

The lattice-Boltzmann Method

Practical aspects and implementation

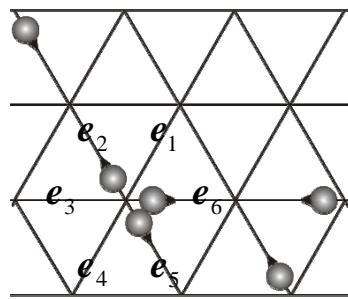
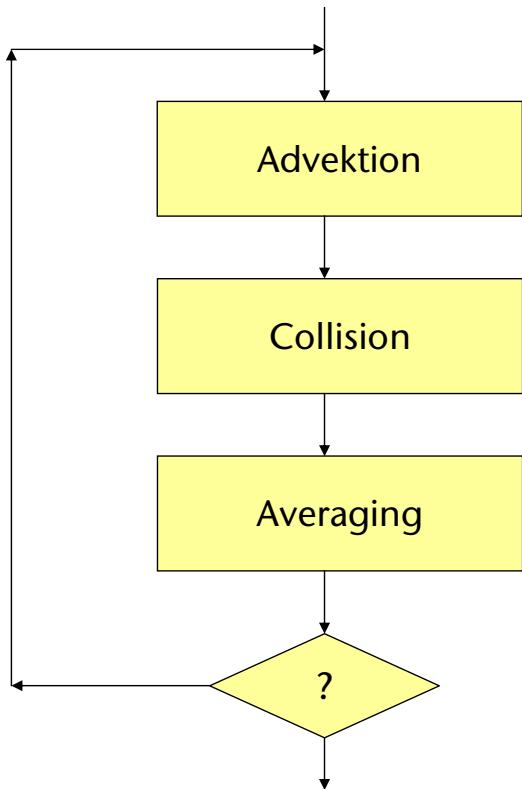
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Part 2: LBM in practice

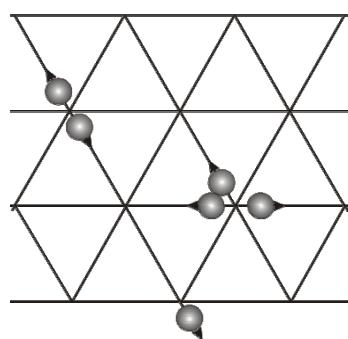
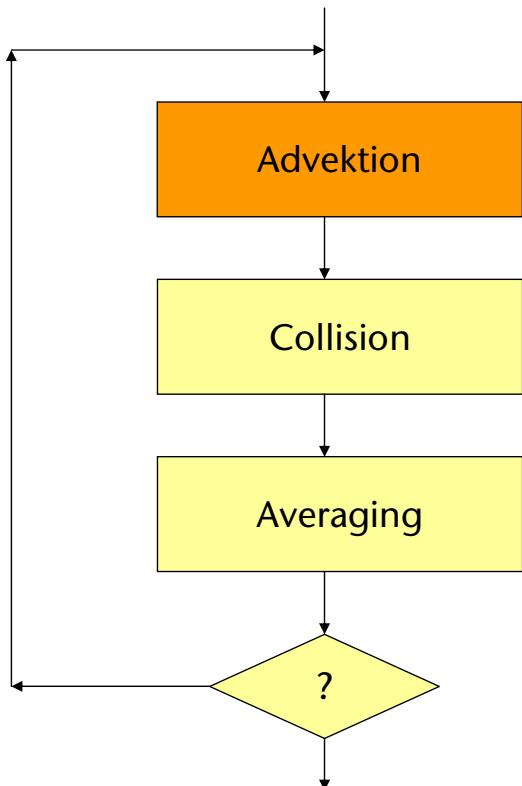
- Lattice Boltzmann algorithm
- Boundary Conditions
- Implementation



$$\mathbf{e}_\alpha = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \frac{\pi}{3} \alpha \\ \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \alpha \end{pmatrix} \quad n_\alpha(t, \mathbf{x})$$

