

Nonlinear finite-element approximations and a posteriori error analysis for complex porous media flows

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SCOPE:

- Oil engineering.
- Carbon dioxide storage.
- Nuclear waste repository management.

MODELS CONSTRAINTS:

- Degenerate parabolic systems of equations.
- Possibly highly anisotropic.
- Meshes prescribed by geological data.

EXISTING NUMERICAL METHODS:

- 1 Isotropic tensor with Delaunay meshes: monotonicity arguments
↪ Decay of the physical energy, Maximum principle, ...
- 2 Anisotropic tensor or general grids: loss of monotonicity
↪ Use of Kirchhoff transform.

EFFICIENT NUMERICAL METHOD:

- easy to implement;
- affordable computational cost;
- convergence reasonably fast.

ROBUST W.R.T. TO THE DATA:

- degenerate diffusion operators;
- (strong) anisotropy;
- general grids.

PRESERVATION AT THE DISCRETE LEVEL OF CRUCIAL FEATURES:

- conservation of mass;
- decay of non-quadratic energy.

NO KIRCHHOFF TRANSFORM IN THE SCHEME

⇒ **Nonlinear numerical method**

(Cancès, Guichard, JFoCM, '16),(Cancès, Chainais-Hillairet, Krell, CMAM, '17)

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 - general meshes.
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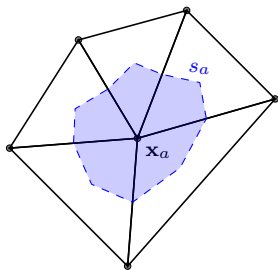
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SPACE DISCRETIZATION: \mathbb{P}_1 Finite-Element with mass lumping



- \mathcal{T} : triangles mesh, $T \in \mathcal{T}$
- \mathcal{V} : vertices, $a \in \mathcal{V}$
- $h_{\mathcal{T}}$: mesh size
- V_h : usual \mathbb{P}_1 FE space
- FE \mathbb{P}_1 basis: $(\phi_a)_{a \in \mathcal{V}}$

PIECEWISE LINEAR RECONSTRUCTION: $\forall u \in \mathcal{C}(\bar{\Omega})$,

$$\pi_1 u(\mathbf{x}) = \sum_{a \in \mathcal{V}} u(\mathbf{x}_a) \phi_a(\mathbf{x}) \quad \implies \quad u_h = \pi_1 u \in V_h.$$

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TIME DISCRETIZATION:

- Discretization of $[0, t_f]$: $0 = t_0 < t_1 < \dots < t_N = t_f$.
- Time step $\tau = \max_{1 \leq n \leq N} \tau_n$ with $\tau_n = t_n - t_{n-1}$ for $1 \leq n \leq N$.
- $u_h^n = (u_a^n)_{a \in \mathcal{V}}$ unknown at time t^n .

 \mathbb{P}_1 FINITE-ELEMENT SCHEME

Let $u_h^{n-1} \in V_h$, we look for $u_h^n \in V_h$ such that for any $v_h \in V_h$,

$$\int_{\Omega} \frac{\bar{u}_h^n - \bar{u}_h^{n-1}}{\tau_n} \bar{v}_h + \int_{\Omega} \eta_h^n \Lambda_h \nabla(p_h^n + \Psi_h) \cdot \nabla v_h = 0,$$

with

$$\Lambda_h(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{|T|} \int_T \Lambda(\mathbf{x}) d\mathbf{x}, \quad \text{if } \mathbf{x} \in T;$$

and

$$\eta_h^n = \pi_1 \eta(u_h^n), \quad p_h^n = \pi_1 p(u_h^n), \quad \Psi_h = \pi_1 \Psi.$$

PROPERTIES OF THE SCHEME

- Mass conservation and energy dissipation;
- Positivity of solutions if $p(0) = -\infty$;
- Existence of a discrete solution.

$$\partial_t u - \operatorname{div}(\eta(u)\mathbf{\Lambda}\nabla(p(u) + \Psi)) = 0.$$

