



A parameter-dependent smoother for the multigrid method

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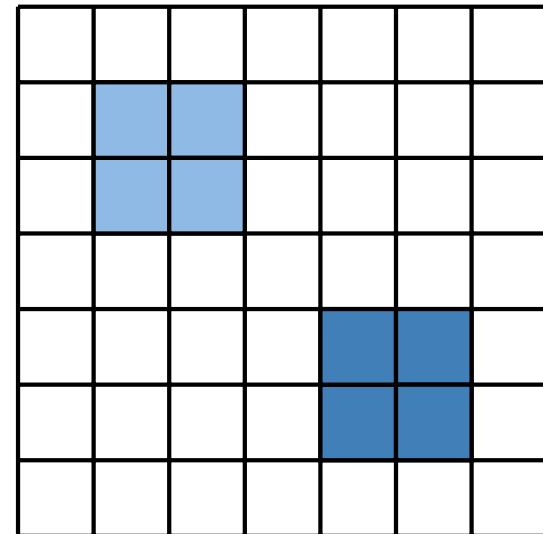
Parameter-dependent problems

Example PDE:

$$\begin{aligned} -\nabla \cdot (\sigma(x, p) \nabla u(x, p)) &= f(x, p) && \text{in } \Omega \times \mathcal{P}, \Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^d, \\ u(x, p) &= 0 && \text{on } \partial\Omega, \end{aligned}$$

where $\sigma(x, p)$ is an uncertain diffusion coefficient depending on p .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Assume: } \sigma(x, p) &:= \sigma_0 + \sum_{\nu=1}^d p^{(\nu)}(x), \\ &\text{with } p^{(\nu)} \text{ uniform in } [0, 1]. \end{aligned}$$



Geometry

Parameter-dependent problems

- Discretization with d different parameters leads to

$$\left(A^{(0)} + \sum_{\nu=1}^d p^{(\nu)} A^{(\nu)} \right) u(p) = f(p) ,$$

where each $A^{(\nu)}$ is parameter-independent.

