

Composition of efficient, scalable solvers for performance-portable applications

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CEED
EXASCALE DISCRETIZATIONS



EXASCALE COMPUTING PROJECT

Where do I come from?



Siena, Tuscany, Italy

Ok, where do I come from, mathematically speaking?

Master's thesis:

Catmull-Clark *Subdivision Surfaces* (Computer-Aided Design, '78)

The limit-surface obtained is a bicubic uniform B-spline surface of class C^2 , except at *extraordinary* points



PhD dissertation: Viscoelastic fluids

PhD in Applied Math from NJIT on numerical simulations of thin films
(long-waves) of viscoelastic fluids



Viscoelastic
materials:

- hysteresis:
loop in
stress-strain rate
curve
- stress relaxation:
constant $\epsilon \Rightarrow$
decreasing σ
- creep:
constant $\sigma \Rightarrow$
increasing ϵ

PhD dissertation

Second order finite
differences on a
staggered grid

Fixed Δx ,
adaptive Δt ,
Crank-Nicolson scheme



PhD dissertation (cont'ed)

Long-wave approximation in two spatial dimensions:

$$(1 + \lambda_2 \partial_t) h_t + \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left\{ (\lambda_2 - \lambda_1) \left(\frac{h^2}{2} Q - hR \right) h_t + \left[(1 + \lambda_1 \partial_t) \frac{h^3}{3} + (1 + \lambda_2 \partial_t) h h^2 \right] \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\frac{\partial^2 h}{\partial x^2} + \Pi(h) \right) \right\} = 0,$$

$$Q + \lambda_2 Q_t = -\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\frac{\partial^2 h}{\partial x^2} + \Pi(h) \right),$$

$$R + \lambda_2 R_t = -h \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\frac{\partial^2 h}{\partial x^2} + \Pi(h) \right).$$

$$\text{disjoining pressure: } \Pi(h) = \frac{\gamma(1-\cos\theta_e)}{M h_*} \left[\left(\frac{h_*}{h} \right)^n - \left(\frac{h_*}{h} \right)^m \right],$$

θ_e contact angle, $M = 0.5$, ($n = 3, m = 2$), h_* precursor film thickness.

Jeffreys' constitutive law:

$$\sigma + \lambda_1 \partial_t \sigma = 2\eta(\dot{\epsilon} + \lambda_2 \partial_t \dot{\epsilon})$$



PhD dissertation (cont'ed)

Shear and extensional free-boundary flows of viscoelastic membranes

Linear finite elements with plane stress formulation. Different constitutive models considered: elastic, viscous, viscoelastic (Maxwell)

References

Some references:

V. Barra, S. AFKHAMI, L. KONDIC, *Mathematical and numerical modeling of thin viscoelastic films of Jeffreys type subjected to the van der Waals and gravitational forces*, EPJE, **42**, 1 – 14 (2019)

V. Barra, S. A. CHESTER, S. AFKHAMI, *Numerical Simulations of Nearly Incompressible Viscoelastic Membranes*, Computers & Fluids, **175**, 36 – 47 (2018)

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Internship at Pixar

12-week internship program at



Developed 2 proprietary libraries in C++ for viscous fluid simulations on curved surfaces

A vorticity-formulation Navier-Stokes solver with fluid-structure interactions, using Discrete Exterior Calculus (DEC) and time-splitting



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A thin film (long-wave) solver on curved surfaces

Arbitrary topology
and element shapes

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for Side FX Houdini



Overview

① Introduction

② libCEED

③ Performance

Theta

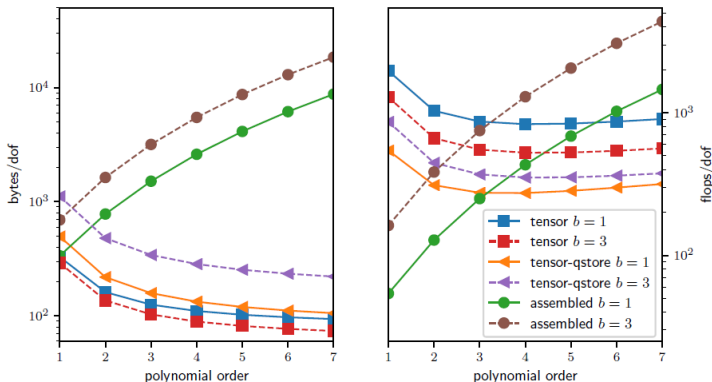
Skylake

Summit

④ Numerical Examples



Motivation: Why matrix-free? And why high-order?



