

A stable scheme for simulation of incompressible flows in time-dependent domains and hemodynamic applications

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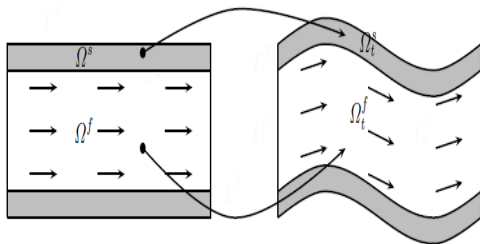
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Fluid-Structure Interaction

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Prerequisites for FSI



- ▶ reference subdomains Ω_f, Ω_s
- ▶ transformation ξ maps Ω_f, Ω_s to $\Omega_f(t), \Omega_s(t)$
- ▶ \mathbf{v} and \mathbf{u} denote velocities and displacements in $\widehat{\Omega} := \Omega_f \cup \Omega_s$
- ▶ $\xi(\mathbf{x}) := \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{u}(\mathbf{x}), \mathbf{F} := \nabla \xi = \mathbf{I} + \nabla \mathbf{u}, J := \det(\mathbf{F})$
- ▶ Cauchy stress tensors $\boldsymbol{\sigma}_f, \boldsymbol{\sigma}_s$
- ▶ pressures p_f, p_s
- ▶ density ρ_f is constant

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+ Initial, boundary, interface conditions ($\boldsymbol{\sigma}_f \mathbf{F}^{-T} \mathbf{n} = \boldsymbol{\sigma}_s \mathbf{F}^{-T} \mathbf{n}$)

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Numerical scheme

- ▶ Conformal triangular or tetrahedral mesh Ω_h in $\widehat{\Omega}$
- ▶ LBB-stable pair for velocity and pressure P_2/P_1 , P_2 for displacements
- ▶ Fortran open source software Ani2D, Ani3D (Advanced numerical instruments 2D/3D, K.Lipnikov, Yu.Vassilevski et al.)
<http://sf.net/p/ani2d/> <http://sf.net/p/ani3d/>:
 - ▶ mesh generation
 - ▶ FEM systems
 - ▶ algebraic solvers

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where

$$\mathbb{V}_h \subset H^1(\widehat{\Omega})^3, \mathbb{Q}_h \subset L^2(\widehat{\Omega}), \mathbb{V}_h^0 = \{\mathbf{v} \in \mathbb{V}_h : \mathbf{v}|_{\Gamma_{s_0} \cup \Gamma_{f_0}} = \mathbf{0}\}, \mathbb{V}_h^{00} = \{\mathbf{v} \in \mathbb{V}_h^0 : \mathbf{v}|_{\Gamma_{f_s}} = \mathbf{0}\}$$

$$\left[\frac{\partial \mathbf{f}}{\partial t} \right]_{k+1} := \frac{3\mathbf{f}^{k+1} - 4\mathbf{f}^k + \mathbf{f}^{k-1}}{2\Delta t}$$

Numerical scheme

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\Omega_s} \rho_s \left[\frac{\partial \mathbf{v}}{\partial t} \right]_{k+1} \psi \, d\Omega + \int_{\Omega_s} J_k \mathbf{F}(\tilde{\mathbf{u}}^k) \mathbf{S}(\mathbf{u}^{k+1}, \tilde{\mathbf{u}}^k) : \nabla \psi \, d\Omega + \\ & \int_{\Omega_f} \rho_f J_k \left[\frac{\partial \mathbf{v}}{\partial t} \right]_{k+1} \psi \, d\Omega + \int_{\Omega_f} \rho_f J_k \nabla \mathbf{v}^{k+1} \mathbf{F}^{-1}(\tilde{\mathbf{u}}^k) \left(\tilde{\mathbf{v}}^k - \left[\frac{\partial \mathbf{u}}{\partial t} \right]_k \right) \psi \, d\Omega + \\ & \int_{\Omega_f} 2\mu_f J_k \mathbf{D}_{\tilde{\mathbf{u}}^k} \mathbf{v}^{k+1} : \mathbf{D}_{\tilde{\mathbf{u}}^k} \psi \, d\Omega - \int_{\Omega} p^{k+1} J_k \mathbf{F}^{-T}(\tilde{\mathbf{u}}^k) : \nabla \psi \, d\Omega = 0 \quad \forall \psi \in \mathbb{V}_h^0 \end{aligned}$$

