

# Consolidating ORB5 Bsplines with the SPCLibs library

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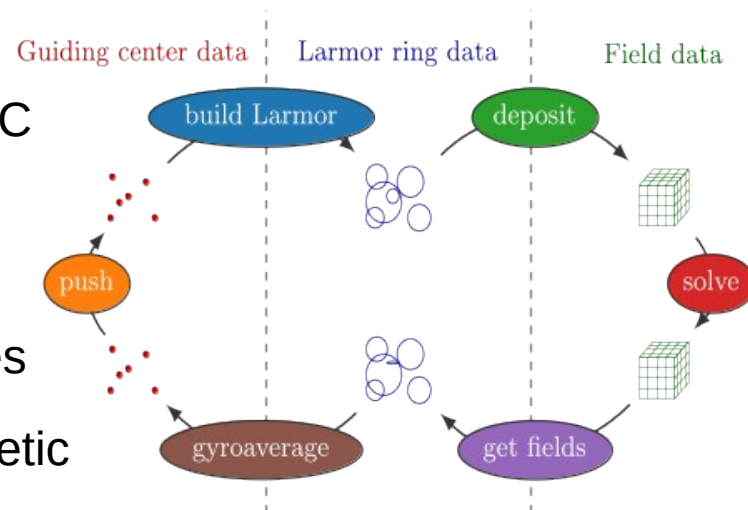
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# ORB5

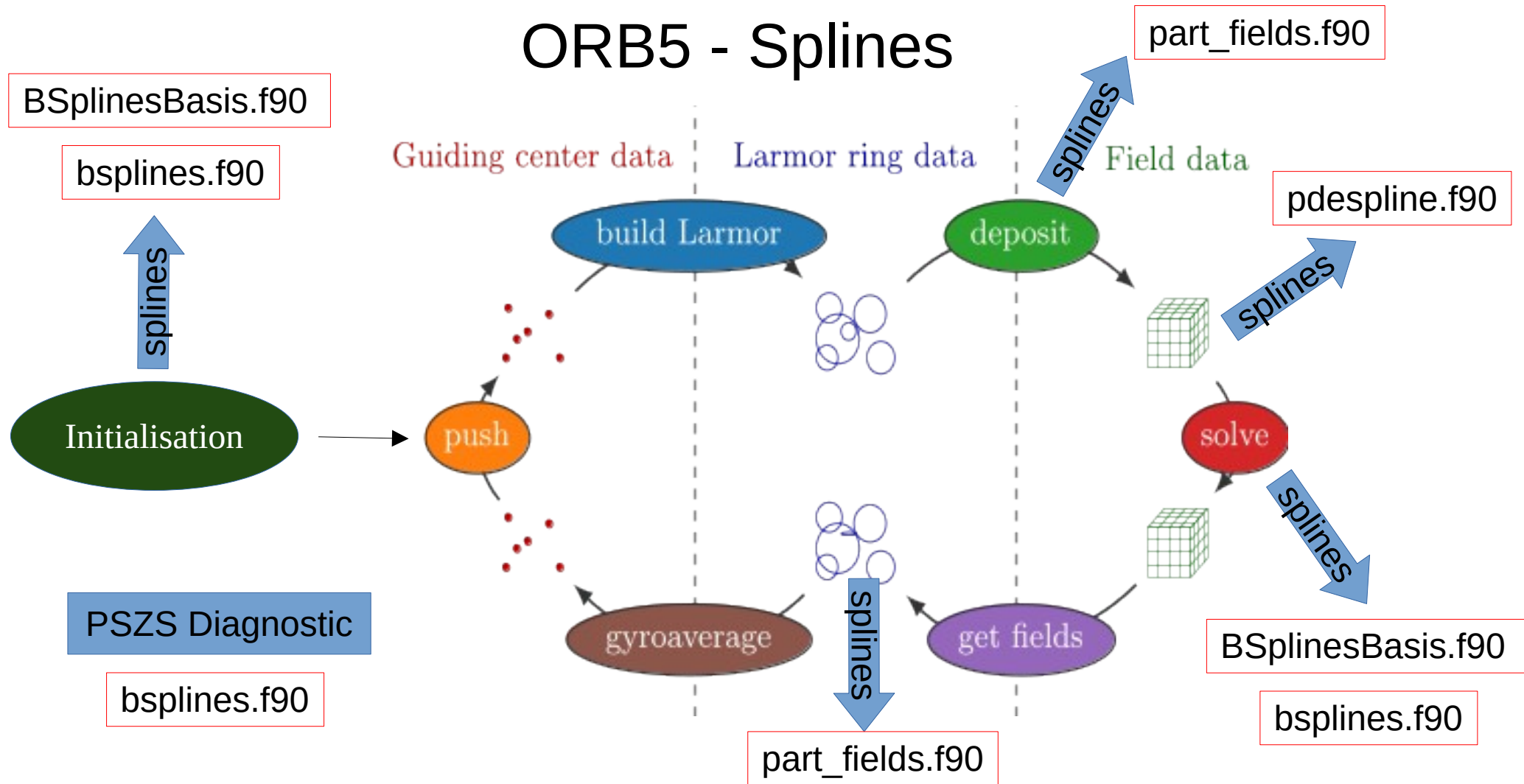
“ORB5: a global electromagnetic gyrokinetic code using the PIC approach in toroidal geometry” [for details, see Lanti 2020]



