
Subject: Re: inverse gradient

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On Nov 28, 4:31 am, erano <eran.o...@gmail.com> wrote:

> On Nov 27, 5:24 pm, Jeremy Bailin <astroco...@gmail.com> wrote:

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>> On Nov 27, 3:27 am, erano <eran.o...@gmail.com> wrote:

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>>>> "inverse" meaning what for a vector-field?

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>>>> Paolo

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>>> "inverse" is the opposite operation for gradient.

>>> The inputs are 2D gradient images (dX and dY), where high values are

>>> large changes in the "inverse gradient" image, and zeros are stable

>>> (no changes) in the "inverse gradient".

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>>> Eran

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>> I would never use this in production code, but here's a hack that will

>> give you something to look at:

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>> scalarfield = total(dX, /cumulative, 1) + total(dY, /cumulative, 2)

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>> The real solution is to replace those totals with actual integrals.

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>> -Jeremy.

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> Thanks,

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> It's the simplest way. it's basicly works but with errors.

> I found few articlies about "inverse gradient" on the web, and the

> problem is very complex and the simple MATLAB function (from matlab

> exchange) is expensive (memory).

> The main problem is to solve $A \cdot F = V$ where A is $M \cdot N$ matrix, V is vector

> and we look for F .

> I used LA_LEAST_SQUARES (with all possible methods) for solve this

> but it is slow and have memory problem. please note that most of A

> matrix are zeros...

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> Any ideas?

Oddly enough, that's the second time sparse arrays have come up in one week!

You want LINBCG, which takes as input a sparse matrix created using SPRSIN. The help pages on them are pretty decent - give them a read.

-Jeremy.
