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A *non-overlapping DDM* with *PML transmission conditions* and *checkerboard partitions* for Helmholtz problems

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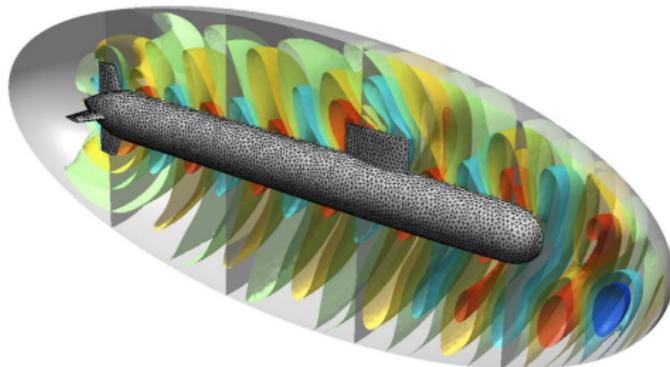
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Exemple: Scattering problem

Figure from Boubendir-Antoine-Geuzaine 2012



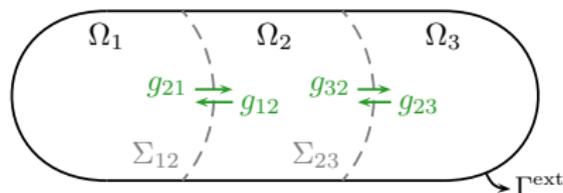
Helmholtz problem with exterior ABC

$$\text{Find } u \in H^1(\Omega) \text{ such that } \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} -\Delta u - k^2 u = 0 & \text{on } \Omega \\ \partial_{\mathbf{n}} u + \mathcal{T}^{\text{ext}} u = 0 & \text{on } \Gamma^{\text{ext}} \\ \partial_{\mathbf{n}} u = g & \text{on } \Gamma^{\text{int}} \end{array} \right.$$

 $\mathcal{T}^{\text{ext}} = \text{DtN operator}$
 (boundary)

Finite-element approach \implies $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Large sparse linear system} \\ \text{Slow convergence with standard iterative solvers} \end{array} \right.$

Non-overlapping domain decomposition — Layered partition



\mathcal{T}_{IJ} = DtN operator
(interface)

with $g_{IJ} = \partial_{\mathbf{n}_I} u_J + \mathcal{T}_{IJ} u_J$

Which transmission operator \mathcal{T}_{IJ} at the interfaces?

- Ideal operator \rightarrow DtN related to the complementary of each subdomain
- Good operators \rightarrow Operators used for artificial/absorbing boundary conditions

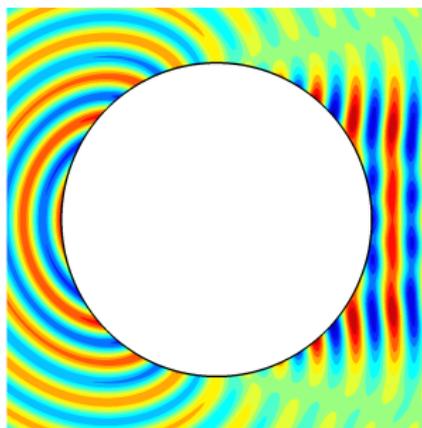
[e.g. Hagstrom-Tewarson-Jazcilevich 1988, Nataf-Rogier-de Sturler 1994]

Current approaches (*references for Helmholtz*):

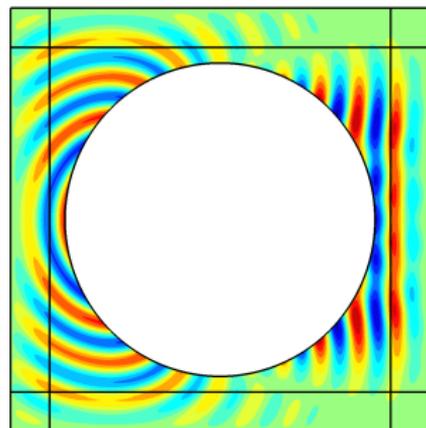
[e.g. Gander-Zhang 2019]

- Impedance conditions [Després 1991, Gander-Magoulès-Nataf 2002, Boubendir 2007 ...]
- 2nd-order conditions [Gander et al 2002, Boubendir et al 2008, Després-Nicolopoulos-Thierry 2021 ...]
- High-order conditions / HABCs [Boubendir-Antoine-Geuzaine 2012, Kim-Zhang 2015 ...]
- Perfectly matched layers / PMLs [Stolk 2013, Vion-Geuzaine 2014 ...]
- Non-local approaches [Lecouvez et al 2014, Claeys-Parolin 2020 ...]

PMLs for DD preconditioning: [Tosseli 1998, Schädle-Zschiedrich 2007]

Original **scattering problem**

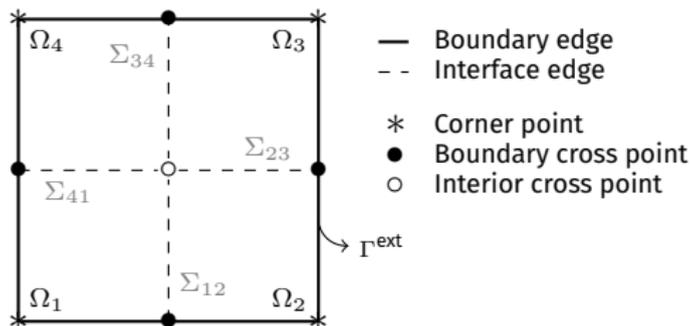
$$\left\{ \begin{array}{ll} -\Delta u - k^2 u = 0 & \text{in } \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \Omega^{\text{disk}} \\ \text{Sommerfeld B.C.} & \text{at } \|\mathbf{x}\| \rightarrow \infty \\ \partial_{\mathbf{n}} u = g & \text{on } \Gamma^{\text{int}} \end{array} \right.$$

Finite element solution
with **Perfectly Matched Layer (PML)**

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{ll} -\nabla \cdot (\mathbb{D} \nabla u) - Ek^2 u = 0 & \text{in } \Omega_{\text{all}} \\ \mathbf{n} \cdot (\mathbb{D} \nabla u) = 0 & \text{on } \Gamma_{\text{all}}^{\text{ext}} \\ \partial_{\mathbf{n}} u = g & \text{on } \Gamma_{\text{all}}^{\text{int}} \end{array} \right.$$

Material scalar/tensor fields: E and \mathbb{D}

Non-overlapping domain decomposition — Checkerboard partition



Strategies for/with cross points (*specific for the Helmholtz equation*):

- Impedance conditions [Farhat et al 2020, Boubendir-Bendali-Fares 2008, ...]
- 2nd-order conditions [Després-Nicolopoulos-Thierry 2021, 2022, ...]
- High-order conditions / HABCs [Modave-Royer-Antoine-Geuzaine 2022]
- **Perfectly matched layers / PMLs [Royer-Geuzaine-Béchet-Modave 2022]** ← This talk
- Non-local approaches [Zepeda-Núñez-Demanet 2016, Claeys et al 2021, Claeys-Parolin 2022 ...]

PMLs for DD preconditioning for checkerboard partitions: [Astaneh-Guddati 2016, Leng-Ju 2019]

Challenges in this talk {

- Writing the PML as a DtN transmission operator
- PML as a transmission operator for checkerboard partitions
- Discretization aspects

DDM iterative process

The PML as a DtN operator

Finite element discretization

Numerical results

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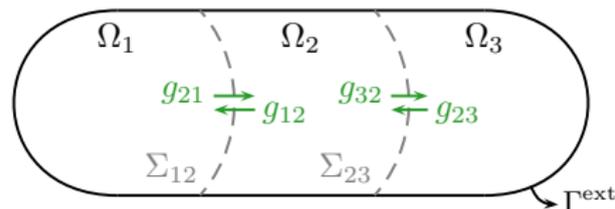
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Helmholtz problem

Find $u(\mathbf{x})$ with $\mathbf{x} \in \Omega$ s.t.

$$\begin{cases} -\Delta u - k^2 u = f & \text{in } \Omega \\ \partial_{\mathbf{n}} u - iku = 0 & \text{on } \Gamma^{\text{ext}} \end{cases}$$



DDM iterative process (substructuring method – non-overlapping partition)

For each Ω_I , find $u_I^{\ell+1}(\mathbf{x})$ with $\mathbf{x} \in \Omega_I$ s.t.

