

# Anisotropic Diffusion in SPH

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# Diffusion in SPH

$$\frac{\partial T}{\partial t} = \nabla \cdot (\mathbf{K} \nabla T)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial r^i \partial r^j} \approx \sum_b \frac{m_b}{\rho_b} T(r_b) (5 \hat{r}^i \hat{r}^j - \delta_{ij}) F_{ab}$$

Heat Conduction

$$\frac{du}{dt} = \frac{1}{\rho} \nabla \cdot (k \nabla T_m)$$

Radiative Transfer

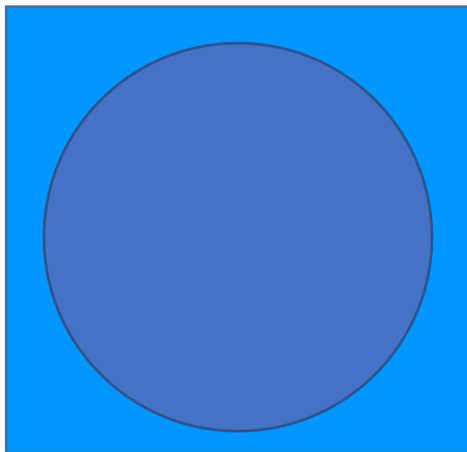
$$-\frac{\nabla \cdot \mathbf{F}}{\rho} = \frac{1}{\rho} \nabla \cdot \left( \frac{c\lambda}{\kappa\rho} \nabla E \right)$$

Gas-Dust Fraction

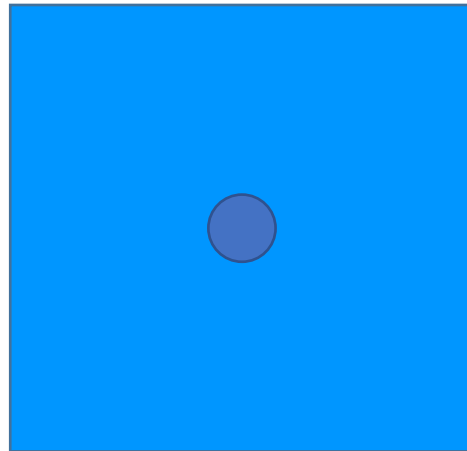
$$\frac{d\epsilon}{dt} = -\frac{1}{\rho} \nabla \cdot (\epsilon t_s \nabla P)$$

Isotropic

$$\mathbf{K} = k * \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} x \\ y \end{matrix}$$

