
Five lectures & five sets of lecture notes

- Kinetic theory
 - Distribution functions*
 - Boltzmann equation*
 - Transport equations
- Lattice-Boltzmann (LB) method
 - Discrete space, time & velocity
 - An LB algorithm
 - Chapman-Enskog analysis*
- Practical aspects of the LB method
 - Dimensional analysis
 - Boundary conditions
 - Coding
- Forces, collision operators
- Multiphase flow
 - Free energy LBM & interfaces*
 - Volume-averaged Navier-Stokes equation

Distribution function

mass of molecules at location \mathbf{x} at moment t
traveling with velocity ξ

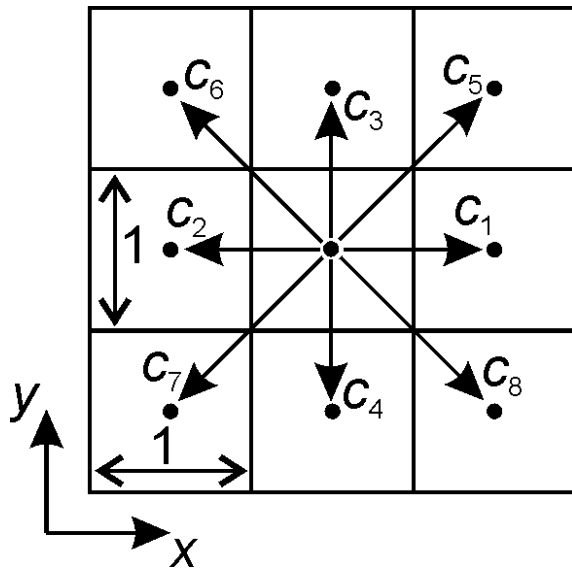
$$f(\mathbf{x}, \xi, t)$$

& its discrete counterpart

$$f_i(\mathbf{x}, t) \quad \text{with a velocity set } \mathbf{c}_i = (c_{ix}, c_{iy}, c_{iz})$$

integrations become
summations:

$$\rho = \sum_i f_i \quad \rho \mathbf{u} = \sum_i \mathbf{c}_i f_i$$



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$\Delta t = 1$ streaming: from lattice site to lattice site

$\Delta x = 1$

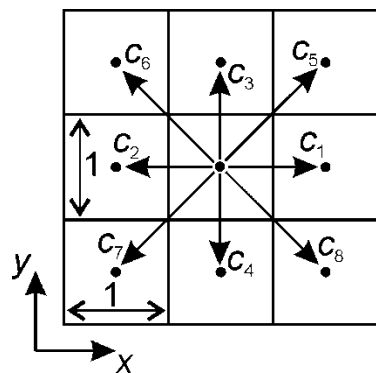
collisions $f_i^*(\mathbf{x}, t) = f_i(\mathbf{x}, t) + \Omega(\mathbf{x}, t)$
 post-collision pre-collision collision operator

streaming $f_i(\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{c}_i, t + 1) = f_i^*(\mathbf{x}, t)$

Collisions: BGK

$$\Omega_i(\mathbf{x}, t) = \Omega_i(f) = -\frac{1}{\tau} (f_i - f_i^{eq})$$

need a discrete version of the equilibrium distribution function



$$f_i^{eq} = w_i \rho \left[1 + \frac{u_\alpha c_{i\alpha}}{c_s^2} + \frac{(u_\alpha c_{i\alpha})^2}{2c_s^4} - \frac{u_\alpha u_\alpha}{2c_s^2} \right]$$

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$$w_0 = 4/9 \quad w_{1-4} = 1/9 \quad w_{5-8} = 1/36 \quad c_s^2 = 1/3$$

Collisions: MRT

$$\Omega(\mathbf{f}) = -\mathbf{M}^{-1}\mathbf{S}[\mathbf{m}(\mathbf{x}, t) - \mathbf{m}^{eq}(\mathbf{x}, t)]$$

$$\mathbf{m} = \mathbf{M} \cdot \mathbf{f}$$

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{bmatrix} m_{00} & m_{01} & \cdots & m_{08} \\ m_{10} & m_{11} & \cdots & m_{18} \\ \vdots & & \ddots & \vdots \\ m_{80} & m_{81} & \cdots & m_{88} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{S} = \begin{bmatrix} \omega_0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & \omega_1 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & \omega_8 \end{bmatrix}$$

