

*Frequency Domain Integral Equations  
for Acoustic and Electromagnetic  
Scattering Problems*

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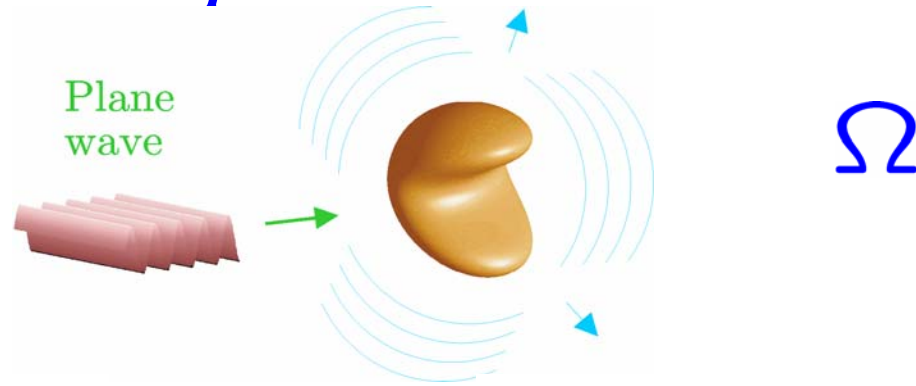
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# Outline

- *Integral equations formulations for acoustic and electromagnetic problems - Layer potentials*
- *Combined Field Integral Equations: Direct and Indirect Methods*
- *Numerical Methods – Medium range frequency: variational formulations (BEM) and Nystrom methods*
  - *Spectra of the layer potentials (bounded & smooth manifolds) → Regularization; Geometric singularities: Lipschitz manifolds, open surfaces*
  - *Accelerated computations: FMM, FFT based acceleration techniques, equivalent sources*
- *High-frequency Scattering Problems: Ansatz formulation, localization techniques; Single scattering configurations; Multiple scattering configurations*

# Time-Harmonic Acoustic and Maxwell Equations



*Acoustic*

$$u = u^i + u^s$$

$$\Delta u + k^2 u = 0$$

$$\lim_{|\mathbf{x}| \rightarrow \infty} |\mathbf{x}| \left( \frac{\partial u^s}{\partial |\mathbf{x}|} - iku^s \right) = 0$$

*BC sound soft* :  $u = 0$  on  $\Gamma$

*sound hard* :  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial \mathbf{n}} = 0$  on  $\Gamma$

*Electromagnetic*

$$\vec{\mathbf{E}} = \vec{\mathbf{E}}^i + \vec{\mathbf{E}}^s, \quad \vec{\mathbf{H}} = \vec{\mathbf{H}}^i + \vec{\mathbf{H}}^s$$

$$\begin{cases} \text{curl } \vec{\mathbf{E}} - ik\vec{\mathbf{H}} = 0 \\ \text{curl } \vec{\mathbf{H}} + ik\vec{\mathbf{E}} = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\lim_{|\mathbf{x}| \rightarrow \infty} \left| (\vec{\mathbf{H}}^s \times \mathbf{x}) + |\mathbf{x}| \vec{\mathbf{E}}^s \right| = 0$$

*BC PEC* :  $\mathbf{n} \times \mathbf{E} = \mathbf{0}$  on  $\Gamma$

# Scattering Simulations

## Basic challenges

Fields oscillate on a scale set by the wavelength  $\lambda = \frac{2\pi}{k}$  of radiation &

Noncoercive operators ( Coercive+ Compact) discretization step proportional to wavelength  $h \approx \frac{\lambda}{10}$  (FEM),  $\frac{\lambda}{6}$  (BEM)

- $\Rightarrow$
- Computational cost
  - Memory

Order  $10^p \lambda^{-p}$

# Scattering Simulations

## Numerical Methods

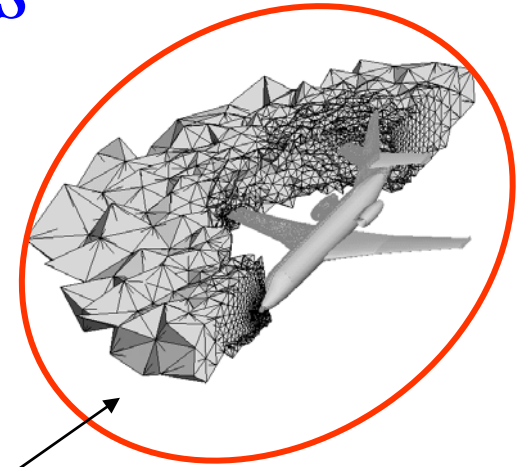
- ***Variational Methods***

(MoM, Finite Element Methods, Finite Volume Methods, etc)

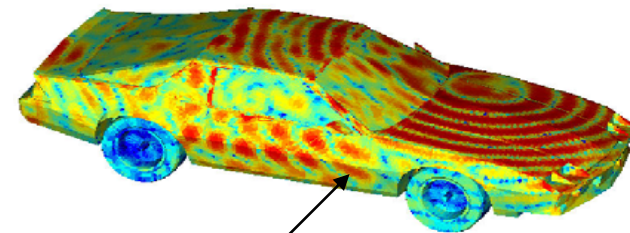
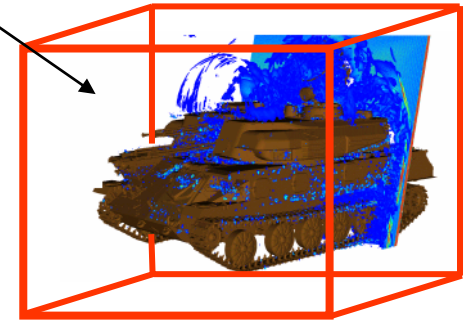
- ***Differential Equation Methods***

(Finite Differences, etc)

- ***Integral Equation Methods*** *reduce the dimensions*; radiation condition *outgoing Green's function*; the advent of fast methods; but *can be plagued by spurious resonances* → CFIE → *poor spectral properties* → *Regularization Techniques*



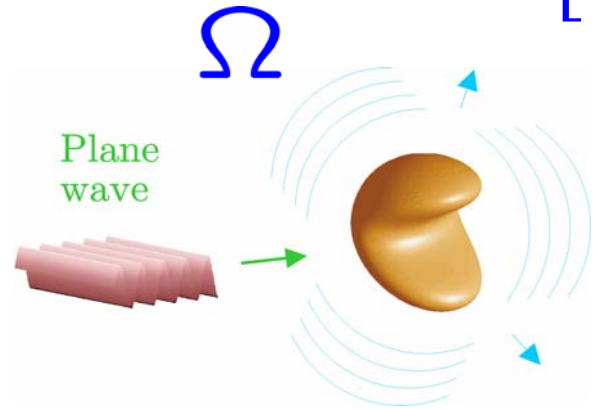
Computational domain



Domain of Integration

# Layer Potentials Acoustics

[ Verchota, Kenig, Costabel, Dauge ]



$$G_k(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}) = e^{ik|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}|} / (4\pi|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}|)$$

$$0 = \int_{\Gamma} \left( \frac{\partial G_k(\mathbf{z} - \mathbf{y})}{\partial \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{y})} u^i(\mathbf{y}) - G_k(\mathbf{z} - \mathbf{y}) \frac{\partial u^i(\mathbf{y})}{\partial \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{y})} \right) d\sigma(\mathbf{y}), \quad \mathbf{z} \in \Omega$$

$$u^s(\mathbf{z}) = \underbrace{\int_{\Gamma} \frac{\partial G_k(\mathbf{z} - \mathbf{y})}{\partial \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{y})} u^s(\mathbf{y}) d\sigma(\mathbf{y})}_{(U_{\text{DL}} u^s)(\mathbf{z})} - \underbrace{\int_{\Gamma} G_k(\mathbf{z} - \mathbf{y}) \frac{\partial u^s(\mathbf{y})}{\partial \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{y})} d\sigma(\mathbf{y})}_{(U_{\text{SL}} \frac{\partial u^s}{\partial \mathbf{n}})(\mathbf{z})}, \quad \mathbf{z} \in \Omega$$

$$\gamma_D : H_{\text{loc}}^1(\Omega) \rightarrow H^{\frac{1}{2}}(\Gamma)$$

$$\gamma_N : H_{\text{loc}}(\Delta, \Omega) \rightarrow H^{-\frac{1}{2}}(\Gamma)$$

$$S \phi = \{\gamma_D U_{\text{SL}}(\phi)\}_{\Gamma}$$

$$K^* \phi = \{\gamma_N U_{\text{SL}}(\phi)\}_{\Gamma}$$

$$K \phi = \{\gamma_D U_{\text{DL}}(\phi)\}_{\Gamma}$$

$$N \phi = \{\gamma_N u_{\text{DL}}(\phi)\}_{\Gamma}$$

$$S : H^s(\Gamma) \rightarrow H^{s+1}(\Gamma), \quad -1 \leq s \leq 0$$

$$K^* : H^s(\Gamma) \rightarrow H^s(\Gamma), \quad -1 \leq s \leq 0$$

$$K : H^s(\Gamma) \rightarrow H^s(\Gamma), \quad 0 \leq s \leq 1$$

$$N : H^s(\Gamma) \rightarrow H^{s-1}(\Gamma), \quad 0 \leq s \leq 1$$

# Acoustic Integral Equations (Closed Manifolds)

Sound - soft

$$\left( S \frac{\partial u}{\partial \mathbf{n}} \right) (\mathbf{x}) = u^i(\mathbf{x}), \quad \mathbf{x} \in \Gamma$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial u}{\partial \mathbf{n}} + \left( K^* \frac{\partial u}{\partial \mathbf{n}} \right) (\mathbf{x}) = \frac{\partial u^i(\mathbf{x})}{\partial \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x})}, \quad \mathbf{x} \in \Gamma$$

Sound - hard

$$(N u)(\mathbf{x}) = -\frac{\partial u^i(\mathbf{x})}{\partial \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x})}, \quad \mathbf{x} \in \Gamma$$

$$\frac{1}{2} u - (K u)(\mathbf{x}) = u^i(\mathbf{x}), \quad \mathbf{x} \in \Gamma$$

Neither is uniquely solvable when  $-k^2$  is an eigenvalue of the interior Neumann or Dirichlet Laplacian !

Calderon Projectors [Calderon '54]

$$C_{ext} = \begin{pmatrix} -K & S \\ -N & K^* \end{pmatrix}, \quad C_{ext}^2 = C_{ext}$$

$$(K^*)^2 - N S = \frac{I}{4}, \quad K^2 - S N = \frac{I}{4}$$

# Electromagnetic Integral Equations (Closed Manifolds)

$$\begin{pmatrix} -\frac{I}{2} - \mathcal{K} & \mathcal{T} \\ -\mathcal{T} & -\frac{I}{2} - \mathcal{K} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{n} \times \vec{\mathbf{E}}^s \\ \mathbf{n} \times \vec{\mathbf{H}}^s \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(\mathcal{K}\vec{\mathbf{a}})(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x}) \times \int_{\Gamma} \nabla_{\mathbf{y}} G_k(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}) \times \vec{\mathbf{a}}(\mathbf{y}) d\sigma(\mathbf{y}) \quad (\vec{\mathbf{a}} \cdot \mathbf{n} = 0)$$

$$\begin{aligned} (\mathcal{T}\vec{\mathbf{a}})(\mathbf{x}) &= ik\mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x}) \times \int_{\Gamma} G_k(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}) \vec{\mathbf{a}}(\mathbf{y}) d\sigma(\mathbf{y}) \\ &+ \frac{i}{k} \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x}) \times \text{PV} \int_{\Gamma} \nabla_{\mathbf{x}} G_k(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}) \text{div}_{\Gamma} \vec{\mathbf{a}}(\mathbf{y}) d\sigma(\mathbf{y}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathcal{K} : H_{\text{div}}^{-\frac{1}{2}}(\Gamma) \rightarrow H_{\text{div}}^{\frac{1}{2}}(\Gamma), \quad \mathbf{n} \times \mathcal{T} : H_{\text{div}}^{-\frac{1}{2}}(\Gamma) \rightarrow H_{\text{curl}}^{-\frac{1}{2}}(\Gamma)$$

$$\vec{\mathbf{J}} = \mathbf{n} \times \vec{\mathbf{H}} \quad \begin{pmatrix} \frac{I}{2} - \mathcal{K} & \mathcal{T} \\ -\mathcal{T} & \frac{I}{2} - \mathcal{K} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{0} \\ \vec{\mathbf{J}} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{n} \times \vec{\mathbf{E}}^s \\ \mathbf{n} \times \vec{\mathbf{H}}^s \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{MFIE} \quad \frac{\vec{\mathbf{J}}}{2} + \mathcal{K}\vec{\mathbf{J}} = \mathbf{n} \times \mathbf{H}^i$$

$$\text{EFIE} \quad \mathcal{T}\vec{\mathbf{J}} = -\mathbf{n} \times \mathbf{E}^i$$

# Unique Solvability Acoustics: CFIE (Closed Manifolds)

[Brackhage & Werner, Panich, Burton & Miller]

**Sound - Soft**  $u^s(\mathbf{z}) = (u_{\text{DL}}\phi)(\mathbf{z}) - i\gamma(u_{\text{SL}}\phi)(\mathbf{z})$

**ICFIE**  $\frac{1}{2}\phi(\mathbf{x}) + (K\phi)(\mathbf{x}) - i\gamma(S\phi)(\mathbf{x}) = -u^i(\mathbf{x}), \mathbf{x} \in \Gamma$

**CFIE**  $\frac{1}{2}\frac{\partial u}{\partial \mathbf{n}}(\mathbf{x}) + \left(K^* \frac{\partial u}{\partial \mathbf{n}}\right)(\mathbf{x}) - i\gamma\left(S \frac{\partial u}{\partial \mathbf{n}}\right)(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{\partial u^i}{\partial \mathbf{n}}(\mathbf{x}) - i\gamma u^i(\mathbf{x})$

**Sound - Hard**  $u^s(\mathbf{z}) = (u_{\text{SL}}\psi)(\mathbf{z}) + i\gamma(u_{\text{DL}}\psi)(\mathbf{z})$

**ICFIE**  $\frac{1}{2}\psi(\mathbf{x}) + (K^*\psi)(\mathbf{x}) + i\gamma(N\psi)(\mathbf{x}) = -\frac{\partial u^i(\mathbf{x})}{\partial \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x})}, \mathbf{x} \in \Gamma$

**CFIE**  $\frac{1}{2}u(\mathbf{x}) - (K u)(\mathbf{x}) + i\gamma(N u)(\mathbf{x}) = u^i(\mathbf{x}) - i\gamma\frac{\partial u^i(\mathbf{x})}{\partial \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x})}, \mathbf{x} \in \Gamma$

Fredholmness ensured if  $K, K^* : L^2(\Gamma) \rightarrow L^2(\Gamma)$  *compact* :  $\Gamma$  *smooth*

# Unique Solvability Electromagnetics: CFIE (Closed Manifolds)

[Harrington & Mautz, Kress]

$$\text{CFIE} \quad \frac{\vec{\mathbf{J}}}{2} + \mathcal{K}\vec{\mathbf{J}} + \eta_1(\mathbf{n} \times \mathcal{T})(\vec{\mathbf{J}}) = \mathbf{n} \times \mathbf{H}^i - \eta_1 \mathbf{n} \times \mathbf{E}^i$$

