



# PROBABILISTIC ESTIMATION OF MATERIAL PARAMETERS BASED ON A SET OF EXPERIMENTAL CURVES

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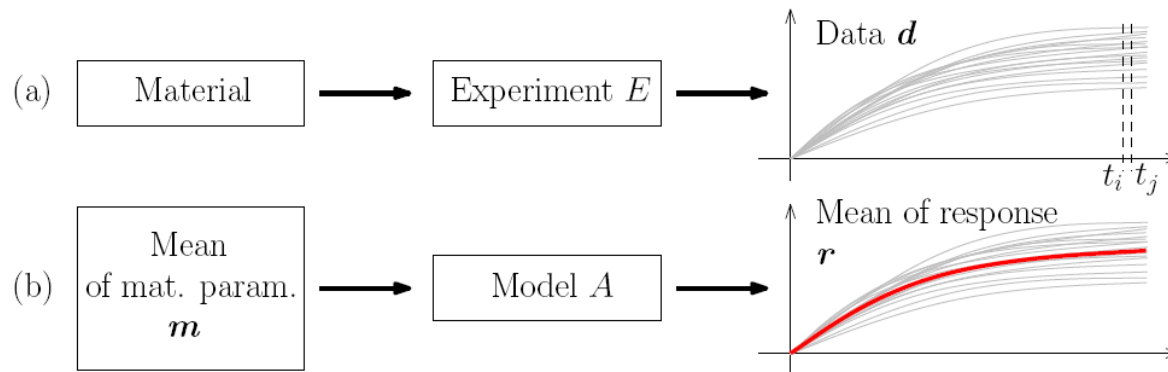
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# Parameter identification

## Fitting the model response to experimental data (b)

- The most common approach of parameter estimation
- Parameter optimisation (ill-posed problem) – robust optimisation algorithms

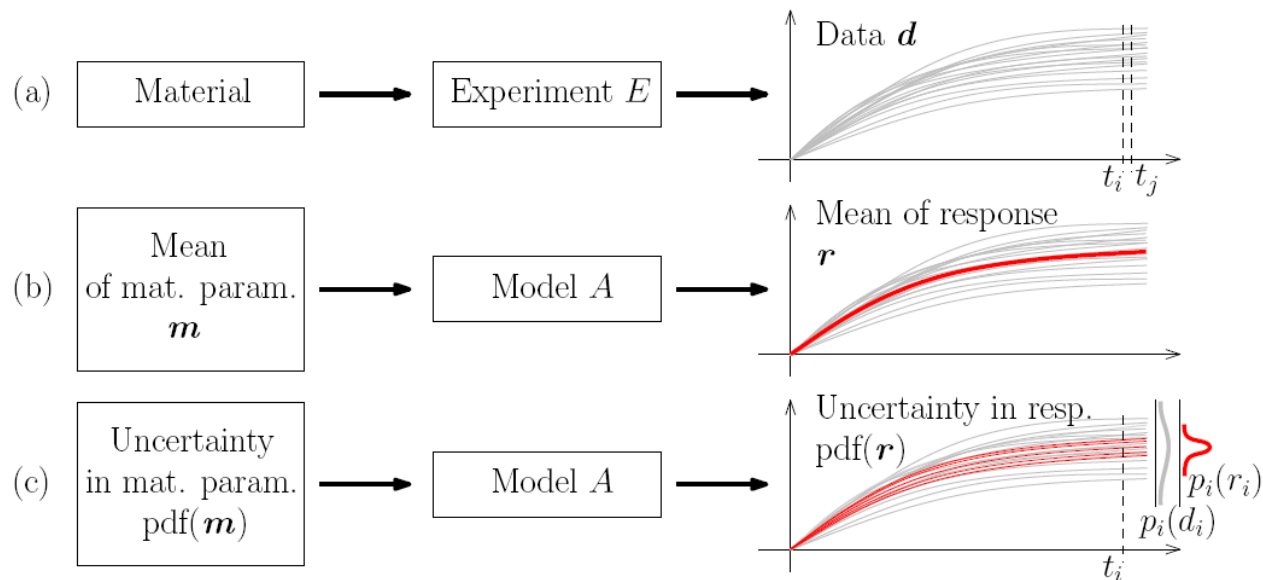




# Parameter identification

## Parameter identification in probabilistic setting (c)

- Bayesian approach combining all available information
- Well-posed identification problem, probabilistic description of parameters

