

Transient & Restart

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Griffin: Steady State vs. Transient

Steady State

```
# =====  
# TRANSPORT SYSTEM  
# =====  
[TransportSystems]  
  particle                = neutron  
  equation_type           = eigenvalue  
  G                       = 16  
  ReflectingBoundary      = 'left'  
  VacuumBoundary          = 'bottom right top loop_b  
  [transport]  
    scheme                = CFEM-Diffusion  
    family                 = LAGRANGE  
    order                  = FIRST  
    n_delay_groups         = 6  
    assemble_scattering_jacobian = true  
    assemble_fission_jacobian  = true  
    external_dnp_variable    = 'dnp'  
    fission_source_aux       = true  
  []  
[]
```

Transient

```
# =====  
# TRANSPORT SYSTEM  
# =====  
[TransportSystems]  
  particle                = neutron  
  equation_type           = transient  
  G                       = 16  
  ReflectingBoundary      = 'left'  
  VacuumBoundary          = 'bottom right top loop_  
  [transport]  
    scheme                = CFEM-Diffusion  
    family                 = LAGRANGE  
    order                  = FIRST  
    n_delay_groups         = 6  
    assemble_scattering_jacobian = true  
    assemble_fission_jacobian  = true  
    external_dnp_variable    = 'dnp'  
    fission_source_aux       = true  
  []  
[]
```

- Remove initial conditions of the restarted variables.

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Steady State

```
[Executioner]
type           = Eigenvalue
solve_type     = PJFNKMO
petsc_options_iname = '-pc_type -pc_hypre_type -ksp_gmres_restart'
petsc_options_value = 'hypre boomeramg 50'
l_max_its      = 200
nl_abs_tol     = 1e-6
fixed_point_min_its = 2
fixed_point_max_its = 50
fixed_point_rel_tol = 1e-6
fixed_point_abs_tol = 1e-6
[]
```

Transient

```
[Executioner]
type           = Transient
solve_type     = PJFNK
petsc_options_iname = '-pc_type -pc_hypre_type -ksp_gmres_restart'
petsc_options_value = 'hypre boomeramg 50'

start_time = 0.0
[TimeStepper]
type           = IterationAdaptiveDT
dt             = 1.0
timestep_limiting_postprocessor = dt_max_pp
optimal_iterations = 20
iteration_window = 2
growth_factor   = 2
cutback_factor  = 0.5
[]
end_time        = 2000.0
auto_advance    = true

l_max_its      = 200
nl_abs_tol     = 1e-5
fixed_point_min_its = 1
fixed_point_max_its = 50
fixed_point_rel_tol = 1e-5
fixed_point_abs_tol = 1e-5
[]
```

Restart Griffin Steady State Solution

- Remove initial conditions of the restarted variables.
- Restart steady state transport solution from binary file using user object.

```
# =====
# USER OBJECTS FOR RESTART
# =====
[UserObjects]
[transport_solution]
  type          = TransportSolutionVectorFile
  transport_system = transport
  writing         = false
  execute_on     = 'INITIAL'
  scale_with_keff = false
  folder        = '../..../ex2_ss/ex23_fp_multiphysics/'
[]
[auxvar_solution]
  type          = SolutionVectorFile
  var           = '  vel_x  vel_y  T_salt  T_solid  c1  c2  c3  c4  c5  c6  ad_C12
                  ad_U235 ad_U238 ad_Be9  ad_Li7 ad_F9 ad_Zr90 ad_Zr91 ad_Zr92 ad_Zr94 ad_Zr96'
  loading_var    = '  vel_x  vel_y  T_salt  T_solid  c1  c2  c3  c4  c5  c6  ad_C12
                  ad_U235 ad_U238 ad_Be9  ad_Li7 ad_F9 ad_Zr90 ad_Zr91 ad_Zr92 ad_Zr94 ad_Zr96'
  writing         = false
  execute_on     = 'INITIAL'
  folder        = '../..../ex2_ss/ex23_fp_multiphysics/'
[]
[]
```

```
[AuxVariables]
[T_salt]
  family      = MONOMIAL
  order       = CONSTANT
  block       = ${all_blocks}
[]
[T_solid]
  family      = MONOMIAL
  order       = CONSTANT
  block       = ${solid_blocks}
[]
[c1]
  order       = CONSTANT
  family      = MONOMIAL
  block       = ${salt_blocks}
[]
[c2]
  order       = CONSTANT
  family      = MONOMIAL
  block       = ${salt_blocks}
[]
[c3]
  order       = CONSTANT
  family      = MONOMIAL
  block       = ${salt_blocks}
[]
[c4]
  order       = CONSTANT
  family      = MONOMIAL
  block       = ${salt_blocks}
[]
```

Restart Pronghorn Steady State Solution

- Remove initial conditions of the restarted variables.
- Restart steady state solution from exodus output file.

```
# =====  
# FV VARIABLES  
# =====  
[Variables]  
[superficial_vel_x]  
  type          = PINSFVSuperficialVelocityVariable  
  block         = ${fluid_blocks}  
  initial_from_file_var = superficial_vel_x  
  initial_from_file_timestep = LATEST  
[]  
[superficial_vel_y]  
  type          = PINSFVSuperficialVelocityVariable  
  block         = ${fluid_blocks}  
  initial_from_file_var = superficial_vel_y  
  initial_from_file_timestep = LATEST  
[]  
[pressure]  
  type          = INSFVPressureVariable  
  block         = ${fluid_blocks}  
  initial_from_file_var = pressure  
  initial_from_file_timestep = LATEST  
[]  
[T_fluid]  
  type          = INSFVEnergyVariable  
  block         = ${fluid_blocks}  
  initial_from_file_var = T_fluid  
  initial_from_file_timestep = LATEST  
[]
```

```
# =====  
# GEOMETRY AND MESH  
# =====  
[Mesh]  
  coord_type      = 'RZ'  
  [fmg]  
    type          = FileMeshGenerator  
    file          = '../ex2_ss/ex23_fp_multiphysics/msre_ss_out_flow_dnp0.e'  
    use_for_exodus_restart = true  
  []  
[]
```

```
[AuxVariables]  
[power_density]  
  type          = MooseVariableFVReal  
  initial_from_file_var = power_density  
  initial_from_file_timestep = LATEST  
[]  
[power_density_fuel]  
  type          = MooseVariableFVReal  
  initial_from_file_var = power_density_fuel  
  initial_from_file_timestep = LATEST  
[]  
[power_density_graph]  
  type          = MooseVariableFVReal  
  initial_from_file_var = power_density_graph  
  initial_from_file_timestep = LATEST  
[]  
[fission_source]  
  type          = MooseVariableFVReal  
  initial_from_file_var = fission_source  
  initial_from_file_timestep = LATEST  
[]
```



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