# SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL TO SECOND-ORDER EDGE-PENALIZATION IN THE AMBROSIO-TORTORELLI FUNCTIONAL 

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## 1. Convergence Behaviour of Alternating Minimization Algorithms

The convergence indicator $e^{k}$ is plotted vs. the number of iterations in several examples in Figure 1 and 2. Figure 3 illustrates two cases of parameters where alternating minimization on the Ambrosio-Tortorelli functional did not converge.

## 2. One-dimensional Structure

Figure 4 displays further results for the one-dimensional structure with the parameters $\alpha=10^{-2}, \gamma=$ $10^{-3}, \varepsilon=9 * 10^{-2}$.


Figure 1. Convergence history of $e^{k}$ vs. number of iterations $k$. One-dimensional example (left, $\alpha=10^{-2}, \gamma=10^{-3}, \varepsilon=9 * 10^{-2}$ ), ellipse (middle, $\alpha=10^{-2}, \gamma=$ $10^{-3}, \varepsilon=3 * 10^{-2}$ ), two circles (right, $\alpha=10^{-2}, \gamma=10^{-3}, \varepsilon=3 * 10^{-2}$ ).


Figure 2. Convergence history of $e^{k}$ vs. number of iterations $k$. Kodak image 2 (left, $\alpha=10^{-2}, \gamma=10^{-3}, \varepsilon=3 * 10^{-2}$ ), Kodak image 7 (middle, $\alpha=10^{-2}, \gamma=10^{-3}, \varepsilon=$ $7 * 10^{-2}$ ), Kodak image 23 (right, $\alpha=10^{-2}, \gamma=10^{-3}, \varepsilon=7 * 10^{-2}$ ).


Figure 3. Convergence history of $e^{k}$ vs. number of iterations $k$. Kodak image 7 (left, $\alpha=10^{-2}, \gamma=7 * 10^{-4}, \varepsilon=7 * 10^{-2}$ ), Kodak image 23 (right, $\alpha=10^{-2}, \gamma=7 * 10^{-4}, \varepsilon=$ $7 * 10^{-2}$ ).


Figure 4. One-dimensional structure (from left to right): Image $g$, resulting $v$ in the Ambrosio-Tortorelli model, resulting $v$ in the second-order model, binary plot of the level set $\{v>1.005\}$ in the second-order model, $\varepsilon=9 * 10^{-2}$.

## 3. Results on Kodak Images

We display some examples of results on the Kodak images 2, 7, and 23, displayed in Figure 5. Figures $6,7,8$ display the resulting segmentation $v$ for the Kodak image 2 with $\alpha=10^{-2}$ and different values of $\gamma$ and $\varepsilon$. Figures 9 and 10 display the results for the Kodak image 7 with $\varepsilon=7 * 10^{-2}$ and different values of $\alpha$ and $\gamma$. Figure 11 displays the resulting $v$ in Kodak image 23 for $\alpha=10^{-2}, \gamma=10^{-3}, \varepsilon=7 * 10^{-2}$.

## 4. Reconstructed Images

Figures $12,13,14$, and 15 display the resulting $u$ in the different models with the parameter settings in the paper. Figures 16, 17, 18 display results for the Kodak image nr 2 with $\alpha=10^{-2}$ and different values of $\gamma$ and $\varepsilon$. Figures 19 and 20 display the results for the Kodak image nr 7 with $\varepsilon=7 * 10^{-2}$ and different values of $\alpha$ and $\gamma$. Figure 21 displays the resulting $u$ in Kodak image nr 23 for both models with parameters $\alpha=10^{-2}, \gamma=10^{-3}, \varepsilon=7 * 10^{-2}$.


Figure 5. Kodak image 2 (left), Kodak image 7 (middle), Kodak image 23 (right).


Figure 6. Kodak image 2: resulting $v$ in the Ambrosio-Tortorelli model (left) and in the second order model (right), $\gamma=10^{-3}, \varepsilon=3 * 10^{-2}$.


Figure 7. Kodak image 2: resulting $v$ in the Ambrosio-Tortorelli model (left) and in the second order model (right), $\gamma=7 * 10^{-3}$, $\varepsilon=6 * 10^{-2}$.


Figure 8. Kodak image 2: resulting $u$ in the Ambrosio-Tortorelli model (left) and in the second order model (right), $\gamma=7 * 10^{-4}, \varepsilon=6 * 10^{-2}$.


Figure 9. Kodak image 7: resulting $v$ in the Ambrosio-Tortorelli model (left) and in the second order model (right), both with $\alpha=10^{-2}, \gamma=7 * 10^{-3}$.


Figure 10. Kodak image 7: resulting $v$ in the Ambrosio-Tortorelli model (left) and in the second order model (right), both with $\alpha=7 * 10^{-2}, \gamma=10^{-3}$.


Figure 11. Kodak image 23: resulting $v$ in the Ambrosio-Tortorelli model (left) and in the second order model (right).


Figure 12. Ellipse: resulting $u$ in the Ambrosio-Tortorelli model (left) and in the second order model (right).


Figure 13. Two circles: resulting $u$ in the Ambrosio-Tortorelli model (left) and in the second order model (right).


Figure 14. Sisse image: resulting $u$ in the Ambrosio-Tortorelli model (left) and in the second order model (right).


Figure 15. Mitosis image: resulting $u$ in the Ambrosio-Tortorelli model (left) and in the second order model (right).


Figure 16. Kodak image 2: resulting $u$ in the Ambrosio-Tortorelli model (left) and in the second order model (right), $\gamma=10^{-3}, \varepsilon=3 * 10^{-2}$.


Figure 17. Kodak image 2: resulting $u$ in the Ambrosio-Tortorelli model (left) and in the second order model (right), $\gamma=7 * 10^{-3}, \varepsilon=6 * 10^{-2}$.


Figure 18. Kodak image 2: resulting $u$ in the Ambrosio-Tortorelli model (left) and in the second order model (right), $\gamma=7 * 10^{-4}, \varepsilon=6 * 10^{-2}$.


Figure 19. Kodak image 7: Resulting $u$ in the Ambrosio-Tortorelli model (left) and in the second order model (right), both with $\alpha=10^{-2}, \gamma=7 * 10^{-3}$.


Figure 20. Kodak image 7: Resulting $u$ in the Ambrosio-Tortorelli model (left) and in the second order model (right), both with $\alpha=7 * 10^{-2}, \gamma=7 * 10^{-3}$.


Figure 21. Kodak image 23: resulting $u$ in the Ambrosio-Tortorelli model (left) and in the second order model (right).

