

Exploiting Sparsity in Bayesian Inverse Problems of Parametric Operator Equations

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Inverse Problem

Physical Model

$$G(u) \rightarrow \delta$$

- u parameter vector / parameter function
- G the forward map modelling the physical process
- δ result / observations

Forward Problem

Find the output δ for given parameters u

→ **well-posed**

Inverse Problem

Find the parameters u from (noisy) observations δ

→ **ill-posed**

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$$\delta = \mathcal{G}(u) + \eta,$$

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- G the forward map modelling the physical process
- \mathcal{O} bounded, linear observation operator
- \mathcal{G} uncertainty-to-observation map, $\mathcal{G} = \mathcal{O} \circ G$
- δ noisy observations
- η observational noise

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Deterministic optimization problem

$$\min_u \frac{1}{2} \|\delta - \mathcal{G}(u)\|^2 + R(u)$$

- $\|\delta - \mathcal{G}(u)\|$ potential / data misfit
- R regularization term

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- **Large-scale, deterministic optimization problem**
- **No quantification of the uncertainty in the unknown u**
- **Proper choice of the regularization term R**

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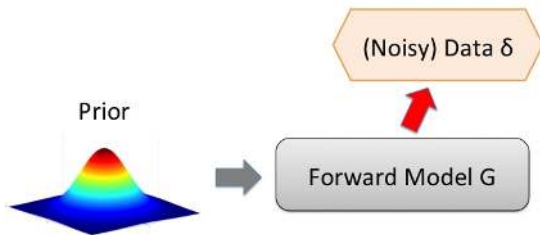
- u, η, δ random variables / fields
- Goal of computation: moments of system quantities under the posterior w.r. to noisy data δ

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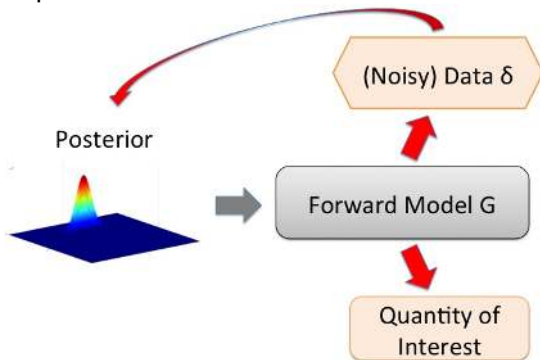


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- **Quantification of uncertainty in u and system quantities**
- **Well-posedness of the inverse problem**
- **Incorporation of prior knowledge on the uncertain data u**
- **Need of efficient approximations of the posterior**

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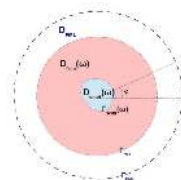
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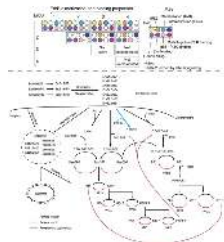
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UQ in Biochemical Networks

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Source: Chen et al.

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Abstract Operator Equation

Given $u \in X$, find $q \in \mathcal{X} : A(u; q) = F(u)$ in \mathcal{Y}'

with $A(u; \cdot) \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{X}, \mathcal{Y}')$, $F : X \mapsto \mathcal{Y}'$, \mathcal{X}, \mathcal{Y} reflexive Banach spaces,
 $a(v, w) :=_{\mathcal{Y}} \langle w, Av \rangle_{\mathcal{Y}'}$ $\forall v \in \mathcal{X}, w \in \mathcal{Y}$ corresponding bilinear form

- $\mathcal{O} : \mathcal{X} \mapsto \mathbb{R}^K$ bounded, linear observation operator
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Least squares potential $\Phi : X \times \mathbb{R}^K \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$$\Phi(u; \delta) := \frac{1}{2} \left((\delta - \mathcal{G}(u))^\top \Gamma^{-1} (\delta - \mathcal{G}(u)) \right)$$

Reformulation of the forward problem with unknown stochastic input data as an infinite dimensional, parametric deterministic problem

Bayesian Inverse Problems (Stuart 2010)

Parametric representation of the unknown u

$$u = u(\mathbf{y}) := \langle u \rangle + \sum_{j \in \mathbb{J}} y_j \psi_j \in X$$

- $\mathbf{y} = (y_j)_{j \in \mathbb{J}}$ iid sequence of real-valued random variables $y_j \sim \mathcal{U}[-1, 1]$
- $\langle u \rangle, \psi_j \in X$
- \mathbb{J} finite or countably infinite index set

