

Bridging the gap between isogeometric analysis and deep operator learning

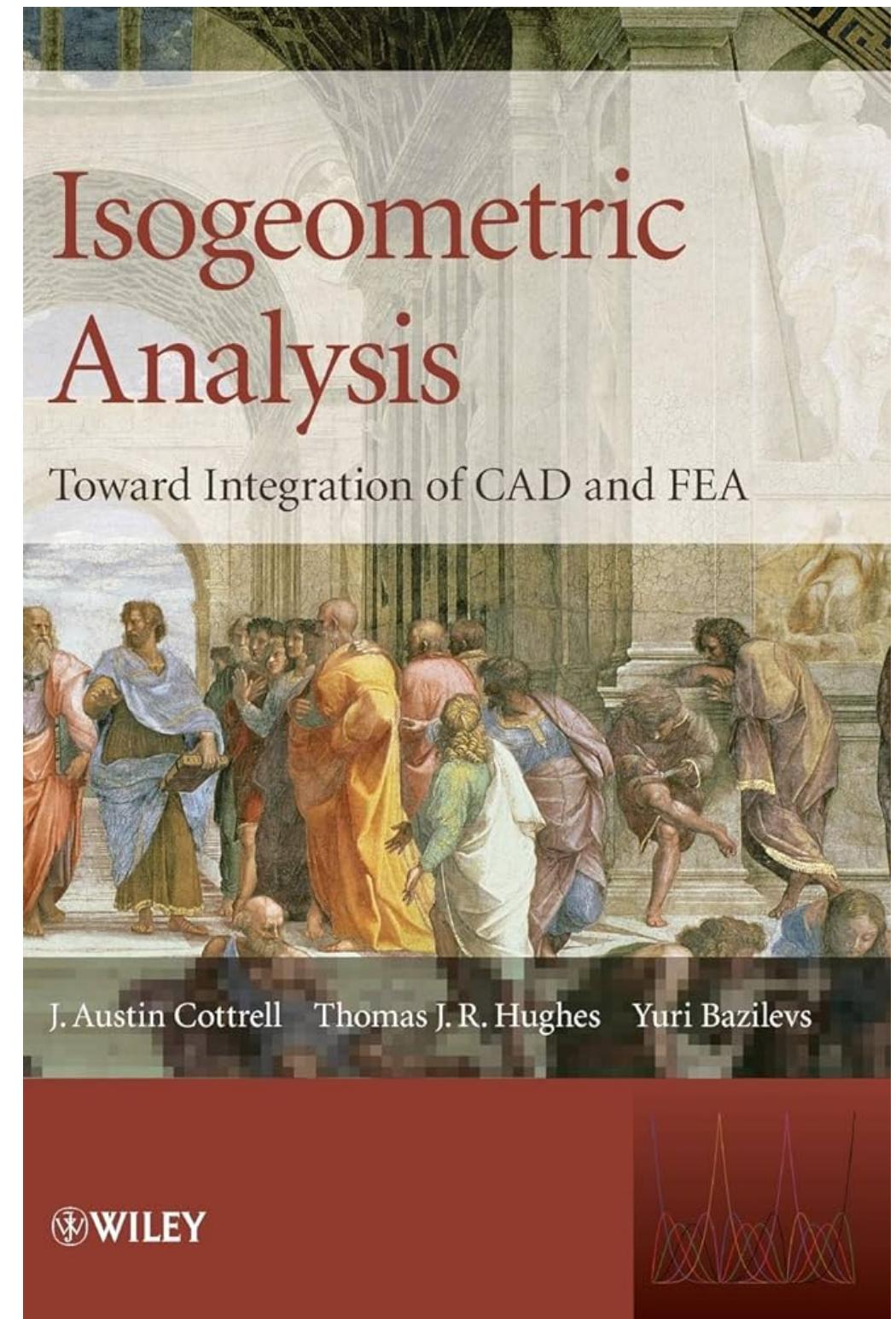
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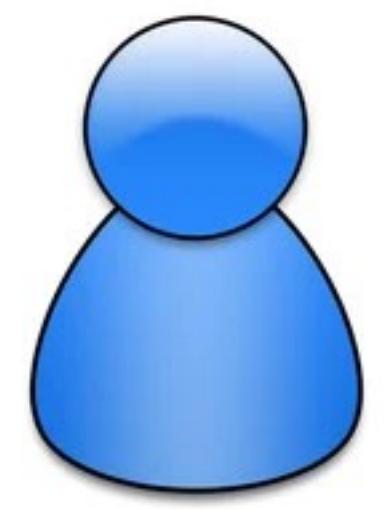
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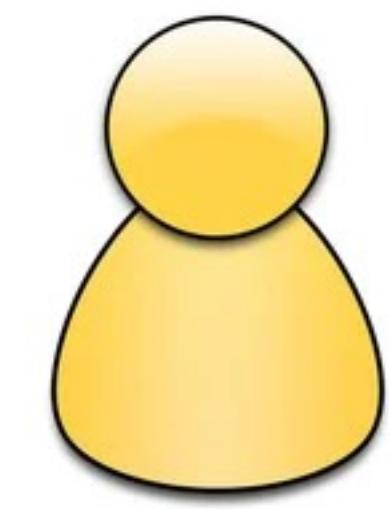
Bridging the gap between CAD
and FEA by using B-spline or
NURBS basis functions for
design and analysis . . .



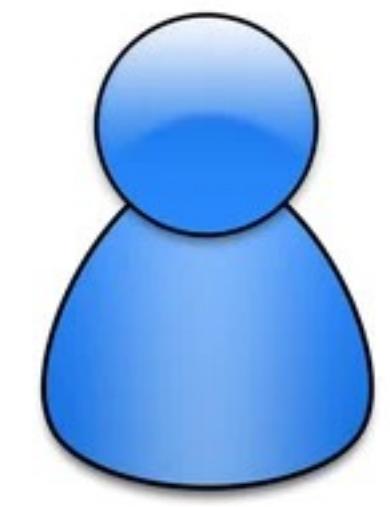
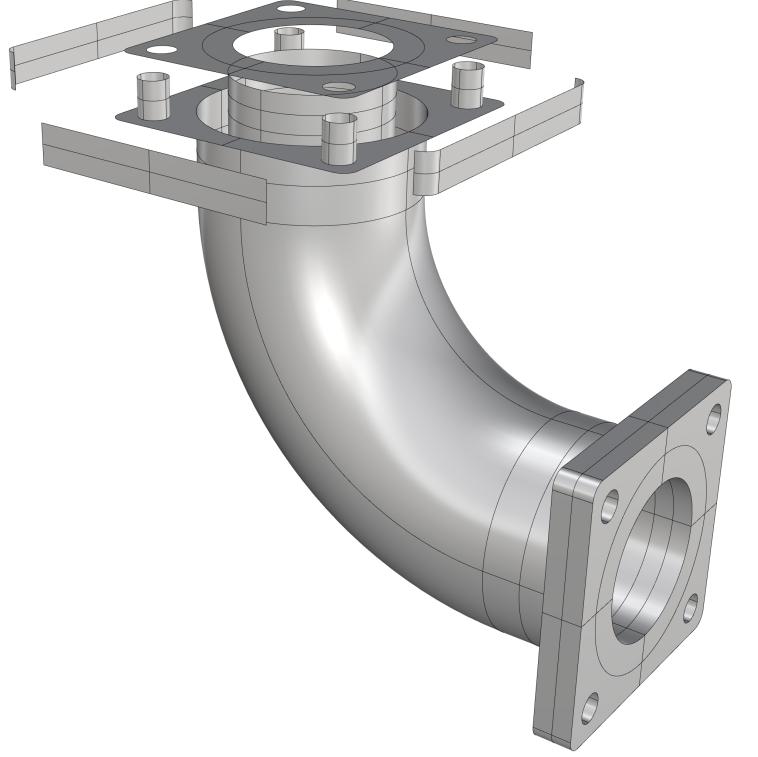


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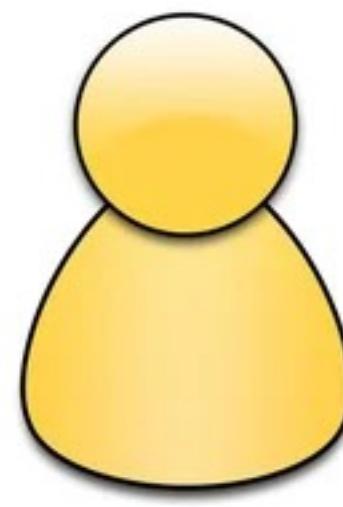
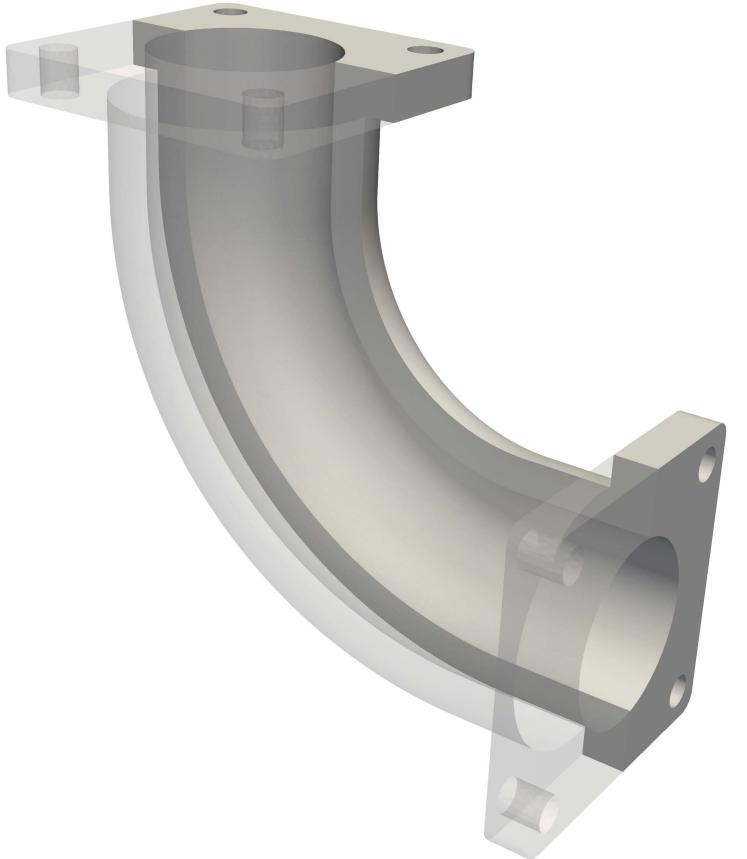
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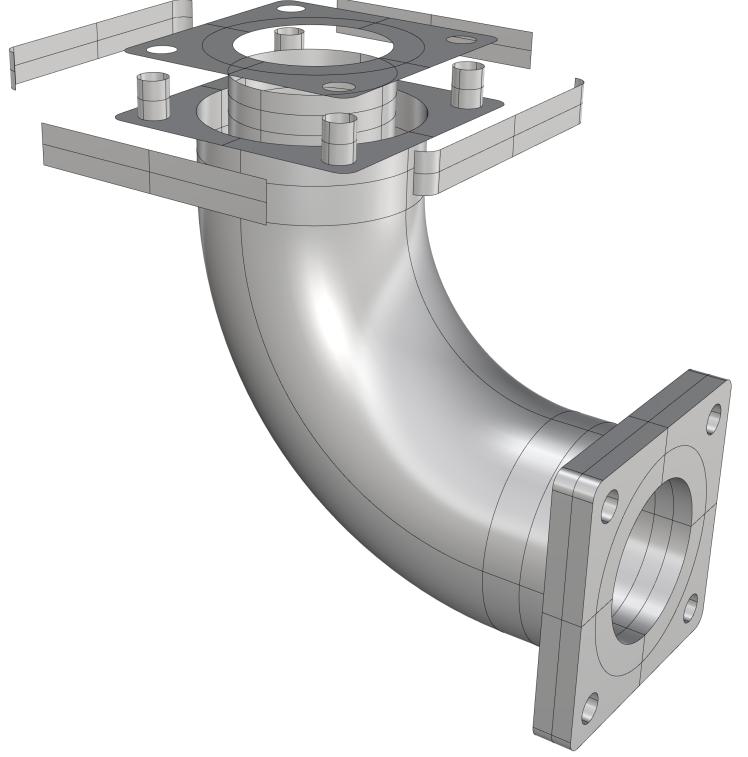


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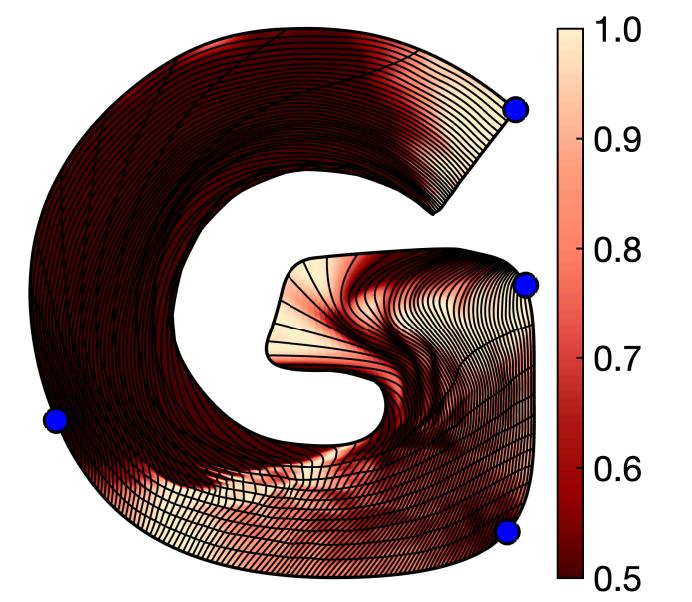
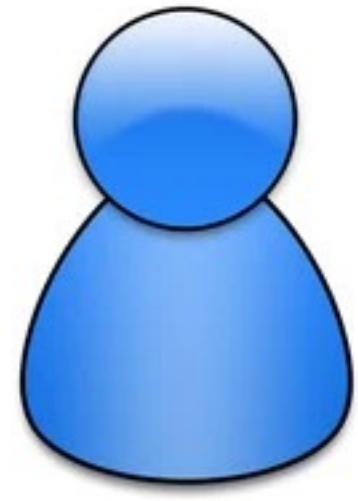
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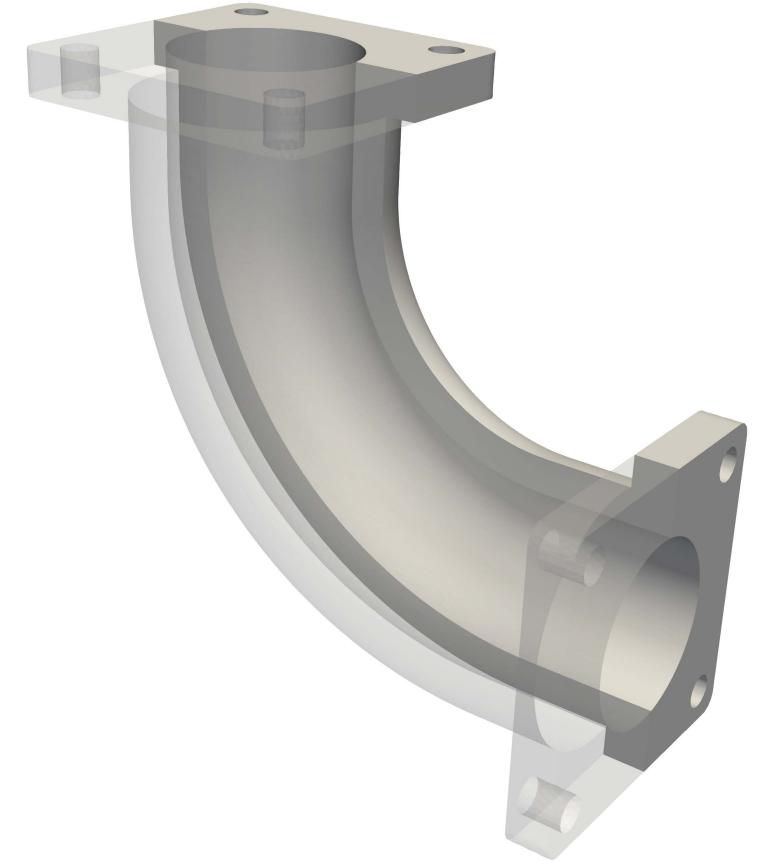
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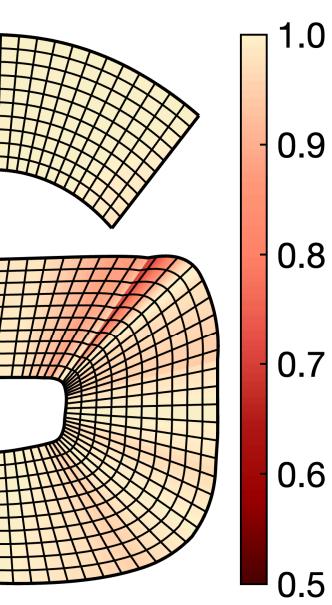
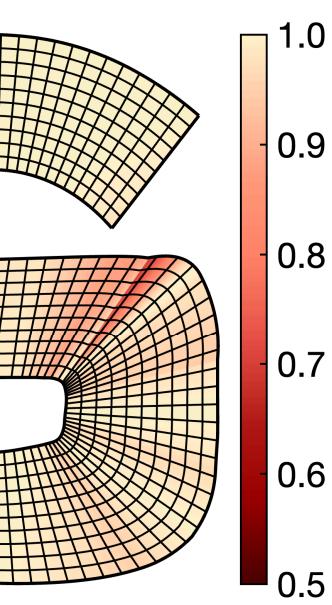
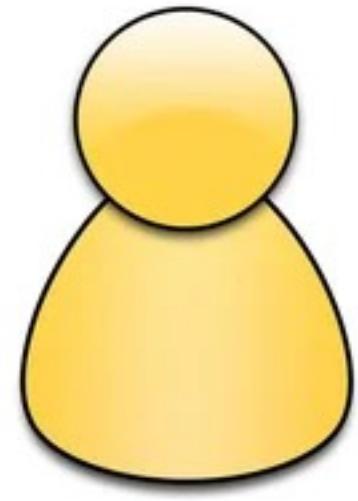
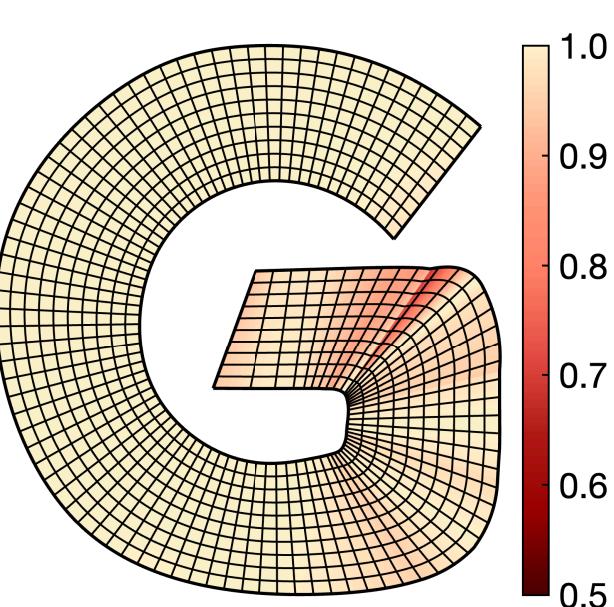
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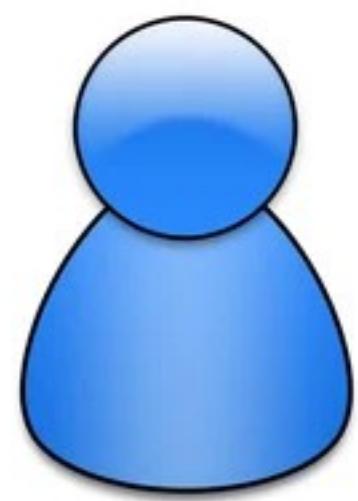
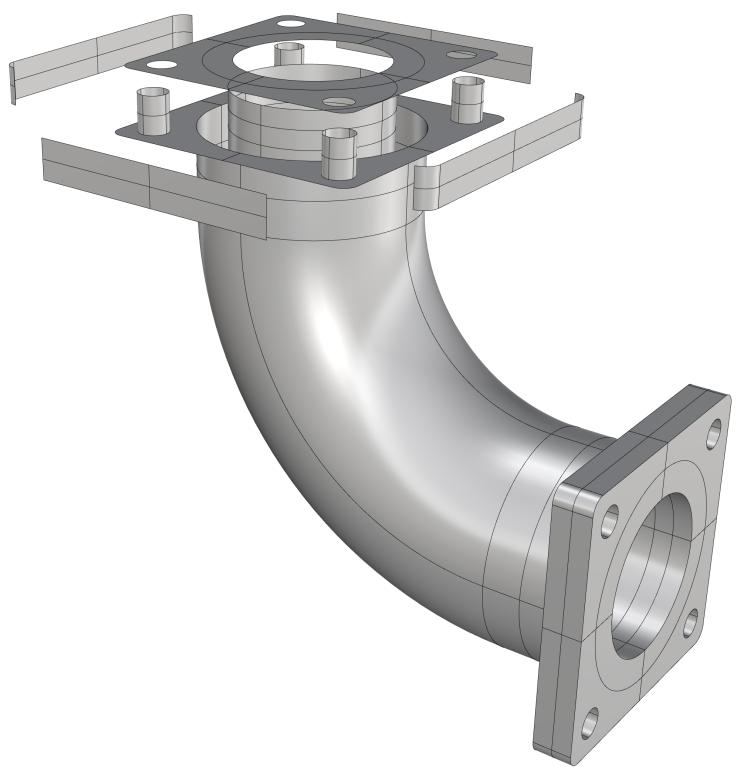


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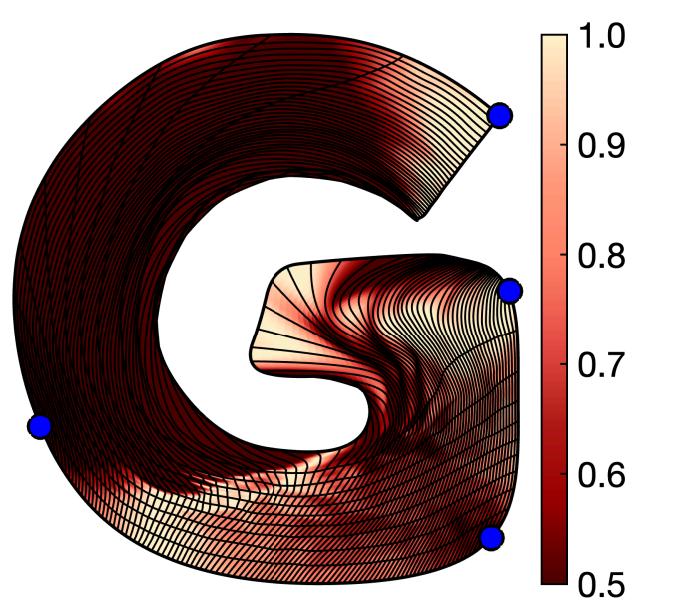


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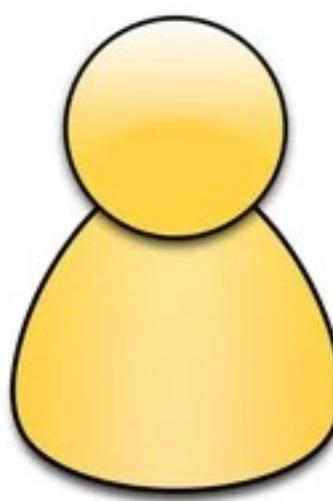
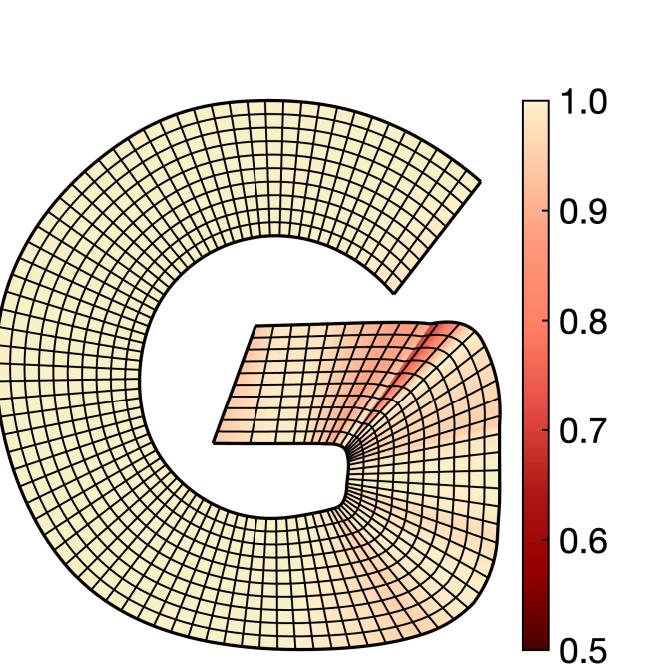
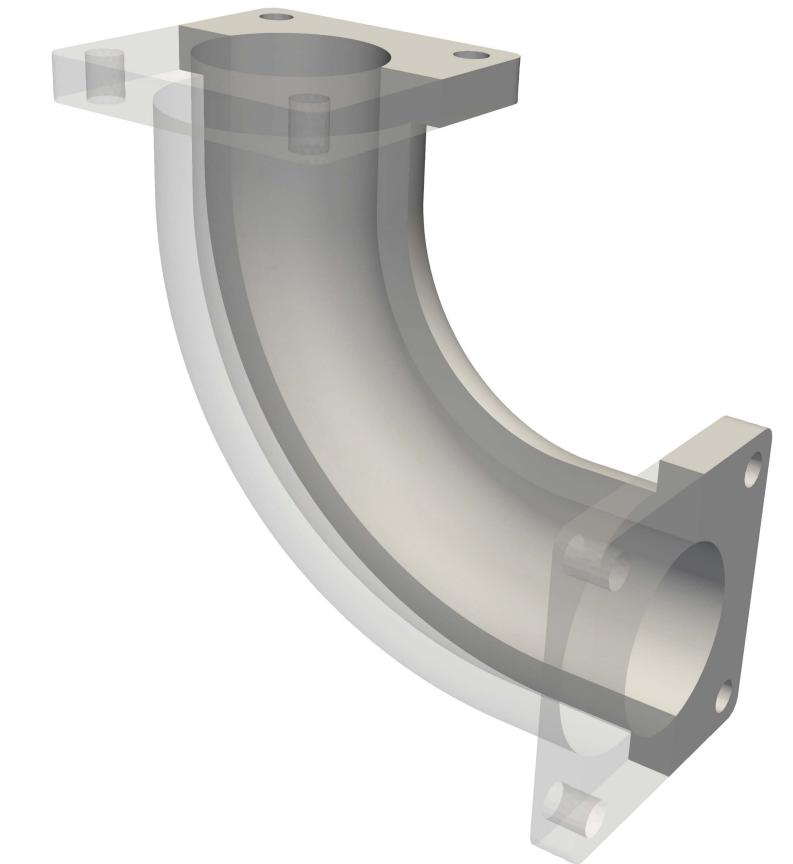




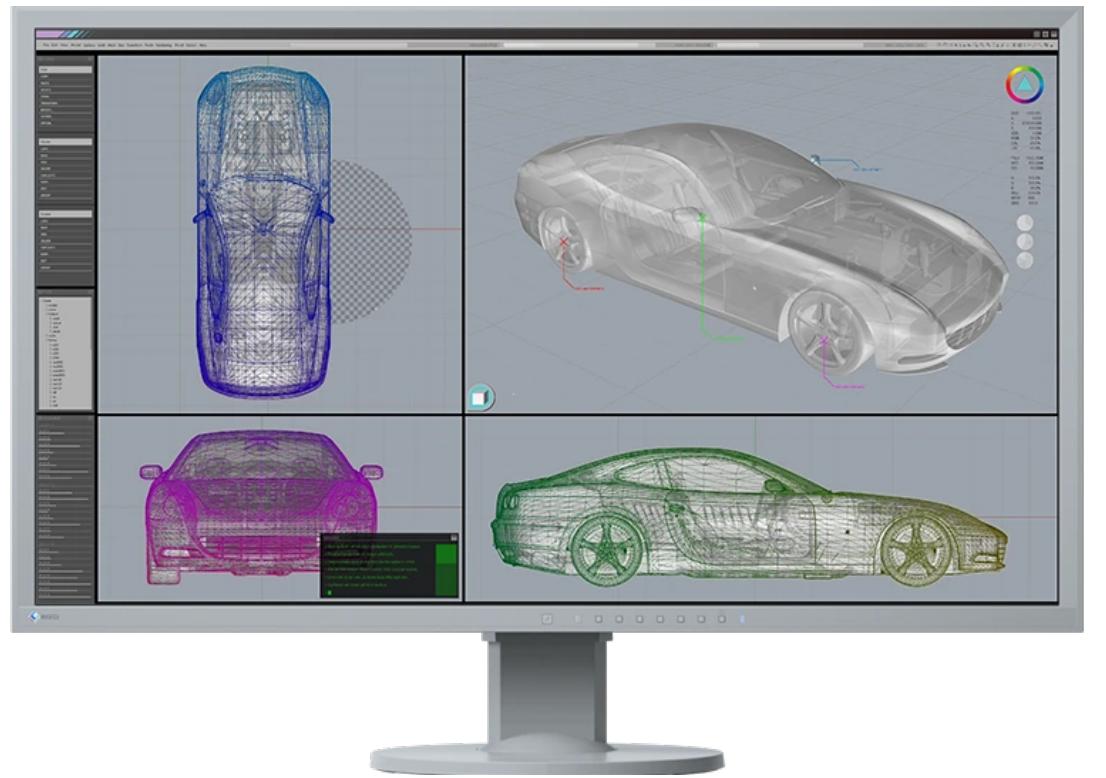
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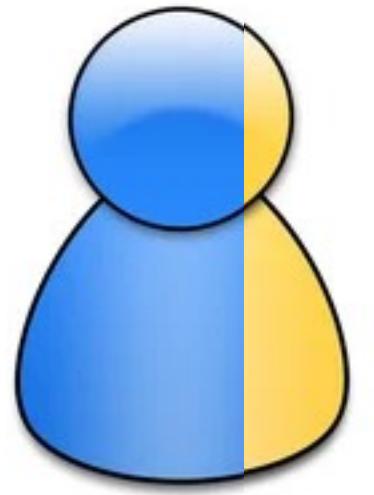
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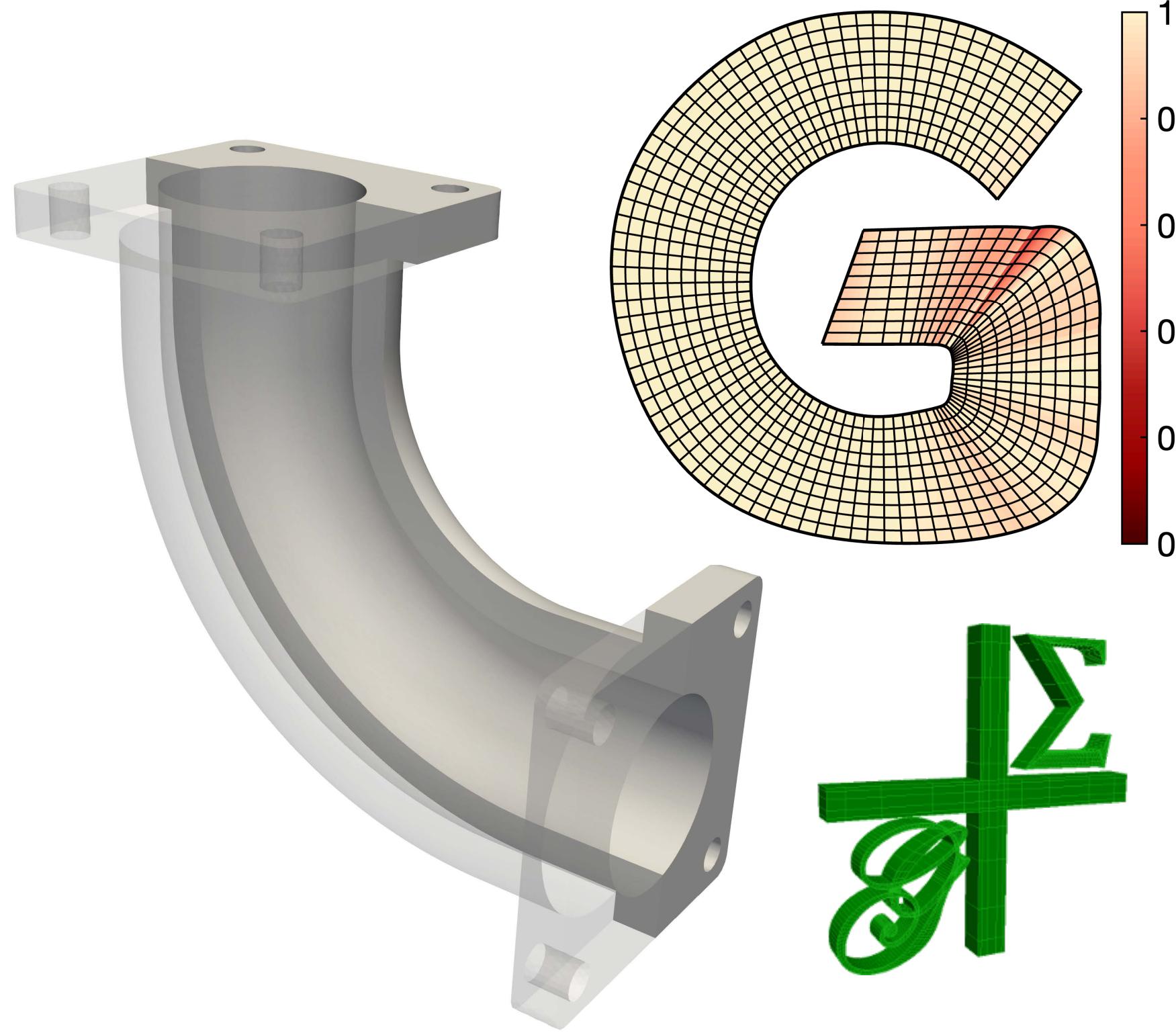
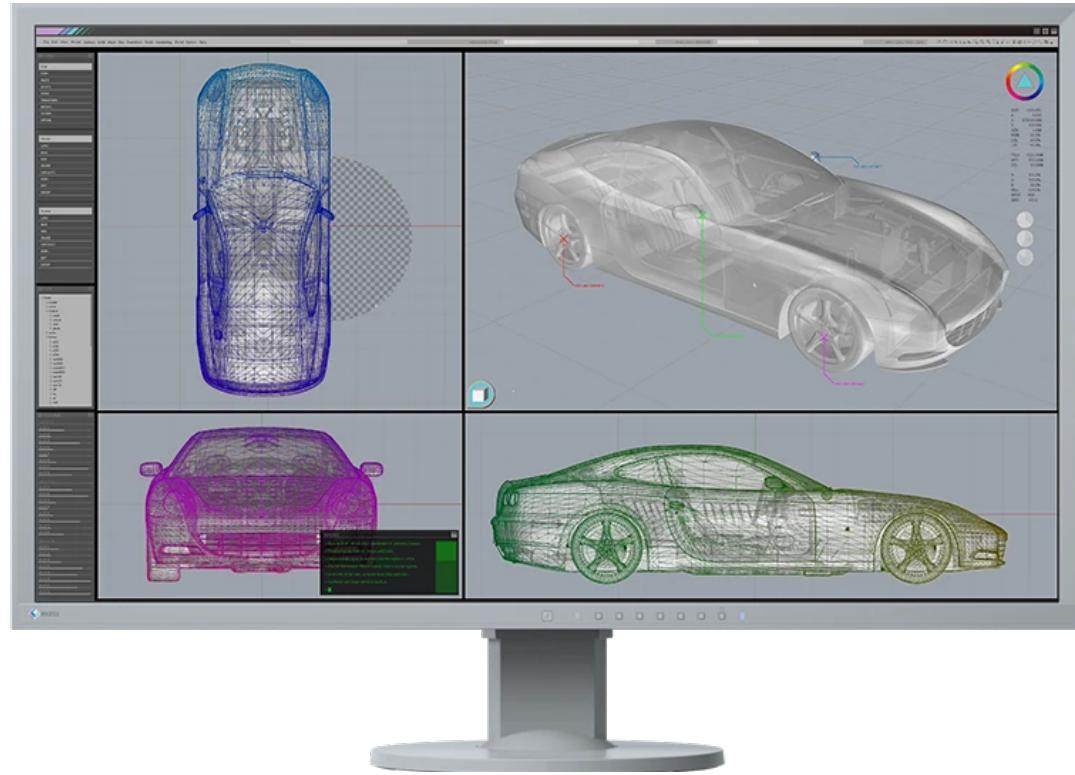
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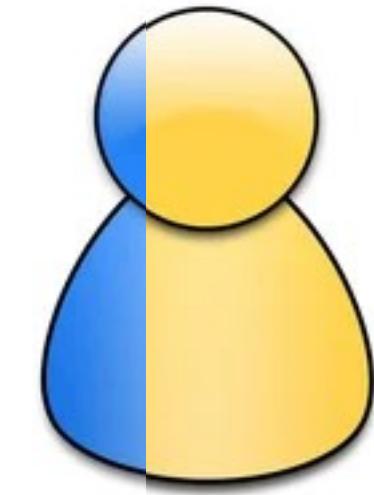
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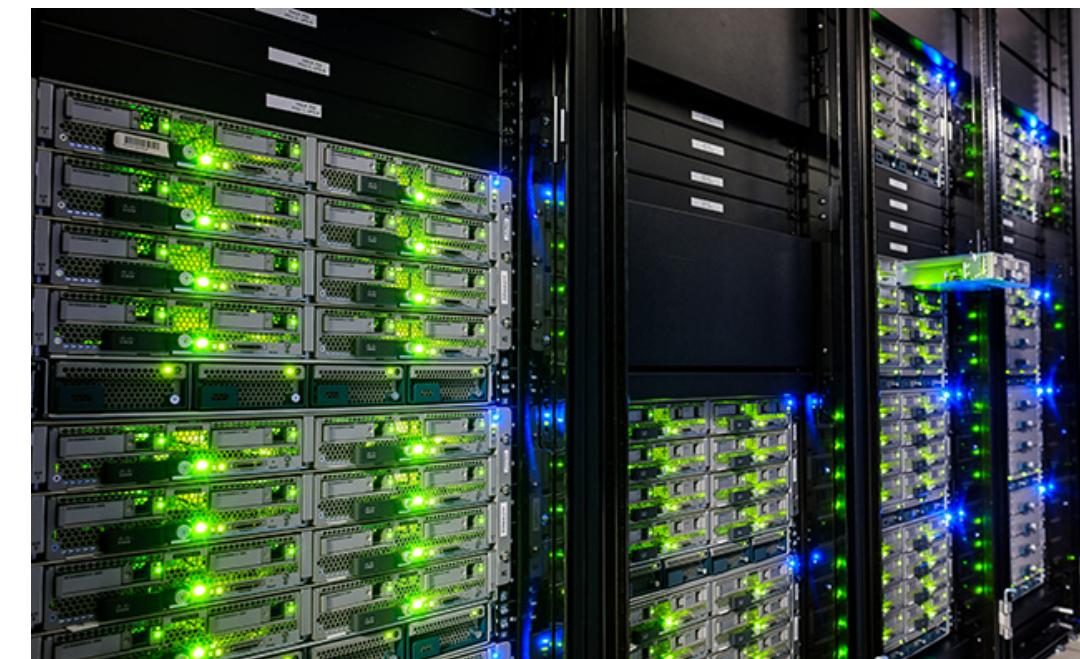
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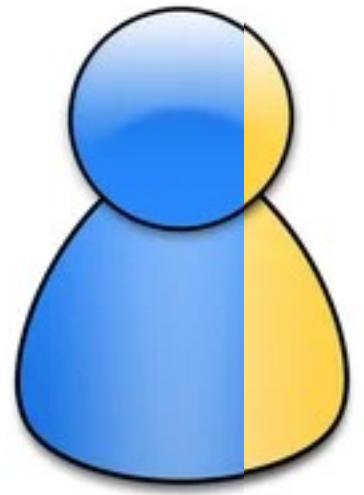
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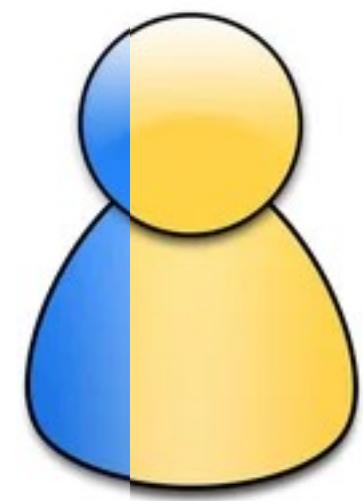
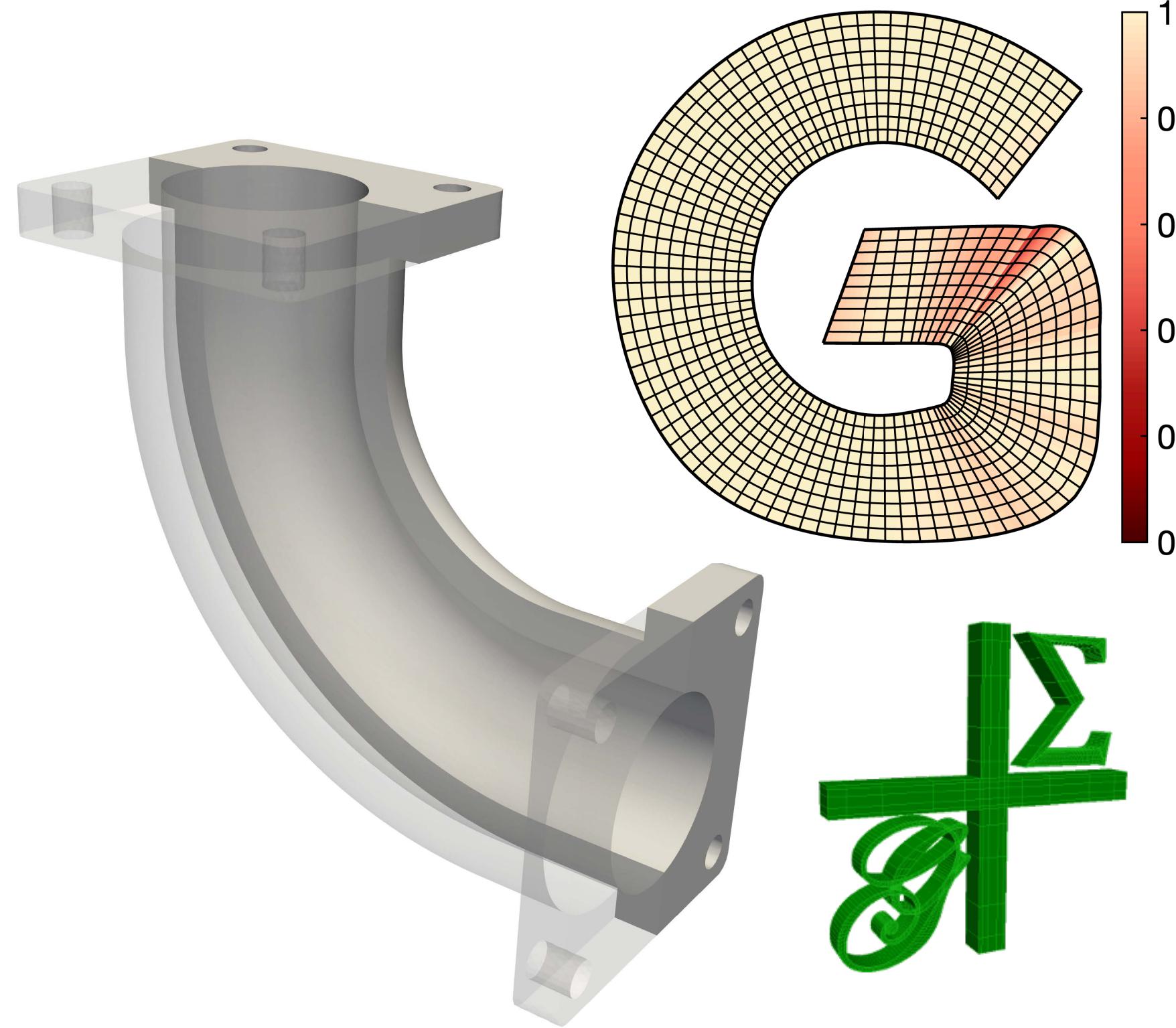
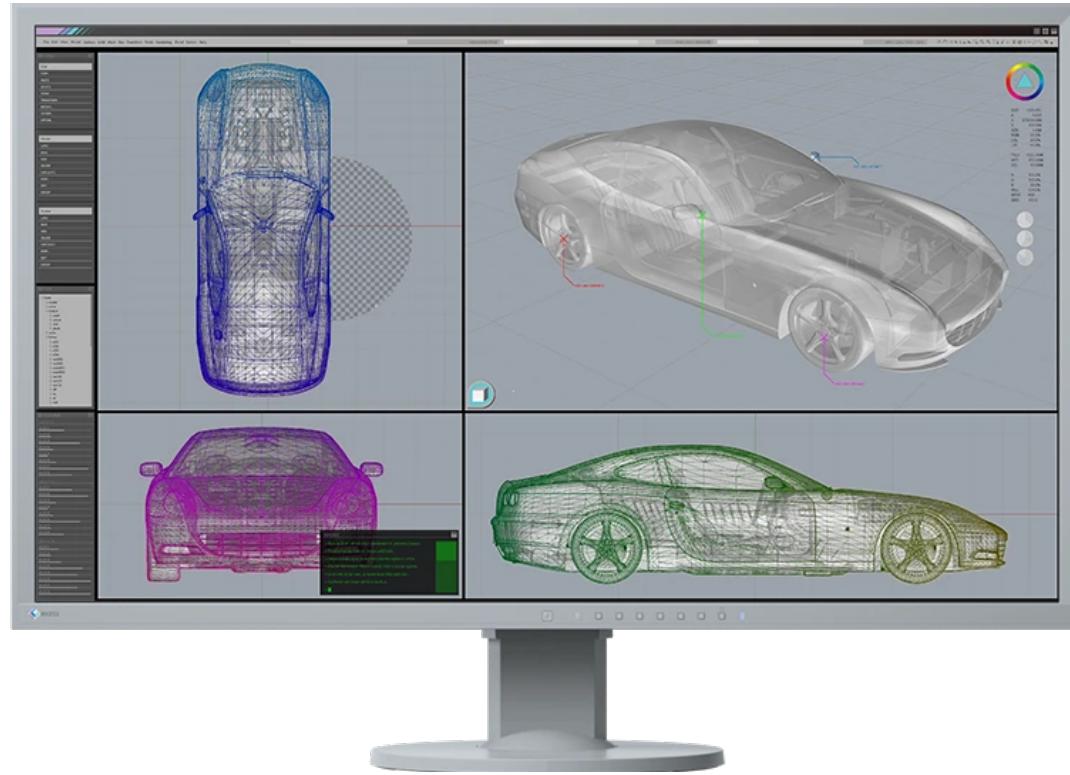
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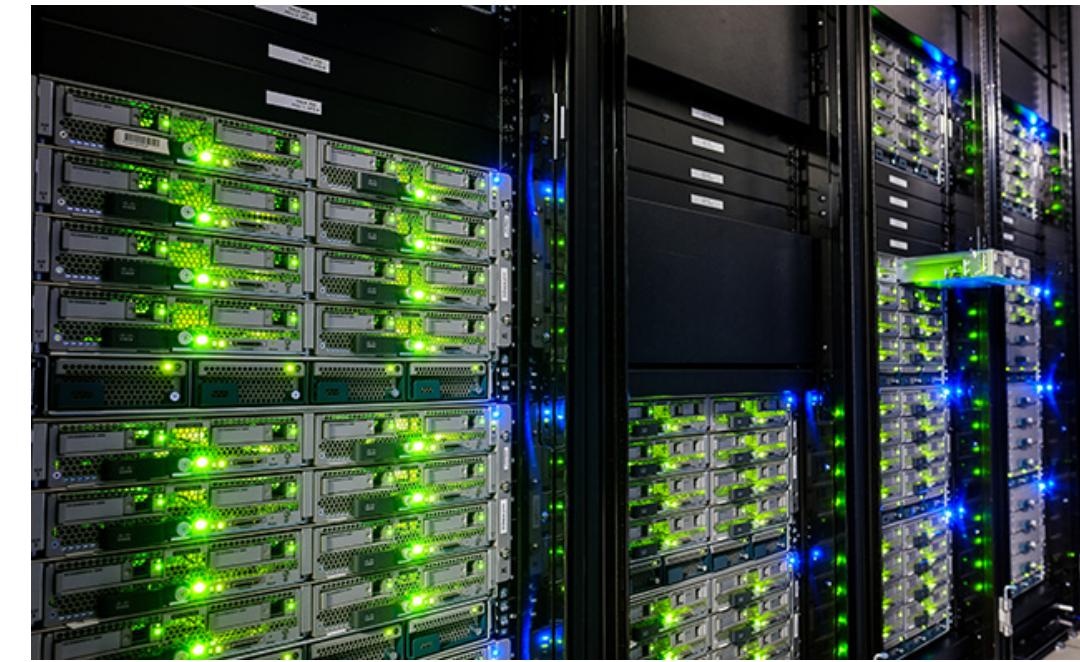
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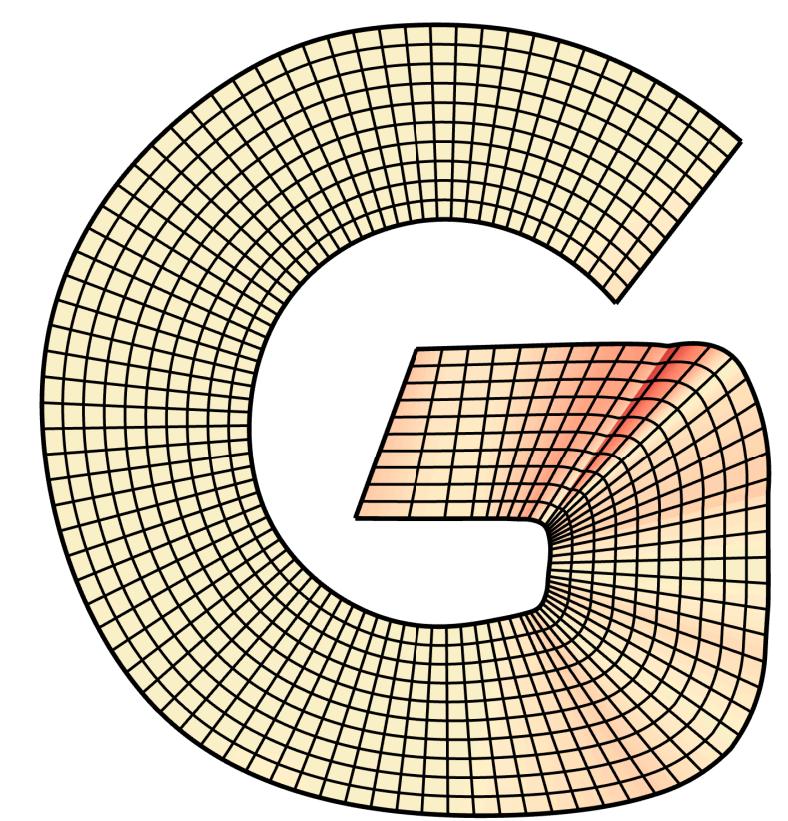
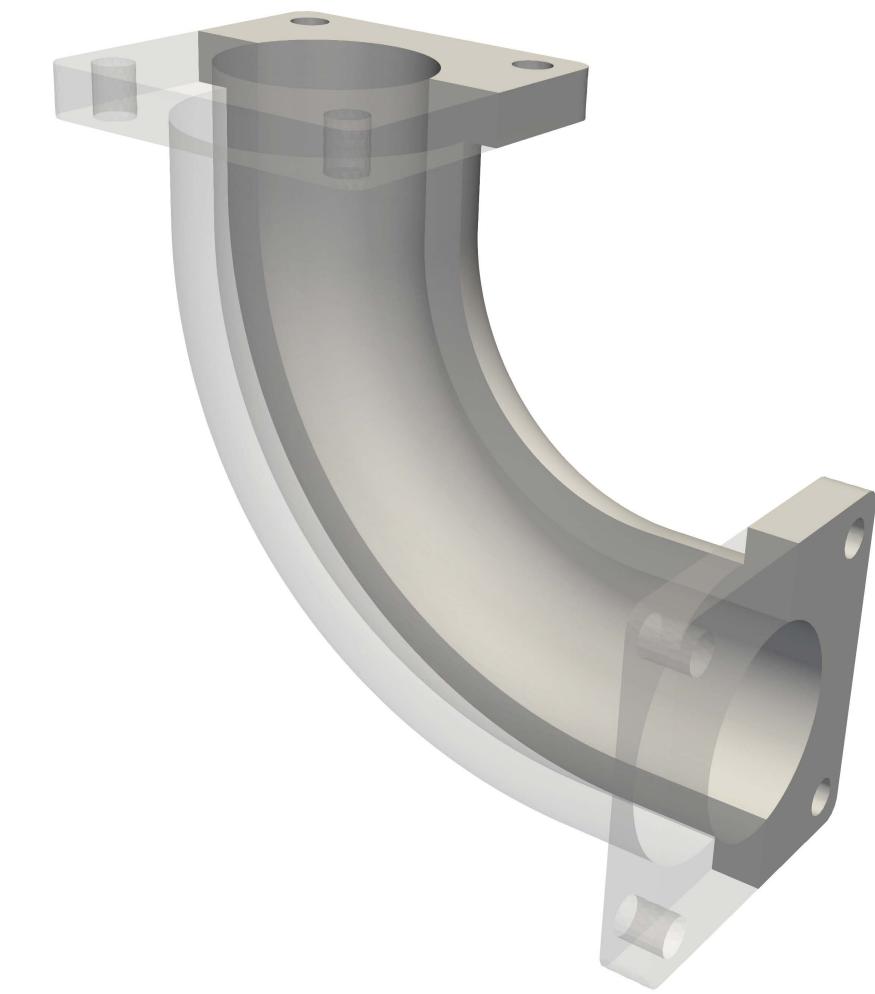


