

## Lecture 7: Heterogeneous BC's

Logistics: - record today's class ? ✓

- HW1 grades on canvas

- HW2 due Thursday

Last time: - Scaling analysis of steady linear confined aquifer

→ eliminated all 5 parameters

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{PDE: } \\ \text{BC: } \\ \Rightarrow \end{array} \left. \begin{array}{l} -\frac{d^2 h'}{dx'^2} = 1 \quad x' \in [0, 1] \\ \frac{dh'}{dx'} \Big|_0 = 0 \quad h'(1) = 0 \end{array} \right\} \underline{h' = \frac{1}{2}(1-x'^2)}$$
$$\Rightarrow h_c = \frac{f_s l^2}{bk} \sim \Delta h$$

- Homogeneous Dirichlet BC's

reduced system:  $\underline{L}_r \underline{h}_r = \underline{f}_{sr}$

projection matrix  $\underline{N} = \text{null}(\underline{B})$

$$\underline{h} = \underline{N} \underline{h}_r \quad \underline{h}' = \underline{N}' \underline{h}$$

$$\underline{L}_r = \underline{N}'^T \underline{L} \underline{N}$$

Today: - heterogeneous constraints

- layered media

## Heterogeneous Dirichlet BC's

Impose analytic solution at last cell center as BC

⇒ not zero

$$\text{PDE: } -\frac{d^2 h'}{dx'^2} = 1 \quad x' \in [0, 1]$$

$$\text{BC: } \left. \begin{array}{l} \frac{dh'}{dx'} \Big|_0 = 0 \\ h'(1) = 0 \end{array} \right\} \quad h'(x_{c, Nx}) = h_{\text{ana}}(x_{c, Nx}) = g$$

Linear system for BC:  $\underline{\underline{B}} \underline{h} = \underline{g}$

↑  
same as before

Because system is linear we can split  $\underline{h} = \underline{h}_0 + \underline{h}_p$   
into homogeneous soln  $h_0$  and a particular soln  $h_p$ .

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{homog. soln: } \underline{\underline{B}} \underline{h}_0 = \underline{0} \\ \text{particular soln: } \underline{\underline{B}} \underline{h}_p = \underline{g} \end{array} \right\} \underline{\underline{B}} (\underbrace{\underline{h}_0 + \underline{h}_p}_{\underline{h}}) = \underline{g}$$

Note:  $\underline{h}$  is unique

But the split of  $\underline{h}$  into  $\underline{h}_0$  and  $\underline{h}_p$  is not unique, but there is an simplest choice

Two questions: 1) how do we find suitable  $\underline{h}_p$ ?

→ have a choice

2) Given  $\underline{h}_p$  what is associated  $\underline{h}_o$ ?

Start with 2: Suppose we have  $\underline{h}_p$

$$\underline{L} \underline{h} = \underline{f}_s \quad \underline{h} = \underline{h}_o + \underline{h}_p$$

$$\underline{L} (\underline{h}_o + \underline{h}_p) = \underline{f}_s$$

$$\underline{L} \underline{h}_o = \underline{f}_s - \underline{L} \underline{h}_p = \underline{f}_s + \underline{f}_D \quad \underline{f}_D = -\underline{L} \underline{h}_p$$

$$= \underline{f} \quad \underline{f} = \underline{f}_s + \underline{f}_D$$

We have:  $\left. \begin{array}{l} \underline{L} \underline{h}_o = \underline{f} \\ \underline{B} \underline{h}_o = \underline{0} \end{array} \right\} \text{homog. problem}$

To solve we project into null space of B

$$\underline{L}_r \underline{h}_{or} = \underline{f}_r$$

$$\underline{L}_r = \underline{N}^T \underline{L} \underline{N}$$

$$\underline{h}_{or} = \underline{N}^T \underline{h} \quad \underline{f}_r = \underline{N}^T \underline{f}$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{h}_o = \underline{N} \underline{h}_{or}$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{h} = \underline{h}_o + \underline{h}_p$$

Find a particular solution  $\underline{h}_p$ :

Note that  $\underline{h}_p$  does not need to satisfy  $\underline{B} \underline{h}_p = \underline{f}$   
that is taken care of by homog. solution.