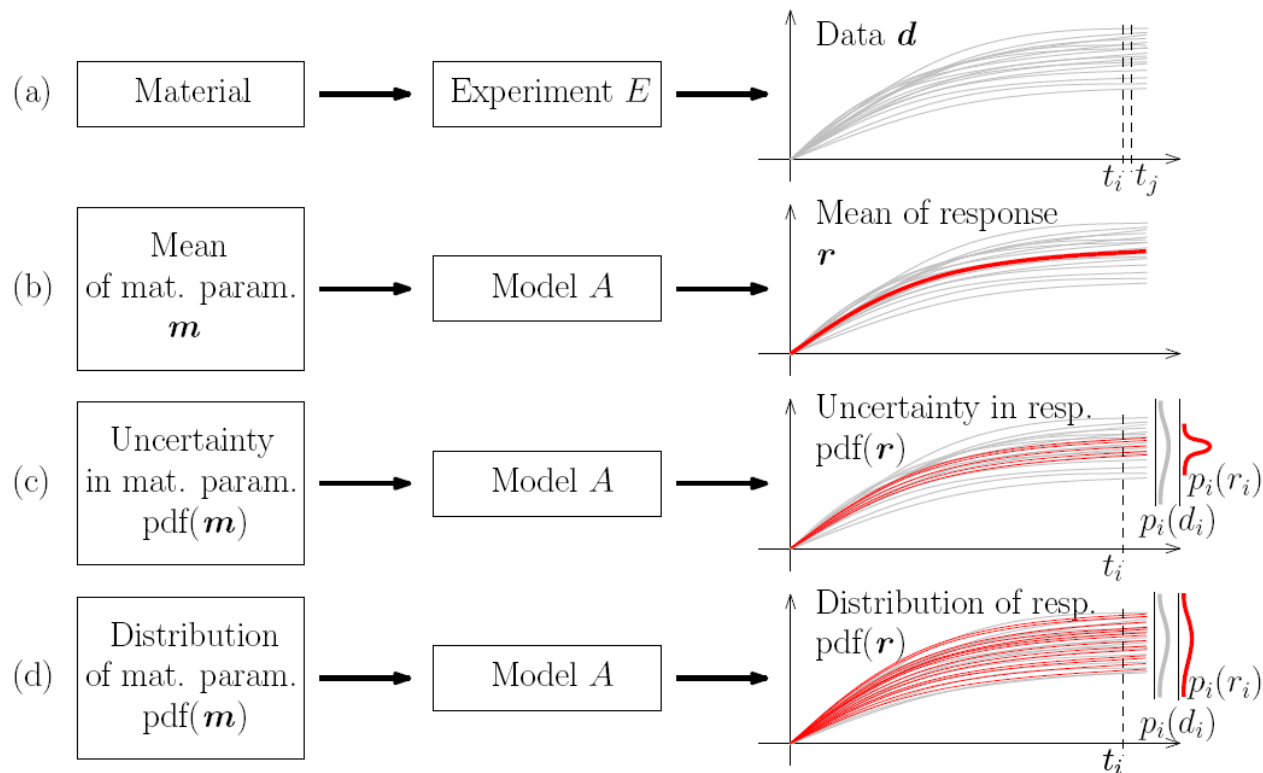




# Parameter identification

## Parameter identification of heterogeneous materials (d)

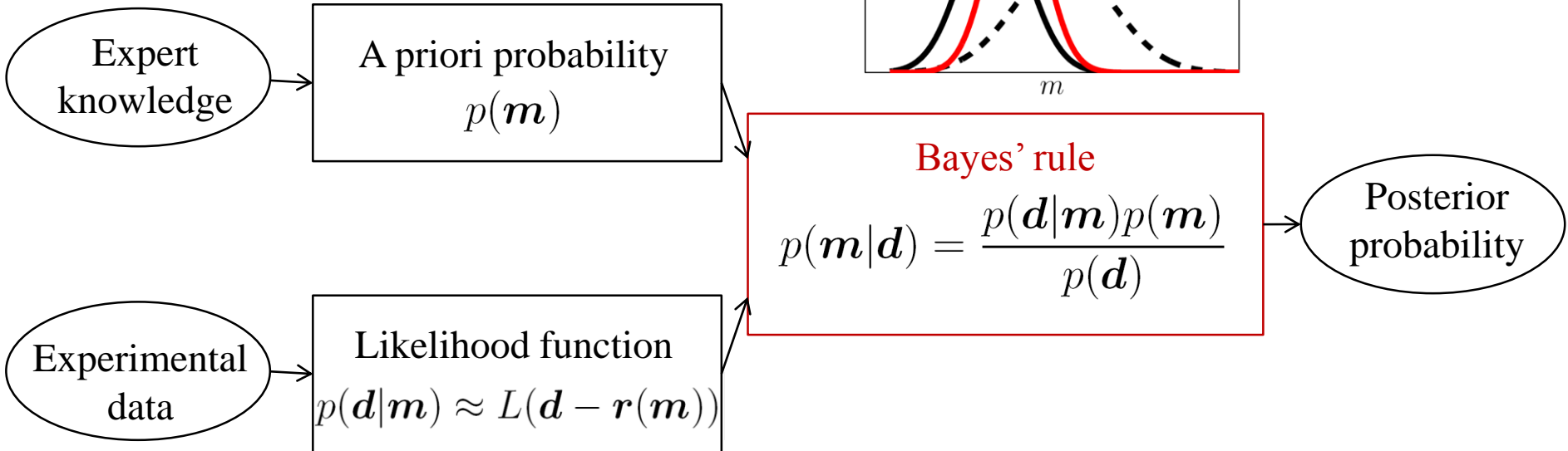
- The probabilistic description reflecting the actual probability distribution of the parameters in the heterogeneous materials





# Bayesian inference

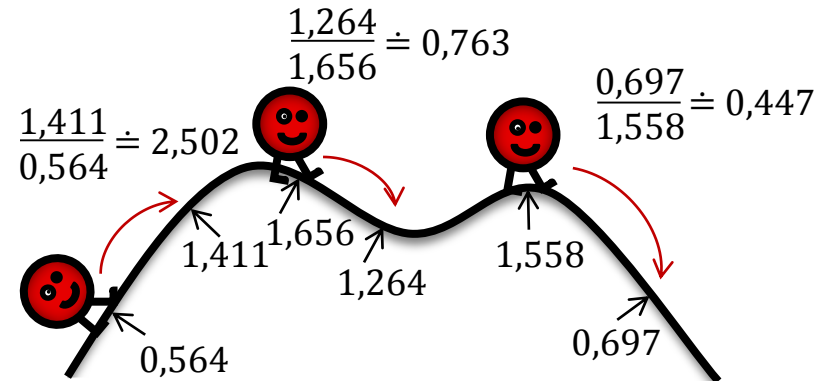
## Bayesian approach



## Markov Chain Monte Carlo

- Metropolis algorithm
- Acceptance criterium of a new sample

$$w(X_s = Y_s | X_{s-1}) = \min\left\{1, \frac{p(Y_s|d)}{p(X_{s-1}|d)}\right\}$$





# Polynomial chaos expansion (PCE)

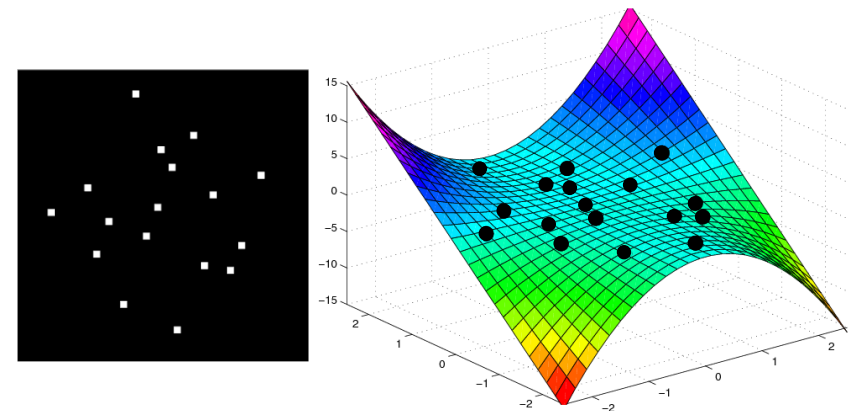
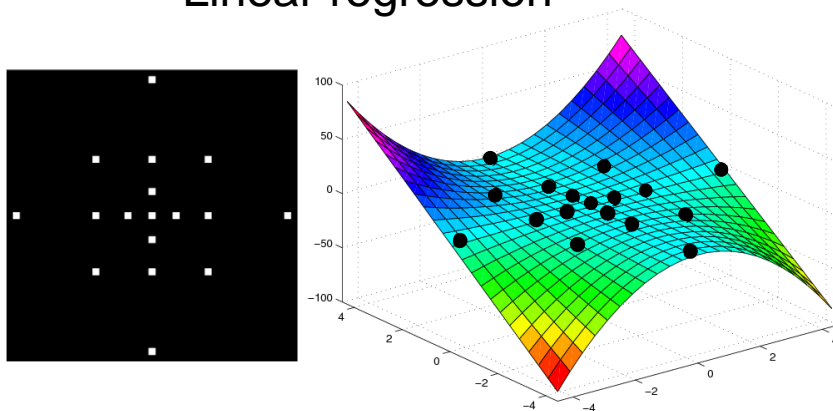
## Approximation of a model response

$$\tilde{r}(m(\xi)) = \sum_{\alpha} \beta_{\alpha} \psi_{\alpha}(\xi)$$

- Respect to probability distribution of random variables
  - Hermite polynomials – Gaussian, Legendre polynomials – Uniform

