

ハイブリッドシミュレーション ～数理腫瘍学の基本ツール

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Integrative Mathematical Oncology

Mathematical Modeling

$$n = n(x, t): \text{CANCER}$$

$$c = c(x, t): \text{ECM}$$

$$f = f(x, t): \text{MMP}$$

\Rightarrow

$$n_t = d_n \nabla^2 n - \gamma \nabla \cdot (n \nabla c)$$

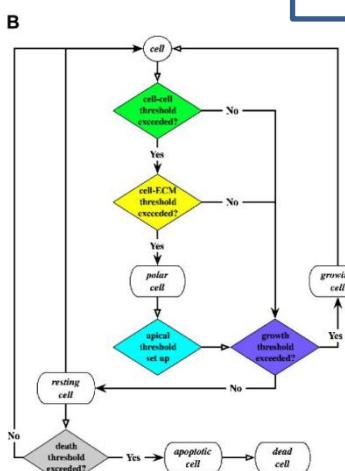
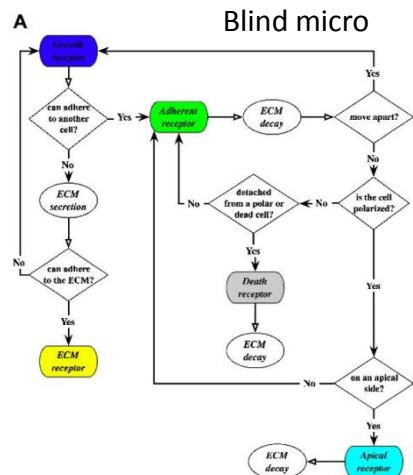
$$c_t = -\eta f c$$

$$f_t = d_f \nabla^2 f + \alpha n - \beta f$$



M. Chaplain (Andrews Univ.)

Systems Biology

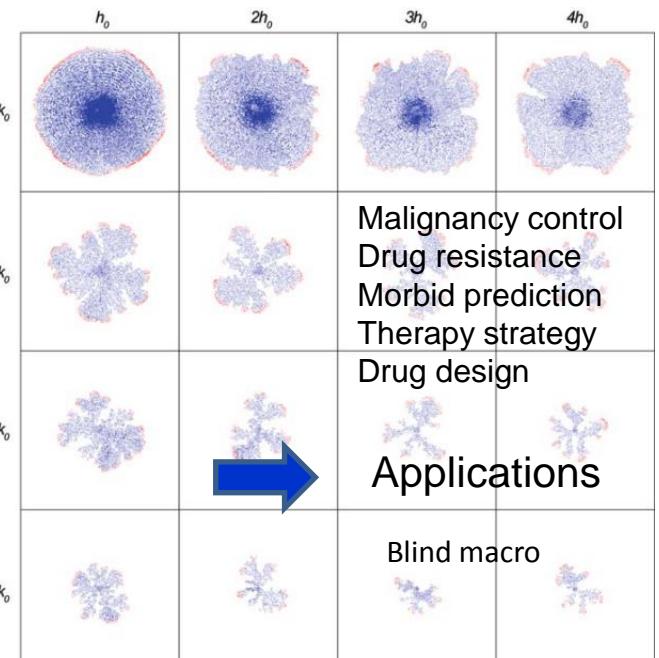
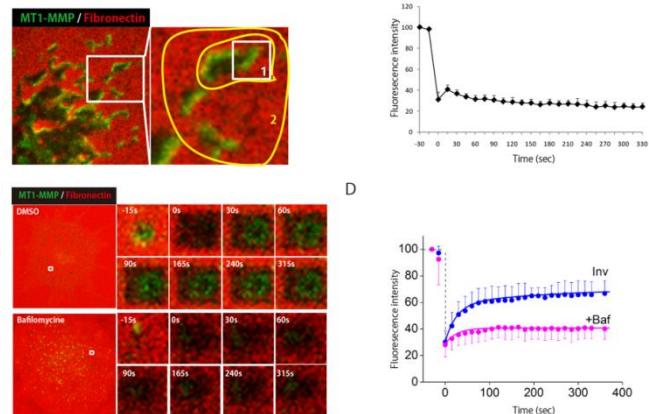
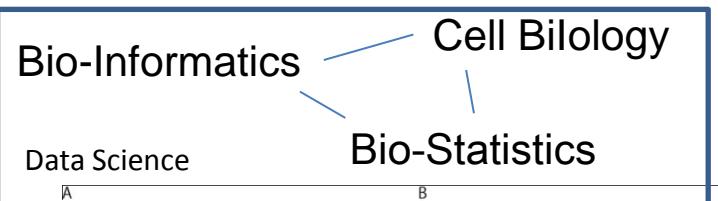


