

# Efficient PDE Optimization under Uncertainty using Adaptive Model Reduction and Sparse Grids

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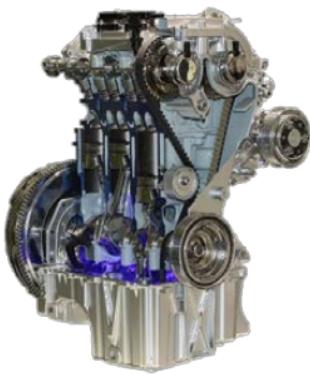
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# Multiphysics optimization – a key player in next-gen problems

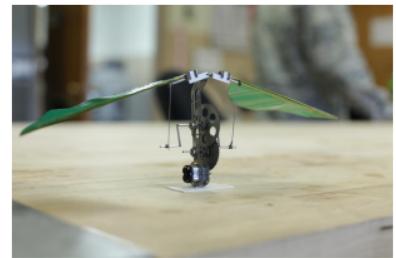
*Current interest in computational physics reaches far beyond analysis of a single configuration of a physical system into **design** (shape and topology) and **control** in an **uncertain** setting*



Engine System



EM Launcher



Micro-Aerial Vehicle



# PDE-constrained optimization formulation

Goal: Rapidly solve PDE-constrained optimization problem of the form

$$\begin{aligned} & \underset{\boldsymbol{\mu} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_\mu}}{\text{minimize}} \quad \mathcal{J}(\boldsymbol{u}, \boldsymbol{\mu}) \\ & \text{subject to} \quad \boldsymbol{r}(\boldsymbol{u}; \boldsymbol{\mu}) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

- $\boldsymbol{r} : \mathbb{R}^{n_u} \times \mathbb{R}^{n_\mu} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{n_u}$  discretized PDE
- $\mathcal{J} : \mathbb{R}^{n_u} \times \mathbb{R}^{n_\mu} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  quantity of interest
- $\boldsymbol{u} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_u}$  PDE state vector
- $\boldsymbol{\mu} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_\mu}$  optimization parameters



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*Virtually all expense emanates from primal/dual PDE solvers*

Optimizer

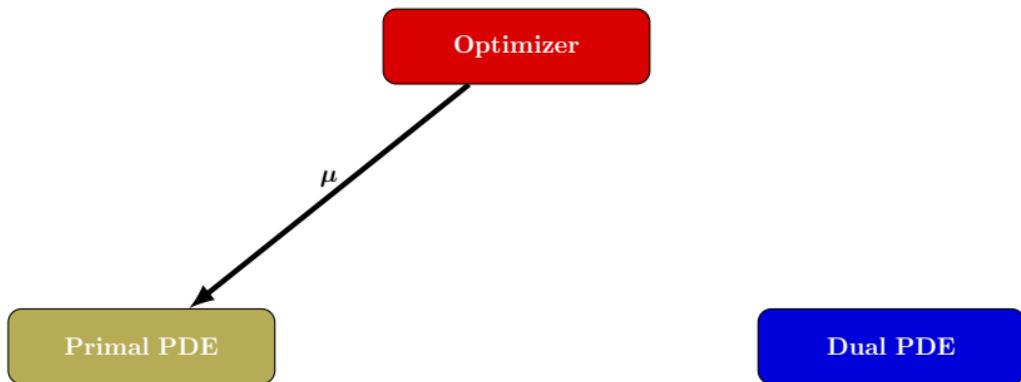
Primal PDE

Dual PDE



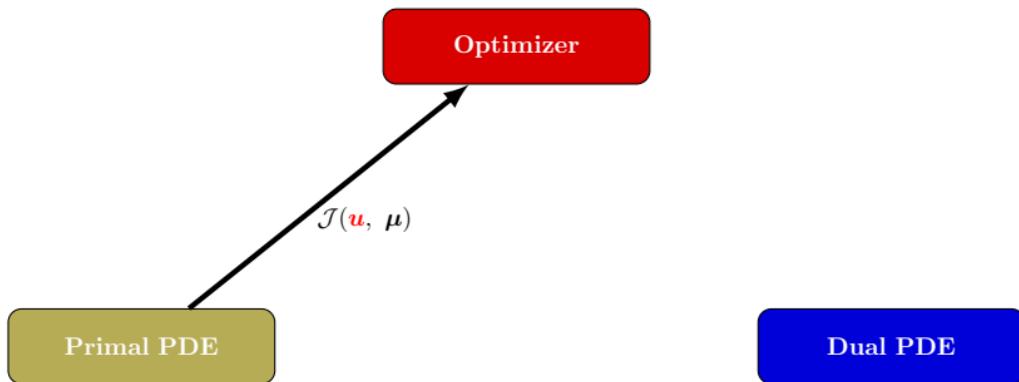
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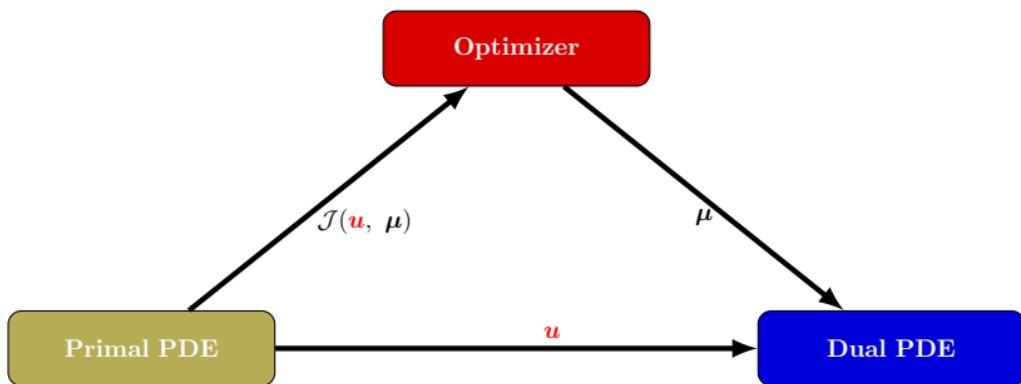
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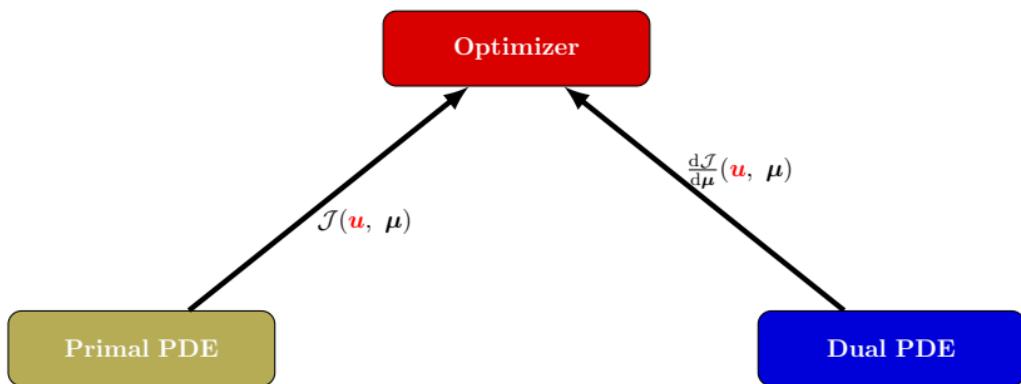
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# Applications in static computational mechanics



Maximum lift-to-drag airfoil configuration



Maximum stiffness lacrosse head



# Optimal control based on compressible Navier-Stokes

Energy = 9.4096e+00  
Thrust = 1.7660e-01

Energy = 4.9476e+00  
Thrust = 2.5000e+00

Energy = 4.6110e+00  
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Initial

Optimal Control

Optimal  
Shape/Control

[Zahr and Persson, 2016], [Zahr et al., 2016]



# PDE-constrained optimization under uncertainty

Goal: Efficiently solve stochastic PDE-constrained optimization problems

$$\begin{aligned} & \underset{\boldsymbol{\mu} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_\mu}}{\text{minimize}} \quad \mathbb{E}[\mathcal{J}(\boldsymbol{u}, \boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot)] \\ & \text{subject to} \quad \boldsymbol{r}(\boldsymbol{u}; \boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\xi}) = 0 \quad \forall \boldsymbol{\xi} \in \Xi \end{aligned}$$

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- $\boldsymbol{\mu} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_\mu}$  (deterministic) optimization parameters
- $\boldsymbol{\xi} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_\xi}$  stochastic parameters
- $\mathbb{E}[\mathcal{F}] \equiv \int_{\Xi} \mathcal{F}(\boldsymbol{\xi}) \rho(\boldsymbol{\xi}) d\boldsymbol{\xi}$

*Each function evaluation requires integration over stochastic space – **expensive***



# Proposed approach: managed two-level inexactness

*Two levels of inexactness to obtain an inexpensive, approximate version of the stochastic optimization problem*

- **Anisotropic sparse grids** used for *inexact integration* of risk measures
- **Reduced-order models** used for *inexact evaluations* at collocation nodes

*Manage inexactness with trust-region-like method*

- Embedded in globally convergent **trust-region-like** algorithm with a strong connection to error indicators and refinement mechanism
- **Error indicators** to account for *both* sources of inexactness
- **Refinement** of integral approximation and reduced-order model via *dimension-adaptive* sparse grids and a *greedy method* over collocation nodes



# Anisotropic sparse grids [Gerstner and Griebel, 2003]

**1D Quadrature Rules:** Define the difference operator

$$\Delta_k^j \equiv \mathbb{E}_k^j - \mathbb{E}_k^{j-1}$$

where  $\mathbb{E}_k^0 \equiv 0$  and  $\mathbb{E}_k^j$  as the level- $j$  1d quadrature rule for dimension  $k$

**Anisotropic Sparse Grid:** Define the index set  $\mathcal{I} \subset \mathbb{N}^{n_\xi}$  and

$$\mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{I}} \equiv \sum_{\mathbf{i} \in \mathcal{I}} \Delta_1^{i_1} \otimes \cdots \otimes \Delta_{n_\xi}^{i_{n_\xi}}$$

**Forward Neighbors:**

$$\mathcal{N}(\mathcal{I}) = \{\mathbf{k} + \mathbf{e}_j \mid \mathbf{k} \in \mathcal{I}\} \setminus \mathcal{I}$$

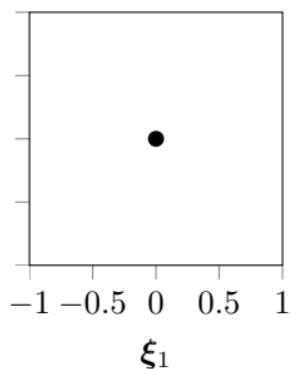
**Truncation Error:** [Gerstner and Griebel, 2003, Kouri et al., 2013]

$$\mathbb{E} - \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{I}} = \sum_{\mathbf{i} \notin \mathcal{I}} \Delta_1^{i_1} \otimes \cdots \otimes \Delta_{n_\xi}^{i_{n_\xi}} \approx \sum_{\mathbf{i} \in \mathcal{N}(\mathcal{I})} \Delta_1^{i_1} \otimes \cdots \otimes \Delta_{n_\xi}^{i_{n_\xi}} = \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{N}(\mathcal{I})}$$

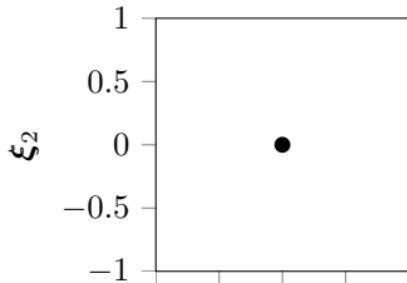


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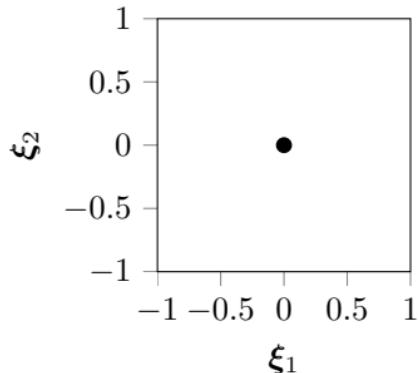
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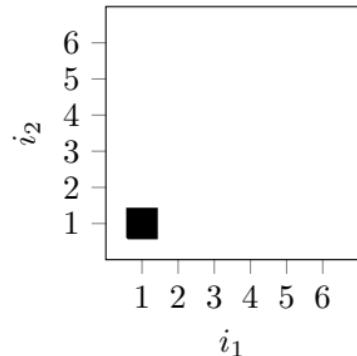
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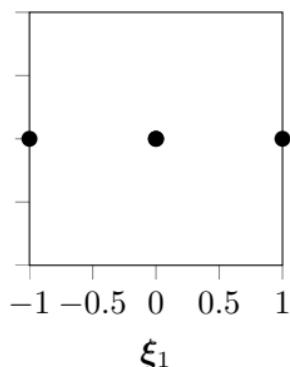


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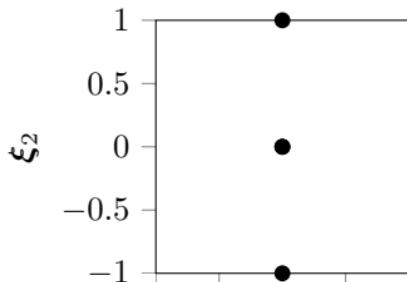


