

3D frequency domain FWI using a row-projected Helmholtz solver

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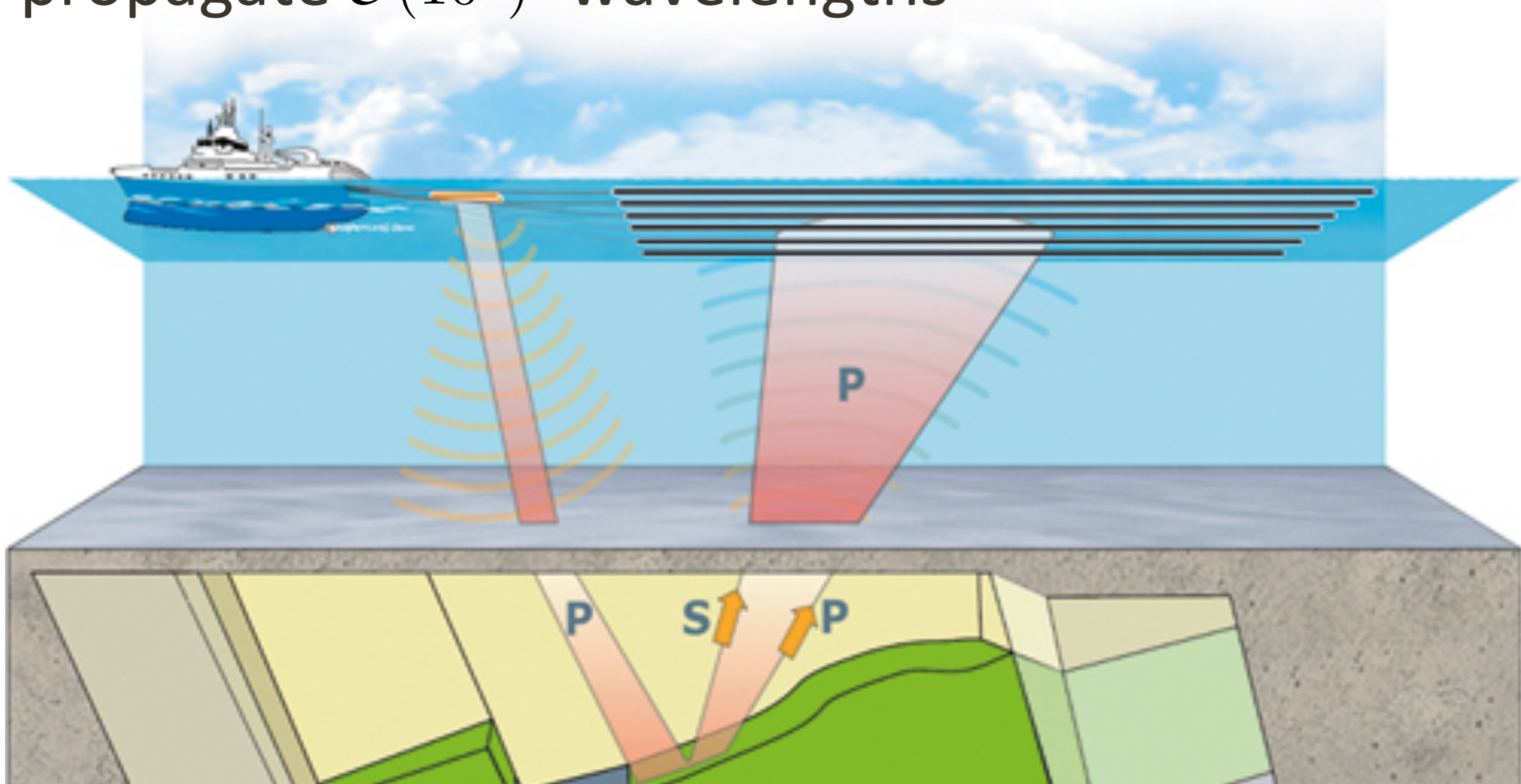
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Infer 3D velocity model from *multi-experiment* data:

- ▶ $\mathcal{O}(10^9)$ unknowns
- ▶ $\mathcal{O}(10^{15})$ datapoints
- ▶ propagate $\mathcal{O}(10^2)$ wavelengths

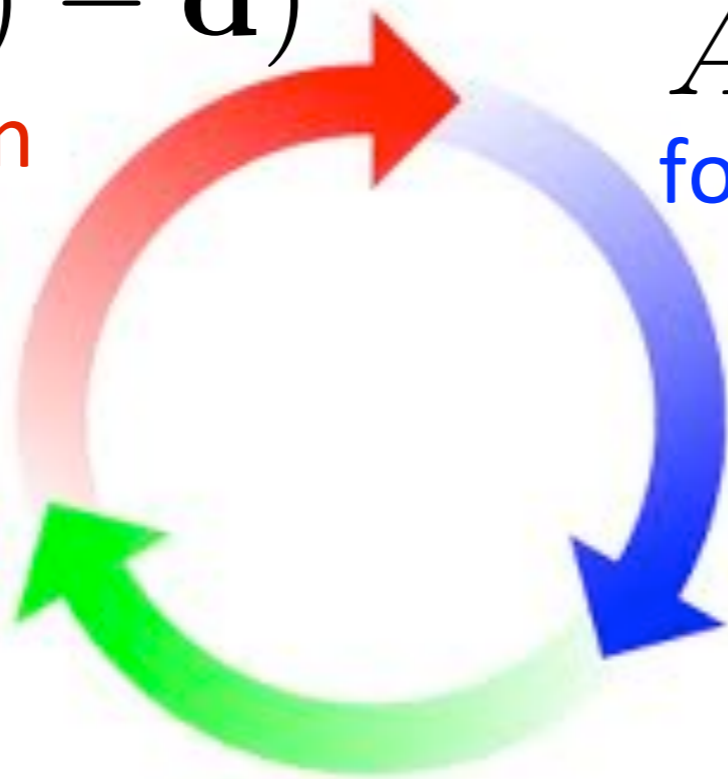


$$\min_{\mathbf{m}} \rho(F(\mathbf{m}) - \mathbf{d})$$

formulation

$$A(\mathbf{m})\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{q}$$

forward modelling



$$\mathbf{m}_{k+1} = \mathbf{m}_k + \alpha_k \mathbf{S}_k$$

optimization strategies

computational framework

Formulation

non-linear least-squares problem:

$$\min_{\mathbf{m}} \Phi(\mathbf{m}) = \sum_{i=1}^M \|\mathbf{d}_i - P_i \mathbf{u}_i\|_2^2$$

gradient:

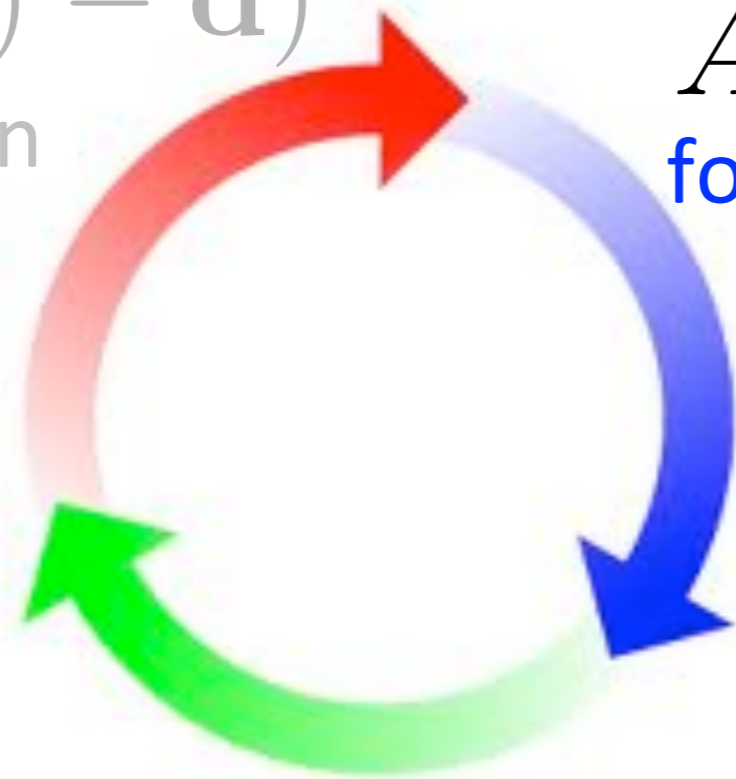
$$\frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial m_k} = \sum_{i=1}^M \mathbf{u}_i^H \left(\frac{\partial A(\mathbf{m})}{\partial m_k} \right)^H \mathbf{v}_i$$

where:

$$\begin{aligned} A(\mathbf{m}) \mathbf{u}_i &= \mathbf{q}_i \\ A(\mathbf{m})^H \mathbf{v}_i &= P_i^T (\mathbf{d}_i - P_i \mathbf{u}_i) \end{aligned}$$

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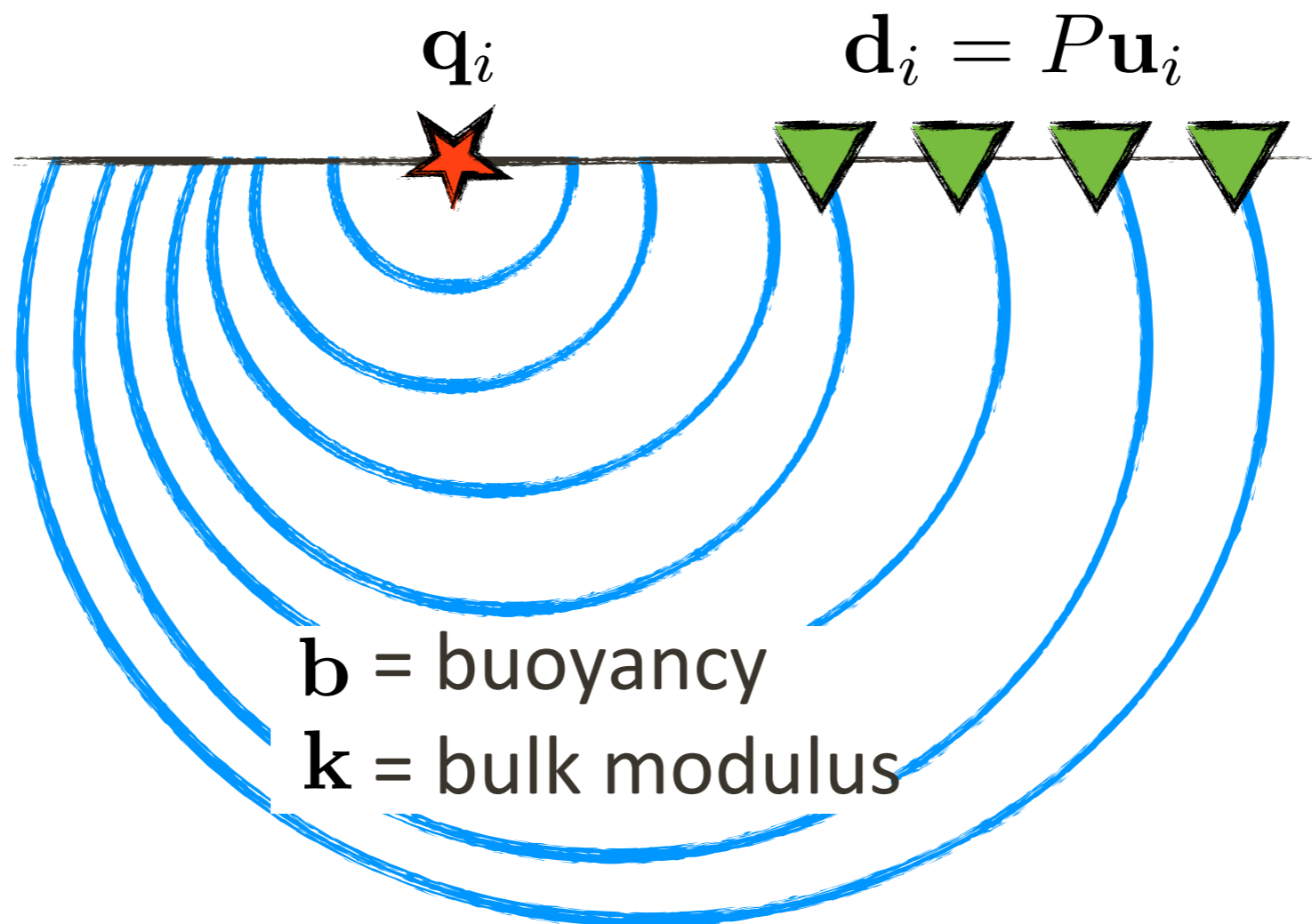
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Forward modelling

We model the data in the *acoustic* approximation

$$(\omega^2 + \mathbf{k} \nabla \cdot (\mathbf{b} \nabla)) \mathbf{u}_i = \mathbf{q}_i$$



Preconditioning

Replace original system $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$ by

$$M^{-1}A\mathbf{x} = M^{-1}\mathbf{b}$$

where $M^{-1} \approx A^{-1}$ and can be applied cheaply.

