

Handout #5  
ME663 Assignment #2  
Compressible Flow  
Due Date: April 12, 2024

Q1

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} \rho \\ \rho u \\ \rho E \end{bmatrix}, \quad F = \begin{bmatrix} \rho u \\ \rho u^2 + p \\ (\rho E + p)u \end{bmatrix}$$

Derive the Jacobian matrix  $A = \frac{\partial F}{\partial U}$  (see Handout #4, p. 14, Eq. (2.31.a)).  
**Note the page number in this assignment is referring to the page number in Laney's book: Computational Gasdynamics.**

Q2

Derive the right eigenvectors  $r_1, r_2, r_3$  for matrix  $A$  in Q1. Note that

$$Q_A = \begin{bmatrix} r_1 & r_2 & r_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

where  $Q_A$  is defined in Handout #4, p. 371, Eq. (3.23).

Q3

Derive the following flux-vector splitting

$$F^\pm = \left( \frac{\rho}{2\gamma} \right) \begin{bmatrix} 2(\gamma - 1)\lambda_1^\pm + \lambda_2^\pm + \lambda_3^\pm \\ 2(\gamma - 1)\lambda_1^\pm u + \lambda_2^\pm(u + a) + \lambda_3^\pm(u - a) \\ (\gamma - 1)\lambda_1^\pm u^2 + \frac{\lambda_2^\pm}{2}(u + a)^2 + \frac{\lambda_3^\pm}{2}(u - a)^2 + \frac{3-\gamma}{2(\gamma-1)}(\lambda_2^\pm + \lambda_3^\pm)a^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

or

$$F^\pm = \frac{1}{\gamma} Q_A \begin{bmatrix} (\gamma - 1)\rho\lambda_1^\pm \\ a\lambda_2^\pm \\ -a\lambda_3^\pm \end{bmatrix}$$

Q4

Following Q3, show that  $\lambda^\pm$  in  $F^\pm$  corresponding to van Leer's flux-vector splitting method are (see Handout #4, p. 377, Eq. (18.31)):

$$\begin{aligned}
\lambda_1^+ &= \frac{a}{4}(M+1)^2 \left[ 1 - \frac{(M-1)^2}{\gamma+1} \right] \\
\lambda_2^+ &= \frac{a}{4}(M+1)^2 \left[ 3 - M + \frac{\gamma-1}{\gamma+1}(M-1)^2 \right] \\
\lambda_3^+ &= \frac{a}{2}(M+1)^2 \left( \frac{M-1}{\gamma+1} \right) \left[ 1 + \frac{\gamma-1}{2}M \right]
\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
\lambda_1^-(M) &= -\lambda_1^+(-M) \\
\lambda_2^-(M) &= -\lambda_3^+(-M) \\
\lambda_3^-(M) &= -\lambda_2^+(-M)
\end{aligned}$$

Q5

Write a computer code for Test Case 1 (Handout #4, p. 352) using both Steger-Warming and van Leer flux-vector splitting methods, and compare your numerical results with the exact solutions at  $t = 0.01$  for  $-10 \leq x \leq 10$  in terms of density, velocity, pressure, Mach number. Provide me your source code(s) via Email or Dropbox in Learn with a simple README file about how to run your code and read your output files.

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