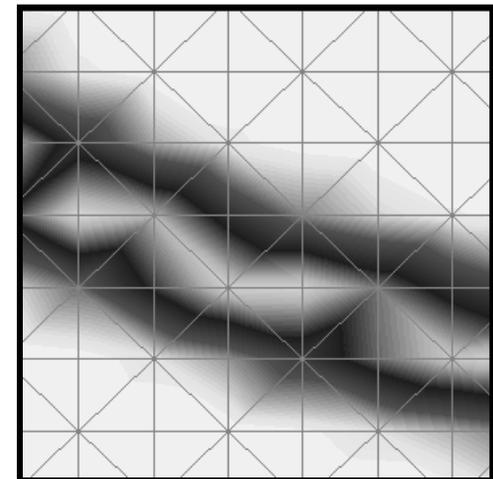




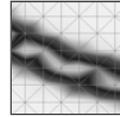
Towards a purely Eulerian method for shape optimization

Volkan Akcelik, Alexandre Cunha, Omar Ghattas
Carnegie Mellon University

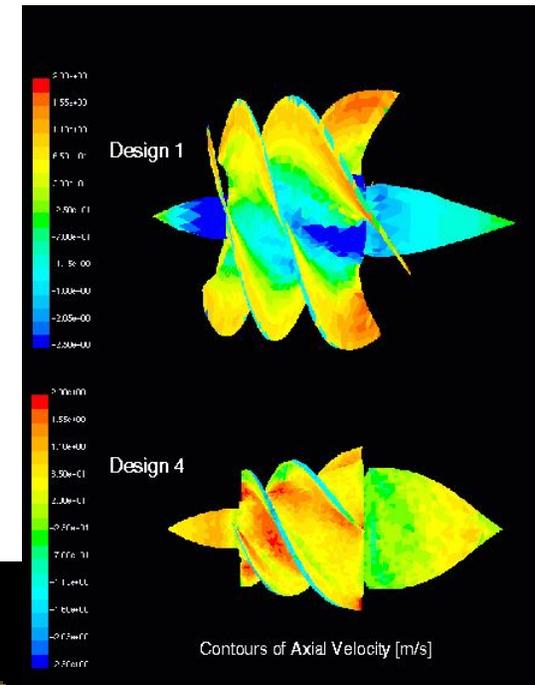
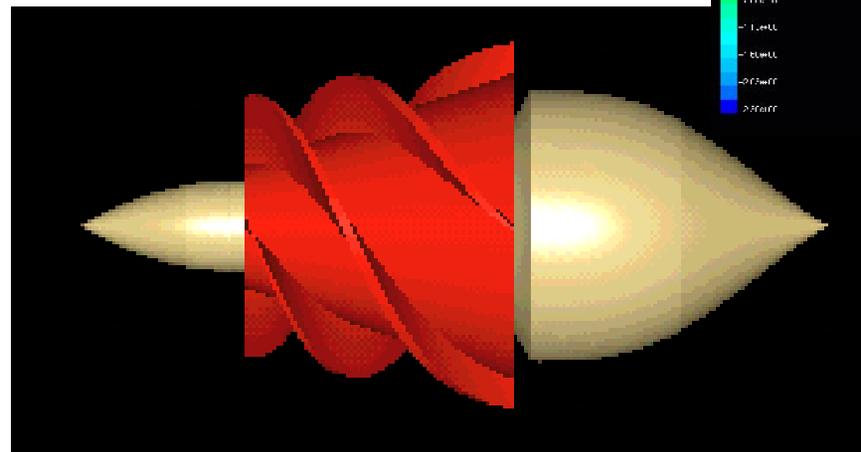
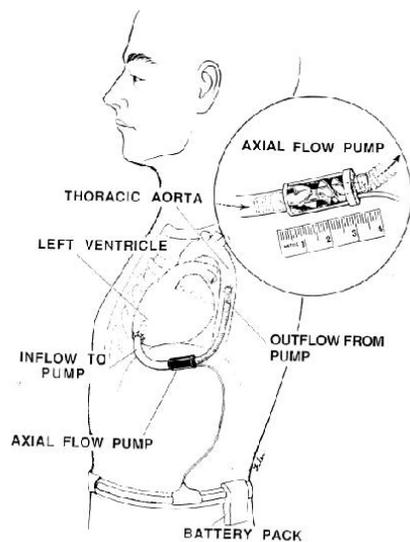
George Biros
University of Pennsylvania



CFD example: shape optimization of artificial heart ventricular assist devices

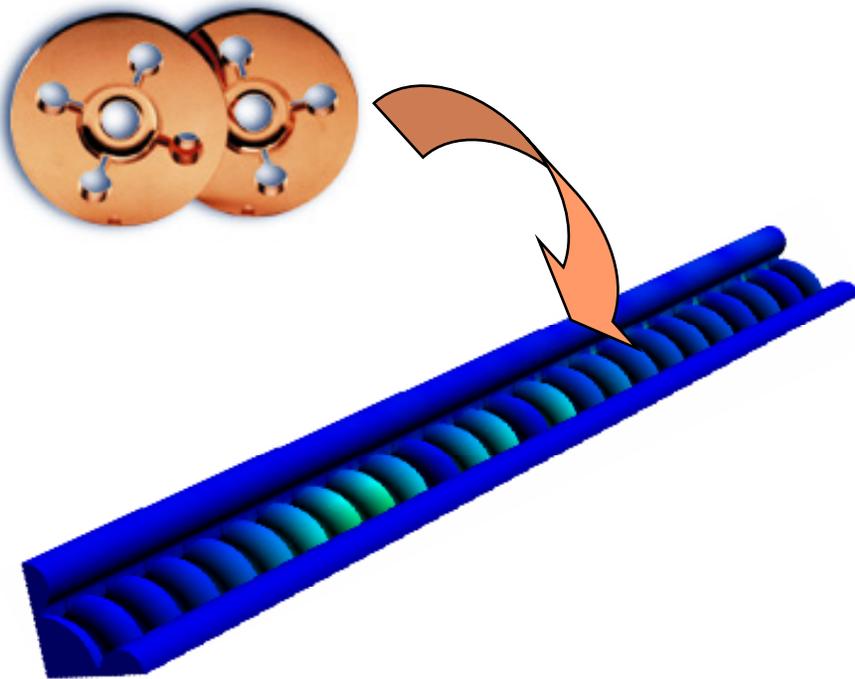
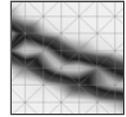


- development of artificial heart device at UPMC by Jim Antaki, Brad Paden (UCSB), et al.
- numerous advantages (size, power, reliability, invasiveness)
- design challenge: overcome tendency to damage RBCs

