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- Latent spaces
- Application to co-segmentation

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- A functional representation of intrinsic distortions introduced for analysis purposes
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# Part I

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• **Regularization:** Assume nearly isometric deformations Commutativity of **C** with the Laplace-Beltrami operator:

$$\mathbf{C} \mathbf{\Delta}_0 = \mathbf{\Delta}_i \mathbf{C}$$

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(a) Smoothed Gaussian curvature.



(b) Logarithm of the absolute value of Gaussian Curvature.

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Weight the probe functions [Corman et al., 2014]:

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Learn the functional subspace  $S_p \subset L^2(\mathcal{M})$  of dimension p such that:

 $\mathbf{C}_T \mathbf{f} \approx \mathbf{C}^* \mathbf{f}, \quad \forall \mathbf{f} \in \mathbf{S}_p$ 



$$\mathbf{D}^{\star} \in \operatorname*{arg\,min}_{\mathbf{D}} \sum_{i=1}^{N} \|\mathbf{C}_{i}^{\star}(\mathbf{D}) - \mathbf{C}_{i}\| \quad ; \quad \mathbf{Y}_{p} \in \operatorname*{arg\,min}_{\mathbf{Y}^{\top}\mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{I}_{p}} \sum_{i=1}^{N} \|(\mathbf{C}_{i}^{\star}(\mathbf{D}^{\star}) - \mathbf{C}_{i})\mathbf{Y}\|_{F}^{2}$$









## Stable function subspace

Reduced basis extraction:



**Correspondences:** 



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# Non-Isometric matching



- 100 basis functions
- 310 probe functions
- Training set: 10 shapes of women + 1 reference shape of man
- 50 functions in the reduced basis

## **Results:** Non Isometric matching



# Conclusion



- ▶ The functional maps quality can be improved by weighting the probe functions
- ▶ Learning makes the functional maps more stable with respect to large deformations

# Part II

# Network of Maps

#### A non-supervised regularization for shape matching

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- ▶ Suppose a star graph structure
- ▶ The results depends on the reference shape

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How to use general graph structure? How to impose coherence and consistency? How a shzpe collection help solving shape matching problem?

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- ▶ Strong regularization
- ▶ Allows detection and correction of errors
- ▶ Characterized by:  $\mathbf{C}_{ij} = \mathbf{C}_{kj} \mathbf{C}_{ik}$

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• Rank of C is very low compared to the number of shapes

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Unlike separate computation of the functional map this setting:

- ▶ Removes descriptors outliers
- ▶ Enforces coherence between in the network

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 $\blacktriangleright$  The  $Y_i$  can be understood as functional maps to an abstract surface called "latent space"

#### **Orthogonal Basis Synchronization**

Cycle consistency as hard constraint:

$$\min_{\mathbf{Y}_1,\dots,\mathbf{Y}_N} \sum_{(i,j)\in\mathcal{G}} \|\mathbf{C}_{ij} - \mathbf{Y}_j^{+}\mathbf{Y}_i\|_F^2 \text{ s.t. } \mathbf{Y}_i^{\top}\mathbf{Y}_i = \mathbf{I}$$

Given a map network  $\mathbf{C}_{ij}$ ,  $(i, j) \in \mathcal{G}$  (with possible inconsistencies and missing edges), performing the factorization can be used to:

- ▶ Regularize and clean up functional maps
- ▶ Extract shared structure
- ▶ Find the most representative reference abstract shape
- ▶ Efficient storage of large network

# Application to Cosegmentation [Huang et al., 2014]

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# Part III

# Shape Difference Operators

#### A functional representation of intrinsic distortions

- Introduced for analysis purposes
- Potential application to geometry synthesis
# Shape Differences Overview [Rustamov et al., 2013]

- Fully characterize the distortion using two linear functional operators
   Can compute areas of maximal distortion through eigendecomposition
- ▶ Can compare distortions of different pairs of shapes



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# Most Distorted Areas



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### Low-Dimension Embeddings

 $\triangleright$   $D_A, D_C$  fully encode the metric



#### **Shape Search**

Find a shape  $D_i$ , such that the difference between shapes B and  $D_i$  is as-close-as possible to the difference between A and  $C_i$ .



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  - Deformation transfer
  - Shape interpolation
  - Intrinsic symmetrization

How much information is contained in the shape difference operators?















#### **Intrinsic Deformation Transfer**

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Assume that the mesh M is manifold without boundary. Then, for almost all choices of areas  $\mu$ , the map  $\ell^2 \mapsto D_C(\mu, \ell^2)$  uniquely determines  $\ell$ , which is recoverable via a linear solve.

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[Boscaini et al., 2015]

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▶ Two convex optimization problems:

• Find the triangle areas  $\mu$ :

$$\mu^{\star} = \arg\min_{\mu} \|D_A(\mu) - \bar{D}_A\|_F^2$$
  
s.t.  $\mu > 0$ 

**2** Given the areas, find the squared edge lengths  $\ell^2$ :

$$\begin{split} \min_{\ell^2} \| D_C(\mu^*, \ell^2) - \bar{D}_C \|_F^2 \\ \text{s.t. } \ell_i < \ell_j + \ell_k \, ; \, \operatorname{Area}(\ell_i^2, \ell_j^2, \ell_k^2) \ge \mu_{ijk} \end{split}$$

# Shape Analogy



[Boscaini et al., 2015]

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#### Encoding Curvature using Normal Flow



Evolution of the area linked to Mean Curvature
The second fundamental form can be recovered given the metric tensors at time 0 and at time t > 0

## **Geometry From Operators**

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Limitations:

- ▶ Need to solve an isometric embedding problem
- ▶ Impractical for large meshes
- ▶ Solver that is oblivious of the initial mesh embedding

# Conclusion

- ▶ Descriptor learning for shape matching [Corman et al., 2014]
- ▶ Computation of map collection with cycle consistency constraint [Huang et al., 2014]
- ▶ Shape collection visualization with shape differences [Rustamov et al., 2013]
- ▶ Shape editing [Boscaini et al., 2015, Corman et al., 2016]
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