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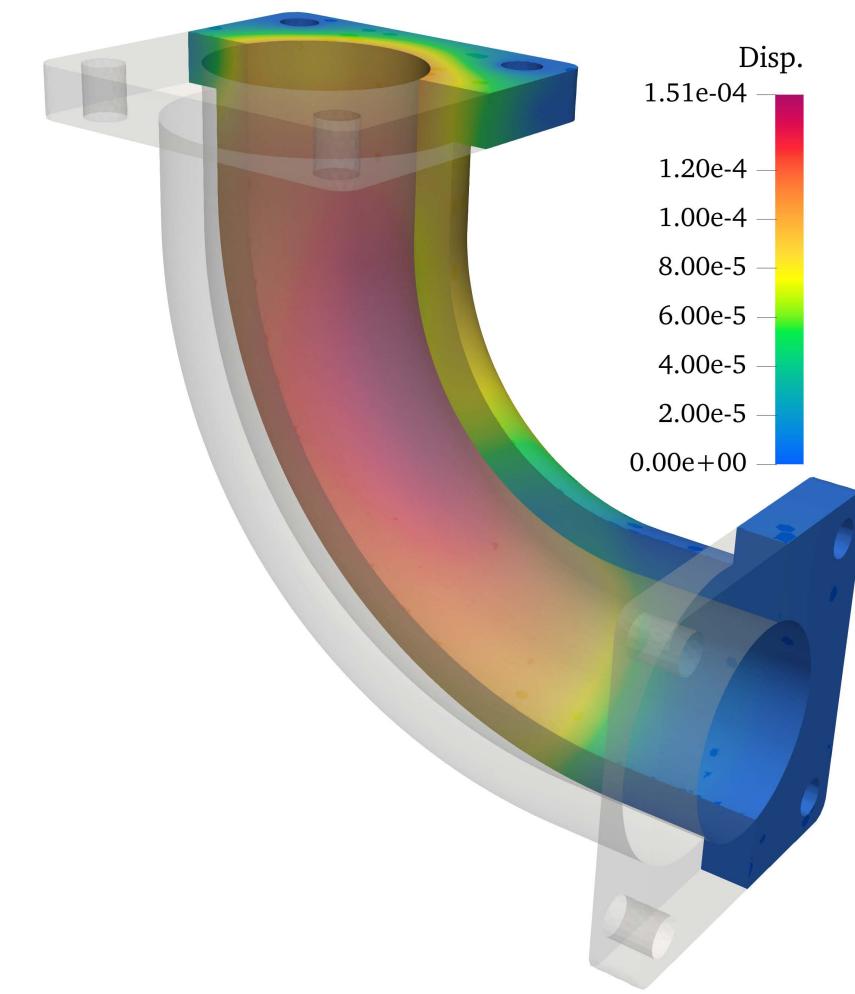


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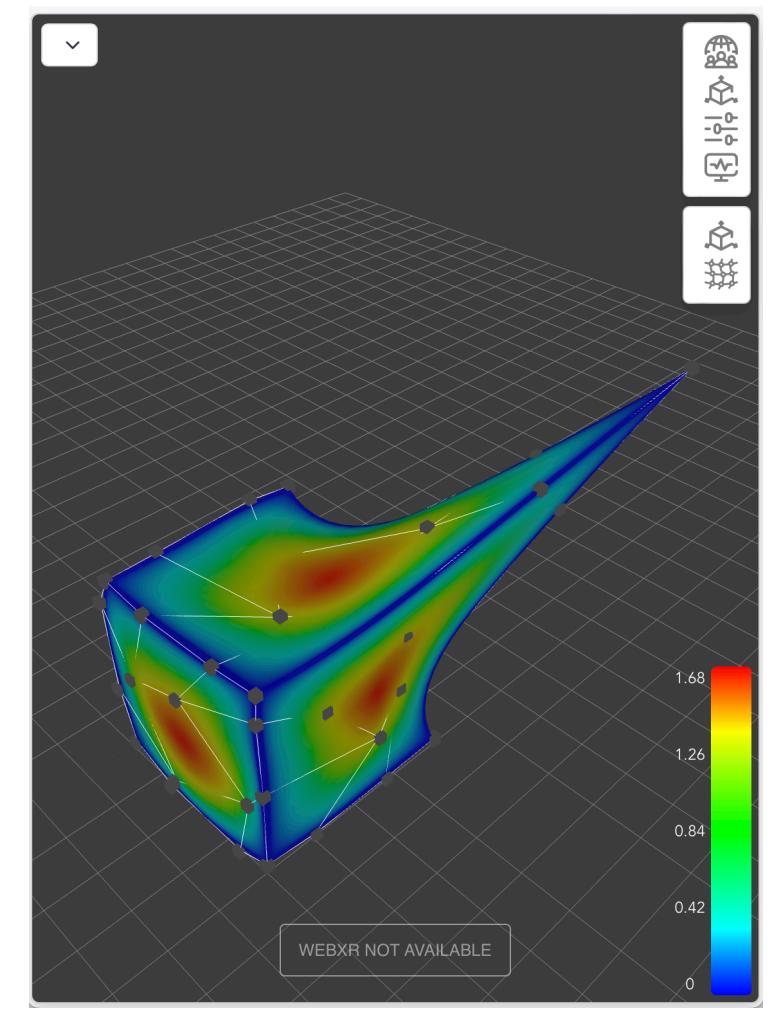




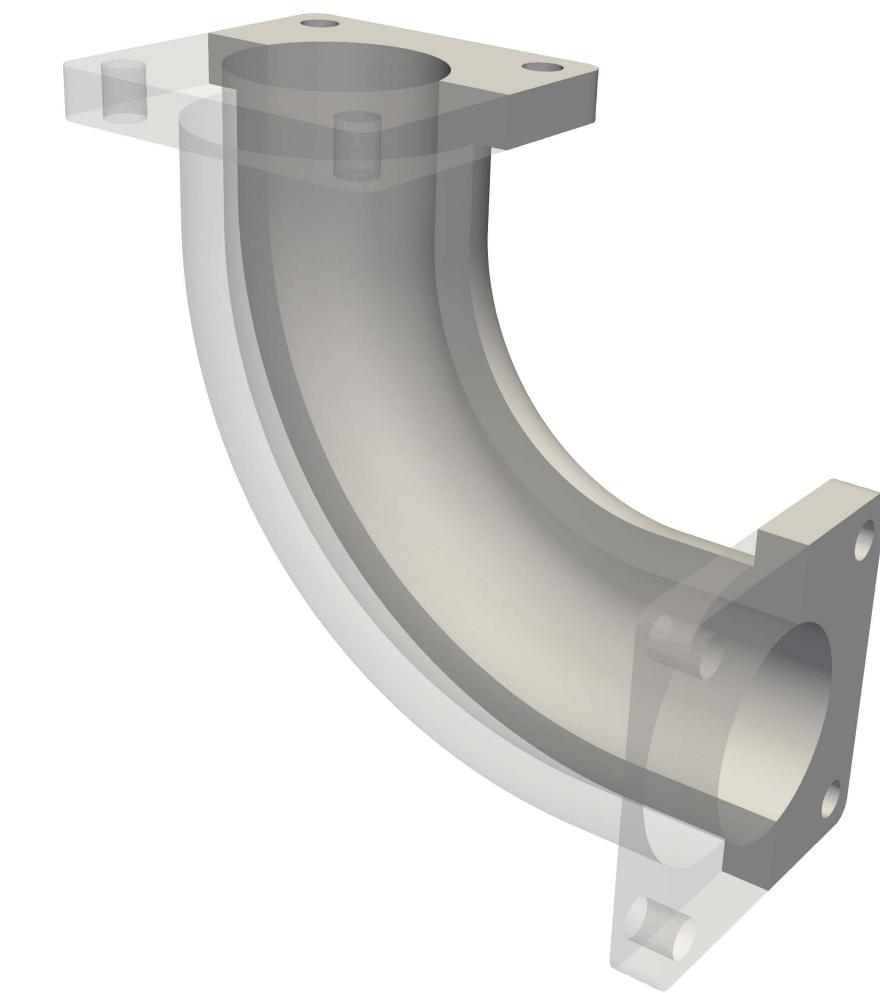
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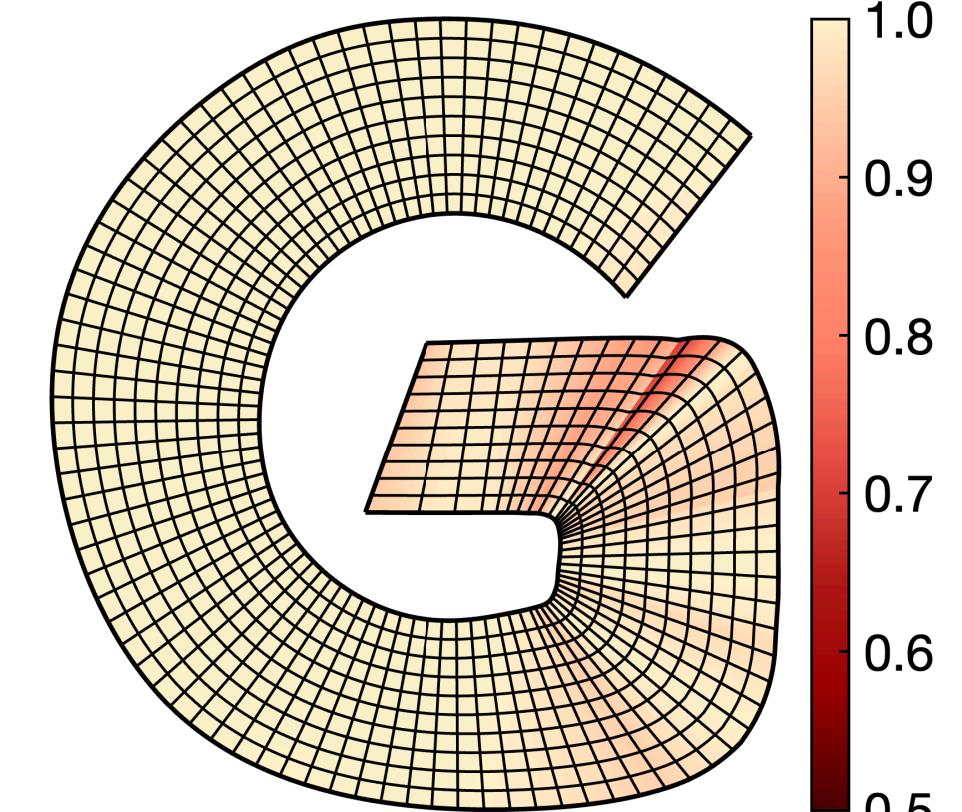
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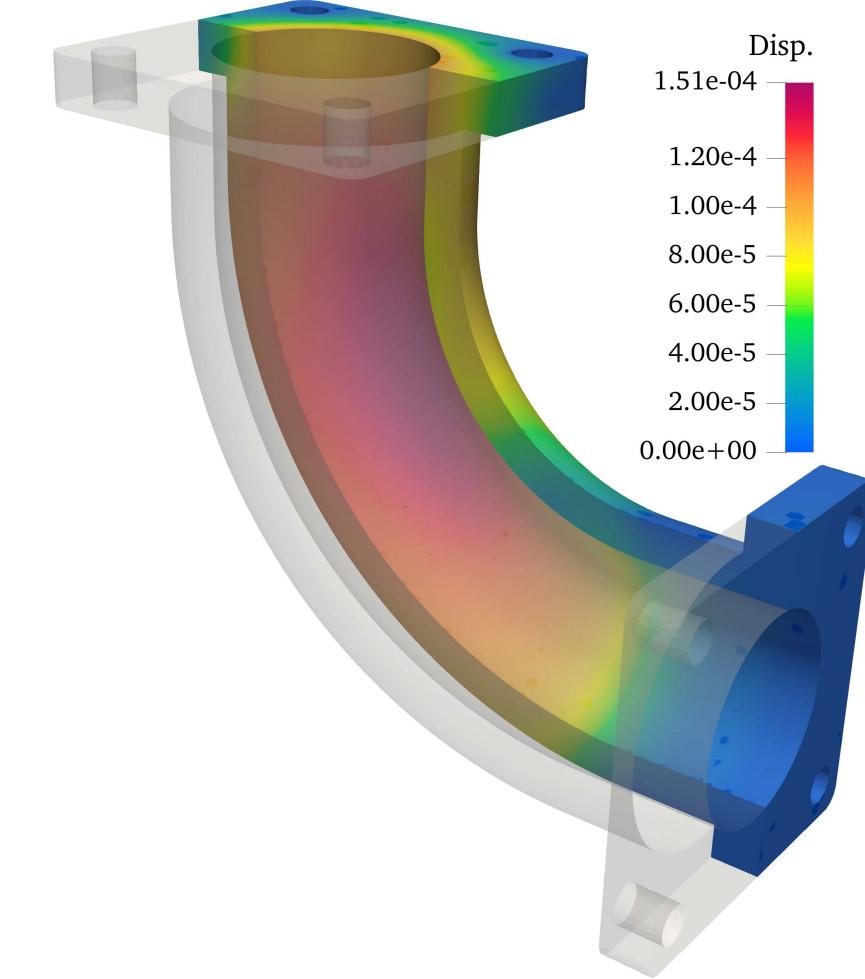
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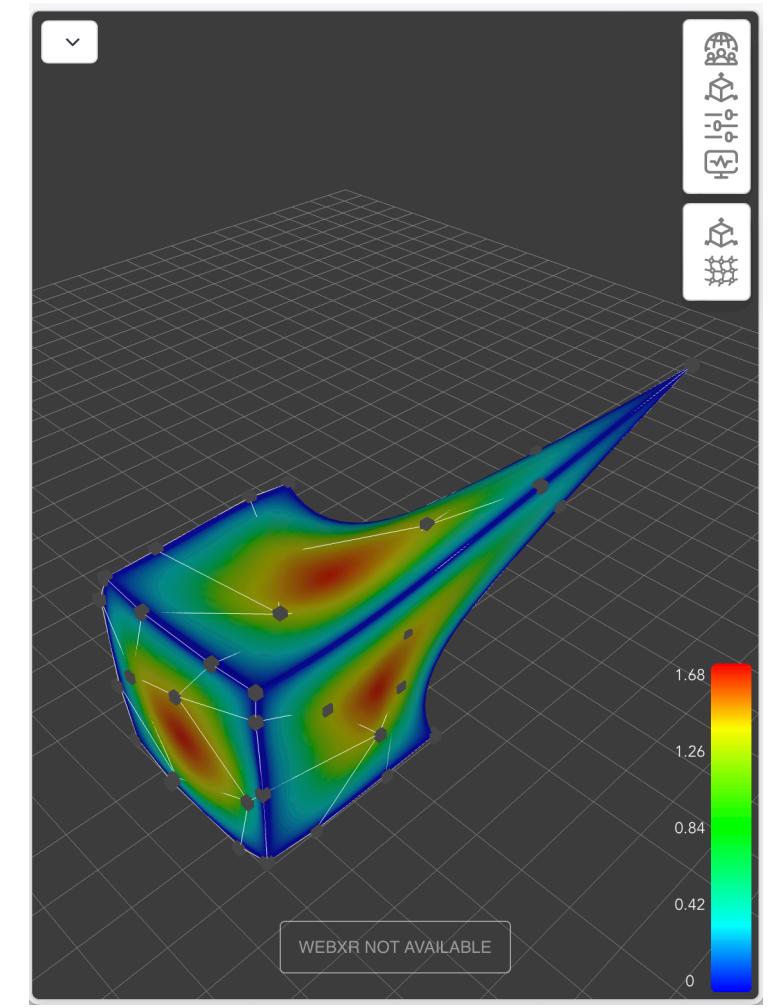
1. Creation of VReps
from BReps



2. Reparameterization
techniques

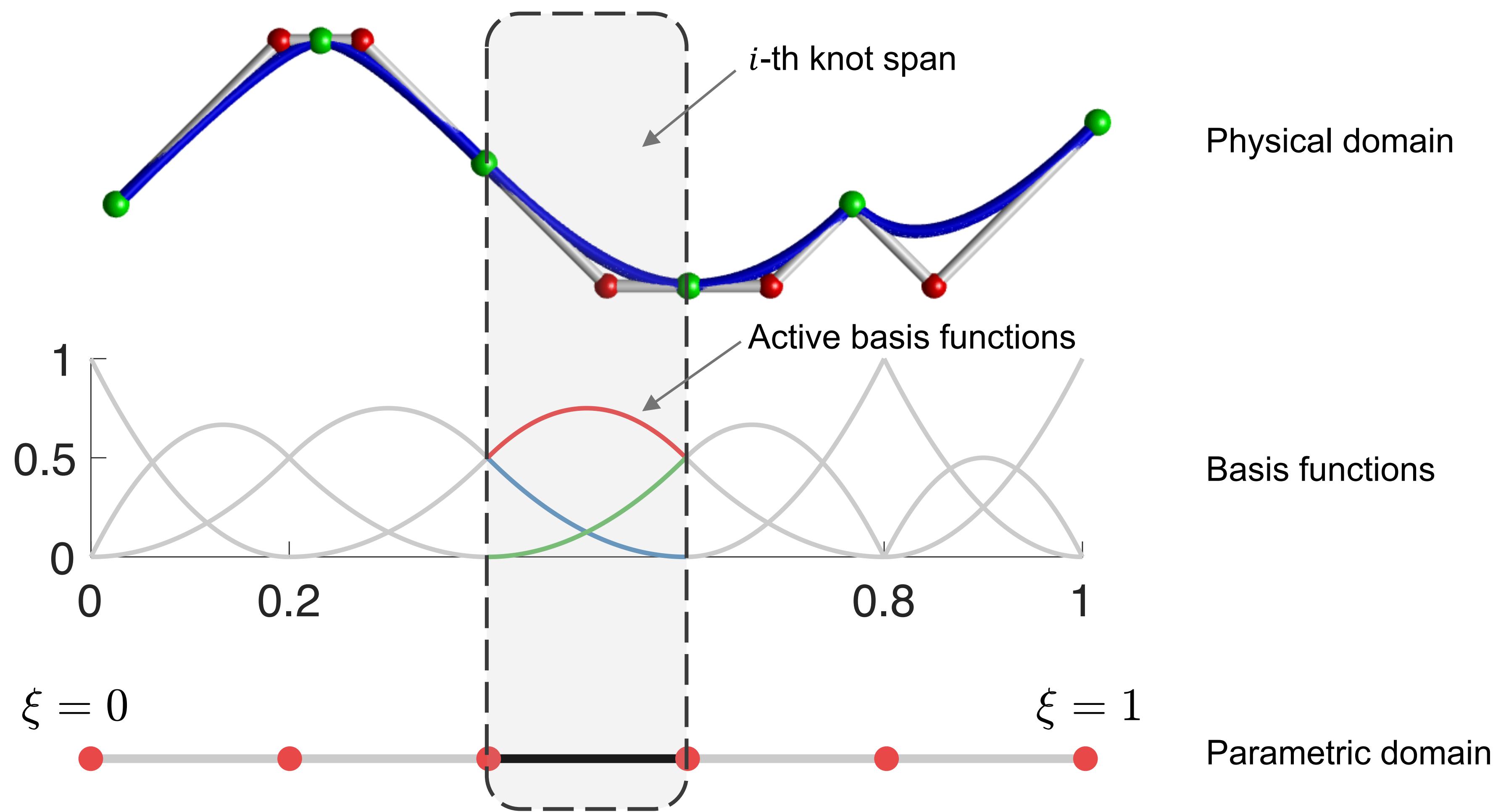


3. Isogeometric
Analysis and IgANets

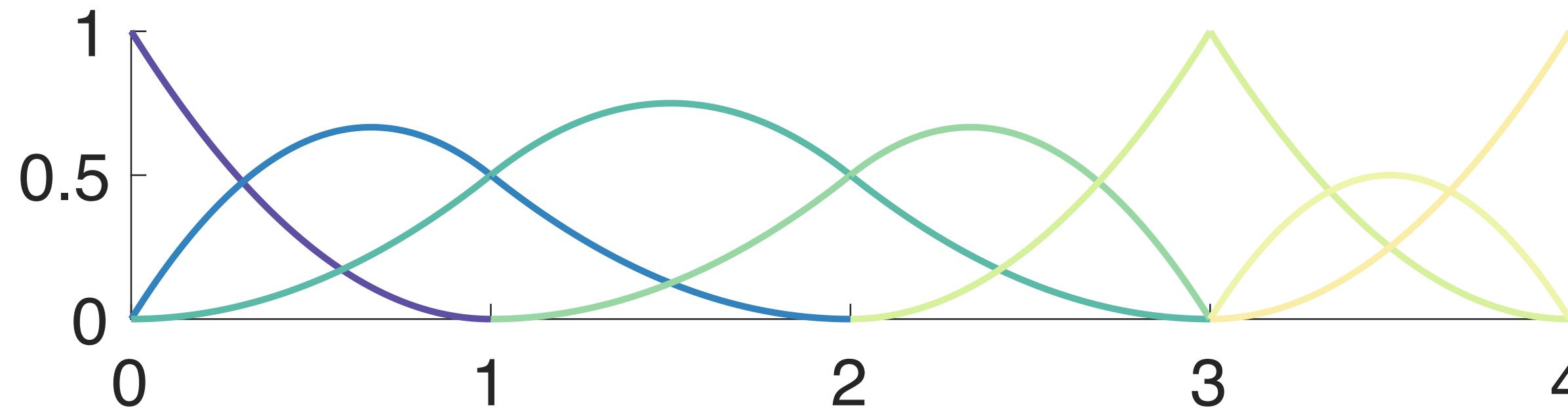


4. Interactive Design-
through-Analysis

Spline curves



Univariate B-splines



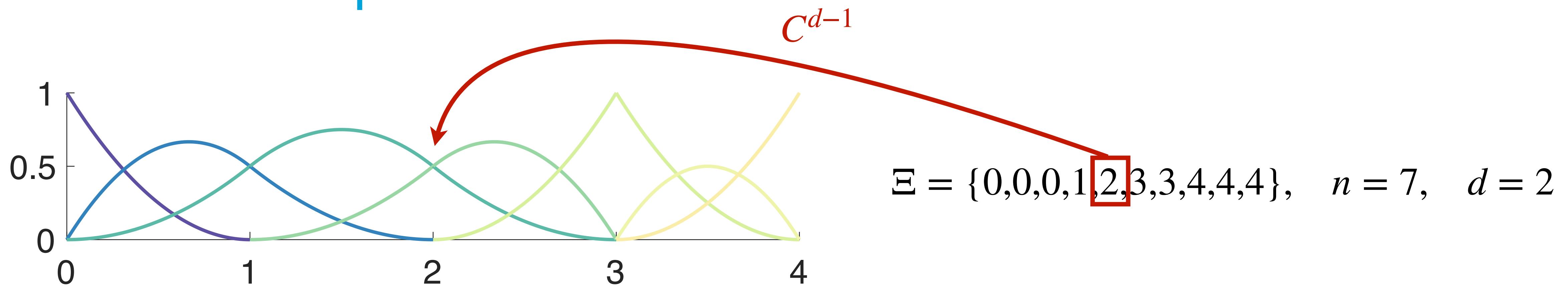
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B-spline basis functions [de Boor, 1971]

$$b_{i;\Xi}^0(\xi) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \xi_i \leq \xi < \xi_{i+1} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

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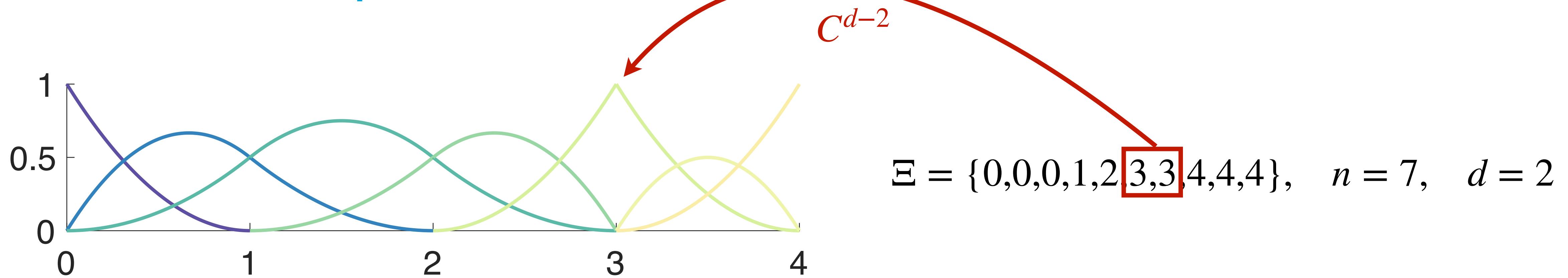


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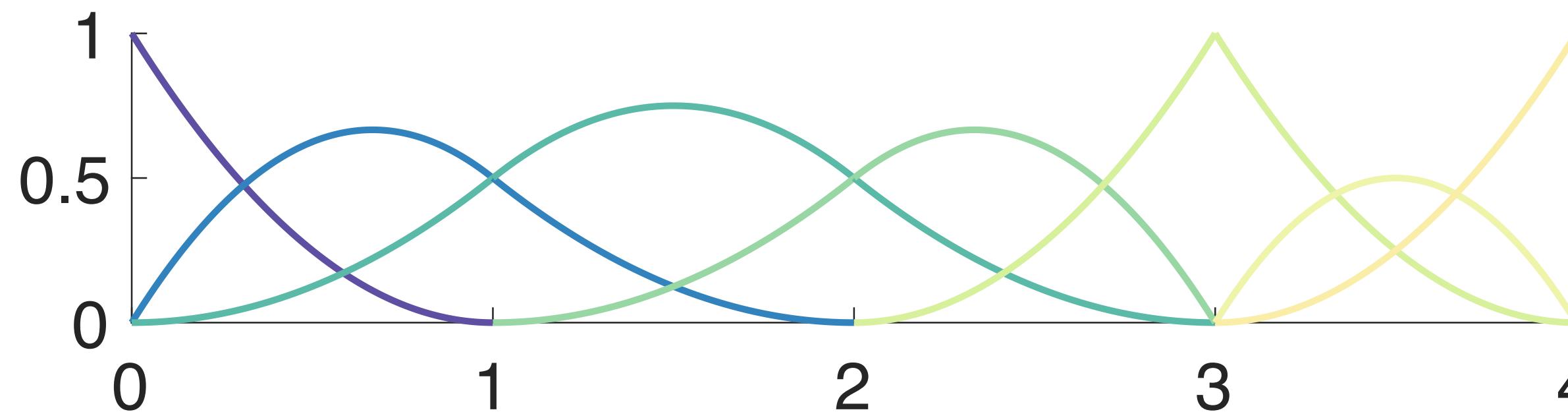


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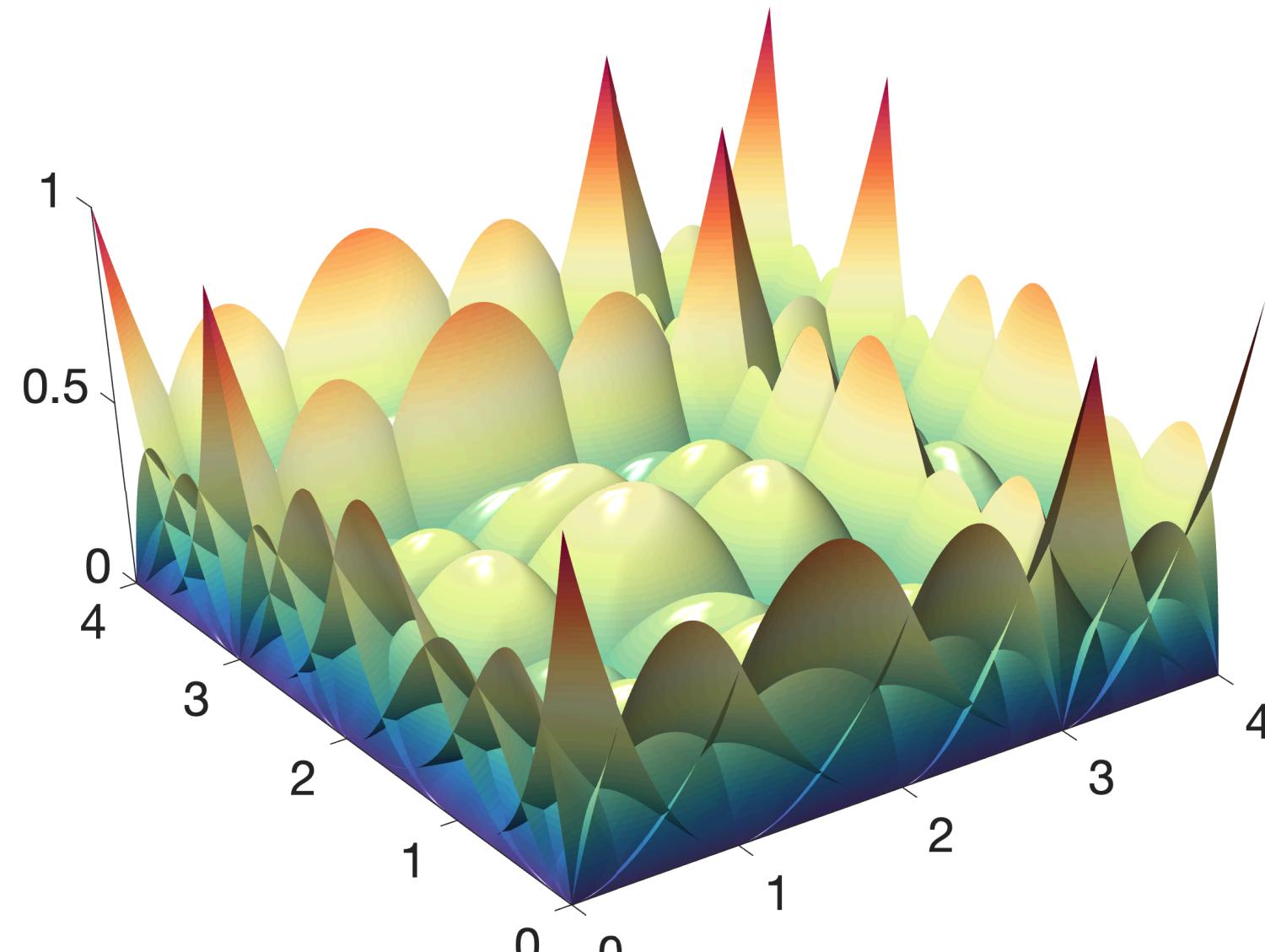
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Multivariate B-splines



Tensor-product basis functions

$$b_{\mathbf{i}; \Xi}^{\mathbf{d}}(\xi) = \prod_{k=1}^p b_{i_k; \Xi_k}^{d_k}(\xi_k)$$

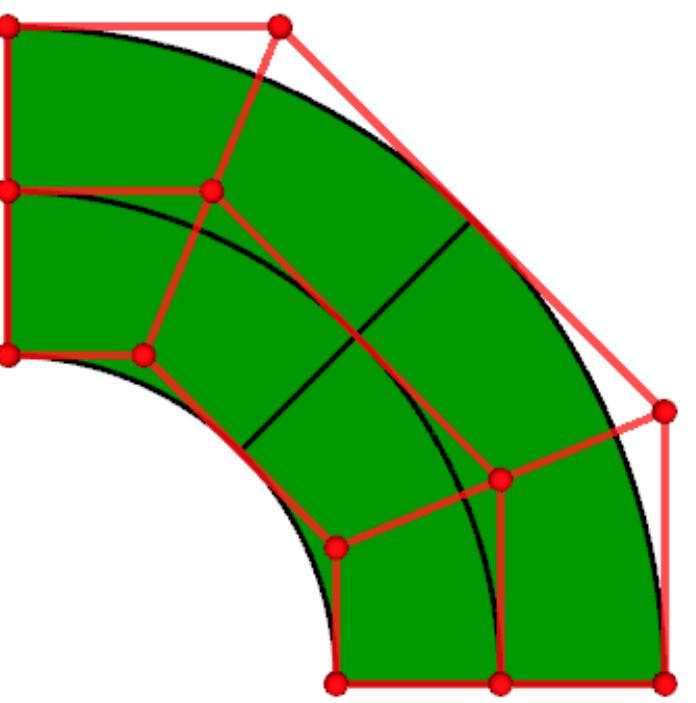
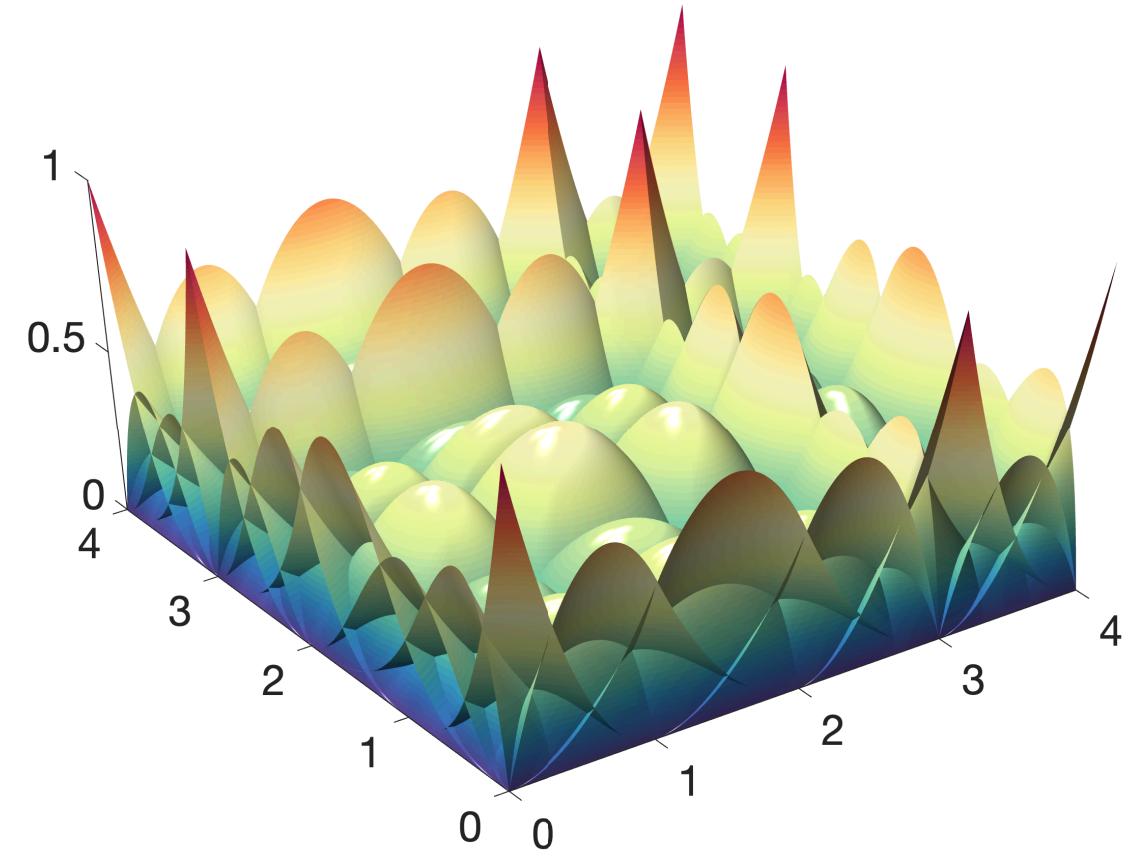
with multi-indices \mathbf{i} and \mathbf{d} , $\Xi = (\Xi_1, \dots, \Xi_p)$ and parametric domain

$$\hat{\Omega}_{\Xi} = \bigotimes_{k=1}^p [\xi_{k,d_k+1}, \xi_{k,n_k})$$

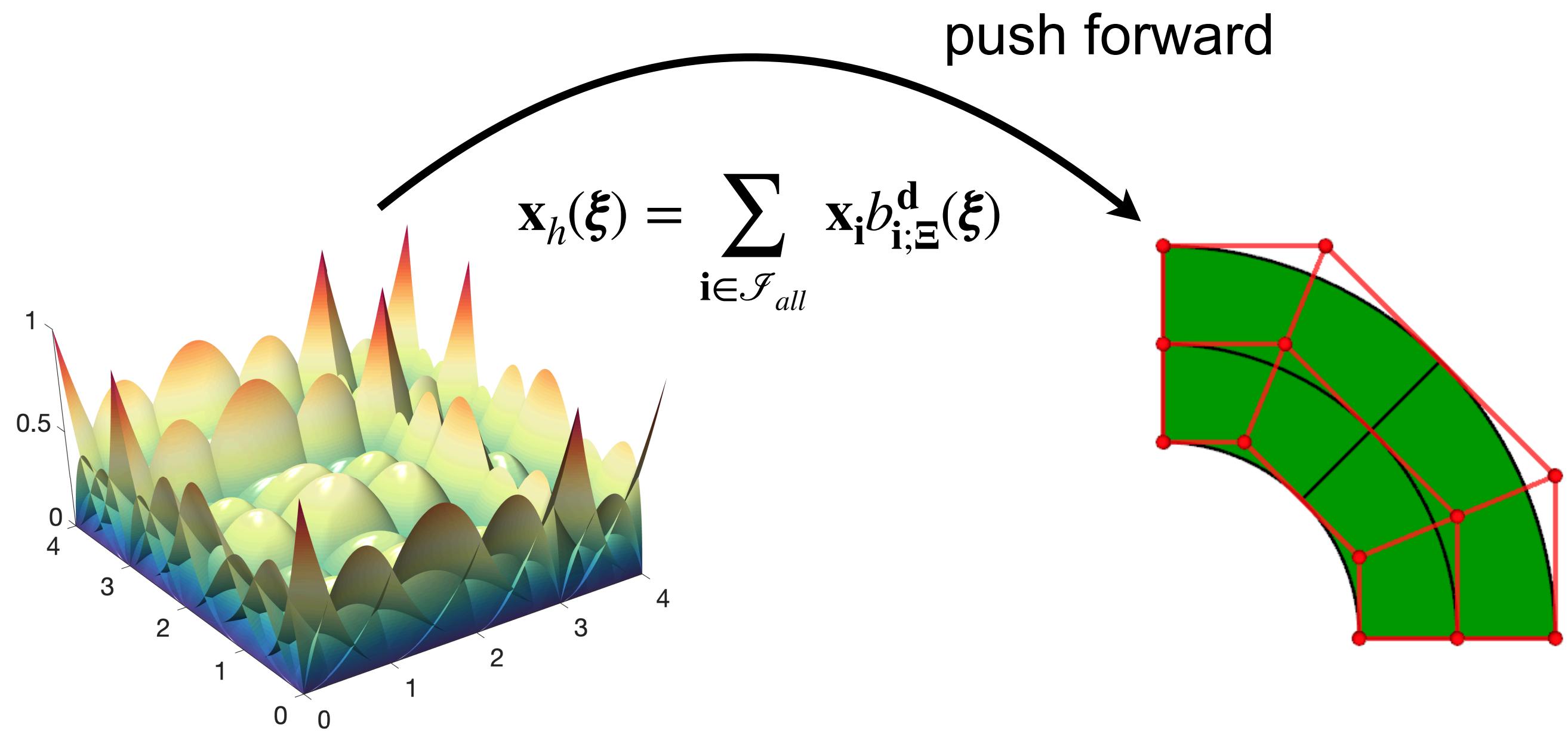
Spline space

$$\mathbb{S}_{\Xi}^{\mathbf{d}, s} = \text{span} \left\{ b_{1; \Xi}^{\mathbf{d}}, \dots, b_{n; \Xi}^{\mathbf{d}} \right\} = \left\{ \sum_{\mathbf{i}=1}^n c_{\mathbf{i}} b_{\mathbf{i}; \Xi}^{\mathbf{d}}(\xi) : c_{\mathbf{i}} \in \mathbb{R}^s, \text{ for } 1 \leq i \leq n, \xi \in \hat{\Omega}_{\Xi} \right\}$$

