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Design for IGA-type
discretization workflows



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DC3 – Technical Advancements

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DC3: Contact Mechanics

Project title: *Application of IBRA-type discretizations in implicit contact mechanics*

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Crash of a car against a deformable barrier, from Daimler Chrysler AG.

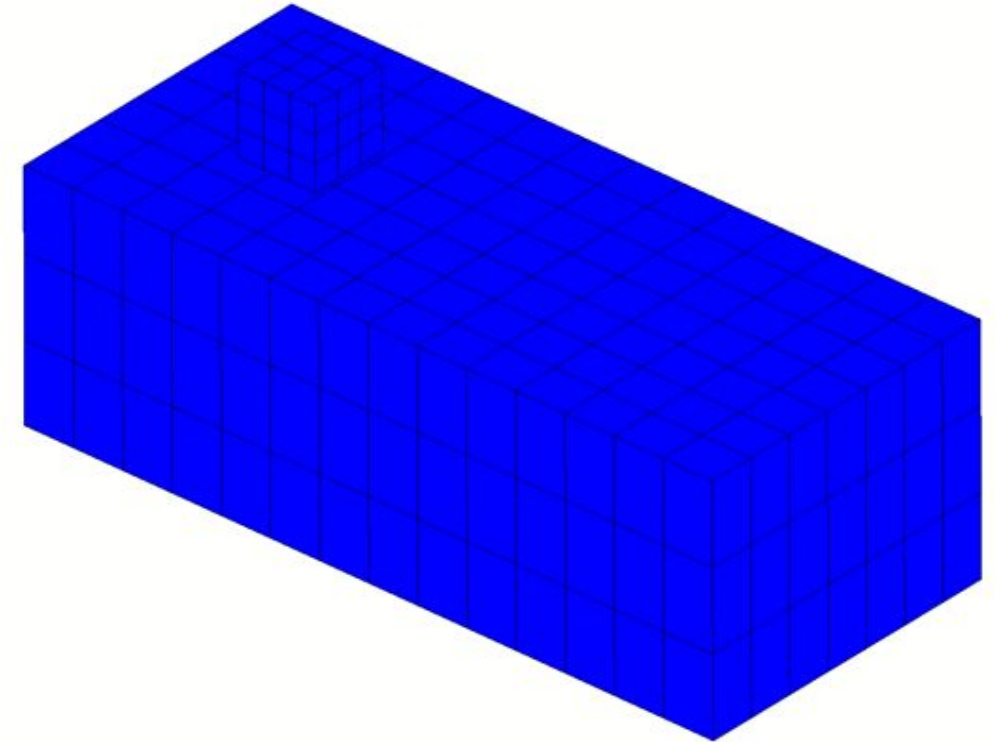


DC3: Contact Mechanics

Final Goal (3 years): Solve 2 and 3 dimensional contact mechanics problems with IBRA-type discretizations and immersed methods (like the Shifted Boundary Method – SBM)

Roadmap:

- ✓ Study Isogeometric Analysis
- ✓ Solve simple 1D truss model in IGA + SBM
- Study the basis of Numerical Contact Mechanics
- ✓ Solve 1D contact model in IGA and IGA+SBM



Three-dimensional ironing problem with rotating indenter.
From [Thomas Cichosz](#).



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□ Understand available CM application in Kratos
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□ Study multipatch coupling

□ Create a 2D contact model (plane stress) in Kratos



First steps in IGA: from simple truss to 1D contact

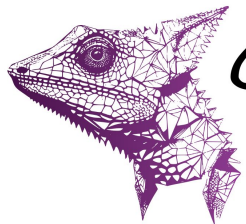
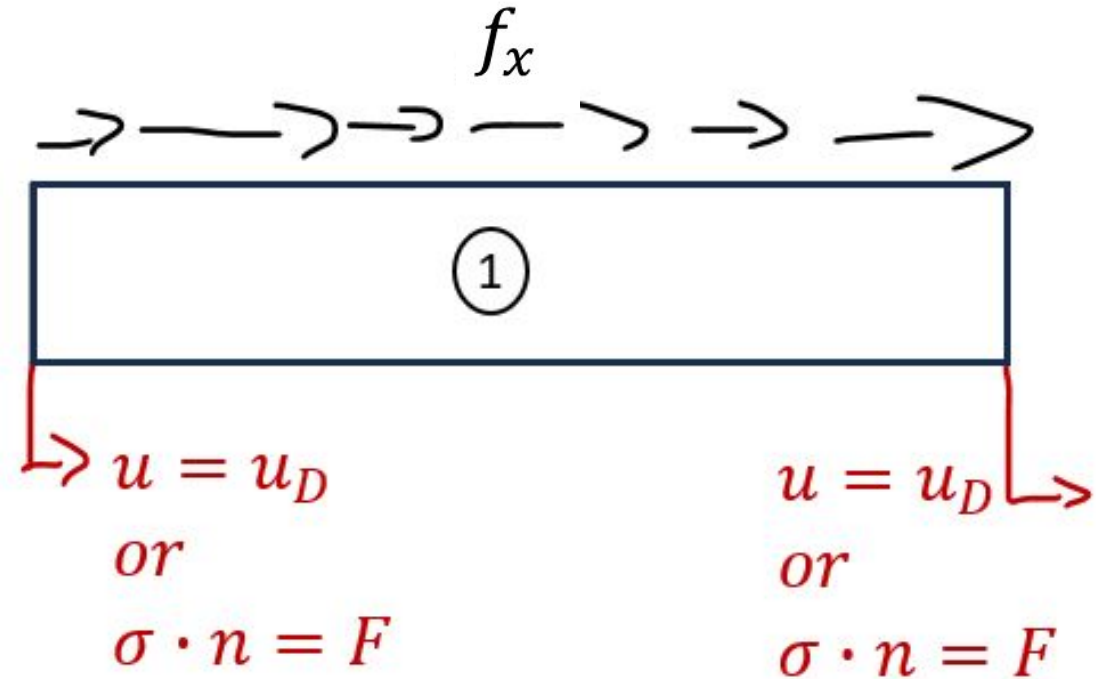
Governing equations

$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{div} \boldsymbol{\sigma} + \hat{\mathbf{b}} &= \rho \ddot{\mathbf{u}} && \text{in } \Omega \times [0, T], \\ \mathbf{u} &= \mathbf{u}_D && \text{on } \Gamma_D \times [0, T], \\ \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \mathbf{n} &= \hat{\mathbf{t}} && \text{on } \Gamma_\sigma \times [0, T]. \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathbf{u}(x, y, z, t) = u_x$$