A fast solver is needed, e.g., the **multigrid method**

- With n choices for every parameter

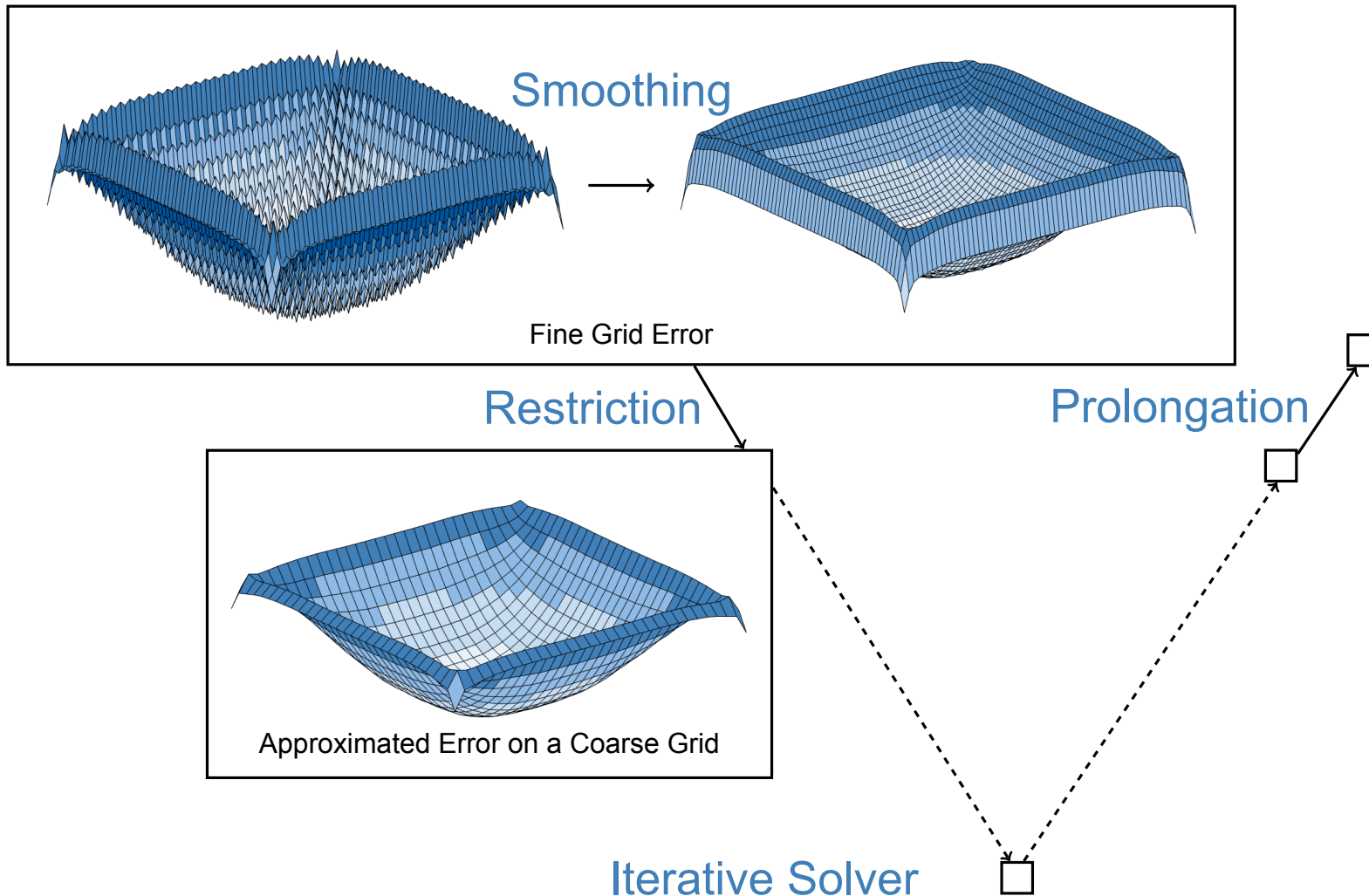
$\mathcal{O}(n^d)$ linear systems

need to be solved.

Break *curse of dimensionality*, e.g., **parameter-dependent representations**

\rightsquigarrow **parameter-dependent multigrid**

The multigrid method



Representation of parameter-dependent problems

The operator

Rewrite $A^{(0)} + \sum_{\nu=1}^d p^{(\nu)} A^{(\nu)}$ as block-diagonal system $\mathcal{A}(p)$, then

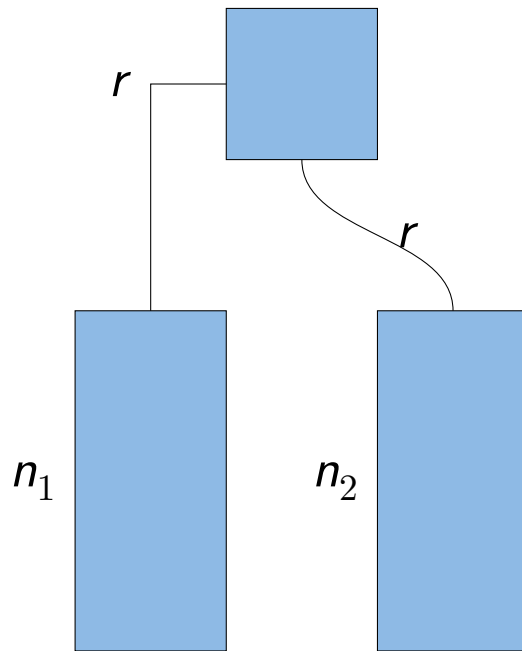
$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{A}(p) &= \text{Id}_{n_d} \otimes \cdots \otimes \text{Id}_{n_2} \otimes \text{Id}_{n_1} \otimes A^{(0)} \\ &\quad + \text{Id}_{n_d} \otimes \cdots \otimes \text{Id}_{n_2} \otimes \text{diag}(p^{(1)}) \otimes A^{(1)} \\ &\quad + \dots \\ &\quad + \text{diag}(p^{(d)}) \otimes \cdots \otimes \text{Id}_{n_2} \otimes \text{Id}_{n_1} \otimes A^{(d)}\end{aligned}$$

$$= \sum_{\nu=0}^d \bigotimes_{\mu=0}^d \begin{cases} A^{(\nu)} & \text{if } \mu = d, \\ \text{diag}(p^{(\nu)}) & \text{if } \mu + \nu = d \text{ and } \nu \neq 0, \\ \text{Id}_{n_\nu} & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

