



COARSE-GRAINED MODELS FOR PDEs WITH RANDOM COEFFICIENTS

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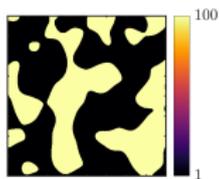
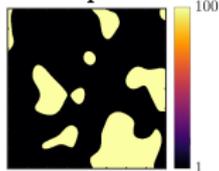
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Stochastic PDE:

$$\mathcal{K}(\mathbf{x}, \lambda(\mathbf{x}, \xi))u(\mathbf{x}, \lambda(\mathbf{x}, \xi)) = f(\mathbf{x}), \quad +\text{B.C.}$$

Random process λ



Random output u

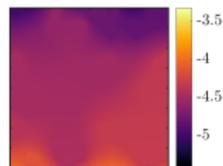
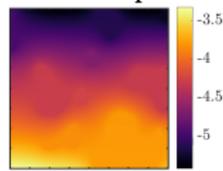


Figure: Random process $\lambda(\mathbf{x}, \xi)$ leads to random solutions $u(\mathbf{x}, \xi)$.

- 1 The Full-Order Model
- 2 A generative Bayesian surrogate model
- 3 Sample problem: 2D stationary heat equation
- 4 Results

- Discretize

$$\mathcal{K}(\mathbf{x}, \lambda(\mathbf{x}, \xi))u(\mathbf{x}, \lambda(\mathbf{x}, \xi)) = f(\mathbf{x}), \quad +\text{B.C.}$$

to a set of algebraic equations

$$\mathbf{r}_f(\mathbf{U}_f, \boldsymbol{\lambda}_f(\xi)) = \mathbf{0}$$

- Usually large ($N_{\text{equations}} \sim \text{millions}$)
- Expensive, repeated evaluations for UQ (and various deterministic tasks, e.g. optimization/control, inverse problems. . .)

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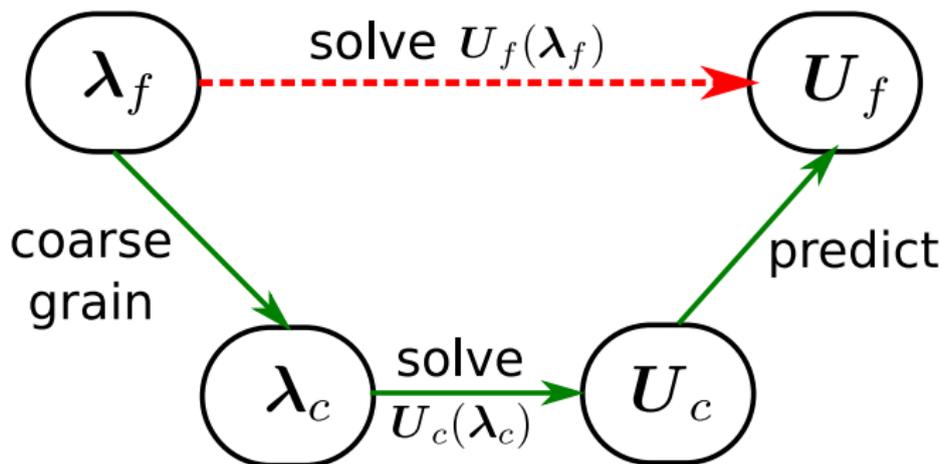
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Question: Relation between \mathbf{U}_f and coarse output \mathbf{U}_c , but also relation between fine/coarse inputs $\boldsymbol{\lambda}_f, \boldsymbol{\lambda}_c$

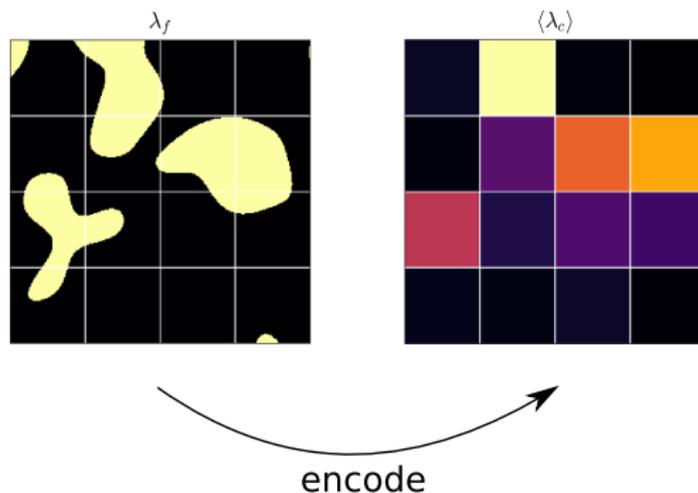


- Retain as much as possible information on U_f during coarse-graining, i.e.

Information bottleneck [Tishby, Pereira, Bialek, 1999]

$$\max_{\theta} I(\lambda_c, U_f; \theta) \quad \text{s.t.} \quad I(\lambda_f, \lambda_c; \theta) \leq I_0$$

- Probabilistic mapping $\lambda_f \rightarrow \lambda_c : p_c(\lambda_c | \lambda_f, \theta_c)$



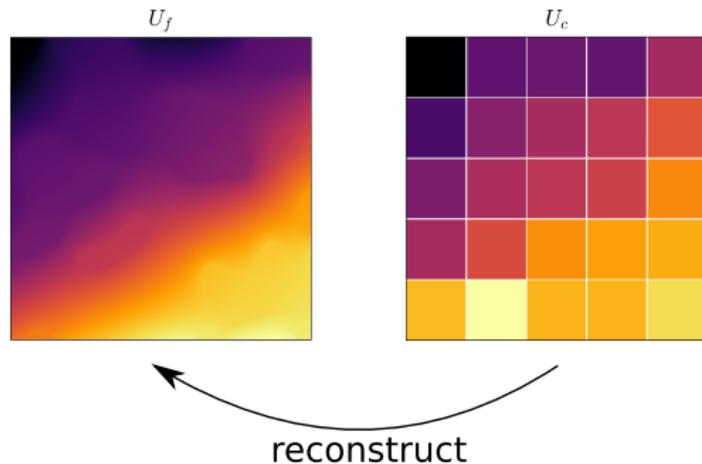
- **Goal:** Prediction of U_f , not reconstruction of λ_f !

...solve ROM and reconstruct U_f from U_c

- $\lambda_c \rightarrow U_c$: solve

$$r_c(U_c, \lambda_c) = \mathbf{0}$$

- Decode via coarse-to-fine map $U_c \rightarrow U_f : p_{cf}(U_f|U_c, \theta_{cf})$



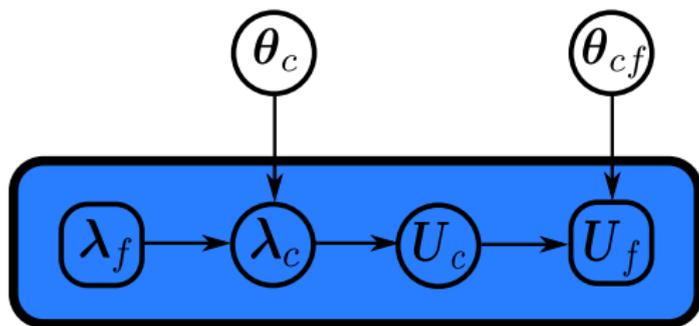


Figure: Bayesian network defining $\bar{p}(U_f | \lambda_f, \theta_c, \theta_{cf})$.

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{p}(U_f | \lambda_f, \theta_c, \theta_{cf}) &= \int p_{cf}(U_f | U_c, \theta_{cf}) p(U_c | \lambda_c) p_c(\lambda_c | \lambda_f, \theta_c) dU_c d\lambda_c \\ &= \int p_{cf}(U_f | U_c(\lambda_c), \theta_{cf}) p_c(\lambda_c | \lambda_f, \theta_c) d\lambda_c.\end{aligned}$$

- Maximum likelihood:

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- Maximum posterior:

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- Data:

$$\boldsymbol{\lambda}_f^{(i)} \sim p(\boldsymbol{\lambda}_f^{(i)}), \quad U_f^{(i)} = U_f(\boldsymbol{\lambda}_f^{(i)}).$$

Expectation-Maximization algorithm

$$\bar{p}(\mathbf{U}_f^{(i)} | \boldsymbol{\lambda}_f^{(i)}, \boldsymbol{\theta}_c, \boldsymbol{\theta}_{cf}) = \int p_{cf}(\mathbf{U}_f^{(i)} | \mathbf{U}_c(\boldsymbol{\lambda}_c^{(i)}), \boldsymbol{\theta}_{cf}) p_c(\boldsymbol{\lambda}_c^{(i)} | \boldsymbol{\lambda}_f^{(i)}, \boldsymbol{\theta}_c) d\boldsymbol{\lambda}_c^{(i)}$$

- Likelihood contains N integrals over N latent variables $\boldsymbol{\lambda}_c^{(i)}$
- Use Expectation-Maximization algorithm [Dempster, Laird, Rubin 1977] : find lower bound

$$\begin{aligned} & \log(\bar{p}(\mathbf{U}_f^{(i)} | \boldsymbol{\lambda}_f^{(i)}, \boldsymbol{\theta}_c, \boldsymbol{\theta}_{cf})) \\ & \geq \int q^{(i)}(\boldsymbol{\lambda}_c^{(i)}) \log \left(\frac{p_{cf}(\mathbf{U}_f^{(i)} | \mathbf{U}_c(\boldsymbol{\lambda}_c^{(i)}), \boldsymbol{\theta}_{cf}) p_c(\boldsymbol{\lambda}_c^{(i)} | \boldsymbol{\lambda}_f^{(i)}, \boldsymbol{\theta}_c)}{q^{(i)}(\boldsymbol{\lambda}_c^{(i)})} \right) d\boldsymbol{\lambda}_c^{(i)} \\ & = \mathcal{F}^{(i)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}; q_t^{(i)}(\boldsymbol{\lambda}_c^{(i)})), \quad \text{where } \boldsymbol{\theta} = [\boldsymbol{\theta}_c, \boldsymbol{\theta}_{cf}]. \end{aligned}$$

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- Maximize iteratively:

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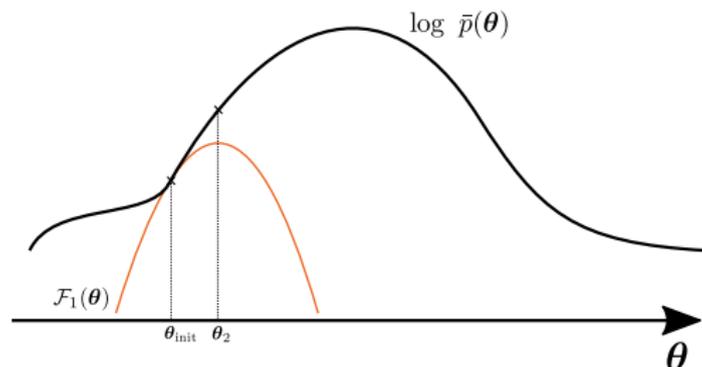


