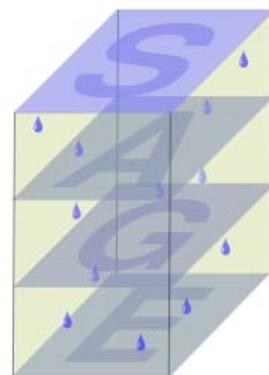


# Méthodes numériques pour des modèles couplés et stochastiques d'hydrogéologie

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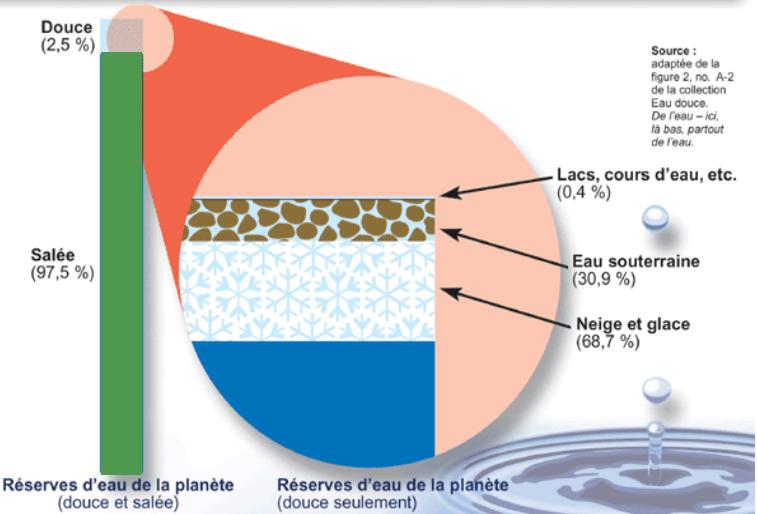


L'eau potable en Bretagne.

→ 70% eaux de surface

→ Quelques captages profonds

## L'eau souterraine et les réserves d'eau douce de la planète



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# Groundwater numerical models

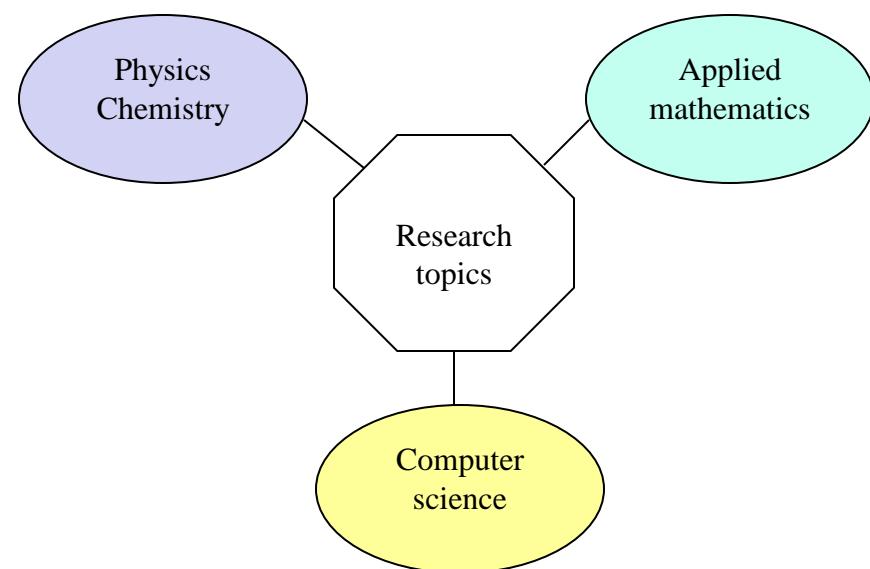
## Societal impact

- Groundwater resources, pollution, remediation
- Nuclear waste storage

## Scientific challenges

- Coupled nonlinear models
- Lack of data
- Heterogeneous data
- Large scale simulations

## Multidisciplinary approach



# Deterministic direct problems

data and process (problem statement; database)

**coupled nonlinear** continuous models (PDAE)

**coupled nonlinear** discrete model (discretization in space and time)

solving algorithm (linear and nonlinear solver, etc)

software engineering (development, debug, etc)

simulations (HPC, parallel and grid computing)

results (problem solution; database; validation)

# Reactive transport models

## Scientific context

- reactive transport: coupling solute transport by advection-dispersion and chemistry of aqueous and fixed species

## Scientific achievements

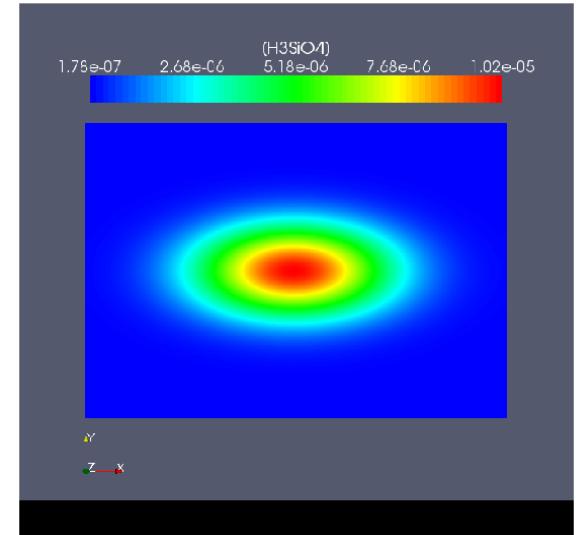
- comparison of existing methods
- global method using a DAE solver
- simulations for Momas benchmark
- software GDAE-3D

## Collaborations and technology transfer

- MOMAS: Strasbourg, Estime INRIA team, CEA
- ANDRA grant
- 3rd prize for benchmark Momas

## Publications

- Ph-D thesis of C. de Dieuleveult
- JCP 2009, Comput. Geo. 2010 (2 papers)
- proceedings Parco 2006, Eccomas 2008



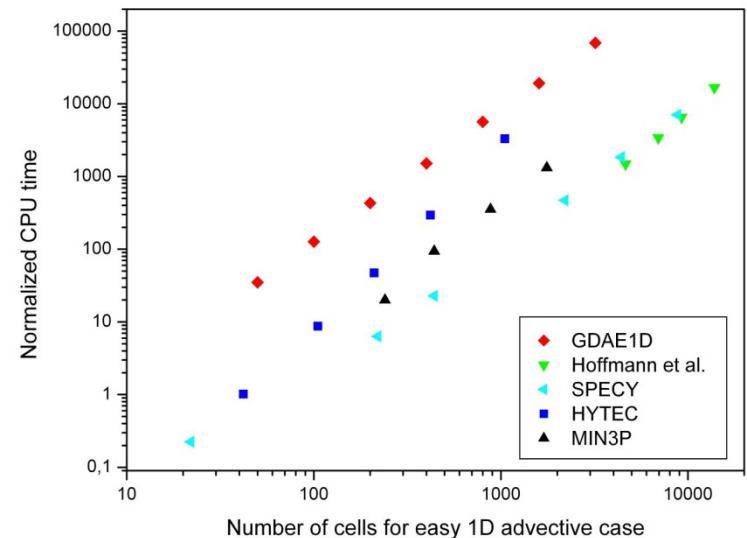
# Global method for reactive transport using DAE

