

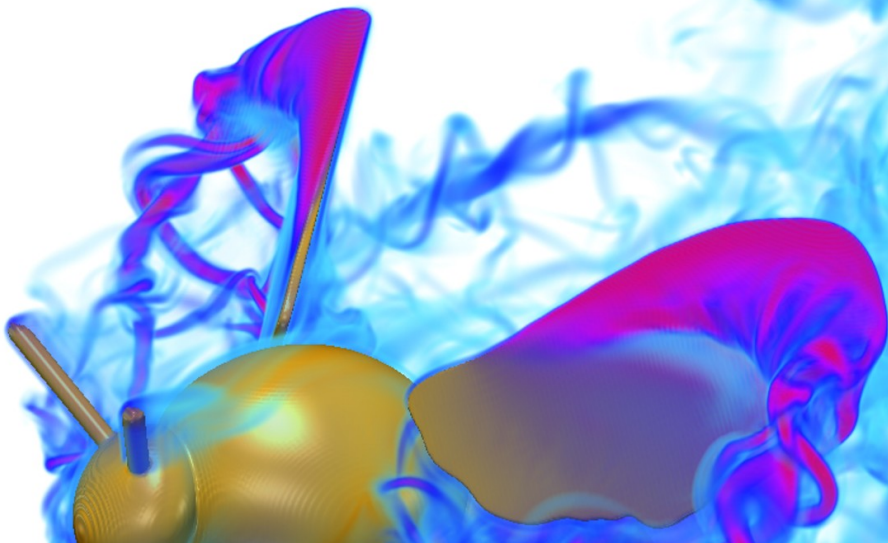
Progress on adaptive insect simulations



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Looking back on Fourier

- Until now, we used the FluSI code, which is based on Fourier transforms
- Very accurate, fast, massively parallel allows fast inversion of Laplace operator → perfectly incompressible
- No boundary conditions:
Volume penalization method

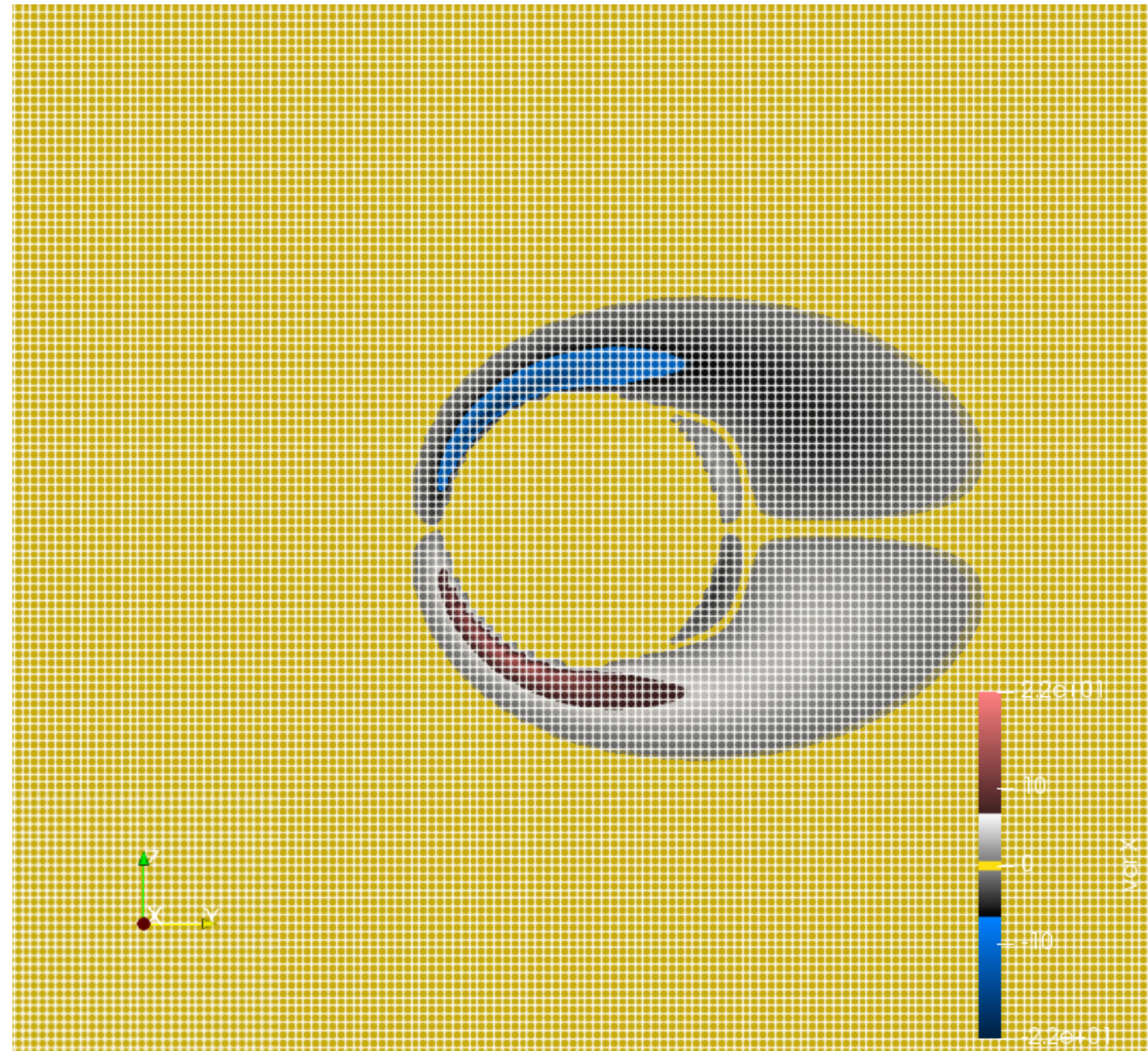
$$\hat{u}_k = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} u_n \cdot e^{-i2\pi kn/N}$$

$$u = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \hat{u}_k \cdot e^{i2\pi kn/N}$$

$$\widehat{(\partial_x u)} = ik\hat{u}_k$$

Looking back on Fourier

- Equidistant grids: resolution is the same everywhere
- Limits domain size or resolution



