

Efficient solution techniques for isogeometric analysis

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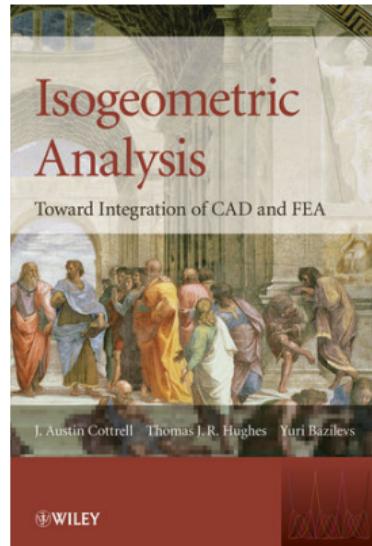
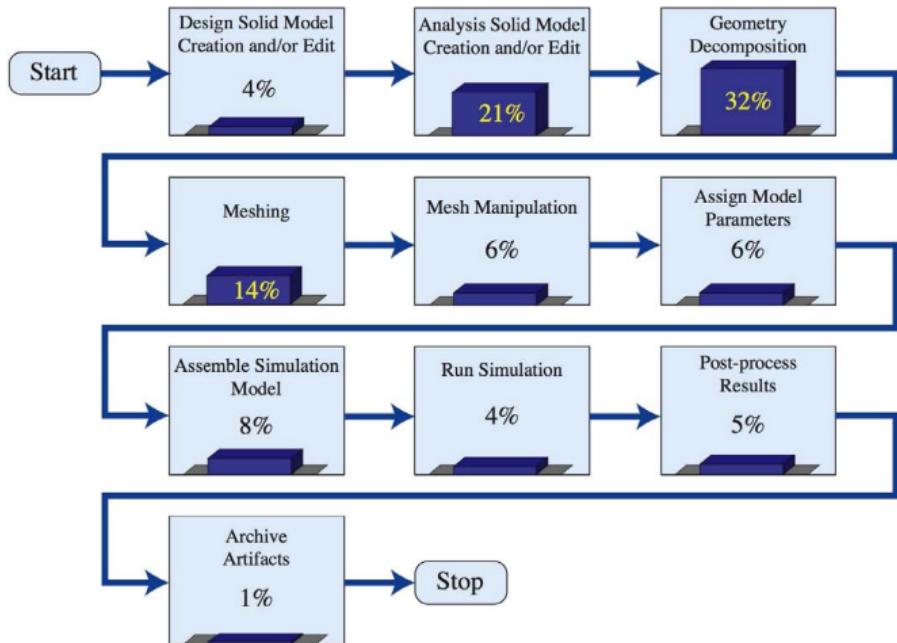
Collaborations

Göddeke (U Stuttgart), Elgeti/Helmig (RWTH Aachen, TU Vienna), Mantzaflaris (INRIA), Gauger (TU K'lautern), Jüttler (JKU), Simeon (TU K'lautern), ...

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Isogeometric Analysis



Ted Blacker, Sandia National Laboratories

My personal 'top 3 features' of IGA

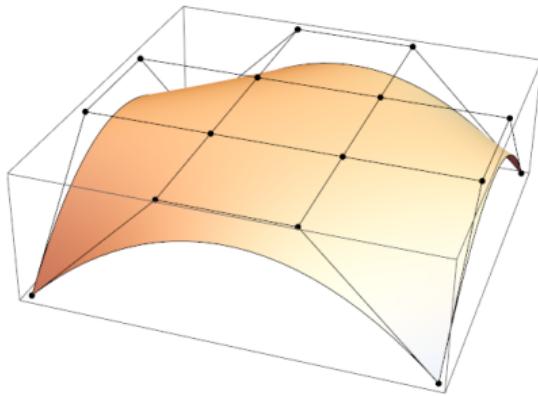
- ① Unified mathematical approach towards geometry modelling and PDE analysis

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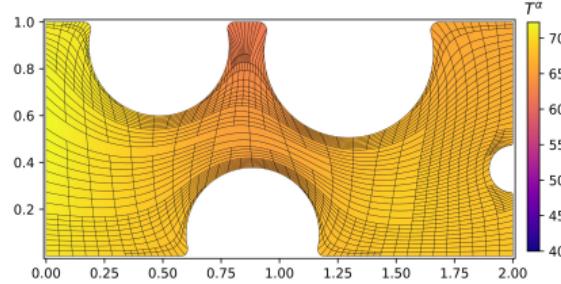
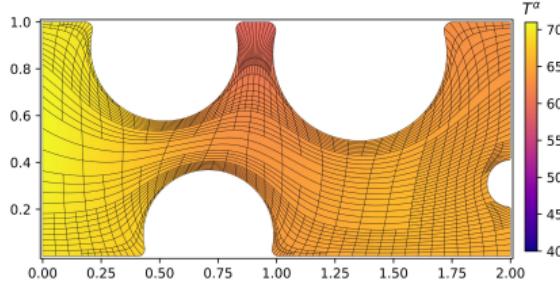
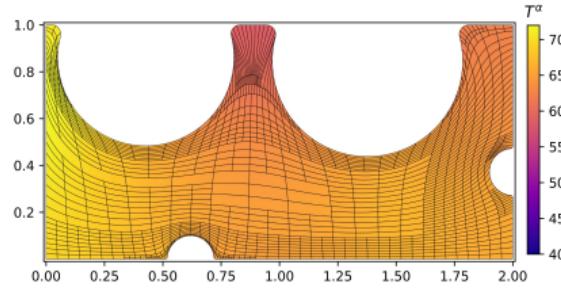
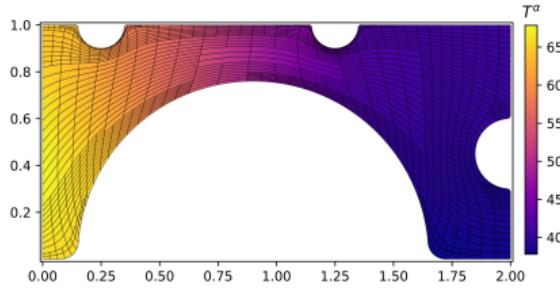
with B-spline basis functions N_i^p of order p .

- PoU, local support, non-negative
- Geometry-preserving refinement
- Generic extension to high order
- Operations can be expressed at SpMVs



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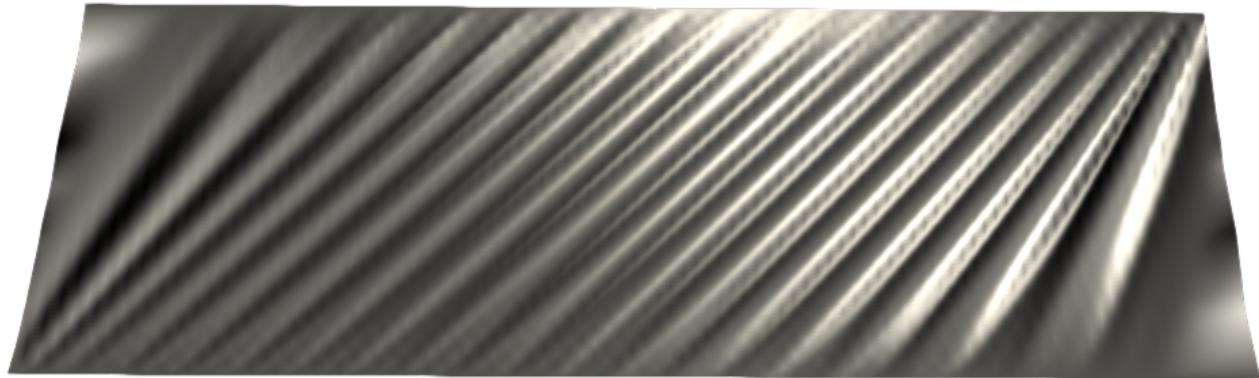
- ② ‘Meshing’ + design optimization becomes one global optimization problem



J.P. Hinz, A. Jaeschke, M. Möller, C. Vuik (2021). The role of PDE-based parameterization techniques in gradient-based IGA shape optimization applications. CMAME 378, 113685.

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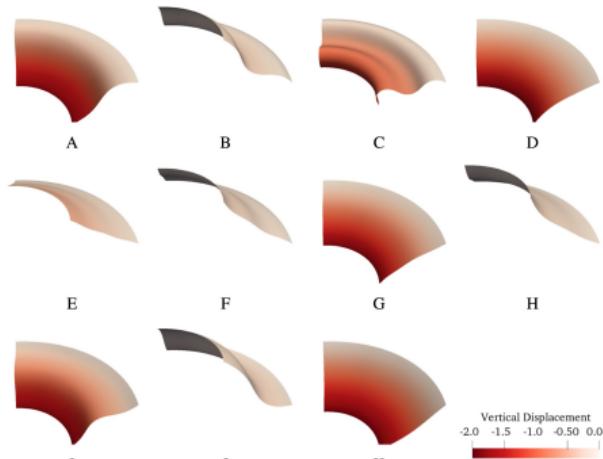
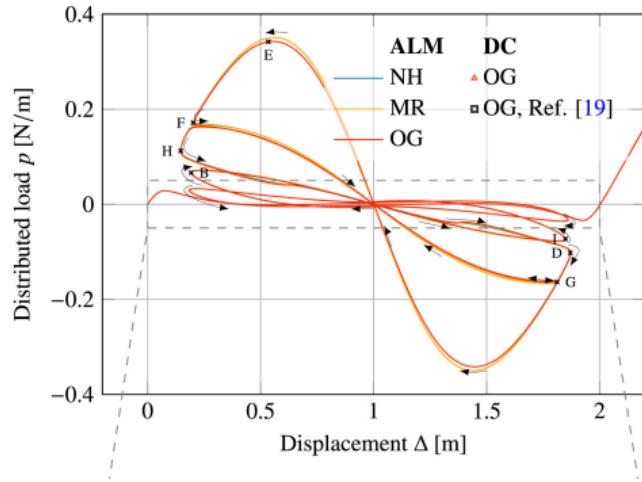
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H.M. Verhelst, <https://github.com/gismo/gsKLShell> (v22.1)

