

# HOMOGENIZATION OF MULTISCALE MULTICONTINUUM SYSTEM

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# Two continuum system

- $D \subset \mathbb{R}^d$  be a domain,  $Y = (0, 1)^d$ ,  $\varepsilon > 0$
- Two continuum system

$$C_{11}^\varepsilon \frac{\partial u_1^\varepsilon}{\partial t} = \operatorname{div}(\kappa_1^\varepsilon \nabla u_1^\varepsilon) + \frac{1}{\varepsilon^\alpha} Q^\varepsilon(u_2^\varepsilon - u_1^\varepsilon) + q,$$

$$C_{22}^\varepsilon \frac{\partial u_2^\varepsilon}{\partial t} = \operatorname{div}(\kappa_2^\varepsilon \nabla u_2^\varepsilon) + \frac{1}{\varepsilon^\alpha} Q^\varepsilon(u_1^\varepsilon - u_2^\varepsilon) + q,$$

- Initial conditions:  $u_1^\varepsilon(0) = g_1$ ,  $u_2^\varepsilon(0) = g_2$ .
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$$C_{ii}^\varepsilon(x) = C_{ii}(x, \frac{x}{\varepsilon}), \kappa_i^\varepsilon(x) = \kappa_i(x, \frac{x}{\varepsilon}), Q^\varepsilon(x) = Q(x, \frac{x}{\varepsilon}), \quad i = 1, 2.$$

- $C_{ii}(x, y)$ ,  $\kappa_i(x, y)$  and  $Q(x, y)$  are  $Y$ -periodic wrt  $y$ .
- $\alpha = 0, 1, 2$ .

## Case $\alpha = 0$

- Performing two scale asymptotic expansion

$$u_1^\varepsilon(t, x) = u_{10}(t, x) + \varepsilon u_{11}(t, x, \frac{x}{\varepsilon}) + \varepsilon^2 u_{12}(t, x, \frac{x}{\varepsilon}) + \dots$$

$$u_2^\varepsilon(t, x) = u_{20}(t, x) + \varepsilon u_{21}(t, x, \frac{x}{\varepsilon}) + \varepsilon^2 u_{22}(t, x, \frac{x}{\varepsilon}) + \dots,$$

where  $u_{1i}(t, x, y)$ ,  $u_{2i}(t, x, y)$  are periodic with respect to  $y$ .

- $u_1^\varepsilon \rightharpoonup u_{10}(t, x)$ ,  $u_2^\varepsilon \rightharpoonup u_{20}(t, x)$  in  $L^2((0, T); H_0^1(D))$

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$$\langle C_{11} \rangle \frac{\partial u_{10}}{\partial t} = \operatorname{div}(\kappa_1^* \nabla u_{10}) + \langle Q \rangle (u_{20} - u_{10}) + q$$

$$\langle C_{22} \rangle \frac{\partial u_{20}}{\partial t} = \operatorname{div}(\kappa_2^* \nabla u_{20}) + \langle Q \rangle (u_{10} - u_{20}) + q$$

- $\kappa_1^*$ ,  $\kappa_2^*$  are the usual homogenized coefficients.

- $\langle \cdot \rangle$  denotes average over  $Y$  wrt  $y$ .

## Case $\alpha = 1$

- Cell problems: For  $k = 1, 2$ , let  $M_k(x, y)$  periodic in  $y$  be solution of

$$\operatorname{div}_y(\kappa_k \nabla_y M_k) + Q = 0,$$

(assuming  $\int_Y Q(x, y) dy = 0$ ).

- For  $i = 1, \dots, d$

$$\nabla_y \cdot (\kappa_k (e^i + \nabla_y N_k^i)) = 0,$$

$e^i$  is the  $i$ th unit vector.

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$$u_{11} = \sum_{i=1}^d N_1^i \frac{\partial u_{10}}{\partial x_i} + M_1(u_{20} - u_{10}),$$

$$u_{21} = \sum_{i=1}^d N_2^i \frac{\partial u_{20}}{\partial x_i} + M_2(u_{10} - u_{20}).$$

# Case $\alpha = 1$

- Homogenized system:

$$\begin{aligned} \langle C_{11} \rangle \frac{\partial u_{10}}{\partial t} &= \nabla \cdot \left( \kappa_1^* \nabla u_{10} \right) + \nabla \cdot \left( \left( \int_Y \kappa_1 \nabla_y M_1 dy \right) (u_{20} - u_{10}) \right) + \\ &\sum_{i=1}^d \left( \left( \int_Y Q N_2^i dy \right) \frac{\partial u_{20}}{\partial x_i} - \left( \int_Y Q N_1^i dy \right) \frac{\partial u_{10}}{\partial x_i} \right) \\ &- \left( \int_Y Q (M_1 + M_2) dy \right) (u_{20} - u_{10}) + q \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle C_{22} \rangle \frac{\partial u_{20}}{\partial t} &= \nabla \cdot \left( \kappa_2^* \nabla u_{20} \right) + \nabla \cdot \left( \left( \int_Y \kappa_2 \nabla_y M_2 dy \right) (u_{10} - u_{20}) \right) + \\ &\sum_{i=1}^d \left( \left( \int_Y Q N_1^i dy \right) \frac{\partial u_{10}}{\partial x_i} - \left( \int_Y Q N_2^i dy \right) \frac{\partial u_{20}}{\partial x_i} \right) \\ &- \left( \int_Y Q (M_1 + M_2) dy \right) (u_{10} - u_{20}) + q \end{aligned}$$