Memory bandwidth (left) and FLOPs per dof (right) to apply a Jacobian matrix, obtained from discretizations of a b -variable PDE system. Assembled matrix vs matrix-free (exploits the tensor product structure by either storing at q -points or computing on the fly)

[Courtesy: Jed Brown]

Overview

- For decades, high-order numerical methods have been considered too expensive
- A sparse matrix is no longer a good representation for high-order operators. In particular, the Jacobian of a nonlinear operator is known to rapidly lose sparsity as the order is increased
- libCEED uses a matrix-free operator description, based on a purely algebraic interface, where user only specifies action of weak form operators
- libCEED operator representation is optimal with respect to the FLOPs needed for its evaluation, as well as the memory transfer needed for operator evaluations (matvec)
 - Matrix-free operators that exploit tensor-product structures reduce the work load from $O(p^6)$ (for sparse matrix) to $O(p^4)$, and memory storage from $O(p^6)$ to $O(p^3)$
- We demonstrate the usage of libCEED, its integration with other packages, and some PETSc application examples



libCEED: the library of CEED (Center for Efficient Exascale Discretizations)

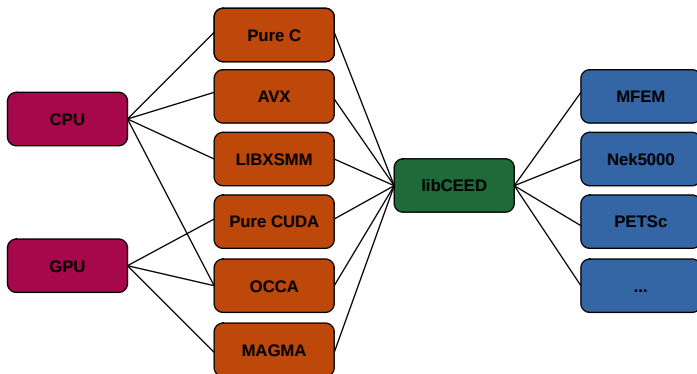
- Primary target: high-order finite/spectral element methods (FEM/SEM) exploiting tensor-product structure
- Open source (BSD-2 license) C library with Fortran and Python interfaces
- Releases: v0.1 (January 2018), v0.2 (March 2018), v0.3 (September 2018), v0.4 (March 2019), v0.5 (September 2019)



For latest release:

Tomov S., Abdelfattah A., **Barra V.**, Beams N., Brown J. et al., *CEED ECP Milestone Report: Performance tuning of CEED software and 1st and 2nd wave apps* (2019, Oct 2nd) DOI: <https://doi.org/10.5281/zenodo.3477618>

libCEED backends



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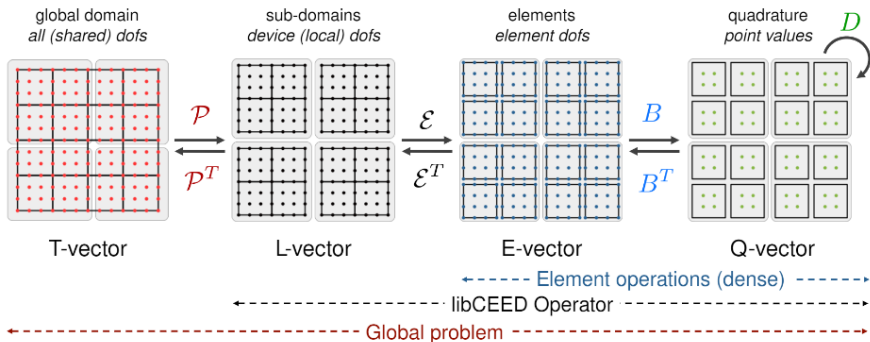
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<code>/cpu/self/xsmm/*:</code>	LIBXSMM (Intel library for small dense/sparse mat-multiply) with <code>*</code> reference serial and blocked implementations
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<code>/gpu/magma:</code>	CUDA MAGMA (dense Linear Algebra library for GPUs and multicore architectures) kernels
<code>/gpu/cuda/*:</code>	CUDA with <code>*</code> : ref (reference pure CUDA kernels), reg (CUDA kernels using one thread per element), shared , optimized CUDA kernels using shared memory gen , optimized CUDA kernels using code generation

Same source code can call multiple CEEDs with different backends. On-device operator implementation with unique interface

libCEED decomposition



$$A = \mathcal{P}^T \mathcal{E}^T B^T D B \mathcal{E} \mathcal{P}$$



libCEED API objects

- $\mathcal{E}$: Ceed Element Restriction

Restrict to single element
User choice in ordering

- B : Ceed Basis Applicator

Describes the actions on basis such as interpolation, gradient, div, curl
Independent of geometry and element topology

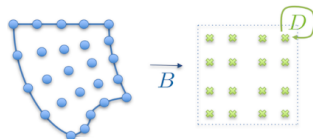
- D : Ceed QFunction

Operator that defines the action of the physics at quadrature points
Choice of interlaced (by fields) or blocked (by element) for multi-component vectors

