Modeling of a Static Incompressible Medium

In the article mathematical modeling of the solution of the static Stokes problem is considered by solving the static problem of the theory of elasticity, with Hooke’s law. We obtain estimates for the proximity of solutions of these problems under asymptotics, namely, when $\lambda \to \infty$, in this case the Poisson coefficient tends to $0$, which corresponds to an incompressible medium. Further, it was proved that the estimate of the proximity of the solutions of the problems considered is unimprovable in order of $1/\lambda$. This allows us to use previously differential schemes for the static problem of the theory of elasticity, as an approximate, it is obtained a method for solving the static Stokes problem on a sequence of grids.

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In a bounded simply connected domain $D \subset \mathbb{R}^3$ with a sufficiently smooth boundary $\gamma$, we will make a solution to the problem of the theory of elasticity for an incompressible medium that satisfies the equilibrium equation:

$$
\mu \Delta \pi - \nabla p + \tau = 0, \quad x \in D,
$$

medium incompressibility condition

$$
\text{div} \pi = 0, \quad x \in D,
$$

displacement-strain relations

$$
2 \varepsilon_{ik} = \left( \frac{\partial u_i^\lambda}{\partial x_k} + \frac{\partial u_k^\lambda}{\partial x_i} \right), \quad i, k = 1, 2, 3,
$$

equations of state of the environment

$$
\sigma_{ik} = -\delta_{ik} p + 2 \mu \varepsilon_{ik},
$$

where $u(x)$ is the displacement vector, $p(x)$ is the pressure function, $f(x)$ is the vector of volume forces, $\varepsilon_{ik}(x)$ are the components of the strain tensor, $\sigma_{ik}(x)$ are the components of the stress tensor and the boundary condition

$$
\sum_{k=1}^{3} \sigma_{ik} n_k = 0, \quad x \in \gamma,
$$

where $n_k$ is guides of cosines by norms to the boundary $\gamma$.

We also consider in the domain $D$ the formulation of the static problem of the theory of elasticity for a compressible medium and use following equations.

Equilibrium equations

$$
\mu \Delta \pi^\lambda + (\lambda + \mu) \nabla \text{div} \pi^\lambda + \tau = 0, \quad x \in D,
$$

displacement-strain relations

$$
2 \varepsilon_{ik}^\lambda = \left( \frac{\partial u_i^\lambda}{\partial x_k} + \frac{\partial u_k^\lambda}{\partial x_i} \right), \quad i, k = 1, 2, 3,
$$

equations of state, Hooke’s law

$$
\sigma_{ik} = \lambda \delta_{ik} \theta^\lambda + 2 \mu \varepsilon_{ik}^\lambda,
$$

In the formula (8) $\theta^\lambda = \sum_{j=1}^{3} \varepsilon_{jj}^\lambda$, $\lambda, \mu > 0$ is Lame coefficients.
Border conditions
\[
\sum_{k=1}^{3} \sigma_k^3 n_k = 0, \quad x \in \gamma, \tag{9}
\]
for the solvability of problems (6) - (9) the following conditions are necessary \[1,2\]
\[
\int_D f dx = 0, \quad \int_D \tau \times f dx = 0, \quad \int_D \nabla f dx = 0, \quad \int_D \text{rot} f dx = 0, \tag{10}
\]
where \(\tau = r(x)\) is the radius vector of the point \(x \in D\).

Earlier in the work, it was obtained an estimate for the proximity of the solution of problem (6)–(10) to the solution of problem (1)–(5) as \(\lambda \to \infty\). Here we get this assessment in another way.

