

An introduction to homogenization and Maxwell's equations in dielectric media

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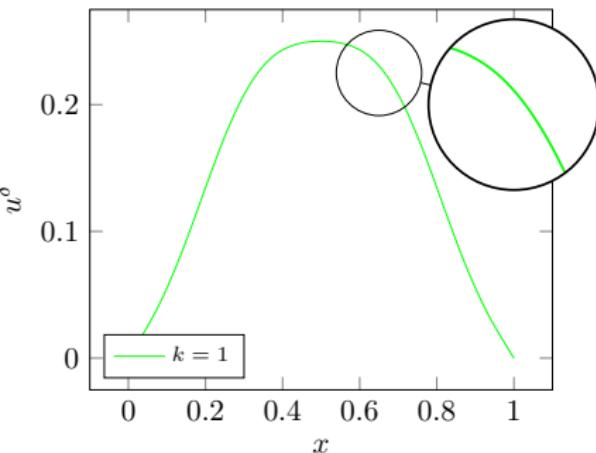
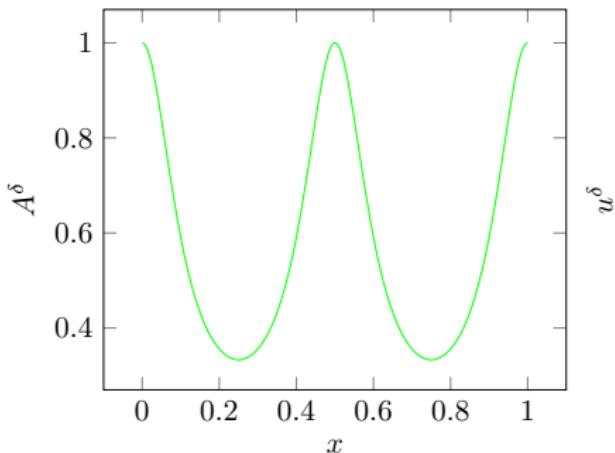
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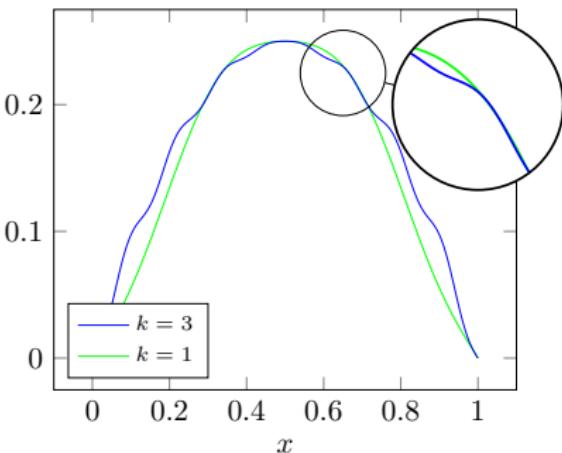
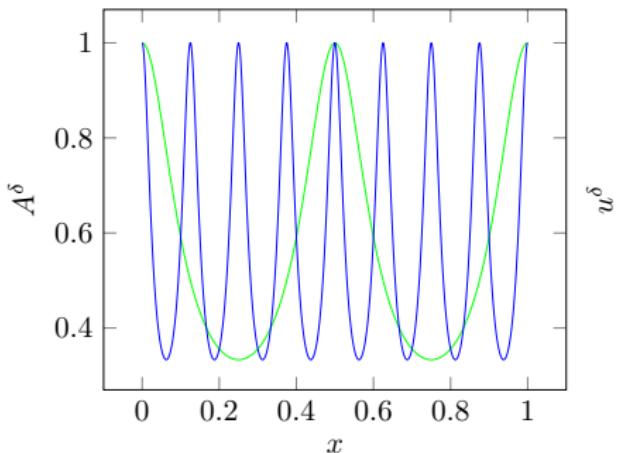


