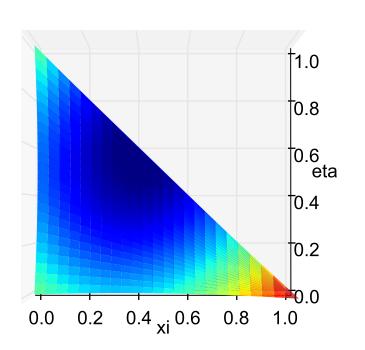Displacement gap field