

Stable (hybrid) discontinuous Galerkin discretizations for Galbrun's equation

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Find $\mathbf{u} : \mathcal{O} \subset \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^3$ s.t.

$$-\nabla(c_s \rho \operatorname{div} \mathbf{u}) + (\operatorname{div} \mathbf{u}) \nabla p - \nabla(\nabla p \cdot \mathbf{u})$$

$$-\rho(\omega + i\partial_{\mathbf{b}} + i\Omega \times)^2 \mathbf{u}$$

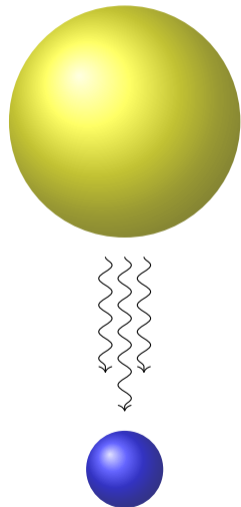
$$+ (\operatorname{Hess}(p) - \rho \operatorname{Hess}(\Phi)) \mathbf{u} - \gamma \rho i \omega \mathbf{u} = \mathbf{f} \text{ in } \mathcal{O},$$

$$\boldsymbol{\nu} \cdot \mathbf{u} = 0 \text{ on } \partial \mathcal{O}.$$

c_s : sound speed, ρ : density, \mathbf{b} : background flow, γ : damping factor, ω : frequency, Ω : rotation, p : pressure, Φ : grav. potential

Challenges

- nonstandard differential operator $\partial_{\mathbf{b}} := \sum_{l=1}^3 \mathbf{b}_l \partial_{x_l}$
- indefinite problem
- strongly varying coefficients
- high computational cost



1. Introduction
2. Abstract tools: (weakly) T-coercive operators & their approximation
3. Well-posedness of Galbrun's equation
4. Discretization
5. Numerical experiments

Theorem (1)

Let X be Hilbert and $a(\cdot, \cdot) : X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ be a bounded sesquilinear form. The problem

$$\text{find } u \in X \text{ s.t. } a(u, v) = f(v) \quad \forall v \in X$$

is *well-posed* iff $\exists T : X \rightarrow X$ bijective s.t. $a(T\cdot, \cdot)$ is coercive, i.e.

$$\Re\{a(Tu, u)\} \geq \alpha \|u\|_X^2 \quad \forall u, v \in X.$$

Note: For Hilbert spaces, T-coercivity is equivalent to the inf sup-condition.

- necessary & sufficient condition for well-posedness
- not automatically transferred to the discrete level

¹see e.g., A.S. Bonnet-Ben Dhia, P. Ciarlet, C.M. Zwölf, "Time harmonic wave diffraction problems in materials with sign-shifting coefficients, 2010.

Let $A \in L(\mathbb{X})$ be the associated operator to $a(\cdot, \cdot)$, i.e.

$$\langle Au, v \rangle_{\mathbb{X}} := a(u, v) \quad \forall u, v \in \mathbb{X}.$$

Then A is T-coercive, if there exists $T \in L(\mathbb{X})$ bijective s.t. AT is coercive.

Definition (weak T-coercivity)

$A \in L(\mathbb{X})$ is **weakly T-coercive**, if $\exists T \in L(\mathbb{X})$ bijective and $K \in L(\mathbb{X})$ compact s.t. $AT + K$ is coercive.

- weakly T-coercive \Rightarrow Fredholm with index zero
- weakly T-coercive + injective \Rightarrow bijective

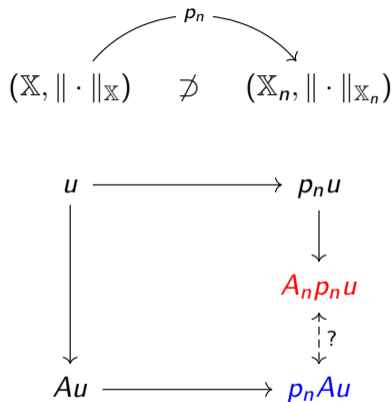
Definition (Discrete approximation scheme²)

$(\mathbb{X}_n, \rho_n, A_n)$ is a DAS of (\mathbb{X}, A) if

- $\rho_n \in L(\mathbb{X}, \mathbb{X}_n)$ s.t. $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|\rho_n u\|_{\mathbb{X}_n} = \|u\|_{\mathbb{X}} \forall u \in \mathbb{X}$,
- A_n approximates A , i.e.
 $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|(A_n \rho_n - \rho_n A)u\|_{\mathbb{X}_n} = 0 \forall u \in \mathbb{X}$.

