



# User's Guide \*

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## Abstract

This object-oriented Matlab toolbox allows to use simplices meshes generated from `gmsh` (in dimension 2 or 3) or an hypercube triangulation (in any dimension). For graphical representation the `FC-SIPLT` toolbox is used.

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## 1 Introduction

OS	Matlab
Ubuntu 14.04 LTS	2014b to 2016b
macOS Sierra 10.16.6	2017a
Windows 10	2017a

Trouble with Matlab 2017a under Ubuntu.

## 2 Installation

### 2.1 Installation automatic, all in one (recommended)

For this method, one just have to get/download the install file

`mfc_simesh_install.m`

or get it on the dedicated web page. Thereafter, one run it under Matlab. This command download, extract and configure the *fc-simesh* and the required toolboxes (*fc-tools*, *fc-oogmsh*, *fc-hypermesh*) in the current directory.

For example, to install this toolbox in `~/Matlab/toolboxes` directory, one have to copy the file `mfc_simesh_install.m` in the `~/Matlab/toolboxes` directory. Then in a Matlab terminal run the following commands

```
>> cd ~/Matlab/toolboxes
>> mfc_simesh_install
```

There is the output of the `mfc_simesh_install` command on a Linux computer:

```

Parts of the Matlab <fc-simesh> toolbox.
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1- Downloading and extracting the toolboxes
-> <fc-tools>[0.0.18] ... OK
-> <fc-hypermesh>[0.0.4] ... OK
-> <fc-oogmsh>[0.0.15] ... OK
-> <fc-simesh>[0.1.4] ... OK
2- Setting the toolboxes
2-a) Setting the <fc-hypermesh> toolbox
Write in ...
~/Matlab/toolboxes/fc-simesh-full/fc_hypermesh-0.0.4/configure_loc.m ...
...
-> done
2-b) Setting the <fc-oogmsh> toolbox
-> Using GMSH binary : ~/bin/gmsh
Write in ...
~/Matlab/toolboxes/fc-simesh-full/fc_oogmsh-0.0.15/configure_loc.m ...
...
-> done
2-d) Setting the <fc-simesh> toolbox
Write in ...
~/Matlab/toolboxes/fc-simesh-full/fc_simesh-0.1.4/configure_loc.m ...
-> done
3- Using instructions
To use the <fc-simesh> toolbox:
addpath('~/Matlab/toolboxes/fc-simesh-full/fc_simesh-0.1.4')
fc_simesh.init()

See ~/Matlab/toolboxes/mfc_simesh_set.m

```

The complete toolbox (i.e. with all the other needed toolboxes) is stored in the directory `~/Matlab/toolboxes/fc-simesh-full` and, for each Matlab session, one have to set the toolbox by:

```

>> addpath('~/Matlab/toolboxes/fc-simesh-full/fc-simesh-0.0.4')
>> fc_simesh.init()

```

For **uninstalling**, one just have to delete directory

```

~/Matlab/toolboxes/fc-simesh-full

```

### 3 Mesh Objects

In geometry, a simplex is a generalization of the notion of a triangle or tetrahedron to arbitrary dimensions. Specifically, a  $k$ -simplex in  $\mathbb{R}^{\text{dim}}$ ,  $k \leq \text{dim}$ , is a polytope which is the convex hull of its  $k+1$  vertices of  $\mathbb{R}^{\text{dim}}$ . More formally, suppose the  $k+1$  vertices  $q^0, \dots, q^k \in \mathbb{R}^{\text{dim}}$  such that  $q^1 - q^0, \dots, q^k - q^0$  are linearly independent. Then, the  $k$ -simplex  $K$  determined by them is the set of points

$$K = \left\{ \sum_{i=0}^k \lambda_i q^i \mid \lambda_i \geq 0, i \in \llbracket 0, k \rrbracket, \text{ with } \sum_{i=0}^k \lambda_i = 1 \right\}.$$

We denote by  **$k$ -simplicial elementary mesh** in  $\mathbb{R}^{\text{dim}}$ ,  $k \leq \text{dim}$ , a mesh with **unique label** only composed with  $k$ -simplices.

A  **$d$ -simplicial mesh** in  $\mathbb{R}^{\text{dim}}$ ,  $d \leq \text{dim}$ , is an union of  $k$ -simplicial elementary meshes with  $k \in \llbracket 0, d \rrbracket$ .

### 3.1 `SiMESHELT` object

An elementary d-simplicial mesh in dimension dim is represented by the class `SiMESHELT`. We give properties of this class :

Properties of <code>SiMESHELT</code> object for d-simplicial elementary meshes in $\mathbb{R}^{\text{dim}}$	
<code>dim</code>	: integer space dimension
<code>d</code>	: integer ( $0 \leq d \leq \text{dim}$ )
<code>n<sub>q</sub></code>	: integer number of vertices
<code>n<sub>me</sub></code>	: integer number of elements (d-simplices)
<code>q</code>	: dim-by- <code>n<sub>q</sub></code> array of reals array of vertex coordinates
<code>me</code>	: (d + 1)-by- <code>n<sub>me</sub></code> array of integers connectivity array for <b>mesh elements</b>
<code>vols</code>	: 1-by- <code>n<sub>me</sub></code> array of reals array of mesh element volumes
<code>h</code>	: double mesh step size (=maximum edge length in the mesh)
<code>toGlobal</code>	: 1-by- <code>n<sub>q</sub></code> array of integers convert from local to global mesh vertices numbering. Prefer the use of <code>toParents{end}</code> instead. <i>It will be removed in a future release.</i>
<code>toParent</code>	: 1-by- <code>n<sub>q</sub></code> array of integers convert from local to parent mesh vertices numbering (same as <code>toGlobal</code> if not part of a partitioned mesh). Prefer the use of <code>toParents{1}</code> instead. <i>It will be removed in a future release.</i>
<code>nqParents</code>	: 1-by- <i>n</i> array of integers <code>nqParents(1)</code> number of vertices in the <i>parent</i> mesh, <code>nqParents(2)</code> number of vertices in the <i>parent</i> of the <i>parent</i> mesh, <code>nqParents(end)</code> number of vertices in the global mesh.
<code>toParents</code>	: 1-by- <i>n</i> cell array <code>toParents{1}</code> indices array which convert local vertices numbering to the <i>parent</i> mesh vertices numbering, <code>toParents{2}</code> indices array which convert local vertices numbering to the <i>parent</i> of the <i>parent</i> mesh, <code>toParents{end}</code> indices array which convert local vertices numbering to the global mesh.