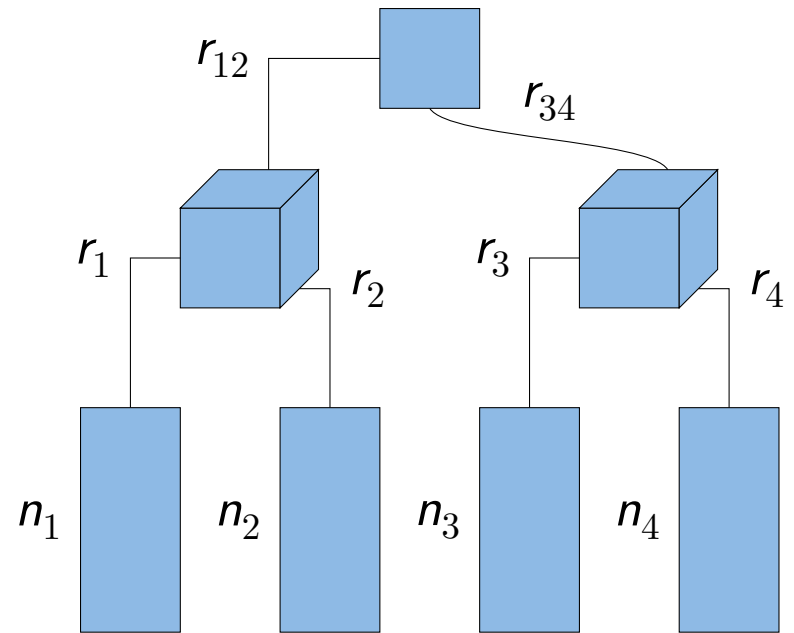
⇒ Low-rank representation

Representation of parameter-dependent problems

Hierarchical singular value decomposition



(a) $d = 2$

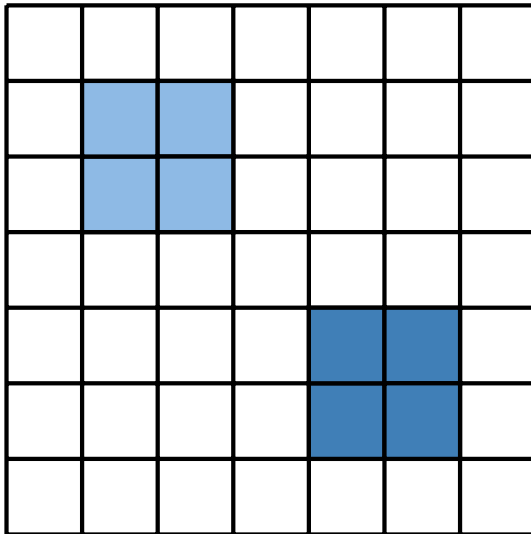


(b) $d = 4$

\Rightarrow Storage: $\mathcal{O}(n^d) \rightsquigarrow \mathcal{O}(dnr + dr^3)$

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The smoother



Geometry

Damped Richardson method:

$$\mathcal{S}_R(p) = \text{Id} - \omega(p)\mathcal{A}(p)$$

Damped Jacobi method:

$$\mathcal{S}_J(p) = \text{Id} - \omega(p)\text{diag}(\mathcal{A}(p))^{-1}\mathcal{A}(p)$$

⇒ We need a low-rank approximation of $\text{diag}(\mathcal{A}(p))^{-1}$

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Let $M \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times m}$ with $\sigma(M) \subseteq \{a + ib \in \mathbb{C} \mid a < 0\}$, then $M^{-1} = -\int_0^{\infty} \exp(tM) dt$

Now it holds

$$\left\| \int_0^{\infty} \exp(tM) dt - \sum_{m=1}^k \alpha_m \exp(\beta_m M) \right\| \leq \mathcal{O}(\exp(-\pi\sqrt{k}))$$

Application to $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$ yields

$$\begin{aligned} (x + y)^{-1} &= \sum_{m=1}^k \alpha_m \exp\left(-\beta_m(x + y)\right) \\ &= \sum_{m=1}^k \alpha_m \exp\left(-\beta_m x\right) \cdot \exp\left(-\beta_m y\right) \end{aligned}$$

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The smoother

Find low-rank representation of the inverse diagonal, e.g.,

$$\text{diag}(\mathcal{A}(p))^{-1} = (\text{Id}_{n_1} \otimes \text{diag}(A^{(0)}) + \text{diag}(p^{(1)}) \otimes \text{diag}(A^{(1)}))^{-1} \quad (1)$$