## Methodology

- method of lines: spatial discretization then time discretization
- DAE system of index 1: transport and chemistry equations
- DAE solver: implicit BDF, variable order, variable timestep, control of accuracy
- embedded nonlinear solver: modified Newton, control of convergence
- currently explicit Jacobian and Newton-LU method
- libraries MT3D, SUNDIALS, UMFPACK
- Comparison with other methods
- SNIA and SIA: stability or convergence conditions
- SIA: slow convergence and nonlinear chemistry at each iteration
- DSA: adaptive timestep difficult to implement
- DSA: highly coupled nonlinear equations
- DAE: large sparse linear system and high CPU requirements

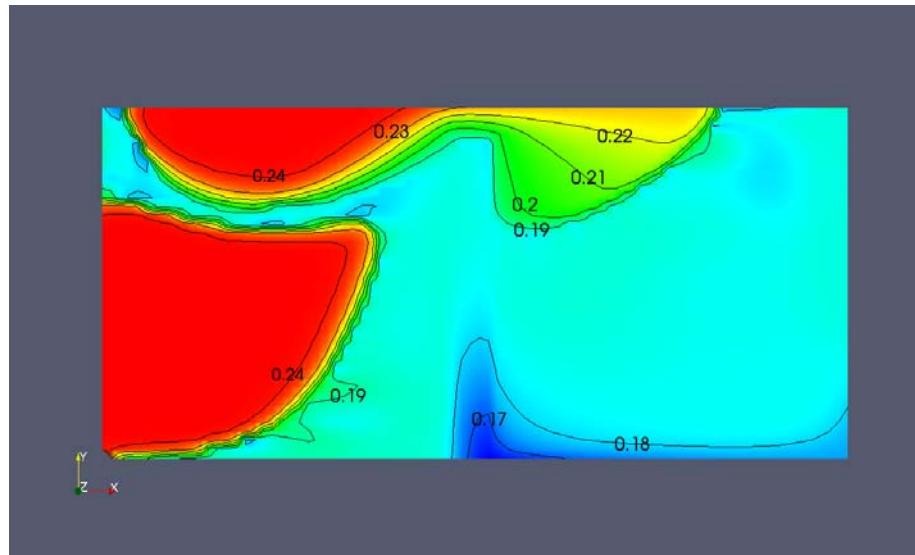
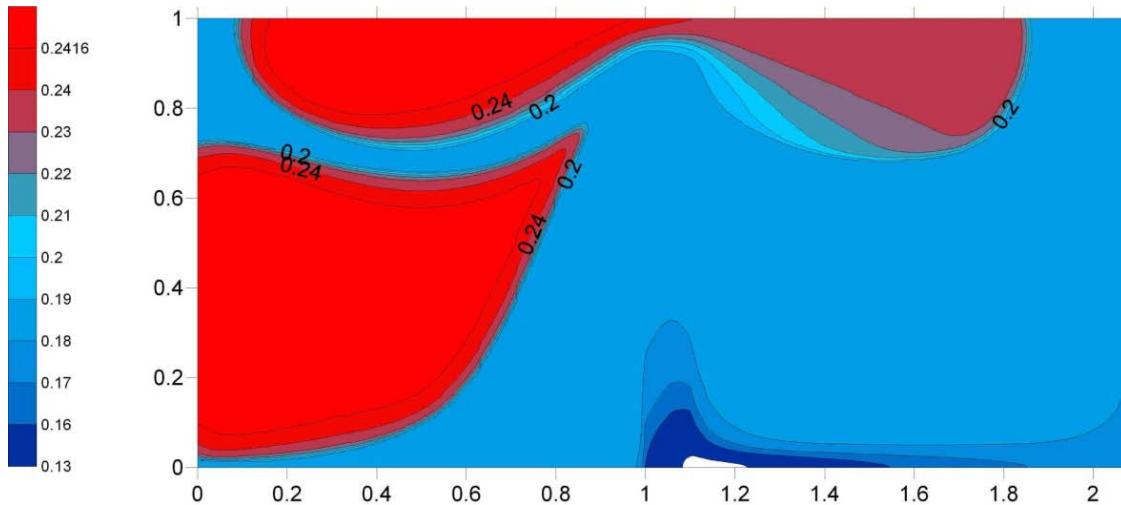
# 1D benchmark test case

	Location of the peak	S concentration of the peak
GDAE1D	0.0175	0.966
Hoffmann et al.	0.0167	0.852
SPECY	0.0158	0.968
HYTEC	0.0170	0.286
MIN3P	0.0175	0.7248
Reference	0.01737	0.985
Mean	<b>0.0169</b>	<b>0.759</b>
Standard deviation	<b><math>7.04 \cdot 10^{-4}</math></b>	<b>0.283</b>



GDAE is more accurate but slower than other methods

# 2D benchmark test case



One species among 13 at time  $t=1000$

Top: Erlangen result with very fine mesh ; bottom: GDAE result with coarse mesh  
Numerical dispersion due to the coarse mesh but accurate results

# Perspectives for coupled models

## Challenge

- reduction of CPU time in DAE methods (reduction of unknowns)
- reduction of numerical diffusion in transport and numerical dispersion
- adaptive mesh refinement
- reactive models with kinetics and precipitation-dissolution
- complex coupled models (non saturated zone, etc)

## Collaboration and industrial transfer

- RISC-E network, Micas consortium, Momas group, Lille Univ
- Tunis, Barcelona, Leipzig
- Andra grant in negociation

# Stochastic direct problems

uncertain data and process (problem statement; database)

stochastic continuous models (PDAE)

stochastic discrete model (in probability, space and time)

solving algorithm (Uncertainty Quantification, solver, etc)

software engineering (development, debug, etc)

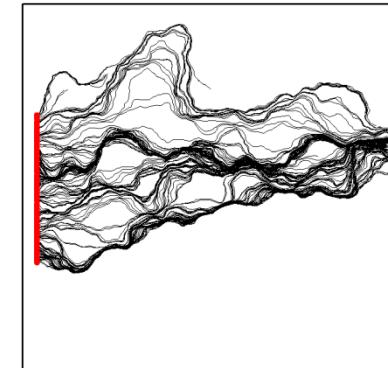
simulations (HPC, parallel and grid computing)

results (problem solution; database; statistics)

# Macro dispersion models

## Scientific context

- heterogeneous porous media : random field of permeability
- random velocity field given by flow model
- transport of an inert solute by advection and dispersion



## Scientific achievements

- analysis of macro dispersion in 2D highly heterogeneous porous media
- reliable large scale simulations using HPC
- fast convergence of Monte-Carlo method
- software PARADIS

