

Monotone multilevel for FOSLS linear elastic contact

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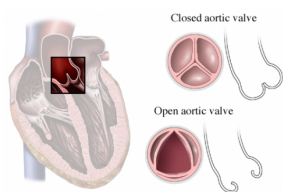
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Examples of contact problems

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- Contact problems with incompressible materials.
- Quantities of interest: the forces generated by the contact.

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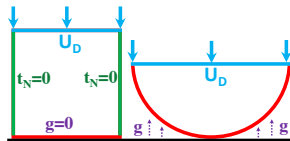
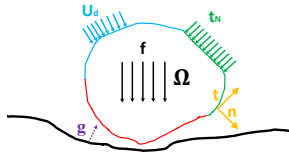
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Contact Constraints

Given the gap function $g \geq 0$, the normal and tangent vectors \mathbf{n} and \mathbf{t} :

$$\begin{cases} \mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{n} - g \leq 0 & \Gamma_C \text{ impenetrability} \\ (\boldsymbol{\sigma} \mathbf{n}) \cdot \mathbf{n} \leq 0 & \Gamma_C \text{ direction of the surface pressure} \\ (\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{n} - g) ((\boldsymbol{\sigma} \mathbf{n}) \cdot \mathbf{n}) = 0 & \Gamma_C \text{ complementarity condition} \\ \mathbf{t}_i^T (\boldsymbol{\sigma} \mathbf{n}) = 0 & \Gamma_C \text{ frictionless condition} \end{cases}$$

Portion of Γ_C actually in contact **not known a priori** \Rightarrow **non-linearity**



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- Find $(\mathbf{u}, \boldsymbol{\sigma}) \in K$, such that:

- **Minimization problem:** $\mathcal{J}(\mathbf{u}, \boldsymbol{\sigma}) \leq \mathcal{J}(\mathbf{v}, \boldsymbol{\tau}) \quad \forall (\mathbf{v}, \boldsymbol{\tau}) \in K$

$$\Longleftrightarrow$$

- **Variational Inequality:**
$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \left\langle \frac{\partial \mathcal{J}(\mathbf{u}, \boldsymbol{\sigma}; \mathbf{f}, g)}{\partial \mathbf{u}}, \mathbf{v} - \mathbf{u} \right\rangle \geq 0 \\ \left\langle \frac{\partial \mathcal{J}(\mathbf{u}, \boldsymbol{\sigma}; \mathbf{f}, g)}{\partial \boldsymbol{\sigma}}, \boldsymbol{\tau} - \boldsymbol{\sigma} \right\rangle \geq 0 \end{array} \right. \quad \forall (\mathbf{v}, \boldsymbol{\tau}) \in K$$

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Functional to be minimized
Local constraints
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Monotone Multilevel strategy

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- Successive energy minimization by means of local corrections
- No correction can increase energy
- We introduce an hierarchy of nested meshes
- Fine space corrections on fine grid (non-linear Gauß-Seidel) \Rightarrow global convergence
- Coarse space corrections \Rightarrow accelerating convergence