Let us denote \(\overline{\gamma} = \overline{\gamma}_0 + \frac{1}{\lambda} \mathbf{w}\) where \(\overline{\gamma}_0\) is the solution of problem (1)–(5). By virtue of (6)–(10) and (1)–(5) we have:
\[
E(\overline{\gamma}_0, \mathbf{v}) + \frac{1}{\lambda} \int_D \nabla \overline{\gamma}_0 : \nabla \mathbf{v} dx + \int_D \nabla \mathbf{u}_0 : \nabla \mathbf{v} dx = -\int_D f \cdot \mathbf{v} dx, \tag{11}
\]
for an arbitrary function \(\mathbf{v} \in W^1_2(D)\)
\[
E(\overline{\gamma}, \mathbf{v}) = \frac{1}{2\mu} \int_D \sum_{i,j=1}^{3} \left( \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_j} + \frac{\partial u_j}{\partial x_i} \right) \left( \frac{\partial v_i}{\partial x_j} + \frac{\partial v_j}{\partial x_i} \right) dx.
\]
In (11) we add and subtract the expressions \(\int_D \mu \nabla f dx\), as a result we get
\[
\frac{1}{\lambda} \int_D \nabla \mathbf{u}_0 : \nabla \mathbf{v} dx + \int_D \nabla \mathbf{v} dx = -\int_D \mu \nabla f dx. \tag{12}
\]
Assuming in (12) \(\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{w}\), the estimate follows
\[
\frac{1}{\lambda} \int_D \nabla \mathbf{u}_0 : \nabla \mathbf{w} dx + \frac{1}{\lambda} \int_D \mathbf{w} dx = -\frac{1}{2\mu} \int_D \mu ||\mathbf{w}||_{L_2(D)}^2 + \frac{1}{2} ||\mathbf{w}||_{L_2(D)}^2.
\]
By virtue of the fact that
\[
||\mathbf{p}||_{L_2(D)} \leq ||\mathbf{f}||_{W^{-1}_2(D)},
\]
then inequality holds true
\[
\frac{1}{\lambda} \int_D ||\mathbf{w}||_{W_2^2(D)}^2 + \frac{1}{\lambda} \int_D ||\mathbf{v}||_{L_2(D)}^2 \leq \frac{1}{2} \int_D ||\mathbf{f}||_{W^{-1}_2(D)}^2, \tag{13}
\]
After that we will finally get the next formula:
\[
\lambda ||\mathbf{w}||_{L_2(D)} \leq c ||\mathbf{f}||_{W^{-1}_2(D)}. \tag{14}
\]
Next, we estimate the higher derivatives of the solution of problem (6)–(10).

**Theorem 1.** Let \(f(x) \in L_2(D), \ \gamma \in C^2\). Then, to solve the problem (6)–(10), the inequality is
\[
||u||_{W_2^3(D)} + \frac{1}{\lambda^2} \int_D ||\nabla f||_{L_2(D)} \leq c ||f||_{L_2(D)}. \tag{15}
\]

Evidence. If we follow to the work [3], from the smoothness condition for the boundary \(\gamma\), it implies that there is a local change of variables \(y = \psi(x)\), where \(x \in \gamma\), let \(\omega\) be a neighborhood of the point \(x\) such that the piece of the boundary \(\omega \cap \gamma\) becomes a piece of the hyperplane. Let denote through \(\omega_1\) the small neighborhood of this point, which is at a positive distance from the boundary to the neighborhood \(\omega\). Let \(z(x)\) be a non-negative in \(\overline{\omega} = \omega \cup \partial \omega\) a smooth function such that \(\text{supp} \ z \subset \omega\) and \(z(x) = 1\) if \(x \in \omega\). Finally, let us assume that the \(y_k\) axis, \(k = 1, 2, \ldots, n - 1\) lies in the indicated hyperplane, and the \(y_n\) axis is directed along the norms drawn to it. Solutions of problem (6) - (10) satisfy a neutral identity:
\[
E(\overline{\gamma}, \mathbf{v}) + \lambda \int_D \nabla \mathbf{w} : \nabla \mathbf{v} dx = -\int_D f \cdot \mathbf{v} dx \tag{16}
\]
for any $\mathbf{v}(x) \in W^1_2(D)$. Put in (16) $\mathbf{v}(x) = z(x) \frac{\partial}{\partial y_k} (z(x)u_{yk})$, after integration by parts, evaluating the terms in the same way as in [4] we will have $\|u_{yk}\|^2_{W^2_2(\omega)} \leq \|u\|^2_{W^2_2(D)} \cdot \|u\|^2_{W^2_2(\omega)}$, by virtue of (6)–(10), multiplying by $z(x)u_{yk}$ integrating we get
\[
\lambda \left\| \frac{\partial}{\partial y_k} \nabla \text{div} \mathbf{v} \right\|_{W^{-1}_2(D)} \leq M \left[ \|f\| + \|u\|_{W^{1/2}_2(D)} \cdot \|f\|_{L^2(D)}^{1/2} \right]
\]
to estimate $\frac{\partial}{\partial y_k} \text{div} \mathbf{v}$, we use the identity $\nabla \text{div} \mathbf{v} = \text{div} \left( \frac{7}{\lambda + 2\mu} \right)$, which is obtained from (6), if we take the div by going to the variables, we express $\frac{\partial}{\partial y_k} \text{div} \mathbf{v}$ through the remaining derivatives of the first and second order, which are already estimated. Then we get
\[
\left\| \nabla \frac{\partial}{\partial y_k} \text{div} \mathbf{v} \right\|_{W^{-1}_2(\omega)} \leq c \left[ \|f\| + \|u\|_{W^{1/2}_2(D)} \cdot \|f\|_{L^2(D)}^{1/2} \right]
\]
Let us suppose that the set $\omega$ is a finite cover $\mathcal{D}$, then in the last inequality on the left we can take the norm over the whole domain $D$. So we have
\[
\|u\|_{W^2_2(D)} \leq c \left( \|f\|_{L^2(D)} + \|f\|_{L^2_2(D)}^{1/2} \cdot \|u\|_{W^2_2(D)}^{1/2} \right).
\]
The theorem is proved. Similarly we prove

