Métodos numéricos para escoamentos

em nano e microescalas

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FLUID DYNAMICS AT NANOPOROUS: ARE THE MACROSCOPIC LAWS STILL VALID?

Outline

Dynamics of fluids in (nano) porous media

- a) Nanofluidics
- b) Multiscale molecular simulations
- c) Phenomena at nano scale at CNTs and rock's nanopores





NANOFLUIDICS: Pressure driven flow Fluid confinament,multiphasic fluids Flow in NANO porous media



Dynamics of fluids, NPs and surfactants in porous media from nano to pore



MINERAL – OIL – BRINE interfaces Carbonates, Silicates, Clays and Cement



NANO-EOR - Surface driven flow: NPs and surfactants at interfaces brine-oil-rock over scales



Membranes Separation of natural gas



NANO-IOR – Pressure driven flow Fluid confinament,multiphasic fluids Flow in NANO porous media



Nanofluidics: flow in nanoporous media



Fluids confined at nanoporous



- Under confinement, the structuring is frustrated by surface effects, that disrupts the hydrogen bond networks.
- New phenomena can emerge, as *new phase transitions*, *layering near the interface*, eg. *first layer of immobile water*.
- At nanoscale, the continuum models for fluids may not work.
- Use of an atomistic description is needed.

Li, Shujuan & Schmidt, Burkhard (2015). Molecular dynamics simulations of proton-ordered water confined in low-diameter carbon nanotubes. *Physical Chemistry Chemical Physics*, 17, 7303-7316.



Phenomena at nanoscale

Molecular Dynamics

- Newton's eq. of motion
- Interatomic potential

Continuum Theory

- Electrostatic (Poisson Boltzmann)
- Hydrodynamic (Navier Stokes)





Limitations of Molecular Dynamics at nanoscale



Limitations of Continuum theory at nanoscale



Schematic of the channel system under investigation

Limitations:

- Interactions ion-wall
- Interactions ion-ion
- Interactions ion-solvent



Multiscale Modeling strategies

Different ways to combine each levels of resolution (energy, time and/or length):

- (i) **Sequential**: the simulation models on different scales are treated separately by simply transfer information between levels of resolution. (mature)
- (ii) Hybrid: different levels of resolution are running simultaneously with a direct link between them, (developed)
- (iii) Adaptive: switch between resolution levels on the fly (work in progress problem specific)

Multiscale Modeling strategies

- The exchange of information, interaction or particles requires a high level of consistency between the individual models:
- i. Energy and forces
- ii. Structural
- iii. Mechanical properties
- iv. Electrostatic environment
- v. Hydrodynamics

Particles immersed in a fluid excite long-ranged flows as they move, and similarly move in response to fluid motion.

- a) uncharged polymer, the hydrodynamic interactions are unscreened
- b) Salt limits the hydrodynamic interaction
- c) More salt, the chain can be hydrodynamically decoupled.



Mesoscale modelling of polyelectrolyte electrophoresis - Kai Grass and Christian Holm - DOI: 10.1039/b902011j

Linking levels of resolution: energies, forces and structures

- Scale bridging requires systematic development of the individual models which are thermodynamically, mechanically and/or structurally consistent.
- Here, we use the following approaches:
- 1) Part 1 from the quantum mechanical to atomistic
- 2) Part 2 from atomistic to lattice levels





www.-m2.ma.tum.de/bin/view/Allgemeines/MA5344SS15

Multiscale Modeling Strategies

- **D** Assuming Quasi-Equilibrium:
 - Microscopic Scale, fast process
 - Macroscopic Scale, slow process
 - Assume quasi-equilibrium of micro
 - Use molecular info in constitutive laws at macro scale
- Example: Dynamics of particles in porous media
 Aplication: Enhanced Oil Recovery (EOR)
 - Constitutive Law: Momentum Flux Equation (LBM)
 - Microscopic Level: Molecular Dynamics used on fluid particles to estimate wetability and viscosity properties for macro



Complex physical phenomena in materials: a O&G perspective

Would it be possible to reach 70% recovery factor in conventional oil fields?







As oil recovery processes involve the interaction between rock-brine-oil.

The optimization of oil production requires deep understanding of reservoir properties at different scales.

Main strategies: Reduce the interfacial tension (IFT) and the viscosity of crude oil by molecular additives

NANO-EOR SURFACE DRIVEN FLOW



Functionalized Silica nanoparticles

Hydroxylated
 Poliethylene glycol (Hydrophylic)
 -CH₂-CH₂-Sulfonic acid (Hydrophobic)



Temperature (300, 350, 375 and 400K) Pressure (1to 400 atm) [1 – 6000 psi]

Miranda et al. SPE-157033-MS - 2012

NP-clay interaction

- For *montmorillonite (MMT)* and other clay systems, the effect of clay swelling occurs, which can have an impact on the wellbore instability and formation damage.
- Montmorillonite is used in the oil drilling industry as a component of drilling mud.



