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ADVECTION - DIFFUSION EQUATIONS

Based on book by Hundsdorfer / Verwer

1D:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} u(x,t) + \frac{\partial}{\partial x} [a(x,t) u(x,t)] = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} [d(x,t) u(x,t)]$$

conservation law advection
 flux flux

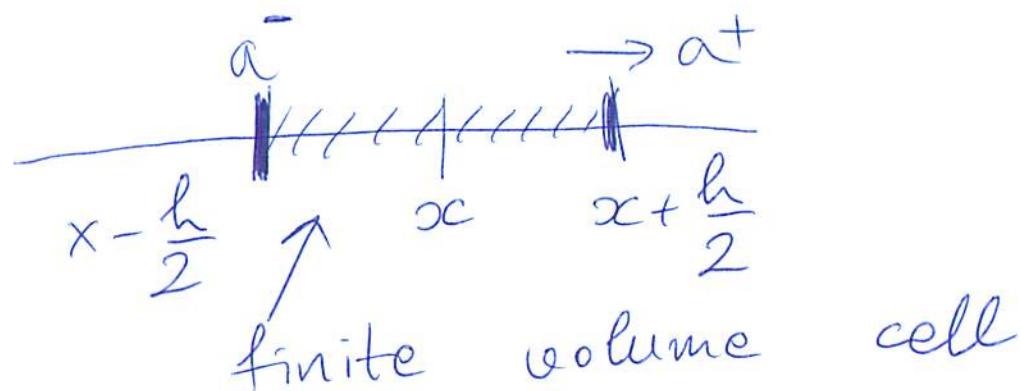
In this equation, $a(x,t)$ is a given advection velocity, and $d(x,t)$ is a given diffusion coefficient

$$u_t + (au)_x = (du_x)_x + f(u) \quad (*)$$

concentration of ions, pollutant, etc.
 (transported quantity) forcing
 (reactions)

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The ado-diff expression of equation is an conservation of mass



$$\bar{u}^x = \frac{1}{h} \int_{x-h/2}^{x+h/2} u(x,t) dx$$

$$h \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \bar{u}^x = - \left[a(x+\frac{h}{2}) u(x+\frac{h}{2}) - a(x-\frac{h}{2}) u(x-\frac{h}{2}) \right]$$

exact! \rightarrow $+ \left[d(x+\frac{h}{2}) u_x(x+\frac{h}{2}) - d(x-\frac{h}{2}) u_x(x-\frac{h}{2}) \right]$

(not a discretization) $\nearrow \lim h \rightarrow 0$ gives (*)

Fick's law (constitutive relation)
from microscopic physics

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For ~~one~~ dimensions higher than one

(typically dim=2 or dim=3)

nabla notation

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \nabla = (\partial_x, \partial_y, \partial_z)^T = \text{grad} \\ \Delta = \nabla \cdot \nabla = \text{div grad} = \partial_{xx} + \partial_{yy} + \partial_{zz} \\ \text{I prefer } \nabla^2 \text{ instead of } \Delta \end{array} \right.$$

$$u_t + \nabla \cdot (\underline{a} u) = \nabla \cdot (D \nabla u)$$

$$\underline{a} \in \mathbb{R}^{\text{dim}}, D \in \mathbb{R}^{\text{dim} \times \text{dim}} \geq 0 \text{ (SPD)}$$

$$\nabla \cdot (\underline{a} u) = \partial_\alpha (\underline{a}_\alpha u) = (\alpha=1, 2, \dots, \text{dim})$$

$$(\partial_\alpha \underline{a}_\alpha) u + \underline{a}_\alpha \partial_\alpha u =$$

$$(\nabla \cdot \underline{a}) u + \underline{a} \cdot \nabla u =$$

if $\nabla \cdot \underline{a} = 0$

$\underline{a} \cdot \nabla u$
solenoidal
or
incompressible

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$$u_t + \underline{a} \cdot \nabla u = D \cdot (\nabla^2 u)$$

advective form (non-conservative
in general)

Another way in which advective form can arise:

$$\begin{cases} u_t + D \cdot (\underline{a} u) = D \cdot (\nabla^2 u) & \leftarrow \text{density of pollutant} \\ S_t + \nabla \cdot (\underline{a} S) = 0 & \leftarrow \text{true mass density} \\ & \quad (\text{does NOT diffuse}) \end{cases}$$

Define $c = \frac{u}{S}$ as concentration

$$u = Sc \Rightarrow u_t = Sc_t + cS_t \Rightarrow$$

$$Sc_t + c \nabla \cdot (\underline{a} S) + D \cdot (\underline{a} u) = S(c_t + \underline{a} \cdot \nabla c)$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Note } \nabla \cdot (\underline{a} Sc) = \\ = c \nabla \cdot (\underline{a} S) + S \underline{a} \cdot \nabla c \end{array} \right.$$

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$$S(C_t + \underline{a} \cdot \nabla C) = \nabla \cdot (\underline{D} \nabla u)$$

