

Uncertainty Quantification course

Lecture 8: Multidimensional SC and NISP

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Outline

- 1 Homework assignment from last week
- 2 Stochastic collocation with $\text{dim} > 1$
- 3 Discrete projection & NISP

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Presentation by team 1

Stochastic Collocation: recap

PDE: $\mathcal{L}(u, Z) = \mathcal{F}(Z)$, $u = u(x, Z)$, $\dim(Z)=1$

(i) Select set of nodes in Z -space: $\theta_M := \{Z^{(j)}\}_{j=1}^M$

(ii) Solve PDE on all nodes: $\mathcal{L}(u, Z^{(j)}) = \mathcal{F}(Z^{(j)})$

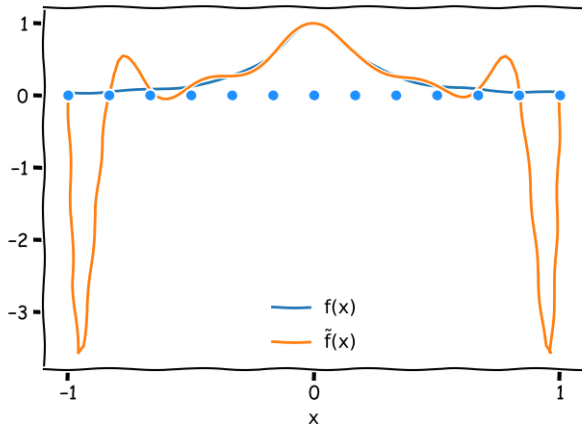
Solutions: $u^{(j)}(x)$ at node $Z^{(j)}$

(iii) Interpolation: $\tilde{u}_M(x, Z) = \sum_{j=1}^M u^{(j)}(x) L_j(Z)$

with Lagrange basis functions $L_j(Z) := \prod_{i \neq j} \frac{Z - Z^{(i)}}{Z^{(j)} - Z^{(i)}}$

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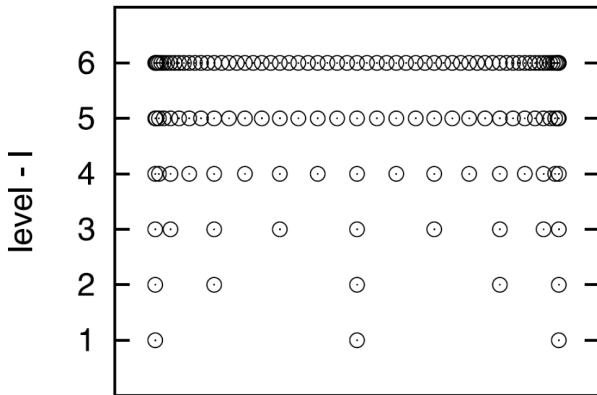
Uniform $\Theta_m := \{Z_i\}_{i=1}^m$: Runge phenomenon



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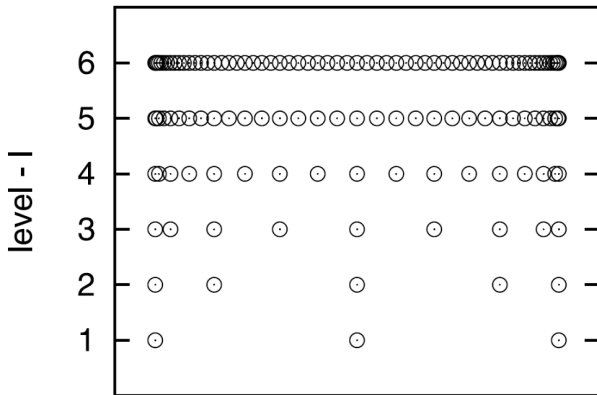
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Can be a nested rule over 'levels'.

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Weights are such that $\sum_i f(x_i) w_i \approx \int f(x) p(x) dx = \mathbb{E}[f]$.

