

Equation-free computational homogenisation with various boundaries and various patch spacing

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Examples

1 Eckhardt2210eg2: example of a 1D heterogeneous diffusion by simulation on small patches

Plot an example simulation in time generated by the patch scheme applied to macroscale forced diffusion through a medium with microscale heterogeneity in space. This is more-or-less the second example of Eckhardt and Verfürth (2022) [§6.2.1].

Suppose the spatial microscale lattice is at points x_i , with constant spacing dx . With dependent variables $u_i(t)$, simulate the microscale lattice forced diffusion system

$$\frac{\partial u_i}{\partial t} = \frac{1}{dx^2} \delta[a_{i-1/2} \delta u_i] + f_i(t), \quad (1)$$

in terms of the centred difference operator δ . The system has a microscale heterogeneity via the coefficients $a_{i+1/2}$ which has some given known periodicity ϵ .

Here use period $\epsilon = 1/130$ (so that computation completes in seconds). The patch scheme computes only on a fraction of the spatial domain, see Figure 1. Compute *errors* as the maximum difference (at time $t = 1$) between the patch scheme prediction and a full-domain simulation of the same underlying spatial discretisation (which here has space step 0.00128).

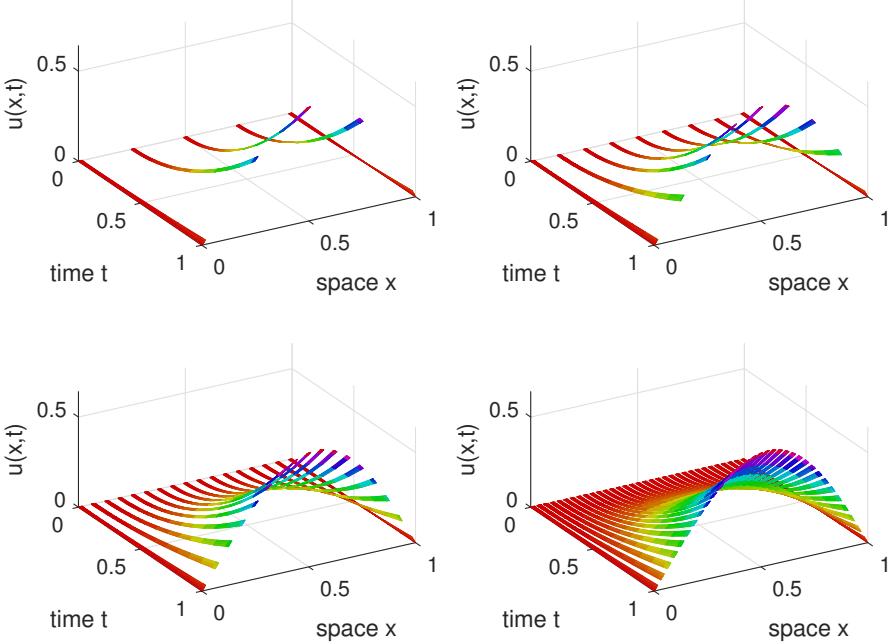
patch spacing H	0.25	0.12	0.06	0.03
exp-sine-forcing error	8E-3	2E-3	3E-4	2E-5
parabolic-forcing error	9E-9	4E-9	1E-9	0.06E-9

The smooth sine-forcing leads to errors that appear due to patch scheme and its interpolation. The parabolic-forcing errors appear to be due to the integration errors of `ode15s` and not at all due to the patch scheme. In comparison, Eckhardt and Verfürth (2022) reported much larger errors in the range 0.001–0.1 (Figure 3).

1.1 Simulate heterogeneous diffusion systems

First establish the microscale heterogeneity has micro-period `mPeriod` on the lattice, and coefficients to match Eckhardt2210.04536 §6.2.1. Set the phase of the heterogeneity so that each patch centre is a point of symmetry of the diffusivity. Then the heterogeneity is repeated to fill each patch.

Figure 1: diffusion field $u(x, t)$ of the patch scheme applied to the forced heterogeneous diffusive (1). Simulate for 5, 9, 17, 33 patches and compare to the full-domain simulation (65 patches, not shown).



```

78 clear all
79 %global OurCf2eps, OurCf2eps=true %option to save plots
80 mPeriod = 6
81 y = linspace(0,1,mPeriod+1)';
82 a = 1./(2-cos(2*pi*y(1:mPeriod)))
83 global microTimePeriod; microTimePeriod=0;

```

Set the spatial period ϵ , via integer $1/\epsilon$, and other parameters.

```

91 maxLog2Nx = 6
92 nPeriodsPatch = 2 % any integer
93 rEpsilon = nPeriodsPatch*(2^maxLog2Nx+1) % up to 200 say
94 dx = 1/(mPeriod*rEpsilon+1)
95 nSubP = nPeriodsPatch*mPeriod+2
96 tol=1e-9;

```

Loop to explore errors on various sized patches.

```

102 Us=[]; DXs=[]; % for storing results to compare
103 iPP=0; I=nan;
104 for log2Nx = 2:maxLog2Nx
105     nP = 2^log2Nx+1

```

Determine indices of patches that are common in various resolutions

```

112 if isnan(I), I=1:nP; else I=2*I-1; end

```

Establish the global data struct `patches` for the microscale heterogeneous lattice diffusion system (1) solved on domain $[0, 1]$, with nP patches, and say fourth order interpolation to provide the edge-values. Setting `patches.EdgeyInt` true means the edge-values come from interpolating the opposite next-to-edge values of the patches (not the mid-patch values).

```

127 global patches
128 ordCC = 4
129 configPatches1(@heteroDiffF,[0 1], 'equispace',nP ...
130     ,ordCC,dx,nSubP,'EdgeyInt',true,'hetCoeffs',a);
131 DX = mean(diff(squeeze(patches.x(1,1,1,:))))
132 DXs=[DXs;DX];

```

Set the forcing coefficients, either the original parabolic, or exp-sinusoidal.

```

140 if 0 % given forcing is exact
141     patches.f1=2*( patches.x-patches.x.^2 );
142     patches.f2=2*0.5+0*patches.x;
143 else% simple exp.sine forcing
144     patches.f1=sin(pi*patches.x).*exp(patches.x);
145     patches.f2=pi/2*sin(pi*patches.x).*exp(patches.x);
146 end%if

```

Simulate Set the initial conditions of a simulation to be zero. Integrate to time 1 using standard integrators.

```

157 u0 = 0*patches.x;
158 tic
159 [ts,us] = ode15s(@patchSys1, [0 1], u0(:));
160 cpuTime=toc

```

Plot space-time surface of the simulation We want to see the edge values of the patches, so adjoin a row of `nans` in between patches. For the field values (which are rows in `us`) we need to reshape, permute, interpolate to get edge values, pad with `nans`, and reshape again.

```

173 xs = squeeze(patches.x);
174 us = patchEdgeInt1( permute( reshape(us ...
175     ,length(ts),nSubP,1,nP) ,[2 1 3 4]) );
176 us = squeeze(us);
177 xs(end+1,:) = nan; us(end+1,:,:,:) = nan;
178 uss=reshape(permute(us,[1 3 2]),[],length(ts));

```

Plot a space-time surface of field values over the macroscale duration of the simulation.

```

186 iPP=iPP+1;
187 if iPP<=4 % only draw four subplots
188     figure(1), if iPP==1, clf(), end
189     subplot(2,2,iPP)
190     mesh(ts,xs(:,uss))
191     if iPP==1, uMax=ceil(max(uss(:))*100)/100, end
192     view(60,40), colormap(0.8* hsv), zlim([0 uMax])
193     xlabel('time t'), ylabel('space x'), zlabel('u(x,t)')
194     drawnow
195 end%if

```

At the end of the `log2Nx`-loop, store field at the end-time from centre region of each patch for comparison.

```

203 i=nPeriodsPatch/2*mPeriod+1+(-mPeriod/2+1:mPeriod/2);
204 Us(:,:,iPP)=squeeze(us(i,end,I));
205 Xs=squeeze(patches.x(i,1,1,I));
206 if iPP>1
207     assert(norm(Xs-Xsp)<tol,'sampling error in space')
208     end
209 Xsp=Xs;
210 end%for log2Nx
211 ifOurCf2eps(mfilename) %optionally save plot

```

Assess errors by comparing to the full-domain solution

```

217 DXs=DXs
218 Uerr=squeeze(max(max(abs(Us-Us(:,:,end))))) )
219 figure(2),clf,
220 loglog(DXs,Uerr,'o:')
221 xlabel('H'),ylabel('error')
222 ifOrCf2eps([mfilename 'Errs']) %optionally save plot

```

1.2 heteroDiffF(): forced heterogeneous diffusion

This function codes the lattice heterogeneous diffusion inside the patches with forcing and with microscale boundary conditions on the macroscale boundaries. Computes the time derivative at each point in the interior of a patch, output in `ut`. The column vector of diffusivities a_i has been stored in struct `patches.cs`, as has the array of forcing coefficients.

```

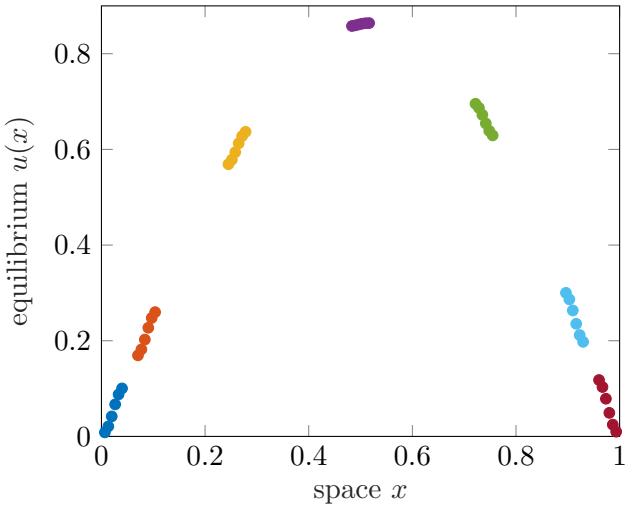
17 function ut = heteroDiffF(t,u,patches)
18     global microTimePeriod
19     % macroscale Dirichlet BCs
20     u( 1 ,:,:, 1 )=0; % left-edge of leftmost is zero
21     u(end,:,:,:end)=0; % right-edge of rightmost is zero
22     % interior forced diffusion
23     dx = diff(patches.x(2:3));    % space step
24     i = 2:size(u,1)-1;    % interior points in a patch
25     ut = nan+u;           % preallocate output array
26     if microTimePeriod>0 % optional time fluctuations
27         at = cos(2*pi*t/microTimePeriod)/30;
28     else at=0; end
29     ut(i,:,:,:) = diff((patches.cs(:,1,:)+at).*diff(u))/dx^2 ...
30         +patches.f2(i,:,:,:)*t^2+patches.f1(i,:,:,:)*t;
31 end% function

```

2 EckhartEquilib: find an equilibrium of a 1D heterogeneous diffusion via small patches

Sections 1 and 1.2 describe details of the problem and more details of the following configuration. The aim is to find the equilibrium, Figure 2, of the forced heterogeneous system with a forcing corresponding to that applied at time $t = 1$. Computational efficiency comes from only computing the microscale

Figure 2: Equilibrium of the heterogeneous diffusion problem with forcing the same as that applied at time $t = 1$, and for relatively large $\epsilon = 0.04$ so we can see the patches. By default this code sets $\epsilon = 0.004$ whence the microscale heterogeneity and patches are tiny.



heterogeneity on small spatially sparse patches, potentially much smaller than those shown in [Figure 2](#).

First configure the patch system Establish the microscale heterogeneity has micro-period `mPeriod` on the lattice, and coefficients to match Eckhardt and Verfürth ([2022](#)) [§6.2.1].

```
48 clear all
49 %global OurCf2eps, OurCf2eps=true %option to save plots
50 mPeriod = 6
51 y = linspace(0,1,mPeriod+1)';
52 a = 1./(2-cos(2*pi*y(1:mPeriod)))
53 global microTimePeriod; microTimePeriod=0;
```

Set the number of patches, the number of periods per patch, and the spatial period ϵ , via integer $1/\epsilon$.

```
62 nPatch = 7
63 nPeriodsPatch = 1 % any integer
64 rEpsilon = 25 % 25 for graphic, up to 2000 say
65 dx = 1/(mPeriod*rEpsilon+1)
66 nSubP = nPeriodsPatch*mPeriod+2
```

Establish the global data struct `patches` for the microscale heterogeneous lattice diffusion system ([1](#)) solved on domain $[0, 1]$, with Chebyshev-like distri-

bution of patches, and say fourth order interpolation to provide the edge-values. Use ‘edgy’ interpolation.

```
78 global patches  
79 ordCC = 4  
80 configPatches1(@heteroDiffF,[0 1], 'chebyshev', nPatch ...  
81 ,ordCC,dx,nSubP,'EdgyInt',true,'hetCoeffs',a);
```

Set the forcing coefficients, either the original parabolic, or exp-sinusoidal. At time $t = 1$ the resultant forcing we actually apply here is simply the sum of the two components.

```
90 if 0 % given forcing  
91 patches.f1 = 2*( patches.x-patches.x.^2 );  
92 patches.f2 = 2*0.5+0*patches.x;  
93 else% simple exp-sine forcing  
94 patches.f1 = sin(pi*patches.x).*exp(patches.x);  
95 patches.f2 = pi/2*sin(pi*patches.x).*exp(patches.x);  
96 end%if
```

Find equilibrium with fsolve We seek the equilibrium for the forcing that applies at time $t = 1$ (as if that specific forcing were applying for all time). Execute the function that invokes `fsolve`. For this linear problem, it is computationally quicker using a linear solver, but `fsolve` is quicker in human time, and generalises to nonlinear problems.

```
110 u = squeeze(execFsolve)
```

Then plot the equilibrium solution ([Figure 2](#)).

```
116 clf, plot(squeeze(patches.x),u,'.')  
117 xlabel('space $x$'), ylabel('equilibrium $u(x)$')  
118 ifOurCf2tex(mfilename)%optionally save
```

2.1 One way to execute `fsolve`

We code the function `execFsolve` to execute `fsolve` because easiest if a sub-function that computes the time derivatives has access to variables `u0` and `i`.

```
132 function [u,normRes] = execFsolve  
133 global patches
```

Start the search from a zero field.

```
139 u0 = 0*patches.x;
```

But set patch-edge values to `Nan` in order to use `i` to index the interior sub-patch points as they are the variables.

```
147 u0([1 end],:,:, :) = nan;
148 i = find(~isnan(u0));
```

Seek the equilibrium, and report the norm of the residual.

```
154 [u0(i),res] = fsolve(@duidt,u0(i));
155 normRes = norm(res)
```

The aim is to zero the time derivatives `duidt` in the following function. First, insert the vector of variables into the patch-array of `u0`. Second, find the time derivatives via the patch scheme, and finally return a vector of those at the patch-internal points.

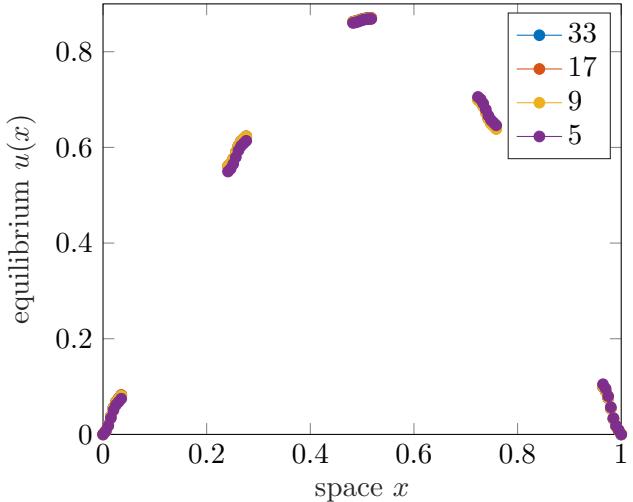
```
166 function res = duidt(ui)
167   u = u0;   u(i) = ui;
168   res = patchSys1(1,u);
169   res = res(i);
170 end%function duidt
171 end%function execFsolve
```

Fin.

3 EckhartEquilibErrs: explore errors in equilibria of a 1D heterogeneous diffusion on small patches

[Figure 2](#) finds the equilibrium, of the forced heterogeneous system with a forcing corresponding to that applied at time $t = 1$. Computational efficiency comes from only computing the microscale heterogeneity on small spatially sparse patches. Here we explore the errors as the number N of patches increases.

Figure 3: Equilibrium of the heterogeneous diffusion problem for relatively large $\epsilon = 0.03$ so we can see the patches. The solution is obtained with various numbers of patches, but we only compare solutions in these five common patches.



Find mean-abs errors to be the following:

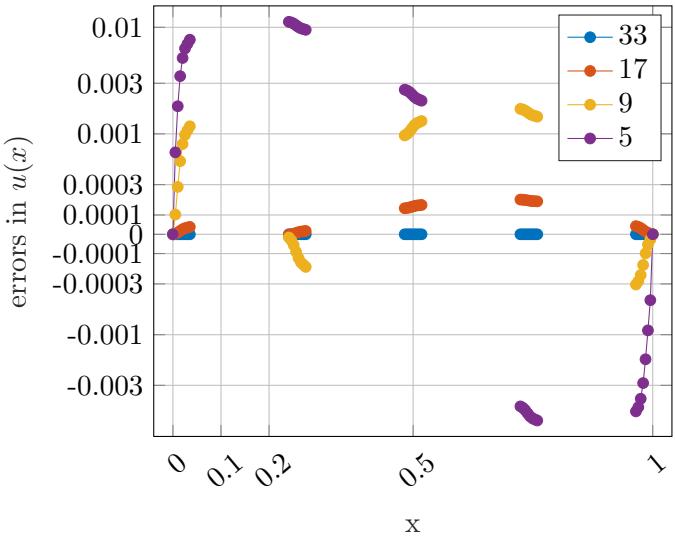
	$N =$	5	9	17	33	65
equispace	second-order	8E-3	1E-2	1E-2	4E-3	9E-4
equispace	fourth-order	2E-3	7E-4	1E-4	9E-6	5E-7
equispace	sixth-order	2E-3	2E-5	4E-7	1E-8	2E-10
chebyshev	second-order	4E-2	6E-2	3E-2	2E-2	2E-2
chebyshev	fourth-order	9E-4	3E-3	6E-4	3E-4	2E-4
chebyshev	sixth-order	9E-4	3E-5	1E-5	4E-6	1E-6
usergiven	second-order	4E-2	6E-2	3E-2	9E-3	2E-3
usergiven	fourth-order	8E-4	3E-3	6E-4	4E-5	2E-6
usergiven	sixth-order	8E-4	3E-5	1E-5	2E-7	3E-9

For ‘chebyshev’ this assessment of errors is a bit dodgy as it is based only on the centre and boundary patches. The ‘usergiven’ distribution is for overlapping patches with Chebyshev distribution of centres—a spatial ‘christmas tree’¹. Curiously, and with above caveats, here my ‘smart’ chebyshev is the worst, the overlapping Chebyshev is good, but equispace is usually the best.

The above errors are for simple sin forcing. What if we make not so simple with exp modification of the forcing? The errors shown below are very little

¹But the error assessment is with respect to finest patch-grid, no longer with a full domain solution

Figure 4: Errors in the equilibrium of the heterogeneous diffusion problem for relatively large $\epsilon = 0.03$. The solution is obtained with various numbers of patches, but we only plot the errors within these five common patches.



different (despite the magnitude of the solution being a little larger).

	$N =$	5	9	17	33	65
equispace	fourth-order	4E-3	7E-4	1E-4	8E-6	5E-7
chebyshev	fourth-order	7E-4	2E-3	5E-4	3E-4	1E-4
usergiven	fourth-order	2E-3	3E-3	5E-4	4E-5	2E-6

Clear, and initiate global patches. Choose the type of patch distribution to be either 'equispace', 'chebyshev', or 'usergiven'. Also set order of interpolation (fourth-order is good start).

```

123 clear all
124 global patches
125 %global OurCf2eps, OurCf2eps=true %option to save plots
126 switch 1
127   case 1, Dom.type = 'equispace'
128   case 2, Dom.type = 'chebyshev'
129   case 3, Dom.type = 'usergiven'
130 end% switch
131 ordInt = 4

```

First configure the patch system Establish the microscale heterogeneity has micro-period `mPeriod` on the lattice, and coefficients to match Eckhardt2210.04536 §6.2.1.

```

142 mPeriod = 6
143 z = (0.5:mPeriod)'/mPeriod;
144 a = 1./(2-cos(2*pi*z))
145 global microTimePeriod; microTimePeriod=0;

```

To use a hierarchy of patches with `nPatch` of 5, 9, 17, ..., we need up to N patches plus one `dx` to fit into the domain interval. Cater for up to some full-domain simulation—can compute $\log_2 N_{\max} = 129$ ($\epsilon = 0.008$) in a few seconds:

```

156 log2Nmax = 7 % 5 for plots, 7 for choice
157 nPatchMax=2^log2Nmax+1

```

Set the periodicity ϵ , and other microscale parameters.

```

164 nPeriodsPatch = 1 % any integer
165 nSubP = nPeriodsPatch*mPeriod+2 % for edgy int
166 epsilon = 1/(nPatchMax*nPeriodsPatch+1/mPeriod)
167 dx = epsilon/mPeriod

```

For various numbers of patches Choose five to be the coarsest number of patches. Want place to store common results for the solutions. Assign `Ps` to be the indices of the common patches: for equispace set to the five common patches, but for chebyshev the only common ones are the three centre and boundary-adjacent patches.

```

177 us=[]; xs=[]; nPs=[];
178 for log2N=log2Nmax:-1:2
179 if log2N==log2Nmax
180     Ps=linspace(1,nPatchMax ...
181         ,5-2*all(Dom.type=='chebyshev'))
182 else Ps=(Ps+1)/2
183 end

```

Set the number of patches in $(0, 1)$:

```

189 nPatch = 2^log2N+1

```

In the case of ‘`usergiven`’, we choose standard Chebyshev distribution of the centre of the patches, which involves overlapping of patches near the boundaries! (instead of the coded chebyshev which has a boundary layer of non-overlapping patches and a Chebyshev within the interior).

```

195 if all(Dom.type=='usergiven')
196     halfWidth=dx*(nSubP-1)/2;
197     X1 = 0+halfWidth; X2 = 1-halfWidth;
198     Dom.X = (X1+X2)/2-(X2-X1)/2*cos(linspace(0,pi,nPatch));
199 end

```

Configure the patches:

```

205 configPatches1(@heteroDiffF,[0 1],Dom,nPatch ...
206     ,ordInt,dx,nSubP,'EdgyInt',true,'hetCoeffs',a);

```

Set the forcing coefficients, either the original parabolic, or sinusoidal. At time $t = 1$ the resultant forcing we actually apply here is simply the sum of the two components.

```

215 if 0 %given forcing gives exact answers for ordInt=4 !
216     patches.f1 = 2*( patches.x-patches.x.^2 );
217     patches.f2 = 2*0.5+0*patches.x;
218 else% simple exp-sine forcing
219     patches.f1 = sin(pi*patches.x).*exp(patches.x);
220     patches.f2 = pi/2*sin(pi*patches.x).*exp(patches.x);
221 end%if

```

Solve for steady state Set initial guess of either zero or a subsample of the next finer solution, with NaN to indicate patch-edge values. Index i are the indices of patch-interior points, and the number of unknowns is then its length.

```

233 if log2N==log2Nmax
234     u0 = zeros(nSubP,1,1,nPatch);
235 else u0 = u0(:, :, :, 1:2:end);
236 end
237 u0([1 end], :) = nan;
238 patches.i = find(~isnan(u0));
239 nVariables = numel(patches.i)

```

Solve via `fsolve` for simplicity and robustness (and using `optimoptions` to omit trace information).

```

246 tic;
247 uSoln = fsolve(@theRes1,u0(patches.i) ...
248     ,optimoptions('fsolve','Display','off'));
249 fsolveTime = toc

```

Store the solution into the patches, and give magnitudes—Inf norm is max(abs()).

```
256 normSoln = norm(uSoln,Inf)
257 normResidual = norm(theRes1(uSoln),Inf)
258 u0(patches.i) = uSoln;
259 u0 = patchEdgeInt1(u0);
260 u0( 1 ,:,:, 1 ) = 0;
261 u0(end,:,:end) = 0;
```

Concatenate the solution on common patches into stores.

```
267 us=cat(3,us,squeeze(u0(:,:,:,Ps)));
268 xs=cat(3,xs,squeeze(patches.x(:,:,:,Ps)));
269 nPs = [nP;nP];
```

End loop. Check grids were aligned, then compute errors compared to the full-domain solution.

```
277 end%for log2N
278 assert(max(abs(reshape(diff(xs,1,3),[],1)))<1e-12,'x-coord failure')
279 errs = us-us(:,:,1);
280 meanAbsErrs = mean(abs(reshape(errs,[],size(us,3))));
281 ratioErrs = meanAbsErrs(2:end)./meanAbsErrs(1:end-1)
```

Plot solution in common patches First adjoin NaNs to separate patches, and reshape.

```
291 x=xs(:,:,1); u=us;
292 x(end+1,:)=nan; u(end+1,:)=nan;
293 u=reshape(u,numel(x),[]);
```

Reshape solution field.

```
299 figure(1),clf
300 plot(x(:,u,'.-'), legend(num2str(nP))
301 xlabel('space $x$'), ylabel('equilibrium $u(x)$')
302 ifOurCf2tex([mfilename 'us'])%optionally save
```

Plot errors Use quasi-log axis to separate the errors.

```
310 err = u(:,1)-u;
311 figure(2), clf
```

```

312 h=plot(x(:,err,'.-'); legend(num2str(nPs))
313 quasiLogAxes(h,10,sqrt(prod(meanAbsErrs(2:3))))
314 xlabel('space $x$'), ylabel('errors in $u(x)$')
315 ifOurCf2tex(mfilename)%optionally save

```

3.1 theRes1(): function to zero

This functions converts a vector of values into the interior values of the patches, then evaluates the time derivative of the system, and returns the vector of patch-interior time derivatives.

```

331 function f=theRes1(u)
332     global patches
333     v=nan(size(patches.x));
334     v(patches.i)=u;
335     f=patchSys1(1,v(:,patches);
336     f=f(patches.i);
337 end%function theRes1

```

4 Eckhardt2210eg1: example of 1D space-time heterogeneous diffusion via computational homogenisation with projective integration and small patches

An example simulation in time generated by projective integration allied with the patch scheme applied to forced diffusion in a medium with microscale heterogeneity in both space and time. This is more-or-less the first example of Eckhardt and Verfürth (2022) [§6.2].

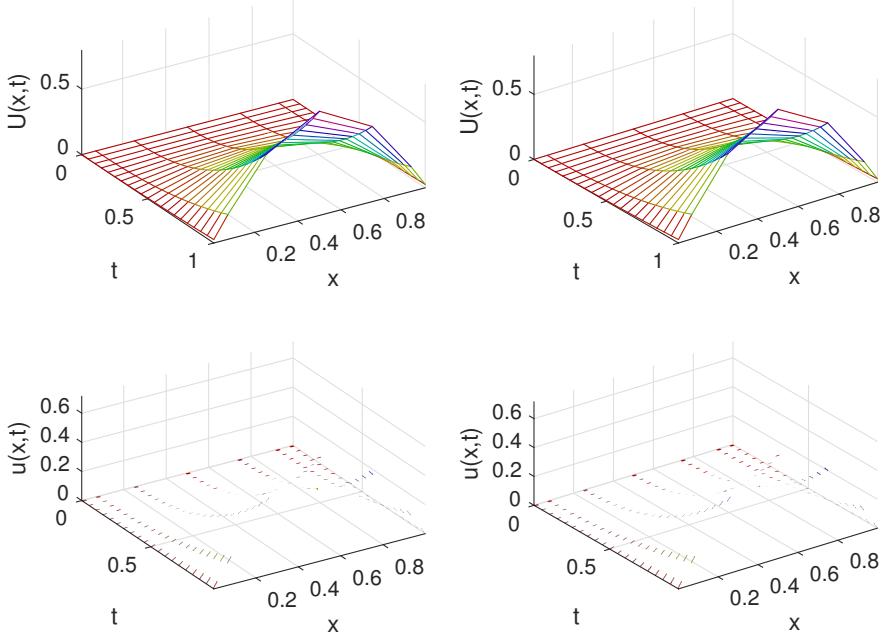
Suppose the spatial microscale lattice is at points x_i , with constant spacing dx . With dependent variables $u_i(t)$, simulate the microscale lattice forced diffusion system

$$\frac{\partial u_i}{\partial t} = \frac{1}{dx^2} \delta[a_{i-1/2}(t) \delta u_i] + f_i(t), \quad (2)$$

in terms of the centred difference operator δ . The system has a microscale heterogeneity via the coefficients $a_{i+1/2}$ which has given periodicity ϵ in space, and periodicity ϵ^2 in time. [Figure 5](#) shows an example patch simulation.

The approximate homogenised PDE is $U_t = A_0 U_{xx} + F$ with $U = 0$ at $x = 0, 1$. Its slowest mode is then $U = \sin(\pi x)e^{-A_0\pi^2 t}$. When $A_0 = 3.3524$ as in Eckhardt then the rate of evolution is about 33 which is relatively fast on

Figure 5: diffusion field $u(x, t)$ of the patch scheme applied to the forced space-time heterogeneous diffusive (2). Simulate for seven patches (with a ‘Chebyshev’ distribution): the top stereo pair is a mesh plot of a macroscale value at the centre of each spatial patch at each projective integration time-step; the bottom stereo pair shows the corresponding tiny space-time patches in which microscale computations were carried out.



the simulation time-scale of $T = 1$. Let’s slow down the dynamics by reducing diffusivities by a factor of 30, so effectively $A_0 \approx 0.1$ and $A_0\pi^2 \approx 1$.

Also, in the microscale fluctuations change the time variation to cosine, not its square (because I cannot see the point of squaring it!).

The highest wavenumber mode on the macro-grid of patches, spacing H , is the zig-zag mode on $\dot{U}_I = A_0(U_{I+1} - 2U_I + U_{I-1})/H^2 + F_I$ which evolves like $U_I = (-1)^I e^{-\alpha t}$ for the fastest ‘slow rate’ of $\alpha = 4A_0^2/H^2$. When $H = 0.2$ and $A_0 \approx 0.1$ this rate is $\alpha \approx 10$.

Here use period $\epsilon = 1/100$ (so that computation completes in seconds, and because we have slowed the dynamics by 30). The patch scheme computes only on a fraction of the spatial domain. Projective integration computes only on a fraction of the time domain determined by the ‘burst length’.

4.1 Simulate heterogeneous diffusion systems

First establish the microscale heterogeneity has micro-period `mPeriod` on the spatial lattice, and coefficients inspired by Eckhardt2210.04536 §6.2. Set the phase of the heterogeneity so that each patch centre is a point of symmetry of the diffusivity. Then the heterogeneity is repeated to fill each patch. If an odd number of odd-periods in a patch, then the centre patch is a grid point of the field u , otherwise the centre patch is at a half-grid point.

```
98 clear all
99 %global OurCf2eps, OurCf2eps=true %option to save plots
100 mPeriod = 6
101 y = linspace(0,1,mPeriod+1)';
102 a = ( 3+cos(2*pi*y(1:mPeriod)) )/30
103 A0 = 1/mean(1./a) % roughly the effective diffusivity
```

The microscale diffusivity has an additional additive component of $+\frac{1}{30} \cos(2\pi t/\epsilon^2)$ which is coded into time derivative routine via global `microTimePeriod`.

