

# Overlapping Schwarz Preconditioner with Geneo Coarse Space for Nonlocal Equations

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# Non-local/fractional problems

Fractional derivatives are interesting alternative tools for modelling. In particular, fractional space-derivatives

- have been used to model anomalous diffusion (e.g. porous media),
- and, attract interests from the mathematical community.<sup>1234</sup>

**Focus of this talk:** Parallel solver for the Fractional Laplacian.

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<sup>1</sup>Bonito, Borthagaray, Nochetto, Otárola, and Salgado 2018.

<sup>2</sup>Čiegis, Starikovičius, Margenov, and Kriauzienė 2017.

<sup>3</sup>Duo, Wang, and Zhang 2019.

<sup>4</sup>Lischke, Pang, Gulian, Song, Glusa, Zheng, Mao, Cai, Meerschaert, Ainsworth, and Karniadakis 2020.

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- On a bounded domain  $\Omega$ , several definitions exist, we use:  
**the Dirichlet Fractional Laplacian**

$$\begin{cases} (-\Delta)^s u(\mathbf{x}) = f(\mathbf{x}), & \text{for } \mathbf{x} \in \Omega \\ u(\mathbf{x}) = 0, & \text{for } \mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^d \setminus \Omega \end{cases}$$

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- Entry computation  $\rightarrow$  Sauter and Schwab quadratures
  - Dense linear system  $\rightarrow$  Compression using  $\mathcal{H}/\mathcal{H}^2$ -matrices
  - Conditioning of linear system  $\rightarrow$  condition number  $\sim O(h^{-2s})$
- $\rightarrow$  techniques developed for Boundary integral equations!<sup>67</sup>

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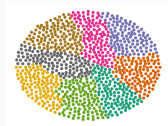
<sup>6</sup>Acosta and Borthagaray 2017.

<sup>7</sup>Ainsworth and Glusa 2018.

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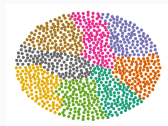


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## For Boundary integral equations

- Coarse space based on coarse meshes<sup>8</sup>
- Adaptive coarse spaces with GenEO<sup>9,10</sup>

→ **Goal:** Adapt the GenEO coarse space to the Fractional Laplacian.

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<sup>8</sup>Hebeker 1990; Stephan and Tran 2021.

<sup>9</sup>Spillane, Dolean, Hauret, Nataf, Pechstein, and Scheichl 2014.

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- $\tilde{H}^s(\Omega) := \{u \in H^s(\mathbb{R}^d) \mid \text{supp}(u) \subset \bar{\Omega}\}$  equipped with the norm

$$\|\varphi\|_{\tilde{H}^s(\Omega)}^2 := (\varphi, \varphi)_{H^s(\mathbb{R}^d)}.$$

