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## Behavior of error for eight B.I.E. for the Helmholtz equation

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The goal of this script is testing errors for different boundary integral formulations of

$$\Delta U + k^2 U = 0 \quad \text{in } \Omega_+, \quad \partial_r U - \imath k U = o(r^{-1/2}) \quad \text{as } r \rightarrow \infty,$$

with

$$U = \beta_0 = -U_{\text{inc}} \quad \text{on } \Gamma, \quad \text{or} \quad \partial_\nu U = \beta_1 = -\partial_\nu U_{\text{inc}} \quad \text{on } \Gamma.$$

**Physical parameters, exact solution, geometry, and observation points.** We will write everything in terms of the resolvent equation

$$\Delta U - s^2 U = 0 \quad s = -\imath k.$$

The exact solution is

$$\begin{aligned} U(\mathbf{z}) &:= H_0^{(1)}(\imath s |\mathbf{z} - \mathbf{x}^{\text{sc}}|) \\ U_x(\mathbf{z}) &:= -\imath s (z_1 - x_1^0) H_1^{(1)}(\imath s |\mathbf{z} - \mathbf{x}^{\text{sc}}|) \frac{1}{|\mathbf{z} - \mathbf{x}^0|} \\ U_y(\mathbf{z}) &:= -\imath s (z_2 - x_2^0) H_1^{(1)}(\imath s |\mathbf{z} - \mathbf{x}^{\text{sc}}|) \frac{1}{|\mathbf{z} - \mathbf{x}^0|} \\ \nabla U(\mathbf{z}) &:= (U_x(\mathbf{z}), U_y(\mathbf{z})) \end{aligned}$$

where  $\mathbf{x}^{\text{sc}} := (0.1, 0.2)$  has to be in the interior of the domain. The incident wave

$$U^{\text{inc}} = -U,$$

gives  $U$  as the exact solution of the exterior problem. The geometry is the union of the TV-shape (see deltaBEM documentation), which fits in a square  $[-1.6, 1.6]^2$ , with the ellipse

$$(x_1 - 4)^2 + \frac{1}{4}(x_2 - 5)^2 = 1.$$

The solution will be observed in four exterior points:

$$\mathbf{x}_1^{\text{obs}} := (0, 4), \quad \mathbf{x}_2^{\text{obs}} := (4, 0), \quad \mathbf{x}_3^{\text{obs}} := (-4, 2), \quad \mathbf{x}_4^{\text{obs}} := (2, -4).$$

**Discretization.** We will use  $2N$  points to discretize the TV-shape and  $N$  points to discretize the ellipse. The domains are sampled (three times  $\varepsilon = 0, -1/6, 1/6$ ) and the discrete geometries are merged. Next we compute the elements of the Calderón Calculus,

$$Q, \quad M, \quad V(s), \quad K(s), \quad J(s), \quad W(s).$$

The four operators depend on  $s$  and are output as function handles. We next sample the incident wave (see Chapter 3 of the deltaBEM documentation)

$$\beta_0, \quad \beta_1.$$

Finally we create the single and double layer potentials

$$S(s), \quad D(s)$$

at the observation points.

**Integral formulations.** Non-physical densities will be denoted  $\boldsymbol{\eta}$  for the S.L. potential and  $\boldsymbol{\psi}$  for the D.L. potential. The effective density for the D.L. potential (the one that appears in potential expressions, but not on integral equations) is  $Q\boldsymbol{\psi}$ . The approximation for the exterior trace and normal derivatives will be  $\boldsymbol{\phi}$  and  $\boldsymbol{\lambda}$  respectively. The effective approximation of the exterior trace (appearing in potential expressions, and also as the final approximation of the exterior trace) will be  $\boldsymbol{\varphi} = Q\boldsymbol{\phi}$ .

1. (iD01 - Dirichlet problem – indirect formulation)

$$V(s)\boldsymbol{\eta} = \beta_0, \quad M\boldsymbol{\lambda} = -\frac{1}{2}M\boldsymbol{\eta} + J(s)\boldsymbol{\eta}, \quad U_h = S(s)\boldsymbol{\eta}, \quad M\boldsymbol{\phi} = \beta_0, \quad \boldsymbol{\varphi} = Q\boldsymbol{\phi}.$$

2. (iD02 - Dirichlet problem – indirect formulation)

$$\frac{1}{2}M\boldsymbol{\psi} + K(s)\boldsymbol{\psi} = \beta_0, \quad M\boldsymbol{\lambda} = -W(s)\boldsymbol{\psi}, \quad U_h = D(s)Q\boldsymbol{\psi}, \quad M\boldsymbol{\phi} = \beta_0, \quad \boldsymbol{\varphi} = Q\boldsymbol{\phi}.$$

