

## Serie 6

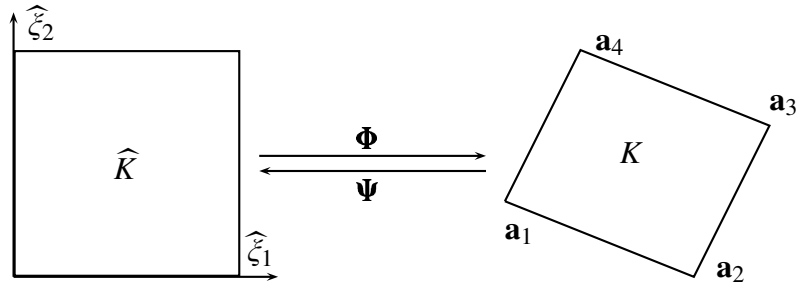
**Theoretical Exercises:** 1.–3.

**Practical Exercise:** none

1. Consider the following coordinate transformation  $\Phi : \widehat{K} \rightarrow K$  which maps the unit square  $]0; 1[^2$  to an arbitrary quadrangle with vertices  $\{\mathbf{a}_i = (x_i, y_i)\}_{i=1}^4$

$$\Phi(\widehat{\xi}_1, \widehat{\xi}_2) = \widehat{\xi}_1 \widehat{\xi}_2 \mathbf{a}_1 + \widehat{\xi}_1(1 - \widehat{\xi}_2) \mathbf{a}_2 + (1 - \widehat{\xi}_1)(1 - \widehat{\xi}_2) \mathbf{a}_3 + (1 - \widehat{\xi}_1) \widehat{\xi}_2 \mathbf{a}_4$$

and the inverse transformation  $\Psi := \Phi^{-1}$ .



- (i) Compute the Jacobian matrix  $D\Phi(\boldsymbol{\xi})$  and express its determinant  $|\det D\Phi(\boldsymbol{\xi})|$  with respect to  $\widehat{\xi}_1, \widehat{\xi}_2$ ,  $\{\det(\mathbf{a}_i - \mathbf{a}_{i-1} | \mathbf{a}_i - \mathbf{a}_{i+1})\}_{i=1}^4$  ( $\mathbf{a}_0 = \mathbf{a}_4$  and  $\mathbf{a}_5 = \mathbf{a}_1$ )
- (ii) Show that for an arbitrary matrix  $\mathbf{A} \in \mathbb{R}^{N,N}$ ,  $N \in \mathbb{N}$  following holds

$$\|\mathbf{A}\| \leq \|\mathbf{A}\|_F$$

where  $\|\cdot\|_F$  denotes the Frobenius norm on  $\mathbb{R}^{N,N}$  which is defined by

$$\|\mathbf{A}\|_F = \left( \sum_{i,j=1}^N a_{ij}^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}, \quad \mathbf{A} = (a_{ij})_{i,j=1}^N.$$

- (iii) Show that for an arbitrary  $u \in H^1(K)$  following holds

$$|u|_{H^1(K)} \leq \max_{\boldsymbol{\xi} \in K} \|D\Psi(\boldsymbol{\xi})\|_F |\det D\Psi(\boldsymbol{\xi})|^{-\frac{1}{2}} |\widehat{u}|_{H^1(\widehat{K})}.$$

where  $\widehat{u} \in H^1(\widehat{K})$  is defined by  $\widehat{u}(\widehat{\boldsymbol{\xi}}) := u(\Phi(\widehat{\boldsymbol{\xi}}))$ .

(iv) Show that for an arbitrary  $u \in H^2(K)$  there holds

$$\left( \sum_{k=1}^2 \left\| \frac{\partial^2 \widehat{u}}{\partial \widehat{\xi}_k^2} \right\|_{L^2(\widehat{K})}^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \leq \max_{\widehat{\xi} \in \widehat{K}} \|D\Phi(\widehat{\xi})\|_F^2 |\det D\Phi(\widehat{\xi})|^{-\frac{1}{2}} \|u\|_{H^2(K)}$$

where  $\widehat{u} \in H^2(\widehat{K})$  is defined by  $\widehat{u}(\widehat{\xi}) := u(\Phi(\widehat{\xi}))$ .