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- ▶ St. Venant–Kirchhoff model (geometrically nonlinear):

$$\mathbf{S}(\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2) = \lambda_s \operatorname{tr}(\mathbf{E}(\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2)) \mathbf{I} + 2\mu_s \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2);$$

$$\mathbf{E}(\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2) = \{\mathbf{F}(\mathbf{u}_1)^T \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{u}_2) - \mathbf{I}\}_s$$

- ▶ inc. Blatz–Ko model:

$$\mathbf{S}(\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2) = \mu_s (\operatorname{tr}(\{\mathbf{F}(\mathbf{u}_1)^T \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{u}_2)\}_s)) \mathbf{I} - \{\mathbf{F}(\mathbf{u}_1)^T \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{u}_2)\}_s$$

- ▶ inc. Neo-Hookean model:

$$\mathbf{S}(\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2) = \mu_s \mathbf{I}; \quad \mathbf{F}(\tilde{\mathbf{u}}^k) \rightarrow \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{u}^{k+1})$$

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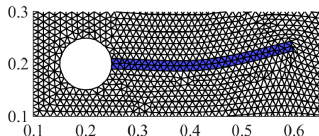
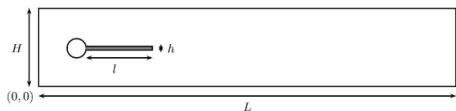
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- ▶ unconditionally stable (no CFL restriction), proved with assumptions:
 - ▶ 1st order in time
 - ▶ St. Venant–Kirchhoff inc./comp. (experiment: Neo-Hookean inc./comp.)
 - ▶ extension of \mathbf{u} to Ω_f guarantees $J_k > 0$
 - ▶ Δt is not large

A.Lofovskiy, M.Olshanskii, V.Salamatova, Yu.Vassilevski. An unconditionally stable semi-implicit FSI finite element method. *Comput.Methods Appl.Mech.Engrg.*, 297, 2015

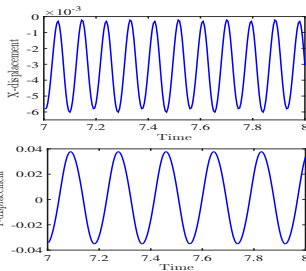
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- ▶ fluid: 2D transient Navier-Stokes, $\rho_f = 1000$, $\mu_f = 1$
- ▶ stick: SVK constitutive relation, $\rho_s = 1000$, $\lambda_s = 4\mu_s = 8 \cdot 10^6$
- ▶ inflow: parabolic velocity profile
- ▶ outflow: “do-nothing”
- ▶ rigid walls: no-slip condition
- ▶ $\Delta t = 10^{-3}$ until $T = 8$

Displacement extension in fluid domain: linear elasticity with $\mu_m = 20\mu_s$ and $\lambda_m = 20\lambda_s$ for adjacent to the beam elements



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	# of cells in Ω_f	# of cells in Ω_s	# of DOFs
Mesh 1	8652	162	76557
Mesh 2	17540	334	154242
Mesh 3	35545	658	310997

Mesh/method	$u_x \cdot 10^3$	$u_y \cdot 10^3$	F_D	F_L
1	-2.8 ± 2.6	1.5 ± 34.3	432.9 ± 22.3	0.98 ± 152.1
2	-3.0 ± 2.8	1.4 ± 35.9	453.8 ± 26.8	2.6 ± 154.0
3	-3.0 ± 2.9	1.4 ± 36.1	458.0 ± 27.6	3.0 ± 154.5
Turek, S. et al	$[-3.04, -2.84]$ $\pm[2.67, 2.87]$	$[1.28, 1.55]$ $\pm[34.61, 46.63]$	$[452.4, 474.9]$ $\pm[26.19, 36.63]$	$[1.81, 3.86]$ $\pm[152.7, 165.9]$
Liu, J.	-2.91 ± 2.74	1.46 ± 35.2	460.3 ± 27.67	2.41 ± 157

computed statistics for FSI3 test for the time interval [7,8]

