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Process of aerodynamic design optimization

Design optimization problem definition



Aerodynamic design optimization



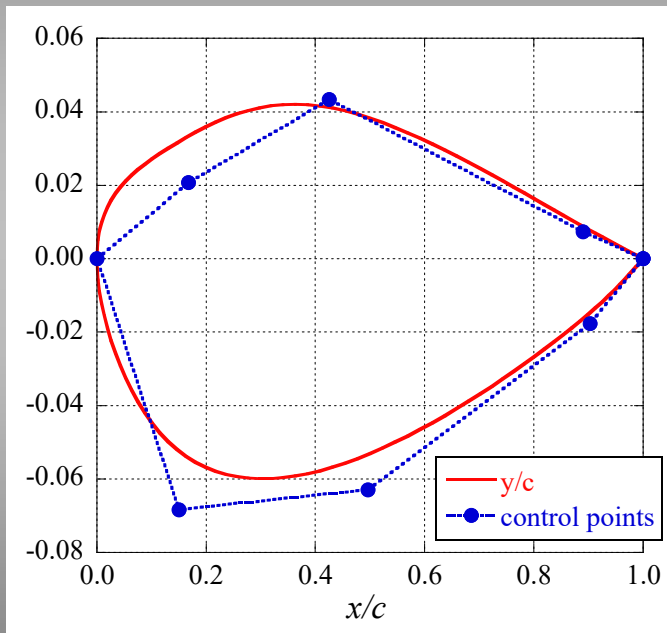
Analysis of the optimized designs



Knowledge about the optimization problem

Parameterization of shapes

Method for parameterizing 2D shapes and quasi-2D shapes has been established.



2D shape parameterization
using Bezier curves

Quasi-2D shape parameterization
by stacking 2D shapes

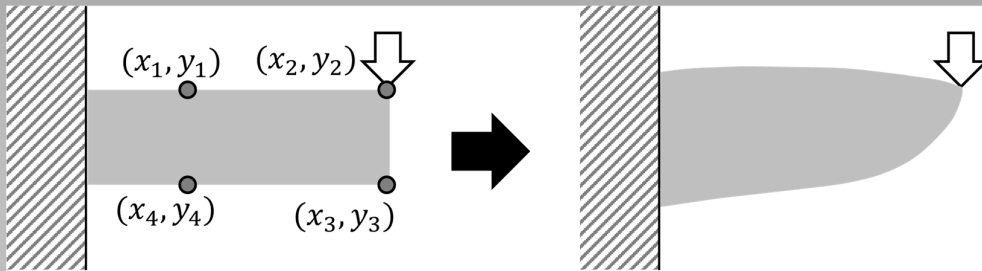
How to parameterize fully 3D shapes?

Two categories of design optimization methods

Shape optimization

Parameterization of a shape is required.

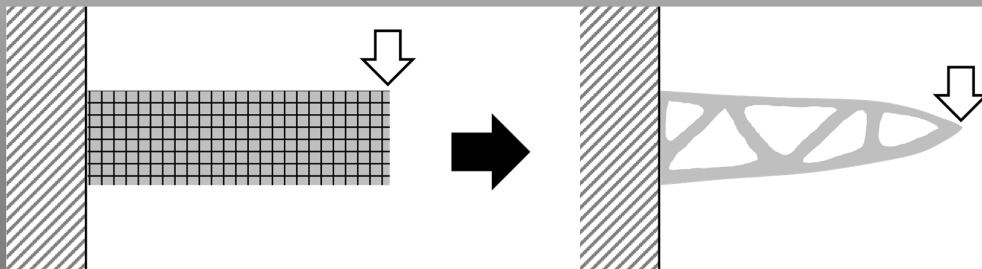
Degree of design freedom is limited by parameterization.