Set the periodicity, via integer $1/\epsilon$, and other parameters.

```
116 nPeriodsPatch = 2 % any integer
117 rEpsilon = 100
118 dx = 1/(mPeriod*rEpsilon+1)
119 nSubP = nPeriodsPatch*mPeriod+2
120 tol=1e-9;
```

Set the time periodicity (global).

```
126 global microTimePeriod
127 microTimePeriod = 1/rEpsilon^2
```

Establish the global data struct `patches` for the microscale heterogeneous lattice diffusion system (2) solved on macroscale domain $[0, 1]$, with `nPatch` patches, and say fourth-order interpolation to provide the edge-values of the inter-patch coupling conditions. Distribute the patches either equispaced or chebyshev. Setting `patches.EdgeInt` true means the edge-values come from interpolating the opposite next-to-edge values of the patches (not the mid-patch values).

```
144 nPatch = 7
145 ordCC = 4
146 Dom = 'chebyshev'
```

```

147 global patches
148 configPatches1(@heteroDiffF,[0 1],Dom,nPatch ...
149     ,ordCC,dx,nSubP,'EdgyInt',true,'hetCoeffs',a);
150 DX = mean(diff(squeeze(patches.x(1,1,1,:))))

```

Set the forcing coefficients as the odd-periodic extensions, accounting for roundoff error in `f2`.

```

158 if 0 % given forcing
159     patches.f1=2*( patches.x-patches.x.^2 );
160     patches.f2=2*0.5+0*patches.x;
161 else% simple sine forcing
162     patches.f1=sin(pi*patches.x);
163     patches.f2=pi/2*sin(pi*patches.x);
164 end%if

```

Simulate Set the initial conditions of a simulation to be zero. Mark that edge of patches are not to be used in the projective extrapolation by setting initial values to NaN.

```

175 u0 = 0*patches.x;
176 u0([1 end],:) = nan;

```

Set the desired macro- and microscale time-steps over the time domain. The macroscale step is in proportion to the effective mean diffusion time on the macroscale, here $1/(A_0\pi^2) \approx 1$ so for macro-scale error less than 1% need $\Delta t < 0.24$, so use 0.1 say.

The burst time depends upon the sub-patch effective diffusion rate β where here rate $\beta \approx \pi^2 A_0/h^2 \approx 2000$ for patch width $h \approx 0.02$: use the formula from the Manual, with some extra factor, and rounded to the nearest multiple of the time micro-periodicity.

```

193 ts = linspace(0,1,21)
194 h=(nSubP-1)*dx;
195 beta = pi^2*A0/h^2 % slowest rate of fast modes
196 burstT = 2.5*log(beta*diff(ts(1:2)))/beta
197 burstT = max(10,round(burstT/microTimePeriod))*microTimePeriod +1e-12
198 addpath('..../ProjInt')

```

Time the projective integration simulation.

```

204 tic
205 [us,tss,uss] = PIRK2(@heteroBurstF, ts, u0(:), burstT);
206 cputime=toc

```

Plot space-time surface of the simulation First, just a macroscale mesh plot—stereo pair.

```

216 xs=squeeze(patches.x);
217 Xs=mean(xs);
218 Us=squeeze(mean( reshape(us,length(ts),[],nPatch), 2,'omitnan'));
219 figure(1),clf
220 for k = 1:2, subplot(2,2,k)
221   mesh(ts,Xs(:,),Us')
222   ylabel('x'), xlabel('t'), zlabel('U(x,t)')
223   colormap(0.8*hsv), axis tight, view(62-4*k,45)
224 end

```

Second, plot a surface detailing the microscale bursts—stereo pair. Do not bother with the patch-edge values. Optionally save to Figs folder.

```

232 xs([1 end],:) = nan;
233 for k = 1:2, subplot(2,2,2+k)
234   surf(tss,xs(:,),uss', 'EdgeColor','none')
235   ylabel('x'), xlabel('t'), zlabel('u(x,t)')
236   colormap(0.7*hsv), axis tight, view(62-4*k,45)
237 end
238 ifOrCf2eps(mfilename)

```

4.2 heteroBurstF(): a burst of heterogeneous diffusion

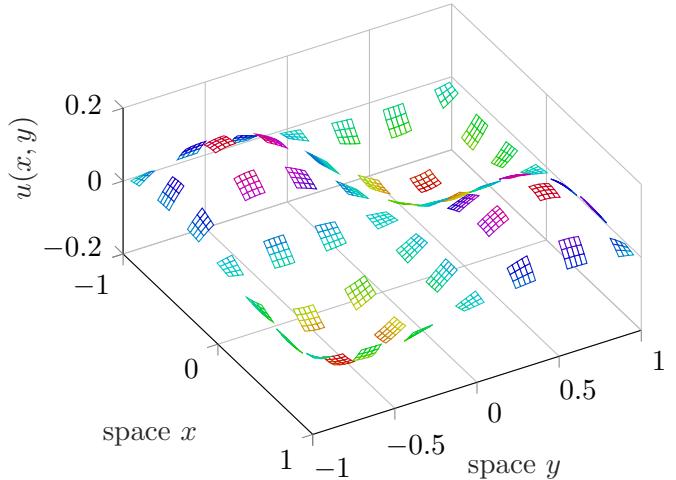
This code integrates in time the derivatives computed by `heteroDiff` from within the patch coupling of `patchSys1`. Try `ode23`, although `ode45` may give smoother results. Sample every period of the microscale time fluctuations (or, at least, close to the period).

```

17 function [ts, ucts] = heteroBurstF(ti, ui, bT)
18   global microTimePeriod
19   [ts,ucts] = ode45( @patchSys1,ti+(0:microTimePeriod:bT),ui(:));
20 end

```

Figure 6: Equilibrium of the macroscale diffusion problem of Freese with Dirichlet zero-value boundary conditions (Section 5). The patch size is not small so we can see the patches.



5 monoscaleDiffEquil2: equilibrium of a 2D monoscale heterogeneous diffusion via small patches

Here we find the steady state $u(x, y)$, see Figure 6, to the heterogeneous PDE (inspired by Freese et al.² §5.2)

$$u_t = A(x, y) \vec{\nabla} \vec{\nabla} u - f,$$

on domain $[-1, 1]^2$ with Dirichlet BCs, for coefficient pseudo-diffusion matrix

$$A := \begin{bmatrix} 2 & a \\ a & 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{with } a := \text{sign}(xy) \text{ or } a := \sin(\pi x) \sin(\pi y),$$

and for forcing $f(x, y)$ such that the exact equilibrium is $u = x(1 - e^{1-|x|})y(1 - e^{1-|y|})$. But for simplicity, let's obtain $u = x(1 - x^2)y(1 - y^2)$ for which we code f later—as determined by this Reduce algebra code.

```
on gcd; factor sin;
u:=x*(1-x^2)*y*(1-y^2);
a:=sin(pi*x)*sin(pi*y);
f:=2*df(u,x,x)+2*a*df(u,x,y)+2*df(u,y,y);
```

Clear, and initiate globals.

² <http://arxiv.org/abs/2211.13731>

```

57 clear all
58 global patches
59 %global OurCf2eps, OurCf2eps=true %option to save plot

```

Patch configuration Initially use 7×7 patches in the square $(-1, 1)^2$. For continuous forcing we may have small patches of any reasonable microgrid spacing—here the microgrid error dominates.

```

70 nPatch = 7
71 nSubP = 5
72 dx = 0.03

```

Specify some order of interpolation.

```

78 configPatches2(@monoscaleDiffForce2, [-1 1 -1 1], 'equispace' ...
79 ,nPatch ,4 ,dx ,nSubP , 'EdgyInt',true );

```

Compute the time-constant coefficient and time-constant forcing, and store them in struct `patches` for access by the microcode of [Section 5.1](#).

```

87 x=patches.x; y=patches.y;
88 patches.A = sin(pi*x).*sin(pi*y);
89 patches.fu = ...
90 +2*patches.A.* (9*x.^2.*y.^2-3*x.^2-3*y.^2+1) ...
91 +12*x.*y.* (x.^2+y.^2-2);

```

By construction, the PDE has analytic solution

```

97 uAnal = x.* (1-x.^2).*y.* (1-y.^2);

```

Solve for steady state Set initial guess of zero, with `NaN` to indicate patch-edge values. Index `i` are the indices of patch-interior points, and the number of unknowns is then its length.

```

110 u0 = zeros(nSubP,nSubP,1,1,nPatch,nPatch);
111 u0([1 end],:,:) = nan; u0(:,[1 end],:) = nan;
112 patches.i = find(~isnan(u0));
113 nVariables = numel(patches.i)

```

Solve by iteration. Use `fsolve` for simplicity and robustness (using `optimoptions` to omit its trace information), and give magnitudes.

```

121 tic;
122 uSoln = fsolve(@theRes1,u0(patches.i) ...
123     ,optimoptions('fsolve','Display','off'));
124 solnTime = toc
125 normResidual = norm(theRes1(uSoln))
126 normSoln = norm(uSoln)
127 normError = norm(uSoln-uAnal(patches.i))

```

Store the solution vector into the patches, and interpolate, but have not bothered to set boundary values so they stay NaN from the interpolation.

```

135 u0(patches.i) = uSoln;
136 u0 = patchEdgeInt2(u0);

```

Draw solution profile Separate patches with NaNs, then reshape arrays to suit 2D space surface plots.

```

147 figure(1), clf, colormap(0.8* hsv)
148 x(end+1,:,:)=nan; u0(end+1,:,:)=nan;
149 y(:,end+1,:)=nan; u0(:,end+1,:)=nan;
150 u = reshape(permute(squeeze(u0), [1 3 2 4]), [numel(x) numel(y)]);

```

Draw the patch solution surface, with boundary-values omitted as already NaN by not bothering to set them.

```

157 mesh(x(:,y(:,u')); view(60,55)
158 xlabel('space $x$'), ylabel('space $y$'), zlabel('$u(x,y)$')
159 ifOurCf2tex(mfilename)%optionally save

```

5.1 monoscaleDiffForce2(): microscale discretisation inside patches of forced diffusion PDE

This function codes the lattice heterogeneous diffusion of the PDE inside the patches. For 6D input arrays u , x , and y , computes the time derivative at each point in the interior of a patch, output in ut .

```

176 function ut = monoscaleDiffForce2(t,u,patches)
177 dx = diff(patches.x(2:3)); % x space step
178 dy = diff(patches.y(2:3)); % y space step
179 i = 2:size(u,1)-1; % x interior points in a patch
180 j = 2:size(u,2)-1; % y interior points in a patch
181 ut = nant+u; % preallocate output array

```

Set Dirichlet boundary value of zero around the square domain.

```
188 u( 1 ,:,:, :, 1 ,:) = 0; % left edge of left patches  
189 u(end,:,:, :,end,:) = 0; % right edge of right patches  
190 u(:, 1 ,:,:, :, 1 ) = 0; % bottom edge of bottom patches  
191 u(:,end,:,:, :,end) = 0; % top edge of top patches
```

Or code some function variation around the boundary, such as a function of y on the left boundary, and a (constant) function of x at the top boundary.

```
199 if 0  
200     u(1,:,:,:,1,:)=(1+patches.y)/2; % left edge of left patches  
201     u(:,end,:,:, :,end)=1; % top edge of top patches  
202 end%if
```

Compute the time derivatives via stored forcing and coefficients. Easier to code by conflating the last four dimensions into the one ,:.

```
210 ut(i,j,: ) ...  
211 = 2*diff(u(:,j,: ),2,1)/dx^2 +2*diff(u(i,: ),2,2)/dy^2 ...  
212 +2*patches.A(i,j,: ).*( u(i+1,j+1,: ) -u(i-1,j+1,: ) ...  
213 -u(i+1,j-1,: ) +u(i-1,j-1,: ))/(4*dx*dy) ...  
214 -patches.fu(i,j,: );  
215 end%function monoscaleDiffForce2
```

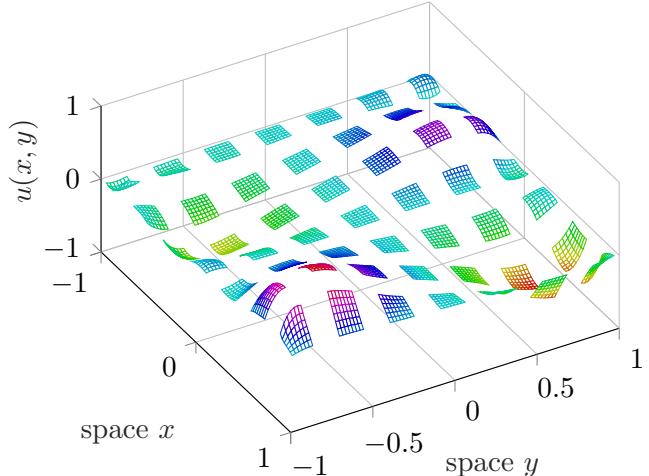
5.2 theRes1(): function to zero

This functions converts a vector of values into the interior values of the patches, then evaluates the time derivative of the system, and returns the vector of patch-interior time derivatives.

```
227 function f=theRes1(u)  
228     global patches  
229     v=nan(size(patches.x+patches.y));  
230     v(patches.i)=u;  
231     f=patchSys2(0,v(: ),patches);  
232     f=f(patches.i);  
233 end%function theRes1
```

Fin.

Figure 7: Equilibrium of the multiscale diffusion problem of Freese with Dirichlet zero-value boundary conditions (Section 6). The patch size is not small so we can see the patches and the sub-patch grid. The solution $u(x, y)$ is boringly smooth.



6 twoscaleDiffEquil2: equilibrium of a 2D two-scale heterogeneous diffusion via small patches

Here we find the steady state $u(x, y)$ to the heterogeneous PDE (inspired by Freese et al.³ §5.3.1)

$$u_t = A(x, y) \vec{\nabla} \vec{\nabla} u - f,$$

on domain $[-1, 1]^2$ with Dirichlet BCs, for coefficient ‘diffusion’ matrix, varying with period 2ϵ on the microscale $\epsilon = 2^{-7}$, of

$$A := \begin{bmatrix} 2 & a \\ a & 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{with } a := \sin(\pi x/\epsilon) \sin(\pi y/\epsilon),$$

and for forcing $f := (x + \cos 3\pi x)y^3$.

Clear, and initiate globals.

```
41 clear all
42 global patches
43 %global OurCf2eps, OurCf2eps=true %option to save plot
```

First establish the microscale heterogeneity has micro-period `mPeriod` on the spatial lattice. Set the phase of the heterogeneity so that each patch centre is a point of symmetry of the diffusivity. Then `configPatches2` replicates the heterogeneity to fill each patch.

³ <http://arxiv.org/abs/2211.13731>

```

56 mPeriod = 6
57 z = (0.5:mPeriod)'/mPeriod;
58 A = sin(2*pi*z).*sin(2*pi*z');

```

Set the periodicity, via ϵ , and other microscale parameters.

```

65 nPeriodsPatch = 1 % any integer
66 epsilon = 2^(-6) % 4 or 5 to see the patches
67 dx = (2*epsilon)/mPeriod
68 nSubP = nPeriodsPatch*mPeriod+2 % for edgy int

```

Patch configuration Say use 7×7 patches in $(-1, 1)^2$, fourth order interpolation, and either ‘equispace’ or ‘chebyshev’:

```

79 nPatch = 7
80 configPatches2(@twoscaleDiffForce2, [-1 1], 'equispace' ...
81 ,nPatch ,4 ,dx ,nSubP , 'EdgyInt',true , 'hetCoeffs',A );

```

Compute the time-constant forcing, and store in struct `patches` for access by the microcode of [Section 7.1](#).

```

89 x = patches.x; y = patches.y;
90 patches.fu = 100*(x+cos(3*pi*x)).*y.^3;

```

Solve for steady state Set initial guess of zero, with NaN to indicate patch-edge values. Index i are the indices of patch-interior points, and the number of unknowns is then its length.

```

104 u0 = zeros(nSubP,nSubP,1,1,nPatch,nPatch);
105 u0([1 end],:,:) = nan; u0(:,[1 end],:) = nan;
106 patches.i = find(~isnan(u0));
107 nVariables = numel(patches.i)

```

Solve by iteration. Use `fsolve` for simplicity and robustness (and using `optimoptions` to omit trace information), and give magnitudes.

```

115 tic;
116 uSoln = fsolve(@theRes2,u0(patches.i) ...
117 ,optimoptions('fsolve','Display','off'));
118 solveTime = toc
119 normResidual = norm(theRes2(uSoln))
120 normSoln = norm(uSoln)

```

Store the solution vector into the patches, and interpolate, but have not bothered to set boundary values so they stay NaN from the interpolation.

```
128 u0(patches.i) = uSoln;
129 u0 = patchEdgeInt2(u0);
```

Draw solution profile Separate patches with NaNs, then reshape arrays to suit 2D space surface plots.

```
140 figure(1), clf, colormap(0.8* hsv)
141 x(end+1,:,:)=nan; u0(end+1,:,:)=nan;
142 y(:,end+1,:)=nan; u0(:,end+1,:)=nan;
143 u = reshape(permute(squeeze(u0),[1 3 2 4]), [numel(x) numel(y)]);
```

Draw the patch solution surface, with boundary-values omitted as already NaN by not bothering to set them.

```
150 mesh(x(:,y(:,u'); view(60,55)
151 xlabel('space $x$'), ylabel('space $y$'), zlabel('$u(x,y)$')
152 ifOurCf2tex(mfilename)%optionally save
```

6.1 twoscaleDiffForce2(): microscale discretisation inside patches of forced diffusion PDE

This function codes the lattice heterogeneous diffusion of the PDE inside the patches. For 6D input arrays u , x , and y , computes the time derivative at each point in the interior of a patch, output in ut .

```
171 function ut = twoscaleDiffForce2(t,u,patches)
172 dx = diff(patches.x(2:3)); % x space step
173 dy = diff(patches.y(2:3)); % y space step
174 i = 2:size(u,1)-1; % x interior points in a patch
175 j = 2:size(u,2)-1; % y interior points in a patch
176 ut = nan+u; % preallocate output array
```

Set Dirichlet boundary value of zero around the square domain.

```
183 u( 1 ,:,:, :, 1 ,:) = 0; % left edge of left patches
184 u(end,:,:, :,end,:) = 0; % right edge of right patches
185 u(:, 1 ,:,:, :, 1 ) = 0; % bottom edge of bottom patches
186 u(:,end,:,:, :,end) = 0; % top edge of top patches
```

Compute the time derivatives via stored forcing and coefficients. Easier to code by conflating the last four dimensions into the one , ,: .

```

194 ut(i,j,:) ...
195 = 2*diff(u(:,j,:),2,1)/dx^2 +2*diff(u(i,:,:),2,2)/dy^2 ...
196 +2*patches.cs(i,j).*( u(i+1,j+1,:)-u(i-1,j+1,:)) ...
197 -u(i+1,j-1,:)+u(i-1,j-1,:))/(4*dx*dy) ...
198 -patches.fu(i,j,:);
199 end%function twoscaleDiffForce2

```

6.2 theRes2(): function to zero

This functions converts a vector of values into the interior values of the patches, then evaluates the time derivative of the system, and returns the vector of patch-interior time derivatives.

```

211 function f=theRes2(u)
212   global patches
213   v=nan(size(patches.x+patches.y));
214   v(patches.i)=u;
215   f=patchSys2(0,v(:),patches);
216   f=f(patches.i);
217 end%function theRes2

```

7 twoscaleDiffEquil2Errs: errors in equilibria of a 2D twoscale heterogeneous diffusion via small patches

Here we find the steady state $u(x, y)$ to the heterogeneous PDE (inspired by Freese et al.⁴ §5.3.1)

$$u_t = A(x, y) \vec{\nabla} \vec{\nabla} u + f,$$

on domain $[-1, 1]^2$ with Dirichlet BCs, for coefficient ‘diffusion’ matrix, varying with some microscale period ϵ (here $\epsilon \approx 0.24, 0.12, 0.06, 0.03$), of

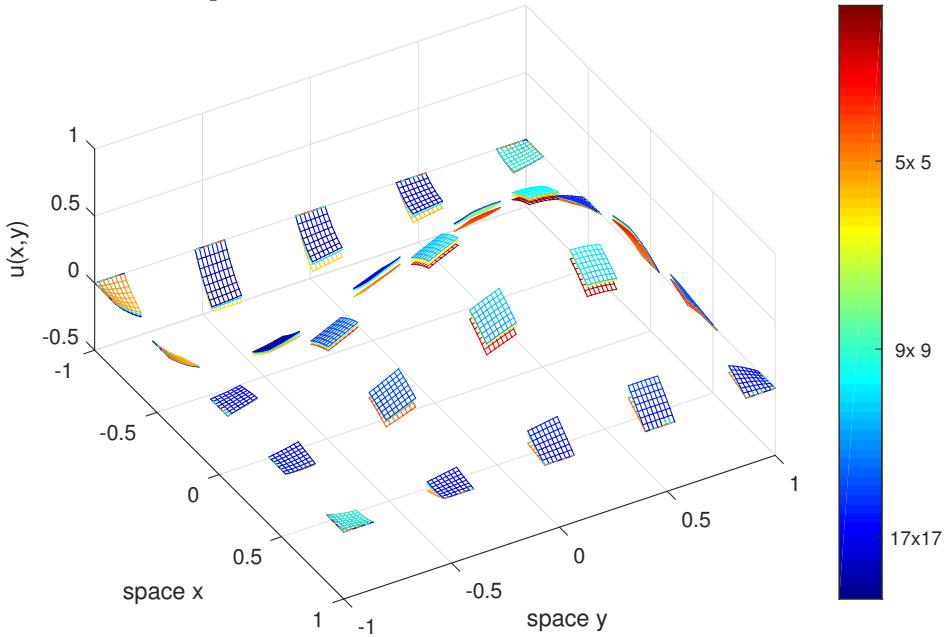
$$A := \begin{bmatrix} 2 & a \\ a & 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{with } a := \sin(\pi x/\epsilon) \sin(\pi y/\epsilon),$$

and for forcing $f := 10(x + y + \cos \pi x)$ (for which the solution has magnitude up to one).⁵

⁴ <http://arxiv.org/abs/2211.13731>

⁵ Freese et al. had forcing $f := (x + \cos 3\pi x)y^3$, but here we want smoother forcing so we get meaningful results in a minute or two computation.⁶ For the same reason we do not

Figure 8: For various numbers of patches as indicated on the colorbar, plot the equilibrium of the multiscale diffusion problem of Freese with Dirichlet zero-value boundary conditions (Section 7). We only compare solutions only in these 25 common patches.



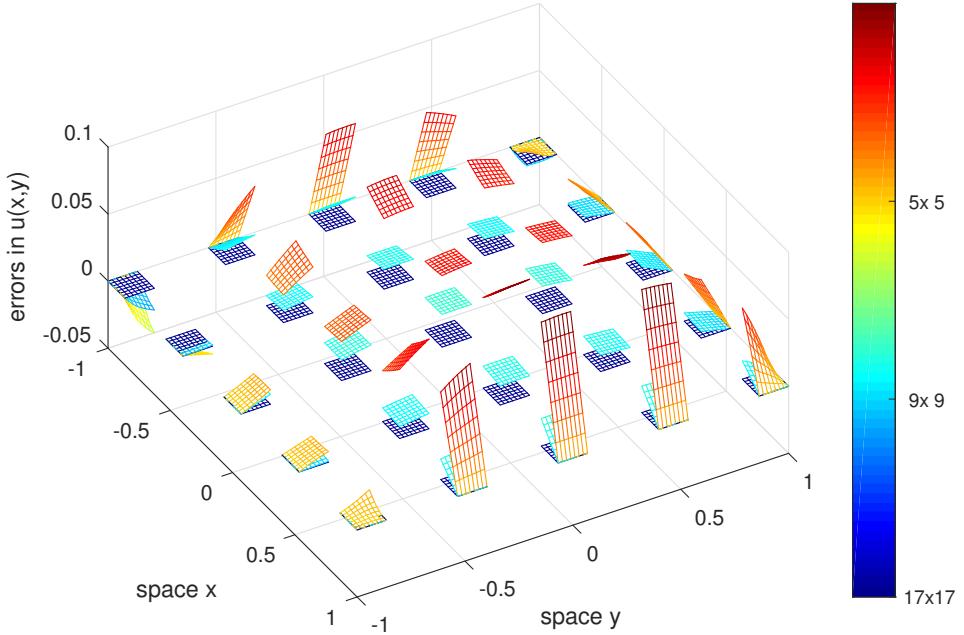
Here we explore the errors for increasing number N of patches (in both directions). Find mean-abs errors to be the following (for different orders of interpolation and patch distribution):

	N	5	9	17	33
equispace, 2nd-order		6E-2	3E-2	1E-2	3E-3
equispace, 4th-order		3E-2	8E-3	7E-4	7E-5
chebyshev, 4th-order		1E-2	2E-2	6E-3	2E-3
usergiven, 4th-order		1E-2	2E-2	4E-3	n/a
equispace, 6th-order		3E-2	1E-3	1E-4	2E-5

Script start Clear, and initiate global patches. Choose the type of patch distribution to be either ‘equispace’, ‘chebyshev’, or ‘usergiven’. Also set order of interpolation (fourth-order is good start).

invoke their smaller $\epsilon \approx 0.01$.

Figure 9: For various numbers of patches as indicated on the colorbar, plot the equilibrium of the multiscale diffusion problem of Freese with Dirichlet zero-value boundary conditions (Section 7). We only compare solutions only in these 25 common patches.



```

81 clear all
82 global patches
83 %global OurCf2eps, OurCf2eps=true %option to save plot
84 switch 1
85     case 1, Dom.type = 'equispace'
86     case 2, Dom.type = 'chebyshev'
87     case 3, Dom.type = 'usergiven'
88 end% switch
89 ordInt = 4

```

First configure the patch system Establish the microscale heterogeneity has micro-period `mPeriod` on the spatial lattice. Then `configPatches2` replicates the heterogeneity as needed to fill each patch.

```

100 mPeriod = 6
101 z = (0.5:mPeriod)'/mPeriod;

```

```
102 A = sin(2*pi*z).*sin(2*pi*z');
```

To use a hierarchy of patches with `nPatch` of 5, 9, 17, ..., we need up to N patches plus one `dx` to fit into the domain interval. Cater for up to some full-domain simulation—can compute $\log_2 N_{\max} = 5$ ($\epsilon = 0.06$) within minutes:

```
112 log2Nmax = 4 % >2 up to 6 OKish  
113 nPatchMax=2^log2Nmax+1
```

Set the periodicity ϵ , and other microscale parameters.

```
120 nPeriodsPatch = 1 % any integer  
121 nSubP = nPeriodsPatch*mPeriod+2 % for edgy int  
122 epsilon = 2/(nPatchMax*nPeriodsPatch+1/mPeriod)  
123 dx = epsilon/mPeriod
```

For various numbers of patches Choose five patches to be the coarsest number of patches. Define variables to store common results for the solutions from differing patches. Assign `Ps` to be the indices of the common patches: for equispace set to the five common patches, but for ‘chebyshev’ the only common ones are the three centre and boundary-adjacent patches.

```
136 us=[]; xs=[]; ys=[]; nPs=[];  
137 for log2N=log2Nmax:-1:2  
138     if log2N==log2Nmax  
139         Ps=linspace(1,nPatchMax ...  
140             ,5-2*all(Dom.type=='chebyshev'))  
141     else Ps=(Ps+1)/2  
142 end
```

Set the number of patches in $(-1, 1)$:

```
148 nPatch = 2^log2N+1
```

In the case of ‘usergiven’, we set the standard Chebyshev distribution of the patch-centres, which involves overlapping of patches near the boundaries! (instead of the coded chebyshev which has boundary layers of abutting patches, and non-overlapping Chebyshev between the boundary layers).

```
159 if all(Dom.type=='usergiven')  
160     halfWidth = dx*(nSubP-1)/2;  
161     X1 = -1+halfWidth; X2 = 1-halfWidth;
```

```

162     Dom.X = (X1+X2)/2-(X2-X1)/2*cos(linspace(0,pi,nPatch));
163     Dom.Y = Dom.X;
164 end

```

Configure the patches:

```

170 configPatches2(@twoscaleDiffForce2, [-1 1], Dom, nPatch ...
171 ,ordInt ,dx ,nSubP , 'EdgyInt', true , 'hetCoeffs' , A );

```

Compute the time-constant forcing, and store in struct `patches` for access by the microcode of [Section 7.1](#).

```

179 if 1
180     patches.fu = 10*(patches.x+cos(pi*patches.x)+patches.y);
181 else patches.fu = 8+0*patches.x+0*patches.y;
182 end

```

Solve for steady state Set initial guess of either zero or a subsample of the previous, next-finer, solution. `NaN` indicates patch-edge values. Index `i` are the indices of patch-interior points, and the number of unknowns is then its length.

```

193 if log2N==log2Nmax
194     u0 = zeros(nSubP,nSubP,1,1,nPatch,nPatch);
195 else u0 = u0(:,:,:,:,1:2:end,1:2:end);
196 end
197 u0([1 end],:,:) = nan; u0(:,[1 end],:) = nan;
198 patches.i = find(~isnan(u0));
199 nVariables = numel(patches.i)

```

First try to solve via iterative solver `bicgstab`.

```

205 tic;
206 maxIt = ceil(nVariables/10);
207 rhsb = theRes2( zeros(size(patches.i)) );
208 [uSoln,flag] = bicgstab(@(u) rhsb-theRes2(u),rhsb ...
209 ,1e-9,maxIt,[],[],u0(patches.i));
210 bicgTime = toc

```

However, the above often fails (and `fsolve` sometimes takes too long here), so then try a preconditioned version of `bicgstab`. The preconditioner is derived from the Jacobian which is expensive to find (four minutes for $N = 33$, one hour for $N = 65$), but we do so as follows.

```

220 if flag>0, disp('**** bicg failed, trying ILU preconditioner')
221 disp(['Computing Jacobian: wait roughly ' ...
222         num2str(nPatch^4/4500,2) ' secs'])
223 tic
224 Jac=sparse(nVariables,nVariables);
225 for j=1:nVariables
226     Jac(:,j)=sparse( rhsb-theRes2((1:nVariables)'==j) );
227 end
228 formJacTime=toc

```

Compute an incomplete *LU*-factorization, and use it as preconditioner to *bicgstab*.

```

235 tic
236 [L,U] = ilu(Jac,struct('type','ilutp','droptol',1e-4));
237 LUfillFactor = (nnz(L)+nnz(U))/nnz(Jac)
238 [uSoln,flag] = bicgstab(@(u) rhsb-theRes2(u),rhsb ...
239                 ,1e-9,maxIt,L,U,u0(patches.i));
240 precondSolveTime=toc
241 assert(flag==0,'preconditioner fails bicgstab. Lower droptol?')
242 end%if flag

```

Store the solution into the patches, and give magnitudes— Inf norm is $\max(\text{abs}())$.

```

249 normResidual = norm(theRes2(uSoln),Inf)
250 normSoln = norm(uSoln,Inf)
251 u0(patches.i) = uSoln;
252 u0 = patchEdgeInt2(u0);
253 u0( 1 ,:,:,:,:) = 0; % left edge of left patches
254 u0(end,:,:,:,end,:) = 0; % right edge of right patches
255 u0(:, 1 ,:,:,:,:) = 0; % bottom edge of bottom patches
256 u0(:,end,:,:,:,end) = 0; % top edge of top patches
257 assert(normResidual<1e-5,'poor--bad solution found')