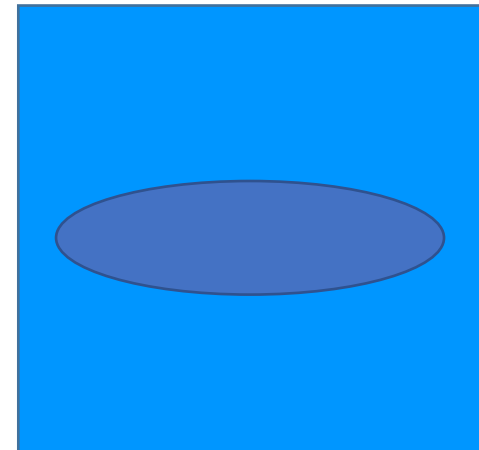


Initial



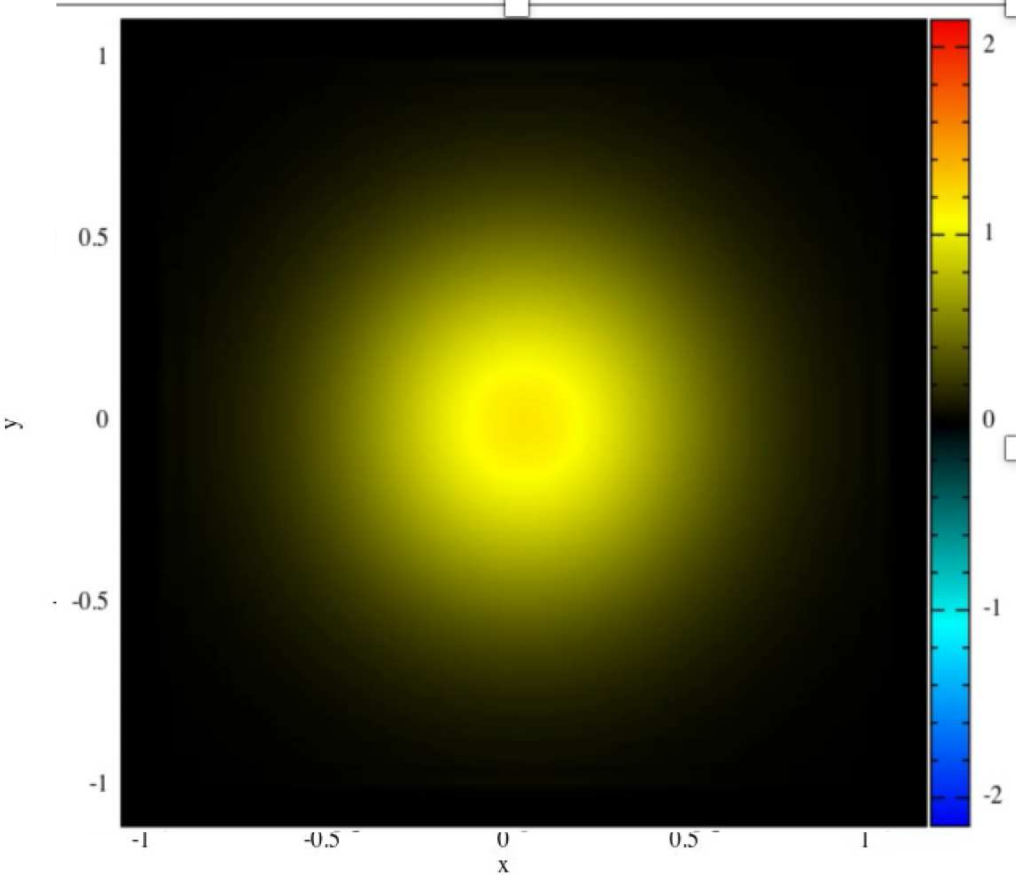
Anisotropic

$$\mathbf{K} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} x \\ y \end{matrix}$$

