

Reducing non-linear PDEs using a reduced integration proper orthogonal decomposition method

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Overview

- Model order reduction and POD.
- The problem with POD for non-linear problems. Assembly of non-linear operators dominates solution time.
- Novel reduced integration POD method.
 - DOLFIN.
 - UFL-based specification of weak forms.
 - SLEPc.
- Main alternative: Discrete Empirical Interpolation Method [S. Chaturantabut and Sorensen 09].
 - Difference: DEIM selects significant points to evaluate strong form, our method selects significant regions to evaluate weak forms.
 - Straightforward implementation in any finite element method code.
- Results.

Model Order Reduction

- Any method that reduces the runtime complexity of a model.
- Why?
 - Interactive rate simulation.
 - Multi-level Monte Carlo methods (Giles, Schwab).
 - Bayesian inference problems (Stuart).

Proper Orthogonal Decomposition (POD)

- Find a new set of *global* basis functions that optimally represent the data in a set of snapshots.
- Dimension of POD basis significantly smaller than original FEM basis.
- Snapshots, POD basis, projections - (a lot of work) *offline*.
- Small linear system solve - (a tiny bit of work) *online*.

Proper Orthogonal Decomposition (POD)

Input: Solution snapshots

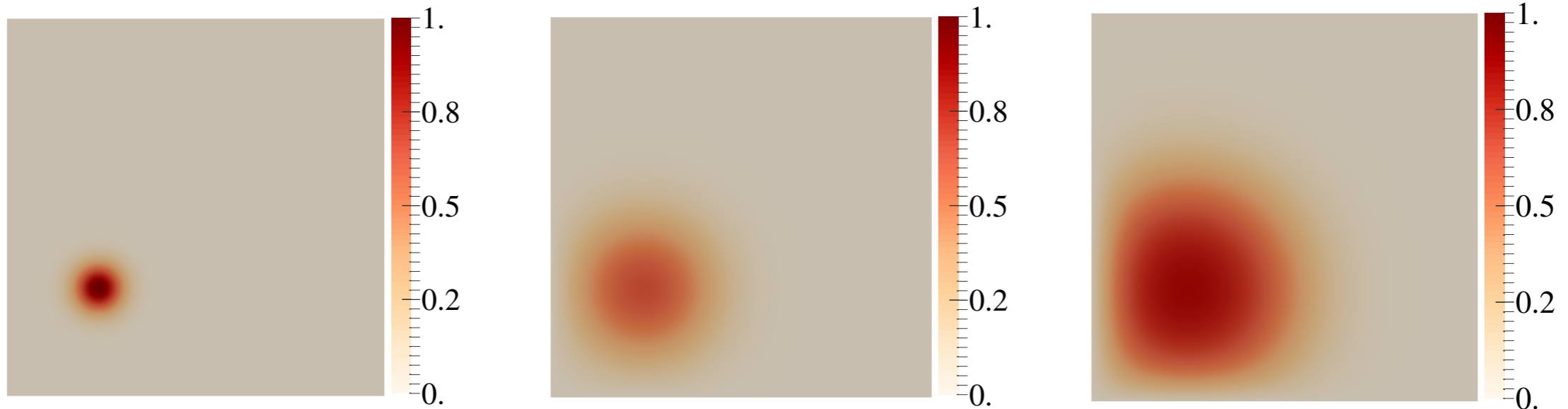
$$u_j \in V_h \quad \dim(V_h) = m \quad \{u_1, u_2, u_3, \dots, u_j\}$$

Output: POD basis functions.

