

Finite volume method for linear and non linear elliptic problems with discontinuities

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THE SCHEME FV4

Approximate the solution (for Dirichlet BC for instance) of

$$-\Delta u = f \quad (*)$$

in an open bounded set Ω discretized by control volumes κ (ex : triangles).

The finite volume scheme principle

- ▶ Integrate (*) overall control volumes :

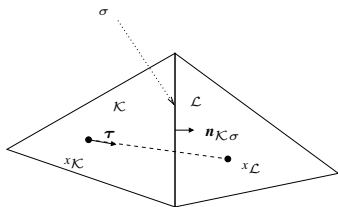
$$\int_{\kappa} f = \int_{\kappa} -\Delta u = - \sum_{\sigma \subset \partial \kappa} \int_{\sigma} \nabla u \cdot \mathbf{n}_{\kappa \sigma}.$$

- ▶ Approximate normal fluxes

$$\int_{\sigma} \nabla u \cdot \mathbf{n}_{\kappa \sigma}$$

- ▶ Taylor expansion for $\sigma = \kappa | \mathcal{L}$

$$|\sigma| \frac{u(x_{\mathcal{L}}) - u(x_{\kappa})}{d_{\kappa \mathcal{L}}} \sim \int_{\sigma} \nabla u \cdot \boldsymbol{\tau}_{\kappa \mathcal{L}} \text{ where } \boldsymbol{\tau}_{\kappa \mathcal{L}} = \frac{x_{\mathcal{L}} \vec{x}_{\kappa}}{\|x_{\mathcal{L}} \vec{x}_{\kappa}\|}$$



THE FV4 SCHEME

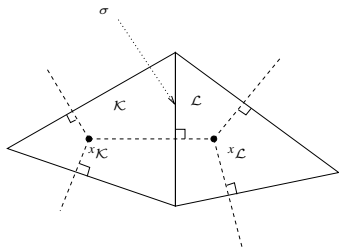
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CONSISTENCY : YES if $[x_{\mathcal{K}}, x_{\mathcal{L}}] \perp \sigma$.



⇒ Such meshes are called admissible.

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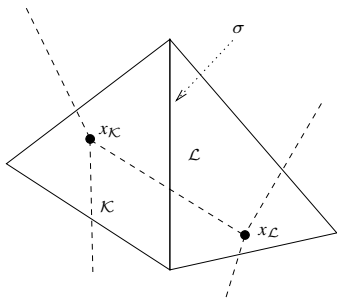
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\Rightarrow Such control volumes are said to be non admissible.

ERROR ESTIMATES FOR THE FV4 SCHEME

ADMISSIBLE MESHES

THEOREM

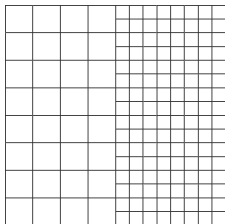
*The error of the FV4 scheme in case of **admissible meshes**, is bounded by $C_{\text{size}}(\mathcal{T})$.*

ERROR ESTIMATES FOR THE FV4 SCHEME

NON ADMISSIBLE MESHES

THEOREM

If non admissible control volumes are located along a curve Γ , the error of the FV4 scheme is bounded by $C\text{size}(T)^{\frac{1}{2}}$.



Example of non admissible meshes.

ANISOTROPIC OPERATOR

Can we only use admissible meshes ?

NO

1. To few meshes satisfy the admissibility condition (triangles, Voronoï, ...).
2. For the anisotropic operator

$$-\operatorname{div}(A\nabla u) = f$$

the admissibility condition becomes : $A[x_{\mathcal{K}}x_{\mathcal{L}}] \parallel \mathbf{n} \dots$

3. How write these geometrical condition in case of variable diffusion tensor ?

$$-\operatorname{div}(A(z)\nabla u) = f.$$

A solution is to approximate the two components of the gradient.

NONLINEAR DIFFUSION OPERATOR

Example : p -laplacian

Approximate in “ $W_0^{1,p}(\Omega)$ ” the unique solution of

$$-\operatorname{div}(|\nabla u|^{p-2}\nabla u) = f, \quad 1 < p < +\infty.$$

Finite volume approach requires a consistent approximation of

$$\int_{\sigma} |\nabla u|^{p-2}\nabla u \cdot \mathbf{n}.$$

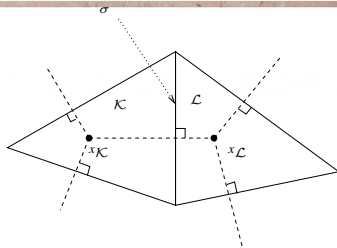
Impossible to obtain only with the two values $u_{\mathcal{K}}$ and $u_{\mathcal{L}}$.

↪ **We still need an approximation of the whole gradient .**

THE PROBLEM OF DISCONTINUOUS COEFFICIENTS

$$-\operatorname{div}(k(z)\nabla u) = f,$$

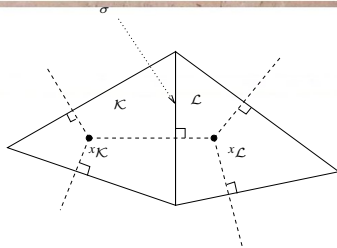
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If k is smooth, the finite volume FV4 writes :

$$\int_{\mathcal{K}} f = \int_{\mathcal{K}} -\operatorname{div}(k(z)\nabla u) dz = - \sum_{\sigma \subset \partial \mathcal{K}} \int_{\sigma} \underbrace{(k(s)\nabla u)}_{=\text{flux}} \cdot \mathbf{n} ds \approx \sum_{\sigma \subset \partial \mathcal{K}} |\sigma| k_{\sigma} \frac{u_{\mathcal{L}} - u_{\mathcal{K}}}{d_{\mathcal{K}\mathcal{L}}},$$

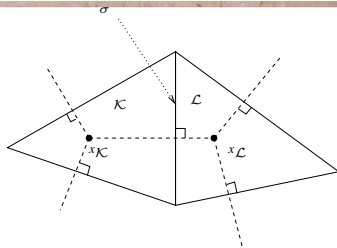
where k_{σ} is an approximation of k on the edge σ

$$k_{\sigma} = k(x_{\sigma}) \quad \text{where} \quad k_{\sigma} = \frac{1}{|\sigma|} \int_{\sigma} k(s) ds.$$

