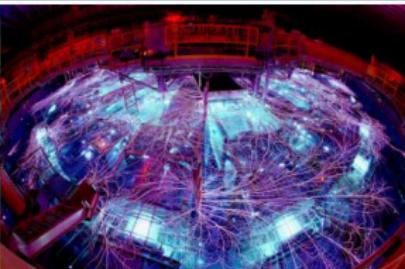


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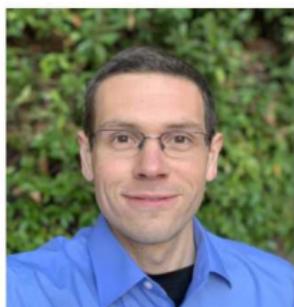


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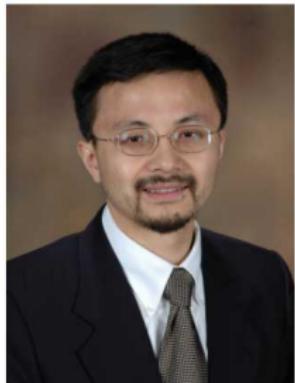


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Advantages/Disadvantages

Advantages:

- optimize with uncertainty consideration
- active machine learning (accumulate history)
- derivative free (avoid computing Jacobian)
- global optimization (convergence in probability)
- good convergence rate (provably asymptotic regret)

Disadvantages:

- high-dimensionality
- scalability: computational bottleneck $\mathcal{O}(n^3)$ when the number of observations $n \geq \mathcal{O}(10^3)$

BO features

very **versatile** (adaptive for methodological extensions)

- acquisition functions: PI, EI, UCB, Thompson sampling, entropy-based, knowledge-gradient, and much more,
- constrained on objectives (known + unknown constraints) ✓
- **multi-objective** (Pareto frontier/optimal, domination) ✓
- multi-output ✗
- multi-fidelity (couple multiple low-, high-fidelity models) ✓
- batch parallelization ✓ → asynchronous parallel ✓
- stochastic ✗
- time-series (forecasting, e.g. causal kernel) ✗
- mixed-integer (discrete/categorical + continuous) ✓
- scalable ✓
- latent variable model ✗
- gradient-enhanced ✓
- physics-constrained: monotonic, discontinuous, symmetry, bound ✗
- outlier: student- t distribution ✗
- non-stationary ✗

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Classical GP

Let $\mathcal{D}_n = \{\mathbf{x}_i, y_i\}_{i=1}^n$ denote the set of observations and \mathbf{x} denote an arbitrary test points

$$\mu_n(\mathbf{x}) = \mu_0(\mathbf{x}) + \mathbf{k}(\mathbf{x})^T (\mathbf{K} + \sigma^2 \mathbf{I})^{-1} (\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{m}) \quad (1)$$

$$\sigma_n^2(\mathbf{x}) = k(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}) - \mathbf{k}(\mathbf{x})^T (\mathbf{K} + \sigma^2 \mathbf{I})^{-1} \mathbf{k}(\mathbf{x}) \quad (2)$$

where $\mathbf{k}(\mathbf{x})$ is a vector of covariance terms between \mathbf{x} and $\mathbf{x}_{1:n}$.

Classical GP

Formulation:

- stationary: only depends on $r = \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{x}'\|$
- the covariance matrix: symmetric positive-semidefinite matrix made up of pairwise inner products

$$K_{ij} = k(\mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{x}_j) \quad (3)$$

- unknown function is *presumably* smooth
- variables are *presumably* continuous, i.e. $f : \mathbb{R}^d \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$.

Implementation:

- MLE to estimate the hyper-parameter $\theta \in \mathbb{R}^d$: compute \mathbf{K}^{-1} at the cost of $\mathcal{O}(n^3)$
- size of $\mathbf{K} = n \times n$

Ingredients: some data, GP kernel, acquisition function.

Classical GP

Common kernels:

- $k_{\text{Matérn}1}(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}') = \theta_0^2 \exp(-r)$
- $k_{\text{Matérn}3}(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}') = \theta_0^2 \exp(-\sqrt{3}r)(1 + \sqrt{3}r)$
- $k_{\text{Matérn}5}(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}') = \theta_0^2 \exp(-\sqrt{5}r) \left(1 + \sqrt{5}r + \frac{5}{3}r^2\right)$
- $k_{\text{sq-exp}}(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}') = \theta_0^2 \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}r^2\right)$

Log-likelihood function:

$$\log p(\mathbf{y} | \mathbf{x}_{1:n}, \theta) = -\frac{n}{2} \log (2\pi) - \frac{1}{2} \log |\mathbf{K}^\theta + \sigma^2 \mathbf{I}| - \frac{1}{2} (\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{m}_\theta)^T (\mathbf{K}^\theta + \sigma^2 \mathbf{I})^{-1} (\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{m}_\theta) \quad (4)$$