KIRCHHOFF TRANSFORMS:

$$\phi(u) = \int^u \eta(s)p'(s)ds, \quad \xi(u) = \int^u \sqrt{\eta(s)}p'(s)ds, \quad u \geq 0.$$

- If $p(u)$ is regular enough,

$$\eta(u)\nabla p(u) = \nabla\phi(u), \quad \eta(u)|\nabla p(u)|^2 = |\nabla\xi(u)|^2.$$

- The nonlinear Fokker-Planck equation rewrites,

$$\partial_t u - \operatorname{div}(\mathbf{\Lambda}\nabla\phi(u) + \eta(u)\mathbf{\Lambda}\nabla\Psi) = 0.$$

- $\phi(u) \in L^2((0, t_f); H^1(\Omega))$ is well defined
 \rightsquigarrow existence and uniqueness of weak solutions. (Alt-Luckhaus '83, Otto '96)
- Monotone operator \rightsquigarrow the implicit Euler scheme converges.

CONVERGENCE THEOREM:

DEFINITION (WEAK SOLUTION)

A measurable function u is a weak solution if

- $u, \eta(u) \in L^\infty(0, t_f; L^1(\Omega))$,
- $\xi(u) \in L^2(0, t_f; H^1(\Omega))$,
- and for any $\varphi \in C_c^\infty([0, t_f] \times \bar{\Omega})$,

$$\int_0^{t_f} \int_\Omega u \partial_t \varphi + \int_\Omega u^0 \varphi(0, \cdot) - \int_0^{t_f} \int_\Omega (\nabla \phi(u) + \eta(u) \nabla \Psi) \cdot \Lambda \nabla \varphi = 0.$$

Time reconstruction: $u_{h\tau}(t, \cdot) = u_h^n$ on $(t_{n-1}, t_n]$.

THEOREM (CONVERGENCE)

For any $u^0 : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$ be such that $E(u^0) < +\infty$, there exists a weak solution u such that, up to a subsequence,

$$\bar{u}_{h\tau} \xrightarrow{h\tau, \tau \rightarrow 0} u \text{ strongly in } L^1((0, t_f) \times \Omega).$$

SKETCH OF PROOF:

- ① Compactness of the family $\bar{u}_{h\tau}$.
- ② Identification of the limit of a subsequence as a weak solution.

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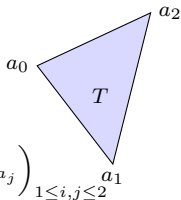
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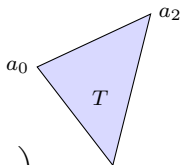
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$$(\xi(u_{a_i}^n) - \xi(u_{a_0}^n))^2 \leq \left(\max_T \eta \right) (p(u_{a_i}^n) - p(u_{a_0}^n))^2.$$

\mathbb{P}_0 reconstruction on each triangle:

$$\eta_T^n = \frac{1}{3} \sum_{i=0}^2 \eta(u_{a_i}^n) \implies (\xi(u_{a_i}^n) - \xi(u_{a_0}^n))^2 \leq 3\eta_T^n (p(u_{a_i}^n) - p(u_{a_0}^n))^2.$$

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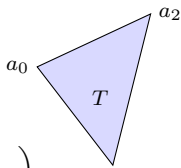
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$$\eta_T^n |\delta_T p_h^n|^2 \geq \frac{1}{3} |\delta_T \xi_h^n|^2.$$

- Using $\langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{A}\mathbf{y} \rangle \leq \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x} \rangle$, $\forall \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}$ s.t. $|\mathbf{x}|^2 \geq \text{Cond}_2(\mathbf{A}) |\mathbf{y}|^2$ and since $\text{Cond}(\mathbf{A}^T) \leq C$, (**Brenner-Masson, IJFV, '13**)

$$\int_T \Lambda_h \nabla \xi_h^n \cdot \nabla \xi_h^n \leq C \int_T \eta_T^n \Lambda_h \nabla p_h^n \cdot \nabla p_h^n.$$

