

$$\partial_x L = \partial_\lambda L = 0$$

$$\partial_\lambda L = Bx - c = 0$$

$$\partial_x L = Ax + b + B^T \lambda = 0$$

yielding the saddle point problem

$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{1} & \begin{pmatrix} A & B^T \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ \lambda \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -b \\ c \end{pmatrix} \\ \textcircled{2} & \begin{pmatrix} B & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ \lambda \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -b \\ c \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Mult top by BA^{-1}

$$\cancel{BA^{-1}}A x + BA^{-1}B^T \lambda = -BA^{-1}b$$

Subtract from (2)

$$-BA^{-1}B^T \lambda = c + BA^{-1}b$$

Let $S = BA^{-1}B^T$ be defined as the Schur complement

$$\lambda = -S^{-1}(c + BA^{-1}b)$$

$$x = A^{-1}(-B^T \lambda - b)$$

We will use this repeatedly as a tool to enforce properties we'd like as equality constraints

A note on training

- In the HW we consider matching derivatives (this is often called force matching)

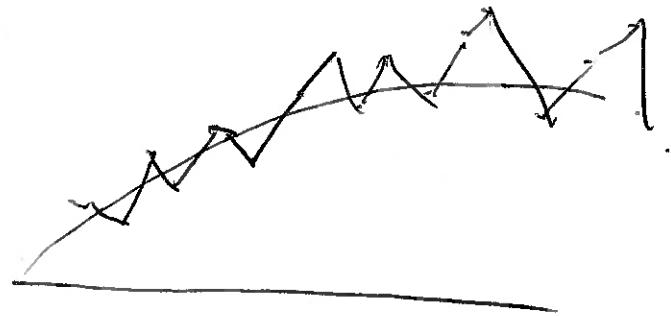
$$\hat{u}_{\text{target}} \quad \mathcal{L} = \left\| \frac{\hat{u}_j^{n+1} - \hat{u}_j^n}{K} + \sum_{k=-\alpha}^{\beta} \frac{S_{j+k}}{h^{|k|}} u_{j+k}^n \right\|^2$$

to approximate an operator D^α

- This is prone to overfitting for noisy realistic data

- Some strategies to mitigate

- explicitly model noise as MLE



- Tikhonov / weight decay

↖ we'll talk about these later

- filtering / pre processing ↙

- Better to fit to the solution itself rather than its derivative

② Reduced space constrained optimization

Sub res. back into \mathcal{L}_R to optimize directly over the space of FD solns.

$u_j^n = Q(u_j^{n-1}) u_j^{n-1}$ is the (potentially nonlinear) update operator

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n,j} |Q(u_j^{n-1}) \circ \dots \circ Q(u_j^0) u_j^0 - \hat{u}_j^n|^2$$

- For nonlinear/explicit schemes, need to backprop through a linear solve, or Newton/iterative nonlinear solve

③ Lagrange Multipliers

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_R + \lambda^T \Gamma_{\min}, \quad \lambda \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

\nwarrow Lagrange mult

$$\min_{u^n, r^n, \theta} \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n,j} |u_j^n - \hat{u}_j^n|^2 + \sum_n \lambda_n (\Gamma_{n,j})$$

Process For $1, \dots, \# \text{ iterations}$
1. $\delta_\lambda \mathcal{L} = 0 \Rightarrow$ solve forward problem

Define the reconstruction loss and physics residual

$$\mathcal{L}_R = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n,j} |u_j^n - \hat{u}_j^n|^2$$

$$\Gamma_{n,j} = u_j^{n+1} - u_j^n - \kappa D_0^\alpha u_j^n$$

$D_0^\alpha \leftarrow$ parameterized stencil

Pose the constrained fit to the solution

$$\min_{u_j^n, \theta} \mathcal{L}_R$$

$$\text{s.t. } \Gamma_{n,j} = 0 \quad \text{for all } n,j$$

3 ways to do this

① Penalty (worst!)

$$\min_{u_j^n, \theta} \mathcal{L}_R + \lambda \sum_{n,j} \Gamma_{n,j}^2$$

- Take a ^{scalar} penalty param λ . For big λ ,

$\Gamma_{n,j}$ is small.

