

# Patch-wise Integration of Trimmed Surfaces

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# Motivation

How can we **efficiently** simulate **free-form design**?

Efficient integration of arbitrarily trimmed structures!

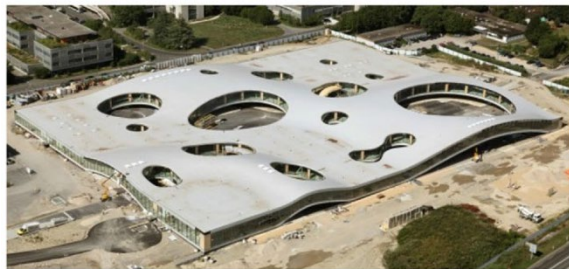
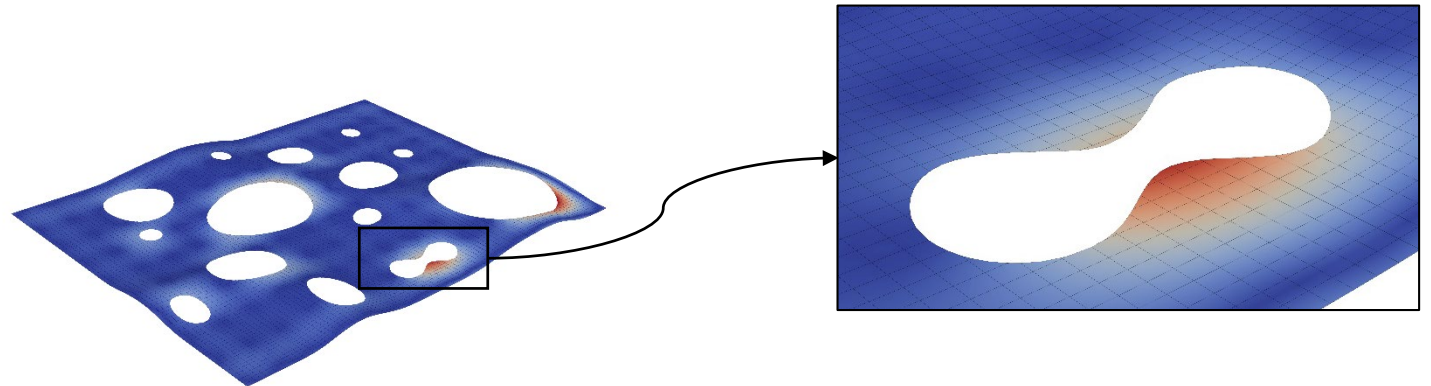
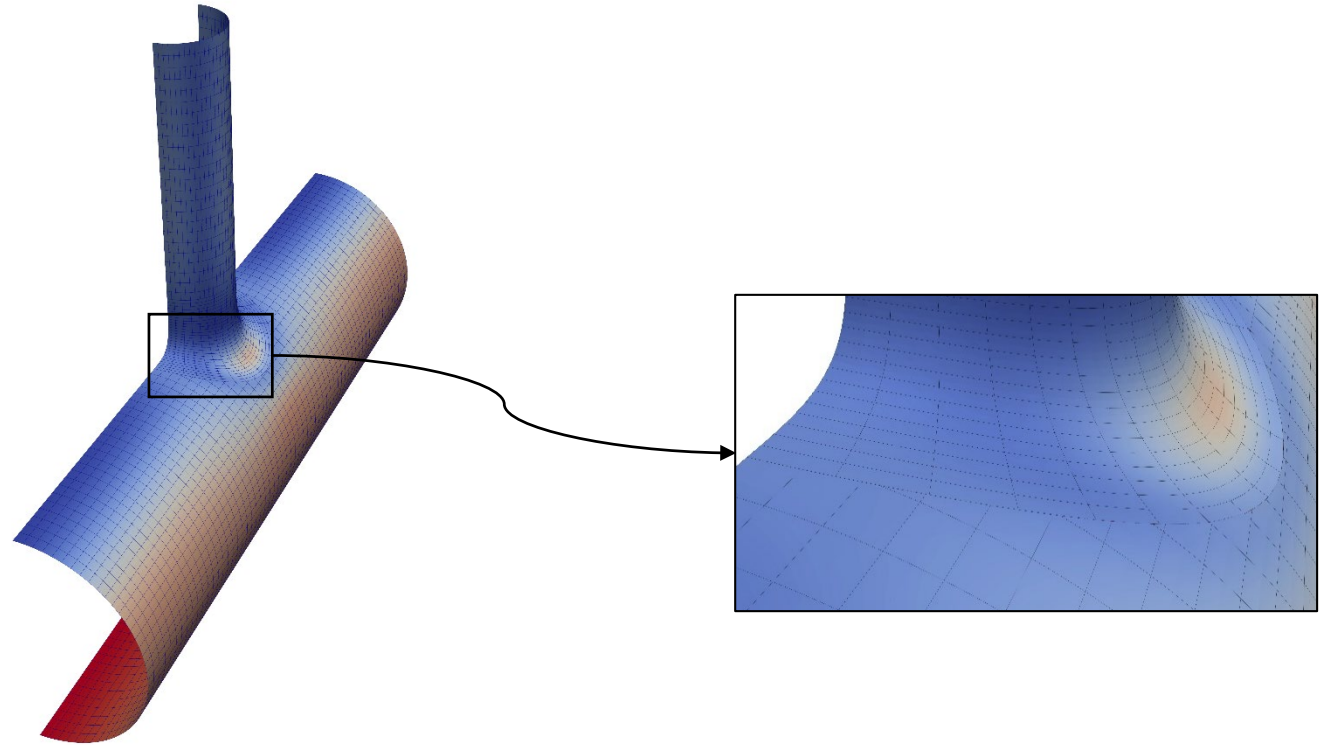