## Methods for construction of PCE-based approximation

- Stochastic Galerkin method
- Stochastic collocation method
- Linear regression





# Global sensitivity analysis (SA)

- Dependence of the system response  $r$  on the system parameters  $m$
- Investigation of the system properties on the whole parameters' domain

## Sampling-based SA

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- Spearman's rank correlation coefficient (SRCC)
  - Nonlinear monotonic dependence
  - A large number of model simulations  $n$

$$\rho_{m_i, r_j} = 1 - \frac{6 \sum_{a=1}^n (\text{rank}(m_{i,a}) - \text{rank}(r_{j,a}))^2}{n(n^2 - 1)}$$

## SA based on ANOVA decomposition

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- Sobol' sensitivity indices
  - Nonmonotonic dependence
  - Analytical expression from PCE coefficients

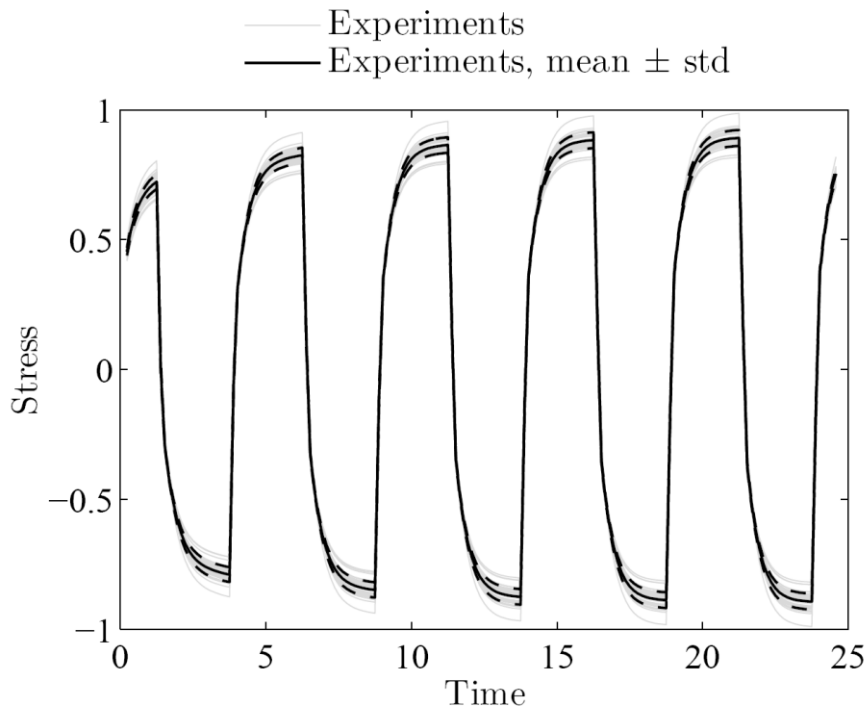
$$S_{i_1, \dots, i_s}^{\text{PCE}} = \frac{\sum_{\alpha \in \mathcal{I}_{i_1, \dots, i_s}} \beta_{\alpha}^2 \mathbb{E}[\psi_{\alpha}^2(\boldsymbol{\xi})]}{\sum_{\alpha=1}^{n_{\beta}} \beta_{\alpha}^2 \mathbb{E}[\psi_{\alpha}^2(\boldsymbol{\xi})]}, \text{ where } \mathcal{I}_{i_1, \dots, i_s} = \{\alpha_k = 0 \iff k \notin (i_1, \dots, i_s), \forall k = 1, \dots, n_{\beta}\}$$



# Example

## Cyclic loading test

- Pseudo-experimental data set of 50 repetitions
- Model response is influenced by 6 uncertain parameters with lognormal prior
- Task: Identify the parameters' probability density functions



