

Reduced basis methods for the resolution of  
parameter-dependent PDEs  
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## 1 Reminders

- Reduced Basis Methods
- a posteriori errors

# Reduced Basis Methods (RBM)

## Solution manifold

HF solution manifold:

$$\mathcal{M}_h = \{u_h(\boldsymbol{\mu}) \mid \boldsymbol{\mu} \in \mathcal{G}\}$$

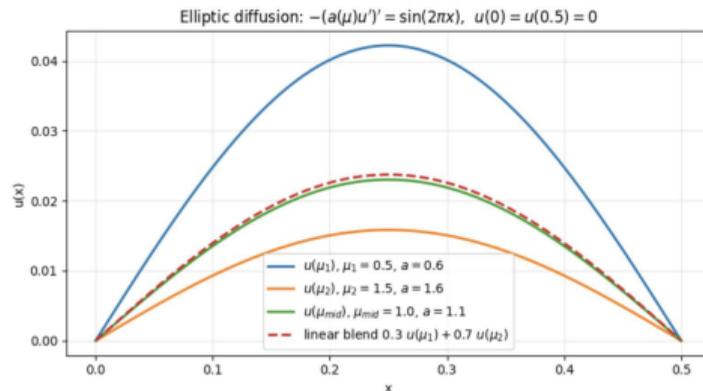
## How can we reduce the manifold complexity?

- ◇ Keep HF precision
- ◇ Reduce computational costs

## Reduced space

$V^N$

Kolmogorov  $N$ -width = error from the **linear** space that best fit the solution manifold



$$V_N = \text{Span}\{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_N\}$$

where  $u_1, \dots, u_N =$  snapshots

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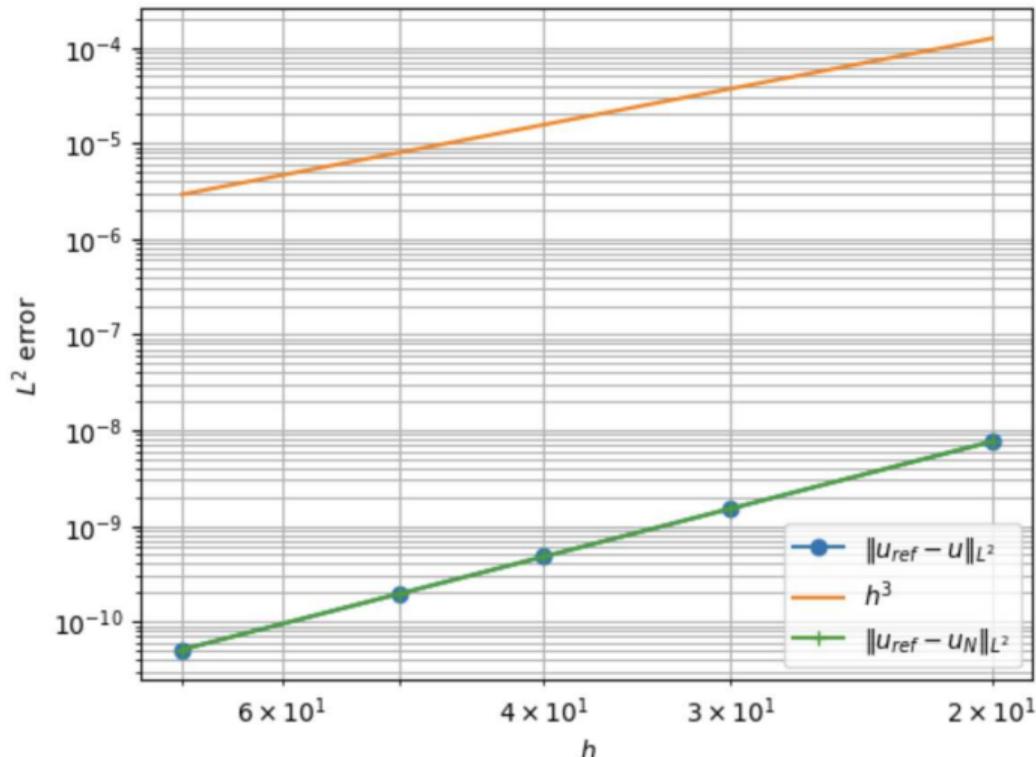
$$\mathbf{P}^T \mathbf{A}(\boldsymbol{\mu}) \mathbf{P} \boldsymbol{\alpha}(\boldsymbol{\mu}) = \mathbf{P}^T \mathbf{I}(\boldsymbol{\mu})$$