Formulation & Implementation: multi-objective GP

Let:

- $\mathbf{x} = \{x_i\}_{i=1}^d \in \mathcal{X} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^d$ be input in d -dimensional space,
- $\mathbf{y} = \{y_j\}_{j=1}^s$ as s outputs.

$$\underset{\mathbf{x} \in \mathcal{X}}{\operatorname{argmax}}(f_1(\mathbf{x}), \dots, f_s(\mathbf{x})) \quad (5)$$

subjected to $\mathbf{c}(\mathbf{x}) \leq \mathbf{0}$.

Formulation & Implementation: multi-objective GP

Pareto definition:

- \mathbf{x}_1 is said to dominate \mathbf{x}_2 , denoted as $\mathbf{x}_1 \preceq \mathbf{x}_2$, if and only if $\forall 1 \leq j \leq s$, such that $y_j(\mathbf{x}_1) \leq y_j(\mathbf{x}_2)$, and $\exists 1 \leq j \leq s$, such that $y_j(\mathbf{x}_1) < y_j(\mathbf{x}_2)$.
- \mathbf{x}_1 is said to strictly dominate \mathbf{x}_2 , denoted as $\mathbf{x}_1 \prec \mathbf{x}_2$, if and only if $\forall 1 \leq j \leq s$, such that $y_j(\mathbf{x}_1) < y_j(\mathbf{x}_2)$.

Scalarization: multi-objective \rightarrow single-objective

1. weighted Tchebycheff $y = \max_{1 \leq i \leq s} w_i(y_i(\mathbf{x}) - z_i^*)$,
2. weighted sum $y = \sum_{i=1}^s w_i y_i(\mathbf{x})$,
3. augmented Tchebycheff

$$y = \max_{1 \leq i \leq s} w_i(y_i(\mathbf{x}) - z_i^*) + \rho \sum_{i=1}^s w_i y_i(\mathbf{x})$$
,

where z_i^* denotes the ideal value for the i -th objective, the weights $0 \leq w_i \leq 1$, $\sum_{i=1}^m w_i = 1$, ρ is a small positive constant ($\rho = 0.05$).

Formulation & Implementation: multi-objective GP

What is the idea?

- learn Pareto frontier through a *uncertain binary classifier*
- GP comes out naturally as an uncertain classifier
- push the learned Pareto frontier to the true Pareto frontier
- use acquisition function in BO to promote richness (exploration) and diversity (exploitation)
- once learned Pareto frontier → true Pareto frontier: the uncertain classifier stabilizes
- some regularization to help (a) fitting objective GP and (b) reduce noise in stochastic settings

Formulation & Implementation: multi-objective GP

Acquisition function:

$$a(\mathbf{x}) = \underbrace{a_{\text{obj}}(\mathbf{x})}_{\text{objective GP}} \cdot \underbrace{a_{\text{Pareto}}(\mathbf{x})}_{\text{uncertain Pareto}} \cdot \underbrace{\Pr(\mathbf{x} | \mathbf{c}(\mathbf{x}) = 1)}_{\text{unknown constraints}} \cdot \underbrace{\mathcal{I}(\mathbf{x})}_{\text{known constraints}} \quad (6)$$

- $a_{\text{obj}}(\mathbf{x})$: objective GP fitted through augmented Tchebycheff with random weights
- $a_{\text{Pareto}}(\mathbf{x})$: Pareto GP classifier (Pareto/non-Pareto)
- $\Pr(\mathbf{x} | \mathbf{c}(\mathbf{x}) = 1)$: constrained classifier (feasible/infeasible)
- $\mathcal{I}(\mathbf{x})$: indicator function if $\mathbf{c}(\mathbf{x}) \leq \mathbf{0}$

Formulation & Implementation: multi-objective GP

Algorithm 1 srMO-BO-3GP algorithm

Input: dataset \mathcal{D}_n consisting of input, observation, feasibility $(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}, c)_{i=1}^n$

Input: multi-objective $(\mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{y}_i)_{i=1}^n$, constraint GP $(\mathbf{x}, c_i)_{i=1}^n$.

