

# The Fast Newton Transform: Multivariate Interpolation in Downward Closed Spaces

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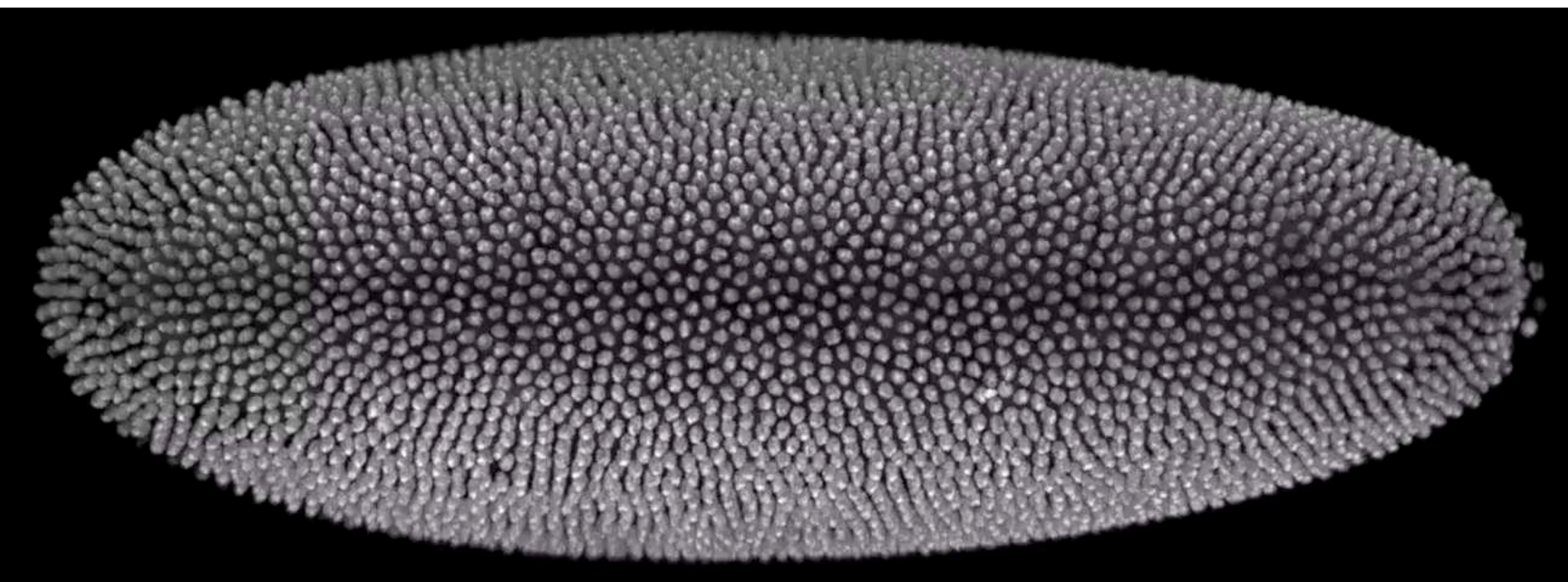
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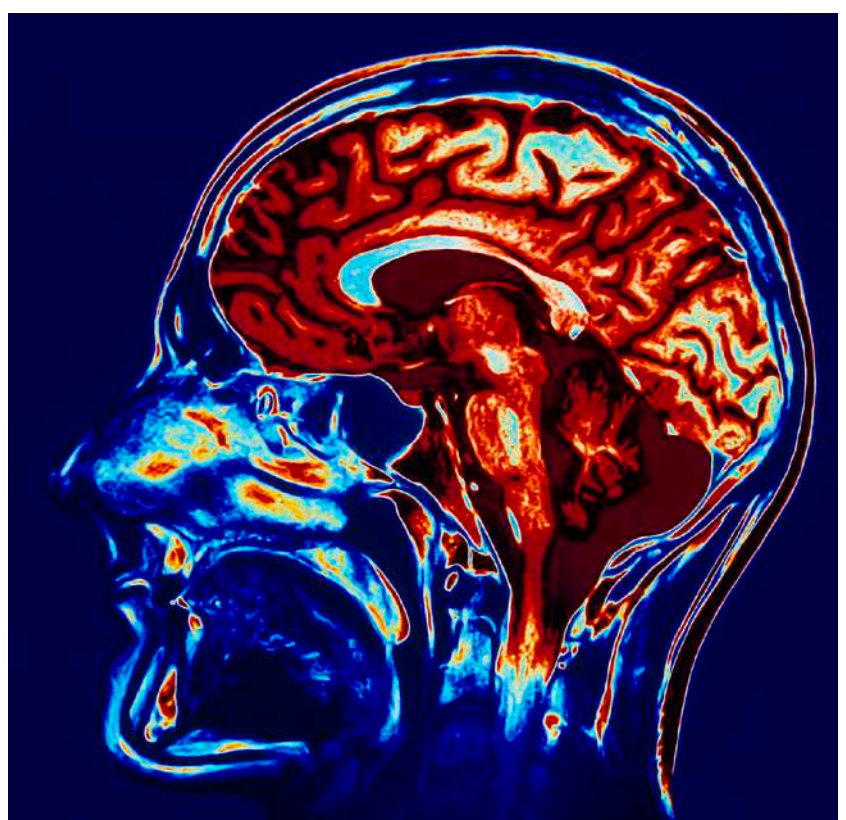


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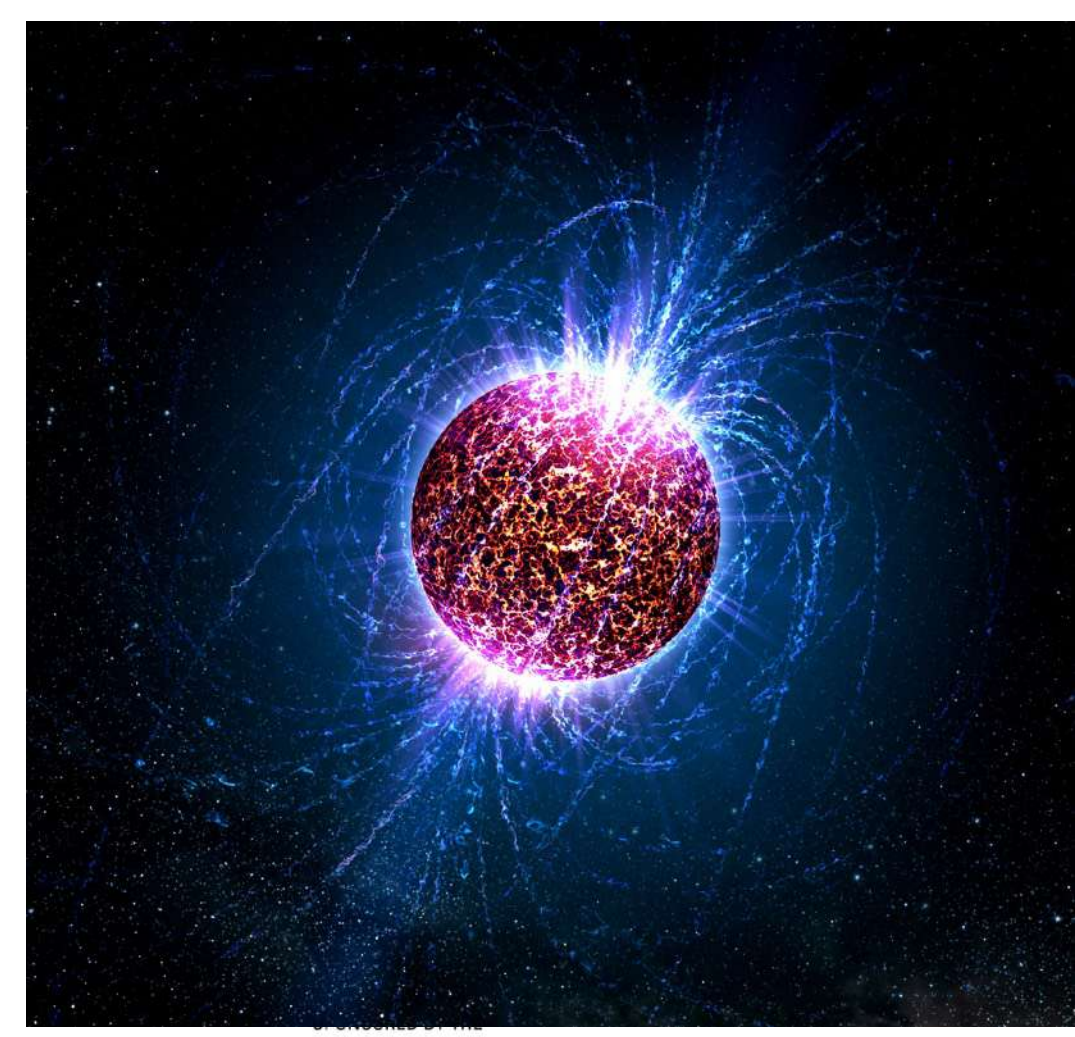
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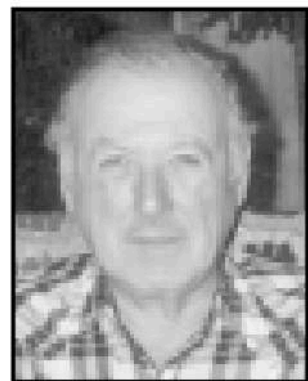


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# The Best of the 20th Century: Editors Name Top 10 Algorithms

By Barry A. Cipra



James Cooley

**1965:** James Cooley of the IBM T.J. Watson Research Center and John Tukey of Princeton University and AT&T Bell Laboratories unveil the **fast Fourier transform**.

Easily the most far-reaching algorithm in applied mathematics, the FFT revolutionized signal processing. The underlying idea goes back to Gauss (who needed to calculate orbits of asteroids), but it was the Cooley–Tukey paper that made it clear how easily Fourier transforms can be computed. Like Quicksort, the FFT relies on a divide-and-conquer strategy to reduce an ostensibly  $O(N^2)$  chore to an  $O(N \log N)$  frolic. But unlike Quicksort, the implementation is (at first sight) nonintuitive and less than straightforward. This in itself gave computer science an impetus to investigate the inherent complexity of computational problems and algorithms.



John Tukey

**1987:** Leslie Greengard and Vladimir Rokhlin of Yale University invent the **fast multipole algorithm**.

This algorithm overcomes one of the biggest headaches of  $N$ -body simulations: the fact that accurate calculations of the motions of  $N$  particles interacting via gravitational or electrostatic forces (think stars in a galaxy, or atoms in a protein) would seem to require  $O(N^2)$  computations—one for each pair of particles. The fast multipole algorithm gets by with  $O(N)$  computations. It does so by using multipole expansions (net charge or mass, dipole moment, quadrupole, and so forth) to approximate the effects of a distant group of particles on a local group. A hierarchical decomposition of space is used to define ever-larger groups as distances increase. One of the distinct advantages of the fast multipole algorithm is that it comes equipped with rigorous error estimates, a feature that many methods lack.

Dongarra, J. and F. Sullivan (2000). Top ten algorithms of the century. *Computing in Science and Engineering* 2(1), 22–23.

What new insights and algorithms will the 21st century bring? The complete answer obviously won't be known for another hundred years. One thing seems certain, however. As Sullivan writes in the introduction to the top-10 list, "The new century is not going to be very restful for us, but it is not going to be dull either!"

# How to compute Multivariate Function Expansions that closely approximate the ground truth function and its derivatives FAST ?

## Geometric approximation rates of Fourier expansions for analytic periodic functions (FFT)

$$\theta(z) \approx \theta_n(z) = \sum_{\|\alpha\|_\infty \leq n} c_\alpha e^{2\pi i \alpha \cdot z}, \quad \|\theta - \theta_n\|_{C^0(\Omega)} = \mathcal{O}(r^{-n}), \quad r > 1$$

Gauss, C. F. (1886). *Theoria interpolationis methodo nova tractata* Werke band 3, 265–327. Göttingen: Königliche Gesellschaft der Wissenschaften.  
Cooley, J. W., & Tukey, J. W. (1965). An algorithm for the machine calculation of complex Fourier series. *Mathematics of computation*

## Geometric approximation rates of the Coulomb / Gravitation field expansion in (FMM)s

$$\phi(z) \approx \phi_n(z) = Q \log(z) + \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{a_k}{z^k}, \quad \|\phi - \phi_n\|_{C^0(\Omega)} = \mathcal{O}(|z|^{-n}), \quad |z| > 1.$$

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## Limitations

Periodicity of FFTs !

Quadratic decay of the Coulomb field in FMMs !

