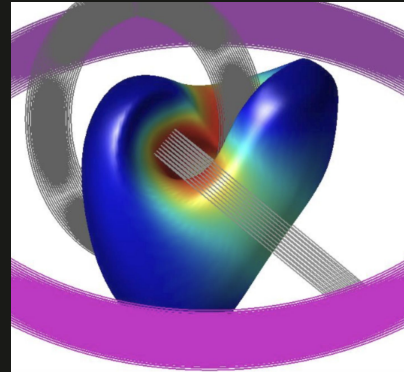


Shape Gradients & Tolerances

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Motivation

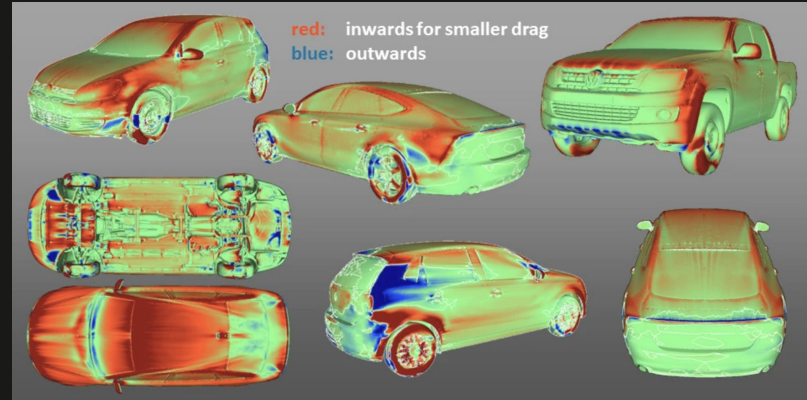
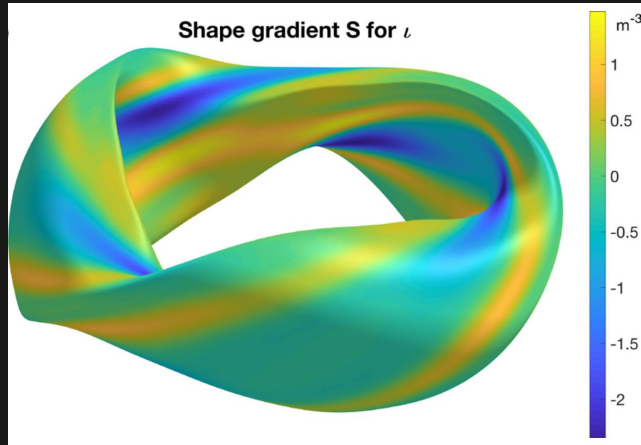
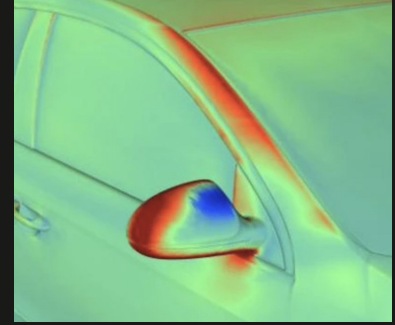
Create algorithms to compute
shape gradients and tolerances to
be applied in stellarator
optimization and design

- Which configuration would maximize tolerances for crucial parameters?

- Where should we put coil supports?
- Where should magnetic material be located?

Why Is It Useful?

- Automotive industry (drag sensitivity)
- Aerospace industry (structural integrity)
- Civil engineering (structural optimization)
- Stellarator optimization and design!



What Is Shape Gradient?

For coil functionals:

$$\delta f = \sum_k \int d\ell \mathbf{S}_k \cdot \delta \mathbf{r},$$



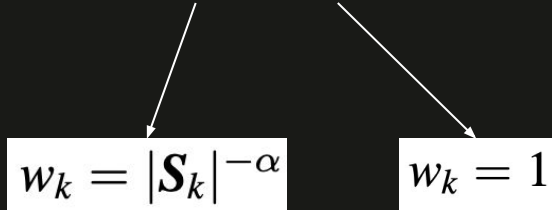
$$\int_0^{2\pi} d\vartheta \left| \frac{d\mathbf{r}}{d\vartheta} \right| \frac{\partial \mathbf{r}}{\partial p_j} \cdot \mathbf{S} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial p_j}$$

- Gives the local differential contribution to some scalar figure of merit caused by normal displacements
- Can be computed from derivatives w.r.t. shape parameters for appropriate figures of merit
- Provides spatially local information

What Is Tolerance?

$$T_k(\ell) = \frac{w_k(\ell) \Delta f}{\sum_{k'} \int d\ell' w_{k'}(\ell') |\mathbf{S}_{k'}(\ell')|}$$

