

4 Interpolation [4/35 marks]

For this task, you will perform a cubic spline interpolation on the data provided in the file `in_interp.csv`. First, plot the data (using MATLAB or Excel) in order to get an idea of the behaviour $f(x)$ should have. Next, write C code that uses cubic splines in order to estimate the function $f(x)$ that cuts through the data. You will then use your code to calculate the value(s) of $f(x)$ at $x_o = 3.5$, where x_o is a runtime input parameter. You will implement your method in `interp()`, reading the values of x and $f(x)$ from the file `in_interp.csv` in the following format:

```
x, f(x)
4.440706476030278, 4.403874813710879
4.116904962153069, 4.403874813710879
.
```

and outputting the values of the interpolated value to `out_interp.csv` in the following format (up to 6 decimal places).

```
xo, f(xo)
3.500000, 0.234655
3.500000, 1.107865
```

The output provided above is an example and does not constitute the solution. There may be more than 1 solution possible here and you must be able to identify the correct interval(s) to compute the interpolated value. For the C implementation, you must dynamically allocate space for x , $f(x)$ and write your code such that it can work for a different set of input data and different x_o value. Finally, you must plot the interpolated function using either MATLAB or Excel. How does the interpolated function look compared with the actual datapoints?

5 Differentiation, differential equations [13/35 marks]

The one-dimensional transport of a quantity $\phi(x, t)$ in a fluid moving at a constant velocity u can be described by the following linear advection equation: (10)

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t} + u \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} = 0.$$

- (a) Write a C program that solves (10) on the interval $0 \leq x \leq 1$, and for times $0 \leq t \leq t_{final}$, using the velocity $u = 1$. The spatial interval is to be discretized by $N_x + 1$ points. That is $x_i = i\Delta x$ with $i = 0, 1, 2, \dots, N_x$, where the equidistant grid spacing $\Delta x = 1/N_x$.

Equation (10) can also be written as

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t} = \text{RHS}(\phi) \quad (11)$$

where RHS denotes the 'right-hand-side' of the equation containing the spatial derivative $-u\partial\phi/\partial x$. Discretize the advection equation (10) by using the so-called "leapfrog" scheme (central difference approximation for both the spatial and temporal derivatives):

$$\frac{\phi^{n+1} - \phi^{n-1}}{2\Delta t} \approx \text{RHS}(\phi^n) \text{ for } n \geq 2 \quad (12)$$

and

$$\text{RHS}(\phi_i) \approx -u \frac{\phi_{i+1} - \phi_{i-1}}{2\Delta x} \text{ for } i = 1, \dots, N_x - 1 \quad (13)$$

where n is the time index so that for instance ϕ_i^{n+1} is ϕ value at time level $n + 1$ and at point x_i . Δt is the numerical time step for the time integration. Note that in the leapfrog scheme, both ϕ^n

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and ϕ^{n-1} are required to update ϕ^{n+1} . Thus, the scheme does not work for the first time iteration ($n = 1$) and instead the forward Euler scheme is to be used:

$$\frac{\phi^{n+1} - \phi^n}{\Delta t} \approx \text{RHS}(\phi^n) \text{ for } n = 1 \quad (14)$$

The so-called "periodic" boundary condition is to be adopted at the end points. That is, when evaluating the spatial derivatives at $i = 0$ and $i = N_x$, equation (13) becomes:

$$\text{RHS}(\phi_i) = -u \frac{\phi_1 - \phi_{N_x-1}}{2\Delta x} \text{ for } i = 0, N_x \quad (15)$$

The following initial condition for ϕ shall be used to start your simulation:

$$\begin{aligned} 0 \leq x < 0.125 &\rightarrow \phi(x, t = 0) = 0 \\ 0.125 \leq x \leq 0.375 &\rightarrow \phi(x, t = 0) = 0.5 \left(1 - \cos(8\pi(x - 0.125)) \right) \\ 0.375 < x \leq 1 &\rightarrow \phi(x, t = 0) = 0. \end{aligned}$$

For your code to run stably (i.e. the solution does not "blow up" towards infinity), your time step needs to satisfy the so-called CFL condition:

$$\text{CFL} = u \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta x} \leq 1. \quad \Delta t = \frac{\text{CFL} \cdot \Delta x}{u} \quad (16)$$

You will implement your routines in the function `advection()`, reading in the values of u , N_x , CFL and t_{final} from `in_advection.csv` in the following format:

```
u, Nx, CFL, t_final
1.0, 200, 0.50, 1.0
```

$$N_t = \frac{t_{\text{final}} \cdot u \cdot N_x}{\text{CFL}}$$

The parameter t_{final} determines the total number of time iterations required (N_t). That is, your program will integrate the advection equation up to time $t_{\text{final}} = N_t \Delta t$. When computing N_t for a given t_{final} , round N_t to next higher integer in case $t_{\text{final}}/\Delta t$ is not a full integer. Finally, your program shall output the computed solution of ϕ at the end of the temporal iteration (i.e. at time $t = N_t \Delta t$) to the file `out_advection.csv` in the following format (up to 6 decimal places).

```
x, phi
0.000000, 0.000000
0.010000, 0.000394
0.020000, 0.000907
.
```

(b) Run your code until time $t_{\text{final}} = 1.0$ for the following cases:

- Chose two different resolutions Δx , by setting N_x to 100 and 200.
- For each N_x , chose the time step Δt from the CFL condition, using CFL=1, 0.8 and 0.25.

