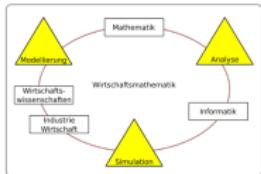


# Time-periodic problems with time-dependent parameter functions

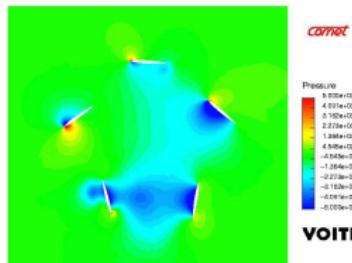
Workshop on Reduced Basis Methods



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# Motivation



## Questions

- ▶ Time-periodic problem
- ▶ Parameter-dependent domain
- ▶ Time-dependent parameter function
- ▶ Nonlinearities
- ▶ :

## Model Problem: Moving Boundary

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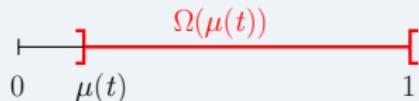
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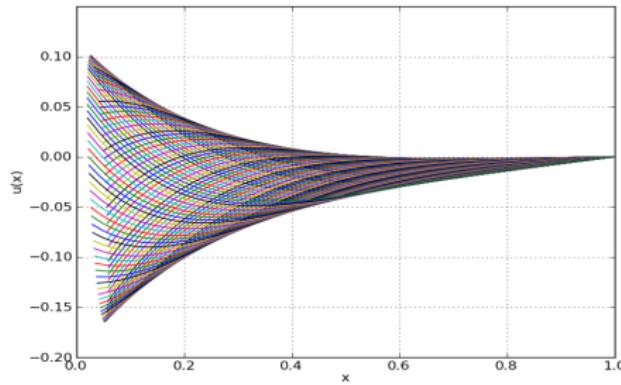
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$$\mu : [0, T] \rightarrow [0, \mu_{max}] \quad u_t - \kappa u_{xx} = 0 \quad \text{on } \Omega(\mu(t)),$$
$$u(t, 1) = 0 \quad \forall t \in [0, T],$$



$$\frac{\partial}{\partial n} u(t, \mu(t)) = -\dot{\mu}(t) \quad \forall t \in [0, T],$$
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- ▶ Periodicity
  - ▶ solver?
  - ▶ error bounds?
  - ▶ basis: quality, computational effort?
- ▶ Parameter function:
  - ▶ (parameterized) function classes?
  - ▶ organization of training?
  - ▶ quality of basis for unknown functions?
- ▶ Time-dependent system
  - ▶ error bounds?
  - ▶ coercivity?
  - ▶ output: primal-dual approaches (in combination with periodicity)?

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# Time-Periodicity

## Solver: Fixed Point Iterations

- ▶ Let  $\mathcal{K} : V \rightarrow V$ ,  $u_0 \mapsto u(T)$ , where  $u(T)$  solves the PDE for initial value  $u(0) = u_0$ .
- ▶  $u(0) = u(T) \iff \mathcal{K}(u(0)) = u(0)$ , i.e. periodic solutions are fixed points of  $\mathcal{K}$ .
- ▶ Picard Iterations: sequence of initial value problems
  - ▶ Begin with an (arbitrary)  $u_0^{(0)}$ .
  - ▶ Solve PDE to obtain  $u^{(0)}(T)$ .
  - ▶ Set  $u_0^{(1)} := u^{(0)}(T)$ .
  - ▶ Repeat until  $\|u_0^{(i)} - u_0^{(i-1)}\| < tol$ .

## Problems

- ▶ Computationally intensive, especially for non-linear PDEs.
- ▶ Good choice of  $u_0^{(0)}$  ?

Alternatives / Improvements: Multi-Grid, adaptive space-time solver.

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Error bound:  $L_2(0, T; V)$  - Norm

$$\left( \Delta t \sum_{k=1}^K \|e^k\|_V^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \leq \Delta_N^{per}(\mu) := \left( \frac{\Delta t}{\alpha_{min}(\mu)} \sum_{k=1}^K \frac{\|\hat{\varepsilon}(\mu^k)\|_V^2}{\alpha(\mu^k)} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

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$$s(u(\mu)) := \int_0^T \ell(t, u(\mu(t)); \mu(t)) dt, \quad \ell : V \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \text{ linear.}$$

$$|s(u(\mu))| \leq \left( \int_0^T \|\ell(\mu(t))\|_{V'}^2 dt \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \left( \int_0^T \|u(\mu(t))\|_V^2 dt \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

### Error bound: Output

$$|s(u_N(\mu) - u_N(\mu))| \leq \left( \sum_{k=0}^K w_k \|\hat{\ell}(\mu^k)\|_V^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \Delta_N^{per}(\mu)$$

# Error Bounds

## Difficulties for periodic problems

- ▶ Initial error unknown
- ▶ Error bounds only for complete time period
- ▶ Error bounds for single time points?
- ▶  $L_2$ -error bounds?
- ▶ Approaches for non-coercive problems?
  - ▶ stability constant:  $\|e^k\|_{L_2}^2$  needed
  - ▶ better: space-time inf-sup constant?