Static
Linear Elastic

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_x (E \partial_x u) + f_x &= 0 && \text{in } [0, L], \\ u &= u_D && \text{on } \Gamma_D, \\ E \partial_x u \cdot \mathbf{n} &= f_n && \text{on } \Gamma_\sigma. \end{aligned}$$



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Testing: MANUFACTURED SOLUTIONS

Desired solution: $u(x) = \sin(x)/EA$ given

Distributed load (internal forcing)

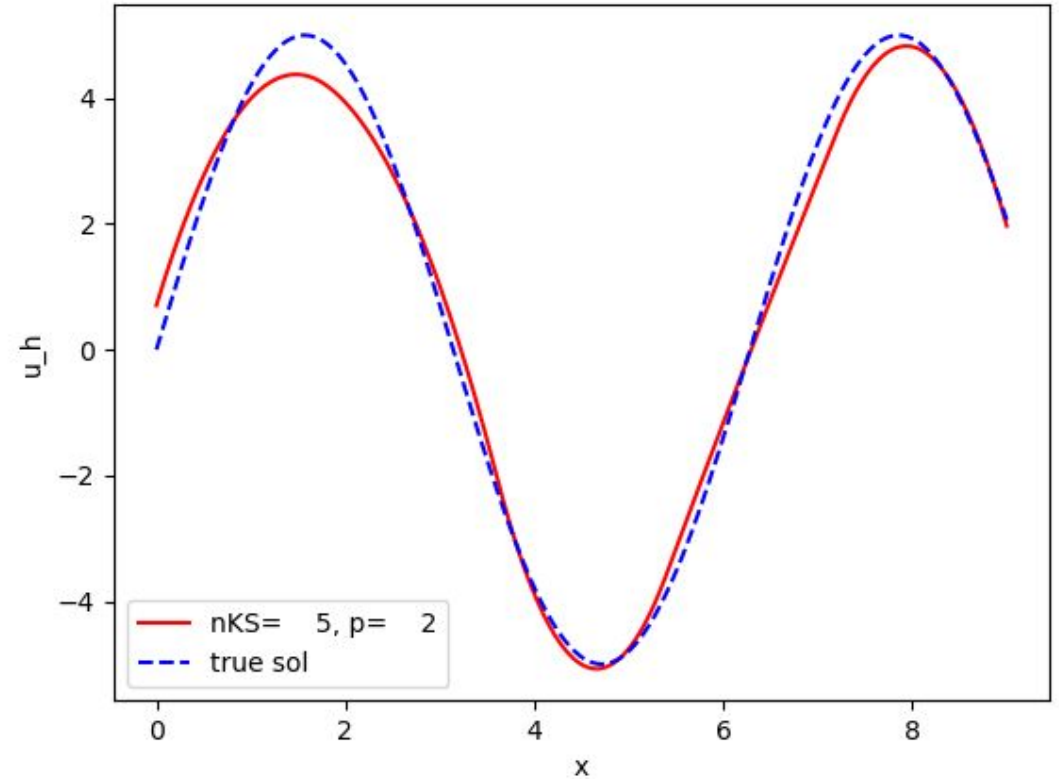
$$f = -\partial_x(E \partial u) \xrightarrow{E = \text{const}} f = -\frac{\sin(x)}{A} \xrightarrow{A = \text{const}} f_x = -\sin(x)$$

Concentrated load (Neumann Condition)

$$E \partial_x u \cdot n = f_n \xrightarrow{} f_n = \frac{\cos(x_N)}{A} \xrightarrow{A = \text{const}} F = \cos(x_N)$$

Imposed Displacement (Dirichlet Condition)

