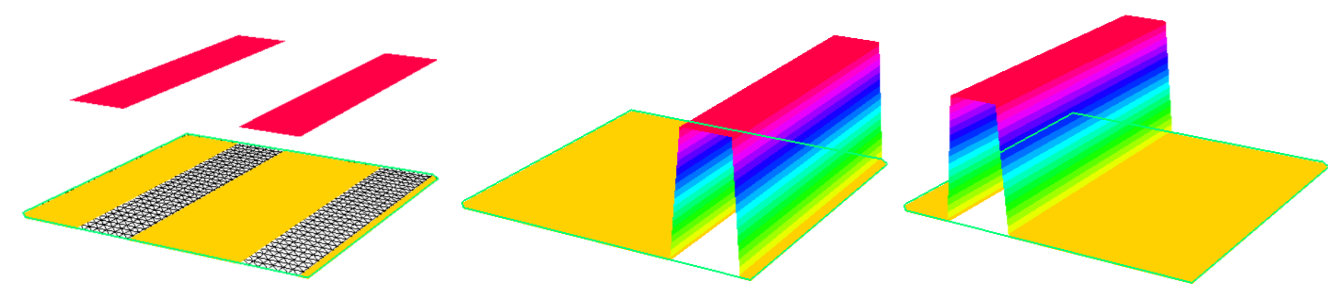


I) Some cases where the 'best' coarse space is known

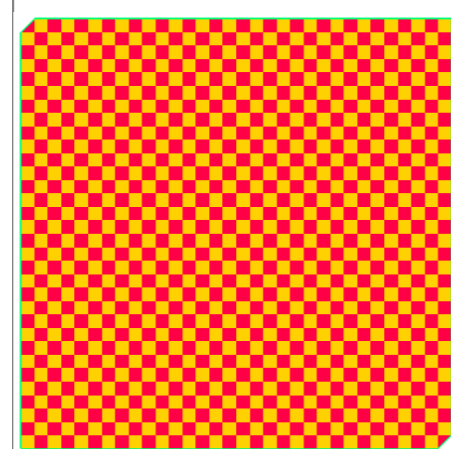
IA) Darcy in Heterogeneous media: $-\nabla \cdot (\alpha \nabla u) = 1$

One coarse function per subdomain per high contrast layer.



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One coarse function per subdomain.



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II) Automatic construction of coarse spaces based on Generalized Eigenvalue Problems in the overlaps (GenEO)

Abstract Schwarz framework for the problem: Find $x_* \in V$ such that $Ax_* = b$.

Assume that $A = \sum_{\tau} (A_{\tau})$ is spd, A_{τ} are spsd. Choose

- 1 local subspaces $V_j \subset V$, $j = 1, \dots, N$
- 2 interpolators $\tilde{R}_j^T : V_j \rightarrow V$
- 3 local solvers $\tilde{A}_j : V_j \rightarrow V_j$
- 4 the coarse space $V_H \subset V$, $R_H^T : V_H \rightarrow V$

Requirement: $V = \sum_{j=1}^N \tilde{R}_j^T V_j + R_H^T V_H$.

Two level preconditioner

$$M_{2level}^{-1} = P_0 + (I - P_0) \sum_{j=1}^N \tilde{R}_j^T \tilde{A}_j^{-1} \tilde{R}_j (I - P_0)^T,$$

where P_0 is the A -orthogonal projection onto V_H .

Two Crucial assumptions **Stable splitting:** $\forall u \in \text{range}(I - P_0)$ there exists $(z_1, \dots, z_N) \in V_1 \times \dots \times V_N$ such that

$$(1) \quad u = \sum_{j=1}^N \tilde{R}_j^T z_j \text{ and } \sum_{j=1}^N \langle \tilde{A}_j z_j, z_j \rangle \leq C_0^2 \langle Au, u \rangle.$$

Stability of the local solver w.r.t. the exact solver: for all $u_j \in \text{range}(\tilde{A}_j^{-1} \tilde{R}_j (I - P_0))$,

$$(2) \quad \langle A \tilde{R}_j^T u_j, \tilde{R}_j^T u_j \rangle \leq \omega \langle \tilde{A}_j u_j, u_j \rangle.$$

Then,
$$\begin{cases} \text{eig}(M_{2level}^{-1} A) \geq C_0^2 \\ \text{eig}(M_{2level}^{-1} A) \leq \mathcal{N} \omega \end{cases}$$

so $\text{cond}(M_{2level}^{-1} A) \leq \mathcal{N} \omega C_0^{-2}$, where \mathcal{N} measures the maximal number of neighbours of a subdomain.