`solve_fem_rom(A,b,mu, Phi,m)`

# TP RB+FEM

Expected results: Convergence in  $\mathcal{O}(h^3)$ !!

$\mu = 0.6$



- ◇ Keep HF precision ✓
- ◇ Reduce computational costs ?

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import time
start = time.time()
# code blabla
end = time.time()
print("Time :", end - start, "secondes")
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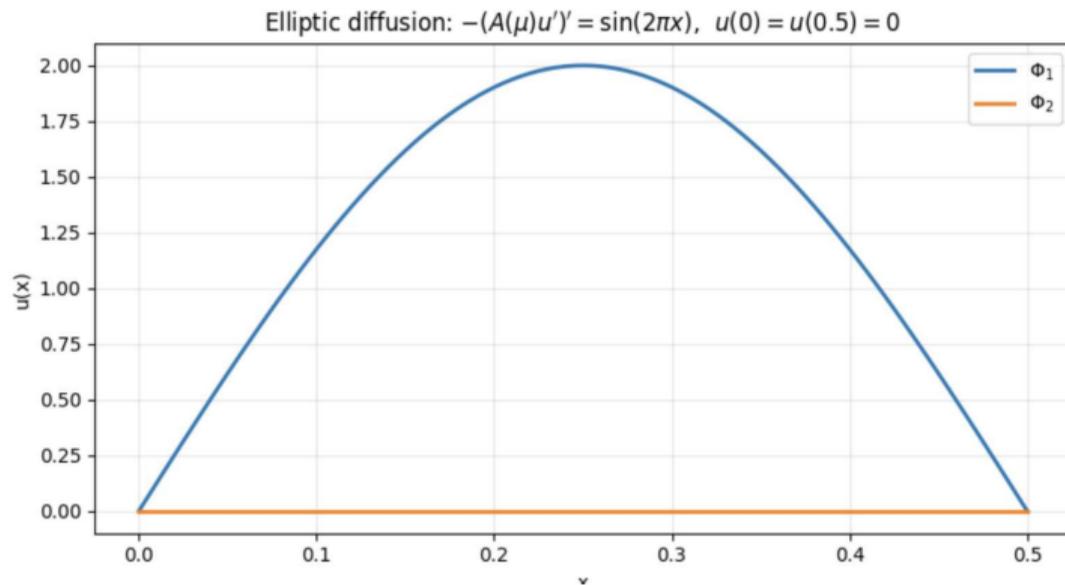
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def FEMsolve(A0,b,m,mu):
    # solve
    A= A_mu(mu)*A0
    A, b = enforce(A, b, D=m.boundary_nodes())
    u = solve(A, b)
    return u
```

Solve  $\mathbf{A}\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{l}$  with  $\mathbf{A}(\mu) = \sum_q \theta_q^a(\mu) \mathbf{A}_q$  and  $\mathbf{l}(\mu) = \sum_q \theta_q^l(\mu) \mathbf{l}_q$ ???

$$\mathbf{A}(\mu) = \underbrace{A\_mu(\mu)}_{0.1+\mu} \mathbf{A}_0$$

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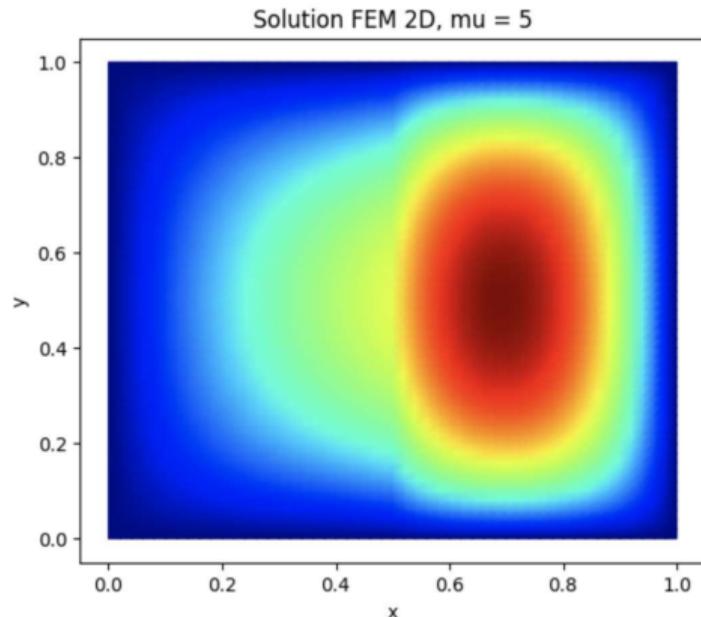
One can show that the more regularizing the operator  $C$  is, the faster its eigenvalues decay!

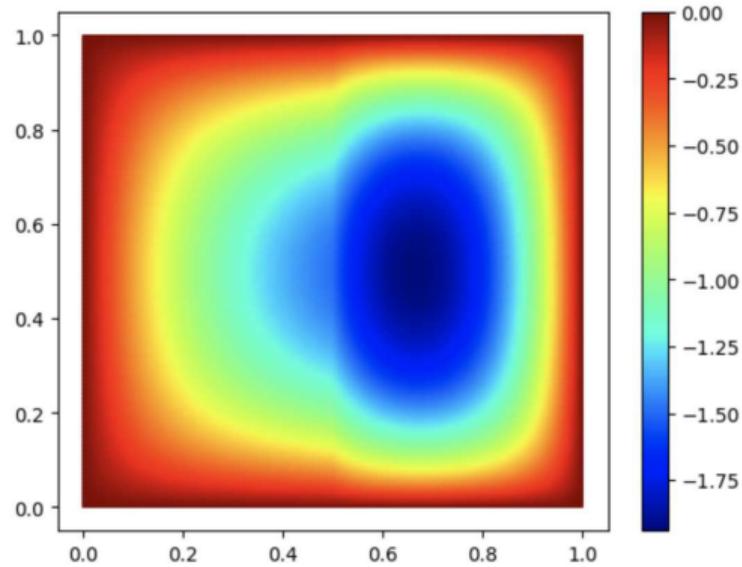


TP4: Complexify the problem with

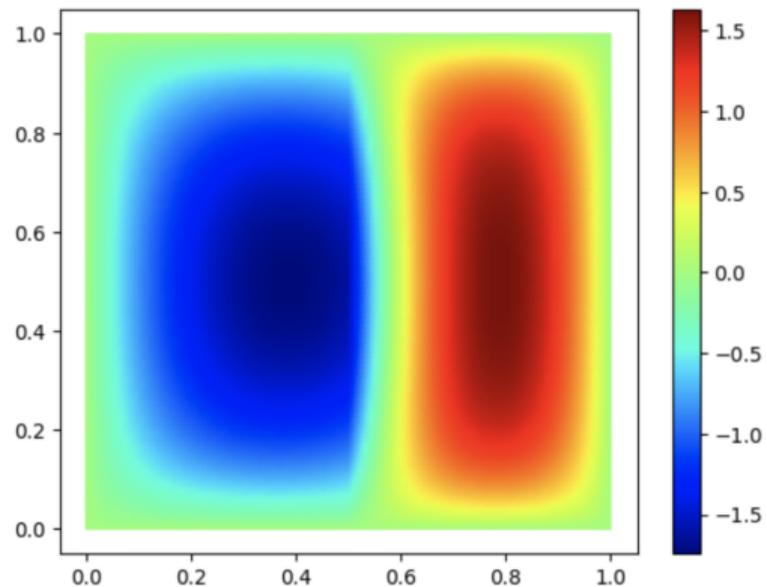
◇ 1D  $\rightarrow$  2D ( $[0, 1] \times [0, 1]$ )

◇ Diffusion coefficient  $A(\mathbf{x}, \mu) = \begin{cases} \mu \in \Omega_1 = \{(x, y) \in \Omega, x < 0.5\} \\ 1 \in \Omega_2 = \Omega \setminus \Omega_1 \end{cases}$

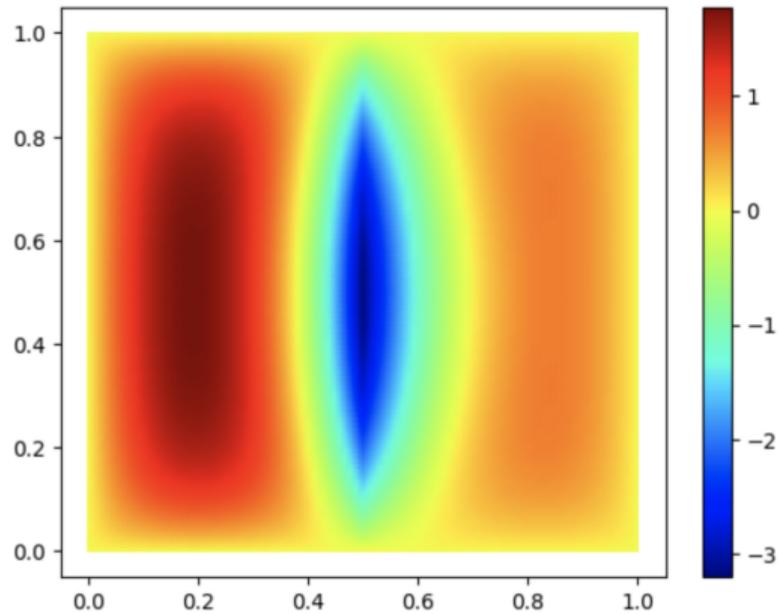




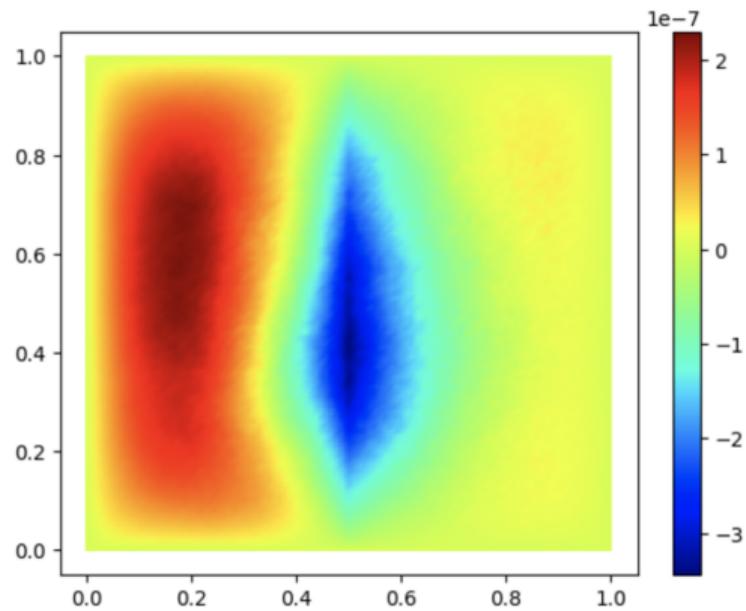
mode 1



mode 2



mode 3



mode 4

# Computable error bound

$$\|u_h(\mu_m) - P_N(u_h(\mu_m))\|_V^2 \leq \sum_{i=1}^M \|u_h(\mu_i) - P_N(u_h(\mu_i))\|_V^2 = M \sum_{k=N+1}^M \lambda_k$$