Example

A **conforming Galerkin** scheme, $\mathbb{X}_n \subset \mathbb{X}$, $\rho_n = \Pi_{\mathbb{X}_n}^{L^2}$,
 $A_n = (\Pi_{\mathbb{X}_n}^{L^2} A_n)|_{\mathbb{X}_n}$ is **always** a discrete approximation scheme.



² goes back to (among others) Vainikko (1976), Stummel (1970,1971), Karma (1996).

Assumptions

- $(\mathbb{X}_n, \rho_n, A_n)$ is a DAS of (\mathbb{X}, A)
- $A = B + K$, B bijective, K compact
- A injective

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} AT & = & B & + & K \\ \uparrow & & \uparrow & & \\ A_n T_n & = & B_n & + & K_n \end{array}$$

Theorem (Weak T-compatibility³)

If there exists sequences $(A_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$, $(T_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$, $(B_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$, $(K_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ such that $(T_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $(B_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ are uniformly stable, $(K_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ compact and

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|(T_n \rho_n - \rho_n T)u\|_{\mathbb{X}_n} = 0, \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|(B_n \rho_n - \rho_n B)u\|_{\mathbb{X}_n} = 0, \quad A_n T_n = B_n + K_n,$$

then $(A_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ is **stable**, i.e. A_n^{-1} exists, $\|A_n^{-1}\|_{L(\mathbb{X}_n)} \leq C$ for all $n > n_0$.

³M. Halla, C. Lehrenfeld, P. Stocker, "A new T-compatibility condition and its application to the discretization of the damped time-harmonic Galbrun's equation", 2022.

Define

$$\mathbb{X} := \{\mathbf{u} \in \mathbf{L}^2(\mathcal{O}) : \operatorname{div} \mathbf{u} \in L^2(\mathcal{O}), \partial_{\mathbf{b}} \mathbf{u} \in \mathbf{L}^2(\mathcal{O}), \mathbf{u} \cdot \boldsymbol{\nu} = 0 \text{ on } \partial\mathcal{O}\},$$
$$\langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{u}' \rangle_{\mathbb{X}} := \langle \operatorname{div} \mathbf{u}, \operatorname{div} \mathbf{u}' \rangle_{L^2} + \langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{u}' \rangle_{L^2} + \langle \partial_{\mathbf{b}} \mathbf{u}, \partial_{\mathbf{b}} \mathbf{u}' \rangle_{L^2}.$$

Weak formulation

Find $\mathbf{u} \in \mathbb{X}$ s.t. $a(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{u}') = \langle \mathbf{f}, \mathbf{u}' \rangle \forall \mathbf{u}' \in \mathbb{X}$, where

$$\begin{aligned} a(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{u}') := & \langle c_s^2 \rho \operatorname{div} \mathbf{u}, \operatorname{div} \mathbf{u}' \rangle - \langle \rho(\omega + i\partial_{\mathbf{b}} + i\Omega \times) \mathbf{u}, (\omega + i\partial_{\mathbf{b}} + i\Omega \times) \mathbf{u}' \rangle \\ & + \langle \operatorname{div} \mathbf{u}, \nabla p \cdot \mathbf{u}' \rangle - \langle \nabla p \cdot \mathbf{u}, \operatorname{div} \mathbf{u}' \rangle - \langle (\operatorname{Hess}(p) - \rho \operatorname{Hess}(\phi)) \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{u}' \rangle \\ & - i\omega \langle \rho \gamma \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{u}' \rangle. \end{aligned}$$

→ Well-posed⁴ if $\|c_s^{-1} \mathbf{b}\|_{L^\infty}^2 \lesssim 1$.

⁴M. Halla, T. Hohage, "On the well-posedness of the damped time-harmonic Galbrun equation and the equations of solar and stellar oscillation", 2021.

