

# Reduced Order Modeling and Dynamical Analysis in Stochastic Reaction Networks

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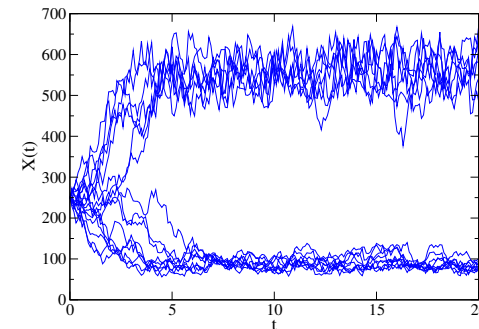
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  - Non-intrusive orthogonal projection
  - Rosenblatt transformation
- Adaptive data partitioning
  - K-center clustering
  - Data range bisection
- Mixture PC model

## Motivation: Stochastic Reaction Networks (SRNs)

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- Reaction networks involving small number of molecules necessitate the use of *stochastic* modeling instead of the *deterministic* one. E.g.

- Immune system signaling reactions
- Microbial reactions
- Surface catalytic reactions



- SRNs are modeled as Jump Markov Processes

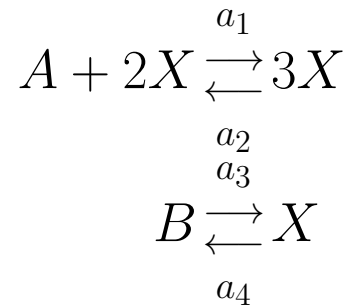
- Governed by Chemical Master Equation

$$\dot{P}(X(t) = n) = \sum_m A_{nm} P(X(t) = m)$$

- Reduces to deterministic Rate Equations in the large volume limit
- Trajectories simulated by Gillespie's Stochastic Simulation Algorithm (SSA, Gillespie, 1977)

# Schlögl model is a benchmark bistable process

- Reactions

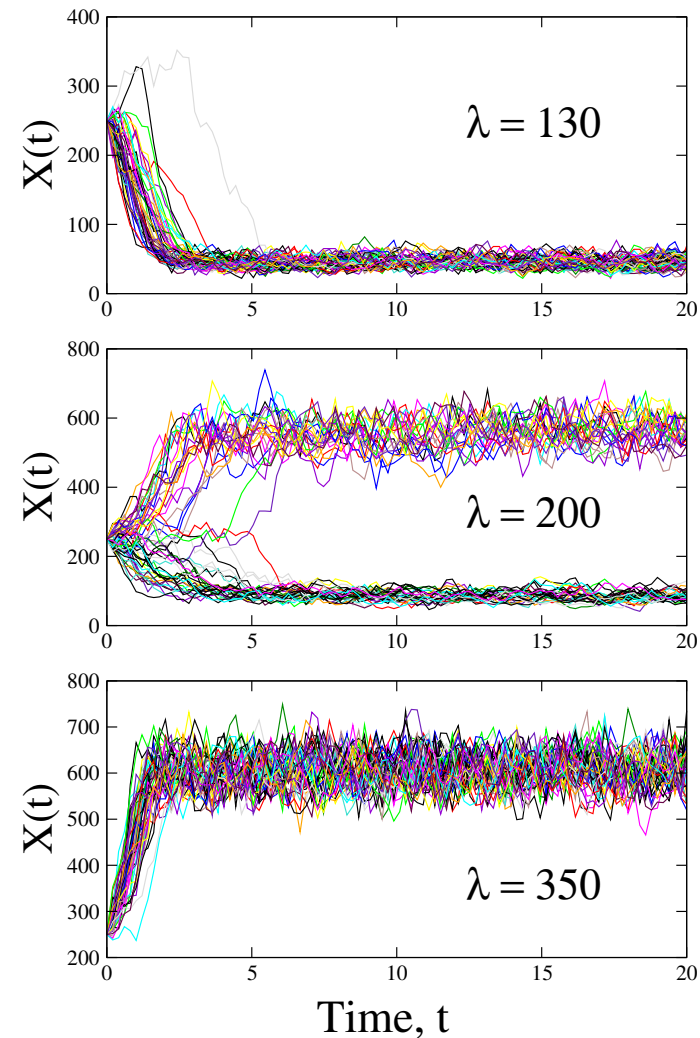


- Propensities

$$\begin{aligned}
 a_1 &= k_1 A X (X - 1) / 2, \\
 a_2 &= k_2 X (X - 1) (X - 2) / 6, \\
 a_3 &= k_3 B, \\
 a_4 &= k_4 X.
 \end{aligned}$$

- Nominal parameters

$k_1 A$	0.03
$k_2$	0.0001
$k_3 B = \lambda$	200
$k_4$	3.5
$A$	$10^5$
$B$	$2 \cdot 10^5$
$X(0)$	250



## Problem Definition and Methods

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- Develop reduced order modeling tools for *predictability*( $\lambda$ ) and *dynamical analysis*( $t$ ) of SRNs accounting for
  - Inherent stochasticity ( $\theta$ )
  - Model/parameter variability ( $\lambda$ )
  - Limited data

$$\mathcal{D} = \{X_i\}_{i=1}^N$$

- Techniques employed:
  - Karhunen-Loève decomposition
  - Polynomial chaos expansion
  - Rosenblatt transformation
  - Data partitioning/clustering
- Obtain a surrogate model for the dynamics of  $X(t, \theta, \lambda = \Lambda)$

## Karhunen-Loève Decomposition: Intro

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- Separate the average:

$$X_0(t, \theta) = X(t, \theta) - \bar{X}(t)$$

- The covariance function is symmetric, bounded and positive definite. Hence, it can be expanded as a sum

$$C(t_1, t_2) = \langle X_0(t_1, \theta) X_0(t_2, \theta) \rangle = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \lambda_n f_n(t_1) f_n(t_2)$$

- Positive eigenvalues:

$$\int_0^T C(t_1, t_2) f_n(t_1) dt_1 = \lambda_n f_n(t_2).$$

- KL decomposition:

$$X(t, \theta) = \bar{X}(t) + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \xi_n(\theta) \sqrt{\lambda_n} f_n(t)$$