- $\delta$ -f modified distribution function discretized with PIC
- Fields solved using finite elements
- Fields stored using Bsplines
- Global kinetic electromagnetic (EM) simulations



# ORB5 - Splines



# Consolidation into bsplines\_int

- Code contains splines from three different libraries
- Goal to base all spline computations on a single library
  - spclibs/bsplines.f90
- New module **bsplines\_int.F90**

```
call set_spline((/nidbas,nidbas,nidbas/), (/nq,nq,nq/), &  
               gridx, gridy, gridz, spl2d1d, &  
               period=(/.True.,.True.,.True./), &  
               nlppform=.True., nlequid=(/.True.,.True.,.True./))
```

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$$W_1(x) = (3x^3 - 6x^2 + 4)/6$$

$$W_2(x) = (-3x^3 + 3x^2 + 3x + 1)/6$$

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$$W_2(x) = 1/6 + 0.5x(1+x \times (1-x))$$

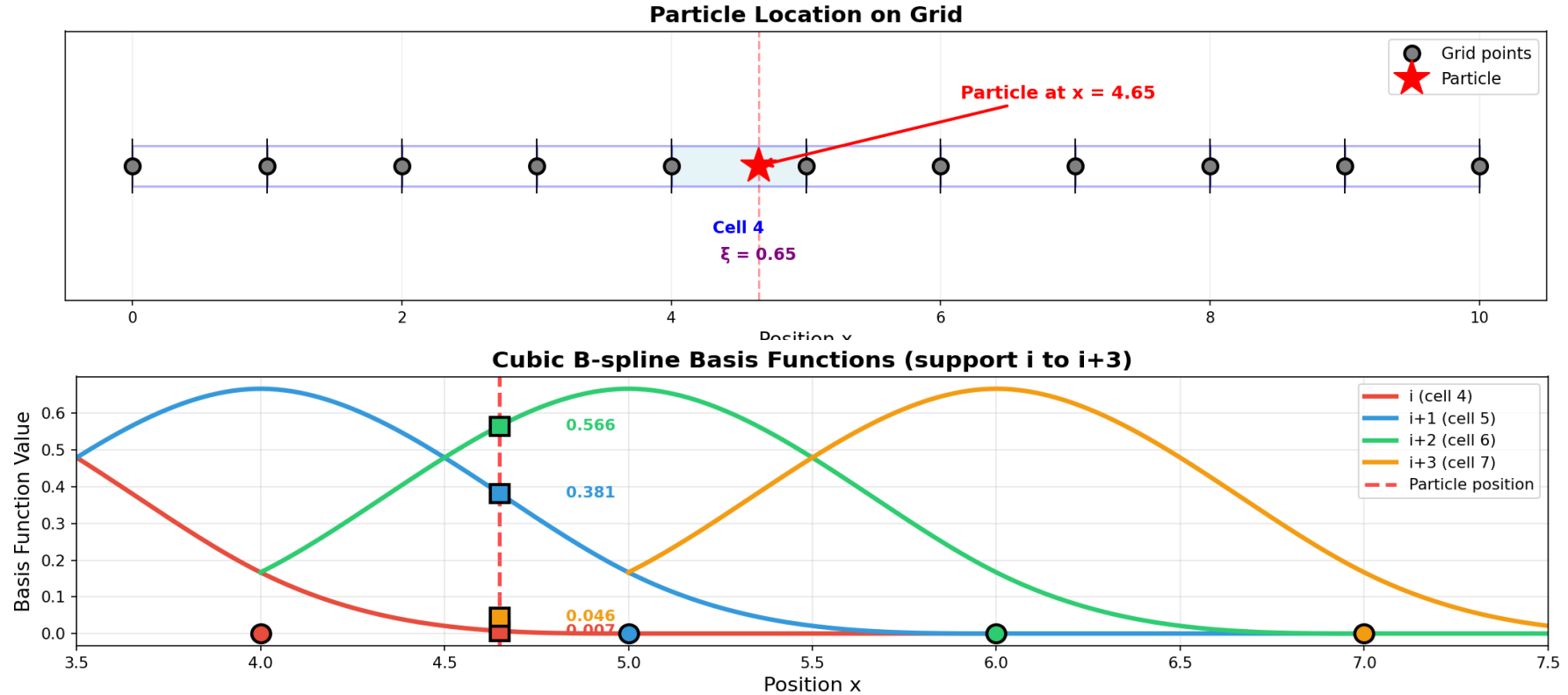
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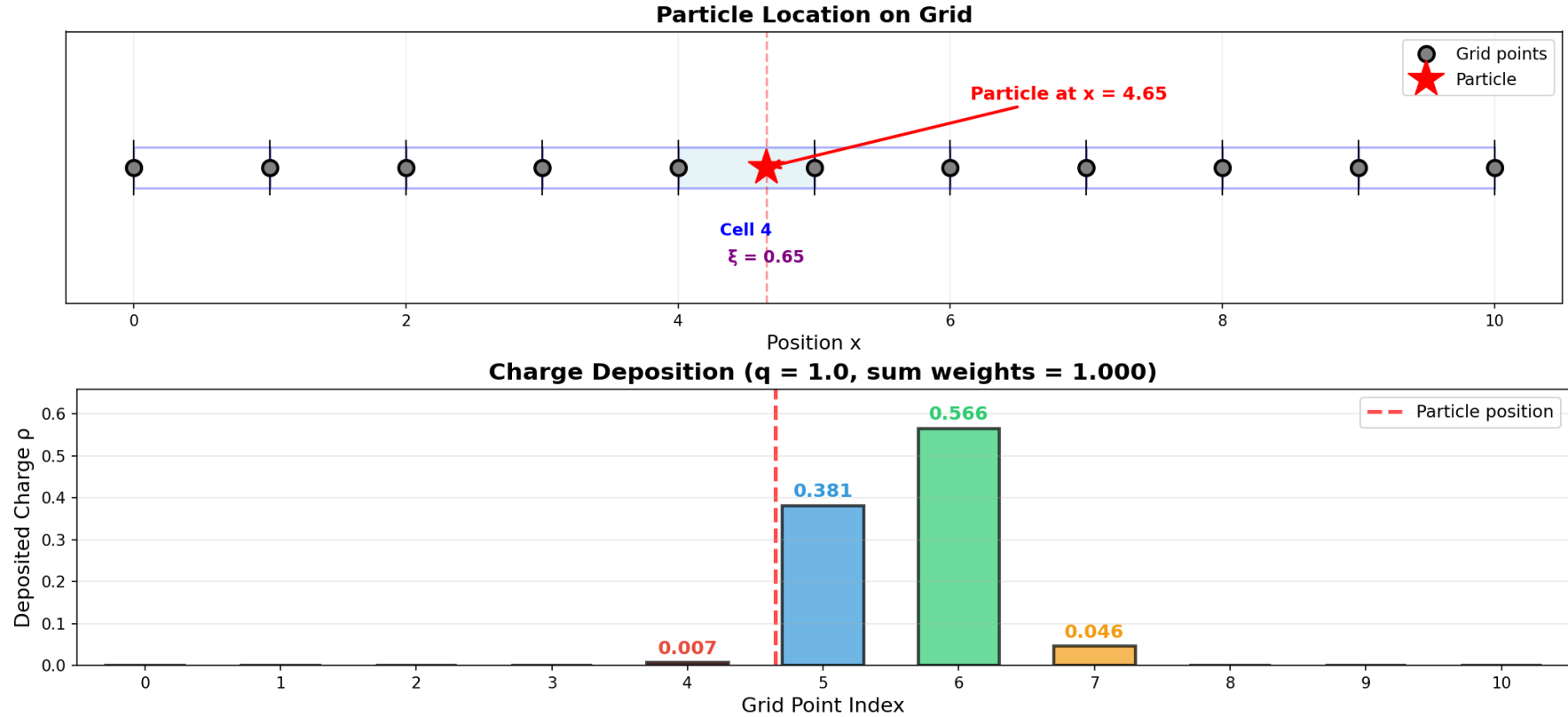
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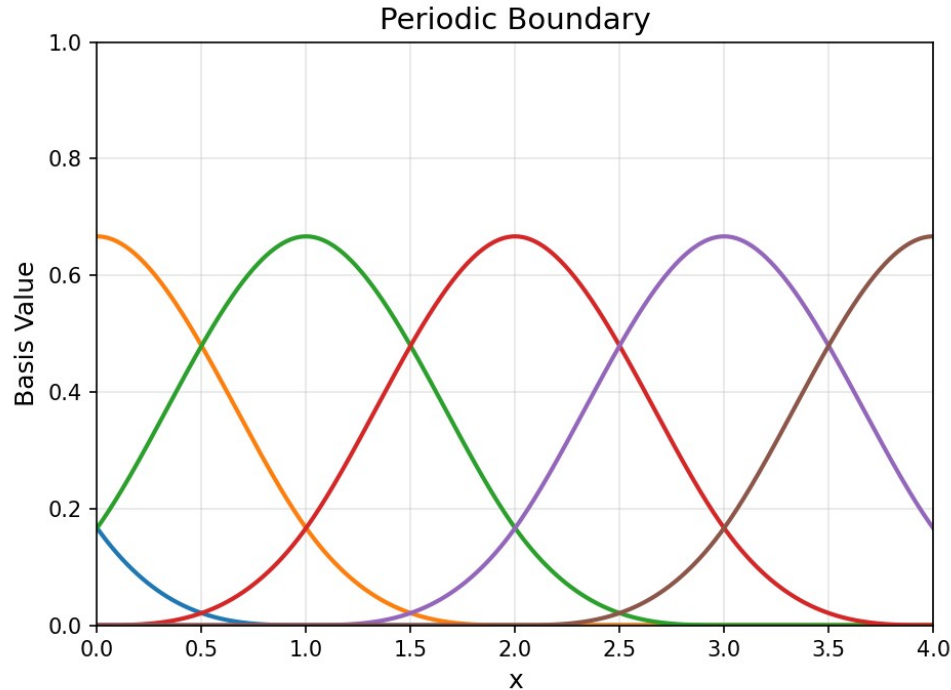