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1: for  $n = 1, 2, \dots$ , do
2:   randomize a weight vector  $\mathbf{w}$ 
3:   combine  $\{y_j\}_{j=1}^s$  to  $\mathbf{y}$                                  $\triangleright$  multi- to single-objective
4:   construct single-objective GP                       $\triangleright$  GP #1:  $\mu_{\text{obj}}(\mathbf{x}), \sigma_{\text{obj}}^2(\mathbf{x})$ 
5:   construct Pareto front                           $\triangleright$  GP #2:  $\mu_{\text{Pareto}}(\mathbf{x}), \sigma_{\text{Pareto}}^2(\mathbf{x})$ 
6:   find current Pareto front
7:   construct Pareto classifier GP
8:   construct constraints classifier GP             $\triangleright$  GP #3:  $\mu_{\text{feasible}}(\mathbf{x}), \sigma_{\text{feasible}}^2(\mathbf{x})$ 
9:   locate the next sampling point  $\mathbf{x}_{n+1}$ 
10:  query for  $\mathbf{y}_{n+1} = \{y_j\}_{j=1}^s$ , feasibility  $c_{n+1}$ 
11:  augment dataset  $\mathcal{D}_{n+1} = \{\mathcal{D}_n, (\mathbf{x}_{n+1}, \mathbf{y}_{n+1}, c_{n+1})\}$ 
12: end for

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Benchmark: 18 variants

- EI, PI, UCB for objective
- EI, PI, UCB for Pareto frontier
- regularized vs. non-regularized

Acquisition function: How to pick the next point(s)

- dictates how to pick the next point: **exploitation** (focus on the promising region) or **exploration** (focus on the uncertain/unknown region)
- different flavors:
 1. **probability of improvement** (PI)

$$a_{\text{PI}}(\mathbf{x}; \{\mathbf{x}_i, y_i\}_{i=1}^n, \theta) = \Phi(\gamma(\mathbf{x})), \quad (7)$$

where

$$\gamma(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{\mu(\mathbf{x}; \{\mathbf{x}_i, y_i\}_{i=1}^n, \theta) - f(\mathbf{x}_{\text{best}})}{\sigma(\mathbf{x}; \{\mathbf{x}_i, y_i\}_{i=1}^n, \theta)}, \quad (8)$$

2. **expected improvement** (EI) scheme

$$a_{\text{EI}}(\mathbf{x}; \{\mathbf{x}_i, y_i\}_{i=1}^n, \theta) = \sigma(\mathbf{x}; \{\mathbf{x}_i, y_i\}_{i=1}^n, \theta) \cdot (\gamma(\mathbf{x})\Phi(\gamma(\mathbf{x}))) + \phi(\gamma(\mathbf{x})) \quad (9)$$

Acquisition function: How to pick next point(s)

- dictates how to pick the next point: **exploitation** (focus on the promising region) or **exploration** (focus on the uncertain/unknown region)
- different flavors:
 3. **upper confidence bound** (UCB) scheme

$$a_{\text{UCB}}(\mathbf{x}; \{\mathbf{x}_i, y_i\}_{i=1}^n, \theta) = \mu(\mathbf{x}; \{\mathbf{x}_i, y_i\}_{i=1}^n, \theta) + \kappa \sigma(\mathbf{x}; \{\mathbf{x}_i, y_i\}_{i=1}^n, \theta), \quad (10)$$

where κ is a hyper-parameter describing the exploitation-exploration balance.

4. **pure exploration***:
 - maximal MSE σ^2
 - maximal IMSE $\int_{\mathbf{x} \in \mathcal{X}} \sigma^2(\mathbf{x})$

ZDT1: 12d

$$f_1 = x_1, f_2 = gh, \quad (11)$$

where

$$g = 1 + \frac{9}{11} \sum_{p=2}^{12} x_p, h = 1 - \sqrt{\frac{f_1}{g}}. \quad (12)$$

$1 \leq g \leq 10 \Rightarrow$ Pareto frontier is obtained when $g = 1$. More precisely, $\{f_1, f_2\}$, where $f_2 = 1 - \sqrt{f_1}$.

ZDT1: 12-d

Figure: ZDT1 Pareto frontier comparison.

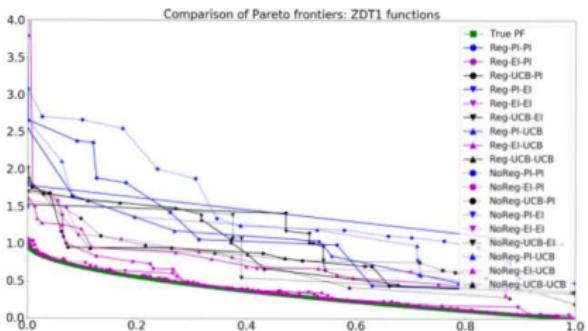
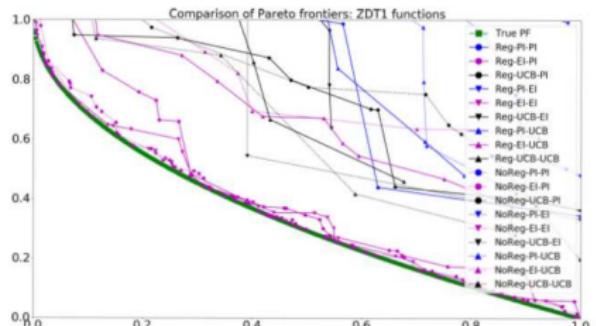


Figure: Zoom at $[0, 1] \times [0, 1]$.



