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# A Primer for Writing Overlapping Grid Codes in C++

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**Abstract:** We describe how to write C++ programs to solve partial differential equations on overlapping grids. We use the grid construction program Ogen to create overlapping grids. We use the parallel array class library A++ to write efficient and portable serial or parallel code.

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# 1 Introduction

This is a primer for writing C++ codes to solve partial differential equations (PDEs) on overlapping grids. The reader is assumed to be familiar with the A++ (parallel) array class library [?]. The reader is also assumed to be at least slightly familiar with the overlapping grid generator Ogen and the notion of an overlapping or composite grid.

In this primer we will introduce and show how to use the following classes

- **MappedGrid** : A logically rectangular grid that is defined by a mapping from the unit line (square or cube) into cartesian space. A MappedGrid contains a mapping function as well as information such as boundary conditions, periodicity, grid point coordinates etc.
- **CompositeGrid** : An “overlapping composite grid”. Each component grid of a CompositeGrid is a MappedGrid. The grid generator Ogen, for example, can generate a CompositeGrid.
- **realMappedGridFunction** : A grid function that holds a solution on a MappedGrid; this is a slightly glorified A++ array.
- **realCompositeGridFunction** : A grid function that holds a solution (such as the pressure or velocity) on a CompositeGrid.
- **Ogshow** : A class for saving solutions and other information in a “show file”. A show file can be read by plotStuff (in the Overture/bin directory) to plot solutions.
- **MappedGridOperators, CompositeGridOperators** : classes used with grid functions to define spatial derivatives and to apply boundary conditions.
- **Oges** : The overlapping grid equation solver class that can be used to solve systems of boundary value problems such as Poisson’s equation.
- **Cgsh** : The overlapping grid generator that can be used in a moving grid computation to regenerate an overlapping grid when one or more of the component grids change. The grid generator can also be run interactively to create an overlapping grid. See the documentation elsewhere.

These classes are collectively known as “Overture”. “Overture” is an acronym that has absolutely no meaning. Other documents of interest are

- A++ Quick Reference Card : /n/c3servet/dquinlan/A++P++/DOCS/Quick\_Reference\_Card.tex
- Grid and grid function documentation : /n/c3servet/henshaw/res/gf/gf.tex
- Finite difference operators and boundary conditions : /n/c3servet/henshaw/res/gf/op.tex
- Mapping class documentation : /n/c3servet/henshaw/res/mapping/mapping.tex
- Show file documentation : /n/c3servet/henshaw/res/ogshow/ogshow.tex
- Interactive plotting : /n/c3servet/henshaw/res/ogshow/PlotStuff.tex
- Oges “Equation Solver” documentation : /n/c3servet/henshaw/res/oges/oges.tex
- Interactive grid generation documentation : /n/c3servet/henshaw/res/cgsh/ogen.tex

Figure 1 gives an overview of the classes that make up Overture.

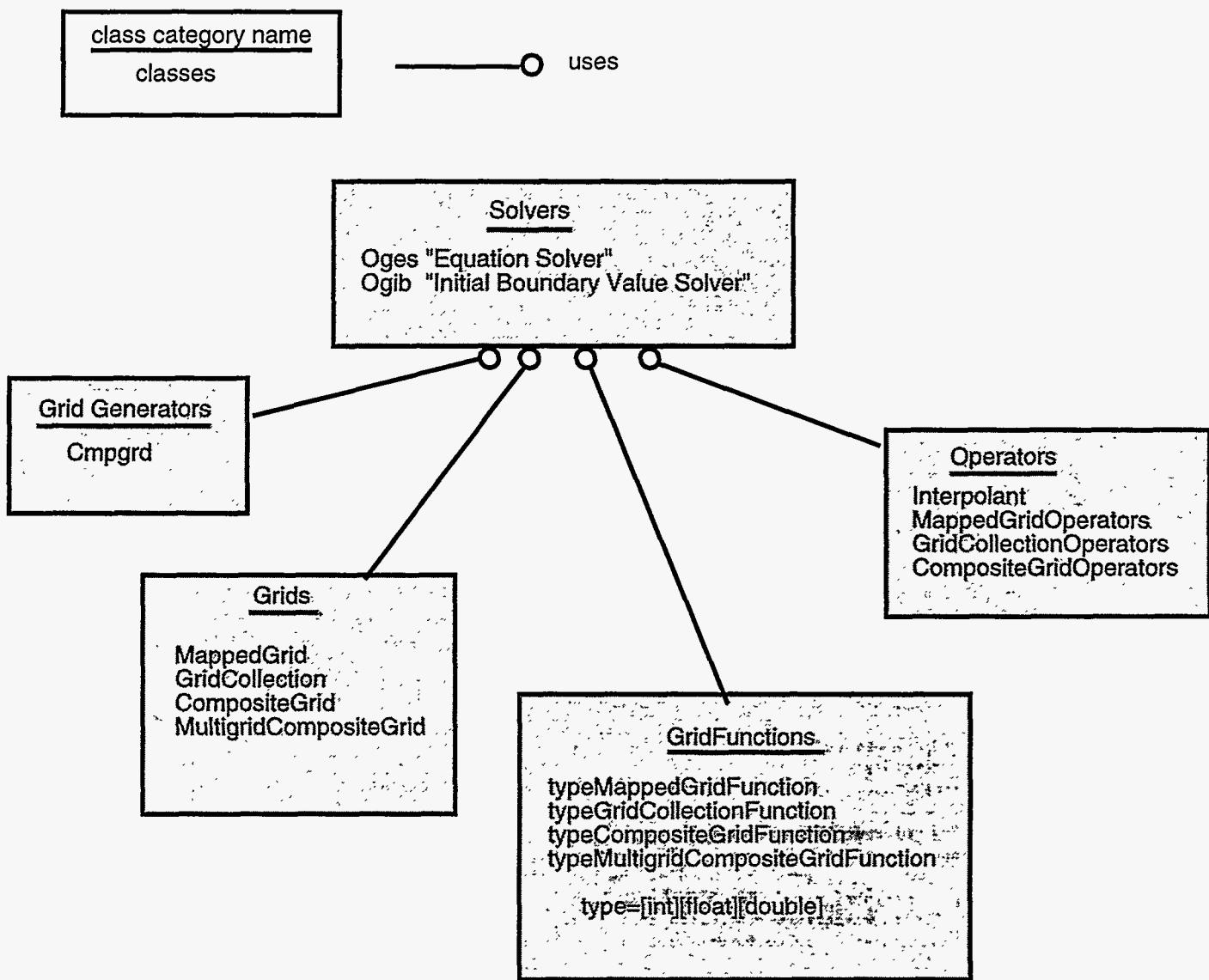


Figure 1: An overview of the Overture classes

## 2 Getting Started with MappedGrid's

### 2.1 mappedGridExample1: Mapping's, MappedGrid's, MappedGridFunction's

(file /n/c3server/henshaw/res/primer/mappedGridExample1.C)

```
1 //=====
2 // Overture, MappedGrid Example 1
3 //   o demonstrate the use of a Mapping, MappedGrid, MappedGridFunction
4 //   and MappedGridOperators
5 //   o use PlotStuff to display the results
6 //
7 // Bill Henshaw
8 //=====
9 #include "Overture.h"
10 #include "PlotStuff.h"
11 #include "Square.h"
12 #include "MappedGridOperators.h"
13
14 int
15 main()
16 {
17     ios::sync_with_stdio();      // Synchronize C++ and C I/O subsystems
18     Index::setBoundsCheck(on); // Turn on A++ array bounds checking
19
20     SquareMapping square(0.,1.,0.,1.);           // Make a mapping, unit square
21     square.setGridDimensions(axis1,11);          // axis1==0, set no. of grid points
22     square.setGridDimensions(axis2,11);          // axis2==1, set no. of grid points
23     MappedGrid mg(square);                     // MappedGrid for a square
24     mg.update();                             // create default variables
25
26     Range all;
27     realMappedGridFunction u(mg,all,all,all,2); // create a grid function with 2 components
28     u.setName("Velocity Stuff");             // give names to grid function ...
29     u.setName("u Stuff",0);                  // ...and components
30     u.setName("v Stuff",1);
31     Index I1,I2,I3;
32
33     // mg.dimension(2,3) : all points on the grid, including ghost-points
34     getIndex(mg.dimension,I1,I2,I3);           // assign I1,I2,I3 from dimension
35     u(I1,I2,I3,0)=sin(Pi*mg.vertex(I1,I2,I3,axis1)) // component 0 : sin(pi*x)*cos(pi*y)
36         *cos(Pi*mg.vertex(I1,I2,I3,axis2));
37     u(I1,I2,I3,1)=cos(Pi*mg.vertex(I1,I2,I3,axis1)) // component 1 : cos(pi*x)*sin(pi*y)
38         *sin(Pi*mg.vertex(I1,I2,I3,axis2));
39
40     MappedGridOperators op(mg);                // operators
41     u.setOperators(op);                      // associate with a grid function
42     u.x().display("here is u.x");           // x derivative
43
44     getIndex(mg.gridIndexRange,I1,I2,I3);    // interior and boundary points
45     // compute the error in component 0 of u.x, the notation u.x(I1,I2,I3,0) means only evaluate
46     // the derivative for component 0 and at the points (I1,I2,I3) (done for efficiency only)
47     real error = max(abs( u.x(I1,I2,I3,0)(I1,I2,I3,0)-
48         Pi*cos(Pi*mg.vertex(I1,I2,I3,axis1))*cos(Pi*mg.vertex(I1,I2,I3,axis2)) ));
49     cout << "Maximum error in component 0 of u.x = " << error << endl;
50
51     PlotStuff ps;                           // create a PlotStuff object
52     PlotStuffParameters psp;               // This object is used to change plotting parameters
53
54     String answer;
55     String menu[] = { "contour",           // Make some menu items
56                       "stream lines",
57                       "grid",
58                       "read command file",
59                       "save command file",
60                       "erase",
61                       "exit",
62                       "" };                    // empty string denotes the end of the menu
63     for(;;)
64     {
65         ps.getMenuItem(menu,answer);        // put up a menu and wait for a response
66         if( answer=="contour" )
```

```
67  {
68      psp.set(GI_TOP_LABEL,"My Contour Plot"); // set title
69      ps.contour(u,psp); // contour/surface plots
70  }
71 else if( answer=="grid" )
72 {
73     ps.plot(mg); // plot the composite grid
74 }
75 else if( answer=="stream lines" )
76 {
77     ps.streamLines(u); // streamlines
78 }
79 else if( answer=="read command file" )
80 {
81     ps.readCommandFile();
82 }
83 else if( answer=="save command file" )
84 {
85     ps.saveCommandFile();
86 }
87 else if( answer=="erase" )
88 {
89     ps.erase();
90 }
91 else if( answer=="exit" )
92 {
93     break;
94 }
95 }
96
97 return 0;
98 }
99
```