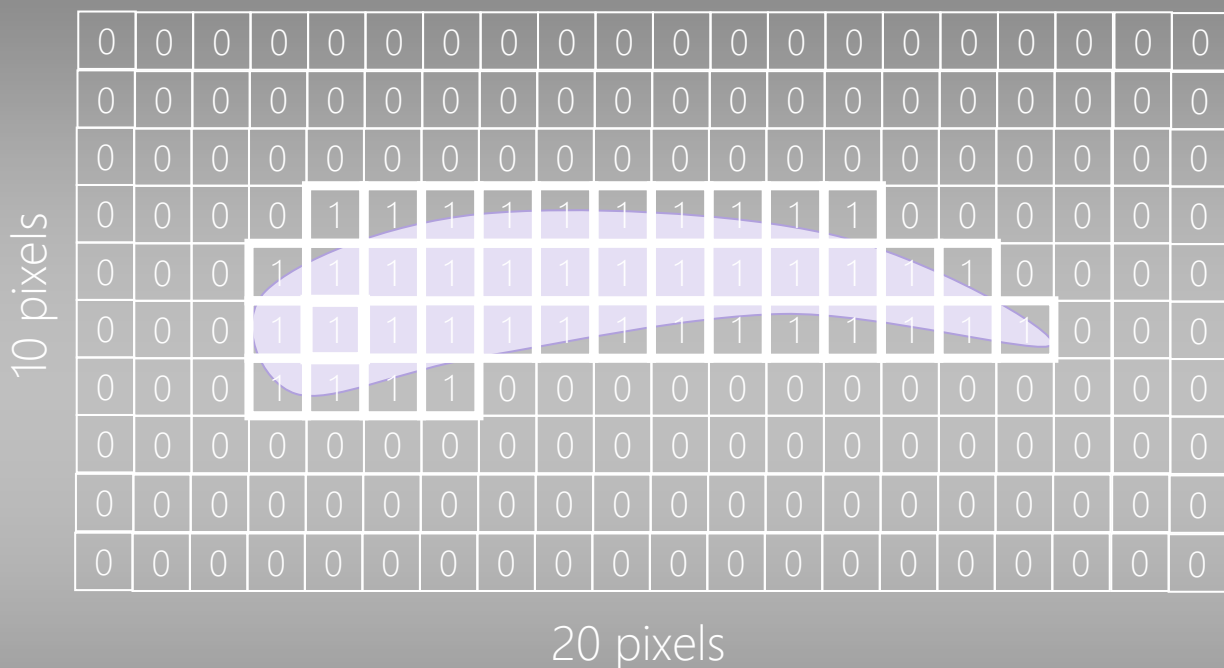
Topology optimization

Parameterization of a shape is NOT required.

It has a high degree of design freedom.



Difficulty in topology optimization



Shape is represented by many pixels.

Number of design parameters is equal to number of pixels.

A huge number of binary design parameters should be optimized

Research Objectives

To propose a multiobjective evolutionary algorithm (MOEA) for topology optimization using quadtree coding for two-dimensional shape optimization and octree coding for three-dimensional shape optimization

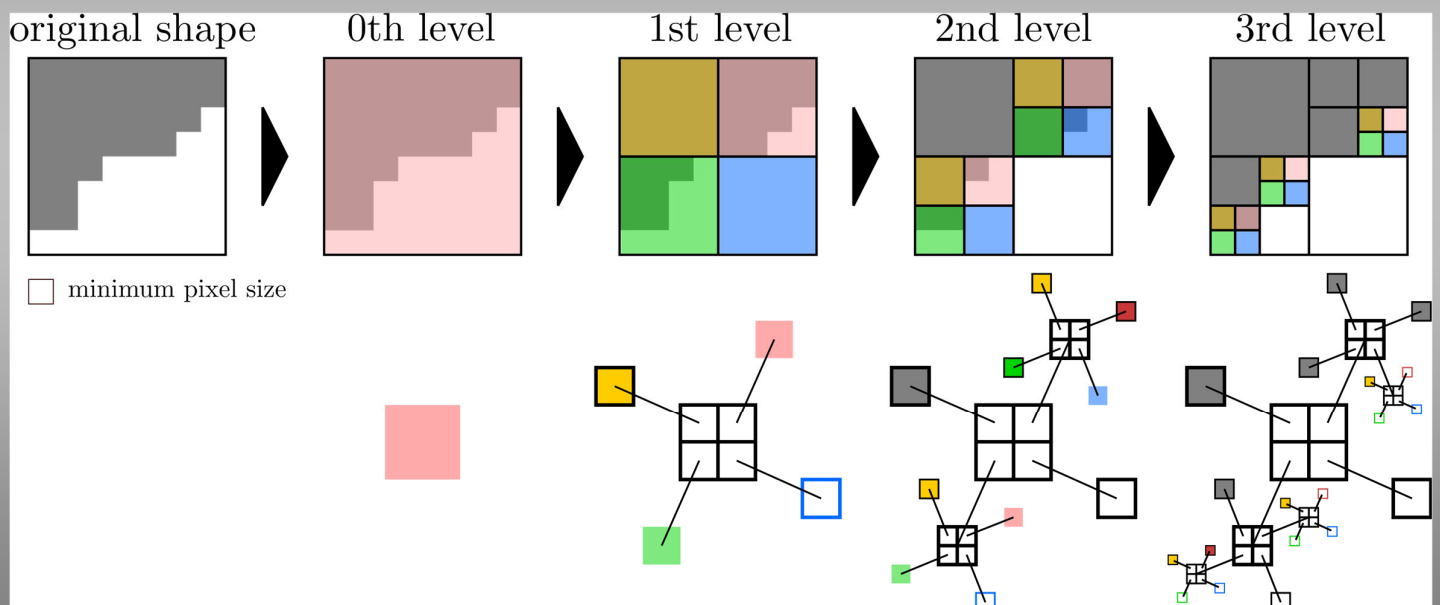
To verify the effectiveness of the proposed method by demonstrating aerodynamic airfoil shape design optimization and aerodynamic wingtip shape design optimization

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MOEA using quadtree coding for 2D optimization

Shape is coded as a quadtree.

Multiobjective genetic programming is used to optimize quadtree.



