

Robust massively parallel MLMC-FVM solver for uncertainty quantification in nonlinear conservation laws

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Hyperbolic nonlinear
conservation laws

(Non)linear hyperbolic conservation laws

Conservation of the physical quantities (mass, momentum, energy):

$$\begin{cases} \partial_t \mathbf{U}(\mathbf{x}, t) + \operatorname{div} \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{U}, \mathbf{x}) = 0, \\ \mathbf{U}(\mathbf{x}, 0) = \mathbf{U}_0(\mathbf{x}), \end{cases} \quad \mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^d, \quad t > 0.$$

Burgers' equation:

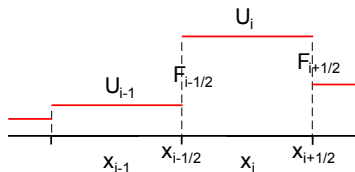
$$\begin{cases} u_t + \left(\frac{u^2}{2} \right)_x = 0, \\ u(x, 0) = \sin(\pi x). \end{cases}$$

- ▶ **Hyperbolicity**: finite speed of propagation
- ▶ **Nonlinearity**: **smooth** initial data leads to solutions with **shocks**
- ▶ **Weak** solutions need to be considered (+ entropy conditions for uniqueness)
- ▶ **No explicit solutions** - numerical schemes (**Finite Volume Method**)

Finite Volume Method (FVM)

► 1. Cell averages:

$$U_i \approx \frac{1}{\Delta x} \int_{x_{i-\frac{1}{2}}}^{x_{i+\frac{1}{2}}} U(x, t) dx$$



► 2. Semi-discrete formulation (ODE):

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} U_i + \frac{1}{\Delta x} \left(F_{i+\frac{1}{2}} - F_{i-\frac{1}{2}} \right) = 0$$

► 3. Approximate Riemann fluxes: HLL, Godunov (Roe)

- High order reconstruction: TVD (Van Leer), (W)ENO (Harten, Shu, Osher)

► 4. Time stepping:

- CFL: $\Delta t < \Delta x / (\text{max wave speed})$
- Forward Euler (FE)
- SSP-RK2 (Gottlieb, Shu, Tadmor)

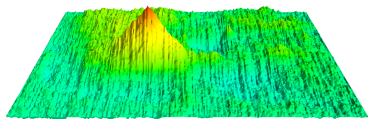
$$U_i^{n+1} = U_i^n - \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta x} \left(F_{i+\frac{1}{2}} - F_{i-\frac{1}{2}} \right)$$

$$U_i^{n+1} = \frac{1}{2} (U_i^n + \text{FE}(\text{FE}(U_i^n)))$$

Examples of (non)linear hyperbolic conservation laws



Euler cloud-shock interaction



Shallow water with varying topography

MHD Orszag-Tang vortex

Wave propagation in porous medium

Compressible Euler equations of gas dynamics

Question: What is the time evolution of density/pressure/velocity fields in compressible fluids?

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \rho_t + \operatorname{div}(\rho \mathbf{u}) = 0, \\ (\rho \mathbf{u})_t + \operatorname{div}(\rho \mathbf{u} \otimes \mathbf{u} + p \mathbf{I} \mathbf{D}) = 0, \\ E_t + \operatorname{div}((E + p) \mathbf{u}) = 0. \end{array} \right.$$

$$E = \frac{p}{\gamma - 1} + \frac{\rho \mathbf{u}^2}{2}.$$

- ▶ design of aircraft profiles
- ▶ gas turbines
- ▶ internal combustion engines
- ▶ ...

Density in cloud-shock interaction

- ▶ **uncertain** cloud geometry/density
- ▶ **uncertain** shock size/location
- ▶ **uncertain** gas constant γ

Magnetohydrodynamics equations for plasma physics

Describes magnetic and density/pressure/velocity fields interaction in electrically conducting fluid.

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \rho_t + \operatorname{div}(\rho \mathbf{u}) = 0, \\ (\rho \mathbf{u})_t + \operatorname{div}(\rho \mathbf{u} \otimes \mathbf{u} + (p + \frac{1}{2} |\mathbf{B}|^2) \mathbf{I} - \mathbf{B} \otimes \mathbf{B}) = -\mathbf{B} \operatorname{div} \mathbf{B}, \\ \mathbf{B}_t + \operatorname{div}(\mathbf{u} \otimes \mathbf{B} - \mathbf{B} \otimes \mathbf{u}) = -\mathbf{u} \operatorname{div} \mathbf{B}, \\ E_t + \operatorname{div}((E + p + \frac{1}{2} |\mathbf{B}|^2) \mathbf{u} - (\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{B}) \mathbf{B}) = -(\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{B}) \operatorname{div} \mathbf{B}. \end{array} \right.$$

- ▶ plasmas (e.g. in the sun)
- ▶ liquid metals
- ▶ various electrolytes

- ▶ HLL 3-wave and 5-wave solvers
 - ▶ not strictly hyperbolic
 - ▶ non-convex fluxes
 - ▶ **div** constraint

- ▶ **Godunov-Powell source** term
- ▶ **positivity preserving** (W)ENO

Density in Orszag-Tang vortex

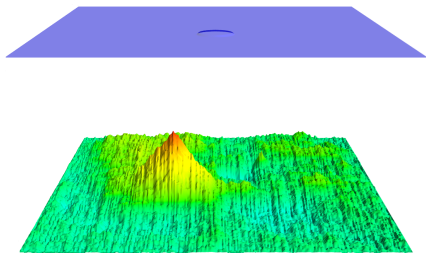
Shallow water equation with varying bottom topography

Question: what is the time evolution of a tsunami wave caused by an earthquake?

$$\begin{cases} h_t + \operatorname{div}(hu) = 0 \\ (hu)_t + \operatorname{div}(hu \otimes \mathbf{u}) = -\nabla(ghb + \frac{1}{2}gh^2) \end{cases}$$

Important for:

- ▶ avalanche modeling
- ▶ debris slides
- ▶ atmospheric flows of weather prediction
- ▶ risk assessment of region flooding (due to tsunami or dam break)
- ▶ ...