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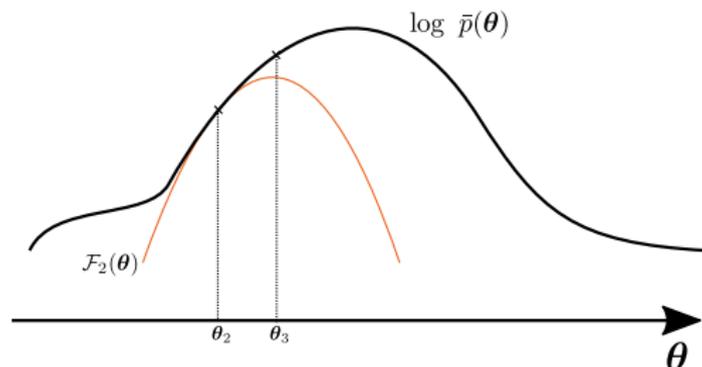


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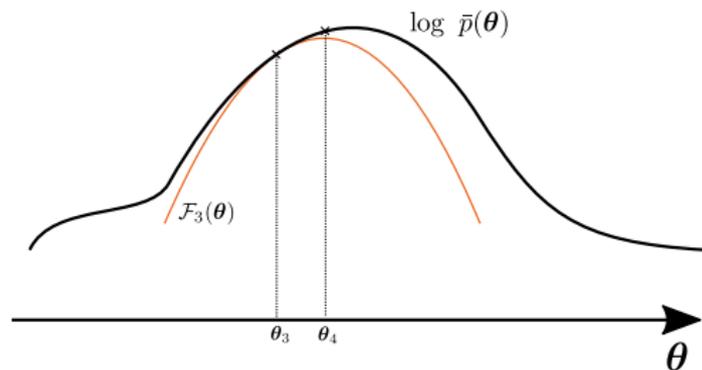


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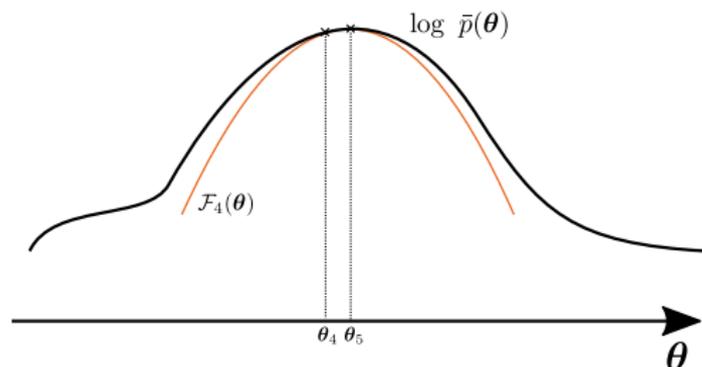


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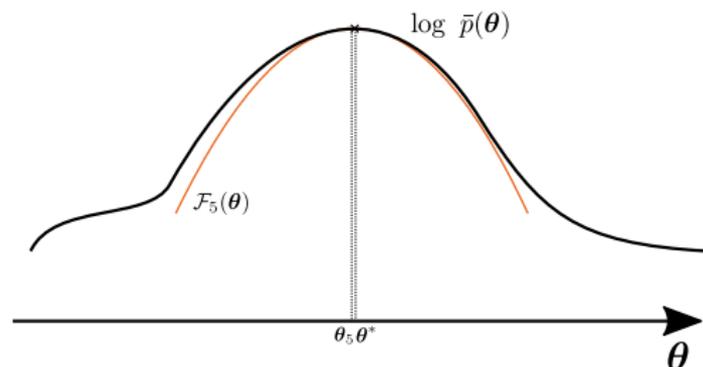


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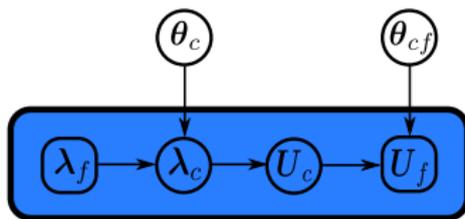


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Given λ_f and $\theta_c^*, \theta_{cf}^*$,

- sample λ_c from $p_c(\lambda_c | \lambda_f, \theta_c^*)$,
- solve coarse model $U_c = U_c(\lambda_c)$,
- sample U_f from $p(U_f | U_c, \theta_{cf}^*)$

Sample problem: 2D heat equation

$$\nabla_{\mathbf{x}}(-\lambda(\mathbf{x}, \xi(\mathbf{x}))\nabla_{\mathbf{x}}T(\mathbf{x}, \xi(\mathbf{x}))) = 0, \quad +\text{B.C.}$$

where $\xi(\mathbf{x}) \sim GP(0, \text{cov}(\mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{x}_j))$ with

$$\text{cov}(\mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{x}_j) = \exp\left\{-\frac{|\mathbf{x}_i - \mathbf{x}_j|^2}{l^2}\right\},$$

and

$$\lambda(\mathbf{x}, \xi(\mathbf{x})) = \begin{cases} \lambda_{\text{hi}}, & \text{if } \xi(\mathbf{x}) > k, \\ \lambda_{\text{lo}}, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

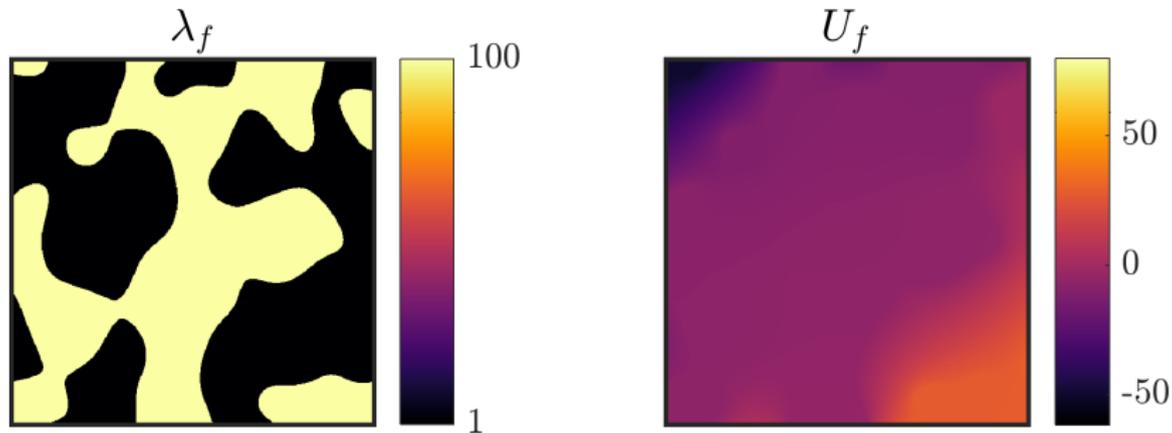


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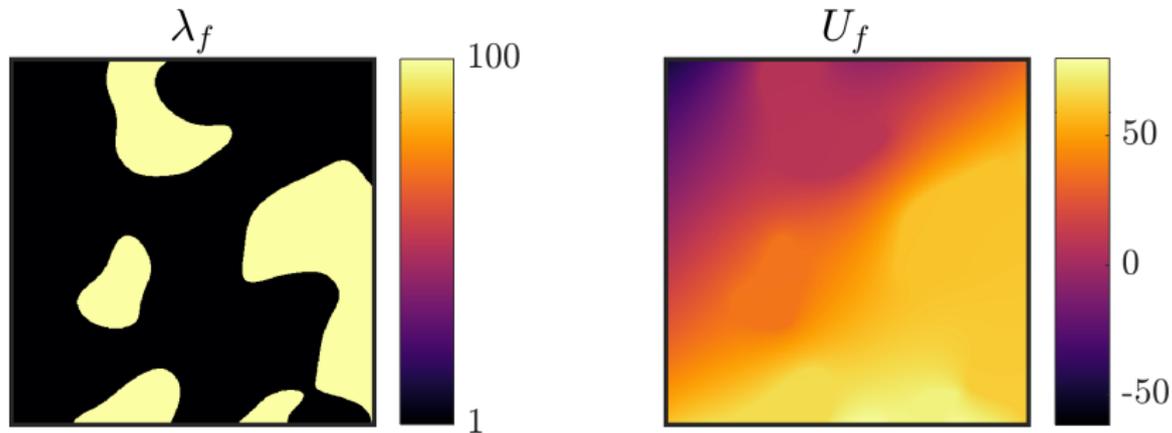


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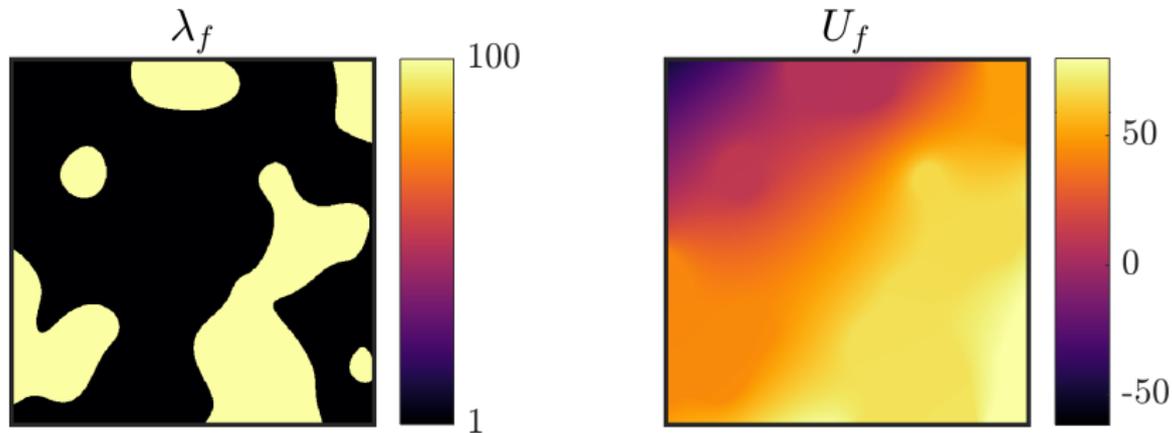


