

# Algebraic coarse-graining methods in fracture mechanics: tackling local lack of correlation using domain decomposition

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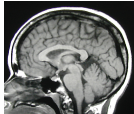
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# Non-linear expensive simulations

- Problems depending on microscale phenomena  $\implies$  requires very fine mesh: expensive simulations
- **Surgical simulation:** real-time brain surgery simulation



- **Aeronautics:** advanced early-stage design



# Projection-based model order reduction

We want to solve a parametrised mechanical problem:

$$\underbrace{\underline{\mathbf{F}}_{\text{int}}(\underline{\mathbf{U}}(\lambda), \lambda)}_{\text{Non-linear}} + \underline{\mathbf{F}}_{\text{ext}}(\lambda) = \underline{\mathbf{0}} \quad (1)$$

We are interested in the solution  $\underline{\mathbf{U}}(\lambda)$  for many different values of  $\lambda$ .

Projection-based model order reduction assumption:

Solutions  $\underline{\mathbf{U}}(\lambda)$  for different parameters  $\lambda$  are contained in a space of small dimension  $\text{span}(\{\underline{\mathbf{C}}_j\}_{j \in \llbracket 1, n_c \rrbracket})$

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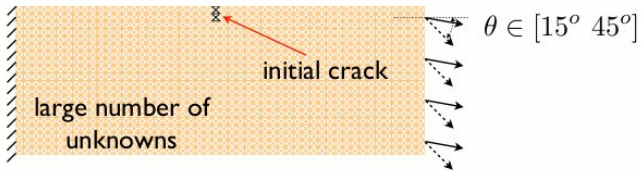
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- In the Galerkin framework:  $\underline{\mathbf{C}}^T \underline{\mathbf{F}}_{\text{int}}(\underline{\mathbf{C}}\underline{\alpha}) + \underline{\mathbf{C}}^T \underline{\mathbf{F}}_{\text{ext}} = 0$

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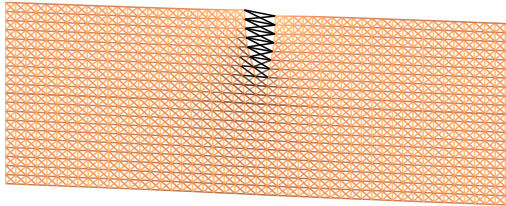
# Example

## Parametrised fracture model

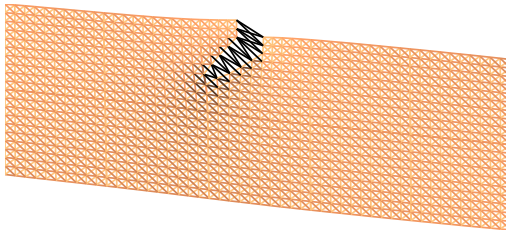


# Snapshots

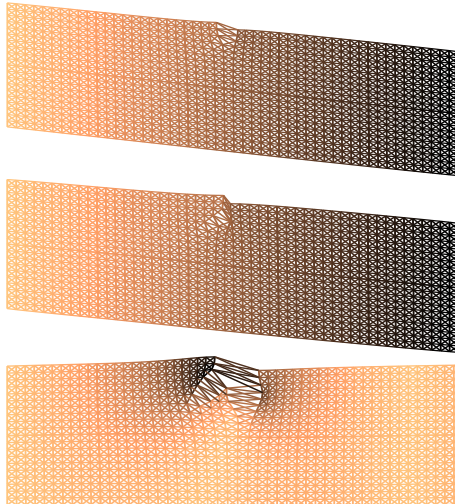
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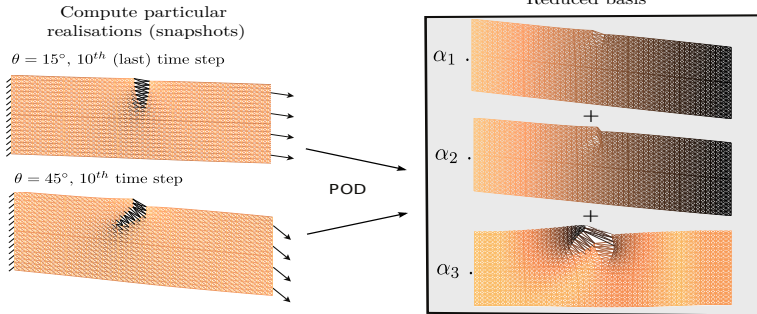
# First 3 modes of the POD basis



