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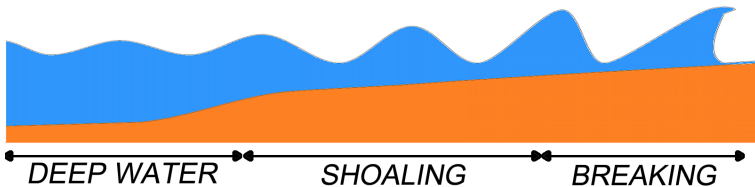
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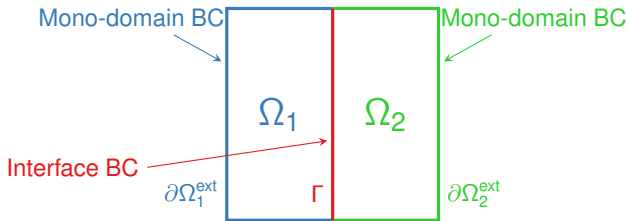
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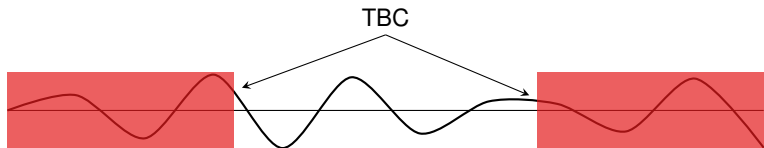
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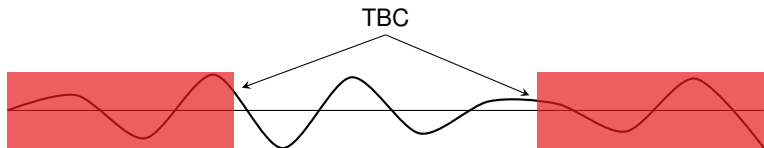
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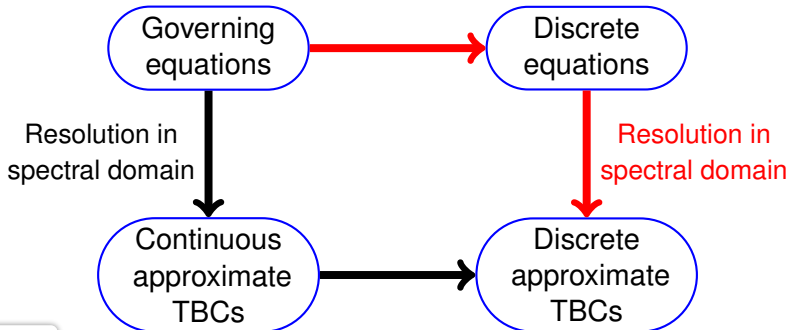
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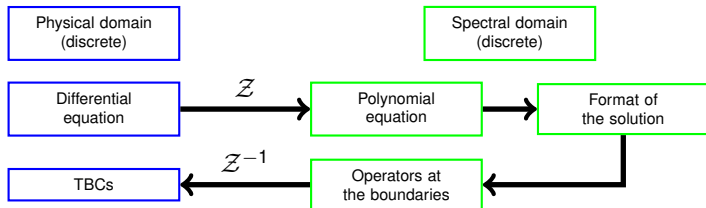
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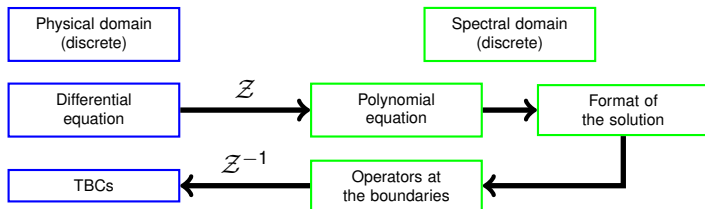
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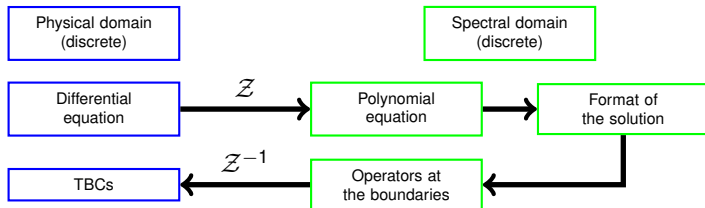
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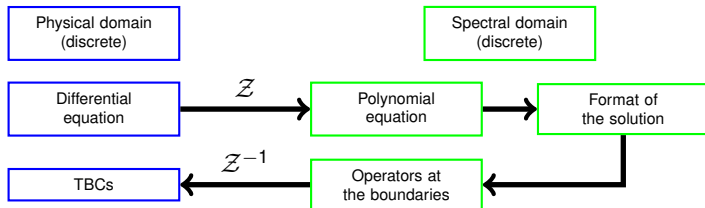
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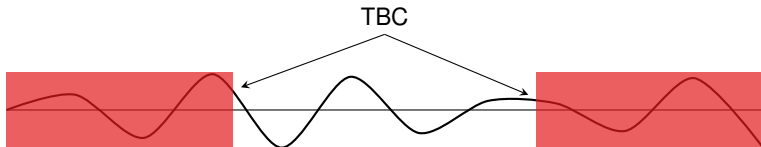
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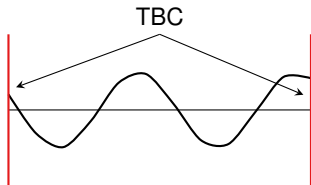
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$$e_T = 4.5 \cdot 10^{-6}$$