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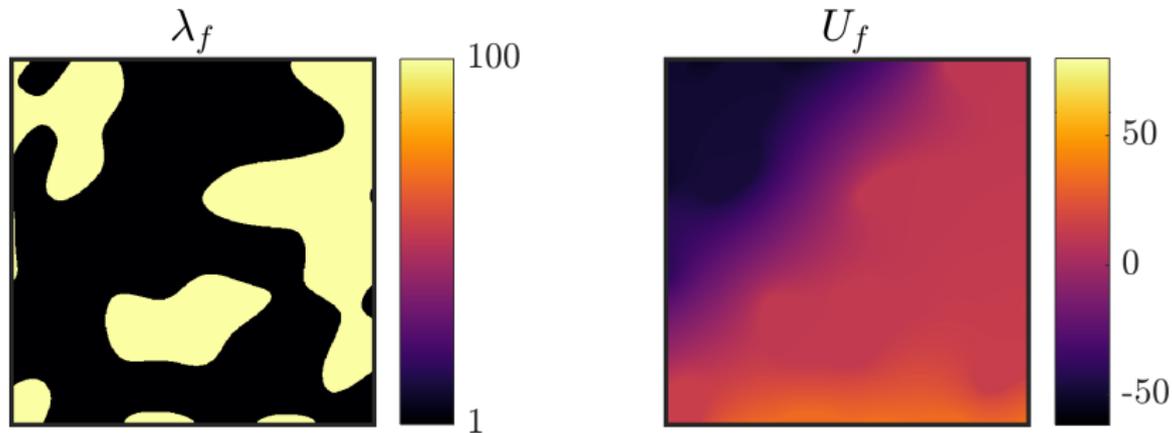


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- $\lambda_f \rightarrow \lambda_c$:



Element numbering with index k

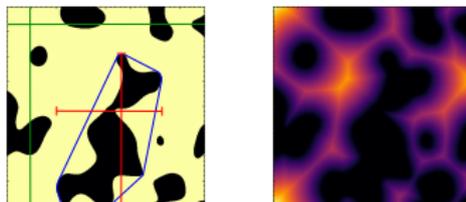
$$\log \lambda_{c,k} = \sum_{j=1}^{N_{\text{features}}} \theta_{c,j} \varphi_j(\lambda_{f,k}) + \sigma_k Z_k, \quad Z_k \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1),$$

- $U_c \rightarrow U_f$:

$$p_{cf}(\mathbf{U}_f | \mathbf{U}_c(\mathbf{z}_c), \boldsymbol{\theta}_{cf}) = \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{U}_f | \mathbf{W} \mathbf{U}_c(\mathbf{z}_c), \mathbf{S})$$

with feature functions φ_i , coarse-to-fine projection \mathbf{W} , diagonal covariance $\mathbf{S} = \text{diag}(\mathbf{s})$.

- Any function $\varphi_i : (\mathbb{R}^+)^{\dim(\lambda_{f,k})} \mapsto \mathbb{R}$ admissible
- Could/should be guided by physical insight:
 - **Effective-medium approximations**
 - Self-consistent approximation (SCA)[Bruggeman 1935],
 - Maxwell-Garnett approximation (MGA)[Maxwell 1873],
 - Differential effective medium approximation (DEM)
[Bruggeman 1935]...
 - **Morphology-describing features:**
 - Lineal path function[Lu, Torquato 1992],
 - (Convex) Blob area,
 - Blob extent,
 - Distance transformations...



Left: Convex area (blue), max. extent (red), pixel-cross (green).
Right: distance transform

- **Strategy:** Include as many features φ_j as possible, employ sparsity prior for feature selection
- **Laplace prior (LASSO):**

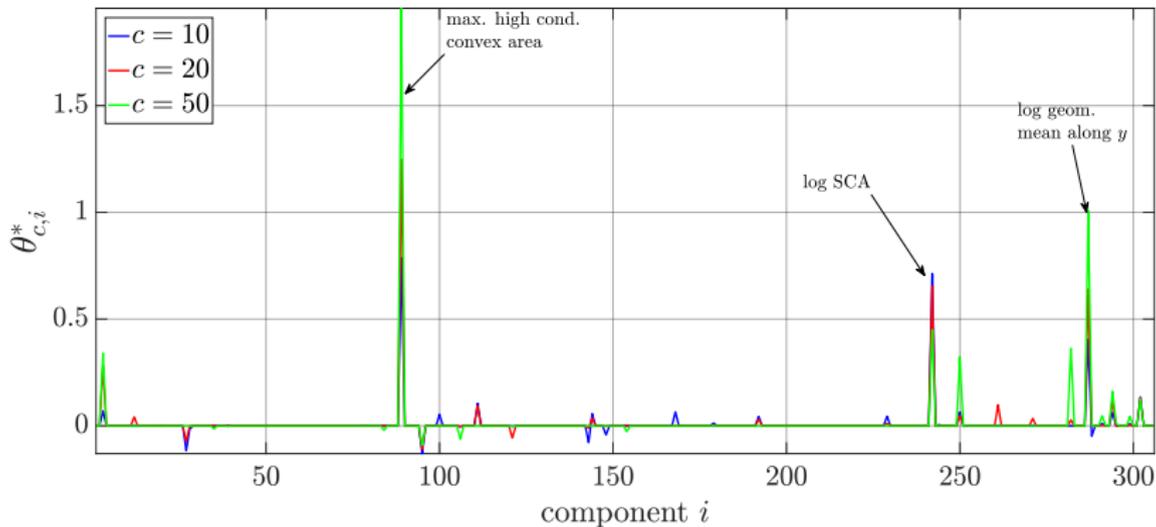
$$p(\theta_{c,i}) \propto \exp\{-\sqrt{\gamma}|\theta_{c,i}|\},$$

- **ARD prior:**

$$p(\theta_{c,i}) \propto \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{\tau_i} \mathcal{N}(\theta_{c,i}|0, \tau_i) d\tau_i = \frac{1}{|\theta_{c,i}|}$$

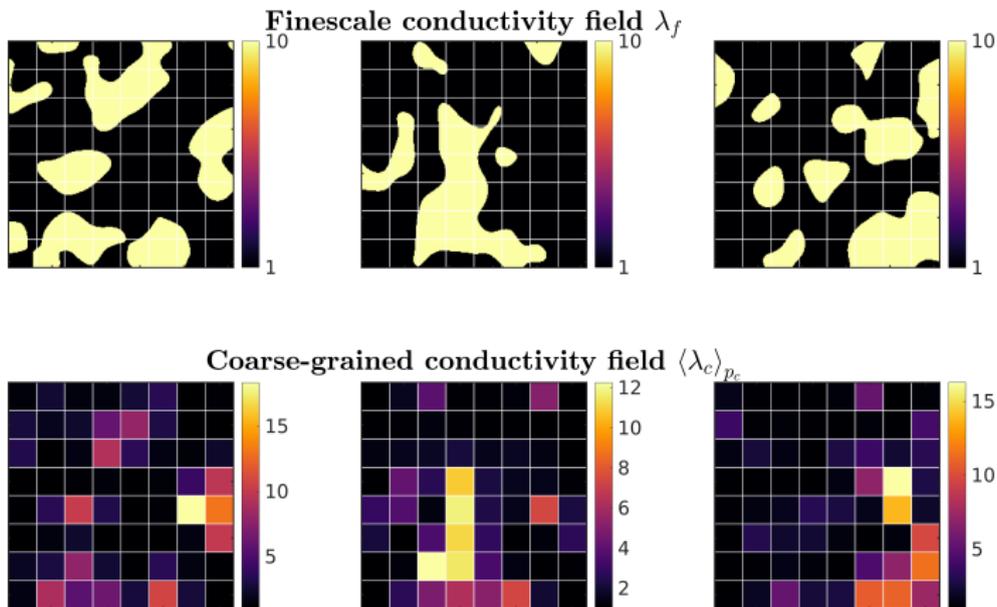
Which features are activated?

Optimal θ_c for different contrasts



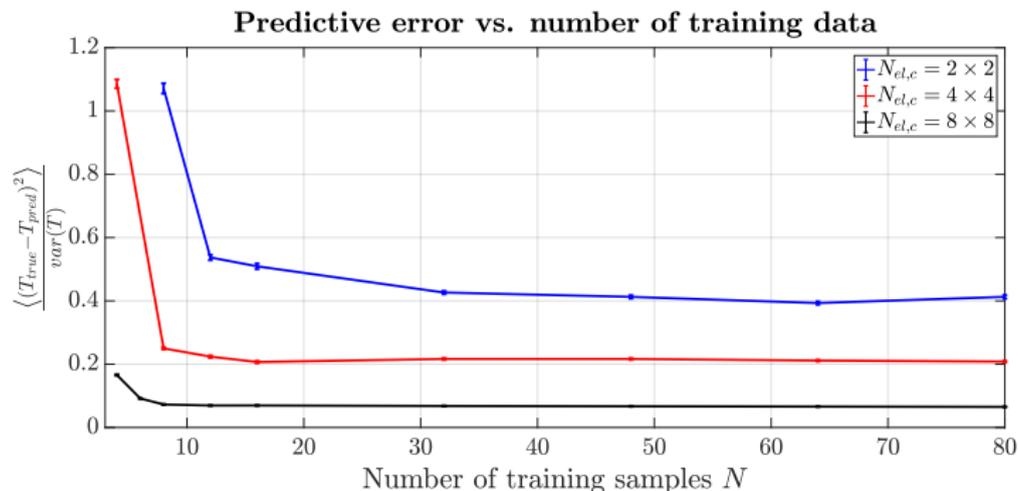
- The higher the contrast, the more geometry matters

Learned effective property λ_c



- Note that $p_c(\lambda_c | \lambda_f, \theta_c) = \mathcal{N}(\log \lambda_c | \Phi \theta_c, \Sigma = \text{diag}(\sigma^2))$, and we plot $\langle \lambda_c \rangle_{p_c} = \Phi \theta_c + \frac{1}{2} \sigma^2$

How many training samples do we need?



