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***Coarsening Particle Calculations***

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# Grids $\longleftrightarrow$ Particles

Long range interactions	✓	✓
Local optimization	✓	.
Global optimization	Th	Th
Monte Carlo simulations	XW	.
Dynamics	✓	
Macroscopic equations	XW	.

$$-\Delta u = +$$

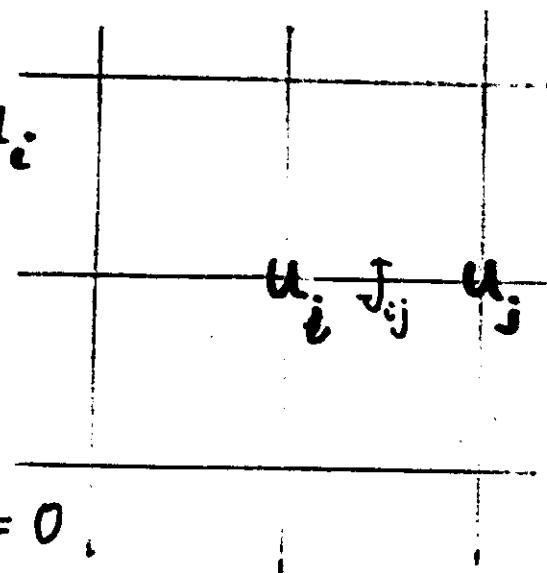
$$\Leftrightarrow$$

$$E(u) = \frac{1}{2} \int [(u_x^2 + u_y^2) - fu] dx dy = \min!$$

$$E^h(u) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_i \left( \frac{u_{i+1} - u_i}{h} \right)^2 - \sum_i f_i u_i$$

$$E^h(u) = \min!$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \frac{\partial E^h}{\partial u_i} = \frac{1}{h^2} \sum_{\langle i, j \rangle} (u_i - u_j) - f_i = 0,$$



$$-\nabla(J\nabla u) = f \Leftrightarrow$$

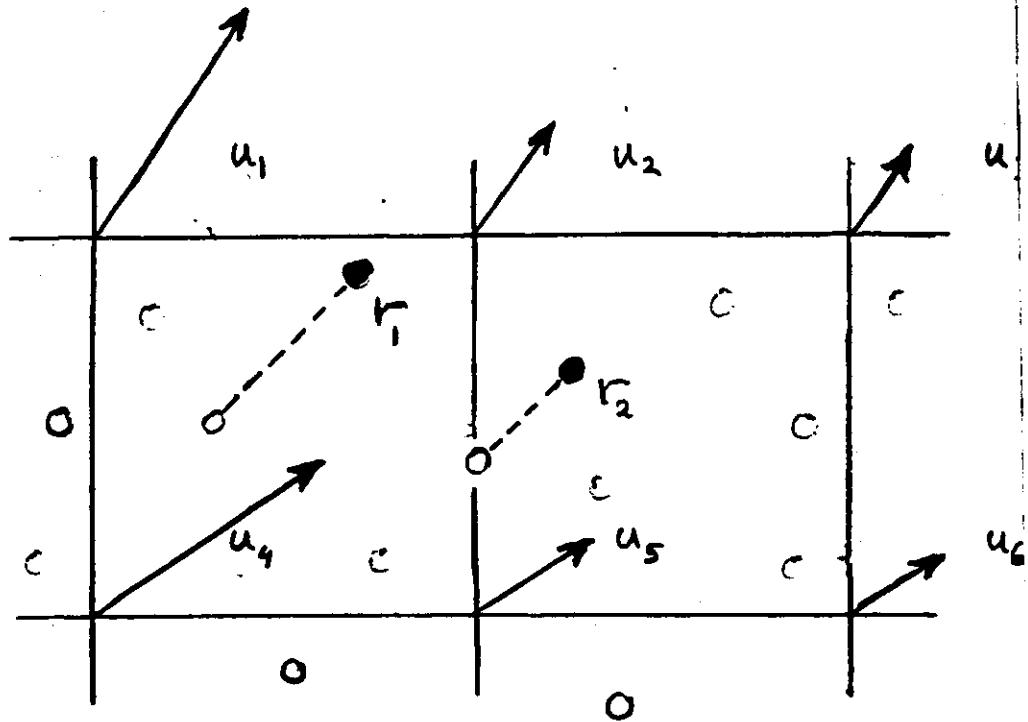
$$E(u) = \frac{1}{2} \int [(Ju_x)^2 + (Ju_y)^2 - fu] dx dy$$