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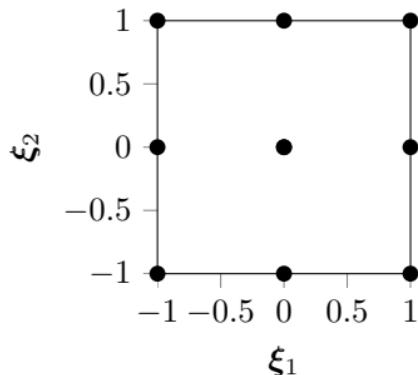
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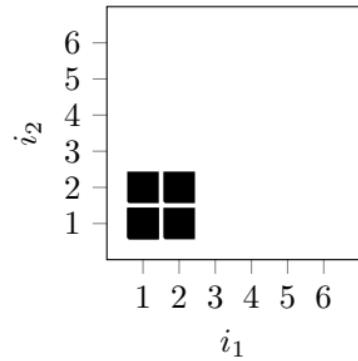
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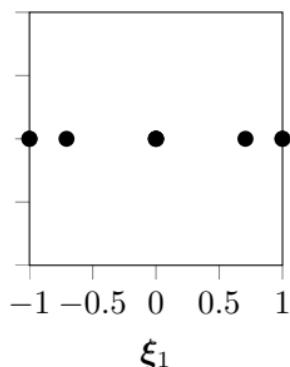


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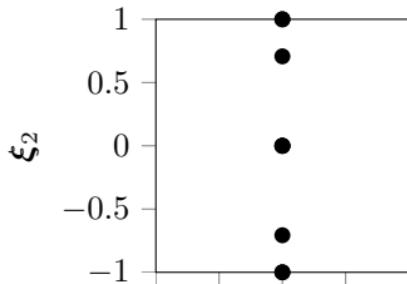


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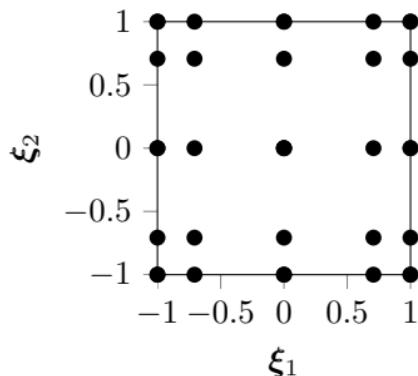
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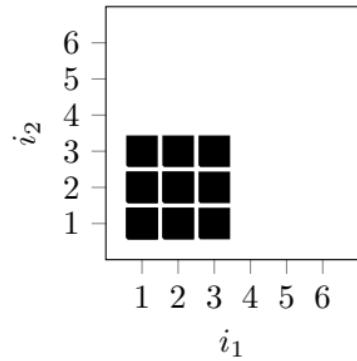
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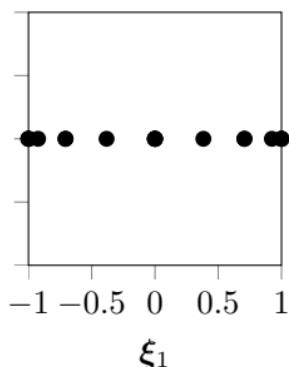


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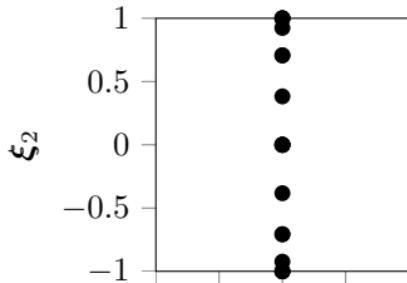


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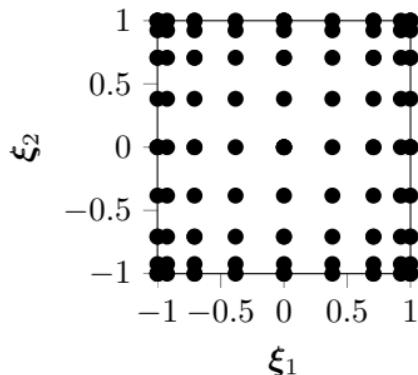
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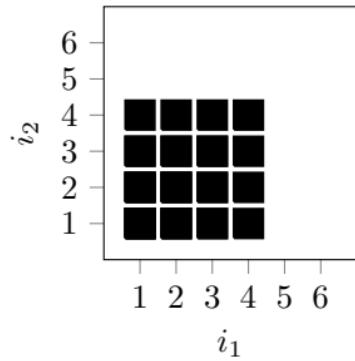
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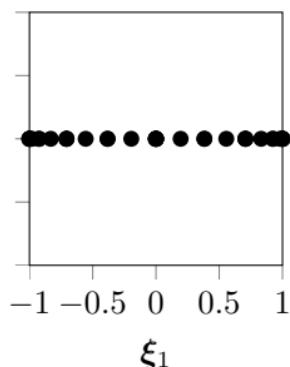


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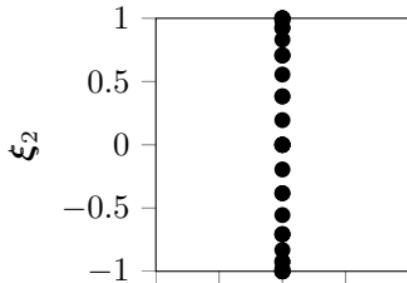