Prior measure on the uncertain input data

$$\mu_0(d\mathbf{y}) := \bigotimes_{j \in \mathbb{J}} \frac{1}{2} \lambda_1(dy_j) .$$

- $(U, \mathcal{B}) = \left([-1, 1]^{\mathbb{J}}, \bigotimes_{j \in \mathbb{J}} \mathcal{B}^1[-1, 1] \right)$ measurable space

Bayesian Inverse Problem

Theorem (ChS and Stuart 2011)

Assume that $\mathcal{G}(u) \Big|_{u=\langle u \rangle + \sum_{j \in \mathbb{J}} y_j \psi_j}$ is bounded and continuous.

Then $\mu^\delta(dy)$, the distribution of $\mathbf{y} \in U$ given δ , is absolutely continuous with respect to $\mu_0(dy)$, and

$$\frac{d\mu^\delta}{d\mu_0}(\mathbf{y}) = \frac{1}{Z} \Theta(\mathbf{y})$$

with the parametric Bayesian posterior Θ given by

$$\Theta(\mathbf{y}) = \exp(-\Phi(u; \delta)) \Big|_{u=\langle u \rangle + \sum_{j \in \mathbb{J}} y_j \psi_j},$$

and the normalization constant

$$Z = \int_U \Theta(\mathbf{y}) \mu_0(d\mathbf{y}).$$

Bayesian Inverse Problem

Expectation of a *Quantity of Interest* $\phi : X \rightarrow S$

$$\mathbb{E}^{\mu^\delta}[\phi(u)] = Z^{-1} \int_U \exp(-\Phi(u; \delta)) \phi(u) \Big|_{u=\langle u \rangle + \sum_{j \in \mathbb{J}} y_j \psi_j} \mu_0(dy) =: Z' / Z$$

with $Z = \mathbb{E}^{\mu^\delta}[1] = \int_U \exp(-\frac{1}{2} ((\delta - \mathcal{G}(u))^\top \Gamma^{-1} (\delta - \mathcal{G}(u)))) \mu_0(dy)$.

- Reformulation of the forward problem with unknown stochastic input data as an infinite dimensional, parametric deterministic problem
- Parametric, deterministic representation of the derivative of the posterior measure with respect to the prior μ_0
- Approximation of Z' and Z to compute the expectation of QoI under the posterior given data δ

Efficient algorithm to approximate the conditional expectations given the data with dimension-independent rates of convergence

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Exploiting sparsity in the parametric operator equation

- Parameters belonging to a specified sparsity class
- Analytic regularity of the parametric, deterministic Bayesian posterior
- Parametric, deterministic Bayesian posterior belongs to the same sparsity class

→ **Sparsity of Legendre pce + dimension-independent convergence rates for Smolyak integration algorithms**

$(\mathbf{b}, p, \epsilon)$ -Analyticity

$(\mathbf{b}, p, \epsilon) : 1$ (well-posedness)

For each $\mathbf{y} \in U$, there exists a unique realization $u(\mathbf{y}) \in X$ and a unique solution $q(\mathbf{y}) \in \mathcal{X}$ of the forward problem. This solution satisfies the a-priori estimate

$$\forall \mathbf{y} \in U : \|q(\mathbf{y})\|_{\mathcal{X}} \leq C_0.$$

$(\mathbf{b}, p, \epsilon) : 2$ (analyticity)

There exist $0 < p < 1$ and $\mathbf{b} = (b_j)_{j \in \mathbb{J}} \in \ell^p(\mathbb{J})$ such that for $\epsilon > 0$, there exist $C_\epsilon > 0$ and $\rho = (\rho_j)_{j \in \mathbb{J}}$ of poly-radii $\rho_j > 1$ such that

$$\sum_{j \in \mathbb{J}} (\rho_j - 1) b_j \leq \epsilon,$$

and $U \ni \mathbf{y} \mapsto q(\mathbf{y}) \in \mathcal{X}$ admits an analytic continuation to the open polyellipse $\mathcal{E}_\rho := \prod_{j \in \mathbb{J}} \mathcal{E}_{\rho_j} \subset \mathbb{C}^{\mathbb{J}}$ with

$$\forall \mathbf{z} \in \mathcal{E}_\rho : \|q(\mathbf{z})\|_{\mathcal{X}} \leq C_\epsilon.$$

$(\mathbf{b}, p, \epsilon)$ -Analyticity of Parametric Operator Families

$$u \in X : A(u; q) = F(u) \quad q \in \mathcal{X}$$

Assumption A1

For $\epsilon > 0$ and some $0 < p < 1$, there exists a positive sequence $\mathbf{b} = (b_j)_{j \geq 1} \in \ell^p(\mathbb{N})$, such that for any sequence $\rho := (\rho_j)_{j \geq 1}$ with $\rho_j > 1$, $\sum_{j \in \mathbb{J}} (\rho_j - 1) b_j \leq \epsilon$, \mathbf{a} and F are holomorphic in \mathcal{E}_ρ .