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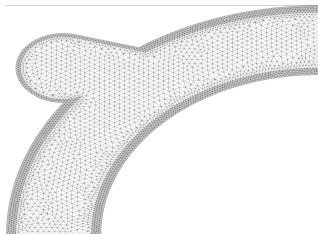
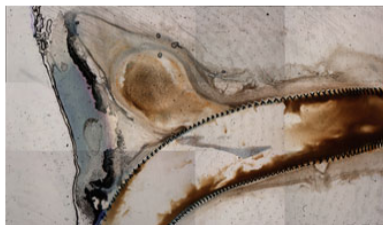
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Displacement extension in fluid domain:

- ▶ Harmonic \rightarrow mesh tangling
- ▶ Linear elasticity with $\mu_m = \mu_s$ and $\lambda_m = \lambda_s \rightarrow$ mesh tangling
- ▶ Linear elasticity with $\mu_m = 20\mu_s$ and $\lambda_m = 20\lambda_s$ for adjacent to the beam elements \rightarrow OK

2D test: blood vessel with aneurysm

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- ▶ Investigating sensitivity to compressibility of the vessel material: measuring wall shear stress (WSS) since it serves as a good indicator for the risk of aneurysm rupture
- ▶ Showing reliability of the semi-implicit scheme for hemodynamic applications

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- ▶ Material properties:

ρ_s	μ_s	ρ_f	μ_f
$1.12 \cdot 10^3 \text{ kg/m}^3$	270000 Pa	$1.035 \cdot 10^3 \text{ kg/m}^3$	$3.4983 \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ Pa} \cdot \text{s}$

- ▶ Weakly compressible neo-Hookean model (μ_s for dog's artery):

$$\boldsymbol{\sigma}_s = \frac{\mu_s}{J^2} \left(\mathbf{F}\mathbf{F}^T - \frac{1}{2} \text{tr}(\mathbf{F}\mathbf{F}^T) \mathbf{I} \right) + \left(\lambda_s + \frac{2\mu_s}{3} \right) (J - 1) \mathbf{I}, \quad \lambda_s \rightarrow \infty$$

Extrapolation is used in the model to retain semi-implicitness

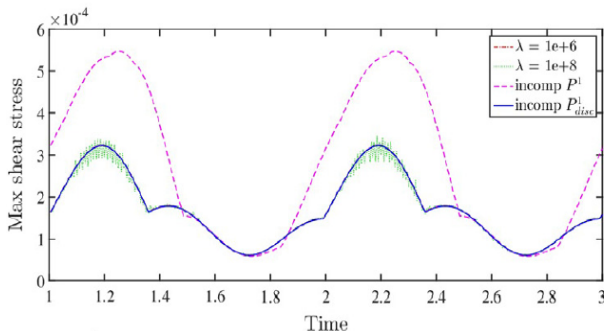
- ▶ Pulsatile parabolic inflow profile:

$$v_1(0, y, t) = -50(8 - y)(y - 6)(1 + 0.75 \sin(2\pi t)), \quad 6 \leq y \leq 8.$$

- ▶ λ_s takes values 10^4 , 10^6 , 10^8 kPa, i.e. Poisson's ratio $\nu \rightarrow 0.5$.
- ▶ Time step $\Delta t = 10^{-3}$ s until $T = 3$ s.
- ▶ Elasticity based displacement extension with $\mu_m = \mu_s$, $\lambda_m = 4\lambda_s$.

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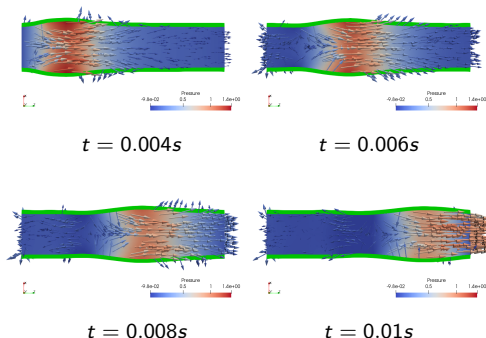
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WSS for weakly incompressible and fully incompressible cases, with continuous and discontinuous pressure at the interface

Best choices (area of wall, WSS): Neo-Hookean compressible with moderate λ_s and incompressible with discontinuous pressures.