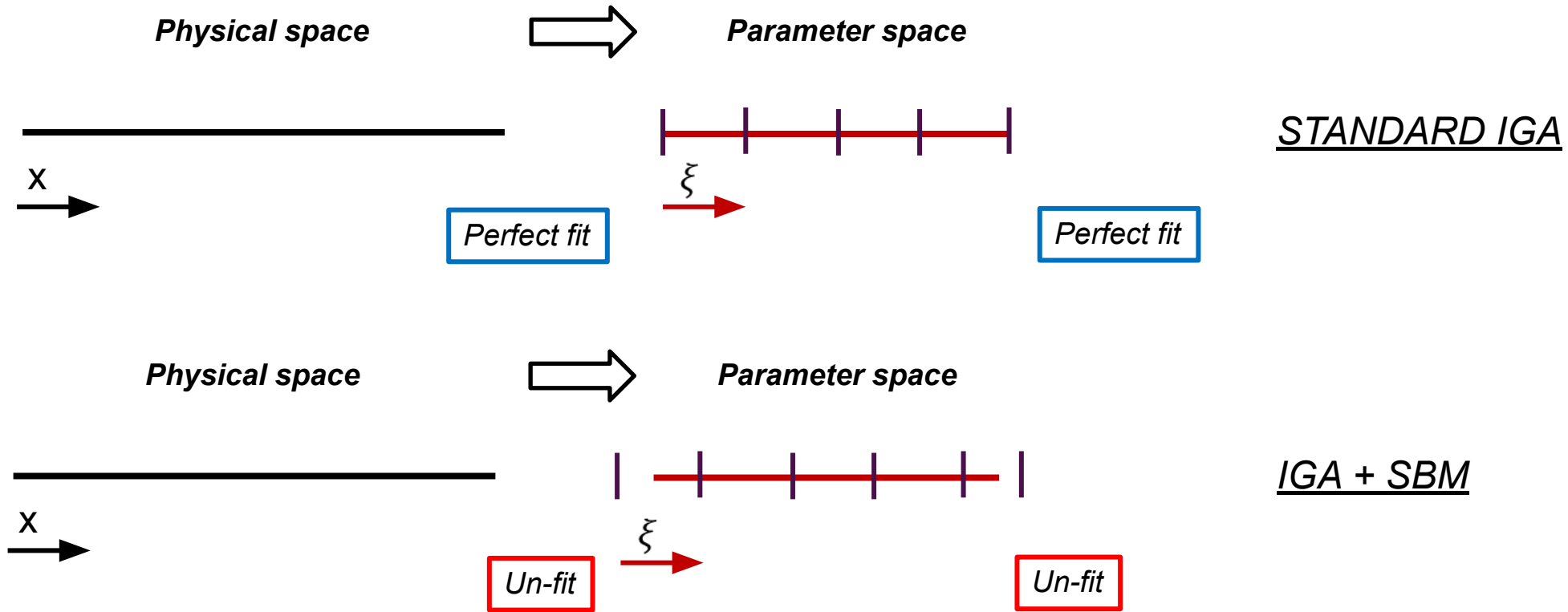
$$u = u(x_D) \text{ on } \Gamma_D$$



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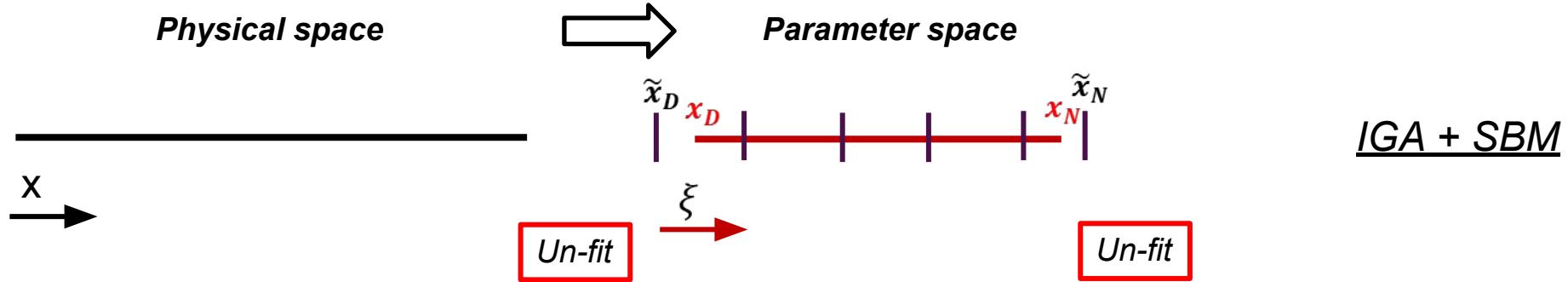
First steps in IGA: Shifted Boundary Method (SBM)



- SBM: Modified condition at shifted boundary through Taylor Expansion



First steps in IGA: Shifted Boundary Method (SBM)



SBM DIRICHLET

$$u(x_D) = u(\tilde{x}_D) + \partial_x u(\tilde{x}_D) \cdot d + o(d^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow u(\tilde{x}_D) = u(x_D) - \partial_x u(\tilde{x}_D) \cdot d + o(d^2).$$

$$d = x_D - \tilde{x}_D$$

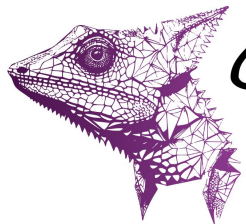
SBM NEUMANN

$$\partial_x u(x_N) = \partial_x u(\tilde{x}_N) + \partial_{xx}^2 u(\tilde{x}_N) \cdot d + o(d^2).$$

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$$d = x_N - \tilde{x}_N, \quad E \partial_x u(x_N) \cdot n = f_n$$

Neumann BC requires higher derivatives for the same approximation error!



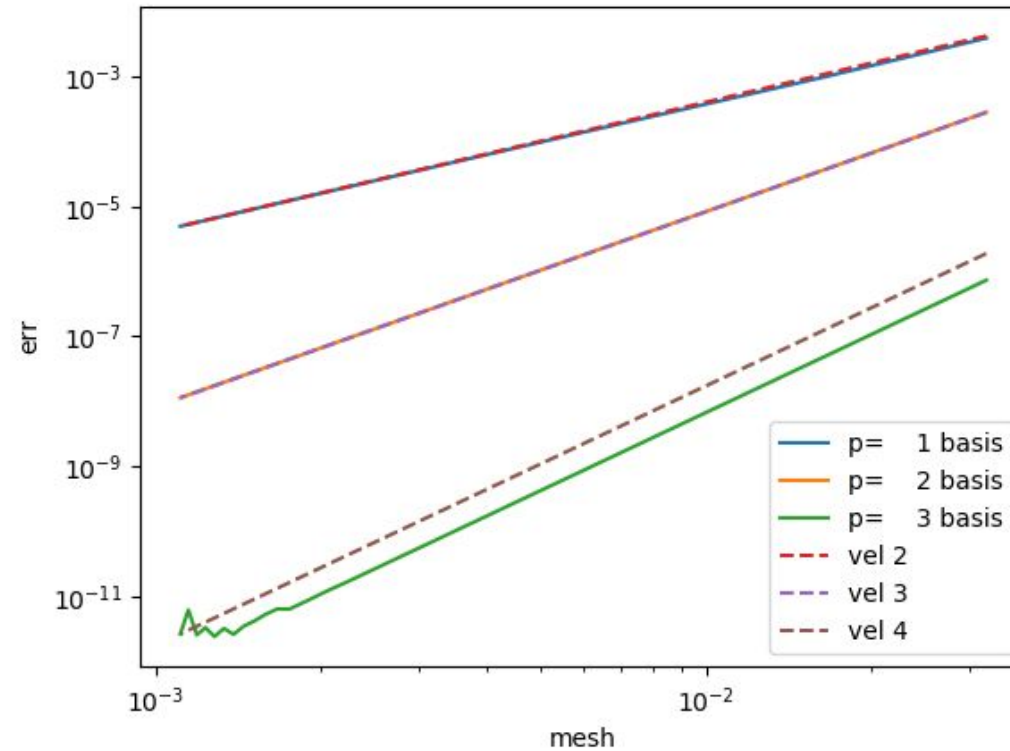
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Standard IGA Convergence Error



