

EJIIM for Boundary Value Problems in 3D Elastic Microstructures

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Motivation: Shape Optimization

Optimization tasks:

- minimize the maximal stress
(usually the von Mises stress used)
- minimize the displacements
- minimize the total volume
- ...

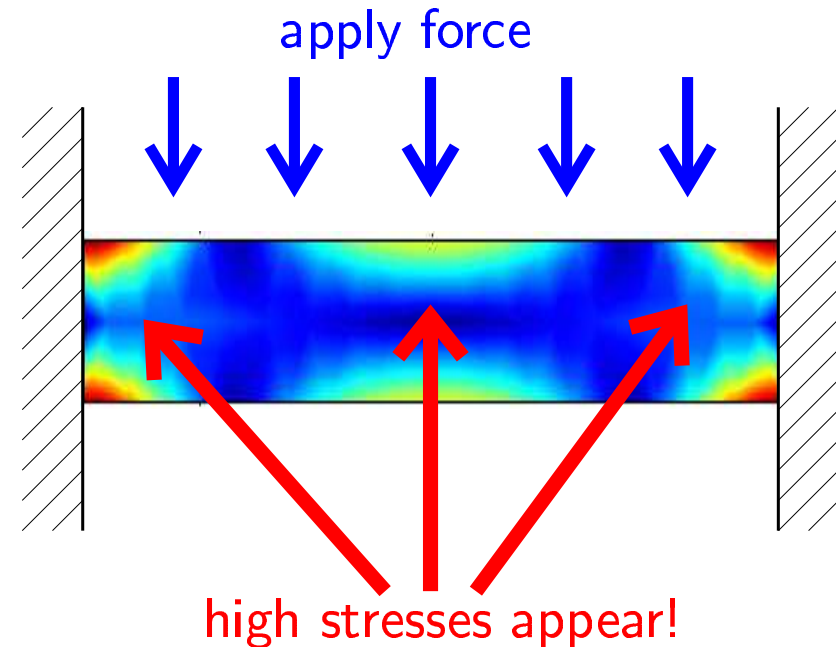
Design based on **positions** of high/low stresses and/or strains and/or displacements e.g.,

higher stresses \Rightarrow add material

lower stresses \Rightarrow remove material

a method to compute the **local** stresses, strains and displacements **fast** and **accurately** is needed!

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(FEMLAB simulation)

Mathematical Model

Linear elasticity:

(“small” deformations, stresses and strains)

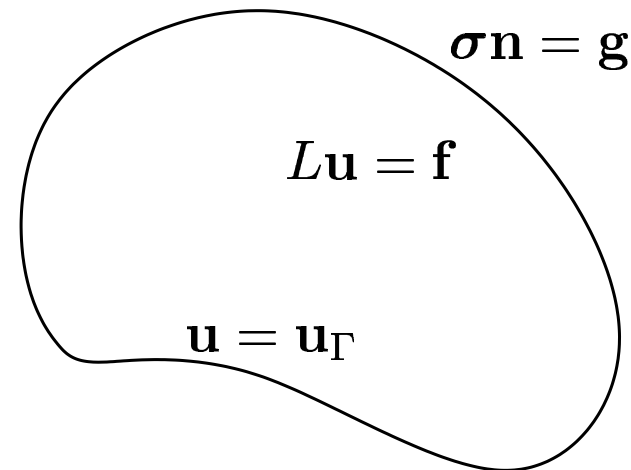
$$\nabla \cdot \left(C \frac{1}{2} (\nabla \mathbf{u} + (\nabla \mathbf{u})^T) \right) = \mathbf{f}$$

C : stiffness tensor

\mathbf{u} : displacement vector

strain tensor: $\boldsymbol{\varepsilon} = \frac{1}{2} (\nabla \mathbf{u} + (\nabla \mathbf{u})^T)$

stress tensor: $\boldsymbol{\sigma} = C \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}$