- No way to pick λ a priori

(Too big unstable, too small big error)

- Small residuals translate to large soln errors

(think of the $O(k^2)$ errors we saw in explicit Euler)

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2. $\delta_{u_n} L = 0$ solve adjoint problem

$$(\mathbf{J}_{u_n}(r))^T \lambda = - (u_j^n - \hat{u}_j^n)$$

3. Update θ w/ gradient opt. using
current guess for u, λ

- Backprop doesn't need to go through
fwd + adj solve, best for nonlinear + implicit

For linear problems ② + ③ are the
same

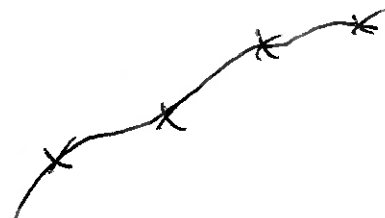
Mini batching

- These are big gradient calculations
- Typically our dataset consists of many solves
- Stochastic gradient descent

- Pick random solve $u_{j,d}^n$
- Pick subset of time series

$$u_{j,d}^n, \dots, u_{j,d}^{n+m}$$

- Train using $\hat{u}_{j,d}^n$ as IC

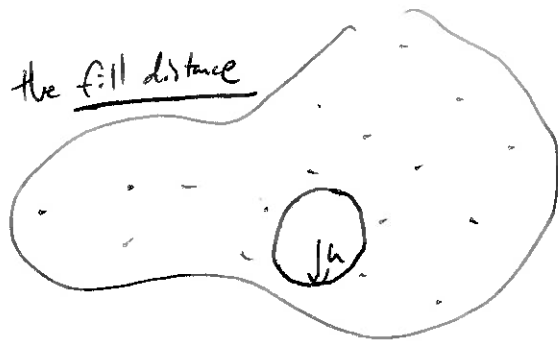


Polynomial Reproduction and least squares

Consider points $\mathcal{X} = \{x_1, \dots, x_N\} \subseteq \Omega \subseteq \mathbb{R}^d$

For scattered data characterize the fill distance

$$h_{\mathcal{X}, \Omega} = \sup_{x \in \Omega} \min_{1 \leq j \leq N} \|x - x_j\|_2$$



Biggest ball in Ω w/o data in it

Separation Distance

$$\delta_{\mathcal{X}} := \frac{1}{2} \min_{i \neq j} \|x_i - x_j\|_2$$

def Data sites are quasi-uniform ~~iff~~ (w/ constant c_{qu})

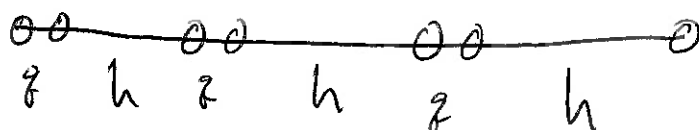
if
$$\delta_{\mathcal{X}} \leq h_{\mathcal{X}, \Omega} \leq c_{qu} \delta_{\mathcal{X}}$$

For our FD stencils so far

$$h_{\mathcal{X}, \Omega} = h$$

$$\delta_{\mathcal{X}} = h$$

$$\Rightarrow c_{qu} = 1$$



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Introduce moving least squares, generalized FDM

$$\text{For } x \in \Sigma \quad S_{f, \Sigma}(x) = p^*(x)$$

$$\min_p \sum_{i=1}^N [f(x_i) - p(x_i)]^2 w(x, x_i) : p \in \Pi_m(\mathbb{R}^d)$$

