Pose Interpolation with Dual Quaternion Series

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Goal of the project

• Implement algorithm for smooth interpolation of pose (rotation and translation) using dual quaternions



Interpolation based on four measurements [1]

[1] Documentation – Kinematic toolbox, Daniel Klawitter, Technische Universität Dresden, March 29, 2010

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Background and Motivation

- Real-time tracking systems benefits from interpolation
- animation
- multi-modal sensor
- Quaternions
- robust
- fast
- efficient
- Dual quaternion for rigid-body motions



Methods and materials

- Cumulative basis [3]:
 - Bezier curve
 - Quadric Bezier curves (QB) [1]
 - Hermite curves
 - B-spline curves
- Aitken [1]



Extended Aitken algorithm [1]



[3] A General Construction Scheme for Unit Quaternion Curves with Simple High Order Derivatives - Myoung-Jun Kim, Myung-Soo Kim, Sung Yong Shin (1995)

 $p(t) = \sum p_i B_i(t)$

i=0

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Experiments

- Aitken interpolation:
- 51 poses,
 based on 3 measurements
 0,028 sec
- QB interpolation:
 51 poses,
 based on 3 measurements
 0,006 sec





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Technical outline

- Programming languages
- C++
- Matlab
- Libraries
- OpenIGTLink
- Matio
- Eigen





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Class diagram





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Sequence diagram





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Project risks and problems

- Schedule problems
- incorrect time management
- lack of time
- Technical problems
- integration with matlab
- integration of all components





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Results

- Design a prototype
- choose appropriate mathematical model for pose interpolation
- implement algorithm
- integrate with FRAMOS OTS
- ✓ test system
- Adaptation for medical application
- discuss with partners medical applications and choose one
- adapt system to specific application
- compare results before and after interpolation
- Documentation/Report



Experiments and measurements

- Data from Framos OTS (287 poses)
- Maximum tracker speed 20 Hz max (new poses every 50 ms)
- Delay from image acquisition to sending is 50 ms.
- Time measurements:
- 0.1 ms between control points









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Learning outcome

- Dual quaternions
- OpenIGTLink interface
- Client-Server architecture





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