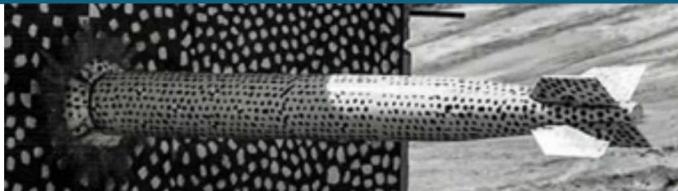


# Machine-learned reduced-order modeling



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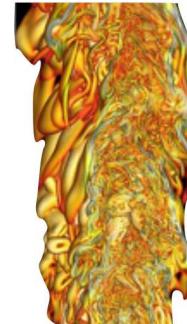
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# High-fidelity simulations are crucial, but often too costly for rigorous use within Sandia's mission

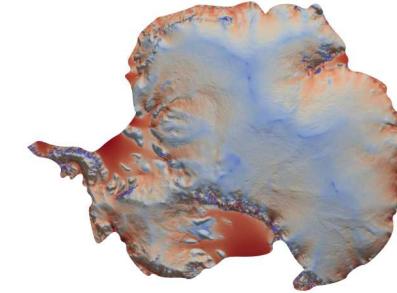
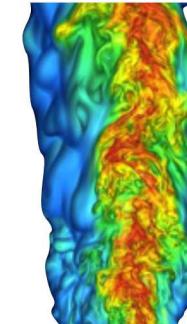


- **High-fidelity simulation:**

- Extreme-scale nonlinear computational models,
- Indispensable for a wide range of engineering and scientific applications.
- Example: captive carry aerodynamics simulation
  - Extreme-scale: **100 million cells, 200,000 time steps.**
  - High cost: **6 weeks on 5000 cores.**



*Turbulent reacting flows*  
courtesy J. Chen



*Antarctic ice sheet modeling*  
courtesy R. Tuminaro

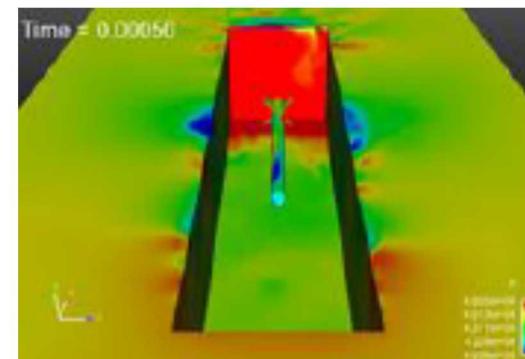
- **Mission problems:**

- **Time-critical:**

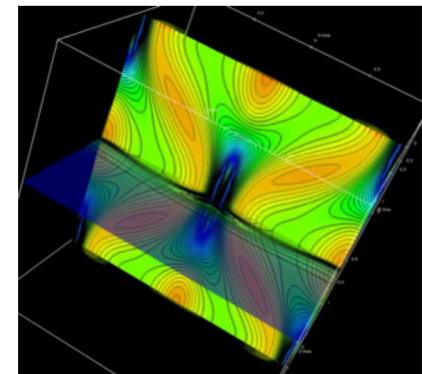
- Model predictive control
  - Health monitoring

- **Many-query:**

- Uncertainty quantification
  - Design optimization



*Captive carry aerodynamics*  
courtesy M. Barone



*Magnetohydrodynamics*  
courtesy J. Shadid

3 We use model reduction to exploit high-fidelity simulation data for use within many-query and time-critical mission applications

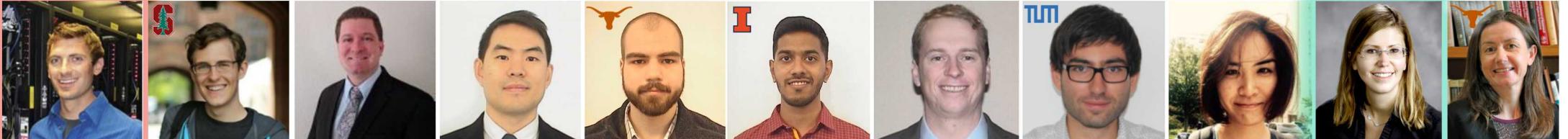


### Model Reduction Criteria

1. *Accuracy*: achieves less than 1% error
2. *Low cost*: achieves at least 100x computational savings
3. *Property preservation*: preserves important physical properties
4. *Generalization*: should work even in difficult cases
5. *Certification*: accurately quantify the reduced order model (ROM) error
6. *Extensibility*: should work for many application codes

# Model reduction at Sandia is a large multidisciplinary effort supported by researchers spanning centers and institutions

- Started by **Kevin Carlberg** with 3 people in FY12, focused on applied math research
- Grown to 21 in FY19, with a **leadership team** spanning the Computing and Information Sciences (CIS) and Engineering Science (ES) research foundations and institutions
- **Applied Math (CIS+ES)**: method development and analysis



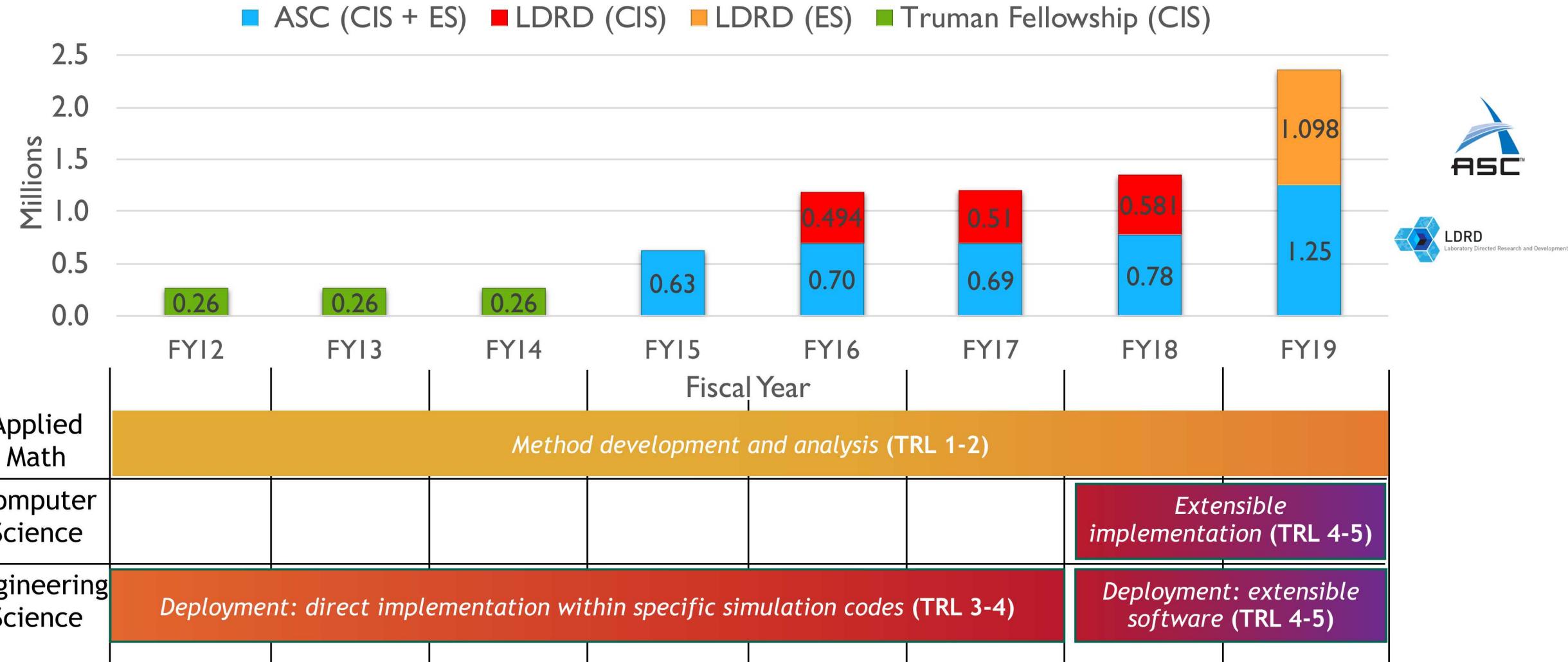
- **Computer Science (CIS)**: generalized, minimally intrusive model reduction implementation



- **Engineering science (ES)**: deployment of model reduction in engineering applications and analysis



# The funding scope and technology readiness level of our work are growing



# Historical model reduction approaches are ineffective for nonlinear dynamical systems, which arise often in Sandia's mission applications



