



Locally Turn Bounded Curves and Their Application to Topology Preservation of Shapes

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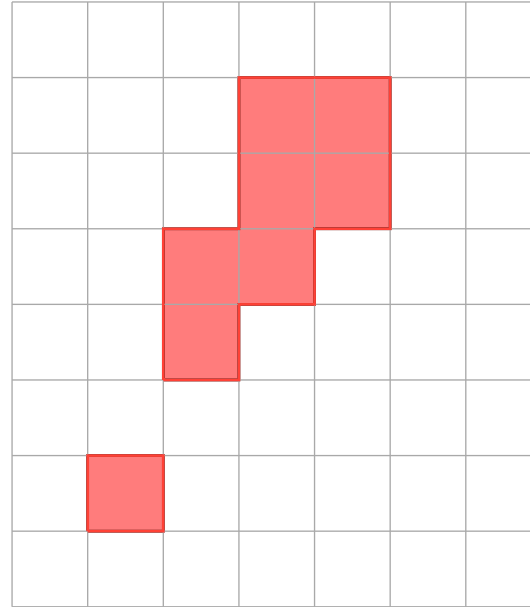
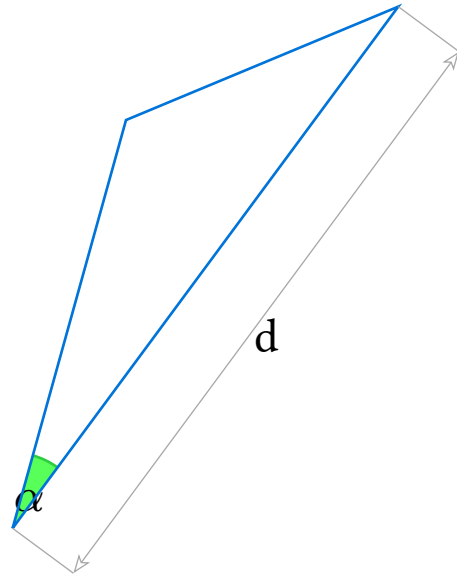
Digital Geometry

Digital Geometry: Geometry on discrete grid

(pixel/voxel representation of a shape)

- acquisition on numerical devices
- representation efficient for several algorithms
- integer based computations

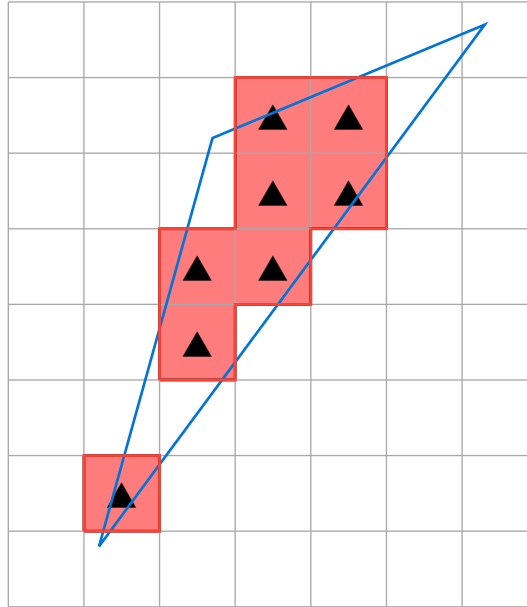
Digitization



Length ?

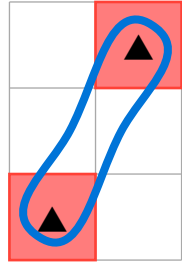
Topology ?

