

# Adaptive Approximations for PDE-Constrained Parabolic Control Problems

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## Optimization Problems: First Order Necessary Conditions

Constrained minimization problem

$$\begin{array}{lll} \inf_{(y,u) \in Y \times U} & J(y, u) & J : Y \times U \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad Y, U \text{ reflexive Banach spaces} \\ \text{subject to} & K(y, u) = 0 & K : Y \times U \rightarrow Y' \end{array}$$

Assumption: for given **control**  $u \in U$ , there exists a unique **state**  $y \in Y$

Solution approach: compute zeroes of first order Fréchet derivatives of **Lagrangian functional**

$$L(y, u, p) := J(y, u) + \langle K(y, u), p \rangle_{Y' \times Y} \quad L : Y \times U \times Y \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad \text{costate/adjoint } p$$

$$\leadsto \quad \delta L(y, u, p) := \begin{pmatrix} L_y(y, u, p) \\ L_u(y, u, p) \\ L_p(z, u, p) \end{pmatrix} = 0 \quad \iff \quad \begin{pmatrix} J_y(y, u) + \langle K_y(y, u), p \rangle_{Y' \times Y} \\ J_u(y, u) + \langle K_u(y, u), p \rangle_{Y' \times Y} \\ K(y, u) \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

Special case:  $J$  **quadratic** in  $y, u$ ,  $K$  **linear** in  $y, u$

$\leadsto$  linear system (Karush-Kuhn-Tucker (KKT) system)

$$\begin{pmatrix} L_{yy} & L_{yu} & K_y^* \\ L_{uy} & L_{uu} & K_u^* \\ K_y & K_u & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} y \\ u \\ p \end{pmatrix} = g \quad \iff \quad \begin{pmatrix} \mathcal{A} & \mathcal{B}^* \\ \mathcal{B} & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} (y, u)^T \\ p \end{pmatrix} = g \quad \iff \quad Gq = g$$

$$\langle C^* q, r \rangle := \langle q, Cr \rangle$$

and **necessary** conditions are also **sufficient**

## Optimal Control Problem Constrained by a Parabolic PDE with Distributed Control

Given  $y_*(t)$   $f$   $\omega > 0$  end time  $T > 0$  initial condition  $y_0$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{minimize} \quad J(y, u) &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^T \|y(t, \cdot) - y_*(t, \cdot)\|_Z^2 dt + \frac{\omega}{2} \int_0^T \|u(t, \cdot)\|_U^2 dt \\ \text{subject to} \quad y'(t) + A(t)y(t) &= f(t) + u(t) \quad \text{a.e. } t \in (0, T) =: I \quad (\text{PDE}) \\ y(0) &= y_0 \end{aligned}$$

$$y' := \frac{\partial}{\partial t} y \quad y = y(t, x) \text{ state} \quad u = u(t, x) \text{ control}$$

$$V = H_0^1(\Omega) \text{ state space} \quad Z = H_0^1(\Omega) \text{ observation space} \quad U = H^{-1}(\Omega) \text{ control space}$$

$$A(t) : V \rightarrow V' \quad \langle A(t)v(t, \cdot), w(t, \cdot) \rangle := \int_{\Omega} [\nabla v(t, x) \cdot \nabla w(t, x) + v(t, x)w(t, x)] dx \quad \Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^d$$

$A(t)$  2nd order linear selfadjoint coercive & continuous operator on  $V$

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PDE-constrained control problem  $\rightsquigarrow$  requires **repeated** solution of PDE constraint

$$y'(t) + A(t)y(t) = f(t) + u(t)$$

$$y(0) = y_0$$

## Necessary and Sufficient Conditions for Optimality

Optimal control problem constrained by a parabolic PDE

↪ system of parabolic PDEs coupled globally in time

$$\begin{aligned}y'(t) + A(t)y(t) &= f(t) + u(t) && \text{a.e. } t \in I \\y(0) &= y_0 \\-p'(t) + A(t)^T p(t) &= -R(y(t) - y_*(t)) && \text{a.e. } t \in I \\p(T) &= 0 \\ \omega R^{-1} u(t) + p(t) &= 0 && \text{a.e. } t \in I\end{aligned}$$

Riesz operator  $R$  defined by  $\langle Rv, v \rangle := \|v\|_{L_2(I) \otimes V}^2$

Obstructions for numerical solution:

- conventional time discretizations: **time-marching methods**  
↪ need **storage** of  $y(t_i), p(t_i), u(t_i)$  for all discrete times  $0 = t_0, \dots, T = t_N$
- in each time step: solve **elliptic PDE** ↪ large linear system of equations  
↪ iterative solver ↪ need **preconditioning** in (conjugate) gradient method
- singularities in data/domain: adaptive (FE) mesh(es) for  $y(t_i), p(t_i), u(t_i)$  for all  $t_i$   
one mesh for all variables? refinement/coarsening?  
convergence? complexity??
- adaptive space-time discretizations for control problems: one grid [Oeltz '06], [Meidner, Vexler '07], ...

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Solution Ansatz here: full weak **space-time form** of parabolic PDE constraint

## Variational Space-Time Form for a Single Parabolic Evolution PDE

[Dautray, Lions '92], [Schwab, Stevenson '09]

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(PDE)} \quad y'(t) + A(t)y(t) &= f(t) && \text{a.e. } t \in I \\ y(0) &= y_0 \end{aligned}$$

**solution space:** Lebesgue-Bochner space  $X := (L_2(I) \otimes V) \cap (H^1(I) \otimes V') \hookrightarrow C^0(\bar{I}) \otimes L_2(\Omega)$   
with norm  $\|w\|_X^2 := \|w\|_{L_2(I) \otimes V}^2 + \|w'\|_{H^1(I) \otimes V'}^2$

**test space:**  $Y := (L_2(I) \otimes V) \times L_2(\Omega)$  with norm  $\|v\|_Y^2 := \|v_1\|_{L_2(I) \otimes V}^2 + \|v_2\|_{L_2(\Omega)}^2$