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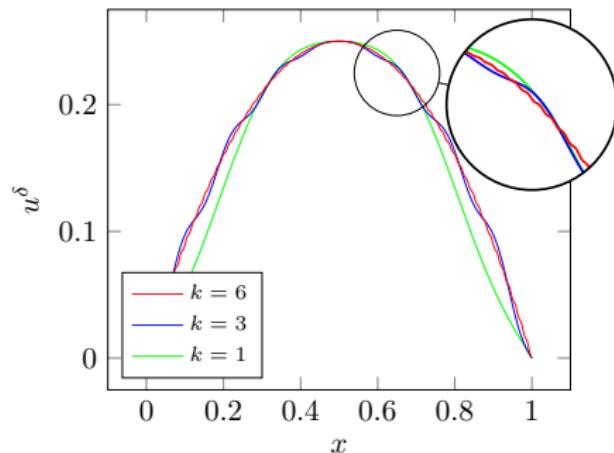
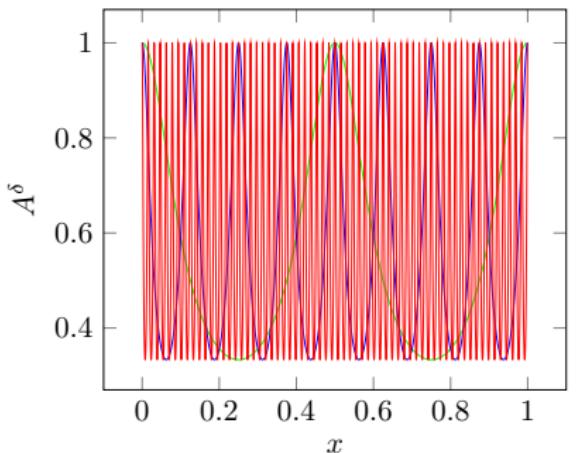


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choose $v^{(0)} = 0, v^{(1)} = u^{(0)}$

$$0 = \int_{\Omega} A\left(\frac{x}{\delta}\right) \partial_y u^{(0)}\left(x, \frac{x}{\delta}\right) \cdot \partial_y u^{(0)}\left(x, \frac{x}{\delta}\right) dx \geq \alpha \left\| \partial_y u^{(0)}(\cdot, \frac{\cdot}{\delta}) \right\|_{L^2(\Omega)}$$

- $u^{(0)}(x, \frac{x}{\delta}) = u_0(x)$ with $\partial_y u_0 = 0$

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Homogenization result

Theorem

Let A_δ be locally δ -periodic, $A \in L^\infty(\Omega; C_\#(Y))^{d \times d}$ uniformly coercive and bounded. The sequence $(u_\delta)_{\delta > 0}$ converges weakly in $H_0^1(\Omega)$ to u_0 and (∇u_δ) converges to $\nabla u_0 + \nabla_y u^{(1)}$ in the two-scale sense, where $(u_0, u^{(1)}) \in H_0^1(\Omega) \times L^2(\Omega; H_\#^1(Y))$ is the unique solution of

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\Omega} \int_Y A(x, y) (\nabla u_0(x) + \nabla_y u^{(1)}(x, y)) \cdot (\nabla v_0(x) + \nabla_y v^{(1)}(x, y)) \, dy \, dx \\ &= \int_{\Omega} f(x) v_0(x) \, dx \quad \text{for all } (v_0, v^{(1)}) \in H_0^1(\Omega) \times L^2(\Omega; H_\#^1(Y)) \end{aligned}$$

The example

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The cell corrector is given by $\chi(y) = -\frac{\sin(2\pi y)}{4\pi}$

$$A_0 = \int_Y A(y)(1 + \partial_y \chi(y)) \, dy = \frac{1}{2}$$

Back to asymptotic expansion

Solution of homogeneous system

$$-\frac{1}{2}\partial_x\partial_x u_0(x) = 1, \quad u_0(0) = u_0(1) = 0$$

is $u_0(x) = x - x^2$ and with the first corrector we get

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Ansatz

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Homogeneous Maxwell system

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where the homogeneous parameters $\alpha = \varepsilon, \mu$ are given as

$$\alpha^{\text{eff}}(x)_k := \int_Y \alpha(x, y) (\mathbf{e}_k + \nabla_y \chi_k^\alpha(x, y)) \, dy$$

and the cell correctors χ_α are solutions of the cell problems

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$$\mathbf{E}(0) = \mathbf{E}_0, \quad \mathbf{H}(0) = \mathbf{H}_0 \quad \Omega$$