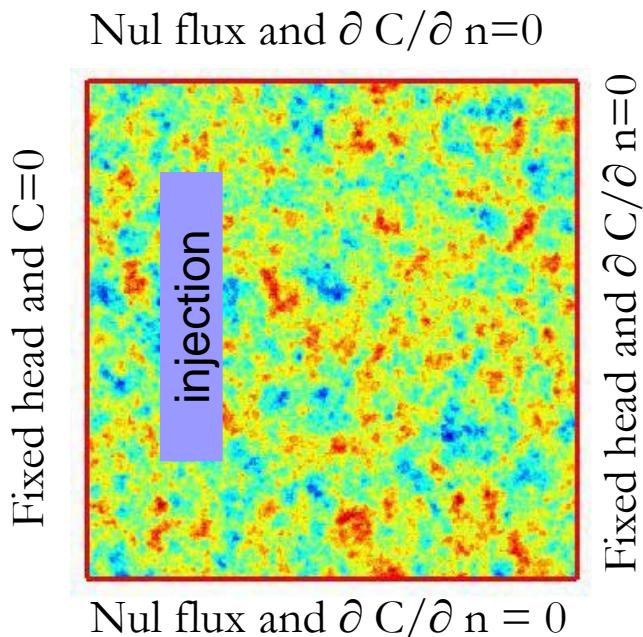
## Collaborations and technology transfer

- MICAS ANR project: Univ. Le Havre, Geosciences Rennes, Univ. Lyon

## Publications

- WRR 2007, WRR 2008
- proceedings Parco 2006, Eccomas 2006, EuroPar 2007, ParCFD 2007, ParCFD 2008, Mamern 2009

# Macro dispersion: numerical models



- Random data  
K log-normal and exponential correlation

- Flow equations

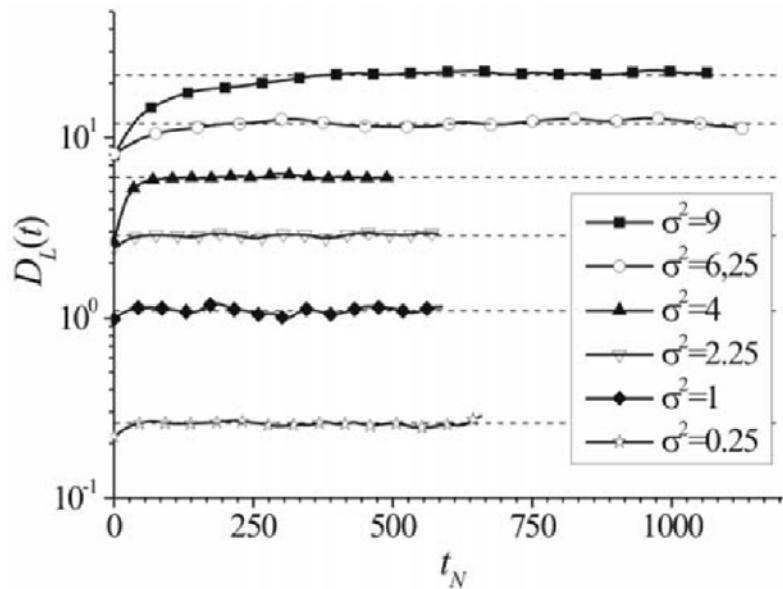
$$\epsilon V = -K \nabla h, \nabla \cdot V = 0$$

- Advection-dispersion equations

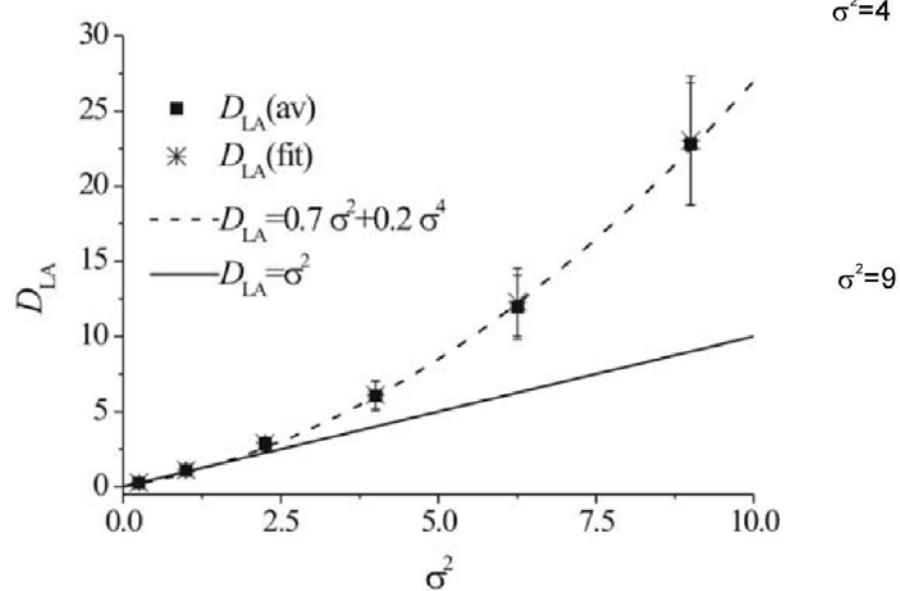
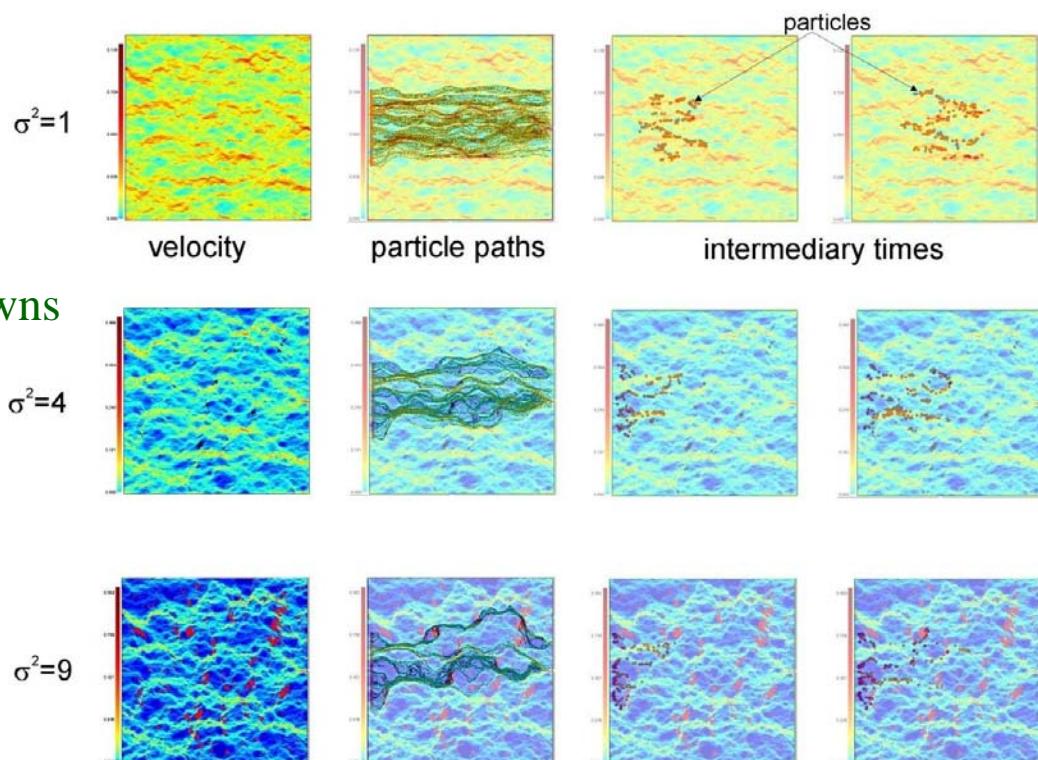
$$\frac{\partial(\epsilon c)}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot (\epsilon c V) - \nabla \cdot (\epsilon d \nabla c) = 0$$