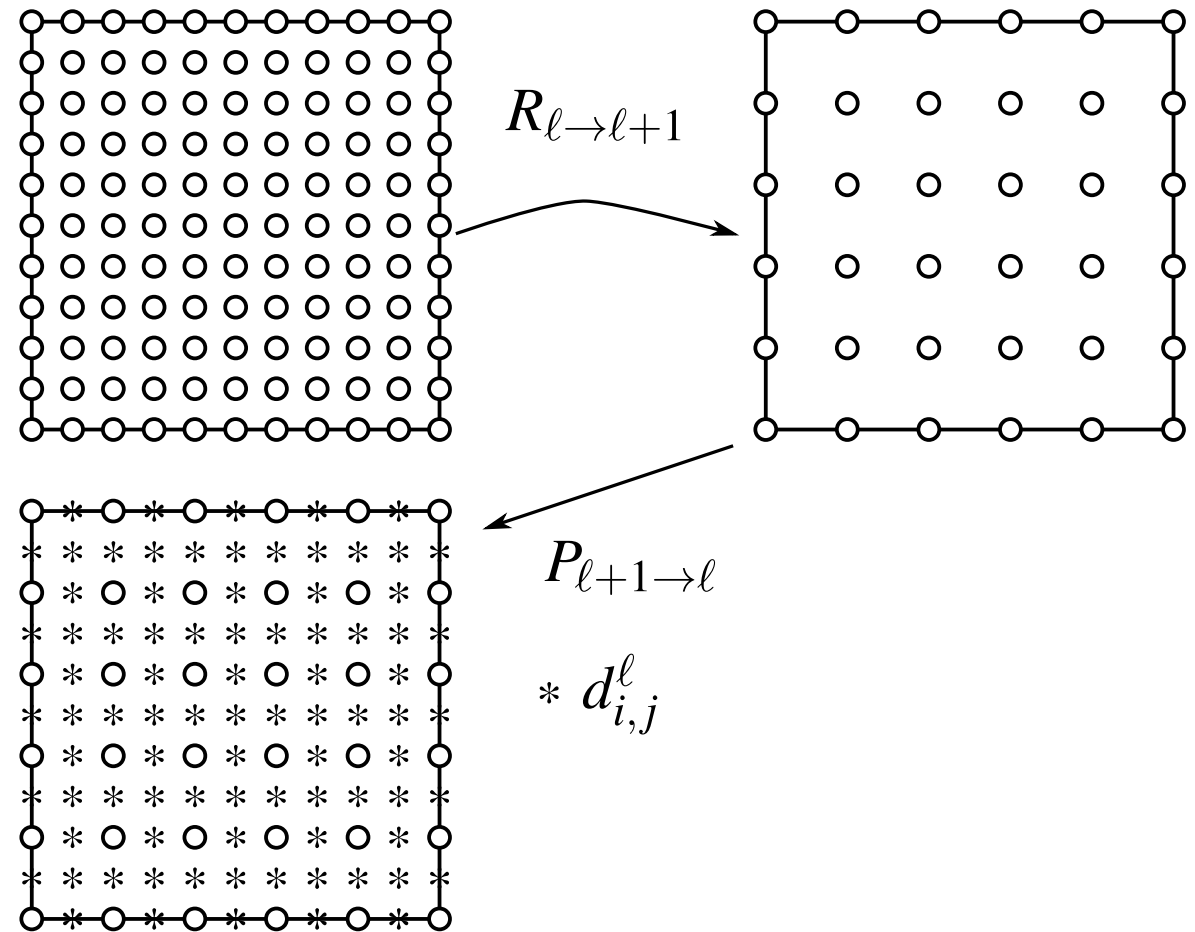


The basic idea for adaptivity

- Refine where necessary, coarsen where possible
- Two groups of methods appear: error *indicated* and error *controlled*
- Error indicators: (adaptive mesh refinement)
 - Vorticity, strain rates, flame positions etc
- Error controlled:
 - Multiresolution methods, many ideas from A. Harten in 1990s
 - Equivalent to bi-orthogonal wavelets
- Bye bye Fourier

Computation of details

- Detail coefficients are obtained by coarsening, then refining
- Their magnitude is related to the local regularity of the solution
- Small details in smooth regions \rightarrow adaptive coarsening
- Large details \rightarrow resolution is required.





The multiresolution algorithm

- To advance the solution from t^n to t^{n+1}
 - Refinement stage. The entire grid is refined, to be sure that it is sufficient to contain the solution at the *new* time level
 - Evolution. Solve the PDE using finite differences and advance in time
 - Coarsening. Check the details and keep only those points where the details are significant.
 - Load balancing. The number of points has changed, and on some CPU we might now have more points. This must be corrected.