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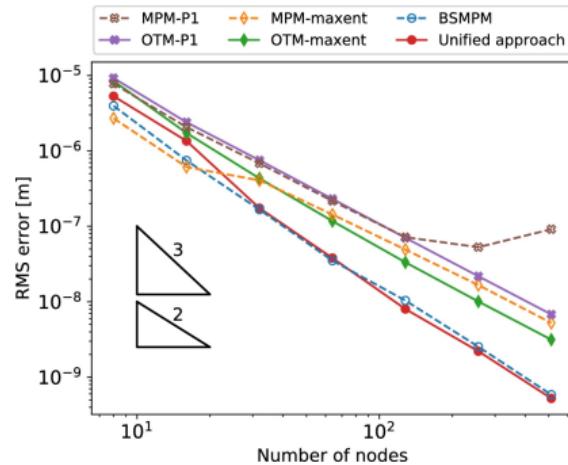
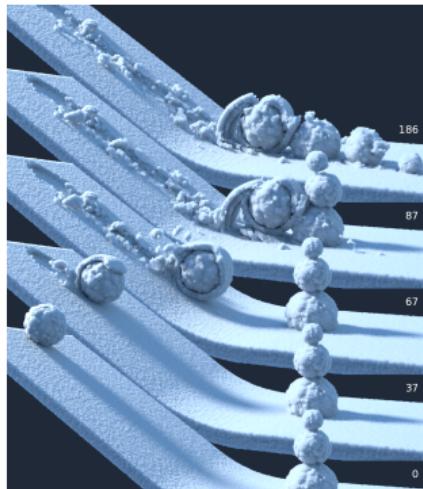
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Left: Stomakhin et al. (2013). A material point method for snow simulation. ACM Trans. Graph. 32.
Right: E. Wobbes, R. Tielen, M. Möller, C. Vuik (2021). Comparison and unification of material-point and optimal transportation meshfree methods. Computational Particle Mechanics, 8, 113-133.

But ...

IGA also has its challenges

- automatic BRep-CAD-to-VRep-analysis workflows (we really don't care)
- efficient $C^{>0}$ multi-patch coupling (Delft, Linz, ...)
- efficient assembly of linear and multi-linear forms (INRIA, Pavia, ...)
- efficient solution of linear systems of equations (Delft, Linz, ...)
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Outline

① Motivation and problem formulations

② Part I: Multigrid methods for IGA

Introduction to h - and p -multigrid

ILUT smoother for single-patch IGA

Block-ILUT smoother for multi-patch IGA

③ Part II: Multigrid reduction in time (MGRIT)

Introduction to MGRIT

MGRIT-IGA

④ Conclusions

Model problems

Part I: Convection-diffusion-reaction equation (CDR-Eq)

$$\begin{aligned} -\nabla \cdot (\mathbb{D} \nabla u(\mathbf{x})) + \mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla u(\mathbf{x}) + r u(\mathbf{x}) &= f & \mathbf{x} \in \Omega \\ u(\mathbf{x}) &= g & \mathbf{x} \in \Gamma \end{aligned}$$

Part II: Heat equation (Heat-Eq)

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_t u(\mathbf{x}, t) - \kappa \Delta u(\mathbf{x}, t) &= f & \mathbf{x} \in \Omega, t \in [0, T] \\ u(\mathbf{x}, t) &= g & \mathbf{x} \in \Gamma, t \in [0, T] \\ u(\mathbf{x}, 0) &= u^0(\mathbf{x}) & \mathbf{x} \in \Omega \end{aligned}$$

d -dimensional connected Lipschitz domain $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^d$, its boundary $\Gamma = \partial\Omega$, load vector $f \in L^2(\Omega)$, Dirichlet boundary conditions g , diffusion tensor \mathbb{D} and coefficient κ , resp., divergence-free velocity field \mathbf{v} , source term r , and u^0 initial conditions

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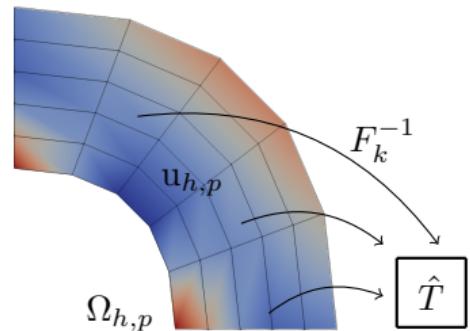
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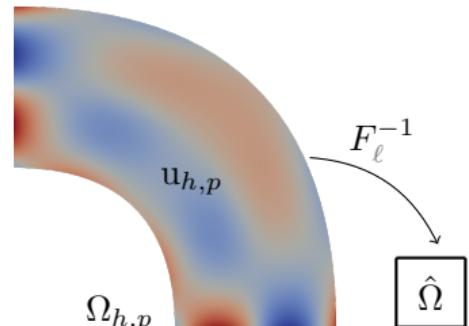
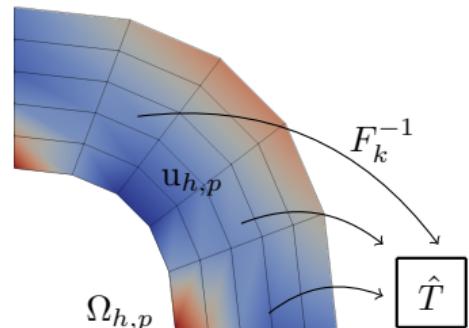
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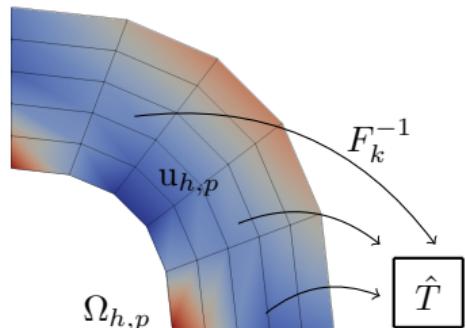


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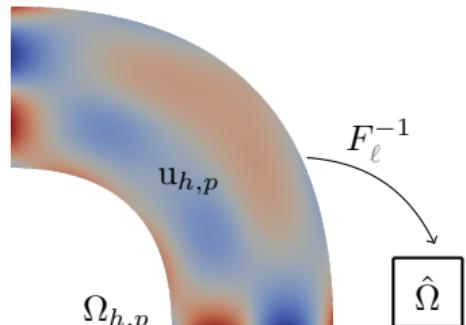
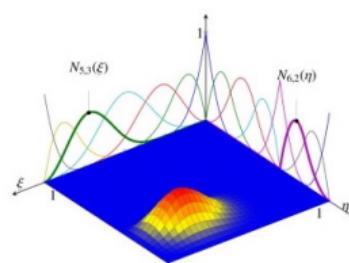