**bilinear form**  $b(\cdot, \cdot) : X \times Y \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$$b(y, (v_1, v_2)) := \int_I [\langle y'(t, \cdot), v_1(t, \cdot) \rangle + \langle A(t)y(t, \cdot), v_1(t, \cdot) \rangle] dt + \langle y(0, \cdot), v_2 \rangle =: \langle By, v \rangle$$

**right hand side**

$$\langle f, v \rangle := \int_I \langle f(t, \cdot), v_1(t, \cdot) \rangle dt + \langle y_0, v_2 \rangle$$

(PDE)  $\rightsquigarrow$  given  $f \in Y'$ , find  $y \in X$ :  $By = f$

**Theorem**  $\|Bw\|_{Y'} \sim \|w\|_X$  for all  $w \in X$  **mapping property (MP)**

## Reformulation of PDE-Constrained Optimal Control Problem

$$\text{minimize } J(y, u) = \frac{1}{2} \|y - y_*\|_{L_2(I) \otimes V}^2 + \frac{\omega}{2} \|u\|_{L_2(I) \otimes V'}^2$$

$$\text{subject to } By = f + u \quad (\text{PDE}) \quad B : X \rightarrow Y' \quad \text{satisfies (MP)}$$

### Necessary and Sufficient Conditions

$$L(y, u, p) := J(y, u) + \langle p, By - (f + u) \rangle$$

$$\delta L = 0 \rightsquigarrow$$

$$\begin{aligned} By &= f + u \\ B^* p &= R(y_* - y) \\ \omega R^{-1} u &= p \end{aligned}$$

$\Leftrightarrow$

$$\begin{pmatrix} R & B^* \\ B & -\frac{1}{\omega} R \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} y \\ p \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} Ry_* \\ f \end{pmatrix} \quad (\text{SPP})$$

$$\rightsquigarrow \text{ saddle point operator } \langle Gq, \tilde{q} \rangle := \left\langle \begin{pmatrix} R & B^* \\ B & -\frac{1}{\omega} R \end{pmatrix} q, \tilde{q} \right\rangle$$

symmetric, continuous, boundedly invertible on  $X \times X$

$$\Rightarrow \text{ unique solution } \begin{pmatrix} y \\ p \end{pmatrix} \text{ of system of PDEs (SPP)}$$

Next: discretization in [space and time variables](#) by [adaptive wavelet schemes](#)

## Building Blocks: (Biorthogonal Spline-) Wavelets

$H$  Hilbert space on domain  $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^d$  with  $\|\cdot\|_H$

$H'$  dual space for  $H$  with  $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$

$\Psi := \{\psi_\lambda : \lambda \in \mathbb{I}\} \subset H$  **Wavelets**

$\mathbb{I}$  (infinite) index set

(NE)  $\Psi$  Riesz basis for  $H$

$$v \in H: v = \mathbf{v}^T \Psi := \sum_{\lambda \in \mathbb{I}} \langle v, \tilde{\psi}_\lambda \rangle \psi_\lambda \quad \text{such that} \quad \|v\|_H \sim \|v\|_{\ell_2(\mathbb{I})}$$

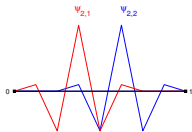
(L) **Locality**

$$\text{diam}(\text{supp } \psi_\lambda) \sim 2^{-|\lambda|}$$

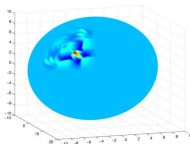
$|\lambda|$  resolution

$\psi_\lambda$  centered around  $2^{-|\lambda|}k$

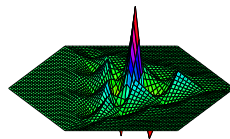
(CP) **Vanishing moments**  $\langle v, \psi_\lambda \rangle \lesssim 2^{-|\lambda|(\frac{d}{2} + \tilde{m})} \|v^{(\tilde{m})}\|_{L_\infty(\text{supp } \psi_\lambda)}$  for some  $\tilde{m}$



[Dahmen, Kunoth, Urban '99]



[Dahmen, Schneider '99], [Kunoth, Sahner '06]



[Harbrecht, Schneider '00]

## Paradigm of Adaptive Wavelet Method for One Stationary PDE

[Cohen, Dahmen, DeVore '99–'01]

- (i) Well-posed variational problem: given  $f \in Y'$ ,  $B : X \rightarrow Y'$ , find  $v \in X$  such that

$$Bv = f$$

$$(MP) \quad \|Bw\|_{Y'} \sim \|w\|_X \quad \text{for all } w \in X \quad \text{mapping property}$$

- (ii)  $\psi^X, \psi^Y$  wavelet bases for  $X, Y$  :

$$(NE) \quad \|\mathbf{w}^T \psi^X\|_X \sim \|\mathbf{w}\|_{\ell_2} \quad \text{for all } \mathbf{w} = (w_\lambda)_{\lambda \in \mathbb{I}} \in \ell_2$$

$$\mathbf{Bv} := (\langle \psi_\lambda^Y, Bv \rangle)_{\lambda \in \mathbb{I}} \quad \mathbf{f} = (\langle \psi_\lambda^Y, f \rangle)_{\lambda \in \mathbb{I}}$$

**Theorem**  $Bv = f \iff \mathbf{Bv} = \mathbf{f} \quad \mathbf{B} : \ell_2 \rightarrow \ell_2 \text{ and } \mathbf{Bv} = \mathbf{f} \text{ well-posed in } \ell_2$

$\leadsto$

$$(MP) + (NE) \implies \|\mathbf{Bw}\|_{\ell_2} \sim \|\mathbf{w}\|_{\ell_2} \quad \text{for all } \mathbf{w} \in \ell_2$$

- (iii) (Idealized) iteration (for symmetric  $\mathbf{B}$ )

$$\mathbf{v}^{n+1} = \mathbf{v}^n + (\mathbf{f} - \mathbf{Bv}^n) \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \dots \quad \|\mathbf{v}^{n+1} - \mathbf{v}\|_{\ell_2} \leq \rho \|\mathbf{v}^n - \mathbf{v}\|_{\ell_2} \quad \rho < 1$$

