# Modèles réduits non-linéaires basés sur le transport optimal pour le calcul de structures électroniques

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# **Context : Molecular simulations**



Electronic structure calculations

- Modelling of the electrons
- A large number of models : Schrödinger, Hartree–Fock, Density Functional Theory
- Costly but high accuracy

### **Context : Electronic structure calculations**

Water molecule :



M = 3 nuclei
 classical particles described by

(2 hydrogen and 1 oxygen)

• N = 10 electrons

 $\rightarrow~$  quantum particles quantum

positions and velocities

 $\rightarrow$  quantum particles described by a wavefunction

### Born–Oppenheimer approximation :

Proton-to-Electron mass ratio  $\frac{m_p}{m_e} \approx 1838.$ 

Wavefunction  $\Psi_{\mathbf{R}}(r_1, r_2, \dots, r_N)$ :

- ►  $|\Psi_{\mathbf{R}}|^2$  probability density
- ► Pauli principle :  $\Psi_{\mathbf{R}}(\ldots, r_i, \ldots, r_j, \ldots) = -\Psi_{\mathbf{R}}(\ldots, r_j, \ldots, r_i, \ldots)$

Focus in this presentation on the ground state problem

### The ground state problem : Schrödinger equation

Born–Oppenheimer approximation : molecular system described by

• *M* (classical) nuclei with positions  $\mathbf{R} \in \mathbb{R}^{3M}$ 

Energy minimization

▶ *N* electrons described by a wave-function (or orbitals in DFT)  $\Psi_{\mathbf{R}} : \mathbb{R}^{3N} \to \mathbb{C}$ 

$$\inf_{\substack{\Psi \in L^2_{as}(\mathbb{R}^{3N}) \\ \|\Psi\|_{L^2} = 1}} \langle \Psi_{\mathsf{R}}, \mathcal{H}_{\mathsf{R}} \Psi_{\mathsf{R}} \rangle,$$

where  $H_{\rm R}$  is the Hamiltonian of the problem, parametrized by the positions of the nuclei, typically

$$H_{\mathbf{R}} = -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^{N} \Delta_{r_i} + \sum_{i=1}^{N} V_{\mathbf{R}}^{ne}(r_i) + \sum_{1 \le i < j \le N} \frac{1}{|r_i - r_j|}, \quad V_{\mathbf{R}}^{ne}(r_i) = \sum_{k=1}^{M} \frac{1}{|R_k - r_i|}$$
  
Eigenvalue problem 
$$H_{\mathbf{R}} \Psi_{\mathbf{R}} = E_{\mathbf{R}} \Psi_{\mathbf{R}}.$$

# Aim

A problem parametrized by the nuclei positions.

Goal : approximate

 $\mathcal{M}:=\left\{\Psi_{\textbf{R}} \text{ for } \textbf{R}\in\mathcal{R}\right\}, \quad \mathcal{R} \text{ being the set of configurations}$ 

Used for different purposes :

- Ab initio molecular dynamics
- Geometry optimization
- Building databases to construct interatomic potentials

Questions :

- Understand the structure of this manifold
- How to efficiently approximate the elements on this manifold ?
- More precisely, efficiently approximate all solutions (for varying positions) from the computation of only a few solutions

We will work on a toy problem but keep in mind that we want to deal with high-dimensional problems.

# Toy problem

One-dimensional, one electron

Energy minimization :

$$\min_{\substack{\Psi \in H^1(\mathbb{R}) \\ \|\Psi\|_{L^2(\mathbb{R})} = 1}} \frac{1}{2} \int_{\mathbb{R}} |\Psi'|^2 - \sum_{m=1}^M z_m \Psi(R_m)^2$$

Eigenvalue problem :

$$\begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{2}\Psi_{\mathsf{R}}'' + \left(-\sum_{m=1}^{M} z_m \delta_{R_m}\right)\Psi_{\mathsf{R}} &= E_{\mathsf{R}}\Psi_{\mathsf{R}} \\ \|\Psi_{\mathsf{R}}\|_{L^2(\mathbb{R})} &= 1. \end{cases}$$