Additive Schwarz

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Definition in the Abstract framework:

- 1 V_j : N Overlapping subdomains
 - 2 \tilde{R}_j^T : Assembly operators
 - 3 $\tilde{A}_j = R_j A R_j^T$ (Exact local solvers)
- (2) holds with $\omega = 1$ on the whole of V :

$$\langle \tilde{A}_j u_j, u_j \rangle = \langle A R_j^T u_j, R_j^T u_j \rangle.$$

(1) can be rewritten as N local conditions for any given C_0 :

- Choose partition of unity operators: $\Xi_j : V_h(\Omega_j) \rightarrow V_{h,0}(\Omega_j)$.
- Define the components in the stable splitting: $z_j = \Xi_j(u_{|\Omega_j})$.
- Now (1) $\Leftrightarrow (\sum_{j=1}^N \langle A R_j^T \Xi_j(u_{|\Omega_j}), R_j^T \Xi_j(u_{|\Omega_j}) \rangle \leq C_0^2 \langle Au, u \rangle)$.
- Or, locally (since $\mathcal{N} \langle Au, u \rangle \leq \sum_{j=1}^N \langle A_{|\Omega_j} u_{|\Omega_j}, u_{|\Omega_j} \rangle$)

$$(1) \Leftrightarrow \left\langle \tilde{A}_j \Xi_j(u_{|\Omega_j}), \Xi_j(u_{|\Omega_j}) \right\rangle \leq \frac{C_0^2}{\mathcal{N}} \langle A_{|\Omega_j} u_{|\Omega_j}, u_{|\Omega_j} \rangle, \quad \forall j.$$

Definition: Schwarz GenEO coarse space

Find generalized eigenpairs $(\Lambda_j^k, p_j^k) \in (\mathbb{R}^+ \cup \{+\infty\}) \times V_h(\Omega_j)$ of

$$A_{|\Omega_j} p_j^k = \Lambda_j^k \Xi_j \tilde{A}_j \Xi_j p_j^k.$$

Choose a threshold τ and define

$$V_H = \text{span}\{R_j^T \Xi_j(p_j^k); \Lambda_j^k < \tau, j = 1, \dots, N\}.$$

Then

$$\text{cond}(M_{2level}^{-1} A) \leq \mathcal{N} \left(1 + \frac{\mathcal{N}}{\tau}\right) \quad \begin{cases} \mathcal{N} : \text{'number of neighbours'} \\ \tau : \text{threshold chosen by user} \end{cases}$$

Notation for Schwarz & FETI

Space of FE functions in Ω_j :

$$V_{h,0}(\Omega_j) = \{u_{|\Omega_j}; u \in V_h \text{ and } \text{supp}(u) \subset \bar{\Omega}_j\}.$$

$$\text{Restrictions to } \Omega_j: V_h(\Omega_j) = \{u_{|\Omega_j}; u \in V_h\}.$$

$$\text{Problem restricted to } \Omega_j: A_{|\Omega_j} = \sum_{\tau \subset \bar{\Omega}_j} A_{\tau}.$$

$$\text{Schur complement: } S_j = A_{|\Omega_j}^{\Gamma\Gamma} + A_{|\Omega_j}^{\Gamma I} A_{|\Omega_j}^{II}{}^{-1} A_{|\Omega_j}^{I\Gamma}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bullet R_1^T \begin{pmatrix} x_1^1 \\ x_1^2 \\ x_1^3 \end{pmatrix} + R_2^T \begin{pmatrix} x_2^1 \\ x_2^2 \\ x_2^3 \end{pmatrix} &= \begin{pmatrix} x_1^1 + x_2^1 \\ x_1^2 + x_2^2 \\ x_1^3 + x_2^3 \end{pmatrix} & \text{assembly} \\ \bullet B_1 \begin{pmatrix} x_1^1 \\ x_1^2 \\ x_1^3 \end{pmatrix} + B_2 \begin{pmatrix} x_2^1 \\ x_2^2 \\ x_2^3 \end{pmatrix} &= \begin{pmatrix} x_1^1 - x_2^1 \\ x_1^2 - x_2^2 \\ x_1^3 - x_2^3 \end{pmatrix} & \text{jump} \end{aligned}$$

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Find λ in the set of admissible constraints:

$$P M_{FETI}^{-1} P^T \left(\sum_{i=1}^N B_j S_j^{\dagger} B_j^T \right) = P M_{FETI}^{-1} P^T d$$

where (with diagonal scaling matrices $D = \text{diag}(D_1, \dots, D_N)$) $M_{FETI}^{-1} = \sum_{i=1}^N (B D^{-1} B^T)^{-1} B_j D_j^{-1} S_j D_j^{-1} B_j (B D^{-1} B^T)^{-1}$.

⚡ Spectrum of $M_{FETI}^{-1} F = \text{spectrum } F M_{FETI}^{-1}$.

