Heat transport equations in escript

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1 Escript

Escript is a generic finite element model that solves the following partial differential equation:

$$-\nabla(A\nabla u + Bu) + C\nabla u + Du = -\nabla X + Y \tag{1}$$

2 Heat transport

$$\rho_b c_b \frac{\partial T}{\partial t} = \nabla \kappa \nabla T - \rho_f c_{p,f} \vec{q} \, \nabla T \tag{2}$$

In which T is temperature (K), t is time (sec), c is heat capacity, ρ is bulk density (kgm^{-3}) , κ is thermal conductivity $(Wm^{-1}s^{-1})$, ϕ is porosity, ρ is density (kg m⁻³), c the heat capacity $(Jkg^{-1}K^{-1})$ and \vec{v} is the flow velocity vector (m s⁻¹). Subscripts $_b$, $_f$ and $_s$ denote properties of the bulk material, the fluid and the solid phase, respectively.

2.1 Implicit form

Time discretization of derivative of T:

$$\frac{\partial T}{\partial t} = \frac{T^{t+1} - T^t}{\delta t} \tag{3}$$

Insert into heat transport equation:

$$\rho_b c_b \frac{T^{t+1} - T^t}{\partial t} = \nabla \kappa \nabla T^{t+1} - \rho_f c_{p,f} \vec{q} \nabla T^{t+1}$$
(4)

$$-\nabla dt \,\kappa \nabla T^{t+1} + dt \,\phi \rho_f c_{p,f} \bar{q} \nabla T^{t+1} + \rho_b c_b T^{t+1} = \rho_b c_b T^t \tag{5}$$

Escript equation:

$$-\nabla(A\nabla u + Bu) + C\nabla u + Du = -\nabla X + Y \tag{6}$$

Cast implicit solute transport equation into escript form:

$$-\nabla \underbrace{dt}_{A} \kappa \nabla T^{t+1} + \underbrace{(dt\rho_f c_f \vec{q})}_{C} \nabla T^{t+1} + \underbrace{\rho_b c_b}_{D} T^{t+1} = \underbrace{\rho_b c_b T^t}_{Y}$$
(7)

Dependent variable:

 $u = T^{t+1}$

Escript constants:

 $A = dt \kappa$

 $C = dt \rho_f c_f \vec{q}$

 $D = \rho_b c_b$

 $Y = \rho_b c_b T^t$

2.2 Steady-state

$$0 = \nabla \kappa \nabla T - \rho_f c_f \vec{q} \, \nabla T \tag{8}$$

$$-\nabla \kappa \nabla T + \rho_f c_f \bar{q} \nabla T = 0 \tag{9}$$

Escript equation:

$$-\nabla(A\nabla u + Bu) + C\nabla u + Du = -\nabla X + Y \tag{10}$$

Cast implicit solute transport equation into escript form:

$$-\nabla \underbrace{\kappa}_{A} \nabla T + \underbrace{(\rho_f c_f \vec{q})}_{C} \nabla T = 0 \tag{11}$$

Dependent variable: u = TEscript constants: $A = \kappa$

$$u = T$$

$$A = \kappa$$

$$C = \rho_f c_f \vec{q}$$