

Hackathon

Group 2

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1 Model problem

We start with a four-dimensional data set for the electric field E and the magnetic field H . They are both complex data of dimension $8 \times 121 \times 111 \times 126$ and can be interpreted as two functions

$$E_i : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^3, \quad H_i : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^3 \quad \{i = 1, \dots, 8\}$$

which are only applied on a grid of grid-size 4mm. Especially the total field strength can be written as

$$E = \sum_{i=1}^8 E_i, \quad H = \sum_{i=1}^8 H_i$$

If we adapt the fields at each dipole through an amplitude A_i and phase φ we can write the custom fields as

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{H}_i &= A_i \cdot \exp(i \cdot \varphi_i) \cdot H_i \\ \hat{E}_i &= A_i \cdot \exp(i \cdot \varphi_i) \cdot E_i \end{aligned}$$

In the same way as before the total field strength of the adapted fields is then

$$\hat{E} = \sum_{i=1}^8 \hat{E}_i, \quad \hat{H} = \sum_{i=1}^8 \hat{H}_i$$

Now we can define the B_1^+ -field as a function which takes a three-dimensional real input x :

$$\begin{aligned} B_1^+ : \mathbb{R}^3 &\rightarrow \mathbb{C} \\ x &\mapsto \text{proj}_1(\hat{H}(x)) + i \cdot \text{proj}_2(\hat{H}(x)) \end{aligned}$$

Finally we define the Specific Absorption Rate (SAR) as

$$\text{SAR} = \frac{|E(x)|^2 \cdot \sigma(x)}{\rho(x)}$$

Then we can define two cost functions as follows with D as the human area and $|D|$ as the amount of voxels of the human area. The first one calculates the B_1 -homogeneity

$$\text{cost}_1(\varphi, A) = \frac{\text{mean}(|B_1^+|)}{\text{std}(|B_1^+|)}$$

and based upon that the seconds cost function incorporates additionally the SAR

$$\text{cost}_2(\varphi, A) = \frac{\text{mean}(|B_1^+|)}{\text{std}(|B_1^+|)} + \lambda \cdot \frac{\min(|B_1^+|)}{\sqrt{\max(\text{SAR})}}$$

We start by writing the formula as a function of H_i .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{mean}(|B_1^+|) &= \frac{1}{|D|} \sum_{x \in D} |B_1^+(x)| \propto \sum_{x \in D} |B_1^+(x)| \\ &= \sum_{x \in D} \sqrt{\Re(B_1^+(x))^2 + \Im(B_1^+(x))^2} \\ &= \sum_{x \in D} \sqrt{\Re((\hat{H}(x))_1 + i \cdot (\hat{H}(x))_2)^2 + \Im((\hat{H}(x))_1 + i \cdot (\hat{H}(x))_2)^2} \\ &= \sum_{x \in D} \sqrt{\Re\left(\sum_{i=1}^8 (\hat{H}_i(x))_1 + i \cdot \sum_{i=1}^8 (\hat{H}_i(x))_2\right)^2 + \Im\left(\sum_{i=1}^8 (\hat{H}_i(x))_1 + i \cdot \sum_{i=1}^8 (\hat{H}_i(x))_2\right)^2} \\ &= \sum_{x \in D} \left(\Re\left(\sum_{i=1}^8 (A_i \cdot \exp(i \cdot \varphi_i) \cdot (H_i(x))_1 + i \cdot \sum_{i=1}^8 (A_i \cdot \exp(i \cdot \varphi_i) \cdot (H_i(x))_2\right)^2 \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \Im\left(\sum_{i=1}^8 (A_i \cdot \exp(i \cdot \varphi_i) \cdot (H_i(x))_1 + i \cdot \sum_{i=1}^8 (A_i \cdot \exp(i \cdot \varphi_i) \cdot (H_i(x))_2\right)^2 \right)^{1/2} \end{aligned}$$

We can now write each element $(H_i(x))_j = (M_i^x)_j \cdot \exp(i \cdot (\phi_i^x)_j) \in \mathbb{C}, M_i^x \in [0, \infty)^3, \phi_i^x \in$

$[0, 2\pi)^3$ and insert it into our formula:

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \sum_{x \in D} \left(\Re \left(\sum_{i=1}^8 A_i (M_i^x)_1 \cdot \exp(i \cdot (\varphi_i + (\phi_i^x)_1)) + A_i (M_i^x)_2 \cdot \exp\left(i \cdot \left(\varphi_i + (\phi_i^x)_2 + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)\right) \right) \right)^2 \\
&\quad + \Im \left(\sum_{i=1}^8 A_i (M_i^x)_1 \cdot \exp(i \cdot (\varphi_i + (\phi_i^x)_1)) + A_i (M_i^x)_2 \cdot \exp\left(i \cdot \left(\varphi_i + (\phi_i^x)_2 + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)\right) \right)^2 \Big)^{1/2} \\
&= \sum_{x \in D} \left(\left(\sum_{i=1}^8 A_i ((M_i^x)_1 \cdot \cos(\varphi_i + (\phi_i^x)_1) - (M_i^x)_2 \cdot \sin(\varphi_i + (\phi_i^x)_2)) \right)^2 \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \left(\sum_{i=1}^8 A_i ((M_i^x)_1 \cdot \sin(\varphi_i + (\phi_i^x)_1) + (M_i^x)_2 \cdot \cos(\varphi_i + (\phi_i^x)_2)) \right)^2 \right)^{1/2} \\
&= \sum_{x \in D} \left(\left(\sum_{i=1}^8 \sum_{j=1}^8 A_i A_j \cdot ((M_i^x)_1 \cdot \cos(\varphi_i + (\phi_i^x)_1) - (M_i^x)_2 \cdot \sin(\varphi_i + (\phi_i^x)_2)) \right. \right. \\
&\quad \cdot ((M_j^x)_1 \cdot \cos(\varphi_j + (\phi_j^x)_1) - (M_j^x)_2 \cdot \sin(\varphi_j + (\phi_j^x)_2)) \Big) \\
&\quad + \left(\sum_{i=1}^8 \sum_{j=1}^8 A_i A_j \cdot ((M_i^x)_1 \cdot \sin(\varphi_i + (\phi_i^x)_1) + (M_i^x)_2 \cdot \cos(\varphi_i + (\phi_i^x)_2)) \right. \\
&\quad \cdot ((M_j^x)_1 \cdot \sin(\varphi_j + (\phi_j^x)_1) + (M_j^x)_2 \cdot \cos(\varphi_j + (\phi_j^x)_2)) \Big) \Big)^{1/2} \\
&= \sum_{x \in D} \left(\sum_{i=1}^8 \sum_{j=1}^8 A_i A_j \cdot \left((M_i^x)_1 (M_j^x)_1 \cdot (\cos(\varphi_i + (\phi_i^x)_1) \cdot \cos(\varphi_j + (\phi_j^x)_1) \right. \right. \\
&\quad + \sin(\varphi_i + (\phi_i^x)_1) \cdot \sin(\varphi_j + (\phi_j^x)_1) \\
&\quad + (M_i^x)_1 (M_j^x)_2 \cdot (\cos(\varphi_j + (\phi_j^x)_2) \cdot \sin(\varphi_i + (\phi_i^x)_1) \\
&\quad - \cos(\varphi_i + (\phi_i^x)_1) \cdot \sin(\varphi_j + (\phi_j^x)_2) \\
&\quad + (M_i^x)_2 (M_j^x)_1 \cdot (\cos(\varphi_i + (\phi_i^x)_2) \cdot \sin(\varphi_j + (\phi_j^x)_1) \\
&\quad - \cos(\varphi_j + (\phi_j^x)_1) \cdot \sin(\varphi_i + (\phi_i^x)_2)) \\
&\quad + (M_i^x)_2 (M_j^x)_2 \cdot (\cos(\varphi_i + (\phi_i^x)_2) \cdot \cos(\varphi_j + (\phi_j^x)_2) \\
&\quad \left. \left. + \sin(\varphi_i + (\phi_i^x)_2) \cdot \sin(\varphi_j + (\phi_j^x)_2) \right) \right) \Big)^{1/2}
\end{aligned}$$

Now we can use the trigonometric equations

$$\begin{aligned}
\sin(x) \cdot \sin(y) &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot (\cos(x - y) - \cos(x + y)) \\
\cos(x) \cdot \cos(y) &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot (\cos(x - y) + \cos(x + y)) \\
\sin(x) \cdot \cos(y) &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot (\sin(x - y) + \sin(x + y))
\end{aligned}$$

to further simplify our equation:

$$\begin{aligned}
= \sum_{x \in D} \left(\sum_{i=1}^8 \sum_{j=1}^8 A_i A_j \cdot \left((M_i^x)_1 (M_j^x)_1 \cdot \cos((\varphi_i - \varphi_j) + ((\phi_i^x)_1 - (\phi_j^x)_1)) \right. \right. \\
+ (M_i^x)_1 (M_j^x)_2 \cdot \sin((\varphi_i - \varphi_j) + ((\phi_i^x)_1 - (\phi_j^x)_2)) \\
+ (M_j^x)_1 (M_i^x)_2 \cdot \sin((\varphi_j - \varphi_i) + ((\phi_j^x)_1 - (\phi_i^x)_2)) \\
\left. \left. + (M_i^x)_2 (M_j^x)_2 \cdot \cos((\varphi_i - \varphi_j) + ((\phi_i^x)_2 - (\phi_j^x)_2)) \right) \right)^{1/2}
\end{aligned}$$