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- Use of Kirchhoff transform:

$$\int_{\Omega} \tilde{\eta}_h^n \Lambda_h \nabla p_h^n \cdot \nabla \varphi_h^n = \int_{\Omega} \sqrt{\tilde{\eta}_h^n} \Lambda_h \nabla \xi_h^n \cdot \nabla \varphi_h^n + R_h^n$$

with $R_{h\tau} \xrightarrow{h\tau, \tau \rightarrow 0} 0$ and

$$\sqrt{\tilde{\eta}_{h\tau}} \xrightarrow{h\tau, \tau \rightarrow 0} \sqrt{\eta(u)} \text{ strongly in } L^2((0, t_f) \times \Omega),$$

and $\nabla \xi_{h\tau} \xrightarrow{h\tau, \tau \rightarrow 0} \nabla \xi(u)$ weakly in $L^2((0, t_f) \times \Omega)$.

EQUILIBRATED FLUX RECONSTRUCTION

- Continuous level:

$$\boldsymbol{\sigma} := -\eta(u)\mathbf{\Lambda}\nabla(p(u) + \Psi) \in L^1((0, t_f); \mathbf{H}(\text{div}, \Omega)) \quad \text{and} \quad \text{div}\boldsymbol{\sigma} = -\partial_t u.$$

- Discrete level: for any $n \geq 1$,

$$-\eta_h^n \mathbf{\Lambda}_h \nabla(p_h^n + \Psi_h) \notin \mathbf{H}(\text{div}, \Omega) \quad \text{and} \quad \text{div}(\eta_h^n \mathbf{\Lambda}_h \nabla(p_h^n + \Psi_h)) \neq -\frac{u_h^n - u_h^{n-1}}{\tau_n}.$$

THEOREM

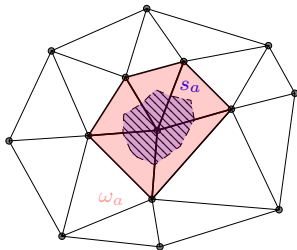
There exists $\boldsymbol{\sigma}_{h\tau} \in L^2((0, t_f); \mathbf{H}(\text{div}, \Omega))$ such that

$$\partial_t \hat{u}_{h\tau} + \text{div}\boldsymbol{\sigma}_{h\tau} = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \boldsymbol{\sigma}_{h\tau} \cdot \mathbf{n} = 0 \quad \text{on} \quad (0, t_f) \times \partial\Omega,$$

where $\hat{u}_{h\tau}$ is the piecewise affine in space and time approximation of $u_{h\tau}$.

Scheme locally conservative

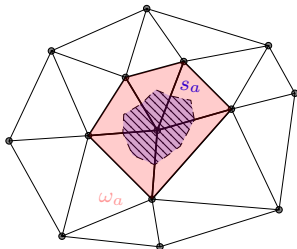
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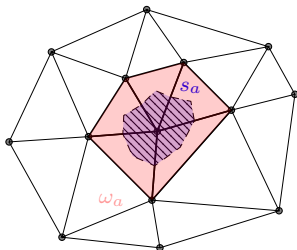
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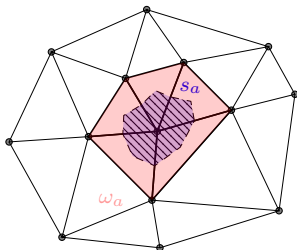