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Hybrid Simulation with Fluctuations



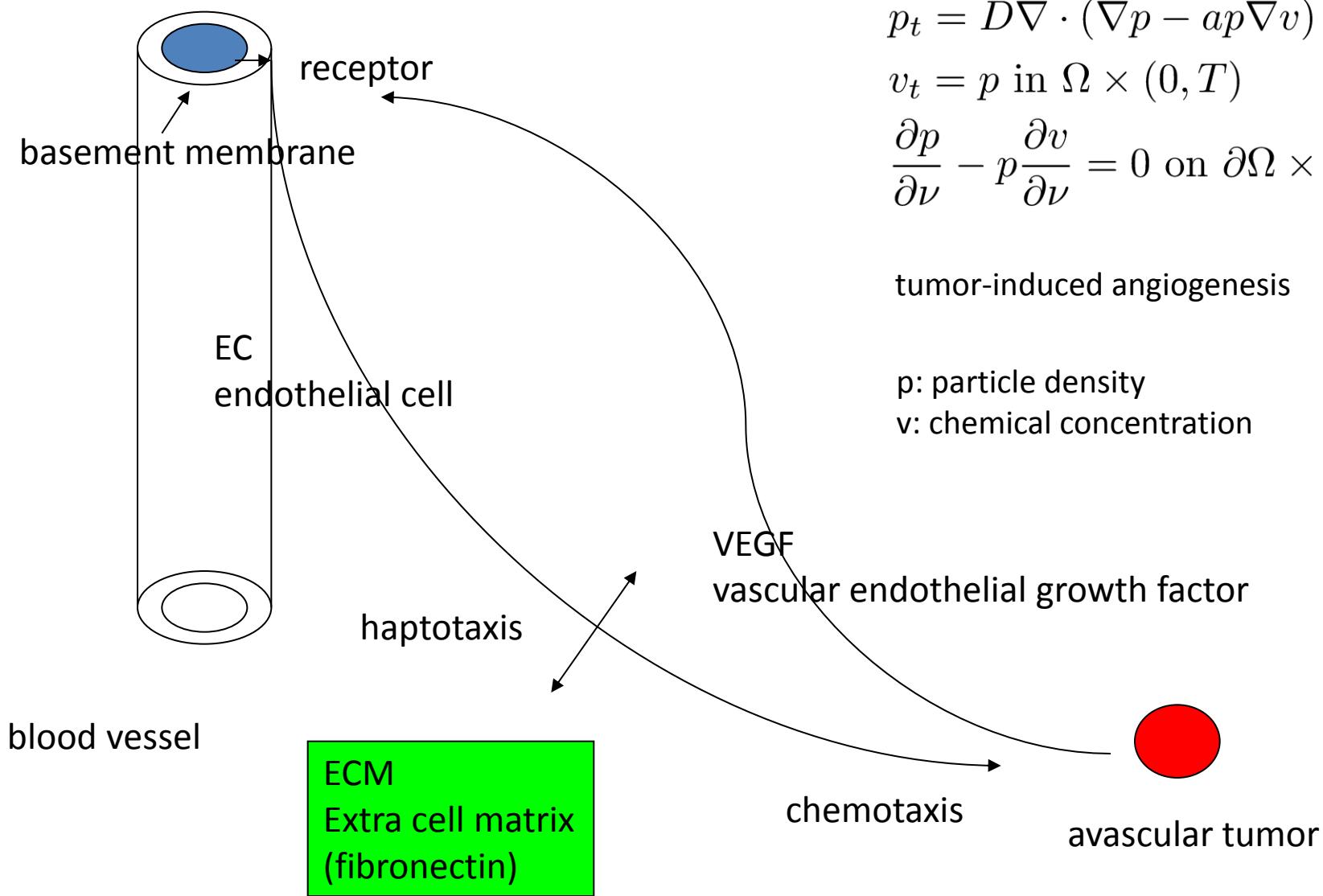
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A. Anderson et. al.