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aerodynamic airfoil shape design optimization

Design optimization problem

Flow condition

- Reynolds number of 1,000,000
- Mach number of 0.3
- Angle of attack of 7 degrees

Design objectives

- Lift coefficient (to be maximized)
- Drag coefficient (to be minimized)

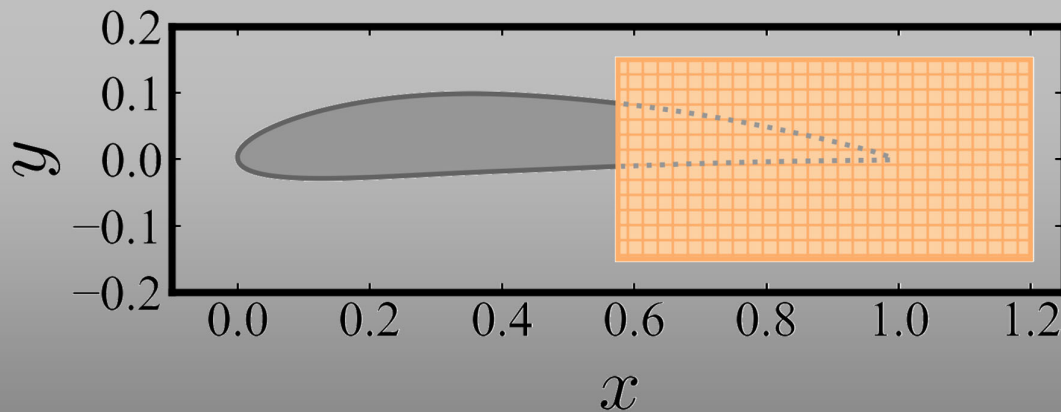
Design Constraint

- Cross sectional Area \geq Cross sectional area of NACA4412

Design optimization problem

Shape representation

- Design domain is [0.575:1.2] in flow direction), [-0.15:0.15] in vertical direction
- 64 pixels (flow direction) x 64 pixels (vertical direction)



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Computational methods

Optimization

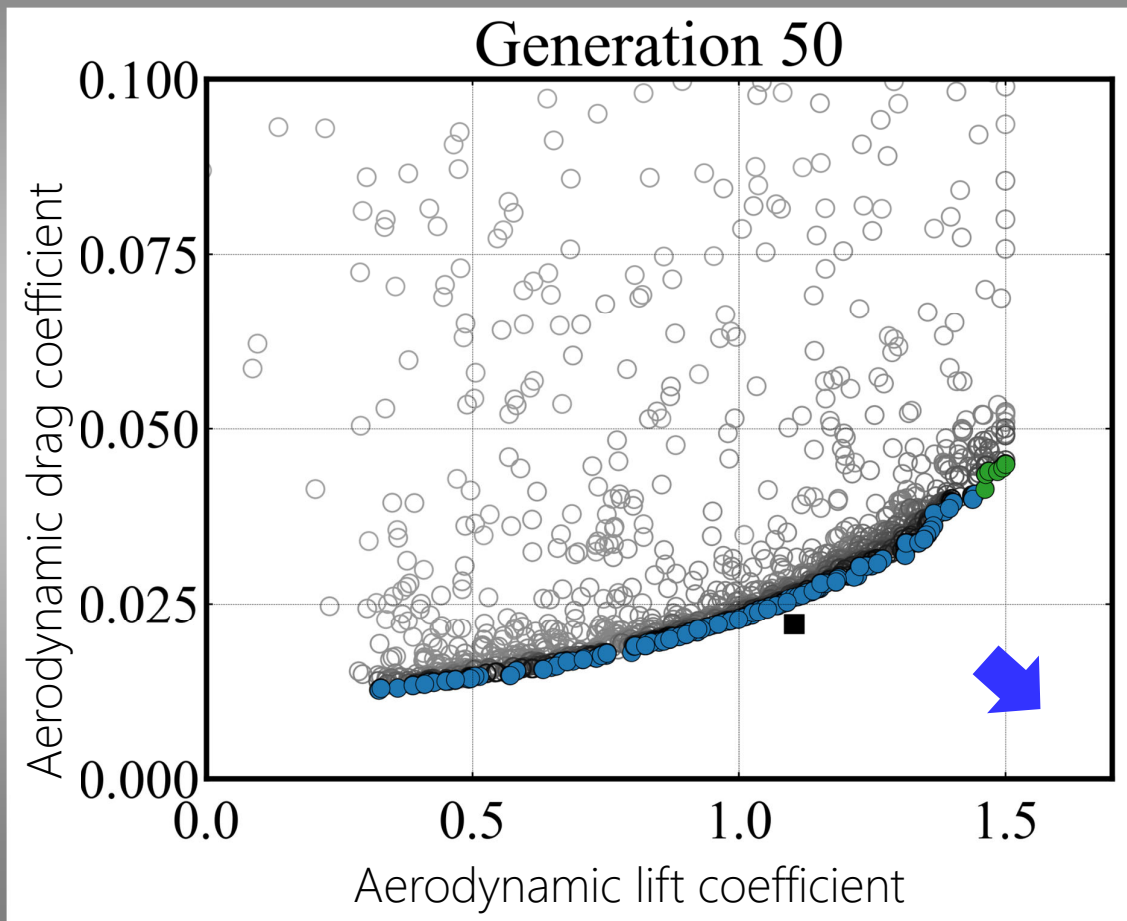
- Multiobjective genetic programming
- Quadtree coding
- Population size 100 x number of generations 50