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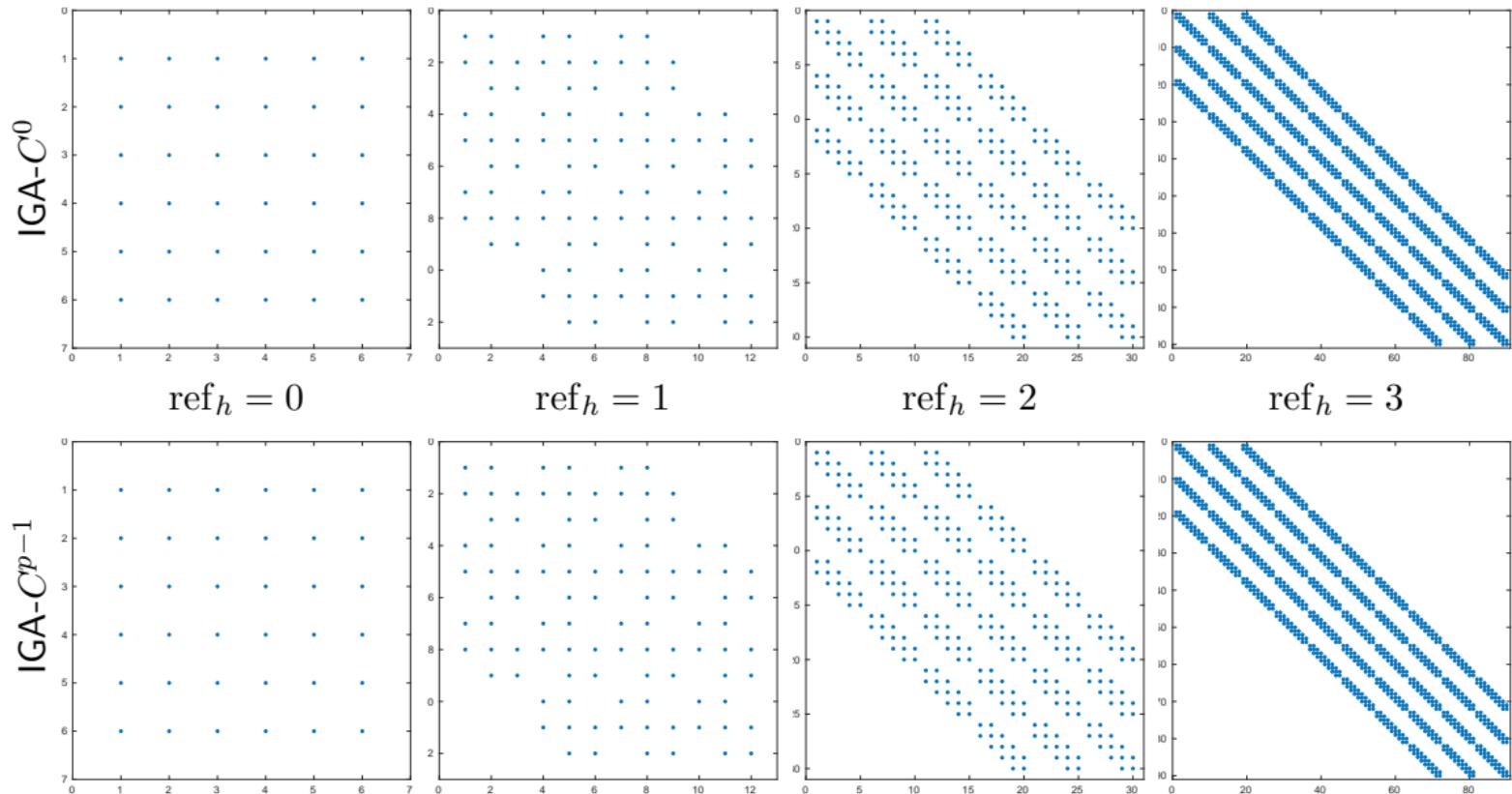
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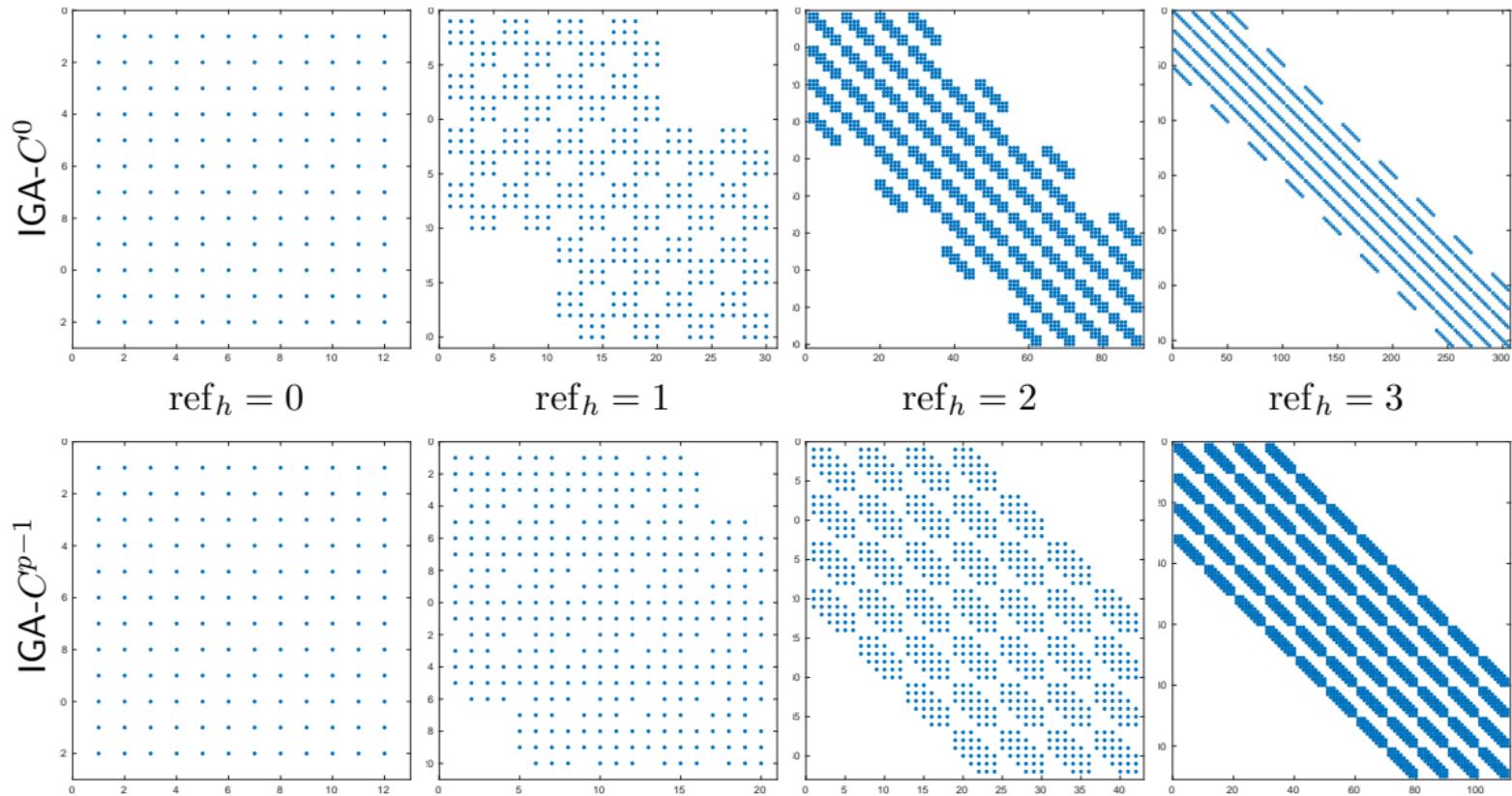
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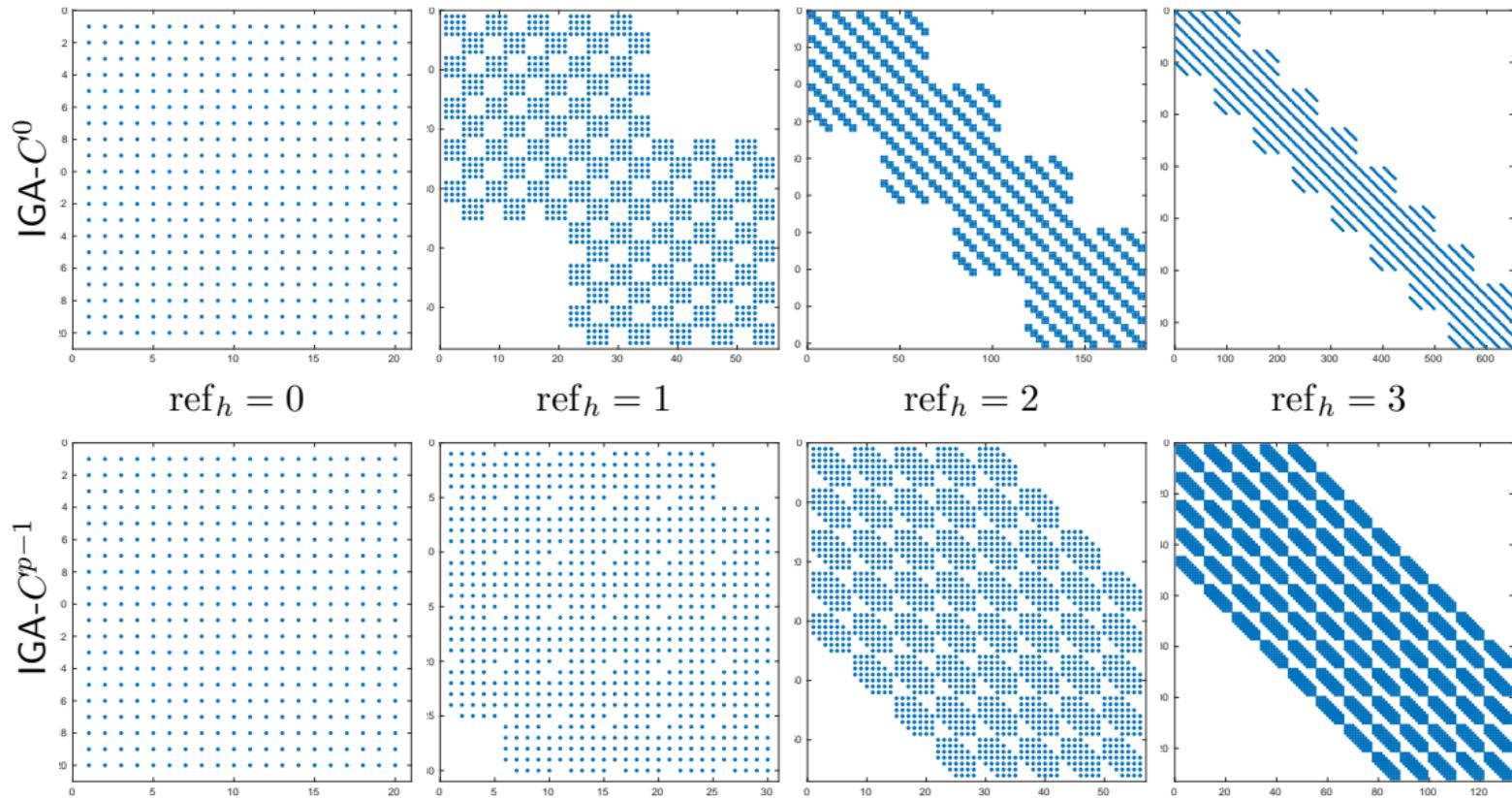
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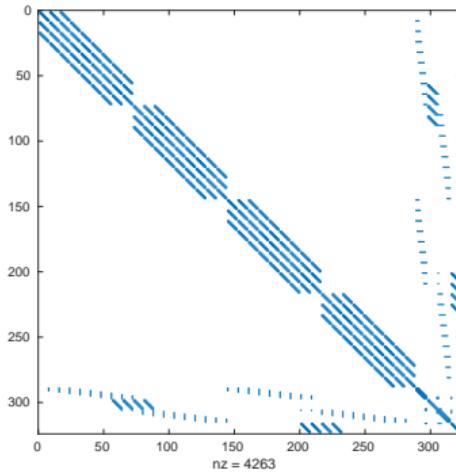
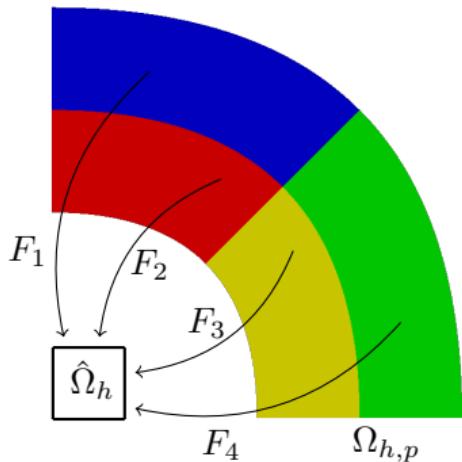
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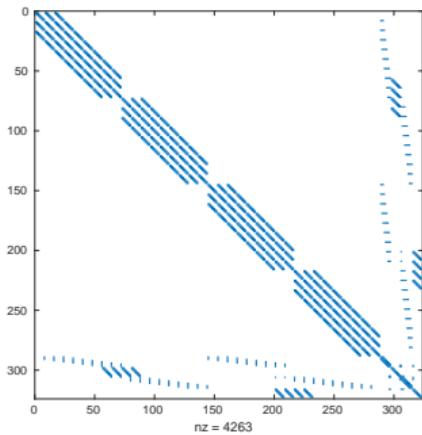
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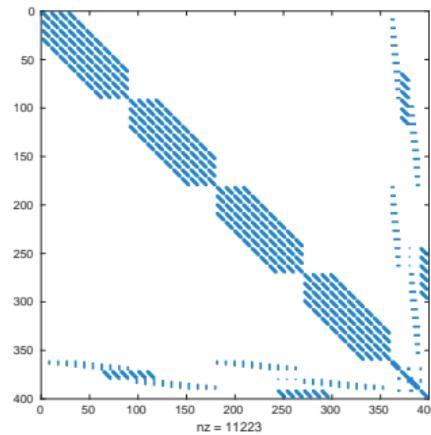
Four-patch geometry with C^0 coupling of conforming degrees of freedom.