Water level above bottom topography

- ▶ **uncertain** initial perturbation
- ▶ **uncertain** bottom topography
- ▶ ...

Acoustic wave equation in heterogeneous medium

Question: What is the time evolution of the acoustic wave propagating through random medium?

$$p_{tt}(\mathbf{x}, t) - \nabla \cdot (c(\mathbf{x}) \nabla p(\mathbf{x}, t)) = f(\mathbf{x})$$

⇓

$$\begin{cases} p_t(\mathbf{x}, t) - \nabla \cdot (c(\mathbf{x}) \mathbf{u}(\mathbf{x}, t)) = tf(\mathbf{x}), \\ \mathbf{u}_t(\mathbf{x}, t) - \nabla p(\mathbf{x}, t) = 0. \end{cases}$$

▶ sound/elastic wave propagation through geological layers

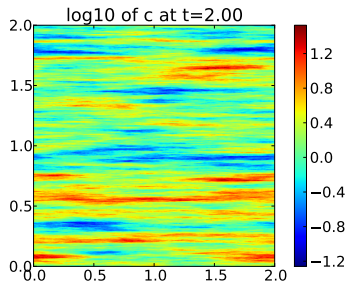
▶ structural mechanics

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▶ $c(\mathbf{x})$ is often **uncertain**,
e.g. **log-normal** with covariance:

$$\text{Cov}(\log c(\mathbf{x}), \log c(\mathbf{y})) = \sigma^2 e^{-\|\mathbf{x}-\mathbf{y}\|_\eta}$$

▶ **parallel spectral FFT generator**¹



¹Ravalec, Noetinger, Hu (Mathematical Geology, 2000)

Stochastic (non)linear systems of balance laws

$\mathbf{U}(\mathbf{x}, 0)$, $\mathbf{F}(\cdot, \mathbf{x})$ and $\mathbf{S}(\cdot, \mathbf{x})$ are **uncertain** \rightarrow solution $\mathbf{U}(\mathbf{x}, t)$ is also **uncertain**:

$$\begin{cases} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \mathbf{U}(\mathbf{x}, t, \omega) + \operatorname{div} \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{U}, \mathbf{x}, \omega) = \mathbf{S}(\mathbf{U}, \mathbf{x}, \omega), \\ \mathbf{U}(\mathbf{x}, 0, \omega) = \mathbf{U}_0(\mathbf{x}, \omega), \end{cases} \quad \forall \omega \in \Omega, \quad (\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbb{P}). \quad (1.1)$$

Well-posedness requirement

If **uncertain** input data (e.g. \mathbf{U}_0 , \mathbf{S}) has finite mean and variance,



entropy solution $\mathbf{U}(\mathbf{x}, t, \omega)$ **exists** and has **finite mean and variance**.

Goals

- ▶ Theory for the existence of $\mathbf{U}(\mathbf{x}, t, \omega)$ and its statistical moments
- ▶ Numerical methods for the approximate statistical moments of $\mathbf{U}(\mathbf{x}, t, \omega)$

Theory and numerical results on MLMC-FVM

for hyperbolic conservation laws

	Scalar stochastic PDE	System of stochastic PDE
Linear	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ Linear advection Theory + numerical results ²	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ Acoustic wave▶ Linear elasticity Theory + numerical results ³
Nonlinear	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ Burgers'▶ Buckley-Leverett Theory + numerical results ²	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ Euler▶ Magneto-hydrodynamics▶ Shallow water ⁴ Extensive numerical results ⁵

²Mishra, Schwab (Math. Comp., 2012)

³Šukys, Mishra, Schwab (MCQMC, 2013 (to appear))

⁴Mishra, Schwab, Šukys (SIAM J. Sci. Comput., 2012)

⁵Mishra, Schwab, Šukys (J. Comput. Phys., 2012)

Short review of
MC-FVM and MLMC-FVM

Monte Carlo FVM algorithm (MC-FVM)

We are interested in $\mathbb{E}[\mathbf{U}(\mathbf{x}, t)]$ and $\mathbb{V}[\mathbf{U}(\mathbf{x}, t)]$ with (\mathbf{x}, t) - fixed.