"Simplified" Galbrun (ρ & ϕ constant, $\Omega = 0$):

$$a(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{u}') = \langle c_s^2 \rho \operatorname{div} \mathbf{u}, \operatorname{div} \mathbf{u}' \rangle - \langle \rho(\omega + i\partial_b) \mathbf{u}, (\omega + i\partial_b) \mathbf{u}' \rangle - i\omega \langle \rho \gamma \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{u}' \rangle = \langle \mathbf{f}, \mathbf{u}' \rangle.$$

Problem: if $\mathbf{u} \in \ker(\operatorname{div})$, then

$$\Re\{a(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{u})\} = -\|\rho^{1/2}(\omega + i\partial_b)\mathbf{u}\|_{L^2}^2 \not\gtrsim \|\mathbf{u}\|_{\mathbb{X}}^2$$

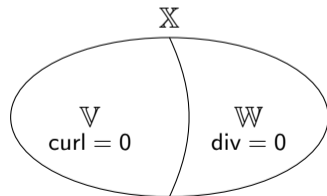
Idea: Flip the problematic sign! For $\mathbf{u} \in \mathbb{X}$, find $\mathbf{v} \in H_*^2$.s.t.

$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{div} \nabla \mathbf{v} &= \operatorname{div} \mathbf{u} \text{ in } \mathcal{O}, \\ \boldsymbol{\nu} \cdot \nabla \mathbf{v} &= 0 \text{ on } \partial\mathcal{O} \end{aligned}$$

and set $\mathbf{v} = \nabla v$, $\mathbf{w} = \mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v}$, $T\mathbf{u} := \mathbf{v} - \mathbf{w}$.

If $\mathbf{u} \in \ker(\operatorname{div})$, i.e. $\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{w}$, then

$$\Re\{a(T\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{u})\} = \|\rho^{1/2}(\omega + i\partial_b)\mathbf{w}\|_{L^2}^2 \gtrsim \|\mathbf{u}\|_{\mathbb{X}}^2$$



With $\mathbf{q} := c_s^{-2} \rho^{-1} \nabla p$, we write

$$a(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{u}') := \langle c_s^2 \rho (\operatorname{div} + \mathbf{q} \cdot) \mathbf{u}, (\operatorname{div} + \mathbf{q} \cdot) \mathbf{u}' \rangle - \langle \rho (\omega + i \partial_{\mathbf{b}} + i \Omega \times) \mathbf{u}, (\omega + i \partial_{\mathbf{b}} + i \Omega \times) \mathbf{u}' \rangle \\ + \langle (\operatorname{Hess}(\rho) - \operatorname{Hess}(\phi) - c_s^2 \rho \mathbf{q} \otimes \mathbf{q}) \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{u}' \rangle - i \omega \langle \rho \gamma \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{u}' \rangle.$$

Decomposition of \mathbb{X}

For $\mathbf{u} \in \mathbb{X}$, find $v \in H_*^2$ s.t.

$$(\operatorname{div} + P_{L_0^2} \mathbf{q} \cdot + M) \nabla v = (\operatorname{div} + P_{L_0^2} \mathbf{q} \cdot + M) \mathbf{u} \text{ in } \mathcal{O}, \\ \nu \cdot \nabla v = 0 \text{ on } \partial \mathcal{O},$$

where $P_{L_0^2}$ is the orthogonal projection onto L_0^2 and M is a suitable operator of finite rank. Set $\mathbf{v} := \nabla v$, $\mathbf{w} := \mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v}$, $T\mathbf{u} := \mathbf{v} - \mathbf{w}$. Then A is weakly T-coercive.

Goal: transfer the decomposition of \mathbb{X} to the discrete level
Stability closely related to stable pairs for Stokes

- H^1 -conforming discretization⁵
 - might need special meshes (barycentric refinement)
 - and / or k large enough
 - $H(\text{div})$ -conforming DG⁶
 - fully nonconforming DG⁷
- now: **hybrid** DG

$$\mathbb{X}_h = \mathbb{V}_h \oplus \mathbb{W}_h$$

$$\mathbf{u}_h = \mathbf{v}_h + \mathbf{w}_h$$

⁵M. Halla, C. Lehrenfeld, P. Stocker, "A new T-compatibility condition and its application to the discretization of the damped time-harmonic Galbrun's equation", 2022.