$$\begin{cases} -\Delta u_I^{\ell+1} - k^2 u_I^{\ell+1} = f & \text{in } \Omega_I \\ \partial_{\mathbf{n}_I} u_I^{\ell+1} - iku_I^{\ell+1} = 0 & \text{on } \partial\Omega_I \cap \Gamma^{\text{ext}} \rightarrow \text{Exterior boundary condition} \\ \partial_{\mathbf{n}_I} u_I^{\ell+1} + \mathcal{T}_{IJ} u_I^{\ell+1} = g_{IJ}^{\ell} & \text{on each } \Sigma_{IJ} \rightarrow \text{Transmission condition} \end{cases}$$

Data transfer at the interfaces

Transmission variables:

$$\begin{aligned} g_{IJ}^{\ell+1} &:= \partial_{\mathbf{n}_I} u_I^{\ell} + \mathcal{T}_{IJ} u_I^{\ell} \\ &= -g_{JI}^{\ell} + 2\mathcal{T}_{IJ} u_J^{\ell} \end{aligned}$$

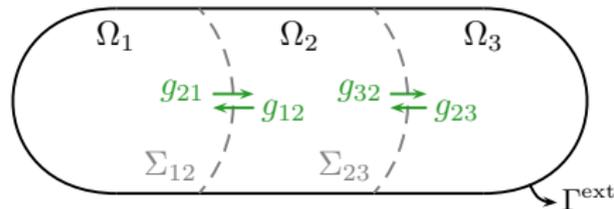
DtN operator: \mathcal{T}_{IJ}

$\ell++$

Helmholtz problem

Find $u(\mathbf{x})$ with $\mathbf{x} \in \Omega$ s.t.

$$\begin{cases} -\Delta u - k^2 u = f & \text{in } \Omega \\ \partial_{\mathbf{n}} u - ik u = 0 & \text{on } \Gamma^{\text{ext}} \end{cases}$$



DDM iterative process with impedance operator

For each Ω_I , find $u_I^{\ell+1}(\mathbf{x})$ with $\mathbf{x} \in \Omega_I$ s.t.

$$\begin{cases} -\Delta u_I^{\ell+1} - k^2 u_I^{\ell+1} = f & \text{in } \Omega_I \\ \partial_{\mathbf{n}_I} u_I^{\ell+1} - ik u_I^{\ell+1} = 0 & \text{on } \partial\Omega_I \cap \Gamma^{\text{ext}} \rightarrow \text{Exterior boundary condition} \\ \partial_{\mathbf{n}_I} u_I^{\ell+1} - ik u_I^{\ell+1} = g_{IJ}^{\ell} & \text{on each } \Sigma_{IJ} \rightarrow \text{Transmission condition} \end{cases}$$

Data transfer at the interfaces

Transmission variables:

$$\begin{aligned} g_{IJ}^{\ell+1} &:= \partial_{\mathbf{n}_I} u_J^{\ell} - ik u_J^{\ell} \\ &= -g_{JI}^{\ell} - 2ik u_J^{\ell} \end{aligned}$$

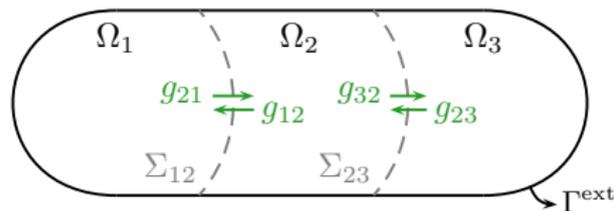
DtN operator: $\mathcal{T}_{IJ} = -ik$

$\ell++$

Helmholtz problem

Find $u(\mathbf{x})$ with $\mathbf{x} \in \Omega$ s.t.

$$\begin{cases} -\Delta u - k^2 u = f & \text{in } \Omega \\ \partial_{\mathbf{n}} u - ik u = 0 & \text{on } \Gamma^{\text{ext}} \end{cases}$$



DDM iterative process with high-order operator based on Padé-type HABC

For each Ω_I , find $u_I^{\ell+1}(\mathbf{x})$ with $\mathbf{x} \in \Omega_I$ s.t.

$$\begin{cases} -\Delta u_I^{\ell+1} - k^2 u_I^{\ell+1} = f & \text{in } \Omega_I \\ \partial_{\mathbf{n}_I} u_I^{\ell+1} - ik u_I^{\ell+1} = 0 & \text{on } \partial\Omega_I \cap \Gamma^{\text{ext}} \\ \partial_{\mathbf{n}_I} u_I^{\ell+1} - ik(u_J^{\ell+1} + \frac{2}{M} \sum_{n=1}^N c_n(u_J^{\ell+1} + \varphi_n|_{JJ}^{\ell+1})) = g_{IJ}^{\ell} & \text{on each } \Sigma_{IJ} \\ \Delta_{\Sigma} \varphi_n|_{IJ}^{\ell+1} + k^2(c_n + 1)(\varphi_n|_{IJ}^{\ell+1} + u_I^{\ell+1}) = 0 & \text{on each } \Sigma_{IJ}, \forall n \end{cases}$$

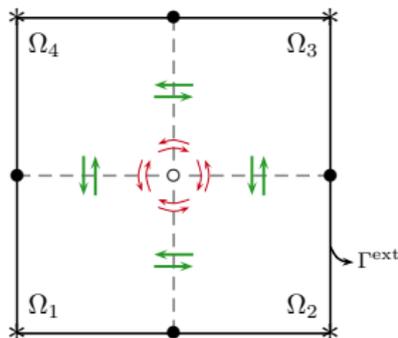
Data transfer at the interfaces

Helmholtz problem

Find $u(\mathbf{x})$ with $\mathbf{x} \in \Omega$ s.t.

$$\begin{cases} -\Delta u - k^2 u = f & \text{in } \Omega \\ \partial_{\mathbf{n}} u - iku = 0 & \text{on } \Gamma^{\text{ext}} \end{cases}$$

[Modave-Royer-Antoine-Geuzaine, 2020]



DDM iterative process with high-order operator

For each Ω_I , find $u_I^{\ell+1}(\mathbf{x})$ with $\mathbf{x} \in \Omega_I$ s.t.

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{ll} -\Delta u_I^{\ell+1} - k^2 u_I^{\ell+1} = f & \text{in } \Omega_I \\ \partial_{\mathbf{n}_I} u_I^{\ell+1} - iku_I^{\ell+1} = 0 & \text{on } \partial\Omega_I \cap \Gamma^{\text{ext}} \\ \partial_{\mathbf{n}_I} u_I^{\ell+1} - ik(u_J^{\ell+1} + \frac{2}{M} \sum_{n=1}^N c_n (u_J^{\ell+1} + \varphi_n|_{JI}^{\ell+1})) = g_{IJ}^\ell & \text{on each } \Sigma_{IJ} \\ \Delta_{\Sigma} \varphi_n|_{IJ}^{\ell+1} + k^2((\alpha^2 c_n + 1)\varphi_n|_{IJ}^{\ell+1} + \alpha^2(c_n + 1)u_I^{\ell+1}) = 0 & \text{on each } \Sigma_{IJ}, \forall n \\ \partial_{\tau_{IJ}} \varphi_n|_{IJ}^{\ell+1} - ik\varphi_n|_{IJ}^{\ell+1} = 0 & \text{at each } \partial\Sigma_{IJ} \cap \Gamma^{\text{ext}}, \forall n \\ \partial_{\tau_{IJ}} \varphi_n|_{IJ}^{\ell+1} + \mathcal{T}_{\Sigma_{IJ'}} \varphi_n|_{IJ}^{\ell+1} = g_n|_{IJ}^\ell & \text{at each } \partial\Sigma_{IJ} \cap \partial\Sigma_{IJ'}, \forall n \end{array} \right.$$

