

Assume the notations of Tutorial 7 and let $\{p^{(\alpha)} : \alpha \in A\}$ denote the nodal basis on the reference element Δ .

37 Assume that the family $(\mathcal{T}_h)_{h \in \Theta}$ is shape-regular and denote by V_h the corresponding finite element space of the Courant element.

Show that there exist positive constants \underline{c}_0 and \bar{c}_0 such that

$$\underline{c}_0 \left(\min_{r \in \mathbb{R}_h} h^{(r)} \right)^d (\underline{v}_h, \underline{v}_h)_{\ell^2} \leq (v_h, v_h)_{L^2(\Omega)} \leq \bar{c}_0 \left(\max_{r \in \mathbb{R}_h} h^{(r)} \right)^d (\underline{v}_h, \underline{v}_h)_{\ell^2} \quad \forall v_h \in V_h,$$

with $d = 2$.

38 Let the 3×3 matrices G_0 and G_1 be given (according to the lecture) by

$$G_0 = \left((p^{(\alpha)}, p^{(\beta)})_{L^2(\Delta)} \right)_{\alpha, \beta \in A}, \quad G_1 = \left((p^{(\alpha)}, p^{(\beta)})_{H^1(\Delta)} \right)_{\alpha, \beta \in A},$$

Show that there exist positive constants \underline{c}_G and \bar{c}_G such that

$$\underline{c}_G (G_0 \underline{v}, \underline{v}) \leq (G_1 \underline{v}, \underline{v}) \leq \bar{c}_G (G_0 \underline{v}, \underline{v}) \quad \forall \underline{v} \in \mathbb{R}^3.$$

39 Let the family $(\mathcal{T}_{h \in \Theta})$ of subdivisions be shape-regular. Show that there exist positive constants \underline{c} and \bar{c} such that

$$\underline{c} (v_h, v_h)_{L^2(\Omega)} \leq (v_h, v_h)_{H^1(\Omega)} \leq \bar{c} \left(\min_{r \in \mathbb{R}_h} h^{(r)} \right)^{-2} (v_h, v_h)_{L^2(\Omega)} \quad \forall v_h \in V_h.$$

Hint: Use the Exercise **38** to get the upper bound.

Programming

Download the updated version of `vec.hh` and the new files

- `vector.hh` – a vector class (for vectors of dynamic length)
- `sparsematrix.hh`, `sparsematrix.cc` – a sparse matrix class
- `mesh.hh`, and `mesh.cc` – a 2D triangular mesh

from the tutorial website.

There are also two demos:

- `smdemo.cc` – showing how to work with the sparse matrix and
- `mesh.cc` – showing how to work with the mesh.

Go through these demos and understand what is happening there.

40 Complete the implementation of

```
void Mesh :: getMatrixShape (SparseShape& ss) const;
```

in `mesh.cc`. The routine should give back the matrix pattern of the stiffness matrix corresponding to the mesh.

Hint: An index pair (i, j) is in the matrix pattern if and only if there is an element δ_r containing both vertex i and vertex j . Thus, loop over all elements and for each element, add 9 positions to `ss`.

41 Write a function

```
void assembleStiffnessMatrix (const Mesh& mesh, SparseMatrix& K);
```

that assembles the stiffness matrix K according to the bilinear form

$$a(u, v) = \int_{\Omega} \nabla u(x) \cdot \nabla v(x) + u(x) v(x) dx$$

for `mesh` being the triangulation of Ω .

Hint: Reuse the functions from Tutorial 6, in particular exercises 28 and 30.

42 Write a function

```
void assembleLoadVector (const Mesh& mesh, ScalarField f, Vector& b);
```

that assembles the load vector \mathbf{b} according to the functional

$$\langle F, v \rangle = \int_{\Omega} f(x) v(x) dx$$

for `mesh` being the triangulation of Ω .

Hint: Reuse the function from exercise 29.

All routines should be tested for the two meshes created in `meshdemo.cc`