We write $F M_{FETI}^{-1}$ in the Abstract Framework: $A = M_{FETI}^{-1}$

- 1 $V_j = \{\text{dofs on the boundary of } \Omega_j\}$
- 2 $\tilde{R}_j^T = B_j$ jump operator
- 3 $\tilde{A}_j = S_j$

Indeed, $\sum_{j=1}^N \tilde{R}_j^T \tilde{A}_j \tilde{R}_j := \sum_{j=1}^N B_j S_j^{\dagger} B_j^T := F$.

(1) holds with $C_0^2 = 1$ on the whole of V : Given $u \in V$, let $z_j := D_j^{-1} B_j (B D^{-1} B^T)^{-1} u$ then

$$\sum_{j=1}^N B_j z_j = \sum_{j=1}^N B_j D_j^{-1} B_j (B D^{-1} B^T)^{-1} u = u,$$

and

$$\sum_{j=1}^N \langle \tilde{A}_j z_j, z_j \rangle := \sum_{j=1}^N \langle S_j z_j, z_j \rangle = \langle M_{FETI}^{-1} u, u \rangle := \langle Au, u \rangle.$$

(2) rewrites: $\langle M_{FETI}^{-1} B_j u_j, B_j u_j \rangle \leq \omega \langle S_j u_j, u_j \rangle$.

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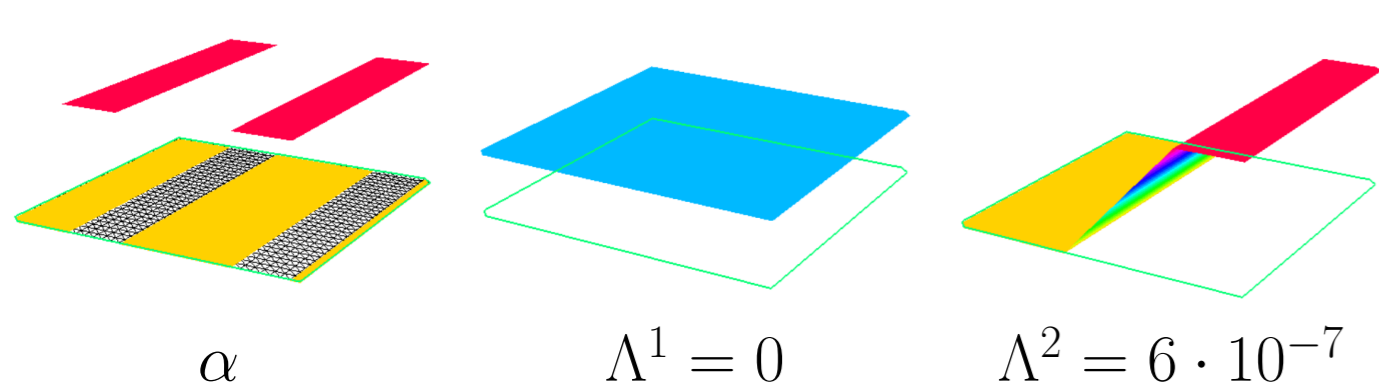
Then

$$\text{cond}(M_{2level}^{-1} P^T F_{|\text{Im}(P)}) \leq \frac{\mathcal{N}}{\tau} \quad \begin{cases} \mathcal{N} : \text{'number of neighbours'} \\ \tau : \text{threshold chosen by user} \end{cases}$$

III) Does the Automatic coarse space find the 'best' coarse space?

IIIA) Darcy in Heterogeneous media: $-\nabla \cdot (\alpha \nabla u) = 1$ with Schwarz-GenEO