$$\{\phi_1, \phi_2, \dots, \phi_N\}$$

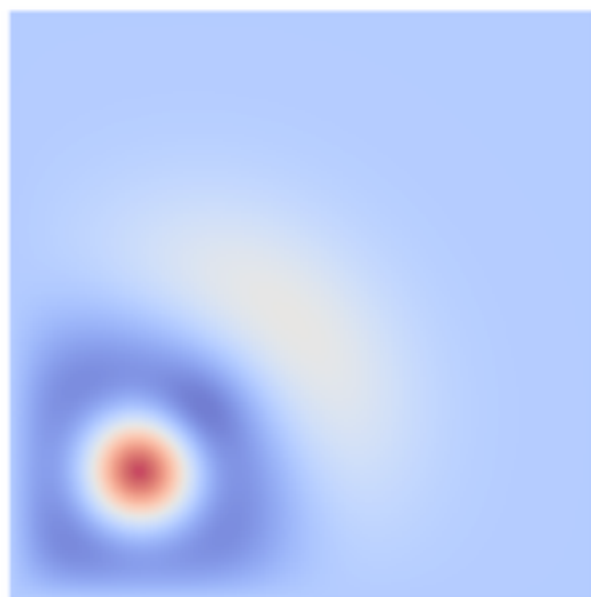
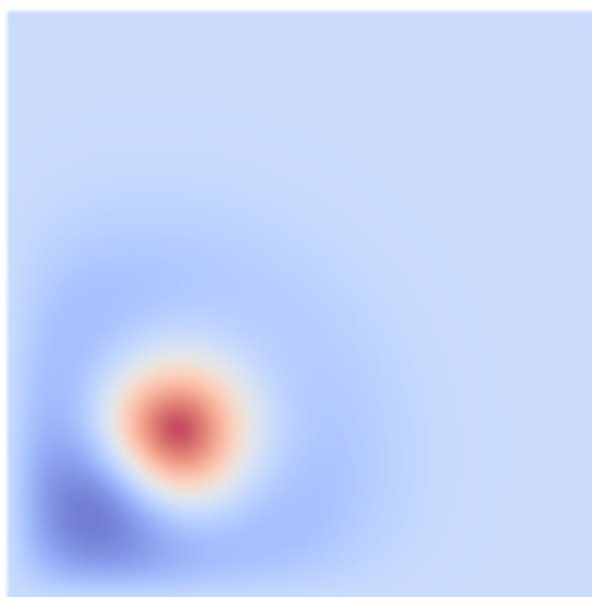
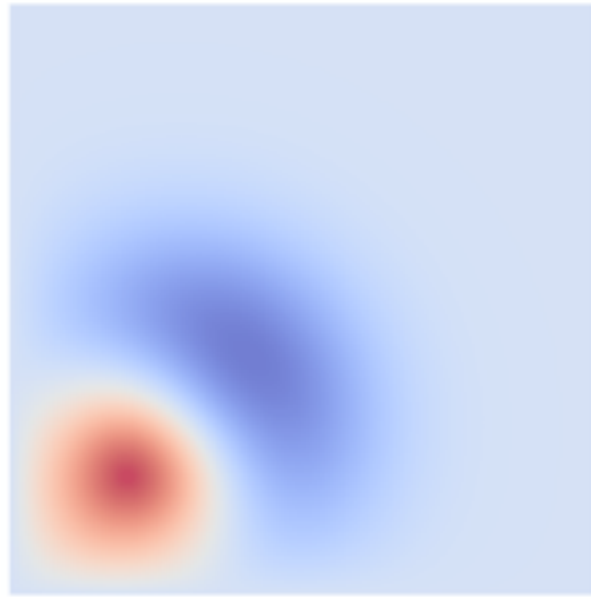
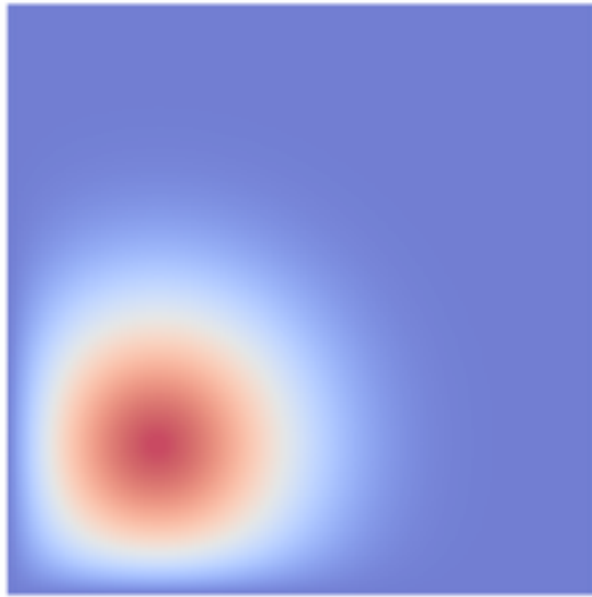
$$N \ll m$$

Non-linear reaction-diffusion

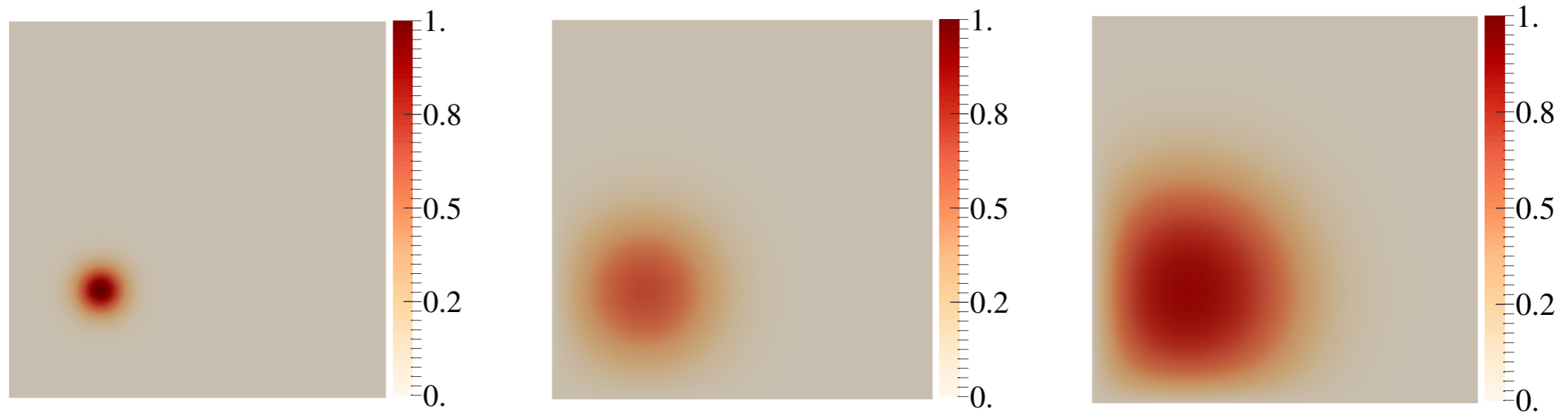


$$\left(\left(\frac{1}{\Delta t} + \frac{c}{2} \right) \mathbf{M} + \mathbf{K} \right) \mathbf{u}^{k+1} = \left(\frac{1}{\Delta t} - \frac{c}{2} \right) \mathbf{M} \mathbf{u}^k + \mathbf{L}(\mathbf{u}^k)$$