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- ▶ Periodicity / Number of fixed point iterations?

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$N$	Zero Initialization		Truth	RB (avg)
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4	30	24.67	11	
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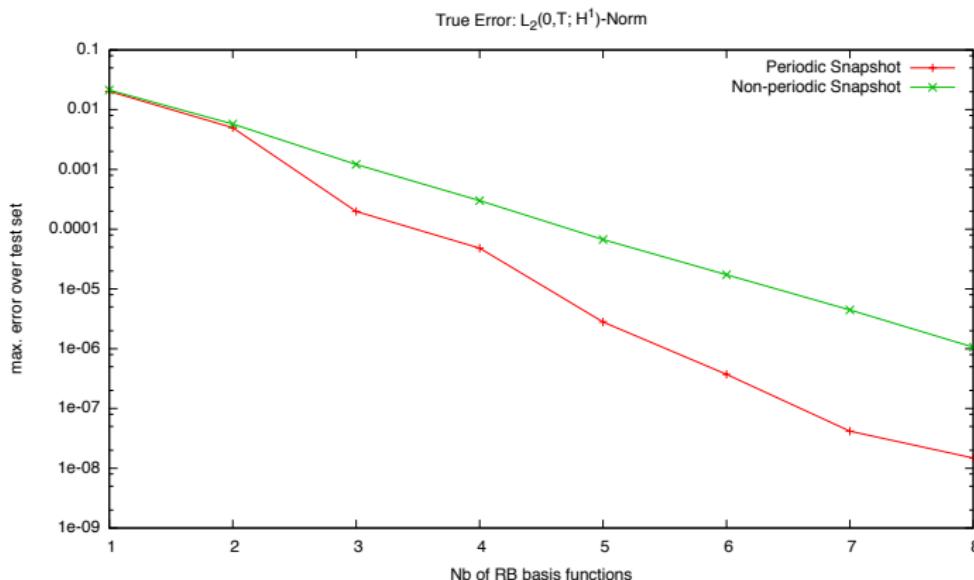
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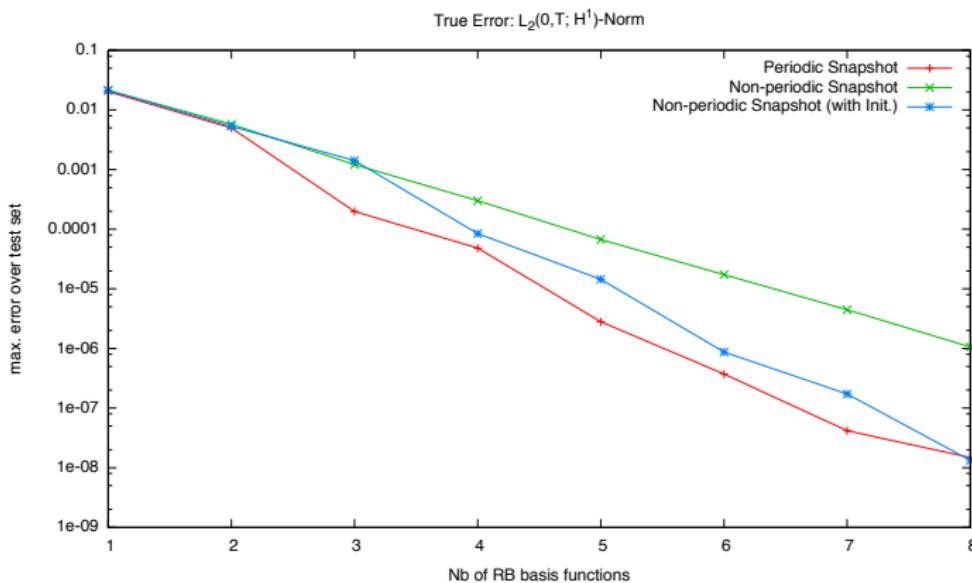
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## Summary

- ▶ LTV model problem:
  - ▶ error bounds
- ▶ Periodic problems:
  - ▶ fixed point solver
  - ▶ (time-dependent) error bounds for coercive case
  - ▶ identification of problems / differences to initial value problems
  - ▶ POD-Greedy: reduction of offline cost
- ▶ Parameter Function
  - ▶ parameterized function class