## 2.2 mappedGridExample2: Mapping's, MappedGrid's, MappedGridFunction's (file /n/c3server/henshaw/res/primer/mappedGridExample2.C)

```
1 //=====
2 // Overture example 2
3 //   o solve a convection-diffusion equation on an annulus.
4 //   o plot intermediate results,
5 //   o use operators to apply boundary conditions
6 //
7 // Bill Henshaw
8 //=====
9 #include "Overture.h"
10 #include "PlotStuff.h"
11 #include "Annulus.h"
12 #include "MappedGridOperators.h"
13
14 int
15 main()
16 {
17     ios::sync_with_stdio();      // Synchronize C++ and C I/O subsystems
18     Index::setBoundsCheck(on); // Turn on A++ array bounds checking
19
20     AnnulusMapping annulus;
21     annulus.setGridDimensions(axis1,41);           // axis1==0, set no. of grid points
22     annulus.setGridDimensions(axis2,13);           // axis2==1, set no. of grid points
23     MappedGrid mg(annulus);                      // MappedGrid for a square
24     mg.update();                                // create default variables
25
26     Range all;
27     realMappedGridFunction u(mg);                // give names to grid function ...
28     u.setName("Solution");                      // ...and components
29     u.setName("u",0);
30
31     Index I1,I2,I3;
32     // mg.dimension(2,3) : all points on the grid, including ghost-points
33     getIndex(mg.dimension,I1,I2,I3);            // assign I1,I2,I3 from dimension
34     u(I1,I2,I3)=1.;                           // initial conditions
35
36     MappedGridOperators op(mg);                 // operators
37     u.setOperators(op);                        // associate with a grid function
38
39     PlotStuff ps;                            // create a PlotStuff object
40     PlotStuffParameters psp;                  // This object is used to change plotting parameters
41     char buffer[80];
42
43     real t=0, dt=.005, a=1., b=1., nu=.1;
44     for( int step=0; step<100; step++ )
45     {
46         if( step % 10 == 0 )
47         {
48             sprintf(buffer,"Solution at time t=%e",t);
49             psp.set(GI_TOP_LABEL,buffer); // set title
50             ps.contour( u,psp );
51         }
52
53         u+=dt*( (-a)*u.x() +(-b)*u.y() +nu*(u.xx() +u.yy()) );
54         t+=dt;
55         // apply Boundary conditions
56         int component=0;
57         u.applyBoundaryCondition(component,BCTypes::dirichlet,BCTypes::allBoundaries,0.); // set u=0.
58         // fix up corners, periodic update:
59         u.finishBoundaryConditions();
60     }
61
62     return 0;
63 }
```

### 2.3 mappedGridExample3: Mapping's, MappedGrid's, MappedGridFunction's (file /n/c3servet/henshaw/res/primer/mappedGridExample3.C)

```

1  //=====
2  // Overture example 3
3  //   o solve a convection-diffusion equation on an annulus.
4  //   o demonstrate the NameList class for inputing parameters
5  //   o demontrate updateToMatchGrid, applying BC's explicitly
6  //
7  // Bill Henshaw
8 //=====
9 #include "Overture.h"
10 #include "PlotStuff.h"
11 #include "Annulus.h"
12 #include "MappedGridOperators.h"
13 #include "NameList.h"
14
15 int
16 main()
17 {
18     ios::sync_with_stdio();    // Synchronize C++ and C I/O subsystems
19     Index::setBoundsCheck(on); // Turn on A++ array bounds checking
20
21     // Set default values for parameters. These can be optionally changed below
22     int numberoftimesteps=100;
23     real dt=.005;
24     IntegerArray bc(2,3); bc=1;
25     // The NameList object allows one to read in values by name
26     NameList nl;
27     String name(80),answer(80);
28     printf(
29         " Parameters for Example 3: \n"
30         " ----- \n"
31         "   name                      type      default  \n"
32         " \"numberoftimesteps\" (nts=)  (int)      %i      \n"
33         " \"time step (dt=)\"          (real)     %f      \n"
34         " \"boundary conditions (bc(side,axis)=)\"  (IntegerArray)  \n",
35         numberoftimesteps,dt);
36
37     // =====Loop for changing parameters=====
38     for( ;; )
39     {
40         cout << "Enter changes to variables, exit to continue" << endl;
41         cin >> answer;
42         if( answer=="exit" ) break;
43         nl.getVariableName( answer, name ); // parse the answer
44         if( name== "numberoftimesteps" || name== "nts" )
45             numberoftimesteps=nl.intValue(answer);
46         else if( name== "dt" )
47             dt=nl.realValue(answer);
48         else if( name== "bc" )
49             nl.getIntArray( answer,bc );
50         else
51             cout << "unknown response: [" << name << "]" << endl;
52
53     }
54
55     Mapping *mapping;                                // keep a pointer to a mapping
56     mapping = new AnnulusMapping();                  // create an Annulus
57     mapping->setGridDimensions(axis1,41);           // axis1==0, set no. of grid points
58     mapping->setGridDimensions(axis2,13);            // axis2==1, set no. of grid points
59     MappedGrid mg(*mapping);                        // MappedGrid for a square
60     mg.update();                                    // create default variables
61
62     Range all;
63     realMappedGridFunction u;
64     u.updateToMatchGrid(mg,all,all,all,1);           // define after declaration (like resize)
65     u.setName("Solution");                         // give names to grid function ...
66     u.setName("u",0);                             // ...and components
67
68     Index I1,I2,I3, Ib1,Ib2,Ib3;

```

```

69 // mg.dimension(2,3) : all points on the grid, including ghost-points
70 getIndex(mg.dimension,I1,I2,I3);           // assign I1,I2,I3 from dimension
71 u(I1,I2,I3)=1.;                         // initial conditions
72
73 MappedGridOperators op(mg);             // operators
74 u.setOperators(op);                     // associate with a grid function
75
76 PlotStuff ps;                         // create a PlotStuff object
77 PlotStuffParameters psp;               // This object is used to change plotting parameters
78 char buffer[80];
79
80 real t=0, a=1., b=1., nu=.1;
81 for( int step=0; step<numberOfTimeSteps; step++ )
82 {
83     if( step % 10 == 0 )
84     {
85         sprintf(buffer,"Solution at time t=%e",t);
86         psp.set(GL_TOP_LABEL,buffer); // set title
87         ps.contour( u,psp );
88     }
89     u+=dt*( (-a)*u.x() +(-b)*u.y() +nu*(u.xx() +u.yy()) );
90     t+=dt;
91     // apply Boundary conditions
92     for( int axis=0; axis<mg.numberOfDimensions; axis++ )
93         for( int side=Start; side<End; side++ )
94         { // only assign BC's on sides with a positive boundary condition:
95             if( mg.boundaryCondition(side,axis) > 0 )
96             { // fill in boundary values
97                 getBoundaryIndex(mg.gridIndexRange,side,axis,Ib1,Ib2,Ib3);
98                 u(Ib1,Ib2,Ib3)=0.;
99             }
100        }
101    u.periodicUpdate(); // swap periodic edges
102 }
103
104 return 0;
105 }
106

```

## 2.4 mappedGridExample4: Mapping's, MappedGrid's, MappedGridFunction's

(file /n/c3servet/henshaw/res/primer/mappedGridExample4.C)

```
1 //=====
2 // Overture example:
3 //   o test a mapping
4 //   o interactively change a mapping
5 //   o save the mapping to a data-base file
6 //   o read the mapping from a data-base file
7 //
8 // Bill Henshaw
9 //=====
10 #include "Overture.h"
11 #include "PlotStuff.h"
12 #include "ChannelMapping.h"
13 #include "MappingInformation.h"
14 #include "HDF_DataBase.h"
15
16 int
17 main()
18 {
19     ios::sync_with_stdio();      // Synchronize C++ and C I/O subsystems
20     Index::setBoundsCheck(on); // Turn on A++ array bounds checking
21
22     ChannelMapping channel;
23
24     RealArray r(2),x(2),xr(2,2);
25     r=.5;
26     channel.map(r,x,xr);
27     printf(" r=(%f,%f) x=(%f,%f) xr=(%f,%f,%f,%f)\n",r(0),r(1),x(0),x(1),
28           xr(0,0),xr(1,0),xr(0,1),xr(1,1));
29
30     // this function will check the mapping and it's derivatives etc.
31     channel.checkMapping();
32
33
34     // Make interactive changes to the mapping
35     PlotStuff ps;                      // create a PlotStuff object
36     MappingInformation mapInfo;         // parameters used by map.update
37     mapInfo.graphXInterface=&ps;        // pass graphics interface
38     channel.update(mapInfo);
39
40     // Save the mapping in a data-base file
41     HDF_DataBase DataBase;
42     cout << "Mount a new database file...\n";
43     DataBase.mount("map.dat","I");      // Initialize a database file
44
45     channel.put(DataBase,"my-channel");
46     DataBase.unmount();
47
48     // now mount the data-base and read in the mapping
49     cout << "Mount an old data base file and read a mapping from it...\n";
50     DataBase.mount("map.dat","R");    // mount a data base read-only
51     ChannelMapping channel2;
52     channel2.get(DataBase,"my-channel");
53
54
55     r=1.;
56     channel2.map(r,x,xr);
57     printf(" r=(%f,%f) x=(%f,%f) xr=(%f,%f,%f,%f)\n",r(0),r(1),x(0),x(1),
58           xr(0,0),xr(1,0),xr(0,1),xr(1,1));
59
60     return 0;
61 }
62 }
```

## 2.5 mappedGridExample5: Mapping's, MappedGrid's, MappedGridFunction's (file /n/c3servet/henshaw/res/primer/mappedGridExample5.C)

```

1 //=====
2 //
3 // Overture example:
4 //   o Use OGPolyFunction and OGTrigFunctions classes to generate true solutions
5 //   o optionally turn plotting on or off
6 //
7 // Bill Henshaw
8 //=====
9 #include "Overture.h"
10 #include "PlotStuff.h"
11 #include "Square.h"
12 #include "Annulus.h"
13 #include "MappedGridOperators.h"
14 #include "NameList.h"
15 #include "OGFunction.h"
16 #include "OGTrigFunction.h"
17 #include "OGPolyFunction.h"
18
19
20 enum forcingTypes
21 { noForcing=0,
22   poly,
23   trig
24 };
25
26
27 int
28 main()
29 {
30   ios::sync_with_stdio();      // Synchronize C++ and C I/O subsystems
31   Index::setBoundsCheck(on); // Turn on A++ array bounds checking
32
33
34 // Set default values for parameters. These can be optionally changed below
35 int numberofTimeSteps=100;
36 real dt=.005;
37 IntegerArray bc(2,3); bc=1;
38 IntegerArray gridPoints(3); gridPoints=-1;
39 int mapType=0; // 0=square, 1=annulus
40 forcingTypes forcingOption=poly;
41 int plotOption=TRUE;
42
43 // The NameList object allows one to read in values by name
44 NameList nl;
45 String name(80),answer(80);
46 printf(
47   " Parameters for Example 5: \n"
48   " ----- \n"
49   " name                               type    default  \n"
50   "numberofTimeSteps (nts)           (int)    %i    \n"
51   "mapType (mt= 0:square, 1:annulus) (int)    %i    \n"
52   "forcingOption (f= 0:none, 1=poly, 2=trig) (int)    %i    \n"
53   "plotOption (p = 1:on, 0:off)       (int)    %i    \n"
54   "time step (dt)                  (real)   %f    \n"
55   "gridPoints(axis) (gp(axis)=no. of grid points) (IntegerArray) \n"
56   "boundary conditions (bc(side,axis)=) (IntegerArray) \n",
57   numberofTimeSteps,mapType,forcingOption,plotOption,dt);
58
59 // =====Loop for changing parameters=====
60 for( ; ; )
61 {
62   cout << "Enter changes to variables, exit to continue" << endl;
63   cin >> answer;
64   if( answer=="exit" ) break;
65   nl.getVariableName( answer, name ); // parse the answer
66   if( name=="numberofTimeSteps" || name=="nts" )
67     numberofTimeSteps=nl.intValue(answer);
68   else if( name=="dt" )