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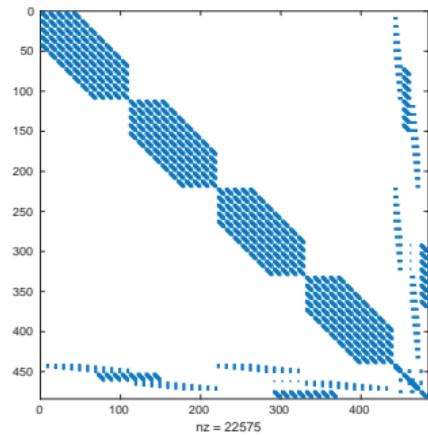
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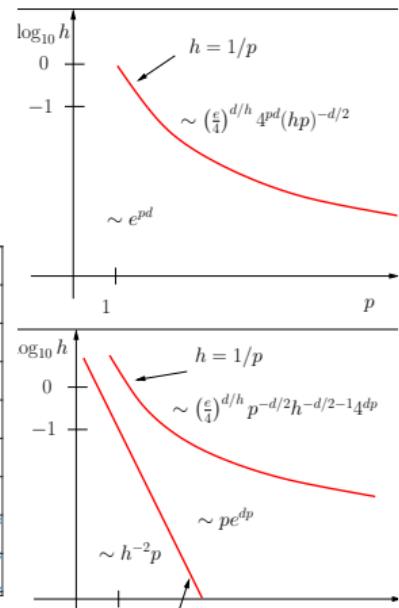
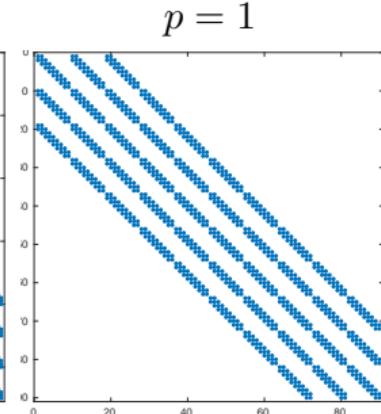
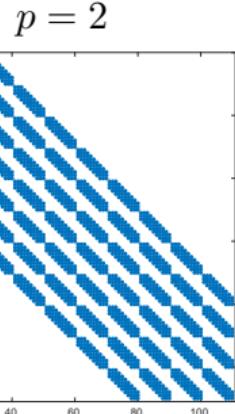
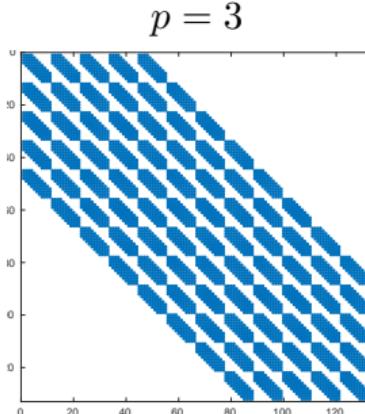
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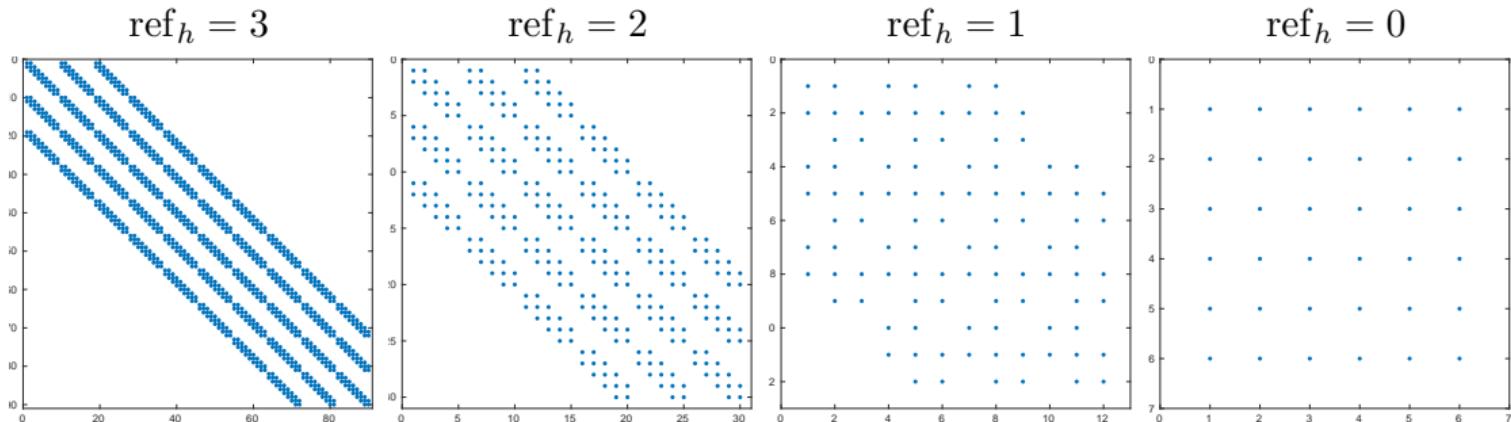
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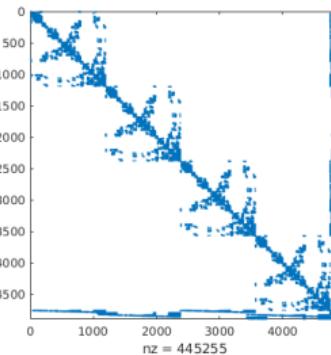
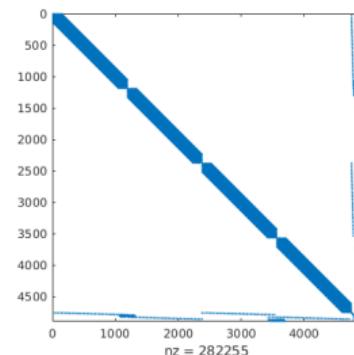
