

Quelques exemples d'algorithmes gloutons : leur analyse et leurs applications pour la simulation numérique de phénomènes de la mécanique.

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The error analysis of the interpolation procedure classically involves the Lebesgue constant $\Lambda_M = \sup_{x \in \Omega} \sum_{i=1}^M |h_i^M(x)|$, where the h_i^M is the associated Lagrange basis.

A (in practice very pessimistic) upper-bound for the Lebesgue constant is $2^M - 1$.

We remind also that the Lebesgue constant enters into the bound for the interpolation error as follows

Lemma

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such that there exists $c > 0$ and α with

$$\forall \Phi \in X, \quad \inf_{\psi_M \in X_M} \|\Phi - \psi_M\|_X \leq ce^{-\alpha M} \quad (9)$$

then, if $\alpha > \log(4)$, there exists $\beta > 0$ such that

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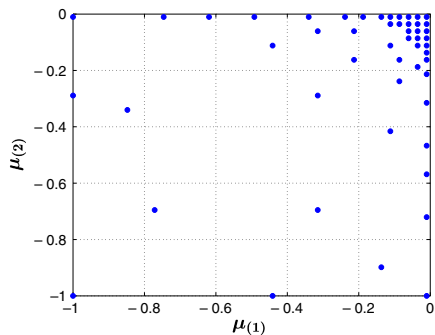
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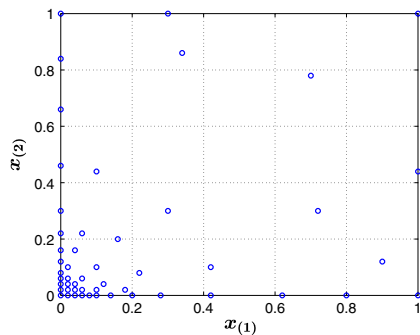
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Figure: (a) Parameter sample set S_M^g , $M_{\max} = 51$, and (b) interpolation points x_m , $1 \leq m \leq M_{\max}$.

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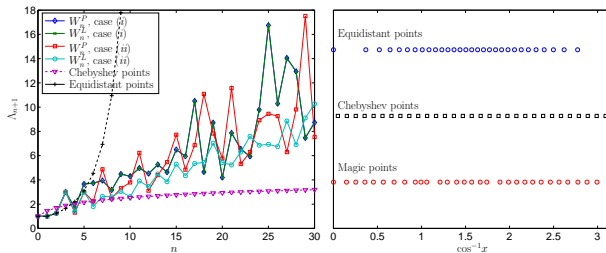


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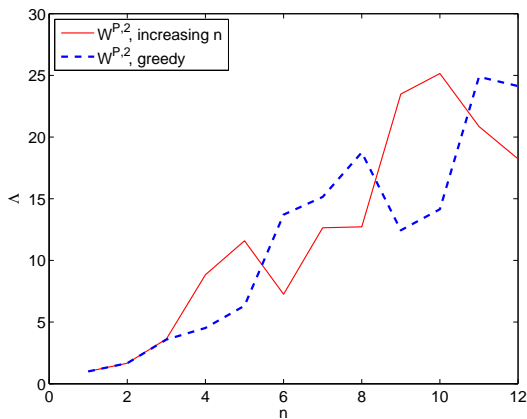


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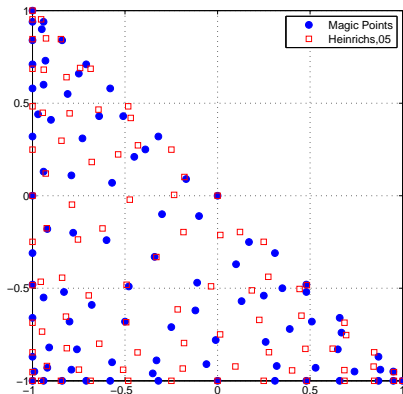