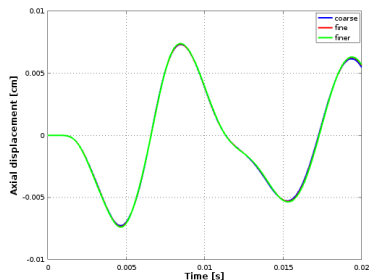
3D: pressure wave in flexible tube



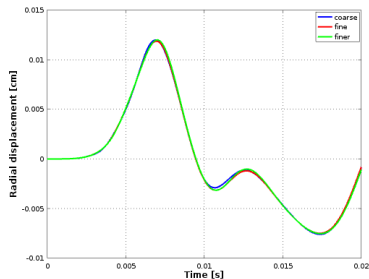
Pressure wave: middle cross-section velocity field, pressure distribution, velocity vectors and $10\times$ enlarged structure displacement for several time instances.

- ▶ The tube (fixed at both ends) is 50mm long, it has inner diameter of 10mm and the wall (SVK) is 1mm thick.
- ▶ Left end: external pressure p_{ext} is set to $1.333 \cdot 10^3 \text{Pa}$ for $t \in (0, 3 \cdot 10^{-3})\text{s}$ and zero afterwards, $\sigma_f \mathbf{F}^{-T} \mathbf{n} = p_{ext} \mathbf{n}$. Right end: open boundary
- ▶ Simulation was run with $\Delta t = 10^{-4} \text{s}$
- ▶ $\#Tets(\Omega_s) = 6336/11904/38016$, $\#Tets(\Omega_f) = 13200/29202/89232$

3D: pressure wave in flexible tube



axial component



radial component

Pressure wave: The radial and axial components of displacement of the inner tube wall at half the length of the pipe. Solutions are shown for three mesh sequentially refined meshes. The plots are almost indistinguishable.

3D: pressure wave in flexible tube

displacement extension in Ω_f

M.Landajuela et al. Coupling schemes for the FSI forward prediction challenge: comparative study and validation. *Int. J. for Numer. Meth. in Biomed. Engng.*, 33, 2017.

- ▶ Linear elasticity model is used for the **update** of the displacement extension in Ω_f

$$-\operatorname{div} \left[J \left(\lambda_m \operatorname{tr} \left(\nabla \left[\frac{\partial \mathbf{u}}{\partial t} \right]^k \mathbf{F}^{-1} \right) \mathbf{I} + \mu_m \left(\nabla \left[\frac{\partial \mathbf{u}}{\partial t} \right]^k \mathbf{F}^{-1} + \left(\nabla \left[\frac{\partial \mathbf{u}}{\partial t} \right]^k \mathbf{F}^{-1} \right)^T \right) \right) \mathbf{F}^{-T} \right] = 0 \quad \text{in } \Omega_f,$$

- ▶ the Lamé parameters are element-volume dependent:

$$\lambda_m = 16\mu_m = 16 \frac{\mu_s}{v_e^{1.2}}$$

3D: silicone filament in glycerol

Benchmark challenge for CMBE 2015, Paris

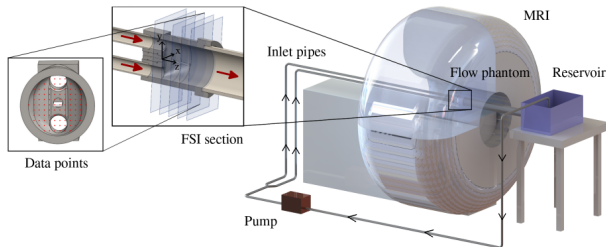
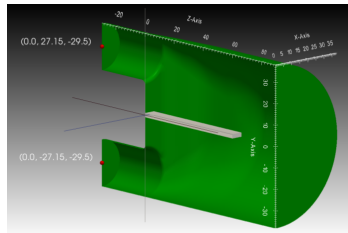
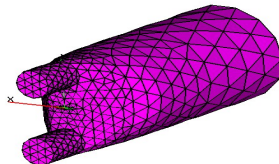
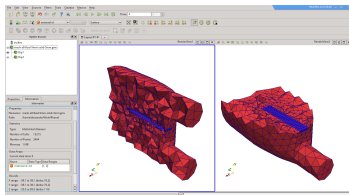


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Meshed volume: original and extended domains.

