

One-Shot Optimization with Steady and Unsteady PDEs

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Primal contractivity: $\|G_W\| = \|G_W^T\| \leq \rho < 1 \Rightarrow$ Adjoint contractivity:

Adjoint code inherits convergence properties of primal code

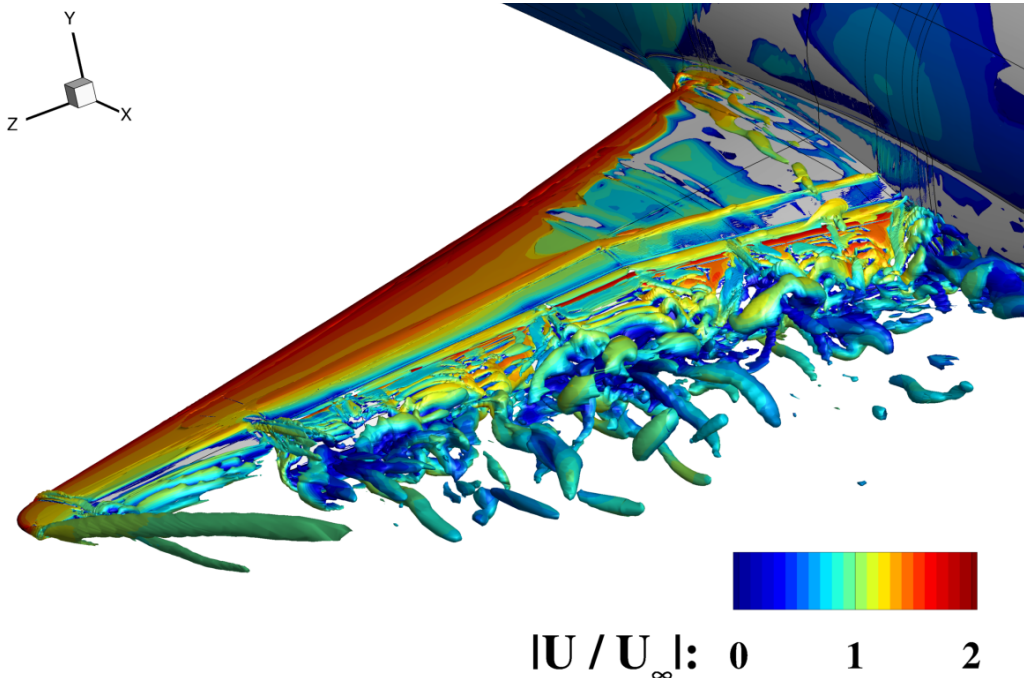
$$\left\| \frac{\partial N_W^T}{\partial \Lambda} \right\| = \|G_W^T\| \leq \rho < 1$$

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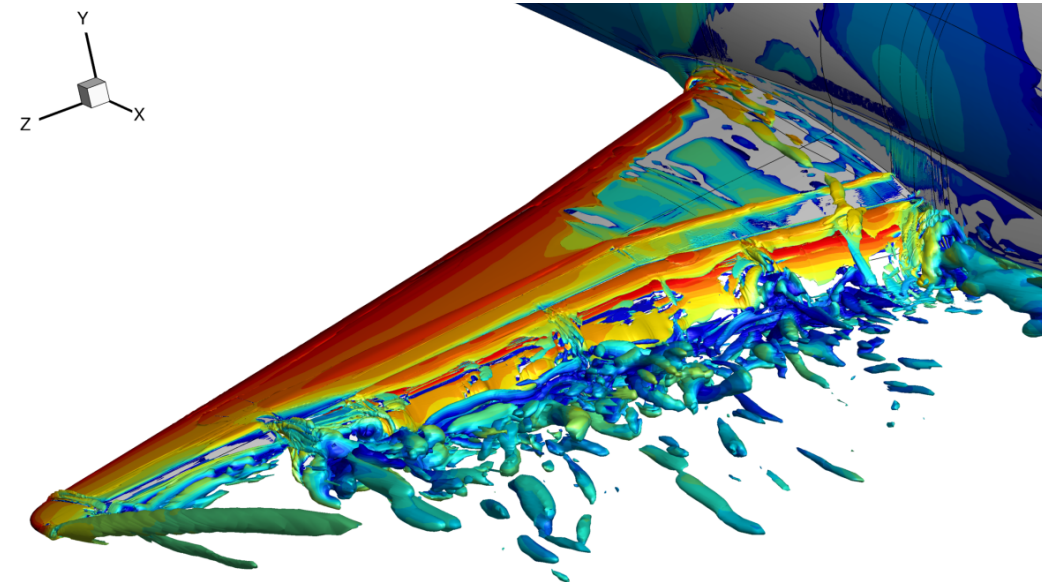
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Optimal Separation Control on Airbus HIREX Configuration

(Primal) Flow Simulation



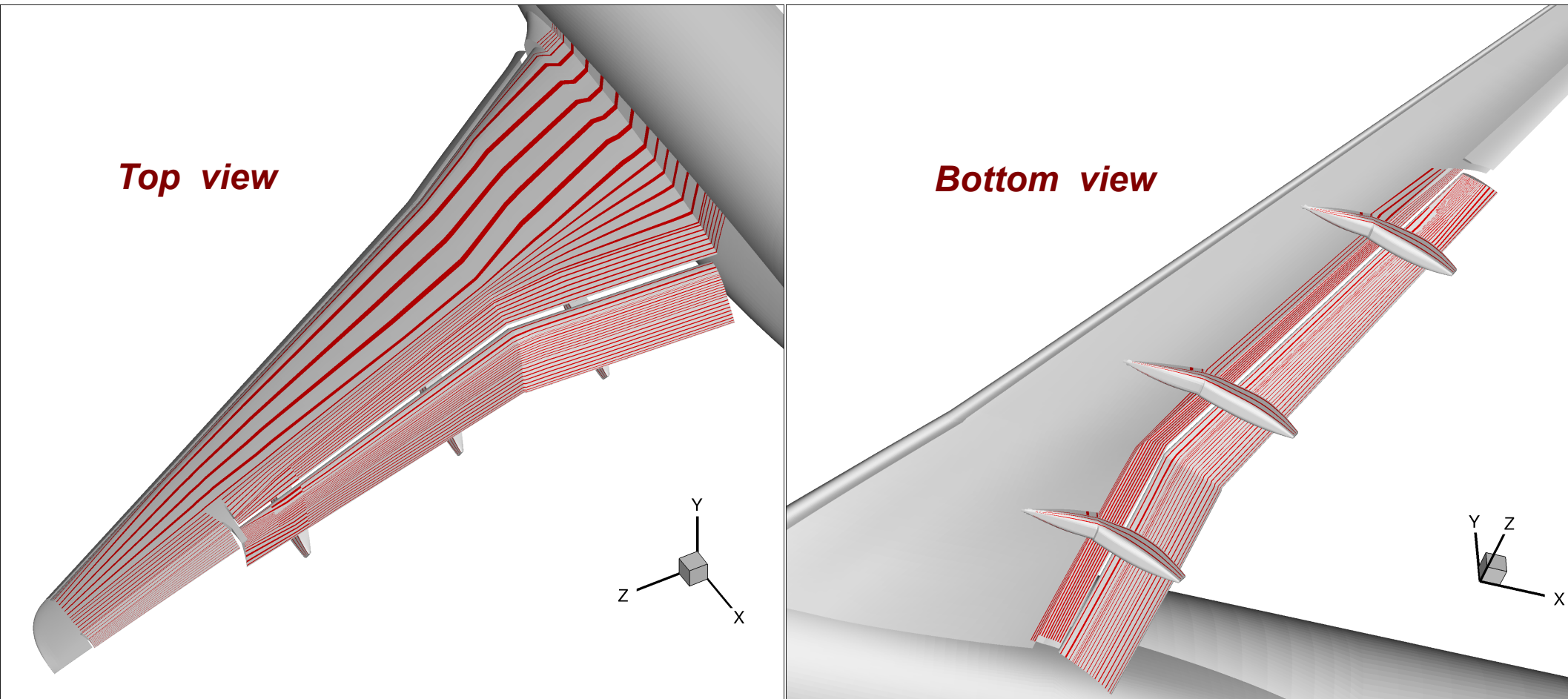
Un-actuated flow



Actuated flow

- Grid size : 48 Million cells
- $Re = 1.5 \times 10^6$, $AoA = 7^\circ$
- ELAN Code (TU Berlin)

Actuation slot distribution on HIREX



- 33, 441 synthetic jet actuators on wing and flap

- No. of control variables : 167, 205

Actuation boundary condition:

$$\begin{pmatrix} u \\ v \\ w \end{pmatrix} = A \left[\vec{n} + \frac{1}{\tan \beta_1} \vec{t}_1 + \frac{1}{\tan \beta_2} \vec{t}_2 \right] \cos(2\pi f(t - t_0))$$

Control variables:

$$\begin{pmatrix} A - \text{Amplitude} \\ \beta_{1,2} - \text{Angles} \\ t_0 - \text{Phase shift} \\ f - \text{Frequency} \end{pmatrix}$$

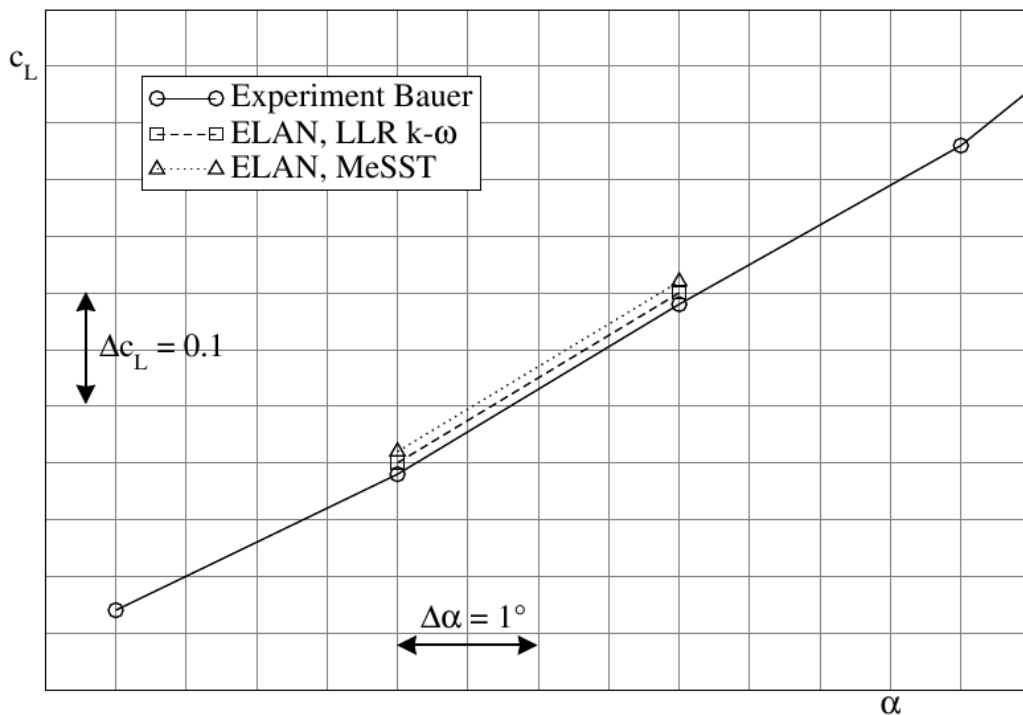
Flow Solver and Techniques for Algorithmic Differentiation

- *RANS flow solver: ELAN (TU Berlin)*
 - *Block-structured, FVM, incompressible, SIMPL*
 - *Fully implicit, MPI based parallelisation*
 - *Turbulence model : SST k - ω , LLR k - ω , ...*
 - *Coded in Fortran*
- *AD tool for adjoint : TAPENADE (INRIA Sophia – Antipolis)*
- *Optional: Reverse Accumulation for SIMPL loops [Christianson]*
- *Checkpointing by REVOLVE [Griewank, Walther]*
 - *Usable for Fortran and C*