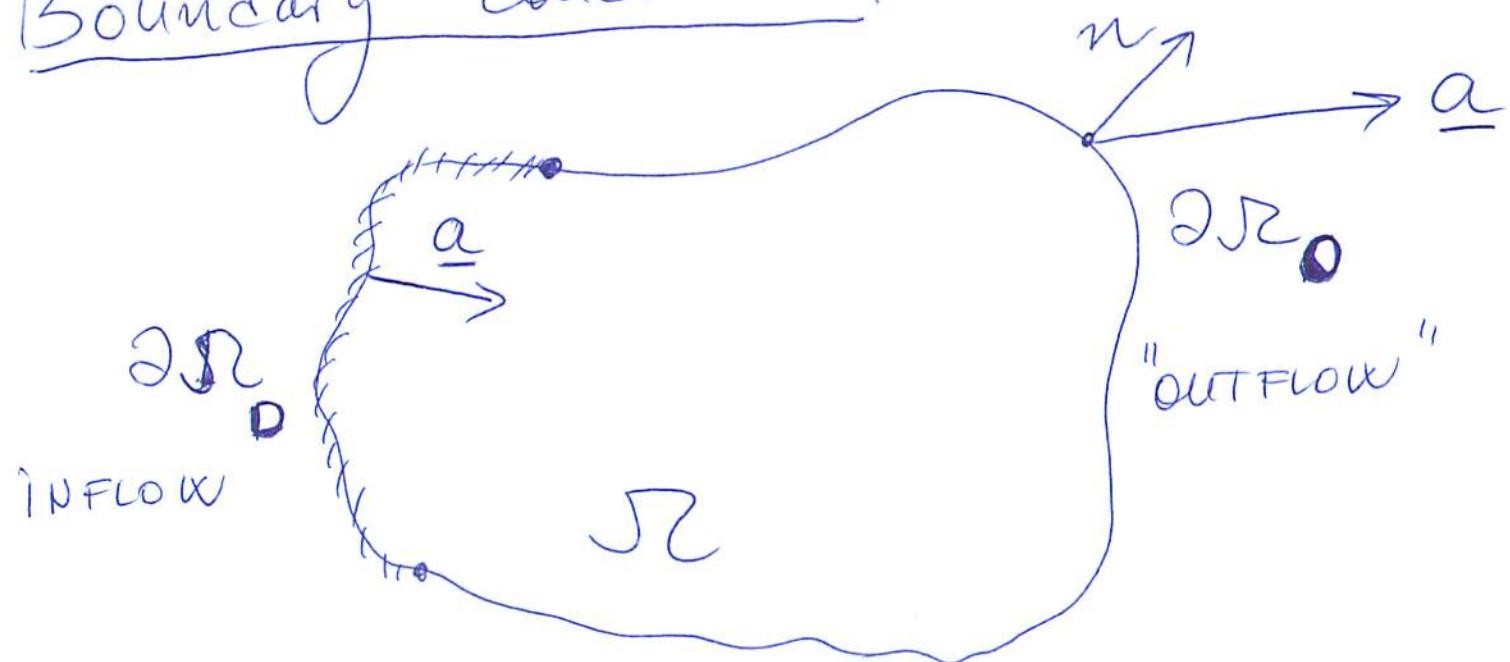
Correct Physics usually $\nabla \cdot (\underline{S} \underline{D} \nabla C)$

$$\boxed{\underline{D}_t C = C_t + \underline{a} \cdot \nabla C} = S^{-1} \nabla \cdot (\underline{S} \underline{D} \nabla C)$$

advective or
material derivative

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Notice only conservative
if $S = \text{const.}$

Boundary conditions:



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$$\partial\Omega = \partial\Omega_D \cup \partial\Omega_N$$

$$\underline{n} \cdot \underline{a} < 0 \quad \text{on } \partial\Omega_D$$

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normal
vector (outward)

$$\underline{n} \cdot \underline{a} \geq 0 \quad \text{on } \partial\Omega_N$$

a) For pure advection,

Dirichlet
BC

$$\boxed{\underline{u} = \underline{g}_D} \quad \text{on } \partial\Omega_D$$

is sufficient

b) For diffusion or ado-diff, one needs
BCs on $\partial\Omega_N$ as well, e.g.

Neumann BC :

$$\boxed{\underline{n} \cdot \nabla \underline{u} = \underline{g}_N} \quad \text{on } \partial\Omega_N$$

(in) homogeneous

Robin or zero flux BC :

$$\boxed{\underline{n} \cdot (\underline{a}\underline{u} - D\nabla \underline{u}) = \underline{g}_M} \quad \text{on } \partial\Omega_M$$

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We see that adding diffusion dramatically changes the character of the problem!

$$u_t + \nabla \cdot (\underline{a} u) = 0$$

is a pure
hyperbolic eq.

$$u_t = \nabla \cdot (D \nabla u)$$

is a pure
parabolic eq.

steady state $u_t = 0 = \nabla \cdot (D \nabla u)$ is
a pure elliptic eq

In reality most equations have mixed character but often problems are advection-dominated or diffusion-dominated and behave alike the limiting cases.

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Discretizations of Adv-Diff Eq.



$$u_t(x_j, t) = \sum_k c_k u(x_{j+k}, t) + O(h^q)$$

stencil coefficients

local error
order of
accuracy

This is a finite-difference scheme but for simple uniform discretizations it does not matter, and the distinction regards local conservation and variational structure
FINITE VOLUME and FINITE ELEMENT

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$$w_j(t) \approx u(x_j, t) \quad (\text{finite difference})$$

But could be

$$w_j(t) = \frac{1}{h} \int_{x_j-h/2}^{x_j+h/2} u(x, t) dx \quad (\text{Finite Volume})$$

Or the relation could be expressed
the other way, e.g., interpolation

$$u(x_j, t) = F(\underline{w}, x) \quad (\text{Finite Element, SPECTRAL})$$

From here, we convert the PDE
into a system of ODEs for w .

$$\frac{dw}{dt} = w'(t) = A w(t) \quad \begin{matrix} \text{Method of} \\ \text{Lines approach} \\ (\text{SPLIT space and time}) \end{matrix}$$

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stencil

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In finite difference methods we directly work with the PDE and replace derivatives with finite-difference approximations. In finite-volume methods we evaluate fluxes at the cell interfaces to maintain finite element methods weak (variational) form and in spectral methods transform the PDE into another set of basis functions (Fourier).

{ For low-order (second-order) typically in the end all discretizations look the same and the main task is to analyze them!