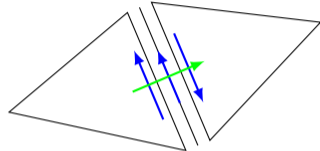
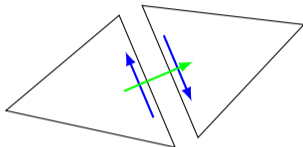
⁶M. Halla, "Convergence analysis of nonconform $H(\text{div})$ -finite elements for the damped time-harmonic Galbrun's equation", 2023.

⁷TvB, "On stable discontinuous Galerkin discretizations for Galbrun's equation", 2023.

$H(\text{div})$ -conf. DG

$H(\text{div})$ -conf. HDG

dofs

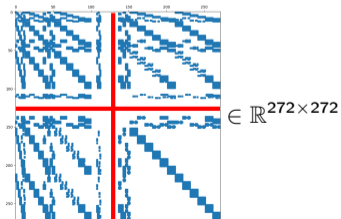
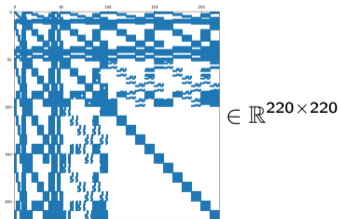


spaces

$$\mathbb{BDM}^k(\mathcal{T}_n)$$

$$\mathbb{BDM}^k(\mathcal{T}_n) \times [\Pi^{\text{tang}}(\mathbb{P}^k(\mathcal{F}_n))]^d$$

sparsity



Let \mathcal{T}_n be a shape regular, quasi-uniform triangulation of \mathcal{O} and \mathcal{F}_n the set of faces.

We set

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbb{X}_n &:= \text{BDM}^k(\mathcal{T}_n) \times [\mathbb{P}^k(\mathcal{F}_n)]^d \\ \langle \mathbf{u}_n, \mathbf{u}'_n \rangle_{\mathbb{X}_n} &:= \langle \text{div } \mathbf{u}_\tau, \text{div } \mathbf{u}'_\tau \rangle_{L^2} + \langle \mathbf{u}_\tau, \mathbf{u}'_\tau \rangle_{L^2} + \langle \mathbf{D}_b^n \mathbf{u}_n, \mathbf{D}_b^n \mathbf{u}'_n \rangle_{L^2},\end{aligned}$$

where \mathbf{D}_b^n is a discrete version of ∂_b defined later on.

For $\mathbf{u} \in \mathbb{X}$, we define $\rho_n \mathbf{u} \in \mathbb{X}_n$ as the solution to

$$\langle \rho_n \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{u}'_n \rangle_{\mathbb{X}_n} = \langle \text{div } \mathbf{u}, \text{div } \mathbf{u}'_\tau \rangle + \langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{u}'_\tau \rangle + \langle \partial_b \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{D}_b^n \mathbf{u}'_n \rangle \quad \forall \mathbf{u}'_n \in \mathbb{X}_n.$$

Lemma

For all $\mathbf{u} \in \mathbb{X}$, we have $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|\rho_n \mathbf{u}\|_{\mathbb{X}_n} = \|\mathbf{u}\|_{\mathbb{X}}$.

For $\mathbf{u}_n = (\mathbf{u}_\tau, \mathbf{u}_F) \in \mathbb{X}$ and $\tau \in \mathcal{T}_n$, set

$$\llbracket \mathbf{u}_n \rrbracket_{\mathbf{b}} := (\mathbf{b} \cdot \boldsymbol{\nu}) \mathbf{u}_\tau - (\mathbf{b} \cdot \boldsymbol{\nu}) \mathbf{u}_F$$

Goal: stabilization without penalty parameter depending on flow \mathbf{b}
→ standard SIP method leads to further Mach number restrictions

Definition (Lifting operator)

For $\mathbf{u}_n \in \mathbb{X}_n$, let $\mathbf{R}^l \mathbf{u}_n \in [\mathbb{P}^l(\mathcal{T}_n)]^d$ be the solution to

$$\langle \mathbf{R}^l \mathbf{u}_n, \boldsymbol{\psi}_n \rangle = - \sum_{\tau \in \mathcal{T}_n} \langle \llbracket \mathbf{u}_n \rrbracket_{\mathbf{b}}, \boldsymbol{\psi}_n \rangle_{\partial \tau} \quad \forall \boldsymbol{\psi}_n \in [\mathbb{P}^l(\mathcal{T}_n)]^d.$$