**NO RESISTANCE** to the Curse of Dimensionality !

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Nick Trefethen

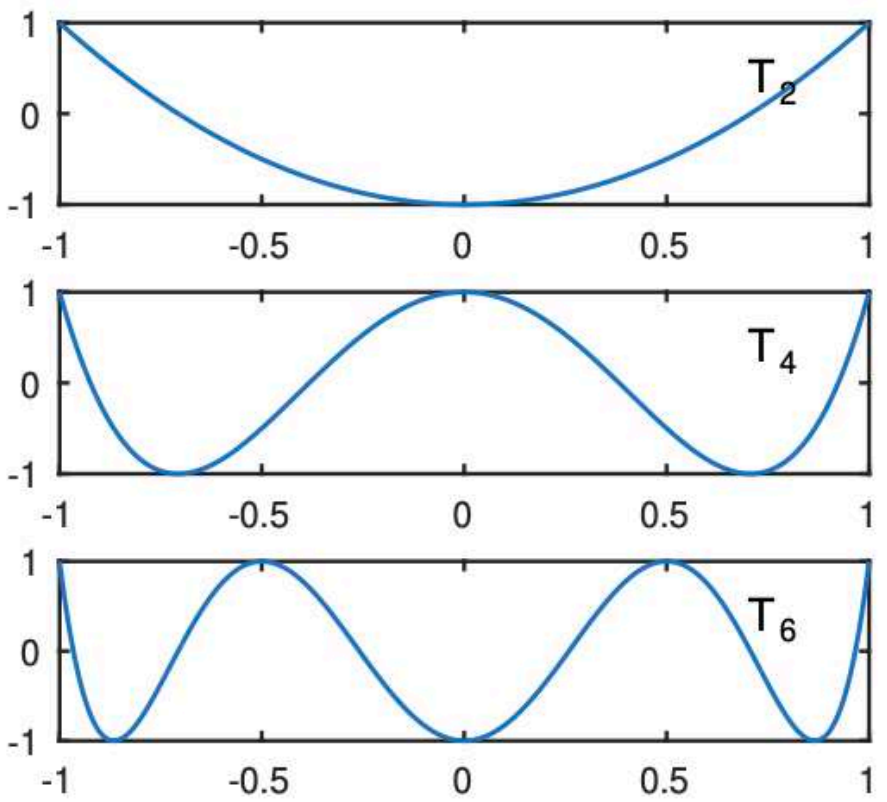
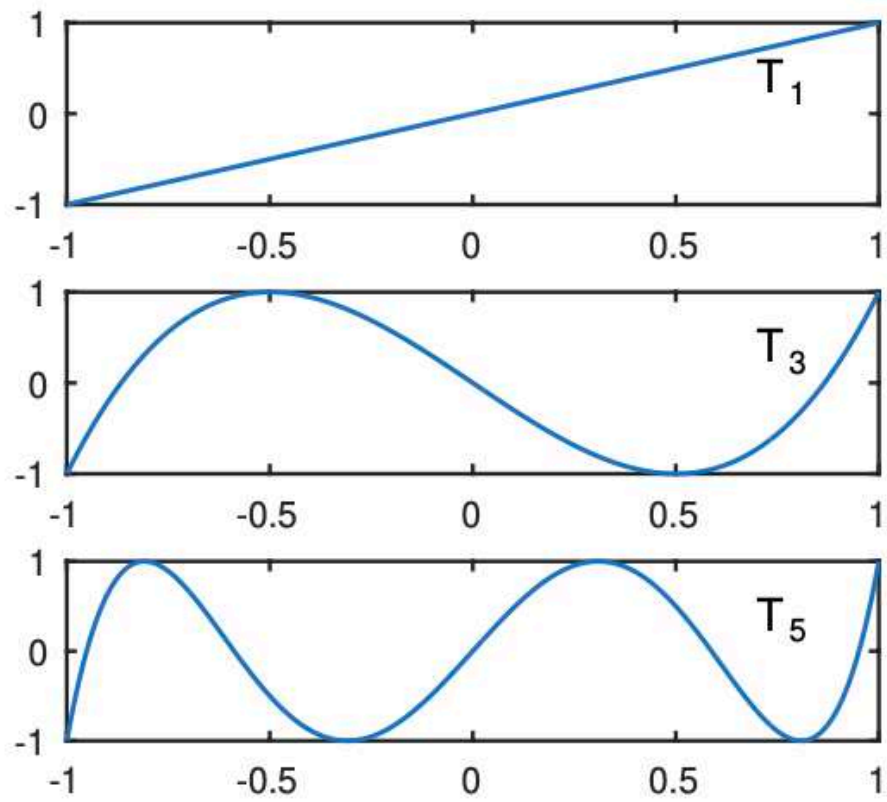


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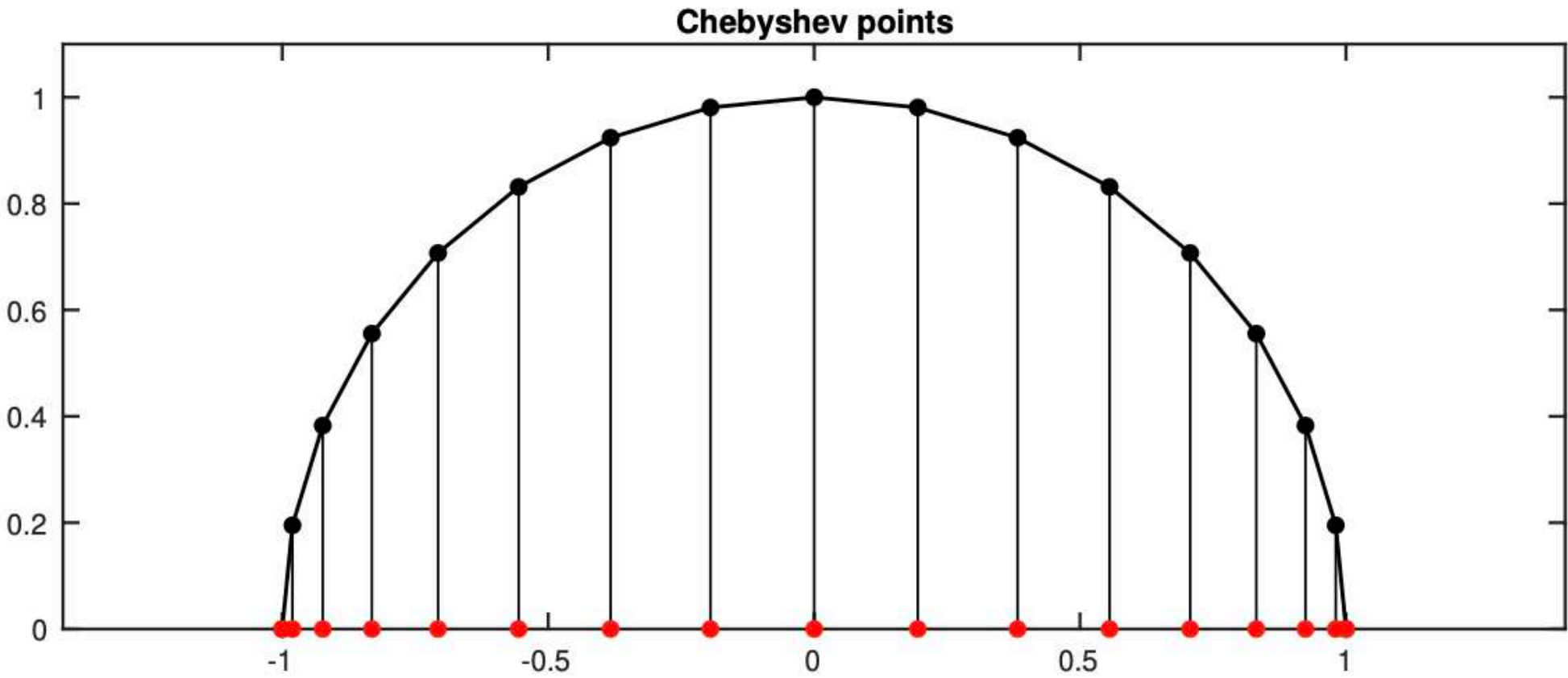


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”By the change of variables  $x = \cos(\theta)$ , one can show that interpolation by polynomials in Chebyshev points is equivalent to interpolation of periodic functions by series of sines and cosines in equispaced points. The latter is the subject of discrete Fourier analysis, and one cannot help noting that whereas there is widespread suspicion that it is not safe to compute with polynomials, nobody worries about the Fast Fourier Transform! In the end, that this may be the biggest difference between Fourier and polynomial interpolants, the difference in their reputations.” (Trefethen, 2019).



(a)  $T_k$  for degree  $n = 1, \dots, 6$



(b) Chebyshev-Lobatto points of order 17.

Figure 1: Chebyshev polynomials of first kind and Chebyshev-Lobatto points, from Trefethen (2019).

# Polynomials are not feasible for computations ?!

## Geometric approximation of analytic functions in 1D

**Theorem:** Let  $f : [-1,1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ,  $p_n^*$  its best polynomial approximation of degree  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then

$$\|f - p_n^*\|_\infty = \mathcal{O}(\rho^{-n}), \quad \rho > 1$$

if and only if,  $f$  is the restriction of a function  $F : E_\rho \subset \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  holomorphic in the open *Bernstein ellipse*  $E_\rho$ .  
Consequently,

$$\|f - Q_n\|_\infty = \mathcal{O}(\rho^{-n+1}), \quad \rho > 1$$

applies for the resulting interpolant  $Q_n$  in *Chebyshev-Lobatto-nodes*. **Moreover**, even the  $k$ -th order derivatives are approximated as

$$\|f^{(k)} - Q_n^{(k)}\|_\infty = \mathcal{O}_\varepsilon(\rho^{-n+1}) = \mathcal{O}((\rho - \varepsilon)^{-n+1}), \quad \rho > \varepsilon > 0.$$



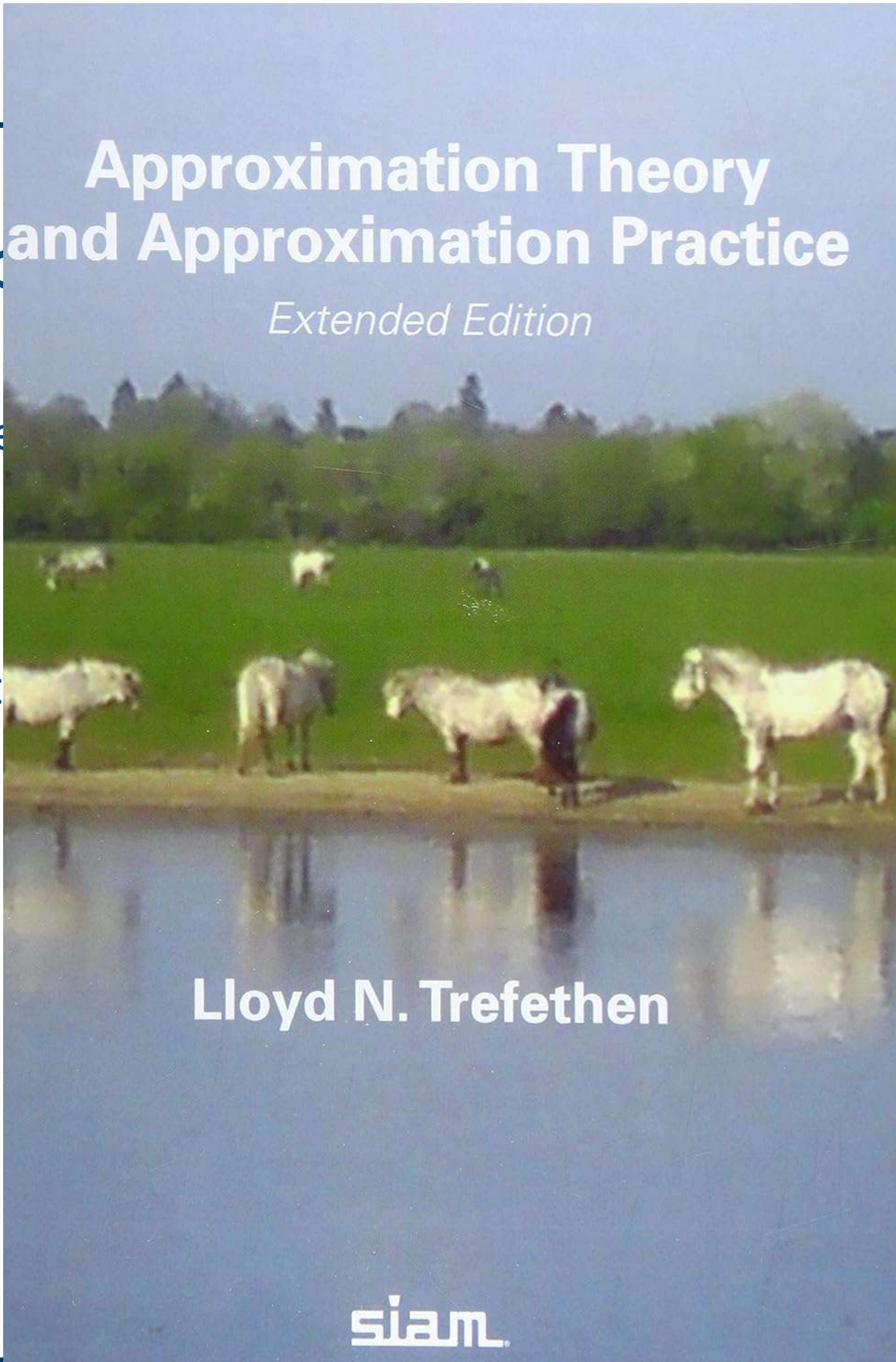
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## Functions in 1D

$\in \mathbb{N}$ . Then

open Bernstein ellipse  $E_\rho$ .

