



# Reduced Order Modeling using Shallow ReLU Networks with Grassmann Layers

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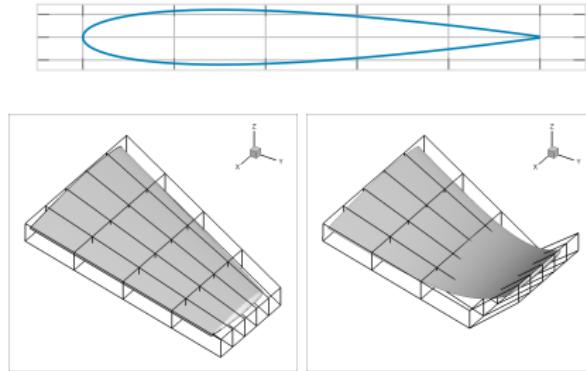
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# Problem Statement

Approximate:

$$f: \Omega \subseteq \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n \text{ where } m \gg 1, \text{ given } \{(x_\ell, f(x_\ell), Df(x_\ell))\}_{\ell=1}^M$$

## Application Examples



**Figure 1:** Top: NACA0012 airfoil,  $m = 18$  (Hicks-Henne shape parameters);  
Bottom: ONERA-M6 wing,  $m = 50$  (free-form deformation parameters) (image source: Lukaczyk et al. 2014);  $f$  = lift/drag coefficients

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## Overview

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# Reduced Order Modeling (ROM)

ROMs: approximate high-dimensional complex systems by simpler low-dimensional systems

Examples:

- proper orthogonal decomposition (POD), e.g. Berkooz, Holmes, and Lumley 1993; Holmes et al. 2012
- global sensitivity analysis, e.g. Saltelli et al. 2008
- sliced inverse regression, e.g. Li 1991
- compressed sensing, e.g. Fornasier, Schnass, and Vybirdal 2012
- *active subspace*, e.g. Russi 2010; Constantine, Dow, and Wang 2014

Illustrative Function for Active Subspace

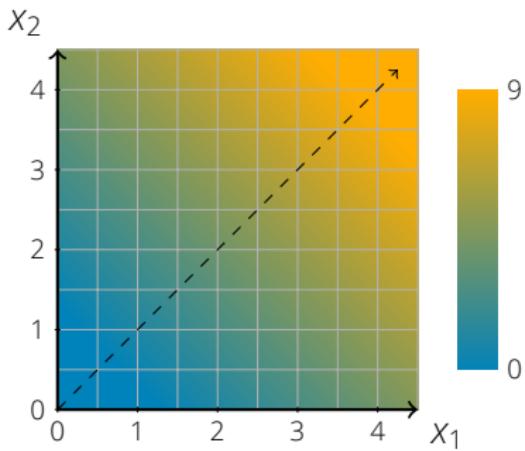


Figure 2:  $f(x_1, x_2) = x_1 + x_2$

# Active Subspace

Consider:

$$f \in C^1(\Omega; \mathbb{R}^n), \quad \Omega \subseteq \mathbb{R}^m \quad ; \quad C \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times m} \text{ defined by } C := \mathbb{E}[Df^T Df] = W \Lambda W^T$$

$$W = \begin{bmatrix} \underbrace{W_1}_{m \times k} & \underbrace{W_2}_{m \times (m-k)} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \Lambda = \begin{bmatrix} \overbrace{\Lambda_1}^{k \times k} & \\ & \underbrace{\Lambda_2}_{(m-k) \times (m-k)} \end{bmatrix}, \quad (\lambda_1 \geq \lambda_2 \geq \dots \geq \lambda_m)$$

Lemma (based on Lemma 2.2<sup>1</sup>)

Under the rotated coordinates  $y = W_1^T x \in \mathbb{R}^k$  and  $z = W_2^T x \in \mathbb{R}^{m-k}$ :

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \mathbb{E}[\nabla_y(f_i)^T \nabla_y(f_i)] = \lambda_1 + \dots + \lambda_k$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \mathbb{E}[\nabla_z(f_i)^T \nabla_z(f_i)] = \lambda_{k+1} + \dots + \lambda_m$$

<sup>1</sup>Constantine, Dow, and Wang 2014

## Methodology

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# Surrogate Model

Given:

$$f: \Omega \subseteq \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n, \text{ with } m \gg 1$$