```

Concatenate the solution on common patches into stores.

```

263 us=cat(5,us,squeeze(u0(:,:,(:,:,Ps,Ps))));
264 xs=cat(3,xs,squeeze(patches.x(:,:,(:,:,Ps,:))));
265 ys=cat(3,ys,squeeze(patches.y(:,:,(:,:,Ps,:))));
266 nPs = [nP; nPatch];

```

End loop. Check micro-grids are aligned, then compute errors compared to the full-domain solution (or the highest resolution solution for the case of ‘usergiven’).

```
275 end%for log2N
276 assert(max(abs(reshape(diff(xs,1,3),[],1)))<1e-12,'x-coord failure')
277 assert(max(abs(reshape(diff(ys,1,3),[],1)))<1e-12,'y-coord failure')
278 errs = us-us(:,:,(:,:,1));
279 meanAbsErrs = mean(abs(reshape(errs,[],size(us,5))));
280 ratioErrs = meanAbsErrs(2:end)./meanAbsErrs(1:end-1)
```

Plot solution in common patches First reshape arrays to suit 2D space surface plots, inserting nans to separate patches.

```
292 x = xs(:,:,1); y = ys(:,:,1); u=us;
293 x(end+1,:)=nan; y(end+1,:)=nan;
294 u(end+1,:,:)=nan; u(:,end+1,:)=nan;
295 u = reshape(permute(u,[1 3 2 4 5]),numel(x),numel(y),[]);
```

Plot the patch solution surfaces, with colour offset between surfaces (best if u -field has a range of one): blues are the full-domain solution, reds the coarsest patches.

```
303 figure(1), clf, colormap(jet)
304 for p=1:size(u,3)
305     mesh(x(:),y(:),u(:,:,p)',p+u(:,:,p)');
306     hold on;
307 end, hold off
308 view(60,55)
309 colorbar('Ticks',1:size(u,3) ...
310     , 'TickLabels',[num2str(nPs) ['x';'x';'x'] num2str(nPs)]);
311 xlabel('space x'), ylabel('space y'), zlabel('u(x,y)')
312 ifOurCf2eps([mfilename 'us'])%optionally save
```

Plot error surfaces Plot the error surfaces, with colour offset between surfaces (best if u -field has a range of one): dark blue is the full-domain zero error, reds the coarsest patches.

```
324 err=u(:,:,1)-u;
325 maxAbsErr=max(abs(err(:)));
326 figure(2), clf, colormap(jet)
```

```

327 for p=1:size(u,3)
328     mesh(x(:,y(:,err(:,:,p)',p+err(:,:,p)')/maxAbsErr);
329     hold on;
330 end, hold off
331 view(60,55)
332 colorbar('Ticks',1:size(u,3) ...
333     , 'TickLabels',[num2str(nPs) ['x';'x';'x'] num2str(nPs)]);
334 xlabel('space x'), ylabel('space y')
335 zlabel('errors in u(x,y)')
336 ifOurCf2eps(mfilename)%optionally save

```

7.1 twoscaleDiffForce2(): microscale discretisation inside patches of forced diffusion PDE

This function codes the lattice heterogeneous diffusion of the PDE inside the patches. For 6D input arrays u , x , and y , computes the time derivative at each point in the interior of a patch, output in ut .

```

355 function ut = twoscaleDiffForce2(t,u,patches)
356     dx = diff(patches.x(2:3)); % x space step
357     dy = diff(patches.y(2:3)); % y space step
358     i = 2:size(u,1)-1; % x interior points in a patch
359     j = 2:size(u,2)-1; % y interior points in a patch
360     ut = nan+u;           % preallocate output array

```

Set Dirichlet boundary value of zero around the square domain.

```

367 u( 1 ,:,:, :, 1 ,:) = 0; % left edge of left patches
368 u(end,:,:,:,end,:) = 0; % right edge of right patches
369 u(:, 1 ,:,:, :, 1 ) = 0; % bottom edge of bottom patches
370 u(:,end,:,:, :,end) = 0; % top edge of top patches

```

Compute the time derivatives via stored forcing and coefficients. Easier to code by conflating the last four dimensions into the one $,:$.

```

378 ut(i,j,:) ...
379 = 2*diff(u(:,j,:),2,1)/dx^2 +2*diff(u(i,:,:),2,2)/dy^2 ...
380 +2*patches.cs(i,j).*( u(i+1,j+1,:) -u(i-1,j+1,:) ...
381 -u(i+1,j-1,:) +u(i-1,j-1,:) )/(4*dx*dy) ...
382 +patches.fu(i,j,:);
383 end%function twoscaleDiffForce2

```

7.2 theRes2(): function to zero

This functions converts a vector of values into the interior values of the patches, then evaluates the time derivative of the system, and returns the vector of patch-interior time derivatives.

```
396 function f=theRes2(u)
397     global patches
398     v=nan(size(patches.x+patches.y));
399     v(patches.i)=u;
400     f=patchSys2(0,v(:,),patches);
401     f=f(patches.i);
402 end%function theRes2
```

8 abdulleDiffEquil2: equilibrium of a 2D multiscale heterogeneous diffusion via small patches

Here we find the steady state $u(x, y)$ to the heterogeneous PDE (inspired by Abdulle, Arjmand, and Paganoni 2020, §5.1)

$$u_t = \vec{\nabla} \cdot [a(x, y) \vec{\nabla} u] + 10,$$

on square domain $[0, 1]^2$ with zero-Dirichlet BCs, for coefficient ‘diffusion’ matrix, varying with period ϵ of (their (45))

$$a := \frac{2 + 1.8 \sin 2\pi x/\epsilon}{2 + 1.8 \cos 2\pi y/\epsilon} + \frac{2 + \sin 2\pi y/\epsilon}{2 + 1.8 \cos 2\pi x/\epsilon}.$$

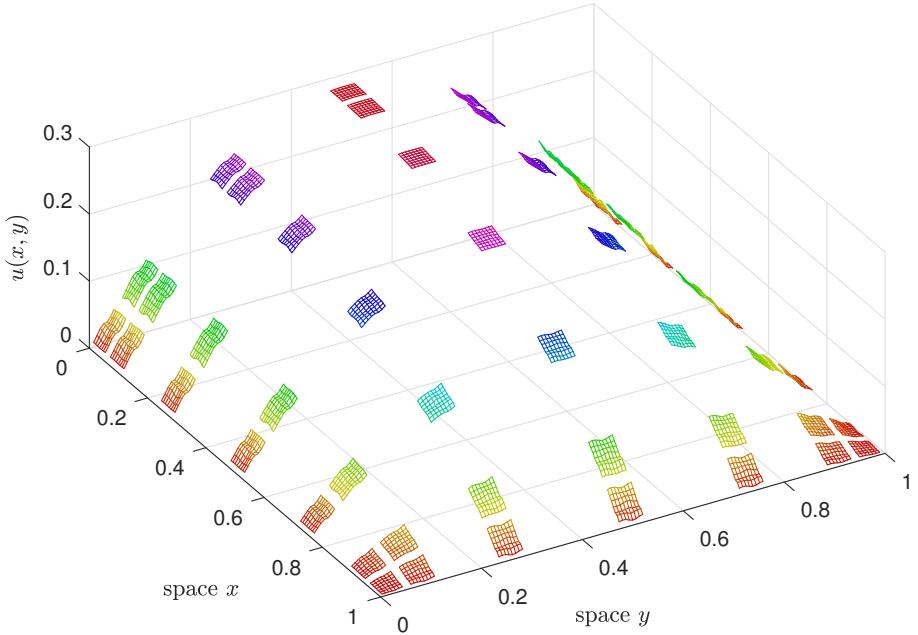
Figure 10 shows solutions have some nice microscale wiggles reflecting the heterogeneity.

Clear, and initiate globals.

```
38 clear all
39 global patches
40 %global OurCf2eps, OurCf2eps=true %option to save plot
```

First establish the microscale heterogeneity has micro-period `mPeriod` on the spatial micro-grid lattice. Then `configPatches2` replicates the heterogeneity to fill each patch. (These diffusion coefficients should really recognise the half-grid-point shifts, but let’s not bother.)

Figure 10: Equilibrium of the macroscale diffusion problem of Abdulle with boundary conditions of Dirichlet zero-value except for $x = 0$ which is Neumann ([Section 8](#)). Here the patches have a Chebyshev-like spatial distribution. The patch size is chosen large enough to see within.



```

53 mPeriod = 6
54 x = (0.5:mPeriod)'/mPeriod; y=x';
55 a = (2+1.8*sin(2*pi*x))./(2+1.8*sin(2*pi*y)) ...
      +(2+
      sin(2*pi*y))./(2+1.8*sin(2*pi*x));
56 diffusivityRange = [min(a(:)) max(a(:))]
57

```

Set the periodicity ϵ , here big enough so we can see the patches, and other microscale parameters.

```

64 epsilon = 0.04
65 dx = epsilon/mPeriod
66 nPeriodsPatch = 1 % any integer
67 nSubP = nPeriodsPatch*mPeriod+2 % when edgy int

```

Patch configuration Choose either Dirichlet (default) or Neumann on the left boundary in coordination with micro-code in [Section 8.1](#)

```

78 Dom.bcOffset = zeros(2);
79 if 1, Dom.bcOffset(1)=0.5; end% left Neumann
Say use  $7 \times 7$  patches in  $(0, 1)^2$ , fourth order interpolation, and either ‘equispace’ or ‘chebyshev’:
86 nPatch = 7
87 Dom.type='chebyshev';
88 configPatches2(@abdulleDiffForce2,[0 1],Dom ...
89 ,nPatch ,4 ,dx ,nSubP ,’EdgyInt’,true ,’hetCoeffs’,a );

```

Solve for steady state Set initial guess of zero, with NaN to indicate patch-edge values. Index i are the indices of patch-interior points, and the number of unknowns is then its length.

```

102 u0 = zeros(nSubP,nSubP,1,1,nPatch,nPatch);
103 u0([1 end],:,:) = nan; u0(:,[1 end],:) = nan;
104 patches.i = find(~isnan(u0));
105 nVariables = numel(patches.i)

```

Solve by iteration. Use `fsolve` for simplicity and robustness (and using `optimoptions` to omit trace information), and give magnitudes.

```

113 tic;
114 uSoln = fsolve(@theRes2,u0(patches.i) ...
115 ,optimoptions('fsolve','Display','off'));
116 solnTime = toc
117 normResidual = norm(theRes2(uSoln))
118 normSoln = norm(uSoln)

```

Store the solution vector into the patches, and interpolate, but have not bothered to set boundary values so they stay NaN from the interpolation.

```

126 u0(patches.i) = uSoln;
127 u0 = patchEdgeInt2(u0);

```

Draw solution profile Separate patches with NaNs, then reshape arrays to suit 2D space surface plots.

```

138 figure(1), clf, colormap(0.8*hsv)
139 patches.x(end+1,:,:)=nan; u0(end+1,:,:)=nan;
140 patches.y(:,end+1,:)=nan; u0(:,end+1,:)=nan;
141 u = reshape(permute(squeeze(u0),[1 3 2 4]) ...
142 , [numel(patches.x) numel(patches.y)]);

```

Draw the patch solution surface, with boundary-values omitted as already NaN by not bothering to set them.

```
149 mesh(patches.x(:),patches.y(:),u'); view(60,55)
150 xlabel('space $x$'), ylabel('space $y$'), zlabel('$u(x,y)$')
151 ifOurCf2eps(mfilename) %optionally save plot
```

8.1 abdulleDiffForce2(): microscale discretisation inside patches of forced diffusion PDE

This function codes the lattice heterogeneous diffusion of the PDE inside the patches. For 6D input arrays u , x , and y , computes the time derivative at each point in the interior of a patch, output in ut .

```
170 function ut = abdulleDiffForce2(t,u,patches)
171     dx = diff(patches.x(2:3)); % x space step
172     dy = diff(patches.y(2:3)); % y space step
173     i = 2:size(u,1)-1; % x interior points in a patch
174     j = 2:size(u,2)-1; % y interior points in a patch
175     ut = nan+u;           % preallocate output array
```

Set Dirichlet boundary value of zero around the square domain, but also cater for zero Neumann condition on the left boundary.

```
183 u( 1 ,:,:, :, 1 ,:) = 0; % left edge of left patches
184 u(end,:,:, :,end,:) = 0; % right edge of right patches
185 u(:, 1 ,:,:, :, 1 ) = 0; % bottom edge of bottom patches
186 u(:,end,:,:, :,end) = 0; % top edge of top patches
187 if 1, u(1,:,:,:,1,:) = u(2,:,:,:,1,:); end% left Neumann
```

Compute the time derivatives via stored forcing and coefficients. Easier to code by conflating the last four dimensions into the one $,:$.

```
195 ut(i,j,:) = diff(patches.cs(:,j).*diff(u(:,j,:)))/dx^2 ...
196     + diff(patches.cs(i,:).*diff(u(i,:,:),1,2),1,2)/dy^2 ...
197     + 10;
198 end%function abdulleDiffForce2
```

8.2 theRes2(): function to zero

This functions converts a vector of values into the interior values of the patches, then evaluates the time derivative of the system, and returns the vector of patch-interior time derivatives.

```

210 function f=theRes2(u)
211     global patches i
212     v=nan(size(patches.x+patches.y));
213     v(patches.i)=u;
214     f=patchSys2(0,v(:,),patches);
215     f=f(patches.i);
216 end%function theRes2

```

9 randAdvecDiffEquil2: equilibrium of a 2D random heterogeneous advection-diffusion via small patches

Here we find the steady state $u(x, y)$ of the heterogeneous PDE (inspired by Bonizzoni et al.⁷ §6.2)

$$u_t = \mu_1 \nabla^2 u - (\cos \mu_2, \sin \mu_2) \cdot \vec{\nabla} u - u + f,$$

on domain $[0, 1]^2$ with Neumann boundary conditions, for microscale random pseudo-diffusion and pseudo-advection coefficients, $\mu_1(x, y) \in [0.01, 0.1]$ ⁸ and $\mu_2(x, y) \in [0, 2\pi)$, and for forcing

$$f(x, y) := \exp \left[-\frac{(x - \mu_3)^2 + (y - \mu_4)^2}{\mu_5^2} \right],$$

smoothly varying in space for fixed $\mu_3, \mu_4 \in [0.25, 0.75]$ and $\mu_5 \in [0.1, 0.25]$. The above system is dominantly diffusive for lengths scales $\ell < 0.01 = \min \mu_1$. Due to the randomness, we get different solutions each execution of this code. Figure 11 plots one example. A physical interpretation of the solution field is confounded because the problem is pseudo-advection-diffusion due to the varying coefficients being outside the $\vec{\nabla}$ operator.

Clear, and initiate globals.

```

50 clear all
51 global patches
52 %global OurCf2eps, OurCf2eps=true %option to save plot

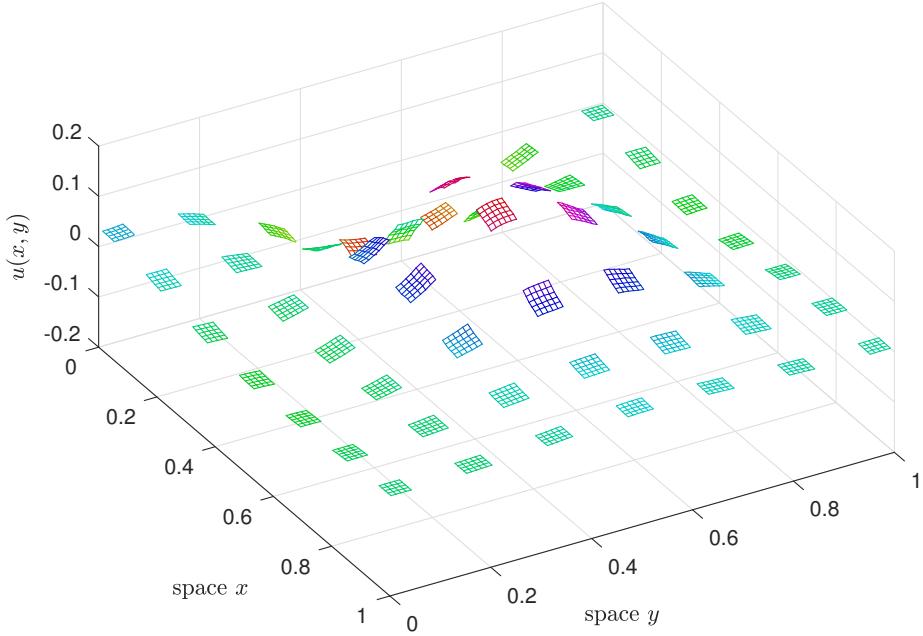
```

First establish the microscale heterogeneity has micro-period `mPeriod` on the spatial lattice. Then `configPatches2` replicates the heterogeneity to fill each patch.

⁷ <http://arxiv.org/abs/2211.15221>

⁸More interesting microscale structure arises here for μ_1 a factor of three smaller.

Figure 11: Equilibrium of the macroscale diffusion problem of Bonizzoni et al. with Neumann boundary conditions of zero (Section 9). Here the patches have a equispaced spatial distribution. The microscale periodicity, and hence the patch size, is chosen large enough to see within.



```

63 mPeriod = 4
64 mu1 = 0.01*10.^rand(mPeriod)
65 mu2 = 2*pi*rand(mPeriod)
66 cs = cat(3,mu1,cos(mu2),sin(mu2));
67 meanDiffAdvec=squeeze(mean(mean(cs)))

```

Set the periodicity ϵ , here big enough so we can see the patches, and other microscale parameters.

```

74 epsilon = 0.04
75 dx = epsilon/mPeriod
76 nPeriodsPatch = 1 % any integer
77 nSubP = nPeriodsPatch*mPeriod+2 % for edgy int

```

Patch configuration Say use 7×7 patches in $(0, 1)^2$, fourth order interpolation, either ‘equispace’ or ‘chebyshev’, and the offset for Neumann boundary

conditions:

```
89 nPatch = 7
90 Dom.type= 'equispace';
91 Dom.bcOffset = 0.5;
92 configPatches2(@randAdvecDiffForce2,[0 1],Dom ...
93 ,nPatch ,4 ,dx ,nSubP , 'EdgyInt',true , 'hetCoeffs',cs );
```

Compute the time-constant forcing, and store in struct `patches` for access by the microcode of [Section 9.1](#).

```
101 mu = [ 0.25+0.5*rand(1,2) 0.1+0.15*rand ]
102 patches.fu = exp(-((patches.x-mu(1)).^2 ...
103 +(patches.y-mu(2)).^2)/mu(3)^2);
```

Solve for steady state Set initial guess of zero, with NaN to indicate patch-edge values. Index `i` are the indices of patch-interior points, store in global `patches` for access by `theRes2`, and the number of unknowns is then its number of elements.

```
118 u0 = zeros(nSubP,nSubP,1,1,nPatch,nPatch);
119 u0([1 end],:,:) = nan; u0(:,[1 end],:) = nan;
120 patches.i = find(~isnan(u0));
121 nVariables = numel(patches.i)
```

Solve by iteration. Use `fsolve` for simplicity and robustness (and using `optimoptions` to omit trace information).

```
129 tic;
130 uSoln = fsolve(@theRes2,u0(patches.i) ...
131 ,optimoptions('fsolve','Display','off'));
132 solnTime = toc
133 normResidual = norm(theRes2(uSoln))
134 normSoln = norm(uSoln)
```

Store the solution vector into the patches, and interpolate, but have not bothered to set boundary values so they stay NaN from the interpolation.

```
142 u0(patches.i) = uSoln;
143 u0 = patchEdgeInt2(u0);
```

Draw solution profile Separate patches with NaNs, then reshape arrays to suit 2D space surface plots.

```
154 figure(1), clf, colormap(0.8* hsv)
155 patches.x(end+1,:,:)=nan; u0(end+1,:,:)=nan;
156 patches.y(:,end+1,:)=nan; u0(:,end+1,:)=nan;
157 u = reshape(permute(squeeze(u0), [1 3 2 4]) ...
158 , [numel(patches.x) numel(patches.y)]);
```

Draw the patch solution surface, with boundary-values omitted as already NaN by not bothering to set them.

```
165 mesh(patches.x(:), patches.y(:), u'); view(60, 55)
166 xlabel('space $x$'), ylabel('space $y$'), zlabel('$u(x,y)$')
167 ifOurCf2eps(mfilename) %optionally save plot
```

9.1 randAdvecDiffForce2(): microscale discretisation inside patches of forced diffusion PDE

This function codes the lattice heterogeneous diffusion of the PDE inside the patches. For 6D input arrays u , x , and y , computes the time derivative at each point in the interior of a patch, output in ut .

```
186 function ut = randAdvecDiffForce2(t, u, patches)
187 dx = diff(patches.x(2:3)); % x space step
188 dy = diff(patches.y(2:3)); % y space step
189 i = 2:size(u, 1)-1; % x interior points in a patch
190 j = 2:size(u, 2)-1; % y interior points in a patch
191 ut = nan+u; % preallocate output array
```

Set Neumann boundary condition of zero derivative around the square domain: that is, the edge value equals the next-to-edge value.

```
199 u( 1 ,:,:, :, 1 ,:) = u( 2 ,:,:, :, 1 ,:); % left edge of left patch
200 u(end,:,:, :, end,:) = u(end-1,:,:, :, end,:); % right edge of right patch
201 u(:, 1 ,:,:, :, 1 ) = u(:, 2 ,:,:, :, 1 ); % bottom edge of bottom patch
202 u(:,end,:,:, :, end) = u(:,end-1,:,:, :, end); % top edge of top patches
```

Compute the time derivatives via stored forcing and coefficients. Easier to code by conflating the last four dimensions into the one $,:$.

```

210 ut(i,j,:) ...
211 = patches.cs(i,j,1).*(diff(u(:,j,:),2,1)/dx^2 ...
212 +diff(u(i,:,:),2,2)/dy^2)...
213 -patches.cs(i,j,2).*(u(i+1,j,:)-u(i-1,j,:))/(2*dx) ...
214 -patches.cs(i,j,3).*(u(i,j+1,:)-u(i,j-1,:))/(2*dy) ...
215 -u(i,j,:)+patches.fu(i,j,:);
216 end%function randAdvecDiffForce2

```

9.2 theRes2(): function to zero

This functions converts a vector of values into the interior values of the patches, then evaluates the time derivative of the system, and returns the vector of patch-interior time derivatives.

```

228 function f=theRes2(u)
229 global patches
230 v=nan(size(patches.x+patches.y));
231 v(patches.i)=u;
232 f=patchSys2(0,v(:),patches);
233 f=f(patches.i);
234 end%function theRes2

```

10 homoDiffBdryEquil3: equilibrium via computational homogenisation of a 3D heterogeneous diffusion on small patches

Find the equilibrium of a forced heterogeneous diffusion in 3D space on 3D patches as an example application. Boundary conditions are Neumann on the right face of the cube, and Dirichlet on the other faces. [Figure 12](#) shows five isosurfaces of the 3D solution field.

Clear variables, and establish globals.

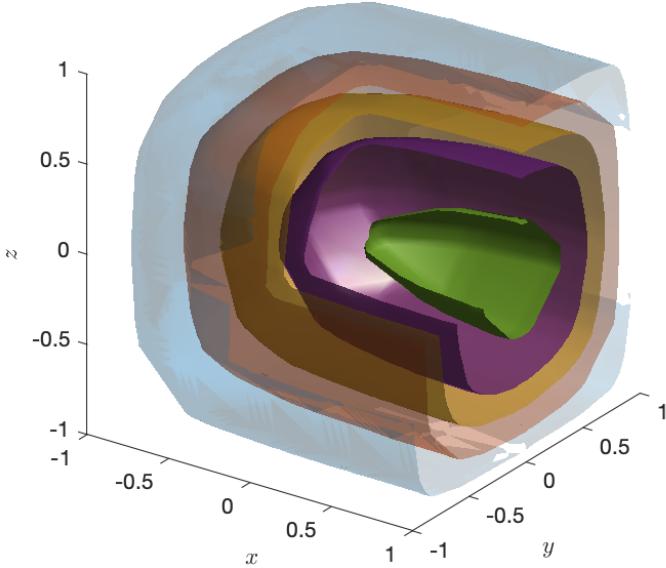
```

33 clear all
34 global patches
35 %global OurCf2eps, OurCf2eps=true %option to save plots

```

Set random heterogeneous diffusivities of random (small) period in each of the three directions. Crudely normalise by the harmonic mean so the decay time scale is roughly one.

Figure 12: macroscale of the random heterogeneous diffusion in 3D with boundary conditions of zero on all faces except for the Neumann condition on $x = 1$ (Section 10). The small patches are equispaced in space.



```

46 mPeriod = randi([2 3],1,3)
47 cDiff = exp(0.3*randn([mPeriod 3]));
48 cDiff = cDiff*mean(1./cDiff(:))

```

Configure the patch scheme with some arbitrary choices of cubic domain, patches, and micro-grid spacing 0.05. Use high order interpolation as few patches in each direction. Configure for Dirichlet boundaries except for Neumann on the right x -face.

```

59 nSubP = mPeriod+2;
60 nPatch = 5;
61 Dom.type = 'equispace';
62 Dom.bcOffset = zeros(2,3); Dom.bcOffset(2) = 0.5;
63 configPatches3(@microDiffBdry3, [-1 1], Dom ...

```

```

64     , nPatch, 0, 0.05, nSubP, 'EdgyInt',true ...
65     , 'hetCoeffs',cDiff );

```

Set forcing, and store in global patches for access by the microcode

```

73 patches.fu = 10*exp(-patches.x.^2-patches.y.^2-patches.z.^2);
74 patches.fu = patches.fu.* (1+rand(size(patches.fu)));

```

Solve for steady state Set initial guess of zero, with `NaN` to indicate patch-edge values. Index `i` are the indices of patch-interior points, store in global patches for access by `theRes3`, and the number of unknowns is then its number of elements.

```

87 u0 = zeros([nSubP,1,1,nPatch,nPatch,nPatch]);
88 u0([1 end],:,:, :) = nan;
89 u0(:,[1 end],:,:) = nan;
90 u0(:,:, [1 end],:) = nan;
91 patches.i = find(~isnan(u0));
92 nVariables = numel(patches.i)

```

Solve by iteration. Use `fsolve` for simplicity and robustness (optionally `optimoptions` to omit trace information).

```

100 tic;
101 uSoln = fsolve(@theRes3,u0(patches.i) ...
102                 ,optimoptions('fsolve','Display','off'));
103 solveTime = toc
104 normResidual = norm(theRes3(uSoln))
105 normSoln = norm(uSoln)

```

Store the solution into the patches, and give magnitudes.

```

111 u0(patches.i) = uSoln;
112 u0 = patchEdgeInt3(u0);

```

Plot isosurfaces of the solution

```

121 figure(1), clf
122 rgb=get(gca,'defaultAxesColorOrder');

```

Reshape spatial coordinates of patches.

```

128 x = patches.x(:); y = patches.y(:); z = patches.z(:);

```

Draw isosurfaces. Get the solution with interpolated faces, form into a 6D array, and reshape and transpose x and y to suit the isosurface function.

```
136 u = reshape( permute(squeeze(u0),[2 5 1 4 3 6]) ...
137     , [numel(y) numel(x) numel(z)]);
138 maxu=max(u(:)), minu=min(u(:))
```

Optionally cut-out the front corner so we can see inside.

```
144 u( (x'>0) & (y<0) & (shiftdim(z,-2)>0) ) = nan;
```

Draw some isosurfaces.

```
150 clf;
151 for iso=5:-1:1
152     isov=(iso-0.5)/5*(maxu-minu)+minu;
153     hsurf(iso) = patch(isosurface(x,y,z,u,isov));
154     isonormals(x,y,z,u,hsurf(iso))
155     set(hsurf(iso) , 'FaceColor',rgb(iso,:));
156         , 'EdgeColor', 'none' , 'FaceAlpha',iso/5);
157     hold on
158 end
159 hold off
160 axis equal, axis([-1 1 -1 1 -1 1]), view(35,25)
161 xlabel('$x$'), ylabel('$y$'), zlabel('$z$')
162 camlight, lighting gouraud
163 ifOurCf2eps(mfilename) %optionally save plot
164 if exist('OurCf2eps') && OurCf2eps, print('-dpng',[ 'Figs/' mfilename])
```

10.1 microDiffBdry3(): 3D forced heterogeneous diffusion with boundaries

This function codes the lattice forced heterogeneous diffusion inside the 3D patches. For 8D input array u (via edge-value interpolation of `patchEdgeInt3`, such as by `patchSys3`, ??), computes the time derivative at each point in the interior of a patch, output in ut . The three 3D array of diffusivities, c_{ijk}^x , c_{ijk}^y and c_{ijk}^z , have previously been stored in `patches.cs` (4D).

Supply patch information as a third argument (required by parallel computation), or otherwise by a global variable.

```
190 function ut = microDiffBdry3(t,u,patches)
191     if nargin<3, global patches, end
```

Microscale space-steps.

```
197 dx = diff(patches.x(2:3)); % x micro-scale step  
198 dy = diff(patches.y(2:3)); % y micro-scale step  
199 dz = diff(patches.z(2:3)); % z micro-scale step  
200 i = 2:size(u,1)-1; % x interior points in a patch  
201 j = 2:size(u,2)-1; % y interior points in a patch  
202 k = 2:size(u,3)-1; % z interior points in a patch
```

Code microscale boundary conditions of say Neumann on right, and Dirichlet on left, top, bottom, front, and back (viewed along the z -axis).

```
210 u( 1 ,:,:, :, :, 1 ,:,:) = 0; %left face of leftmost patch  
211 u(end,:,:, :, :,end,:,:) = u(end-1,:,:, :, :,end,:,:); %right face of rig  
212 u(:, 1 ,:,:, :, :, 1 ,:) = 0; %bottom face of bottommost  
213 u(:,end,:,:, :, :,end,:) = 0; %top face of topmost  
214 u(:, :, 1 ,:,:, :, :, 1 ) = 0; %front face of frontmost  
215 u(:, :,end,:,:, :, :,end) = 0; %back face of backmost
```

Reserve storage and then assign interior patch values to the heterogeneous diffusion time derivatives. Using `nan+u` appears quicker than `nan(size(u), patches.cod`

```
223 ut = nan+u; % reserve storage  
224 ut(i,j,k,: ) ...  
225 = diff(patches.cs(:,j,k,1).*diff(u(:,j,k,: ),1,1),1,1)/dx^2 ...  
226 +diff(patches.cs(i,:,k,2).*diff(u(i,:,k,: ),1,2),1,2)/dy^2 ...  
227 +diff(patches.cs(i,j,:,3).*diff(u(i,j,:,:),1,3),1,3)/dz^2 ...  
228 +patches.fu(i,j,k);  
229 end% function
```

10.2 theRes3(): function to zero

This functions converts a vector of values into the interior values of the patches, then evaluates the time derivative of the system, and returns the vector of patch-interior time derivatives.

```
243 function f=theRes3(u)  
244 global patches  
245 v=nan(size(patches.x+patches.y+patches.z));  
246 v(patches.i)=u;  
247 f=patchSys3(0,v(:),patches);  
248 f=f(patches.i);  
249 end%function theRes3
```

New configuration and interpolation

11 patchEdgeInt1(): sets patch-edge values from interpolation over the 1D macroscale

Couples 1D patches across 1D space by computing their edge values from macroscale interpolation of either the mid-patch value (Roberts 2003; Roberts and Kevrekidis 2007), or the patch-core average (Bunder, Roberts, and Kevrekidis 2017), or the opposite next-to-edge values (Bunder, Kevrekidis, and Roberts 2021)—this last alternative often maintains symmetry. This function is primarily used by patchSys1() but is also useful for user graphics. When using core averages (not fully implemented), assumes the averages are sensible macroscale variables: then patch edge values are determined by macroscale interpolation of the core averages (Bunder, Roberts, and Kevrekidis 2017). ⁹

Communicate patch-design variables via a second argument (optional, except required for parallel computing of spmd), or otherwise via the global struct patches.

```
31 function u=patchEdgeInt1(u,patches)
32 if nargin<2, global patches, end
```

Input

- **u** is a vector/array of length **nSubP** · **nVars** · **nEnsem** · **nPatch** where there are **nVars** · **nEnsem** field values at each of the points in the **nSubP** × **nPatch** multiscale spatial grid.
- **patches** a struct largely set by configPatches1(), and which includes the following.
 - **.x** is **nSubP** × 1 × 1 × **nPatch** array of the spatial locations x_{iI} of the microscale grid points in every patch. Currently it *must* be an equi-spaced lattice on the microscale index i , but may be variable spaced in macroscale index I .
 - **.ordCC** is order of interpolation, integer ≥ -1 .
 - **.periodic** indicates whether macroscale is periodic domain, or alternatively that the macroscale has left and right boundaries so interpolation is via divided differences.

