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Equations

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EMAC formulation of Navier-Stokes

EMAC-Reg, or Energy, Momentum, and Angular Momentum Conserving Regularization.

$$u_t + \underbrace{2D(u)u + (\nabla \cdot u)u}_{\text{new nonlinear term}} + \nabla p - \nu \Delta u = f,$$

$$\nabla \cdot u = 0.$$

- Mathematically equivalent to NSE
- Replace nonlinear term $u \cdot \nabla u$
- Quantity conserving formulations perform better, more physically relevant

EMAC-Reg formulation of Navier-Stokes

EMAC-Reg, or Energy, Momentum, and Angular Momentum Conserving Regularization.

$$u_t + 2D(w)w + (\nabla \cdot w)w + \nabla p - \nu \Delta u = f,$$

$$-\alpha^2 \Delta w + w = u,$$

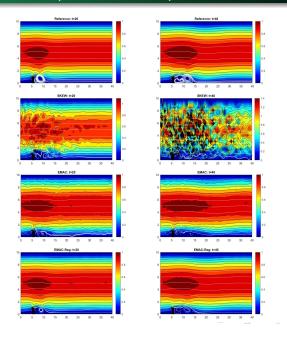
$$\nabla \cdot w = 0.$$

- Introduce spatial filter for better performance on coarser meshes
- Didn't have time to code it, also difficult

Plan for implementation

- Learn step-57 (Steady NSE on box)
- Implement time loop using DiscreteTime class
- Switch formulation from NSE to EMAC (nonlinear term is $D(u)u + (\nabla \cdot u)u$), then EMAC-Reg
- Benchmark Problem for convergence analysis

Results to expect (Step Problem)



Results to expect (convergence analysis)

$$w = \begin{bmatrix} -\cos(\pi x)\sin(\pi y) \\ \sin(\pi x)\cos(\pi y) \end{bmatrix} e^{-2\pi^2 \nu t},$$

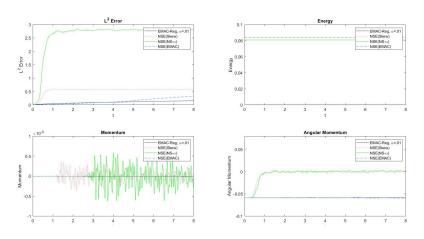
$$u = (1 + 2\pi^2 \alpha^2)w,$$

$$p = -w \cdot \nabla w,$$

h	$ w-w_h _{\infty,0}$	Rate	$ w-w_h _{\infty,1}$	Rate
1/2	3.68383e-02	-	6.40968e-01	-
1/4	8.01551e-03	2.20034	2.15719e-01	1.57110
1/8	7.40875e-04	3.43549	4.88487e-02	2.14276
1/16	8.07978e-05	3.19684	1.13421e-02	2.10663
1/32	9.78736e-06	3.04532	2.77000e-03	2.03374
1/64	1.21936e-06	3.00480	6.89712e-04	2.00582
1/128	1.64691e-07	2.88829	1.72432e-04	1.99996

Table 1: Convergence results for both u and w for EMAC-Reg (should be similar to EMAC)

Results to expect (Computed Quantities)



General idea of step 57

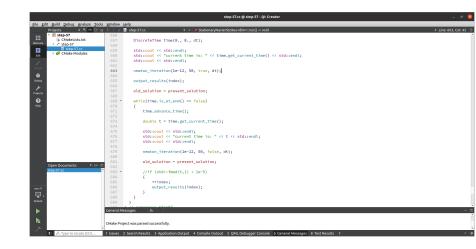
- Nonlinear term $(u \cdot \nabla u)$ in NSE is problematic
- Spatially discretize so we get

$$u \cdot \nabla u \approx u_k \cdot \nabla u_{k+1} + u_{k+1} \cdot \nabla u_k - u_k \cdot \nabla u_k$$

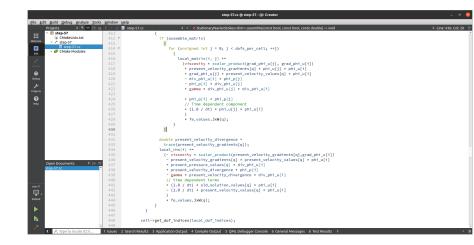
- Convergence is quadratic, expect convergence in 2-3 iterations
- Do the same exact thing for EMAC formulation

$$2D(u)u \approx 2D(u_k)u_{k+1} + 2D(u_{k+1})u_k - 2D(u_k)u_k$$
$$(\nabla \cdot u)u \approx (\nabla \cdot u_k)u_{k+1} + (\nabla \cdot u_{k+1})u_k - (\nabla \cdot u_k)u_k$$

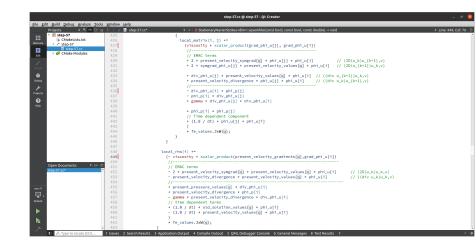
Time implementation



NSE assembly (Identical to step-57)



EMAC assembly



Future work

- Implement EMAC-Reg, test in 3D to see coarse mesh effectiveness.
- Implement MPI, solving on one core in 3D is incredibly inefficient.
- Calculate energy, momentum, and angular momentum for appropriate problem in deal.II.
- Implement benchmark problem from slide 6.