POD Basis Functions



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once

once

once

every timestep

Must re-assemble linear form for every timestep

Newton System

Linearisation about current solution

$$a(m; u_-; \delta u; v) = -F(m; u_-; v)$$

Newton system

$$\mathbf{A}(u_-) \delta u = \mathbf{b}(u_-)$$

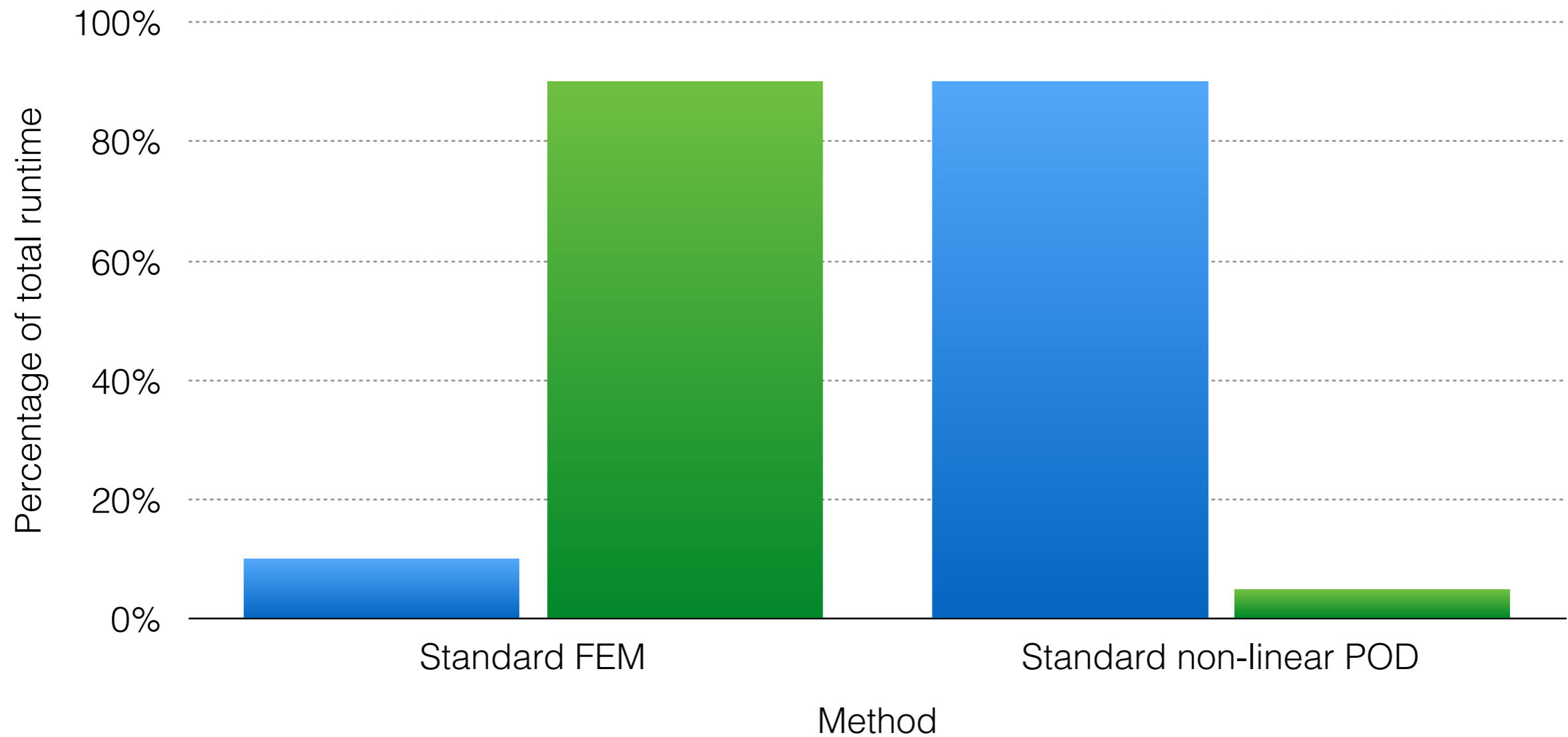
every Newton step

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**Must re-assemble linear and bilinear operators
for every Newton step**

Split of time

■ Assembly ■ Solution



Same observation as [S. Chaturantabut and Sorensen 09]

Observations

- *Observation 1:* POD basis function optimally represents data in snapshots.
- *Observation 2:* Original finite element mesh is *not optimal* for POD basis functions.

Solution

- Construct a new mesh for *online assembly* of all non-linear operators, that is *optimal for the POD basis functions*.
- Hopefully, this new mesh will have significantly fewer cells.
- Fewer cells means less computational costs during assembly of operators associated with non-linear part of PDE.

Offline Algorithm

- Greedy algorithm on sequence of POD basis functions.

$$\{\phi_1, \phi_2, \dots, \phi_N\}$$

- Start with coarse mesh and first POD basis function.

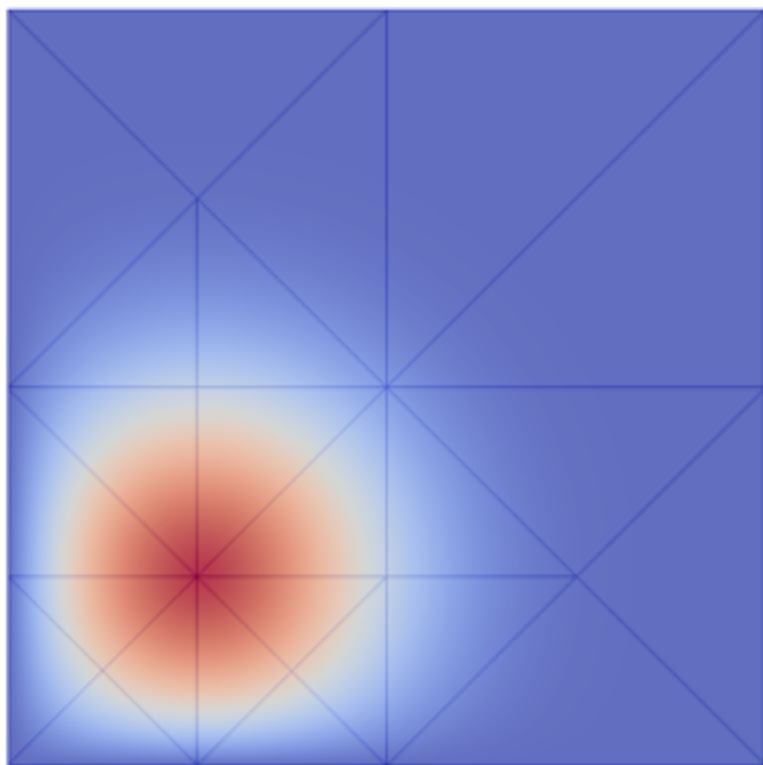
$$\mathcal{T}_h^1$$

- Calculate local error indicator.