More precisely

- $q(\nu, j)$  is the  $\nu$ -th coordinate of the  $j$ -th vertex,  $\nu \in \{1, \dots, \text{dim}\}$ ,  $j \in \{1, \dots, n_q\}$ . The  $j$ -th vertex will be also denoted by  $q^j = q(:, j)$ .

- $me(\beta, k)$  is the storage index of the  $\beta$ -th vertex of the  $k$ -th element (d-simplex), in the array  $q$ , for  $\beta \in \{1, \dots, d+1\}$  and  $k \in \{1, \dots, n_{me}\}$ . So  $q(:, me(\beta, k))$  represents the coordinates of the  $\beta$ -th vertex of the  $k$ -th mesh element.
- $vols(k)$  is the volume of the  $k$ -th d-simplex .

### 3.2 `SiMESH` object

A d-simplicial mesh in dimension dim, represented as an `SiMESH` object, is an union of `SiMESHELT` objects which are elementary  $l$ -simplicial meshes ( $l \leq d$ ) in space dimension dim.



#### `SiMESH` object properties

<code>dim</code>	: integer space dimension
<code>d</code>	: integer d-dimensional simplicial mesh
<code>sTh</code>	: array of <code>SiMESHELT</code> objects
<code>nTh</code>	: number of <code>SiMESHELT</code> objects
<code>sThsimp</code>	: array of <code>nTh</code> integers <i>i</i> -th <code>SiMESHELT</code> object in <code>sTh</code> is a <code>sThsimp(i)</code> -simplicial elementary mesh
<code>sThlab</code>	: array of <code>nTh</code> integers in <code>sTh</code> label of <i>i</i> -th <code>SiMESHELT</code> object in <code>sTh</code> is number <code>sThlab(i)</code>
<code>nq</code>	: integer number of vertices in the mesh
<code>toGlobal</code>	: 1-by- <code>nq</code> array of integers convert from local to global mesh vertices numbering. Prefer the use of <code>toParents{end}</code> instead. <i>It will be removed in a future release.</i>
<code>toParent</code>	: 1-by- <code>nq</code> array of integers convert from local to parent mesh vertices numbering (same as <code>toGlobal</code> if not part of a partitioned mesh). Prefer the use of <code>toParents{1}</code> instead. <i>It will be removed in a future release.</i>
<code>nqParents</code>	: 1-by- <code>n</code> array of integers Only used with partitioned mesh and the <code>FC-PSIMESH</code> toolbox.
<code>toParents</code>	: 1-by- <code>n</code> cell array Only used with partitioned mesh and the <code>FC-PSIMESH</code> toolbox.

Let  $\mathcal{T}_h$  be a `SiMESH` object. The global dim-by- $\mathcal{T}_h.n_q$  array  $q$  of mesh vertices is not explicitly stored in  $\mathcal{T}_h$ , however one can easily build it if necessary:

```
q=zeros(Th.dim,Th.nq);
for i=Th.find(Th.d)
    q(:,Th.sTh{i}.toParents{1})=Th.sTh{i}.q;
```

end

### 3.3 Mesh samples

#### 3.3.1 2-simplicial mesh in $\mathbb{R}^2$

Listing 1: : 2D **siMESH** object from **sample20.geo**

```

meshfile=gmsh.buildmesh2d('sample20',20,'force',false);
Th=siMesh(meshfile);
fprintf('***_Th:\n')
disp(Th)
fprintf('***_Th.sTh{9}:\n')
disp(Th.sTh{9})

```

Output

```

[fc-oogmsh] Input file : <fc-oogmsh>/geodir/2d/sample20.geo
[fc-oogmsh] Starting building mesh <fc-oogmsh>/meshes/sample20-20.msh with gmsh 3.0.2
[fc-oogmsh] Using command : gmsh -2 -setnumber N 20 <fc-oogmsh>/geodir/2d/sample20.geo -o ...
<fc-oogmsh>/meshes/sample20-20.msh
Be patient...
*** Th:
  siMesh with properties:
    d: 2 double
    dim: 2 double
    sTh: (1x1 cell)
    nsTh: 11 double
    toGlobal: (1x2558 double)
    toParent: (1x2558 double)
    sThsimp: [ 1 1 1 1 1 1 2 2 2 2 ] (1x11 double)
    sThlab: [ 1 2 20 101 102 103 104 1 2 10 20 ] (1x11 double)
    sThcolors: (1x3 double)
    bbox: [ -1 1 -1 1 ] (1x4 double)
    sThgeolab: []
    sThphyslab: [ 1 2 10 20 ] (1x4 double)
    sThpartlabs: []
    nq: 2558 double
    nqParents: 2558 double
    toParents: (1x1 cell)
*** Th.sTh{9}:
  siMeshEl with properties:
    d: 2 double
    dim: 2 double
    nq: 39 double
    nme: 60 double
    q: (2x39 double)
    me: (3x60 double)
    toGlobal: (1x39 double)
    nqGlobal: 2558 double
    toParent: (1x39 double)
    nqParent: 2558 double
    nqParents: 2558 double
    toParents: (1x1 cell)
    label: 2 double
    Tag: (1x28 char)
    color: [ 1 0 0 ] (1x3 double)
    vols: (1x60 double)
    gradBaCo: (60x3 double)
    geolab: (60x1 double)
    partlab: []
    bbox: [ 0.4 0.6 -0.1 0.1 ] (1x4 double)
    h: 0.051428 double