Assumption A2

The holomorphic extensions satisfy the uniform continuity conditions

$$\sup_{w \in \mathcal{Y} \setminus \{0\}} \frac{|f(\mathbf{z}; w)|}{\|w\|_{\mathcal{Y}}} \leq M, \quad \sup_{v \in \mathcal{X} \setminus \{0\}, w \in \mathcal{Y} \setminus \{0\}} \frac{|\mathbf{a}(\mathbf{z}; v, w)|}{\|v\|_{\mathcal{X}} \|w\|_{\mathcal{Y}}} \leq R,$$

with $M < \infty$, f corresponding linear form of F .

Assumption A3

There hold the uniform inf-sup conditions:

$$\inf_{v \in \mathcal{X} \setminus \{0\}} \sup_{w \in \mathcal{Y} \setminus \{0\}} \frac{|\mathbf{a}(\mathbf{z}; v, w)|}{\|v\|_{\mathcal{X}} \|w\|_{\mathcal{Y}}} \geq r \quad \text{und} \quad \inf_{w \in \mathcal{Y} \setminus \{0\}} \sup_{v \in \mathcal{X} \setminus \{0\}} \frac{|\mathbf{a}(\mathbf{z}; v, w)|}{\|v\|_{\mathcal{X}} \|w\|_{\mathcal{Y}}} \geq r$$

with $0 < r \leq R < \infty$.

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Theorem (Cohen, Chkifa, ChS 2013)

Unter Assumptions **A1 - A3**, $\mathcal{A}(u; q) = A(u; q) - F(u)$ satisfies the $(\mathbf{b}, p, \epsilon)$ -holomorphy assumptions.

Sparsity of the Forward Solution

Theorem (Chkifa, Cohen, DeVore and ChS)

Assume that the parametric forward solution map $q(\mathbf{y})$ admits a $(\mathbf{b}, p, \epsilon)$ -analytic extension to the poly-ellipse $\mathcal{E}_\rho \subset \mathbb{C}^J$.

- The Legendre series converges unconditionally,

$$q(\mathbf{y}) = \sum_{\nu \in \mathcal{F}} q_\nu^P P_\nu(\mathbf{y}) \quad \text{in } L^\infty(U, \mu_0; \mathcal{X})$$

with Legendre polynomials $P_k(1) = 1$, $\|P_k\|_{L^\infty(-1,1)} = 1$, $k = 0, 1, \dots$

- There exists a p -summable, monotone envelope $\mathbf{q} = \{q_\nu\}_{\nu \in \mathcal{F}}$, i.e. $q_\nu := \sup_{\mu \geq \nu} \|q_\mu^P\|_{\mathcal{X}}$ with $C(p, \mathbf{q}) := \|\mathbf{q}\|_{\ell^p(\mathcal{F})} < \infty$.
and monotone $\Lambda_N^P \subset \mathcal{F}$ corresponding to the N largest terms of \mathbf{q} with

$$\sup_{\mathbf{y} \in U} \left\| q(\mathbf{y}) - \sum_{\nu \in \Lambda_N^P} q_\nu^P P_\nu(\mathbf{y}) \right\|_{\mathcal{X}} \leq C(p, \mathbf{q}) N^{-(1/p-1)}.$$

Sparsity of the Posterior

Theorem (CIS and ChS 2013)

Assume that the forward solution map $U \ni \mathbf{y} \mapsto q(\mathbf{y})$ is $(\mathbf{b}, p, \epsilon)$ -analytic for some $0 < p < 1$.

Then the Bayesian posterior $\Theta(\mathbf{y})$ is, as a function of the parameter \mathbf{y} , likewise $(\mathbf{b}, p, \epsilon)$ -analytic, with the same p and the same ϵ .