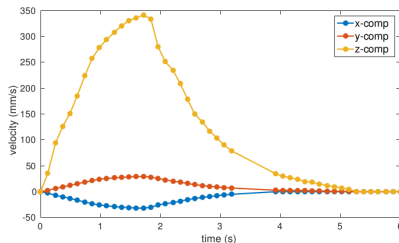


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- ▶ Steady and pulsatile flow regimes

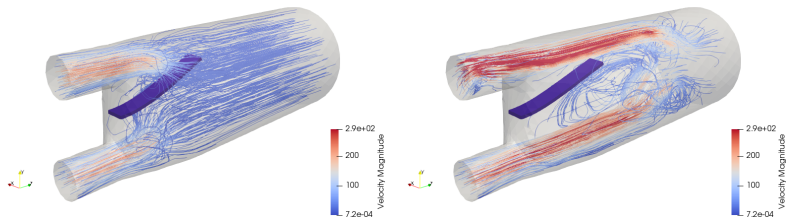
	Phase I	Phase II
velocity	stationary	pulsatile
ρ_f	$1.1633 \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ g mm}^3$	$1.164 \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ g mm}^3$
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- ▶ Inflow velocities for one cycle of frequency 1/6 Hz for phase II:

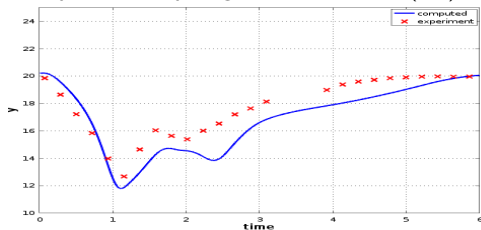


- ▶ Simulation was run with $\Delta t = 10^{-2} \text{ s}$, $t \in [0, 12]$
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Streamlines colored by the velocity magnitude $t = 0.721s$ (left), $t = 2.017s$ (right)



Track of the computed y -displacement of the point in the structure with coordinate $z \approx 53$, $x = 0$ for $t \in [0, 6]$ and recorded experimental data

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Conclusions for Part I

- ▶ We proposed unconditionally stable semi-implicit ALE FE scheme for FSI
- ▶ Only one linear system is solved per time step
- ▶ The scheme can incorporate diverse elasticity models
- ▶ Works robustly in 2D and 3D and handles various time-discretizations
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Prerequisites

- ▶ reference domain Ω_0
- ▶ transformation ξ maps Ω_0 to $\Omega(t)$
- ▶ \mathbf{v} and \mathbf{u} denote velocities and displacements in Ω_0
- ▶ $\xi(\mathbf{x}) := \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{u}(\mathbf{x})$, $\mathbf{F} := \nabla \xi = \mathbf{I} + \nabla \mathbf{u}$, $J := \det(\mathbf{F})$
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Mapping ξ does not define material trajectories \rightarrow quasi-Lagrangian formulation

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Convergence of the FE solution

Assume

1. LBB stable FE pair P_{m+1} - P_m ;
2. Ω_0 is a convex polyhedron;
3. $\mathbf{u}_{tt} \in L^\infty(\Omega_0)$, $\mathbf{u}(t) \in H^{m+\frac{5}{2}}(\Omega_0)$, $p(t) \in H^{m+1}(\Omega_0)$ for all $t \in [0, T]$;
4. $c\Delta t \geq h^{2m+4}$ with some c independent of h , Δt ;
5. either Δt is small enough s.t. $\frac{1}{2} - \tilde{C}\Delta t > 0$ or $\nu \geq \tilde{C} C_K$

Then

$$\max_{1 \leq k \leq N} \|\mathbf{e}^k\|_k^2 + 2\nu\Delta t \sum_{k=1}^N \|\mathbf{D}_k(\mathbf{e}^k)\|_k^2 \leq C \left(h^{2(m+1)} + (\Delta t)^2 + (\Delta t)^{-1} h^{2(m+2)} \right).$$

In particular, for Taylor-Hood pair, $m = 1$:

$$\max_{1 \leq k \leq N} \|\mathbf{e}^k\|_k^2 + 2\nu\Delta t \sum_{k=1}^N \|\mathbf{D}_k(\mathbf{e}^k)\|_k^2 \leq C \max\{h^2; \Delta t\} \text{ if } h^2 \leq c\Delta t.$$