- $C = \mathcal{E}^T B^T D B \mathcal{E}$: CeedOperator

Composition of different operators defined on different element topologies possible

- $A = P^T C P$: User code responsible for parallelization on different compute devices. We use PETSc



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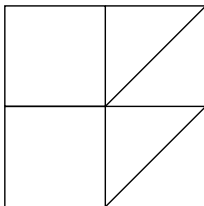
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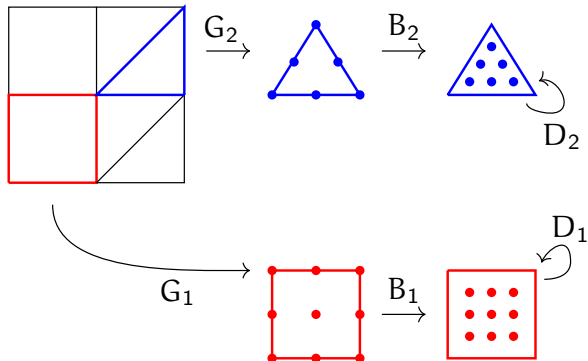
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libCEED API for operator composition

Creation of QFunctions and CEED operators:

```
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CeedQFunctionAddInput(qf_mass, "weights", 1, CEED_EVAL_NONE);
CeedQFunctionAddOutput(qf_mass, "v", 5, CEED_EVAL_INTERP);

CeedOperatorCreate(ceed, qf_mass, NULL, NULL, &op_mass);
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Composition of operators for multiphysics or mixed element meshes:

```
CeedCompositeOperatorCreate(ceed, &op_comp);
CeedCompositeOperatorAddSub(op_comp, op_1);
CeedCompositeOperatorAddSub(op_comp, op_2);
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libCEED's Python interface

Classes:

Ceed

Vector

ElemRestriction

Basis

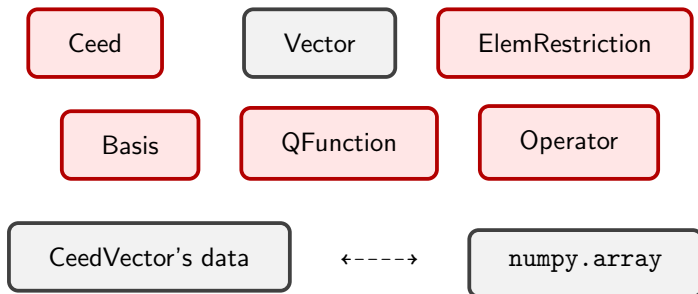
QFunction

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CeedVector's data

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numpy.array

```
import libceed
ceed = libceed.Ceed()
n = 10
x = ceed.Vector(n)

print(x)
```

or

```
import libceed
ceed = libceed.Ceed()
x = ceed.Vector(size=10)

print(x)
```



Python interface (some examples)