1. **Draw** M **i.i.d.** samples of random quantities

$$\{\mathbf{U}_0^i(\cdot), \mathbf{F}^i(\cdot), \mathbf{S}^i(\cdot)\}, \quad i = 1, \dots, M.$$

2. For each draw, **solve** for approximate (FVM with Δx) **entropy solutions**

$$\{\mathbf{U}_0^i(\cdot), \mathbf{F}^i(\cdot), \mathbf{S}^i(\cdot)\} \longrightarrow \mathbf{U}^i(\cdot, t^n).$$

3. **Estimate statistics** of $\mathbb{E}[\mathbf{U}(\cdot, t^n)]$ with:

$$E_M[\mathbf{U}_{\Delta x}^n(\cdot)] := \frac{1}{M} \sum_{i=1}^M \mathbf{U}^i(\cdot, t^n).$$

Error vs. Work for Monte Carlo FVM

Theorem ⁶

- ▶ **scalar** CL with $\mathbf{U}_0 \in L^2(\Omega, \mathbf{V})$ and $\mathbf{F} \in L^\infty(\Omega, C^1(\mathbb{R}))$
- ▶ **linear systems** of CLs with $\mathbf{U}_0, \mathbf{S} \in L^2(\Omega, \mathbf{V})$ and $\sqrt{c} \in L^1(\Omega, L^\infty(\mathbf{D}))$

$$\|\mathbb{E}[\mathbf{U}(t^n)] - E_M[\mathbf{U}_{\Delta x}^n]\|_{L^2(\Omega; L^1)} \lesssim M^{-\frac{1}{2}} \|\mathbf{U}_0\|_{L^2(\Omega; L^1)} + t^n \Delta x^s \|\mathbf{U}_0\|_{L^\infty(\Omega; TV)}$$

FVM convergence rate is s . Constants depend on $\mathbf{U}_0, \mathbf{S}, \mathbf{F}$, **not** on Δx or M .

Number of samples to equilibrate MC and FVM errors:

$$M = \mathcal{O}((\Delta x)^{-2s})$$



$$\text{error} \sim (\text{Work})^{-s/(d+1+2s)} \xrightarrow{s \gg d} -1/2$$

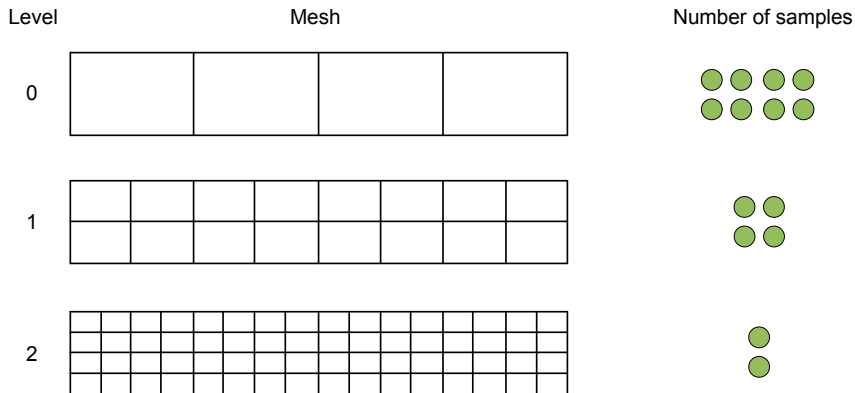
Expensive!

⁶Mishra, Schwab (Math. Comp., 2012); Šukys, Mishra, Schwab (MCQMC, 2012)

Multi-Level Monte Carlo⁷ FVM method (MLMC-FVM)

- ▶ **Nested levels** of resolution

$$\Delta x_\ell = \mathcal{O}(2^{-\ell} \Delta x_0), \quad \ell \in \mathbb{N}_0.$$



⁷Introduced by Heinrich (1999); Giles (2008); Barth, Schwab, Zollinger (2011).

Multi-Level Monte Carlo FVM method (MLMC-FVM)

1. Draw M_ℓ i.i.d. samples of random quantities for each level ℓ

$$\{\mathbf{U}_{0,\ell}^i(\cdot), \mathbf{F}_\ell^i(\cdot), \mathbf{S}_\ell^i(\cdot)\}, \quad i = 1, \dots, M_\ell.$$

2. For each draw i and level ℓ , solve (with FVM)

$$\{\mathbf{U}_{0,\ell}^i(\cdot), \mathbf{F}_\ell^i(\cdot), \mathbf{S}_\ell^i(\cdot)\} \longrightarrow \mathbf{U}_\ell^i(\cdot, t^n).$$

3. Estimate statistics:

$$\mathbb{E}[\mathbf{U}(\cdot, t^n)] = \mathbb{E}[\mathbf{U}_0(\cdot, t^n)] + \sum_{\ell=1}^{\infty} \mathbb{E}[\mathbf{U}_\ell(\cdot, t^n) - \mathbf{U}_{\ell-1}(\cdot, t^n)].$$

Fix $L > 0$ and estimate each term in the telescoping sum using MC-FVM

$$E^L[\mathbf{U}_{\Delta x_L}^n(\cdot)] = E_{M_0}[\mathbf{U}_0(\cdot, t^n)] + \sum_{\ell=1}^L E_{M_\ell}[\underbrace{\mathbf{U}_\ell(\cdot, t^n) - \mathbf{U}_{\ell-1}(\cdot, t^n)}_{\text{variance} \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } \ell \rightarrow \infty}].$$

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$$\|\mathbb{E}[\mathbf{U}(t^n)] - E^L[\mathbf{U}_{\Delta x_L}^n]\|_{L^2(\Omega; \mathbf{V})} \leq C_1 \Delta x_L^s + C_2 \sum_{\ell=0}^L M_\ell^{-\frac{1}{2}} \Delta x_\ell^s + C_{MC} M_0^{-\frac{1}{2}}.$$

FVM convergence rate is s . $C_{1,2,MC}$ depend on $\mathbf{U}_0, \mathbf{S}, t^n, \mathbf{F}$, **not** on $L, \Delta x_\ell, M_\ell$.