Popular approaches:

- *Asymptotic/one-way approximations*
- *Multi-grid on damped equation*

Our approach:

- *Generic, simple and robust*
- *Easily parallelized and optimized*

Kaczmarz

The Kaczmarz method solves a system

$$A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$$

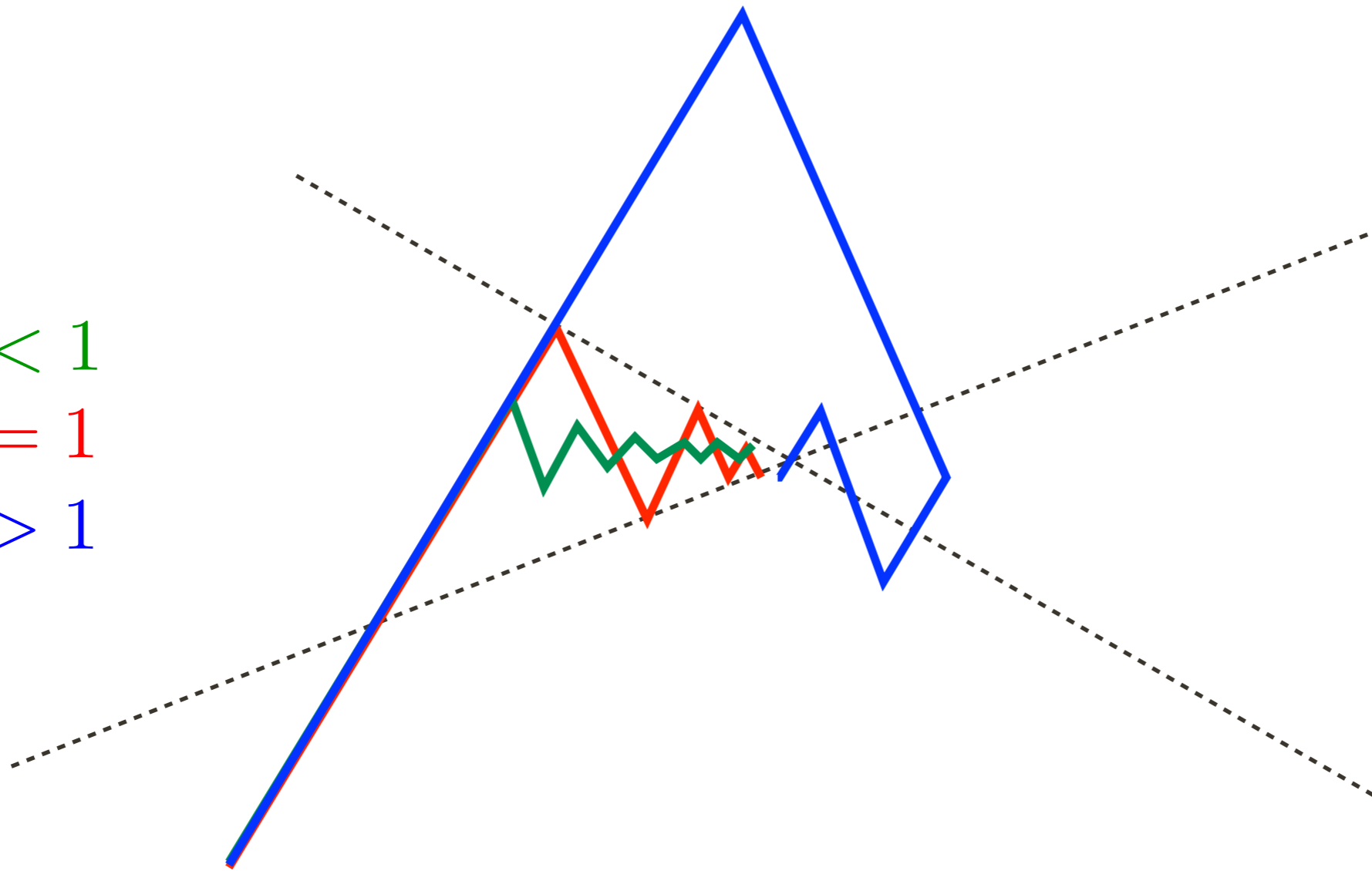
by successive row projections

$$\mathbf{x} := \mathbf{x} + \frac{\lambda}{\|\mathbf{a}_i\|_2^2} (b_i - \mathbf{a}_i^T \mathbf{x}) \mathbf{a}_i,$$

with relaxation parameter $0 < \lambda < 2$

Kaczmarz

$\lambda < 1$
 $\lambda = 1$
 $\lambda > 1$



Kaczmarz

Split matrix: $AA^T = D + L + L^T$

The corresponding preconditioner is given by

$$M^{-1} = A^T H$$

where

$$H = \lambda(2 - \lambda)(D + \lambda L^T)^{-1} D (D + \lambda L)^{-1}$$

The matrix $M^{-1}A$ is *symmetric* and *positive semidefinite*; we can use CG.

Error propagation

analyze error propagation:

$$\mathbf{e}_{k+1} = Q(\lambda)\mathbf{e}_k$$

with $Q(\lambda) = I - A_\lambda^T H_\lambda A_\lambda$

Fourier analysis: $e_j(\theta) = \exp(\imath j\theta)$

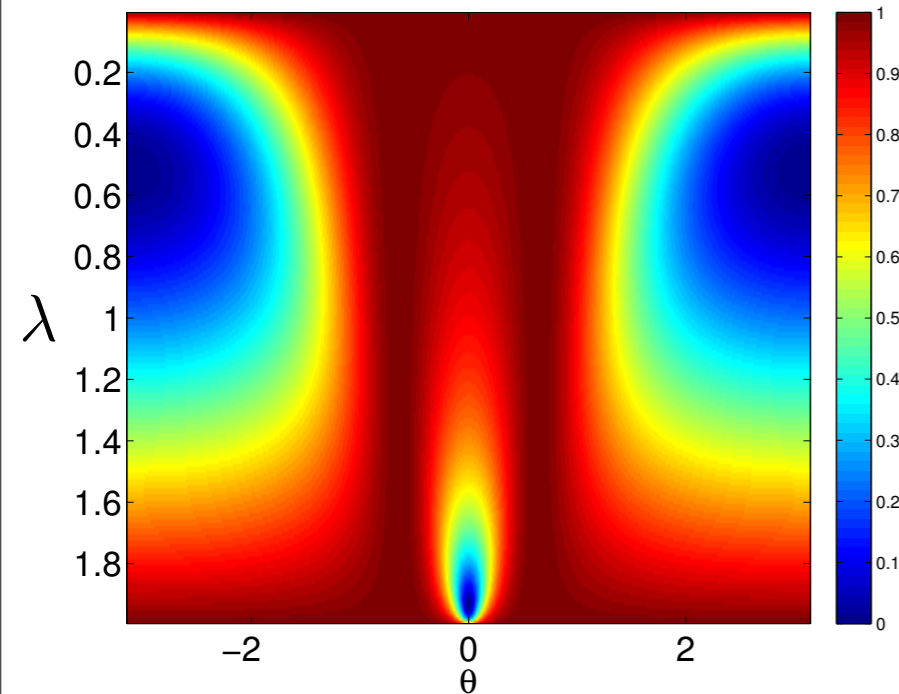
$$a(\lambda, \theta) = |Q(\lambda)\mathbf{e}(\theta)|/|\mathbf{e}(\theta)|$$

