

## NONLINEAR DIFFUSION

$$R(u, v) = \int_{\Omega} (\mu_0 + \mu_1 u^2) \nabla u \nabla v + \int_{\Omega} \bar{b} \cdot \nabla u v + \int_{\Omega} \sigma u v - F(v)$$

$$R(u+\delta, v) = \int_{\Omega} (\mu_0 + \mu_1 (u+\delta)^2) \nabla(u+\delta) \nabla v + \int_{\Omega} \bar{b} \cdot \nabla u v + \bar{b} \cdot \nabla \delta v + \int_{\Omega} \sigma u v + \sigma \delta v - F(v)$$

$$R(u+\delta, v) - R(u, v) = \int_{\Omega} (2\mu_1 u \delta) \nabla u \nabla v + \int_{\Omega} (\mu_0 + \mu_1 u^2) \nabla \delta \nabla v + \underbrace{\int_{\Omega} \bar{b} \nabla \delta v + \int_{\Omega} \sigma \delta v}_{\text{Normal addition to matrix}} + o(\|\delta\|^2)$$

**NOTE:** other nonlinearities lead to diff. result!

as in standard elliptic.