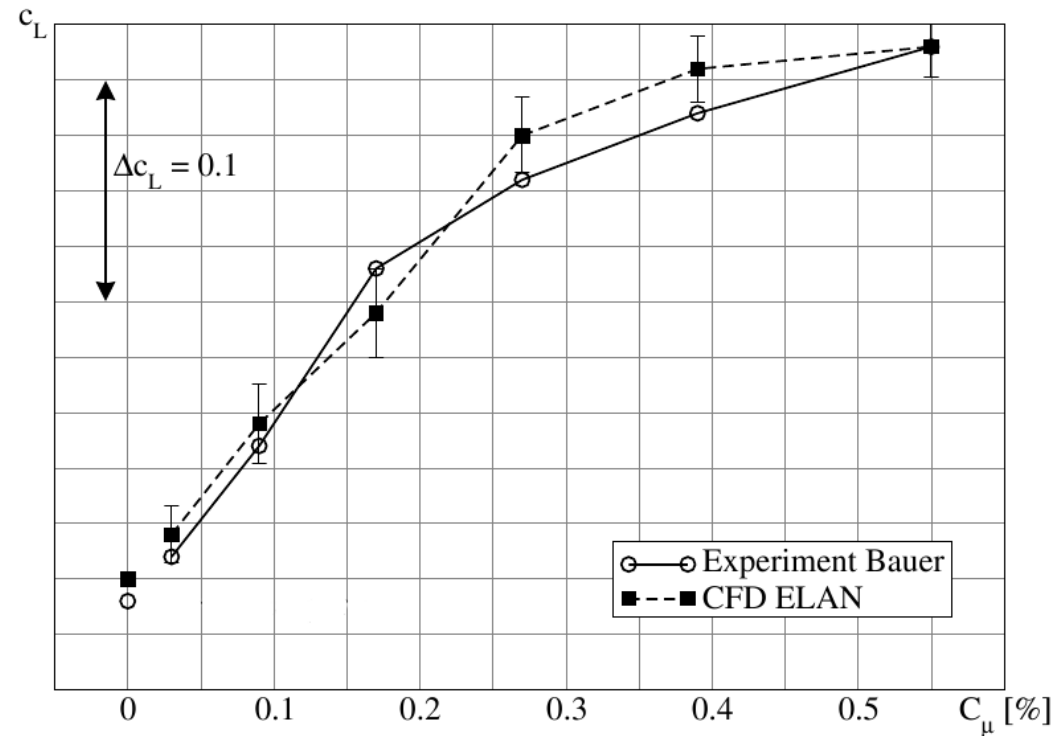
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(Primal) Flow Simulation – Validation (Team: RWTH/TU KL, TU Berlin, Airbus)

TFB / SFB 557, DFG GA 857/5-1



Variation of mean lift with angle of attack

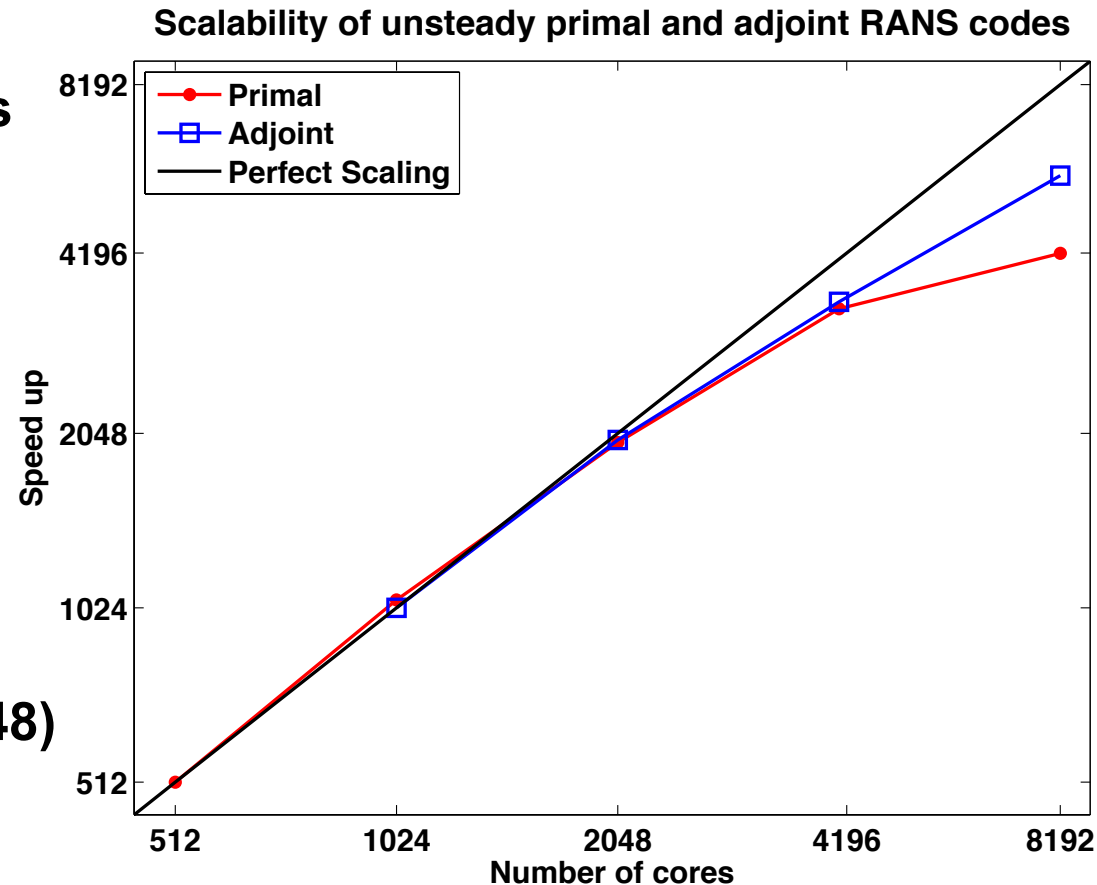


Variation of mean lift with actuation intensity

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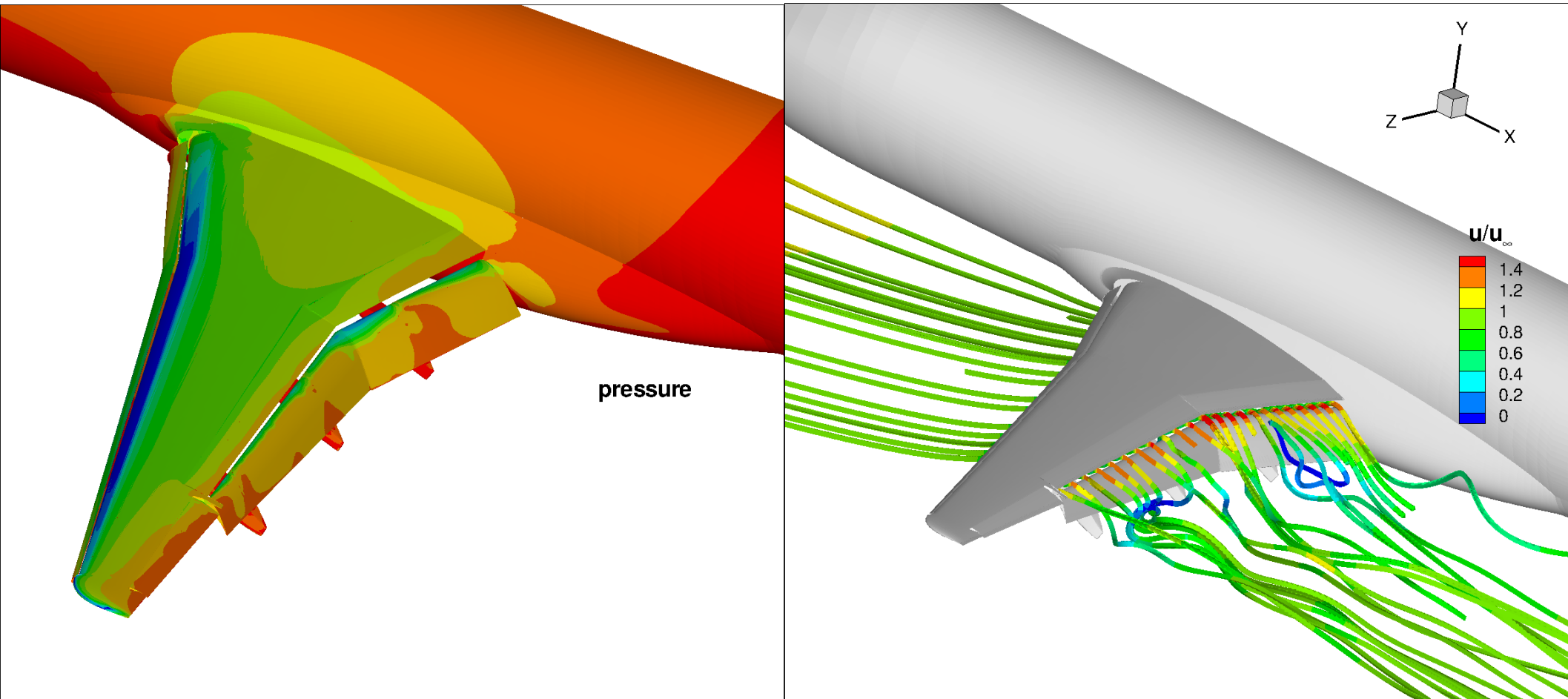
Scalability of ELAN Code (Primal / Adjoint)

- Simulations are performed on JUQUEEN (IBM Blue Gene/Q) at Jülich, Germany
- IBM PowerPC A2, 16 cores/node, 1.6 GHz, 1GB RAM/core
- Number of cores : 458,752
- Peak performance : ~6 Peta Flops
- No. of cells : 33,554,432
- No. of blocks : 8,192
- Cells/core on 8,192 cores : 4,096
- Cells/core on 512 cores : 65,536
- (Cells/core on 16,384 cores : 2,048)



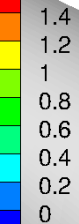
Numerical Results

Initial actuated flow: $A / u_\infty = 0.00736$, $f = 200\text{Hz}$, $t_0 = 0$, $\beta_{1,2} = 90^\circ$



