

# Studies on PINNs

## The PINN Module and Future Studies

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# The Progress

- Reproduced the laminar flow over a cylinder  
**rao`physics-informed`2020**.
- Tried to understand the implementation and how it could be generalized. Since the source is in Tensorflow 1 (**abadi`tensorflow`2016**), the user is the one who almost directly implements the computation graph.
- Read other papers that implements PINNs in TF2:
  - ▶ **DeepXDE** by **lu`deepxde`2021**. (Residual Based Adaptive Refinement)
  - ▶ **Elvet** by **araz`elvet`2021**. (Gradient Stack)
  - ▶ **dNNSolve** by **guidetti`dnnsolve`2021**. (Fourier Neural Nets)
  - ▶ **IDRLnet** by **peng`idrlnet`2021**. (Constraint Importance is proportional to its domain area)
  - ▶ **PyDEns** by **koryagin`pydens`2019**. (Deep Galerkin)
  - ▶ **TensorDiffEq** by **mcclenny`tensordiffeq`2021**. (`tf.gradients` instead of `tf.GradientTape`)

# Problem in Mathematical Terms I

## The Domain

- Suppose we are given a problem in  $D$  number of space time dimensions. Namely, we have time  $t$ , and  $D - 1$  number of spatial dimensions. Then, the domain can be represented as:
  - ▶  $D = [t_0, t_1] \times \Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^D$  where,
  - ▶  $\Omega \subseteq \mathbb{R}^{D-1}$ , is the spatial domain for which,
    - ★  $\vec{x} = [x_1 \ x_2 \ \cdots \ x_{D-1}]^T$  is an element of  $\Omega$ .
  - ▶ We can represent the elements of space-time domain as a column vector  $\varphi = [t \ x_1 \ x_2 \ \cdots \ x_{D-1}]^T \in \mathbb{R}^D$ .
  - ▶ With the above definitions, let us say that  $\vec{u}(\varphi)$  is the desired solution of the problem.
  - ▶ Also let  $\hat{u}(\varphi)$  be the solution approximated by the Neural Network.
  - ▶ We generalize the desired solution to be in any dimension, so that it could be the measure of various quantities like; velocity, pressure etc.

# Problem in Mathematical Terms II

## Governing Equations - PDEs

Let us look at the governing equations as well:

- Partial Differential Equations:

- ▶ Suppose the PDEs have the form  $f_i(\varphi, \vec{u}(\varphi)) := 0$ ,  $\varphi \in T_\Omega \subseteq D$ .
- ▶ If we have  $n_\Omega$  number of PDEs their representation would be:

$$\vec{f}(\varphi, \vec{u}(\varphi)) := [f_1 \quad f_2 \quad \cdots \quad f_{n_\Omega}]^T = \vec{0} \quad (1)$$

- ▶ Let us denote the number of collocation points sampled for the PDEs as  $N_\Omega$ . Which is equivalent to say,  $|T_\Omega| = N_\Omega$ .

# Problem in Mathematical Terms III

## Governing Equations - ICs

### • Initial Conditions:

- ▶ Suppose the ICs have the form  $g_i(\varphi, \vec{u}(\varphi)) := 0, \varphi \in T_{0_i} \subseteq D$ .
- ▶  $|T_{0_i}| = N_{0_i}$ , number of collocation points samples for the  $i^{th}$  IC.
- ▶ For the initial condition we now that  $t = t_0$ , hence  $T_{0_i} = \{t_0\} \times I_i$ .
- ▶ The spatial domain of IC is  $I_i \subseteq \Omega$ .
- ▶ The spatial domains of initial conditions cannot coincide thus,  $I_i \cap I_j = \emptyset, i \neq j$ .
- ▶ Let us define the set for all the sets for IC domains,  $\Gamma_0 = \{T_{0_i}\}_{1 \leq i \leq n_0}$ .
- ▶ Since IC domains do not intersect we have the total number of IC collocation points as:

$$N_0 = \sum_{i=1}^{n_0} |T_{0_i}|$$

# Problem in Mathematical Terms IV

## Governing Equations - BCs

- Boundary Conditions:

- ▶ Suppose the BCs have the form  $h_i(\varphi, \vec{u}(\varphi)) := 0, \varphi \in T_{0_i} \subseteq D$ .
- ▶  $|T_{\partial\Omega_i}| = N_{\partial\Omega_i}$ , number of collocation points samples for the  $i^{th}$  BC.
- ▶ For the boundary conditions,  $T_{\partial\Omega_i} = [t_0, t_1] \times B_i$ .
- ▶ The spatial domain of BC is  $B_i \subseteq \partial\Omega$ .
- ▶ The spatial domains of boundary conditions cannot coincide thus,  $B_i \cap B_j = \emptyset, i \neq j$ .
- ▶ Let us define the set for all the sets for BC domains,  
 $\Gamma_{\partial\Omega} = \{T_{\partial\Omega_i}\}_{1 \leq i \leq n_{\partial\Omega}}$ .
- ▶ Since BC domains do not intersect we have the total number of BC collocation points as:

$$N_{\partial\Omega} = \sum_{i=1}^{n_{\partial\Omega}} |T_{\partial\Omega_i}|$$

# Problem in Mathematical Terms V

## The Loss Functions

Suppose we use MSE to compute the Neural Networks Loss.

$$L_0 := L_0(\Gamma_0, \theta) = \sum_{T_{0,i} \in \Gamma_0} \frac{1}{|T_{0,i}|} \sum_{\varphi \in T_{0,i}} \|g_i(\varphi, \hat{u}(\varphi))\|_2^2 \quad (2)$$

$$L_{\partial\Omega} := L_{\partial\Omega}(\Gamma_0, \theta) = \sum_{T_{\partial\Omega,i} \in \Gamma_{\partial\Omega}} \frac{1}{|T_{\partial\Omega,i}|} \sum_{\varphi \in T_{\partial\Omega,i}} \|h_i(\varphi, \hat{u}(\varphi))\|_2^2 \quad (3)$$

$$L_{\Omega} := L_{\Omega}(T_{\Omega}, \theta) = \frac{1}{|T_{\Omega}|} \sum_{\varphi \in T_{\Omega}} \|f_i(\varphi, \hat{u}(\varphi))\|_2^2 \quad (4)$$

$$L = \alpha_0 L_0 + \alpha_{\partial\Omega} L_{\partial\Omega} + L_{\Omega} \quad (5)$$

## Residuals

Notice that the functions  $f_i$ ,  $g_i$ , and  $h_i$ 's are the residuals that we are trying to minimize. In other words we want them to converge to 0. Thus NNs loss can be written in terms of  $L(f_i(\varphi), \vec{0})$ ,  $L(g_i(\varphi), \vec{0})$ , and  $L(h_i(\varphi), \vec{0})$ .



# Generalization

Instead of separately handling PDEs, BCs, and ICs we can further generalize the residuals. We can think of each equation as a constraint, then each constraint has a domain and a residual. This way we will have only a single summation as a loss function.

$$L := L(\Gamma, \theta) = \sum_{T_i \in \Gamma} \frac{1}{|T_i|} \sum_{\varphi \in T_i} C(g_i(\varphi, \hat{u}(\varphi)), \vec{0}) \quad (6)$$

## Loss

Here  $C(y_{pred}, y_{true})$  represents any loss function.

# How it Works I

## Example

Let us consider the 1D Heat Conduction. The PDE, BCs, and IC are as follows:

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} - 0.05 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = 0$$

$$u(0, x) = \sin(3\pi x)$$

$$\left. \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \right|_{\partial\Omega} = 0$$

The analytical solution is:  $u(t, x) = \cos(3\pi x)e^{-.05(3\pi)^2 t}$

# How it Works II

## Defining Constraints

# How it Works III

## Defining Model and Training

# How it Works IV

## Gradient Computation Algorithm

# How it Works V

## Training Algorithm

# New Features

- A separate module for domain generation.
- Efficient gradient calculation.
- Ready to use constraints, Neumann BCs, Dirichlet BCs, etc.
- Numeric derivative computation.

# Future Work

- Residual based adaptive refinement.
- Constraint weights proportional to its domain area.
- Fourier Networks in combination to standard networks.
- Dimensionless inputs and outputs.



# References I