

# Assignment Two: Harmonic Map for Topological Disk

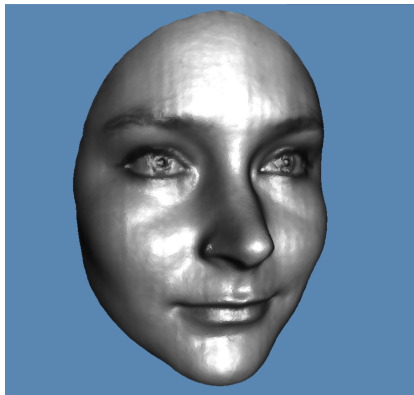
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# Triangle Mesh: Discrete Harmonic Maps

# Surface Harmonic Map

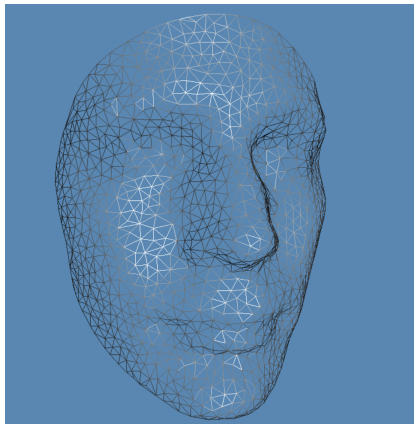


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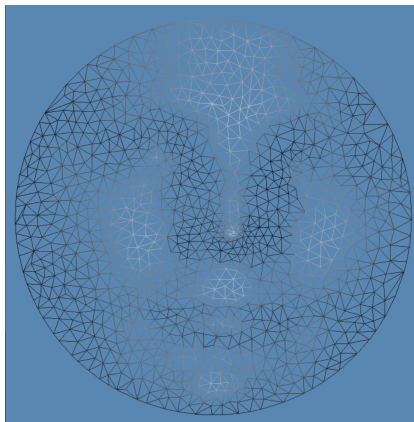


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# Task

This C++ project aims at helping students to implement geometric algorithms: harmonic maps for topological disks.

The code has been tested on Windows, Linux and Mac. If there is any problem on the platforms, please let the instructor know.

- 1 'MeshLib', a mesh library based on halfedge data structure.
- 2 'freeglut', a free-software/open-source alternative to the OpenGL Utility Toolkit (GLUT) library.

# Directory Structure

- harmonic\_map/include, The header files of cut graph
- harmonic\_map/src, The source files of cut graph algorithm.
- data, Some models.
- CMakeLists.txt, CMake configuration file.
- resources, Some resources needed.
- 3rdparty, MeshLib and freeglut libraries.



# Configuration

Before you start, read README.md carefully, then go through the following procedures, step by step.

- 1 Install [CMake](<https://cmake.org/download/>).
- 2 Download the source code of the C++ framework.
- 3 Configure and generate the project for Visual Studio.
- 4 Open the .sln using Visual Studio, and compile the solution.
- 5 Finish your code in your IDE.
- 6 Run the executable program.

### 3. Configure and generate the project

- 1 open a command window
- 2 `cd ccg_homework_skeleton`
- 3 `mkdir build`
- 4 `cd build`
- 5 `cmake ..`
- 6 open `HarmonicMap.sln` inside the build directory.

## 5. Finish your code in your IDE

- You only need to modify one file: HarmonicMap.cpp
- search for comments

```
//insertyourcodehere
```

and insert your code

- Modify

```
CHarmonicMap::set_mesh( CHarmonicMapMesh * pMesh)
```

move the image of all the vertices to the origin.

- Modify

```
CHarmonicMap::step_one()
```

move the image of each vertex to the weighted center of the images of its neighbors;

- Modify

```
CHarmonicMap::map()
```

Construct each element of the Matrix  $A$  and  $B$ ;

## 5. Finish your code in your IDE

- Modify

```
CHarmonicMap::set_calculate_edge_weight()
```

Compute the corner angles using cosine law.