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# Outline

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# Patch-wise Integration

- Patch-wise quadrature rules reduce the number of integration points considering the high smoothness of NURBS basis functions
- Numerical integration

$$\mathbb{Q} = \sum_{i=1}^{n_{quad}} w_i f(\xi_i) := \int_{\Omega} f(x) d\xi$$

- Non-linear moment-fitting equations

$$\int_{\Omega} \begin{pmatrix} f_1 \\ f_2 \\ \vdots \\ f_m \end{pmatrix} d\xi = \begin{bmatrix} f_1(\xi_1) & f_1(\xi_2) & \cdots & f_1(\xi_{n_{quad}}) \\ f_2(\xi_1) & \ddots & & \\ \vdots & & & \\ f_m(\xi_1) & \cdots & & f_m(\xi_{n_{quad}}) \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} w_1 \\ w_2 \\ \vdots \\ w_{n_{quad}} \end{pmatrix}$$

where

- $f$  ...  $m$  functions which should be integrated
- $\xi$  ... positions of  $n_{quad}$  integration points
- $w$  ... weights of  $n_{quad}$  integration points

- Optimal integration points by optimizing positions and weights

# Patch-wise Integration

- Integration of stiffness matrices

$$\int_{\Omega} \nabla R_i(\xi) \nabla R_j(\xi) d\Omega$$

2D-plane element

$$\int_{\Omega} \Delta R_i(\xi) \Delta R_j(\xi) d\Omega$$

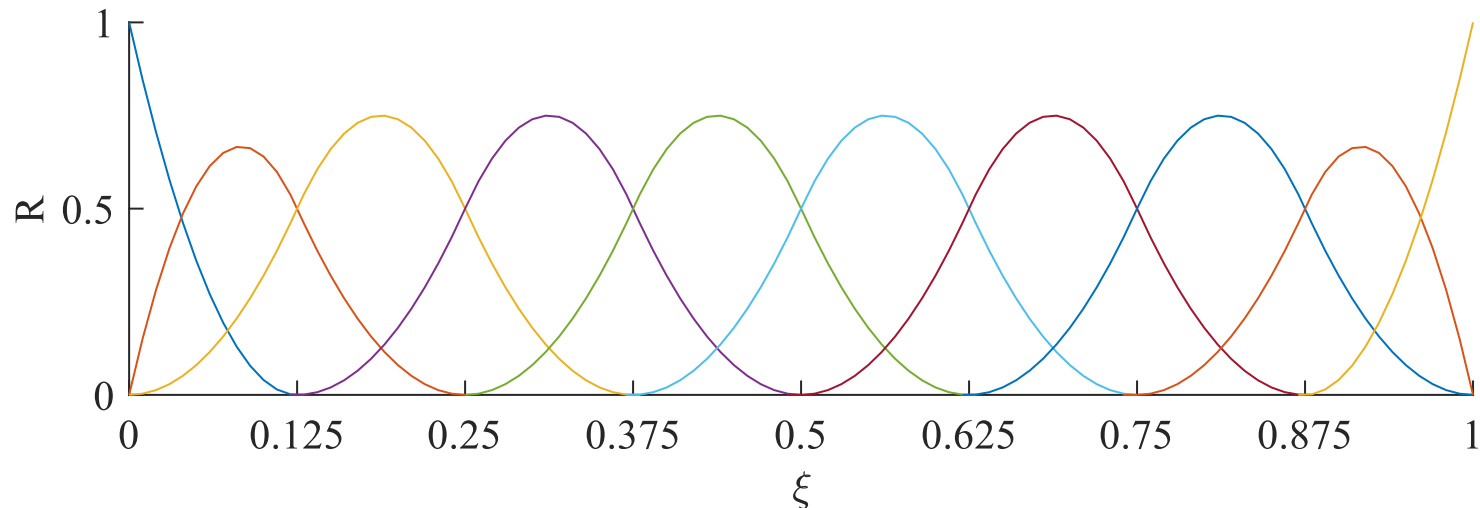
Kirchhoff-Love shell element

where

$R$  ... basis function

$\xi$  ... parametric coordinates

$\Omega$  ... domain of the structure

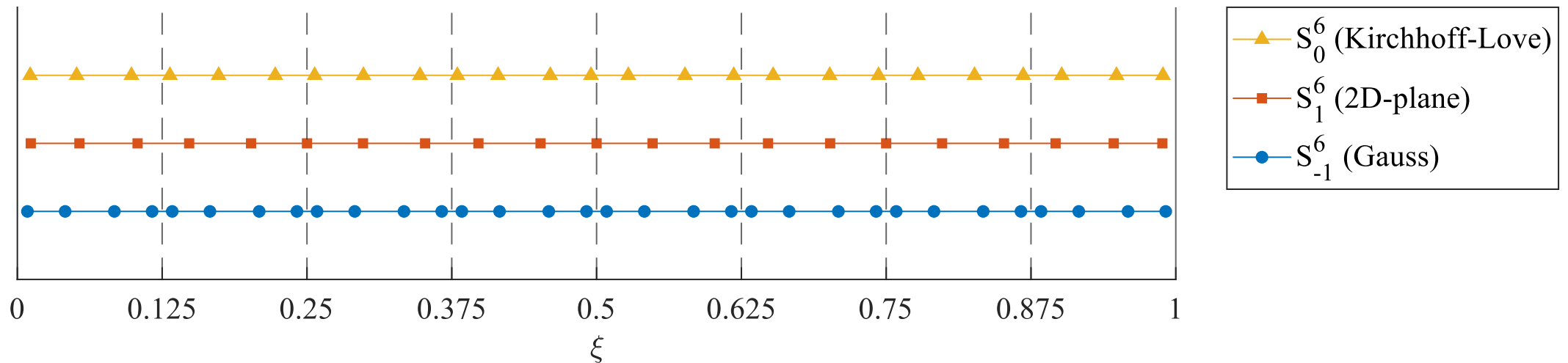


# Patch-wise Integration

- Patch-wise quadrature rules overcome element-wise thinking
- Example of patch-wise integration points for 2D-plane element and Kirchhoff-Love shell element:

$$p = 3$$

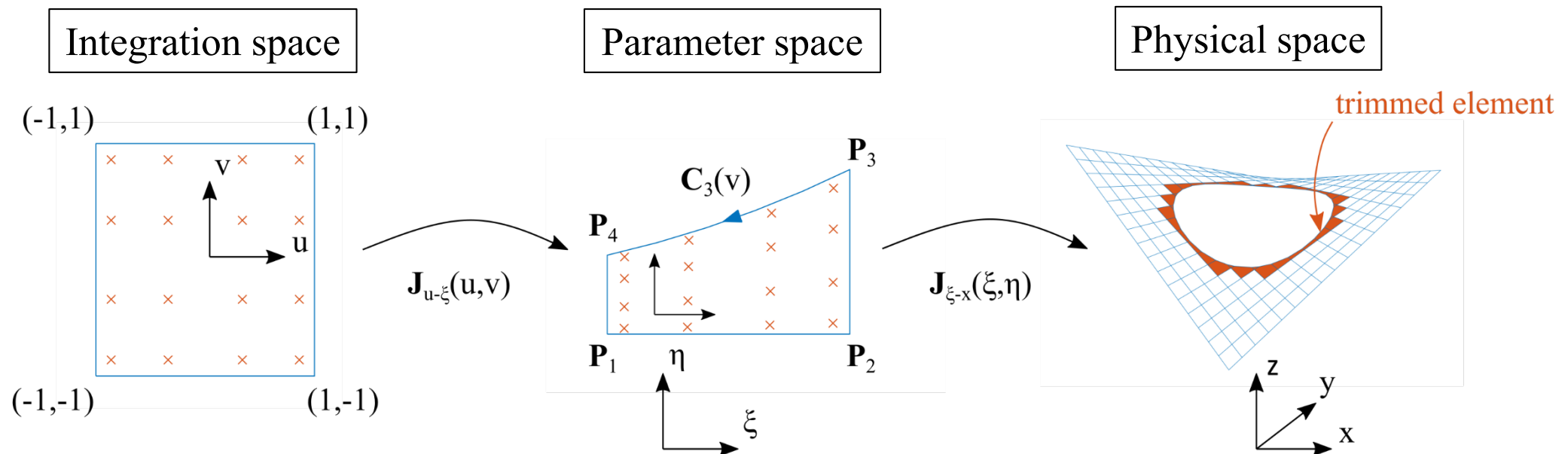
$$\Xi = \{0, 0, 0, 0, 0.125, 0.25, 0.375, 0.5, 0.625, 0.75, 0.875, 1, 1, 1, 1\}$$



# Gauss Integration of Trimmed Elements

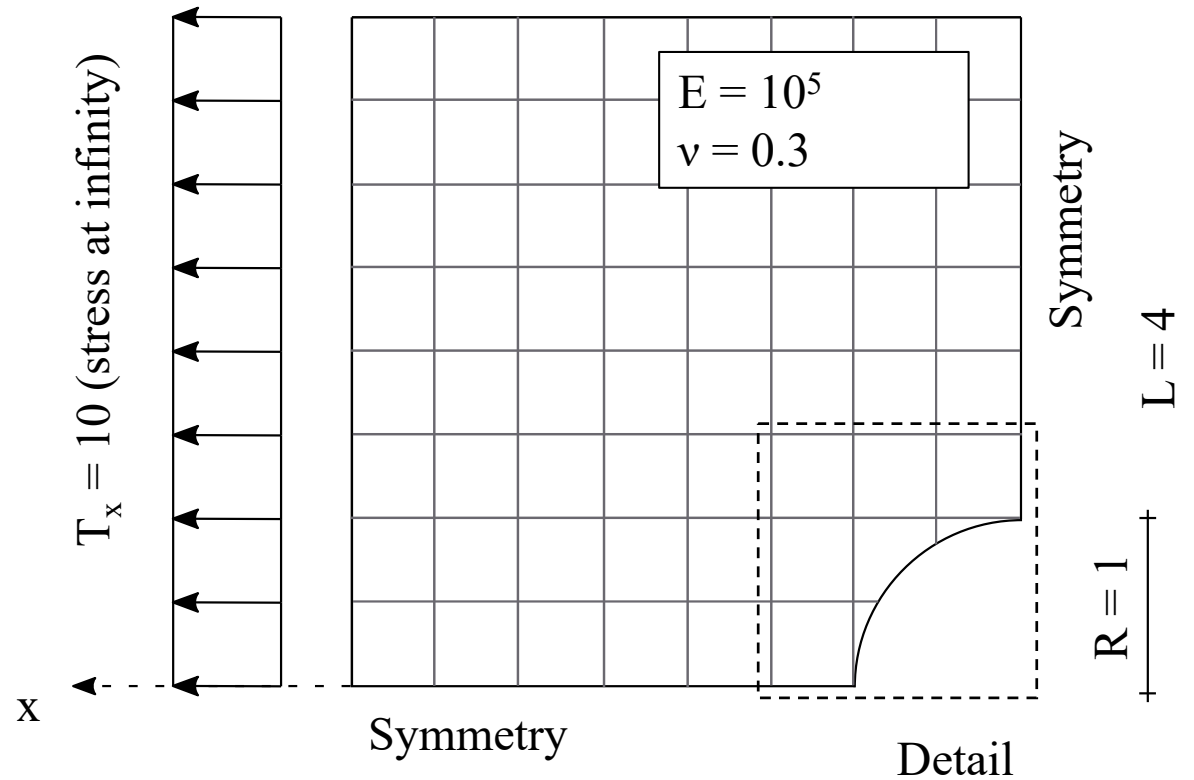
- Tensor-product structure of NURBS patches and of patch-wise quadrature rules destroyed by trimming
- Conventionally, trimmed elements integrated by mapped Gauss points

→ Goal: Patch-wise integration also for trimmed structures!



