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Simulation Needs

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We present a digest of programs for the simulation of spectroscopic properties (Resonant reflectivity, Phonon calculations, ab-initio simulations, multiplet calculations)
(Small input, Big calculation)

How do they fit to the GRID?

What does the GRID need to host them?

Plans for the future

Important keywords

Domain (ω , k) decomposability -> coarse parallelisation(Condor)

System decomposability -> fine parallelisation (MPI)

Band-pass requirements , scalability

Temporary files (for example eigenvectors ...) , their size, their distributibility

Benefits from GPU

Audience : consolidated Audience, market Audience

In house competences

Selected programs

Code	Applications	decomposability	Band Pass	Temporary files	GPU's Benefits	Audience	In House Competences
PPM	multilayer SXR	ω, Q (MPI)	Just the error function	None	*****	*** *****	Main developer
OpenPhonon	HRIXS	Q (Condor)	Just the error function	1E8bytes distributed	? (lapack 20x20)**	****	Main developer
WIEN	Phonons, XAS	K (Condor) System (MPI)	temporary files Huge (dense matrices)	50Gb NFS	? (LAPACK) ?(SCALAPACK)	*****	Inst. f. Materials Chemistry TU Vienna
FDMNES	XANES, DAFS	ω (MPI)	Just the spectra	None	?(LAPACK)	*****	Yves Joly CNRS, Scisoft maintenance
Hilbert++	multiplets, correlated systems	System (MPI)	Huge (random connectivity)	~2Gb	? (Sparse Matrices)	** ****	Main developer
FEMTO	XANES	System(MPI)	Small (zone borders)	~1Gb distrib.	(Sparse Matrices)*	*****	Main developer
BigDFT	DFT (Pseudopot.)	MPI	Wavefunctions	None	Huge, (beta)	ABINIT	Luigi Genovese (Theory Group)

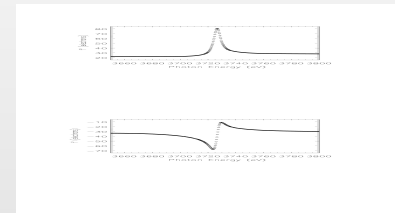
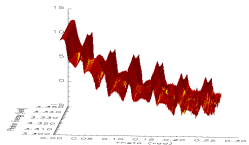
PPM: Pythonic Programming for Multilayers

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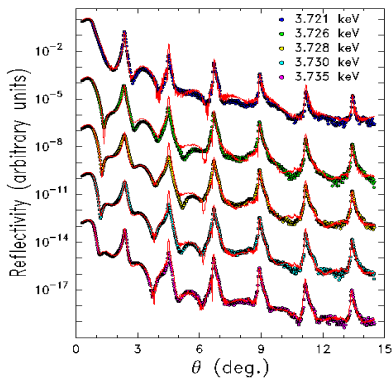
[U9 Å / Fe34 Å]x30 multilayer

specular reflectivity fitted on a grid of incident angle and energy across resonances

Goal : retrieval of optical constants as a function of multilayer depth, respecting dispersion relations
 composition/magnetisation profiles inside layers
 Automatic fit.



synthesised U optical constants



GPU advantages for both scalar and magnetic calculations
 So far used MPI for parallelisation
 Condor could be used but latency must remain small.
 The model is described by an XML file

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OpenPhonon : Lattice Dynamics Calculations: Fit of parametrised forces to HRIXS spectra

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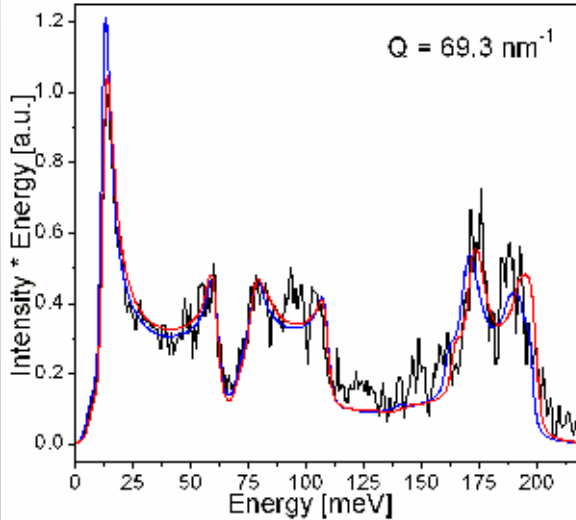
K space decomposition
Condor parallelisation
GPU : eigenvectors for
~20x20 might be a problem
latency : some seconds
eigenvectors are stored on
disk (local)

Orientation average
and calculation
of polycrystalline
IXS spectra

Polycrystalline IXS data,
collected over a large
momentum transfer range

Least squares
fitting routine,
refining model

single crystal
dispersion,
thermodynamic &
elastic properties



Irmengard FISCHER's Thesis

WIEN2k Blaha et al. Inst. f. Materials Chemistry, TU Vienna

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Applications

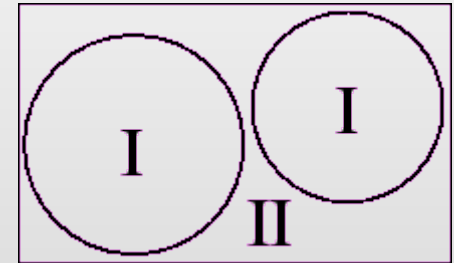
electronic structure calculations of solids using DFT
Phonons calculations, pre-edge spectra, struct. relax.