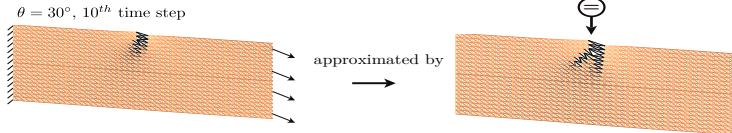


# Fracture not well captured

## Construction of reduced order model



## Solution at arbitrary angle using the reduced model



# What can we do?

Idea: just divide up the domain and select regions that are “reducible”

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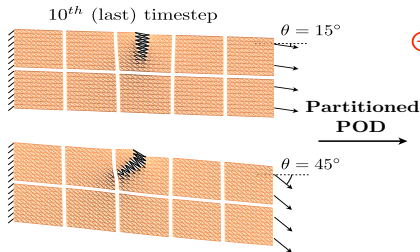
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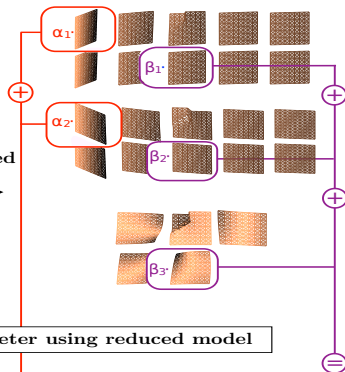
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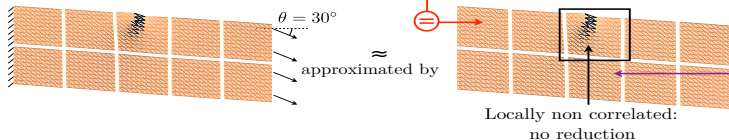
Compute particular realisations  
 (cost intensive) using domain  
 decomposition (snapshots)



Partitioned reduced basis



Solution for arbitrary parameter using reduced model



# Is that good enough?

- Speed-up actually poor
- Equation “ $\underline{\underline{\mathbf{C}}}^T \underline{\underline{\mathbf{F}}}_{\text{int}} (\underline{\underline{\mathbf{C}}} \underline{\underline{\alpha}}) + \underline{\underline{\mathbf{C}}}^T \underline{\underline{\mathbf{F}}}_{\text{ext}} = 0$ ” quicker to solve but  $\underline{\underline{\mathbf{C}}}^T \underline{\underline{\mathbf{F}}}_{\text{int}} (\underline{\underline{\mathbf{C}}} \underline{\underline{\alpha}})$  still expensive to evaluate
- Need to do something more  $\implies$  system approximation

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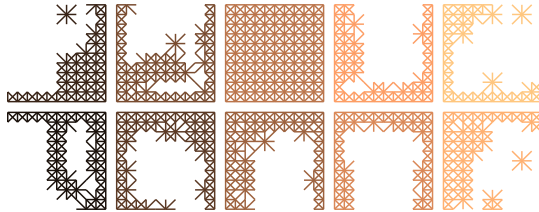
# Idea

- Integrate only over some nodes of the domain
- Reconstruct the operators using a second POD basis