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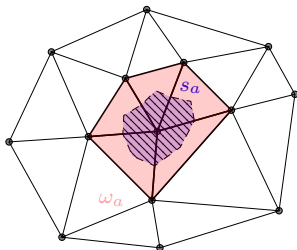
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where we look for $\boldsymbol{\sigma}_{h,a}^n \in \mathbf{RTN}_1^0(\omega_a)$ solution of the minimization problem:

$$\boldsymbol{\sigma}_{h,a}^n = \arg \min_{\mathbf{v}_h \in \mathbf{RTN}_1^0(\omega_a)} \|\phi_a \eta_h^n \nabla(p_h^n + \Psi_h) + \mathbf{v}_h\|_{\omega_a}$$

under the constraint

$$\operatorname{div} \mathbf{v}_h = -\Pi_{\mathbb{P}_1^*(\omega_a)} \left[\frac{u_a^n - u_a^{n-1}}{\tau_n} \phi_a + (\eta_h^n \mathbf{\Lambda}_h \nabla(p_h^n + \Psi_h)) \cdot \nabla \phi_a \right].$$

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$$\underbrace{\int_{\omega_a} \operatorname{div} \sigma_{h,a}^n q_h}_{=0} = - \underbrace{\int_{\omega_a} \left[\frac{u_a^n - u_a^{n-1}}{\tau_n} \phi_a + \eta_h^n \Lambda_h \nabla(p_h^n + \Psi_h) \cdot \nabla \phi_a \right]}_{=0} q_h, \quad \forall q_h \in \mathbb{P}_1^*(\omega_a).$$

- $\sigma_h^n \in H(\operatorname{div}, \Omega)$.
- $\sigma_{h,a}^n \cdot \mathbf{n}_{\omega_a} = 0$ on $\partial\omega_a$ and hat-function orthogonality $\implies q_h \in \mathbb{P}_1(\omega_a)$.
- Let $T \in \mathcal{T}$ and $q_h \in \mathbb{P}_1(T)$,

$$\int_T \operatorname{div} \sigma_h^n q_h = - \sum_{a \in \mathcal{V}_T} \int_T \left[\frac{u_a^n - u_a^{n-1}}{\tau_n} \phi_a \right] q_h = - \int_T \frac{u_h^n - u_h^{n-1}}{\tau_n} q_h.$$

BOUND ON THE RESIDUAL

$$X = \left\{ \varphi \in C([0, t_f]; \bar{\Omega}) \mid \varphi(t_f, \cdot) \equiv 0, \partial_t \varphi \in L^1((0, t_f); L^\infty(\Omega)), \nabla \varphi \in L^\infty((0, t_f) \times \Omega)^2 \right\}.$$

$$\|\varphi\|_X = \|\nabla \varphi\|_{L^\infty((0, t_f) \times \Omega)} + \int_0^{t_f} \|\partial_t \varphi\|_{L^\infty(\Omega)}.$$

DEFINITION

- The residual $R(v) \in X'$ is s.t. for any $\varphi \in X$,

$$\langle R(v), \varphi \rangle_{X', X} = \int_0^{t_f} \int_{\Omega} v \partial_t \varphi + \int_{\Omega} u^0 \varphi(0, \cdot) - \int_0^{t_f} \int_{\Omega} (\nabla \phi(v) + \eta(v) \nabla \Psi) \cdot \Lambda \nabla \varphi.$$

- The error measure $\mathcal{J}(\hat{u}_{h\tau})$ is defined by,

$$\mathcal{J}(\hat{u}_{h\tau}) = \sup_{\varphi \in X, \|\varphi\|_X = 1} \langle R(\hat{u}_{h\tau}), \varphi \rangle_{X', X}.$$

THEOREM (GUARANTEED UPPER BOUND)

Let $u \in X$ be a weak solution to the continuous problem and let $u_{h\tau}$ be an approximate solution to the numerical scheme, then

$$\mathcal{J}(\hat{u}_{h\tau}) \leq \underbrace{\int_0^{t_f} \|\Lambda (\nabla \phi(\hat{u}_{h\tau}) + \eta(\hat{u}_{h\tau}) \nabla \Psi) + \sigma_{h\tau}\|_{L^1(\Omega)}}_{\eta_F} + \underbrace{\|\hat{u}_{h\tau}(0, \cdot) - u_0\|_{L^1(\Omega)}}_{\eta_{IC}}$$