Vector

```
import libceed
ceed = libceed.Ceed('/gpu/cuda/gen')
x = ceed.Vector(size=10)

a = np.arange(1, 4, dtype="float64")
x.set_array(a, cmode=libceed.USE_POINTER)
b = x.get_array_read()
print(b)
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import libceed
ceed = libceed.Ceed('/cpu/self')
u = ceed.Vector(size=10)

u.set_value(0)
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Elemrestriction

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ne = 8
x = ceed.Vector(ne+1)
y = ceed.Vector(2*ne)
r = ceed.ElemRestriction(ne, 2, ne+1, 1, ind, cmode=libceed.USE_POINTER)
r.apply(x, y)
r.T.apply(y, x)
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C interface Vs Python interface

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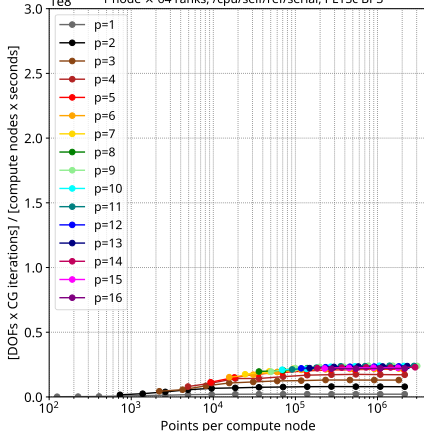
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qf_mass = ceed.QFunction(1, qfs.apply_mass, os.path.join(file_dir,
"test-qfunctions.h:apply_mass"))
qf_mass.add_input("u", 5, libceed.EVAL_INTERP)
qf_mass.add_input("weights", 1, libceed.EVAL_NONE)
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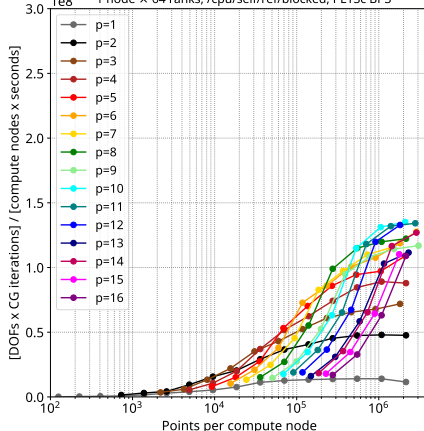
Performance w. r. t. problem size on KNL: ref

1e8 1 node x 64 ranks, /cpu/self/ref/serial, PETSc BP3



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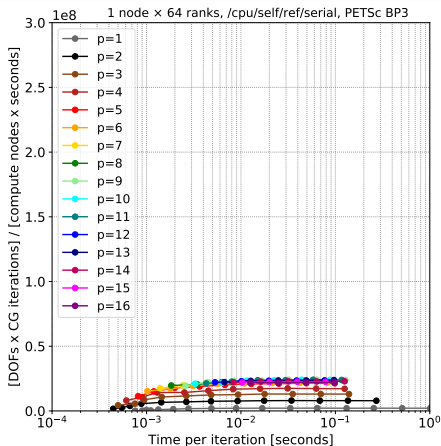
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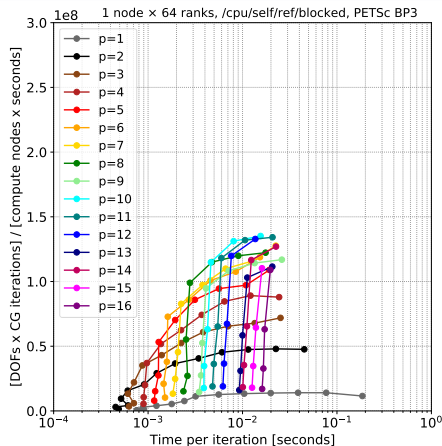
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Figure: Knight Landing (Intel Xeon Phi 7230 SKU 1.3 GHz) with Intel-18 compiler. In (a) serial implementation; in (b) blocked implementation ($q = P + 2$, $P = p + 1$)

Performance w. r. t. time on KNL: ref



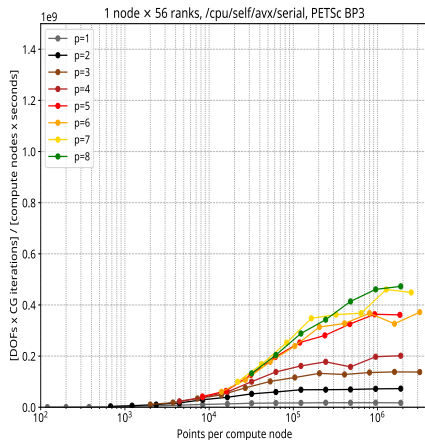
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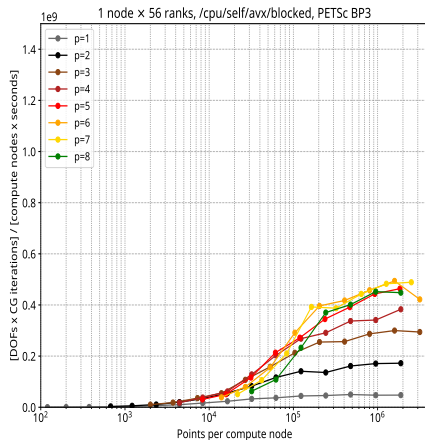
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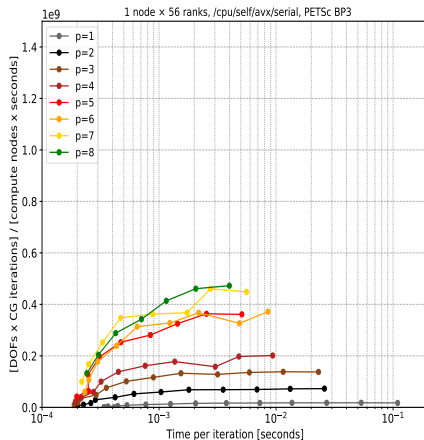
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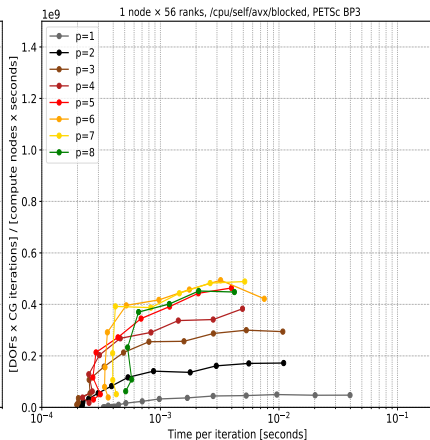
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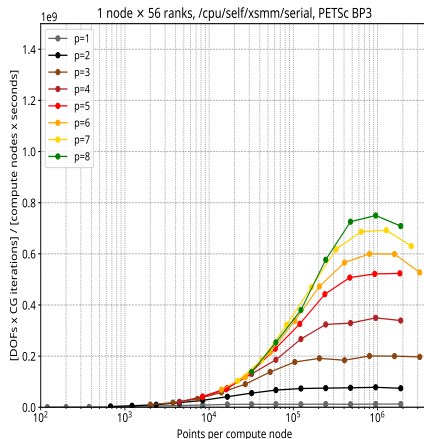
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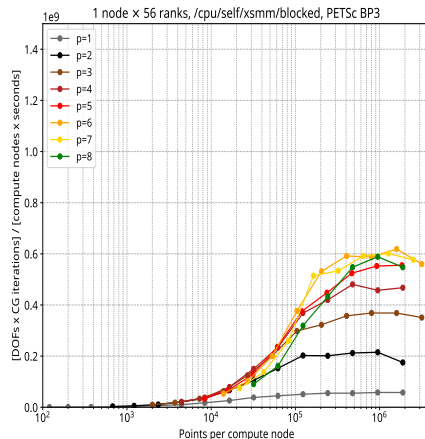