Equilibrate MC and FVM errors:

$$M_\ell = \left(\frac{C_2}{C_1}\right)^2 \times 2^{2(L-\ell)s}$$

Error \lesssim Work^{-s/(d+1)} log(Work)

Optimize⁹ MC and FVM errors for M_ℓ :

$$M_\ell = \left(\frac{C_2}{C_1}\right)^2 \times 2^{\frac{2}{3}(L-\ell)(s+d+1)}$$

Error \lesssim Work^{-s/(d+1)}

! Same complexity as a **single** FVM solve. Constants differ by $\sqrt{M_L}$.

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⁹Giles (Oper. Res., 2008)

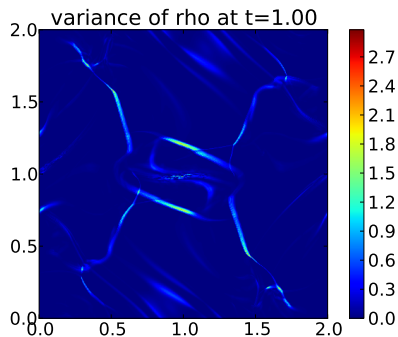
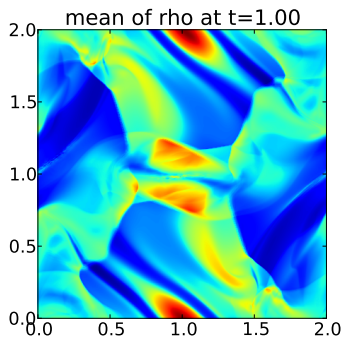
Numerical experiments
and
error convergence

MHD: MLMC-FVM for Orszag-Tang vortex

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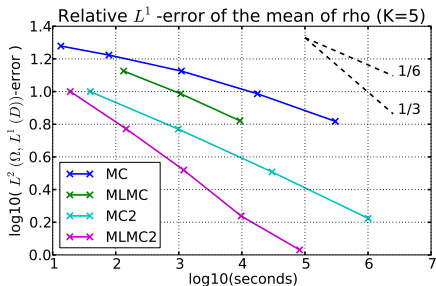
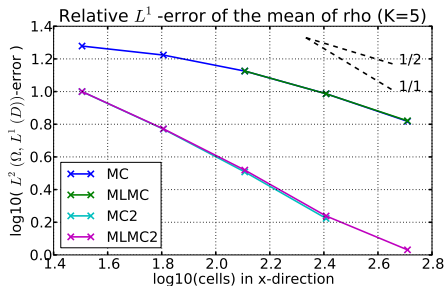
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L	M_L	grid size	CFL	cores	runtime	efficiency
7	4	2048x2048	0.475	128	5:02:14	98.4%

MHD: Orszag-Tang vortex - convergence for mean

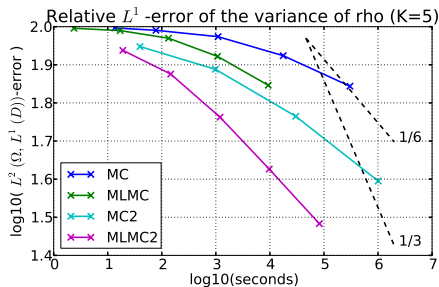
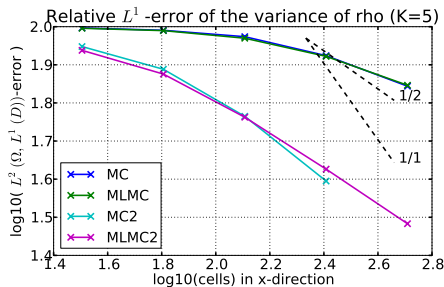
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Convergence rates coincide with the rigorous theory for **SCL**!

MHD: Orszag-Tang vortex - convergence for variance

with 2 sources of uncertainty

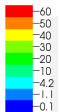


Euler: FVM for cloud shock - one sample

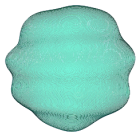
with uncertain shock location/magnitude and geometry of the cloud

DB: rho at time 0

Contour
Var: rho



Max: 11.31
Min: 1.000



L	0
M_L	1
cells	1 Billion
CFL	0.475
cores	4096
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eff.	95.7%

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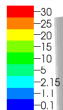
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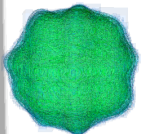
with uncertain shock location/magnitude and geometry of the cloud

DB: mean of rho at time 0

Contour
Var: mean of rho

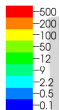


Max: 16.17
Min: 0.000

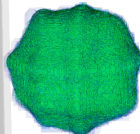


DB: variance of rho at time 0

Contour
Var: variance of rho



Max: 78.76
Min: 0.000

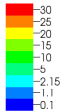


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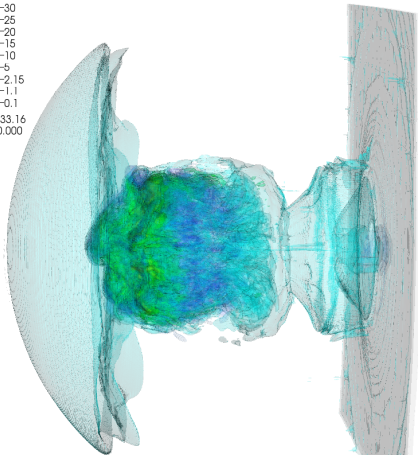
with uncertain shock location/magnitude and geometry of the cloud