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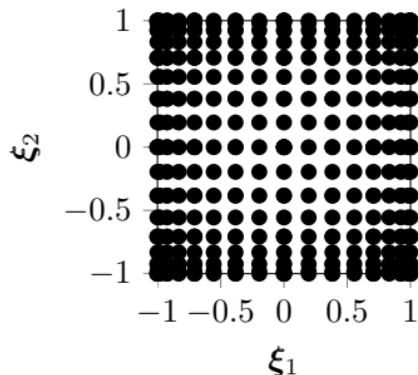
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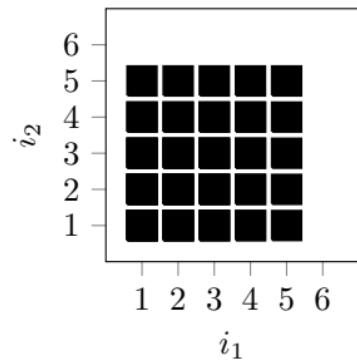
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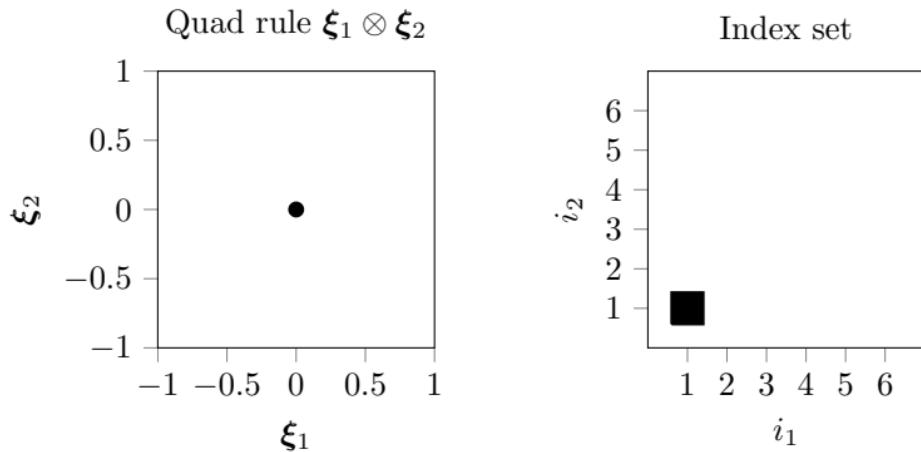
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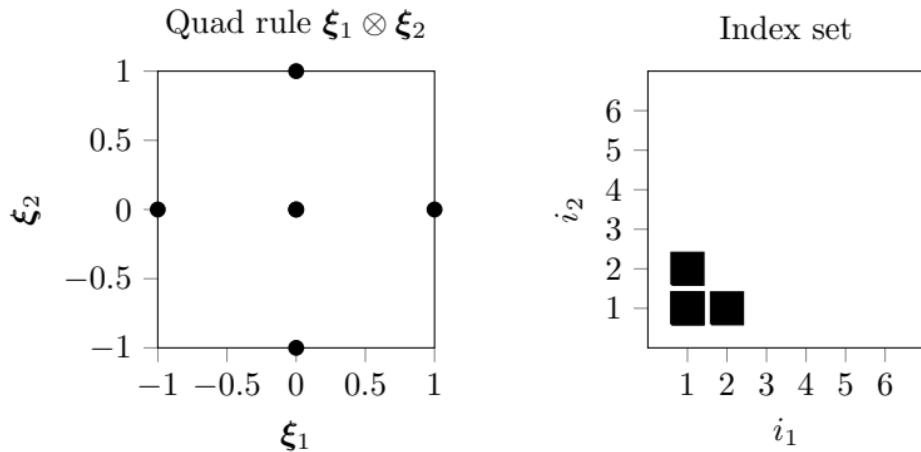
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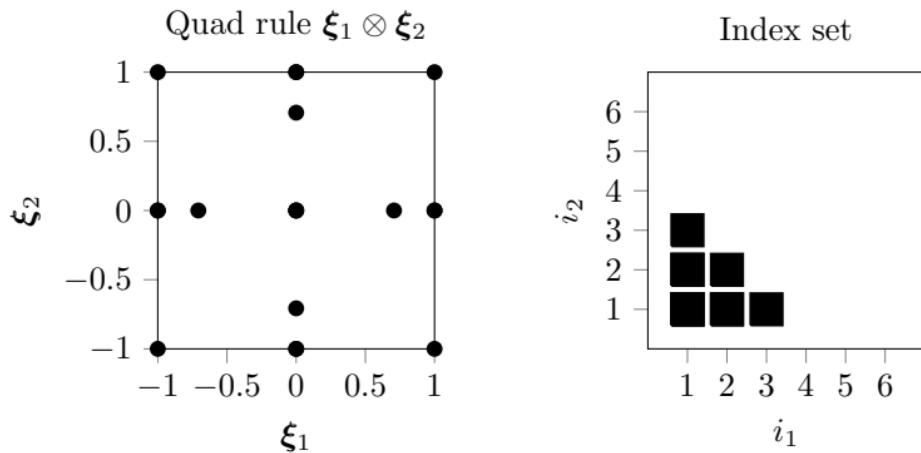
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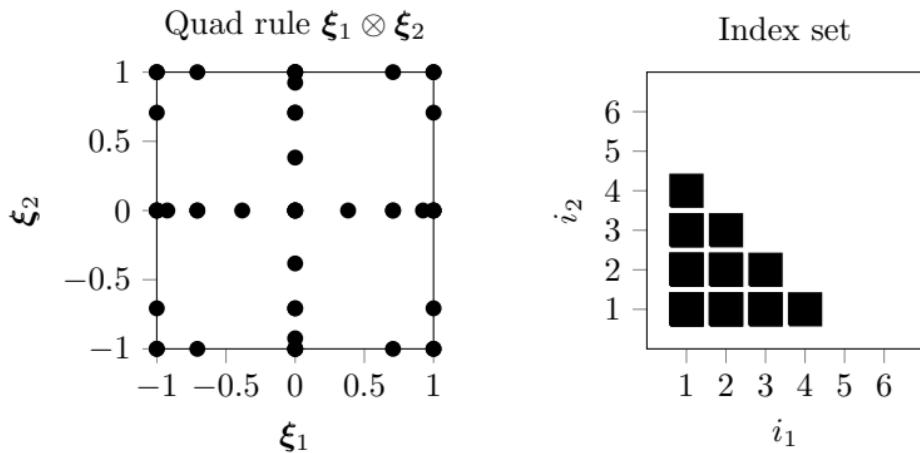
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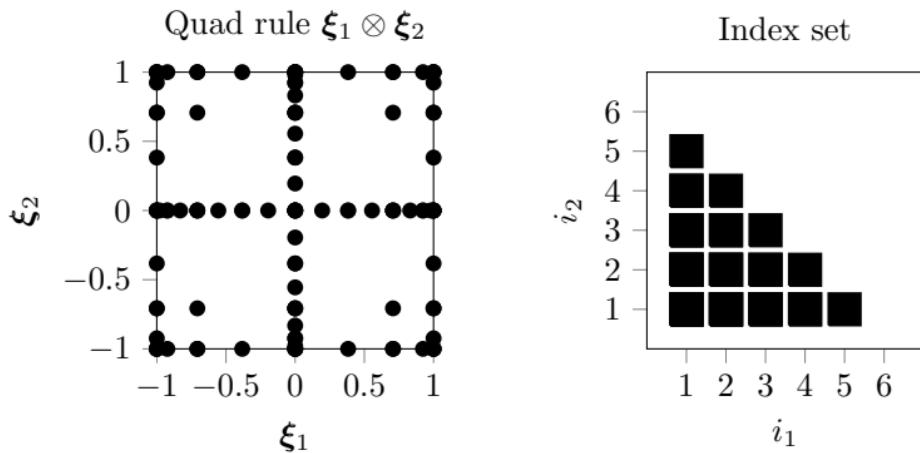
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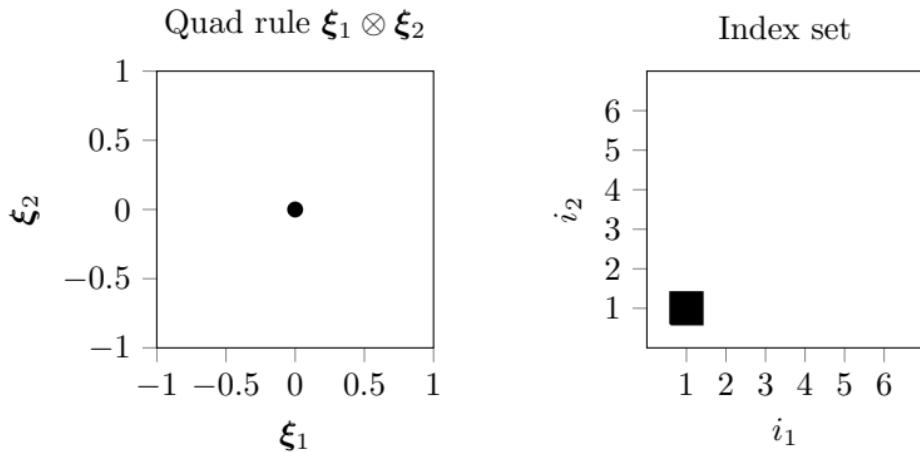
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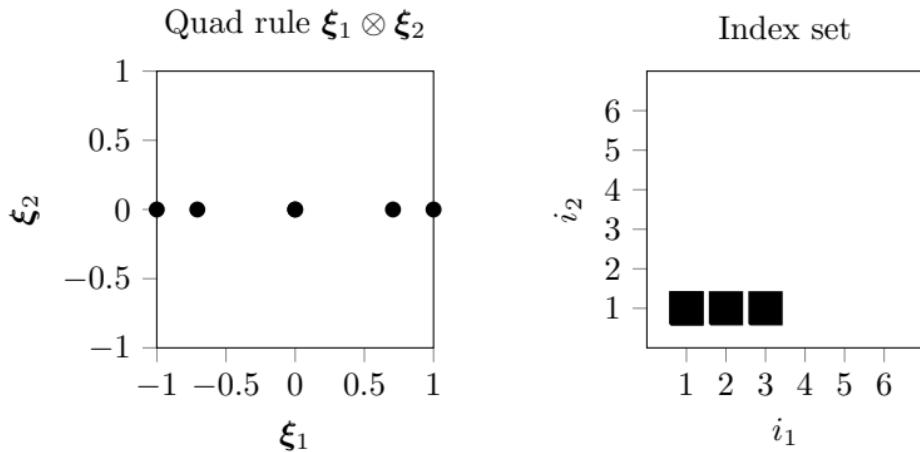
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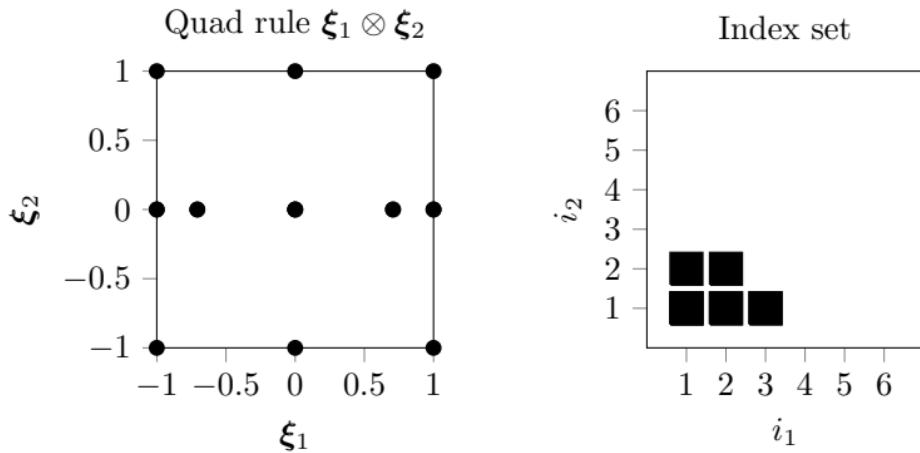
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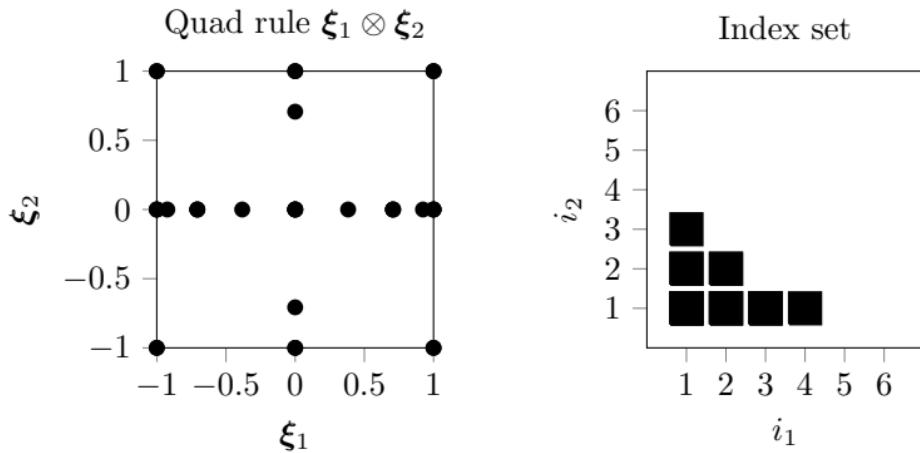
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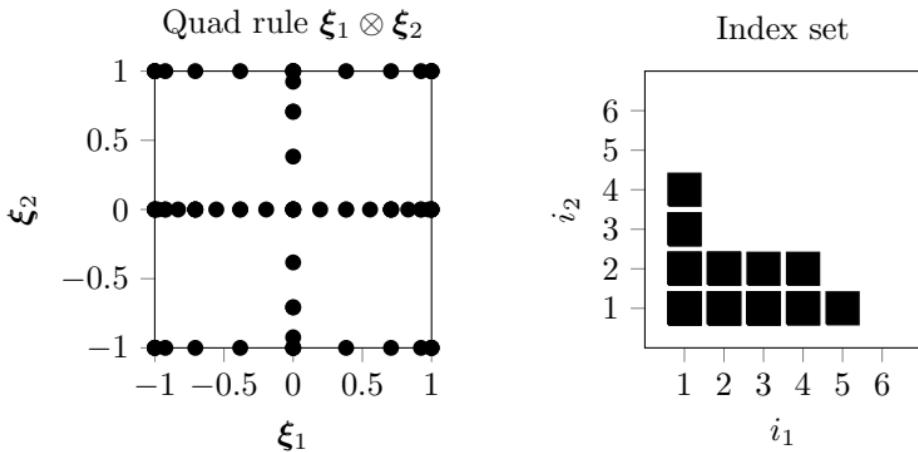
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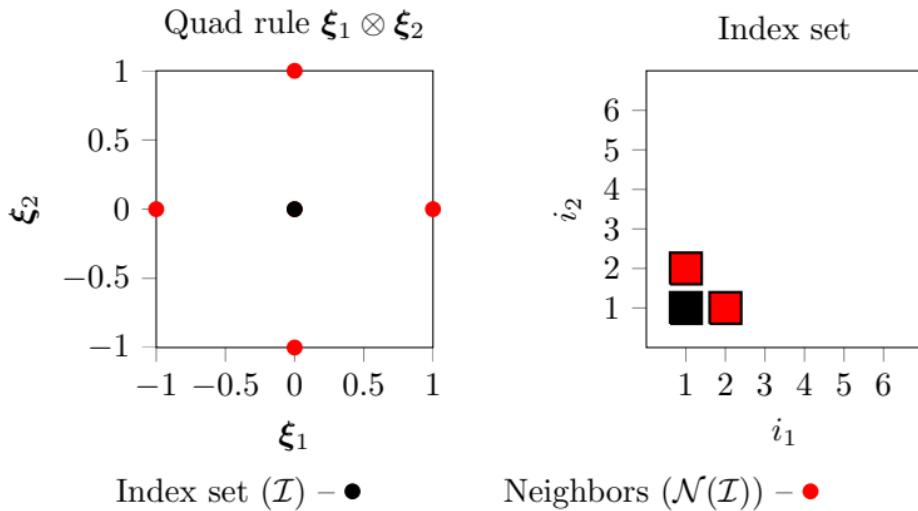
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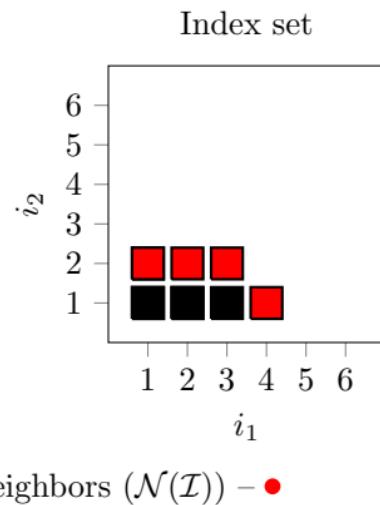
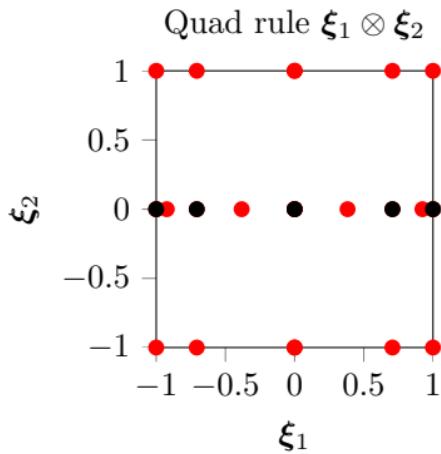
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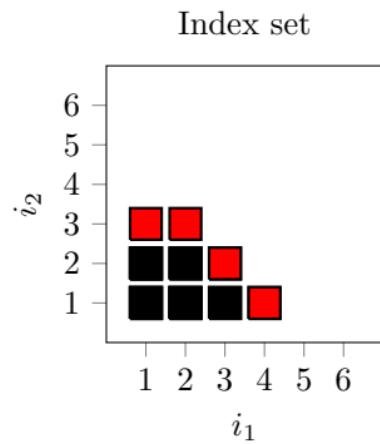
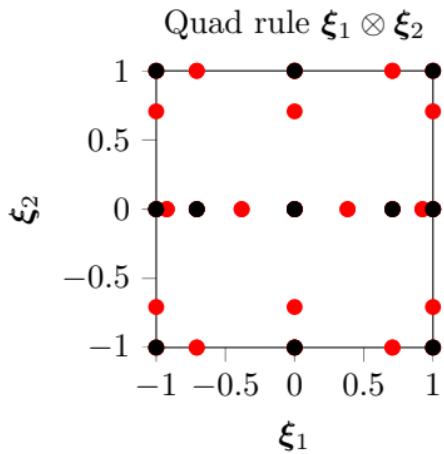
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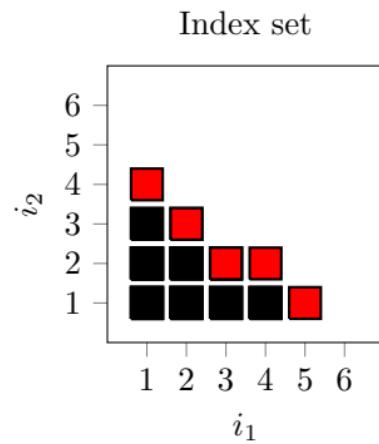
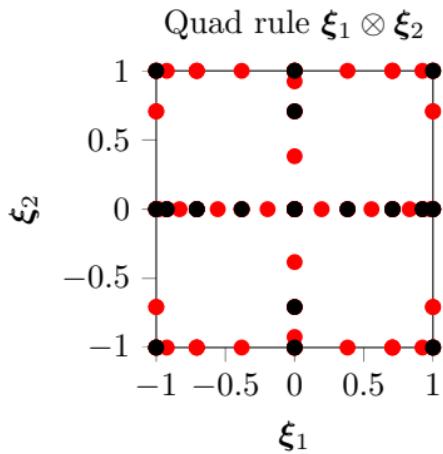
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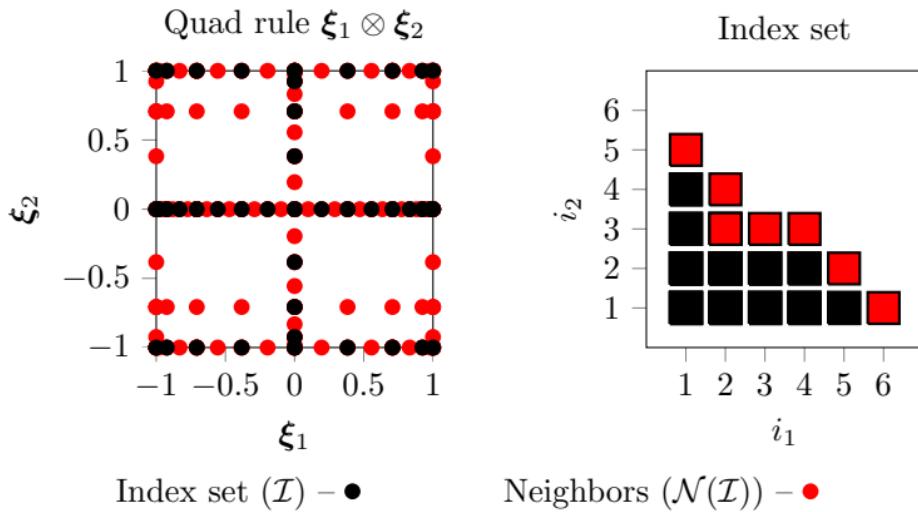
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# Stochastic collocation via anisotropic sparse grids

*Stochastic collocation using anisotropic sparse grid nodes used to approximate integral with summation*

$$\begin{aligned} & \underset{\boldsymbol{u} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_u}, \boldsymbol{\mu} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_\mu}}{\text{minimize}} && \mathbb{E}[\mathcal{J}(\boldsymbol{u}, \boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot)] \\ & \text{subject to} && \boldsymbol{r}(\boldsymbol{u}, \boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\xi}) = 0 \quad \forall \boldsymbol{\xi} \in \Xi \end{aligned}$$