## Historical model reduction work external to Sandia

- **Linear time-invariant systems:** **mature** [Antoulas, 2005]
  - Balanced truncation [Moore, 1981; Willcox and Peraire, 2002; Rowley, 2005]
  - Transfer-function interpolation [Bai, 2002; Freund, 2003; Gallivan et al, 2004; Baur et al., 2011]
- ✓ **Accurate, generalizes, certified:** sharp *a priori* error bounds
- ✓ **Inexpensive:** pre-assemble operators
- ✓ **Property preservation:** guaranteed stability
- **Elliptic/parabolic PDEs:** **mature** [Prud'Homme et al., 2002; Barrault et al., 2004; Rozza et al., 2007]
  - Reduced-basis method
- ✓ **Accurate, generalizes, certified:** sharp *a priori* error bounds
- ✓ **Inexpensive:** pre-assemble operators
- ✓ **Property preservation:** preserve operator properties
- **Nonlinear dynamical systems:** **ineffective**
  - Proper orthogonal decomposition (POD)–Galerkin [Sirovich, 1987; Colonius, 2004]
  - ✗ **Inaccurate, doesn't generalize:** often unstable
  - ✗ **Not certified:** error bounds grow exponentially in time
  - ✗ **Expensive:** projection insufficient for speedup
  - ✗ **Structure not preserved:** physical properties ignored
  - ✗ **Not extensible:** highly intrusive implementation required

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# Our research is focused on satisfying model reduction criteria for nonlinear dynamical systems



## Our model reduction research at Sandia

### • *Accuracy*

- **Least-Squares Petrov—Galerkin (LSPG) projection:** *our baseline approach* [Carlberg, Bou-Mosleh, Farhat, 2011; Carlberg, Barone, Antil, 2017]

### • *Low cost*

- **Sample mesh:** *use a fraction of the data for evaluating nonlinear functions* [Carlberg, Farhat, Cortial, Amsallem, 2013]
- **Space–time LSPG projection:** *learn and exploit structure in spatial and temporal data* [Carlberg, Ray, van Bloemen Waanders, 2015; Carlberg, Brescher, Haasdonk, Barth, 2017; Choi and Carlberg, 2019]

### • *Property preservation*

- **Impose additional physical constraints (e.g. conservation):** [Carlberg, Tuminaro, Boggs, 2015; Peng and Carlberg, 2017; Carlberg, Choi, Sargsyan, 2018]

### • *Generalization*

- **Projection onto nonlinear manifolds:** *high capacity nonlinear approximation* [Lee, Carlberg, 2018]
- **$h$ -adaptivity:** *trade cost for accuracy* [Carlberg, 2015; Etter and Carlberg, 2019]

### • *Certification*

- **Machine learning error model:** *quantify reduced model uncertainties* [Drohmann and Carlberg, 2015; Trehan, Carlberg, Durlofsky, 2017; Freno and Carlberg, 2019; Pagani, Manzoni, Carlberg, 2019; Parish and Carlberg, 2019]

### • *Extensibility*

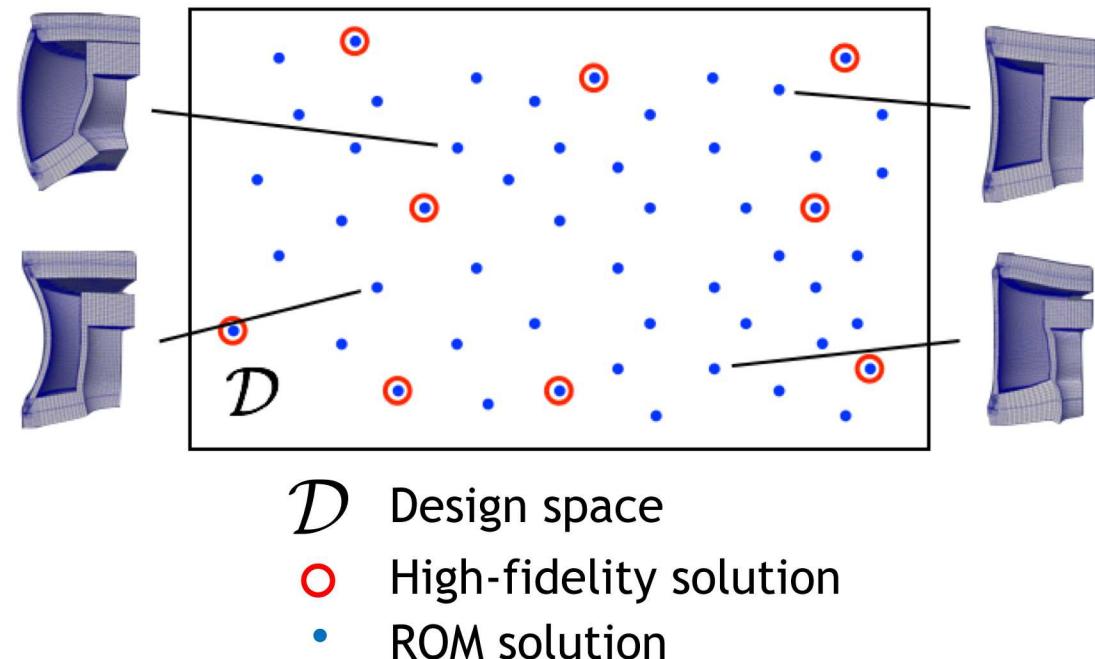
- **Pressio software:** *deploy methods for many application codes*

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# We employ a machine-learned model reduction approach that has four stages

1. **Acquisition:** Run high-fidelity simulation at a few design points, save simulation data
2. **Learning:** Use machine learning techniques to identify low-dimensional structure in the high-fidelity simulation data
3. **Reduction:** Build a reduced-order model (ROM) with extracted data structures, high-fidelity governing equations
4. **Deployment:** Use ROM at remaining design points

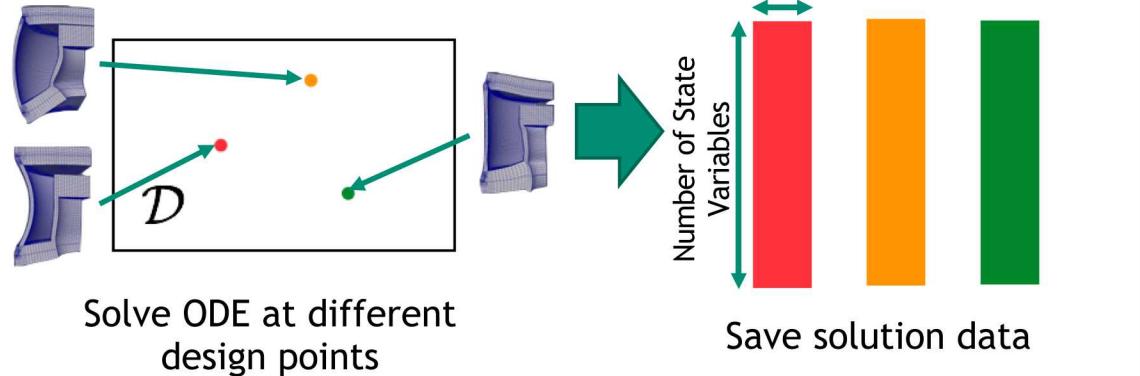


# Our baseline approach\* leverages a linear basis computed with unsupervised learning

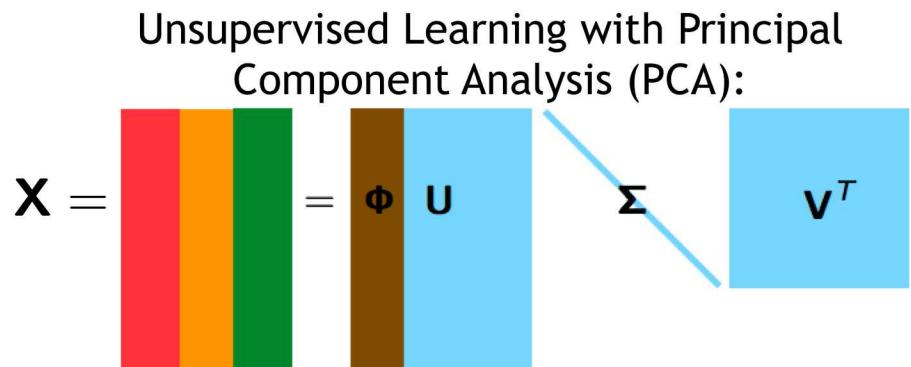


- High-fidelity simulation = Ordinary Differential Equation (ODE):  $\frac{dx}{dt} = f(x; t, \mu)$