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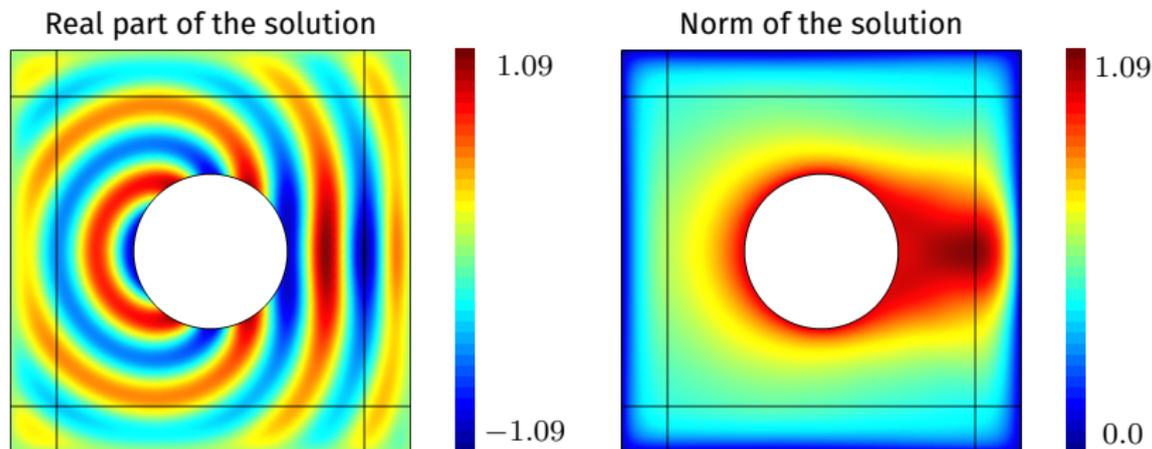
Helmholtz subproblem with PML

Find each $u_{\text{all}} \in H^1(\Omega_{\text{all}})$ such that

$$\begin{cases} -\nabla \cdot (\mathbb{D}\nabla u_{\text{all}}) - Ek^2 u_{\text{all}} = f & \text{in } \Omega_{\text{all}} \\ \mathbf{n} \cdot (\mathbb{D}\nabla u_{\text{all}}) = 0 & \text{on } \partial\Omega_{\text{all}} \end{cases}$$

where E and \mathbb{D} are material scalar/tensor fields.

Exemple with a Dirichlet BC on the disk



Helmholtz subproblem with PML

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with material tensor/scalar fields \mathbb{D} and E :

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{D}(x, y) &= \text{diag}(\gamma_y/\gamma_x, \gamma_x/\gamma_y) \\ E(x, y) &= \gamma_x \gamma_y \end{aligned}$$

with stretching functions $\gamma_x(x)$ and $\gamma_y(y)$ and absorption functions $\sigma_x(x)$ and $\sigma_y(y)$:

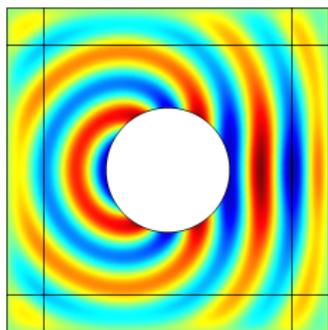
$$\begin{aligned} \gamma_x(x) &= 1 + \sigma_x(x)/\nu k & \sigma_x(x) &\geq 0 \\ \gamma_y(y) &= 1 + \sigma_y(y)/\nu k & \sigma_y(y) &\geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

Inside the truncated domain Ω : $\sigma_x = 0$; $\sigma_y = 0 \implies \mathbb{D} = \mathbb{I}$; $E = 1$

Variational formulation

Find each $u_{\text{all}} \in H^1(\Omega_{\text{all}})$ such that

$$\int_{\Omega_{\text{all}}} \nabla u_{\text{all}} \mathbb{D} \overline{\nabla v_{\text{all}}} \, d\Omega - \int_{\Omega_{\text{all}}} k^2 E u_{\text{all}} \overline{v_{\text{all}}} \, d\Omega = \int_{\Omega} f \overline{v_{\text{all}}} \, d\Omega, \quad \forall v_{\text{all}} \in H^1(\Omega_{\text{all}})$$



Helmholtz subproblem with PML (*decomposed version*)

- For the domain Ω :

$$\begin{cases} -\Delta u - k^2 u = f & \text{in } \Omega \\ \mathbf{n} \cdot \nabla u = \lambda_i & \text{on each } \Gamma_i \end{cases}$$

with $\lambda_i := \mathbf{n} \cdot \nabla u_i$.

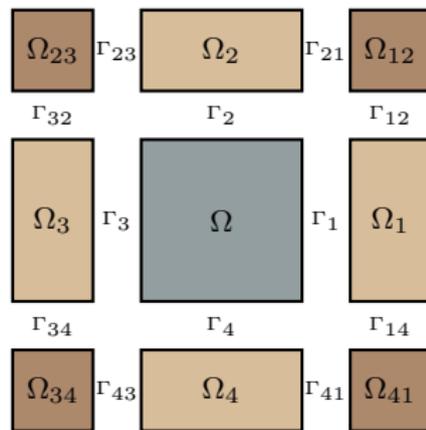
- For each edge PML Ω_i :

$$\begin{cases} -\nabla \cdot (\mathbb{D} \nabla u_i) - Ek^2 u_i = 0 & \text{in } \Omega_i \\ \mathbf{n} \cdot (\mathbb{D} \nabla u_i) = 0 & \text{on } \Gamma_i^{\text{ext}} \\ u_i = u & \text{on } \Gamma_i \\ \mathbf{n} \cdot (\mathbb{D} \nabla u_i) = \lambda_{ij} & \text{on each } \Gamma_{ij} \end{cases}$$

with $\lambda_{ij} := \mathbf{n} \cdot (\mathbb{D} \nabla u_{ij})$.

- For each corner PML Ω_{ij} :

$$\begin{cases} -\nabla \cdot (\mathbb{D} \nabla u_{ij}) - Ek^2 u_{ij} = 0 & \text{in } \Omega_{ij} \\ \mathbf{n} \cdot (\mathbb{D} \nabla u_{ij}) = 0 & \text{on } \Gamma_{ij}^{\text{ext}} \\ u_{ij} = u_i & \text{on } \Gamma_{ij} \\ u_{ij} = u_j & \text{on } \Gamma_{ji} \end{cases}$$



$$\Gamma_i := \Omega \cup \Omega_i$$

$$\Gamma_{ij} := \Omega_i \cup \Omega_{ij}$$

$$\Gamma_i^{\text{ext}} := \partial\Omega_i \cap \partial\Omega$$

$$\Gamma_{ij}^{\text{ext}} := \partial\Omega_{ij} \cap \partial\Omega$$

Helmholtz subproblem with PML (decomposed version)

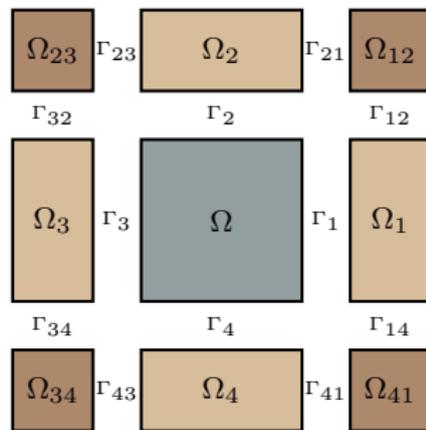
- For the domain Ω :

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with $\lambda_i := \mathbf{n} \cdot \nabla u_i$.

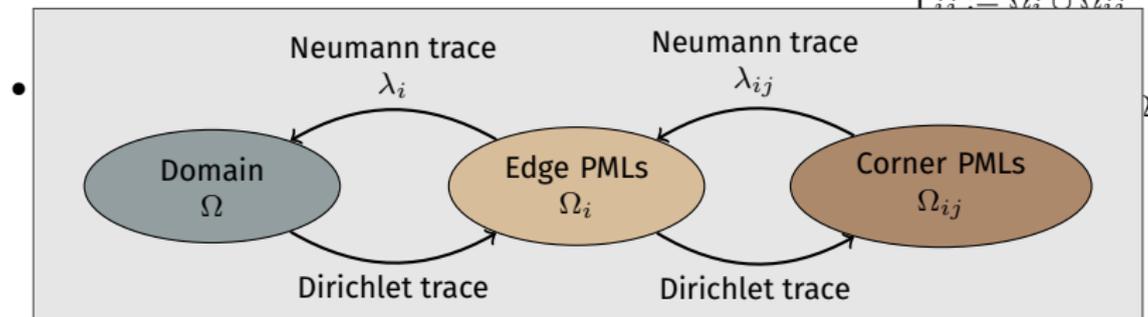
- For each edge PML Ω_i :