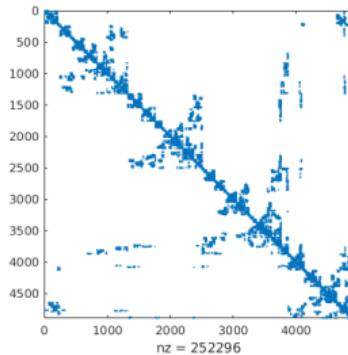
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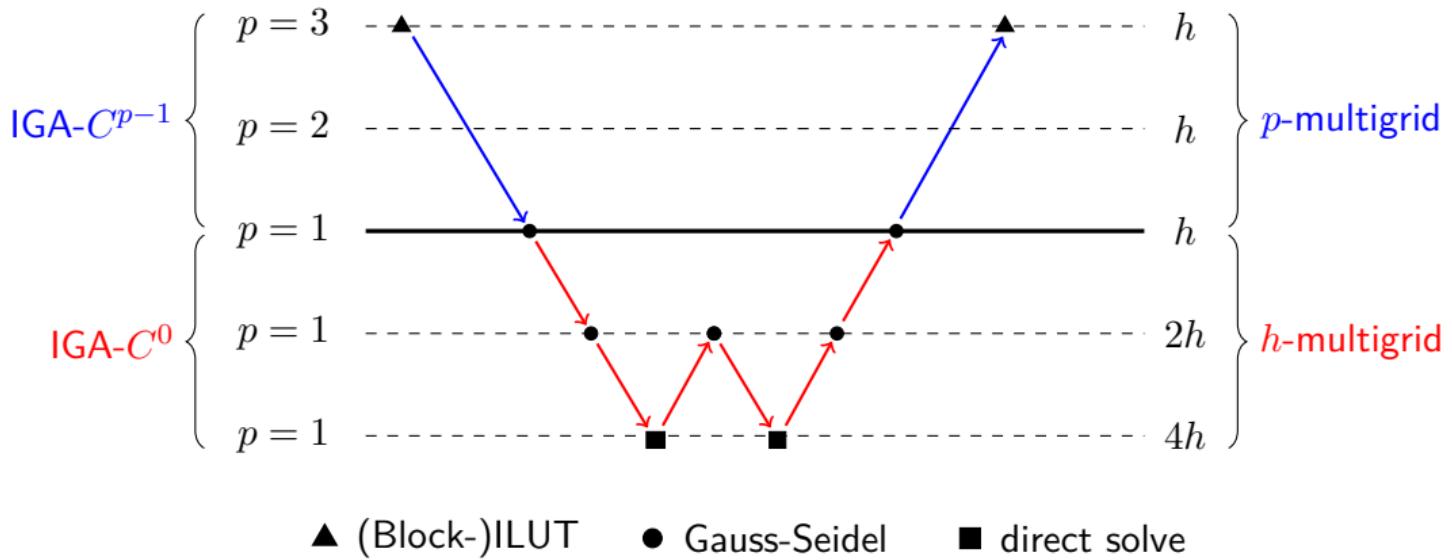
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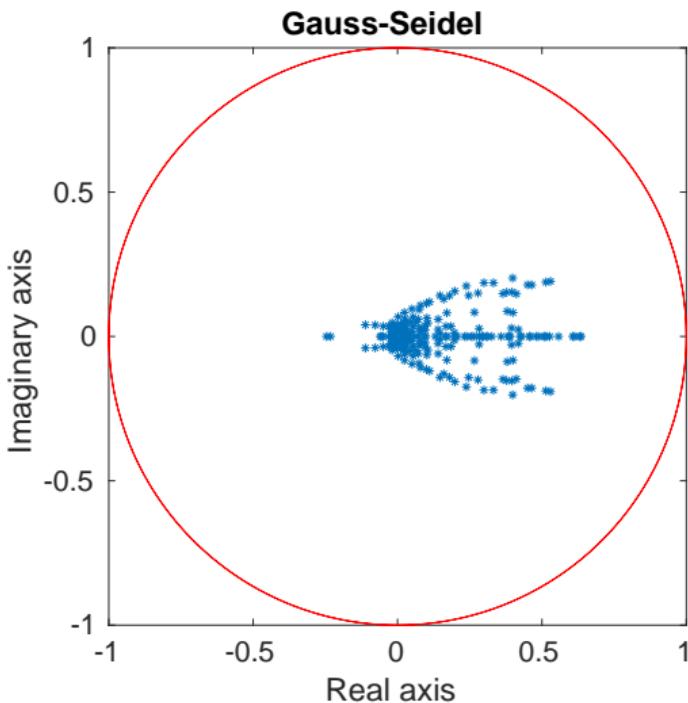
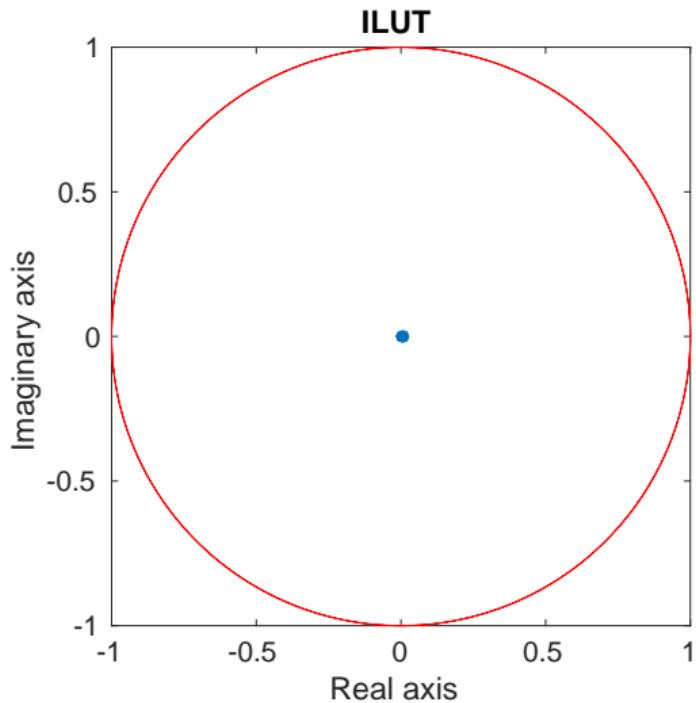
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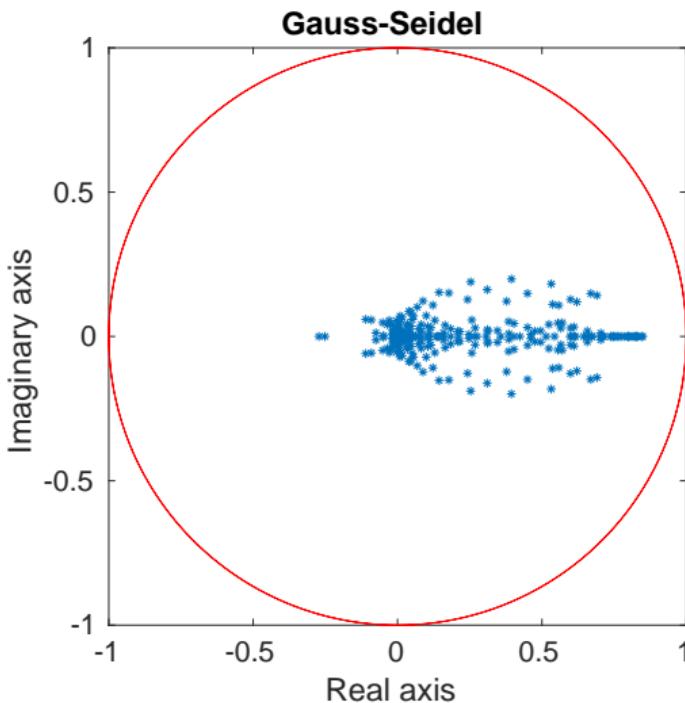
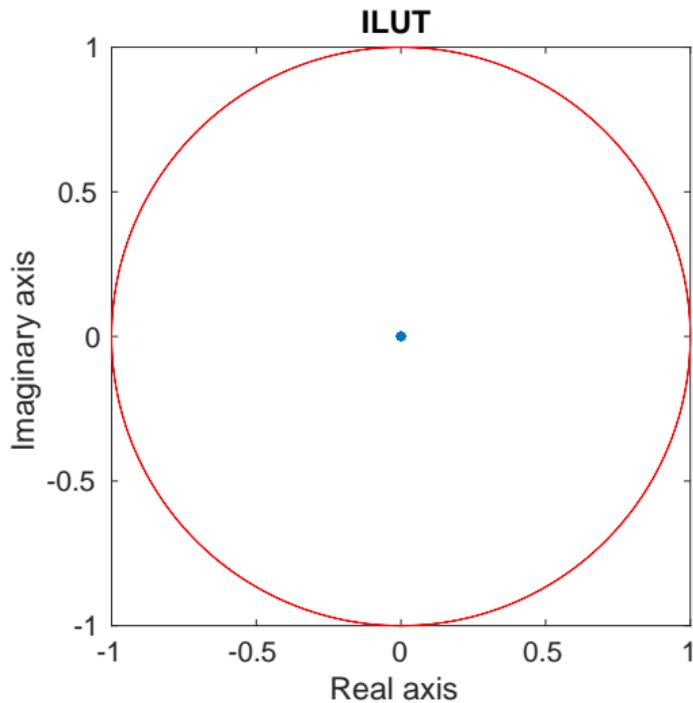
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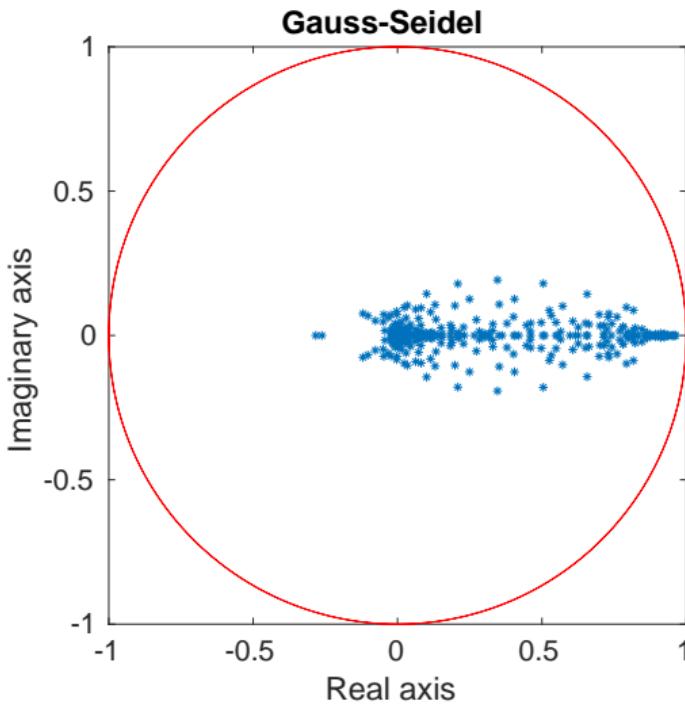
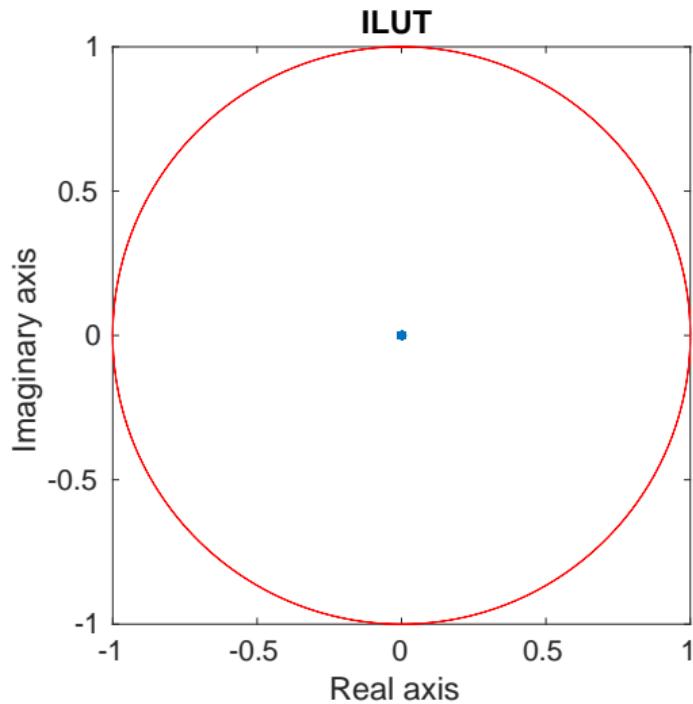