CFD simulation

- FaSTAR developed by JAXA (RANS simulation code)
 - HLLEW for convective term evaluation
 - LU-SGS for time integration
 - SST2003 for turbulent modeling
- HexaGrid developed by JAXA
 - Minimum distance from the wall 1.0×10^{-5}

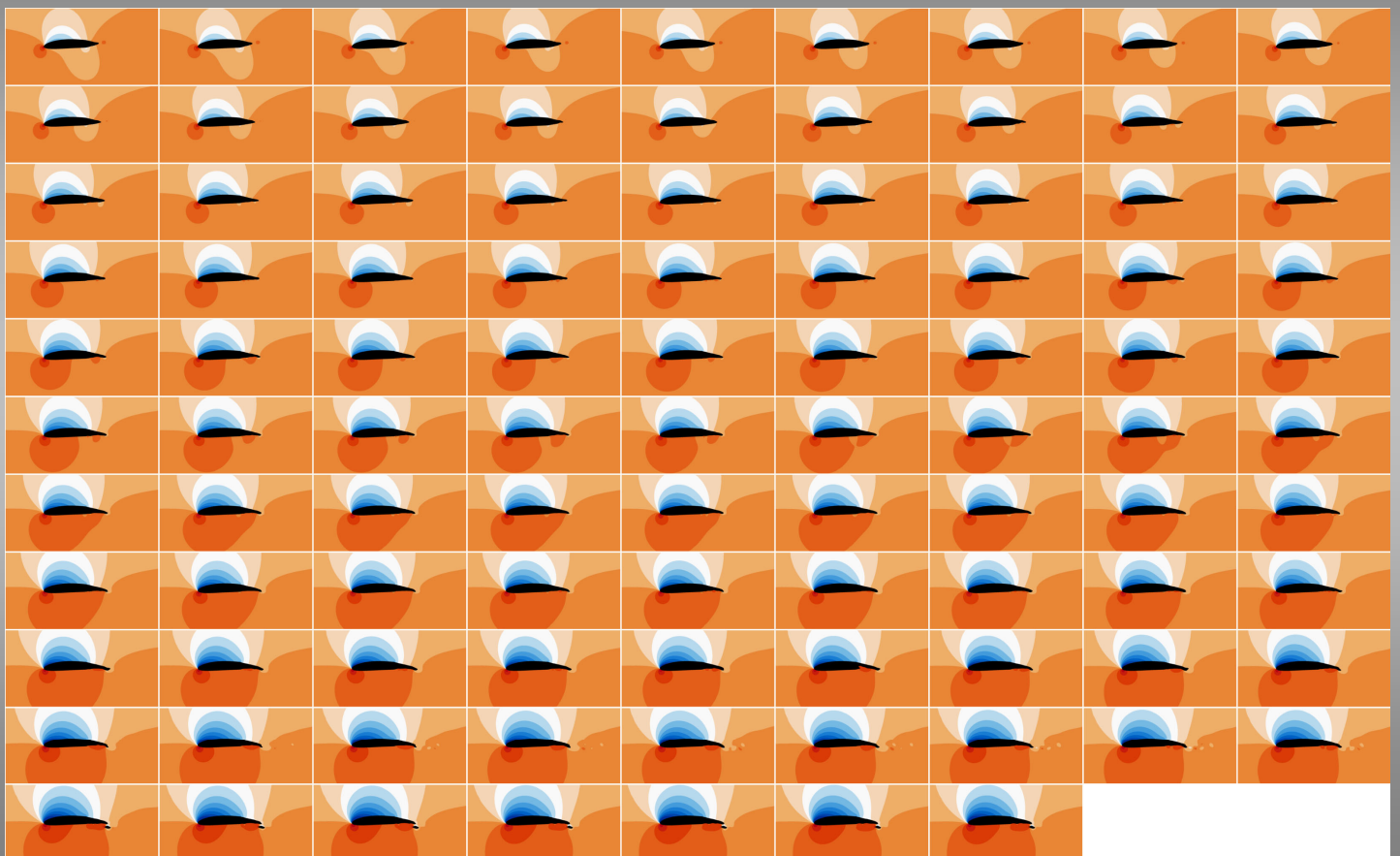
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Distribution of Pareto-optimal designs