Then, we define for all $\tau \in \mathcal{T}_n$

$$(\mathbf{D}_{\mathbf{b}}^n \mathbf{u}_n)|_\tau := \partial_{\mathbf{b}}(\mathbf{u}_n|_\tau) + \mathbf{R}^l \mathbf{u}_n.$$

Find $\mathbf{u}_n = (\mathbf{u}_\tau, \mathbf{u}_F) \in \mathbb{X}_n$ s.t. $a_n(\mathbf{u}_n, \mathbf{u}'_n) = \langle \mathbf{f}, \mathbf{u}'_n \rangle$ for all $\mathbf{u}'_n \in \mathbb{X}_n$ with

$$\begin{aligned} a_n(\mathbf{u}_n, \mathbf{u}'_n) := & \langle c_s^2 \rho \operatorname{div} \mathbf{u}_\tau, \operatorname{div} \mathbf{u}'_\tau \rangle - \langle \rho(\omega + i\mathbf{D}_b^n + i\Omega \times) \mathbf{u}_n, (\omega + i\mathbf{D}_b^n + i\Omega \times) \mathbf{u}'_n \rangle \\ & + \langle \operatorname{div} \mathbf{u}_\tau, \nabla p \cdot \mathbf{u}'_\tau \rangle + \langle \nabla p \cdot \mathbf{u}_\tau, \operatorname{div} \mathbf{u}'_\tau \rangle \\ & + \langle (\operatorname{Hess}(p) - \rho \operatorname{Hess}(\phi)) \mathbf{u}_\tau, \mathbf{u}'_\tau \rangle - i\omega \langle \gamma \rho \mathbf{u}_\tau, \mathbf{u}'_\tau \rangle \\ & - \langle c_s^2 \rho \mathbf{u}_\tau, \llbracket \mathbf{u}'_n \rrbracket_\nu \rangle_{\partial \mathcal{T}_n} - \langle c_s^2 \rho \llbracket \mathbf{u}_n \rrbracket_\nu, \mathbf{u}'_\tau \rangle_{\partial \mathcal{T}_n} + \langle c_s^2 \rho \frac{\alpha}{h} \llbracket \mathbf{u}_n \rrbracket_\nu, \llbracket \mathbf{u}'_n \rrbracket_\nu \rangle_{\partial \mathcal{T}_n} \end{aligned}$$

Lemma

We have that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|(A_n p_n - p_n A) \mathbf{u}\|_{\mathbb{X}_n} = 0$ for all $\mathbf{u} \in \mathbb{X}$.

Proof.

Main idea: For a bounded sequence $(u_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \exists \mathbf{u} \in \mathbb{X}$ s.t. $\mathbf{D}_b^n \mathbf{u}_n \xrightarrow{L^2} \partial_b \mathbf{u}$. □

Take $\mathbf{u}_n = (\mathbf{u}_\tau, \mathbf{u}_F) \in \mathbb{X}_n$.

Decomposition of volume part: Find $v \in H_*^2$ s.t.

$$\begin{aligned}(\operatorname{div} + P_{L_0^2} \mathbf{q} \cdot + M) \nabla \tilde{v} &= (\operatorname{div} + \pi_n^l \mathbf{q} \cdot + M) \mathbf{u}_\tau \text{ in } \mathcal{O}, \\ \boldsymbol{\nu} \cdot \nabla \tilde{v} &= 0 \text{ on } \partial \mathcal{O},\end{aligned}$$

→ well-posed as $\mathbf{u}_\tau \in \mathbb{BDM}^k \subset H(\operatorname{div})$ ($\mathbf{u}_\tau \in \mathbb{P}^k(\mathcal{T}_n) \rightarrow \mathbf{u}_\tau - \mathcal{I}_{[\cdot], \boldsymbol{\nu}}(\mathbf{u}_\tau) \in H(\operatorname{div}).$)

→ Set $\mathbf{v}_\tau := \pi_n^d \nabla \tilde{v}$ and $\mathbf{w}_\tau := \mathbf{u}_\tau - \mathbf{v}_\tau$

Decomposition of facet part: Set $\mathbf{v}_F := \mathbf{u}_F - \operatorname{tr}_{\mathcal{F}_n} \mathbf{w}_\tau$ and $\mathbf{w}_F := \operatorname{tr}_{\mathcal{F}_n} \mathbf{w}_\tau$.

