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Multiphase-Multicomponent-Multiscale Massively Parallel

Reactive Transport Code

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### 1 Introduction

PFLOTRAN solves a system of generally nonlinear partial differential equations describing multiphase, multicomponent and multiscale reactive flow and transport in porous materials. The code is designed to run on massively parallel computing architectures as well as workstations and labtops. Parallelization is achieved through domain decomposition using the PETSc (Portable Extensible Toolkit for Scientific Computation) libraries for the parallelization framework (Balay et al., 1997).

# 2 Installation

# 2.1 Openmpi

Set environment variables PKGS and MPI\_HOME and the appropriate PATH:

```
setenv PKGS /Users/lichtner/petsc/packages
setenv MPI_HOME $PKGS/openmpi/openmpi-1.2.5-gcc-4.3.0-absoft-10.1
setenv PATH \$PKGS/openmpi/openmpi-1.2.5-gcc-4.3.0-absoft-10.1:\$PATH
setenv F90 f90
setenv F77 'f90 -YEXT_NAMES=LCS -YEXT_SFX= -f'
setenv FC 'f90 -YEXT_NAMES=LCS -YEXT_SFX= -f'
setenv CC gcc

Configure using:
    ./configure --prefix=$PKGS/openmpi/openmpi-1.2.5-gcc-4.3.0-absoft-10.1

Finally, compile, check installation and install:
    make
    make check
make install
```

#### 2.2 PETSc

PFLOTRAN uses the Developer version of PETSc. To install PETSc first set the environment variables PETSC\_DIR and PETSC\_ARCH:

```
setenv PETSC_DIR /Users/lichtner/petsc/petsc-dev
setenv PETSC_ARCH Intel_MacOSX10.4.11
```

Configure PETSc on a Mac using openmpi and Fortran 90 Absoft 10.1:

```
./config/configure.py
--with-blas-lapack-lib="-framework vecLib"
--with-mpi-dir=$PKGS/openmpi/openmpi-1.2.5-gcc-4.3.0-absoft-10.1
--with-debugging=0
--with-shared=0
```

Compile and test the PESTc installation with:

```
make all test
```

Optionally install PETSc:

```
make install
```

#### 2.3 HDF5

To install HDF5 set the following environment variables:

```
setenv HDF5_INCLUDE $PKGS/hdf/hdf5-1.6.7-gcc-4.3.0-absoft-10.1/include
setenv HDF5_LIB $PKGS/hdf/hdf5-1.6.7-gcc-4.3.0-absoft-10.1/lib
setenv CC $MPI_HOME/bin/mpicc
setenv F9X $MPI_HOME/bin/mpif90
setenv CFLAGS -fno-strict-aliasing
setenv FFLAGS ""

./configure --enable-fortran
--prefix=$PKGS/hdf/hdf5-1.6.7-gcc-4.3.0-absoft-10.1
--disable-debug --enable-production --enable-parallel
--enable-static --disable-shared
```

make

make check

make install

#### 2.4 PFLOTRAN

Compile PFLOTRAN using the command

make [hdf5=1] pflotran

Create input file pflotran. in and run PFLOTRAN with the command:

mpirun -n #proc pflotran

where #proc is the desired number of processor cores.

# 3 Creating the Input File: PFLOTRAN Keywords

The PFLOTRAN input file construction is based on keywords. Lines beginning with a colon (:) are treated as comments. Each entry to the input file must begin in the first column. Keywords SKIP and NOSKIP are used to skip over sections of the input file. Blank lines may occur in input file. Alternate keyword spelling is indicated in round brackets (). Input options are indicated in square brackets [], as well as default values. Curly brackets {} indicate the result of invoking the corresponding keyword. Always refer to source code when in doubt!

Initial and boundary conditions and material properties are assigned to spatial regions using a novel *coupler* approach. In this approach, initial and boundary conditions (keyword CONDITION) are assigned to regions (keyword REGION) using keywords INITIAL\_CONDITION and BOUNDARY\_CONDITION. Material properties (keyword MATERIAL) are assigned to regions using the keyword STRATIGRAPHY.