- Dirac potential
- ► Similar regularity as in the 3D case with Coulomb
- Analytic solutions

$$\Psi_{\mathbf{R}} = \sum_{m=1}^{M} \pi_m^{\mathbf{R}} e^{-\zeta_{\mathbf{R}}|x-R_m|},$$
  
For some positive weights  $\pi^{\mathbf{R}} = \left(\pi_m^{\mathbf{R}}\right)_{m=1}^{M} \in (\mathbf{R}_+)^M$  and  $\zeta_{\mathbf{R}} > 0.$ 

### Plots of a few solutions



**Aim :** efficiently approximate all solutions (for varying positions) from the computation of only **a few** solutions

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Optimal transport : a few properties

Practical strategy and numerical results for a 1D toy problem

An example in 2D : Approximating the pair-density

### Linear reduced basis method

**Problem :** Parametrized PDE with parameters  $\mathbf{R} \in \mathcal{R}$ 's.

Needs to be solved for many parameters R.

Offline part : Select accurate solutions for a few wisely chosen parameters  $R_1,R_2,\ldots,R_{\mathcal{K}}\in\mathcal{R}$ 

- $\blacktriangleright$  Generate a training set of snapshots for parameters  $\textbf{R} \in \mathcal{R}_{\mathrm{train}}$
- Select "good" snapshots with a greedy algorithm
  - ▶ Select one parameter  $\mathbf{R}_1 \in \mathcal{R}$
  - ► at each iteration  $K \ge 2$ , select the snapshot that is worse approximated in the basis of the previously selected snapshots  $\Psi_{\mathbf{R}_1}, \ldots, \Psi_{\mathbf{R}_{K-1}}$

**Online part** : compute solutions for **many** parameters  $\mathbf{R} \in \mathcal{R}$  in the reduced space spanned by selected snapshots, i.e. in the basis spanned by the solutions  $\Psi_{\mathbf{R}_1}, \ldots, \Psi_{\mathbf{R}_{\mathcal{K}}}$ .

Barrault, Maday, Nguyen, Patera : An empirical interpolation method : application to efficient reduced-basis discretization of partial differential equations. C. R.(2004)

Hesthaven, Rozza, Stamm : Certified Reduced Basis Methods for Parametrized Partial Differential Equations. Springer (2016)

# Many successful examples

Used for many industrial problems now

- Continuum mechanics
- ► Thermal equations



- Neutronics
- Non self-adjoint eigenvalue problem
- Parametrization in each cell of the nuclear core

Key point : The solutions should be well approximated by linear combinations of a few solutions.

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Taumhas, D., Ehrlacher, Lelièvre, Madiot : Reduced basis method for non-symmetric eigenvalue problems : application to the

multigroup neutron diffusion equations. arXiv :2307.05978.

### An interesting notion : the Kolmogorov *n*-width

Definition for a Hilbert space  $\mathbb{H}$  :  $\mathcal{M} := \{ \Psi_{\mathbf{R}}, \quad \mathbf{R} \in \mathcal{R} \}$ 

$$\varepsilon_n(\mathcal{M},\mathbb{H}) := \inf_{\substack{V_n \subset \mathbb{H} \\ \dim V_n = n}} \sup_{\mathbf{R} \in \mathcal{R}} \| \Psi_{\mathbf{R}} - \mathcal{P}_{V_n} \Psi_{\mathbf{R}} \|.$$

Characterizes if the reduced basis method has a chance to work

► The faster the decay, the better!

Typical example where it works : elliptic equation

$$A_{\mathbf{R}}\Psi_{\mathbf{R}}=f,$$

with affine representation of  $A_{\mathbf{R}}$  :

$$A_{f R} = \sum_{q=1}^Q heta_q({f R}) A_q, \quad ext{for some } heta_q \in {\Bbb R}, \, A_q ext{ continuous operators}$$

Exponential decay of the Kolmogorov *n*-width :

$$\varepsilon_n(\mathcal{M},\mathbb{H}) \leq C \exp(-cn^{1/Q}).$$

Ohlberger, Rave : Reduced Basis Methods : Success, Limitations and Future Challenges (2015)