1. Angiogenesis

Levine-Sleeman 1997



$$p_t = D \nabla \cdot (\nabla p - ap \nabla v)$$

$$v_t = p \text{ in } \Omega \times (0, T)$$

$$\frac{\partial p}{\partial \nu} - p \frac{\partial v}{\partial \nu} = 0 \text{ on } \partial\Omega \times (0, T)$$

tumor-induced angiogenesis

p: particle density

v: chemical concentration

VEGF
vascular endothelial growth factor

avascular tumor

ECM
Extra cell matrix
(fibronectin)

Anderson-Chaplain Model 1998

$D_n, \chi_0, k_1, \rho_0 > 0$: experimental data

$$F = -D_n \nabla n + \rho_0 n \nabla f + \chi(c) n \nabla c$$

$$\chi(c) = \frac{\chi_0 k_1}{k_1 + c}$$

\Rightarrow

$$\frac{\partial n}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot F = 0 \dots \text{mass conservation}$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial t} = \beta n - \gamma n f, \quad \frac{\partial c}{\partial t} = -\eta n c$$

$\beta, \gamma, \eta > 0$, constants

n : density of EC (endothelial cells)

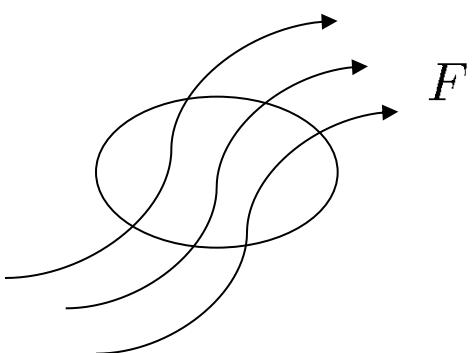
F : flux of n

\Rightarrow

$n \mapsto$ diffusion

f : fibronectin concentration \mapsto chemotaxis

c : TAF concentration \mapsto haptotaxis



Mathematical structure

$f_0 > \frac{\beta}{\gamma} \Rightarrow c, f \dots$ monotone decreasing in t

$$\frac{\partial c}{\partial t} = -\eta n c, \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial t} = \beta n - \gamma n f$$

\Rightarrow

$$-\frac{1}{\eta} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \log c = n, \quad -\frac{1}{\gamma} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \log |\beta - \gamma| = n$$

\Rightarrow

$$n_t = \nabla \cdot (\nabla n - n \nabla \varphi(v, w)), \quad v_t = p, \quad w_t = q$$

$\varphi = \varphi(v, w) \dots$ sensitivity function

$$v = -\eta^{-1} \log c, \quad w = -\frac{1}{\gamma} \log |\beta - \gamma f|$$

\Rightarrow

$$n_t = \nabla \cdot (\nabla n - n \nabla \varphi(v))$$

$$v_t = n \quad \text{in } \Omega \times (0, T)$$

$$\frac{\partial n}{\partial \nu} - n \frac{\partial \varphi(v)}{\partial \nu} = 0 \quad \text{on } \partial \Omega \times (0, T)$$

$$(n, v)|_{t=0} = (n_0, v_0)$$

A Finite Difference Scheme for $\Omega = (0, 1)$

uniform space mesh h , $N = \frac{1}{h}$
 non-uniform time mesh $\{\tau_p\}_{p=0}^{M-1}$
 $t_{p+1} = t_p + \tau_p$, $t_0 = 0$
main and sub-lattices in space
 $\{x_i = (i - \frac{1}{2})h \mid i = 1, 2, \dots, N\}$
 $\{\hat{x}_i = ih \mid i = 0, 1, \dots, N\}$