Definition of T_n : Set $T_n \mathbf{u}_n := \mathbf{v}_n - \mathbf{w}_n$.

Lemma

For all $\mathbf{u} \in \mathbb{X}$, it holds that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|(T_n p_n - p_n T) \mathbf{u}\|_{\mathbb{X}_n} = 0$.

Theorem

Assume that $\|c_s^{-1} \mathbf{b}\|_{\mathbf{L}^\infty}^2 \lesssim 1$. Then the remaining weak T -compatibility conditions are satisfied for the discrete problem, i.e. $\exists (B_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}, (K_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ s.t. $(B_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ is uniformly stable, $(K_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ is compact, $A_n T_n = B_n + K_n$ and for all $\mathbf{u} \in \mathbb{X}$, we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|(B_n \rho_n - \rho_n B) \mathbf{u}\|_{\mathbb{X}_n} = 0.$$

Corollary

There exists an index n_0 s.t. the discrete problem has a **unique solution** for all $n > n_0$. If $\mathbf{u} \in \mathbb{X} \cap \mathbf{H}^{2+s}$, $s > 0$, $\rho \in \mathbf{W}^{1+s, \infty}$ and $\mathbf{b} \in \mathbf{W}^{1+s, \infty}$, then

$$d_n(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{u}_n) \leq C \left(h^{\min(1+s, k)} + h^{\min(s, l)} \right) \|\mathbf{u}\|_{\mathbf{H}^{2+s}}.$$

Set $\mathcal{O} = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^2 : \|x\|_2 \leq 1\}$ and

$$\rho = \sqrt{10/\pi} \exp(-10(x^2 + y^2))$$

$$c_s^2 = 1.44 + 0.25\rho, \omega = 0.78 \times 2\pi,$$

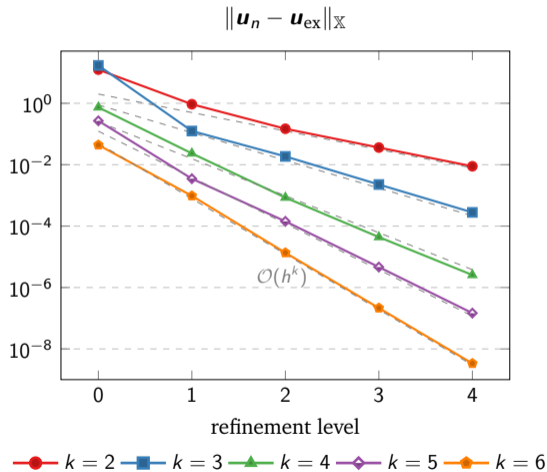
$$\gamma = 0.1, \Omega = (0, 0), p = 1.44\rho + 0.08\rho^2$$

$$\mathbf{b} = c_b c_s \begin{pmatrix} -y \\ x \end{pmatrix}$$

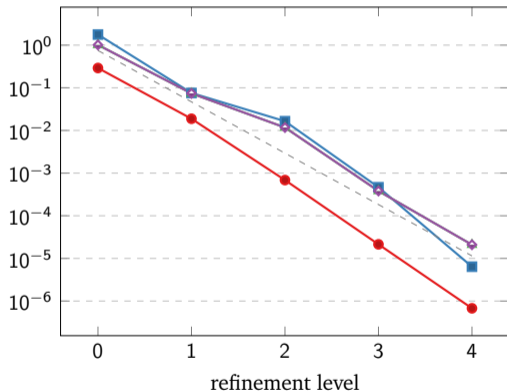
Calculate \mathbf{f} s.t. the **exact solution** is

$$\mathbf{u}_{\text{ex}} = \frac{1}{\rho} \sin(r^2) \sin(r^2 - 1) \begin{pmatrix} +(1+i)g \\ -(1+i)g \end{pmatrix},$$