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# Projection-based model reduction to reduce PDE size

- Model reduction ansatz: *state vector lies in low-dimensional subspace*

$$\boldsymbol{u} \approx \Phi \boldsymbol{y} \quad \frac{\partial \boldsymbol{u}}{\partial \boldsymbol{\mu}} \approx \Phi \frac{\partial \boldsymbol{y}}{\partial \boldsymbol{\mu}}$$

- $\Phi = [\phi_{\boldsymbol{u}}^1 \quad \dots \quad \phi_{\boldsymbol{u}}^{k_{\boldsymbol{u}}}] \in \mathbb{R}^{n_{\boldsymbol{u}} \times k_{\boldsymbol{u}}}$  is the reduced basis ( $n_{\boldsymbol{u}} \gg k_{\boldsymbol{u}}$ )
- $\boldsymbol{y} \in \mathbb{R}^{k_{\boldsymbol{u}}}$  are the reduced coordinates of  $\boldsymbol{u}$
- Substitute assumption into high-dimensional model  $\boldsymbol{r}(\boldsymbol{u}, \boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\xi}) = 0$  and use Galerkin projection to obtain a square system

$$\Phi^T \boldsymbol{r}(\Phi \boldsymbol{y}, \boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\xi}) = 0$$



# Definition of $\Phi$ : data-driven reduction

## State-Sensitivity Proper Orthogonal Decomposition (SSPOD)

- Collect state and sensitivity snapshots by sampling HDM

$$\mathbf{X} = [u(\boldsymbol{\mu}_1, \boldsymbol{\xi}_1) \quad u(\boldsymbol{\mu}_2, \boldsymbol{\xi}_2) \quad \cdots \quad u(\boldsymbol{\mu}_n, \boldsymbol{\xi}_n)]$$

$$\mathbf{Y} = \left[ \frac{\partial u}{\partial \boldsymbol{\mu}}(\boldsymbol{\mu}_1, \boldsymbol{\xi}_1) \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial \boldsymbol{\mu}}(\boldsymbol{\mu}_2, \boldsymbol{\xi}_2) \quad \cdots \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial \boldsymbol{\mu}}(\boldsymbol{\mu}_n, \boldsymbol{\xi}_n) \right]$$

- Use Proper Orthogonal Decomposition to generate reduced basis for each individually

$$\Phi_{\mathbf{X}} = \text{POD}(\mathbf{X})$$

$$\Phi_{\mathbf{Y}} = \text{POD}(\mathbf{Y})$$

- Concatenate and orthogonalize to get reduced-order basis

$$\Phi = \text{QR} ([\Phi_{\mathbf{X}} \quad \Phi_{\mathbf{Y}}])$$



# Reduced-order stochastic collocation via anisotropic sparse grids

*Stochastic collocation of the reduced-order model over anisotropic sparse grid nodes used to approximate integral with cheap summation*

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# Trust-region framework for optimization



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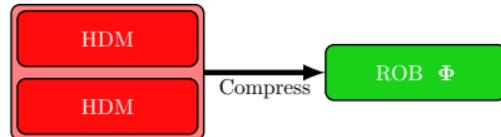
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Breakdown of Computational Effort



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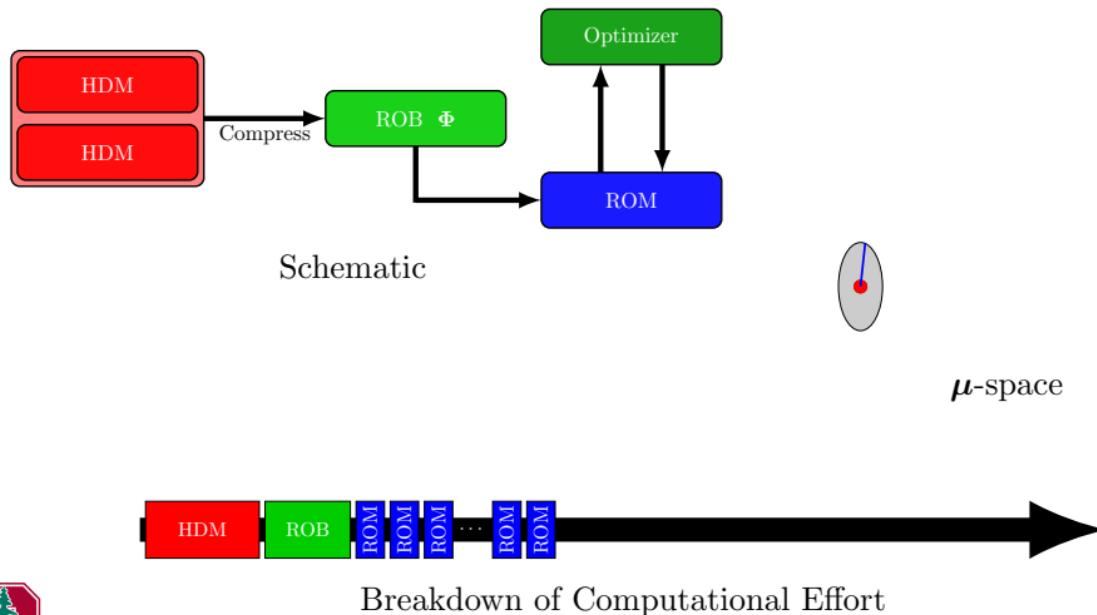
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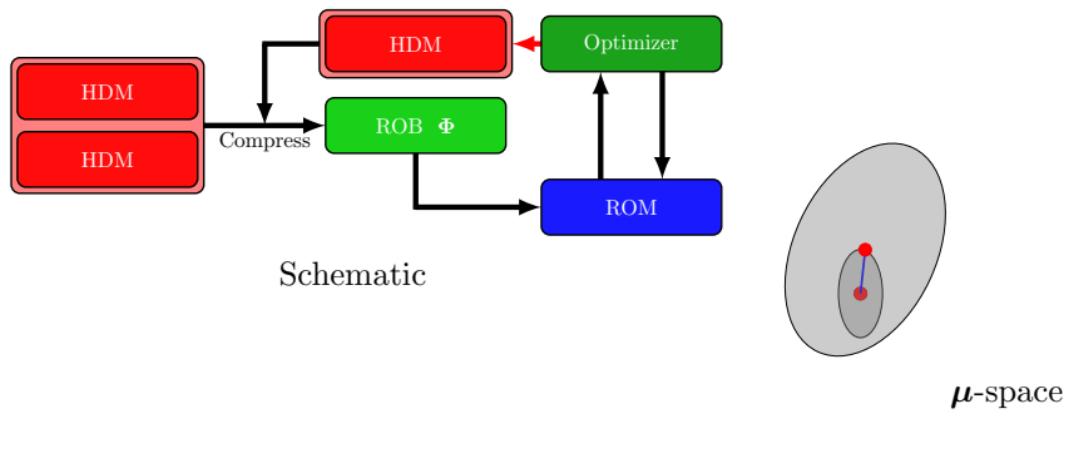
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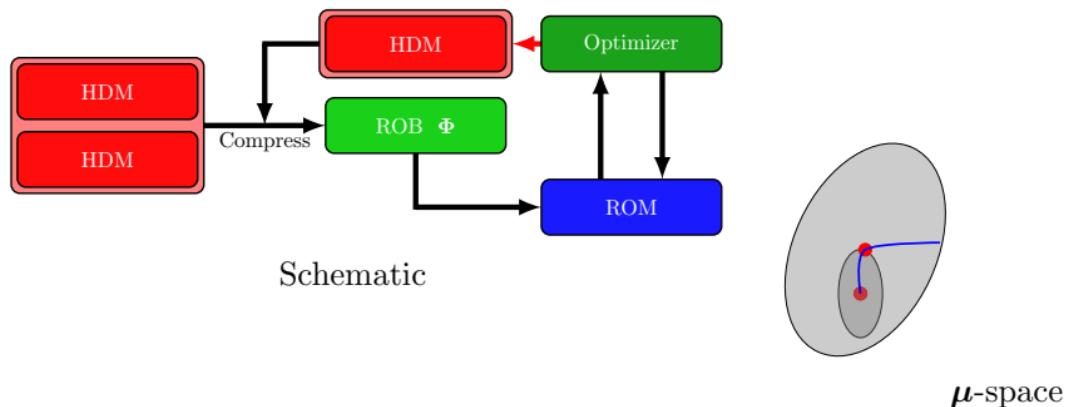
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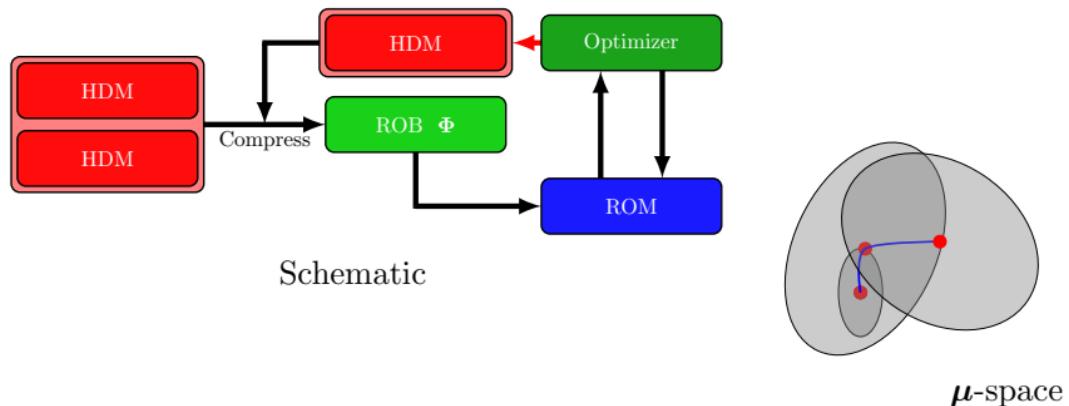
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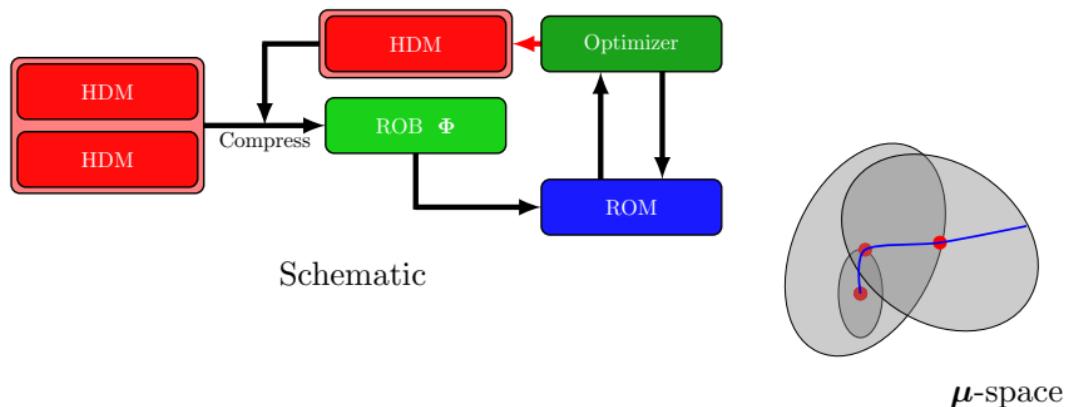
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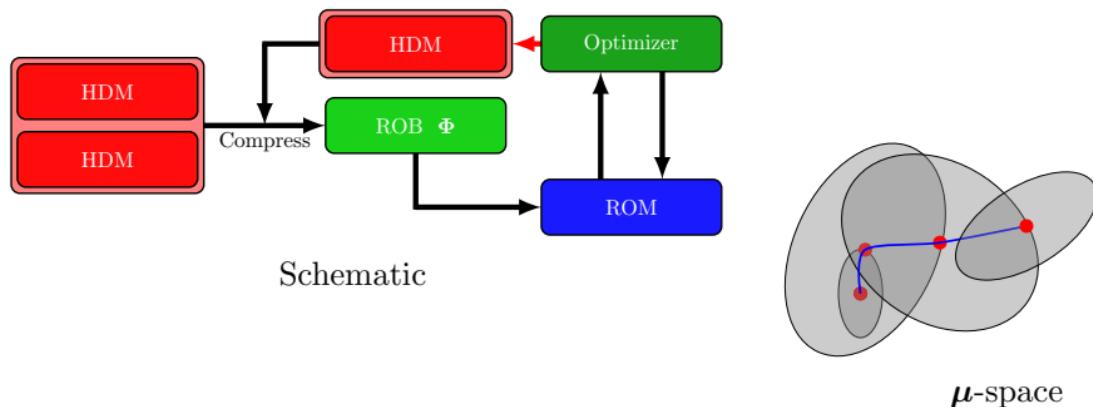
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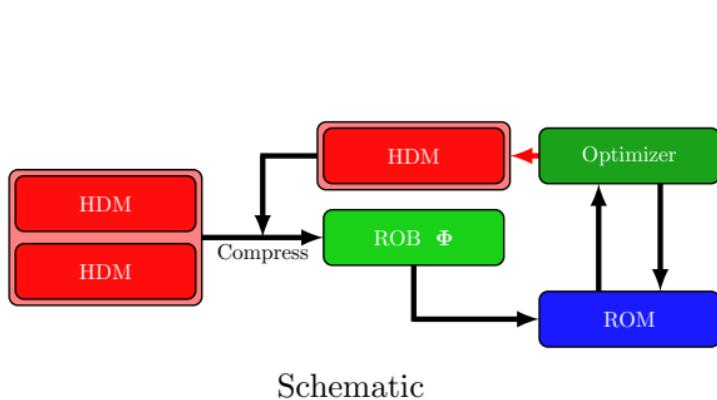
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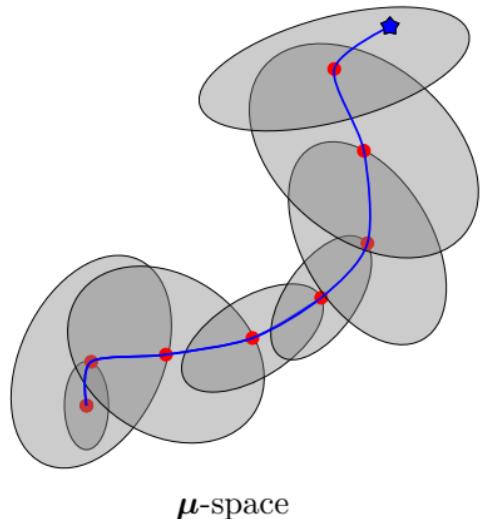
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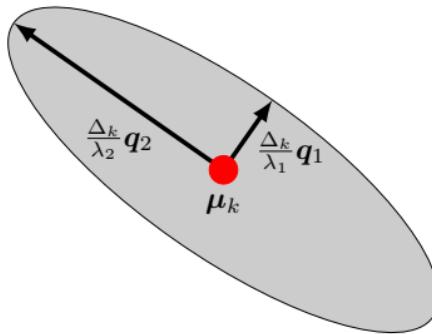


