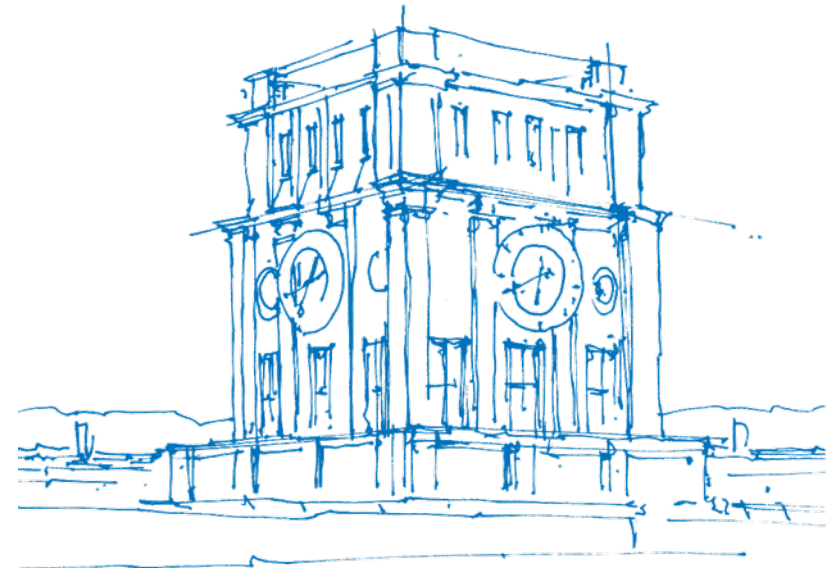


Algorithms for Uncertainty Quantification

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Lecture 7:

Polynomial chaos approximation 2: the stochastic Galerkin approach

Repetition

- polynomial chaos expansion
 - approximate quantity of interest by polynomial series
 - $f(t, \omega) \approx \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} \hat{f}_n(t) \phi_n(\omega)$
- orthogonal polynomials and polynomial chaos
 - inner product 0 for orthogonal polynomials
 - $\langle \phi_i(\omega), \phi_j(\omega) \rangle_\rho = \delta_{ij}$
 - choose polynomial type according to input distribution
- pseudo-spectral approach
 - use quadrature rule to compute coefficients
 - $\hat{f}_n(t) = \sum_{k=0}^{K-1} f(t, x_k) \phi_n(x_k) w_k$
- model problem: damped oscillator
- multivariate case

Today's lecture

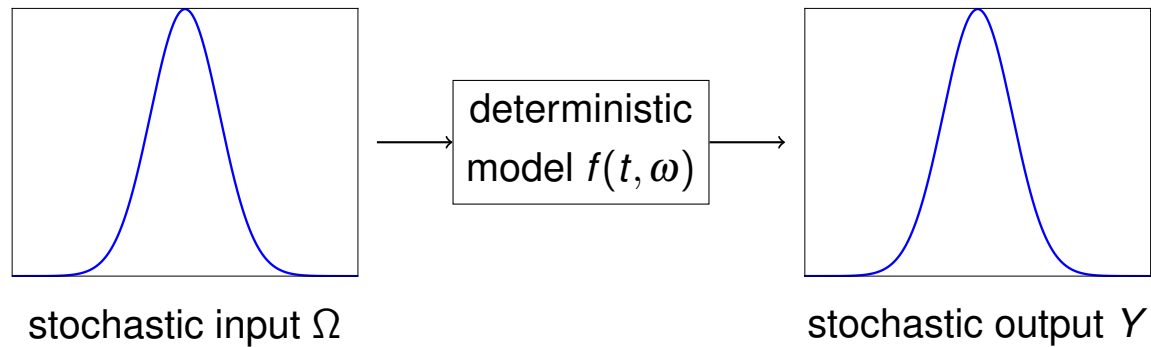
Topic

Stochastic Galerkin method

Content

- forward propagation of uncertainty
- idea of stochastic Galerkin method
- Galerkin projection
- example: damped linear oscillator
- comparison with non-intrusive methods

