

Math 3890, Machine Problem 10: Due Tu., 3/30/21

- 1) Write a function `c = scat0d(d,x,y,z,v1,v2,v3,e1,e2,e3,ie1,ie2)` that finds a C^0 spline of s degree d that interpolates scattered data where (x,y) are the sample points and z contains the values to be interpolated. The spline should be defined on the triangulation described by `x,y,v1,...,ie2`. For each triangle T
 - a) set the coefficients associated with the three vertices to the data values (this insures interpolation)
 - b) find the m vertex points closest to the barycenter of T . Drop the first three of these (they will be the vertices of T).
 - c) write observation equations for each of these remaining points and solve them by least-squares to get the coefficients of the spline corresponding to the domain points of T minus the 3 vertices.

You may use my functions `getindex`, `bcoord` and `basisv`.

- 2) You should choose $m = 3n_d$, where n_d is the dimension of the space of polynomials of degree d . Use `knnsearch` to find the m points for each triangle. Note that to speed up your code, you can do all triangles at once with a single call of this function.
- 3) Write a script to test your function. It should
 - a) call `readtri` to read a triangulation from a file
 - b) set $z = f(x,y)$, where f is Franke's function
 - c) Prompt for d and use `scat0d` to compute the coefficients.
 - d) Use `valspgrid` to find the values of the spline on a 71×71 grid covering the triangulation.
 - e) Use these values to plot the spline and compute max and RMS errors.
- 4) Run your script for $d = 3$ with type-2 triangulations with 81 and with 289 vertices. Report the errors and submit the plots.
- 5) Repeat your tests with $d = 5$.