

Shape Optimization of Polynomial Functionals under Uncertainties on the Right-Hand Side of the State Equation

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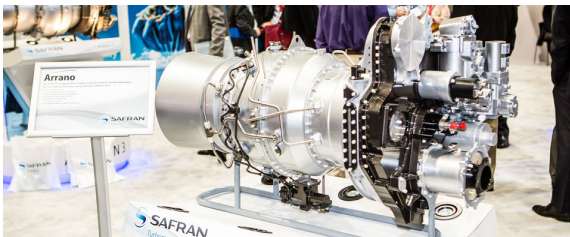


Figure – Photo of an Arrano engine. The gear crankcase is the black component on the right ¹

objectives of the optimization of a gear crankcase :

- Improve resistance with respect to **uncertain** mechanical loads (avoid high concentration of the von Mises stress)
- Reduce mass
- Assure airtightness
- Avoid regions occupied by other components

1. Picture of a Safran HE Arrano engine.

CAUCHI Philippe, *Turbomeca devient le motoriste exclusif du X4 d'Airbus Helicopters*, Info Aéro Québec, 18 February 2015. Available online at

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The linear elasticity equations

We consider a domain Ω composed of an elastic material with Lamé parameters λ and μ .

The structure is **clamped** on the portion Γ_D of its boundary, and a **mechanical load** g is applied on Γ_N . The free boundary is denoted Γ_0 .

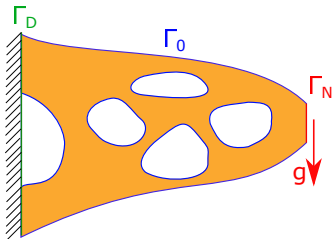
We denote $u_{\Omega,g}$ the **elastic displacement** of the structure, $\varepsilon(u_{\Omega,g})$ the **symmetric gradient** of the displacement, and $\sigma(u_{\Omega,g})$ the **Cauchy stress tensor**, where :

$$\varepsilon(u_{\Omega,g}) = \frac{\nabla u_{\Omega,g} + \nabla u_{\Omega,g}^T}{2},$$

$$\sigma(u_{\Omega,g}) = 2\mu\varepsilon(u_{\Omega,g}) + \lambda\mathbb{I}(\operatorname{div}(u_{\Omega,g})).$$

The displacement $u_{\Omega,g}$ is the solution of the following boundary values problem :

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The square of the von Mises stress can be interpreted as a **density of distortion energy**, which is the fraction of elastic energy related to shear stresses.

The von Mises yield criterion can be used for **ductile materials** like aluminum or steel.

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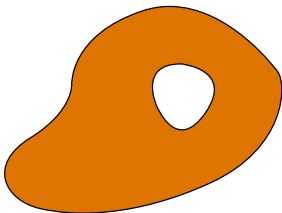
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SOLUTION : approximate the L^∞ -norm with a L^m -norm, for $m > 2$.

Moving boundary approach

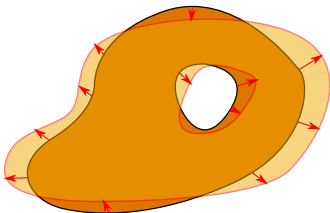


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The **deformed domain** Ω_θ is defined by applying the map $(\mathbb{I} + \theta)$ to each point of Ω :

$$\Omega_\theta = (\mathbb{I} + \theta)\Omega.$$

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Since the term $P(\Omega, u_{\Omega, g})$ is a random variable, we have to express the constraint as a deterministic quantity.

Here, we consider its **expected value**.

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Examples of such functionals include :

- the mechanical compliance

$$C(\Omega, u_{\Omega,g}) = C_\Omega(u_{\Omega,g}, u_{\Omega,g}) = \int_{\Omega} \boldsymbol{\sigma}(u) : \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}(u) \, dx;$$

- the m -th power of the L^m -norm of the von Mises stress

$$G(\Omega, u_{\Omega,g}) = G_\Omega(\underbrace{u_{\Omega,g}, \dots, u_{\Omega,g}}_m) = \int_{\Omega} (\boldsymbol{\sigma}_{\text{VM}}(u) : \boldsymbol{\sigma}_{\text{VM}}(u))^{m/2} \, dx.$$

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IDEA : extend the approach of (Dambrine, Dapogny, Harbrecht, 2015)³ to multilinear functionals.