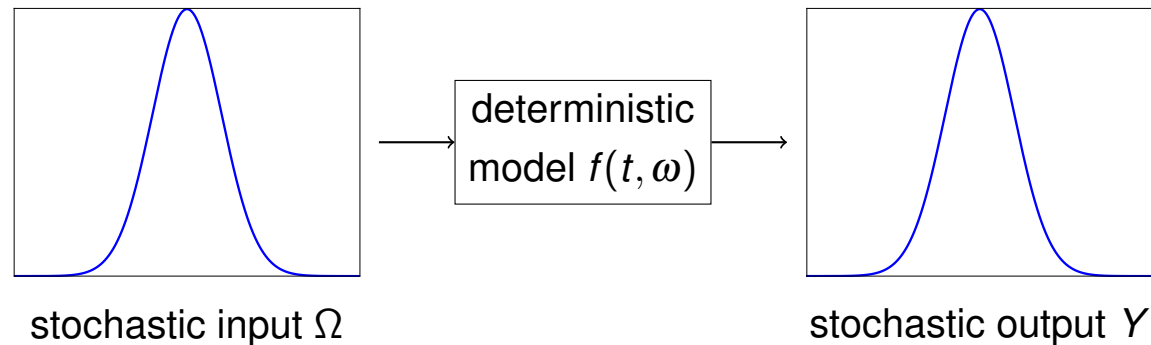
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- random input variable $\Omega \sim \rho(\omega)$
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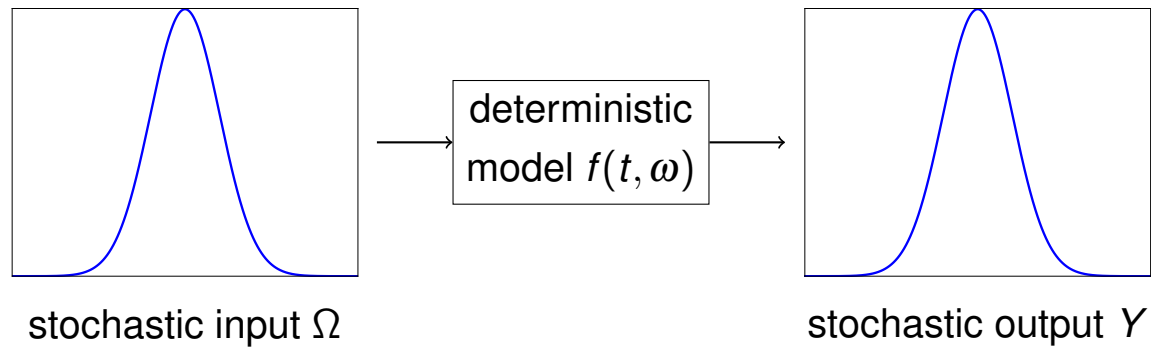
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What we want

- stochastic output $f(t, \omega) = Y \sim \rho(Y)$
- quantities of interest: e.g. $\mathbb{E}[Y]$, $\text{Var}[Y]$

Forward propagation of uncertainty



Which method to use?

- remember: pseudo-spectral approach
 - write $f(t, \omega)$ as gPC expansion
 - use quadrature rule to compute coefficients
- quadrature introduces error

Stochastic Galerkin method

remember: polynomial chaos expansion

$$f(t, \omega) \approx \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} \hat{f}_n(t) \phi_n(\omega)$$

Idea

- do not rely on quadrature
- requires the polynomial chaos expansion of the uncertain inputs
- modify solver implementation to compute coefficients $\hat{f}_n(t)$

Properties

- faster convergence than the pseudo-spectral approach
- requires access to model/equations/code
- time-consuming modifications necessary

Galerkin projection

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- assumption: solution u is weighted sum of base of shape functions N_n

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Stochastic Galerkin method

- solution: displacement $u(x) \rightarrow$ stochastic model output $f(t, \omega)$
- local shape functions $N_n(x) \rightarrow$ global orthogonal polynomials $\phi_n(\omega)$
- coefficients $\hat{u}_n \rightarrow$ coefficients $\hat{f}_n(t)$

stochastic Galerkin method

Steps

1. determine the polynomial chaos expansion of the uncertain inputs (this expansion is exact!)
2. write the underlying model's solution as an N^{th} order polynomial chaos expansion