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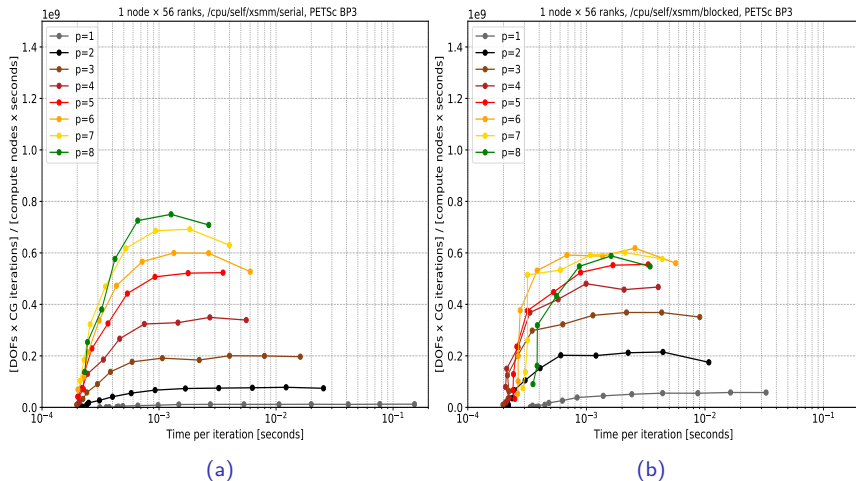


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Performance w. r. t. size on Summit: ref (non optimized)

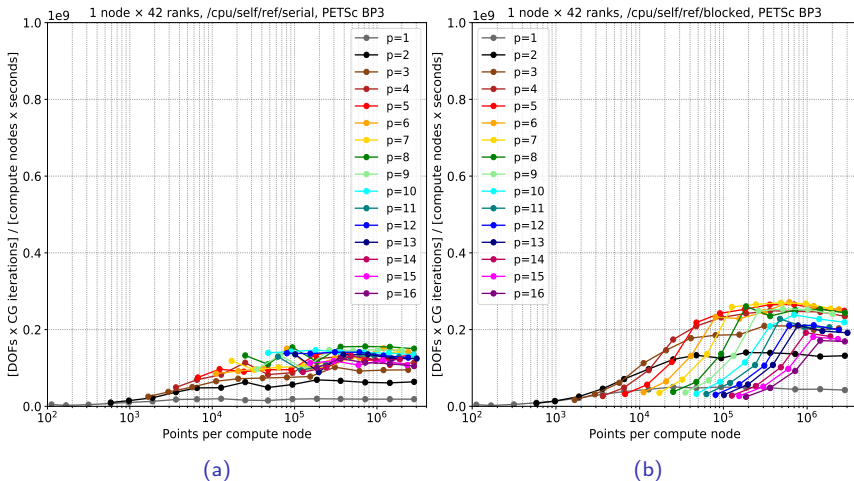
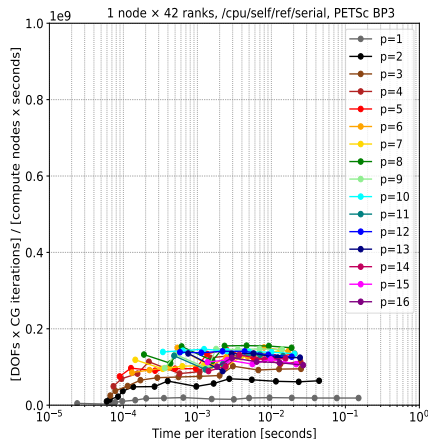
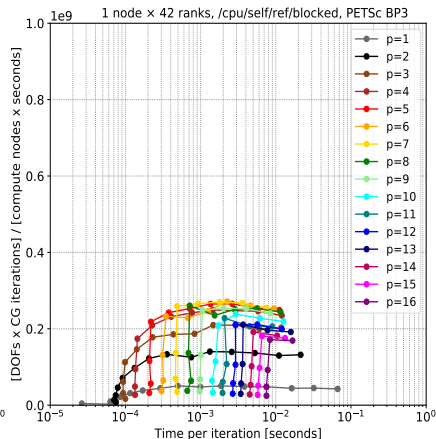


Figure: OLCF Summit (2x IBM POWER9) with gcc-9 compiler. Backends: in (a) ref serial; in (b) ref blocked ($q = P + 2$, $P = p + 1$)

Performance w. r. t. time on Summit: ref (non optimized)



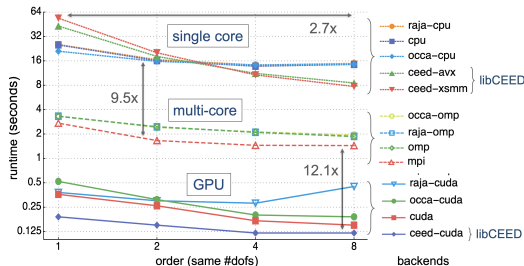
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Preliminary GPU results: MFEM + libCEED



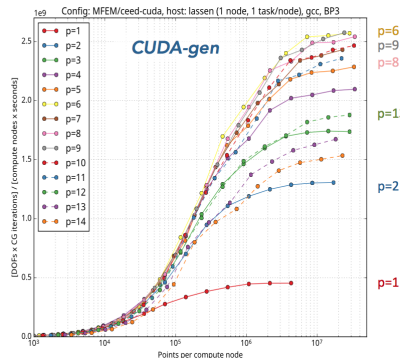
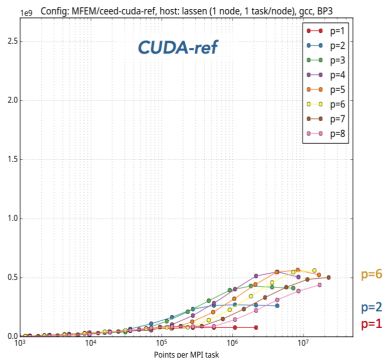
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ceed-xsmm =	53.80	20.13	<u>10.73</u>	<u>07.72</u>

single-GPU, multi-core CPU, and single-core CPU,
for 1.3 millions DOFs in 2D.

Results by Yohann Dudouit on a Linux desktop with a Quadro GV100 GPU, sm_70, CUDA 10.1, and Intel Xeon Gold 6130 CPU @ 2.10GHz.



Preliminary GPU results: MFEM + libCEED (cont'ed)



Results by Yohann Dudouit on Lassen (LLNL): CUDA-ref (left) and CUDA-gen (right) backends performance for BP3 on a NVIDIA V100 GPU.

Towards a libCEED miniapp: a Navier-Stokes solver

Compressible Navier-Stokes equations in conservation form:

$$\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot \mathbf{u} = 0, \quad (1a)$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{u}}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot \left(\frac{\mathbf{u} \otimes \mathbf{u}}{\rho} + P \mathbf{I}_3 \right) + \rho g \mathbf{k} = \nabla \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma}, \quad (1b)$$

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Towards a libCEED miniapp: a Navier-Stokes solver

Compressible Navier-Stokes equations in conservation form:

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$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{u}}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot \left(\frac{\mathbf{u} \otimes \mathbf{u}}{\rho} + P \mathbf{I}_3 \right) + \rho g \mathbf{k} = \nabla \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma}, \quad (1b)$$

