

Discretised Equations

In my code I use equation (1a) or (2) for the displacement form and (1b) for all velocity-stress forms.

$$\partial_t^2 u = c^2 \partial_x^2 u$$

$$\frac{u_x^{t+1} - 2u_x^t + u_x^{t-1}}{(\Delta t)^2} = c^2 \frac{u_{x+1}^t - 2u_x^t + u_{x-1}^t}{(\Delta x)^2}$$

$$(1a) \quad u_x^{t+1} = \left(\frac{c\Delta t}{\Delta x}\right)^2 (u_{x+1}^t + u_{x-1}^t - 2u_x^t) + 2u_x^t - u_x^{t-1}$$

If we instead consider the homogenous case for velocity-stress:

$$\rho \partial_t v = \partial_x T$$

$$\partial_t T = \kappa \partial_x v \quad \text{assuming } \kappa \sim \kappa(x) \text{ only}$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \frac{\rho_x}{2\Delta t} (v_x^{t+1} - v_x^{t-1}) &= \frac{1}{2\Delta x} (T_{x+1}^t - T_{x-1}^t) \rightarrow v_x^{t+1} = \frac{\Delta t}{\rho_x \Delta x} (T_{x+1}^t - T_{x-1}^t) + v_x^{t-1} \\ \frac{1}{2\Delta t} (T_x^{t+1} - T_x^{t-1}) &= \frac{\kappa}{2\Delta x} (v_{x+1}^t - v_{x-1}^t) \rightarrow T_x^{t+1} = \frac{\kappa \Delta t}{2\Delta x} (v_{x+1}^t - v_{x-1}^t) + T_x^{t-1} \end{aligned} \right\} (1b)$$

↑ could alternatively use $\frac{1}{\Delta t} (T_x^{t+1} - T_x^t)$

for heterogeneous case we need to edit the displacement formulation:

$$\rho \partial_t^2 u = \partial_x (\kappa \partial_x u) = \partial_x \kappa \partial_x u + \kappa \partial_x^2 u$$

$$\partial_x \kappa \partial_x u \approx \frac{1}{(2\Delta x)^2} (\kappa_{x+1}^t - \kappa_{x-1}^t) (u_{x+1}^t - u_{x-1}^t)$$

so the inhomogenous eqn becomes:

$$(2) \quad u_x^{t+1} = \left(\frac{\Delta t^2}{\rho(\Delta x)^2}\right) \left[\kappa (u_{x+1}^t - 2u_x^t + u_{x-1}^t) + \underbrace{\frac{1}{4} (\kappa_{x+1}^t - \kappa_{x-1}^t) (u_{x+1}^t - u_{x-1}^t)}_{\text{inhomogenous part}} \right] + 2u_x^t - u_x^{t-1}$$