BOUND ON THE RESIDUAL: SKETCH OF PROOF

Let $\varphi \in X$ be s.t. $\|\varphi\|_X = 1$.

$$\begin{aligned} \langle R(\hat{u}_{h\tau}), \varphi \rangle_{X', X} &= \int_0^{t_f} \int_{\Omega} \hat{u}_{h\tau} \partial_t \varphi + \int_{\Omega} u^0 \varphi(0, \cdot) \\ &\quad - \int_0^{t_f} \int_{\Omega} (\nabla \phi(\hat{u}_{h\tau}) + \eta(\hat{u}_{h\tau}) \nabla \Psi) \cdot \mathbf{\Lambda} \nabla \varphi \end{aligned}$$

- Green's identity:

$$\int_0^{t_f} \int_{\Omega} \operatorname{div} \boldsymbol{\sigma}_{h\tau} \varphi + \int_0^{t_f} \int_{\Omega} \boldsymbol{\sigma}_{h\tau} \cdot \nabla \varphi = 0.$$

- Integration by parts:

$$\int_0^{t_f} \int_{\Omega} \partial_t \hat{u}_{h\tau} \varphi + \int_0^{t_f} \int_{\Omega} \hat{u}_{h\tau} \partial_t \varphi = - \int_{\Omega} \hat{u}_{h\tau}(0, \cdot) \varphi(0, \cdot).$$

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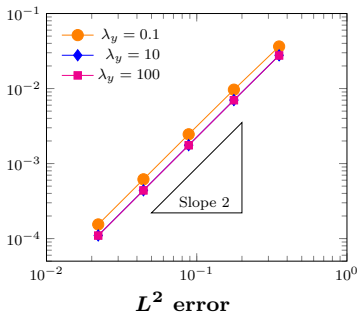
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EQUATION: $\eta(u) = u$ and $p(u) = \log(u)$

$$\partial_t u - \operatorname{div}(u \mathbf{\Lambda} \nabla(\log u - x)) = \partial_t u - \operatorname{div}(\mathbf{\Lambda}(\nabla u - \mathbf{e}_x)) = 0 \quad \text{with } \mathbf{\Lambda} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_y \end{pmatrix}.$$

EXACT SOLUTION:

$$u(t, (x, y)) = e^{-(\pi^2 + \frac{1}{4})t + \frac{x}{2}} \left(\pi \cos(\pi x) + \frac{1}{2} \sin(\pi x) \right) + \pi e^{x - \frac{1}{2}}.$$



$\lambda_y = 0.1$	$\lambda_y = 10$	$\lambda_y = 100$
0.434391	0.456011	0.466597
0.128222	0.132656	0.135209
0.0339114	0.0349284	0.0354816
0.00865144	0.00889535	0.009028
0.00218037	0.00224013	0.00227289

Minimum of u

Preserving of the positivity

COMPARISON BETWEEN

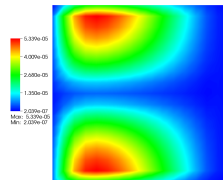
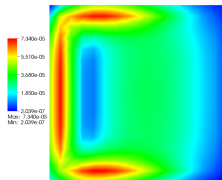
- Actual error distribution

$$\int_{t^{n-1}}^{t^n} \|\Lambda(\nabla\phi(\hat{u}_{h\tau}) + \eta(\hat{u}_{h\tau})\nabla\Psi) - \Lambda(\nabla\phi(u) + \eta(u)\nabla\Psi)\|_{L^1(T)} \cdot$$

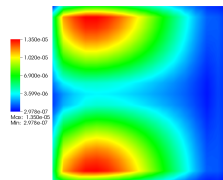
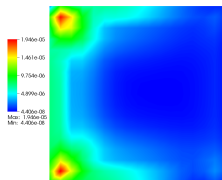
- Predicted error distribution (both in time and in space)

$$\eta_{F,T}^n := \int_{t^{n-1}}^{t^n} \|\Lambda(\nabla\phi(\hat{u}_{h\tau}) + \eta(\hat{u}_{h\tau})\nabla\Psi) + \sigma_{h\tau}\|_{L^1(T)} \cdot$$

