
Image Denoising - Part 2 - Homework 3

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Exercise 2.1:

The gradient descent is an iterative minimization method with the following update equation:

$$u^{t+1} = u^t - \eta \nabla E_{\theta}^{FoE}(u^t, v)$$

The gradient descent of E_{θ}^{FoE} is calculated as follow:

$$E_{\theta}^{FoE}(u_t, v) = \frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \|u_t - v\|^2 + \sum_{x \in \Omega} \sum_{i=1}^N \phi_i(k_i * u_t(x)) + \text{constants}$$

$$\nabla E_{\theta}^{FoE}(u_t, v) = \frac{1}{\sigma^2} (u_t - v) + \sum_{x \in \Omega} \sum_{i=1}^N \nabla(k_i * u_t(x)) \phi'_i(k_i * u_t(x))$$

We have: $k_i * u_t(x) = \sum_{j=1}^d u_t(x - j) k_i(j)$ with $k_i \in \mathbb{R}^d$.

$$\Rightarrow \nabla_{u_t}(k_i * u_t(x)) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ 0 \\ k_i(d) \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ k_i(1) \\ 0 \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{this vector has the same size as the vector } u_t.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \nabla E_{\theta}^{FoE}(u_t, v) &= \frac{1}{\sigma^2} (u_t - v) + \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{x \in \Omega} \begin{pmatrix} k_i(d) \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ k_i(1) \end{pmatrix} \phi'_i(k_i * u_t)(x) \\ &= \frac{1}{\sigma^2} (u_t - v) + \sum_{i=1}^N \bar{k}_i * \phi'_i(k_i * u_t) \end{aligned}$$

Where:

- \bar{k}_i is a π -rotation of the convolution kernel k_i .
- $\phi'(u)$, for an image u , denotes the image resulting from applying ϕ' to every pixel u
i.e. $\phi'(u)(x) = \phi'(u(x))$

Conclusion:

$$u^{t+1} = u^t - \eta \left(\frac{1}{\sigma^2} (u^t - v) + \sum_{i=1}^N \bar{k}_i * \phi'_i(k_i * u^t) \right)$$

Exercise 2.2:

We assume that the data is distributed according to $p(u)$. The limit of the log-likelihood when $m \rightarrow \infty$:

$$L_\infty(\theta) = \mathbb{E}\{\log(p_\theta(u))\} = \int \log(p_\theta(u))p(u)du = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{m} \sum_{j=1}^m \log p_\theta(u_j)$$

$$\text{Max}_\theta L_\infty(\theta) \iff \text{Max}_\theta \int \log(p_\theta(u))p(u)du$$

$$\iff \text{Min}_\theta - \int \log(p_\theta(u))p(u)du$$

$$\iff \text{Min}_\theta \left\{ - \int \log(p_\theta(u))p(u)du + \int \log(p(u))p(u)du \right\}$$

the second term is independent from θ

$$\iff \text{Min}_\theta \int \log\left(\frac{p(u)}{p_\theta(u)}\right)p(u)du$$

$$\iff \text{Min}_\theta KL(p(u)||p_\theta(u))$$