Gauss Digitization

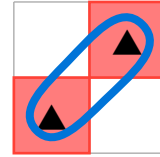


Gauss digitization of S : $S \cap h\mathbb{Z}^2$

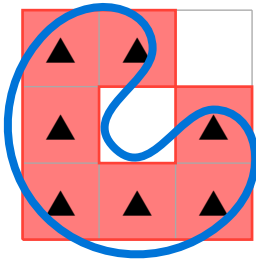
Digital Topology



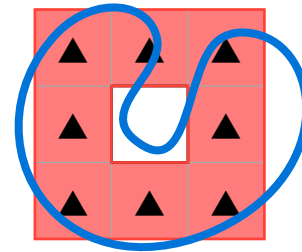
Not 8-connected



Not 4-connected

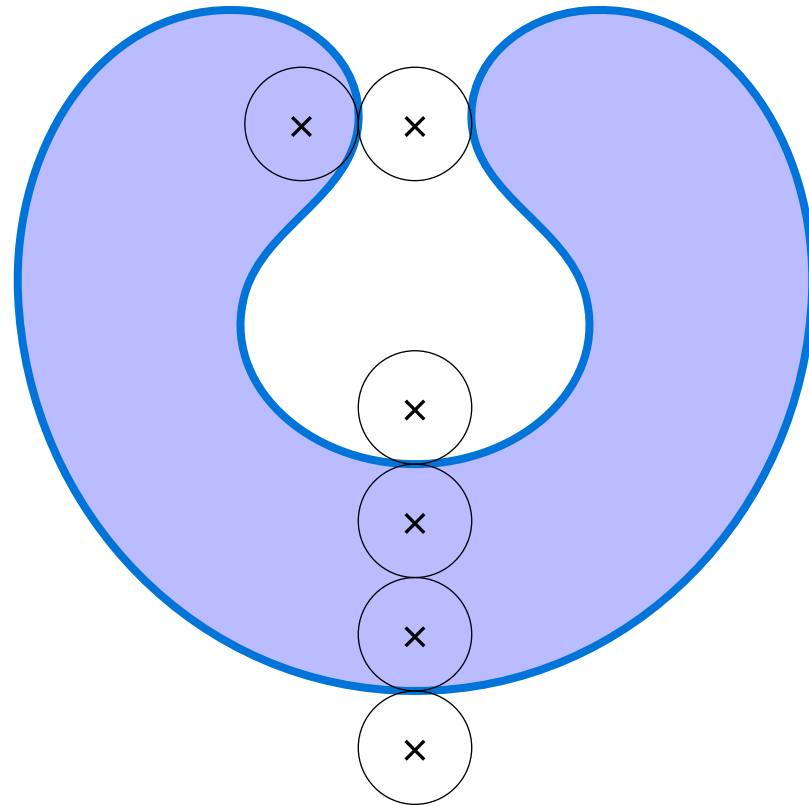


Not well-composed



Not simply connected

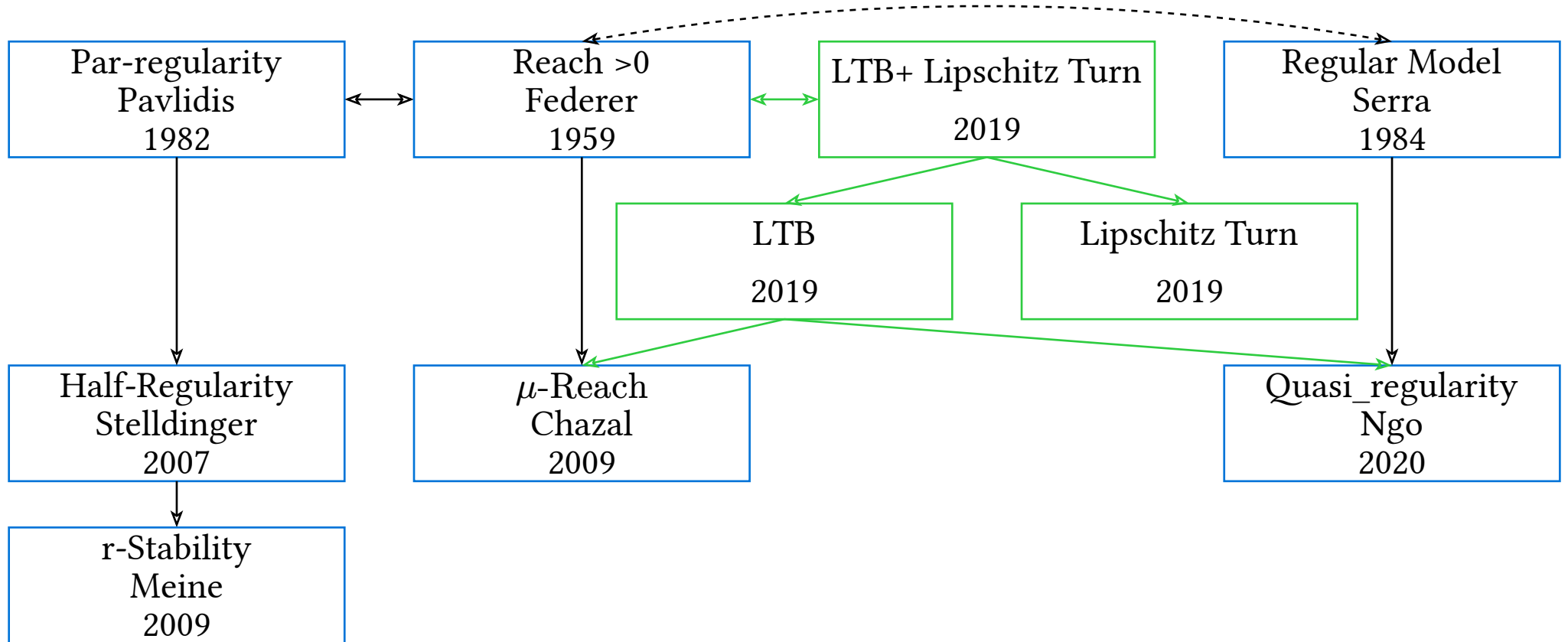
Par-regularity *T. Pavlidis*



Results on Par-Regular Shapes

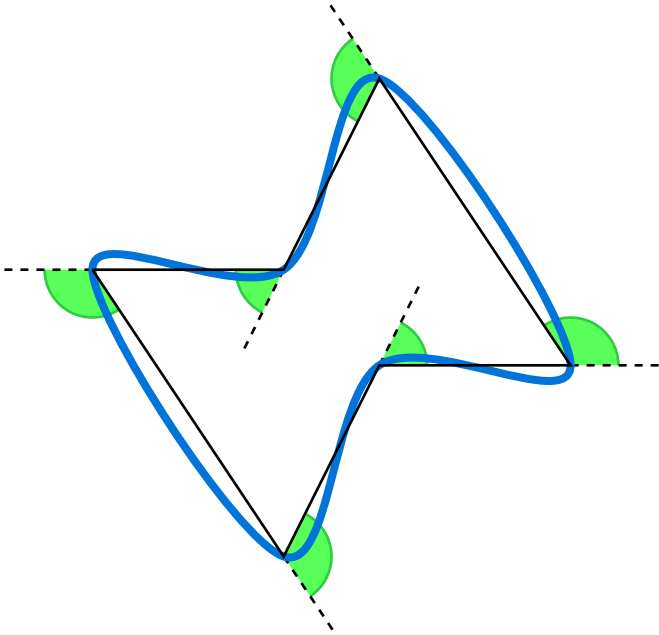