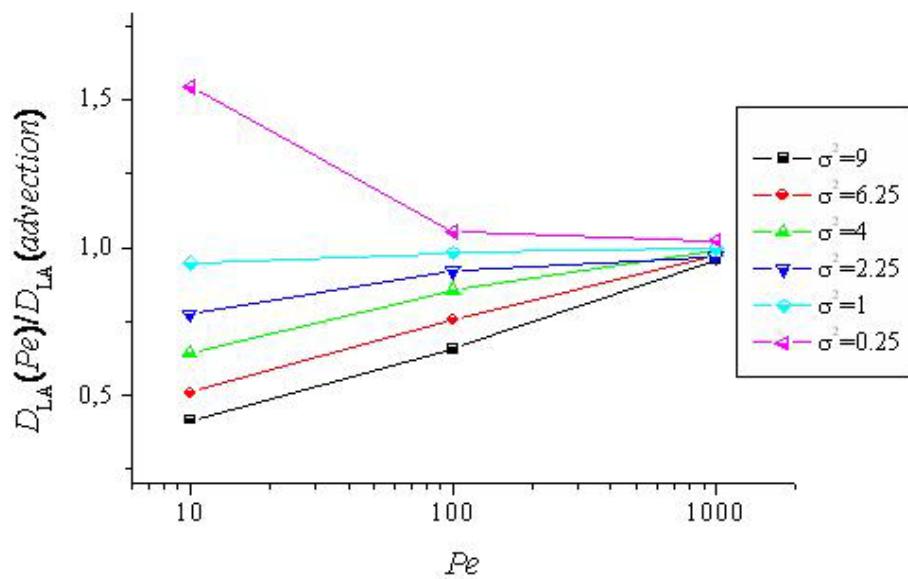
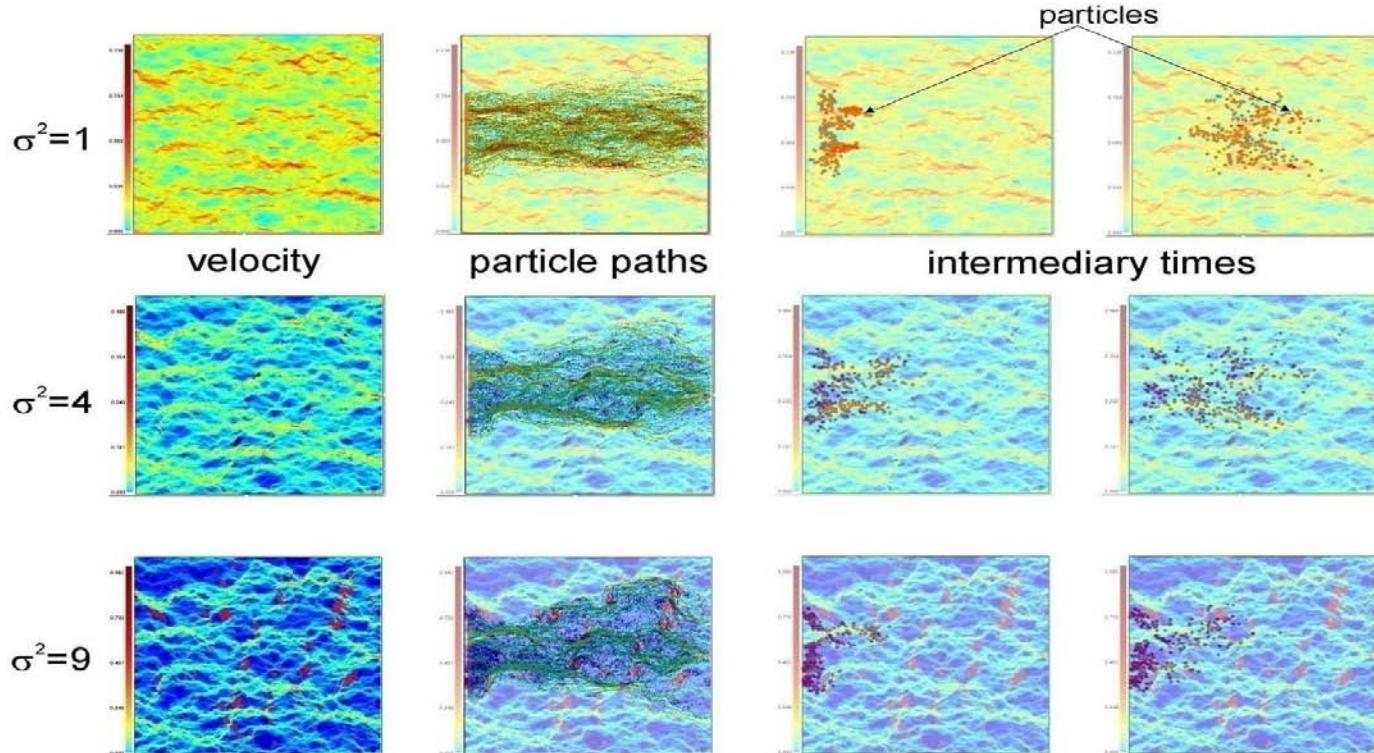
- Asymptotic behavior of dispersion coefficients ?
- Impact of heterogeneity factor  $\sigma$  and Peclet number  $Pe$  ?

