# Numerical Modelling in FORTRAN day 4

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### Today's Goals

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- 1. Miscellaneous points
- 2. Review key points from reading homework
- 3. Precision, logical and complex types
- 4. More input/output stuff
- 5. Practice, practice!

# Debugging your code: Useful compiler options

gfortran

-fbacktrace : reports line number of error

-fbounds-check: checks bounds of arrays

-ffpe-trap=invalid,zero,overflow,denormal: stops if fp error

-g : allows use of debugger gdb

ifort

-traceback : reports line number of error

uninitialised variables.

-check : checks many things incl. bounds & uninit.

-fpe0 : stops if floating point error

-g : allows use of debugger idb (or gdb)

• Consult documentation (e.g. "man gfortran")

## Debugging your code: In Linux or Unix environment Useful compiler options

- Example:
  - ➤ gfortran —ftraceback —fbounds-check -ffpetrap=invalid,zero,overflow,denormal program.f90

### Most powerful 500 computers in the world: What type of operating system?



Answer: Linux (unix)

#### Use of unix/linux enviroment

- Used on almost all 'supercomputers' (e.g. Rosa at CSCS, Brutus at ETH)
- MacOSX 'terminal' or 'X11' applications, Windows 'cygwin', Linux...
- Several online guides:





http://www.cs.brown.edu/courses/bridge/1998/res/UnixGuide.html http://www.molvis.indiana.edu/app\_guide/unix\_commands.html http://vic.gedris.org/Manual-ShellIntro/1.2/ShellIntro.pdf http://www.ee.surrey.ac.uk/Teaching/Unix/

# 2. Review important points from online reading

- Module things (see examples online)
  - use module, only: name1, name2, ...
  - mainvariable1 => modvariable
  - public and private variables and functions
- Implied do loops: more variations
- Assumed size arrays
  - size() function ← Detect the array size
  - not necessary to pass array size as argument into subroutines, but lower bound info is lost

#### Fortran Precision

- a "bit" is 1 or 0; 8 bits = 1 byte (0 to 255)
- 32-bit (4 byte) numbers:
  - real: ~6 digits precision, range ~1e-38 to 1e38
  - integer: ±2147483647
- 64-bit (8 byte) numbers:
  - real: ~13 digits precision, range ~1d-308 to 1d308
- Fortran default precision is not defined: normally 32-bit, sometimes (e.g., on Crays) 64-bit.
- You can specify precision:

### Specifying precision

- Method 1: in the code
  - see next slide for syntax
- Method 2: when compiling
  - use the appropriate flag, e.g.,
- i8 means integer ifort -r8 program.f95 (makes reals 8-byte)
  - gfortran -fdefault-real-8 program.f95
  - Integers and reals can be different sizes

#### precision syntax \*\*\*

- F77:
  - ! normally 32-bit, might be 64 – real a
  - double precision a ! twice the above Double the default

x10<sup>n</sup>

- real\*4 a ! 4 byte (32 bit)real\*8 a ! 8 byte (64 bit)
- f95: use new functions
  - selected real kind(#digits, max exp)
  - selected\_int\_kind(#digits)
  - examples see next slide

#### examples of these

至少12位数字,可以到10的100次方

integers at least with 5 digitals

```
program how_precise

integer (kind=selected_int_kind(5)) :: i,j ! messy real (kind=selected_real_kind(10,20)) :: a

integer,parameter:: long=selected real kind(12,100) ! eg put in module real (kind=long) :: b,c,d ! declaration is then simpler real (long) :: e,f,g ! "kind=" is optional !....

end program how_precise
```

#### What precision to use?

- If possible, use 32-bit
  - code runs faster
  - uses half as much memory
  - files use half as much disk space
- use 64-bit when >6-digit accuracy is needed in calculations, e.g.,
  - adding >millions of numbers
  - direct solvers (often)
- Try same run with each and see if you get the same answer!
- You can mix precision in same code

#### logical and complex variables

- logical variables typically use 32 bits even though 1 would be enough!
  - Values .true. or .false.
- complex variables consist of 2 numbers (real and imaginary parts) so take twice as much space as real variables
  - Related intrinsic functions cmplx(r,i), to combine two real numbers to complex num aimag(c), real(c), conjg(c)

get the imaginary part

#### 3. I/O: namelist input

- a handy, flexible way of reading input parameters from a text file
- the list of variables is defined in the program
- in the file they have the same names but can be in any order
- not all variables need to be present in the file, so make sure to set defaults!
- one file can contain several namelists
- see example next slide
- Need a \*carriage return\* at the end of par file

```
program namelistdemo
       implicit none
       integer:: nx=1,ny=1 ! ngrid points
       real:: time=0. ! good to define default values character(len=50):: outputfilename='xx'
        namelist /inputs/ nx,ny,time,outputfilename
must open that open (1, file='parameters', status='old')
       read(1,inputs) ! read inputs from file 1
       close(1)
       write(*,inputs) ! echo values to stdout
        ! numerical computation goes here
     end program namelistdemo
```