Hence  $\underline{h}_p$  simply needs to solve  $\underline{B} \underline{h}_p = \underline{g}$

Intuition: Given that  $\underline{B}$  is composed  $N_c$  rows  
of  $\underline{I}$ ,  $\underline{h}_p$  needs to have  $N_c$  entries  
of  $\underline{g}$  in the right places.  $\underline{h}_p = \underline{B}^T \underline{g}$   
(This would be sufficient for us)

To solve more general constraint problem we need

to solve  $\underline{B} \underline{h}_p = \underline{g}$  (not square)

$\Rightarrow$  need to make it square

most obvious:

$$\underbrace{\underline{B}^T \underline{B}}_{N_c \cdot N_x} \underline{h}_p = \underline{B}^T \underline{g}$$

$N_c \cdot N_x$

$\underline{B}^T \underline{B}$  is not

invertible because

it has at most

$N_c^2$  non-zero entries

Instead we want to condense this to  $N_c \cdot N_c$  system.

Want to solve reduced system:  $\underline{B}_r \underline{h}_{pr} = \underline{g}$   
 $N_c \cdot N_c \quad N_c \cdot 1 \quad N_c \cdot 1$

$$\underline{h}_{pr} = \underline{B} \underline{h}_p$$

$N_c \cdot 1 \quad N_c \cdot N_x \quad N_x \cdot 1$

from eqn:  $\underline{B} \underline{h}_p = \underline{g}$

compare  $\Rightarrow \underline{h}_{pr} = \underline{g}$

$\underline{h}_p = \underline{B}^T \underline{h}_{pr}$  substitute this into eqn

$$\underline{B} \underline{h}_p = \underline{g}$$

$$\underline{B} \underline{B}^T \underline{h}_{pr} = \underline{g}$$

$N_c \cdot N_c \quad N_c \cdot 1 \quad N_c \cdot 1$

$$\underline{h}_p = \underline{B}^T \underline{h}_{pr}$$

Summary: Solving linear system with constraints.

PDE:  $\underline{L} \underline{h} = \underline{f}_s$

BC:  $\underline{B} \underline{h} = \underline{g}$

Step 1: find particular solution

$$\underline{h}_p = \underline{B}^T \underline{h}_{pr} \quad \underline{h}_{pr} = \underline{B} \underline{B}^T \setminus \underline{g}$$

$$\underline{h}_p = \underline{B}^T (\underline{B} \underline{B}^T \setminus \underline{g})$$

Step 2: find associated hom. solution

$$\underbrace{\underline{N}^T \underline{L} \underline{N}}_{\underline{L}_r} \underbrace{\underline{N}^T \underline{h}_0}_{\underline{h}_{or}} = \underline{N}^T (\underline{f}_s - \underline{L} \underline{h}_p)$$

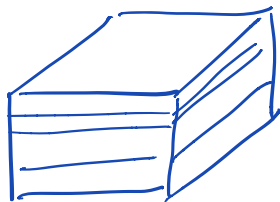
$$\underline{h}_0 = \underline{N} \left[ (\underline{N}^T \underline{L} \underline{N}) \setminus (\underline{N}^T (f_s - \underline{L} \underline{h}_p)) \right]$$

Step 3:  $\underline{h} = \underline{h}_0 + \underline{h}_p$

All of this will be encapsulated in a general purpose function that solves linear boundary value problems (LBVP)

$$\Rightarrow \text{solve\_lbvp}(\underline{L}, f_s, \underline{B}, g, \underline{N})$$

## Effective Properties of Layered Materials



Stack of  $N$  layers with thickness

$\Delta l_i$ ; conductivity  $\kappa_i$ ;  $i \in [1, \dots, N]$

How does this affect flow?

$\Rightarrow$  3D problem - computationally

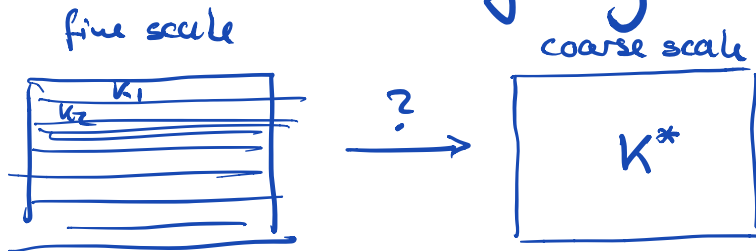
We can analyze 2 limiting cases

1) Flow is perpendicular to layers (in-series)

2) Flow is parallel to layers (in-parallel)

$\Rightarrow$  In these limits flow is 1D

Try and understand the effect of layering by  
by finding an effective property that describes  
the entire stack of layers.



Fine scale: layered medium  $k$  changes with location (heterog.)

Coarse scale: homogeneous medium, but  $k^*$  will  
depend on direction. (anisotropy)