Computational plasticity: h and p elastoplastic interface adaptivity

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Motivation

• Computing solutions numerically avoids e.g. expensive crash tests:



• A fast and robust solver for the direct field problem is required!

Literature:

Han/Reddy, Carstensen



Modeling

Find $u \in W^{1,2}(0,T; H^1_0(\Omega)^n)$, $p \in W^{1,2}(0,T; L^2(\Omega, \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}))$, $\sigma \in W^{1,2}(0,T; L^2(\Omega, \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}))$, $\alpha \in W^{1,2}(0,T; L^2(\Omega, \mathbb{R}^m))$ such that

$$\begin{aligned} -\operatorname{div} \sigma &= b \\ \sigma &= \sigma^T \\ \varepsilon(u) &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\nabla u + (\nabla u)^T \right) \\ \varepsilon(u) &= \mathbb{C}^{-1} \sigma + p \\ \varphi(\sigma, \alpha) &< \infty \end{aligned}$$
$$\dot{p} : (\tau - \sigma) - \dot{\alpha} : (\beta - \alpha) \leq \varphi(\tau, \beta) - \varphi(\sigma, \alpha) \end{aligned}$$

are satisfied in the variational sense with $(u, p, \sigma, \alpha)(0) = 0$ for all (τ, β) . b and \mathbb{C}^{-1} are given, b(0) = 0.



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$$f(u,p,\alpha) := \frac{1}{2} \int_{\Omega} \mathbb{C}[\varepsilon(u) - p] : (\varepsilon(u) - p) dx + \frac{1}{2} \int_{\Omega} |\alpha|^2 dx + \Delta t \int_{\Omega} \varphi^*(\frac{p - p_0}{\Delta t}, \frac{\alpha_0 - \alpha}{\Delta t}) dx - \int_{\Omega} b u dx$$

with φ describing the hardening law.



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Minimization strategy in each time step:

$$u = \operatorname{argmin}_v \min_q \tilde{f}(v,q) = \operatorname{argmin}_v \tilde{f}(v,q_{\mathsf{opt}}(v))$$

Then $p = p_0 + \tilde{p}$



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Necessary condition:

$$\begin{pmatrix} B^{T} \mathbb{C} B & -B^{T} \mathbb{C} \\ -\mathbb{C} B & \mathbb{C} + \mathbb{H} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u \\ \tilde{p} \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} -b - B^{T} \mathbb{C} p_{0} \\ \mathbb{C} p_{0} \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

The Schur-Complement system in u with the matrix

$$S = B^{T}(\mathbb{C} - \mathbb{C}(\mathbb{C} + \mathbb{H})^{-1}\mathbb{C})B$$

is solved by a multigrid preconditioned conjugate gradient method.



Constraint $\operatorname{tr} \tilde{p} = 0$

in 2D:
$$\tilde{p}_{22} = -\tilde{p}_{11}$$
, in 3D: $\tilde{p}_{33} = -\tilde{p}_{11} - \tilde{p}_{22}$.

Projection matrix P: $\tilde{p}=P\bar{p}$

$$2\mathsf{D}: P_E = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \qquad 3\mathsf{D}: P_E = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Modified Schur-Complement Matrix:

$$S = B^{T}(\mathbb{C} - \mathbb{C}P(P^{T}(\mathbb{C} + \mathbb{H})P)^{-1}P^{T}\mathbb{C})B$$



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This problem (without regularization, i.e. $\epsilon = 0$) has a unique solution

$$\tilde{p} = \frac{(||\operatorname{dev} A|| - b)_+}{2\mu + \sigma_y^2 H^2} \frac{\operatorname{dev} A}{||\operatorname{dev} A||},$$

where

$$A = \mathbb{C}[\varepsilon(u) - p_0], \quad b = \sigma_y(1 + \alpha_0 H).$$



Numerical experiments

2D Quadratic plate

3D Quarter of a ring



Elasto-plastic interface adaptivity for piecewise constant stresses: method of linearized yields

Yield function in the isotropic hardening case $\Phi(\sigma, \alpha) = |\operatorname{dev} \sigma| - \sigma_y (1 + \alpha H)$, where the hardening parameter $\alpha = \alpha_0 + \sigma_y H |p - p_0|$. Nodal linear projection $\overline{\Phi} \in H^1(\Omega)^{d \times d}_{\text{sym}}$ to the piecewise constant yield function $\Phi \in L^2(\Omega)^{d \times d}_{\text{sym}}$:

$$\bar{\Phi}(N) := \frac{\sum_{T \in \mathcal{T}: N \in T} \Phi(\sigma|_T, \alpha|_T) |T|}{\sum_{T \in \mathcal{T}: N \in T} |T|}$$

Elements with both negative and positive nodal values of $\overline{\Phi}(N)$ are refined.



Yield function (left) and its nodal linear projection (right)



Nodal linear approximations of the yield function for graduated refinements and the elastoplastic zones for the finest refinement. Implemented in Matlab.

Elasto-plastic interface adaptivity for piecewise constant stresses: method of neighboring elements with different phases

Error estimator marks both neighboring elements T_1 and T_2 with different phases, i.e where

 $\Phi(\sigma|_{T_1}, \alpha|_{T_1})\Phi(\sigma|_{T_2}, \alpha|_{T_2}) \leq 0$



Elastoplastic zones (blue - elastic, red - plastic)

Convergence result (2D)



Approximated errors (left) and zz error estimates (right) for different refinement techniques





Failure of ZZ estimation in elastoplasticity???

p and h method in 2D: von Mises stress



p and h method in 3D: von Mises stress

For visualization reasons the stresses are projected onto a H^1 function



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Outlook

- Combined hpr methods
 - h, r: Singularities
 - p: Smooth solutions
- Level sets use for elastoplastic interface identification
- Application to shells