# Karhunen-Loève decomposition leads to reduced order modeling

- KL decomposition:

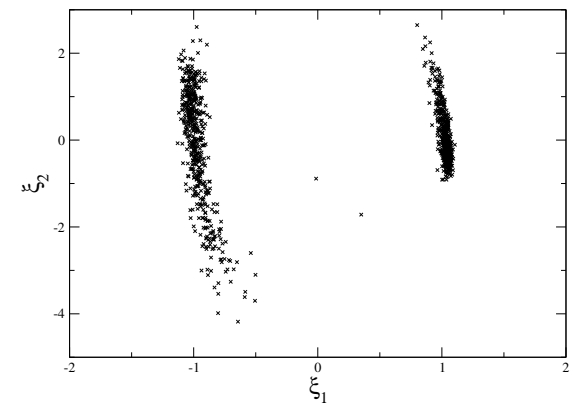
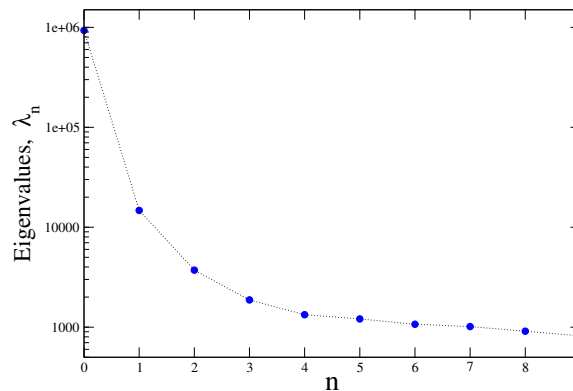
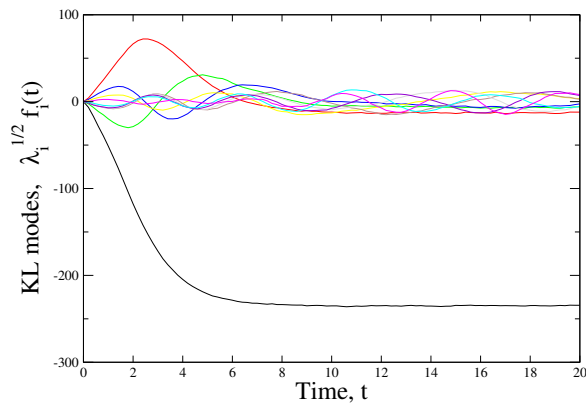
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- Uncorrelated, zero-mean KL variables:

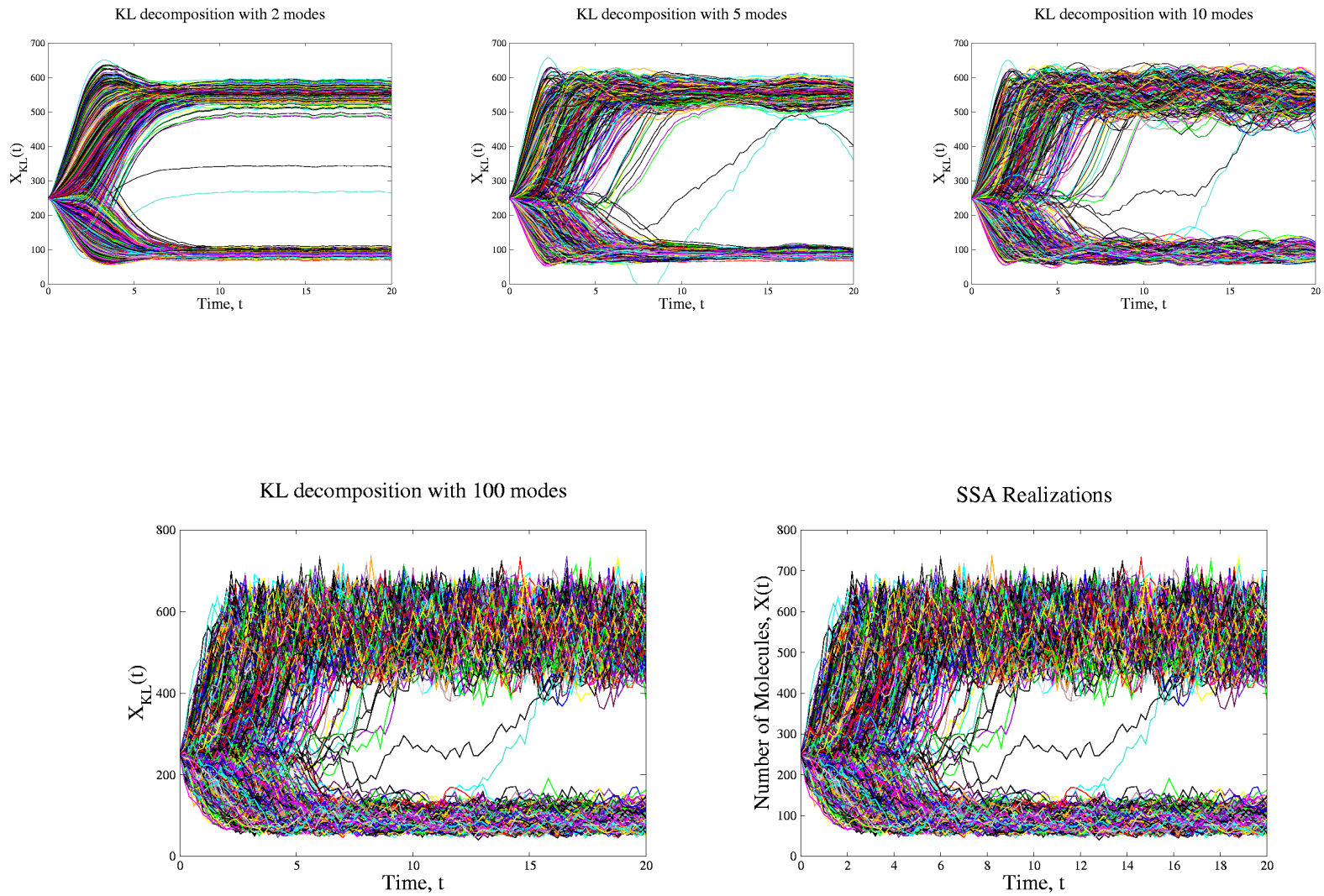
$$\langle \xi_n \rangle = 0, \quad \langle \xi_n \xi_m \rangle = \delta_{nm}$$

