

M3D-C1 ZOOM Meeting

8/03/2020

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Announcements

- Laboratory closed unless authorized
 - Once authorized, need to get single access code at <http://rtw-screen.pppl.gov>
- Pellet Ablation Code Camp Aug 3-6 (Brendan Lyons)
 - Coupling of local LP code to M3D-C1/NIMROD
- JPP Colloquium Wed Aug 5 11:00 AM ET
 - C. Collins: Understanding & Controlling Transport of Fast Ions by Alfvén Eigenmodes in Tokamaks
- NERSC Users Group Meeting August 17, 2020
 - Registration Required
 - Possibility of presenting 10 min talk
- ITPA MHD Meeting October 14-16 2020
 - Fully Remote
- IAEA Fusion Energy Conference postponed to May 2021

LBL Report

- Focus on GPUs?

Local Systems

- PPPL
 - Should compile on centos7 node (sunfire15, sunfire14,...)
 - Meshing utilities at: /p/swim/jchen/PETSC/core/build/bin
 - create.smb
 - collapse
 - split_smb
 - make_model
 - partition=m3dc1 (greene large mem) now works (with centos7)
 - Regression tests PASSED on both greene and centos7
 - Use SuperLU_dist for real 2D and 3D, mumps for linear 2D (complex)
 - Simmetrix m3dc1_meshgen NOT available on centos7
 - Use old system on portal until centos7 version available
 - Seegyong is working on this and the associated documentation
- EDDY
 - All 6 regression tests PASSED this morning

SciDAC-4 Description of Upcoming Systems

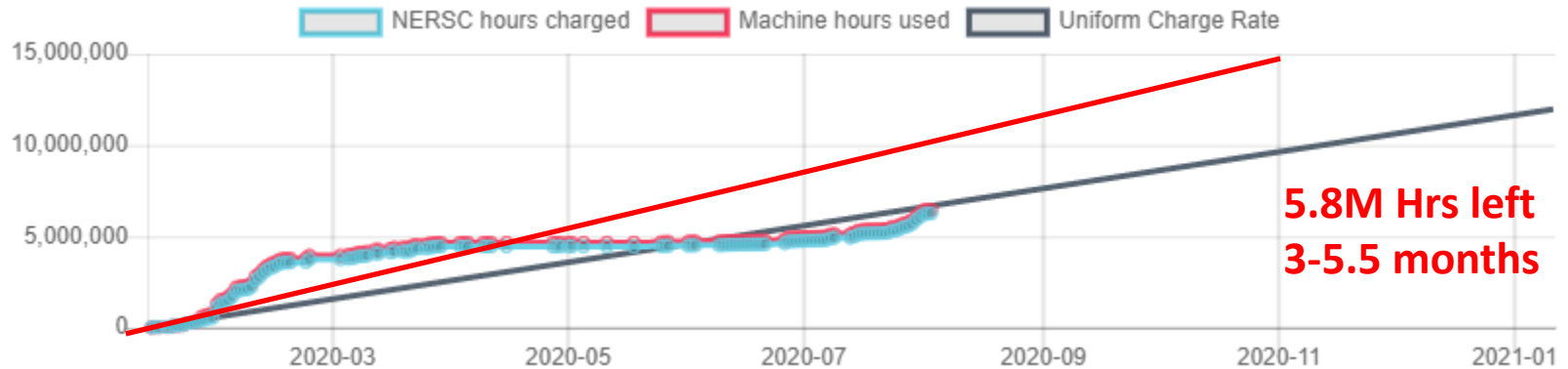
- Barbara Chapman/BNL
- Jack Deslippe/NERSC (Perlmutter, 3-4 time Cori)
- Bronson Messer/OLCF (ORNL, Summit 0.2 EF)
- Scott Parker/ALCF (Argonne, Aurora > 1 EF)
- Christan Trott/SNL

All systems will obtain performance via GPUs

- Started a discussion with Todd Munson (ANL) about sparse matrix solves on GPUs
 - He brought in Richard Mills and Barry Smith
 - They have requested output from a run with the `-log_view` option
 - Jin Chen to follow up

NERSC Time

mp288



m3163

Closed for general use

- Should be enough mp288 time to last until new PU/PPPL computer arrives in fall – red line is linear usage until Nov 1
- Please use time sparingly !