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- In SC, a multi index $\mathbf{l} = (l_1, l_2)$ determines the order of 1D nodes used for each input.
- Example: level 1 nodes = $\{0\}$, level 2 nodes = $\{-1, 0, 1\}$

$$\mathbf{l} = (1, 2) \Rightarrow \{0\} \otimes \{-1, 0, 1\} = \{(0, -1), (0, 0), (0, 1)\}$$

Code is sampled at these 3 (Z_1, Z_2) via this multi index.

Interpolation in multi-d

d=1: nodal set θ_M , $\tilde{u}(Z) = \sum_{j=1}^M u(Z^{(j)}) L_j(Z; \theta_M)$, $Z^{(j)} \in \theta_M$

d>1: Tensor product, nodal set $\Theta_M = \theta_{M_1} \otimes \cdots \otimes \theta_{M_d}$

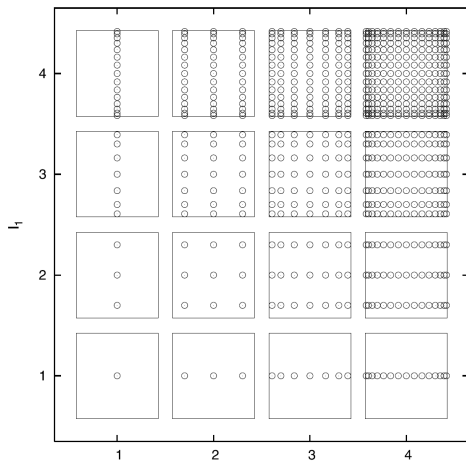
$$\tilde{u}(Z) = \sum_{j_1=1}^{M_1} \cdots \sum_{j_d=1}^{M_d} u(Z^{(j_1, \dots, j_d)}) L_{j_1, \dots, j_d}(Z; \Theta_M)$$

nodes $Z^{(j_1, \dots, j_d)} = (Z_1^{(j_1)}, \dots, Z_d^{(j_d)}) \in \Theta_M$

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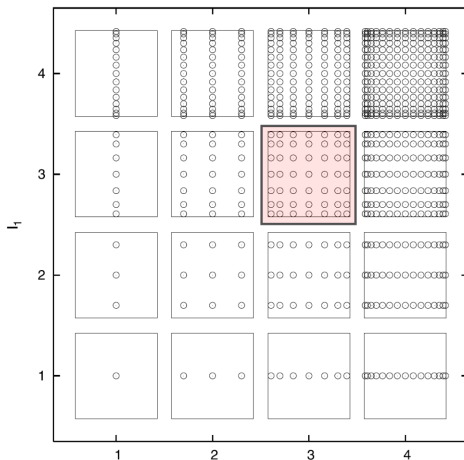
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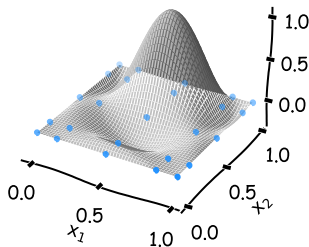
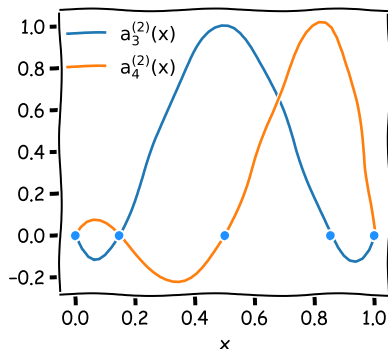
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- Surrogate in 2D:

$$\tilde{f}(\mathbf{z}) = \sum_{j_1=1}^{m_{l_1}} \sum_{j_2=1}^{m_{l_2}} f\left(z_1^{(j_1)}, z_2^{(j_2)}\right) L_{j_1}(Z_1) \otimes L_{j_2}(Z_2)$$