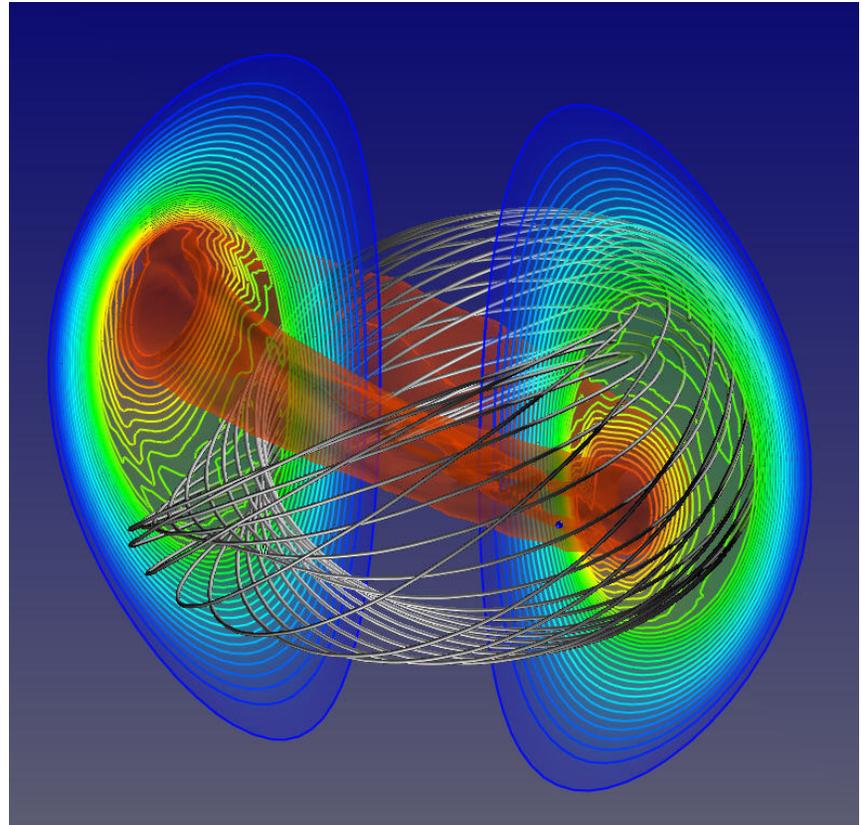


G Burgreen & JF Antaki, UPMC

EM/MHD example: shape optimization problems in SciDAC program

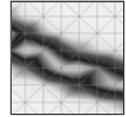


design of next linear collider
(K. Ko et al., Stanford)



design of plasma fusion device
(S. Jardin et al., Princeton)

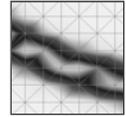
outline



Overall goal: an efficient purely Eulerian method for shape optimization

- current approaches
- nonlinear solver: LNKS
- level set representation of shape
- shape matching problem
- distributed Lagrange multiplier fictitious domain treatment of boundary conditions
- displacement matching problem

discrete approach



continuous problem:

$$\begin{aligned} &\text{minimize } \mathcal{F}(u, z) := \int \phi(u) d\Omega(z) \\ &\text{subject to } \mathcal{L}(u) = f \text{ in } \Omega(z) \end{aligned}$$

discretized problem:

$$\begin{aligned} &\text{minimize } f(u, z) \\ &\text{subject to } c(u, z) = \mathbf{0} \end{aligned}$$

Difficulties:

- Shape parameterization
- CAD sensitivity
- Mesh movement
- Mesh sensitivities

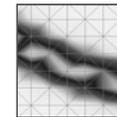
Lagrangian function:

$$L(u, z, \lambda) := f(u, z) + \lambda^\top c(u, z)$$

optimality conditions ($g := \nabla f$; $A := \nabla c$):

$$\begin{aligned} c(u, z) &= \mathbf{0} && \text{state equation} \\ A_u^\top(u, z)\lambda &= -g_u(u, z) && \text{adjoint equation} \\ A_z^\top(u, z)\lambda &= -g_z(u, z) && \text{shape equation} \end{aligned}$$

sidebar: Lagrange-Newton-Krylov-Schur nonlinear solver



optimality conditions:

$$\begin{aligned}
 c(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{z}) &= 0 && \text{state equation} \\
 \mathbf{A}_u^\top(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{z})\boldsymbol{\lambda} &= -\mathbf{g}_u(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{z}) && \text{adjoint equation} \\
 \mathbf{A}_z^\top(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{z})\boldsymbol{\lambda} &= -\mathbf{g}_z(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{z}) && \text{shape equation}
 \end{aligned}$$

nonlinear elimination

Newton step ($\mathbf{H} := \nabla^2 L$):

$$\begin{bmatrix}
 \mathbf{H}_{uu} & \mathbf{H}_{uz} & \mathbf{A}_u^\top \\
 \mathbf{H}_{zu} & \mathbf{H}_{zz} & \mathbf{A}_z^\top \\
 \mathbf{A}_u & \mathbf{A}_z & 0
 \end{bmatrix}
 \begin{Bmatrix}
 \delta\mathbf{u} \\
 \delta\mathbf{z} \\
 \delta\boldsymbol{\lambda}
 \end{Bmatrix}
 = -
 \begin{Bmatrix}
 \mathbf{A}_u^\top\boldsymbol{\lambda} + \mathbf{g}_u \\
 \mathbf{A}_z^\top\boldsymbol{\lambda} + \mathbf{g}_z \\
 \mathbf{c}
 \end{Bmatrix}$$

block elimination

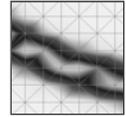
Schur complement of shape block:

$$\mathbf{A}_z^\top \mathbf{A}_u^{-\top} \mathbf{H}_{uu} \mathbf{A}_u^{-1} \mathbf{A}_z - \mathbf{H}_{zu} \mathbf{A}_u^{-1} \mathbf{A}_z - \mathbf{A}_z^\top \mathbf{A}_u^{-\top} \mathbf{H}_{uz} + \mathbf{H}_{zz}$$