## Case $\alpha = 2$

- $u_{10} = u_{20} = u_0(t, x)$
- Cell problem

$$\nabla_y \cdot (\kappa_1(x, y)(e^i + \nabla_y N_1^i)) + Q(x, y)(N_2^i - N_1^i) = 0,$$

$$\nabla_y \cdot (\kappa_2(x, y)(e^i + \nabla_y N_2^i)) + Q(x, y)(N_1^i - N_2^i) = 0.$$

- Homogenized problem

$$(\langle C_{11} \rangle + \langle C_{22} \rangle) \frac{\partial u_0}{\partial t} = \nabla_x \cdot ((\kappa_1^* + \kappa_2^*) \nabla_x u_0) + 2q.$$

- Initial condition

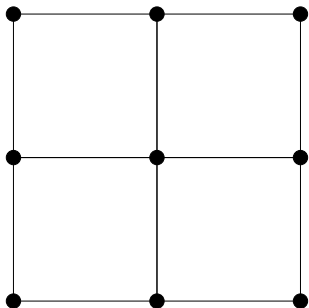
$$u_0(0, x) = \frac{\langle C_{11} \rangle g_1 + \langle C_{22} \rangle g_2}{\langle C_{11} \rangle + \langle C_{22} \rangle}.$$

# Hierarchical FE for cell problems ( $\alpha = 2$ )

- For simplicity: the domain  $D = [0, 1]^d$
- Hierarchy of **piecewise linear** FE spaces

$$V^0 \subset V^1 \subset \dots \subset V^L \subset H_{per}^1(Y);$$

$V^l$  has mesh-size  $2^{-l}$ .

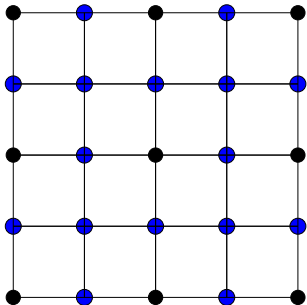


- At macroscopic points  $x$  of level 0 to solve cell problems:  
use **piecewise linear FE**

with **the smallest meshsize  $2^{-L}$** ,  
i.e. use  $V^L$

**FE error is  $O(2^{-L})$ .**

# Hierarchical FE for cell problems ( $\alpha = 2$ )



- At macroscopic points  $x$  of level 1:  
use meshsize  $2^{-L+1}$

i.e use  $V^{L-1}$

use the FE solution at points at level 0  
to compensate for the larger meshsize.



# Hierarchical FE for cell problems ( $\alpha = 2$ )

The equation to solve:

$$\nabla_y \cdot (\kappa_1(x, y)(e^i + \nabla_y N_1^i)) + Q(x, y)(N_2^i - N_1^i) = 0,$$

$$\nabla_y \cdot (\kappa_2(x, y)(e^i + \nabla_y N_2^i)) + Q(x, y)(N_1^i - N_2^i) = 0.$$



- $x' \in$  level 0,  $x \in$  level 1,  $|x - x'| = O(1/4)$

- FE solution at  $x'$  in level 0 is  $\bar{w}_i(x', \cdot)$ :

$$\|N_1^i(x', \cdot) - \bar{N}_1^i(x', \cdot)\|_{H^1(\mathcal{Y})} \leq c2^{-L}, \|N_2^i(x', \cdot) - \bar{N}_2^i(x', \cdot)\|_{H^1(\mathcal{Y})} \leq c2^{-L}.$$

- Use  $\bar{N}_1^i(x', \cdot)$ ,  $\bar{N}_2^i(x', \cdot)$  to compute an approximation for cell problem at  $x$ , i.e. for  $N_1^i(x, \cdot)$  and  $N_2^i(x, \cdot)$ .

# Hierarchical FE for cell problems ( $\alpha = 2$ )

- Cell problems at  $x$  and  $x'$ :

$$\nabla_y \cdot (\kappa_1(x, y)(e^i + \nabla_y N_1^i(x, y))) + Q(x, y)(N_2^i(x, y) - N_1^i(x, y)) = 0,$$

$$\nabla_y \cdot (\kappa_2(x, y)(e^i + \nabla_y N_2^i(x, y))) + Q(x, y)(N_1^i(x, y) - N_2^i(x, y)) = 0.$$

$$\nabla_y \cdot (\kappa_1(x', y)(e^i + \nabla_y N_1^i(x', y))) + Q(x', y)(N_2^i(x', y) - N_1^i(x', y)) = 0,$$

$$\nabla_y \cdot (\kappa_2(x', y)(e^i + \nabla_y N_2^i(x', y))) + Q(x', y)(N_1^i(x', y) - N_2^i(x', y)) = 0.$$