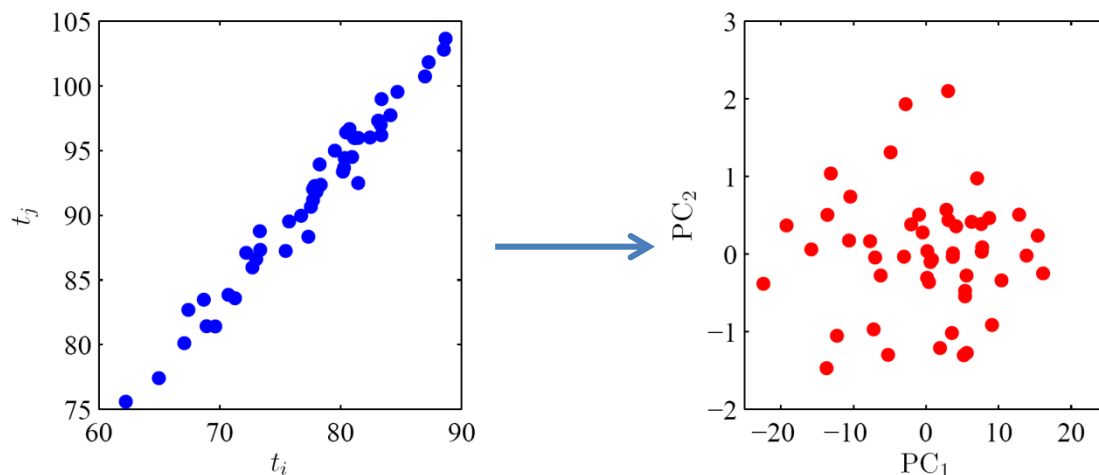
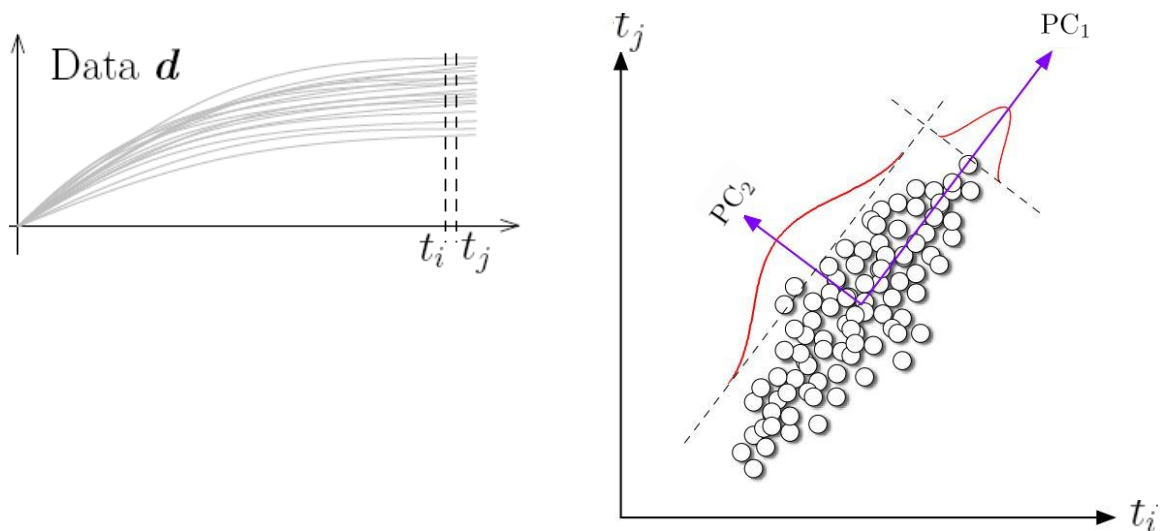
$$\text{Stress}(\text{Time}) = M(\mathbf{m})$$
$$\mathbf{m} = (m_1, m_2, m_3, m_4, m_5, m_6)$$





# Formulation of likelihood

## Principal component analysis

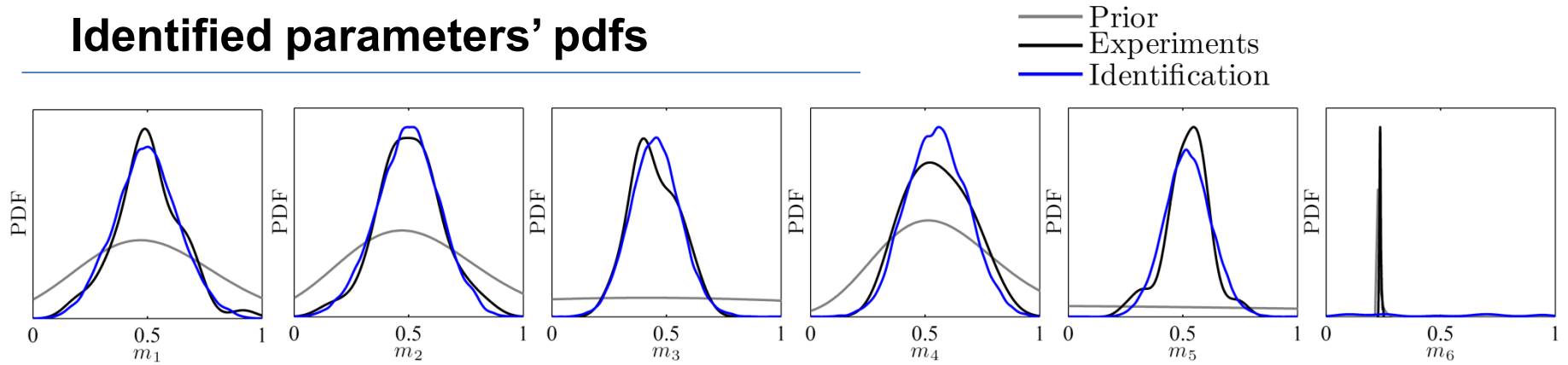


PC	VAR	VAR explained
1	9588.425	96.310
2	342.552	99.751
3	22.569	99.978
4	1.641	99.994
5	0.543	100.000
6	0.016	100.000
7	0.003	100.000
8	0.000	100.000
9	0.000	100.000
10	0.000	100.000