The error balancing

- Idea is to balance error from the compression and discretization

$$|u_N^\varepsilon - u^{ex}| \leq \underbrace{|u_N - u_N^\varepsilon|}_{\text{Perturbation error } \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon)N_t} + \underbrace{|u_N - u^{ex}|}_{\text{discretization error}}$$



Main ideas of new code

- Sacrifice strict incompressibility for efficiency (and hopefully overall error reduction)

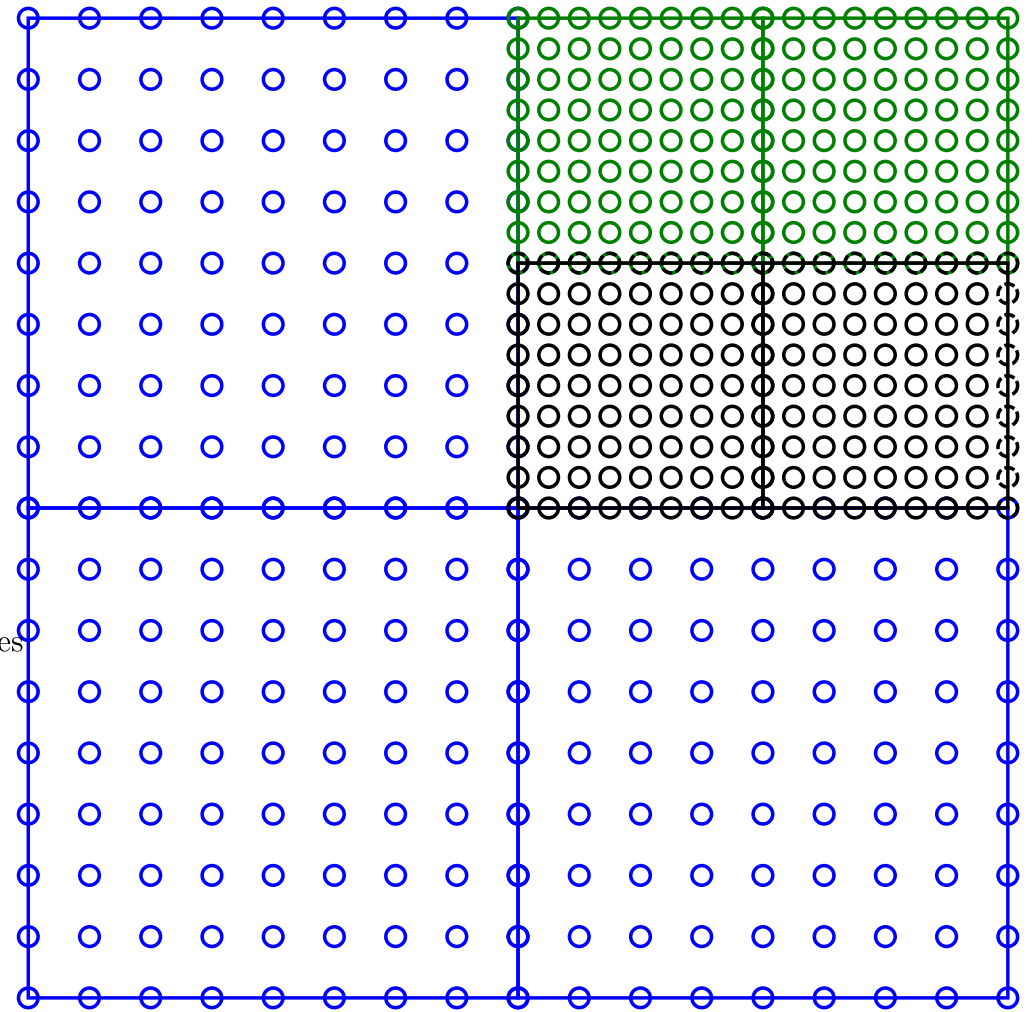
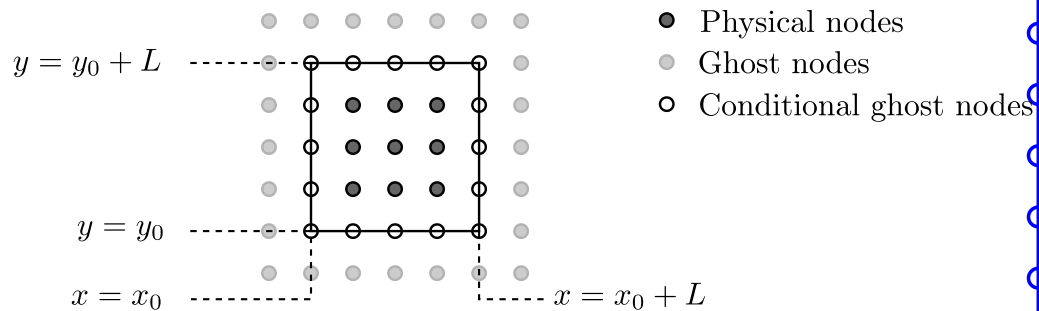
$$\partial_t \underline{u} = -(\underline{u} \cdot \nabla) \underline{u} - \nabla p + \nu \nabla^2 \underline{u} - \frac{\chi}{C_\eta} (\underline{u} - \underline{u}_s) - \frac{\chi_{sp}}{C_{sp}} (\underline{u} - \underline{u}_\infty) \quad (1)$$

$$\partial_t p = -c_0^2 \nabla \cdot \underline{u} - \gamma p - \frac{\chi_{sp}}{C_{sp}} (p - p_\infty). \quad (2)$$

- Sacrifice a part of compression in favor of faster data structures → block structured data (hybrid datastructure)
- Open source, multi-physics
- Wabbit: (W)avelet (A)daptive (B)lock-(B)ased solver for (I)nsects in (T)urbulence