The method we propose allows to differentiate the inequality constraint, and relies on the following steps :

- identification of the deterministic **correlation tensor**
 $\text{Cor}(g, \dots, g) = \mathbb{E}[g \otimes \dots \otimes g]$;
- decomposition of the correlation tensor, assuming that g is a sum of independent variables;
- computation of the shape derivative for each term of the decomposition.

3. M. Dambrine, C. Dapogny, H. Harbrecht. "Shape Optimization for Quadratic Functionals and States with Random Right-Hand Sides". *SIAM Journal on Control and Optimization* 53.5 (2015) : 3081-3103. 

Tensor product of multiple Banach spaces (1)

Let us consider a vector spaces X and a positive integer $m \geq 2$. We denote $\hat{\mathfrak{F}}_m(X^m)$ the space of all m -multilinear forms on X^m .

Definition: Tensor product between vector spaces

For $(x_1, \dots, x_m) \in X^m$, the **tensor product** $x_1 \otimes \dots \otimes x_m$, also written as $\bigotimes_{i=1}^m x_i$, is a real valued linear application defined on $\hat{\mathfrak{F}}_m(X^m)$ such that, for all $P_m \in \hat{\mathfrak{F}}_m(X^m)$,

$$\left(\bigotimes_{i=1}^m x_i \right) (P_m) = P_m(x_1, \dots, x_m).$$

The m -tensor product of the vector space X is defined as :

$$\bigotimes_{i=1}^m X = \text{span} \left\{ \bigotimes_{i=1}^m x_i \quad \text{such that} \quad x_i \in X \quad \forall i = 1 \dots m \right\}.$$

Tensor product of multiple Banach spaces (2)

Definition: Projective norm

Let X be a Banach space provided with the norm $\|\cdot\|_X$. By definition, every element u of $\bigotimes_{i=1}^m X$ can be written as a finite sum of tensor products :

$u = \sum_{j=1}^N x_1^j \otimes \dots \otimes x_m^j$, but such representation is not necessarily unique. Let $\pi(\cdot)$ be the following real mapping, defined on $\bigotimes_{i=1}^m X$:

$$\pi(u) = \inf \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^N \left(\prod_{i=1}^m \|x_i^j\|_X \right) : u = \sum_{j=1}^N x_1^j \otimes \dots \otimes x_m^j \right\}.$$

The function $\pi(\cdot)$ is called **projective norm**.

Definition: Projective product space

The completion of the normed vector space $\bigotimes_{i=1}^m X$ with respect to the projective norm $\pi(\cdot)$ is the **projective product space**, which is a Banach space and is denoted as $\widehat{\bigotimes}_{\pi, i=1}^m X$.

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Proposition: Expectation of a multilinear operator

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- ① $P_m(x_1, \dots, x_m) \in L^1 C(\mathfrak{D}, \mathbb{P})$,
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We consider $g \in L^m(L^2(\Gamma_N); \mathbb{P})$ to be a finite sum of random variables as in :

$$g(\omega) = \sum_{k=1}^N g_k \xi_k(\omega), \quad (1)$$

where, all $g_k \in L^2(\Gamma_N)$ are regular mechanical loads, and $\xi_k \in L^m(\mathbb{R}; \mathbb{P})$ are **mutually independent** real-valued random variables.

Shape derivative under uncertainties (1)

Proposition: Shape derivative of the expectation of a multilinear functional (1)

Let Ω be a \mathcal{C}^1 domain belonging to the interior of \mathcal{O}_{adm} . Moreover, let us consider that $\mathbf{g} \in L^m(L^2(\Gamma_N); \mathbb{P})$ can be decomposed as in (1), where the N real random variables $\xi_i \in L^m(\mathbb{R}; \mathbb{P})$ are mutually independent.