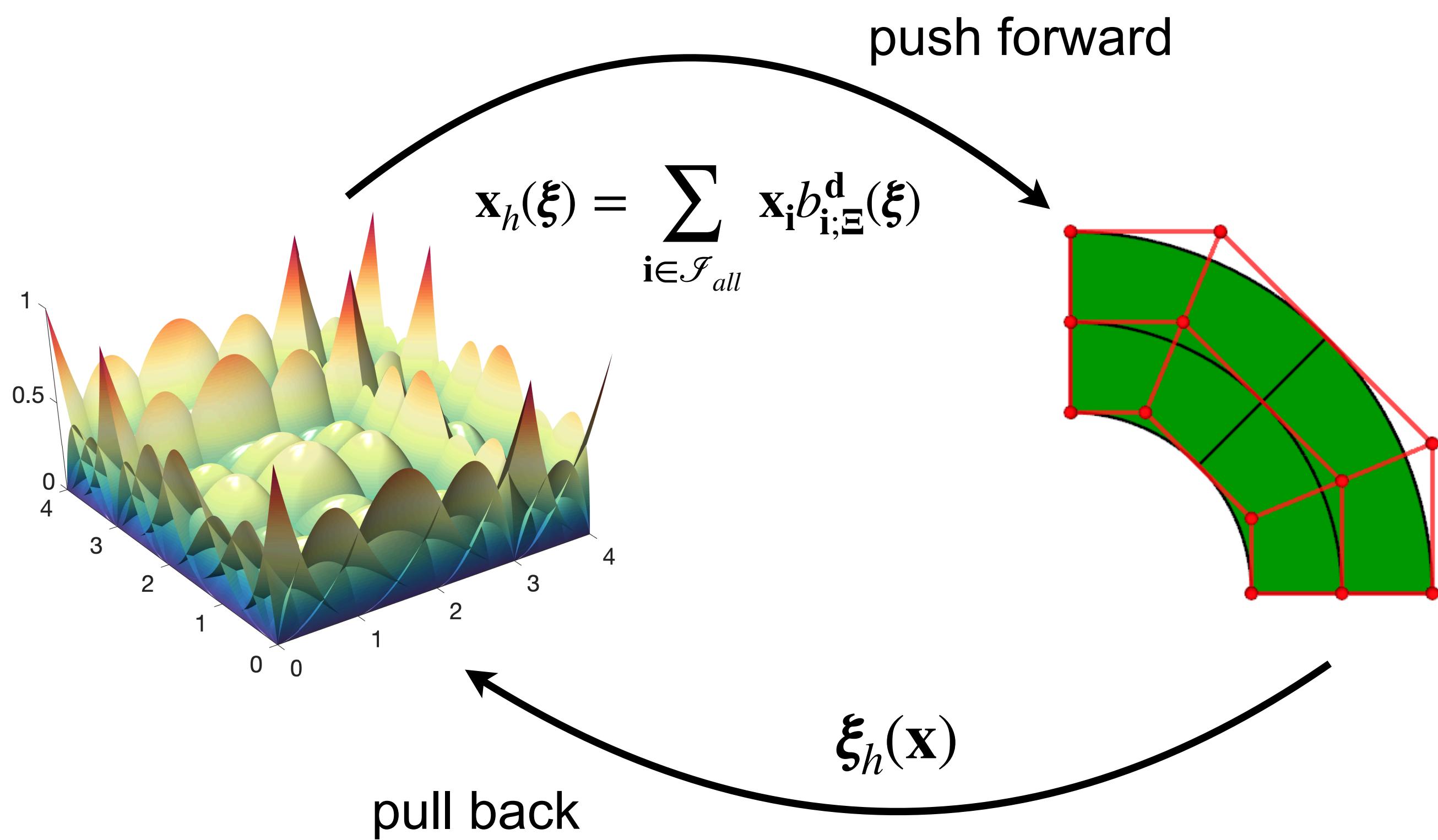
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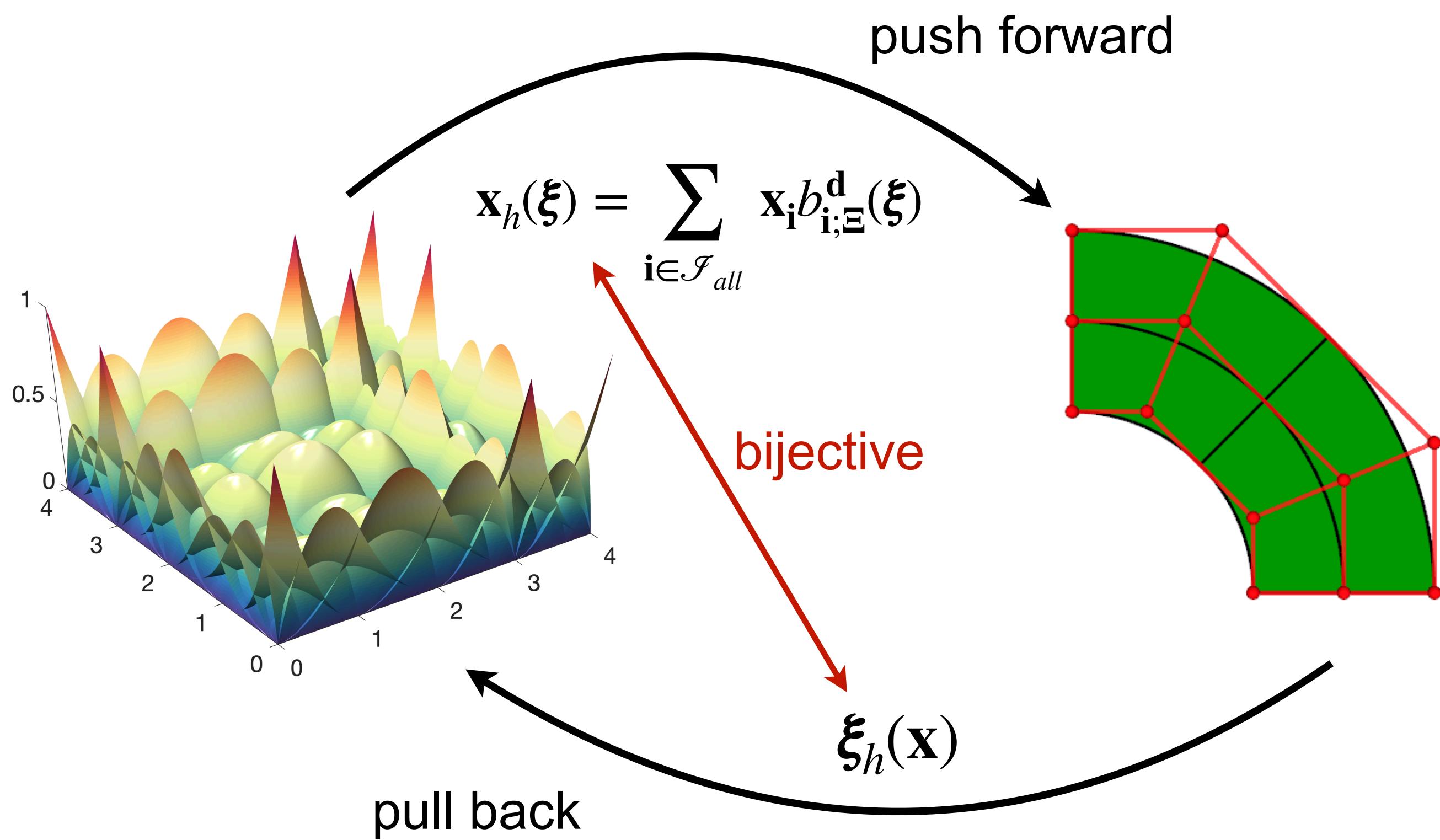
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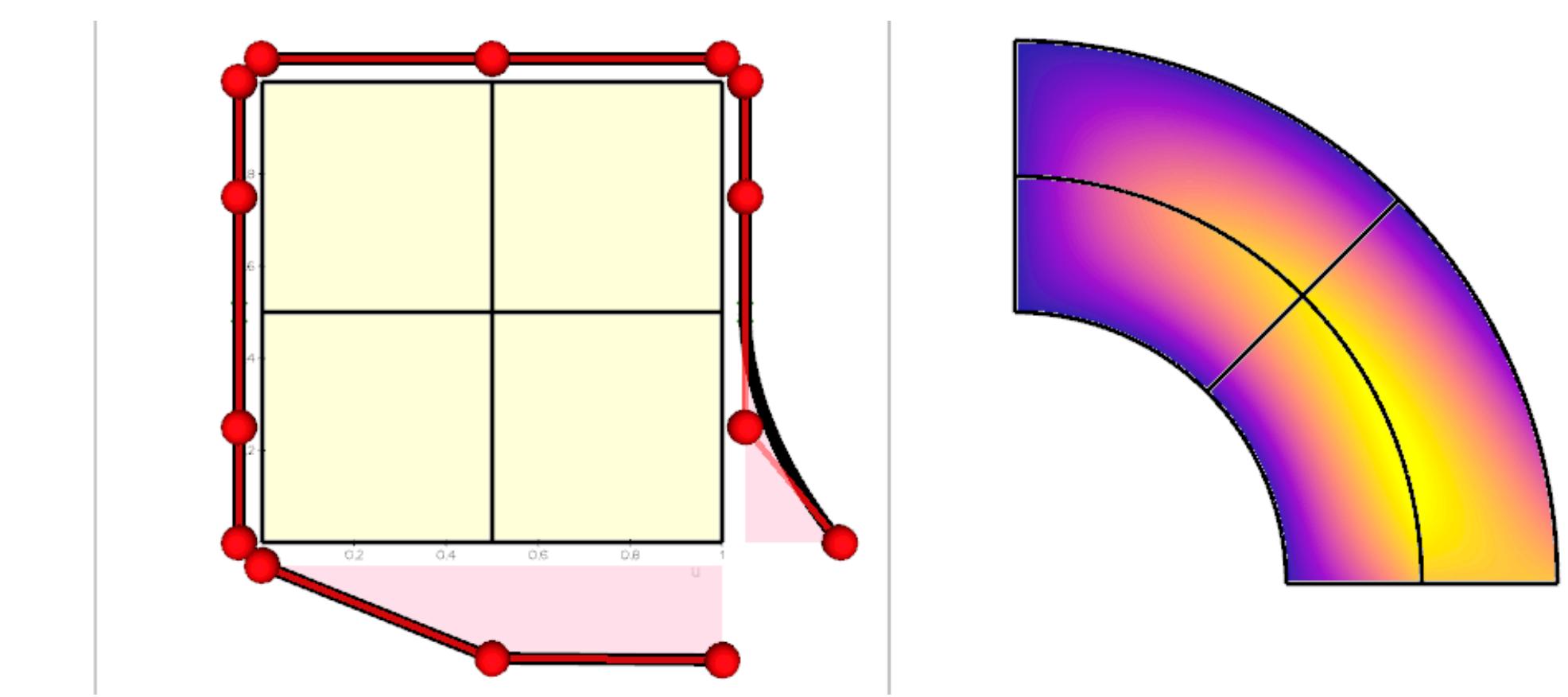
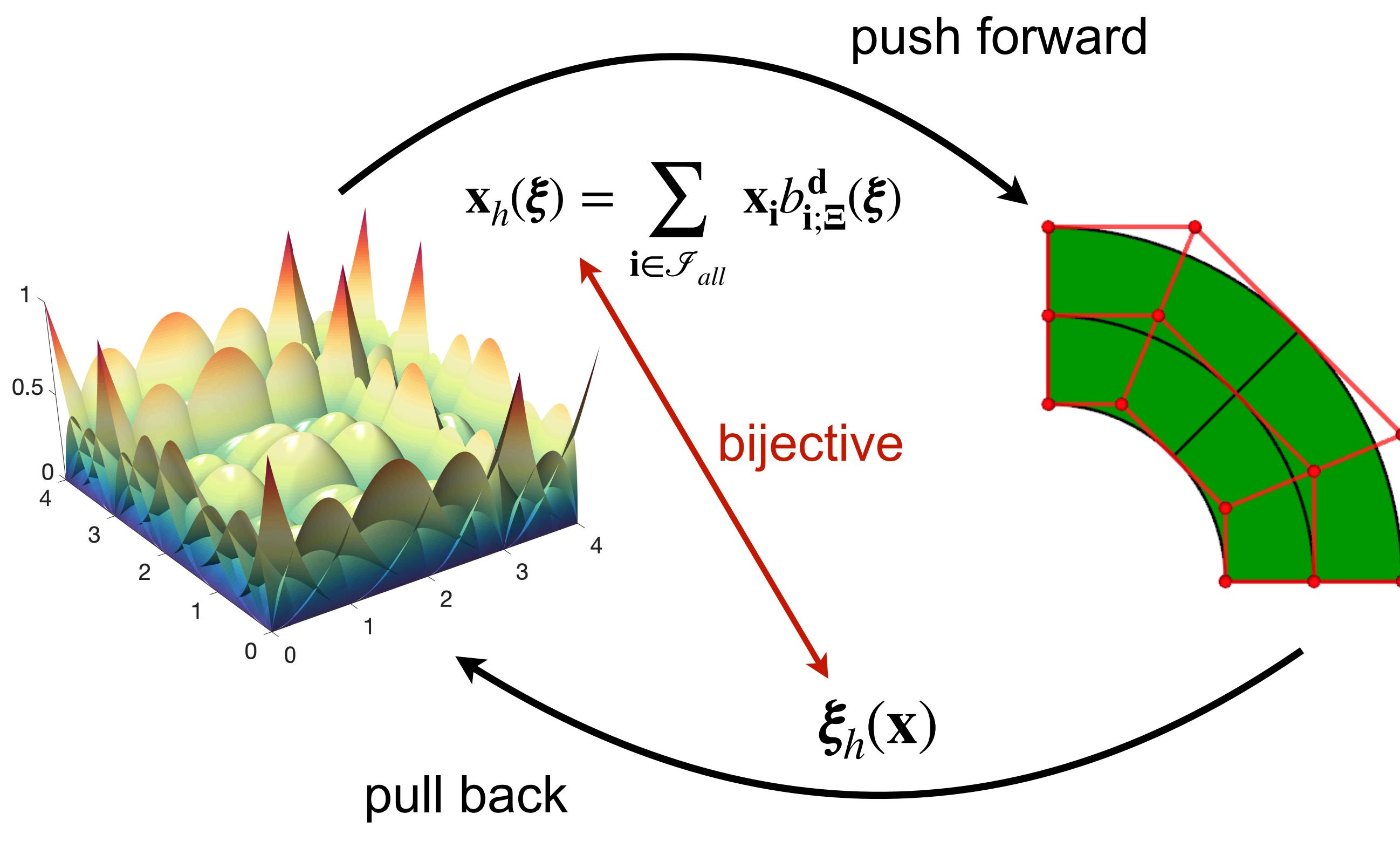
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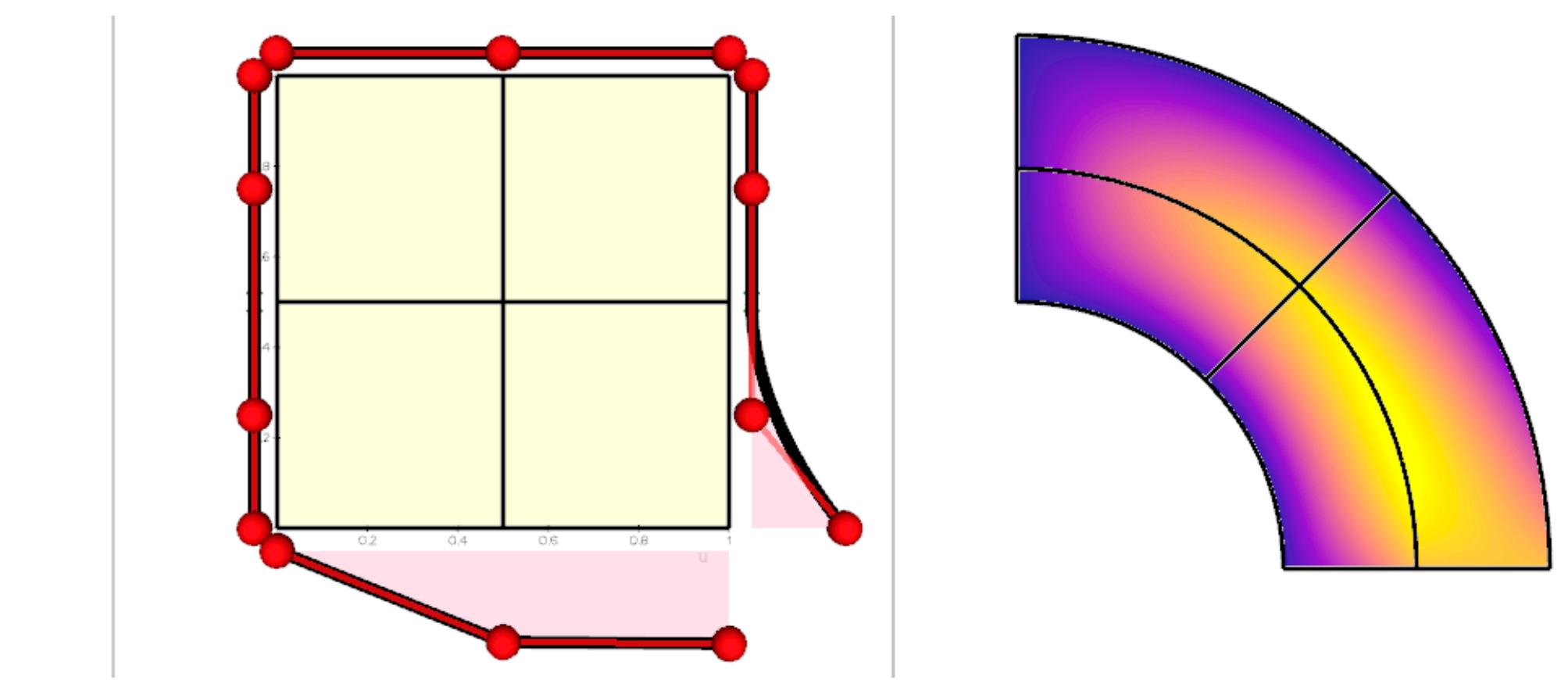
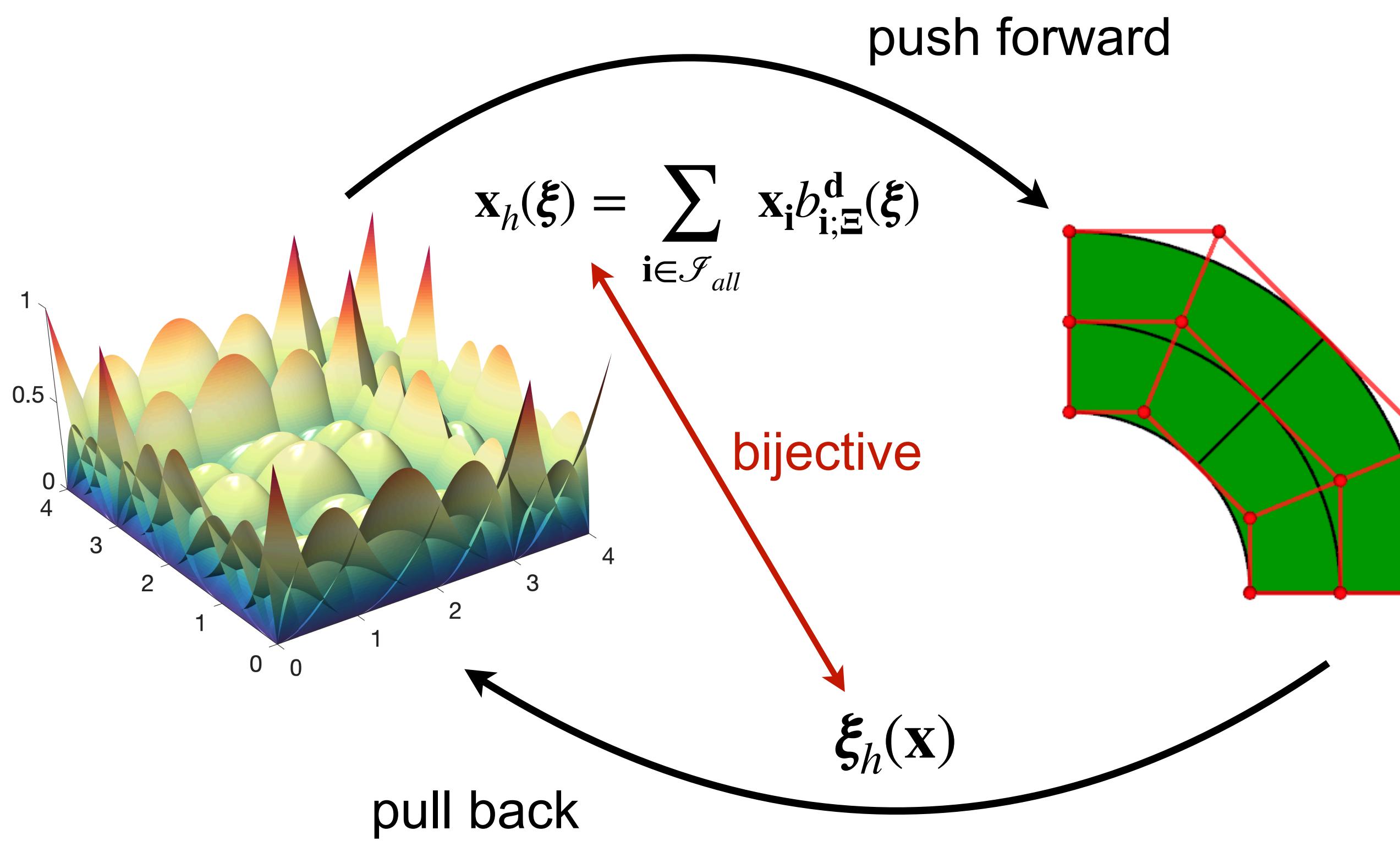


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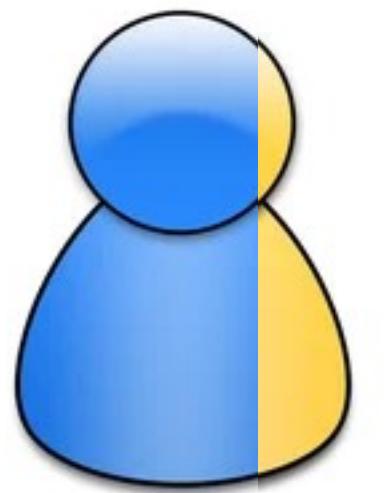
$$u_D(\xi) = \sum_{\mathbf{i} \in \mathcal{I}_{bdr}} u_{\mathbf{i}} \mathbf{x}_{\mathbf{i}} b_{\mathbf{i};\Xi}^d(\xi) \quad f(\xi) = \sum_{\mathbf{i} \in \mathcal{I}_{all}} f_{\mathbf{i}} \mathbf{x}_{\mathbf{i}} b_{\mathbf{i};\Xi}^d(\xi)$$

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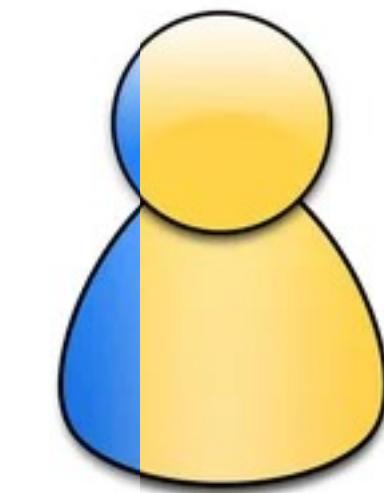
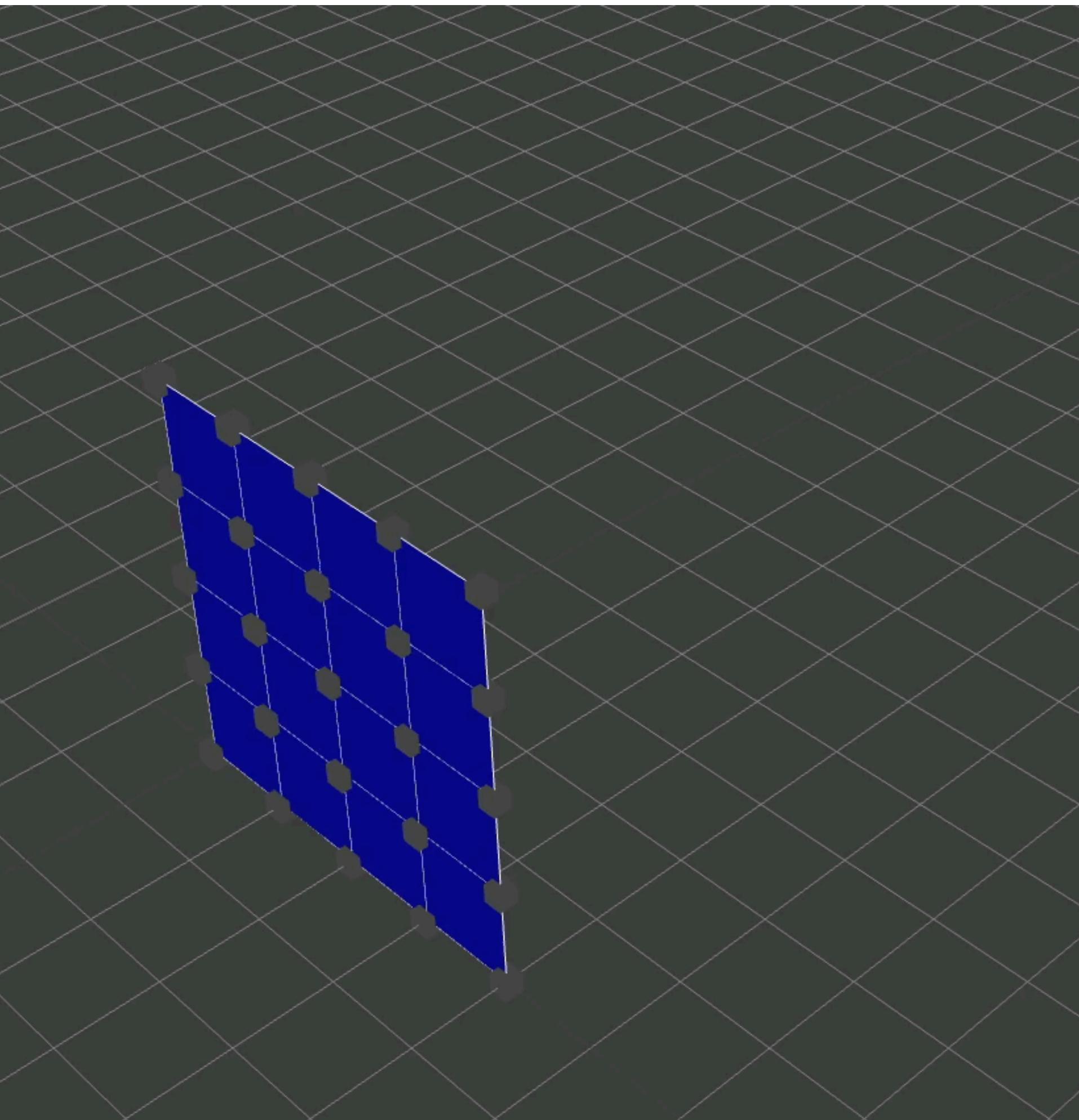


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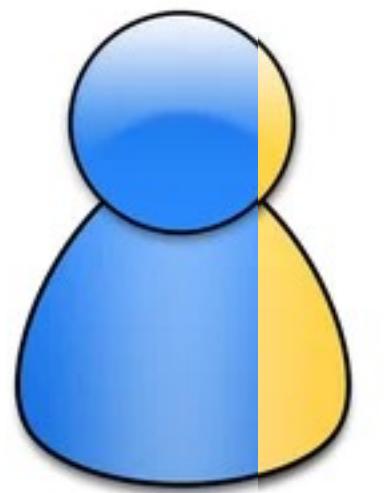
Compute solution $u(\xi) = u_D(\xi) + \sum_{\mathbf{i} \in \mathcal{I}_{int}} u_{\mathbf{i}} \mathbf{x}_{\mathbf{i}} b_{\mathbf{i};\Xi}^d(\xi)$ using Galerkin or collocation IGA



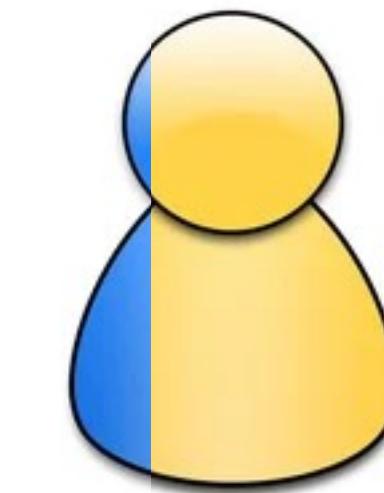
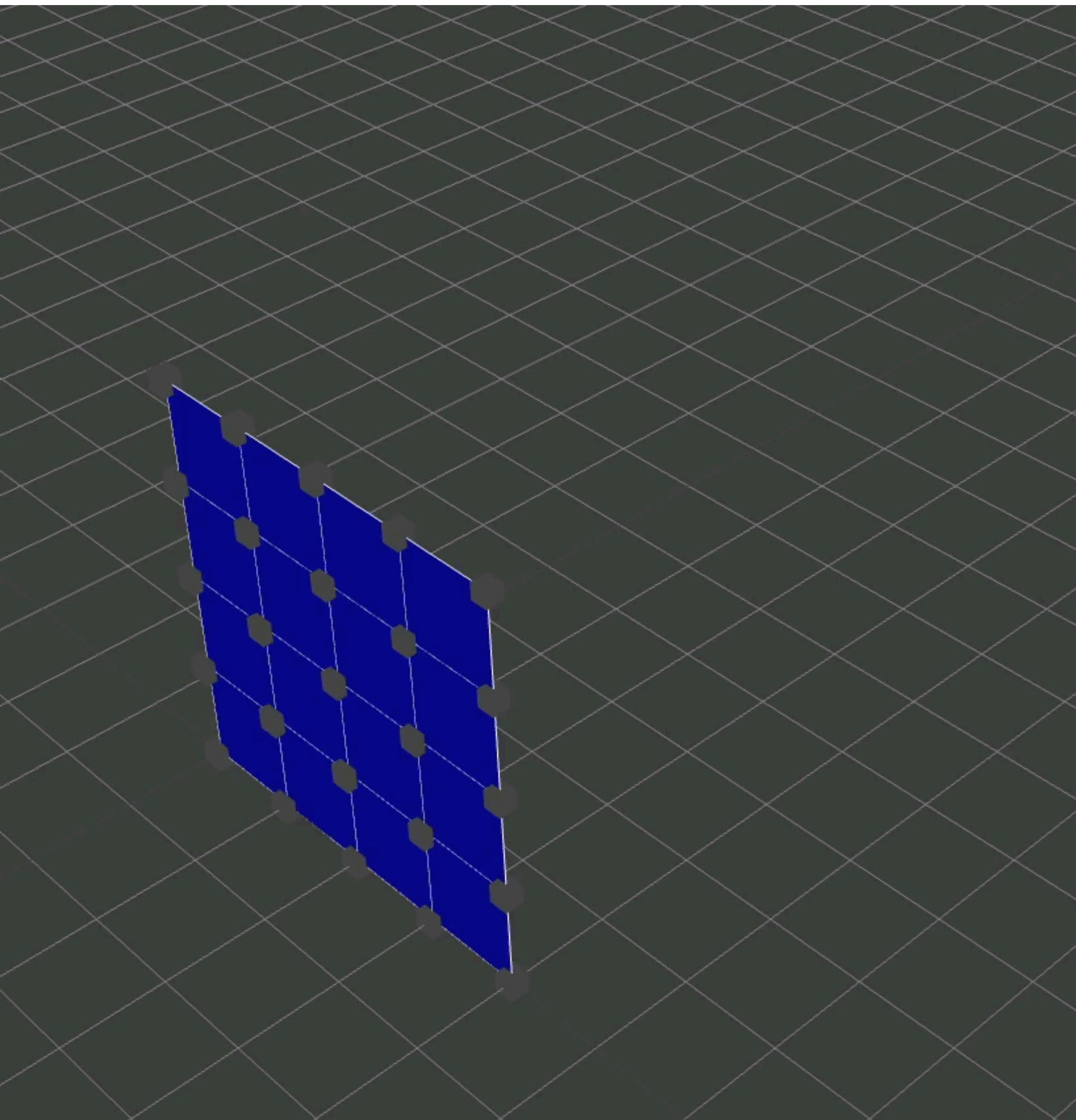
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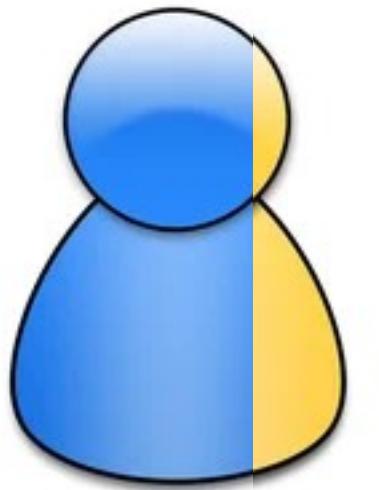
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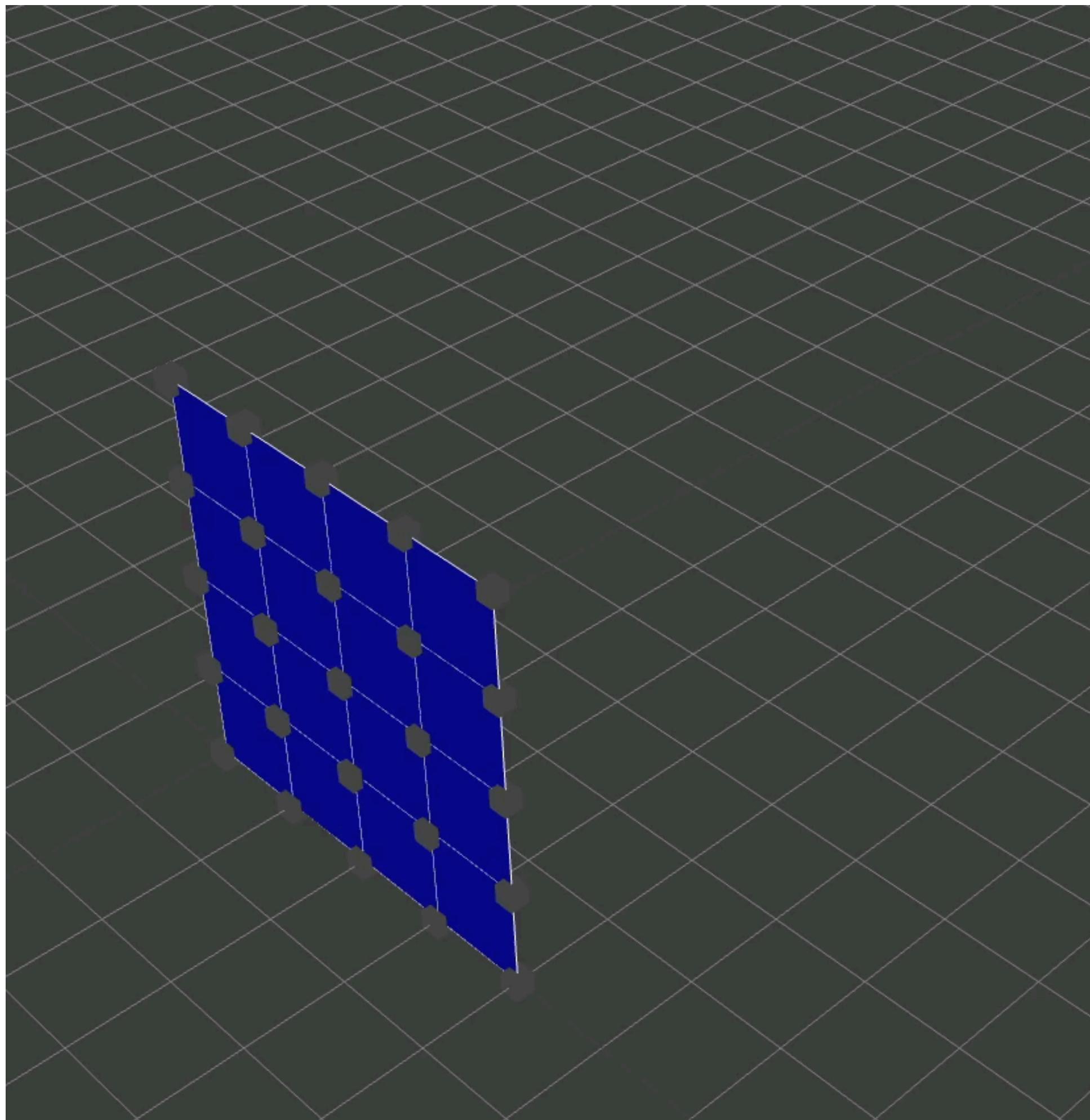
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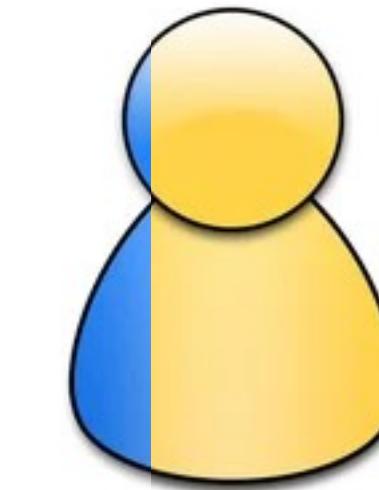
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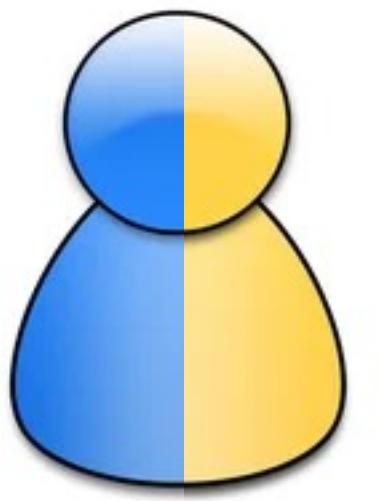
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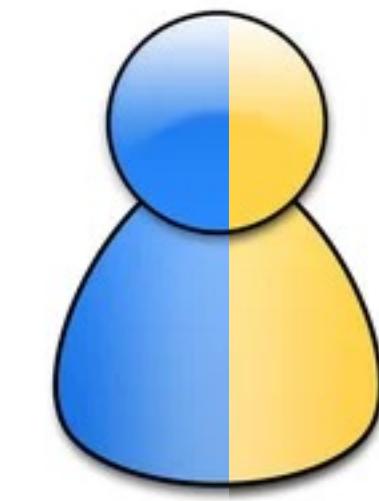
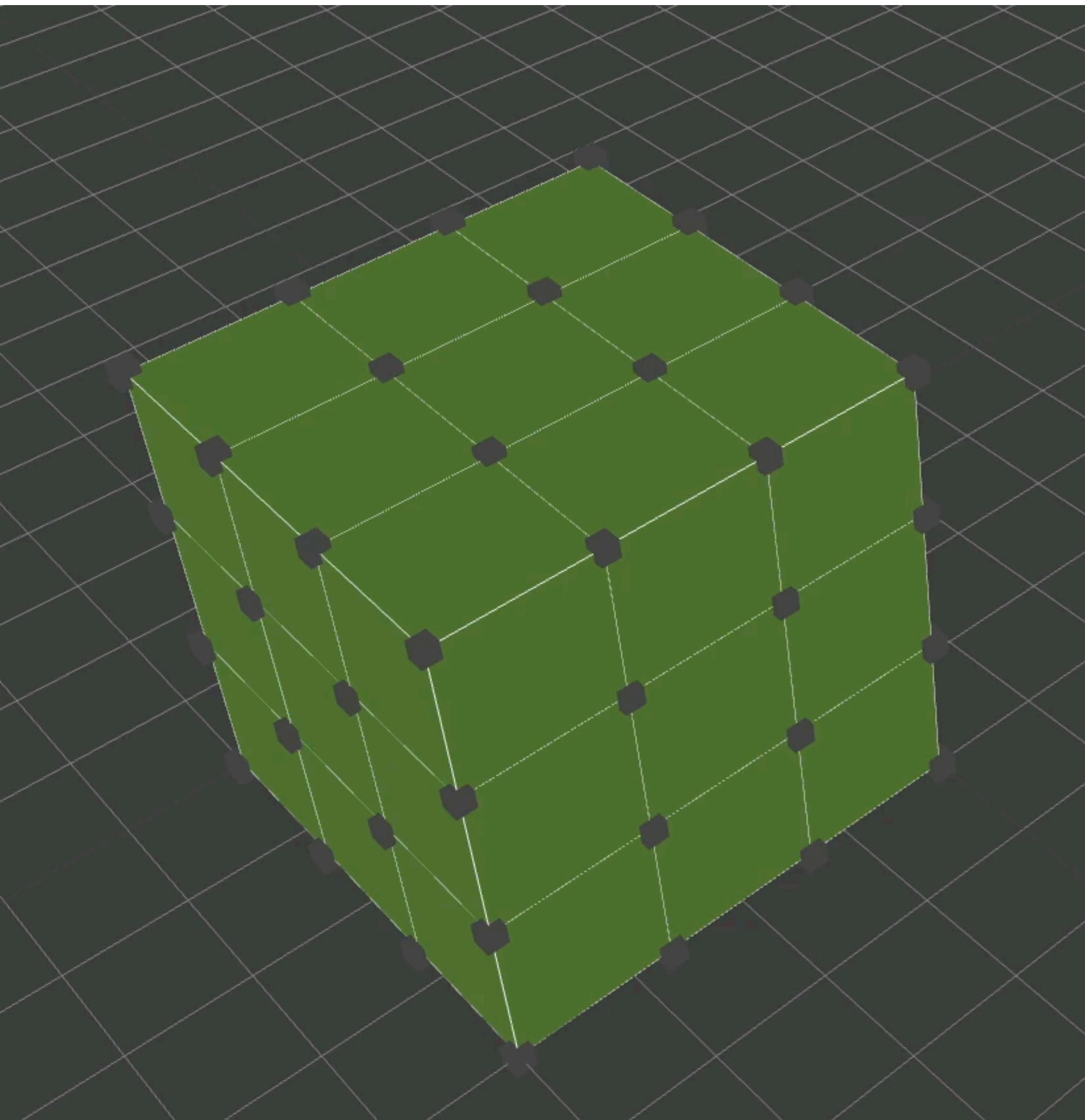
Automatic reparameterization of surfaces!