# Method for Patch-wise Integration of Trimmed Surfaces

Example: Infinite plate with circular hole



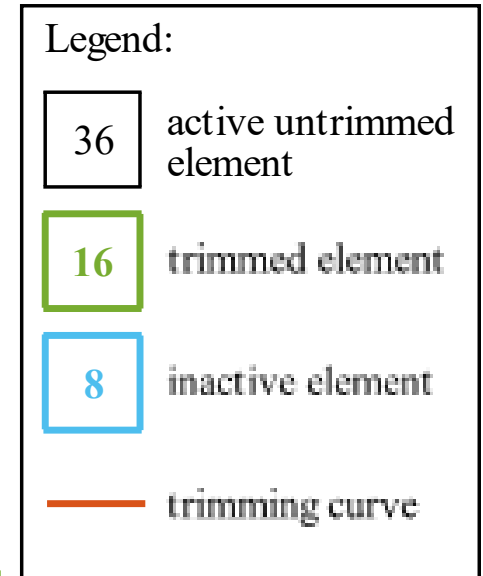


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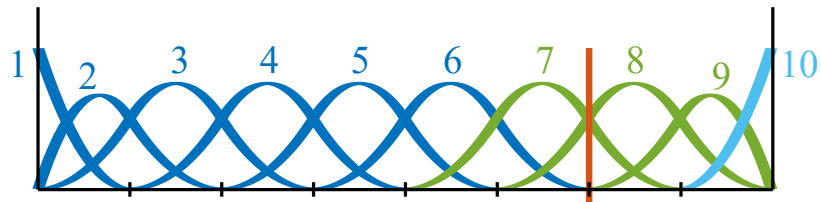
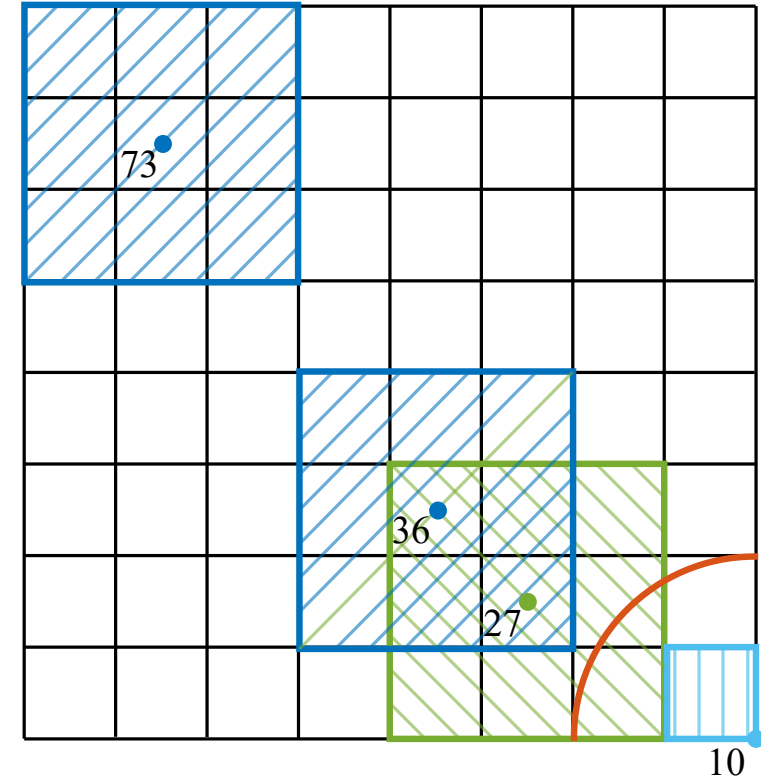
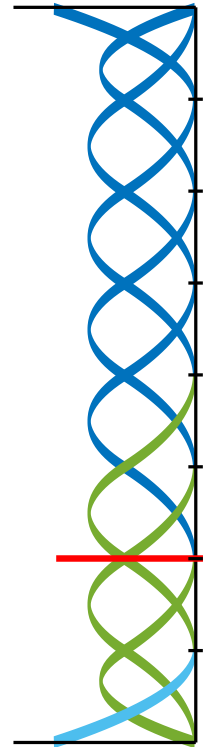
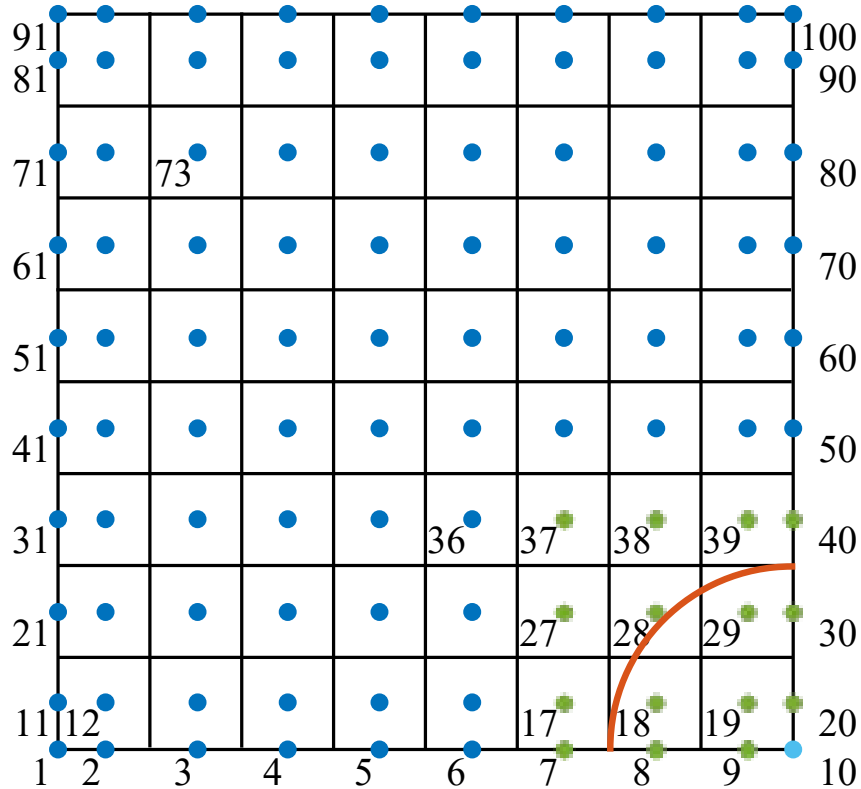
Distinction of elements in case of trimming:

- Active-untrimmed
- Trimmed
- Inactive

57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64
49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56
41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48
33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8



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Distinction of elements in case of patch-wise integration of trimmed surfaces:

- Inactive (**ia**) → no integration
- Trimmed (**t**) → mapped Gauss integration
- Transition (**tra**) → mixed integration
- Patch-wise (**pw**) → patch-wise integration

pw	pw	pw	pw	pw	pw	pw	pw
pw	pw	pw	pw	pw	pw	pw	pw
pw	pw	pw	pw	pw	pw	pw	pw
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# Method for Patch-wise Integration of Trimmed Surfaces

Mixed integration of transition elements (tra):

- Patch-wise integration of untrimmed basis functions
- Gauss integration of trimmed basis functions
- Gauss integration of combined entries of trimmed and untrimmed basis functions

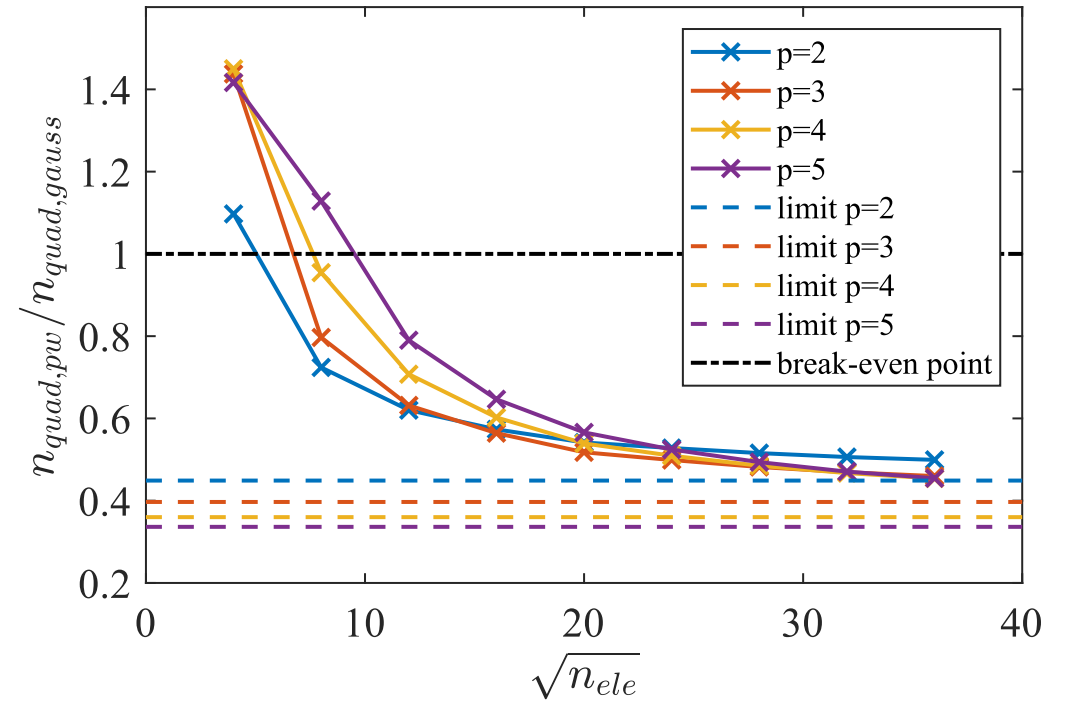
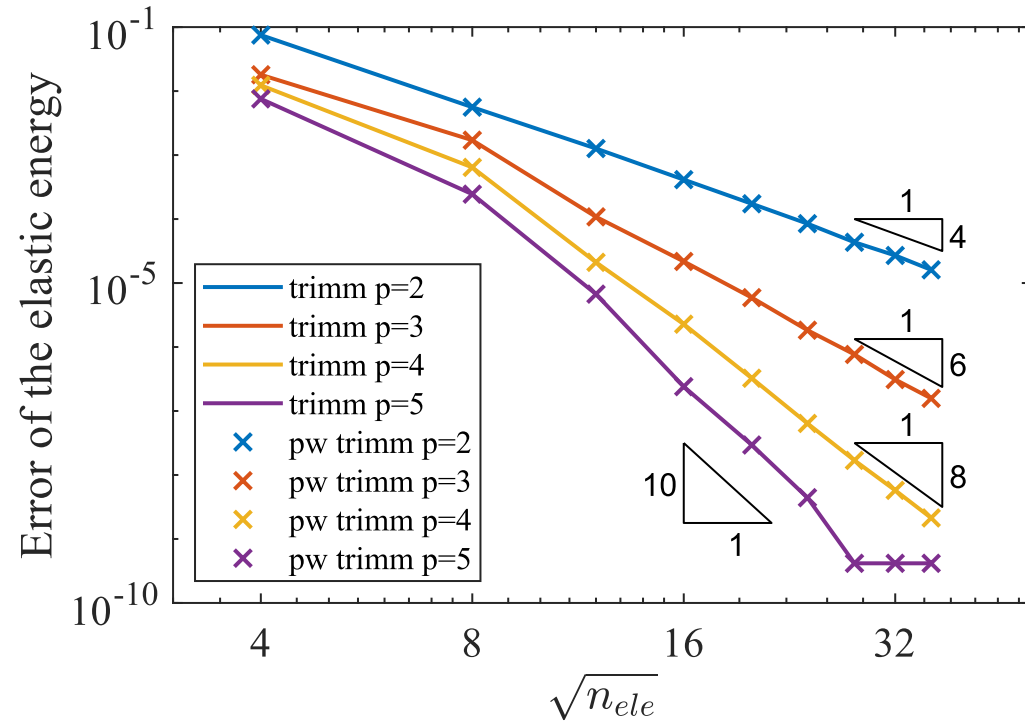
Consider a short example with:

- 4 basis functions with one degree of freedom per control point
- where basis functions 2 and 3 are trimmed