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Modified Equations

$$\frac{1}{h} [u(x-h) - u(x)] = -u_x(x) + \frac{1}{2} h u_{xx}(x) + O(h^2)$$

So the upwind scheme is actually adding diffusion or artificial dissipation

$$\begin{cases} \tilde{u}_t + a \tilde{u}_x = \frac{1}{2} ah \tilde{u}_{xx} & \text{modified equation} \\ d = \frac{ah}{2} & \text{artificial dissipation} \end{cases}$$

The upwind scheme is a second-order approximation to the modified and not the original equation.

$$\frac{1}{h} (w_{j-1} - w_j) = \frac{1}{2h} (w_{j+1} - w_{j-1}) + \frac{h/2}{h^2} (w_{j-1} - 2w_j + w_{j+1})$$

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$$\frac{1}{2h} [u(x-h) - u(x+h)] = -u_x(x) - \frac{h^2}{6} u_{xxx}(x) + O(h^4)$$

modified equation for centered scheme

$$\tilde{u}_t + a \tilde{u}_x = - \frac{ah^2}{6} \tilde{u}_{xxx}$$

artificial dispersion

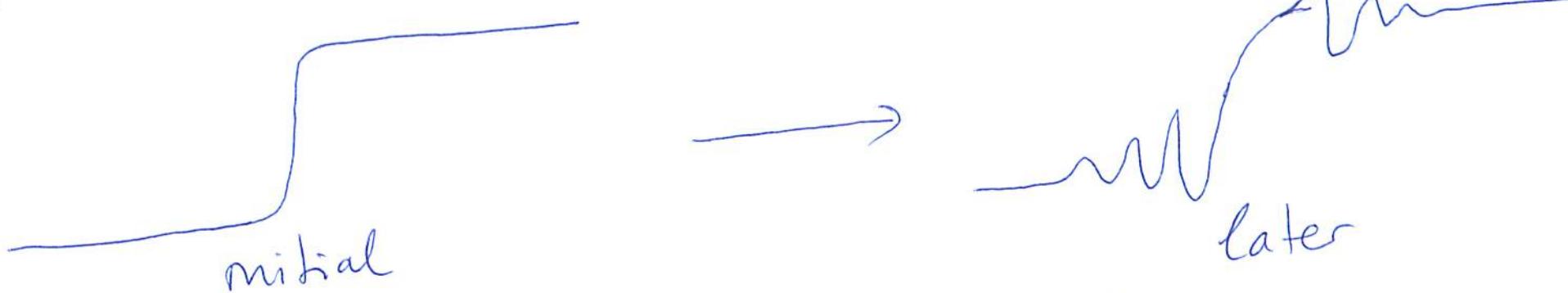
$$\begin{cases} \tilde{u}(x,0) = e^{2\pi i k x} \\ \tilde{u}(x,t) = e^{2\pi i k (x - a_k t)} \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{matrix} \text{numerical} \\ \text{phase velocity} \end{matrix}$$

$$\text{But } a_k = a \left(1 - \frac{2}{3}\pi^2 k^2 h^2\right)$$

\uparrow dispersion relation

So if the solution is not smooth (has high-frequency components), it will be distorted (Gibbs phenomenon)

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Note $k_{\max} = \frac{m}{2}$ so $\frac{2}{3}\pi^2 k_{\max}^2 h^2 = \frac{2}{3}\pi^2 \cdot \frac{1}{4}$

independent of h . So ~~the~~ the grid must be much finer than the width of regions with sharp gradients

Dilemma (central issue in adi-diff)

- { Accept low accuracy ~~robustness~~ (artificial diss.)
- accept low robustness (non-monotonicity)
- or find a way to trade off

⑯ E.g. third-order upwind-biased method
for $\alpha > 0$

$$w_j^1 = \frac{\alpha}{h} \left[-\frac{1}{6} w_{j-2} + w_{j-1} - \frac{1}{2} w_j - \frac{1}{3} w_{j+1} \right]$$

Modified eq: $\tilde{u}_t + \alpha \tilde{u}_x = - \frac{|\alpha|}{12} h^3 \tilde{u}_{xxxx}$

So now the dissipative term is $O(h^3)$ and also fourth-order, not second-order diffusive

Note: $\begin{cases} u_t = -u_{xxxx}, & \hat{u}_t = -k^4 \hat{u} \\ \end{cases}$
 } does not satisfy a maximum principle and over/under shoots can appear

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Take $h \rightarrow 0$ to get a semi-discretization in time

$$u' = Au$$

where A is some linear (differential) operator.

Consider the θ -method:

$$u^{n+1} = u^n + (1-\theta)\bar{A}u^n + \theta\bar{A}u^{n+1}$$

$\theta = 0$: forward Euler

$\theta = 1$: backward Euler

$\theta = 1/2$: Crank-Nicolson.

Temporal truncation error:

$$S_n = \frac{1}{2} [u(t_{n+1}) - u(t_n)] - \left(\frac{u^{n+1} - u^n}{2} \right)$$

(30) By Taylor series of $u' = Au$

$$S_n = \left(\frac{1}{2} - \theta\right) \tau \underbrace{u''(t_n)}_{A^2} + \left(\frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{2}\theta\right) \bar{\tau}^2 \underbrace{u'''(t_n)}_{A^3}$$

This means that our scheme is closer to solving the modified equation

$$\tilde{u}' = \tilde{A} \tilde{u}$$

$$\tilde{A} = A + \left(\theta - \frac{1}{2}\right) \bar{\tau} A^2 + \left(\frac{\theta}{2} - \frac{1}{6}\right) \bar{\tau}^2 A^3$$

\uparrow modified operator

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \tilde{A} = A + \frac{\bar{\tau}^2}{12} A^3 \quad \text{for } \theta = 1/2 \text{ (CN)} \\ \tilde{A} = A + \frac{\bar{\tau}}{2} A^2 \quad \text{for } \theta = 1 \text{ (BE)} \end{array} \right.$$

③ 11 For pure advection equation,

$$A = -a \partial_x \Rightarrow A^2 = a^2 \partial_{xx}$$

$$\Rightarrow A^3 = -a^3 \partial_{xxx}$$

So the modified equation is

BE $\left[\tilde{u}_t + a \tilde{u}_x = \frac{\tau a^2}{2} \tilde{u}_{xx} \text{ for } \theta=1 \right]$

↑
Artificial diffusion!