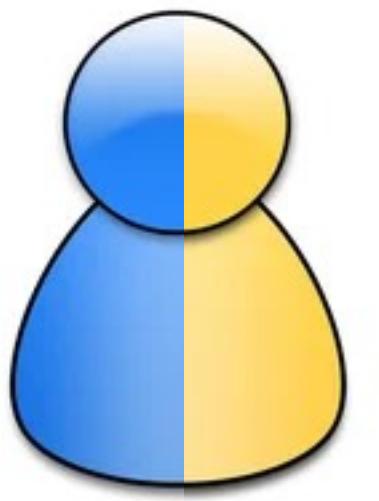
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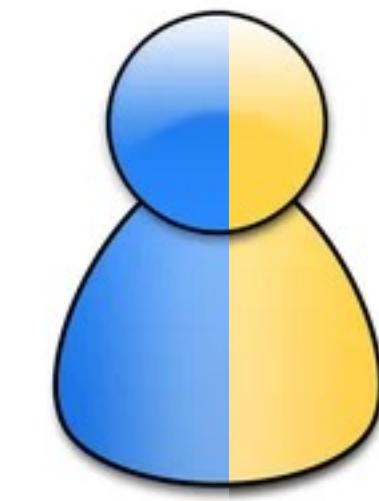
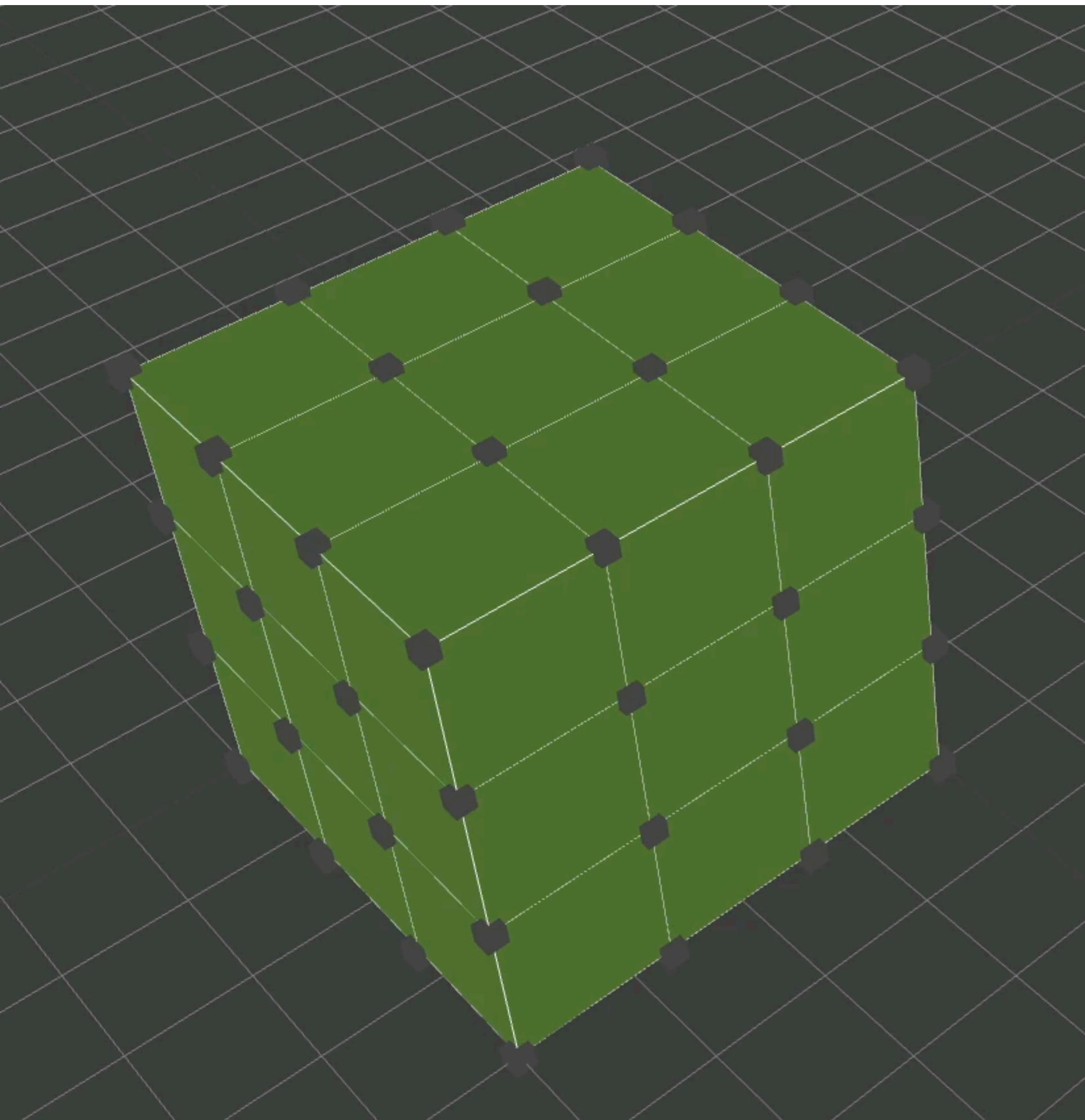
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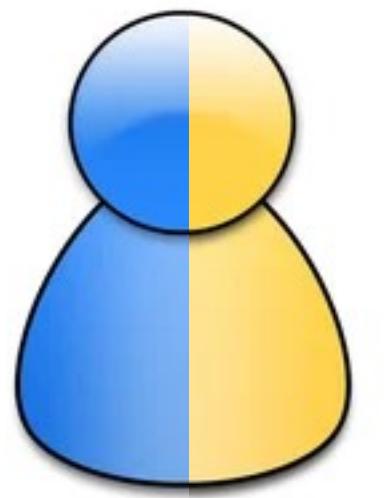
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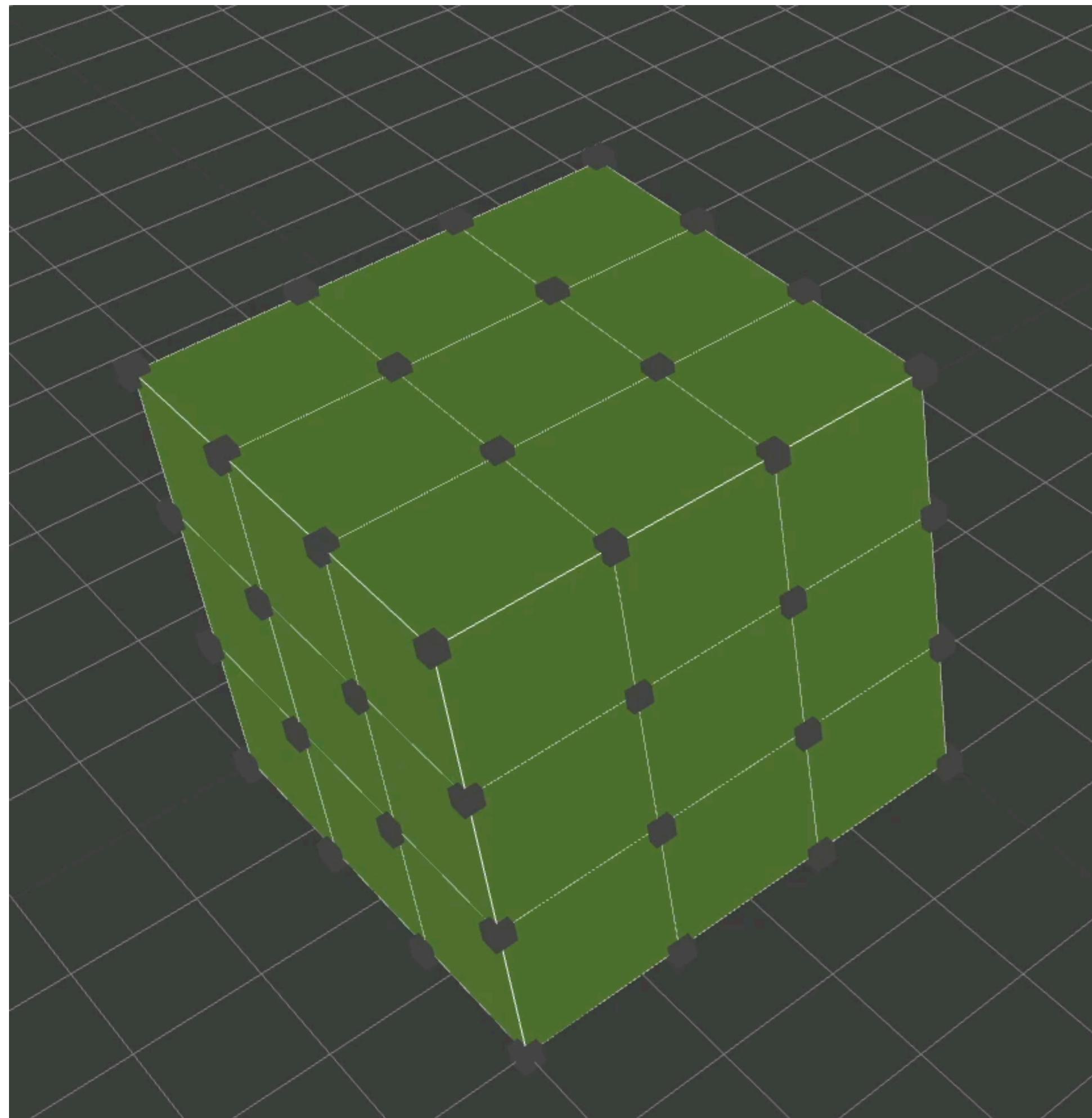
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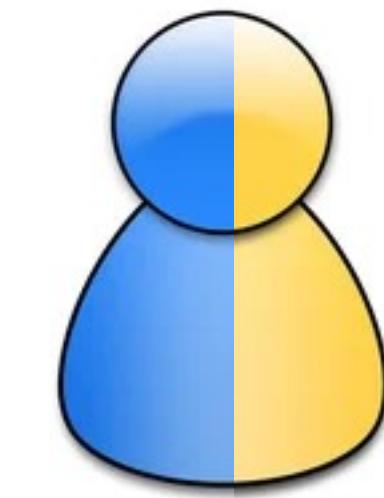
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Automatic placement of interior control points!



FEA

Creation of analysis-suitable parameterizations

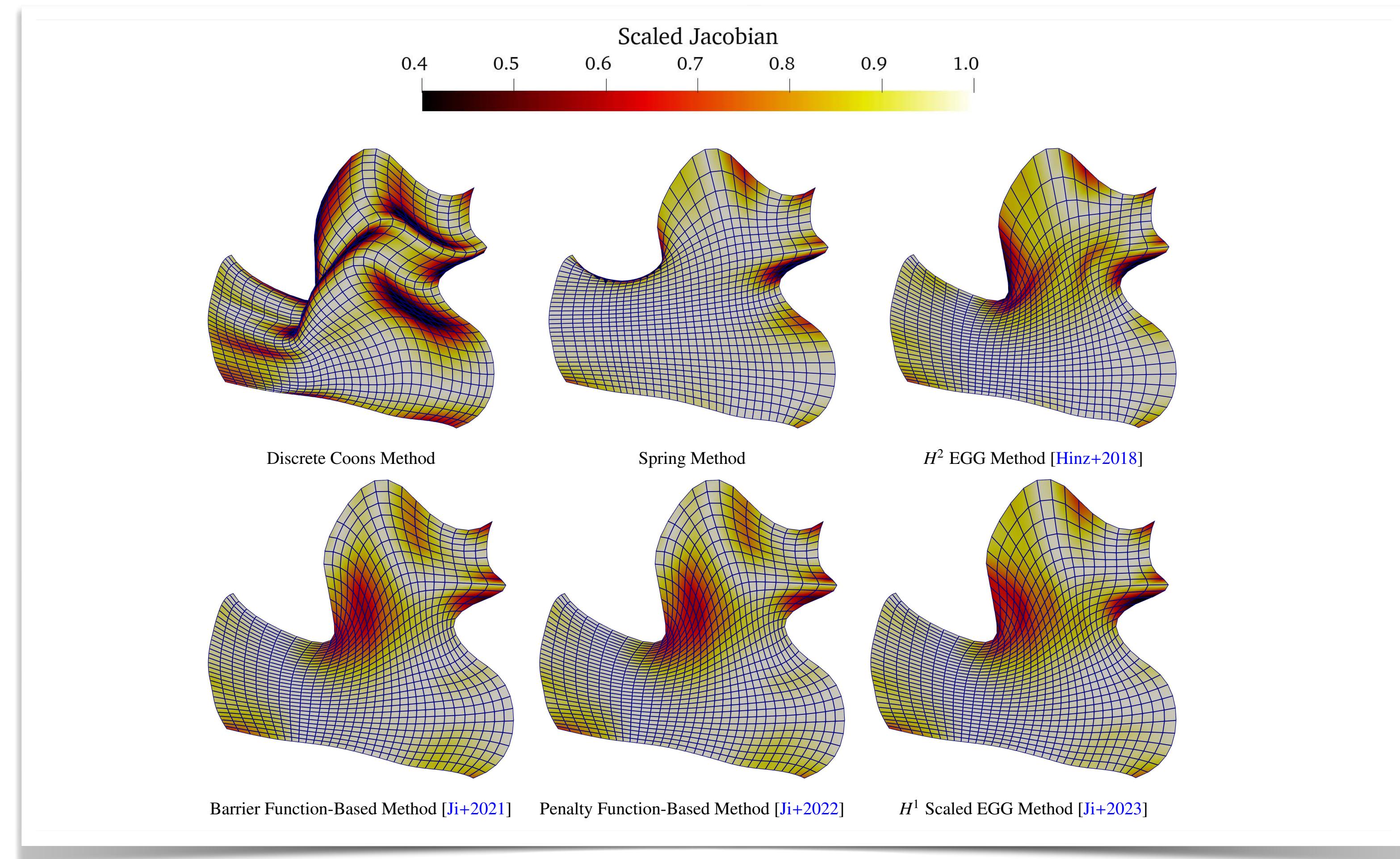
Algebraic methods

- Coons patch [Farin et al. 1999]
- spring patch [Gravesen et al. 2012], ...

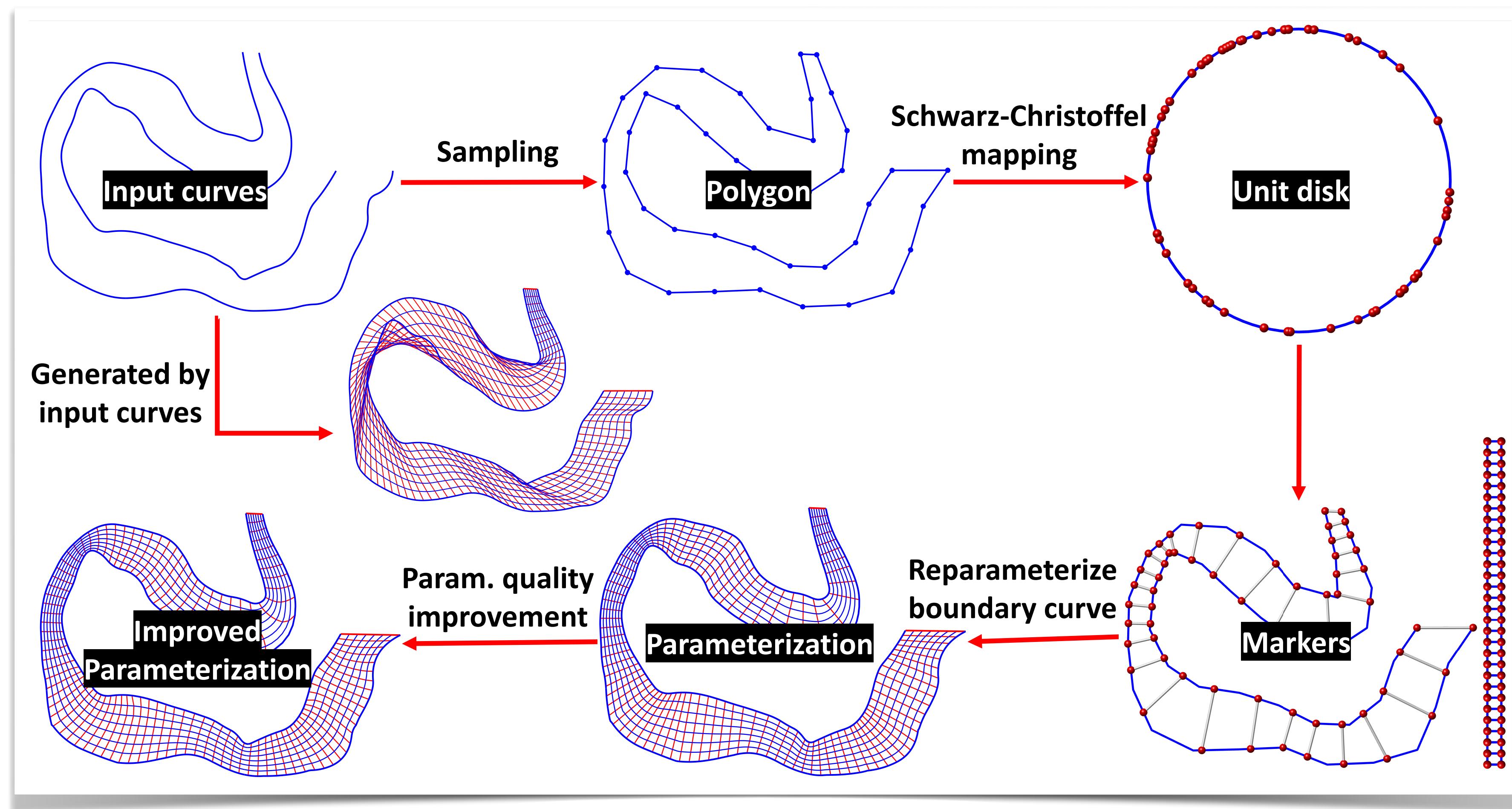
Nonlinear methods

- constrained optimization [Wang et al. 2014, Pan et al. 2020],
- unconstrained optimization: barrier functions [Ji et al. 2021], penalty functions [Wang 2021, Ji 2022]
- Teichmüller mappings [Chen et al. 2016], low-rank quasi-conformal mappings [Pan et al. 2024], harmonic mappings [Martin et al. 2009, Nguyen et al. 2010, Xu et al. 2013, Falini et al. 2015]
- PDE-based methods [Hinz et al. 2018 & 2020, Ji et al. 2023]
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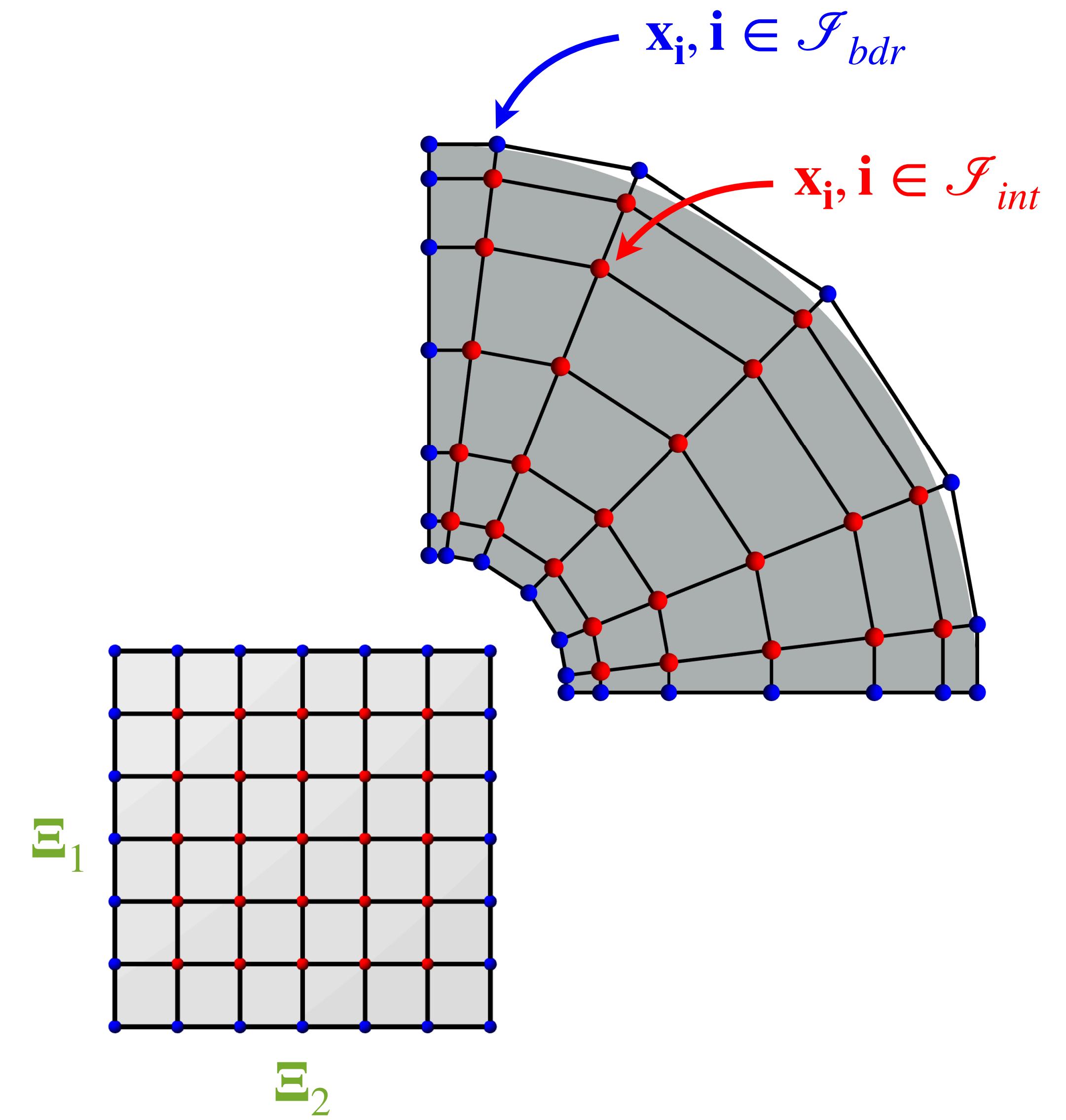
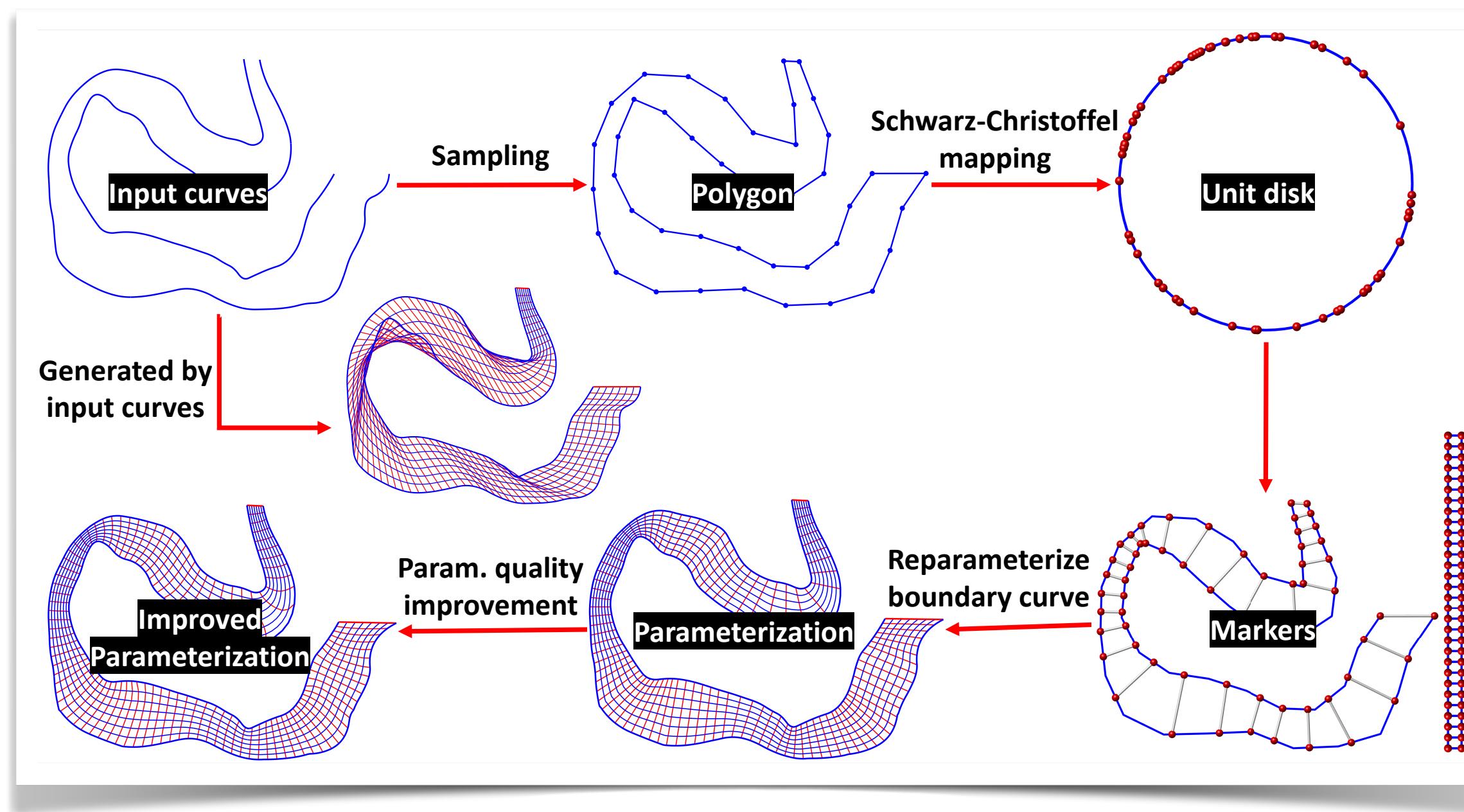
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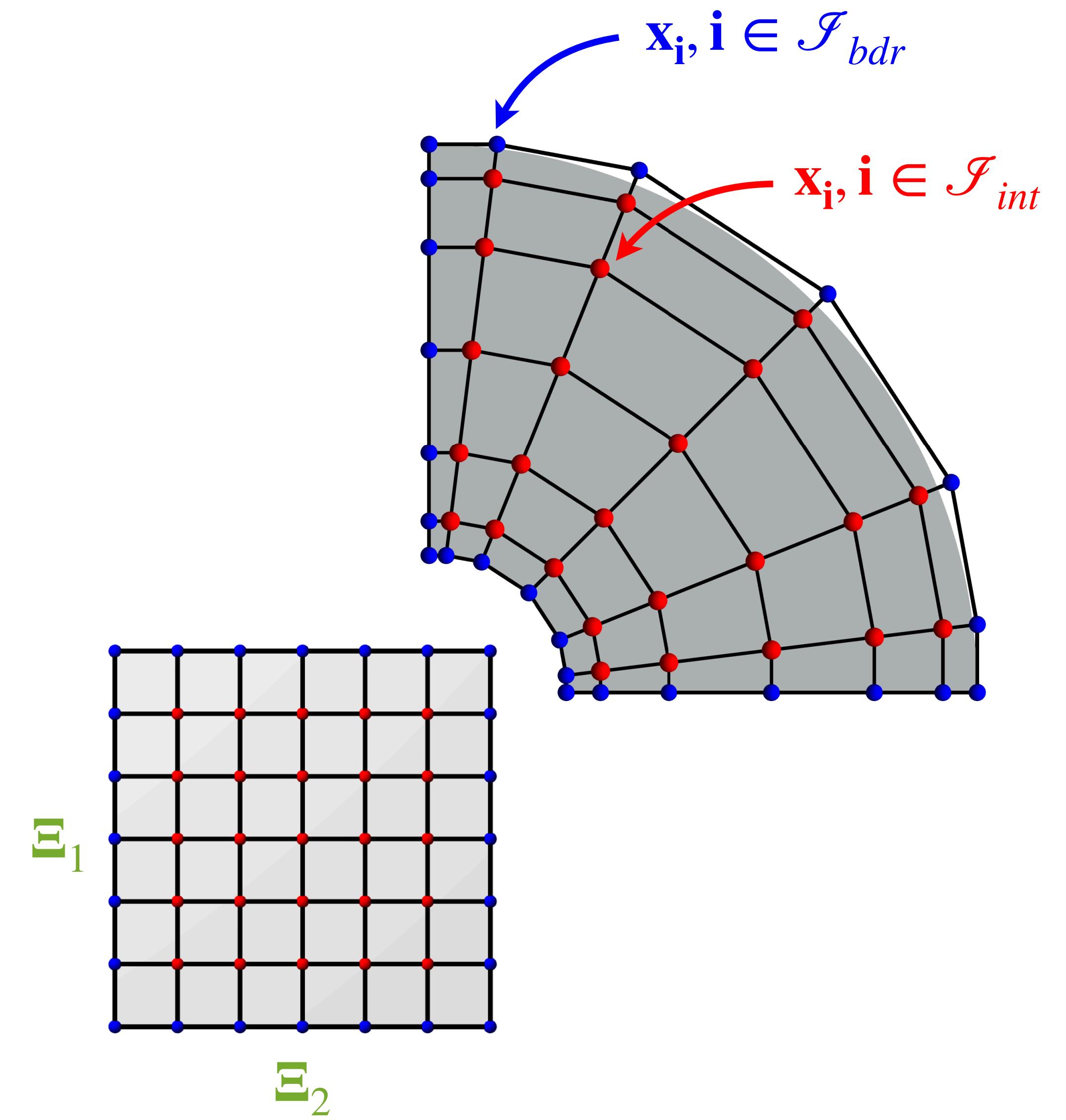
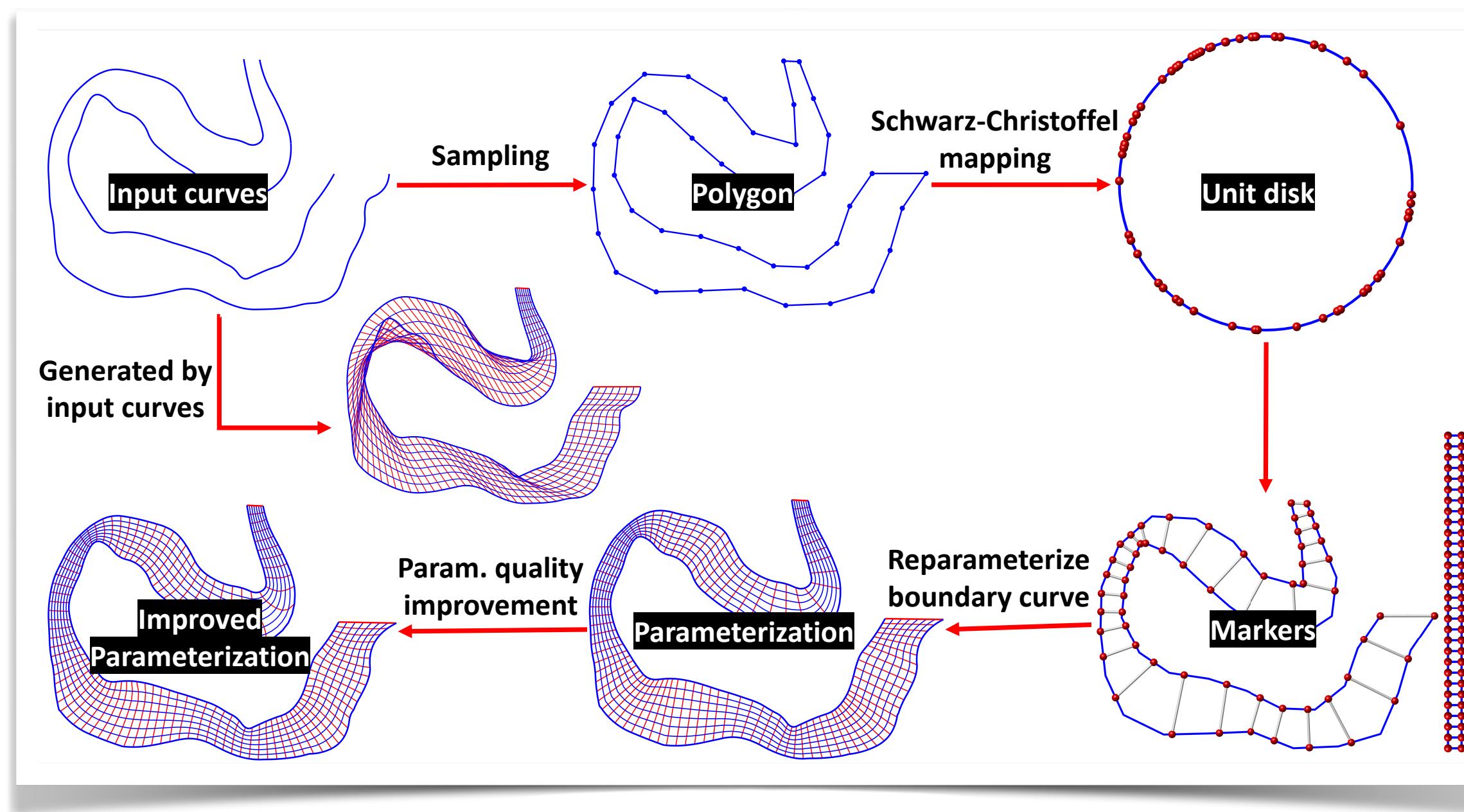
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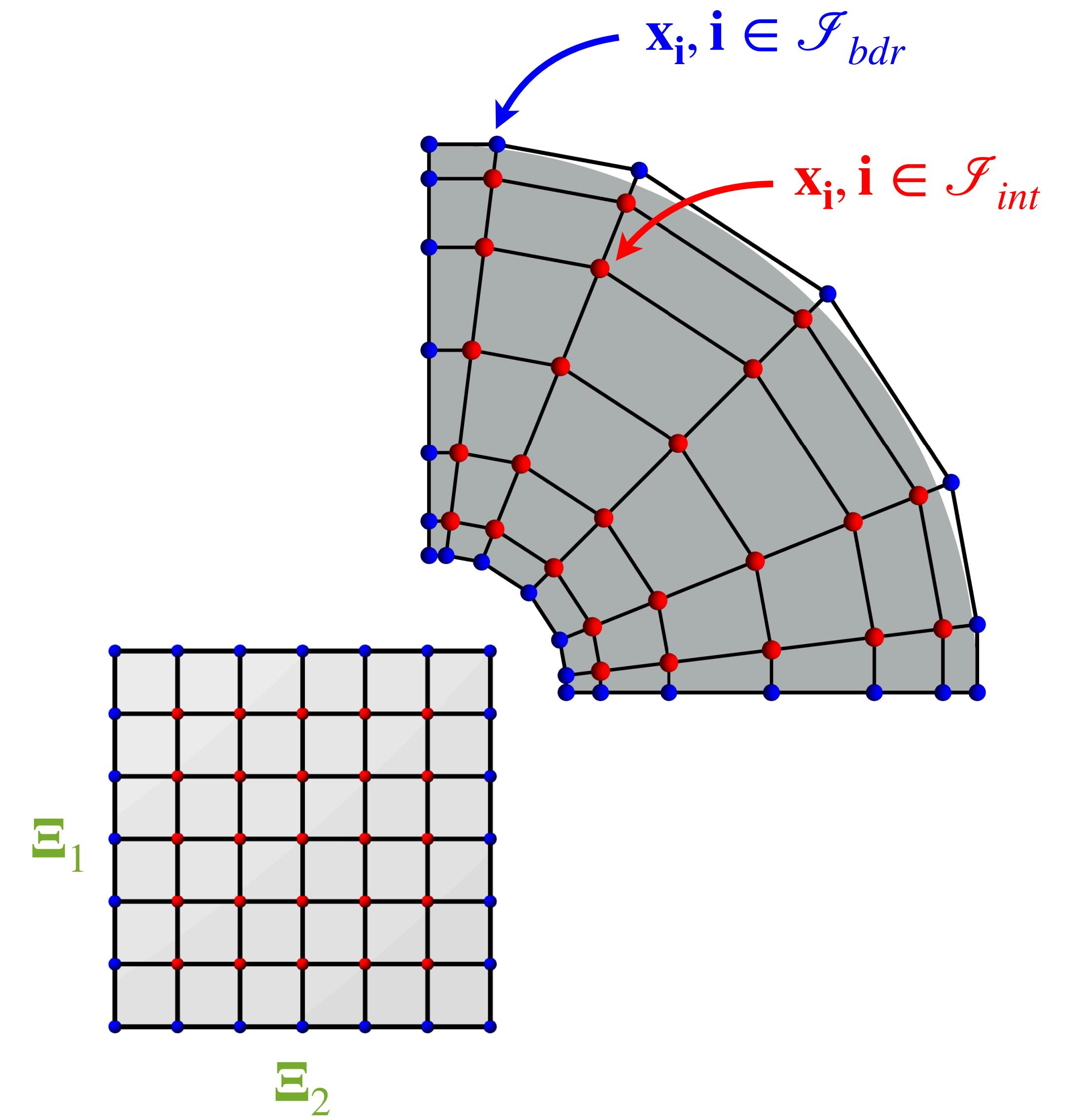
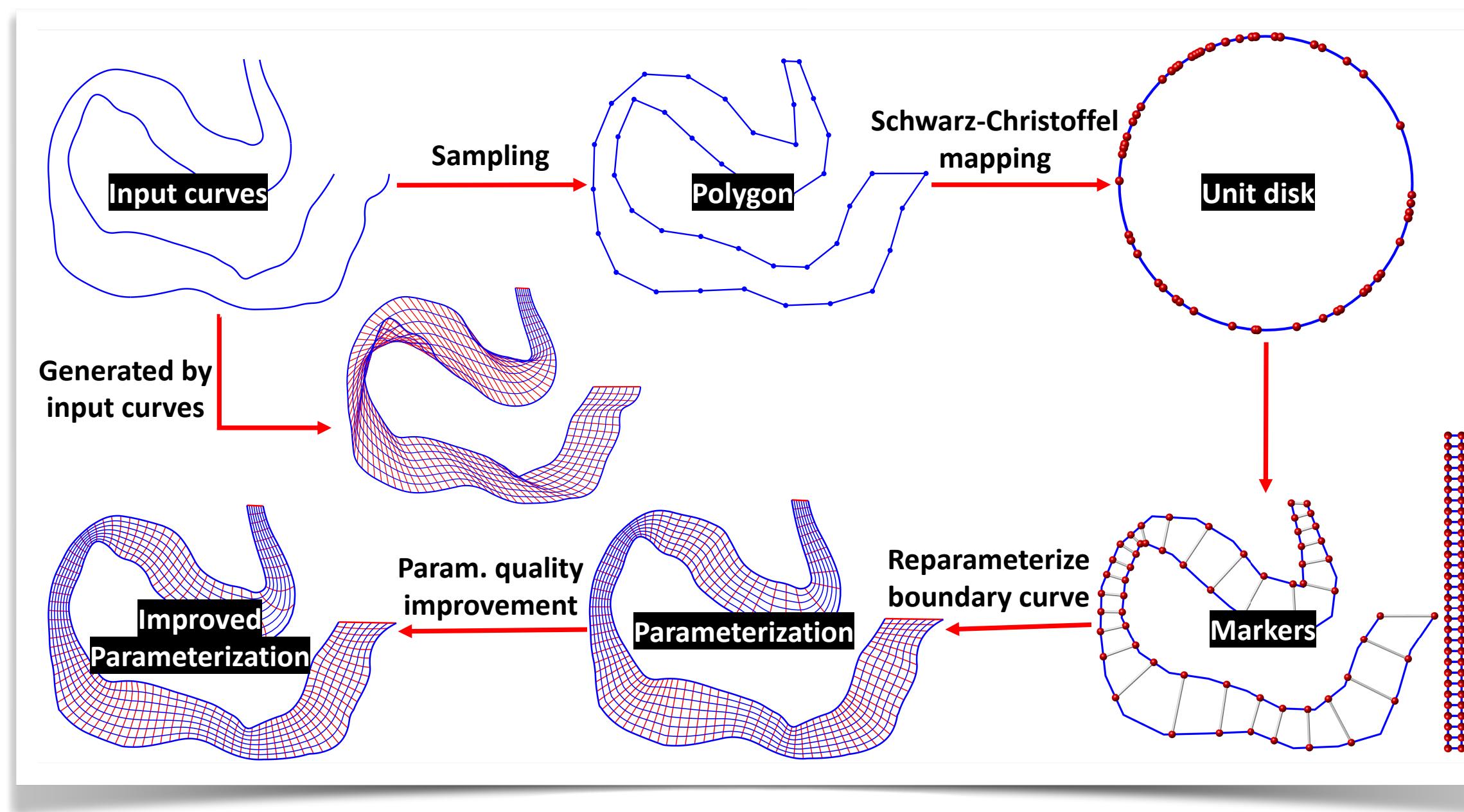
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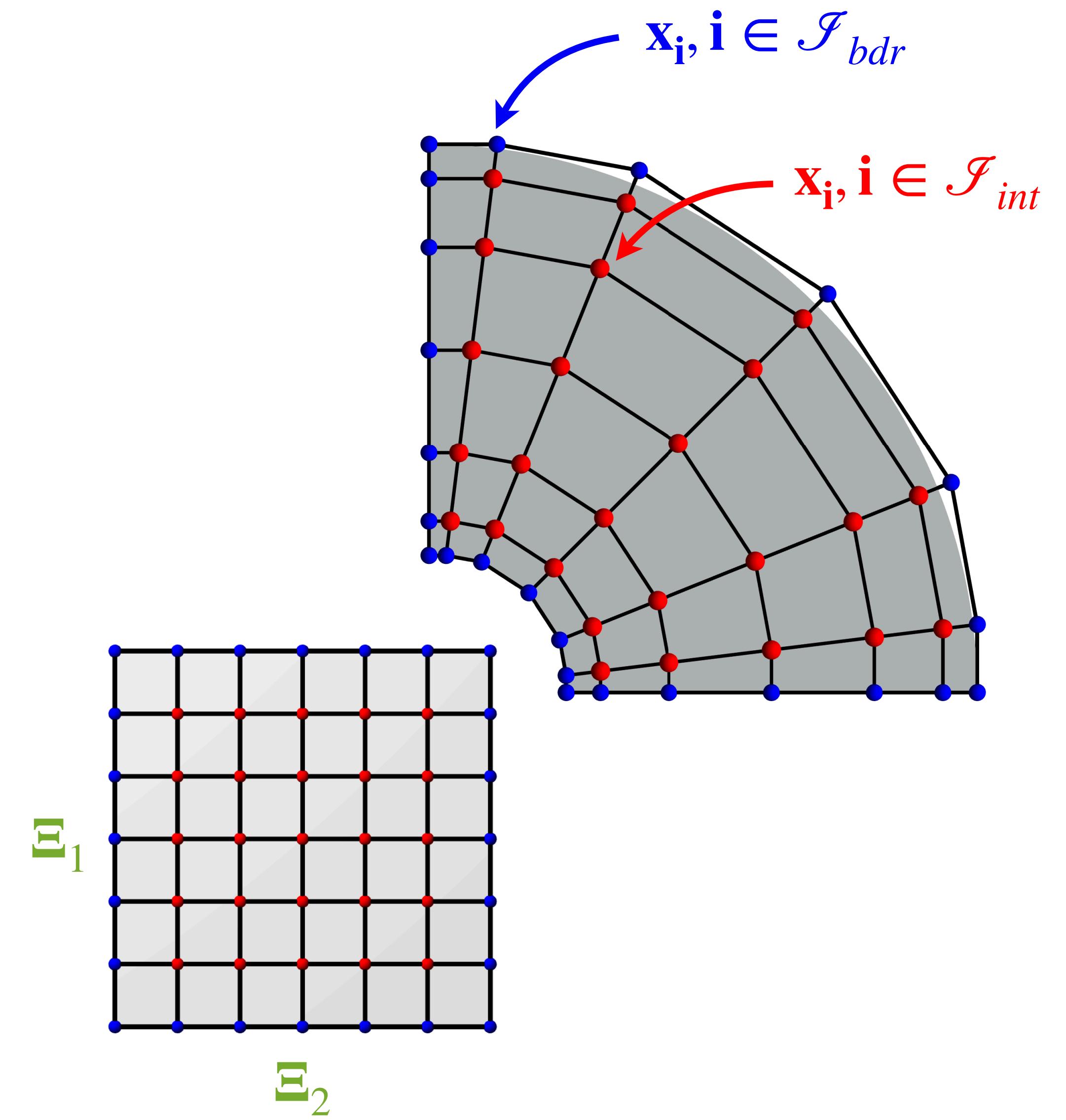
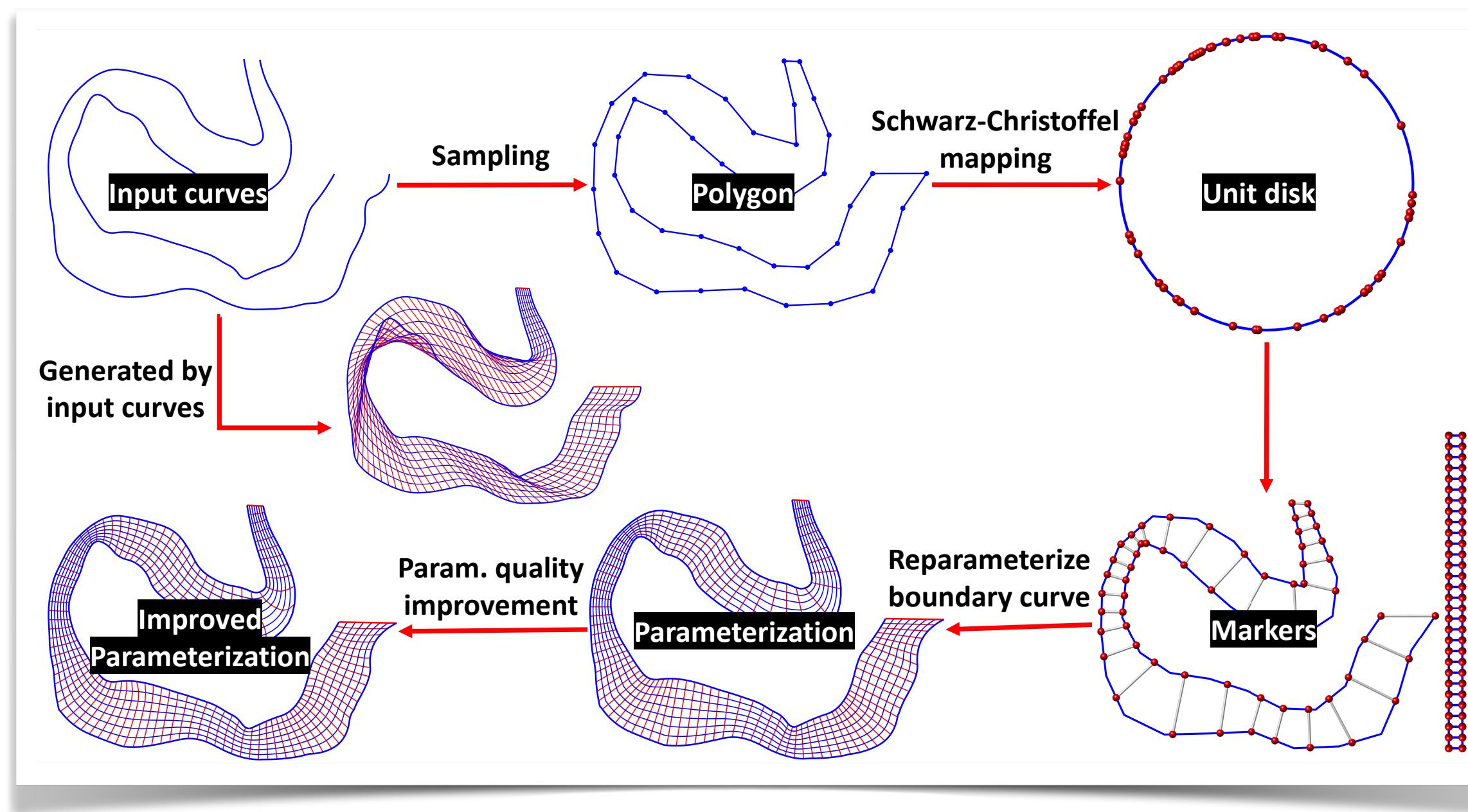
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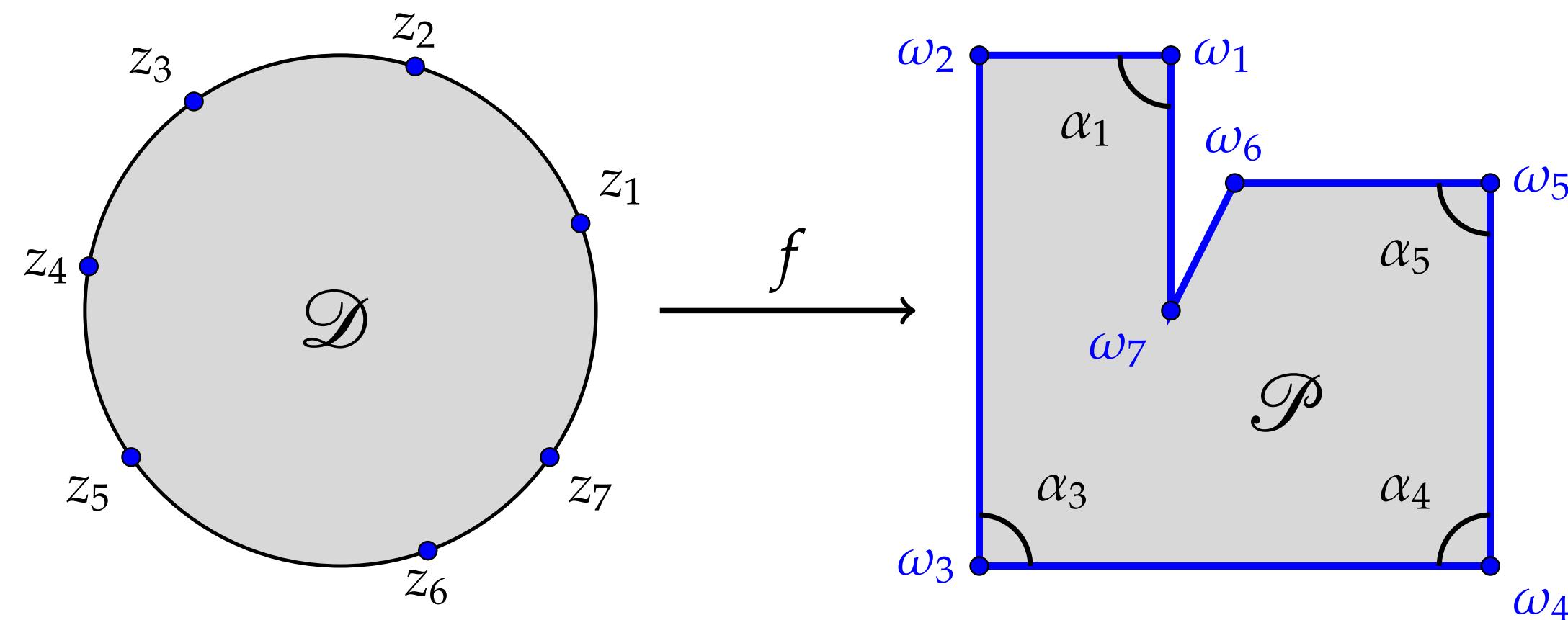
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Schwarz-Christoffel mapping

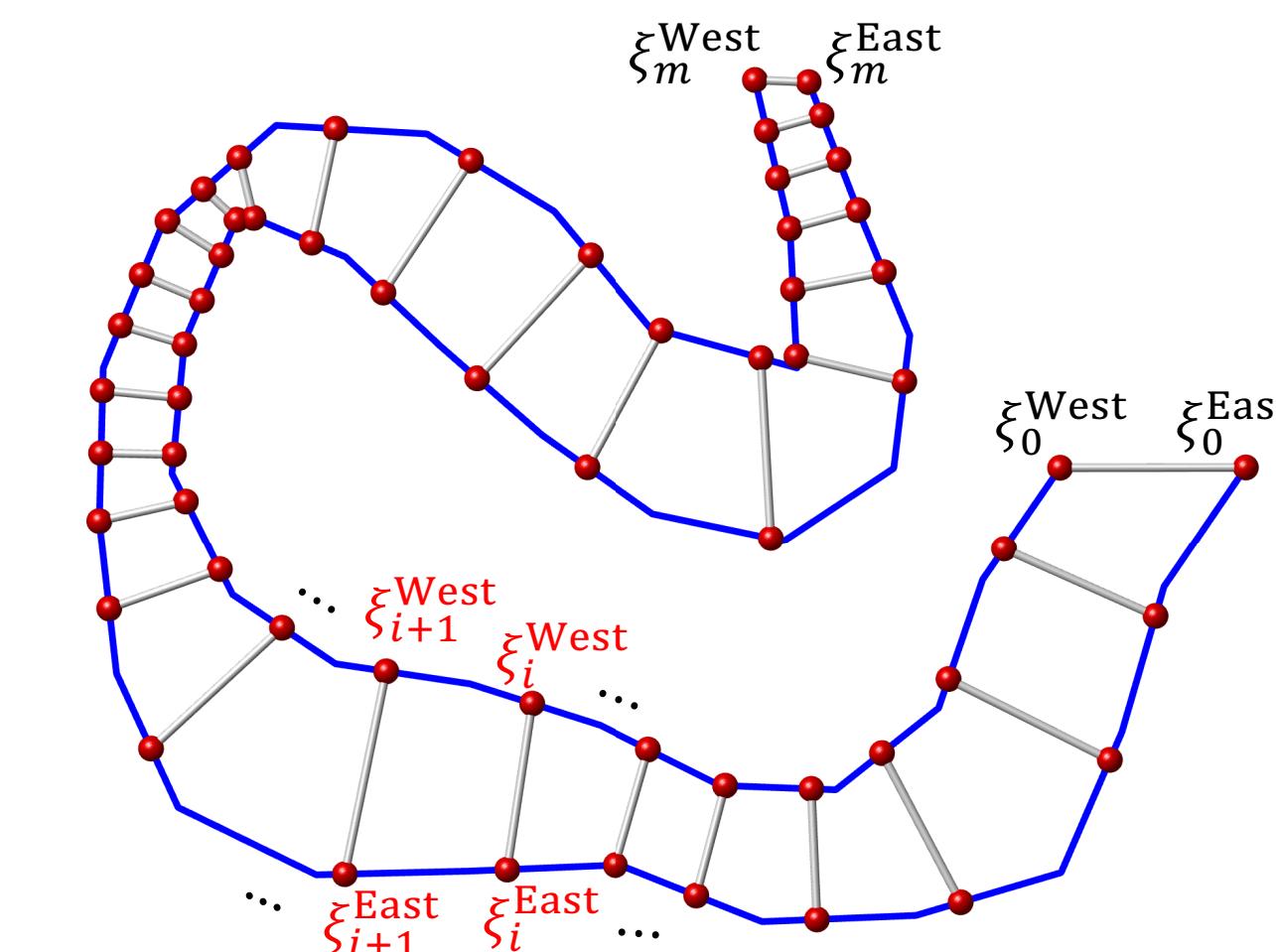


Riemann mapping theorem: \exists analytic function f with non-zero derivative such that $f(\mathcal{D}) = \mathcal{P}$.

