



Thesis projects in radial basis function approximation

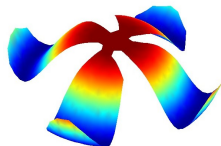
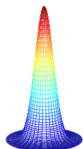
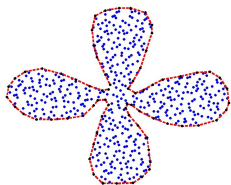
Radial basis function approximation

Given a PDE $\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = \mathcal{L}u$
a domain Ω of any shape
and scattered nodes x_j

$$\text{Let } u = \sum_{j=1}^N \lambda_j(t) \phi(\|x - x_j\|)$$

Project suggestions

- ▶ Fractional derivatives and jump processes in finance
- ▶ Adaptive RBF-partition of unity methods



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Thesis projects in task parallel programming

Task parallel programming

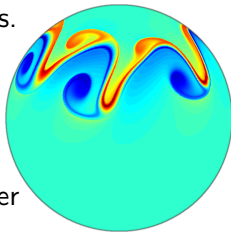
Main idea: Make it easy to write efficient, portable, parallel software.

Code: Write sequential code in terms of tasks with data accesses.

Execution: A run-time system infers data dependencies and schedules tasks to cores.

Potential implementation projects

- ▶ Parallel SVD kernel
- ▶ Partition of unity shallow water solver
- ▶ Radial basis function library



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