# Trust-regions based on error indicators: motivation

Let  $\vartheta_k(\boldsymbol{\mu})$  be a vector-valued error indicator, then to first order<sup>1</sup>

$$\vartheta_k(\boldsymbol{\mu}) \equiv \|\vartheta_k(\boldsymbol{\mu})\|_2 = \left\| \frac{\partial \vartheta_k}{\partial \boldsymbol{\mu}}(\boldsymbol{\mu}_k)(\boldsymbol{\mu} - \boldsymbol{\mu}_k) \right\|_2 = \|\boldsymbol{\mu} - \boldsymbol{\mu}_k\|_{\mathbf{A}_k} \leq \Delta_k$$

$$\mathbf{A}_k \equiv \frac{\partial \vartheta_k}{\partial \boldsymbol{\mu}}(\boldsymbol{\mu}_k)^T \frac{\partial \vartheta_k}{\partial \boldsymbol{\mu}}(\boldsymbol{\mu}_k) = \mathbf{Q}_k \boldsymbol{\Lambda}_k^2 \mathbf{Q}_k^T$$



Annotated schematic of trust-region:  $\mathbf{q}_i = \mathbf{Q}_k \mathbf{e}_i$  and  $\lambda_i = \mathbf{e}_i^T \boldsymbol{\Lambda}_k \mathbf{e}_i$



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<sup>1</sup>assuming  $\vartheta_k(\boldsymbol{\mu}_k) = 0$ , i.e., exactness at trust-region center



# A trust-region method based on error indicators

Propose a trust-region method to solve the unconstrained optimization problem

$$\underset{\boldsymbol{\mu} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_{\boldsymbol{\mu}}}}{\text{minimize}} \quad F(\boldsymbol{\mu})$$

that leverages trust-region subproblems of the form

$$\begin{aligned} & \underset{\boldsymbol{\mu} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_{\boldsymbol{\mu}}}}{\text{minimize}} \quad m_k(\boldsymbol{\mu}) \\ & \text{subject to} \quad \vartheta_k(\boldsymbol{\mu}) \leq \Delta_k, \end{aligned}$$

where  $\vartheta_k(\boldsymbol{\mu})$  is an *error bound*, i.e.,

*there exists* a constant<sup>2</sup>  $\zeta > 0$  such that

$$|F(\boldsymbol{\mu}) - m_k(\boldsymbol{\mu})| \leq \zeta \vartheta_k(\boldsymbol{\mu})$$



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<sup>2</sup>arbitrary, i.e., not tied to algorithmic parameters, and does not need to be computed or estimated



# Trust-region model: two-level approximation based on reduced-order models and sparse grids

The trust-region subproblem

$$\begin{aligned} & \underset{\boldsymbol{\mu} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_{\boldsymbol{\mu}}}}{\text{minimize}} \quad m_k(\boldsymbol{\mu}) \\ & \text{subject to} \quad \vartheta_k(\boldsymbol{\mu}) \leq \Delta_k, \end{aligned}$$

is defined as

$$\begin{aligned} m_k(\boldsymbol{\mu}) &= \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{I}_k} [\mathcal{J}(\Phi_k \mathbf{y}(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot), \boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot)] \\ \vartheta_k(\boldsymbol{\mu}) &= \alpha_1 \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{I}_k \cup \mathcal{N}(\mathcal{I}_k)} [| | | \mathbf{r}(\Phi_k \mathbf{y}(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot); \boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot) | | |] + \\ & \quad \alpha_2 |\mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{N}(\mathcal{I}_k)} [\mathcal{J}(\Phi_k \mathbf{y}(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot), \boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot)]| \end{aligned}$$

An error indicator for the model gradient is also required and chosen as

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi_k &= \beta_1 \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{I}_k \cup \mathcal{N}(\mathcal{I}_k)} [| | | \mathbf{r}(\Phi_k \mathbf{y}(\boldsymbol{\mu}_k, \cdot); \boldsymbol{\mu}_k, \cdot) | | |] + \\ & \quad \beta_2 \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{I}_k \cup \mathcal{N}(\mathcal{I}_k)} [| | | \mathbf{r}^{\partial}(\Phi_k \mathbf{y}(\boldsymbol{\mu}_k, \cdot); \boldsymbol{\mu}_k, \cdot) | | |] + \\ & \quad \beta_3 |\mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{N}(\mathcal{I}_k)} [\nabla_{\boldsymbol{\mu}} \mathcal{J}(\Phi_k \mathbf{y}(\boldsymbol{\mu}_k, \cdot), \boldsymbol{\mu}_k, \cdot)]| | \end{aligned}$$



Error indicator for function values must account for ROM inaccuracy and sparse grid truncation error

Error indicator for function values are based on collocation of the **residual norm** to account for ROM error and **forward neighbors** to account for truncation error

Define

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{\mathcal{J}}(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\xi}) &\equiv \mathcal{J}(\mathbf{u}(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\xi}), \boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\xi}) & \hat{\mathcal{J}}_r(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\xi}) &\equiv \mathcal{J}(\Phi\mathbf{y}(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\xi}), \boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\xi}) \\ \hat{\mathbf{r}}_r(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\xi}) &\equiv \mathbf{r}(\Phi\mathbf{y}(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\xi}), \boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\xi})\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\left| \mathbb{E} \left[ \hat{\mathcal{J}}(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot) \right] - \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{I}} \left[ \hat{\mathcal{J}}_r(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot) \right] \right| &\leq \mathbb{E} \left[ \left| \hat{\mathcal{J}}(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot) - \hat{\mathcal{J}}_r(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot) \right| \right] + \left| \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{I}^c} \left[ \hat{\mathcal{J}}_r(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot) \right] \right| \\ &\lesssim \zeta_1 \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{I} \cup \mathcal{N}(\mathcal{I})} [ \| \hat{\mathbf{r}}_r(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\xi}) \| ] + \left| \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{N}(\mathcal{I})} \left[ \hat{\mathcal{J}}_r(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot) \right] \right|\end{aligned}$$



Error indicator for gradients must account for primal and dual ROM inaccuracy and sparse grid truncation error

Error indicator for function gradients are based on collocation of the **primal and dual residual norm** to account for ROM error and **forward neighbors** to account for truncation error

Define

$$\hat{r}_r^\partial(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\xi}) \equiv \frac{\partial \mathbf{r}}{\partial \boldsymbol{\mu}}(\Phi \mathbf{y}(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\xi})) \Phi \frac{\partial \mathbf{y}}{\partial \boldsymbol{\mu}}(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\xi}) + \frac{\partial \mathbf{r}}{\partial \boldsymbol{\mu}}(\Phi \mathbf{y}(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\xi}), \boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\xi})$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \left\| \mathbb{E} \left[ \nabla_{\boldsymbol{\mu}} \hat{\mathcal{J}}(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot) \right] - \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{I}} \left[ \nabla_{\boldsymbol{\mu}} \hat{\mathcal{J}}(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot) \right] \right\| \\ & \leq \mathbb{E} \left[ \left\| \nabla_{\boldsymbol{\mu}} \hat{\mathcal{J}}(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot) - \nabla_{\boldsymbol{\mu}} \hat{\mathcal{J}}_r(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot) \right\| \right] + \left\| \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{I}^c} \left[ \nabla_{\boldsymbol{\mu}} \hat{\mathcal{J}}_r(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot) \right] \right\| \\ & \lesssim \zeta_2 \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{I} \cup \mathcal{N}(\mathcal{I})} [ \| \hat{r}_r(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot) \| ] + \zeta_3 \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{I} \cup \mathcal{N}(\mathcal{I})} [ \| \hat{r}_r^\partial(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot) \| ] + \left\| \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{N}(\mathcal{I})} \left[ \nabla_{\boldsymbol{\mu}} \hat{\mathcal{J}}_r(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot) \right] \right\| \end{aligned}$$



# Trust-region method based on error indicators: algorithm

- 1: **Model update:** Choose  $m_k$ , i.e.,  $\mathcal{I}_k$  and  $\Phi_k$ , such that

$$\vartheta_k(\boldsymbol{\mu}_k) \leq \kappa_1 \Delta_k \quad \varphi_k \leq \kappa_2 \|\nabla m_k(\boldsymbol{\mu}_k)\|$$

- 2: **Step computation:** Approximately solve the trust-region subproblem

$$\hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_k = \arg \min_{\boldsymbol{\mu} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_\mu}} m_k(\boldsymbol{\mu}) \quad \text{subject to} \quad \vartheta_k(\boldsymbol{\mu}) \leq \Delta_k$$

- 3: **Step acceptance:** Compute

$$\rho_k = \frac{F(\boldsymbol{\mu}_k) - F(\hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_k)}{m_k(\boldsymbol{\mu}_k) - m_k(\hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_k)}$$

if  $\rho_k \geq \eta_1$  then  $\boldsymbol{\mu}_{k+1} = \hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_k$  else  $\boldsymbol{\mu}_{k+1} = \boldsymbol{\mu}_k$  end if

- 4: **Trust-region update:**

if  $\rho_k \leq \eta_1$  then  $\Delta_{k+1} \in (0, \gamma \vartheta_k(\hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_k)]$  end if

if  $\rho_k \in (\eta_1, \eta_2)$  then  $\Delta_{k+1} \in [\gamma \vartheta_k(\hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_k), \Delta_k]$  end if

if  $\rho_k \geq \eta_2$  then  $\Delta_{k+1} \in [\Delta_k, \Delta_{\max}]$  end if



# Trust-region method based on error indicators: convergence

$$\underset{\boldsymbol{\mu} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_{\boldsymbol{\mu}}}}{\text{minimize}} \quad \mathbb{E} [\mathcal{J}(\boldsymbol{u}(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot), \boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot)]$$

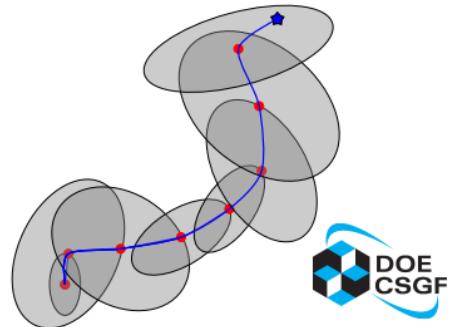
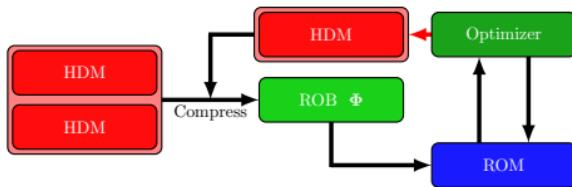
The trust-region method guarantees

$$\liminf_{k \rightarrow \infty} \|\nabla_{\boldsymbol{\mu}} \mathbb{E} [\mathcal{J}(\boldsymbol{u}(\boldsymbol{\mu}_k, \cdot), \boldsymbol{\mu}_k, \cdot)]\| = 0$$

if  $\exists \zeta, \tau > 0$  such that

$$|\mathbb{E} [\mathcal{J}(\boldsymbol{u}(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot) \boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot)] - \mathbb{E} [\mathcal{J}(\Phi \boldsymbol{y}(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot) \boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot)]| \leq \zeta \vartheta_k(\boldsymbol{\mu})$$

$$\|\nabla_{\boldsymbol{\mu}} \mathbb{E} [\mathcal{J}(\boldsymbol{u}(\boldsymbol{\mu}_k, \cdot), \boldsymbol{\mu}_k, \cdot)] - \nabla_{\boldsymbol{\mu}} \mathbb{E} [\mathcal{J}(\Phi \boldsymbol{y}(\boldsymbol{\mu}_k, \cdot), \boldsymbol{\mu}_k, \cdot)]\| \leq \tau \varphi_k$$



# Control two-level inexactness: dimension-adaptive sparse grids and greedy sampling

**while**  $|\mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{N}(\mathcal{I}_k)} [\mathcal{J}(\Phi \mathbf{y}(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot), \boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot)]| > \frac{1}{2\alpha_2} \kappa_1 \Delta_k$  **do**