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when the  $k$ -th order derivatives are

$$(\rho - \varepsilon)^{-n+1}), \quad \rho > \varepsilon > 0.$$

# The framework in mD

## Hypercube

$$\square_m = [-1, 1]^m, m = \dim$$

## Downward closed polynomial space

$$\Pi_A = \text{span}\{x^\alpha : \alpha \in A\}, \text{ where } A \text{ is downward closed, i.e, whenever } \beta_i \leq \alpha_i, \forall i = 1, \dots, m, \alpha \in A \implies \beta \in A$$

## $l_p$ -degree spaces

$$A_{m,n,p} = \{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^m : \|\alpha\|_p \leq n\}, \text{ with } total (p = 1), \text{ Euclidean } (p = 2), \text{ and } maximum \text{ degree } (p = \infty), \text{ being crucial.}$$

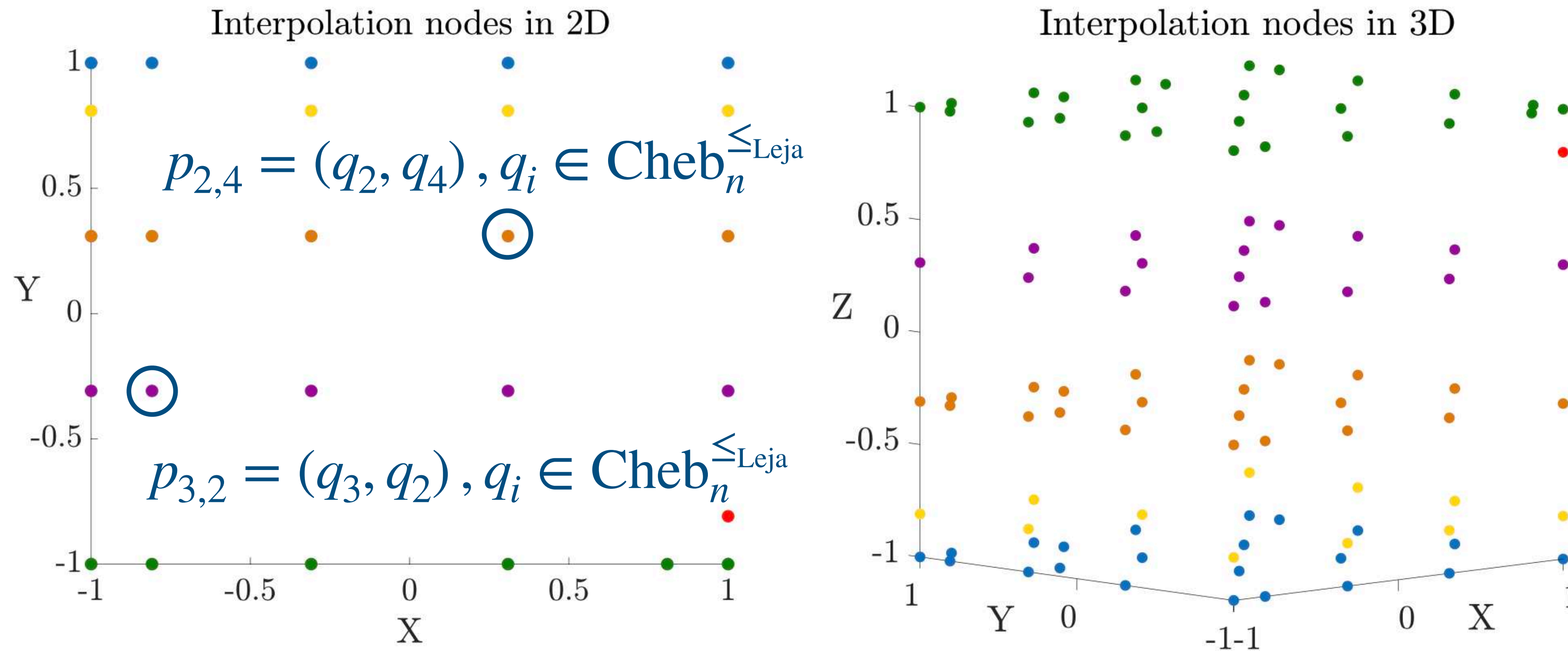
## Unisolvent interpolation nodes

$$P_A = \{p_\alpha = (p_{\alpha_1}, \dots, p_{\alpha_m}) : \alpha \in A, p_{\alpha_i} \in P_i\}, \text{ where } P_i = \{p_0, \dots, p_n\} \subseteq [-1, 1], i = 1, \dots, m.$$

## Leja-ordered Chebyshev-Lobatto (LCL) nodes

$$\text{Cheb}_n^{\leq \text{Leja}} = \left\{ \cos\left(\frac{k\pi}{n}\right) : 0 \leq k \leq n \right\}^{\leq \text{Leja}}, P_i = \text{Cheb}_n^{\leq \text{Leja}}, i = 1, \dots, m.$$

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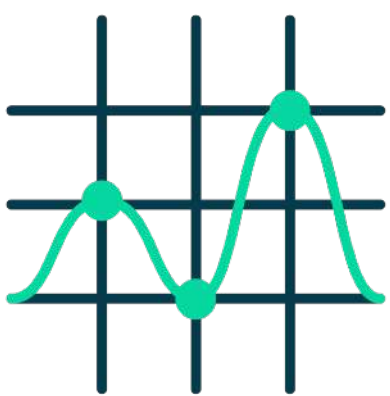
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Sir Isaac Newton  
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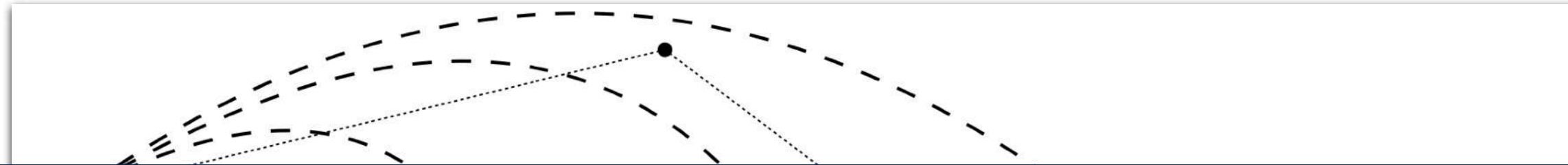
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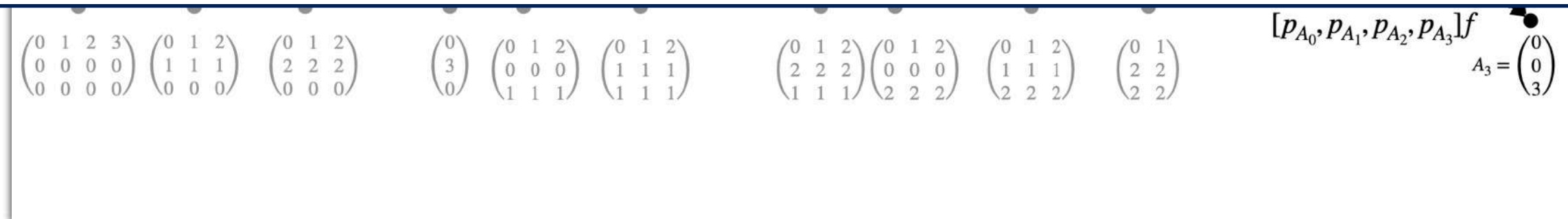


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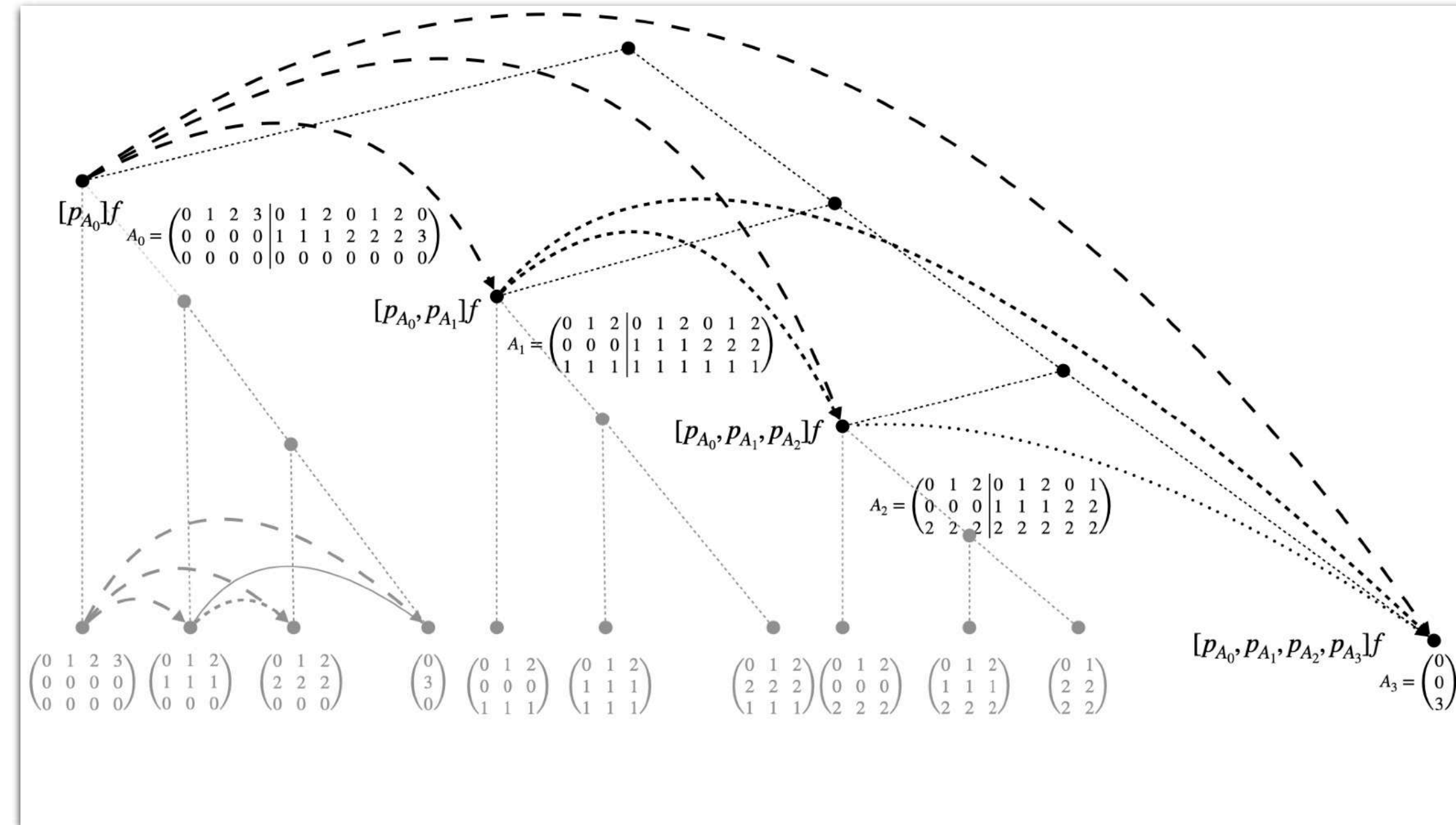
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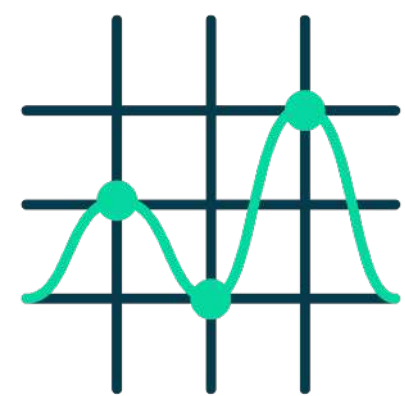
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## minterpy applications

- PDE solvers & numerical differential geometry,
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# How powerful is lp-degree Chebyshev expansion ?

**Trefethen's Theorem** If  $f : \square_m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is analytic in the **Trefethen domain**

$$N_{m,\rho} = \left\{ (z_1, \dots, z_m) \in \mathbb{C}^m : (z_1^2 + \dots + z_m^2) \in E_{m,h^2}^2 \right\} \subseteq \mathbb{C}^m,$$

where  $E_{m,h^2}^2$  is the **Newton ellipse** with foci 0 and  $m$  and leftmost point  $-h^2$ ,  $h \in [0,1]$ . Then the truncation  $\mathcal{T}_{A_{m,n,p}}(f)$

of the Chebyshev series  $f(x) = \sum_{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}} c_\alpha T_\alpha(x)$ ,  $c_\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $T_\alpha(x) = \prod_{i=1}^m T_{\alpha_i}(x_i)$ ,  $\mathcal{T}_{A_{m,n,p}}(f) = \sum_{\alpha \in A_{m,n,p}} c_\alpha T_\alpha(x)$ , to  $\Pi_{A_{m,n,p}}$

yields the errors

$$\|f - \mathcal{T}_{A_{m,n,p}}(f)\|_{C^0(\Omega)} = \begin{cases} \mathcal{O}_\varepsilon(\rho^{-n/\sqrt{m}}) & p = 1 \\ \mathcal{O}_\varepsilon(\rho^{-n}) & p = 2 \\ \mathcal{O}_\varepsilon(\rho^{-n}) & p = \infty \end{cases}, \quad \rho = h + \sqrt{1 + h^2} > 1.$$

$$|A_{m,n,1}| = \binom{m+n}{m} \in \mathcal{O}(m^n) \quad |A_{m,n,2}| \approx \frac{(n+1)^m}{\sqrt{\pi m}} \left(\frac{\pi e}{2m}\right)^{m/2} \in o(n^m) \quad |A_{m,n,\infty}| = (n+1)^m \in \mathcal{O}(m^n)$$

**total degree**
**Euclidean degree**
**maximum degree**

# Is the converse also true ?

**Trefethen's Conjecture:** If  $f : \square_m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  possesses a polynomial approximation of geometric rate

$$\|f - p_n^*\|_\infty = \mathcal{O}(\rho^{-n}) .$$

Then  $f$  can be analytically extended to  $N_{m,\rho}$ .

**Bos–Levenberg Theorem:** Let  $f : K \rightarrow \mathbb{C}, K \subseteq \mathbb{C}^m$ , PL-regular  $\Pi_n = \Pi(nP), P$  is a convex body. Then

$$\|f - p_n^*\|_{C^0(\Omega)} \lesssim \rho^{-n}, \quad \rho = \rho(P), \quad \iff \quad f = F|_K \text{ with } F \text{ holomorphic in } \Omega_\rho,$$

where the **Bos-Levenberg domain**  $\Omega_\rho = \{z \in \mathbb{C}^m : |Q(z)| < \log(\rho), \text{ for all } Q \in \Pi(nP), \|Q|_K\|_\infty \leq 1\} \subset \mathbb{C}^m$  is precompact.