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$$\Gamma_i := \Omega \cup \Omega_i$$

$$\Gamma_{ij} := \Omega_i \cup \Omega_{ij}$$



Variational formulation with Lagrange multipliers

Find $u \in H^1(\Omega)$, $u_i \in H^1(\Omega_i)$, $u_{ij} \in H^1(\Omega_{ij})$

$$\lambda_i \in H^{-1/2}(\Gamma_i), \lambda_{ij} \in H^{-1/2}(\Gamma_{ij}) \quad \text{with } i, j = 1, \dots, 4$$

such that

- For the domain Ω , each edge PML Ω_i and each corner PML Ω_{ij} :

$$\int_{\Omega} \nabla u \cdot \overline{\nabla v} \, d\Omega - \int_{\Omega} k^2 u \bar{v} \, d\Omega - \int_{\Gamma_i} \lambda_i \bar{v} \, d\Gamma = \int_{\Omega} f \bar{v} \, d\Omega$$

$$\int_{\Omega_i} \nabla u_i \cdot \mathbb{D} \overline{\nabla v_i} \, d\Omega - \int_{\Omega_i} k^2 E u_i \bar{v}_i \, d\Omega + \int_{\Gamma_i} \lambda_i \bar{v}_i \, d\Gamma - \sum \int_{\Gamma_{ij}} \lambda_{ij} \bar{v}_i \, d\Gamma = 0$$

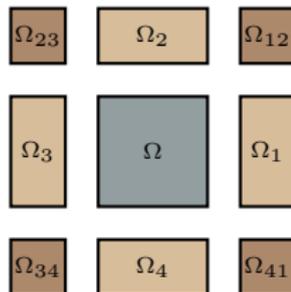
$$\int_{\Omega_{ij}} \nabla u_{ij} \cdot \mathbb{D} \overline{\nabla v_{ij}} \, d\Omega - \int_{\Omega_{ij}} k^2 E u_{ij} \bar{v}_{ij} \, d\Omega + \sum \int_{\Gamma_{ij}} \lambda_{ij} \bar{v}_{ij} \, d\Gamma = 0$$

for all $v \in H^1(\Omega)$, for all $v_i \in H^1(\Omega_i)$ and for all $v_{ij} \in H^1(\Omega_{ij})$.

- For each interface domain/PML Γ_i and each interface PML/PML Γ_{ij} :

$$\int_{\Gamma_i} (u_i - u) \overline{\mu_i} \, d\Gamma = 0 \qquad \int_{\Gamma_{ij}} (u_{ij} - u_i) \overline{\mu_{ij}} \, d\Gamma = 0$$

for all $\mu_i \in H^{-1/2}(\Gamma_i)$ and for all $\mu_{ij} \in H^{-1/2}(\Gamma_{ij})$.



Variational formulation with Lagrange multipliers

Find $(u_{\text{all}}, \lambda_{\text{all}}) \in \mathcal{U} \times \mathcal{L}$ with

$$\begin{cases} a(u_{\text{all}}, v_{\text{all}}) + \overline{b(v_{\text{all}}, \lambda_{\text{all}})} = l(v_{\text{all}}) \\ b(u_{\text{all}}, \mu_{\text{all}}) = 0 \end{cases}$$

for all $(v_{\text{all}}, \mu_{\text{all}}) \in \mathcal{U} \times \mathcal{L}$.

Spaces:

$$\mathcal{U} := H^1(\Omega) \times \cdots \times H^1(\Omega_i) \times \cdots \times H^1(\Omega_{ij}) \times \cdots$$

$$\mathcal{L} := H^{-1/2}(\Gamma_i) \times \cdots \times H^{-1/2}(\Gamma_{ij}) \times \cdots$$

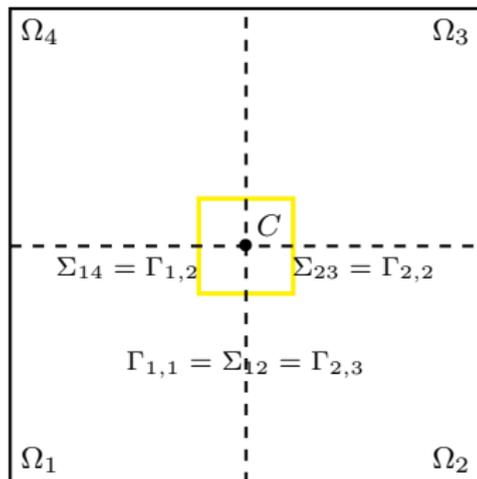
Forms:

$$a(u_{\text{all}}, v_{\text{all}}) := \int_{\Omega} (\nabla u \cdot \nabla \bar{v} - k^2 u \bar{v}) \, d\Omega + \sum_{\Omega_i} \int_{\Omega_i} \cdots + \sum_{\Omega_{ij}} \int_{\Omega_{ij}} \cdots$$

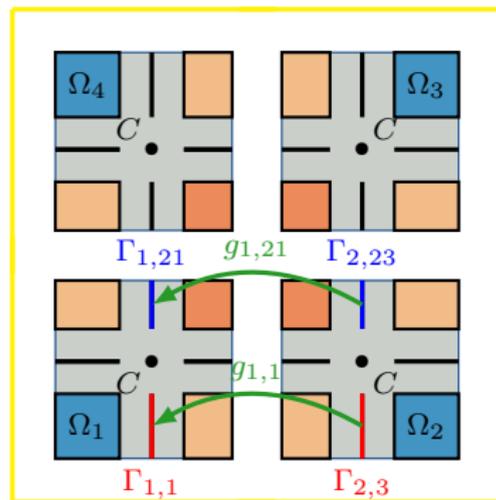
$$b(u_{\text{all}}, \mu_{\text{all}}) := \sum_{\Gamma_i} \int_{\Gamma_i} (u - u_i) \overline{\mu_i} \, d\Gamma + \sum_{\Gamma_{ij}} \int_{\Gamma_{ij}} (u_i - u_{ij}) \overline{\mu_{ij}} \, d\Gamma$$

$$l(v_{\text{all}}) := \int_{\Omega} f \bar{v} \, d\Omega.$$

Domain partition with 4 subdomains



Data transfer at the cross point (domain-PML and PML-PML)



Variational formulation of one subdomain Ω_I

Find $(u_{I,\text{all}}, \lambda_{I,\text{all}}) \in \mathcal{U}_I \times \mathcal{L}_I$ with

$$\begin{cases} a(u_{I,\text{all}}, v_{I,\text{all}}) + \overline{b(v_{I,\text{all}}, \lambda_{I,\text{all}})} = l(v_{I,\text{all}}) \\ b(u_{I,\text{all}}, \mu_{I,\text{all}}) = 0 \end{cases}$$

for all $(v_{I,\text{all}}, \mu_{I,\text{all}}) \in \mathcal{U}_I \times \mathcal{L}_I$.

Spaces:

$$\mathcal{U}_I := H^1(\Omega_I) \times \cdots \times H^1(\Omega_{I,i}) \times \cdots \times H^1(\Omega_{I,ij}) \times \cdots$$

$$\mathcal{L}_I := H^{-1/2}(\Gamma_{I,i}) \times \cdots \times H^{-1/2}(\Gamma_{I,ij}) \times \cdots$$

Forms:

$$a(u_{I,\text{all}}, v_{I,\text{all}}) := \int_{\Omega_I} (\nabla u_I \cdot \nabla \overline{v_I} - k^2 u_I \overline{v_I}) \, d\Omega_I + \sum_{\Omega_{I,i}} \int_{\Omega_{I,i}} \cdots + \sum_{\Omega_{I,ij}} \int_{\Omega_{I,ij}} \cdots$$

$$b(u_{I,\text{all}}, \mu_{I,\text{all}}) := \sum_{\Gamma_i} \int_{\Gamma_i} (u_I - u_{I,i}) \overline{\mu_{I,i}} \, d\Gamma + \sum_{\Gamma_{I,ij}} \int_{\Gamma_{I,ij}} (u_{I,i} - u_{I,ij}) \overline{\mu_{I,ij}} \, d\Gamma$$

$$l(v_{I,\text{all}}) := \int_{\Omega_I} f \overline{v_I} \, d\Omega + \sum_{\Gamma_{I,i}} \int_{\Gamma_{I,i}} g_{I,i} \overline{v_I} \, d\Gamma + \sum_{\Gamma_{I,ij}} \int_{\Gamma_{I,ij}} g_{I,ij} \overline{v_{I,i}} \, d\Gamma$$

Update formula:

$$g_{I,i}^{\ell+1} = -g_{J,i'}^{\ell} + 2\lambda_{J,i'}^{\ell}$$

$$g_{I,ij}^{\ell+1} = -g_{J,i'j'}^{\ell} + 2\lambda_{J,i'j'}^{\ell}$$

where J is neighbouring subdomain with $\Gamma_{I,i} = \Gamma_{J,i'}$ and $\Gamma_{I,ij} = \Gamma_{J,i'j'}$

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Find $(u_{\text{all}}, \lambda_{\text{all}}) \in \mathcal{U} \times \mathcal{L}$ with

$$\begin{cases} a(u_{\text{all}}, v_{\text{all}}) + \overline{b(v_{\text{all}}, \lambda_{\text{all}})} = l(v_{\text{all}}) \\ b(u_{\text{all}}, \mu_{\text{all}}) = 0 \end{cases}$$

for all $(v_{\text{all}}, \mu_{\text{all}}) \in \mathcal{U} \times \mathcal{L}$.

