

PSE Molekulardynamik Sheet 1: First steps towards a molecular dynamics' simulation



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Task 1 & 2: Set up



- ParaView (5.9)
- CMake (3.27.4)
- Doxygen (1.10.0)
- Clang (16.0.6)
- Make (4.3)
- Graphviz (2.42.2)
- Clang tidy





Task 3: Completion of program frame

- Implementation of Force calculation was straight forward
 - used L2 Norm from ArrayUtils.h
- Checked implementation by running a simulation in ParaView
 - adjusted output file format from .xyt to .vtu
- Boost for argument parsing in the command line



Task 3: Completion of program frame

$$x_i(t_{n+1}) = x_i(t_n) + \Delta t \cdot v_i(t_n) + (\Delta t)^2 rac{F_i(t_n)}{2m_i}$$

```
void Simulator::calculateX() {
    for (auto &p : particles) {
        p.setX(p.getX() + deltaT * p.getV() + ((deltaT * deltaT) / (2.0 * p.getM())) * p.getOldF());
    }
}
```

$$v_i(t_{n+1}) = v_i(t_n) + \Delta t rac{F_i(t_n) + F_i(t_{n+1})}{2m_i}$$

```
void Simulator::calculateV() {
    for (auto &p : particles) {
        p.setV(p.getV() + (deltaT / (2 * p.getM())) * (p.getOldF() + p.getF()));
    }
}
```

$$F_{ij} = rac{m_i m_j}{\left(\|\mathbf{x}_i - \mathbf{x}_j\|_2
ight)^3} (\mathbf{x}_j - \mathbf{x}_i)$$

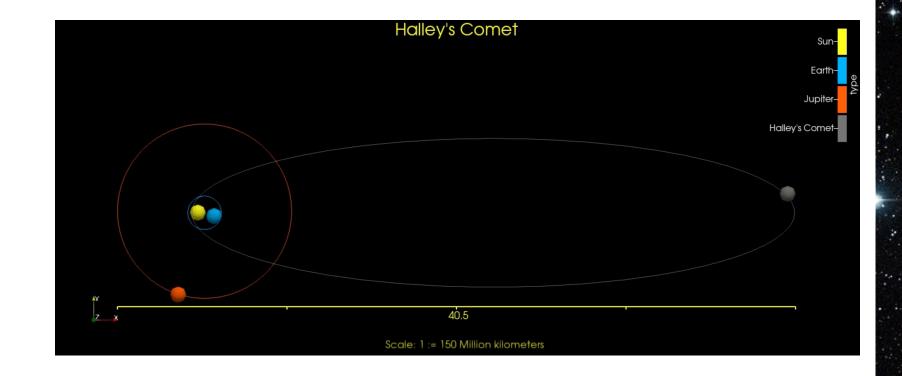
```
std::array<double, 3> Gravity::compute(Particle &target, Particle &source) {
    return (target.getM() * source.getM()) / std::pow(ArrayUtils::L2Norm(target.getX() - source.getX()), 3.0) *
    (source.getX() - target.getX());
}
```





Identification of celestial bodies:

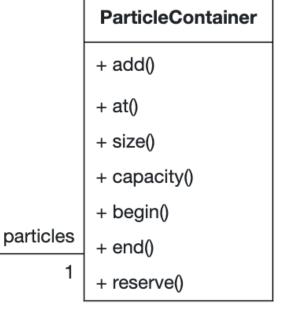
- Sun: most mass
- Comet: least mass, unconventional trajectory
- Earth and Jupiter: earth is closer to sun than Jupiter



Task 5: Particle Container



- Store particles using std::vector
 - objects stored consecutively for better performance
 - but still **dynamic** on the other hand
 - Implementation of add(), at(), size(), capacity()
- **Iterator** pattern
 - Iterate over pairs with nested for loop
 - Implementation of begin(), end()

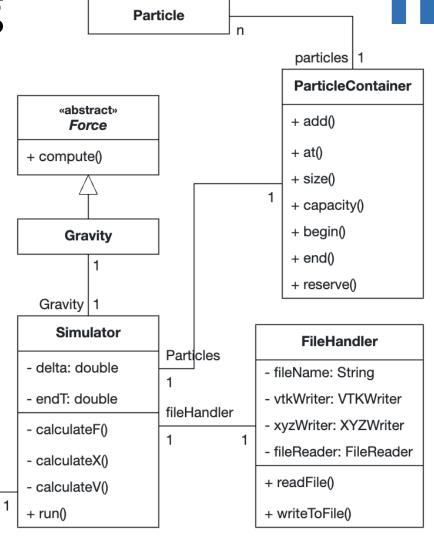


Particle

Task 5: Further Refactoring

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- Strategy pattern for forces acting on Particles
 - abstract class Force.h as parent for all forces to come
 - **gravity** being the first (implementation of task 3)
- Interface for file handling
 - FileHandler encapsulates write and read classes
- Simulator class instead of comp-lex main method



simulator

MolSim

+ main()



Thank you for listening!