\Rightarrow

$$n_i^p \approx n(x_i, t_p)$$

$$c_i^p \approx c(\hat{x}_i, t_p)$$

$$f_i^p \approx f(\hat{x}_i, t_p),$$

recall the barrier model

$v = \nabla c$, $w = \nabla f \mapsto F$: flux of n approximated on $\{x_i\}$

v, w , upwind finite difference
 n , center finite difference

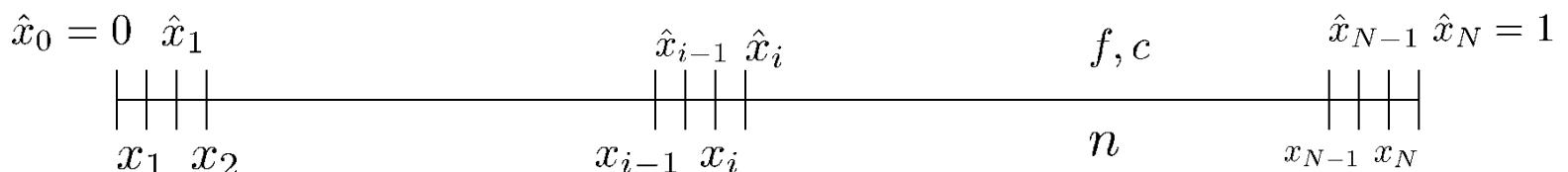
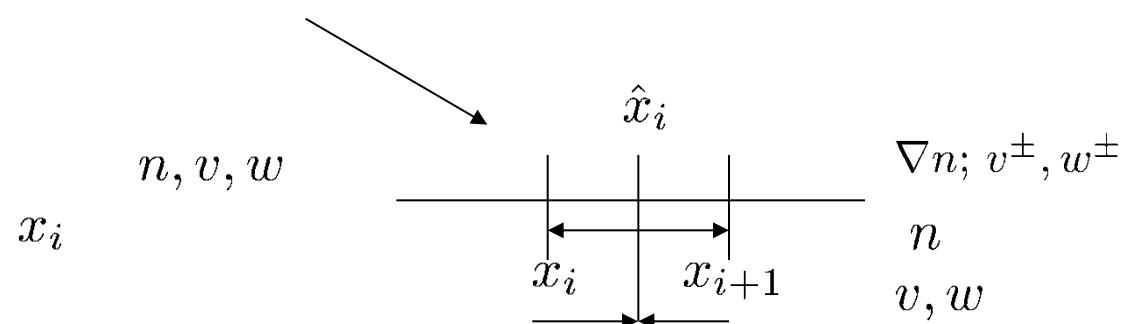
\Rightarrow

$$F_i^p \approx F(\hat{x}_i, t_p)$$

$$v_i^p \approx v(x_i, t_p)$$

$$w_i^p \approx w(x_i, t_p)$$

c.f. barrier model



$v_i^p = \frac{c_i^p - c_{i-1}^p}{h}, w_i^p = \frac{f_i^p - f_{i-1}^p}{h}$ \longrightarrow F, n discretized on $\{\hat{x}_i\}$
 $v_i^{\pm,p} = \max\{0, \pm v_i^p\}, w_i^{\pm,p} = \max\{0, \pm w_i^p\},$
 $1 \leq i \leq N$, define
 $F_i^p = -d \frac{n_{i+1}^p - n_i^p}{h} + \frac{\chi}{1 + \alpha c_i^p}.$
 $(v_i^{+,p} n_i^p - v_{i+1}^{-,p} n_{i+1}^p) + \rho(w_i^{+,p} n_i^p - w_{i+1}^{-,p} n_{i+1}^p)$
 $1 \leq i \leq N-1$
 Require $F_0^p = F_N^p = 0$.

$n(\hat{x}_i, t_p) = \begin{cases} n_1^p & (i=0) \\ \frac{n_{i+1}^p + n_i^p}{2} & (1 \leq i \leq N-1) \\ n_N^p & (i=N) \end{cases}$
 explicit method to t
 $\frac{c_i^{p+1} - c_i^p}{\tau_p} = -\eta n(\hat{x}_i, t_p) c_i^p$
 $\frac{f_i^{p+1} - f_i^p}{\tau_p} = \beta n(\hat{x}_i, t_p) - \gamma n(\hat{x}_i, t_p) f_i^p$
 $0 \leq i \leq N$

well-posedness, positivity, mass conservation of n if
 $\tau_p < \min \left\{ \frac{h^2}{(1-\theta)(d+h\hat{H})}, \frac{h}{4\theta\hat{H}}, \frac{1}{\eta\hat{n}^p}, \frac{1}{\gamma\hat{n}^p} \right\}$
 $\hat{H} = \frac{\chi}{1 + \alpha\hat{c}^p} \hat{v}^p + \rho\hat{w}^p, \hat{c}^p = \max_{0 \leq i \leq N} c_i^p$
 $\hat{n}^p = \max_{1 \leq i \leq N} n_i^p, \hat{v} = \max_{1 \leq i \leq N} v_i^p, \hat{w}^p = \max_{1 \leq i \leq N} w_i^p$