- 2D basis functions:



standard SC vs MC

- Example: wing-weight function

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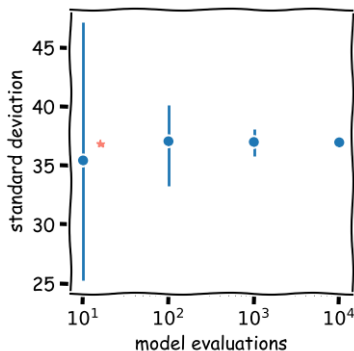
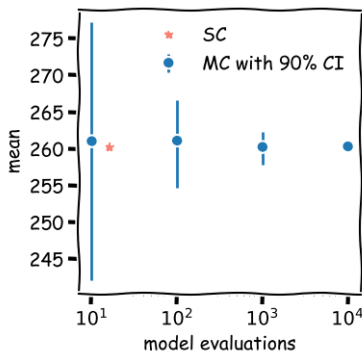
$S_w \in [150, 200]$	wing area (ft ²)
$W_{fw} \in [220, 300]$	weight of fuel in the wing (lb)
$A \in [6, 10]$	aspect ratio
$\Lambda \in [-10, 10]$	quarter-chord sweep (degrees)
$q \in [16, 45]$	dynamic pressure at cruise (lb/ft ²)
$\lambda \in [0.5, 1]$	taper ratio
$t_c \in [0.08, 0.18]$	aerofoil thickness to chord ratio
$N_z \in [2.5, 6]$	ultimate load factor
$W_{dg} \in [1700, 2500]$	flight design gross weight (lb)
$W_p \in [0.025, 0.08]$	paint weight (lb/ft ²)

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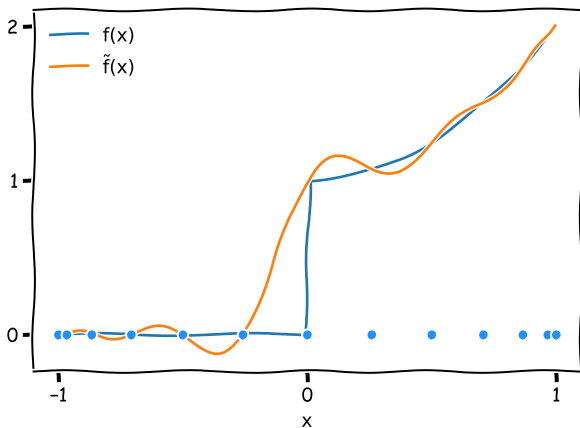


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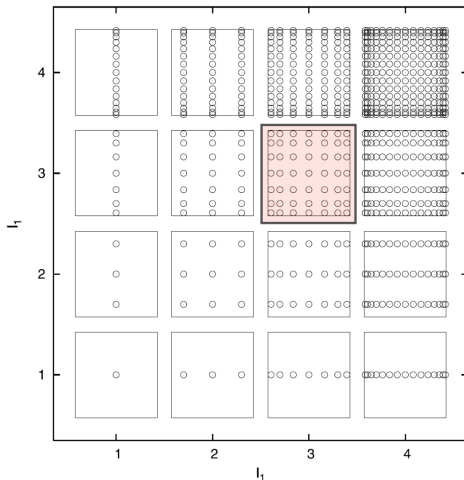


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2D: given $\mathbf{l} = (l_1, l_2)$, there are $M = M_1 \times M_2$ code evaluations.



Sparse grids

With tensor product $\Theta_M = \theta_{M_1} \otimes \cdots \otimes \theta_{M_d}$, total number of nodes is $M_1 \times M_2 \times \dots \times M_d$.

