



## Assignment Sheet Nr. 5

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# 1 Velocity Verlet Algorithm

## 1.1 Code

```
#include <iostream>

#include <vector>

#include <cmath>
#include <fstream>
#include <string>
#include <cstdio>
#include <cstdlib>

using namespace std;

#include "readin.cpp"
#include "particle.hpp"

const double sideL = 28.0;
const double cutoff = pow(2.0,1.0/6.0);
const double V = pow(2.0,sideL);

typedef vector<double> vouble;

vouble f_pq(particle p, particle q);//force on particle
                                     q from particle p
vouble f_i(particle* p,int i, int N);//force on
                                     particle with
                                     index i

double V_pot(particle* p, int N);
double T_kin(particle* p, int N);
double P(particle* p, int N);

int main()
{
    vouble pos_x = get_column("init_conf.txt",1,5);
    vouble pos_y = get_column("init_conf.txt",2,5);
    vouble vel_x = get_column("init_conf.txt",3,5);
    vouble vel_y = get_column("init_conf.txt",4,5);

    const int N = pos_x.size();

    cout << "N=_ " << N << endl;
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double dt = 0.0005;
const int Nsteps = 1e3;
const double tmax = Nsteps * dt;
cout << "dt_=" << dt << endl;
cout << "Nsteps_=" << Nsteps << endl;
cout << "tmax_=" << tmax << endl;

particle *p = new particle[N];
//particle p[N];
for (int i=0;i<N;i++)
{
    p[i].set_x(pos_x[i]);
    p[i].set_y(pos_y[i]);
    p[i].set_vx(vel_x[i]);
    p[i].set_vy(vel_y[i]);
}

ofstream out("thermodyn_Nsteps=" +
            to_string(Nsteps) + ".txt");
for (int k=0;k<Nsteps;k++)
{
    for (int i=0;i<N;i++)
    {
        double f(2);
        f = f_i(p,i,N);
        //cout << f[0] << " " << f[1] << endl;
        p[i].set_x(p[i].get_x() + dt*p[i].get_vx()
                  + 0.5 * f[0] * dt*dt);
        p[i].set_y(p[i].get_y() + dt*p[i].get_vy()
                  + 0.5 * f[1] * dt*dt);

        if (p[i].get_x() > sideL)
            {p[i].set_x(p[i].get_x()-sideL);}
        if (p[i].get_x() < 0.0)
            {p[i].set_x(p[i].get_x()+sideL);}
        if (p[i].get_y() > sideL)
            {p[i].set_y(p[i].get_y()-sideL);}
        if (p[i].get_y() < 0.0)
            {p[i].set_y(p[i].get_y()+sideL);}

        //cout << p[i].get_x() << " "
        << p[i].get_y() << endl;

        p[i].set_vx(p[i].get_vx()+0.5*dt*f[0]);
        p[i].set_vy(p[i].get_vy()+0.5*dt*f[1]);
    }
}

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        f = f_i(p,i,N);

        p[i].set_vx(p[i].get_vx()+0.5*dt*f[0]);
        p[i].set_vy(p[i].get_vy()+0.5*dt*f[1]);
    }
