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二流体問題の有限要素近似と その数値シミュレーション

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Mathematical Formulation of Multi-Phase Flow Problems

Multiphase flow problems with interface tension(1)



Multiphase flow problems with interface tension(2)

$$(u, p)$$
 satisfies NS eqns. in each domain $\Omega_k(t)$, $\forall k = 0, ..., m$
 $\rho_k \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + (u \cdot \nabla)u \right) - \nabla (2\mu_k D(u) - pI) = \rho_k f$
 $\nabla \cdot u = 0$

Interface conditions on
$$\Gamma_i(t) \equiv \overline{\Omega}_0(t) \cap \overline{\Omega}_i(t)$$

 $[u] = 0, \ [-pn + 2\mu D(u)n]_{\Gamma_i} = \sigma_i \kappa n$

Boundary conditions on $\Gamma \times (0, T)$, $\Gamma \equiv \partial \Omega$

$$u \cdot n = 0, \quad D(u)n \times n = 0 \quad (\text{or } u = 0)$$

Evolution of $\Gamma_i(t) \equiv \left\{ \chi_i(s,t); s \in [0,1) \right\}$ $\frac{\partial \chi_i}{\partial t} = u(\chi_i,t), \ i = 1, \cdots, m$

Initial conditions
$$\stackrel{Ot}{\text{at}} t = 0$$

 $u = u^0$, $\Omega_k(0) = \Omega_k^0, \forall k = 0, ..., m$

A weak formulation for MPF problems (1)

$$X = \left\{ \chi \in \left(H^{1}(0,1)^{2}\right)^{m}; \chi(1) = \chi(0) \right\}$$

$$V = \left\{ v \in H^{1}(\Omega)^{2}; v \cdot n = 0 \left(x \in \Gamma\right) \right\}, \quad Q \equiv L_{0}^{2}(\Omega)$$
Find $(\chi, u, p):(0,T) \rightarrow X \times V \times Q$ such that

$$\frac{\partial \chi}{\partial t} = u(\chi, t)$$

$$\left(\rho \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{2}u \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t}, v\right) + a_{1}(\rho, u, u, v) + a_{0}(\rho, u, v) + b(v, p)$$

$$= (\rho f, v) - d(\chi, v)$$

$$b(u, q) = 0$$

$$(\forall (v, q) \in V \times Q)$$

A weak formulation for MPF problems (2)

where

$$a_{1}(\rho, w, u, v) \equiv \int_{\Omega} \frac{1}{2} \rho \left(\left[(w \cdot \nabla) u \right] \cdot v - \left[(w \cdot \nabla) v \right] \cdot u \right) dx$$

$$a_{0}(\rho, u, v) \equiv \int_{\Omega} 2\mu(\rho)D(u) : D(v)dx$$

$$b(v,q) \equiv -\int_{\Omega} (\nabla \cdot v)q dx$$

$$d(u,v) \equiv \sum_{i=1}^{m} \int_{\Gamma_{i}} \sigma_{i} \frac{du}{d\ell} \cdot \frac{dv}{d\ell} d\ell = \sum_{i=1}^{m} \int_{0}^{1} \sigma_{i} \frac{du}{ds} \cdot \frac{dv}{ds} |\frac{\partial\chi_{i}}{\partial s}|^{-1} ds$$

$$\mu = \mu(\rho) \in L^{\infty}$$

$$\rho \in L^{\infty} \left(\Omega \times (0,T)\right): \text{ a function determined from } \{\chi\}$$

$$i.e. \ \rho = \rho(\chi)$$



An interface tracking method

$$\chi_i : [0,1) \times (0,T) \to \Re^2$$

 $\Gamma_i(t) \equiv \partial \Omega_i(t) = \{\chi_i(s,t); s \in [0,1)\}, t \in (0,T)$
 $\frac{\partial \chi}{\partial t} = u(\chi,t)$
 $\chi(\cdot,t) \equiv \chi_i(\cdot,t)$

Note. Tryggvason et al. [2001], FDM, no stability arguments
Note. ↔ Interface capturing method
signed distance function, density function

Interface Tracking Energy-Stable Finite Element Scheme

Finite Element Scheme P0/P2/P1

Finite element approximation

 $\rho_h^n \in \Psi_h : P_0 - \text{element},$ $u_h^n \in V_h : P_2 - \text{element},$ $p_h^n \in Q_h : P_1 - \text{element}$

Approximate spaces for the interface

$$X_{h} \subset X = \left\{ \chi \in \left(H^{1}(0,1)^{2}\right)^{m}; \chi(1) = \chi(0) \right\}$$

$$\chi_{h}^{n} \in X_{h}$$

$$Q_{kh}^{n}$$

$$P\left(s_{N_{x,k}^{n}-1}^{n}\right) P\left(s_{0}^{n}\right)$$

$$P\left(s_{0}^{n}\right) = s_{0}^{n} < s_{1}^{n} < \dots < s_{N_{x,k}^{n}}^{n} = 1$$



