Project 1 Milestone 1

Introduction

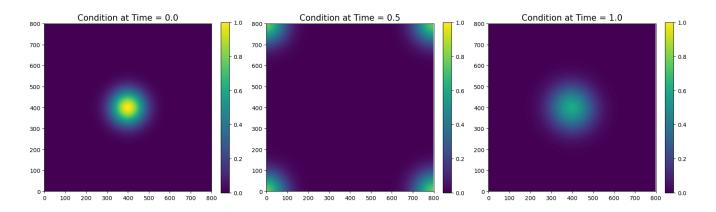
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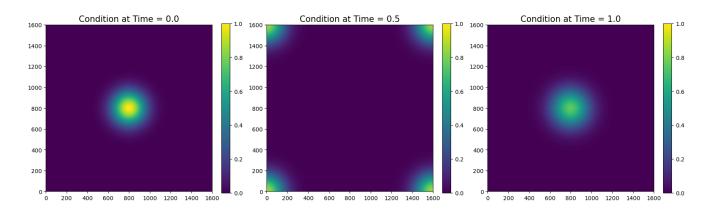
Verification

For each of the four cases specified in the performance section, we have the image of initial condition, the image at time T/2, and the image at time T using parameter values specified for the performance comparisons in the next section with the initial condition for all tests as $C(x,y,0) = \exp\left(-\left(\frac{x^2}{2\sigma_x^2} + \frac{y^2}{2\sigma_y^2}\right)\right)$ with $\sigma_x^2 = \sigma_y^2 = \frac{1}{200}$ and using the periodic boundary conditions.

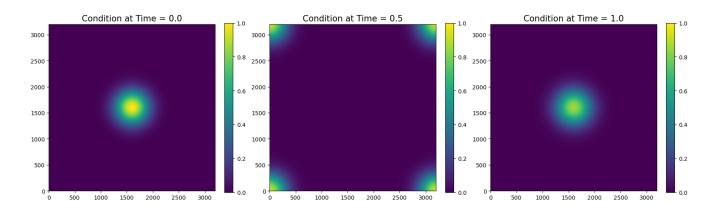
Advection with N = 800



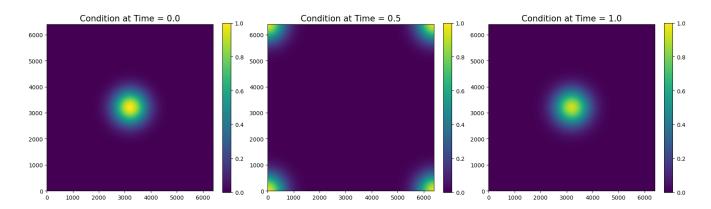
Advection with N = 1600



Advection with N = 3200



Advection with N = 6400



An animation of the full simulation for the 3200×3200 case is in the GitHub repository.

Performance

Fill out the tables below with the requested information.

Problem Size (NXN)	Grind Rate $(\frac{cells}{sec})$	time to solution (s)
800 × 800	1,498,773,115	1.92
1600×1600	1,056,307,476	21.92
3200×3200	1,152,969,401	160.71
6400×6400	1,058,944,837	1400.13

Table 1: Performance of Lax Method for a range of grid resolutions. All experiments should use L=1.0m, $u=1.0\frac{m}{s},\,v=1.0\frac{m}{s},\,$ and T=1.0s with $\delta x=\frac{L}{N-1},\,\delta t=0.25\frac{\delta x}{\sqrt{u^2+v^2}}.$

This is on a Macbook Air (2020) with Apple M1 chip with 8-core CPU: 4 performance cores and 4 efficiency cores.