

MULTIFIDELITY SURROGATE MODELLING WITH NOISY GREY-BOX MODELS

GLOBAL DISCREPANCY MULTIFIDELITY MODELLING

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The project



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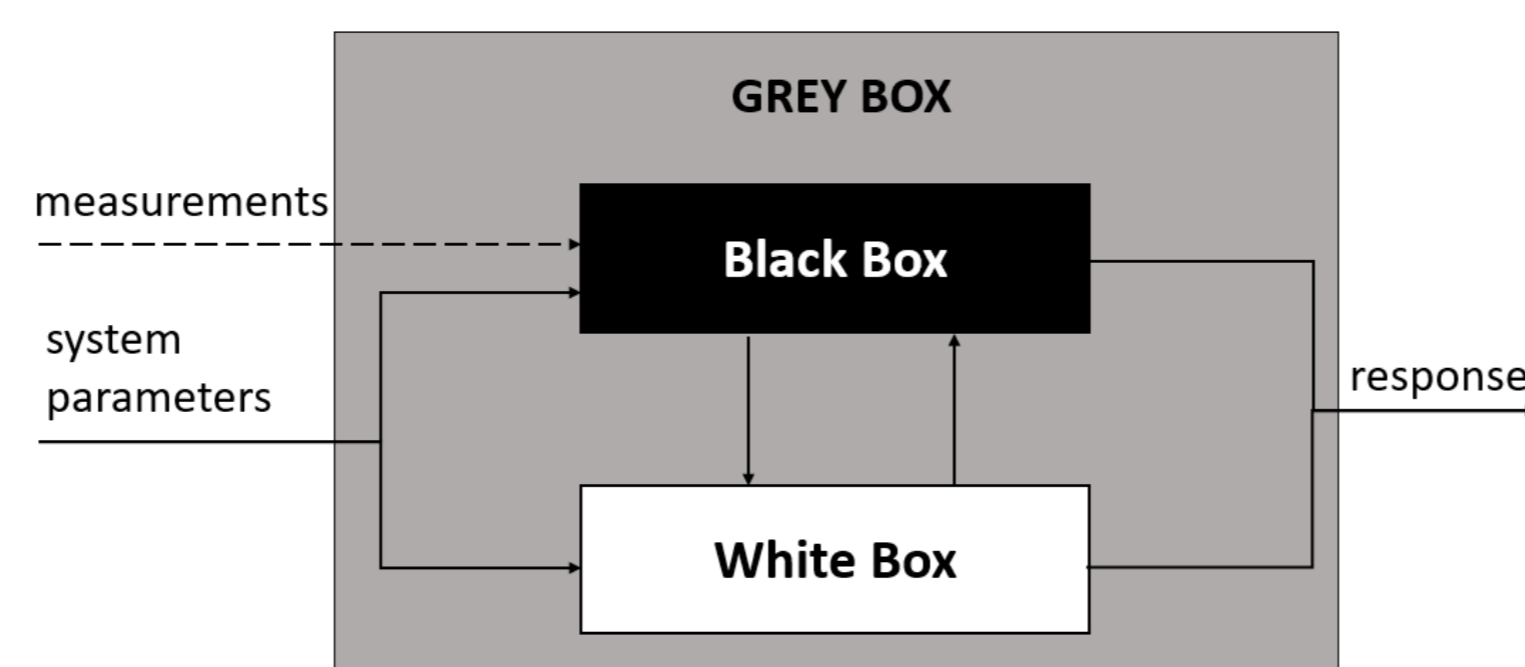
- **Goal:** Sustain the transition of European personal mobility towards safe and reliable systems
- **Idea:** Data from vehicle sensors + computational models of components and systems → grey-box model

Grey-box modelling

The output of engineering systems can often be obtained from multiple sources:

- Experimental data: **black-box models**
- Physics-based computational models: **white-box models**