LGA Algorithm

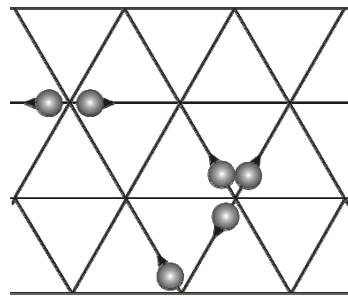
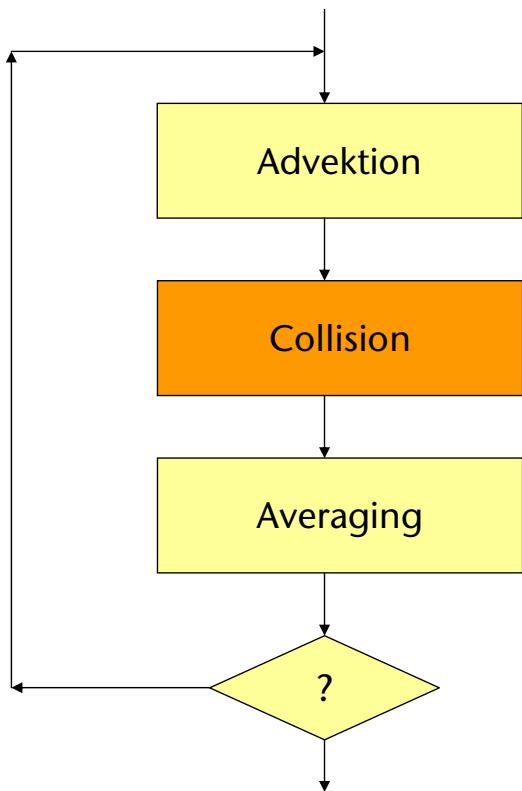
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$$n_\alpha^*(t + \Delta t, \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{e}_\alpha \Delta t) = n_\alpha(t, \mathbf{x})$$

LGA Algorithm

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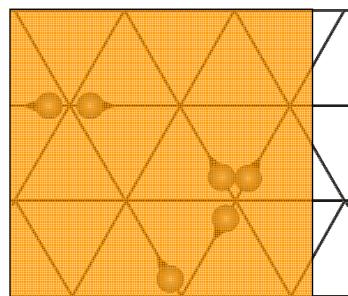
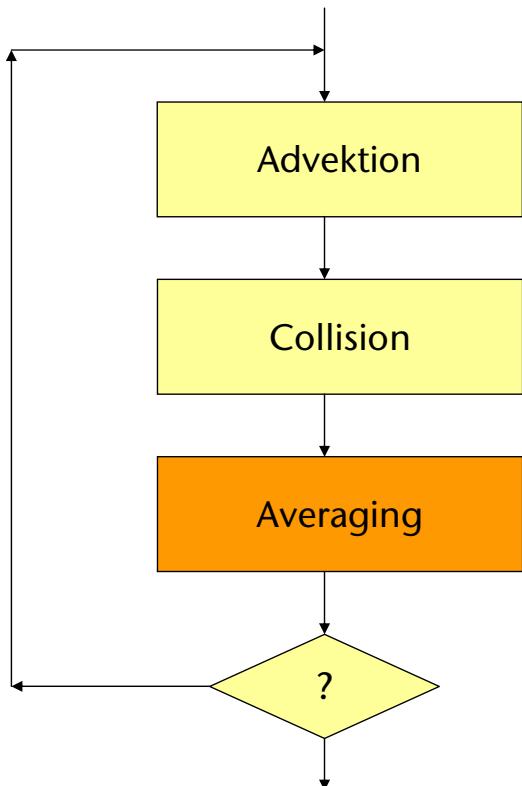


$$n_{\alpha}^*(t + \Delta t, \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{e}_{\alpha}\Delta t) = n_{\alpha}(t, \mathbf{x})$$