Plot your solutions at $t = 1.0$ (six plots in total) and compare with the exact solution. The exact solution is the same as the initial condition but shifted by $u \cdot t$ in the positive x direction. That is, if the initial condition is given by the function $g(x)$, then the exact solution at time t would be $g(\text{mod}(x - u \cdot t, 1))$ where $\text{mod}(a, b)$ is the modulus function which computes the remainder of a divided by b . How well does the solution agree with the exact solution? Discuss:

- How does the agreement of the numerical prediction with the exact solution depend on the grid resolution Δx ?
- How does the agreement of the numerical prediction with the exact solution depend on the CFL number?
- What happens if you chose $\text{CFL} > 1$, for example $\text{CFL} = 1.002$?



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$$\left\{ \begin{aligned} \frac{\phi_i^{n+1} - \phi_i^{n-1}}{2\Delta t} + u \frac{\phi_{i+1}^n - \phi_{i-1}^n}{2\Delta x} &= 0 (\Delta t^2 + \Delta x^2) \\ &\text{忽略高阶小项} \end{aligned} \right.$$

$$\phi_i^{n+1} - \phi_i^{n-1} + \underbrace{\frac{u\Delta t}{\Delta x}}_{CFL} (\phi_{i+1}^n - \phi_{i-1}^n) = 0$$

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在 $i=0$ 和 $i=N_x-1$

$$\phi_0^1 = \phi_0^0 - \frac{CFL}{2} (\phi_1^0 - \phi_{N_x-1}^0)$$

$$\phi_{N_x}^1 = \phi_{N_x}^0 - \frac{CFL}{2} (\phi_1^0 - \phi_{N_x-1}^0)$$

$$i=0 \quad \phi[i][1] = \phi[i][0] - \frac{CFL}{2} (\phi[i+1][0] - \phi[i-1][0])$$

$i=1$ 到 $i=N_x-1$: for ($i=1$; $i \leq N_x-1$; $i++$) {

$$\phi[i][1] = \phi[i][0] - \frac{CFL}{2} (\phi[i+1][0] - \phi[i-1][0])$$

}

$$i=N_x \quad \phi[i][1] = \phi[i][0] - \frac{CFL}{2} (\phi[i+1][0] - \phi[i-1][0])$$



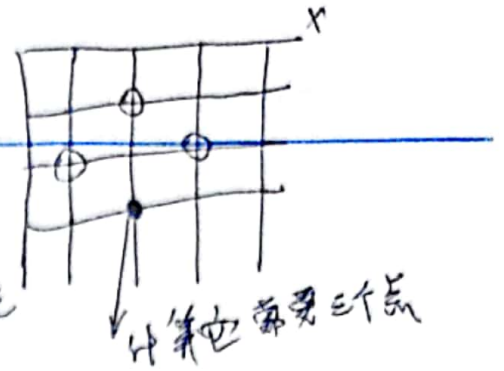
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在 $i=0$ 和 $i=N_x$ 处。

$$\phi_0^{n+1} = \phi_0^{n-1} - CFL(\phi_1^n - \phi_{N_x-1}^n)$$

$$\phi_{N_x}^{n+1} = \phi_{N_x}^{n-1} - CFL(\phi_1^n - \phi_{N_x-1}^n)$$



$$\begin{array}{c|c|c|c|c} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 \\ \hline 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 \end{array} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{c|c|c|c|c} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & \\ \hline 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 1 \end{array}$$

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$$\phi_i^{n+1} = \phi_i^{n-1} - CFL(\phi_{i+1}^n - \phi_{i-1}^n)$$

$n=0$ 即初始值, $n=1$ 为第一步

第二版迭代开始:

for ($n=1; n < N_t-1; n++$) {

$i=0$ 处: $\phi[n+1][0] = \phi[n-1][0] - CFL(\phi[n][1] - \phi[n][N_x-1]);$

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$\phi[n+1][i] = \phi[n-1][i] - CFL(\phi[n][i+1] - \phi[n][i-1]);$

}

$i=N_x$ 处: $\phi[n+1][N_x] = \phi[n-1][N_x] - CFL(\phi[n][N_x] - \phi[n][N_x-1]);$