Then, we can write the shape derivative of the objective in Ω as follows :

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{d\Omega} \mathbb{E} [P(\Omega, u_{\Omega, \mathbf{g}})](\boldsymbol{\theta}) &= - \sum_{j=1}^N \int_{\Gamma_0} (\boldsymbol{\theta} \cdot \mathbf{n}) (\boldsymbol{\sigma}(u_j) : \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}(w_j)) \, ds \\ &+ \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{A}(1, m), N} \left(\alpha(\vec{k}) \int_{\Gamma_0} (\boldsymbol{\theta} \cdot \mathbf{n}) (q_1(u_{k_1}, \dots, u_{k_m}) + q_2(\nabla u_{k_1}, \dots, \nabla u_{k_m})) \, ds \right). \end{aligned}$$

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The N states u_1, \dots, u_N solve the state equation for g_1, \dots, g_N respectively, while the N adjoint states w_1, \dots, w_N solve the following adjoint problems :

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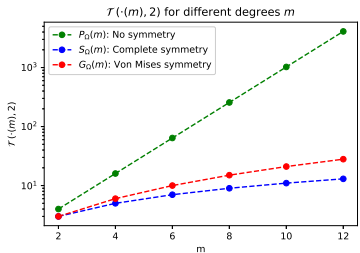


Figure – Case of $N = 2$ random variables

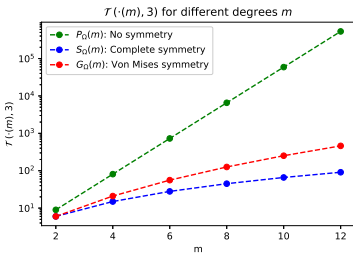


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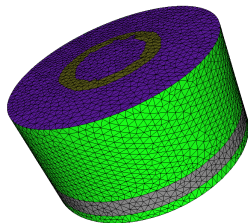
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where $G_6(\Omega, u_{\Omega,g}) = \|s_{VM}\|_6^6$



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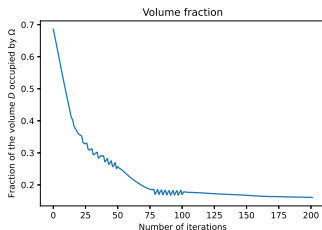
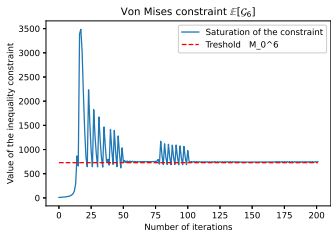
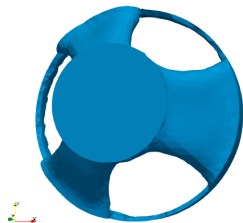
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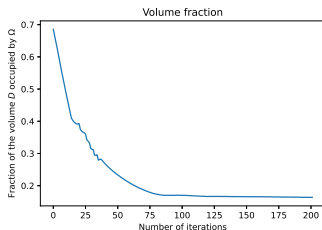
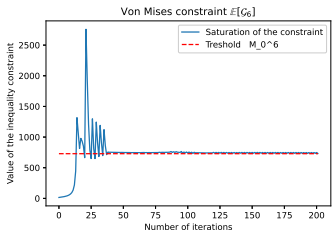
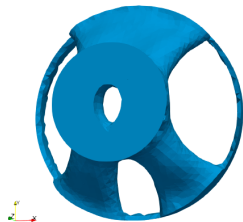
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Final volumic fraction $\text{Vol}(\Omega)/\text{Vol}(D)$	0.164
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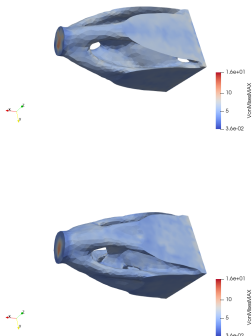
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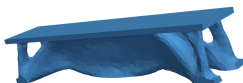
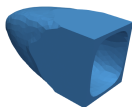
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REMARK : It is necessary to assume that g follows a given probability distribution.