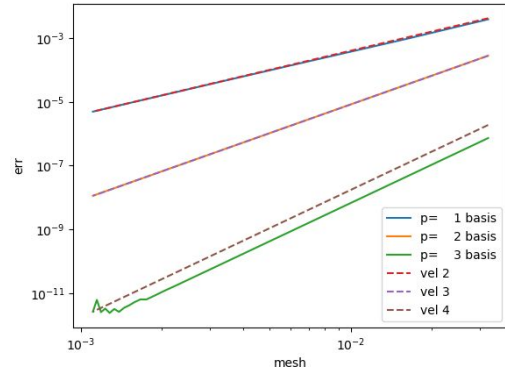
Convergence rate $\sim h^{p+1}$



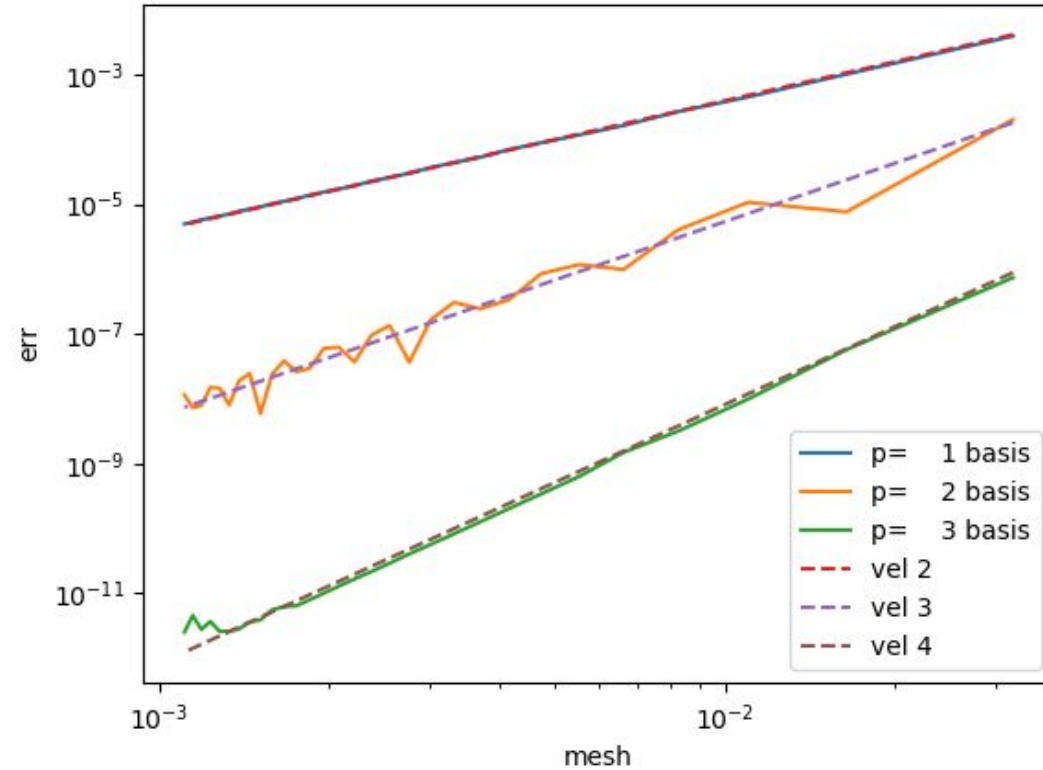


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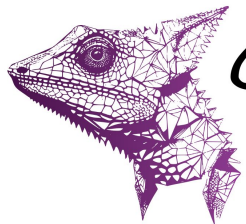


IGA + SBM (Dirichlet)
Convergence Error



Shifted Dirichlet Error
(p derivatives available –
Taylor expansion of order $p + 1$)

Convergence rate $\sim h^{p+1}$



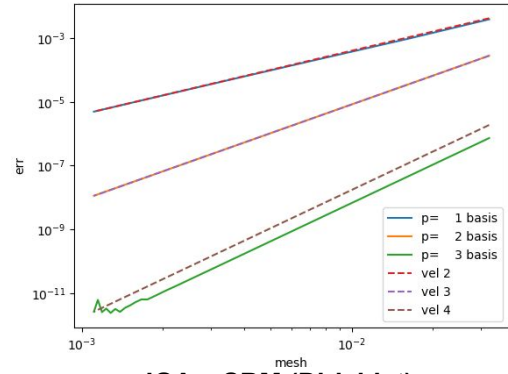
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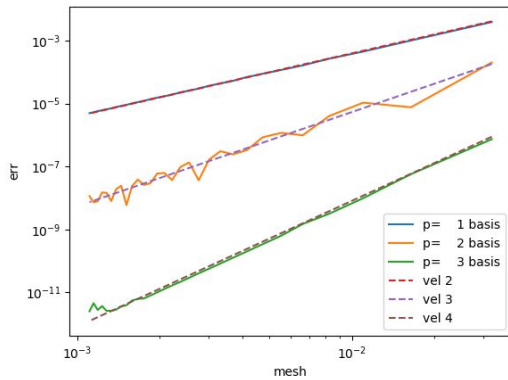


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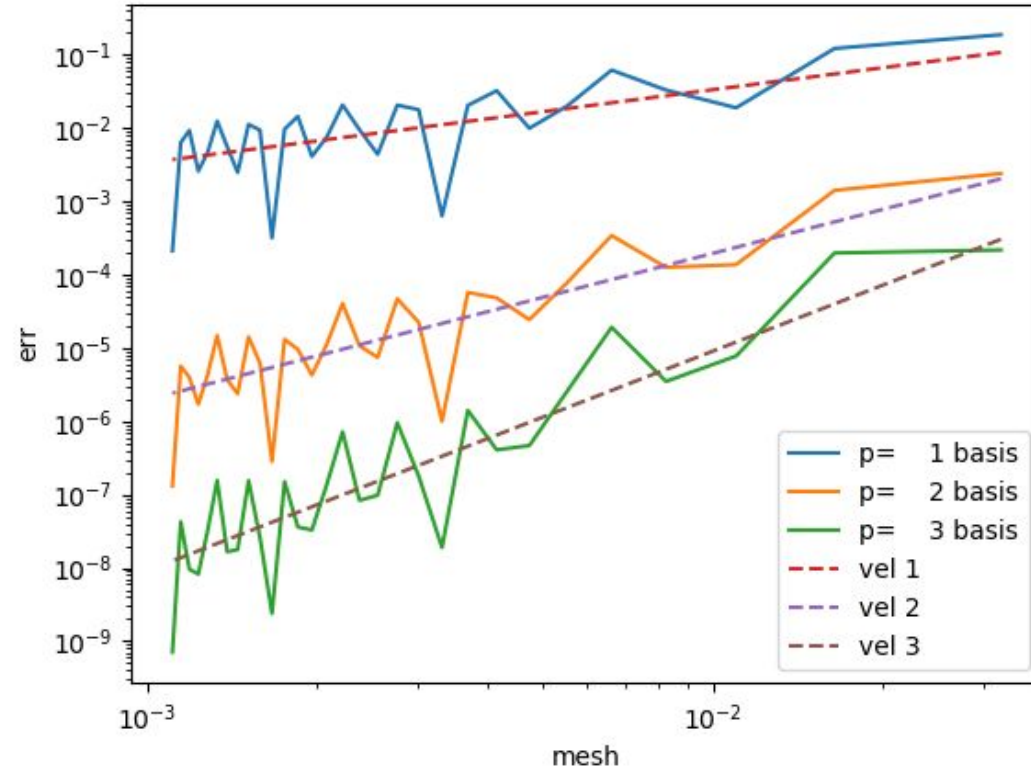
Standard IGA Convergence Error