# Pure advection case Longitudinal dispersion



Each curve represents 100 simulations  
on domains with 67.1 millions of unknowns

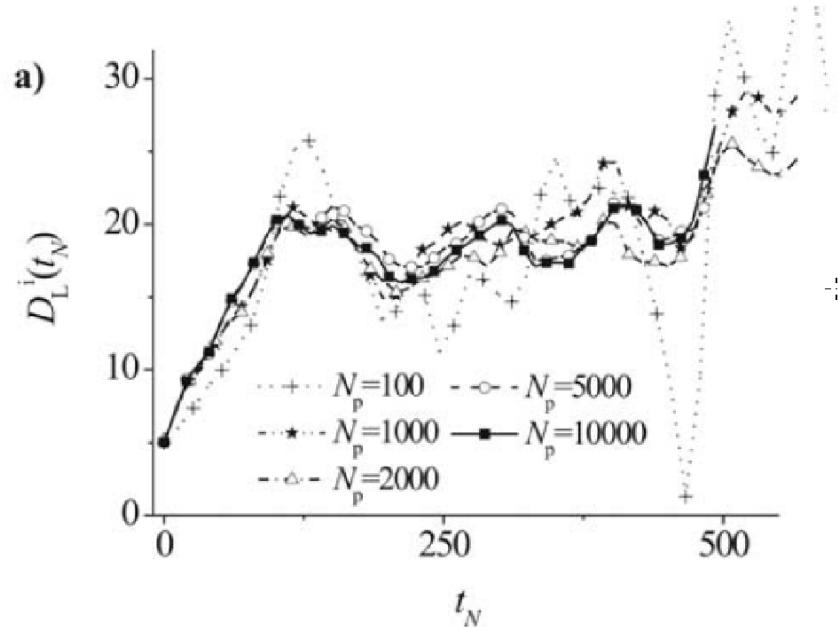
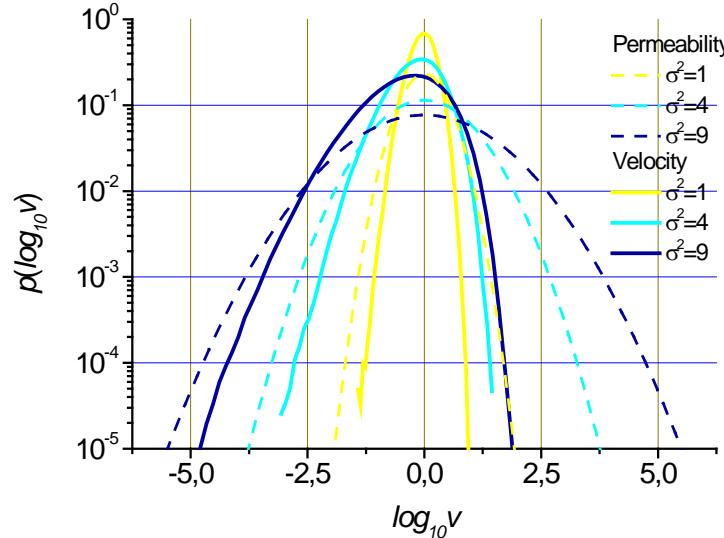
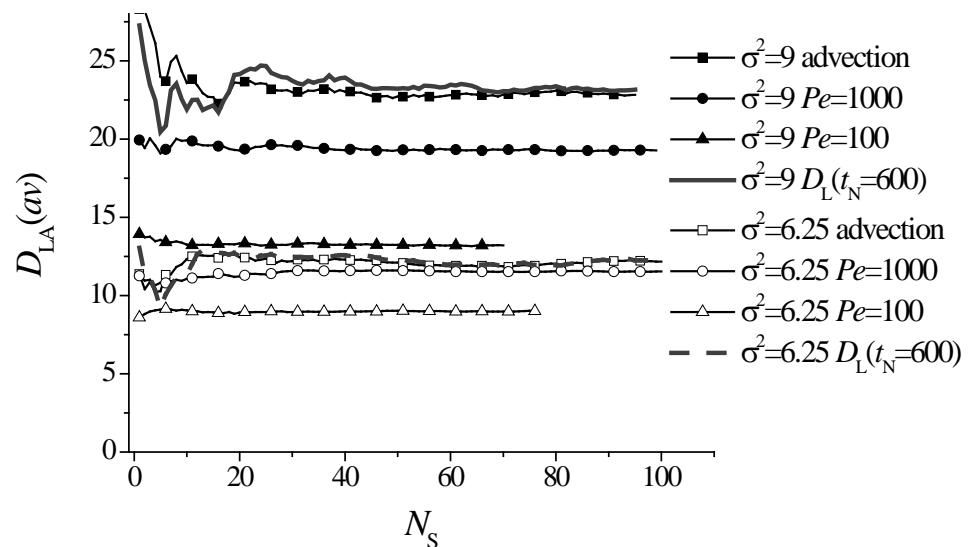
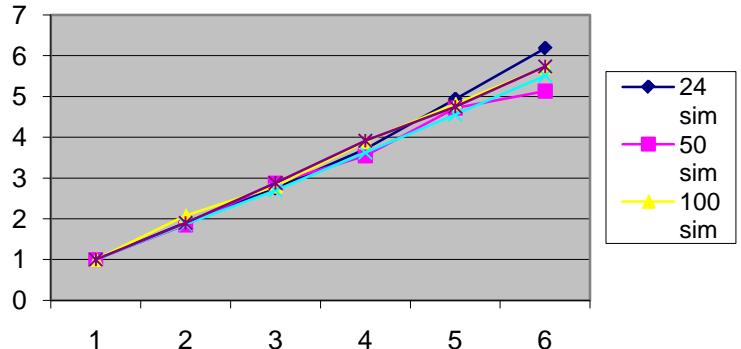




Impact of molecular diffusion

# Parallel Monte Carlo simulations

speed-up



# Perspectives for stochastic heterogeneous media

## Challenge

- Macro dispersion in 3D
- hydrodynamic dispersion
- nonlinear stochastic model (chemistry, non saturated, etc)
- non ergodic random field

## Collaboration and applications

- RISC-E network, Micas consortium, ENS Cachan Bretagne, Tosca INRIA team
- Barcelona, Leipzig, San Diego

# Discrete Fracture Networks models

## Scientific context

- fractured media : random complex computational domain
- random velocity field given by flow model

## Scientific achievements

- mesh generation for 3D networks
- conforming and non conforming methods
- reliable simulations
- software MP\_FRAC