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# B-Spline Boundaries

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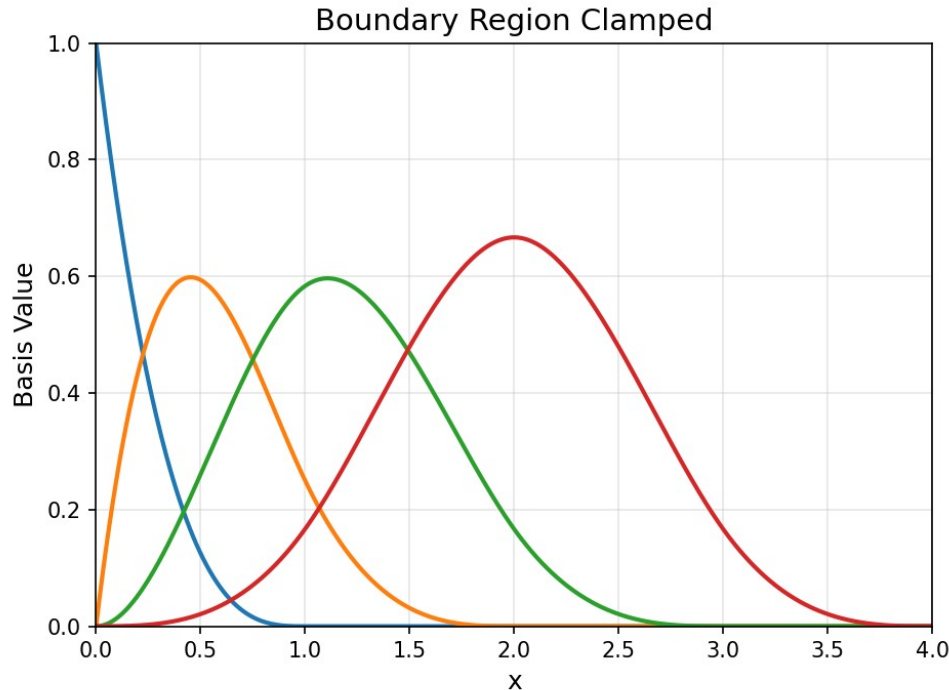
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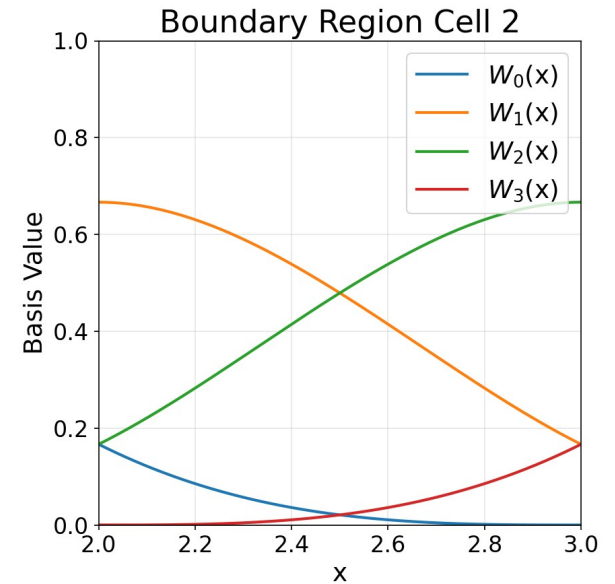
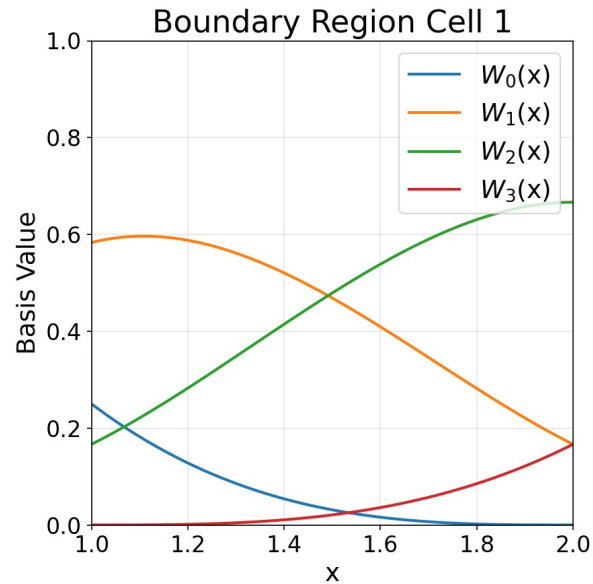
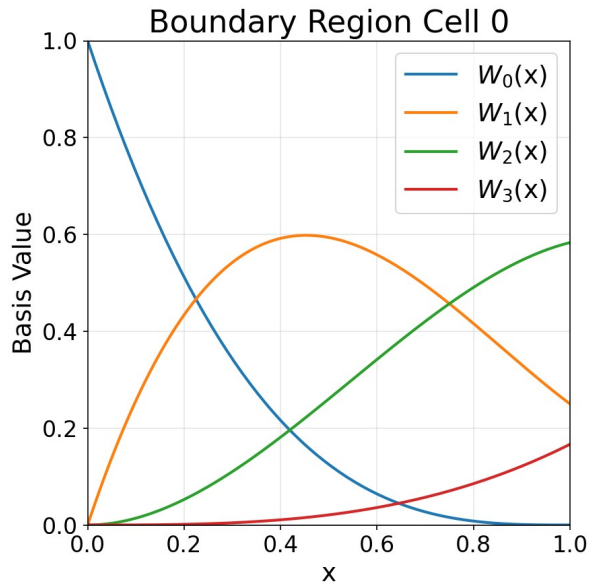
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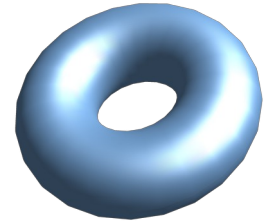
# B-Spline Boundaries