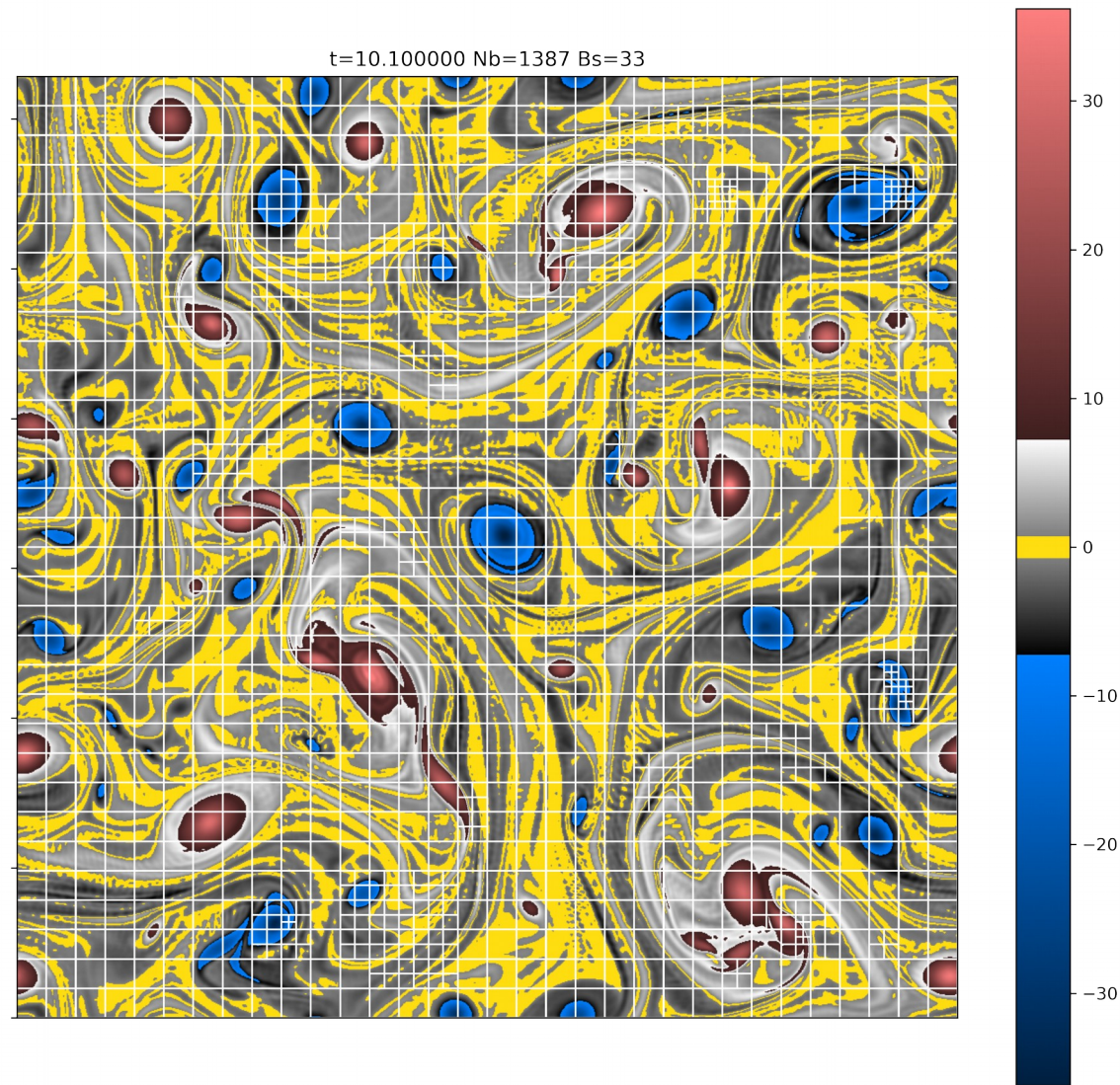
Block-structured grid approach

- Example grid with two levels and 7 blocks
- Each block has a layer of ghost nodes connecting them to neighboring blocks

