DARTS workshop

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Delft University of Technology

founded 1842 25,000 students 4000 scientific staff ~300 PhD/yr 8 faculties







Where are we?

Aerospace Engineering

Applied Sciences

Architecture

Civil Engineering & Geosciences (CEG)

Electrical Eng., Math. & Comp. Sci.

Industrial Design Engineering

Mech., Maritime and Materials Eng.

Technology, Policy & Management



Hydraulic Engineering

Water management

Geoscience & Engineering (GSE)

Geoscience & Remote Sensing

Structural Engineering

Transport & Planning

CEG Departments

Applied Geology

Applied Geophysics and Petrophysics

Reservoir Engineering

Resource Engineering

Geo-Engineering

GSE Sections

Geoscience & Engineering

- Established in 1862 as a Mining Engineering Faculty
- Mining Eng. → Mining & Petroleum Eng. → Applied Earth
 Sciences → Geotechnology → Geoscience & Engineering
- Now: part of Faculty of Civil Engineering and Geosciences, with 4 civil engineering and 2 geodepartments
- Total staff ~200 (~ 150 FTE):

8 full profs, 17 associate profs, 16 assistant profs,
~30 scientific/teaching staff/post-docs,
~95 Ph.D. students, 20 lab & admin staff









Education, BSc, MSc & PhD programs

mainly Dutch	60% Dutch, 40% international		80% international
BSc Applied Earth Sciences	MSc Applied Geophysics Jointly with ETH and RWTH		PhD
	MSc Geoscience and Petroleum Engineering	Reservoir Geology	Program Research School
Broad program In English as of September 2014		Reservoir Engineering	
	MSc Resource Engineering EMC (Helsinki, RWTH, Exeter)		Center for Technical Geosciences (CTG)
	MSc Geo Engineering Jointly with Civil Engineering		
	MSc Geosc. and Remote Sensing Jointly with Civil Engineering		
< 5% leaves	95% leaves to industry, 5% to PhD		80% to industry



Geo-Energy Engineering MSc track

- Started in September 2019 and replaced Petroleum Engineering and Geosciences track
- Main focus: effective combination of advanced approaches for monitoring, forward modeling, optimization and data assimilation for energy-related engineering applications
- Final MSc project is often performed in close collaboration with affiliate companies for applications of practical interest
- Include research collaboration with multiple academic partners in TU Delft and world-wide





Delft: we belong to the Civil Engineering and Geoscience (CEG) Department The development team directly linked to the new GeoEnergy program which connects Geology, Geophysics and Petroleum Engineering sections of the department.

Advanced: the simulation framework is based on the recently proposed Operator-Based Linearization (OBL) approach, which helps to decouple the complex nonlinear physics and advanced unstructured discretization from the core simulation engine.

Research: the development team includes five PhD students from the CEG department and multiple MSc students working on their thesis project on DARTS platform.

Terra: the developed framework is utilized for forward and inverse problems in petroleum engineering, geothermal applications, subsurface storage and subsurface integrity.

Simulator: the main simulation kernel implemented on multi-core CPU and many-core GPU architectures. Advance multiscale nonlinear formulation improves the performance of forward and inverse models. Additional afford invested in physics-based proxy models for complex subsurface processes including multiphase multicomponent flow.



Development team



Mark Khait: original developer of DARTS framework



Stephan de Hoop: fractures, faults and chemical reactions



Yang Wang: main geothermal capabilities



Kiarash Mansour Pour: multisegmented well and ML



Aleks Novikov: discretization, geomechanics, induced seismicity



Ilshat Saifullin: open-DARTS support, thermogeomechanics



Gabriel Serrao Seabra: history matching, proxy modelling





Michiel Wapperom: advanced thermodynamics and chemistry



Yuan Chen: geothermal modelling, technology and UQ



Xiaoming Tian: history matching and adjoint gradients

Xiaocong Lyu:

sequestration

main CO2

capabilities





Time for Questions and Answers