## 1. Acquisition



## 2. Learning



## 3. Reduction

Choose ODE  
Temporal  
Discretization

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = f(x; t, \mu)$$

$\downarrow$

$$r^n(x^n; \mu) = 0, \quad n = 1, \dots, T$$

Reduce the  
number of  
unknowns

$$x(t) \approx \tilde{x}(t) = \Phi \hat{x}(t)$$

Minimize the  
Residual

$$\underset{\hat{v}}{\text{minimize}} \| \begin{matrix} \text{A} \\ \text{B} \end{matrix} \begin{pmatrix} \text{Red} \\ \text{Orange} \\ \text{Green} \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} \text{Black} \\ \text{Red} \\ \text{Black} \end{pmatrix} \|_2$$

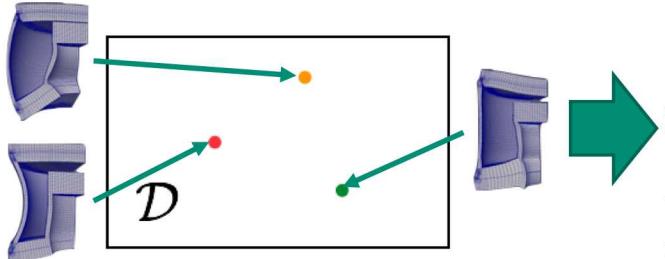
\*Least-Squares Petrov–Galerkin (LSPG) Projection [Carlberg, Bou-Mosleh, Farhat, 2011; Carlberg, Barone, Antil, 2017]

# Property preservation is enforced with additional constraints

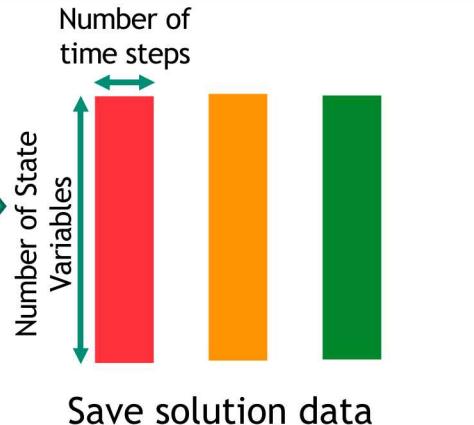


- High-fidelity simulation = Ordinary Differential Equation (ODE):  $\frac{dx}{dt} = f(x; t, \mu)$

## 1. Acquisition



Solve ODE at different design points



## 2. Learning

Unsupervised Learning with Principal Component Analysis (PCA):

$$X = \begin{matrix} \text{Red} \\ \text{Orange} \\ \text{Green} \end{matrix} = \begin{matrix} \text{Brown} \\ \text{Blue} \end{matrix} U \Sigma \begin{matrix} \text{Blue} \\ \text{Light Blue} \end{matrix}^T$$

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Enforce conservation over subdomains:

# Our baseline approach achieves high accuracy at a low cost for captive carry application

$$\text{LSPG: minimize } \|\mathbf{A}\mathbf{r}^n(\Phi\hat{\mathbf{v}}; \mu)\|_2^2$$

Sample mesh



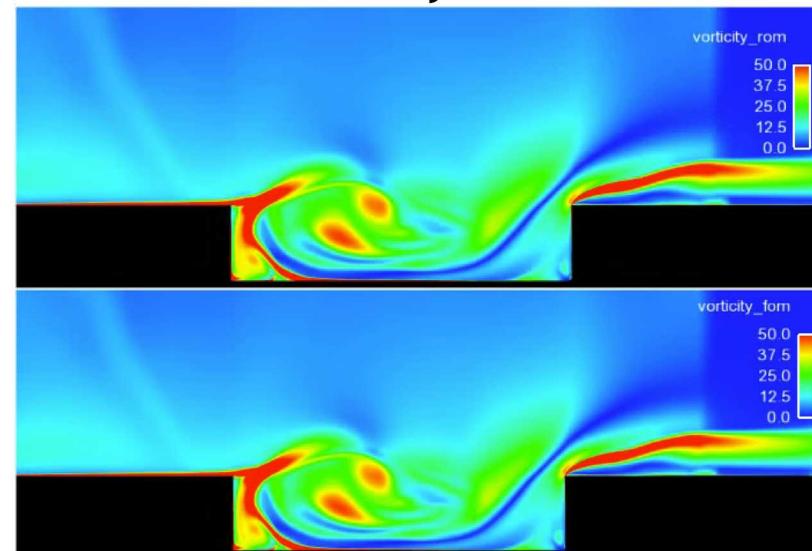
## LSPG ROM

- 32 min, 2 cores

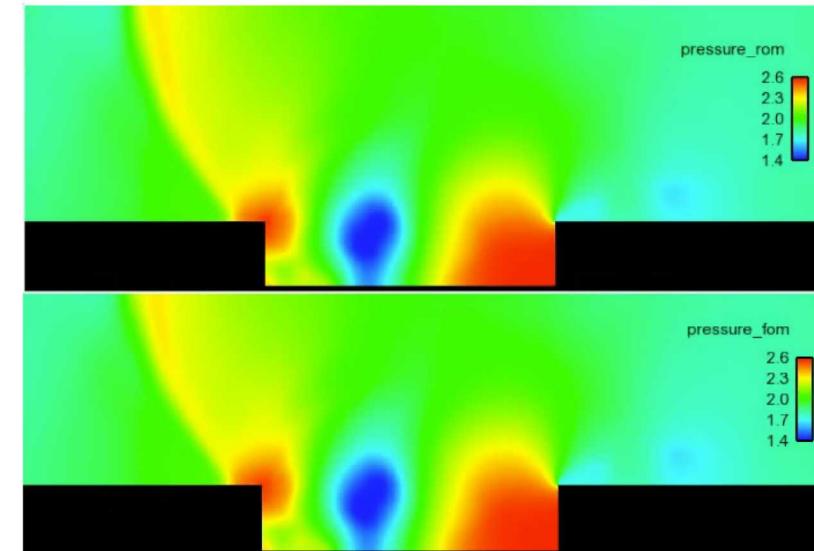
## High-fidelity

- 5 hours, 48 cores

Vorticity Field



Pressure Field



229x savings in core-hours  
< 1% error in time-averaged drag

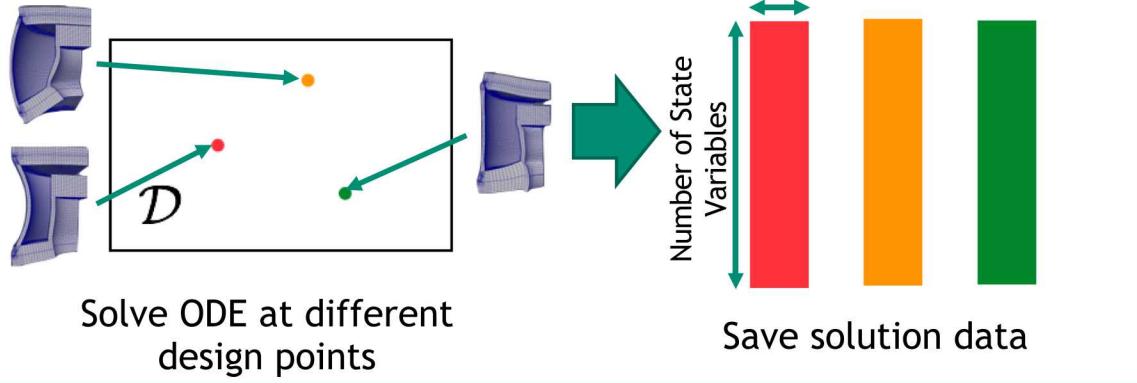
[Carlberg, Barone, Antil, 2017]

# Manifold model reduction uses a nonlinear function instead of a linear basis



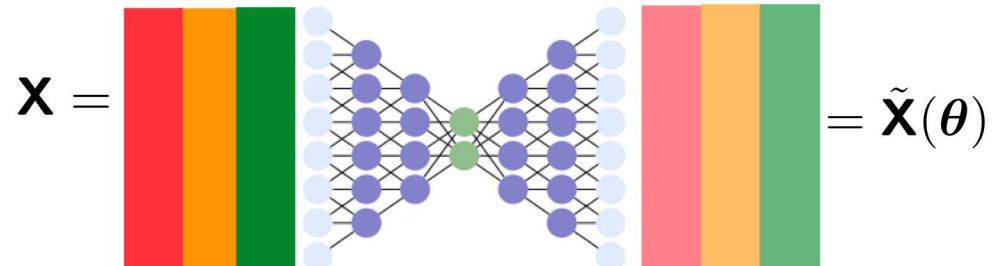
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## 2. Learning