- Few data is needed, errors converge quickly
- The finer the coarse mesh, the better the predictions
- The finer the coarse mesh, the less data is needed
- **But:** the finer the coarse mesh, the more expensive the training/predictions

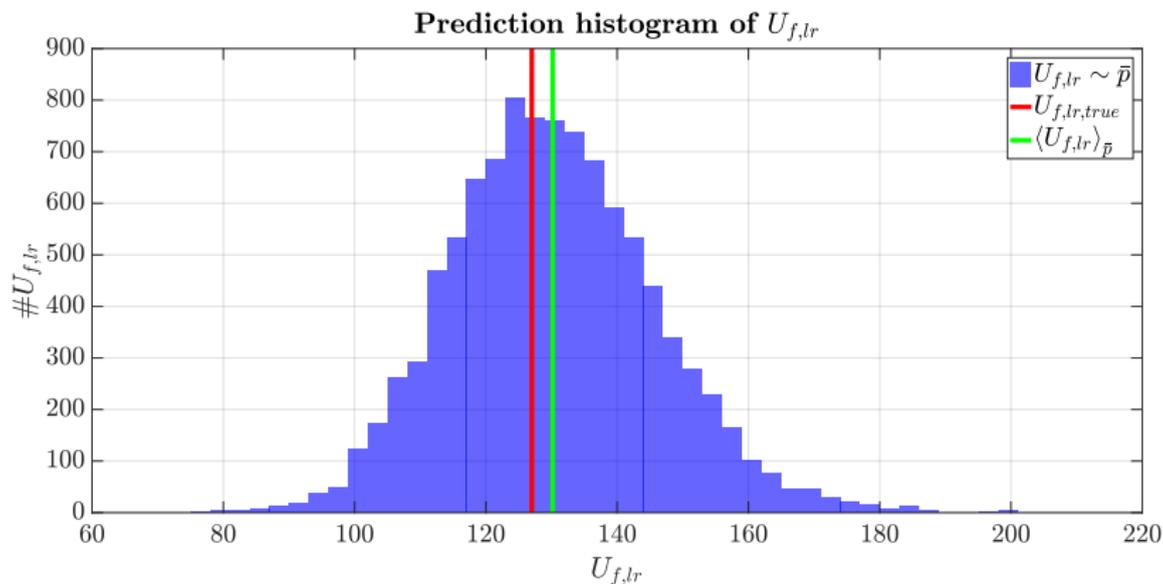


Figure: Histogrammatic predictive distribution of temperature at lower right corner, $\bar{p}(U_{f,lr}|\boldsymbol{\lambda}_f, \boldsymbol{\theta})$

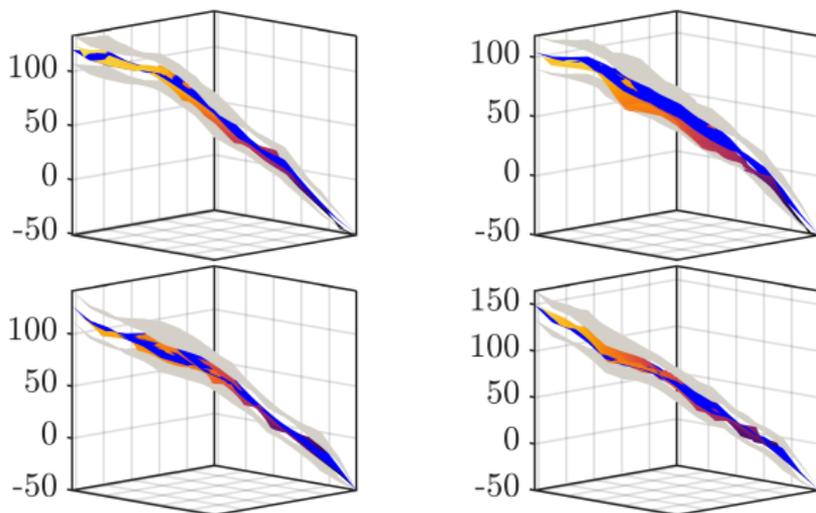


Figure: Predictions on different test data samples for $N_{\text{el},c} = 8 \times 8$, $\phi_{\text{hi}} = 0.2$, $l = 0.078$ and $c = \frac{\lambda_{\text{hi}}}{\lambda_{\text{lo}}} = 10$. Colored: \mathbf{U}_f , blue: $\langle \mathbf{U}_f \rangle_{\bar{p}}$, grey: $\pm\sigma$.

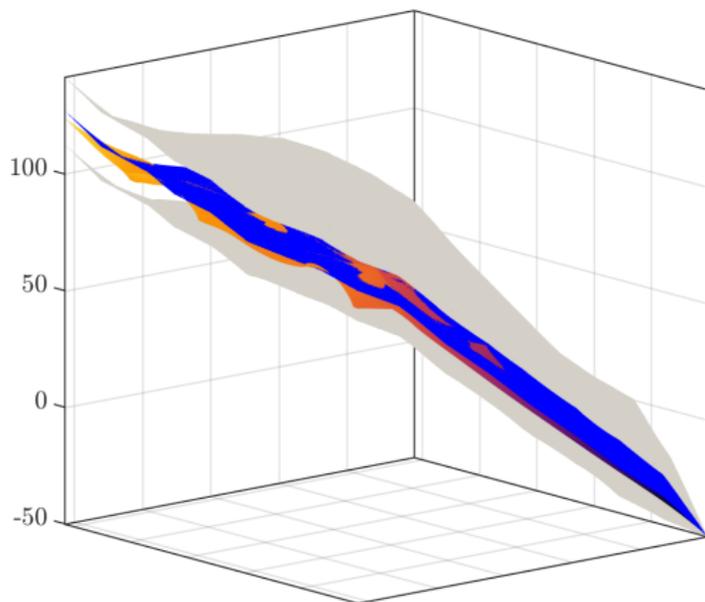


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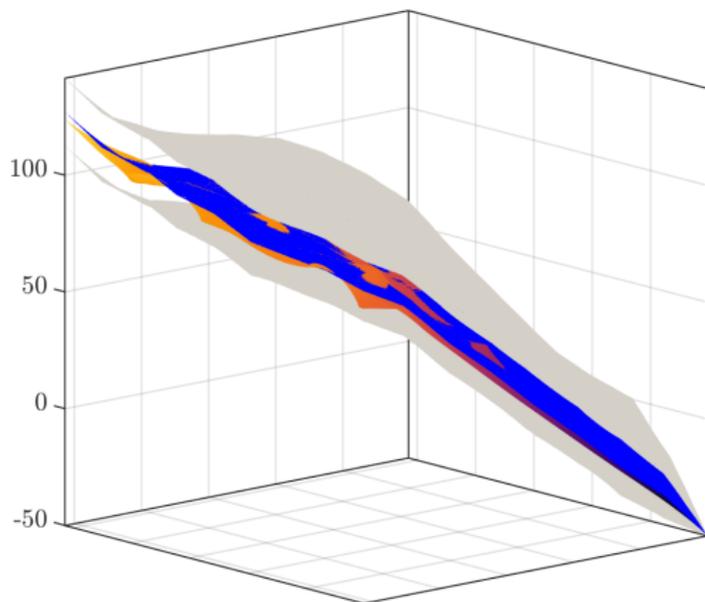


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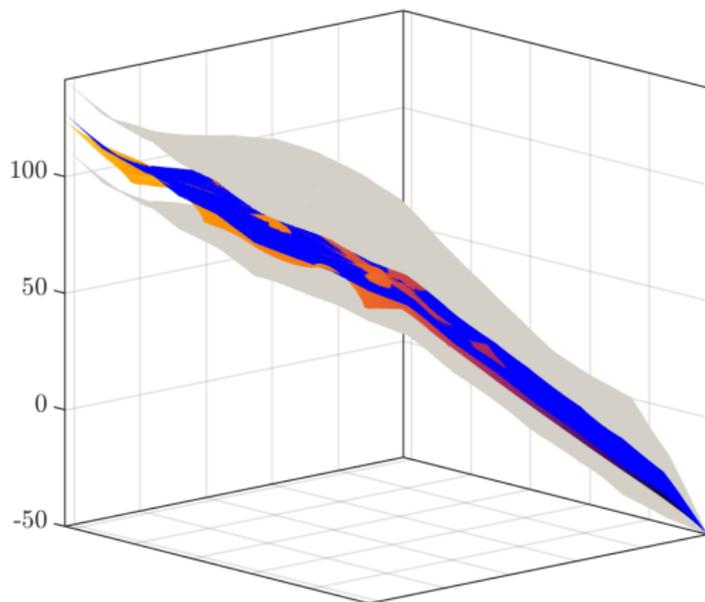


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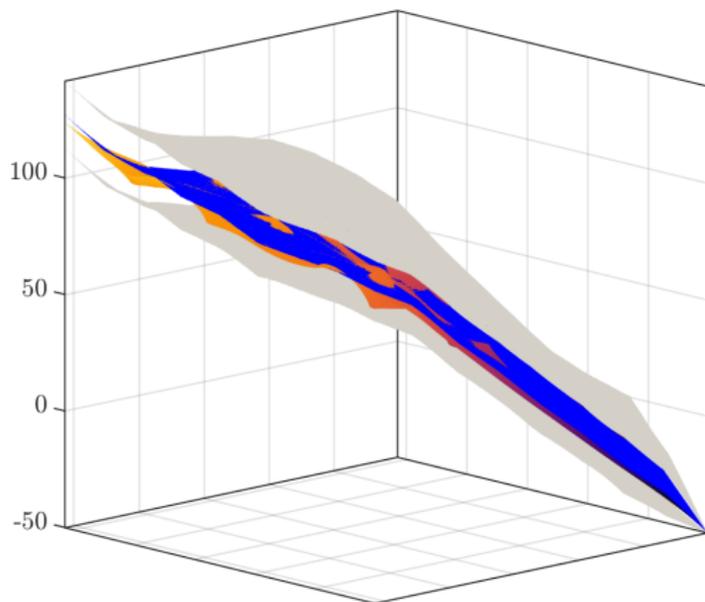


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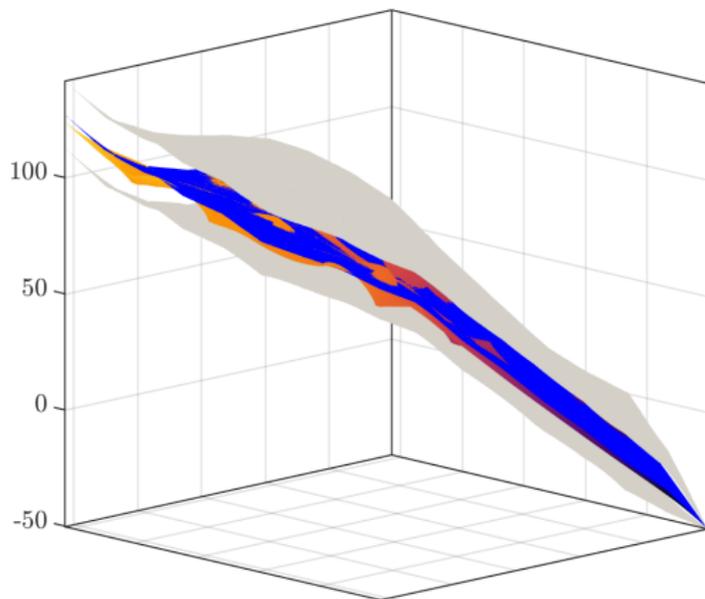