DB: mean of rho at time 0.06

Contour
Var: mean of rho

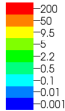


Max: 33.16
Min: 0.000

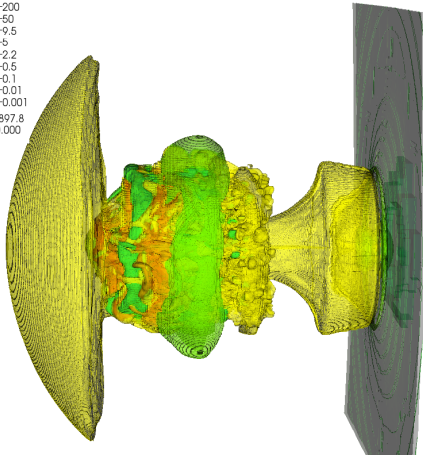


DB: variance of rho at time 0.06

Contour
Var: variance of rho



Max: 897.8
Min: 0.000

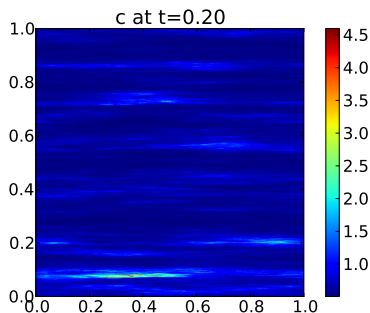


L	M_L	grid size	CFL	cores	runtime	efficiency
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A numerical experiment
with stochastic flux

Wave equation: log-normal material coefficient

$$p_{tt}(\mathbf{x}, t, \omega) - \nabla \cdot (c(\mathbf{x}, \omega) \nabla p(\mathbf{x}, t, \omega)) = 0$$



Coefficient $c(\mathbf{x}, \omega)$ is assumed to be **log-normal**, determined by its covariance

$$\text{Cov}(\log c(\mathbf{x}, \cdot), \log c(\mathbf{y}, \cdot)) = k(\|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}\|_{\eta}) = \sigma^2 \exp \left(-\sqrt{\sum_{r=1}^d \frac{|\mathbf{x}_r - \mathbf{y}_r|^2}{\eta_r^2}} \right)$$

where

- ▶ **covariance kernel** $k : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_+$
- ▶ **correlation lengths** in each direction $\eta = \{\eta_1, \dots, \eta_d\} \in \mathbb{R}_+^d$ (**anisotropy**)

Naive generation of log-normal coefficient in 1d

Given: kernel k with the specified variance σ^2 , correlation lengths $\eta = \{\eta_1, \dots, \eta_d\}$.

Goal: generate random coefficients $\mathbf{c}_i = c(\mathbf{x}^i, \omega)$ at cell mid-points $\{\mathbf{x}^i\} \in \mathbb{R}^N$ with

$$\text{Cov}(\mathbf{c}_i, \mathbf{c}_j) := k(\|\mathbf{x}^i - \mathbf{x}^j\|_\eta), \quad i, j \in \{1, \dots, N\}.$$

Naive generation:

1. Find a factorization $\mathbf{C} = \mathbf{L}\mathbf{L}^\top$ of the s.p.d. **covariance matrix** $\mathbf{C} \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times N}$

$$\mathbf{C}_{ij} = \text{Cov}(\mathbf{c}_i, \mathbf{c}_j).$$

2. Draw a Gaussian i.i.d. vector

$$\mathbf{g} \in \mathbb{R}^N, \quad \mathbf{g}_i \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1).$$

3. Compute the values of \mathbf{c}_i by

$$\mathbf{c} = \mathbf{L}\mathbf{g}.$$

Drawback: $\mathbf{C} = \mathbf{L}\mathbf{L}^\top$ is **very** expensive, only storage is $\mathcal{O}(N^2) \gg \mathcal{O}(N)$.

Spectral generation of log-normal coefficient in 1d ¹⁰

Stationary kernel \implies **circulant** covariance matrix **C**.

Spectral generation: $\mathcal{O}(N \log(N))$

1. **FFT** transforms of kernel $\mathbf{k} = k(\|\mathbf{x}^1 - \mathbf{x}^i\|_\eta)$ and Gaussian vector \mathbf{g}

$$\hat{\mathbf{k}} = \text{FFT}(\mathbf{k}) \in \mathbb{R}_+^N, \quad \hat{\mathbf{g}} = \text{FFT}(\mathbf{g}) \in \mathbb{C}^N.$$

\mathbf{k} is even $\implies \hat{\mathbf{k}}$ is real. $\hat{\mathbf{k}}$ are eigenvalues of s.p.d. **C** $\implies \hat{\mathbf{k}}$ are positive.