Unsupervised Learning with non-linear manifold approach (e.g. deep autoencoder):



## 3. Reduction

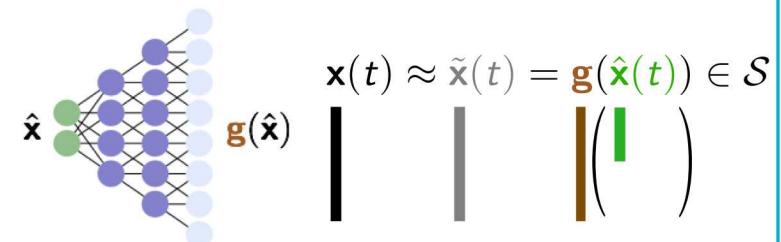
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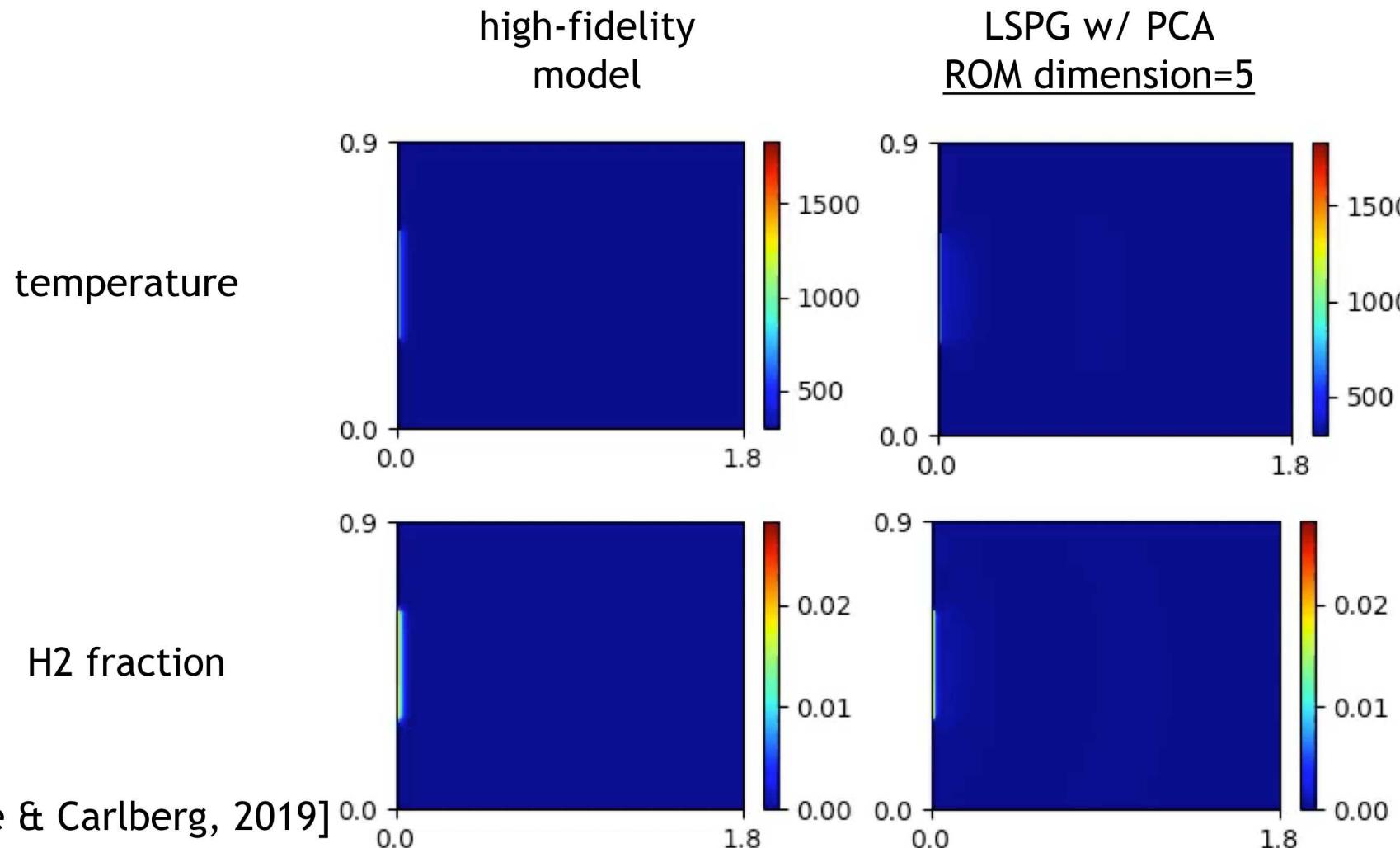
$$\min_{\hat{v}} \| A \ r^n(g(\hat{v}); \mu) \|_2$$

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# We achieve large improvements in the generalization criteria with manifold model reduction

2D Chemically reacting flow

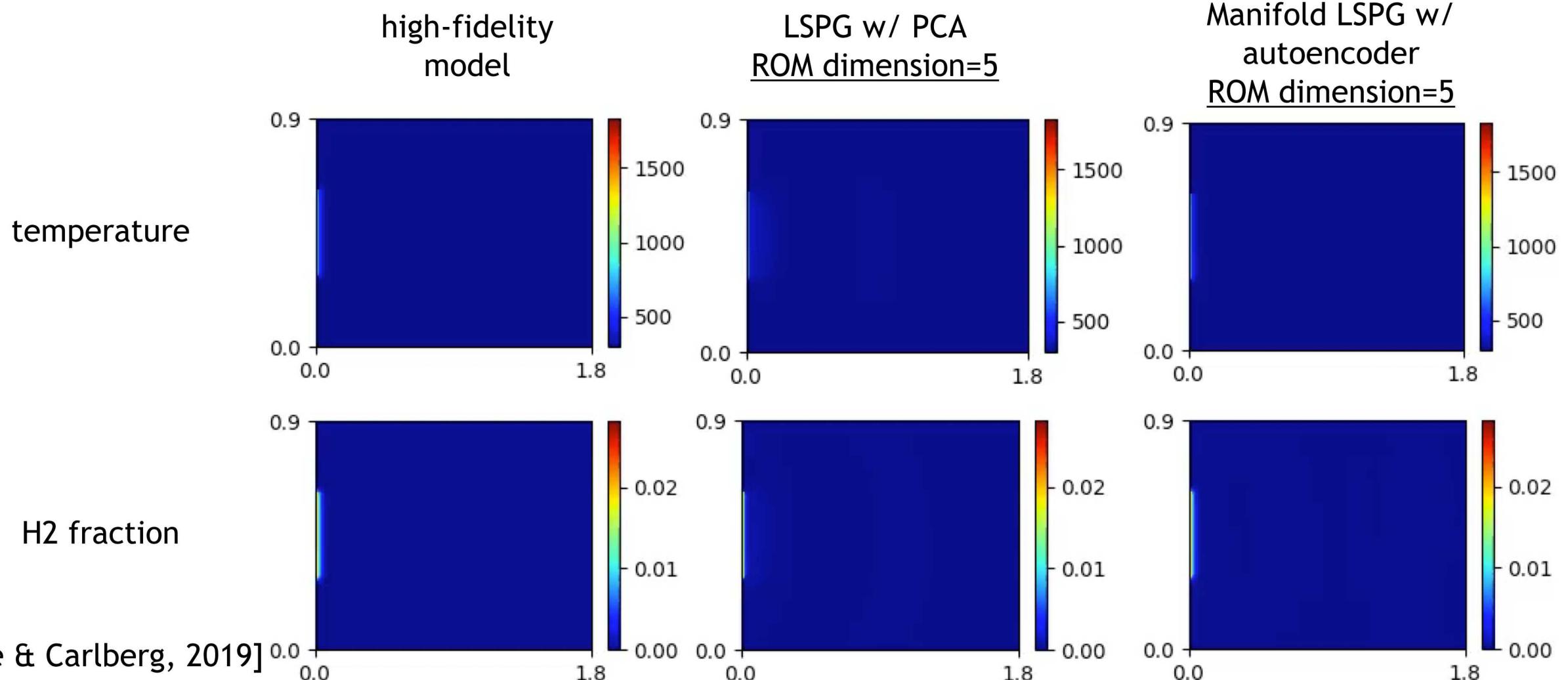
$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{w}(\vec{x}, t; \boldsymbol{\mu})}{\partial t} = \nabla \cdot (\kappa \nabla \mathbf{w}(\vec{x}, t; \boldsymbol{\mu})) - \mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla \mathbf{w}(\vec{x}, t; \boldsymbol{\mu}) + \mathbf{q}(\mathbf{w}(\vec{x}, t; \boldsymbol{\mu}); \boldsymbol{\mu})$$



