

Deadline

26th November 2017

Overview

The main aim of this study is to develop a **working** `Fortran` algorithm. It is an attempt for **mesh framework** for the numerical studies on fluid mechanics.

Potential modules:

- Mesh generation (diff. types)
- Reading/Writing meshes in different formats.
 - `.vtk`, `pvtk`, `.nc`, `.hdf5`
- Mesh analysis (mesh quality)

Steps

- Choice a task for your module (derivative, integration, linear solver, statistics, etc)
- Develop your independent module, with it's routines
 - At this step your code should be compiled with the `make` command, means that you need to update `CMakeLists.txt` according to your need.
- Integrate your module to the others
 - **ATTENTION:** Every module has to use `module precision` and `module class_field` (at least)
- Develop your tests/demonstration program(s).
- Evaluate performance of the code you have written, feel free to choice aspects you like to evaluate (efficiency, accuracy, etc.)

Details and Starter Codes

4 different parts of code is already provided to you.

`class_mesh`

This is the base to hold derived type `mesh`. Your modules should use this type `mesh(s)` to store a mesh. And produce it's result(s) with `mesh(s)`. So anyone can modify this to improve their modularity. Please realize that; grids, velocity fields, derivatives, etc. should be implemented as `type field`.

`class_io`

Input/output module, which reads/write with `NETCDF4` format. Already can read/write current type `mesh` which is incomplete leaving you the room to shape it to your needs.

module precision

Very simple module to tune the precision of the whole code. Simple to implement. No need to change anything.

ATTENTION: All variables in any part of the code has to be defined with it.

CMakeLists.txt

Please see the example available [here](#). You can use parts of provided file directly. You still need to introduce your modules and executable(s) into `CMake`.

Data

It is given as `tests/test_I0/statsi950.nc`. Also how to read and write such file is demonstrated with `test_I0_01_netcdf.f90` (*not completed yet*).

Report

No special report expected.

However, Doxygen documentation, other inline comments, refactored variable names, README page, wiki Page(s) of this repo will be considered as a report, and they will be graded.

Please provide examples of the output of your code simply using ">" pipe. So, I can be sure that, I run/compile your code in the way you have done.

Submission

There is no special report submission required.

All documents, and code base are placed here in this repository.

Grading (tentative)

- 5 pts: Working code.
- 5 pts: Create a modular, working code.
- 5 pts: Report/Documentation/Comments with design decisions and evaluation.

This part includes, inline comments, doxygen comments, analyzes in comments, structure of your code, your choices for routines, functions, derived type etc.

- 5 pts: Other contribution (README, wiki, CMakeList, Makefile, detailed documentation via Doxygen or other's module, etc.).

Extra Credit (Up to 5 pts)

For all extra credit, be sure to document/analyze them clearly as well.

- Using external library (Lapack, PETSc, etc.)
- Parallel version of your code (MPI, OpenMP)
- Improvements on the project manner (Travis CI, Docker, etc.)
- Include the doxygen output as github page. <https://pages.github.com/>
 - See details: <https://help.github.com/articles/user-organization-and-project-pages/>

Some Advice

this section will be updated regularly, depending on the problems we diagnosed during the process

- Choose a simple topic for your `module`. You can start to do something, if you feel that is getting complicated, just **simplify** it. This is not research contest. Only aim here is to learn how to use the tools efficiently and correctly in a simple scenario.
- Think about structure of your module before you start to write. Develop your strategy to achieve required modularity.
- Communicate each other, follow the other pieces of the code. Iterate the development process among each other. Commit your changes with your username to the github.