- Can be computed from shape gradients
- Local / uniform



$w_k = |\mathbf{S}_k|^{-\alpha}$

$w_k = 1$

Problem Description

$$\begin{aligned}x(l) &= \sum_{m=0}^{\text{order}} x_{c,m} \cos(2\pi lm) + \sum_{m=1}^{\text{order}} x_{s,m} \sin(2\pi lm) \\y(l) &= \sum_{m=0}^{\text{order}} y_{c,m} \cos(2\pi lm) + \sum_{m=1}^{\text{order}} y_{s,m} \sin(2\pi lm) \\z(l) &= \sum_{m=0}^{\text{order}} z_{c,m} \cos(2\pi lm) + \sum_{m=1}^{\text{order}} z_{s,m} \sin(2\pi lm)\end{aligned}$$

- Given a curve and a figure of merit, compute the shape gradient (constrained vs unconstrained)
- Using the shape gradient, evaluate uniform and local tolerances

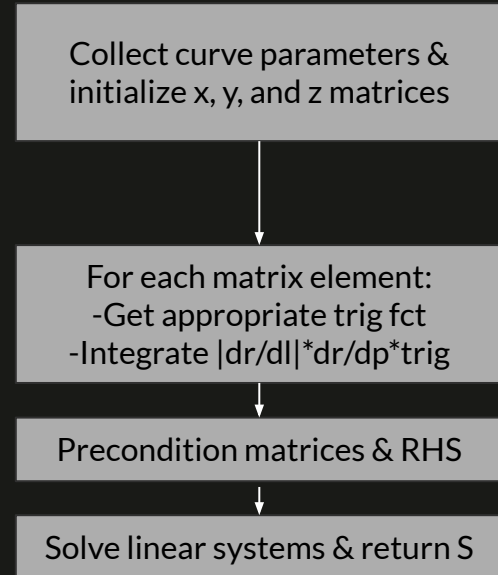
$$\text{dofs} = [x_{c,0}, x_{s,1}, x_{c,1}, \dots, x_{s,\text{order}}, x_{c,\text{order}}, y_{c,0}, y_{s,1}, y_{c,1}, \dots]$$

$$\int_0^1 \left| \frac{d\mathbf{r}}{dl} \right| \frac{\partial \mathbf{r}}{\partial p_j} \cdot \mathbf{S} dl = \frac{\partial f}{\partial p_j}$$

$$T(l) = \frac{w(l) \Delta f}{\int w(l') |S(l')| dl'}$$

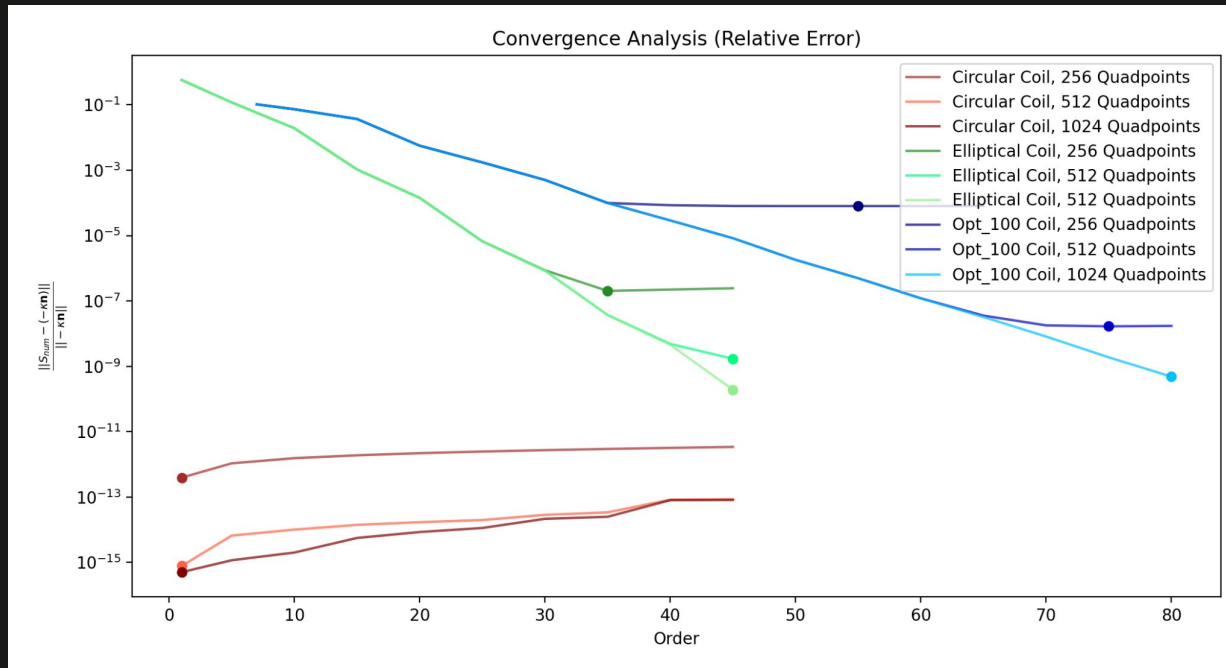
Pseudocode (for Unconstrained Curve)