What about  $\|u_h(\mu) - P_N(u_h(\mu))\|_V$  for  $\mu \notin \{\mu_m\}_{1 \leq m \leq M}$  ????

or

$\|u_h(\mu) - u_N(\mu)\|_V$  for any  $\mu$ , including  $\mu \in \{\mu_m\}_{1 \leq m \leq M}$ , since in practice the RB approximation is not optimal, i.e.,  $u_N(\mu) \neq P_N(u_h(\mu))$  ????

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We want a bound that depends only on the RB approximation  $u_N$  :

**aposteriori bound !!!**

We are going to use  $\|u_h(\boldsymbol{\mu}) - u_N(\boldsymbol{\mu})\|_V \leq \frac{1}{\alpha_{sta}(\boldsymbol{\mu})} \|r_N(\boldsymbol{\mu})\|_{V'}$

“A posteriori numerical analysis based on the method of equilibrated fluxes”, M. Vohralik

[https://who.rocq.inria.fr/Martin.Vohralik/Enseig/APost/a\\_posteriori.pdf](https://who.rocq.inria.fr/Martin.Vohralik/Enseig/APost/a_posteriori.pdf)

An *a posteriori* error estimator is a function  $\Delta_N : \mathcal{G} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$  satisfying the following properties:

**Robustness:**

$$\forall \mu \in \mathcal{G}, \quad \|u_h(\mu) - u_N(\mu)\|_V \leq \Delta_N(\mu).$$

**Efficiency :**

$$\forall \mu \in \mathcal{G}, \quad \exists K(\mu) > 0 \quad \text{such that} \quad \Delta_N(\mu) \leq K(\mu) \|u_h(\mu) - u_N(\mu)\|_V$$

**Asymptotic exactness:** the effectivity index  $I_{\text{eff}} = \frac{\Delta_N(\mu)}{\|u_h - u_N\|} \xrightarrow{N \rightarrow \infty} 1$

**Guaranteed upper bound:** The function  $\Delta_N$  can be evaluated for all  $\mu \in \mathcal{G}$  without evaluating  $u_h(\mu)$  (fully computable from  $u_N(\mu)$ ).

**Small evaluation cost:** Can be evaluated locally (only performing calculations in the element  $K$  or in its neighborhood  $\mathcal{I}_K$ )

**Error components identification:** Distinguish and estimate separately the different error components

Two key ingredients:

- ◇ Dual norm of the residual: Offline-online computation strategy
- ◇ Inf-sup  $\alpha_{sta}(\boldsymbol{\mu})$  not efficiently computable but one can compute  $\alpha_{LB}(\boldsymbol{\mu})$  such that

$$\forall \boldsymbol{\mu} \in \mathcal{G}, \alpha_{sta}(\boldsymbol{\mu}) \geq \alpha_{LB}(\boldsymbol{\mu})$$

Case of coercivity:  $\alpha^* = \inf_{v \neq 0} \frac{a(v,v)}{\|v\|_V^2}$

Remark: When  $\alpha_{sta}(\boldsymbol{\mu})$  becomes small,  $K(\boldsymbol{\mu}) = \frac{\gamma}{\alpha}$  becomes too big! Overestimate RB approximation.

# Dual norm of the residual

Let's get back to our sheep



linear second-order parameter dependent problem

$$\begin{cases} -\nabla \cdot (a(\mu)\nabla u) = f(\mu) & \text{dans } \Omega, \\ u = 0 & \text{sur } \partial\Omega. \end{cases}$$

$$\alpha_{LB} = \alpha_{min}$$

# Dual norm of the residual

- ◇ Since in our setting  $V = H_0^1(\Omega)$ , thus  
 $\|r\|_{V_h'} = r^T \mathbf{K}^{-1} r = (z, z)_{V_h} = z^T \mathbf{K} z$  where  $\mathbf{K}$  is the stiffness matrix.
- ◇ Affine decomposition:

$$\mathbf{A}(\boldsymbol{\mu}) = \sum_q \theta_q^a(\boldsymbol{\mu}) \mathbf{A}_q \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{I}(\boldsymbol{\mu}) = \sum_q \theta_q^I(\boldsymbol{\mu}) \mathbf{I}_q$$

- ◇ Reduced system to solved:

$$\mathbf{P}^T \mathbf{A}(\boldsymbol{\mu}) \mathbf{P} \alpha(\boldsymbol{\mu}) = \mathbf{P}^T \mathbf{I}(\boldsymbol{\mu}).$$