- SSA(continuum)  $\longleftrightarrow$  KL(discrete)

$$X(t) \longleftrightarrow \boldsymbol{\xi} = (\xi_1, \xi_2, \dots)$$



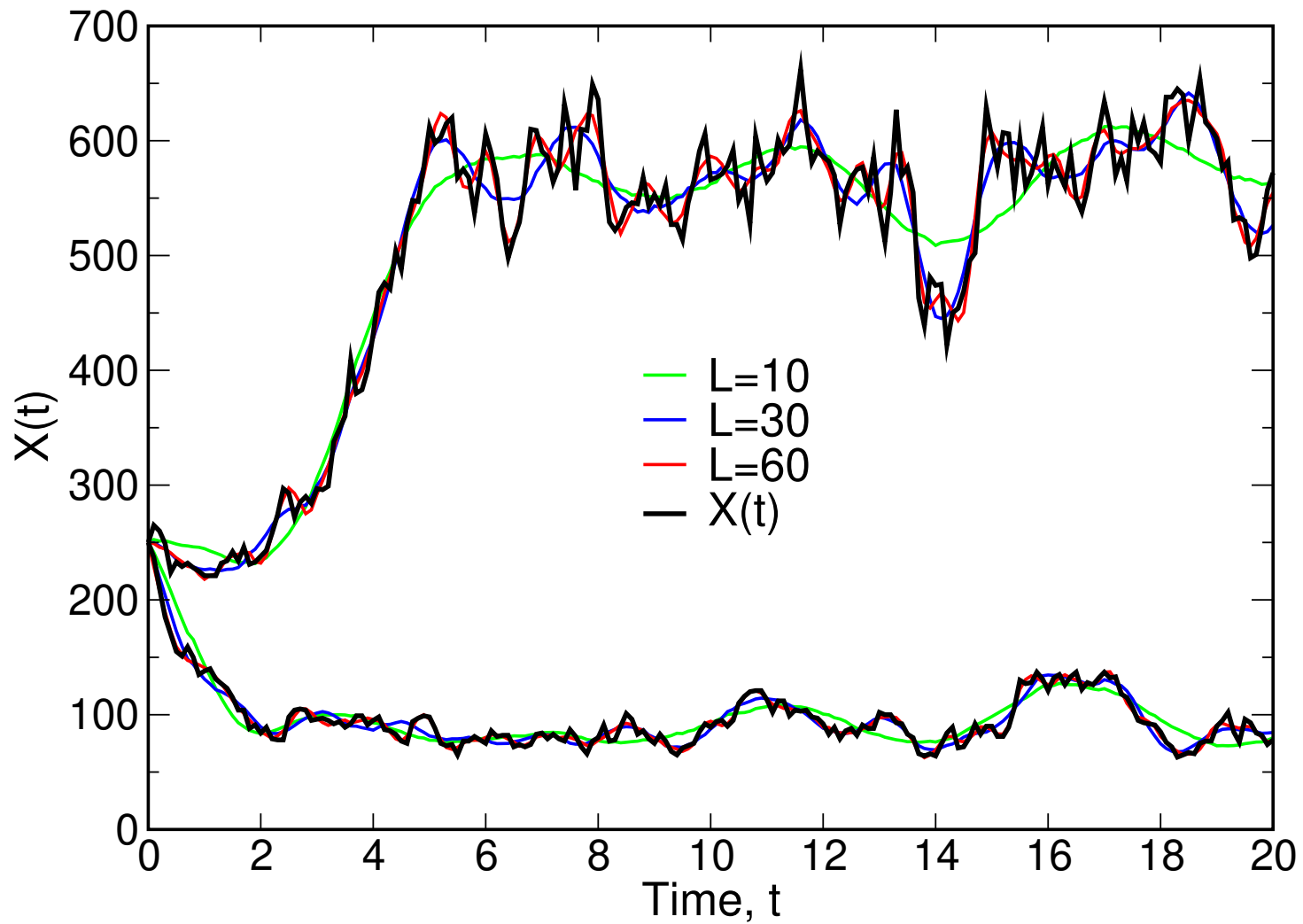
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## Dynamical Analysis: Big Picture

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SSA  $\longrightarrow$  KL  $\longrightarrow$  PCE

Random process  $\longrightarrow$  L random variables  $\longrightarrow$  L(P+1) deterministic variables

$X(t, \theta) \longrightarrow \xi_i(\theta) (i = \overline{1, L}) \longrightarrow c_{ik} (i = \overline{1, L}, k = \overline{0, P})$

$$X(t, \theta) - \bar{X}(t) \simeq \sum_{i=1}^L \xi_i(\theta) \sqrt{\lambda_i} f_i(t) \simeq \sum_{i=1}^L \left( \sum_{k=0}^P c_{ik} \Psi_k(\boldsymbol{\eta}) \right) \sqrt{\lambda_i} f_i(t)$$

SSA  $\longrightarrow$  KL : Karhunen-Loève (KL) decomposition of the stochastic process

KL  $\longrightarrow$  PCE: Polynomial Chaos expansion of each KL random variable

## Polynomial Chaos Expansion (PCE) - Intro

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- A second order random variable  $X(\theta)$  can be described by a PCE in terms of standard orthogonal polynomials  $\Psi_k$ , of associated standard random variables  $\{\zeta_i\}_{i=1}^{\infty}$ , and spectral mode strengths  $c_k$ .

(Wiener, 1938)(Cameron & Martin, 1947)(Ghanem & Spanos, 1991)

- Truncated PCE: finite dimension  $n$  and order  $p$

$$X(\theta) \simeq \sum_{k=0}^P c_k \Psi_k(\zeta_1, \dots, \zeta_n)$$

with the number of terms  $P + 1 = \frac{(n+p)!}{n!p!}$ .