Keyword Description

**BOUNDARY\_CONDITION** 

**BREAKTHROUGH** 

**BRINE (BRIN)** 

CHECKPOINT

COMPUTE\_STATISTICS (STATISTICS)

**CONDITION** 

**DATASET** 

**DEBUG** 

DIFF

**DTST** 

**DXYZ** 

**GRAVITY** 

**GRID** 

HDF5

**IMOD** 

INVERT\_Z (INVERTZ)

INITIAL\_CONDITION

LINEAR\_SOLVER

MATERIAL (MATERIALS, PHIK)

**MODE** 

NEWTON\_SOLVER

NUMERICAL\_JACOBIAN

ORIG, ORIGIN

 $OVERWRITE\_RESTART\_TRANSPORT$ 

**REGION** 

**RESTART** 

**RICH** 

SATURATION\_FUNCTION (SATURATION\_FUNCTION, PCKR)

SOURCE\_SINK

STRATIGRAPHY (STRATA)

**TECP** 

THRM, THERMAL\_PROPERTY (THERMAL\_PROPERTIES)

TIME

**TIMESTEPPER** 

**TRAN** 

UNIFORM\_VELOCITY

USE\_TOUCH\_OPTIONS

WALLCLOCK\_STOP

# **Keyword: BOUNDARY\_CONDITION**

**BOUNDARY\_CONDITION** 

**REGION** region\_name

**CONDITION** condition\_name

**TYPE** [initial, boundary, source\_sink]

**FACE** [WEST, EAST, NORTH, SOUTH, BOTTOM, TOP]

**END** 

# **Keyword: BREAKTHROUGH (BRK)**

**BREAKTHROUGH** 

**REGION** region\_name

**VELOCITY** {print\_velocities == PETSC\_TRUE}

(., /, END)

**Keyword: BRINE (BRIN)** 

BRIN, BRINE m\_nacl [MOLAL, MASS, MOLE]

**Keyword: CHECKPOINT** 

**CHECKPOINT** checkpoint\_frequency

**Keyword: COMPUTE\_STATISTICS (STATISTICS)** 

**COMPUTE\_STATISTICS, STATISTICS** {compute\_statistics = .true.}

# **Keyword: CONDITION (COND)**

CONDITION	(COND) con	ndition_name			
UNITS					
		s, sec, min, hr, d, day, y, yr			
		mm, cm, m, met, meter, dm, km			
		Pa, KPa			
		m/s, m/yr			
		C, K			
		M, mol/L			
		KJ/mol			
(., /, END)					
CLASS	[flow, transpo	ort (tran)]			
CYCLIC	{is_cyclic = .t	rue.}			
INTERPOLA	<b>FION</b> step lin	near			
ТҮРЕ					
	PRESSURE (	(PRES, PRESS) [dirichlet, neumann, mass, hydrostatic (hydro, hydrostat), static, zero_gradient, seepage]			
	FLUX	[dirichlet, neumann, mass, hydrostatic (hydro, hydrostat), static, zero_gradient, seepage]			
	<b>TEMPERATURE (TEMP)</b> [dirichlet, neumann, mass, hydrostatic (hydro, hydrostatic, static, zero_gradient, seepage]				
	<b>CONCENTRATION (CONC)</b> [dirichlet, neumann, mass, hydrostatic (hydro, hydrostat), static, zero_gradient, seepage]				
	<b>ENTHALPY (H)</b> [dirichlet, neumann, mass, hydrostatic (hydro, hydrostat), static, zero_gradient, seepage]				
	(., /, END)				
TIME					
IPHASE					
DATUM (DA	ГМ)				
[Continued	]				

# **Keyword: CONDITION (COND) [Continued]**

GRADIENT (GRAD)

PRESSURE (PRES, PRESS)

**FLUX** 

TEMPERATURE (TEMP)

CONCENTRATION (CONC)

ENTHALPY (H)

(., /, END)

**TEMPERATURE (TEMP)** 

ENTHALPY (H)

PRESSURE (PRES, PRESS)

FLUX (VELOCITY, VEL)

**CONCENTRATION (CONC)** 

(., /, END)