Algebraic system

Finite element discretization leads to the saddle-point problem:

$$\begin{bmatrix} A & B^T \\ B & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_{\text{all}} \\ \lambda_{\text{all}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} f_{\text{all}} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

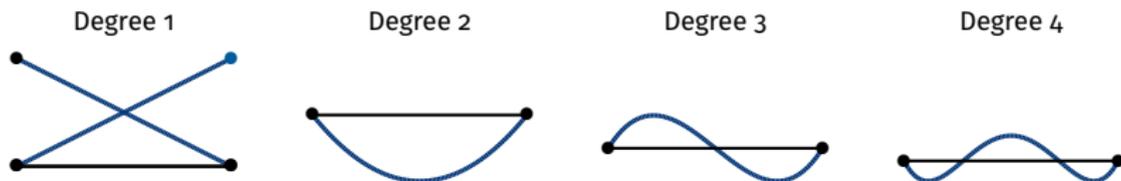
where only B depend on the discretization of the Lagrange multipliers.

Finite element discretizations

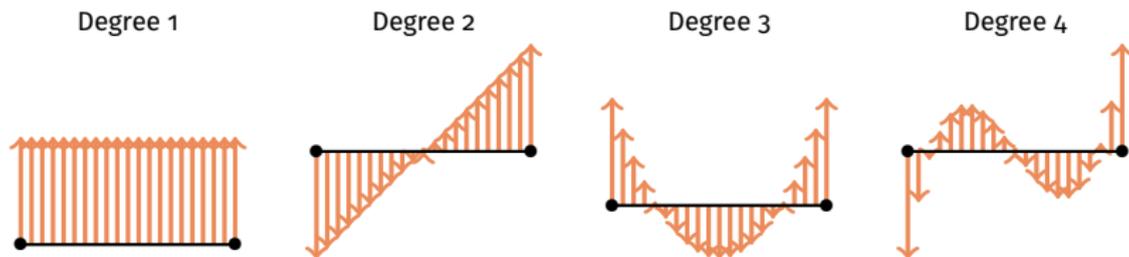
Solution u_{all} Continuous basis functions

Multipliers μ_{all} $\begin{cases} (C) H^1\text{-conforming basis functions (continuous)} \\ (D) \text{Projection on } \mathbf{n} \text{ of } \mathbf{H}(\text{div})\text{-conform. basis func. (discontinuous)} \end{cases}$

Hierarchical H^1 -conforming basis functions (C)



Projection on \mathbf{n} of hierarchical $H(\text{div})$ -conforming basis functions (D)

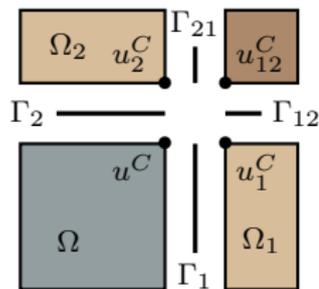


Issue with the continuous basis functions (C)

At each corner, relations are linearly dependent:

$$\begin{cases} u^C - u_1^C = 0 \\ u^C - u_2^C = 0 \\ u_1^C - u_{12}^C = 0 \\ u_2^C - u_{12}^C = 0 \end{cases}$$

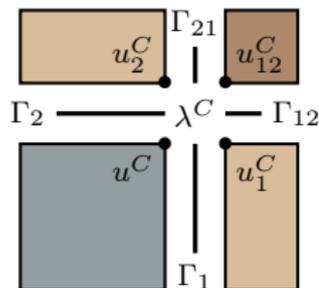
⇒ B is not surjective ; system not solvable



Strategies

- Additional Lagrange multiplier λ_C to break the dependency

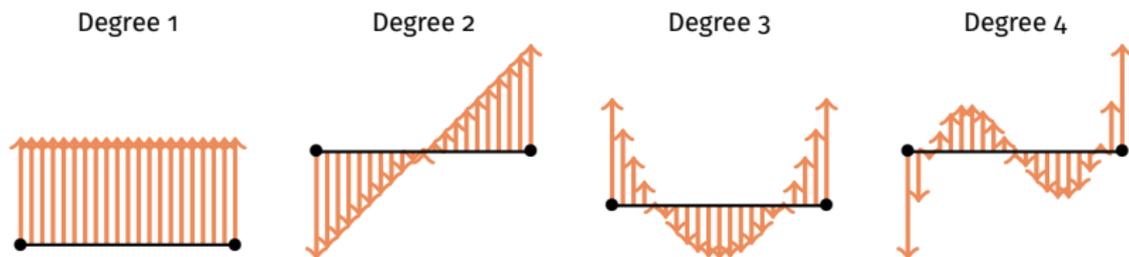
$$\begin{cases} u^C - u_1^C + \lambda^C = 0 \\ u^C - u_2^C - \lambda^C = 0 \\ u_1^C - u_{12}^C + \lambda^C = 0 \\ u_2^C - u_{12}^C - \lambda^C = 0 \\ \lambda_1^C - \lambda_2^C + \lambda_{12}^C - \lambda_{21}^C = 0 \end{cases}$$



Strategy used for FETI [e.g. Toselli-Widlund 2005]

- Penalization [Boffi-Brezzi-Fortin 2005]:
$$\begin{bmatrix} A & B^T \\ B & \tau M \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_{\text{all}} \\ l_{\text{all}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} f_{\text{all}} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

However, continuity at interfaces not exactly enforced, e.g. $u^C - u_1^C = \tau \lambda_1^C$.

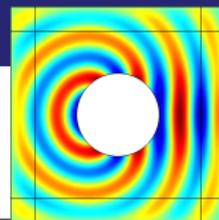


Issues with the discontinuous basis functions (D)

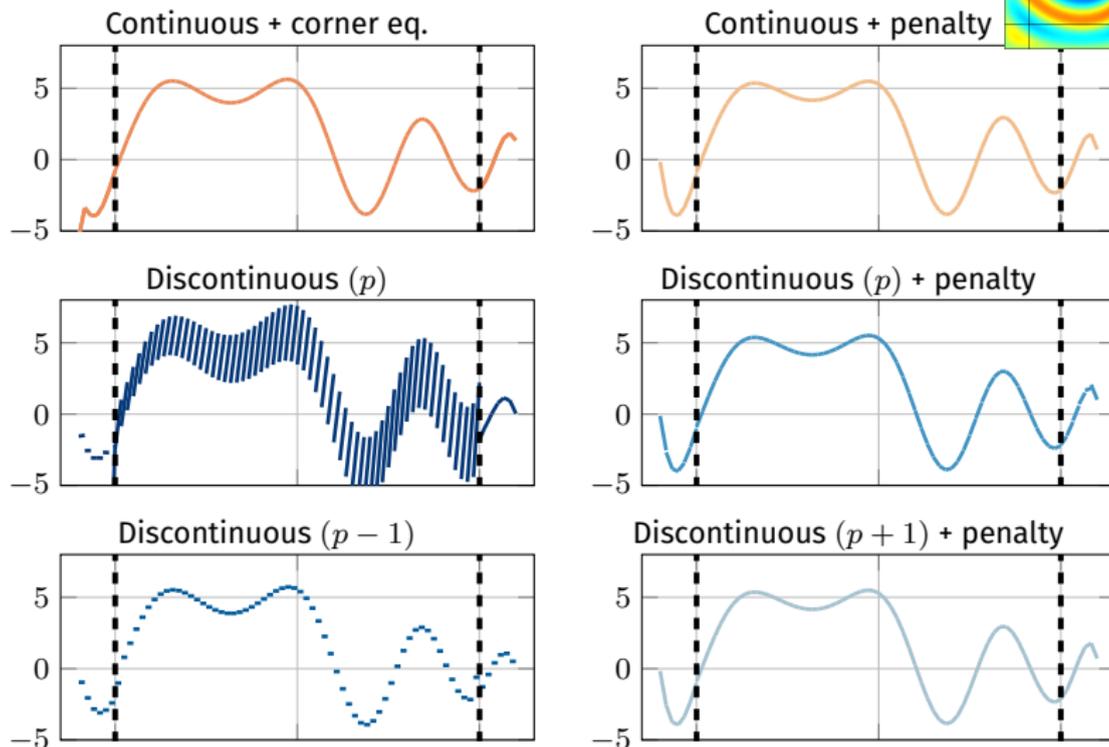
- If $\text{degree}(\text{multipliers}) = \text{degree}(\text{sol}) \Rightarrow$ stability issues
- If $\text{degree}(\text{multipliers}) \leq \text{degree}(\text{sol}) \Rightarrow$ underdeterm. system ; solution not exact
- If $\text{degree}(\text{multipliers}) > \text{degree}(\text{sol}) \Rightarrow$ overdeterm. system ; system not solvable

