

# PDE-Constrained Optimization using Progressively-Constructed Reduced-Order Models

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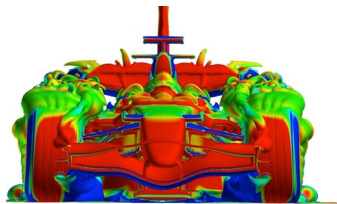


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## Motivation

- PDE-constrained is ubiquitous in engineering
  - Design optimization
  - Optimal control
  - Parameter estimation (inverse problems)
- Notoriously expensive as many calls to a PDE solver may be required
  - CFD, structural dynamics, acoustic models
- Good candidate for model reduction
  - Many-query application

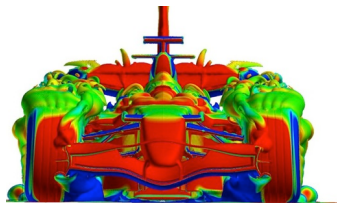


## Problem Formulation

Goal: Rapidly solve PDE-constrained optimization problems of the form

$$\begin{aligned} & \underset{\mathbf{w} \in \mathbb{R}^N, \boldsymbol{\mu} \in \mathbb{R}^p}{\text{minimize}} && f(\mathbf{w}, \boldsymbol{\mu}) \\ & \text{subject to} && \mathbf{R}(\mathbf{w}, \boldsymbol{\mu}) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

where  $\mathbf{R} : \mathbb{R}^N \times \mathbb{R}^p \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^N$  is the discretized (nonlinear) PDE,  $\mathbf{w}$  is the PDE state vector,  $\boldsymbol{\mu}$  is the vector of parameters, and  $N$  is assumed to be very large.





## Reduced-Order Model

- Model Order Reduction (MOR) assumption: *state vector lies in low-dimensional affine subspace*

$$\mathbf{w} \approx \mathbf{w}_r = \bar{\mathbf{w}} + \Phi \mathbf{y}$$

where  $\mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^n$  are the reduced coordinates of  $\mathbf{w}$  in the basis  $\Phi \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times n}$ ,  $\bar{\mathbf{w}}$  piecewise constant in  $\mu$ , and  $n \ll N$

- Substitute assumption into High-Dimensional Model (HDM),  $\mathbf{R}(\mathbf{w}, \mu) = 0$

$$\mathbf{R}(\bar{\mathbf{w}} + \Phi \mathbf{y}, \mu) \approx 0$$

- Require projection of residual in low-dimensional *left subspace*, with basis  $\Psi \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times n}$  to be zero

$$\mathbf{R}_r(\mathbf{y}, \mu) = \Psi^T \mathbf{R}(\bar{\mathbf{w}} + \Phi \mathbf{y}, \mu) = 0$$



# Reduced Optimization Problem

- *ROM-constrained optimization* problem

$$\begin{aligned} & \underset{\mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^n, \boldsymbol{\mu} \in \mathbb{R}^p}{\text{minimize}} && f(\bar{\mathbf{w}} + \boldsymbol{\Phi} \mathbf{y}, \boldsymbol{\mu}) \\ & \text{subject to} && \boldsymbol{\Psi}^T \mathbf{R}(\bar{\mathbf{w}} + \boldsymbol{\Phi} \mathbf{y}, \boldsymbol{\mu}) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

- Issues that must be considered
  - Basis construction
  - Reduced sensitivity derivation
  - Training



# State-Sensitivity POD

- MOR assumption:  $\mathbf{w} \approx \mathbf{w}_r = \bar{\mathbf{w}} + \Phi \mathbf{y} \implies \frac{\partial \mathbf{w}_r}{\partial \mu} = \Phi \frac{\partial \mathbf{y}}{\partial \mu}$
- Collect state and sensitivity snapshots by sampling HDM

$$\mathbf{X} = [\mathbf{w}(\mu_1) - \bar{\mathbf{w}} \quad \mathbf{w}(\mu_2) - \bar{\mathbf{w}} \quad \cdots \quad \mathbf{w}(\mu_n) - \bar{\mathbf{w}}]$$
$$\mathbf{Y} = \left[ \frac{\partial \mathbf{w}}{\partial \mu}(\mu_1) \quad \frac{\partial \mathbf{w}}{\partial \mu}(\mu_2) \quad \cdots \quad \frac{\partial \mathbf{w}}{\partial \mu}(\mu_n) \right]$$