IGA + SBM (Dirichlet) Convergence Error



IGA + SBM (Complete) Convergence Error



Shifted Dirichlet Error
 (p derivatives available –
 Taylor expansion of order $p+1$)

Shifted Neumann Error
 (p derivatives available –
 Taylor expansion of order p)

Convergence rate $\sim h^p$



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Governing equations
(object 1,2,...,N)

$$\begin{aligned} g_n(\mathbf{X}, t) &\geq 0, && p_n(\mathbf{X}, t) \leq 0, \\ p_n(\mathbf{X}, t) g_n(\mathbf{X}, t) &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

Normal Contact Constraints

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi = \|\mathbf{t}_\tau\| - \mu |p_n| &\leq 0, && \mathbf{v}_{\tau,rel} + \beta \mathbf{t}_\tau = \mathbf{0}, \\ \beta &\geq 0, && \Phi \beta = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Frictional Contact Constraints
(Coulomb)

Extra:
Material/geometric nonlinearities
Thermal problem
Adhesion/lubrication,... (additional interface conditions)

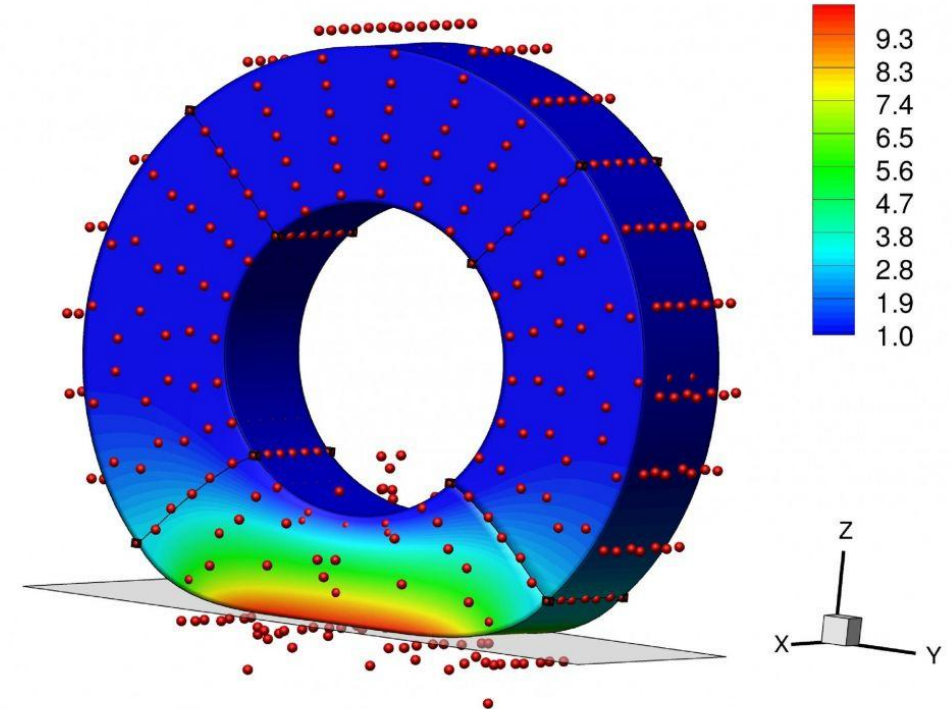


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<https://me.bilkent.edu.tr/7-research/21-projects/348-isogeometric-computational-contact-mechanics-rta3/>



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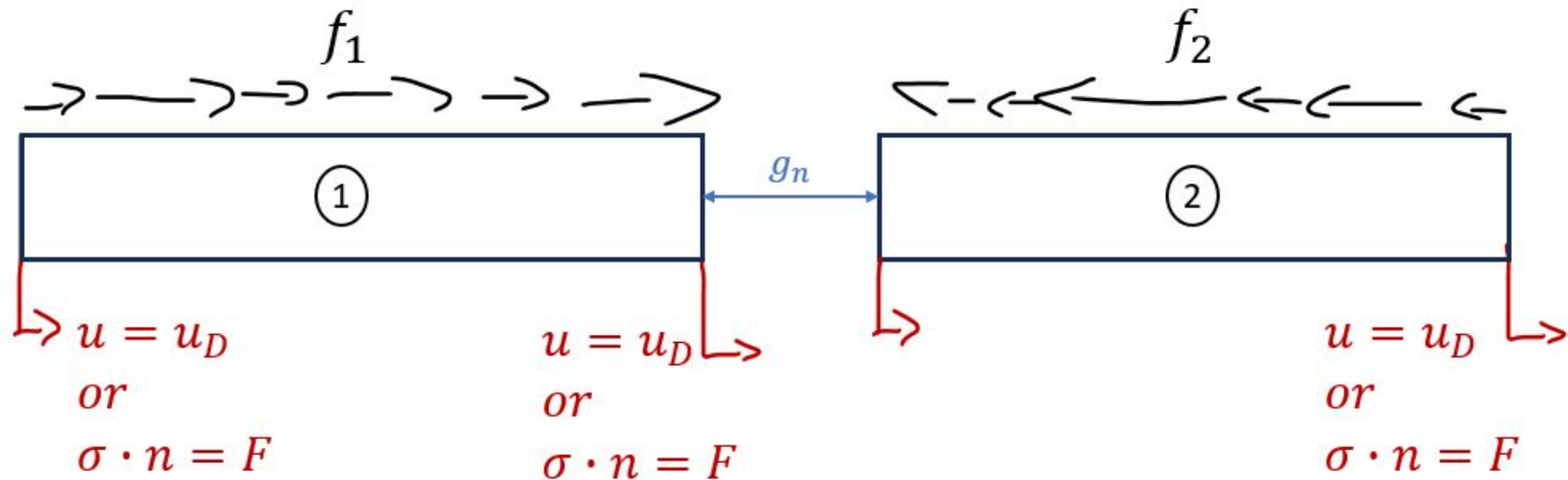
Problem: 1D contact between trusses

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Contact Mechanics: Brief Overview