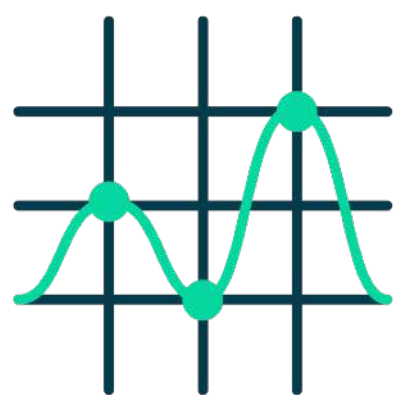
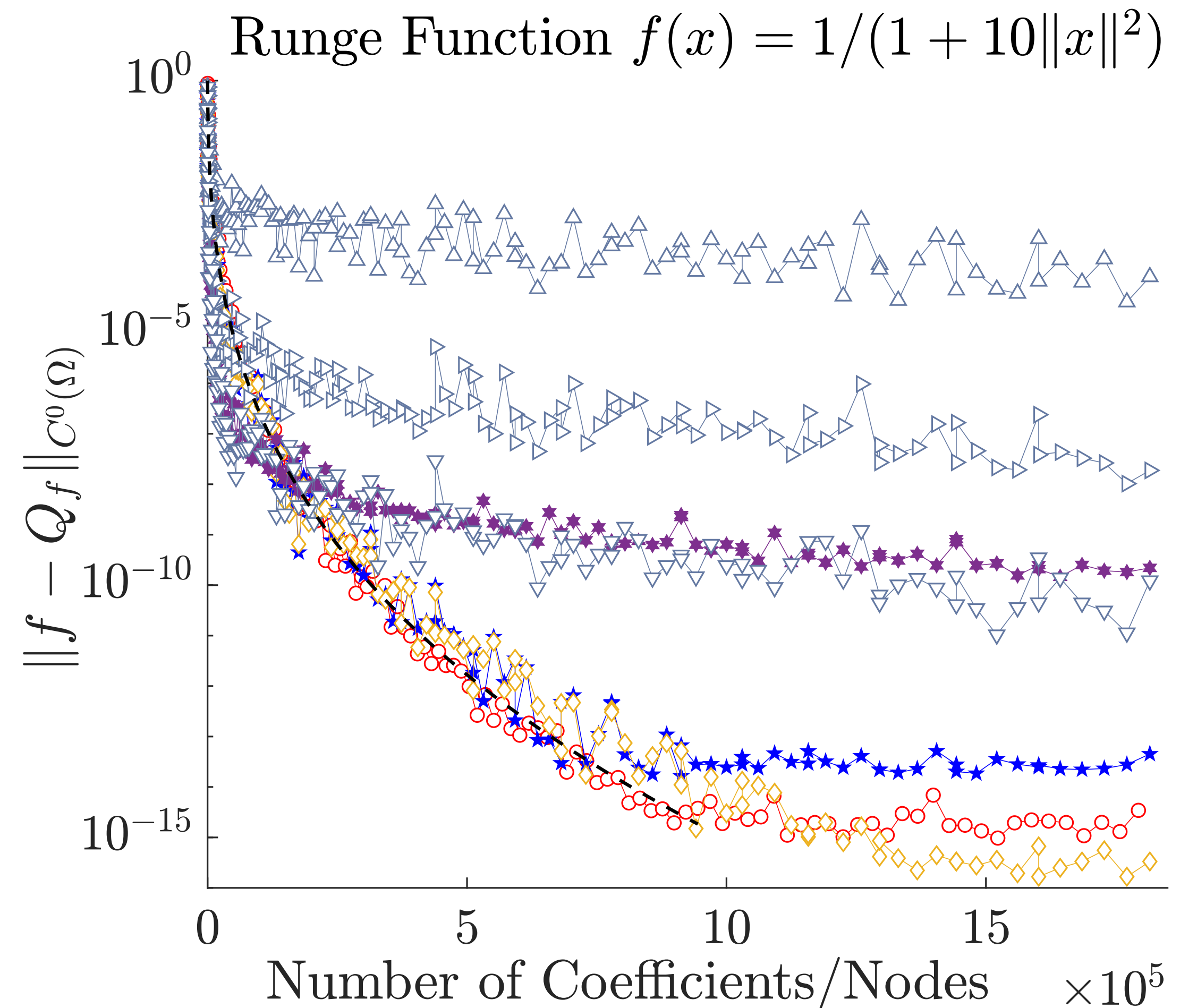
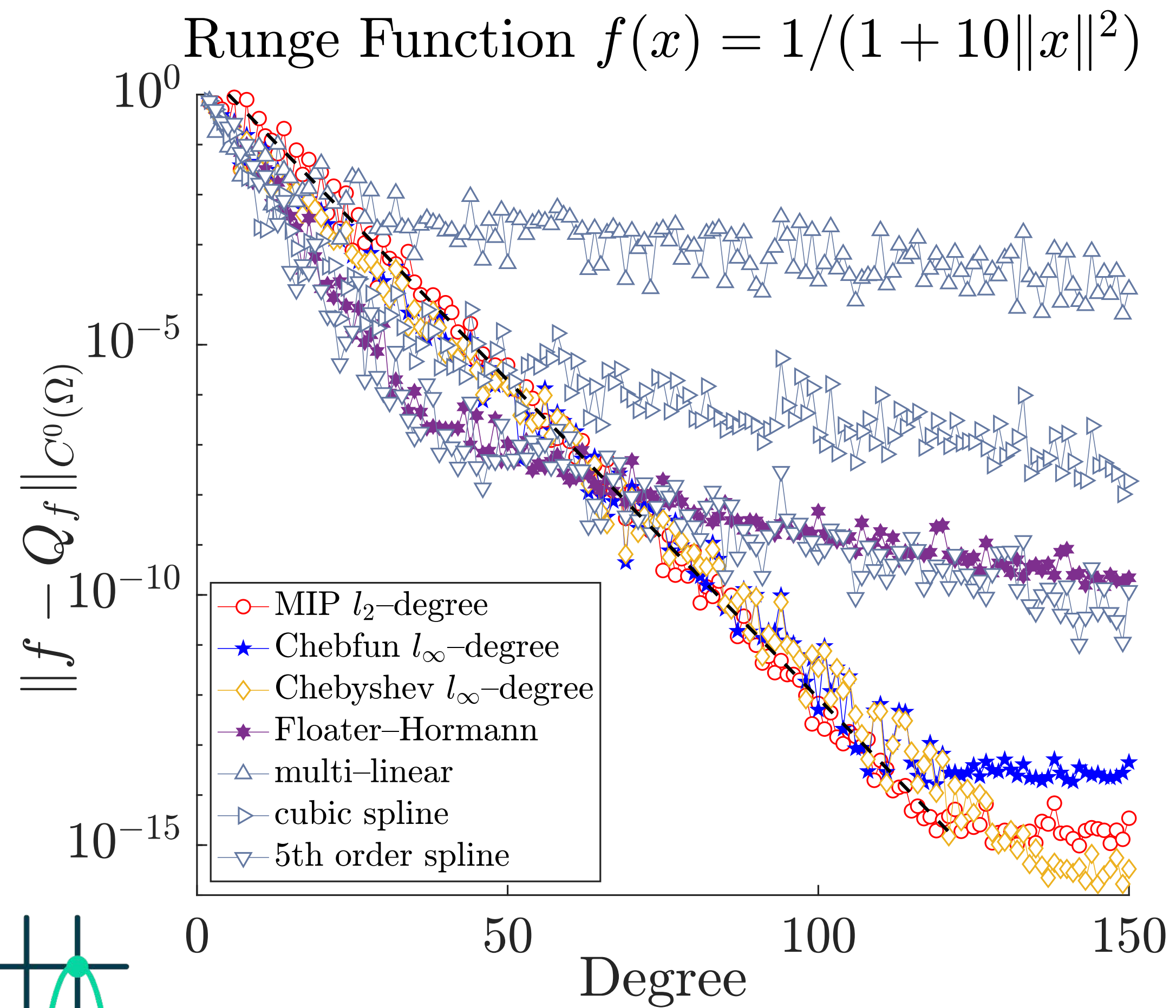
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**Theorem:** Let  $f : \square_m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, f = F|_{\square_m}, F$  holomorphic in  $\Omega_\rho, \Pi_n = \Pi_{m,n,p} (P = A_{m,n,p})$  and  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then

$$\|f - Q_n\|_{C^k(\square_m)} = \mathcal{O}_\varepsilon(\rho^{-n}), \quad \rho = \rho_p,$$

where  $Q_n = Q_{f,P_{A_{m,n,p}}}$  is the interpolant of  $f$  in LCL-nodes.

# Interpolating the Runge function in 3D

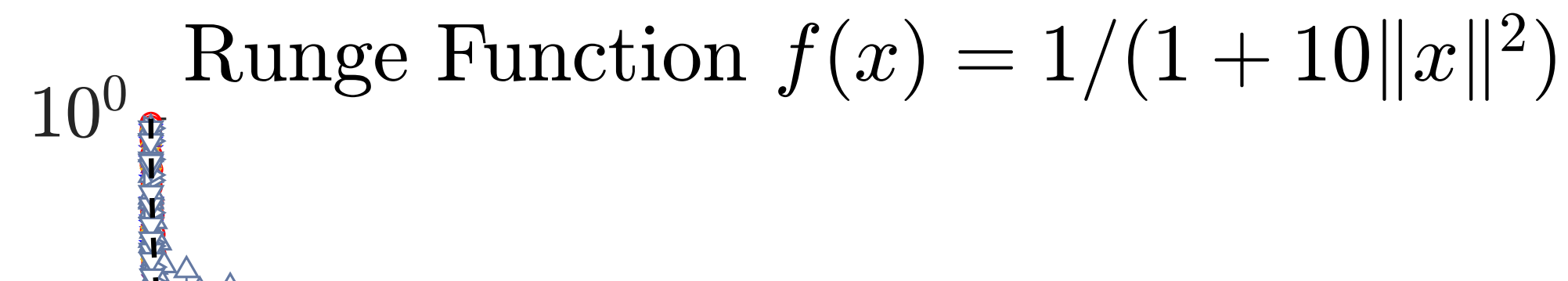
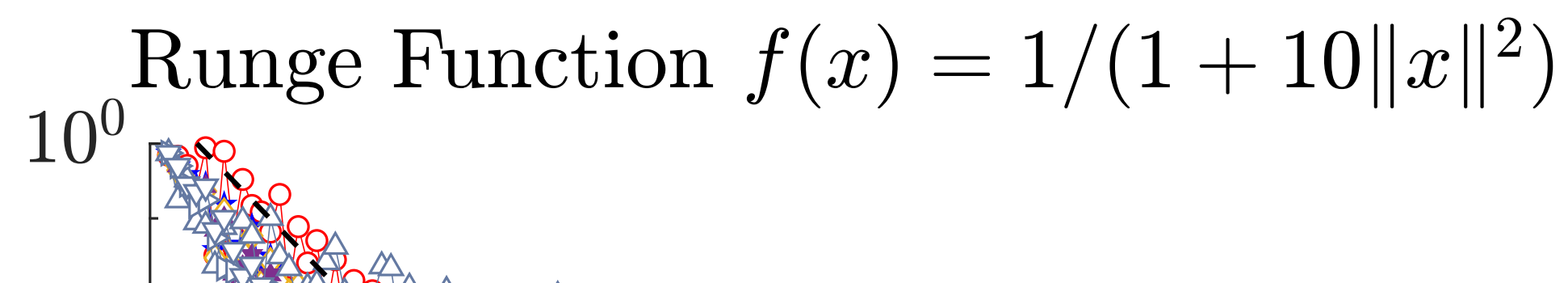


