

## 二次元外部ラプラス問題の FEM-CSM 近似解の誤差評価

### An error estimate of an FEM-CSM combined method for planar exterior Laplace problems

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講演者の提案してきた外部ラプラス問題の FEM-CSM 結合解法の誤差評価に関しては、これまでいくつかの機会に結果を述べた (Reference 2, Reference 3 など)。吟味不足で、そこに述べた定理は正確では無かった。この報告でこの誤りを正したい。この報告の詳細は、Reference 4 に述べてある。

#### 1. Introduction

Fix a simply connected bounded domain  $\mathcal{O}$  in the plane. Assume that the boundary  $\mathcal{C}$  of  $\mathcal{O}$  is sufficiently smooth. The exterior domain of  $\mathcal{C}$  is denoted by  $\Omega$ . Let  $D_a$  be the interior of the disc with radius  $a$  having the origin as its center. Fix a function  $f \in L^2(\Omega)$  whose support,  $\text{supp}(f)$ , is bounded. Choose  $a$  so large that the open disc  $D_a$  may contain the union  $\mathcal{O} \cup \text{supp}(f)$  in its interior. The following Poisson equation (E) is employed as a model problem.

$$(E) \quad \begin{cases} -\Delta u = f & \text{in } \Omega, \\ u = 0 & \text{on } \mathcal{C}, \\ \sup_{|r|>a} |u| < \infty. \end{cases}$$

The intersection of the domain  $\Omega$  and the disc  $D_a$  is said to be the interior domain, denoted by  $\Omega_i$ :  $\Omega_i = \Omega \cap D_a$ . Consider the Dirichlet inner product  $a(u, v)$  for  $u, v \in H^1(\Omega_i)$ :

$$a(u, v) = \int_{\Omega_i} \text{grad} u \text{ grad} v \, d\Omega.$$

Let  $\Gamma_a$  be the boundary of the disc  $D_a$ . Since the trace  $\gamma_a v$  on  $\Gamma_a$  is an element of  $H^{1/2}(\Gamma_a)$  for any  $v \in H^1(\Omega_i)$ , the boundary bilinear form of Steklov type  $b(u, v)$  is well defined for  $u, v \in H^1(\Omega_i)$ . The precise definition of  $b(u, v)$  will be given in Section 3. Define a continuous symmetric bilinear form  $t(u, v)$  for  $u, v \in H^1(\Omega_i)$  through

$$t(u, v) = a(u, v) + b(u, v).$$

Let  $F(v)$  be a continuous linear functional on  $H^1(\Omega_i)$  defined through the following formula for  $v \in H^1(\Omega_i)$ :

$$F(v) = \int_{\Omega_i} f v \, d\Omega.$$

A function space  $V$  is defined as follows:

$$V = \{v \in H^1(\Omega_i) : v = 0 \text{ on } \mathcal{C}\}.$$

Using these notations, the following weak formulation problem (II) is defined.

$$(II) \quad \begin{cases} t(u, v) = F(v), & v \in V, \\ u \in V. \end{cases}$$

We admit the equivalence between the equation (E) and the problem (II).

## 2. A CSM approximate problem for Laplace equation in the exterior region of a disc

Let  $D_a$  be the interior of the disc with radius  $a$  having the origin as its center, and let  $\Gamma_a$  be the boundary of  $D_a$ . Let  $\Omega_e = (D_a \cup \Gamma_a)^C$ , which is said to be the exterior domain. We use the notation  $\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{r}(\theta)$  for the point in the plane corresponding to the complex number  $re^{i\theta}$  with  $r = |\mathbf{r}|$  where  $|\mathbf{r}|$  is the Euclidean norm of  $\mathbf{r} \in \mathbf{R}^2$ . Similarly we use  $\mathbf{a} = \mathbf{a}(\theta)$ , and  $\vec{\rho} = \vec{\rho}(\theta)$ , corresponding to  $ae^{i\theta}$  with  $a = |\mathbf{a}|$ , and  $\rho e^{i\theta}$  with  $\rho = |\vec{\rho}|$ , respectively.

