

Approximation order of non-stationary subdivision schemes

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How to check reproduction of Φ_N ?

Proposition [Conti and R. (2011)]

Let $a^{[k]}(z) = \sum_{i \in \mathbb{Z}} a_i^{[k]} z^i$, $z \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$ be the k th level symbol of a convergent and non-singular subdivision scheme $\{S_{\mathbf{a}^{[k]}}, k \geq 0\}$. Then $\{S_{\mathbf{a}^{[k]}}, k \geq 0\}$ reproduces Φ_N w.r.t. the parametrization $\mathcal{T}^{[k]} = \{t_i^{[k]} = \frac{i+p}{2^k}, i \in \mathbb{Z}\}$ (with shift parameter $p \in \mathbb{R}$) if and only if

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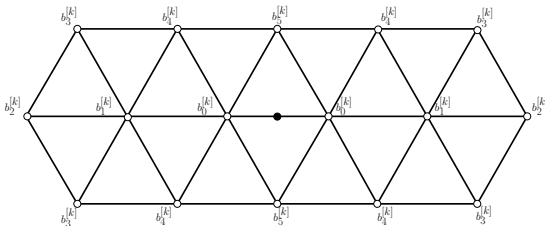
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A bivariate example [Novara, R. and Yoon (2016)]

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- a) $\lambda \in [0, \pi) \cup i\mathbb{R}^+$
 $v^{[k]} = \cos\left(\frac{\lambda}{2^{k+1}}\right), \forall k \geq 0$
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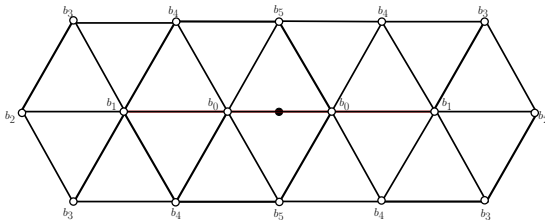
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$$\begin{aligned} b_3^{[k]} &= -(2(v^{[k]})^2 - 1)w^{[k]} + \frac{2v^{[k]}+1}{64(v^{[k]})^2(2v^{[k]}-1)(v^{[k]}+1)^2} \\ b_4^{[k]} &= 4(v^{[k]})^2(2(v^{[k]})^2 - 1)w^{[k]} - \frac{2v^{[k]}+1}{16(2v^{[k]}-1)(v^{[k]}+1)^2} \\ b_5^{[k]} &= -2(4(v^{[k]})^2 - 1)(2(v^{[k]})^2 - 1)w^{[k]} + \frac{(2v^{[k]}+1)^2}{32(v^{[k]})^2(v^{[k]}+1)^2} \end{aligned}$$

☞ For all choices of $\{w^{[k]}, k \geq 0\}$ in b), $\{S_{\mathbf{a}^{[k]}}, k \geq 0\}$ is Φ_γ -reproducing with

$$\Phi_\gamma = \{1, x, y, e^{\pm\lambda x}, e^{\pm\lambda y}, e^{\pm\lambda(x+y)}, e^{\pm\lambda(x-y)}\}, \quad \gamma = 11 > \#(\Pi_3^2)$$

$\{S_{\mathbf{a}}[k], k \geq 0\}$ is *asymptotically equivalent* to the interpolatory stationary scheme $\{S_{\mathbf{a}}\}$ having edge point stencil



$$b_0 = 2w + \frac{9}{16}$$

$$b_3 = \frac{3}{256} - w$$

$$b_1 = -3w - \frac{1}{16}$$

$$b_4 = 4w - \frac{3}{64}$$

$$b_2 = w$$

$$b_5 = \frac{9}{128} - 6w$$

Indeed, the associated subdivision masks $\{\mathbf{a}^{[k]}, k \geq 0\}$ and $\{\mathbf{a}\}$ satisfy

$$\|\mathbf{a}^{[k]} - \mathbf{a}\|_{\infty} \leq C 2^{-2k}$$

The stationary scheme $\{S_{\mathbf{a}}\}$ reproduces Π_5^2 for all $w \in \mathbb{R}$

Since $N = 6$, $\nu = 2$, $d = 3$, in view of Theorem II(2D), for $f \in W_{\infty}^6(\Omega)$ the scheme $\{S_{\mathbf{a}}[k], k \geq 0\}$ has **approximation order 6**.

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