Monotone Multilevel by energy minimization

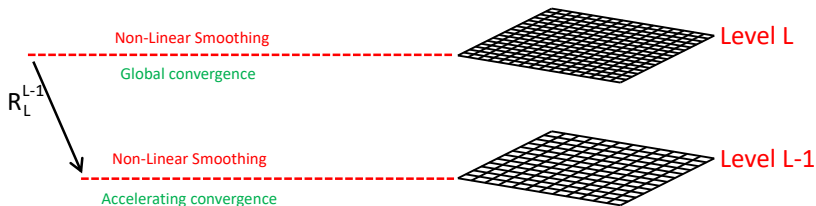
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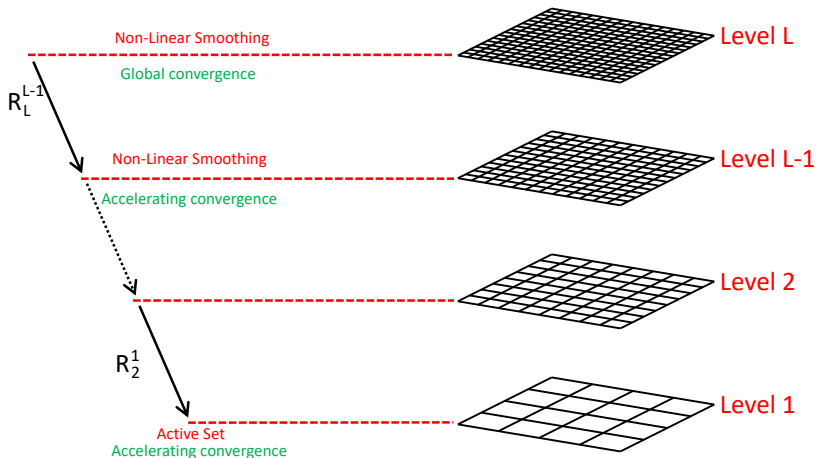
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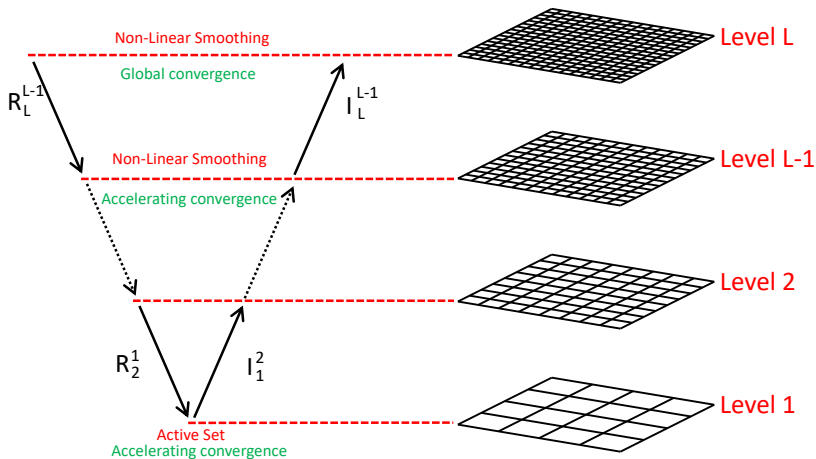
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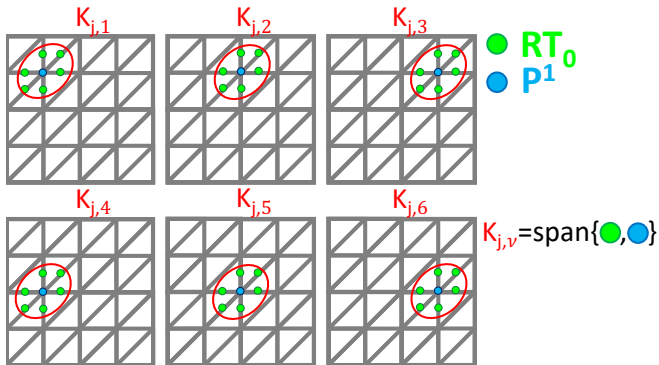
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LS Patch smoother

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- Mesh level $j = 1, \dots, L$, vertex $\nu = 1, \dots, N_j$
- $\text{Patch}_{j,\nu}$ = dofs of node ν and surrounding edges/faces (2D/3D)
- $K_{j,\nu}$ = local closed convex set spanned by basis functions in $\text{Patch}_{j,\nu}$
- Minimization of \mathcal{J} on $K_{j,\nu}$
- Error smoothed in H^1 and H_{div} simultaneously



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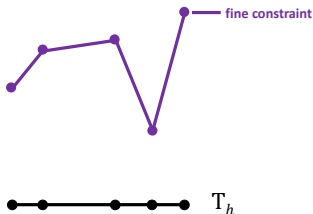
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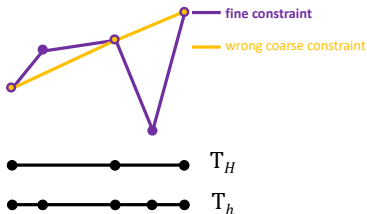
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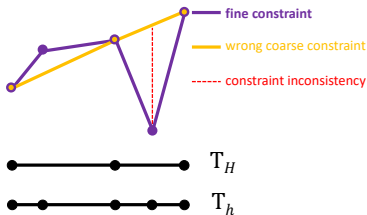
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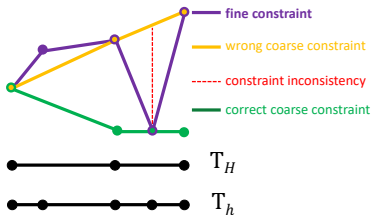
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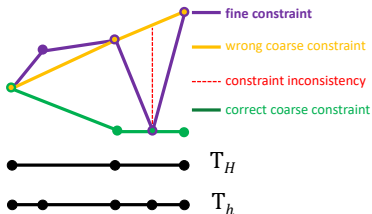
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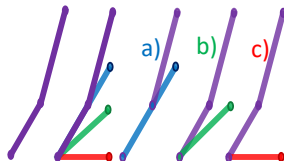
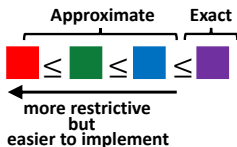
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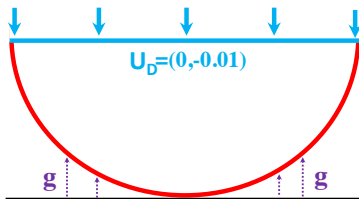
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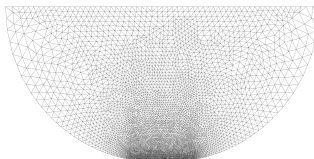
- Different consistent coarse constraints