Cohen, DeVore : Approximation of high-dimensional parametric PDEs Acta Numerica (2015)

### Less successful examples : Transport problems

Simple example : one-dimensional transport equation,  $y \in [0, 1]$ ,

$$\begin{cases} \partial_t \Psi_y(t,x) + y \partial_x \Psi_y(t,x) = 0, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}, t \in \mathbb{R}_+ \\ \Psi_y(0,x) = \mathbf{1}_{[-1,0]} \end{cases}$$

At t = 1, the solutions are  $\Psi_y(t = 1, x) = \mathbf{1}_{[y-1,y]}$ 



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### What about electronic structure?

Similar behavior as the transport problem



Kolmogorov *n*-width for the 1D toy problem For the problem with one nucleus,  $\mathcal{M} = \{\Psi_R, R \in [-\bar{R}, \bar{R}]\}$ , there exist positive constant  $c_{\bar{R}}, C_{\bar{R}}$  such that

$$c_{\bar{R}}n^{-\frac{3}{2}} \leqslant \varepsilon_n(\mathcal{M}, L^2(\mathbb{R})) \leqslant C_{\bar{R}}n^{-\frac{3}{2}}.$$

For the problem with two nuclei,  $\mathcal{M} = \{\Psi_{(R_1,R_2)}, R_1, R_2 \in [-\bar{R}, \bar{R}]^2\}$ , there exists a positive constant  $c_{\bar{R}}$  such that

$$c_{\bar{R}}n^{-\frac{3}{2}} \leq \varepsilon_n(\mathcal{M}, L^2(\mathbb{R})).$$

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# Alternative : Finding a good nonlinear transformation

Nonlinear space defined with n parameters

- Neural networks
  - Lee and Carlberg. Model reduction of dynamical systems on nonlinear manifolds using deep convolutional autoencoders
- Nonlinear encoding-decoding map
  - Cohen, Farhat, Maday, Somacal : Nonlinear compressive reduced basis approximation for PDE's. Comptes Rendus Mécanique. 351, 1–18 (2023).
  - Lee and Carlberg. Model reduction of dynamical systems on nonlinear manifolds using deep convolutional autoencoders
- Optimal transport-based transformations
  - Ehrlacher, Lombardi, Mula, Vialard : Nonlinear model reduction on metric spaces. Application to one-dimensional conservative PDEs in Wasserstein spaces. Esaim Math. Model (2020).
  - Iollo, Taddei : Mapping of coherent structures in parameterized flows by learning optimal transportation with Gaussian models. J. Comput. Phys. 471, 111671 (2022).

Key points :

- How many solutions to approximate accurately the solution for a new parameter ?
- Computational cost of a new solution

### Replacing the Hilbert space by a metric space

Recall the definition for a Hilbert space  $\mathbb{H}$  :  $\mathcal{M}:=\{\Psi_{\textbf{R}}, \quad \textbf{R}\in\mathcal{R}\}$ 

$$\varepsilon_n(\mathcal{M},\mathbb{H}) := \inf_{\substack{V_n \subset \mathbb{H} \\ \dim V_n = n}} \sup_{\mathbf{R} \in \mathcal{R}} \| \Psi_{\mathbf{R}} - \mathcal{P}_{V_n} \Psi_{\mathbf{R}} \|.$$

We need to

- replace the norm by a distance
- find an alternative for the projection
- Inear combination replaced by barycenter

Given a metric space  $\mathbb{M}$ , with distance d, for convex parameters  $\mathbf{t} = (t_1, \ldots, t_n)$ , i.e. positive with  $\sum_{i=1}^n t_i = 1$ , and elements  $\Psi_{\mathbf{R}_1}, \ldots, \Psi_{\mathbf{R}_n} \in \mathbb{M}$ 

$$\mathsf{bar}(\boldsymbol{t}; \Psi_{\mathsf{R}_1}, \dots, \Psi_{\mathsf{R}_n})) := \operatorname{argmin}_{u \in \mathbb{M}} \quad \sum_{i=1}^n t_i d(u, \Psi_{\mathsf{R}_i})^2.$$