# Dual norm of the residual

$$\begin{aligned}\|\mathbf{A}(\boldsymbol{\mu})\mathbf{u}_N(\boldsymbol{\mu}) - \mathbf{l}(\boldsymbol{\mu})\|_{V'}^2 &= \sum_{q=1}^{Q^\ell} \sum_{k=1}^{Q^\ell} \theta_q^\ell(\boldsymbol{\mu})\theta_k^\ell(\boldsymbol{\mu}) \boxed{\mathbf{l}_k^T \mathbf{K}^{-1} \mathbf{l}_q} \\ &+ \sum_{q=1}^{Q^a} \sum_{k=1}^{Q^a} \theta_q^a(\boldsymbol{\mu})\theta_k^a(\boldsymbol{\mu}) \alpha(\boldsymbol{\mu})^T \boxed{\mathbf{P}^T \mathbf{A}_k^T \mathbf{K}^{-1} \mathbf{A}_q \mathbf{P}} \alpha(\boldsymbol{\mu}) \\ &- 2 \sum_{q=1}^{Q^\ell} \sum_{k=1}^{Q^a} \theta_q^\ell(\boldsymbol{\mu})\theta_k^a(\boldsymbol{\mu}) \alpha(\boldsymbol{\mu})^T \boxed{\mathbf{P}^T \mathbf{A}_k^T \mathbf{K}^{-1} \mathbf{l}_q}.\end{aligned}$$

**Online complexity:** since the boxed quantities are precomputed offline and  $\alpha(\boldsymbol{\mu}) \in \mathbb{R}^N$  is known, the computational cost is

$$\mathcal{O}((Q^\ell)^2 + (Q^a)^2 N^2 + Q^\ell Q^a N).$$

We solve systems like  $\mathbf{K}w = \mathbf{l}_q$  and  $\mathbf{K}w = \mathbf{A}_q \mathbf{P}$

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$$\alpha_{sta}^2 = \inf_{\mathbf{v}_h \in V_h, \mathbf{v}_h \neq 0} \frac{\mathbf{v}_h^T \mathbf{A}(\boldsymbol{\mu})^T \mathbf{M}_V^{-1} \mathbf{A}(\boldsymbol{\mu}) \mathbf{v}_h}{\mathbf{v}_h^T \mathbf{M}_V \mathbf{v}_h}$$

$\alpha_{sta}(\boldsymbol{\mu})$  is the square root of the smallest eigenvalue of the problem

$$\mathbf{A}^T(\boldsymbol{\mu}) \mathbf{M}_V^{-1} \mathbf{A}(\boldsymbol{\mu}) \mathbf{v}_h = \lambda \mathbf{M}_V \mathbf{v}_h$$

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eigenvalue of size  $\mathcal{N}$  but one can find a lower bound of  $\alpha_{sta}$  efficiently computable.

$$(A(x, \mu) \nabla u, \nabla u) \geq \mu_{min}(\nabla u, \nabla u)$$

# Aposteriori

We are going to use