```

From the output of the Listing 1 or from the Figure 1 the complete domain is

$$\Omega = \Omega_1 \cup \Omega_2 \cup \Omega_{10} \cup \Omega_{20}$$

and we note

$$\Gamma = \Gamma_1 \cup \Gamma_2 \cup \Gamma_{20} \cup \Gamma_{101} \cup \Gamma_{102} \cup \Gamma_{103} \cup \Gamma_{104}.$$

So this mesh is 2-simplicial mesh in  $\mathbb{R}^2$  and is composed of :

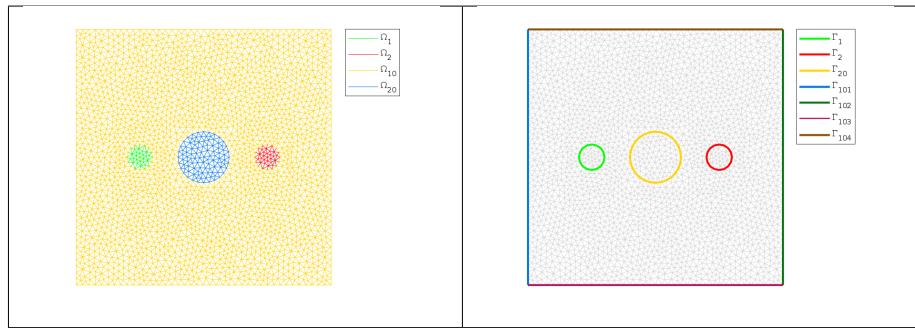


Figure 1: 2D **SiMESH** object from **sample20.geo**

- four 2-simplicial elementary meshes :  $\Omega_i$ ,  $\forall i \in \{1, 2, 10, 20\}$
- seven 1-simplicial elementary meshes :  $\Gamma_i$   $\forall i \in \{1, 2, 20, 101, 102, 103, 104\}$

### 3.3.2 Sample of a 3-simplicial mesh in $\mathbb{R}^3$

Listing 2: : 3D Mesh from quart_sphere2.geo <pre> meshfile=gmsh.buildmesh3d('quart_sphere2',5); Th=siMesh(meshfile); fprintf('***_Th:\n') disp(Th) fprintf('***_Th.sTh{9}:\n') disp(Th.sTh{9}) </pre>	Output <pre> [fc-oogmsh] Input file : &lt;fc-oogmsh&gt;/geodir/3d/quart_sphere2.geo [fc-oogmsh] Starting building mesh &lt;fc-oogmsh&gt;/meshes/quart_sphere2-5.msh with gmsh 3.0.2 [fc-oogmsh] Using command : gmsh -3 -setnumber N 5 &lt;fc-oogmsh&gt;/geodir/3d/quart_sphere2.geo -o ... &lt;fc-oogmsh&gt;/meshes/quart_sphere2-5.msh Be patient... Mesh /tmp/k8pVwZ1f9/fc-simesh-full/fc_oogmsh-0.0.15/meshes/quart_sphere2-5.msh is a ... 3-dimensional mesh Force dimension to 3 *** Th:   siMesh with properties:     d: 3 double     dim: 3 double     sTh: (1x23 cell)     nsTh: 23 double     toGlobal: (1x1180 double)     toParent: (1x1180 double)     sThsimp: [ 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 2 2 2 2 2 2 3 3 0 0 0 0 0 ] (ix23 double)     sThlab: [ 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 1 2 1 2 3 4 5 ] (ix23 double)     sThcolors: (23x3 double)     bbox: [ -1 1 0 1 0 1 ] (ix6 double)     sThgeolab: []     sThphyslab: [ 1 2 ] (ix2 double)     sThpartlabs: []     nq: 1180 double     nqParents: 1180 double     toParents: (ix1 cell) *** Th.sTh{9}:   siMeshElt with properties:     d: 1 double     dim: 3 double     nq: 16 double     nme: 15 double     q: (3x16 double)     me: (2x15 double)     toGlobal: (1x16 double)     nqGlobal: 1180 double     toParent: (1x16 double)     nqParent: 1180 double     nqParents: 1180 double     toParents: (ix1 cell)     label: 9 double     Tag: (1x28 char)     color: [ 0 0 1 ] (ix3 double)     vols: (1x15 double)     gradBaCo: (15x2 double)     geolab: (15x1 double)     partlab: []     bbox: (1x6 double)     h: 0.104672 double </pre>
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The mesh obtained from Listing 2 is a 3-simplicial mesh in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  and is composed of :

- two 3-simplicial elementary meshes :  $\Omega_i, \forall i \in \{1, 2\}$
- seven 2-simplicial elementary meshes :  $\Gamma_i \forall i \in \llbracket 1, 7 \rrbracket$
- nine 1-simplicial elementary meshes :  $\partial\Gamma_i \forall i \in \llbracket 1, 9 \rrbracket$
- five 0-simplicial elementary meshes :  $\partial^2\Gamma_i \forall i \in \llbracket 1, 5 \rrbracket$