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Nonlinear Kolmogorov n-width

$$\varepsilon_n(\mathcal{M},\mathbb{M}) := \inf_{\Psi_{\mathsf{R}_1},\ldots,\Psi_{\mathsf{R}_n} \in \mathbb{M}} \sup_{\mathsf{R} \in \mathcal{R}} \inf_{t} d\left(\Psi_{\mathsf{R}},\mathsf{bar}(t;\Psi_{\mathsf{R}_1},\ldots,\Psi_{\mathsf{R}_n})\right)\right)$$

### Motivation behind using optimal transport

Use of **optimal transport** : at minima deals with the translations Barycenter between two Slater functions : a translated Slater function

#### Simple one-nucleus problem : $\forall n > 1, \varepsilon_n (\mathcal{M}, (\mathcal{P}_2(\mathbb{R}), W_2)) = 0.$

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# Optimal transport in a nutshell

Originally introduced by Monge : moving a pile of sand efficiently to cover a sinkhole

y = T(x)

Wasserstein distance : for  $u, v \in \mathcal{P}_2(\Omega)^2$  as  $W_2(u, v)^2 := \inf_{\pi \in \Pi(u, v)} \int_{\Omega^2} (x - y)^2 d\pi(x, y),$ 

 $\Pi(u, v)$  : set of probability measures over  $\Omega^2$  with marginals u and v.



Delon, Desolneux : A Wasserstein-Type Distance in the Space of Gaussian Mixture Models. SIAM J. Imaging Sci. (2020).

### Wasserstein barycenters

• *n* probability measures  $u_1, \ldots, u_n$ 

▶ *n* positive weights  $t_1, \ldots, t_n$  summing to 1

Barycenter is a solution to the problem

$$\inf_{u\in\mathcal{P}_2(\Omega)}\sum_{i=1}^n t_i W_2(u,u_i)^2.$$

Alternative formulation : multimarginal optimal transport problem

$$\inf_{\gamma\in\Pi(u_1,\ldots,u_n)}\int_{\Omega^n}\frac{1}{2}\sum_{i,j=1}^nt_it_j(x_i-x_j)^2\,d\gamma(x_1,\ldots,x_n),$$

where  $\Pi(u_1, \ldots, u_n)$  denotes the set of probability measures on  $\Omega^n$  having  $u_1, \ldots, u_n$  as marginals.

Then bar
$$(t; u_1, \ldots, u_n) = P_t \# \gamma$$
, with  $P_t(x_1, \ldots, x_n) = \sum_{i=1}^n t_i x_i$ .

Agueh, Carlier : Barycenters in the Wasserstein Space. SIAM J. Math. Anal. (2011).

Gangbo, Swiech : Optimal maps for the multidimensional Monge-Kantorovich problem. Commun. Pure Appl. Math. (1998)

### A few examples : One-dimensional case

# Cumulative distribution function (cdf) of an element $u \in \mathcal{P}_2(\mathbb{R})$ is $\operatorname{cdf}_u : x \in \mathbb{R} \longmapsto \int_{-\infty}^x d[u],$

Inverse cumulative distribution function (icdf) : generalized inverse of the cdf

$$\operatorname{icdf}_u : s \in [0,1] \longmapsto \operatorname{cdf}_u^{-1} := \inf\{x \in \mathbb{R}, \operatorname{cdf}_u(x) > s\}.$$

Then, for any  $(u, v) \in \mathcal{P}_2(\mathbb{R})^2$ , there holds

$$W_2(u,v) = \|\operatorname{icdf}_u - \operatorname{icdf}_v\|_{L^2([0,1])},$$

and for any set of barycentric weights  $\boldsymbol{t} := (t_1, \ldots, t_n)$  and  $\boldsymbol{u} := (u_1, \ldots, u_n)$ ,

the icdf of the barycenter  $\operatorname{Bar}_{W_2}^t(\boldsymbol{u})$  satisfies  $\operatorname{icdf}_{\operatorname{Bar}_{W_2}^t}(\boldsymbol{u}) = \sum_{i=1}^n t_i \operatorname{icdf}_{u_i}.$ 