2. Decomposition **C** = **LL**^T = **LL**: take the square root of $\hat{\mathbf{k}}$:

$$\hat{\mathbf{l}} \in \mathbb{R}_+^N, \quad \hat{l}_i = \sqrt{\hat{k}_i}.$$

3. “Matrix-vector” multiplication **c** = **Lg** = **k** * **g** corresponds to

$$\mathbf{c} = \text{IFFT}(\hat{\mathbf{l}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{g}}).$$

4. Steps 1 - 3 are parallelized using FFTW library.

¹⁰Ravalec, Noetinger, Hu (Mathematical Geology, 2000)

Coupling generated samples on two mesh levels

The MLMC-FVM requires MC estimates of the **coupled differences**

$$E_{M_\ell}[\mathbf{U}_\ell - \mathbf{U}_{\ell-1}] = \sum_{i=m}^{M_\ell} [\mathbf{U}_\ell(\omega_m) - \mathbf{U}_{\ell-1}(\omega_m)].$$

Requirements for coupling $\mathbf{c}^{\ell-1} \in \mathbb{R}^{N/2}$ to $\mathbf{c}^\ell \in \mathbb{R}^N$:

- ▶ the **same** realization of $\mathbf{c}(\omega_m)$,
- ▶ **different** mesh resolutions, ℓ and $\ell - 1$, i.e. $\mathbf{c}^\ell(\omega_m)$ and $\mathbf{c}^{\ell-1}(\omega_m)$.

Naive method: average the coefficient $\mathbf{c}_i^{\ell-1} = \frac{1}{2} (\mathbf{c}_{2i}^\ell + \mathbf{c}_{2i+1}^\ell)$.

- ▶ separable kernel $k(\cdot)$: method is appropriate
- ▶ non-separable $k(\cdot)$: \mathbf{k}^ℓ needs to be computed from \mathbf{k}^L , for all $0 \leq \ell < L$.

Better method: filter the Gaussian vector \mathbf{g}^ℓ from level ℓ to $\ell - 1$ by averaging,

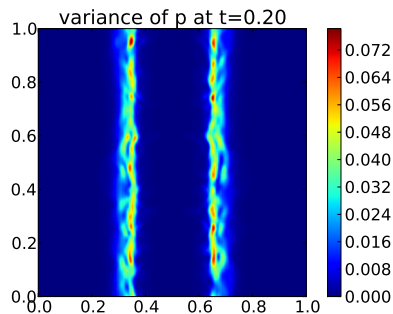
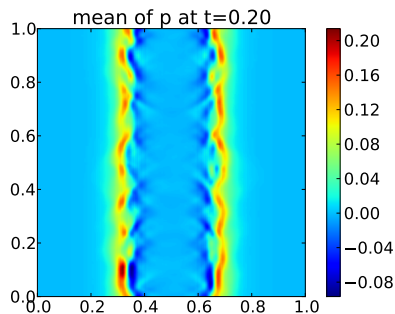
$$\mathbf{g}_i^{\ell-1} = \frac{\mathbf{g}_{2i}^\ell + \mathbf{g}_{2i+1}^\ell}{2} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1), \quad i = 1, \dots, N/2.$$

Afterwards, proceed as before,

$$\hat{\mathbf{k}}^{\ell-1} = \text{FFT}(\mathbf{k}^{\ell-1}) \in \mathbb{R}_+^{N/2}, \quad \hat{\mathbf{g}}^{\ell-1} = \text{FFT}(\mathbf{g}^{\ell-1}) \in \mathbb{C}^{N/2}, \quad \dots$$

Wave equation: mean and variance of acoustic pressure

For random log-normally distributed material coefficient



L	M_L	grid size	CFL	cores	runtime	efficiency
8	4	2048x2048	0.9	86	0:06:45	82.1%

Notice the **low efficiency** due to very heterogeneous samples.

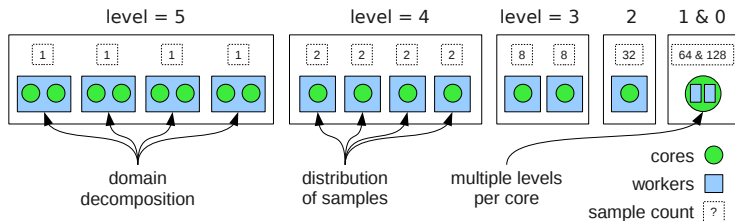
MLMC algorithm is non-intrusive



Parallelization

Static and adaptive load balancing for parallel MLMC-FVM

Parallelization over levels, samples and subdomains



- computational work at level ℓ : M_ℓ samples at resolution Δx_ℓ :

$$\text{Work}_{M_\ell}(\Delta x_\ell) = M_\ell \cdot \text{Work}^{\text{sample}}(\Delta x_\ell) = M_\ell \cdot \mathcal{O}(N_{\text{cells}} N_t) \approx M_\ell \cdot K \Delta x^{-(d+1)}.$$

Deterministic flux,
small variance in input data



Static (compile-time) balancing

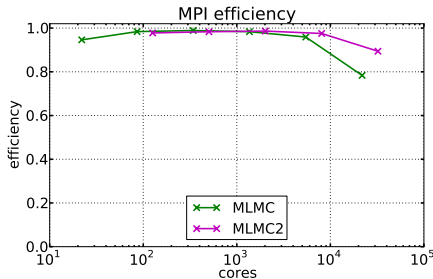
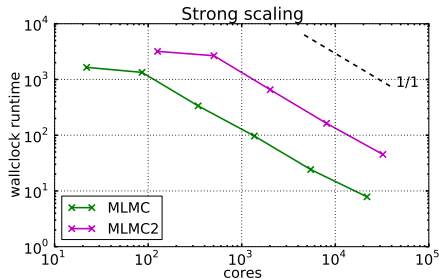
Stochastic flux,
large variance in input data



Adaptive (run-time) balancing

Linear (strong) scaling of static load balancing

(with domain decomposition)



Strong and weak scaling up to 40 000 cores with high efficiency.
(Cray XE6, CSCS)

Adaptive load balancing algorithm

Generalization of “greedy” algorithm for “workers” with non-uniform speed of execution

Setup: “Workers” \mathcal{G}_j with “computing capacities” C_j .