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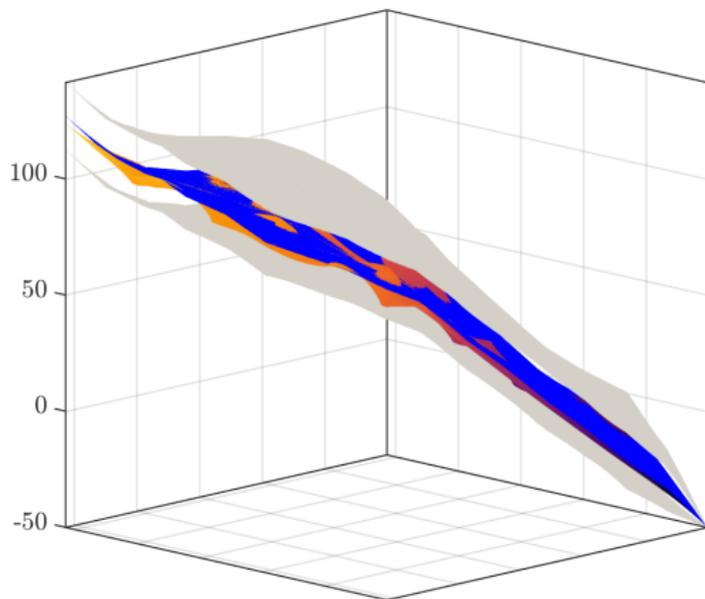


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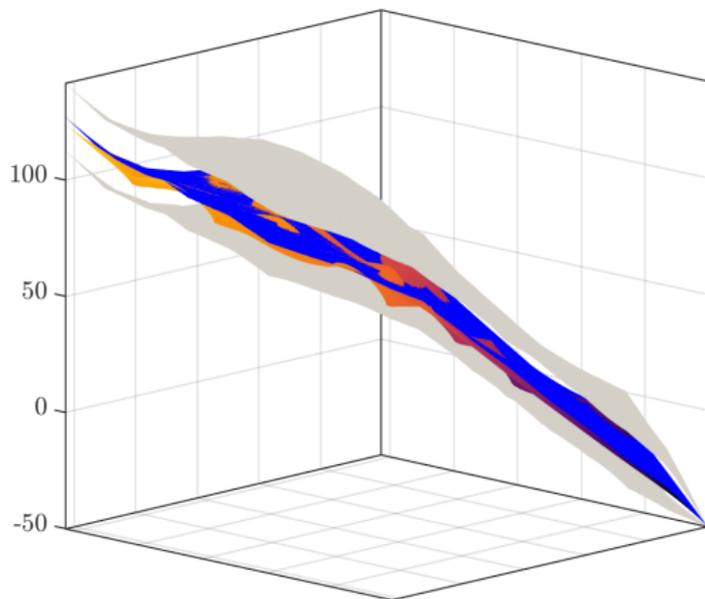


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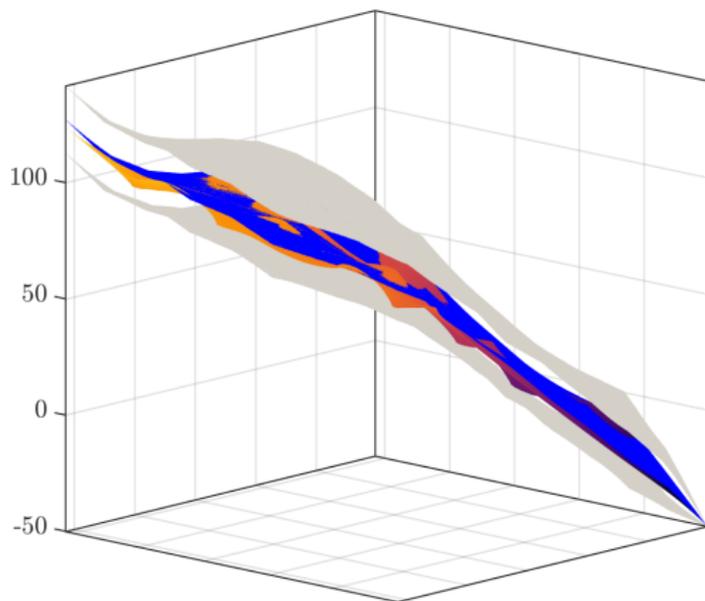


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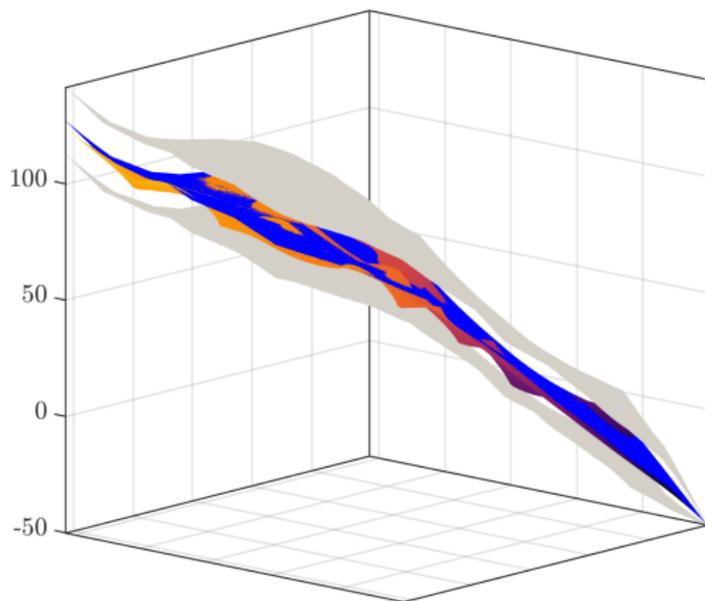


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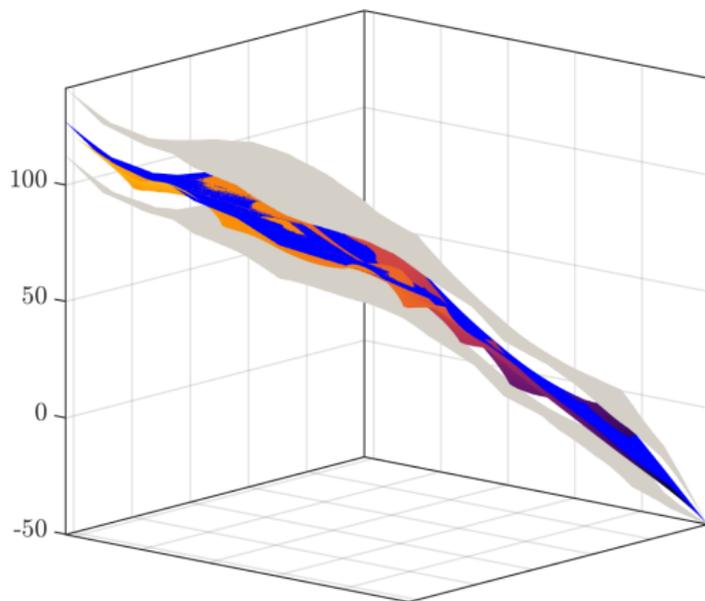


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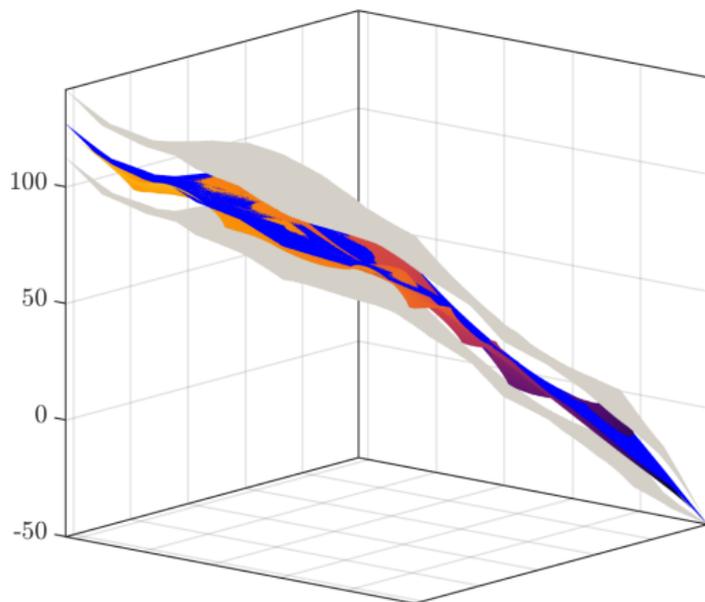


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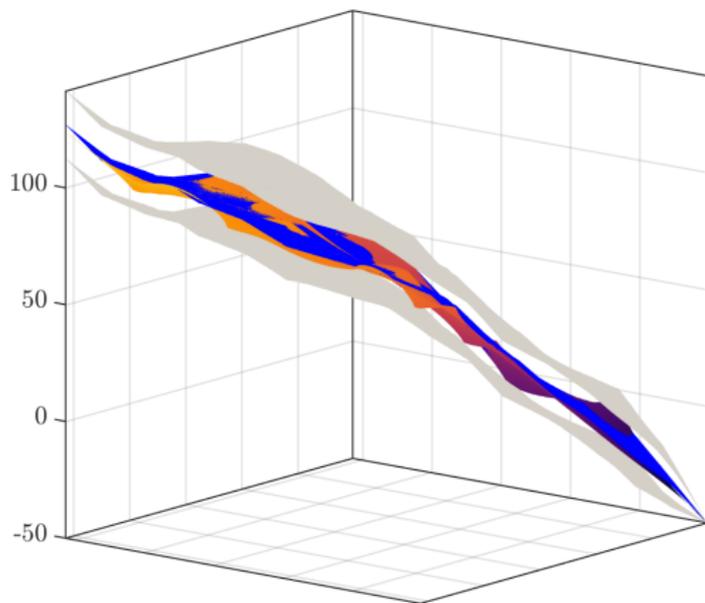