Constraint enforcement: Lagrange and Penalty methods for the frictionless model

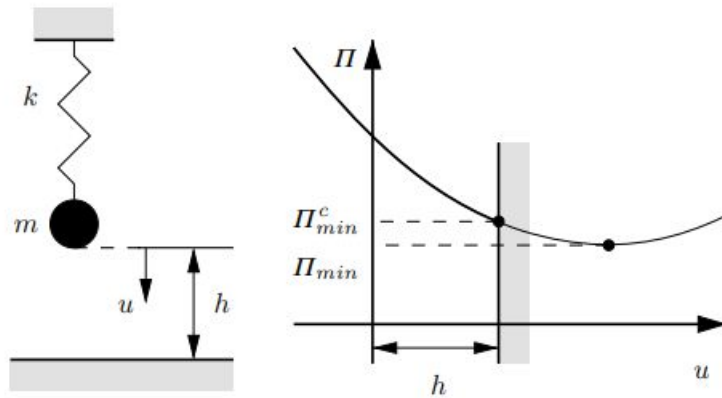
Hyp. Linear Elasticity Governing Equations: $\partial\Pi = 0$

Contact Governing Equations: $\partial\Pi^c = 0$

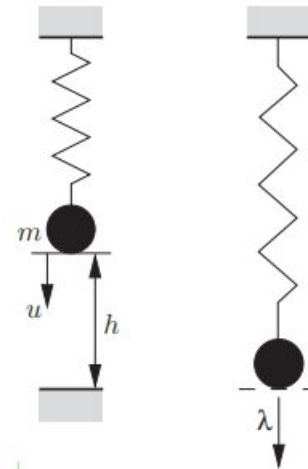
$$\Pi^c = \Pi + \Pi^*$$

$$\Pi^* = \int_{\Gamma_C} \lambda g_n$$

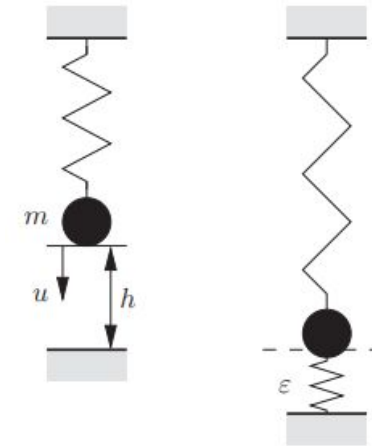
$$\Pi^* = \frac{1}{2} \int_{\Gamma_C} \epsilon g_n^2$$



General formulation



Lagrange formulation



Penalty formulation

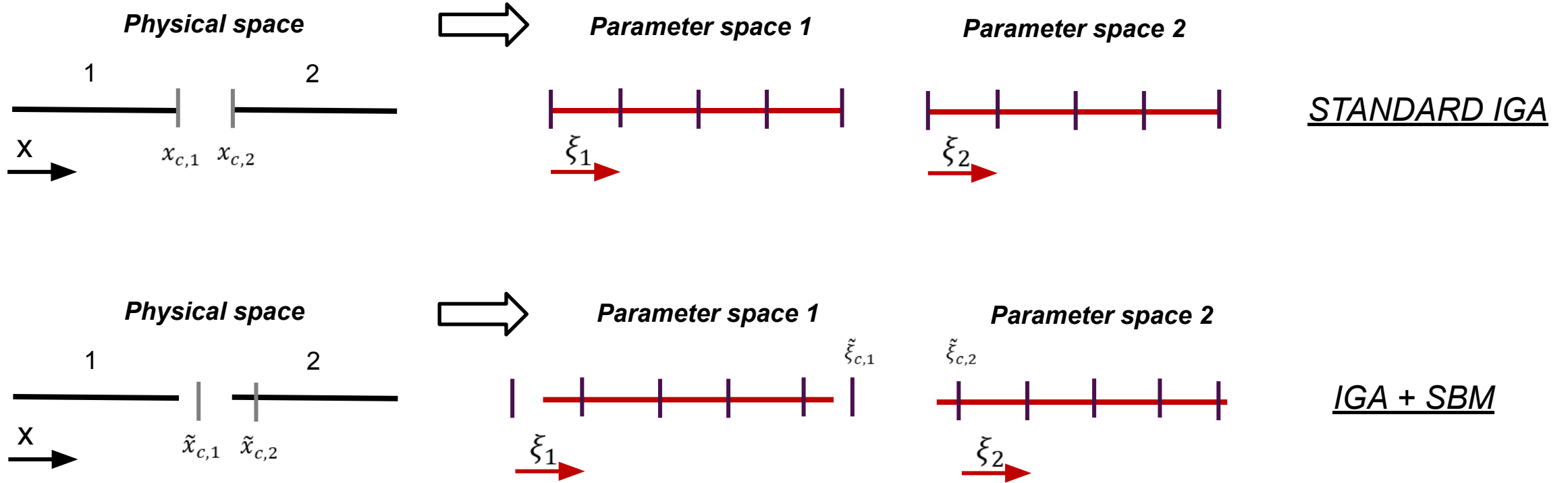


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IGA + SBM: Contact Discretization



□ SBM: Modified condition at shifted boundary trough Taylor Expansion

$$\mathbf{g}_n(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{g}_{n,0} + (\mathbf{u}_2(\mathbf{x}_{c,2}) - \mathbf{u}_1(\mathbf{x}_{c,1})) \cdot \mathbf{n}$$

$$\mathbf{u}_1(\mathbf{x}_{c,1}) = \mathbf{u}_1(\tilde{\mathbf{x}}_{c,1}) + \nabla \mathbf{u}_1(\tilde{\mathbf{x}}_{c,1}) \cdot (\mathbf{x}_{c,1} - \tilde{\mathbf{x}}_{c,1}) + \dots$$

$$\mathbf{u}_2(\mathbf{x}_{c,2}) = \mathbf{u}_2(\tilde{\mathbf{x}}_{c,2}) + \nabla \mathbf{u}_2(\tilde{\mathbf{x}}_{c,2}) \cdot (\mathbf{x}_{c,2} - \tilde{\mathbf{x}}_{c,2}) + \dots$$



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Testing: MANUFACTURED SOLUTIONS

Desired solution: $u_1(x)$, $u_2(x)$, F_C given

Distributed load (internal forcing)

$$f_i = -\partial_x(E_i \partial u_i) \xrightarrow{E_i = \text{const}} f_i = -E_i \partial_{xx}^2 u_i \xrightarrow{A_i = \text{const}} f_{i,x} = -A_i E_i \partial_{xx}^2 u_i$$