Error propagation

study the amplitude as a function of $n_g = 2\pi/(kh)$

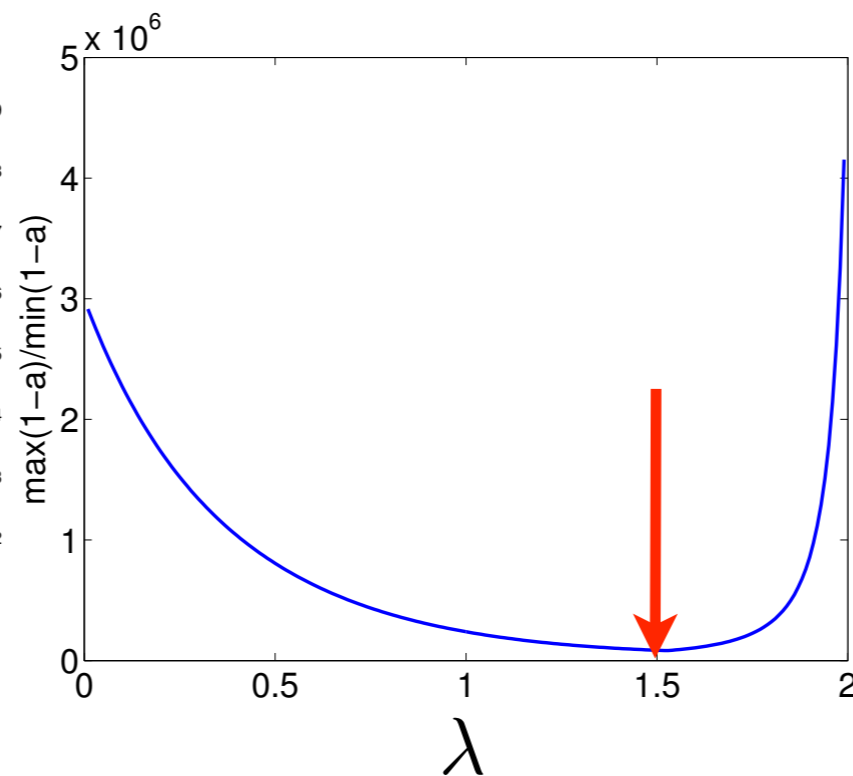
$$n_g = 10$$

$$a(\lambda, \theta)$$

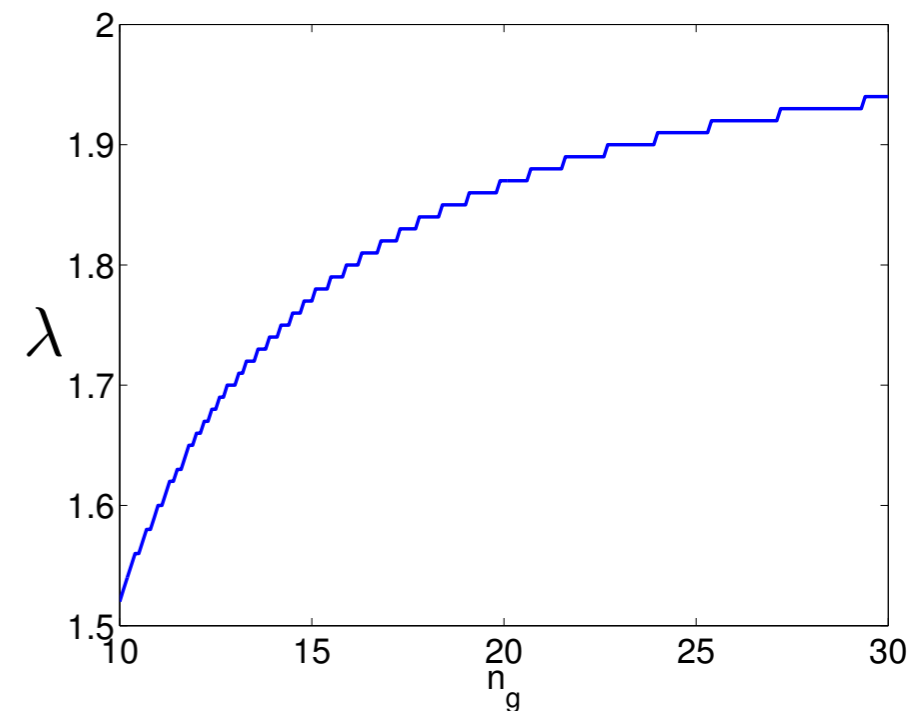


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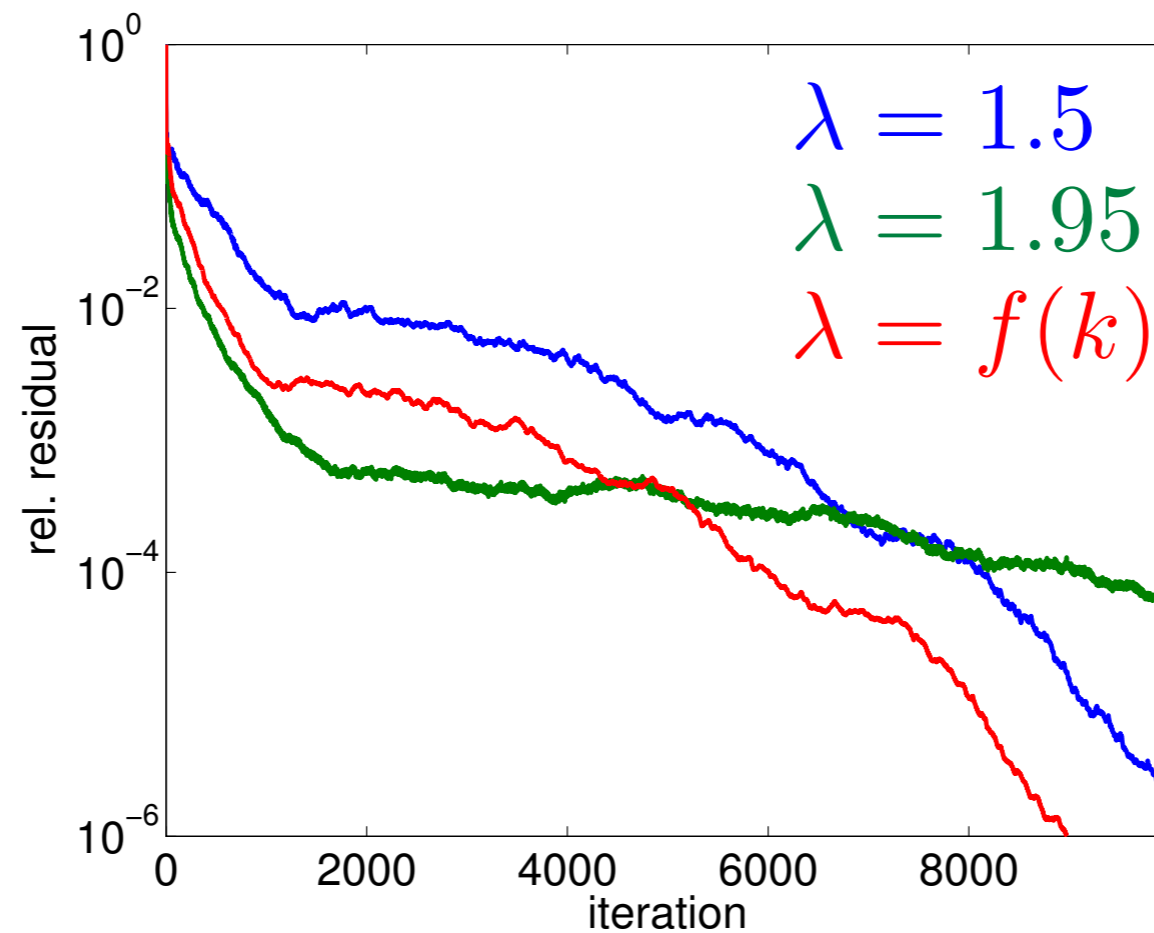
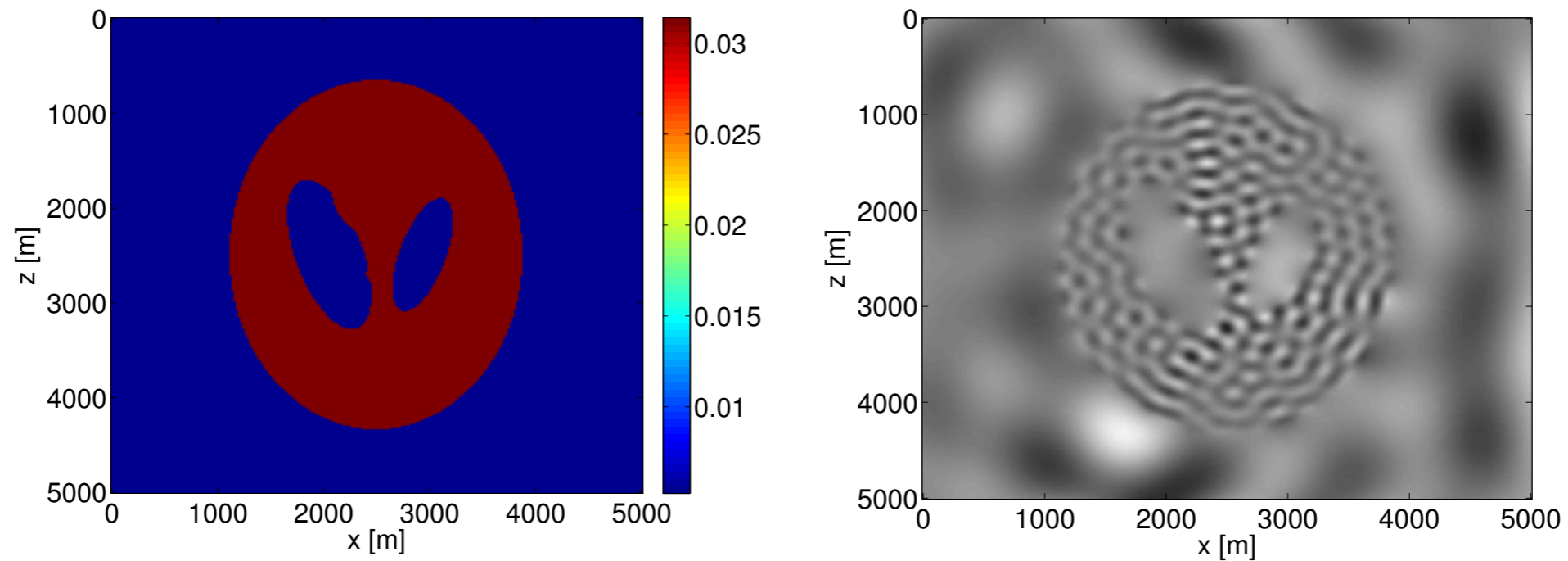
'condition number'



optimal λ



Error propagation



Kaczmarz

We never form the matrix explicitly, but compute its action:

Algorithm 1 $\text{DKSWP}(A, \mathbf{r}, \lambda) = M^{-1}\mathbf{r}$

$\mathbf{x} = 0$

forward sweep

for $i = 1$ to n **do**

$\mathbf{x} := \mathbf{x} + \lambda(r_i - \mathbf{a}_i^T \mathbf{x})\mathbf{a}_i / \|\mathbf{a}_i\|_2^2$

end for

backward sweep

for $i = n$ to 1 **do**

$\mathbf{x} := \mathbf{x} + \lambda(r_i - \mathbf{a}_i^T \mathbf{x})\mathbf{a}_i / \|\mathbf{a}_i\|_2^2$

end for

return \mathbf{x}

CARP CG

Algorithm 1 CARP – BCG(A, U_0, S, γ)

$$P_0 = R_0 = \text{DKSWP}(A, U_0, B, \gamma) - U_0$$

while not converged **do**

$$Q_k = P_k - \text{DKSWP}(A, P_k, 0, \gamma)$$

$$\alpha_k = (P_k^* Q_k)^{-1} (R_k^* R_k)$$

$$X_{k+1} = X_k + P_k \alpha_k$$

$$R_{k+1} = R_k - Q_k \alpha_k$$

$$\beta_k = (R_k^* R_k)^{-1} (R_{k+1}^* R_{k+1})$$

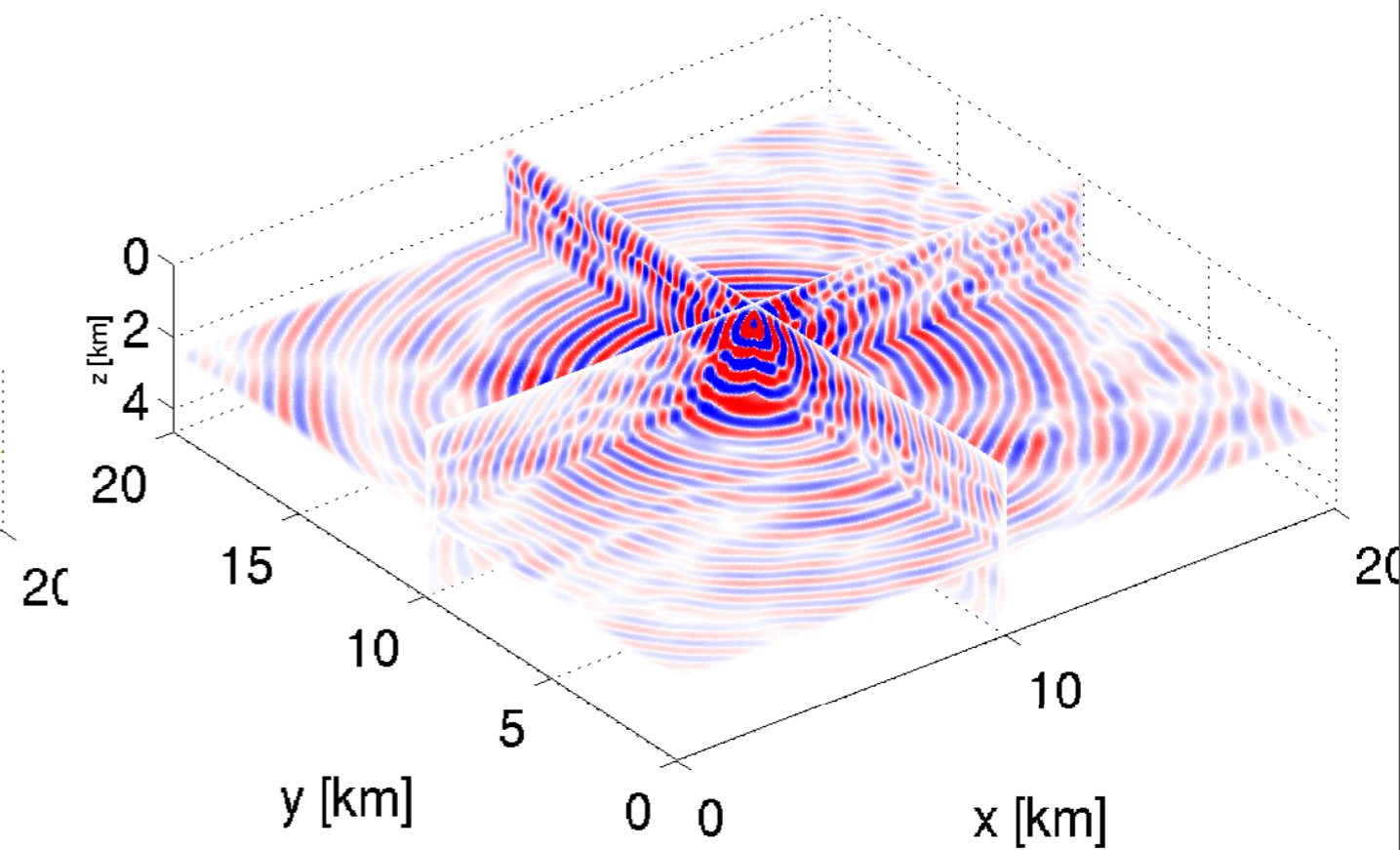
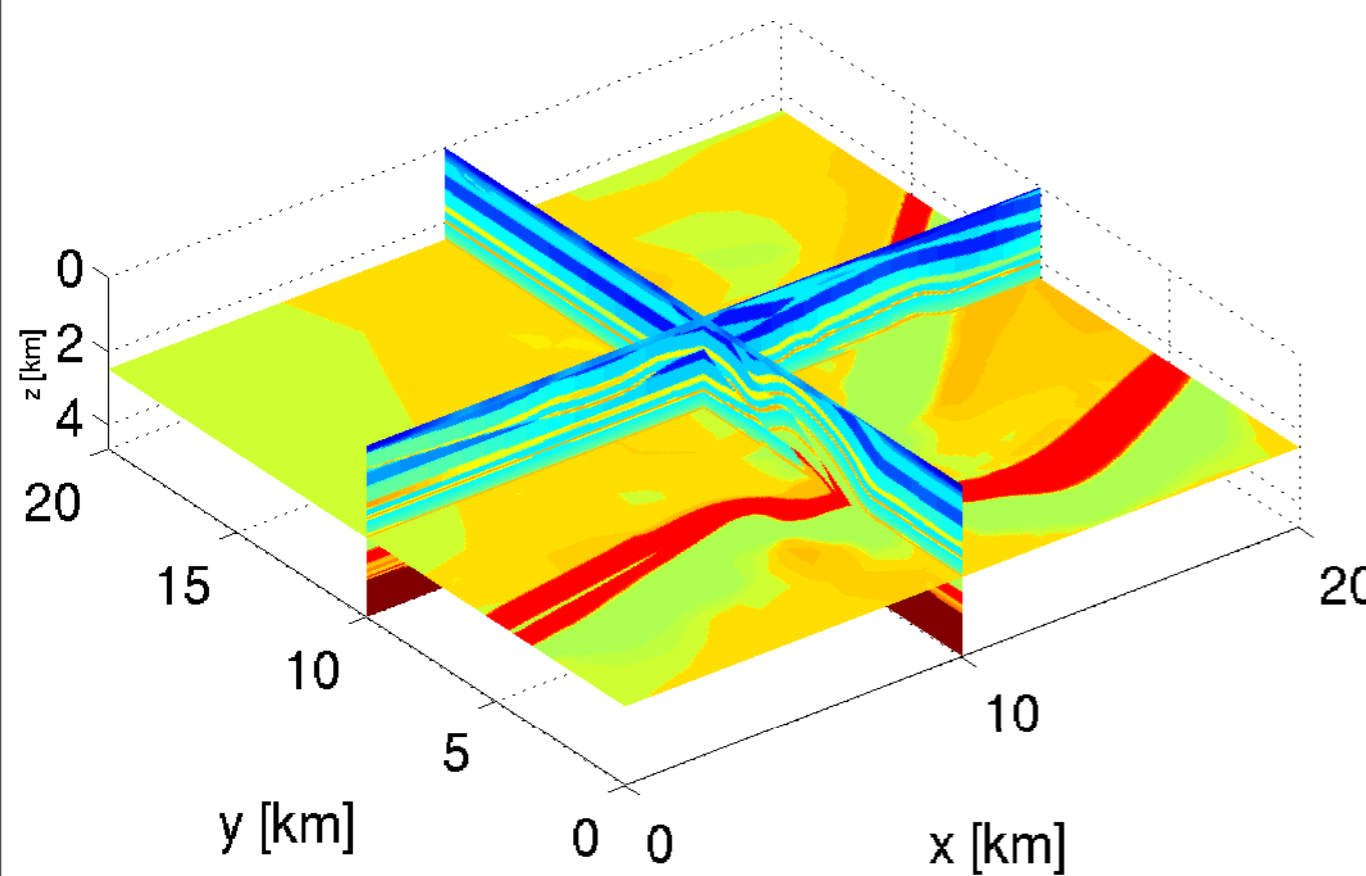
$$P_{k+1} = R_k + P_k \beta_k$$