## Weak formulation

For  $u, v \in \tilde{H}^s(\Omega)$ , we have

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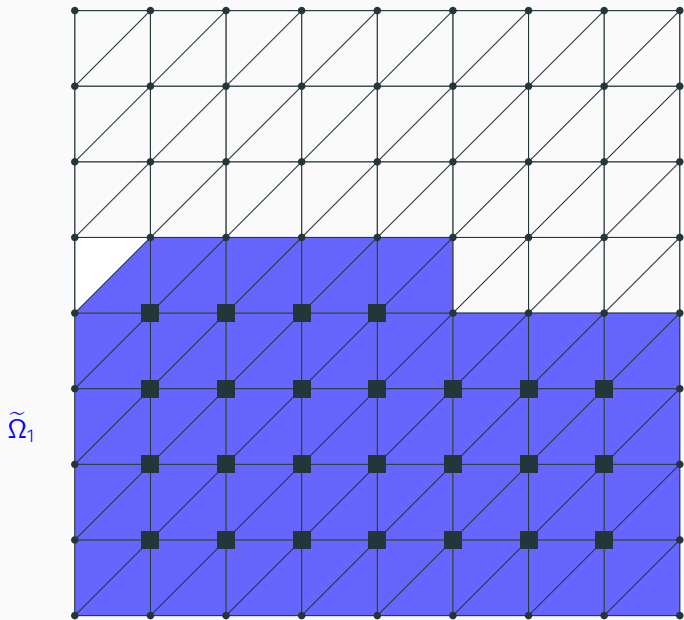
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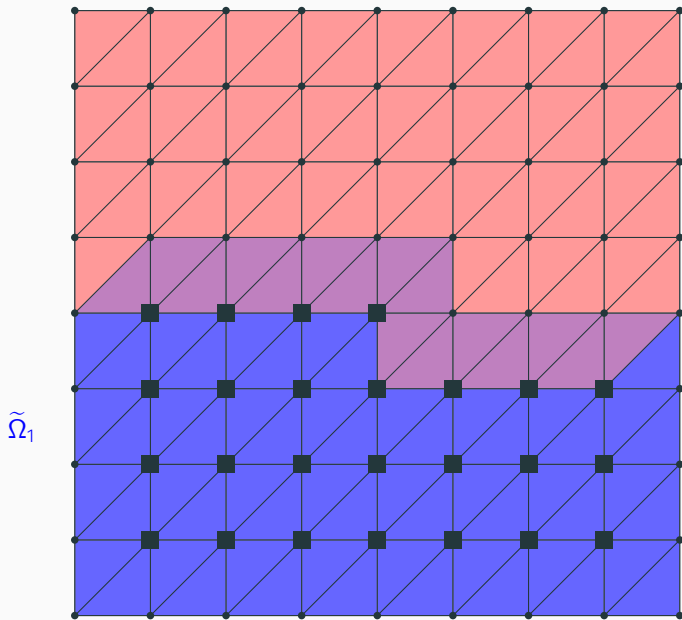
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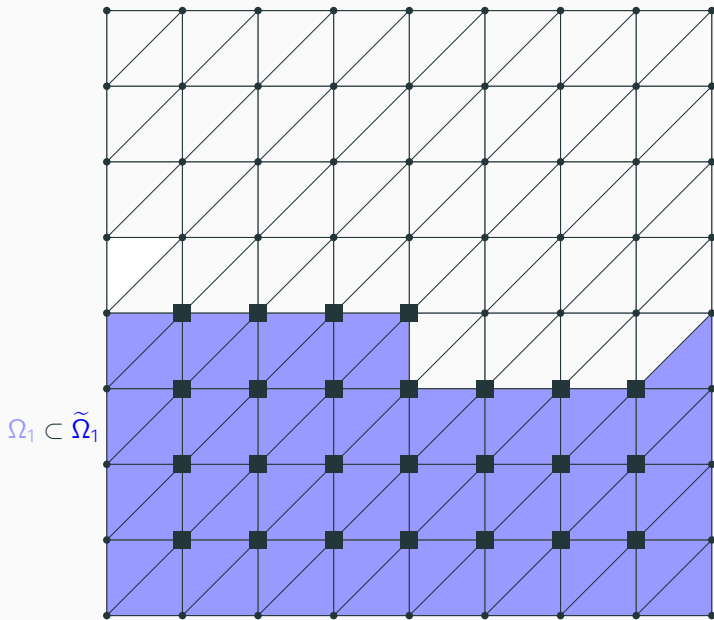
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## Subdomains

- $\text{dof}_{h,p} \subset \{1, \dots, N\}$
- $\mathcal{V}_{h,p} := \text{Span}(\varphi_j|_{\tilde{\Omega}_p} \mid j \in \text{dof}_{h,p}) \subset \tilde{H}^s(\tilde{\Omega}_p)$ ,
- $\Omega_p := \tilde{\Omega}_p \setminus \cup_{j \notin \text{dof}_{h,p}} \text{supp}(\varphi_j) \subset \tilde{\Omega}_p$

## Decomposition

- Extension by zero:  $\mathbf{R}_p^T \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times N_p}$ ,
- Restriction matrices:  $\mathbf{R}_p$
- Partition of unity: diagonal matrices  $\mathbf{D}_p \in \mathbb{R}^{N_p \times N_p}$  s.t.