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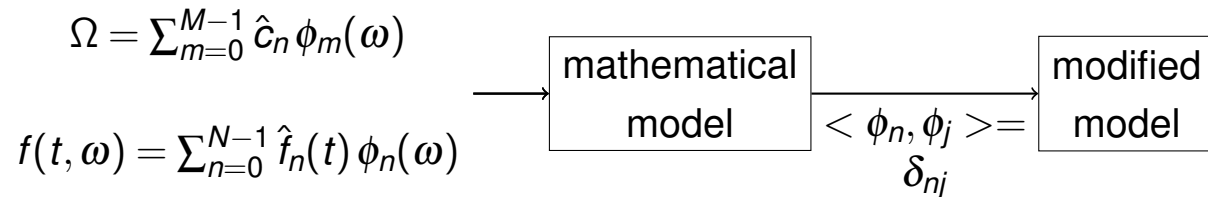
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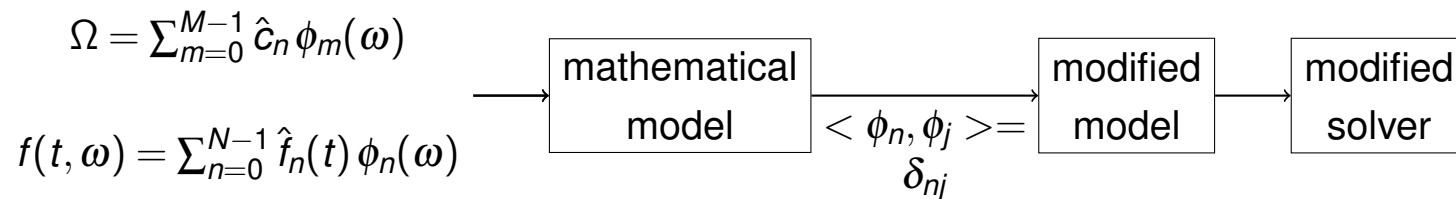
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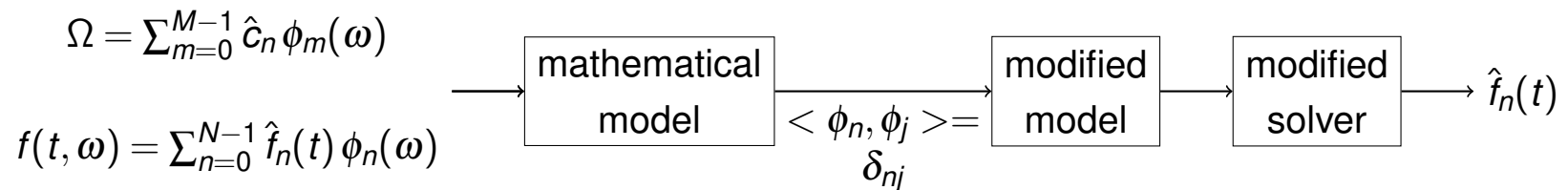
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6. compute statistical properties from coefficients



Model problem – damped linear oscillator

System of first order ODEs

$$\begin{cases} \frac{dx}{dt}(t) = v(t) \\ \frac{dv}{dt}(t) = f \cos(\omega_0 t) - cv(t) - kx(t) \\ x(0) = x_0 \\ v(0) = v_0 \end{cases}$$

- $x(t)$: position, x_0 : initial position
- $v(t)$: velocity, v_0 : initial velocity
- c – damping coefficient
- k – spring constant
- f – forcing amplitude
- ω_0 – forcing frequency

Model problem – uncertainty input

Uncertain parameter: damping constant c

- assume c now as RV $C \sim \mathcal{U}(a, b)$
- linear transformation with $\Omega \sim \mathcal{U}(-1, 1)$

$$c(\omega) = \underbrace{\frac{a+b}{2}}_{c_\mu} + \underbrace{\frac{b-a}{2}}_{c_\sigma} \omega$$