- Most common standard Polynomial-Variable pairs:  
(continuous) Gauss-Hermite, Legendre-Uniform,  
(discrete) Poisson-Charlier.  
(Askey Scheme: Xiu & Karniadakis, 2002)

## Challenges in PC expansions of KL random variables

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Need to PC-expand each of the KL random variables

$$\xi_i = \sum_{k=0}^P c_{ik} \Psi_k(\zeta), \text{ for } i = 1, \dots, L$$

- Quadrature-based non-intrusive spectral projection is not well-defined

$$c_{ik} = \frac{\langle \xi_i \Psi_k(\zeta) \rangle}{\langle \Psi_k^2(\zeta) \rangle}$$

- Employ (inverse) Rosenblatt transformation
- Multimodal variables not captured well
  - Use data partitioning

## Rosenblatt Transformation

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- Rosenblatt transformation maps any (not necessarily independent) set of random variables  $(\xi_1, \dots, \xi_n)$  to uniform i.i.d.'s  $\{\eta_i\}_{i=1}^n$  (Rosenblatt, 1952).

$$\eta_1 = F_1(\xi_1)$$

$$\eta_2 = F_{2|1}(\xi_2|\xi_1)$$

$$\eta_3 = F_{3|2,1}(\xi_3|\xi_2, \xi_1)$$

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$$\eta_n = F_{n|n-1,\dots,1}(\xi_n|\xi_{n-1}, \dots, \xi_1)$$

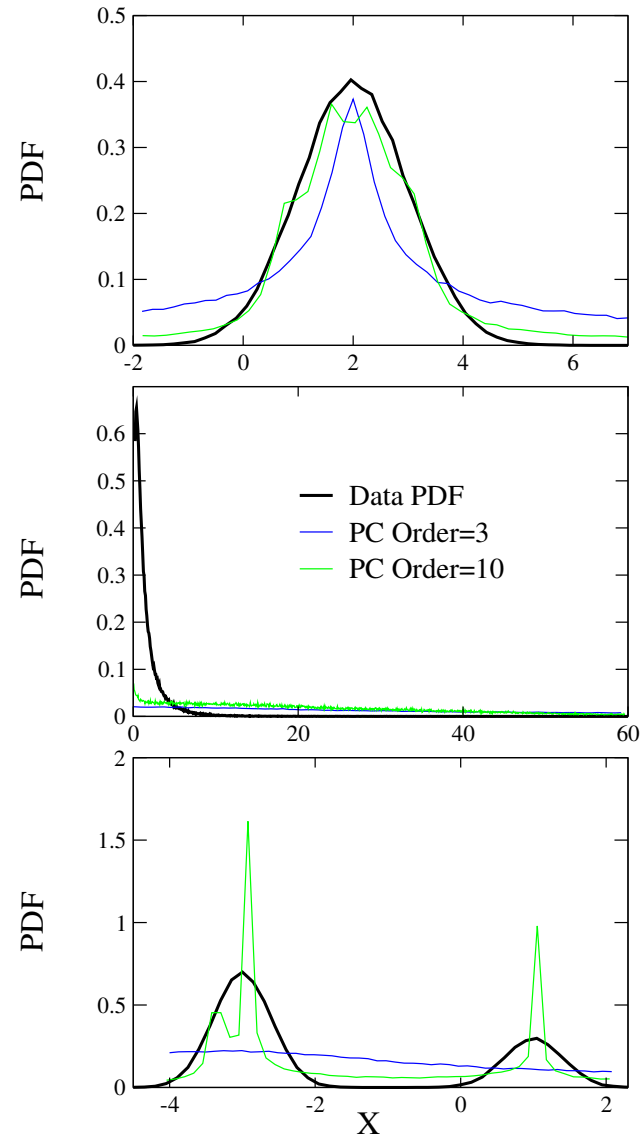
- Inverse Rosenblatt transformation  $\xi = R^{-1}(\eta)$  (with standard normal CDF  $\Phi(\cdot)$ ) ensures a well-defined quadrature integration

$$\langle \xi_i \Psi_k(\zeta) \rangle = \int (R^{-1} \circ \Phi(\zeta))_i \Psi_k(\zeta) d\zeta$$