Because

- all summands commute, as diagonal matrices, and
- for s.p.d. operator all eigenvalues are positive and bounded from 0

use approximation through exponential sums

$$\begin{aligned} (1) &\approx \sum_{m=1}^k \alpha_m \exp\left(-\beta_m \left(\text{Id}_{n_1} \otimes \text{diag}(A^{(0)}) + \text{diag}(p^{(1)}) \otimes \text{diag}(A^{(1)})\right)\right) \\ &= \sum_{m=1}^k \alpha_m \underbrace{\left(\text{Id}_{n_1} \otimes \exp\left(-\beta_m \text{diag}(A^{(0)})\right)\right)}_{\text{Low-rank structure}} \cdot \underbrace{\exp\left(-\beta_m \text{diag}(p^{(1)}) \otimes \text{diag}(A^{(1)})\right)}_{\text{Problem}} \end{aligned}$$

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Problem: $\exp\left(-\beta_m \text{diag}(p^{(1)}) \otimes \text{diag}(A^{(1)})\right) =: (2)$ not separable

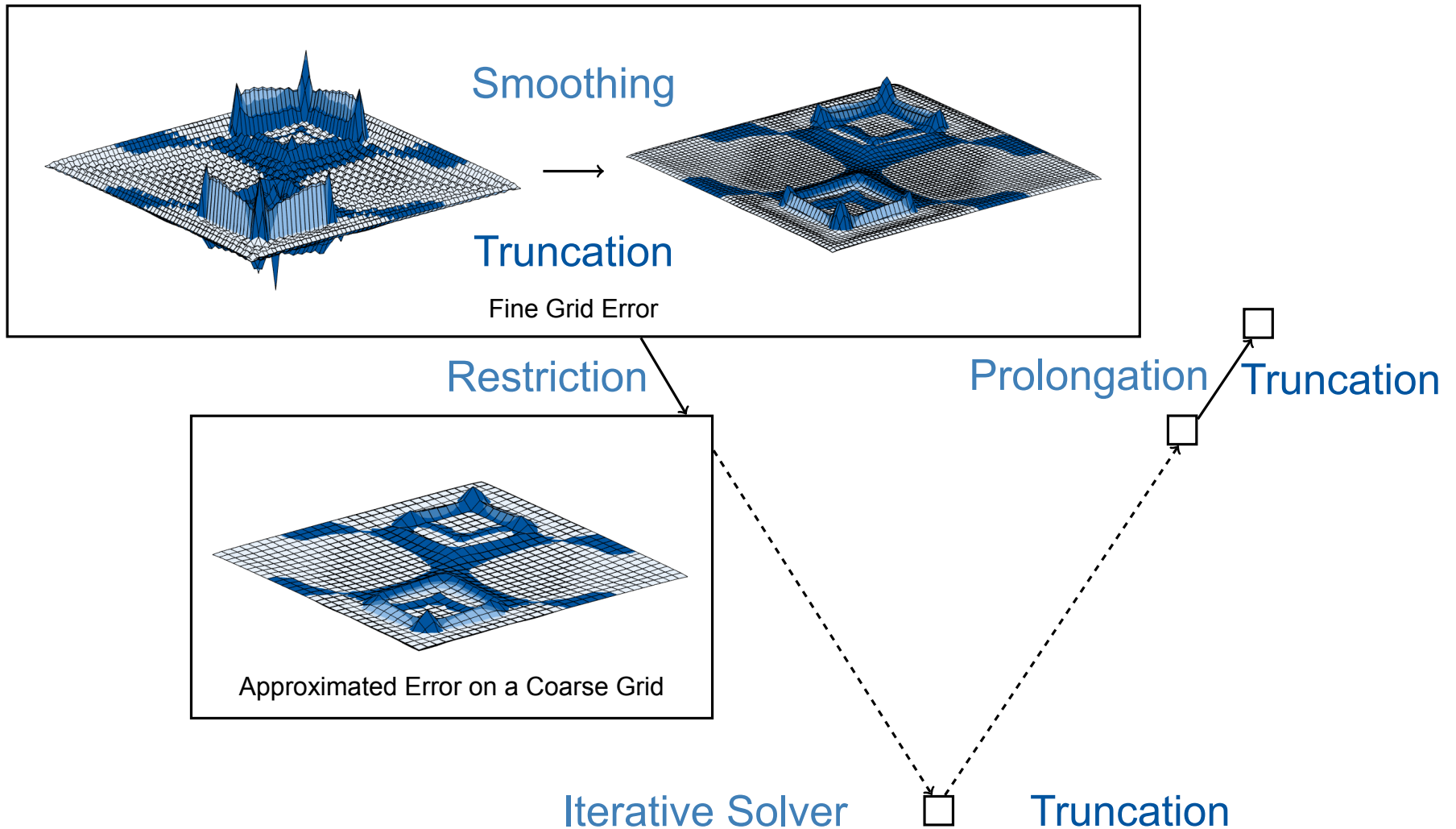
Assume $\text{diag}(A^{(1)}) = \text{diag}(0, \dots, 0, c_1, c_1, \dots, c_1, 0, \dots, 0) = c_1 \tilde{\text{Id}}_1$, then with