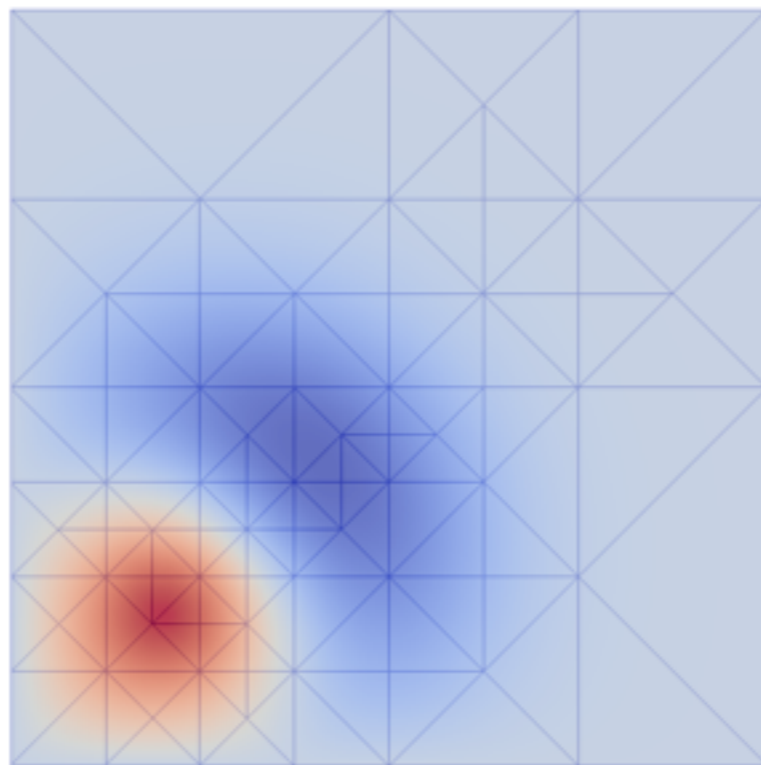
$$\eta_i = \int_{\mathcal{T}_i^1(Q_n)} |\phi_1| \, dx - \int_{\mathcal{T}_i^1(Q_{n+1})} |\phi_1| \, dx$$

- Refine until tolerance met (e.g. 1%, 5%, 10%).
- Starting with new mesh, take second POD basis function, repeat.