$$e^n = \frac{\|u_{\text{ref}}(\cdot, t^n) - u_{\text{num}}(\cdot, t^n)\|_{L^2}}{\|u_{\text{ref}}(\cdot, t^n)\|_{L^2}},$$

$$e_T = \sqrt{\delta t \times \sum_{n=1}^{n_{\text{max}}} (e^n)^2}.$$

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Domain Decomposition Method

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- Idea: divide the domain in two or more subdomains (possibly overlapping) and solve the problem in each one of them.

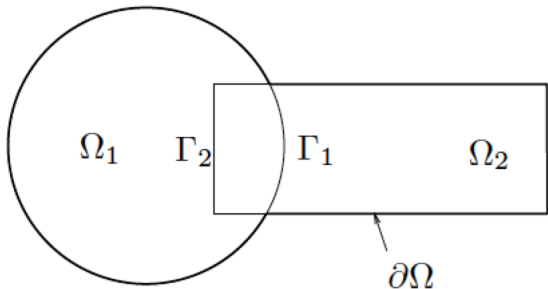


$$\Omega = \Omega_1 \cup \Omega_2, \quad \partial\Omega_1^{\text{int}} = \partial\Omega_1 \cap \Omega_2, \quad \partial\Omega_2^{\text{int}} = \partial\Omega_2 \cap \Omega_1$$

- Main difficulty: definition of the interface boundary conditions (IBCs) on $\partial\Omega_1^{\text{int}}$ and $\partial\Omega_2^{\text{int}}$ for the communication between the subdomains.

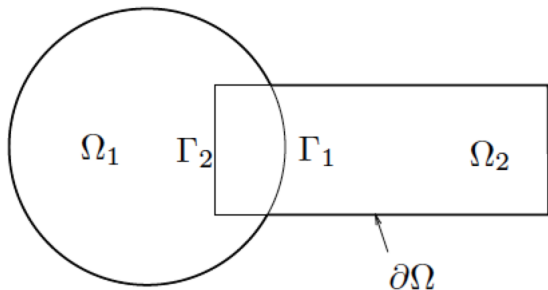
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The Schwarz method (1870)

- Equations solved in each subdomain (in parallel or additive form), for updating the solution to time t_{n+1} :

$$\begin{cases} \mathcal{L}(u_1^{n+1,k+1}) = 0, & \text{in } \Omega_1 \\ u_1^{n+1,k+1} = g, & \text{on } \partial\Omega_1^{\text{ext}}, \\ \mathcal{B}_1(u_1^{n+1,k+1}) = \mathcal{B}_1(u_2^{n+1,k}), & \text{on } \partial\Omega_1^{\text{int}} \end{cases}$$