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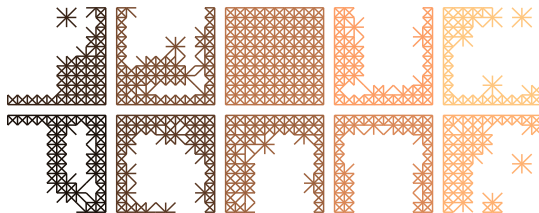
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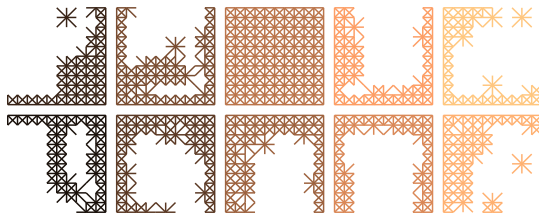
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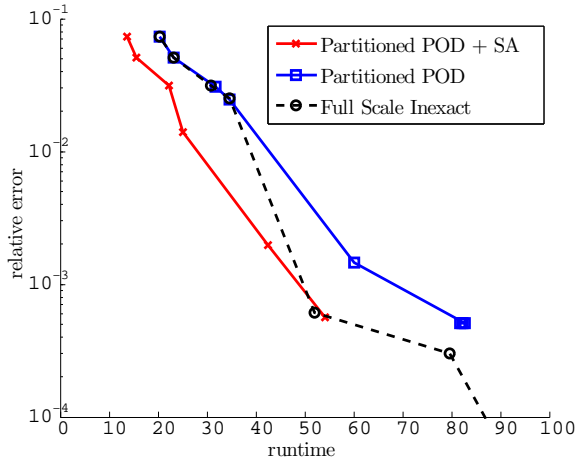
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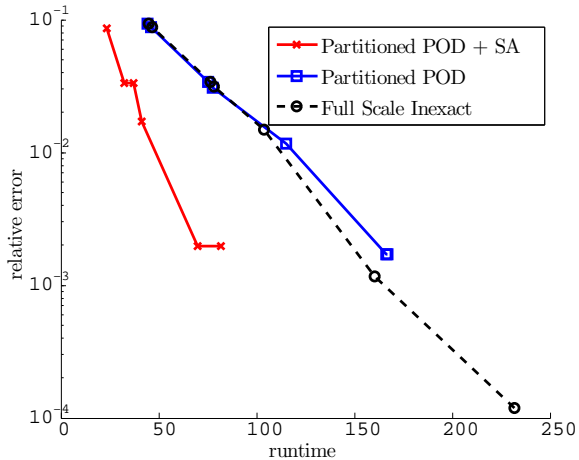


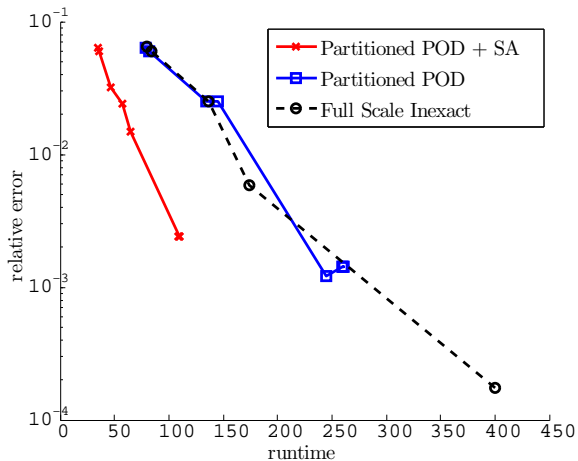
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- $\underline{\beta}$  found through:  $\min_{\underline{\beta}} \left\| \widehat{\underline{\mathbf{D}}\underline{\beta}} - \widehat{\underline{\mathbf{F}}_{\text{int}}(\underline{\mathbf{C}}\underline{\alpha})} \right\|_2$

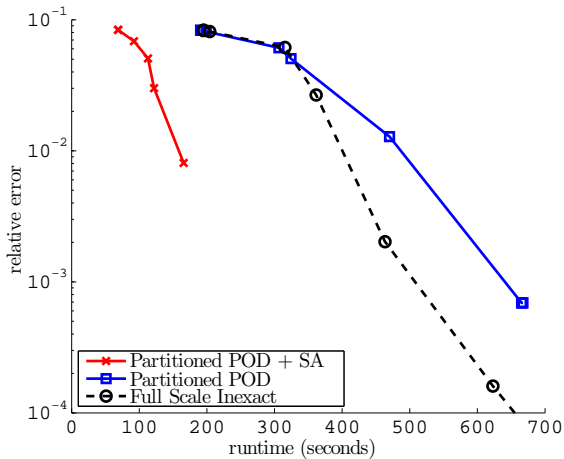
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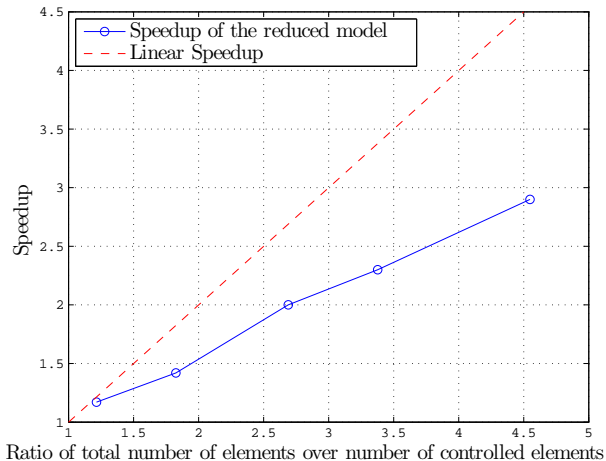












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