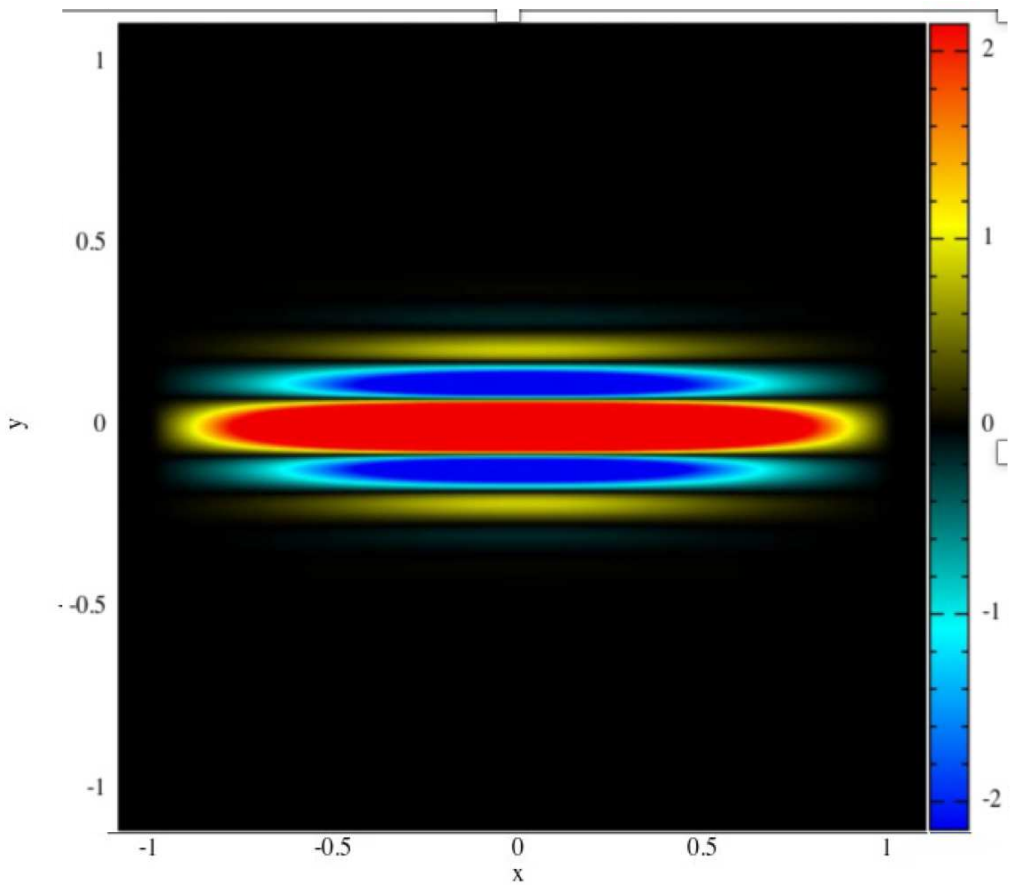


# Question

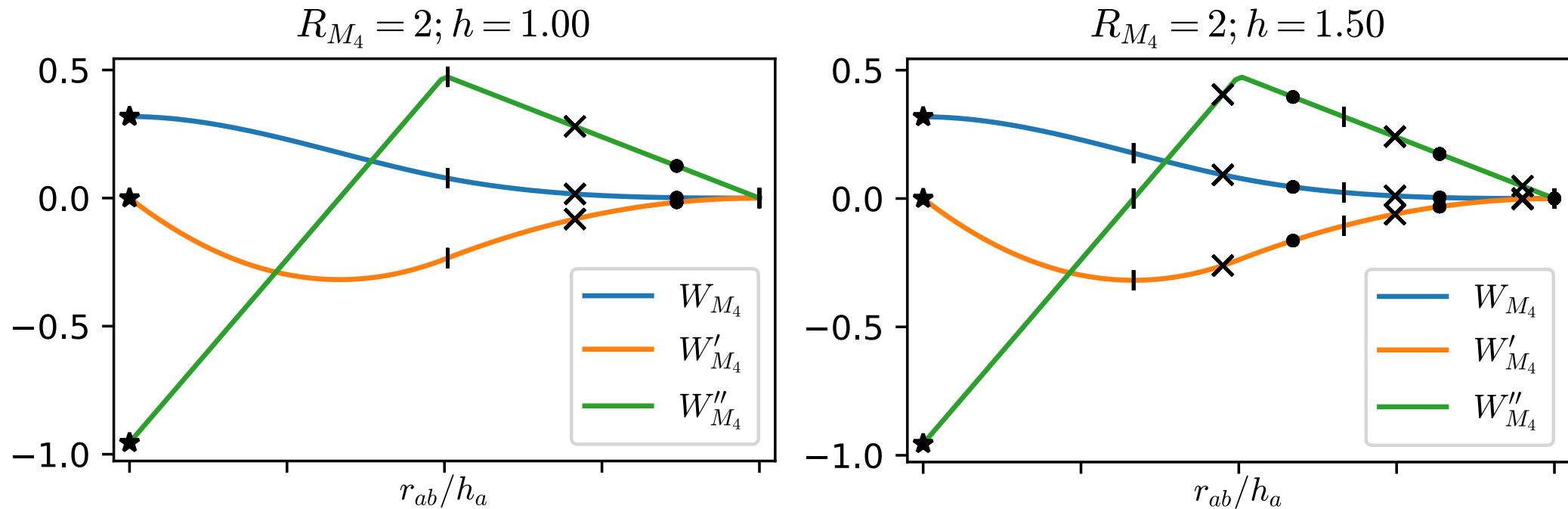
## Isotropic



## Anisotropic



# Smoothing Length



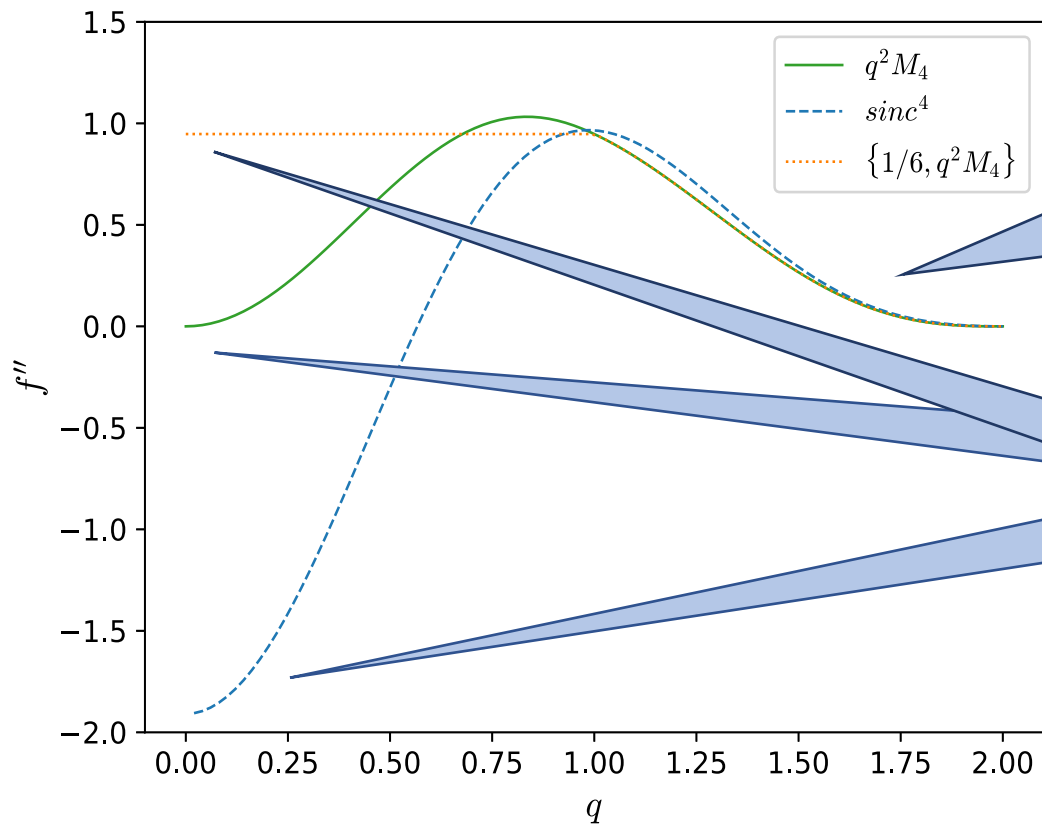
*Particles over the shape of  $M_4$  – spline for different smoothing length.*