# Global PCE can fail for strongly non-linear or bimodal variables

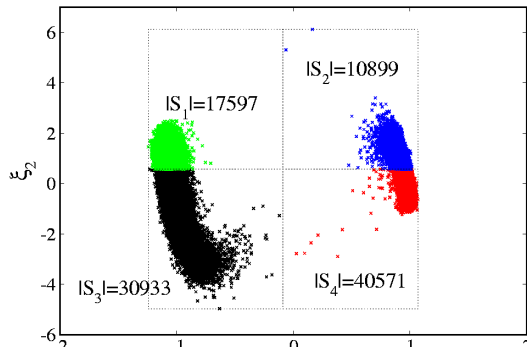
## Legendre-Uniform PC

- Normal
- Lognormal
- Bimodal

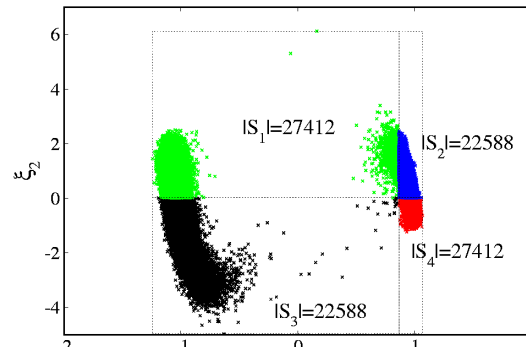


# Domain-based data partitioning methods do not detect bimodalities

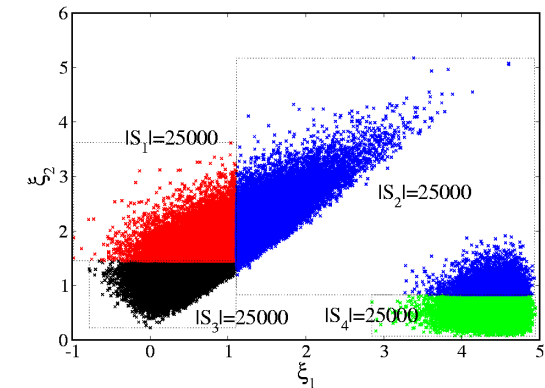
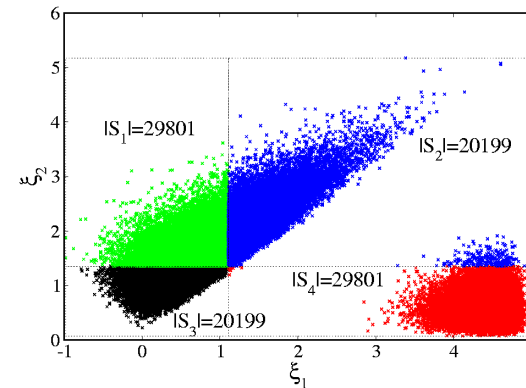
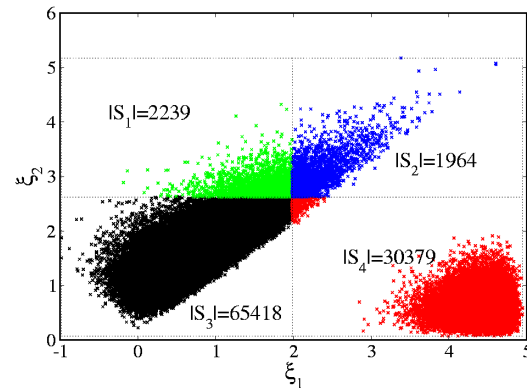
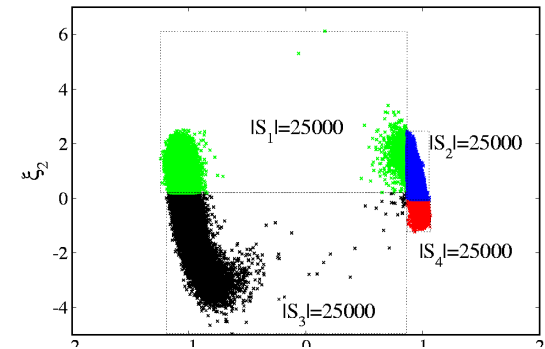
Data range bisection



Data median bisection



Data size bisection

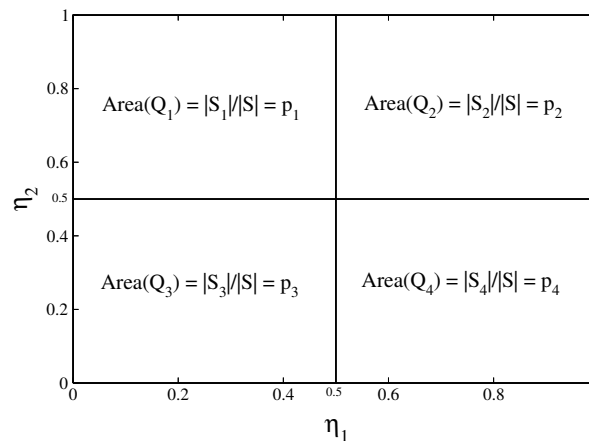
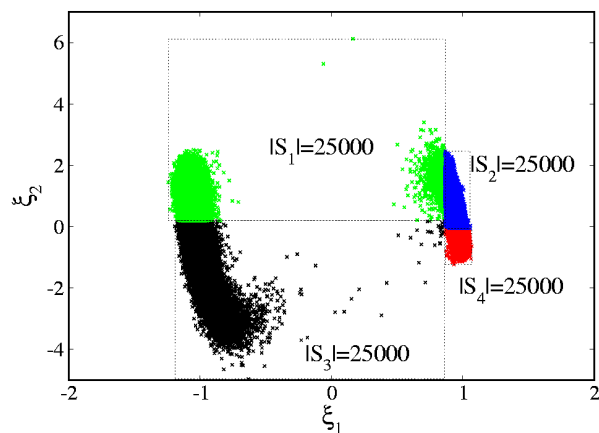


## Relation to multidomain expansions

Given a stochastic space partition  $\cup_{i=1}^{K_f} Q_i = [0, 1]^L$

$$\xi_n = \sum_{i=1}^{K_f} \sum_{k=0}^P c_{nk}^{(i)} \tilde{\Psi}_k^{(i)}(\boldsymbol{\eta}), \text{ for } n = 1, \dots, L,$$

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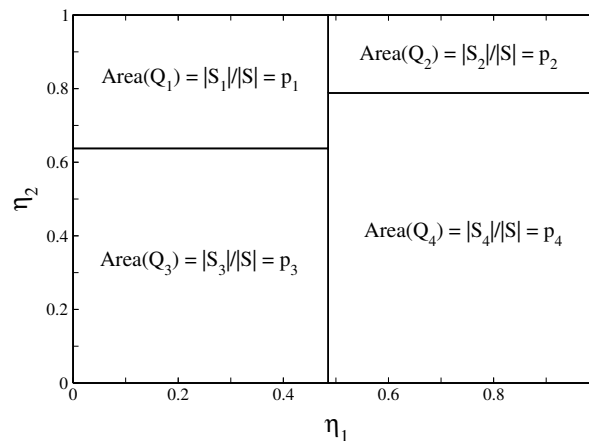
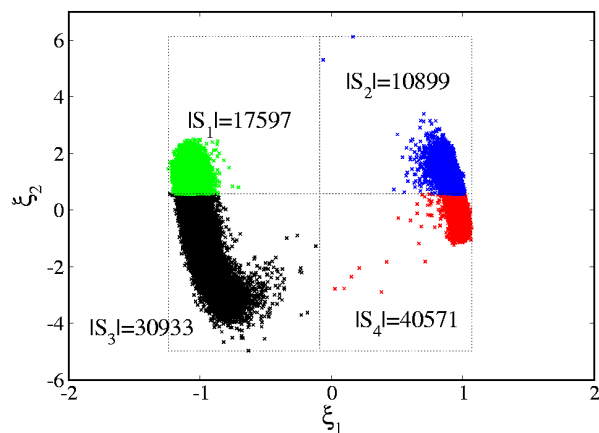