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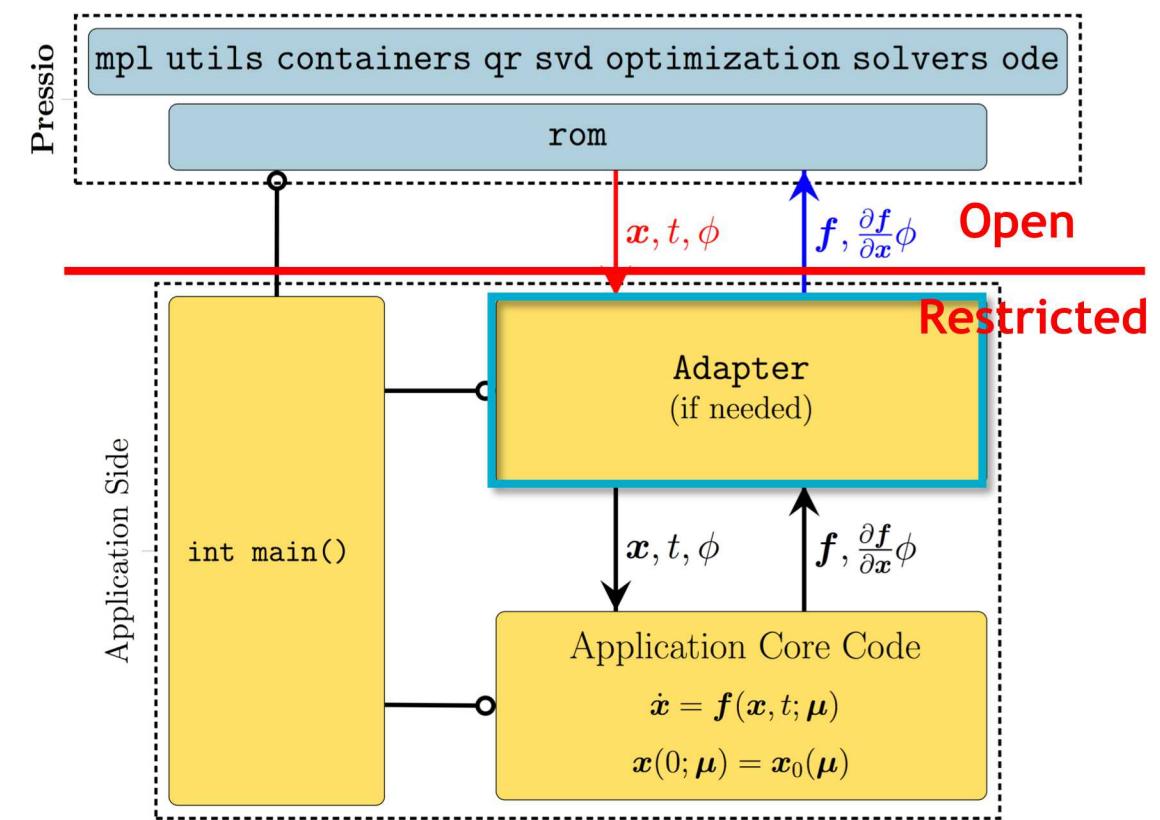
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# Pressio enables deployment of model reduction methods to a range of simulation codes

- Previous ROM methods were implemented directly in multiple application codes
  - ✗ **Highly intrusive**: major changes to application code
  - ✗ **Not extensible**: individual ROM implementation for each application
  - ✗ **Access requirements**: developers need direct access to application
- Pressio, a software package that addresses all three of these issues:
  - ✓ Minimally intrusive method implementation.
  - ✓ Leverages modern software engineering practices (e.g. C++ template-metaprogramming)
    - Portable implementation that works on different architectures, including GPUs
    - Restricted to practices used by mission application partners
  - ✓ Facilitates contributions from external partners
    - Undergoing open source copyright assertion
  - ✓ Clear separation between methods and application
    - Enables methods work without access to restricted applications (ITAR, Classified, etc.)



Schematic of Pressio software workflow (F. Rizzi)

# We are building Pressio adapters for three simulation codes



## SPARC

### Hypersonic Aerothermodynamics

- Key Personnel: P. Blonigan, M. Howard, J. Fike, F. Rizzi
- Progress: creating and running ROMs for aerodynamics



## ARIA

### Heat Transfer

- Key Personnel: J. Tencer, F. Pierce, F. Rizzi
- Progress: interface complete, setting up basis computation



## Sierra Aero

### Compressible Aerodynamics

- Key Personnel: J. Tencer, C. Proctor, M. McWherter-Payne, P. Blonigan
- Progress: creating high fidelity models



# We are integrating our model reduction tools with many-query and time-critical applications



- ❖ Multi-fidelity Uncertainty Quantification
  - P. Blonigan, G. Geraci, and M. Eldred



- ❖ Network Uncertainty Quantification with ROMs for system-component design:
  - J. Tencer, K. Carlberg, C. Proctor, M. McWherter-Payne, and P. Blonigan



- ❖ Optimization under uncertainty
  - External collaboration, key personnel: M. Zahr, K. Carlberg, and D. Kouri
  - [Zahr, Carlberg and Kouri, 2019].



- ☒ Autonomy for hypersonics: path planning and adaptive control
  - P. Blonigan, K. Carlberg, M. Howard, J. Fike, and F. Rizzi





The Autonomy For Hypersonics (A4H) mission campaign focuses on time-critical problems for hypersonic vehicles



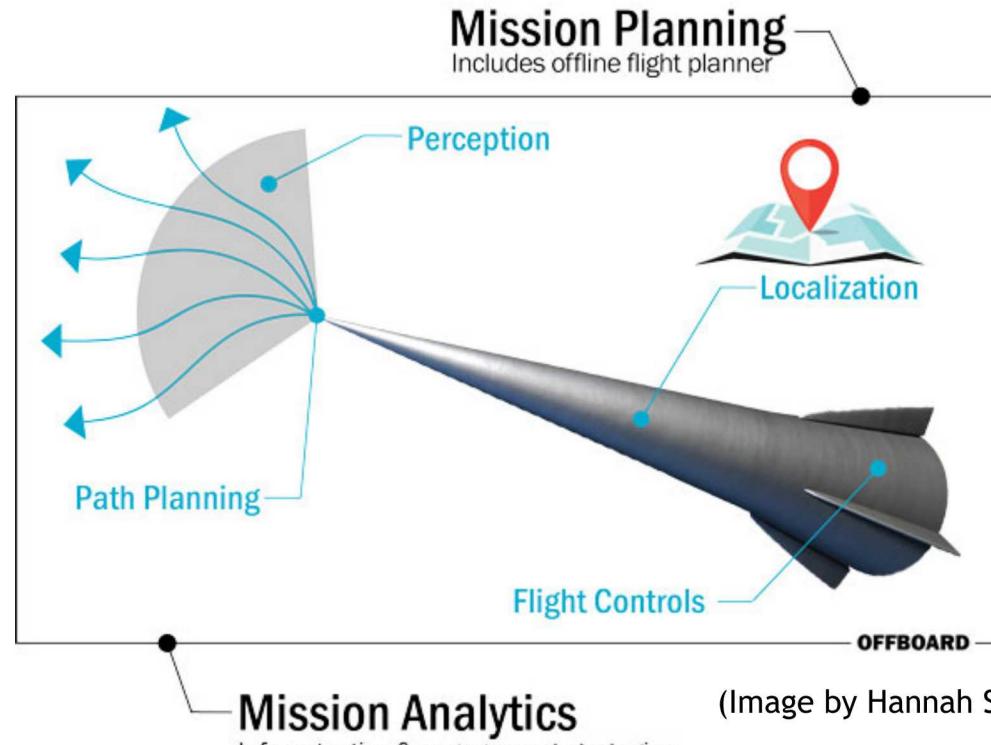
## Autonomy for Hypersonics



Sandia's A4H Mission Campaign seeks to:

- Significantly decrease the time required for hypersonic missile flight planning using artificial intelligence.
- Enable semi-autonomous hypersonic missiles to self-correct in flight to compensate for unexpected flight conditions or a change in the target's location.