Schwarz-Christoffel formula

$$f(z) = f(z_0) + C \int_{z_0}^z \prod_{j=1}^n \left(1 - \frac{\zeta}{z_j}\right)^{\alpha_j/\pi-1} d\zeta$$

Solving the Schwarz-Christoffel parameter problem for $\{z_j\}$ numerically allows us to calculate sets of markers $\{\mathbf{P}_i^{West}\}$ and $\{\mathbf{P}_i^{East}\}$ on the two opposite curves C^{West} and C^{East} that can be used to reparameterize one curve w.r.t. the other

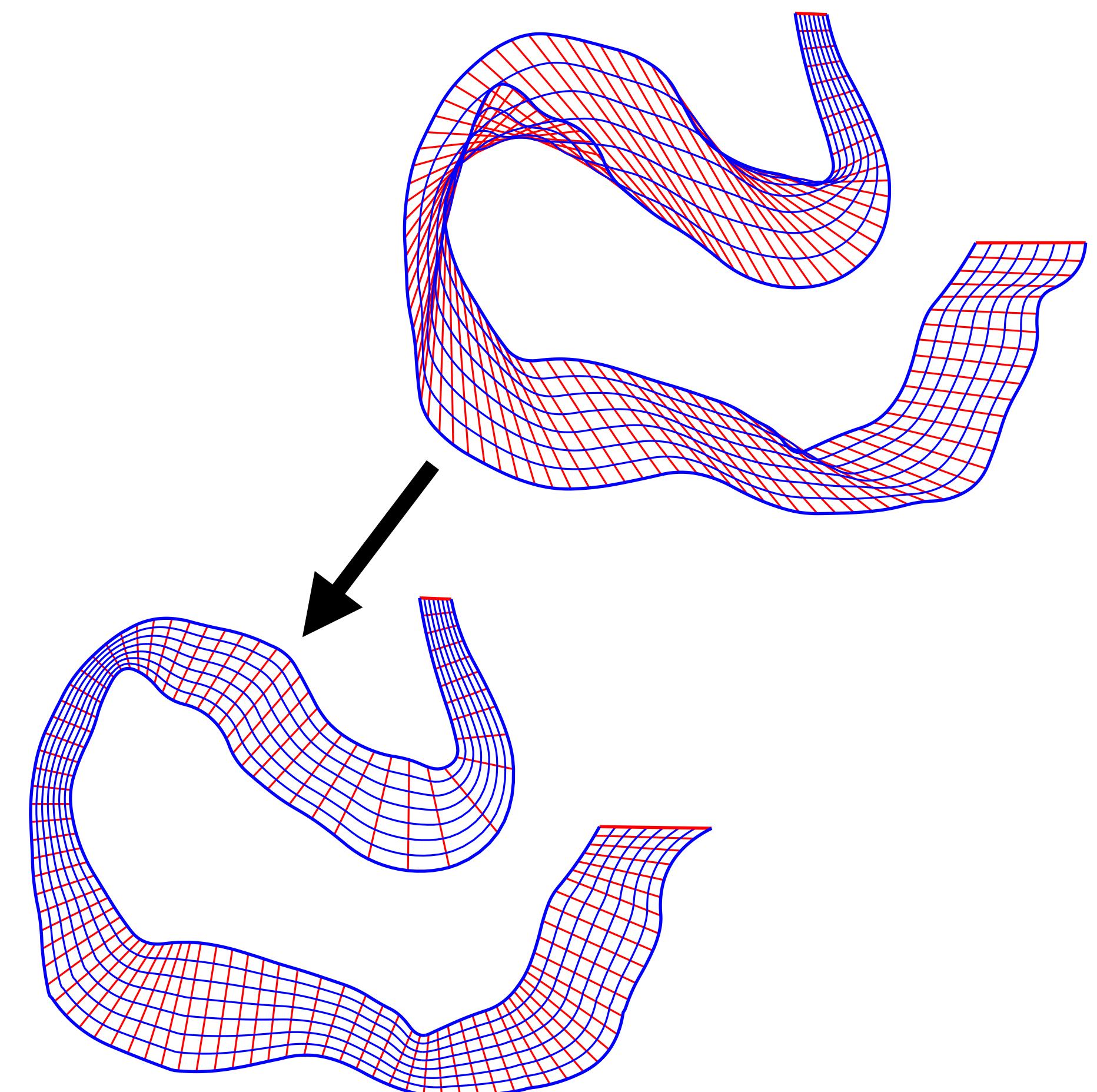


Boundary reparameterization

Theorem [Ji et al. 2024]: B-spline and NURBS basis functions are invariant under scaling and translation of the knot vector, i.e. $b_{i,\Xi}^d(\xi) = b_{i,\hat{\Xi}}^d(s\xi + t)$ with $\hat{\Xi} = s\Xi + t$, $s > 0$

Sketch of the reparameterization algorithm

- For each pair of markers $(\mathbf{P}_i^{East}, \mathbf{P}_i^{West})$ identify the pair of parameters $(\xi_i^{East}, \xi_i^{West})$ by solving the nonlinear equation $(C^*(\xi) - \mathbf{P}_i^*) \cdot \partial C^*(\xi) / \partial \xi = 0$ using Newton's method
- Without loss of generality, align the segment of curve C^{East} defined over the parameter interval $[\xi_i^{East}, \xi_{i+1}^{East}]$ with C^{West} by applying an affine transformation



From boundary to planar domain parameterizations

Given: $\Gamma = C^{North} \cup C^{South} \cup C^{East} \cup C^{West}$ as push-forward from $\hat{\Gamma}$

Harmonic mapping: compute $\mathbf{x} : \hat{\Omega} \rightarrow \Omega$ by solving Laplace problems for $\mathbf{x}^{-1} = \boldsymbol{\xi} : \Omega \rightarrow \hat{\Omega}$

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla \cdot [\mathbb{A} \nabla \xi_1(x_1, x_2)] &= 0 \\ \nabla \cdot [\mathbb{A} \nabla \xi_2(x_1, x_2)] &= 0\end{aligned}\quad \text{s.t. } \mathbf{x}^{-1} \Big|_{\Gamma} = \hat{\Gamma}$$

with $\mathbb{A} = 1$ [Hinz et al. 2018] or $\mathbb{A} = \text{diag}(1/|\mathbf{J}|)$, Jacobian $\mathbf{J}(\boldsymbol{\xi}_1, \boldsymbol{\xi}_2)$ [Ji et al. 2023]

Radó-Kneser-Choquet theorem: convexity of $\hat{\Omega}$ ensures one-to-one mapping between $\hat{\Omega}$ and Ω

Computation of planar parameterization

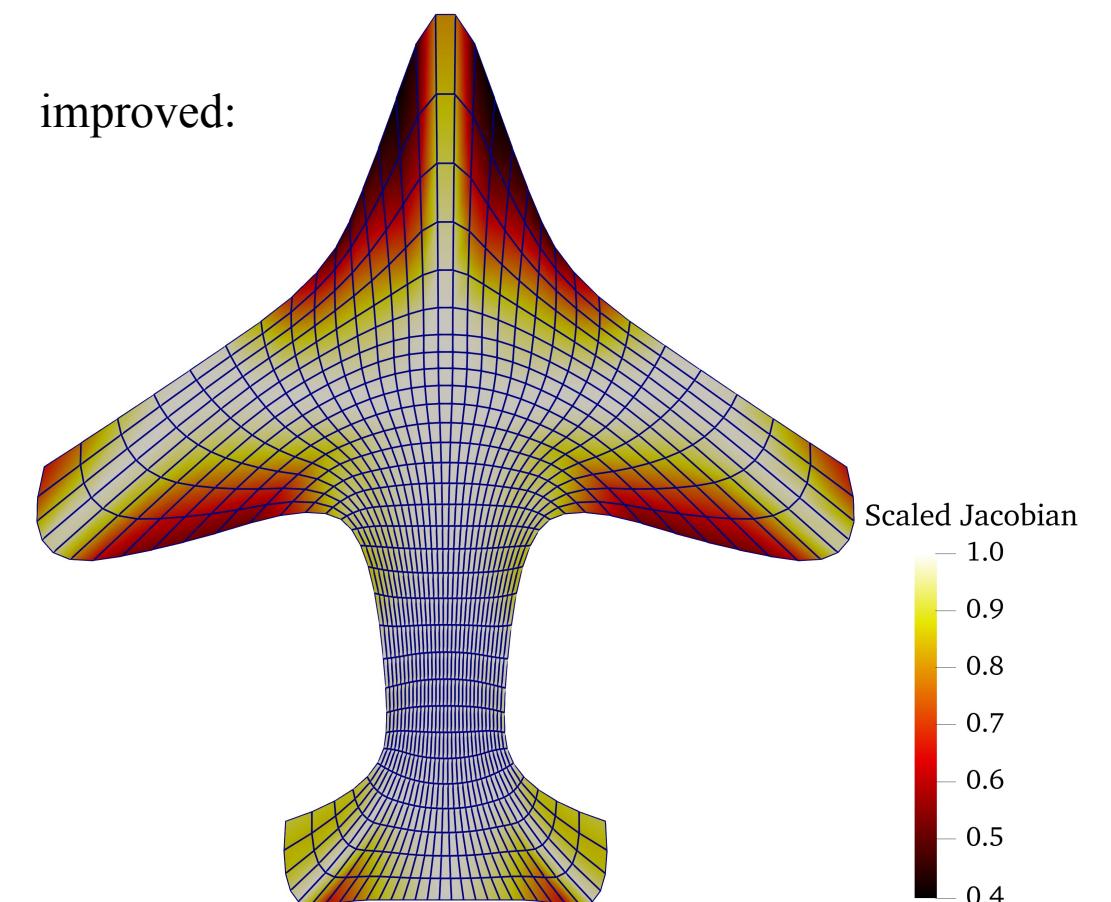
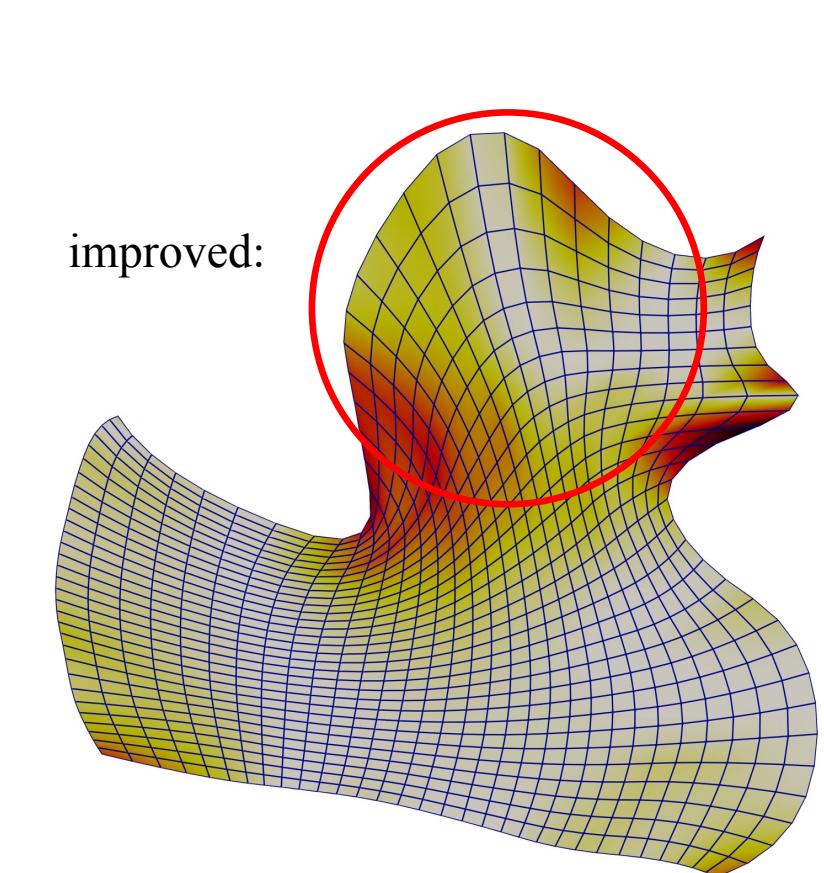
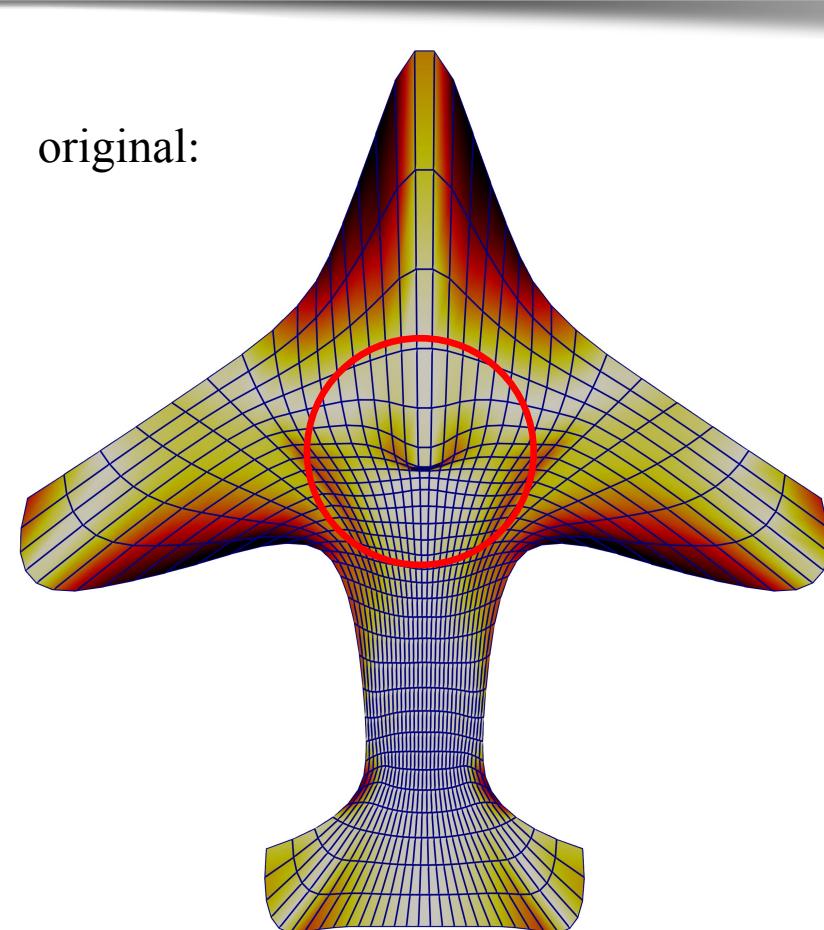
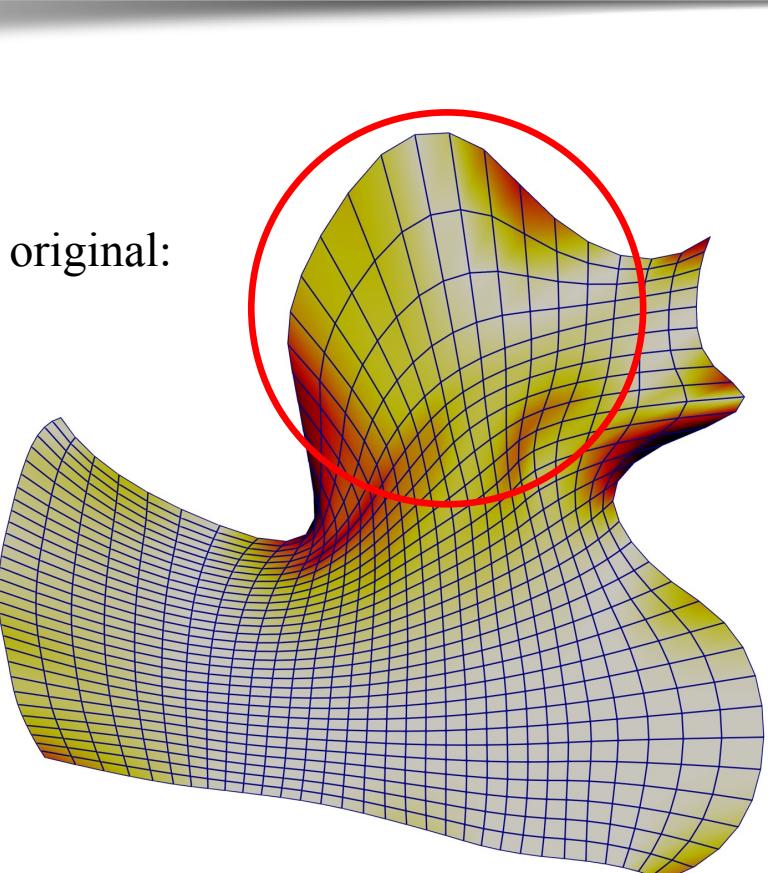
Weak form in H^2 [Hinz et al. 2018]

$$\int_{\hat{\Omega}} \mathbf{w} \tilde{\mathcal{L}} \xi_1 d\hat{\Omega} = 0 \quad \text{s.t. } \mathbf{x}^{-1}|_{\Gamma} = \hat{\Gamma}$$
$$\int_{\hat{\Omega}} \mathbf{w} \tilde{\mathcal{L}} \xi_2 d\hat{\Omega} = 0$$

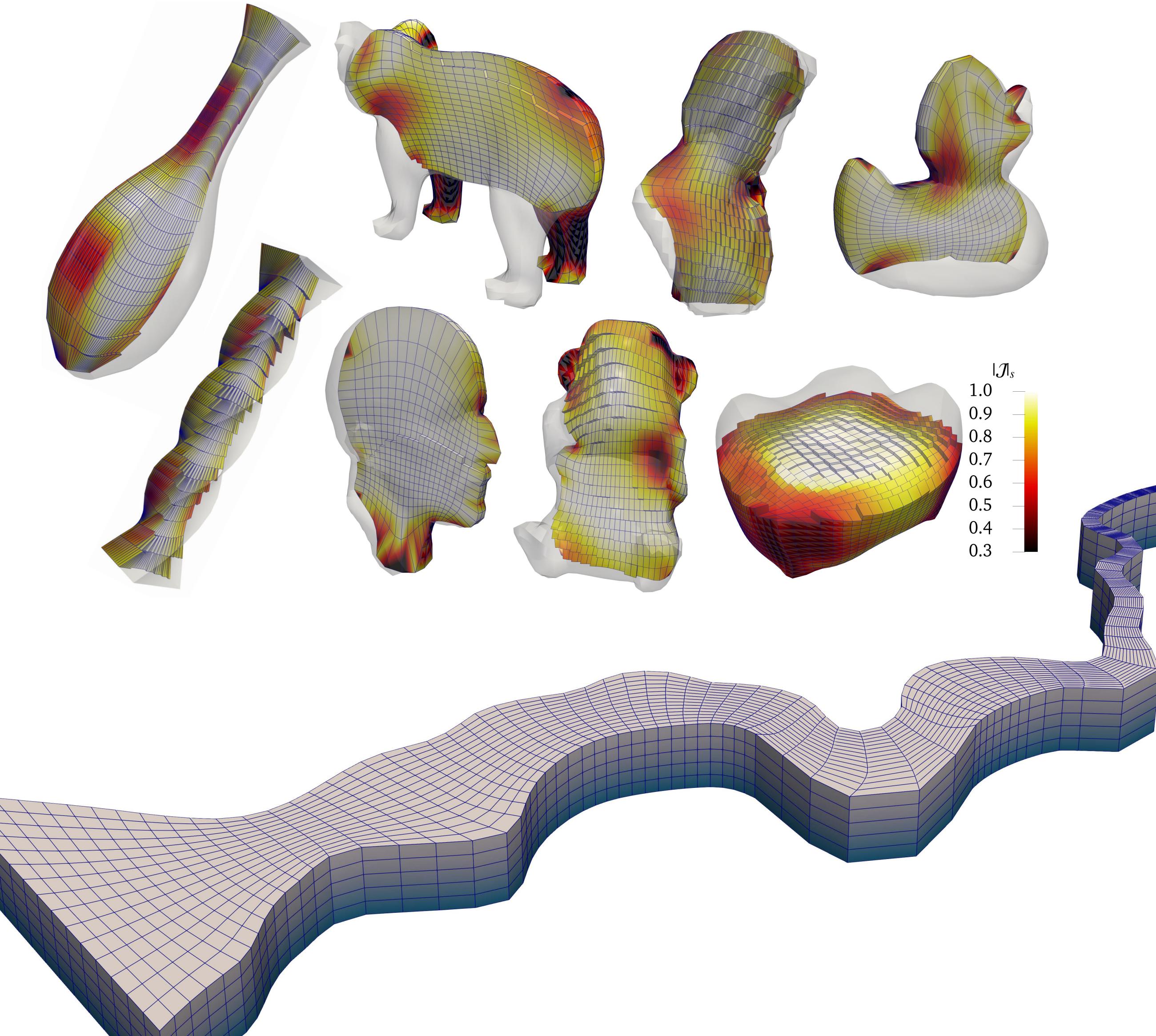
where $\tilde{\mathcal{L}} = \left(g_{22} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \xi_1^2} - 2g_{12} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \xi_1 \partial \xi_2} + g_{11} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \xi_2^2} \right) / (g_{11} + g_{22})$

Weak form in H^1 [Ji et al. 2023]

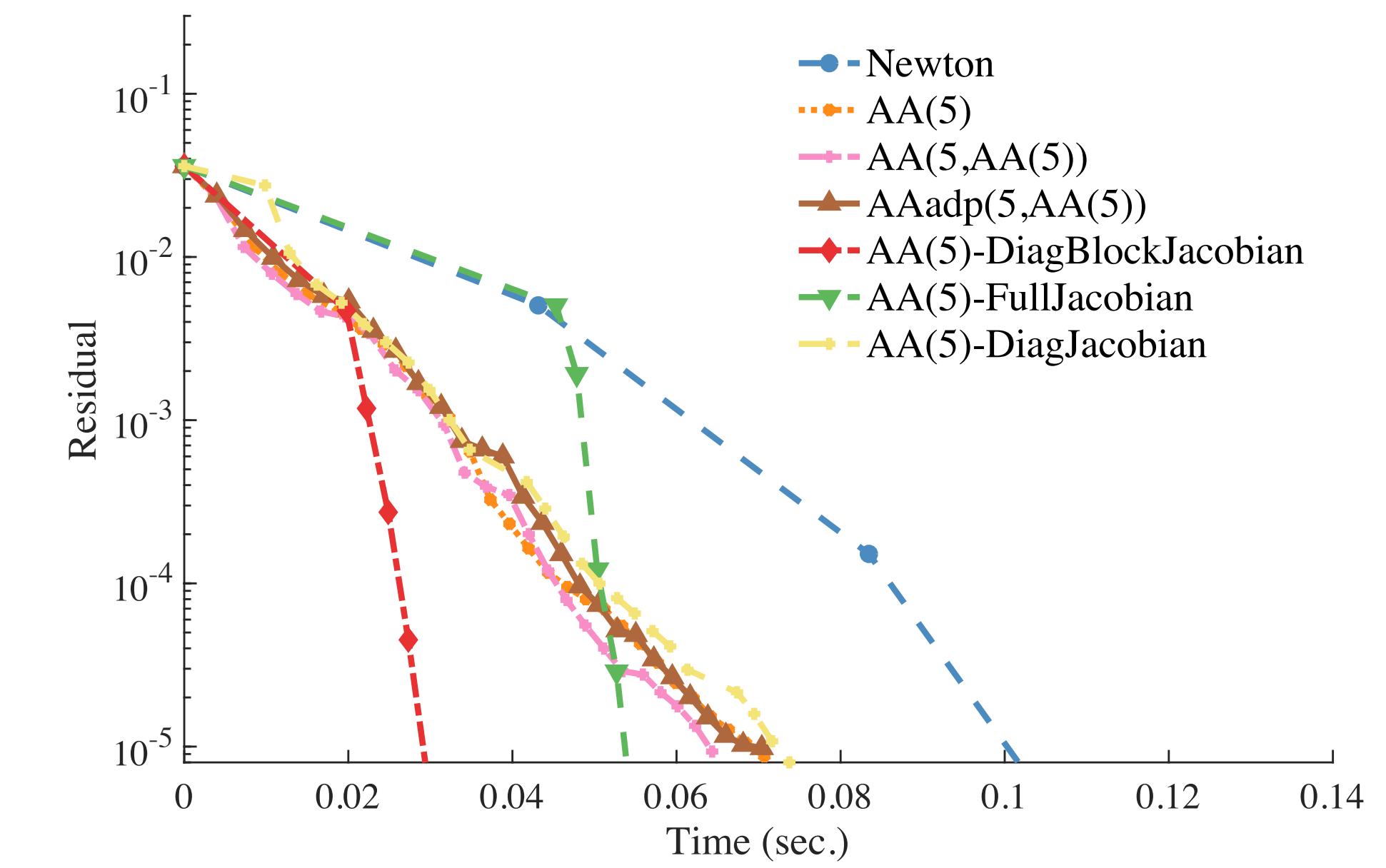
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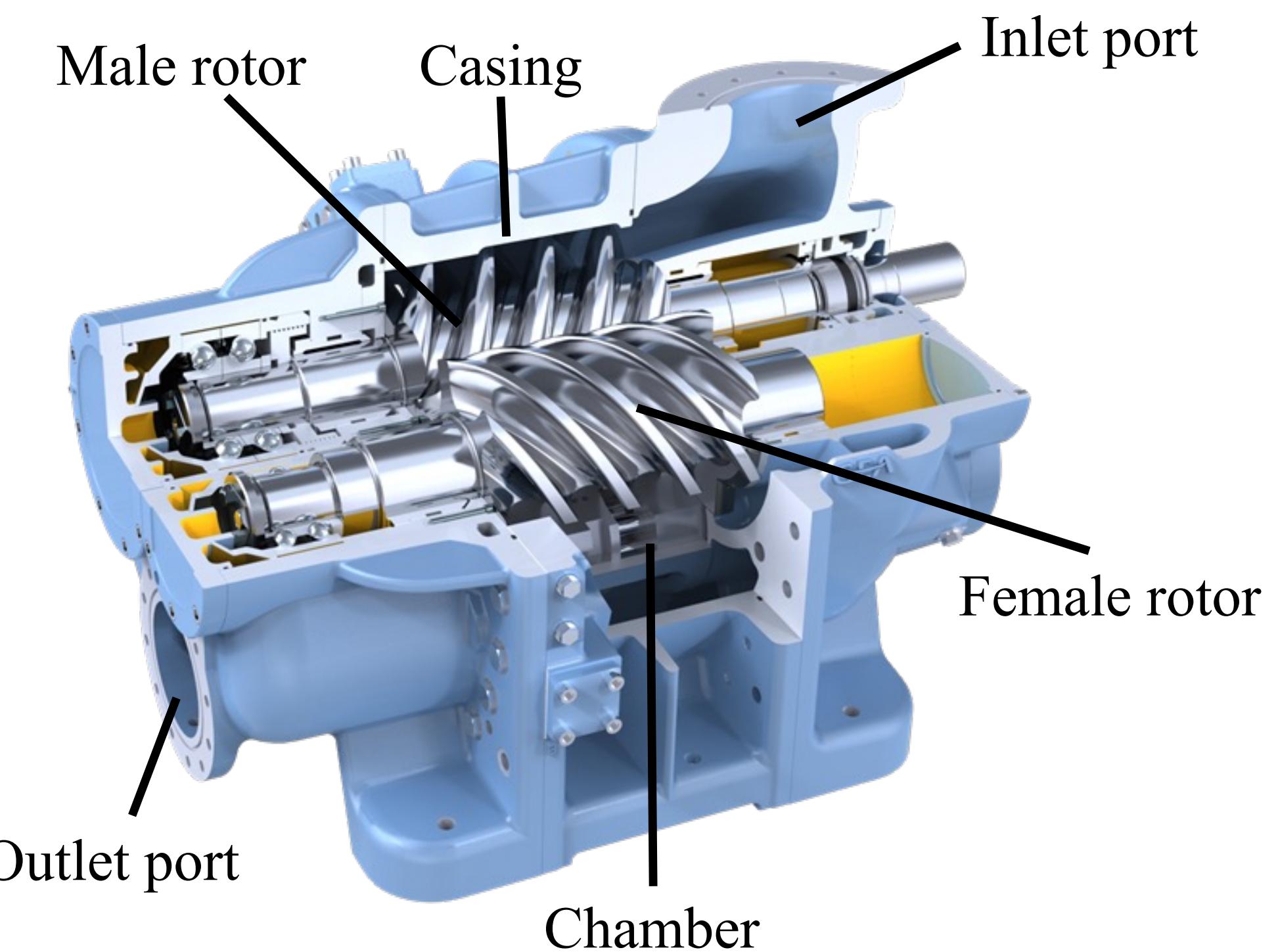
Extension to trivariate parameterizations



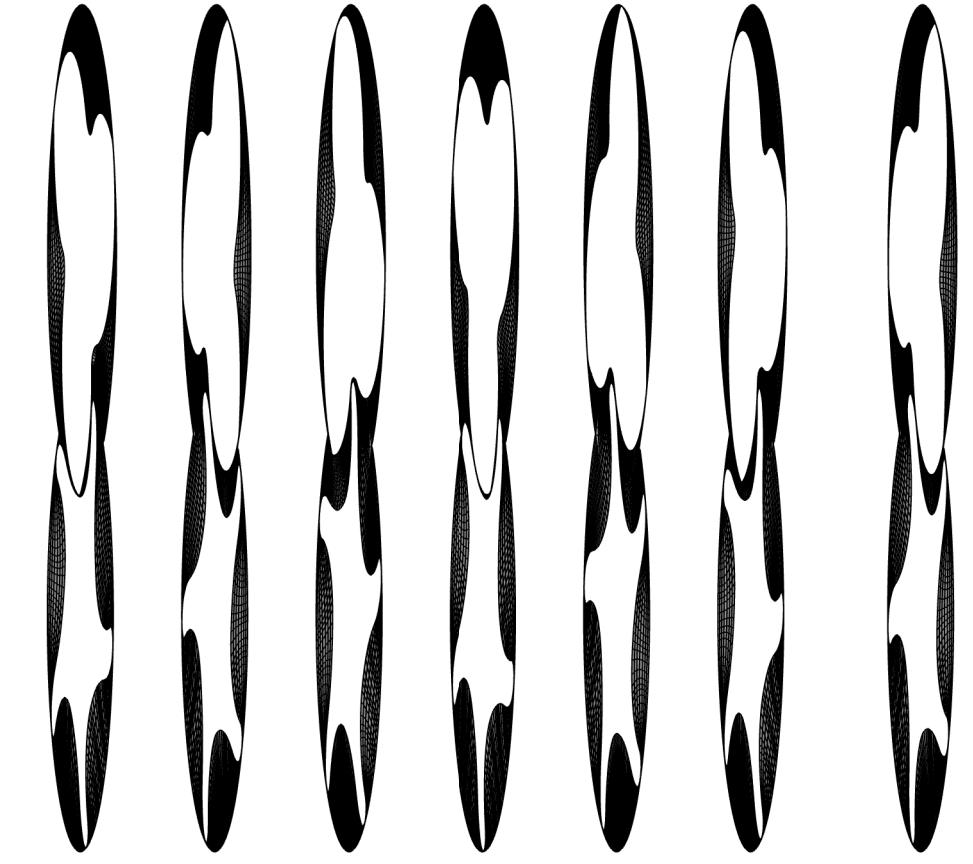
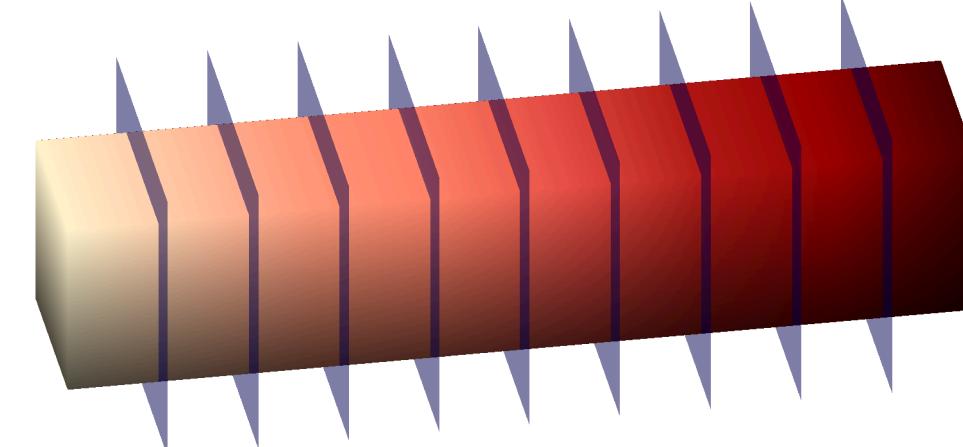
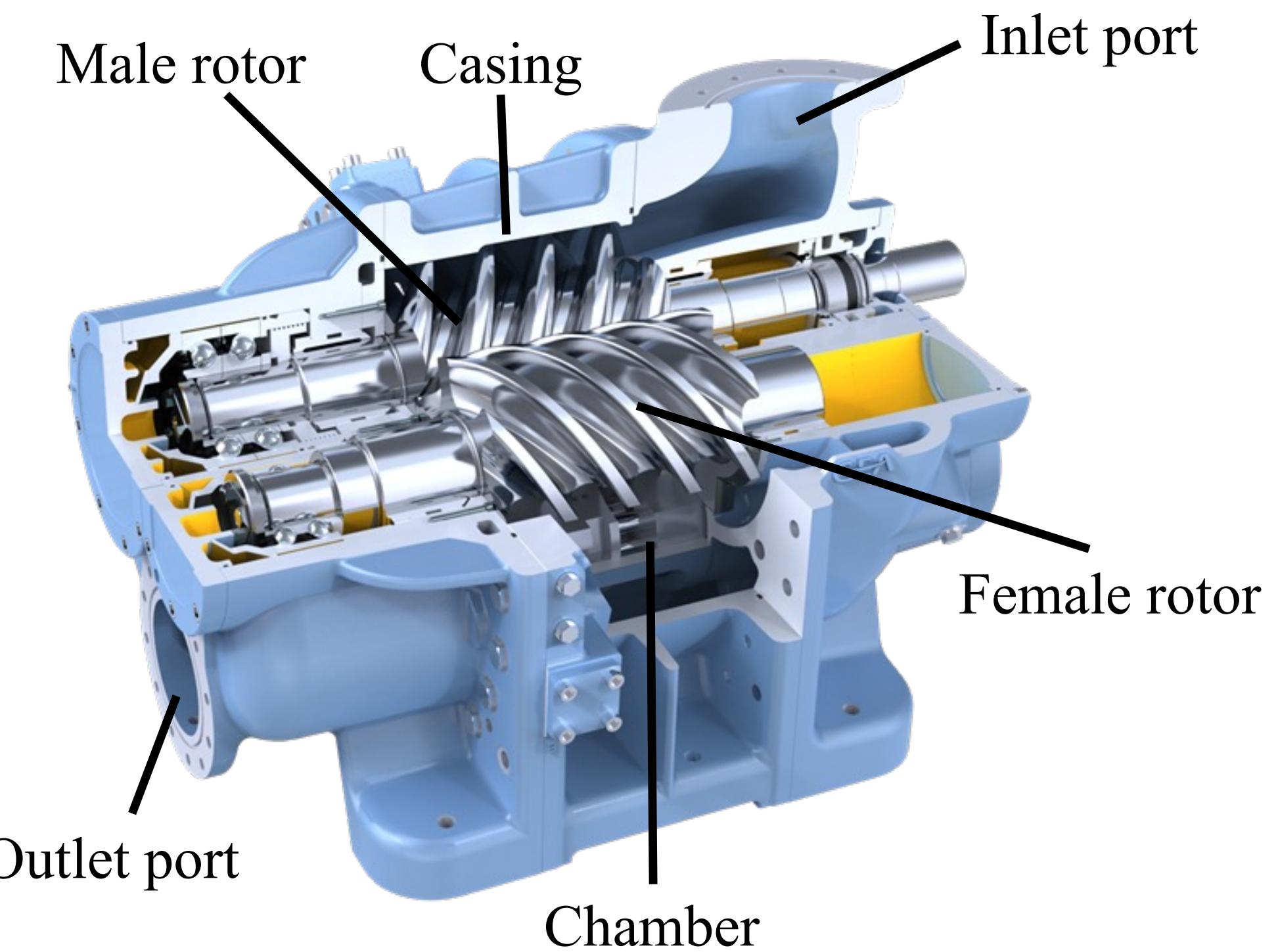
Existence of one-to-one mapping is no longer ensured by RKC theorem for non-planer domains but our **approach is efficient and robust in practice** when the nonlinear problems are solved with a preconditioned Anderson accelerator