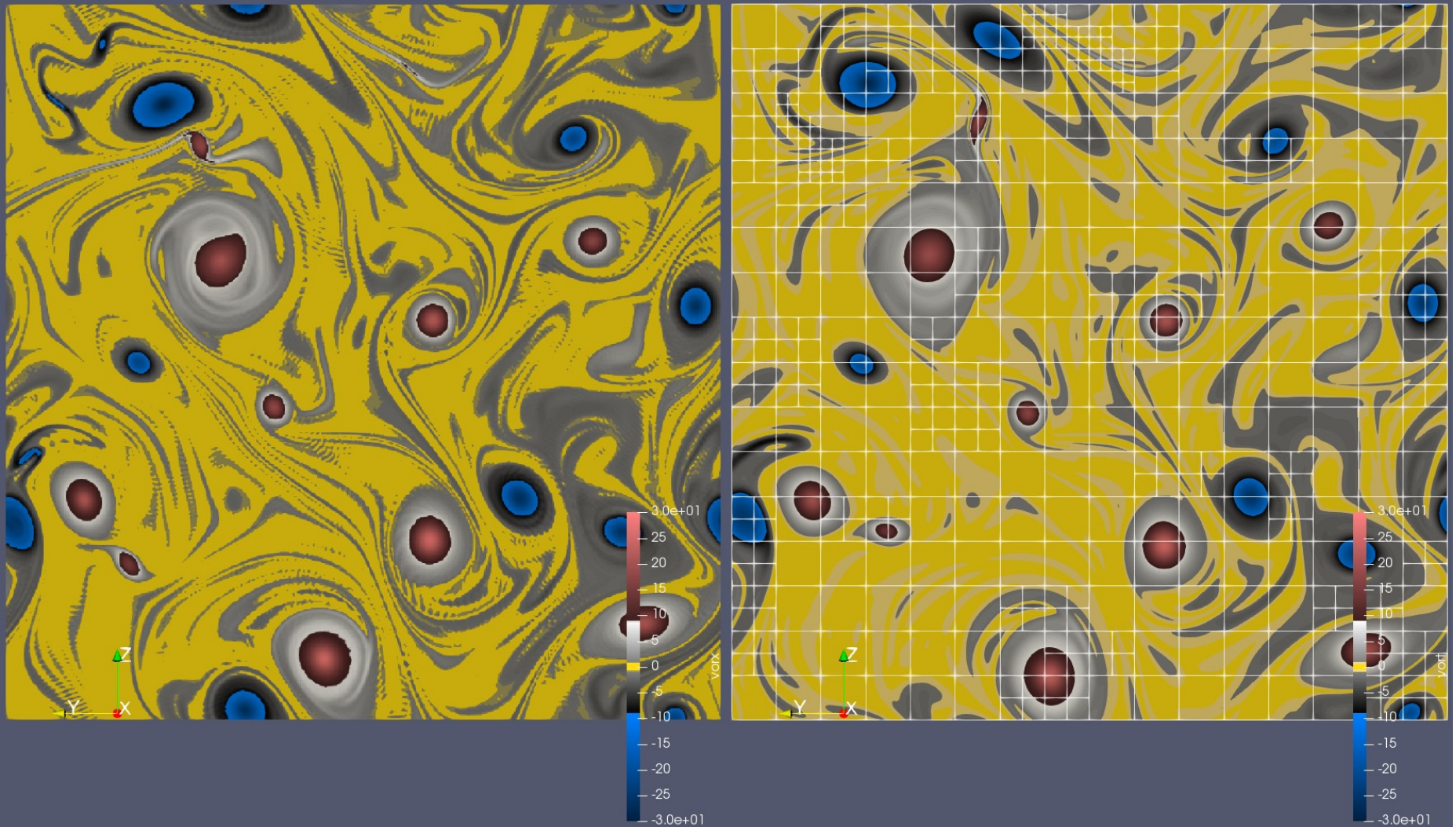


Example I: decaying 2D turbulence

- In flusi: initialized random 2D vorticity field, let evolve Navier-Stokes until regularization has occurred, then use this field as initial condition for WABBIT.
- We compare evolution between flusi and WABBIT
- Note chaotic nature of problem, but just a first test.
- $C0=50.0$ $\text{eps}=1\text{e-}3$