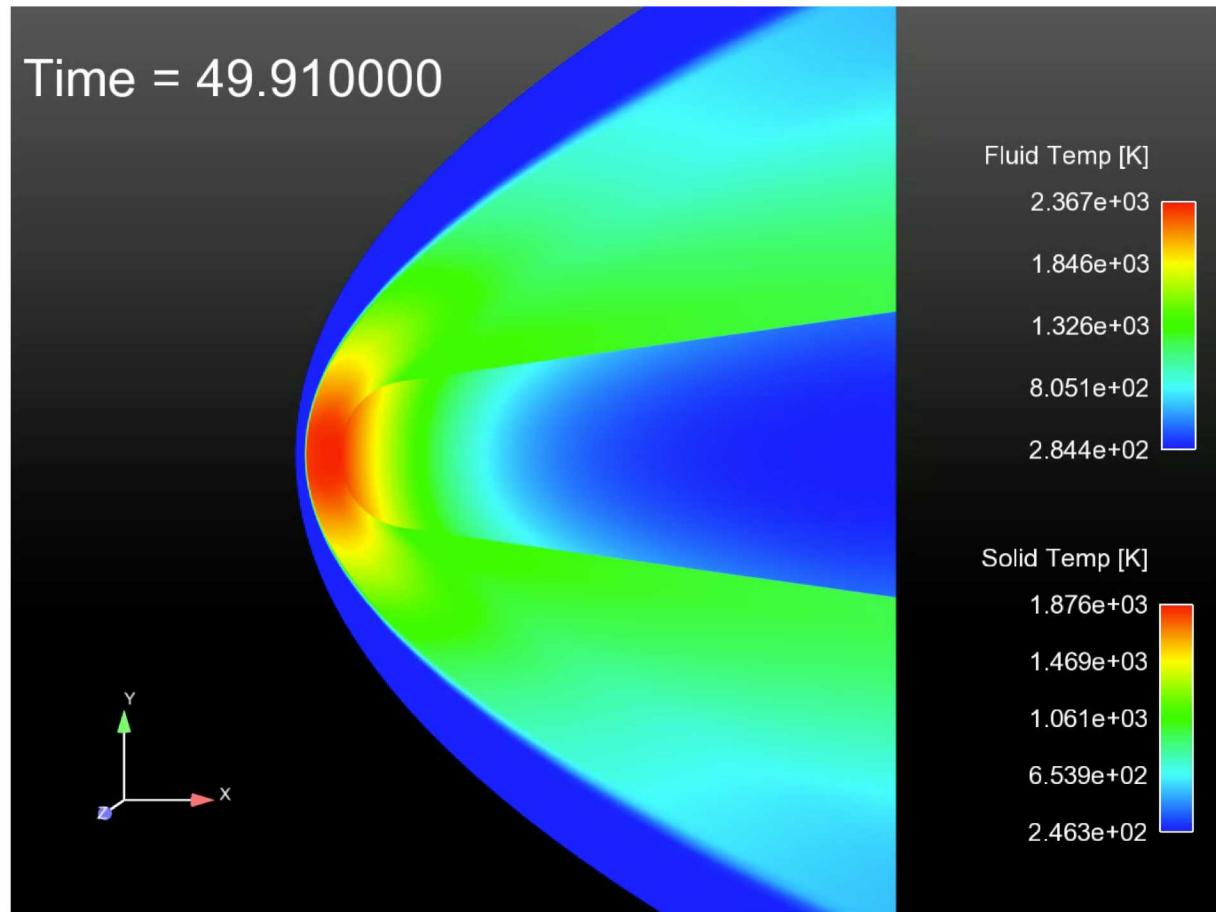
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(Image by Hannah Stangebye)

# Our A4H project\* will use our model reduction tool chain to accelerate path planning, design, and control of hypersonic vehicles

- Our project uses model reduction to:
  1. Generate large databases with quantified uncertainties for path planning.
  2. Enable rapid interactive simulation for vehicle design and control.
- We use Pressio (F. Rizzi) and SPARC (M. Howard) to create ROMs for hypersonic aerodynamics
- Joint work with aerosciences team (M. Howard, J. Fike) and UT Austin (K. Willcox, S. Majors)



A slender body in hypersonic flow simulated with SPARC (courtesy M. Howard)



**LDRD**

Laboratory Directed Research and Development



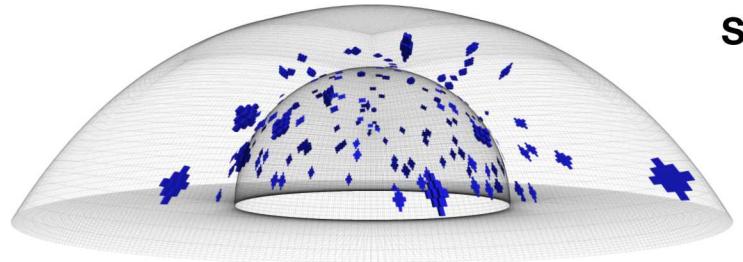
\*Rapid high-fidelity aerothermal responses with quantified uncertainties via reduced-order modeling

Preliminary results show that our model reduction tool chain will be effective for this application space

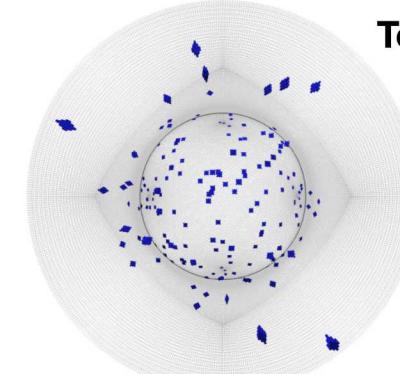


**Blottner Sphere:** • Unsteady\* Navier–Stokes •  $Re = 1.89 \times 10^6$  •  $M_\infty = 5.0$

Sample mesh



Side view



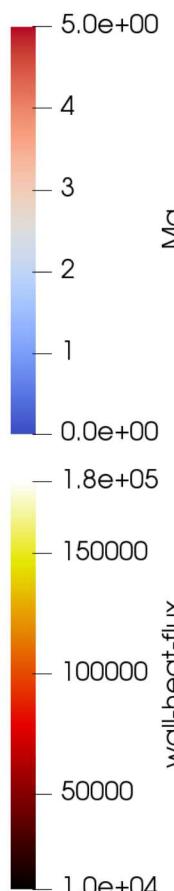
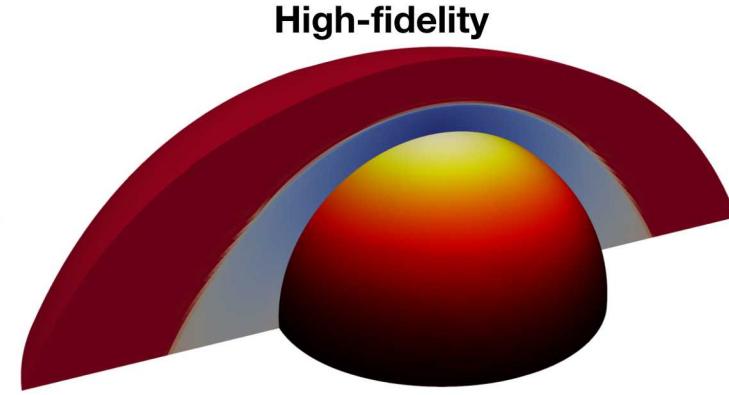
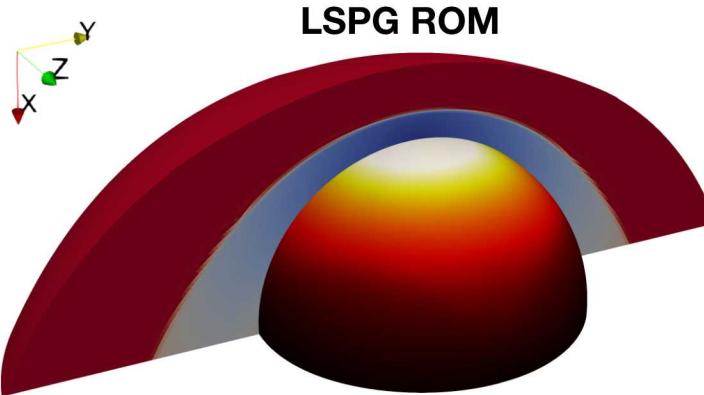
Top view

#### LSPG ROM:

- Sample mesh: 4,150 cells = 20,750 DoFs
- 1 MPI rank, ~18 seconds

#### High-fidelity:

- 4,194,304 cells = 20,971,520 DoFs
- 128 MPI ranks, ~147 seconds



1060x savings in core-hours

< 1% error in density, Mach number, and temperature fields

< 1% error in axial force, heat flux

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- **Computer Science:** generalized, minimally intrusive model reduction implementation



- **Engineering science:** deployment of model reduction in engineering applications and analysis