Loads: (computed in parallel)

$$\text{Load}_\ell^i = \lambda_\ell^i \Delta x^{-(d+1)}, \quad \ell = 0, \dots, L, \quad i = 1, \dots, M_\ell.$$

Recursive rule: (2-approximation of optimal balancing)¹¹

Assign the **largest** Load_ℓ^i to the worker \mathcal{G}_j for which the total load is **minimized**.

Pseudocode

$\mathcal{L} = \{\text{Load}_\ell^i : \ell = 0, \dots, L, i = 1, \dots, M_\ell\}$

while $\mathcal{L} \neq \emptyset$ **do**

$\text{Load}_\ell^i = \max \mathcal{L}$

$\mathcal{G}_j = \arg \min_{\mathcal{G}_j} \sum \left\{ \text{Load} / C_j : \text{Load} \in \mathcal{G}_j \cup \text{Load}_\ell^i \right\}$

$\mathcal{G}_j = \mathcal{G}_j \cup \text{Load}_\ell^i$

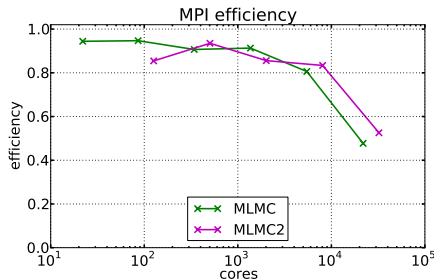
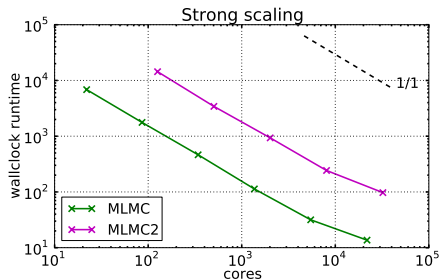
$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L} \setminus \text{Load}_\ell^i$

end while

¹¹Šukys (PPAM 2013)

Linear (strong) scaling of adaptive load balancing

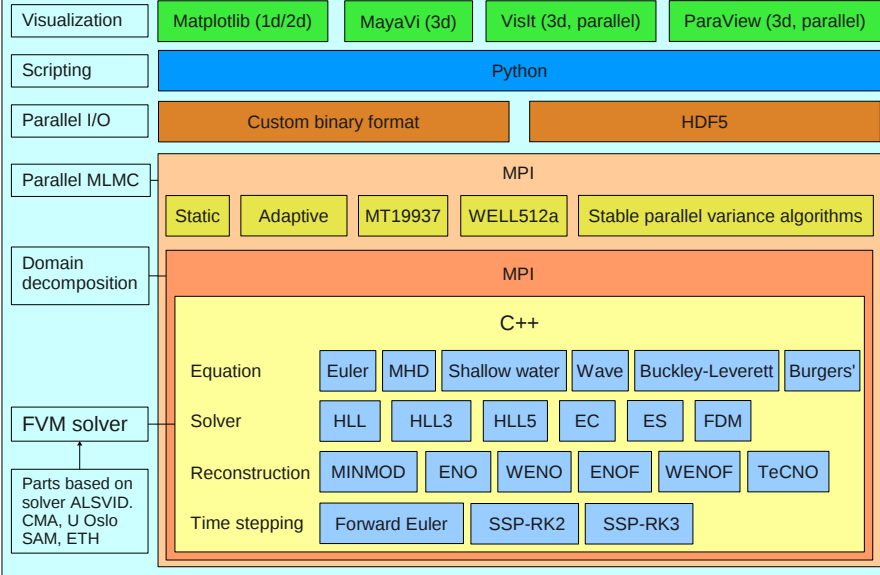
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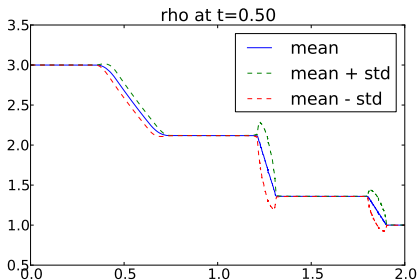
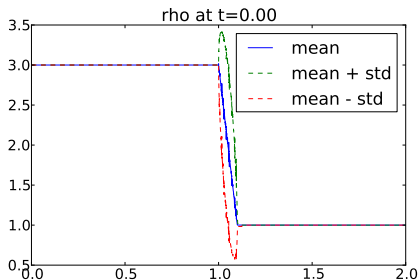
Parallel MLMC-FVM implementation: ALSVID-UQ

ALSVID-UQ



MLMC-FVM solution of the Sod shock tube

with uncertain initial shock location



L	M_L	grid size	CFL	cores	runtime	efficiency
12	16	32768	0.475	104	1:49:49	99.1%

Here, only mean and variance are provided.

How about a complete **empirical probability density function**?