$$\Delta_N(\boldsymbol{\mu}) = \frac{1}{\alpha_{sta}(\boldsymbol{\mu})} \|r_N(\boldsymbol{\mu})\|_{V'} = \frac{1}{\alpha_{sta}(\boldsymbol{\mu})} \|\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}u_N\|_{V'}$$

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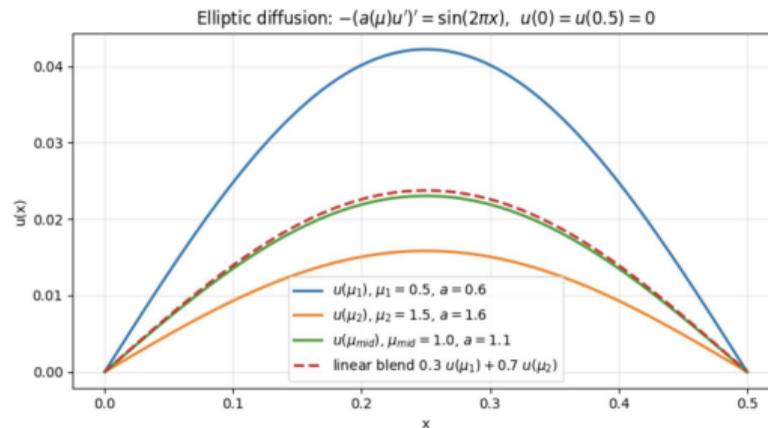
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**Guaranteed upper bound:**  $\boxtimes$  Without evaluating  $u_h(\boldsymbol{\mu})$

**Small evaluation cost:**  $\boxtimes$

TP3: Kolmogorov very small



TP4: same PDE with a posteriori

## Greedy algorithm

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<sup>1</sup> P. Binev, A. Cohen, W. Dahmen, R. DeVore, G. Petrova, P. Wojtaszczyk, *Convergence rates for greedy algorithms in reduced basis methods*. 2011.

# POD vs Greedy

- ◇ POD = Smallest mean error

$$\min_{|\Phi_i|=1} \mathbb{E}[\|u - \sum_{i=1}^N (u, \Phi_i) \Phi_i\|^2] = \mathbb{E}[\|u - P_{V^N}(u)\|^2]$$

- ◇ Greedy  $\sim$  Minimizes uniform error

$$u^i = \operatorname{argmax}_{u \in \mathcal{M}} \|u - P_{V^{i-1}}(u)\|,$$

$$V^i = \operatorname{Span}(V^{i-1}, u^i).$$

Greedy minimizes the **worst-case projection error!**

# POD vs Greedy

- ◇ Kolmogorov  $N$ -width:

$$d_N(\mathcal{M}_h, V_h) = \inf_{\substack{V^N \subset V_h \\ \dim(V^N)=N}} \sup_{u_h \in \mathcal{M}_h} \|u_h - P_{V^N}(u)\|_{V_h}$$

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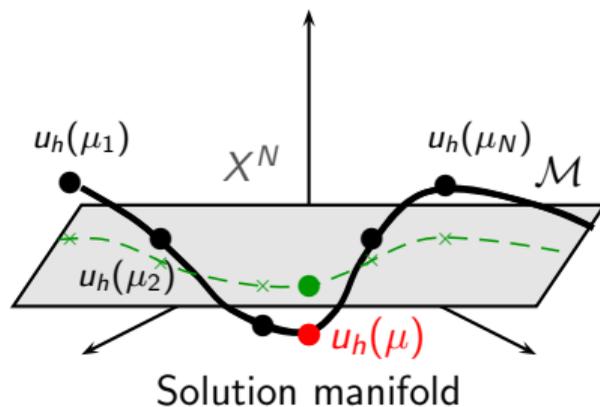
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$P_{V^{k-1}} :=$  Projection onto previous RB



Orthonormal RB in  $L^2 := \Phi_j^h, j = 1, \dots, N$

# Classical greedy algorithm

## Greedy convergence

$V^N$  Greedy RB

$$\sigma_N(\mathcal{M}_h) := \sup_{u_h \in \mathcal{M}_h} \|u_h - P_{V^N}(u)\|_{V_h}$$