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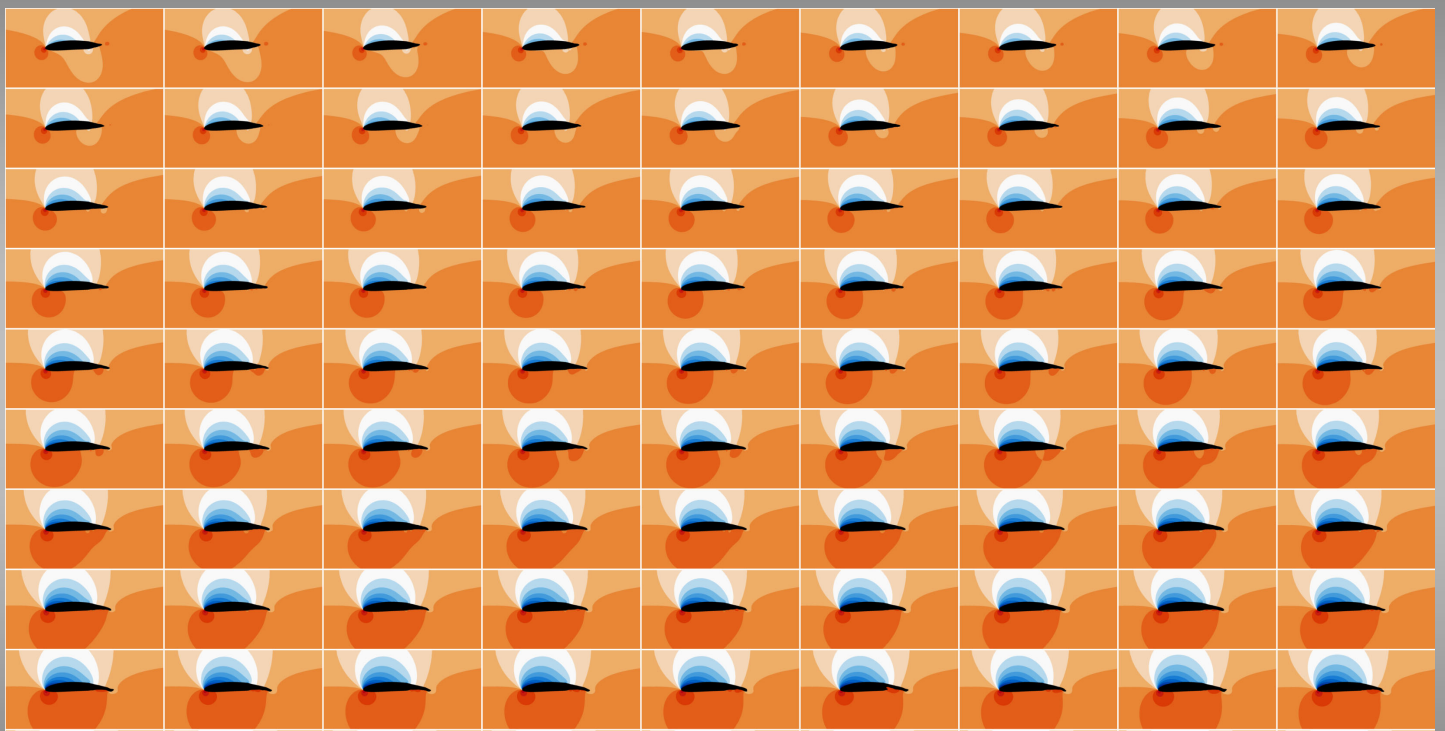
Shape of the obtained Pareto-optimal designs



Shape of the obtained Pareto-optimal designs



Shape of the obtained Pareto-optimal designs



High lift airfoils shape with flap are rediscovered by MOEC.
(benefit of the topology optimization)

Aerodynamic wingtip shape design optimization

An example of wing tip shape

Design optimization problem

Flow conditions

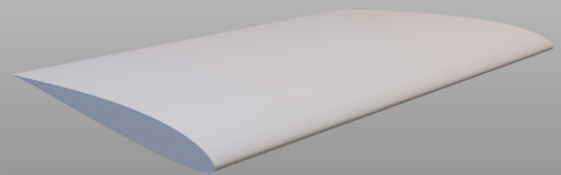
- Reynolds number: 2.0×10^4
- Freestream Mach number: 0.2
- Angle of attack: 2°

Baseline shape

Rectangular wing with SD7003 airfoil, $AR = 1.5$

Objective functions

- Lift coefficient C_L (to be maximized)
- Drag coefficient C_D (to be minimized)