Strategies

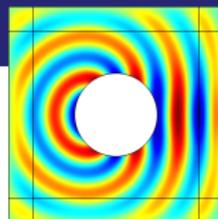
- Different polynomial degrees for solution u and the Lagrange multipliers λ
- Penalization ($\tau = 0.002 h^2$)



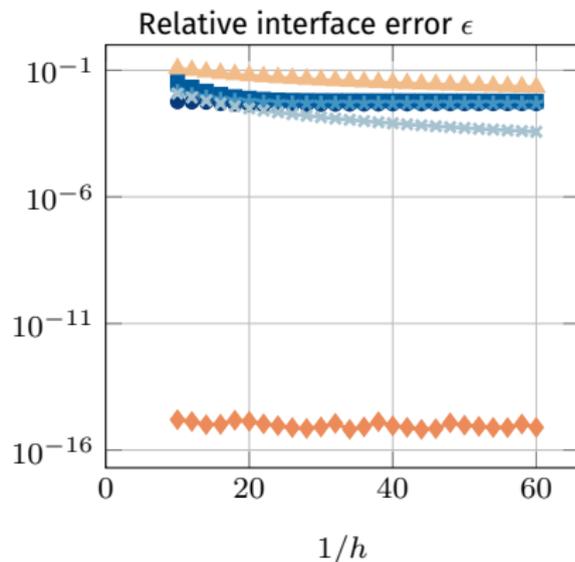
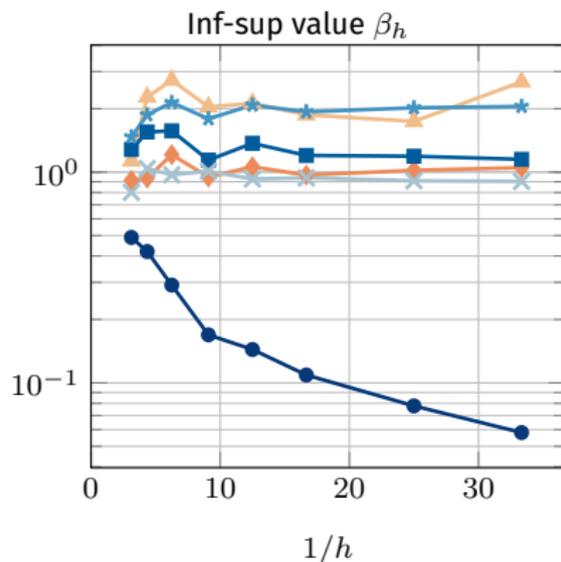
Neumann traces along the top interface



Parameters: $k = 4\pi$, $h \approx 1/30$, P2 elements — $p =$ degree for the solution



Inf-sup test [Chapelle-Bathe 1993] + Interface error



Interface error = L2 norm of the jump on the solution at the interfaces

Chapelle-Bathe test: $\beta = \min_h \beta_h$

DDM iterative process

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Finite element discretization

Numerical results

Numerical results — Scattering benchmark

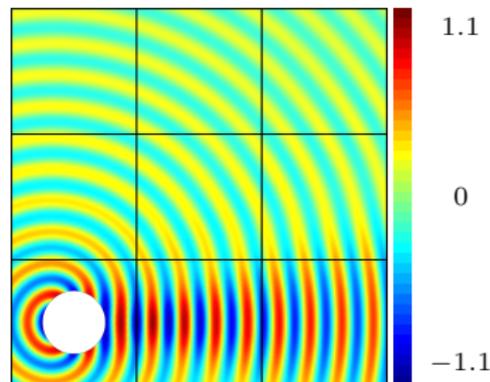
Benchmark: Scattering of a plane wave by a disk

- ▶ Exterior condition: PML with $\delta_{\text{PML}} = 6h$ and $\sigma = \sigma_h$
- ▶ Interface condition: PML with $\delta_{\text{PML}} = 6h$ and $\sigma = \sigma_h$ tests with other params ...

$$\sigma_q(x) = \sigma^* x^2 / \delta_{\text{PML}}^2 \quad \sigma_h(x) = 1/(\delta_{\text{PML}} - x) \quad \sigma_{h,s}(x) = 1/(\delta_{\text{PML}} - x) - 1/\delta_{\text{PML}}$$

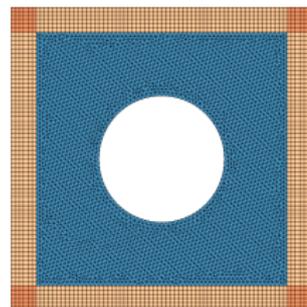
- ▶ GMRES iterative solver — GmshFEM and GmshDDM codes

Numerical solution + Domain partition



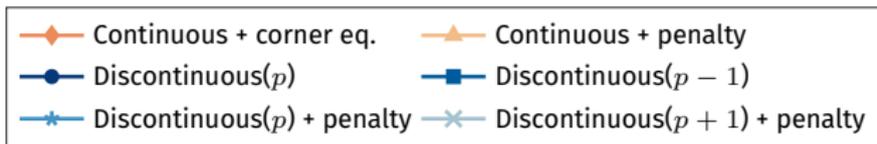
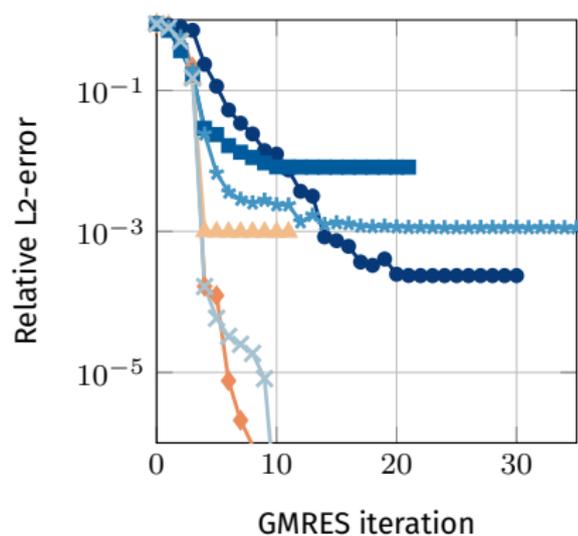
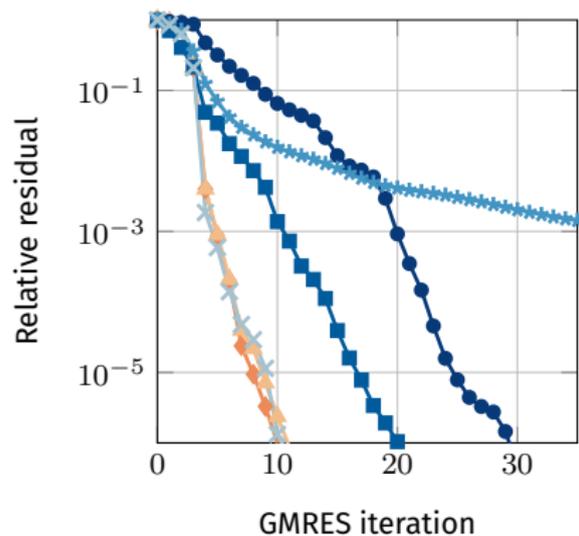
$k = 4\pi$ — P2 or P3
15 points per wavelength