THE PROBLEM OF DISCONTINUOUS COEFFICIENTS

$$-\operatorname{div}(k(z)\nabla u) = f,$$

$$k(z) \in \mathbb{R}.$$



If k is discontinuous across $\sigma : k_\kappa$ and $k_\mathcal{L}$ on κ et \mathcal{L} :

How to write the scheme ? We look for k_σ such that

$$|\sigma| k_\sigma \frac{u_\mathcal{L} - u_\kappa}{d_{\kappa\mathcal{L}}} \approx \int_\sigma (k(s)\nabla u(s)) \cdot \mathbf{n} ds.$$

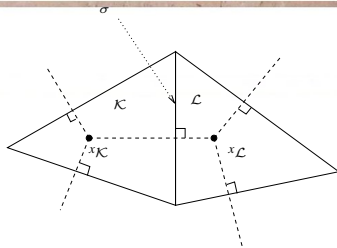
The *simple* choices of $k_\sigma = k_\kappa$, $k_\sigma = k_\mathcal{L}$ where $k_\sigma = \frac{1}{2}(k_\kappa + k_\mathcal{L})$ lead to non consistent fluxes.

Indeed $\nabla u \cdot \mathbf{n}$ is discontinuous across σ !

THE PROBLEM OF DISCONTINUOUS COEFFICIENTS

$$-\operatorname{div}(k(z)\nabla u) = f,$$

$$k(z) \in \mathbb{R}.$$



TAKE A NEW UNKNOWN u_σ ON THE EDGE σ :

Write the continuity of the approximate fluxes across σ .

$$F_{\kappa\ell} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} |\sigma|k_\ell \frac{u_\ell - u_\sigma}{d_{\ell\sigma}} = |\sigma|k_\kappa \frac{u_\sigma - u_\kappa}{d_{\kappa\sigma}}.$$

Eliminate the fictive unknown u_σ :

$$u_\sigma = \frac{k_\ell d_{\kappa\sigma} u_\ell + k_\kappa d_{\ell\sigma} u_\kappa}{k_\ell d_{\kappa\sigma} + k_\kappa d_{\ell\sigma}}$$

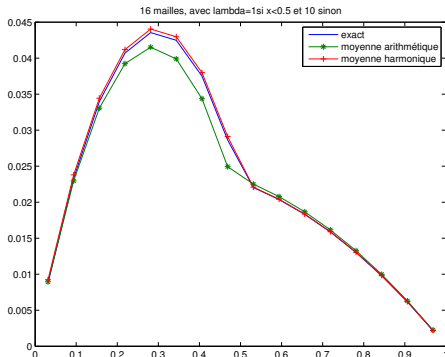
$$\Rightarrow F_{\kappa\ell} = |\sigma|k_\sigma \frac{u_\ell - u_\kappa}{d_{\kappa\ell}}, \text{ with } k_\sigma = \frac{k_\kappa k_\ell (d_{\kappa\sigma} + d_{\ell\sigma})}{k_\ell d_{\kappa\sigma} + k_\kappa d_{\ell\sigma}}, \text{ harmonic mean value.}$$

THE PROBLEM OF DISCONTINUOUS COEFFICIENTS

In presence of discontinuities, the scheme converges but the order of convergence depends on the choice of k_σ :

$$\text{CAS 1D : } -\frac{d}{dx} \left(k(x) \frac{d}{dx} u_e \right) = f, \text{ with } k(x) = \begin{cases} k^+ & \text{if } x > 0.5 \\ k^- & \text{if } x < 0.5 \end{cases}$$

- ▶ k_σ arithmetic mean value : order $\frac{1}{2}$
- ▶ k_σ harmonic mean value : order 1



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AIM AND NOTATIONS

- ▶ The DDFV scheme (DISCRETE DUALITY FINITE VOLUME) for

$$\begin{cases} -\operatorname{div}(\varphi(z, \nabla u_e(z))) = f(z), & \text{in } \Omega, \\ u_e = 0, & \text{on } \partial\Omega, \end{cases}$$

- ▶ Ω in an open bounded polygonal set \mathbb{R}^2 .
- ▶ $u \mapsto -\operatorname{div}(\varphi(\cdot, \nabla u))$ is an monotonic and coercitive (of Leray-Lions type) operator.

ASSUMPTIONS ON φ

- ▶ Let $p \in]1, \infty[$, $p' = \frac{p}{p-1}$ and $f \in L^{p'}(\Omega)$. ▶ $p \geq 2$ to simplify.
- ▶ $\varphi : \Omega \times \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ is a Caratheory function such that :

$$(\varphi(z, \xi), \xi) \geq C_\varphi (|\xi|^p - 1), \quad (\mathcal{H}_1)$$

$$|\varphi(z, \xi)| \leq C_\varphi (|\xi|^{p-1} + 1). \quad (\mathcal{H}_2)$$

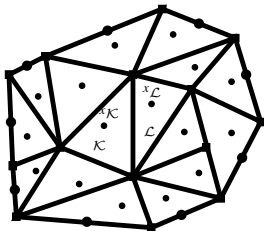
$$(\varphi(z, \xi) - \varphi(z, \eta), \xi - \eta) \geq \frac{1}{C_\varphi} |\xi - \eta|^p. \quad (\mathcal{H}_3)$$

$$|\varphi(z, \xi) - \varphi(z, \eta)| \leq C_\varphi (1 + |\xi|^{p-2} + |\eta|^{p-2}) |\xi - \eta|. \quad (\mathcal{H}_4)$$

- ▶ φ is lipschitz continuous with respect to z .

THE DDFV MESHES

primal, dual and “diamond”.