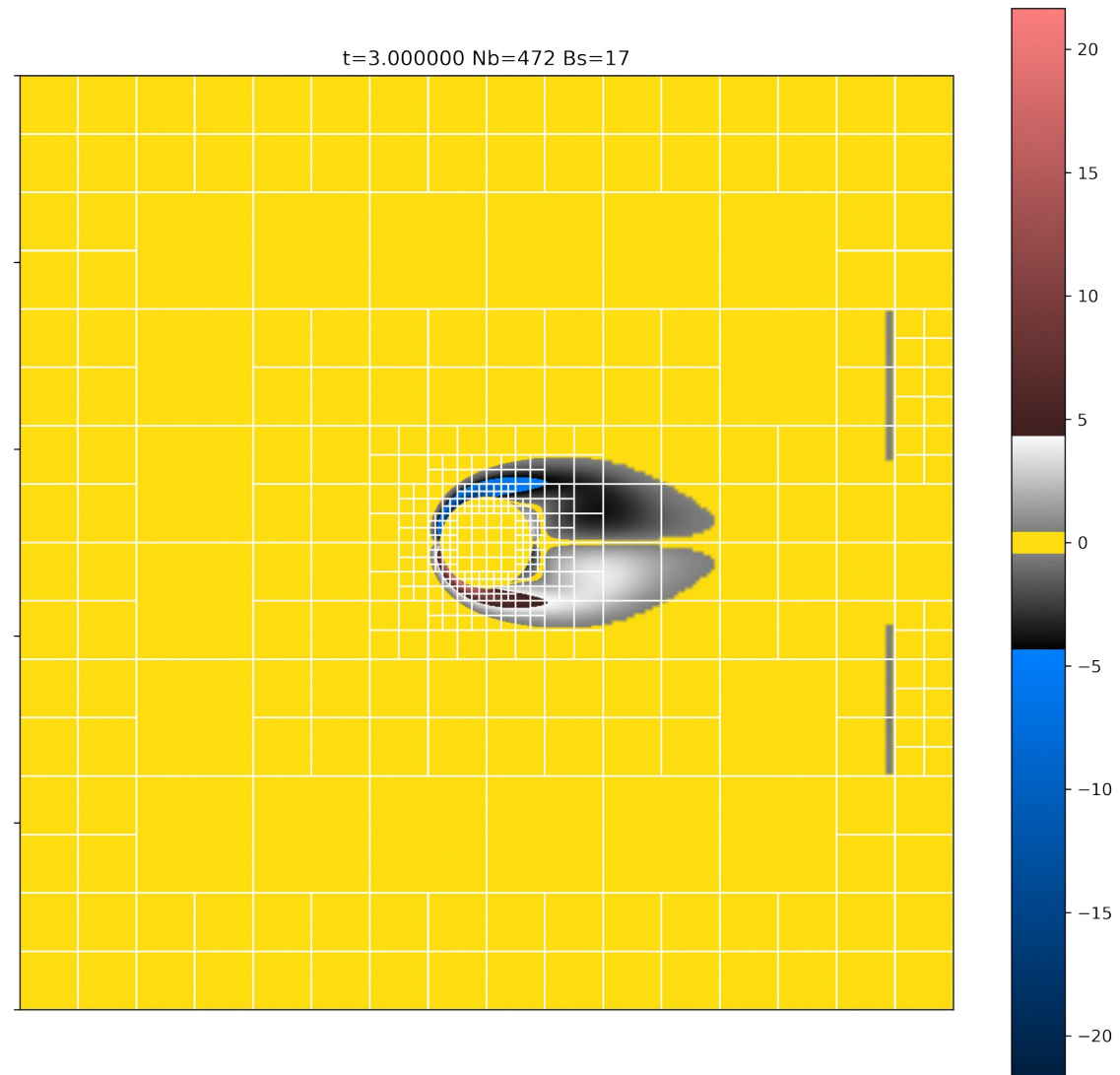


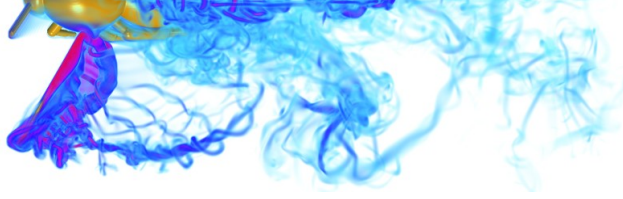
Terminal fields



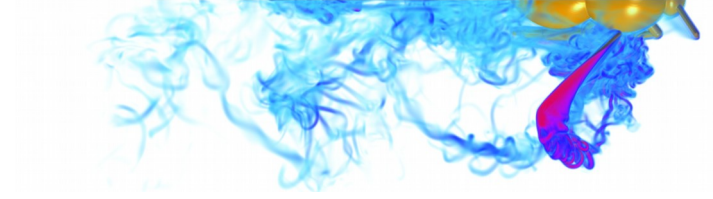
Example II: flow past cylinder

- Impulsively started flow around a cylinder at $Re=100$
 $c_0=40$ $\epsilon=1e-3$
 $C_\eta=1e-3$
- Volume penalization interface on maximum level
- Non-reflecting outflow in penalization set

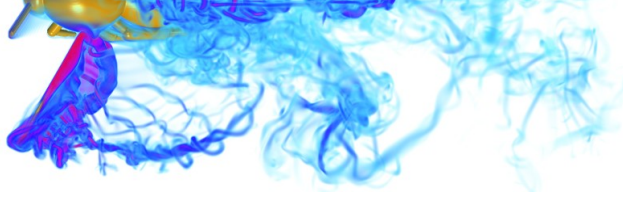




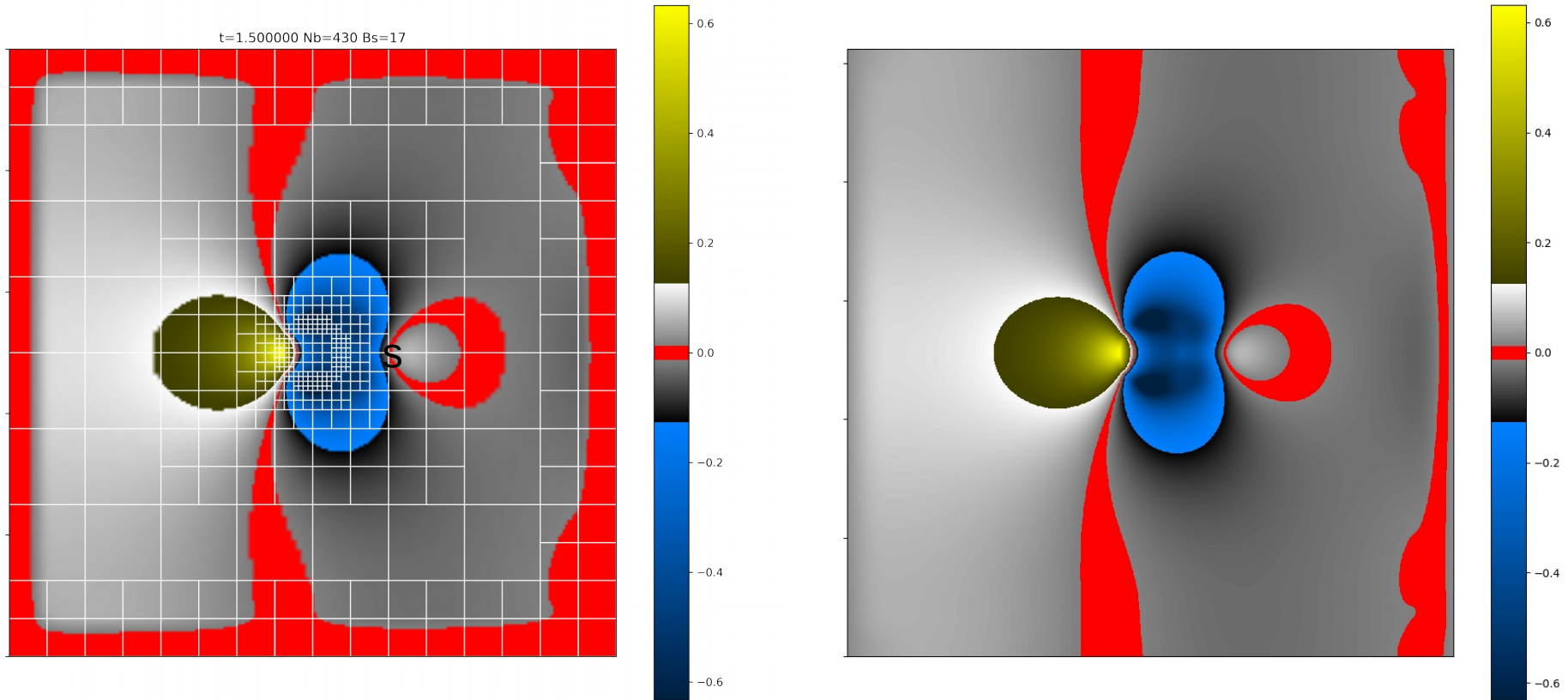
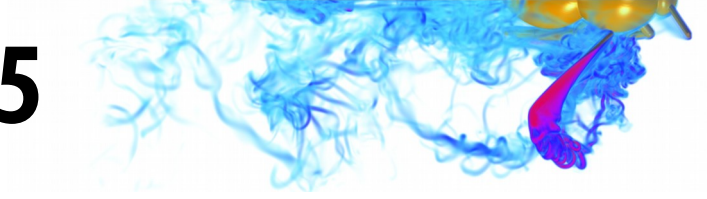
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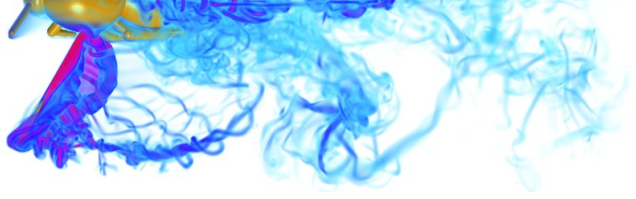