**Keyword: DATASET** 

**DATASET** [permx, permy, permz] [permx\_filename, permy\_filename, permz\_filename]

# **Keyword: DEBUG**

#### **DEBUG**

PRINT\_SOLUTION (VECVIEW\_SOLUTION, VIEW\_SOLUTION)

PRINT\_RESIDUAL (VECVIEW\_RESIDUAL,VIEW\_RESIDUAL)

PRINT\_JACOBIAN (MATVIEW\_JACOBIAN, VIEW\_JACOBIAN)

PRINT\_JACOBIAN\_NORM (NORM\_JACOBIAN)

PRINT\_COUPLERS (PRINT\_COUPLER)

PRINT\_JACOBIAN\_DETAILED (MATVIEW\_JACOBIAN\_DETAILED,

VIEW\_JACOBIAN\_DETAILED)

PRINT\_NUMERICAL\_DERIVATIVES (VIEW\_NUMERICAL\_DERIVATIVES)

**END** 

# **Keyword: DIFF**

difaq delhaq		
anaq aemaq		

# **Keyword: DTST**

DTST	dt_min	
	dt1, dt2, dt3,, dt_max	

# **Keyword: DXYZ**

DXYZ	[STRUCTURED_GRID, AMR_GRID]
	dx0
	dy0
	dz0

# **Keyword: GRAVITY (GRAV)**

GRAVITY (GRAV) gravity

# **Keyword: GRID**

**GRID** 

TYPE [structured, unstructured, amr]

NXYZ nx ny nz

**FILE** 

**END** 

**Keyword: HDF5** 

**HDF5** [VELO, FLUX]

**Keyword: IMOD** 

**IMOD** mod

**Keyword: INVERT\_Z (INVERTZ)** 

INVERT\_Z (INVERTZ) {invert\_z\_axis = .true.}

# **Keyword: INITIAL\_CONDITION**

#### INITIAL\_CONDITION

REGION region\_name

CONDITION condition\_name

TYPE [initial, boundary, source\_sink]

FACE [WEST, EAST, NORTH, SOUTH, BOTTOM, TOP]

**END** 

# **Keyword: LINEAR\_SOLVER**

#### LINEAR\_SOLVER

TRAN, TRANSPORT (tran\_solver) / DEFAULT (flow\_solver)

SOLVER\_TYPE (SOLVER, KRYLOV\_TYPE, KRYLOV, KSP, KSP\_TYPE)

NONE (PREONLY)

**GMRES** 

BCGS (BICGSTAB, BI-CGSTAB)

PRECONDITIONER\_TYPE (PRECONDITIONER, PC, PC\_TYPE)

ILU (PCILU)

LU (PCLU)

BJACOBI (BLOCK\_JACOBI)

ASM (ADDITIVE\_SCHWARTZ)

**PCASM** 

**ATOL** 

RTOL

DTOL

**MAXIT** 

(., /, END)

# **Keyword: MATERIAL (MATERIALS, PHIK)**

# MATERIAL (MATERIALS, PHIK)

name id icap ithrm por tor permx permy permz permpwr

(., /, END)

# **Keyword: MODE**

MODE [RICHARDS\_LITE, RICHARDS, MPH]

# **Keyword: NEWTON\_SOLVER**

#### NEWTON\_SOLVER

TRAN, TRANSPORT (tran\_solver) / DEFAULT (flow\_solver)

INEXACT\_NEWTON

NO\_PRINT\_CONVERGENCE

NO\_INF\_NORM (NO\_INFINITY\_NORM)

NO\_FORCE\_ITERATION

PRINT\_DETAILED\_CONVERGENCE

ATOL

**RTOL** 

**STOL** 

DTOL

ITOL (INF\_TOL, ITOL\_RES, INF\_TOL\_RES)

ITOL\_UPDATE (INF\_TOL\_UPDATE)

**MAXIT** 

MAXF

(., /, END)

# **Keyword: NUMERICAL\_JACOBIAN**

**NUMERICAL\_JACOBIAN** {numerical\_derivatives = .true.}

# **Keyword: ORIGIN (ORIG)**

**ORIGIN (ORIG)** X\_DIRECTION Y\_DIRECTION Z\_DIRECTION

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# **Keyword: OVERWRITE\_RESTART\_TRANSPORT**