$$k = k + 1$$

end while

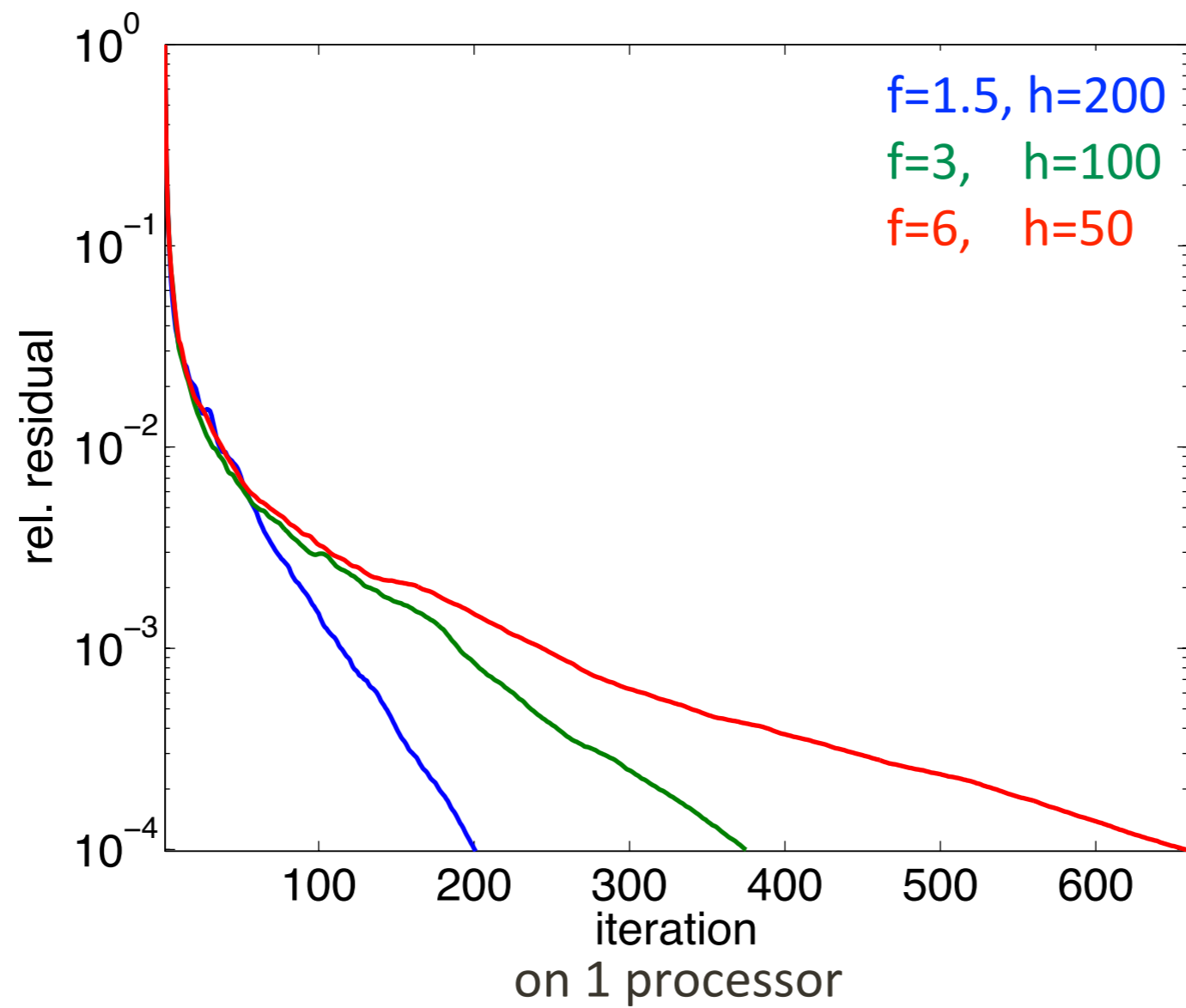
Example

27 point stencil (2nd order), PML



Example

one r.h.s.



Example

Parallelization via domain-decomposition:

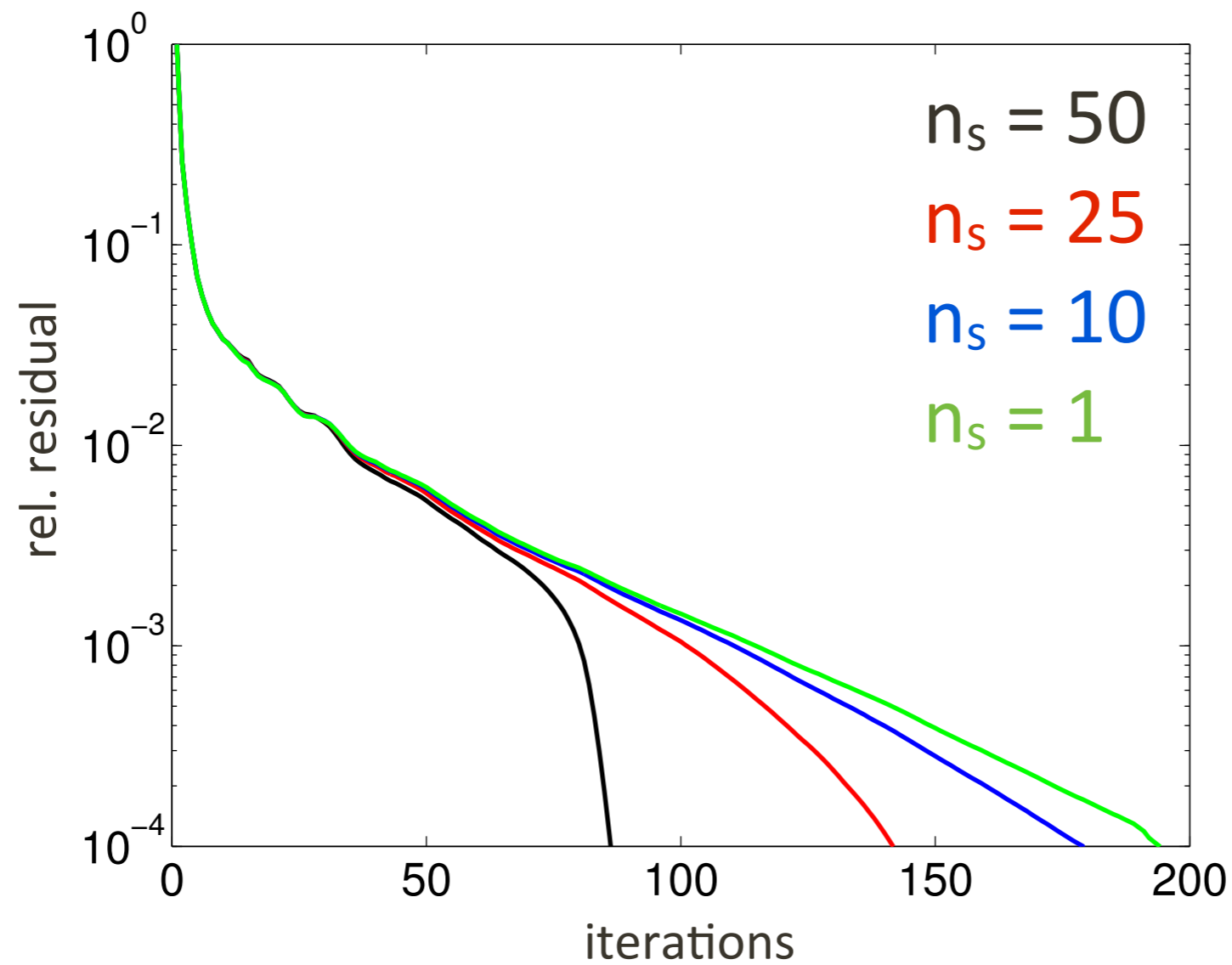
- sweeps applied on subdomains
- `additive Schwarz`
- convergence guaranteed

np	iter	time	efficiency
1	659	20785.40	1.00
2	657	11306.90	0.92
4	596	4882.50	0.96
8	603	3960.10	0.60

grid: 47x201x201, h=100, f=3 Hz, $\epsilon = 10^{-4}$

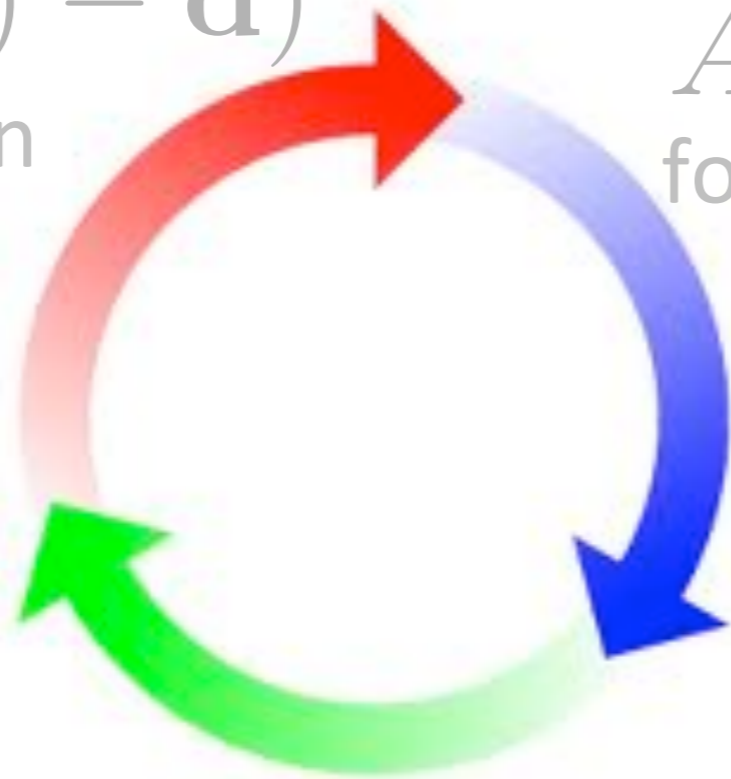
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multiple r.h.s.