```

```

69      dt=nl.realValue(answer);
70      else if( name=="mapType" || name=="mt" )
71          mapType=nl.intValue(answer);
72      else if( name=="forcingOption" || name=="f" )
73          forcingOption=(forcingTypes)nl.intValue(answer);
74      else if( name=="plotOption" || name=="p" )
75          plotOption=nl.intValue(answer);
76      else if( name=="bc" )
77          nl.getIntArray( answer,bc );
78      else if( name=="gridPoints" || name=="gp" )
79          nl.getIntArray( answer,gridPoints );
80      else
81          cout << "unknown response: [" << name << "]"
82          << endl;
83  }
84
85 Mapping *mapping;                                // keep a pointer to a mapping
86 if( mapType==0 )
87 {
88     mapping = new SquareMapping();                // create a Square
89     mapping->setGridDimensions(axis1,11);         // axis1==0, set no. of grid points
90     mapping->setGridDimensions(axis2,11);         // axis2==1, set no. of grid points
91 }
92 else
93 {
94     mapping = new AnnulusMapping();               // create an Annulus
95     mapping->setGridDimensions(axis1,41);         // axis1==0, set no. of grid points
96     mapping->setGridDimensions(axis2,13);         // axis2==1, set no. of grid points
97 }
98 for( int axis=0; axis<mapping->getDomainDimension(); axis++ )
99 {
100    if( gridPoints(axis)>0 )
101        mapping->setGridDimensions(axis,gridPoints(axis));
102 }
103 MappedGrid mg(*mapping);                         // MappedGrid for a square
104 mg.update();                                     // create default variables
105
106 Range all;
107 realMappedGridFunction u(mg);
108 u.setName("Solution");                          // give names to grid function ...
109 u.setName("u",0);                               // ...and components
110
111 OGFunction *exact;
112 if( forcingOption==poly )
113 {
114     int degreeOfSpacePolynomial = 2;
115     int degreeOfTimePolynomial = 1;
116     int nComp = 1;
117     exact = new OGPolyFunction(degreeOfSpacePolynomial,mg.numberOfDimensions,nComp,
118                                 degreeOfTimePolynomial);
119 }
120 else if( forcingOption==trig )
121 {
122     real fx=1., fy = 1., fz = 1., ft=1.;           // note that fz is not used in 2D
123     // defines cos(pi*x)*cos(pi*y)*cos(pi*z)*cos(pi*t)
124     exact = new OGTrigFunction(fx, fy, fz, ft);
125 }
126 else if( forcingOption!=0 )
127 {
128     cout << "Unknown forcing option = " << forcingOption << endl;
129     forcingOption=noForcing;
130 }
131
132 Index I1,I2,I3, Ib1,Ib2,Ib3;
133 // mg.dimension(2,3) : all points on the grid, including ghost-points
134 getIndex(mg.dimension,I1,I2,I3);                // assign I1,I2,I3 from dimension
135 RealArray & x= mg.vertex;
136 if( forcingOption > 0 )
137     u(I1,I2,I3)=exact->u(mg,I1,I2,I3,0,0.);
138 else
139     u=1.;
```

```

141 MappedGridOperators op(mg); // operators
142 u.setOperators(op); // associate with a grid function
143
144 PlotStuff ps(plotOption); // create a PlotStuff object
145 PlotStuffParameters psp; // This object is used to change plotting parameters
146 char buffer[80];
147
148 // Index's for boundary and interior points:
149 getIndex(mg.gridIndexRange,I1,I2,I3);
150 real t=0, a=1., b=1., nu=.1;
151 for( int step=0; step<numberOfTimeSteps; step++ )
152 {
153     if( plotOption && step % 20 == 0 )
154     {
155         sprintf(buffer,"Solution at time t=%e",t);
156         psp.set(GI_TOP_LABEL,buffer); // set title
157         ps.contour( u,psp );
158     }
159
160     u+=dt*( (-a)*u.x() +(-b)*u.y() +nu*(u.xx() +u.yy()) );
161     if( forcingOption > 0 )
162     {
163         u(I1,I2,I3)+=dt*(exact->ut(mg,I1,I2,I3,0,t)
164                         + a*exact->ux(mg,I1,I2,I3,0,t) + b*exact->uy(mg,I1,I2,I3,0,t)
165                         - nu*( exact->uxx(mg,I1,I2,I3,0,t) + exact->uyy(mg,I1,I2,I3,0,t) ) );
166     }
167     t+=dt;
168     // apply Boundary conditions
169     for( int axis=0; axis<mg.numberOfDimensions; axis++ )
170     {
171         for( int side=Start; side<End; side++ )
172             { // only assign BC's on sides with a positive boundary condition:
173                 if( mg.boundaryCondition(side,axis) > 0 )
174                     { // fill in boundary values
175                         if( forcingOption > 0 )
176                             {
177                                 getBoundaryIndex(mg.gridIndexRange,side,axis,Ib1,Ib2,Ib3);
178                                 u(Ib1,Ib2,Ib3)=exact->u(mg,Ib1,Ib2,Ib3,0,t);
179                             }
180                         else
181                             {
182                                 u(Ib1,Ib2,Ib3)=0.;
183                             }
184                     }
185         u.periodicUpdate(); // swap periodic edges
186         real error = max(abs( u(I1,I2,I3)-exact->u(mg,I1,I2,I3,0,t)));
187         cout << "t=" << t << ", error =" << error << endl;
188     }
189 }
190
191 return 0;
192 }
193

```

### 3 Getting Started with CompositeGrid's

A CompositeGrid is a class that holds an overlapping grid. An overlapping grid can be created with the interactive grid generation program ogen, and saved in a data-base (HDF) file. Application programs such as the examples that follow can easily read the data-base file to create an overlapping grid.

#### 3.1 Example 1: CompositeGrid's and MappedGrid's

Here is an example of how to create a CompositeGrid from a data base file created by the interactive grid generation program ogen.

(file /n/c3servet/henshaw/res/primer/example1.C)

```
1 #include "Overture.h"
2
3 int
4 main()
5 {
6     String nameOfOGFile;
7     cout << "Enter the name of the overlapping grid data base file " << endl;
8     cin >> nameOfOGFile;
9
10    // create and read in a CompositeGrid
11    CompositeGrid cg;
12    getFrom DataBase(cg,nameOfOGFile);
13    cg.update();
14
15    for( int grid=0; grid<cg.numberofComponentGrids; grid++ ) // loop over component grids
16    {
17        cg[grid].boundaryCondition.display("Here are the boundary conditions");
18        cg[grid].vertex.display("Here are the vertex coordinates");
19
20        // A Composite grid is a list of MappedGrid's. To save typing we can
21        // make a reference (alias):
22        MappedGrid & mg = cg[grid]; // make a reference to the MappedGrid
23        mg.boundaryCondition.display("Here is boundaryCondition again"); // same result as above
24    }
25
26    return 0;
27 }
28 }
```

We first read in a CompositeGrid from the data base file that was created with ogen. We then loop over the component grids and print out some variables. A component grid is actually a "MappedGrid", as shown in the example. A MappedGrid is so named since it contains a mapping function. See sections 4 and 5 for a brief description of the variables that are contained in a MappedGrid and a CompositeGrid.

When I run this example the program will prompt for the name of the overlapping grid data base file, and I will enter the name of the file that I created with ogen, for example /n/c3servet/henshaw/res/cgsh/square5.hdf.

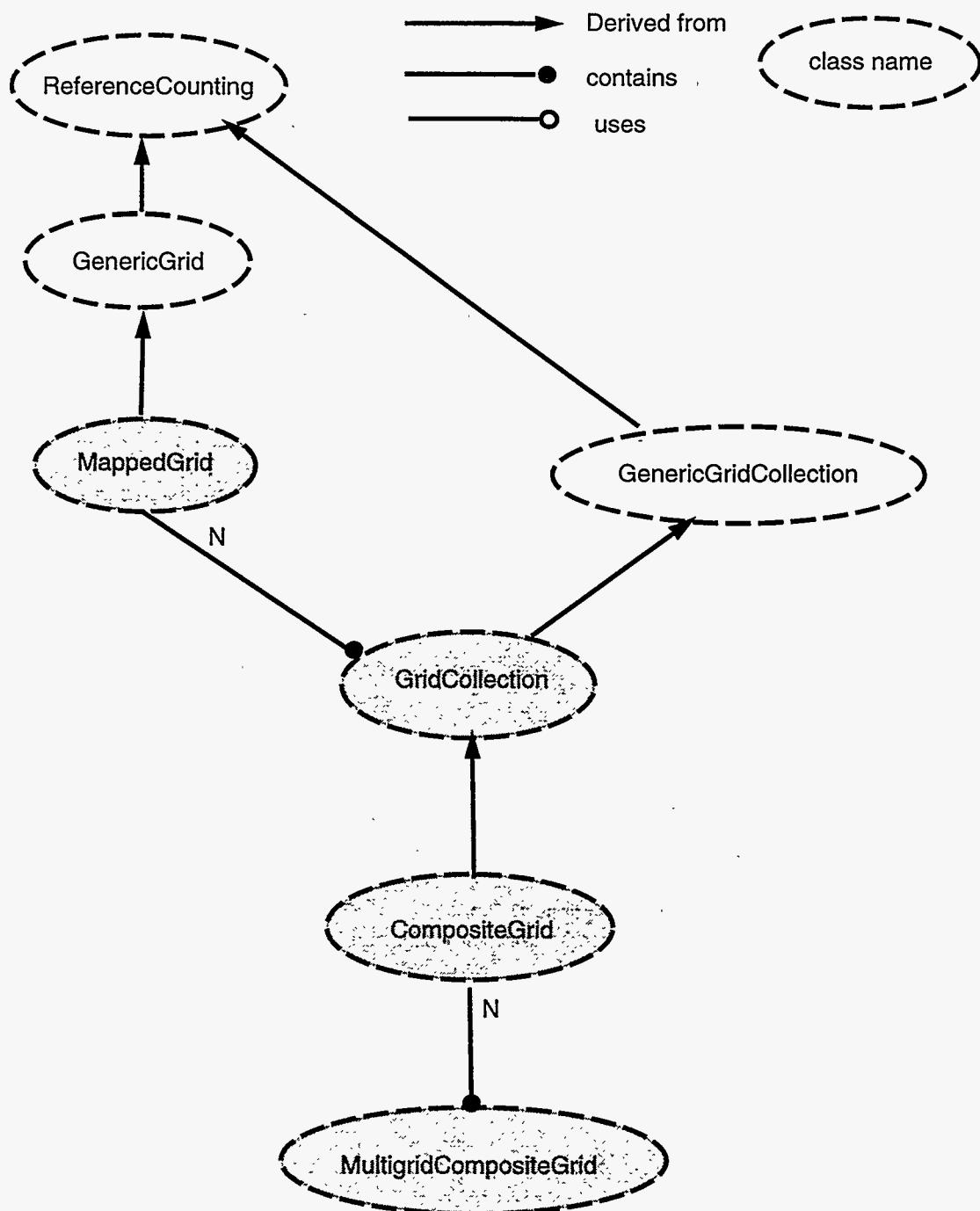


Figure 2: Class diagram for grid classes

→ Derived from  
—●— contains

class name  
attributes  
operations()