Sketch of proof

- Establish holomorphy of the complex extension Θ on the poly-ellipse $\mathcal{E}_\rho \subset \mathbb{C}^J$
- Derive bounds on the modulus of the posterior

$$\sup_{\mathbf{z} \in \mathcal{E}_\rho} |\Theta(\mathbf{z})| \leq \exp \left(\sup_{\mathbf{z} \in \mathcal{E}_\rho} \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Im} (\mathcal{G}(u(\mathbf{z})))^\top \Gamma^{-1} \operatorname{Im} (\mathcal{G}(u(\mathbf{z}))) \right)$$

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N-term Approximation Results

$$\sup_{\mathbf{y} \in U} \left\| \Theta(\mathbf{y}) - \sum_{\nu \in \Lambda_N^p} \Theta_\nu^p P_\nu(\mathbf{y}) \right\|_{\mathcal{X}} \leq N^{-s} \|\boldsymbol{\theta}^p\|_{\ell_m^p(\mathcal{F})}, \quad s := \frac{1}{p} - 1.$$

Adaptive Smolyak quadrature algorithm with convergence rates depending only on the summability of the parametric operator

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Examples

- Parametric initial value ODEs (Hansen & ChS; Vietnam J. Math. 2013)
- Affine-parametric, linear operator equations (CIS & ChS; 2013)
- Semilinear elliptic PDEs (Hansen & ChS; Math. Nachr. 2013)
- Elliptic multiscale problems (Hoang & ChS; Analysis and Applications 2012)
- Nonaffine holomorphic-parametric, nonlinear problems (Cohen, Chkifa & ChS; 2013)

Univariate Quadrature

Univariate quadrature operators of the form

$$Q^k(g) = \sum_{i=0}^{n_k} w_i^k \cdot g(z_i^k)$$

with $g : [-1, 1] \mapsto \mathbb{R}$.

- $(Q^k)_{k \geq 0}$ sequence of univariate quadrature formulas
- $(z_j^k)_{j=0}^{n_k} \subset [-1, 1]$ with $z_j^k \in [-1, 1], \forall j, k$ and $z_0^k = 0, \forall k$ quadrature points
- $w_j^k, 0 \leq j \leq n_k, \forall k \in \mathbb{N}_0$ quadrature weights

Assumption

- $(I - Q^k)(g_k) = 0, \quad \forall g_k \in \mathbb{P}_k = \text{span}\{y^j : j \in \mathbb{N}_0, j \leq k\}$
with $I(g_k) = \int_{[-1,1]} g_k(y) \lambda_1(dy)$
- $w_j^k > 0, \quad 0 \leq j \leq n_k, \forall k \in \mathbb{N}_0.$

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Univariate quadrature difference operator

$$\Delta_j = Q^j - Q^{j-1}, \quad j \geq 0$$

with $Q^{-1} = 0$ and $z_0^0 = 0, w_0^0 = 1$.

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Univariate quadrature operator rewritten as telescoping sum

$$Q^k = \sum_{j=0}^k \Delta_j$$

with $Z^k = \{z_j^k : 0 \leq j \leq n_k\} \subset [-1, 1]$ set of points corresponding to Q^k .

Sparse Quadrature Operator

Tensorized multivariate operators

$$Q_\nu = \bigotimes_{j \geq 1} Q^{\nu_j}, \quad \Delta_\nu = \bigotimes_{j \geq 1} \Delta_{\nu_j}$$

with associated set of multivariate points $\mathcal{Z}^\nu = \times_{j \geq 1} \mathcal{Z}^{\nu_j} \in U$.

- If $\nu = 0_{\mathcal{F}}$, then $\Delta_\nu g = Q^\nu g = g(z_{0_{\mathcal{F}}}) = g(0_{\mathcal{F}})$
- If $0_{\mathcal{F}} \neq \nu \in \mathcal{F}$, with $\hat{\nu} = (\nu_j)_{j \neq i}$

$$Q^\nu g = Q^{\nu_i} (t \mapsto \bigotimes_{j \geq 1} Q^{\hat{\nu}_j} g_t), \quad i \in \mathbb{I}_\nu$$

and

$$\Delta_\nu g = \Delta_{\nu_i} (t \mapsto \bigotimes_{j \geq 1} \Delta_{\hat{\nu}_j} g_t), \quad i \in \mathbb{I}_\nu,$$

for $g \in \mathcal{Z}$, g_t is the function defined on $\mathcal{Z}^{\mathbb{N}}$ by

$$g_t(\hat{y}) = g(y), y = (\dots, y_{i-1}, t, y_{i+1}, \dots), i > 1 \text{ and } y = (t, y_2, \dots), i = 1$$