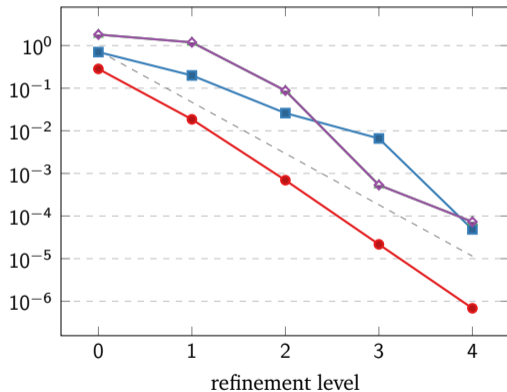
where $g = \sqrt{\alpha/\pi} \exp(-\alpha(x^2 + y^2))$, $\alpha = \log(10^9)$, is a Gaussian peak.



$$\|c_s^{-1}b\|_{L^\infty}^2 \approx 0.25$$

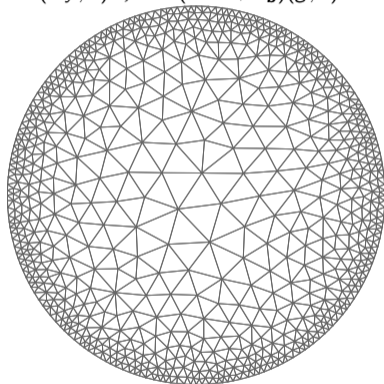
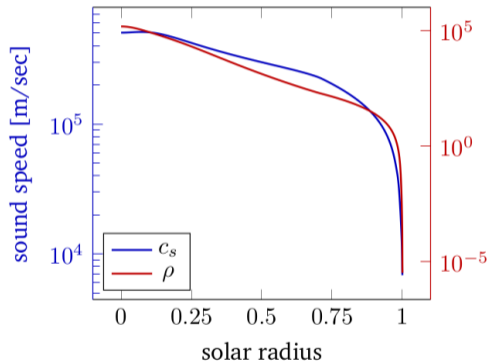


$$\|c_s^{-1}b\|_{L^\infty}^2 \approx 0.8$$



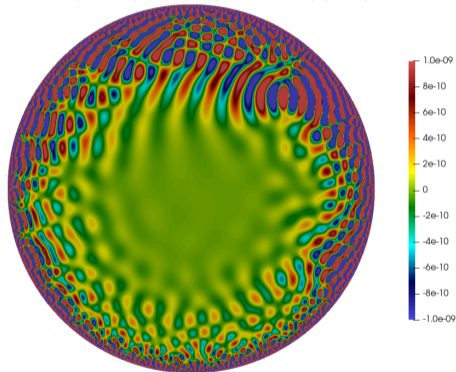
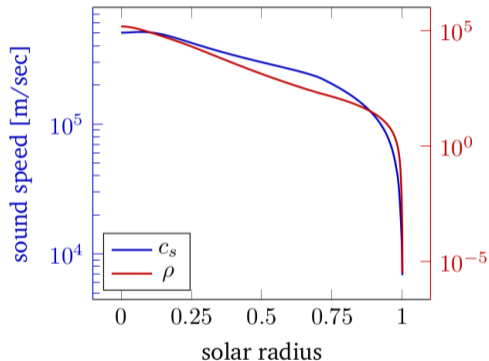
—●— lift —■— SIP $\lambda = 1.0$ —▲— SIP $\lambda = 10.0$ —◆— SIP $\lambda = 100.0$

c_s , ρ , p from modelS, $\omega = 2\pi \cdot 0.003$, $\gamma = \omega/100$, $\mathbf{b} = 1/\rho \cdot 1.5/R \cdot (-y, x)^T$, $\mathbf{f} = (-i\omega + \partial_{\mathbf{b}})(\mathbf{g}, 0)^T$



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Conclusions

- Discrete stability of Galbrun's equation related to stability of the Stokes complex
 - H^1 -conforming discretization only stable for special meshes / higher k
 - ($H(\text{div})$ -conforming) (H)DG are stable
- Lifting operator gives stabilization without penalty parameter
- Numerical experiments confirm convergence rates & work with sun parameters

Outlok

- 3D simulation too expensive
- physically relevant boundary conditions

Thank you for your attention!