

MolSim WS 23/24

Sheet 4

Thermostats, Rayleigh-Taylor instability, "Falling Drop" and Performance Measurement

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Thermostats

Global scaling

• Simple loop using
$$\beta := \sqrt{\frac{T_{new}}{T_{current}}}$$

Concept of Interceptors

We group all functions performed once all

N iterations under **interceptors**

e.g. Thermostats, FileWriter ...



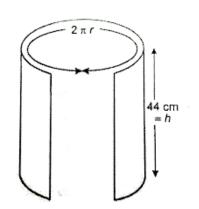
Periodic boundaries

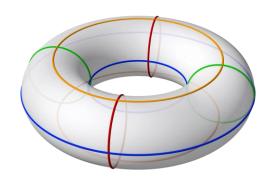
First idea:

- Fold the rectangle shaped domain to cylinder
- ⇒ problems with distance calculation

Implementation:

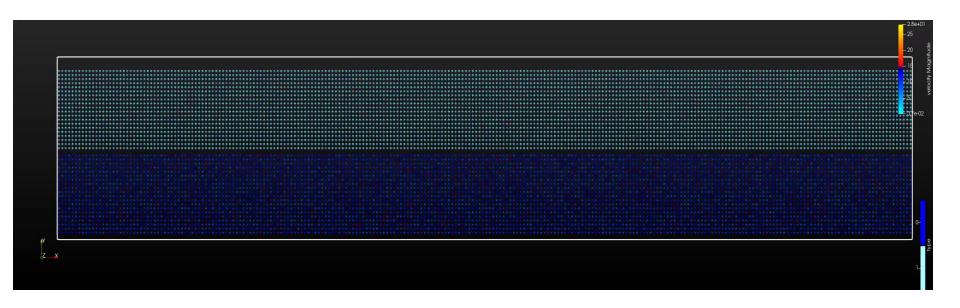
Teleport particles manually to the other side







Rayleigh-Taylor instability



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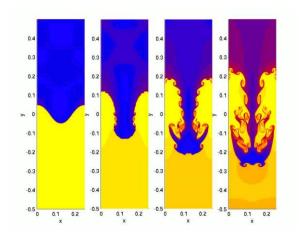
Rayleigh-Taylor instability

Observations:

- Lower fluid shooting up
- Effect emerging through broken symmetry in upper fluid

Analogy:

Mushroom cloud of an atom bomb



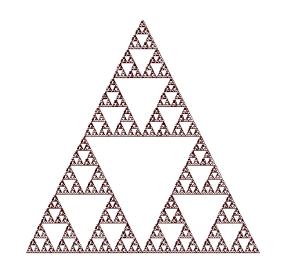


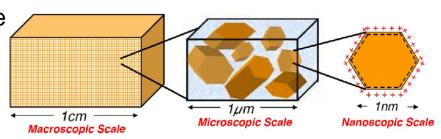


Simulation of a falling drop

Equilibration:

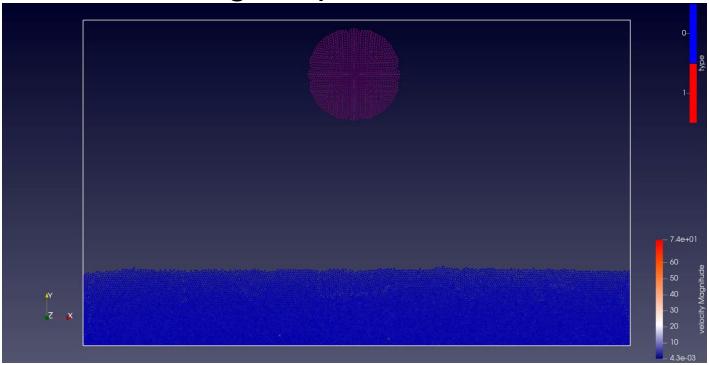
- We implemented the equilibration recursively
- User is able to create subsimulations to build a large system from small parts
- This mechanism lets the user create multiple scales intuitively







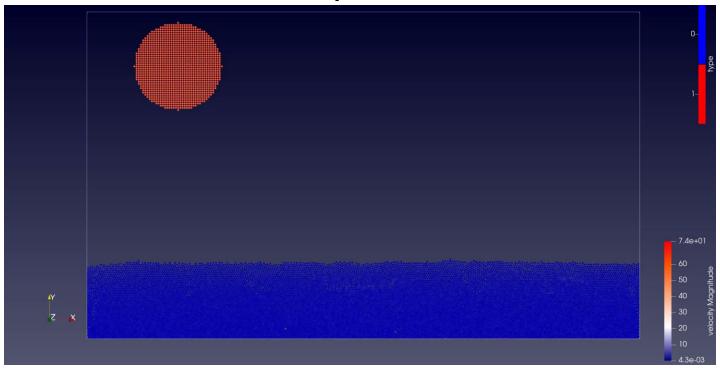
Simulation of a falling drop



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Simulation of a thrown drop



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Simulation of a falling drop

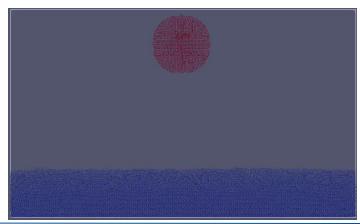
Observations:

- The simulation really resembles a real fluid
- Visible, big waves distributing into many smaller waves like in reality
- In the thrown version even a surfing-like wave

Remark:

- Temperature is very important in this simulation
- Creating different states of matter







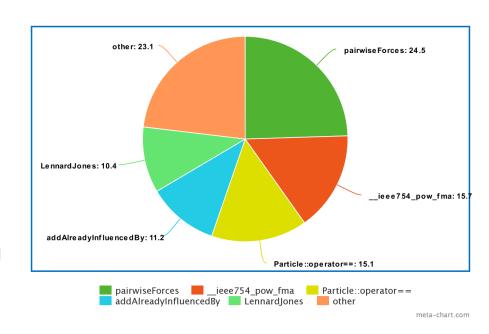
Performance measurement

Performance + Profile:

 The cluster took 42s 476ms with 282960 MUP/s

Idea:

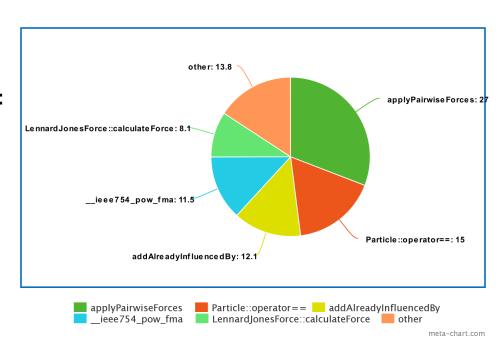
 Calculate Lorentz-Berthelot mixing rule outside of the loop





Performance tuning

- Performance + Profile after optimization:
 - The cluster took 42.485s with 233355 MUP/s after the implementation
 - Did not work :/
 - Mapping logic creates overhead





Summary of cool things

- We failed making a cool torus domain
- We implemented thermostats to control temperature
- We simulated funky liquids
- We created a fancy water drop simulation
- We created a sad falling snowball simulation
- We drew a pretty profile plot



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