Sparse Quadrature Operator

For any finite monotone set $\Lambda \subset \mathcal{F}$, the quadrature operator is defined by

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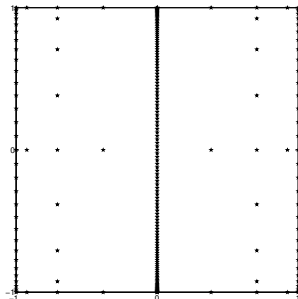
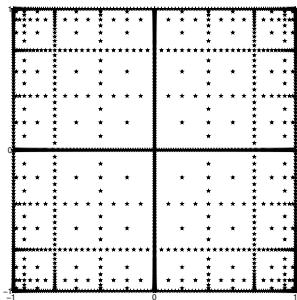
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Convergence Rates for Adaptive Smolyak Integration

Theorem

Assume that the forward solution map $U \ni \mathbf{y} \mapsto q(\mathbf{y})$ is (b, p, ϵ) -analytic for some $0 < p < 1$.

Then there exists a sequence $(\Lambda_N)_{N \geq 1}$ of monotone index sets $\Lambda_N \subset \mathcal{F}$ such that $\#\Lambda_N \leq N$ and

$$|I[\Theta] - \mathcal{Q}_{\Lambda_N}[\Theta]| \leq C^1 N^{-s},$$

with $s = 1/p - 1$, $I[\Theta] = \int_U \Theta(\mathbf{y}) \mu_0(d\mathbf{y})$ and,

$$\|I[\Psi] - \mathcal{Q}_{\Lambda_N}[\Psi]\|_{\mathcal{X}} \leq C^2 N^{-s}, \quad s = \frac{1}{p} - 1.$$

with $I[\Psi] = \int_U \Psi(\mathbf{y}) \mu_0(d\mathbf{y})$, $C^1, C^2 > 0$ independent of N .

Remark: SAME index sets Λ_N for BOTH, Z' and Z .

CIS and ChS Sparsity in Bayesian Inversion of Parametric Operator Equations, 2013.

Convergence Rates for Adaptive Smolyak Integration

Sketch of proof

- Relating the quadrature error with the Legendre coefficients

$$|I(\Theta) - Q_{\Lambda}(\Theta)| \leq 2 \cdot \sum_{\nu \notin \Lambda} \gamma_{\nu} |\theta_{\nu}^p|$$

and

$$\|I(\Psi) - Q_{\Lambda}(\Psi)\|_{\mathcal{X}} \leq 2 \cdot \sum_{\nu \notin \Lambda} \gamma_{\nu} \|\psi_{\nu}^p\|_{\mathcal{X}}$$

for any monotone set $\Lambda \subset \mathcal{F}$, where $\gamma_{\nu} := \prod_{j \in \mathbb{J}} (1 + \nu_j)^2$.

- $(\gamma_{\nu} |\theta_{\nu}^p|)_{\nu \in \mathcal{F}} \in \ell_m^p(\mathcal{F})$ and $(\gamma_{\nu} \|\psi_{\nu}^p\|_{\mathcal{X}})_{\nu \in \mathcal{F}} \in \ell_m^p(\mathcal{F})$.

$\Rightarrow \exists$ sequence $(\Lambda_N)_{N \geq 1}$ of monotone sets $\Lambda_N \subset \mathcal{F}$, $\#\Lambda_N \leq N$, such that the Smolyak quadrature converges with order $1/p - 1$.

Adaptive Construction of the Monotone Index Set

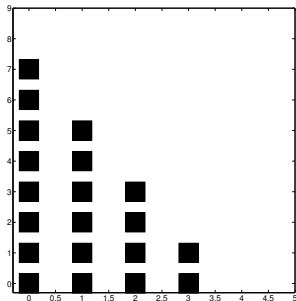
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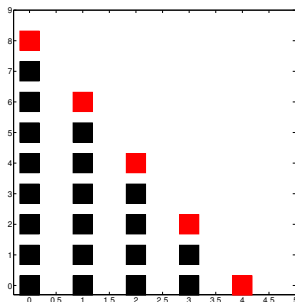
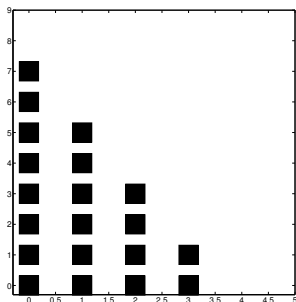
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with $j(\Lambda) = \max\{j : \nu_j > 0 \text{ for some } \nu \in \Lambda\}$, $\mathbb{I}_\nu = \{j \in \mathbb{N} : \nu_j \neq 0\} \subset \mathbb{N}$.