- (iv) Approximate realization through **adaptive evaluation** of  $\mathbf{Bv}^n$  in routine **SOLVE**  $[\varepsilon, \mathbf{B}, \mathbf{f}] \rightarrow \mathbf{v}_\varepsilon$



## Extension to a Single Parabolic Evolution PDE

[Schwab, Stevenson '09]

(i) Variational space-time form of (PDE) 
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**solution space:** Lebesgue-Bochner space  $X := (L_2(I) \otimes V) \cap (H^1(I) \otimes V')$   
with norm  $\|w\|_X^2 := \|w\|_{L_2(I) \otimes V}^2 + \|w'\|_{H^1(I) \otimes V'}^2$

**test space**  $Y := L_2(I; V) \times L_2(\Omega)$  with norm  $\|v\|_Y^2 := \|v_1\|_{L_2(I) \otimes V}^2 + \|v_2\|_{L_2(\Omega)}^2$

**bilinear form**  $b(\cdot, \cdot) : X \times Y \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$$b(y, (v_1, v_2)) := \int_I [\langle y'(t, \cdot), v_1(t, \cdot) \rangle + \langle A(t)y(t, \cdot), v_1(t, \cdot) \rangle] dt + \langle y(0, \cdot), v_2 \rangle =: \langle \mathbf{B}y, v \rangle$$

**right hand side**

$$\langle f, v \rangle := \int_I \langle f(t, \cdot), v_1(t, \cdot) \rangle dt + \langle y_0, v_2 \rangle$$

(PDE)  $\rightsquigarrow$  given  $f \in Y'$ , find  $y \in X$ :  $\mathbf{B}y = f$

[Dautray, Lions '92]

**Theorem (MP)**  $\|Bw\|_{Y'} \sim \|w\|_X$  for all  $w \in X$  mapping property

(ii)  $\Psi^X, \Psi^Y$  wavelet bases for  $X, Y \rightsquigarrow$   $\mathbf{B}y := (\langle \psi_\lambda^Y, By \rangle)_{\lambda \in \mathbb{I}}$   $\mathbf{f} := (\langle \psi_\lambda^Y, f \rangle)_{\lambda \in \mathbb{I}}$

**Theorem**  $By = f \iff \mathbf{B}y = \mathbf{f}$   $\mathbf{B} : \ell_2 \rightarrow \ell_2$  and  $\mathbf{B}y = \mathbf{f}$  well-posed in  $\ell_2$

(MP) + (NE)  $\implies \|Bv\|_{\ell_2} \sim \|v\|_{\ell_2}, v \in \ell_2$   $\mathbf{B}$  unsymmetric

## Application to PDE-Constrained Optimal Control Problem

Control problem in wavelet coordinates

$$\text{minimize } \mathbf{J}(\mathbf{y}, \mathbf{u}) = \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{y}_*\|^2 + \frac{\omega}{2} \|\mathbf{u}\|^2$$

$$\text{subject to } \mathbf{B}\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{f} + \mathbf{u}$$

$$\mathbf{B} : \ell_2 \rightarrow \ell_2 \text{ automorphism} \quad \|\cdot\| := \|\cdot\|_{\ell_2}$$

Necessary and Sufficient Conditions

$$\mathbf{L}(\mathbf{y}, \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{p}) := \mathbf{J}(\mathbf{y}, \mathbf{u}) + \langle \mathbf{p}, \mathbf{B}\mathbf{y} - (\mathbf{f} + \mathbf{u}) \rangle$$

$$\delta\mathbf{L} = 0 \rightsquigarrow$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \mathbf{B}\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{f} + \mathbf{u} \\ \mathbf{B}^T\mathbf{p} = -(\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{y}_*) \\ \omega\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{p} \end{array}$$

$$\iff$$

$$\mathbf{Q}\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{g}$$

$$\mathbf{Q} : \ell_2 \rightarrow \ell_2 \text{ automorphism}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{where } \mathbf{Q} := \mathbf{B}^{-T}\mathbf{B}^{-1} + \omega\mathbf{I} \\ \mathbf{g} := \mathbf{B}^{-T}(\mathbf{y}_* - \mathbf{B}^{-1}\mathbf{f}) \end{array}$$

## Complexity Analysis

Based on **benchmark**:

decay rate  $s$  for (wavelet-)best  $N$  term approximation

$$\mathcal{A}^s := \{\mathbf{v} \in \ell_2 : \|\mathbf{v} - \mathbf{v}_N\| \lesssim N^{-s}\}$$

Work/accuracy balance of best  $N$  term approximation:

$$\text{Target accuracy } \varepsilon (\sim N^{-s}) \longleftrightarrow \text{Work } \varepsilon^{-1/s} (\sim N)$$

## Convergence and Complexity

(Idealized) iteration (for symmetric  $\mathbf{B}$ )

$$\mathbf{v}^{n+1} = \mathbf{v}^n + (\mathbf{f} - \mathbf{B}\mathbf{v}^n)$$

update via

$$\text{RES}[\eta, \mathbf{B}, \mathbf{f}, \mathbf{v}] \rightarrow \mathbf{r}_\eta$$

$\leadsto$

$$\text{SOLVE}[\varepsilon, \mathbf{B}, \mathbf{f}] \rightarrow \mathbf{v}_\varepsilon$$

### Theorem

[Cohen, Dahmen, DeVore '99-'01]

Vanishing moments (CP) for wavelets  $\implies \mathbf{B}$  is  $s^*$ -compressible

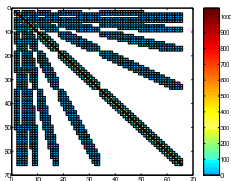
$\implies$  for variational problem satisfying (MP) scheme SOLVE can be designed with properties:

(I) For every target accuracy  $\varepsilon > 0$  SOLVE produces after finitely many steps approximate solution  $\mathbf{v}_\varepsilon$  such that

$$\|\mathbf{v} - \mathbf{v}_\varepsilon\| \leq \varepsilon$$

(II) Exact solution  $\mathbf{v} \in \mathcal{A}^s \implies \text{supp } \mathbf{v}_\varepsilon, \# \text{ flops} \sim \varepsilon^{-1/s} \sim N$