⁹Script patchEdgeInt1test.m verifies this code.

- `.stag` in $\{0, 1\}$ is one for staggered grid (alternating) interpolation, and zero for ordinary grid.
- `.Cwtsr` and `.Cwtsl` are the coupling coefficients for finite width interpolation—when invoking a periodic domain.
- `.EdgyInt`, true/false, for determining patch-edge values by interpolation: true, from opposite-edge next-to-edge values (often preserves symmetry); false, from centre-patch values (original scheme).
- `.nEnsem` the number of realisations in the ensemble.
- `.parallel`
- `.nCore` ¹⁰
- ¹¹

Output

- `u` is 4D array, $nSubP \times nVars \times nEnsem \times nPatch$, of the fields with edge values set by interpolation.

Test for reality of the field values, and define a function accordingly. Could be problematic if some variables are real and some are complex, or if variables are of quite different sizes.

```
113 if max(abs(imag(u(:))))<1e-9*max(abs(u(:)))
114     uclean=@(u) real(u);
115 else uclean=@(u) u;
116 end
```

Determine the sizes of things. Any error arising in the reshape indicates `u` has the wrong size.

```
124 [nx,~,~,Nx] = size(patches.x);
125 nEnsem = patches.nEnsem;
126 nVars = round(numel(u)/numel(patches.x)/nEnsem);
127 assert(numel(u) == nx*nVars*nEnsem*Nx ...
128     , 'patchEdgeInt1: input u has wrong size for parameters')
129 u = reshape(u,nx,nVars,nEnsem,Nx);
```

¹⁰**ToDo:** introduced sometime but not fully implemented yet, because prefer ensemble

¹¹**ToDo:** additional macros bdry info

If the user has not defined the patch core, then we assume it to be a single point in the middle of the patch, unless we are interpolating from next-to-edge values.

¹² For the moment assume the physical domain is macroscale periodic so that the coupling formulas are simplest. Should eventually cater for periodic, odd-mid-gap, even-mid-gap, even-mid-patch, Dirichlet, Neumann, ???. These index vectors point to patches and their two immediate neighbours.

```
144 I = 1:Nx; Ip = mod(I,Nx)+1; Im = mod(I-2,Nx)+1;
```

Calculate centre of each patch and the surrounding core (`nx` and `nCore` are both odd).

```
151 i0 = round((nx+1)/2);
```

```
152 c = round((patches.nCore-1)/2);
```

11.1 Periodic macroscale interpolation schemes

```
161 if patches.periodic
```

Get the size ratios of the patches, then use finite width stencils or spectral.

```
168 r = patches.ratio(1);
```

```
169 if patches.ordCC>0 % then finite-width polynomial interpolation
```

Lagrange interpolation gives patch-edge values Consequently, compute centred differences of the patch core/edge averages/values for the macro-interpolation of all fields. Here the domain is macro-periodic.

```
179 if patches.EdgyInt % interpolate next-to-edge values
180     Ux = u([2 nx-1],:,:,I);
181 else % interpolate mid-patch values/sums
182     Ux = sum( u((i0-c):(i0+c),:,:,I) ,1);
183 end;
```

Just in case any last array dimension(s) are one, we have to force a padding of the sizes, then adjoin the extra dimension for the subsequent array of differences.

```
191 szUx0=size(Ux);
192 szUx0=[szUx0 ones(1,4-length(szUx0)) patches.ordCC];
```

¹²**ToDo:** Revise??

Use finite difference formulas for the interpolation, so store finite differences in these arrays. When parallel, in order to preserve the distributed array structure we use an index at the end for the differences.

```

201 if patches.parallel
202   dmu = zeros(szUx0,patches.codist); % 5D
203 else
204   dmu = zeros(szUx0); % 5D
205 end

```

First compute differences, either μ and δ , or $\mu\delta$ and δ^2 in space.

```

212 if patches.stag % use only odd numbered neighbours
213   dmu(:,:,:,:,I,1) = (Ux(:,:,:,:,Ip)+Ux(:,:,:,:,Im))/2; % \mu
214   dmu(:,:,:,:,I,2) = (Ux(:,:,:,:,Ip)-Ux(:,:,:,:,Im)); % \delta
215   Ip = Ip(Ip); Im = Im(Im); % increase shifts to \pm2
216 else % standard
217   dmu(:,:,:,:,I,1) = (Ux(:,:,:,:,Ip)-Ux(:,:,:,:,Im))/2; % \mu\delta
218   dmu(:,:,:,:,I,2) = (Ux(:,:,:,:,Ip)-2*Ux(:,:,:,:,I) ...
219                         +Ux(:,:,:,:,Im)); % \delta^2
220 end%if patches.stag

```

Recursively take δ^2 of these to form successively higher order centred differences in space.

```

227 for k = 3:patches.ordCC
228   dmu(:,:,:,:,k) =         dmu(:,:,:,:,Ip,k-2) ...
229     -2*dmu(:,:,:,:,I,k-2) +dmu(:,:,:,:,Im,k-2);
230 end

```

Interpolate macro-values to be Dirichlet edge values for each patch (Roberts and Kevrekidis 2007; Bunder, Roberts, and Kevrekidis 2017), using weights computed in `configPatches1()`. Here interpolate to specified order.

For the case where single-point values interpolate to patch-edge values: when we have an ensemble of configurations, different realisations are coupled to each other as specified by `patches.le` and `patches.ri`.

```

245 if patches.nCore==1
246   k=1+patches.EdgyInt; % use centre/core or two edges
247   u(nx,:,:atches.ri,I) = Ux(1,:,:,:)*(1-patches.stag) ...
248     +sum( shiftdim(patches.Cwtsr,-4).*dmu(1,:,:,:,:) ,5);
249   u(1,:,:atches.le,I) = Ux(k,:,:,:)*(1-patches.stag) ...
250     +sum( shiftdim(patches.Cwtsl,-4).*dmu(k,:,:,:,:) ,5);

```

For a non-trivial core then more needs doing: the core (one or more) of each patch interpolates to the edge action regions. When more than one in the core, the edge is set depending upon near edge values so the average near the edge is correct.

```

260 else% patches.nCore>1
261   error('not yet considered, july--dec 2020 ??')
262   u(nx,:,:,:I) = Ux(:,:,:I)*(1-patches.stag) ...
263     + reshape(-sum(u((nx-patches.nCore+1):(nx-1),:,:,I),1), ...
264       + sum( patches.Cwtsr.*dmu ),Nx,nVars);
265   u(1,:,:,:I) = Ux(:,:,:I)*(1-patches.stag) ...
266     + reshape(-sum(u(2:patches.nCore,:,:,:I),1), ...
267       + sum( patches.Cwtsl.*dmu ),Nx,nVars);
268 end%if patches.nCore

```

Case of spectral interpolation Assumes the domain is macro-periodic.

```

278 else% patches.ordCC<=0, spectral interpolation

```

As the macroscale fields are N -periodic, the macroscale Fourier transform writes the centre-patch values as $U_j = \sum_k C_k e^{ik2\pi j/N}$. Then the edge-patch values $U_{j\pm r} = \sum_k C_k e^{ik2\pi/N(j\pm r)} = \sum_k C'_k e^{ik2\pi j/N}$ where $C'_k = C_k e^{ikr2\pi/N}$. For Nx patches we resolve ‘wavenumbers’ $|k| < \text{Nx}/2$, so set row vector $\text{ks} = k2\pi/N$ for ‘wavenumbers’ $k = (0, 1, \dots, k_{\max}, -k_{\max}, \dots, -1)$ for odd N , and $k = (0, 1, \dots, k_{\max}, (k_{\max}+1), -k_{\max}, \dots, -1)$ for even N .

Deal with staggered grid by doubling the number of fields and halving the number of patches (`configPatches1()` tests that there are an even number of patches). Then the patch-ratio is effectively halved. The patch edges are near the middle of the gaps and swapped. Have not yet tested whether works for Edgy Interpolation??

```

302 if patches.stag % transform by doubling the number of fields
303   v = nan(size(u)); % currently to restore the shape of u
304   u = [u(:,:, :, 1:2:Nx) u(:,:, :, 2:2:Nx)];
305   stagShift = 0.5*[ones(1,nVars) -ones(1,nVars)];
306   iV = [nVars+1:2*nVars 1:nVars]; % scatter interp to alternate fie
307   r = r/2; % ratio effectively halved
308   Nx = Nx/2; % halve the number of patches
309   nVars = nVars*2; % double the number of fields
310   else % the values for standard spectral

```

```

311     stagShift = 0;
312     iV = 1:nVars;
313 end%if patches.stag

```

Now set wavenumbers (when N_x is even then highest wavenumber is π).

```

320 kMax = floor((Nx-1)/2);
321 ks = shiftdim( ...
322     2*pi/Nx*(mod((0:Nx-1)+kMax,Nx)-kMax) ...
323     ,-2);

```

Compute the Fourier transform across patches of the patch centre or next-to-edge values for all the fields. If there are an even number of points, then if complex, treat as positive wavenumber, but if real, treat as cosine. When using an ensemble of configurations, different configurations might be coupled to each other, as specified by `patches.le` and `patches.ri`.

```

336 if ~patches.EdgyInt
337     Cleft = fft(u(i0 ,:,:, :) ,[],4);
338     Cright = Cleft;
339 else
340     Cleft = fft(u(2 ,:,:, :) ,[],4);
341     Cright= fft(u(nx-1,:,:, :) ,[],4);
342 end

```

The inverse Fourier transform gives the edge values via a shift a fraction r to the next macroscale grid point.

```

349 u(nx,iV,patches.ri,:) = uclean( ifft( ...
350     Cleft.*exp(1i*ks.*(stagShift+r)) ,[],4));
351 u(1 ,iV,patches.le,:) = uclean( ifft( ...
352     Cright.*exp(1i*ks.*(stagShift-r)) ,[],4));

```

Restore staggered grid when appropriate. This dimensional shifting appears to work. Is there a better way to do this?

```

360 if patches.stag
361     nVars = nVars/2;
362     u=reshape(u,nx,nVars,2,nEnsem,Nx);
363     Nx = 2*Nx;
364     v(:,:,1:2:Nx) = u(:,:,1,:,:);
365     v(:,:,2:2:Nx) = u(:,:,2,:,:);

```

```

366     u = v;
367 end%if patches.stag
368 end%if patches.ordCC

```

11.2 Non-periodic macroscale interpolation

```

376 else% patches.periodic false
377 assert(~patches.stag, ...
378 'not yet implemented staggered grids for non-periodic')

```

Determine the order of interpolation p, and hence size of the (forward) divided difference table in F.

```

385 if patches.ordCC<1, patches.ordCC = Nx-1; end
386 p = min(patches.ordCC,Nx-1);
387 F = nan(patches.EdgyInt+1,nVars,nEnsem,Nx,p+1);

```

Set function values in first ‘column’ of the table for every variable and across ensemble. For EdgyInt, the ‘reversal’ of the next-to-edge values are because their values are to interpolate to the opposite edge of each patch.

```

397 if patches.EdgyInt % interpolate next-to-edge values
398   F(:,:,:,:,1) = u([nx-1 2],:,:,I);
399   X(:,:,:,:) = patches.x([nx-1 2],:,:,I);
400 else % interpolate mid-patch values/sums
401   F(:,:,:,:,1) = sum( u((i0-c):(i0+c),:,:,I) ,1);
402   X(:,:,:,:) = patches.x(i0,:,:,I);
403 end;

```

Compute table of (forward) divided differences (e.g., Wikipedia 2022) for every variable and across ensemble.

```

411 for q = 1:p
412   i = 1:Nx-q;
413   F(:,:,:,:,q+1) = (F(:,:,:,:,i+1,q)-F(:,:,:,:,i,q)) ...
414           ./ (X(:,:,:,:,i+q) - X(:,:,:,:,i));
415 end

```

Now interpolate to the edge-values at locations Xedge.

```

421 Xedge = patches.x([1 nx],:,:,:,:);

```

Code Horner's evaluation of the interpolation polynomials. Indices i are those of the left end of each interpolation stencil because the table is of forward differences.¹³ First alternative: the case of order p interpolation across the domain, asymmetric near the boundary. Use this first alternative for now.

```

437 if true
438   i = max(1,min(1:Nx,Nx-ceil(p/2))-floor(p/2));
439   Uedge = F(:,:, :,i,p+1);
440   for q = p:-1:1
441     Uedge = F(:,:, :,i,q)+(Xedge-X(:,:, :,i+q-1)).*Uedge;
442   end

```

Second alternative: lower the degree of interpolation near the boundary to maintain the band-width of the interpolation. Such symmetry might be essential for multi-D. ¹⁴

```

453 else%if false
454   i = max(1,I-floor(p/2));

```

For the tapering order of interpolation, form the interior mask Q (logical) that signifies which interpolations are to be done at order q . This logical mask spreads by two as each order q decreases.

```

463 Q = (I-1>=floor(p/2)) & (Nx-I>=p/2);
464 Imid = floor(Nx/2);

```

Initialise to highest divide difference, surrounded by zeros.

```

470 Uedge = zeros(patches.EdgyInt+1,nVars,nEnsem,Nx);
471 Uedge(:,:, :,Q) = F(:,:, :,i(Q),p+1);

```

Complete Horner evaluation of the relevant polynomials.

```

477 for q = p:-1:1
478   Q = [Q(2:Imid) true(1,2) Q(Imid+1:end-1)]; % spread mask
479   Uedge(:,:, :,Q) = F(:,:, :,i(Q),q) ...
480     +(Xedge(:,:, :,Q)-X(:,:, :,i(Q)+q-1)).*Uedge(:,:, :,Q);
481 end%for q
482 end%if

```

¹³ For EdgyInt, perhaps interpret odd order interpolation in such a way that first-order interpolations reduces to appropriate linear interpolation so that as patches abut the scheme is 'full-domain'. May mean left-edge and right-edge have different indices. Explore sometime??

¹⁴The aim is to preserve symmetry?? Does it?? As of Jan 2023 it only partially does—fails near boundaries, and maybe fails with uneven spacing.

Finally, insert edge values into the array of field values, using the required ensemble shifts.

```
490 u(1 ,:,patches.le,I) = Uedge(1,:,:,:,I);  
491 u(nx,:,:,patches.ri,I) = Uedge(2,:,:,:,I);
```

We want a user to set the extreme patch edge values according to the microscale boundary conditions that hold at the extremes of the domain. Consequently, may override their computed interpolation values with NaN.

```
500 u( 1,:,:,:, 1) = nan;  
501 u(nx,:,:,:,Nx) = nan;  
  
507 end%if patches.periodic
```

End of the non-periodic interpolation code.

Fin, returning the 4D array of field values.

12 configPatches1(): configures spatial patches in 1D

Makes the struct `patches` for use by the patch/gap-tooth time derivative/step function `patchSys1()`. [Section 12.1](#) lists an example of its use.

```
19 function patches = configPatches1(fun,Xlim,Dom ...  
20 ,nPatch,ordCC,dx,nSubP,varargin)
```

Input If invoked with no input arguments, then executes an example of simulating Burgers' PDE—see [Section 12.1](#) for the example code.

- `fun` is the name of the user function, `fun(t,u,patches)` or `fun(t,u)`, that computes time derivatives (or time-steps) of quantities on the 1D micro-grid within all the 1D patches.
- `Xlim` give the macro-space spatial domain of the computation, namely the interval `[Xlim(1),Xlim(2)]`.
- `Dom` sets the type of macroscale conditions for the patches, and reflects the type of microscale boundary conditions of the problem. If `Dom` is `NaN` or `[]`, then the field `u` is macro-periodic in the 1D spatial domain, and resolved on equi-spaced patches. If `Dom` is a character string, then that specifies the `.type` of the following structure, with `.bcOffset` set to the default zero. Otherwise `Dom` is a structure with the following components.

- `.type`, string, of either ‘periodic’ (the default), ‘equispace’, ‘chebyshev’, ‘usergiven’. For all cases except ‘periodic’, users *must* code into `fun` the micro-grid boundary conditions that apply at the left(right) edge of the leftmost(rightmost) patches.
- `.bcOffset`, optional one or two element array, in the cases of ‘equispace’ or ‘chebyshev’ the patches are placed so the left/right macroscale boundaries are aligned to the left/right edges of the corresponding extreme patches, but offset by `bcOffset` of the sub-patch micro-grid spacing. For example, use `bcOffset=0` when applying Dirichlet boundary values on the extreme edge micro-grid points, whereas use `bcOffset=0.5` when applying Neumann boundary conditions halfway between the extreme edge micro-grid points.
- `.X`, optional array, in the case ‘`usergiven`’ it specifies the locations of the centres of the `nPatch` patches—the user is responsible it makes sense.
- `nPatch` is the number of equi-spaced spatial patches.
- `ordCC`, must be ≥ -1 , is the ‘order’ of interpolation across empty space of the macroscale patch values to the edge of the patches for inter-patch coupling: where `ordCC` of 0 or -1 gives spectral interpolation; and `ordCC` being odd specifies staggered spatial grids.
- `dx` (real) is usually the sub-patch micro-grid spacing in x .
However, if `Dom` is `NaN` (as for pre-2023), then `dx` actually is `ratio`, namely the ratio of (depending upon `EdgyInt`) either the half-width or full-width of a patch to the equi-spacing of the patch mid-points. So either `ratio = 1/2` means the patches abut and `ratio = 1` is overlapping patches as in holistic discretisation, or `ratio = 1` means the patches abut. Small `ratio` should greatly reduce computational time.
- `nSubP` is the number of equi-spaced macroscale lattice points in each patch. If not using `EdgyInt`, then must be odd so that there is a centre-patch lattice point.
- `nEdge` (not yet implemented), *optional*, `default=1`, for each patch, the number of edge values set by interpolation at the edge regions of each patch. The default is one (suitable for macroscale lattices with only nearest neighbour interactions).

- `EdgyInt`, true/false, *optional*, default=false. If true, then interpolate to left/right edge-values from right/left next-to-edge values. If false or omitted, then interpolate from centre-patch values.
 - `nEnsem`, *optional-experimental*, default one, but if more, then an ensemble over this number of realisations.
 - `hetCoeffs`, *optional*, default empty. Supply a 1/2D array of microscale heterogeneous coefficients to be used by the given microscale `fun` in each patch. Say the given array `cs` is of size $m_x \times n_c$, where n_c is the number of different sets of coefficients. The coefficients are to be the same for each and every patch; however, macroscale variations are catered for by the n_c coefficients being n_c parameters in some macroscale formula.
 - If `nEnsem` = 1, then the array of coefficients is just tiled across the patch size to fill up each patch, starting from the first point in each patch.
 - If `nEnsem` > 1 (value immaterial), then reset `nEnsem` := m_x and construct an ensemble of all m_x phase-shifts of the coefficients. In this scenario, the inter-patch coupling couples different members in the ensemble. When `EdgyInt` is true, and when the coefficients are diffusivities/elasticities, then this coupling cunningly preserves symmetry .
 - `nCore`, *optional-experimental*, default one, but if more, and only for non-`EdgyInt`, then interpolates from an average over the core of a patch, a core of size ?? . Then edge values are set according to interpolation of the averages ?? or so that average at edges is the interpolant ??
 - ‘`parallel`’, true/false, *optional*, default=false. If false, then all patch computations are on the user’s main CPU—although a user may well separately invoke, say, a GPU to accelerate sub-patch computations.
- If true, and it requires that you have MATLAB’s Parallel Computing Toolbox, then it will distribute the patches over multiple CPUS/cores. In MATLAB, only one array dimension can be split in the distribution, so it chooses the one space dimension x . A user may correspondingly distribute arrays with property `patches.codist`, or simply use formulas invoking the preset distributed arrays `patches.x`. If a user has not yet established a parallel pool, then a ‘local’ pool is started.

Output The struct `patches` is created and set with the following components. If no output variable is provided for `patches`, then make the struct available as a global variable.¹⁵

180 if nargout==0, global patches, end

- `.fun` is the name of the user's function `fun(t,u,patches)` or `fun(t,u)`, that computes the time derivatives (or steps) on the patchy lattice.
- `.ordCC` is the specified order of inter-patch coupling.
- `.periodic`: either true, for interpolation on the macro-periodic domain; or false, for general interpolation by divided differences over non-periodic domain or unevenly distributed patches.
- `.stag` is true for interpolation using only odd neighbouring patches as for staggered grids, and false for the usual case of all neighbour coupling.
- `.Cwtsr` and `.Cwtsl`, only for macro-periodic conditions, are the `ordCC`-vector of weights for the inter-patch interpolation onto the right and left edges (respectively) with patch:macroscale ratio as specified or as derived from `dx`.
- `.x` (4D) is `nSubP × 1 × 1 × nPatch` array of the regular spatial locations x_{iI} of the i th microscale grid point in the I th patch.
- `.ratio`, only for macro-periodic conditions, is the size ratio of every patch.
- `.nEdge` is, for each patch, the number of edge values set by interpolation at the edge regions of each patch.
- `.le`, `.ri` determine inter-patch coupling of members in an ensemble. Each a column vector of length `nEnsem`.
- `.cs` either
 - [] 0D, or
 - if `nEnsem = 1`, $(nSubP(1) - 1) \times n_c$ 2D array of microscale heterogeneous coefficients, or

¹⁵When using `spmd` parallel computing, it is generally best to avoid global variables, and so instead prefer using an explicit output variable.

- if `nEnsem` > 1, $(nSubP(1) - 1) \times n_c \times m_x$ 3D array of m_x ensemble of phase-shifts of the microscale heterogeneous coefficients.
- `.parallel`, logical: true if patches are distributed over multiple CPUs/cores for the Parallel Computing Toolbox, otherwise false (the default is to activate the *local* pool).
- `.codist`, optional, describes the particular parallel distribution of arrays over the active parallel pool.

12.1 If no arguments, then execute an example

```
252 if nargin==0
253 disp('With no arguments, simulate example of Burgers PDE')
```

The code here shows one way to get started: a user's script may have the following three steps (left-right arrows denote function recursion).

1. `configPatches1`
2. `ode15s` integrator \mapsto `patchSys1` \mapsto user's PDE
3. process results

Establish global patch data struct to point to and interface with a function coding Burgers' PDE: to be solved on 2π -periodic domain, with eight patches, spectral interpolation couples the patches, with micro-grid spacing 0.06, and with seven microscale points forming each patch.

```
273 global patches
274 patches = configPatches1(@BurgersPDE, [0 2*pi], [], 8, 0, 0.06, 7);
```

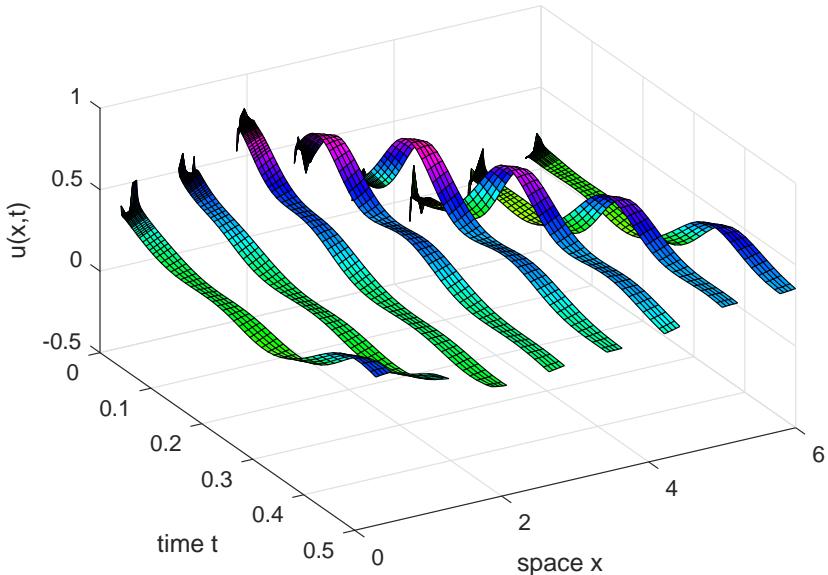
Set some initial condition, with some microscale randomness.

```
280 u0=0.3*(1+sin(patches.x))+0.1*randn(size(patches.x));
```

Simulate in time using a standard stiff integrator and the interface function `patchsmooth1()` (??).

```
288 if ~exist('OCTAVE_VERSION','builtin')
289 [ts,us] = ode15s( @patchSys1, [0 0.5],u0(:));
290 else % octave version
291 [ts,us] = odeOctave(@patchSys1,[0 0.5],u0(:));
292 end
```

Figure 13: field $u(x, t)$ of the patch scheme applied to Burgers' PDE.
Burgers PDE: patches in space, continuous time



Plot the simulation using only the microscale values interior to the patches: either set x -edges to `nan` to leave the gaps; or use `patchEdgyInt1` to re-interpolate correct patch edge values and thereby join the patches. [Figure 13](#) illustrates an example simulation in time generated by the patch scheme applied to Burgers' PDE.

```

304 figure(1),clf
305 if 1, patches.x([1 end],:,:, :)=nan; us=us.';
306 else us=reshape(patchEdgyInt1(us.'),[],length(ts));
307 end
308 surf(ts,patches.x(:,us)
309 view(60,40), colormap(0.8*hsv)
310 title('Burgers PDE: patches in space, continuous time')
311 xlabel('time t'), ylabel('space x'), zlabel('u(x,t)')

```

Upon finishing execution of the example, optionally save the graph to be shown in [Figure 13](#), then exit this function.

```

325 ifOurCf2eps(mfilename)
326 return
327 end%if nargin==0

```

12.2 Parse input arguments and defaults

```
342 p = inputParser;
343 fnValidation = @(f) isa(f, 'function_handle'); %test for fn name
344 addRequired(p, 'fun', fnValidation);
345 addRequired(p, 'Xlim', @isnumeric);
346 %addRequired(p, 'Dom'); % nothing yet decided
347 addRequired(p, 'nPatch', @isnumeric);
348 addRequired(p, 'ordCC', @isnumeric);
349 addRequired(p, 'dx', @isnumeric);
350 addRequired(p, 'nSubP', @isnumeric);
351 addParameter(p, 'nEdge', 1, @isnumeric);
352 addParameter(p, 'EdgyInt', false, @islogical);
353 addParameter(p, 'nEnsem', 1, @isnumeric);
354 addParameter(p, 'hetCoeffs', [], @isnumeric);
355 addParameter(p, 'parallel', false, @islogical);
356 addParameter(p, 'nCore', 1, @isnumeric);
357 parse(p, fun, Xlim, nPatch, ordCC, dx, nSubP, varargin{:});
```

Set the optional parameters.

```
363 patches.nEdge = p.Results.nEdge;
364 patches.EdgyInt = p.Results.EdgyInt;
365 patches.nEnsem = p.Results.nEnsem;
366 cs = p.Results.hetCoeffs;
367 patches.parallel = p.Results.parallel;
368 patches.nCore = p.Results.nCore;
```

Check parameters.

```
375 assert(Xlim(1)<Xlim(2) ...
376     , 'two entries of Xlim must be ordered increasing')
377 assert(patches.nEdge==1 ...
378     , 'multi-edge-value interp not yet implemented')
379 assert(2*patches.nEdge+1<=nSubP ...
380     , 'too many edge values requested')
381 if patches.nCore>1
382     warning('nCore>1 not yet tested in this version')
383 end
```

For compatibility with pre-2023 functions, if parameter Dom is Nan, then we set the ratio to be the value of the so-called dx parameter.

```

393 if ~isstruct(Dom), pre2023=isnan(Dom);
394 else pre2023=false; end
395 if pre2023, ratio=dx; dx=nan; end

```

Default macroscale conditions are periodic with evenly spaced patches.

```

403 if isempty(Dom), Dom=struct('type','periodic'); end
404 if (~isstruct(Dom))&isnan(Dom), Dom=struct('type','periodic'); end

```

If Dom is a string, then just set type to that string, and then get corresponding defaults for others fields.

```

412 if ischar(Dom), Dom=struct('type',Dom); end

```

Check what is and is not specified, and provide default of Dirichlet boundaries if no bcOffset specified when needed.

```

420 patches.periodic=false;
421 switch Dom.type
422 case 'periodic'
423     patches.periodic=true;
424     if isfield(Dom,'bcOffset')
425         warning('bcOffset not available for Dom.type = periodic'), end
426     if isfield(Dom,'X')
427         warning('X not available for Dom.type = periodic'), end
428 case {'equispace','chebyshev'}
429     if ~isfield(Dom,'bcOffset'), Dom.bcOffset=[0;0]; end
430     if length(Dom.bcOffset)==1
431         Dom.bcOffset=repmat(Dom.bcOffset,2,1); end
432     if isfield(Dom,'X')
433         warning('X not available for Dom.type = equispace or chebyshev')
434     end
435 case 'usergiven'
436     if isfield(Dom,'bcOffset')
437         warning('bcOffset not available for usergiven Dom.type'), end
438         assert(isfield(Dom,'X'),'X required for Dom.type = usergiven')
439 otherwise
440     error([Dom.type ' is unknown Dom.type'])
441 end%switch Dom.type

```

12.3 The code to make patches and interpolation

First, store the pointer to the time derivative function in the struct.

```
453 patches.fun=fun;
```

Second, store the order of interpolation that is to provide the values for the inter-patch coupling conditions. Spectral coupling is `ordCC` of 0 and -1 .

```
462 assert((ordCC>=-1) & (floor(ordCC)==ordCC), ...
463     'ordCC out of allowed range integer>=-1')
```

For odd `ordCC`, interpolate based upon odd neighbouring patches as is useful for staggered grids.

```
470 patches.stag=mod(ordCC,2);
471 ordCC=ordCC+patches.stag;
472 patches.ordCC=ordCC;
```

Check for staggered grid and periodic case.

```
478 if patches.stag, assert(mod(nPatch,2)==0, ...
479     'Require an even number of patches for staggered grid')
480 end
```

Third, set the centre of the patches in the macroscale grid of patches, depending upon `Dom.type`.

```
489 switch Dom.type
```

The periodic case is evenly spaced within the spatial domain. Store the size ratio in `patches`.

```
497 case 'periodic'
498 X=linspace(Xlim(1),Xlim(2),nPatch+1);
499 DX=X(2)-X(1);
500 X=X(1:nPatch)+diff(X)/2;
501 pEI=patches.EdgyInt;% abbreviation
502 if pre2023, dx = ratio*DX/(nSubP-1-pEI)*(2-pEI);
503 else      ratio = dx/DX*(nSubP-1-pEI)/(2-pEI);    end
504 patches.ratio=ratio;
```

In the case of macro-periodicity, precompute the weightings to interpolate field values for coupling. (Might sometime extend to coupling via derivative values.)

```

512 if ordCC>0
513 [Cwtsr,Cwtsl] = patchCwts(ratio,ordCC,patches.stag);
514 patches.Cwtsr = Cwtsr; patches.Cwtsl = Cwtsl;
515 end

```

The equi-spaced case is also evenly spaced but with the extreme edges aligned with the spatial domain boundaries, modified by the offset.

```

524 case 'equispace'
525 X=linspace(Xlim(1)+((nSubP-1)/2-Dom.bcOffset(1))*dx ...
526 ,Xlim(2)-((nSubP-1)/2-Dom.bcOffset(2))*dx ,nPatch);
527 DX=diff(X(1:2));
528 width=(1+patches.EdgyInt)/2*(nSubP-1-patches.EdgyInt)*dx;
529 if DX<width*0.999999
530 warning('too many equispace patches (double overlapping)')
531 end

```

The Chebyshev case is spaced according to the Chebyshev distribution in order to reduce macro-interpolation errors, $X_i \propto -\cos(i\pi/N)$, but with the extreme edges aligned with the spatial domain boundaries, modified by the offset, and modified by possible ‘boundary layers’.¹⁶

```

548 case 'chebyshev'
549 halfWidth=dx*(nSubP-1)/2;
550 X1 = Xlim(1)+halfWidth-Dom.bcOffset(1)*dx;
551 X2 = Xlim(2)-halfWidth+Dom.bcOffset(2)*dx;
552 % X = (X1+X2)/2-(X2-X1)/2*cos(linspace(0,pi,nPatch));

```

Search for total width of ‘boundary layers’ so that in the interior the patches are non-overlapping Chebyshev. But the width for assessing overlap of patches is the following variable `width`.

```

561 width=(1+patches.EdgyInt)/2*(nSubP-1-patches.EdgyInt)*dx;
562 for b=0:2:nPatch-2
563 DXmin=(X2-X1-b*width)/2*( 1-cos(pi/(nPatch-b-1)) );
564 if DXmin>width, break, end
565 end

```

¹⁶ However, maybe overlapping patches near a boundary should be viewed as some sort of spatial analogue of the ‘christmas tree’ of projective integration and its projection to a slow manifold. Here maybe the overlapping patches allow for a ‘christmas tree’ approach to the boundary layers. Needs to be explored??

```

566 if DXmin<width*0.999999
567 warning('too many Chebyshev patches (mid-domain overlap)')
568 end

Assign the centre-patch coordinates.

574 X = [ X1+(0:b/2-1)*width ...
575 (X1+X2)/2-(X2-X1-b*width)/2*cos(linspace(0,pi,nPatch-b)) ...
576 X2+(1-b/2:0)*width ];

```

The user-given case is entirely up to a user to specify, we just ensure it has the correct shape of a row.

```

585 case 'usergiven'
586 X = reshape(Dom.X,1,[]);
587 end%switch Dom.type

```

Fourth, construct the microscale grid in each patch. Reshape the grid to be 4D to suit dimensions (micro,Vars,Ens,macro).

```

597 assert(patches.EdgyInt | mod(nSubP,2)==1, ...
598   'configPatches1: nSubP must be odd')
599 i0=(nSubP+1)/2;
600 patches.x = reshape( dx*(-i0+1:i0-1)'+X ,nSubP,1,1,nPatch);

```

12.4 Set ensemble inter-patch communication

For EdgyInt or centre interpolation respectively,

- the right-edge/centre realisations `1:nEnsem` are to interpolate to left-edge `le`, and
- the left-edge/centre realisations `1:nEnsem` are to interpolate to `re`.