CN $\left[\tilde{u}_t + a \tilde{u}_x = -\frac{1}{12} \tau^2 a^3 \tilde{u}_{xxx} \text{ for } \theta=\frac{1}{2} \right]$

↑
artificial dispersion

See HW 3 !

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One can combine together the spatial and temporal artificial dissipation & dispersion into one modified equation. This works for space-time schemes also.

Take upwind scheme &
see Section 10.9 in LeVeque

$$\rightarrow u_j^{n+1} = u_j^n - \frac{\Delta t}{h} (u_j^n - u_{j-1}^n)$$

This can be seen as an MOL scheme:
Upwind + Forward Euler

Upwind modified equation ②

$$\tilde{u}_t + a\tilde{u}_x = \frac{1}{2}ah\tilde{u}_{xx}$$

Forward Euler modified equation

$$\tilde{u}_t + a\tilde{u}_x = -\frac{a^2}{2}\tilde{u}_{xx}$$

Put them together we get

$$\begin{aligned}\tilde{u}_t + a\tilde{u}_x &= \frac{1}{2}ah\left(1 - \frac{a^2}{h}\right)\tilde{u}_{xx} \\ &= \frac{1}{2}ah(1-\gamma)\tilde{u}_{xx}\end{aligned}$$

Modified Eq. Upwind

We could have gotten this directly: ③

$$\vartheta(x, t+\bar{z}) = \vartheta(x, t) - \frac{a^2}{h} [\vartheta(x, t) - \vartheta(x-h, t)]$$

↓ Taylor sense $+O(h^2) + O(\bar{z}^2)$

$$\vartheta_t + a\vartheta_x = \frac{1}{2} (ah\vartheta_{xx} - \bar{z}\vartheta_{tt})$$

But $\vartheta_{tt} \approx a^2 \vartheta_{xx}$ from PDE

$$\begin{aligned} \vartheta_t + a\vartheta_x &= \frac{1}{2} (ah\vartheta_{xx} - a^2 \bar{z} \vartheta_{xx}) \\ &\quad + O(\bar{z}^2, h^2) \end{aligned}$$

Effective artificial diffusion coefficient

$$d = (ah - a^2 \bar{z})/2 = [ah(1-\gamma)/2 \geq 0]$$

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Following the same procedure
 for Lax-Wendroff we have to
 keep terms of $O(\tilde{\epsilon}^2)$ to get
 modified equation

$$\tilde{u}_t + a \tilde{u}_x + \underbrace{\frac{a\tilde{\epsilon}^2}{6}(1-\gamma^2)}_{\text{Artificially Dispersive term}} \tilde{u}_{xxx} = 0$$

Artificially Dispersive
term

Oscillations will develop behind
 sharp peaks not resolved by grid
Show Fig. 10.4 in Le Veque

If we kept next term we
 would see some artificial diffusion
 also (necessary to stabilize scheme)

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$$\tilde{u}_t + a\tilde{u}_x + \frac{\alpha \bar{z}^2}{6}(1-\gamma^2)\tilde{u}_{xxx} = -\epsilon \tilde{u}_{xxxx}$$

Lax-Wendroff

where $\epsilon = O(\bar{z}^3 + h^3) \geq 0$

Beam-warming scheme is similar

$$\tilde{u}_t + a\tilde{u}_x = \frac{\alpha \bar{z}^2}{6}(2-3\gamma+\gamma^2)\tilde{u}_{xxx} = 0$$

Oscillations now precede sharp peaks

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Variable Coefficients

$$u_t + [a(x) u]_x = [d(x) u_x]_x$$

conservation law ↗ advection flux ↗ diffusion flux

Recall $\bar{u}_j(t) = w_j = \frac{1}{h} \int_{x_j - h/2}^{x_j + h/2} u(x, t) dx$

Taylor series $= u(x_j, t) + \frac{h^2}{24} u_{xx}(x_j) + \dots$

We can choose finite-difference

$$\begin{cases} w_j \approx u(x_j, t) \end{cases} \quad \text{or} \quad \text{finite-volume}$$

$$\begin{cases} w_j \approx \bar{u}_j(t) \end{cases}$$

→ Makes no difference up to second order

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But for discretization, we use finite-volume, which means we use flux form or conservation form:

$$w_j'(t) = \frac{1}{h} \left[F_{j-1/2} - F_{j+1/2} \right]$$

↑ fluxes through cell boundaries

Let's take the natural

$$F_{j+1/2} = \underbrace{a(x_{j+1/2}) w_{j+1/2}}_{\text{advection flux}} - \underbrace{d(x_{j+1/2})(w_j - w_{j+1})}_{\text{diffusive flux}}$$

What is $w_{j+1/2}$?

How to go from cell centers to cell faces?

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If $a(x) > 0$ for $\forall x$

$w_{j+1/2} = w_j$ is upwind (first-order)

More generally, one writes

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} a(x_{j+1/2})w_{j+1/2} = a^+(x_{j+1/2})w_j + -\bar{a}(x_{j+1/2})w_{j+1} \\ \text{where } a^+ = \max(a, 0), \bar{a} = \min(a, 0) \end{array} \right.$$

for first-order upwind scheme

or

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} w_{j+1/2} = \frac{1}{2}(w_j + w_{j+1}) \end{array} \right.$$

} for second-order centered scheme

DIY: Convince yourself that for
Do-it-yourself constant coeff. these are the same
as before

(14) For third-order upwind-biased:

$$w_{j+1/2} = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{6} [-w_{j-1} + 5w_j + 2w_{j+1}] \\ \text{if } a(x_{j+1/2}) \geq 0, \text{ and similarly} \\ \text{flip direction for } a_{j+1/2} \leq 0 \end{cases}$$

} Analytical exercise:
 Show that the order of consistency
 of this scheme is $q=2$ for
 finite-difference interpretation, but
 $q=3$ for finite-volume

No stability result exists in general -
 we use heuristics and frozen coefficients
 arguments if a is smooth

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Space - TIME METHODS

FOR ADVECTION - DIFFUSION

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(some notes & comments)

Recall that Lax-Wendroff is NOT an MOL (method-of-lines) scheme, it is a space-time scheme.