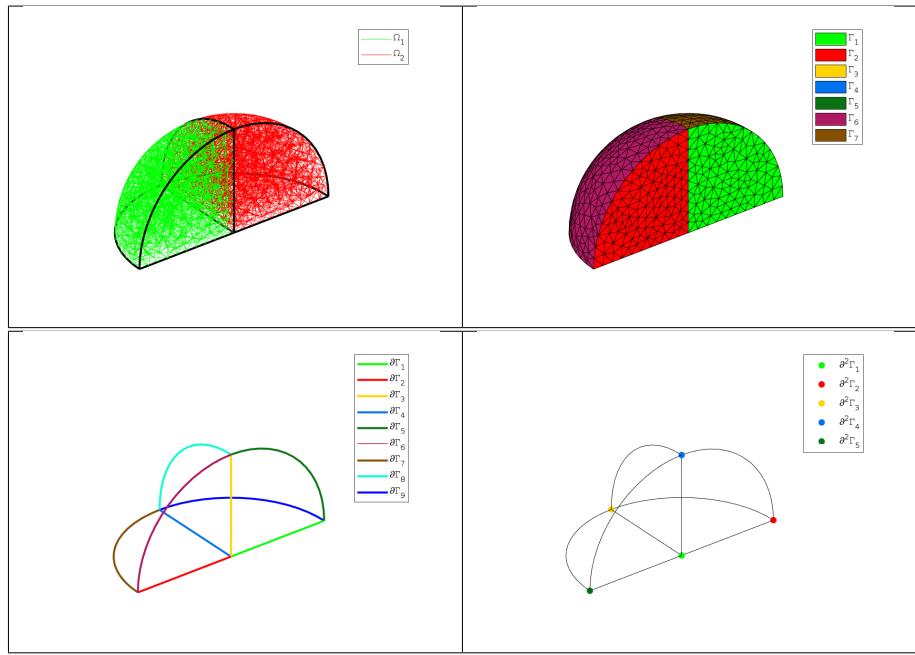


Figure 2: 3D Mesh from `quart_sphere2.geo`

### 3.3.3 Sample of a 2-simplicial mesh in $\mathbb{R}^3$

Listing 3: : 3D surface Mesh from `demisphere4surf.geo`

```

meshfile=gmsh.buildmesh3ds('demisphere4surf',5,'force',true);
Th=siMesh(meshfile);
fprintf('***_Th:\n')
disp(Th)
fprintf('***_Th.sTh{9}:\n')
disp(Th.sTh{9})

```

Output

```

[fc-oogmsh] Input file : <fc-oogmsh>/geodir/3ds/demisphere4surf.geo
[fc-oogmsh] Starting building mesh <fc-oogmsh>/meshes/demisphere4surf-5.msh with gmsh 3.0.2
[fc-oogmsh] Using command : gmsh -2 -setnumber N 5 <fc-oogmsh>/geodir/3ds/demisphere4surf.geo ...
-o <fc-oogmsh>/meshes/demisphere4surf-5.msh
Be patient...
Mesh /tmp/tmp.k8pVWzE1f9/fc-simesh-full/fc_oogmsh-0.0.15/meshes/demisphere4surf-5.msh is a ...
3-dimensional mesh
Force dimension to 3
*** Th:
  siMesh with properties:
    d: 2 double
    dim: 3 double
    sTh: (1x12 cell)
    nsTh: 12 double
    toGlobal: (1x227 double)
    toParent: (1x227 double)
    sThsimp: [ 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 2 2 2 2 ] (1x12 double)
    sThlab: [ 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 1 2 3 4 ] (1x12 double)
    sThcolors: (12x3 double)
    bbox: [ -1 1 -1 1 0 1 ] (1x6 double)
    sThgeolab: []
    sThphyslab: [ 1 2 3 4 ] (1x4 double)
    sThpartlabs: []
    nq: 227 double
    nqParents: 227 double
    toParents: (1x1 cell)
*** Th.sTh{9}:
  siMeshEl with properties:
    d: 2 double
    dim: 3 double
    nq: 63 double
    nme: 100 double
    q: (3x63 double)
    me: (3x100 double)
    toGlobal: (1x63 double)
    nqGlobal: 227 double
    toParent: (1x63 double)
    nqParent: 227 double
    nqParents: 227 double
    toParents: (1x1 cell)
    label: 1 double
    Tag: (1x29 char)
    color: [ 0 1 0 ] (1x3 double)
    vols: (1x100 double)
    gradBaCo: (100x3 double)
    geolab: (100x1 double)
    partlab: []
    bbox: (1x6 double)
    h: 0.257773 double

```

The mesh obtained from the Listing 3 or from the Figure 3 is a 2-simplicial mesh in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  and is composed of :

- four 2-simplicial elementary meshes :  $\Omega_i$ ,  $\forall i \in \llbracket 1, 4 \rrbracket$
- eight 1-simplicial elementary meshes :  $\Gamma_i$   $\forall i \in \llbracket 1, 8 \rrbracket$

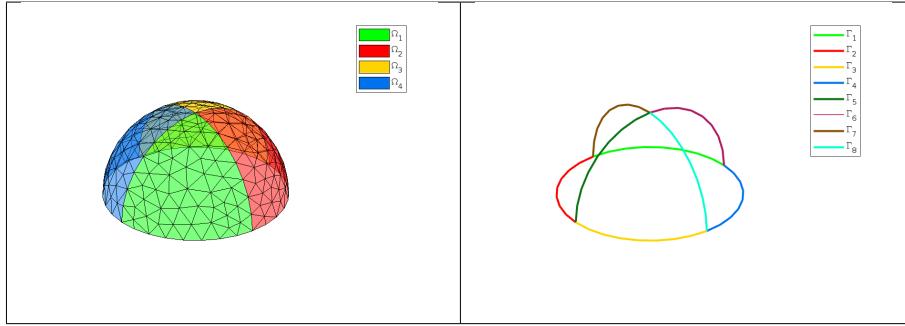


Figure 3: 3D surface Mesh from `demisphere4surf.geo`, label of the domains (left) and label of the boundaries (right)

## 3.4 `siMESH` object methods

### 3.4.1 `siMESH` constructor

The constructor of the `siMESH` class can initialize the object from various kind of mesh file format : `.msh` (default `gmsh` format), `.mesh` (`FreeFEM++` or `Medit`) or ... (`triangle`).

#### Syntaxe

```
Th=siMesh( meshfile )
Th=siMesh( meshfile ,Name ,Value )
```

#### Description

`Th=siMesh(meshfile)` create the `siMESH` object Th from the mesh file meshfile (`gmsh` format by default).