$$\sum_{p=1}^n \mathbf{R}_p^T \mathbf{D}_p \mathbf{R}_p = \mathbf{I}_d.$$

## Additive Schwarz Preconditioner

$$\mathbf{P}_{\text{ASM}} = \mathbf{R}_0^T (\mathbf{R}_0 \mathbf{A}_h \mathbf{R}_0^T)^{-1} \mathbf{R}_0 + \sum_{p=1}^n \mathbf{R}_p^T (\mathbf{R}_p \mathbf{A}_h \mathbf{R}_p^T)^{-1} \mathbf{R}_p$$

- $\mathbf{Z} = \mathbf{R}_0^T \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times N_0}$ , an interpolation operator from the *coarse space* to the finite element space
- The coarse space  $\mathcal{V}_{h,0}$  is spanned by the columns of  $\mathbf{Z}$

## Hypotheses of the Fictitious Space lemma<sup>14</sup>

$$(H1) \quad \left\| \sum_{p=0}^n \mathbf{R}_p^T \mathbf{u}_h^p \right\|_{\mathbf{A}_h}^2 \leq c_R \sum_{p=0}^n \left\| \mathbf{R}_p^T \mathbf{u}_h^p \right\|_{\mathbf{A}_h}^2 \quad \forall (\mathbf{u}_h^p)_{p=0}^n \in \prod_{p=0}^n \mathbb{R}^{N_p},$$

(H2) For  $\mathbf{u}_h \in V_h$ , how can we define  $(\mathbf{u}_h^p)_{p=0}^n \in \prod_{p=0}^n \mathbb{R}^{N_p}$  s.t.

$$\mathbf{u}_h = \sum_{p=0}^n \mathbf{R}_p^T \mathbf{u}_h^p \text{ and}$$

$$c_T \sum_{p=0}^n \left\| \mathbf{R}_p^T \mathbf{u}_h^p \right\|_{\mathbf{A}_h}^2 \leq \left\| \mathbf{u}_h \right\|_{\mathbf{A}_h}^2,$$

## Result

$$\text{cond}_2(\mathbf{P}_{\text{ASM}} \mathbf{A}_h) \leq \frac{c_R}{c_T}.$$

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<sup>14</sup>Nepomnyaschikh 1992.

## Coarse space: GenEO approach

Pragmatic approach: For  $\mathbf{u}_h = \sum_{p=0}^n \mathbf{R}_p^T \mathbf{u}_h^p$  and some  $\mathbf{B}_p$ ,

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GenEO coarse space: A sufficient condition is, for some  $\tau$ ,

$$(\mathbf{A}_h \mathbf{R}_p^T \mathbf{u}_h^p, \mathbf{R}_p^T \mathbf{u}_h^p) \leq \tau (\mathbf{B}_p \mathbf{R}_p \mathbf{u}_h, \mathbf{R}_p \mathbf{u}_h). \quad (1)$$

We introduce the following eigenvalue problem: find  $(\lambda_k^p, \mathbf{v}_k^p)$  s.t.

$$\mathbf{D}_p \mathbf{R}_p \mathbf{A}_h \mathbf{R}_p^T \mathbf{D}_p \mathbf{v}_k^p = \lambda_k^p \mathbf{B}_p \mathbf{v}_k^p,$$

to remove the part of  $\mathbf{R}_p \mathbf{u}_h$  that does not satisfy (1) to define  $\mathbf{u}_h^p$ .