## Illustration

$$\operatorname{icdf}_{\operatorname{Bar}_{W_2}^t}(u) = \lambda \operatorname{icdf}_{u_1} + (1 - \lambda) \operatorname{icdf}_{u_2}.$$

A few examples : Location-scatter transforms

$$\mathcal{A} := \left\{ T \# a, \quad T : x \in \mathbb{R}^d \mapsto Ax + b, \ A \in \mathcal{S}_d, \ b \in \mathbb{R}^d \right\}.$$

All measures generated with translation and dilations of a single measure

**Wasserstein distance :** Let  $a_0, a_1 \in \mathcal{A}$  havings means  $m_0, m_1$  and covariance matrices  $\Sigma_0, \Sigma_1$ , such that the transport map

$$Tx = Ax + (m_0 - m_1), \text{ with } A = \Sigma_0^{-1/2} \left( \Sigma_0^{1/2} \Sigma_1 \Sigma_0^{1/2} \right)^{-1/2} \Sigma_0^{-1/2},$$

is such that  $T \# a_0 = a_1$ . Then

$$W_2^2(a_0, a_1) = \|m_0 - m_1\|^2 + \operatorname{Tr}\left(\Sigma_0 + \Sigma_1 - 2(\Sigma_0^{1/2}\Sigma_1\Sigma_0^{1/2})^{1/2}\right),$$

Wasserstein barycenter : Let  $a_1, \ldots, a_n \in A$  having mean  $m_j$  and covariance matrices  $\Sigma_j$ . For weights  $\mathbf{t} := (t_1, \ldots, t_n)$ , the barycenter is the atom  $\operatorname{bar} a_t = T_t \# a$  with  $T_t = S_X + m$ , where S is the only positive definite matrix satisfying

$$S = \sum_{j=1}^{n} t_j (S^{1/2} \Sigma_j S^{1/2})^{1/2}, \text{ and } m = \sum_{j=1}^{n} t_j m_j.$$

Center is the mean of centers, small equation to solve for the covariance. Alvarez-Esteban, del Barrio, Cuesta-Albertos, Matran : A fixed-point approach to barycenters in Wasserstein space. (2016).

# Illustration

Barycenter between three Slater distributions



### Kolmogorov n-width for the Wasserstein distance

Solution manifold :  $\mathcal{M} = \{ \Psi_{\mathbf{R}}, \mathbf{R} \in [-\bar{R}, \bar{R}]^M \}$ 

Since  $W_2(u, v) = \|\operatorname{icdf}_u - \operatorname{icdf}_v\|_{L^2(0,1)}$ , we consider

 $\varepsilon_n(\mathcal{M}, W_2) := \varepsilon_n(\mathrm{icdf}(\mathcal{M}), L^2(0, 1))$ 

Simple one-nucleus problem :  $\forall n > 1, \varepsilon_n(\mathcal{M}, W_2) = 0$ 

**Case of two nuclei in**  $[-\bar{R}, \bar{R}]^2$ : There exists a constant  $C_{\bar{R}} > 0$  such that for all  $n \ge 1$ ,

 $\varepsilon_n(\mathcal{M}, W_2) \leq C_{\bar{R}} n^{-5/2}.$ 

To compare with the linear Kolmogorov width :

$$c_{\bar{R}}n^{-3/2} \leqslant \varepsilon_n(\mathcal{M}, L^2(\mathbb{R}))$$

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### Wasserstein barycenter between two solutions

Constrained convex optimization problem

$$\begin{array}{l} \min_{\substack{w:=(w_{jk})_{1\leq j\leq Ngrid,}\in\Pi(\Lambda_{0},\Lambda_{1})\\1\leq k\leq Ngrid}} \sum_{j=1}^{Ngrid}\sum_{k=1}^{Ngrid}w_{jk}\|x_{j}-x_{k}\|^{2},\\ \text{with}\quad \Pi(\Lambda_{0},\Lambda_{1}):=\left\{w:=(w_{jk})_{\substack{1\leq j\leq Ngrid,\\1\leq k\leq Ngrid}}\in\mathbb{R}^{Ngrid\times Ngrid}_{+},\quad\forall 1\leq j\leq Ngrid,\;\sum_{k=1}^{\kappa}w_{jk}=\lambda_{0}^{j},\\ \forall 1\leq k\leq Ngrid,\;\sum_{j=1}^{J}w_{jk}=\lambda_{1}^{k}\right\}. \end{array}$$

