

Integration on manifolds by mapped low-discrepancy points and greedy minimal k_s -energy points¹

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- **Poppy-seed Bagel Theorem (PsB)** [Hardin, Saff 2004]: “*minimal Riesz s -energy points, under some assumptions, are uniformly distributed with respect to the Hausdorff measure \mathcal{H}_d* ”

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Ideas

- Find a measure preserving map so that we can map low discrepancy points to points nearly uniformly distributed wrt the Hausdorff measure on the manifold
- Extract approximate minimal Riesz s -energy points from a suitable discretization of the manifold
- Compare results

Preserving measure maps (on 2-manifolds)

Error bound on bounded domains and discrepancy

Theorem (Zaremba 1970)

Let $B \subseteq [0, 1]^d$ be a convex d -dimensional subset and f a function with bounded variation $V(f)$ on $[0, 1]^d$ in the sense of Hardy and Krause. Then, for any points set $P = \{x_1, \dots, x_N\} \subseteq [0, 1]^d$, we have that

$$\left| \frac{1}{N} \sum_{\substack{i=1 \\ x_i \in B}}^N f(x_i) - \int_B f(x) dx \right| \leq (V(f) + |f(\mathbf{1})|) J_N(P), \quad (1)$$

where $\mathbf{1} = \underbrace{(1, \dots, 1)}_d$.

where $J_N(P)$ is the *isotropic discrepancy* of the points set P defined as $J_N(P) = D_N(C; P)$ with C a family of all convex subsets of $[0, 1]^d$ and $D_N(C; P)$ the classical *discrepancy* of the set P .

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\hookrightarrow Hence the sequence of points $\Phi(S)$ is uniformly distributed with respect to the measure μ_Φ (by definition!).

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Hence, by using (5), the sequence $\Phi(\Psi(S'))$ (S' is a sequence uniformly distributed w.r.t. the Lebesgue meas on $\mathcal{U}' \subset \mathbb{R}^2$), will be **uniformly distributed wrt the measure \mathcal{H}_2 on \mathcal{M} .**

Practically

Examples: cylinder, cone, sphere

In order to determine the Lebesgue preserving measure's map we look for a nondecreasing function $\phi : I \rightarrow I', I, I'$, with $\phi(I) = I'$

$$\tilde{\Phi}(u, \theta) = (\phi(u) \cos(\theta), \phi(u) \sin(\theta), \phi(u))$$

will preserve the Lebesgue measure. The reparametrization (5) is

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- 1 cylinder:** $\mathcal{U} = [-1, 1] \times [0, 2\pi]$ and $(\phi(u) = u, v)$
- 2 cone:** $\mathcal{U} = [0, 1] \times [0, 2\pi]$, $(\phi(u) = \sqrt{u}, v)$
- 3 sphere:** $\mathcal{U} = [-1, 1] \times [0, 2\pi]$, $(\phi(u) = \arcsin(u), v)$

Minimal Riesz-energy points

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Weighted Riesz s-energy

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Let $s > 0$. Given N points $X_N = \{x_1, \dots, x_N\} \subset A \subseteq \mathbb{R}^d$, the **weighted Riesz s-energy of X_N** is $E_s^w(X_N) := \sum_{1 \leq i \neq j \leq N} \frac{w(x_i, x_j)}{\|x_i - x_j\|_2^s}$, with $w : A \times A \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ a CPD-function while the N -point weighted Riesz s-energy of A is

$$\mathcal{E}_s^w(A, N) = \inf\{E_s^w(X_N) : X_N \subset A\}.$$

and their weighted Hausdorff measure $\mathcal{H}_d^{s,w}$ on Borel sets $B \subset A$ is

$$\mathcal{H}_d^{s,w}(B) = \int_B (w(x, x))^{-d/s} d\mathcal{H}_d(x).$$

Weighted Poppy-seed Bagel Theorem

The connection between the Riesz energy and a sequence uniformly distributed w.r.t. the Hausdorff measure is given by

Theorem (Hardin & Saff 2004, Borodachov et al. 2008)

Let $A \subset \mathbb{R}^{d'}$ be a compact subset of a d -dimensional C^1 -manifold (immersed) in $\mathbb{R}^{d'}$, $d < d'$, and w is a CDP-weight function on $A \times A$. Then

$$\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\mathcal{E}_d^w(A, N)}{N^2 \log N} = \frac{\text{Vol}(\mathcal{B}^d)}{\mathcal{H}_d^{d,w}(A)}, \quad (10)$$

with \mathcal{B}^d the unit ball.

Greedy minimal Riesz-energy points

Greedy algorithm

General greedy algorithm

Let $k : X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \cup \{\infty\}$ be a symmetric kernel on a locally compact Hausdorff space X , and let $A \subset X$ be a compact set. A sequence $(a_n)_{n=1}^{\infty} \subset A$ such that

- (i) a_1 is selected arbitrarily on A ;
- (ii) a_{n+1} , $n \geq 1$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n k(a_{n+1}, a_i) = \inf_{x \in A} \sum_{i=1}^n k(x, a_i), \quad \text{for every } n \geq 1.$$

is called a **greedy minimal k -energy sequence on A** .

Greedy minimal k_s and (w, s) -energy points

The Riesz kernel in $X = \mathbb{R}^{d'}$, which depends on a parameter $s \in [0, +\infty)$
 $K_s(\|x - y\|_2)$, $x, y \in \mathbb{R}^{d'}$, with

$$K_s(t) := \begin{cases} t^{-s} & \text{if } s > 0 \\ -\log(t) & \text{if } s = 0, \end{cases} \quad (11)$$

For $k = K_s$ we get the greedy minimal k_s -energy points.