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11: end function
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$$z_0^k = 0, \text{ if } n_k = 1$$

with $n_0 = 1$ and $n_k = 2^k + 1$, for $k \geq 1$

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projection on $[-1, 1]$ of a Leja sequence for the complex unit disk initiated at i

$$z_0^k = 0, z_1^k = 1, z_2^k = -1, \text{ if } j = 0, 1, 2 \text{ and}$$

$$z_j^k = \Re(\hat{z}), \text{ with } \hat{z} = \operatorname{argmax}_{|z| \leq 1} \prod_{l=1}^{j-1} |z - z_l^k|, j = 3, \dots, n_k, \text{ if } j \text{ odd,}$$

$$z_j^k = -z_{j-1}^k, j = 3, \dots, n_k, \text{ if } j \text{ even,}$$

with $n_k = 2 \cdot k + 1$, for $k \geq 0$

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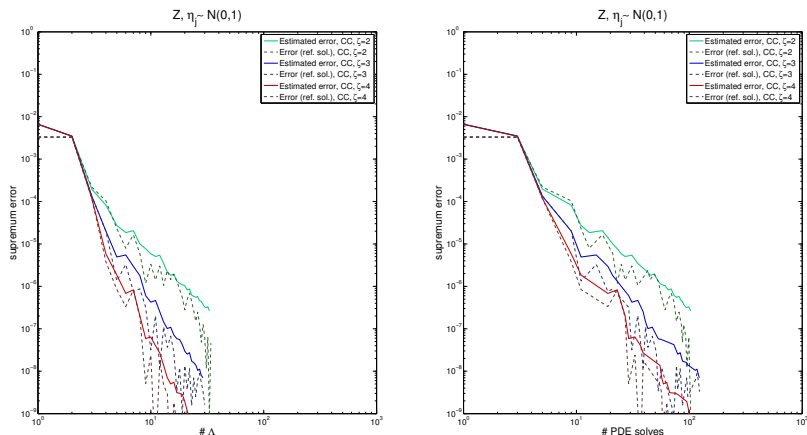


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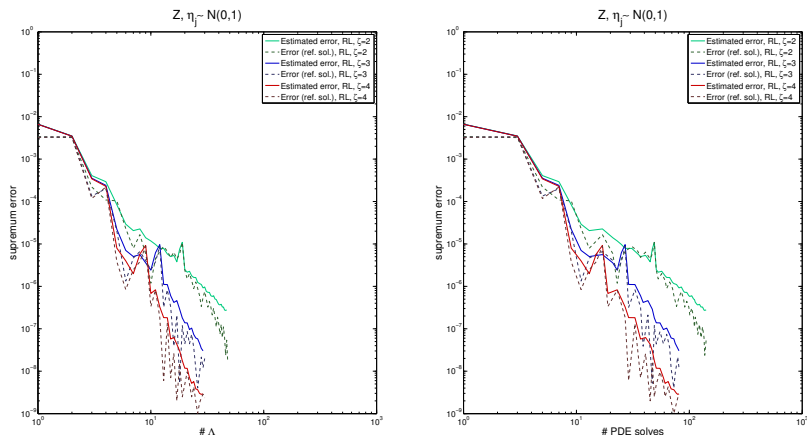


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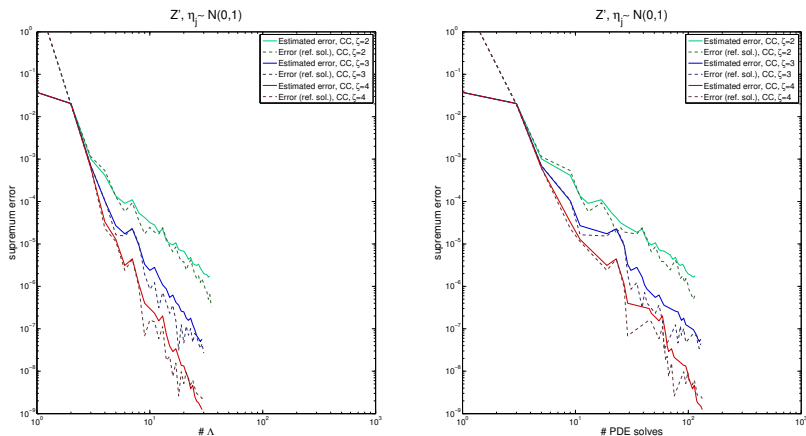