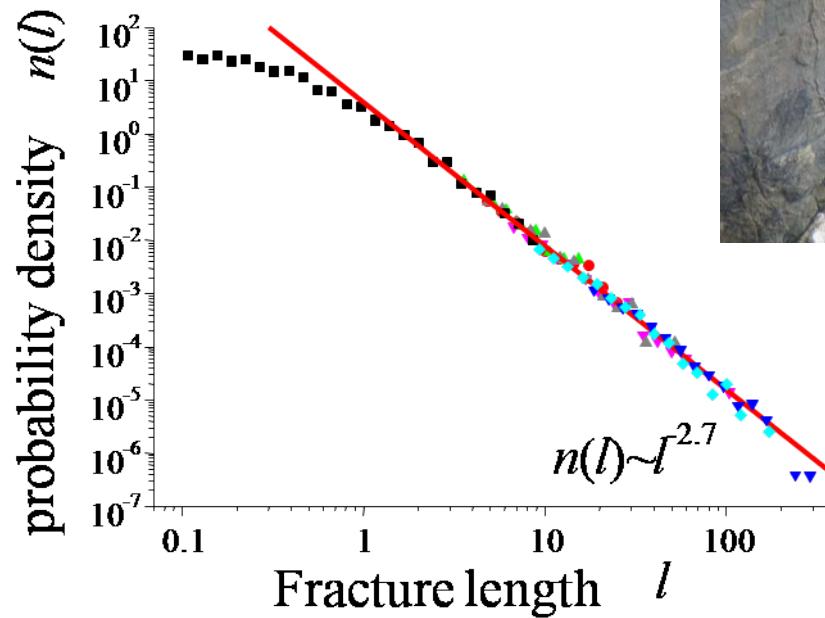
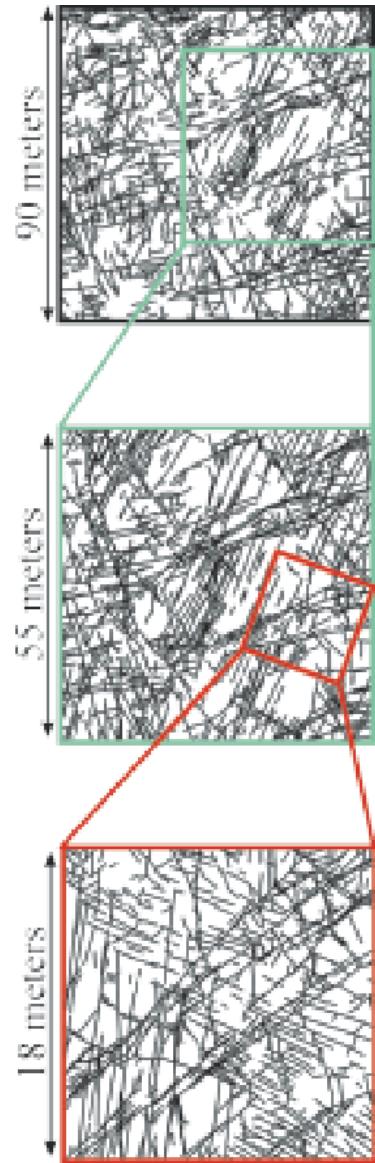
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# Discrete Fracture Networks : natural media



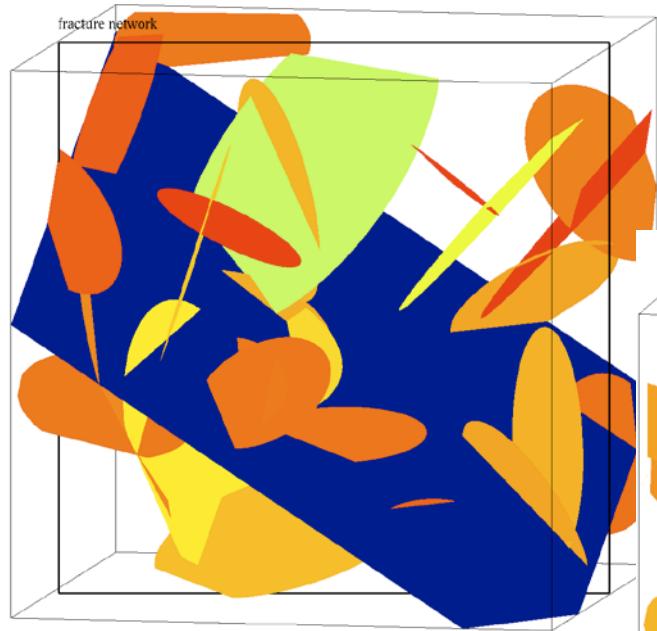
**Fractures exist at any scale with no correlation**

Fracture length is a parameter of heterogeneity

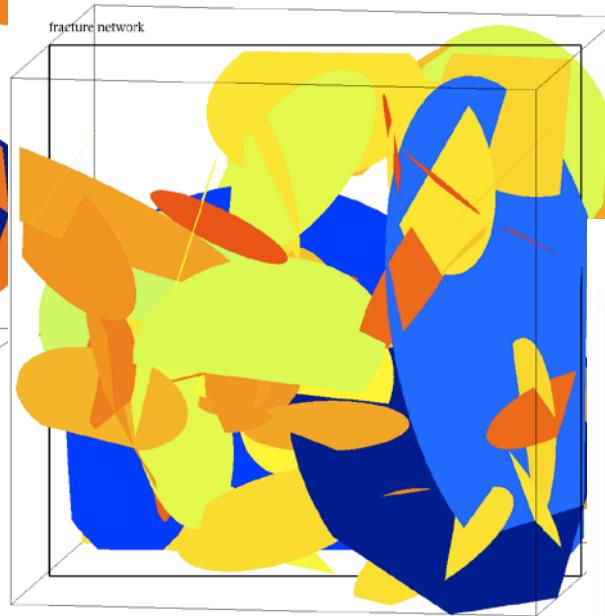
Power law distribution

Site of Hornelen, Norway

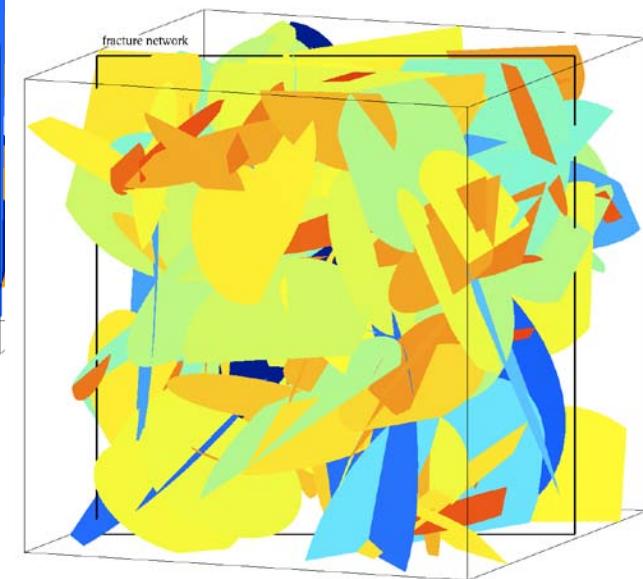
# Discrete Fracture Networks : stochastic generation



$a=2.5$



$a=3.5$



$a=4.5$

# Discrete Fracture Networks : conforming mesh

flow equations

impervious matrix

Poiseuille law and mass continuity in each fracture

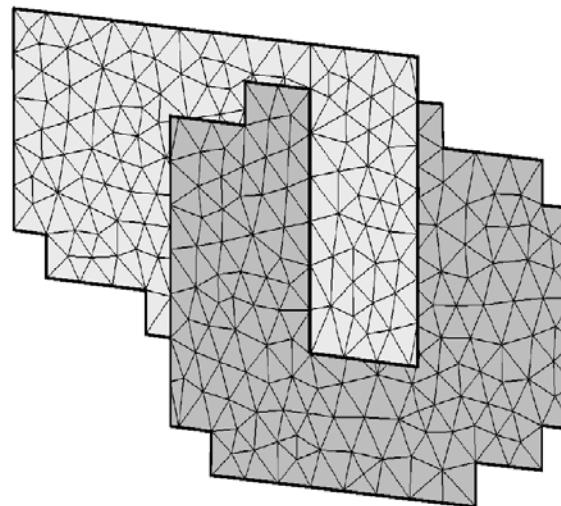
Continuity of hydraulic head  $h$   
and flux  $V \cdot n$  at each intersection