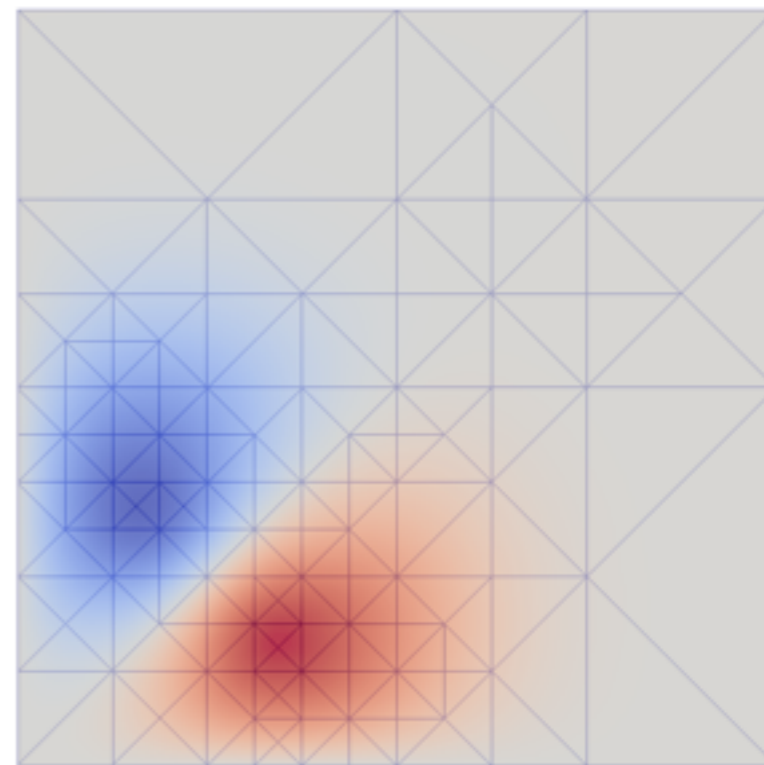
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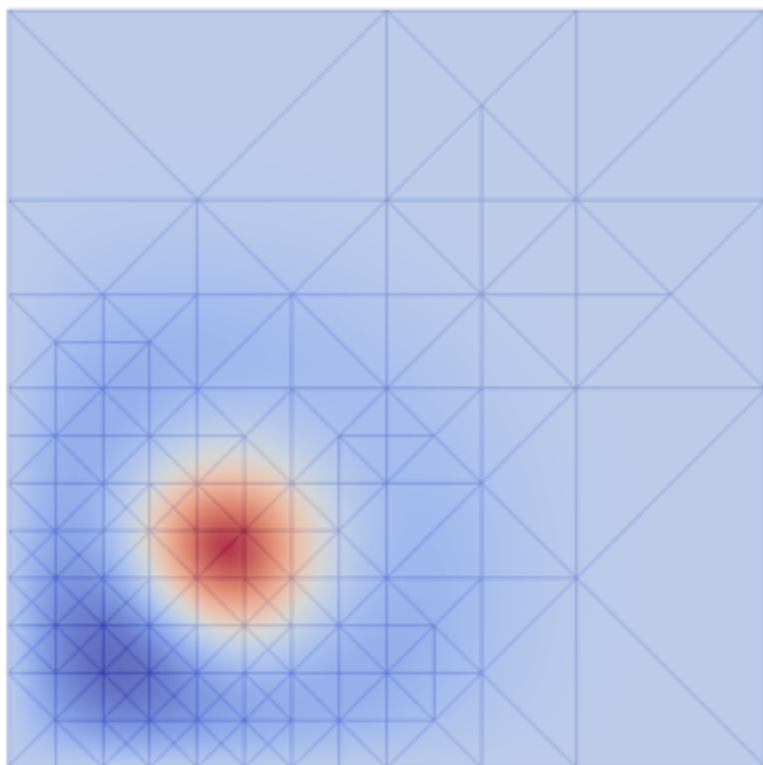
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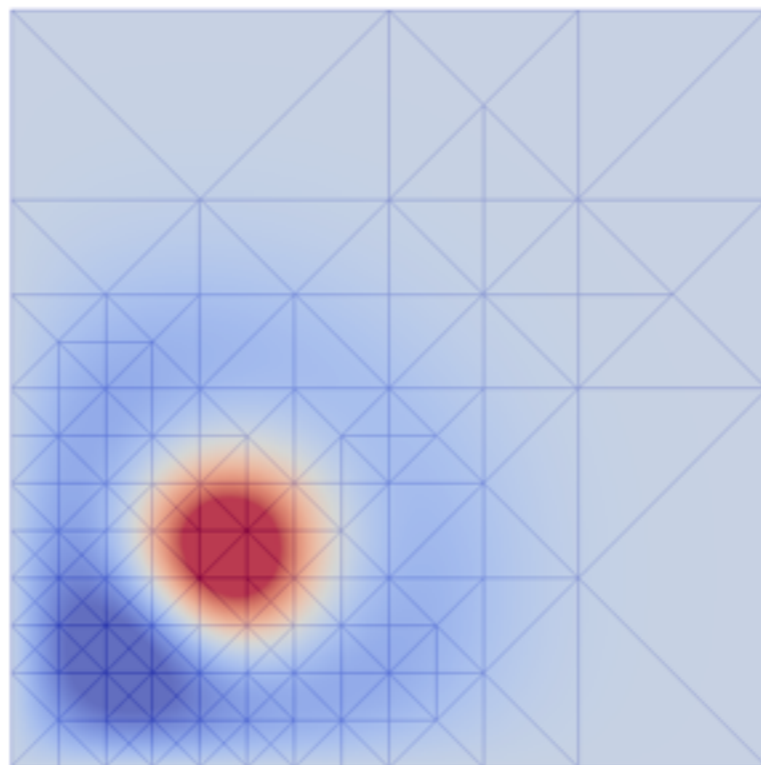
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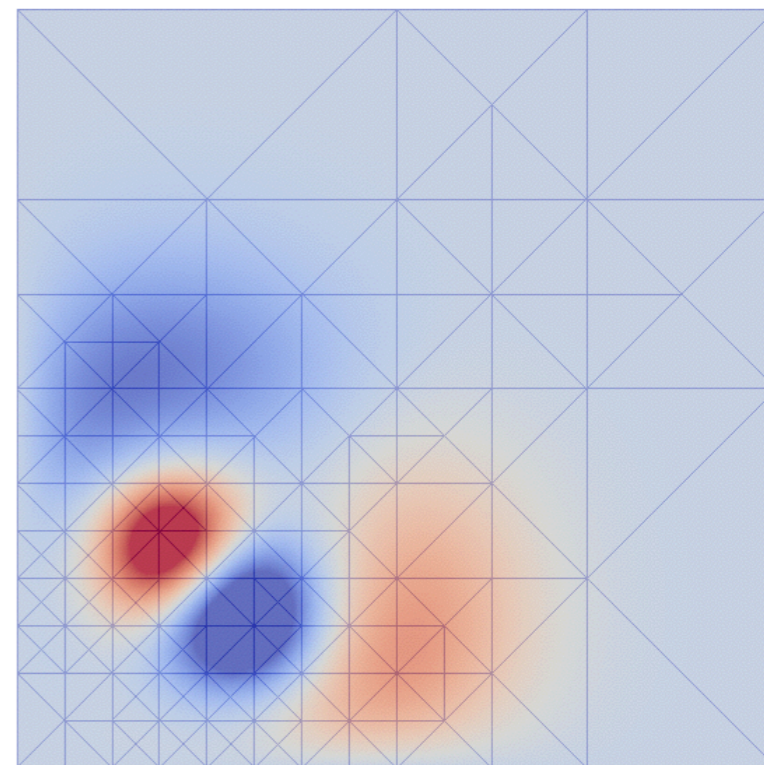