**Refine index set:** Let  $\mathbf{j} = \arg \max_{\mathbf{j} \in \mathcal{N}(\mathcal{I}_k)} |\mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{j}} [\mathcal{J}(\Phi \mathbf{y}(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot), \boldsymbol{\mu}, \cdot)]|$

$$\mathcal{I}_k \leftarrow \mathcal{I}_k \cup \{\mathbf{j}\}$$

**while**  $\mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{I}_k \cup \mathcal{N}(\mathcal{I}_k)} [|r(\Phi \mathbf{y}(\boldsymbol{\mu}_k, \cdot), \boldsymbol{\mu}_k, \cdot)|] > \frac{1}{2\alpha_1} \kappa_1 \Delta_k$  **do**

**Evaluate error indicator:** For each  $\boldsymbol{\xi}_j \in \Xi_{\mathcal{I}_k \cup \mathcal{N}(\mathcal{I}_k)}$ , compute

$$r_j = |r(\Phi \mathbf{y}(\boldsymbol{\mu}_k, \boldsymbol{\xi}_j), \boldsymbol{\mu}_k, \boldsymbol{\xi}_j)|$$

**Sample high-dimensional model:** Let  $j^* = \arg \max r_j$  and compute

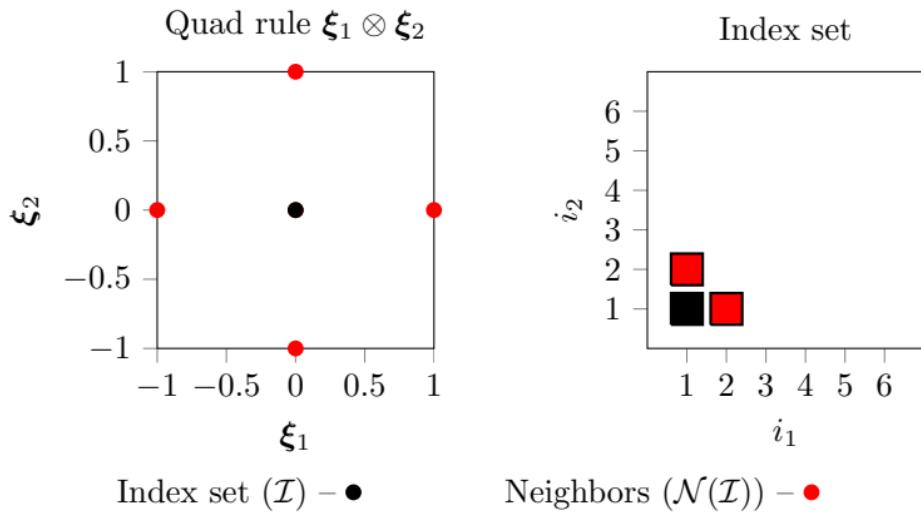
$$\mathbf{u}(\boldsymbol{\mu}_k, \boldsymbol{\xi}_{j^*}), \frac{\partial \mathbf{u}}{\partial \boldsymbol{\mu}}(\boldsymbol{\mu}_k, \boldsymbol{\xi}_{j^*})$$

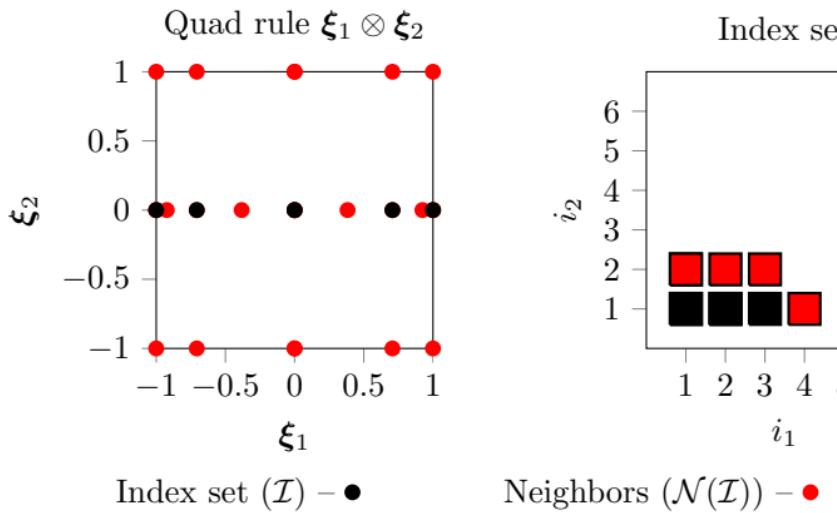
and update reduced-order basis,  $\Phi_k$ , using SSPOD

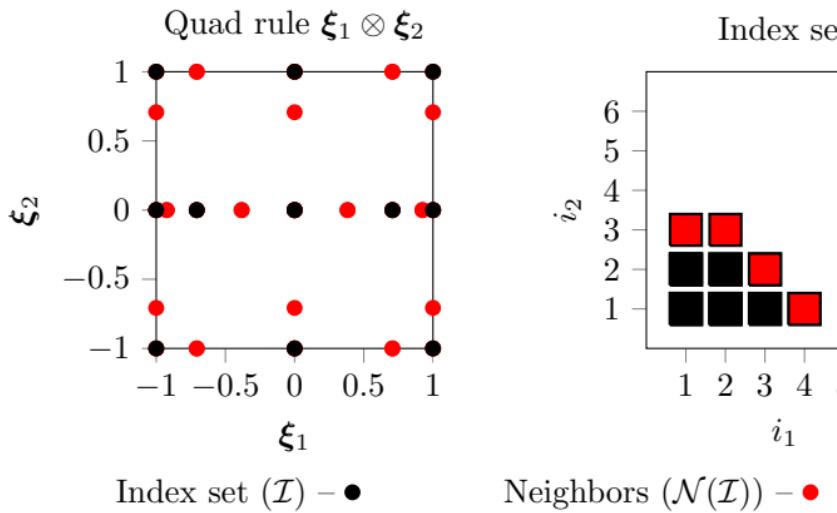
**end while**

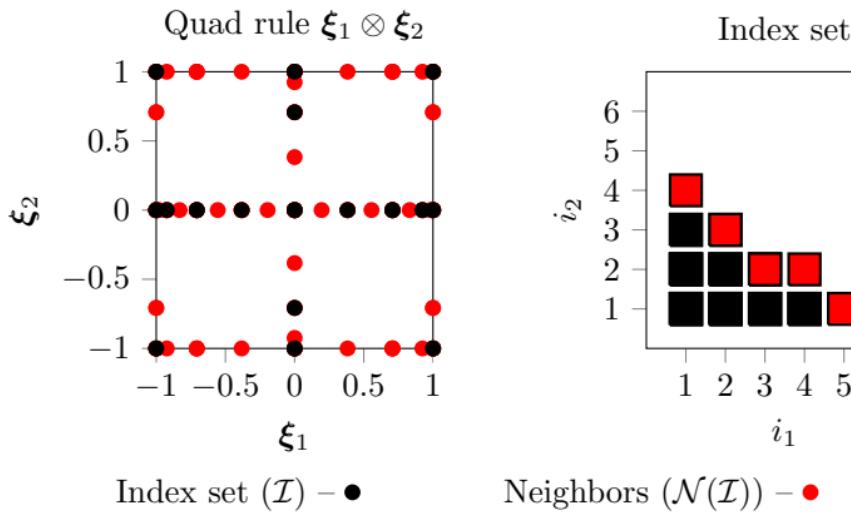
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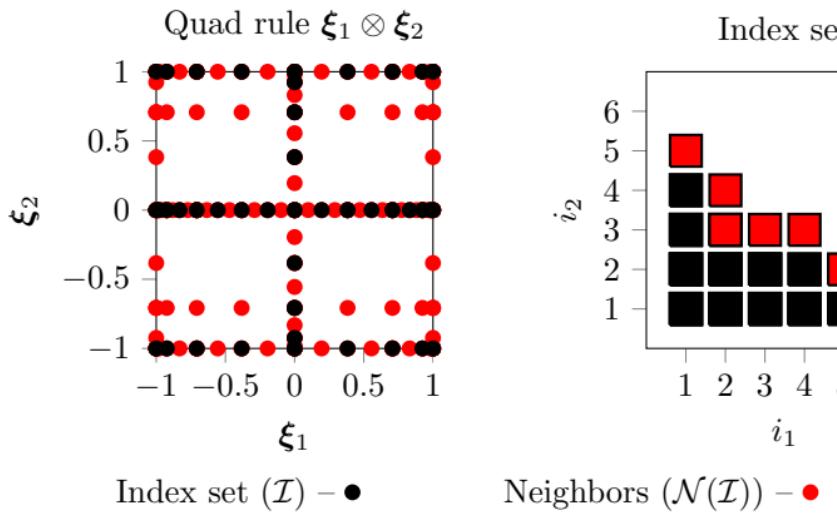












# Optimal control of steady Burgers' equation

- Optimization problem:

$$\underset{\boldsymbol{\mu} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_\mu}}{\text{minimize}} \quad \int_{\Xi} \rho(\boldsymbol{\xi}) \left[ \int_0^1 \frac{1}{2} (u(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\xi}, x) - \bar{u}(x))^2 dx + \frac{\alpha}{2} \int_0^1 z(\boldsymbol{\mu}, x)^2 dx \right] d\boldsymbol{\xi}$$

where  $u(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\xi}, x)$  solves

$$\begin{aligned} -\nu(\boldsymbol{\xi}) \partial_{xx} u(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\xi}, x) + u(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\xi}, x) \partial_x u(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\xi}, x) &= z(\boldsymbol{\mu}, x) \quad x \in (0, 1), \quad \boldsymbol{\xi} \in \Xi \\ u(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\xi}, 0) &= d_0(\boldsymbol{\xi}) \quad u(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\xi}, 1) = d_1(\boldsymbol{\xi}) \end{aligned}$$

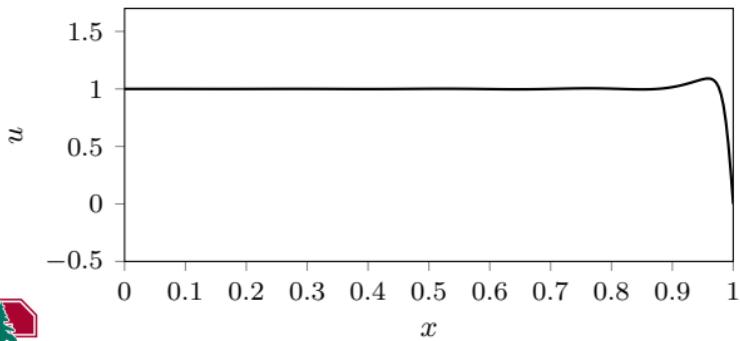
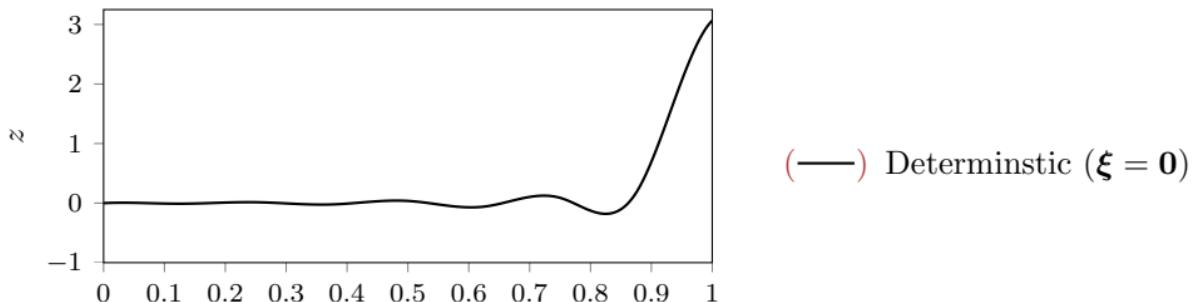
- Desired state:  $\bar{u}(x) \equiv 1$
- Stochastic Space:  $\Xi = [-1, 1]^3$ ,  $\rho(\boldsymbol{\xi})d\boldsymbol{\xi} = 2^{-3}d\boldsymbol{\xi}$

$$\nu(\boldsymbol{\xi}) = 10^{\boldsymbol{\xi}_1 - 2} \quad d_0(\boldsymbol{\xi}) = 1 + \frac{\boldsymbol{\xi}_2}{1000} \quad d_1(\boldsymbol{\xi}) = \frac{\boldsymbol{\xi}_3}{1000}$$