`Th=siMesh(meshfile,Key,Value, ...)` specifies function options using one or more Key,Value pair arguments. The string Key options can be

- `'format'` : to specify the format of the mesh file meshfile. Value must be `'medit'`, `'gmsh'` (default), `'freefem'` or `'triangle'`.
- `'dim'` : to specify the space dimension (default 2),
- `'d'` : to specify the dimensions of the simplices to read, (default `[dim,dim-1]`)

**Examples** The following example use the function `gmsh.buildmesh2d` of the `FC-OOGMSH` toolbox to build the mesh from the `.geo` file `condenser11.geo`. This `.geo` file is located in the directory `geodir/2d` of the `FC-OOGMSH` toolbox.

### Matlab commands with output

```

meshfile=gmsh.buildmesh2d( 'condenser11' ,25 , 'verbose' ,0);
disp( '***_Read_mesh_***')
Th=siMesh( meshfile )

*** Read mesh ***
Th =

siMesh with properties:
    d: 2 double
    dim: 2 double
    sTh: (1x19 cell)
    nSTh: 19 double
    toGlobal: (1x3474 double)
    toParent: (1x3474 double)
    sThsimp: [ 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ] (1x19 double)
    sThlab: [ 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 20 101 102 103 104 2 4 6 8 10 20 ] (1x19 double)
    sThcolors: (19x3 double)
    bbox: [ -1 1 -1 1 ] (1x4 double)
    sTheolab: []
    sThphyslab: [ 2 4 6 8 10 20 ] (1x6 double)
    sThpartlabs: []
    nq: 3474 double
    nqParents: 3474 double
    toParents: (1x1 cell)

```

#### 3.4.2 find method

We denote by Th a **SiMESH** object.

- **Th.find(d)** : returns the sorted indices array of the d-simplicial elementary meshes in the array Th.sTh.
- **Th.find(d,labels)** : returns the sorted indices of the d-simplicial elementary meshes with label in labels. labels could be an index, an array of indices. If nothing is found then return [] .

Several examples are given in functions:

`fc_simesh.demos.find2D()`, `fc_simesh.demos.find3D()`, `fc_simesh.demos.find3Ds()`

Now some very basic samples are presented.

Listing 4: : **siMESH** find method samples

```

meshfile=fc_oogmsh.buildmesh3d('quart_sphere2',5,'verbose',0);
Th=siMesh(meshfile,'dim',3);
disp(Th)
idx=Th.find(3);
fprintf('3-simplices_siMeshElt_\nindices:[%s],...
    labels=[%s]\n',num2str(idx),num2str(Th.sThlab(idx)) )
idx=Th.find(2);
fprintf('2-simplices_siMeshElt_\nindices:[%s],...
    labels=[%s]\n',num2str(idx),num2str(Th.sThlab(idx)) )
idx=Th.find(2,4);
fprintf('2-simplices_siMeshElt_with_label==4\nindices:[%s],...
    labels=[%s]\n',num2str(idx),num2str(Th.sThlab(idx)) )
idx=Th.find(2,[6,4,2,10]);
fprintf('2-simplices_siMeshElt_with_label_in[6,4,2,10]\nindices:[%s],...
    labels=[%s]\n',num2str(idx),num2str(Th.sThlab(idx)) )

```

Output

```

siMesh with properties:
    d: 3 double
    dim: 3 double
    sTh: (1x23 cell)
    nsTh: 23 double
    toGlobal: (1x1180 double)
    toParent: (1x1180 double)
    sThsimp: [ 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 2 2 2 2 2 2 3 3 0 0 0 0 0 ] (1x23 double)
    sThlab: [ 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 1 2 1 2 3 4 5 ] (1x23 double)
    sThcolors: (23x3 double)
        bbox: [ -1 1 0 1 0 1 ] (1x6 double)
    sThgeolab: []
    sThphyslab: [ 1 2 ] (1x2 double)
    sThpartlabs: []
        nq: 1180 double
        npParents: 1180 double
        toParents: (1x1 cell)
3-simplices siMeshElt
    indices: [17 18], labels=[1 2]
2-simplices siMeshElt
    indices: [10 11 12 13 14 15 16], labels=[1 2 3 4 5 6 7]
2-simplices siMeshElt with label==4
    indices: [13], labels=[4]
2-simplices siMeshElt with label in [6,4,2,10]
    indices: [11 13 15], labels=[2 4 6]

```

### 3.4.3 feval method

Evaluates a vectorized function at vertices of the mesh. We denote by Th a **siMESH** object.

- **res=Th.feval(fun)** : the input parameter fun is either a function or a cell array of function handles for vector-valued functions. If fun is a function then the output is an Th.nq-by-1 array. If fun is a cell array of function handles then the output is an Th.nq-by-length(fun) array.
- **res=Th.feval(fun,key,value,...)** specifies function options using one or more key,value pair arguments. The string key options could be
  - **d** : to specify the d-simplicial elementary meshes on which to evaluate the function (default Th.d). A zero value is set on all vertices not in these elementary meshes.
  - **labels** : to specify the labels of the elementary meshes on which to evaluate the function (default is all). A zero value is set on all vertices not in these elementary meshes.

Several examples are given in functions:

`fc_simesh.demos.feval2D01()`, `siMesh.demos.feval3D01()`, ...

We present now some very basic samples.

**Sample 1** Let  $g : \mathbb{R}^2 \mapsto \mathbb{R}$  defined by  $g(x, y) = \cos(x)\sin(y)$ . We propose in Listing 5 four approaches to defined this function for using with **feval** method.