It's local truncation error is:

$$g = -\frac{1}{6} a \Delta x^2 (1 - \gamma^2) u_{xxx} + O(\Delta t^3)$$

where $\gamma = \frac{a \Delta t}{\Delta x}$ is CFL number

$$S = -\frac{1}{6} u_{xxx} (\Delta x^2 - a^2 \Delta t^2) \quad (2)$$

which is a sum of a spatial and a temporal error just like MOL schemes. But this is NOT always the case.

Consider the Lax-Friedrichs method

$$u_i^{n+1} = \frac{1}{2} (u_{i-1}^n + u_{i+1}^n) - (\Delta t) a \underbrace{\frac{u_{i+1}^n - u_{i-1}^n}{2 \Delta x}}_{\text{Centered difference}} + \text{Euler (UNSTABLE)}$$

Stabilization
(not MOL)

S stable if $CFL \leq 1$

Doing Taylor series on

$$\frac{1}{2} (u_{i-1}^n + u_{i+1}^n) = u_i^n + \frac{1}{2} \Delta x^2 u_{xx}$$

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we see that the modified equation is

$$u_t = -au_x + \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} \frac{\Delta x^2}{\Delta t} u_{xx}}$$

Numerical (artificial)
dissipation

The Lax-Friedrichs method is
not even consistent if $\Delta t \rightarrow 0$
keeping Δx fixed: One must
refine both space and time
together for space-time schemes

The error for Lax-Friedrichs is ④

$$g = \frac{1}{2} a \Delta x (\nu^{-1} - \nu) u_{xx} + O(\Delta t^2)$$

so it must be run with $\nu \approx 1$

When talking about non-MOL schemes
we are looking at space-time error

$$\nu = \text{const} \Rightarrow \Delta t = O(\Delta x)$$

(for advection problems)

Note that for explicit (conditionally stable) methods we can never refine in space only due to $\nu \leq 1$ limit

$$\textcircled{2} \quad u_t + a u_x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow u(x_j, t_{n+1}) = u(x_j - \bar{\tau}a, t_n)$$

Denote $\boxed{\gamma = \frac{\bar{\tau}a}{h}}$ → advective Courant or CFL number

$$\Rightarrow \bar{\tau}a = \gamma h$$

Lax-Wendroff can be obtained by using quadratic interpolation to get $u(x_j - \bar{\tau}a, t_n)$:

Assume

$$\boxed{-1 \leq \gamma \leq 1}$$

CFL condition

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Interpolate

$$\left. \begin{aligned} u(x_j - \gamma h) &\approx \frac{1}{2} \gamma(\gamma+1) u(x_{j-1}) \\ &\quad + (1-\gamma^2) u(x_j) \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{2} \gamma(\gamma-1) u(x_{j+1}) \end{aligned} \right\}$$

$$\alpha \geq 0 \quad \text{or} \quad \alpha \leq 0$$

This leads to the scheme: Lax-Wendroff

$$w_j^{n+1} = w_j^n + \frac{\alpha \bar{t}}{2h} \underbrace{(w_{j-1}^n - w_{j+1}^n)}_{\text{forward Euler for centered advection}}$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\alpha \bar{t}}{h} \right)^2 \underbrace{[w_{j-1}^n - 2w_j^n + w_{j+1}^n]}_{\text{second-order diffusive correction}}$$

④ Godunov methods

Consider a general conservation law

$$q_t + (\mathbf{f}(q))_x = 0$$

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flux function

$$\mathbf{f}(q) = a q \quad \text{for advection}$$

fundamental
hyperbolic
equation

Define cell-average:

$$q_i^n = \frac{1}{\Delta x} \int_{x_{i-1/2}}^{x_{i+1/2}} q(t^n, x) dx$$

Take time derivative and commute

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$$\frac{dq_i^n}{dt} = -\frac{1}{\Delta x} \int_{x_{i-1/2}}^{x_{i+1/2}} \frac{df(q(x))}{dx} dx$$