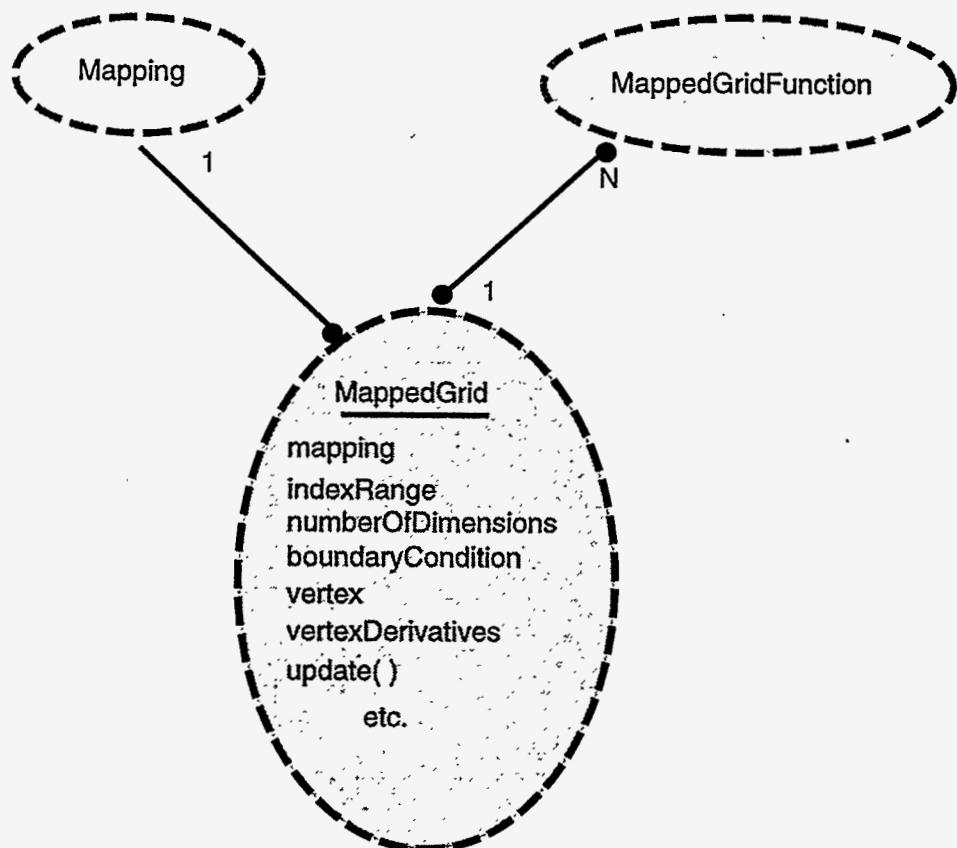


Figure 3: Class diagram for a **MappedGrid**

### 3.2 Example 2: grid functions

In the next example we introduce the notion of a grid function. A “realCompositeGridFunction” is a discrete function that lives on the grid points (or cell centres or faces) of a CompositeGrid [?]. A realCompositeGridFunction contains a list of “realMappedGridFunctions”, one realMappedGridFunction for each component grid.

(file /n/c3servet/henshaw/res/primer/example2.C)

```
1 #include "Overture.h"
2
3 int main()
4 {
5     const int Start=0, End=1, axis1=0, axis2=1, axis3=2;
6
7     String nameOfOGFile;
8     cout << "Enter the name of the overlapping grid data base file " << endl;
9     cin >> nameOfOGFile;
10
11    // create and read in a CompositeGrid
12    CompositeGrid cg;
13    getFromDataBase(cg,nameOfOGFile);
14    cg.update();
15
16    realCompositeGridFunction u(cg);           // create a composite grid function
17    u=0.;                                     // initialize to zero
18    Index I1,I2,I3;                          // A++ Index object
19
20    for( int grid=0; grid<cg.numberOfComponentGrids; grid++ ) // loop over component grids
21    {
22        getIndex(cg[grid].indexRange,I1,I2,I3);      // assign I1,I2,I3 from indexRange
23        u[grid](I1,I2,I3)=sin(cg[grid].vertex(I1,I2,I3,axis1)) // assign all interior points on this
24            *cos(cg[grid].vertex(I1,I2,I3,axis2)); // component grid
25    }
26    u.display("here is u=sin(x)*cos(y)");
27
28    return 0;
29 }
```

A “realCompositeGridFunction will either be a grid function of “floats” or a grid function of “doubles” depending on a compiler flag. In the above example we use the function getIndex to define the Index objects I1,I2,I3 corresponding to the indexRange – i.e. the interior points of the grid. The interior points on each component grid of the grid function u are given values equal to  $\sin(x)\cos(y)$ . The object u[grid] is a “realMappedGridFunction”. This object is derived from an A++ array and thus inherits all the functionality of an A++ array.

