

CPSC 589 - Assignment 2

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1. (10 marks) For the case of a planar B-spline curve, does symmetry of the control polygon with respect to the y-axis imply the same symmetry for the curve?

No.

Assuming uniform knot sequences, this is. $P_0 = (-1, -1), P_1 = (0, 0), P_2 = (1, -1)$, is symmetric, as is

// $P_0 = (-1, 1), P_1 = (1, 1), P_2 = (-1, 1), P_3 = (1, 1)$

However, with a different knot sequence: 0,0,1 This is no longer symmetric.

2. (10 marks) Derive the formula of third order B-spline with uniform, integer knot sequence from deBoor's recursive formula.

$$N_{i,r}(u) = \frac{u - u_i}{u_{i+r-1} - u_i} N_{i,r-1}(u) + \frac{u_{i+r} - u}{u_{i+r} - u_{i+1}} N_{i+1,r-1}(u)$$

and

$$N_{i,1}(u) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } u_i \leq u \leq u_{i+1} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Thus:

$$\begin{aligned} N_{i,3}(u) &= \frac{u - u_i}{u_{i+2} - u_i} N_{i,2}(u) + \frac{u_{i+3} - u}{u_{i+3} - u_{i+1}} N_{i+1,2}(u) \\ &= \frac{u - u_i}{u_{i+2} - u_i} \left(\frac{u - u_i}{u_{i+1} - u_i} N_{i,1}(u) + \frac{u_{i+2} - u}{u_{i+2} - u_{i+1}} N_{i+1,1}(u) \right) \\ &\quad + \frac{u_{i+3} - u}{u_{i+3} - u_{i+1}} \left(\frac{u - u_i}{u_{i+1} - u_i} N_{i,1}(u) + \frac{u_{i+2} - u}{u_{i+2} - u_{i+1}} N_{i+1,1}(u) \right) \\ &= \frac{u - u_i}{u_{i+2} - u_i} \frac{u - u_i}{u_{i+1} - u_i} \quad \quad \quad (\text{ if } (u_i \leq u \leq u_{i+1})) \\ &\quad + \frac{u - u_i}{u_{i+2} - u_i} \frac{u_{i+2} - u}{u_{i+2} - u_{i+1}} \quad \quad \quad (\text{ if } (u_{i+1} \leq u \leq u_{i+2})) \\ &\quad + \frac{u_{i+3} - u}{u_{i+3} - u_{i+1}} \frac{u - u_i}{u_{i+1} - u_i} \quad \quad \quad (\text{ if } (u_{i+2} \leq u \leq u_{i+3})) \\ &\quad + \frac{u_{i+3} - u}{u_{i+3} - u_{i+1}} \frac{u_{i+2} - u}{u_{i+2} - u_{i+1}} \quad \quad \quad (\text{ if } (u_{i+3} \leq u \leq u_{i+4})) \end{aligned}$$

Note: I have made a mistake in the above, where on every branch on the right-side, is wrongly offset.

3. 3 (10 marks) Show that B-splines of order 3 on 0,0,0,1,1,1 are second degree Berenstein polynomials.

The second degree berenstein polynomial:

$$u^2 P_2 + (1-u) * u P_1 + (1-u)^2 P_0$$

So for $i = 0$:

$$N_{i=0,3}(u) = \frac{u-0}{0-0} \frac{u-0}{0-0} + \frac{u-0}{0-0} \frac{0-u}{0-0} + \frac{1-u}{1-0} \frac{u-0}{0-0} + \frac{1-u}{1-0} \frac{0-u}{0-0}$$

So for $i = 1$:

$$\begin{aligned} N_{i=1,3}(u) &= \frac{u-u_i}{u_{i+2}-u_i} \frac{u-u_i}{u_{i+1}-u_i} && (\text{ if } (u_i \leq u \leq u_{i+1})) \\ &+ \frac{u-u_i}{u_{i+2}-u_i} \frac{u_{i+2}-u}{u_{i+2}-u_{i+1}} && (\text{ if } (u_{i+1} \leq u \leq u_{i+2})) \\ &+ \frac{u_{i+3}-u}{u_{i+3}-u_{i+1}} \frac{u-u_i}{u_{i+1}-u_i} && (\text{ if } (u_{i+2} \leq u \leq u_{i+3})) \\ &+ \frac{u_{i+3}-u}{u_{i+3}-u_{i+1}} \frac{u_{i+2}-u}{u_{i+2}-u_{i+1}} && = \frac{u-0}{1-0} \frac{u-0}{0-0} \quad (\text{ if } (u_{i+3} \leq u \leq u_{i+4})) \\ &+ \frac{u-0}{1-0} \frac{1-u}{1-0} \\ &+ \frac{1-u}{1-0} \frac{u-0}{0-0} \\ &= u * (1-u) + (1-u)(1-u) \end{aligned}$$

So for $i = 2$:

$$\begin{aligned} N_{i=2,3}(u) &= \frac{u-u_2}{u_4-u_2} \frac{u-u_2}{u_3-u_2} \\ &+ \frac{u-u_2}{u_4-u_2} \frac{u_4-u}{u_4-u_3} \\ &+ \frac{u_5-u}{u_3-u_3} \frac{u-u_2}{u_3-u_2} \\ &+ \frac{u_5-u}{u_3-u_3} \frac{u_4-u}{u_4-u_3} \\ &= \frac{u-0}{1-0} \frac{u-0}{1-0} \\ &+ \frac{u-0}{1-0} \frac{1-u}{1-1} \\ &+ \frac{1-u}{1-1} \frac{u-0}{1-0} \\ &+ \frac{1-u}{1-1} \frac{1-u}{1-1} \\ &= u * u + (1-u) * u + 0 + 0 \end{aligned}$$

Note: Due to the prior question mistakes, $i=0$, and $i=1$ is wrong.

4. (10 marks) Consider the following B-spline surface:

a) How many non-zero terms does $S(u, v)$ have?

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b) Which terms are the non-zero values? use the δ notation.

We use u_v , where v are these values:

$\delta_{0,0}$	$\delta_{1,0}$	$\delta_{2,0}$	$\delta_{3,0}$
$\delta_{0,1}$	$\delta_{1,1}$	$\delta_{2,1}$	$\delta_{3,1}$
$\delta_{0,2}$	$\delta_{1,2}$	$\delta_{2,2}$	$\delta_{3,2}$

5. (10 marks) The first quadratic B-spline basis function defining on positive integer numbers (knot sequence) is given as:

- a) Show that $N_{0,3}(u)$ is really a third order spline function (verify the necessary properties only at $u = 0$).

At $N_{0,3}$, we must show that it is continuous, and hence a spline function:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{At } u = 0: \quad C^0 : 0 = u^2/2 \rightarrow 0 = 0 \quad C^1 : 0 = u^2/2 \rightarrow 0 = 0 \quad C^2 : 0 = u \rightarrow 0 = 0 \\ C^3 : 0 = 0 \rightarrow 0 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, it has C^3 continuity at $u = 0$, which is all that was requested.

- b) Determine $N_{5,3}(u)$ (try to use $N_{0,3}(u)$). Show your work.

As the above equation is for the uniform-knot sequence, and there isn't any reason to assume it is not uniform, we can $N_{i,3}(u) = N_{0,3}(u - i)$. Which gives us:

$$N_{5,3}(u) = N_{0,3}(u - 5)$$