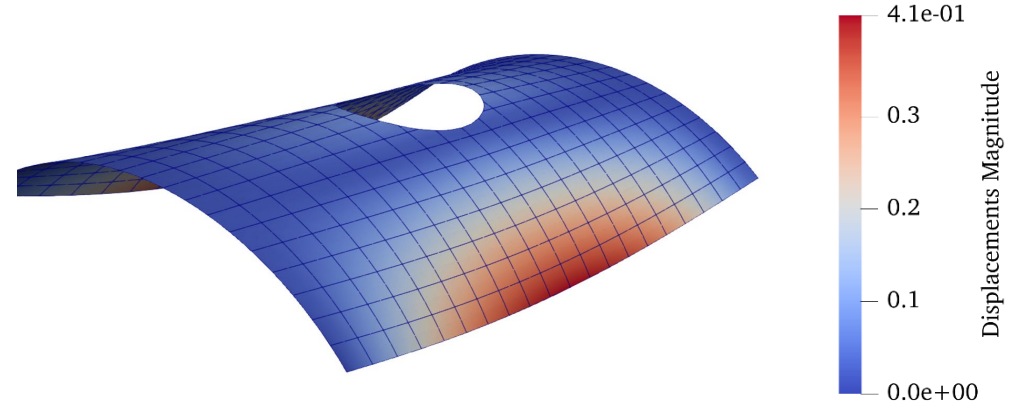
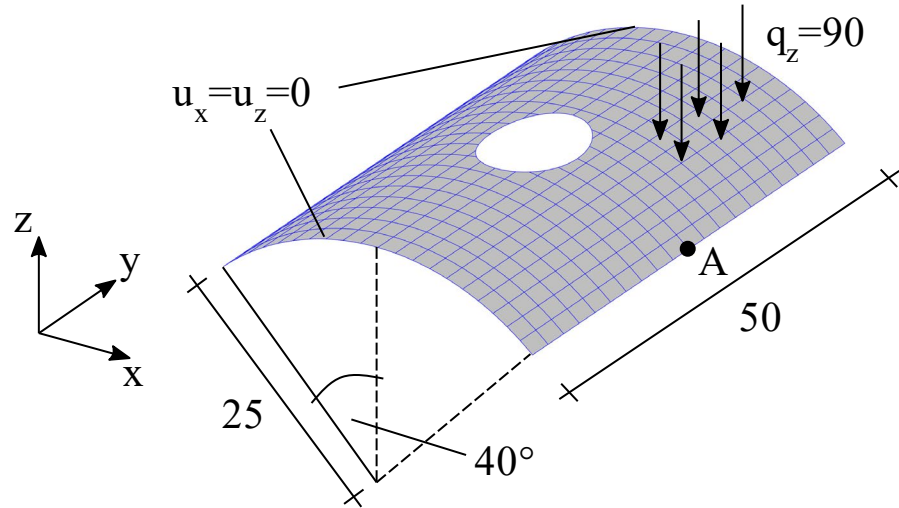
$$\begin{bmatrix} K_{11} & K_{12} & K_{13} & K_{14} \\ K_{21} & K_{22} & K_{23} & K_{24} \\ K_{31} & K_{32} & K_{33} & K_{34} \\ K_{41} & K_{42} & K_{43} & K_{44} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} K_{11}^{pw} & 0 & 0 & K_{14}^{pw} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ K_{41}^{pw} & 0 & 0 & K_{44}^{pw} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & K_{12}^{gauss} & K_{13}^{gauss} & 0 \\ K_{21}^{gauss} & K_{22}^{gauss} & K_{23}^{gauss} & K_{24}^{gauss} \\ K_{31}^{gauss} & K_{32}^{gauss} & K_{33}^{gauss} & K_{34}^{gauss} \\ 0 & K_{42}^{gauss} & K_{43}^{gauss} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Numerical Results: Infinite Plate with Circular Hole

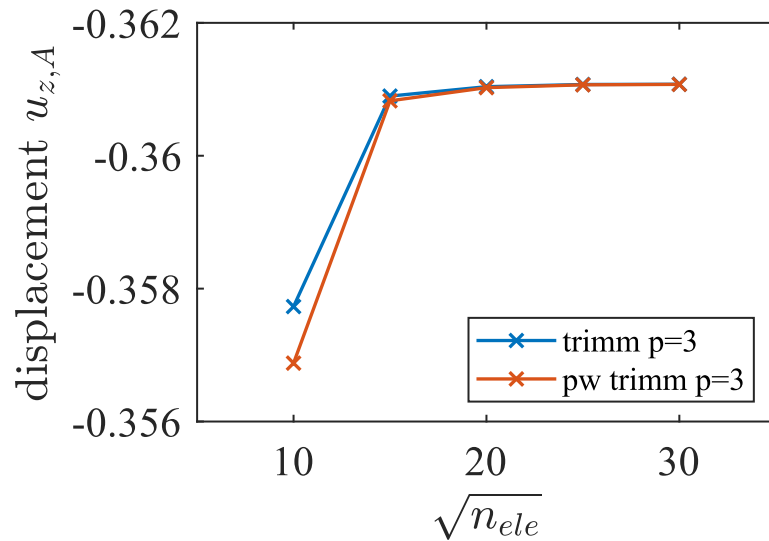
- Matching results from a standard trimming and the proposed integration method
- Clear reduction of number of integration points



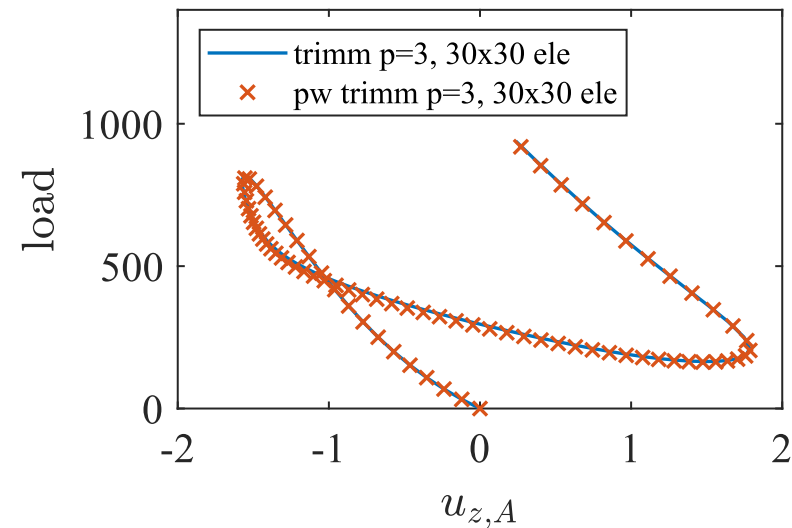
# Numerical Results: Scordelis-Lo Roof with Elliptic Hole