$$n_{\alpha} = \Omega_{\alpha}(n_1^*, \dots, n_6^*)$$

LGA Algorithm

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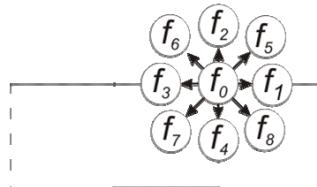
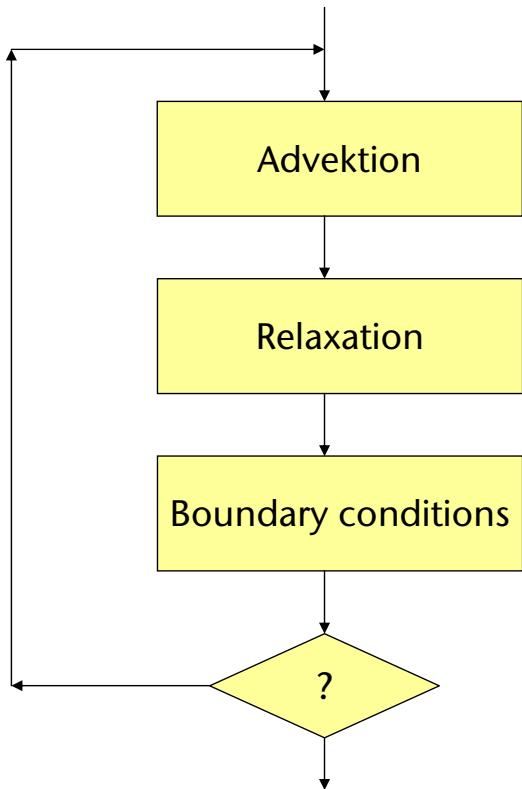
$$f_{\bar{\alpha}} = \langle n_{\alpha} \rangle$$

$$\rho = \sum_{\alpha} f_{\alpha}$$

$$\rho \mathbf{u} = \sum_{\alpha} \mathbf{e}_{\alpha} f_{\alpha}$$

LGA Algorithm

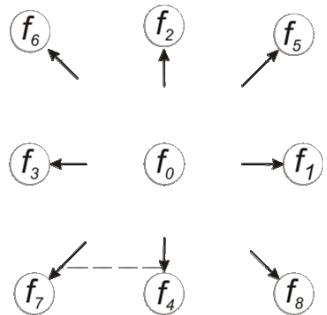
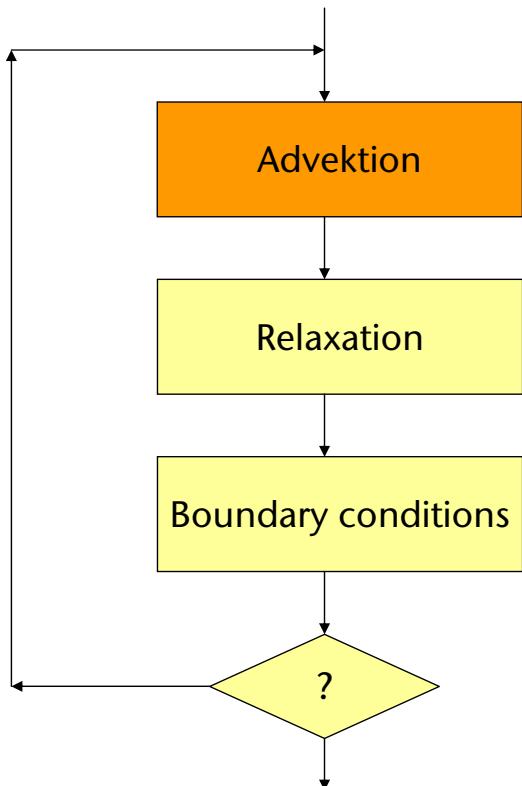
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$f_\alpha(t, x)$

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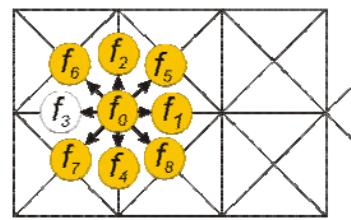
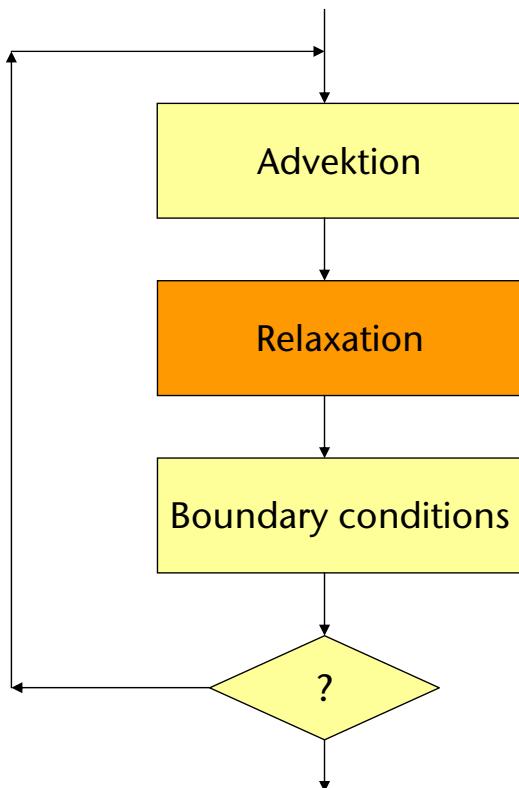
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$$f_\alpha^*(t + \Delta t, x + e_\alpha \Delta t) = f_\alpha(t, x)$$

