
Discrete Geometry II

Tutorial Sheet 8

Exercise T1 (Unique intersection point) (5 points)

Let $r < 1$, C be a Jordan curve, $s^{(1)}, s^{(2)}$ be two neighboring r -sample points on C and p an intersection point of the bisector of the line segment $[s^{(1)}, s^{(2)}]$ and the curve arc between $s^{(1)}, s^{(2)}$. Show that the point p is unique.

Exercise T2 (Angles between sample points) (5 points)

Show that for three neighboring sample points $s^{(1)}, s^{(2)}, s^{(3)}$ on a Jordan curve, the (smaller) angle between the segments $[s^{(1)}, s^{(2)}]$ and $[s^{(2)}, s^{(3)}]$ is at least $\pi - 2 \arcsin(r/2)$ for $r < 2$. In particular this angle is larger than $\frac{\pi}{2}$ for $r \leq \frac{1}{3}$.

Exercise T3 (NN-Crust) (5 points)

Input: finite sample $S \subset \mathbb{R}^2$

Output: a subset $G(S)$ of edges of the Delone subdivision of S

Compute the edge set D of the Delone subdivision of S .

Compute the edge set $N \subset D$ which connects nearest neighbors in S .

$G \leftarrow N$

foreach sample point $x \in S$ that is contained in exactly one edge $e \in N$ **do**

Determine the shortest edge $e' \in D$ containing s that forms an angle greater than $\pi/2$ with e .

$G \leftarrow G \cup \{e'\}$

end

return G

Consider the above **NN-Crust** algorithm with m sample points. Provide an exact formulation of steps 2 to 5 which have in total a cost of at most $O(m)$.