- Flusi $F_x=8.265600e-01$ Wabbit $F_x=8.184966e-01$
- Flusi: 1024^2

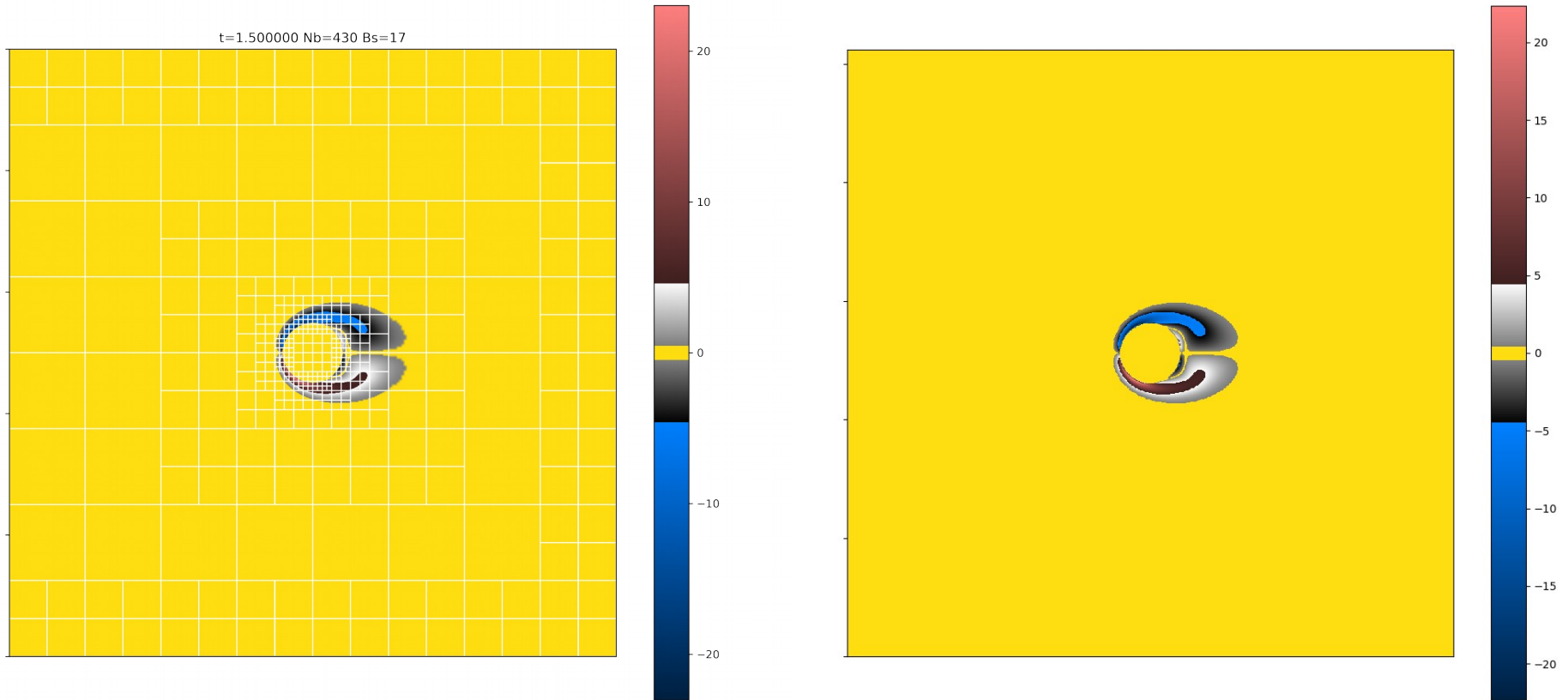
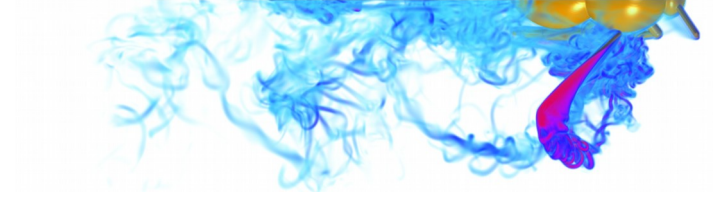