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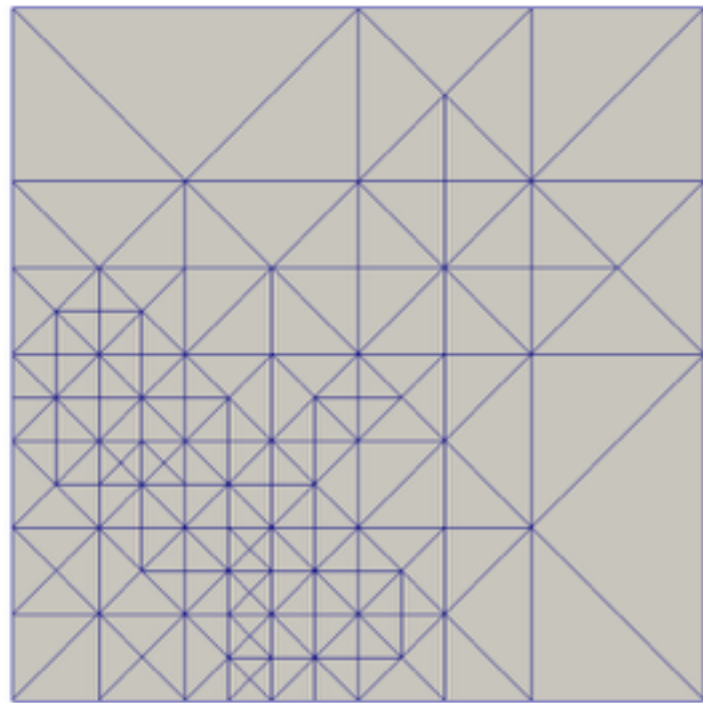
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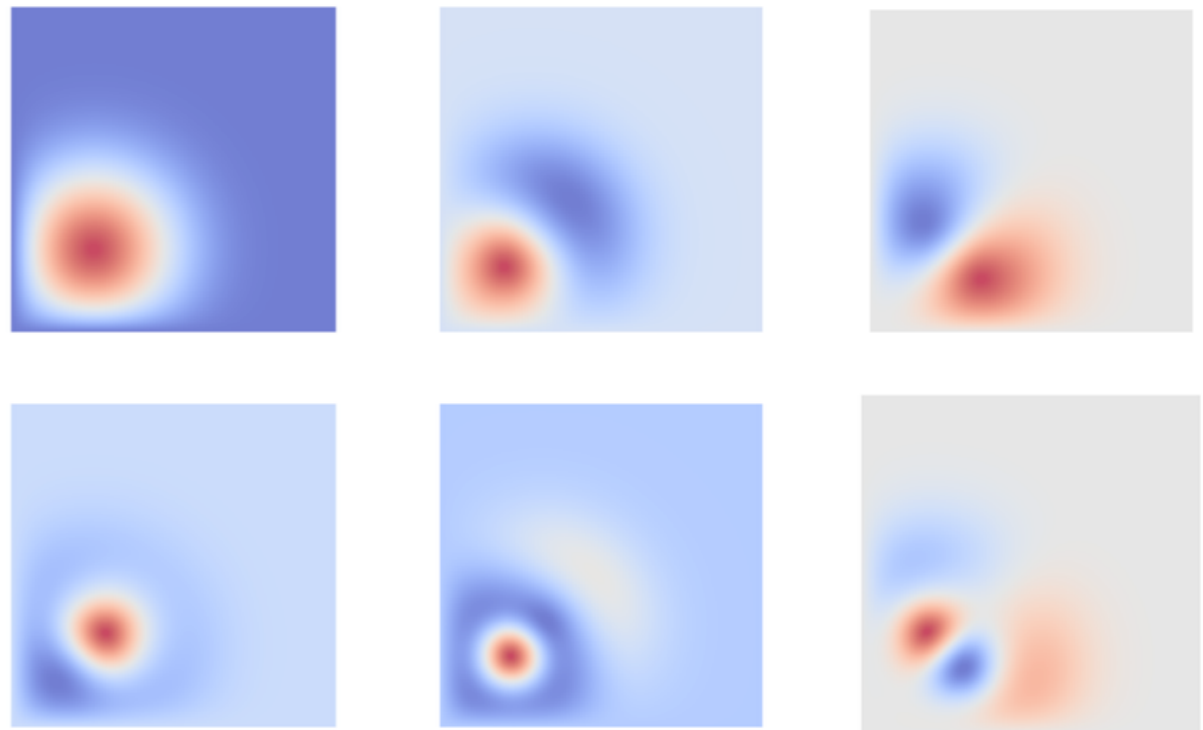
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Interpolate modes