DTLZ1: 12-d

$$f_1 = 0.5(1 + g)x_1, \quad (13)$$

$$f_2 = 0.5(1 + g)(1 - x_1), \quad (14)$$

where $g = 10011 + \sum_{p=2}^{12} \langle (x_p - 0.5)^2 - \cos [20\pi(x_p - 0.5)] \rangle$.

DTLZ1: 12-d

Figure: DTLZ1 Pareto frontier comparison.

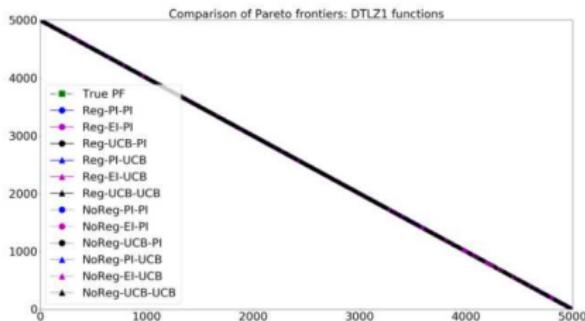
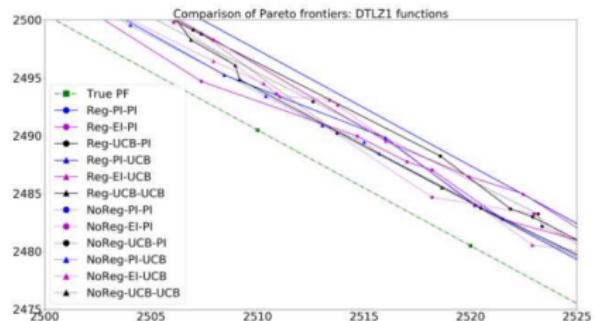


Figure: Zoom at $[2500, 2525] \times [2475, 2500]$.



Flip-chip BGA package design

Table: Design variables for the FCBGA design optimization.

Variable	Design part	Lower bound	Upper bound	Optimal value
x_1	die	20000	30000	20702
x_2	die	300	750	320
x_3	substrate	30000	40000	35539
x_4	substrate	100	1800	1614
x_5	substrate	$10 \cdot 10^{-6}$	$17 \cdot 10^{-6}$	$17 \cdot 10^{-6}$
x_6	stiffener ring	2000	6000	4126
x_7	stiffener ring	100	2500	1646
x_8	stiffener ring	$8 \cdot 10^{-6}$	$25 \cdot 10^{-6}$	$8.94 \cdot 10^{-6}$
x_9	underfill	1.0	3.0	1.52
x_{10}	underfill	0.5	1.0	0.804
x_{11}	PCB board	$12.0 \cdot 10^{-6}$	$16.7 \cdot 10^{-6}$	$16.7 \cdot 10^{-6}$

Flip-chip BGA package design

Figure: Warpage at
-40°C

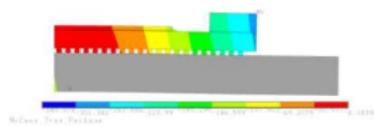


Figure: Warpage at
20°C

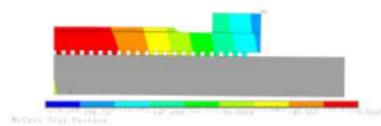
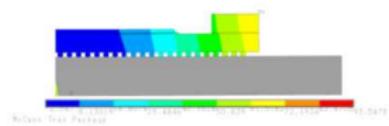


Figure: Warpage at
200°C



Flip-chip BGA package design

Figure: Correlation between objectives and joint densities.