# Localization inequalities

Continuous injection:  $\mathbf{B}_p$ , mass matrix on  $\Omega_p$

$$\sum_{p=1}^n \|u_h|_{\Omega_p}\|_{L^2(\Omega_p)}^2 \lesssim \|u_h\|_{L^2(\Omega)}^2 \lesssim \|u_h\|_{\tilde{H}^s(\Omega)}^2,$$

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$$\sum_{p=1}^n h^{1-s} \|\nabla u|_{\Omega_p}\|_{L^2(\Omega_p)}^2 \lesssim h^{1-s} \|\nabla u_h\|_{L^2(\Omega)}^2 \lesssim \|u_h\|_{\tilde{H}^s(\Omega)}^2.$$

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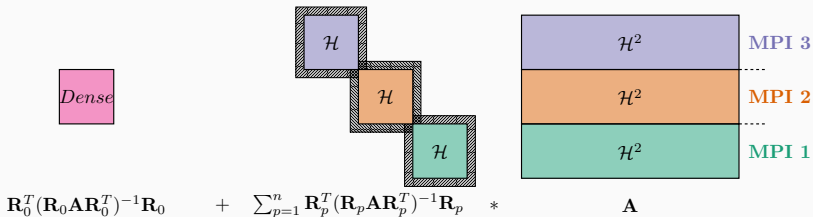


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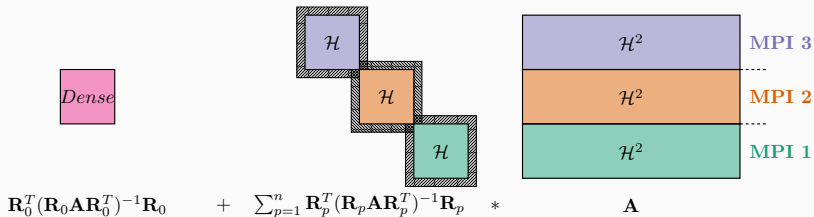
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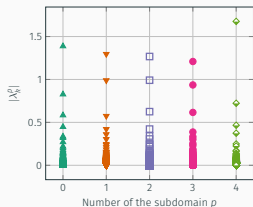
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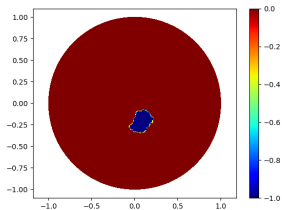
## Two experiments

1. Local eigenproblems with 64 100  $P^1$  elements and  $p = 72$ .
2. Strong scaling with 258 171  $P^1$  elements.

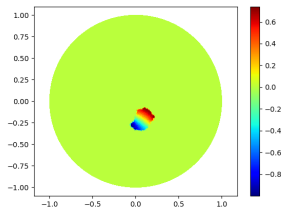
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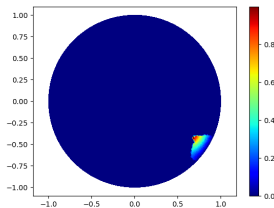
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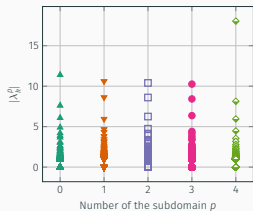


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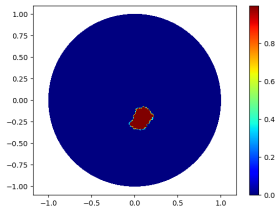


First vector for  $p = 4$ .

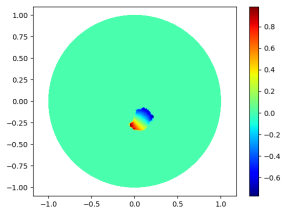
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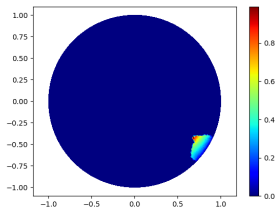
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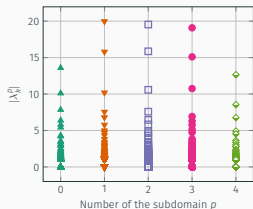


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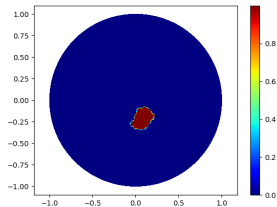