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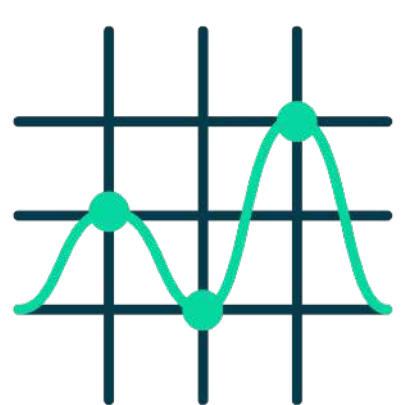
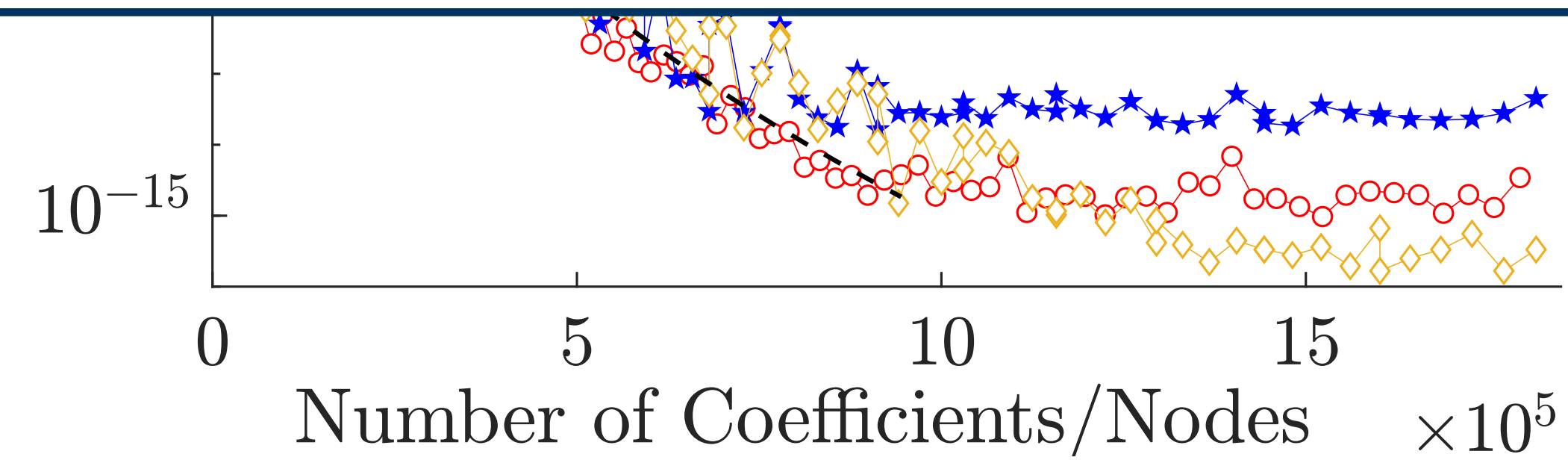
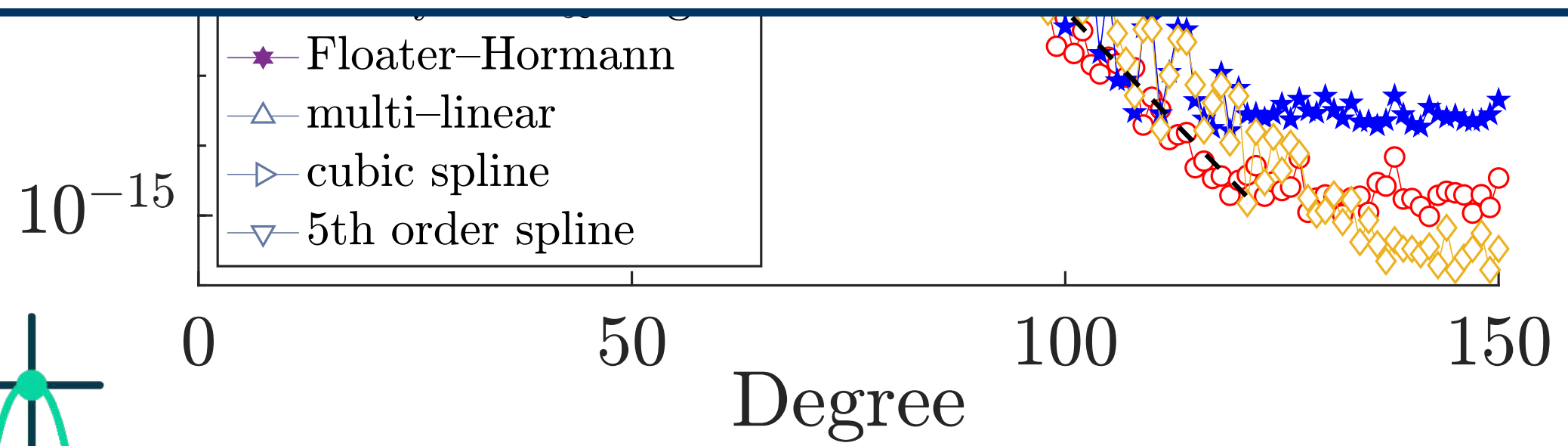
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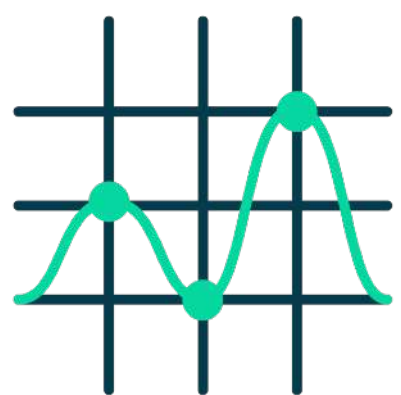
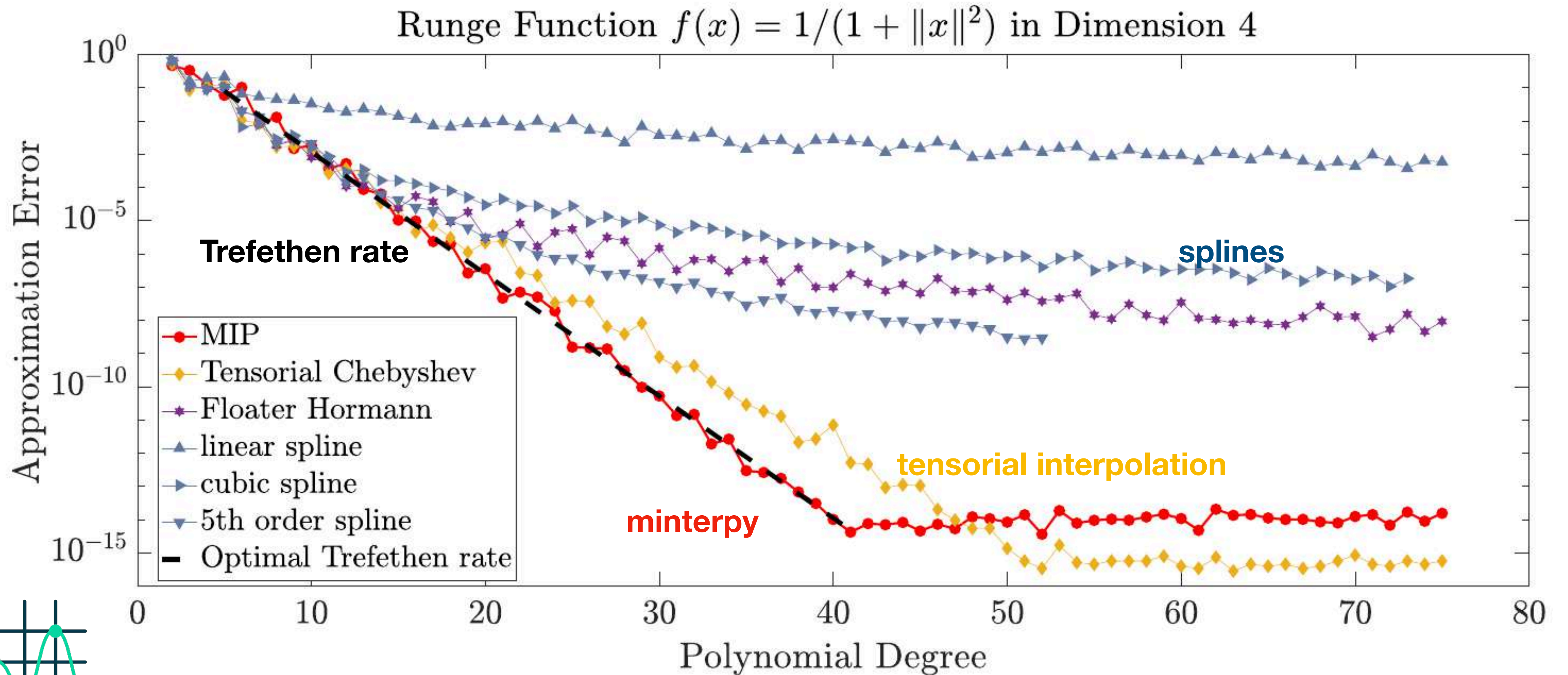
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**Consequence:** The Runge function  $f : \square_m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ,  $f(x) = \frac{1}{1 + r^2\|x\|^2}$  has best approximation  $p_n^* \in \Pi_{m,n,p}$  of rate

$$\|f - p_n^*\|_\infty = \mathcal{O}(\rho^{-n}), \quad \rho = \begin{cases} \frac{h + \sqrt{h^2 + m}}{\sqrt{m}} & , \text{if } p = 1 \\ h + \sqrt{h^2 + 1} & , \text{if } 2 \leq p \leq \infty \end{cases}, \quad h = 1/r$$