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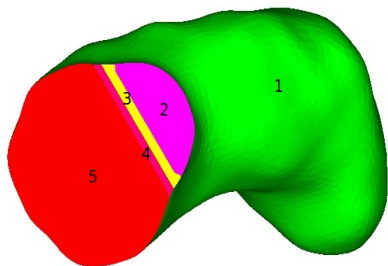


Figure: Left ventricle

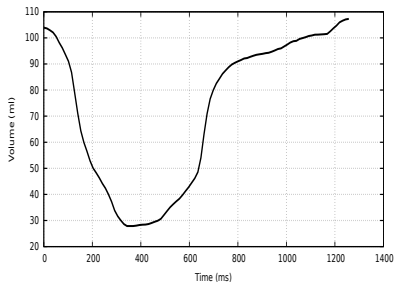
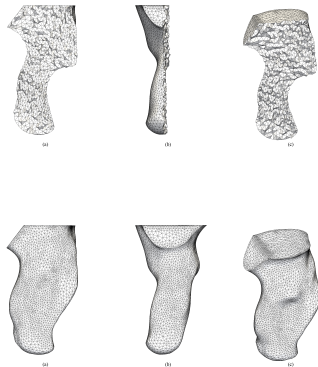


Figure: Ventricle volume

The law of motion for the ventricle walls is known thanks to ceCT scans → 100 mesh files with time gap 0.0127 s → \mathbf{u} given as input → FSI reduced to NSE in a moving domain

- ▶ 2 - aortic valve (outflow)
- ▶ 5 - mitral valve (inflow)

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- ▶ Quasi-uniform mesh: 14033 vertices, 69257 elements, 88150 edges.
- ▶ Boundary conditions: Dirichlet $\mathbf{v} = \frac{\partial \mathbf{u}}{\partial t}$ except:
 - ▶ Do-nothing on aortal valve during systole
 - ▶ Do-nothing on mitral valve during diastole
- ▶ Time step 0.0127 s is too large! \implies refined to $\Delta t = 0.0127/20$ s \implies Cubic-splined \mathbf{u} .
- ▶ Blood parameters: $\rho_f = 10^3$ kg/m³, $\mu_f = 4 \cdot 10^{-3}$ Pa \cdot s.

Conclusions for Part II

- ▶ We proposed unconditionally stable semi-implicit FE scheme for NS eqs in moving domain
- ▶ The scheme is proven to be second order accurate in space
- ▶ Only one linear system is solved per time step
- ▶ The scheme was applied to blood flow simulation in a geometrical dynamic model of the left ventricle

Stabilization in space for flow in the left ventricle

DNS resulted in convective instability during sharp deformation phases.
We use a simple Smagorinsky dissipation model:

$$\mathbf{z}^{k-1} := \mathbf{v}^{k-1} - \frac{\mathbf{u}^k - \mathbf{u}^{k-1}}{\Delta t},$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\Omega(t^{k-1})} \frac{\mathbf{v}^k - \mathbf{v}^{k-1}}{\Delta t} \cdot \boldsymbol{\psi} \, d\mathbf{x} + \int_{\Omega(t^{k-1})} \nabla \mathbf{v}^k \mathbf{z}^{k-1} \cdot \boldsymbol{\psi} \, d\mathbf{x} \\ & - \int_{\Omega(t^{k-1})} \mathbf{s}^k \operatorname{div} \boldsymbol{\psi} \, d\mathbf{x} + \int_{\Omega(t^{k-1})} \mathbf{q} \operatorname{div} \mathbf{v}^k \, d\mathbf{x} + \int_{\Omega(t^{k-1})} 2\nu \{\nabla \mathbf{v}^k\}_s : \nabla \boldsymbol{\psi} \, d\mathbf{x} + \\ & \sum_e \int_{\Omega_e(t^{k-1})} 2\nu_T^{k-1} \{\nabla \mathbf{v}^k\}_s : \nabla \boldsymbol{\psi} \, d\mathbf{x} = 0, \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\nu_T^{k-1} = 0.04 h_e^2 \sqrt{2 \{\nabla \mathbf{z}^{k-1}\}_s : \nabla \mathbf{z}^{k-1}}.$$

Worked for the entire cardiac cycle with the original viscosity and mesh!