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Fast optimization

$$\min_{\mathbf{m}} \Phi(\mathbf{m}) = \frac{1}{M} \sum_{i=1}^M \phi_i(\mathbf{m})$$

steepest descent

$$\mathbf{m}_{k+1} = \mathbf{m}_k - \lambda_k \nabla \Phi(\mathbf{m}_k)$$

But: evaluation of *full* misfit and gradient is very expensive.

Fast optimization

Gradient descent with errors:

$$\nabla \tilde{\Phi}_k = \nabla \Phi_k + \mathbf{e}_k$$

stochastic/incremental gradient require an *unbiased* estimate:

$$\mathbb{E}(\mathbf{e}_k) = 0$$

and have *sublinear* convergence rate

[Bertsekas '96,'08; Nemirovski '00]

Fast optimization

Instead, require that the error is *bounded*

$$\|\mathbf{e}_k\| \leq B_k \quad \text{and} \quad \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} B_{k+1}/B_k \leq 1$$

Then

$$\Phi(\mathbf{m}_k) - \Phi(\mathbf{m}^*) = c^k (\Phi(\mathbf{m}_k) - \Phi(\mathbf{m}_0)) + \mathcal{O}(\max\{B_k, c^k\})$$

where $0 < c < 1$

Linear convergence rate if $B_k = \mathcal{O}(\gamma^k)$

Fast optimization

The gradient is an *average*

$$\nabla \Phi = \frac{1}{M} \sum_{i=1}^M \nabla \phi_i$$

which we can approximate by

$$\nabla \Phi \approx \nabla \tilde{\Phi} = \frac{1}{|\mathcal{I}|} \sum_{i \in \mathcal{I}} \nabla \phi_i$$

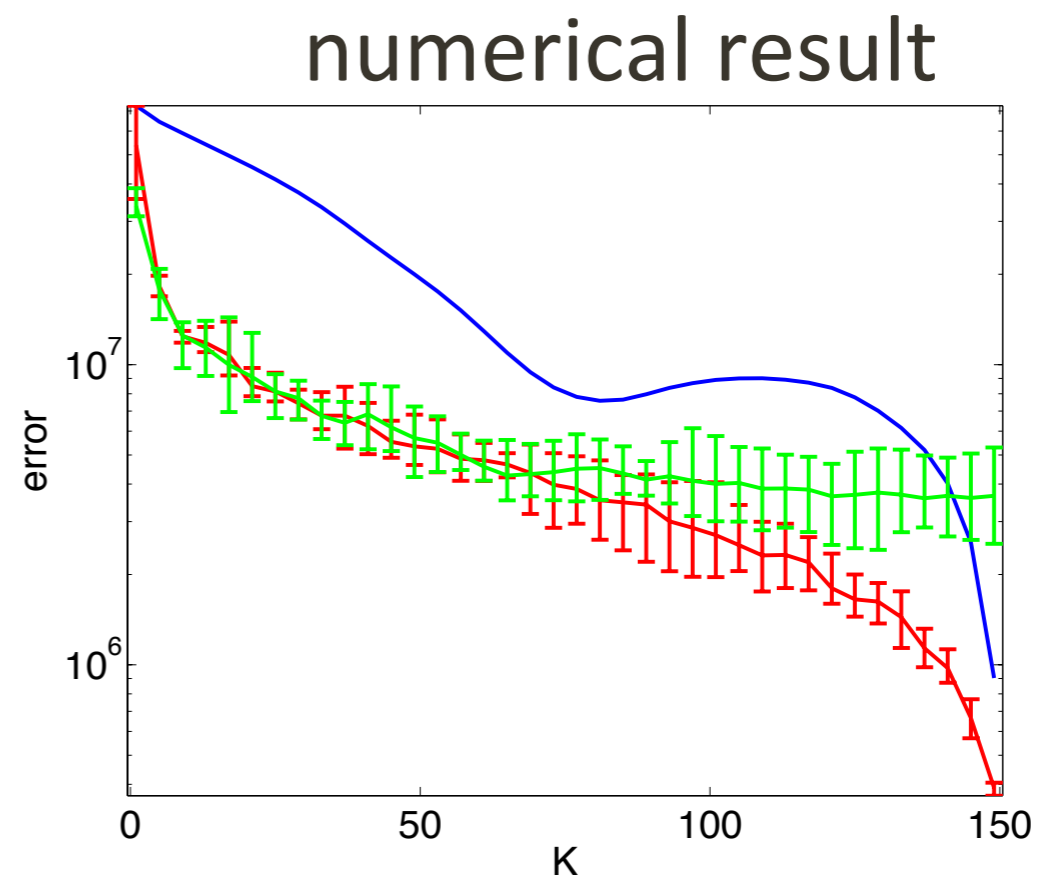
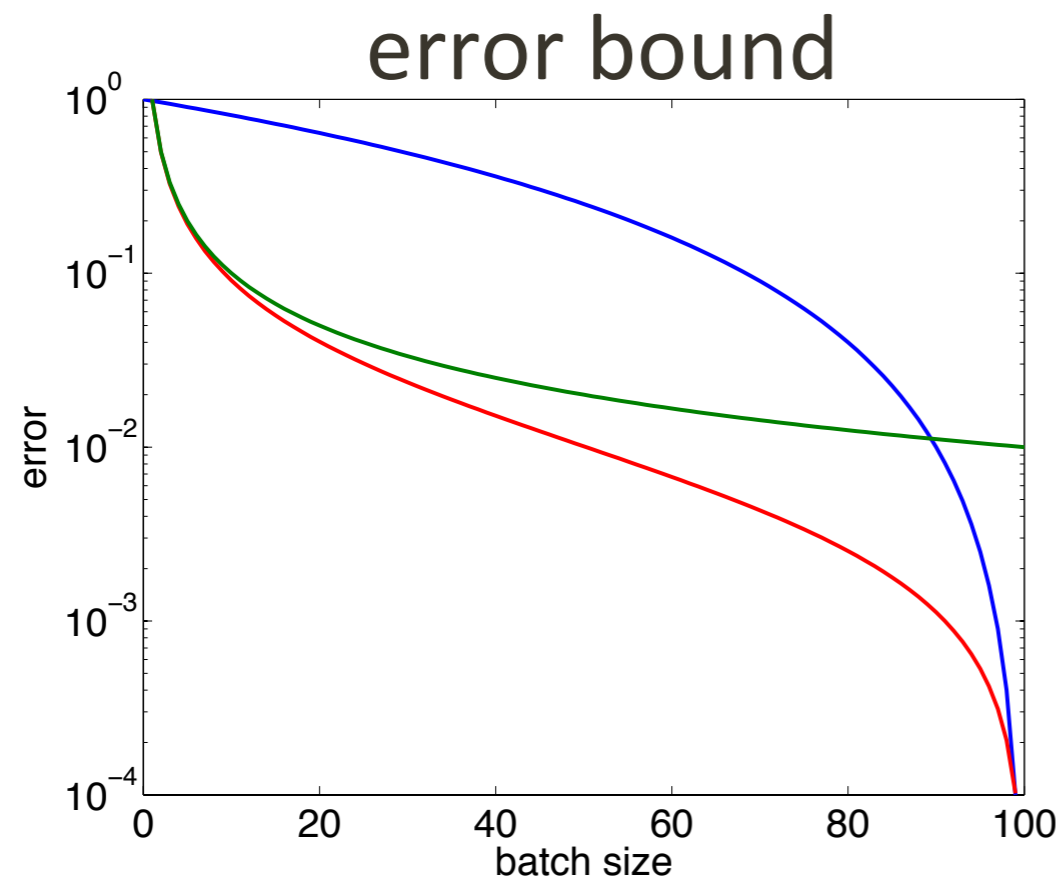
Express the error as

$$\mathbf{e}_k = \frac{M - |\mathcal{I}_k|}{M|\mathcal{I}_k|} \sum_{i \in \mathcal{I}_k} \nabla \phi_i + \frac{1}{M} \sum_{i \notin \mathcal{I}_k} \nabla \phi_i$$

Fast optimization

Decrease the error by adding elements to the batch

- in a pre-scribed order
- random *without* replacement
- random *with* replacement

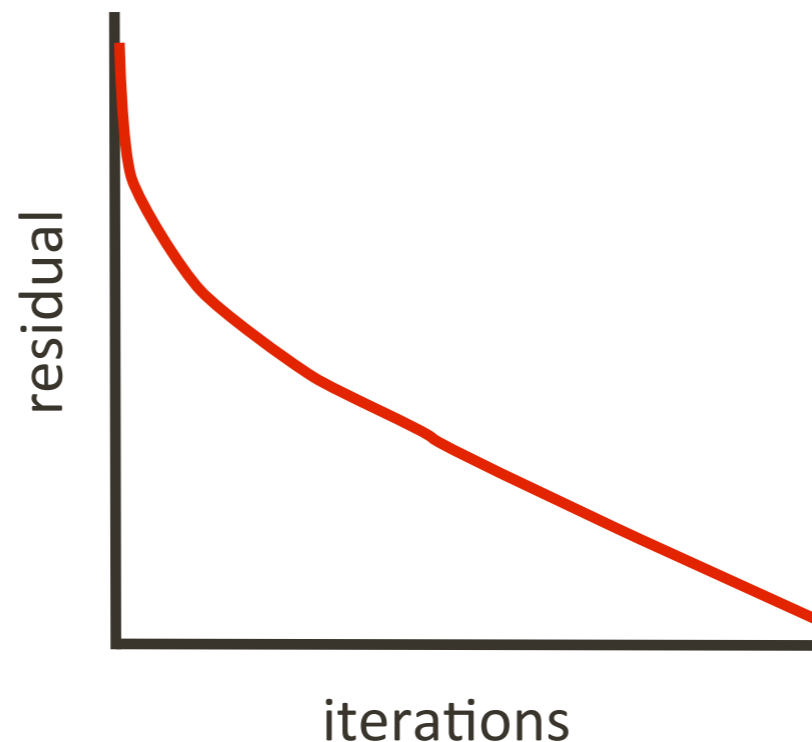


Fast optimization

use approximate PDE solves:

$$A(\mathbf{m})\mathbf{u}_i \approx \mathbf{q}_i$$
$$A(\mathbf{m})^H \mathbf{v}_i \approx P_i^T (\mathbf{d}_i - P_i \mathbf{u}_i)$$

