

Polynomial chaos expansions part 3: Intrusive Galerkin method

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Relevant links



A very basic introduction to scientific Python programming:

<http://hplgit.github.io/bumpy/doc/pub/sphinx-basics/index.html>

Installation instructions:

<https://github.com/hplgit/chaospy>

Repetition of our model problem

We have a simple differential equation

$$\frac{du(x)}{dx} = -au(x), \quad u(0) = I$$

with the solution

$$u(x) = Ie^{-ax}$$

with two random input variables:

$$a \sim \text{Uniform}(0, 0.1), \quad I \sim \text{Uniform}(8, 10)$$

Want to compute $E(u)$ and $\text{Var}(u)$

The Galerkin method is a projection method for approximating functions

Given a function space V and inner product on V

$$\langle u, v \rangle_Q = \int_0^L u v dx$$

$$u'(x) = g(x)$$

$$\int_0^L u'(x) v(x) dx = \int_0^L g(x) v(x) dx, \quad \forall v \in V$$

$$\langle u', v \rangle_Q = \langle g, v \rangle_Q \quad (\text{projection})$$

With $u(x; q) \approx \hat{u}_M(x; q) = \sum_{n=0}^N c_n(x) P_n(q)$ this leads to a linear system for the coefficients c_n .

Calculating initial condition using Galerkin

$$\hat{u}_M(0) = I,$$

$$\hat{u}_M = \sum_{n=0}^N c_n(x) P_n(q)$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^N c_n(0) P_n = I$$

$$\left\langle \sum_{n=0}^N c_n(0) P_n, P_k \right\rangle_Q = \langle I, P_k \rangle_Q$$

$$k = 0, \dots, N$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^N c_n(0) \langle P_n, P_k \rangle_Q = \langle I, P_k \rangle_Q$$

$$c_k(0) \langle P_k, P_k \rangle_Q = \langle I, P_k \rangle_Q$$

$$c_k(0) = \frac{\langle I, P_k \rangle_Q}{\langle P_k, P_k \rangle_Q} = \frac{E(IP_k)}{E(P_k^2)}$$

Galerkin applied to the differential equation

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\hat{u}_M) = -a\hat{u}_M$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(\sum_{n=0}^N c_n P_n \right) = -a \sum_{n=0}^N c_n P_n$$

$$\left\langle \frac{d}{dx} \left(\sum_{n=0}^N c_n P_n \right), P_k \right\rangle_Q = \left\langle -a \sum_{n=0}^N c_n P_n, P_k \right\rangle_Q \quad k = 0, \dots, N$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \sum_{n=0}^N c_n \langle P_n, P_k \rangle_Q = - \sum_{n=0}^N c_n \langle a P_n, P_k \rangle_Q$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} c_k \langle P_k, P_k \rangle_Q = - \sum_{n=0}^N c_n \langle a P_n, P_k \rangle_Q$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} c_k = - \sum_{n=0}^N c_n \frac{\langle a P_n, P_k \rangle_Q}{\langle P_k, P_k \rangle_Q} = - \sum_{n=0}^N c_n \frac{E(a P_n P_k)}{E(P_k^2)}$$

The Galerkin Projection results in a coupled $(N + 1) \times (N + 1)$ system of differential equations

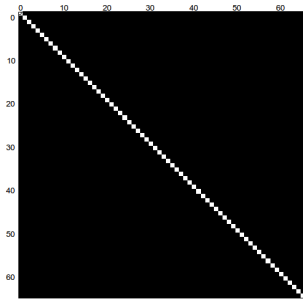
$$\frac{d}{dx}c_k(x) = - \sum_{n=0}^N c_n(x) \frac{E(aP_nP_k)}{E(P_k^2)} \quad k = 0, \dots, N$$

$$c_k(0) = \frac{E(IP_k)}{E(P_k^2)}$$

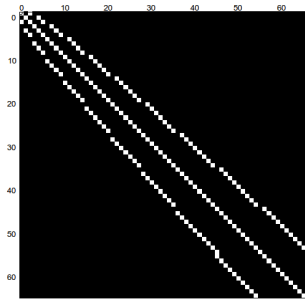
$$\frac{d}{dx}\mathbf{c} = -\mathbf{M}\mathbf{c}, \quad M_{kn} = \frac{E(aP_nP_k)}{E(P_k^2)}$$

The differential equation system is very sparse
(mostly zeros)

$$E(P_n P_k)$$



$$E(aP_n P_k)$$



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- ▶ Original problem: one scalar differential equation
- ▶ Stochastic UQ problem: system of differential equations
- ▶ The method is called *intrusive Galerkin*
- ▶ The original solver cannot be reused

Solving the set of differential equations numerically



```
import chaospy as cp
import numpy as np
import odespy

dist_a = cp.Uniform(0, 0.1)
dist_I = cp.Uniform(8, 10)
dist = cp.J(dist_a, dist_I) # joint multivariate dist

P, norms = cp.orth_ttr(n, dist, retall=True)
variable_a, variable_I = cp.variable(2)
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Solving the set of differential equations numerically

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PP = cp.outer(P, P)
E_aPP = cp.E(variable_a*PP, dist)
E_IP = cp.E(variable_I*P, dist)

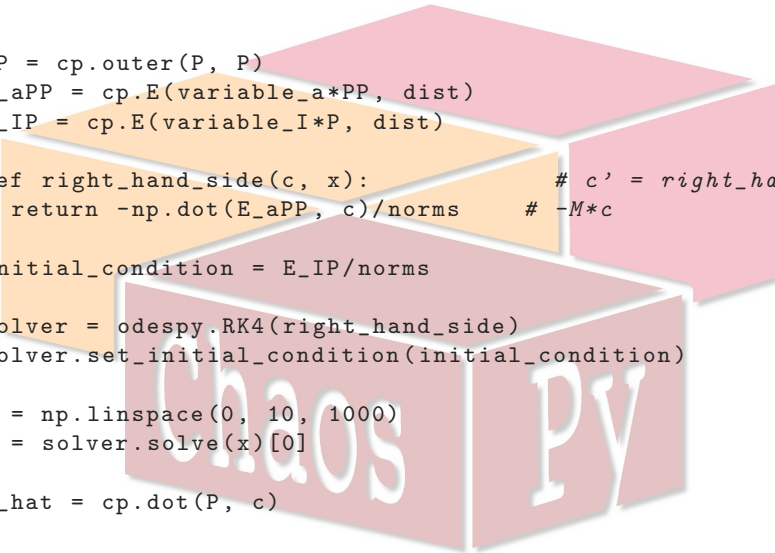
def right_hand_side(c, x):
    return -np.dot(E_aPP, c)/norms # c' = right_hand_side
                                     # -M*c

initial_condition = E_IP/norms

solver = odespy.RK4(right_hand_side)
solver.set_initial_condition(initial_condition)

x = np.linspace(0, 10, 1000)
c = solver.solve(x)[0]

u_hat = cp.dot(P, c)
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