$$\begin{aligned} (2) &= \exp\left(-\beta_m c_1 \text{diag}(p^{(1)}) \otimes \tilde{\text{Id}}_1\right) = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-\beta_m c_1 \text{diag}(p^{(1)}) \otimes \tilde{\text{Id}}_1)^j}{j!} \\ &= (\text{Id}_{n_1} \otimes \text{Id}_{n_0}) + \left(\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-\beta_m c_1 \text{diag}(p^{(1)}))^j}{j!} \otimes \tilde{\text{Id}}_1\right) + (\text{Id}_{n_1} \otimes \tilde{\text{Id}}_1) - (\text{Id}_{n_1} \otimes \tilde{\text{Id}}_1) \end{aligned}$$

a low-rank representation of the inverse diagonal follows:

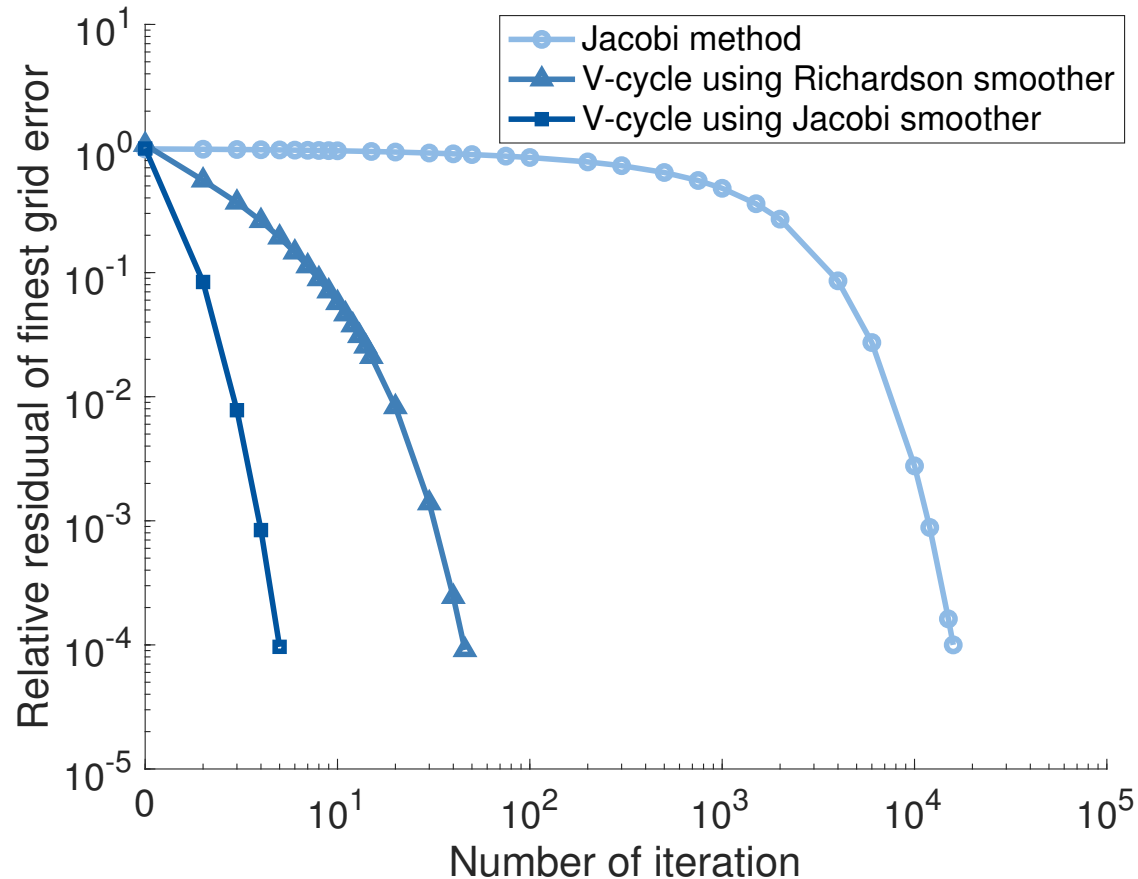
$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{m=1}^k \alpha_m \left(\text{Id}_{n_1} \otimes \exp\left(-\beta_m \text{diag}(A^{(0)})\right) \right) &\left(\exp\left(-\beta_m c_1 \text{diag}(p^{(1)})\right) \otimes \tilde{\text{Id}}_1 \right. \\ &\left. + \text{Id}_{n_1} \otimes (\text{Id}_{n_0} - \tilde{\text{Id}}_1) \right) \end{aligned}$$