Listing 5: : **feval** method, four ways to defined a function

```
meshfile=fc_oogmsh.buildmesh2d('condenser11',50,'verbose',0);
Th=siMesh(meshfile);

g1=@(x,y) cos(x).*sin(y); % .* for vectorized function
g2=@(X) cos(X(1,:)).*sin(X(2,:));

z1=Th.feval(g1);
z2=Th.feval(g2);

fprintf('max( abs(z2-z1))=%e\n',max(abs(z2-z1)))
```

Output

`max(abs(z2-z1))=0.000000e+00`

## Sample 2

Listing 6: : **feval** method with a vector-valued function

```
meshfile=fc_oogmsh.buildmesh2d('condenser11',50,'verbose',0);
Th=siMesh(meshfile)

% f : R^2 -> R^3
f=@(x,y) [cos(2*x).*sin(3*y),@(x,y) cos(3*x).*sin(4*y),@(x,y) cos(4*x).*sin(5*y)];
z=Th.feval(f);
fprintf('***_nq=%d,_size(z)==[%d,%d]',Th.nq,size(z))
```

Output

`Th =
siMesh with properties:
 d: 2 double
 dim: 2 double
 sTh: (1x19 cell)
 nsTh: 19 double
 toGlobal: (1x13258 double)
 toParent: (1x13258 double)
 sThsimp: [ 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 2 2 2 2 2 2 ] (1x19 double)
 sThlab: [ 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 20 101 102 103 104 2 4 6 8 10 20 ] (1x19 double)
 sThcolors: (19x3 double)
 bbox: [ -1 1 -1 1 ] (1x4 double)
 sThgeolab: []
 sThphyslab: [ 2 4 6 8 10 20 ] (1x6 double)
 sThpartlabs: []
 nq: 13258 double
 nqParents: 13258 double
 toParents: (1x1 cell)
*** nq=13258, size(z)==[13258,3]`

### 3.4.4 eval method

Evaluates numerical datas or vectorized functions at vertices of the mesh. We denote by Th a **SiMESH** object and  $n_q = Th.nq$  the total number of vertices.

- `res=Th.eval(data)` : the input parameter data could be
  - a scalar,
  - a handle to a vectorized function,

- a  $n_q$ -by-1 array,
- a 1-by- $m$  cell array of mixed previous kinds, ( $m \geq 1$ ).

The return value is a  $n_q$ -by-1 array if the input parameter data is not a cell array otherwise it's a  $n_q$ -by- $m$  array.

- `res=Th.eval(data,key,value,...)` specifies function options using one or more key,value pair arguments. The string key options could be
  - `d` : to specify the d-simplicial elementary meshes on which to evaluate data (default Th.d). A zero value is set on all vertices not in these elementary meshes.
  - `labels` : to specify the labels of the elementary meshes on which to evaluate data (default is all). A zero value is set on all vertices not in these elementary meshes.

Several examples are given in functions:

`fc_simesh.demos.eval2D01()`, `siMesh.demos.eval3D01()`, ...

We present now some very basic samples.

### Sample 1

```
Listing 7: : eval method, four ways to defined a function
meshfile=fc_oogmsh.buildmesh2d('condenser11',50,'verbose',0);
Th=siMesh(meshfile);

g1=pi*ones(Th.nq,1);
g2=pi*ones(1,Th.nq);
g3=@(X) pi;

z1=Th.eval(g1);
z2=Th.eval(g2);
z3=Th.eval(g3);

fprintf('size(z1)=%d,%d]\n',size(z1))
fprintf('size(z2)=%d,%d]\n',size(z2))
fprintf('size(z3)=%d,%d]\n',size(z3))
fprintf('max(abs(z2-z1))=%e\n',max(abs(z2-z1)))
fprintf('max(abs(z3-z1))=%e\n',max(abs(z3-z1)))
```

Output

```
size(z1)=[13258,1]
size(z2)=[13258,1]
size(z3)=[13258,1]
max(abs(z2-z1))=0.000000e+00
max(abs(z3-z1))=0.000000e+00
```

### Sample 2

```
Listing 8: : eval method with a vector-valued function
meshfile=fc_oogmsh.buildmesh2d('condenser11',50,'verbose',0);
Th=siMesh(meshfile);
u=Th.feval(@(x,y) cos(3*x).*sin(4*y));
% f : R^2 -> R^3
f=@(x,y) [cos(2*x).*sin(3*y),u,@(x,y) cos(4*x).*sin(5*y),pi];
z=Th.eval(f);
fprintf('*** nq=%d, size(z)==%d,%d ]',Th.nq,size(z))
```

Output

```
*** nq=13258, size(z)==[13258,4]
```

### 3.4.5 get\_h method

returns the maximum edges length of the mesh. We denote by Th a **SiMESH** object.

- `h=Th.get_h()`

### 3.4.6 get\_mesh method

Returns a vertices array q, a connectivity array me and a toGlobal indices array.

- `[q,me,toGlobal]=Th.get_mesh()` : returns the global vertices array q, the connectivity array me (i.e. all the Th.d-simplices of the mesh). In this case, toGlobal is just 1:Th.nq.
- `[q,me,toGlobal]=Th.get_mesh(key,value,...)` specifies function options using one or more key,value pair arguments. The string key options could be
  - ‘d’ : to specify the d-simplicial elementary meshes to consider.
  - ‘labels’ : to specify the labels of the elementary meshes to consider.

In this case, toGlobal is a 1-by-length(q) array (subset of 1:Th.nq). If we denote by qglob the global vertices array then  
`qglob(:,toGlobal)==q`

Several examples are given in functions:

`fc_simesh.demos.get_mesh2D()`, `siMesh.demos.get_mesh3D()`, `siMesh.demos.get_mesh3Ds()`

Listing 9: : get\_mesh method, four ways to defined a function

```
meshfile=fc_oogmsh.buildmesh2d('condenser11',50,'verbose',0);
Th=siMesh(meshfile);

[q,me,toGlobal]=Th.get_mesh();
[q2,me2,toGlobal2]=Th.get_mesh('labels',2:2:8);
[q1,me1,toGlobal1]=Th.get_mesh('d',1,'labels',1:8);

fprintf('norm(q(:,toGlobal2)-q2,Inf)=%e\n',norm(q(:,toGlobal2)-q2,Inf))
fprintf('norm(q(:,toGlobal1)-q1,Inf)=%e\n',norm(q(:,toGlobal1)-q1,Inf))
```

Output

```
norm(q(:,toGlobal2)-q2,Inf)=0.000000e+00
norm(q(:,toGlobal1)-q1,Inf)=0.000000e+00
```

### 3.4.7 get\_nme method

Returns the number of  $d$ -simplicial elements with  $d = \mathcal{T}_h.d$  by default. We denote by Th a **SiMESH** object.