Surrogate Model:

$$f \approx g_\theta \circ U^T$$

where

- $U \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times k}$ ; maps input space to  $k$ -dimensional subspace
  - construction inspired by the *active subspace* method, i.e. utilizing the dominate left singular vectors of the matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} Df(x_1)^T & \dots & Df(x_M)^T \end{bmatrix}$$

- $g_\theta : \mathbb{R}^k \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ ; approximates  $f$  with respect to  $k$ -dimensional inputs
  - represented by a *shallow ReLU network* with hidden dimension  $h$  and trainable parameters  $\theta \in \mathbb{R}^d$  ( $d = h(k + n + 1) + n$ )

$$g_{\theta(y)} = A_2(\text{ReLU}(A_1y + b_1)) + b_2$$

# Alternating Minimization

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$$\min_{\theta \in \mathbb{R}^d, \text{ Range } U \in Gr(k,m)} \frac{1}{M} \sum_{\ell=1}^M \|f(x_\ell) - g_\theta(U^T x_\ell)\|_2^2 + \lambda \|\theta\|_2^2.$$

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## Algorithm 1 (alternating minimization scheme)

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Initialize:  $U$  via active subspace method,  $\theta$  for ReLU network  $g$ , learning rate  $\tau$ .

repeat

(1) Update weights  $\theta$  via ADAM method applied to:

$$\min_{\theta \in \mathbb{R}^d} \frac{1}{M} \sum_{\ell=1}^M \|f(x_\ell) - g_\theta(U^T x_\ell)\|_2^2 + \lambda \|\theta\|_2^2$$

(2) Update  $U$  via the Grassmann manifold-constrained least squares problem:

$$\min_{\text{Range } U \in Gr(k,m)} \frac{1}{M} \sum_{\ell=1}^M \|f(x_\ell) - g_\theta(U^T x_\ell)\|_2^2$$

(3) Update:  $\tau = 0.9\tau$

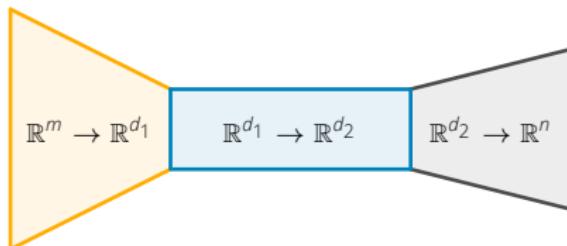
until converged

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# Other Neural Network (NN) based ROMs

- POD method with NN applied to fluid flows, Hesthaven and Ubbiali 2018; Lui and Wolf 2019
- PCA-based approach with NN applied to PDEs, Bhattacharya et al. 2020
- NN used to pick models from a dictionary of local ROMs, Daniel et al. 2020
- manifold learning using deep NN, Shaham, Cloninger, and Coifman 2018; Chui and Mhaskar 2018; Zhu et al. 2018
- encoder/decoder structured NN, Hinton and Salakhutdinov 2006; Ravi 2017
- *active subspace for input reduction and POD for output reduction with NN nonlinear fit in-between*, O'Leary-Roseberry et al. 2020

Example Encoder/Decoder Structure



## Experimental Results

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# Strength in Data Scarce Setting