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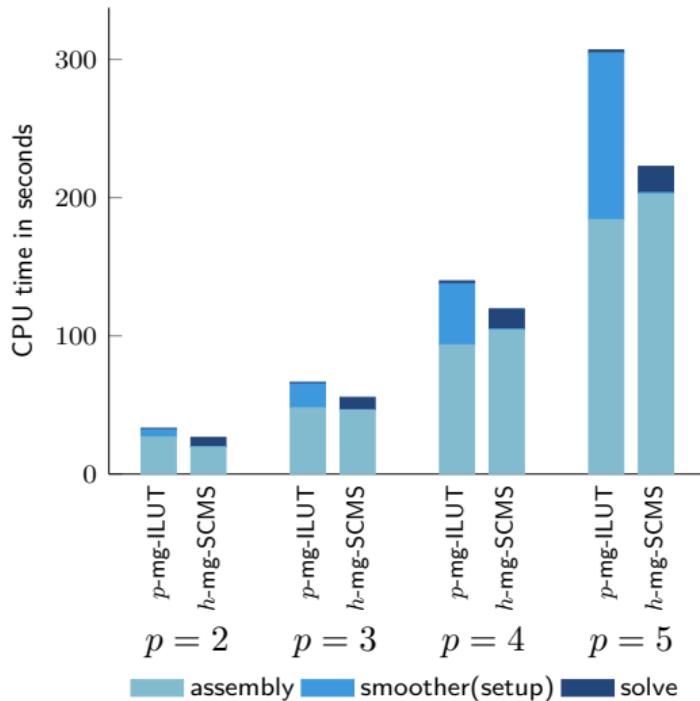
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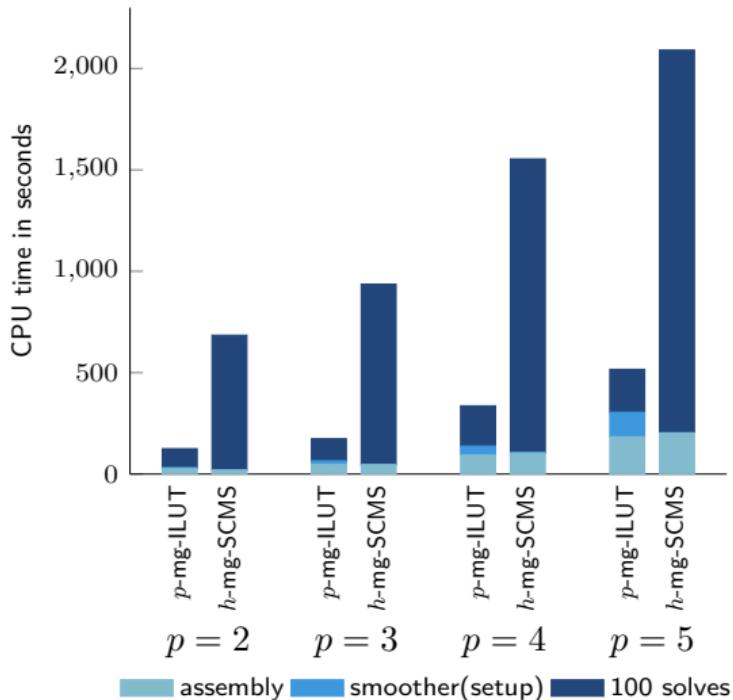
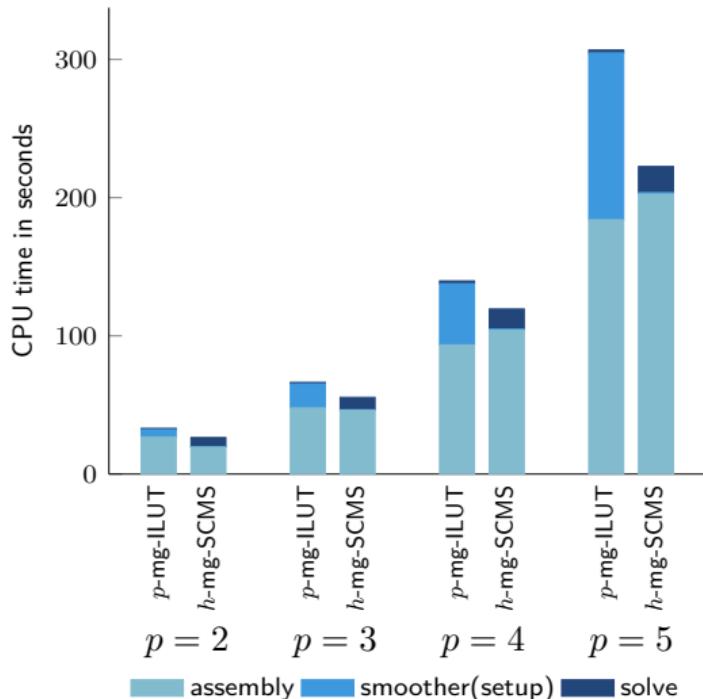
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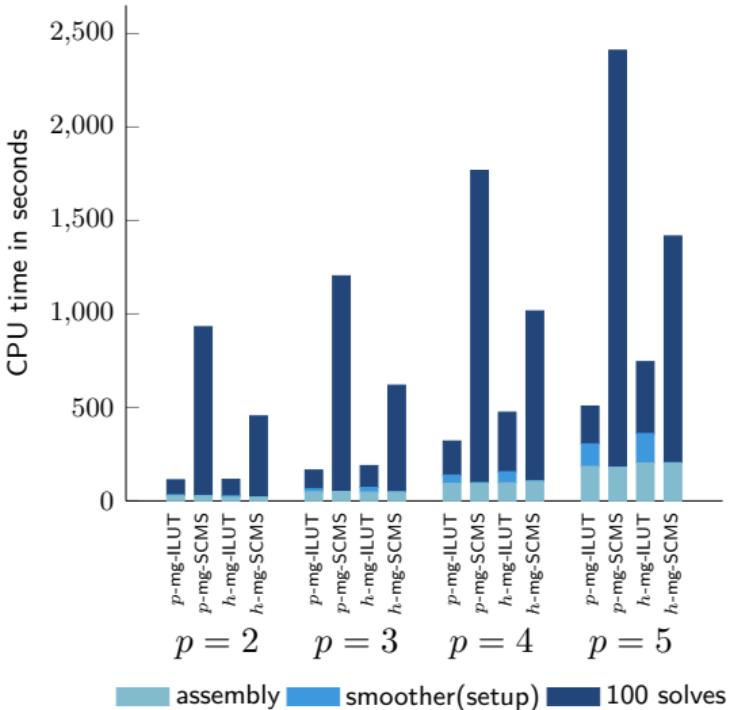
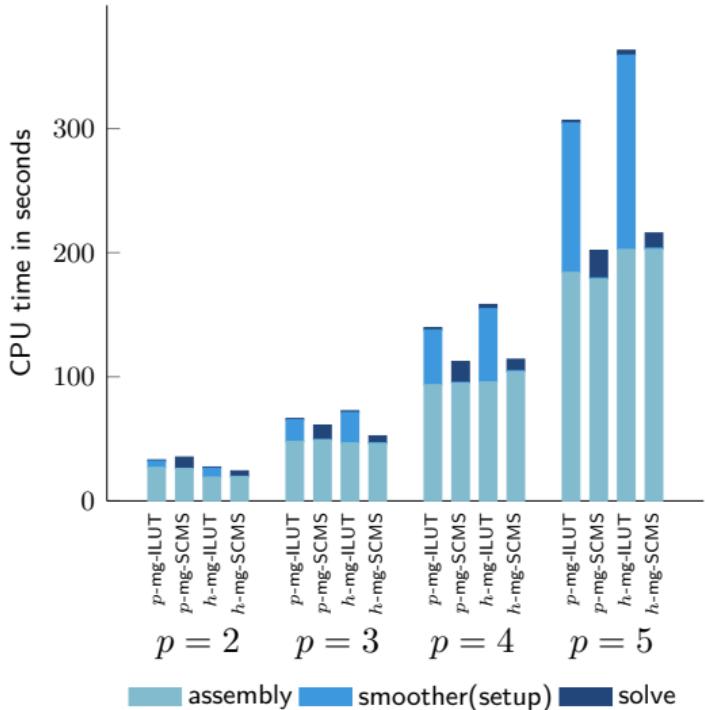
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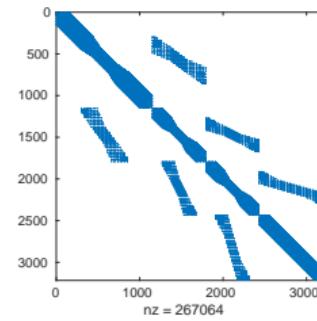
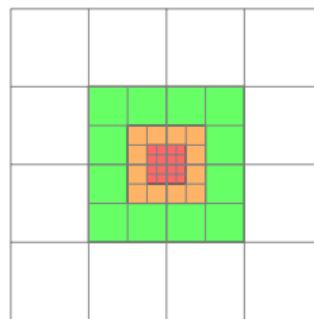
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Numerical examples: THB splines