- The Gauss/surfacic/intersection Digitization of a par(r)-regular shape is well-composed on a grid with a step $h < \sqrt{2}r$. *L. Latecki, U. Eckhardt, and A. Rosenfeld*
- Multigrid convergence of integral estimator based on a normal estimation. *J.-O. Lachaud and B. Thibert*

Generalizations of Par-regularity



Turn of a curve

Definition *J. W. Milnor*

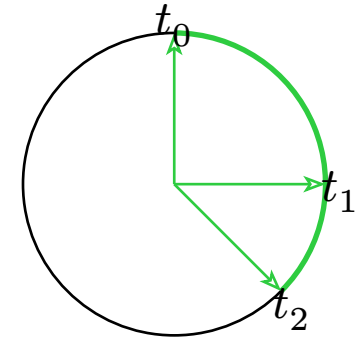
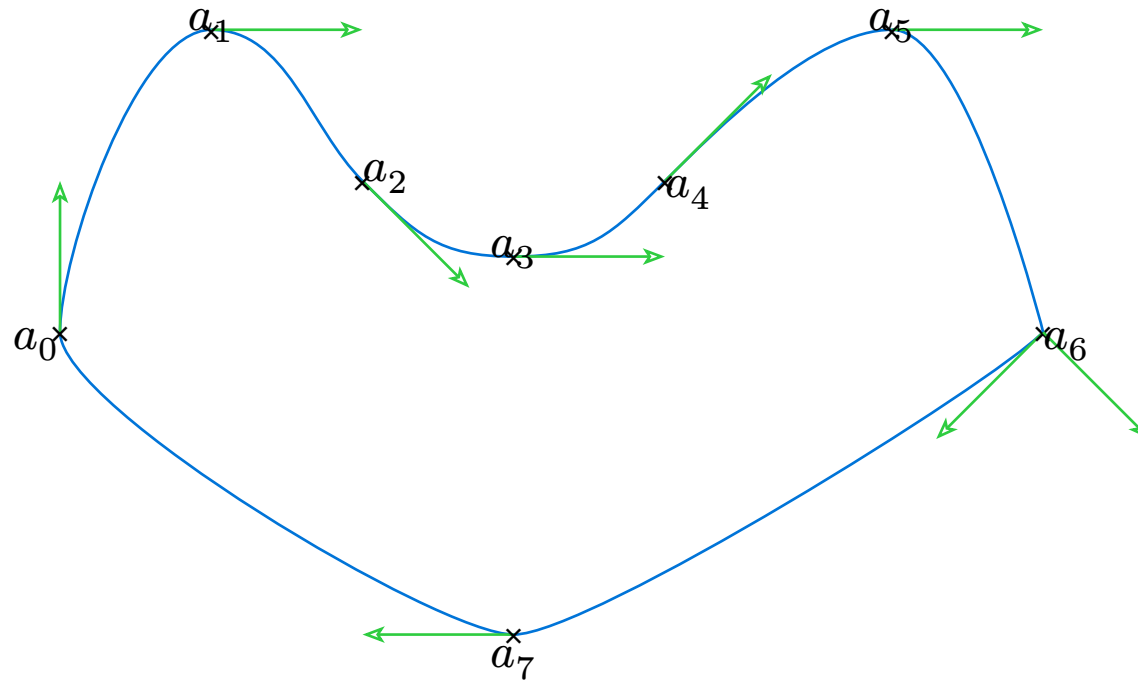


$$\kappa(P) = \sum_{i \in \mathbb{Z}/N\mathbb{Z}} \angle(a_{i-1}a_i, a_i a_{i+1})$$