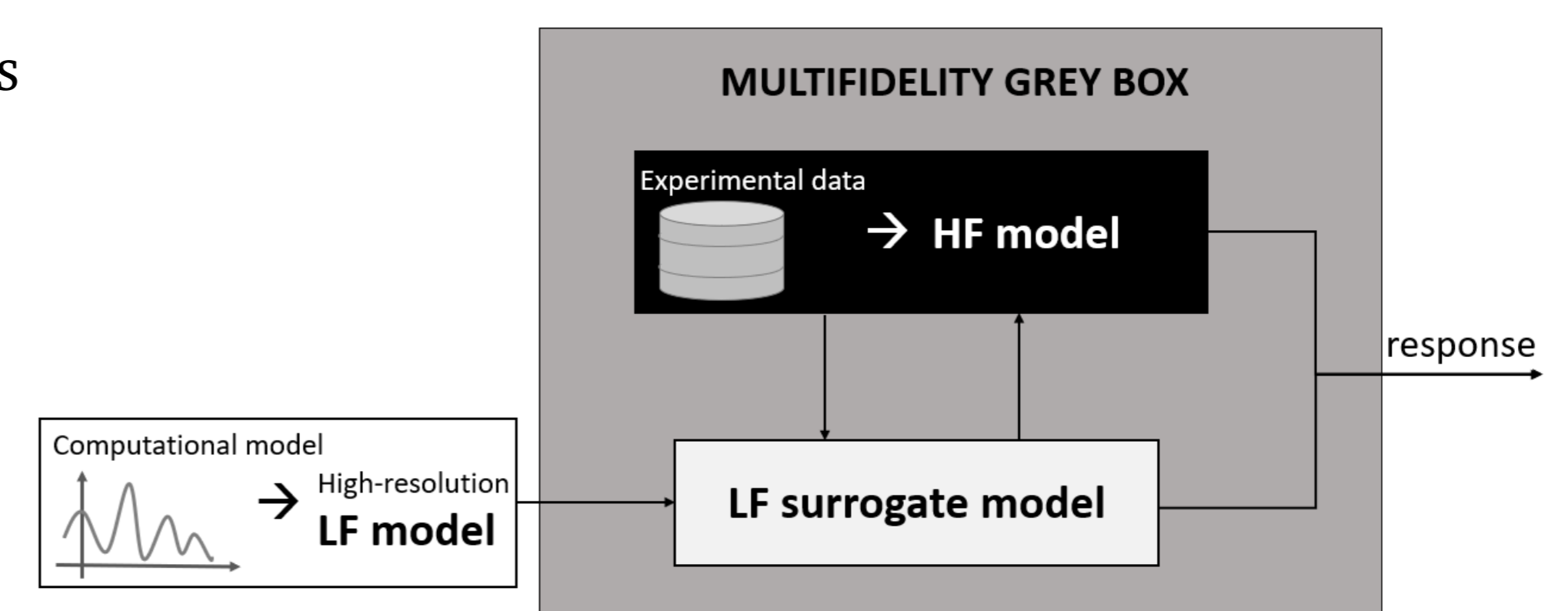
Grey-box models fuse information from white and black boxes



Multifidelity grey-box setting

- Few and expensive experimental data: **high fidelity (HF)**
- Expensive computational models: **low fidelity (LF)**

Goal: Combine information of multiple fidelities from black- and white-box models into a multifidelity grey-box model



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Problem setup:

- HF experimental data: N_H input data $\mathcal{X}_H = (\mathbf{x}_H^{(1)}, \dots, \mathbf{x}_H^{(N_H)})$ with responses $\mathcal{Y}_H = (y_H^{(1)}, \dots, y_H^{(N_H)})$
- A LF computational model \mathcal{M}_L , and N_L LF model input data $\mathcal{X}_L = (\mathbf{x}_L^{(1)}, \dots, \mathbf{x}_L^{(N_L)})$ with model evaluations $\mathcal{Y}_L = (y_L^{(1)}, \dots, y_L^{(N_L)})$