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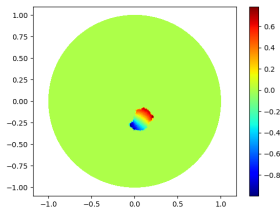
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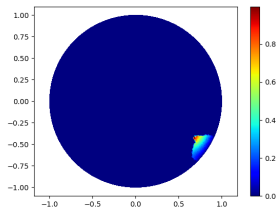
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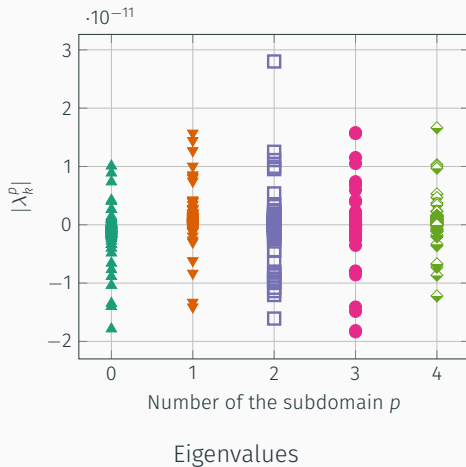


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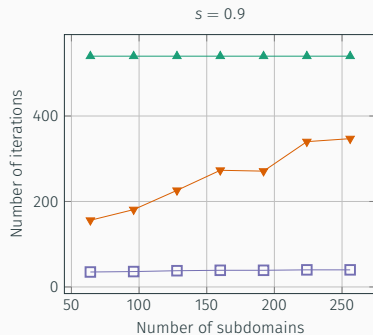
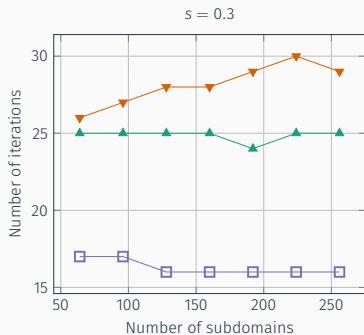


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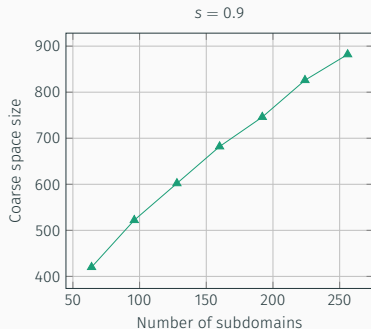
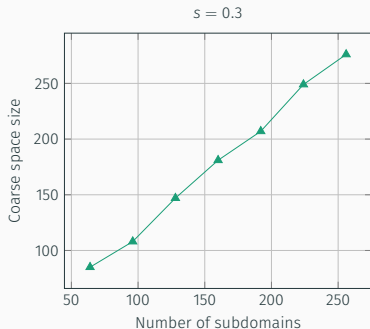
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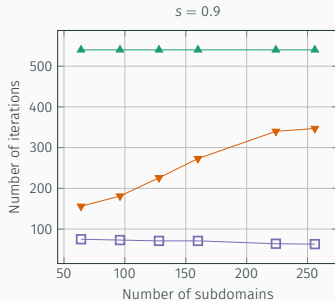
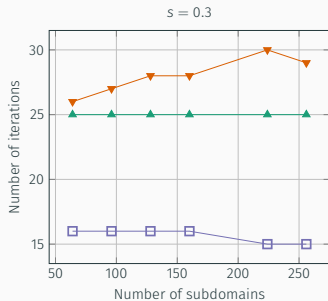
$$\left\| \sum_{p=1}^n E_{\tilde{\Omega}_p}(u_p) \right\|_{\tilde{H}^s(\Omega)}^2 \leq \frac{5}{2} N_c \sum_{p=1}^n \|u_p\|_{\tilde{H}^s(\tilde{\Omega}_p)}^2,$$

where  $N_c$  is the number of colors.

## Proof:

1. Similar result without overlap (minor adaptation from Sauter and Schwab (2011, Lemma 4.1.49 (b))).
2. Colouring argument.

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