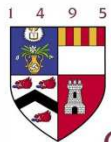
S: relaxation rates (different moment have different rates)

m: velocity moments of the distribution function

M: a constant coefficient matrix

$$\mathbf{S} = \text{diag}(0, \omega_e, \omega_\varepsilon, 0, \omega_q, 0, \omega_q, \omega_\nu, \omega_\nu)$$

$$\text{e.g. } \mu = \rho c_s^2 \left(\frac{1}{\omega_\nu} - \frac{1}{2} \right)$$



Forces in LBGK

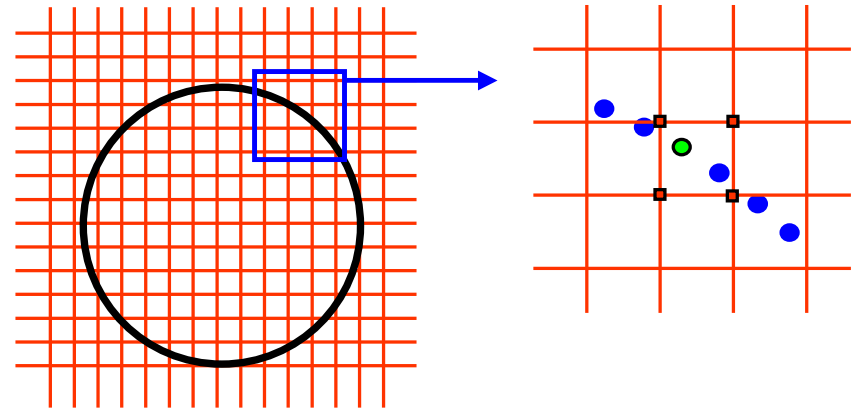
$$\rho \frac{\partial u_\alpha}{\partial t} + \rho u_\beta \frac{\partial u_\alpha}{\partial x_\beta} = -\frac{\partial p}{\partial x_\alpha} + \frac{\partial}{\partial x_\beta} \left[\mu \left(\frac{\partial u_\alpha}{\partial x_\beta} + \frac{\partial u_\beta}{\partial x_\alpha} \right) \right] + F_\alpha$$

include a new term in the LBE equation $f_i^* = f_i + \Omega_i + S_i$

$$S_i = \left(1 - \frac{1}{2\tau} \right) w_i \left(\frac{c_{i\alpha}}{c_s^2} + \frac{(c_{i\alpha} c_{i\beta} - c_s^2 \delta_{\alpha\beta}) u_\beta}{c_s^4} \right) F_\alpha$$

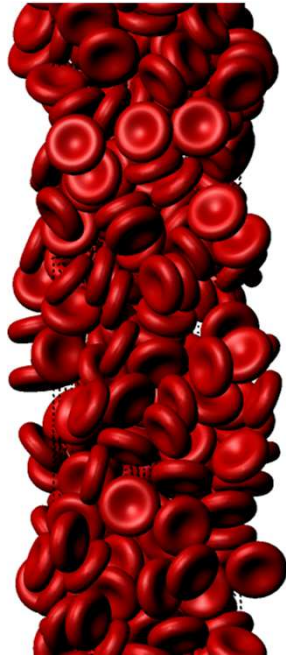
requires a “force correction” for momentum

$$\rho u_\alpha = \sum_i f_i c_{i\alpha} + \frac{1}{2} F_\alpha$$



application of forces: immersed boundary method to force fluid to a desired velocity at off-grid locations