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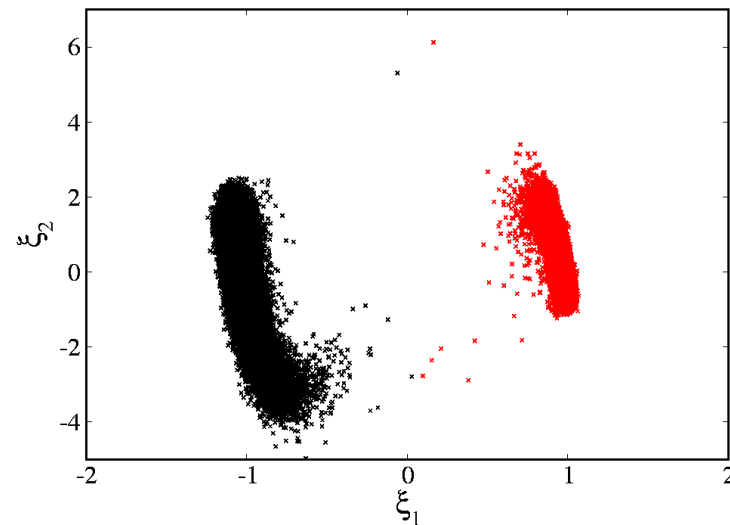
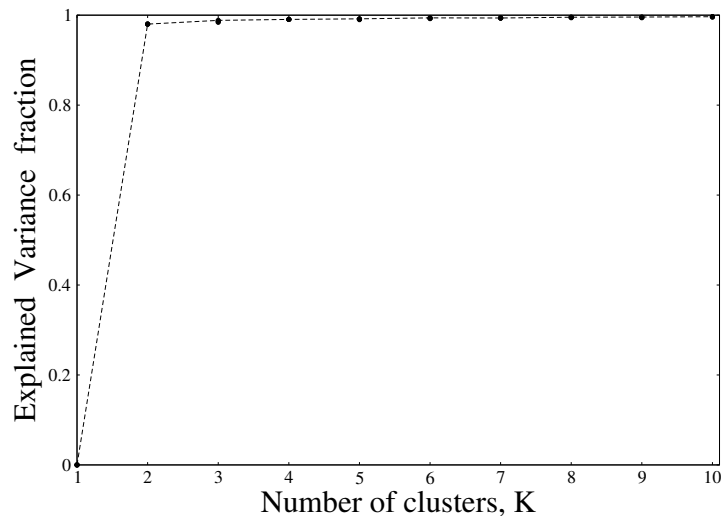
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## Data Clustering

- Finite number of KL variables:  $\xi = (\xi_1, \xi_2, \dots, \xi_L)$
- Multidimensional data:  $\{\xi^{(i)}\}_{i=1}^N$
- K-Center clustering (Gonzalez, 1985)
- Distance measure scaled with KL eigenvalues
- ‘Elbow’ criterion with Explained Variance to pick the optimal number of clusters
- E.V. = Variance of dataset with all points replaced with their corresponding cluster’s center



- Let  $A$  be a set of  $n$  objects
- Partition  $A$  into  $K$  sets  $C_1, C_2, \dots, C_K$
- *Cluster size* of  $C_k$ : the least value  $D_k$  s.t. all points in  $C_k$  are
  - a) within  $D_k$  of each other, or
  - b) within  $D_k/2$  of some point (called *cluster center*)
- Goal:

$$\min_S \max_{k=1, \dots, K} D_k$$

Which distance?

- $L_\infty$ :  $d(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}) = \max_i |x_i - y_i|$
- $L_2$ :  $d(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y})^2 = \sum_i (x_i - y_i)^2$
- Rescaled  $L_2$ :  $d(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y})^2 = \sum_i \lambda_i (x_i - y_i)^2$

## Domain-based bisection VS clustering

Approximate $k$ -center clustering	Data range bisection
Polythetic (more effective use of data structure)	Monothetic
Detects multimodalities and outliers	Blind to multimodalities and outliers
No curse of dimensionality	Number of new partitions scales exponentially with dimensions
Dimension-specific weight measure	No weight measure
Non-unique (randomized) partitioning	Unique partitioning
Not effective for unimodal data	Performs well for unimodal data
New subset sizes are of a similar order of magnitude	New subset sizes are extremely reduced

We propose an adaptive, hybrid approach:

- Start with clustering to detect the modalities
- Continue with data range bisection
- Refinement criterion: *Kullback-Leibler divergence* between data PDF and model PDF

$$\rho(P_{\mathcal{D}}, P_M) = \int P_{\mathcal{D}}(\boldsymbol{\xi}) \log \frac{P_{\mathcal{D}}(\boldsymbol{\xi})}{P_M(\boldsymbol{\xi})} d\boldsymbol{\xi} \simeq \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \log \frac{P_{\mathcal{D}}(\boldsymbol{\xi}_i)}{P_M(\boldsymbol{\xi}_i)}$$

## Adaptive Hybrid Algorithm

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- **(Simulation)** Obtain  $N$  SSA realizations  $X(t)$ .
- **(Reduced order model - KL)** Perform KL decomposition up to the eigenmode  $L$ :  $X_{KL}(t) = \bar{X}(t) + \sum_{n=1}^L \xi_n \sqrt{\lambda_n} f_n(t)$ .
  - As a result, obtain a set of  $N$  data samples of the random vector  $\xi = (\xi_1, \dots, \xi_L)$  and call it the current data set  $S$ .
  - *Only if* the explained variance criterion detects modalities, cluster the data into the optimal number of clusters and proceed considering each cluster as a new data set.
- **(Spectral expansion - PC)** Find a finite order PC representation for the current data samples:  $\xi = \sum_{k=0}^P c_k \Psi_k(\zeta)$ .
- **(Adaptive refinement)** *If* the number of samples  $|S| > N_{\text{thr}}$  *and* the Kullback-Leibler divergence  $\rho_{KL} > d_{\text{thr}}$ , partition the current data set according to data range bisection.  
*Else* keep the current PC representation.
  - Move to the next untreated data set.