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{\mathbf{E}}(\mathbf{z}) &= (\mathcal{M}\vec{\mathbf{a}} + i\eta_2\mathcal{E}(\mathbf{n} \times \vec{\mathbf{a}}))(\mathbf{z}) = \text{curl} \int_{\Gamma} G_k(\mathbf{z} - \mathbf{y})\vec{\mathbf{a}}(\mathbf{y})d\sigma(\mathbf{y}) \\ &+ i\eta_2 \text{curl} \text{curl} \int_{\Gamma} G_k(\mathbf{z} - \mathbf{y})(\mathbf{n}(\mathbf{y}) \times \vec{\mathbf{a}}(\mathbf{y}))d\sigma(\mathbf{y}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{ICFIE} \quad \frac{\vec{\mathbf{a}}}{2} - \mathcal{K}\vec{\mathbf{a}} + \eta_2 k \mathcal{T}(\mathbf{n} \times \vec{\mathbf{a}}) = -\mathbf{n} \times \vec{\mathbf{E}}^i$$

Fredholmness ensured if  $\mathcal{K} : H_{\text{div}}^{-\frac{1}{2}} \rightarrow H_{\text{div}}^{-\frac{1}{2}}$  *compact* :  $\Gamma$  *smooth*

# Variational Formulations Acoustics (BEM)

**Sound - Soft**

$$\left( S_k \frac{\partial u}{\partial \mathbf{n}} \right) (\mathbf{x}) = u^i(\mathbf{x}), \quad \mathbf{x} \in \Gamma$$

$$\frac{1}{4\pi} \int_{\Gamma} \int_{\Gamma} \frac{e^{ik|\mathbf{x}-\mathbf{y}|}}{|\mathbf{x}-\mathbf{y}|} \frac{\partial u}{\partial \mathbf{n}}(\mathbf{y}) \psi(\mathbf{x}) d\sigma(\mathbf{x}) d\sigma(\mathbf{y}) = \int_{\Gamma} u^i(\mathbf{x}) \psi(\mathbf{x}) d\sigma(\mathbf{x}), \quad \forall \psi \in H^{-\frac{1}{2}}(\Gamma)$$

**Sound - Hard**

$$(N_k u)(\mathbf{x}) = -\frac{\partial u^i(\mathbf{x})}{\partial \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x})}, \quad \mathbf{x} \in \Gamma$$

$$\frac{1}{4\pi} \int_{\Gamma} \int_{\Gamma} \frac{e^{ik|\mathbf{x}-\mathbf{y}|}}{|\mathbf{x}-\mathbf{y}|} (\overrightarrow{\text{curl}}_{\Gamma} u(\mathbf{y}) \cdot \overrightarrow{\text{curl}} \psi(\mathbf{x})) d\sigma(\mathbf{x}) d\sigma(\mathbf{y}) - \frac{k^2}{4\pi} \int_{\Gamma} \int_{\Gamma} \frac{e^{ik|\mathbf{x}-\mathbf{y}|}}{|\mathbf{x}-\mathbf{y}|} u(\mathbf{y}) \psi(\mathbf{x}) (\mathbf{n}(\mathbf{y}) \cdot \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x})) d\sigma(\mathbf{x}) d\sigma(\mathbf{y}) = \int_{\Gamma} \frac{\partial u^i(\mathbf{x})}{\partial \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x})} \psi(\mathbf{x}) d\sigma(\mathbf{x}), \quad \forall \psi \in H^{\frac{1}{2}}(\Gamma)$$

*Existence + uniqueness*  $-k^2$  not an eigenvalue of the int Dirichlet/Neumann Laplacian: **Gårding Inequality**

$$S_0 : H^{-\frac{1}{2}}(\Gamma) \rightarrow H^{\frac{1}{2}}(\Gamma) \quad \text{coercive} \quad \int_{\Gamma} (S_0 \psi) \bar{\psi} d\sigma \geq \alpha \|\psi\|_{H^{-\frac{1}{2}}(\Gamma)}^2, \quad \alpha > 0$$

$$N_0 : H^{\frac{1}{2}}(\Gamma)/\mathbf{R} \rightarrow H^{-\frac{1}{2},0}(\Gamma) \quad \int_{\Gamma} \int_{\Gamma} \frac{(\overrightarrow{\text{curl}}_{\Gamma} \psi(\mathbf{y}) \cdot \overrightarrow{\text{curl}} \psi(\mathbf{x}))}{4\pi|\mathbf{x}-\mathbf{y}|} d\sigma(\mathbf{x}) d\sigma(\mathbf{y}) \geq \alpha \|\psi\|_{H^{\frac{1}{2}}(\Gamma)/\mathbf{R}}^2$$

$$S_k - S_0 : H^{-\frac{1}{2}}(\Gamma) \rightarrow H^1(\Gamma) \hookrightarrow H^{\frac{1}{2}}(\Gamma)$$

CFIE cannot use *natural trace spaces*  $\rightarrow$  weak form in  $L^2(\Gamma)$

# Variational Formulations EM (BEM)

$\mathbf{n} \times \mathcal{T} : H_{\text{div}}^{-\frac{1}{2}}(\Gamma) \rightarrow H_{\text{curl}}^{-\frac{1}{2}}(\Gamma)$ , duality  $H_{\text{div}}^{-\frac{1}{2}}(\Gamma)$  and  $H_{\text{curl}}^{-\frac{1}{2}}(\Gamma)$

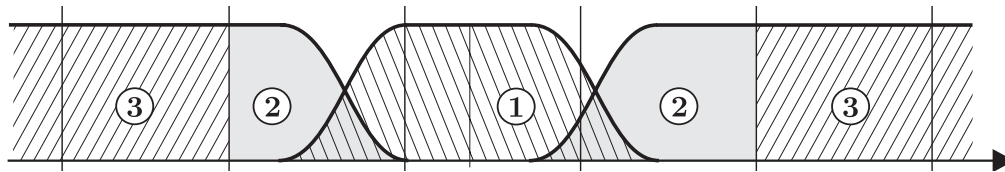
$$\begin{aligned} \text{Rumsey} : ik \int_{\Gamma} \int_{\Gamma} G_k(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y})(\mathbf{J}(\mathbf{y}) \cdot \mathbf{j}(\mathbf{x})) d\sigma(\mathbf{y}) d\sigma(\mathbf{x}) \\ - \frac{i}{k} \int_{\Gamma} \int_{\Gamma} G_k(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}) \text{div}_{\Gamma} \mathbf{J}(\mathbf{y}) \text{div}_{\Gamma} \mathbf{j}(\mathbf{x}) d\sigma(\mathbf{y}) d\sigma(\mathbf{x}) = \\ - \int_{\Gamma} \mathbf{E}^i(\mathbf{x}) \cdot \mathbf{j}(\mathbf{x}) d\sigma(\mathbf{x}), \quad \forall \mathbf{j} \in H_{\text{div}}^{-\frac{1}{2}}(\Gamma) \end{aligned}$$

- Fredholm alternative available [Bendali, Nedelec]- inf-sup conditions
- Saddle point (mixed) formulation:  $\mathbf{j} = \mathbf{g} + \overrightarrow{\text{curl}}_{\Gamma} \mathbf{p}$
- Use the Helmholtz decomposition, saddle point (mixed) formulation [De La Bourdonnaye]
- Discrete problem: conforming elements (Raviart-Thomas) in  $H_{\text{div}}$  [Bendali, Nedelec]; discrete inf-sup conditions

# High-order Numerical Methods: Nystrom Methods

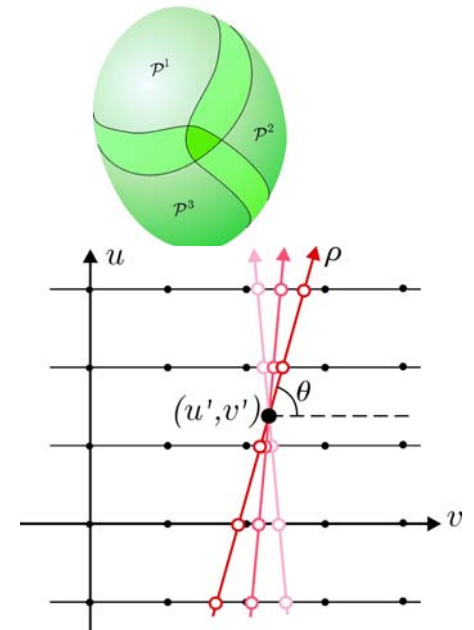
*Challenge: the singularity of the Green's function*

- *Homeomorphisms to Unit Sphere and use of Spherical harmonics*  
[Kress, Wienert, Ganesh, Graham]
- *AIM [Bleszynski et al.], FFT based [Catedra et al., Philips]*
- *Multipole based [Rokhlin, Wandzura et al., Chew et al.]*
- *Partitions of Unity and polar coordinate cov for weakly singular kernels to treat the adjacent interactions [Bruno & Kunyansky]*



$$\int_{\partial\mathcal{D}} \dots ds = \sum_j \int_{\mathcal{P}_j} \dots w_j(u_j, v_j) du_j dv_j$$

$$L(u', v', \theta) = \int_{-r_1}^{r_1} f_k^*(\rho, \theta) \frac{|\rho|}{|\mathbf{R}|} \cos k |\mathbf{R}| \frac{\mathbf{R} \cdot \boldsymbol{\nu}(r)}{\mathbf{R}^2} d\rho$$



# High-order Nystrom Methods

[Bruno & Kunyansky '01]

*Scattering by a sphere of radius  $2.7 \lambda$*

Patches	Unknowns	Discretization density	Max Error	RMS
$6 \times 17 \times 17$	1350	3 per $1\lambda$	0.1	$2.9 \times 10^{-2}$
$6 \times 33 \times 33$	5766	6 per $1\lambda$	$9.0 \times 10^{-4}$	$1.8 \times 10^{-4}$
$6 \times 65 \times 65$	23790	12 per $1\lambda$	$3.6 \times 10^{-6}$	$1.4 \times 10^{-6}$
$6 \times 129 \times 129$	93726	24 per $1\lambda$	$1.6 \times 10^{-8}$	$5.6 \times 10^{-9}$

*Doubling the discretization density improves the accuracy by 200 to 300 times!*

Algorithm	Rad.	Time	Unknowns	RMS Error
Nystrom [1]	$2.7\lambda$	1953s (setup)	5400	2.3%
Galerkin [1]	$2.7\lambda$	38803s (setup)	5400	0.48%
Br.& Kun.	$2.7\lambda$	294s	2526	0.068%
Br.& Kun.	$2.7\lambda$	1430s	5430	0.0025%

[1] Wandzura et al. '98

# High-order Nystrom Methods

Challenge: hypersingular operators, smooth manifolds

$$(N\phi)(\mathbf{x}) = k^2\phi(\mathbf{x}) \int_{\Gamma} G_k(\mathbf{x}-\mathbf{y})(\mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x})\cdot\mathbf{n}(\mathbf{y}))d\sigma(\mathbf{y}) + PV \int_{\Gamma} \frac{\partial^2 G_k(\mathbf{x}-\mathbf{y})}{\partial\mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x})\partial\mathbf{n}(\mathbf{y})}(\phi(\mathbf{y})-\phi(\mathbf{x}))d\sigma(\mathbf{y})$$

polar cov + h.o. quadrature for Hilbert transforms [2D Kress '95, Bruno & Lintner '07, Bruno & Turc '07]

$$\begin{aligned} (\mathcal{T}\vec{\mathbf{a}})(\mathbf{x}) &= ik\mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x}) \times \int_{\Gamma} G_k(\mathbf{x}-\mathbf{y})\vec{\mathbf{a}}(\mathbf{y})d\sigma(\mathbf{y}) \\ &\quad - \frac{i}{k} \int_{\Gamma} (\mathbf{n}(\mathbf{y}) - \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x})) \times \nabla_{\mathbf{x}} G_k(\mathbf{x}-\mathbf{y}) \operatorname{div}_{\Gamma} \vec{\mathbf{a}}(\mathbf{y}) d\sigma(\mathbf{y}) \\ &\quad - \frac{i}{k} \int_{\Gamma} G_k(\mathbf{x}-\mathbf{y}) \overrightarrow{\operatorname{curl}}_{\Gamma} \operatorname{div}_{\Gamma} \vec{\mathbf{a}}(\mathbf{y}) d\sigma(\mathbf{y}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (\mathcal{H}\phi)(\mathbf{x}) &= \sum_{p=1}^P \int_{\mathcal{P}^p} G(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}^p(u^p, v^p), \mathbf{n}^p(u^p, v^p)) w^p(\mathbf{x}(u^p, v^p)) J^p(u^p, v^p) \\ &\quad \cdot \left( \sum_{0 \leq \alpha + \beta \leq 2} c_{\alpha\beta}(u^p, v^p) \partial_{u^p}^{\alpha} \partial_{v^p}^{\beta} \phi^p(u^p, v^p) \right) du^p dv^p \end{aligned}$$

the derivatives of the densities  $\phi^p$  through derivatives of *periodic* functions only ! [Bruno & Turc '07]

# High-Order Numerical Methods (Sound-hard)

*Challenge: spectral distribution of the hyper-singular operators in CFIE not suitable for iterative solvers*

$$N = OPS(1); \Gamma = \mathbf{S}^2 : N Y_n^m = -ik^3 (j_n^{(k)})' (h_n^{(1)}(k))' = \mathcal{O}(n)$$

*Use high-frequency local approximations of the Neumann—to—Dirichlet operator in the illuminated region **only** [Levadoux '01, Antoine et al. '05]*

$$\partial_{\mathbf{n}} u^s = \left( \frac{I}{2} - K^* \right) \partial_{\mathbf{n}} u^s - N u^s \text{ on } \Gamma$$

$$\partial_{\mathbf{n}} u^s|_{\Gamma} \rightarrow u^s|_{\Gamma} = (ND) \partial_{\mathbf{n}} u^s|_{\Gamma}, \quad ND : H^{-\frac{1}{2}}(\Gamma) \rightarrow H^{\frac{1}{2}}(\Gamma)$$

- local approximations of **ND** operator require straightening of the curved boundary and (local) high-frequency approximations or high-order OSRC; valid only for convex obstacles*
- Nedelec and Christiansen '02 : precondition  $N$  with  $S$  in a BEM framework; non SPD problem, the spectral condition number of the preconditioned matrix – bounded independently of the mesh refinement, when uniform inf-sup conditions hold on the Galerkin spaces; does not remove the spurious resonances*

# High-Order Numerical Methods (Sound-hard)

*Smooth Closed Manifolds: Regularized CFIE [Kress '85, Amini '90, Bruno & Turc '07]*

$$u^s(\mathbf{z}) = (u_{\text{SL}} \phi)(\mathbf{z}) + i\eta(u_{\text{DL}} \circ \mathcal{R}\phi)(\mathbf{z})$$

**RICFIE**  $\frac{1}{2}\phi + (K^* \phi) + i\eta(N \circ \mathcal{R})\phi = -u^i$

$\mathcal{R} = S_{ik_1}, S_0^2$ , *coercive*  $\rightarrow$  Fredholm Op of index 0 in **RICFIE**;