 $(Na,Ca)_{0.33}(AI,Mg)_2(Si_4O_{10})(OH)_2 \cdot nH_2O_1$ MMT is naturally hydrophilic and it has good affinity with H₂O_1

AFM Simulations through the Interaction between Functionalized Silicon Tip and the Montmorillonite (001) Surface – DFT + vdW

Alvim, R. S.; Miranda, C. R JPC_C (2016)



- Strength of bonding
- Surface configuration
- Adsorption density
- Interatomic Forces
- Chemical environment

HOW TO UPSCALE THIS VERY FUNDAMENTAL INFORMATION ?

Fully atomistic MD(Brine+NP/Oil/MMT)



Electrical double layer



- Electrical Double Layer (EDL) Formation.
- For NP adsorbed on MMT compression of the EDL.

Interfacial phenomena





MD Physical properties $\rho_o = 0.81 \text{ g/cm}^3$; $\rho_b = 0.96 \text{ g/cm}^3$; $\eta_o = 3.62 \text{ mPa-s}$; $\eta_b = 0.79 \text{ mPa-s}$; $\gamma_{ob} = 43 \text{ mN/m}$; $\theta_w = 28^\circ$

 $ρ_o=0.81 \text{ g/cm}^3; ρ_b=0.96 \text{ g/cm}^3;$ $η_o=3.60 \text{ mPa-s}; η_b=0.88 \text{ mPa-s};$ $γ_{ob}=38 \text{ mN/m}; θ_w=21^\circ$

LBM parameters: $G = 0.14; G_w = -0.015;$ $\tau_{oil} = 1.50; \tau_{brine} = 0.70$



 $G = 0.15; G_w = -0.02;$ $\tau_{oil} = 1.50; \tau_{brine} = 0.75$

Hierarchical Computational Protocol: Molecular Dynamics + LBM

Versatile tool to investigate the potentialities of modified injection fluids for EOR techniques



Pereira, Lara and Miranda, Microfluidics and Nanofluidics (2016)

MMT Rock Model



LBM Parameters

	G ₁₂	G _w
Without NP	0.190	0.078
NP-H	0.181	0.095
NP-SA	0.171	0.099
NP-PEG2	0.164	0.098

Characteristic Scale $I_0 = 5.49 \times 10^{-5} \text{ m}$ $t_0 = 1.27 \times 10^{-4} \text{ s}$ $m_0 = 1.50 \times 10^{-10} \text{ kg}$

Exploring Oil Extraction by Nanofluids in Clay Coated Pore Network Models

Oil displacement by Brine+NP-PEG2: First Injection



 $C_a = 1.2 \times 10^{-2}$





Exploring Oil Extraction by Nanofluids in Clay Coated Pore Network Models

LBM Simulations: Oil displacement at the pore-size scale



Multiscale methodology

Reservoir Simulator



Spatial Scale

Summary – NanoEOR for NPs/brine/oil/clay interfaces

- Surface characterization of Geological Materials by first principles (PDOS, AFM, XAS and NMR).
- Extensive MD for NP interacting with Clays/brine/oil.
- Adsorption and Swelling studies of NP on clay systems.
- ✓ Integrated FP, MD and LBM method.
- Cost effective way to search for NPs for EOR applications.

FLUIDS CONFINED AT NANOSCALE

ALEXSANDRO KIRCH, TERESA D. LANNA, HENRIQUE M. CEZAR, NAIYER RAZMARA, JULIO MENEGHINI



Access information at the molecular level

Fluid flow @ CNTs



A Kirch, JM de Almeida, CR Miranda - Journal of chemical theory and computation, 2018

A.Kirch, T. Lanna, N. Razmara, J. Meneghini, C. Miranda Bulletin of the American Physical Society, 2019

Why are fluid densities so low in carbon nanotubes?

Finite range of molecular interactions Excluded volume between the CNT wall and the fluid \propto one molecular diameter



Gerald J. Wang and Nicolas G. Hadjiconstantinou, Physics of Fluids 27, 052006 (2015)

Coupling MD and First Principles



A Kirch, JM de Almeida, CR Miranda - Journal of Chemical Theory and Computation, 2018

A Kirch, JM de Almeida, CR Miranda - Journal of Chemical Theory and Computation, 2018

Electronic Structure

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Energy band structure



Transport properties



Transmittance

Number of channels is reduced (incrased)



Chemical Theory and Computation, 2018

What Happens to Permeability at the Nanoscale? A Molecular Dynamics Simulation Study Velasco,Raul et al. Proc. of the 5th Unconventional Resources Tech. Conf. (2017)

Permeability @ nanoscale



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Darcy's law ?



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Permeability @ CNT

"Nanopore permeability is no longer fluid independent."



Gas flow through micro/nano porous medium



Fig. 1 Porous medium represented by randomly arranged solid spherical particles

Low density fluid flow:

Microfluid Nanofluid (2016) 20:162 DOI 10.1007/s10404-016-1829-8

"Darcy's law holds even in the case of a porous medium with micro-/nanoscale pores."

FLUID FLOW AT ROCK'S NANOPORE

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In collaboration with Sylvia Multisya, A. Kirch J. M. de Almeida, V. M. Sanchez.