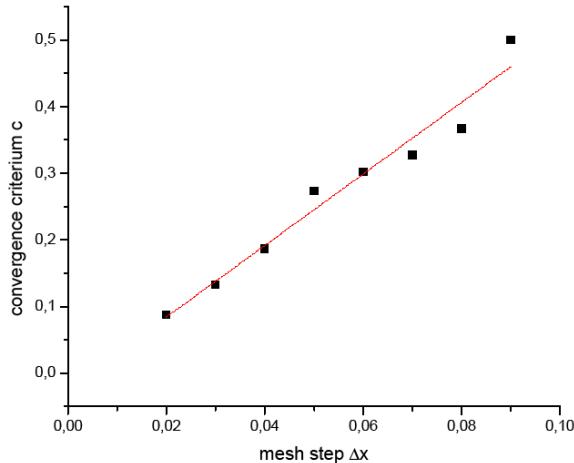
Spatial discretization

conforming mesh

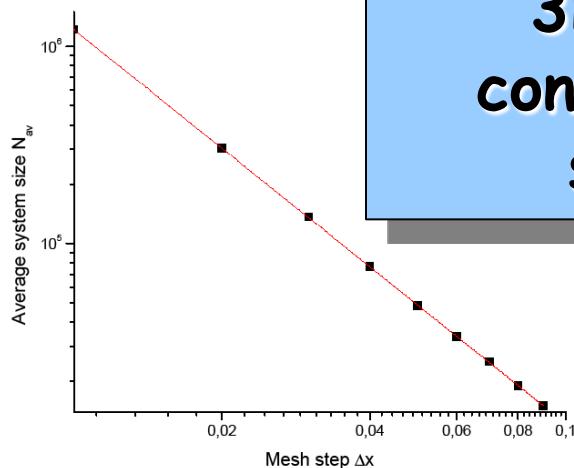
mixed hybrid finite element method

easy to apply interface conditions



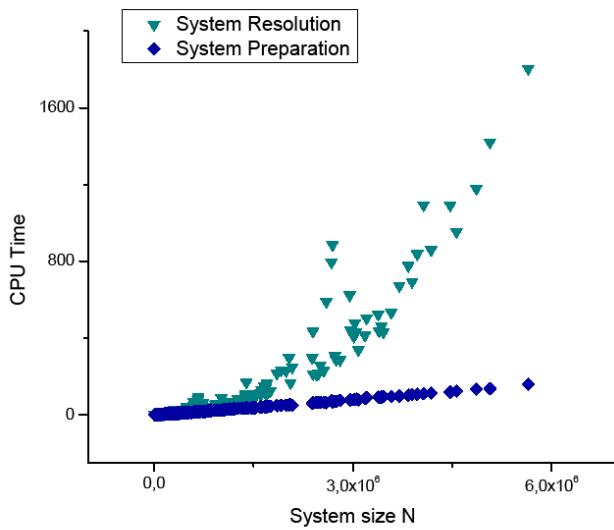


Convergence of spatial discretization

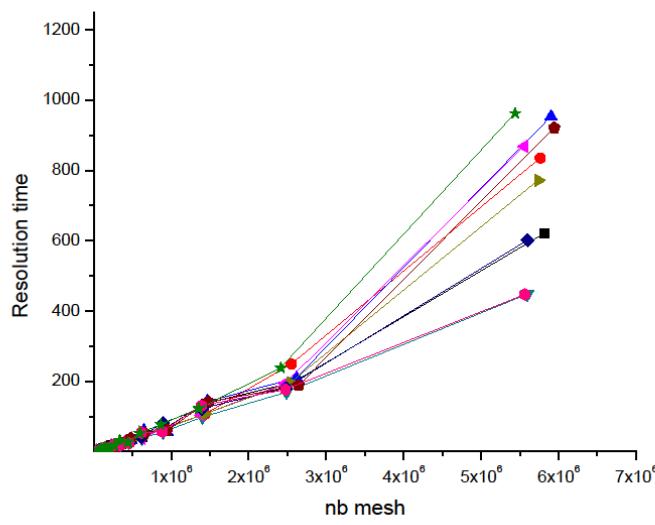


3D DFN with  
conforming mesh  
simulations

System size



CPU time with sparse direct solver



CPU time with PCG + AMG

# Discrete Fracture Networks : non conforming mesh

Interface conditions written using mortar spaces

## Geometrically conforming intersections

slave side and master side for each intersection

no edge common to more than 2 fractures

mass continuity through all edges of intersections

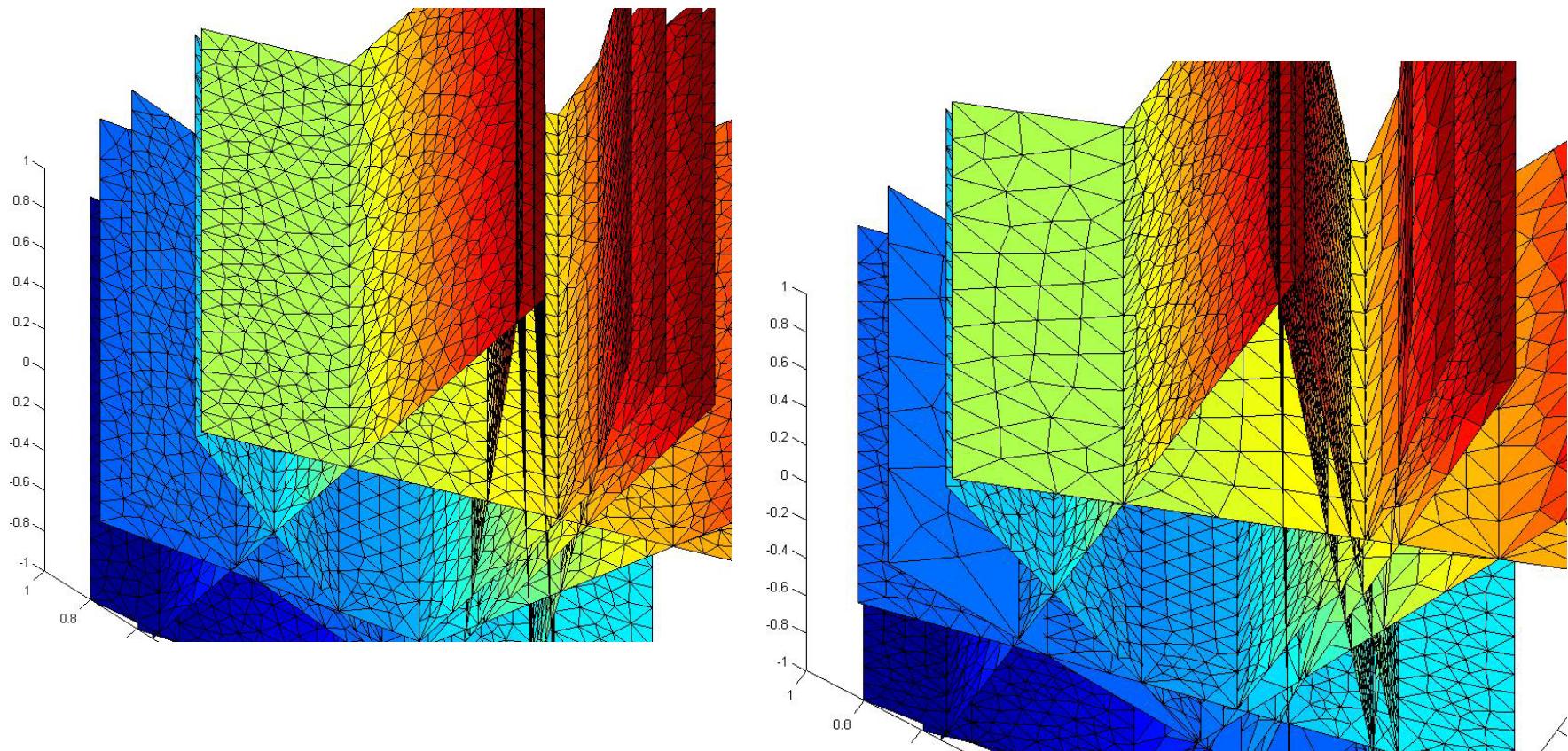
## Geometrically non conforming intersections