Actual error



Predicted error



$\lambda_y = 1$

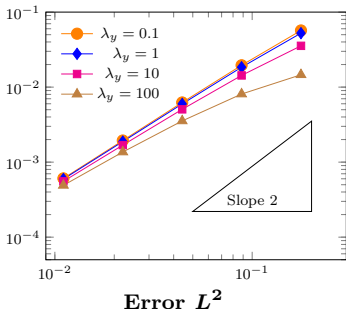
$\lambda_y = 100$

EQUATION: $\eta(u) = u$ and $p(u) = 2u$.

$$\partial_t u - \operatorname{div}(u \Lambda \nabla(2u - x)) = \partial_t u - \operatorname{div}(\Lambda(\nabla u^2 - \mathbf{e}_x)) = 0 \quad \text{with } \Lambda = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_y \end{pmatrix}.$$

EXACT SOLUTION:

$$u(t, (x, y)) = \max(3t - x, 0) \quad \text{with Dirichlet BC.}$$



$\lambda_y = 0.1$	$\lambda_y = 1$	$\lambda_y = 10$	$\lambda_y = 100$
1.680	1.644	1.428	0.930
1.721	1.698	1.569	1.244
1.722	1.704	1.620	1.408
1.696	1.681	1.622	1.492

Convergence rate

Loss of the positivity

COMPARISON BETWEEN

- Actual error distribution

$$\int_{t^{n-1}}^{t^n} \|\mathbf{\Lambda}(\nabla\phi(\hat{u}_{h\tau}) + \eta(\hat{u}_{h\tau})\nabla\Psi) - \mathbf{\Lambda}(\nabla\phi(u) + \eta(u)\nabla\Psi)\|_{L^1(T)} \cdot$$

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- Predicted error distribution in space only

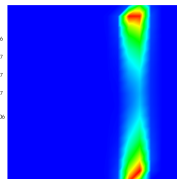
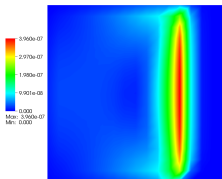
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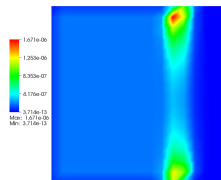
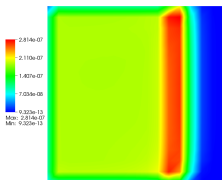
- $u_{h\tau}$: solution of the numerical scheme;
- $\hat{u}_{h\tau}$: piecewise affine reconstruction in time and space of $u_{h\tau}$.

COMPARISON BETWEEN

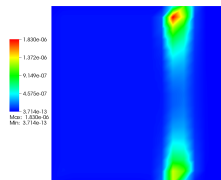
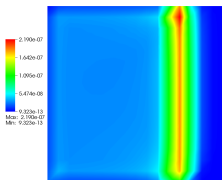
Actual error



Predicted error
(time and space)



Predicted error
(space)



$\lambda_y = 1$

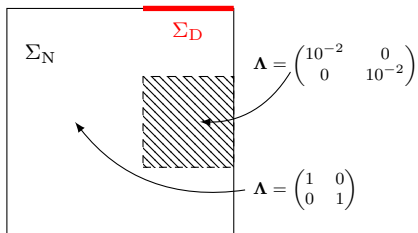
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BARRIER

$$\partial_t u - \operatorname{div}(\eta(u)\mathbf{\Lambda}\nabla(p(u) + \Psi)) = 0$$

with

- Dirichlet Boundary conditions $u = 1$ on Σ_D ;
- homogeneous Neumann Boundary conditions on Σ_N ;
- $\eta(u) = |u|$, $p(u) = u$, $\Psi(x, y) = y$;
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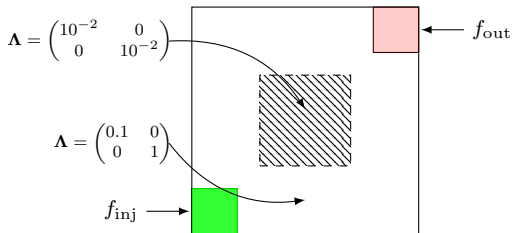
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QUARTER FIVE SPOT