Mesh of one subdomain
with the surrounding PMLs



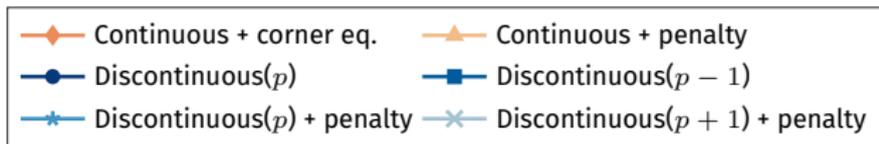
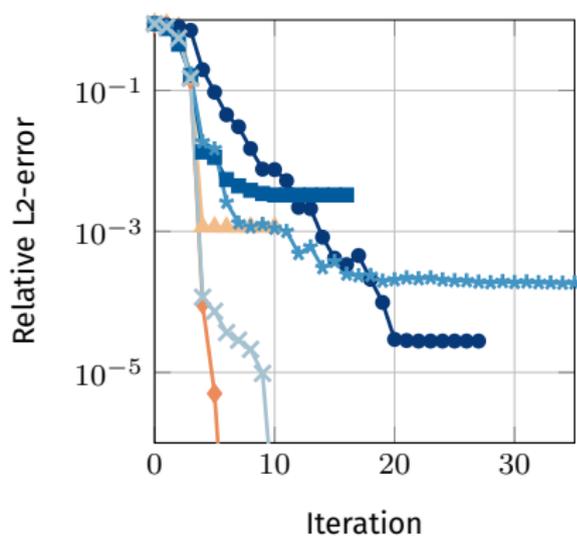
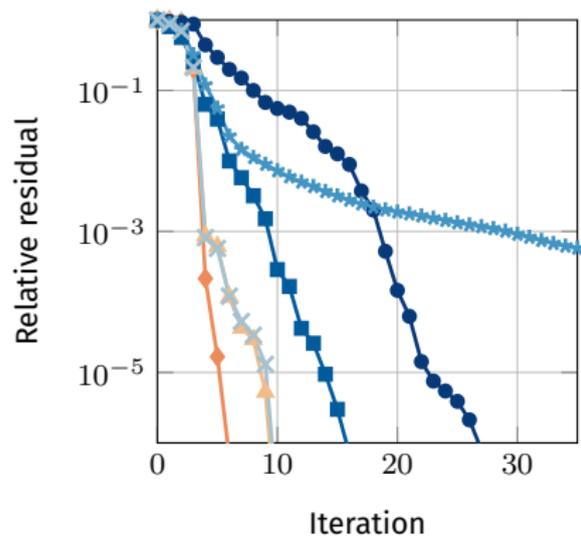
Triangular elements (*subdomain*)
Square elements (*extruded PMLs*)

Comparison of discretizations of the Lagrange multipliers [P2 elements]



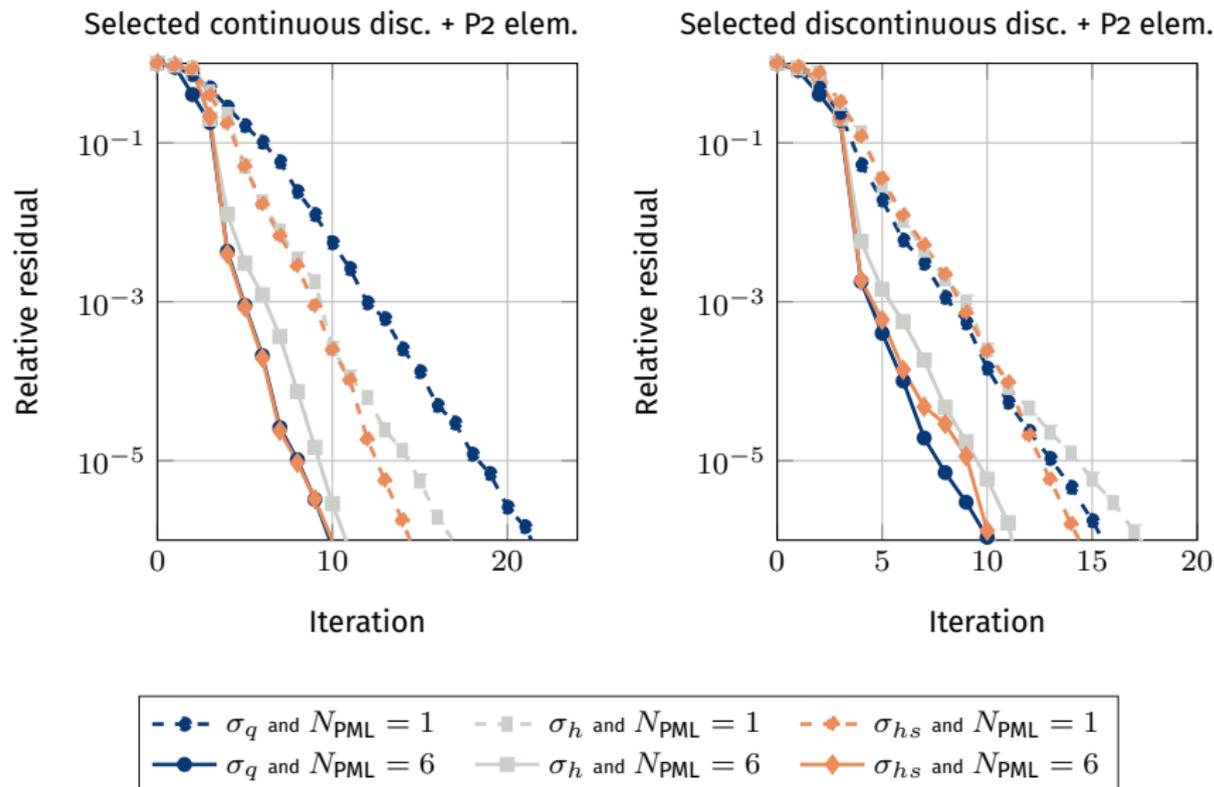
Error L2-error: DDM solution compared to reference numerical solution.
Same discretization used for interface and exterior PMLs.

Comparison of discretizations of the Lagrange multipliers [P4 elements]



Error L2-error: DDM solution compared to reference numerical solution.
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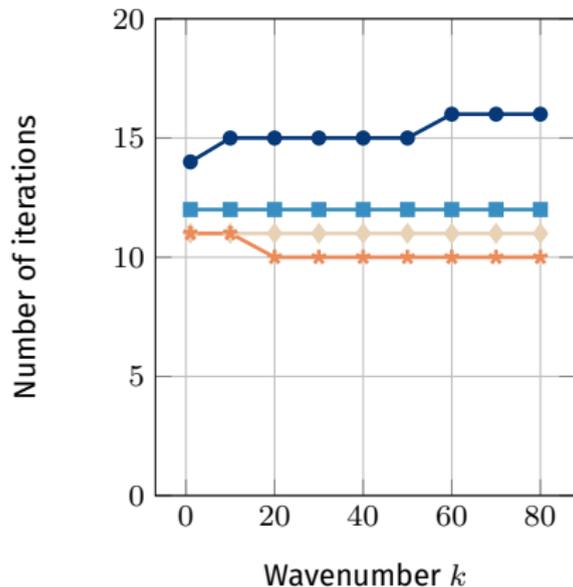
Influence of the absorption functions σ and the layer thickness $\delta_{\text{PML}} = N_{\text{PML}}h$



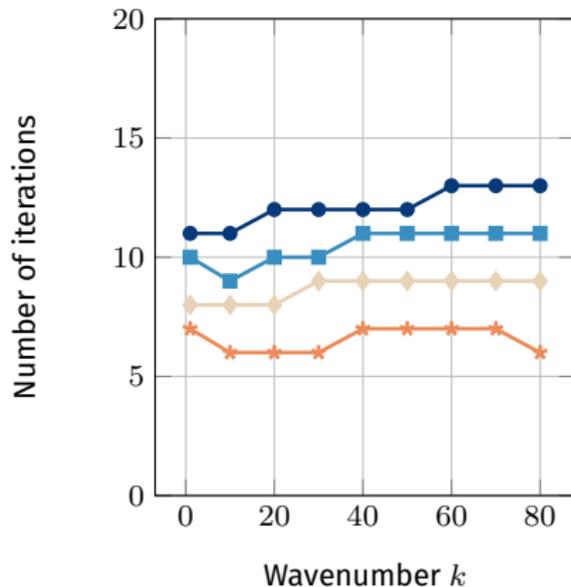
Numerical results — Influence of k and h

Influence of wavenumber k with points per wavelength = 15

Selected continuous disc. + P2 elem.