intersections partly common to more than 2 fractures

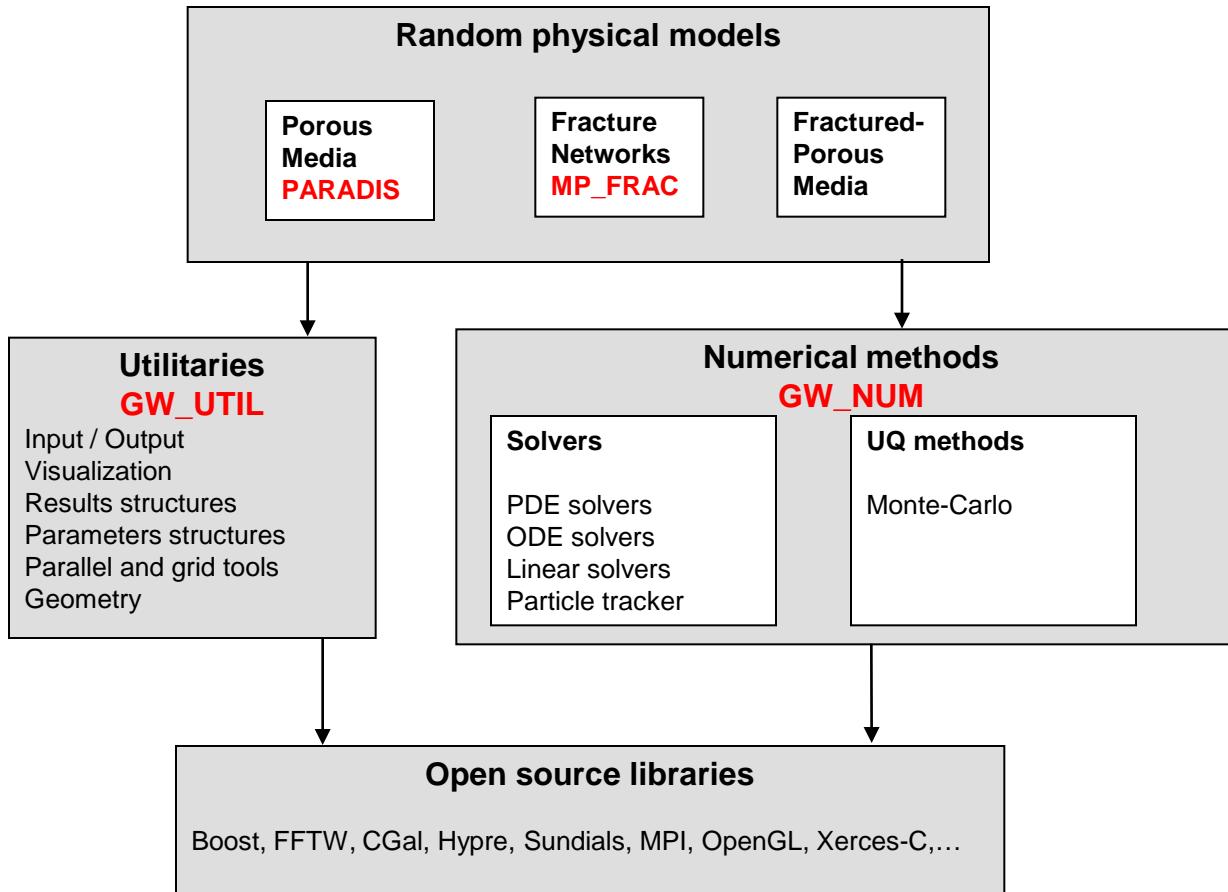
several unknowns : fracture, master and slave

similar to a second level of mortar method

# 3D DFN with non conforming mesh simulations



# H2OLab software platform



# H2OLab methodology

- **Optimization and Efficiency**
  - Use of free numerical libraries and own libraries
  - Test and comparison of numerical methods
  - Parallel computation (distributed and grid computing)
- **Genericity and modularity**
  - Object-oriented programming (C++)
  - Encapsulated objects and interface definitions
- **Maintenance and use**
  - Intensive testing and collection of benchmark tests
  - Documentation : user's guide, developer's guide
  - Database of results and web portal
- **Collaborative development**
  - Advanced Server (Gforge) with control of version (SVN),...
  - Integrated development environments (Visual, Eclipse)
  - Cross-platform software (Cmake, Ctest)
  - Software registration and future free distribution

# Numerical models in hydrogeology

## Current and future work

### Coupled nonlinear problems

- Chemistry with kinetic and precipitation-dissolution reactions
- Bioremediation, non saturated zone, saltwater intrusion
- ANDRA and MOMAS project

### Porous and fractured media

- Coupling heterogeneous matrix and Discrete Fracture Network
- Subdomain decomposition for solving the linear system
- MICAS (ANR) project

### Uncertainty Quantification methods

- Convergence results for macro-dispersion and for stochastic DFN
- Preliminary experiments with stochastic collocation methods
- MICAS and CO-ADVISE (People) projects

### Inverse problems

- Data completion and parameter estimation
- HYDROMED (INRIA-MED) and CO-ADVISE projects