$$E^h(u) = \frac{1}{2h^2} \sum_{\langle i, j \rangle} J_{ij} (u_i - u_j)^2 - \sum_i f_i u_i$$

$$= -\frac{1}{h^2} \sum_{\langle i, j \rangle} J_{ij} u_i u_j - \sum_i f_i u_i$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2h^2} \sum_{\langle i, j \rangle} J_{ij} (u_i^2 + u_j^2)$$

displacement  
field:



$$r_i = r_i^0 + \sum_j \lambda_{ij} u_j, \quad \sum_j \lambda_{ij} = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} r_i - r_2 &= r_i^0 - r_2^0 + \sum_j (\lambda_{ij} - \lambda_{2j}) u_j \\ &= A + \sum_j B_{ij} (u_i - u_j) \end{aligned}$$

$$E = \sum_{\alpha\beta} V(|r_\alpha - r_\beta|)$$

$$\approx \alpha + \sum_{ij} \beta_{ij} (u_i - u_j) + \sum_{ij} \gamma_{ij} (u_i - u_j)^2 + \dots$$

$$|u_i - u_j| < M_{ij}$$

Elasticity, plasticity, strain limits

$$r^h = (r_1, r_2, \dots) = r^{ho} + T_H^h u^H$$

$$\begin{aligned} E(r^h) &= E(r^{ho} + T_H^h u^H) \\ &\equiv E^H(u^H) \end{aligned}$$

$AU = b$  on grid  $h$ ,  $A$  symm.  
pos. def.

$$\frac{1}{2} U^T A U - U^T b = \min!$$

$I_{2h}^h V^{2h}$  coarse-grid correction  
to  $U$ :  $U \approx u + I_{2h}^h V^{2h}$   
 $\downarrow$  minimize

$$\frac{1}{2} (u + I_{2h}^h V^{2h})^T A (u + I_{2h}^h V^{2h}) - (u + I_{2h}^h V^{2h})^T b$$

$$\frac{1}{2} V^{2h T} \underline{I_{2h}^{h T} A I_{2h}^h} V^{2h} - V^{2h T} \underline{I_{2h}^{h T} (b - A u)}$$

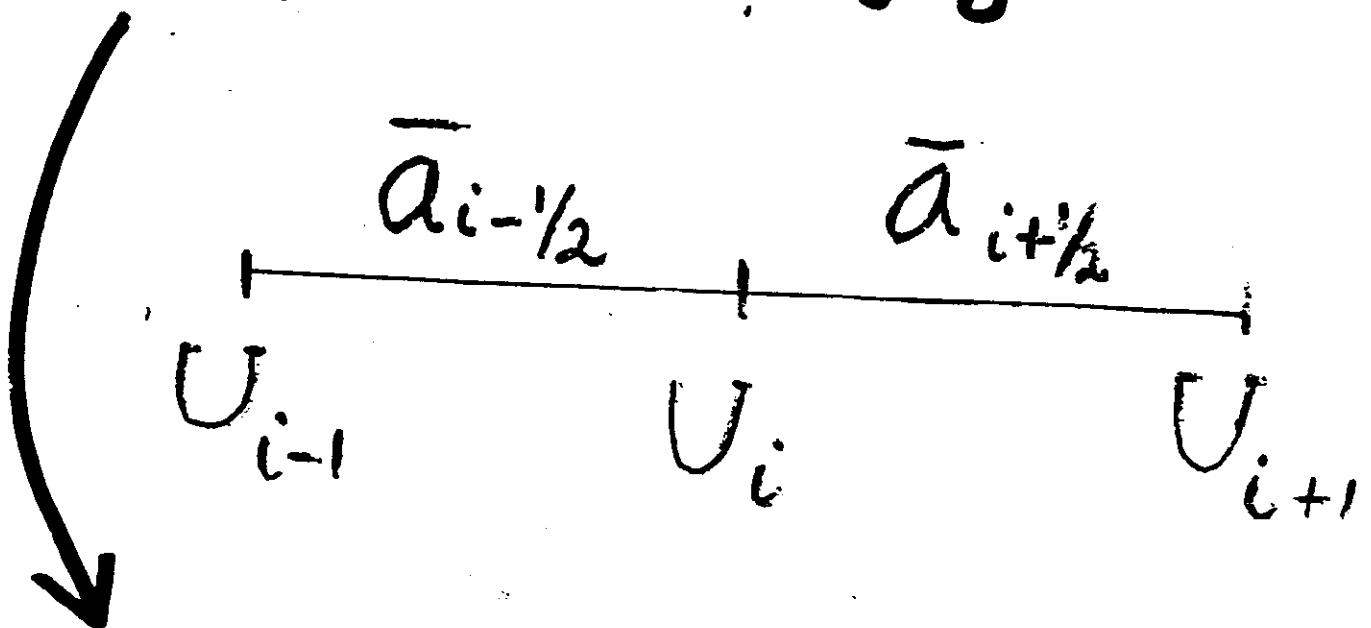
$$A^{2h} V^{2h} = R^{2h} \quad \text{where}$$

