

Goal: $J(u) = \frac{1}{2} \int_{\Omega} |\nabla u|^2 dx - \int_{\Omega} f u dx$

Here: $\nabla u = \begin{pmatrix} \partial_1 u \\ \partial_2 u \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \partial x_1 u \\ \partial x_2 u \end{pmatrix}$

$\Omega \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$ Ω could be a circle or square.

$f(x,y) \rightarrow$ external force acting on Ω .

$\mu \rightarrow$ constant response of membrane to force.

u is displacement that minimizes energy.

minimize $J(v) = J(u)$

$v \in V$



$w(x,y)$

$V \rightarrow$ space of all displacements $w(x,y)$

$w(x,y) = 0$ on $\partial\Omega$ clamped on boundary $\partial\Omega$.

$$J(w) = \frac{1}{2} \int_{\Omega} |\nabla w|^2 dx - \int_{\Omega} f w dx$$

$$V \rightarrow \left\{ w(x,y) : \int_{\Omega} |\nabla w|^2 dx < +\infty, \int_{\Omega} f w dx < +\infty \right. \\ \left. \text{and } w=0 \text{ on } \partial\Omega \right\}$$

Goal: minimizing $\underline{\underline{J(v)}}$ over $v \in V$

optimality condition

\downarrow
 $* J'(v) = 0$ verify that $J''(v) > 0$

$\Rightarrow v$ is a minimizer

... mean by $J'(v) = ?$

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→ what do we mean by $J'(v) = ?$

Ans: $\langle J'(v); w \rangle$ = Gateaux Derivative wrt w where $w \in V$.

$$\langle J'(v); w \rangle = \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow 0} \frac{J(v + \lambda w) - J(v)}{\lambda}$$

calculus to $J(v) = 0 \rightarrow \langle J'(v); w \rangle = 0$ for all $w \in V$

Generalize $J''(v) > 0 \rightarrow$ verifying that $J(v)$ is strictly convex

Optimality Cond'n:

$$\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow 0} \frac{J(v + \lambda w) - J(v)}{\lambda} = 0 \text{ for all } w \in V$$

By construction, $J(v)$ is strictly convex functional.

so any point v^* such that:

$$\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow 0} \frac{J(v^* + \lambda w) - J(v^*)}{\lambda} = 0 \text{ for all } w \in V$$

automatically becomes a minimizer for $J(v)$.

It turns out that
optimality cond'n

$$\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow 0} \frac{J(v^* + \lambda w) - J(v^*)}{\lambda} = 0 \text{ gives us the PDE}$$

describing the system.

$$\text{for } J(u) = \frac{\mu}{2} \int_{\Omega} |\nabla u|^2 dx - \int_{\Omega} f u dx,$$

... i.e. ... $\nabla \cdot \cdot \cdot$

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the optimality condition is:
 u^* minimizes $J(u)$ if & only if it satisfies

$$\mu \int_{\Omega} \nabla u^* \cdot \nabla w dx = \int_{\Omega} f w dx \quad \text{for all } w \in V.$$



$$\begin{aligned} -\nabla \cdot (\mu \nabla u) &= f && \text{in } \Omega \\ u &= 0 && \text{on } \partial\Omega \end{aligned}$$

PDE

Optimality Condition for $J(u)$: $\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow 0} \frac{J(u + \lambda v) - J(u)}{\lambda} = 0$ for all $v \in V$.

$$\frac{J(u + \lambda v) - J(u)}{\lambda} = ?$$

claim: $\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow 0} \frac{J(u + \lambda v) - J(u)}{\lambda} = 0$ for all $v \in V$

turns out to be:

$$\mu \int_{\Omega} \nabla u \cdot \nabla v dx - \int_{\Omega} f v dx = 0 \quad \text{for all } v \in V.$$

Proof: $J(u) = \frac{\mu}{2} \int_{\Omega} |\nabla u|^2 dx - \int_{\Omega} f u dx$