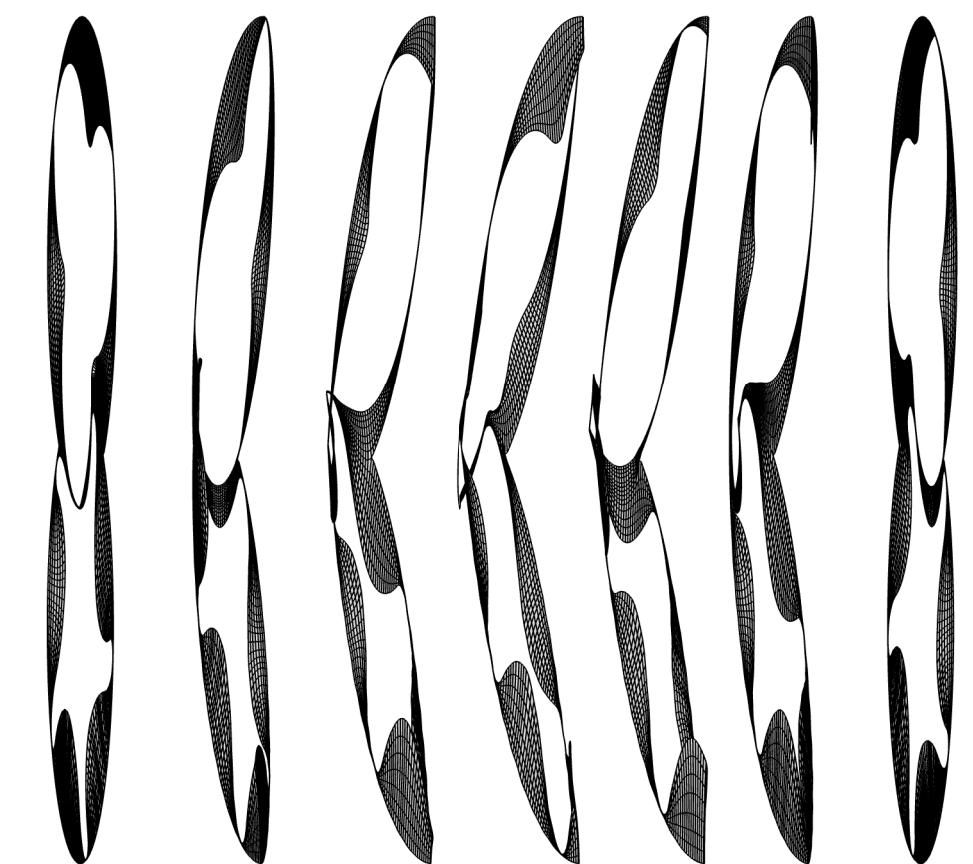
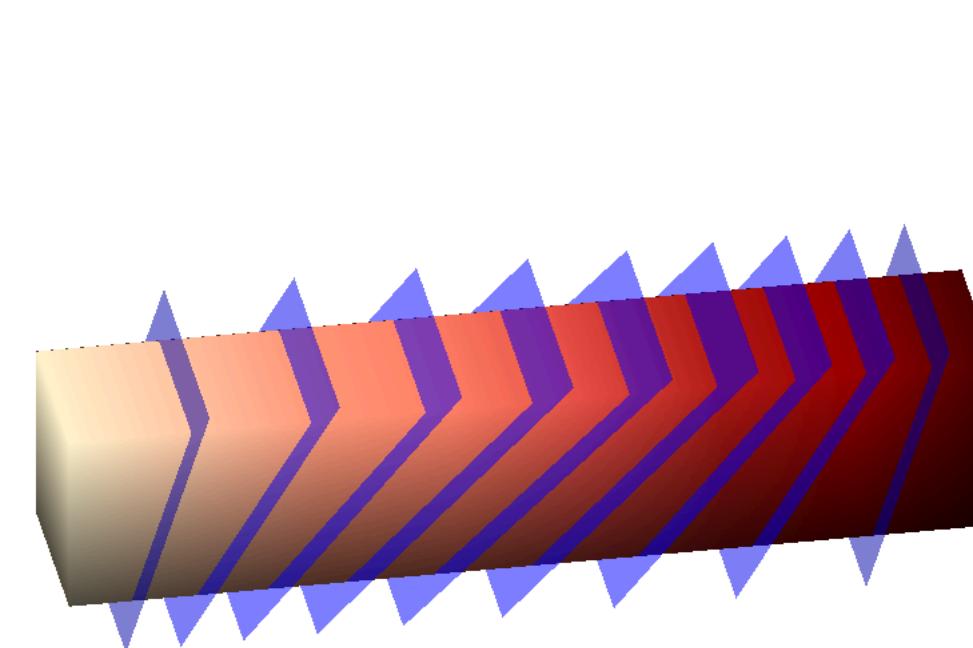
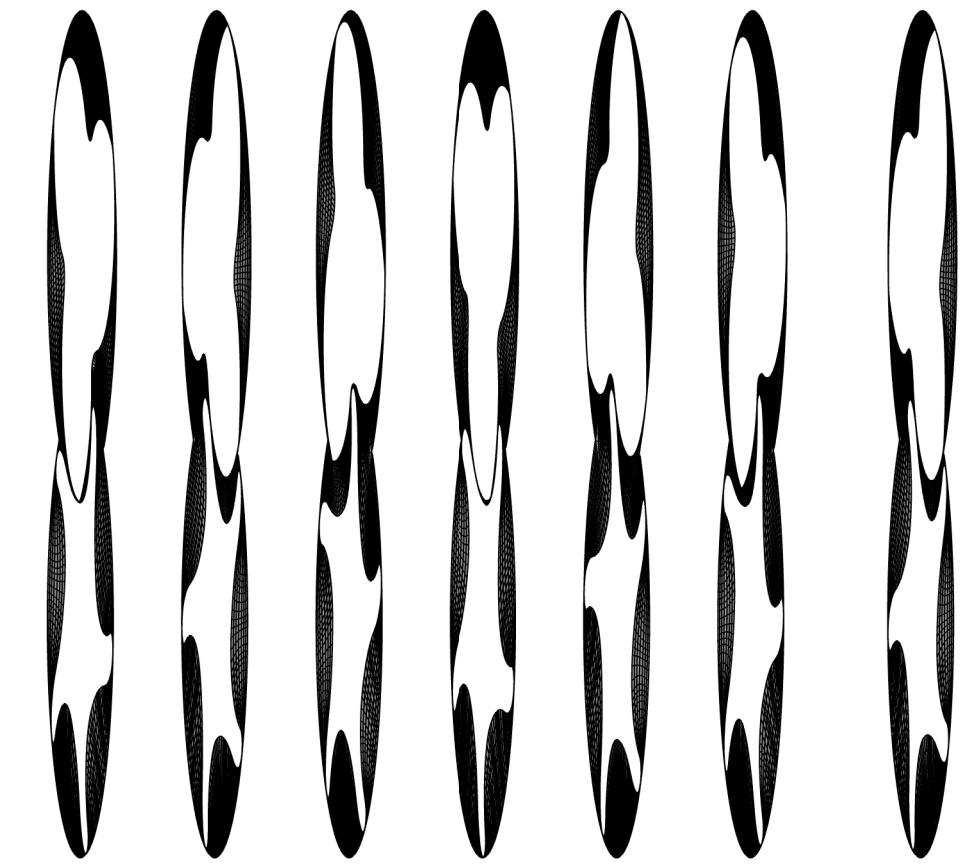
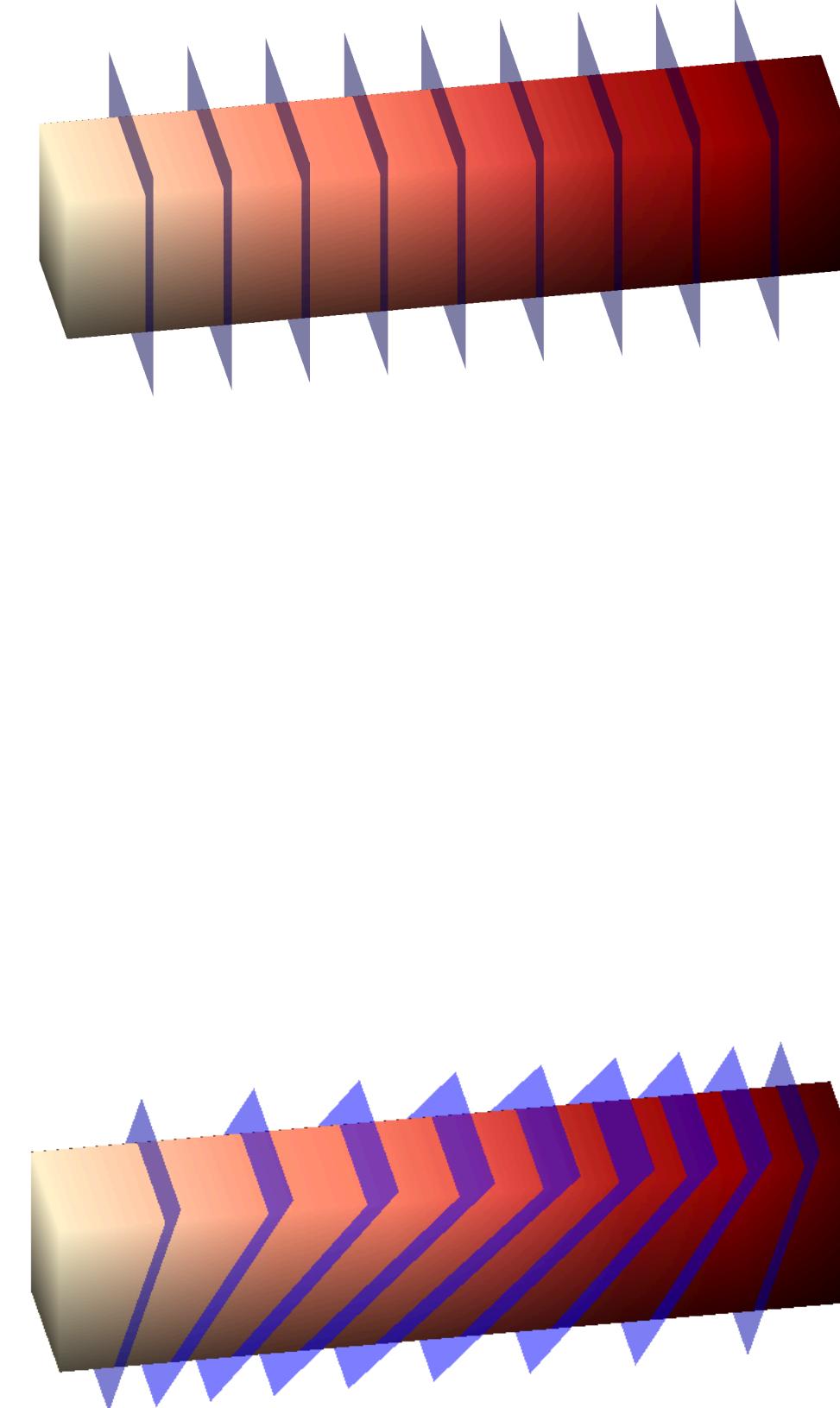
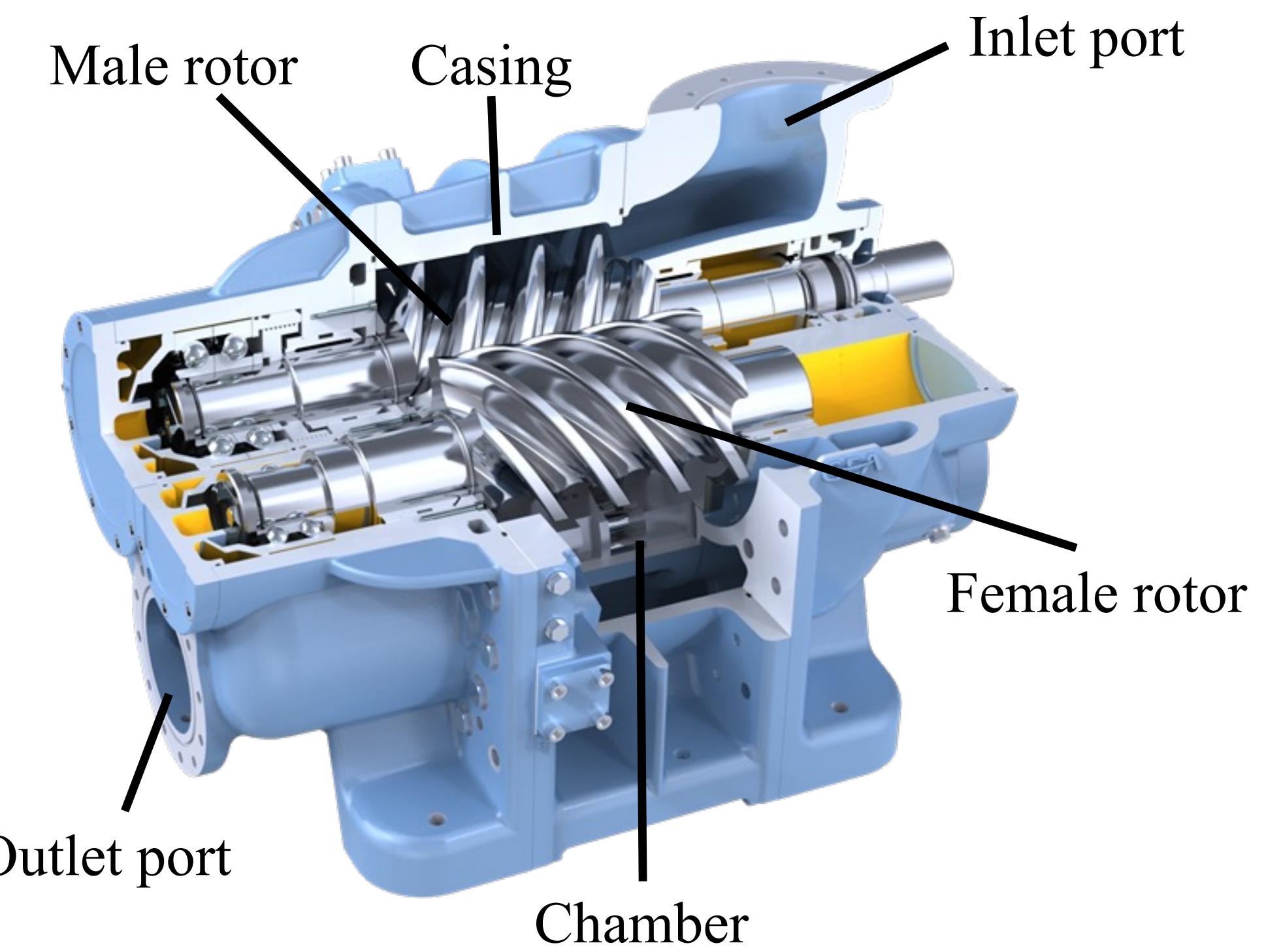
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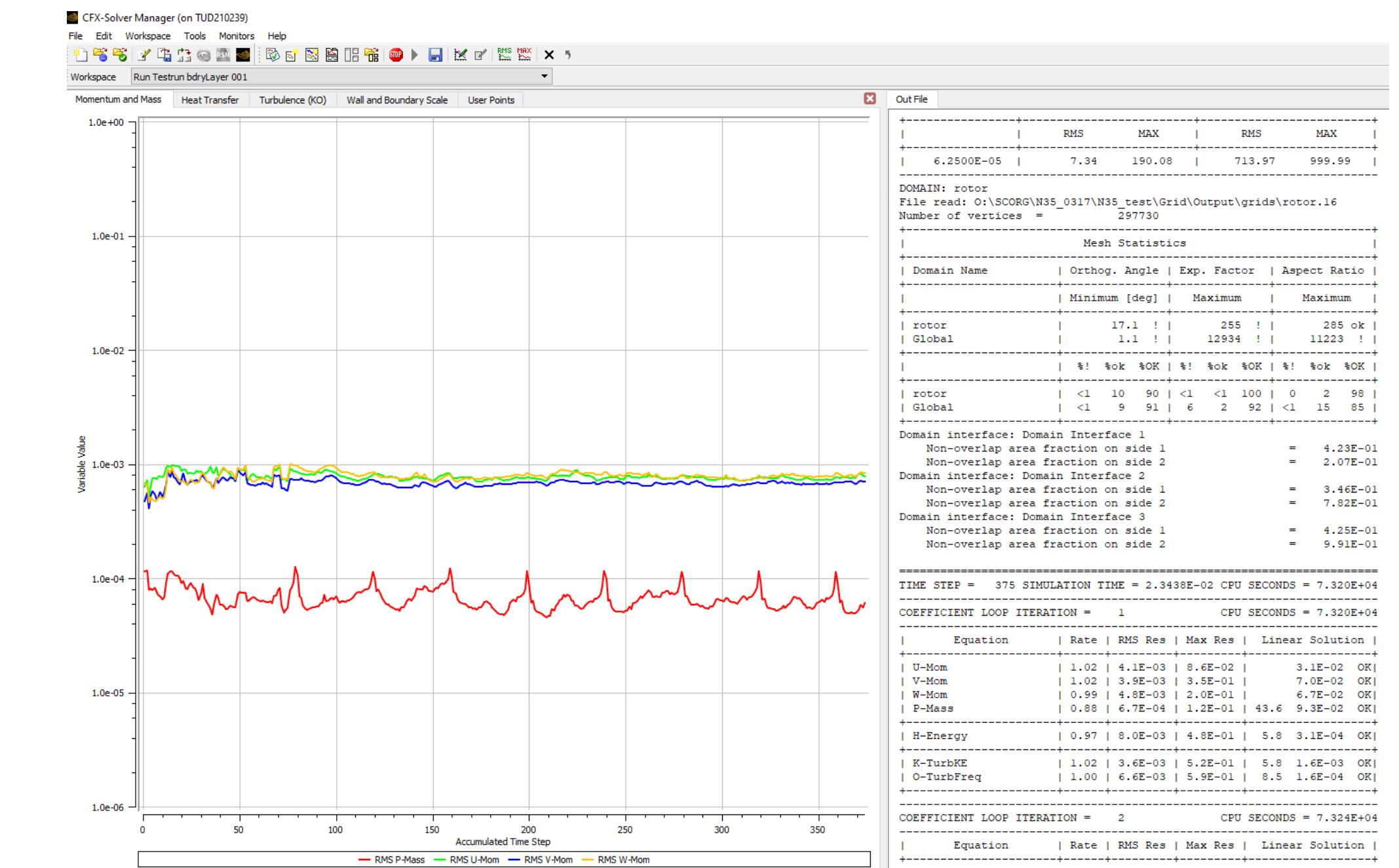
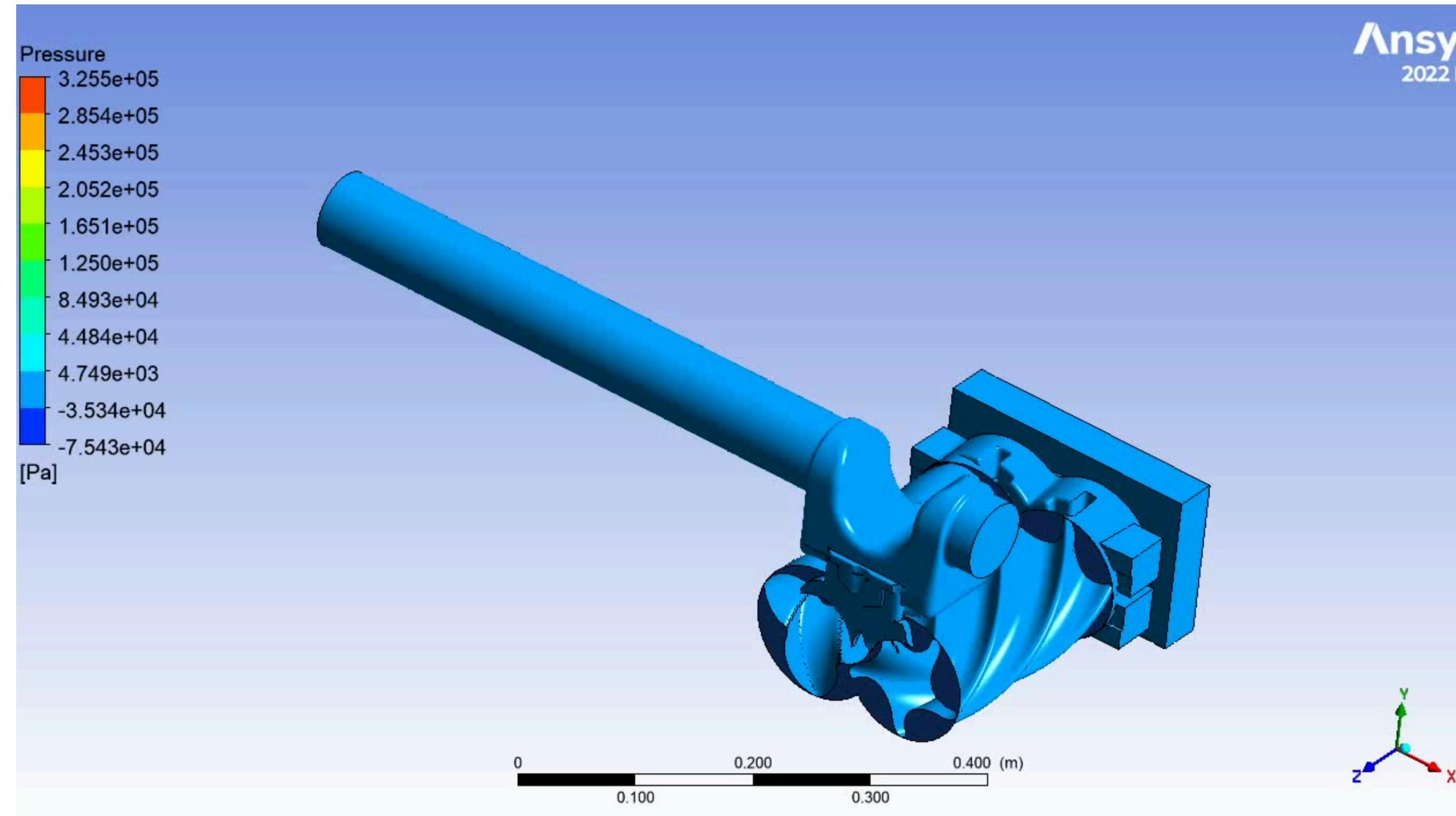
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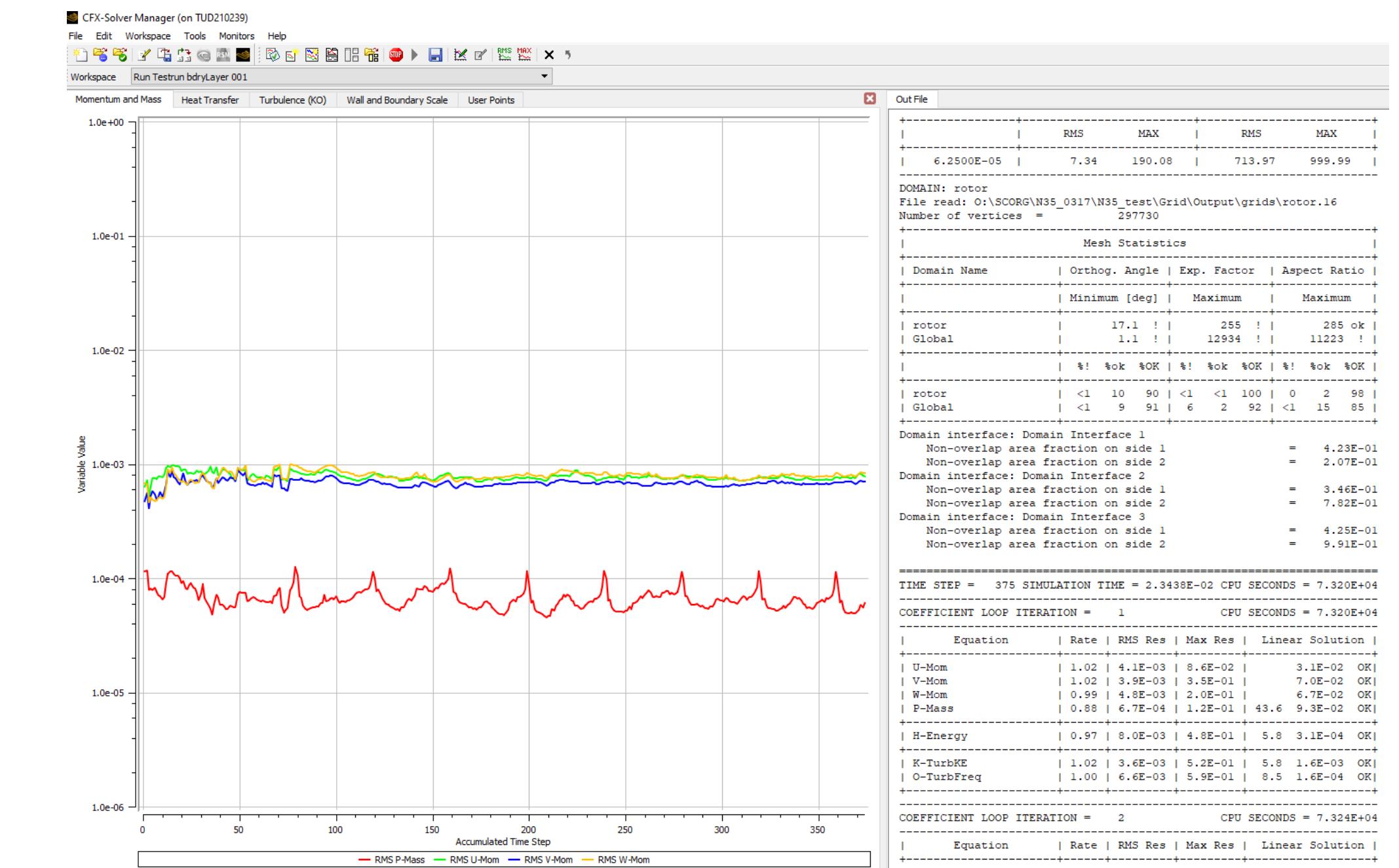
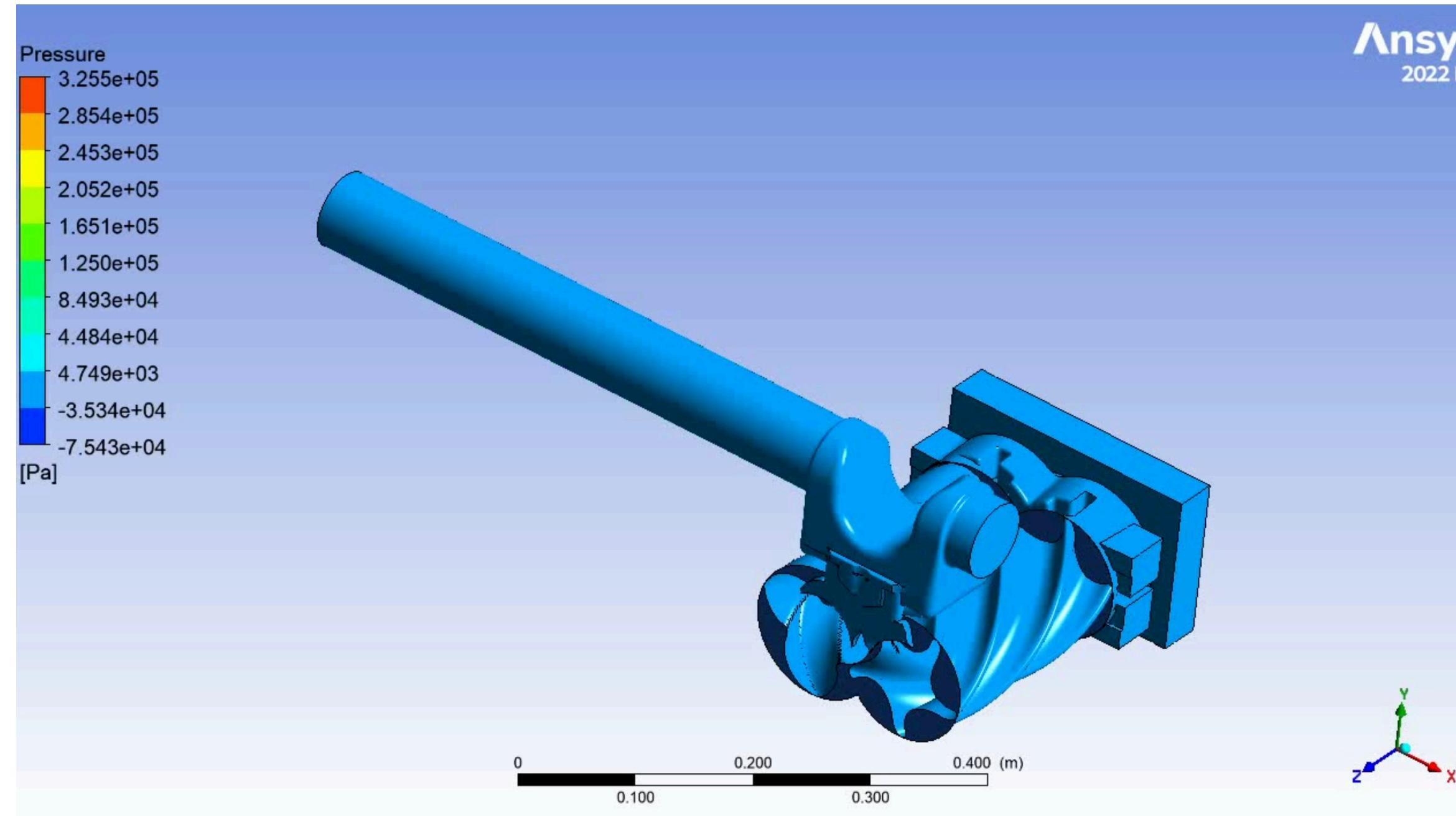
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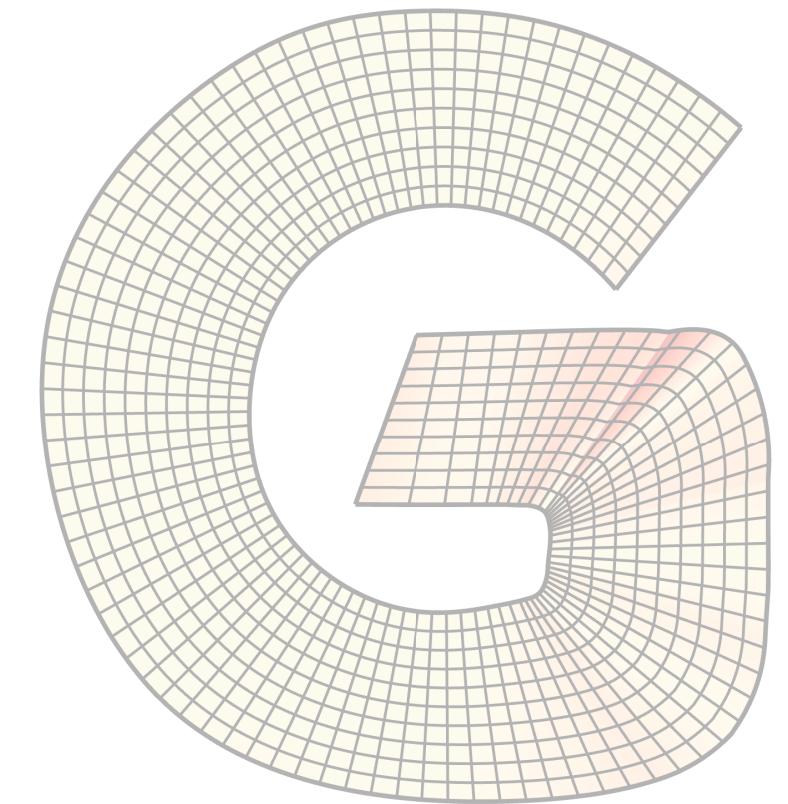


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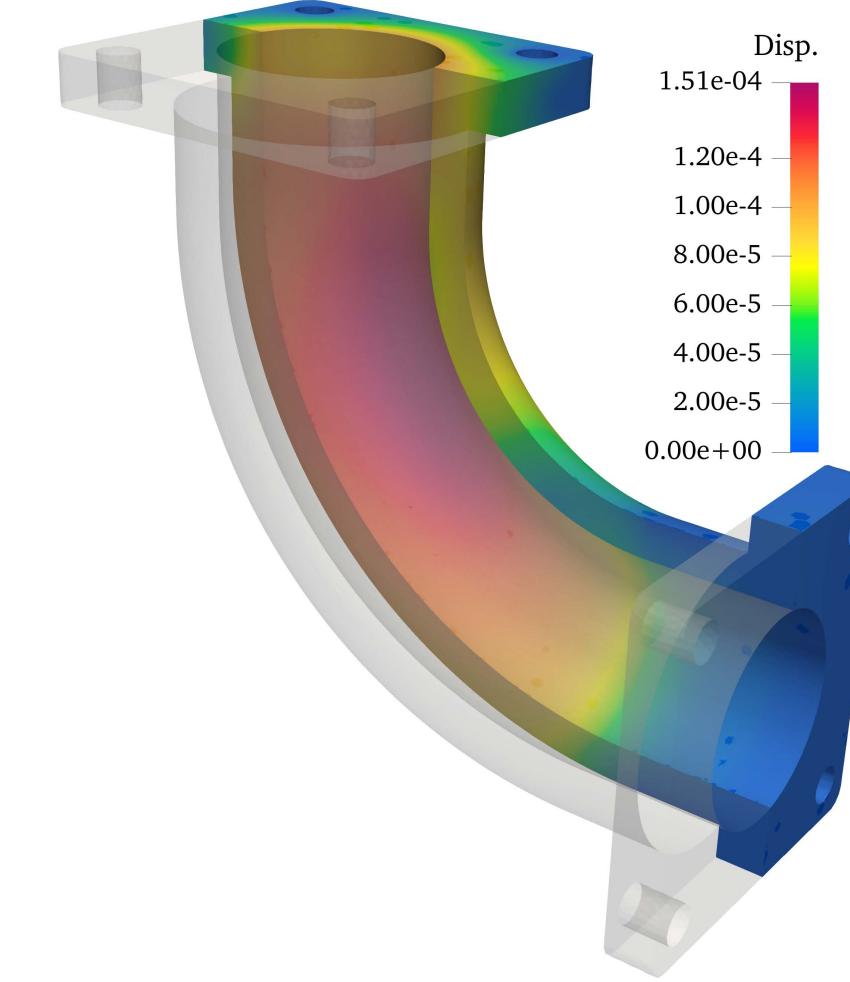




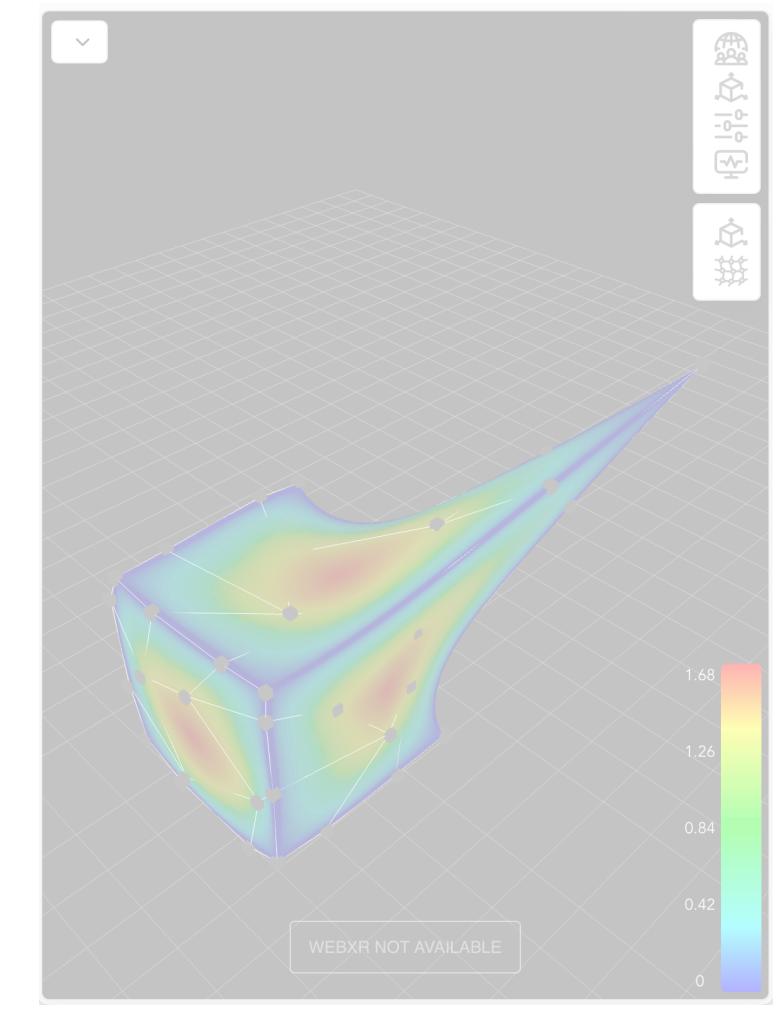
1. Creation of VReps
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2. Reparameterization
techniques



3. Isogeometric
Analysis and IgANets



4. Interactive Design-
through-Analysis

Model problem

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$$\mathcal{B}u = g \quad \text{on } \Gamma$$

Galerkin IgA

Weighted residual form

$$\int_{\Omega} \phi_{\Omega}(\mathcal{L}u - f) d\Omega + \int_{\Gamma} \phi_{\Gamma}(\mathcal{B}u - g) d\Gamma = 0$$

Procedure

1. Integrate by parts to equilibrate C^{ℓ} between test and trial functions
2. Integrate natural boundary conditions into boundary integral term
3. Discretize (evaluate integrals on parametric domain) + solve

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then

$$\sum_{i=1}^k (\mathcal{L}u(\mathbf{x}_i) - f(\mathbf{x}_i)) c_i + \sum_{i=1+k}^n (\mathcal{B}u(\mathbf{x}_i) - g(\mathbf{x}_i)) c_i = 0$$

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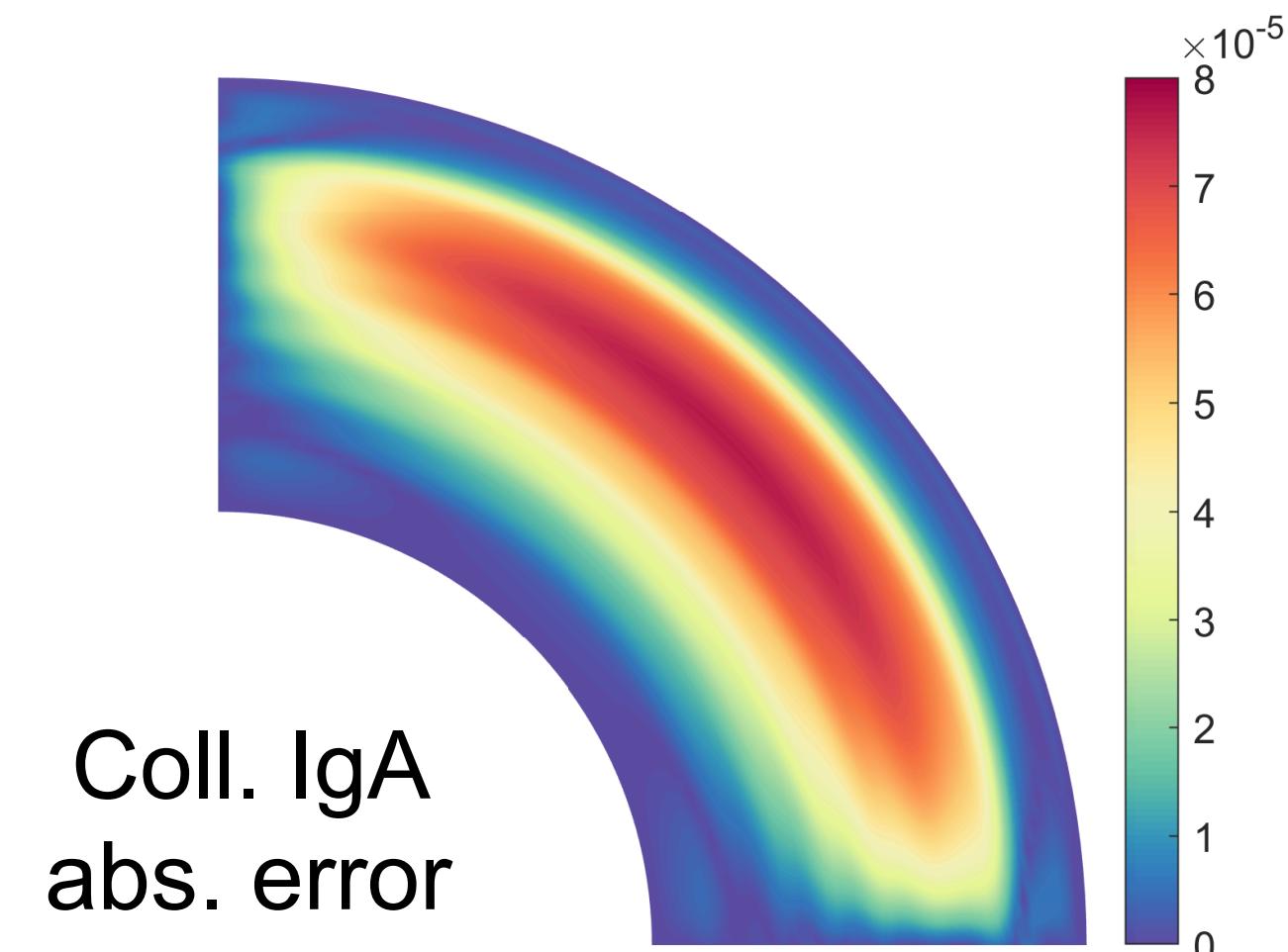
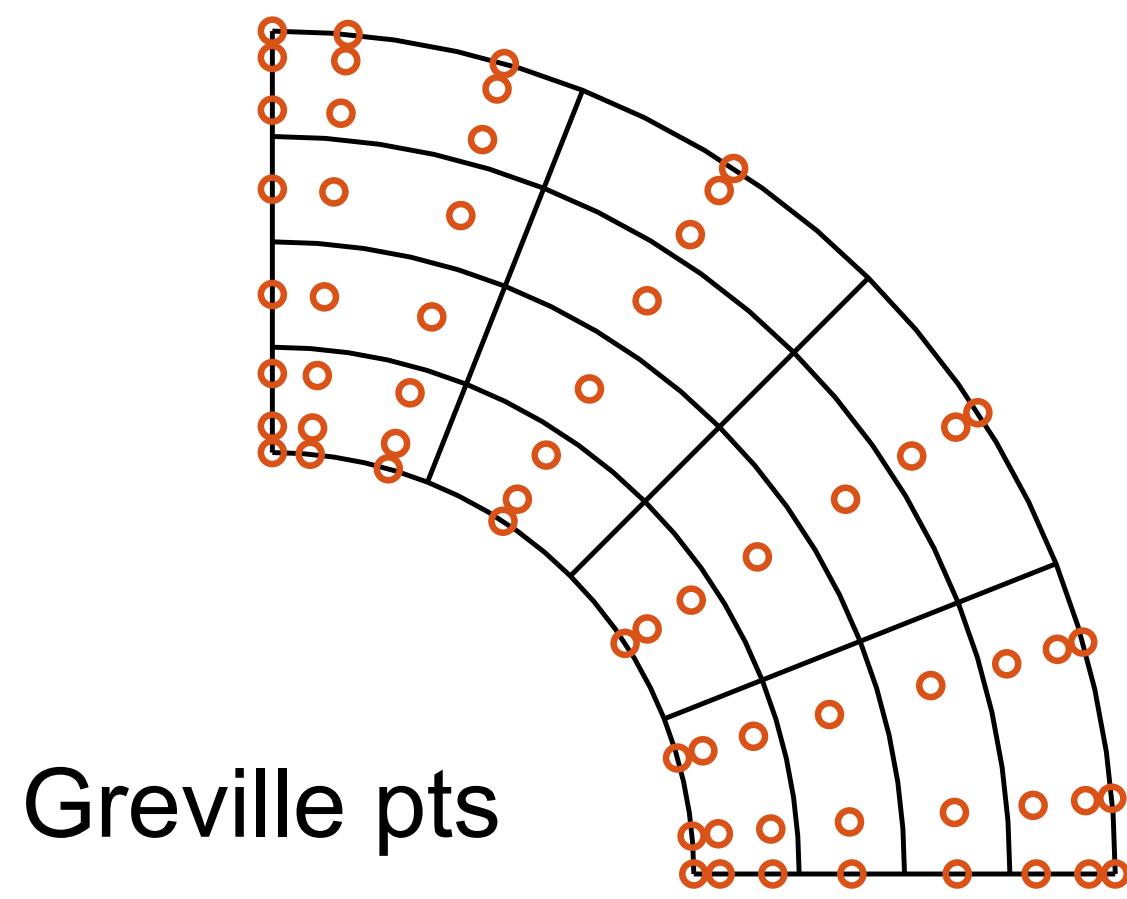
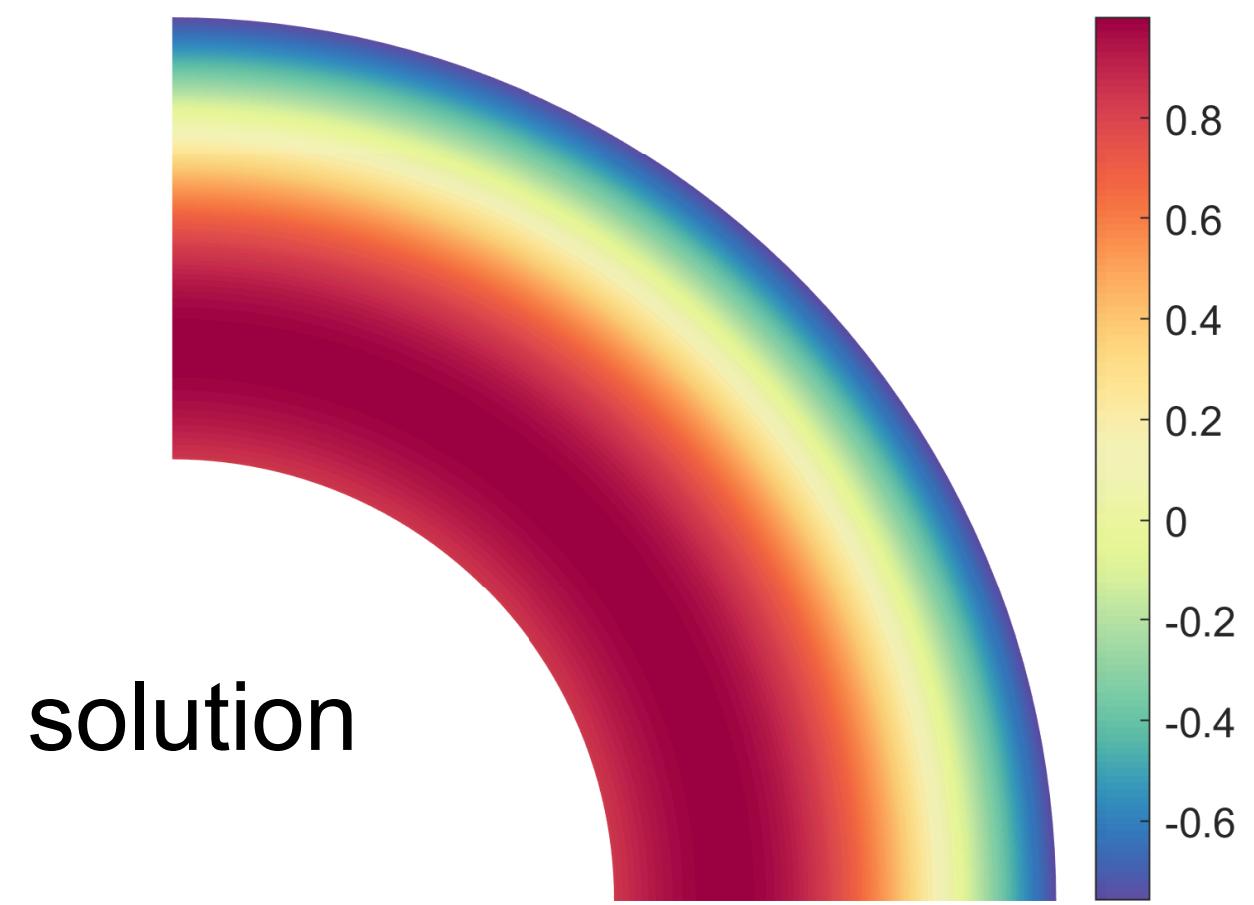
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- B-spline basis functions are defined on the parametric domain $\hat{\Omega} = (0,1)^d$, hence
$$\mathcal{L}_{\mathbf{x}} b_i(\mathbf{x}) \rightarrow \mathcal{L}_{\boldsymbol{\xi}} b_i(\boldsymbol{\xi})$$

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and define $\mathbf{x}_i := \mathbf{x}_h(\boldsymbol{\xi}_i)$