- Use Proper Orthogonal Decomposition to generate reduced bases from each *individually*

$$\Phi_{\mathbf{X}} = \text{POD}(\mathbf{X})$$

$$\Phi_{\mathbf{Y}} = \text{POD}(\mathbf{Y})$$

- Concatenate to get ROB

$$\Phi = [\Phi_{\mathbf{X}} \quad \Phi_{\mathbf{Y}}]$$



# Sensitivities

For gradient-based optimization, sensitivities are required

- HDM sensitivities

$$\mathbf{R}(\mathbf{w}(\boldsymbol{\mu}), \boldsymbol{\mu}) = 0 \implies \frac{\partial \mathbf{w}}{\partial \boldsymbol{\mu}} = - \left[ \frac{\partial \mathbf{R}}{\partial \mathbf{w}} \right]^{-1} \frac{\partial \mathbf{R}}{\partial \boldsymbol{\mu}}$$

- ROM sensitivities

$$\mathbf{R}_r(\mathbf{y}(\boldsymbol{\mu}), \boldsymbol{\mu}) = 0 \implies \frac{\partial \mathbf{w}_r}{\partial \boldsymbol{\mu}} = \boldsymbol{\Phi} \frac{\partial \mathbf{y}}{\partial \boldsymbol{\mu}} = \boldsymbol{\Phi} \mathbf{A}^{-1} \mathbf{B}$$

$$\mathbf{A} = \sum_{j=1}^N \mathbf{R}_j \frac{\partial (\boldsymbol{\Psi}^T \mathbf{e}_j)}{\partial \mathbf{w}} \boldsymbol{\Phi} + \boldsymbol{\Psi}^T \frac{\partial \mathbf{R}}{\partial \mathbf{w}} \boldsymbol{\Phi}$$

$$\mathbf{B} = - \left( \sum_{j=1}^N \mathbf{R}_j \frac{\partial (\boldsymbol{\Psi}^T \mathbf{e}_j)}{\partial \boldsymbol{\mu}} + \boldsymbol{\Psi}^T \frac{\partial \mathbf{R}}{\partial \boldsymbol{\mu}} \right)$$



## Minimum-Error Reduced Sensitivities

- True sensitivities of the ROM
  - May be difficult to compute if  $\Psi = \Psi(\mu)$ 
    - LSPG [Bui-Thanh *et al* 2008, Carlberg *et al* 2011]
  - May not represent HDM sensitivities well
    - Gradients of reduced optimization functions may not be close to the true gradients
- Define quantity that *minimizes* the sensitivity error in some norm  $\Theta \succ 0$

$$\widehat{\frac{\partial \mathbf{y}}{\partial \mu}} = \arg \min_{\mathbf{a}} \left\| \frac{\partial \mathbf{w}}{\partial \mu} - \Phi \mathbf{a} \right\|_{\Theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow \widehat{\frac{\partial \mathbf{y}}{\partial \mu}} = - \left( \Theta^{1/2} \Phi \right)^{\dagger} \Theta^{1/2} \frac{\partial \mathbf{R}}{\partial \mathbf{w}}^{-1} \frac{\partial \mathbf{R}}{\partial \mu}$$



## Minimum-Error Reduced Sensitivities

- Select  $\Theta^{1/2} = \frac{\partial \mathbf{R}}{\partial \mathbf{w}}$

$$\widehat{\frac{\partial \mathbf{y}}{\partial \mu}} = - \left( \frac{\partial \mathbf{R}}{\partial \mathbf{w}} \Phi \right)^\dagger \frac{\partial \mathbf{R}}{\partial \mu}$$


- *Exactly* reproduce sensitivities at training points if sensitivity basis not truncated
- May cause convergence issues for *reduced* optimization problem



## Training: Offline-Online (Database) Approach

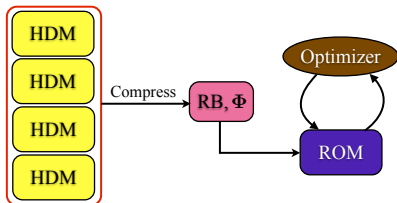
- Identify samples in *offline* phase to be used for training
- Collect snapshots by running HDM (state vector and sensitivities)
- Build ROB  $\Phi$
- Solve optimization problem

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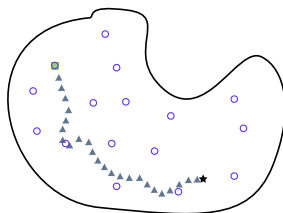
 [Lassila *et al* 2010, Rozza *et al* 2010, Manzoni *et al* 2012]



# Offline-Online Approach



(a) Schematic of Algorithm



- Initial Guess
- ▲ Optimization Iterates
- ★ Optimal Solution
- HDM Samples

(b) Idealized Optimization Trajectory in Parameter Space



(c) Breakdown of Computational Effort





## Training: Progressive Approach

- Collect snapshots by running HDM (state vector and sensitivities) at initial guess for optimization problem
- Build ROB  $\Phi$  from sparse training
- Solve optimization problem

$$\begin{aligned} & \underset{\mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^n, \boldsymbol{\mu} \in \mathbb{R}^p}{\text{minimize}} && f(\bar{\mathbf{w}} + \Phi \mathbf{y}, \boldsymbol{\mu}) \\ & \text{subject to} && \Psi^T \mathbf{R}(\bar{\mathbf{w}} + \Phi \mathbf{y}, \boldsymbol{\mu}) = 0 \\ & && \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{R}(\bar{\mathbf{w}} + \Phi \mathbf{y}, \boldsymbol{\mu})\|_2^2 \leq \epsilon \end{aligned}$$

