

A fast 3D gravity forward algorithm based on cyclic convolution

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The code is written in Matlab R2022a. The NED (North-East-Downward) coordinate system as positive x, y, and z directions is picked. Pseudo-code for novel spatial domain convolution fast forward modeling algorithm is shown following.

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Algorithm:  $G = \text{Graconvel} ( \text{Density}, r, dr, t )$   
  
Fast calculation of gravity field for 3D density models  
  
Input :  
  
Density: Model density matrix;  
r: Relative distance between model and grid;  
dr: Size of the sub-cell model in x,y,z direction, respectively;  
t: The number of points in x,y,z direction, respectively.  
Output :  
  
G: Gravity field of models.  
  
1 Function  $G = \text{Graconvel} ( \text{Density}, r, dr, t )$   
    // Obtain the coordinate information of the field source and the measurement network.  
2     $[ sN, sE, sZ ] = \text{size} ( \text{Density} );$   
3     $dE = dr(1), dN = dr(2), dZ = dr(3);$   
4     $rE = r(1), rN = r(2), rZ = r(3);$   
5     $tN = t(1), tN = t(2), tZ = t(3);$   
6     $x = [ 0 : tN - 1, -sN + 1 : -1 ] * dN - rN;$   
7     $y = [ 0 : tE - 1, -sE + 1 : -1 ] * dE - rE;$   
8     $z = [ 0 : tZ - 1, -sZ + 1 : -1 ] * dZ - rZ;$   
    // Constructing new kernel function matrix.  
9     $[ E, N, Z ] = \text{meshgrid} ( y, x, z );$   
    // Use Formula (4)  
10    $K = \text{GaltranGra} ( N, E, Z, 0, 0, 0, dN, dE, dZ );$   
    // Build new field source  
11    $\text{Densitynew} = \text{zeros} ( \text{size} ( N ) );$   
12    $\text{Densitynew}( 1:sN, 1:sE, 1:sZ ) = \text{Density};$   
    // Convolution into frequency-domain dot product  
13    $T = \text{ifftn} ( \text{fftn} ( \text{Densitynew} ) .* \text{fftn} ( K ) );$   
    // Intercept and obtain the gravity at grid  
14    $G = T( 1 : tN, 1 : tE, 1 : tZ );$   
15   return G;  
16 end
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Code Description

1、 Our methond

Fast computation of gravity field based on circular convolution.

Main function:

Cal_ModelGravityinFourie.m

Calling sub-functions:

- *Cal_tranGraf.m* : Analytic formula method for calculating the gravity of a cube
- *GraconvlP.m* : Construct the circular kernel matrix and calculate the gravity field using FFT algorithm

2、 In space domain

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✧ *Note: See code comments for detailed parameters.*