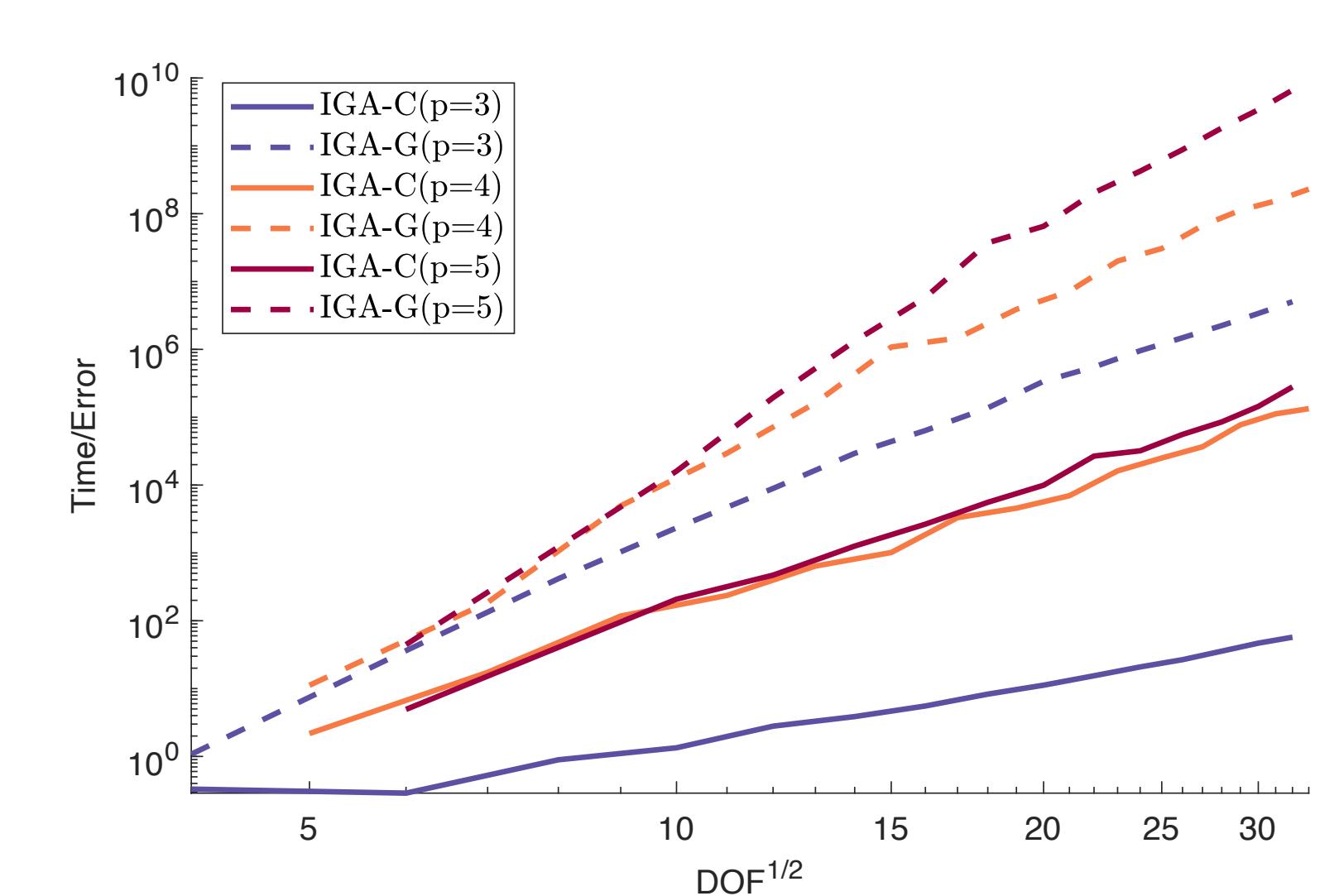
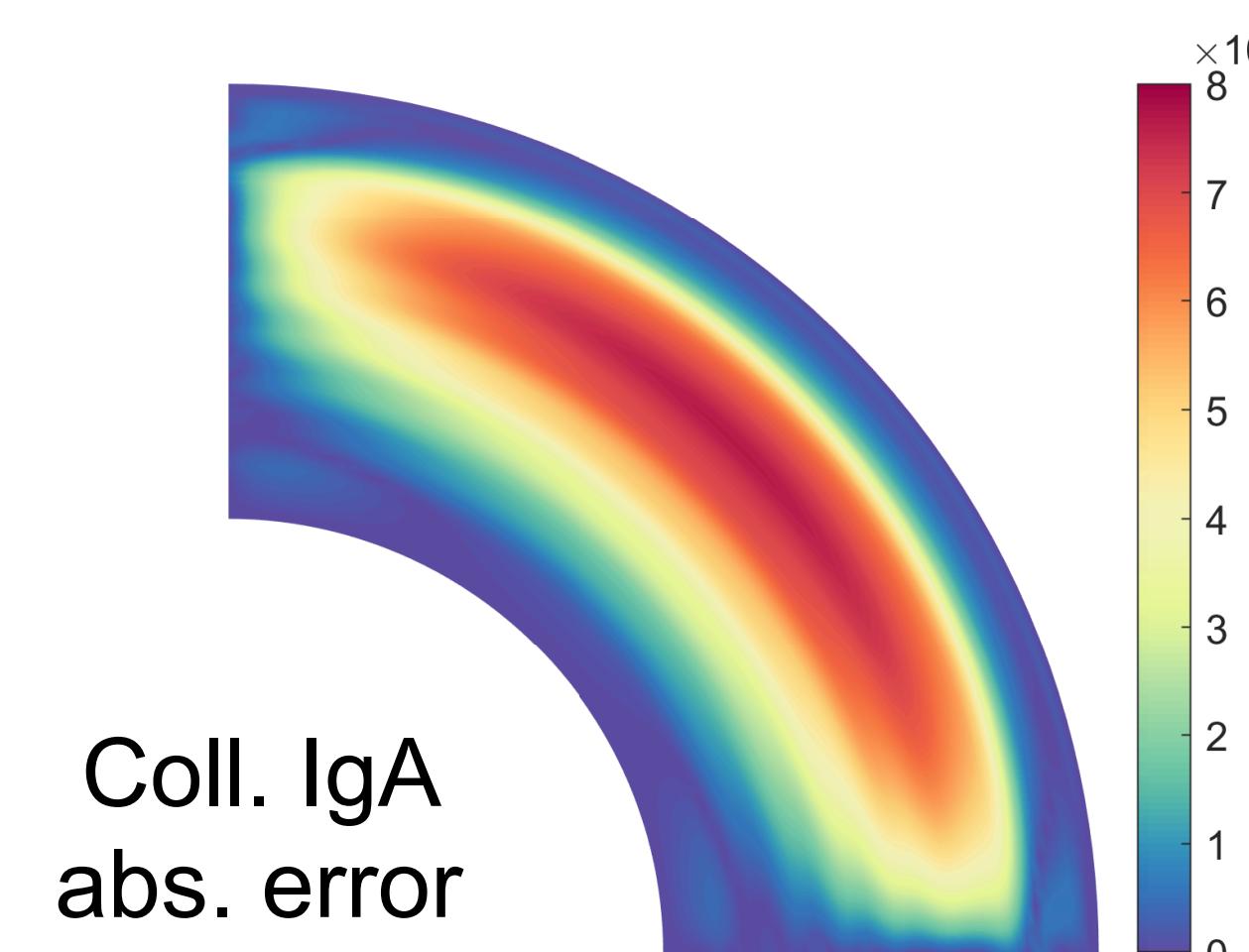
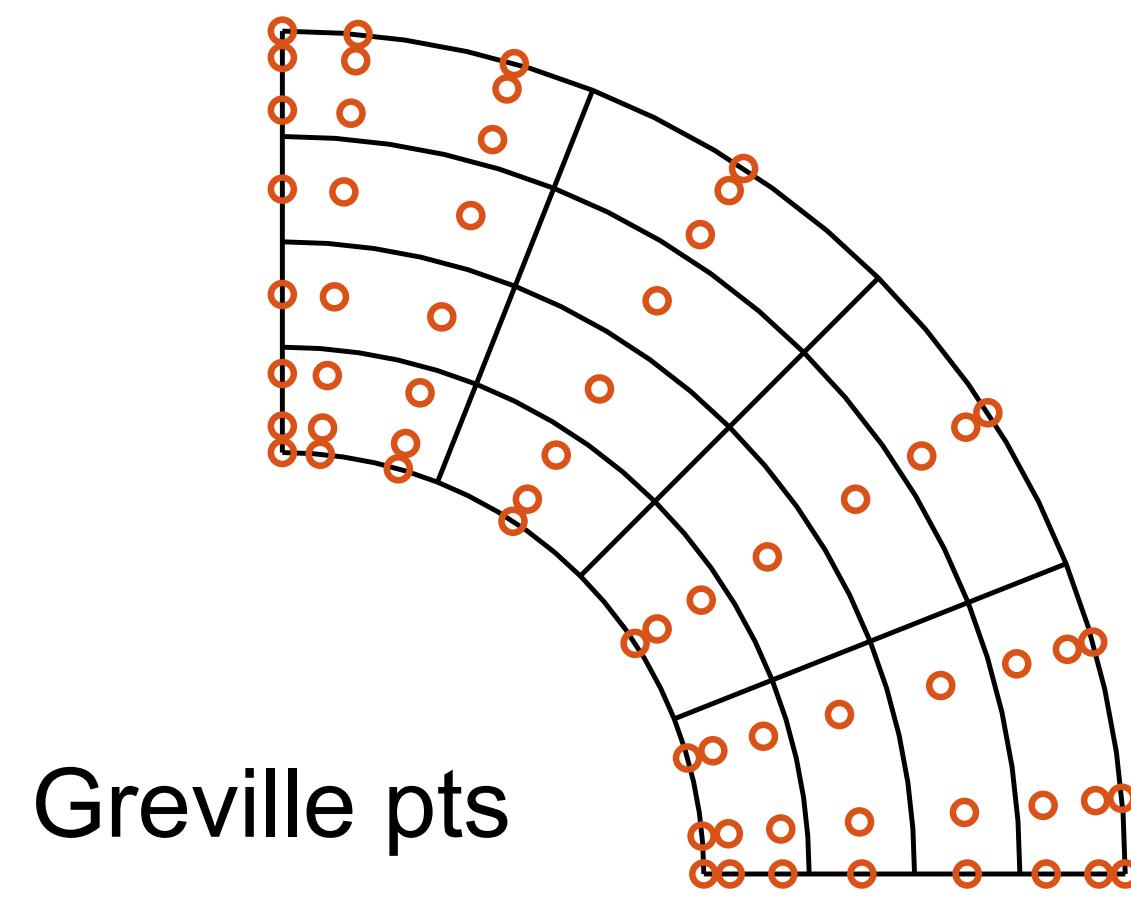
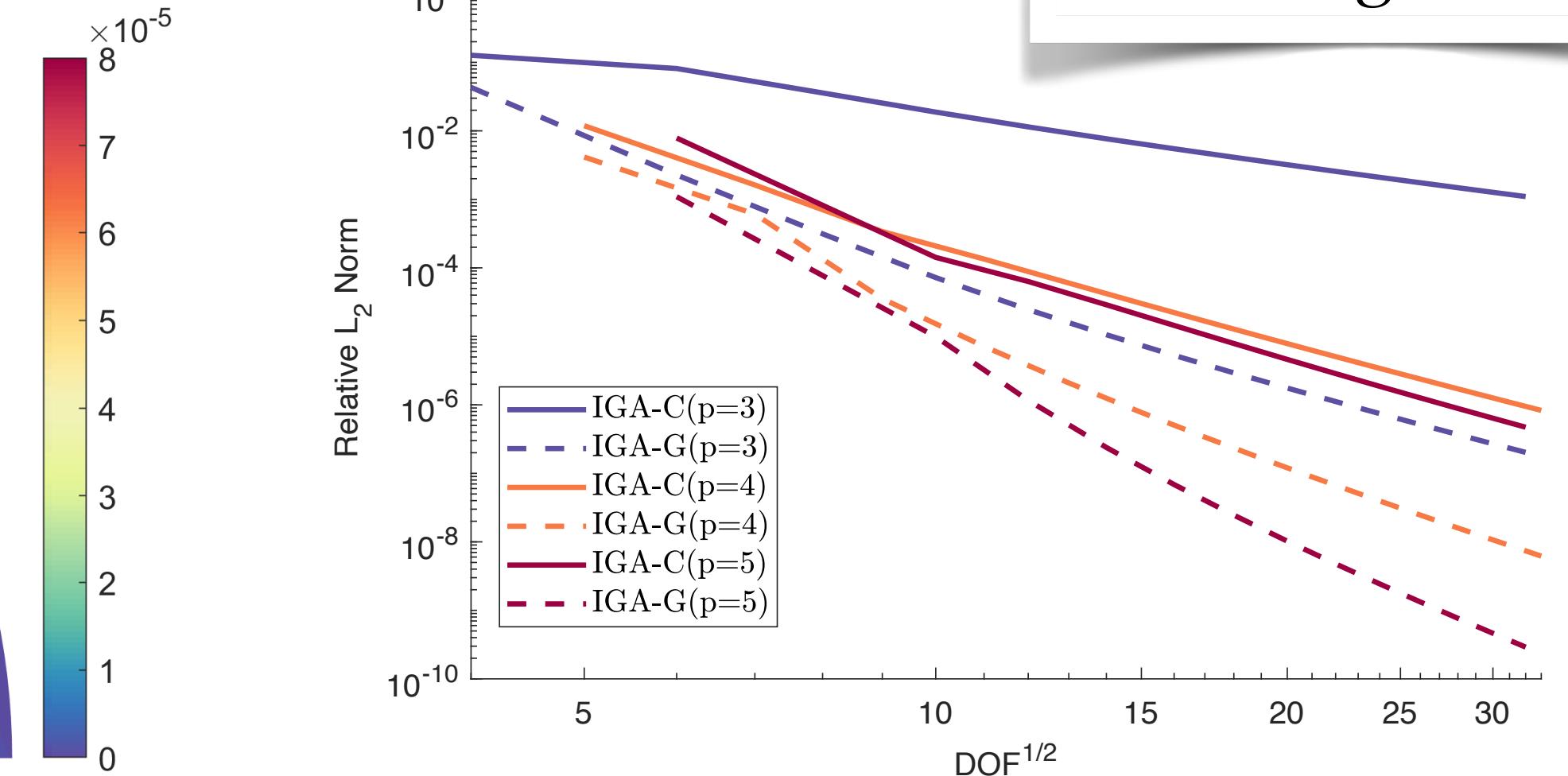
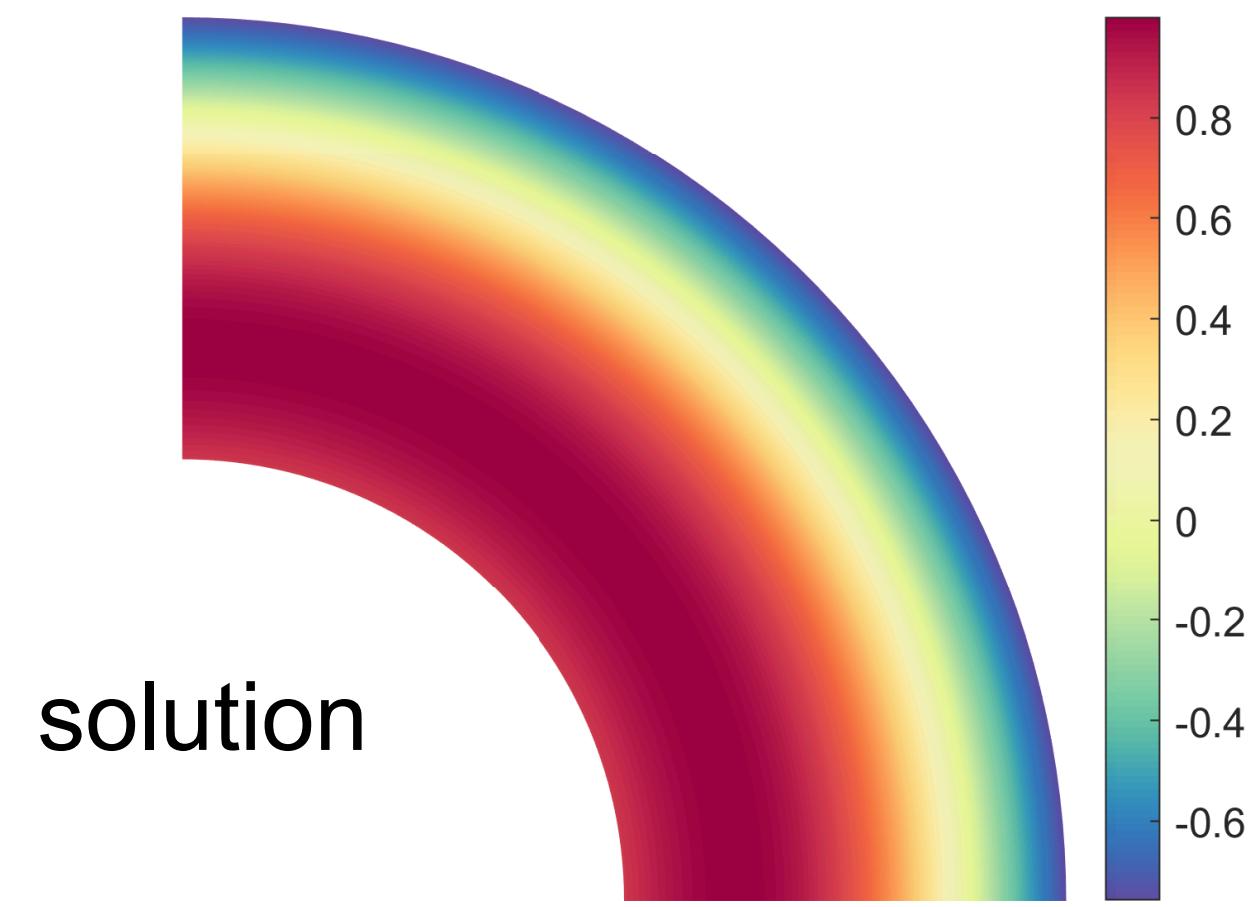
Galerkin vs. collocation IgA

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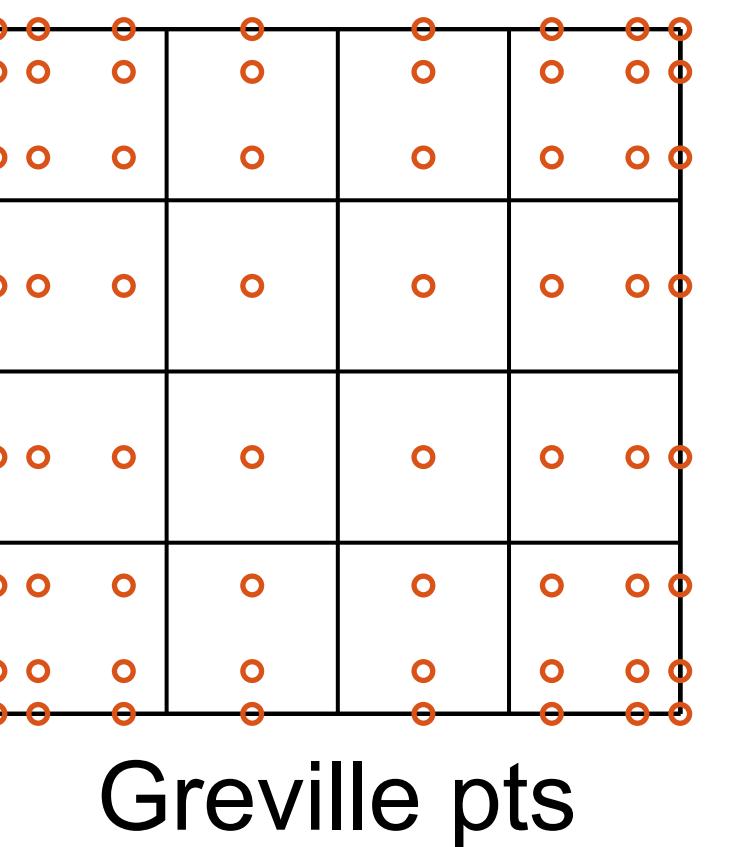
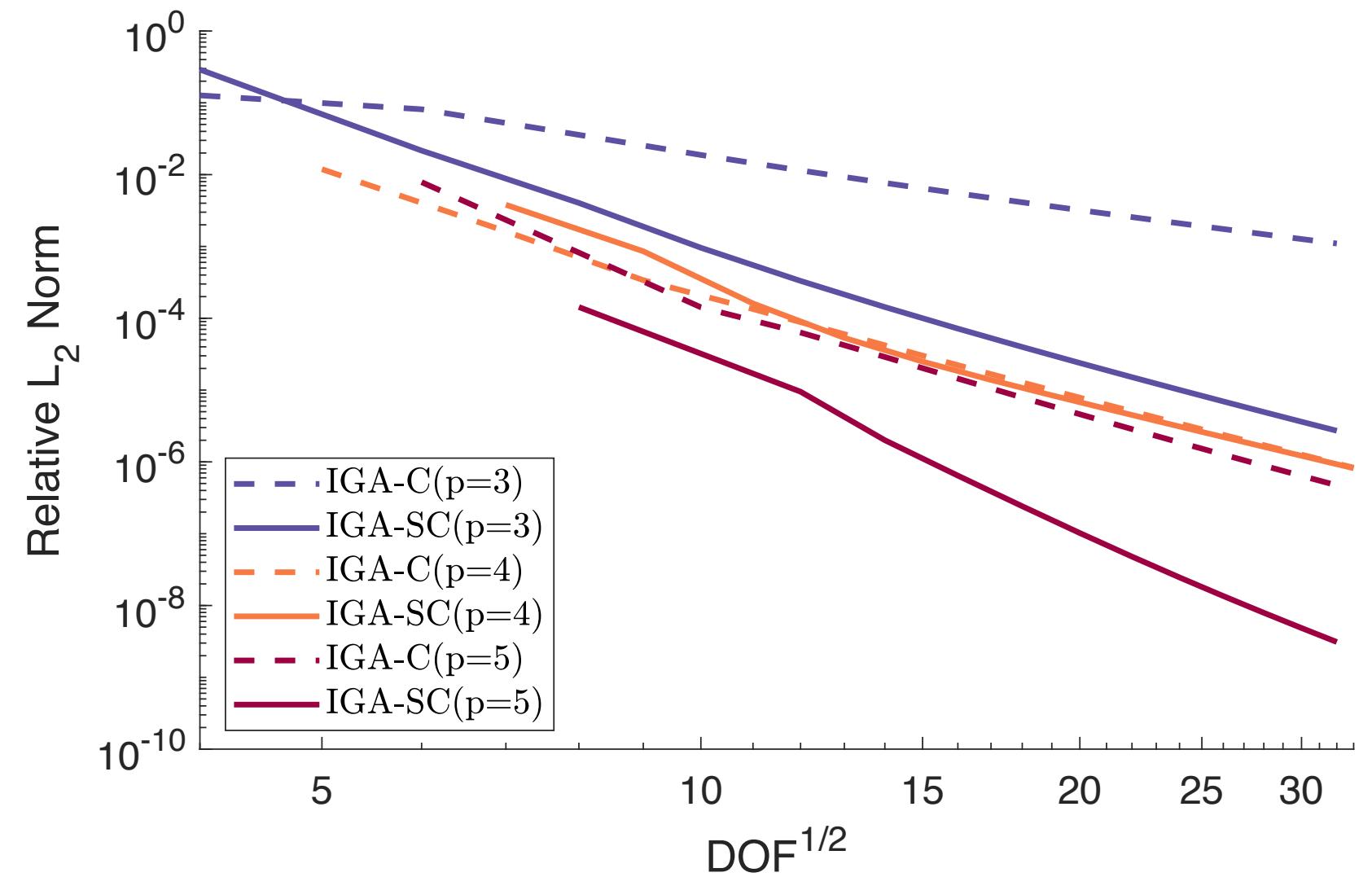


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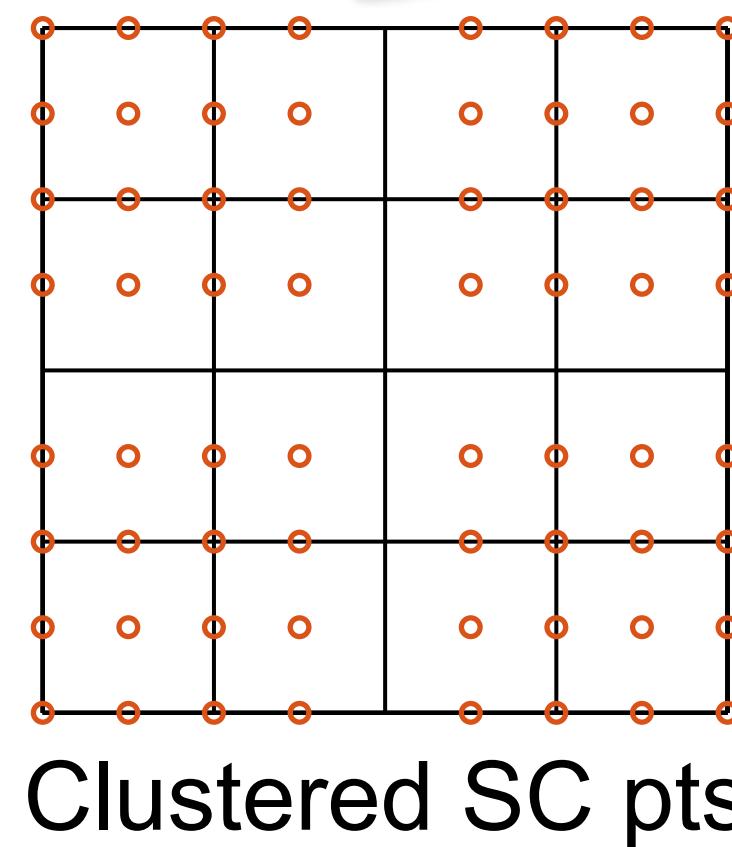
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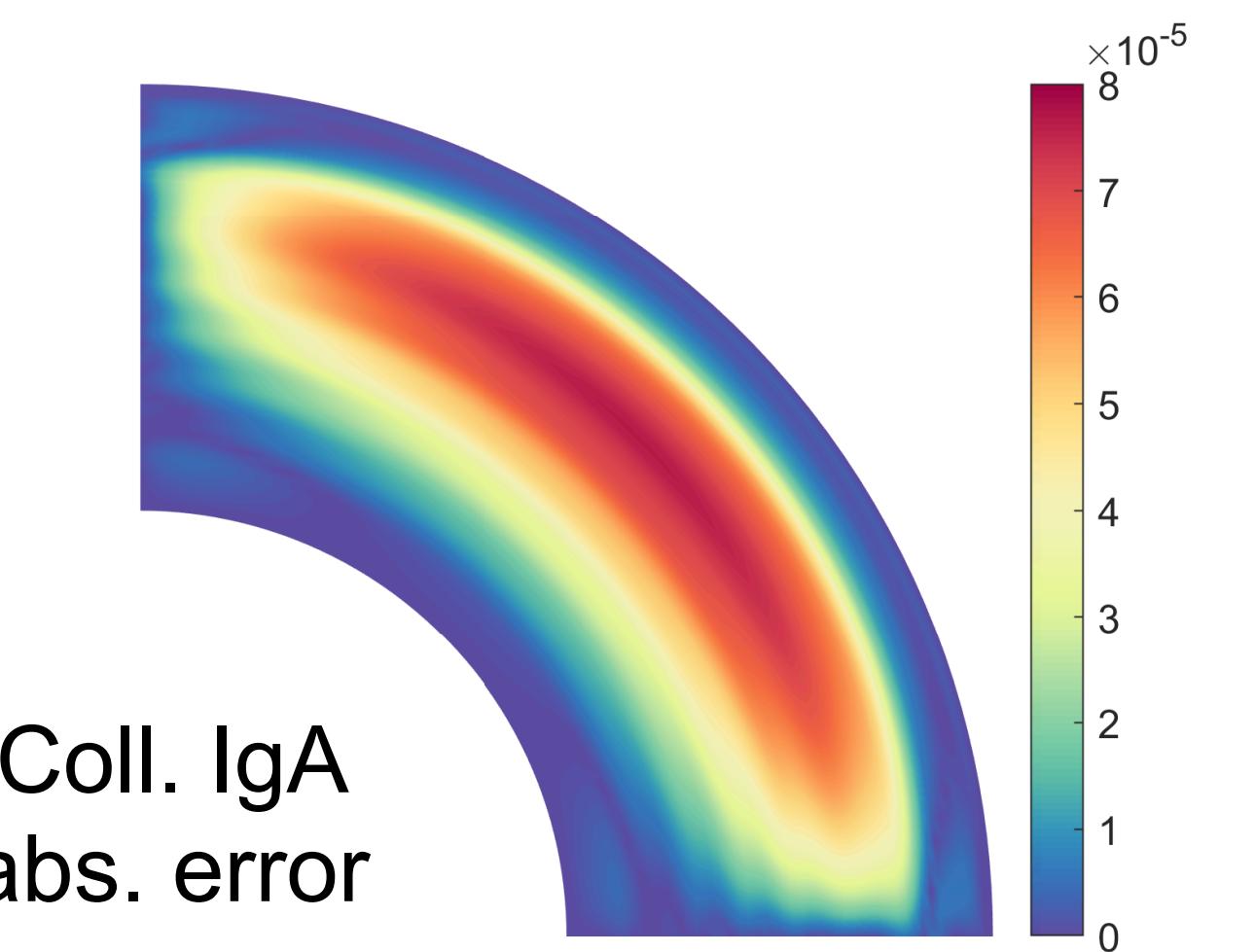
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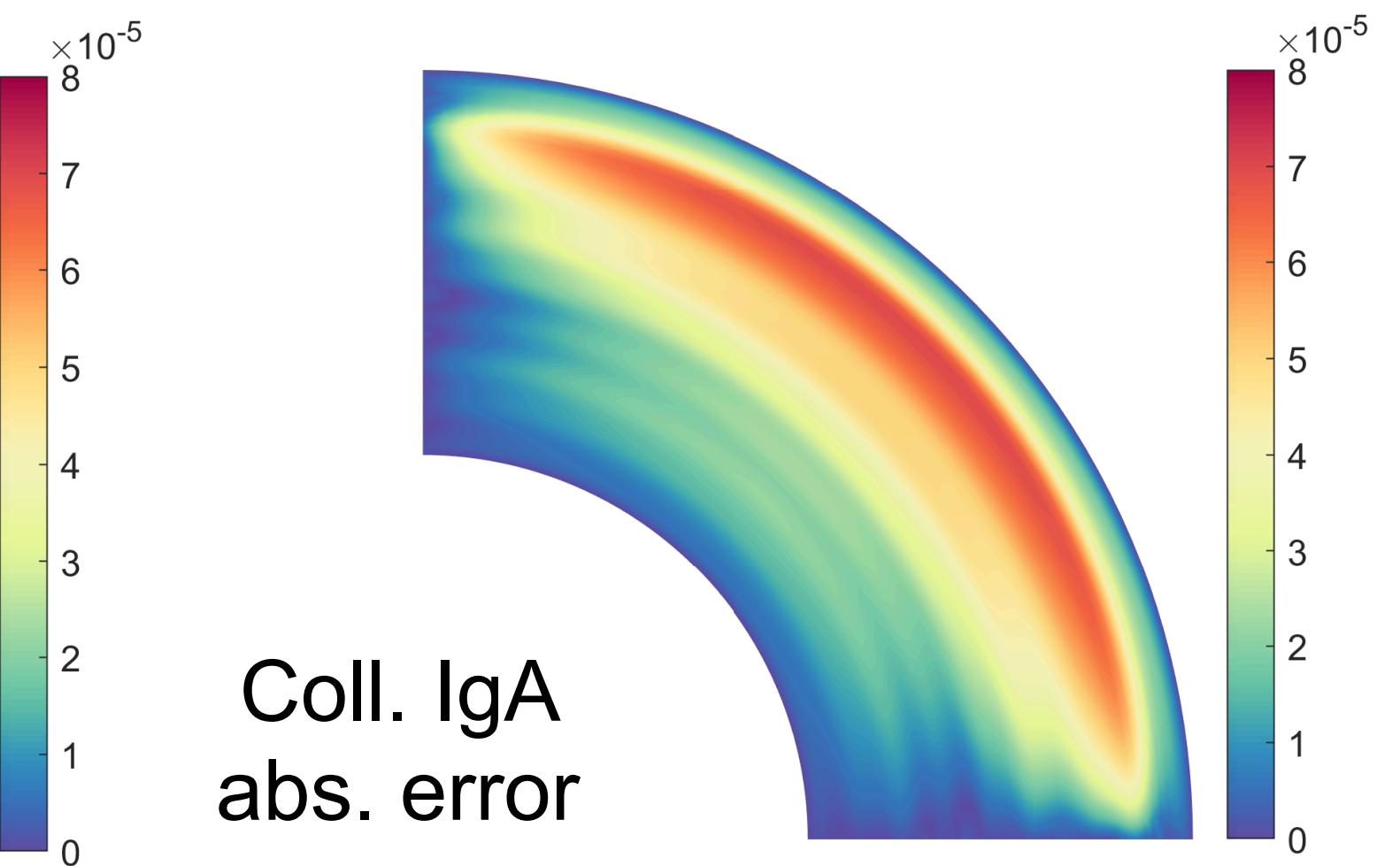
Greville pts



Clustered SC pts



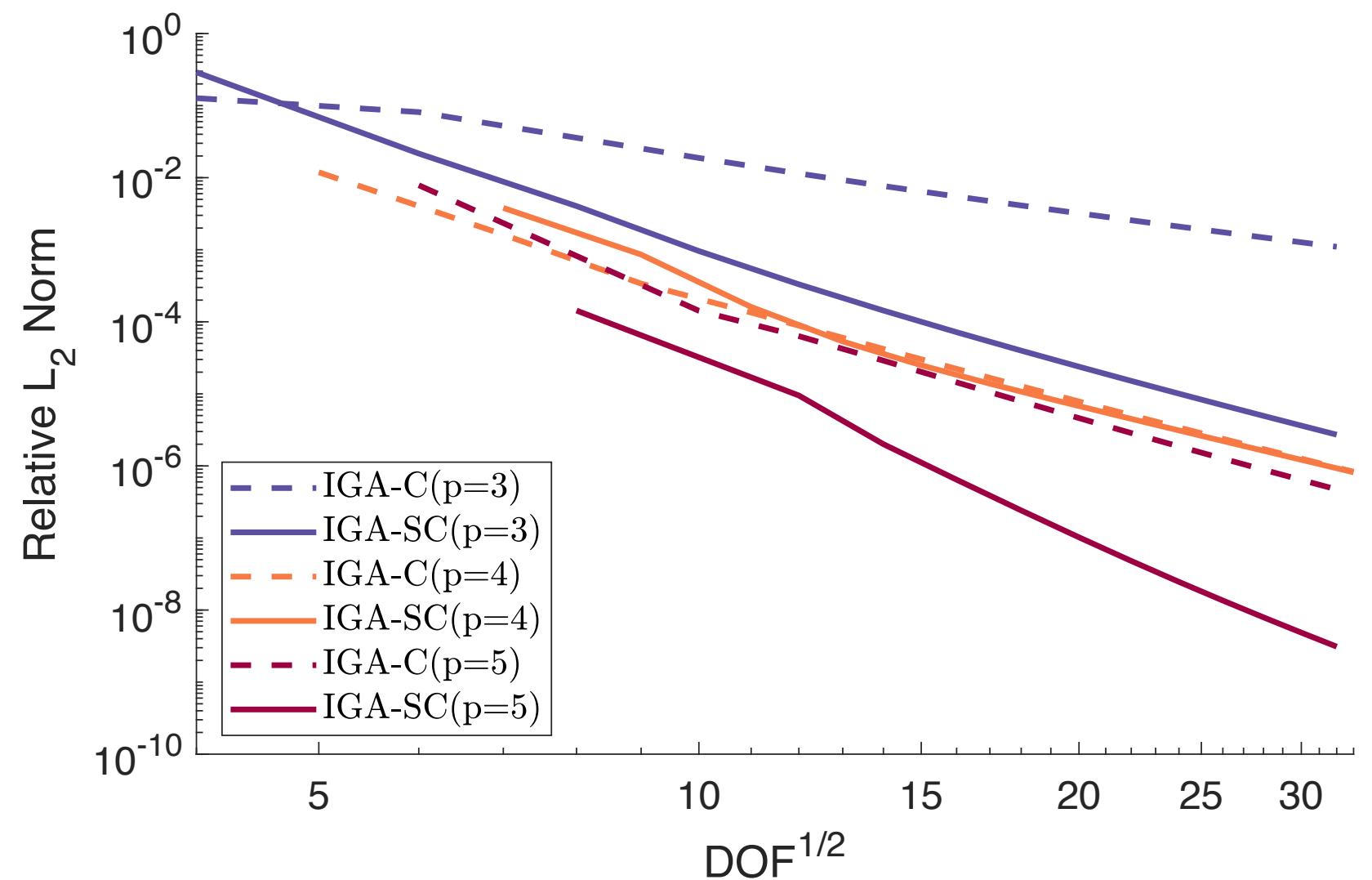
Coll. IgA
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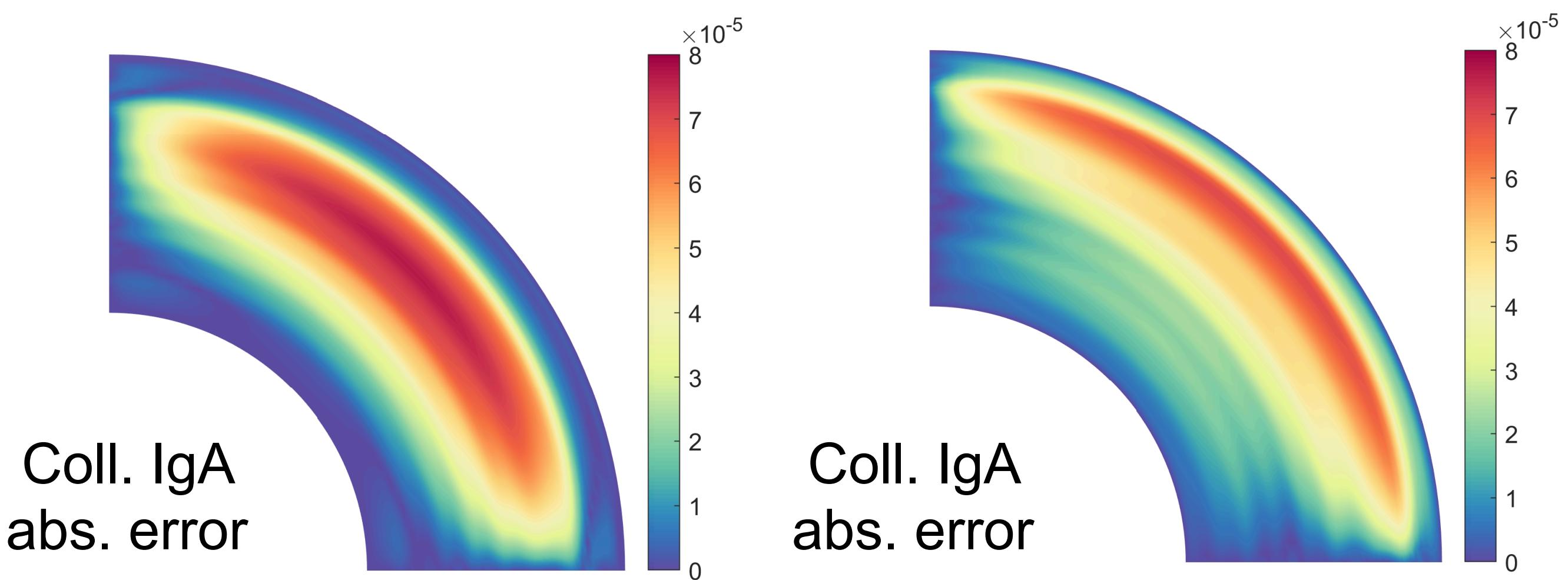
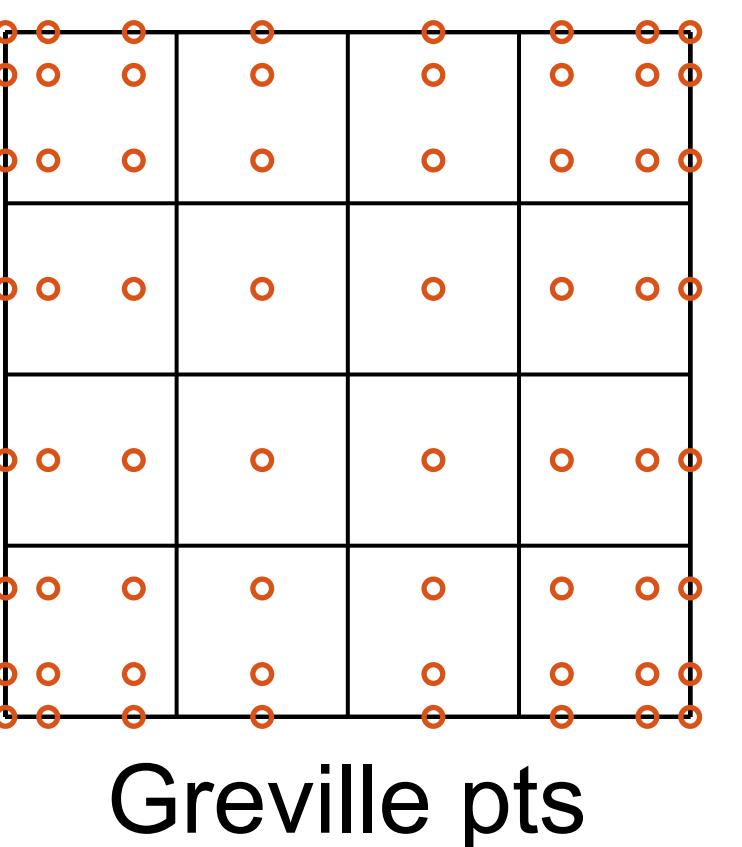
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Influence of collocation points



As finding the **optimal position of collocation points** is difficult, can't we instead increase their number to reduce the error?



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Least-squares collocation IgA

When #collocation points ($m_1 + m_2$) > #degrees of freedom (n) then the system matrix is over-determined and the system cannot be solved regularly. However, we can solve it in **least-squares sense**

$$\min_{u_h} \frac{1}{m_1} \sum_{i=1}^{m_1} \|\mathcal{L}_x u_h(\mathbf{x}_i) - f(\mathbf{x}_i)\|^2 + \frac{1}{m_2} \sum_{i=m_1+1}^{m_1+m_2} \|\mathcal{B}_x u_h(\mathbf{x}_i) - g(\mathbf{x}_i)\|^2$$

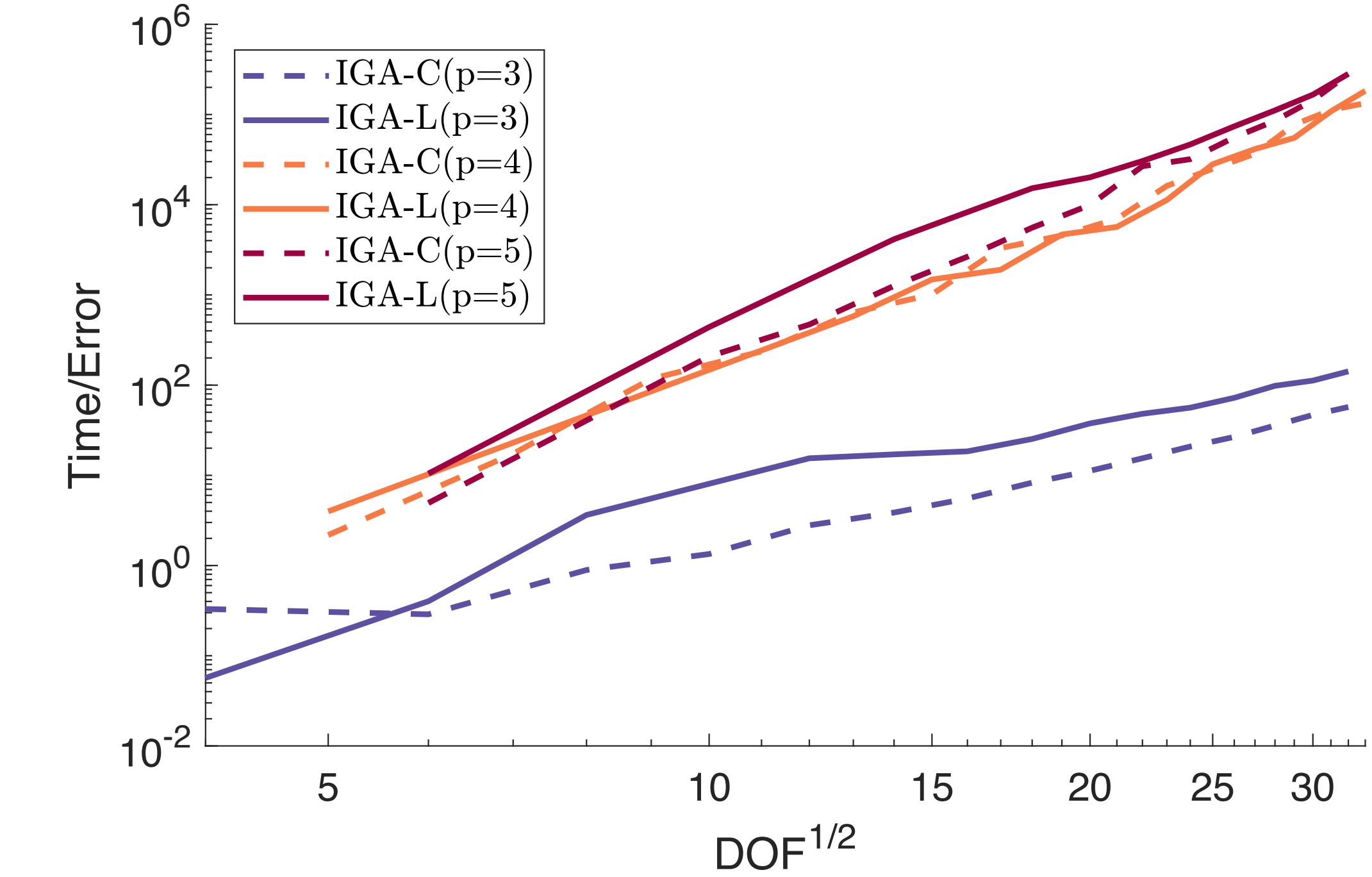
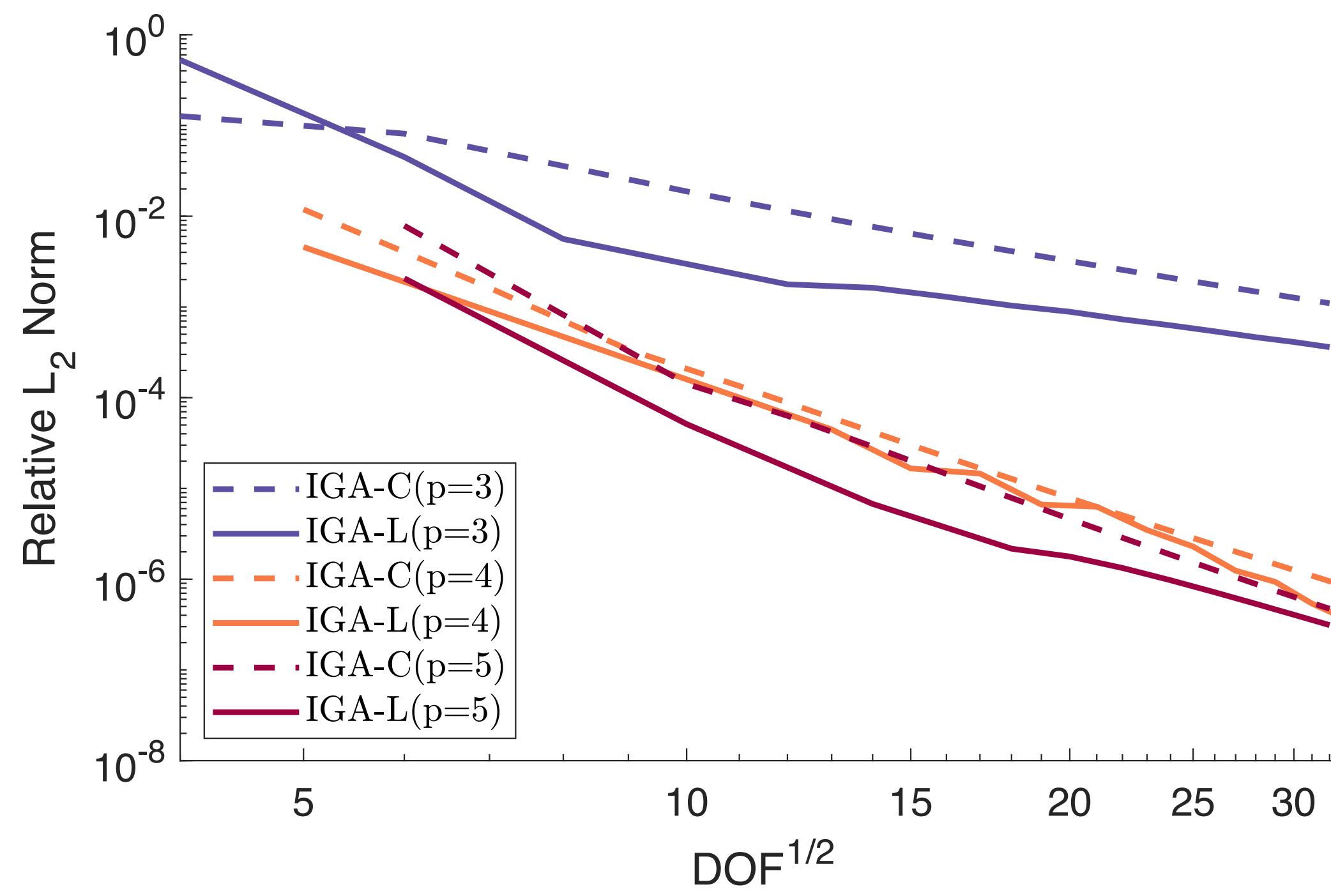
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$$\min_{u_h} \frac{1}{m_1} \sum_{i=1}^{m_1} \|\mathcal{L}_x u_h(\mathbf{x}_i) - f(\mathbf{x}_i)\|^2 + \frac{1}{m_2} \sum_{i=m_1+1}^{m_1+m_2} \|\mathcal{B}_x u_h(\mathbf{x}_i) - g(\mathbf{x}_i)\|^2$$

Theoretical justification [Lin et al. 2020]: under certain conditions, the least-squares collocation IgA method is consistent and convergent. In essence, there must be at *least one collocation point per element* (e.g., Greville point) but we can use more to increase the sampling resolution.