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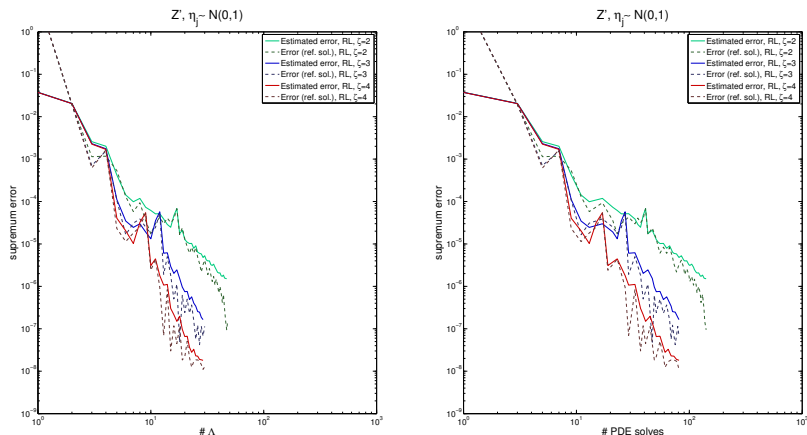


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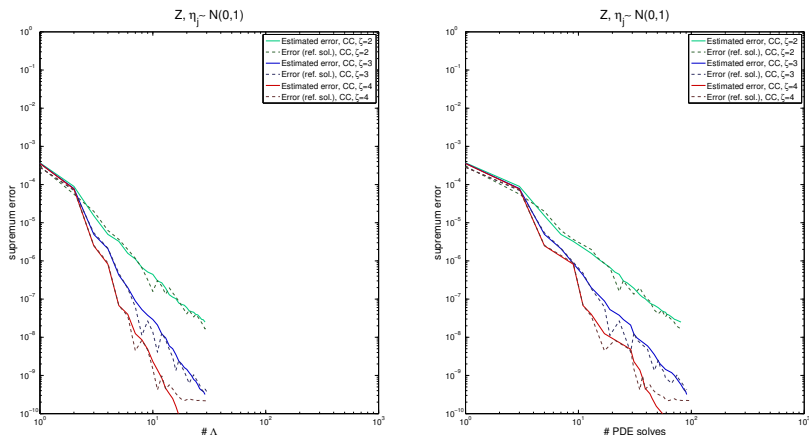


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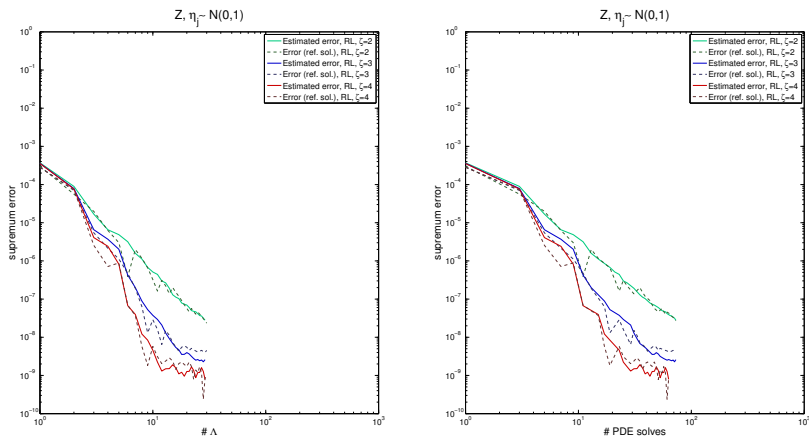


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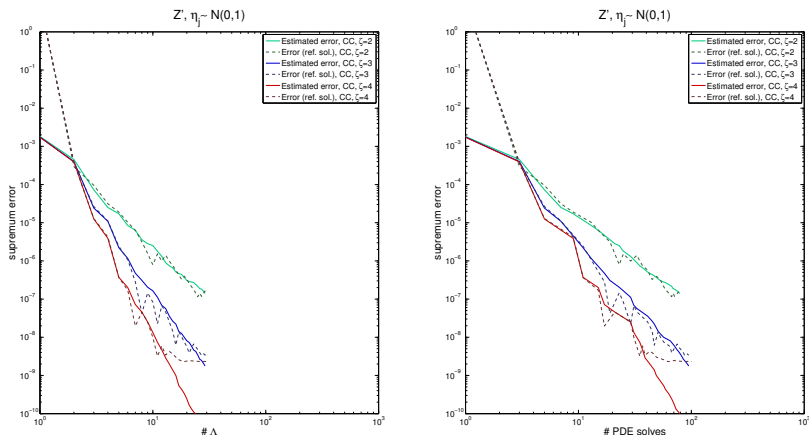