$$\frac{\partial E}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot \left(\frac{(E + P)\mathbf{u}}{\rho} \right) = \nabla \cdot (\mathbf{u} \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma} + k \nabla T), \quad (1c)$$

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- $(c_p/c_v - 1)(E - \mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{u}/(2\rho) - \rho g z) = P$ ← pressure
 μ ← dynamic viscosity
 g ← gravitational acceleration
 k ← thermal conductivity
 λ ← Stokes hypothesis constant
 c_p ← specific heat, constant pressure
 c_v ← specific heat, constant volume



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Define the discrete solution

$$\mathbf{q}_N(\mathbf{x}, t)^{(e)} = \sum_{k=1}^P \psi_k(\mathbf{x}) \mathbf{q}_k^{(e)} \quad (4)$$

with P the number of nodes in the element e .

We use tensor-product bases $\psi_{kji} = h_i(X)h_j(Y)h_k(Z)$.

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with $\mathcal{V}_p = \{\mathbf{v} \in H^1(\Omega_e) \mid \mathbf{v} \in P_p(\mathbf{I}), e = 1, \dots, N_e\}$.

Weak form:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\Omega} \mathbf{v} \frac{\partial \mathbf{q}_N}{\partial t} d\Omega + \int_{\Gamma} \mathbf{v} \hat{\mathbf{n}} \cdot \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{q}_N) d\Omega - \int_{\Omega} \nabla \mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{q}_N) d\Omega = \\ \int_{\Omega} \mathbf{v} \mathbf{S}(\mathbf{q}_N) d\Omega, \quad \forall \mathbf{v} \in \mathcal{V}_p \end{aligned} \quad (6)$$



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Weak form:

$$\int_{\Omega} v \frac{\partial \mathbf{q}_N}{\partial t} d\Omega + \int_{\Gamma} v \hat{\mathbf{n}} \cdot \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{q}_N) d\Omega - \int_{\Omega} \nabla v \cdot \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{q}_N) d\Omega = \int_{\Omega} v \mathbf{S}(\mathbf{q}_N) d\Omega, \quad \forall v \in \mathcal{V}_p \quad (6)$$

For the Time Discretization we started with an explicit formulation (recently expanded to implicit)

$$\mathbf{q}_N^{n+1} = \mathbf{q}_N^n + \Delta t \sum_{i=1}^s b_i k_i, \quad (7)$$

solved with the adaptive Runge-Kutta-Fehlberg (RK4-5) method



A very simple example: The advection equation