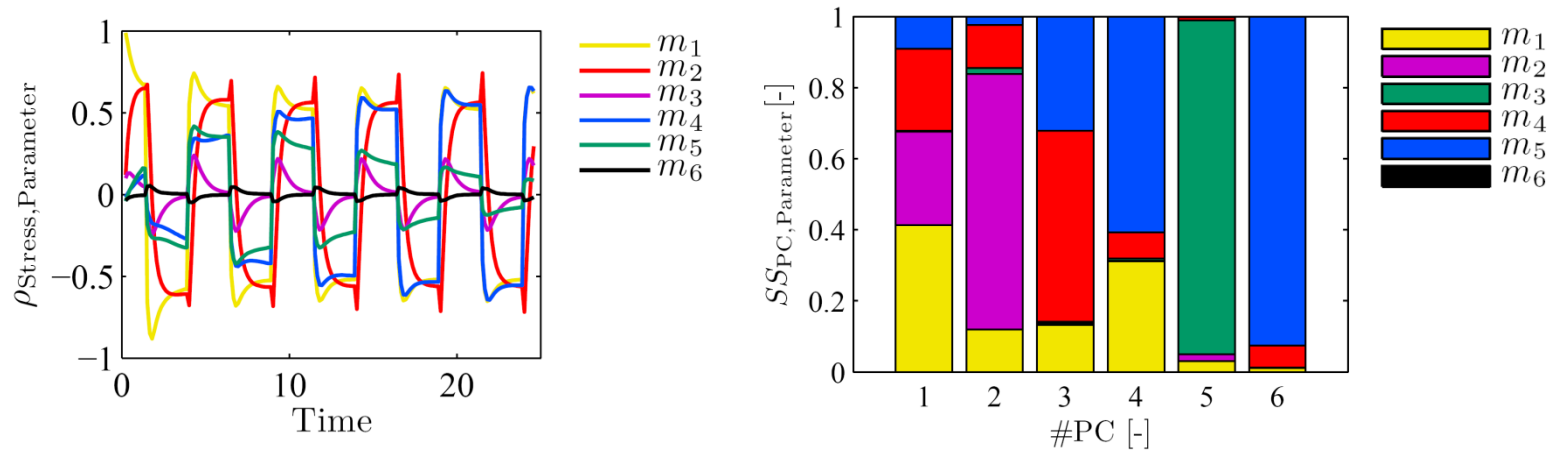


# Results

## Identified parameters' pdfs



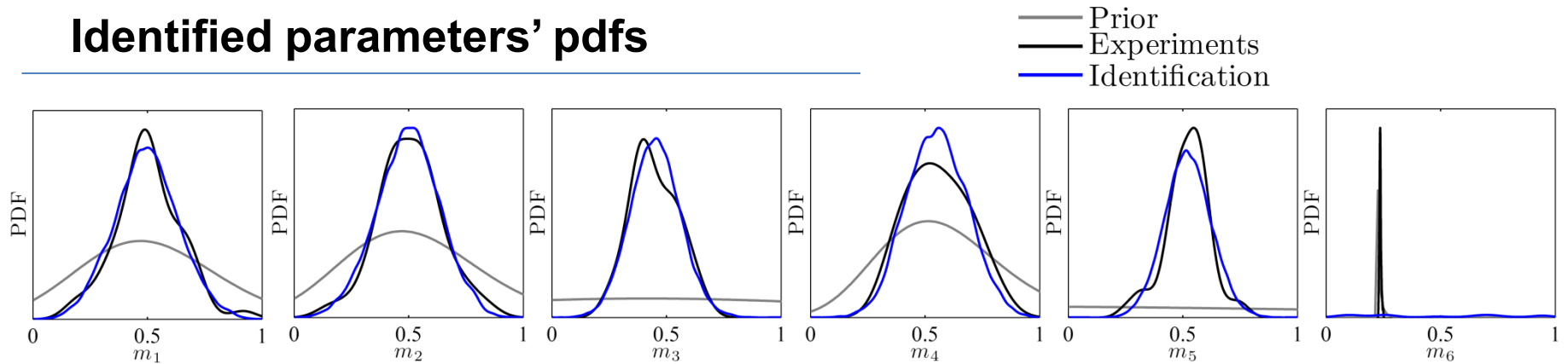
## Sensitivity analysis



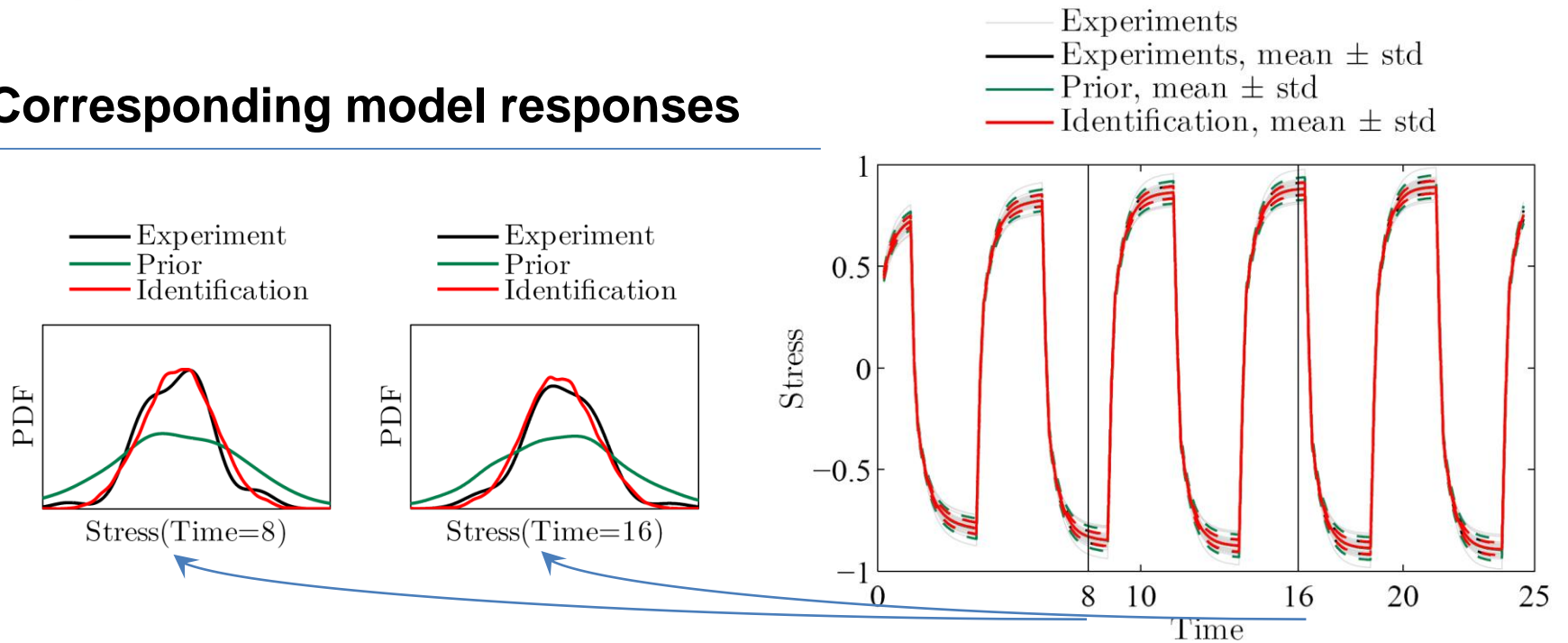


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## Corresponding model responses