$$\kappa(\mathcal{C}) = \sup_{P \text{ inscribed in } \mathcal{C}} \kappa(P)$$

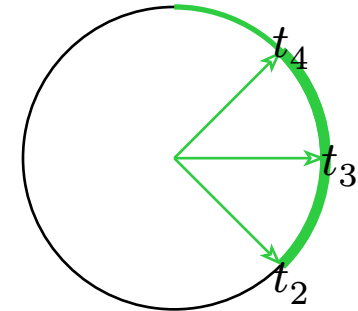
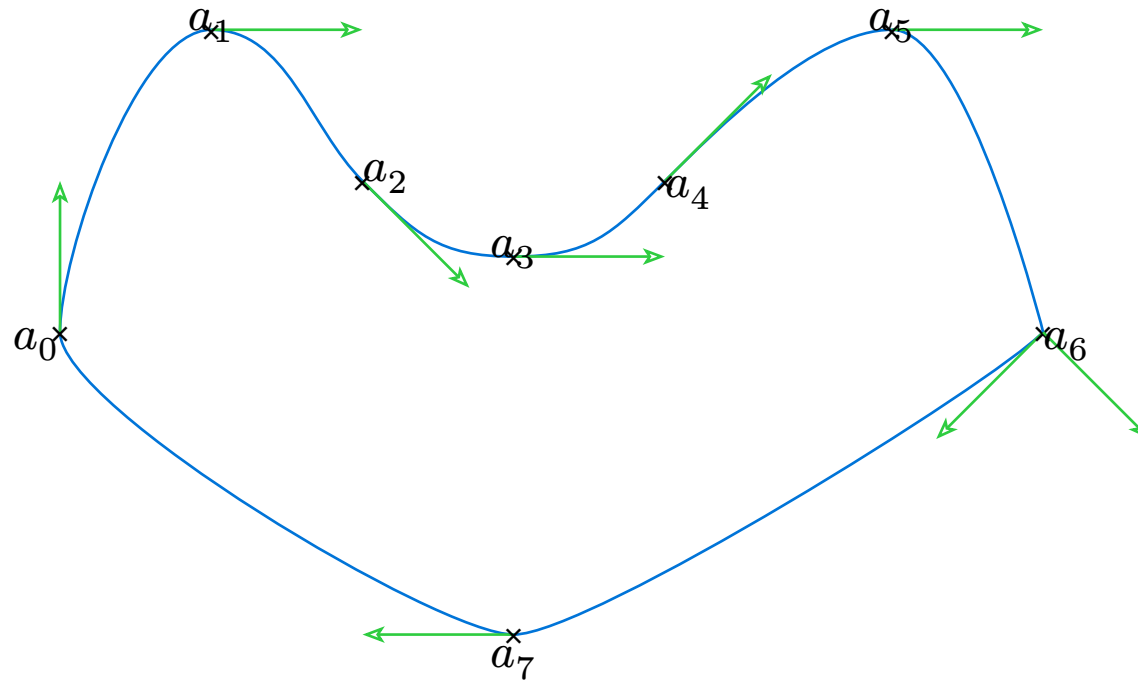
Turn of a curve