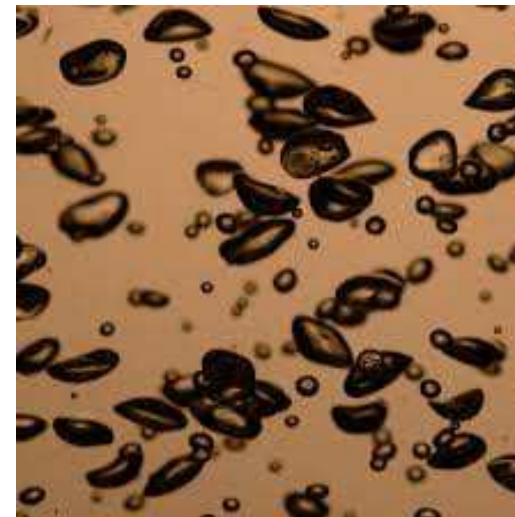
Now something new: multiphase flow



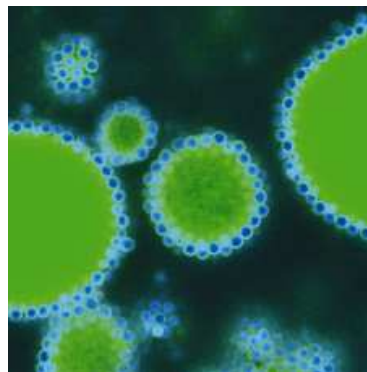
blood

(Pickering) emulsion

sediment transport



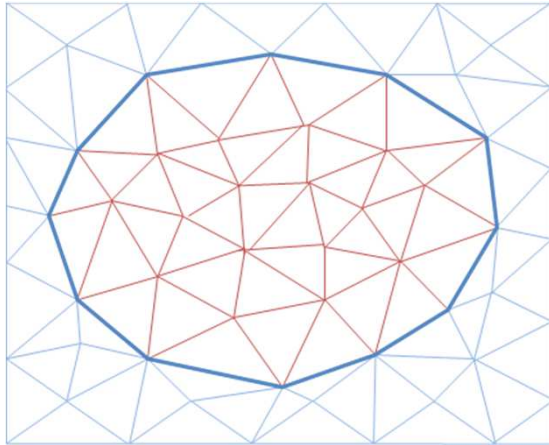
bubbly flow



freeboard of a fluidized bed



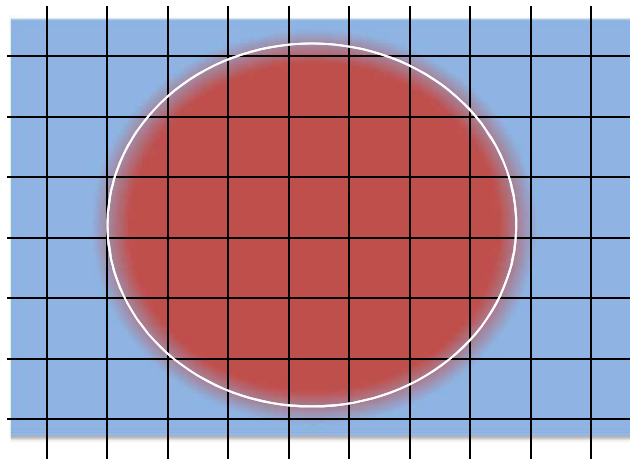
Dealing with interfaces (in general)



explicit interface
tracking

Explicit and implicit interface tracking methods

- topological changes are difficult with explicit methods
- fine grid required for implicit methods

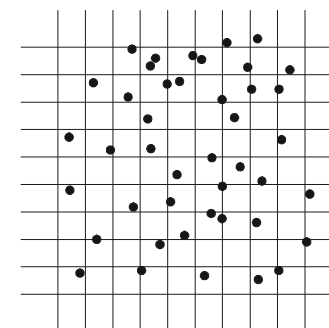


implicit interface
tracking

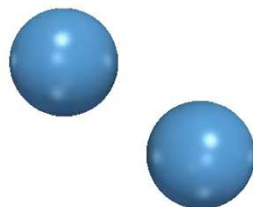
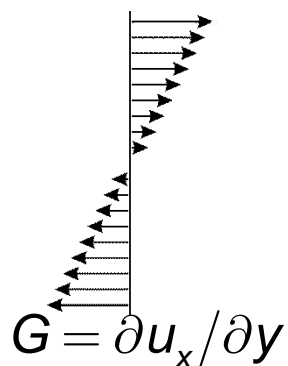
This lecture

Two applications involving LBM

- liquid-liquid systems
- solid-liquid systems with *unresolved* particles



solid particles (of various sizes)
getting suspended by stirring



coalescence in
shear flow