pressure

u/u_∞

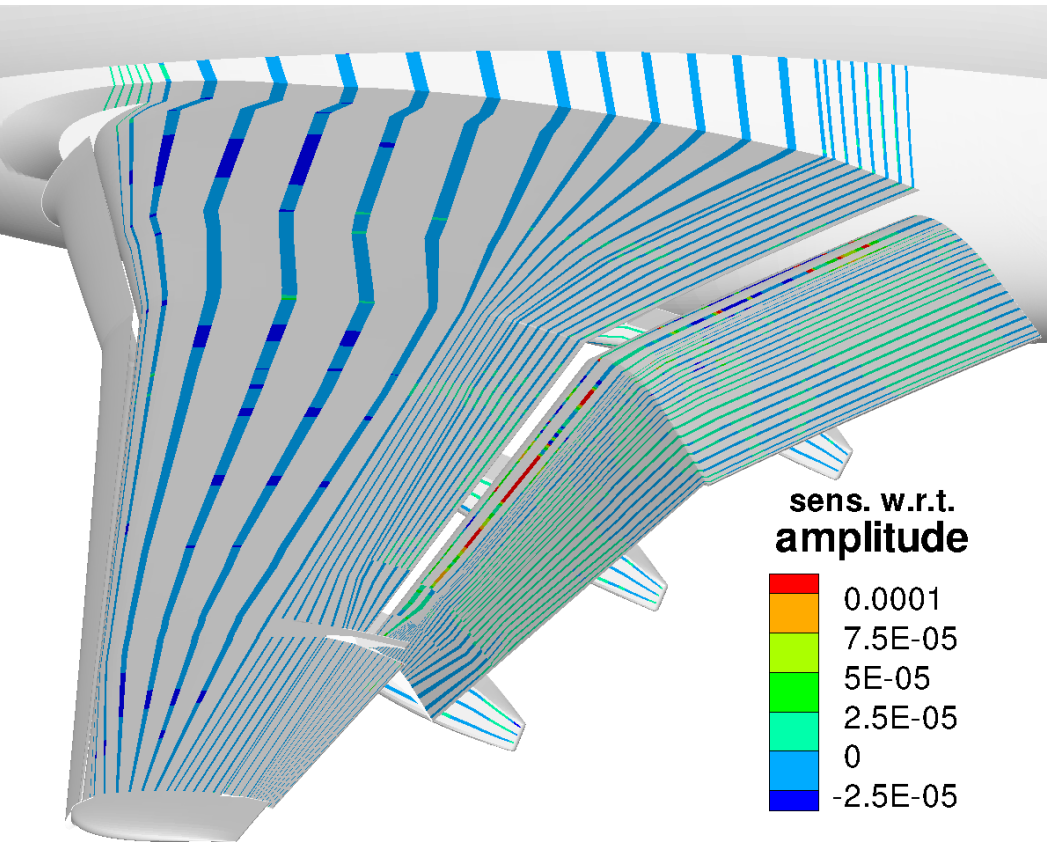


Pressure contours

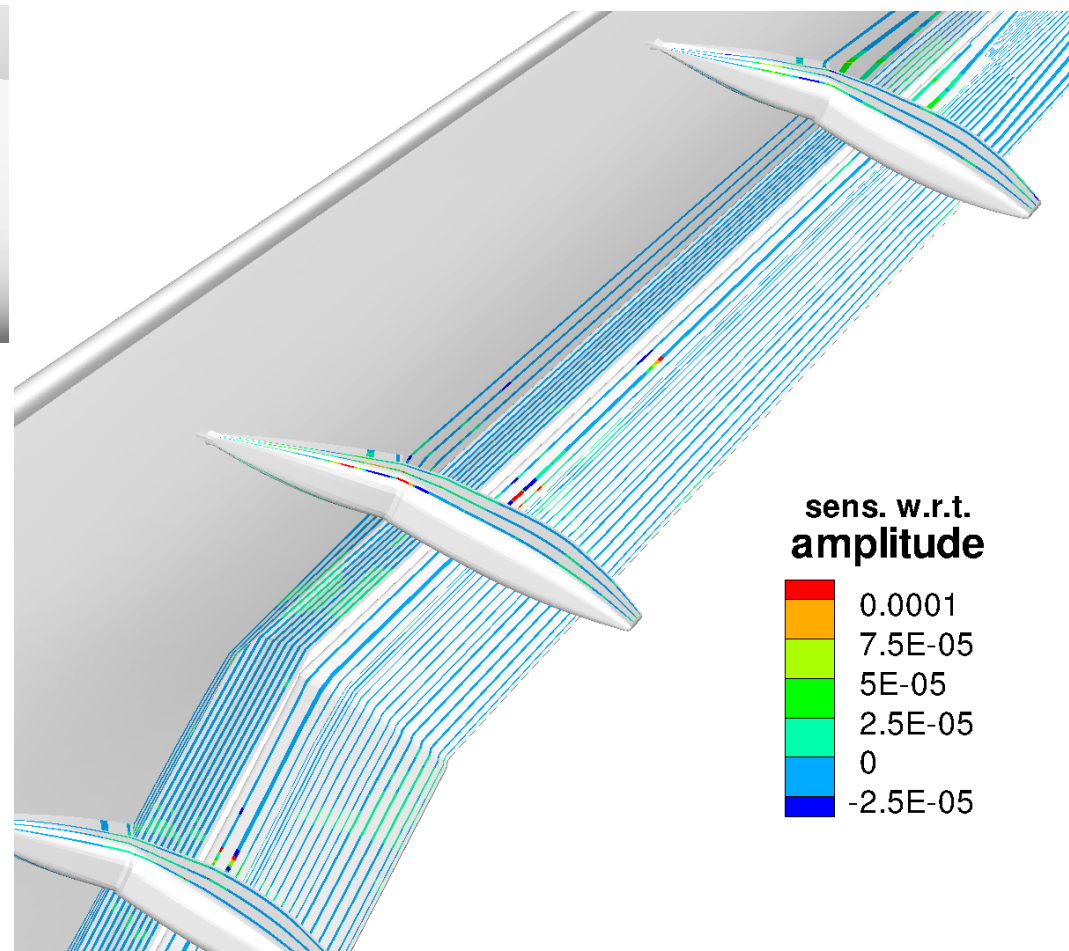
Streamlines

Numerical Results

Amplitude sensitivities for the initial actuated flow



Top view



Bottom view

[Nemili, Özkaya, Gauger, Kramer, Höll, Thiele, 2014]

Numerical Results

Validation of the 3D discrete adjoint URANS solver

Control parameter	Forward code	Adjoint code
Amplitude	-1.172328410564145E-05	-1.172328410564145E-05
Frequency	-2.753956866987843E-05	-2.753956866987779E-05
Phase shift	2.101437468727700E-03	2.101437468727652E-03
Blowing angle β_1	-5.469583093515221E-12	-5.469583093515383E-12
Blowing angle β_2	3.607784441402103E-12	3.607784441402158E-12

Comparison of sensitivities at a randomly selected actuation slot

[Nemili, Özkaya, Gauger, Kramer, Höll, Thiele, 2014]

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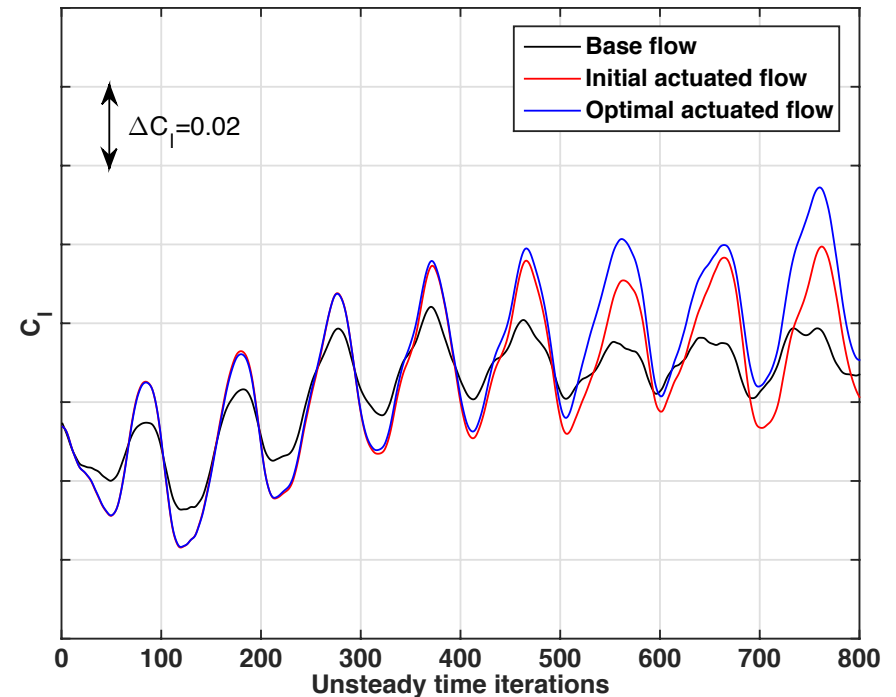
Optimal active flow control on HIREX

Objective
function

$$J = \bar{C}_l = \frac{1}{N - N^*} \sum_{n=N^*+1}^N C_l^n$$

$N = 800$ and $N^* = 250$

- **Optimizer:** Method of steepest ascent
- **Number of cycles** 11
- **Optimal actuation increased the mean lift**
by 90 counts over the base flow
by 60 counts over the initial actuation



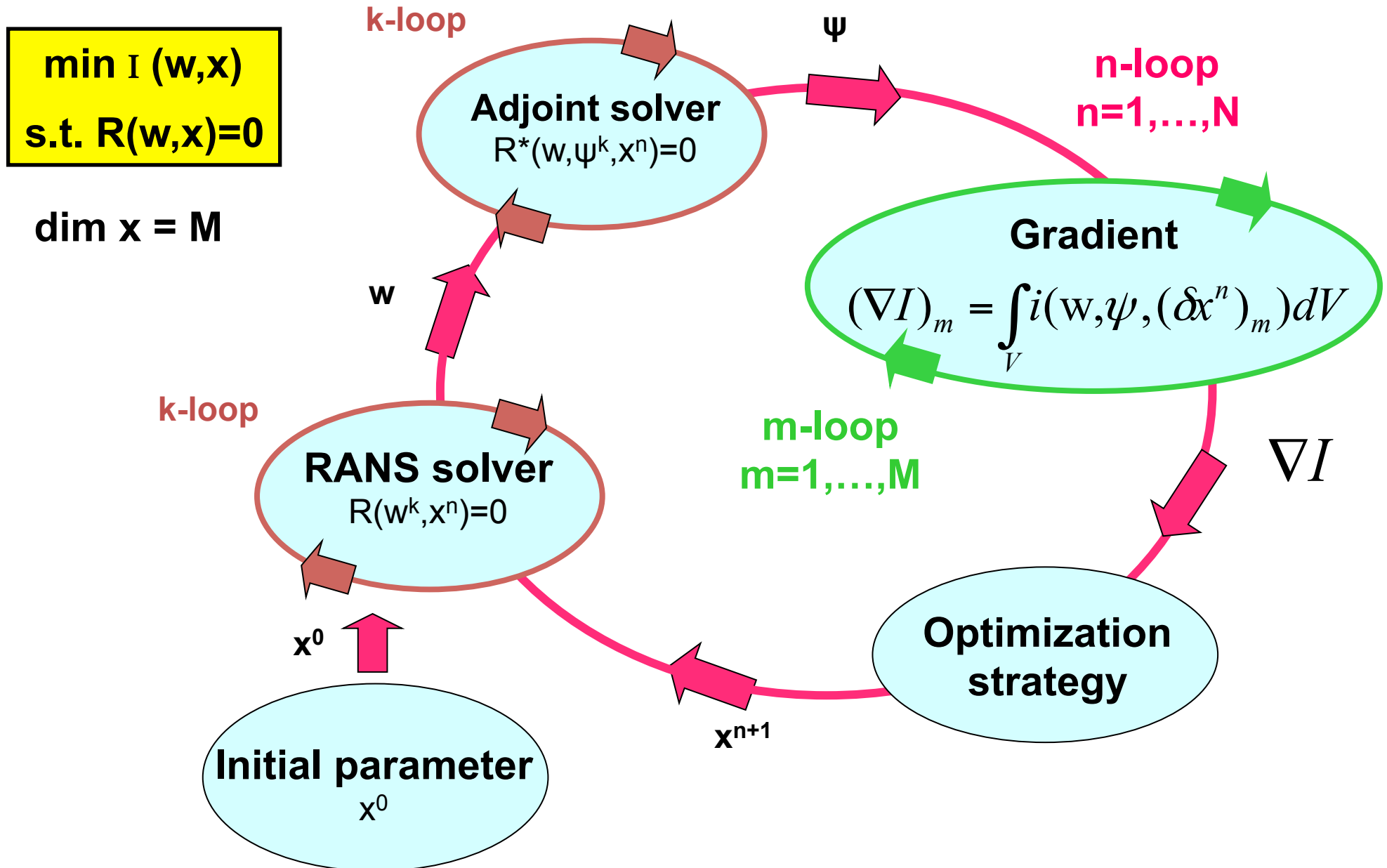
**Comparison of lift for base flow,
Initial and optimal actuated flow**

[Nemili, Özkaya, Gauger, Kramer, Höll, Thiele, 2014]

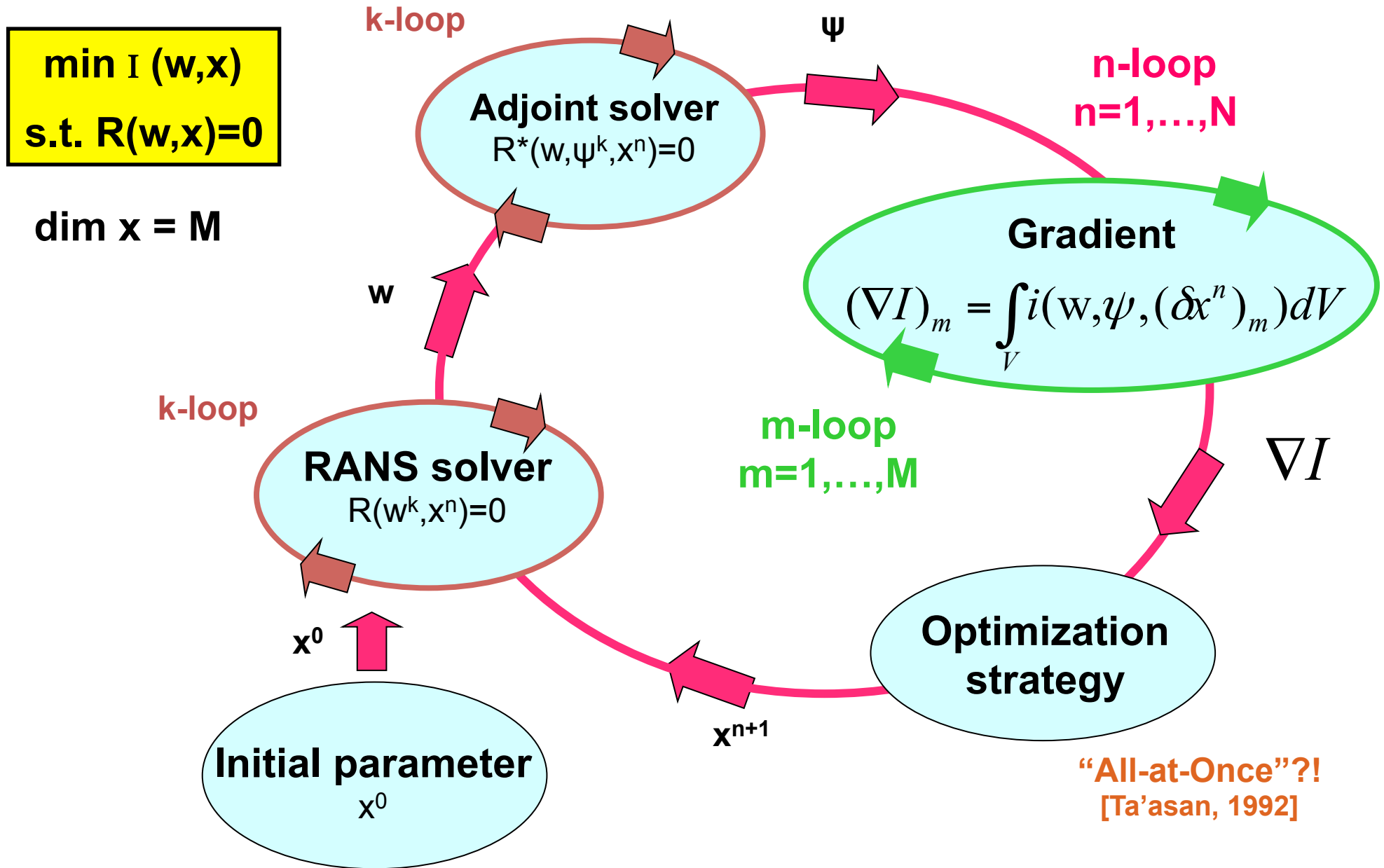
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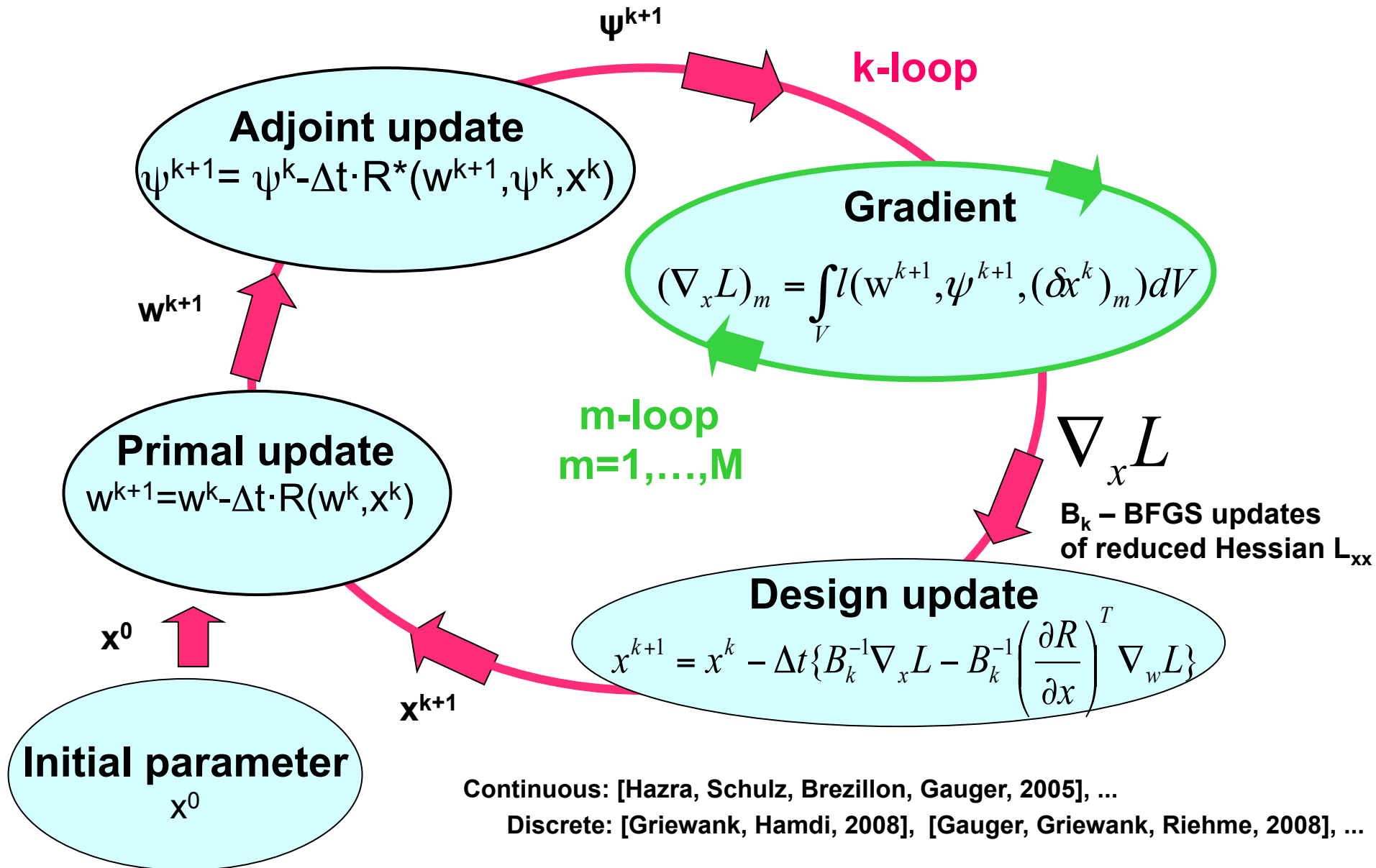
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One-Shot Approach



