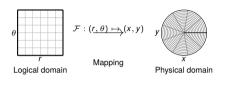


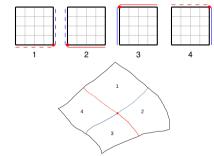
Requirements for multipatch geometry

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Structure of multi-patch









(a) Simple interface.

(b) T-joint.

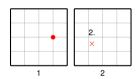
(c) X-point in logical and physical domain.

Advection



(1)

$$\partial_t \rho + A \cdot \nabla \rho = 0,$$
 $\partial_t X(t^n; t^{n+1}, x) = A(t, X(t^n; t^{n+1}, x)).$





- 1. compute feet.
- 2. evaluate function (need to transfer feet to patch 2).
- 3. transfer value to patch 1.

Example of a characteristic foot outside the patch 1 in the logical and physical domains.







Pseudo-Cartesian domain

Physical domain

Solving Poisson with CONGA



We want to solve the Poisson equation

$$-\operatorname{div}(\nu\operatorname{\mathsf{grad}}\phi)=\rho$$

using a the CONGA approach on a 2D multipatch domain.

- Have finite element space V_h with jump discontinuities across edges
- Subspace $V_h^c \subseteq V_h$ with functions conforming to some global regularity constraint
- Define projection $P_h:V_h o V_h^c$ and discrete differential operator $\operatorname{grad}_h:=\operatorname{grad} P_h$
- Discretize Poisson equation weakly using these operators
- Already implemented in Psydac and successfully applied to several problems.
- Probably easier to generalize to complicated geometries than other approaches like using different splines e.g.

Patch data – Exchange



- · Mesh-points,
- Local sums to compute the derivatives at the interfaces

$$\sum_{\textit{x}_i \in \textit{global space}} \alpha_i \textit{s}(\textit{x}_i) = \sum_{\textit{p} \in \textit{Patches}} \sum_{\textit{x}_i \in \textit{p}} \alpha_i \textit{s}(\textit{x}_i),$$

- · Characteristic feet outside of the patch,
- Interpolated values for **A** and ρ .

Patch data - Storage



- Mesh points, dimension (DimXi, DimYi), mapping, SplineBuilder, metadata,
- Boundary condition of global domain if an edge of the patch is on the global boundary,
- Values of functions ρ , ϕ , **A** on mesh points,
- Spline coefficients of functions (ρ, ϕ, \mathbf{A}) ,
- Reference to global domain class.

Global domain



- Global domain class
 - · References to patches,
 - 'Connectivity' class which encodes the geometrical information.
- Connectivity class
 - Identify edges and corners of different patches (do we need to identify corners of same patch e.g. when it closes on itself?)
 - For T-joint, identify sections of edges with sections of other edges, place corners in the middle of edges.

APPENDIX - Structure code



GLOBAL DOMAIN CLASS

Define a global view of the domain.

- Reference to each Patch object.
- Global boundaries (outside boundaries).
- Reference to Interfaces object.
- Computation to find the patch where a given coordinate is?

INTERFACES CLASS

Define the interfaces between each patches.

- Reference to each Patch object.
- Define interfaces between each patches. (simple, T-joint, X-point).

PATCH CLASS

Define a patch.

- Dimensions DimRi, DimPi.
- Discrete domains and spline domains.
- Local mapping.

APPENDIX - Drif-kinetic equations



$$\begin{cases} \partial_t f + v_{GC} \cdot \nabla_{\perp} f + v_{\parallel} \partial_z f + \dot{v}_{\parallel} \partial_{\nu_{\parallel}} f = 0, \\ -\nabla_{\perp} \cdot (\alpha \nabla_{\perp} \phi) + \beta (\phi - \langle \phi \rangle) = n \end{cases}$$
 (2)

Advection

- ightarrow multi-patch for space \perp domain,
- \rightarrow multi-patch for z domain,
- \rightarrow multi-patch for velocity domain.

Poisson

 \rightarrow similar to 2D0V case.