Undeformed configuration



Deformed configuration



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Hertzian Contact, two-level problem

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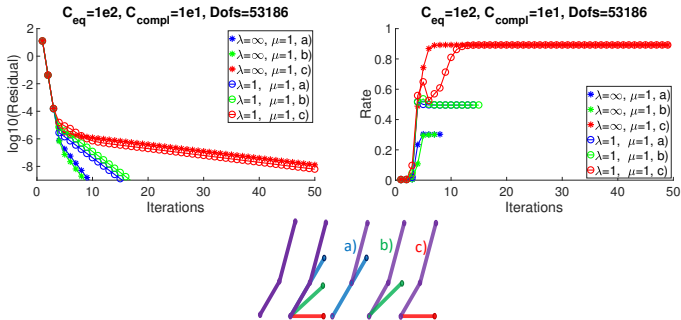
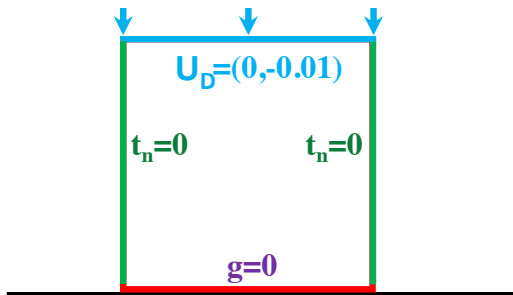


Figure: Mesh with $h_{max}/h_{min} = 7.0567$

- **First phase:** non-linear, capturing high frequencies
- **Second phase:** linear
 - green, blue: known active set \Rightarrow faster
 - red: not already known active set \Rightarrow slower
- green, blue similar behaviour: pick green \Rightarrow easier to implement
- **Incompressibility** easily solvable

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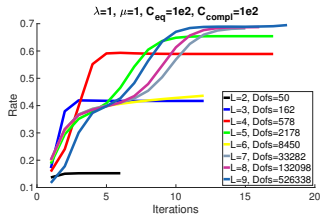
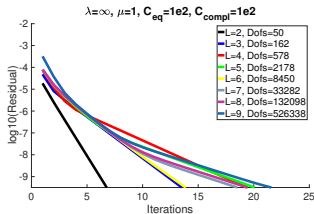


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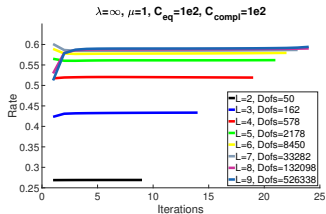
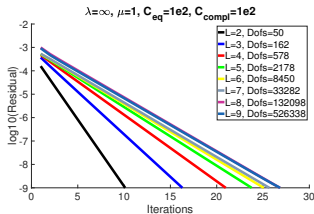


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- Purely linear problem: h — and L — independency

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- Monotone multilevel for FOSLS linear elastic contact
- Limit case: h - and L - independency
- Solving both compressible and incompressible cases

Thank you for your attention!

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Exact Monotone Multilevel

Define:

- $\mathbf{x}_j^k = (\mathbf{u}_j^k, \boldsymbol{\sigma}_j^k) \in K_J$ k -th iterate
- $\mathbf{x}_{J,0} = \mathbf{x}_J^k$
- $\mathbf{x}_{j,0} = \mathbf{x}_{j+1, N_{j+1}}$, for $j = J-1, \dots, 1$