- Looking at individual cells



# Correction for Periodic Splines

- ORB5 dimensions have 1 fixed and 2 periodic boundaries
  - However, deposition does not account for this
  - Deposited spline values are treated as periodic
  - Requires rebase of 2D rhs
  - For simplicity the 3D splines are created **periodic** in all dimensions



$$rhs = \begin{pmatrix} 1/c_1 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ c'_2 & 1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ c'_3 & 0 & 1 & \ddots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & 0 \\ c'_p & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} v & v & v & \cdots & v \\ v & v & v & \cdots & v \\ v & v & v & \ddots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & v \\ v & v & \cdots & v & v \end{pmatrix}$$

Where c are the spline basis functions

# bsplines\_int

## part

spline\_bas

## spclibs

bsplines  
matrix  
...

## ORB5

solver  
deposition  
gyroaverage  
...

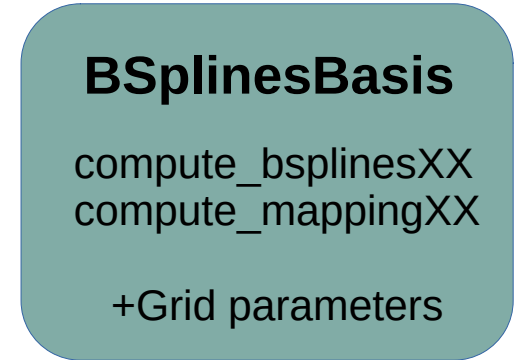
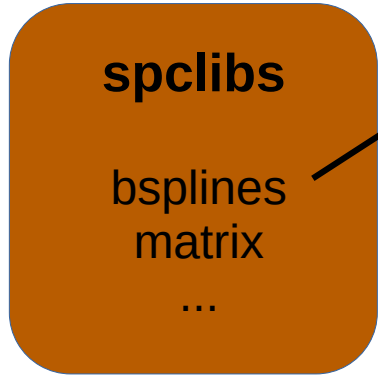
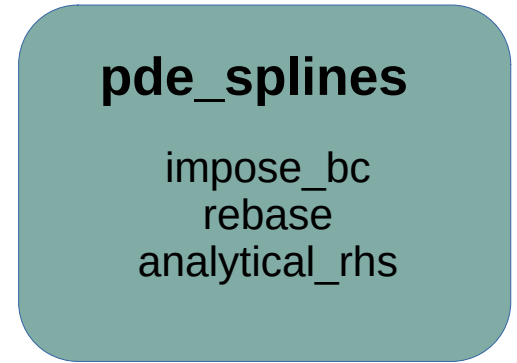
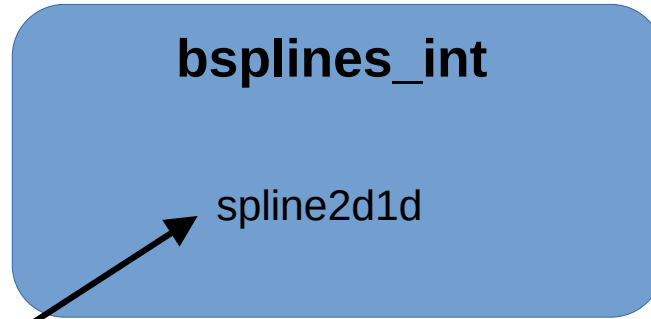
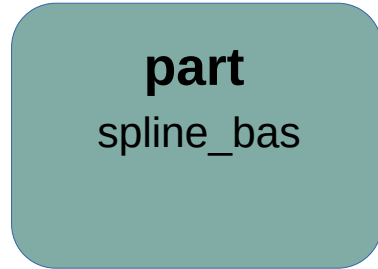
## pde\_splines