Thank you for your attention

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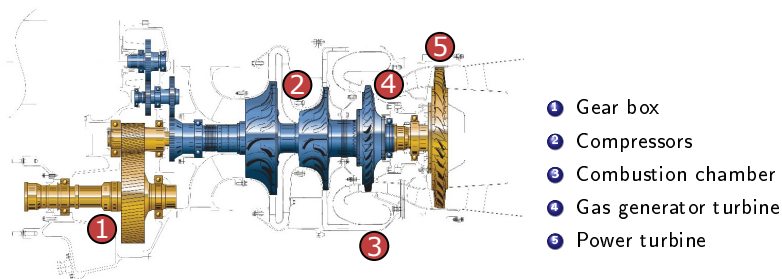


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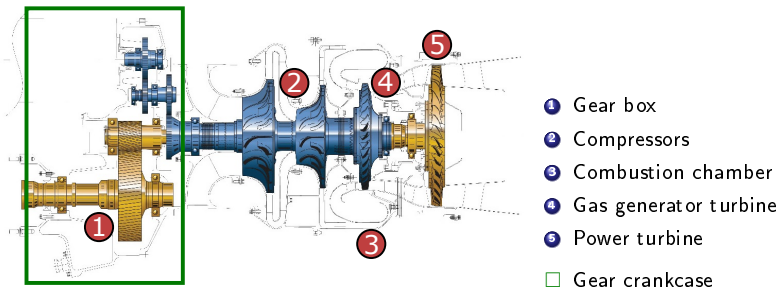
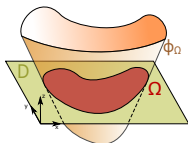


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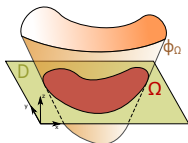


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- By the Hahn-Banach theorem, there exists a continuous operator $\widehat{P}_m : \widehat{\bigotimes}_{\pi, i=1}^m X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ that extends \widetilde{P}_m and has the same norm.
- Since $\bigotimes_{i=1}^m X$ is dense in $\widehat{\bigotimes}_{\pi, i=1}^m X$, such extension is unique.

Shape derivative under uncertainties : notation

we introduce the following notation :

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- finally, we denote $\alpha(\vec{k})$ the following quantity :

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- Decomposition of the correlation tensor using the linearity of the functional \widehat{P}_{Ω} :

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REMARK : the expression of the functional and its derivative are fully deterministic, and depend on the first m stochastic moments of the random variables.

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Finite-element method

- **FreeFem++**⁵ ;

Level-set function

- **mshdist**⁶ for the computation of the signed-distance level-set function ;
- **advect**⁶ for the solution of the advection equation ;

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- **nullspace optimization** developed in python.

5. Coupled with python using the packages *pymedit* and *pyfreefem* respectively.

6. Available in the ISCD toolbox.

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The optimum as an intermediate shape

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Elastic coefficients	
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Poisson's ration ν	0.35
Mechanical loads	
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Stochastic moments	
Expectations $\mathbb{E}[\xi_x] = \mathbb{E}[\xi_y]$	0.0
Variances $\text{Var}[\xi_x] = \text{Var}[\xi_y]$	1.0
Correlation $\mathbb{E}[\xi_x \xi_y]$	0.0



Figure - Initial condition for the three simulations



Figure - Optimized shape for a vertical load

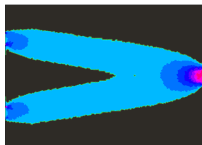


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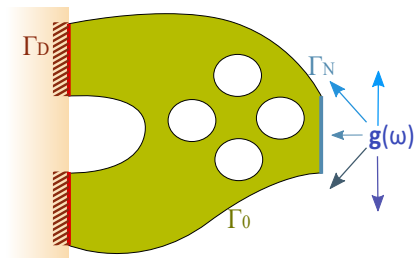


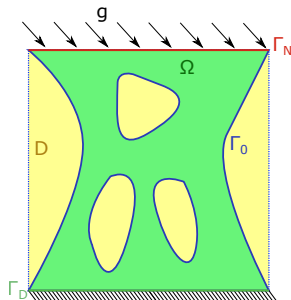
Figure - Illustration of the problem :
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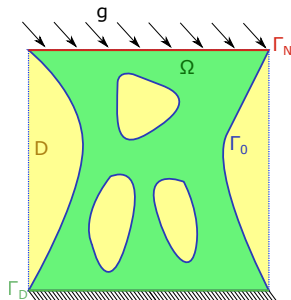


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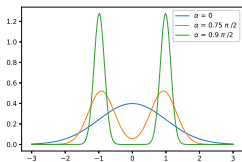


Figure – Density of X_α for different values of α .