Compute a sequence of intermediate iterates $\mathbf{x}_{j,\nu} = \mathbf{x}_{j,\nu-1} + \mathbf{c}_{j,\nu}$:

$$\mathcal{J} \leq \mathcal{J}(\mathbf{x}_{j,\nu} + \mathbf{y}) \quad \forall \mathbf{y} \in K_{j,\nu}^* \quad j = J, \dots, 2, \quad \nu = 1, \dots, N_j$$

$$\mathcal{J}(\mathbf{x}_{2,N_2} + \mathbf{c}_1) \leq \mathcal{J}(\mathbf{x}_{2,N_2} + \mathbf{y}) \quad \forall \mathbf{y} \in K_1^* \quad j = 1$$

with the **exact** local closed convex sets $K_{j,\nu}^*$ and K_1^* :

$$K_{j,\nu}^*(\mathbf{x}_{j,\nu}) = \{\mathbf{y} \in \text{span}\{\boldsymbol{\lambda}_{j,\nu}\} : \mathbf{y} + \mathbf{x}_{j,\nu} \in K_J\}$$

$$K_1^*(\mathbf{x}_{2,N_2}) = \{\mathbf{y} \in \text{span}\{\boldsymbol{\lambda}_1\} : \mathbf{y} + \mathbf{x}_{2,N_2} \in K_J\}$$

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Approximate Monotone Multilevel

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Define:

- $\mathbf{c}_{j,\nu} = (\tilde{\mathbf{u}}_{j,\nu}, \tilde{\boldsymbol{\sigma}}_{j,\nu})$ correction at level j , patch ν
- $\mathbf{c}_{J,0} = \mathbf{x}_J^k$, $\mathbf{c}_{j,0} = \mathbf{0}$ for $j = J-1, \dots, 1$
- $\mathbf{w}_{j,\nu} = \sum_{\mu=0}^{\nu} \mathbf{c}_{j,\mu}$

Compute a sequence of intermediate corrections $\mathbf{c}_{j,\nu} \in K_{j,\nu}(\mathbf{w}_{j,\nu-1})$ and $\mathbf{c}_1 \in K_1$:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{J}(\mathbf{w}_{j,\nu-1} + \mathbf{c}_{j,\nu}) &\leq \mathcal{J}(\mathbf{w}_{j,\nu-1} + \mathbf{y}) \quad \forall \mathbf{y} \in K_{j,\nu} & j = J, \dots, 2, \quad \nu = 1, \dots, N_j \\ \mathcal{J}(\mathbf{c}_1) &\leq \mathcal{J}(\mathbf{y}) & \forall \mathbf{y} \in K_1 & j = 1 \end{aligned}$$

with the **coarse convex sets** K_j and the **approximate** local closed convex sets $K_{j,\nu}$:

$$\begin{aligned} K_{j,\nu}(\mathbf{w}_{j,\nu-1}) &= \{\mathbf{y} \in \text{span}\{\lambda_{j,\nu}\} : \mathbf{y} + \mathbf{w}_{j,\nu-1} \in K_j\} \\ K_1 &\subset K_2 \subset \dots \subset K_{J-1} \subset K_J \end{aligned}$$

Coarse Convex Sets and Constraints

Coarse Convex Sets:

$$\begin{aligned}
 K_j &= \left\{ \mathbf{x}_j = (\mathbf{u}_j, \boldsymbol{\sigma}_j) \in X_j : \mathbf{u}_j|_{\Gamma_D} = \mathbf{u}_D, \boldsymbol{\sigma}_j|_{\Gamma_N} = \mathbf{t}_N, \right. \\
 &\quad \left. \mathbf{u}_j \cdot \mathbf{n}_j|_{\Gamma_C} \leq g_{j,u_n}, \mathbf{n}^T(\boldsymbol{\sigma}_j \mathbf{n}) \leq g_{j,\sigma_n}, \mathbf{t}_j^T(\boldsymbol{\sigma}_j \mathbf{n}_j) = 0 \right\} \quad j = J \\
 K_j &= \left\{ \mathbf{x}_j = (\mathbf{u}_j, \boldsymbol{\sigma}_j) \in X_j : \mathbf{u}_j|_{\Gamma_D} = \mathbf{0}, \boldsymbol{\sigma}_j|_{\Gamma_N} = \mathbf{0}, \right. \\
 &\quad \left. \mathbf{u}_j \cdot \mathbf{n}_j|_{\Gamma_C} \leq g_{j,u_n}, \mathbf{n}^T(\boldsymbol{\sigma}_j \mathbf{n}) \leq g_{j,\sigma_n}, \mathbf{t}_j^T(\boldsymbol{\sigma}_j \mathbf{n}_j) = 0 \right\} \quad j = J-1, \dots, 1
 \end{aligned}$$

Coarse Constraints:

- $\tilde{\mathbf{u}}_{j,\nu}$ and $\tilde{\boldsymbol{\sigma}}_{j,\nu}$ are the components of the correction $\mathbf{c}_{j,\nu}$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 g_{j,u_n} &= \begin{cases} g & j = J \\ l_{j+1,u_n}^j \left(g_{j+1,u_n} - \sum_{\nu=1}^{N_{j+1}} [\tilde{\mathbf{u}}_{j+1,\nu}|_{\Gamma_C}]_n \right) & j = J-1, \dots, 1 \end{cases} \\
 g_{j,\sigma_n} &= \begin{cases} 0 & j = J \\ l_{j+1,\sigma_n}^j \left(g_{j+1,\sigma_n} - \sum_{\nu=1}^{N_{j+1}} [\tilde{\boldsymbol{\sigma}}_{j+1,\nu}|_{\Gamma_C}]_n \right) & j = J-1, \dots, 1 \end{cases}
 \end{aligned}$$

Non-Linear Projection Operators:

$l_{j+1,u_n}^j, l_{j+1,\sigma_n}^j$ chosen so that $K_1 \subset K_2 \subset \dots \subset K_{J-1} \subset K_J$.

Normal displacement Non-Linear Projection

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$$\begin{aligned}
 v_H(\nu_{H,1}) &\leq v_h(\nu_{H,1}) \\
 v_H(\nu_{H,2}) &\leq v_h(\nu_{H,2}) \\
 \frac{1}{2}(v_H(\nu_{H,1}) + v_H(\nu_{H,2})) &\leq v_h(\nu_h)
 \end{aligned}
 \qquad \forall \varepsilon_H \in \mathcal{E}_H \cap \Gamma_{C,H}$$

It is easy to see that, on ε_H , the following values satisfy the three conditions above:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{a) } & \begin{cases} \tilde{v}_H(\nu_{H,1}) = \min(v_h(\nu_{H,1}), \max(v_h(\nu_h), 2v_h(\nu_h) - v_h(\nu_{H,2}))) \\ \tilde{v}_H(\nu_{H,2}) = \min(v_h(\nu_{H,2}), \max(v_h(\nu_h), 2v_h(\nu_h) - v_h(\nu_{H,1}))) \end{cases} & \forall \varepsilon_H \in \mathcal{E}_H \cap \Gamma_C \\
 \text{b) } & \begin{cases} \tilde{v}_H(\nu_{H,1}) = \min(v_h(\nu_{H,1}), v_h(\nu_h)) \\ \tilde{v}_H(\nu_{H,2}) = \min(v_h(\nu_{H,2}), v_h(\nu_h)) \end{cases} & \forall \varepsilon_H \in \mathcal{E}_H \cap \Gamma_C \\
 \text{c) } & \begin{cases} \tilde{v}_H(\nu_{H,1}) = \min(v_h(\nu_{H,1}), v_h(\nu_h), v_h(\nu_{H,2})) \\ \tilde{v}_H(\nu_{H,2}) = \min(v_h(\nu_{H,1}), v_h(\nu_h), v_h(\nu_{H,2})) \end{cases} & \forall \varepsilon_H \in \mathcal{E}_H \cap \Gamma_C
 \end{aligned}$$

Pressure Non-Linear Projection

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$$s_H(\phi_H) \leq s_h(\phi_h) \quad \forall \phi_h \in P_{\phi_H}^{\phi_h}$$

Thus:

$$s_H = I_{h,\sigma_n}^H s_h = \sum_{\phi_{H_i} \in T_H} \left[\lambda_{\Sigma_H, H_i} \right]_n s_H(\phi_{H_i}) \quad \text{with} \quad s_H(\phi_{H_i}) = \min_{\phi_h \in P_{\phi_{H_i}}^{\phi_h}} s_h(\phi_h)$$

Truncated Basis

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$$[\tilde{\lambda}_{U_j, \nu}]_i = \begin{cases} [\lambda_{U_j, \nu}]_i & \nu \in \mathcal{N}_j \setminus \mathcal{N}_j^\bullet, \quad i = n, t \\ 0 & \nu \in \mathcal{N}_j^\bullet, \quad i = n \\ [\lambda_{U_j, \nu}]_i & \nu \in \mathcal{N}_j^\bullet, \quad i = t \end{cases}$$

$$[\tilde{\lambda}_{\Sigma_j, \phi}]_i = \begin{cases} [\lambda_{\Sigma_j, \phi}]_i & \phi \in \mathcal{F}_j \setminus \mathcal{F}_j^\bullet, \quad i = n, t \\ 0 & \phi \in \mathcal{F}_j^\bullet, \quad i = n \\ [\lambda_{\Sigma_j, \phi}]_i & \phi \in \mathcal{F}_j^\bullet, \quad i = t \end{cases}$$