- Let

$$N_1^{ic}(x, \cdot) = N_1^i(x, \cdot) - N_1^i(x', \cdot),$$

$$N_2^{ic}(x, \cdot) = N_2^i(x, \cdot) - N_2^i(x', \cdot).$$

# Hierarchical FE for cell problems ( $\alpha = 2$ )

- Equation for  $N_1^{ic}$  and  $N_2^{ic}$ :

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla_y(\kappa_1(x, y)\nabla_y N_1^{ic}(x, y)) + Q(x, y)(N_2^{ic}(x, y) - N_1^{ic}(x, y)) &= F_1, \\ \nabla_y(\kappa_2(x, y)\nabla_y N_2^{ic}(x, y)) + Q(x, y)(N_1^{ic}(x, y) - N_2^{ic}(x, y)) &= F_2\end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}F_1 &= -\nabla_y((\kappa_1(x, y) - \kappa_1(x', y))\nabla_y N_1^i(x', y)) \\ &\quad -\nabla_y((\kappa_1(x, y) - \kappa_1(x', y))e^i) \\ &\quad + (Q(x', y) - Q(x, y))(N_2^i(x', y) - N_1^i(x', y)).\end{aligned}$$

Similar

$$\begin{aligned}F_2 &= -\nabla_y((\kappa_2(x, y) - \kappa_2(x', y))\nabla_y N_2^i(x', y)) \\ &\quad -\nabla_y((\kappa_2(x, y) - \kappa_2(x', y))e^i) \\ &\quad + (Q(x', y) - Q(x, y))(N_1^i(x', y) - N_2^i(x', y)).\end{aligned}$$

## Hierarchical FE for cell problems ( $\alpha = 2$ )

- As FE approximation  $\bar{N}_1^i(x', \cdot)$ ,  $\bar{N}_2^i(x', \cdot)$  have been computed, we consider the same equation, with

$$\begin{aligned} F_1 = & -\nabla_y((\kappa_1(x, y) - \kappa_1(x', y))\nabla_y \bar{N}_1^i(x', y)) \\ & -\nabla_y((\kappa_1(x, y) - \kappa_1(x', y))e^i) \\ & +(Q(x', y) - Q(x, y))(\bar{N}_2^i(x', y) - \bar{N}_1^i(x', y)). \end{aligned}$$

Similar for  $F_2$

- Use FE element space  $V^{L-1}$  with mesh-size  $2^{-L+1}$ ,
- FE solution  $\bar{N}_1^{ic}(x, \cdot)$ ,  $\bar{N}_2^{ic}(x, \cdot)$

- Let

$$\bar{N}_1^i(x, \cdot) = \bar{N}_1^i(x', \cdot) + \bar{N}_1^{ic}(x, \cdot) \in V^{L-1}$$

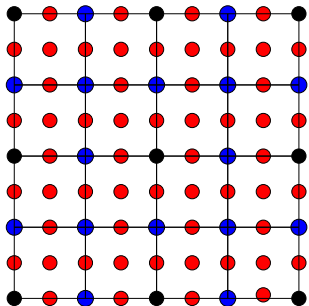
$$\bar{N}_2^i(x, \cdot) = \bar{N}_2^i(x', \cdot) + \bar{N}_2^{ic}(x, \cdot) \in V^{L-1}.$$

- Error estimate

$$\|\bar{N}_1^i(x, \cdot) - N_1^i(x, \cdot)\|_{H^1(Y)} \leq c2 \cdot 2^{-L},$$

$$\|\bar{N}_2^i(x, \cdot) - N_2^i(x, \cdot)\|_{H^1(Y)} \leq c2 \cdot 2^{-L}.$$

# Hierarchical macroscopic points



- At macroscopic points  $x$  of level 2:  
use meshsize  $2^{-L+2}$

i.e use  $V^{L-2}$

use the FE solution at points at level 1 to compensate for the larger mesh-size.

## Hierarchical FE for cell problems ( $\alpha = 2$ )

- At macroscopic points  $x$  of level  $i$ :  
use  $V^{L-i}$  with meshsize  $2^{-L+i}$
- The FE error is  $\leq ci2^{-L}$
- For all  $O(2^{Ld})$  points from level 0 to  $L$ , we only use  $O(L2^{dL})$  number of degrees of freedom.
- The maximum FE error is  $O(L2^{-L})$
- If we solve cell problems at each point separately, then the number of degrees of freedom is  $O(2^{2dL})$ .

# Hierarchical FE for cell problems ( $\alpha = 2$ )

Example:  $x = (x_1, x_2) \in D = (0, 1)^2$ ,  $y = (y_1, y_2) \in Y = (0, 1)^2$

$$\kappa_1(x, y) = (1 - x_1) \cos(2\pi y_1) \sin(2\pi y_2) + 3,$$

$$\kappa_2(x, y) = (1 - x_1) \sin(2\pi y_1) \cos(2\pi y_2) + 3,$$

$$Q(x, y) = (1 + x_1) \sin(2\pi y_1) \sin(2\pi y_2) + 3.$$