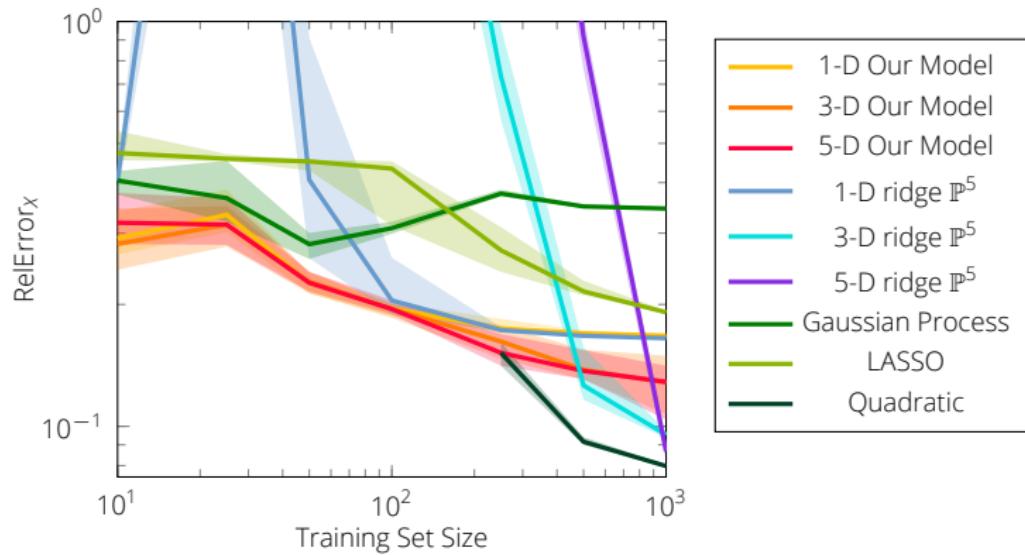
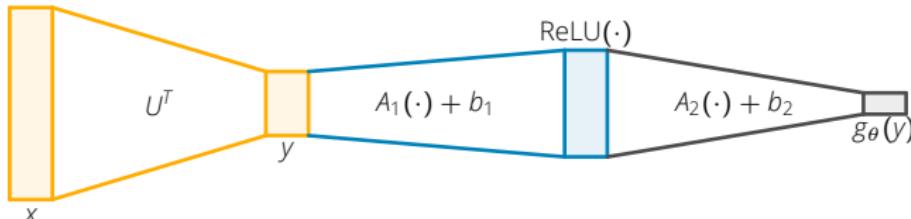


Figure 3: NACA0012 drag coefficient data;  $\text{RelError}_X = \left( \frac{\sum_{x \in X} \|f(x) - \tilde{f}(x)\|_2^2}{\sum_{x \in X} \|f(x)\|_2^2} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$ ,  $\tilde{f}$  represents the trained model for a given approach.

# Benefits of Additional Structure/Interpretability

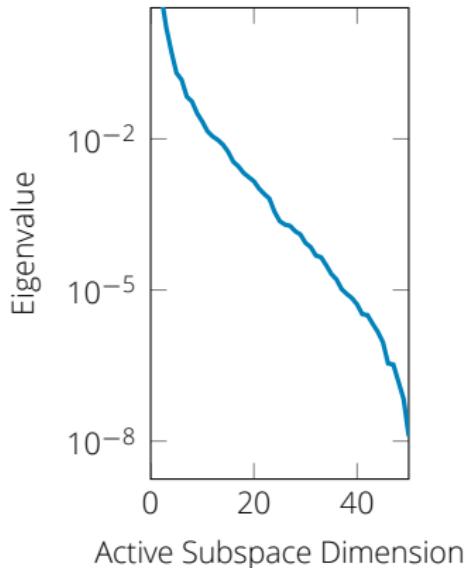


| Our Model |       |        |         | Bowtie Model |       |        |         |
|-----------|-------|--------|---------|--------------|-------|--------|---------|
|           | $h=8$ | $h=64$ | $h=256$ |              | $h=8$ | $h=64$ | $h=256$ |
| k=1       | 0.41  | 0.41   | 0.48    | k=1          | 0.47  | 0.47   | 0.47    |
| k=2       | 0.41  | 0.37   | 0.37    | k=2          | 0.50  | 0.48   | 0.52    |
| k=3       | 0.40  | 0.37   | 0.33    | k=3          | 0.49  | 0.51   | 0.51    |

Table 1: Relative validation error  $\left( \frac{\frac{1}{|X_{Val}|} \sum_{x \in X_{Val}} \|f(x) - \tilde{f}(x)\|_2^2}{\frac{1}{|X|} \sum_{x \in X} \|f(x)\|_2^2} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$  of models applied to NACA0012 drag coefficient data; training/validation set size of 50.

# Application to ONERA-M6 Wing

Eigenvalues ( $\Lambda$ ) Show Potential for Accuracy in Low Dimensions



|       | $h=8$ | $h=64$ | $h=256$ |
|-------|-------|--------|---------|
| $k=1$ | 0.12  | 0.12   | 0.15    |
| $k=2$ | 0.11  | 0.09   | 0.10    |
| $k=3$ | 0.11  | 0.08   | 0.08    |

**Table 2:** Relative validation error of *our model* applied to ONERA-M6 drag coefficient data; training/validation set size of 50.

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# (Virtual) Questions?

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Code: [https://github.com/kaylabollinger/ROM\\_AS-NN.git](https://github.com/kaylabollinger/ROM_AS-NN.git)