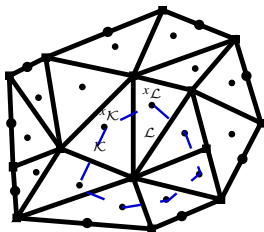
Δ mesh \mathfrak{M}

Primal control volumes

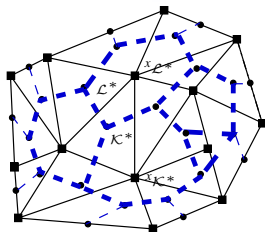
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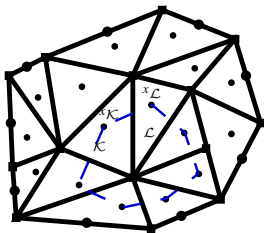
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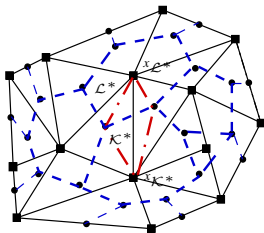
$$\rightsquigarrow (u_{\mathcal{K}^*})_{\mathcal{K}^* \in \mathfrak{M}^*}$$

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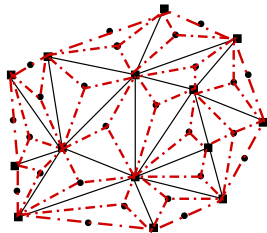
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 mesh \mathfrak{M}



 mesh \mathfrak{M}^*



 mesh \mathfrak{D}

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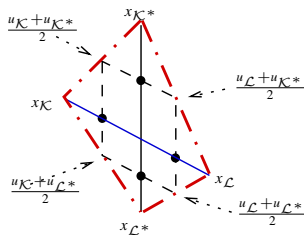
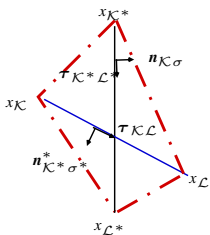
Diamond cells

$$\rightsquigarrow \text{Discrete gradient}$$

THE DDFV SCHEME

THE DISCRETE GRADIENT

$$\nabla_D^T u^T = \frac{1}{\sin \alpha_D} \left(\frac{u_{\mathcal{L}} - u_{\mathcal{K}}}{|\sigma^*|} \mathbf{n}_{\mathcal{K}\sigma} + \frac{u_{\mathcal{L}^*} - u_{\mathcal{K}^*}}{|\sigma|} \mathbf{n}_{\mathcal{K}^*\sigma} \right), \quad \forall \text{ diamond cell } \mathcal{D}.$$



Equivalent definition

$$\begin{cases} \nabla_D^T u^T \cdot (x_{\mathcal{L}} - x_{\mathcal{K}}) = u_{\mathcal{L}} - u_{\mathcal{K}}, \\ \nabla_D^T u^T \cdot (x_{\mathcal{L}^*} - x_{\mathcal{K}^*}) = u_{\mathcal{L}^*} - u_{\mathcal{K}^*}. \end{cases}$$

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Classical finite volume formulation :

$$\begin{aligned} - \sum_{\sigma \in \mathcal{E}_{\mathcal{K}}} |\sigma| (\varphi_{\mathcal{D}}(\nabla_{\mathcal{D}}^T u^T), \mathbf{n}_{\mathcal{K}\sigma}) &= \int_{\mathcal{K}} f(z) dz, \quad \forall \mathcal{K} \in \mathfrak{M}, \\ - \sum_{\sigma^* \in \mathcal{E}_{\mathcal{K}^*}} |\sigma^*| (\varphi_{\mathcal{D}}(\nabla_{\mathcal{D}}^T u^T), \mathbf{n}_{\mathcal{K}^*\sigma}) &= \int_{\mathcal{K}^*} f(z) dz, \quad \forall \mathcal{K}^* \in \mathfrak{M}^*, \end{aligned}$$

with

$$\varphi_{\mathcal{D}}(\xi) = \frac{1}{|\mathcal{D}|} \int_{\mathcal{D}} \varphi(z, \xi) dz, \quad \text{approximate flux on the diamond cell}$$

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or

$$\begin{aligned} -\operatorname{div}_{\mathcal{K}}^T (\varphi_{\mathcal{D}}(\nabla_{\mathcal{D}}^T u^T)) &= \int_{\mathcal{K}} f(z) dz, \quad \forall \mathcal{K} \in \mathfrak{M}, \\ -\operatorname{div}_{\mathcal{K}^*}^T (\varphi_{\mathcal{D}}(\nabla_{\mathcal{D}}^T u^T)) &= \int_{\mathcal{K}^*} f(z) dz, \quad \forall \mathcal{K}^* \in \mathfrak{M}^*, \end{aligned}$$

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THE STANDARD DDFV SCHEME

Thanks to a Green formulae we have :

↪ Variational formulation (**discrete duality**) :

$$2 \sum_{\mathcal{D} \in \mathfrak{D}} |\mathcal{D}| (\varphi_{\mathcal{D}}(\nabla_{\mathcal{D}}^T u^T), \nabla_{\mathcal{D}}^T v^T) = \int_{\Omega} f v^{\mathfrak{m}} dz + \int_{\Omega} f v^{\mathfrak{m}*} dz, \quad \forall v^T \in \mathbb{R}^T.$$

CONSEQUENCES

- ▶ Existence and uniqueness of a solution to the scheme (**monotonicity**).
- ▶ Variational structure preserved if $\varphi = \nabla_{\xi} \Phi$.

CONVERGENCE OF DDFV SCHEME

THEOREM

Let $f \in L^p(\Omega)$ and \mathcal{T}_n a family of meshes such that $\text{size}(\mathcal{T}_n)$ tends to 0 with

$$\text{reg}(\mathcal{T}_n) = \max \left(\max_{\mathcal{D} \in \mathfrak{D}} \frac{d_{\mathcal{D}}}{\sqrt{|\mathcal{D}|}}, \max_{\mathcal{K} \in \mathfrak{M}} \frac{d_{\mathcal{K}}}{\sqrt{|\mathcal{K}|}}, \max_{\mathcal{K}^* \in \mathfrak{M}^*} \frac{d_{\mathcal{K}^*}}{\sqrt{|\mathcal{K}^*|}}, \dots \right)$$

bounded. Then

- ▶ $u^{\mathcal{T}_n} \xrightarrow[n \rightarrow \infty]{} u_e$ strongly in $L^p(\Omega)$.
- ▶ $\nabla^{\mathcal{T}_n} u^{\mathcal{T}_n} \xrightarrow[n \rightarrow \infty]{} \nabla u_e$ strongly in $L^p(\Omega)$.
- ▶ $\varphi(\cdot, u^{\mathcal{T}_n}) \xrightarrow[n \rightarrow \infty]{} \varphi(\cdot, u_e)$ strongly in $L^p(\Omega)$.