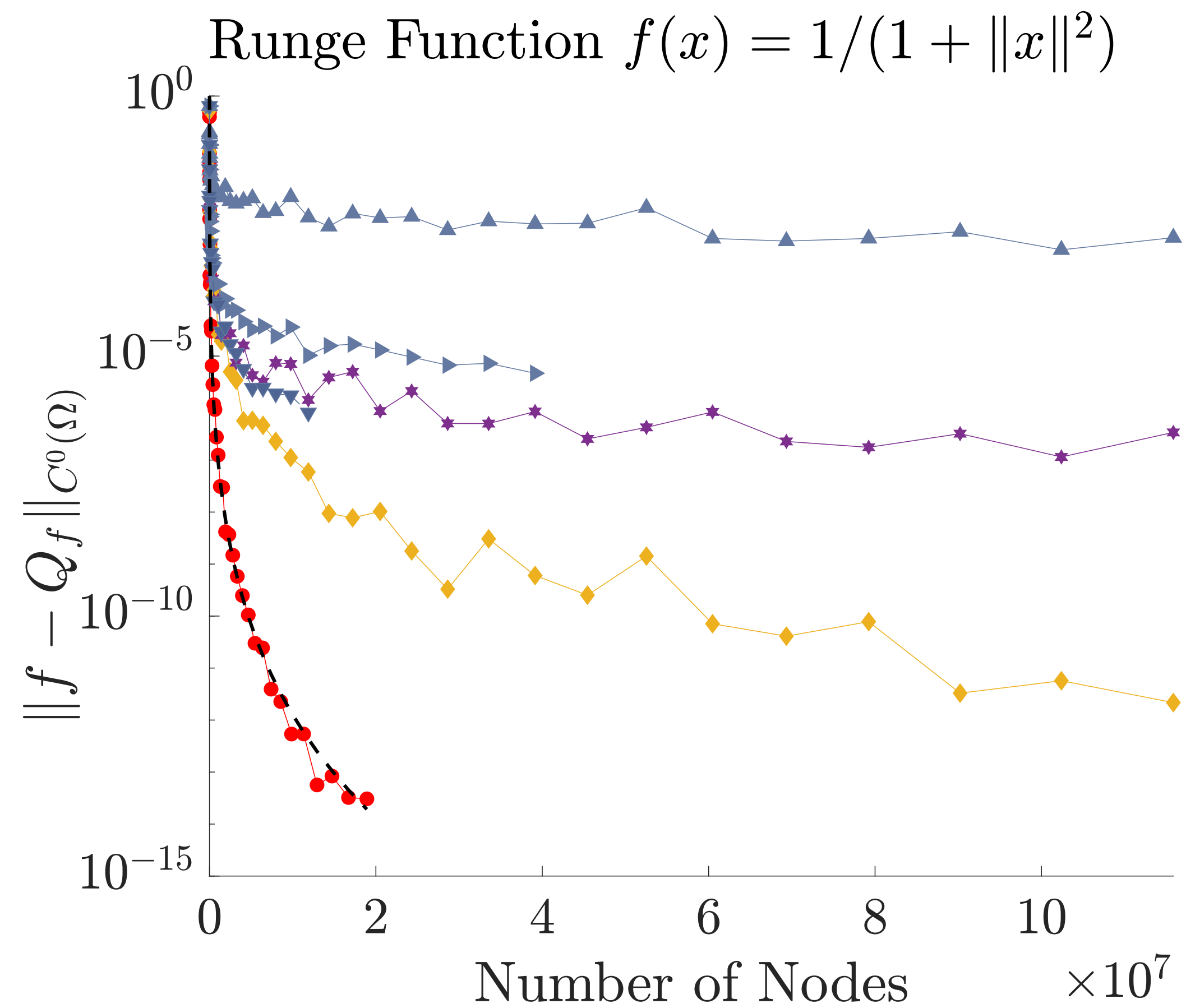
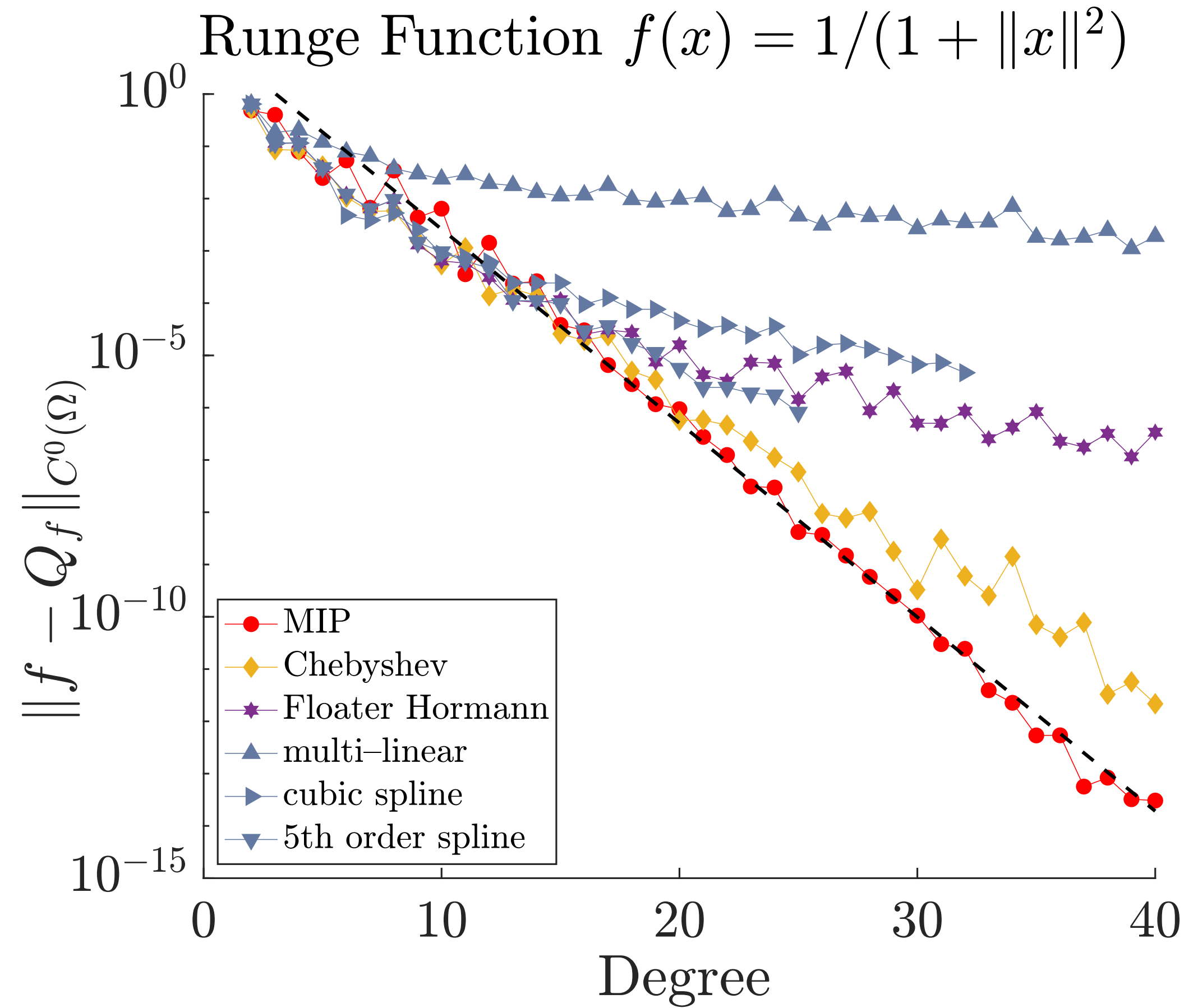
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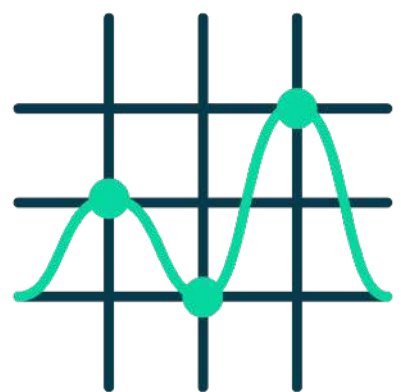
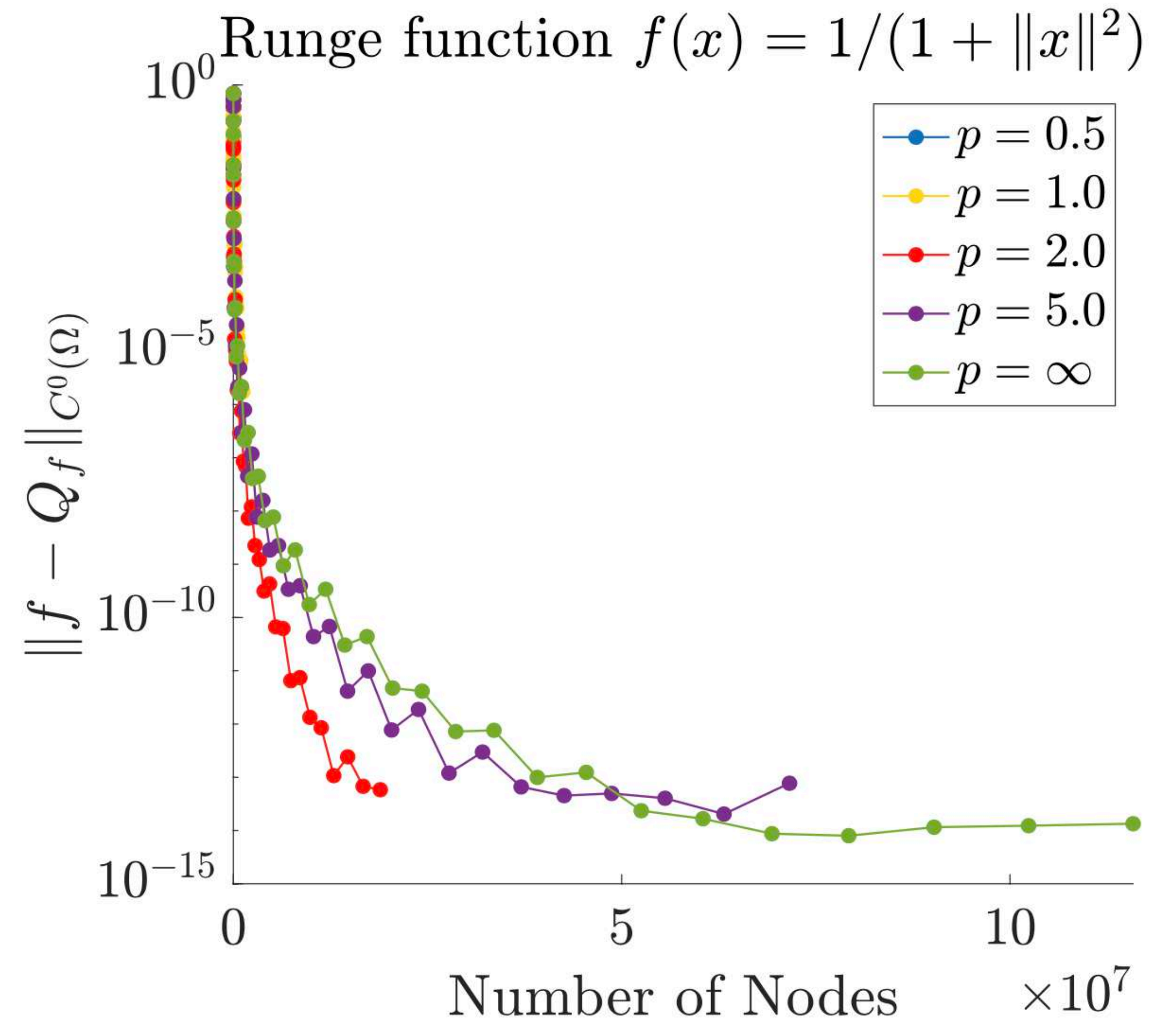
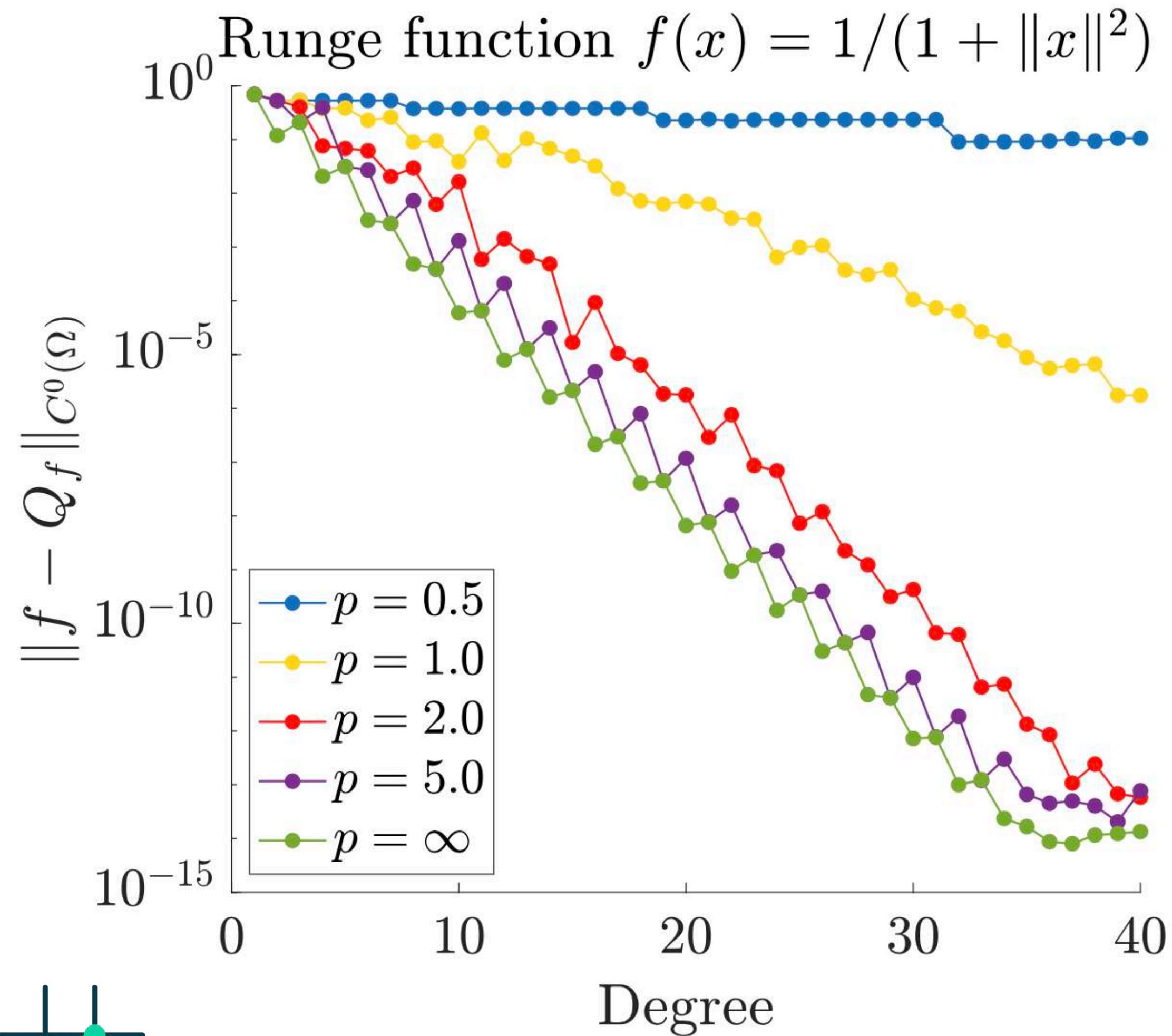
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# $l_p$ -degree interpolation in dimension $m = 5$



function	dim	fit range	$\rho_{\text{MIP}}$	$c$	$\rho$
$f_R(x) = 1/(1 + 10\ x\ ^2)$	2	2 ~ 121	1.35	4.30	1.365
$f_R(x) = 1/(1 + 10\ x\ ^2)$	3	2 ~ 121	1.34	4.41	1.365
$f_R(x) = 1/(1 + 1\ x\ ^2)$	4	2 ~ 40	2.33	5.40	2.41
$f_R(x) = 1/(1 + 1\ x\ ^2)$	5	2 ~ 40	2.35	13.37	2.41

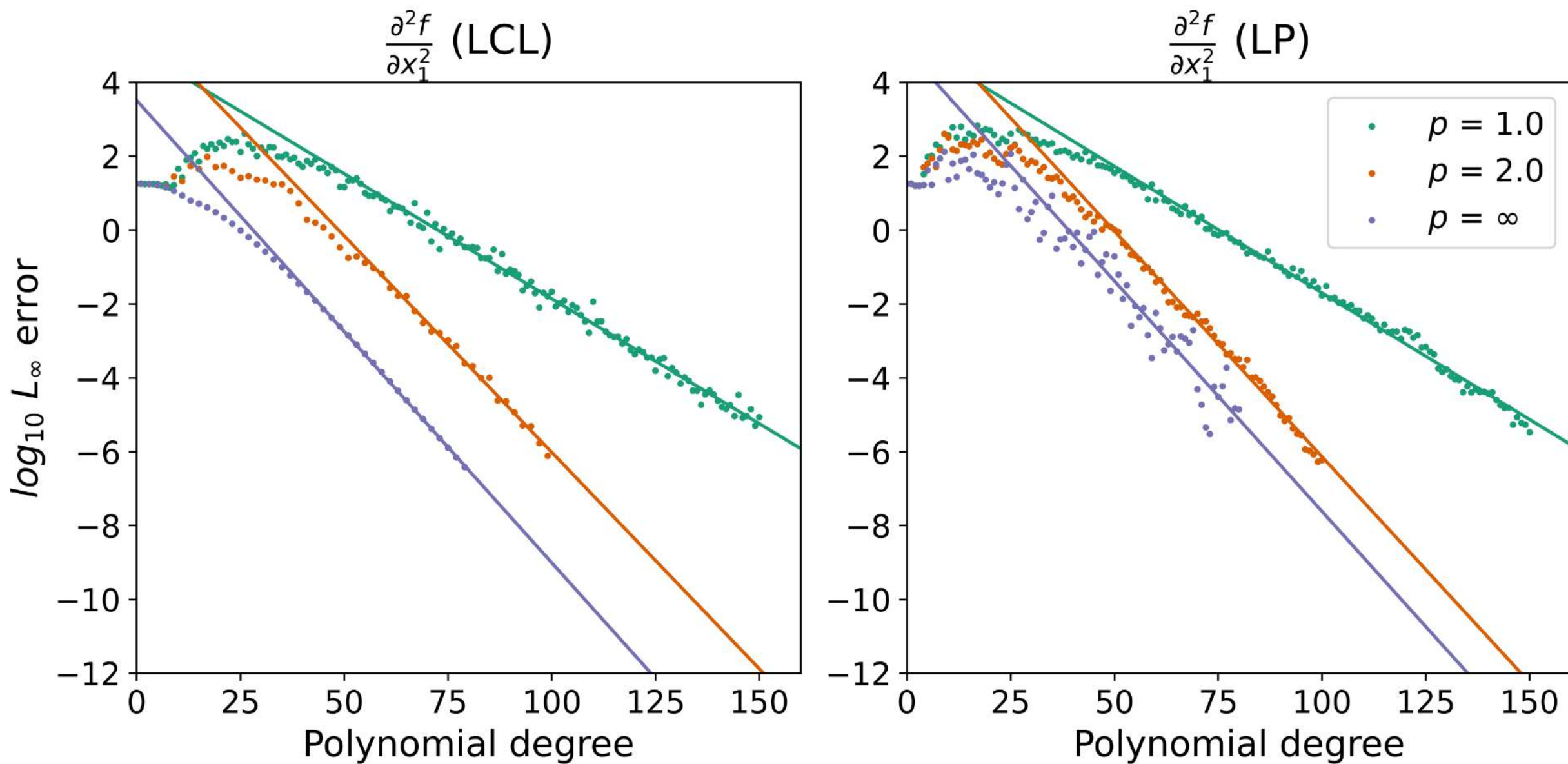
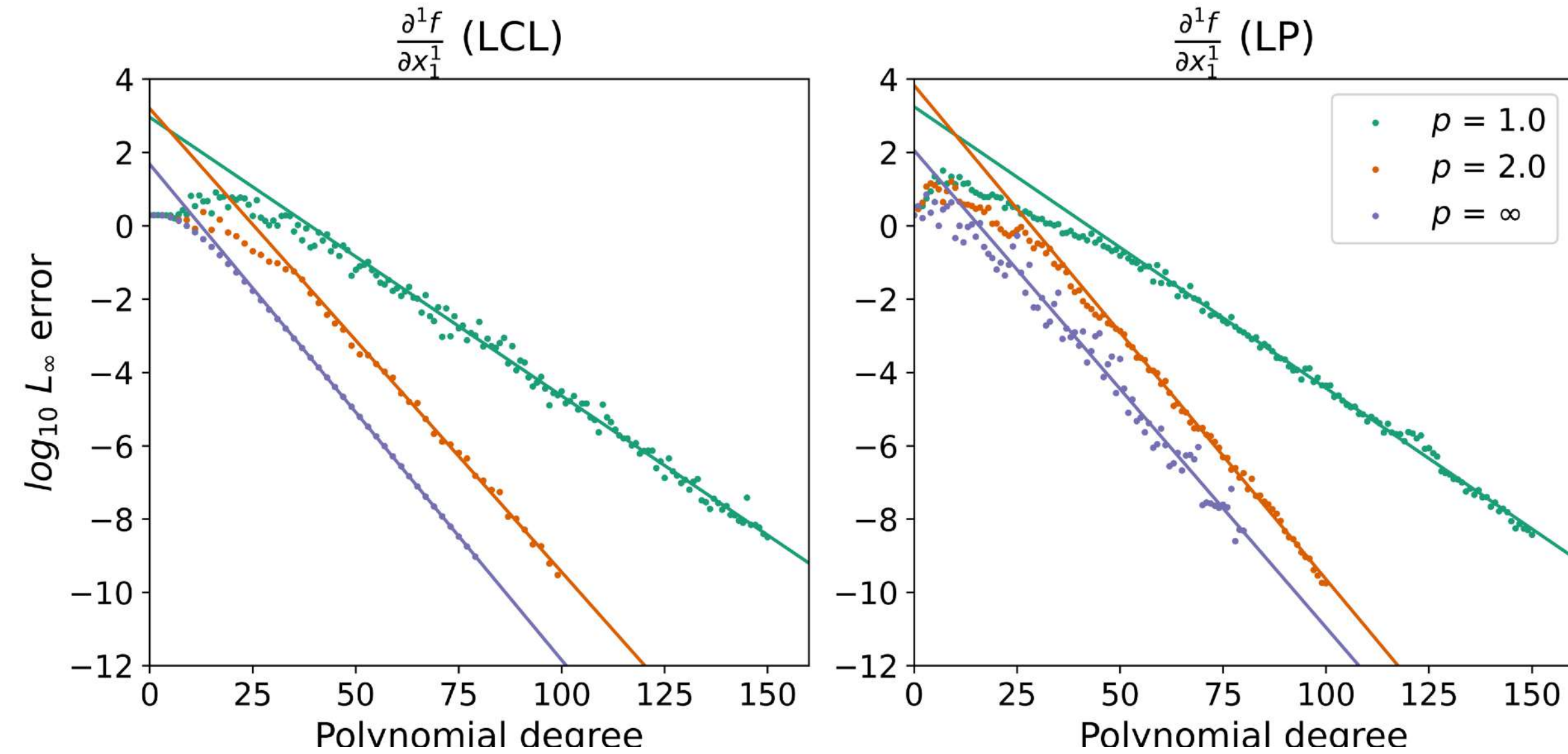
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# Differentiation of the Runge function