Problem Setup (Steady PDE)

Goal:
$$\min_{y,u} f(y, u) \quad s.t. \quad c(y, u) = 0$$

- ▶ $y \in Y$ state variables, $u \in U$ design variables
- ▶ PDE is solved by an iterative fixed-point solver G :

$$y_{k+1} = G(y_k, u) \xrightarrow{k \rightarrow \infty} y_* = G(y_*, u)$$

Contractivity: $\left\| \frac{\partial G}{\partial y} \right\| \leq \rho < 1$

- ▶ KKT-system for $L(y, \bar{y}, u) := f(y, u) + (G(y, u) - y)^T \bar{y}$:

$$y = G(y, u)$$

$$\bar{y} = \nabla_y f(y, u) + G_y(y, u)^T \bar{y}$$

$$0 = \nabla_u f(y, u) + G_u(y, u)^T \bar{y}$$

State Equation

Adjoint Equation

Design Equation

Classical Nested vs. One-Shot Optimization Approach

► Classical nested optimization approach

Repeat for $m = 1, \dots$

- Solve for state $y_{k+1} = G(y_k, u_m) \xrightarrow{k \rightarrow \infty} y_*$
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- Update design $u_{m+1} = u_m - B_m^{-1} (\nabla_u f(y_*, u_m) + G_u(y_*, u_m)^T \bar{y}_*)$

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▶ Choice of B ensures convergence of the One-Shot method.

[Gauger, Griewank, Riehme, 2008], [Hamdi, Griewank, 2008], ...

One-Shot Approach

$$\begin{aligned}
 L(y, \bar{y}, u) &= f(y, u) + (G(y, u) - y)^T \bar{y} \\
 &= \underbrace{N(y, \bar{y}, u)}_{\text{shifted Lagrangian}} - y^T \bar{y}
 \end{aligned}$$

Stationary point:

$$\begin{cases}
 L_{\bar{y}} = G(y, u) - y = 0 \\
 L_y = N_y(y, \bar{y}, u)^T - \bar{y} = 0 \\
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 \end{cases}$$

One-step one-shot (step k+1):

$$(OS) \begin{cases}
 y_{k+1} = G(y_k, u_k) & \text{primal update} \\
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Piggy-Back

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[Griewank, Faure 2002]

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Aims: Choose B such that:

- **Convergence of (OS)**
- **Bounded retardation**
i.e. $O(\text{opt}) / O(\text{sim}) < \text{const}$

Jacobian:

$$J_* = \frac{\partial(y_{k+1}, \bar{y}_{k+1}, u_{k+1})}{\partial(y_k, \bar{y}_k, u_k)} \Big|_{(y^*, \bar{y}^*, u^*)} = \begin{pmatrix} G_y & 0 & G_u \\ N_{yy} & G_y^T & N_{yu} \\ -B^{-1}N_{uy} & -B^{-1}G_u^T & I - B^{-1}N_{uu} \end{pmatrix}$$

Doubly Augmented Lagrangian

- Deriving (sufficient) conditions on B for J_* to have a spectral radius smaller than 1 has proven difficult.
- Instead, we look for descent on the **augmented Lagrangian**

$$L^a(y, \bar{y}, u) := \underbrace{\frac{\alpha}{2} \|G(y, u) - y\|^2}_{\text{primal residual}} + \underbrace{\frac{\beta}{2} \|N_y(y, \bar{y}, u)^T - \bar{y}\|^2}_{\text{adjoint residual}} + \underbrace{N - \bar{y}^T y}_{\text{Lagrangian}},$$

where $\alpha > 0$ and $\beta > 0$.

- **Gradient of L^a :**

$$\begin{bmatrix} \nabla_y L^a \\ \nabla_{\bar{y}} L^a \\ \nabla_u L^a \end{bmatrix} = - \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \alpha(I - G_y)^T & -I - \beta N_{yy} & 0 \\ -I & \beta(I - G_y) & 0 \\ -\alpha G_u^T & -\beta N_{yu}^T & B \end{bmatrix}}_{=: M} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} G(y, u) - y \\ N_y(y, \bar{y}, u)^T - \bar{y} \\ -B^{-1} N_u(y, \bar{y}, u)^T \end{bmatrix}}_{=: s} \text{ one-shot increment}$$

Descent Direction for L^a

Theorem (Correspondence condition):

L^a is an exact penalty function, if $\alpha\beta(I - G_y)^T (I - G_y) \succ I + \beta N_{yy}$.

Theorem (Descent condition):

The One-Shot increment vector $s(y, \bar{y}, u) := \begin{bmatrix} G(y, u) - y \\ N_y(y, \bar{y}, u)^T - \bar{y} \\ -B^{-1} N_u(y, \bar{y}, u)^T \end{bmatrix}$

is a descent direction for all large positive B if and only if

$$\alpha\beta(I - \frac{1}{2}(G_y + G_y^T)) \succ (I + \frac{\beta}{2} N_{yy})(I - \frac{1}{2}(G_y + G_y^T))^{-1}(I + \frac{\beta}{2} N_{yy}).$$

➤ Both conditions are implied by $\sqrt{\alpha\beta}(1 - \rho) > 1 + \frac{\beta}{2} \|N_{yy}\|$.

[Hamdi, Griewank, 2008], ...

[Gauger, Griewank, Hamdi, Kratzenstein, Özkaya, Slawig, 2012]

Convergence of One-Shot

- Choose $\beta = \frac{2}{c}$, $\alpha = \frac{2c}{(1-\rho)^2}$ with $c = \|N_{yy}\|$
- Choose B such that

$$B \geq B_0 := \alpha G_u^T G_u + \beta N_{yu}^T N_{yu} + N_{uu}.$$

then s yields descent on L^a .

⇒ Convergence of One-Shot approach.

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In practice: BFGS-updates for the Hessian

$$\nabla_u^2 L^a = \underbrace{\alpha G_u^T G_u + \beta N_{yu}^T N_{yu} + N_{uu}}_B + \alpha \underbrace{(G - y)^T}_{\rightarrow *0} G_{uu} + \beta \underbrace{(N_y^T - \bar{y})^T}_{\rightarrow *0} N_{yuu}.$$

The gradient $\nabla_u L^a = \alpha(G - y)^T G_u + \beta(N_y - \bar{y})^T N_{yu} + N_u$

is evaluated by Algorithmic Differentiation (AD).

[Özkaya, Gauger, 2008]

Efficient One-Shot Approach

ONERA M6, $M=0.83$, $\alpha=3.01^\circ$

Drag reduction by constant lift

DLR TAU Code (Euler)

Initial geometry:

➤ $C_D^{\text{init}} = 106$ drag counts

➤ $C_L^{\text{init}} = 27.6$ lift counts

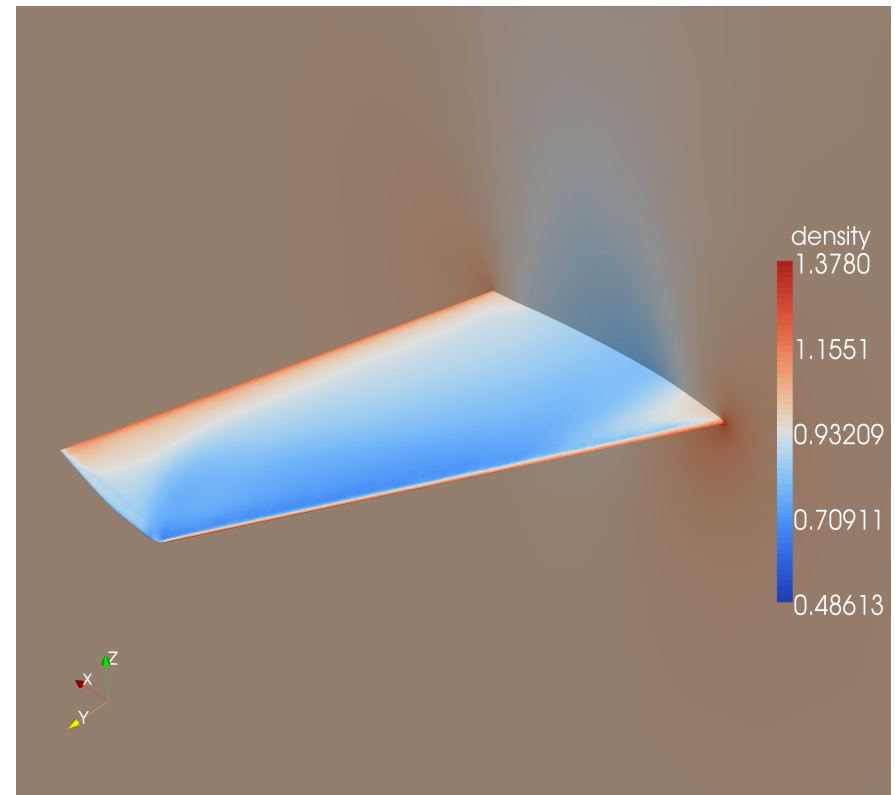
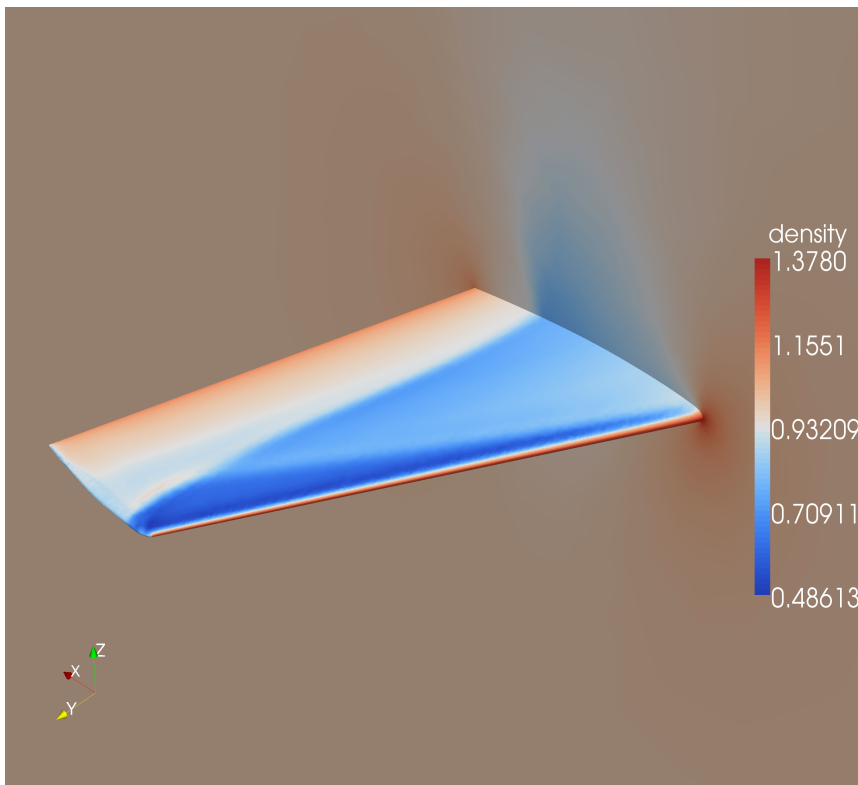
Optimized geometry:

➤ $C_D^{\text{opt}} = 72$ drag counts

➤ $C_L^{\text{opt}} = 26.5$ lift counts

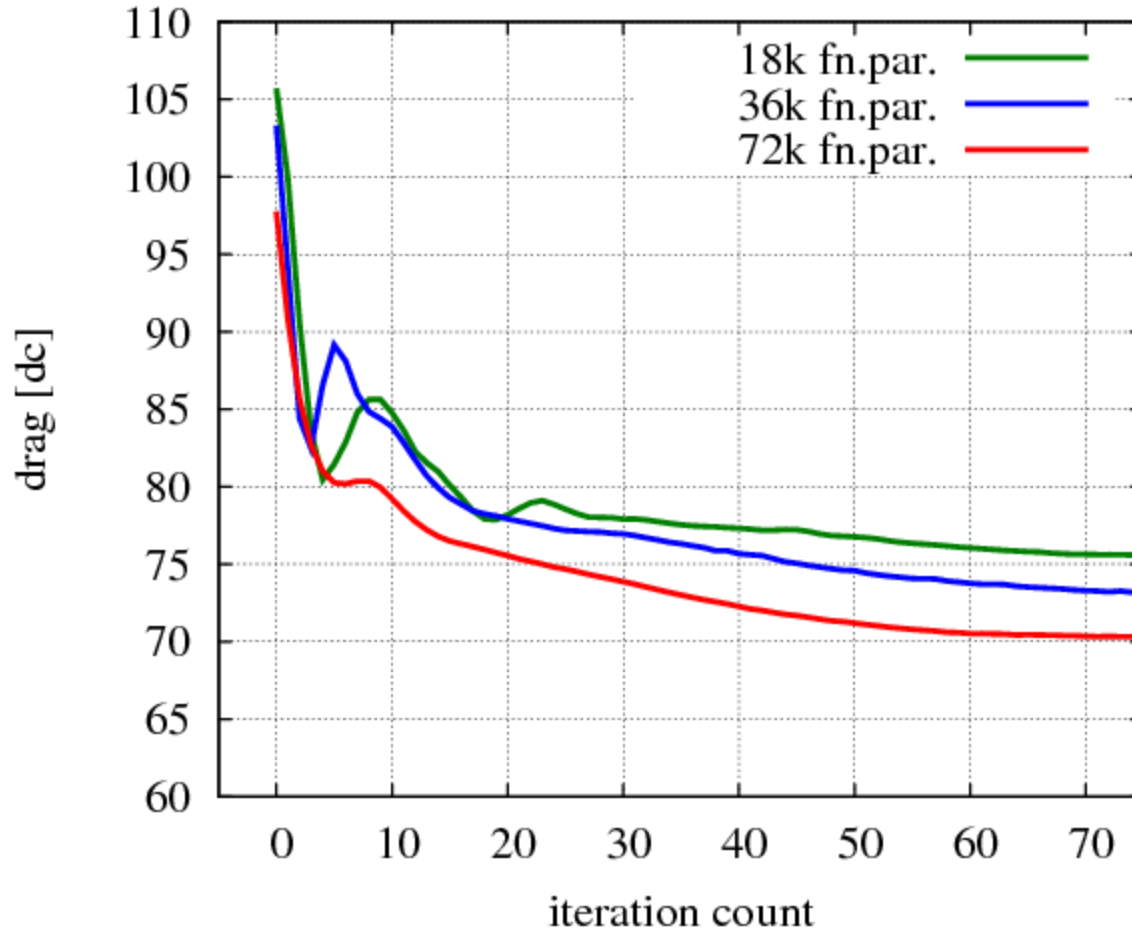
$O(\text{opt}) / O(\text{sim}) = 5$ (wall clock time)
= 2 (# iterations)

32% drag reduction



Scaling with Number of Parameters

Transonic drag reduction 3D

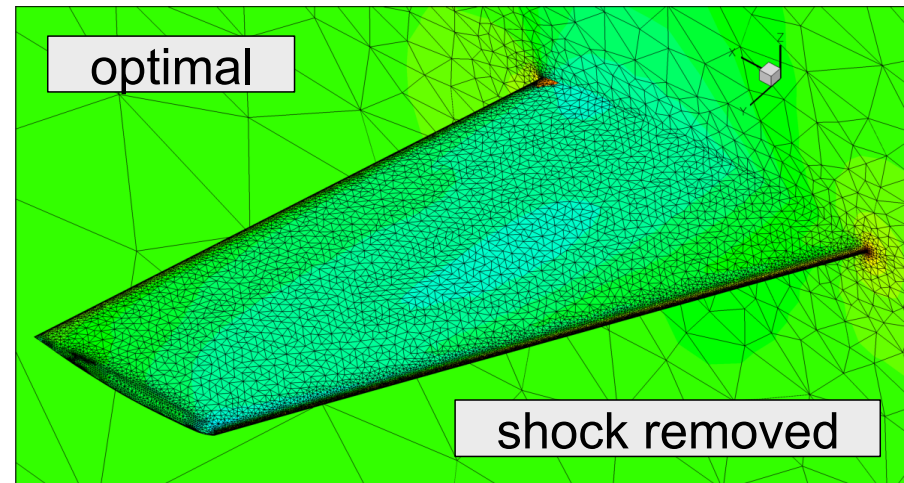


optimization to simulation time ~5

Approach:

- Shape Derivatives
- Gradient Smoothing
- Preconditioning
- One Shot

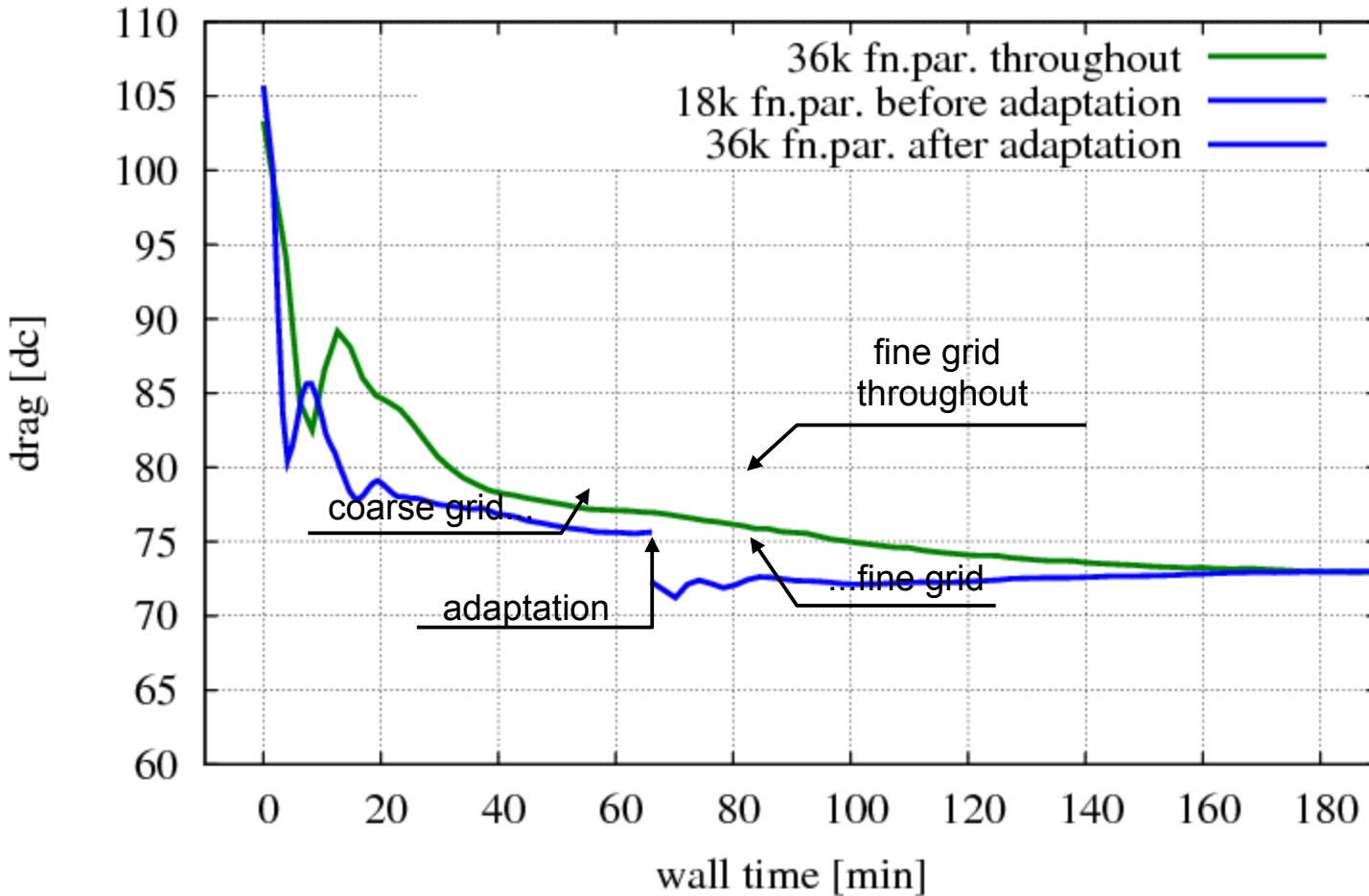
optimal drag = induced drag (planform) + spurious drag (numerics)



[Ilic, Gauger, Schmidt, Schulz, 2009]

Multilevel Descent

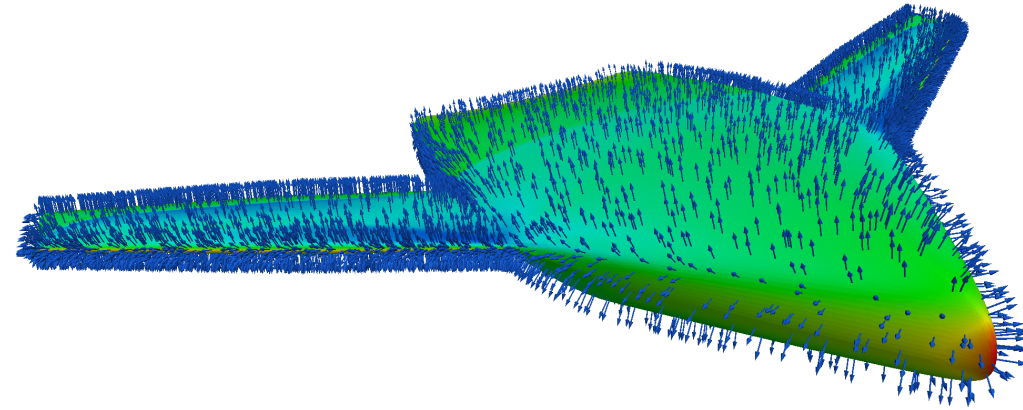
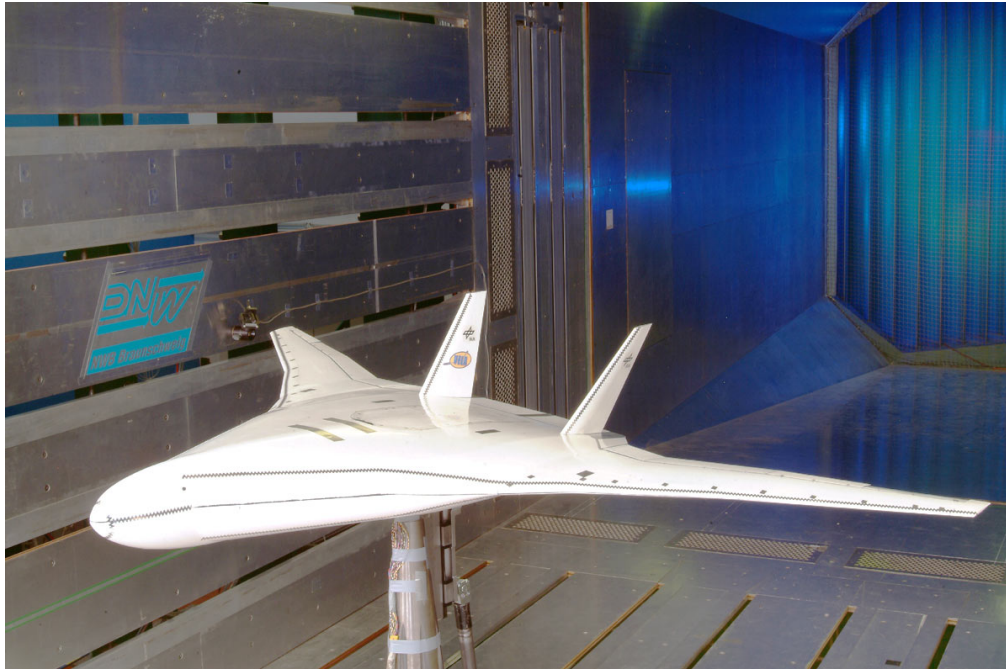
- 2-level: coarse grid **18k** design parameters, fine **36k**
 Transonic drag reduction, 3D multilevel