ERROR ESTIMATES FOR THE DDFV SCHEME

REGULAR COEFFICIENTS

- ▶ The laplacian (i.e. φ is linear with $p = 2$) :

Domelevo & Omnès (M²AN, 05)

⇒ Estimate in $O(h)$ under few restrictions on the meshes.

- ▶ General case :

Andreianov, Boyer & H. (Num. Meth. for PDEs, 07)

THEOREM

If $u_e \in W^{2,p}(\Omega)$ and if

$$\varphi \text{ is Lip. for all } \Omega, \text{ with } \left| \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial z}(z, \xi) \right| \leq C_\varphi (1 + |\xi|^{p-1}), \quad \forall \xi \in \mathbb{R}^2, \quad (\mathcal{H}_5)$$

then

$$\|u_e - u^{\text{m}}\|_{L^p} + \|u_e - u^{\text{m}*}\|_{L^p} + \|\nabla u_e - \nabla^T u^T\|_{L^p} \leq C \text{size}(\mathcal{T})^{\frac{1}{p-1}}.$$

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(F. Boyer & F. H., preprint, 06)

If φ is discontinuous with respect to z

- ▶ u_e **does not** belong to $W^{2,p}(\Omega)$.
- ▶ The consistency is lost along the discontinuity.
- ▶ The DDFV scheme converges but slowly.

WE ASSUME THAT φ IS PIECEWISE LIPSCHITZ CONTINUOUS.

We modify the DDFV scheme in order to recover the consistency.

THE PROBLEM IN 1D

$$\Omega =] - 1, 1[, \varphi(x, \cdot) = \begin{cases} \varphi_-(\cdot), & \text{if } x < 0, \\ \varphi_+(\cdot), & \text{if } x > 0. \end{cases}$$

$$-\partial_x(\varphi(x, \partial_x u_e)) = f \text{ in } \Omega \iff \begin{cases} -\partial_x(\varphi_-(\partial_x u_e)) = f, & \text{on }] - 1, 0[, \\ -\partial_x(\varphi_+(\partial_x u_e)) = f, & \text{on }]0, 1[, \\ \varphi_+(\partial_x u_e^+(0)) = \varphi_-(\partial_x u_e^-(0)). \end{cases}$$

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Let $x_0 = -1 < \dots < x_N = 0 < \dots < x_{N+M} = 1$ be a discretization of $[-1, 1]$. The finite volume scheme in 1D writes for $i \in \{0, N + M - 1\}$:

$$-F_{i+1} + F_i = \int_{x_i}^{x_{i+1}} f(x) dx. \quad (1)$$

with

$$F_i = \varphi(x_i, \nabla_i u^T), \quad \nabla_i u^T = \frac{u_{i+\frac{1}{2}} - u_{i-\frac{1}{2}}}{x_{i+\frac{1}{2}} - x_{i-\frac{1}{2}}}, \quad \forall i \neq N, \quad (2)$$

QUESTION : How to define F_N ?

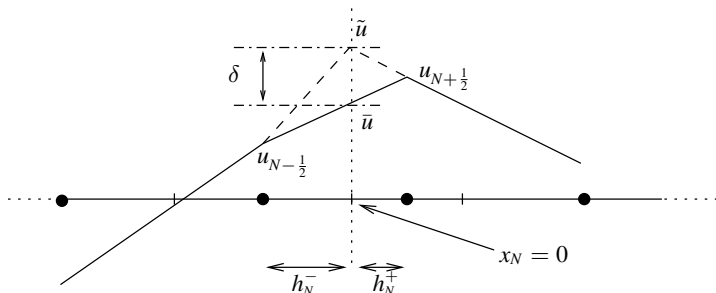
THE NEW GRADIENT 1D

We look for \tilde{u} such that

$$\nabla_N^+ u^T = \frac{u_{N+\frac{1}{2}} - \tilde{u}}{h_N^+}, \quad \nabla_N^- u^T = \frac{\tilde{u} - u_{N-\frac{1}{2}}}{h_N^-},$$

we have

$$\varphi_+(\nabla_N^+ u^T) = \varphi_-(\nabla_N^- u^T).$$



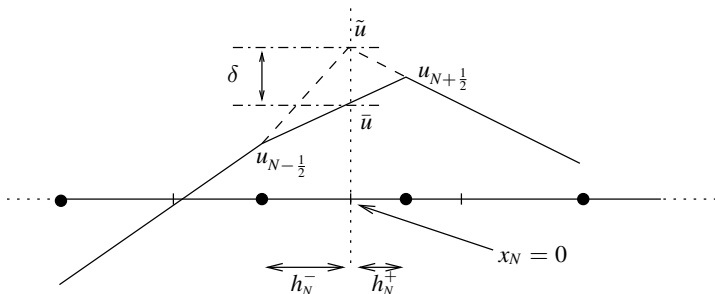
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In fact we can rewrite \tilde{u} as

$$\tilde{u} = \bar{u} + \delta, \quad \text{with } \bar{u} = \frac{h_N^- u_{N+\frac{1}{2}} + h_N^+ u_{N-\frac{1}{2}}}{h_N^- + h_N^+}.$$

so that

$$\nabla_N^+ u^T = \nabla_N u^T - \frac{\delta}{h_N^+}, \quad \text{and } \nabla_N^- u^T = \nabla_N u^T + \frac{\delta}{h_N^-}.$$



THE NEW GRADIENT IN 1D

THEOREM (CASE $p \geq 2$)

- ▶ For all $u^T \in \mathbb{R}^N$, there exists a unique δ such that

$$F_N \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \varphi_- \left(\nabla_N u^T + \frac{\delta}{h_N^-} \right) = \varphi_+ \left(\nabla_N u^T - \frac{\delta}{h_N^+} \right),$$

we note it $\delta_N(\nabla_N u^T)$.

