

Smoothed Particle Hydrodynamics for Impact Simulations

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Motivation

General Description

Smoothed Particle Hydrodynamics (*SPH*)

- Numerical method for approximating PDEs solutions
- Meshless*
- A set of *particles* represent the total physical domain
- Lagrangian description
- Applications on Astrophysics, CFD, Solid Mechanics...

Bullet Deformation & Target Fracture

- Apply SPH Matlab routines from reference
- Develop new SPH formulations
- Implement Algorithm Modification
- Evaluate Performance
- Manage Version Control Repository

Integral Representation

A function and its spatial derivative can be represented in an integral form

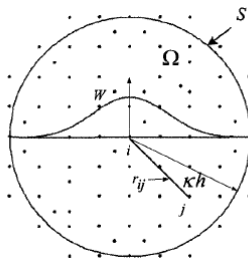
$$f(x) = \int_{\Omega} f(x') W(x - x', h) dx'$$

$$\nabla \cdot f(x) = - \int_{\Omega} f(x') \cdot \nabla W(x - x', h) dx'$$

- x, x' : spatial vectors
- $f(x)$: Function of x
- Ω : Defined domain for $f(x)$
- W : Smoothing function (*kernel**)
- h : Smoothing length

Smoothing Function (*kernel*)

Kernel properties



$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} W(x - x', h) = \delta(x - x')$$

$$\int_{\Omega} W(x - x', h) dx' = 1$$

$$W(x - x') = 0, \text{ for } |x - x'| > kh$$

Conservation Equations

Continuoum domain

- Continuity

$$\frac{D\rho}{Dt} = -\rho \frac{\partial \nu^\beta}{\partial x^\beta}$$

- Momentum

$$\frac{D\nu^\alpha}{Dt} = \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial \sigma^{\alpha\beta}}{\partial x^\beta}$$

- Energy

$$\frac{De}{Dt} = \frac{\sigma^{\alpha\beta}}{\rho} \frac{\partial \nu^\alpha}{\partial x^\beta}$$

Constitutive Model

Stress tensor

$$\sigma^{\alpha\beta} = -P\delta^{\alpha\beta} + \tau^{\alpha\beta}$$

Jaumann

$$\dot{\tau}^{\alpha\beta} = G \left(\epsilon^{\alpha\beta} - \frac{1}{3} \delta^{\alpha\beta} \epsilon^{\gamma\gamma} \right) + \tau^{\alpha\gamma} R^{\beta\gamma} + \tau^{\alpha\beta} R^{\alpha\gamma}$$

Mie Gruniensen

$$P(e, \rho) = \left(1 - \frac{1}{2} \Gamma \eta \right) P_H \rho + \Gamma \rho e$$

- G is the shear modulus
- R is the rotation tensor
- P_H refers to Hugoniot curve
- Γ is the Gruneisen Parameter
- η is the density change rate

Material Model

Particle Aproximation

Contiuum \rightarrow Discrete

- Function

$$f(x_i) = \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{m_j}{\rho_j} f(x_j) W_{ij}$$

$$W_{ij} = W(x_i - x_j, h)$$

- Function Spatial Derivative

$$\nabla \cdot f(x_i) = \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{m_j}{\rho_j} f(x_j) \cdot \nabla_i W_{ij}$$

$$\nabla_i W_{ij} = \frac{x_i - x_j}{r_{ij}} \frac{\partial W_{ij}}{\partial r_{ij}} = \frac{x_{ij}}{r_{ij}} \frac{\partial W_{ij}}{\partial r_{ij}}$$

Conservation Equations

Discrete Domain

- Conservation of mass

$$\rho_i = \sum_{j=1}^N m_j W_{ij}$$

- Momentum

$$\frac{D\nu_i^\alpha}{Dt} = \sum_{j=1}^N m_j \frac{\sigma_i^{\alpha\beta} + \sigma_j^{\alpha\beta}}{\rho_i \rho_j} \frac{\partial W_{ij}}{\partial x_i^\beta}$$

- Energy

$$\frac{De_i}{Dt} = \sum_{j=1}^N m_j \frac{\rho_i + \rho_j}{\rho_i \rho_j} \nu_{ij}^\beta \frac{\partial W_{ij}}{\partial x_i^\beta} + \frac{\mu_i}{2\rho_i} \epsilon_i^{\alpha\beta} \epsilon_j^{\alpha\beta}$$

Grady & Kipp fragmentation model

Tensile Road

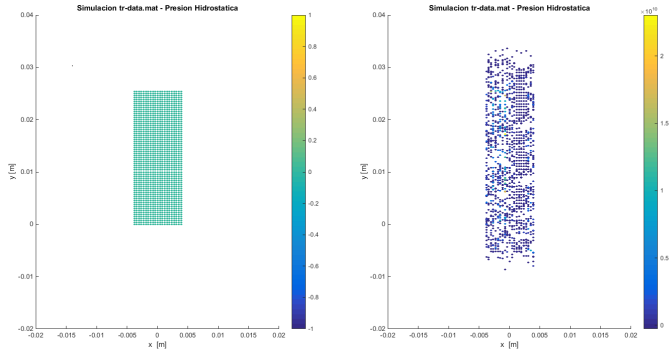


Figure: Fracture simulation of basalt road in tension

Bullet Impact

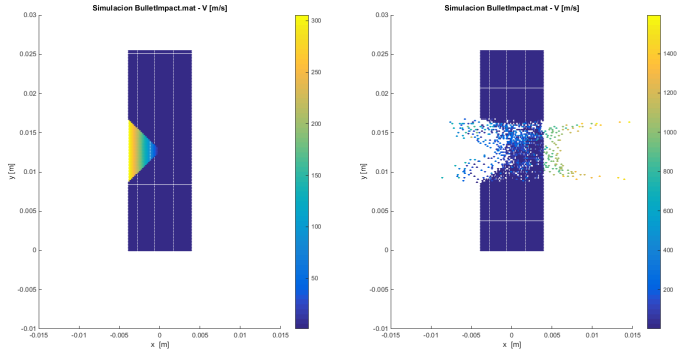


Figure: Simulation of Basalt target under initial speed dsitribution

Basalt bullet impacting on basalt target

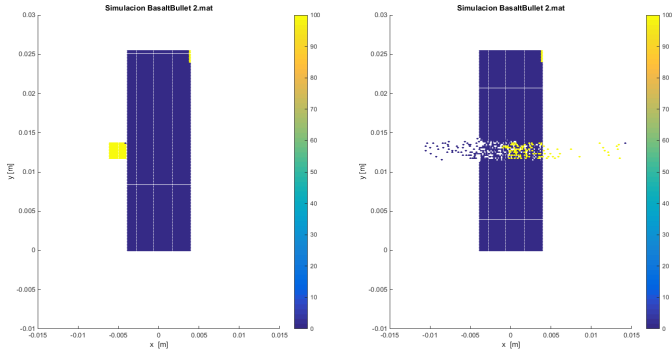


Figure: Simulation of Basalt bullet at initial velocity of $v_x = 300\text{m/s}$ impacting on basalt target