## Core Ingredient of SOLVE : Compressible Operators



(CP)  $\rightsquigarrow$   $\mathbf{B}$  is  $s^*$ -compressible:

for every  $0 < s < s^*$  there exists  $\mathbf{B}_j$  with  $\leq \alpha_j 2^j$  nonzero entries per row and column such that

$$\|\mathbf{B} - \mathbf{B}_j\| \leq \alpha_j 2^{-sj} \quad j \in \mathbb{N}_0 \quad \sum_{j \in \mathbb{N}_0} \alpha_j < \infty \quad (\mathbf{B} \text{ 'close to' sparse matrix})$$

## Application of (Non)Linear Operators in Wavelet Bases

Theory [Cohen, Dahmen, DeVore '03]  $d = 2$  [Vorloeper '10] general  $d$ , isotropic tensor product wavelets [Mollet, Pabel '12]

**Input:** finitely supported vector  $\mathbf{v} = (v_\mu)_{\mu \in \Lambda}$   $\Lambda \subset \mathbb{I}$  finite

**Output:** approximation of  $\mathbf{B}\mathbf{v}$  with infinite-dimensional operator  $\mathbf{B} : \ell_2(\mathbb{I}) \rightarrow \ell_2(\mathbb{I})$

$B : X \rightarrow Y' \rightsquigarrow$  expand  $Bv \in Y'$  in dual wavelet basis for  $Y$  and  $v$  in primal wavelet basis for  $X$ :

$$Bv = (\mathbf{B}\mathbf{v})^T \tilde{\Psi} = \sum_{\lambda \in \mathbb{I}} \langle Bv, \psi_\lambda \rangle \tilde{\psi}_\lambda = \sum_{\lambda \in \mathbb{I}} \langle B(\sum_{\mu \in \Lambda} v_\mu \psi_\mu), \psi_\lambda \rangle \tilde{\psi}_\lambda = \sum_{\lambda \in \mathbb{I}} \sum_{\mu \in \Lambda} v_\mu \langle B\psi_\mu, \psi_\lambda \rangle \tilde{\psi}_\lambda$$

$\rightsquigarrow$  compute  $\langle B\psi_\mu, \psi_\lambda \rangle$  for given  $\mu \in \Lambda$  (finite) and all  $\lambda \in \mathbb{I}$

**Compressibility of  $B$ :**  $|\langle B\psi_\mu, \psi_\lambda \rangle| \leq C_{\|v\|} \sup_{\mu: S_\lambda \cap S_\mu \neq \emptyset} 2^{-\gamma(|\lambda| - |\mu|)} |v_\mu| \quad \gamma > \frac{d}{2} + 1$

follows from wavelet property (CP)

Essential data structure (for nonlinear operators): **tree-type index sets**

input  $\mathbf{v} \rightsquigarrow$  **prediction** of tree index set based on  $\text{supp } \mathbf{v}$  and properties of  $\mathbf{B}$

$\rightsquigarrow$  **computation** of  $(\mathbf{B}\mathbf{v})_\lambda$  after transformation to piecewise polynomials

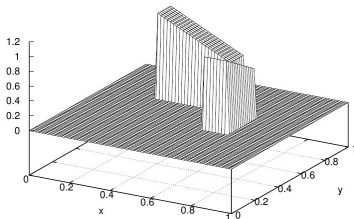
$\rightsquigarrow$  application of  $\mathbf{B}$  in **optimal** linear complexity

# Application of (Non)Linear Operators in Wavelet Bases: Numerical Example

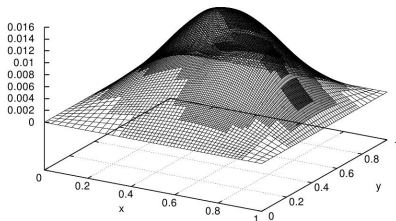
[Mollet, Pabel '12]

PDE with nonlinear term

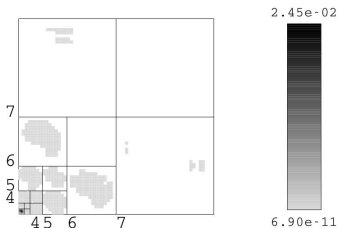
$$\begin{aligned}
 -\Delta y + y^3 &= f & \text{in } \Omega := (0, 1)^2 \\
 y &= 0 & \text{on } \partial\Omega
 \end{aligned}$$



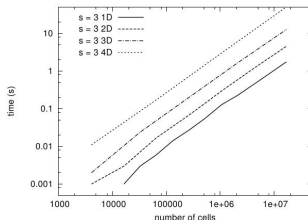
right hand side  $f$



solution  $y$  (with Richardson scheme and residual error bound  $10^{-3}$ )



distribution of 7177 active wavelet coefficients



Runtime (seconds) for evaluating  $y^3$  for  $d \leq 4$

## Convergence and Complexity Analysis for Control Problem with Parabolic PDE Constraints

Essential idea: **RES** for SOLVE  $[\dots, \mathbf{Q}, \dots]$  reduced to **RES** for SOLVE  $[\dots, \mathbf{B}, \dots]$   
applied to **normal equations**

and System of Euler equations  $\longleftrightarrow$  condensed system

Convergence and complexity analysis for control problem with elliptic PDEs [Dahmen, Kunoth, SICON '05]

### 'Benchmark' Theorem

[Gunzburger, Kunoth, SICON '11]

For any target accuracy  $\varepsilon > 0$  SOLVE  $[\varepsilon, \mathbf{Q}, \mathbf{g}] \rightarrow \mathbf{u}_\varepsilon$  converges in finitely many steps

$$\|\mathbf{u} - \mathbf{u}_\varepsilon\| \leq \varepsilon \quad \|\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{y}_\varepsilon\| \lesssim \varepsilon \quad \|\mathbf{p} - \mathbf{p}_\varepsilon\| \lesssim \varepsilon \quad \mathbf{u}_\varepsilon, \mathbf{y}_\varepsilon, \mathbf{p}_\varepsilon \text{ finitely supported}$$