| –  $r_{ab}$  have only one non-zero component

X –  $r_{ab}$  have two non-zero component

○ – all of the  $r_{ab}$  components are not zero

# Good Outer Part – Good Kernel

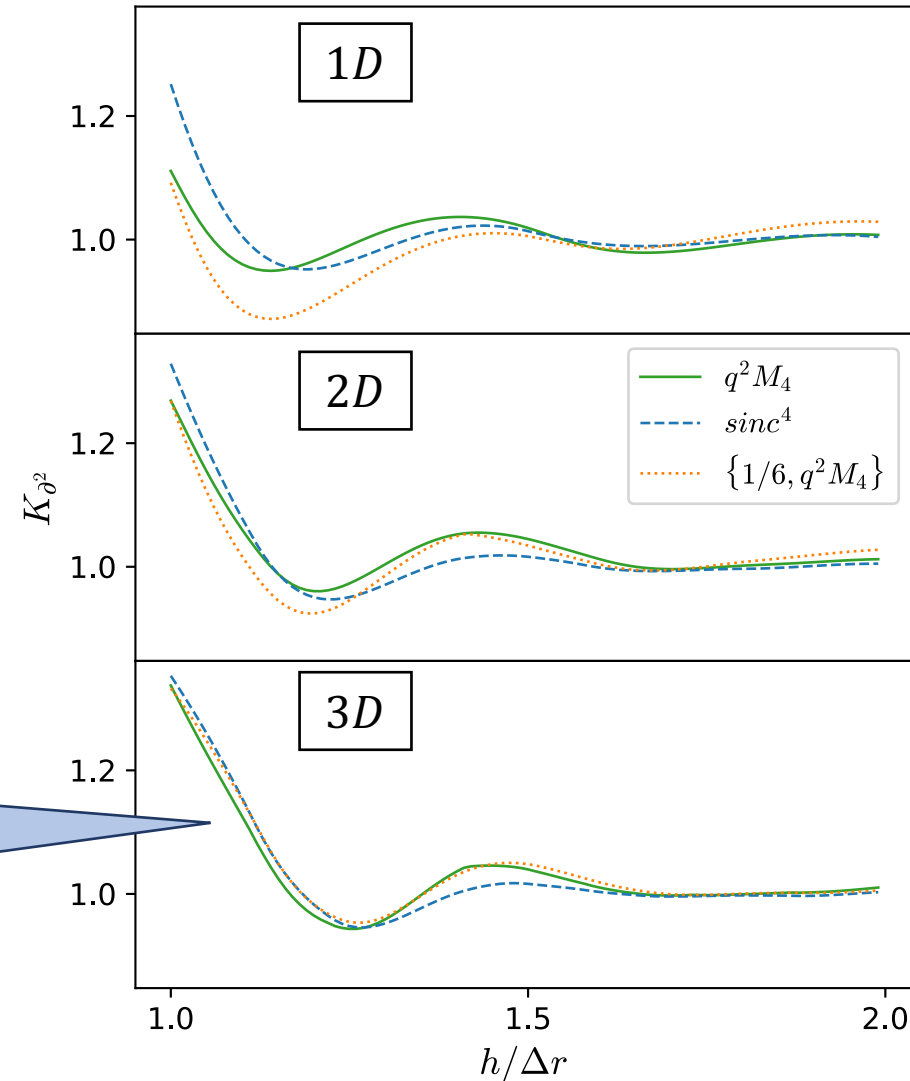


*Second derivative shapes of kernel functions.*

Outer part  
more  
important!