control the accuracy by the number of iterations



Examples

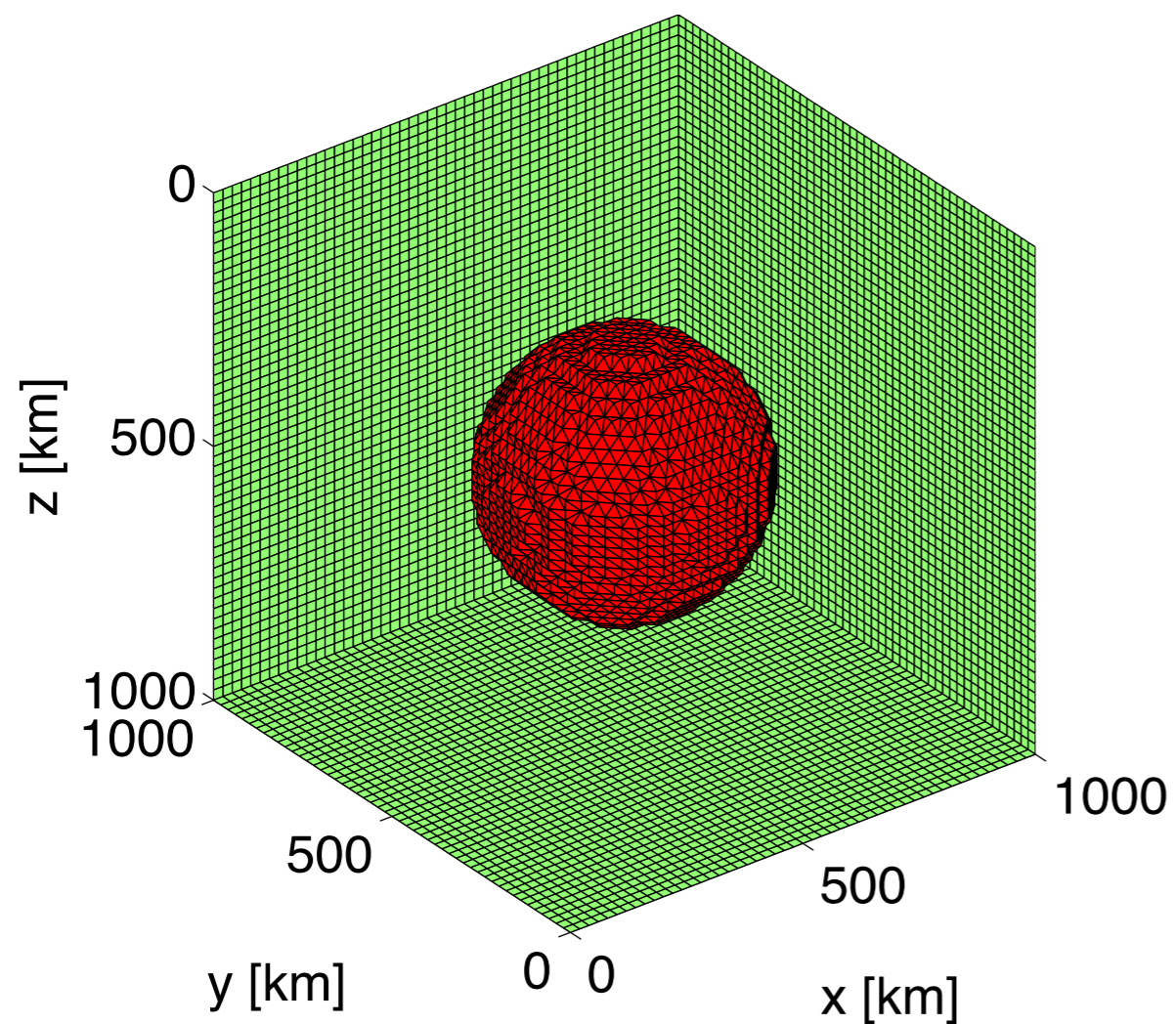
Invert multi-source, multi-frequency data:

$$\min_{\mathbf{m}, \mathbf{w}} \sum_{i=1}^M \|w_i F_i(\mathbf{m}) - \mathbf{d}_i\|_2^2$$

- source calibration via variable projection
- increase sources as: $b_{k+1} = \min\{b_k + \beta, b_{\max}\}$
- increase accuracy as: $\epsilon_{k+1} = \max\{\alpha\epsilon_k, \epsilon_{\min}\}$
- L-BFGS with 5 vectors

Edam model

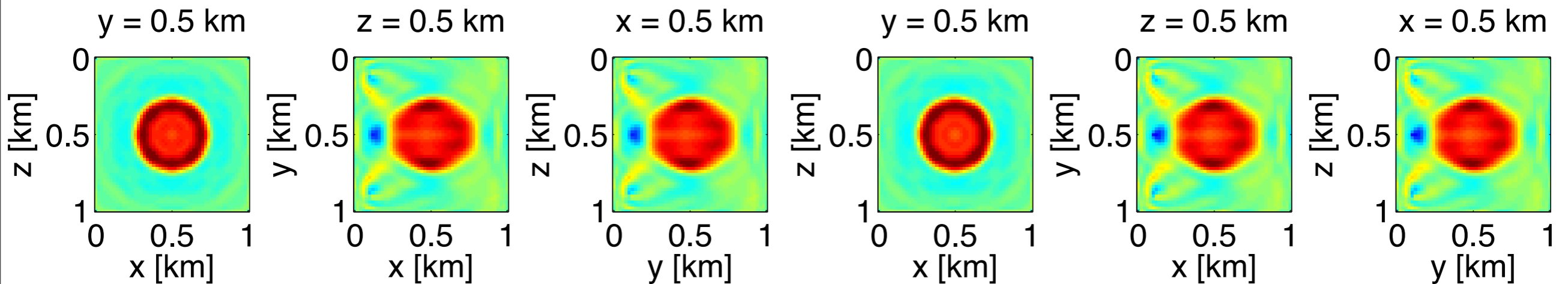
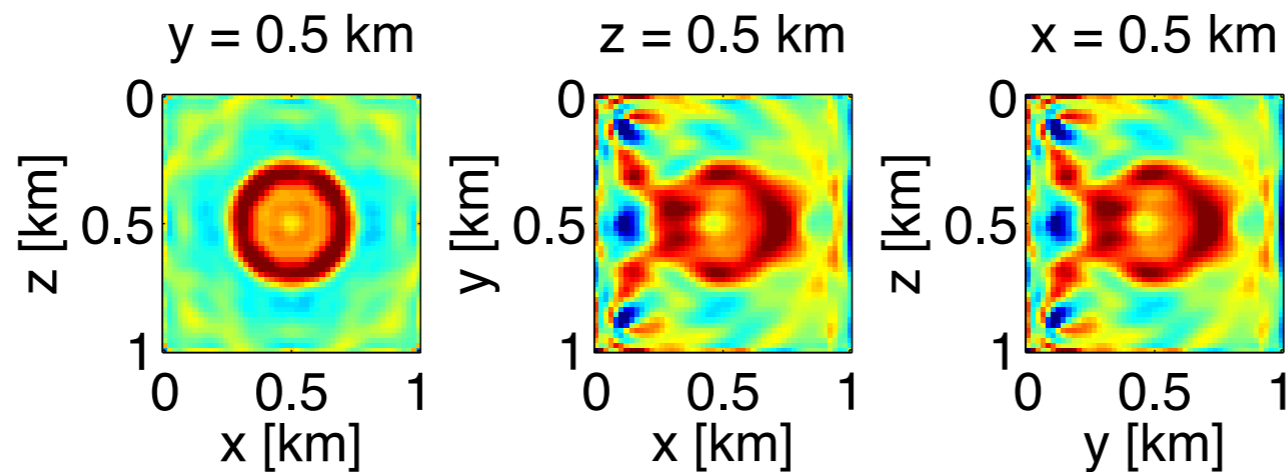
51^3 gridpoints, $f = [5, 10, 15]$



Edam model

$$b_0 = 9, \beta = 0, \epsilon_{\min} = 10^{-6}, n_{\text{iter}} = 10$$

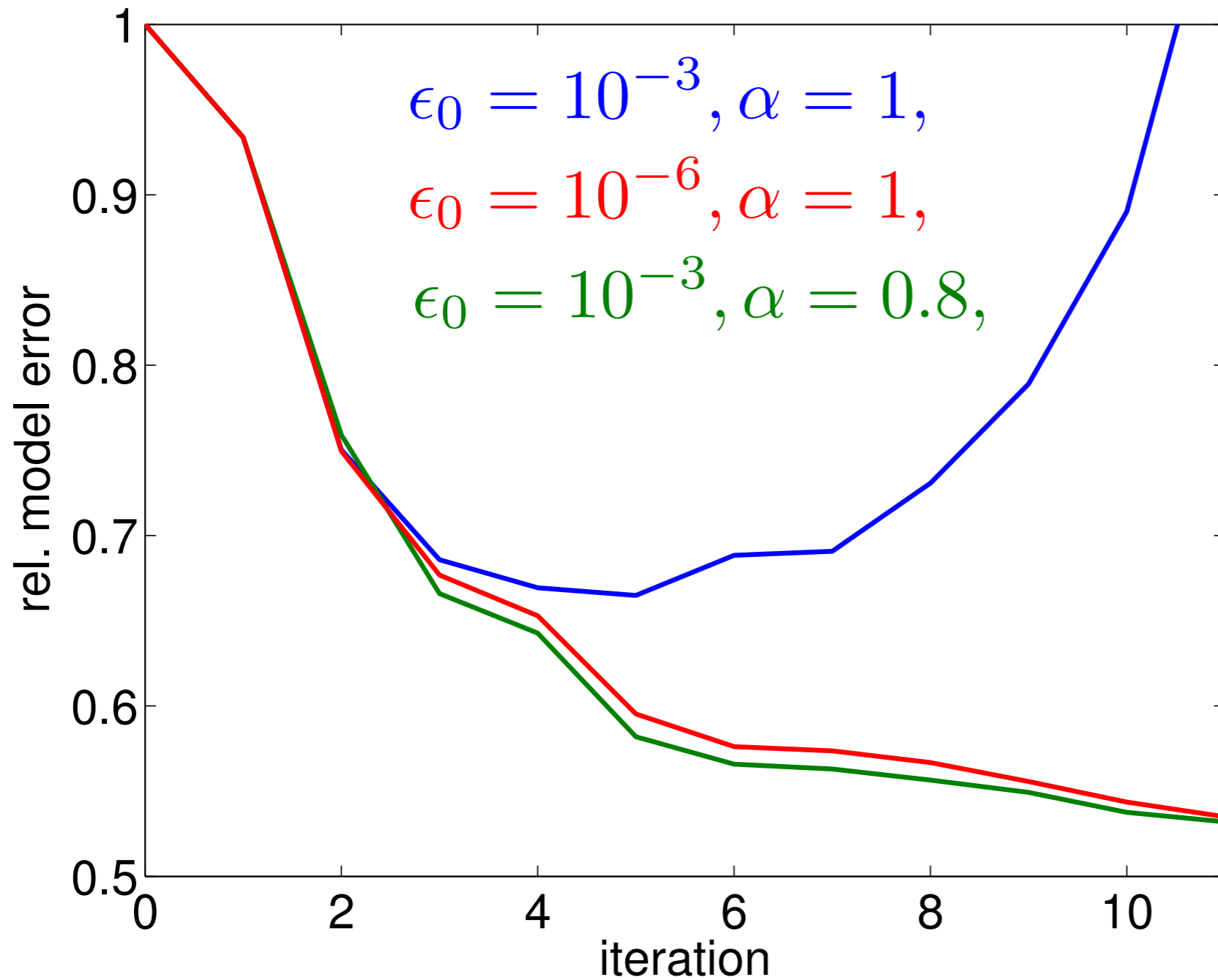
$$\epsilon_0 = 10^{-3}, \alpha = 1,$$



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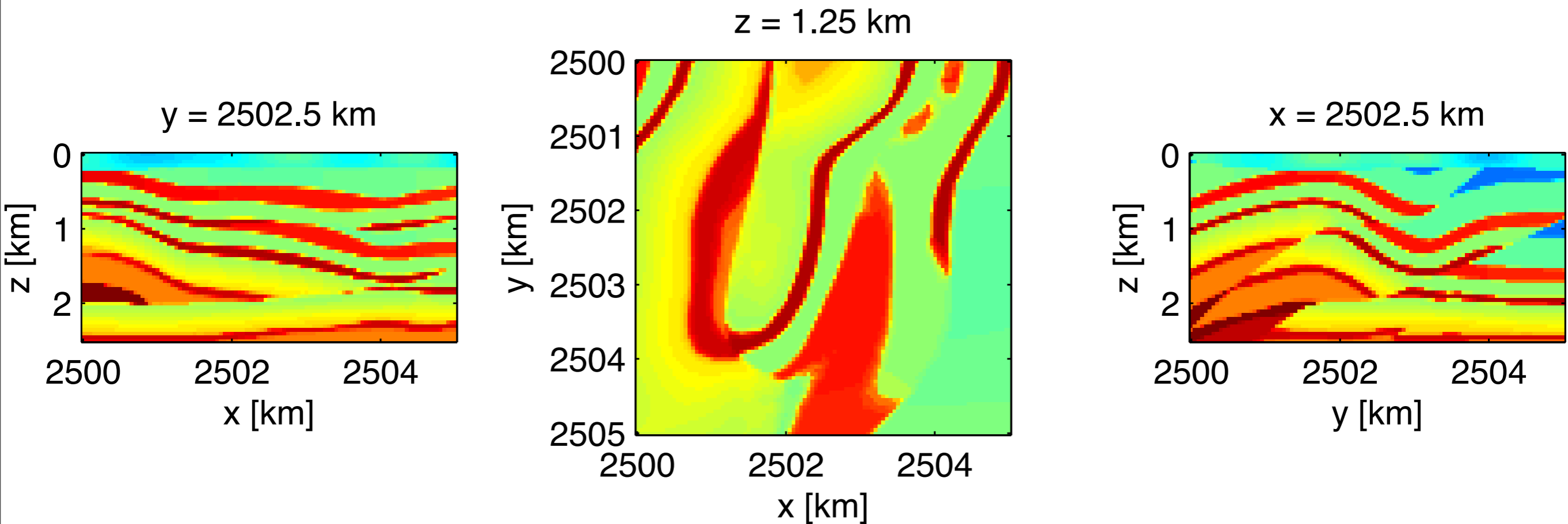
$$\epsilon_0 = 10^{-3}, \alpha = 0.8,$$