- ▶ The new scheme admits a unique solution.
- ▶ The flux F_N is consistent with an error in $h_N^{\frac{1}{p-1}}$.

THE PROOF RELIES ON : Monotonicity, coercivity, ...

EXAMPLE

For a p-laplacian like equation :

$$\varphi_-(\xi) = k_- |\xi + G_-|^{p-2} (\xi + G_-),$$

$$\varphi_+(\xi) = k_+ |\xi + G_+|^{p-2} (\xi + G_+),$$

where $k_-, k_+ \in \mathbb{R}^+$ and $G_-, G_+ \in \mathbb{R}^2$. We obtain

$$F_N = \left(\frac{k_-^{\frac{1}{p-1}} k_+^{\frac{1}{p-1}} (h_N^- + h_N^+)}{h_N^+ k_-^{\frac{1}{p-1}} + h_N^- k_+^{\frac{1}{p-1}}} \right)^{p-1} |\nabla_N u^T + \bar{G}|^{p-2} (\nabla_N u^T + \bar{G}),$$

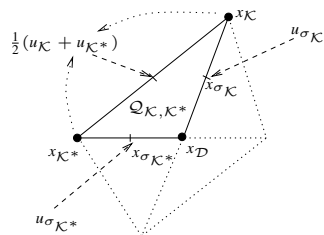
where \bar{G} is a weighted arithmetic mean value of G_- and G_+ defined by

$$\bar{G} = \frac{h_N^- G_- + h_N^+ G_+}{h_N^- + h_N^+}.$$

Warning : the expression of δ_N can not in general be explicited.

- ▶ $\nabla_D^{\mathcal{N}} u^T$ is constant on each quarter of diamond

$$\nabla_D^{\mathcal{N}} u^T = \sum_{Q \in \mathcal{Q}_D} 1_Q \nabla_Q^{\mathcal{N}} u^T,$$



$$\nabla_{Q_{K,K^*}}^{\mathcal{N}} u^T = \frac{2}{\sin \alpha_D} \left(\frac{u_{\sigma_{K^*}} - \frac{1}{2}(u_K + u_{K^*})}{|\sigma_K|} \mathbf{n}_{K\mathcal{L}} + \frac{u_{\sigma_K} - \frac{1}{2}(u_K + u_{K^*})}{|\sigma_{K^*}|} \mathbf{n}_{K^*\mathcal{L}^*} \right)$$

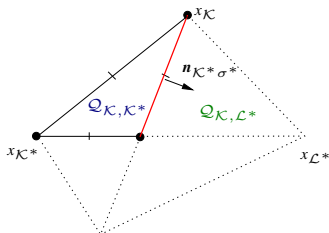
$$\rightsquigarrow \nabla_Q^{\mathcal{N}} u^T = \nabla_D^T u^T + B_Q \delta^D, \forall Q \subset D.$$

- ▶ B_Q is a 2×4 matrix that only depends on the geometry.
- ▶ δ^D are a family of new intermediate unknowns **to be determined**.

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$$(\varphi_{\mathcal{Q}_{K,K^*}} (\nabla_{\mathcal{D}}^T u^T + B_{\mathcal{Q}_{K,K^*}} \delta^{\mathcal{D}}), \mathbf{n}_{K^*\sigma^*}) = (\varphi_{\mathcal{Q}_{K,L^*}} (\nabla_{\mathcal{D}}^T u^T + B_{\mathcal{Q}_{K,L^*}} \delta^{\mathcal{D}}), \mathbf{n}_{K^*\sigma^*})$$

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PROPOSITION

For all $u^T \in \mathbb{R}^T$ and all diamond cell \mathcal{D} , there exists a **unique** $\delta^{\mathcal{D}} \in \mathbb{R}^4$ that ensures the conservativity condition.

THE M-DDFV SCHEME

We change the approximate flux of the DDFV scheme :

$$\varphi_{\mathcal{D}}(\nabla_{\mathcal{D}}^T u^T) = \frac{1}{|\mathcal{D}|} \int_{\mathcal{D}} \varphi(z, \nabla_{\mathcal{D}}^T u^T) dz,$$

by

$$\varphi_{\mathcal{D}}^{\mathcal{N}}(\nabla_{\mathcal{D}}^T u^T) = \frac{1}{|\mathcal{D}|} \sum_{\mathcal{Q} \in \mathcal{Q}_{\mathcal{D}}} |\mathcal{Q}| \varphi_{\mathcal{Q}}(\underbrace{\nabla_{\mathcal{D}}^T u^T + B_{\mathcal{Q}} \delta^{\mathcal{D}}(\nabla_{\mathcal{D}}^T u^T)}_{=\nabla_{\mathcal{Q}}^{\mathcal{N}} u^T}),$$

DISCRETE DUALITY FORMULATION ON THE DIAMOND CELLS

$$2 \sum_{\mathcal{D} \in \mathcal{D}} |\mathcal{D}| (\varphi_{\mathcal{D}}^{\mathcal{N}}(\nabla_{\mathcal{D}}^T u^T), \nabla_{\mathcal{D}}^T v^T) = \int_{\Omega} f v^{\mathfrak{m}} dz + \int_{\Omega} f v^{\mathfrak{m}*} dz, \quad \forall v^T \in \mathbb{R}^T. \quad (3)$$

EXAMPLE

If φ is :

- ▶ **linear** i.e. $\varphi(z, \xi) = A(z)\xi$.
- ▶ **constant on primal cells**, $A(z) = A_{\mathcal{K}}$ sur \mathcal{K} .

We find the schemes proposed in **Hermeline (03)** for which all the computations can be done **explicitly**.