Water confinement

Nanofluidics: pressure driven flow

Water and CO2 in Cement



Almeida and Miranda Scientific Reports (2016), P.R. Fluids (2020)

- SMART WATER Low salt EOR "Água esperta"
- Structural properties of water/brine in calcite pores

NANO-IOR PRESSURE DRIVEN FLOW

- Explore the water and oil flow through silicates and carbonates nanopores to:
- a) Model the displacement of water and oil through a nanopore to mimic the fluid infiltration on geological porous media.
- b) Simulate the process of water fooding to emulate a Nano-IOR process.



Fluid flow through nanoporous

Fluid flow through mineral porous occours in underground aquifers, oil and shale gas reservoirs.



Clay Minerals (1994) 29, 451-461

- "Invisible pores"
- Large % of porosity and surface area.
- Interconnects larger porous
- Control the permeability



Nano IOR - Fluid infiltration in silicate nanoporous through MD

Diameters		indittas.			
1 nm 2 nm 3 nm 4 nm			later Silica Wa	ater Oil	
 Nanoporous fille 1) Water 2) Oil 3) Oil after water 4) Water re-inject 	d with		SiOH	Si(OH) ₂	Si_OSi
	Label	Diameter (Å)	SiOH terminations	$Si(OH)_2$ terminations	SiOSi terminations
Higher hydrophilicity	SiOH-Rich	39.42	6.65%	44.50%	48.86%
Lower hydrophilicity	SiOSi-Rich	36.45	30.76%	4.60%	65.71%

Confinement and hydrophilicity effects on geologically relevant fluids in silica nanopores

James M. de Almeida and Caetano R. Miranda

Work under review

Radial density profiles for the pore with an adsorbed water layer and oil.



Physical Review Fluids, submitted (2020)

Radial density profiles for the pore with brine-oil.



Physical Review Fluids, submitted (2020)



Hagen–Poiseuille equation



Fluid-Fluid interface

 $\Delta P = P_{in} - P_{out}$

0.15



Young-Laplace equation Solid-fluid-fluid interface



 $\gamma_{\rm LG}$

 γ_{sG}

 $\theta_{\rm C}$

 $\gamma_{\rm SL}$

Calculated Contact Angle

Critical Infiltration Pressures

- From the bulk densities one can obtain the critical infiltration pressures, with the Young-Laplace relation: $\Delta P = \frac{2\gamma}{R},$
- Which gives us the following:

Radius (Å)	ΔP Water (atm)	ΔP Brine (atm)	The predicted pressures would	
1.0 nm	925	989	infiltration for all the systems	
1.5 nm	636	680		
2.0 nm	456	487	→ 600 atm on simulation	
2.4 nm	390	417		

- The critical pressure for the 1.0 nm predicted 1000 atm. No infiltration is observed for up 3000 atm.
- We notice a limitation of Young-Laplace relation to obtain the critical infiltration pressures on nanopores,

Summary: "There is Plenty of Room at the Bottom" and the Ground

- The properties of fluids confinement at nanoscale differ from bulk → remarkable properties
- Hagen–Poiseuille equation deviates from quadratic behavior at nanopores (< 2nm)
- Young-Laplace is not valid for the studied nanochannels.
- Darcy's law also may not be valid
- Plethora of dynamics in nanoporous media observed (Cavitation, bubble formation, fluid flow)
- Reactive and control theory at nanoscale







WHAT IS A LIQUID ?

HOW TO CHARACTERIZE A FLUID FLOW AT MOLECULAR LEVEL ?

THE question:

"Can we predict the macroscopic properties of (classical) from microscopic systems?"



NEWTON: F=m a

LAPLACE:

Nous devons donc envisager l'état présent de l'universe comme l'effet de son état antérieur et comme la cause de delui qui va suivre. Une intelligence qui, pour un instant donné, connaîtrait toutes les forces dont la nature est animée et la situation respective des êtres qui las composent, si d'ailleurs elle était assez vaste pour soumettre ces données à l'Analyse, embrasserait dans la même formule les mouvements des plus grands corps de l'univers et ceux du plus lèger atome : rien ne serait incertain pour elle, et l'avenir, comme le passé, serait présent à ses yeux.





"Translation" In principle "Yes".

Provided that we know the position, velocity and interaction of all molecules, then the future behavior is predictable, \dots BUT

.... There are so many molecules.

This is why, before the advent of the computer, it was impossible to predict the properties of real materials.

What was the alternative?

1. Smart tricks ("theory")

Only works in special cases

2. Constructing model ("molecular lego")...



Figure 5.1. The experimental apparatus used by Hales to demonstrate the force exerted by dilating peas. When the lid was loaded with a weight, the dilated peas fill the interstices, developing polyhedral forms.



J.D. Bernal's "ball-bearing model" of an atomic liquid...



J.D. Bernal constructs a model of a liquid... (around 1950)..

I took a number of rubber balls and stuck them together with rods of a selection of different lengths ranging from 2.75 to 4 in. I tried to do this in the first place as casually as possible, working in my own office,

being interrupted every five minutes or so and not remembering what I had done before the interruption. However, ...

Water - membrane ionic channels







Função de distribuição radial g(r)