## Final representation is a mixture model of PC PDFs

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- Divide data into  $K$  partitions with fractions  $p_j$ :

$$p_1 + p_2 + \cdots + p_K = 1$$

- Find PC expansion for  $\xi$  in each partition:

$$\xi_{PC}^{(j)} = \sum_{k=0}^P c_k^{(j)} \Psi_k(\zeta^{(j)})$$

- Superpose the results to obtain PC mixture model (assuming data points are of equal importance/weight):

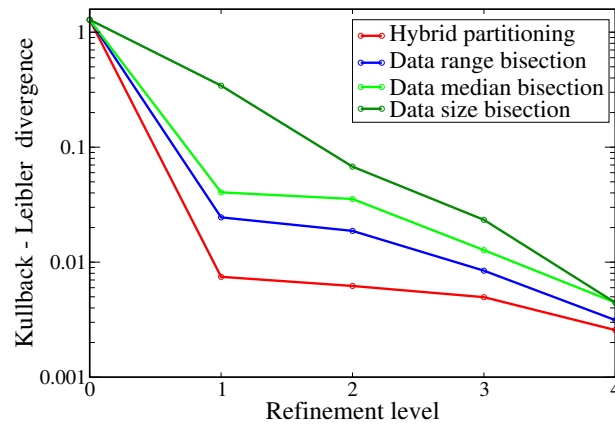
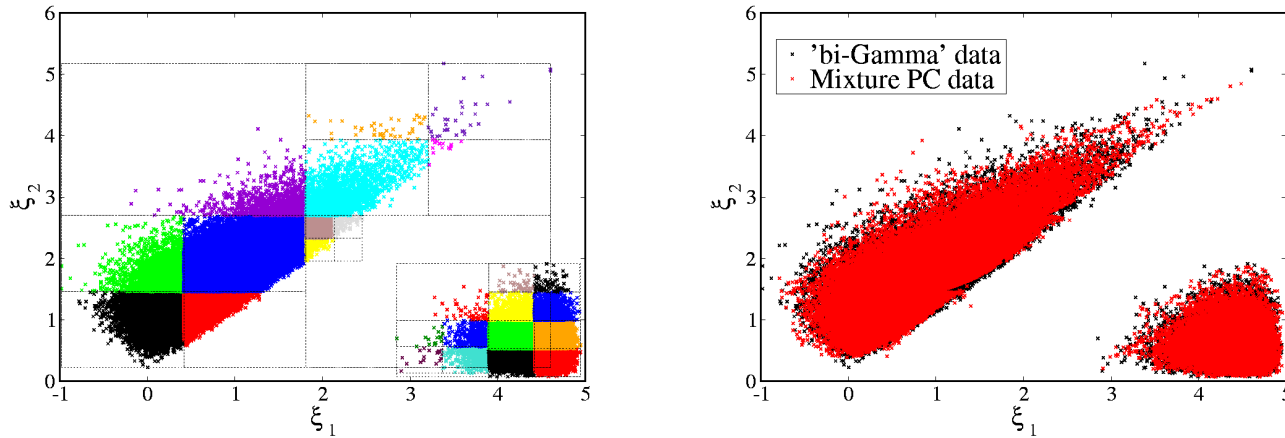
$$\xi = \xi_{PC}^{(j)} \text{ w. prob. } p_j$$

- Probability distribution function is a mixture of PC PDFs:

$$\text{Pdf}_{\xi}(x) = p_1 \text{Pdf}_{\xi_{PC}^{(1)}}(x) + \cdots + p_K \text{Pdf}_{\xi_{PC}^{(K)}}(x)$$

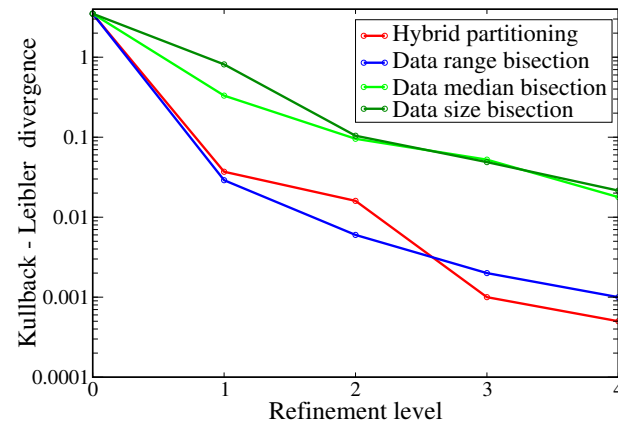
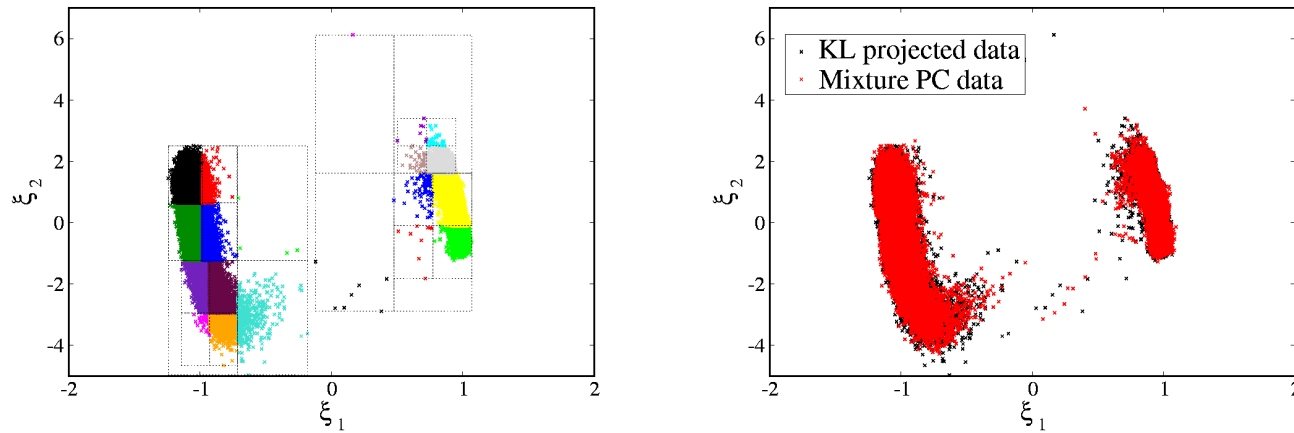
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## Bi-Gamma test distribution