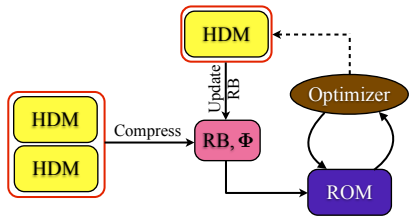
- Use solution of above problem to enrich training and repeat until convergence



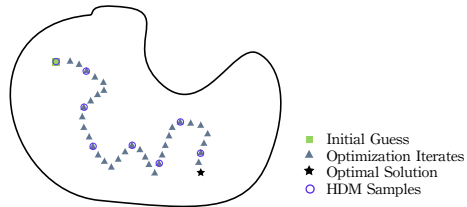
Similar approaches found in: [Arian *et al* 2000, Afanasiev *et al* 2001, Fahl 2001]



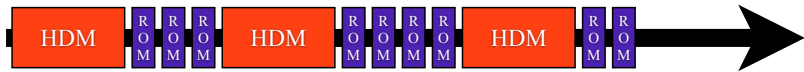
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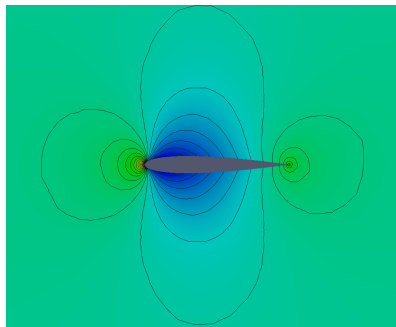
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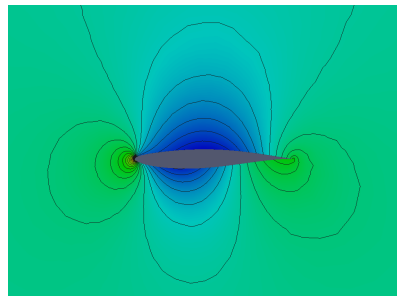
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# Compressible, Inviscid Airfoil Inverse Design



(a) NACA0012: Pressure field  
 ( $M_\infty = 0.5$ ,  $\alpha = 0.0^\circ$ )

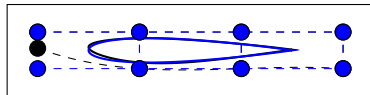


(b) RAE2822: Pressure field  
 ( $M_\infty = 0.5$ ,  $\alpha = 0.0^\circ$ )

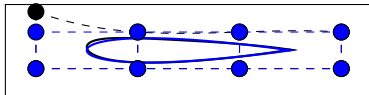
- Pressure discrepancy minimization (Euler equations)
  - Initial Configuration: NACA0012
  - Target Configuration: RAE2822



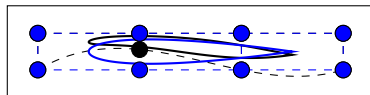
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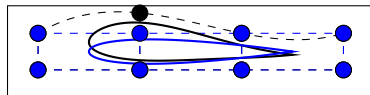
(a)  $\mu(1) = 0.1$



(b)  $\mu(2) = 0.1$



(c)  $\mu(3) = 0.1$

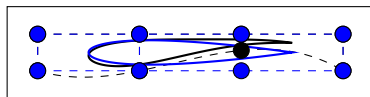


(d)  $\mu(4) = 0.1$

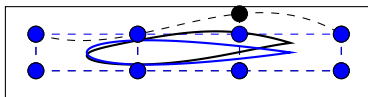
Figure : Shape parametrization of a NACA0012 airfoil using a *cubic* design element



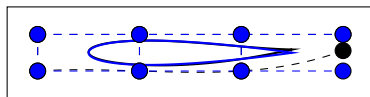
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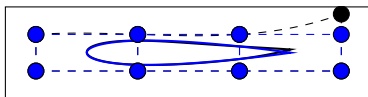
(a)  $\mu(5) = 0.1$



