

Computational illumination optics Wiskundige modellen voor optisch ontwerp

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Can we turn a frog into a prince?



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• "In the original Grimm version of the story, the frog's spell was broken when the princess threw the frog against the wall, at which he transformed back into a prince, while in modern versions the transformation is triggered by the princess kissing the frog."

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/The_Frog_Prince

Can we do it with light?

Romijn, L. B. (2021) Generated Jacobian Equations in Freeform Optical Design: Mathematical Theory and Numerics PhD thesis, Eindhoven University of Technology

Outline

Computational illumination optics at TU/e

Nonimaging freeform optics

Sixteen basic systems

1: Standard Monge-Ampère equation

2: Generalized Monge-Ampère equation

3: Generated Jacobian Equation

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Improved direct methods

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Lines of research

Line A Nonimaging freeform optics



- Compute optical surfaces that convert given source into desired target distribution
- Freeform surfaces
- Fully nonlinear PDE of Monge-Ampère type



Line B

- Make a very precise image of an object, minimizing aberrations
- Description with Lie transformations

Improved direct methods

Line C



- Ray tracing: iterative procedure to compute final design. Slow convergence
- Backward ray mapping
- Hamiltonian structure of equations and advanced numerical schemes for PDEs

Academic cooperation and industrial embedding



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Nonimaging freeform optics

Design of optical systems for illumination purposes

- LED lighting
- Road lights
- Car headlights

Industry standard: ray tracing

- Easy to implement
- Slow convergence
- Design, ray trace, change design, ray trace, …

Inverse methods

- Directly compute required optical system
- Need solving PDE of Monge-Ampère type
- Avoid iterations and manual optimization









Parallel-to-parallel reflector 2D



- ► Source: parallel beam with Gaussian light distribution
- Desired at target: parallel beam with uniform distribution
- Find the two freeform reflector surfaces



- ► Path of a ray
 - Leaves source S at P = (x, 0)
 - Hits first reflector at A = (x, u(x))
 - Hits second reflector at B = (y, L w(y))
 Arrives at target T at Q = (y, L)
- Optical path length

V = u(x) + d(A, B) + w(y)



$$u(x) + w(y) = \frac{1}{2}\beta + L - \frac{(y-x)^2}{2\beta}$$
$$=: c(x,y)$$



c(x, y) is called cost function

• Differentiate to *x*: optical mapping $y = m(x) = x + \beta u'(x)$

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Energy conservation



- ► S = (-1, 1), T = (3, 4)Source light distribution: $E = E(x), x \in S$, Gaussian
- Target light distribution: G = G(y), $y \in T$, uniform • Energy conservation:

$$\int_{-1}^{x} E(\xi) d\xi = \pm \int_{m(-1)}^{m(x)} G(y) dy = \pm \int_{-1}^{x} G(m(\xi)) m'(\xi) d\xi$$

• Differentiate to x: $m'(x) - \bot = E(x)$

$$n'(x) = \pm \frac{1}{G(m(x))}$$

Solve ODE for *m*

• Differentiate u(x) + w(y) = c(x, y) to x, substitute y = m(x):

$$u'(x) = \frac{\partial c}{\partial x}(x, m(x))$$

Solve ODE for u

• Second reflector: w(m(x)) = c(x, m(x)) - u(x)

Parallel-to-parallel reflector, 2D and 3D

2D

Optical mapping:
 y = m(x) = x + βu'(x) = φ'(x)
 Optimal transport formulation:

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$$u(x) + w(y) = c(x, y)$$

$$c(x, y) = \frac{1}{2}\beta + L - \frac{(y - x)^2}{2\beta}$$

Energy conservation:

$$m'(x) = \phi''(x) = \pm \frac{E(x)}{G(m(x))}$$



Optical mapping:

$$\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{m}(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{x} + \beta \nabla u(\mathbf{x}) = \nabla \mathbf{\phi}(\mathbf{x})$$

$$u(\mathbf{x}) + w(\mathbf{y}) = c(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y})$$
$$c(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}) = \frac{1}{2}\beta + L - \frac{\|\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{x}\|^2}{2\beta}$$

3D:

$$det(Dm(\mathbf{x})) = \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x_1^2} \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x_2^2} - \left(\frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x_1 \partial x_2}\right)^2$$
$$= \pm \frac{E(\mathbf{x})}{G(\mathbf{m}(\mathbf{x}))}$$