Edam model



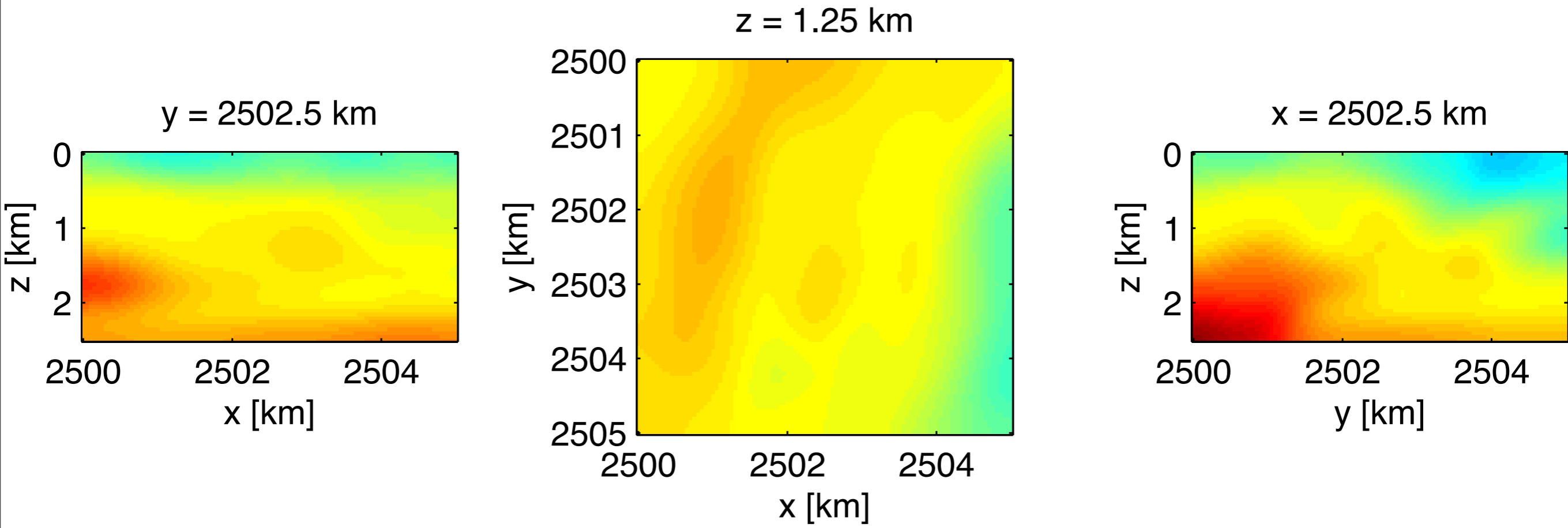
Overthrust model

101x101x51 gridpoints, $f = 4$



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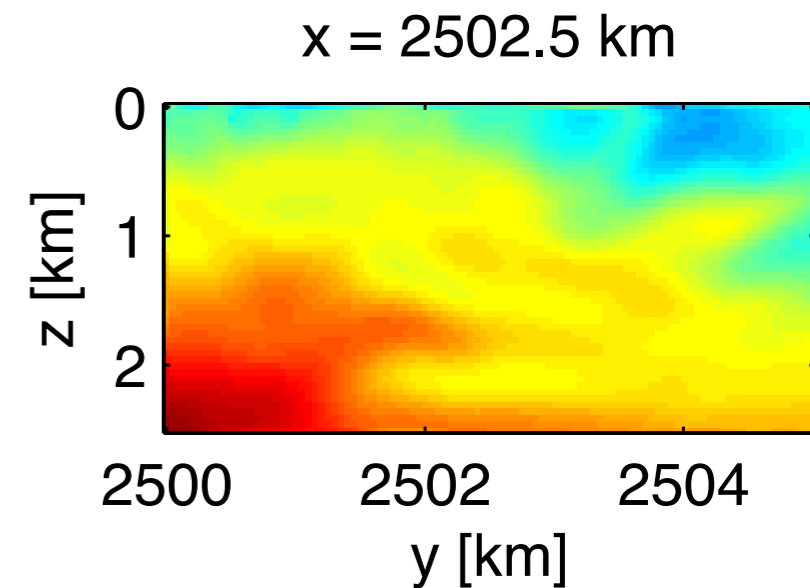
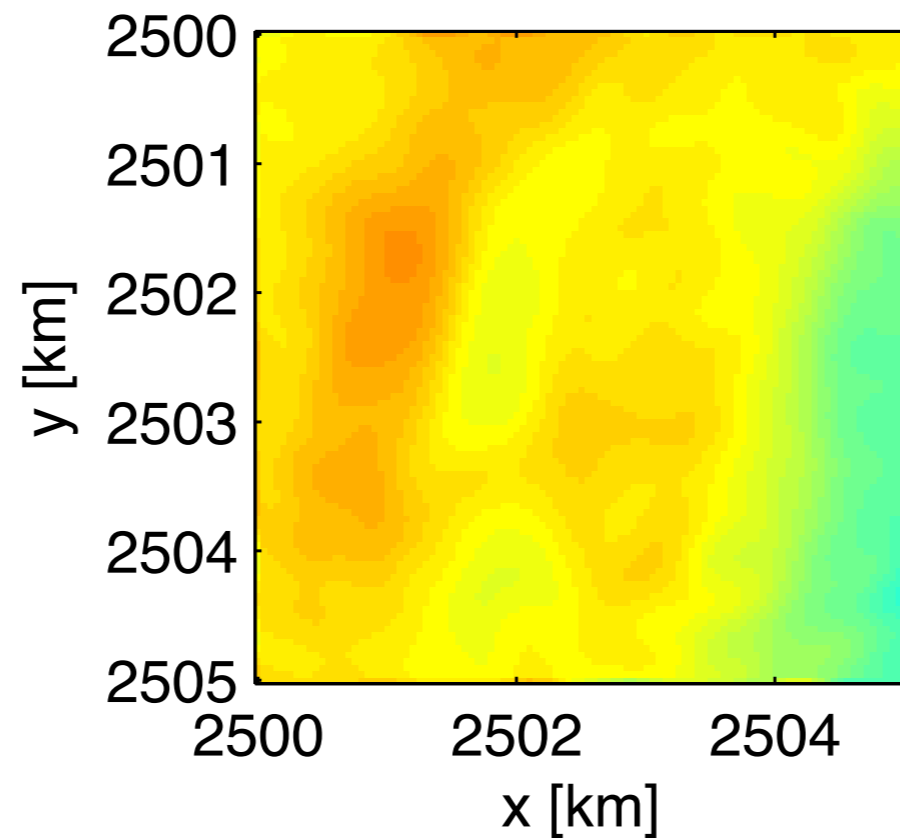
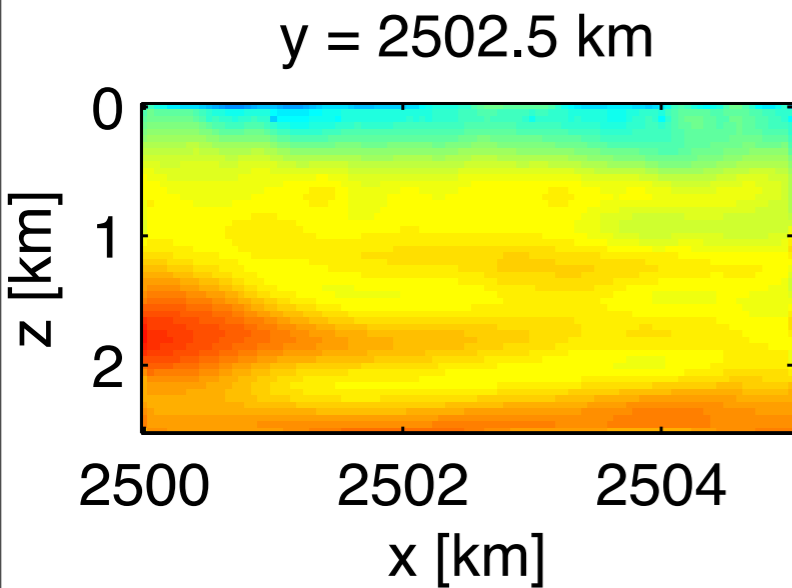
initial model



Overthrust model

$$b_0 = 1, \beta = 0, \epsilon_0 = 10^{-3}, \epsilon_{\min} = 10^{-6}, \alpha = 1, n_{\text{iter}} = 100$$

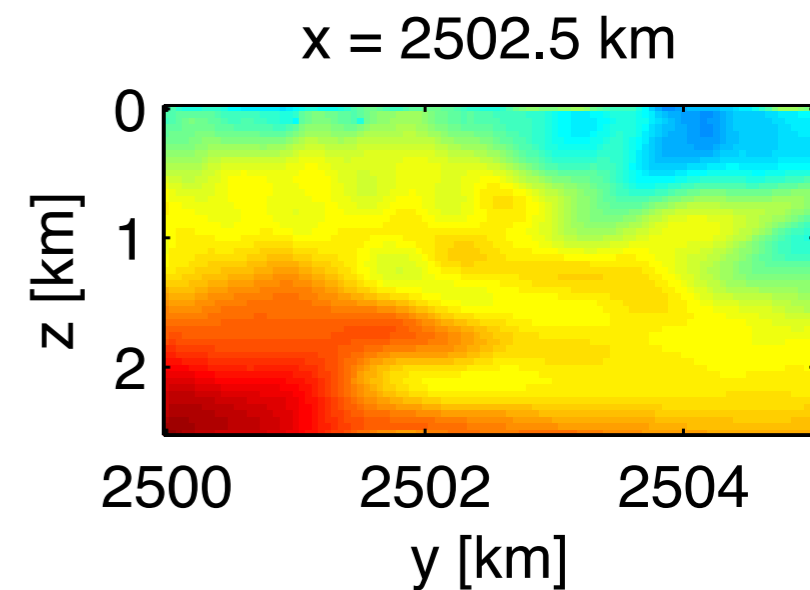
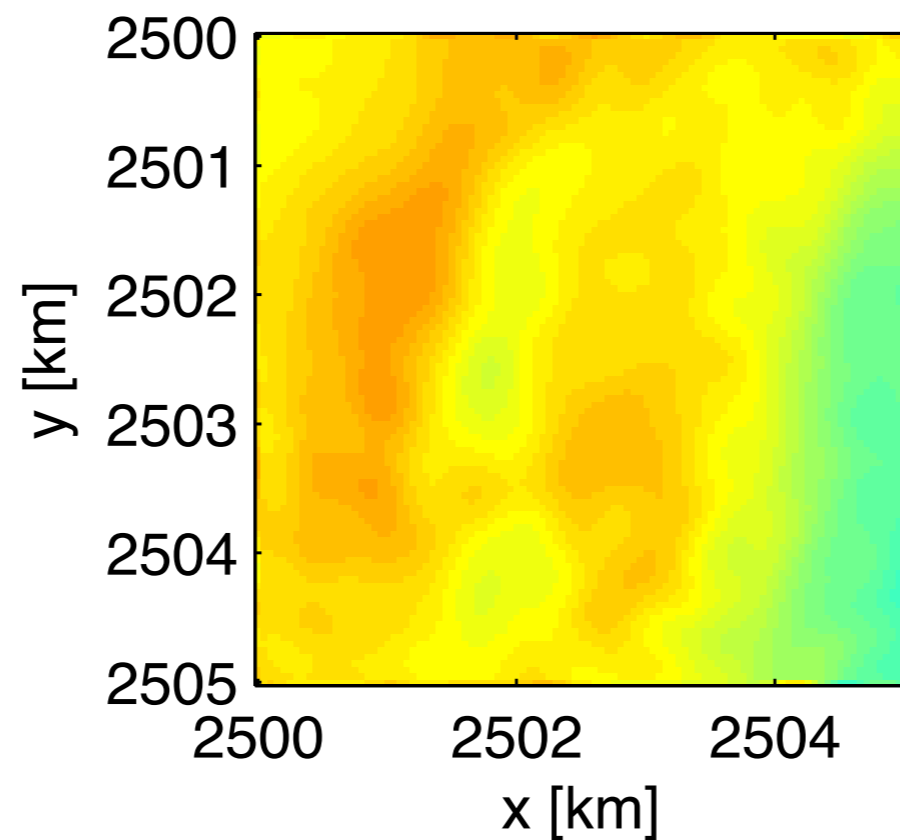
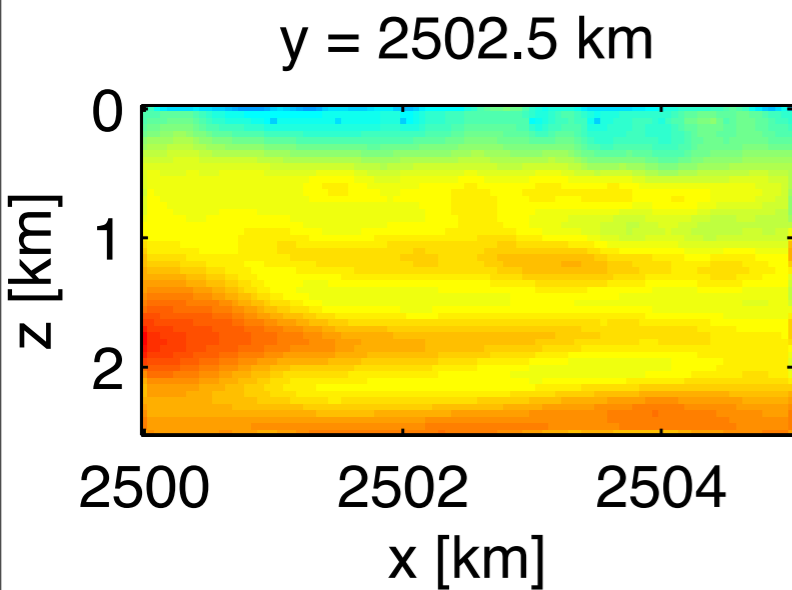
$z = 1.25 \text{ km}$