**Theorem 2.** Let $f \in L^2_2(D)$, a domain $D$ is bounded, simply connected, with a sufficiently smooth boundary $\gamma$, then the estimate is valid.

\[
\|\mathbf{v}^\lambda - \mathbf{v}_0\|^2_{W^2_2(D)} + \|\lambda \text{div} \mathbf{v}^\lambda - p\|^2_{L^2_2(D)} \leq c \cdot \lambda^{-1}.
\]

In the work [5], it was obtained an estimate for the proximity estimate for the solutions of problem (6)–(10) to the solution of problem (1)–(5).

\[
\|\mathbf{v}^\lambda - \mathbf{v}\|^2_{W^2_2(D)} + \|\lambda \text{div} \mathbf{v}^\lambda - p\|^2_{L^2_2(D)} \leq c \cdot \lambda^{-2}.
\]

Let us show that this estimate is best possible in the order of the parameter $1/\lambda$.

**Theorem 3.** An estimate of the proximity of the solutions of problems (6)–(10) and (1)–(5) is best possible for $\lambda$.

Evidence. Suppose the contrary, i.e.
\[
\|\mathbf{v}^\lambda - \mathbf{v}\|^2_{W^2_2(D)} + \|\lambda \text{div} \mathbf{v}^\lambda - p\|^2_{L^2_2(D)} \leq c \cdot \lambda^{-(2+\alpha)},
\]
where $\alpha > 0$ is a constant, perhaps small enough, therefore we have:
\[
\|\lambda \text{div} \mathbf{v}^\lambda - p\| \geq \|p\| - \lambda \|\text{div} \mathbf{v}^\lambda\|
\]
\[
\|p\| \leq \lambda \|\text{div} \mathbf{v}^\lambda\| + \|\lambda \text{div} \mathbf{v}^\lambda - p\| \leq c \left( \|\pi\| + \frac{\lambda}{\lambda^{1+\alpha/2}} \right)
\]
Here $\pi = p - \lambda \text{div} \mathbf{v}^\lambda$. In inequality (19), we will pass to the limit as $\lambda \to \infty$; we can obtain it by virtue of (18). If $\|p\|_{L^2_2(D)} = 0$, i.e. $p = 0$. Thus, for $\mathbf{v}$ and $p$ we get the following problem
\[
\mu \Delta \mathbf{v} - \nabla p + \mathbf{f} = 0, \quad x \in D, \quad \text{div} \mathbf{v} = 0, \quad p = 0;
\]
\[
\sum_{k=1}^3 \sigma_{ik} n_k = 0, \quad x \in \gamma.
\]
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Моделирование статической несжимаемой среды

В статье рассмотрено математическое моделирование решения статической задачи Стокса с помощью решения статической задачи теории упругости с законом Гукка. Получены оценки близости решений этих задач при асимптотике, а именно когда $\lambda \to \infty$, в этом случае коэффициент Пуассона стремится к 0,5, что соответствует несжимаемой среде. Далее в работе доказано, что оценка близости решений рассмотренных задач является неудобной по порядку $1/\lambda$. Это позволяет использовать ранее неисследованные разностные схемы для статической задачи теории упругости, как приближенный метод решения статической задачи Стокса на последовательности сеток.

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