block preconditioning

$$\mathbf{B}_z$$

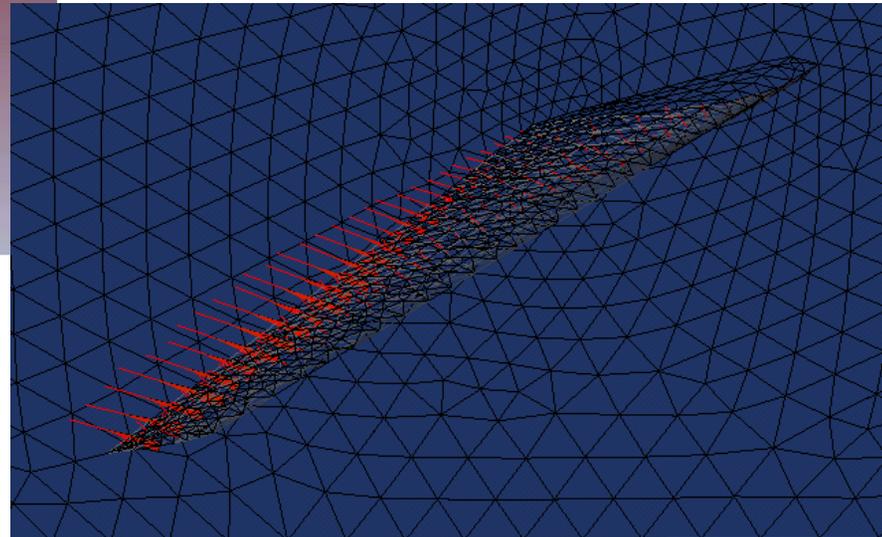
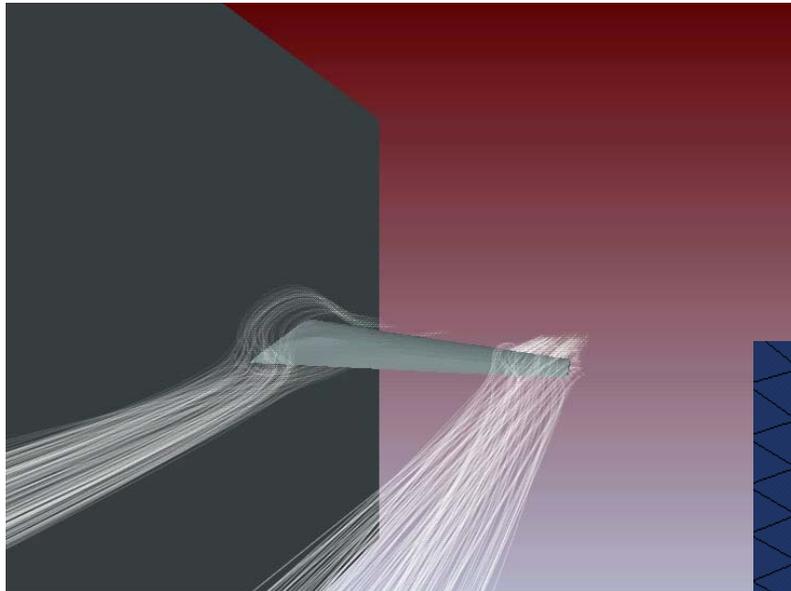
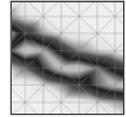
Lagrange-Newton-Krylov-Schur method



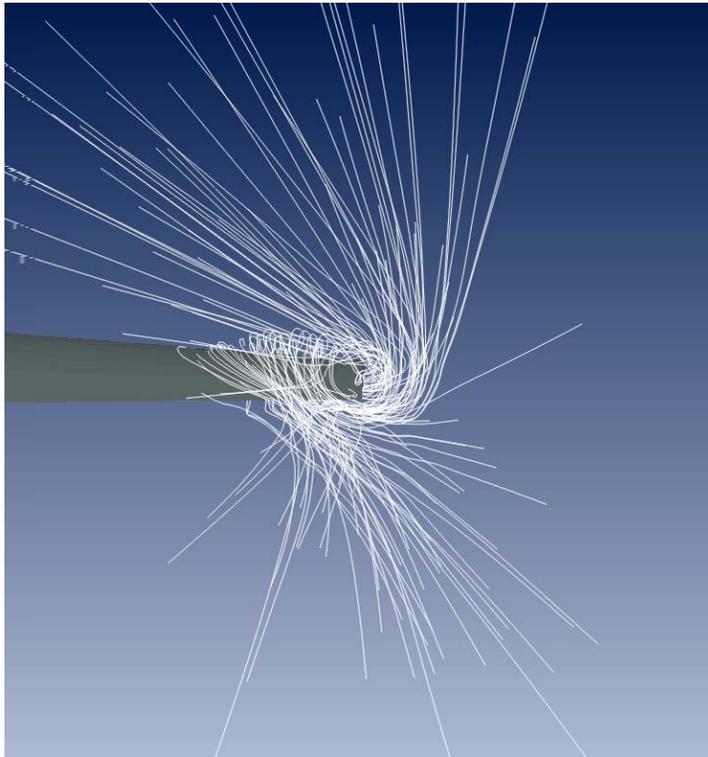
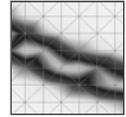
PETSc implementation: Veltisto

- Continuation loop
 - Optimization iteration (*Lagrange-Newton*)
 - Estimate extremal eigenvalues of (approximate) reduced Hessian using Lanczos (retreat to QN-RSQP if negative)
 - Inexact KKT solution via symmetric QMR (*Krylov*)
 - Quasi-Newton RSQP preconditioner (*Schur*)
 - » 2-step stationary iterations+ L-BFGS approximation of inverse reduced Hessian
 - » PDE solve replaced by PDE preconditioner
 - Backtracking line search on augmented Lagrangian or l_1 merit function
 - If no sufficient descent use QN-RSQP
 - Compute derivatives, objective function, and residuals
 - Update solution, tighten tolerances

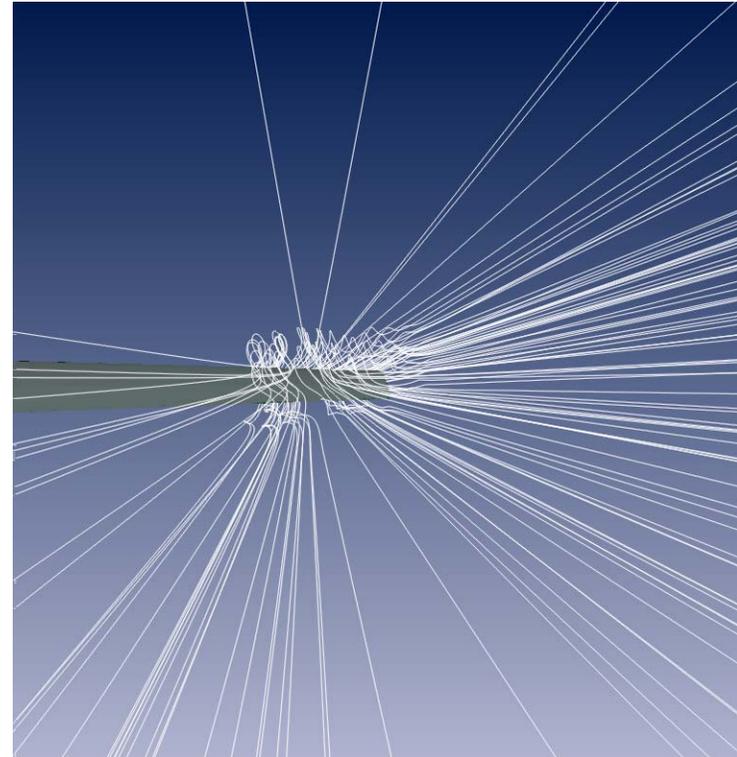
optimal boundary flow control



optimal boundary flow control

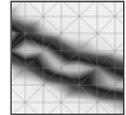


no control



optimal control

Isogranular algorithmic efficiency



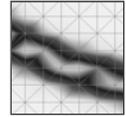
Mesh independence of Krylov iteration with exact PDE solves (implies reduced Hessian preconditioner is effective)