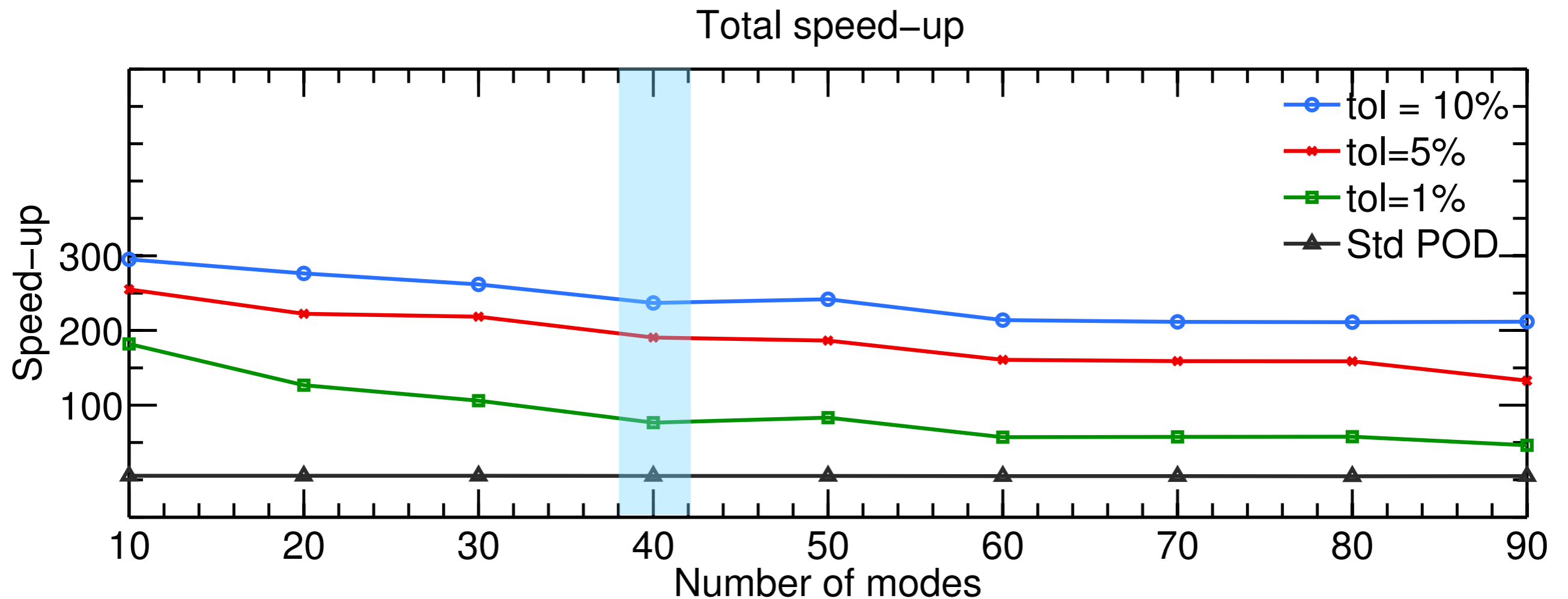
Mesh 6



$$\left(\underbrace{\left(\frac{1}{\Delta t} + \frac{c}{2} \right) \Phi^T \mathbf{M} \Phi}_{\text{once}} + \underbrace{\Phi^T \mathbf{K} \Phi}_{\text{once}} \right) \tilde{\mathbf{u}}^{k+1} = \underbrace{\left(\frac{1}{\Delta t} - \frac{c}{2} \right) \Phi^T \mathbf{M} \Phi \tilde{\mathbf{u}}^k}_{\text{once}} + \underbrace{\Phi^T \mathbf{L}(\tilde{\mathbf{u}}^k)}_{\text{everytime, but faster!}}$$

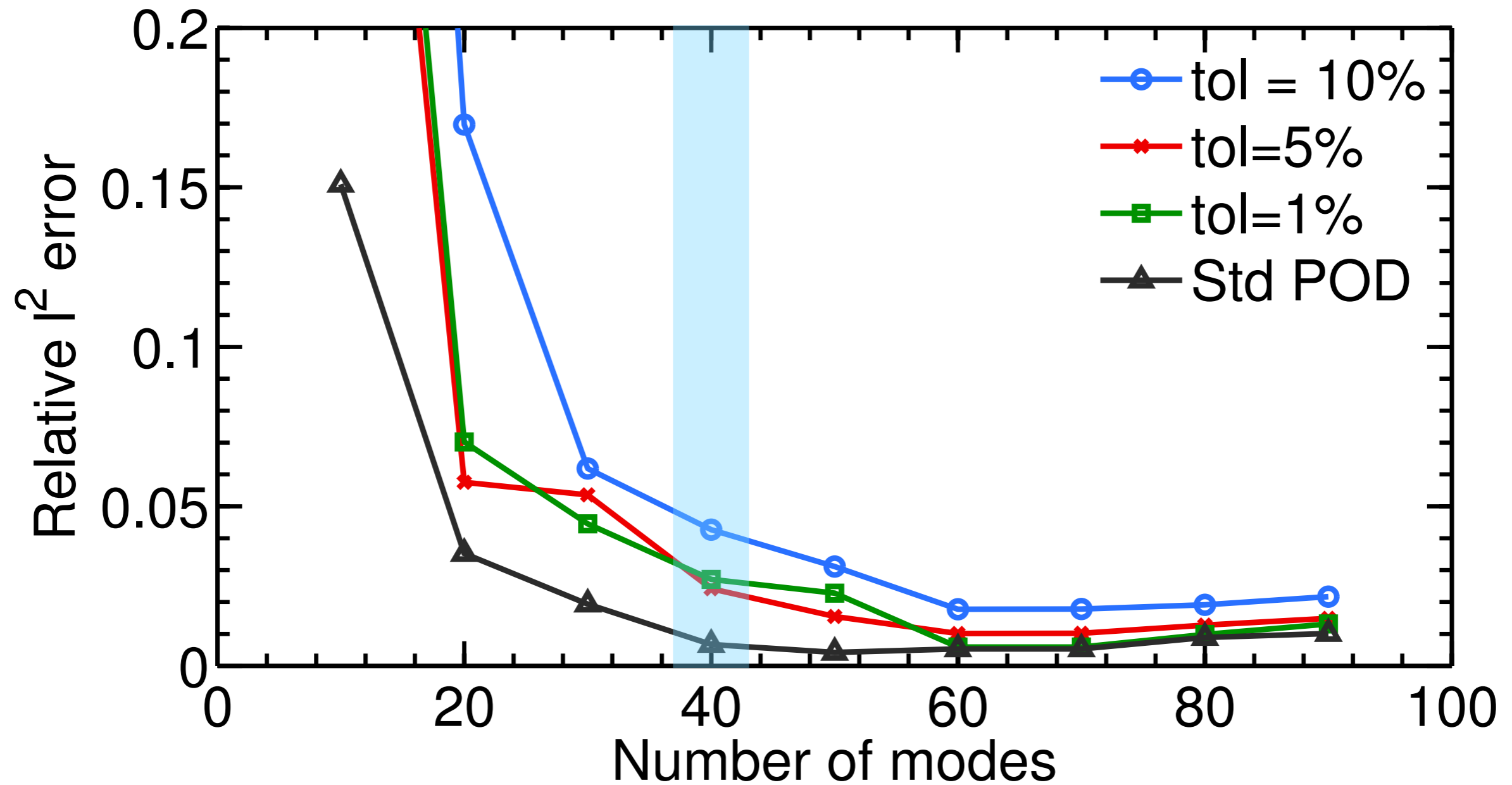
We assemble the operators where the modes are important.