- `nme=Th.get_nme()` : returns the number of Th.d-simplicial elements in the mesh.
- `nme=Th.get_mesh(key,value,...)` specifies function options using one or more key,value pair arguments. The string key options could be

- ‘d’ : to specify the d-simplicial elementary meshes to consider.
- ‘labels’ : to specify the labels of the elementary meshes to consider.

Listing 10: : get\_nme method

```

meshfile=gmsh.buildmesh3d('quart_sphere2',5);
Th=simesh(meshfile);
for d=[Th.d:-1:0]
    fprintf('Number of %d-simplices : %d\n',d,Th.get_nme('d',d))
end

nme=Th.get_nme('d',2,'labels',1:4);
fprintf('Number of 2-simplices in union of label's 1 to 4 : %d\n',nme);

```

Output

```

[fc-oogmsh] Input file : <fc-oogmsh>/geodir/3d/quart_sphere2.geo
[fc-oogmsh] Mesh file <fc-oogmsh>/meshes/quart_sphere2-5.msh already exists.
-> Use "force" flag to rebuild if needed.
Mesh /tmp/tmp.k8pWzEif9/fc-simesh-full/fc_oogmsh-0.0.15/meshes/quart_sphere2-5.msh is a ...
    3-dimensional mesh
    Force dimension to 3
Number of 3-simplices : 4654
Number of 2-simplices : 1751
Number of 1-simplices : 115
Number of 0-simplices : 5
Number of 2-simplices in union of label's 1 to 4 : 788

```

### 3.4.8 get\_nq method

Returns the number of vertices in the union of some elementary meshes. By default all the Th.d-simplicial elementary meshes are selected. We denote by Th a **simesh** object.

- `nq=Th.get_nq()` : returns the number of vertices in the union of the Th.d-simplicial elementary meshes.
- `nq=Th.get_nq(key,value,...)` specifies function options using one or more key,value pair arguments. The string key options could be
  - ‘d’ : to specify the d-simplicial elementary meshes to consider.
  - ‘labels’ : to specify the labels of the elementary meshes to consider.

Listing 11: : get\_nqe method

```

meshfile=gmsh.buildmesh3d('quart_sphere2',5);
Th=simesh(meshfile);
for d=[Th.d:-1:0]
    fprintf('Number of vertices in %d-simplices elementary meshes : %d\n',d,Th.get_nq('d',d))
end

nq=Th.get_nq('d',2,'labels',1:4);
fprintf('Number of vertices in the union of 2-simplices elementary meshes of ...
    label's 1 to 4 : %d\n',nq);

```

Output

```

[fc-oogmsh] Input file : <fc-oogmsh>/geodir/3d/quart_sphere2.geo
[fc-oogmsh] Mesh file <fc-oogmsh>/meshes/quart_sphere2-5.msh already exists.
-> Use "force" flag to rebuild if needed.
Mesh /tmp/tmp.k8pWzEif9/fc-simesh-full/fc_oogmsh-0.0.15/meshes/quart_sphere2-5.msh is a ...
    3-dimensional mesh
    Force dimension to 3
Number of vertices in 3-simplices elementary meshes : 1180
Number of vertices in 2-simplices elementary meshes : 861
Number of vertices in 1-simplices elementary meshes : 111
Number of vertices in 0-simplices elementary meshes : 5
Number of vertices in the union of 2-simplices elementary meshes of label's 1 to 4 : 425

```

### 3.5 Hypercube as a **SiMESH** object

The function `fc_simesh.HyperCube` allows to create a **SiMESH** object representing an hypercube in any dimension. It uses the **FC-HYPERMESH** Matlab toolbox.

- `Th=fc_simesh.HyperCube(dim,N)` : return a **SiMESH** object representing an hypercube in dimension dim and ...
- `Th=fc_simesh.HyperCube(dim,N,Key,Value,...)` :

#### 3.5.1 2D hypercube

In Listing 12 a usage example generating a 2D hypercube as a **SiMESH** object is given. This **SiMESH** object is representing in Figure 4 by using the **FC-SIPLT** toolbox.

Listing 12: : 2D Hypercube **SiMESH** object generated with the function `siMesh.HyperCube`

```
Th=fc_simesh.HyperCube(2,10);
disp(Th)
```

Output

```
siMesh with properties:
    d: 2 double
    dim: 2 double
    sTh: (1x9 cell)
    nsTh: 9 double
    toGlobal: (1x121 double)
    toParent: []
    sThsimp: [ 2 1 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 ] (1x9 double)
    sThlab: [ 1 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 ] (1x9 double)
    sThcolors: (9x3 double)
    bbox: [ 0 1 0 1 ] (1x4 double)
    sThgeolab: []
    sThphyslab: 1 double
    sThpartlabs: []
        nq: 121 double
    nqParents: []
    toParents: []
```