- 2-level iteration brings factor **~2** in optimization time

[Illic, Gauger, Schmidt, Schulz, 2009]

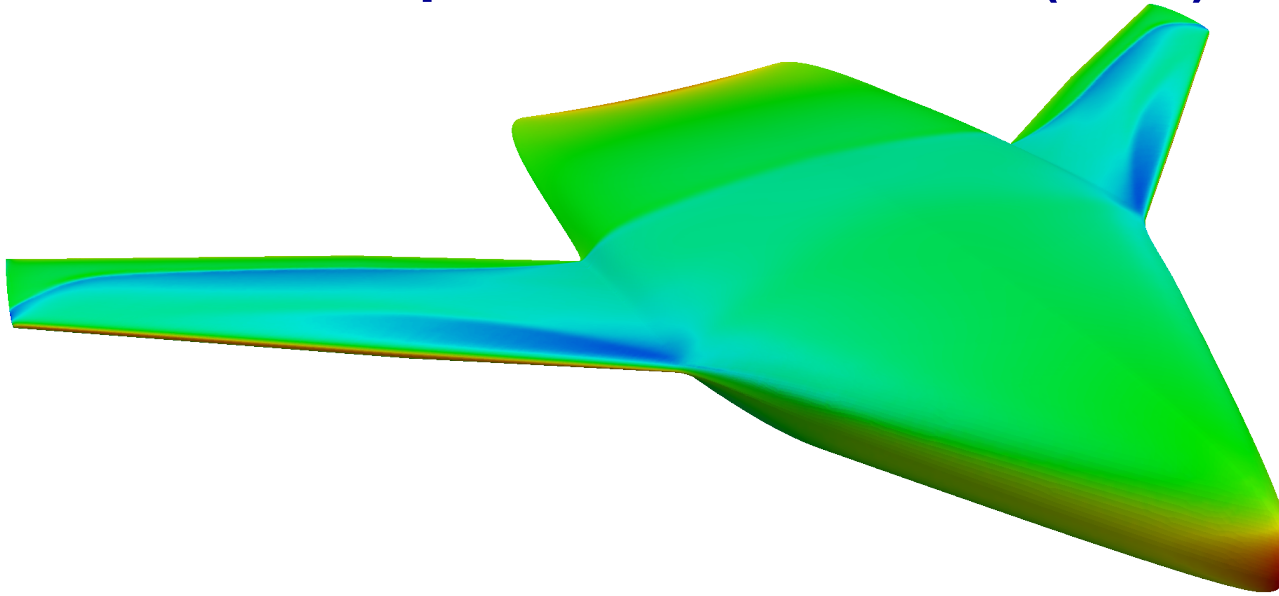
One-Shot Optimization of VELA (DLR)



Design study for blended wing-body configurations

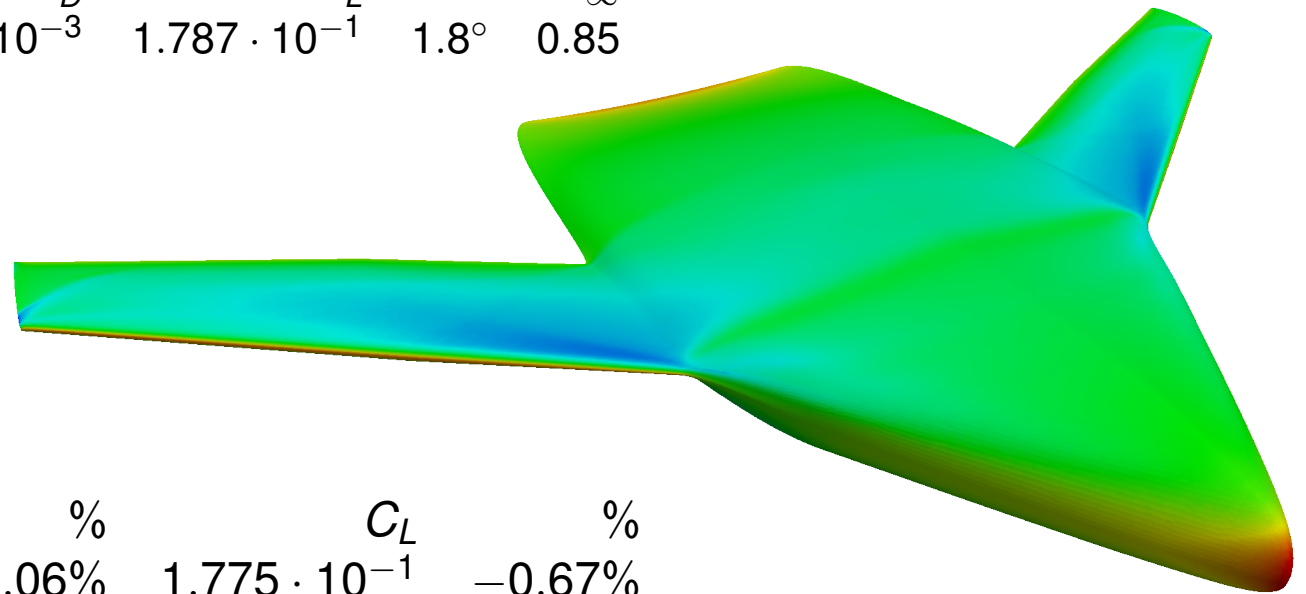
- 115,673 surface node positions to be optimised
- Planform constant

One-Shot Optimization of VELA (DLR)



[Schmidt, Schulz, Ilic, Gauger, 2011]

Shape	State	C_D	C_L	α	M_∞
115,673	29,297,175	$4.770 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$1.787 \cdot 10^{-1}$	1.8°	0.85



Shape	C_D	%	C_L	%
115,673	$3.342 \cdot 10^{-3}$	-30.06%	$1.775 \cdot 10^{-1}$	-0.67%

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Problem Setup (Unsteady PDE)

Goal: $\min_{y,u} \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T f(y(t), u) dt$ subject to

$$\frac{\partial y(t)}{\partial t} + c(y(t), u) = 0 \quad \forall t \in [0, T]$$

$$y(0) = y_*^0$$

- ▶ Use existing, well-established simulation tools.
- ▶ Implicit time marching scheme:

$$\frac{y(t_i) - y(t_{i-1})}{t_i - t_{i-1}} + c(y(t_i), u) = 0$$

for each discrete time step $0 = t_0 < \dots < t_N = T$.

Solving the Unsteady PDE

Given: Fixed point iterator G to solve the residuum equations at each time step:

for $t_1 < \dots < t_N$:

$$\text{iterate } y_{k+1}(t_i) = G(y_k(t_i), y_*(t_{i-1}), u) \xrightarrow{k \rightarrow \infty} y_*(t_i)$$

► Contractivity: $\left\| \frac{\partial G(y(t_i), y(t_{i-1}), u)}{\partial y(t_i)} \right\| \leq \rho < 1$

How to incorporate design updates for One-Shot?

Prepare for One-Shot

Modification of time marching scheme:

iterate $k = 0, 1, \dots$:

$$\text{for } t_1 < \dots < t_N : y_{k+1}(t_i) = G(y_k(t_i), y_{k+1}(t_{i-1}), u) \quad (*)$$

- ▶ Update a complete trajectory within one iteration.
- ▶ Consider $y = (y(t_1), \dots, y(t_N)) = (y^1, \dots, y^N) \in (\mathbb{R}^m)^N$ then

iterate $k = 0, 1, \dots$:

$$y_{k+1} = H(y_k, u)$$

where H performs $(*)$.

Contractivity of H

- ▶ The Jacobian $\frac{\partial H(y, u)}{\partial y}$ is block-triangular:

$$\frac{\partial H(y, u)}{\partial y} = \begin{pmatrix} \partial_{y^1} G(y^1, y^0, u) & 0 & 0 \\ * & \ddots & 0 \\ * & * & \partial_{y^N} G(y^N, y^{N-1}, u) \end{pmatrix}$$

- ▶ Its spectral radius is bounded:

$$\text{spr} \left(\frac{\partial H(y, u)}{\partial y} \right) = \max_{i \in \{1, \dots, N\}} \text{spr} \left(\partial_{y^i} G(y^i, y^{i-1}, u) \right) \leq \rho < 1$$

$\implies H$ is **contractive**.

[Günther, Gauger, 2013]

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Discrete Unsteady Optimization Problem

Goal:
$$\min_{y,u} \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N f(y^i, u) \quad \text{s.t.} \quad y = H(y, u)$$

- ▶ $y \in (\mathbb{R}^m)^N$ state variable, $u \in \mathbb{R}^n$ design variable
- ▶ Fixed point iterator H to solve the unsteady PDE

$$y_{k+1} = H(y_k, u) \xrightarrow{k \rightarrow \infty} y_* = H(y_*, u)$$

- ▶ Contractivity: $\left\| \frac{\partial H}{\partial y} \right\| \leq \rho < 1$

⇒ Same structure as in steady case.

⇒ **One-Shot method can be applied.**

[Günther, Gauger, 2013]

Unsteady One-Shot Iterations

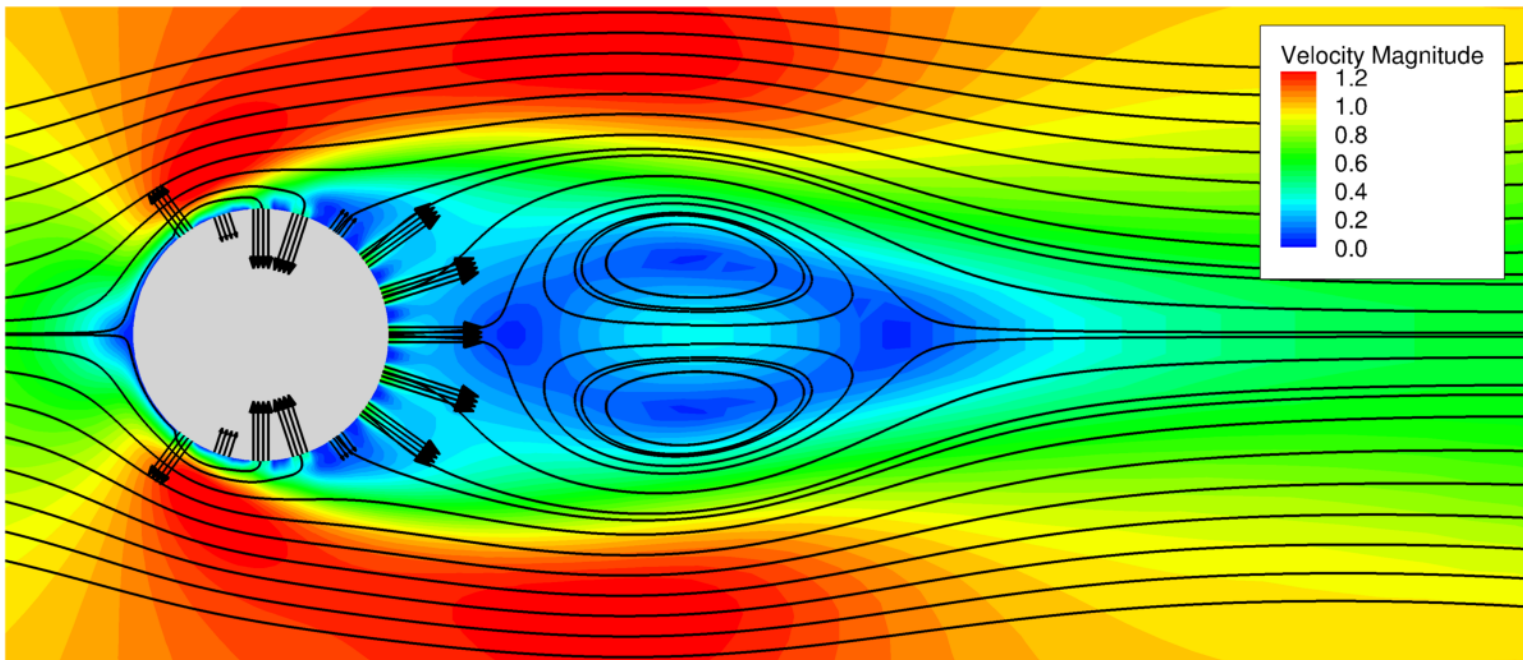
- ▶ Lagrangian function $L(y, \bar{y}, u) = J(y, u) + (H(y, u) - y)^T \bar{y}$
- ▶ Iterate simultaneously

$$\begin{bmatrix} y_{k+1} \\ \bar{y}_{k+1} \\ u_{k+1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} H(y_k, u_k) \\ \nabla_y J(y_k, u_k) + H_y(y_k, u_k)^T \bar{y}_k \\ u_k - B_k^{-1} (\nabla_u J(y_k, u_k) + H_u(y_k, u_k)^T \bar{y}_k) \end{bmatrix}$$