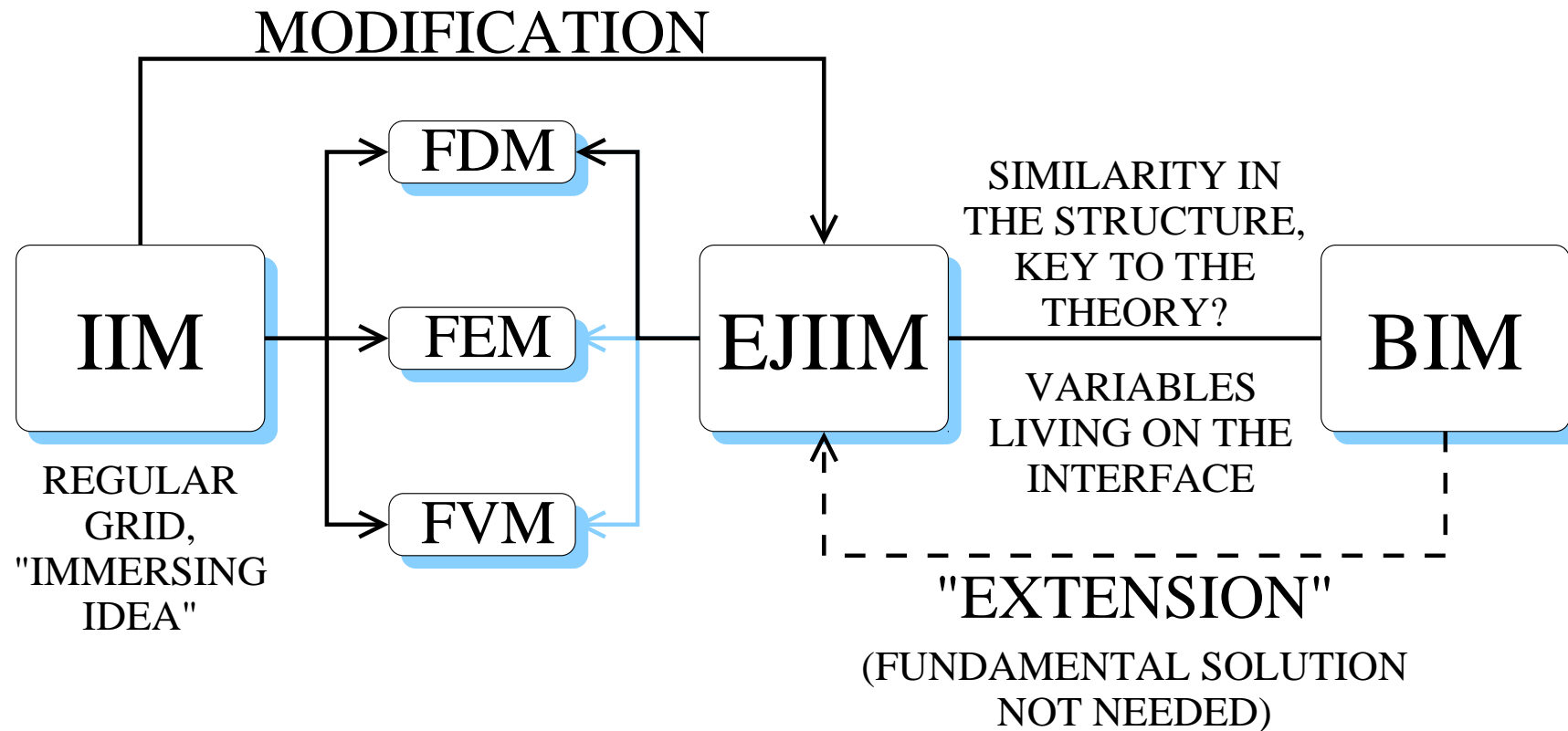


Boundary conditions:

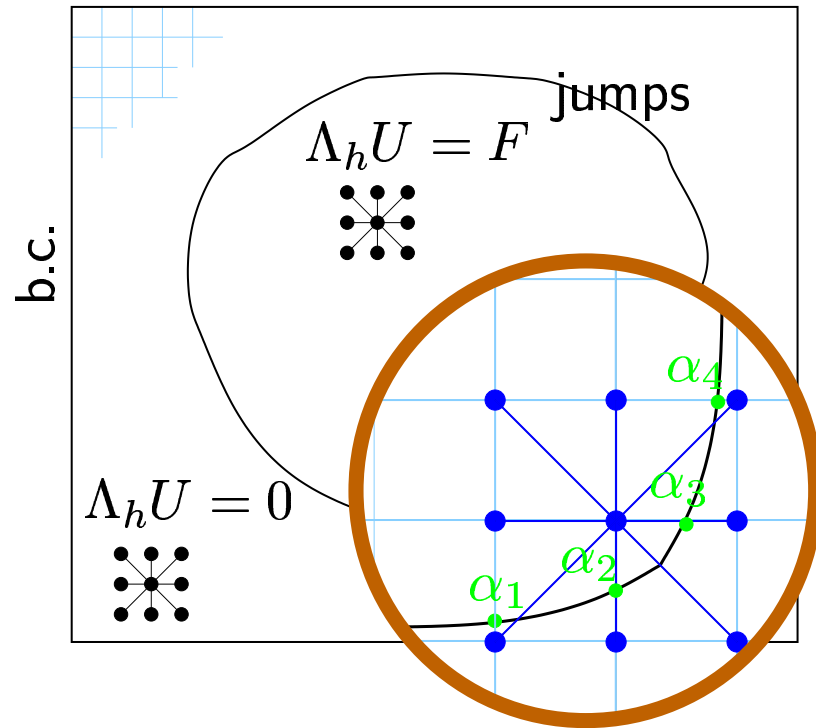
given displacements : $\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{u}_\Gamma$