Limitations :

- ► High computational cost
- Smoothing of the barycenter
- Bad scaling with the dimension
- Multi-marginal problem

### A modified distance

 $\mathcal{A} \subset \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{R})$  : dictionary of atoms (Slater functions, gaussians, etc.)

**Definition** : for all mixtures  $\mu_0 = \sum_{j=1}^J \lambda_0^j a_0^j \in \mathcal{M}(\mathcal{A})$  and  $\mu_1 = \sum_{k=1}^K \lambda_1^k a_1^k \in \mathcal{M}(\mathcal{A})$ , we define

$$\begin{split} mW_{2}(\mu_{0},\mu_{1})^{2} &:= \min_{\substack{w:=(w_{jk})_{\substack{1 \leq j \leq J, \\ 1 \leq k \leq K}} \in \Pi(\Lambda_{0},\Lambda_{1})} \sum_{j=1}^{J} \sum_{k=1}^{K} w_{jk} W_{2}^{2}(a_{0}^{j},a_{1}^{k}), \\ \text{with} \quad \Pi(\Lambda_{0},\Lambda_{1}) &:= \left\{ w := (w_{jk})_{1 \leq j \leq J, 1 \leq k \leq K} \in \mathbb{R}^{J \times K}_{+}, \\ \forall 1 \leq j \leq J, \sum_{k=1}^{K} w_{jk} = \lambda_{0}^{j}, \quad \forall 1 \leq k \leq K, \sum_{j=1}^{J} w_{jk} = \lambda_{1}^{k} \right\}. \end{split}$$

#### Aim : Exploit the compact form of the solution as a mixture of Slater functions

Delon, Desolneux : A Wasserstein-Type Distance in the Space of Gaussian Mixture Models. SIAM J. Imaging Sci. (2020). Dusson, Ehrlacher, Nouaime : A Wasserstein-type metric for generic mixture models, including location-scatter and group invariant measures (2023)

## Illustration of the modification of the transport plan



- Transport map replaced by affine lines
- Number of components cannot exceed J + K 1

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### Mixture barycenter between two solutions

• Probability measures 
$$(u_1, \ldots, u_n)$$

• Positive weights 
$$\mathbf{t} = (t_1, \ldots, t_n)$$
.

Unique solution to the problem

$$\inf_{u\in\mathcal{M}(\mathcal{A})}\sum_{i=1}^{n}t_{i}mW_{2}^{2}(u,u_{i})^{2}.$$

#### Interesting features :

- Way better approximation compared to W<sub>2</sub> barycenter
- Computational cost independent of the dimension

Formula for the barycenter :

$$\operatorname{Bar}_{\operatorname{MW}_{2}}^{\boldsymbol{t}}\left(u_{1},\ldots,u_{n}\right)=\sum_{\boldsymbol{k}\in\boldsymbol{\mathsf{K}}} w_{\boldsymbol{k}}^{*}\operatorname{Bar}_{W_{2}}^{\boldsymbol{t}}\left(u_{1}^{k^{1}},\ldots,u_{N}^{k^{n}}\right),$$

# A few properties

Valid for a large number of probability distributions

### Mathematically :

- ▶ needs a geodesic space for the atoms (space with distance + geodesic)
- ► identifiability

**Computationally :** barycenters need to be easily computable (best if explicit !) Examples :

- ► Elliptic distributions (Slater, gaussians, Wigner semicircle)
- Location-scatter (dilations+translations)
- Group-invariant distributions (invariance put into the distance between the atom distributions)



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### Back to Kolmogorov n-width