Linear computation



Non-linear computation

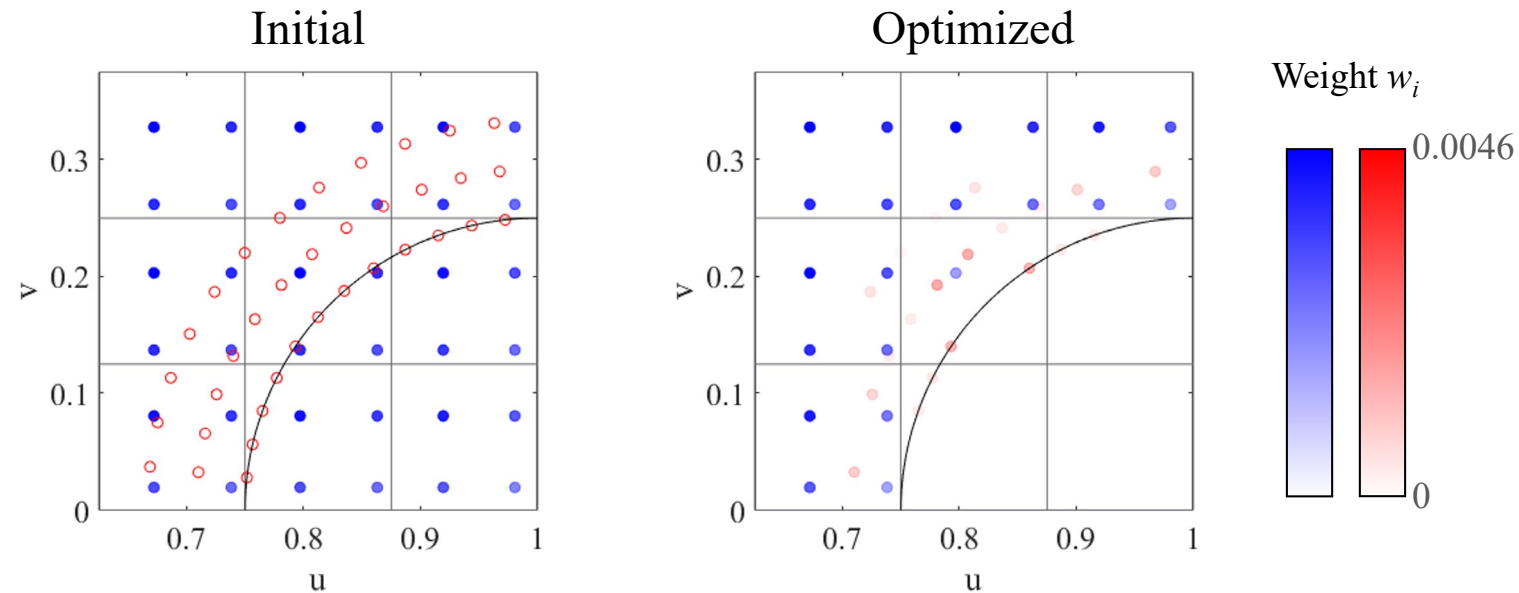


# Summary

- Patch-wise quadrature rules based on a tensor-product structure
- Tensor-product structure destroyed by trimming
- Proposed method extends patch-wise rules to trimmed surfaces

# Outlook

- Comparison to weighted quadrature
- Optimized integration points in transition zone
- Extension to trimmed volumes



**Thank you for your attention!**

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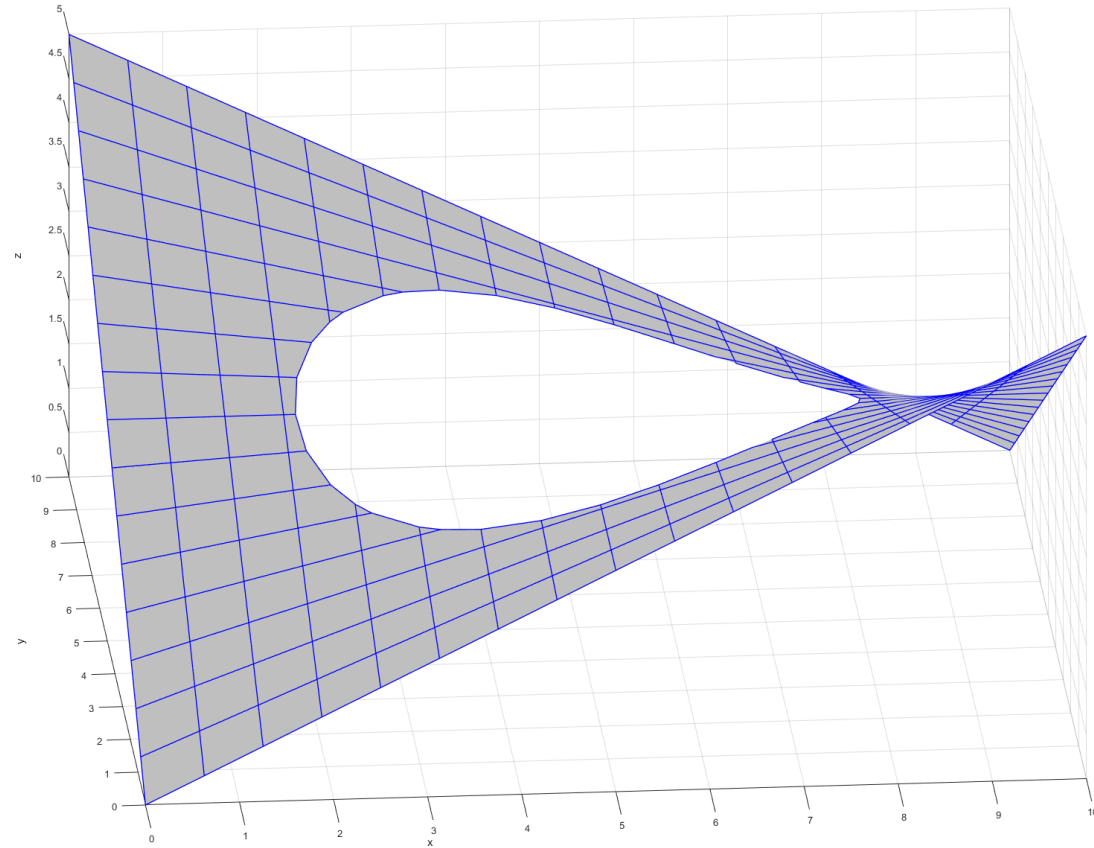