impose\_bc  
rebase  
analytical\_rhs

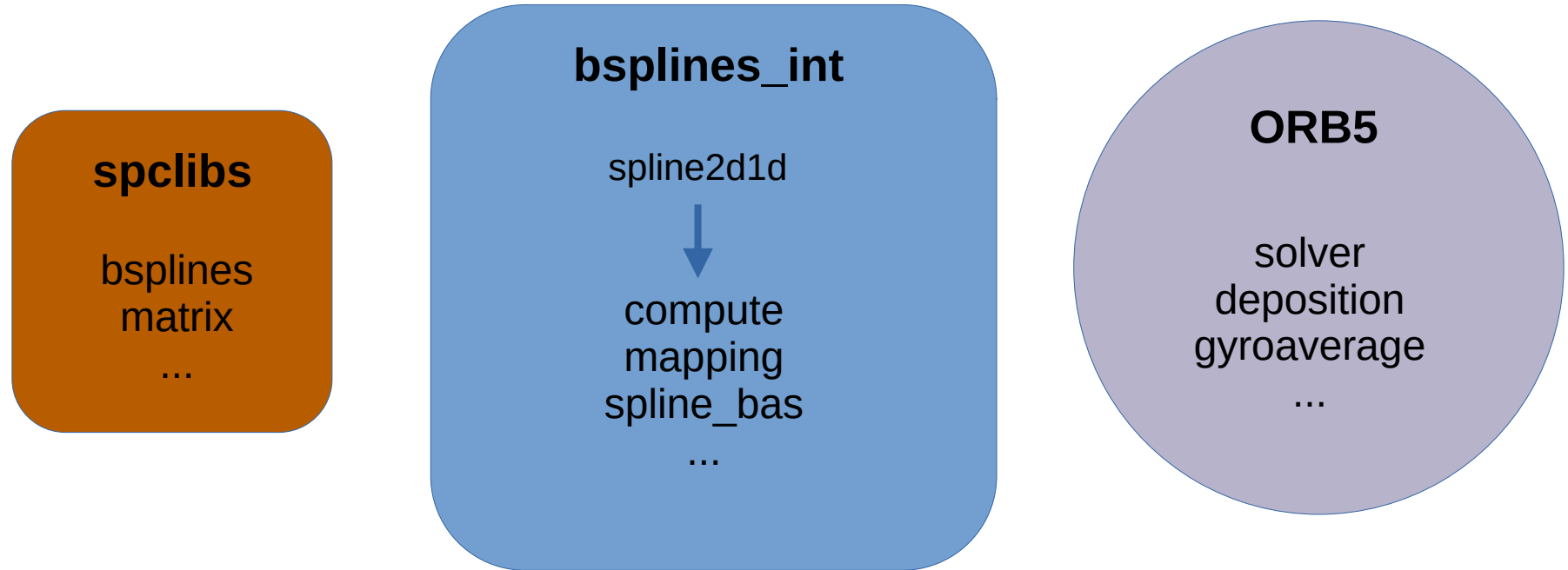
## BSplinesBasis

compute\_bsplinesXX  
compute\_mappingXX  
  
+Grid parameters

# bsplines\_int



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- Interface to **spclibs bsplines** module
- Public routines imported from **pdespline** module
  - impose\_bc, rebase, analytical\_rhs
- Public routines imported from **BsplinesBasis**
  - compute\_bsplines\_XX+fft, compute\_mapping\_XX
- Public spline basis functions moved from **part\_fields**
- Public grid parameters imported from **BsplinesBasis** used in the solver
- Spline routines now obtain values from **bsplines spline2d1d** type