$$A^{2h} = I_{2h}^{h T} A I_{2h}^h, \quad R^{2h} = I_{2h}^{h T} (b - A u)$$

Symmetric, Conservative

Full weighting

$$(au_x)_x + (bu_y)_y = F$$



$$\frac{\bar{a}_{i+\frac{1}{2}}(U_{i+1} - U_i) - \bar{a}_{i-\frac{1}{2}}(U_i - U_{i-1})}{h^2}$$

Symmetric matrix.  
 Conservation form better approximation  
(flux is smoother)

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Dendy  
Painter

$$u = (au_x)_x + (bu_y)_y = f(x, y, u)$$

$\epsilon < a(x, y, u), b(x, y, u) < \frac{1}{\epsilon}$  discontinuously

Interpolation: Based on relaxed error  $V$ .  $LV \approx 0$

Linear interpolation when  $u_x$  continuous

but here: continuity of the flux  ~~$aV_x$~~   $aV_x$

$$I_{2h}^h V_i^{2h} = \frac{\bar{a}_{i-1/2} V_{i-1}^{2h} + \bar{a}_{i+1/2} V_{i+1}^{2h}}{\bar{a}_{i-1/2} + \bar{a}_{i+1/2}}$$

$\bar{a}$   
proper  
average

Coarse-grid problem:  $(I_h^{2h} L^h I_{2h}^h) V^{2h} = I_h^{2h} R^h$ ,  $I_h^{2h} = I_{2h}^h$

$$\Leftrightarrow \min F(u^h + I_{2h}^h V^{2h}), \quad F(w^h) = (L^h w^h, w^h) - 2(f^h, w^h)$$



Black-Box MG: for any symmetric 9-point  $L^h$ .

Dendy

Algebraic MG (AMG): for general positive-type symmetric  
Brands McCormick Ruge

Systems: e.g.  $L^h p_n - \alpha(p_n - p_w) = f$   
 $L^h p_w - \alpha(p_w - p_n) = g$

# N particles

$$E = \underbrace{\sum_{\alpha, \beta} V(r_\alpha - r_\beta)}_{\propto N^2}$$

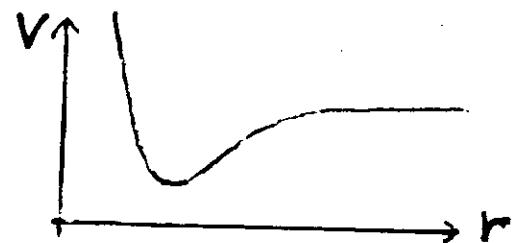
## Long range forces

$V = a/r$  : electrostatic, gravity, vortices ...

- $O(n)$  calculation of forces  
Coarse level: density

## Short range forces

$V = a/r^{12} - b/r^6$  : atomic



- fast local convergence  
Coarse level: Elasticity, plasticity  
strain limits with "breaks"
- Global minimization  
Multi-level stochastic optimization

## Long + Short

charge density + elastic displacement field

## Chains

"pressure"