**Definition of nonlinear Kolmogorov** *n*-width : The Kolmogorov *n*-width of the set  $\mathcal{M} \subset \mathbb{M}$  is defined by

$$\varepsilon_n(\mathcal{M},\mathbb{M}) = \inf_{\boldsymbol{m}\in\mathbb{M}^n} \sup_{\mathbf{R}\in\mathcal{R}} \inf_{\boldsymbol{t}\in\Omega(\boldsymbol{m})} mW_2(u_{\mathbf{R}},\operatorname{Bar}^{\boldsymbol{t}}(\boldsymbol{m})).$$

**Theorem : (Dalery, D., Ehrlacher, Lozinski)** for a system with two nuclei with identical charges, for n > 1,

$$\varepsilon_n(\mathcal{M}, mW_2) = 0.$$

Exact representation of all solutions in this case

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## Practical strategy

Nonlinear version

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- $\blacktriangleright$  Generate a training set of snapshots for parameters  $\textbf{R} \in \mathcal{R}_{\mathrm{train}}$
- Select "good" snapshots with a greedy algorithm
  - ▶ Select two parameters  $\mathbf{R}_1, \mathbf{R}_2 \in \mathcal{R}$  that are as far as possible
  - ► at each iteration  $K \ge 3$ , select the snapshot that is worse approximated as a barycenter in the set of the previously selected snapshots  $\Psi_{\mathbf{R}_1}, \ldots, \Psi_{\mathbf{R}_{K-1}}$

**Online part** : compute solutions for **many** parameters  $\mathbf{R} \in \mathcal{R}$  as a barycenter of selected snapshots, i.e. in the set of the solutions  $\Psi_{\mathbf{R}_1}, \ldots, \Psi_{\mathbf{R}_K}$ .

### Details on the greedy algorithm

**Input**: Training set  $\mathcal{M}_{\text{train}}$ , number of elements to select QSelect  $m^1$  and  $m^2$  solutions to  $\operatorname{argmax}_{(m^1,m^2)\in\mathcal{M}_{\text{train}}} MW_2(m^1,m^2)$ .  $\mathcal{B} := \{m^1,m^2\}$ for  $q = 3, \ldots, Q$  do

Select

$$m^k \in \operatorname{argmax}_{m \in \mathcal{M}_{\operatorname{train}}} \min_{t \in \Omega_{q-1}} mW_2(m, \operatorname{Bar}^t_{MW2}(m^1, \dots, m^{q-1}))^2,$$
 (1)

where

$$\Omega_{q-1} = \left\{ \boldsymbol{t} \in \mathbb{R}^{q-1}, \ \sum_{i=1}^{q-1} \frac{t_i}{\zeta^i} > 0 \right\}.$$

 $\mathcal{B} = \mathcal{B} \cup \{m^q\}$ 

end for

**Output :** Reduced basis  $\mathcal{B} \subset \mathcal{M}_{tr}$ 

### Details on the greedy algorithm - 2

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Mixtures : } & m = \sum_{k=1}^{K} \pi_k m_k \text{ and for } i \in \{1, \dots, n\}, \ m^i = \sum_{k^i = 1}^{K^i} \pi_{k^i}^i m_{k^i}^i \\ & \text{Solve : } \min_{t \in \Omega_q} m W_2(m, \text{Bar}_{MW2}^t(m^1, \dots, m^q))^2, \\ & \min_{t \in \Omega_q} \min_{w \in \Pi(\pi, w^*)} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbf{K}} \sum_{k=1}^{K} w_{\mathbf{k}, k} W_2(m_k, \text{Bar}_{W_2}^t(m_{k^1}^1, \dots, m_{k^n}^n))^2, \end{aligned}$$

with

$$W_2(m_k, \operatorname{Bar}^{\boldsymbol{t}}_{W_2}(m_{k^1}^1, \dots, m_{k^n}^n))^2 = \left(r_k - \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i r_{k^i}^i\right)^2 + 2\left(\frac{1}{\zeta_k} - \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{t_i}{\zeta_{k^i}^i}\right)^2$$
$$= \boldsymbol{t}^{\mathsf{T}} A_{\mathbf{k}} \boldsymbol{t} + b_{\mathbf{k},k}^{\mathsf{T}} \boldsymbol{t} + c_k,$$