    out << k*dt << "  " << 2.0*T_kin(p,N)/(3.0*N)
    << "  " << P(p,N) << "  " << V_pot(p,N) << "  "
    << T_kin(p,N) << "  " << T_kin(p,N)+V_pot(p,N)
    << "  " << endl;

    if (k % (Nsteps/100) == 0)
    {
        cout << (double)k/Nsteps << endl;
    }
}

out.close();
delete [] p;

ofstream outpos("final_positions" + to_string(Nsteps) + ".txt");
for (int i=0;i<N;i++)
{
    outpos << p[i].get_x() << "    " << p[i].get_y()
    << "    " << p[i].get_vx() << "    "
    << p[i].get_vy()<< endl;
}
outpos.close();

cout << "100_und_fertig!" << endl;
getchar();
return 0;
}

vouble f_pq(particle p, particle q)//force on particle q
                                   from particle p
{
    vouble force(2);
    force[0] = 0.0;
    force[1] = 0.0;

    double dx = q.get_x() - p.get_x();
    double dy = q.get_y() - p.get_y();
    if (dx > 0.5*sideL) {dx -= sideL;}
    if (dx < -0.5*sideL) {dx += sideL;}
    if (dy > 0.5*sideL) {dy -= sideL;}

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    if (dy < -0.5*sideL) {dy += sideL;}

    double dr = sqrt(dx*dx+dy*dy);
    if (dr <= cutoff)
    {
        force[0] += (dx/dr)*(48.0*pow(dr,-13.0)
                        -24.0*pow(dr,-7.0));
        force[1] += (dy/dr)*(48.0*pow(dr,-13.0)
                        -24.0*pow(dr,-7.0));
    }
    return force;
}

vouble f_i(particle* p,int i, int N) // force on particle with index i
{
    vouble force(2);
    force[0] = 0.0;
    force[1] = 0.0;

    for (int j=0; j<N;j++)
    {
        if (j != i)
        {
            //cout << p[i].get_x() << " " << p[i].get_y()
            << " " << p[j].get_x()<< " " << p[j].get_y() << endl;
            double dx = p[i].get_x() - p[j].get_x();
            double dy = p[i].get_y() - p[j].get_y();

            //cout << dx << " " << dy << endl;

            if (dx > 0.5*sideL) {dx -= sideL;}
            if (dx < -0.5*sideL) {dx += sideL;}
            if (dy > 0.5*sideL) {dy -= sideL;}
            if (dy < -0.5*sideL) {dy += sideL;}

            double dr = sqrt(dx*dx+dy*dy);
            //cout << dr << endl;
            if (dr <= cutoff)
            {
                force[0] += (dx/dr)*(48.0*pow(dr,-13.0)
                                -24.0*pow(dr,-7.0));
                force[1] += (dy/dr)*(48.0*pow(dr,-13.0)
                                -24.0*pow(dr,-7.0));
            }
        }
    }
}

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    }
    }
}
return force;
}

double V_pot(particle *p, int N)
{
    double U = 0.0;
    for (int j=0; j<N; j++)
    {
        for (int i=j+1; i<N; i++)
        {
            double dx = p[i].get_x() - p[j].get_x();