$\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{p} \in \mathcal{A}^s \implies$

$$(\#\text{supp } \mathbf{u}_\varepsilon) + (\#\text{supp } \mathbf{y}_\varepsilon) + (\#\text{supp } \mathbf{p}_\varepsilon) \lesssim \varepsilon^{-1/s} \left( \|\mathbf{u}\|_{\mathcal{A}^s}^{1/s} + \|\mathbf{y}\|_{\mathcal{A}^s}^{1/s} + \|\mathbf{p}\|_{\mathcal{A}^s}^{1/s} \right)$$

$$\|\mathbf{u}_\varepsilon\|_{\mathcal{A}^s} + \|\mathbf{y}_\varepsilon\|_{\mathcal{A}^s} + \|\mathbf{p}_\varepsilon\|_{\mathcal{A}^s} \lesssim \|\mathbf{u}\|_{\mathcal{A}^s} + \|\mathbf{y}\|_{\mathcal{A}^s} + \|\mathbf{p}\|_{\mathcal{A}^s}$$

$$\#\text{flops} \sim \varepsilon^{-1/s}$$

## Numerical Example for Distributed Elliptic Control Problem (2D)

$$\min J(y, u) \quad J(y, u) = \frac{1}{2} \|y - y_*\|_{H^{1/2}(\Omega)}^2 + \frac{1}{2} \|u\|_{L_2(\Omega)}^2 \quad y_* = h_2 \otimes h_2$$

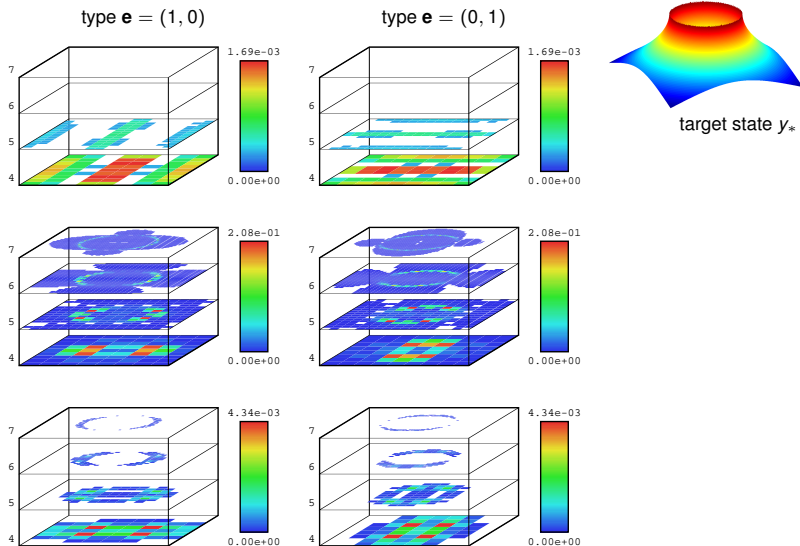
$$\text{under constraints } \begin{cases} -\Delta y + y & = D_{3/2}(h_1 \otimes h_1) + u & \text{in } \Omega := (0, 1)^2 \\ \frac{dy}{dn} & = 0 & \text{on } \partial\Omega \end{cases}$$

**Optimal rate** in energy norm ( $r = 2$ , space dimension  $d = 2$ , isotropic wavelets) is  $\frac{r-1}{d} = \frac{1}{2}$

$j$	$\ r_j\ $	#O	#E	#A	#R	S	$N_{\text{ad}}$	$\epsilon_P(y)$	$\epsilon_P(u)$
3								1.31e-02	2.19e-04
4	3.09e-04	1	6	1	11	54.0%	156	1.02e-02	2.19e-04
5	3.55e-04	1	6	2	11	49.0%	534	5.08e-03	2.19e-04
6	1.80e-04	4	4	1	20	51.6%	2182	2.55e-03	2.19e-04
7	1.22e-04	6	6	1	21	43.1%	7169	1.31e-03	2.19e-04
8	5.61e-05	8	8	1	23	36.0%	23745	6.73e-04	2.19e-04
9	2.22e-05	10	9	1	23	30.6%	80525	3.33e-04	1.55e-04
10	1.15e-05	12	9	2	24	27.6%	289790	1.25e-04	1.07e-04
<b>num. rate <math>\approx 0.55</math></b>									

[Burstedde, Kunoth '08]

## Numerical Example for Elliptic Control Problem (2D)





## Numerical Example for One Parabolic PDE

[Chegini, Stevenson '11], [Kunoth, Stapel '13]

Compute  $y = y(t, x)$  such that

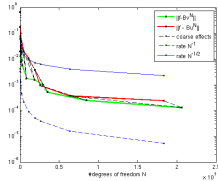
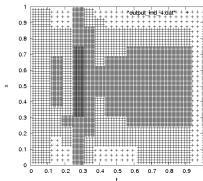
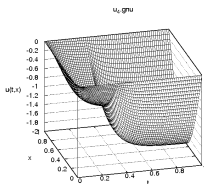
$$\begin{aligned} y_t(t, x) - y_{xx}(t, x) &= g(t) \otimes (-\pi^2) \sin(\pi x) && \text{in } I \times \Omega := (0, 1)^2 \\ y(t, 0) &= y(t, 1) = 0 && \text{for } t \geq 0 \\ y(0, x) &= 0 && \text{for } x \in (0, 1) \end{aligned}$$

and  $g(t) := \begin{cases} 1 & t \in [0, \frac{1}{3}] \\ 2 & t \in [\frac{1}{3}, 1] \end{cases}$

Problem formulation and implementation:

- ▶ Modified problem with zero initial conditions  $\leadsto$   
solution space  $X = (L_2(I) \otimes H^1(\Omega)) \cap (H^1_0(I) \otimes H^{-1}(\Omega))$  and test space  $Y = L_2(I) \otimes V$
- ▶ Inhomogeneous initial data: homogenization of initial conditions  $\leadsto$  modification of r.h.s.
- ▶ Implementation based on AWM Toolbox by [Vorloeper '10]  
 biorthogonal isotropic wavelets of order  $m = 2, \tilde{m} = 4$
- ▶ Iterative solution by GMRES