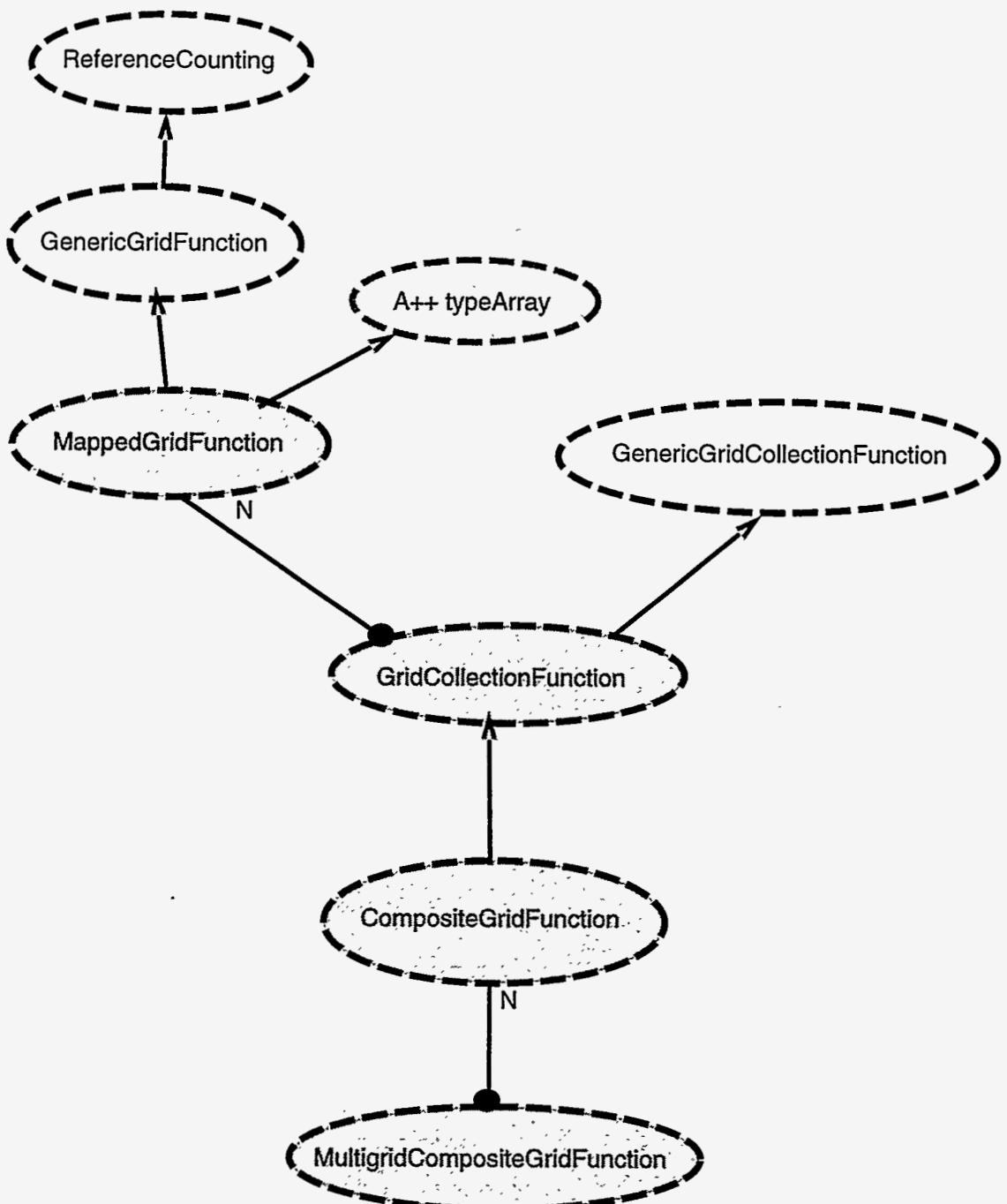


Figure 4: Class diagram for grid function classes

→ Derived from  
—●— contains  
—○— uses

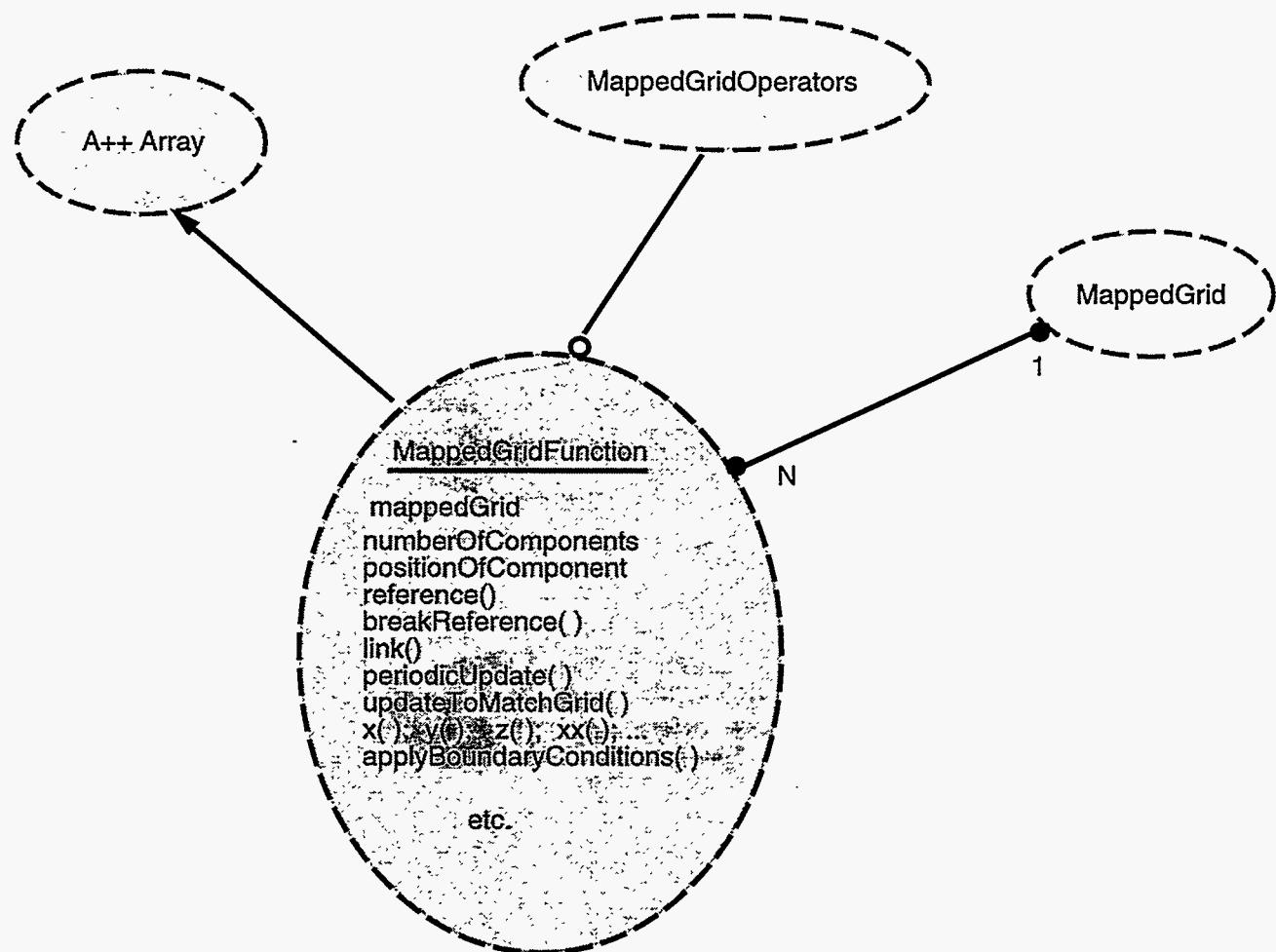


Figure 5: Class diagram for a `MappedGridFunction`

### 3.3 Example 3: interpolation

In the next example we show how to interpolate a grid function, i.e. how to obtain the values at the interpolation points given the values at all other points. In order to interpolate you must first create an “Interpolant” object. This object knows how to interpolate grid functions on a given CompositeGrid.

(file /n/c3servet/henshaw/res/primer/example3.C)

```
1 #include "Overture.h"
2
3 int main()
4 {
5     const int Start=0, End=1, axis1=0, axis2=1, axis3=2;
6
7     String nameOfOGFile;
8     cout << "Enter the name of the overlapping grid data base file " << endl;
9     cin >> nameOfOGFile;
10
11    // create and read in a CompositeGrid
12    CompositeGrid cg;
13    getFrom DataBase(cg, nameOfOGFile);
14    cg.update();
15
16    realCompositeGridFunction u(cg);           // create a composite grid function
17    u=0.;                                     // initialize to zero
18    Index I1,I2,I3;                          // A++ Index object
19
20    for( int grid=0; grid<cg.numberofComponentGrids; grid++ ) // loop over component grids
21    {
22        getIndex(cg[grid].indexRange, I1,I2,I3);           // assign I1,I2,I3
23        where( cg[grid].mask(I1,I2,I3) > 0 )             // only assign points with mask>0
24        u[grid](I1,I2,I3)=sin(cg[grid].vertex(I1,I2,I3, axis1)) // do not assign interpolation points
25            *cos(cg[grid].vertex(I1,I2,I3, axis2));
26    }
27    u.display("here is u=sin(x)*cos(y) before interpolation");
28
29    Interpolant interpolant(cg);      // Make an interpolant
30    interpolant.interpolate(u);       // interpolate
31    u.display("here is u after interpolation");
32
33    u.interpolate();                // another way to interpolate, same result as above
34    u.display("here is u after interpolate, version 2");
35
36    return 0;
37
38 }
```

In this example we use the mask array to selectively assign the grid points. The mask array is positive for discretization points, negative for interpolation points and zero for unused points. (Note how the mask array is accessed – it is an “intCompositeGridFunction” in the CompositeGrid; it does not exist in a MappedGrid.) After interpolation the values at points with mask<0 will have been assigned. As shown in the example there are two ways to interpolate. The second way, u.interpolate() may seem a bit mysterious since why should the grid function know about the Interpolant? The answer is that when the Interpolant is made it tells the CompositeGrid that it exists. The grid function checks with the CompositeGrid that it is associated with to see if an Interpolant has been made and if so it uses it.

### 3.4 Example 4: show files

Grid functions can be saved in a “show file” and later displayed with plotStuff (in the Overture/bin directory). In this example we show how to make a show file. More work has to be done on show files so some of the syntax may change in the future.

(file /n/c3servet/henshaw/res/primer/example4.C)

```

1 //=====
2 // Test the Overlapping Grid Show file class Ogshow
3 //=====
4 #include "Overture.h"
5 #include "Ogshow.h"
6
7 int main()
8 {
9     ios::sync_with_stdio();      // Synchronize C++ and C I/O subsystems
10    Index::setBoundsCheck(on); // Turn on A++ array bounds checking
11
12    String nameOfOGFile, nameOfShowFile;
13    cout << "example4>> Enter the name of the (old) overlapping grid file:" << endl;
14    cin >> nameOfOGFile;
15    cout << "example4>> Enter the name of the (new) show file (blank for none):" << endl;
16    cin >> nameOfShowFile;
17
18    // create and read in a CompositeGrid
19    CompositeGrid cg;
20    getFromADataBase(cg,nameOfOGFile);
21    cg.update();
22
23    Ogshow show( nameOfShowFile ); // create a show file
24
25    show.saveGeneralComment("Solution to the Navier-Stokes"); // save a general comment in the show file
26    show.saveGeneralComment(" file written on April 1"); // save another general comment
27
28    Range all;                                // a null Range is used to dimension the grid function
29    const int numberComponents=3;
30    realCompositeGridFunction q(cg,all,all,all,numberComponents); // create a grid function with 3 components
31    q=0.;
32
33    realCompositeGridFunction u,v,machNumber; // create grid functions for components
34    u.link(q,Range(0,0));                  // link u to the first component of q
35    v.link(q,Range(1,1));                  // link v to the second component of q
36    machNumber.link(q,Range(2,2));         // ...
37    q.setName("q");                      // assign name to grid function and components
38    q.setName("u",0);                    // name of first component
39    q.setName("v",1);                    // name of second component
40    q.setName("Mach Number",2);          // name of third component
41
42    char buffer[80];                     // buffer for sPrintf
43    Index I1,I2,I3;
44    int numberTimeSteps=5;
45    for( int i=1; i<=numberTimeSteps; i++ ) // Now save the grid functions at different time steps
46    {
47        show.startFrame();                // start a new frame
48        real t=i*.1;
49        show.saveComment(0,sprintf(buffer,"Here is solution %i",i)); // comment 0 (shown on plot)
50        show.saveComment(1,sprintf(buffer," t=%e ",t)); // comment 1 (shown on plot)
51        for( int grid=0; grid<cg.numberComponentGrids; grid++ ) // loop over component grids
52        {
53            getIndex(cg[grid].indexRange,I1,I2,I3);
54            u[grid](I1,I2,I3)=sin(twoPi*(cg[grid].vertex(I1,I2,I3,axis1)-t)) // assign u on each grid
55            *cos(twoPi*(cg[grid].vertex(I1,I2,I3, axis2)+t));
56        }
57        v=u*2.;
58        machNumber=u*u+v*v;
59        show.saveSolution( q );           // save the current grid function
60    }
61
62    return 0;
63
64 }
```

This example demonstrates a few other features of grid functions such as declaring a grid function with more than one component and linking one grid function to another.

Use the c-shell script /n/c3servet/henshaw/res/primer/show.s to run plotStuff to display the results from this example.

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### 3.5 Example 5: Differentiating grid functions

The MappedGridOperators and CompositeGridOperators classes can be used to compute spatial derivatives of grid functions and to apply boundary conditions. In this example we show how to differentiate grid functions to second or fourth-order accuracy.

(file /n/c3servet/henshaw/res/primer/example5.C)

```

1 //=====
2 // Differentiating Grid Functions
3 //=====
4 #include "Overture.h"
5 #include "CompositeGridOperators.h"
6
7 int main()
8 {
9     ios::sync_with_stdio();      // Synchronize C++ and C I/O subsystems
10    Index::setBoundsCheck(on); // Turn on A++ array bounds checking
11
12    String nameOfOGFile;
13    cout << "example5>> Enter the name of the (old) overlapping grid file:" << endl;
14    cin >> nameOfOGFile;
15
16    // create and read in a CompositeGrid
17    CompositeGrid cg;
18    getFromADatabase(cg, nameOfOGFile);
19    cg.update();
20
21    CompositeGridOperators operators(cg);           // operators for a CompositeGridFunction
22
23    realCompositeGridFunction u(cg), ux(cg);        // create two composite grid functions
24
25    u.setOperators(operators);                      // tell grid function which operators to use
26
27    u=1.;                                         // compute the x derivative of u
28    ux=u.x();                                     // display("Here is the x derivative of u=1 (computed at interior and boundary points)");
29
30    real error;
31    Index I1,I2,I3;
32    for( int grid=0; grid<cg.numberOfComponentGrids; grid++ )           // loop over component grids
33    {
34
35        MappedGrid & mg = cg[grid];
36        getIndex(mg.dimension,I1,I2,I3);                                // assign I1,I2,I3 for dimension
37        u[grid](I1,I2,I3)=sin(mg.vertex(I1,I2,I3, axis1))*cos(mg.vertex(I1,I2,I3, axis2));
38        getIndex(mg.indexRange,I1,I2,I3);                                // assign I1,I2,I3 for indexRange
39
40        ux[grid](I1,I2,I3)=u[grid].x()(I1,I2,I3);                     // here is the x derivative of u[grid]
41
42        error = max(fabs( ux[grid](I1,I2,I3)- cos(mg.vertex(I1,I2,I3, axis1))*cos(mg.vertex(I1,I2,I3, axis2) ) ));
43        cout << "Maximum error (2nd order) = " << error << endl;
44
45        error = max(fabs( operators[grid].x(u[grid])(I1,I2,I3)           // another way to compute derivatives
46                         - cos(mg.vertex(I1,I2,I3, axis1))*cos(mg.vertex(I1,I2,I3, axis2) ) ));
47        cout << "Maximum error (2nd order) = " << error << endl;
48
49        operators.setOrderOfAccuracy(4);          // set order of accuracy to 4
50        getIndex(mg.indexRange,I1,I2,I3,-1);    // decrease ranges by 1 for 4th order
51        error = max(fabs(u[grid].x()(I1,I2,I3)-cos(mg.vertex(I1,I2,I3, axis1))*cos(mg.vertex(I1,I2,I3, axis2)))); // compute the 4th order derivative
52        cout << "Maximum error (4th order) = " << error << endl;
53    }
54    return 0;
55 }
56

```

In this example we create a CompositeGridOperators object and associate it with a CompositeGrid. We compute the x-derivative of a realCompositeGridFunction and of realMappedGridFunction's. The member function "x" in the grid function returns the x derivative of the grid function as a new grid function. It uses the derivative defined in the CompositeGridOperators object which in turn uses a MappedGridOperators object to compute the derivatives of a MappedGridFunction. The default MappedGridOperators object used by a CompositeGridOperators can be changed. Note that by default the derivative of a realCompositeGridFunction is only computed at interior and

boundary points (indexRange). Thus to access (make a view) of the derivative values of the grid function `u.x()` at the Index's ( $I_1, I_2, I_3$ ) it is necessary to say `u.x()(I1, I2, I3)`. On the other hand the statement `u.x(I1, I2, I3)` will evaluate the derivatives on the points defined by ( $I_1, I_2, I_3$ ), but will return a grid function that is dimensioned for the entire grid. Thus in general one could say `u.x(I1, I2, I3)(J1, J2, J3)` to evaluate the derivatives at points ( $I_1, I_2, I_3$ ) but to use (take a view) of the grid function at the Index's ( $J_1, J_2, J_3$ ).