$r$	$p$	$m=2$		$m=3$		$m=4$	
		LCL	LP	LCL	LP	LCL	LP
1	1.0	1.911	1.896	1.700	1.703	1.585	1.584
	2.0	2.332	2.351	2.313	2.353	2.303	2.360
	$\infty$	2.408	2.349	2.412	2.359	2.408	2.371
3	1.0	1.252	1.255	1.201	1.204	1.175	1.169
	2.0	1.360	1.373	1.370	1.375	1.293	1.303
	$\infty$	<b>1.387</b>	1.372	<b>1.387</b>	1.367	1.367	1.346
5	1.0	1.145	1.147	1.116	1.115	0.000	0.000
	2.0	1.206	1.212	1.208	1.209	0.000	0.000
	$\infty$	<b>1.219</b>	1.209	<b>1.219</b>	1.209	0.000	0.000

Table 6: Approximation rates of LCL-node and LP-node interpolants of the Runge function **F2**). Optimal rates are marked bold.

$p$	$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1}$		$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_1^2}$	
	LCL	LP	LCL	LP
1.0	1.191	1.193	1.169	1.171
2.0	1.338	1.364	1.310	1.325
$\infty$	1.365	1.349	1.334	1.333

Table 7: Approximation rates of derivatives of LCL-node and LP-node interpolants of the Runge function **F2**) in dimension  $m=3$ , with  $r=3$ .



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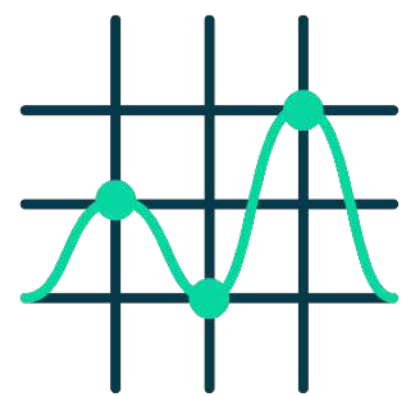
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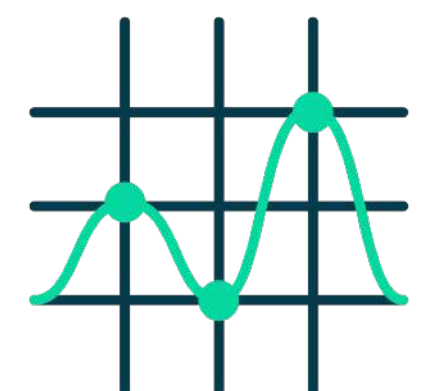
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# Fast Multivariate Interpolation in Downward-Closed Spaces

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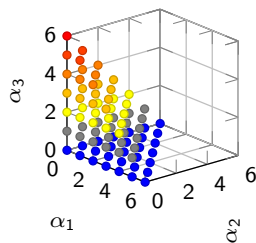
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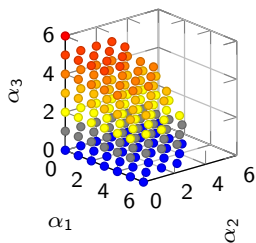
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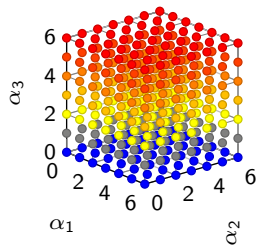
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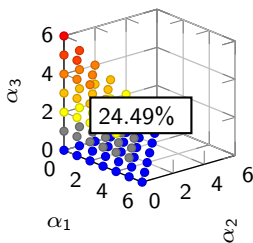


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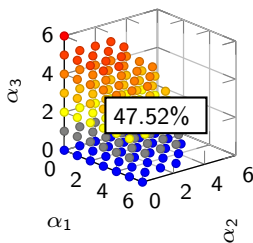
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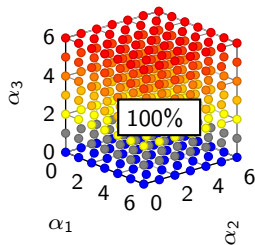
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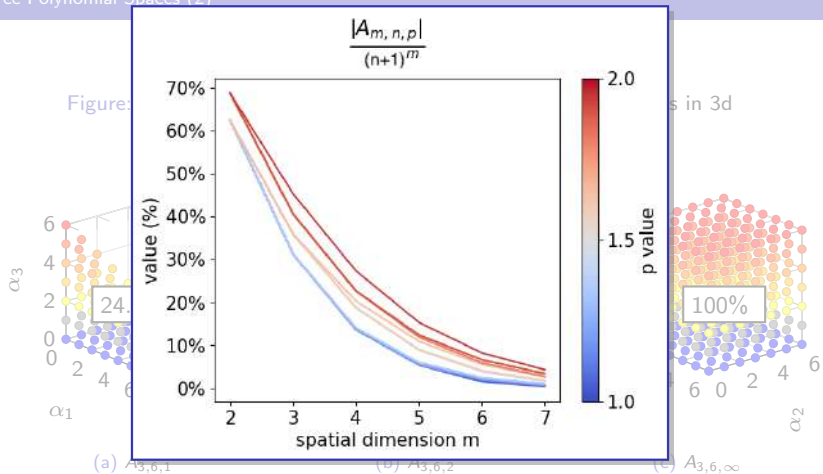
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$$\text{colex}_A : A \ni \alpha \mapsto |\{\beta \in A \mid \beta \leq_{\text{colex}} \alpha\}| \in \mathbb{N}.$$

Hence,

$$\text{colex}_A^{-1}(k), \quad 1 \leq k \leq N_A,$$

denotes the multi-index  $\alpha \in A$  belonging to the  $k$ -th element of  $A$  w.r.t.  $\leq_{\text{colex}}$ .

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If  $A = A^\square$ , we can express  $\mathbf{B}_A$ ,  $\mathbf{F}_A$ , and  $\mathbf{D}_{A,1}$  as Kronecker products

$$\mathbf{F}_A = \bigotimes_{i=1}^m \mathbf{F}_{\{0, \dots, n_{i,A}\}}, \quad \mathbf{B}_A = \bigotimes_{i=1}^m \mathbf{B}_{\{0, \dots, n_{i,A}\}}, \quad \mathbf{D}_{A,1} = \mathbf{D}_{\{0, \dots, n_{1,A}\}} \bigotimes_{i=2}^m \mathbf{I}_{n_{i,A}+1} \in \mathbb{R}^{N_A \times N_A}$$

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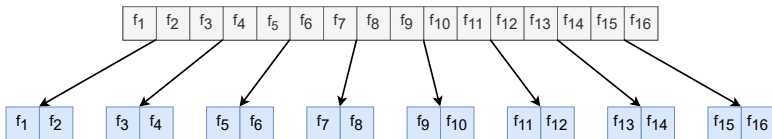
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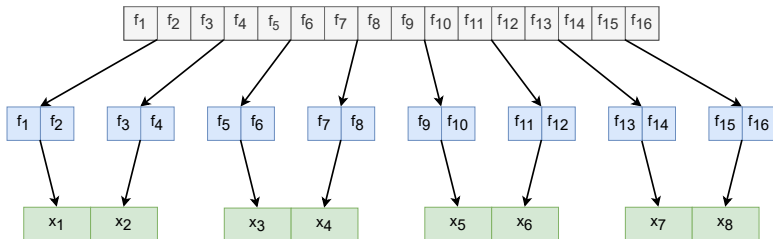
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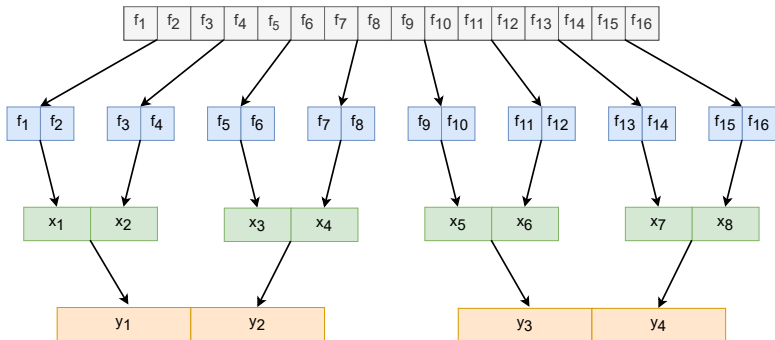
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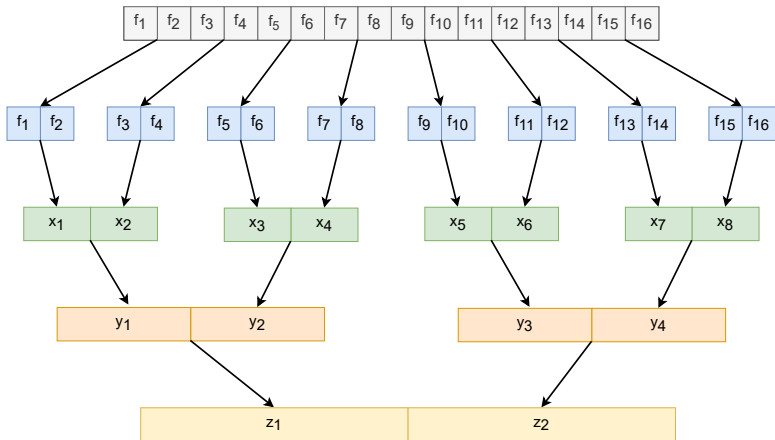
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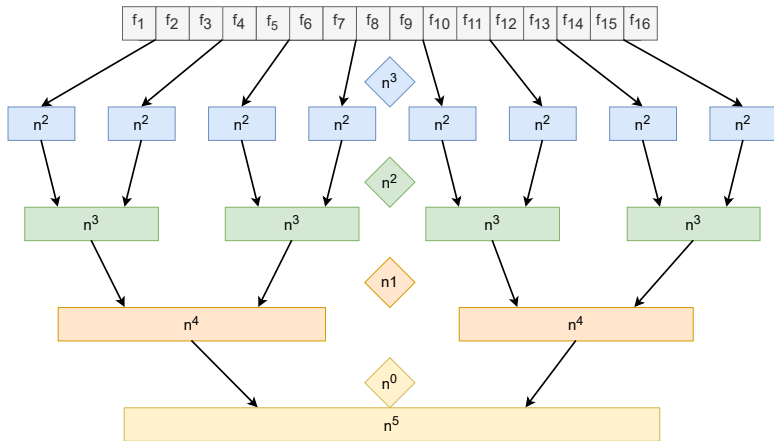
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$\mathbf{B} = (\mathbf{B}_{i,j})_{i,j=1}^n \in \mathbb{R}^{(n+1) \times (n+1)}$ ,  $\mathbf{w} = (w_i)_{i=1}^{N'} \in \mathbb{R}^{N'}$  and  $N' \equiv 0 \pmod{n+1}$ . Next, partition  $\mathbf{w}$  into  $n+1$  chunks of size  $s := N'/(n+1)$ , compute

$$\mathbf{u}_i := \sum_{j=1}^{n+1} \mathbf{B}_{i,j} \mathbf{w}_{(j-1) \cdot s + 1 : j \cdot s} \in \mathbb{R}^s, \quad 1 \leq i \leq n+1.$$

Consequently, we define  $\#$  by flattening

$$\mathbf{B}\#\mathbf{v} := (\mathbf{u}_1^\top, \dots, \mathbf{u}_{n+1}^\top)^\top \in \mathbb{R}^{N'}.$$

Note that  $\# \in \Theta(n^2 \cdot s)$ .