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Debye-Model for dielectric material

$$\nu(x)^{-1} \partial_t \mathbf{P}(t, x) = \tau(x)^{-1} \mathbf{E}(t, x) - \tau(x)^{-1} \nu(x)^{-1} \mathbf{P}(t, x)$$

$$\mathbf{P}(0, x) = \mathbf{P}_0(x)$$

ν, τ bounded, uniformly positive definite

Abstarct Cauchy system

$$\mathbf{u}(t, x) = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{E}(t, x) \\ \mathbf{H}(t, x) \\ \mathbf{P}(t, x) \end{pmatrix}$$

solves

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{M} \partial_t \mathbf{u}(t) &= (\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}) \mathbf{u}(t) + \mathbf{g} \\ \mathbf{u}(0) &= \mathbf{u}_0\end{aligned}$$

\mathbf{M} symmetric positive definite and bounded

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{pmatrix} \varepsilon & & \\ & \mu & \\ & & \nu^{-1} \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} & \operatorname{curl} \\ -\operatorname{curl} & \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{B} = \tau^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} -\nu & & \mathcal{I}_3 \\ \mathcal{I}_3 & & -\nu^{-1} \end{pmatrix}$$

Then $\mathbf{S} := \mathbf{M}^{-1} (-\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{B})$ is a maximal monotone operator

$$X := L^2(\Omega)^3 \times L^2(\Omega)^3 \times L^2(\Omega)^3, \quad (\phi, \psi)_X = (\mathbf{M}\phi, \psi)$$
$$\mathcal{D}(\mathbf{S}) := H_0(\operatorname{curl}, \Omega) \times H(\operatorname{curl}, \Omega) \times L^2(\Omega)^3$$

Theorem (Hipp, Hochbruck, Stohrer)

For $\mathbf{u}_0 \in \mathcal{D}(\mathbf{S})$ and $\mathbf{g} \in C(0, T; \mathcal{D}(\mathbf{S}))$ or $\mathbf{g} \in C^1(0, T; X)$ the abstract Cauchy problem has a unique solution $\mathbf{u} \in C^1(0, T; X) \cap C(0, T; \mathcal{D}(\mathbf{S}))$ and there exist a constant $C > 0$ with

$$\|\mathbf{u}(t)\|_X \leq C \left(\|\mathbf{u}_0\|_X + t \|\mathbf{g}\|_{L^\infty(0,t;X)} \right)$$

David Hipp, Marlis Hochbruck, and Christian Stohrer. "Unified error analysis for non-conforming space discretizations of wave-type equations."

Discrete Model

$\mathbf{E} \in \mathbf{H}_0(\mathbf{curl}, \Omega)$, $\mathbf{H} \in \mathbf{H}(\mathbf{curl}, \Omega)$, $\mathbf{P} \in \mathbf{L}^2(\Omega)$ such that

$$\begin{pmatrix} \varepsilon & & \\ & \mu & \\ & & \nu^{-1} \end{pmatrix} \partial_t \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{E} \\ \mathbf{H} \\ \mathbf{P} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -\tau^{-1}\nu & \mathbf{curl} & \tau^{-1} \\ -\mathbf{curl} & & \\ \tau^{-1} & & -\tau^{-1}\nu^{-1} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{E} \\ \mathbf{H} \\ \mathbf{P} \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} -\mathbf{j} \\ \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\rightsquigarrow \mathbf{M}_H \partial_t \mathbf{u}_H = (\mathbf{A}_H + \mathbf{B}_H) \mathbf{u}_H + \mathbf{j}_H$$

where

$$\mathbf{M}_H := \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{M}_\varepsilon & & \\ & \mathbf{M}_\mu & \\ & & \mathbf{M}_{\nu^{-1}} \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{A}_H + \mathbf{B}_H := \begin{pmatrix} -\mathbf{M}_{\tau^{-1}\nu} & \mathbf{C} & \mathbf{M}_{\tau^{-1}} \\ -\mathbf{C} & & \\ \mathbf{M}_{\tau^{-1}} & & -\mathbf{M}_{\tau^{-1}\nu^{-1}} \end{pmatrix}$$

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Thank you for your attention!