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M. HINTERMÜLLER

C. N. Rautenberg, A. Alphonse

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M. HINTERMÜLLER, M. HINZE

C. Gräble, T. Keil

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C. KANZOW, D. WACHSMUTH

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I. NEITZEL, W. WOLLNER

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S. SCHMIDT, A. WALTHER

O. Ebel, A. Griewank

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V. SCHULZ

K. Welker

Project 21: Multi-Leader-Follower Games in Function Space

A. SCHWARTZ, S. STEFFENSEN

J. Becker, A. Thünen

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G. STARKE

R. Krause, B. Kober, G. Rovi

Project 23: Optimization Methods for Mathematical Programs with Equilibrium Constraints in Function Spaces Based on Adaptive Error Control and Reduced Order or Low Rank Tensor Approximations

M. ULBRICH, S. ULBRICH

L. Hertlein, A. Rauls

Project 24: Optimization of Non-smooth Hyperbolic Maxwell's Equations in Type-II Superconductivity Based on the Bean Critical State Model

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Plenary Talks

Fractional PDEs: Control, Applications, and Beyond

Harbir Antil (George Mason University)



Fractional calculus and its application to anomalous transport has recently received a tremendous amount of attention. In these studies, the anomalous transport (of charge, tracers, fluid, etc.) is presumed attributable to long-range correlations of material properties within an inherently complex, and in some cases self-similar, conducting medium. Rather than considering an exquisitely discretized (and computationally explosive) representation of the medium, the complex and spatially correlated heterogeneity is represented through reformulation of the PDE governing the relevant transport physics such that its coefficients are, instead, smooth but paired with fractional-order space derivatives. This talk will give an introduction to fractional diffusion. We will describe how to incorporate nonhomogeneous boundary conditions in fractional PDEs. We will cover from linear to quasilinear fractional PDEs and fractional elliptic variational inequalities. Several optimal control strategies will be discussed, including optimization under uncertainty. We will conclude the talk with a new approach that allows the fractional exponent to be spatially dependent. This has enabled us to define novel Sobolev spaces and their trace spaces. Numerical evidence suggests that such spaces are useful in image processing.

Recent Trends in Algorithmic Optimization

Ekkehard Sachs (Universität Trier and Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory)



In the past 5-10 years, the interest in algorithms for optimization problems has shifted significantly. Methods that are based on first order information have become the focus of current research. In this talk we give some motivation why this trend is taking place. Furthermore, we highlight some of the current research direction. Among those applications machine learning represents an important area and for the analysis of algorithms we consider complexity estimates for optimization problems.

Uncertainty Quantification for Bayesian Inverse Problems

Claudia Schillings (Universität Mannheim)



Uncertainty Quantification is an interesting, fast growing research area aimed at developing methods to address the impact of parameter, data and model uncertainty in complex systems. Here, we will focus on the identification of parameters through observations of the response of the system – the inverse problem. The uncertainty in the solution of the inverse problem will be described via the Bayesian approach. In cases, where the model evaluations are prohibitively expensive, ad hoc methods such as the ensemble Kalman filter for inverse problems are widely and successfully used by practitioners in order to approximate the solution of the Bayesian problem. Since the method is usually used with a rather small ensemble size (in the range of 20 - 100 ensemble members), the goal of our work is to build analysis for a fixed ensemble size. To do so, we discuss the ensemble Kalman inversion based on the continuous time scaling limits of the method as a derivative free optimization method for the least-squares misfit functional. The interpretation of the ensemble Kalman inversion as a derivative free optimization method opens up the perspective to use the method in various fields of application, e.g. imaging, groundwater flow problems, biological problems as well as in the context of the training of neural networks.