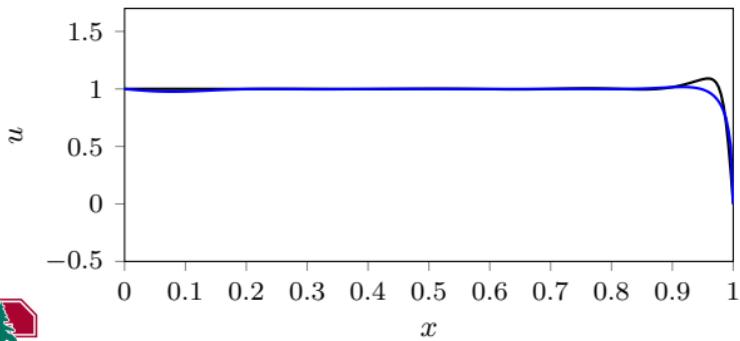
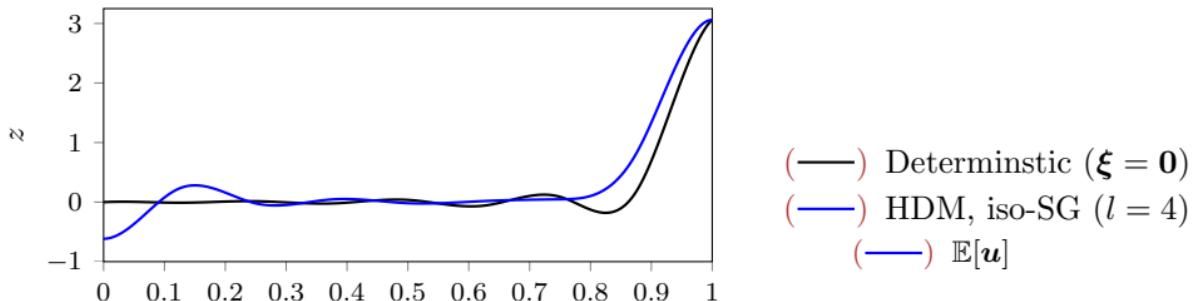
- Parametrization:  $z(\boldsymbol{\mu}, x)$  – cubic splines with 9 knots,  $n_\mu = 11$



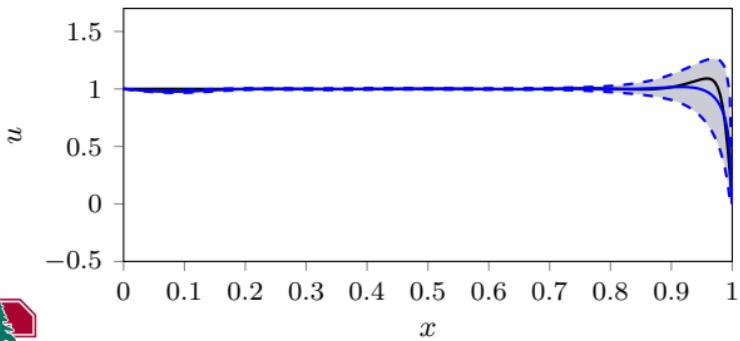
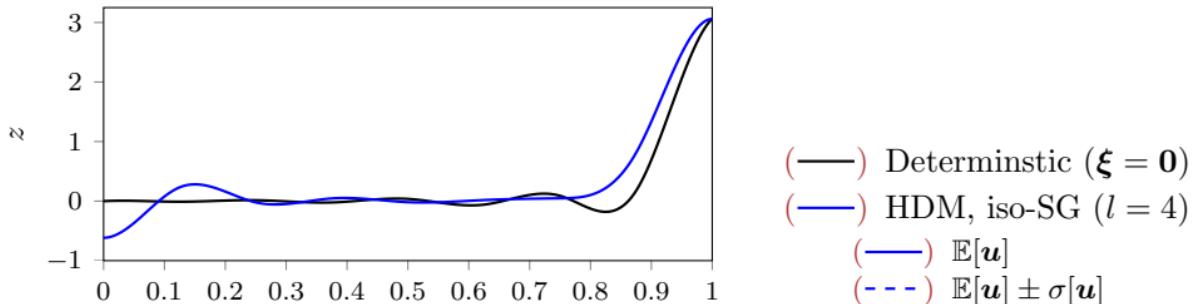
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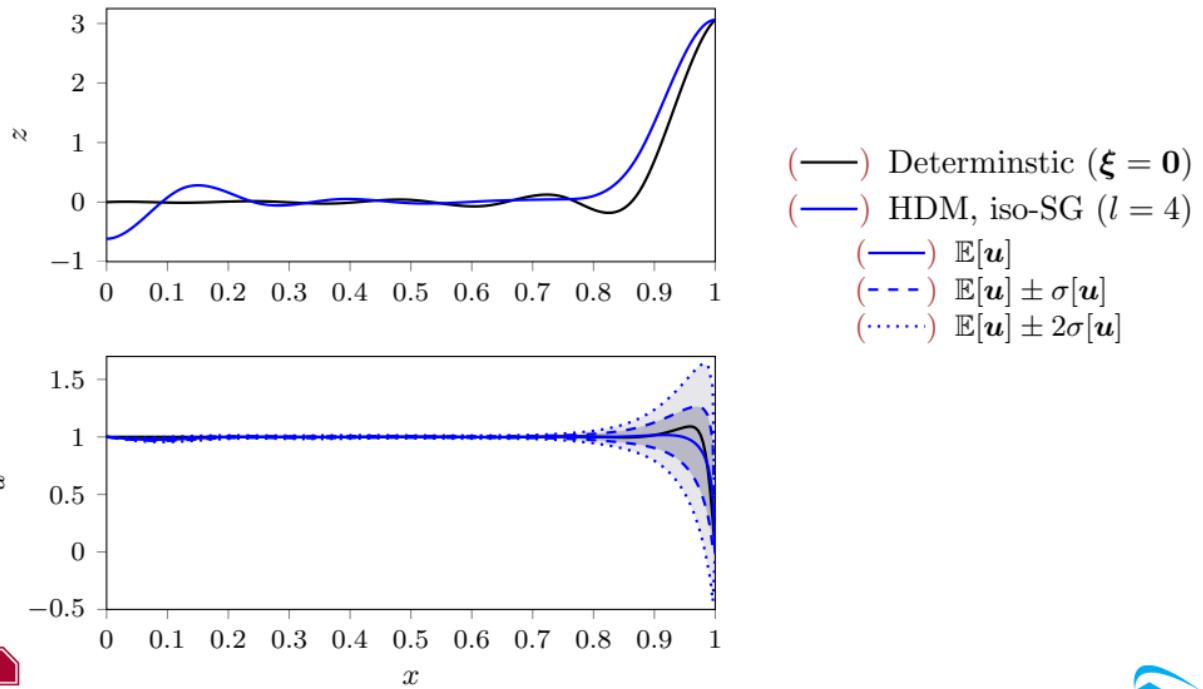
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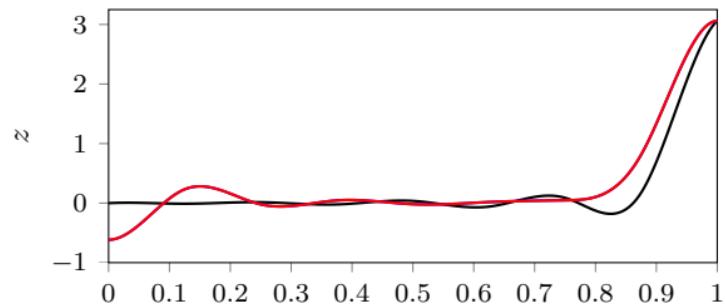
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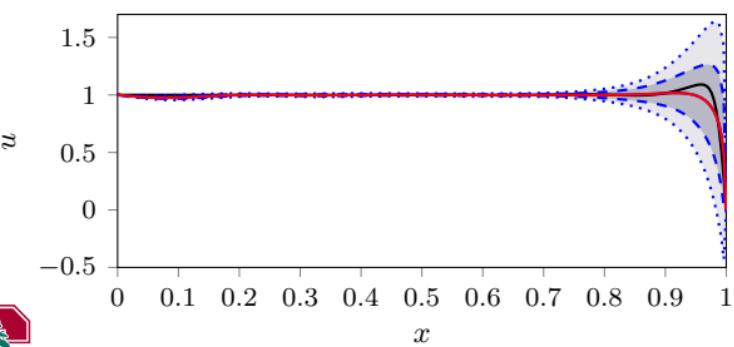
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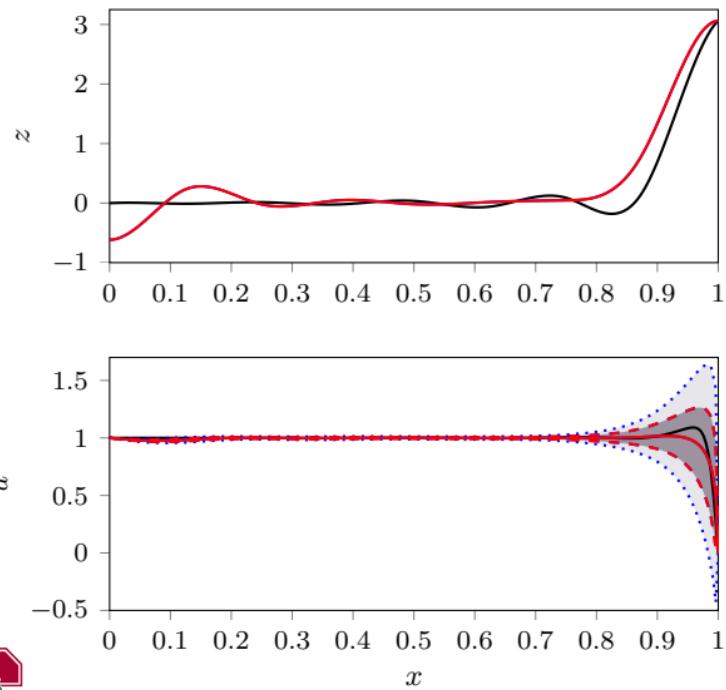
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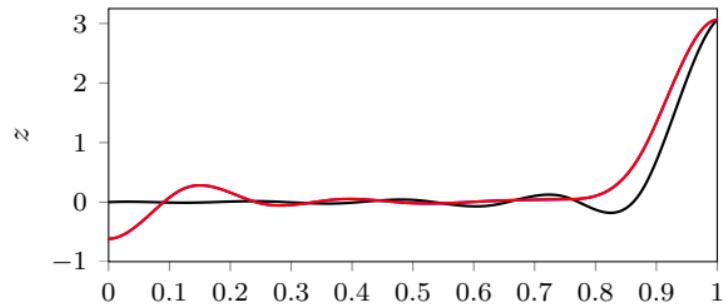
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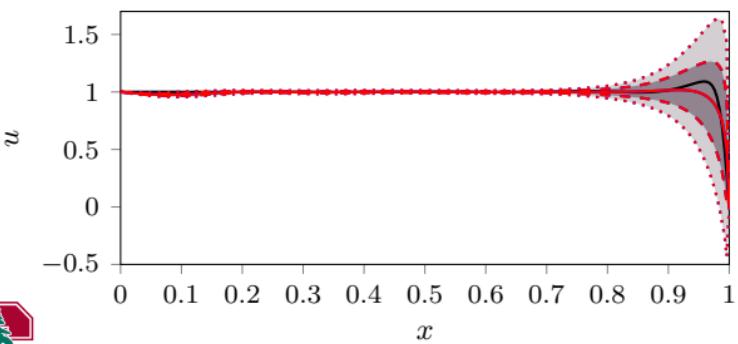