The parameter-dependent multigrid method



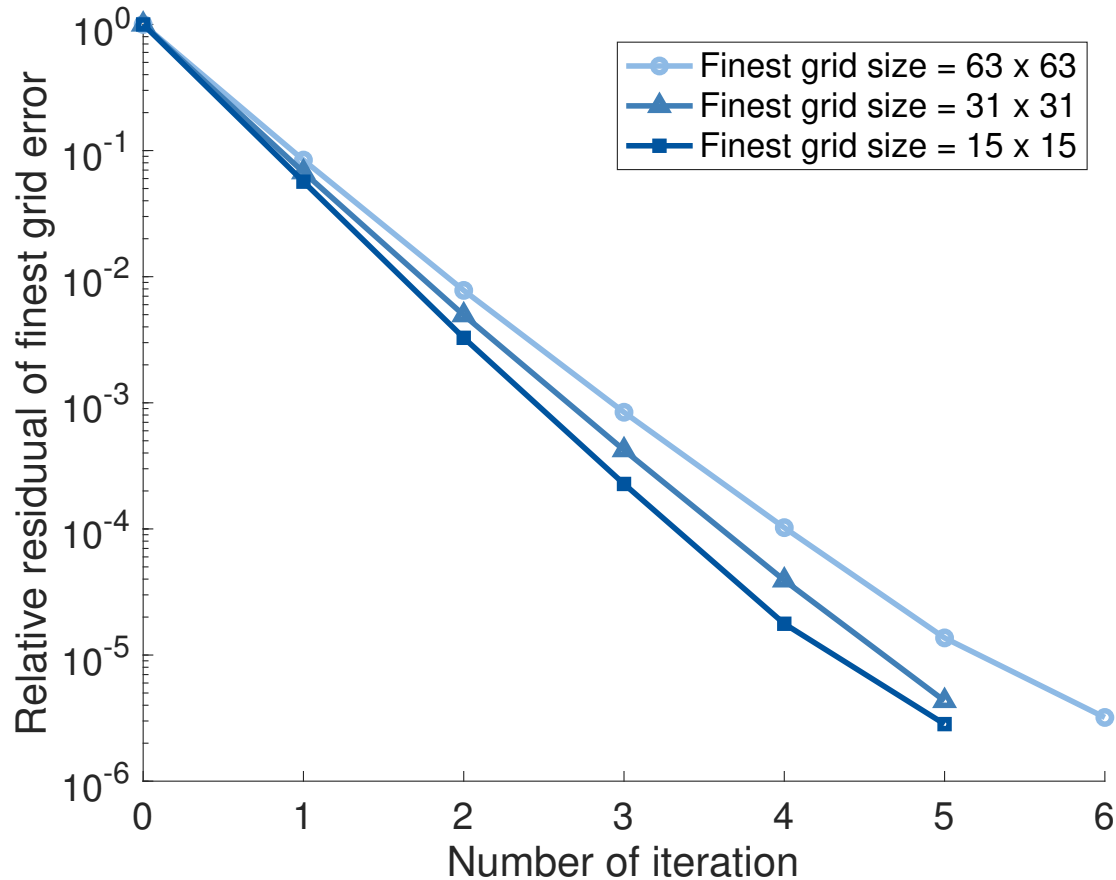
Numerical experiments

Comparison of parameter-dependent iterative solvers



Numerical experiments

Multigrid method using Jacobi smoother



A parameter-dependent smoother for the multigrid method

- Multigrid theory is valid for parameter-dependent problems
- Parameter-dependent representations of the linear system, smoother, prolongation and restriction through low-rank tensor formats
- Smoothing property holds for low-rank approximation of the parameter-dependent damped Jacobi method derived through exponential sums
- Numerical experiments suggest grid size independent convergence rate

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