**OVERWRITE\_RESTART\_TRANSPORT** {overwrite\_restart\_transport = .true.}

## **Keyword: REGION**

**REGION** region\_name

BLOCK i1 i2 j1 j2 k1 k2

COORDINATE x-coordinate y-coordinate z-coordinate

FILE filename

LIST (not implemented)

FACE [WEST, EAST, NORTH, SOUTH, BOTTOM, TOP]

**END** 

# **Keyword: RESTART**

**RESTART** restart\_file restart\_time

# **Keyword: RICH**

**RICH** pref

# **Keyword: SATURATION\_FUNCTION (SATURATION\_FUNCTIONS, PCKR)**

#### SATURATION\_FUNCTION (SATURATION\_FUNCTIONS, PCKR)

id icaptype [(Sr[np],np=1,nphase), Sr] pckrm alpha pcwmax pbetac pwrprm

(., /, END)

# **Keyword: SOURCE\_SINK**

#### SOURCE\_SINK

REGION region\_name

CONDITION condition\_name

TYPE [initial, boundary, source\_sink]

FACE [WEST, EAST, NORTH, SOUTH, BOTTOM, TOP]

**END** 

## **Keyword: STRATIGRAPHY (STRATA)**

#### **STRATIGRAPHY (STRATA)**

REGION region\_name

MATERIAL material\_name

**INACTIVE** 

(., /, END)

# **Keyword: TECP**

**TECP** 

[VELO, FLUX]

# **Keyword: THRM (THERMAL\_PROPERTY, THERMAL\_PROPERTIES)**

#### THRM (THERMAL\_PROPERTY, THERMAL\_PROPERTIES)

 $id\ rock\_density\ spec\_heat\ therm\_cond\_dry\ therm\_cond\_wet\ tort\_bin\_diff\\ vap\_air\_diff\_coef\ exp\_binary\_diff$ 

(., /, END)

# **Keyword: TIME**

TIME	[s, m, h, d, mo, y] [every #]
	t1, t2, t3,

# **Keyword: TIMESTEPPER**

#### **TIMESTEPPER**

NUM\_STEPS\_AFTER\_TS\_CUT [5]

MAX\_STEPS [999999]

TS\_ACCELERATION [5]

MAX\_TS\_CUTS [16]

MAX\_PRESSURE\_CHANGE [5.d4]

MAX\_TEMPERATURE\_CHANGE [5.d0]

MAX\_CONCENTRATION\_CHANGE [1.d0]

MAX\_SATURATION\_CHANGE [0.5d0]

(., /, END)