Interface tracking energy-stable FE scheme $X_{h} \subset X, \quad \Psi_{h} \subset L^{2}(\Omega), \quad V_{h} \times Q_{h} \subset V \times Q,$ $\Delta t : \text{time increment}, \quad N_{T} \equiv \lfloor T / \Delta t \rfloor$ Find $\left\{ \left(\chi_{h}^{n}, u_{h}^{n}, p_{h}^{n} \right) \right\}_{n=0}^{N_{T}} \subset X_{h} \times V_{h} \times Q_{h} \text{ such that}$ $D_{\Delta t} \chi_{h}^{n} = \frac{3}{2} u_{h}^{n} \left(\chi_{h}^{n} \right) - \frac{1}{2} u_{h}^{n-1} \left(\chi_{h}^{n} - \Delta t u_{h}^{n} \left(\chi_{h}^{n} \right) \right) \qquad \forall s_{i}^{n}$ $\left(\rho_{h}^{n} D_{\Delta t} u_{h}^{n} + \frac{1}{2} u_{h}^{n+1} D_{\Delta t} \rho_{h}^{n}, v_{h} \right) + a_{1} (\rho_{h}^{n+1}, u_{h}^{n+1}, v_{h}) + a_{0} (\rho_{h}^{n+1}, u_{h}^{n+1}, v_{h})$ $+ b \left(v_{h}, p_{h}^{n+1} \right) + \sum_{k=1}^{m} \Delta t \left[\sigma_{k} D_{\Delta \ell} u_{h}^{n+1}, D_{\Delta \ell} v_{h} \right]_{\Gamma_{kh}^{n+1}}$ $= \left(\rho_{h}^{n+1} \Pi_{h} f^{n+1}, v_{h} \right) - \sum_{i=1}^{m} \left[\sigma_{i} D_{\Delta \ell} \chi_{h}^{n+1}, D_{\Delta \ell} v_{h} \right]_{\Gamma_{kh}^{n+1}} \qquad \forall v_{h} \in V_{h}$ $b \left(u_{h}^{n+1}, q_{h} \right) = 0 \qquad \forall q_{h} \in Q_{h}$ IC: $\chi_{h}^{0} = \Pi_{h} \chi^{0}, u_{h}^{0} = \Pi_{h} u^{0}$

Other issues on the computation

At each time level *n*, we

• control $N_{x,k}^n$, the number of particles in $\chi_{h,k}^n$

for $i = k, \dots, m$

• adjust the positions of particles in $\chi_{h,k}^n$

to keep the area of Ω_{kh}^n identical

Algorithm of the energy-stable FE scheme

$$\begin{pmatrix} \chi_{h}^{n}, u_{h}^{n}, p_{h}^{n} \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} \chi_{h}^{n+1}, u_{h}^{n+1}, p_{h}^{n+1} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(1) \quad \tilde{\chi}_{h}^{n+1} = \chi_{h}^{n} + \Delta t \begin{pmatrix} \frac{3}{2} u_{h}^{n} (\chi_{h}^{n}) - \frac{1}{2} u_{h}^{n-1} (\chi_{h}^{n} - \Delta t u_{h}^{n} (\chi_{h}^{n})) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(2) \quad \tilde{\chi}_{h}^{n+1} \rightarrow \chi_{h}^{n+1}, \qquad \rho_{h}^{n+1} = \rho_{h}^{n+1} (\chi_{h}^{n+1})$$

$$(3) \quad \text{Find} \ \begin{pmatrix} u_{h}^{n+1}, p_{h}^{n+1} \end{pmatrix} \text{:}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\Delta t} M \left(\rho_{h}^{n} \right) + \frac{1}{2\Delta t} M \left(\rho_{h}^{n+1} - \rho_{h}^{n} \right) + A_{1} (\rho_{h}^{n+1}, u_{h}^{n}) + A_{0} (\rho_{h}^{n+1}) + \Delta t S (\chi_{h}^{n+1}) \quad B^{T} \\ \qquad B \qquad 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u_{h}^{n+1} \\ p_{h}^{n+1} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\Delta t} M \left(\rho_{h}^{n} \right) u_{h}^{n} + M \left(\rho_{h}^{n+1} \right) f_{h}^{n+1} - S (\chi_{h}^{n+1}) \chi_{h}^{n+1} \\ \qquad 0 \end{pmatrix} \text{ solved by GMRES}$$

Mass and energy stability

Suppose χ_h : "smooth", uniformly bounded length \Rightarrow

$$\max \Omega_{kh}^{n} = \max \Omega_{kh}^{0} \quad (i = 0, ..., m)$$
$$\left\| \sqrt{\rho_{h}} u_{h} \right\|_{\ell^{\infty} (L^{2}(\Omega))}, \left\| \sqrt{\mu_{h}} D(u_{h}) \right\|_{\ell^{2} (L^{2}(\Omega))}$$
$$\leq c \left(\left\| \sqrt{\rho_{h}} f_{h} \right\|_{\ell^{2} (L^{2}(\Omega))} + \sum_{k=1}^{m} \left\| \sqrt{\sigma_{k}} D_{\Delta \ell}^{2} \chi_{h} \right\|_{\ell^{2} (L^{2}(\Gamma_{kh}))} \right)$$

Note. The result is valid also in the case $\sigma_i = 0$. Note. $\|D_{\Delta\ell}^2 \chi_h\|_{\ell^{\infty}(L^2(\Gamma_{kh}))}, \|D_{\Delta\ell}^2 \chi_h\|_{\ell^{\infty}(L^{\infty}(\Gamma_{kh}))}$ may be large.

Numerical Results of Multi-Phase Flow Problems



Rising bubble problem(1) $\mu_0 = 5.0$



$$\|\chi_h\|_{l^2(H_0^2)} = 27.33 \ (T=15)$$







Concluding Remarks

- We have presented an "energy-stable" finite element scheme for multiphase flow problems with merger.
- We have exhibited several numerical simulations to show the robustness and applicability of the scheme.
- We have shown numerical convergence for a test problem.
- Future work:

convergence proof; merge/split algorithm;

high-Reynolds number problems;

2.5D problems; 3D problems; other applications

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