### Plot of Solution, Refined Grid and Residual Error Reduction



8526 degrees of freedom

Expected rate in  $H^1$  (isotropic wavelets): 1/2 red: after coarsening

## Summary: Control Problem Constrained by Linear Parabolic PDE

- ▶ Fast adaptive solution in **space-time** formulation based on **wavelet methodology**
- ▶ **Uniformly bounded condition numbers** of system matrices
- ▶ A-posteriori error estimators for **coupled system** of operator equations
- ▶ Automated **adaptive refinement for each of** state **y**, control **u** and adjoint state **p**
- ▶ **First convergence proof** and algorithmic efficiency: **optimal complexity estimates**  
method has **optimal work/accuracy rate**

## Extensions and Outlook: Deterministic Control Problems

- ▶ **Modelling** of objective functional (for elliptic PDE constraints: [Dahmen, Kunoth '05], [Burstedde, K. '05])
- ▶ **Goal-oriented** error estimation for elliptic PDEs — convergence and optimal complexity estimates [Dahmen, Kunoth, Vorloeper '05]
- ▶ Control problem with **nonlinear** elliptic PDEs as constraint [Pabel '13]
- ▶ **Dirichlet boundary control** for elliptic PDEs — saddle point systems [Kunoth '05, Pabel '05, Pabel '07]
- ▶ Convergence analysis for linear elliptic control problems with **inequality constraints** on control — Prima-dual-active-set algorithm [Kunoth, Strack '13]

## Wavelets $\longleftrightarrow$ Finite Elements

- ▶ **Optimal preconditioning**: multilevel and multigrid methods (for normal equations);  
fast iterative solvers on (non)uniform grids
- ▶ (A posteriori) error estimates for PDE constrained control problems [Liu et al ... et al ...]
- ▶ **Convergence theory** of adaptive (finite element/DG) method for control problem  
with linear **elliptic** or **parabolic PDE constraints** ?  
One or different meshes for all variables ? Refinement / coarsening of meshes ?  
Convergence for one elliptic PDE: [Dörfler '96], [Morin, Nochetto, Siebert '00]
- ▶ **Complexity estimates** ? Optimal complexity ?  
Convergence rates for one elliptic PDE: [Binev, Dahmen, DeVore '04], [Nochetto, Siebert et al '07]

## Reformulation of PDE-Constrained Optimal Control Problem

$$\text{minimize } J(y, u) = \frac{1}{2} \|y - y_*\|_{L_2(I) \otimes V}^2 + \frac{\omega}{2} \|u\|_{L_2(I) \otimes V'}^2$$

$$\text{subject to } By = f + u \quad (\text{PDE}) \quad B : X \rightarrow Y' \quad \text{satisfies (MP)}$$

### Necessary and Sufficient Conditions

$$L(y, u, p) := J(y, u) + \langle p, By - (f + u) \rangle$$

$$\delta L = 0 \rightsquigarrow$$

$$\begin{array}{l} By = f + u \\ B^* p = R(y_* - y) \\ \omega R^{-1} u = p \end{array}$$

$$\iff$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} R & 0 & B^* \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{\omega} R^{-1} & -I \\ B & -I & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} y \\ u \\ p \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} Ry_* \\ 0 \\ f \end{pmatrix} \quad (\text{SPP})$$

$$\rightsquigarrow \text{ saddle point operator } \langle Gq, \tilde{q} \rangle := \left\langle \begin{pmatrix} R & 0 & B^* \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{\omega} R^{-1} & -I \\ B & -I & 0 \end{pmatrix} q, \tilde{q} \right\rangle$$

symmetric, continuous, boundedly invertible on  $\mathcal{X} := X \times U \times X$

$$\implies \text{ unique solution } \begin{pmatrix} y \\ u \\ p \end{pmatrix} =: q \text{ of system of PDEs (SPP)}$$

## ... Incorporating Stochastic Coefficients — Uncertainty Quantification

Control problems

- ▶ constrained by elliptic or parabolic PDEs; distributed or Neumann/Dirichlet boundary control
- ▶ parabolic, parametric evolution operator  $B = B(\sigma)$  with  
countably many infinite (independent) parameters  $\sigma = (\sigma_j)_{j \in \mathbb{N}} \in [-1, 1]^{\mathbb{N}}$

$$\text{minimize } J(y, u) := \mathbb{E} \left[ \frac{1}{2} \|y(\sigma) - y_*\|_{L_2(\Omega \otimes V)}^2 \right] + \frac{\omega}{2} \mathbb{E} \left[ \|u(\sigma)\|_{L_2(\Omega \otimes V')}^2 \right]$$

$$\text{over state } y(\sigma) = y(\sigma; t, x) \text{ and control } u(\sigma) = u(\sigma; t, x)$$

$$\text{subject to } \mathbb{E}[B(\sigma)y(\sigma)] = \mathbb{E}[u(\sigma)] + f \quad \text{in } V'$$

$$\text{uniform probability measure } \rho(\sigma) = \bigotimes_{j \geq 1} \frac{\sigma_j}{2} \qquad \mathbb{E}[u(\sigma)] := \int_{[-1, 1]^{\mathbb{N}}} u(\sigma) d\rho(\sigma)$$

**Example:** diffusion problems with coefficient  $a(\sigma, x)$  expanded by Karhunen-Loève  
 (separation of deterministic and stochastic variables)

$$a(\sigma, x) = \mathbb{E}[a(\sigma, x)] + \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \sigma_j \psi_j(x) \qquad (\psi_j)_{j \in \mathbb{N}} \text{ orthogonal basis}$$

affine parameter dependence

$$\rightsquigarrow \text{2nd order elliptic operator } A(\sigma, t) = A_0(t) + \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \sigma_j A_j(t) \quad \text{for any } \sigma \in [-1, 1]^{\mathbb{N}}$$

$$\text{Necessary conditions for optimality } \rightsquigarrow \text{parametric (SPP)} \quad \mathbb{E} \left[ G(\sigma) \begin{pmatrix} y(\sigma) \\ u(\sigma) \\ \rho(\sigma) \end{pmatrix} \right] = g$$

## Fundamental difficulty

$M$  draws in Monte-Carlo simulation for a **single** parameter requires

$M$  solutions of (SPP)  $\mathbb{E} \left[ G(\sigma) \begin{pmatrix} y(\sigma) \\ u(\sigma) \\ p(\sigma) \end{pmatrix} \right] = g$  and **slow error rate**  $M^{-1/2} \rightsquigarrow$  **infinitely** many  $\sigma$  ?