Tangent Indicatrix



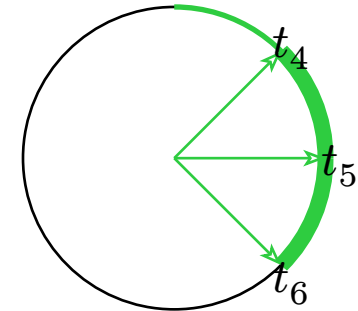
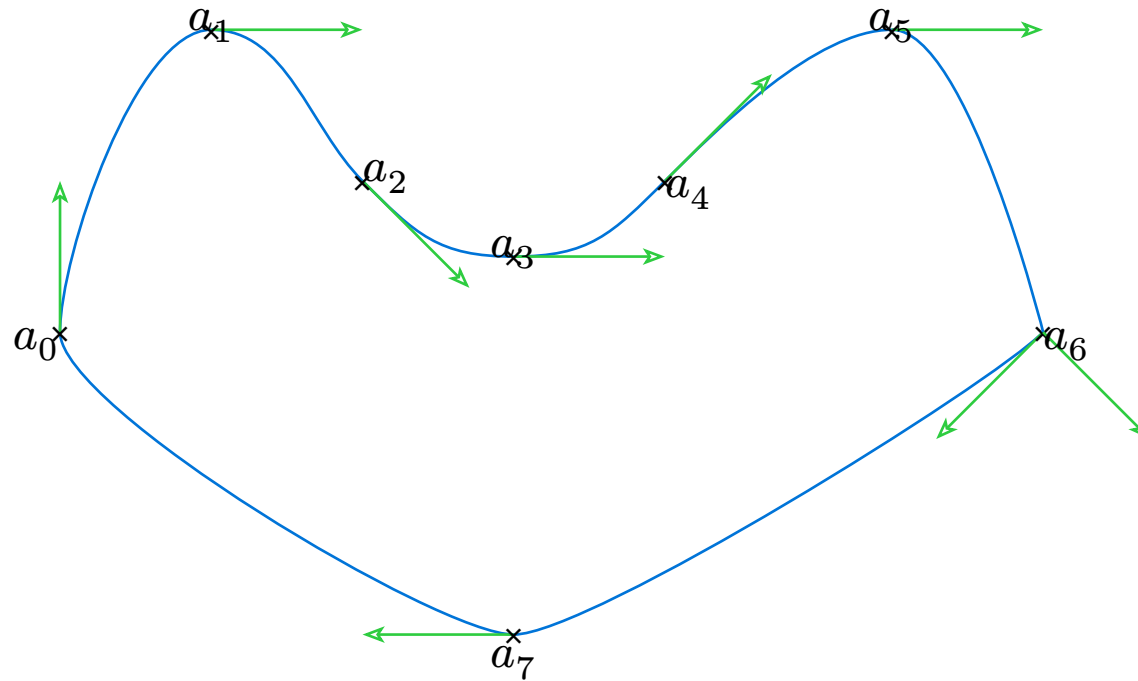
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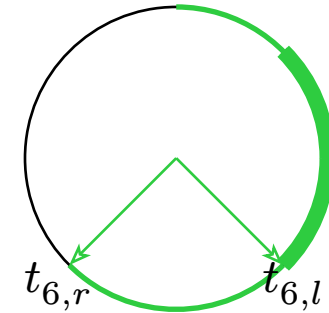
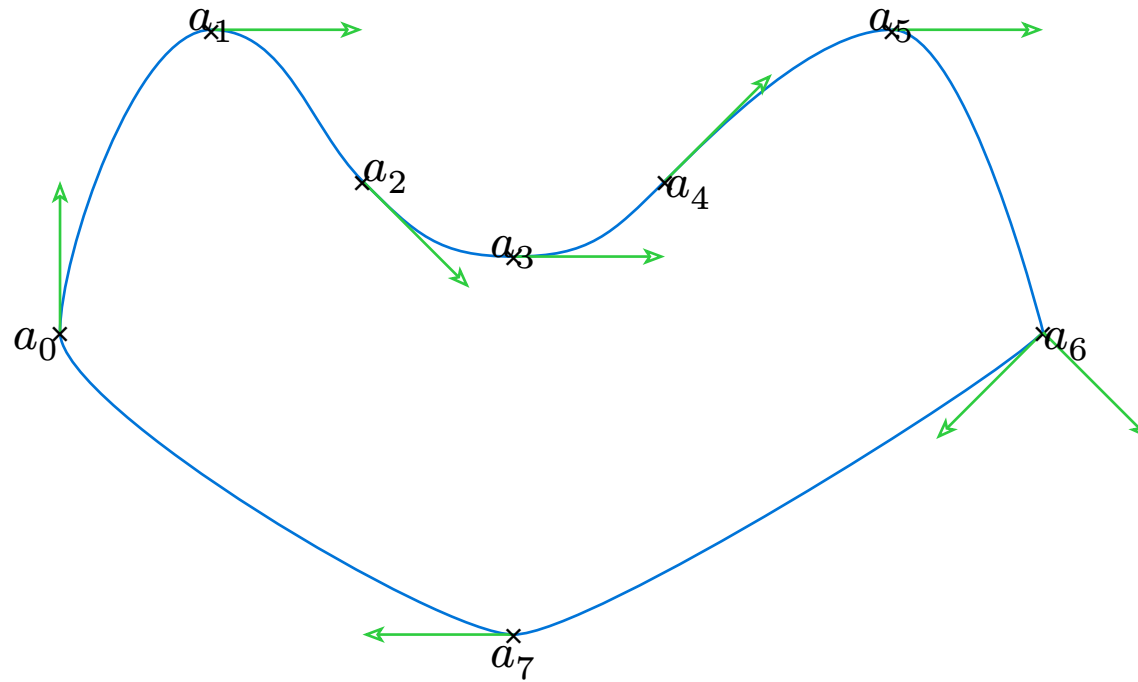
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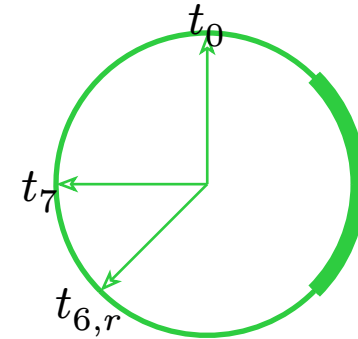