*Choice of the coupling parameter and wavenumber  $k_1$  in  $\mathcal{R}$*

*Use the exact eigenvalues for the sphere:*

- minimize the condition number of the resulting diagonal matrix: Kress '85, Amini '90*
- minimize the number of GMRES iterations for the diagonal matrix*

# *Number of iterations to $10^{-4}$ GMRES residual and far field max errors (off-centered point-source inside; app 6 points/wavelength)*

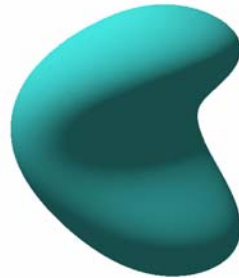
Unit Sphere

Ellipsoid  $a = 1, b = 0.25, c = 0.375$

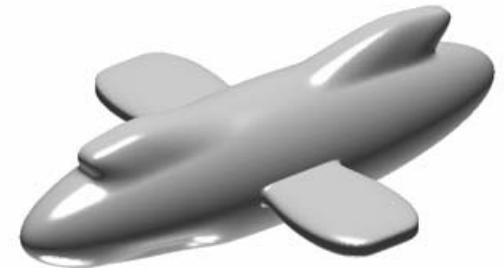
Size	Unknowns	ICFIE		RICFIE	
		Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$	Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$
$2.5\lambda$	5766	9	$2.5e-05$	5	$1.7e-05$
$5.1\lambda$	18150	7	$1.7e-05$	4	$2.2e-05$

Size	Unknowns	ICFIE		RICFIE	
		Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$	Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$
$2.5\lambda$	5766	29	$3.4e-05$	11	$2.5e-05$
$5.1\lambda$	18150	26	$1.8e-05$	12	$1.4e-05$

Bean



Airplane



Size	Unknowns	ICFIE		RICFIE	
		Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$	Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$
$2.5\lambda$	5766	23	$6.6e-05$	10	$5.3e-05$
$5.1\lambda$	18150	25	$1.6e-05$	11	$1.4e-05$

Size	Unknowns	ICFIE		RICFIE	
		Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$	Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$
$2.5\lambda$	24200	119	$3.5e-03$	14	$5.6e-04$
$5.1\lambda$	24200	75	$4.1e-03$	18	$2.3e-04$

*One RCFIE iteration is **only 1.2** times more expansive than the CFIE !*

# High-Order Numerical Methods: EM

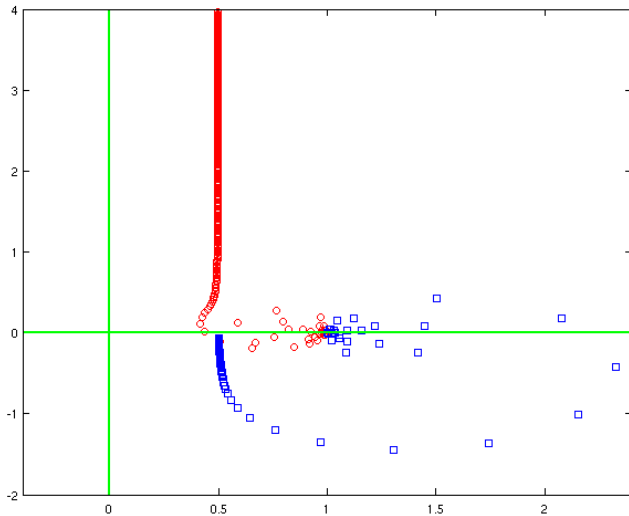
The electric operator  $\mathcal{T}$  [Bendali '84, etc]

$$\mathbf{n} \times \mathcal{T} = ik(-\mathcal{T}_1 + \mathcal{T}_2 + S_0 \Pi_H) + \text{Compact}$$

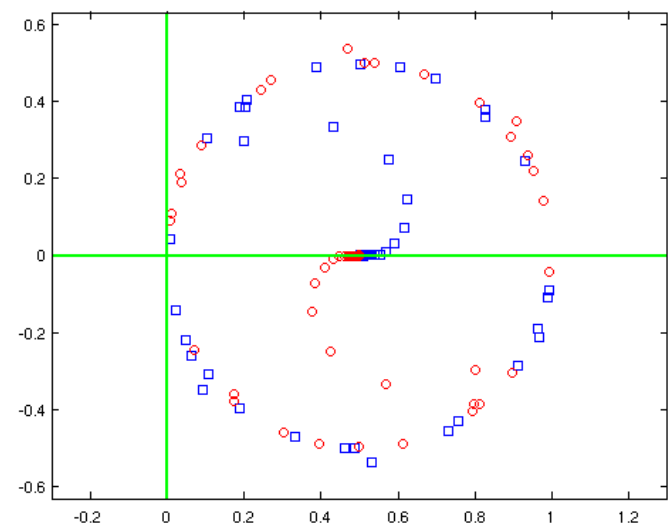
$$\mathcal{T}_1 = \frac{1}{k^2} (-\nabla_\Gamma) S_0 \text{div}_\Gamma \quad \mathcal{T}_2 = \overrightarrow{\text{curl}} \Delta_\Gamma^{-1} \text{curl}_\Gamma \overrightarrow{S}_0 \overrightarrow{\text{curl}} \Delta_\Gamma^{-1} \text{curl}_\Gamma$$

CFIE Spectral Properties Unit Sphere [Kress '85]

Eigenvalues *CFIE*,  $k=32$



Eigenvalues *MFIE*,  $k=32$



$$\left(\frac{I}{2} + \mathcal{K} + \eta_1 \mathbf{n} \times \mathcal{T}\right) (\nabla_S Y_n^m) = \text{CFIE}_n^{(1)} \nabla_S Y_n^m,$$

$$\text{CFIE}_n^{(1)} = \frac{1}{2} + \lambda_n - \eta_1 \Lambda_n^{(2)}$$

$$\left(\frac{I}{2} + \mathcal{K} + \eta_1 \mathbf{n} \times \mathcal{T}\right) (\overrightarrow{\text{curl}}_S Y_n^m) = \text{CFIE}_n^{(2)} \overrightarrow{\text{curl}}_S Y_n^m,$$

$$\text{CFIE}_n^{(2)} = \frac{1}{2} - \lambda_n + \eta_1 \Lambda_n^{(1)}$$

# High-Order Numerical Methods:EM

Use high-frequency approximations of the admittance operator in the illuminated region **only** (Adams '01, Levadoux '05)

$$\begin{pmatrix} -\frac{I}{2} - \mathcal{K} & \mathcal{T} \\ -\mathcal{T} & -\frac{I}{2} - \mathcal{K} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{n} \times \vec{\mathbf{E}}^s \\ \mathbf{n} \times \vec{\mathbf{H}}^s \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{n} \times \vec{\mathbf{H}}^s = \mathcal{C}(\mathbf{n} \times \vec{\mathbf{E}}^s)$$

- local approximations of  $\mathcal{C}$  require straightening of the curved boundary and (local) high-frequency approximations; the composition of the operators is expensive!
- a global approximation to the admittance operator would require Fourier-Airy integral operators to treat shadow boundaries and GO solutions for non-convex geometries

# Mollify the effect of $T$ : Calderon Projectors

[Calderon '54, Povzner & Sukharevskii '60]

$$\begin{pmatrix} -\frac{I}{2} - \mathcal{K} & \mathcal{T} \\ -\mathcal{T} & -\frac{I}{2} - \mathcal{K} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{n} \times \vec{\mathbf{E}}^s \\ \mathbf{n} \times \vec{\mathbf{H}}^s \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0} \end{pmatrix}$$
$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{I}{2} - \mathcal{K} & \mathcal{T} \\ -\mathcal{T} & \frac{I}{2} - \mathcal{K} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{0} \\ \vec{\mathbf{J}} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{n} \times \vec{\mathbf{E}}^s \\ \mathbf{n} \times \vec{\mathbf{H}}^s \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathcal{T}^2 = \frac{I}{4} - \mathcal{K}^2$$

- *Nedelec and Christiansen '02: precondition EFIE with itself in a BEM framework; does not remove the spurious resonances: the effect of resonances studied by Christiansen '04*
- *convergence achieved only on a subspace of the Raviart-Thomas elements*

# Regularized CFIE

[Rokhlin et al. '02, Bruno & Turc '07]

$$\vec{\mathbf{E}}^s(\mathbf{z}) = \text{curl} \int_{\Gamma} G_k(\mathbf{z} - \mathbf{y}) \vec{\mathbf{a}}(\mathbf{y}) d\sigma(\mathbf{y}) + i\xi \text{curl} \text{curl} \int_{\Gamma} G_k(\mathbf{z} - \mathbf{y}) (\mathbf{n}(\mathbf{y}) \times (\mathcal{R}\vec{\mathbf{a}})(\mathbf{y})) d\sigma(\mathbf{y})$$

$$\text{ICFIE-R} \quad \frac{\vec{\mathbf{a}}}{2} + \mathcal{K}\vec{\mathbf{a}} + \xi k \mathcal{T}(\mathbf{n} \times (\mathcal{R}\vec{\mathbf{a}})) = -\mathbf{n} \times \vec{\mathbf{E}}^i$$

$$\text{DCFIE-R} \quad \frac{\vec{\mathbf{J}}}{2} - \mathcal{K}\vec{\mathbf{J}} + \xi k (\mathbf{n} \times \mathcal{R}) \circ \mathcal{T}\vec{\mathbf{J}} = \mathbf{n} \times \vec{\mathbf{H}}^i - \xi k (\mathbf{n} \times \mathcal{R})(\mathbf{n} \times \vec{\mathbf{E}}^i)$$

Choose  $\mathcal{R}$  appropriately  $\rightarrow$  Fredholm operator in **ICFIE\_R**;  
coercivity - index 0

Rokhlin et al. : in DCFIE-R choose  $\mathbf{n} \times \mathcal{R} = \mathcal{T}(ik)$ ; results presented for  
low frequency only

Bruno & Turc: use the properties of the single-layer operator -  
spectral distribution is well suited for iterative solution;

$$(\mathbf{n} \times \mathbf{S}_k \vec{\mathbf{a}})(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x}) \times \int_{\Gamma} G_k(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}) \vec{\mathbf{a}}(\mathbf{y}) d\sigma(\mathbf{x})$$

$$\mathcal{R}_{ik_1, \alpha} = \mathbf{S}_{ik_1} (\mathbf{I} + \alpha \nabla_{\Gamma} \text{div}_{\Gamma}), \quad k_1 \geq 0, \quad \alpha \leq 0$$

# Choices of the Regularizing Operators

$$\text{CFIE} = \frac{I}{2} + \mathcal{K} + \eta \mathbf{n} \times \mathcal{T}$$

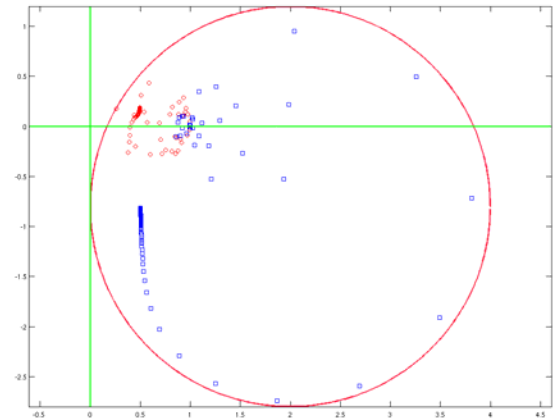
$$\text{ICFIE} - R_0 = \frac{I}{2} + \mathcal{K} + \xi k \mathcal{T} \left( \mathbf{n} \times \mathcal{R}_{0, -\frac{1}{k^2}}^{(1)} \right)$$

$$\text{ICFIE} - R_1 = \frac{I}{2} + \mathcal{K} + \xi k \mathcal{T} \left( \mathbf{n} \times \mathcal{R}_{ik_1, -\frac{1}{k_1^2}}^{(1)} \right)$$

$$\text{DCFIE} - R_1 = \frac{I}{2} - \mathcal{K} + \xi k \left( \mathbf{n} \times \mathcal{R}_{ik_1, -\frac{1}{k_1^2}}^{(1)} \right) \circ \mathcal{T}$$

$$\text{CFIE}_{[1]} = \frac{I}{2} - \mathcal{K} + ik^2 \mathcal{T}(ik) \circ \mathcal{T}(ik)$$

Eigenvalue clustering  
*ICFIE*- $R_1$ ,  $k=32$



[1] : Rokhlin *et al.* : Well conditioned boundary integral equations for three dimensional electromagnetic scattering '02

*Coupling parameter: use the exact eigenvalues for the sphere to minimize the number of GMRES iterations*

*Number of iterations to  $10^{-4}$  GMRES  
residual and far field max errors (plane-wave  
incidence; used app 6 points/wavelength)*

Unit Sphere

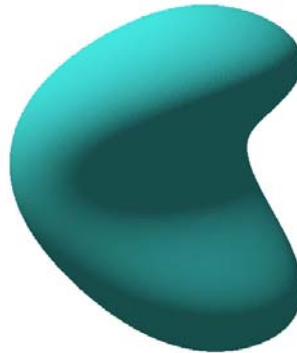
Size	Unknowns	ICFIE – R <sub>0</sub>		ICFIE – R <sub>1</sub>		DCFIE – R <sub>1</sub>		CFIE <sub>[1]</sub>		CFIE	
		Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$	Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$	Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$	Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$	Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$
2.5 $\lambda$	11532	11	4.2e-04	9	4.7e-04	9	5.8e-04	11	3.4e-03	26	5.6e-04
5.1 $\lambda$	36300	17	2.4e-04	10	3.1e-04	10	2.7e-04	13	2.1e-03	27	2.3e-04
10.2 $\lambda$	76800	24	1.7e-04	12	2.9e-04	12	3.7e-04	17	1.9e-03	33	2.9e-04

Elongated ellipsoid  $a = 1, b = 0.25, c = 0.375$

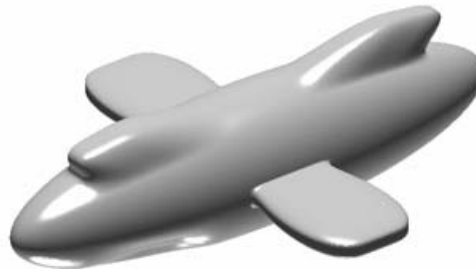
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		Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$	Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$	Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$	Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$	Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$
2.5 $\lambda$	11532	7	6.4e-05	11	1.2e-04	9	1.9e-04	20	1.8e-03	52	2.8e-04
5.1 $\lambda$	36300	12	4.6e-05	12	7.9e-05	13	8.6e-05	27	5.9e-04	59	9.9e-05
10.2 $\lambda$	76800	13	8.9e-05	12	9.9e-05	11	9.9e-05	16	4.0e-04	93	9.2e-05

*One CFIE-R iteration is **only 1.3** more expansive than  
the CFIE one and **1.5 less expensive** than CFIE<sub>[1]</sub>!*

# *Number of iterations to $10^{-4}$ GMRES residual and far field max errors*



Size	Unknowns	ICFIE – $R_0$		ICFIE – $R_1$		DCFIE – $R_1$		CFIE <sub>[1]</sub>		CFIE	
		Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$	Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$	Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$	Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$	Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$
2.5 $\lambda$	11532	15	1.5e-04	12	2.6e-04	11	3.3e-04	17	1.9e-03	38	3.8e-04
5.1 $\lambda$	36300	18	1.1e-04	11	2.9e-04	10	2.1e-04	16	4.0e-04	46	1.8e-04
10.2 $\lambda$	76800	25	1.3e-04	12	2.6e-04	12	2.0e-04	16	1.2e-03	53	1.5e-04