$$= -\frac{1}{\Delta x} \left(f(q(t, x_{i+1/2})) - f(q(t, x_{i-1/2})) \right)$$

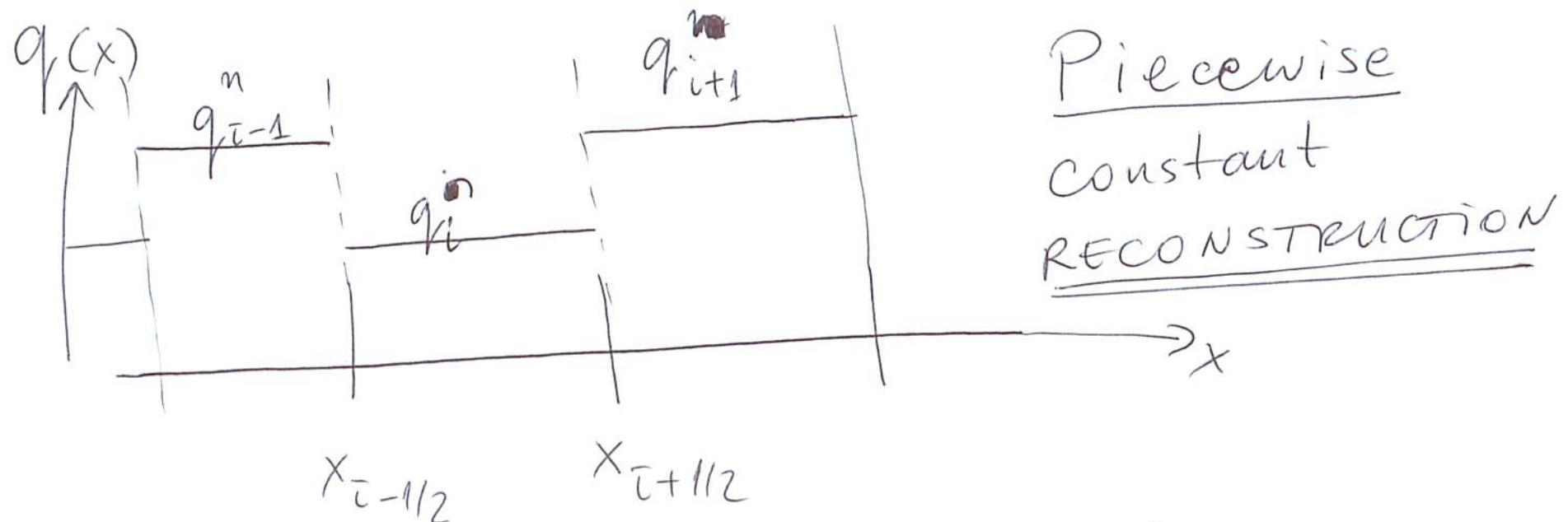
fluxes
 through faces of
 finite-volume grid

Now integrate in time

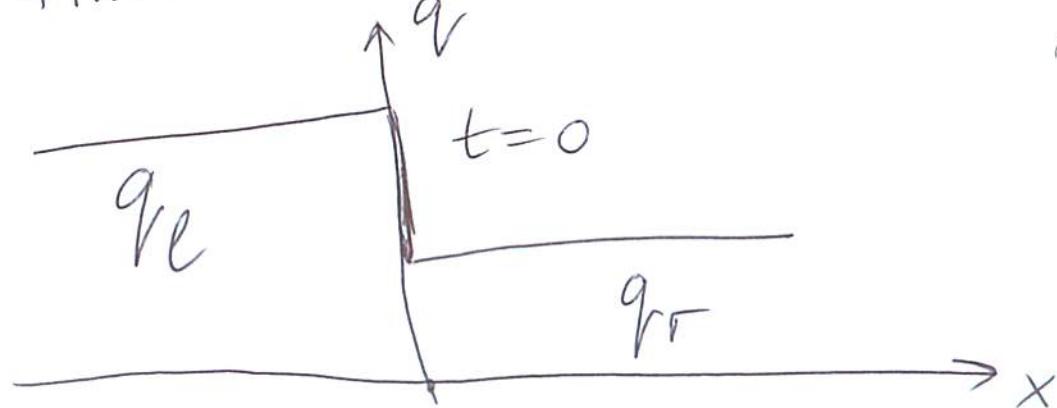
$$q_i^{n+1} = q_i^n - \frac{1}{\Delta x} \int_{t^n}^{t^{n+1}} (f(q(t, x_{i+1/2})) - f(q(t, x_{i-1/2}))) dt$$

This is so far exact, now we need an approximation

⑥ Riemann problem



Assume that we can solve a piecewise constant problem exactly over a finite time interval

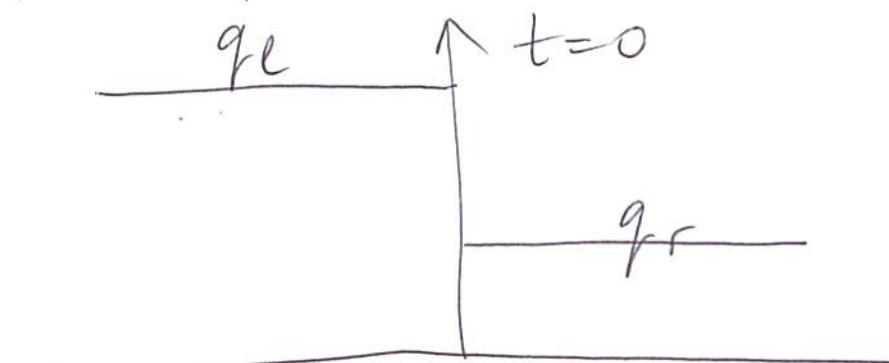


Riemann problem to compute $f \downarrow (q_l, q_r)$

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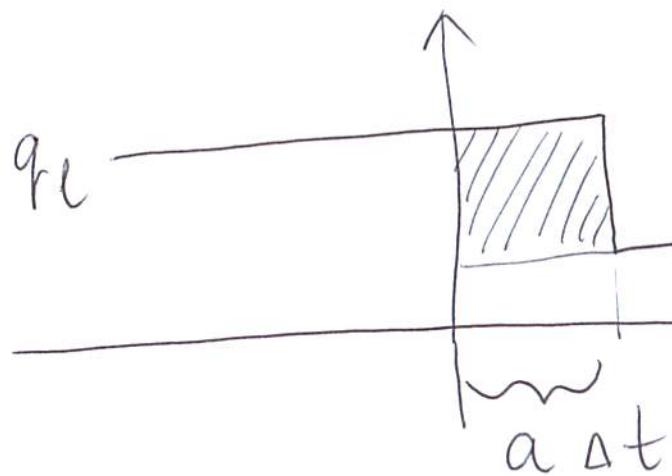
$f^\downarrow(q_l, q_r)$ - approximation of average flux in Riemann problem

For linear advection:



$$\begin{cases} \text{if } f'(q) > 0 \\ f^\downarrow \approx f(q_l) \end{cases}$$

$$f = a q_l$$



Gives simple
upwinding

⑧ How can we make this higher order?