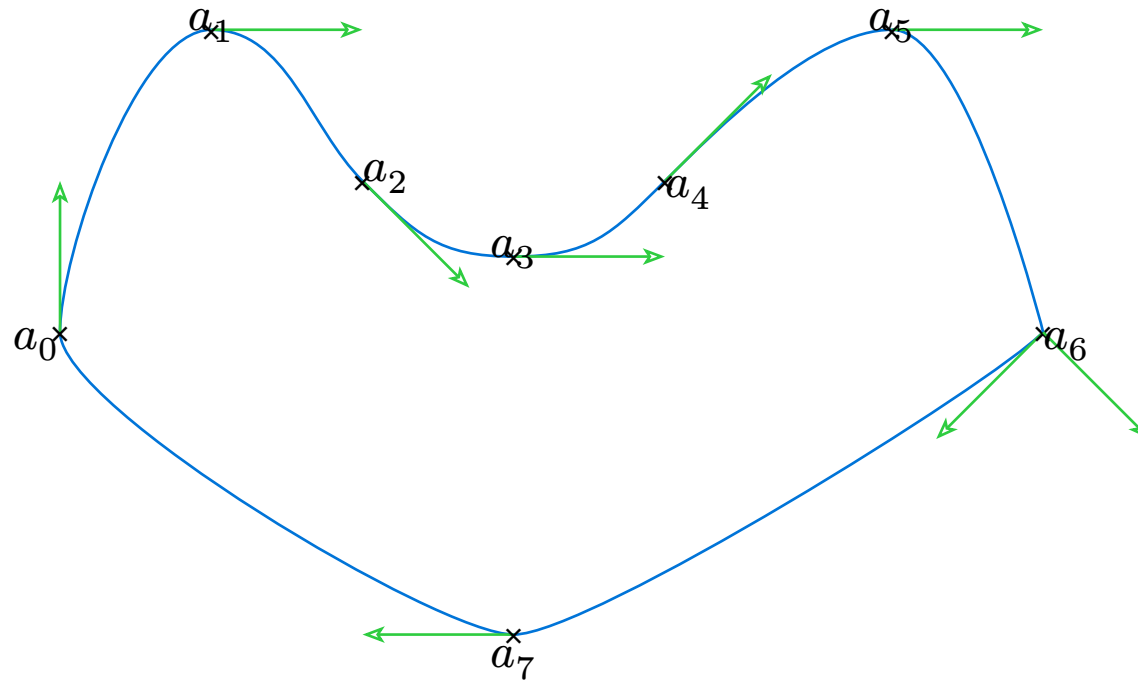
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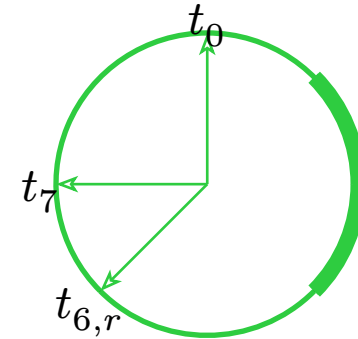
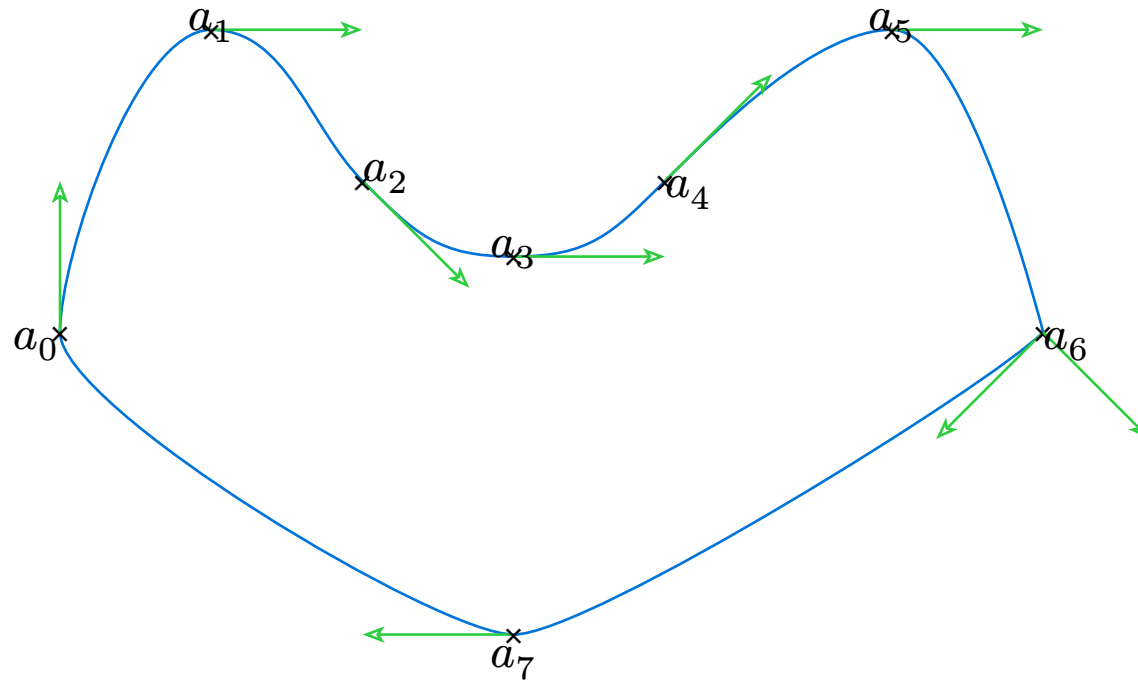
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Important Properties

