Meeting: 998, Houston, Texas, SS 18A, Special Session on Designing Frames and Wavelets: From Theory to Digitization

998-65-242 Shijun Zheng* (szheng@math.lsu.edu), Department of Mathematics, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA 70803, Dennis Healy, Department of Mathematics, University of Maryland, College Park, MD 20742, and Ioannis Konstantinidis, Institute of Informatics and Technology, University of Houston, Houston, TX 77204. Operator Reconstruction in Wavelet Bases and Its Use in Partial Differential Equations.

We give a survey on recent development on wavelet-based numerical solution of time-dependent partial differential equations. The fundamental idea is to use wavelet to give sparse representations of the solution operators involved. Thus it leads to a fast algorithm for efficient approximation of the solution to the PDE. We demonstrate the general scheme by considering the anisotropic diffusion equation arising in thin film image processing. Among other examples are advectiondiffusion equations arising in CFD. Numerical results are presented. (Received February 28, 2004)