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evaluate SHAPE_GRADIENT(curve, df_dp):  
- Initialize matrices A_x, A_y, A_z with zeros  
- Extract number of dofs (D),  
  number of quadpoints (N_quad), and order (N_ord)  
- Get derivatives w.r.t. arclength (dr_dl)  
  and magnitude of dr_dl (abs_dr_dl)  
- Get derivatives w.r.t. coefficients (dr_dp)  
  
- For each i, j in range(D // 3):  
  * Calculate trig function (cosine or sine based on j)  
  * Compute matrix elements A_x, A_y, A_z by integrating  
    abs_dr_dl*dr_dp*trig over quadrature points  
  
- Precondition A_x, A_y, A_z and RHS (df_dp)  
  
- Try solving the linear systems for S_x, S_y, S_z  
- Concatenate and return the solution S
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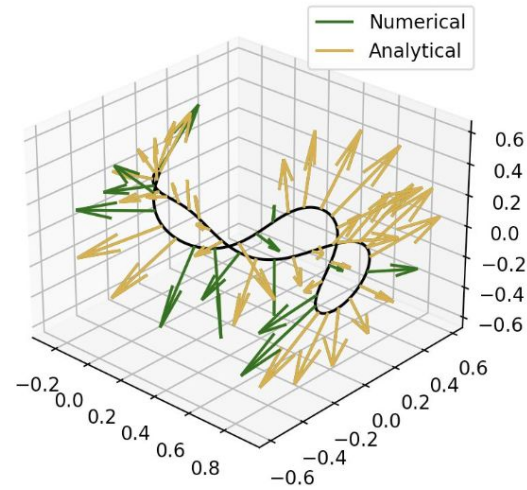
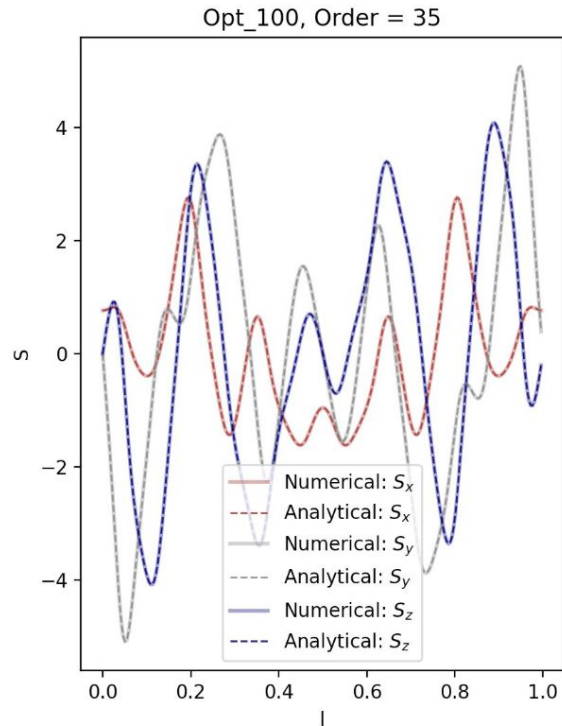


Performance: $f = \text{CurveLength}$

Algorithm Using Interpolation + Adaptive Quadrature

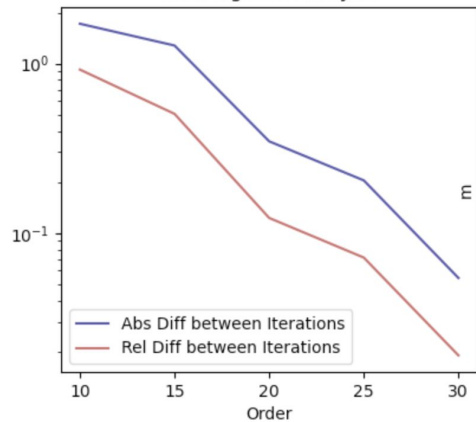


Performance: $f=\text{CurveLength}$



Performance: f =NonQSRatio

Convergence Analysis



Tolerance



Gradient for f =Non-QS Ratio (No Stel Sym and Coupled Coils)