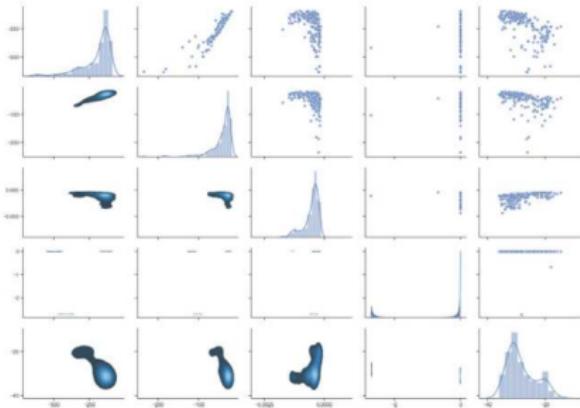
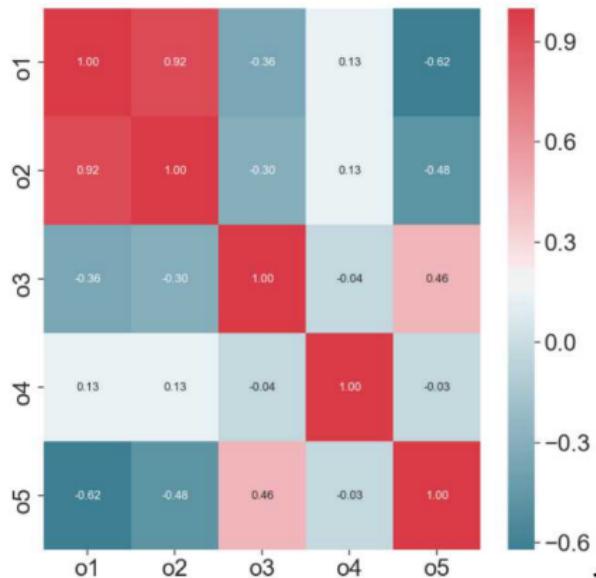


Figure: Correlation heatmap between objectives.



Additive manufacturing: inverse process-structure mapping: asynchronous parallel

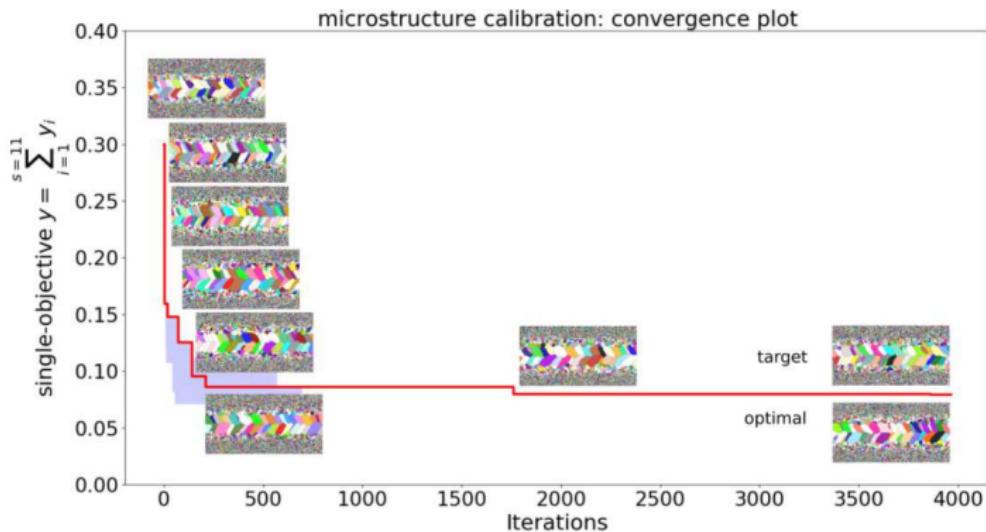


Figure: Reverse engineering an additively manufactured specimen through kinetic Monte Carlo (Sandia/SPPARKS). Tran et al., "An active-learning high-throughput microstructure calibration framework for process-structure linkage in materials informatics".

Sequential multi-fidelity: searching optimal chemical composition

Tran et al., “Multi-fidelity machine-learning with uncertainty quantification and Bayesian optimization for materials design: Application to ternary random alloys”: coupling DFT and MD. Multi-fidelity for multi-scale ICME.

Figure: Iteration 4: 2 LF + 2 HF

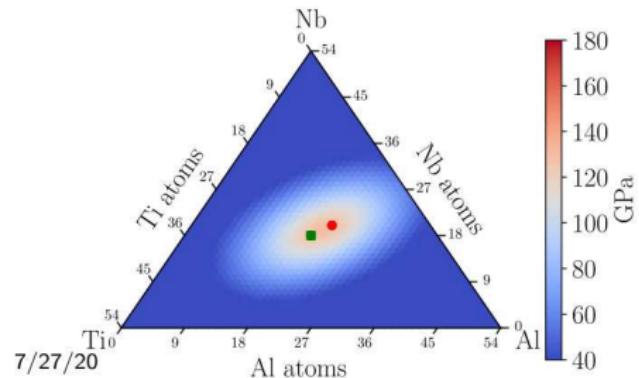
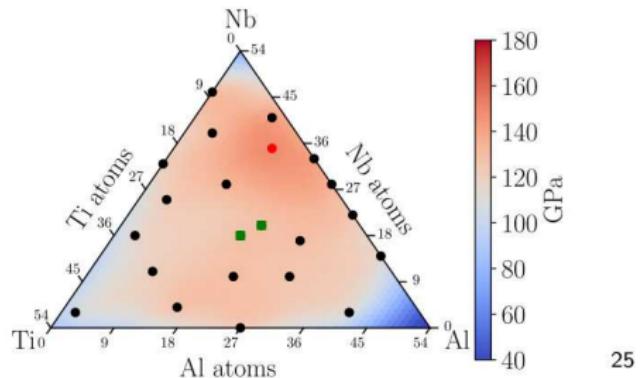


