



Numerical modeling of anisothermal multi-phase flows in petroleum wellbore and reservoir

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Possible applications

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Interpretation of temperature profiles

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• Equivalent conductivity : $\lambda = (\lambda_s)^{(1-\phi)} \times (\lambda_w)^{S_w \times \phi} \times (\lambda_o)^{S_o \times \phi} \times (\lambda_g)^{S_g \times \phi}$

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Outline

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- Coupling of the two models/Transmission conditions
- Analysis of the continuous global problem
- Finite element discretization
- Numerical results

* Part II: Multi-component multi-phase model in reservoir

- Physical modeling
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• Couple Denel's reservoir and wellbore models

B. Denel, Simulation numérique et couplage de modèles thermomécaniques puits-milieux poreux, Thèse de doctorat, Université de Pau, 2004

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└─Reservoir and Wellbore problems

• Semi-discretized reservoir model (Darcy-Forchheimer):

$$\begin{cases} \frac{1}{r} \underline{\mathbf{M}} \mathbf{G}_1 + \nabla p_1 = -\rho_1^{n-1} g\\ \frac{1}{r\lambda} \mathbf{q}_1 - \nabla T_1 = 0\\ r \frac{a}{\Delta t} p_1 - r \frac{b}{\Delta t} T_1 + div \mathbf{G}_1 = r \frac{a}{\Delta t} p_1^{n-1} - r \frac{b}{\Delta t} T_1^{n-1}\\ r \frac{d}{\Delta t} T_1 + \kappa \mathbf{G}_1^{n-1} \cdot \nabla T_1 - r \frac{f}{\Delta t} p_1 + l \mathbf{G}_1^{n-1} \cdot \nabla p_1 - div \mathbf{q}_1 = r \frac{d}{\Delta t} T_1^{n-1} - r \frac{f}{\Delta t} p_1^{n-1} \end{cases}$$

• Semi-discretized wellbore model (Compressible Navier-Stokes):

$$div(r\mathbf{G}_{2}) = -r\frac{\rho_{2}-\rho_{1}^{n}}{\Delta t}$$

$$div(r\mathbf{u}_{2}) = \frac{1}{\rho}(div(r\mathbf{G}_{2}) - r\mathbf{G}_{2} \cdot \nabla \rho_{2})$$

$$r\rho\frac{\mathbf{u}_{2}}{\Delta t} + r\mathbf{G}_{2} \cdot \nabla \mathbf{u}_{2} + r\nabla p_{2} - div(r\underline{\tau}) + \tau_{\theta\theta}\mathbf{e}_{r} + rF|\mathbf{G}_{2}|\mathbf{u}_{2} = r\rho_{2}g + r\rho_{2}\frac{\mathbf{u}_{2}^{n}}{\Delta t}$$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda}\mathbf{q}_{2} - \nabla T_{2} = 0$$

$$rc_{v}(\rho_{\Delta t}^{\frac{T_{2}}{\Delta t}} + \mathbf{G}_{2} \cdot \nabla T_{2}) - div(r\mathbf{q}_{2}) = r\rho c_{v} \frac{T_{2}^{n}}{\Delta t} - \frac{1}{2}(\rho_{\Delta t}^{\frac{|\mathbf{u}_{2}|^{2} - |\mathbf{u}_{2}^{n}|^{2}}}{\Delta t} + \mathbf{G}_{2} \cdot \nabla(|\mathbf{u}_{2}|^{2})) - div(rp_{2}\mathbf{u}_{2}) + div(r\tau_{2}\mathbf{u}_{2}) + rg\mathbf{G}_{2}$$

 $\mathbf{q} = r\lambda \nabla T \quad : \text{ heat flux}$

 $\mathbf{G} = r\rho \mathbf{u}$

: mass flux

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Use $\rho \mathbf{u} \cdot \nabla T = \mathbf{G} \cdot \nabla T$ and solve $\begin{cases} \text{Find } \mathbf{q} \in \mathbb{H}, \ T \in M \\\\ a(\mathbf{q}, \mathbf{w}) + b(T, \mathbf{w}) = f_1(\mathbf{w}) \quad \forall \mathbf{w} \in \mathbb{H} \\\\ b(S, \mathbf{q}) - c(T, S) = f_2(S) \quad \forall S \in M \end{cases}$

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Transmission conditions at the interface

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$$[\mathbf{G} \cdot \mathbf{n}] = 0 \Rightarrow \mathbf{G}_1 \cdot \mathbf{n} = R\mathbf{G}_2 \cdot \mathbf{n}$$

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$$[\sigma \mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{n}] = 0 \Rightarrow -p_1 + \tau_{rr} = -p_2$$