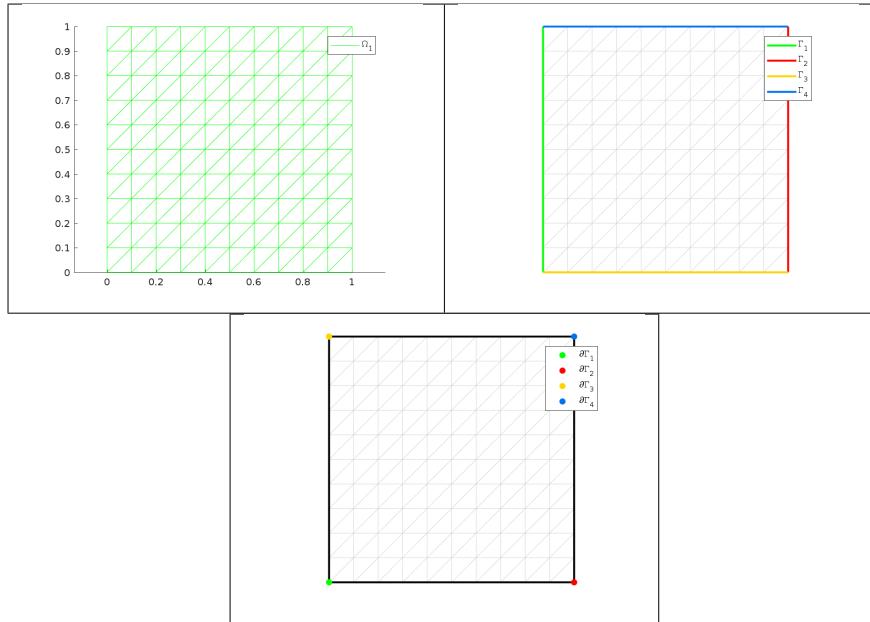


Figure 4: 2D Hypercube **siMESH** object generated with the function `fc_simesh.HyperCube`, representation of the elementary meshes with 2-simplices (top left), 1-simplices (top right) and 0-simplices (bottom)

### 3.5.2 3D hypercube

In Listing 13 a usage example generating a 3D hypercube as a **siMESH** object is given. This **siMESH** object is representing in Figure 5 by using the the **FC-SIPLT** toolbox. .

```
Listing 13: : 3D Hypercube siMESH object generated with the function fc_simesh.HyperCube
Th=fc_simesh.HyperCube(3,10);
disp(Th)
```

Output
<pre> siMesh with properties:     d: 3 double     dim: 3 double     sTh: (1x27 cell)     nsTh: 27 double     toGlobal: (1x1331 double)     toParent: []     sThsimp: (1x27 double)     sThlab: (1x27 double)     sThcolors: (27x3 double)     bbox: [ 0 1 0 1 0 1 ] (1x6 double)     sThgeolab: []     sThphyslab: 1 double     sThpartlabs: []         nq: 1331 double     nqParents: []     toParents: [] </pre>

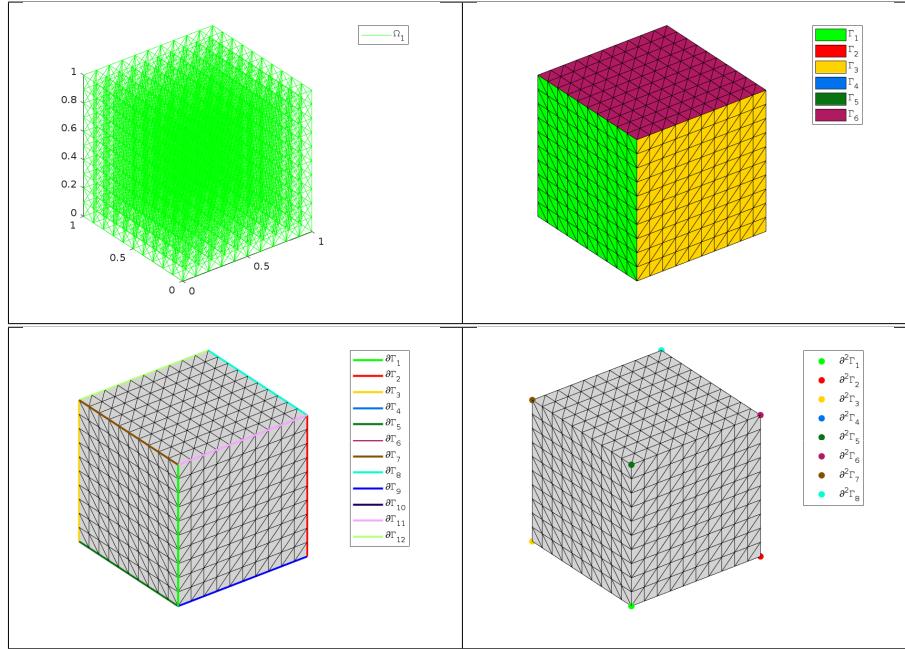


Figure 5: 3D Hypercube **SiMESH** object generated with the function `siMesh.HyperCube`, representation of the elementary meshes with 3-simplices (top left), 2-simplices (top right), 1-simplices (bottom left) and 0-simplices (bottom right)

### 3.5.3 4D hypercube

In Listing 14 a usage example generating a 4D hypercube as a **SiMESH** object is given.

```

Listing 14: : function fc_simesh.HyperCube
Th=fc_simesh.HyperCube(4,10);
disp(Th)

Output
siMesh with properties:
    d: 4 double
    dim: 4 double
    sTh: (1x81 cell)
    nsTh: 81 double
    toGlobal: (1x14641 double)
    toParent: []
    sThsimp: (1x81 double)
    sThlab: (1x81 double)
    sThcolors: (81x3 double)
    bbox: [ 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 ] (1x8 double)
    sThgeolab: []
    sThphyslab: 1 double
    sThpartlabs: []
    nq: 14641 double
    nqParents: []
    toParents: []

```

### 3.5.4 5D hypercube

In Listing 14 a usage example generating a 5D hypercube as a `siMESH` object is given.

```
Listing 15: : function siMesh.HyperCube
Th=fc_simesh.HyperCube(5,6);
disp(Th)

Output
siMesh with properties:
    d: 5 double
    dim: 5 double
    sTh: (1x243 cell)
    nsTh: 243 double
    toGlobal: (1x16807 double)
    toParent: []
    sThsimp: (1x243 double)
    sThlab: (1x243 double)
    sThcolors: (243x3 double)
    bbox: [ 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 ] (1x10 double)
    sThgeolab: []
    sThphyslab: 1 double
    sThpartlabs: []
        nq: 16807 double
    nqParents: []
    toParents: []
```