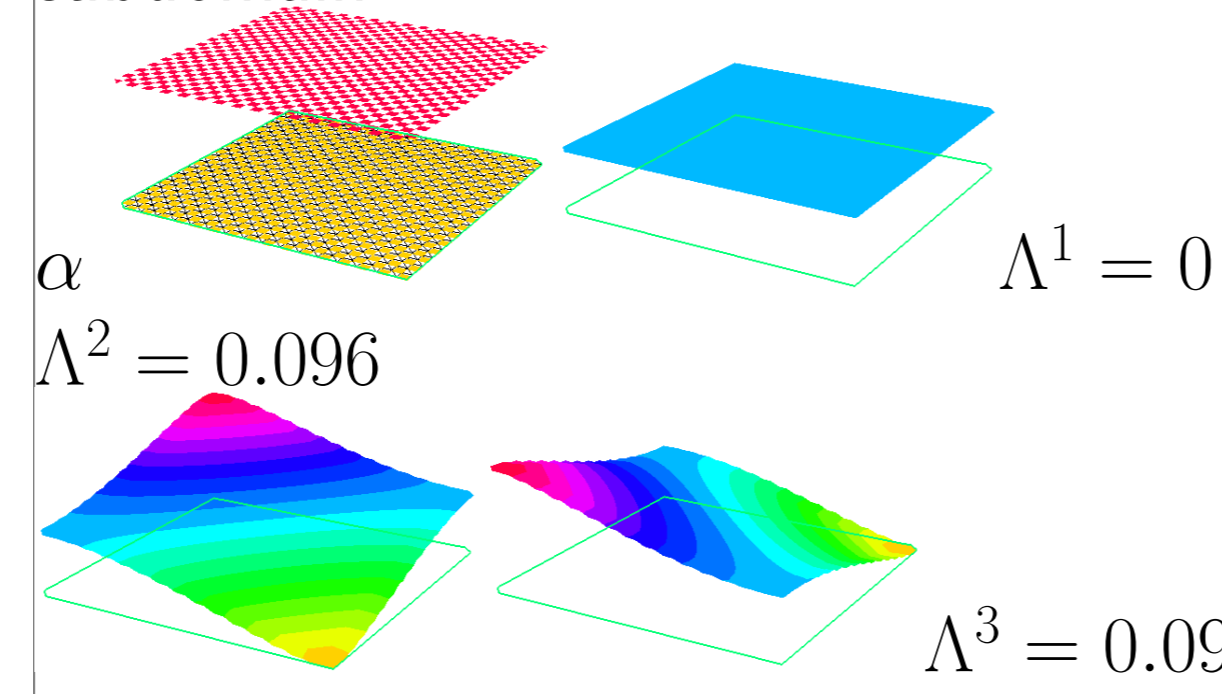
Layers: Number of basis functions = Number of high coefficient layers.



then there is a gap in the spectrum: eigenvectors 3 and 4 are NOT related to α and NOT in the coarse space.

$$\Lambda^3 = 0.11 \quad \Lambda^4 = 0.14$$

Islands: One coarse function per subdomain.

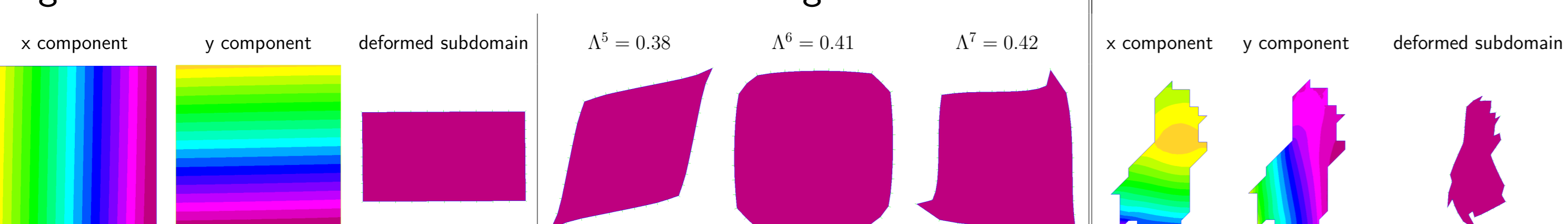


IIIB) Elasticity in the incompressible limit: $\nu = 0.4999$ ($\mathbb{P}_2 - \mathbb{P}_0$ pressure eliminated)

Non-overlapping DD:

Regular Subdomain: $\Lambda^4 = 0.003$

Next 3 eigenvectors



Metis Subdomain: $\Lambda^4 = 0.04$

Overlapping DD: Schwarz-GenEO builds a huge coarse space in the near incompressible limit. There is no easy fix without going back to the PDEs and building a new "mass" matrix.

IIIC) 2D Elasticity (Pink: $E = 10^6$; Yellow: $E = 1$) with FETI-GenEO

Layers: Number of basis functions = (Number of hard layers - 1) \times Number of rigid body modes

■ Rigid body modes $\Lambda^1 \text{ to } 3 = 0$.

■ Coarse space: $\Lambda^4 \text{ to } 9 = \{8 \cdot 10^{-4}, 9 \cdot 10^{-4}, 3 \cdot 10^{-3}, 10^{-2}, 4 \cdot 10^{-2}, 0.11\}$.

■ Next 2 eigenvectors: $\Lambda^{10} \text{ and } 11 = 0.99$

Islands: Only corner islands are picked up

■ Rigid body modes $\Lambda^1 \text{ to } 3 = 0$.

■ Coarse space: $\Lambda^4 \text{ to } 6 = \{1 \cdot 10^{-6}, 1 \cdot 10^{-5}, 2 \cdot 10^{-5}\}$.

■ Next 3 eigenvectors: $\Lambda^7 \text{ to } 10 = \{0.1; 0.3; 0.4\}$

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