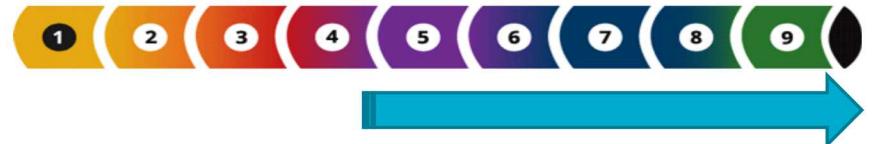




# Future work will continue to span computer science, engineering science, and applied math research and development

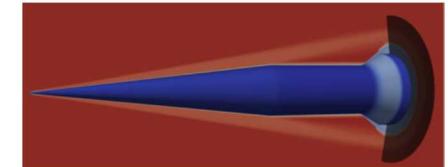
- Computer Science R&D:

- Adding existing methods to Pressio
- Pathway to production for Pressio



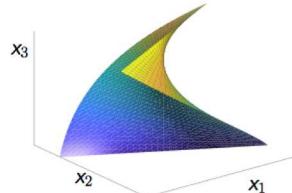
- Engineering Science R&D:

- Apply Pressio to increasingly complex physical systems
- New Pressio adaptors for additional simulation capabilities
- Integration of model reduction techniques with time-critical/many-query methods/frameworks:
  - Network UQ
  - Multi-fidelity UQ
  - Verification and Validation, Other UQ/Optimization approaches

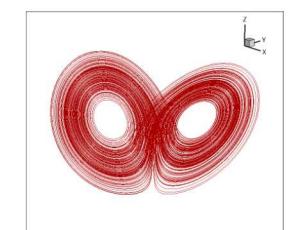


- Applied Math R&D:

- Nonlinear manifold model reduction methods
- Develop methods for chaotic dynamical systems



- Maintain current projects and create new projects with internal and external collaborators.



# Summary of accomplishments and key references



Team grew from 3 in FY12 to 21 in FY19



2 keynote presentations  
34 conference presentations  
32 invited talks



23 Journal publications (7 in review)  
6 Conference publications



#1 most-cited paper, 2011, IJNME  
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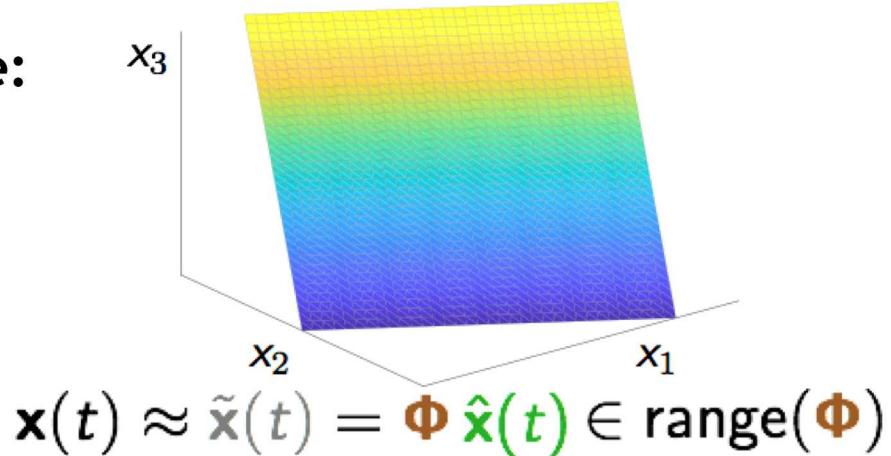
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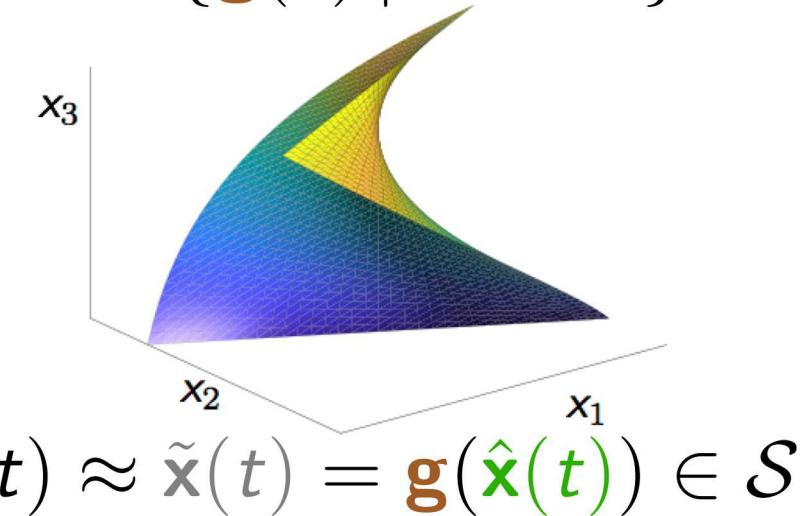
Manifold LSPG projection uses a nonlinear function instead of a linear basis, resulting in more capacity [Lee & Carlberg, 2019]

$$\text{range}(\Phi) := \{\Phi \hat{\mathbf{x}} \mid \hat{\mathbf{x}} \in \mathbb{R}^P\}$$

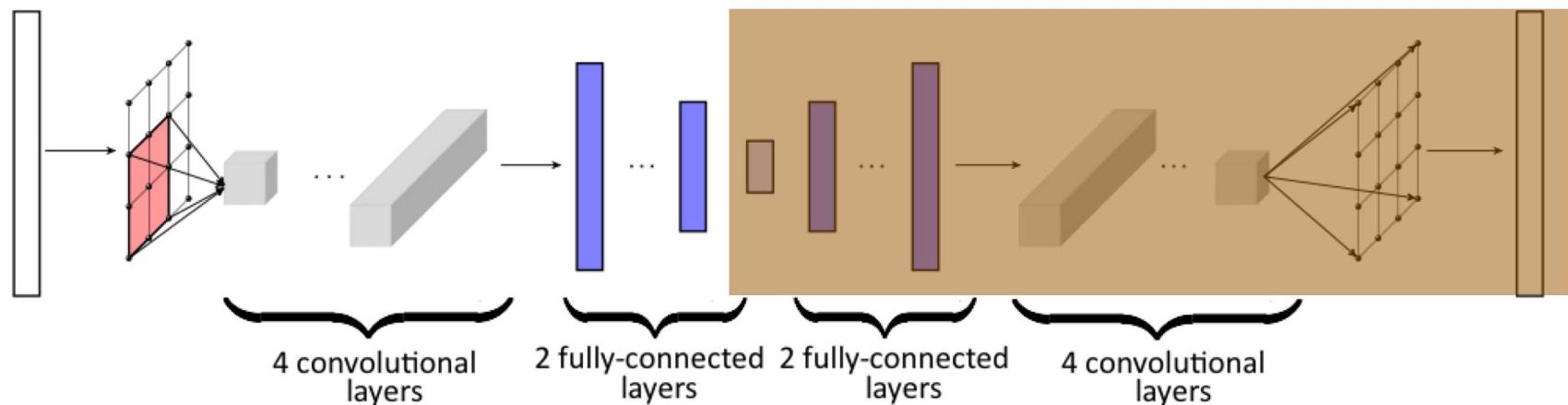
Example:  
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P=2



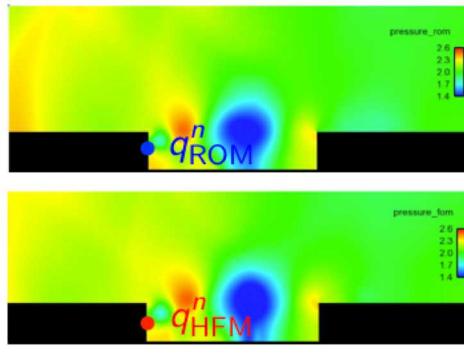
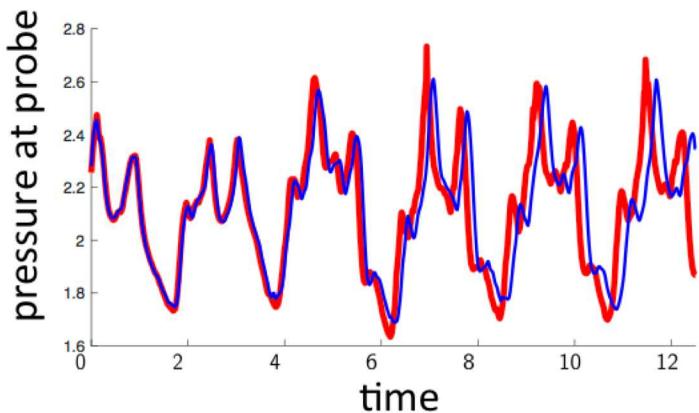
$$\mathcal{S} := \{\mathbf{g}(\hat{\mathbf{x}}) \mid \hat{\mathbf{x}} \in \mathbb{R}^P\}$$