Let's center the flux in space and
time:

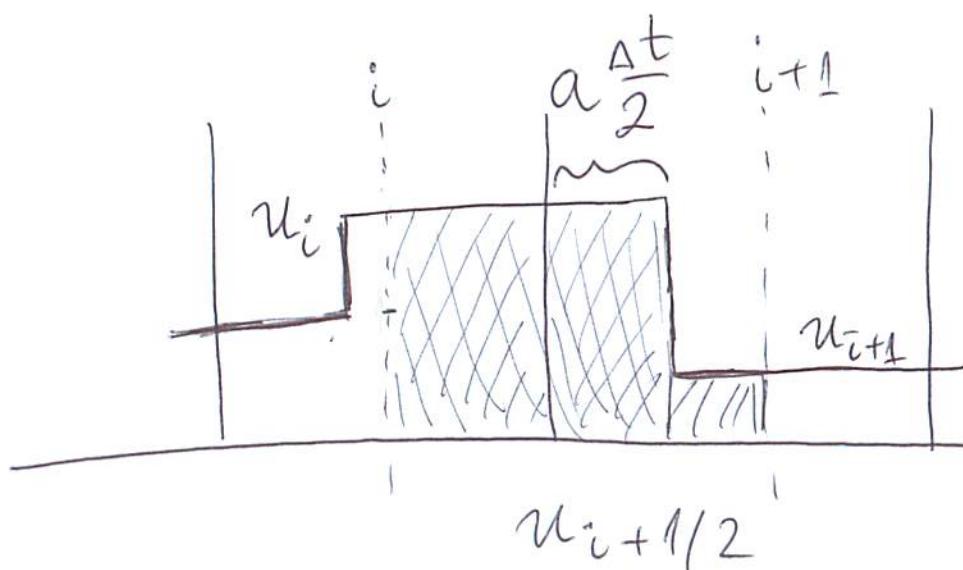
$$f_{i+1/2} = \frac{1}{\Delta x} \int_{-1/2 \Delta x}^{1/2 \Delta x} f[u_{i+1/2}(x, \frac{\Delta t}{2})] dx$$

Solution of
Riemann problem

Assume

$$CFL < 1$$

$$\frac{a \Delta t}{2} < \frac{\Delta x}{2}$$



⑨ For linear advection

$$f_{i+1/2}^{\downarrow} = a \left[\frac{1}{2} u_i + \frac{c}{2} u_i + \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{c}{2} \right) u_{i+1} \right]$$

$$= \frac{a}{2} \left[(1+c) u_i + (1-c) u_{i+1} \right]$$

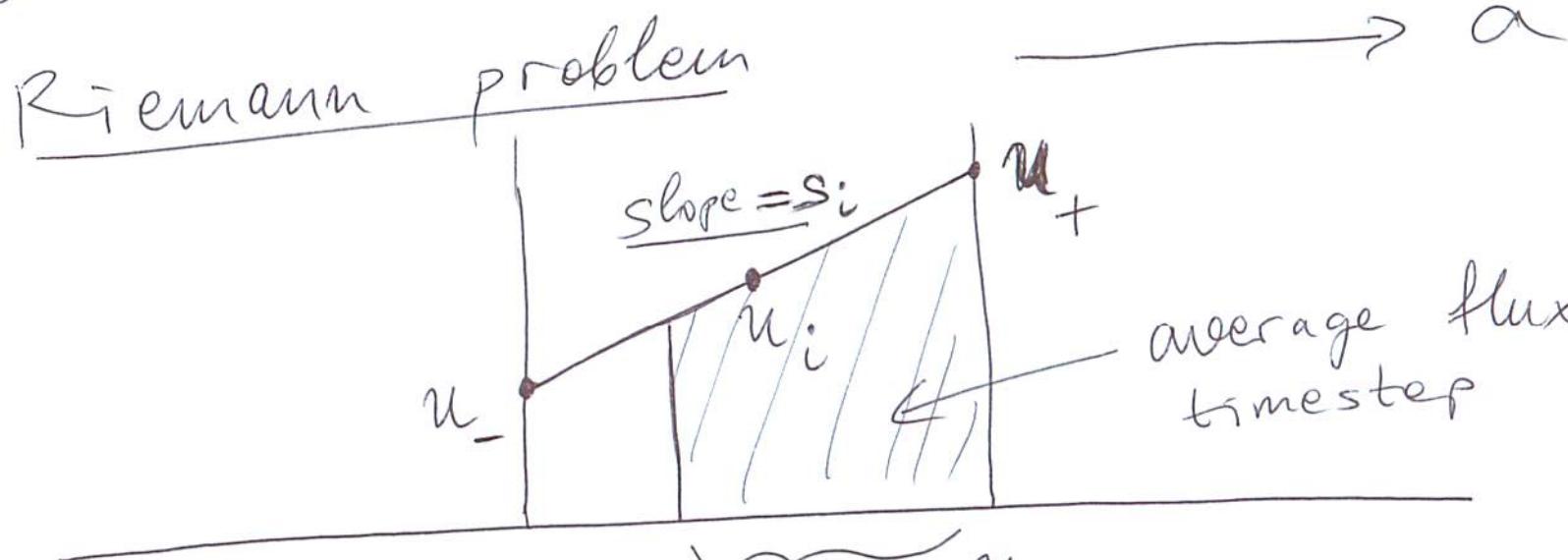
$$f_{i-1/2}^{\uparrow} = \frac{a}{2} \left[(1+c) u_{i-1} + (1-c) u_i \right]$$

$$\frac{du_i}{dt} = - \frac{f_{i+1/2} - f_{i-1/2}}{\Delta x} = - \frac{a}{2\Delta x} \left[(1-c) u_{i+1} + 2cu_i - (1+c) u_{i-1} \right]$$

$$u_i^{n+1} = u_i^n - c \left[\left(\frac{1-c}{2} \right) u_{i+1} + cu_i - \left(\frac{1+c}{2} \right) u_{i-1} \right]$$

\equiv Lax-Wendroff !