given acting force : $\boldsymbol{\sigma} \mathbf{n} = \mathbf{g}$

Immersed Interface Methods



EJIIM Discretization



1. Embed the original domain in a "box". B.C. \Rightarrow Jumps
2. Standard FD in the regular points

Irregular points:

$$\Lambda_h U + \text{correction} = F$$

$$\text{correction} = \sum_s \sum_{m=0}^2 \psi_{m,s} [\partial^m u]_{\alpha_s}$$

Extrapolation + B.C. \Rightarrow

$$[\partial^m u]_{\alpha_s} = \tilde{F}_s - \sum_{i \in \text{grid}} d_{s,i} U_i$$

EJIIM system

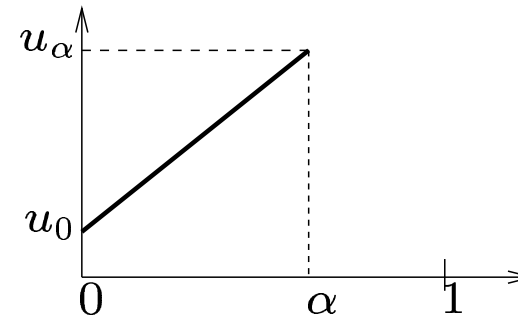
$$\begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{A} & \mathbf{\Psi} \\ \mathbf{D} & \mathbf{I} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} U \\ J \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} F \\ \tilde{F} \end{pmatrix}$$

U : grid function J : jumps
 \mathbf{A} : standard FD matrix F : extended rhs
 $\mathbf{\Psi}$: corrections \mathbf{I} : identity
 \mathbf{D}, \tilde{F} : extrapolation

EJIIM as BIM

1D problem [Wiegmann 99]

$$u_{xx} = 0, \quad u(0) = u_0, \quad u(\alpha) = u_\alpha$$



Continuous ($j := [u_x] = -u_x^-(\alpha)$)

$$u(x) + \int_0^1 G(x, y) \delta(y - \alpha) \frac{d}{dx} u(x) dy$$

$$= \int_0^1 G(x, y) (\delta'(y - \alpha) u_\alpha + \delta'(y - 0) u_0) dy$$

$$j + \frac{d}{dx} \int_0^1 G(x, y) \delta(y - \alpha) j dy$$

$$= -\frac{d}{dx} \int_0^1 G(x, y) (\delta'(y - \alpha) u_\alpha + \delta'(y - 0) u_0) dy$$

Discrete ($J := [u_x]$)

$$(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}^{-1} \mathbf{\Psi}_1 \mathbf{D}) U$$

$$= -\mathbf{A}^{-1} \mathbf{\Psi}_0 [u]$$

$$(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{D} \mathbf{A}^{-1} \mathbf{\Psi}_1) J$$