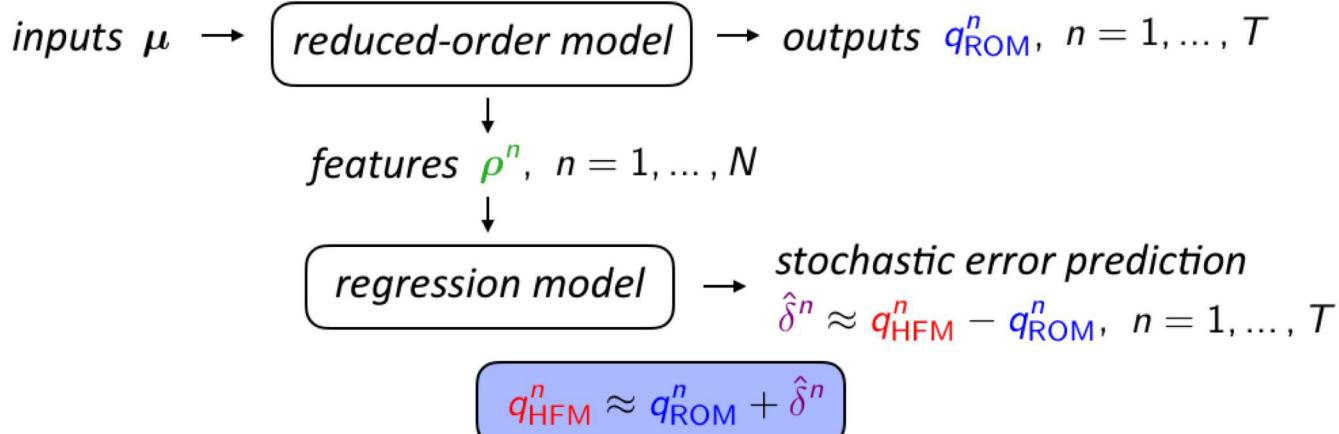
Decoder:  
One choice of  
nonlinear  
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# Machine Learning Error Models [Carlberg & Freno, 2018]



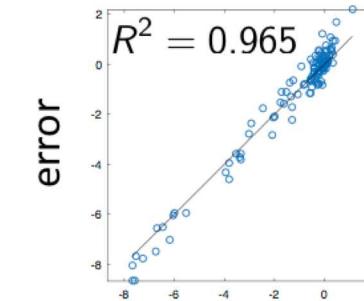
$$\mathcal{D} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{blue dots} \\ \text{orange dot} \\ \text{blue dots} \end{matrix}$$



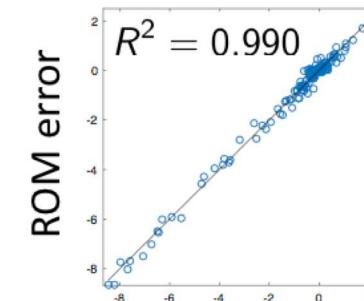
+ Statistical model of high-fidelity-model output

**Physics-based feature engineering to determine  $\rho^n$**

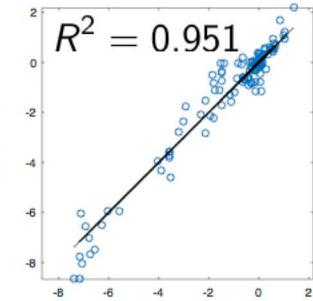
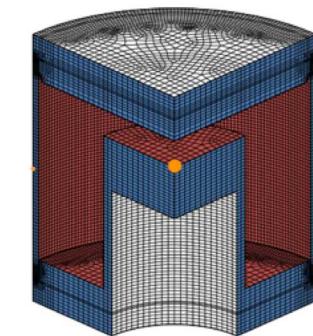
Example: Component Structural Model



random forest  
error prediction



support vector machine  
error prediction



$k$ -NN  
error prediction

ML methods yield low-variance error predictions



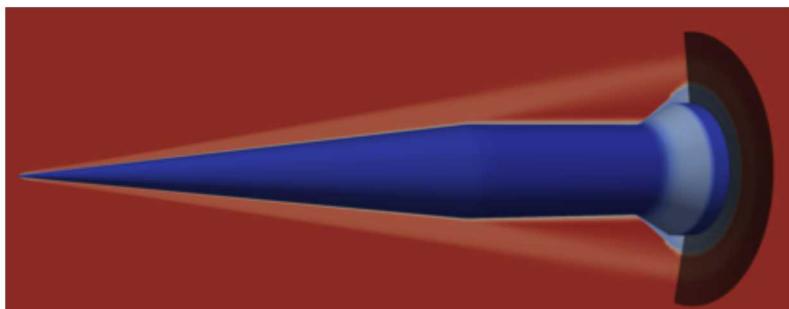
# Our vision statement informs our current and future research

Establish a research-to-production capability, based on projection-based reduced-order models (ROMs), that enables deployment of high-fidelity physics & engineering simulations in time-critical (e.g., control, rapid analysis) and many-query applications (e.g., uncertainty quantification, design optimization, parameter-space exploration), in support of the Department of Energy mission.



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$$X = \begin{array}{c|c} \text{Red} & \text{Green} \end{array} \xrightarrow{\text{Neural Network}} \begin{array}{c|c} \text{Red} & \text{Green} \end{array} = \tilde{X}(\theta)$$

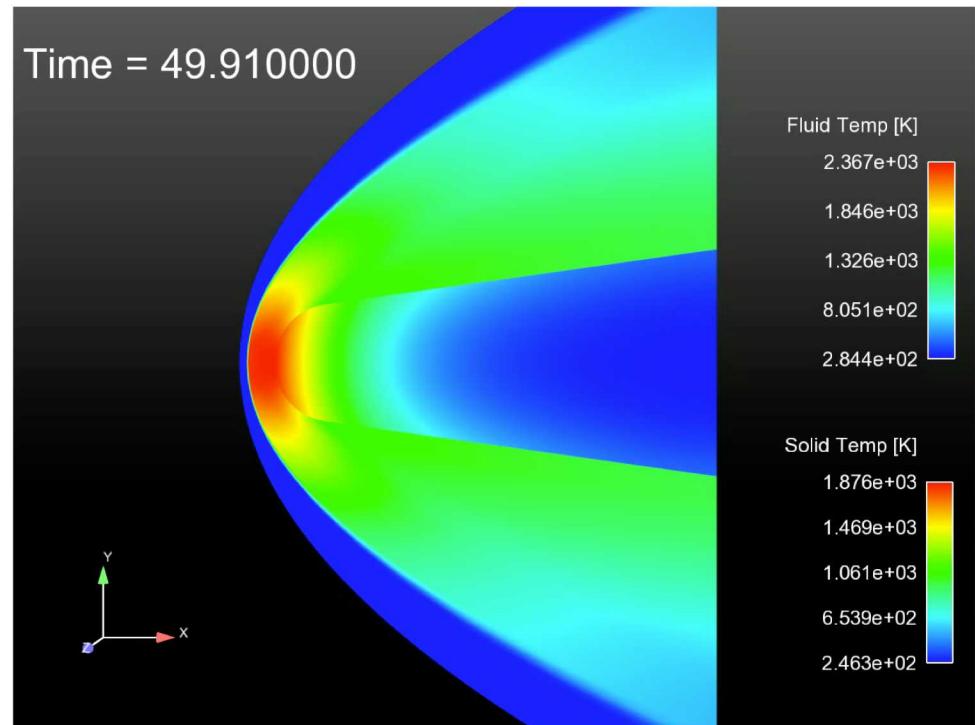


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# Sandia Parallel Aerodynamics and Reentry Code (SPARC)



- Compressible CFD code focused on aerodynamics and aerothermodynamics in the Transonic and Hypersonic regimes
  - Being developed to run on today's leadership-class supercomputers and exascale machines.
  - Performance portability: SPARC leverages Kokkos to run on multiple machines with different architectures (e.g. CPU vs. CPU/GPU)
- Physics Capabilities include:
  - **Navier—Stokes, cell-centered finite volume method**
  - **Reynolds-Averaged Navier—Stokes (RANS) , cell-centered finite volume method**
  - Transient Heat Equation, Galerkin finite element method.
  - Decomposing and non-decomposing ablation equations, Galerkin finite element method.
  - One and two-way coupling between ablation, heat equation, RANS.



A slender body in hypersonic flow simulated with SPARC