states controls	preconditioning	Newton iter	average KKT iter	time (hours)	
117,048	QN-RSQP	161	—	32.1	
2,925	LNKS-EX	5	18	22.8	
(32 procs)	LNKS-PR	6	1,367	5.7	
	LNKS-PR-TR	11	163	1.4	
389,440	QN-RSQP	189	—	46.3	
6,549	LNKS-EX	6	19	27.4	
(64 procs)	LNKS-PR	6	2,153	15.7	
	LNKS-PR-TR	13	238	3.8	
615,981	QN-RSQP	204	—	53.1	
8,901	LNKS-EX	7	20	33.8	
(128 procs)	LNKS-PR	6	3,583	16.8	
	LNKS-PR-TR	12	379	4.1	4x cost of PDE solve

“textbook” Newton
mesh independence

Moderate growth of Krylov iterations
with approximate PDE solves (implies
PDE preconditioner is moderately effective)

some continuous shape optimization approaches



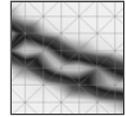
- “speed method” (Cea, Zolesio, ...)
 - + take “derivatives” at continuous level
 - + avoids mesh sensitivity
 - + high accuracy
 - Newton methods are complicated
 - Lagrangian method: still requires remeshing
- “level set” methods (Osher & Santosa, ...)
 - + level set description of shape (avoid parameterizing shape)
 - + has robustifying properties
 - “controlled evolution” via Hamilton-Jacobi is too slow, equivalent to steepest descent
 - still need to remesh for boundary shape optimization

Difficulties:

- ~~Shape~~
- ~~parameterization~~
- ~~CAD sensitivity~~
- Mesh movement
- ~~Mesh sensitivities~~

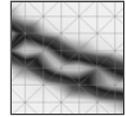
$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t} + \mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla \phi = 0 \text{ in } \Omega$$

a purely Eulerian optimization approach



- + employ level set description of shape (need regularization)
- + solve via Newton's method (robustify conventionally)
- + employ fictitious domain method to avoid remeshing
- lower accuracy (but fast solvers possible on regular grids)

level set function $\phi(x)$ and heaviside function $\chi(\phi)$



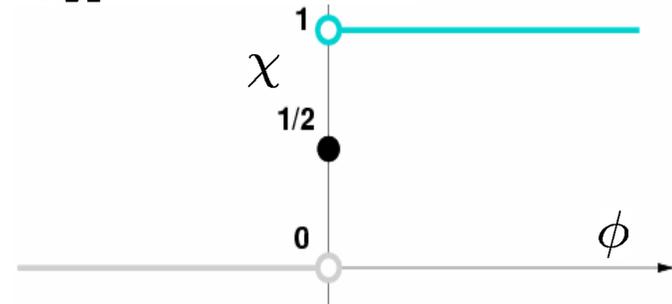
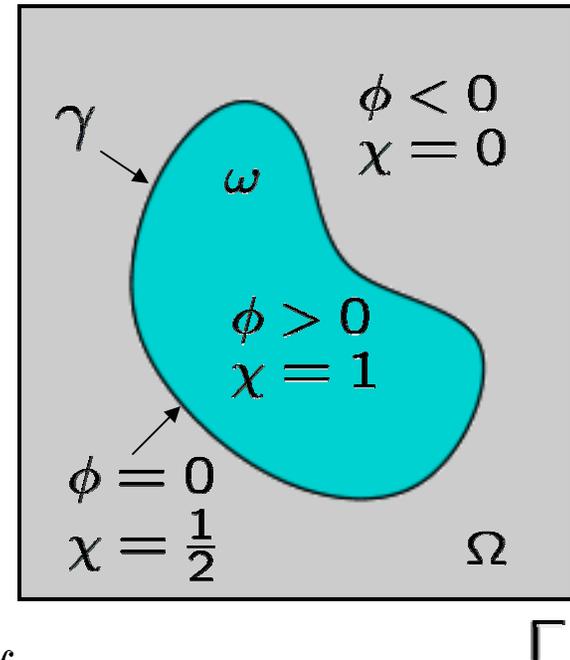
$\phi = 0$ defines boundary

$$\chi(\phi) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \phi > 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } \phi = 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } \phi < 0 \end{cases}$$

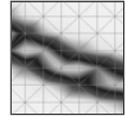
$$\text{Area}(\omega) = \int_{\omega} d\omega = \int_{\Omega} \chi(\phi) d\Omega$$

$$\text{Length}(\gamma) = \int_{\omega} d\gamma = \int_{\Omega} |\nabla \chi(\phi)| d\Omega = \int_{\Omega} \delta(\phi) |\nabla \phi| d\Omega$$

where δ is the delta function



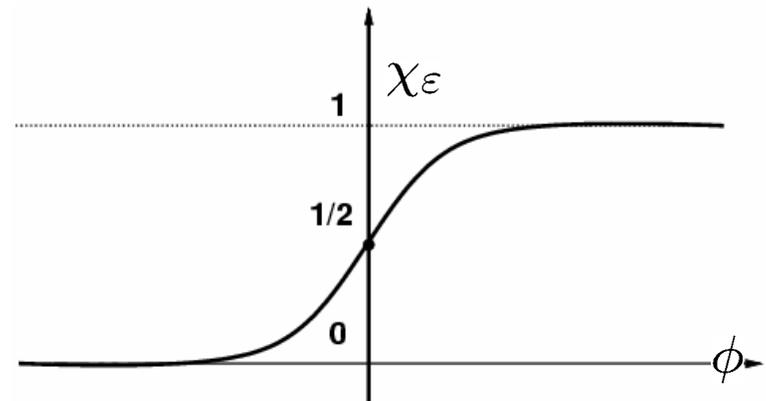
heaviside approximation



- smoothed approximation of heaviside function:

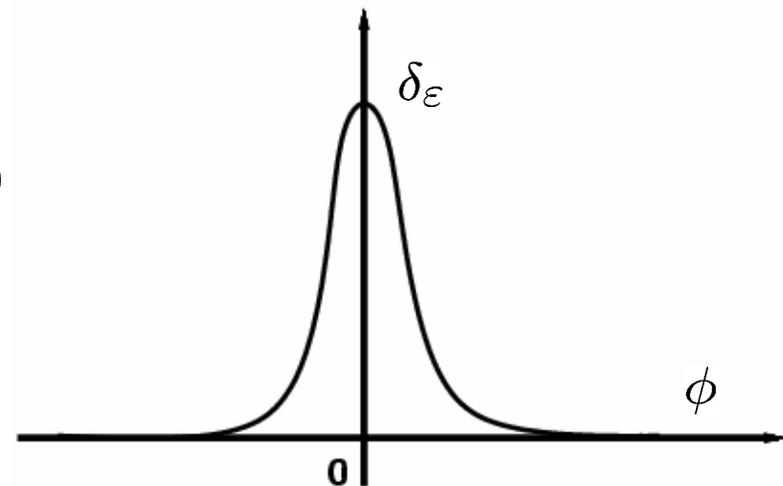
$$\chi_\varepsilon(\phi) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-\phi/\varepsilon}}$$

$$\chi(\phi) = \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \chi_\varepsilon(\phi)$$

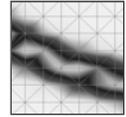


$$\delta_\varepsilon(\phi) = \frac{1}{\varepsilon}(1 - \chi_\varepsilon(\phi))\chi_\varepsilon(\phi)$$

$$\delta(\phi) = \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \delta_\varepsilon(\phi)$$

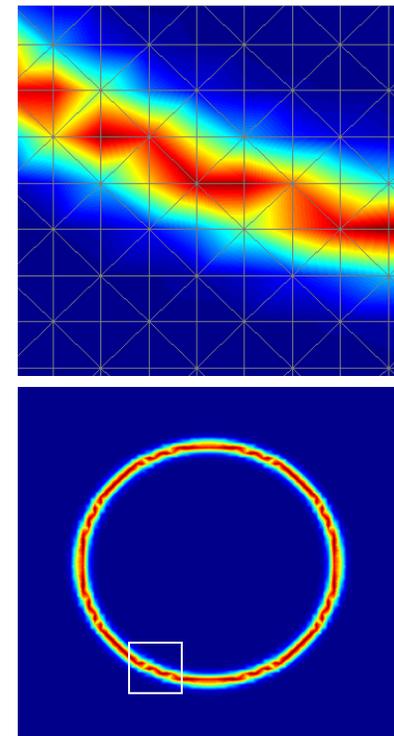
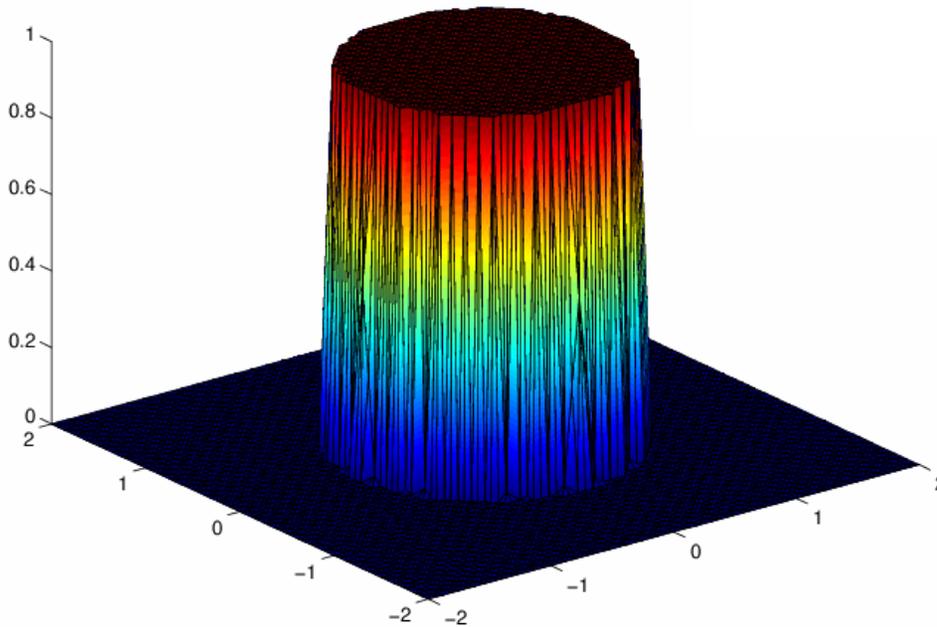


delta function approximation

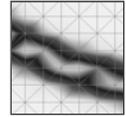


- we chose ε so that the width of the delta function covers a multiple of the mesh size (typically $3h$)

Mollified Heaviside Function

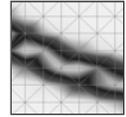


Sundance



-
- Implementation with Sundance library for PDE solution (Kevin Long, Sandia)
 - powerful capabilities:
 - symbolic interface via variational forms
 - built in mesh generation
 - implicit geometric modeling via functional expressions
 - use of Trilinos linear solvers
 - rapid prototyping

implicit modeling in Sundance



- Sundance's symbolic engine facilitates building geometric models as implicit algebraic functions
- if F and G are any two level set functions, both instances of the **Expr** (expression) class of Sundance, we can easily perform CSG boolean operations on them to build a more complex model:

$$F \cap G = F^n + G^n$$

$$F = F(x, y)$$

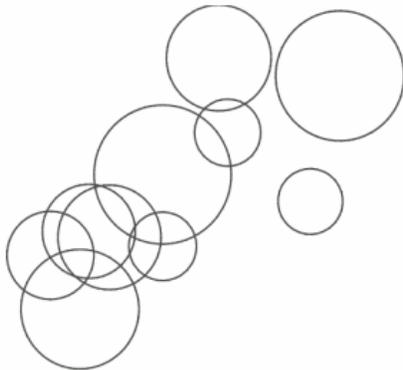
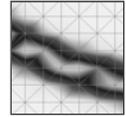
$$F \cup G = (F^{-n} + G^{-n})^{-1}$$

$$G = G(x, y)$$

$$F - G = F^n + G^{-n}$$

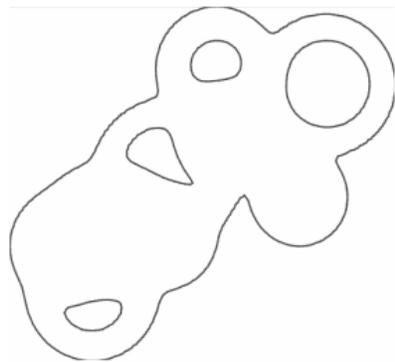
n = blending factor

blob model



circles as geometric primitives:

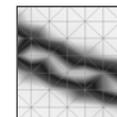
$$f_i = r_i^2 - (x - x_i)^2 - (y - y_i)^2$$



blob model:
$$f = 2 - \frac{1}{\left\{ \sum_i \frac{1}{f_i^n} \right\}^{1/n}}$$

```
case BLOBB:  
  shape = 0.0;  
  for (int i = 0; i < num_blobs; i++)  
    shape += 1.0/pow(rj[i]*rj[i] - pow(x - xj[i],2) - pow(y - yj[i],2),blend);  
  shape = cutoff - 1.0/pow(shape, 1.0/blend);  
  break;
```

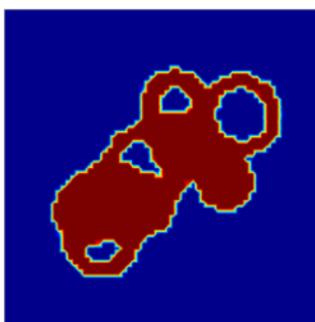
area computation - blob



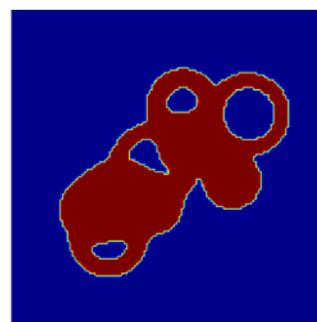
1/h= 32



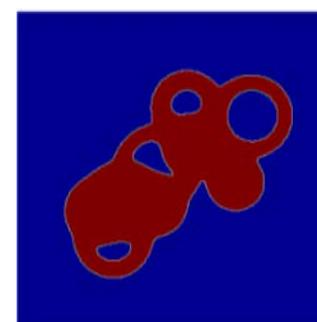
64



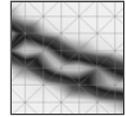
128



256



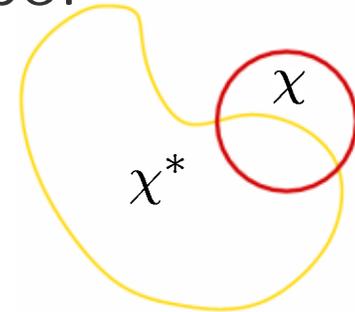
a shape matching problem



least squares problem for a target shape:

$$\min_{\phi} \mathcal{J}(\phi) := \frac{1}{2} \int_{\Omega} (\chi_{\varepsilon}(\phi) - \chi^*)^2$$

where χ^* defines the target shape



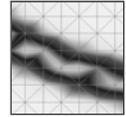
ill-posed problem: $\nabla\phi$ arbitrary for a given $\chi(\phi)$

$$\min_{\phi} \mathcal{J}(\phi) := \frac{1}{2} \int_{\Omega} (\chi_{\varepsilon}(\phi) - \chi^*)^2 + \mathcal{R}(\phi)$$

One choice is to penalize against a signed distance function:

$$\mathcal{R}(\phi) = \frac{\beta}{4} \int_{\Omega} (|\nabla\phi|^2 - 1)^2 + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \int_{\Omega} |\nabla\phi|^2$$

optimality conditions



first order optimality condition

find $\phi \in H^1$ s.t.

$$\int_{\Omega} (\chi_{\varepsilon}(\phi) - \chi^*) \delta_{\varepsilon}(\phi) \hat{\phi} + (\beta(|\nabla\phi|^2 - 1) + \varepsilon) \nabla\phi \cdot \nabla\hat{\phi} = 0, \forall \hat{\phi} \in H^1$$

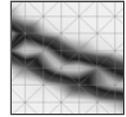
in strong form:

$$-\nabla \cdot [(\beta(|\nabla\phi|^2 - 1) + \varepsilon) \nabla\phi] + (\chi_{\varepsilon}(\phi) - \chi^*) \delta_{\varepsilon}(\phi) = 0 \quad x \in \Omega$$

second variation (Hessian for Newton's method):

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_{\phi}^2 \mathcal{L} = & \int_{\Omega} [\delta_{\varepsilon}(\phi)^2 + (\chi_{\varepsilon}(\phi) - \chi^*) \delta'_{\varepsilon}(\phi)] \hat{\phi} \tilde{\phi} + \\ & \int_{\Omega} [(\beta(|\nabla\phi|^2 - 1) + \varepsilon) \nabla\hat{\phi} \cdot \nabla\tilde{\phi} + 2\beta(\nabla\phi \cdot \nabla\hat{\phi})(\nabla\phi \cdot \nabla\tilde{\phi})] \end{aligned}$$

numerical examples

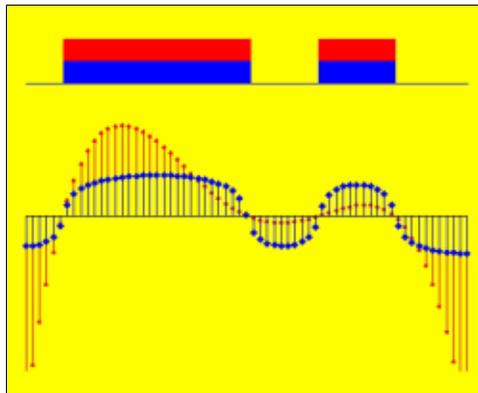


solution with Sundance:

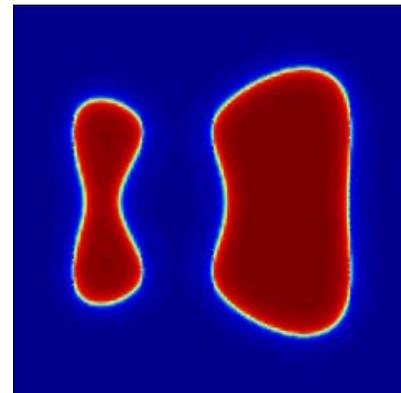
- FE approximation, linear triangles
- Gauss-Newton solver with backtracking line search
- BiCGSTAB Krylov solver with ILU(k) preconditioner

examples:

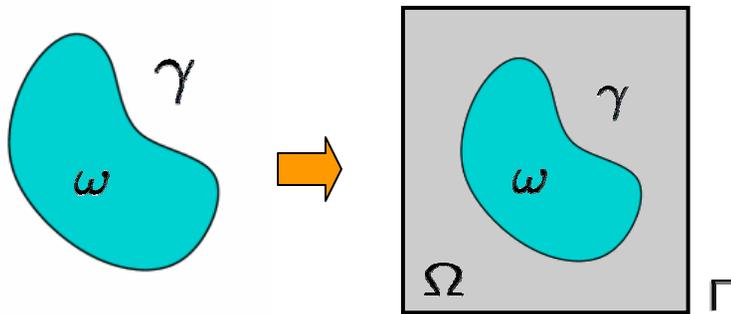
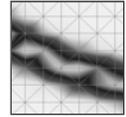
1D