- For twice differentiable curves \mathcal{C} :

$$\kappa(\mathcal{C}) = \int_0^{\text{Length}(\mathcal{C})} |k(s)| ds$$

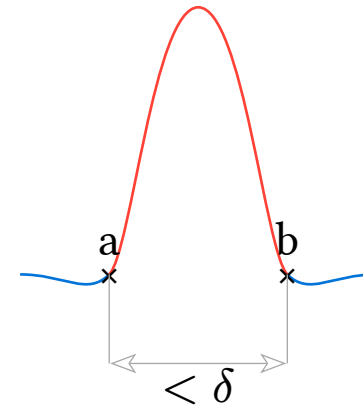
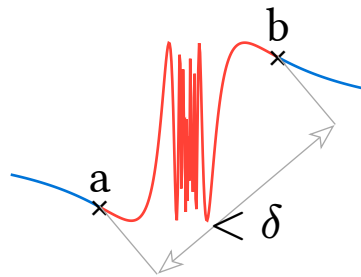
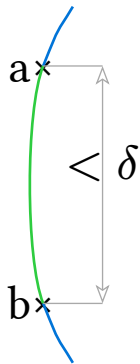
- Fenchel's Theorem: For any Jordan curve \mathcal{C} , $\kappa(\mathcal{C}) \geq 2\pi$.
 \mathcal{C} has a convex interior iff $\kappa(\mathcal{C}) = 2\pi$.

Locally Turn-Bounded curves

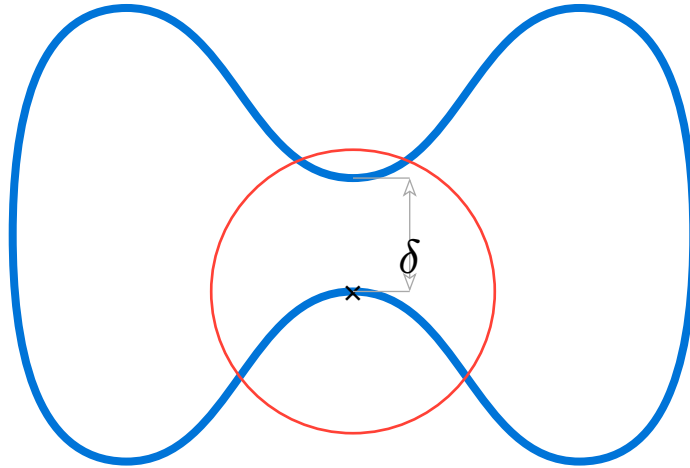
Definition of LTB curves

E. Le Quentrec, L. Mazo, E. Baudrier, and M. Tajine

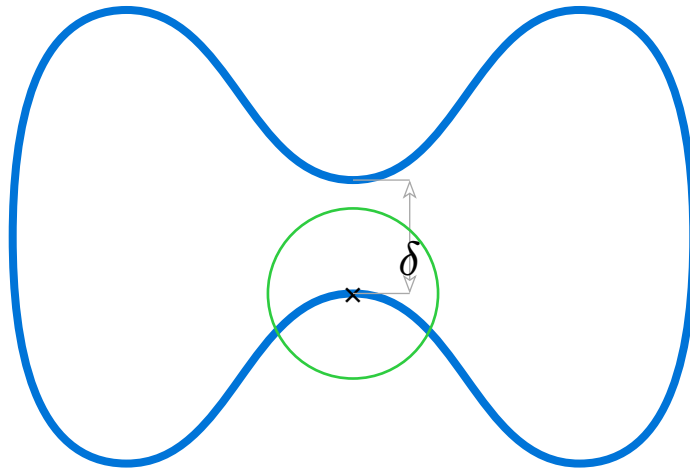
- A Jordan curve \mathcal{C} is Locally Turn-Bounded by (θ, δ) if for any pair of points (a, b) of \mathcal{C} such that $d(a, b) < \delta$, there exists an arc \mathcal{C}_a^b of \mathcal{C} joining a and b and such that $\kappa(\mathcal{C}_a^b) \leq \theta$.



Local connectivity



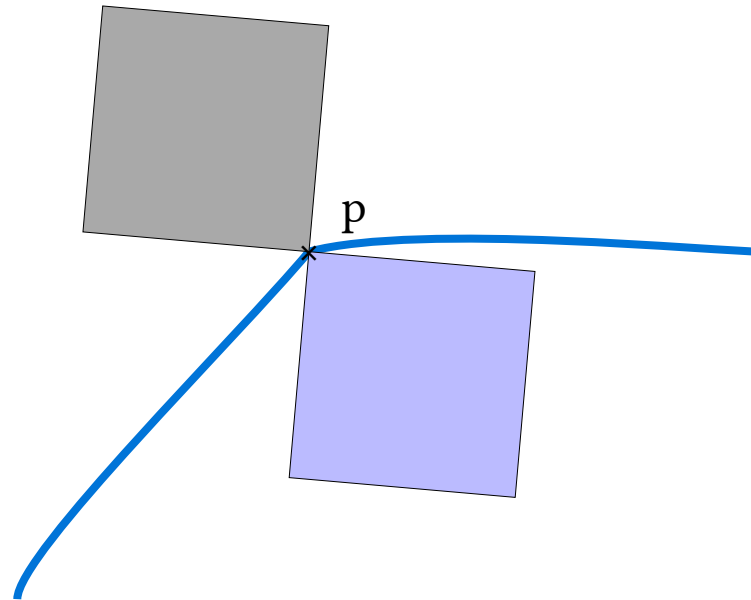
Local connectivity



\mathcal{C} $(\frac{\pi}{2}, \delta)$ -LTB curve , $a \in \mathcal{C}$,

$\Rightarrow B(a, \varepsilon) \cap \mathcal{C}$ is path-connected for $\varepsilon \leq \delta$.