`re` and `li` are ‘transposes’ of each other as `re(li)=le(ri)` are both `1:nEnsem`. Alternatively, one may use the statement

`c=hankel(c(1:nSubP-1),c([nSubP 1:nSubP-2]));`

to correspondingly generates all phase shifted copies of microscale heterogeneity (see `homoDiffEdgy1` of ??).

The default is nothing shifty. This setting reduces the number of if-statements in function `patchEdgeInt1()`.

```

630 nE = patches.nEnsem;
631 patches.le = 1:nE;
632 patches.ri = 1:nE;
```

However, if heterogeneous coefficients are supplied via `hetCoeffs`, then do some non-trivial replications. First, get microscale periods, patch size, and replicate many times in order to subsequently sub-sample: `nSubP` times should be enough. If `cs` is more than 2D, then the higher-dimensions are reshaped into the 2nd dimension.

```

644 if ~isempty(cs)
645 [mx,nc] = size(cs);
646 nx = nSubP(1);
647 cs = repmat(cs,nSubP,1);
```

If only one member of the ensemble is required, then sub-sample to patch size, and store coefficients in `patches` as is.

```

655 if nE==1, patches.cs = cs(1:nx-1,:); else
```

But for `nEnsem > 1` an ensemble of m_x phase-shifts of the coefficients is constructed from the over-supply. Here code phase-shifts over the periods—the phase shifts are like Hankel-matrices.

```

664 patches.nEnsem = mx;
665 patches.cs = nan(nx-1,nc,mx);
666 for i = 1:mx
667     is = (i:i+nx-2);
668     patches.cs(:,:,i) = cs(is,:);
669 end
670 patches.cs = reshape(patches.cs,nx-1,nc,[]);
```

Further, set a cunning left/right realisation of inter-patch coupling. The aim is to preserve symmetry in the system when also invoking `EdgyInt`. What this coupling does without `EdgyInt` is unknown. Use auto-replication.

```

680 patches.le = mod((0:mx-1)' + mod(nx-2,mx),mx)+1;
681 patches.ri = mod((0:mx-1)' - mod(nx-2,mx),mx)+1;
```

Issue warning if the ensemble is likely to be affected by lack of scale separation. Need to justify this and the arbitrary threshold more carefully??

```

689 if ratio*patches.nEnsem>0.9, warning( ...
690 'Probably poor scale separation in ensemble of coupled phase-shifts')
691 scaleSeparationParameter = ratio*patches.nEnsem
692 end

End the two if-statements.

698 end%if-else nEnsem>1
699 end%if not-empty(cs)

```

If parallel code then first assume this is not within an `spmd`-environment, and so we invoke `spmd...end` (which starts a parallel pool if not already started). At this point, the global `patches` is copied for each worker processor and so it becomes *composite* when we distribute any one of the fields. Hereafter, *all fields in the global variable patches must only be referenced within an spmd-environment.*¹⁷

```

718 if patches.parallel
719 % theparpool=gcp()
720 spmd

```

Second, choose to slice parallel workers in the spatial direction.

```

727 pari = 1;
728 patches.codist=codistributor1d(3+pari);

```

`patches.codist.Dimension` is the index that is split among workers. Then distribute the coordinate direction among the workers: the function must be invoked inside an `spmd`-group in order for this to work—so we do not need `parallel` in argument list.

```

738 switch pari
739   case 1, patches.x=codistributed(patches.x,patches.codist);
740 otherwise
741   error('should never have bad index for parallel distribution')
742 end%switch
743 end%spmd

```

If not parallel, then clean out `patches.codist` if it exists. May not need, but safer.

¹⁷If subsequently outside `spmd`, then one must use functions like `getfield(patches{1}, 'a')`.

```

751 else% not parallel
752   if isfield(patches,'codist'), rmfield(patches,'codist'); end
753 end%if-parallel

```

Fin

```

762 end% function

```

13 patchEdgeInt2(): sets 2D patch edge values from 2D macroscale interpolation

Couples 2D patches across 2D space by computing their edge values via macroscale interpolation. Research ([Bunder2019c](#); Roberts, MacKenzie, and Bunder [2014](#)) indicates the patch centre-values are sensible macroscale variables, and macroscale interpolation of these determine patch-edge values. However, for computational homogenisation in multi-D, interpolating patch next-to-edge values appears better ([Bunder, Kevrekidis, and Roberts 2021](#)). This function is primarily used by `patchSys2()` but is also useful for user graphics. [¹⁸](#)

Communicate patch-design variables via a second argument (optional, except required for parallel computing of `spmd`), or otherwise via the global struct `patches`.

```

29 function u = patchEdgeInt2(u,patches)
30 if nargin<2, global patches, end
31 %disp('**** Invoking new patchEdgeInt2')

```

Input

- `u` is a vector/array of length `prod(nSubP) · nVars · nEnsem · prod(nPatch)` where there are `nVars · nEnsem` field values at each of the points in the `nSubP1 · nSubP2 · nPatch1 · nPatch2` multiscale spatial grid on the `nPatch1 · nPatch2` array of patches.
- `patches` a struct set by `configPatches2()` which includes the following information.
 - `.x` is $nSubP1 \times 1 \times 1 \times 1 \times nPatch1 \times 1$ array of the spatial locations x_{iI} of the microscale grid points in every patch. Currently it *must* be an

¹⁸Script `patchEdgeInt2test.m` verifies this code.

equi-spaced lattice on the microscale index i , but may be variable spaced in macroscale index I .

- .y is similarly $1 \times \text{nSubP2} \times 1 \times 1 \times 1 \times \text{nPatch2}$ array of the spatial locations y_{jJ} of the microscale grid points in every patch. Currently it *must* be an equi-spaced lattice on the microscale index j , but may be variable spaced in macroscale index J .
- .ordCC is order of interpolation, currently only $\{0, 2, 4, \dots\}$
- .periodic indicates whether macroscale is periodic domain, or alternatively that the macroscale has left, right, top and bottom boundaries so interpolation is via divided differences.
- .stag in $\{0, 1\}$ is one for staggered grid (alternating) interpolation. Currently must be zero.
- .Cwtsr and .Cwtsl are the coupling coefficients for finite width interpolation in both the x, y -directions—when invoking a periodic domain.
- .EdgyInt, true/false, for determining patch-edge values by interpolation: true, from opposite-edge next-to-edge values (often preserves symmetry); false, from centre cross-patch values (near original scheme).
- .nEnsem the number of realisations in the ensemble.
- .parallel whether serial or parallel.

Output

- u is 6D array, $\text{nSubP1} \cdot \text{nSubP2} \cdot \text{nVars} \cdot \text{nEnsem} \cdot \text{nPatch1} \cdot \text{nPatch2}$, of the fields with edge values set by interpolation (and corner vales set to NaN).

Test for reality of the field values, and define a function accordingly. Could be problematic if some variables are real and some are complex, or if variables are of quite different sizes.

```
120 if max(abs(imag(u(:))))<1e-9*max(abs(u(:)))
121     uclean=@(u) real(u);
122 else uclean=@(u) u;
123 end
```

Determine the sizes of things. Any error arising in the reshape indicates u has the wrong size.

```

131 [~,ny,~,~,~,Ny] = size(patches.y);
132 [nx,~,~,~,Nx,~] = size(patches.x);
133 nEnsem = patches.nEnsem;
134 nVars = round(numel(u)/numel(patches.x)/numel(patches.y)/nEnsem);
135 assert(numel(u) == nx*ny*Nx*Ny*nVars*nEnsem ...
136 , 'patchEdgeInt2: input u has wrong size for parameters')
137 u = reshape(u,[nx ny nVars nEnsem Nx Ny]);

```

For the moment assume the physical domain is either macroscale periodic or macroscale rectangle so that the coupling formulas are simplest. These index vectors point to patches and their four immediate neighbours.

```

147 I=1:Nx; Ip=mod(I,Nx)+1; Im=mod(I-2,Nx)+1;
148 J=1:Ny; Jp=mod(J,Ny)+1; Jm=mod(J-2,Ny)+1;

```

The centre of each patch (as `nx` and `ny` are odd for centre-patch interpolation) is at indices

```

155 i0 = round((nx+1)/2);
156 j0 = round((ny+1)/2);
157 %disp('finished common preamble')

```

13.1 Periodic macroscale interpolation schemes

```

166 if patches.periodic

```

Get the size ratios of the patches.

```

172 rx = patches.ratio(1);
173 ry = patches.ratio(2);

```

Lagrange interpolation gives patch-edge values Compute centred differences of the mid-patch values for the macro-interpolation, of all fields. Here the domain is macro-periodic.

```

183 ordCC = patches.ordCC;
184 if ordCC>0 % then finite-width polynomial interpolation

```

The patch-edge values are either interpolated from the next-to-edge values, or from the centre-cross values (not the patch-centre value itself as that seems to have worse properties in general). Have not yet implemented core averages.

```

194 if patches.EdgyInt % interpolate next-to-edge values
195   Ux = u([2 nx-1],2:(ny-1),:,:,I,J);
196   Uy = u(2:(nx-1),[2 ny-1],:,:,I,J);
197 else % interpolate centre-cross values
198   Ux = u(i0,2:(ny-1),:,:,I,J);
199   Uy = u(2:(nx-1),j0,:,:,I,J);
200 end;%if patches.EdgyInt

```

Just in case any last array dimension(s) are one, we have to force a padding of the sizes, then adjoin the extra dimension for the subsequent array of differences.

```

208 szUx0=size(Ux); szUx0=[szUx0 ones(1,6-length(szUx0)) ordCC];
209 szUy0=size(Uy); szUy0=[szUy0 ones(1,6-length(szUy0)) ordCC];

```

Use finite difference formulas for the interpolation, so store finite differences ($\mu\delta, \delta^2, \mu\delta^3, \delta^4, \dots$) in these arrays. When parallel, in order to preserve the distributed array structure we use an index at the end for the differences.

```

219 if patches.parallel
220   dmux = zeros(szUx0,patches.codist); % 7D
221   dmuy = zeros(szUy0,patches.codist); % 7D
222 else
223   dmux = zeros(szUx0); % 7D
224   dmuy = zeros(szUy0); % 7D
225 end%if patches.parallel

```

First compute differences $\mu\delta$ and δ^2 in both space directions.

```

232 if patches.stag % use only odd numbered neighbours
233   error('polynomial interpolation not yet for staggered patch couple')
234   dmux(:,:,(:,:,I,:,:1) = (Ux(:,:,(:,:,Ip,:)+Ux(:,:,(:,:,Im,:))/2; % \m
235   dmux(:,:,(:,:,I,:,:2) = (Ux(:,:,(:,:,Ip,:)-Ux(:,:,(:,:,Im,:)); % \del
236   Ip = Ip(Ip); Im = Im(Im); % increase shifts to \pm2
237   dmuy(:,:,(:,:,J,:1) = (Ux(:,:,(:,:,Jp)+Ux(:,:,(:,:,Jm))/2; % \m
238   dmuy(:,:,(:,:,J,:2) = (Ux(:,:,(:,:,Jp)-Ux(:,:,(:,:,Jm)); % \del
239   Jp = Jp(Jp); Jm = Jm(Jm); % increase shifts to \pm2
240 else %disp('starting standard interpolation')
241   dmux(:,:,(:,:,I,:,:1) = (Ux(:,:,(:,:,Ip,:)
242                                -Ux(:,:,(:,:,Im,:))/2; %\mu\delta
243   dmux(:,:,(:,:,I,:,:2) = Ux(:,:,(:,:,Ip,:)

```

```

244      -2*Ux(:,:,,:,I,:)+Ux(:,:,,:,Im,:);    % \delta^2
245      dmuy(:,:,,:,J,1) = (Uy(:,:,,:,Jp) ...
246                                -Uy(:,:,,:,Jm))/2; %\mu\delta
247      dmuy(:,:,,:,J,2) =  Uy(:,:,,:,Jp) ...
248        -2*Uy(:,:,,:,J) +Uy(:,:,,:,Jm);    % \delta^2
249  end% if patches.stag

```

Recursively take δ^2 of these to form successively higher order centred differences in both space directions.

```

256  for k = 3:ordCC
257      dmux(:,:,,:,I,:,k) = dmux(:,:,,:,Ip,:,k-2) ...
258        -2*dmux(:,:,,:,I,:,k-2) +dmux(:,:,,:,Im,:,k-2);
259      dmuy(:,:,,:,J,k) = dmuy(:,:,,:,Jp,k-2) ...
260        -2*dmuy(:,:,,:,J,k-2) +dmuy(:,:,,:,Jm,k-2);
261  end

```

Interpolate macro-values to be Dirichlet edge values for each patch (Roberts and Kevrekidis 2007; Bunder, Roberts, and Kevrekidis 2017), using weights computed in `configPatches2()`. Here interpolate to specified order.

For the case where next-to-edge values interpolate to the opposite edge-values: when we have an ensemble of configurations, different configurations might be coupled to each other, as specified by `patches.le`, `patches.ri`, `patches.to` and `patches.bo`.

```

276 k=1+patches.EdgyInt; % use centre or two edges
277 u(nx,2:(ny-1),:,patches.ri,I,:) ...
278   = Ux(1,:,:,:,:)*(1-patches.stag) ...
279     +sum( shiftdim(patches.Cwtsr(:,1),-6).*dmux(1,:,:,:,:,:,:) ,7);
280 u(1 ,2:(ny-1),:,patches.le,I,:) ...
281   = Ux(k,:,:,:,:)*(1-patches.stag) ...
282     +sum( shiftdim(patches.Cwtsl(:,1),-6).*dmux(k,:,:,:,:,:,:) ,7);
283 u(2:(nx-1),ny,:,:patches.to,:,:J) ...
284   = Uy(:,1,:,:,:)*(1-patches.stag) ...
285     +sum( shiftdim(patches.Cwtsr(:,2),-6).*dmuy(:,1,:,:,:,:,:) ,7);
286 u(2:(nx-1),1 ,:,patches.bo,:,:J) ...
287   = Uy(:,k,:,:,:)*(1-patches.stag) ...
288     +sum( shiftdim(patches.Cwtsl(:,2),-6).*dmuy(:,k,:,:,:,:,:) ,7);
289 u([1 nx],[1 ny],:,:,:,:)=nan; % remove corner values

```

Case of spectral interpolation Assumes the domain is macro-periodic.

```
299 else% patches.ordCC<=0, spectral interpolation
300 %disp('executing spectral interpolation')
```

We interpolate in terms of the patch index, j say, not directly in space. As the macroscale fields are N -periodic in the patch index j , the macroscale Fourier transform writes the centre-patch values as $U_j = \sum_k C_k e^{ik2\pi j/N}$. Then the edge-patch values $U_{j\pm r} = \sum_k C_k e^{ik2\pi j/N(j\pm r)} = \sum_k C'_k e^{ik2\pi j/N}$ where $C'_k = C_k e^{ikr2\pi/N}$. For N patches we resolve ‘wavenumbers’ $|k| < N/2$, so set row vector $\mathbf{ks} = k2\pi/N$ for ‘wavenumbers’ $k = (0, 1, \dots, k_{\max}, -k_{\max}, \dots, -1)$ for odd N , and $k = (0, 1, \dots, k_{\max}, \pm(k_{\max} + 1) - k_{\max}, \dots, -1)$ for even N .

Deal with staggered grid by doubling the number of fields and halving the number of patches (`configPatches2` tests there are an even number of patches). Then the patch-ratio is effectively halved. The patch edges are near the middle of the gaps and swapped.

```
323 if patches.stag % transform by doubling the number of fields
324 error('staggered grid not yet implemented??')
325 v=nan(size(u)); % currently to restore the shape of u
326 u=cat(3,u(:,1:2:nPatch,:),u(:,2:2:nPatch,:));
327 stagShift=reshape(0.5*[ones(nVars,1);-ones(nVars,1)],1,1,[]);
328 iV=[nVars+1:2*nVars 1:nVars]; % scatter interp to alternate field
329 r=r/2; % ratio effectively halved
330 nPatch=nPatch/2; % halve the number of patches
331 nVars=nVars*2; % double the number of fields
332 else % the values for standard spectral
333     stagShift = 0;
334     iV = 1:nVars;
335 end%if patches.stag
```

Now set wavenumbers in the two directions into two vectors at the correct dimension. In the case of even N these compute the +-case for the highest wavenumber zig-zag mode, $k = (0, 1, \dots, k_{\max}, +(k_{\max} + 1) - k_{\max}, \dots, -1)$.

```
345 kMax = floor((Nx-1)/2);
346 krx = shiftdim( rx*2*pi/Nx*(mod((0:Nx-1)+kMax,Nx)-kMax) ,-3);
347 kMay = floor((Ny-1)/2);
348 kry = shiftdim( ry*2*pi/Ny*(mod((0:Ny-1)+kMay,Ny)-kMay) ,-4);
```

Compute the Fourier transform of the centre-cross values. Unless doing patch-edgy interpolation when FT the next-to-edge values. If there are an

even number of points, then if complex, treat as positive wavenumber, but if real, treat as cosine. When using an ensemble of configurations, different configurations might be coupled to each other, as specified by `patches.le`, `patches.ri`, `patches.to` and `patches.bo`.

```

362 ix=(2:nx-1)'; iy=2:ny-1; % indices of interior
363 if ~patches.EdgyInt
364     % here try central cross interpolation
365     Cle = fft(fft(u(i0,iy,:,:,:,:),[],5),[],6);
366     Cbo = fft(fft(u(ix,j0,:,:,:,:),[],5),[],6);
367     Cri=Cle; Cto=Cbo;
368 else % edgyInt uses next-to-edge values
369     Cle = fft(fft(u(    2,iy ,:,patches.le,:,:),[],5),[],6);
370     Cri = fft(fft(u(nx-1,iy ,:,patches.ri,:,:),[],5),[],6);
371     Cbo = fft(fft(u(ix,2      ,:,patches.bo,:,:),[],5),[],6);
372     Cto = fft(fft(u(ix,ny-1 ,:,patches.to,:,:),[],5),[],6);
373 end%if ~patches.EdgyInt

```

Now invert the double Fourier transforms to complete interpolation. Enforce reality when appropriate.

```

380 u(nx,iy,:,:,:,:)=uclean( ifft(ifft( ...
381     Cle.*exp(1i*(stagShift+krx)) ,[],5),[],6) );
382 u( 1,iy,:,:,:,:)=uclean( ifft(ifft( ...
383     Cri.*exp(1i*(stagShift-krx)) ,[],5),[],6) );
384 u(ix,ny,:,:,:,:)=uclean( ifft(ifft( ...
385     Cbo.*exp(1i*(stagShift+kry)) ,[],5),[],6) );
386 u(ix, 1,:,:,:,:)=uclean( ifft(ifft( ...
387     Cto.*exp(1i*(stagShift-kry)) ,[],5),[],6) );
388 end% if ordCC>0 else, so spectral

```

13.2 Non-periodic macroscale interpolation

```

399 else% patches.periodic false
400 %disp('executing new non-periodic code')
401 assert(~patches.stag, ...
402 'not yet implemented staggered grids for non-periodic')

```

Determine the order of interpolation `px` and `py` (potentially different in the different directions!), and hence size of the (forward) divided difference tables in `Fx` and `Fy` (7D) for interpolating to left/right edges and top/bottom edges,

respectively. Because of the product-form of the patch grid, and because we are doing *only* either edgy interpolation or cross-patch interpolation (*not* just the centre patch value), the interpolations are all 1D interpolations.

```
416 if patches.ordCC<1
417     px = Nx-1; py = Ny-1;
418 else px = min(patches.ordCC,Nx-1);
419     py = min(patches.ordCC,Ny-1);
420 end
421 ix=2:nx-1; iy=2:ny-1; % indices of edge 'interior' (ix n/a)
```

13.2.1 x -direction values

Set function values in first ‘column’ of the tables for every variable and across ensemble. For `EdgyInt`, the ‘reversal’ of the next-to-edge values are because their values are to interpolate to the opposite edge of each patch. (Have no plans to implement core averaging as yet.)

```
433 F = nan(patches.EdgyInt+1,ny-2,nVars,nEnsem,Nx,Ny,px+1);
434 if patches.EdgyInt % interpolate next-to-edge values
435     F(:,:,:,:,1) = u([nx-1 2],iy,:,:,:,:)';
436     X = patches.x([nx-1 2],:,:,:,:,:)';
437 else % interpolate mid-patch cross-patch values
438     F(:,:,:,:,1) = u(i0,iy,:,:,:,:)';
439     X = patches.x(i0,:,:,:,:)';
440 end%if patches.EdgyInt
```

Form tables of divided differences Compute tables of (forward) divided differences (e.g., Wikipedia 2022) for every variable, and across ensemble, and for left/right edges. Recursively find all divided differences.

```
451 for q = 1:px
452     i = 1:Nx-q;
453     F(:,:,:,:,i,:q+1) ...
454     = (F(:,:,:,:,i+1 ,:,q)-F(:,:,:,:,i,:,q)) ...
455     ./ (X(:,:,:,:,i+q,:)-X(:,:,:,:,i,:));
456 end
```

Interpolate with divided differences Now interpolate to find the edge-values on left/right edges at `Xedge` for every interior `Y`.

```
465 Xedge = patches.x([1 nx],:,:,:,:,:,:);
```

Code Horner's recursive evaluation of the interpolation polynomials. Indices i are those of the left edge of each interpolation stencil, because the table is of forward differences. This alternative: the case of order p_x and p_y interpolation across the domain, asymmetric near the boundaries of the rectangular domain.

```
476 i = max(1,min(1:Nx,Nx-ceil(px/2))-floor(px/2));  
477 Uedge = F(:,:,(:,:,i,:,:px+1);  
478 for q = px:-1:1  
479     Uedge = F(:,:,(:,:,i,:,:q)+(Xedge-X(:,:,(:,:,i+q-1,:)).*Uedge;  
480 end
```

Finally, insert edge values into the array of field values, using the required ensemble shifts.

```
488 u(1 ,iy,:,:patches.le,:,:,:) = Uedge(1,:,:,:,:,:);  
489 u(nx, iy,:,:patches.ri,:,:,:) = Uedge(2,:,:,:,:,:);
```

13.2.2 y -direction values

Set function values in first 'column' of the tables for every variable and across ensemble.

```
498 F = nan(nx,patches.EdgyInt+1,nVars,nEnsem,Nx,Ny,py+1);  
499 if patches.EdgyInt % interpolate next-to-edge values  
500     F(:,:,(:,:,1,:,:1) = u(:,:,ny-1 2,:,:,:,:,:);  
501     Y = patches.y(:,:,ny-1 2,:,:,:,:,:);  
502 else % interpolate mid-patch cross-patch values  
503     F(:,:,(:,:,1,:,:1) = u(:,:,j0,:,:,:,:,:);  
504     Y = patches.y(:,:,j0,:,:,:,:,:);  
505 end;
```

Form tables of divided differences.

```
511 for q = 1:py  
512     j = 1:Ny-q;  
513     F(:,:,(:,:,j,q+1) ...  
514     = (F(:,:,(:,:,j+1,q)-F(:,:,(:,:,j,q)) ...  
515     ./ (Y(:,:,(:,:,j+q)-Y(:,:,(:,:,j)));  
516 end
```

Interpolate to find the edge-values on top/bottom edges $Yedge$ for every x .

```
523 Yedge = patches.y(:, [1 ny], :, :, :, :);
```

Code Horner's recursive evaluation of the interpolation polynomials. Indices j are those of the bottom edge of each interpolation stencil, because the table is of forward differences.

```
532 j = max(1,min(1,Ny,Ny-ceil(py/2))-floor(py/2));  
533 Uedge = F(:, :, :, :, :, j, py+1);  
534 for q = py:-1:1  
535     Uedge = F(:, :, :, :, :, j, q)+(Yedge-Y(:, :, :, :, :, j+q-1)).*Uedge;  
536 end
```

Finally, insert edge values into the array of field values, using the required ensemble shifts.

```
543 u(:, 1, :, patches.bo, :, :) = Uedge(:, 1, :, :, :, :);  
544 u(:, ny, :, patches.to, :, :) = Uedge(:, 2, :, :, :, :);
```

13.2.3 Optional NaNs for safety

We want a user to set outer edge values on the extreme patches according to the microscale boundary conditions that hold at the extremes of the domain. Consequently, may override their computed interpolation values with NaN.

```
557 u( 1, :, :, :, 1, :) = nan;  
558 u(nx, :, :, :, Nx, :) = nan;  
559 u(:, 1, :, :, :, 1) = nan;  
560 u(:, ny, :, :, :, Ny) = nan;
```

End of the non-periodic interpolation code.

```
567 %disp('finished new non-periodic code')  
568 end%if patches.periodic else
```

Fin, returning the 6D array of field values with interpolated edges.

```
577 end% function patchEdgeInt2
```

14 configPatches2(): configures spatial patches in 2D

Makes the struct `patches` for use by the patch/gap-tooth time derivative/step function `patchSys2()`. [Section 14.1](#) lists an example of its use.

```

19 function patches = configPatches2(fun,Xlim,Dom ...
20 ,nPatch,ordCC,dx,nSubP,varargin)

```

Input If invoked with no input arguments, then executes an example of simulating a nonlinear diffusion PDE relevant to the lubrication flow of a thin layer of fluid—see [Section 14.1](#) for an example code.

- `fun` is the name of the user function, `fun(t,u,patches)` or `fun(t,u)`, that computes time-derivatives (or time-steps) of quantities on the 2D micro-grid within all the 2D patches.
- `Xlim` array/vector giving the rectangular macro-space domain of the computation, namely $[Xlim(1), Xlim(2)] \times [Xlim(3), Xlim(4)]$. If `Xlim` has two elements, then the domain is the square domain of the same interval in both directions.
- `Dom` sets the type of macroscale conditions for the patches, and reflects the type of microscale boundary conditions of the problem. If `Dom` is `NaN` or `[]`, then the field `u` is doubly macro-periodic in the 2D spatial domain, and resolved on equi-spaced patches. If `Dom` is a character string, then that specifies the `.type` of the following structure, with `.bcOffset` set to the default zero. Otherwise `Dom` is a structure with the following components.
 - `.type`, string, of either `'periodic'` (the default), `'equispace'`, `'chebyshev'`, `'usergiven'`. For all cases except `'periodic'`, users *must* code into `fun` the micro-grid boundary conditions that apply at the left/right/bottom/top edges of the leftmost/rightmost/bottommost/topmost patches, respectively.
 - `.bcOffset`, optional one, two or four element vector/array, in the cases of `'equispace'` or `'chebyshev'` the patches are placed so the left/right macroscale boundaries are aligned to the left/right edges of the corresponding extreme patches, but offset by `bcOffset` of the sub-patch micro-grid spacing. For example, use `bcOffset=0` when the micro-code applies Dirichlet boundary values on the extreme edge micro-grid points, whereas use `bcOffset=0.5` when the microcode applies Neumann boundary conditions halfway between the extreme edge micro-grid points. Similarly for the top and bottom edges. If a scalar, then apply the same offset to all boundaries. If two elements, then apply the first offset to both *x*-boundaries, and the

second offset to both y -boundaries. If four elements, then apply the first two offsets to the respective x -boundaries, and the last two offsets to the respective y -boundaries.