Concentrated load (Neumann Condition if not contact boundary)

$$E_i \partial_x u_i \cdot n = f_{n,i} \xrightarrow{A = \text{const}} F_i = A_i E_i \partial_x u_i \cdot n$$

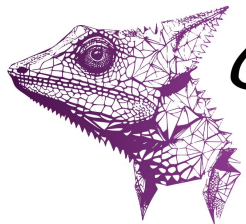
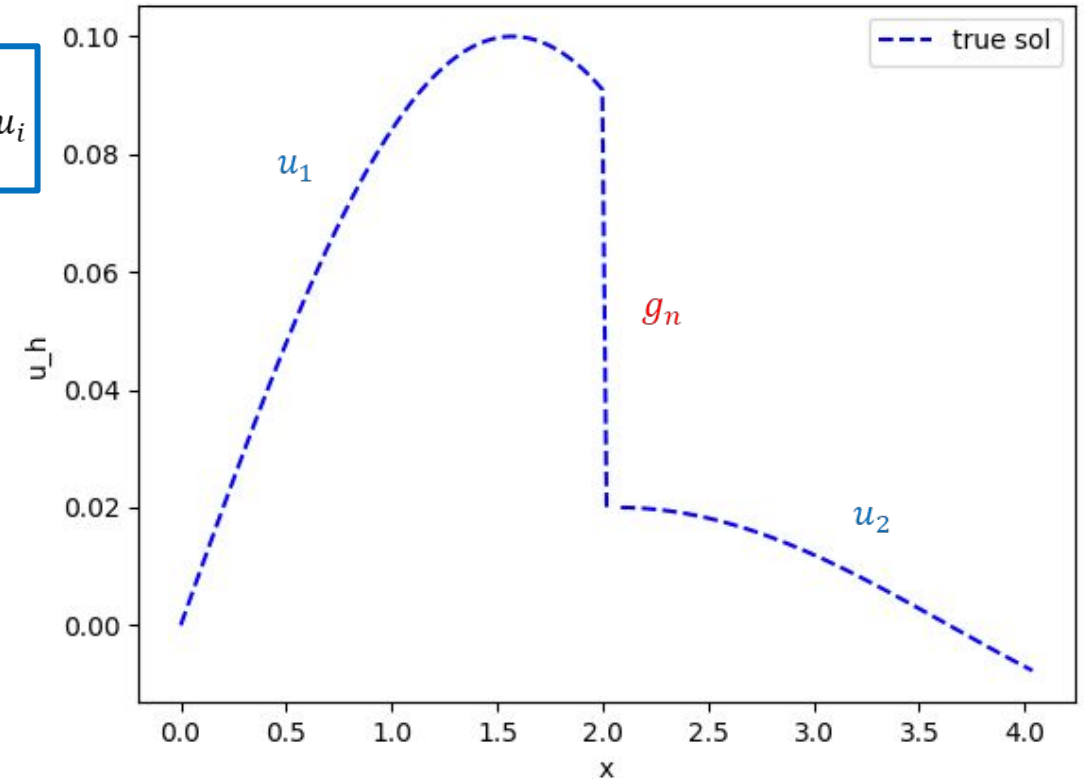
Imposed Displacement (Dirichlet Condition)

$$u_i = u_i(x_D) \text{ on } \Gamma_{i,D}$$

Contact condition

$$f_{n,1} A_1 = F_1 - F_C \quad \& \quad f_{n,2} A_2 = F_2 + F_C$$

$$g_n = u_1(L_1) - u_2(0)$$



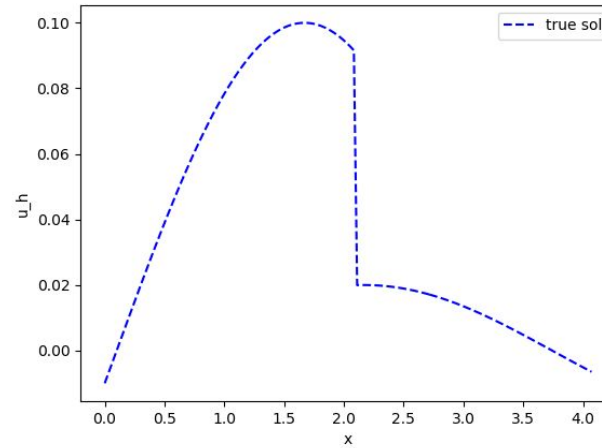
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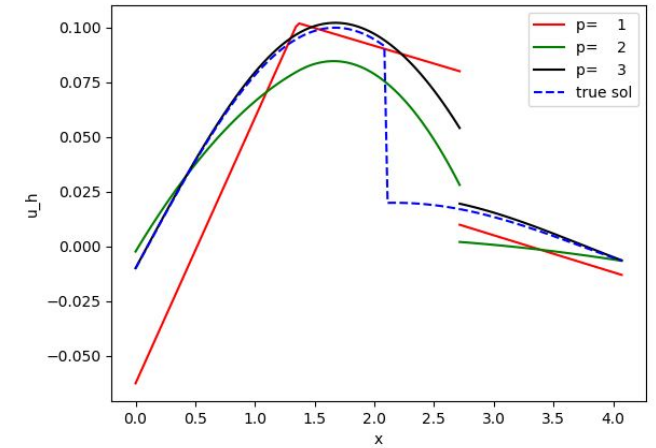
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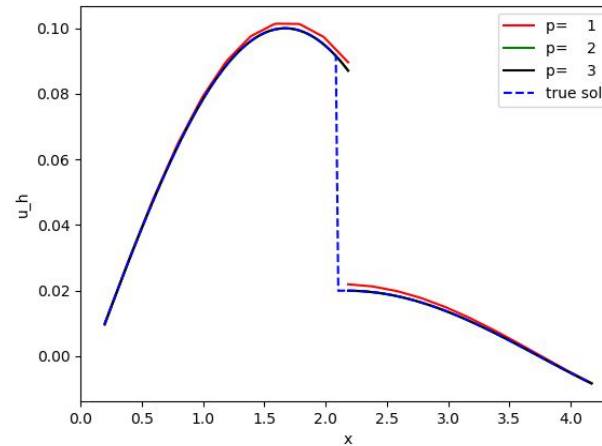
STANDARD IGA-
CONVERGENCE