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LINEARIZATION ADAPTIVE STOPPING CRITERIA

- Ω unit disk, $R = 2.6$;
- Mesh size ~ 0.16 ;
- $\eta(u) = u$, $p(u) = \frac{m}{m-1} u^{m-1}$, $m = 4$;
- $\mathbf{\Lambda} = I_d$;
- Exact solution:

$$u(t, (x, y)) = \left(\frac{1}{t+1} \left(\left[1 - \frac{m-1}{4m^2} \frac{x^2 + y^2}{(t+1)^m} \right]^+ \right)^{\frac{m}{m-1}} \right)^{\frac{1}{m}},$$

with Dirichlet BC

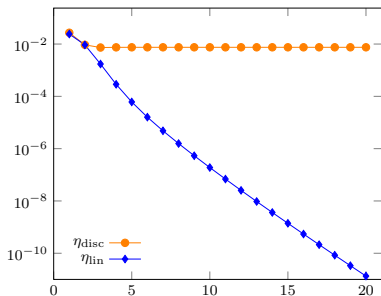
- $\tau = 0.01$, $t_0 = 0$, $t_f = 0.1$
- Stopping criterion for the nonlinear solver: $\eta_{\text{lin}} \leq \gamma \eta_{\text{disc}}$

LINEARIZATION ADAPTIVE STOPPING CRITERIA

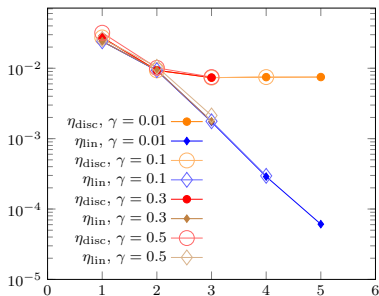
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Time	0.01	0.02	0.03	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.07	0.08	0.09	0.1	Cumulated iterations
Exact solver	22	20	18	18	16	15	15	16	15	15	170
$\gamma = 0.01$	7	5	5	4	4	4	4	4	4	3	44
$\gamma = 0.1$	6	4	3	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	31
$\gamma = 0.3$	6	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	27
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Exact solveur

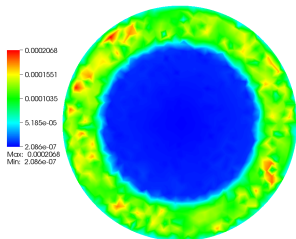


A posteriori strategy

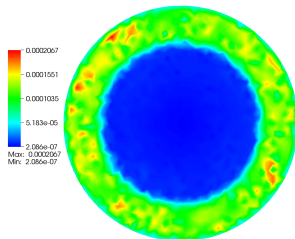


$t = 0.02$

TOTAL ERRORS

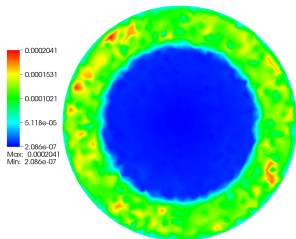


Exact solver

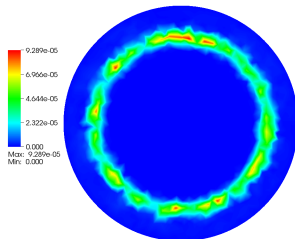


Adaptive strategy, $\gamma = 0.5$

DISTRIBUTION OF THE ERROR COMPONENTS, $\gamma = 0.5$



Discretization error



Linearization error

MORE COMPLEX PHYSICS: INCOMPRESSIBLE TWO PHASE FLOWS

Find saturations $s_o, s_w : (0, t_f) \times \Omega \rightarrow [0, 1]$ and pressures $p_o, p_w : (0, t_f) \times \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ such that