The `MappedGridOperators` and `CompositeGridOperators` classes are described in more detail in the grid function documentation.

### 3.6 Example 6: Solving a simple PDE using Differential and Boundary operators

In this example we solve the convection-diffusion equation

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + a \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + b \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \nu \left( \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} \right)$$

with a simple time stepping method (forward Euler) The solutions at different time steps are saved in a show file.  
(file /n/c3servet/henshaw/res/primer/example6.C)

```

1 //=====
2 // Test the Differentiable Grid Functions
3 //   o Solve: u.t + a*u.x + b*u.y = viscosity*( u.xx + u.yy )
4 //   o Save the solutions in a show file
5 //=====
6 #include "Overture.h"
7 #include "Ogshow.h"
8 #include "CompositeGridOperators.h"
9
10 int main()
11 {
12     ios::sync_with_stdio();      // Synchronize C++ and C I/O subsystems
13     Index::setBoundsCheck(on); // Turn on A++ array bounds checking
14
15     String nameOfOGFile, nameOfShowFile;
16     cout << "example6>> Enter the name of the (old) overlapping grid file:" << endl;
17     cin >> nameOfOGFile;
18     cout << "example6>> Enter the name of the (new) show file (blank for none):" << endl;
19     cin >> nameOfShowFile;
20
21     // create and read in a CompositeGrid
22     CompositeGrid cg;
23     getFromDataBase(cg, nameOfOGFile);
24     cg.update();
25
26     Interpolant interpolant(cg);                                // Make an interpolant
27
28     Ogshow show( nameOfShowFile );                                // create a show file
29     show.saveGeneralComment("Convection Diffusion Equation"); // save a general comment in the show file
30
31     CompositeGridOperators operators(cg);                         // operators for a CompositeGrid
32
33     Range all;
34     realCompositeGridFunction u(cg,all,all,all,1);             // create a grid function
35     u.setOperators(operators);                                   
36     u.setName("u");                                            // name the grid function
37     // u.setName("u",0);                                         // name the component
38
39     u=1.;                                                       // initial condition
40     real t=0, dt=.01;                                         // initialize time and time step
41     real a=1., b=1., viscosity=.1;                            // initialize parameters
42
43     char buffer[80];                                           // buffer for sprintf
44     int numberOfTimeSteps=5;                                    // take some time steps
45     for( int i=1; i<=numberOfTimeSteps; i++ )                // take some time steps
46     {
47         show.startFrame();                                     // start a new frame
48         show.saveComment(0,sprintf(buffer,"Here is solution %i",i)); // comment 0 (shown on plot)
49         show.saveComment(1,sprintf(buffer," t=%e ",t));        // comment 1 (shown on plot)
50         show.saveSolution( u );                               // save the current grid function
51
52         u+=dt*( -a*u.x() - b*u.y() + viscosity*(u.xx() + u.yy()) ); // take a time step with Euler's method
53         t+=dt;
54         u.interpolate();                                    // interpolate
55         // apply a dirichlet BC on all boundaries:
56         u.applyBoundaryCondition(0,BCTypes::dirichlet,BCTypes::allBoundaries,0.);
57         u.finishBoundaryConditions();
58     }
59
60     return 0;
61 }
62 }
```

Use the c-shell script `/n/c3servet/henshaw/res/primer/show.s` to run `plotStuff` to display the results from this example.

Note that a fixed time step is used in this example and that the time step may not be small enough to keep the method stable.

Currently, computing derivatives in this way will not be so efficient. An efficient way to compute derivatives is described in the grid function documentation.

In this example we chose the boundary conditions to be dirichlet on all sides of all grids. By default the values at dirichet boundaries are set to zero. Boundary conditions can be defined in a much more general manner as described in the grid function documentation.

### 3.7 Example 7: Solving Poisson's equation with Oges

In this example we solve Poisson's equation in 2 or 3D,

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial z^2} = f \quad \text{for } x \in \Omega$$

with Dirichlet boundary conditions

$$u = 0 \quad \text{for } x \in \partial\Omega$$

(file /n/c3servet/henshaw/res/primer/example7.C)

```

1 //=====
2 // Primer: Example 7 : Using Oges to solve Poisson's equation
3 //=====
4 #include "Overture.h"
5 #include "CompositeGridOperators.h"
6 #include "Oges.h"
7
8 main()
9 {
10    ios::sync_with_stdio();      // Synchronize C++ and C I/O subsystems
11    Index::setBoundsCheck(on); // Turn on A++ array bounds checking
12    String nameOfOGFile;
13    cout << "example7>> Enter the name of the (old) overlapping grid file:" << endl;
14    cin >> nameOfOGFile;
15
16    // create and read in a CompositeGrid
17    CompositeGrid cg;
18    getFromADataBase(cg,nameOfOGFile);
19    cg.update();
20    cout << "example7: number of dimensions =" << cg.numberOfDimensions
21    << ", or =" << cg[0].numberOfDimensions << endl;
22
23    // make a grid function to hold the coefficients
24    Range all;
25    int stencilSize=pow(3,cg.numberOfDimensions)+1; // add 1 for interpolation equations
26    realCompositeGridFunction coeff(cg,stencilSize,all,all,all);
27    coeff.setIsACoefficientMatrix(TRUE,stencilSize);
28
29    // create grid functions:
30    realCompositeGridFunction u(cg),f(cg);
31
32    CompositeGridOperators op(cg);                      // create some differential operators
33    op.setStencilSize(stencilSize);
34    coeff.setOperators(op);
35
36    coeff=op.laplacianCoefficients(); // get the coefficients for the Laplace operator
37    // make some shorter names for readability
38    BCTypes::BCNames dirichlet        = BCTypes::dirichlet,
39                  extrapolate       = BCTypes::extrapolate,
40                  allBoundaries     = BCTypes::allBoundaries;
41
42    // fill in the coefficients for the boundary conditions
43    coeff.applyBoundaryConditionCoefficients(0,0,dirichlet, allBoundaries);
44    coeff.applyBoundaryConditionCoefficients(0,0,extrapolate,allBoundaries); // extrap ghost line
45    coeff.finishBoundaryConditions();
46
47    Oges solver( cg );           // create a solver
48    solver.setCoefficientArray( coeff ); // supply coefficients
49
50    // assign the rhs: Laplacian(u)=1, u=0 on the boundary
51    Index I1,I2,I3;
52    Index Ib1,Ib2,Ib3;
53    for( int grid=0; grid<cg.numberOfComponentGrids; grid++ )
54    {
55        MappedGrid & mg = cg[grid];
56        getIndex(mg.indexRange,I1,I2,I3);
57
58        f[grid](I1,I2,I3)=1.0;
59        for( int side=Start; side<=End; side++ )
60            for( int axis=axis1; axis<cg.numberOfDimensions; axis++ )

```

```

61      {
62        if( mg.boundaryCondition(side,axis) > 0 )
63        {
64          getBoundaryIndex(mg.gridIndexRange,side,axis,Ib1,Ib2,Ib3);
65          f[grid](Ib1,Ib2,Ib3)=0.;
66        }
67      }
68    }
69
70    solver.solve( u,f ); // solve the equations
71
72    u.display("Here is the solution to Laplacian(u)=1, u=0 on the boundary");
73
74    return(0);
75
76  }

```

We use the `Oges` (Overlapping grid equation solver) class to use a sparse matrix solver to solve the problem. We use the differential operators in the `CompositeGridOperators` class to define coefficients of the Laplacian operator and the coefficients for the boundary condition. By default the `Oges` solver will use the Yale sparse matrix solver. The first time the problem is solved the matrix will be factored. Subsequent calls to solve with different right-hand-sides will only involve a back-substitution. See the `Oges` documentation for further details on the many available options.

If instead of the Laplacian operator we wanted to define some other operator, say,

$$2\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} + 3\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}$$

then we could have used the statement

```
coeff=2.*u.xxCoefficients()+u.yyCoefficients()+3.*u.xCoefficients();
```

### 3.8 Example 8: Interactive plotting with PlotStuff

In this example we show how to plot "stuff" interactively from a program using the PlotStuff class. These plotting routines are based on OpenGL and can run on many platforms. Currently on Sun's I use Brian Paul's Mesa library which is a public domain implementation of OpenGL that runs under X-windows. More information about plotting can be found in the document /n/c3servet/henshaw/res/ogshow/PlotStuff.tex.

Here is an example code that uses the PlotStuff class to plot various objects from the Overture class (file /n/c3servet/henshaw/res/primer/example8.C)

```

1 //=====
2 // Primer: Example 8: Interactive plotting with PlotStuff
3 //=====
4 #include "Overture.h"
5 #include "PlotStuff.h"
6
7 int
8 main()
9 {
10    ios::sync_with_stdio();      // Synchronize C++ and C I/O subsystems
11    Index::setBoundsCheck(on); // Turn on A++ array bounds checking
12    String nameOfOGFile;
13    cout << "example>> Enter the name of the (old) overlapping grid file:" << endl;
14    cin >> nameOfOGFile;
15
16    // create and read in a CompositeGrid
17    CompositeGrid cg;
18    getFrom DataBase(cg,nameOfOGFile);
19    cg.update();
20
21    Range all;
22    realCompositeGridFunction u(cg,all,all,all,2);           // create a grid function with 2 components
23    u.setName("Velocity Stuff");                          // give names to grid function ...
24    u.setName("u Stuff",0);                                // ...and components
25    u.setName("v Stuff",1);
26    Index I1,I2,I3;
27    for( int grid=0; grid<cg.numberofComponentGrids; grid++ ) // loop over component grids
28    {
29        getIndex(cg[grid].dimension,I1,I2,I3);           // assign I1,I2,I3 from dimension
30        u[grid](I1,I2,I3,0)=sin(Pi*cg[grid].center(I1,I2,I3,0));
31                    *cos(Pi*cg[grid].center(I1,I2,I3,1));
32        u[grid](I1,I2,I3,1)=cos(Pi*cg[grid].center(I1,I2,I3,0));
33                    *sin(Pi*cg[grid].center(I1,I2,I3,1));
34    }
35
36    PlotStuff ps;                                         // create a PlotStuff object
37    PlotStuffParameters psp;                            // This object is used to change plotting parameters
38
39    String answer;
40    String menu[] = { "contour",                         // Make some menu items
41                      "stream lines",
42                      "grid",
43                      "read command file",
44                      "save command file",
45                      "erase",
46                      "exit",
47                      "" };                                // empty string denotes the end of the menu
48    for(;;)
49    {
50        ps.getMenuItem(menu,answer);                  // put up a menu and wait for a response
51        if( answer=="contour" )
52        {
53            psp.set(GI_TOP_LABEL,"My Contour Plot"); // set title
54            ps.contour(u,psp);                     // contour/surface plots
55        }
56        else if( answer=="grid" )
57        {
58            ps.plot(cg);                           // plot the composite grid
59        }
60        else if( answer=="stream lines" )
61        {
62            ps.streamLines(u);                   // streamlines

```

```
63      }
64      else if( answer=="read command file" )
65      {
66          ps.readCommandFile();
67      }
68      else if( answer=="save command file" )
69      {
70          ps.saveCommandFile();
71      }
72      else if( answer=="erase" )
73      {
74          ps.erase();
75      }
76      else if( answer=="exit" )
77      {
78          break;
79      }
80  }
81
82  return 0;
83 }
84
```

When the example is run a window will pop up. To see the menus, put the cursor over the window and press the right mouse button. Choosing **contour**, for example, will cause the **contour** function to be called. Now choose **plot** to display the contour/surface plot. Other menu items allow one to change features of the plot. Buttons on the window allow one to shift rotate and zoom the plot. The left mouse button can be used to zoom using a rubber-band box.