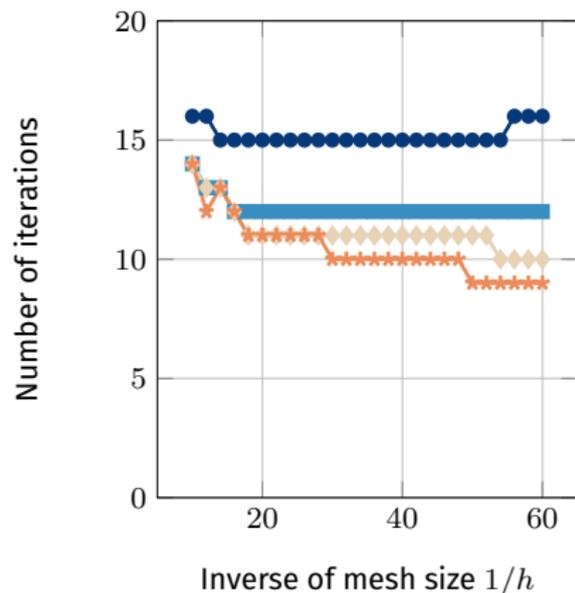
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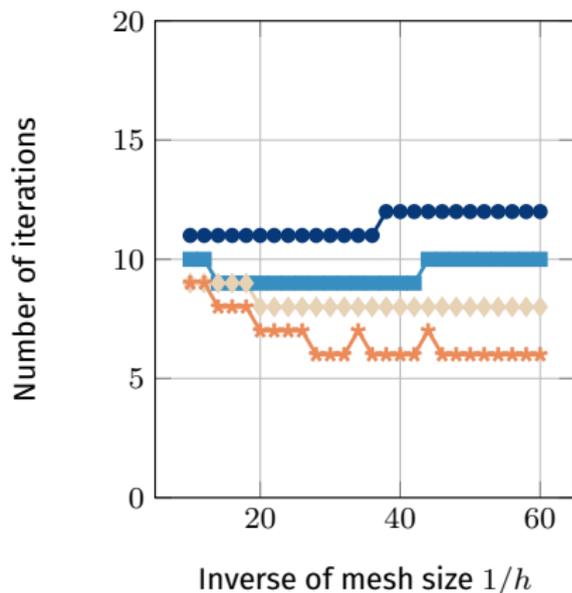
Numerical results — Influence of k and h

Influence of characteristic mesh cell size h with $k = 4\pi$

Selected continuous disc. + P2 elem.



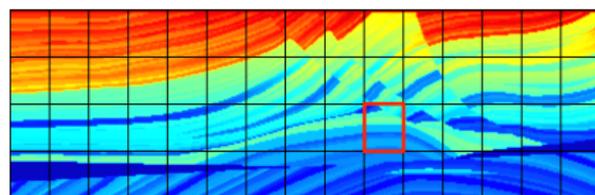
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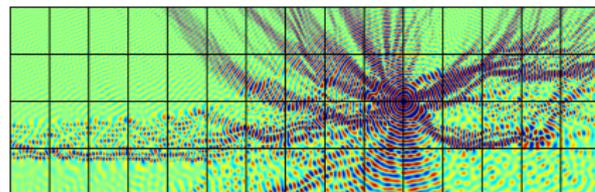
Benchmark: Marmousi benchmark

- ▶ Exterior condition: PML with $\delta_{\text{PML}} = 6h$ and $\sigma = \sigma_h$
- ▶ Interface condition: PML with $\delta_{\text{PML}} = h, 2h, 3h$ and $\sigma = \sigma_h$
- ▶ GMRES iterative solver — GmshFEM and GmshDDM codes

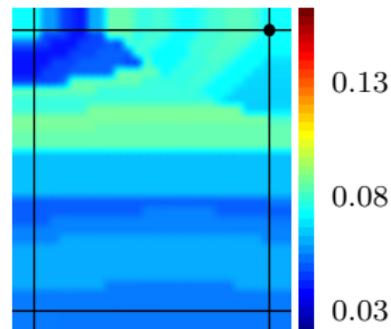
Wavenumber $k(\mathbf{x})$ [$f = 10\text{Hz}$]



Numerical solution



Subdomain with PMLs

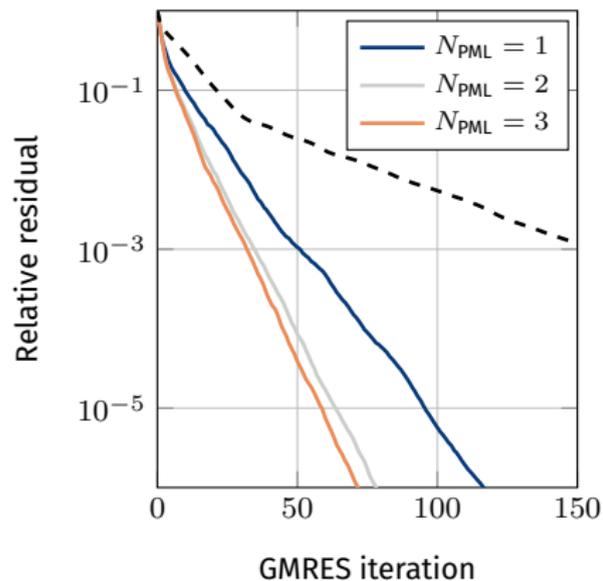


Square elements [Q1]

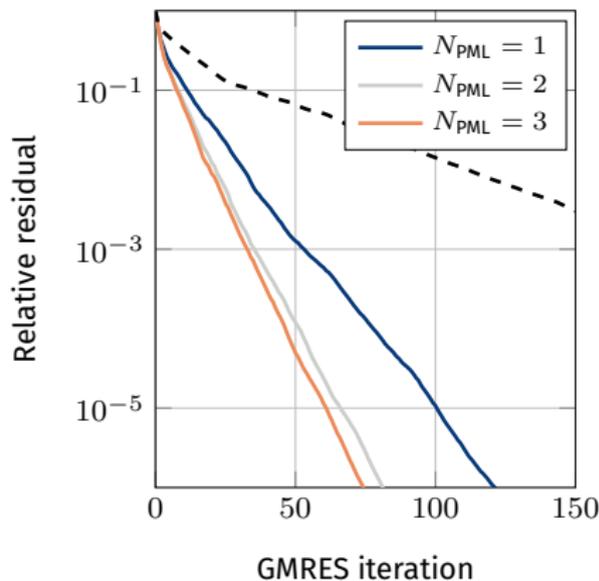
$h \approx 10\text{m}$

Residual history

Selected continuous discretization



Selected discontinuous discretization



Dashed line corresponds to basic impedance transmission ($\mathcal{T} = -\imath k$)
 Same discretization used for interface and exterior PMLs.

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Non-overlapping substructuring DDM with **PML transmission** for **checkerboard partitions** with cross points

Summary

- Strategy based on the weak coupling of PMLs with Lagrange multipliers
- Two discretizations for the multipliers ("*continuous*" and "*discontinuous*")
- Numerical experiments:
 - Compare two discretizations for the multipliers
 - Study the PML parameters (*absorption function and thickness*)
 - Behavior depending on k , h and heterogeneous media

Royer, Geuzaine, Béchet, M. (2022). A non-overlapping DDM with PML transmission conditions for the Helmholtz equation. *CMAME*, 395, 115006 + GmshFEM / GmshDDM codes

Personnel comments on DDM with transmission conditions based on non-reflecting boundary techniques (PML, HABC, ...)

- ▶ One has to deal with the limitations of these techniques (*practical / theoretical*)
- ▶ These approaches require specific solvers / limited theoretical background
- ▶ These approaches incorporate physics in the solver
- ▶ Mostly developed/tested for standard CG/FD methods ...
... a lot to do for DG, HDG, Trefftz methods



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