- $A(z) = \lambda(z)\text{Id}$, λ constant on the primal cells, $\alpha_{\mathcal{D}} = \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$(\varphi_{\mathcal{D}}^{\mathcal{N}}, \boldsymbol{\nu}) = \frac{\lambda_{\mathcal{K}} \lambda_{\mathcal{L}}}{\frac{|\sigma_{\mathcal{K}}|}{|\sigma_{\mathcal{K}}| + |\sigma_{\mathcal{L}}|} \lambda_{\mathcal{K}} + \frac{|\sigma_{\mathcal{L}}|}{|\sigma_{\mathcal{K}}| + |\sigma_{\mathcal{L}}|} \lambda_{\mathcal{L}}} \frac{u_{\mathcal{L}} - u_{\mathcal{K}}}{|\sigma_{\mathcal{K}}| + |\sigma_{\mathcal{L}}|},$$

$$(\varphi_{\mathcal{D}}^{\mathcal{N}}, \boldsymbol{\nu}^*) = \left(\frac{|\sigma_{\mathcal{K}^*}|}{|\sigma_{\mathcal{K}^*}| + |\sigma_{\mathcal{L}^*}|} \lambda_{\mathcal{K}} + \frac{|\sigma_{\mathcal{L}^*}|}{|\sigma_{\mathcal{K}^*}| + |\sigma_{\mathcal{L}^*}|} \lambda_{\mathcal{L}} \right) \frac{u_{\mathcal{L}^*} - u_{\mathcal{K}^*}}{|\sigma_{\mathcal{K}^*}| + |\sigma_{\mathcal{L}^*}|}.$$

PROPERTIES OF THE M-DDFV SCHEME

The scheme finally can be written as

$$\mathcal{F} \left(\left(\nabla_{\mathcal{D}}^T u^T + B_{\mathcal{Q}} \delta^{\mathcal{D}}(\nabla_{\mathcal{D}}^T u^T) \right)_{\mathcal{Q} \in \Omega} \right) = \text{sources terms},$$

with on each diamond cells

$$\delta^{\mathcal{D}}(\xi) = \mathcal{G}_{\xi}^{-1}(0).$$

THEOREM (CASE $p > 2$)

- ▶ The scheme m-DDFV admits a **unique** solution u^T .
- ▶ If φ piecewise smooth and if u_e is smooth *on each quarter of diamond* \mathcal{Q} , we have

$$\|u_e - u^T\|_{L^p} + \|\nabla u_e - \nabla^{\mathcal{N}} u^T\|_{L^p} \leq C h^{\frac{1}{p-1}}.$$

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If φ derives from a potential Φ

$$\begin{cases} \varphi(z, \xi) &= \nabla_{\xi} \Phi(z, \xi), \text{ for all } \xi \in \mathbb{R}^2 \text{ a.e. } z \in \Omega, \\ \Phi(z, 0) &= 0, \text{ a. e. } z \in \Omega. \end{cases}$$

PROPOSITION

The solution u^T of the (3) is the unique minimum of

$$J^T(v^T) = 2 \sum_{\mathcal{D} \in \mathfrak{D}} \sum_{\mathcal{Q} \in \Omega_{\mathcal{D}}} |\mathcal{Q}| \Phi_{\mathcal{Q}}(\nabla_{\mathcal{Q}}^N v^T) - \sum_{\mathcal{K}} |\kappa| f_{\mathcal{K}} v_{\mathcal{K}} - \sum_{\mathcal{K}^*} |\kappa^*| f_{\mathcal{K}^*} v_{\mathcal{K}^*}, \quad \forall v^T \in \mathbb{R}^T$$

with $\Phi_{\mathcal{Q}}(\cdot) = \int_{\mathcal{Q}} \Phi(z, \cdot) dz.$

REMARKS ON THE POTENTIAL CASE

PROPOSITION

$(u^T, (\delta^D(\nabla_D^T u^T))_D)$ is the unique minimum of the functional

$$J^{T,\Delta}(v^T, \tilde{\delta}) = 2 \sum_{D \in \mathfrak{D}} \sum_{Q \in \mathfrak{Q}_D} |Q| \Phi_Q(\nabla_D^T v^T + B_Q \tilde{\delta}^D) - \sum_{\kappa} |\kappa| f_{\kappa} v_{\kappa} - \sum_{\kappa^*} |\kappa^*| f_{\kappa^*} v_{\kappa^*}, \quad \forall v^T \in \mathbb{R}^T, \forall \tilde{\delta} \in \Delta.$$

A DÉCOMPOSITION-COORDINATION ALGORITHM

NON QUADRATIC FUNCTIONAL (see Glowinsky & al.)

Let $\mathcal{A} = (A_{\mathcal{Q}})_{\mathcal{Q} \in \Omega}$ be a family of 2×2 positive definite matrices.

$$\begin{aligned} L_{\mathcal{A}}^{T, \Delta}(v^T, \tilde{\delta}, g, \lambda) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} & 2 \sum_{\mathcal{Q} \in \Omega} |\mathcal{Q}| \Phi_{\mathcal{Q}}(g_{\mathcal{Q}}) - \sum_{\mathcal{K}} |\mathcal{K}| f_{\mathcal{K}} v_{\mathcal{K}} - \sum_{\mathcal{K}^*} |\mathcal{K}^*| f_{\mathcal{K}^*} v_{\mathcal{K}^*} \\ & + 2 \sum_{\mathcal{Q} \in \Omega} |\mathcal{Q}| (\lambda_{\mathcal{Q}}, g_{\mathcal{Q}} - \nabla_{\mathcal{D}}^T v^T - B_{\mathcal{Q}} \tilde{\delta}^{\mathcal{D}}) \\ & + \sum_{\mathcal{Q} \in \Omega} |\mathcal{Q}| \left(A_{\mathcal{Q}} (g_{\mathcal{Q}} - \nabla_{\mathcal{D}}^T v^T - B_{\mathcal{Q}} \tilde{\delta}^{\mathcal{D}}), (g_{\mathcal{Q}} - \nabla_{\mathcal{D}}^T v^T - B_{\mathcal{Q}} \tilde{\delta}^{\mathcal{D}}) \right), \end{aligned}$$

$$\forall v^T \in \mathbb{R}^T, \forall \tilde{\delta} \in \Delta, \forall g, \lambda \in (\mathbb{R}^2)^{\Omega}.$$

THEOREM

The solution u^T of the m -DDFV scheme is obtained from the unique saddle-point of the lagrangian $L_{\mathcal{A}}^{T, \Delta}$.