### 3.9 Example: Moving overlapping grids

This example shows how to move a component grid and recompute the overlapping grid. The second component grid will be rotated.

You might try running this example with the grid sis.hdf which is an overlapping grid for a square inside a square. When the example runs a window will pop up and a grid will be shown. Choose the menu item **erase** and **exit** (right mouse button) to continue.

(file /n/c3servet/henshaw/res/primer/move1.C)

```
1 #include "Cgsh.h"
2 #include "PlotStuff.h"
3 #include "MatrixTransform.h"
4
5 //
6 // Moving Grid Example: read in a grid from a data-base file, rotate a component grid
7 // and recompute the overlapping grid
8 //
9 int
10 main()
11 {
12     Mapping::debug=7;
13     ios::sync_with_stdio();      // Synchronize C++ and C I/O subsystems
14     Index::setBoundsCheck(on); // Turn on A++ array bounds checking
15
16     String nameOfOGFile;
17     cout << "Enter the name of the (old) overlapping grid file:" << endl;
18     cin >> nameOfOGFile;
19
20     // Create two CompositeGrid objects, cg[0] and cg[1]
21     CompositeGrid cg[2];
22     getFrom DataBase(cg[0],nameOfOGFile);           // read cg[0] from a data-base file
23     cg[0].update();
24     cg[1]=cg[0];                                // copy cg[0] into cg[1]
25
26     // Rotate component grid 1 (do this by changing the mapping)
27     int gridToMove=1;
28     Mapping & mappingToMove = *(cg[0][gridToMove].mapping.mapPointer);
29
30     // Use this MatrixTransform to change the existing Mapping, the MatrixTransform
31     // can rotate/scale and shift any Mapping, keep a transform for each composite grid
32     MatrixTransform transform0(mappingToMove);
33     MatrixTransform transform1(mappingToMove);
34
35     // Replace the mapping of the component grid that we want to move:
36     cg[0][gridToMove].reference(transform0);
37     cg[1][gridToMove].reference(transform1);
38
39     // now we destroy all the data on the new grid -- it will be shared with the old grid
40     // this is not necessary to do but it will save space
41     cg[1].destroy(CompositeGrid::EVERYTHING);
42
43     // we tell the grid generator which grids have changed
44     LogicalArray hasMoved(2);
45     hasMoved = LogicalFalse;
46     hasMoved(gridToMove) = LogicalTrue; // Only this grid will move.
47     char buff[80];
48
49     PlotStuff ps;                           // for plotting
50     // Here is the overlapping grid generator
51     Cgsh gridGenerator(ps);
52
53     int numberofSteps=5;
54     real deltaAngle=5.*Pi/180.;
55     // ---- Move the grid a bunch of times.-----
56     for (int i=1; i<=numberofSteps; i++)
57     {
58         int newCG = i % 2;      // new grid
59         int oldCG = (i+1) % 2; // old grid
60
61         ps.plot(cg[oldCG]);   // plot the current overlapping grid
62 }
```

```
63 // Rotate the grid by rotating the mapping
64 // After the first step we must double the angle since we start from the old grid
65 real angle = i==1 ? deltaAngle : deltaAngle*2.;
66 if( newCG==0 )
67     transform0.rotate(axis3,angle);
68 else
69     transform1.rotate(axis3,angle);
70
71 // Update the overlapping newCG, starting with and sharing data with oldCG.
72 gridGenerator.updateOverlap(cg[newCG], cg[oldCG], hasMoved);
73
74 }
75 return 0;
76 }
77
```

### 3.10 Makefile

Here is the Makefile I used for the examples in this primer.  
(file /n/c3servet/henshaw/res/primer/Makefile)

```
1  #
2  # This Makefile file assumes that the following environmental variables are set from my .cshrc
3  #
4  # APlusPlus - gives the location of the version of A++ I use
5  # OpenGL - gives the location of the Mesa OpenGL libraries
6  # HDF - gives the location of the HDF database libraries
7  # Overture - give the location of Overture
8  # MOTIF - gives the location for Motif
9  # XLIBS - gives the location for X
10 # GL_LIBS - a list of OpenGL libraries
11 #     example: setenv GL_LIBS "-lGLw -lGL -lGLU"
12 #             setenv GL_LIBS "-lMesaaux -lMesatk -lMesaGLU -lMesaGL"
13 # FORTRAN_LIBS - a list of fortran libraries
14 #     example: setenv FORTRAN_LIBS -lf77 -lM77 -lV77 -lnsl
15 #
16
17 # Overture=      /n/c19s3/Overture/Overture.v2.g
18 # Overture=      /n/c3servet/henshaw/Overture.g
19 OvertureInclude= $(Overture)/include
20 OvertureLib=    $(Overture)/lib
21
22
23 A++ =          $(APlusPlus)
24 OpenGLInclude = $(OpenGL)/include
25
26 Include =      -I. -I$(A++)/include -I$(OvertureInclude) -I$(OpenGLInclude)
27 CC=            CC
28 CFLAGS=        -g -cg92 $(Include)
29 # dp: CFLAGS=   -g -cg92 -DDOUBLE $(Include)
30 FC=            f77
31 FFLAGS=
32 # dp: FFLAGS = -r8 -j4
33 CLIBS=         -L$(OvertureLib) -lOverture -lOverture_static -L$(A++) -lA++ -lA+_static \
34             -L$(HDF)/lib -lmfhdf -ldf -ljpeg -lz
35
36 FLIBS=         $(FORTRAN_LIBS)
37 GLIBS=         -L$(OpenGL)/lib $(GL_LIBS) \
38             -L$(MOTIF)/lib -lXm -L$(XLIBS) -lXt -lXmu -lXi -lXext -lX11 -lm
39
40 # These are for purify, uncomment the lines below (#PURIFY ...) to use purify
41 PFLAGS = -first-only=yes -leaks-at-exit=yes -inuse-at-exit=yes -always-use-cache-dir=yes
42 PDIR = 'purify -print-home-dir'
43 PURIFY =
44 # PURIFY = purify $(PFLAGS)
45 # PSTUBS = $(PDIR)/purify_stubs.a
46 PSTUBS =
47 # PURIFY_OPTIONS = -I$(PDIR)
48
49 all = example1 example2 example3 example4 example5 example6 example7 example8
50 all: $(all);
51
52 .SUFFIXES:
53 .SUFFIXES:.f .o .C .o
54 .C.o :: $(CC) $(CFLAGS) -c $*.C
55 .f.o :: $(FC) $(FFLAGS) -c $*.f
56
57 primer:
58     latex primer
59
60 doc:
61     latex primer
62     latex primerLong
63     dvips -f primerLong.dvi > primer.ps
64     gzip -9f primer.ps
65     latex gettingOverture
66     dvips -f gettingOverture.dvi > gettingOverture.ps
67
```

```

68 mappedGridExample1 = mappedGridExample1.o
69 mappedGridExample1: $(mappedGridExample1)
70     $(PURIFY) $(CC) $(CCFLAGS) $(PURIFY_OPTIONS) -o mappedGridExample1 $(mappedGridExample1) \
71     $(CLIBS) $(FLIBS) $(GLIBS)
72
73 mappedGridExample2 = mappedGridExample2.o
74 mappedGridExample2: $(mappedGridExample2)
75     $(PURIFY) $(CC) $(CCFLAGS) $(PURIFY_OPTIONS) -o mappedGridExample2 $(mappedGridExample2) \
76     $(CLIBS) $(FLIBS) $(GLIBS)
77
78 mappedGridExample3 = mappedGridExample3.o
79 mappedGridExample3: $(mappedGridExample3)
80     $(PURIFY) $(CC) $(CCFLAGS) $(PURIFY_OPTIONS) -o mappedGridExample3 $(mappedGridExample3) \
81     $(CLIBS) $(FLIBS) $(GLIBS)
82
83 mappedGridExample4 = mappedGridExample4.o ChannelMapping.o
84 mappedGridExample4: $(mappedGridExample4)
85     $(PURIFY) $(CC) $(CCFLAGS) $(PURIFY_OPTIONS) -o mappedGridExample4 $(mappedGridExample4) \
86     $(CLIBS) $(FLIBS) $(GLIBS)
87
88 mappedGridExample5 = mappedGridExample5.o
89 mappedGridExample5: $(mappedGridExample5)
90     $(PURIFY) $(CC) $(CCFLAGS) $(PURIFY_OPTIONS) -o mappedGridExample5 $(mappedGridExample5) \
91     $(CLIBS) $(FLIBS) $(GLIBS)
92
93
94 example1 = example1.o
95 example1: $(example1)
96     $(PURIFY) $(CC) $(CCFLAGS) $(PURIFY_OPTIONS) -o example1 $(example1) $(CLIBS) $(FLIBS) $(GLIBS)
97
98 example2 = example2.o
99 example2: $(example2)
100    $(PURIFY) $(CC) $(CCFLAGS) $(PURIFY_OPTIONS) -o example2 $(example2) $(CLIBS) $(FLIBS) $(GLIBS)
101
102 example3 = example3.o
103 example3: $(example3)
104    $(PURIFY) $(CC) $(CCFLAGS) $(PURIFY_OPTIONS) -o example3 $(example3) $(CLIBS) $(FLIBS) $(GLIBS)
105
106 example4 = example4.o
107 example4: $(example4)
108    $(PURIFY) $(CC) $(CCFLAGS) $(PURIFY_OPTIONS) -o example4 $(example4) $(CLIBS) $(FLIBS) $(GLIBS)
109
110 example5 = example5.o
111 example5: $(example5)
112    $(PURIFY) $(CC) $(CCFLAGS) $(PURIFY_OPTIONS) -o example5 $(example5) $(CLIBS) $(FLIBS) $(GLIBS)
113
114 example6 = example6.o
115 example6: $(example6)
116    $(PURIFY) $(CC) $(CCFLAGS) $(PURIFY_OPTIONS) -o example6 $(example6) $(CLIBS) $(FLIBS) $(GLIBS)
117
118 example7 = example7.o
119 example7: $(example7)
120    $(PURIFY) $(CC) $(CCFLAGS) $(PURIFY_OPTIONS) -o example7 $(example7) $(CLIBS) $(FLIBS) $(GLIBS)
121
122 example8 = example8.o
123 example8: $(example8)
124    $(PURIFY) $(CC) $(CCFLAGS) $(PURIFY_OPTIONS) -o example8 $(example8) $(CLIBS) $(FLIBS) $(GLIBS)
125
126 move1 = move1.o
127 move1: $(move1)
128    $(PURIFY) $(CC) $(CCFLAGS) $(PURIFY_OPTIONS) -o move1 $(move1) $(CLIBS) $(FLIBS) $(GLIBS)
129
130 tcm3 = tcm3.o
131 tcm3 = tcm3.o
132 tcm3: $(tcm3)
133    $(PURIFY) $(CC) $(CCFLAGS) $(PURIFY_OPTIONS) -o tcm3 $(tcm3) $(CLIBS) $(FLIBS) -lftn $(GLIBS)
134
135 clean:
136    rm *.o mappedGridExample1 mappedGridExample2 mappedGridExample3 mappedGridExample4 mappedGridExample5 \
137        example1 example2 example3 example4 example5 example6 example7 example8
138
139 .PRECIOUS:
```