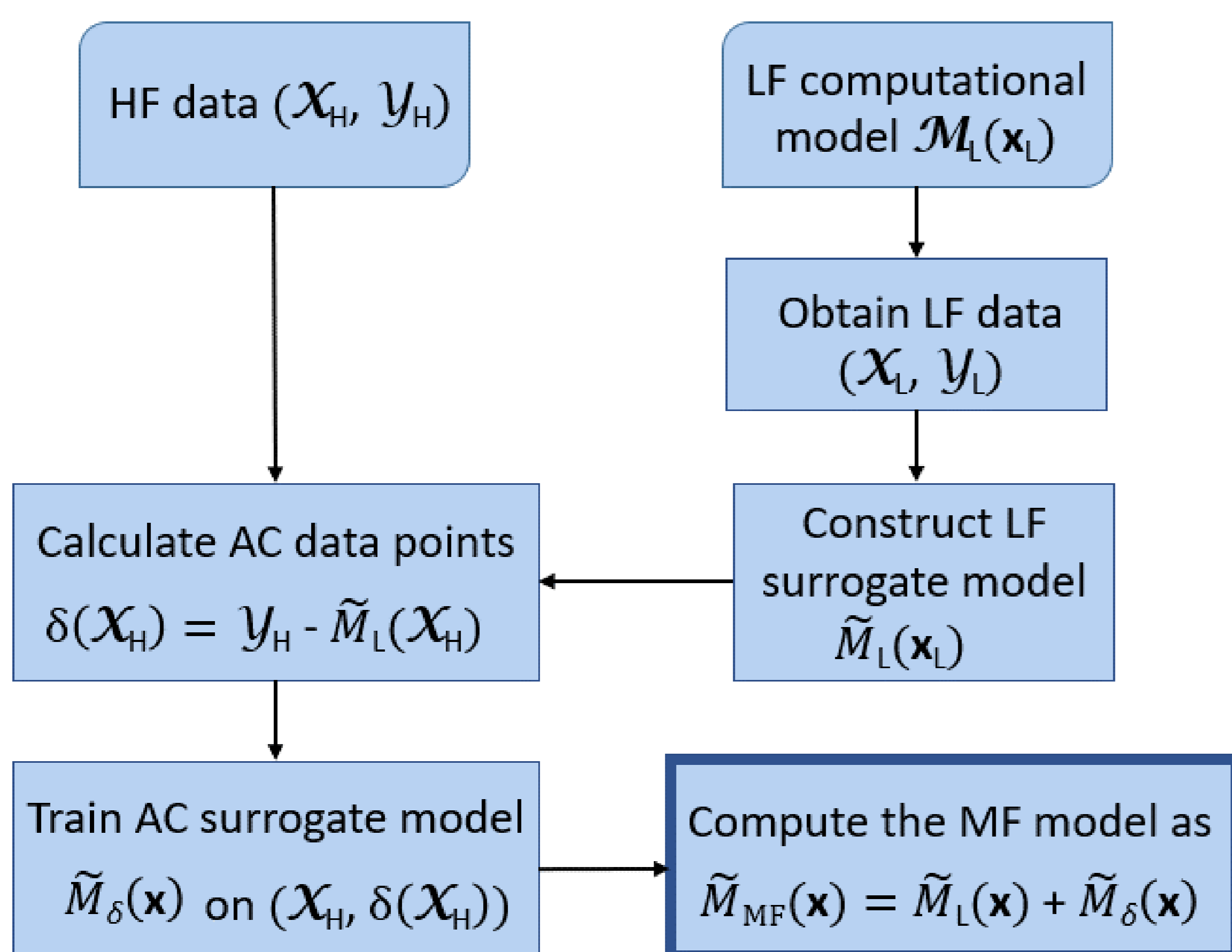
Assumption: The HF response can in general be expressed as follows:

$$y_H = \rho(\mathbf{x}) \cdot y_L + \delta(\mathbf{x}) \quad (1)$$

An additive correction (AC) approach

The method shown below is based on Berchier 2016; Ng, Eldred 2012.