$$\begin{aligned} J(u + \lambda v) &= \frac{\mu}{2} \int_{\Omega} |\nabla u + \lambda \nabla v|^2 dx - \int_{\Omega} f(u + \lambda v) dx \\ &= \frac{\mu}{2} \int_{\Omega} \underbrace{|\nabla u + \lambda \nabla v|^2}_{\sim} dx - \int_{\Omega} f(u + \lambda v) dx \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \mu_2 \int_{\Omega} |\nabla u + \lambda \nabla v|^2 dx - \int_{\Omega} f u dx \\
&= \mu_2 \int_{\Omega} (\nabla u + \lambda \nabla v)^T (\nabla u + \lambda \nabla v) dx - \int_{\Omega} (f u + \lambda f v) dx \\
&\quad T \rightarrow \text{transpose of a vector} \\
&= \mu_2 \int_{\Omega} (\nabla u^T + \lambda \nabla v^T) \nabla u + (\nabla u^T + \lambda \nabla v^T) \lambda \nabla v dx \\
&\quad - \int_{\Omega} (f u + \lambda f v) dx
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
J(u+\lambda v) &= \mu_2 \int_{\Omega} \nabla u^T \nabla u + 2 \nabla v^T \nabla u + \lambda^2 \nabla v^T \nabla v dx \\
&\quad - \int_{\Omega} (f u + \lambda f v) dx \\
&\quad \xrightarrow{\text{Used: } \nabla v^T \nabla u = (\nabla v^T \nabla u)^T = \nabla u^T \nabla v}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{J(u+\lambda v) - J(u)}{\lambda} = ?$$

Simplify

$$\begin{aligned}
J(u+\lambda v) &= \mu_2 \int_{\Omega} |\nabla u|^2 + 2 \lambda \nabla v^T \nabla u + \lambda^2 |\nabla v|^2 dx \\
&\quad - \int_{\Omega} f u + \lambda f v dx
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
J(u+\lambda v) - J(u) &= \mu_2 \int_{\Omega} |\nabla u|^2 + 2 \lambda \nabla v^T \nabla u + \lambda^2 |\nabla v|^2 dx \\
&\quad - \int_{\Omega} (f u + \lambda f v) dx - \mu_2 \int_{\Omega} |\nabla u|^2 dx \\
&\quad + \int_{\Omega} f u dx
\end{aligned}$$

$$T \dots \dots - J(u) = \mu_2 \int_{\Omega} 2 \lambda \nabla v^T \nabla u + \lambda^2 |\nabla v|^2 dx - \int_{\Omega} \lambda f v dx$$

$$J(u + \lambda v) - J(u) = \mu_2 \int_{\Omega} 2\lambda \nabla v^T \nabla u + \lambda^2 |\nabla v|^2 dx - \int_{\Omega} \lambda f v dx$$

optimality condn: $\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow 0} \frac{J(u + \lambda v) - J(u)}{\lambda} = 0 \text{ for all } v \in V$

$$\frac{J(u + \lambda v) - J(u)}{\lambda} = \mu_2 \int_{\Omega} 2 \nabla v^T \nabla u + \lambda |\nabla v|^2 dx - \int_{\Omega} f v dx$$

$$\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow 0} \frac{J(u + \lambda v) - J(u)}{\lambda} = 0 \quad \text{becomes}$$

$$\mu_2 \int_{\Omega} 2 \nabla v^T \nabla u dx - \int_{\Omega} f v dx = 0 \quad \text{true for all } v \in V.$$

$$\mu \int_{\Omega} \nabla u \cdot \nabla v dx - \int_{\Omega} f v dx = 0$$

vector dot product

opt. condn for u that minimizes $J(v) = \mu_2 \int_{\Omega} |\nabla v|^2 dx - \int_{\Omega} f v dx$

$$\text{is given by: } \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow 0} \frac{J(u + \lambda v) - J(u)}{\lambda} = 0 \quad \forall v \in V$$

$$\mu \int_{\Omega} \nabla u \cdot \nabla v dx - \int_{\Omega} f v dx = 0 \quad \forall v \in V$$

apply $\int_{\Omega} \nabla \cdot \vec{F} dx = \int_{\partial\Omega} \hat{n} \cdot \vec{F} ds$ (Divergence Thm)

$$\int_{\Omega} \mu \int_{\Omega} -\nabla \cdot \nabla u v \, dx - \int_{\partial\Omega} f v \, dx = 0 \quad \forall v \in V$$

$$\int_{\Omega} \mu \Delta u v \, dx - \int_{\Omega} f v \, dx = 0 \quad \forall v \in V$$

in particular,

$$\int_{\Omega} (\mu \Delta u + f) v \, dx = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{\Omega} (\mu \Delta u + f) v \, dx = 0 \quad \forall v \in V$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{\Omega} \mu \Delta u + f = 0 \quad \text{in } \Omega \quad \text{or}$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{ll} -\mu \Delta u = f & \text{in } \Omega \\ u = 0 & \text{on } \partial\Omega \end{array} \right\}$$