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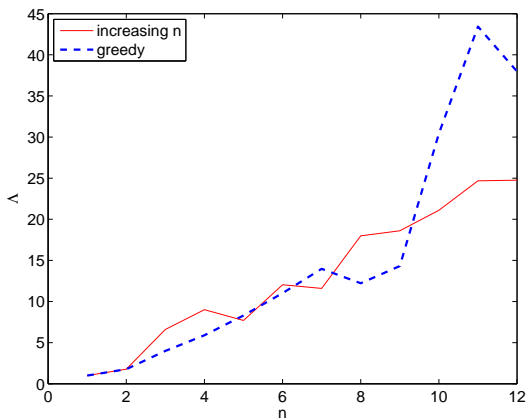


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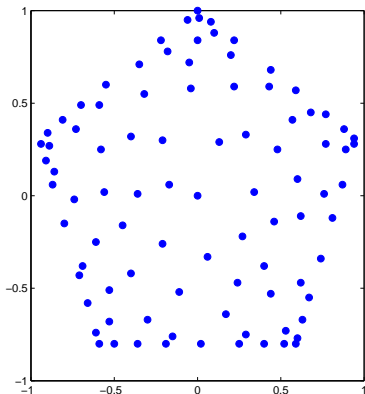


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5	9.77	5.38	5.62
6	15.27	7.53	7.36
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9	62.99	20.46	15.69

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4	5	7.47E-3	7.52E-3	1.01
6	7	6.18E-4	6.70E-4	1.08
8	9	3.84E-5	3.84E-5	1.00
10	11	1.69E-6	1.72E-6	1.02
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16	17	6.33E-11	6.73E-11	1.06
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2	9	1.13E-1	6.32E-1	5.59
4	25	1.43E-1	1.66E-1	1.16
6	49	2.03E-2	2.24E-2	1.10
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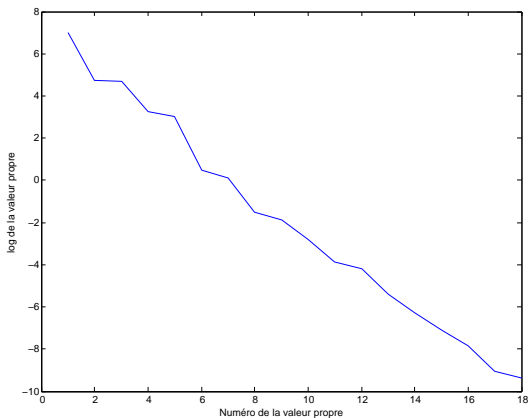
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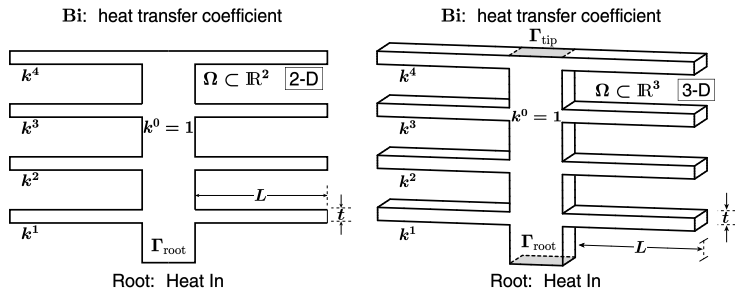


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In order to get *a posteriori* information, between $\ell(u_h)$ and $\ell(u_\delta)$, we have to get a hand on the residuals in the resolution (in X_δ) of the primal and dual problems. We introduce for any $v \in X$,

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Let us now compute the reconstructed errors associated to the previous residuals. These are the solutions to the following problems

$$2\alpha \int \nabla \hat{e}_h^{pr(du)} \nabla v_h = \mathcal{R}^{pr(du)}(v_h; \mu), \quad \forall v_h$$

we then have

Theorem Let $s^- = s_\delta - \alpha \int \nabla (\hat{e}_h^{pr} + \hat{e}_h^{pr})^2$ then $s^- \leq s_h$.

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One possibility is to use a random approach.... and hope for the best....
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But a more intelligent way can be proposed....

... based on a greedy process that combines the **reduced approximation** and the **error evaluation**.

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