- ▶ y_{k+1} contains loop over all time steps forward in time
- ▶ \bar{y}_{k+1} contains loop over all time steps backwards in time

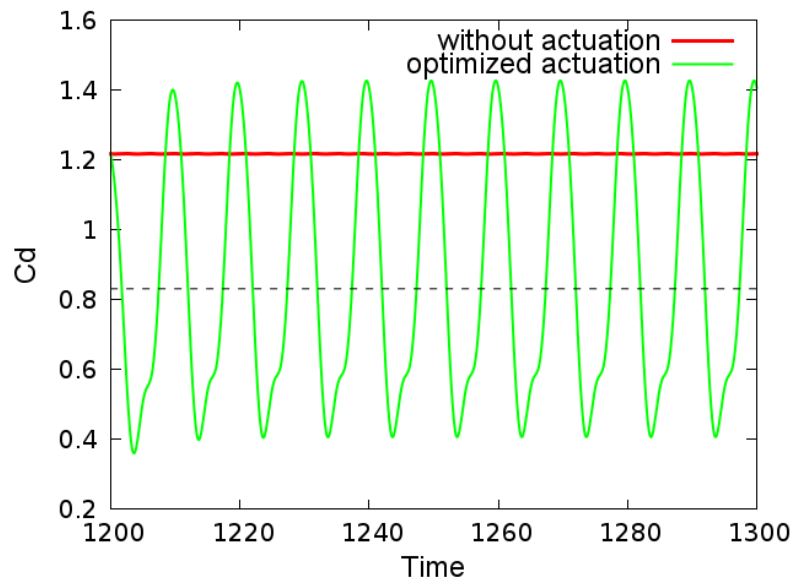
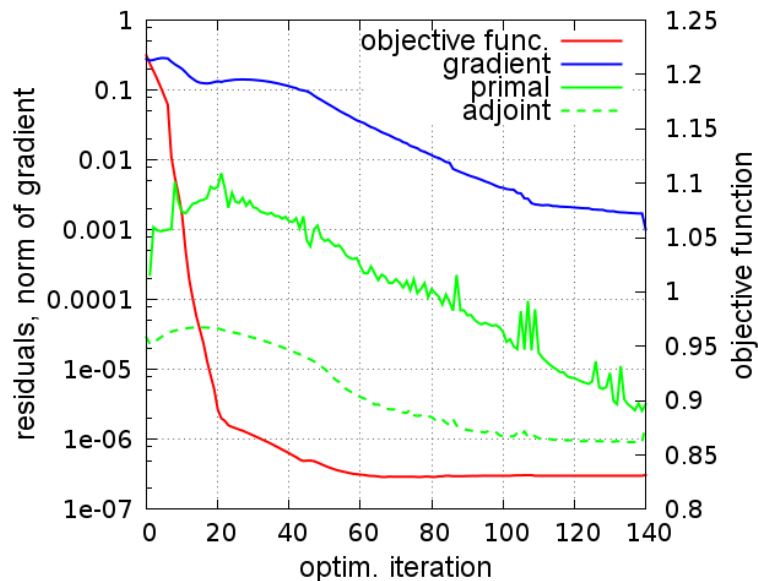
Optimal Active Flow Control

- ▶ Flow around cylinder at $Re=100$ governed by incompressible unsteady Reynolds-averaged Navier-Stokes equations (URANS)
- ▶ 15 actuation slots for pulsed blowing/suction
- ▶ Design parameters: Amplitude at each slot
- ▶ Objective function: Average drag coefficient



Unsteady One-Shot Optimization for Cylinder Flow

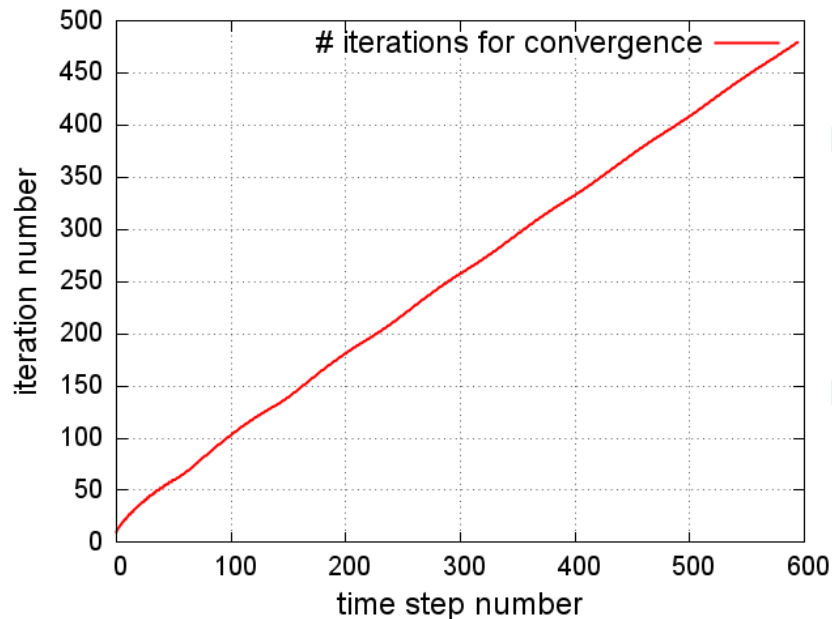
- ▶ Flow Solver ELAN (developed at ISTA, TU Berlin)
- ▶ Implicit 2nd order in space and time
- ▶ Pressure correction loops in each time step (SIMPLE algorithm)
- ▶ Modification for One-Shot framework
- ▶ Automatic Differentiation for generation of adjoint solver



[Günther, Gauger, Wang, 2015]

Efficiency of Unsteady One-Shot Approach?

- ▶ Bounded retardation for One-Shot applications
- ▶ Performance of modified time-marching scheme:



- ▶ Number of outer iteration cycles for primal convergence depends linearly on N .
- ▶ Each iteration cycle contains a loop over entire time domain.

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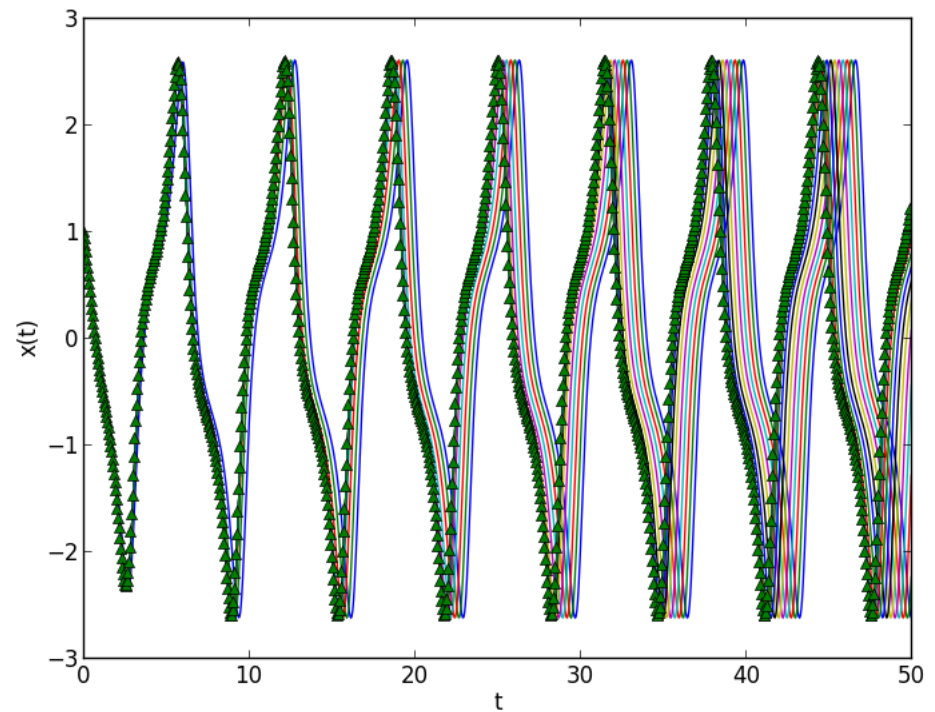
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Model Problem: Van der Pol Oscillator

$$\begin{pmatrix} \dot{x}(t) \\ \dot{v}(t) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} v(t) \\ -x(t) + u(1 - x(t)^2)v(t) \end{pmatrix} \quad \forall t \in [0, T]$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x(0) \\ v(0) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_0 \\ v_0 \end{pmatrix}$$

- ▶ Autonomous ODE system
- ▶ Backward Euler discretization
- ▶ Quasi-Newton fixed point solver
- ▶ Modification for One-Shot framework



- ▶ **Numerical time dilation is the main error source.**

Adaptive Time Scaling

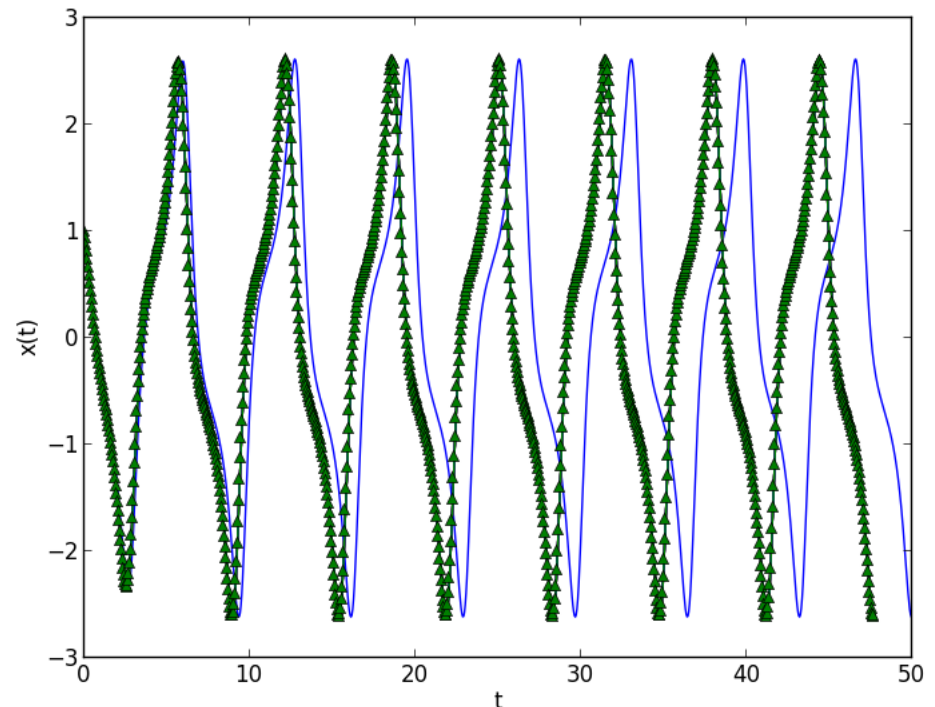
- ▶ Assign $\tilde{y}(t_i) := y(\tilde{t}_i)$ where \tilde{t}_i minimizes the residuum equation

$$\min_{\tilde{t}_i} \left\| \frac{y(t_i) - y(t_{i-1})}{\tilde{t}_i - t_{i-1}} + c(y(t_i), u) \right\|_2^2$$

- ▶ For autonomous ODEs:

$$\tilde{t}_i = t_{i-1} - \frac{\langle y(t_i) - y(t_{i-1}), c(y(t_i), u) \rangle}{\|c(y(t_i), u)\|_2^2}$$

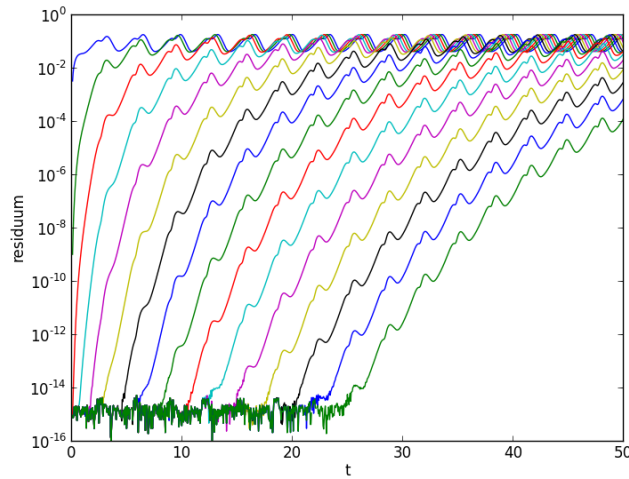
- ▶ **New trajectories are in phase with the unsteady solution.**