2D



forward problem, penalized distributed fictitious domain method



$$\begin{aligned} -\Delta u &= f, & u &\in \omega \\ u &= 0, & u &\in \gamma \end{aligned}$$

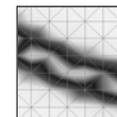


$$\begin{aligned} -\Delta u_\tau + \frac{1}{\tau}(1 - \chi(\phi))u_\tau &= f, & u_\tau &\in \Omega \\ u_\tau &= 0, & u_\tau &\in \Gamma \end{aligned}$$

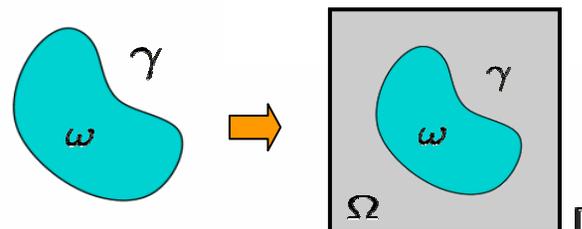


it can be shown that $u_\tau \rightarrow u$ as $\tau \rightarrow 0$
(Pironneau, 1984)

forward problem, penalized distributed fictitious domain method



$$\begin{aligned} -\Delta u &= f, \quad u \in \omega \\ u &= u_0, \quad u \in \gamma \end{aligned}$$

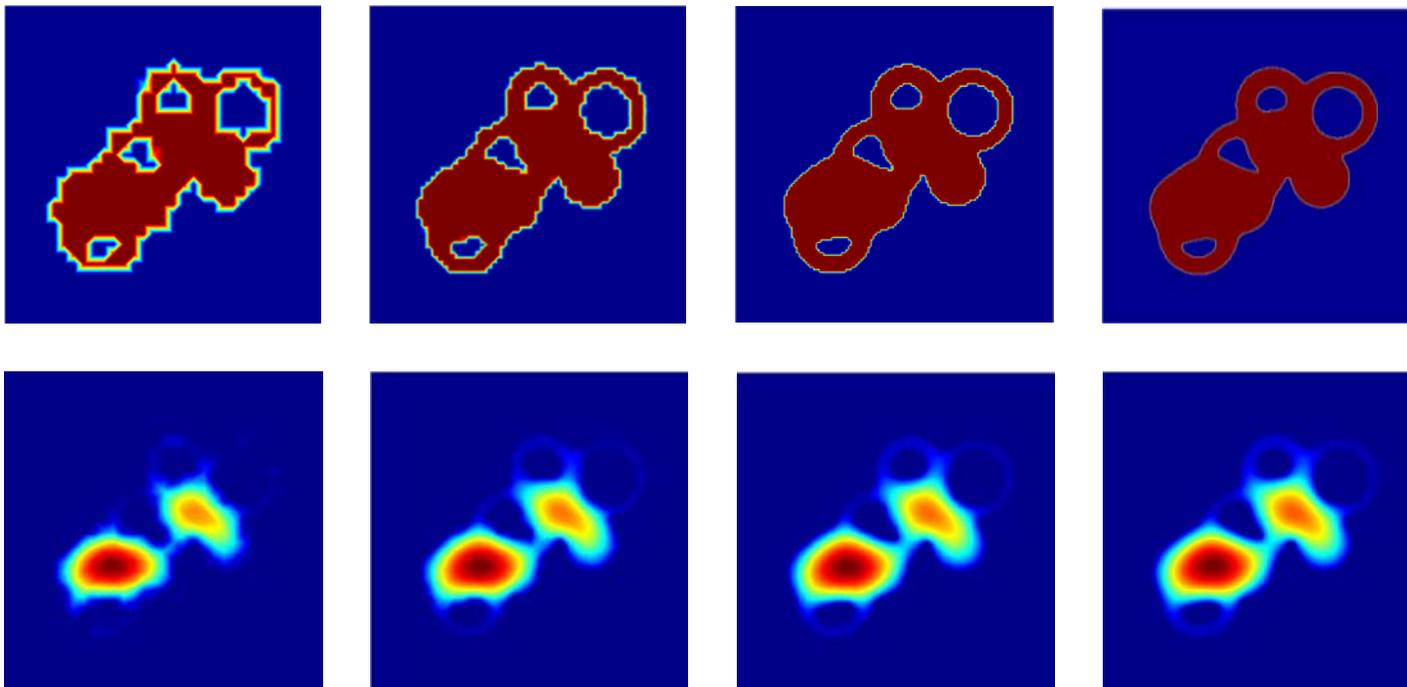
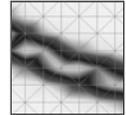
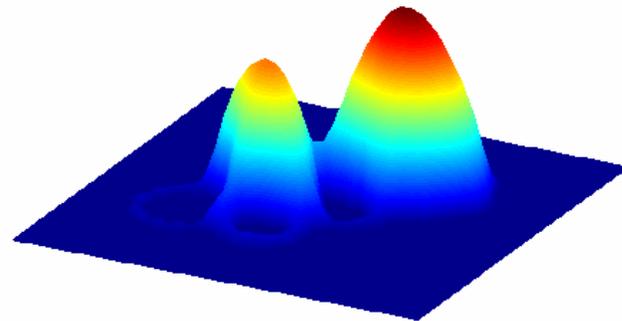


$$\min_u \int_{\Omega} \left(\frac{|\nabla u|^2}{2} - fu \right) \text{ s.t. } u = u_0, u \in \gamma$$

$$\min_u \int_{\Omega} \left(\frac{|\nabla u|^2}{2} - fu \right) + \frac{1}{2\tau} \int_{\Omega/\omega} (u - u_0)^2$$

$$\min_u \int_{\Omega} \left(\frac{|\nabla u|^2}{2} - fu \right) + \frac{1}{2\tau} \int_{\Omega} (1 - \chi(\omega))(u - u_0)^2$$

Poisson on the blob



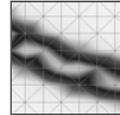
1/h: 32

64

128

256

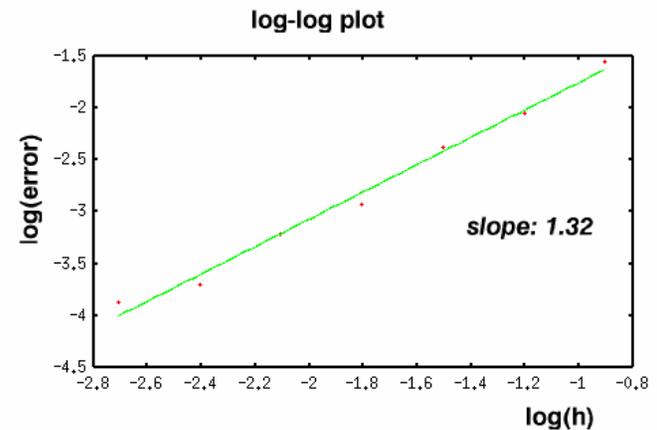
forward problem, convergence rate



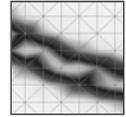
- Circle problem: convergence rate of 1.32 for linear triangles
- Rate is 2 (optimal) when γ is grid-aligned