- polynomial chaos basis: legendre polynomials $\phi_i(\omega)$
- polynomial chaos expansion:

$$\begin{aligned} C &= c_\mu + c_\sigma \omega \\ &= c_\mu \phi_0(\omega) + c_\sigma \phi_1(\omega) \end{aligned}$$

Model problem – polynomial chaos

Polynomial chaos expansions

$$x(t, \omega) = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} \hat{x}_n(t) \phi_n(\omega)$$
$$v(t, \omega) = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} \hat{v}_n(t) \phi_n(\omega)$$

- note: coefficients depend on t , polynomials on ω
- notation from now on: $\phi_n(\omega) \rightarrow \phi_n$, $\hat{x}_n(t) \rightarrow \hat{x}_n$, $\hat{v}_n(t) \rightarrow \hat{v}_n$
- 2 steps:
 1. insert expansions into ODEs and IC
 2. transform system of equations via Galerkin ansatz and orthogonality

Model problem – initial conditions

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$$\hat{x}_j(0) = \delta_{0j} x_0 \quad \forall j = 0, \dots, N-1$$

Model problem – ODE component 1 (x)

1. insert expansions into ODE

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Model problem – ODE component 2 (v)

1. insert expansions into ODE

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{d}{dt} v &= f \cos(\omega_0 t) - c v - k x \\
 \frac{d}{dt} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} \hat{v}_n \phi_n &= f \cos(\omega_0 t) - (c_\mu \phi_0 + c_\sigma \phi_1) \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} \hat{v}_n \phi_n - k \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} \hat{x}_n \phi_n \\
 &= f \cos(\omega_0 t) - c_\mu \underbrace{\phi_0}_{=1} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} \hat{v}_n \phi_n - c_\sigma \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} \hat{v}_n \phi_1 \phi_n - k \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} \hat{x}_n \phi_n
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Model problem – ODE component 2 (v)

2. use orthogonality: inner product with $\langle \cdot, \phi_j \rangle$

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\Rightarrow

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dt} \hat{v}_j \gamma_j &= f \cos(\omega_O t) \delta_{0j} - c_\mu \hat{v}_j \gamma_j - c_\sigma \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} \hat{v}_n \langle \phi_1 \phi_n, \phi_j \rangle - k \hat{x}_j \gamma_j \\ \forall j &= 0, \dots, N-1 \end{aligned}$$

Model problem – stochastic Galerkin

Final IVP

- modifications leads to new IVP
- similar to original IVP
- 2 coupled ODEs \rightarrow $2N$ coupled ODEs
- modified model solver can solve for \hat{x}_j , \hat{v}_j

$$\begin{cases} \frac{d}{dt} \hat{x}_j = \hat{v}_j \\ \frac{d}{dt} \hat{v}_j = \delta_{0j} \frac{1}{\gamma_j} f \cos(\omega_0 t) - c_\mu \hat{v}_j - k \hat{x}_j - c_\sigma \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} \hat{v}_n \frac{\langle \phi_1 \phi_n, \phi_j \rangle}{\gamma_j} \\ \hat{x}_j(0) = \delta_{0j} x_0 \\ \hat{v}_j(0) = \delta_{0j} v_0 \quad \forall j = 0, \dots, N-1 \end{cases}$$

- expectation and variance computed as in pseudo-spectral approach

Model problem – stochastic Galerkin

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- stochastic Galerkin method, 3 coefficients:
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Comparison with pseudo-spectral approach

- difference in $E[x(T)]$: $2e - 10$
- difference in $\text{Var}[x(T)]$: $1e - 9$

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stochastic Galerkin

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Conclusion

- stochastic Galerkin method requires much more work
- accuracy gain must be “worth it”

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Summary

Stochastic Galerkin method

- idea
 - insert polynomial expansions into model
 - modify model to compute coefficients
- Galerkin projection like in FEM
- comparison with non intrusive methods
 - needs model modifications
 - good convergence properties
- example: damped linear oscillator