(vi) Let  $Q : H^1(K) \rightarrow H^1(K)$  be an operator satisfying:

$$Qu = u, \quad \forall u \in Q_1 \text{ such that } \widehat{u} \in Q_1$$

Show that the inequality

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} |u - Qu|_{H^1(K)} \leq \gamma \max_{\xi \in K} \|D\Psi(\xi)\|_F |\det D\Psi(\xi)|^{-\frac{1}{2}} \\ \quad \times \max_{\widehat{\xi} \in \widehat{K}} \|D\Phi(\widehat{\xi})\|_F^2 |\det D\Phi(\widehat{\xi})|^{-\frac{1}{2}} \|u\|_{H^2(K)} \end{array} \right.$$

holds for all  $u \in H^2(K)$ , where  $\gamma$  is a constant.

**Hint:** Use the Bramble-Hilbert Lemma:

If  $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^d$  is a bounded Lipschitz-domain and  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ , then  $\exists \gamma = \gamma(m, \Omega) > 0$ :

$$\inf_{p \in Q_{m-1}(\Omega)} \|v - p\|_{H^m(\Omega)} \leq \gamma \left( \sum_{i=1}^d \left\| \frac{\partial^m v}{\partial \xi_i^m} \right\|_{L^2(\Omega)}^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \quad \forall v \in H^m(\Omega).$$

2. For  $\Omega$  a bounded Lipschitz domain, then prove the following result:

$$\|v\|_{H^1(\Omega)}^2 \leq C \|v\|_{L^2(\Omega)} \|v\|_{H^2(\Omega)}, \quad \forall v \in H^2(\Omega).$$

**Hint:** Prove the result for  $\Omega = \mathbb{R}^2$  and use the extension theorem.

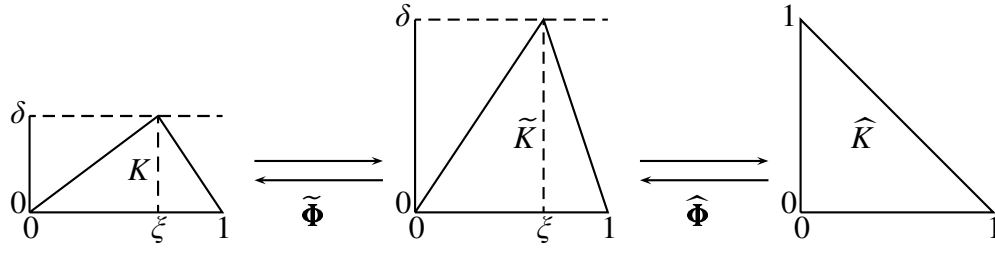
3. Let  $K$  be a triangle with vertices  $(0, 0)$ ,  $(1, 0)$ ,  $(\zeta, \delta)$ , with  $0 \leq \zeta \leq 1$ ,  $0 \leq \delta \leq 1$ . Using the mapping

$$\mathbf{x} = \widetilde{\Phi}(\widetilde{\mathbf{x}}) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \delta \end{bmatrix} \widetilde{\mathbf{x}},$$

we define the function  $\widetilde{u}(\widetilde{\mathbf{x}}) = u(\widetilde{\Phi}(\widetilde{\mathbf{x}}))$  which is defined on  $\widetilde{K} = \widetilde{\Phi}^{-1}(K)$ . Then, using the mapping

$$\widetilde{\mathbf{x}} = \widehat{\Phi}(\widehat{\mathbf{x}}) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \zeta \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \widehat{\mathbf{x}} \quad (1)$$

we again define  $\widehat{u}(\widehat{x}) = u(\widehat{\Phi}(\widehat{\mathbf{x}}))$  which is defined on  $\widehat{K} = \widehat{\Phi}^{-1}(\widetilde{K})$ .