#### write(file name, type), usually we use \* as default

### Specifying output format

- String: a10 means 10 characters
- Integer: i5 => integer 5 digits
- Floating: f10.4 => 10 characters, 4 after decimal point
- Exponential (e.g., 0.234e-12):
  - e14.4 means 14 characters, 4 after decimal point
  - Avoid the wasted leading 0 either by putting '1p' first1pe14.4 or (f90-) using 'es', e.g. es14.4.
- 3i5 means 3 integers and 5
- e.g., (3i5,a10,f10.4,3es14.4))
  - This can go directly in a print or write statement, or in a format line with a number (see next)

```
program formatdemo
         implicit none
         integer:: i=1, j=2
         real:: a(5),b
         character(len=4):: nm='Paul'
         call random number(a)
         b=3.14e-14
         print '(5f7.3)', a
         write (*,'(a,2i4)') nm,i,j
读取第十行的声
         print 10,b,a ! useful if complicated or
                        ! same several times
       10 format( 6(1pe12.3) )
       end program formatdemo
```

## Finite difference approximation: Forward, Backward, Centered

Forward

$$f'(x) = \frac{f(x + \delta x) - f(x)}{\delta x}$$

Backward

$$f'(x) = \frac{f(x) - f(x - \delta x)}{\delta x}$$

Centered (BEST)

$$f'(x) = \frac{f(x + \delta x) - f(x - \delta x)}{2\delta x}$$

#### FBC accuracy

- e.g.,  $f(x)=3.6+1.9x-2.7x^4$
- Compute f(2.5) with dx=0.1: (=-166.85)
  - Forward f.d. approx.=-177.24 (error 10.39)
  - Backward f.d. approx=-157.00 (error -9.85)
  - Centered f.d. approx.=167.10 (error 0.25)
- dx too small => numerical precision errors!
   (keep dx/x≥10<sup>-3</sup> s.p. 10<sup>-6</sup> d.p.)

出现精确性错误,所以dx不要选的太小

### FBC accuracy (2)

- Finite-difference derivative program on next slide demonstrates
  - Centered differencing more accurate
  - Accuracy improves with decreasing grid spacing until truncation error becomes problem
  - Increase to 64-bit precision to reduce truncation error!

```
program Deriv1
  implicit none
  integer
                 :: n,i
 real,allocatable:: y(:),dydxL(:),dydxC(:),dydxR(:)
                 x, dx
  real
 write(*,'(a,$)') 'Input number of grid points:'; read*,n
 allocate (y(n),dydxL(n),dydxC(n),dydxR(n)) ! allocate grid arrays
 dx = 10.0/(n-1) ! grid spacing, assuming x from 0->10
  do i = 1.n
    x = (i-1)*dx
    y(i) = cos(x) ! fill with cosine
  end do
 call derivativeLCR (y,dx,dydxL,dydxC,dydxR) ! calculate dydx
 do i = 2, n-1 ! write result, -\sin(x) and error
     x = (i-1)*dx
     print*, -sin(x), -sin(x) - dydxL(i), -sin(x) - dydxC(i), -sin(x) - dydxR(i)
  end do
 deallocate(y,dydxL,dydxC,dydxR)
                                   ! finish
contains
 subroutine derivativeLCR (a,h,apB,apC,apF)
    real ,intent(in) :: a(:),h
    real ,intent(out),dimension(size(a)):: apB,apC,apF
                                ! local variable
   integer
                     :: np,i
   np = size(a)
    apB=0.; apC=0.; apF=0.
    do i = 2, np-1
       apB(i) = (a(i) - a(i-1))/h ! Backward
       apC(i) = (a(i+1)-a(i-1))/(2*h) ! Centered
       apF(i) = (a(i+1) \cdot a(i))/h! Forward
    end do
  end subroutine derivativeLCR
end program Deriv1
```

#### **Exercises**

- Make your 1D second derivative function into a function that (i) returns an array and (ii) does not need the number of points as an argument, and test using the same main program (with one less argument)
- 2. Write a module to calculate del-squared of a 2D field, assuming equal grid spacing in each direction (but possibly unequal number of points)
- 3. Use this in a 2D diffusion program. The program should read parameters from a file using namelist, and write the intial and final states to ascii files (specifying an appropriate format) that can be read with a plotting program such as Matlab. Do various tests. Details on next slides.
- 4. Read 'formatted input and output' on <a href="http://www.cs.mtu.edu/%7eshene/COURSES/cs201/NOTES/format.html">http://www.cs.mtu.edu/%7eshene/COURSES/cs201/NOTES/format.html</a>
- Hand in (i) your fortran files (ii) plots of initial and final T fields for a \*stable\* case, (iii) the critical "a" value