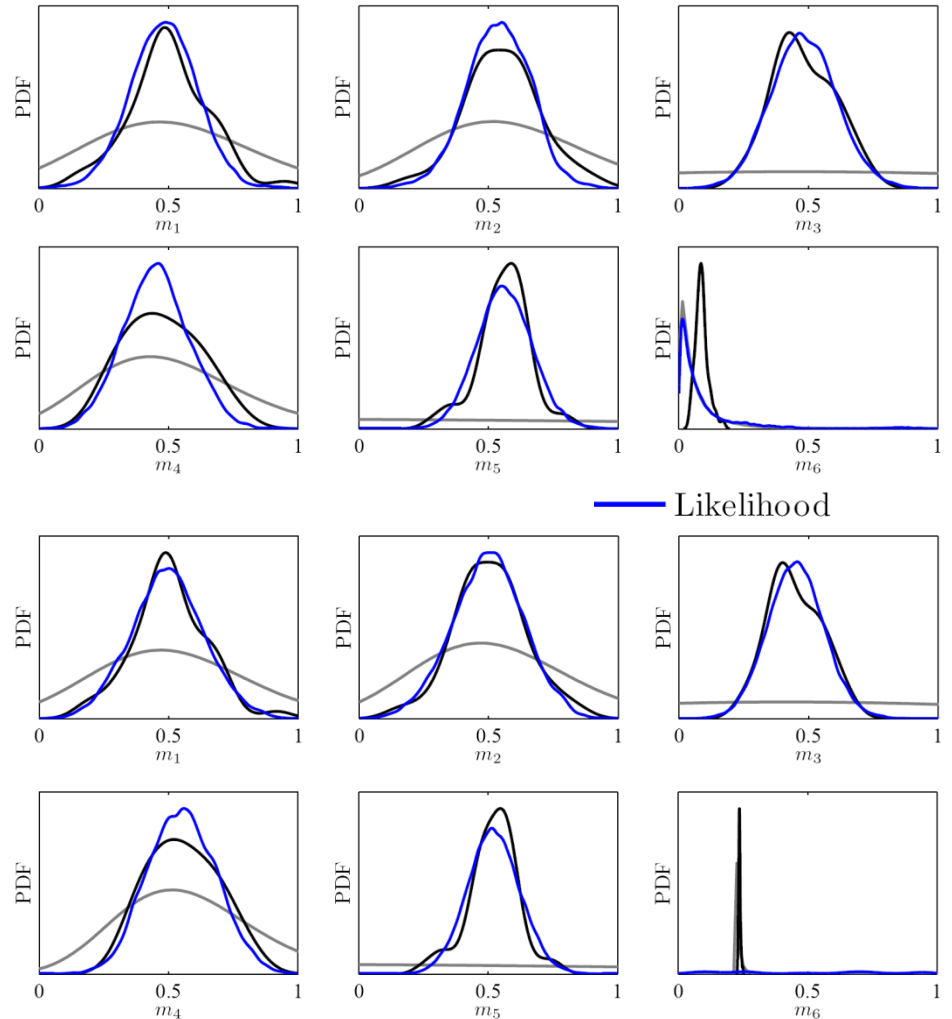


# Results

## Posterior vs. Likelihood

— Prior  
 — Experiments  
 — Posterior

	$m_1$	$m_2$	$m_3$	$m_4$	$m_5$	$m_6$
Prior						
MEAN	0.511	0.522	0.473	0.580	0.508	0.236
VAR	0.093	0.092	1.041	0.076	3.086	$5 \cdot 10^{-4}$
Experiments						
MEAN	0.503	0.506	0.448	0.557	0.520	0.237
VAR	0.020	0.019	0.010	0.017	0.009	$1 \cdot 10^{-5}$
Posterior						
MEAN	0.485	0.490	0.448	0.536	0.522	0.239
VAR	0.014	0.014	0.012	0.014	0.011	0.001
Likelihood						
MEAN	0.496	0.498	0.452	0.552	0.522	0.475
VAR	0.020	0.019	0.012	0.018	0.011	0.095



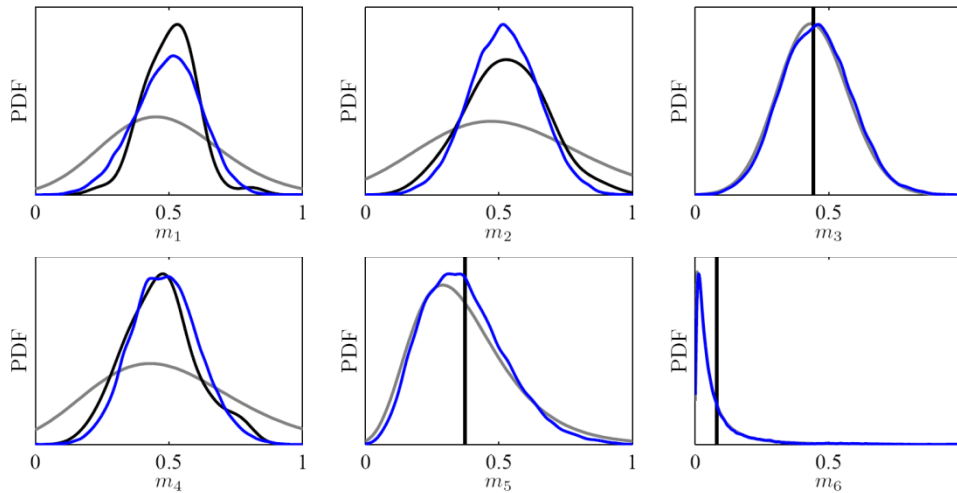


# Example 02

## Cyclic loading test – samples with fixed parameters

– Identification of the fixed samples from optimisation of particular curves

— Prior  
 — Experiments  
 — Identification



Experiment	$m_1$	$m_2$	$m_3$	$m_4$	$m_5$	$m_6$
1	0.469	0.226	0.451	0.365	0.373	0.100
2	0.529	0.529	0.481	0.345	0.375	-0.177
3	0.411	0.555	0.423	0.360	0.379	0.161
4	0.590	0.424	0.448	0.767	0.373	0.608
5	0.342	0.560	0.473	0.306	0.374	0.196
VAR	0.009	0.020	0.001	0.036	$10^{-5}$	0.079

	$m_1$	$m_2$	$m_3$	$m_4$	$m_5$	$m_6$
Optimisation						
	0.505	0.530	0.441	0.469	0.373	0.269
	0.501	0.531	0.438	0.466	0.383	-0.059
	0.486	0.542	0.477	0.470	0.384	0.165
	0.499	0.528	0.421	0.480	0.377	0.440
	0.498	0.528	0.430	0.471	0.388	-0.145
	0.507	0.523	0.408	0.459	0.398	0.242
Prior						
MEAN	0.482	0.523	0.443	0.498	0.373	0.080
VAR	0.050	0.092	0.017	0.080	0.036	0.018
Posterior						
MEAN	0.496	0.520	0.453	0.486	0.370	0.079
VAR	0.015	0.017	0.017	0.016	0.024	0.013