Grows very rapidly with d : **curse of dimension**

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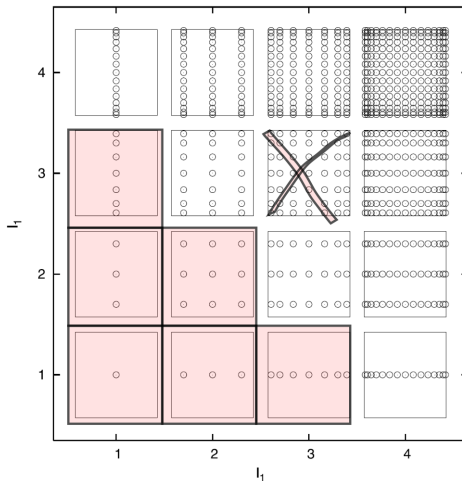
20 parameters, simulation time $\approx 3.17 \cdot 10^{12}$ years, 226 times the age of the universe.

No supercomputer can beat this, need smarter algorithms.

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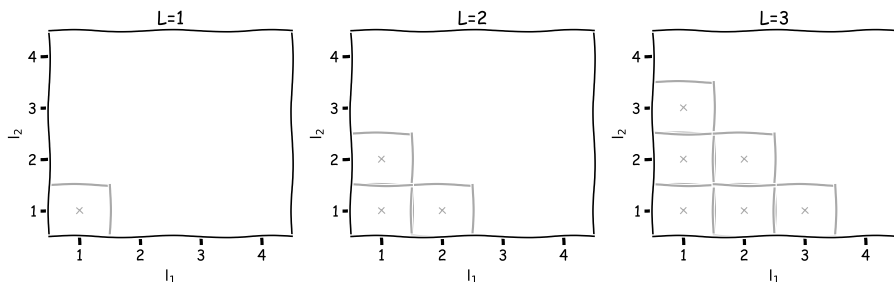
- Postpone curse: sparse grids

Select **index set** $\Lambda = \{I_1, I_2, \dots\}$ instead of a single I



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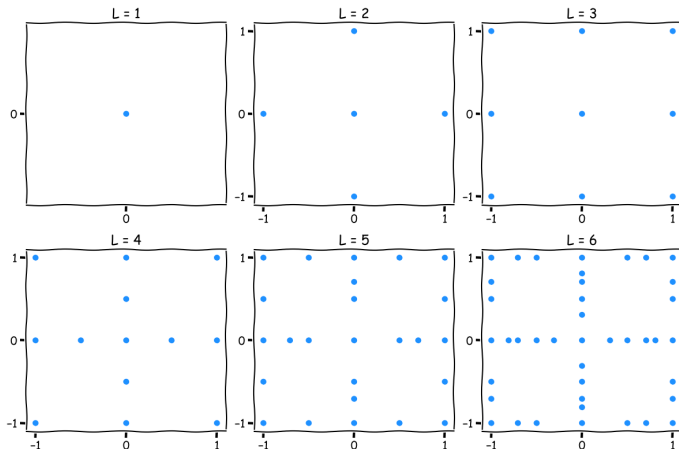
Visually, a standard sparse grid with $\{\mathbf{l} \mid |\mathbf{l}| \leq L + d - 1\}$ selects a 'triangle' of multi indices when $d = 2$ (2 uncertain inputs):



Remember: $|\mathbf{l}| = l_1 + \dots + l_d$.