            double dy = p[i].get_y() - p[j].get_y();
            if (dx > 0.5*sideL) {dx -= sideL;}
            if (dx < -0.5*sideL) {dx += sideL;}
            if (dy > 0.5*sideL) {dy -= sideL;}
            if (dy < -0.5*sideL) {dy += sideL;}

            double dr = sqrt(dx*dx+dy*dy);
            //cout << dr << endl;

            if (dr <= cutoff)
            {
                U += 4.0*(pow(dr, -12.0)-pow(dr, -6.0));
            }
        }
    }
    return U;
}

double T_kin(particle *p, int N)
{
    double T = 0.0;
    for (int i =0; i<N; i++)
    {
        T += 0.5*(p[i].get_vx()*p[i].get_vx()
                +p[i].get_vy()*p[i].get_vy());
    }
    return T;
}

double P(particle *p, int N)
{
    double P = 0.0;

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for (int i =0;i<N;i++)
{
    for (int j=0;j<N;j++)
    {
        if (i != j)
        {
            double force_ij = f_pq(p[i],p[j]);
            P += (p[j].get_x()-p[i].get_x())*force_ij[0]
                + (p[j].get_y()-p[i].get_y())*force_ij[1];
        }
    }
}
P /= 6.0*sideL*sideL;
P += (2.0/2.0*V)*T_kin(p,N);
return P;
}

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## 1.2 results

b)

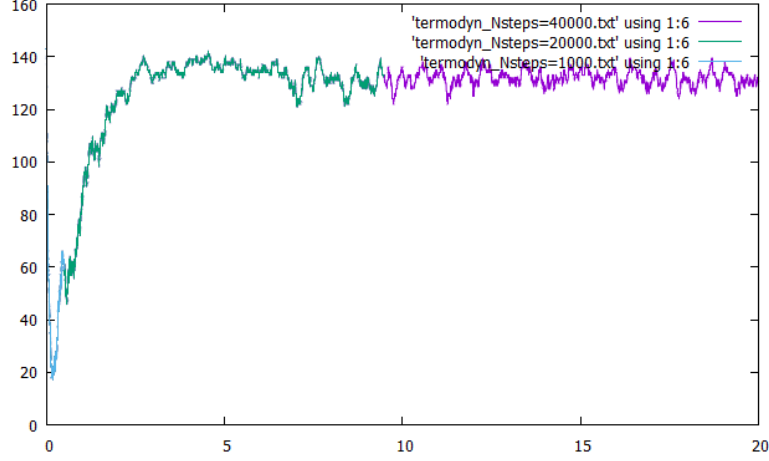


Figure 1.1: Energy  $E(t)$  in the system as a function of time

Figure 1.1 shows the evolution of the energy over the course of the simulation. The graph of the energy of the simulation with the shorter number of steps shows that the simulations with 1000 and with  $2 \times 10^4$  steps merely simulate the initial interval of the longer simulation this shows that the simulation is deterministic and yields at least the same energy evolution given the same initial configuration. After an initial rapid decrease, the energy relaxes to the energy which is present in the starting configuration, and from there on behaves as conserved.

c),d)

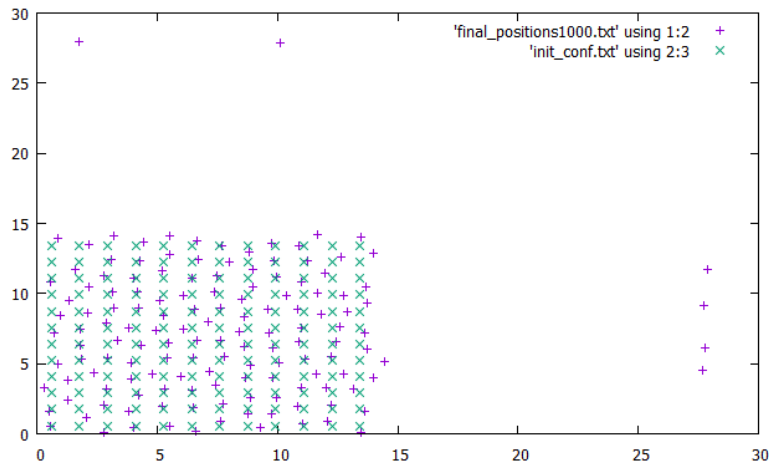


Figure 1.2: Initial and final positions of the particles after 1000 time steps

Figure 1.2 Shows the initial positions of the particles in the simulation box in turquoise and the final configuration after 1000 steps in purple. It can be seen

that the initial positions lie on a perfect square grid in the lower left quadrant of the simulation surface.

all particles have slightly deviated from their initial positions, however it is for the most part still possible to identify the particles in the final state with the initial positions.

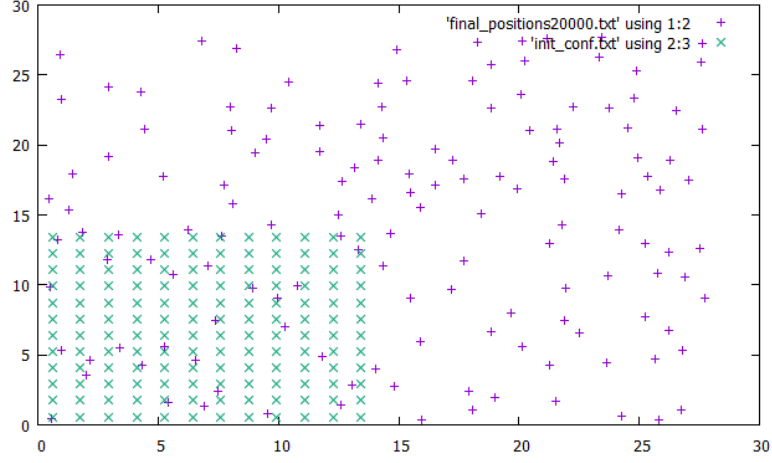


Figure 1.3: Initial and final positions of the particles after 20000 time steps

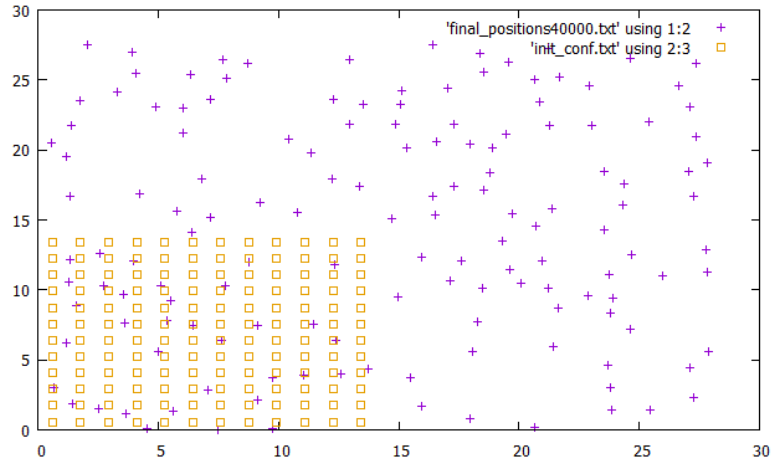