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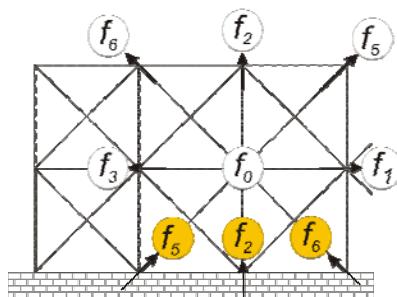
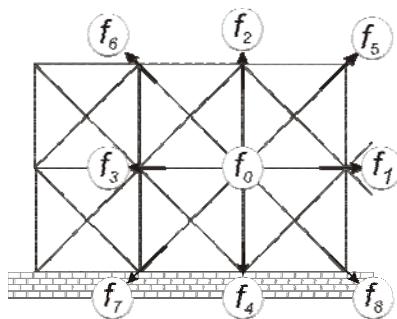
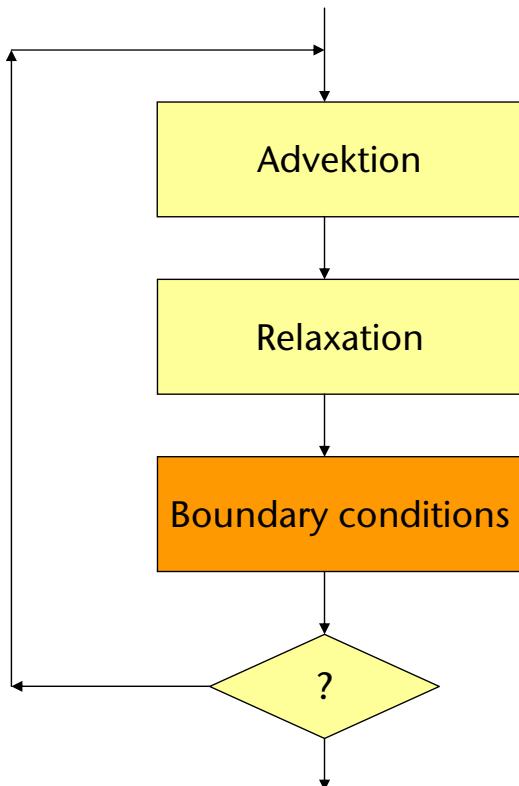


$$f_\alpha^*(t + \Delta t, \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{e}_\alpha \Delta t) = f_\alpha(t, \mathbf{x})$$

$$f_\alpha \equiv \frac{1}{\tau} (f^*_\alpha - f_\alpha^{eq})$$

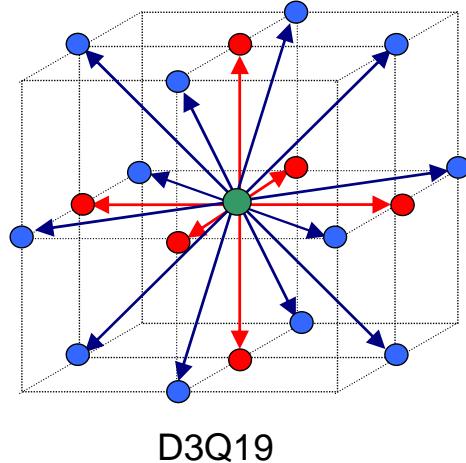
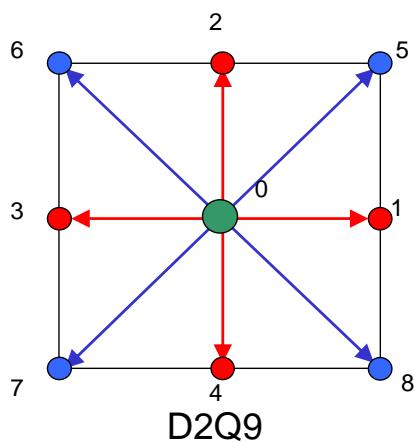
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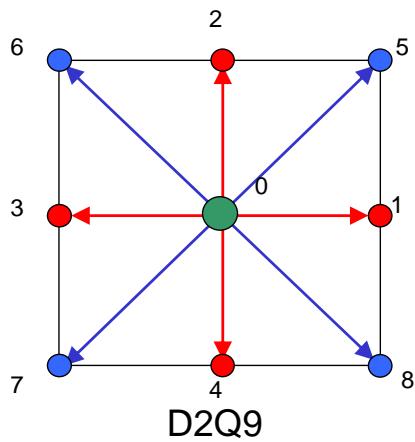
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LBM velocity space