Size	Unknowns	ICFIE – $R_0$		ICFIE – $R_1$		DCFIE – $R_1$		CFIE <sub>[1]</sub>		CFIE	
		Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$	Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$	Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$	Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$	Iter.	$\epsilon_\infty$
2.5 $\lambda$	48400	28	2.1e-02	27	2.5e-02	42	1.4e-02	151	8.0e-02	> 300	1.8e-02
5.1 $\lambda$	48400	48	3.2e-03	33	7.9e-03	33	7.2e-03	179	4.5e-02	> 300	1.0e-02

# Closed Lipschitz Manifolds

*Classical CFIE* :  $K, K^* : L^2(\Gamma) \rightarrow L^2(\Gamma)$  not compact  
[Fabes, Jodeit, Lewis, Verchota, Kenig, Coiffman, Meyer, Jerison]

*Regularized CFIE Ac and EM (polygons)* [Buffa & Hiptmair '06]

$$u^s(\mathbf{z}) = u_{\text{DL}}(\mathcal{R}\phi)(\mathbf{z}) - i\gamma(u_{\text{SL}}\phi)(\mathbf{z})$$

$$\mathcal{R} : H^{-\frac{1}{2}}(\Gamma) \rightarrow H^{\frac{1}{2}}(\Gamma) \text{ compact + coercive}$$

$$\text{RICFIE} \quad \frac{1}{2}\mathcal{R}\phi + (K \circ \mathcal{R})\phi - i\gamma S\phi = -u^i$$

$$(\nabla_{\Gamma}\mathcal{R}\phi, \nabla_{\Gamma}v) = (\phi, v), \quad \forall v \in H_0^1(\Gamma_1) \times \cdots \times H_0^1(\Gamma_n), \quad \phi \in H^{-1}(\Gamma)$$

*High-Order Nystrom: Edge effects* [Bruno & Paffenroth '05]

$K, K^*, \mathcal{K}$  are (PV) Calderon-Zygmund op + Densities are singular

- *Acoustic*: use the Holder continuity of the solution; rewrite CFIE with terms that are uniformly integrable across edges
- *EM*: extract the leading order singularity in the current; solve eigenvalue problem

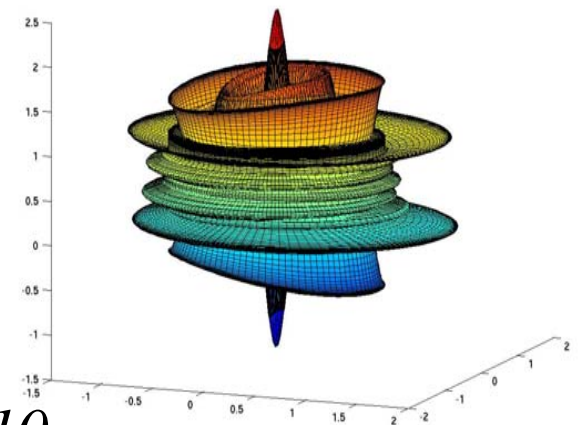
# High-Order Nystrom: Closed Manifolds Edges

*Cylinder of radius 1 and height 1*

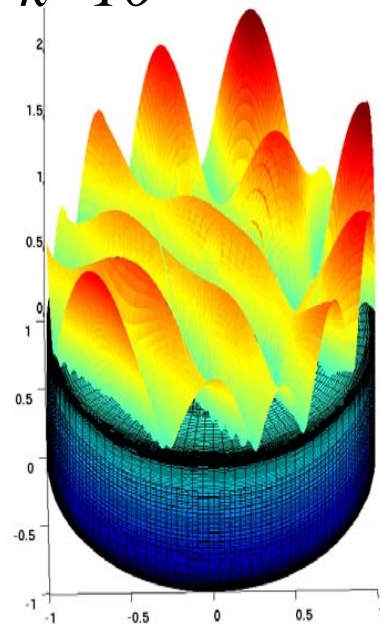
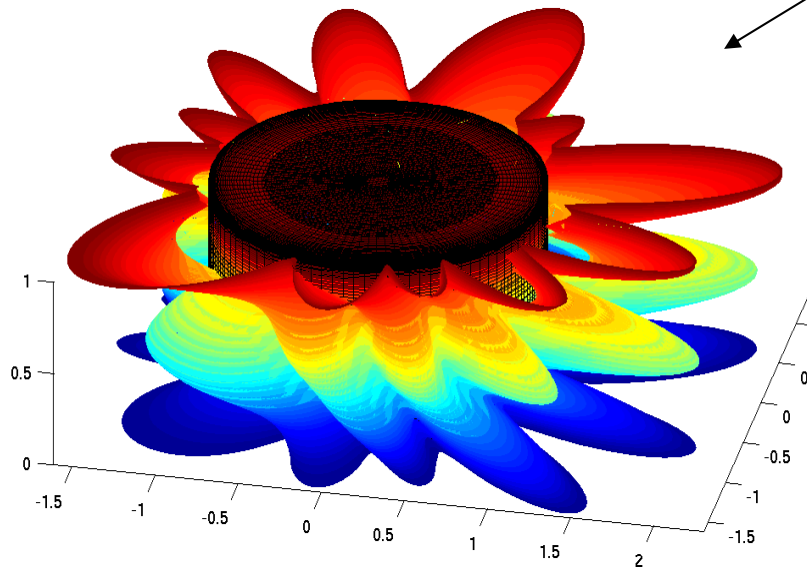
$k = 10, 20$

Discretization	$k$	Normalized Max. Error
$10 \times 65 \times 65$	10	$1.7 \cdot 10^{-4}$
$10 \times 65 \times 65$	20	$2.0 \cdot 10^{-3}$

a) *Point source,  $k=10$*

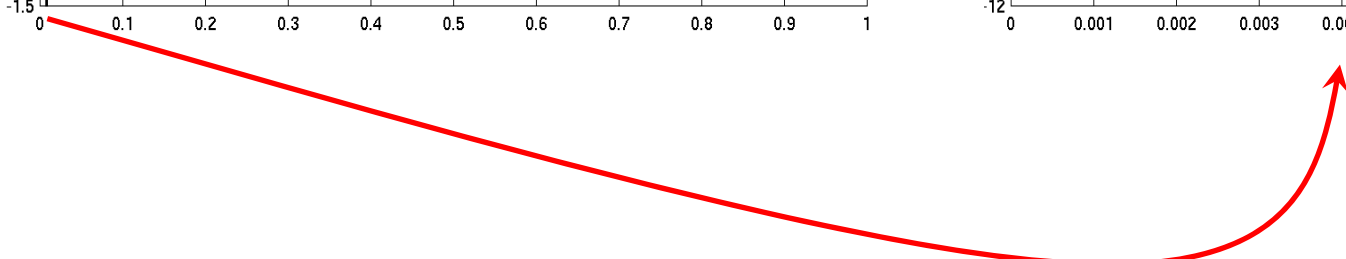
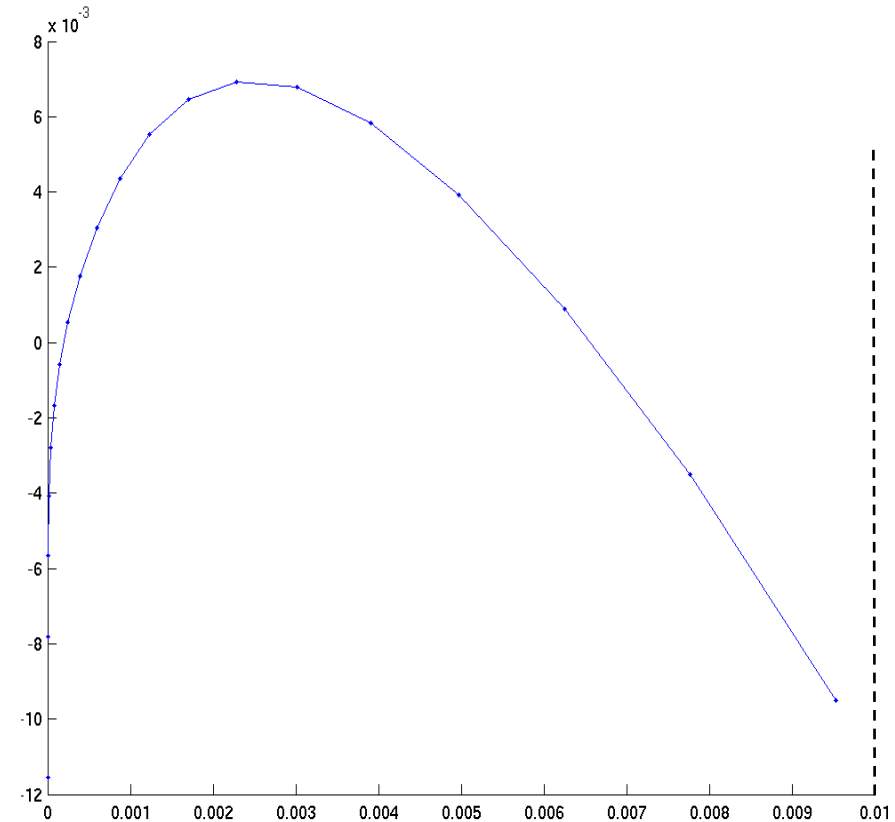
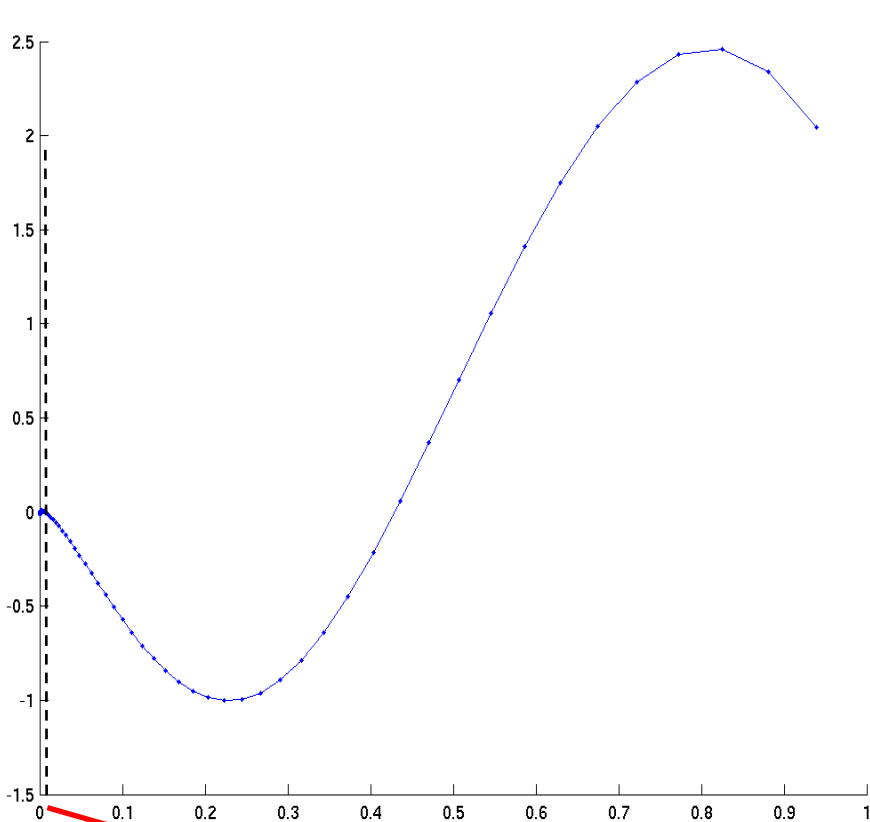


b) *Plane wave incidence,  $k=10$*

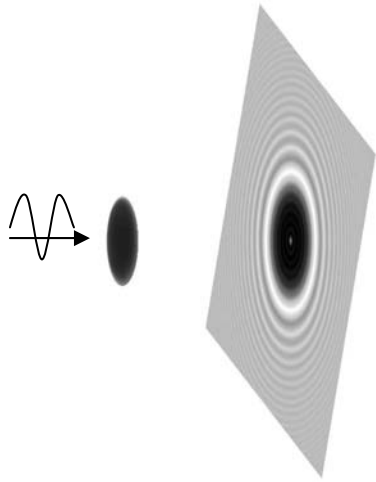


# High-Order Nystrom: Closed Manifolds Edges

*Current along a radius – focus near the edge*



# Open Surfaces: Boundary Value Problem



$$S \varphi = -u^i \quad N \psi = -\frac{\partial u^i}{\partial \mathbf{n}}$$

- *Ill Posed... Solutions exist and are unique [Stephan '87]*
- *In the neighborhood of the edge, the densities are singular  $\varphi \sim \frac{1}{\sqrt{d}}$   $\psi \sim \sqrt{d}$*
- *Calderon relations are not valid*

*Singularities+First Kind Equations = A significant computational challenge*

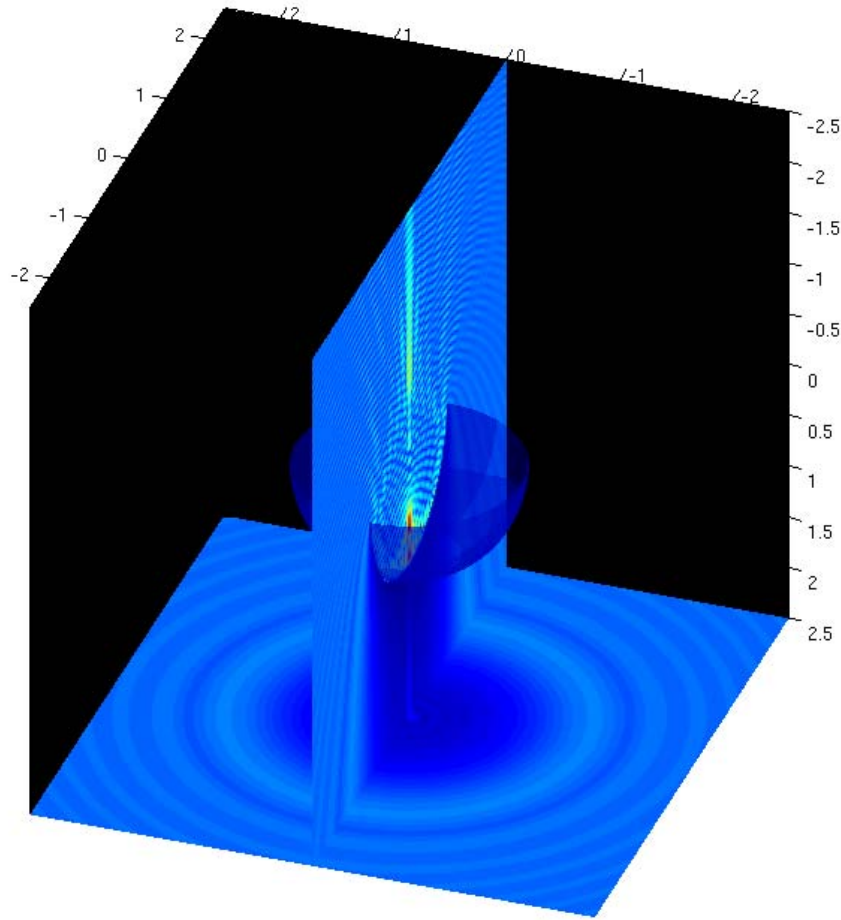
*Bruno & Lintner '07: New "Regular second-kind (RSK) equations" + high-order numerical solution*