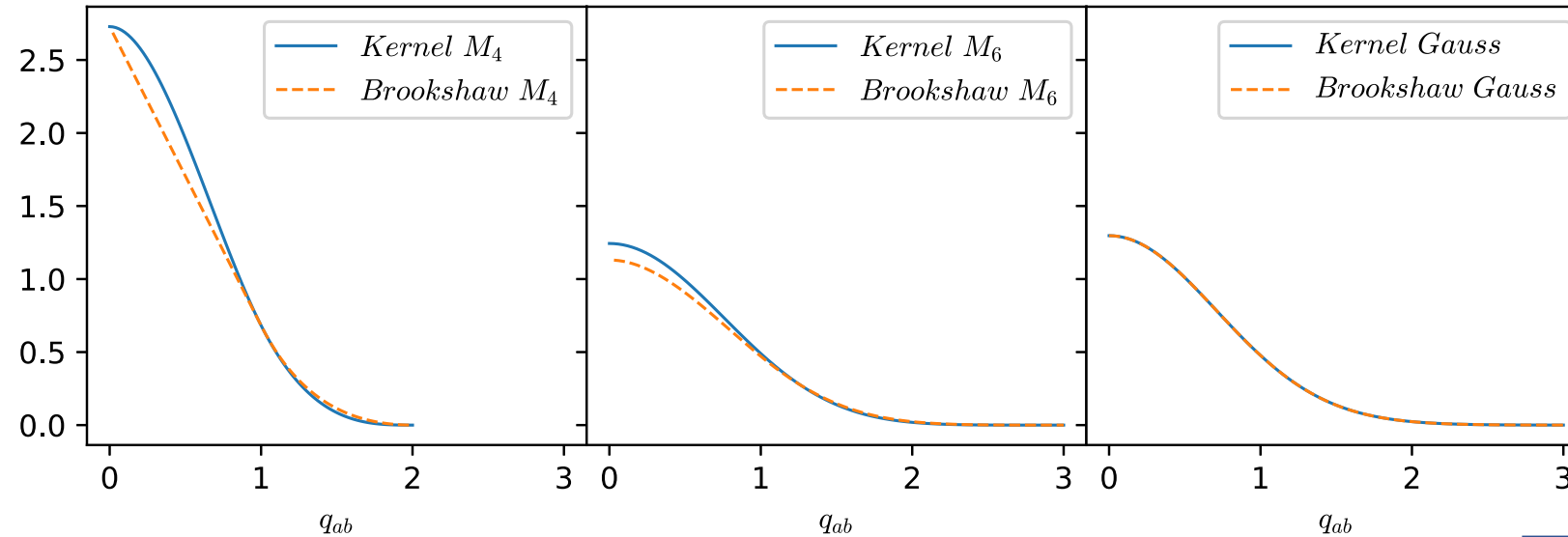
Shapes are  
different...

...but errors  
are the same.



*Error terms for Laplacian operator.*

# Understanding Brookshaw Method



$$\nabla_a^2 W = -2 \frac{(\mathbf{r} \cdot \nabla W)}{(\mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{r})} = \frac{-2}{C_\nu h^{\nu+2}} \frac{f'(q)}{q}$$

+

$$f(q) = \exp(-q^2)$$

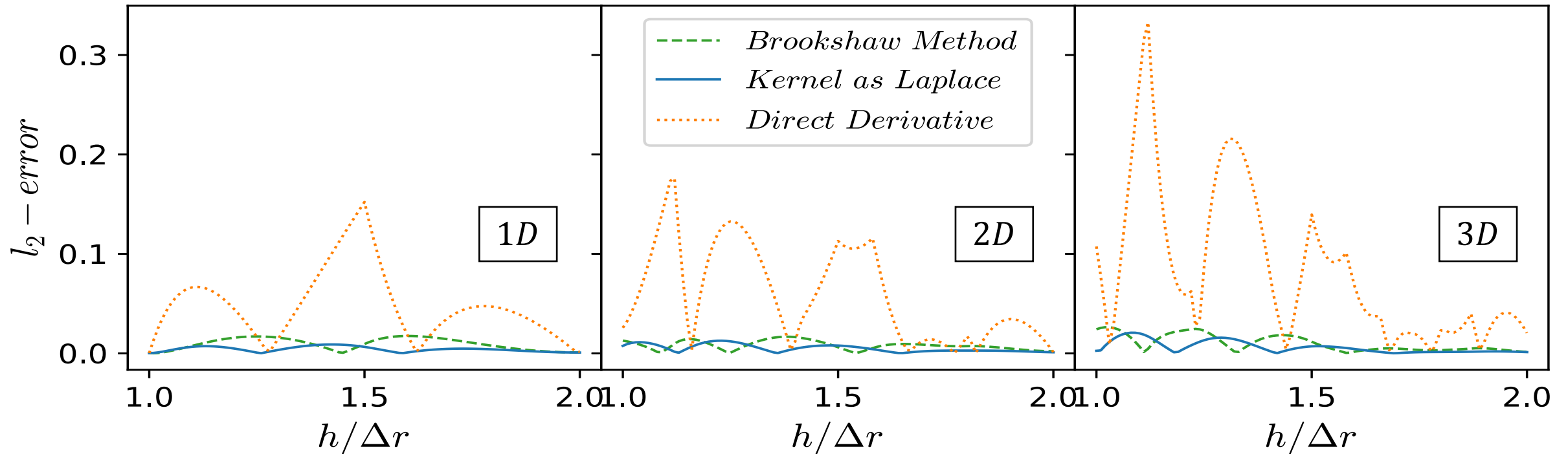
$$= \frac{-2}{C_\nu h^{\nu+2}} \frac{-2 q \exp(-q^2)}{q} = \frac{4}{h^2} \frac{\exp(-q^2)}{C_\nu h^\nu} = \frac{4W_f}{h^2}$$

Brookshaw method

With Gaussian

The kernel itself is a 2<sup>nd</sup> derivative

# Isotropic Diffusion Operators



Comparison of  $l_2$ -error with regards to number of neighbors.  
Cubic spline as kernel function. All dimensions.