Convergence analysis

1/h	beta	L2 error norm	log(1/h)	log(error)
8	+6.15642E+02	+2.79190547E-02	-0.903089986991943	-1.55409929040145
16	+1.56883E+03	+8.89118808E-03	-1.20411998265592	-2.0510402027966
32	+5.68378E+03	+4.25871730E-03	-1.50514997831991	-2.37072118808425
64	+2.89034E+04	+1.18665312E-03	-1.80617997398389	-2.92567621456378
128	+1.36059E+05	+6.09600036E-04	-2.10720996964787	-3.21495501602114
256	+3.90441E+05	+1.95880041E-04	-2.40823996531185	-3.70800981375086
512	+1.80273E+06	+1.32541788E-04	-2.70926996097583	-3.87764717503588



a PDE constrained problem



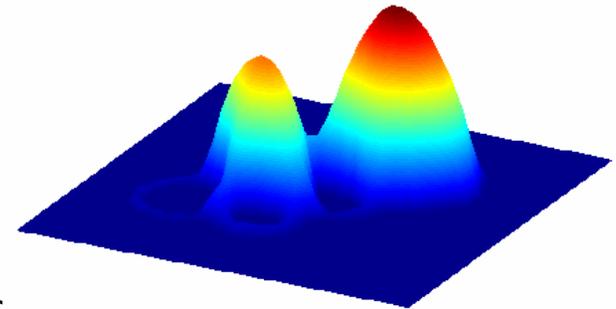
displacement matching for a membrane:

$$\min_{u_\tau, \phi} \mathcal{J}(\phi, u_\tau) := \frac{1}{2} \int_{\Omega} (u_\tau - u^*)^2 + \mathcal{R}(\phi)$$

$$\text{s.t. } -\Delta u_\tau + \frac{1}{\tau}(1 - \chi_\varepsilon(\phi))u_\tau = f \quad \text{in } \Omega$$

$$u_\tau = 0 \quad \text{on } \Gamma_D$$

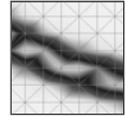
$$u^* = \text{target displacement}$$



regularization: same as before

$$\mathcal{R}(\phi) = \frac{\beta}{4} \int_{\Omega} (|\nabla \phi|^2 - 1)^2 + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \int_{\Omega} |\nabla \phi|^2$$

optimality conditions



Lagrangian:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}(u_\tau, \phi, \lambda) = & \frac{1}{2} \int_{\Omega} (u_\tau - u^*)^2 + \frac{\beta}{4} \int_{\Omega} (|\nabla\phi|^2 - 1)^2 + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \int_{\Omega} |\nabla\phi|^2 \\ & + \int_{\Omega} (\nabla u_\tau \cdot \nabla\lambda + \frac{1}{\tau}(1 - \chi_\varepsilon(\phi))u_\tau\lambda - f\lambda) \end{aligned}$$

first-order necessary conditions:

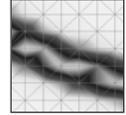
find $(u_\tau, \lambda, \phi) \in (H_0^1 \times H_0^1 \times H^1)$ s.t.:

$$\int_{\Omega} (u_\tau - u^*)\hat{u}_\tau + \nabla\hat{u}_\tau \cdot \nabla\lambda + \frac{1}{\tau}(1 - \chi_\varepsilon(\phi))\hat{u}_\tau\lambda = 0 \quad \forall \hat{u}_\tau \in H_0^1$$

$$\int_{\Omega} \nabla u_\tau \cdot \nabla\hat{\lambda} + \frac{1}{\tau}(1 - \chi_\varepsilon(\phi))u_\tau\hat{\lambda} - f\hat{\lambda} = 0 \quad \forall \hat{\lambda} \in H_0^1$$

$$\int_{\Omega} (\beta(\nabla\phi \cdot \nabla\phi - 1) + \varepsilon)\nabla\phi \cdot \nabla\hat{\phi} - \frac{1}{\tau}u_\tau\lambda\delta_\varepsilon(\phi)\hat{\phi} = 0 \quad \forall \hat{\phi} \in H^1$$

displacement matching



in strong form:

$$-\Delta \lambda + \frac{1}{\tau}(1 - \chi_\varepsilon(\phi))\lambda = u_\tau - u^* \quad \text{in } \Omega$$

$$-\Delta u_\tau + \frac{1}{\tau}(1 - \chi_\varepsilon(\phi))u_\tau = f \quad \text{in } \Omega$$

$$-\nabla \cdot [(\beta(\nabla \phi \cdot \nabla \phi - 1) + \varepsilon)\nabla \phi] - \frac{1}{\tau}u_\tau \lambda \delta_\varepsilon(\phi) = 0 \quad \text{in } \Omega$$

Hessian of the Lagrangian:

$$\delta_{u_\tau}^2 \mathcal{L} = \int_{\Omega} \hat{u}_\tau \tilde{u}_\tau + \nabla \hat{u}_\tau \cdot \nabla \tilde{\lambda} + \frac{1}{\tau}(1 - \chi_\varepsilon(\phi))\hat{u}_\tau \tilde{\lambda} - \frac{1}{\tau} \lambda \delta_\varepsilon(\phi) \hat{u}_\tau \tilde{\phi}$$

$$\delta_{\lambda}^2 \mathcal{L} = \int_{\Omega} \nabla \tilde{u}_\tau \cdot \nabla \hat{\lambda} + \frac{1}{\tau}(1 - \chi_\varepsilon(\phi))\tilde{u}_\tau \hat{\lambda} - \frac{1}{\tau} u_\tau \delta_\varepsilon(\phi) \hat{\lambda} \tilde{\phi}$$

$$\delta_{\phi}^2 \mathcal{L} = \int_{\Omega} -\frac{1}{\tau}(\tilde{u}_\tau \lambda + u_\tau \tilde{\lambda})\delta_\varepsilon(\phi)\hat{\phi} - \frac{1}{\tau}u_\tau \lambda \delta'_\varepsilon(\phi)\hat{\phi}\tilde{\phi} +$$

$$\int_{\Omega} (\beta(|\nabla \phi|^2 - 1) + \varepsilon)\nabla \hat{\phi} \cdot \nabla \tilde{\phi} + 2\beta(\nabla \phi \cdot \nabla \hat{\phi})(\nabla \phi \cdot \nabla \tilde{\phi})$$