# **Keyword: TRAN**

TRAN	ntrandof		
III	manuoi		

# **Keyword: UNIFORM\_VELOCITY**

# UNIFORM\_VELOCITY vlx vly vlz

# **Keyword: USE\_TOUCH\_OPTIONS**

**USE\_TOUCH\_OPTIONS** {use\_touch\_options = .true.}

### **Keyword: WALLCLOCK\_STOP**

WALLCLOCK\_STOP wallclock\_stop\_time

# **Example Input File**

```
:Description: 2D problem for saturated layered medium
:MODE RICHARDS
MODE RICHARDS_LITE
TRAN 1
:NUMERICAL_JACOBIAN
: INEXACT_NEWTON
:USE_TOUCH_OPTIONS
:CHECKPOINT 1000
:RESTART steady.chk 0.d0
:OVERWRITE_RESTART_TRANSPORT
:COMPUTE_STATISTICS
:USE_TOUCH_OPTIONS
:WALLCLOCK_STOP 0.d0
:
DEBUG
:MATVIEW_JACOBIAN
: VECVIEW_RESIDUAL
: VECVIEW_SOLUTION
:PRINT_COUPLERS
END
GRID
TYPE structured
NXYZ 450 1 4430
END
```

```
ORIGIN 0.d0 0.d0 0.d0
NEWTON_SOLVER
RTOL 1.d-5
ATOL 1.d-7
STOL 1.d-10
:ITOL_RES 1.d-8
:ITOL_UPDATE 0.05d0 ! Pa
NO_INFINITY_NORM
:NO_FORCE_ITERATION
:NO_PRINT_CONVERGENCE
:PRINT_DETAILED_CONVERGENCE
MAXIT 20
END
:noskip
NEWTON_SOLVER TRANSPORT
:RTOL 1.d-50
ATOL 1.d-50
STOL 1.d-50
ITOL_RES 1.d-8
:ITOL_UPDATE 5.dO ! Pa
:NO_INFINITY_NORM
:NO_FORCE_ITERATION
:NO_PRINT_CONVERGENCE
:PRINT_DETAILED_CONVERGENCE
MAXIT 10
END
TIMESTEPPER
TS_ACCELERATION 8
END
:HDF5 !VELO !FLUX
TECP VELO !FLUX
:
DXYZ
0.02d0
1.d0
0.002d0
: d0[m^2/s] delhaq[kJ/mol]
```

```
DIFF 1.D-9
               12.6
: Richards Equation Pref
RICH 101325.
SATURATION_FUNCTIONS
: van Genuchten
:id itype swir m alpha pcwmax betac pwr
        0.1600 0.3391 7.2727d-4 1.e8 0.d0 1.d0
1 1
        0.1299 0.7479 1.4319d-4 1.e8
                                   0.d0 1.d0
: Brooks-Corey
:id itype swir lambda alpha
                            pcwmax betac pwr
        0.1600 1.97 7.2727d-4 1.e8 0.d0 1.d0
: 2 2 0.1299 0.5193 1.4319d-4 1.e8 0.d0 1.d0
END
THERMAL_PROPERTIES
:ithm rho
           cpr ckdry cksat tau cdiff cexp
     2.76e3 1000.e0 0.5 0.5 0.5 2.13d-5 1.8
 1
END
MATERIALS
:name id icap ithm por tau permx permy permz permpwr
tuff 1 1 1 0.2 0.5 1.d-19 1.d-19 1.d-19 1.d0
END
:TIME y every 10.
TIME y
0.1 0.25 0.5 0.75 1.
DTST 1.d-8
1. 0.001d0
REGION all
BLOCK 1 450 1 1 1 4430
END
REGION Left
FACE west
BLOCK 1 1 1 1 3931 4430
```

END

REGION Right
FACE east
BLOCK 450 450 1 1 1 500
END

:define initial and boundary conditions-----

:flow-----

CONDITION initial CLASS flow TYPE PRESSURE hydrostatic END

DATUM 0.d0 0.d0 10.d0 PRESSURE 101325.d0

END

CONDITION Left

CLASS flow

TYPE

PRESSURE neumann

END

PRESSURE 1.5854896d-7 ! 5000 mm/yr

END

CONDITION Right

CLASS flow

TYPE

PRESSURE neumann

END

PRESSURE -1.5854896d-7 ! 5000 mm/yr

**END** 

:transport-----

CONDITION initial\_c CLASS transport CONCENTRATION 1.d-8 END CONDITION outlet\_c
CLASS transport
TYPE
CONCENTRATION zero\_gradient
END
CONCENTRATION 1.d-8
END
CONDITION inlet\_c

CONDITION inlet\_c
CLASS transport
CONCENTRATION 1.dO
END

:set initial and boundary conditions-----

:flow-----

: initial condition INITIAL\_CONDITION CONDITION initial REGION all END

BOUNDARY\_CONDITION CONDITION Left REGION Left END

BOUNDARY\_CONDITION CONDITION initial REGION Right END

:transport-----

: initial condition INITIAL\_CONDITION CONDITION initial\_c REGION all END

BOUNDARY\_CONDITION CONDITION inlet\_c

```
REGION Left
END

BOUNDARY_CONDITION
CONDITION outlet_c
REGION Right
END

:set material properties------
STRATA
MATERIAL tuff
REGION all
END

:read in permeability field-----
DATASET permx perm_inv.dat
DATASET permy perm_inv.dat
DATASET permz perm_inv.dat
```

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