$\omega(y) \sim \sqrt{d(y)}$ ,  $d(y)$  the distance to the edge

$$N_\omega(\psi)(x) = \frac{\partial}{\partial n(x)} \int_\Gamma \frac{\partial G_k(x, y)}{\partial n(y)} \psi(y) \omega(y) dS_y \quad S_\omega(\varphi)(x) = \int_\Gamma G_k(x, y) \frac{\varphi(y)}{\omega(y)} dS_y$$

*These operators map smooth functions to smooth functions [Costabel, Dauge, Duduchava '01]*

# 3D Open Surfaces: Precondition $N_\omega$ by $S_\omega$

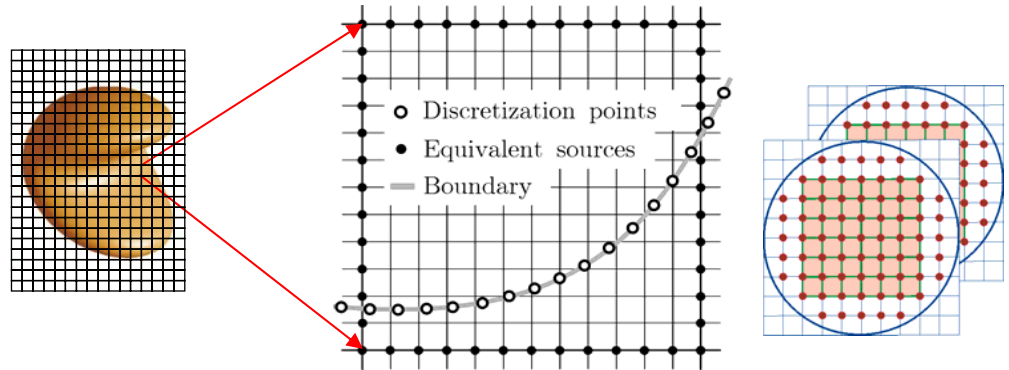


$kD$	Unknowns	RFK Iters.	RSK Iters.	Far Field Error
2	64x64x5	7	7	$\leq 1. \times 10^{-5}$
20	64x64x5	20	10	$\leq 1. \times 10^{-5}$
40	64x64x5	51	13	$\leq 1. \times 10^{-4}$
80	64x64x5	130	14	$\leq 1. \times 10^{-3}$

# Fast Methods : Reducing $O(N^2)$

- *Translation-invariant Kernels: use FFTs  $\rightarrow O(N^{3/2} \log N)$  [Bleszynski, Bojarski]; do not exhibit high-order convergence*
- *FMM : interactions between well-separated regions is app of low rank [Rokhlin]; panel clustering [Hackbusch & Nowak], H-matrix framework [Hackbusch et al]; **FMM—subwavelength breakdown***
- *HF-FMM: for larger frequencies, use far-field signatures; uses partial wave expansions, far field signatures, exp expansions, filtering and interpolated spherical harmonics [Rokhlin et al. '06]*

*Non-adjacent interactions:  
Equivalent Sources  
[Bruno et al.]*

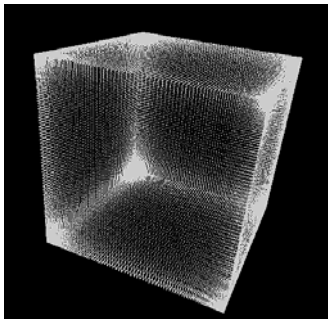


- *High-Order, Fast, Stable, Accurate  $O(N^{6/5} \log(N))$  -  $O(N^{4/3} \log(N))$  operations*
- *Acceleration strategy does not lead to accuracy breakdowns*

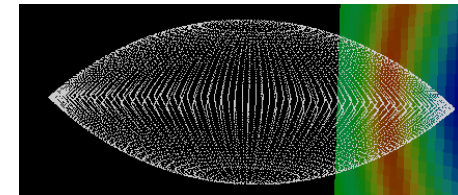
# Large Spheres

(comparison w/  $O(N \log(N))$  FISC)

Algorithm	Diameter	Time	RAM	Unknowns	RMS Error	Computer
FISC	$120\lambda$	$32 \times 14.5h$	26.7Gb	9,633,792	4.6%	SGI Origin 2000 (32 proc.)
Br. & Kun.	$80\lambda$	55h	2.5Gb	1,500,000	0.005%	AMD 1.4GHz (1 proc.)
Br. & Kun.	$100\lambda$	68h	2.5Gb	1,500,000	0.03%	AMD 1.4GHz (1 proc.)



## Singular Scatterers



Geometry	Diameters	Time	Unknowns	RMS Error	Computer
Cube (Br. & Kun.)	$10\lambda \times 10\lambda \times 10\lambda$	21h	96,774	0.049%	AMD 1.4GHz (1 proc.)
Flying Saucer (Br. & Kun.)	$42\lambda \times 42\lambda \times 17\lambda$	53h	290,874	0.0045% (1 proc.)	AMD 1.4GHz

# High-Frequency Scattering Simulations

*Goal: Reduce number points/wavelength;  
Use an Ansatz (Phase Extraction)*

$$\text{Sound Soft : } \frac{1}{2} \underbrace{\frac{\partial u(\mathbf{x})}{\partial \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x})}} = \frac{\partial e^{ik\vec{d}\cdot\mathbf{x}}}{\partial \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x})} - \int_S \underbrace{\frac{\partial u(\mathbf{x}')}{\partial \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x}')}} \frac{\partial G_k(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{x}')}{\partial \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x})} d\sigma(\mathbf{x}')$$

$$e^{ik\vec{d}\cdot\mathbf{x}}|_S \rightarrow \partial_{\mathbf{n}} u|_S = (DN) e^{ik\vec{d}\cdot\mathbf{x}}|_S = e^{ik\vec{d}\cdot\mathbf{x}} \mu_{\text{slow}}(k, \mathbf{x}) ?$$

*[Keller, Fok, Ludwig, Taylor, Melrose, Balabane, etc ]*

*Convex Case: Phase extraction, refinement around shadow boundaries;  
use the ansatz in BEM*

*[ $\mathcal{O}(k^{\frac{1}{3}})$  Nedelec et al. '94; Gillad & Keller '04 : creeping rays]*

*[Langdon & Chandler – Wilde '05 : polygons  $\rightarrow$  corner diffraction;  $\mathcal{O}(k^{\frac{1}{9}})$  Graham et al. 06]*

*An  $\mathcal{O}(1)$  Convergent High-Order High-Frequency Nystrom Approach*

*[Bruno, Geuzaine, Reitich '04; Reitich, Turc '05, '06; Anand, Boubendir, Ecevit, Reitich '06, '07]*

# A Convergent High-Frequency Approach

## I. Ansatz    II. Localized integration

$$\frac{1}{2}\mu_{slow}(\mathbf{x}) + \underbrace{\int_S \left[ \frac{\partial G_k(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}')}{\partial \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x})} e^{i\vec{k}\cdot(\mathbf{x}'-\mathbf{x})} \right] \mu_{slow}(\mathbf{x}') d\sigma(\mathbf{x}')}_{= \int_S e^{ik \underbrace{(|\mathbf{x}-\mathbf{x}'| + \frac{\vec{k}}{k}\cdot\mathbf{x}')}_{\varphi(\mathbf{x}')}} F(\mathbf{x}', k) d\sigma(\mathbf{x}')} = i\vec{k} \cdot \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x})$$

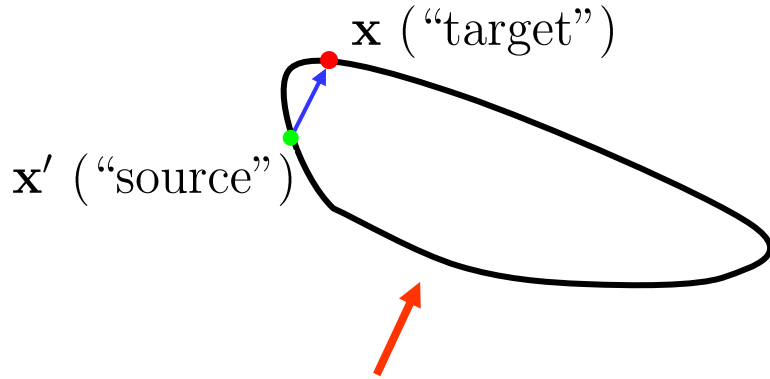
*Highly oscillatory!*

- ⇒ Most significant contributions from “critical points”
- ~~Boundary points~~
  - Singular points ( $\mathbf{x}' = \mathbf{x}$ )
  - Stationary points ( $\nabla_S \varphi = 0$ )

# A Convergent High-Frequency Approach

## II. Localized Integration

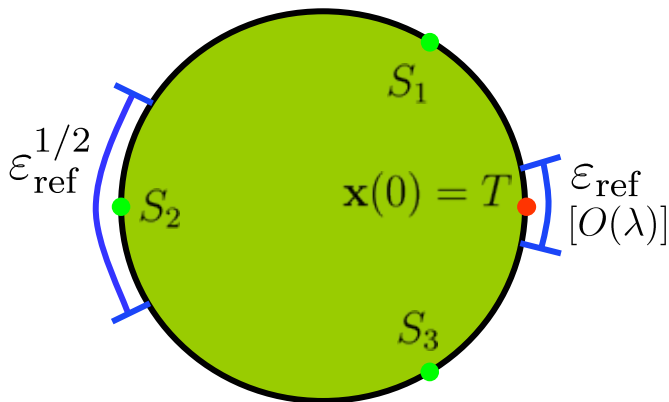
$$\mathcal{I}(\mathbf{x}, k) \equiv \int_S \left[ \frac{\partial G_k(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}')}{\partial \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x})} e^{i\vec{k} \cdot (\mathbf{x}' - \mathbf{x})} \right] \mu_{slow}(\mathbf{x}') d\sigma(\mathbf{x}') : \begin{cases} \bullet \text{ Singular points } (\mathbf{x}' = \mathbf{x}) \\ \bullet \text{ Stationary points } (\nabla_S \varphi = 0) \end{cases}$$



*Localized Integration*

$$\int_{-A}^A f_A(t) e^{ikt^2} = \int_{-\varepsilon}^{\varepsilon} f_{\varepsilon}(t) e^{ikt^2} + \mathcal{O}((k\varepsilon^2)^{-n})$$

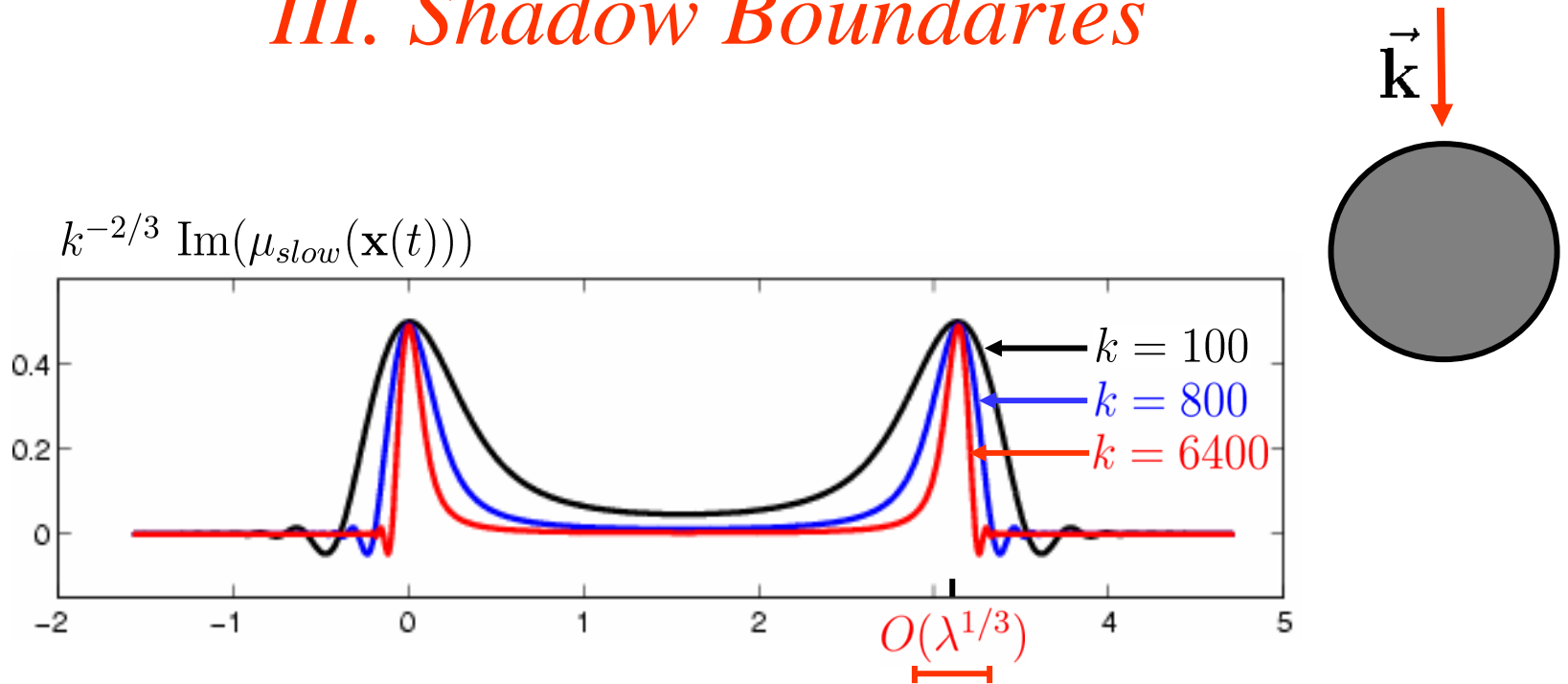
Example :  $\int_0^{2\pi} \Phi_k(\mathbf{x}(t), \mathbf{x}(0)) e^{i\mathbf{k} \cdot (\mathbf{x}(t) - \mathbf{x}(0))} \cos(t) dt$



$k$	Nr. pts.	$\varepsilon$	Error
1000	2100	1.0	1.5e-6
2000	2100	0.5	4.8e-8
4000	2100	0.25	1.2e-7
8000	2100	0.125	9.8e-7
16000	2100	0.0625	1.5e-6

# A Convergent High-Frequency Approach

## III. Shadow Boundaries

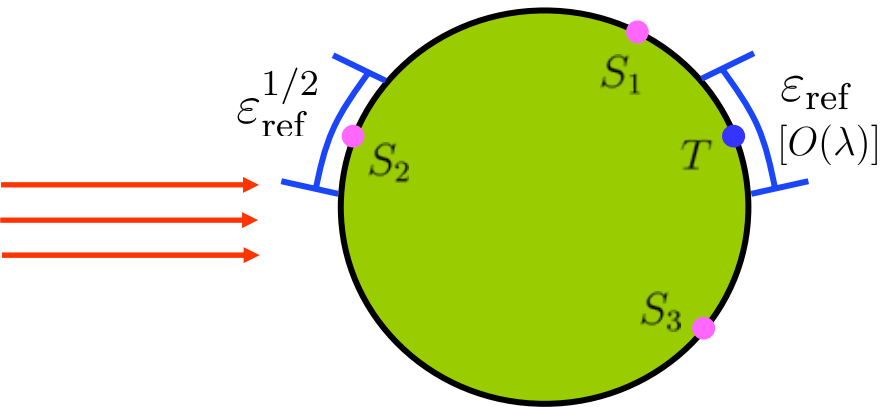


Approach: *separate and fully solve* (highly oscillatory nature of) density at *narrow* (order  $\lambda^{1/3}$ ) shadow-boundary regions