Of course  $d_N(\mathcal{M}_h, V_h) \leq \sigma_N(\mathcal{M}_h)$

But  $\sigma_N$  not so far from  $d_N$  ...

# Classical greedy algorithm

## Theorem (convergence)

Assume that the Kolmogorov  $N$ -width of  $\mathcal{M}$  decays exponentially, i.e.

$$\exists \tau, C > 0, \quad \forall N \geq 1, \quad d_N(\mathcal{M}, V) \leq Ce^{-\tau N}.$$

Assume moreover that the decay rate satisfies  $\tau > \log 2$ . Then there exist  $\tau', C' > 0$  such that the sequence of subspaces  $(V^n)_{n \geq 1}$  generated by the (strong) greedy algorithm satisfies

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With our model problem:  $u(\boldsymbol{\mu}) \in V$  is the solution of

$$\forall v \in V, \quad a(u(\boldsymbol{\mu}), v; \boldsymbol{\mu}) = \ell(v; \boldsymbol{\mu}),$$

The Galerkin reduced basis approximation  $u_N(\boldsymbol{\mu}) \in V_N$  is solution of

$$\forall v_N \in V_N, \quad a(u_N(\boldsymbol{\mu}), v_N; \boldsymbol{\mu}) = \ell(v_N; \boldsymbol{\mu}).$$

## Cea's lemma

$$\|u(\boldsymbol{\mu}) - u_N(\boldsymbol{\mu})\|_V \leq \frac{\gamma(\boldsymbol{\mu})}{\alpha(\boldsymbol{\mu})} \|u(\boldsymbol{\mu}) - P_{V_N}(u(\boldsymbol{\mu}))\|_V.$$

Therefore,  $\|u(\boldsymbol{\mu}) - u_N(\boldsymbol{\mu})\|_V \rightarrow 0$  as  $N \rightarrow +\infty$ , exponentially.

# Discretization: Strong greedy algorithm

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  - 2: Normalize  $u_h^0 = u_h(\mu_0)$
  - 3: For  $k = 1, \dots, N$ :
  - 4: Set  $\mu_k = \arg \max_{\mu \in \mathcal{G}} \|u_h(\mu) - P_{V^{k-1}}(u_h(\mu))\|$
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How do we choose  $N$ ?