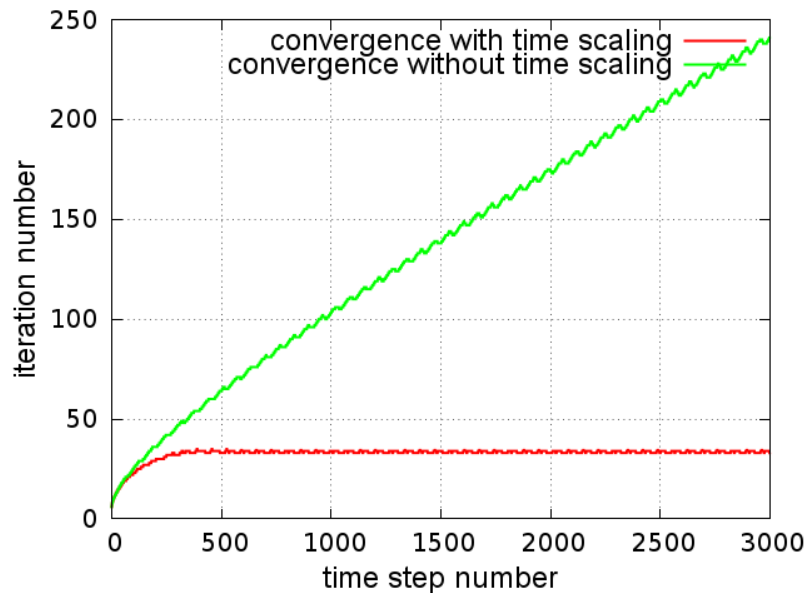
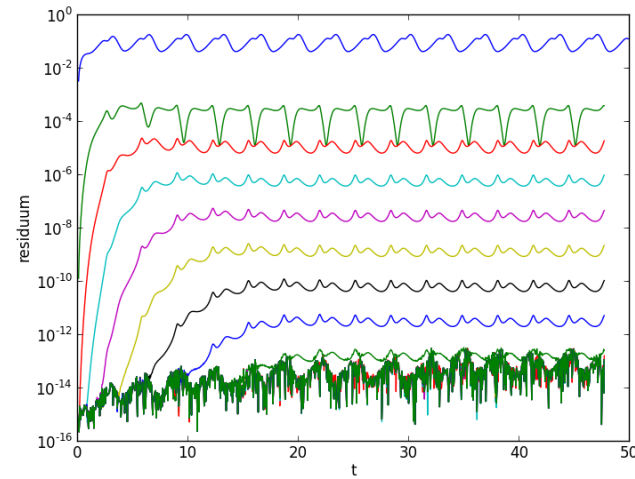
[Günther, Gauger, Wang, 2015]

Adaptive Time Scaling

Residuals without time scaling



Residuals with time scaling



- Independence of number of time steps

[Günther, Gauger, Wang, 2015]

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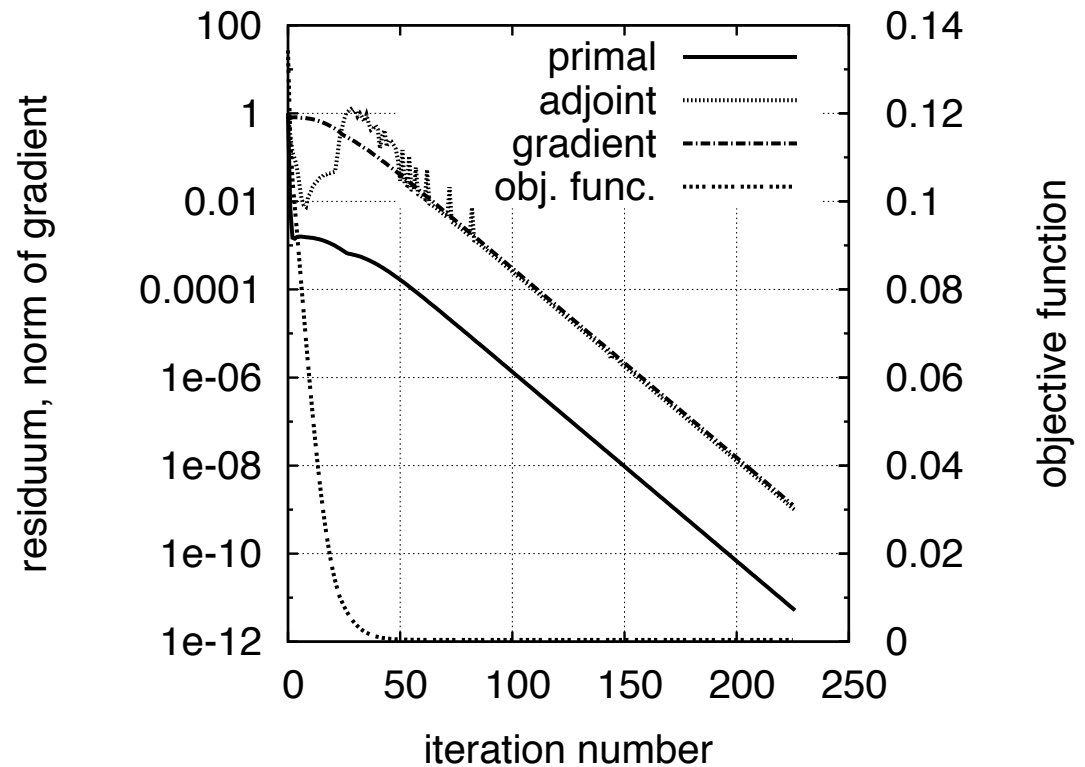
One-Shot Optimization

$$\min_{\mu, y} \int_0^T \|y - y_{ref}\|^2 + \gamma \|\mu\|^2 dt \quad \text{s.t.}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \dot{x}(t) \\ \dot{v}(t) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} v(t) \\ -x(t) + \mu (1 - x(t)^2) v(t) \end{pmatrix} \quad \forall t \in [0, T]$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x(0) \\ v(0) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_0 \\ v_0 \end{pmatrix}$$

- ▶ BFGS-updates for the preconditioner
- ▶ Retardation factor = 7



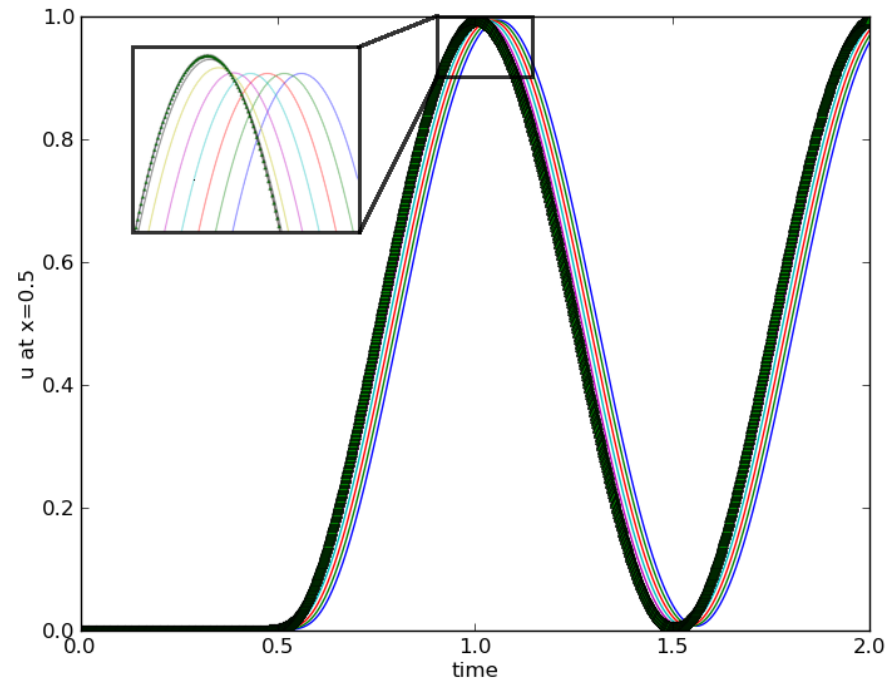
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Advection-Diffusion Equation

$$\begin{aligned}
 \dot{y}(t, x) + ay_x(t, x) - \mu y_{xx}(t, x) &= 0 & \forall x \in (0, 1), t > 0 \\
 y(t, 0) &= u \cdot (\sin(2\pi t) + 1) & \forall t > 0 \\
 y(0, x) &= 0 & \forall x \in [0, 1]
 \end{aligned}$$

with $a = 1.0$ and $\mu = 10^{-5}$.

- ▶ Non-autonomous ODE
- ▶ Backward Euler discretization
- ▶ Quasi-Newton fixed point solver
- ▶ Modification for One-Shot framework



- ▶ Numerical time dilation plus error in amplitude

Transformation into Autonomous System

- ▶ Transform non-autonomous PDE into a system of autonomous PDEs
- ▶ State $w(t) = (y(t), s(t))$ satisfying

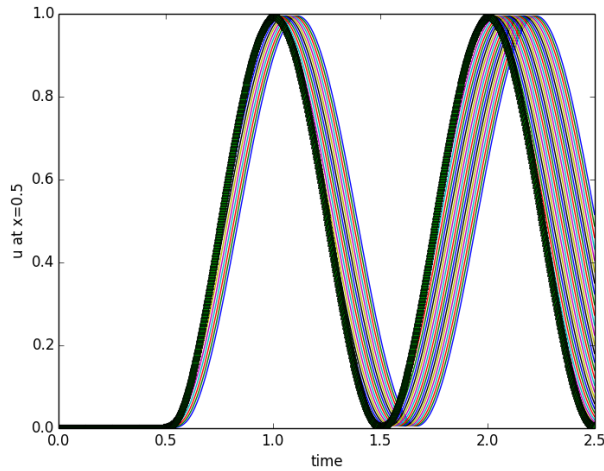
$$\begin{aligned}
 \dot{y}(t, x) + ay_x(t, x) - \mu y_{xx}(t, x) &= 0 & \forall x \in (0, 1), t > 0 \\
 y(t, 0) - u \cdot (\sin(2\pi s(t)) + 1) &= 0 & \forall t > 0 \\
 y(0, x) &= 0 & \forall x \in [0, 1] \\
 \dot{s}(t) &= 1 & \forall t > 0 \\
 s(0) &= 0
 \end{aligned}$$

- ▶ Adaptive time scaling

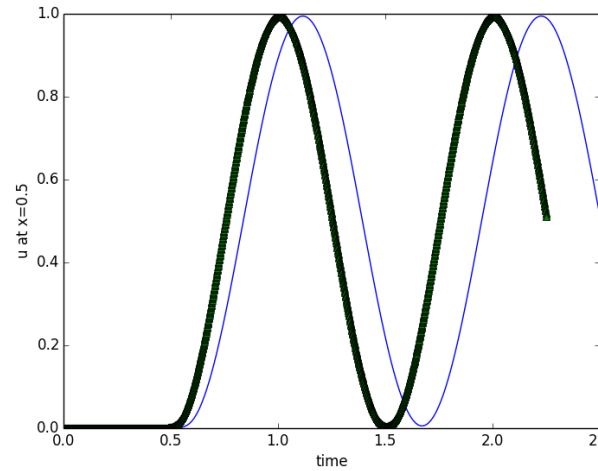
$$\tilde{t}_i = t_{i-1} - \frac{\langle w(t_i) - w(t_{i-1}), c(w(t_i), u) \rangle}{\|c(w(t_i), u)\|_2^2}$$

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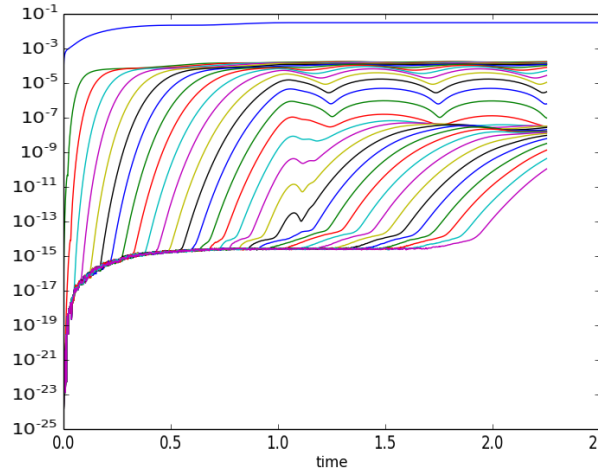
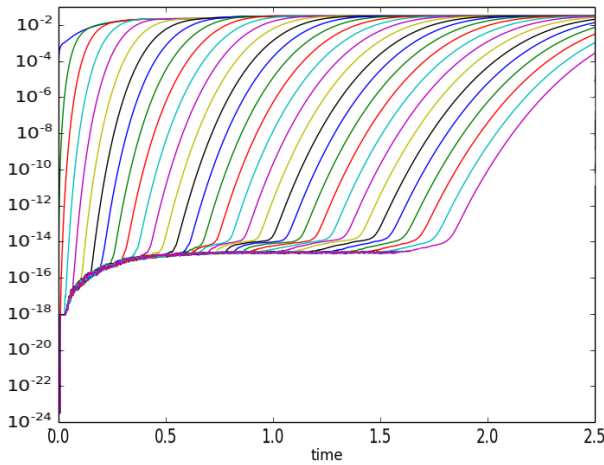
without time scaling



with time scaling



▶ Numerical time dilation eliminated



▶ Residual improvement by 5 orders of magnitude

[Günther, Gauger, Wang, in prep.]

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