Square-regularity



\mathcal{C} $(\frac{\pi}{2}, \delta)$ -LTB, $p \in \mathcal{C}$, there exists a square of edge-size $\frac{\delta}{2}$ and containing p included in the closure of the interior component of \mathcal{C} .

Curves with Lipschitz Turn

\mathcal{C} has a $\frac{1}{r}$ -Lipschitz turn if for any arc \mathcal{A} of \mathcal{C} ,

$$\kappa(\mathcal{A}) \leq \frac{1}{r} \text{Length}(\mathcal{A})$$

Relationships with other notions

- Any $\text{par}(r)$ -regular curve is $(\theta, 2r \sin(\frac{\theta}{2}))$ -LTB for $\theta \in (0, \pi)$ and has a $\frac{1}{r}$ -Lipschitz turn
- Any $(\frac{\pi}{2}, \delta)$ -LTB curve having a $\frac{1}{r}$ -Lipschitz turn is $\text{par}(r_1)$ -regular for any $r_1 < \min(\frac{\delta}{2}, r)$
- LTB curves are quasi-regular
- For $\theta \in [0, \pi]$, $\delta > 0$ and \mathcal{C} a (θ, δ) -LTB curve,

$$\delta \leq 2r_{\mu(\mathcal{C})}$$

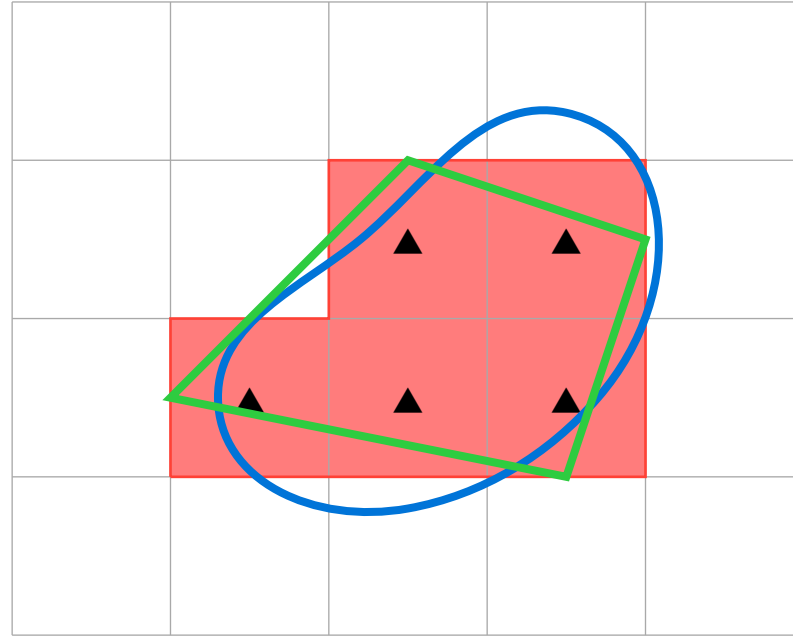
with $\mu = \cos \frac{\theta}{2}$

Digitization of a LTB curve

\mathcal{C} $(\frac{\pi}{2}, \delta)$ -LTB curve

- Any pixel of the Gauss Digitization of \mathcal{C} is one-quarter covered by the shape bounded by \mathcal{C} .
- Any pixel which is three-quarter covered by the shape bounded by \mathcal{C} belongs to the Gauss Digitization of \mathcal{C} .
- The Gauss Digitization of \mathcal{C} is well-composed, 4-connected and simply connected if $h < \min\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\delta, \frac{1}{2}\text{diam}(\mathcal{C})\right)$

Length estimation



Links between turn and length

- [*A. D. Alexandrov and Y. G. Reshetnyak*] : Let \mathcal{C} an arc of ends a and b s.t. $\kappa(\mathcal{C}) \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$,

$$\text{Length}(\mathcal{C}) \leq \frac{\|b - a\|}{\cos\left(\frac{\kappa(\mathcal{C})}{2}\right)}$$

- [*E. Le Quentrec*]: Let \mathcal{C} a $\text{par}(r)$ -regular curve with $r > 0$. Let \mathcal{C}_a^b be a subarc delimited by two point a and b such that $\|b - a\| < 2r$.

$$\text{Length}(\mathcal{C}_a^b) \leq 2r \arcsin\left(\frac{\|b - a\|}{2r}\right)$$

Future work

- Extension to surfaces in 3D (PhD started 1st October: Lysandre Macke)

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