Empirical probability density

Random initial data for Sod shock tube

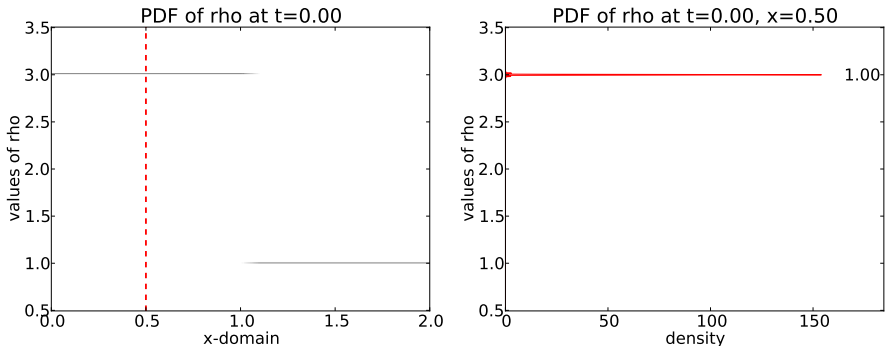


Figure: Initial empirical probability density of ρ at $T = 0$.

Empirical probability density at a rarefaction

Sod shock tube, MLMC-FVM approximation

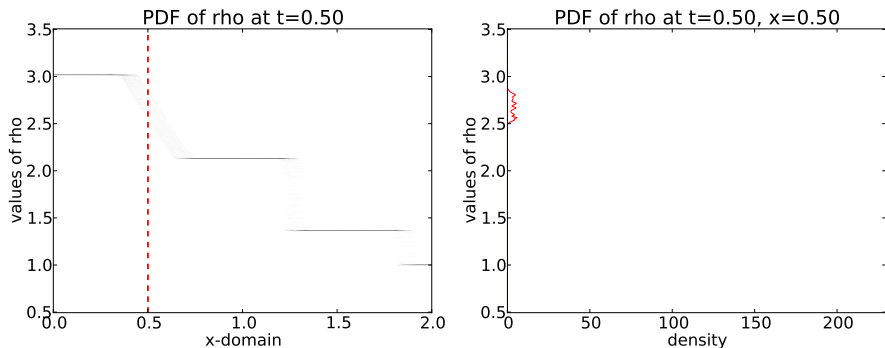


Figure: Empirical probability density of ρ at $T = 0.5$.

L	M_L	grid size	CFL	cores	runtime
8	8	4096	0.475	1	0:44:53

Empirical probability density at a contact discontinuity

Sod shock tube, MLMC-FVM approximation

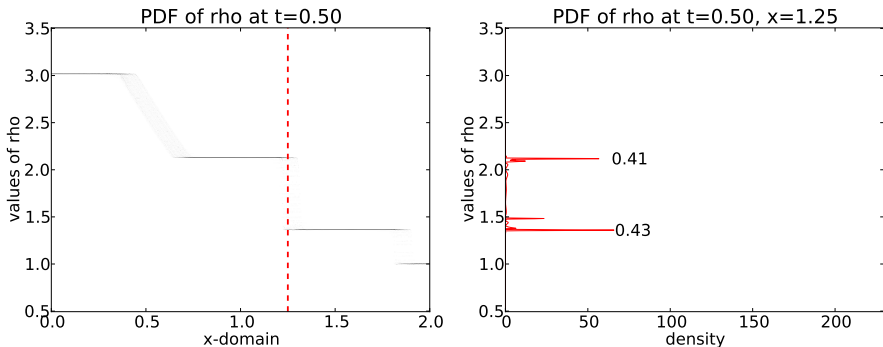


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Empirical probability density at a shock

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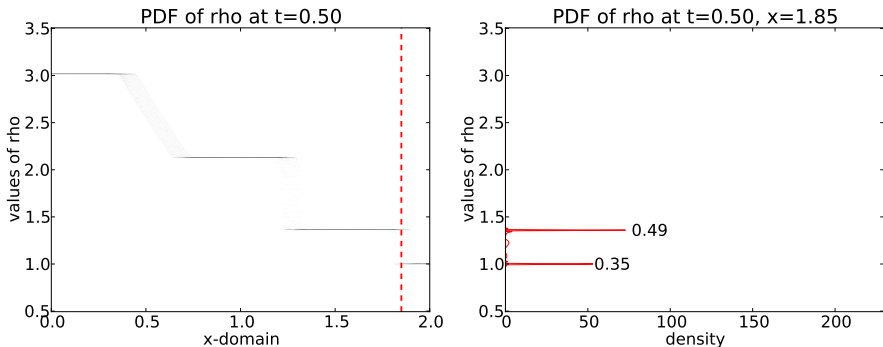


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Summary for MLMC-FVM method

- ▶ applications: **Euler, MHD, shallow water, Buckley-Leverett, wave, etc.**
- ▶ flexible w.r.t. the origin of the uncertainty: $\mathbf{U}_0, \mathbf{S}, c, \mathbf{F}$
- ▶ optimal computational complexity (same as for **deterministic** systems)
- ▶ 2-3 orders of magnitude **speed-up** of MLMC-FVM vs. MC-FVM
- ▶ **linear** complexity w.r.t. **stochastic dimension** (unlike in gPC)
- ▶ low **regularity** requirements
- ▶ **non-intrusive** - deterministic FVM solvers can be reused
- ▶ **easily** parallelizable and **scalable** (tested up to 40 000 cores)
- ▶ algorithmic **fault tolerant** parallelization:
 - ▶ **lost** samples (due to node failures) are **dropped**
 - ▶ MLMC-FVM error bound is still **valid**, in the sense of **expected accuracy**
 - ▶ NO checkpoint/restore needed from the system
 - ▶ the algorithm is **guaranteed to finish** during a given time span
 - ▶ collaboration with S. Pauli and P. Arbenz ¹²

¹²Pauli, Arbenz and Schwab (SAM Report No. 2012-24, PARCO 2013)

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