## 4 Variables contained in a MappedGrid

Here we give a brief overview of some of the most important items that are contained in a MappedGrid.  
Define the Ranges  $R1, R2, R3$  to define all points on a component grid:

```
const int Start=0, End=1, axis1=0, axis2=1, axis3=2;
CompositeGrid cg;
MappedGrid & mg = cg[grid];
Range R1(mg.dimension(Start,axis1),mg.dimension(End,axis1));
Range R2(mg.dimension(Start,axis2),mg.dimension(End,axis2));
Range R3(mg.dimension(Start,axis3),mg.dimension(End,axis3));
Range ND(0,cg.numberOfDimensions);
```

Recall that we denote the axes of the unit square (or cube) by  $r_1, r_2, (and r_3)$ . Some arrays such as the boundaryCondition array, associate values with each side of a grid. The sides of the grid can be denoted by  $r_i = 0$  or  $r_i = 1$ . These arrays are dimensioned as boundaryCondition(0:1,0:2) with

$$\text{boundaryCondition(side, axis)} = \text{value for } r_{\text{axis}} = \text{side} , \text{ side} = 0, 1 , \text{ axis} = 0, 1, 2 \quad (1)$$

Some arrays, such as the array of vertex coordinates, come in three flavours, vertex, vertex2D and vertex1D. The first is dimensioned vertex(R1,R2,R3,ND) and thus looks like an array for a three dimensional grid. When the grid is two-dimensional the Range R3 will only have 1 point. This array is useful when writing a code that will work in both 3D and 2D. The array vertex2D(R1,R2,ND) is only available when the grid is two-dimensional.

- **IntArray boundaryCondition(0:1,0:2)** Boundary condition flags, positive for a real boundary, negative for a periodic boundary and zero for an interpolation boundary.
- **IntArray boundaryDiscretizationWidth(0:2)** Width of the boundary condition stencil.
- **realMappedGridFunction center(R1,R2,R3,ND)** Coordinates of discretization centres.
- **realMappedGridFunction center2D(R1,R2,ND)** Coordinates of discretization centers, for a two-dimensional grid.
- **realMappedGridFunction center1D(R1,ND)** Coordinates of discretization centers, for a one-dimensional grid.
- **realMappedGridFunction centerDerivative(R1,R2,R3,ND,ND)** Derivative of the mapping at the discretization centers.
- **realMappedGridFunction centerDerivative2D(R1,R2,ND,ND)** Derivative at the discretization centers, for a two-dimensional grid.
- **realMappedGridFunction centerDerivative1D(R1,ND,ND)**
- **FloatMappedGridFunction centerJacobian(R1,R2,R3)** Determinant of centerDerivative.
- **IntArray dimension(0:1,0:2)** Dimensions of grid arrays – actual size of the A++ arrays, including ghost-points.
- **IntArray discretizationWidth(0:2)** Interior discretization stencil width (default=3)
- **IntArray gridIndexRange(0:1,0:2)** Index range of gridpoints, excluding ghost points.
- **realArray gridSpacing(0:2)** Grid spacing in the unit square, equal to 1 over the number of grid cells.
- **IntArray indexRange(0:1,0:2)** Index range of computational points, excluding ghostpoints and excluding periodic grid lines on the “End”.
- **LogicalR isAllCellCentered** Grid is cell-centred in all directions (variable name misspelled for historical reasons, circa 1776)
- **LogicalR isAllVertexCentered** Grid is vertex-centred in all directions
- **LogicalArray isCellCentered(0:2)** Is this grid cell-centred in each direction.

- **IntArray isPeriodic(0:2)** Grid periodicity, equal one if notPeriodic, derivativePeriodic or functionPeriodic.
- **realMappedGridFunction inverseVertexDerivative(R1,R2,R3,ND,ND)** Inverse derivative of the mapping at the vertices. `inverseVertexDerivative(i1,i2,i3, axis, dir)` is the partial derivative of  $r_{axis}$  with respect to  $x_{dir}$ .
- **realMappedGridFunction inverseVertexDerivative2D(R1,R2,ND,ND)** Inverse derivative at the vertices, for a two-dimensional grid.
- **realMappedGridFunction inverseVertexDerivative1D(R1,ND,ND)** Inverse derivative at the vertices, for a one-dimensional grid.
- **realMappedGridFunction inverseCenterDerivative(R1,R2,R3,ND,ND)** Inverse derivative at the discretization centers.
- **realMappedGridFunction inverseCenterDerivative2D(R1,R2,ND,ND)** Inverse derivative at the discretization centers, for a two-dimensional grid.
- **realMappedGridFunction inverseCenterDerivative1D(R1,ND,ND)** Inverse derivative at the discretization centers, for a one-dimensional grid.
- **IntMappedGridFunction mask(R1,R2,R3)** mask array that indicates which points are used and not used.
- **MappingRC mapping** Grid mapping (MappingRC is a reference counted Mapping which behaves like the Mapping class)
- **FloatArray minimumEdgeLength(0:2)** Minimum grid cell-edge length.
- **FloatArray maximumEdgeLength(0:2)** Maximum grid cell-edge length.
- **IntR numberOfDimensions** Number of space dimensions, an IntR is basically an int (used for reference counting).
- **IntArray numberOfGhostPoints(0:1,0:2)** number of ghost points on each side.
- **realMappedGridFunction vertex(R1,R2,R3,ND)** Vertex coordinates.
- **realMappedGridFunction vertex2D(R1,R2,ND)** Vertex coordinates, for a two-dimensional grid.
- **realMappedGridFunction vertex1D(R1,ND)** Vertex coordinates, for a one-dimensional grid.
- **FloatArray vertexBoundaryNormal[3][2]** Outward normal vectors at the vertices on each boundary. These arrays are dimensioned so that they lie on their respective boundary:
  - `vertexBoundaryNormal[0][0](R1.getBase():R1.getBase(),R2,R3,ND),`
  - `vertexBoundaryNormal[0][1](R1.getBound():R1.getBound(),R2,R3,ND),`
  - `vertexBoundaryNormal[1][0](R1,R2.getBase():R2.getBase(),R3,ND),`
  - `vertexBoundaryNormal[1][1](R1,R2.getBound():R2.getBound(),R3,ND),`
  - etc.
- **FloatArray centerBoundaryNormal[3][2]** Outward normal vectors at the centers on each boundary.
- **realMappedGridFunction vertexDerivative(R1,R2,R3,ND,ND)** Derivative of the mapping at the vertices, `vertexDerivative(i1,i2,i3, axis, dir)` is the partial derivative of  $x_{axis}$  with respect to  $r_{dir}$ .
- **realMappedGridFunction vertexDerivative2D(R1,R2,ND,ND)** Derivative of the mapping at the vertices, for a two-dimensional grid.
- **realMappedGridFunction vertexDerivative1D(R1,ND,ND)** Derivative of the mapping at the vertices, for a one-dimensional grid.
- **FloatMappedGridFunction vertexJacobian(R1,R2,R3)** Determinant of vertexDerivative.

One may specify (or change) which arrays are to exist in the MappedGrid by calling the update function with an integer bit-flag. The values of the bit flag are determined from the following enumerator

```
enum {
    USEmask = USEgenericGrid << 1,
    USEinverseVertexDerivative = USEmask << 1,
    USEinverseCenterDerivative = USEinverseVertexDerivative << 1,
    USEvertex = USEinverseCenterDerivative << 1,
    USEcenter = USEvertex << 1,
    USEvertexDerivative = USEcenter << 1,
    USEcenterDerivative = USEvertexDerivative << 1,
    USEfaceNormal = USEcenterDerivative << 1,
    USEvertexJacobian = USEfaceNormal << 1,
    USEcenterJacobian = USEvertexJacobian << 1,
    USEvertexBoundaryNormal = USEcenterJacobian << 1,
    USEcenterBoundaryNormal = USEvertexBoundaryNormal << 1,
    USEmappedGrid = USEcenterBoundaryNormal // Do not use.
};
```

- **MappedGrid(const String & file, const String & name)** Constructor from database file and name.
- **MappedGrid(Mapping & mapping)** Constructor from a mapping.
- **void updateReferences()** Set references to reference-counted data.
- **void update(const Int what = USEtheUsualSuspects)** Update the grid.

For further details consult the documentation sitting in the chair in Geoff's office.

## 5 Variables contained in a CompositeGrid

Define the Ranges

```
const int Start=0, End=1, axis1=0, axis2=1, axis3=2;
CompositeGrid cg;
MappedGrid & mg = cg[grid];
Range R1(mg.dimension(Start, axis1), mg.dimension(End, axis1));
Range R2(mg.dimension(Start, axis2), mg.dimension(End, axis2));
Range R3(mg.dimension(Start, axis3), mg.dimension(End, axis3));
Range ND(0, cg.numberOfDimensions);
Range NG(0, cg.numberOfComponentGrids);

Range NI(0, cg.numberOfInterpolationPoints(grid));
```

- **IntR numberOfComponentGrids** Number of component grids (MappedGrid's).
- **IntR numberOfDimensions** Number of space dimensions.
- **IntArray numberOfInterpolationPoints(NG)** The number of interpolation points on each component grid.
- **LogicalR interpolationIsAllExplicit**
- **LogicalArray interpolationIsImplicit(NG,NG)**
- **IntArray interpolationWidth(3,NG,NG)** The width of the interpolation stencil (direction, toGrid, fromGrid).
- **realArray interpolationOverlap(3,NG,NG)** The minimum overlap for interpolation (direction, toGrid, fromGrid).
- **ListOfReferenceCountedObjects<realArray> interpolationCoordinates[NG](NI,ND)** Coordinates of interpolation point on component grid “grid” are interpolationCoordinates[grid](n, axis) for  $0 \leq n \leq \text{numberOfInterpolationPoints}(\text{grid})$ .
- **ListOfReferenceCountedObjects<IntArray> interpoleeGrid[NG](NI)** Index of the “interpolee grid”, i.e. this is the index of the grid from which we interpolate.
- **ListOfReferenceCountedObjects<IntArray> interpoleeLocation[NG](NI,ND)** Location of interpolation stencil on the interpolee grid, this is the index of the lower left corner of the stencil.
- **ListOfReferenceCountedObjects<IntArray> interpolationPoint[NG](NI,ND)** Indices of interpolation point.
- **ListOfReferenceCountedObjects<realArray> interpolationCondition[NG](NI)** Interpolation condition number.
- **IntGridCollectionFunction mask[NG](R1,R2,R3)** Flag array, positive for discretization point, negative for interpolation point, zero for unused point.
- **ListOfReferenceCountedObjects<MappedGrid> grid[NG]** Here is the list of MappedGrid's.