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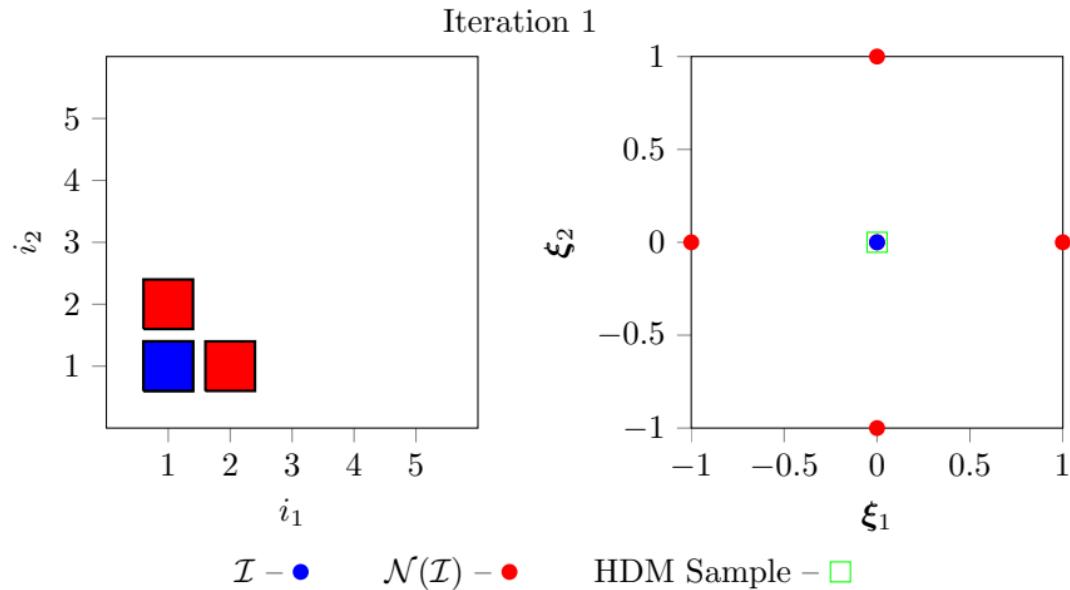
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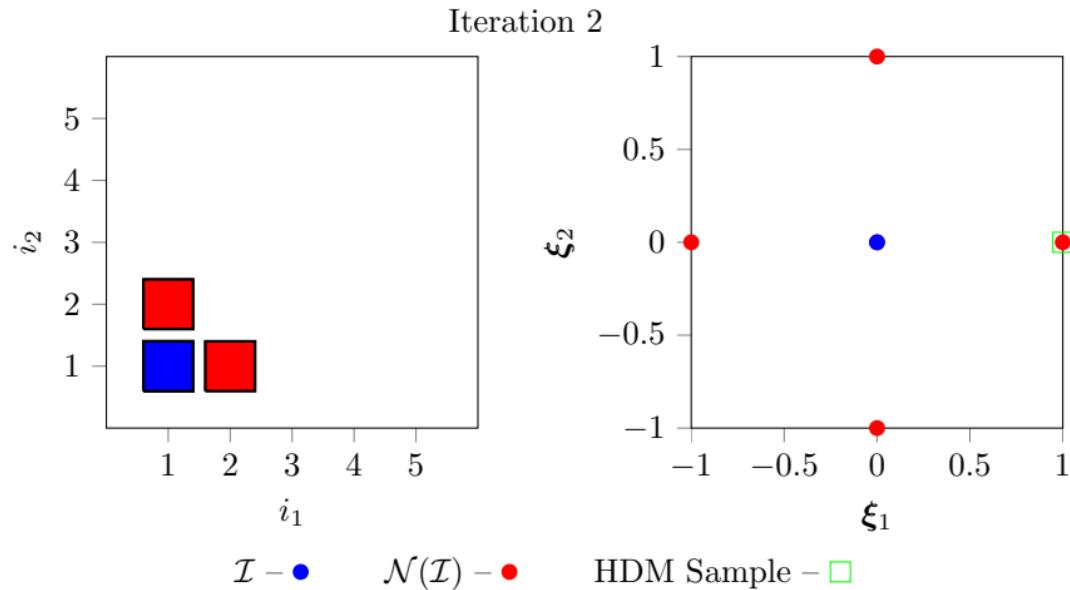
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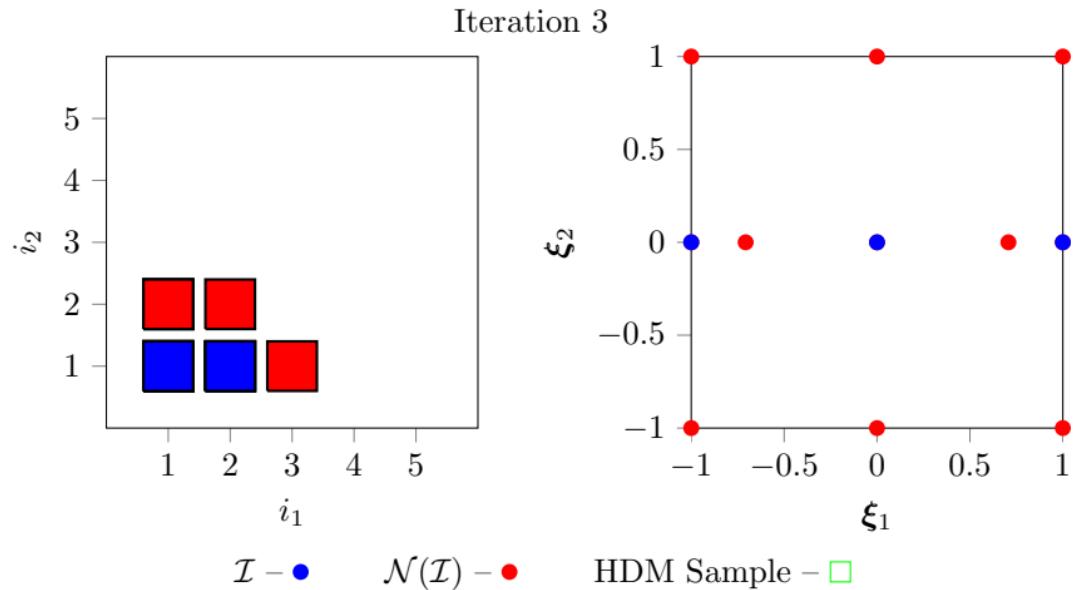
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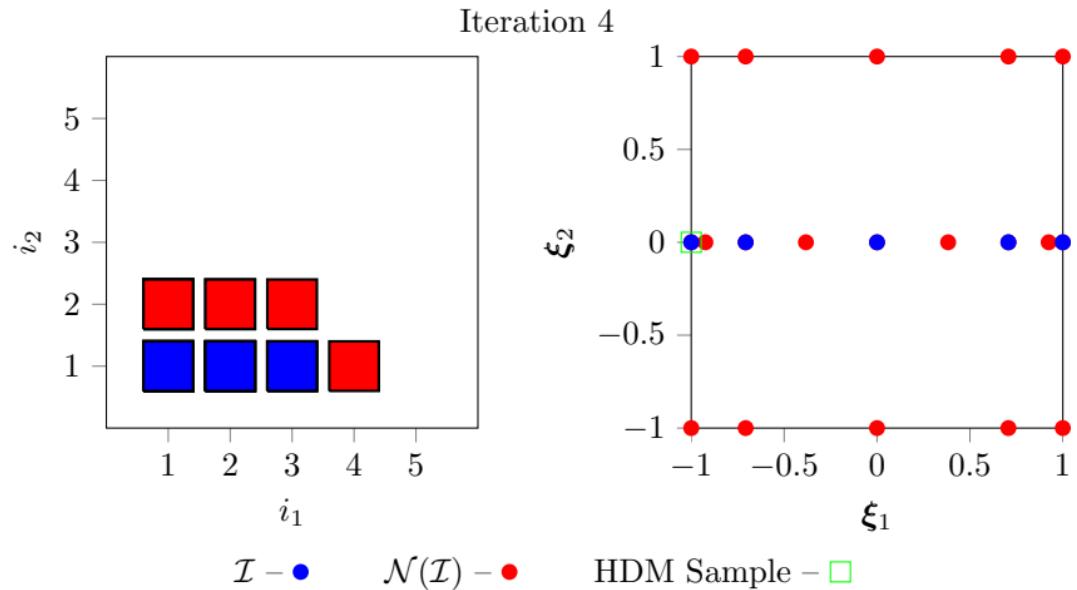
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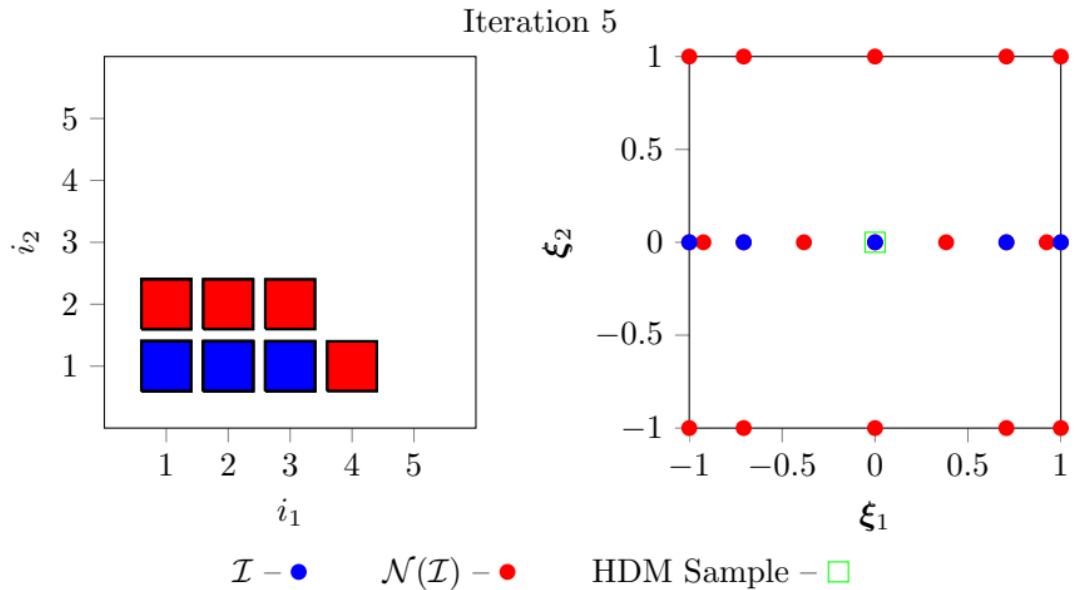
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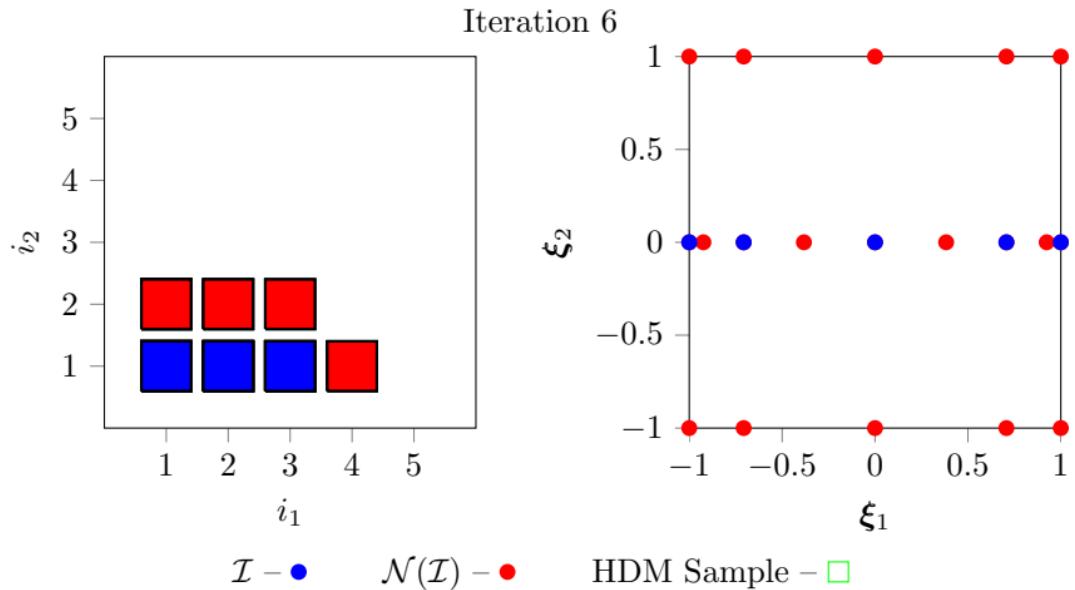
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# Global convergence of trust-region method

The trust-region method finds a sequence of parameters  $\hat{\mu}_k$  such that the gradient of HDM ( $\|\nabla \mathcal{J}(\hat{\mu})\|$ ) converges to 0

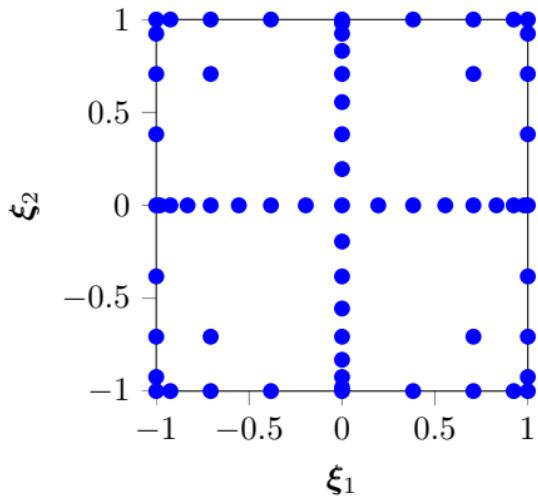
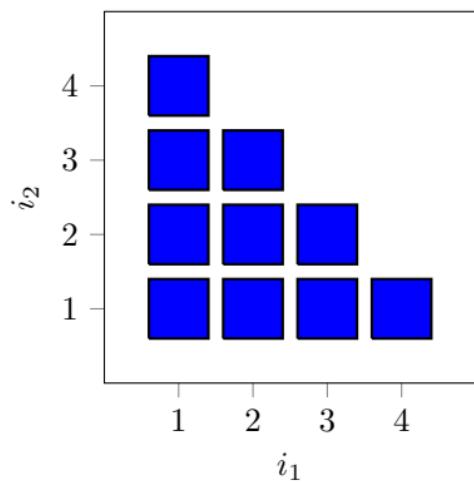
$m_k(\hat{\mu}_k)$	$\ \nabla m_k(\hat{\mu}_k)\ $	$\mathcal{J}(\hat{\mu}_k)$	$\ \nabla \mathcal{J}(\hat{\mu}_k)\ $	$\rho_k$	$\Delta_k$	Success?
3.8783e-03	3.3779e-03	8.3351e-03	6.8542e-03	-	-	-
3.1121e-03	2.0393e-04	7.2687e-03	7.0676e-03	1.3918e+00	1.0000e+02	True
3.0474e-03	7.7900e-05	6.8352e-03	3.3518e-03	3.3943e-01	2.0000e+02	True
1.1910e-02	3.7019e-04	9.7269e-03	3.5655e-03	-2.6141e-01	1.0000e+02	False
6.3680e-03	9.6334e-06	6.3591e-03	8.6182e-05	1.0070e+00	2.8202e-03	True
6.3587e-03	7.2419e-07	6.3589e-03	7.2665e-07	1.0018e+00	5.6404e-03	True

Few HDM queries are required for convergence at the cost of many ROM queries

HDM Queries	ROM Queries (max size)
4	3720 (48)



# $1000\times$ reduction in HDM queries vs. stochastic collocation on 4-level isotropic sparse grid



Iterations (L-BFGS)	HDM Queries	$\ \nabla \mathcal{J}\ $
34	6372	6.6064e-07



# Leveraging and managing two-levels of inexactness for efficient stochastic PDE-constrained optimization

## Summary

- *Trust-region method* with strong connection to model error indicators
- Two-level approximation of moments of quantities of interest of SPDE
  - *Anisotropic sparse grids* - inexact integration
  - *Reduced-order models* - inexact evaluations
- Two-level inexactness managed through trust-region method
- $1000\times$  decrease in number of HDM queries

## Future work

- Incorporate nonlinear constraints
- Local reduced-order models for improved efficiency
- Less expensive error indicators for cheaper trust-region subproblems  
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