It assumes that $\rho(\mathbf{x}) = 1$ in (1), so $y_H = y_L + \delta(\mathbf{x})$



TOY EXAMPLE: BOREHOLE FUNCTION

Description of the example

- High-fidelity model:

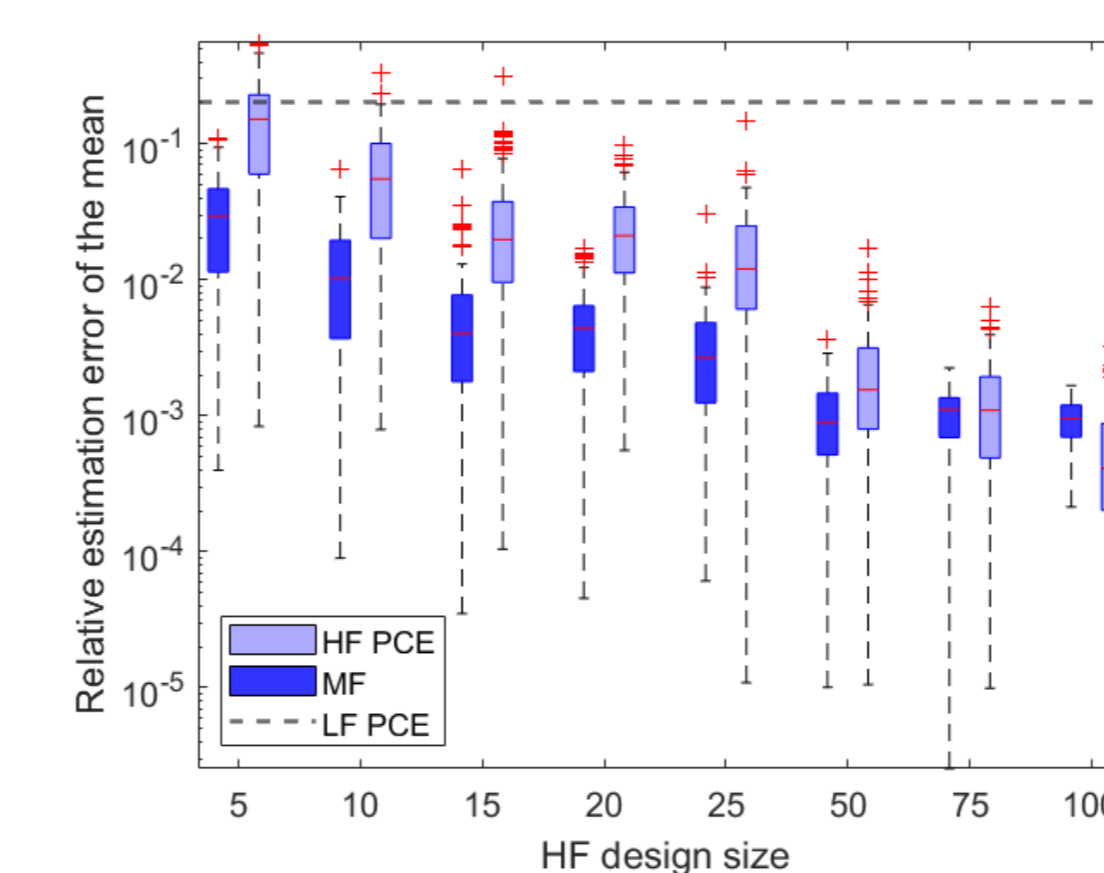
$$f_H(x) = \frac{2\pi T_u (H_u - H_l)}{\ln(r/r_w) \left(1 + \frac{2LT_u}{\ln(r/r_w)r_w^2 K_w} + \frac{T_u}{T_l}\right)}$$

- Low-fidelity version:

$$f_L(x) = \frac{5T_u (H_u - H_l)}{\ln(r/r_w) \left(1.5 + \frac{2LT_u}{\ln(r/r_w)r_w^2 K_w} + \frac{T_u}{T_l}\right)}$$