We'll assume $w(x, y) = \bar{\Phi}_g(x - y)$

As a simple example where $m=0$

$$\min_{c(x)} \sum_{i=1}^N \frac{1}{2} (f(x_i) - c(x))^2 \bar{\Phi}_g(x - x_i)$$

Taking derivative and setting to zero

$$0 = \frac{\partial}{\partial c(x)} \sum_{i=1}^N (f(x_i) - c(x)) \bar{\Phi}_g(x - x_i)$$

$$c(x) = \frac{\sum_i \bar{\Phi}_g(x - x_i) f(x_i)}{\sum_i \bar{\Phi}_g(x - x_i)}$$

and we recover Kernel density estimation
aka the Shepard Interpolant

Thm Solving the moving least squares problem is equivalent to solving

$$s_{f, \bar{x}}(x) = \sum_i a_i^*(x) f(x_i)$$

$$a_i^* = \arg \min \frac{1}{2} \sum_i a_i(x)^2 \frac{1}{\Phi_S(x-x_i)}$$

(DP)
dual problem

$$s.t. \sum a_j(x) p(x_j) = p(x)$$

Rmk

We can thus search for a minimal norm stencil that has reproduction properties

Pf

Set some notation \rightarrow lin alg heavy

$$a \in \mathbb{R}^N$$

N - # nodes

$$M = \dim(\Pi_m(\mathbb{R}^d))$$

$$W = \text{diag}(\Phi_S(x-x_i)) \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times N}$$

$$P(x) \in \mathbb{R}^M$$

$$P(x_i) \in \mathbb{R}^{M \times N}$$

$$u := u(x_i) \in \mathbb{R}^N$$

$$C \in \mathbb{R}^M$$

\leftarrow will write as P and distinguish against $P(x)$

Pf Rinal Problem

$$\min_{c \in \mathbb{R}^m} \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} (u - cP)^T W (u - cP)}_L$$

Expanding

$$L = \frac{1}{2} c^T P W P^T c - u W P^T c + \overset{K}{\text{stuff indep of } c}$$

Recall $\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \frac{1}{2} x^T A x = \frac{1}{2} (A + A^T) x$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} y^T x = y$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial c} = P W P^T c - W P^T u = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow c = (P W P^T)^{-1} W P^T u$$

$$S_{f, \mathcal{X}}(x) = c \cdot P(x)$$

$$= \boxed{P(x)^T (P W P^T)^{-1} W P^T u}$$

Dual Problem

$$s(x) = a(x) \cdot u(x_i)$$

$$\min_{a \in \mathbb{R}^N} \frac{1}{2} a(x)^T W^{-1} a(x)$$

$$\text{s.t. } a(x)^T P = P(x)$$

Applying Schur complement formula from before

$$\text{KKT} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} W^{-1} & P^T \\ P & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a(x) \\ \lambda \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ P(x) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$S = P W P^T$$

$$\lambda = -S^{-1} P(x)$$

$$a(x) = -W P^T \lambda$$

$$= W P^T S^{-1} P(x)$$

$$s(x) = u^T a(x)$$

$$= u^T W P^T S^{-1} P(x)$$

$$= \boxed{P^T(x) (P W P^T)^{-1} P W u}$$



Corr Replace $a(x)^T P = P(x)$ constraint
 with $a(x)^T P = \cancel{P(x)}$
 $= D^\alpha P(x)$ constraint

to obtain differential operators/stencils

(Q?) Is polynomial reproduction set non-empty?

Thm (Wendland "Scattered Data Approx" Thm 4.7)

Suppose $\Omega \subseteq \mathbb{R}^d$ is compact and satisfies an interior cone condition w/ $\theta \in (0, \pi/2)$ and radius ϵ . Then there exists $a^*(x)$ for any x such that

- ① $\sum_j a_j^*(x) p(x_j) = p(x) \quad \forall p \in \Pi_m(\mathbb{R}^d)$
- ② $\sum_j |a_j^*(x)| \leq \tilde{C}_1$
- ③ $a_j^*(x) = 0$ if $\|x - x_j\|_2 > \tilde{C}_2 h_{x,\Omega}$

For \tilde{C}_1 and \tilde{C}_2 indep of $h_{x,\Omega}$ that can be ~~solved for~~ explicitly derived