Overthrust model

$$b_0 = 5, \beta = 0, \epsilon_0 = 10^{-3}, \epsilon_{\min} = 10^{-6}, \alpha = 1, n_{\text{iter}} = 20$$

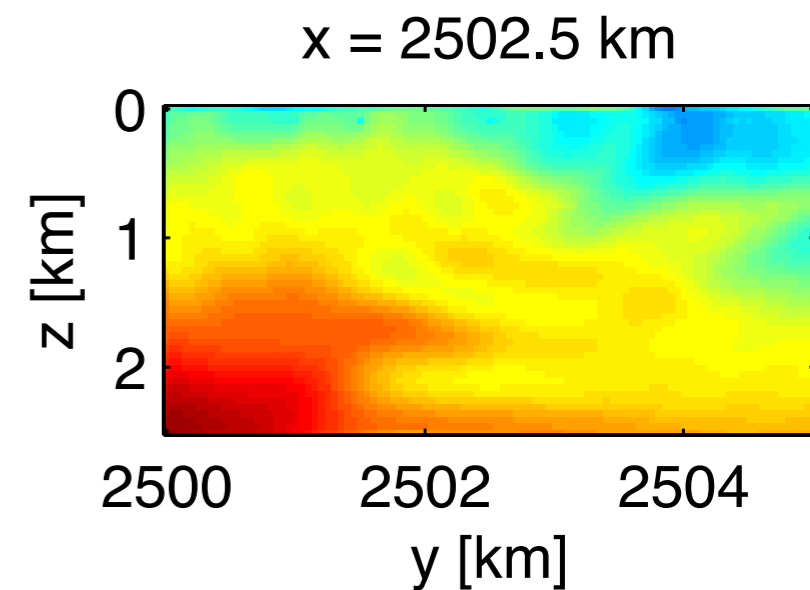
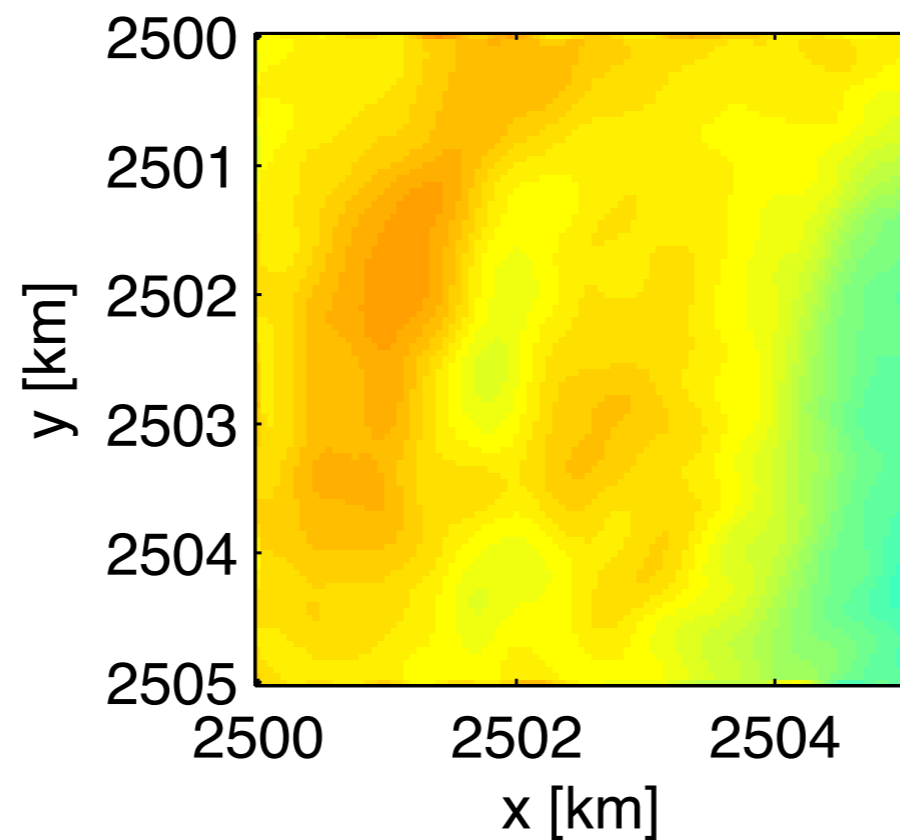
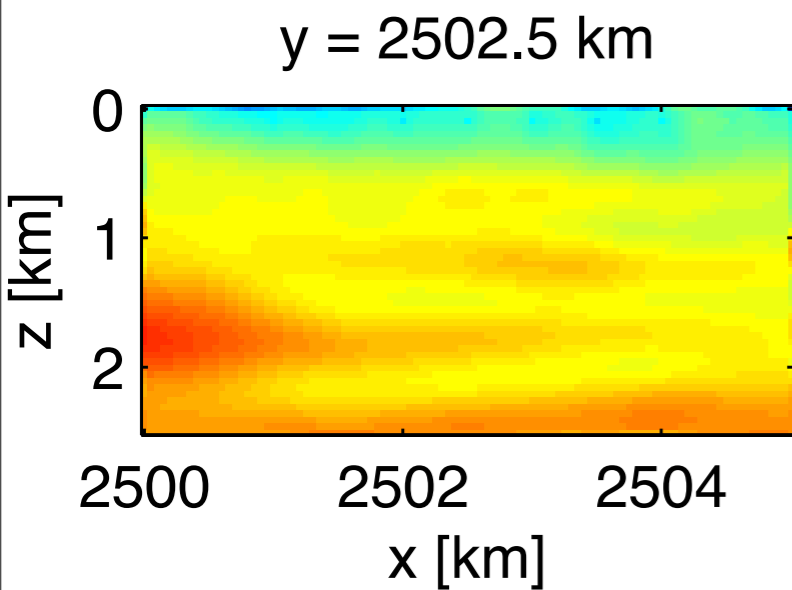
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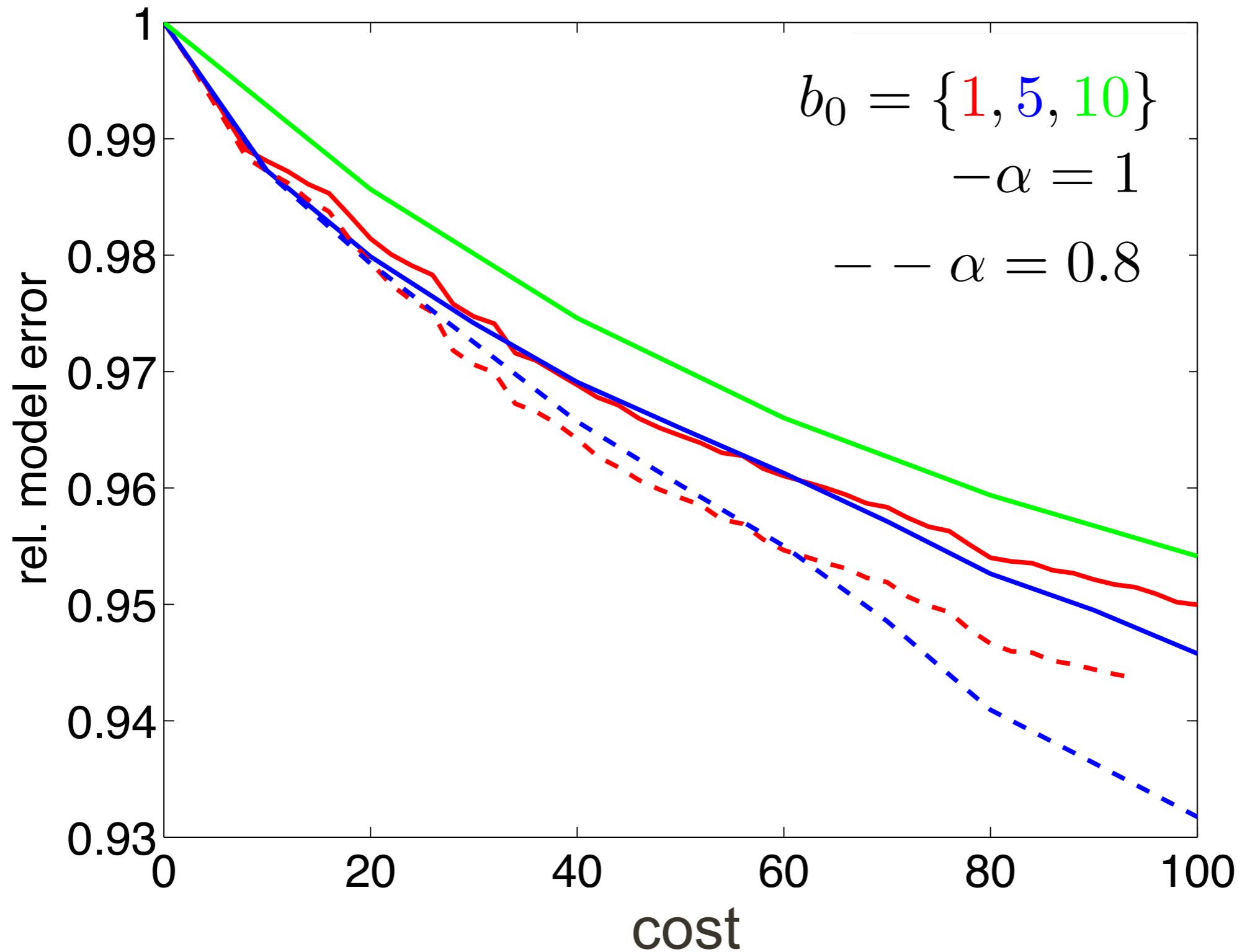
Overthrust model

$$b_0 = 10, \beta = 0, \epsilon_0 = 10^{-3}, \epsilon_{\min} = 10^{-6}, \alpha = 1, n_{\text{iter}} = 10$$

$z = 1.25 \text{ km}$



Overthrust model



Summary

- Generic preconditioner for Helmholtz with controllable accuracy
- efficient optimization strategy that can exploit inaccurate gradients
- good results by working on small (random) subsets of the data

- further computational aspects discussed by Art Petrenko (now) and me (tomorrow)
- Extension to elastic discussed by Bas Peters

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