3. (dD01 - Dirichlet problem – direct formulation)

$$V(s)\boldsymbol{\lambda} = -\frac{1}{2}M\boldsymbol{\phi} + K(s)\boldsymbol{\phi}, \quad U_h = D(s)Q\boldsymbol{\phi} - S(s)\boldsymbol{\lambda}, \quad M\boldsymbol{\phi} = \beta_0, \quad \boldsymbol{\varphi} = Q\boldsymbol{\phi}.$$

4. (dD02 - Dirichlet problem – direct formulation)

$$\frac{1}{2}M\boldsymbol{\lambda} + J(s)\boldsymbol{\lambda} = -W(s)\boldsymbol{\phi}, \quad U_h = DQ\boldsymbol{\phi} - S(s)\boldsymbol{\lambda}, \quad M\boldsymbol{\phi} = \beta_0, \quad \boldsymbol{\varphi} = Q\boldsymbol{\phi}.$$

5. (iN01 - Neumann problem – indirect formulation)

$$-\frac{1}{2}M\boldsymbol{\eta} + J(s)\boldsymbol{\eta} = \beta_1, \quad M\boldsymbol{\phi} = V(s)\boldsymbol{\eta}, \quad U_h = S(s)\boldsymbol{\eta}, \quad M\boldsymbol{\lambda} = \beta_1, \quad \boldsymbol{\varphi} = Q\boldsymbol{\phi}.$$

6. (iN02 - Neumann problem – indirect formulation)

$$W(s)\boldsymbol{\psi} = -\beta_1, \quad M\boldsymbol{\phi} = \frac{1}{2}M\boldsymbol{\psi} + K(s)\boldsymbol{\psi}, \quad U_h = D(s)Q\boldsymbol{\psi}, \quad M\boldsymbol{\lambda} = \beta_1, \quad \boldsymbol{\varphi} = Q\boldsymbol{\phi}.$$

7. (dN01 - Neumann problem – direct formulation)

$$-\frac{1}{2}M\boldsymbol{\phi} + K(s)\boldsymbol{\phi} = V(s)\boldsymbol{\lambda}, \quad U_h = D(s)Q\boldsymbol{\phi} - S(s)\boldsymbol{\lambda}, \quad M\boldsymbol{\lambda} = \beta_1, \quad \boldsymbol{\varphi} = Q\boldsymbol{\phi}.$$

8. (dN02 - Neumann problem – direct formulation)

$$W(s)\boldsymbol{\phi} = -\frac{1}{2}M\boldsymbol{\lambda} - J(s)\boldsymbol{\lambda}, \quad U_h = D(s)Q\boldsymbol{\phi} - S(s)\boldsymbol{\lambda}, \quad M\boldsymbol{\lambda} = \beta_1, \quad \boldsymbol{\varphi} = Q\boldsymbol{\phi}.$$

**Computation of errors.** In all the formulations we will have approximations

$$U_h(\mathbf{x}_i^{\text{obs}}) \approx U(\mathbf{x}_i^{\text{obs}}), \quad i = 1, \dots, 4, \quad \varphi_j \approx U(\mathbf{m}_i) =: \beta_{0,i}^{\text{ex}}, \quad \lambda_j \approx \nabla U(\mathbf{m}_i) \cdot \mathbf{n}_i =: \beta_{1,i}^{\text{ex}}.$$

Note that  $|\mathbf{n}_i| = \mathcal{O}(N^{-1})$ . We then compute errors:

$$\begin{aligned} e_{\text{Pot}} &:= \max |U_h(\mathbf{x}_i^{\text{obs}}) - U(\mathbf{x}_i^{\text{obs}})| = \mathcal{O}(N^{-3}), \\ e_{\lambda} &:= N \max |\lambda_i - \beta_{1,i}^{\text{ex}}| = \mathcal{O}(N^{-3}). \\ e_{\varphi} &:= \max |\varphi_i - \beta_{0,i}^{\text{ex}}| = \mathcal{O}(N^{-3}), \end{aligned}$$

The errors are output as a row vector (in the given order).

There are two different modes to run this script:

- If a variable **external** HAS NOT been defined, the script requests the user to input:  $k$ ,  $N$ , the experiment number (1 to 8) and whether the fork will be used or not.
- If the variable **external** has been defined, these data need to have been declared in advance. In this case, the errors are appended as an additional row to a matrix of errors.