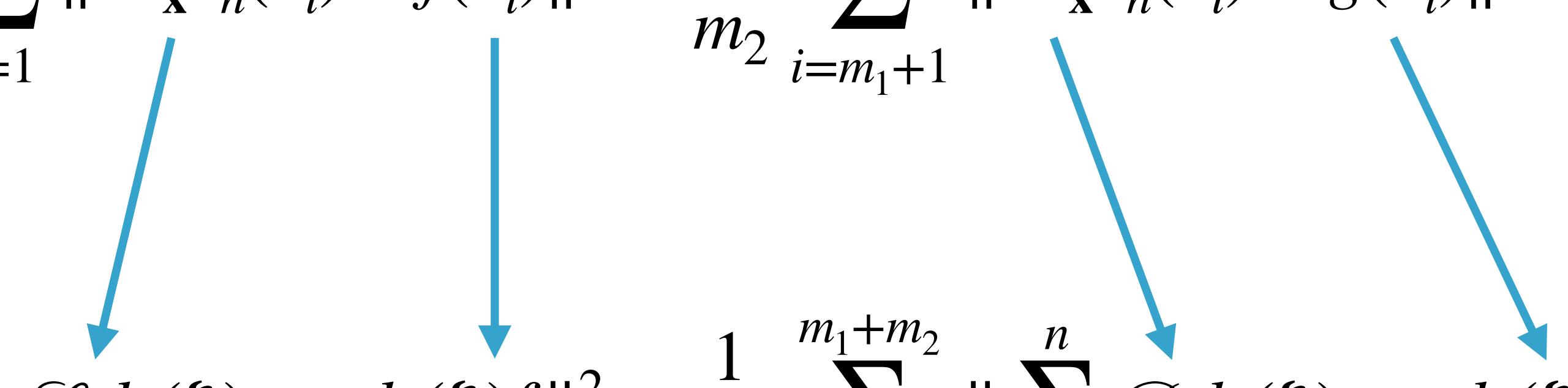
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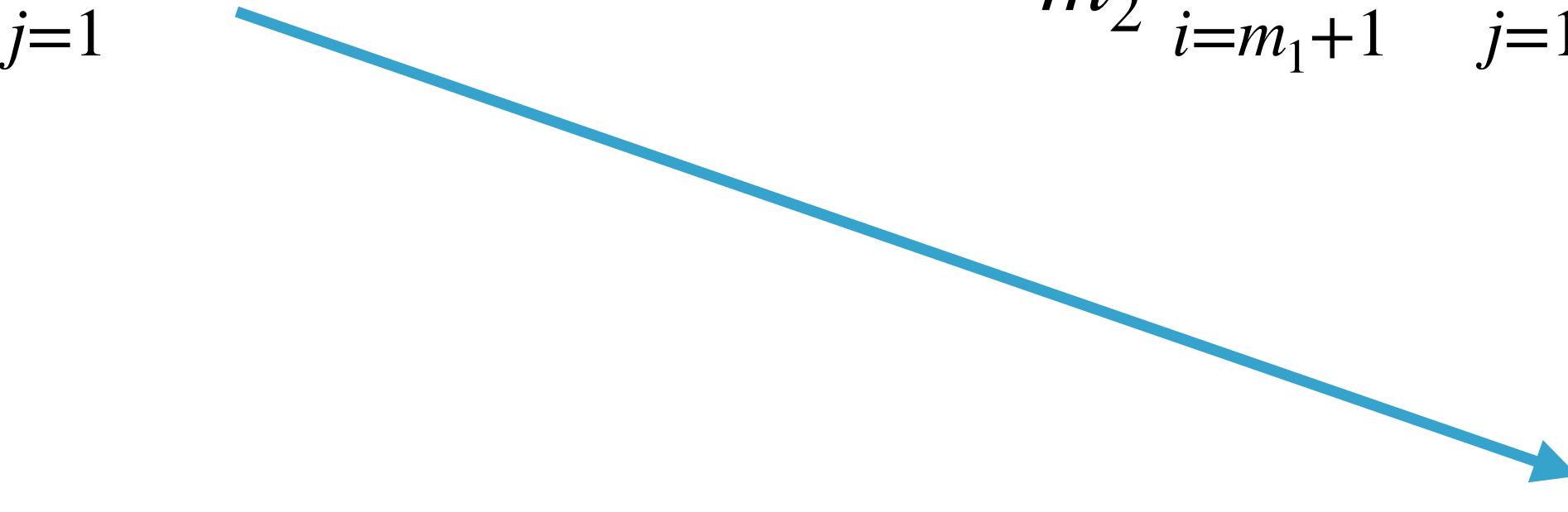
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rhs

bc cond.

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geometry

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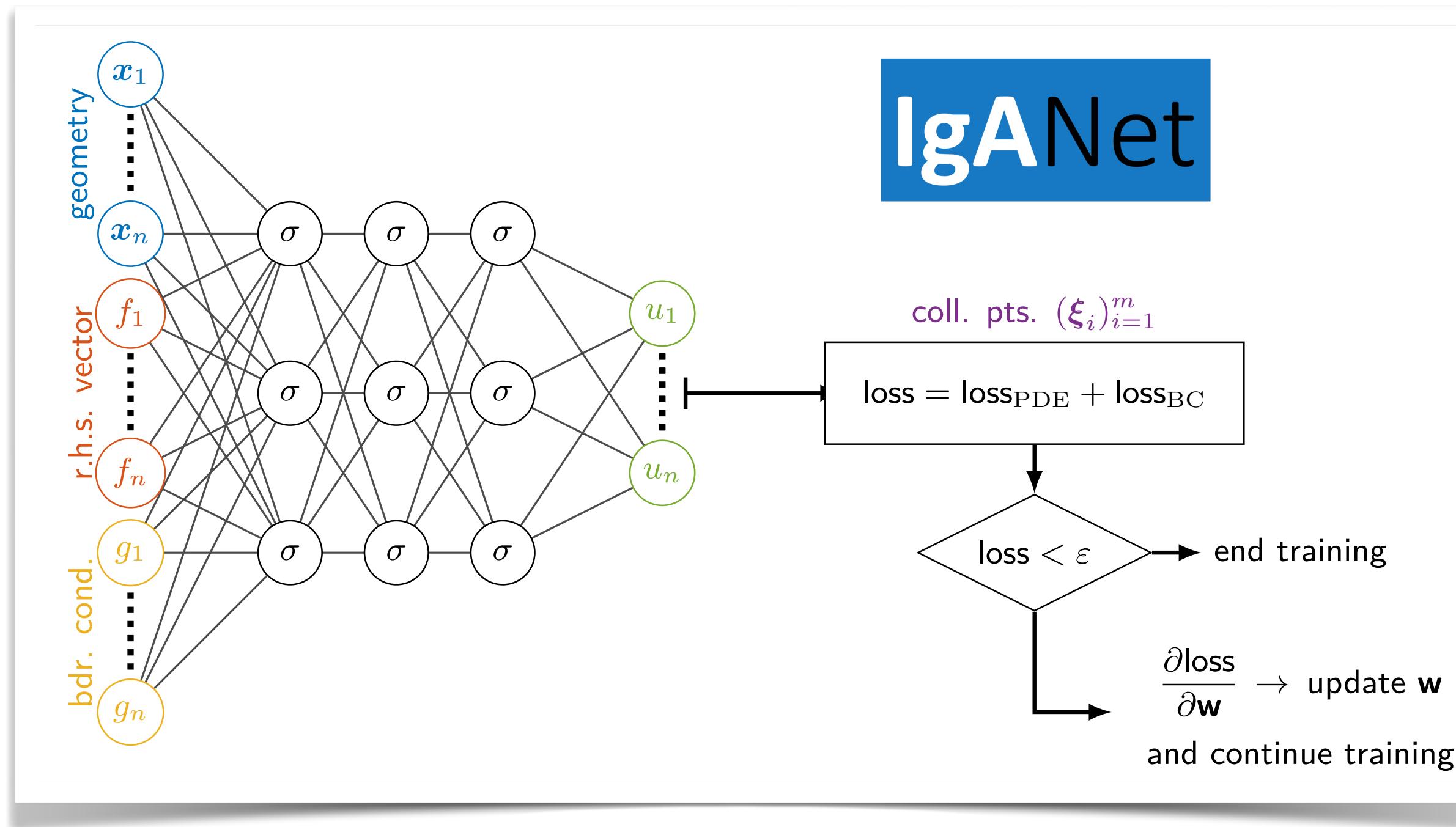
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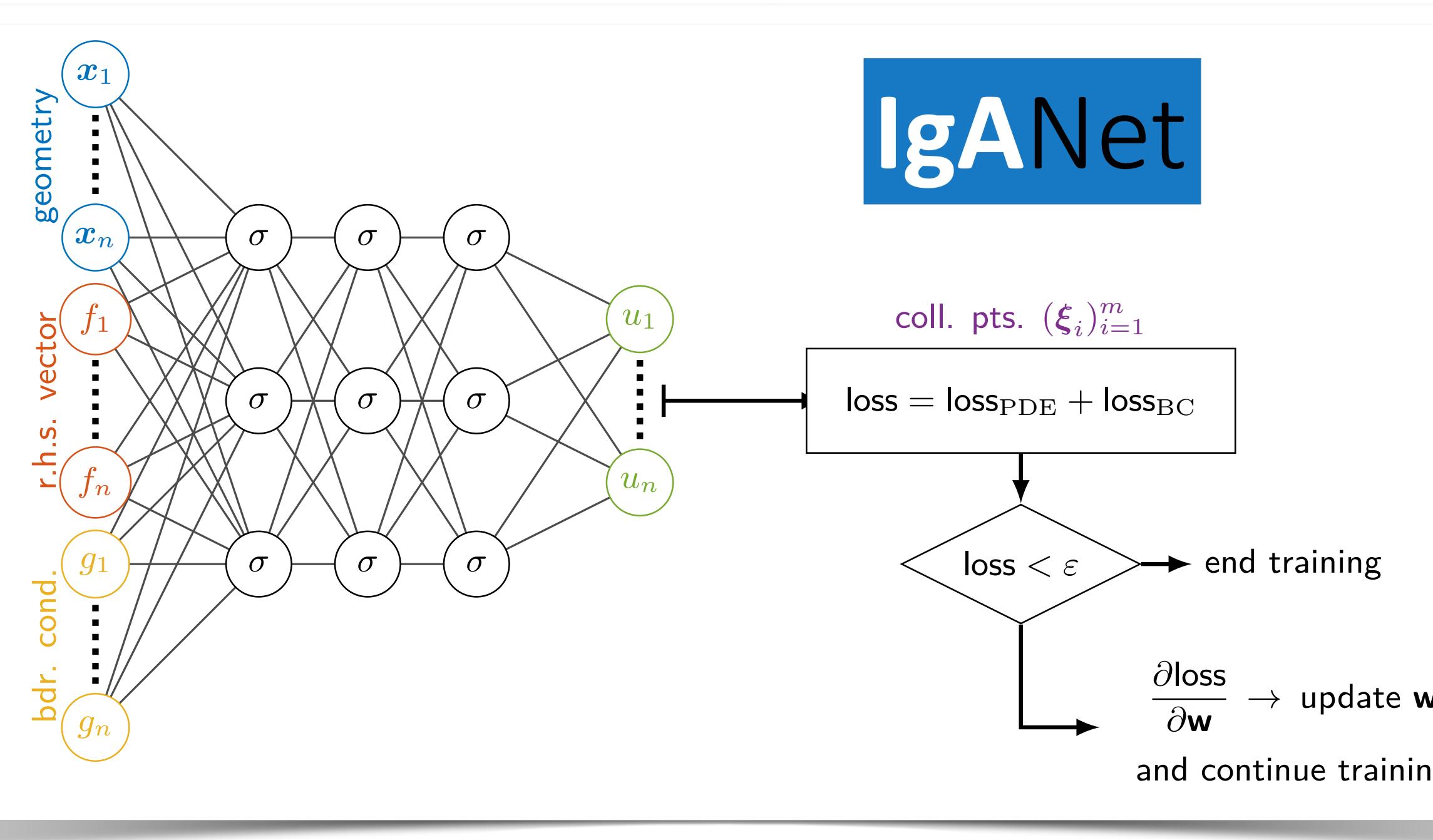
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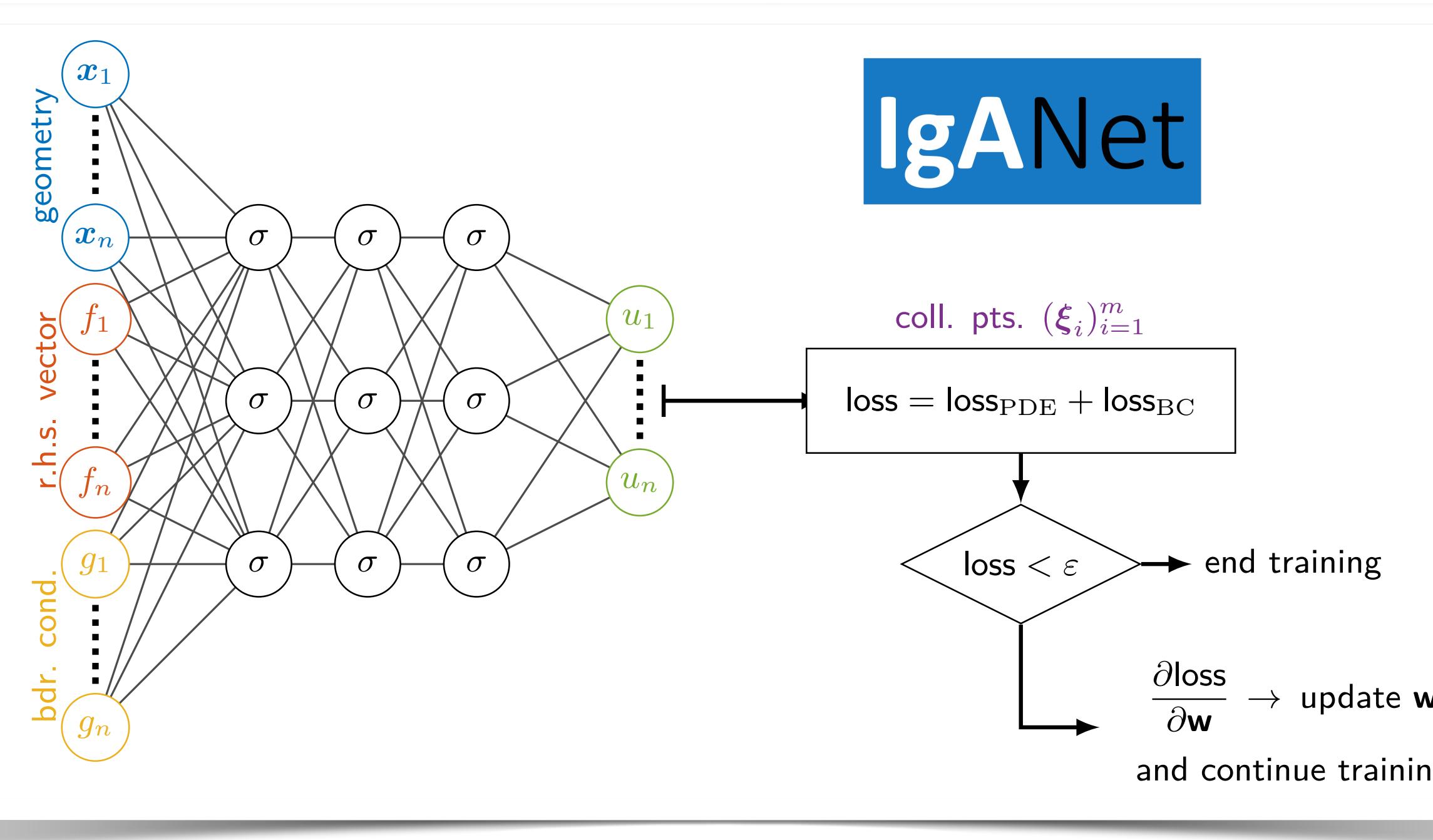
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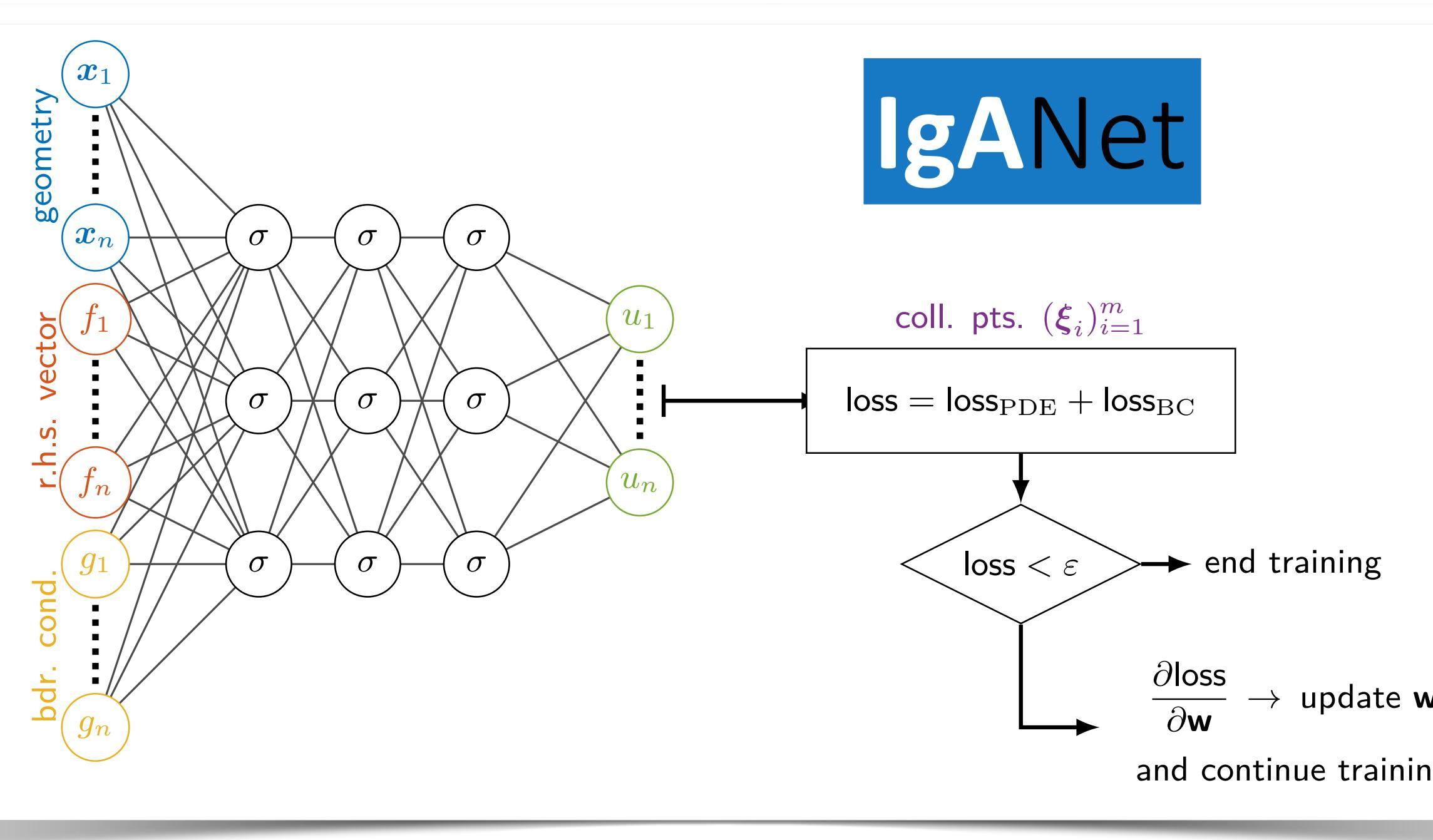
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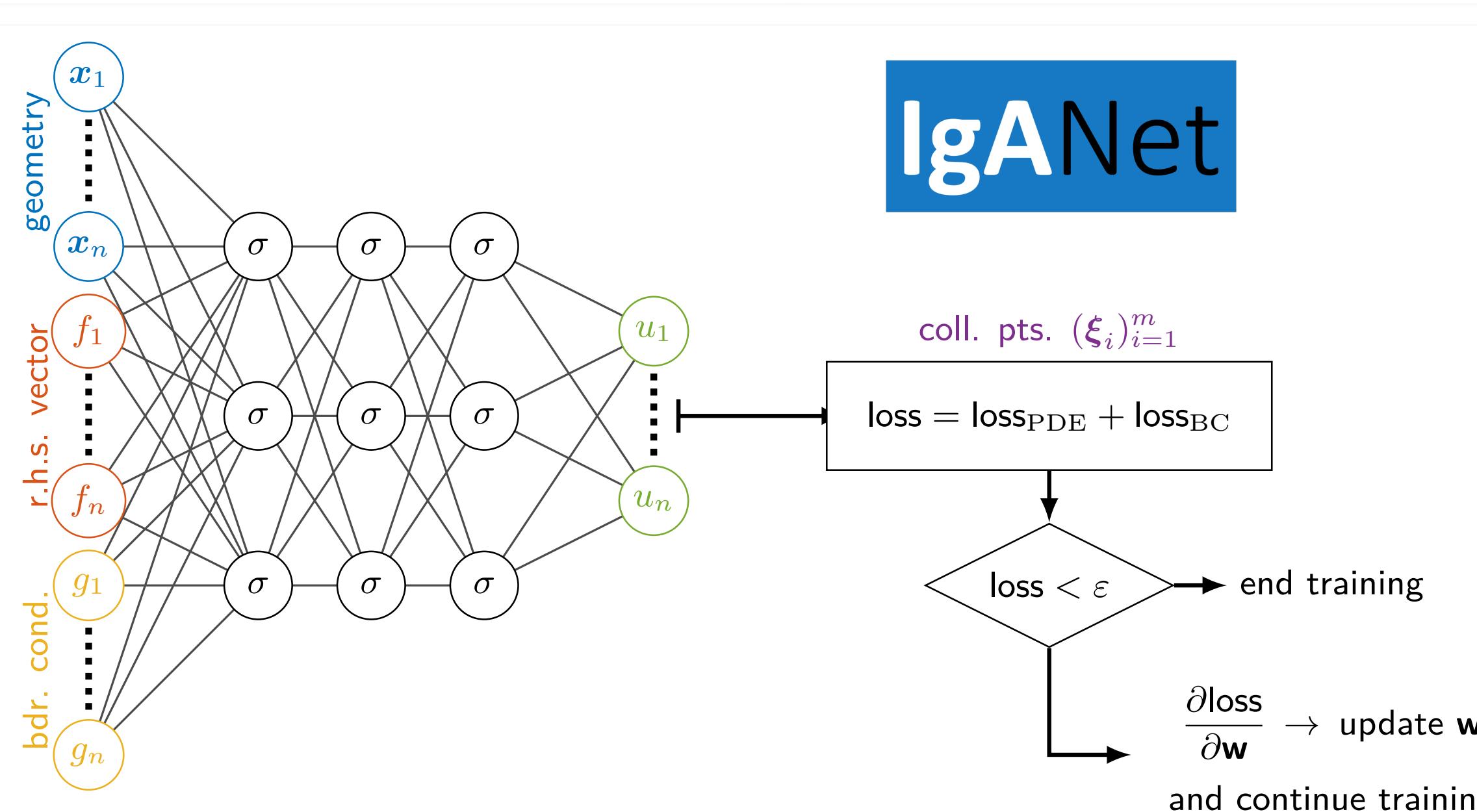
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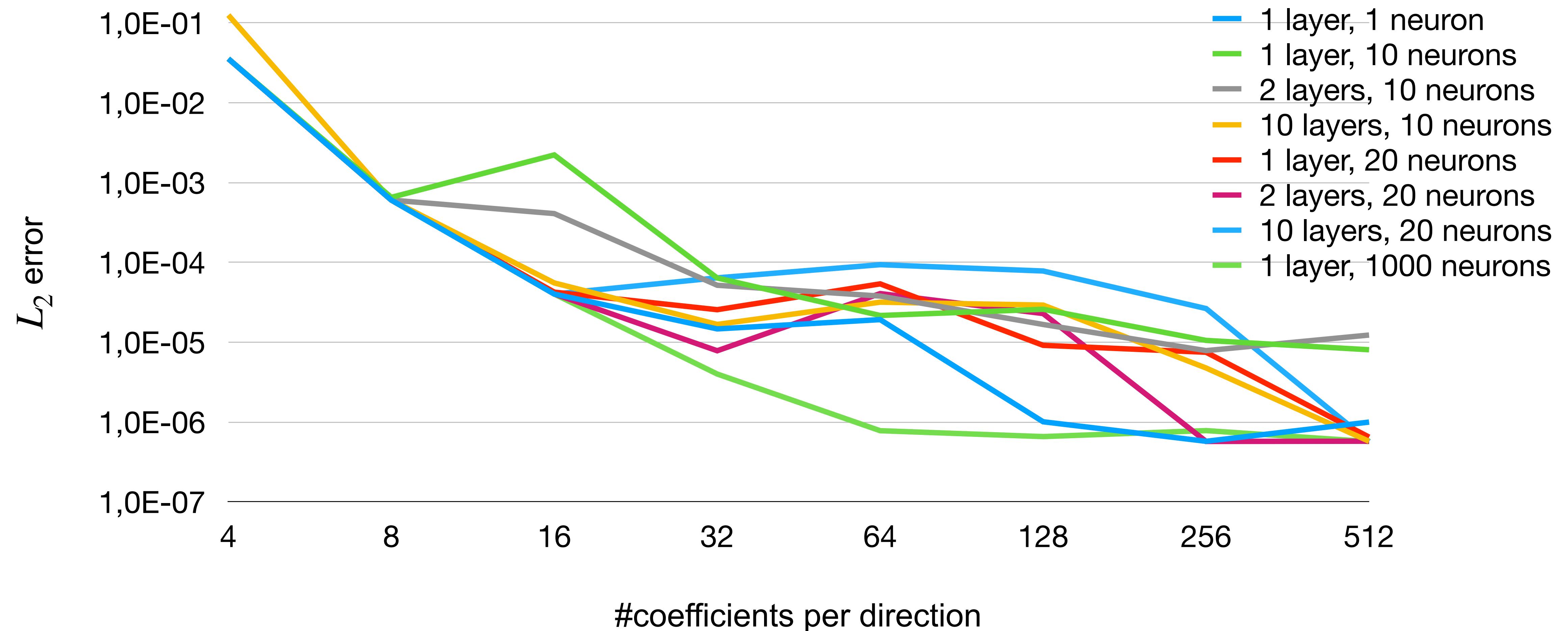
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But we can also pre-train it.**

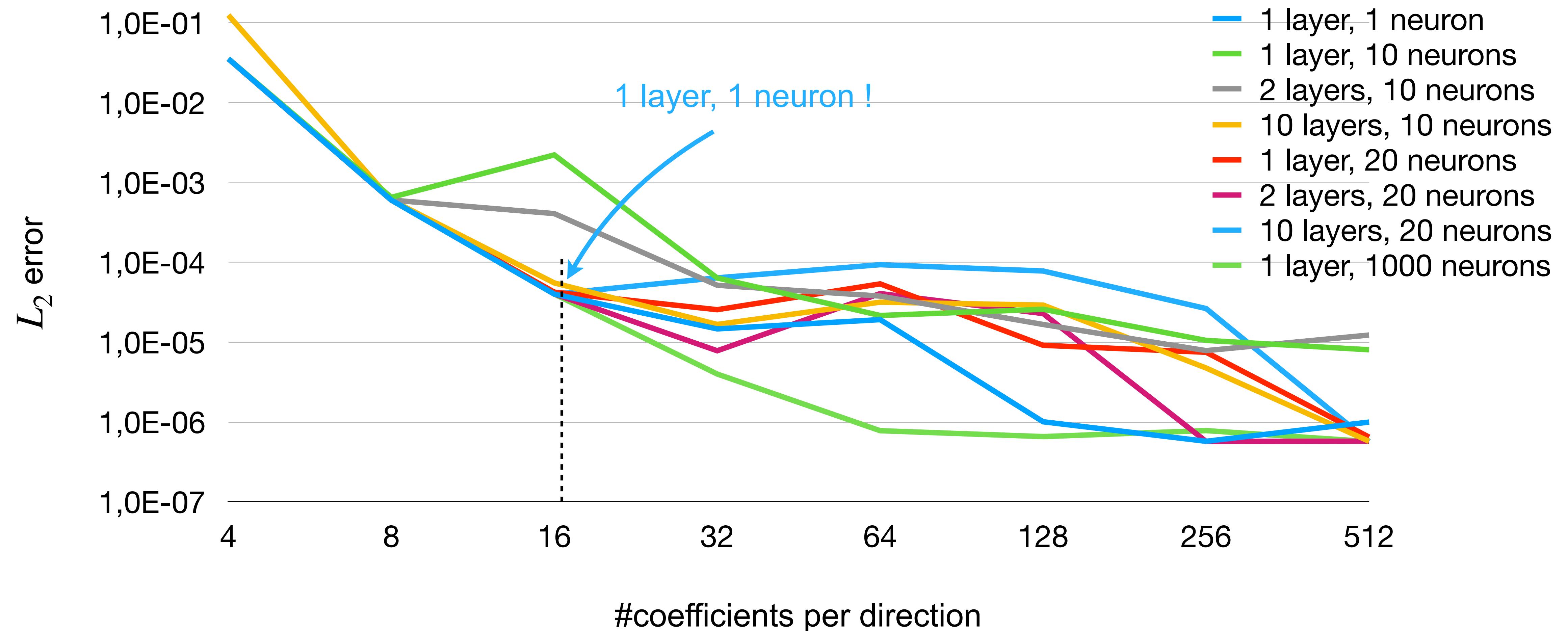
- C++17 (soon open-source) library implemented atop LibTorch 2.x (C++ API of PyTorch)
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- Distributed computing on CPUs and GPUs (NVIDIA & AMD, Google TPUs WIP)
- Coupled with G+Smo (Geometry plus Simulation Modules) as IgA reference library and as toolkit with surface and volume reparameterization techniques



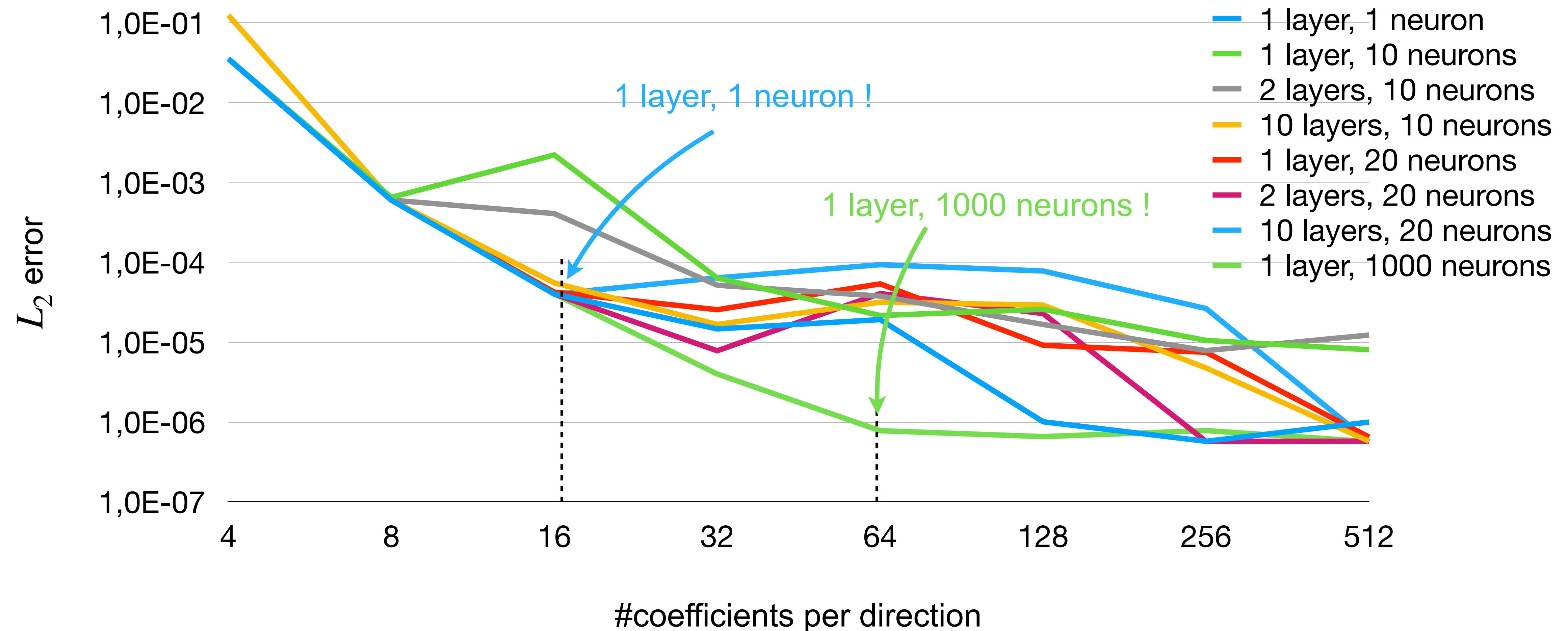
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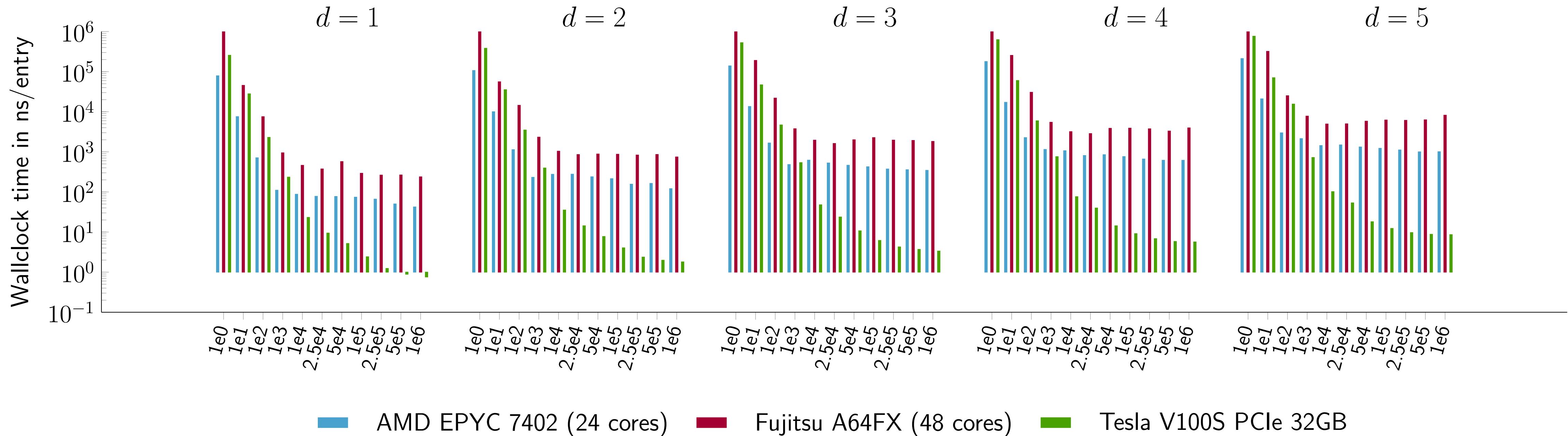
Differential operators in the loss function are computed efficiently in the ‘traditional’ IgA manner by differentiating the B-spline basis functions (no need to differentiate the network as in PINNs!)

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bspline.ilaplace(Geo, Cpts);
```

Derivatives of the loss function w.r.t. to the weights and biases are computed via back propagation

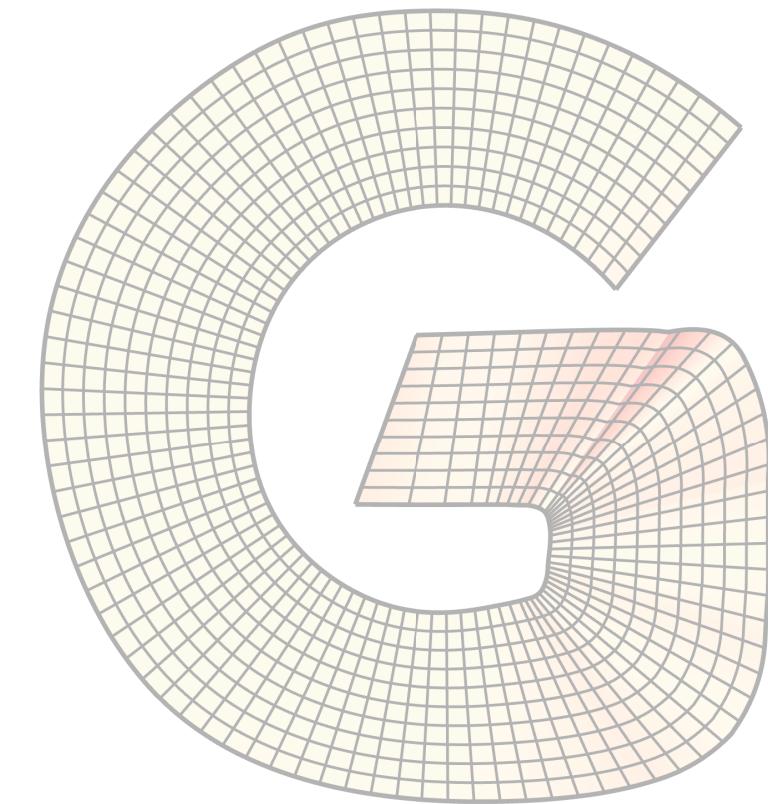
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nn.zero_grad(); loss = L(nn.forward(Geo, Cpts),...); loss.backward();
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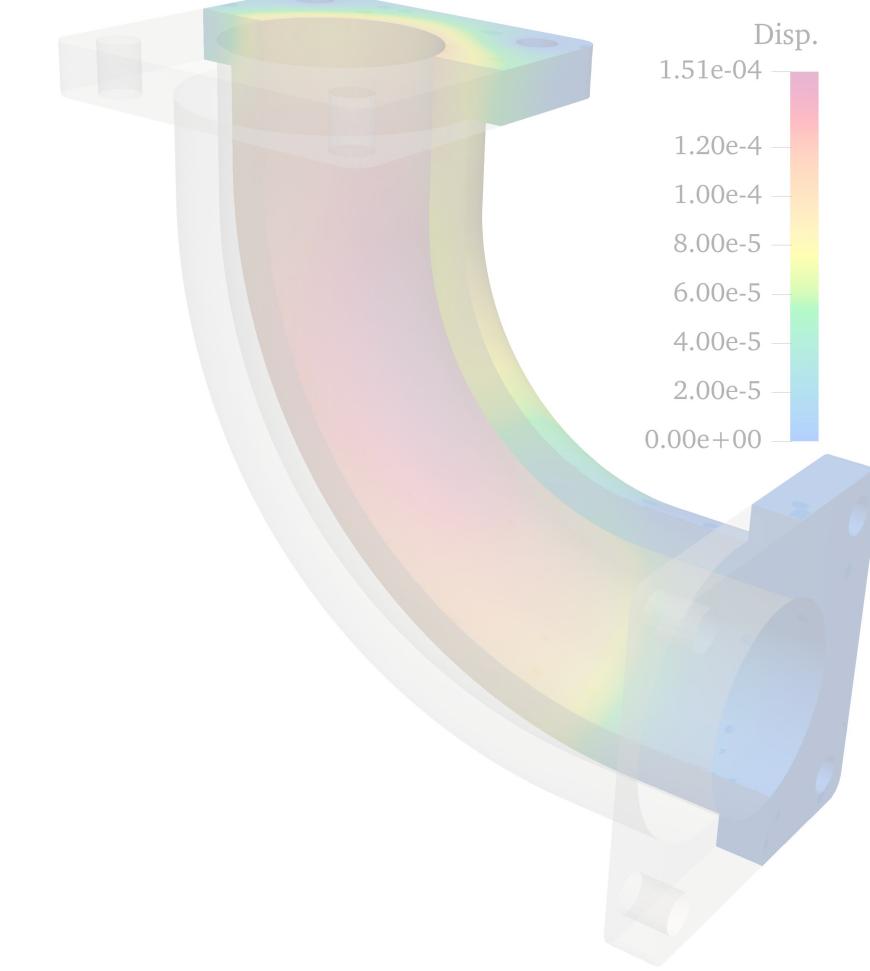




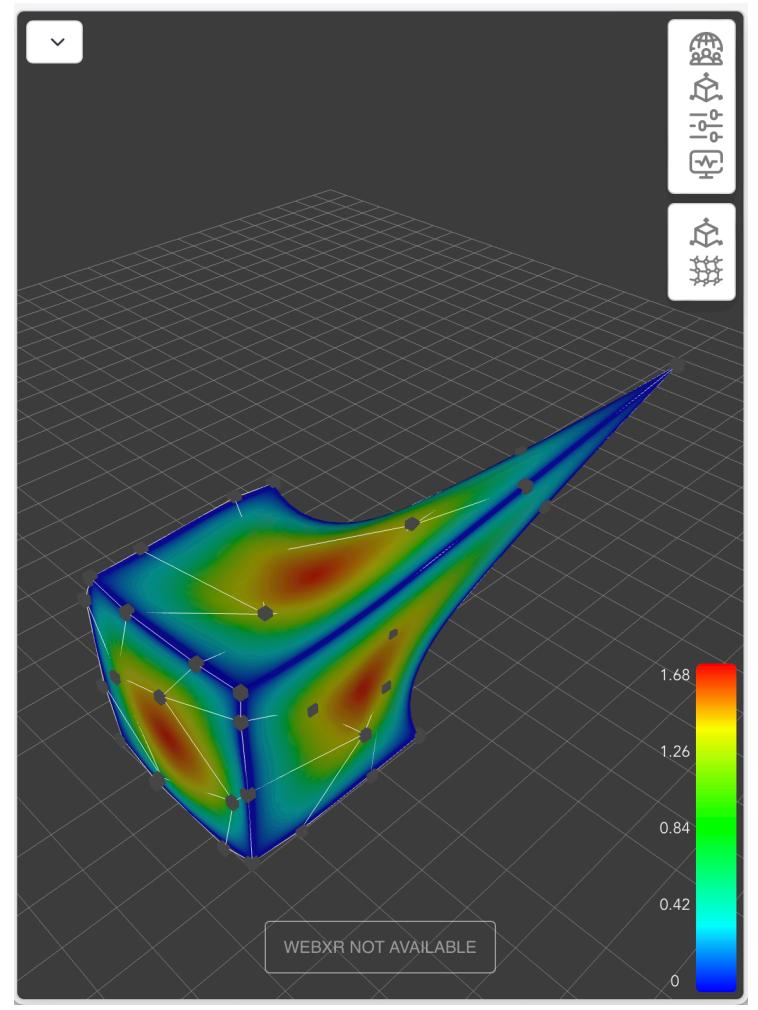
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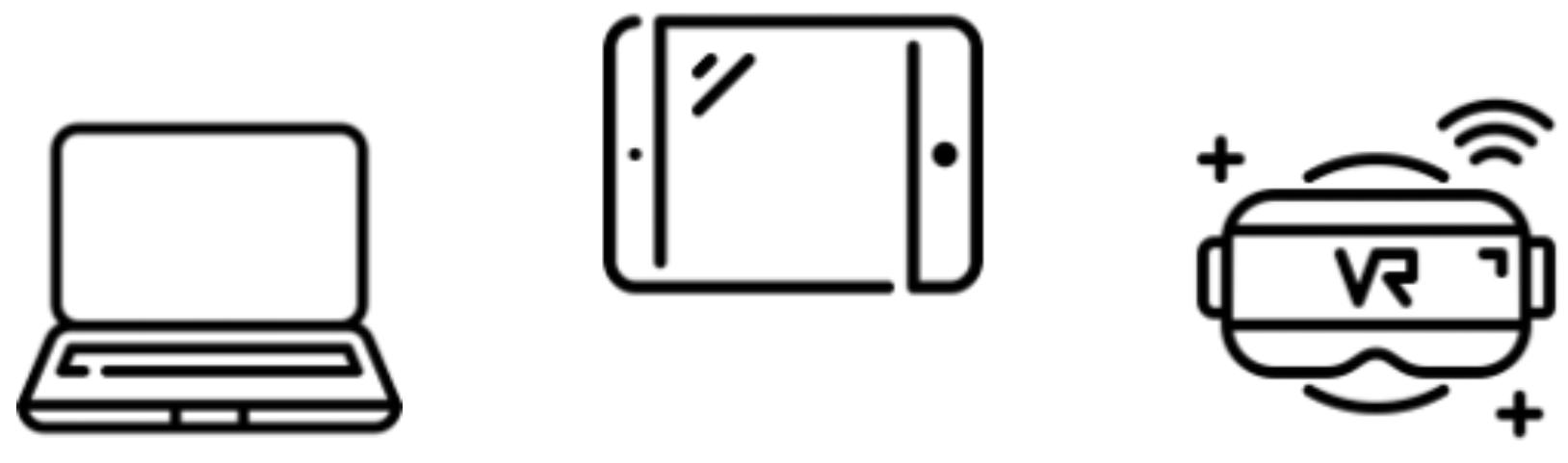
3. Isogeometric
Analysis and IgANets



4. Interactive Design-
through-Analysis

Interactive design-through-analysis

Vision: Enable CAD and CAE experts to collaborate in a distributed DTA framework



IgANet



<https://visualization.surf.nl/iganet>

Summary

Seamless **in-paradigm integration** of deep learning techniques into the IgA framework

Concept of an **interactive Design-through-Analysis** pipeline for CAD and CAE experts

Software toolbox for **automatic (re-)parameterization** to motivate CAD expert use VReps

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