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Bayesian Inversion and Adaptive Low-Rank Tensor Decomposition

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We present a Bayesian inversion method with functional representations of all quantities. The posterior density is given in terms of a polynomial basis, based on an adaptive stochastic Galerkin discretization. The sampling-free approach, using tensor trains, alleviates the curse of dimensionality by hierarchical subspace approximations of the respective low-rank manifolds. All computations are adjusted adaptively based on a posteriori error estimators or indicators. Convergence of the posterior can be shown with respect to the discretization parameters.

Explicit and parametric Bayesian inversion

applies in parameter identification and upscaling

• parametrized model operator $\Xi \ni y \mapsto G(\mathbf{y}) = \sum_{\mu \in \Lambda} g_{\mu}(x) \mathbf{P}_{\mu}(\mathbf{y}), \quad g_{\mu} = \langle G, \mathbf{P}_{\mu} \rangle$

- finite measurements $\delta \in \mathbb{R}^K$ of indirect quantity, observed by linear operator \mathcal{O}
- prior measure π_0 on parameters y and noise measure $\mathcal{N}(0,\Gamma)$ on measurement error η

Statistical inverse problem: Find $\mathbf{y} \in \Xi$ from δ s.t. $\delta = (\mathcal{O} \circ G)(\mathbf{y}) + \eta$, $\eta \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \Gamma)$ Bayes' theorem yields existence of posterior measure π_{δ} in functional representation [1]:

 $\frac{\mathrm{d}\pi_{\delta}}{\mathrm{d}\pi_{0}}(\mathbf{y}) = \mathbb{E}_{\pi_{\delta}}[1]^{-1} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}\langle\delta - (\mathcal{O} \circ G)(\mathbf{y}), \Gamma^{-1}(\delta - (\mathcal{O} \circ G)(\mathbf{y}))\rangle\right) = \sum_{\mu \in \Lambda'} \alpha_{\mu} \mathbf{P}_{\mu}(\mathbf{y}).$

Model reduction: Tensor formats

- high dimensional problem, curse of dimensionality: $O(n^M)$
- HT/TT allows for polynomial complexity: $O(r^2Mn)$ via

$$\mathbf{U}[x_1,\ldots,x_M] = \sum_{\mathbf{k}}^{\mathbf{r}} \prod_{m=1}^{M} U_m[k_{m-1},x_m,k_m]$$

• Features:

- + separation of variables and closedness of rank ${f r}$ manifold,
- indirect access to tensor elements by hierarchical basis
- Creation by tensor recovery/reconstruction [2] or cross-approximation





⁽TT) tree of order 5 with subspaces, dimensions, ranks

Adaptive Stochastic Galerkin FEM using Tensor Trains

random coefficient, parametrized and represented in functional/extended tensor train format

$$a(x, \mathbf{y}) = \sum_{\mathbf{k}}^{\mathbf{r}} \sum_{i=1}^{N_a} A_0[i, k_0] \varphi_i(x) \prod_{m=1}^{M} \sum_{\mu_m=1}^{n_m} A_m[k_{m-1}, \mu_m, k_m] P_{\mu_m}(y_m), \quad (P_{\mu_m})_{\mu_m} \text{ polynomial basis}$$

weak PDE formulation obtained using tensor train operators and system solved by preconditioned ALS

 $\mathcal{A}(u_N, v) := \mathbb{E}\left[\langle u_N, v \rangle_a \right] = \mathbb{E}\left[\langle f, v \rangle \right], \quad \forall v \in \mathcal{V}_N, \quad u_N \text{ Galerkin solution}$

A-posteriori adaptivity in *physical mesh*, *stochastic polynomial space* and choice of *rank* r, see [3]

$$-w_N \|_{\mathcal{A}}^2 \lesssim \operatorname{est}_{\operatorname{all}}(w_N) := \left(\operatorname{est}_{\operatorname{det}}(w_N) + \operatorname{est}_{\operatorname{param}}(w_N) + \operatorname{est}_{\operatorname{disc}}(w_N)\right)^2 + \operatorname{est}_{\operatorname{disc}}(w_N)^2$$







Sampling free Bayesian inversion using Tensor Trains

explicit forward solver yields surrogate model in TT format

$$G^{N,M}(x,\mathbf{y}) = \sum_{i=1}^{N} \sum_{\boldsymbol{\mu} \in \Lambda_M} U[i,\boldsymbol{\mu}]\varphi_i(x)P_{\boldsymbol{\mu}}(\mathbf{y})$$

 approximation of Bayesian potential in closed TT form by exact and *anisotropic* interpolation



- exponential of TT tensor by Runge-Kutta method
- convergence in Hellinger distance



functional representation of posterior density $\frac{d\pi_{\delta,L,\tau}^{N,M}}{d\pi_0}(\mathbf{y}) = \sum_{\mu \in \Lambda'_M} \Pi[\mu] \mathbf{P}_{\mu}(\mathbf{y})$ fast access to Q.o.l., e.g. the mean
posterior as new prior

Inverse scattering: Helmholtz problem

Consider two random media $D_1(\omega)$, $D_2(\omega)$, $D_1(\omega) \cup D_2(\omega) = \mathbb{R}^d$ separated by interface $\Gamma(\omega)$. Transmission and reflection problem for plane-wave incidence and known material parameters given by transformed Helmholtz equation

 $\begin{cases} -\nabla \cdot (a(\Gamma(\omega), \cdot)\nabla q) - \kappa^2(\Gamma(\omega), \cdot)q = 0 \text{ in } \mathbb{R}^d \\ \text{boundary condition} \\ \text{radiation condition} \end{cases}$





Outlook and references

Adaptive functional representation combined with hierarchical model reduction:

- Statistical parameter identification for shape reconstruction in scattering applications
- Reconstruction of shapes of blood-cells from measured reflection intensities (with PTB)

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