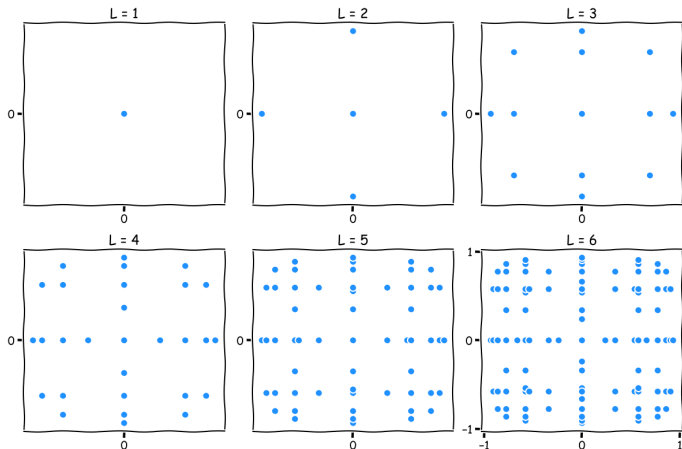
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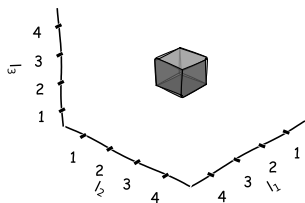
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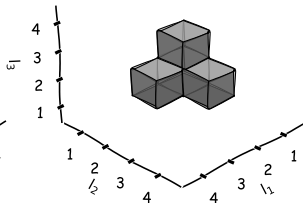
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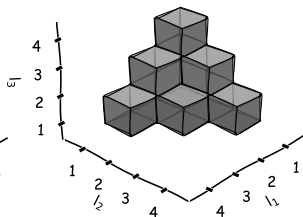
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- No explicit formula available to calculate M , total #nodes in sparse grid. Can be calculated via algorithm¹. For Clenshaw-Curtis:

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CFN.E LEVEL					
0	1	1	1	1	1
1	3	5	7	9	11
2	5	13	25	41	61
3	9	29	69	137	241
4	17	65	177	401	801
5	33	145	441	1,105	2,433
6	65	321	1,073	2,929	6,993
7	129	705	2,561	7,537	19,313
8	257	1,537	6,017	18,945	51,713
9	513	3,329	13,953	46,721	135,073
10	1,025	7,169	32,001	113,409	345,665

DIM:	6	7	8	9	10
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0	1	1	1	1	1
1	13	15	17	19	21
2	85	113	145	181	221
3	389	589	849	1,177	1,581
4	1,457	2,465	3,937	6,001	8,801
5	4,865	9,017	15,713	26,017	41,265
6	15,121	30,241	56,737	100,897	171,425
7	44,689	95,441	190,881	361,249	652,065
8	127,105	287,745	609,025	1,218,049	2,320,385
9	350,657	836,769	1,863,937	3,918,273	7,836,515
10	943,553	2,362,881	5,515,265	12,133,761	25,370,753

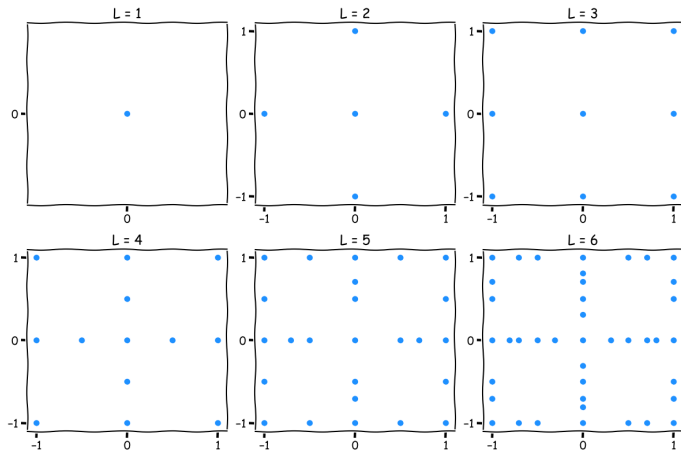
Full tensor grid
equivalent would
be 1025^{10}

¹ Burkardt, J. (2014). Counting Abscissas in Sparse Grids.