So

$$\min_{w\in\Pi(\pi,w^*)}\min_{t\in\Omega_k} \boldsymbol{t}^{\mathsf{T}}A\boldsymbol{t} + b_w^{\mathsf{T}}\boldsymbol{t} + c = \min_{w\in\Pi(\pi,w^*)} -\frac{1}{4}b_w^{\mathsf{T}}A^{-1}b_w + c,$$

Non convex optimization problem to solve

# Online algorithm : energy minimization

Given  $\Psi_{\mathbf{R}_1}, \dots, \Psi_{\mathbf{R}_n}$ , solve

$$\inf_{t} E(\mathsf{bar}(t; \Psi_{\mathsf{R}_1}, \dots, \Psi_{\mathsf{R}_n}))$$

- ► Nonlinear problem, but in low dimension
- Using quasi-Newton method starting from different initial guesses



## Numerical results : greedy algorithm

Charges : (0.8, 1.1).

291 solutions in the training set.

Error decrease with respect to number of selected snapshots



## Numerical results : greedy algorithm

#### First eight selected solutions



### Numerical results : greedy algorithm

#### Projection example



### Numerical results : online energy minimization

Energy error



### Numerical results

Comparison between projection and energy minimization



### First extrapolation example

#### Using a basis with 3 functions



### First extrapolation example

#### Using a basis with 5 functions



# Outline

Linear reduced-order modelling

Optimal transport : a few properties

Practical strategy and numerical results for a 1D toy problem

An example in 2D : Approximating the pair-density

### Approximating the pair density

Defined as

$$\rho_2^{\Psi}(x,y) = \binom{N}{2} \int_{(\mathbb{R}^d)^{N-2}} |\Psi(x,y,x_3,\cdots,x_N)|^2 dx_3 \cdots dx_N.$$

 Propose practical approximations of the pair density in order to efficiently compute

$$V_{ee}[\Psi] = \int_{\mathbb{R}^{2d}} \frac{\rho_2^{\Psi}(x,y)}{|x-y|} dx \, dy.$$

### Two particles systems



Finite element code for 1D particles developed with Xue Quan and Huajie Chen (in Julia).

### Approximation using Local Density Approximation

Relative error computed with respect to the Coulomb energy

$$V_{ee}[\Psi] = \int_{\mathbb{R}^2} \frac{\rho_2^{\Psi}(x, y)}{|x - y|} dx \, dy.$$

**For LDA :**  $\rho_2$  such that

$$V_{ee}[\rho] = rac{1}{2} \int rac{
ho_2^{\Psi}(x,y)}{|x-y|} dx \, dy - c_x \int 
ho(x)^{4/3} dx.$$



Chen, Friesecke : Pair Densities in Density Functional Theory. Multiscale Model. Simul. (2015).

# Learning the pair density

Main ideas :

- Construct a database of densities and pair densities
- Select most representative pair densities using a greedy algorithm
- For a new density,
  - 1. fit the density as a barycenter of selected densities
  - 2. approximate the pair density as a barycenter of corresponding pair densities

Simple example using a  $W_2$  Wasserstein barycenter :



# Using mixture distance : fitting the pair density

Computational cost limits the use of Wasserstein barycenters

 Pair densities can be fitted using a few gaussian mixtures - sparse representation for efficiently computing barycenters



# **Conclusion and perspectives**

Nonlinear reduced model based on mixture Wasserstein barycenters

Key points :

- Computation of barycenters independent of the underlying dimension
- Problem size depends on number of functions in the mixtures Limitations :
  - Needs to consider probability distributions
  - Multi-marginal problem hard in general, but hope with new algorithms

 $\label{eq:Friesecke} Friesecke, \ Penka: The \ GenCol \ algorithm \ for \ high-dimensional \ optimal \ transport: general \ formulation \ and \ application \ to$ 

barycenters and Wasserstein splines, http ://arxiv.org/abs/2209.09081, (2022).

Extensions :

- ► Consider orthogonal projectors problems using Quantum OT
- ► Accelerate online calculations via learning of the parameter map
- ► 3D simulations, error bounds

# Thank you!