# Patch-wise Integration

- Optimal number of integration points for 2D-plane element and Kirchhoff-Love shell element

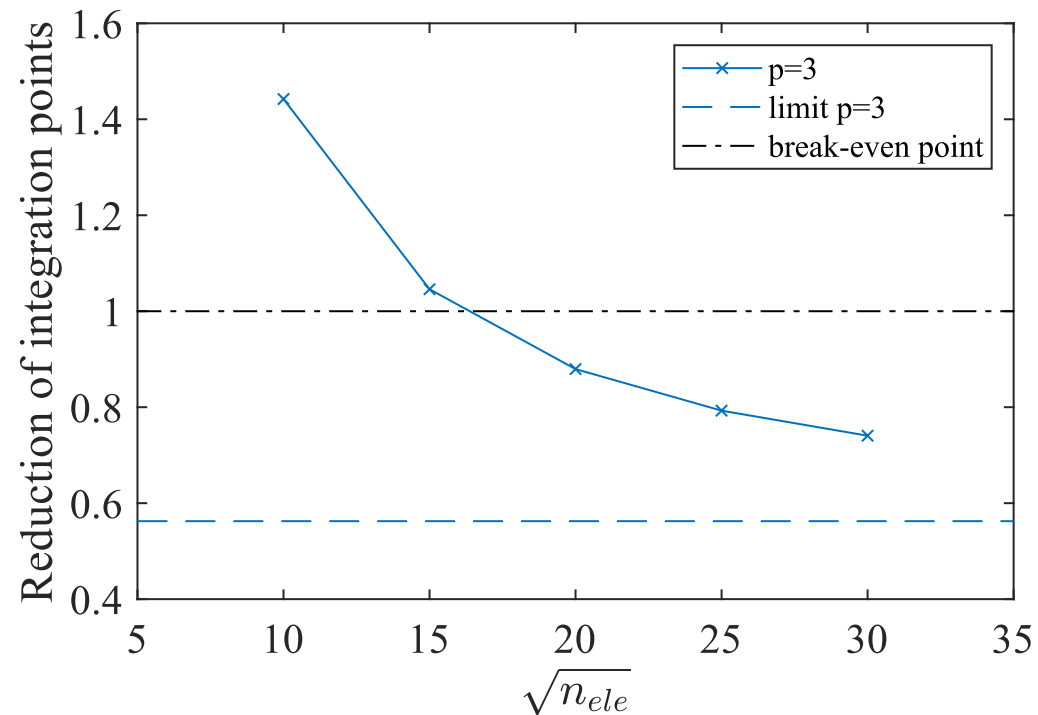
$$n_{quad,2Dplane} = \frac{\dim(\mathbb{S}_{r-1}^{2p})}{2} = \frac{(p+2)n_{ele} + p - 1}{2} = \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{p+2}{2}n_{ele}\right)$$
$$n_{quad,KL} = \frac{\dim(\mathbb{S}_{r-2}^{2p})}{2} = \frac{(p+3)n_{ele} + p - 2}{2} = \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{p+3}{2}n_{ele}\right)$$

# Doubly curved shell with circular hole

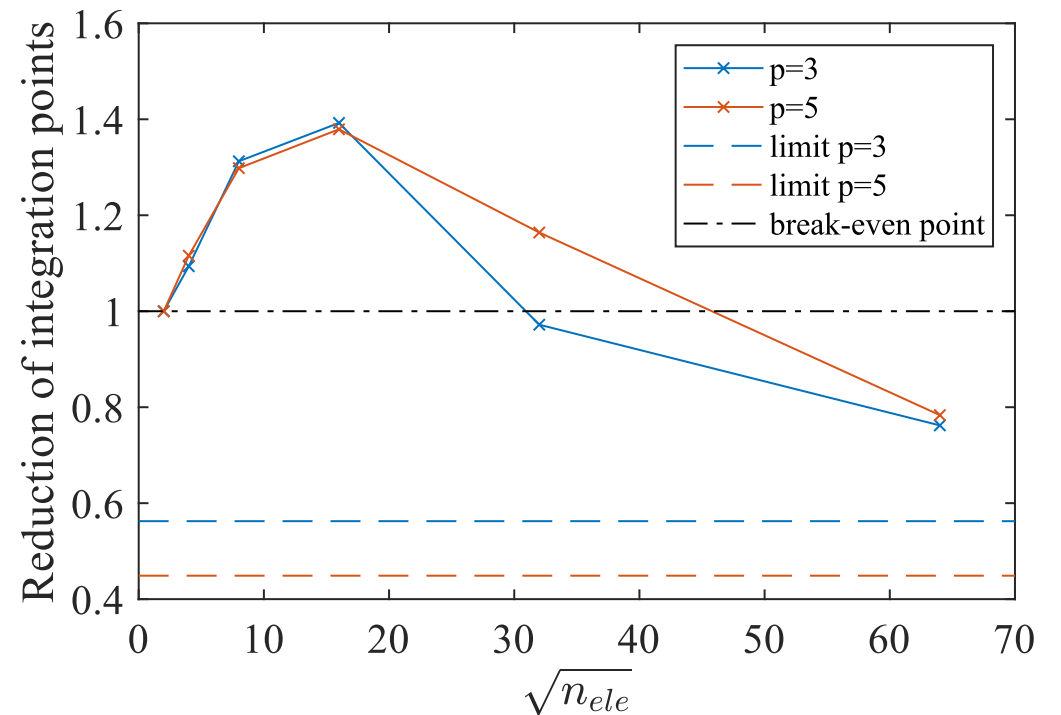


# Reduction of integration points

Scordelis with elliptic hole



Doubly curved shell with hole



# Non-linear Scordelis-Lo Roof