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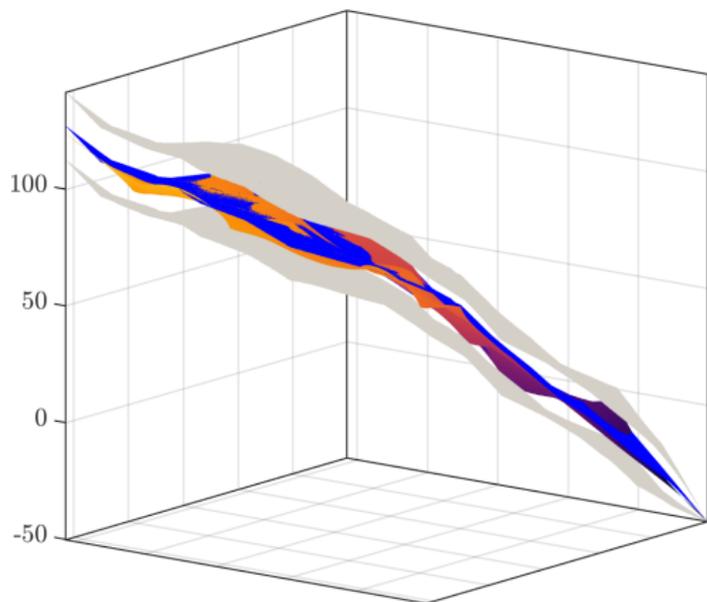


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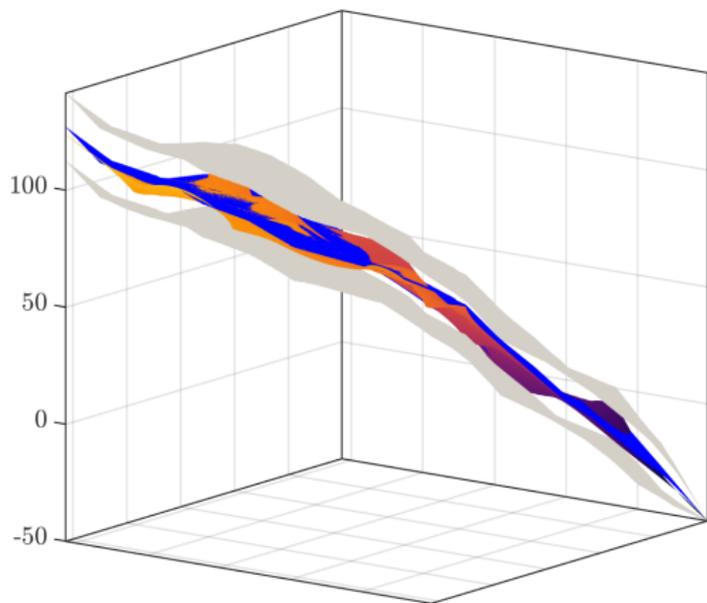


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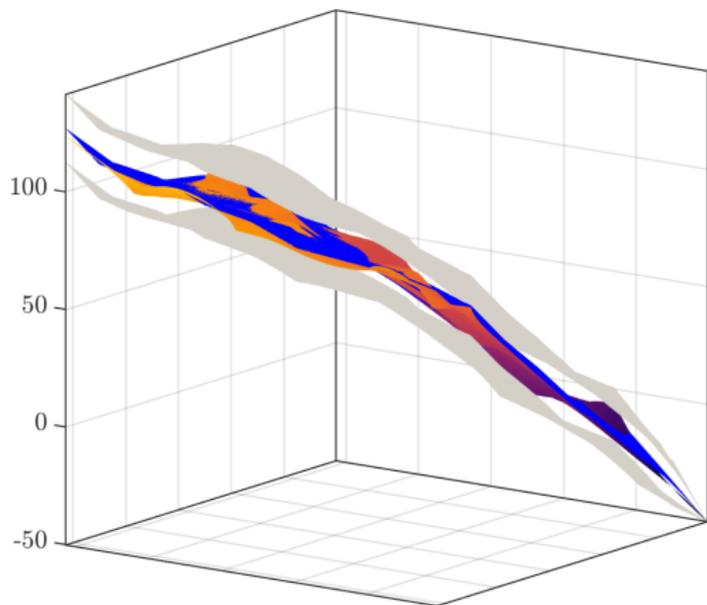


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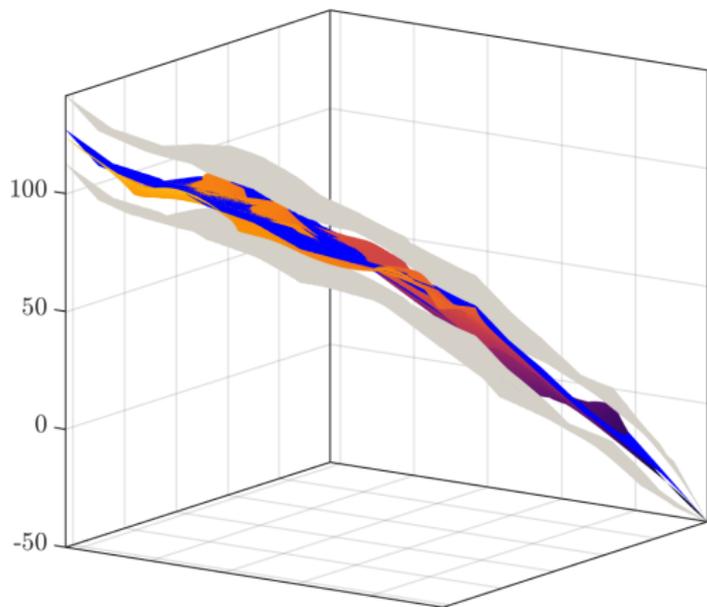


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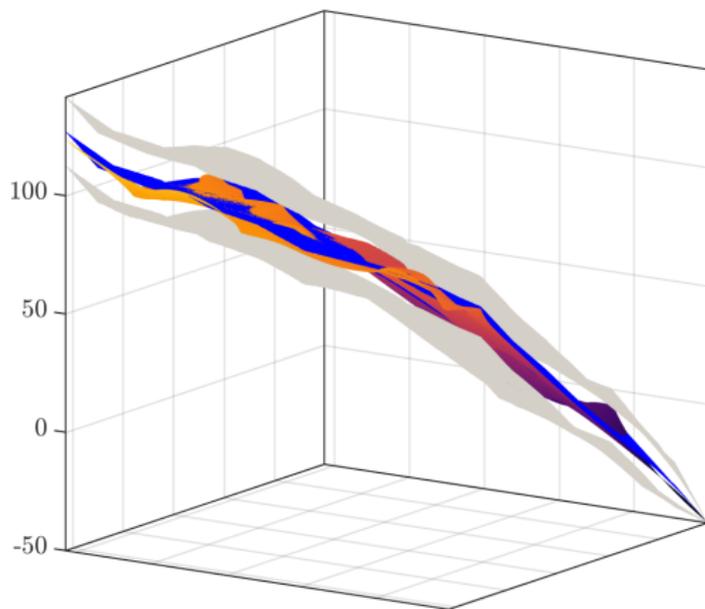


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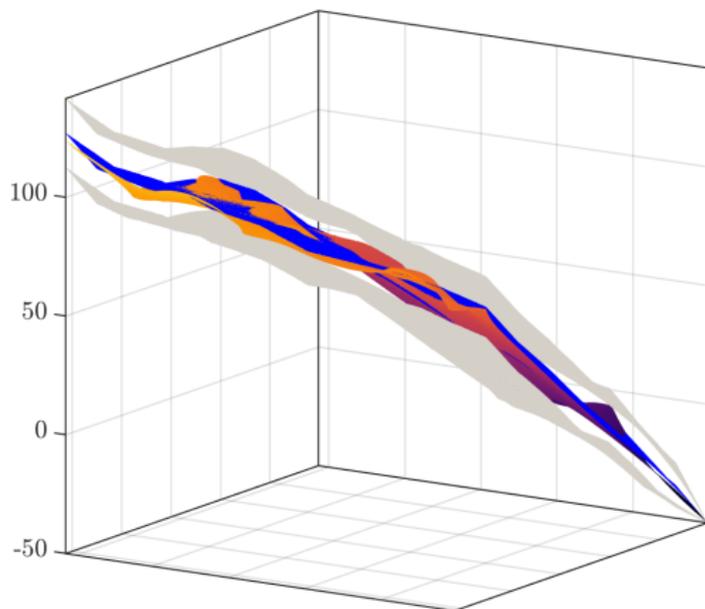


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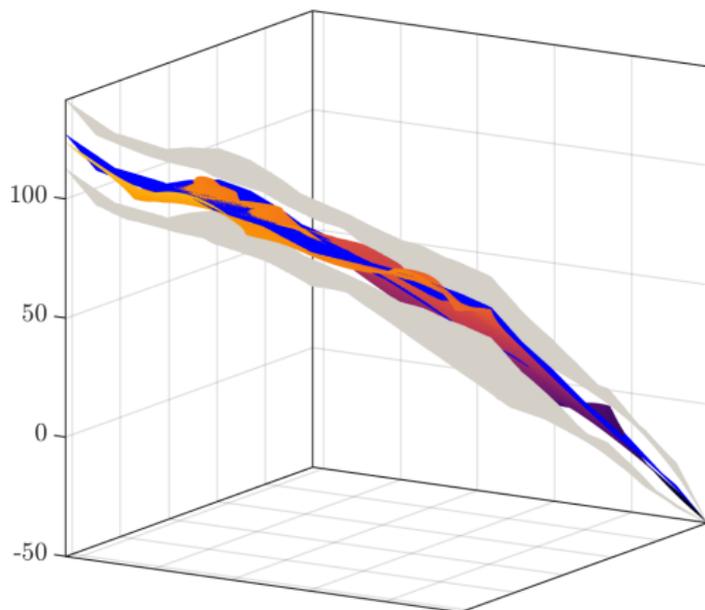


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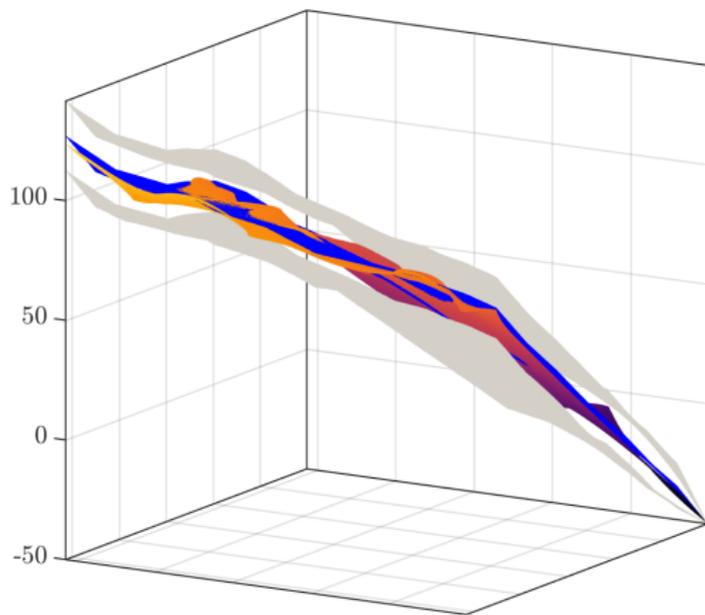