# Operators

## Direct 2<sup>nd</sup> derivative

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial T}{\partial t} &= \sum_{ij} \frac{\partial}{\partial r^i} \left( k^{ij} \frac{\partial}{\partial r^j} T \right) \\ &= \left( \sum_b \frac{m_b}{\rho_b} k_{ba}^{ij} \frac{\partial}{\partial r_a^i} W_{ab} \right) \left( \sum_b \frac{m_b}{\rho_b} T_{ba} \frac{\partial}{\partial r_a^j} W_{ab} \right) \\ &\quad + k_a^{ij} \sum_b \frac{m_b}{\rho_b} T_{ba} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial r_a^i \partial r_a^j} W_{ab},\end{aligned}$$

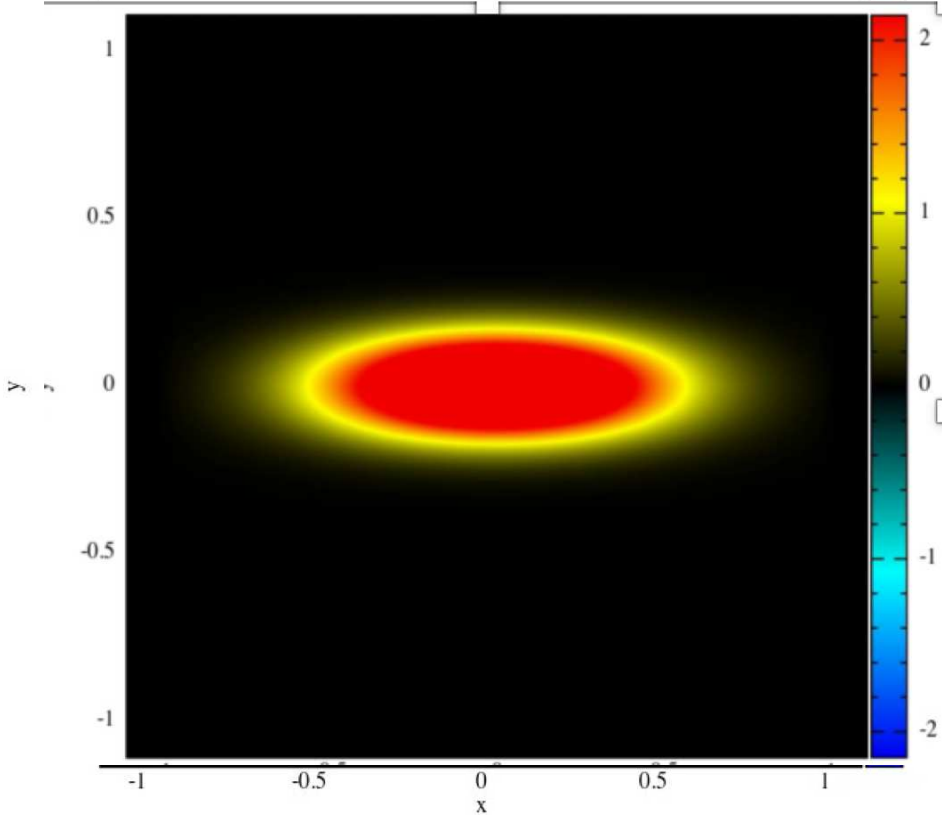
## Two 1<sup>st</sup> derivatives

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial T}{\partial t} &= \nabla \cdot (\mathbf{k} \nabla T) \Rightarrow \frac{\partial T}{\partial t} = \nabla \cdot F \\ F &= \mathbf{k} \cdot \nabla T\end{aligned}$$