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- Isotropic sparse grids: less points but all inputs are equal.

$$\Lambda = \{\mathbf{l} \mid \|\mathbf{l}\|_1 - d + 1 \leq L\}$$

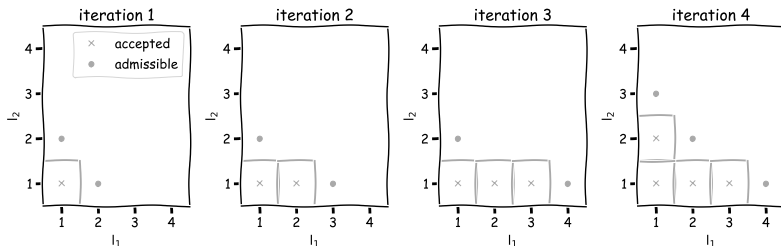


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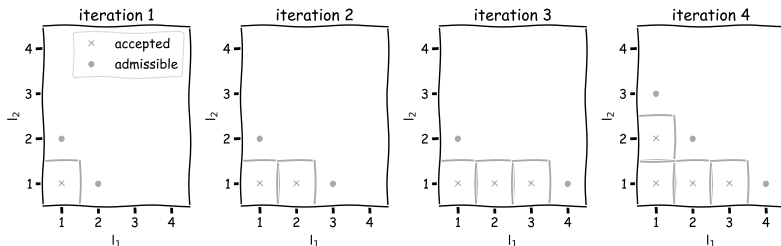
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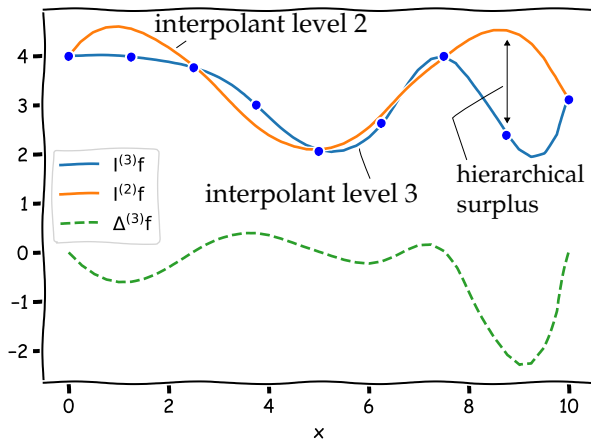
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Which \mathbf{l} are important?

Adaptive grids

One possibility: **hierarchical surplus**, error between **new** code value and **old** interpolant prediction.



From all candidate l , select the one with the highest surplus.

Example:

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Discrete projection

aka Non-Intrusive Spectral Projection (NISP) or pseudospectral method

Recall (lecture 2) approximation of function $f(x)$ by projection:

$$f(x) \approx f_N(x) = \sum_{n=0}^N \hat{f}_n \phi_n(x) \text{ with orthogonal basis functions } \{\phi_n(x)\},$$

and $\hat{f}_n = \frac{\langle f, \phi_n \rangle}{\langle \phi_n, \phi_n \rangle}$ with appropriate (weighted) inner product $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$

Discrete projection: approximate inner products with **quadrature**

Quadrature

Quadrature: numerical integration, $\int f(x) w(x) dx \approx \sum_{j=1}^q f(x^{(j)}) \alpha^{(j)}$ with nodes $\{x^{(j)}\}$ and weights $\{\alpha^{(j)}\}$ (density $w(x)$ absorbed into weights)

Quadrature in $\text{dim} > 1$ is called **cubature**

Inner products for projection with q -point quadrature/cubature rule:

$$\langle f, \phi_n \rangle = \int f(x) \phi_n(x) w(x) dx \approx \sum_{j=1}^q f(x^{(j)}) \phi_n(x^{(j)}) \alpha^{(j)}$$

Stochastic system (e.g. PDE) with exact solution $u(t, x, Z)$, $Z \in \mathbb{R}^d$

Spectral (gPC) approximation: $u_N(t, x, Z) = \sum_{n=0}^N \hat{u}_n(t, x) \Phi_n(Z)$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{u}_n(t, x) &= \gamma_n^{-1} \langle u, \Phi_n \rangle = \gamma_n^{-1} \mathbb{E}[u(t, x, Z), \Phi_n(Z)] \\ &\approx \tilde{u}_n(t, x) = \gamma_n^{-1} \sum_{j=1}^q u(t, x, z^{(j)}) \Phi_n(z^{(j)}) \alpha^{(j)} \end{aligned}$$