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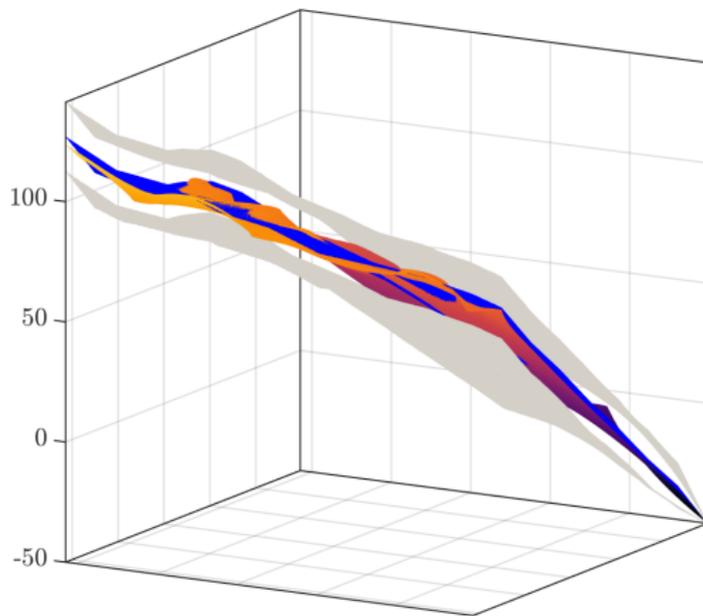


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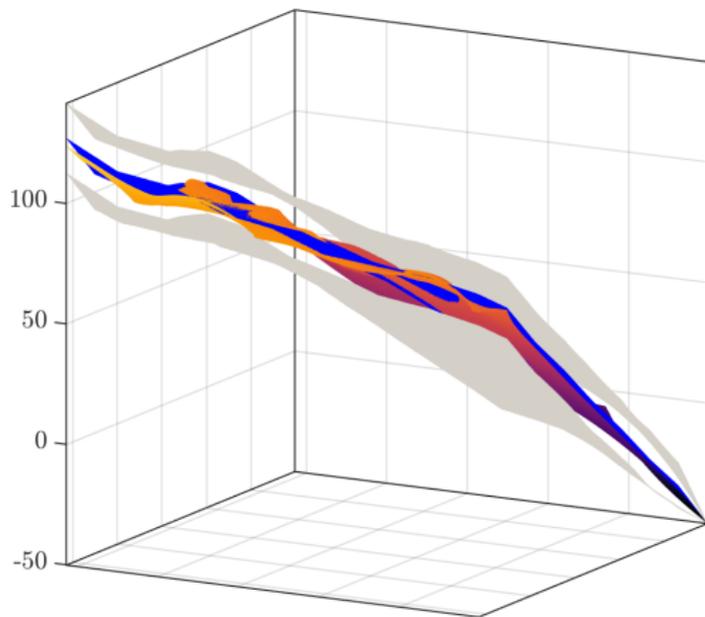


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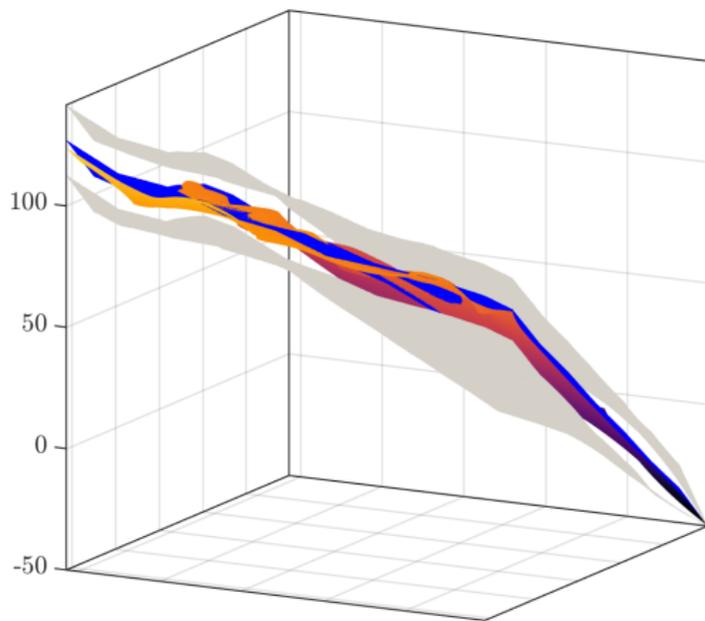


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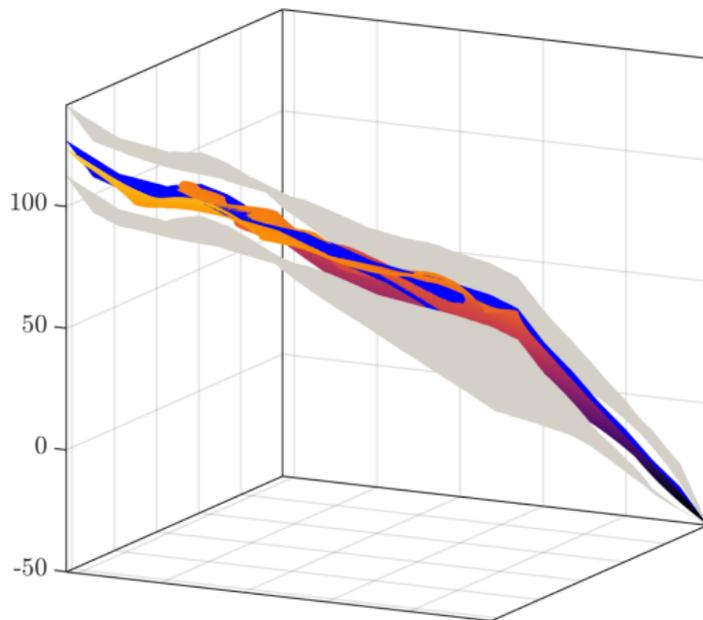


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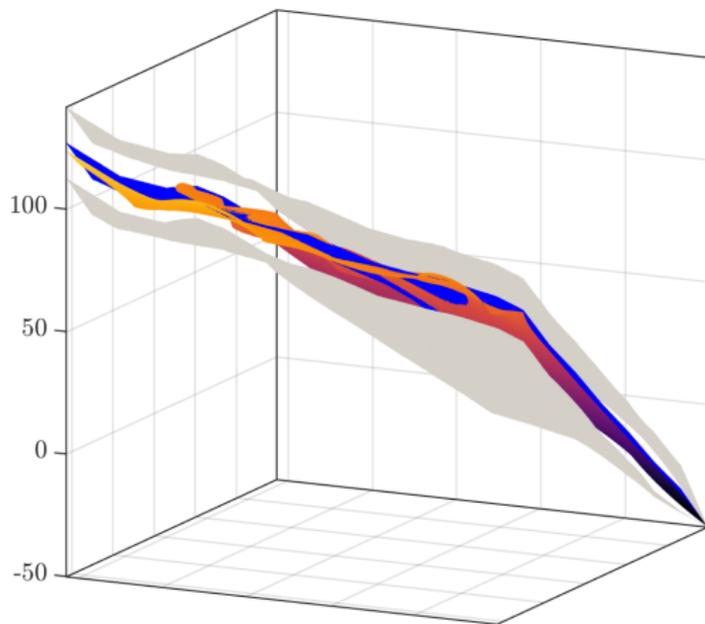


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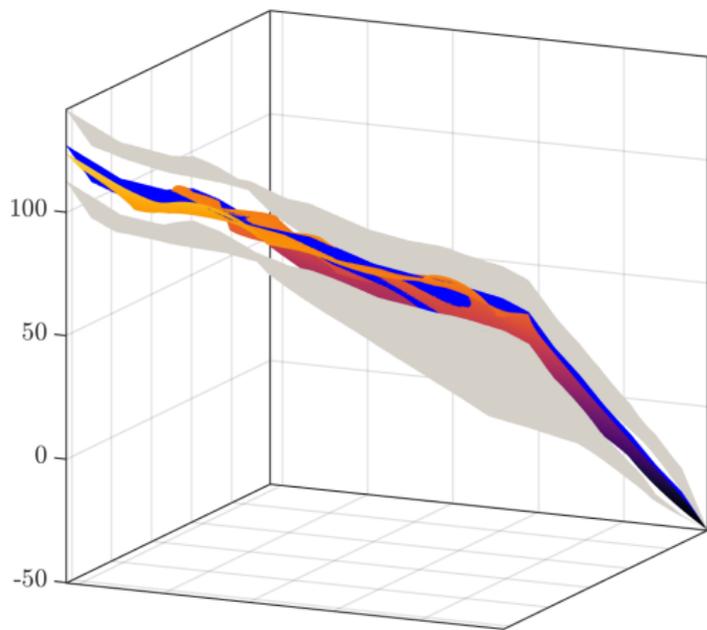


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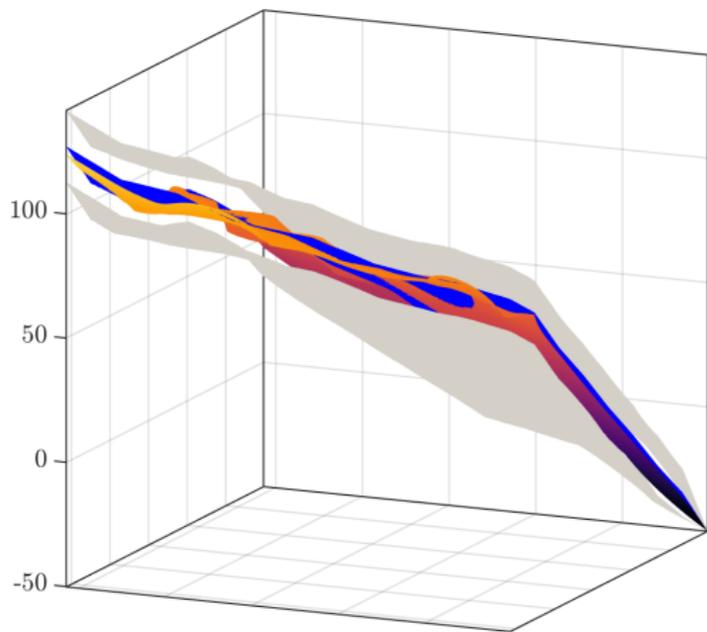