# Phase Space Zonal Structure Diagnostic

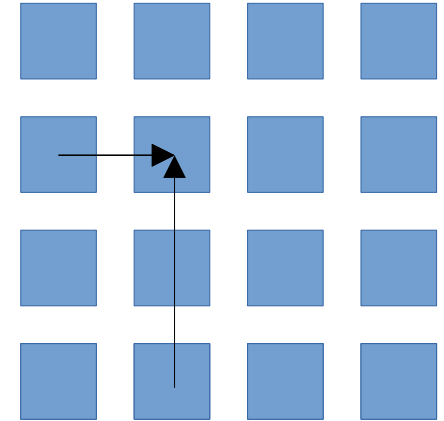
- Allow detailed treatment of energetic particles
- Defined as angle average of gyrocenter distribution function
- Transform each dimensions into either:
  - Kinetic Energy, Toroidal Angular Momentum or Magnetic Moment
  - Choice of which made during initialisation
  - All 3 dimensions now have fixed boundaries
  - Property is deposited on a PSZS spline grid
  - Carried out using SPCLIB Bspline routines

# PSZS splines

- All three dimensions are bounded
  - Stencil as applied in rebase will not work
  - Need to account for boundaries during deposition
- Bsplines **basfun** routines are not GPU enabled
  - Need similar approach to local spline basis functions

```
pure function splines_bas3(x)
  !$acc routine seq
  real, intent(in) :: x
  real, dimension(0:3) :: splines_bas3
  splines_bas3(0) = (1.-x)**3 / 6.
  splines_bas3(1) = 2./3. + x**2*(x/2. - 1.)
  splines_bas3(2) = 1./6. + .5*x*(1.+x*(1.-x))
  splines_bas3(3) = x**3 / 6.
end function splines_bas3
```

Inner knot affected  
by both faces



Cannot retrieve  
original values

# PSZS splines

- Solution - Store polynomial coefficients at left boundary
  - Now can use same approach as bsplines.F90

```
pure function splines_ppform_bas3(x,ppform)
```

```
!$acc routine seq
```

```
real, intent(in) :: x
```

```
real, intent(in) :: ppform(4,4)
```

```
real, dimension(0:3) :: splines_ppform_bas3
```

```
splines_ppform_bas3(0) = ppform(1,1) + x*(ppform(2,1)+x*(ppform(3,1)+x*ppform(4,1)))
```

```
splines_ppform_bas3(1) = ppform(1,2) + x*(ppform(2,2)+x*(ppform(3,2)+x*ppform(4,2)))
```

```
splines_ppform_bas3(2) = ppform(1,3) + x*(ppform(2,3)+x*(ppform(3,3)+x*ppform(4,3)))
```

```
splines_ppform_bas3(3) = 1.0d0 - sum(splines_ppform_bas3(0:2))
```

```
end function splines_ppform_bas3
```

$$p(x) = c_0 + c_1 x + c_2 x^2 + c_3 x^3$$
$$x \in [0, 1]$$

- Could be used to remove rebase requirement

# PSZS splines

- Deposition GPU enabled
  - Different metrics available for each dimension
  - Deposition routine split between position calculation and deposition
  - Different possible metrics in each dimension are computed during initialisation and stored as an integer in **pszs\_coord**
  - **pszs** work arrays declared in module header contain storage for **position** and **weight**

```
subroutine pszs_deposit_bsplines(pszs_, ...)  
  call pszs_calc_position(pszs_,...)  
    !$acc parallel loop gang worker vector...present(pos...  
  call pszs_deposit(pszs_,...,)  
    !$acc parallel loop gang worker vector...present(pos...  
end subroutine pszs_deposit_bsplines
```

# Summary

- All spline routines now contained in **bsplines\_int** module
- **BsplinesBasis** and **pdespline** removed
  - All routines added to **bsplines\_int** – minimal code changes elsewhere
- Now uses **spclibs bsplines** module
- Splines stored in **spline2d1d** derived type
- Splines are stored with **PERIODIC** boundary conditions
- New **splines\_ppform** routines can account for boundary during deposition while running on the GPU