Program

Monday, Oct 1

12:00 - 13:30 Registration and coffee

13:30 - 13:45 Welcome and opening remarks (M. Hintermüller)

Chair: V. Schulz

13:45 - 14:30 **Plenary Session:** Uncertainty Quantification for Bayesian Inverse Problems (C. Schillings)

14:30 - 14:55 P15 Non-smooth Methods for Complementarity Formulations of Switched Advection-Diffusion Processes (P. Manns)

14:55 - 15:20 P22 Stress-Based Methods for Variational Inequalities in Solid Mechanics: Finite Element Discretization and Solution by Hierarchical Optimization (G. Rovi)

15:20 - 15:45 Coffee break

Chair: S. Bartels

15:45 - 16:10 P18 Optimal Control of Static Contact in Finite Strain Elasticity (M. Stöcklein)

16:10 - 16:35 P24 Optimization of Non-smooth Hyperbolic Maxwell's Equations in Type-II Superconductivity Based on the Bean Critical State Model (M. Winckler)

16:35 - 17:00 P10 Generalized Nash Equilibrium Problems with Partial Differential Operators: Theory, Algorithms, and Risk Aversion (D. Gahururu, S.-M. Stengl)

17:00 - 17:25 Coffee break

Chair: S. Trenn

17:25 - 17:50 P14 Generalized Nash Equilibria and their Computation via Augmented Lagrangian Methods (V. Karl)

17:50 - 18:15 P23 Optimization Methods for Mathematical Programs with Equilibrium Constraints in Function Spaces based on Adaptive Error Control and Reduced Order or Low Rank Tensor Approximations (L. Hertlein, A. Rauls)

18:15 - 18:45 *Equal opportunity/women's meeting*

19:00 Dinner

Tuesday, Oct 2

Chair: C. N. Rautenberg

9:00 - 9:45 **Plenary Session:** Fractional PDEs: Control, Applications, and Beyond (H. Antil)

9:45 - 10:10 P20 Optimizing Variational Inequalities on Shape Manifolds (K. Welker)

10:10 - 10:35 P09 Optimal Control of Dissipative Solids: Viscosity Limits and Non-Smooth Algorithms (S. Thomas)

10:35 - 11:00 Coffee break

Chair: E. Kostina

11:00 - 11:25	P17	Optimizing Fracture Propagation Using a Phase-Field Approach (A. Hehl)
11:25 - 11:50	P21	Multi-Leader-Follower Games in Function Space (J. Becker)
11:50 - 12:15	P06	Analysis and Solution Methods for Bilevel Optimal Control Problems (F. Harder)
12:15 - 14:00		Lunch
14:00 - 14:15		<i>Presentation of activities concerning equal opportunity (A. Walther)</i>

Chair: I. Yousept

14:15 - 14:40	P08	A Calculus for Non-Smooth Shape Optimization with Applications to Geometric Inverse Problems (M. Herrmann)
14:40 - 15:05	P02	Coupling Hyperbolic PDEs with Switched DAEs: Analysis, Numerics and Application to Blood Flow Models (S. Trenn)
15:05 - 15:30		Coffee break

Chair: D. Wachsmuth

15:30 - 15:55	P19	Shape Optimization for Maxwell's Equations Including Hysteresis Effects in the Material Laws (O. Ebel)
15:55 - 16:20	P16	Optimal Control of Variational Inequalities of the Second Kind with Application to Yield Stress Fluids (C. Meyer)
16:20 - 16:45	P13	Simulation and Control of a Nonsmooth Cahn–Hilliard Navier–Stokes System with Variable Fluid Densities (C. Gräßle, T. Keil)
17:00 - 18:30		Parallel sessions: <i>PI meeting</i> <i>Young researchers' meeting</i>
19:00		Dinner

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Chair: I. Neitzel

9:00 - 9:25	P05	Multiobjective Optimal Control of Partial Differential Equations Using Reduced-Order Modeling (S. Banholzer, B. Gebken)
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10:15 - 10:40	P03	Numerical Methods for Diagnosis and Therapy Design of Cerebral Palsy by Bilevel Optimal Control of Constrained Biomechanical Multi-Body Systems (M. Schlöder)
10:40 - 11:05		Coffee break

Chair: R. Krause

11:05 - 11:30	P04	Parameter Identification in Models With Sharp Phase Transitions (A. Rösch)
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12:15 - 12:25		Closing remarks

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