#3: Poisson's equation on the unit square domain

	$p = 2$		$p = 3$		$p = 4$		$p = 5$	
	ILUT	GS	ILUT	GS	ILUT	GS	ILUT	GS
$h = 2^{-4}$	6	17	8	47	7	177	10	1033
$h = 2^{-5}$	6	16	7	44	8	182	7	923
$h = 2^{-6}$	6	17	5	43	6	201	12	1009



Block ILUT

Exact LU decomposition of the block matrix A

$$\begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & & A_{\Gamma 1} \\ \ddots & & \vdots \\ A_{1\Gamma} & \cdots & A_{N_p N_p} & A_{\Gamma N_p} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} L_1 & & & \\ & \ddots & & \\ B_1 & \cdots & B_{N_p} & I \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} U_1 & & C_1 \\ \ddots & & \vdots \\ U_{N_p} & C_{N_p} & S \end{bmatrix},$$

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Let us replace L_ℓ and U_ℓ by their (local) ILUT factorizations (compute in parallel!)

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$h = 2^{-6}$	3(5)	3(5)	4(7)	3(5)	3(7)	4(10)	3(6)	2(7)	3(11)	3(5)	3(7)	3(10)
$h = 2^{-7}$	3(5)	3(5)	3(5)	3(5)	3(6)	3(8)	3(5)	2(6)	3(10)	–(5)	6(7)	3(11)

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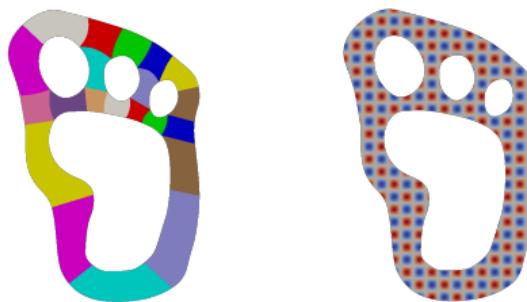
	$p = 2$ # patches			$p = 3$ # patches			$p = 4$ # patches			$p = 5$ # patches		
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Numbers in parentheses correspond to global ILUT

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#4: Poisson's equation on the Yeti footprint

	$p = 2$		$p = 3$		$p = 4$		$p = 5$	
	block	global	block	global	block	global	block	global
$h = 2^{-3}$	4	5	2	4	2	4	2	4
$h = 2^{-4}$	4	8	3	5	3	5	2	4
$h = 2^{-5}$	4	8	3	6	3	5	3	5



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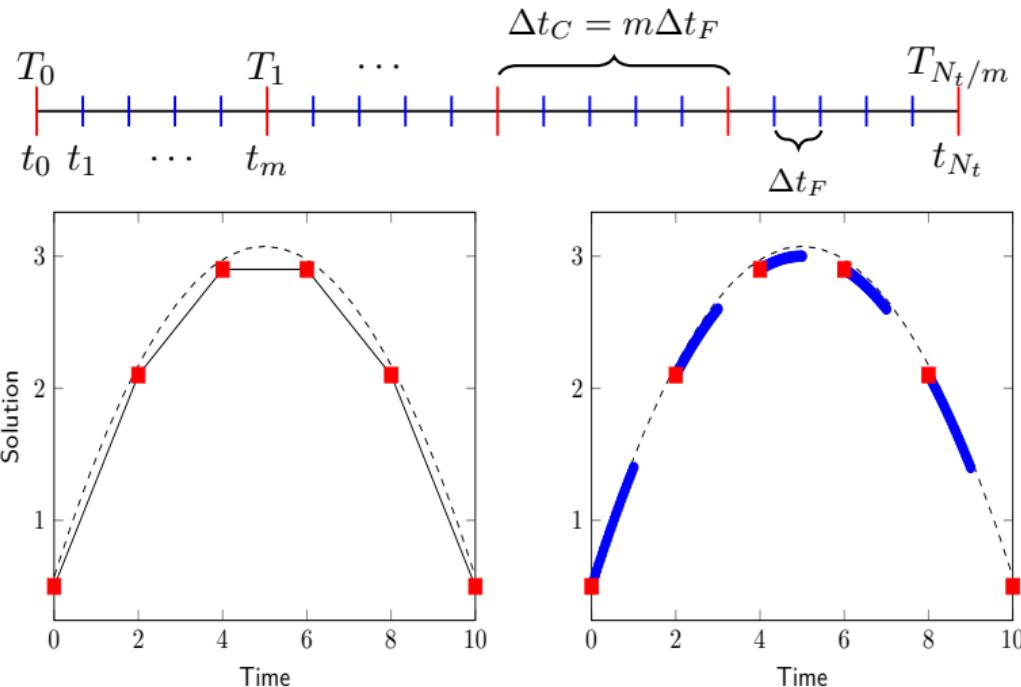
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with

$$\Psi_{h,p} = [M_{h,p} + \Delta t_F K_{h,p}]^{-1}$$

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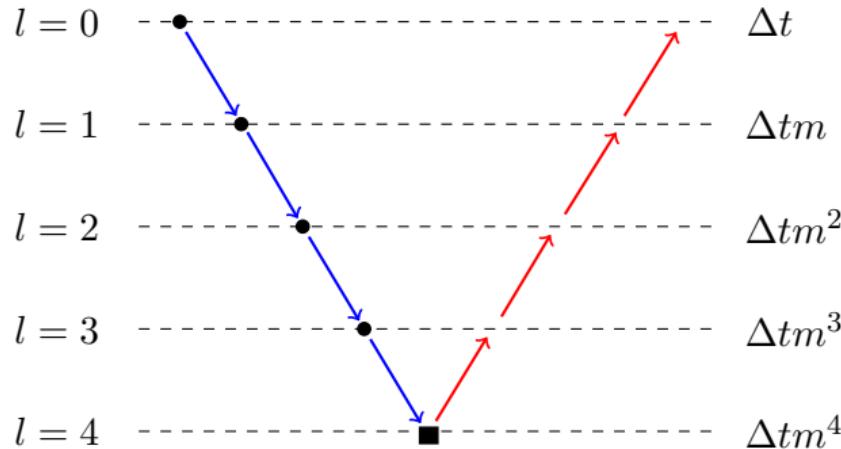
Approximate the Schur complement

$$S = \begin{bmatrix} I & & & \\ -(\Psi_{h,p} M_{h,p})^m & I & & \\ & \ddots & \ddots & \\ & & -(\Psi_{h,p} M_{h,p})^m & I \end{bmatrix} \approx \begin{bmatrix} I & & & \\ -\Phi_{h,p} M_{h,p} & I & & \\ & \ddots & \ddots & \\ & & -\Phi_{h,p} M_{h,p} & I \end{bmatrix}$$

with *coarse integrator*

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The MGRIT-IGA V-cycle



- relaxation
- exact solve
- ↙ restriction ↗ interpolation

MGRIT-IGA implementation

G+Smo: Geometry plus Simulation Modules

- open-source cross-platform IGA library written in C++
- dimension-independent code development using templates
- building on Eigen C++ library for linear algebra



XBraid: Parallel Multigrid in Time

- open-source implementation of the optimal-scaling multigrid solver in MPI/C with C++ interface
- extendable by overloading callback functions