Standard Monge-Ampère equation Second-order nonlinear PDE

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Parallel-to-point reflector 2D

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Stereographic projection from the south pole





- Point target with uniform distribution
- ► Find the two freeform reflector surfaces









One can show that



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Mathematical model: optimal transport formulation





- Hits first reflector at A = (x, -L + u(x))
- Hits second reflector at $B = (-w(y)t_1, -w(y)t_2)$
- Arrives at target T = (0, 0)
- Optical path length: V = u(x) + d(A, B) + w(y)
- Geometric relation



• Take logarithms: $u_1(x) + u_2(y) = c(x, y)$ Cost function is non-quadratic







Energy conservation:

$$m'(x) = \pm \frac{E(x)}{G(m(x))} \frac{1 + (m(x))^2}{2}$$

Solve ODE for m

• Differentiate $u_1(x) + u_2(y) = c(x, y)$ to x, substitute y = m(x):

$$u_1'(x) = \frac{\partial c}{\partial x}(x, m(x))$$

Solve ODE for u1 From u_1 compute u

Second reflector:

 $u_2(m(x)) = c(x, m(x)) - u_1(x)$

From u_2 compute w

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Parallel-to-point reflector, 2D and 3D

2D

• Energy conservation:

$$m'(x) = \pm \frac{E(x)}{G(m(x))} \frac{1 + (m(x))^2}{2}$$

• Optimal transport formulation: $u_1(x) + u_2(y) = c(x, y)$ $c(x, y) = \log\left(\left(1 + \frac{xy}{\beta}\right)^2\right)$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}$$
 $\mathbf{y} = \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{pmatrix}$ $\mathbf{m} = \begin{pmatrix} m_1 \\ m_2 \end{pmatrix}$

GMA

Energy conservation:

 $\mathbf{x} =$

3D:

$$\det(\mathsf{D}\mathbf{m}(\mathbf{x})) = \pm \frac{E(\mathbf{x})}{G(\mathbf{m}(\mathbf{x}))} \frac{\left(1 + \|\mathbf{m}(\mathbf{x})\|^2\right)^2}{4}$$

Optimal transport formulation:

$$u_{1}(\mathbf{x}) + u_{2}(\mathbf{y}) = c(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y})$$
$$c(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}) = \log\left(\left(1 + \frac{\mathbf{x} \cdot \mathbf{y}}{\beta}\right)^{2}\right)$$

 $\begin{array}{c} \bullet \quad \text{Differentiate, substitute } \mathbf{y} = \mathbf{m}(\mathbf{x}), \, \text{differentiate} \\ \underbrace{\mathsf{D}_{\mathbf{x}\mathbf{y}}c(\mathbf{x},\mathbf{m}(\mathbf{x}))}_{\mathbf{C}} \quad \mathsf{D}\mathbf{m}(\mathbf{x}) = \underbrace{\mathsf{D}^2 u_1(\mathbf{x}) - \mathsf{D}_{\mathbf{x}\mathbf{x}}c(\mathbf{x},\mathbf{m}(\mathbf{x}))}_{\mathbf{P}} \end{array}$

Generalized Monge-Ampère equation

$$\det(\mathsf{D}\mathbf{m}(\mathbf{x})) = \frac{\det(\mathbf{P})}{\det(\mathbf{C})} = \pm \frac{E(\mathbf{x})}{G(\mathbf{m}(\mathbf{x}))} \frac{\left(1 + \|\mathbf{m}(\mathbf{x})\|^2\right)^2}{4}$$

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- Source: parallel beam with Gaussian light distribution
- Near-field target with uniform distribution
- ► Find the single freeform lens surface

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Mathematical model

- Path of a ray
 - Leaves source S at P = (x, 0)
 - Hits freeform lens surface at A = (x, u(x))
 - Arrives at target **T** at Q = (y, L)
- Optical path length:

$$V(y) = n \cdot u(x) + d(A, Q)$$

= $n \cdot u(x) + \sqrt{(y - x)^2 + (L - u(x))^2}$

Cannot be formulated as optimal transport problem



Numerical method

Energy conservation:

$$m'(x) = \pm \frac{E(x)}{G(m(x))}$$

- Solve ODE for m
- Geometric relation:

$$V(y) = n \cdot u(x) + \sqrt{(y - x)^2 + (L - u(x))^2}$$

differentiate to x, substitute y = m(x), solve for u'(x):

$$u'(x) = \frac{m(x) - x}{n \cdot \sqrt{(m(x) - x)^2 + (L - u(x))^2} + u(x) - L}$$
 Solve ODE for u