Method

Linearized augmented plane waves (LAPW)
Full potential

Computing Aspects

K points parallelisation : rsh or Condor
Distributed memory(MPI) : band-pass limitations



$$I) \phi_{k_n} = \sum_{lm} [A_{lm} u_l(r, E_l) + B_{lm} \dot{u}_l(r, E_l)] Y_{lm}(\hat{r})$$

$$II) \phi_{k_n} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\omega}} e^{i k_n r}$$

FDMNES: XANES beyond muffin-tin approximation

Yves Joly, Laboratoire de Cristallographie, Grenoble

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Applications

XANES study of selected atoms environment.

DAFS study of long range order parameters.

Method

Finite differences Schroedinger equation

Atomic wave-functions

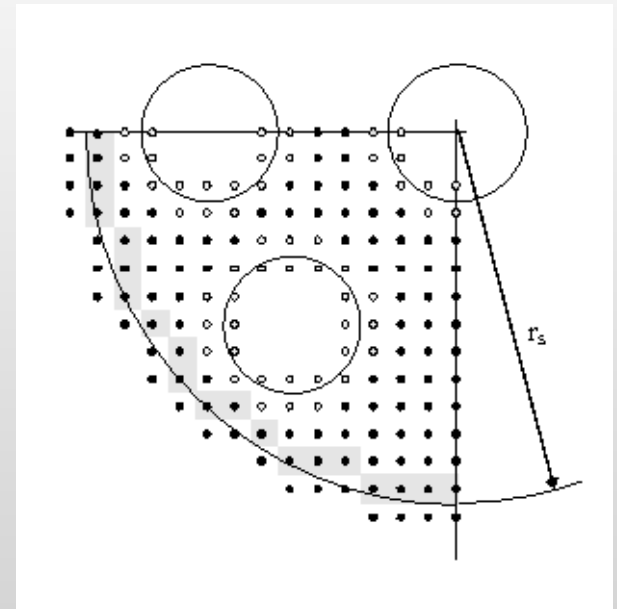
Spherical Bessel outside R_s

Computing Aspects

ω parallelisation : mpi (better Condor)

Dense matrix : inverse by Lapack

memory and time explode with R_s



FEMTO: XANES beyond muffin-tin approximation.

Linear scalability

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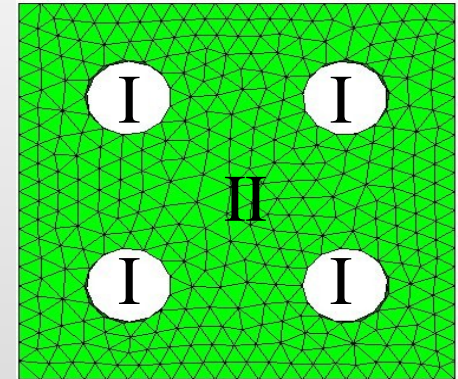
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Method

Finite Elements + atomic function expansion

Variational principle ==> Hermitian Form

Generalised Lanczos tridiagonalisation =>continued fraction



I) atomic wave functions and derivative

II) first order shape functions

Computing Aspects

System : mpi

3D decomposition : low bandpass

Huge systems

BigDFT: Ab initio simulation of large systems

Luigi Genovese , Theory Group

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Applications

DFT of large systems, surfaces, nanostructures

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Method

Wavelets basis

LDA+xc

pseudo-potentials

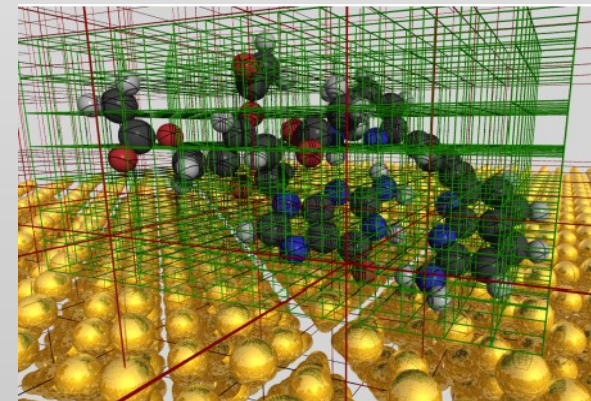
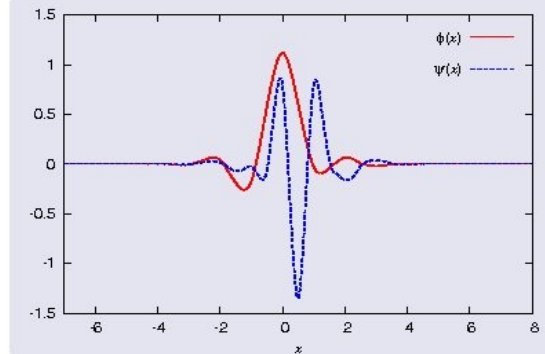
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Daubechies Wavelets



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Applications

Many-body effects in pre-edge XAS, RIXS, SXRD

Method

Start from a model Hamiltonian in second quantisation

Using 2nd quantisation operators to develop

Hilbert space, and obtain Sparsa Matrices

Eigenvalues and spectra by Lanczos method

and tridiagonalisation =>continued fraction

2nd quantisation

$$e = c_i^+ c_k^+ \dots c_l^+ | \square |$$

quantum states in memory :

e.val= ...010..10.....10....

e.signs = ..001..10....01.....

Computing Aspects

System : mpi

N dimension : High bandpass

Small Clusters (exponential complexity)

Other Programs

AB INITIO

Abinit

Vasp

ADF

StoBe

Siesta

Orca

Gamess-UK

Crystal

MonteCarlo

GEANT4

Penelope

MCNPX

EGS4

Molecular Dynamics

Moldy

GROMACS

Conclusion

Different Applications with different requirements

Users could access to in-house Applications through the GRID, relieving the developers and the user from replicating installations at each external institution .

Applications in continuous evolution : GRID could ease updating issues and reduce maintenance labour.

GRID could trigger positive interactions in the scientific community.