# A Convergent High-Frequency Approach

## Single Scattering Configurations

- Frequency-independent cost



25 unknowns, $\epsilon = \epsilon_{\text{ref}}$			
$ka$	GMRES iterations	Error	CPU time
1	9	$1.0e-12$	< 1s
10	11	$1.6e-4$	< 1s
100	13	$9.3e-4$	3s
1000	13	$8.3e-3$	5s
10000	15	$1.0e-2$	6s
100000	14	$1.1e-2$	6s
100 unknowns, $\epsilon = 5\epsilon_{\text{ref}}$			
$ka$	GMRES iterations	Error	CPU time
1	9	$1.0e-12$	< 1s
10	17	$3.0e-11$	5s
100	22	$1.5e-5$	11s
1000	25	$3.1e-5$	2m30s
10000	27	$8.4e-5$	3m12s
100000	30	$8.8e-5$	3m43s

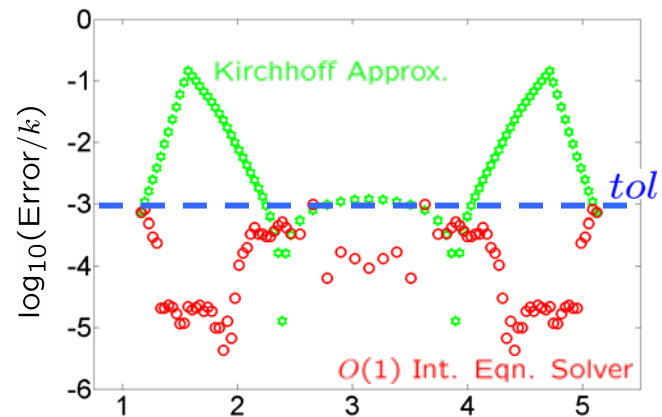
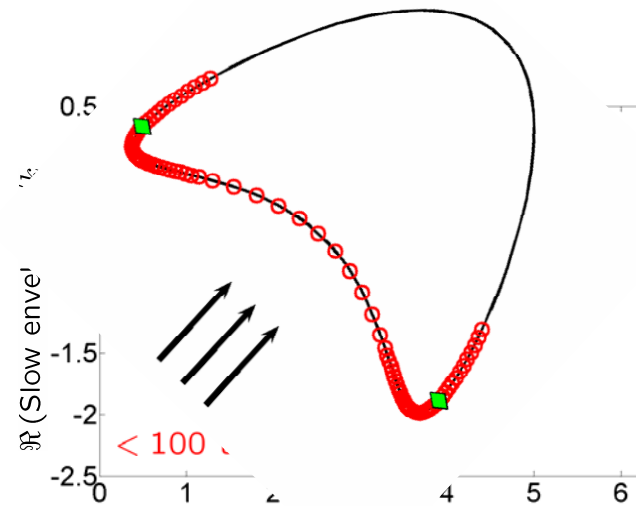
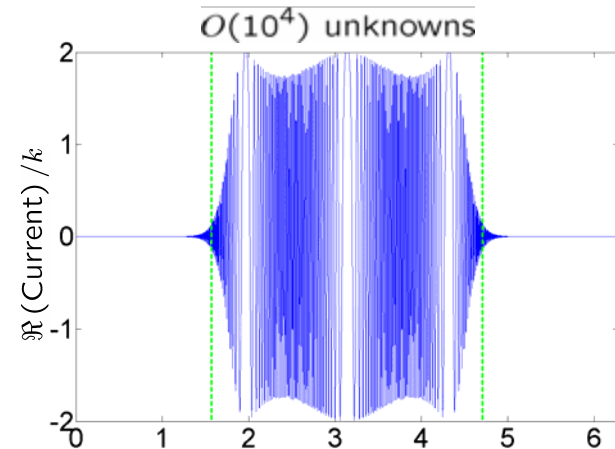
Would require over *half a million unknowns* to resolve with a classical method

[Bruno, Geuzaine & Reitich, '04-'06]

# A Convergent High-Frequency Approach Single Scattering Configurations

- Error control

Perimeter/ $\lambda \approx 900$  :

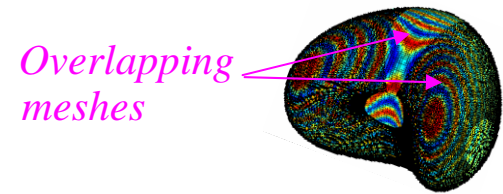


[Bruno, Geuzaine & Reitich, '04-'06]

# A Convergent High-Frequency Approach

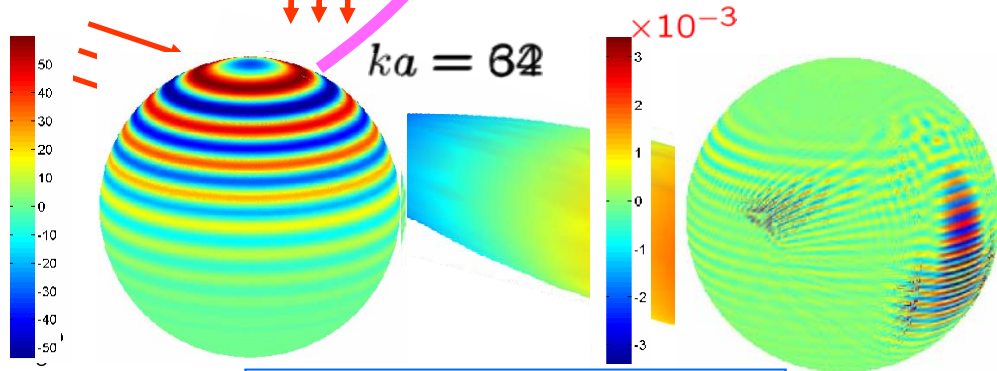
## 3D Implementation (in progress)

- Integration: fast, high-order method [Bruno-Kunyansky, '01]
- precursor of 3D high-frequency integrator



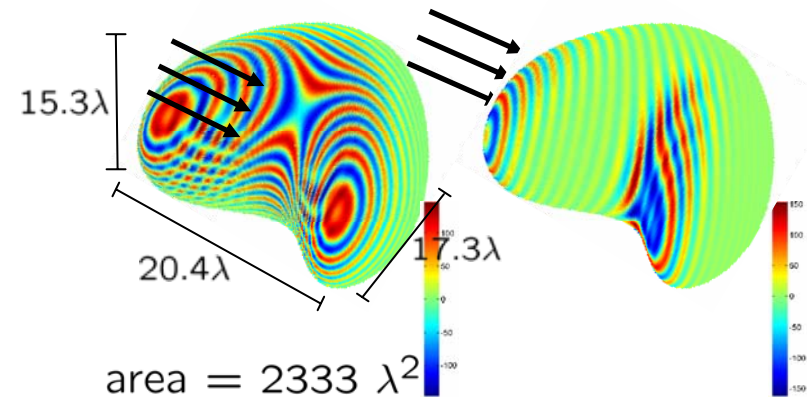
Current:

Near-Field Error:



Nr. of unknowns = 66306

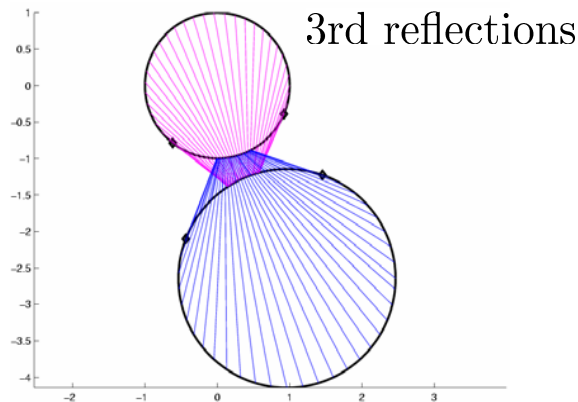
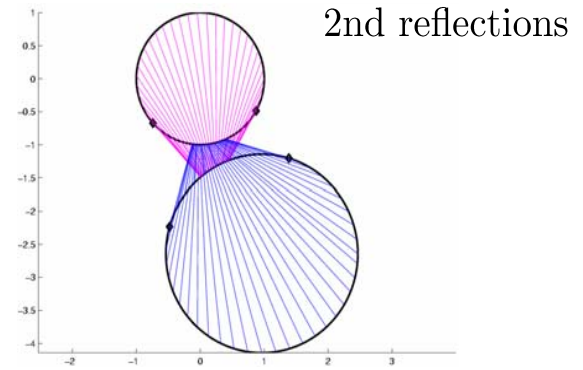
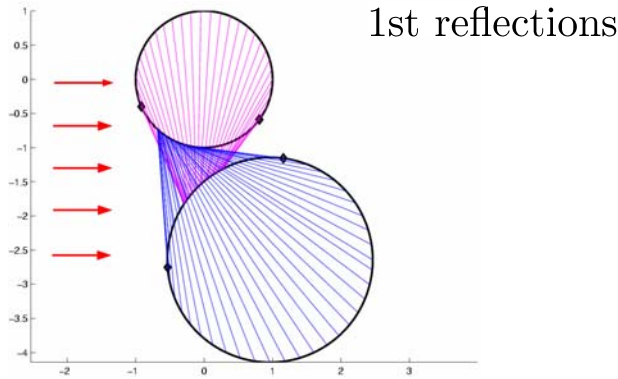
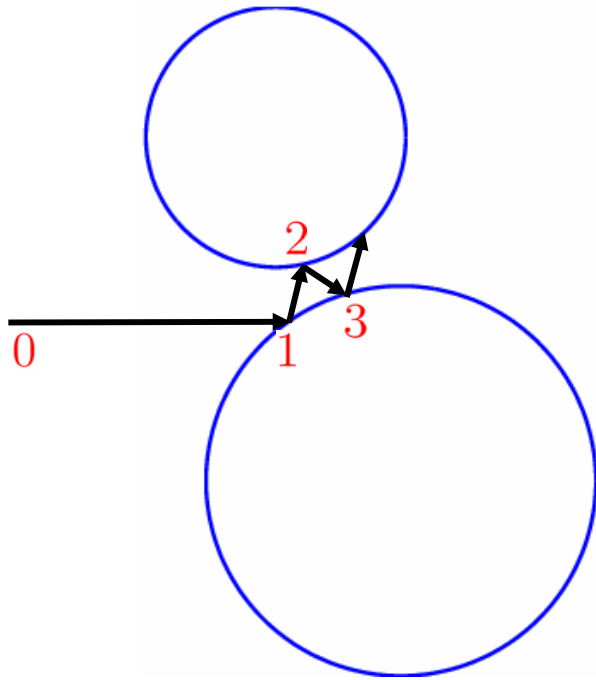
area =  $326 \lambda^2$



area =  $2333 \lambda^2$

# A Convergent High-Frequency Approach

## IV. Multiple Scattering



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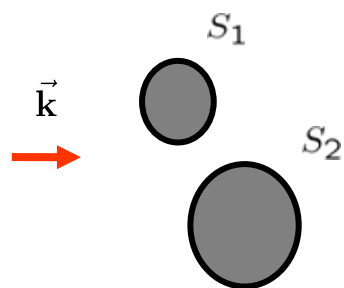
Approach: construct an appropriate *ansatz* using classical ray-tracing (*GO*) techniques

# A Convergent High-Frequency Approach

## IV. Implementation: Multiple reflections

$$\mu_1(t) + \int_{S_1} dt' G_k(\mathbf{x}(t), \mathbf{x}(t')) \mu_1(t') + \int_{S_2} d\tau' G_k(\mathbf{x}(t), \mathbf{z}(\tau')) \mu_2(\tau') = e^{ik\phi^0(t)}$$

$$\mu_2(\tau) + \int_{S_2} d\tau' G_k(\mathbf{z}(\tau), \mathbf{z}(\tau')) \mu_2(\tau') + \int_{S_1} dt' G_k(\mathbf{z}(\tau), \mathbf{x}(t')) \mu_1(t') = e^{ik\nu^0(\tau)}$$



$$\begin{bmatrix} I - T_{11} & -R_{12} \\ -R_{21} & I - T_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mu_1 \\ \mu_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} e^{ik\phi^0(t)} \\ e^{ik\nu^0(\tau)} \end{bmatrix}$$

Multiple reflections  $\longleftrightarrow$  Neumann series

$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} I & (I - T_{11})^{-1}(-R_{12}) \\ (I - T_{22})^{-1}(-R_{21}) & I \end{bmatrix}}_{I - A} \begin{bmatrix} \mu_1 \\ \mu_2 \end{bmatrix} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} (I - T_{11})^{-1}e^{ik\phi^0(t)} \\ (I - T_{22})^{-1}e^{ik\nu^0(\tau)} \end{bmatrix}}_{\begin{bmatrix} \mu_{1,slow}^0 e^{ik\phi^0} \\ \mu_{2,slow}^0 e^{ik\nu^0} \end{bmatrix}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \mu_1 \\ \mu_2 \end{bmatrix} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \mu_{1,slow}^0 e^{ik\phi^0} \\ \mu_{2,slow}^0 e^{ik\nu^0} \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{Isolated Obstacles}} + A \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \mu_{1,slow}^0 e^{ik\phi^0} \\ \mu_{2,slow}^0 e^{ik\nu^0} \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{First Reflections}} + A^2 \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \mu_{1,slow}^0 e^{ik\phi^0} \\ \mu_{2,slow}^0 e^{ik\nu^0} \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{Second Reflections}} + \dots$$

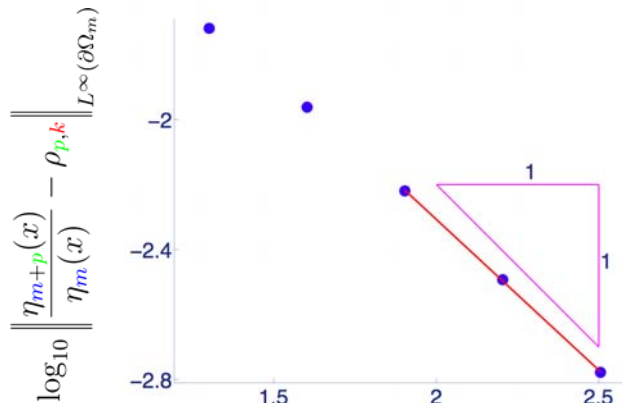
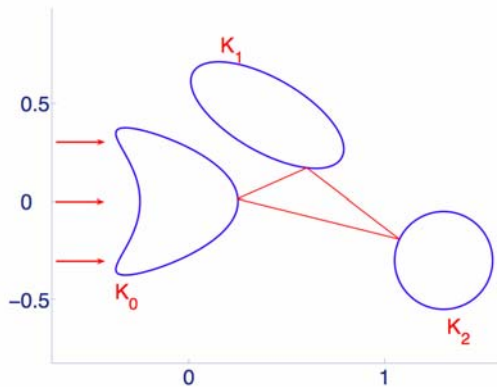
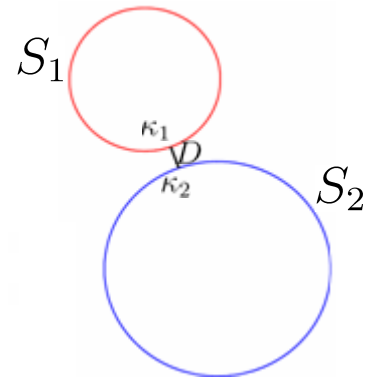
# A Convergent High-Frequency Approach