Parallel-to-near-field lens, 2D and 3D

2D

GJE 3D Energy conservation: Energy conservation: $m'(x) = \pm \frac{E(x)}{G(m(x))}$ $\det(\mathsf{Dm}(\mathbf{x})) = \pm \frac{\mathsf{L}(\mathbf{x})}{\mathsf{G}(\mathbf{m}(\mathbf{x}))}$ $E(\mathbf{x})$ • Geometric relation: Geometric relation: $V(y) = n \cdot u(x) + \sqrt{(y-x)^2 + (L-u(x))^2}$ $V(\mathbf{y}) = n \cdot u(\mathbf{x}) + \sqrt{\|\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{x}\|^2 + (L - u(\mathbf{x}))^2}$ $=: H(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}, u(\mathbf{x}))$ • Differentiate to **x**: $\nabla_{\mathbf{x}}(H(\mathbf{x},\mathbf{y},u(\mathbf{x}))) = \mathbf{0}$ • Let $\widetilde{H}(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}) := H(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}, u(\mathbf{x}))$, substitute $\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{m}(\mathbf{x})$, differentiate to **x**: $\mathsf{D}_{\mathbf{x}\mathbf{x}}\widetilde{H}(\mathbf{x},\mathbf{m}(\mathbf{x})) + \mathsf{D}_{\mathbf{x}\mathbf{y}}\widetilde{H}(\mathbf{x},\mathbf{m}(\mathbf{x}))(\mathsf{D}\mathbf{m})(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{O}$ Generated Jacobian equation $det(\mathsf{D}_{\mathbf{x}\mathbf{x}}\widetilde{H}(\mathbf{x},\mathbf{m}(\mathbf{x}))) = \pm det(\mathbf{C})\frac{E(\mathbf{x})}{G(\mathbf{m}(\mathbf{x}))}$ 21 | Martijn Anthonissen | Computational illumination optics | Nonimaging freeform optics

Iterative least-squares solver for 3D systems

Find mapping $\mathbf{m}: S \to T$ such that

 $\det(\mathsf{D}\mathbf{m}) = \frac{E(\mathbf{x})}{G(\mathbf{m}(\mathbf{x}))}$ $\mathbf{m}(\partial S) = \partial T$

 Break down in substeps We compute **P**, **b**, **m** such that

 $\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{C} \mathbf{D} \mathbf{m}$

$$det(\mathbf{P}) = det(\mathbf{C}) \frac{E(\mathbf{x})}{G(\mathbf{m}(\mathbf{x}))}$$
$$\mathbf{b}(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{m}(\mathbf{x}) \quad \mathbf{x} \in \partial S$$

b maps ∂S to ∂T

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1. Choose an initial guess \mathbf{m}^0 Let n = 02. Let $J_l(\mathbf{m}, \mathbf{P}) = \frac{1}{2} \iint_{\mathbf{C}} \|\mathbf{C} \, \mathrm{D}\mathbf{m} - \mathbf{P}\|^2 \, d\mathbf{x}$ $\mathbf{P}^{n+1} = \operatorname{argmin}_{\mathbf{P}} J_{l}(\mathbf{m}^{n}, \mathbf{P})$ Constrained minimization problem 3. Let $J_{B}(\mathbf{m}, \mathbf{b}) = \frac{1}{2} \int_{ac} \|\mathbf{m} - \mathbf{b}\|^{2} ds$ $\mathbf{b}^{n+1} = \underset{\mathbf{b}}{\operatorname{argmin}} J_{\mathcal{B}}(\mathbf{m}^{n}, \mathbf{b})$ Projection on boundary ∂T 4. Let $l(m, P, b) = \alpha l_l(m, P) + (1 - \alpha) l_B(m, b)$ $\mathbf{m}^{n+1} = \operatorname{argmin} I(\mathbf{m}, \mathbf{P}^{n+1}, \mathbf{b}^{n+1})$ Elliptic PDEs for m_1 and m_2 — FVM 5. Let n := n + 1, go to Step 2