We analyze the transport of total energy

$$\frac{\partial E}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot (\mathbf{u}E) = 0, \quad (8)$$

with $\mathbf{u}$ a uniform circular motion. BCs: no-slip and non-penetration for $\mathbf{u}$,
no-flux for E .

order:

$p = 6$

$\Omega =$

$[0, 2000]^3$ m

elem.

resolution:

250 m

Nodes: 117649



Application example: Density current

A cold air bubble drops by convection in a neutrally stratified atmosphere.

Its initial condition is defined in terms of the Exner pressure, $\pi(\mathbf{x}, t)$, and potential temperature, $\theta(\mathbf{x}, t)$, that relate to the state variables via

$$\rho = \frac{P_0}{(c_p - c_v)\theta(\mathbf{x}, t)} \pi(\mathbf{x}, t)^{\frac{c_v}{c_p - c_v}}, \quad (9a)$$

$$e = c_v \theta(\mathbf{x}, t) \pi(\mathbf{x}, t) + \mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{u} / 2 + gz, \quad (9b)$$

where P_0 is the atmospheric pressure.

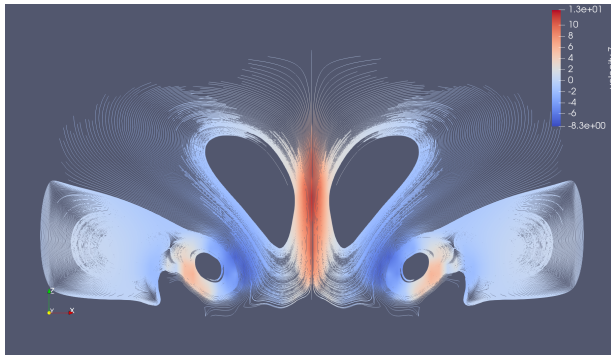
BCs: no-slip and non-penetration for $\mathbf{u}$, no-flux for mass and energy densities.

Density current

order: $p = 10$, $\Omega = [0, 6000]^2 \text{ m} \times [0, 3000] \text{ m}$, elem. resolution: 500 m,
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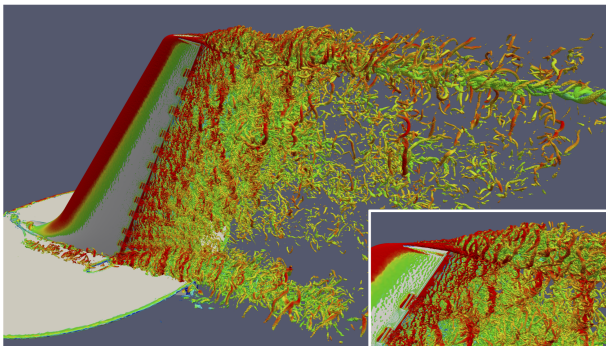


Recent Developments: Implicit time-stepping



Recent Developments: PHASTA Integration

In collaboration with PHASTA (FastMath) we have worked on libCEED's integration.



[Ref: phasta.scigap.org]

Recent Developments: Stabilization methods

We have added Streamline Upwind (SU) and Streamline Upwind/Petrov-Galerkin (SUPG) stabilization methods to our Navier-Stokes example.

For the advection case:

Not stabilized version.

Stabilized version.

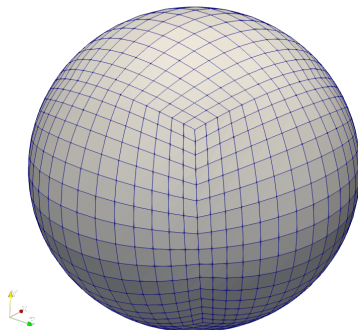


Recent Developments: BPs on the cubed-sphere

Converted BP1 (Mass operator) & BP3 (Poisson's equation) on the cubed-sphere as a prototype for shallow-water equations solver

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{u}}{\partial t} = -(\omega + f)\hat{\mathbf{k}} \times \mathbf{u} - \nabla \left(\frac{1}{2}|\mathbf{u}|^2 + g(h + h_s) \right) \quad (10a)$$

$$\frac{\partial h}{\partial t} = -\nabla \cdot (h_0 + h)\mathbf{u} \quad (10b)$$



Conclusions