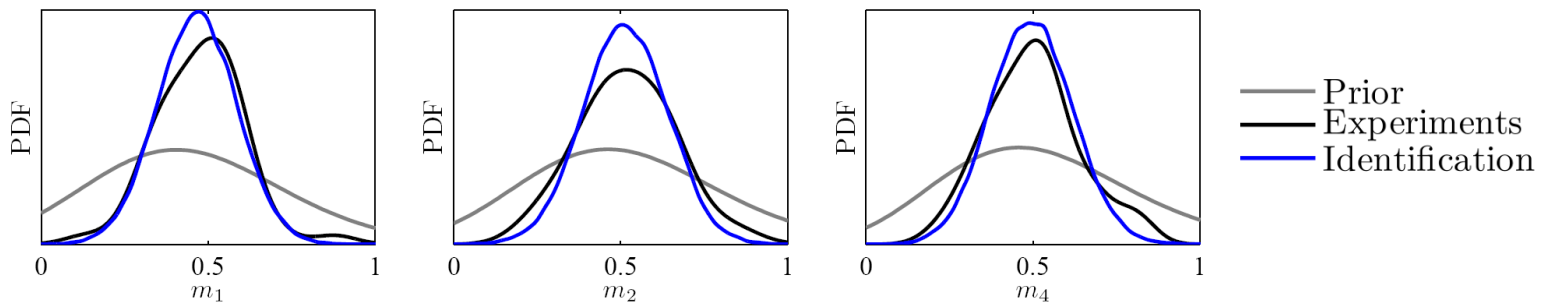


# Example 02

## Cyclic loading test – samples with fixed parameters

- 3 fixed parameters on optimised values, other are identified by MCMC

$m_3$	$m_5$	$m_6$
0.441	0.373	0.269



	$\varepsilon_{\text{MEAN}}$	$\varepsilon_{\text{STD}}$
Bayesian update of all parameters	0.626	1.336
Fixed $\gamma$ , $\beta$ and $\nu$ + Bayesian update of other parameters	0.227	0.390

Mean squared error (MSE) in mean value and standard deviation.



# Example 03

## Cyclic loading test – correlated samples

- Identification of the correlation from optimisation of particular curves

Experiment	$m_1$	$m_2$	$m_3$	$m_4$	$m_5$	$m_6$
1	0.812	0.812	0.458	0.495	0.356	0.235
2	0.549	0.525	0.431	0.455	0.360	0.155
3	0.666	0.672	0.444	0.691	0.374	0.074
4	0.480	0.487	0.480	0.451	0.375	0.144
5	0.484	0.496	0.452	0.479	0.382	-0.113
VAR	0.020	0.020	$3 \cdot 10^{-4}$	0.010	$10^{-4}$	0.017

$$\mathbf{R} = \begin{pmatrix} 1.000 & 0.995 & -0.153 & 0.396 & -0.661 & 0.586 \\ 0.995 & 1.000 & -0.092 & 0.426 & -0.590 & 0.538 \\ -0.153 & -0.092 & 1.000 & -0.294 & 0.306 & 0.116 \\ 0.396 & 0.426 & -0.294 & 1.000 & 0.199 & -0.104 \\ -0.661 & -0.590 & 0.306 & 0.199 & 1.000 & -0.841 \\ 0.586 & 0.538 & 0.116 & -0.104 & -0.841 & 1.000 \end{pmatrix}$$



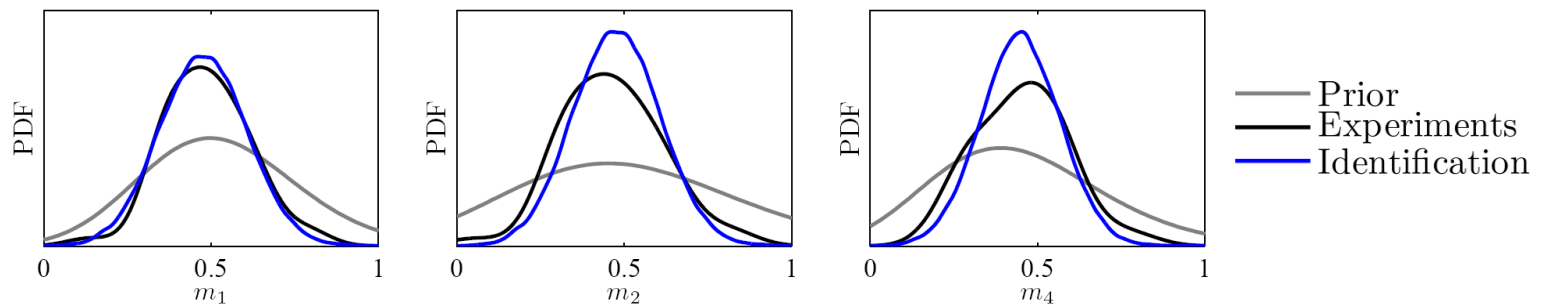
# Example 03

## Cyclic loading test – correlated samples

- 3 fixed parameters on optimised values,  $m_1$  is calculated from  $m_2$ , other are identified by MCMC

$m_3$	$m_5$	$m_6$
0.441	0.373	0.106

$$m_1 = am_2 + b$$



	$\epsilon_{\text{MEAN}}$	$\epsilon_{\text{STD}}$
Bayesian update of all parameters	0.203	2.504
Bayesian update of 5 parameters + calculation of $\sigma_y$	0.186	0.349
Fixed $\gamma, \beta$ and $\nu$ + Bayesian update of $X_\infty$ and $R_\infty$ + calculation of $\sigma_y$	0.113	0.216

MSE in mean value and standard deviation.