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Iterative procedure:

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Girl with a pearl earring (parallel-to-far-field reflector 3D)

- Parallel source
- Uniform source distribution
- ► Far-field target
- Single reflector



Target

Mapping

Ray trace



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Laser beam shaping (parallel-to-parallel lens 3D)



Lens Target

Optical system:

one lens with two

freeform surfaces



Desired target distribution: circular top hat profile Output beam: parallel light rays

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Source distribution:

Source emits parallel light rays

Gaussian profile

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Laser beam shaping



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Light rays travel from left to right
Source plane: z = 0

Cartesian coordinates $\mathbf{x} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}$ Source S emits parallel light rays Exitance: $f(\mathbf{x}), \mathbf{x} \in S$

- ► Target plane: z = LCartesian coordinates $\mathbf{y} = \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{pmatrix}$
- Desired irradiance: $g(\mathbf{y}), \mathbf{y} \in T$ First lens surface: $z = u(\mathbf{x}), \mathbf{x} \in S$
- Second lens surface: $L z = w(\mathbf{y}), \mathbf{y} \in T$

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Desired target distribution





Alternative optical systems







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Point-to-parallel reflector system 3D





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Parallel-to-near-field reflector 3D



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Sixteen basic systems



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 Model 1: Standard Monge-Ampère equation (SMA)

Optimal transport formulation with quadratic cost function

 Model 2: Generalized Monge-Ampère equation (GMA)

Optimal transport formulation with non-quadratic cost function

 Model 3: Generated Jacobian equation (GJE)
 No optimal transport formulation

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Imaging optics

Consider imaging optical system



Object plane Optical system Image plane

- Each ray is defined by position q and direction p
- Hamiltonian optics:

$$\dot{q} = \frac{\partial H}{\partial p}, \quad \dot{p} = -\frac{\partial H}{\partial q}, \quad H = -\sqrt{n^2 - p^2}$$

Optical map:

$$\begin{pmatrix} q' \\ p' \end{pmatrix} = M \begin{pmatrix} q \\ p \end{pmatrix}$$

Ideal system:

$$M = M_{\text{linear}} = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$$

 In practice M is nonlinear Goal: Mathematical description of nonlinearities, called aberrations

Finding aberrations

Consider imaging optical system



- Break down in steps: P—R—P—R—P
 P: propagation
 R: refraction
- Write each step as a Lie transformation

 $M_{i} = \exp\left(\left[f_{i}, \cdot\right]\right)$ $\left[f_{i}, \cdot\right] = \frac{\partial f_{i}}{\partial q} \frac{\partial}{\partial p} - \frac{\partial f_{i}}{\partial p} \frac{\partial}{\partial q}$

Optical map is product of M_i

Spot diagram off-axis object





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Improved direct methods



- New methods work in phase space
- q < 0: Water, refractive index $n_1 = 1.4$ q > 0: Air, $n_2 = 1$ Light source at z = 0
- Each ray can be defined by position q(z) and direction p(z)
- Four rays:
- $p(0) = 0 \rightarrow q(z)$ constant
- $p(0) > p_{crit} \rightarrow ray$ is reflected
- $p(0) > p_{crit} \rightarrow ray$ is reflected
- $0 < p(0) < p_{crit} \rightarrow ray$ is refracted

Phase space



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Liouville's equation



• Conservation of luminance $\rho = \rho(z, q, p)$

$$\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial z} + \nabla \cdot (\rho \mathbf{u}) = 0, \qquad \mathbf{u} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n^2 - p^2}} \begin{pmatrix} p \\ n \frac{\partial n}{\partial q} \end{pmatrix}$$

Liouville's equation

- Discontinuous Galerkin spectral element method (DG)
- Compared to quasi Monte Carlo ray tracing (QMC)





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Backward ray mapping

Two-faceted cup



Phase spaces source and target

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Intensity at target





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Conclusions



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- Yes we can transform a frog into a prince with a mirror!
- And we can model and simulate another fifteen basic optical systems

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- Include Fresnel reflection and scattering
- Design lens arrays with smooth surfaces
- Use machine learning to speed up or replace the least-squares solver
- Model finite sources
- Model GRIN optics
- Move beyond the sixteen basic systems
- Include phase information





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Concave, convex and saddle surfaces





Lens arrays



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