REMARK : Standart choice of the augmentation parameter : $A_{\mathcal{Q}} = r \text{Id}$.

THE ALGORITHM

- Step 1 : Find $(u^{T,n}, \delta_{\mathcal{D}}^n)$ solution of

$$2 \sum_{Q \in \Omega} |Q| \left(A_Q (\nabla_{\mathcal{D}}^T u^{T,n} + B_Q \delta_{\mathcal{D}}^n - g_Q^{n-1}), \nabla_{\mathcal{D}}^T v^T \right) \\ = \sum_{\mathcal{K}} |\mathcal{K}| f_{\mathcal{K}} v_{\mathcal{K}} + \sum_{\mathcal{K}^*} |\mathcal{K}^*| f_{\mathcal{K}^*} v_{\mathcal{K}^*} + 2 \sum_{Q \in \Omega} |Q| (\lambda_Q^{n-1}, \nabla_{\mathcal{D}}^T v), \quad \forall v^T \in \mathbb{R}^T. \\ \sum_{Q \in \Omega_{\mathcal{D}}} |Q| B_Q A_Q (B_Q \delta_{\mathcal{D}}^n + \nabla_{\mathcal{D}}^T u^{T,n} - g_Q^{n-1}) - \sum_{Q \in \Omega_{\mathcal{D}}} |Q| B_Q \lambda_Q^{n-1} = 0, \quad \forall \mathcal{D} \in \mathfrak{D}.$$

- Step 2 : On each Q , find g_Q^n solution of

$$\varphi_Q(g_Q^n) + \lambda_Q^{n-1} + A_Q(g_Q^n - \nabla_{\mathcal{D}}^T u^{T,n} - B_Q \delta_{\mathcal{D}}^n) = 0.$$

- Step 3 : On each Q compute λ_Q^n as

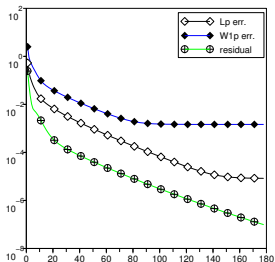
$$\lambda_Q^n = \lambda_Q^{n-1} + A_Q(g_Q^n - \nabla_{\mathcal{D}}^T u^{T,n} - B_Q \delta_{\mathcal{D}}^n).$$

CONVERGENCE OF THE ITERATIVE METHOD

THEOREM

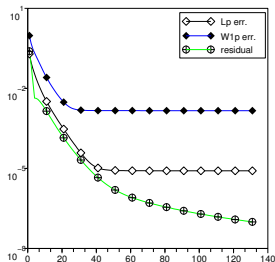
For all family of augmentation parameter \mathcal{A} , the previous algorithm converges towards the unique solution of the m -DDFV scheme.

The algorithm is still valid in the **non-potential** case.



isotropic augmentation

$$A_Q = r \text{ Id.}$$



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A_Q adapted to the problem

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$$-\operatorname{div}(A(z)\nabla u_e) = f$$

$$A(z_1, z_2) = \frac{1}{|z|^2} \begin{pmatrix} z_1^2 + \delta z_2^2 & (1 - \delta)z_1 z_2 \\ (1 - \delta)z_1 z_2 & \delta z_1^2 + z_2^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

For $u_e(x, y) = \sin(\pi x) \sin(\pi y)$. For the **DDFV scheme**

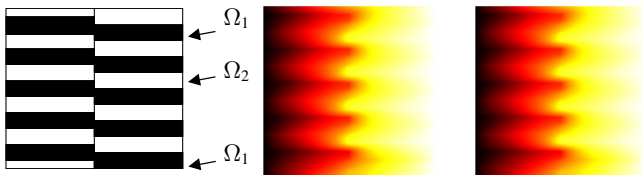
| δ | Order L^2 rectangle | Order H^1 rectangle | Order L^2 triangle | Order H^1 triangle |
|-----------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| 2 | 2.01 | 1.95 | 2.0 | 1.0 |
| 10^{-1} | 2.03 | 1.91 | 2.0 | 1.0 |
| 10^{-3} | 1.88 | 1.64 | 2.0 | 1.0 |

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Non admissible coarse mesh Mesh 320×320

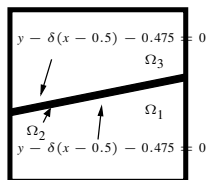
COMPARISON OF DDFV AND M-DDFV SCHEMES

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$$-\operatorname{div}(A(z)\nabla u_e) = f$$

$$A = R_\theta \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & 0 \\ 0 & \beta \end{pmatrix} R_\theta^{-1}, \delta = 0.2, u_e(x, y) = -x - \delta, \delta = \tan \theta$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \alpha \\ \beta \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 10^2 \\ 10 \end{pmatrix} \text{ on } \Omega_2, \quad \begin{pmatrix} \alpha \\ \beta \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 10^{-1} \end{pmatrix} \text{ on } \Omega_1 \cup \Omega_3.$$



Mesh following the discontinuity : 210 quadrangles

- The DDFV scheme

$$erl2 \sim 1.18 \times 10^{-3}, \quad ergradl2 \sim 1.33 \times 10^{-2}$$

- The m-DDFV scheme is exact :

$$erl2 \sim 5.45 \times 10^{-16}, \quad ergradl2 \sim 3.88 \times 10^{-15}$$

OTHER APPLICATION

FLOWS IN FRACTURED POROUS MEDIA (GDR MOMAS)

$$\begin{cases} \operatorname{div} v = 0, & \text{Mass conservation,} \\ v = -\mathbf{K}\nabla p, & \text{Darcy law.} \end{cases}$$

Porous media : $\mathbf{K} = \operatorname{Id}$.