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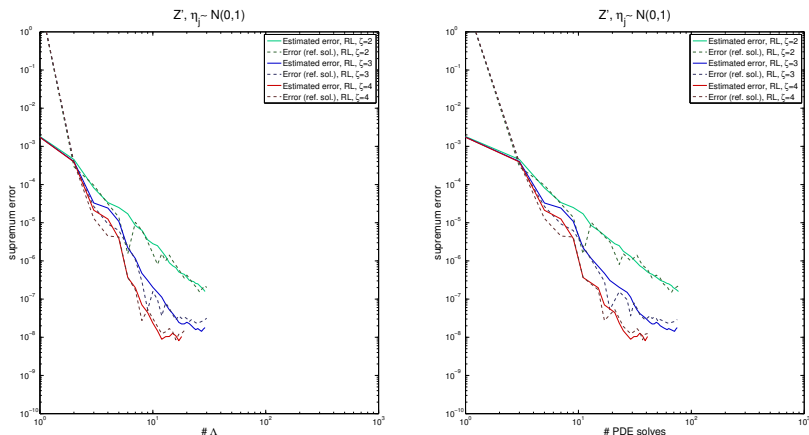


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with $f(x) = 100 \cdot x$ and

$$\ln(u(x, y)) = \sum_{j=1}^{32} \frac{0.1}{(2j)^\zeta} \cos(2j\pi x) y_{2j} + \frac{0.1}{(2j-1)^\zeta} \sin((2j-1)\pi x) y_{2j-1},$$

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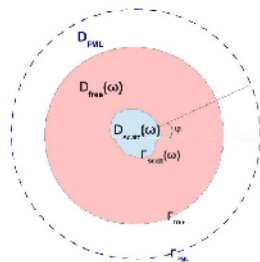
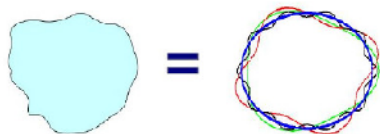
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Uncertainty Quantification in Nano Optics

Goal: Quantification of the influence of defects in fabrication process on the optical response of nano structures

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- Stochastic shape of the scatterer

$$0 < \rho_{\min} \leq \rho(\omega, \phi) \leq \rho_{\max}, \quad \omega \in \Omega, \quad \phi \in [0, 2\pi)$$



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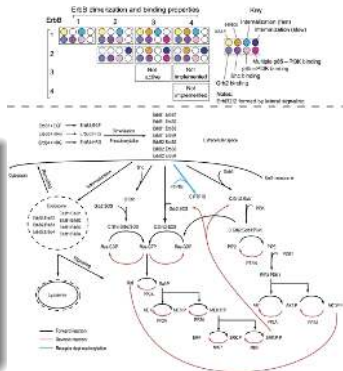
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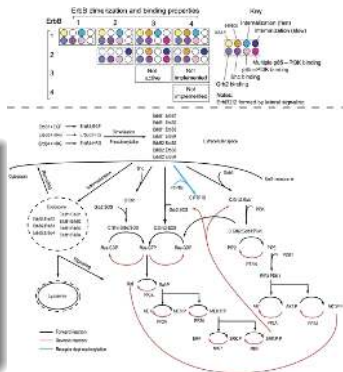
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Goal of computation:

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Given $x_0(\mathbf{y}) \in \mathcal{S}$, $T = [0, 1]$, $U = [-1, 1]^{\mathbb{N}}$, find $X(t, x_0; \mathbf{y}) : T \times \mathcal{S} \times U \rightarrow \mathcal{S}$ such that

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with $X(0; \mathbf{y}) = x_0$, $0 \leq t \leq 1$, $\forall \mathbf{y} = (y_j)_{j \geq 1} \in U$

- \mathcal{S} state space (separable and reflexive Banach space)

Affine parameter dependence of the right hand side

Mass action models in computational biology

Stoichiometry with uncertain reaction rate constants

Conclusions and Outlook












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