## Outlook

- ▶ Modified POD-Greedy for more realistic problems
- ▶ Training over different parameter function classes
- ▶ Space-time inf-sup constant
- ▶ Nonlinear problems

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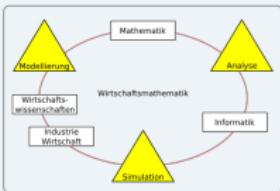
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## Coercivity Constraints

- ▶ Consider the parameter-independent constant

$$\rho := \inf_{v \in V} \frac{\int_{\hat{\Omega}} v_x(x) v_x(x) dx}{\int_{\hat{\Omega}} v(x) v(x) dx + v(0)^2}.$$

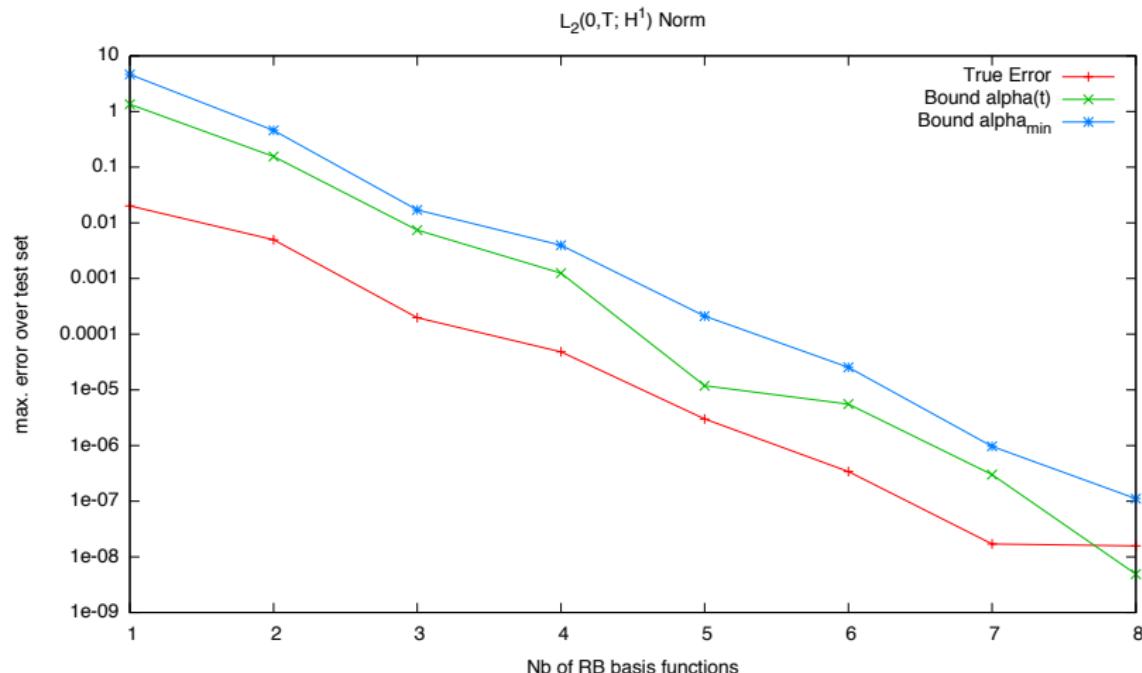
- ▶ Then

$$|\dot{\mu}(t)| < \frac{\kappa\rho}{1 - \mu(t)} \implies a(t, v, v; \mu(t)) + b(t, v, v; \mu(t)) \geq \alpha(\mu(t)) \|v\|_V^2,$$

with

$$\alpha(\mu(t)) = \frac{1}{2(1 - \mu(t))^2} \min\{1, \kappa\rho - \dot{\mu}(t)(1 - \mu(t))\} > 0$$

# Time-dependent coercivity constants



## Periodic Problems: Non-Coercive Case

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⇒ Better approach: space-time inf-sup constant?

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### Stabilization approach

$$\text{Stability constant} \quad \tau(\mu(t)) := \inf_{v \in L_2} \frac{\frac{1}{2}a(v, v, \mu(t)) + 2b(v, v; \mu(t))}{\|v\|_{L_2}^2}.$$

$$\frac{\Delta t}{2} \sum_{k=1}^K a(e^k, e^k, \mu) \leq - \sum_{k=1, \tau(\mu^k) < 0}^K \Delta t \tau(\mu^k) \|e^k\|_{L_2}^2 + \sum_{k=1}^K \frac{\Delta t \|\hat{\varepsilon}(\mu^k)\|_V^2}{\alpha_a(\mu^k)}.$$