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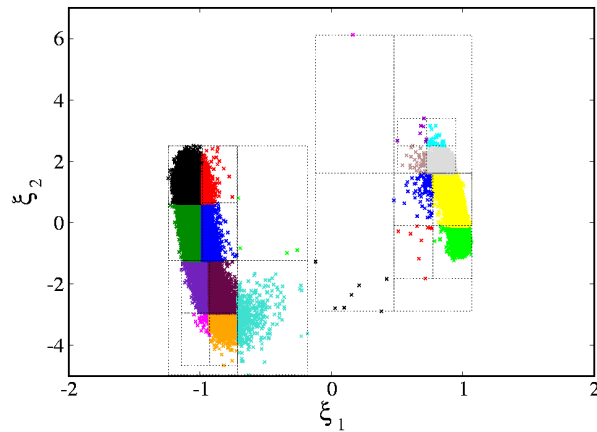
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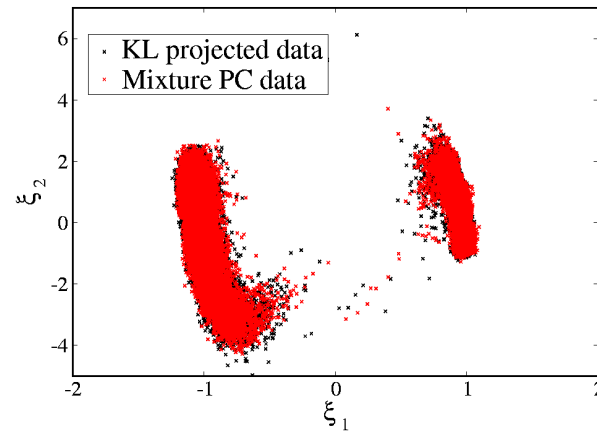
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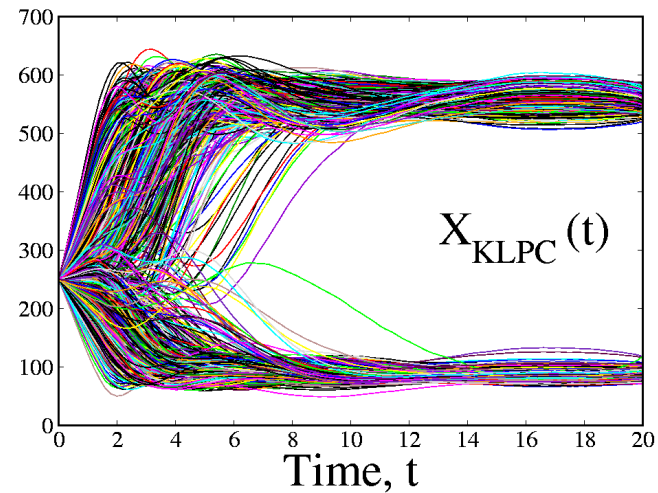
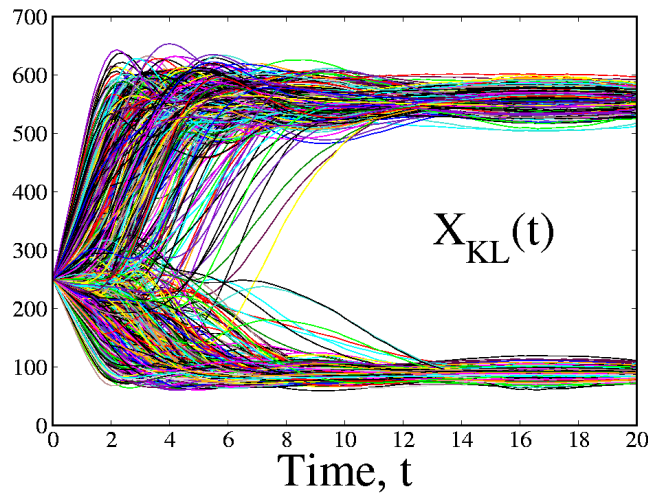
# Results for the Schlögl model with Karhunen-Loève expansion



5 Mode KL Representation



3-rd Order PC Expansion



## Conclusions and ongoing work

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- Mixture model of PC PDFs with Karhunen-Loève decomposition represents the dynamics of the state  $X(t, \boldsymbol{\theta}, \boldsymbol{\Lambda})$
  - Karhunen-Loève expansion removes small-scale fluctuations
  - Rosenblatt transformation maps to standard random variables
  - Hybrid adaptive data partitioning for multimodal distributions
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- Dimensionality (complexity increase) studies
  - Sparse quadrature integration or Latin Hypercube Sampling
  - Adaptive PC order
  - Combination of parameter uncertainties and time evolution

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## Multi-domain PC expansion

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- Partition:  $-1 = a_1 < b_1 = a_2 < b_2 = \dots = a_n < b_n = 1$

$$\mathcal{P} = \{[a_1, b_1), [a_2, b_2), \dots, [a_n, b_n]\}$$

- Linear map:  $f^I : I \equiv [a, b] \mapsto [-1, 1]$  from an interval  $[a, b]$  (subscripts dropped for simplicity) to  $[-1, 1]$ :

$$f^I(\eta) = \tilde{\eta} = \frac{2}{b-a} \left( \eta - \frac{a+b}{2} \right)$$

- Multi-domain PC expansion

$$X \simeq g(\eta) = \sum_{I \in \mathcal{P}} \sum_{k=0}^P c_k^I \Psi_k^I(\eta),$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi_k^I(\eta) &\equiv 0, \quad \text{if } \eta \notin I \\ \Psi_k^I(\eta) &= \Psi_k(f^I(\eta)), \quad \text{if } \eta \in I \end{aligned}$$