Changes to github master since last week

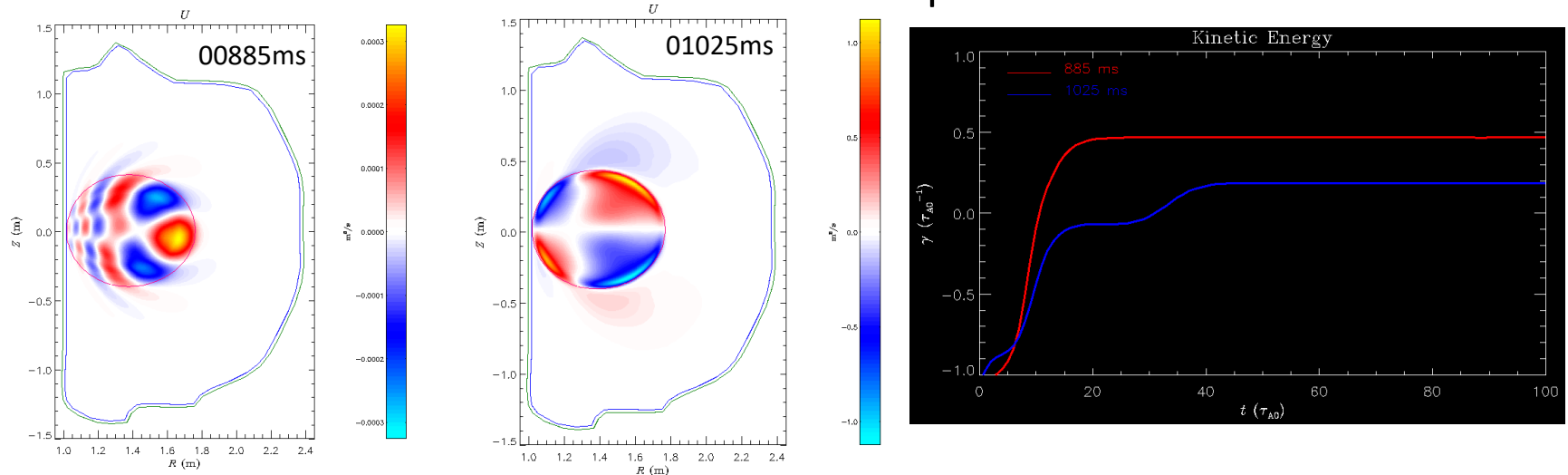
- N. Ferraro:
 - 07/31—Changed regtest/pellet to use superlu_dist on cori and cori_knl
 - 07/29—Changed batchjog.greene in KPRAD_2D, KPRAD_restart, and RMP_nonlin to use superlu; Replaced `-np` with `-n` in mpiexec line for regtest/RMP/batchjob.greene for compatibility with srun; Updated `write_neo_input.pro` and `plot_perturbed_surface.pro` to take `psi_norm` as input instead of `q`; Change to `flux_at_q.pro` to respect `/unique` keyword when reading multiple files;
 - Added `iread_planes` option to read positions of toroidal planes from `plane_positions` file; Updated coding for `q_contour` keyword in `plot_field.pro` to work with updated `flux_at_q.pro`; Fixed typo in output of `flux_at_q.pro`; Fixed `.gitignore` to ignore results of regtests runs
 - 07/27—Updated `flux_at_q` to handle cases where there are multiple surfaces with a given `q`
- Lyons
 - 07/29– Fix `flux_heat` diagnostic for `kappai_fac.ne.1`
- J.Chen
 - 07/29-- Stop diverged solves; run time solver option fixes
- S. Jardin
 - 07/16 – added `ikprad_te_offset` to apply `eta_te_offset` to `kprad` and `pellet` ablation

Problem when nblocks_bjacobi .ne. nplanes

- This cannot be automated as PETSc reads options file before C1input is read in.
- However, Jin Chen put in a check and the code will print an error and end if they are not equal

RE Fluid Modeling of DIII-D Experiments

- Carlos Paz-Soldan and Yueqiang Liu (GA) are interested in having M3D-C1 perform some nonlinear runs on shots where kink-modes de-confined Res
- Brendan Lyons suggested shot 177040. These have been looked at by Liu with the (linear) MARS code
- ZOOM call held Tuesday July 28 @ 1:00 PM ET
 - Chang Liu, Chen Zhao, Steve Jardin, Yueqiang Liu, Carlos Paz-Soldan
- Brendan sent around initial free-boundary equilibrium & results:

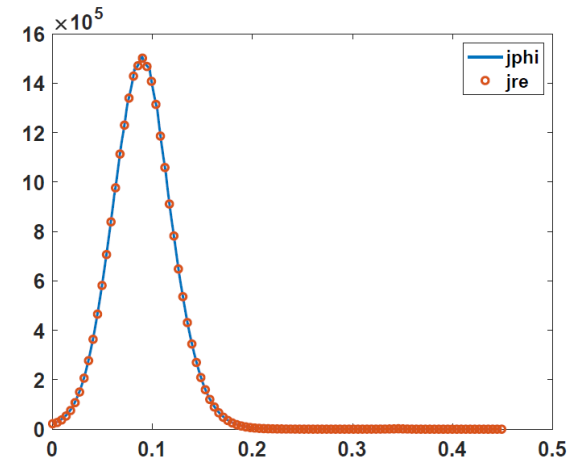
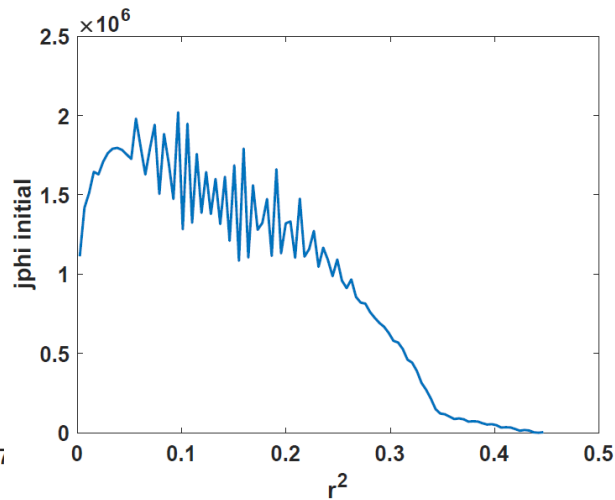
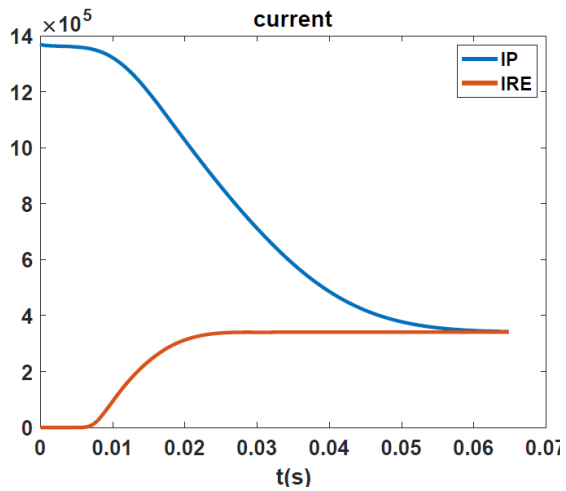


- Chang Liu to compare with MARS results, extend to non-linear

Evolution of $q(a)$ during current quench

- Boozer, “Halo currents and vertical displacements after ITER disruptions”, Phys. Plasmas 26, 114501 (2019) makes some predictions regarding $ZMAG(t)$ and $q_a(t)$ after a partial current quench
- It would be relatively straightforward to compare this with what Cesar finds in his M3D-C1 simulations...including the effect of halo currents which were not considered in the article.
- I encourage Cesar to write a short paper doing this.

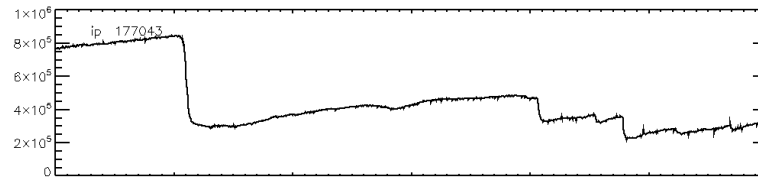
Runaways with Sources



- 1D (MATLAB) calculation starting from 2D Equilibrium IDL printout
- Why is initial JPHI so noisy?
- How does this differ from full 2D calculation?

M3D-C1 coupling to RE code KORC

- Plan to target DIII-D shot 177043 after Chen has a full simulation with fluid runaway electrons



- KORC can now run using fields, densities, and temperatures from M3D-C1 hdf5 files using Nate's Fusion-IO routines
- Cesar's cases are not yet showing strong electric fields and current quench
 - → no runaway formation
- Does Brendan have a DIII-D pellet injection case that has thermal and current quench?
 - Suitable for coupling to KORC ?

Consistent use of eta_te_offset

- We introduced eta_te_offset for the VDE calculations so we could obtain a large open-field-line resistivity without having the temperature (and pressure) go negative.

$$\eta(T_e) = \eta_0 \times \left(\frac{T_e - \text{eta_te_offset}}{T_0} \right)^{-3/2}$$

- New INPUT variable, **ikprad_te_offset**. Default 0. If equal to 1, eta_te_offset will be used in radiation and ablation routines

subroutine kprad_ionize

te = tet79(:,OP_1) - eta_te_offset

subroutine calculate_scalars

pet79(:,OP_1)/net79(:,OP_1)
- eta_te_offset

That's All I have

Anything Else ?