A numerical scheme realizing

$n > 0 \dots$ positivity

$$\|n(t)\|_1 = \|n_0\|_1$$

\dots total mass conservation

The discretization scheme to $n \dots$

$$n_i^{p+1} = P_i^{0,p} n_i^p + P_{i+1}^{-,p} n_{i+1}^p + P_{i-1}^{+,p} n_{i-1}^p$$

$$2 \leq i \leq N$$

$$P_i^{0,p} > 0, P_i^{0,p} + P_i^{-,p} + P_i^{+,p} = 1$$

\Rightarrow

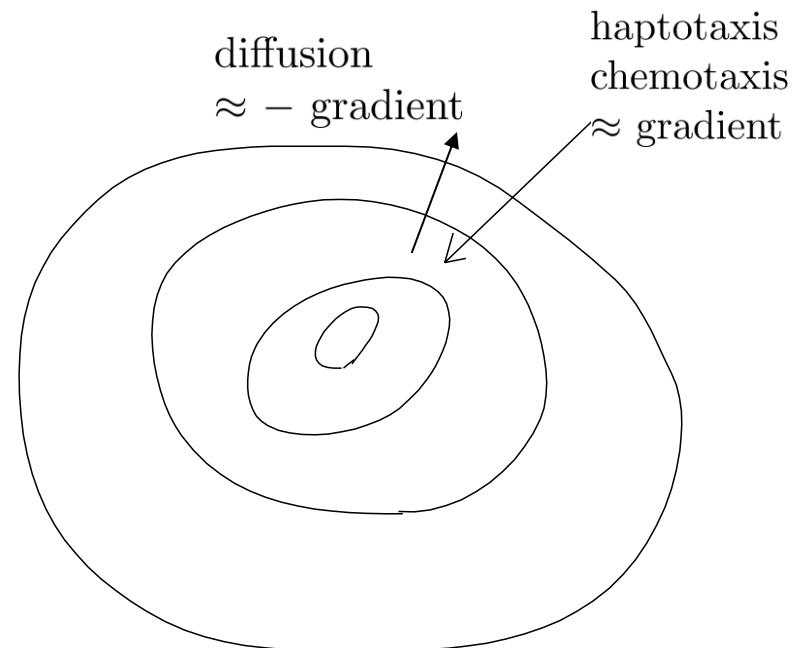
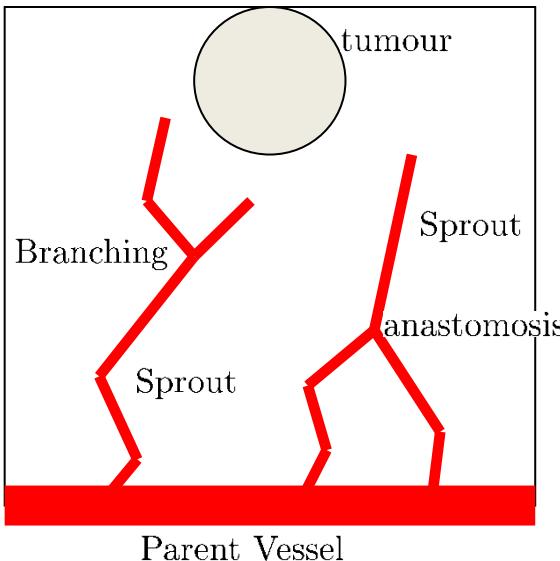
$$P_i^{0,p}, P_i^{+,p}, P_i^{-,p}$$

regarded as transient probabilities

Tools:

1. sub-lattice
2. upwind difference
3. mass lumping

hybrid simulation between individual – continuous objects



Hybrid discrete-continuous model

Anderson et.al. 2006 on tumor morphology
space - time discrete description

1. Fundamental equations described by MDE, MM, and oxygen, involved by a *tumor cell indicator*
2. **Mobile probabilities** of tumor cells described by an intrinsic unbiased motility and MM concentration combined with rate parameters
3. Mutation schemes by cancer cell life to change *phenotype*, i.e., several parameters updated

Medication simulation

$2d$: the initial medication

d : medicated after

T_d : time period

$$\frac{dm_i}{dt} = -\mu m_i$$

$$i = 1, \dots, [T/T_d]$$

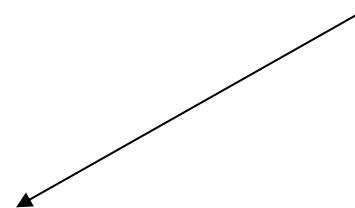
\Rightarrow

$$m_i(t) = m(t)|_{(i-1)T_d < t \leq iT_d}$$

$$m_1|_{t=0} = 2d$$

$$m_i|_{t=(i-1)T_d} = m_{i-1}|_{t=(i-1)T_d} + d$$

$$2 \leq i \leq T/T_d$$



Numerical results \Rightarrow

1. medication attacking to EC not efficient
2. that to TAF medicable