Figure: Iteration 24: 21 LF + 3 HF



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Figure: Iteration 35: 31 LF + 4 HF

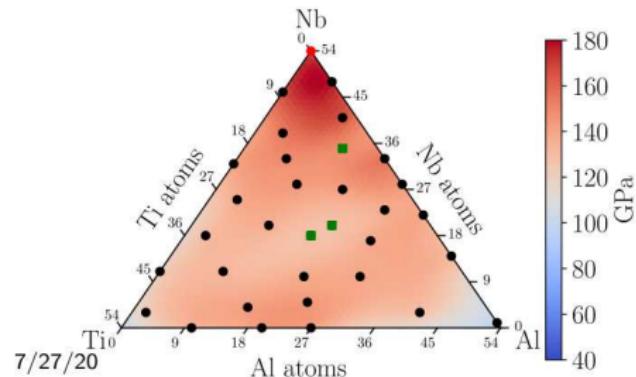
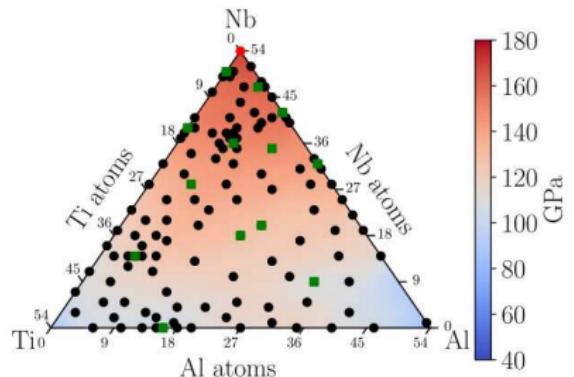


Figure: Iteration 130: 116 LF + 14 HF



Welded-beam design optimization (2d+4d) (mixed-integer)

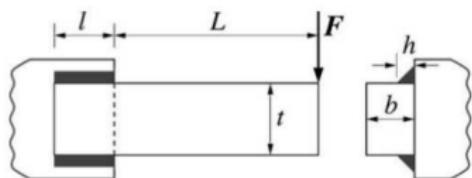


Figure: Welded-beam design

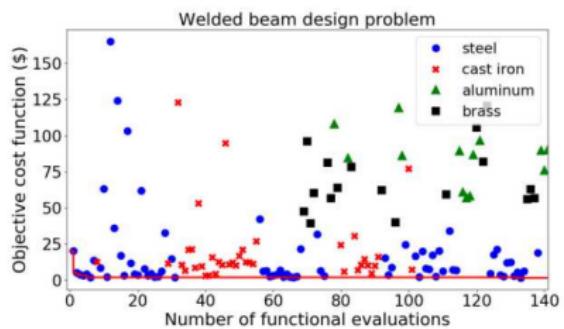


Figure: Convergence plot of welded beam design.

Speed reducer design optimization (1d+6d) (mixed-integer)

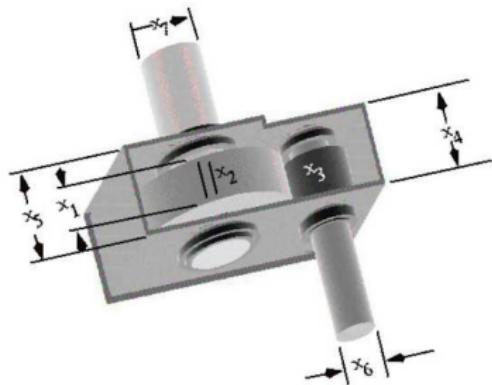


Figure: Speed reducer design

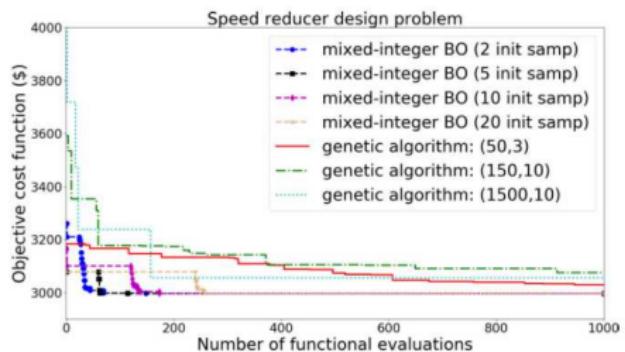


Figure: Comparison against GA.