Data generation

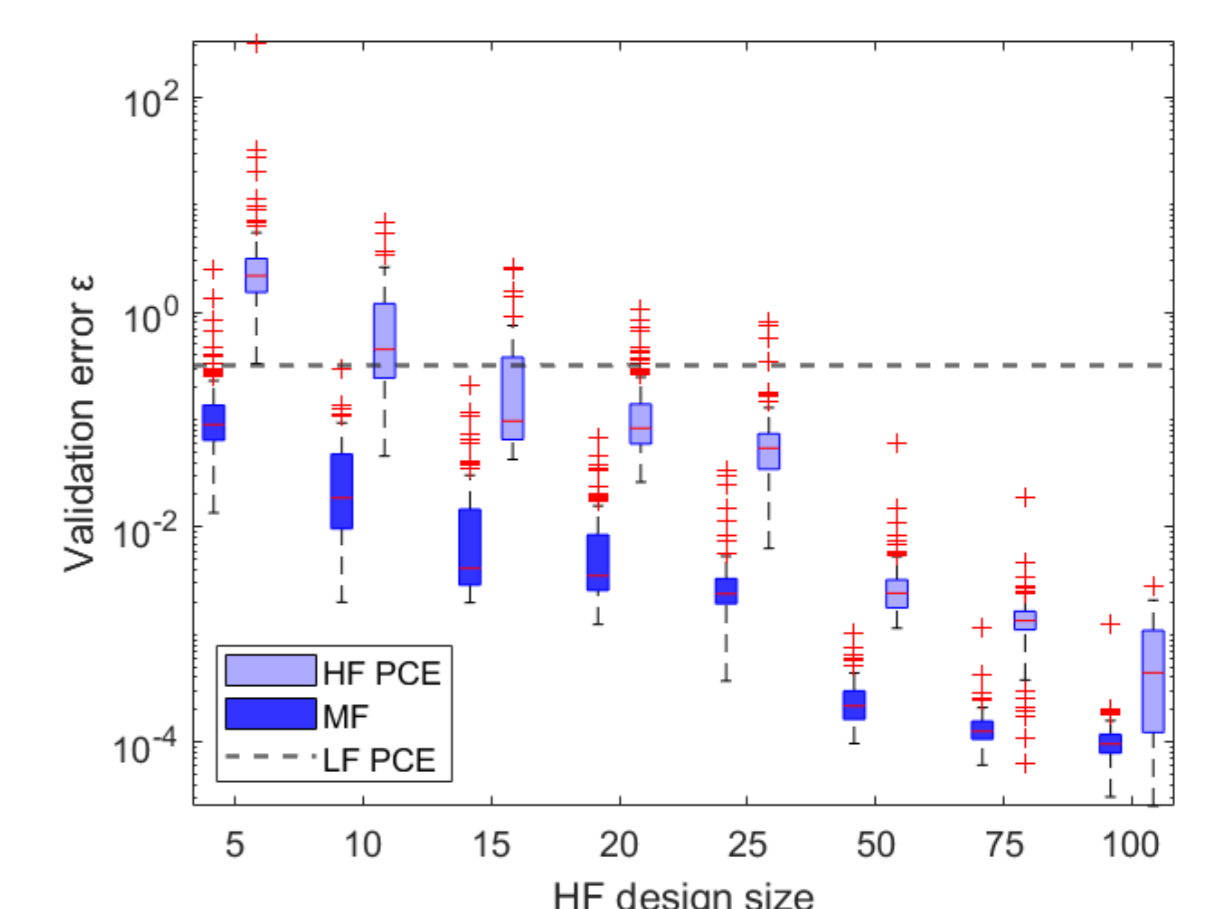
- Surrogate for LF and MF: polynomial chaos expansions (PCE)
- HF experimental design (ED) sizes: 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 50, 75, 100
- LF ED size (constant): 200
- HF ED not a subset of LF ED
- MF uses the HF and the LF samples
- Number of replications per HF ED size: 100
- Validation set size: $N_v = 10^5$ unseen data points