(b)  $\mu(6) = 0.1$



(c)  $\mu(7) = 0.1$

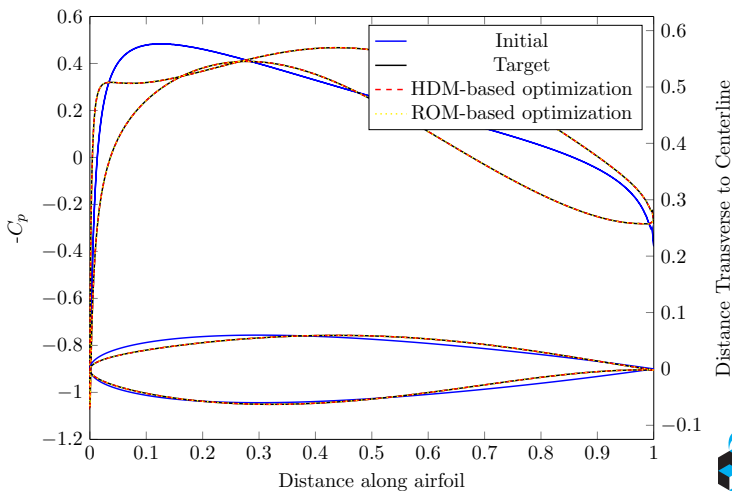


(d)  $\mu(8) = 0.1$

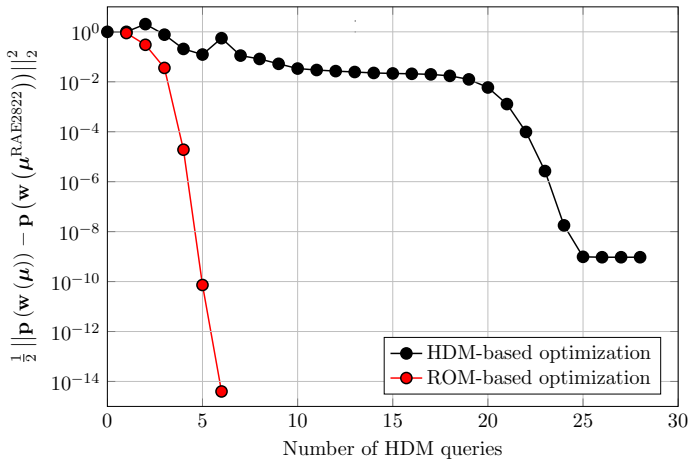
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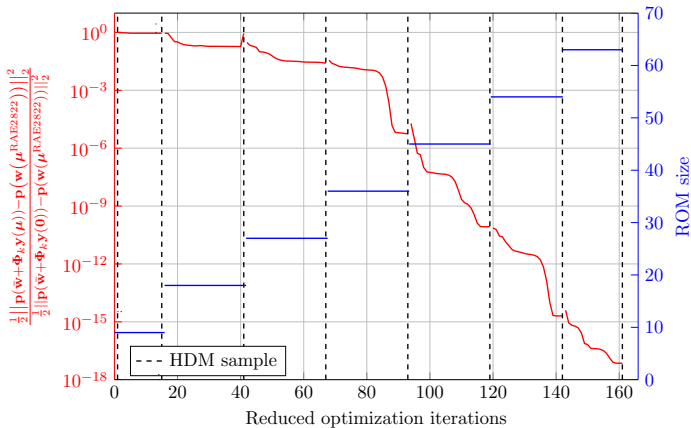
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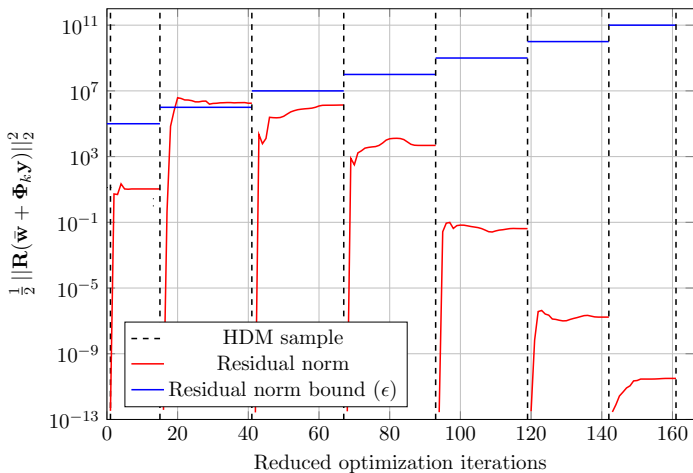


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	HDM-based optimization	ROM-based optimization
# of HDM Evaluations	29	7
# of ROM Evaluations	-	346
$\frac{\ \mu^* - \mu^{RAE2822}\ }{\ \mu^{RAE2822}\ }$	$2.28 \times 10^{-3}\%$	$4.17 \times 10^{-6}\%$

 **Table :** Performance of the HDM- and ROM-based optimization methods



## Conclusion

### Overview

- Introduced progressive, nonlinear trust region framework for reduced optimization
- Proposed minimum-error reduced sensitivity analysis
- Demonstrated approach on canonical problem from aerodynamic shape optimization

### Future work

- Extend to hyper-reduced models (i.e. reduce nonlinear term) to achieve significant speedup
- Application to large-scale, 3D problems