Wiener/spectral/generalized polynomial chaos expansions: typical **assumption** of  $K$  finitely many  $\sigma$   
("finite-dimensional noise assumption")

Elliptic PDE with random coefficients:

**exponential** rate of convergence of error in polynomial degree  $p$  (with constant depending on  $K$ )

[Babuska, Tempone, Zouraris '04]

Control problems with elliptic PDEs

[Gunzburger, Lee, Lee '11], [Hou, Lee, Manouzi '11]

## New Paradigm for Infinitely Many Parameters

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**regular**  $p$ -**(real)** **analytic** operator family uniformly for  $t \in I$  for some  $0 < p \leq 1$ :

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(ii) there exists sequence  $b \in \ell^p(\mathbb{N})$  for some  $0 < p \leq 1$  such that

$$\text{for all } \nu \in \mathfrak{F} : \sup_{t \in I} \sup_{\sigma \in [-1, 1]^{\mathbb{N}}} \left\| (A(0, t))^{-1} (\partial_{\sigma}^{\nu} A(\sigma, t)) \right\|_{\mathcal{L}(V, V)} \leq C_0 b^{\nu}$$

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worst situation:  $p = 1 \rightsquigarrow$  analytic operator family (without additional regularity)

**Special case:** affine parameter dependence

$$a(\sigma, x) = E[a(\sigma, x)] + \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \sigma_j \psi_j(x) \quad (\psi_j)_{j \in \mathbb{N}} \text{ orthogonal basis}$$

convergence of series  $\longleftrightarrow$  summability properties of  $(\|\psi_j\|_{L_{\infty}(\Omega)})_{j \geq 1}$  [Cohen, DeVore, Schwab '10]

Uniform ellipticity assumption: there exist constants  $0 < a_{\min} \leq a_{\max} < \infty$  such that  
 $a_{\min} \leq a(\sigma, x) \leq a_{\max}$  for all  $(\sigma, x) \in [-1, 1]^{\mathbb{N}} \times \Omega$

together with  $(\|\psi_j\|_{L_{\infty}(\Omega)})_{j \geq 1} \in \ell^p(\mathbb{N})$  for  $p \in (0, 1]$  (sparsity class)

$\implies$  Assumption A for linear elliptic PDE with  $A(\sigma, t) = A_0(t) + \sum_{j \geq 1} \sigma_j A_j(t)$  for same  $p$

**Specifically:** finitely many parameters  $\implies$  Assumption A for arbitrarily small  $p \in (0, 1]$

### Theorem: Analyticity of Solution Triple

[Kunoth, Schwab '11,'13]

Assumption A for  $\{A(\sigma, t) \in \mathcal{L}(V, V') : \sigma \in [-1, 1]^{\mathbb{N}}\}$  with some  $0 < p \leq 1$

$\implies$

- (i) Parametric saddle point operator  $G(\sigma)$  continuous & boundedly invertible  
for all  $\sigma \in [-1, 1]^{\mathbb{N}}$
- (ii)  $G(\sigma)$  is regular  $p$ -analytic operator family for same  $p$
- (iii) parametric family of state–control–costate triple  $\sigma \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} y(\sigma) \\ u(\sigma) \\ p(\sigma) \end{pmatrix}$  depends analytically on  $\sigma$

(iii), infinite/high dimension for parameter space

$\rightsquigarrow$  approximation by orthogonal polynomials exhibits exponential rate

$\sigma \in [-1, 1]^{\mathbb{N}} \rightsquigarrow$  univariate Legendre polynomial  $\tilde{L}_n$  of degree  $n \geq 0$  defined via recursion formula

$(n+1)\tilde{L}_{n+1}(s) := (2n+1)s\tilde{L}_n(s) - n\tilde{L}_{n-1}(s), \quad s \in (-1, 1) \quad \tilde{L}_0(s) := 1 \text{ and } L_1(s) := s$

with normalization  $\int_{-1}^1 |L_n(s)|^2 \frac{ds}{2} = 1$ , i.e.,  $L_n := (2n+1)^{1/2} \tilde{L}_n$

$\rightsquigarrow \{L_n\}_{n \geq 0}$  is orthonormal basis of  $L^2(-1, 1)$  w.r.t. uniform probability measure

Tensorized Legendre polynomials for  $\nu \in \mathfrak{F}$ :  $L_\nu(\sigma) := \prod_{j \geq 1} L_{\nu_j}(\sigma_j), \quad \sigma \in [-1, 1]^{\mathbb{N}}$

(only finitely many factors)

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$\leadsto$  countable collection  $\mathfrak{L} := \{L_\nu(\sigma) : \nu \in \mathfrak{F}\}$  is Riesz basis for  $L^2([-1, 1]^{\mathbb{N}}, \rho; \mathcal{X})$ :

$\mathfrak{L}$  is orthonormal family in  $L^2([-1, 1]^{\mathbb{N}}, \rho; \mathcal{X})$  [Gittelsohn '11]

$\leadsto$  each  $v \in L^2([-1, 1]^{\mathbb{N}}, \rho; \mathcal{X})$  admits orthonormal expansion

$$v(\sigma) = \sum_{\nu \in \mathfrak{F}} v_\nu L_\nu(\sigma), \quad v_\nu := \int_{[-1, 1]^{\mathbb{N}}} v(\sigma) L_\nu(\sigma) d\rho(\sigma) \in \mathcal{X}$$

and Parseval's equality  $\|v\|_{L^2([-1, 1]^{\mathbb{N}}, \rho; \mathcal{X})}^2 = \sum_{\mu \in \mathfrak{F}} \|v_\mu\|_{\mathcal{X}}^2$  holds

**Theorem: Simultaneous Approximation of Solution Triple**

[Kunoth, Schwab '11, '13]

Assumption A for  $\{A(\sigma, t) \in \mathcal{L}(V, V') : \sigma \in [-1, 1]^{\mathbb{N}}\}$  with some  $0 < p \leq 1$   $\implies$