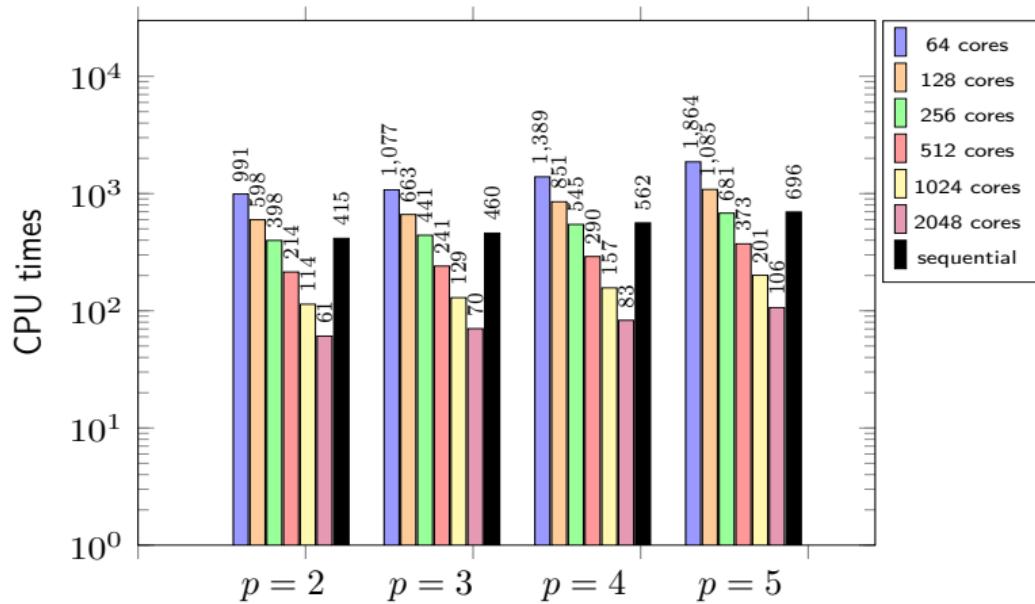


Try it yourself

<https://github.com/gismo/gismo/tree/xbraid/extensions/gsXBraid>

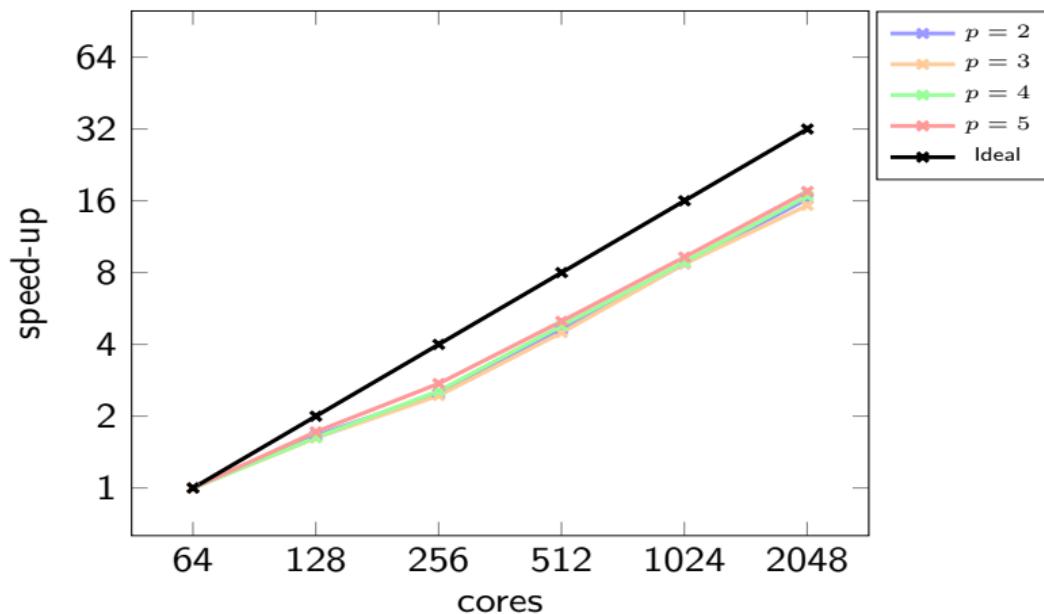
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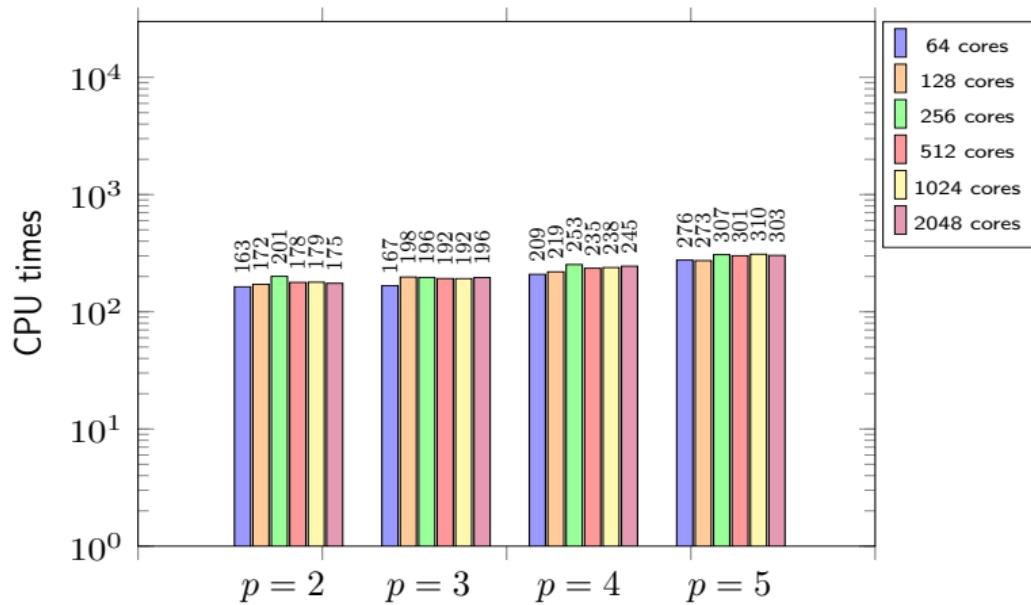
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Numerical examples: Weak scaling of MGRIT-IGA

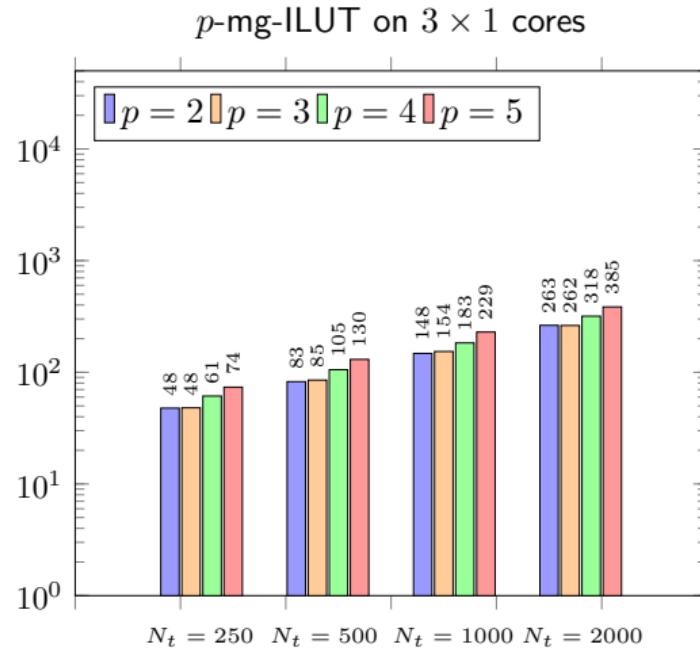
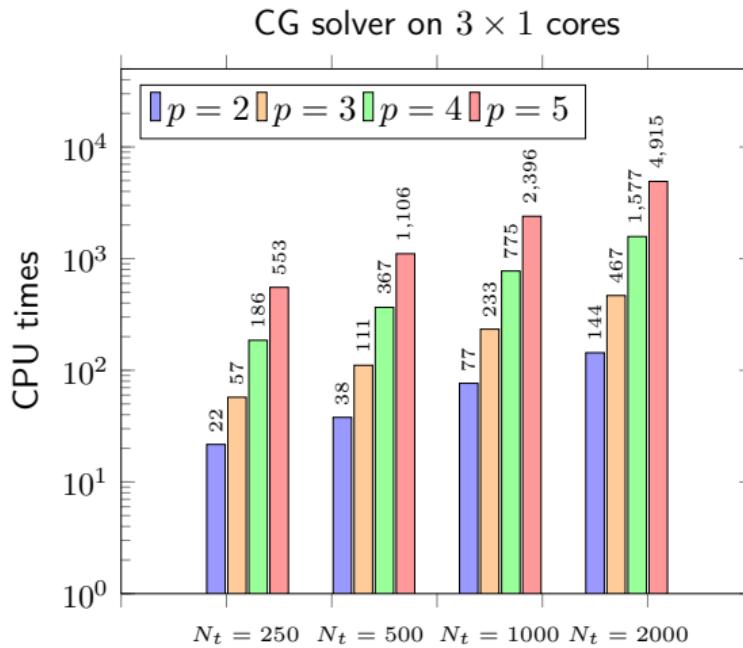
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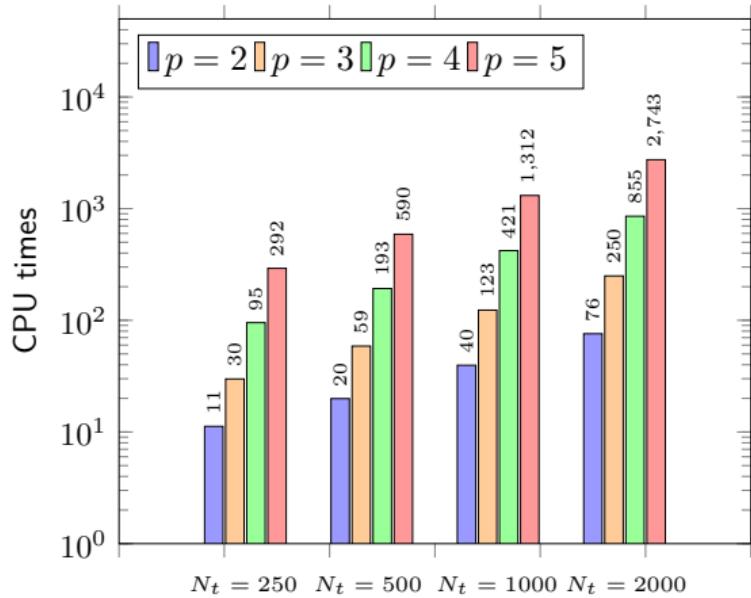
No!



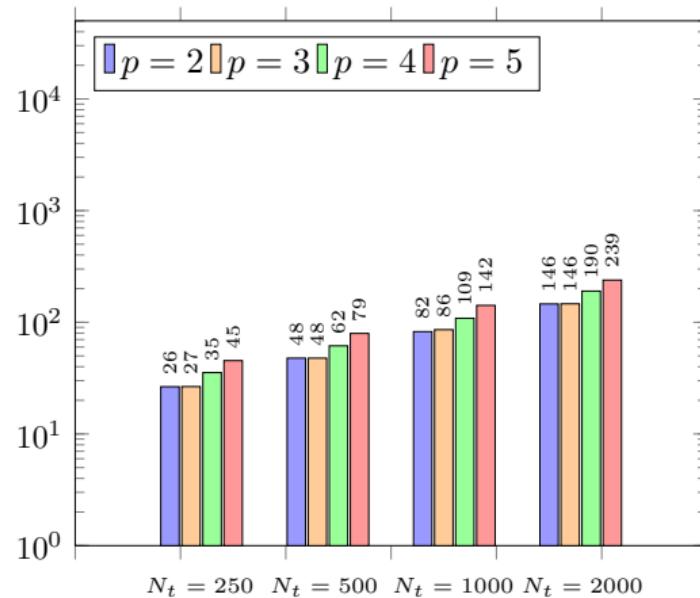
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CG solver on 3×2 cores



p -mg-ILUT on 3×2 cores



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What's next?

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- extension to nonlinear PDEs and higher-order time integrators

Further reading

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