### Thermal diffusion in 2D with constant coefficient

$$\frac{\partial T}{\partial t} = \kappa \left( \frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial y^2} \right) = \kappa \nabla^2 T$$

Where kappa is the thermal diffusivity (m<sup>2</sup>/s):  $k = \rho C \kappa$ 

- Now discretise this using finite differences
- nx points in x-direction, ny in y-direction, grid spacing= Should be H
- $e.g., x_i = x_{min} + (i-1)h$
- $T_{i,j}$  where i=1...nx, j=1...ny

### Finite-difference 'stencil'

Assuming Temperature is 0 at the boundaries

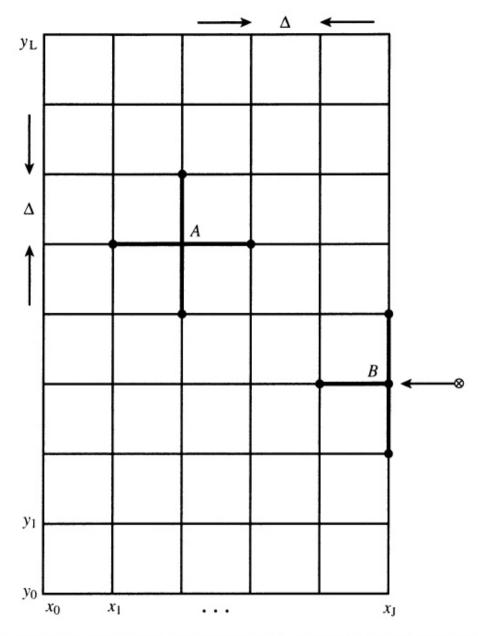


Figure 19.0.2. Finite-difference representation of a second-order elliptic equation on a two-dimensio grid. The second derivatives at the point A are evaluated using the points to which A is shown connect. The second derivatives at point B are evaluated using the connected points and also using "right-haside" boundary information, shown schematically as  $\otimes$ .

### Apply time-integration method

- Discretise time derivative
- "Explicit": like forward FD approximation

$$\frac{T_{i,j}^{(t_1+\Delta t)} - T_{i,j}^{(t_1)}}{\Delta t} = \kappa \left( \frac{T_{i-1,j}^{(t_1)} - 2T_{i,j}^{(t_1)} + T_{i+1,j}^{(t_1)}}{(\Delta x)^2} + \frac{T_{i,j-1}^{(t_1)} - 2T_{i,j}^{(t_1)} + T_{i,j+1}^{(t_1)}}{(\Delta y)^2} \right)$$

$$T_{i,j}^{(t_1+\Delta t)} = T_{i,j}^{(t_1)} + \Delta t \kappa \left( \frac{T_{i-1,j}^{(t_1)} - 2T_{i,j}^{(t_1)} + T_{i+1,j}^{(t_1)}}{(\Delta x)^2} + \frac{T_{i,j-1}^{(t_1)} - 2T_{i,j}^{(t_1)} + T_{i,j+1}^{(t_1)}}{(\Delta y)^2} \right)$$

 T(t<sub>2</sub>) appears only on left-hand side, so simple to program!

### If $\Delta x = \Delta z = h$ , simplifies to:

$$T_{i,j}^{(t_1 + \Delta t)} = T_{i,j}^{(t_1)} + \Delta t \kappa \left( \frac{T_{i-1,j}^{(t_1)} + T_{i+1,j}^{(t_1)} + T_{i,j-1}^{(t_1)} + T_{i,j+1}^{(t_1)} - 4T_{i,j}^{(t_1)}}{h^2} \right)$$