- $u_2 \cdot t = 0$ or $u_2 \cdot t = -\frac{\sqrt{\kappa}}{\alpha} \underline{\sigma}_2 \mathbf{n} \cdot t$ Beavers-Joseph-Saffman
- $\mathbf{G}_1 \cdot \mathbf{n} = \rho \ u_2 \cdot \mathbf{n}$
- $[\mathbf{q} \cdot \mathbf{n}] = 0 \Rightarrow \mathbf{q}_1 \cdot \mathbf{n} = R\mathbf{q}_2 \cdot \mathbf{n}$
- $[T] = 0 \Rightarrow T_1 = T_2$



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└─Analysis of the continuous global problem

Variational formulation in the reservoir

- We denote : $x_1 = (G_1, q_1, p_1, T_1)$
- Functional framework :

$$\begin{aligned} X_1 &= \mathbb{H}(div, \Omega_1) \times \mathbb{H}(div, \Omega_1) \times L^2(\Omega_1) \times L^2(\Omega_1) \\ X_1^0 &= \{x_1 \in X_1 \ ; \ \mathbf{G}_1 \cdot \mathbf{n} = 0 \text{ on } \Upsilon_{\mathbf{G}}, \ \mathbf{q}_1 \cdot \mathbf{n} = 0 \text{ on } \Upsilon_{\mathbf{q}} \} \\ X_1^* &= \{x_1 \in X_1 \ ; \ \mathbf{G}_1 \cdot \mathbf{n} = G^* \text{ on } \Upsilon_{\mathbf{G}}, \ \mathbf{q}_1 \cdot \mathbf{n} = q^* \text{ on } \Upsilon_{\mathbf{q}} \} \end{aligned}$$

• Variational formulation :

$$\begin{cases} \text{Find } x_1 \in X_1^* \\ \mathcal{A}_1(x_1, x_1') = \mathcal{F}_1(x_1') \qquad \forall x_1' \in X_1^0 \end{cases}$$

Weak formulation in the wellbore

- We denote : $x_2 = (G_2, u_2, p_2, q_2, T_2)$
- Functional framework :

 $X_{2} = \mathbb{W} \times \mathbb{V} \times M \times \mathbb{H} \times M$ $X_{2}^{*} = \mathbb{W}^{*} \times \mathbb{V}^{*} \times M \times \mathbb{H} \times M$ $Y_{2} = M \times \mathbb{V}^{0} \times M \times \mathbb{H} \times M$

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• An integration by part in the reservoir yields the terms :

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• Dualization by Lagrange multipliers $\Lambda = (\theta, \mu)$:

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• Multipliers' spaces:

$$\mathbb{L} = L^{2}(\Sigma) \times L^{2}(\Sigma) \qquad \mathbb{K} = L^{2}(\Sigma) \times L^{2}(\Sigma) \times L^{2}(\Sigma)$$

• Bilinear forms:

$$I(\Lambda, x') = \int_{\Sigma} \left(\mathbf{G}_{1}' \cdot \mathbf{n} - R\mathbf{u}_{2}' \cdot \mathbf{n} \right) \theta \, d\sigma - \int_{\Sigma} (\mathbf{q}_{1}' \cdot \mathbf{n} - R\mathbf{q}_{2}' \cdot \mathbf{n}) \mu \, d\sigma$$
$$\mathcal{J}(\Lambda', x) = \int_{\Sigma} (\mathbf{G}_{1} \cdot \mathbf{n} - R\rho_{2}\mathbf{u}_{2} \cdot \mathbf{n}) \theta' \, d\sigma + \int_{\Sigma} (\mathbf{G}_{1} \cdot \mathbf{n} - R\mathbf{G}_{2} \cdot \mathbf{n}) \zeta' \, d\sigma - \int_{\Sigma} (\mathbf{q}_{1} \cdot \mathbf{n} - R\mathbf{q}_{2} \cdot \mathbf{n}) \mu' \, d\sigma$$

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Weak formulation for the coupled problem

• Functional framework :

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• Weak formulation :

Find
$$x \in \mathbf{X}^*, \Lambda \in \mathbb{L}$$

 $\mathcal{A}(x, x') + I(\Lambda, x') = \mathcal{F}(x') \quad \forall x' \in \mathbf{Y}^0$
 $\mathcal{J}(\Lambda', x) = 0 \quad \forall \Lambda' \in \mathbb{K}$

Where :

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{A}(x,x') &= \mathcal{A}_1(x_1,x_1') + \mathcal{A}_2(x_2,x_2') \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{X}, \ \forall x' \in \mathbb{Y} \\ \mathcal{F}(x') &= \mathcal{F}_1(x_1') + \mathcal{F}_2(x_2') \quad \forall x' \in \mathbb{Y} \end{aligned}$$