$$= -\mathbf{D} \mathbf{A}^{-1} \mathbf{\Psi}_0 [u]$$

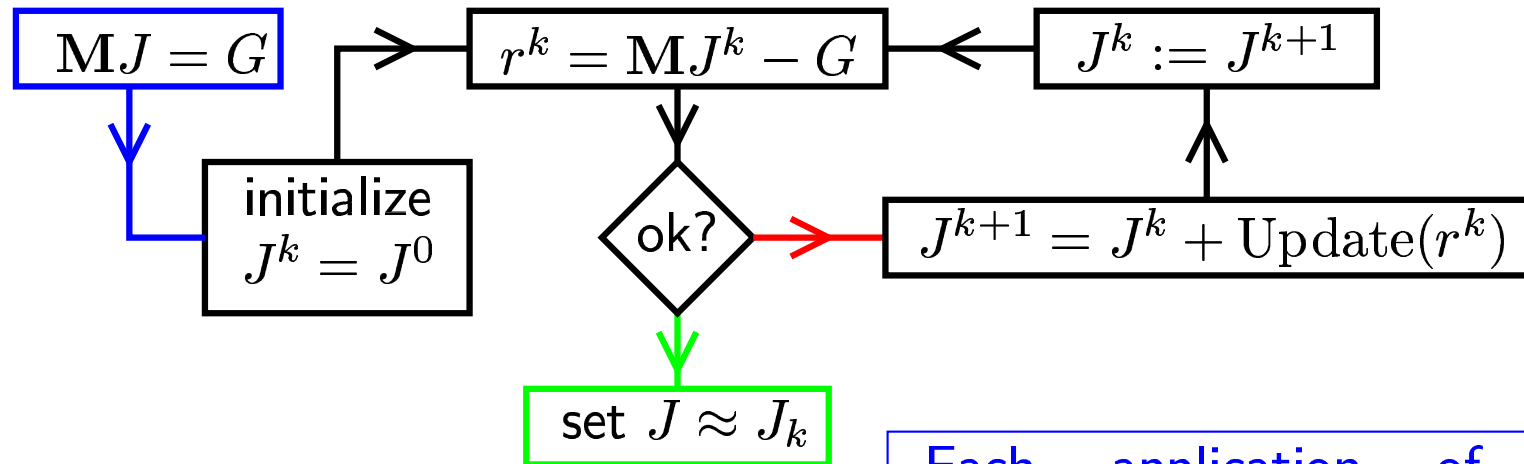
Fast Solver

Schur complement for jumps:

[Li 95, Wiegmann 99]

$$\begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{A} & \Psi \\ \mathbf{D} & \mathbf{I} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} U \\ J \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} F \\ \tilde{F} \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{D}\mathbf{A}^{-1}\Psi)J = \tilde{F} - \mathbf{D}\mathbf{A}^{-1}F$$

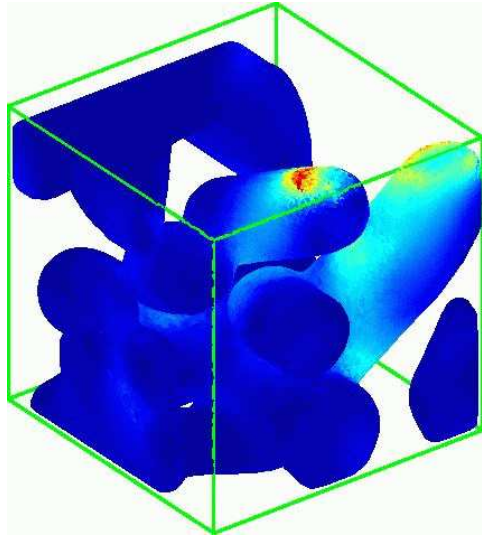
Iterative solver (e.g. BiCGSTAB) for Schur complement:



Displacements: $U = \mathbf{A}^{-1}(F - \Psi J)$

Each application of \mathbf{M} requires application of \mathbf{A}^{-1} to a vector. This is done in $N \log N$ time using FFT

Code

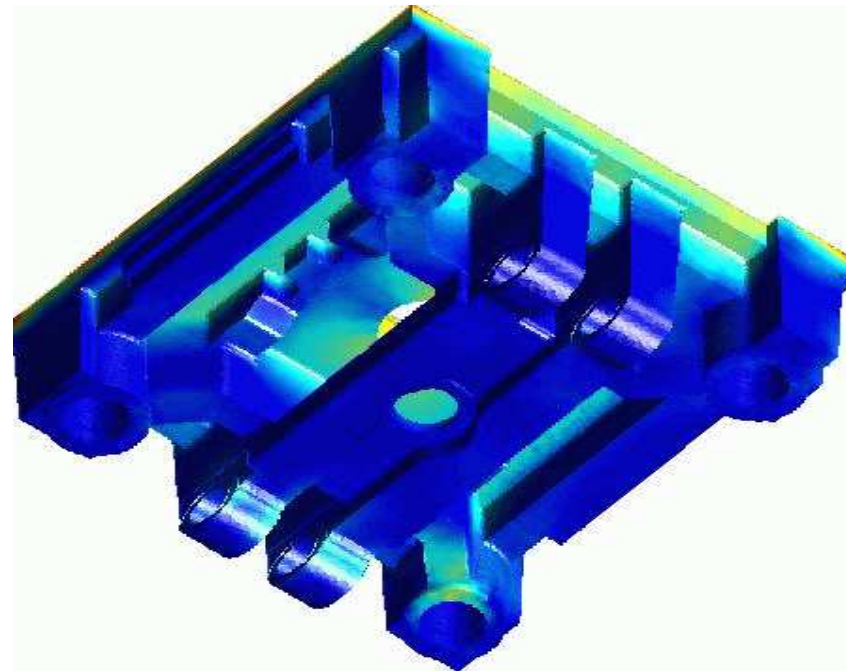


OUTPUT:

Deformations,
stresses and strains
(MATLAB implementation)

INPUT:

Geometry information,
material parameters



Geometry data prepared by
I.Matei and A.K.Vaikuntam

Summary

○ EJIIM:

- standard FD used + correction terms + embedding of the domain in a “box” \Rightarrow enable FFT **fast solvers**
- 2-nd order convergence in max-norm in displacements
- Geometry information provided by the *Level Set Method* and/or some engineering programmes.

○ Open problems:

- Convergence theory and error estimates
- Stability analysis
- Improvements in the algorithm
(mostly in computational memory requirements!)