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$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathbf{e}_0 &= (0,0) \\
 \mathbf{e}_1 &= (1,0) \\
 \mathbf{e}_2 &= (0,1) \\
 \mathbf{e}_3 &= (-1,0) \\
 \mathbf{e}_4 &= (0,-1) \\
 \mathbf{e}_5 &= (1,1) \\
 \mathbf{e}_6 &= (-1,1) \\
 \mathbf{e}_7 &= (-1,-1) \\
 \mathbf{e}_8 &= (1,-1)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Delta x = \Delta y = \Delta t = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 |\mathbf{e}_{1,2,3,4}| &= 1 & c_s^2 &= \frac{1}{3} \\
 |\mathbf{e}_{5,6,7,8}| &= \sqrt{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

LBM velocity space

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- equilibrium distributions

$$f_\alpha^{eq}(\rho, \mathbf{u}) = t_p \cdot \rho \cdot \left[1 + 3(\mathbf{e}_\alpha \cdot \mathbf{u}) + \frac{9}{2}(\mathbf{e}_\alpha \cdot \mathbf{u})^2 - \frac{3}{2}\mathbf{u}^2 \right]$$

	t_0	t_1	t_2	t_3
$D2Q9$	$\frac{4}{9}$	$\frac{1}{9}$	$\frac{1}{36}$	0
$D3Q15$	$\frac{2}{9}$	$\frac{1}{9}$	0	$\frac{1}{72}$
$D3Q19$	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{1}{18}$	$\frac{1}{36}$	0

LBM equilibrium distributions

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- viscosity

$$\nu = \frac{1}{3} \left(\tau - \frac{1}{2} \right) \quad \omega = \frac{1}{\tau}$$

- density

$$\rho = \sum_{\alpha} f_{\alpha}$$

- velocity

$$\mathbf{u} = \frac{1}{\rho} \sum_{\alpha} \mathbf{e}_{\alpha} f_{\alpha}$$

- pressure

$$p = \frac{1}{3} \rho$$

LBM macroscopic magnitudes

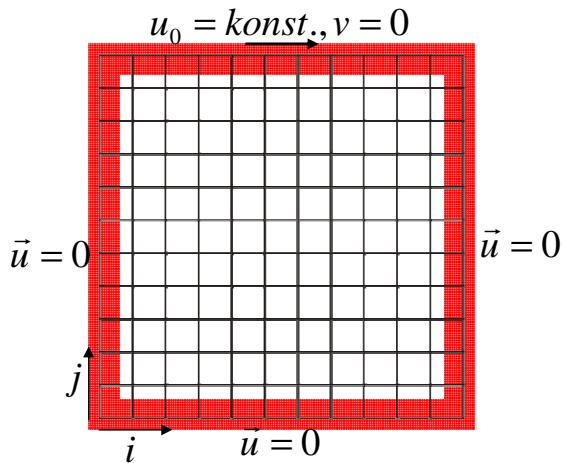
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- Program `lbm_ldc.f`

Input:

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itmax    Number Iterationen
vis      viscosity
force    "forcing term"
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Boundaries:

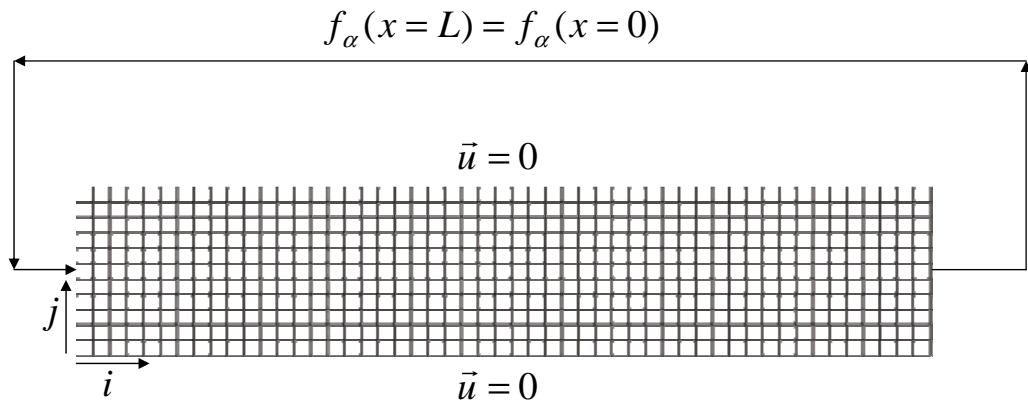


example 1: „lid driven cavity“

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- Program `lbm_ldc.f`

modify boundary conditions:



example 2: „Hagen-Couette Flow“

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C -----
C      input parameter from stdin
C -----

      read(5,*)
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      omega = 1. / (0.5 + 3.0 * vis )
      eomega = 1.0 - omega
      dens   = 1.0
      t1x    = force / 6.0

```

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C init with equilibrium distribution function for zero velocity

      t0 = dens * 4.0 / 9.0
      t1 = dens * 1.0 / 9.0
      t2 = dens * 1.0 / 36.0

      do j=1,jmax
          do i=1,imax
              f(0,i,j)=t0
              f(1,i,j)=t1
              f(2,i,j)=t1
              f(3,i,j)=t1
              f(4,i,j)=t1
              f(5,i,j)=t2
              f(6,i,j)=t2
              f(7,i,j)=t2
              f(8,i,j)=t2
          enddo
      enddo

```

$$f_{\alpha}^{eq}(\rho, \mathbf{u}) = t_p \cdot \rho \cdot \left[1 + 3(\mathbf{e}_{\alpha} \cdot \mathbf{u}) + \frac{9}{2}(\mathbf{e}_{\alpha} \cdot \mathbf{u})^2 - \frac{3}{2}\mathbf{u}^2 \right]$$

Program

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C propagation step, assuming periodic boundary conditions

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do i=1,imax
  do j=1,jmax

    ie = mod(i,imax) + 1
    iw = imax - mod(imax+1-i,imax)
    jn = mod(j,jmax) + 1
    js = jmax - mod(jmax+1-j,jmax)

    fn(1,ie ,j ) = f(1,i,j)
    fn(2,i ,jn) = f(2,i,j)
    fn(3,iw ,j ) = f(3,i,j)
    fn(4,i ,js) = f(4,i,j)
    fn(5,ie ,jn) = f(5,i,j)
    fn(6,iw ,jn) = f(6,i,j)
    fn(7,iw ,js) = f(7,i,j)
    fn(8,ie ,js) = f(8,i,j)
    fn(0,i ,j ) = f(0,i,j)
  enddo
enddo

```

Program

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c boundary conditions: bounce back
C lower wall j=1

```

j=1
do i=1,imax
  f(0,i,j) = fn(0,i,j)
  f(1,i,j) = fn(3,i,j)
  f(2,i,j) = fn(4,i,j)
  f(3,i,j) = fn(1,i,j)
  f(4,i,j) = fn(2,i,j)
  f(5,i,j) = fn(7,i,j)
  f(6,i,j) = fn(8,i,j)
  f(7,i,j) = fn(5,i,j)
  f(8,i,j) = fn(6,i,j)
enddo

```

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c north wall: add source term to drive flow in x-direction
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j=jmax
do i=1,imax
    f(7,i,j) = f(7,i,j) - t1x
    f(8,i,j) = f(8,i,j) + t1x
enddo
```

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```
c relaxation step
t0 = 4.d0/9.d0
t1 = 1.d0/9.d0
t2 = 1.d0/36.d0
do j = 2,jmax-1
    do i = 2,imax-1
        u = fn(1,i,j) + fn(5,i,j) + fn(8,i,j) ..
        v = fn(5,i,j) + fn(2,i,j) + fn(6,i,j) ..
        r = fn(0,i,j) + fn(1,i,j) + fn(2,i,j) ..
        u = u/r
        v = v/r
        ..
        fe(1) = t1rl * (1.d0 + 3.d0*u + 4.5d0*u2 - usq )
        ..
        do n=0,nspeed
            f(n,i,j) = eomega*fn(n,i,j) + omega*fe(n)
        enddo
    enddo
enddo
```

Program

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