- We have showed libCEED's performance portability on several architectures, when integrated with PETSc and MFEM
- We have demonstrated the use of libCEED with PETSc for the numerical high-order solutions of
 - Advection equation
 - Full compressible Navier-Stokes equations
- We have included implicit time-stepping and SU/SUPG stabilization methods



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Tensor contractions

Let $\{x_i\}_{i=0}^p$ denote the LGL nodes with the corresponding interpolants $\{\psi_i^p\}_{i=0}^p$. Choose a quadrature rule with nodes $\{q_i^Q\}_{i=0}^Q$ and weights $\{w_i^Q\}$. The basis evaluation, derivative, and integration matrices are $B_{ij}^{Qp} = \psi_j^p(q_i^Q)$, $D_{ij}^{Qp} = \partial_x \psi_j^p(q_i^Q)$, and $W_{ij}^Q = w_i^Q \delta_{ij}$. In 3D:

$$\mathbf{B} = \mathbf{B} \otimes \mathbf{B} \otimes \mathbf{B} \quad (11)$$

$$\mathbf{D}_0 = \mathbf{D} \otimes \mathbf{B} \otimes \mathbf{B} \quad (12)$$

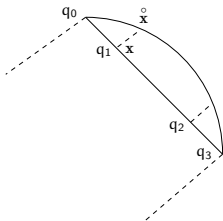
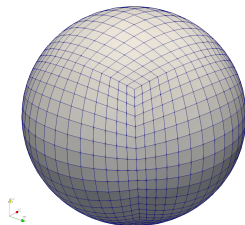
$$\mathbf{D}_1 = \mathbf{B} \otimes \mathbf{D} \otimes \mathbf{B} \quad (13)$$

$$\mathbf{D}_2 = \mathbf{B} \otimes \mathbf{B} \otimes \mathbf{D} \quad (14)$$

$$\mathbf{W} = \mathbf{W} \otimes \mathbf{W} \otimes \mathbf{W} \quad (15)$$

These tensor-product operations cost $2(p^3Q + p^2Q^2 + pQ^3)$ and touch only $O(p^3 + Q^3)$ memory. In the spectral element method, when the same LGL points are reused for quadrature (i.e., a collocated method with $Q = p + 1$), then $\mathbf{B} = \mathbf{I}$ and $\mathbf{D}$ reduces to $O(p^4)$.

Geometry on the sphere



Transform $\mathring{\mathbf{x}} = (\mathring{x}, \mathring{y}, \mathring{z})$ on the sphere $\hookrightarrow$
 $\mathbf{x} = (x, y, z)$ on the discrete surface $\hookrightarrow$
 $\mathbf{X} = (X, Y) \in \mathbf{I} = [-1, 1]^2$

$$\frac{\partial \mathring{\mathbf{x}}}{\partial \mathbf{X}}_{(3 \times 2)} = \frac{\partial \mathring{\mathbf{x}}}{\partial \mathbf{x}}_{(3 \times 3)} \frac{\partial \mathbf{x}}{\partial \mathbf{X}}_{(3 \times 2)}$$

$$||J|| = \left| \text{col}_1 \left(\frac{\partial \mathring{\mathbf{x}}}{\partial \mathbf{X}} \right) \times \text{col}_2 \left(\frac{\partial \mathring{\mathbf{x}}}{\partial \mathbf{X}} \right) \right|$$