(iv) admits **concurrent expansion** in Legendre orthonormal polynomials

$$\begin{pmatrix} y(\sigma) \\ u(\sigma) \\ \rho(\sigma) \end{pmatrix} = \sum_{\nu \in \mathfrak{F}} \begin{pmatrix} y_\nu \\ u_\nu \\ \rho_\nu \end{pmatrix} L_\nu(\sigma)$$

(v)  $\left( \left\| \begin{pmatrix} y_\nu \\ u_\nu \\ \rho_\nu \end{pmatrix} \right\|_{\mathcal{X}} \right)_{\nu \in \mathfrak{F}} \in \ell^p(\mathfrak{F})$  for **same p**

Proof of (iv): follows from (SPP)

Proof of (v): Prove bounds for partial derivatives of  $q(\sigma) = (y(\sigma), u(\sigma), \rho(\sigma))^T$ :

$$\sup_{\sigma \in [-1, 1]^{\mathbb{N}}} \|(\partial_\sigma^\nu q)(\sigma)\|_{\mathcal{X}} \leq \frac{C_0}{\ln 2} \|g\|_{\mathcal{X}'} |\nu|! b^\nu \quad \text{for all } \nu \in \mathfrak{F} \text{ by induction with chain rule}$$



Assumption A for  $\{A(\sigma, t) \in \mathcal{L}(V, V') : \sigma \in [-1, 1]^{\mathbb{N}}\}$  with some  $0 < p \leq 1$   $\implies$

(vi) there exists index set  $\Lambda \subset \mathfrak{F}$  of cardinality  $\leq M$  such that

$M$ -term truncated Legendre expansion  $\begin{pmatrix} y_M(\sigma) \\ u_M(\sigma) \\ \rho_M(\sigma) \end{pmatrix} := \sum_{\nu \in \Lambda} \begin{pmatrix} y_\nu \\ u_\nu \\ \rho_\nu \end{pmatrix} L_\nu(\sigma)$  allows for

simultaneous generalized polynomial chaos (gpc) approximation

$$\int_{[-1, 1]^{\mathbb{N}}} \left\| \begin{pmatrix} y(\sigma) \\ u(\sigma) \\ \rho(\sigma) \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} y_M(\sigma) \\ u_M(\sigma) \\ \rho_M(\sigma) \end{pmatrix} \right\|_{\mathcal{X}} d\rho(\sigma) \lesssim M^{-(1/p-1/2)}$$

on entire parameter domain  $[-1, 1]^{\mathbb{N}}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(vii)} \quad & \left\| \mathbb{E} \begin{bmatrix} y(\sigma) \\ u(\sigma) \\ \rho(\sigma) \end{bmatrix} - \mathbb{E} \begin{bmatrix} y_M(\sigma) \\ u_M(\sigma) \\ \rho_M(\sigma) \end{bmatrix} \right\|_{\mathcal{X}} \\ & \leq \int_{[-1, 1]^{\mathbb{N}}} \left\| \begin{pmatrix} y(\sigma) \\ u(\sigma) \\ \rho(\sigma) \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} y_M(\sigma) \\ u_M(\sigma) \\ \rho_M(\sigma) \end{pmatrix} \right\|_{\mathcal{X}} d\rho(\sigma) \lesssim M^{-(1/p-1/2)} \end{aligned}$$

Proof of (vi): by Parseval's identity,

$$\begin{aligned} & \left\| q(\sigma) - \sum_{\nu \in \Lambda} q_\nu L_\nu(\sigma) \right\|_{L^2([-1,1]^N, \rho; \mathcal{X})}^2 \\ &= \inf \left\{ \|q(\sigma) - v_\Lambda\|_{L^2([-1,1]^N, \rho; \mathcal{X})}^2 : v_\Lambda \in \text{span} \left\{ \sum_{\nu \in \Lambda} v_\nu L_\nu(\sigma) \right\} \right\} \\ &= \sum_{\nu \notin \Lambda} \|q_\nu\|_{\mathcal{X}}^2 \\ &\leq M^{-(1/p-1/2)} \|(\|q_\nu\|_{\mathcal{X}})_{\nu \in \mathfrak{F}}\|_{\ell^p(\mathfrak{F})} \end{aligned}$$

(by (v): summability of norms  $\|q_\nu\|_{\mathcal{X}}$  of Legendre coefficients by [Stechkin's Lemma](#))

Proof of (vii): from (vi) by triangle and Cauchy-Schwarz inequality

### So far: A-Priori Estimates w.r.t. $\sigma$

Numerical realization of index set  $\Lambda$  and approximations for one linear elliptic PDE by greedy algorithms

[Gittelsohn '11], [Eigel, Gittelsohn, Schwab, Zander '13]

Realization for PDE-constrained parametric control problems

[Kunoth, Schwab '13], work in progress

## Summary

- ▶ Control problem constrained by parabolic PDE with  
stochastic coefficients/infinitely many parameters
- ▶ Full weak space-time formulation of evolution PDE
- ▶ Stochastic coefficient regular  $p$ -analytic for  $0 < p \leq 1$ 
  - ↪ state/control/costate depend analytically on  $p$
  - ↪ a-priori estimates:
    - simultaneous generalized polynomial chaos approximation  
of state, control, costate of order  $-(\frac{1}{p} - \frac{1}{2})$
    - ↪ approximations of mean fields  $E[y(\sigma)]$ ,  $E[u(\sigma)]$ ,  $E[p(\sigma)]$  with same order
- ▶ Numerical realization of best- $M$ -term generalized polynomial chaos approximation  
for linear elliptic PDEs by greedy algorithms [Gittelson '11], [Eigel, Gittelson, Schwab, Zander '13]
- ▶ Multilevel quasi-Monte-Carlo schemes reaching order  $\frac{2}{3} < p \leq 1$  [Kuo, Schwab, Sloan '12]
- ▶ Coupling with adaptive wavelet scheme for space-time discretization  
[Kunoth, Schwab '13, in progress]
- ▶ Convergence & complexity analysis for deterministic control problems based on adaptive  
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