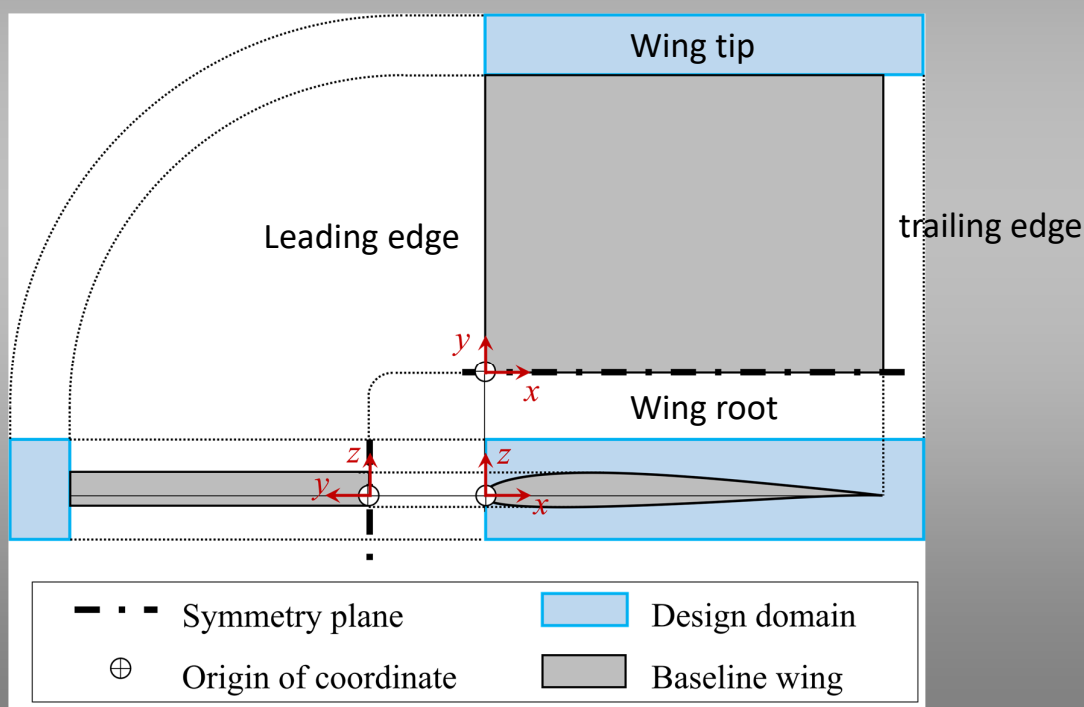


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Design optimization problem

Design domain

$[0.0, 1.1]$ in x direction \times $[0.75, 0.9]$ in y \times $[-0.1, 0.15]$ in z direction



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Flow simulation method

Solver	FaSTAR
Governing Equations	Compressible Navier-Stokes equations
Time integration	LU-SGS
Convection term	SLAU
Turbulence model	None

Grid generator	HexaGrid
Minimum distance from the wall	5.0×10^{-4}
Domain size	$51(x) \times 50(y) \times 50(z)$

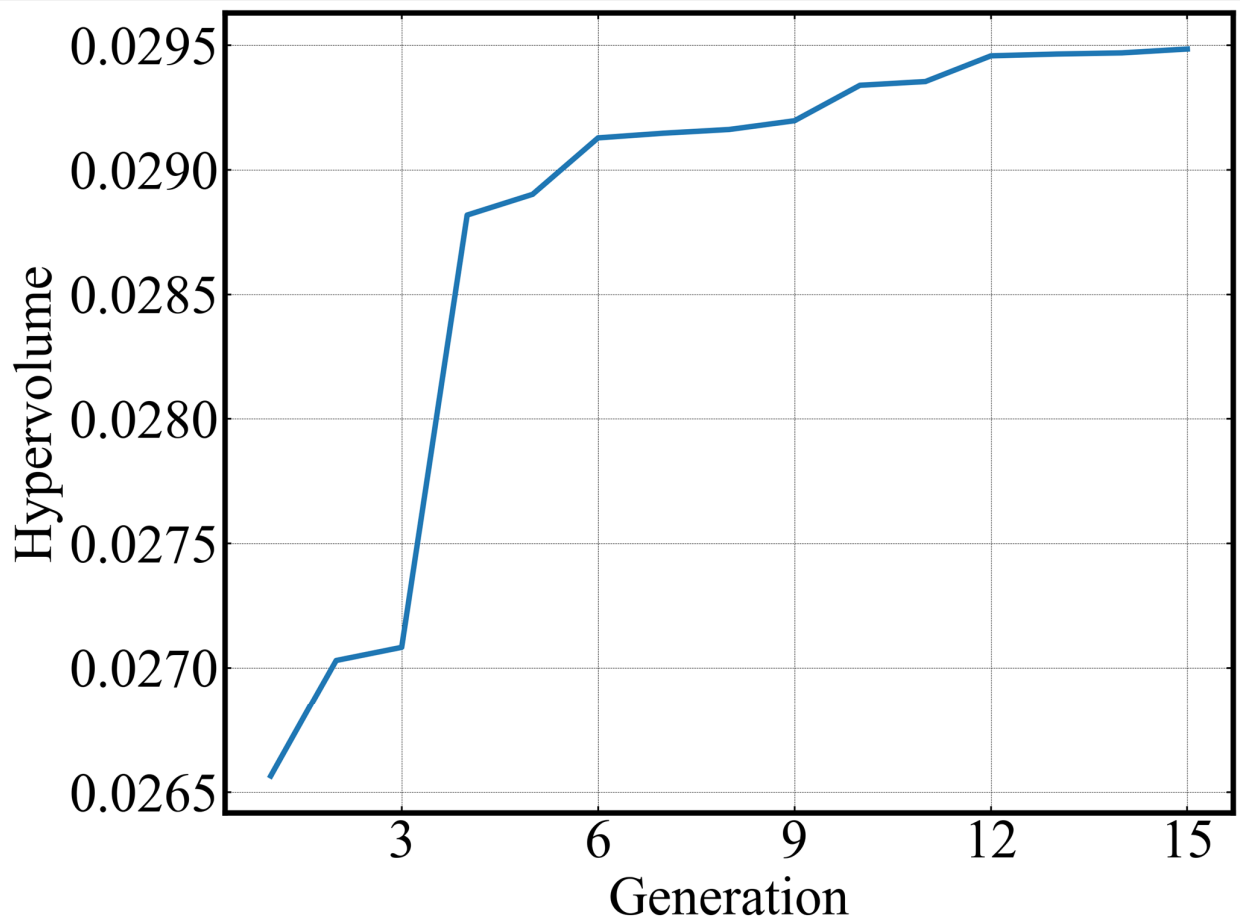
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Optimization method

