MD Simulation

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import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
plt.rcParams.update({'font.size': 8,
                     'lines.linewidth': 1,
                     'lines.markersize': 10,
                     'axes.labelsize': 10,
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                     'ytick.right' : True,
                     'ytick.direction' : 'in',})

def get_size(w,h):
    return((w/2.54,h/2.54))
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Atom Class

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class Atom:
    def __init__(self, atom_id, atom_type, position, velocity=None, mass=None):
        self.id = atom_id
        self.type = atom_type
        self.position = position
        self.velocity = velocity if velocity is not None else np.random.randn(2)*20
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        self.mass = mass
        self.force = np.zeros(2)


    def add_force(self, force):
        """Add force contribution to total force on atom"""
        self.force += force

    def reset_force(self):
        """Reset force to zero at start of each step"""
        self.force = np.zeros(2)

    def update_position(self, dt):
        """First step of velocity Verlet: update position"""
        self.position += self.velocity * dt + 0.5 * (self.force/self.mass) * dt**2

    def update_velocity(self, dt, new_force):
        """Second step of velocity Verlet: update velocity using average force"""
        self.velocity += 0.5 * (new_force + self.force)/self.mass * dt
        self.force = new_force

    def apply_periodic_boundaries(self, box_size):
            """Apply periodic boundary conditions"""
            self.position = self.position % box_size
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class ForceField:
    def __init__(self):
        self.parameters = {
            'C': {'epsilon': 1.0, 'sigma': 3.4},
            'H': {'epsilon': 1, 'sigma': 1},
            'O': {'epsilon': 0.8, 'sigma': 3.0},
        }
        self.box_size = None  # Will be set when initializing the simulation

    def get_pair_parameters(self, type1, type2):
        # Apply mixing rules when needed
        eps1 = self.parameters[type1]['epsilon']
        eps2 = self.parameters[type2]['epsilon']
        sig1 = self.parameters[type1]['sigma']
        sig2 = self.parameters[type2]['sigma']

        # Lorentz-Berthelot mixing rules
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        epsilon = np.sqrt(eps1 * eps2)
        sigma = (sig1 + sig2) / 2

        return epsilon, sigma

    def minimum_image_distance(self, pos1, pos2):
        """Calculate minimum image distance between two positions"""
        delta = pos1 - pos2
        # Apply minimum image convention
        delta = delta - self.box_size * np.round(delta / self.box_size)
        return delta

    def calculate_lj_force(self, atom1, atom2):
        epsilon, sigma = self.get_pair_parameters(atom1.type, atom2.type)
        r = self.minimum_image_distance(atom1.position, atom2.position)
        r_mag = np.linalg.norm(r)

        # Add cutoff distance for stability
        if r_mag > 2.5*sigma:
            return np.zeros(2)

        force_mag = 24 * epsilon * (
            2 * (sigma/r_mag)**13
            - (sigma/r_mag)**7
        )
        force = force_mag * r/r_mag
        return force
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class MDSimulation:
    def __init__(self, atoms, forcefield, timestep, box_size):
        self.atoms = atoms
        self.forcefield = forcefield
        self.forcefield.box_size = box_size  # Set box size in forcefield
        self.timestep = timestep
        self.box_size = np.array(box_size)
        self.initial_energy = None
        self.energy_history = []

    def minimum_image_distance(self, pos1, pos2):
        """Calculate minimum image distance between two positions"""
        delta = pos1 - pos2
        # Apply minimum image convention
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        delta = delta - self.box_size * np.round(delta / self.box_size)
        return delta

    def calculate_forces(self):
        # Reset all forces
        for atom in self.atoms:
            atom.reset_force()

        # Calculate forces between all pairs
        for i, atom1 in enumerate(self.atoms):
            for atom2 in self.atoms[i+1:]:
                force = self.forcefield.calculate_lj_force(atom1, atom2)
                atom1.add_force(force)
                atom2.add_force(-force)  # Newton's third law

    def update_positions_and_velocities(self):
        # First step: Update positions using current forces
        for atom in self.atoms:
            atom.update_position(self.timestep)
            # Apply periodic boundary conditions
            atom.apply_periodic_boundaries(self.box_size)

        # Store current forces for velocity update
        old_forces = {atom.id: atom.force.copy() for atom in self.atoms}

        # Recalculate forces with new positions
        self.calculate_forces()

        # Second step: Update velocities using average of old and new forces
        for atom in self.atoms:
            atom.update_velocity(self.timestep, atom.force)
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def create_grid_atoms(num_atoms, box_size, mass=1.0, random_offset=0.1):
    box_size = np.array(box_size)

    # Calculate grid dimensions
    n = int(np.ceil(np.sqrt(num_atoms)))
    spacing = np.min(box_size) / n

    atoms = []
    for i in range(num_atoms):
        # Calculate grid position
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        row = i // n
        col = i % n

        # Base position
        pos = np.array([col * spacing + spacing/2,
                        row * spacing + spacing/2])

        # Add random offset
        pos += (np.random.rand(2) - 0.5) * spacing * random_offset

        # Create atom
        atoms.append(Atom(i, 'H', pos, mass=mass))

    return atoms
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