

Software Lab:

Learning methods in computational mechanics

Setting

Recently, learning methods have been successfully applied to mechanical simulations. This approach already good results in non-linear examples including fluid dynamics [2] and hyperelasticity [1], promising to deliver accurate results in much shorter time.

In this project you will have the possibility to understand and implement some of these methods.

Tasks

- Gain an understanding of the basic ideas of different existing approaches,
- Choose and implement one method,
- Produce some 1D examples,
- Implement and compare a second method.

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