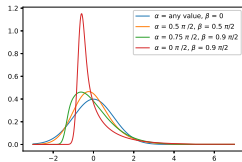


Figure – Density of $Y_{\alpha,\beta}$ for different values of α, β .

For all choice of α and β , the random variables X_α and $Y_{\alpha,\beta}$ are centered, normalized and decorrelated, but not necessarily independent.

$$\mathbb{E}[X_\alpha] = \mathbb{E}[Y_{\alpha,\beta}] = 0; \quad \mathbb{E}[X_\alpha^2] = \mathbb{E}[Y_{\alpha,\beta}^2] = 1; \quad \mathbb{E}[X_\alpha Y_{\alpha,\beta}] = 0.$$

Numerical parameters and results (1)

Height of the domain	1.0
Length of the domain	1.0
Mesh size parameters	
minimal element size h_{\min}	0.01
maximal element size h_{\max}	0.02
gradation value h_{grad}	0.5
Elastic coefficients	
Young's modulus E	15
Poisson's ration ν	0.35
Mechanical loads	
Fixed load g_0	1.2
Horizontal term g_x	1.0
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Tresholds for the inequality constraints	
Treshold for the expected value M_0	2.0
Treshold for the variance M_0	3.0625
Number of iterations	500

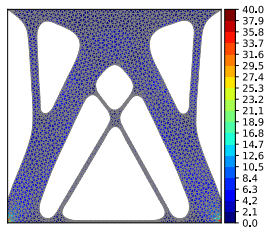


Figure – Case 1 : $\alpha = 0.0$,
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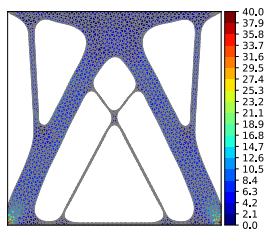
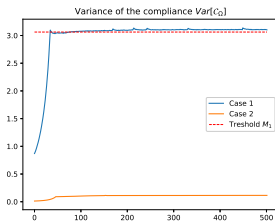
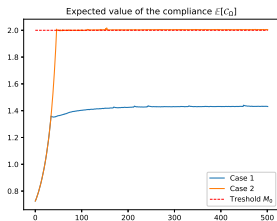
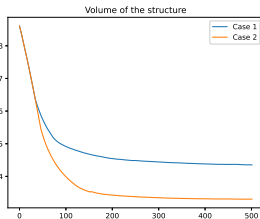


Figure – Case 2 : $\alpha = 0.95$,
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Numerical parameters and results (2)

	Case 1	Case 2
α	0.0	$0.95 \frac{\pi}{2}$
β	$0.95 \frac{\pi}{2}$	0.0
Duration (minutes)	25.82	30.80
Final volume Vol(Ω)	0.435348	0.330348
Saturation of the constraints		
$\mathbb{E} [C_2(\Omega, u_{\Omega, g})] - M_0$	-0.56886	0.004041
$\text{Var} [C_2(\Omega, u_{\Omega, g})] - M_1$	0.03952	-2.94801



The expected value as a constraint

In the shape optimization problem we have considered the expectation of the m -th power of the L^m -norm of the von Mises stress s_{VM} as a constraint.

An upper bound on $\mathbb{E} \left[\|s_{\text{VM}}\|_{L^m(\Omega)}^m \right]$ allows to bound $\mathbb{E} \left[\|s_{\text{VM}}\|_{L^m(\Omega)} \right]$ as well thanks to the convexity of $x \mapsto |x|^m$:

$$\mathbb{E} \left[\|s_{\text{VM}}\|_{L^m(\Omega)}^m \right] \leq \mathbb{E} \left[\|s_{\text{VM}}\|_{L^m(\Omega)} \right]^m \leq M_0^m.$$

However, there is no reason to assume that an admissible shape $\Omega \in \mathcal{O}_{\text{adm}}$ minimizing $\mathbb{E} \left[\|s_{\text{VM}}\|_{L^m(\Omega)}^m \right]$ is also a minimizer for $\mathbb{E} \left[\|s_{\text{VM}}\|_{L^m(\Omega)} \right]$.