#### Truncation Error in Image Interpolation Loïc Simon

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#### Truncation error: What is that?





 $X_t$ 's

 $X_k$ 's

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 $X_t := \sum X_k \operatorname{sinc}(t-k)$  $k \in \mathbb{Z}^2$ 

## Truncation error:

#### What is that?



#### Context

- Motivations
- Assumptions
- Goal
- Related work

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- Image registration
  - optical flow
  - stereopsis
  - super-resolution
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  - optical flow
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- sub-pixel accuracy
- error ~ quantization









#### Assumptions

- $X_t \ (t \in \mathbb{R})$  a 1d random process
  - observed on  $k \in \{-K, \ldots, K\}$
  - weakly stationary  $\mu, d\Psi_X(\omega)$
  - no aliasing



#### Goal

• Linear shift-invariant

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➡ Sinc interpolation
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#### Rest of the talk

- Theoretical bounds
- Experimental results
- Discussion & conclusion

#### A bit of intuition...



rmse=19.2



#### Theoretical bounds

 $MSE[\tilde{X}](t) = \frac{\sin^2(\pi t)}{\pi^2} \times \begin{pmatrix} \mu^2 \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{\delta(t)^2}\right) \\ + \\ \sigma'^2_{\alpha} \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{\delta(t)^2}\right) \\ + \\ \sigma^2_{\alpha} \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{\delta(t)}\right) \end{pmatrix}$ 

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$$MSE[\tilde{X}](t) = \mu^{2} \left| 1 - \sum_{|k| \le K} h(t-k) \right|^{2} + \frac{1}{2\pi} \int \left| e^{i\omega t} - \sum_{|k| \le K} e^{i\omega k} h(t-k) \right|^{2} d\Psi_{X}(\omega)$$

$$MSE[d\Psi_{X}](t)$$

Average component Spectral component

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Aliasing is not forbidden

$$MSE[\tilde{X}](t) = \mu^{2} \left| \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} \operatorname{sinc}(t-k) - \sum_{|k| \leq K} h(t-k) \right|^{2}$$

$$MSE[\mu](t) + \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{|\omega| \leq \pi} \left| \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} e^{i\omega k} \operatorname{sinc}(t-k) - \sum_{|k| \leq K} e^{i\omega k} h(t-k) \right|^{2} d\Psi_{X}(\omega)$$

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$$\stackrel{MSE[d\Psi_{X}](t)}{}$$

Under no aliasing condition

➡ Sinc

## Average component

$$MSE[\mu](t) = \frac{\sin^2(\pi t)}{\pi^2} \mu^2 \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{\delta(t)^2}\right)$$



## Average component

 $MSE[\mu](t) = 0$ 



#### Spectral component





0.50

Spectrum (dB)

1.7dB







15.2dB

## Spectral decomposition



 $\Rightarrow$  spectrum  $\leq$  oversampled + white-noise

Supp
$$(d\Psi'_{\alpha}) \subset \{|\omega| \le \alpha\pi\}$$
  
 $\Longrightarrow$   
 $MSE[d\Psi'_{\alpha}](t) = \frac{\sin^2(\pi t)}{\pi^2} \sigma'^2_{\alpha} O\left(\frac{1}{\delta(t)^2}\right)$ 

where,  

$$\sigma_{\alpha}^{\prime 2} = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{|\omega| \le \alpha \pi} \frac{1}{1 + \cos(\omega)} d\Psi_{\alpha}^{\prime}(\omega)$$

$$\begin{split} \sup(d\Psi'_{\alpha}) &\subset \{|\omega| \leq \alpha\pi\} \\ &\Longrightarrow \\ \left\{ \begin{array}{c} MSE[d\Psi'_{\alpha}](t) \\ MSE[\mu](t) \end{array} \right\} = \frac{\sin^{2}(\pi t)}{\pi^{2}} \left\{ \begin{array}{c} \sigma_{\alpha}^{\prime 2} \\ \mu^{2} \end{array} \right\} \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{\delta(t)^{2}}\right) \end{split}$$

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## Recap

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- Bound validity
- Bound tightness
- Order of magnitude



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Sinc

Sinc w/o  $\mu$ 

DFT

Simulated white-noise

$$\rightarrow \sqrt{\mathbb{E}[\text{quant}^2]} = 0.3$$

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Sinc w/o  $\mu$ 



Sinc + accel



Bilinear



Bicubic



B-Spline 3



B-Spline II

#### Conclusion

• Textures are nasty

• Aliasing is not the worst thing in life

• Is there a hope for image interpolation?

#### Empirical estimate



#### Textures

• What's special about images?