Speed up against FEM



40 modes: POD: **5x**, 1%: **90x**, 5%: **220x**, 10%: **300x**

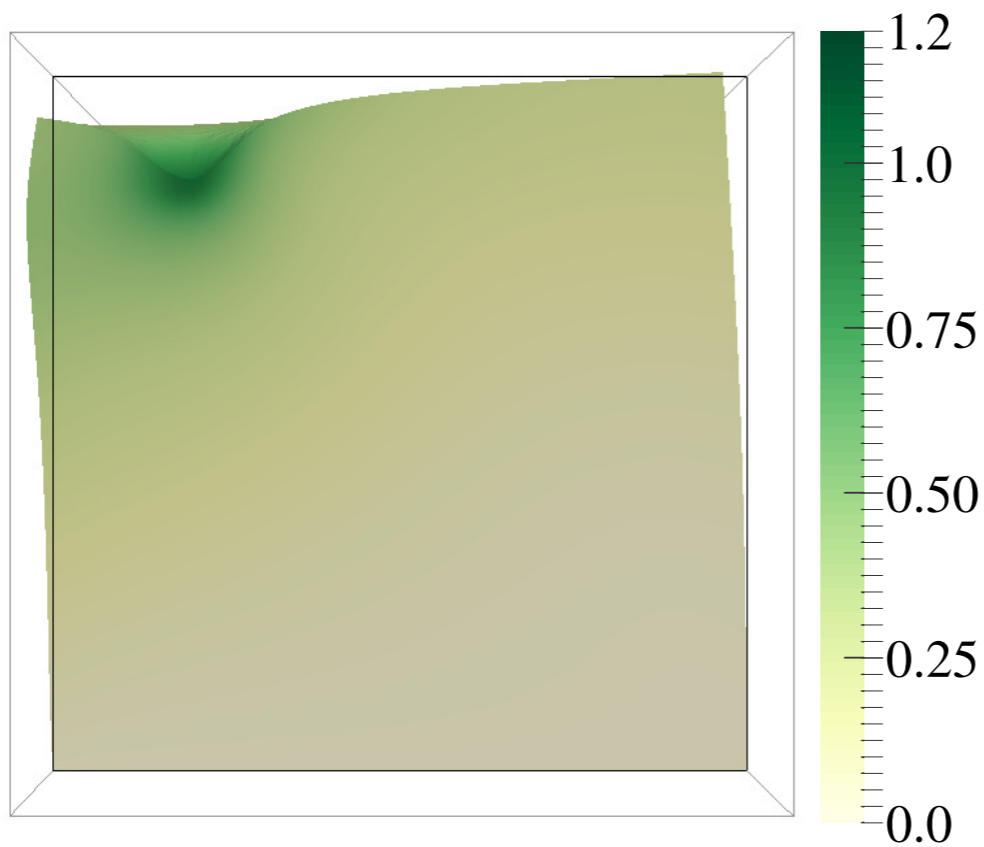
Error against FEM



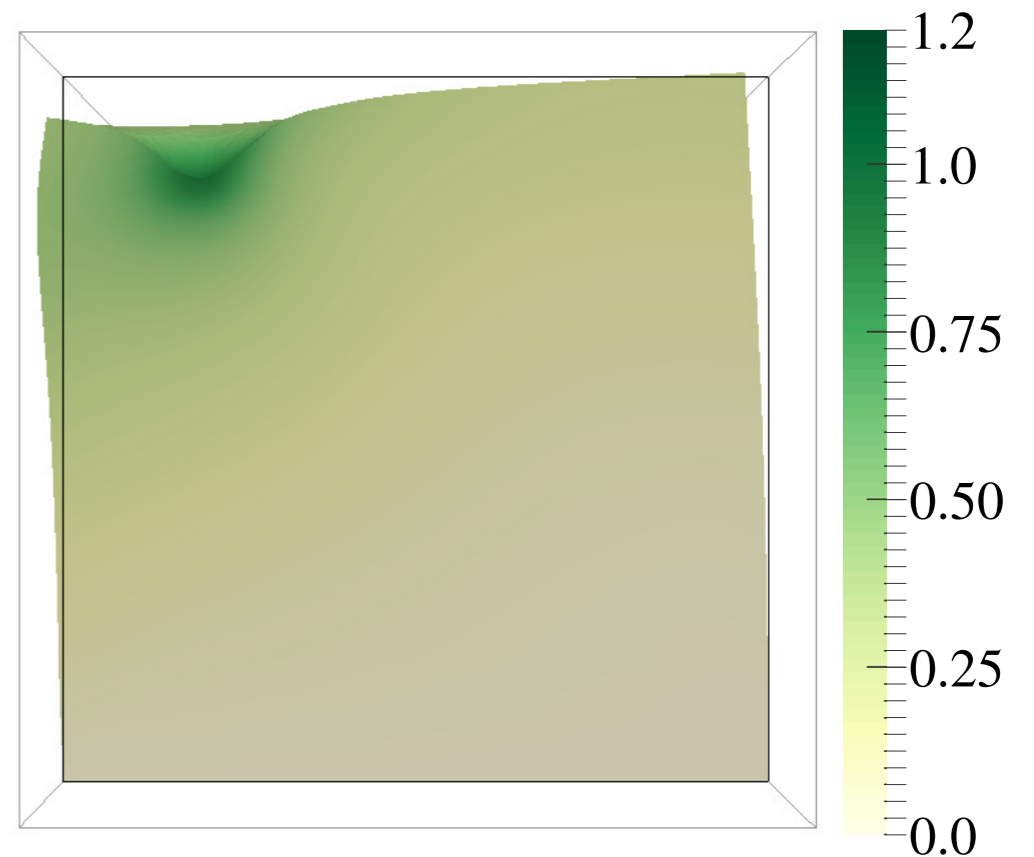
40 modes POD: **0.008**, 1%: **0.03**, 5%: **0.03**, 10%: **0.045**

Hyperelasticity (Newton)

FEM



Reduced integration POD



30x speed up over standard POD

Summary

- Simple method to overcome issue of operator construction cost in reduced order methods.
- Four ingredients:
 - Mesh refinement.
 - Error indicators.
 - Projections and interpolations.
 - Linear algebra operations.
- Key idea: generate optimal meshes for optimal POD basis functions.

Questions?