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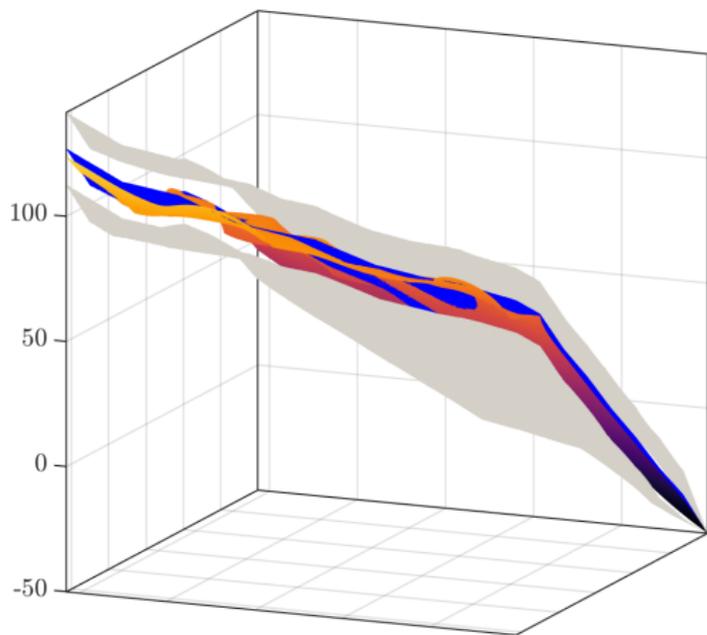


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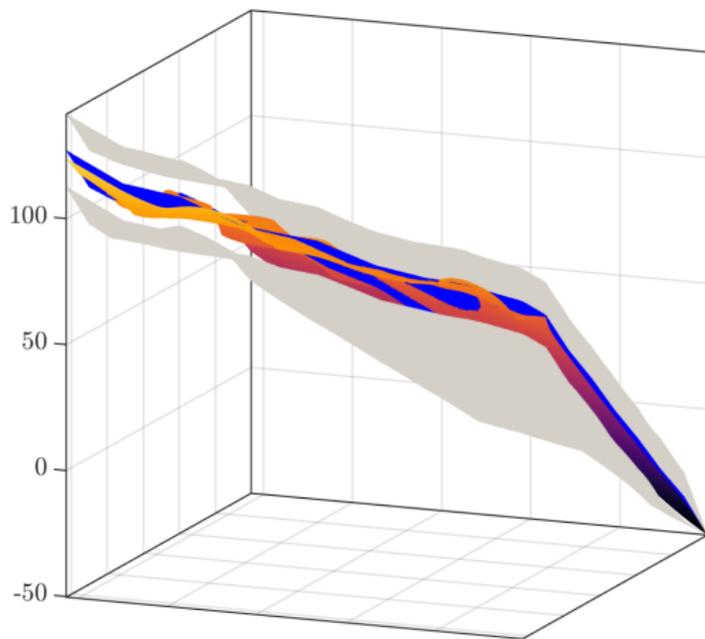


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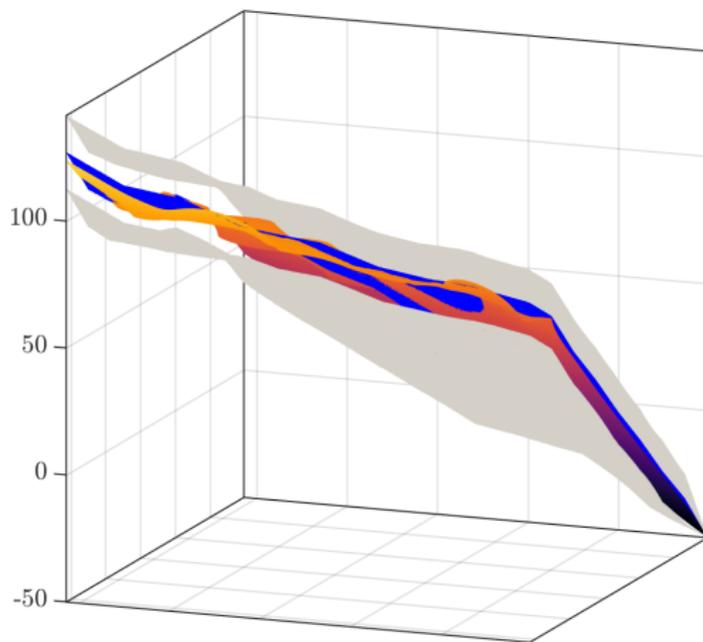


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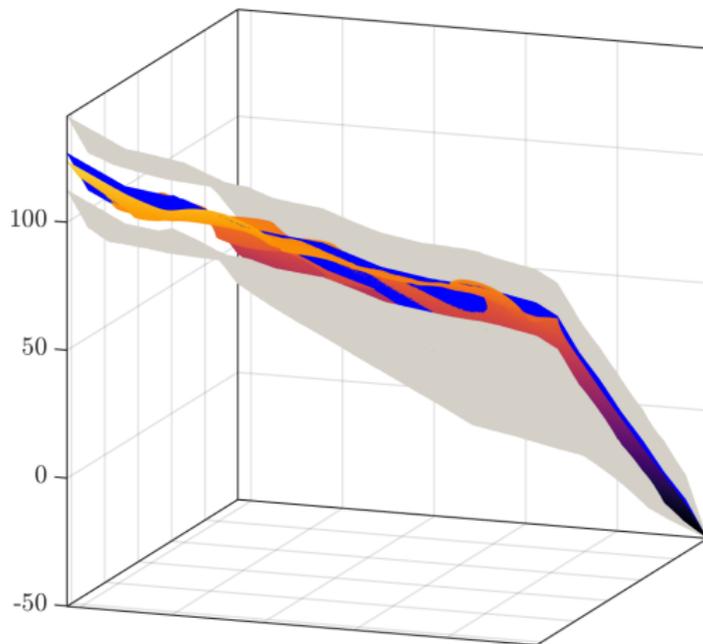


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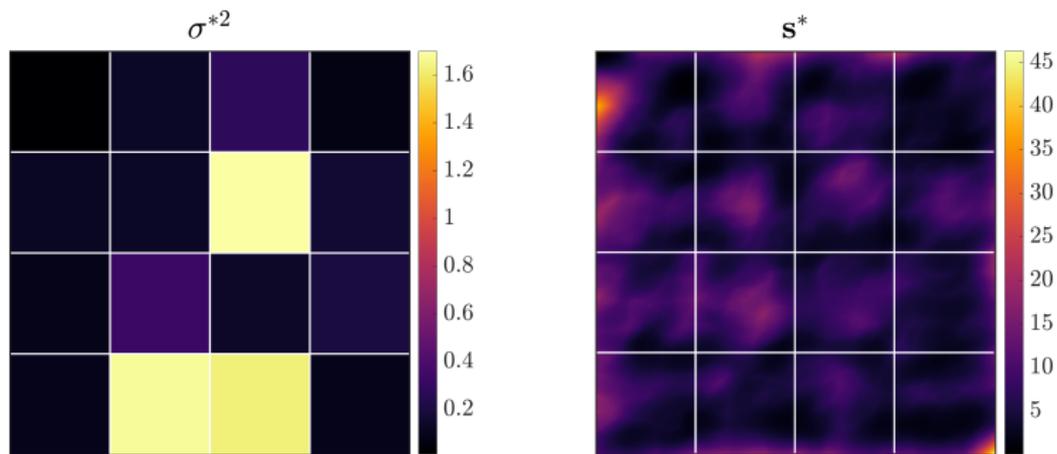


Figure: Optimal variances σ^{*2} of p_c (l.) and optimal variances s of p_{cf} .

Scaling of the algorithm

Training:

Quantity N	Scaling
#Data	$\mathcal{O}(N)$
$\dim(\boldsymbol{\lambda}_f)$?
$\dim(\mathbf{U}_f)$	$\mathcal{O}(N)$
$\dim(\boldsymbol{\lambda}_c), \dim(\mathbf{U}_c)$	$\mathcal{O}(N^3)$
$\dim(\boldsymbol{\theta}_c)$	$\mathcal{O}(N^3)$

Predictions:

Quantity N	Scaling
#Data	$\mathcal{O}(1)$
$\dim(\boldsymbol{\lambda}_f)$?
$\dim(\mathbf{U}_f)$	$\mathcal{O}(N)$
$\dim(\boldsymbol{\lambda}_c), \dim(\mathbf{U}_c)$	$\mathcal{O}(N^3)$
$\dim(\boldsymbol{\theta}_c)$	$\mathcal{O}(N)$

Is the model applicable for all kinds of microstructures?

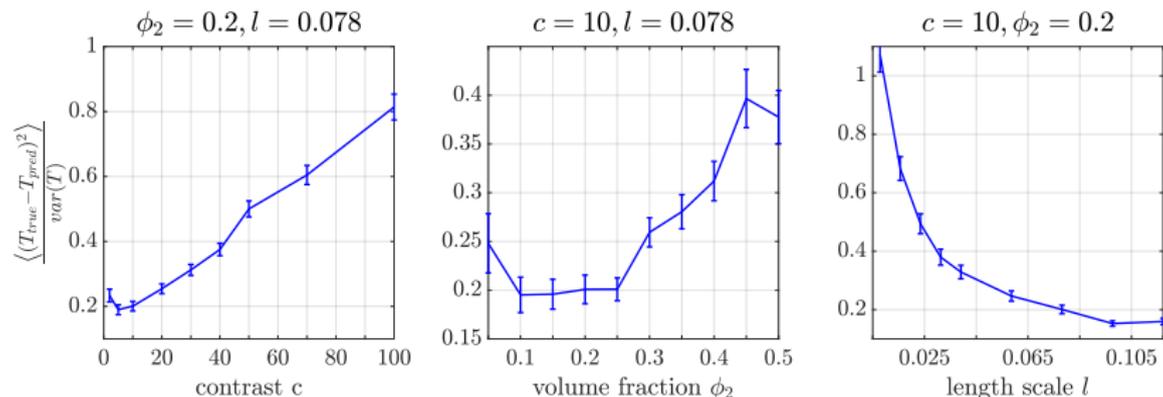


Figure: Predictive error for different microstructural parameters and a 4×4 coarse grid.

- There are regimes where the model works optimally/ will fail

Summary

- Replace FOM by cheaper, but less accurate ROM
- Learn probabilistic output-output, but also input/input mappings between fine and coarse solver
- Predict by sampling λ_c , solving coarse model, sampling U_f
- Potentially find interpretable features for effective material properties

Outlook

- Anisotropic λ_c
- Account for correlations among $\lambda_{c,k}$'s
- Adaptive coarse mesh refinement