- .X, optional vector/array with `nPatch(1)` elements, in the case '`usergive`' it specifies the x -locations of the centres of the patches—the user is responsible the locations makes sense.
 - .Y, optional vector/array with `nPatch(2)` elements, in the case '`usergive`' it specifies the y -locations of the centres of the patches—the user is responsible the locations makes sense.
- `nPatch` sets the number of equi-spaced spatial patches: if scalar, then use the same number of patches in both directions, otherwise `nPatch(1:2)` gives the number of patches (≥ 1) in each direction.
 - `ordCC` is the ‘order’ of interpolation for inter-patch coupling across empty space of the macroscale patch values to the edge-values of the patches: currently must be 0, 2, 4, …; where 0 gives spectral interpolation.

- `dx` (real—scalar or two element) is usually the sub-patch micro-grid spacing in x and y . If scalar, then use the same `dx` in both directions, otherwise `dx(1:2)` gives the spacing in each of the two directions.

However, if `Dom` is `NaN` (as for pre-2023), then `dx` actually is `ratio` (scalar or two element), namely the ratio of (depending upon `EdgyInt`) either the half-width or full-width of a patch to the equi-spacing of the patch mid-points. So either `ratio = 1/2` means the patches abut and `ratio = 1` is overlapping patches as in holistic discretisation, or `ratio = 1` means the patches abut. Small `ratio` should greatly reduce computational time.

- `nSubP` is the number of equi-spaced microscale lattice points in each patch: if scalar, then use the same number in both directions, otherwise `nSubP(1:2)` gives the number in each direction. If not using `EdgyInt`, then must be odd so that there is/are centre-patch micro-grid point/lines in each patch.
- `nEdge` (not yet implemented), *optional*, default=1, for each patch, the number of edge values set by interpolation at the edge regions of each patch. The default is one (suitable for microscale lattices with only nearest neighbour interactions).

- `EdgyInt`, true/false, *optional*, default=false. If true, then interpolate to left/right/top/bottom edge-values from right/left/bottom/top next-to-edge values. If false or omitted, then interpolate from centre cross-patch lines.
- `nEnsem`, *optional-experimental*, default one, but if more, then an ensemble over this number of realisations.
- `hetCoeffs`, *optional*, default empty. Supply a 2/3D array of microscale heterogeneous coefficients to be used by the given microscale `fun` in each patch. Say the given array `cs` is of size $m_x \times m_y \times n_c$, where n_c is the number of different sets of coefficients. For example, in heterogeneous diffusion, $n_c = 2$ for the diffusivities in the *two* different spatial directions (or $n_c = 3$ for the diffusivity tensor). The coefficients are to be the same for each and every patch; however, macroscale variations are catered for by the n_c coefficients being n_c parameters in some macroscale formula.
 - If `nEnsem` = 1, then the array of coefficients is just tiled across the patch size to fill up each patch, starting from the (1, 1)-point in each patch.
 - If `nEnsem` > 1 (value immaterial), then reset `nEnsem` := $m_x \cdot m_y$ and construct an ensemble of all $m_x \cdot m_y$ phase-shifts of the coefficients. In this scenario, the inter-patch coupling couples different members in the ensemble. When `EdgyInt` is true, and when the coefficients are diffusivities/elasticities in x and y directions, respectively, then this coupling cunningly preserves symmetry.
- ‘`parallel`’, true/false, *optional*, default=false. If false, then all patch computations are on the user’s main CPU—although a user may well separately invoke, say, a GPU to accelerate sub-patch computations.

If true, and it requires that you have MATLAB’s Parallel Computing Toolbox, then it will distribute the patches over multiple CPUs/cores. In MATLAB, only one array dimension can be split in the distribution, so it chooses the one space dimension x, y corresponding to the highest `\nPatch` (if a tie, then chooses the rightmost of x, y). A user may correspondingly distribute arrays with property `patches.codist`, or simply use formulas invoking the preset distributed arrays `patches.x`, and `patches.y`. If a user has not yet established a parallel pool, then a ‘local’ pool is started.

Output The struct `patches` is created and set with the following components. If no output variable is provided for `patches`, then make the struct available as a global variable.¹⁹

205 if nargout==0, global patches, end

- `.fun` is the name of the user's function `fun(t,u,patches)` or `fun(t,u)`, that computes the time derivatives (or steps) on the patchy lattice.
- `.ordCC` is the specified order of inter-patch coupling.
- `.periodic`: either true, for interpolation on the macro-periodic domain; or false, for general interpolation by divided differences over non-periodic domain or unevenly distributed patches.
- `.stag` is true for interpolation using only odd neighbouring patches as for staggered grids, and false for the usual case of all neighbour coupling—not yet implemented.
- `.Cwtsr` and `.Cwts1`, only for macro-periodic conditions, are the `ordCC × 2`-array of weights for the inter-patch interpolation onto the right/top and left/bottom edges (respectively) with patch:macroscale ratio as specified or as derived from `dx`.
- `.x` (6D) is `nSubP(1) × 1 × 1 × 1 × nPatch(1) × 1` array of the regular spatial locations x_{iI} of the microscale grid points in every patch.
- `.y` (6D) is `1 × nSubP(2) × 1 × 1 × 1 × nPatch(2)` array of the regular spatial locations y_{jJ} of the microscale grid points in every patch.
- `.ratio` 1×2 , only for macro-periodic conditions, are the size ratios of every patch.
- `.nEdge` is, for each patch, the number of edge values set by interpolation at the edge regions of each patch.
- `.le`, `.ri`, `.bo`, `.to` determine inter-patch coupling of members in an ensemble. Each a column vector of length `nEnsem`.
- `.cs` either

¹⁹When using `spmd` parallel computing, it is generally best to avoid global variables, and so instead prefer using an explicit output variable.

- [] 0D, or
 - if `nEnsem` = 1, $(nSubP(1) - 1) \times (nSubP(2) - 1) \times n_c$ 3D array of microscale heterogeneous coefficients, or
 - if `nEnsem` > 1, $(nSubP(1) - 1) \times (nSubP(2) - 1) \times n_c \times m_x m_y$ 4D array of $m_x m_y$ ensemble of phase-shifts of the microscale heterogeneous coefficients.
- `.parallel`, logical: true if patches are distributed over multiple CPUs/cores for the Parallel Computing Toolbox, otherwise false (the default is to activate the *local* pool).
 - `.codist`, *optional*, describes the particular parallel distribution of arrays over the active parallel pool.

14.1 If no arguments, then execute an example

```
288 if nargin==0
289 disp('With no arguments, simulate example of nonlinear diffusion')
```

The code here shows one way to get started: a user's script may have the following three steps (arrows indicate function recursion).

1. `configPatches2`
2. `ode23` integrator \mapsto `patchSys2` \mapsto user's PDE
3. process results

Establish global patch data struct to interface with a function coding a nonlinear 'diffusion' PDE: to be solved on 6×4 -periodic domain, with 9×7 patches, spectral interpolation (0) couples the patches, with 5×5 points forming the micro-grid in each patch, and a sub-patch micro-grid spacing of 0.12 (relatively large for visualisation). Roberts, MacKenzie, and Bunder (2014) established that this scheme is consistent with the PDE (as the patch spacing decreases).

```
312 global patches
313 patches = configPatches2(@nonDiffPDE, [-3 3 -2 2], [] ...
314 , [9 7], 0, 0.12, 5 , 'EdgyInt', false);
```

Set an initial condition of a perturbed-Gaussian using auto-replication of the spatial grid.

```
321 u0 = exp(-patches.x.^2-patches.y.^2);
322 u0 = u0.* (0.9+0.1*rand(size(u0)));
```

Initiate a plot of the simulation using only the microscale values interior to the patches: optionally set x and y -edges to `nan` to leave the gaps between patches.

```
330 figure(1), clf, colormap(0.8* hsv)
331 x = squeeze(patches.x); y = squeeze(patches.y);
332 if 1, x([1 end], :) = nan; y([1 end], :) = nan; end
```

Start by showing the initial conditions of [Figure 14](#) while the simulation computes.

```
339 u = reshape(permute(squeeze(u0) ...
340     ,[1 3 2 4]), [numel(x) numel(y)]);
341 hsurf = surf(x(:, ),y(:, ),u');
342 axis([-3 3 -3 3 -0.03 1]), view(60,40)
343 legend('time = 0.00','Location','north')
344 xlabel('space x'), ylabel('space y'), zlabel('u(x,y)')
345 colormap(hsv)
346 ifOurCf2eps([mfilename 'ic'])
```

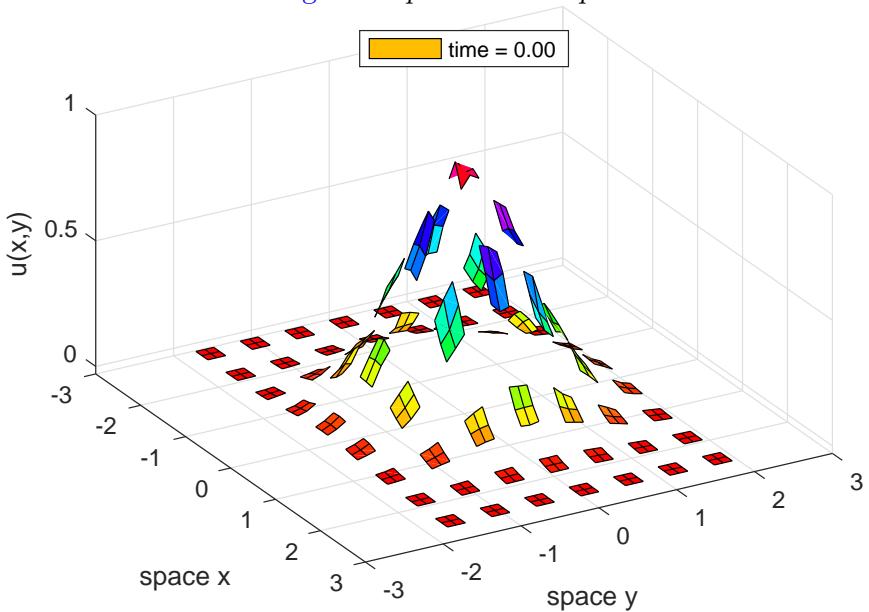
Integrate in time to $t = 4$ using standard functions. In MATLAB `ode15s` would be natural as the patch scheme is naturally stiff, but `ode23` is quicker (Maclean, Bunder, and Roberts [2021](#), Fig. 4). Ask for output at non-uniform times because the diffusion slows.

```
363 disp('Wait to simulate nonlinear diffusion h_t=(h^3)_xx+(h^3)_yy')
364 drawnow
365 if ~exist('OCTAVE_VERSION','builtin')
366     [ts,us] = ode23(@patchSys2,linspace(0,2).^2,u0(:));
367 else % octave version is quite slow for me
368     lsode_options('absolute tolerance',1e-4);
369     lsode_options('relative tolerance',1e-4);
370     [ts,us] = odeOcts(@patchSys2,[0 1],u0(:));
371 end
```

Animate the computed simulation to end with [Figure 15](#). Use `patchEdgeInt2` to interpolate patch-edge values (but not corner values, and even if not drawn).

```
380 for i = 1:length(ts)
381     u = patchEdgeInt2(us(i,:));
382     u = reshape(permute(squeeze(u) ...
383         ,[1 3 2 4]), [numel(x) numel(y)]);
```

Figure 14: initial field $u(x, y, t)$ at time $t = 0$ of the patch scheme applied to a nonlinear ‘diffusion’ PDE: [Figure 15](#) plots the computed field at time $t = 3$.



```

384     set(hsurf,'ZData', u');
385     legend(['time = ' num2str(ts(i),'%4.2f')])
386     pause(0.1)
387 end
388 ifOurCf2eps([mfilename 't3'])

```

Upon finishing execution of the example, exit this function.

```

403 return
404 end%if no arguments

```

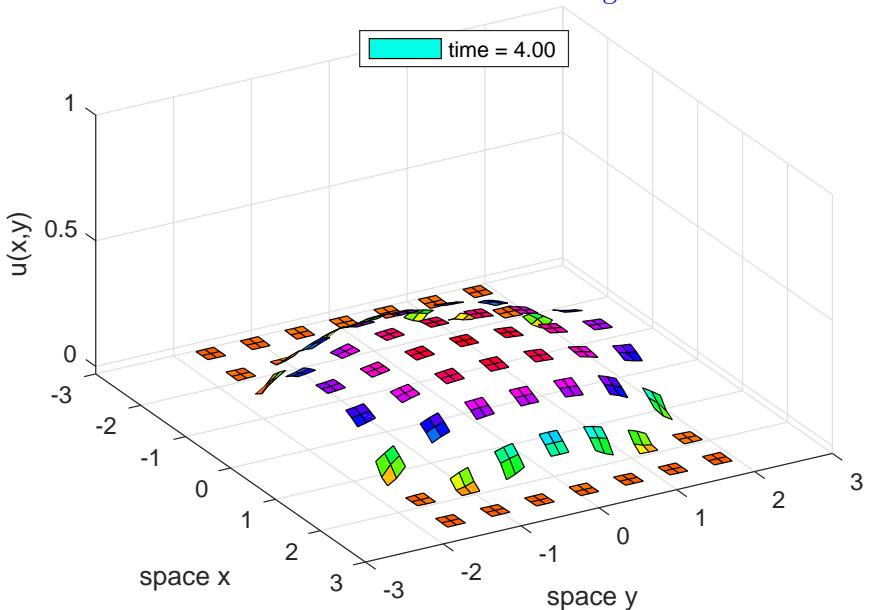
14.2 Parse input arguments and defaults

```

418 p = inputParser;
419 fnValidation = @(f) isa(f, 'function_handle');%test for fn name
420 addRequired(p, 'fun',fnValidation);
421 addRequired(p, 'Xlim',@isnumeric);
422 %addRequired(p, 'Dom'); % nothing yet decided
423 addRequired(p, 'nPatch',@isnumeric);

```

Figure 15: field $u(x, y, t)$ at time $t = 3$ of the patch scheme applied to a nonlinear ‘diffusion’ PDE with initial condition in Figure 14.



```

424 addRequired(p,'ordCC',@isnumeric);
425 addRequired(p,'dx',@isnumeric);
426 addRequired(p,'nSubP',@isnumeric);
427 addParameter(p,'nEdge',1,@isnumeric);
428 addParameter(p,'EdgyInt',false,@islogical);
429 addParameter(p,'nEnsem',1,@isnumeric);
430 addParameter(p,'hetCoeffs',[],@isnumeric);
431 addParameter(p,'parallel',false,@islogical);
432 %addParameter(p,'nCore',1,@isnumeric); % not yet implemented
433 parse(p,fun,Xlim,nPatch,ordCC,dx,nSubP,varargin{:});

```

Set the optional parameters.

```

439 patches.nEdge = p.Results.nEdge;
440 patches.EdgyInt = p.Results.EdgyInt;
441 patches.nEnsem = p.Results.nEnsem;
442 cs = p.Results.hetCoeffs;
443 patches.parallel = p.Results.parallel;
444 %patches.nCore = p.Results.nCore;

```

Initially duplicate parameters for both space dimensions as needed.

```
452 if numel(Xlim)==2, Xlim = repmat(Xlim,1,2); end  
453 if numel(nPatch)==1, nPatch = repmat(nPatch,1,2); end  
454 if numel(dx)==1, dx = repmat(dx,1,2); end  
455 if numel(nSubP)==1, nSubP = repmat(nSubP,1,2); end
```

Check parameters.

```
462 assert(Xlim(1)<Xlim(2) ...  
463     , 'first pair of Xlim must be ordered increasing')  
464 assert(Xlim(3)<Xlim(4) ...  
465     , 'second pair of Xlim must be ordered increasing')  
466 assert(patches.nEdge==1 ...  
467     , 'multi-edge-value interp not yet implemented')  
468 assert(all(2*patches.nEdge<nSubP) ...  
469     , 'too many edge values requested')  
470 %if patches.nCore>1  
471 %    warning('nCore>1 not yet tested in this version')  
472 %    end
```

For compatibility with pre-2023 functions, if parameter Dom is Nan, then we set the ratio to be the value of the so-called dx vector.

```
483 if ~isstruct(Dom), pre2023=isnan(Dom);  
484 else pre2023=false; end  
485 if pre2023, ratio=dx; dx=nan; end
```

Default macroscale conditions are periodic with evenly spaced patches.

```
493 if isempty(Dom), Dom=struct('type','periodic'); end  
494 if (~isstruct(Dom))&isnan(Dom), Dom=struct('type','periodic'); end
```

If Dom is a string, then just set type to that string, and subsequently set corresponding defaults for others fields.

```
502 if ischar(Dom), Dom=struct('type',Dom); end
```

We allow different macroscale domain conditions in the different directions. But for the moment do not allow periodic to be mixed with the others (as the interpolation mechanism is different code)—hence why we choose `periodic` be seven characters, whereas the others are eight characters. The different conditions are coded in different rows of `Dom.type`, so we duplicate the string if only one row specified.

```

515 if size(Dom.type,1)==1, Dom.type=repmat(Dom.type,2,1); end
Check what is and is not specified, and provide default of Dirichlet boundaries
if no bcOffset specified when needed. Do so for both directions independently.

523 patches.periodic=false;
524 for p=1:2
525 switch Dom.type(p,:)
526 case 'periodic'
527     patches.periodic=true;
528     if isfield(Dom,'bcOffset')
529         warning('bcOffset not available for Dom.type = periodic'), end
530         msg=' not available for Dom.type = periodic';
531         if isfield(Dom,'X'), warning(['X' msg]), end
532         if isfield(Dom,'Y'), warning(['Y' msg]), end
533 case {'equispace','chebyshev'}
534     if ~isfield(Dom,'bcOffset'), Dom.bcOffset=zeros(2,2); end
535 % for mixed with usergiven, following should still work
536     if numel(Dom.bcOffset)==1
537         Dom.bcOffset=repmat(Dom.bcOffset,2,2); end
538     if numel(Dom.bcOffset)==2
539         Dom.bcOffset=repmat(Dom.bcOffset(:,2,1); end
540         msg=' not available for Dom.type = equispace or chebyshev';
541         if (p==1)& isfield(Dom,'X'), warning(['X' msg]), end
542         if (p==2)& isfield(Dom,'Y'), warning(['Y' msg]), end
543 case 'usergiven'
544 %     if isfield(Dom,'bcOffset')
545 %         warning('bcOffset not available for usergiven Dom.type'), end
546         msg=' required for Dom.type = usergiven';
547         if p==1, assert(isfield(Dom,'X'),['X' msg]), end
548         if p==2, assert(isfield(Dom,'Y'),['Y' msg]), end
549 otherwise
550     error([Dom.type ' is unknown Dom.type'])
551 end%switch Dom.type
552 end%for p

```

14.3 The code to make patches

First, store the pointer to the time derivative function in the struct.

```
565 patches.fun = fun;
```

Second, store the order of interpolation that is to provide the values for the inter-patch coupling conditions. Spectral coupling is `ordCC` of 0 or (not yet??) -1.

```
574 assert((ordCC>=-1) & (floor(ordCC)==ordCC), ...
575     'ordCC out of allowed range integer>=-1')
```

For odd `ordCC` do interpolation based upon odd neighbouring patches as is useful for staggered grids.

```
582 patches.stag = mod(ordCC,2);
583 assert(patches.stag==0,'staggered not yet implemented??')
584 ordCC = ordCC+patches.stag;
585 patches.ordCC = ordCC;
```

Check for staggered grid and periodic case.

```
591 if patches.stag, assert(all(mod(nPatch,2)==0), ...
592     'Require an even number of patches for staggered grid')
593 end
```

Set the macro-distribution of patches Third, set the centre of the patches in the macroscale grid of patches. Loop over the coordinate directions, setting the distribution into `Q` and finally assigning to array of corresponding direction.

```
606 for q=1:2
607 qq=2*q-1;
```

Distribution depends upon `Dom.type`:

```
613 switch Dom.type(q,:)
```

The periodic case is evenly spaced within the spatial domain. Store the size ratio in `patches`.

```
621 case 'periodic'
622     Q=linspace(Xlim(qq),Xlim(qq+1),nPatch(q)+1);
623     DQ=Q(2)-Q(1);
624     Q=Q(1:nPatch(q))+diff(Q)/2;
625     pEI=patches.EdgyInt;% abbreviation
626 %    sizedx=size(dx), sizenSubP=size(nSubP)
627     if pre2023, dx(q) = ratio(q)*DQ/(nSubP(q)-1-pEI)*(2-pEI);
```

```

628     else          ratio(q) = dx(q)/DQ*(nSubP(q)-1-pEI)/(2-pEI);
629     end
630     patches.ratio=ratio;

```

The equi-spaced case is also evenly spaced but with the extreme edges aligned with the spatial domain boundaries, modified by the offset.

```

639 case 'equispace'
640     Q=linspace(Xlim(qq)+((nSubP(q)-1)/2-Dom.bcOffset(qq))*dx(q) ...
641                 ,Xlim(qq+1)-((nSubP(q)-1)/2-Dom.bcOffset(qq+1))*dx(q) ...
642                 ,nPatch(q));
643     DQ=diff(Q(1:2));
644     width=(1+patches.EdgyInt)/2*(nSubP(q)-1-patches.EdgyInt)*dx;
645     if DQ<width*0.999999
646         warning('too many equispace patches (double overlapping)')
647     end

```

The Chebyshev case is spaced according to the Chebyshev distribution in order to reduce macro-interpolation errors, $Q_i \propto -\cos(i\pi/N)$, but with the extreme edges aligned with the spatial domain boundaries, modified by the offset, and modified by possible ‘boundary layers’.²⁰

```

664 case 'chebyshev'
665     halfWidth=dx(q)*(nSubP(q)-1)/2;
666     Q1 = Xlim(1)+halfWidth-Dom.bcOffset(qq)*dx(q);
667     Q2 = Xlim(2)-halfWidth+Dom.bcOffset(qq+1)*dx(q);
668 %   Q = (Q1+Q2)/2-(Q2-Q1)/2*cos(linspace(0,pi,nPatch));

```

Search for total width of ‘boundary layers’ so that in the interior the patches are non-overlapping Chebyshev. But the width for assessing overlap of patches is the following variable `width`.

```

677 width=(1+patches.EdgyInt)/2*(nSubP(q)-1-patches.EdgyInt)*dx(q);
678 for b=0:2:nPatch(q)-2
679     DQmin=(Q2-Q1-b*width)/2*( 1-cos(pi/(nPatch(q)-b-1)) );
680     if DQmin>width, break, end
681 end

```

²⁰ However, maybe overlapping patches near a boundary should be viewed as some sort of spatially analogue of the ‘christmas tree’ of projective integration and its integration to a slow manifold. Here maybe the overlapping patches allow for a ‘christmas tree’ approach to the boundary layers. Needs to be explored??

```

682 if DQmin<width*0.999999
683 warning('too many Chebyshev patches (mid-domain overlap)')
684 end

```

Assign the centre-patch coordinates.

```

690 Q =[ Q1+(0:b/2-1)*width ...
691      (Q1+Q2)/2-(Q2-Q1-b*width)/2*cos(linspace(0,pi,nPatch(q)-b)) ...
692      Q2+(1-b/2:0)*width ];

```

The user-given case is entirely up to a user to specify, we just ensure it has the correct shape of a row??.

```

701 case 'usergiven'
702   if q==1, Q = reshape(Dom.X,1,[]);
703   else    Q = reshape(Dom.Y,1,[]);
704   end%if
705 end%switch Dom.type

```

Assign Q -coordinates to the correct spatial direction. At this stage they are all rows.

```

712 if q==1, X=Q; end
713 if q==2, Y=Q; end
714 end%for q

```

Construct the micro-grids Fourth, construct the microscale grid in each patch. Reshape the grid to be 6D to suit dimensions (micro,Vars,Ens,macro).

```

729 nSubP = reshape(nSubP,1,2); % force to be row vector
730 assert(patches.EdgyInt | all(mod(nSubP,2)==1), ...
731       'configPatches2: nSubP must be odd')
732 i0 = (nSubP(1)+1)/2;
733 patches.x = reshape( dx(1)*(-i0+1:i0-1)'+X ...
734                      ,nSubP(1),1,1,1,nPatch(1),1);

```

Next the y -direction.

```

740 i0 = (nSubP(2)+1)/2;
741 patches.y = reshape( dx(2)*(-i0+1:i0-1)'+Y ...
742                      ,1,nSubP(2),1,1,1,nPatch(2));

```

Pre-compute weights for macro-periodic In the case of macro-periodicity, precompute the weightings to interpolate field values for coupling. (Might sometime extend to coupling via derivative values.)

```

753 if patches.periodic
754     ratio = reshape(ratio,1,2); % force to be row vector
755     patches.ratio=ratio;
756     if ordCC>0
757         [Cwtsr,Cwtsl] = patchCwts(ratio,ordCC,patches.stag);
758         patches.Cwtsr = Cwtsr; patches.Cwtsl = Cwtsl;
759     end%if
760 end%if patches.periodic

```

14.4 Set ensemble inter-patch communication

For EdgyInt or centre interpolation respectively,

- the right-edge/centre realisations 1:nEnsem are to interpolate to left-edge le, and
- the left-edge/centre realisations 1:nEnsem are to interpolate to re.

re and li are ‘transposes’ of each other as $\text{re}(li)=\text{le}(ri)$ are both 1:nEnsem. Similarly for bottom-edge/centre interpolation to top-edge via to, and top-edge/centre interpolation to bottom-edge via bo.

The default is nothing shifty. This setting reduces the number of if-statements in function `patchEdgeInt2()`.

```

787 nE = patches.nEnsem;
788 patches.le = 1:nE; patches.ri = 1:nE;
789 patches.bo = 1:nE; patches.to = 1:nE;

```

However, if heterogeneous coefficients are supplied via `hetCoeffs`, then do some non-trivial replications. First, get microscale periods, patch size, and replicate many times in order to subsequently sub-sample: nSubP times should be enough. If cs is more than 3D, then the higher-dimensions are reshaped into the 3rd dimension.

```

801 if ~isempty(cs)
802     [mx,my,nc] = size(cs);
803     nx = nSubP(1); ny = nSubP(2);
804     cs = repmat(cs,nSubP);

```

If only one member of the ensemble is required, then sub-sample to patch size, and store coefficients in `patches` as is.

```
812 if nE==1, patches.cs = cs(1:nx-1,1:ny-1,:); else
```

But for $n_{Ensem} > 1$ an ensemble of $m_x m_y$ phase-shifts of the coefficients is constructed from the over-supply. Here code phase-shifts over the periods—the phase shifts are like Hankel-matrices.

```
821 patches.nEnsem = mx*my;
822 patches.cs = nan(nx-1,ny-1,nc,mx,my);
823 for j = 1:my
824     js = (j:j+ny-2);
825     for i = 1:mx
826         is = (i:i+nx-2);
827         patches.cs(:,:,i,j) = cs(is,js,:);
828     end
829 end
830 patches.cs = reshape(patches.cs,nx-1,ny-1,nc,[]);
```

Further, set a cunning left/right/bottom/top realisation of inter-patch coupling. The aim is to preserve symmetry in the system when also invoking `EdgyInt`. What this coupling does without `EdgyInt` is unknown. Use auto-replication.

```
840 le = mod((0:mx-1)+mod(nx-2,mx),mx)+1;
841 patches.le = reshape( le'+mx*(0:my-1) ,[],1);
842 ri = mod((0:mx-1)-mod(nx-2,mx),mx)+1;
843 patches.ri = reshape( ri'+mx*(0:my-1) ,[],1);
844 bo = mod((0:my-1)+mod(ny-2,my),my)+1;
845 patches.bo = reshape( (1:mx)'+mx*(bo-1) ,[],1);
846 to = mod((0:my-1)-mod(ny-2,my),my)+1;
847 patches.to = reshape( (1:mx)'+mx*(to-1) ,[],1);
```

Issue warning if the ensemble is likely to be affected by lack of scale separation. Need to justify this and the arbitrary threshold more carefully??

```
855 if prod(ratio)*patches.nEnsem>0.9, warning( ...
856 'Probably poor scale separation in ensemble of coupled phase-shifts')
857 scaleSeparationParameter = ratio*patches.nEnsem
858 end
```

End the two if-statements.

```
864 end%if-else nEnsem>1
865 end%if not-empty(cs)
```

If parallel code then first assume this is not within an `spmd`-environment, and so we invoke `spmd...end` (which starts a parallel pool if not already started). At this point, the global `patches` is copied for each worker processor and so it becomes *composite* when we distribute any one of the fields. Hereafter, *all fields in the global variable patches must only be referenced within an spmd-environment.*²¹

```
884 if patches.parallel
885 % theparpool=gcp()
886 spmd
```

Second, decide which dimension is to be sliced among parallel workers (for the moment, do not consider slicing the ensemble). Choose the direction of most patches, biased towards the last.

```
895 [~,pari]=max(nPatch+0.01*(1:2));
896 patches.codist=codistributor1d(4+pari);
```

`patches.codist.Dimension` is the index that is split among workers. Then distribute the appropriate coordinate direction among the workers: the function must be invoked inside an `spmd`-group in order for this to work—so we do not need `parallel` in argument list.

```
906 switch pari
907   case 1, patches.x=codistributed(patches.x,patches.codist);
908   case 2, patches.y=codistributed(patches.y,patches.codist);
909 otherwise
910   error('should never have bad index for parallel distribution')
911 end%switch
912 end%spmd
```

If not parallel, then clean out `patches.codist` if it exists. May not need, but safer.

```
920 else% not parallel
921   if isfield(patches,'codist'), rmfield(patches,'codist'); end
922 end%if-parallel
```

Fin

```
931 end% function
```

²¹If subsequently outside `spmd`, then one must use functions like `getfield(patches{1}, 'a')`.

15 patchEdgeInt3(): sets 3D patch face values from 3D macroscale interpolation

Couples 3D patches across 3D space by computing their face values via macroscale interpolation. Assumes patch face values are determined by macroscale interpolation of the patch centre-plane values ([Bunder2019c](#); [Roberts, MacKenzie, and Bunder 2014](#)), or patch next-to-face values which appears better ([Bunder, Kevrekidis, and Roberts 2021](#)). This function is primarily used by `patchSys3()` but is also useful for user graphics. ²²

Communicate patch-design variables via a second argument (optional, except required for parallel computing of `spmd`), or otherwise via the global struct `patches`.

```
27 function u = patchEdgeInt3(u,patches)
28 if nargin<2, global patches, end
29 %disp('**** Invoking new patchEdgeInt3')
```

Input

- `u` is a vector/array of length $\text{prod}(\text{nSubP}) \cdot \text{nVars} \cdot \text{nEnsem} \cdot \text{prod}(\text{nPatch})$ where there are $\text{nVars} \cdot \text{nEnsem}$ field values at each of the points in the $\text{nSubP1} \cdot \text{nSubP2} \cdot \text{nSubP3} \cdot \text{nPatch1} \cdot \text{nPatch2} \cdot \text{nPatch3}$ multiscale spatial grid on the $\text{nPatch1} \cdot \text{nPatch2} \cdot \text{nPatch3}$ array of patches.
- `patches` a struct set by `configPatches3()` which includes the following information.
 - `.x` is $\text{nSubP1} \times 1 \times 1 \times 1 \times 1 \times \text{nPatch1} \times 1 \times 1$ array of the spatial locations x_{iI} of the microscale grid points in every patch. Currently it *must* be an equi-spaced lattice on the microscale index i , but may be variable spaced in macroscale index I .
 - `.y` is similarly $1 \times \text{nSubP2} \times 1 \times 1 \times 1 \times 1 \times \text{nPatch2} \times 1$ array of the spatial locations y_{jJ} of the microscale grid points in every patch. Currently it *must* be an equi-spaced lattice on the microscale index j , but may be variable spaced in macroscale index J .
 - `.z` is similarly $1 \times 1 \times \text{nSubP3} \times 1 \times 1 \times 1 \times 1 \times \text{nPatch3}$ array of the spatial locations z_{kK} of the microscale grid points in every patch. Currently it *must* be an equi-spaced lattice on the microscale index k , but may be variable spaced in macroscale index K .