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We further define a double sequence of vectors  $\{\mathbf{w}_i^j\}_{i,j}$ , which allows to compute the matrix-vector product in (7) as

$$\mathbf{w} = \mathbf{B}_m \# \mathbf{w}_1^m.$$

Hereby, the double sequence  $\{\mathbf{w}_i^j\}_{i,j}$ , is computed by the iterative scheme:

$$\mathbf{w}_i^1 := v_{(i-1) \cdot (n_{A,1}+1)+1} : i \cdot (n_{A,1}+1), 1 \leq i \leq N_{A,1}^\perp,$$

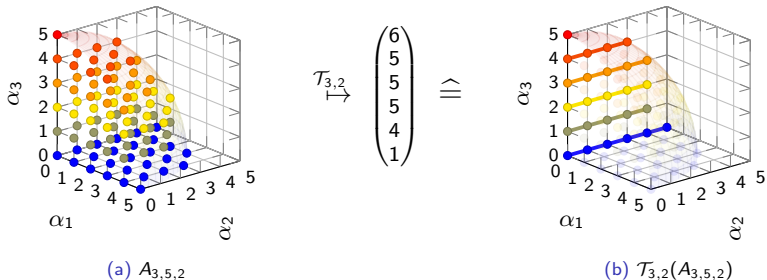
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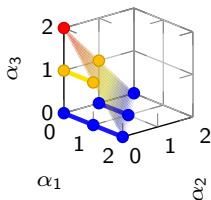
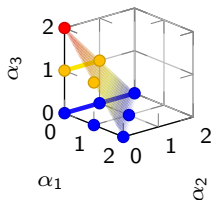
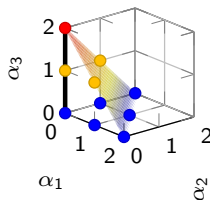
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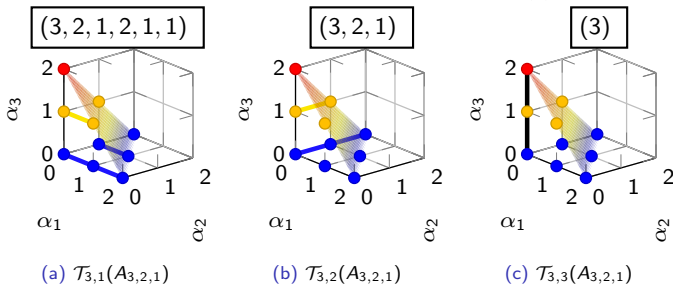
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The backward transformation matrix  $\mathbf{B}_A$ , its inverse  $\mathbf{F}_A$ , and the differentiation matrix  $\mathbf{D}_A$  can be expressed as

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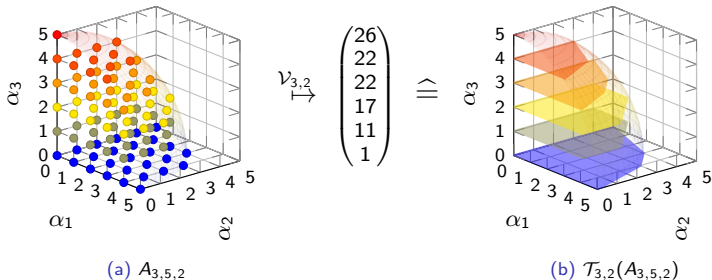




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Figure: Illustration of the second volume projection of  $A_{3,5,2}$

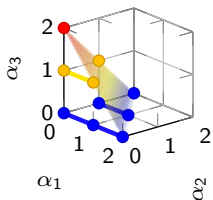


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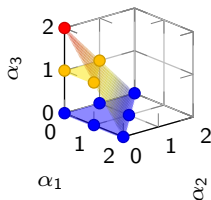
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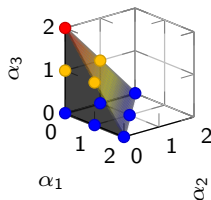
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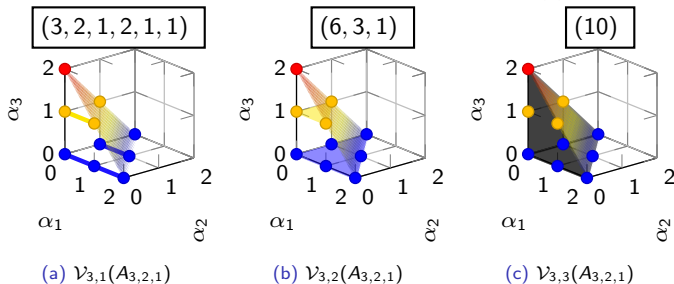
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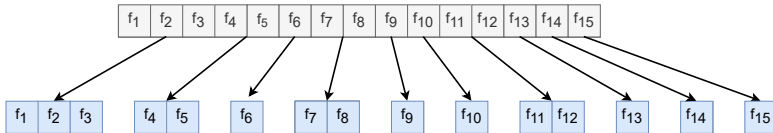
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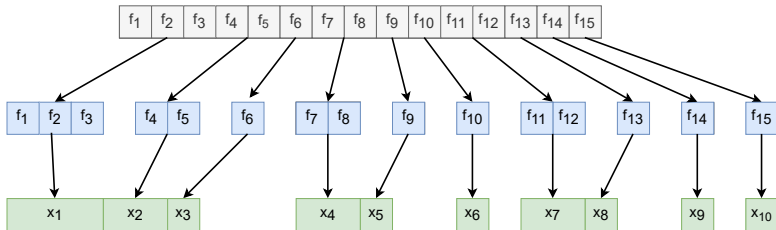
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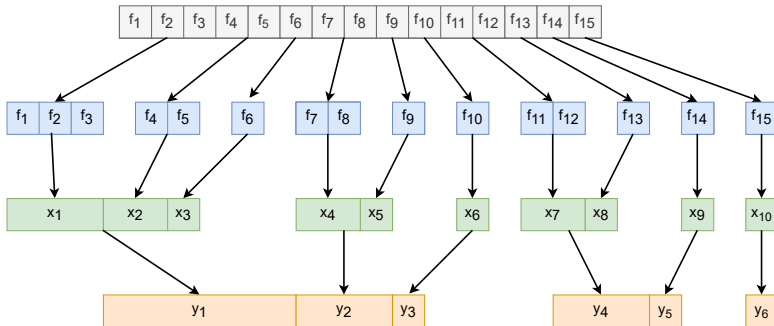
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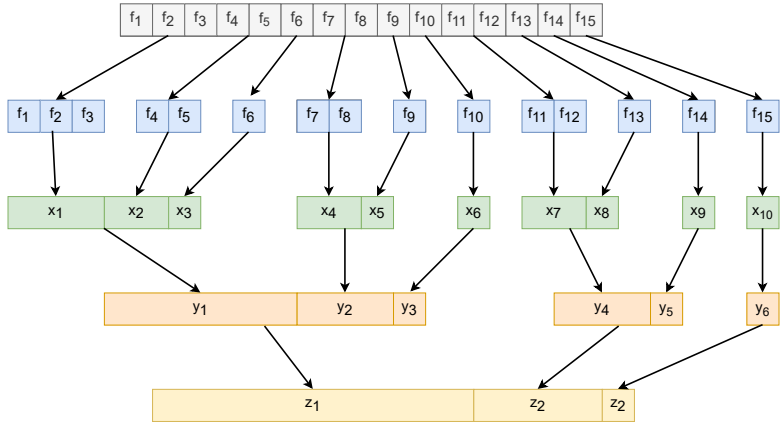
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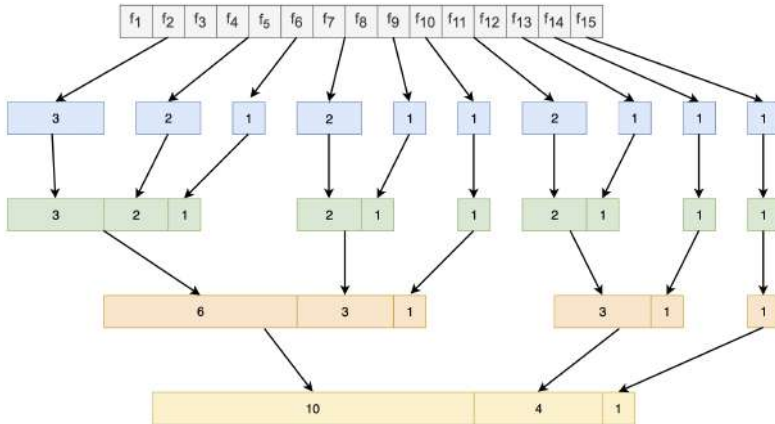
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Given  $\{(p_\beta, f_\beta)\}_{\beta \in A_{m,n,p}} \subset \mathbb{R}^{m+1}$ , the parameters  $\{c_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in A_{m,n,p}} \subset \mathbb{R}$  such that

$$\forall \beta \in A_{m,n,p} : \sum_{\alpha \in A_{m,n,p}} c_\alpha \cdot Q_\alpha(p_\beta) = f_\beta,$$

can be computed in

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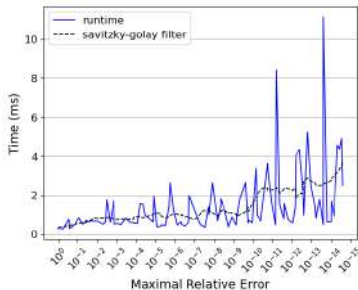
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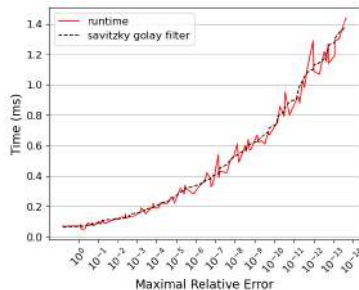
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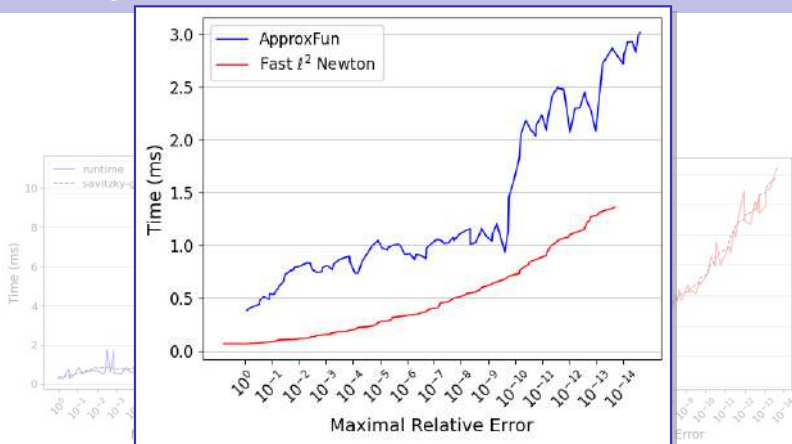
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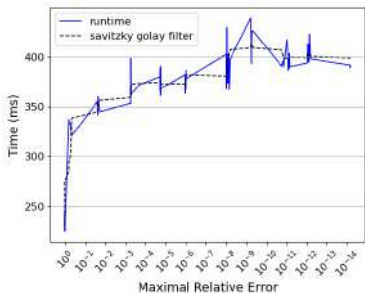
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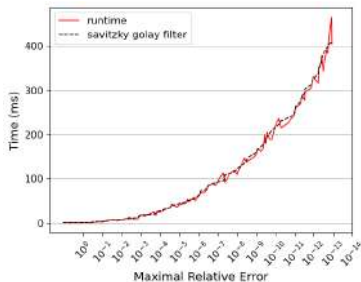
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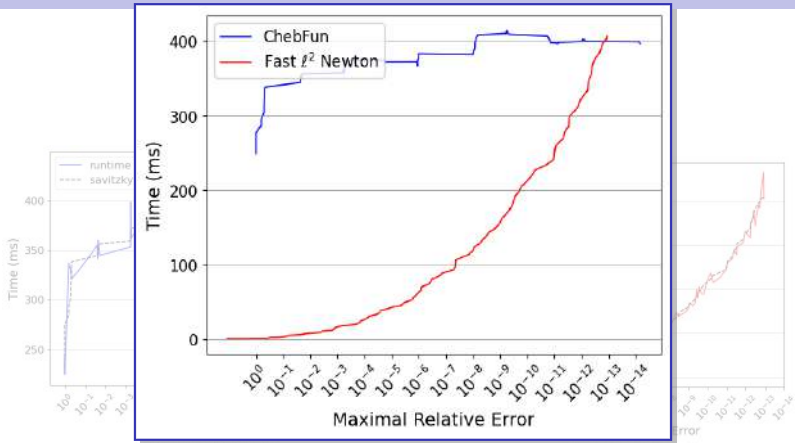


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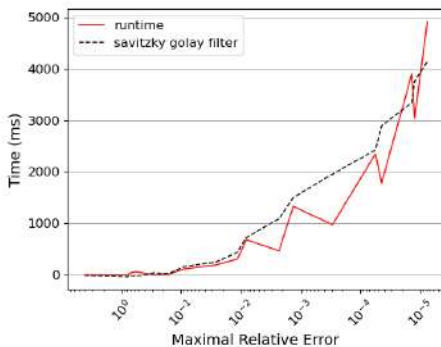
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