Taking $k = w K_s$ we get the so-called greedy minimal (w, s) -energy points.

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Questions

- 1 Can greedy (w, d) -energy points can be used for integration on manifolds wrt to \mathcal{H}_d^w ?
- 2 Are they preferable to mapped low-discrepancy points on the manifold?

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About (b): we start from a uniform mesh on a rectangle of \mathbb{R}^2 consisting of $N^2/2$ points and we map them to the manifold - if available by using the corresponding preserving measure map - and then we extract N greedy minimal k_s -energy points from this mapped mesh.

Functions and 2-manifolds

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for the **torus** we do not know a preserving Lebesgue measure map, but we used simply

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Points and integral values

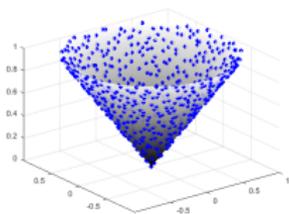
We compare the results with the greedy minimal k_2 -energy points,

- QMC method using Halton points and Fibonacci lattice mapped on the manifolds.
- Fibonacci sequence from 144 (12-th Fibonacci number) up to 2584 (18-th Fibonacci number)
- In the tables we present the results only for 144, 610 and 2584 points.

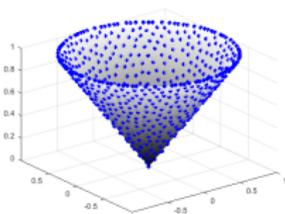
The exact value of the integrals taken by the built-in Matlab function `dblquad` with a tolerance of order 10^{-11}

The cone

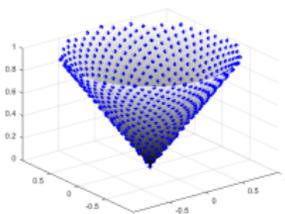
function f_1



(a) Halton points



(b) Greedy minimal k_2 -energy points



(c) Fibonacci points

Figure: 610 points on the cone

N	Halton	Fibonacci	GM k_2
144	1.215e-02	5.352e-03	2.097e-01
610	4.939e-03	1.270e-03	1.470e-01
2584	1.241e-03	3.029e-04	9.817e-02

Relative errors for f_1 on the cone

The cone

functions f_2 , f_3 and f_4

N	Halton	Fibonacci	GM k_2
144	9.101e-03	6.250e-03	2.366e-01
610	5.277e-03	1.173e-03	1.764e-01
2584	6.766e-04	3.678e-04	1.212e-01

Relative errors for f_2 on the cone

N	Halton	Fibonacci	GM k_2
144	1.059e-02	1.416e-03	7.048e-02
610	3.763e-04	3.389e-04	7.172e-02
2584	1.289e-04	8.026e-05	3.790e-02

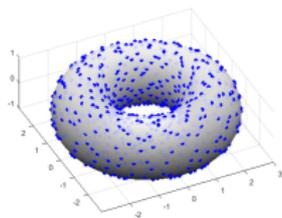
Relative errors for f_3 on the cone

N	Halton	Fibonacci	GM k_2
144	2.767e-02	1.384e-02	2.333e-01
610	9.623e-03	3.230e-03	1.782e-01
2584	3.068e-03	7.594e-04	1.313e-01

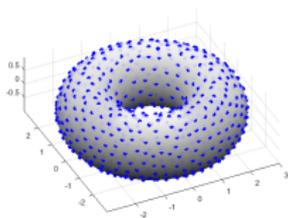
Relative errors for f_4 on the cone

The torus

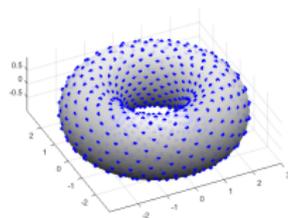
function f_1



(a) Halton points



(b) Greedy minimal k_2 -energy points



(c) Fibonacci points

Figure: 610 points on the torus

N	Halton	Fibonacci	GM k_2
144	2.152e-01	1.777e-01	6.894e-02
610	1.888e-01	1.780e-01	5.367e-02
2584	1.788e-01	1.780e-01	4.014e-02

Relative errors for f_1 on the torus

The torus

functions f_2 , f_3 and f_4

N	Halton	Fibonacci	GM k_2
144	1.218e-01	1.690e-01	3.081e-02
610	1.453e-01	1.410e-01	4.728e-02
2584	1.414e-01	1.411e-01	2.297e-02

Relative errors for f_2 on the torus

N	Halton	Fibonacci	GM k_2
144	3.033e-02	3.426e-02	4.949e-03
610	2.716e-03	8.821e-03	1.349e-02
2584	8.763e-03	6.453e-03	1.673e-03

Relative errors for f_3 on the torus

N	Halton	Fibonacci	GM k_2
144	6.015e-01	5.339e-01	2.435e-01
610	5.109e-01	5.237e-01	1.874e-01
2584	5.252e-01	5.238e-01	1.319e-01

Relative errors for f_4 on the torus

Computational time for extracting greedy points

N	Cone	Cylinder	Torus	Sphere
144	0.217	0.218	0.248	0.208
610	20.067	21.046	19.340	19.284
2584	1519.112	1513.211	1571.449	1511.768

Time in seconds to compute the greedy minimal k_2 -energy points

Final remarks

- From numerical experiments we show the importance of knowing a measure preserving map (**torus docet!**)
- Adding more and more greedy points the error does not change significantly
- From experiments the time to extract the greedy minimal k_s -energy points grows: a good compromise, error vs computational time, is to use 610 points.
- By tuning the parameter s we have seen that, in the stationary case the best choice is $s \leq 2$ ($2 = \text{manifold dimension}$) ... except for the sphere.

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