²²Script `patchEdgeInt3test.m` verifies this code.

- `.ordCC` is order of interpolation, currently only $\{0, 2, 4, \dots\}$
- `.periodic` indicates whether macroscale is periodic domain, or alternatively that the macroscale has left, right, top, bottom, front and back boundaries so interpolation is via divided differences.
- `.stag` in $\{0, 1\}$ is one for staggered grid (alternating) interpolation. Currently must be zero.
- `.Cwtsr` and `.Cwtsl` are the coupling coefficients for finite width interpolation in each of the x, y, z -directions—when invoking a periodic domain.
- `.EdgyInt`, true/false, for determining patch-edge values by interpolation: true, from opposite-edge next-to-edge values (often preserves symmetry); false, from centre cross-patch values (near original scheme).
- `.nEnsem` the number of realisations in the ensemble.
- `.parallel` whether serial or parallel.

Output

- `u` is 8D array, $nSubP1 \cdot nSubP2 \cdot nSubP3 \cdot nVars \cdot nEnsem \cdot nPatch1 \cdot nPatch2 \cdot nPatch3$, of the fields with face values set by interpolation (edge and corner vales set to `NaN`).

Test for reality of the field values, and define a function accordingly. Could be problematic if some variables are real and some are complex, or if variables are of quite different sizes.

```

129 if max(abs(imag(u(:))))<1e-9*max(abs(u(:)))
130     uclean=@(u) real(u);
131 else uclean=@(u) u;
132 end

```

Determine the sizes of things. Any error arising in the reshape indicates `u` has the wrong size.

```

140 [~,~,nz,~,~,~,~,Nz] = size(patches.z);
141 [~,ny,~,~,~,~,Ny,~] = size(patches.y);
142 [nx,~,~,~,~,Nx,~,~] = size(patches.x);
143 nEnsem = patches.nEnsem;
144 nVars = round( numel(u)/numel(patches.x) ...

```

```

145     /numel(patches.y)/numel(patches.z)/nEnsem );
146 assert(numel(u) == nx*ny*nz*Nx*Ny*Nz*nVars*nEnsem ...
147 , 'patchEdgeInt3: input u has wrong size for parameters')
148 u = reshape(u,[nx ny nz nVars nEnsem Nx Ny Nz]);
149 %usize1=size(u)%%%%%

```

For the moment assume the physical domain is either macroscale periodic or macroscale rectangle so that the coupling formulas are simplest. These index vectors point to patches and their six immediate neighbours.

```

158 I=1:Nx; Ip=mod(I,Nx)+1; Im=mod(I-2,Nx)+1;
159 J=1:Ny; Jp=mod(J,Ny)+1; Jm=mod(J-2,Ny)+1;
160 K=1:Nz; Kp=mod(K,Nz)+1; Km=mod(K-2,Nz)+1;

```

The centre of each patch (as `nx`, `ny` and `nz` are odd for centre-patch interpolation) is at indices

```

168 i0 = round((nx+1)/2);
169 j0 = round((ny+1)/2);
170 k0 = round((nz+1)/2);
171 %disp('finished common preamble')

```

15.1 Periodic macroscale interpolation schemes

```

180 if patches.periodic

```

Get the size ratios of the patches in each direction.

```

186 rx = patches.ratio(1);
187 ry = patches.ratio(2);
188 rz = patches.ratio(3);

```

Lagrange interpolation gives patch-face values Compute centred differences of the mid-patch values for the macro-interpolation, of all fields. Here the domain is macro-periodic.

```

199 ordCC = patches.ordCC;
200 if ordCC>0 % then finite-width polynomial interpolation

```

The patch-edge values are either interpolated from the next-to-edge-face values, or from the centre-cross-plane values (not the patch-centre value itself as that seems to have worse properties in general). Have not yet implemented core averages.

```

210 if patches.EdgyInt % interpolate next-to-face values
211   Ux = u([2 nx-1],2:(ny-1),2:(nz-1),:,:,I,J,K);
212   Uy = u(2:(nx-1),[2 ny-1],2:(nz-1),:,:,I,J,K);
213   Uz = u(2:(nx-1),2:(ny-1),[2 nz-1],:,:,I,J,K);
214 else % interpolate centre-cross values
215   Ux = u(i0,2:(ny-1),2:(nz-1),:,:,I,J,K);
216   Uy = u(2:(nx-1),j0,2:(nz-1),:,:,I,J,K);
217   Uz = u(2:(nx-1),2:(ny-1),k0,:,:,I,J,K);
218 end;%if patches.EdgyInt

```

Just in case the last array dimension(s) are one, we have to force a padding of the sizes, then adjoin the extra dimension for the subsequent array of differences.

```

226 szUx0=size(Ux); szUx0=[szUx0 ones(1,8-length(szUx0)) ordCC];
227 szUy0=size(Uy); szUy0=[szUy0 ones(1,8-length(szUy0)) ordCC];
228 szUz0=size(Uz); szUz0=[szUz0 ones(1,8-length(szUz0)) ordCC];

```

Use finite difference formulas for the interpolation, so store finite differences ($\mu\delta, \delta^2, \mu\delta^3, \delta^4, \dots$) in these arrays. When parallel, in order to preserve the distributed array structure we use an index at the end for the differences.

```

238 if patches.parallel
239   dmux = zeros(szUx0,patches.codist); % 9D
240   dmuy = zeros(szUy0,patches.codist); % 9D
241   dmuz = zeros(szUz0,patches.codist); % 9D
242 else
243   dmux = zeros(szUx0); % 9D
244   dmuy = zeros(szUy0); % 9D
245   dmuz = zeros(szUz0); % 9D
246 end%if patches.parallel

```

First compute differences $\mu\delta$ and δ^2 in both space directions.

```

253 if patches.stag % use only odd numbered neighbours
254   error('polynomial interpolation not yet for staggered patch coupl')
255   dmux(:,:,(:,:,I,:,:,:1) = (Ux(:,:,(:,:,I,:,:,,:) + Ux(:,:,(:,:,I,:,:,,:) * Ip));
256   dmux(:,:,(:,:,I,:,:,:2) = (Ux(:,:,(:,:,I,:,:,,:) - Ux(:,:,(:,:,I,:,:,,:) * Im));
257   Ip = Ip(Ip); Im = Im(Im); % increase shifts to \pm2
258   dmuy(:,:,(:,:,J,:,:,:1) = (Ux(:,:,(:,:,J,:,:,,:) + Ux(:,:,(:,:,J,:,:,,:) * Jp));
259   dmuy(:,:,(:,:,J,:,:,:2) = (Ux(:,:,(:,:,J,:,:,,:) - Ux(:,:,(:,:,J,:,:,,:) * Jm));

```

```

260 Jp = Jp(Jp); Jm = Jm(Jm); % increase shifts to \pm2
261 dmuz(:,:,,:, :, :, :, K, 1) = (Ux(:,:, :, :, :, :, :, Kp) + Ux(:,:, :, :, :, :, :, Km)) / 2;
262 dmuz(:,:,,:, :, :, :, K, 2) = (Ux(:,:, :, :, :, :, :, Kp) - Ux(:,:, :, :, :, :, :, Km)) / 2;
263 Kp = Kp(Kp); Km = Km(Km); % increase shifts to \pm2
264 else %disp('starting standard interpolation')
265 dmux(:,:, :, :, I, :, :, 1) = (Ux(:,:, :, :, :, Ip, :, :) ...
266 - Ux(:,:, :, :, :, Im, :, :)) / 2; %\mu\delta
267 dmux(:,:, :, :, I, :, :, 2) = (Ux(:,:, :, :, :, Ip, :, :) ...
268 - 2 * Ux(:,:, :, :, I, :, :)) + Ux(:,:, :, :, Im, :, :)); %\delta^2
269 dmuy(:,:, :, :, J, :, 1) = (Uy(:,:, :, :, :, Jp, :) ...
270 - Uy(:,:, :, :, :, Jm, :)) / 2; %\mu\delta
271 dmuy(:,:, :, :, J, :, 2) = (Uy(:,:, :, :, :, Jp, :) ...
272 - 2 * Uy(:,:, :, :, J, :)) + Uy(:,:, :, :, Jm, :)); %\delta^2
273 dmuz(:,:, :, :, K, 1) = (Uz(:,:, :, :, :, Kp, :) ...
274 - Uz(:,:, :, :, :, Km, :)) / 2; %\mu\delta
275 dmuz(:,:, :, :, K, 2) = (Uz(:,:, :, :, :, Kp, :) ...
276 - 2 * Uz(:,:, :, :, K, :)) + Uz(:,:, :, :, Km, :)); %\delta^2
277 end% if stag

```

Recursively take δ^2 of these to form successively higher order centred differences in all three space directions.

```

284 for k = 3:ordCC
285 dmux(:,:, :, :, I, :, :, k) = dmux(:,:, :, :, :, Ip, :, :, k-2) ...
286 - 2 * dmux(:,:, :, :, I, :, :, k-2) + dmux(:,:, :, :, :, Im, :, :, k-2);
287 dmuy(:,:, :, :, J, :, k) = dmuy(:,:, :, :, :, Jp, :, k-2) ...
288 - 2 * dmuy(:,:, :, :, J, :, k-2) + dmuy(:,:, :, :, :, Jm, :, k-2);
289 dmuz(:,:, :, :, K, k) = dmuz(:,:, :, :, :, Kp, k-2) ...
290 - 2 * dmuz(:,:, :, :, :, K, k-2) + dmuz(:,:, :, :, :, Km, k-2);
291 end

```

Interpolate macro-values to be Dirichlet face values for each patch (Roberts and Kevrekidis 2007; Bunder, Roberts, and Kevrekidis 2017), using the weights pre-computed by `configPatches3()`. Here interpolate to specified order.

For the case where next-to-face values interpolate to the opposite face-values: when we have an ensemble of configurations, different configurations might be coupled to each other, as specified by `patches.le`, `patches.ri`, `patches.to`, `patches.bo`, `patches.fr` and `patches.ba`.

```

307 k=1+patches.EdgyInt; % use centre or two faces
308 u(nx,2:(ny-1),2:(nz-1),:, patches.ri,I,:,:)

```

```

309 = Ux(1,:,:,:, :, :, :, :)*(1-patches.stag) ...
310 +sum( shiftdim(patches.Cwtsr(:,1),-8).*dmux(1,:,:,:, :, :, :, :, :),9);
311 u(1 ,2:(ny-1),2:(nz-1),:,patches.le,I,:,:) ...
312 = Ux(k,:,:,:, :, :, :, :)*(1-patches.stag) ...
313 +sum( shiftdim(patches.Cwtsl(:,1),-8).*dmux(k,:,:,:, :, :, :, :, :),9);
314 u(2:(nx-1),ny,2:(nz-1),:,patches.to,:,J,:,:) ...
315 = Uy(:,1,:,:,:, :, :, :, :)*(1-patches.stag) ...
316 +sum( shiftdim(patches.Cwtsr(:,2),-8).*dmuy(:,1,:,:,:, :, :, :, :),9);
317 u(2:(nx-1),1 ,2:(nz-1),:,patches.bo,:,J,:,:) ...
318 = Uy(:,k,:,:,:, :, :, :, :)*(1-patches.stag) ...
319 +sum( shiftdim(patches.Cwtsl(:,2),-8).*dmuy(:,k,:,:,:, :, :, :, :),9);
320 u(2:(nx-1),2:(ny-1),nz,:,patches.fr,:, :,K) ...
321 = Uz(:, :,1,:,:,:, :, :, :)*(1-patches.stag) ...
322 +sum( shiftdim(patches.Cwtsr(:,3),-8).*dmuz(:, :,1,:,:,:, :, :, :),9);
323 u(2:(nx-1),2:(ny-1),1 ,:,patches.ba,:, :,K) ...
324 = Uz(:, :,k,:,:,:, :, :, :)*(1-patches.stag) ...
325 +sum( shiftdim(patches.Cwtsl(:,3),-8).*dmuz(:, :,k,:,:,:, :, :, :),9);

```

Case of spectral interpolation Assumes the domain is macro-periodic.

```
335 else% patches.ordCC<=0, spectral interpolation
```

We interpolate in terms of the patch index, j say, not directly in space. As the macroscale fields are N -periodic in the patch index j , the macroscale Fourier transform writes the centre-patch values as $U_j = \sum_k C_k e^{ik2\pi j/N}$. Then the face-patch values $U_{j\pm r} = \sum_k C_k e^{ik2\pi/(N(j\pm r))} = \sum_k C'_k e^{ik2\pi j/N}$ where $C'_k = C_k e^{ikr2\pi/N}$. For N patches we resolve ‘wavenumbers’ $|k| < N/2$, so set row vector $\mathbf{ks} = k2\pi/N$ for ‘wavenumbers’ $k = (0, 1, \dots, k_{\max}, -k_{\max}, \dots, -1)$ for odd N , and $k = (0, 1, \dots, k_{\max}, \pm(k_{\max} + 1) - k_{\max}, \dots, -1)$ for even N .

Deal with staggered grid by doubling the number of fields and halving the number of patches (`configPatches3` tests there are an even number of patches). Then the patch-ratio is effectively halved. The patch faces are near the middle of the gaps and swapped.

```

358 if patches.stag % transform by doubling the number of fields
359 error('staggered grid not yet implemented??')
360 v=nan(size(u)); % currently to restore the shape of u
361 u=cat(3,u(:,1:2:nPatch,:),u(:,2:2:nPatch,:));
362 stagShift=reshape(0.5*[ones(nVars,1);-ones(nVars,1)],1,1,[]);
363 iV=[nVars+1:2*nVars 1:nVars]; % scatter interp to alternate field

```

```

364     r=r/2;           % ratio effectively halved
365     nPatch=nPatch/2; % halve the number of patches
366     nVars=nVars*2;   % double the number of fields
367 else % the values for standard spectral
368     stagShift = 0;
369     iV = 1:nVars;
370 end%if patches.stag

```

Now set wavenumbers in the three directions into three vectors at the correct dimension. In the case of even N these compute the + -case for the highest wavenumber zig-zag mode, $k = (0, 1, \dots, k_{\max}, +(k_{\max} + 1) - k_{\max}, \dots, -1)$.

```

380 kMax = floor((Nx-1)/2);
381 krx = shiftdim( rx*2*pi/Nx*(mod((0:Nx-1)+kMax,Nx)-kMax) ,-4);
382 kMay = floor((Ny-1)/2);
383 kry = shiftdim( ry*2*pi/Ny*(mod((0:Ny-1)+kMay,Ny)-kMay) ,-5);
384 kMaz = floor((Nz-1)/2);
385 krz = shiftdim( rz*2*pi/Nz*(mod((0:Nz-1)+kMaz,Nz)-kMaz) ,-6);

```

Compute the Fourier transform of the patch values on the centre-planes for all the fields. Unless doing patch-edgy interpolation when FT the next-to-face values. If there are an even number of points, then if complex, treat as positive wavenumber, but if real, treat as cosine. When using an ensemble of configurations, different configurations might be coupled to each other, as specified by `patches.le`, `patches.ri`, `patches.to`, `patches.bo`, `patches.fr` and `patches.ba`.

```

400 % indices of interior
401 ix=(2:nx-1)'; iy=2:ny-1; iz=shiftdim(2:nz-1,-1);
402 if ~patches.EdgyInt
403     Cle = fft(fft(fft( u(i0,iy,iz,:,:,:,:,:) ...
404                 ,[],6),[],7),[],8);
405     Cbo = fft(fft(fft( u(ix,j0,iz,:,:,:,:,:) ...
406                 ,[],6),[],7),[],8);
407     Cba = fft(fft(fft( u(ix,iy,k0,:,:,:,:,:) ...
408                 ,[],6),[],7),[],8);
409     Cri = Cle;      Cto = Cbo;      Cfr = Cba;
410 else
411     Cle = fft(fft(fft( u(    2,iy,iz ,:,patches.le,:,:,:) ...
412                 ,[],6),[],7),[],8);
413     Cri = fft(fft(fft( u(nx-1,iy,iz ,:,patches.ri,:,:,:) ...

```

```

414 ,[],6),[],7),[],8);
415 Cbo = fft(fft(fft( u(ix,2    ,iz ,:,patches.bo,:,:,:) ...
416     ,[],6),[],7),[],8);
417 Cto = fft(fft(fft( u(ix,ny-1,iz ,:,patches.to,:,:,:) ...
418     ,[],6),[],7),[],8);
419 Cba = fft(fft(fft( u(ix,iy,2    ,:,patches.ba,:,:,:) ...
420     ,[],6),[],7),[],8);
421 Cfr = fft(fft(fft( u(ix,iy,nz-1 ,:,patches.fr,:,:,:) ...
422     ,[],6),[],7),[],8);
423 end%if ~patches.EdgyInt

```

Now invert the triple Fourier transforms to complete interpolation. (Should stagShift be multiplied by rx/ry/rz??) Enforce reality when appropriate.

```

431 u(nx, iy, iz, :, :, :, :, :) = uclean( ifft(ifft(ifft( ...
432     Cle.*exp(1i*(stagShift+krx)) ,[],6),[],7),[],8) );
433 u( 1, iy, iz, :, :, :, :, :) = uclean( ifft(ifft(ifft( ...
434     Cri.*exp(1i*(stagShift-krx)) ,[],6),[],7),[],8) );
435 u(ix, ny, iz, :, :, :, :, :) = uclean( ifft(ifft(ifft( ...
436     Cbo.*exp(1i*(stagShift+kry)) ,[],6),[],7),[],8) );
437 u(ix, 1, iz, :, :, :, :, :) = uclean( ifft(ifft(ifft( ...
438     Cto.*exp(1i*(stagShift-kry)) ,[],6),[],7),[],8) );
439 u(ix, iy, nz, :, :, :, :, :) = uclean( ifft(ifft(ifft( ...
440     Cba.*exp(1i*(stagShift+krz)) ,[],6),[],7),[],8) );
441 u(ix, iy, 1, :, :, :, :, :) = uclean( ifft(ifft(ifft( ...
442     Cfr.*exp(1i*(stagShift-krz)) ,[],6),[],7),[],8) );
443 end% if ordCC>0 else, so spectral

```

15.2 Non-periodic macroscale interpolation

```

454 else% patches.periodic false
455 %disp('executing new non-periodic code')
456 assert(~patches.stag, ...
457 'not yet implemented staggered grids for non-periodic')

```

Determine the order of interpolation px, py and pz (potentially different in the different directions!), and hence size of the (forward) divided difference tables in Fx, Fy and Fz (9D) for interpolating to left/right faces, top/bottom faces, and front/back faces, respectively. Because of the product-form of the patch grid, and because we are doing *only* either edgy interpolation or cross-patch

interpolation (*not* just the centre patch value), the interpolations are all 1D interpolations.

```

466 if patches.ordCC<1
467     px = Nx-1;  py = Ny-1;  pz = Nz-1;
468 else px = min(patches.ordCC,Nx-1);
469     py = min(patches.ordCC,Ny-1);
470     pz = min(patches.ordCC,Nz-1);
471 end
472 % interior indices of faces  (ix n/a)
473 ix=2:nx-1;  iy=2:ny-1;  iz=2:nz-1;
```

15.2.1 x -direction values

Set function values in first ‘column’ of the tables for every variable and across ensemble. For `EdgyInt`, the ‘reversal’ of the next-to-face values are because their values are to interpolate to the opposite face of each patch. (Have no plans to implement core averaging as yet.)

```

486 F = nan(patches.EdgyInt+1,ny-2,nz-2,nVars,nEnsem,Nx,Ny,Nz,px+1);
487 if patches.EdgyInt % interpolate next-to-face values
488     F(:,:,:,:,1) = u([nx-1 2],iy,iz,:,:,:,:,:);
489     X = patches.x([nx-1 2],:,:,:,:,:,:,:);
490 else % interpolate mid-patch cross-patch values
491     F(:,:,:,:,1) = u(i0,iy,iz,:,:,:,:,:);
492     X = patches.x(i0,:,:,:,:,:,:,:);
493 end%if patches.EdgyInt
```

Form tables of divided differences Compute tables of (forward) divided differences (e.g., Wikipedia 2022) for every variable, and across ensemble, and in both directions, and for all three types of faces (left/right, top/bottom, and front/back). Recursively find all divided differences in the respective direction.

```

505 for q = 1:px
506     i = 1:Nx-q;
507     F(:,:,:,:,i,q+1) ...
508     = ( F(:,:,:,:,i+1,:,:,q)-F(:,:,:,:,i,:,:,q)) ...
509     ./ (X(:,:,:,:,i+q,:,:) - X(:,:,:,:,i,:,:)));
510 end
```

Interpolate with divided differences Now interpolate to find the face-values on left/right faces at `Xface` for every interior Y,Z.

```
518 Xface = patches.x([1 nx],:,:,:,:,:,:,:,,:);
```

Code Horner's recursive evaluation of the interpolation polynomials. Indices `i` are those of the left face of each interpolation stencil, because the table is of forward differences. This alternative: the case of order p_x , p_y and p_z interpolation across the domain, asymmetric near the boundaries of the rectangular domain.

```
528 i = max(1,min(1:Nx,Nx-ceil(px/2))-floor(px/2));
529 Uface = F(:,:,(:,:,i,:,:,:px+1);
530 for q = px:-1:1
531     Uface = F(:,:,(:,:,i,:,:,:q) ...
532         +(Xface-X(:,:,(:,:,i+q-1,:,:)).*Uface;
533 end
```

Finally, insert face values into the array of field values, using the required ensemble shifts.

```
541 u(1 ,iy,iz,:,:patches.le,:,:,:) = Uface(1,:,:,:,:,:,:,:,:);
542 u(nx,iy,iz,:,:patches.ri,:,:,:) = Uface(2,:,:,:,:,:,:,:,:);
543 %usize2=size(u)%%%%%
```

15.2.2 y -direction values

Set function values in first ‘column’ of the tables for every variable and across ensemble.

```
553 F = nan(nx,patches.EdgyInt+1,nz-2,nVars,nEnsem,Nx,Ny,Nz,py+1);
554 if patches.EdgyInt % interpolate next-to-face values
555     F(:,:,(:,:,1,:,:,:)) = u(:,:,ny-1 2],iz,:,:,:,:,:);
556     Y = patches.y(:,:,ny-1 2],(:,:,1,:,:,:));
557 else % interpolate mid-patch cross-patch values
558     F(:,:,(:,:,1,:,:,:)) = u(:,:,j0,iz,:,:,:,:,:);
559     Y = patches.y(:,:,j0,:,:,:,:,:);
560 end%if patches.EdgyInt
```

Form tables of divided differences.

```

566 for q = 1:py
567   j = 1:Ny-q;
568   F(:,:,(:,:,j,:,:,q+1) ...
569   = ( F(:,:,(:,:,j+1,:,:,q)-F(:,:,(:,:,j,:,:,q)) ...
570   ./ (Y(:,:,(:,:,j+q,:)-Y(:,:,(:,:,j,:)));
571 end

```

Interpolate to find the top/bottom faces Y_{face} for every x and interior z .

```

577 Yface = patches.y(:,[1 ny],(:,:,(:,:,j,:));

```

Code Horner's recursive evaluation of the interpolation polynomials. Indices j are those of the bottom face of each interpolation stencil, because the table is of forward differences.

```

586 j = max(1,min(1:Ny,Ny-ceil(py/2))-floor(py/2));
587 Uface = F(:,:,(:,:,j,:,:,py+1);
588 for q = py:-1:1
589   Uface = F(:,:,(:,:,j,:,:,q) ...
590   +(Yface-Y(:,:,(:,:,j+q-1,:)).*Uface;
591 end

```

Finally, insert face values into the array of field values, using the required ensemble shifts.

```

599 u(:,1 ,iz,:,:patches.bo,:,:,:) = Uface(:,1,:,:,:,:,:,:,:);
600 u(:,ny,iz,:,:patches.to,:,:,:) = Uface(:,2,:,:,:,:,:,:,:);
601 %usize3=size(u)%%%%%

```

15.2.3 z -direction values

Set function values in first ‘column’ of the tables for every variable and across ensemble.

```

611 F = nan(nx,ny,patches.EdgyInt+1,nVars,nEnsem,Nx,Ny,Nz,pz+1);
612 if patches.EdgyInt % interpolate next-to-face values
613   F(:,:,(:,:,1,:,:,1) = u(:,:,nz-1 2,:,:,:,:,:);
614   Z = patches.z(:,:,nz-1 2,:,:,:,:,:);
615 else % interpolate mid-patch cross-patch values
616   F(:,:,(:,:,1,:,:,1) = u(:,:,k0,:,:,:,:,:);
617   Z = patches.z(:,:,k0,:,:,:,:,:);
618 end%if patches.EdgyInt

```

Form tables of divided differences.

```
624 for q = 1:pz
625   k = 1:Nz-q;
626   F(:,:,,:, :, :, :, k, q+1) ...
627   = ( F(:,:,,:, :, :, k+1, q)-F(:,:,,:, :, :, k, q)) ...
628     ./ (Z(:,:,,:, :, :, k+q) - Z(:,:,,:, :, :, k));
629 end
```

Interpolate to find the face-values on front/back faces `Zface` for every x, y .

```
635 Zface = patches.z(:,:, [1 nz], :, :, :, :, :);
```

Code Horner's recursive evaluation of the interpolation polynomials. Indices k are those of the bottom face of each interpolation stencil, because the table is of forward differences.

```
644 k = max(1,min(1:Nz,Nz-ceil(pz/2))-floor(pz/2));
645 Uface = F(:,:, :, :, :, :, k, pz+1);
646 for q = pz:-1:1
647   Uface = F(:,:, :, :, :, :, k, q) ...
648   +(Zface-Z(:,:, :, :, :, :, k+q-1)).*Uface;
649 end
```

Finally, insert face values into the array of field values, using the required ensemble shifts.

```
657 u(:,:,1 ,:, patches.fr,:,:, :) = Uface(:,:,1 ,:, :, :, :);
658 u(:,:,nz ,:, patches.ba,:,:, :) = Uface(:,:,2 ,:, :, :, :);
659 %usize4=size(u)%%%%
```

15.2.4 Optional NaNs for safety

We want a user to set outer face values on the extreme patches according to the microscale boundary conditions that hold at the extremes of the domain. Consequently, may override their computed interpolation values with NaN.

```
671 u( 1,:,:,:, :, 1,:,:,:) = nan;
672 u(nx,:,:,:, :, Nx,:,:) = nan;
673 u(:, 1,:,:,:, :, 1,:) = nan;
674 u(:,ny,:,:,:, :, Ny,:) = nan;
675 u(:, :, 1,:,:,:, :, 1) = nan;
676 u(:, :, nz,:,:,:, :, Nz) = nan;
677 %usize5=size(u)%%%%
```

End of the non-periodic interpolation code.

```
684 %disp('finished new non-periodic code')
685 end%if patches.periodic else
```

Fin, returning the 8D array of field values with interpolated faces.

```
696 end% function patchEdgeInt3
```

16 configPatches3(): configures spatial patches in 3D

Makes the struct `patches` for use by the patch/gap-tooth time derivative/step function `patchSys3()`, and possibly other patch functions. [Section 16.1](#) and [??](#) list examples of its use.

```
20 function patches = configPatches3(fun,Xlim,Dom ...
21 ,nPatch,ordCC,dx,nSubP,varargin)
```

Input If invoked with no input arguments, then executes an example of simulating a heterogeneous wave PDE—see [Section 16.1](#) for an example code.

- `fun` is the name of the user function, `fun(t,u,patches)` or `fun(t,u)`, that computes time-derivatives (or time-steps) of quantities on the 3D micro-grid within all the 3D patches.
- `Xlim` array/vector giving the rectangular-cuboid macro-space domain of the computation: namely $[Xlim(1), Xlim(2)] \times [Xlim(3), Xlim(4)] \times [Xlim(5), Xlim(6)]$. If `Xlim` has two elements, then the domain is the cubic domain of the same interval in all three directions.
- `Dom` sets the type of macroscale conditions for the patches, and reflects the type of microscale boundary conditions of the problem. If `Dom` is `NaN` or `[]`, then the field `u` is triply macro-periodic in the 3D spatial domain, and resolved on equi-spaced patches. If `Dom` is a character string, then that specifies the `.type` of the following structure, with `.bcOffset` set to the default zero. Otherwise `Dom` is a structure with the following components.
 - `.type`, string, of either `'periodic'` (the default), `'equispace'`, `'chebyshev'`, `'usergiven'`. For all cases except `'periodic'`, users

must code into `fun` the micro-grid boundary conditions that apply at the left/right/bottom/top/back/front faces of the leftmost/rightmost/bottommost/topmost/backmost/frontmost patches, respectively.

- `.bcOffset`, optional one, three or six element vector/array, in the cases of '`equispace`' or '`chebyshev`' the patches are placed so the left/right macroscale boundaries are aligned to the left/right faces of the corresponding extreme patches, but offset by `bcOffset` of the sub-patch micro-grid spacing. For example, use `bcOffset=0` when the micro-code applies Dirichlet boundary values on the extreme face micro-grid points, whereas use `bcOffset=0.5` when the microcode applies Neumann boundary conditions halfway between the extreme face micro-grid points. Similarly for the top, bottom, back, and front faces.

If a scalar, then apply the same offset to all boundaries. If three elements, then apply the first offset to both x -boundaries, the second offset to both y -boundaries, and the third offset to both z -boundaries. If six elements, then apply the first two offsets to the respective x -boundaries, the middle two offsets to the respective y -boundaries, and the last two offsets to the respective z -boundaries.

- `.X`, optional vector/array with `nPatch(1)` elements, in the case '`usergive`' it specifies the x -locations of the centres of the patches—the user is responsible the locations makes sense.
- `.Y`, optional vector/array with `nPatch(2)` elements, in the case '`usergive`' it specifies the y -locations of the centres of the patches—the user is responsible the locations makes sense.
- `.Z`, optional vector/array with `nPatch(3)` elements, in the case '`usergive`' it specifies the z -locations of the centres of the patches—the user is responsible the locations makes sense.

- `nPatch` sets the number of equi-spaced spatial patches: if scalar, then use the same number of patches in all three directions, otherwise `nPatch(1:3)` gives the number (≥ 1) of patches in each direction.
- `ordCC` is the ‘order’ of interpolation for inter-patch coupling across empty space of the macroscale patch values to the face-values of the patches: currently must be 0, 2, 4, . . . ; where 0 gives spectral interpolation.

- `dx` (real—scalar or three elements) is usually the sub-patch micro-grid spacing in x , y and z . If scalar, then use the same `dx` in all three directions, otherwise `dx(1:3)` gives the spacing in each of the three directions.