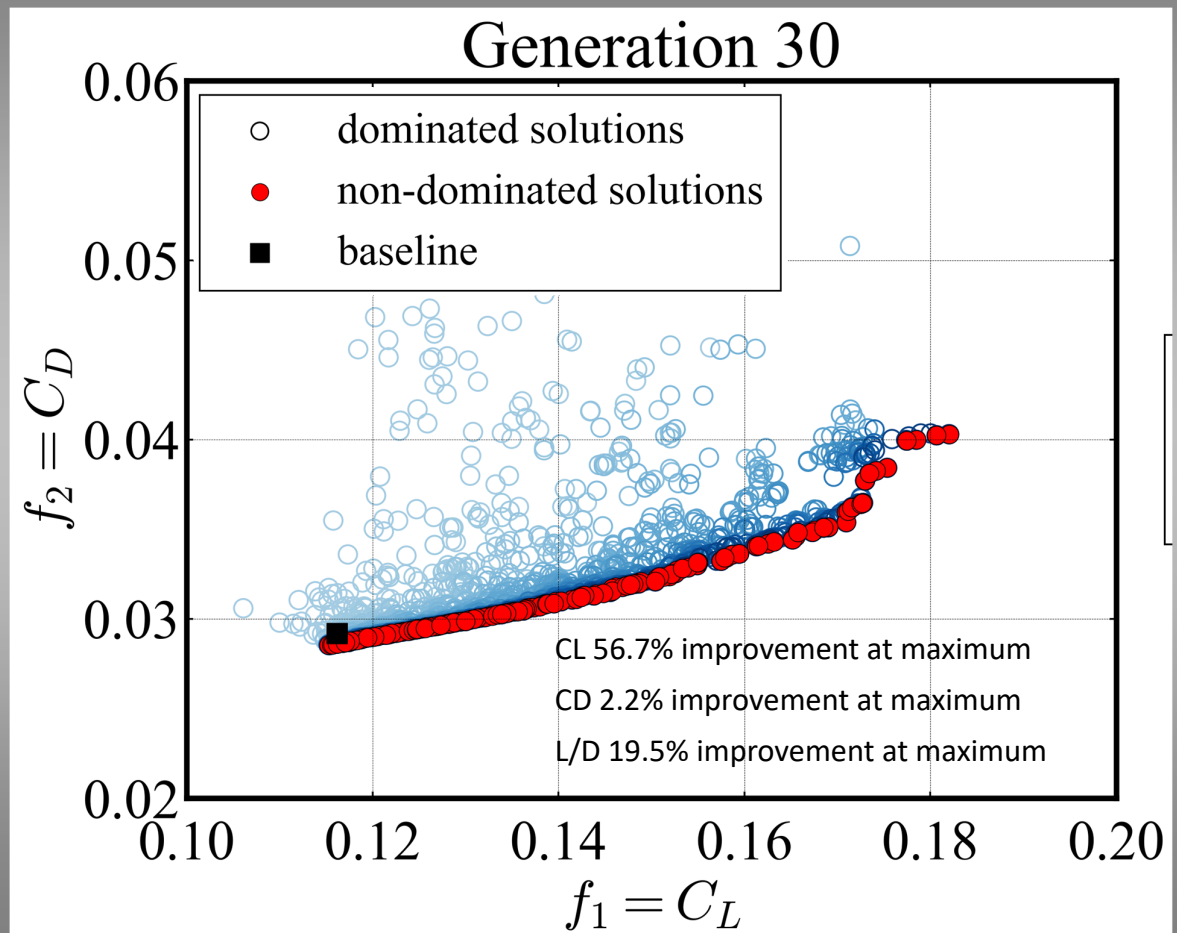
Algorithm	Octree encoded NSGA-II
Population size	160
Maximum number of generation	15
Node exchange rate in crossover	0.3
Node mutation rate in mutation	0.0003
Maximum depth of octree	5 (32 × 32 × 32 voxels)
Regularization filter	Morphology operations

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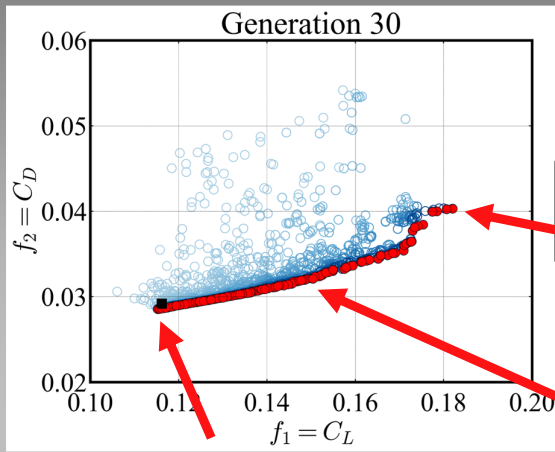
Optimization history