## Convergence of Iterations [Reitich & Ecevit '06]

$$\mu_{1,slow}^n + \int_{S_1} dt' G_k(\mathbf{x}(t), \mathbf{x}(t')) \mu_{1,slow}^n(t') e^{ik(\phi^n(t') - \phi^n(t))} = -e^{-ik\phi^n(t)} \int_{S_2} d\tau' G_k \mu_{2,slow}^{n-1} e^{ik\nu^{n-1}}$$

$$k \gg 1 \Rightarrow \frac{\max |\mu_{2,slow}^n|^2}{\max |\mu_{1,slow}^{n+1}|^2} \sim \mathcal{R}_2 \equiv (1 + \kappa_2 D) + \sqrt{(1 + \kappa_2 D)^2 - \frac{1 + \kappa_2 D}{1 + \kappa_1 D}}$$

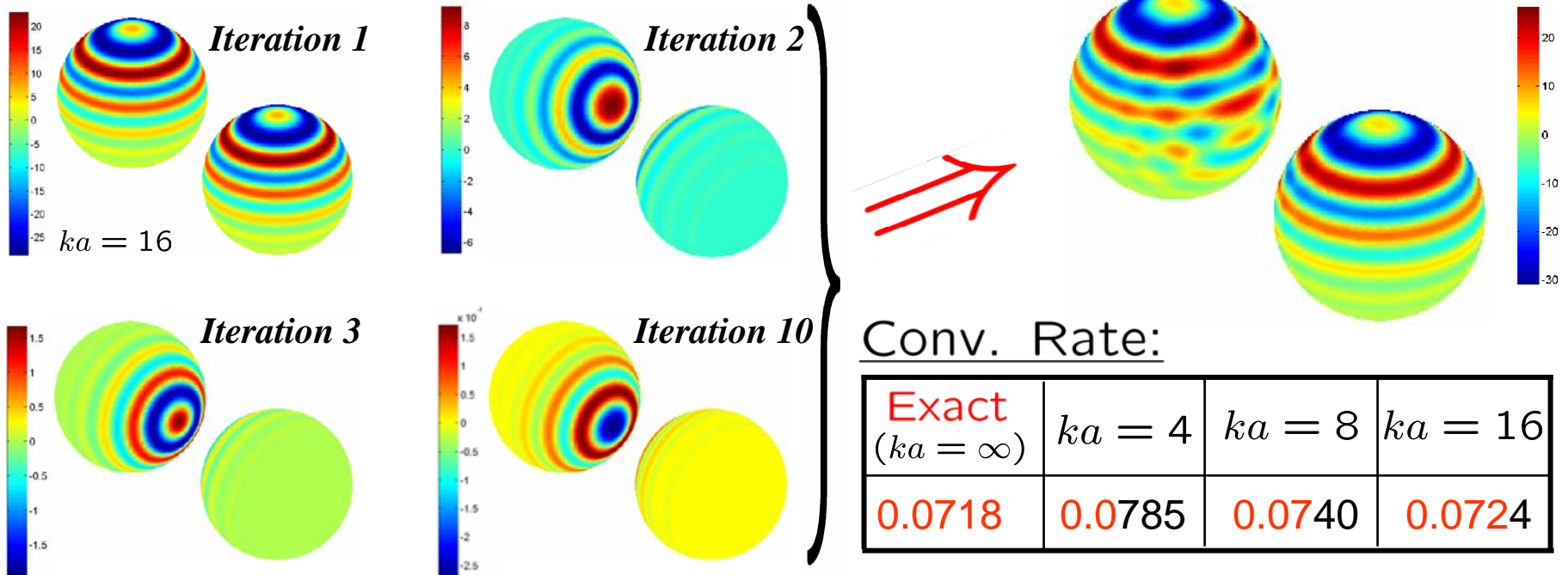
$$\Rightarrow \text{Rate of conv.} = \underbrace{r_A}_{(< 1)} [\mathcal{R}_1 \mathcal{R}_2]^{-1/2} + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{k^2}\right)$$



# A Convergent High-Frequency Approach

## 3D Implementation (in progress)

- Multiple scattering: iterative solution
- Converges with theoretically predicted rate

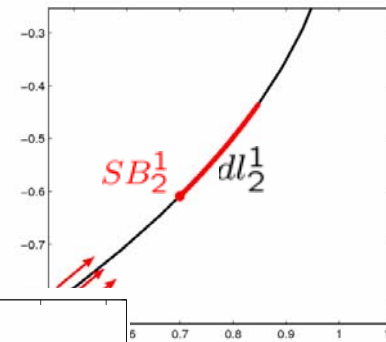
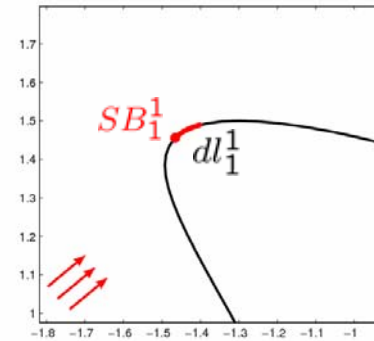
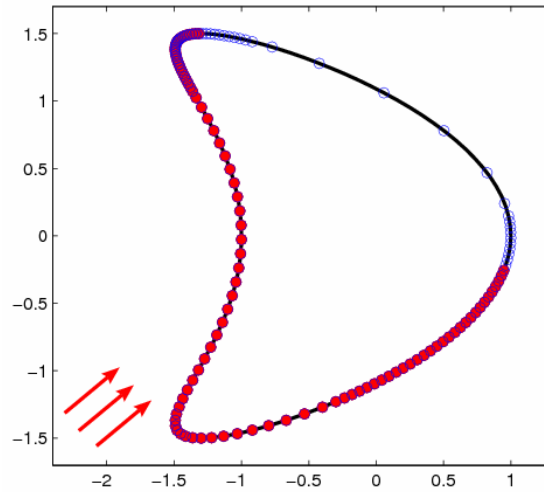


[A. Anand, Y. Boubendir, F. Ecevit & Reitich, '06]

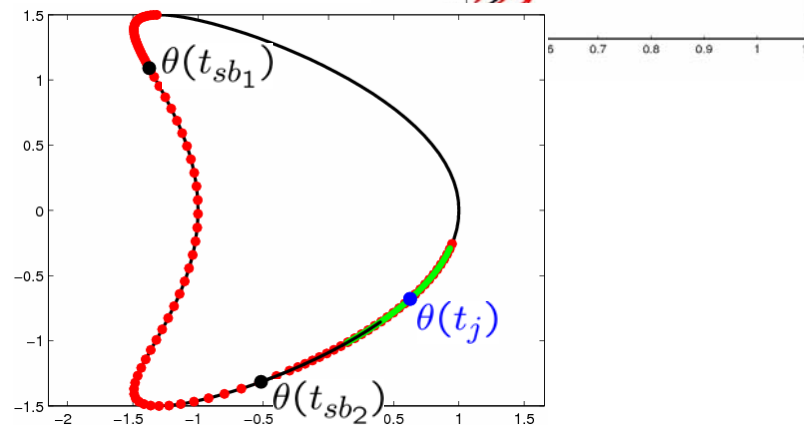
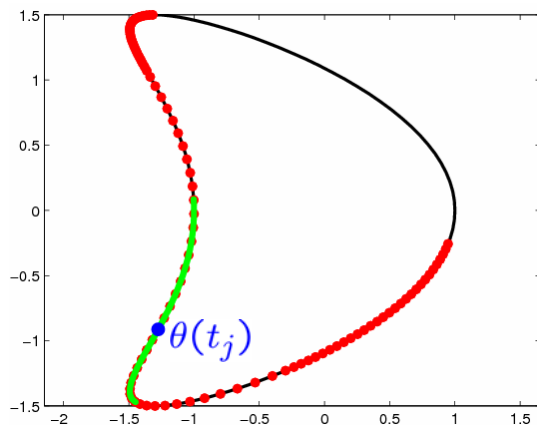
# A Convergent High-Frequency Approach

## “Putting it all together”: Example

- *Discretization*



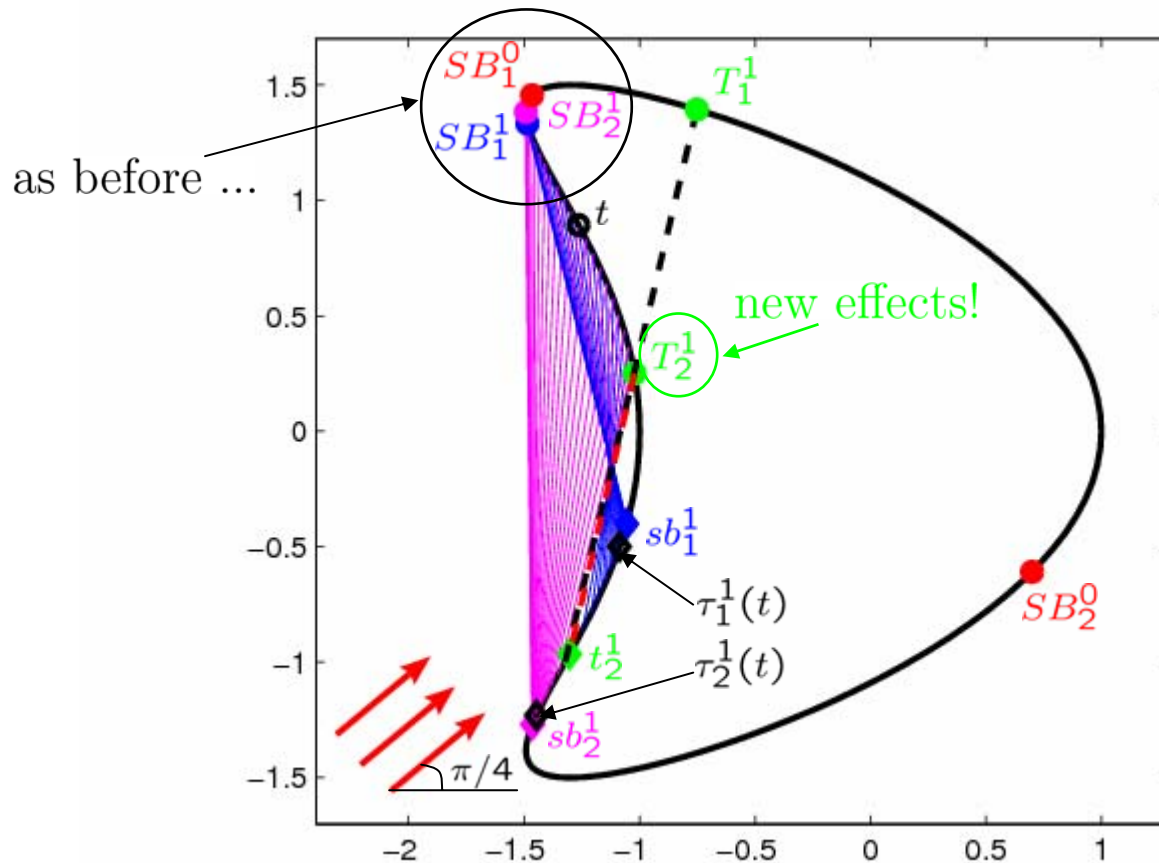
- *Localized Integration*



# A Convergent High-Frequency Approach

## Example

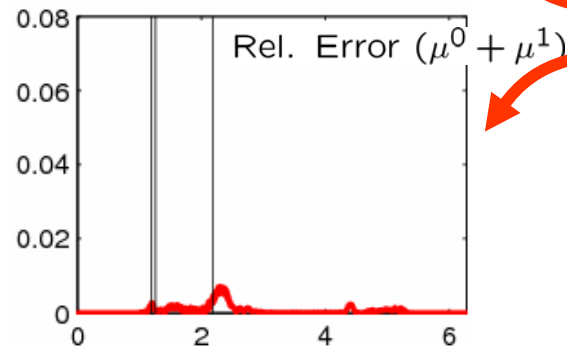
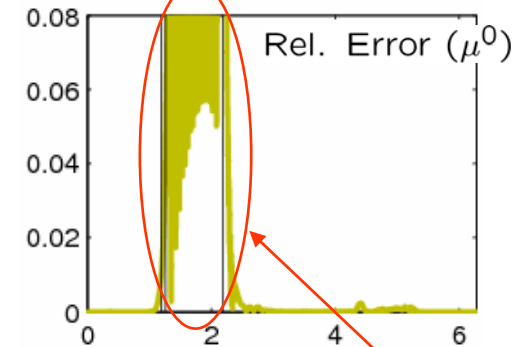
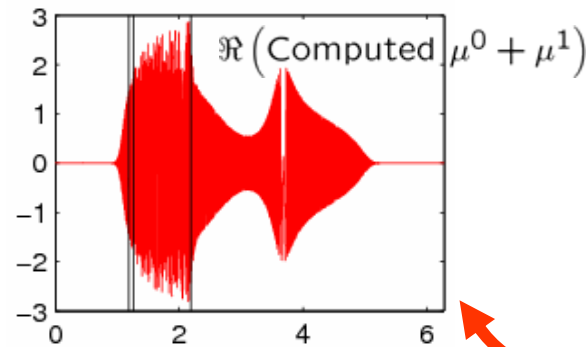
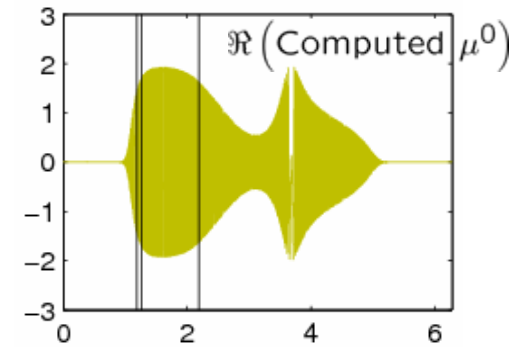
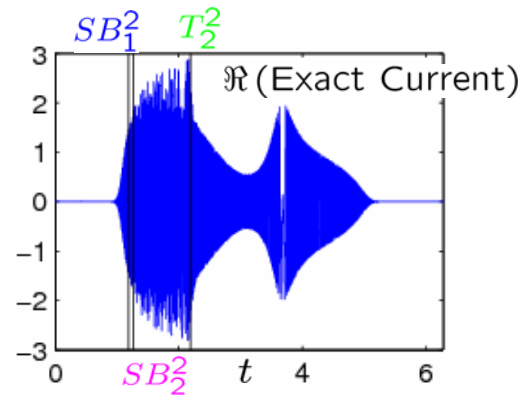
- Iteration 1: Geometrical Optics