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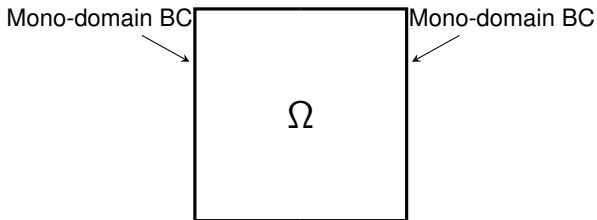
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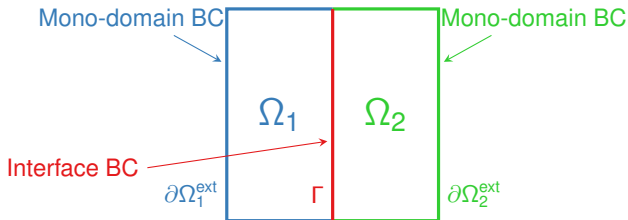
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(these IBCs are **local in time**).

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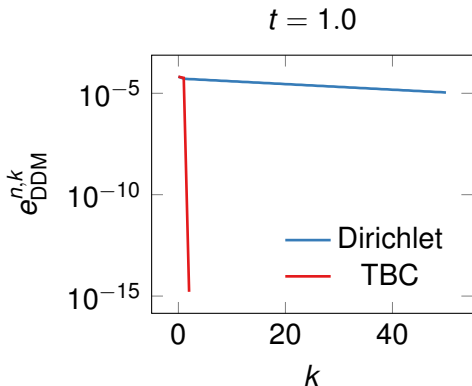


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- Analogous procedure lead to similar discrete TBCs as obtained for Boussinesq equations, differing only by the coefficients of the TBCs;

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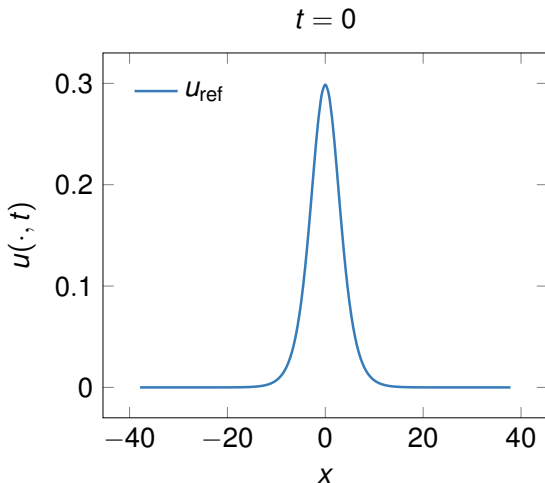
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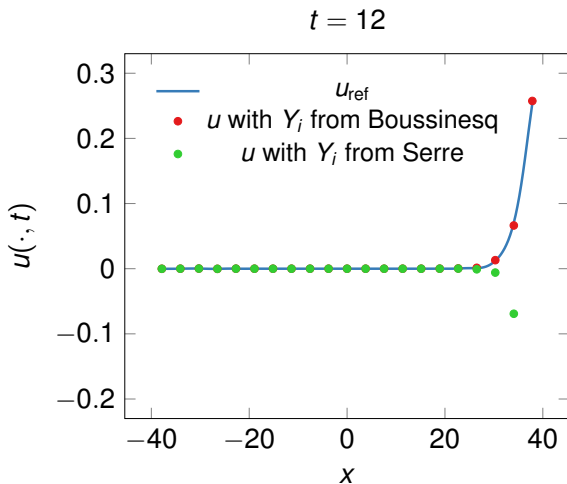
Numerical results - TBCs - Solitary wave

Initial solution:



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TBCs with different coefficients:



Numerical results - DDM

Case	Dirichlet	TBC	
		Serre	Boussinesq
Gaussian	120 ~ 160	18	9
Solitary	11	8	8

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Question: Coefficients from linearized Boussinesq equations seem to be more efficient than the coefficients from linearized Serre equations.

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- More detailed paper under review [Caldas Steinstraesser et al., 2018].

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