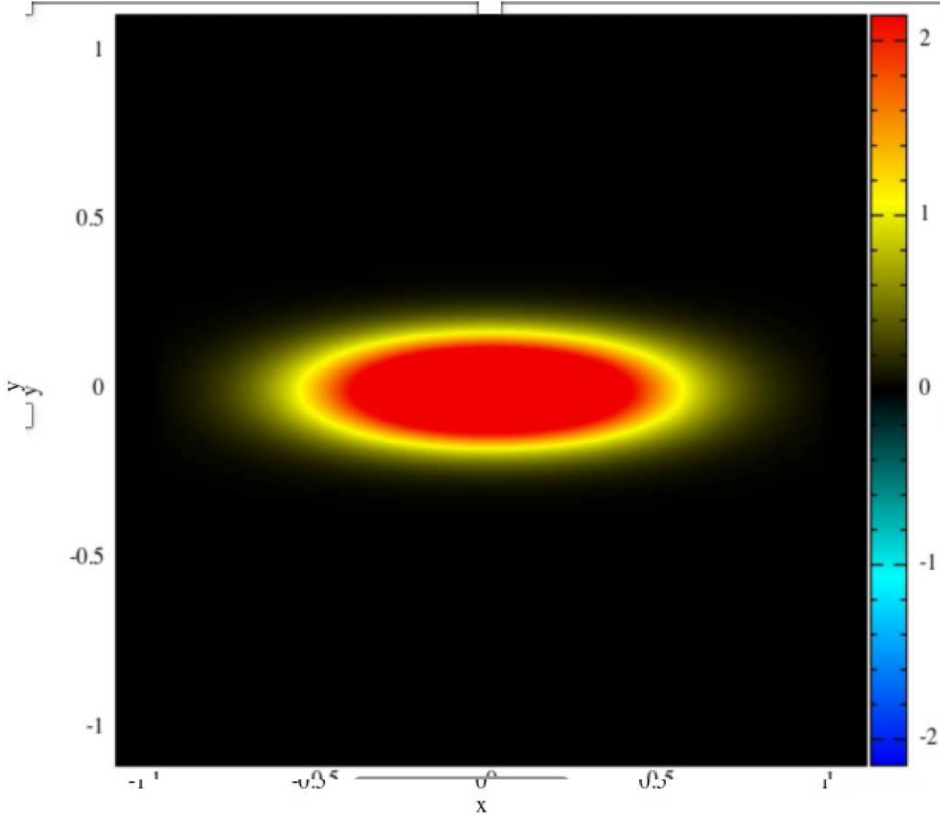
$$\begin{aligned}F &= \sum_b \frac{m_b}{\rho_b} T_{ba} \nabla_a W_{ab} \\ \frac{\partial T}{\partial t} &= \sum_b m_b \left[ \frac{(\mathbf{k}_a \cdot F_a) \cdot \nabla_a W_{ab}}{\Omega_a \rho_a^2} + \frac{(\mathbf{k}_b \cdot F_b) \cdot \nabla_b W_{ab}}{\Omega_b \rho_b^2} \right]\end{aligned}$$