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Proof of the uniqueness

• By putting : $\mathbf{U} = (\mathbf{G}_1, \mathbf{q}_1, \mathbf{G}_2, \mathbf{u}_2, \mathbf{q}_2)$ $\mathbf{U}' = (\mathbf{G}'_1, \mathbf{q}'_1, \chi, \mathbf{u}'_2, \mathbf{q}'_2)$ $s = (p_1, T_1, p_2, T_2)$

• Non-standard Mixed formulation :

Where :

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{U},\mathbf{U}') &= \int_{\Omega_1} \frac{1}{r} M \mathbf{G}_1 \cdot \mathbf{G}_1' dx + \int_{\Omega_1} \frac{1}{r\lambda_1} \mathbf{q}_1 \cdot \mathbf{q}_1' dx + \int_{\Omega_2} \chi div(r\mathbf{G}_2) dx + \int_{\Omega_2} \frac{r}{\lambda_1} \mathbf{q}_2 \cdot \mathbf{q}_2' dx + a(\mathbf{u}_2,\mathbf{u}_2') \text{ non symmetric} \\ \mathbf{B}(s,\mathbf{U}') &= -\int_{\Omega_1} p_1 div \mathbf{G}_1' dx + \int_{\Omega_1} T_1 div \mathbf{q}_1' dx - \int_{\Omega_2} p_2 div(r\mathbf{u}_2') dx + \int_{\Omega_2} T_2 div(r\mathbf{q}_2') \\ \mathbf{C}(s,s') &= \int_{\Omega_1} r \frac{a}{\Delta t} p_1 p_1' dx - \int_{\Omega_1} r \frac{b}{\Delta t} T_1 p_1' dx + \int_{\Omega_1} r \frac{d}{\Delta t} T_1 T_1' dx - \int_{\Omega_1} r \frac{f}{\Delta t} p_1 T_1' dx + \int_{\Omega_2} r \frac{c_v \rho_2}{\Delta t} T_2 T_2' dx \text{ non symmetric} \end{aligned}$$

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$$\longleftrightarrow \begin{cases} \mathbf{U}' \in \mathbb{T}^{0}, \ \left\|\mathbf{U}'\right\| \le c \left\|\mathbf{U}\right\|, \ \mathbf{B}(s, \mathbf{U}) = \mathbf{B}(s, \mathbf{U}') \\\\ \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{U}, \mathbf{U}') \ge c \left(\left\|\mathbf{q}_{1}\right\|_{0,\Omega_{1}}^{2} + \left\|\mathbf{q}_{2}\right\|_{0,\Omega_{2}}^{2}\right) + m(\mathbf{u}_{2}, \mathbf{u}_{2}) + \int_{\Omega_{1}} \frac{1}{r} \underline{\mathbf{M}} \mathbf{G}_{1} \cdot \mathbf{G}_{1}' dx + \int_{\Omega_{2}} \chi div(r\mathbf{G}_{2}) dx \end{cases}$$

• Bound $m(\mathbf{u}_2, \mathbf{u}_2)$ by means of Young's inequality

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 \square Finite element discretization

Discrete problem

- Suppose that the two meshes match on the perforations
- Denote by \mathcal{E}_h the set of edges situated on the interface Σ

Finite dimensional spaces

• Conservative variables (specific flux, heat flux) :

$$RT_0 = \left\{ \left(\begin{array}{c} ar+b\\ az+c \end{array} \right) \quad a, \ b, \ c \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$$

$$V_h = \{ \mathbf{G} \in H(div, \Omega) ; \ \mathbf{G}_{/K} \in RT_0 \quad \forall K \in \mathcal{T}_h \}$$

• Scalar variables (pressure, temperature, density) :

$$L_{h} = \{ p \in L^{2}(\Omega) ; \ p_{/K} \in P_{0} \quad \forall K \in \mathcal{T}_{h} \}$$

• Fluid's velocity :

$$X_h = \{ u \in H^1(\Omega) ; v_{/K} \in Q_1 \quad \forall K \in \mathcal{T}_h \}$$

• Lagrange multipliers on the interface :

$$K_h = \{\mu \in L^2(\Sigma) ; \mu \in P_0(e) \ \forall e \in \mathcal{E}_h\}$$

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Upwind sheme for convective terms

•
$$\partial K^- = \{ e \in \partial K \ / \ \mathbf{G}_h^{n-1} \cdot \ \mathbf{n} < 0 \}$$

• For any P_0 functions T:

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Theorem : The discrete problem has a unique solution for Δt small enough