⑩ Another approach to getting higher order is to use higher-order reconstruction, such as linear reconstruction



$$f_{i+1/2}^{\downarrow} = \frac{\text{area} \cdot a}{\Delta x} = \frac{a}{2} \left[\frac{(u_- + u_+) + (1-c)(u_+ - u_-)}{2u_i} \right]$$

↓
Conservation in reconstruction

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$$f_{i+1/2}^{\downarrow} = a u_i + \frac{a \Delta x}{2} (1-c) S_i$$

↑ slope

Now we need to choose how to compute the slope of the local reconstruction

Set

$$S_i = \frac{u_{i+1} - u_{i-1}}{\Delta x} \Rightarrow$$

downwind or
downwind-slope Venckoff
with u_0 and u_n
fix

$$f_{i+1/2}^{\downarrow} = a u_i + \frac{a \Delta x}{2} (1-c) (u_{i+1} - u_{i-1})$$

$$= \frac{a}{2} \left[(1+c) u_i + (1-c) u_{i+1} \right]$$

just as before
But there are other choices

⑫ For example, choose centered slopes

$$S_i = \frac{u_{i+1} - u_i}{\Delta x}$$

$$f_{i+1/2} = au_i + \frac{a}{4}(1-c)(u_{i+1} - u_{i-1})$$

$$u_i^{n+1} = u_i^n - c(u_i - u_{i-1}) \leftarrow \begin{matrix} \text{upwind} \\ \text{piece} \end{matrix}$$

$$-c\frac{(1-c)}{4}(u_{i+1} - u_i - u_{i-1} + u_{i-2})$$

$\underbrace{\qquad\qquad\qquad}_{\approx u_{xx} \cdot \Delta x^2}$

↑ second
order
correction

This is known as Fromm's METHOD

⑯ The higher-order reconstruction can also be used with a MOL (method of lines) approach:

$$f_{j+1/2} = \int_{\text{Riemann}}^{\text{instant}} (u_{j+1/2}^L, u_{j+1/2}^R) \rightarrow$$

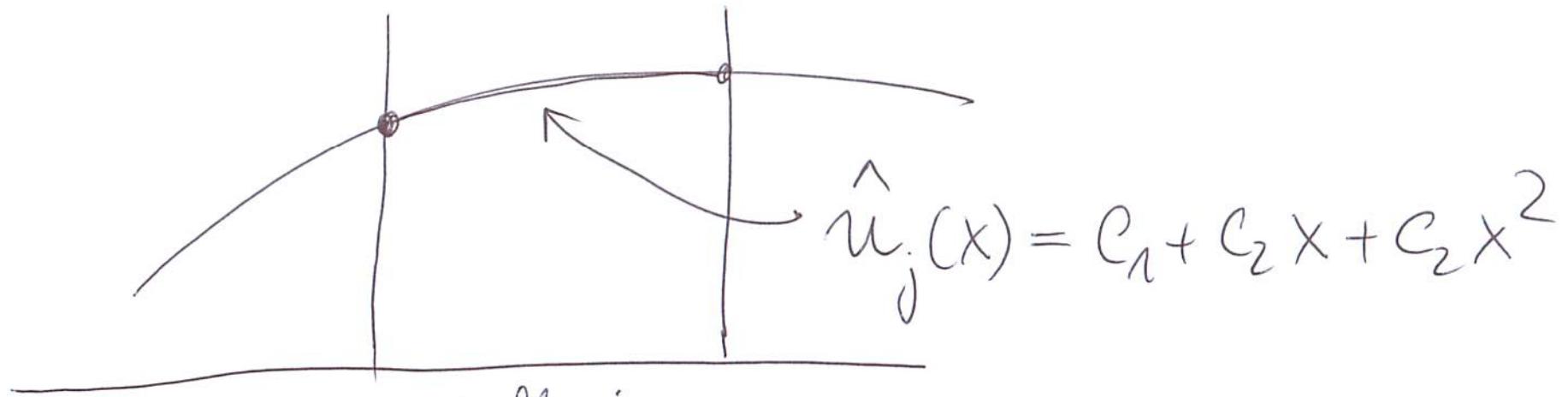
INSTANTANEOUS
(not average) flux

For advection this picks

$$u_{j+1/2}^L$$

$$\textcircled{16} \quad \frac{du_j}{dt} = - \left(\frac{f_{j+1/2} - f_{j-1/2}}{\Delta x} \right)$$

Let us consider a quadratic reconstruction



Conditions:

for finite-volume averages

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \int_{cell \ j} \frac{1}{\Delta x} \int \hat{u}_j(x) = u_j \\ \text{and same for average} \\ \text{over cells } j-1 \text{ and } j+1 \end{array} \right.$$

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Result :

$$\hat{u}_j(x) = u_j + \left(\frac{u_{j+1} - u_{j-1}}{2\Delta x} \right) (x - x_j) + \left(\frac{u_{j+1} - 2u_j + u_{j-1}}{2\Delta x^2} \right) \left((x - x_j)^2 - \frac{\Delta x^2}{12} \right)$$

↓
Taylor series ↑
finite-volume
piece

Choose upwinding for flux:

$$f_{j+1/2} = a \hat{u}_j(x = (j+1/2)\Delta x)$$

$$= a u_j^L$$

$$= a u_{j+1/2}$$

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Putting it all together gives

$$\frac{du_j}{dt} = - \frac{f_{j+1/2} - f_{j-1/2}}{\Delta x}$$

$$= - \frac{\alpha}{6\Delta x} (2u_{j+1} + 3u_j - 6u_{j-1} + u_{j-2})$$

which is our familiar third-order upwind biased spatial discretization.

The second-order version (linear reconstruction) is

$$\frac{du_j}{dt} = - \frac{\alpha}{4\Delta x} (u_{j+1} + 3u_j - 5u_{j-1} + u_{j-2})$$

(NOT WORTH IT)