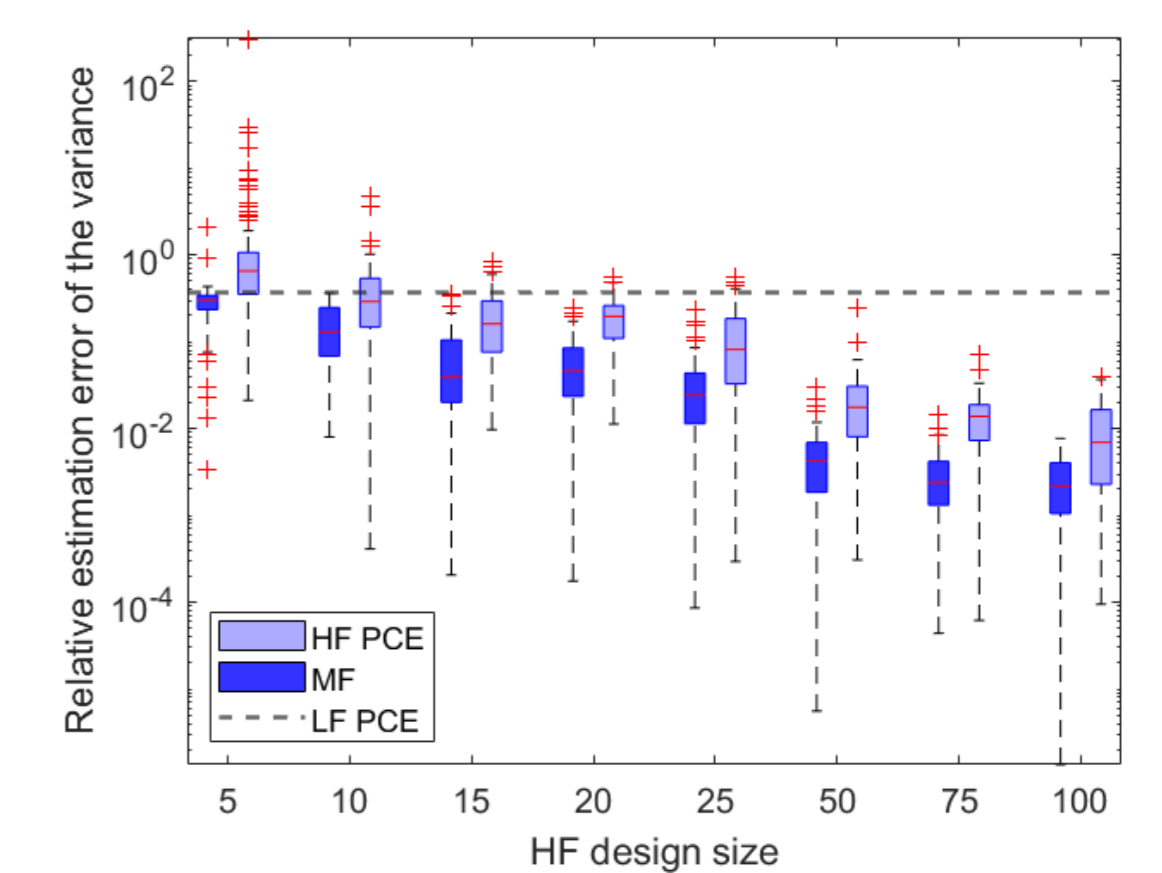
Relative estimation error on the mean, given by $\epsilon_\mu = \left| \frac{\tilde{\mu} - \mu}{\mu} \right|$ where $\tilde{\mu}$ is the mean value of the surrogate model and μ is the true model mean

Variable	Distribution
r_w	$\mathcal{N}(\mu = 0.10, \sigma = 0.0161812)$
r	$\mathcal{LN}(\mu = 7.71, \sigma = 1.0056)$
T_u	$\mathcal{U}(63070, 115600)$
H_u	$\mathcal{U}(990, 1110)$
T_l	$\mathcal{U}(63.1, 116)$
H_l	$\mathcal{U}(700, 820)$
L	$\mathcal{U}(1120, 1680)$
K_w	$\mathcal{U}(9855, 12045)$