(i) Prove that

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \|\widetilde{u}\|_{L^2(\widetilde{K})} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\delta}} \|u\|_{L^2(K)}, \\ \left\| \frac{\partial^2 \widetilde{u}}{\partial \widetilde{x}^2} \right\|_{L^2(\widetilde{K})} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\delta}} \left\| \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} \right\|_{L^2(K)}, \\ \left\| \frac{\partial^2 \widetilde{u}}{\partial \widetilde{x} \partial \widetilde{y}} \right\|_{L^2(\widetilde{K})} = \sqrt{\delta} \left\| \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} \right\|_{L^2(K)}, \\ \left\| \frac{\partial^2 \widetilde{u}}{\partial \widetilde{y}^2} \right\|_{L^2(\widetilde{K})} = \sqrt{\delta^3} \left\| \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} \right\|_{L^2(K)}. \end{array} \right. \quad (2)$$

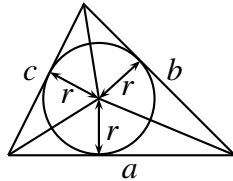
(ii) Use the shape regularity to prove that  $\exists \underline{C}, \overline{C} > 0$  such that:

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \underline{C} \|\widetilde{u}\|_{L^2(\widetilde{K})} \leq \|\widehat{u}\|_{L^2(\widehat{K})} \leq \overline{C} \|\widetilde{u}\|_{L^2(\widetilde{K})}, \\ \underline{C} \left\| \frac{\partial^2 \widetilde{u}}{\partial \widetilde{x}^2} \right\|_{L^2(\widetilde{K})} \leq \left\| \frac{\partial^2 \widehat{u}}{\partial \widehat{x}^2} \right\|_{L^2(\widehat{K})} \leq \overline{C} \left\| \frac{\partial^2 \widetilde{u}}{\partial \widetilde{x}^2} \right\|_{L^2(\widetilde{K})}, \\ \underline{C} \left\| \frac{\partial^2 \widetilde{u}}{\partial \widetilde{x} \partial \widetilde{y}} \right\|_{L^2(\widetilde{K})} \leq \left\| \frac{\partial^2 \widehat{u}}{\partial \widehat{x} \partial \widehat{y}} \right\|_{L^2(\widehat{K})} \leq \overline{C} \left\| \frac{\partial^2 \widetilde{u}}{\partial \widetilde{x} \partial \widetilde{y}} \right\|_{L^2(\widetilde{K})}, \\ \underline{C} \left\| \frac{\partial^2 \widetilde{u}}{\partial \widetilde{y}^2} \right\|_{L^2(\widetilde{K})} \leq \left\| \frac{\partial^2 \widehat{u}}{\partial \widehat{y}^2} \right\|_{L^2(\widehat{K})} \leq \overline{C} \left\| \frac{\partial^2 \widetilde{u}}{\partial \widetilde{y}^2} \right\|_{L^2(\widetilde{K})}. \end{array} \right.$$

**Hint:** Use the formula

$$r(a+b+c) = 2|K| \quad (3)$$

where  $r$  is the radius of the inscribed circle and  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$  are the lengths of the sides.



(iii) Prove that

$$\exists C > 0, \quad \|u - I_{1,K}u\|_{L^2(K)} \leq C |u|_{H^2(K)}. \quad (4)$$

(iv) For a triangular mesh  $M$  over  $\Omega$ , show that:

$$\exists C > 0, \quad \|u - I_{1,M}u\|_{L^2(\Omega)} \leq C h_M^2 |u|_{H^2(\Omega)}, \quad (5)$$

where  $C > 0$  does not depend on the mesh regularity.

**Tutorial:** Thursday 10–11 HG E5, **Starting time:** Thursday, 3.10

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**Testat requirement:** 50% of the theoretical exercises and 50% practical exercises (MAT-  
LAB) should be solved.