# A Convergent High-Frequency Approach

## Example

- Iteration 1:  
Comparison with exact solution



# A Convergent High-Frequency Approach Rough Surfaces (Gratings) Asymptotic Integration

$$\frac{1}{2}\mu(\mathbf{x}) + \int_S \frac{\partial G_k(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}')}{\partial \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x})} \mu(\mathbf{x}') d\sigma(\mathbf{x}') = ik\vec{\mathbf{d}} \cdot \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x}) e^{ik\vec{\mathbf{d}} \cdot \mathbf{x}}, \quad \mathbf{x} \in S$$

$$G_k^{per} = \frac{i}{4} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-ikd_1 Ln} H_0^1(k|\mathbf{x} - (\mathbf{x}' - nL)|) \quad \text{Phase extraction}$$

$$\mathcal{I}(\mathbf{x}, k) \equiv \int_S \left[ \frac{\partial \Phi_k(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}')}{\partial \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x})} e^{i\vec{\mathbf{k}} \cdot (\mathbf{x}' - \mathbf{x})} \right] \mu_{slow}(\mathbf{x}') d\sigma(\mathbf{x}') : \begin{cases} \bullet \text{ Singular points } (\mathbf{x}' = \mathbf{x}) \\ \bullet \text{ Stationary points } (\nabla_S \varphi = 0) \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Asymptotics: } \mathcal{I}(\mathbf{x}, k) \approx \mathcal{I}^0(\mathbf{x}) + O\left(\frac{1}{k}\right)$$

$$\text{Want convergence!} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \mathcal{I}(\mathbf{x}, k) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\mathcal{I}^n(\mathbf{x})}{k^n}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu_{slow}(\mathbf{x}) = \mu_{slow}(\mathbf{x}, k) = k\mu_{slow}^{-1}(\mathbf{x}) + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\mu_{slow}^n(\mathbf{x})}{k^n}$$

Kirchhoff approximation

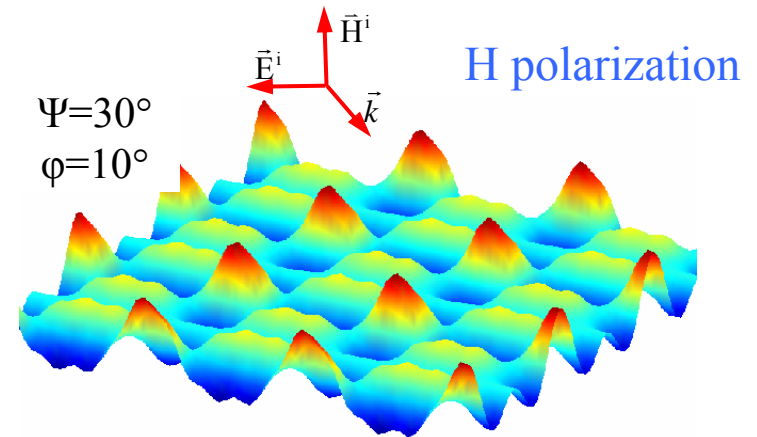
Recursively computable

# A Convergent High-Frequency Approach

## Asymptotic Integration

*Oblique incidence*

$$\lambda = 0.021, \quad h = 0.015$$



Efficiency	Scattered energy	Order 0	Order 1	Order 3	Order 5	Order 10
(0,0)	0.2168524774056718e-00	3.67e-04	5.21e-06	1.27e-07	3.13e-09	1.51e-11
(1,0)	0.2163867201690774e-01	2.89e-04	8.52e-06	1.71e-07	9.98e-10	1.11e-11
(1,1)	0.3014199854789860e-01	1.59e-03	1.99e-05	7.13e-08	3.72e-09	4.35e-12
(1,2)	0.2763092444554548e-01	3.44e-04	1.22e-05	2.78e-07	8.41e-09	9.16e-12
(2,2)	0.4699008279945933e-03	3.81e-03	2.35e-04	3.31e-06	1.75e-08	5.59e-11
(2,4)	0.2901776163762193e-03	9.75e-05	1.40e-04	2.50e-06	1.06e-08	7.54e-11
$\epsilon$	2.05e-15	1.23e-06	4.62e-09	3.33e-12	9.44e-15	6.96e-15

[Reitich & Turc, '05]

# A Convergent High-Frequency Approach

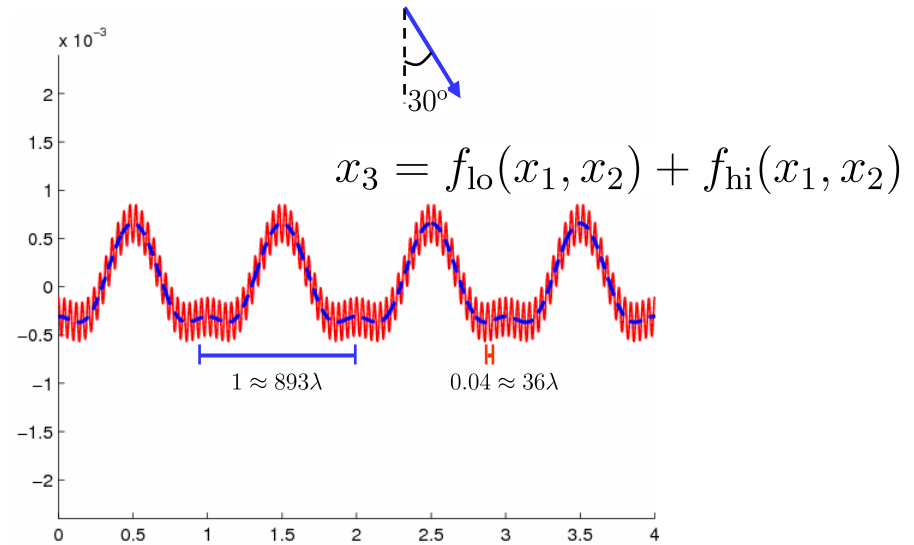
## Asymptotic Integration

*Multi-scale surface*

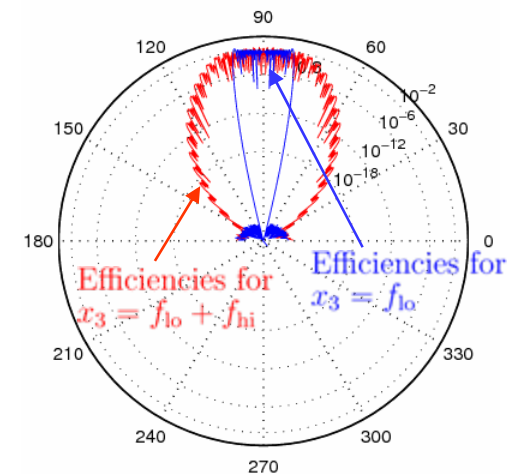
*Oblique incidence*

$\lambda = 0.00112$ ,  $h = 0.001 \approx 0.9\lambda$

$h_1 = 0.0002 \approx 0.2\lambda$



Efficiency	Scattered energy	Order 0	Order 3	Order 7	Order 11	Order 18
0	0.1999444889329398e-02	4.48e+01	1.32e-01	3.73e-02	5.53e-05	1.40e-11
1	0.3482870139291976e-02	4.45e+01	1.46e-01	3.71e-02	5.49e-05	1.95e-12
2	0.9312287660659891e-03	4.43e+01	1.60e-01	3.69e-02	5.46e-05	1.40e-11
3	0.4426354000069988e-04	4.40e+01	1.75e-01	3.67e-02	5.42e-05	2.01e-10
4	0.5340069488986556e-03	4.38e+01	1.89e-01	3.65e-02	5.38e-05	5.20e-11
5	0.1410308180715168e-02	4.35e+01	2.03e-01	3.63e-02	5.34e-05	3.24e-11



[Reitich & Turc, '06]

# High-Order Nystrom Method: Diffraction Gratings (HF)

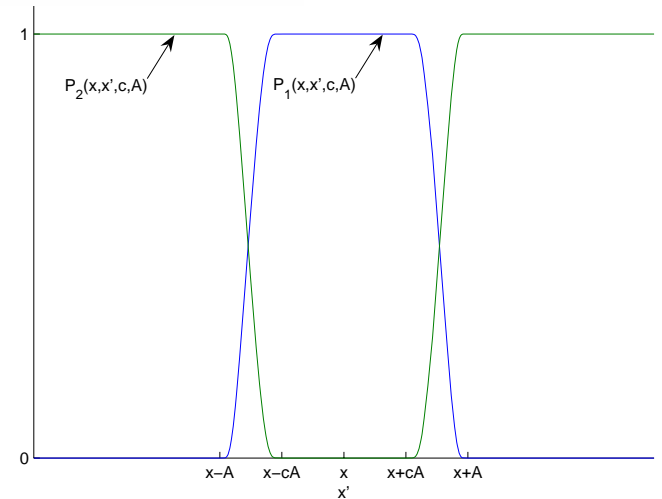
Window functions (POU) [Bruno & Monro '07]

$$\frac{1}{2}\mu(\mathbf{x}) + \int_S \frac{\partial G_k(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}')}{\partial \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x})} \mu(\mathbf{x}') d\sigma(\mathbf{x}') = ik\vec{\mathbf{d}} \cdot \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x}) e^{ik\vec{\mathbf{d}} \cdot \mathbf{x}}, \quad \mathbf{x} \in S$$

$$\approx \int_{x-A}^{x+A} P_1(x, x', c, A) \frac{i}{4} \frac{\partial H_0^1(k|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{x}'|)}{\partial \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x})} \mu(x') \sqrt{1 + [f'(x')]^2} dx'$$

*Ex* :  $I = \int_0^\infty \frac{e^{ik_n x}}{\sqrt{x}} dx, \quad k_n = k - kd_1 - \frac{2\pi n}{L} \neq 0$

$$I_{per} = \int_0^A \frac{e^{ik_n x}}{\sqrt{x}} dx \quad I_{pou} = \int_0^A P_1(0, x, c, A) \frac{e^{ik_n x}}{\sqrt{x}} dx$$



$A$	$ I - I_{per} $	$ I - I_{pou}(c = 0.1) $
10	$5.0e - 2$	$8.5e - 5$
20	$3.6e - 2$	$9.7e - 7$
30	$2.9e - 2$	$4.9e - 8$
40	$2.5e - 2$	$4.5e - 9$
80	$1.8e - 2$	$4.5e - 11$
100	$1.6e - 2$	$7.7e - 14$

# High-Order Nystrom Method: Diffraction Gratings (HF)

## Window functions (POU)

$$\frac{1}{2}\mu(\mathbf{x}) + \int_S \frac{\partial G_k(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}')}{\partial \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x})} \mu(\mathbf{x}') d\sigma(\mathbf{x}') = ik\vec{\mathbf{d}} \cdot \mathbf{n}(\mathbf{x}) e^{ik\vec{\mathbf{d}} \cdot \mathbf{x}}, \quad \mathbf{x} \in S$$

*Multiple scatt* :  $\mu(\mathbf{x}) = e^{ikd_1x} \mu_1(k, \mathbf{x})$      *Single scatt* :  $\mu(\mathbf{x}) = e^{ik\vec{\mathbf{d}} \cdot \mathbf{x}} \mu_2(k, \mathbf{x})$

$$\frac{1}{2}\mu_i(x) + \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} P_1(x, x', c, A) g(x, x') \frac{h(ku(x, x'))}{e^{iku(x, x')}} e^{ik\phi_i(x, x')} \mu_i(x') dx'$$

$$+ \cancel{I_{i,2}(x, k, c, A)} = q_i(x), \quad i = 1, 2$$

*Th* :  $|kL(1 \pm d_1) + 2\pi n| \geq \gamma > 0 \Rightarrow I_{i,2}(x, k, c, A) = \mathcal{O}\left(\left(\frac{A}{L}\right)^{-p}\right), \quad \forall p \geq 1$

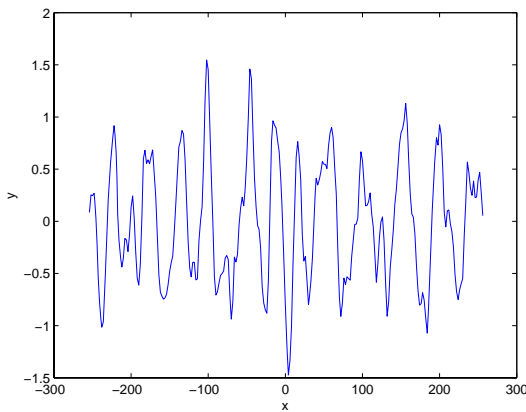
*High-order Nystrom method:*

- use additional floating Pou of size  $A_{sp}$  to treat the singularity of the kernel;
  - use a coarse grid for the ‘target’ points and a refined grid for ‘integration’ points; resolve the oscillations in  $\mu_1$  via FFT interpolation
- *Single scattering:  $O(1)$  unknowns; Multiple scattering: highly efficient*

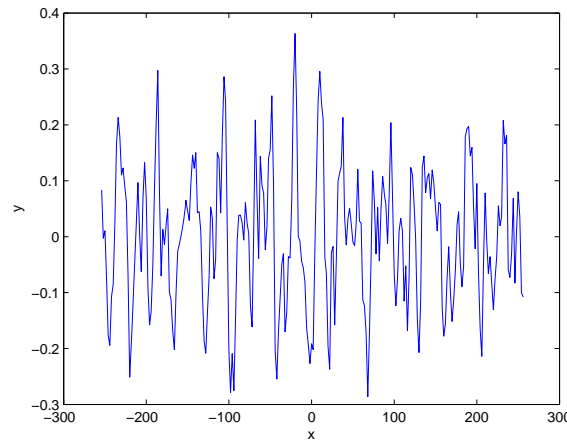
# High-Order Nystrom Method: Diffraction Gratings (HF)

*Ocean surface* (JPL code: directional wavespectrum for wind-driven ocean surfaces; randomly generated Fourier coefficients; used wavelengths similar to those of GPS satellites: period =  $2048\lambda$ )

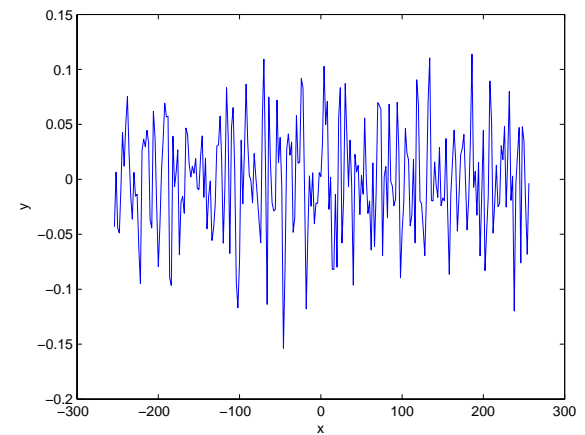
*Ocean surface*



*First derivative*



*Second derivative*



*Incidence  $\theta = 85^\circ$ ; Multiple scattering configuration; 3GHz processor*

method	$n_t$	$n_i$	$A_{sp}$	$A$	energy balance	time (sec)	time w/o eff (sec)
Br. & Mon.	768	11520	0.875	2	$6.6 * 10^{-4}$	90	75
Br. & Mon.	1024	15360	0.875	150	$6.5 * 10^{-8}$	5556	—
KA	768	768	—	—	$1.6 * 10^{-1}$	15	0.06
KA	3840	3840	—	—	$1.6 * 10^{-1}$	16	0.07