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## 报告题目:

MultiphaseAllen-CahnandCahn-HilliardModelsandTheirDiscretizations

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## Abstract:

In this talk, we study the mathematical properties and numerical discretizations for the N-phase system simulating the phase separation of N-component mixture. For the general choice of phase variables, the unisolvent property of mixing energy density coefficient matrix involved in the N-phase model based on the pairwise surface tensions is presented. Moreover, the symmetric positive definite property of coefficient matrix on a (N-1)-dimensional hyperplane, which is fundamentally important for the well- posedness of the model, can be proved equivalent to the some physical condition for pairwise surface tensions. The Allen-Cahn and Cahn-Hilliard equations can then be derived from the mixing energy functional. An interesting property is that the resulting dynamics of concentrations are independent of the choice of phase variables. Finite element discretizations for N-phase models can be obtained as the natural extension of the existing discretizations for two-phase model. The energy dispersion of numerical solutions can be proved and numerically observed under some restrictions of time step size. We also describe numerical experiments such as the evolution of triple junctions and the spinodal decomposition in a quaternary mixture to investigate the effect of pairwise surface tensions.

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