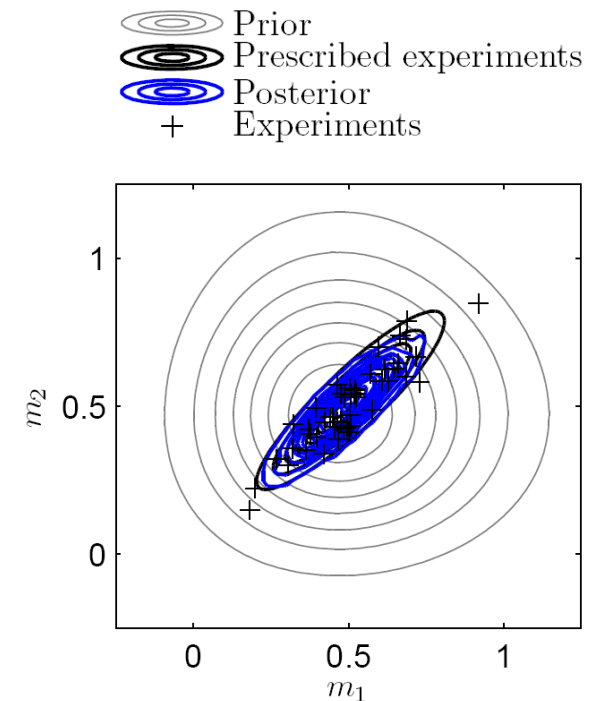
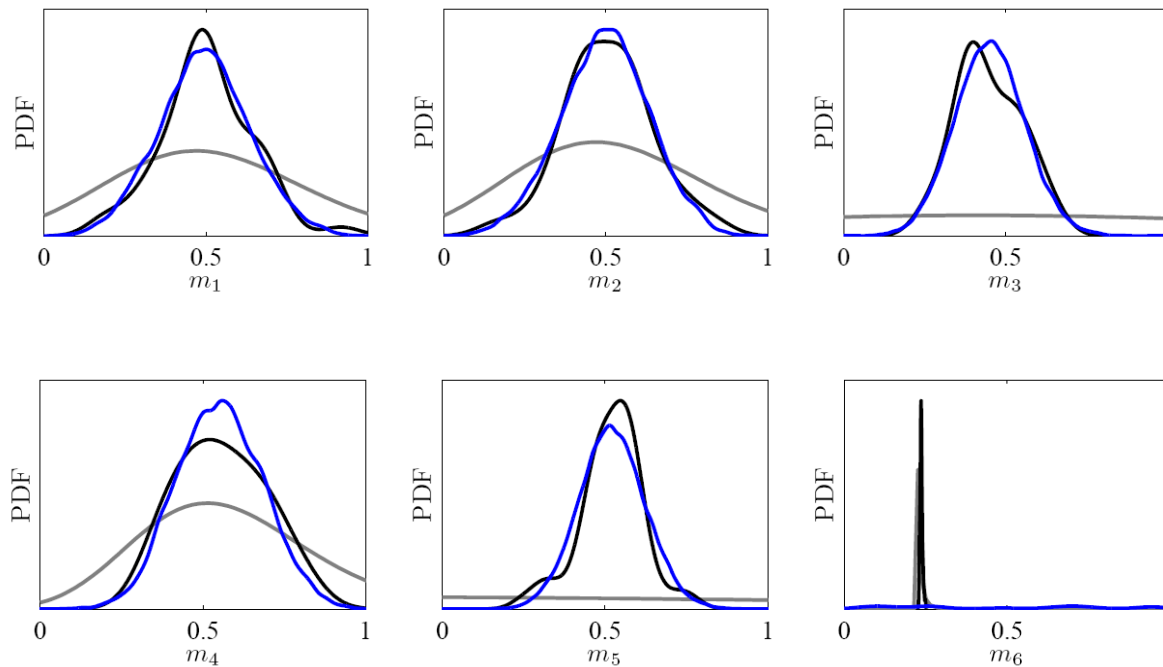


# Example 03

## Cyclic loading test – correlated samples

– Prescribed correlation 0.9 between  $m_1$  and  $m_2$ , likelihood: 5 PC

— Prior  
— Experiments  
— Identification

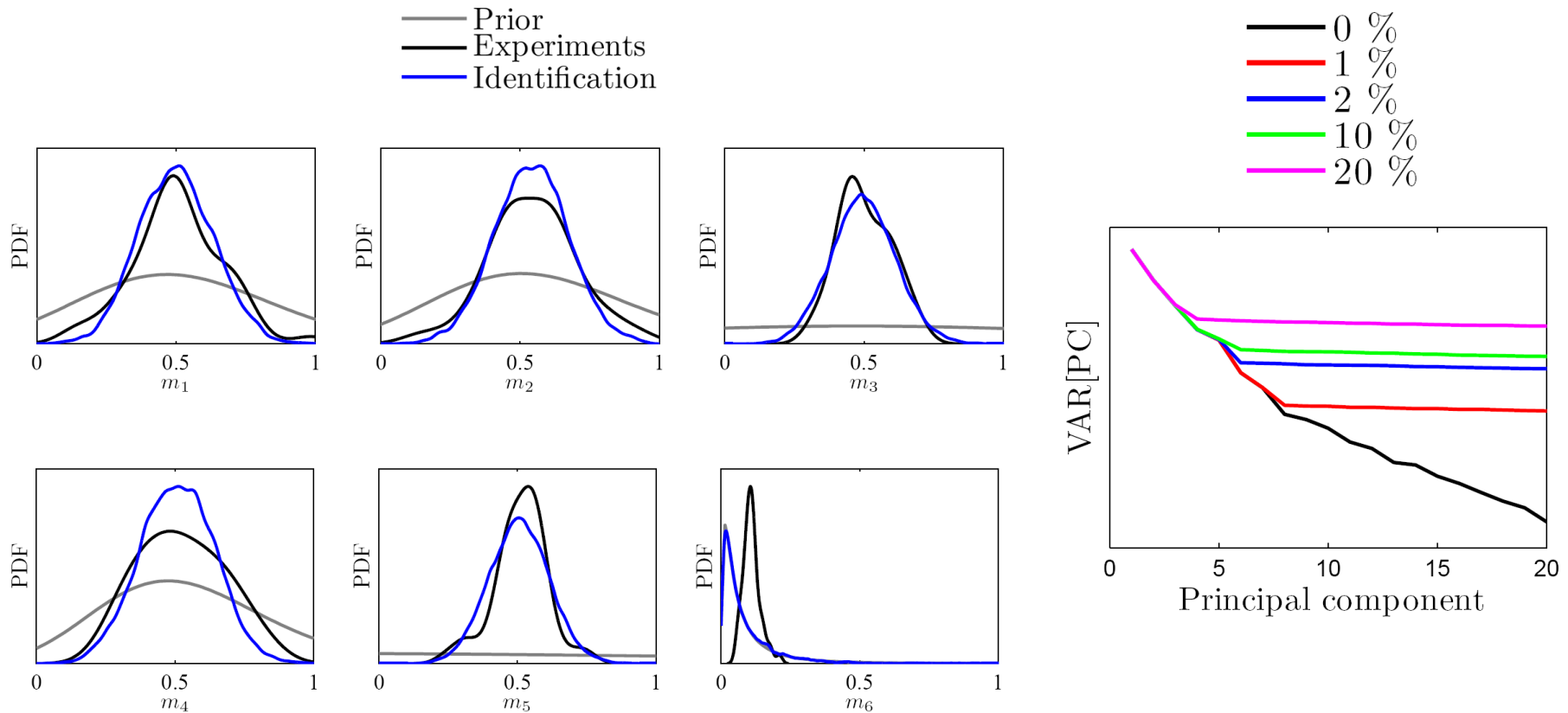




# Example 04

## Cyclic loading test – samples with experimental error

- Normal distributed error with STD equal to 2 % of corresponding output STD





# Conclusion

## Parameter identification based on a set of experimental curves

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- Sensitivity analysis
  - Determination of relevant and irrelevant parameters
- Formulation of likelihood
  - Principal component analysis
  - Efficient number of principal components
- Optimisation
  - Fully correlated or fixed experimental samples
- MCMC sampling
  - Uncorrelated and not fully correlated experimental samples
  - Experimental errors up to critical size defined by PC variances



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