Stop when  $\arg \max_{\mu \in \mathcal{G}} \|u_h(\mu) - P_{V^{k-1}}(u_h(\mu))\| < \varepsilon$

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# Discretization: Weak greedy algorithm

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# Discretization: Weak greedy algorithm

In practice: Exhaustive search over the discrete sample set  $\mathcal{G}_{train}$

- ◇ The complexity of one iteration is linear in  $\text{Card}(\mathcal{G}_{train})$ , with
  - RB assembly:  $\mathcal{O}(N^2(Q^a)^2 + NQ^\ell)$ ,
  - RB solve:  $\mathcal{O}(N^3)$ ,
  - RB residual norm:  $\mathcal{O}(N^2(Q^a)^2 + NQ^aQ^\ell + (Q^\ell)^2)$ .

Hence, the total cost is

$$\mathcal{O}\left(\text{Card}(\mathcal{G}_{train})\left(N^3 + 2N^2(Q^a)^2 + NQ^\ell Q^a + (Q^\ell)^2\right)\right).$$

- ◇ Typical choices for  $\mathcal{G}_{train}$ : Cartesian grid, random samples, ...
- ◇ Instead of using the same training set  $\mathcal{G}_{train}$  at every Greedy iteration, one may change  $\mathcal{G}_{train}$  from one iteration to the next (resampling).

# Conclusion: Two algorithms

We now have two methods for constructing a reduced basis:

- **POD approach:**  $N_{train}$  ( $> N$ ) high-fidelity solutions are computed to build a basis of size  $N$ 
  - ✓ The exploration/compression paradigm is very easy to implement,
  - × The cost can be high if one wants to avoid missing relevant information
- **Greedy approach:**  $N$  high-fidelity solutions are computed to build a basis of size  $N$ 
  - × More demanding to implement (incremental construction of the basis),
  - ✓ Lower cost to avoid missing relevant information (the number of HF solves is independent of the cardinality of  $\mathcal{G}_{train}$ ).

# TP Aposteriori

TP4 bis: Greedy + Aposteriori