Figure 1.4: Initial and final positions of the particles after 40000 time steps

An analogous process is done in figure 1.3 and 1.4 with  $2 \cdot 10^4$  and  $4 \cdot 10^4$  time steps.

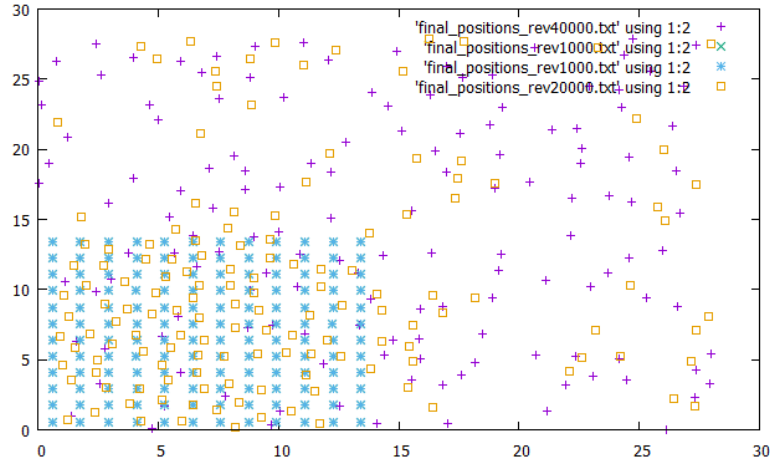


Figure 1.5: final positions after time reversal and backpropagation

Figure 1.5 shows the final configuration after the simulation which takes the resulting configurations from the before, and traverses time backwards such that one gets to the initial time from the simulation before. The turquoise markers show the result for 1000 time steps, whereas yellow and purple show the results for  $2 \times 10^4$  and  $4 \times 10^4$  steps respectively. It can be observed that the results for 1000 time steps lands directly on the perfect square grid which is the initial position for all the initial simulations.

The yellow markers show a resemblance to the initial square grid, where a big part of the particles has rearranged back into the initial quadrant, and show somewhat crystalline arrangement, whereas the purple markers do not propagate back into the initial quadrant.

This leads me to believe, that the further one goes away from the initial configuration, the less time reversibility can be observed due to numerical errors.

e)

This represents by no means a contradiction to the second law of thermodynamics. Eventhough the second law of thermodynamics states that entropy can never decrease, it doesnt forbid a certain part of phase space to occupied by the system. With respect to this problem, some configurations become very unlikely given a random set of initial conditions.

Due to the fact however that this simulation is deterministic, and the initial condition is chosen for a propagation towards an unlikely state, this state is reached.

## 2 Symplectic Euler Algorithm

### 2.1 Code

The code that is used for the simulation via the symplectic Euler scheme is identical to the code being used for the velocity Verlet algorithm. The only difference is the nature of the propagation in the steps visible in section 1.1 (pp. 3-4, *inner for loop with index i*).

```
for (int i=0;i<N;i++)
{
    double f(2);
    f = f_i(p,i,N);

    p[i].set_vx(p[i].get_vx()+dt*f[0]);
    p[i].set_vy(p[i].get_vy()+dt*f[1]);

    p[i].set_x(p[i].get_x() + dt*p[i].get_vx());
    p[i].set_y(p[i].get_y() + dt*p[i].get_vy());

    if (p[i].get_x() > sideL)
        {p[i].set_x(p[i].get_x()-sideL);}
    if (p[i].get_x() < 0.0)
        {p[i].set_x(p[i].get_x()+sideL);}
    if (p[i].get_y() > sideL)
        {p[i].set_y(p[i].get_y()-sideL);}
    if (p[i].get_y() < 0.0)
        {p[i].set_y(p[i].get_y()+sideL);}

}
```