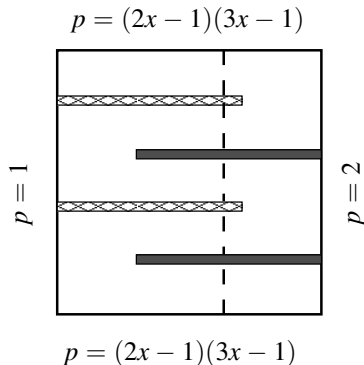
Fractures (Left) : $\mathbf{K} = 10^{-2}\operatorname{Id}$.

Fractures (Right) :

$$\mathbf{K} = \begin{pmatrix} 10^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 10^{-2} \end{pmatrix}.$$

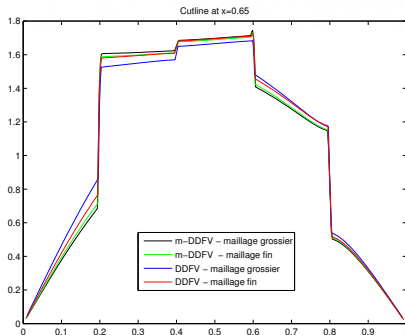
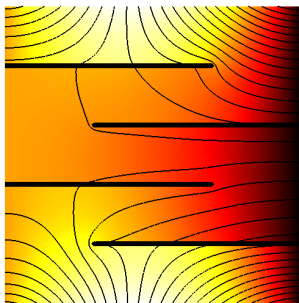
Domain $\Omega =]0, 1[^2$

Aperture of the fractures : 10^{-2}



OTHER APPLICATION

CUTLINES OF THE PRESSION



Coarse mesh : 17760 cells

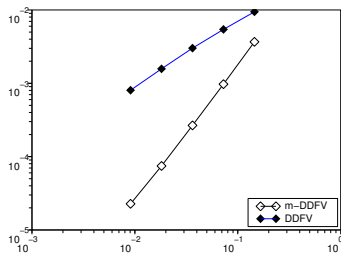
Fine mesh : 68160 cells

NONLINEAR PROBLEMS

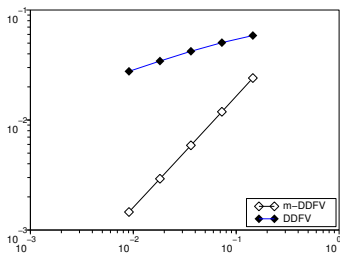
THE M-DDFV FOR A NONLINEAR TRANSMISSION PROBLEM

$$\begin{cases} \text{if } z_1 < 0.5, & \varphi(z, \xi) = |\xi|^{p-2}\xi, \\ \text{if } z_1 > 0.5, & \varphi(z, \xi) = (A\xi, \xi)^{\frac{p-2}{2}} A\xi, \text{ with } A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 \end{pmatrix}. \end{cases}$$

ILLUSTRATION FOR $p=3.0$



Error in L^∞ - orders 1.71 and 0.97



Error in $W^{1,p}$ - orders 1.0 and 0.3

NONLINEAR PROBLEMS

MORE GENERAL TRANSMISSION PROBLEMS

$\Omega = \Omega_1 \cup \Omega_2$ with $\Omega_1 =]0, 0.5[\times]0, 1[$ and $\Omega_2 =]0.5[\times]0, 1[$

$$\varphi(z, \xi) = |\xi|^{p_i-2} \xi \text{ on } \Omega_i$$

$$u_e(x, y) = \begin{cases} x \left(\left(\lambda^{\frac{p_2-1}{p_1-1}} - 1 \right) (2x-1) + 1 \right) & \text{for } x \leq 0.5 \\ (1-x) \left((1+\lambda)(2x-1) + 1 \right) & \text{for } x \geq 0.5 \end{cases}$$

↪ Large discontinuities of the gradients along the interface

For $p_1 = 2, p_2 = 4$

| h | DDFV $L^p(\Omega)$ | m-DDFV $L^p(\Omega)$ | DDFV $W^{1,p}(\Omega)$ | m-DDFV $W^{1,p}(\Omega)$ |
|----------|-----------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 7.25E-02 | 4.70E-01 | 3.61E-02 | 2.5E+01 | 1.41 |
| 3.63E-02 | 2.36E-01 | 9.14E-02 | 2.03E+01 | 6.62E-01 |
| 1.81E-02 | 1.19E-01 | 2.24E-03 | 1.65E+01 | 3.11E-01 |
| 9.07E-03 | 6.01E-02 | 4.46E-04 | 1.34E+01 | 1.47E-01 |
| order | 0.98 | 2.11 | 0.30 | 1.08 |

CONCLUSIONS

- ▶ The approach DDFV or m-DDFV allows the use of a large variety of meshes and of elliptic operators.
- ▶ The structure of the continuous problem is preserved so that it can be successfully used for nonlinear problems.
- ▶ In case of discontinuous coefficients, a good convergence order is recovered by the use of the m-DDFV scheme.
- ▶ We derive an efficient nonlinear algorithm to solve such schemes.
- ▶ We can couple a linear operator with a non linear ones.
- ▶ Drawback : the maximum principle is not fulfilled.

CONCLUSIONS

OTHER WORKS ON DDFV SCHEMES

- ▶ More general boundary conditions (Neumann, Fourier) S. Krell, master report 2007.
- ▶ Coupling with a domain decomposition method S. Krell, master report 2007.
- ▶ Extension to 3D Works on Hermeline or Andreianov and *all* or with Y. Coudière *et all*.
- ▶ Extension to the div – rot problem and to the Stokes problem Works of S. Delcourte, P. Omnès and *all*.

CONCLUSIONS

PERSPECTIVES

- ▶ Boundary condition of Ventcel type and coupling with a domain decomposition algorithm **Work in progress with L. Halpern.**
- ▶ Extension to nonlinear stokes equations, **PHD thesis of Stella Krell.**
- ▶ Nonlinear tests functions to recover the maximum principle.
- ▶ Optimal strategy for the choice of the augmentation parameter.
- ▶ Error estimates in the case where the regularity of the solution is only of Besov type.

Thank you !