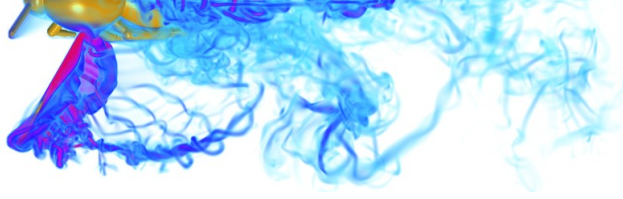
Pressure at $t=1.5$



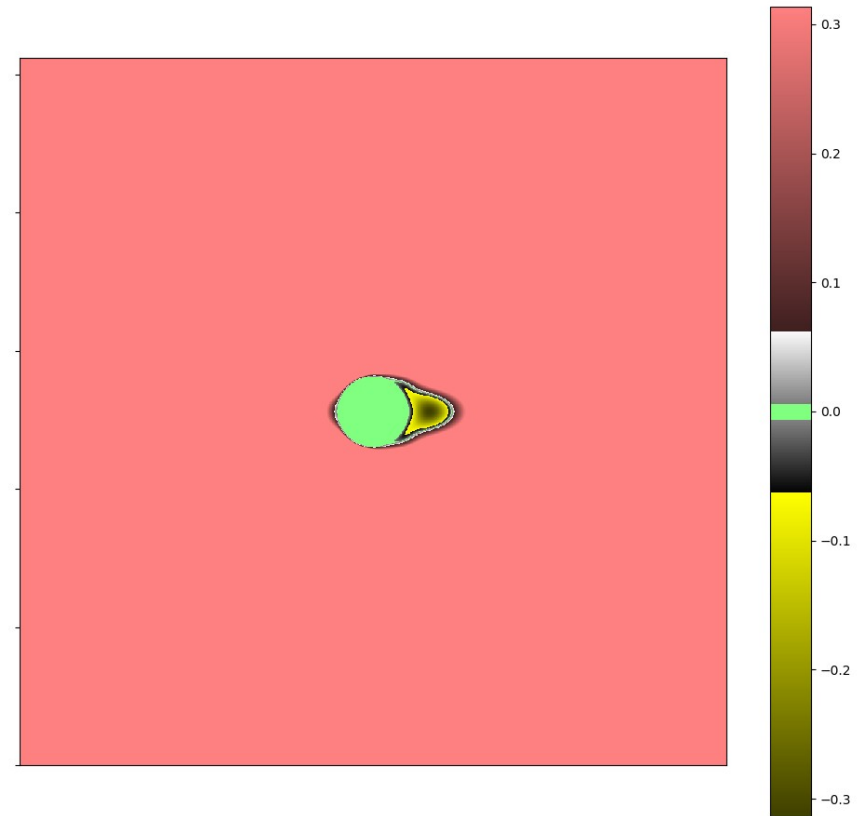
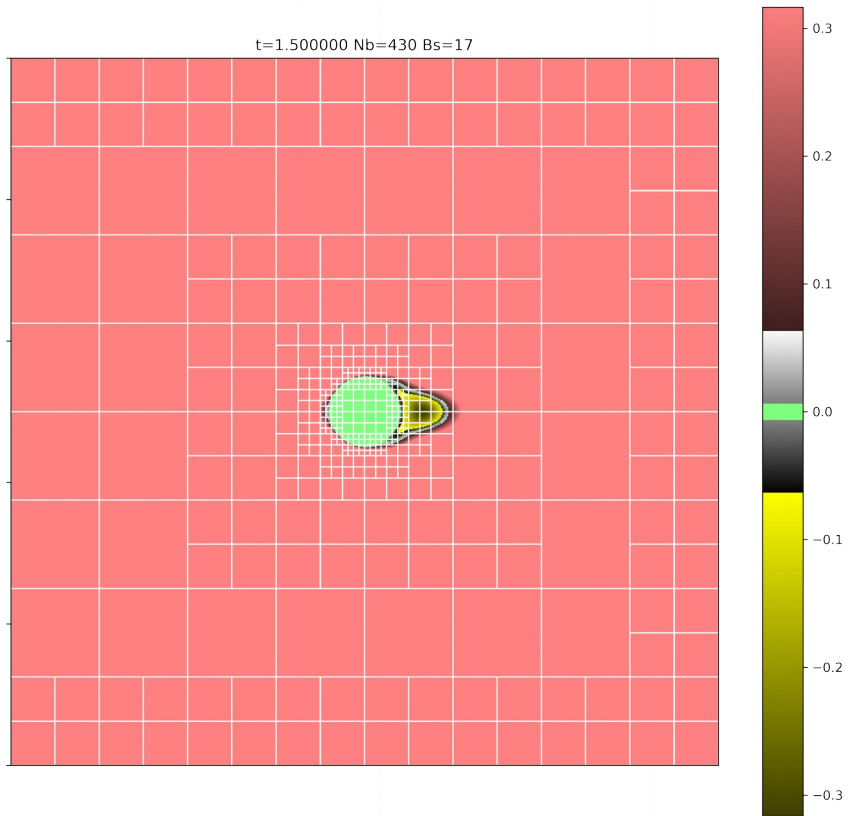
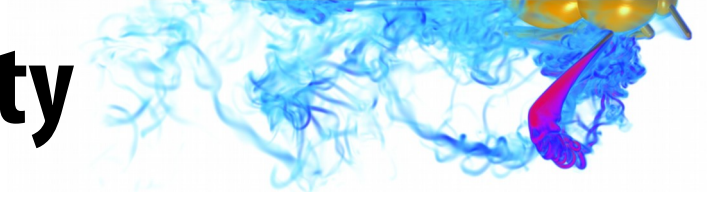


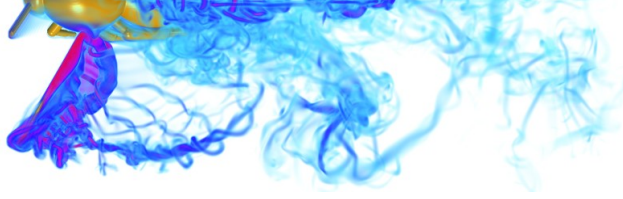
vorticity





Horizontal velocity





Vertical velocity