However, if `Dom` is `NaN` (as for pre-2023), then `dx` actually is `ratio` (scalar or three elements), namely the ratio of (depending upon `EdgyInt`) either the half-width or full-width of a patch to the equi-spacing of the patch mid-points. So either $\text{ratio} = \frac{1}{2}$ means the patches abut and `ratio = 1` is overlapping patches as in holistic discretisation, or `ratio = 1` means the patches abut. Small `ratio` should greatly reduce computational time.

- `nSubP` is the number of equi-spaced microscale lattice points in each patch: if scalar, then use the same number in all three directions, otherwise `nSubP(1:3)` gives the number in each direction. If not using `EdgyInt`, then must be odd so that there is/are centre-patch micro-grid point/planes in each patch.
- ’`nEdge`’ (not yet implemented), *optional*, default=1, for each patch, the number of face values set by interpolation at the face regions of each patch. The default is one (suitable for microscale lattices with only nearest neighbour interactions).
- ’`EdgyInt`’, true/false, *optional*, default=false. If true, then interpolate to left/right/top/bottom/front/back face-values from right/left/bottom/top/back/front next-to-face values. If false or omitted, then interpolate from centre-patch planes.
- ’`nEnsem`’, *optional-experimental*, default one, but if more, then an ensemble over this number of realisations.
- ’`hetCoeffs`’, *optional*, default empty. Supply a 3/4D array of microscale heterogeneous coefficients to be used by the given microscale `fun` in each patch. Say the given array `cs` is of size $m_x \times m_y \times m_z \times n_c$, where n_c is the number of different arrays of coefficients. For example, in heterogeneous diffusion, $n_c = 3$ for the diffusivities in the *three* different spatial directions (or $n_c = 6$ for the diffusivity tensor). The coefficients are to be the same for each and every patch. However, macroscale variations are catered for by the n_c coefficients being n_c parameters in some macroscale formula.
 - If `nEnsem` = 1, then the array of coefficients is just tiled across the patch size to fill up each patch, starting from the $(1, 1, 1)$ -point in each patch.

- If `nEnsem` > 1 (value immaterial), then reset `nEnsem` := $m_x \cdot m_y \cdot m_z$ and construct an ensemble of all $m_x \cdot m_y \cdot m_z$ phase-shifts of the coefficients. In this scenario, the inter-patch coupling couples different members in the ensemble. When `EdgyInt` is true, and when the coefficients are diffusivities/elasticities in x, y, z -directions, respectively, then this coupling cunningly preserves symmetry.
- ‘`parallel`’, true/false, *optional*, default=false. If false, then all patch computations are on the user’s main CPU—although a user may well separately invoke, say, a GPU to accelerate sub-patch computations.

If true, and it requires that you have MATLAB’s Parallel Computing Toolbox, then it will distribute the patches over multiple CPUs/cores. In MATLAB, only one array dimension can be split in the distribution, so it chooses the one space dimension x, y, z corresponding to the highest `\nPatch` (if a tie, then chooses the rightmost of x, y, z). A user may correspondingly distribute arrays with property `patches.codist`, or simply use formulas invoking the preset distributed arrays `patches.x`, `patches.y`, and `patches.z`. If a user has not yet established a parallel pool, then a ‘local’ pool is started.

Output The struct `patches` is created and set with the following components. If no output variable is provided for `patches`, then make the struct available as a global variable.²³

217 if nargout==0, global patches, end

- `.fun` is the name of the user’s function `fun(t,u,patches)` or `fun(t,u)` that computes the time derivatives (or steps) on the patchy lattice.
- `.ordCC` is the specified order of inter-patch coupling.
- `.periodic`: either true, for interpolation on the macro-periodic domain; or false, for general interpolation by divided differences over non-periodic domain or unevenly distributed patches.
- `.stag` is true for interpolation using only odd neighbouring patches as for staggered grids, and false for the usual case of all neighbour coupling—not yet implemented.

²³When using `spmd` parallel computing, it is generally best to avoid global variables, and so instead prefer using an explicit output variable.

- `.Cwtsr` and `.Cwtsl` are the $\text{ordCC} \times 3$ -array of weights for the inter-patch interpolation onto the right/top/front and left/bottom/back faces (respectively) with patch:macroscale ratio as specified or as derived from `dx`.
- `.x` (8D) is $\text{nSubP}(1) \times 1 \times 1 \times 1 \times 1 \times \text{nPatch}(1) \times 1 \times 1$ array of the regular spatial locations x_{iI} of the microscale grid points in every patch.
- `.y` (8D) is $1 \times \text{nSubP}(2) \times 1 \times 1 \times 1 \times 1 \times \text{nPatch}(2) \times 1$ array of the regular spatial locations y_{jJ} of the microscale grid points in every patch.
- `.z` (8D) is $1 \times 1 \times \text{nSubP}(3) \times 1 \times 1 \times 1 \times 1 \times \text{nPatch}(3)$ array of the regular spatial locations z_{kK} of the microscale grid points in every patch.
- `.ratio` 1×3 , only for macro-periodic conditions, are the size ratios of every patch.
- `.nEdge` is, for each patch, the number of face values set by interpolation at the face regions of each patch.
- `.le`, `.ri`, `.bo`, `.to`, `.ba`, `.fr` determine inter-patch coupling of members in an ensemble. Each a column vector of length `nEnsem`.
- `.cs` either
 - [] 0D, or
 - if `nEnsem` = 1, $(\text{nSubP}(1) - 1) \times (\text{nSubP}(2) - 1) \times (\text{nSubP}(3) - 1) \times n_c$ 4D array of microscale heterogeneous coefficients, or
 - if `nEnsem` > 1, $(\text{nSubP}(1) - 1) \times (\text{nSubP}(2) - 1) \times (\text{nSubP}(3) - 1) \times n_c \times m_x m_y m_z$ 5D array of $m_x m_y m_z$ ensemble of phase-shifts of the microscale heterogeneous coefficients.
- `.parallel`, logical: true if patches are distributed over multiple CPUS/cores for the Parallel Computing Toolbox, otherwise false (the default is to activate the *local* pool).
- `.codist`, *optional*, describes the particular parallel distribution of arrays over the active parallel pool.

16.1 If no arguments, then execute an example

```
306 if nargin==0  
307 disp('With no arguments, simulate example of heterogeneous wave')
```

The code here shows one way to get started: a user's script may have the following three steps (arrows indicate function recursion).

1. configPatches3
2. ode23 integrator \mapsto patchSys3 \mapsto user's PDE
3. process results

Set random heterogeneous coefficients of period two in each of the three directions. Crudely normalise by the harmonic mean so the macro-wave time scale is roughly one.

```
325 mPeriod = [2 2 2];  
326 cHetr = exp(0.9*randn([mPeriod 3]));  
327 cHetr = cHetr*mean(1./cHetr(:))
```

Establish global patch data struct to interface with a function coding a nonlinear 'diffusion' PDE: to be solved on $[-\pi, \pi]^3$ -periodic domain, with 5^3 patches, spectral interpolation (0) couples the patches, each patch with micro-grid spacing 0.22 (relatively large for visualisation), and with 4^3 points forming each patch.

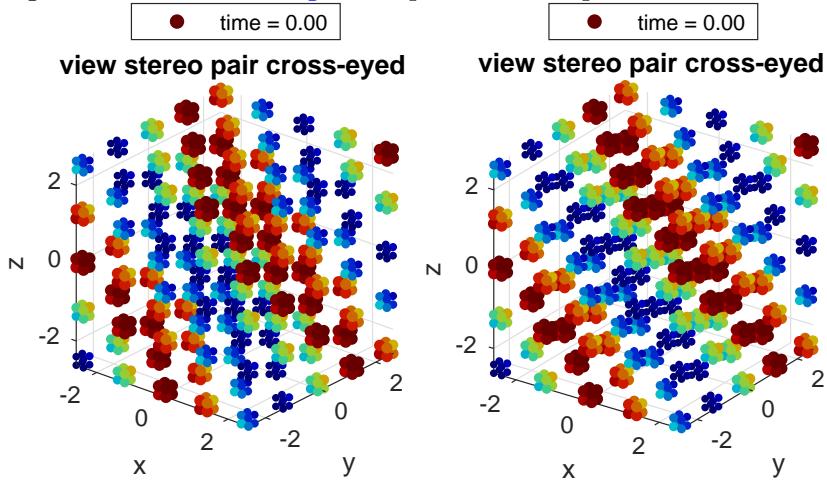
```
340 global patches  
341 patches = configPatches3(@heteroWave3, [-pi pi], 'periodic' ...  
342 , 5, 0, 0.22, mPeriod+2, 'EdgyInt', true ...  
343 , 'hetCoeffs', cHetr);
```

Set a wave initial state using auto-replication of the spatial grid, and as [Figure 16](#) shows. This wave propagates diagonally across space. Concatenate the two u, v -fields to be the two components of the fourth dimension.

```
353 u0 = 0.5+0.5*sin(patches.x+patches.y+patches.z);  
354 v0 = -0.5*cos(patches.x+patches.y+patches.z)*sqrt(3);  
355 uv0 = cat(4,u0,v0);
```

Integrate in time to $t = 6$ using standard functions. In Matlab `ode15s` would be natural as the patch scheme is naturally stiff, but `ode23` is much quicker (Maclean, Bunder, and Roberts [2021](#), Fig. 4).

Figure 16: initial field $u(x, y, z, t)$ at time $t = 0$ of the patch scheme applied to a heterogeneous wave PDE: [Figure 17](#) plots the computed field at time $t = 6$.



```

372 disp('Simulate heterogeneous wave u_tt=div[C*grad(u)]')
373 if ~exist('OCTAVE_VERSION','builtin')
374     [ts,us] = ode23(@patchSys3,linspace(0,6),uv0(:));
375 else %disp('octave version is very slow for me')
376     lsode_options('absolute tolerance',1e-4);
377     lsode_options('relative tolerance',1e-4);
378     [ts,us] = ode0cts(@patchSys3,[0 1 2],uv0(:));
379 end

```

Animate the computed simulation to end with [Figure 17](#). Use `patchEdgeInt3` to obtain patch-face values (but not edge nor corner values, and even if not drawn) in order to most easily reconstruct the array data structure.

Replicate x , y , and z arrays to get individual spatial coordinates of every data point. Then, optionally, set faces to `nan` so the plot just shows patch-interior data.

```

394 figure(1), clf, colormap(0.8*jet)
395 xs = patches.x+0*patches.y+0*patches.z;
396 ys = patches.y+0*patches.x+0*patches.z;
397 zs = patches.z+0*patches.y+0*patches.x;
398 if 1, xs([1 end],:,:, :)=nan;
399         xs(:,[1 end],:,:, :)=nan;
400         xs(:,:, [1 end],:)=nan;

```

```

401 end;%option
402 j=find(~isnan(xs));

```

In the scatter plot, these functions `pix()` and `col()` map the u -data values to the size of the dots and to the colour of the dots, respectively.

```

410 pix = @(u) 15*abs(u)+7;
411 col = @(u) sign(u).*abs(u);

```

Loop to plot at each and every time step.

```

417 for i = 1:length(ts)
418     uv = patchEdgeInt3(us(i,:));
419     u = uv(:,:,:,:,1,:);
420     for p=1:2
421         subplot(1,2,p)
422         if (i==1)| exist('OCTAVE_VERSION','builtin')
423             scat(p) = scatter3(xs(j),ys(j),zs(j),'filled');
424             axis equal, caxis(col([0 1])), view(45-5*p,25)
425             xlabel('x'), ylabel('y'), zlabel('z')
426             title('view stereo pair cross-eyed')
427         end % in matlab just update values
428         set(scat(p),'CData',col(u(j)) ...
429             , 'SizeData',pix((8+xs(j)-ys(j)+zs(j))/6+0*u(j)));
430         legend(['time = ' num2str(ts(i),'%4.2f')],'Location','north')
431     end

```

Optionally save the initial condition to graphic file for [Figure 14](#), and optionally save the last plot.

```

439 if i==1,
440     ifOurCf2eps([mfilename 'ic'])
441         disp('Type space character to animate simulation')
442         pause
443     else pause(0.05)
444     end
445 end% i-loop over all times
446 ifOurCf2eps([mfilename 'fin'])

```

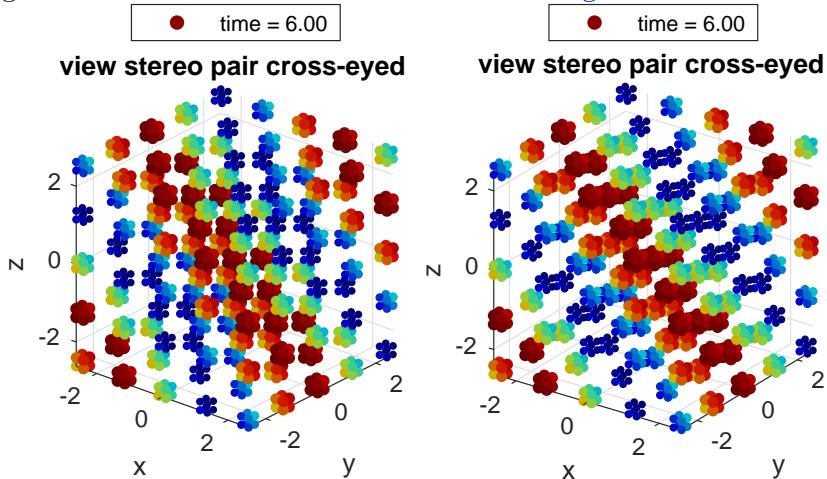
Upon finishing execution of the example, exit this function.

```

461 return
462 end%if no arguments

```

Figure 17: field $u(x, y, z, t)$ at time $t = 6$ of the patch scheme applied to the heterogeneous wave PDE with initial condition in Figure 16.



16.2 Parse input arguments and defaults

```

479 p = inputParser;
480 fnValidation = @(f) isa(f, 'function_handle'); %test for fn name
481 addRequired(p, 'fun',fnValidation);
482 addRequired(p, 'Xlim',@isnumeric);
483 %addRequired(p, 'Dom'); % nothing yet decided
484 addRequired(p, 'nPatch',@isnumeric);
485 addRequired(p, 'ordCC',@isnumeric);
486 addRequired(p, 'dx',@isnumeric);
487 addRequired(p, 'nSubP',@isnumeric);
488 addParameter(p, 'nEdge',1,@isnumeric);
489 addParameter(p, 'EdgyInt',false,@islogical);
490 addParameter(p, 'nEnsem',1,@isnumeric);
491 addParameter(p, 'hetCoeffs',[],@isnumeric);
492 addParameter(p, 'parallel',false,@islogical);
493 %addParameter(p, 'nCore',1,@isnumeric); % not yet implemented
494 parse(p,fun,Xlim,nPatch,ordCC,dx,nSubP,varargin{:});
```

Set the optional parameters.

```

500 patches.nEdge = p.Results.nEdge;
501 patches.EdgyInt = p.Results.EdgyInt;
```

```
502 patches.nEnsem = p.Results.nEnsem;
503 cs = p.Results.hetCoeffs;
504 patches.parallel = p.Results.parallel;
505 %patches.nCore = p.Results.nCore;
```

Initially duplicate parameters for three space dimensions as needed.

```
513 if numel(Xlim)==2, Xlim = repmat(Xlim,1,3); end
514 if numel(nPatch)==1, nPatch = repmat(nPatch,1,3); end
515 if numel(dx)==1, dx = repmat(dx,1,3); end
516 if numel(nSubP)==1, nSubP = repmat(nSubP,1,3); end
```

Check parameters.

```
523 assert(Xlim(1)<Xlim(2) ...
524     , 'first pair of Xlim must be ordered increasing')
525 assert(Xlim(3)<Xlim(4) ...
526     , 'second pair of Xlim must be ordered increasing')
527 assert(Xlim(5)<Xlim(6) ...
528     , 'third pair of Xlim must be ordered increasing')
529 assert(patches.nEdge==1 ...
530     , 'multi-edge-value interp not yet implemented')
531 assert(all(2*patches.nEdge<nSubP) ...
532     , 'too many edge values requested')
533 %if patches.nCore>1
534 %    warning('nCore>1 not yet tested in this version')
535 %end
```

For compatibility with pre-2023 functions, if parameter Dom is Nan, then we set the ratio to be the value of the so-called dx vector.

```
546 if ~isstruct(Dom), pre2023=isnan(Dom);
547 else pre2023=false; end
548 if pre2023, ratio=dx; dx=nan; end
```

Default macroscale conditions are periodic with evenly spaced patches.

```
557 if isempty(Dom), Dom=struct('type','periodic'); end
558 if (~isstruct(Dom))&isnan(Dom), Dom=struct('type','periodic'); end
```

If Dom is a string, then just set type to that string, and subsequently set corresponding defaults for others fields.

```
566 if ischar(Dom), Dom=struct('type',Dom); end
```

We allow different macroscale domain conditions in the different directions. But for the moment do not allow periodic to be mixed with the others (as the interpolation mechanism is different code)—hence why we choose `periodic` be seven characters, whereas the others are eight characters. The different conditions are coded in different rows of `Dom.type`, so we duplicate the string if only one row specified.

```
579 if size(Dom.type,1)==1, Dom.type=repmat(Dom.type,3,1); end
```

Check what is and is not specified, and provide default of Dirichlet boundaries if no `bcOffset` specified when needed. Do so for all three directions independently.

```
587 patches.periodic=false;
588 for p=1:3
589 switch Dom.type(p,:)
590 case 'periodic'
591     patches.periodic=true;
592     if isfield(Dom,'bcOffset')
593         warning('bcOffset not available for Dom.type = periodic'), end
594     msg=' not available for Dom.type = periodic';
595     if isfield(Dom,'X'), warning(['X' msg]), end
596     if isfield(Dom,'Y'), warning(['Y' msg]), end
597     if isfield(Dom,'Z'), warning(['Z' msg]), end
598 case {'equispace','chebyshev'}
599     if ~isfield(Dom,'bcOffset'), Dom.bcOffset=zeros(2,2); end
600     % for mixed with usergiven, following should still work
601     if numel(Dom.bcOffset)==1
602         Dom.bcOffset=repmat(Dom.bcOffset,2,3); end
603     if numel(Dom.bcOffset)==3
604         Dom.bcOffset=repmat(Dom.bcOffset(:,2,1)); end
605     msg=' not available for Dom.type = equispace or chebyshev';
606     if (p==1)& isfield(Dom,'X'), warning(['X' msg]), end
607     if (p==2)& isfield(Dom,'Y'), warning(['Y' msg]), end
608     if (p==3)& isfield(Dom,'Z'), warning(['Z' msg]), end
609 case 'usergiven'
610 %     if isfield(Dom,'bcOffset')
611 %         warning('bcOffset not available for usergiven Dom.type'), end
612     msg=' required for Dom.type = usergiven';
```

```

613     if p==1, assert(isfield(Dom,'X'),['X' msg]), end
614     if p==2, assert(isfield(Dom,'Y'),['Y' msg]), end
615     if p==3, assert(isfield(Dom,'Z'),['Z' msg]), end
616 otherwise
617     error([Dom.type 'is unknown Dom.type'])
618 end%switch Dom.type
619 end%for p

```

16.3 The code to make patches

First, store the pointer to the time derivative function in the struct.

```

633 patches.fun = fun;

```

Second, store the order of interpolation that is to provide the values for the inter-patch coupling conditions. Spectral coupling is `ordCC` of 0 or (not yet??) -1.

```

642 assert((ordCC>=-1) & (floor(ordCC)==ordCC), ...
643       'ordCC out of allowed range integer>=-1')

```

For odd `ordCC` do interpolation based upon odd neighbouring patches as is useful for staggered grids.

```

650 patches.stag = mod(ordCC,2);
651 assert(patches.stag==0,'staggered not yet implemented??')
652 ordCC = ordCC+patches.stag;
653 patches.ordCC = ordCC;

```

Check for staggered grid and periodic case.

```

659 if patches.stag, assert(all(mod(nPatch,2)==0), ...
660   'Require an even number of patches for staggered grid')
661 end

```

Set the macro-distribution of patches Third, set the centre of the patches in the macroscale grid of patches. Loop over the coordinate directions, setting the distribution into `Q` and finally assigning to array of corresponding direction.

```

676 for q=1:3
677 qq=2*q-1;

```

Distribution depends upon Dom.type:

```
683 switch Dom.type(q,:)
```

The periodic case is evenly spaced within the spatial domain. Store the size ratio in patches.

```
691 case 'periodic'  
692     Q=linspace(Xlim(qq),Xlim(qq+1),nPatch(q)+1);  
693     DQ=Q(2)-Q(1);  
694     Q=Q(1:nPatch(q))+diff(Q)/2;  
695     pEI=patches.EdgyInt;% abbreviation  
696 %    sizedx=size(dx), sizenSubP=size(nSubP)  
697 if pre2023, dx(q) = ratio(q)*DQ/(nSubP(q)-1-pEI)*(2-pEI);  
698 else          ratio(q) = dx(q)/DQ*(nSubP(q)-1-pEI)/(2-pEI);  
699 end  
700 patches.ratio=ratio;
```

The equi-spaced case is also evenly spaced but with the extreme edges aligned with the spatial domain boundaries, modified by the offset.

```
709 case 'equispace'  
710     Q=linspace(Xlim(qq)+((nSubP(q)-1)/2-Dom.bcOffset(qq))*dx(q) ...  
711             ,Xlim(qq+1)-((nSubP(q)-1)/2-Dom.bcOffset(qq+1))*dx(q) ...  
712             ,nPatch(q));  
713     DQ=diff(Q(1:2));  
714     width=(1+patches.EdgyInt)/2*(nSubP(q)-1-patches.EdgyInt)*dx;  
715     if DQ<width*0.999999  
716         warning('too many equispace patches (double overlapping)')  
717     end
```

The Chebyshev case is spaced according to the Chebyshev distribution in order to reduce macro-interpolation errors, $Q_i \propto -\cos(i\pi/N)$, but with the extreme edges aligned with the spatial domain boundaries, modified by the offset, and modified by possible ‘boundary layers’.²⁴

```
734 case 'chebyshev'  
735     halfWidth=dx(q)*(nSubP(q)-1)/2;
```

²⁴ However, maybe overlapping patches near a boundary should be viewed as some sort of spatially analogue of the ‘christmas tree’ of projective integration and its integration to a slow manifold. Here maybe the overlapping patches allow for a ‘christmas tree’ approach to the boundary layers. Needs to be explored??

```

736     Q1 = Xlim(1)+halfWidth-Dom.bcOffset(qq)*dx(q);
737     Q2 = Xlim(2)-halfWidth+Dom.bcOffset(qq+1)*dx(q);
738 %   Q = (Q1+Q2)/2-(Q2-Q1)/2*cos(linspace(0,pi,nPatch));

```

Search for total width of ‘boundary layers’ so that in the interior the patches are non-overlapping Chebyshev. But the width for assessing overlap of patches is the following variable `width`.

```

747     width=(1+patches.EdgyInt)/2*(nSubP(q)-1-patches.EdgyInt)*dx(q);
748     for b=0:2:nPatch(q)-2
749         DQmin=(Q2-Q1-b*width)/2*( 1-cos(pi/(nPatch(q)-b-1)) );
750         if DQmin>width, break, end
751     end%for
752     if DQmin<width*0.999999
753         warning('too many Chebyshev patches (mid-domain overlap)')
754     end%if

```

Assign the centre-patch coordinates.

```

760     Q =[ Q1+(0:b/2-1)*width ...
761           (Q1+Q2)/2-(Q2-Q1-b*width)/2*cos(linspace(0,pi,nPatch(q)-b)) ...
762           Q2+(1-b/2:0)*width ];

```

The user-given case is entirely up to a user to specify, we just ensure it has the correct shape of a row.

```

771 case 'usergiven'
772     if q==1, Q = reshape(Dom.X,1,[]); end
773     if q==2, Q = reshape(Dom.Y,1,[]); end
774     if q==3, Q = reshape(Dom.Z,1,[]); end
775 end%switch Dom.type

```

Assign Q -coordinates to the correct spatial direction. At this stage they are all rows.

```

782     if q==1, X=Q; end
783     if q==2, Y=Q; end
784     if q==3, Z=Q; end
785 end%for q

```

Construct the micro-grids Construct the microscale in each patch. Reshape the grid to be 8D to suit dimensions (micro,Vars,Ens,macro).

```

800 nSubP = reshape(nSubP,1,3); % force to be row vector
801 assert(patches.EdgyInt | all(mod(nSubP,2)==1), ...
802     'configPatches3: nSubP must be odd')
803 i0 = (nSubP(1)+1)/2;
804 patches.x = reshape( dx(1)*(-i0+1:i0-1)'+X ...
805     ,nSubP(1),1,1,1,1,nPatch(1),1,1);
806 i0 = (nSubP(2)+1)/2;
807 patches.y = reshape( dx(2)*(-i0+1:i0-1)'+Y ...
808     ,1,nSubP(2),1,1,1,1,nPatch(2),1);
809 i0 = (nSubP(3)+1)/2;
810 patches.z = reshape( dx(3)*(-i0+1:i0-1)'+Z ...
811     ,1,1,nSubP(3),1,1,1,1,nPatch(3));

```

Pre-compute weights for macro-periodic In the case of macro-periodicity, precompute the weightings to interpolate field values for coupling. (Might sometime extend to coupling via derivative values.)

```

823 if patches.periodic
824     ratio = reshape(ratio,1,3); % force to be row vector
825     patches.ratio = ratio;
826     if ordCC>0
827         [Cwtsr,Cwtsl] = patchCwts(ratio,ordCC,patches.stag);
828         patches.Cwtsr = Cwtsr; patches.Cwtsl = Cwtsl;
829     end%if
830 end%if patches.periodic

```

16.4 Set ensemble inter-patch communication

For EdgyInt or centre interpolation respectively,

- the right-face/centre realisations `1:nEnsem` are to interpolate to left-face `le`, and
- the left-face/centre realisations `1:nEnsem` are to interpolate to `re`.

`re` and `li` are ‘transposes’ of each other as `re(li)=le(ri)` are both `1:nEnsem`. Similarly for bottom-face/centre interpolation to top-face via `to`, top-face/

centre interpolation to bottom-face via `bo`, back-face/centre interpolation to front-face via `fr`, and front-face/centre interpolation to back-face via `ba`.

The default is nothing shifty. This setting reduces the number of if-statements in function `patchEdgeInt3()`.

```
859 nE = patches.nEnsem;
860 patches.le = 1:nE; patches.ri = 1:nE;
861 patches.bo = 1:nE; patches.to = 1:nE;
862 patches.ba = 1:nE; patches.fr = 1:nE;
```

However, if heterogeneous coefficients are supplied via `hetCoeffs`, then do some non-trivial replications. First, get microscale periods, patch size, and replicate many times in order to subsequently sub-sample: `nSubP` times should be enough. If `cs` is more then 4D, then the higher-dimensions are reshaped into the 4th dimension.

```
874 if ~isempty(cs)
875     [mx,my,mz,nc] = size(cs);
876     nx = nSubP(1); ny = nSubP(2); nz = nSubP(3);
877     cs = repmat(cs,nSubP);
```

If only one member of the ensemble is required, then sub-sample to patch size, and store coefficients in `patches` as is.

```
885 if nE==1, patches.cs = cs(1:nx-1,1:ny-1,1:nz-1,:); else
```

But for `nEnsem > 1` an ensemble of $m_x m_y m_z$ phase-shifts of the coefficients is constructed from the over-supply. Here code phase-shifts over the periods—the phase shifts are like Hankel-matrices.

```
895 patches.nEnsem = mx*my*mz;
896 patches.cs = nan(nx-1,ny-1,nz-1,nc,mx,my,mz);
897 for k = 1:mz
898     ks = (k:k+nz-2);
899     for j = 1:my
900         js = (j:j+ny-2);
901         for i = 1:mx
902             is = (i:i+nx-2);
903             patches.cs(:,:, :, i, j, k) = cs(is,js,ks,:);
904         end
905     end
906 end
907 patches.cs = reshape(patches.cs,nx-1,ny-1,nz-1,nc,[]);
```

Further, set a cunning left/right/bottom/top/front/back realisation of inter-patch coupling. The aim is to preserve symmetry in the system when also invoking `EdgyInt`. What this coupling does without `EdgyInt` is unknown. Use auto-replication.

```

917 mmx=(0:mx-1)'; mmy=0:my-1; mmz=shiftdim(0:mz-1,-1);
918 le = mod(mmx+mod(nx-2,mx),mx)+1;
919 patches.le = reshape( le+mx*(mmy+my*mmz) ,[],1);
920 ri = mod(mmx-mod(nx-2,mx),mx)+1;
921 patches.ri = reshape( ri+mx*(mmy+my*mmz) ,[],1);
922 bo = mod(mmy+mod(ny-2,my),my)+1;
923 patches.bo = reshape( 1+mmx+mx*(bo-1+my*mmz) ,[],1);
924 to = mod(mmy-mod(ny-2,my),my)+1;
925 patches.to = reshape( 1+mmx+mx*(to-1+my*mmz) ,[],1);
926 ba = mod(mmz+mod(nz-2,mz),mz)+1;
927 patches.ba = reshape( 1+mmx+mx*(mmy+my*(ba-1)) ,[],1);
928 fr = mod(mmz-mod(nz-2,mz),mz)+1;
929 patches.fr = reshape( 1+mmx+mx*(mmy+my*(fr-1)) ,[],1);

```

Issue warning if the ensemble is likely to be affected by lack of scale separation.
Need to justify this and the arbitrary threshold more carefully??

```

937 if prod(ratio)*patches.nEnsem>0.9, warning( ...
938 'Probably poor scale separation in ensemble of coupled phase-shifts')
939 scaleSeparationParameter = ratio*patches.nEnsem
940 end

```

End the two if-statements.

```

946 end%if-else nEnsem>1
947 end%if not-empty(cs)

```

If parallel code then first assume this is not within an `spmd`-environment, and so we invoke `spmd...end` (which starts a parallel pool if not already started). At this point, the global `patches` is copied for each worker processor and so it becomes *composite* when we distribute any one of the fields. Hereafter, *all fields in the global variable patches must only be referenced within an spmd-environment.*²⁵

²⁵If subsequently outside `spmd`, then one must use functions like `getfield(patches{1}, 'a')`.

```
966 if patches.parallel  
967     spmd
```

Second, decide which dimension is to be sliced among parallel workers (for the moment, do not consider slicing the ensemble). Choose the direction of most patches, biased towards the last.

```
976 [~,pari]=max(nPatch+0.01*(1:3));  
977 patches.codist=codistributor1d(5+pari);
```

`patches.codist.Dimension` is the index that is split among workers. Then distribute the appropriate coordinate direction among the workers: the function must be invoked inside an `spmd`-group in order for this to work—so we do not need `parallel` in argument list.

```
987 switch pari  
988     case 1, patches.x=codistributed(patches.x,patches.codist);  
989     case 2, patches.y=codistributed(patches.y,patches.codist);  
990     case 3, patches.z=codistributed(patches.z,patches.codist);  
991 otherwise  
992     error('should never have bad index for parallel distribution')  
993 end%switch  
994 end%spmd
```

If not parallel, then clean out `patches.codist` if it exists. May not need, but safer.

```
1002 else% not parallel  
1003     if isfield(patches,'codist'), rmfield(patches,'codist'); end  
1004 end%if-parallel
```

Fin

```
1013 end% function
```

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