Needed: q solutions of original (non-stochastic) system, $u(t, x, z^{(j)})$ with $j = 1, \dots, q$

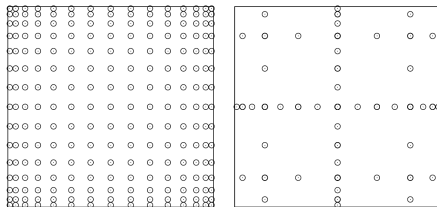
→ NISP is a **non-intrusive method**

$\dim(Z) > 1$: Cubature

From quadrature if $\dim(Z)=1$ to cubature if $\dim(Z) > 1$:

Tensor product construction, based on 1-d quadrature and nodal sets

Again, sparse grids to reduce no. of nodes



Example: your homework assignment from lecture 6!

Consider the following function with two random inputs:

$$f(Z_1, Z_2) = -(Z_1 - 2)(Z_2 - 1)^3 + \exp \left[-\frac{1}{2}(Z_1 - 2)^2 - \frac{1}{10}(Z_2 - 1)^2 \right]$$

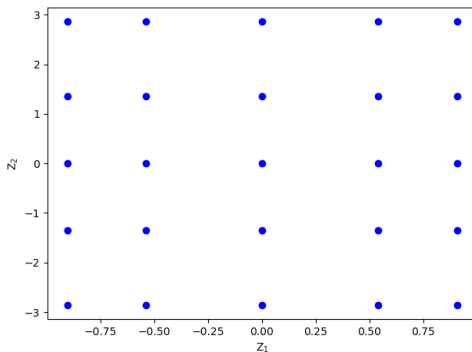
One input has a uniform distribution on $[1, 3]$, the other has a normal distribution with mean 1 and variance 1. Thus, $Z_1 \sim \mathcal{U}[1, 3]$ and $Z_2 \sim \mathcal{N}(1, 1)$.

- If $f(Z_1, Z_2)$ is considered as your 'code'.
- This involved computing $\mathbb{E} \left[f(Z_1, Z_1) \phi_{i_1}^{(1)}(Z_1) \phi_{i_2}^{(2)}(Z_2) \right] / \gamma_i$.
- This can be done with in-built (SciPy) integration routines.

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- But also with cubature:

$$\mathbb{E} \left[f(Z_1, Z_2) \phi_{i_1}^{(1)}(Z_1) \phi_{i_2}^{(2)}(Z_2) \right] \approx \sum_{p=1}^{m_p} \sum_{q=1}^{m_q} f(Z_{1,p}, Z_{2,q}) \phi_{i_1}^{(1)}(Z_{1,p}) \phi_{i_2}^{(2)}(Z_{2,q}) \alpha_{1,p} \alpha_{2,q}$$



Solution $u(t, x, Z)$ of PDE system, approximated by
$$\tilde{u}(t, x, Z) = \sum_{n=0}^N \hat{u}_n(t, x) \Psi_n(Z)$$

- Galerkin method: projection-based, leading to coupled equations for coefficients $\{\hat{u}_n(t, x)\}_{n=0}^N$. Intrusive.
- Collocation: interpolation in Z -space of deterministic solutions $\{u(t, x, z^{(j)})\}_{j=1}^q$. Non-intrusive.
- NISP: projection coefficients $\{\hat{u}_n(t, x)\}_{n=0}^N$ approximated with cubature using deterministic solutions $\{u(t, x, z^{(j)})\}_{j=1}^q$. Non-intrusive.

- Inverse UQ: Bayesian calibration and MCMC.
Xiu section 8.2, Smith section 8.1 - 8.3 (on Canvas)
- Presentation about homework by TEAM 2?
- Homework: Multi-dimensional SC (*more details on Canvas*)