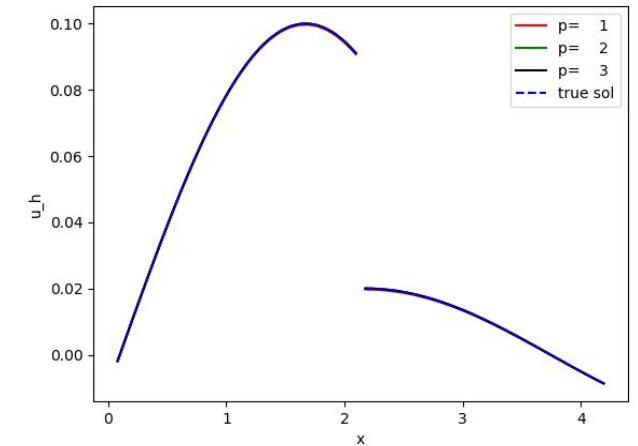
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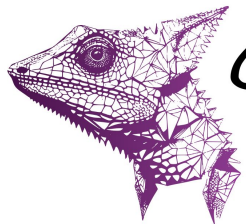
3 knot spans



20 knot spans



50 knot spans



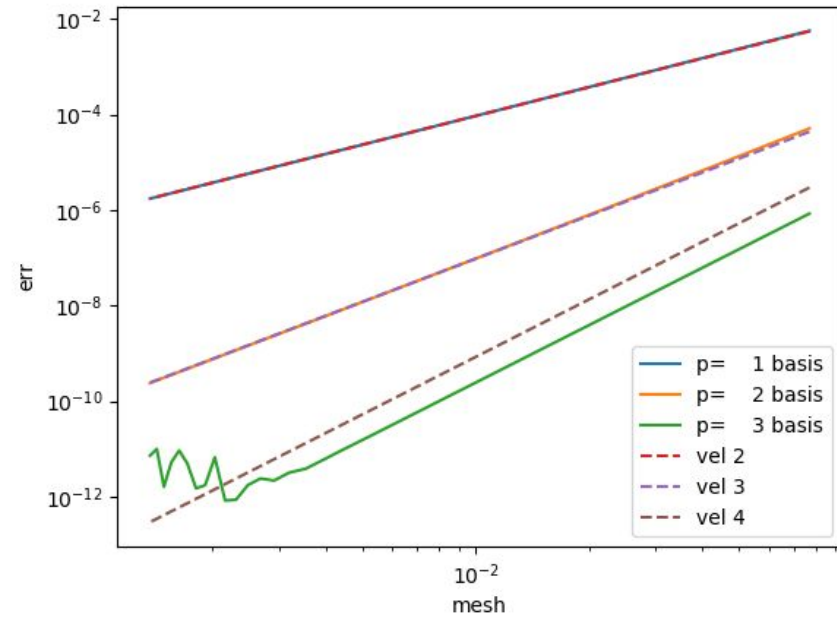
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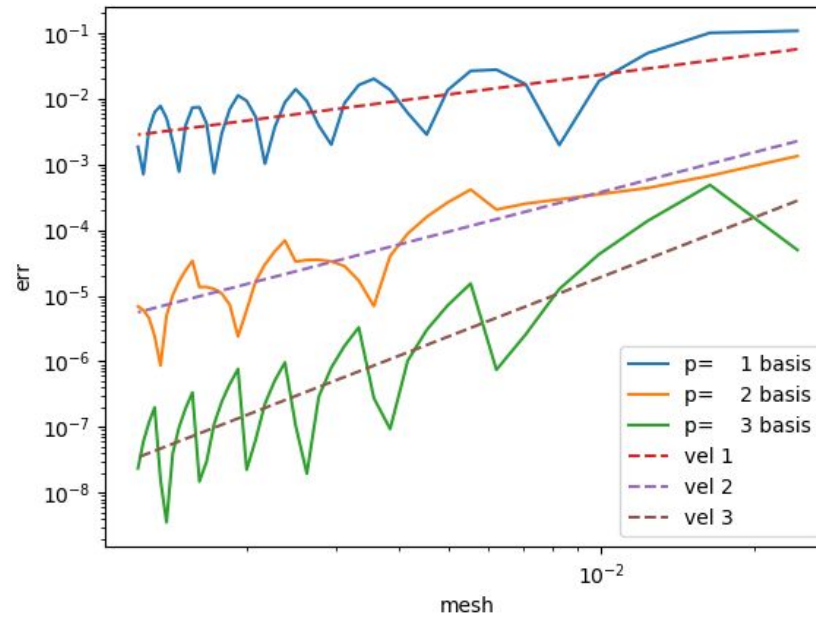
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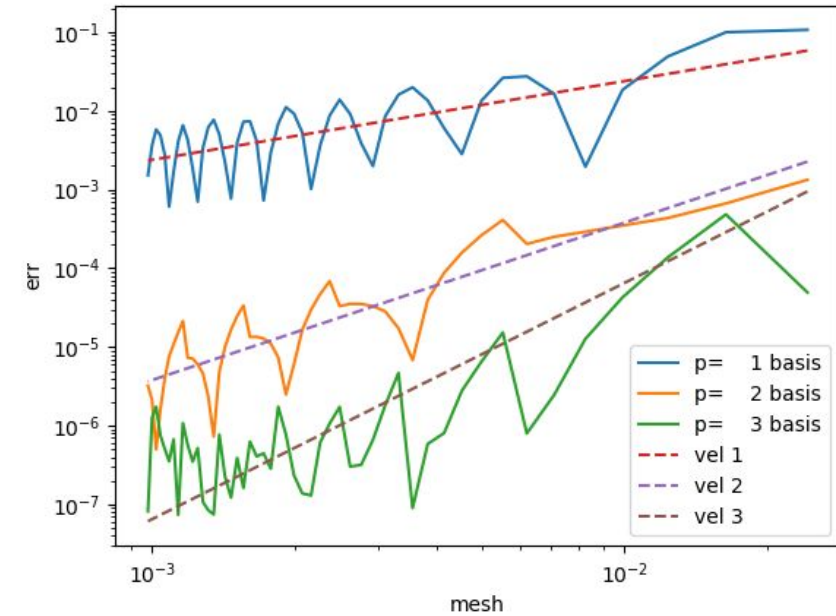
Standard IGA



IGA + SBM (Lagrange)



IGA + SBM (Penalty)





DC3 – Close term development plan

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Upcoming steps

- Understand available CM application in Kratos
- Develop an IGA contact mechanics application in 2D
- Extend the analysis with the Shifted Boundary Method





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