Sketch of the proof

- Follow the proof of the continuous case, with constants independent of h
- Use Fortin's trick and interpolate continuous functions
- Need an auxiliary result :

For any $(p, \theta) \in M_h \times K_h$, there exists $\mathbf{G} \in V_h$ satisfying :

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└─Numerical results

Mesh convergence

Test 1: two-layered reservoir

- Two layers with the same properties
- Only the lower one is perforated
- Production of light oil during seven days



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Convergence rate for the pressure at t=7 days



Numerically, $\|p - p_h\|_{0,\Omega} \leq C|h|^{\alpha}$, with $\alpha \simeq 1.39$ in the reservoir and $\alpha \simeq 1.61$ in the well

└─Numerical results

Realistic reservoir

Test 2: realistic reservoir

- Seven layers with different properties
- Production of oil during 28 days

Conditions of the simulation for the coupled problem

$Q \longrightarrow$	65	00m³/j					
		$k_h = 2000 mD$	$k_v = 350mD$	$\phi = 0.20$	$s_w = 0.15$	-	
		~					
		$k_h = 2000 mD$	$k_v = 350mD$	$\phi = 0.28$	$s_w = 0.15$	-	P=400 bars
		$k_{h} = 1000 mD$	$k_v = 10 \text{mD}$ $k_v = 15 \text{mD}$	$\phi = 0.24$	SW=0.90 Sw = 0.42		
		$k_b = 1000 mD$	$k_v = 15mD$	$\phi = 0.26$	$s_w = 0.30$		<i>q.n=0</i>
		$k_h = 1000 mD$	$k_{v} = 15mD$	$\phi = 0.22$	$s_w = 0.38$		
		$\sum_{k_{1}}^{k_{1}} 1000mD$	k = 15mD	$\phi = 0.24$	s = 0.40		
		$\kappa_h = 1000 mD$	$\kappa_v = 15 mD$	$\phi = 0.24$	$s_w = 0.40$		

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Specific flux at the end of the production



(c) Same scale in the 2 domains

(d) Different scales (ratio equal to 10)

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Behaviour of the pressure during one month production





(g) Pressure at t=7 days



(f) Pressure at t=2 days



(h) Pressure at t=28 days

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Behaviour of the temperature during one month production



(i) Temperature at t=0 day



(k) Temperature at t=7 days



(j) Temperature at t=2 days



(l) Temperature at t=28 days

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Comparison with the separate reservoir and wellbore codes

- Previous simulation conditions for the coupled code
- Conditions of the simulation for the sole reservoir model :



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Pressure maps in the reservoir at t = 28 days



Numerical modeling of thermomechanical multi-phase flows, well-porous medium

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Temperature maps in the reservoir at t = 28 days



(o) Temperature given by reservoir code



(p) Temperature given by coupled code

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Vertical mass fluxes in the wellbore at t = 28 days



(q) G_z given by wellbore code

(r) G_z given by coupled code

Multi-component multi-phase model in reservoir

- Three phases (p) : water(w), oil(o) and gas (g)
- *n_c* components: water, heavy hydrocarbons, light hydrocarbons, methan....
- n_h hydrocarbon components $(n_h = n_c 1)$

• **3D** / Porous medium Ω with n_W wells

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Discretized system

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$$(A - B D^{-1} C) \Delta \mathbf{X}_p = (-\mathbf{F}_p + B D^{-1} \mathbf{F}_s)$$

• Next, update secondary ones :

$$\Delta \mathbf{X}_s = -D^{-1} \mathbf{F}_s - (D^{-1} \mathbf{C}) \Delta \mathbf{X}_p$$

L_{Numerical results}

Comparison with isothermal GPRS

- Reservoir of dimensions $5000ft \times 5000ft \times 50ft$
- Three components: methan CH_4 , butan C_4H_{10} and heptan C_7H_{16}
- Production during 50 days by imposing a bottom hole pressure of 300 psi



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Behaviour of the pressurre during 50 days production



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Behaviour of the temperature during 50 days production



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Behaviour of the gas saturation during 50 days production



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Comparison of production rates



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Comparison of pressure and saturations in the well block



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Sensibility vs. boundary conditions

- Reservoir of dimensions $9000ft \times 9000ft \times 30ft$
- Two components: methan CH_4 and butan C_4H_{10}
- Production of gas during 90 days by imposing a constant flowrate

L_{Numerical results}

Behaviour of the pressure : constant pressure on the exterior boundary



Behaviour of the pressure : no flow on the exterior boundary



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L_{Numerical results}

Comparison of pressures in the well block and in the well



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L_{Remerciements}

Thank you for your attention