# TUTORIAL

## "Numerical Methods for the Solution of Elliptic Partial Differential Equations"

to the lecture

"Numerics of Elliptic Problems"

**Tutorial 12** Tuesday, 26 June 2018, Time:  $10^{15} - 11^{45}$ , Room: S2 346.

### Programming (continued)

### $L_2$ -error and $H^1$ -error

62 Write a function

that approximates the element  $L^2$ -error  $||v - v_h||_{L^2(\delta_r)}$ , where exact = v and  $v_h(x_{\delta_r}(\xi)) = \sum_{\alpha \in A} v^{(r,\alpha)} p^{(\alpha)}(\xi)$  with  $v0 = v^{(r,1)}$  etc.

*Hint:* Use the quadrature rule from Exercise  $\boxed{34}$  to approximate

$$\|v - v_h\|_{L^2(\delta_r)}^2 = \int_{\delta_r} |v(x) - v_h(x)|^2 dx = \int_{\Delta} |v(x_{\delta_r}(\xi)) - v_h(x_{\delta_r}(\xi))|^2 |\det J_{\delta_r}| d\xi$$

63 Write a function

that approximates the element  $H^1$ -error  $|Dv - \nabla v_h|_{L^2(\delta_r)}$ , where  $Dv = \nabla v = (\frac{\partial v}{\partial x_1}, \frac{\partial v}{\partial x_2})^T$ , with  $\texttt{Dx1exact} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial x_1}$ ,  $\texttt{Dx2exact} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial x_2}$  and  $v_h(x_{\delta_r}(\xi)) = \sum_{\alpha \in A} v^{(r,\alpha)} p^{(\alpha)}(\xi)$  with  $\texttt{v0} = v^{(r,1)}$  etc.

*Hint:* Use the quadrature rule from Exercise  $\lfloor 34 \rfloor$  to approximate

$$|v - v_h|_{H^1(\delta_r)}^2 = \int_{\delta_r} |Dv(x) - \nabla_x v_h(x)|^2 \, dx = \int_{\Delta} |Dv(x_{\delta_r}(\xi)) - J_r^{-T} \nabla_\xi v_h(x_{\delta_r}(\xi))|^2 \, |\det J_{\delta_r}| \, d\xi$$

64 Write a function

that approximates the global  $L^2$ -error  $||v - v_h||_{L^2(\Omega)}$ , where exact=v and solution= $v_h$ .

*Hint:* use calcElErrorL2 in a loop over all elements.

Show that  $u(x_1, x_2) = \frac{1}{4} \cos(2\pi x_1) \cos(4\pi x_2)$  is the unique solution of (3.23) (see Tutorial 07, Exercise 39). Compute  $||u - u_h||_{L^2(\Omega)}$  for each finite element solution  $u_h$  from Exercise 39 for the different meshes.

65 Write a function

that approximates the global  $H^1$ -error  $||v - v_h||_{H^1(\Omega)}$ , where exact=v,  $Dx1exact=\frac{\partial v}{\partial x_1}$ ,  $Dx2exact=\frac{\partial v}{\partial x_2}$  and  $solution=v_h$ .

*Hint:* use calcElErrorL2 and calcElErrorH1 in a loop over all elements.

Compute  $||u - u_h||_{H^1(\Omega)}$  for each finite element solution  $u_h$  from Exercise 39 for the different meshes.

#### The CHIP-Problem

Recall the CHIP-Problem from the lecture (T08a, T08b, T09)!

66 Prepare the initial mesh for the CHIP problem as proposed on T09 in your meshformat, taking care of the appropriate boundary conditions.

*Hint:* If possible use symmetric reduction.

 $\lfloor 67 \rfloor$  Modify your functions from  $\lfloor 33 \rfloor$ ,  $\lfloor 35 \rfloor$  and  $\lfloor 36 \rfloor$ , such that you can assemble the stiffness matrix K according to the bilinear form

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

where  $\lambda(x)$  and a(x) are given coefficient functions.

68 Solve the finite element system corresponding to the CHIP problem on T08a with the parameter setting of T08b for the initial mesh of 66. Solve the same system for uniformly refined meshes with  $h/h_0 = 2, 3, 8, 16$  and visualize the solution.

*Hint:* For incorporating the BC, use the following order: First natural BC, than essential BC.

### A posteriori error estimates

- 69★Implement the residual error estimator for the CHIP-problem as derived in Exercise61
- $\boxed{70^{\star}}$  Compute the residual error for the CHIP-problem for uniformly refined meshes with  $h/h_0 = 2, 3, 8, 16$  and visualize the error on each element!