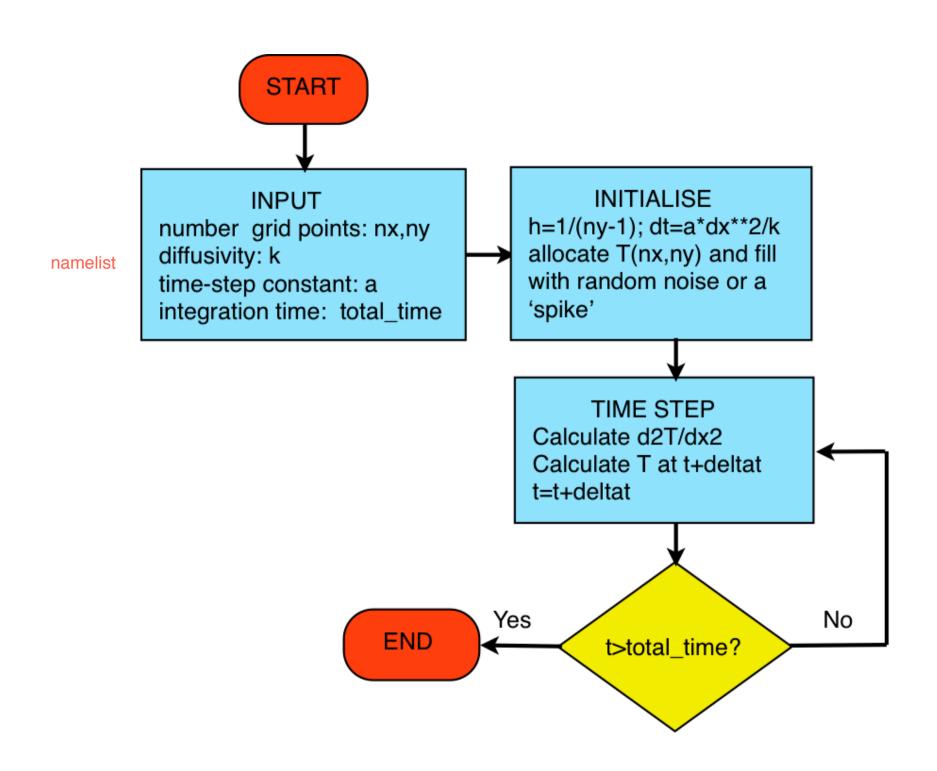
Store T<sub>i,j</sub> in an array T(i,j)

### A note about time stepping

- The explicit method is unstable if the time step is too large. This means, you get oscillations and the amplitude grows exponentially with time.
- This depends on the grid spacing:

$$\Delta t_{critical} = a(\Delta x)^2 / \kappa$$

• where **a** is a constant (0.5 in 1D: you need to determine this for 2D) Less than 0.5



#### Structure of the diffusion program

- Read in control parameters using namelist:
  - number of grid points nx,ny
  - kappa. Start with kappa=1
  - total integration time total\_time. Start with=0.1
- Set up variables and numerical details
  - T field: random or spike
  - grid spacing=1/(ny-1) (assumes domain size =1 in y)
  - time step dt, as  $\Delta t = a(\Delta x)^2/\kappa$  where a is a constant try between 0.1 and 1.0
  - number of time steps nsteps= total\_time/dt
- Write a loop to perform nsteps steps, which
  - find 2nd derivative d2 using the module function
  - update T field: T=T+dt\*kappa\*d2

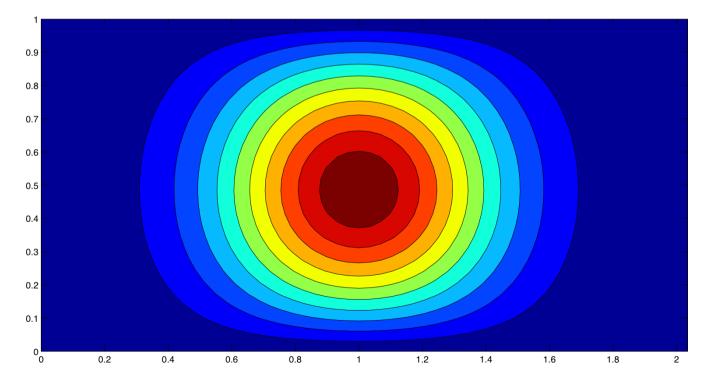
#### **Boundary conditions**

- To begin with, assume T=0 at the boundaries
- Make sure your initial T field has T=0 at the boundary points
- Make sure the T field has T=0 at the boundary points after each time step
- You can ignore the boundaries when calculating del-squared (set to 0)

#### **Tests**

- 1. Test your programs for two initial T distributions
  - (i) random (the solution should become smooth with time)
  - (ii) a spike, i.e., 0 everywhere except 1 in the centre cell (the solution should become a Gaussian).
- 2. Determine the critical value of 'a' above which the solution goes unstable, displaying oscillations that grow exponentially. Try different numbers of grid points: is it the same?.

Spike, nx=2\*ny total\_time=0.05



## Writing 2D array to a file, to be read by Matlab

```
open(1,file='T.dat',status='replace')
do j=1,ny
    write(1,'(1000(1pe13.5))') T(:,j)
end do
close(1)
```

To read into Matlab & plot:

load T.dat
contourf(T)