Let  $f(\mathbf{a}(\theta))$  be a continuous function on the circle  $\Gamma_a$ . The function  $f(\mathbf{a}(\theta))$  is a  $2\pi$  periodic function of  $\theta$ . Denote the problem to find a harmonic function  $u = u(\mathbf{r})$  coinciding with  $f$  on  $\Gamma_a$ , which is bounded in  $\Omega_e$ , by (E<sub>f</sub>).

$$(E_f) \quad \begin{cases} -\Delta u = 0 & \text{in } \Omega, \\ u = f & \text{on } \Gamma_a, \\ \sup_{\Omega_e} |u| < \infty. \end{cases}$$

Fix a positive integer  $N$ . Set

$$\theta_1 = \frac{2\pi}{N}.$$

For any  $j \in \mathbf{Z}$ , denote  $j\theta_1$  by  $\theta_j$ . Fix a positive number  $\rho$  so as to satisfy  $0 < \rho < a$ . For the fixed positive integer  $N$ , set the points  $\vec{\rho}_j, \mathbf{a}_j, 0 \leq j \leq N-1$ , as follows:

$$\mathbf{a}_j = \mathbf{a}(\theta_j), \quad \vec{\rho}_j = \vec{\rho}(\theta_j) \quad \text{with} \quad 0 < \rho < a.$$

The points  $\vec{\rho}_j$ , and  $\mathbf{a}_j$ , are said to be the charge, and the collocation, points, respectively. The arrangement of the set of points of charge points and collocation points introduced as above is called the **equi-distant equally phased arrangement of charge points and collocation points**.

Now we define a CSM approximate problem  $(E_f^{(N)})$  for the continuous problem  $(E_f)$  as follows:

$$(E_f^{(N)}) \quad \begin{cases} u^{(N)}(\mathbf{r}) = \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} q_j G_j(\mathbf{r}) + q_N, \\ u^{(N)}(\mathbf{a}_j) = f(\mathbf{a}_j), \quad 0 \leq j \leq N-1, \\ \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} q_j = 0, \end{cases}$$

where

$$G_j(\mathbf{r}) = E(\mathbf{r} - \vec{\rho}_j) - E(\mathbf{r}), \quad E(\mathbf{r}) = -\frac{1}{2\pi} \log r.$$

Let

$$N(\gamma) = \frac{\log 2}{-\log \gamma} \quad \text{with} \quad \gamma = \frac{\rho}{a}.$$

**Theorem B** (Cf. Katsurada-Okamoto[1].) *Fix a positive number  $b, 0 < b < a$ . Let  $u(\mathbf{r})$  be harmonic in a domain containing the exterior domain of the disc with radius  $b$  having the origin as its center. Suppose that  $N \geq N(\gamma)$ . Let  $u^{(N)}(\mathbf{r})$  be the solution of the problem  $(E_f^{(N)})$  with the data  $f(\mathbf{a}(\theta)) = u(\mathbf{a}(\theta))$ . Then there exist constants  $B > 0$  and  $\beta \in (0, 1)$ ,*

dependent on parameters  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $\rho$ , independent of  $u$  (with the property above) and  $N$ , such that the following two estimates are valid:

$$\max_{\mathbf{r} \in \overline{\Omega}_e} |u(\mathbf{r}) - u^{(N)}(\mathbf{r})| \leq B \cdot \beta^N \cdot \max_{|\mathbf{r}|=b} |u(\mathbf{r})|,$$

$$\max_{\mathbf{r} \in \overline{\Omega}_e} |\text{grad } u(\mathbf{r}) - \text{grad } u^{(N)}(\mathbf{r})|_{\mathbf{R}^2} \leq B \cdot \beta^N \cdot \max_{|\mathbf{r}|=b} |u(\mathbf{r})|.$$

### 3. Boundary bilinear form of Steklov type for exterior Laplace problems and its CSM-approximation form

Let  $f(\theta)$  be a complex valued continuous  $2\pi$ -periodic function of  $\theta$ . For  $n \in \mathbf{Z}$ , a continuous Fourier coefficient  $f_n$  of the function  $f(\theta)$  is defined through

$$f_n = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} f(\theta) e^{-in\theta} d\theta.$$

For functions  $u(\mathbf{a}(\theta))$  and  $v(\mathbf{a}(\theta))$  of  $H^{1/2}(\Gamma_a)$ , let us introduce the boundary bilinear form of Steklov type for exterior Laplace problem through the following formula (1):

$$(1) \quad b(u, v) = 2\pi \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |n| f_n \overline{g_n},$$

where  $f_n$ , and  $g_n$ , are continuous Fourier coefficients of  $u(\mathbf{a}(\theta))$ , and  $v(\mathbf{a}(\theta))$ , respectively.