# Diffusion with constant K

Direct 2<sup>nd</sup> derivative



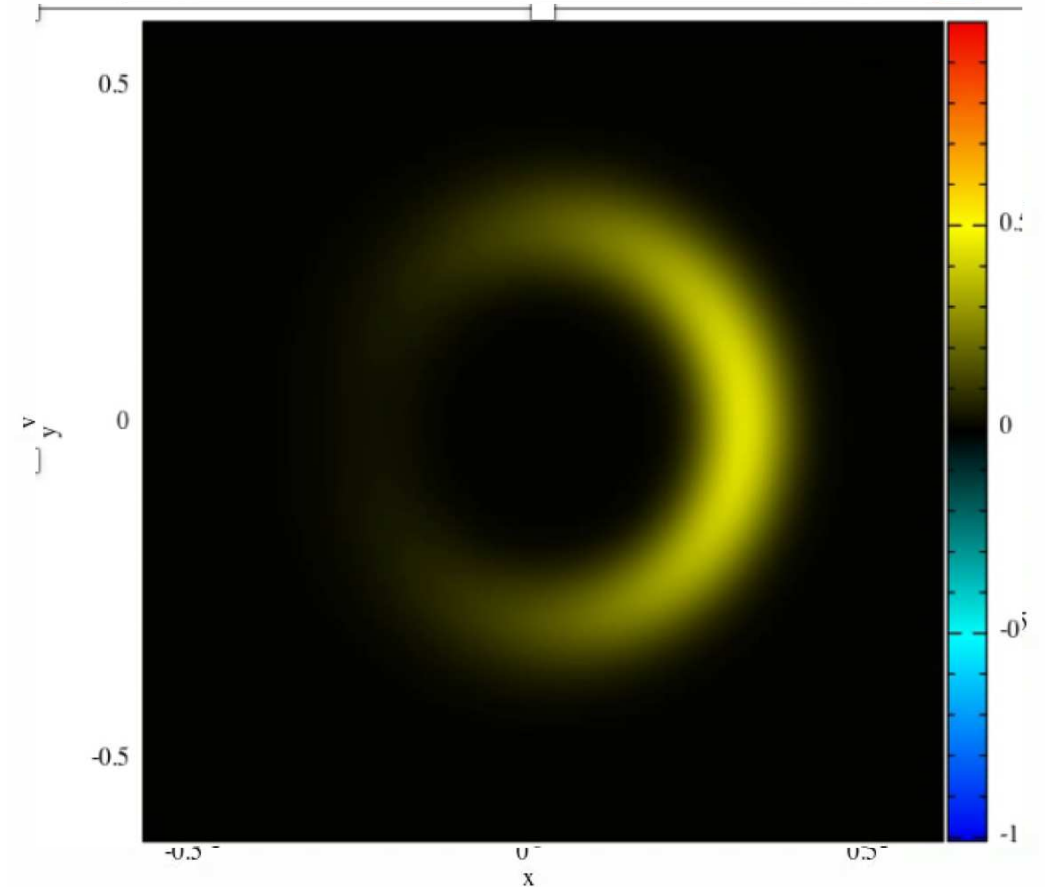
Two 1<sup>st</sup> derivatives



# Diffusion with variable K

Cylindrical coordinates

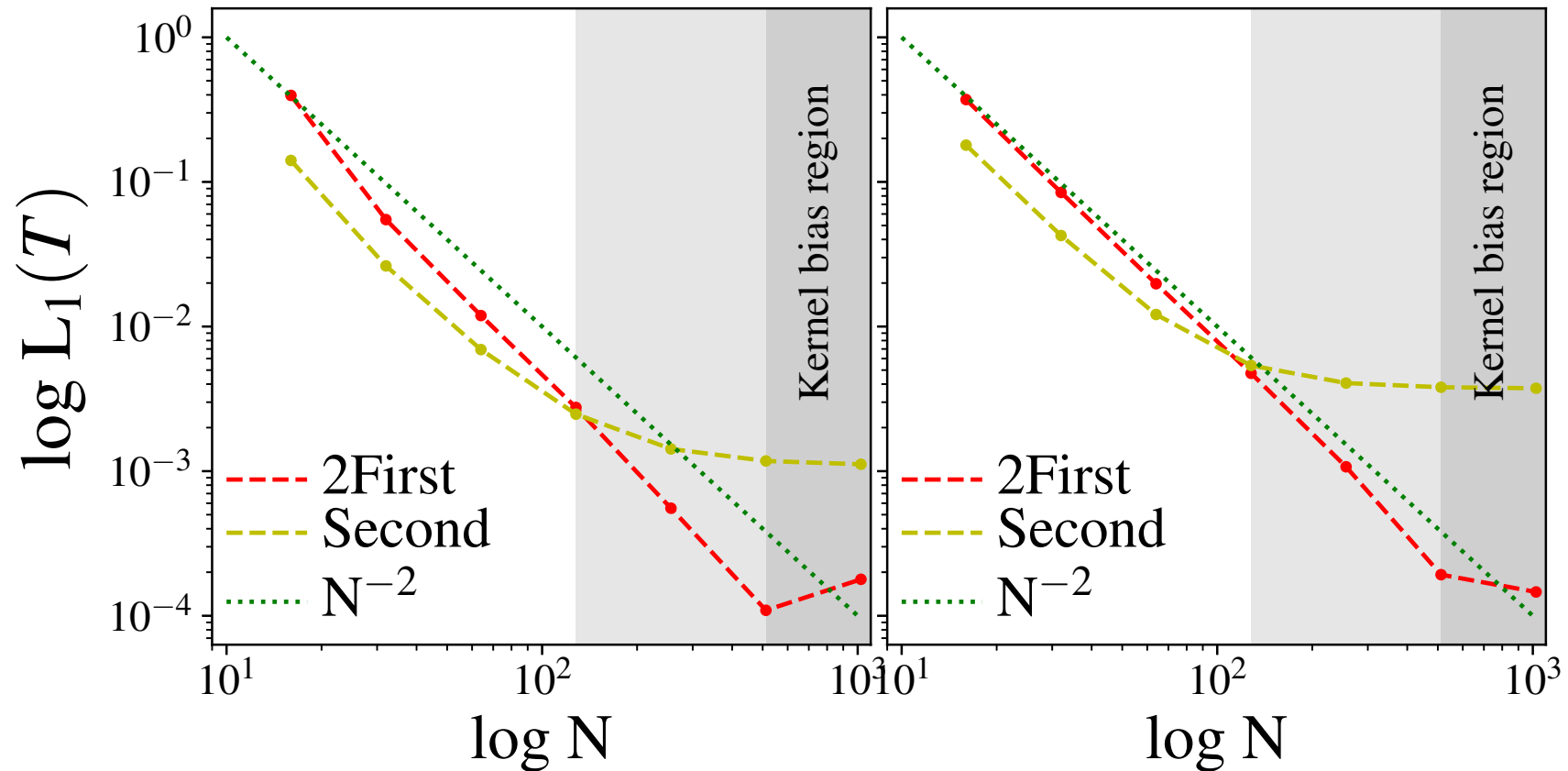
$$\mathbf{k}_{\rho\phi z} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} =$$
$$= \mathbf{k}_{xyz} = \frac{1}{x^2 + y^2} \begin{bmatrix} x^2 & -xy & 0 \\ -yx & y^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$



# Convergence

Isotropic

Anisotropic



# Summary

1. The shape of the outer part of the kernel is more important for second derivatives.
2. The idea of Brookshaw method is to mimic the kernel itself.
3. Both direct second derivative method and two first derivatives are stable for anisotropic diffusion.
4. Two first derivatives is the best method for anisotropic diffusion.