Some Examples of Bridging Length and Time Scales

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Multiscale Modeling



Time

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Changing Number of DOFs

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- 3 translational
- 3 rotational
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AdResS consists of two main steps:

- 1. Derive the effective pair potential U^{cm} between coarse-grained molecules on the basis of the reference all-atom system.
- 2. Couple the atomistic and mesoscopic scales:

$$\mathbf{F}_{\alpha\beta} = w(X_{\alpha})w(X_{\beta})\mathbf{F}_{\alpha\beta}^{atom} + [1 - w(X_{\alpha})w(X_{\beta})]\mathbf{F}_{\alpha\beta}^{cm},$$

where

$$\mathbf{F}^{atom}_{lphaeta} = \sum_{ilpha,jeta} \mathbf{F}^{atom}_{ilpha jeta}$$

is the sum of all pair interactions between explicit atoms of molecules α and β and

$$\begin{array}{lll} \mathbf{F}_{i\alpha j\beta}^{atom} & = & -\frac{\partial U^{atom}}{\partial \mathbf{r}_{i\alpha j\beta}}, \\ \mathbf{F}_{\alpha\beta}^{cm} & = & -\frac{\partial U^{cm}}{\partial \mathbf{R}_{\alpha\beta}}. \end{array}$$

Coupling MD with Continuum



 $\mathbf{J} = p \, \mathbf{I} + \rho \mathbf{v} \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{\Pi}$

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Navier-Stokes Equation

Conservation of momentum:

$$\rho(\frac{\partial \mathbf{u}}{\partial t} + \mathbf{u} \cdot \nabla \mathbf{u}) = -\nabla p + \nabla \cdot \mathbf{\Pi} + \mathbf{f}$$

Stress tensor:

$$\mathbf{\Pi} = -\eta [\nabla \mathbf{u}]^S - \xi \nabla \cdot \mathbf{u} \mathbf{I}$$

We consider a Newtonian fluid with dynamic viscosity η and bulk viscosity ξ . The traceless symmetric tensor is defined as $A_{\alpha\beta}^S = (A_{\alpha\beta} + A_{\beta\alpha}) - (2/3)A_{\gamma\gamma}$. Conservation of mass:

$$\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot (\rho \mathbf{u}) = 0$$

Triple-Scale Scheme



Domain decomposition of the combined scheme.

Couette Flow



Velocity profile at the particle region of an hybrid simulation of a Couette flow.

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Triple-Scale Simulation: Liquid Water



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Multiscale Flow past a Buckyball



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Overlap Domain



Cross-section through the overlap region.

Fractional DOFs

For the fractional quadratic DOF Θ with the weight $w = \alpha$ we can write the partition function as:

$$\exp(-\beta F_{\alpha}) = C \int \exp(-\beta \alpha p_{\Theta}^2/2) \, dV_{\alpha} =$$
$$= 2C \int_0^{\infty} \exp(-\beta \alpha p_{\Theta}^2/2) \, |p_{\Theta}|^{\alpha-1} \frac{dp_{\Theta}}{\Gamma(\alpha)} =$$
$$= \frac{2^{\alpha/2} C \Gamma(\alpha/2)}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \alpha^{-\alpha/2} \beta^{-\alpha/2} \sim \beta^{-\alpha/2}.$$

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$$\langle K_{\alpha} \rangle = \frac{d(\beta F_{\alpha})}{d\beta} = \frac{\alpha}{2\beta} = \frac{\alpha k_B T}{2}.$$

In equilibrium $T_A = T_B = T_\Delta = T$ and thus: $n_\alpha \sim \alpha$.

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MD Integration

$$rac{doldsymbol{\eta}}{dt} = \{oldsymbol{\eta}, H\} = \hat{L}_H oldsymbol{\eta}$$

 $\hat{L}_H = \{ , H \}$ is the Lie operator *H* is the Hamiltonian

 $\{\eta, H\}$ denotes the Poisson bracket $\eta = (q, p)$ is a vector in phase space composed of the momenta and coordinates of all particles

Formal solution:

$$\boldsymbol{\eta}|_{t+\Delta t} = \exp(\Delta t \hat{L}_H) \boldsymbol{\eta}|_t$$

 Δt is the integration time step

 $\exp(\Delta t \hat{L}_H)$ is defined as a formal series of operators



We split the Hamiltonian function as

$$H = H_0 + H_r$$

We then use the following approximation:

$$\boldsymbol{\eta}|_{t+\Delta t} = \exp\left(\frac{\Delta t}{2}\hat{L}_{H_0}\right)\exp(\Delta t\hat{L}_{H_r})\exp\left(\frac{\Delta t}{2}\hat{L}_{H_0}\right)\boldsymbol{\eta}|_t + \mathcal{O}(\Delta t^3)$$

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Step 0: Perform the analysis of normal modes of the harmonical part H_0 .

Step 1: Propagate with H_0 for the time $\Delta t/2$.

$$\begin{bmatrix} P'_i \\ Q'_i \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\omega_i \frac{\Delta t}{2}) & -\omega_i \sin(\omega_i \frac{\Delta t}{2}) \\ \frac{1}{\omega_i} \sin(\omega_i \frac{\Delta t}{2}) & \cos(\omega_i \frac{\Delta t}{2}) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} P_i^0 \\ Q_i^0 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$P'_i = P_i^0$$
$$Q'_i = P_i^0 \frac{\Delta t}{2} + Q_i^0$$

Step 2: Transformation

$$egin{array}{rcl} p_i^{\prime} &=& \sqrt{m_i}\sum_k oldsymbol{A}_{ik}P_k^{\prime} \ q_i^{\prime} &=& rac{1}{\sqrt{m_i}}\sum_k oldsymbol{A}_{ik}Q_k^{\prime} \end{array}$$

Step 3: Evolve with H_r for the time Δt .

$$p_i'' = p_i' - \Delta t \left(\frac{\partial H_r}{\partial q_i}\right)_{q_i = q_i'}$$
 $q_i'' = q_i' + \Delta t \left(\frac{\partial H_r}{\partial p_i}\right)_{p_i = p_i'} = q_i''$

Step 4: Back transformation

$$P_i^{\prime\prime} = \sum_k rac{1}{\sqrt{m_k}} oldsymbol{A}_{ik}^T p_k^{\prime\prime}
onumber \ Q_i^{\prime\prime} = \sum_k \sqrt{m_k} oldsymbol{A}_{ik}^T q_k^{\prime\prime}$$

Step 5: Propagate with H_0 for the time $\Delta t/2$.

$$\begin{bmatrix} P_i \\ Q_i \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\omega_i \frac{\Delta t}{2}) & -\omega_i \sin(\omega_i \frac{\Delta t}{2}) \\ \frac{1}{\omega_i} \sin(\omega_i \frac{\Delta t}{2}) & \cos(\omega_i \frac{\Delta t}{2}) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} P''_i \\ Q_i'' \end{bmatrix}$$

Step 6: Return to **step 1** until the desired number of calculation steps is completed.

Time Reversibility

Because of the time reversibility

$$\exp\left(\Delta t \hat{L}_H\right) \exp\left(-\Delta t \hat{L}_H\right) = \mathbf{I}$$

the equations used in the numerical method must be time reversible.

SISM Scheme



Error in Energy



Adaptive Resolution

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