The CSM approximate form for  $b(u, v)$ , which is denoted by  $b^{(N)}(u, v)$ , is represented through the following formula (2):

$$(2) \quad b^{(N)}(u, v) = -\frac{2\pi a}{N} \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \frac{\partial u^{(N)}(\mathbf{a}_j)}{\partial r} v^{(N)}(\mathbf{a}_j),$$

where  $u^{(N)}(\mathbf{r})$ , and  $v^{(N)}(\mathbf{r})$ , are CSM-approximate solutions of the problem  $(E_f^{(N)})$  with  $f = u(\mathbf{a}(\theta))$ , and  $f = v(\mathbf{a}(\theta))$ , respectively.

### 4. An FEM-CSM combined method for exterior Laplace problems

We say that the function  $v(\mathbf{a}(\theta))$  is an equi-distant piecewise linear continuous  $2\pi$ -periodic function with  $N$  nodal points if it is expressed in the

following form:

$$v(\mathbf{a}(\theta)) = \frac{\theta_{j+1} - \theta}{\theta_1} v(\mathbf{a}(\theta_j)) + \frac{\theta - \theta_j}{\theta_1} v(\mathbf{a}(\theta_{j+1})),$$

$$\theta_j \leq \theta \leq \theta_{j+1}, \quad 0 \leq j \leq N - 1.$$

And we use the notation,  $a(v) = a(v, v)^{1/2}$ , for  $v \in V$ .

A family of finite dimensional subspaces of  $V$ ,  $\{V_N : N = N_0, N_0 + 1, \dots\}$  is supposed to have the following properties:

$$(V_N - 1) \quad V_N \subset C(\overline{\Omega}_i).$$

$$(V_N - 2) \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{For any } v \in V_N, v(\mathbf{a}(\theta)) \text{ is an equi-distant} \\ \text{piecewise linear continuous } 2\pi\text{-periodic} \\ \text{function with } N \text{ nodal points.} \end{array} \right.$$

$$(V_N - 3) \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{There is a constant } C \text{ independent of } N \\ \text{such that for any } v \in V \cap H^2(\Omega_i) \\ \min_{v_N \in V_N} a(v - v_N) \leq \frac{C}{N} \|v\|_{H^2(\Omega_i)}. \end{array} \right.$$

For  $u, v \in H^1(\Omega_i) \cap C(\overline{\Omega}_i)$ , we define bilinear forms  $t^{(N)}(u, v)$  as follows.

$$t^{(N)}(u, v) = a(u, v) + b^{(N)}(u, v).$$

Now our approximate problem  $(\Pi^{(N)})$  is stated as follows.

$$(\Pi^{(N)}) \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} t^{(N)}(u_N, v) = F(v), \quad v \in V_N, \\ u_N \in V_N. \end{array} \right.$$

**Theorem 1** *Let  $u$  be the solution of the problem  $(\Pi)$ , and let  $u_N$  be the solution of the problem  $(\Pi^{(N)})$ . Suppose that  $\text{supp}(f)$  is contained in a disc  $D_b$  with the radius  $b(< a)$  having the origin as its center. Let the function  $D(\xi)$  of  $\xi \in (0, 1)$  be defined through*

$$D(\xi) = \frac{4\xi}{(1 - \xi)^3}.$$

Let  $N \geq N(\gamma)$ . Then there is a constant  $C$  such that

$$\|u - u_N\|_{H^1(\Omega_i)} \leq C \left\{ B\beta^N + \frac{1 + D(\frac{b}{a})}{N} \right\} \|f\|_{L^2(\Omega_i)},$$

where the constants  $B$  and  $\beta \in (0, 1)$  are described in Theorem B for the set of parameters  $\{a, b, \rho\}$ . In the above, the constant  $C$  is independent of the inhomogeneous data  $f$  and  $N$ .

The proof of Theorem 1 is written in [4].

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