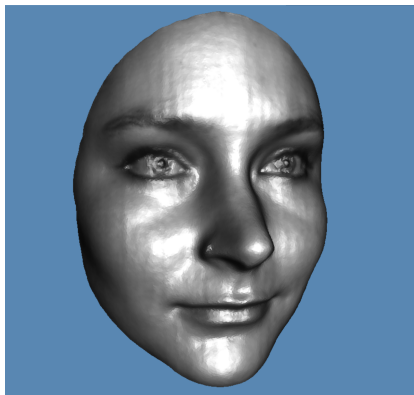
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CHarmonicMap::set_calculate_edge_weight()
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Compute the cotangent edge weight;

## 6 Run the executable program

Command: `HarmonicMap.exe ../../data/girl.m`, press 'h', then press '2'



input mesh



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# Iterative Algorithm

Input: A topological disk mesh  $M$ ;

Output: Harmonic map result, stored at the vertex  $uv$  coordinates;

- 1 Trace the boundary of  $M$  counter clockwise, set the  $uv$  to be on the unit circle, the angle for each vertex is proportional to the arc length;
- 2 Set all the interior vertices  $uv$  to be at the original  $(0, 0)$ ;
- 3 Compute all the corner angles;
- 4 Compute edge cotangent edge weight,  $w_{ij}$  for edge  $[v_i, v_j]$ ;
- 5 For each vertex  $v_i$ , move it  $uv$  to the weighted center of its neighbors,

$$uv(v_i) \leftarrow \frac{\sum_j w_{ij} uv(v_j)}{\sum_j w_{ij}}$$

- 6 Repeat step 5, until it converges.

# Direct Algorithm

Input: A topological disk mesh  $M$ ;

Output: Harmonic map,  $\varphi : V \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ ;

- 1 Trace the boundary of  $M$  counter clockwise, set the  $uv$  to be on the unit circle, the angle for each vertex is proportional to the arc length;
- 2 Compute all the corner angles;
- 3 Compute edge cotangent edge weight,  $w_{ij}$  for edge  $[v_i, v_j]$ ;
- 4 For each interior vertex  $v_i$ , construct a linear equation

$$\sum_{v_j \sim v_i} w_{ij} (\varphi(v_j) - \varphi(v_i)) = 0.$$

with Dirichlet boundary condition.

# Cotangent Edge Weight

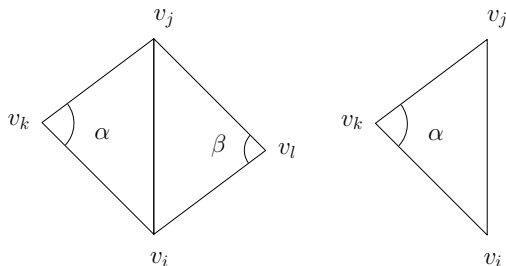
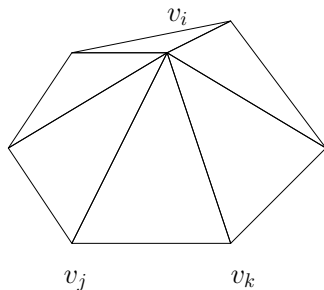


Figure: Cotangnet edge weight.

$$w_{ij} = \begin{cases} \cot \alpha + \cot \beta & [v_i, v_j] \notin \partial M \\ \cot \alpha & [v_i, v_j] \in \partial M \end{cases}$$



# Discrete Harmonic Map



Given a discrete map  $\varphi : V \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ ,

$$\Delta\varphi(v_i) = \sum_j w_{ij}(\varphi(v_j) - \varphi(v_i)) = 0, \quad \forall v_i \notin \partial M,$$

with Dirichlet boundary condition  $\varphi(v_k) = f(v_k)$ , for all  $v_k \in \partial M$ .