$$\begin{aligned}
 \partial_t s_o - \operatorname{div}(\eta_o(s_o) \nabla p_o) &= f_o(s_o), & \text{in } (0, t_f) \times \Omega; \\
 \partial_t s_w - \operatorname{div}(\eta_w(s_w) \nabla p_w) &= f_w(s_w), & \text{in } (0, t_f) \times \Omega; \\
 s_o + s_w &= 1, & \text{in } (0, t_f) \times \Omega; \\
 p_o - p_w &= \pi(s_o), & \text{in } (0, t_f) \times \Omega; \\
 \eta_o(s_o) \nabla p_o \cdot \mathbf{n} &= 0, & \text{on } (0, t_f) \times \partial\Omega; \\
 \eta_w(s_w) \nabla p_w \cdot \mathbf{n} &= 0, & \text{on } (0, t_f) \times \partial\Omega; \\
 \int_{\Omega} p_w &= 0, & \text{on } (0, t_f);
 \end{aligned}$$

MORE COMPLEX PHYSICS: INCOMPRESSIBLE TWO PHASE FLOWS

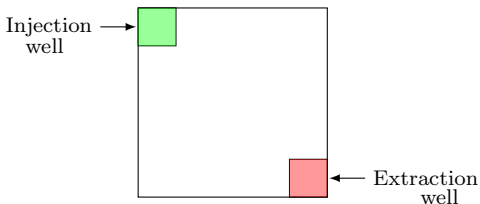
Find the saturation $s_o : (0, t_f) \times \Omega \rightarrow [0, 1]$ and the pressure $p_w : (0, t_f) \times \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ such that,

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_t s_o - \operatorname{div}(\eta_o(s_o) \nabla(p_w + \pi(s_o))) &= f_o(s_o), & \text{in } (0, t_f) \times \Omega; \\ -\partial_t s_o - \operatorname{div}(\eta_w(1 - s_o) \nabla p_w) &= f_w(1 - s_o), & \text{in } (0, t_f) \times \Omega; \\ \eta_o(s_o) \nabla(p_w + \pi(s_o)) \cdot \mathbf{n} &= 0, & \text{on } (0, t_f) \times \partial\Omega; \\ \eta_w(1 - s_o) \nabla p_w \cdot \mathbf{n} &= 0, & \text{on } (0, t_f) \times \partial\Omega; \\ \int_{\Omega} p_w &= 0, & \text{on } (0, t_f). \end{aligned}$$

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MORE COMPLEX PHYSICS: INCOMPRESSIBLE TWO PHASE FLOWS

Thank you for your attention

DEFINITION

A sequence $(f_n) \subset L^1(\Omega)$ is uniformly equi-integrable if

$$\forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists \alpha > 0 \text{ s.t. } \left[m(E) < \alpha \Rightarrow \int_E |f_n| dx < \varepsilon, \forall n \right].$$

THEOREM (VITALI)

Let $(f_n)_n$ be a sequence of functions uniformly equi-integrable, such that

$$f_n \xrightarrow[n \rightarrow +\infty]{} f \text{ a.e. in } \Omega.$$

Then,

$$f_n \xrightarrow[n \rightarrow +\infty]{} f \text{ strongly in } L^1(\Omega).$$

THEOREM (DE LA VALLÉE-POUSSIN)

The sequence $(f_n)_n$ is uniformly equi-integrable if and only if there exists

$$\Gamma : \mathbb{R}_+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_+ \text{ with } \frac{\Gamma(x)}{x} \xrightarrow[x \rightarrow \infty]{} +\infty \text{ such that}$$

$$\int_{\Omega} \Gamma(|f_n|) dx \leq C,$$

for some $C > 0$.