High-dimensional discrete sphere function (5d+50d) (mixed-integer)

$$f(\mathbf{x}^{(d)}, \mathbf{x}^{(c)}) =$$

$$f(x_1, \dots, x_n, x_{n+1}, \dots, x_m) = \prod_{i=1}^n |x_i| \left(\sum_{j=n+1}^m x_j^2 \right)$$

where

$1 \leq x_i \leq 2$ ($1 \leq i \leq n$) are

n integer variables and

$-5.12 \leq x_j \leq$

5.12 ($n+1 \leq j \leq m$) are

$m-n$ continuous

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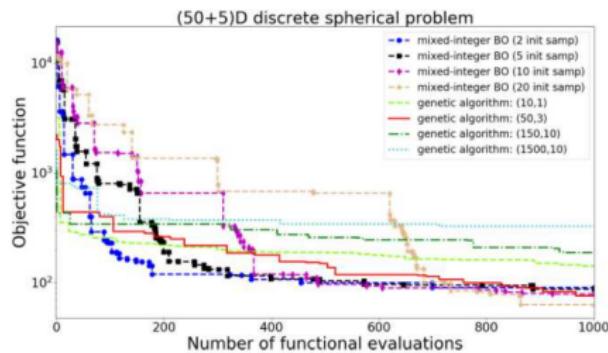


Figure: Comparison against GA.

High-dimensional discrete sphere function (5d+100d) (mixed-integer)

$$f(\mathbf{x}^{(d)}, \mathbf{x}^{(c)}) =$$

$$f(x_1, \dots, x_n, x_{n+1}, \dots, x_m) = \prod_{i=1}^n |x_i| \left(\sum_{j=n+1}^m x_j^2 \right)$$

where

$1 \leq x_i \leq 2$ ($1 \leq i \leq n$) are n integer variables and
 $-5.12 \leq x_j \leq 5.12$ ($n+1 \leq j \leq m$) are $m-n$ continuous variables.

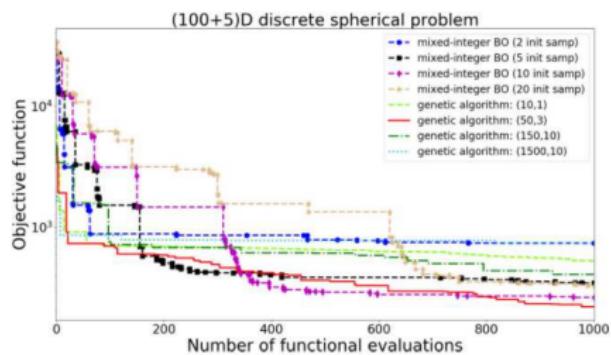


Figure: Comparison against GA.

(Fractal) mechanical metamaterials/AM (4d+5d) (mixed-integer)



Figure: Hierarchical multiscale structure of octahedral (second-order). Printed in Georgia Tech Invention Studio.

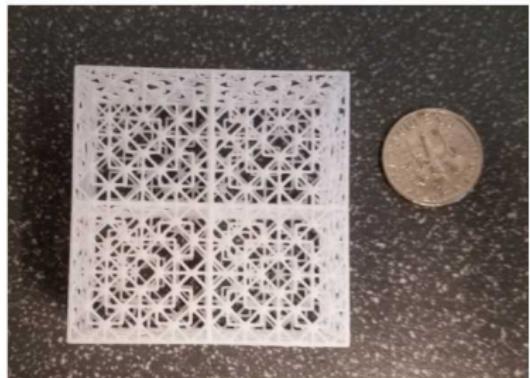


Figure: Design optimization of fractal cube. Printed in Georgia Tech Invention Studio.

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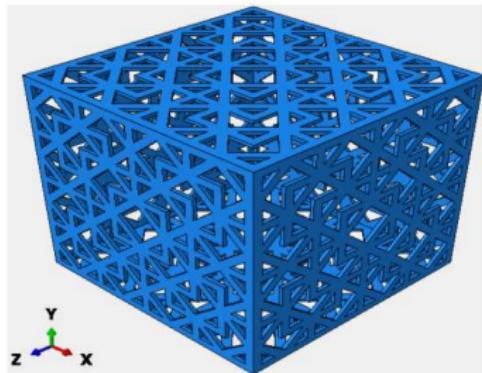


Figure: Parametric design.