Results



Validation error of the MF model compared to the HF surrogate: $\epsilon = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{N_v} (y^{(i)} - \tilde{y}^{(i)})^2}{\sum_{i=1}^{N_v} (y^{(i)} - \mu)^2}$, where μ is the true model mean

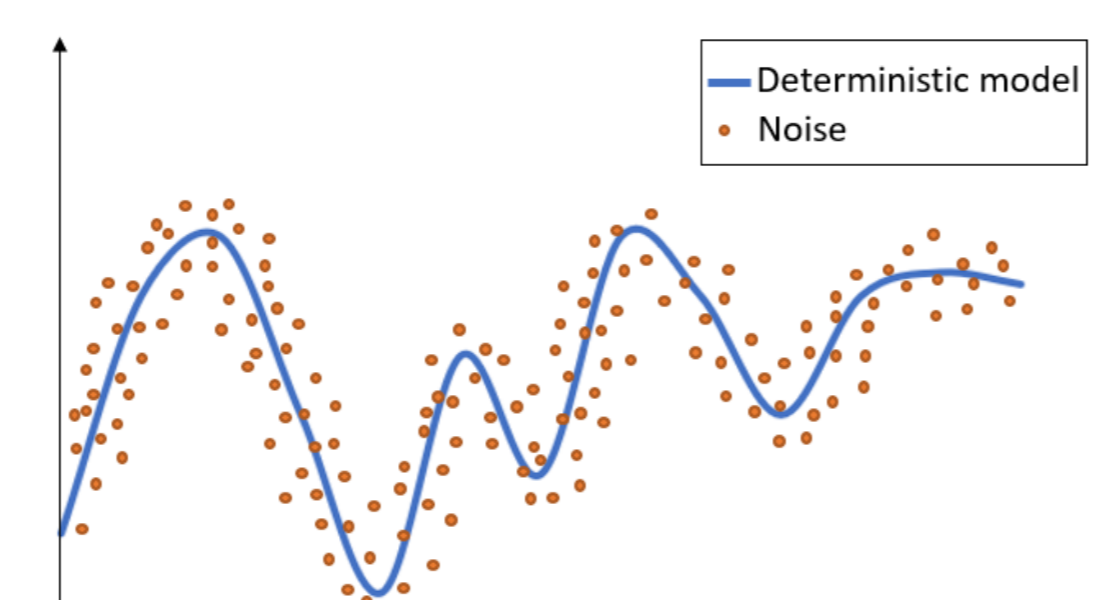


Relative estimation error on the variance, given by $\epsilon_{\sigma^2} = \left| \frac{\tilde{\sigma}^2 - \sigma^2}{\sigma^2} \right|$ where $\tilde{\sigma}^2$ is the variance of the surrogate model and σ^2 is the true model variance

MULTIFIDELITY MODELLING WITH NOISY DATA

- Real-world data are contaminated by **measurement noise** → the HF unknown model can be written as:
 $\mathcal{M}_H: X \rightarrow Y$, where $y_H^{(i)} = \mathcal{M}_H(x_H^{(i)}) + \varepsilon_H$, and ε_H is random noise with $\mathbb{E}[\varepsilon_H] = 0$
- The LF physics-based model is represented by a surrogate model trained on a **finite experimental design** → the LF response can be written as:
 $y_L^{(i)} = \tilde{\mathcal{M}}_L(x_L^{(i)}) + \varepsilon_L$, where ε_L is an approximation residual

The multifidelity model needs to denoise the noisy data.



DISCUSSION AND FURTHER WORK

- The presented MF method works well for analytical toy examples, but real data have not been used yet
- Global regression-based approaches will be investigated to deal with noisy data
- Multifidelity stochastic simulators will be investigated to deal with models with an aleatoric stochastic behaviour
- We used the UQLab software for the construction of the surrogate models in the example shown