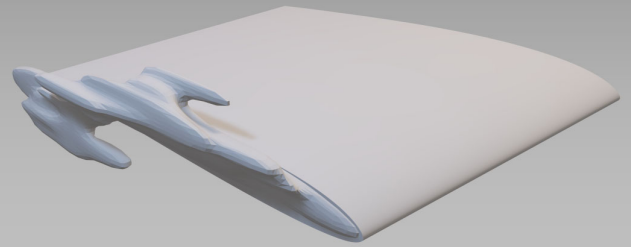
Optimization result



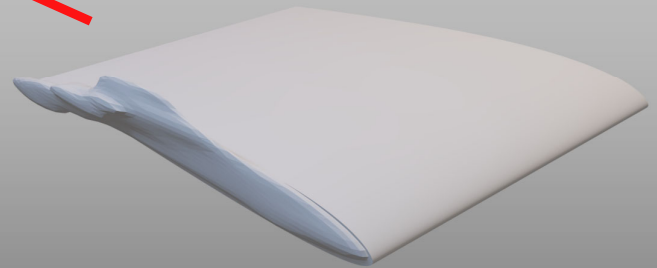
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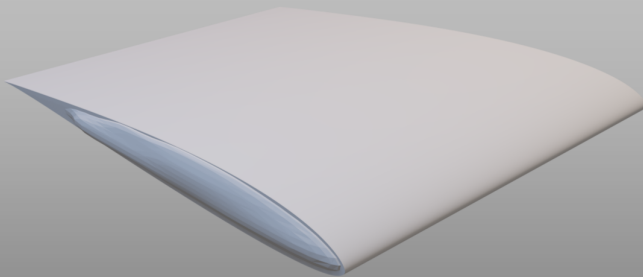
Lift maximum design



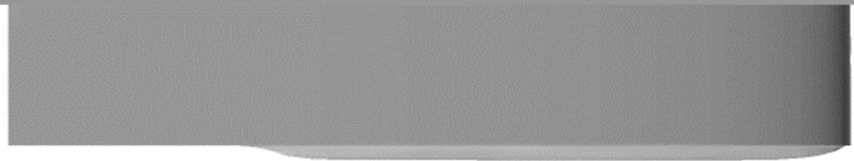
Compromised design



Drag minimum design



Obtained Pareto-optimal designs from minimum drag design to maximum lift design



top view



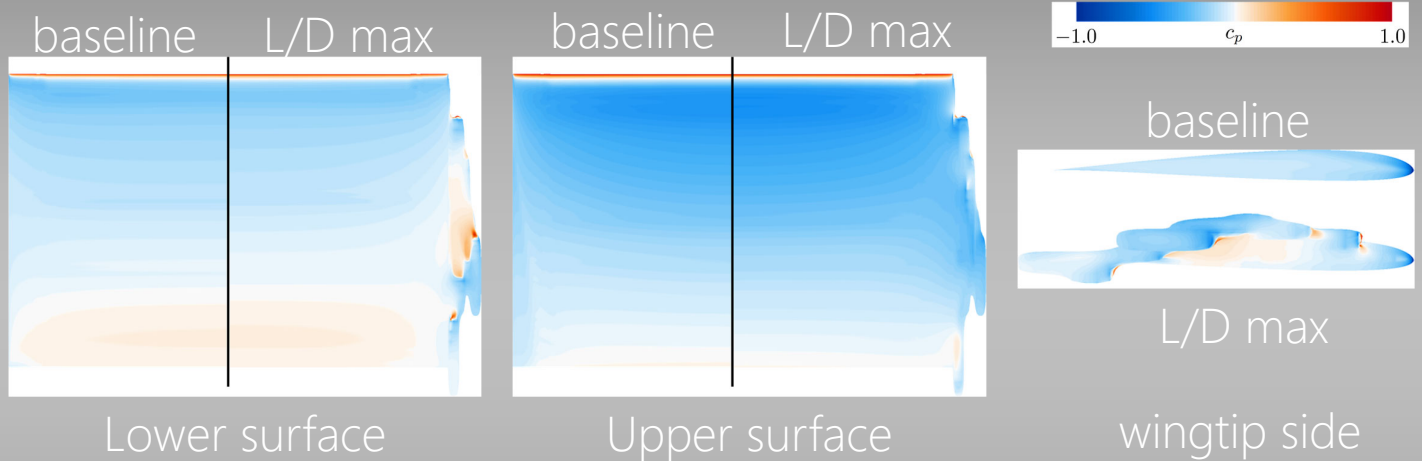
front view



Side view

Winglet shape is rediscovered by MOEC.

Surface pressure distribution of the L/D maximum design



Upper surface c_p near the wingtip become lower
Lower surface c_p near the wingtip become higher

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Summary

MOEA for topology optimization using
quadtree coding for two-dimensional shape optimization
and
octree coding for three-dimensional shape optimization
is proposed.

Effectiveness of the proposed method is verified by
demonstrating
aerodynamic airfoil shape design optimization
and
aerodynamic wingtip shape design optimization

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