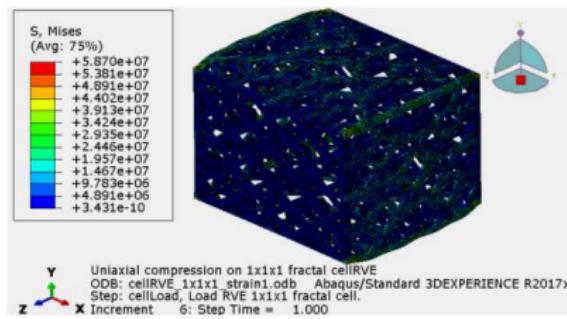


Figure: ABAQUS FEA.

Impeller design optimization using CFD (33d) (pBO-2GP-3B: parallel + blind constraints)

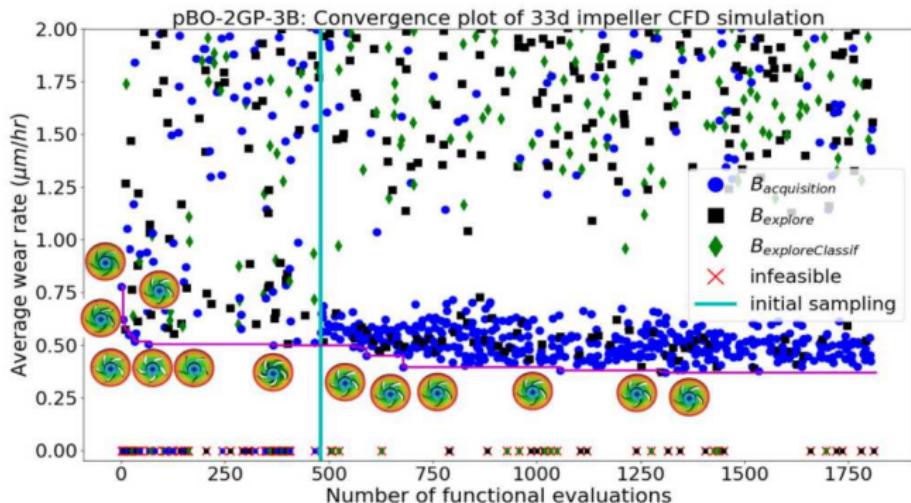


Figure: Multiphase CFD simulation for design optimization of 33d slurry pump impeller: Convergence plot .

Materials Design

process-
structure-
property linkage
in materials

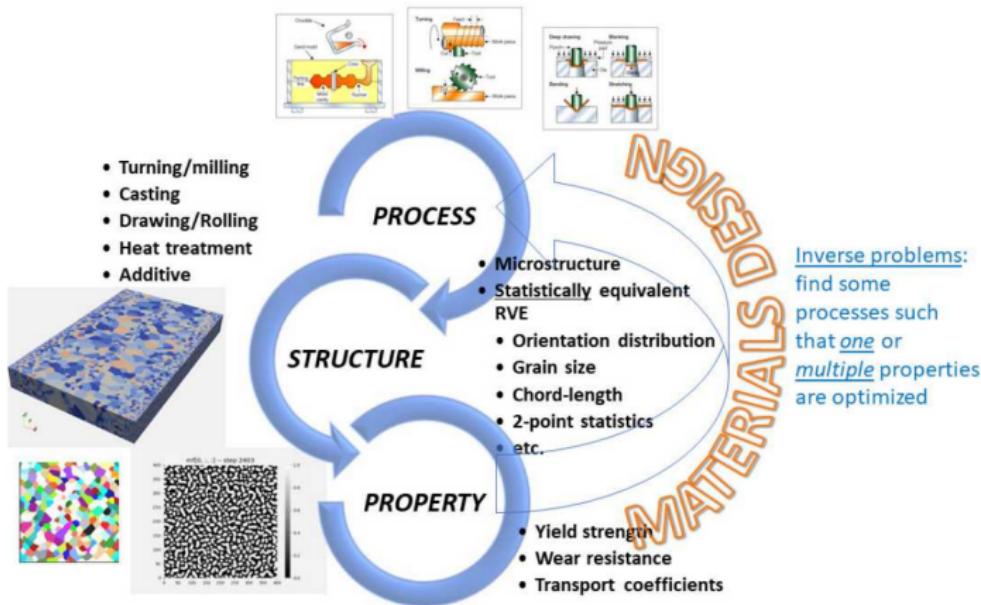


Figure: Process-Structure-Property linkage.

Conclusion

This talk: **multi-objective** Bayesian optimization

- an uncertain Pareto classifier is proposed
- augment the acquisition function to help convergence on Pareto frontier
- design engineering and materials science applications

Thank you for listening.