

Godunov's methods for 1D-Euler Equations

Solve Euler equations

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial \mathbf{w}}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{w})}{\partial x} &= \mathbf{0} & x \in (0, \ell), t \in (0, T), \\ \frac{\partial \mathbf{w}(0, t)}{\partial x} &= \frac{\partial \mathbf{w}(\ell, 0)}{\partial x} = 0 & t \in (0, T), \\ \mathbf{w}(x, 0) &= \mathbf{w}^0(x) & x \in (0, \ell),\end{aligned}$$

where

$$\mathbf{w} = (\rho, \rho u, E)^T, \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{w}) = (\rho u, \rho u^2 + p, (E + p)u)^T, p = (\gamma - 1)(E - \frac{1}{2}\rho u^2).$$

Jacobi matrix $\mathbf{A}(\mathbf{w}) = D\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{w})/D\mathbf{w}$ is in the form

$$\mathbf{A}(\mathbf{w}) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2}(\gamma - 3)u^2 & (3 - \gamma)u & \gamma - 1 \\ u [\frac{1}{2}(\gamma - 1)u^2 - H] & H - (\gamma - 1)u^2 & \gamma u \end{pmatrix},$$

where

$H = \frac{a^2}{\gamma - 1} + \frac{1}{2}u^2$ is enthalpy, $a = \sqrt{\frac{\gamma p}{\rho}}$ is speed of sound and $\gamma = 1, 4$ is Poisson adiabatic constant. The eigenvalues and eigenvectors of matrix $\mathbf{A}(\mathbf{w})$ are

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda_1(\mathbf{w}) &= u - a & \mathbf{r}_1(\mathbf{w}) &= (1, u - a, H - au)^T, \\ \lambda_2(\mathbf{w}) &= u & \mathbf{r}_2(\mathbf{w}) &= (1, u, \frac{1}{2}u^2)^T, \\ \lambda_3(\mathbf{w}) &= u + a & \mathbf{r}_3(\mathbf{w}) &= (1, u + a, H + au)^T.\end{aligned}$$

We denote by $\mathbf{T} = (\mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_2, \mathbf{r}_3)$ the matrix of eigenvectors

$$\mathbf{T} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ u - a & u & u + a \\ H - au & \frac{1}{2}u^2 & H + au \end{pmatrix},$$

and the inverse matrix by

$$\mathbf{T}^{-1} = \frac{1}{2a^2} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2}(\gamma - 1)u^2 + au & -a - (\gamma - 1)u & \gamma - 1 \\ 2a^2 - (\gamma - 1)u^2 & 2(\gamma - 1)u & -2(\gamma - 1) \\ \frac{1}{2}(\gamma - 1)u^2 - au & a - (\gamma - 1)u & \gamma - 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

and the diagonal matrix of eigenvalues

$$\mathbf{D} = \begin{pmatrix} u - a & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & u & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & u + a \end{pmatrix}.$$

Then $\mathbf{A}(\mathbf{w}) = \mathbf{T}(\mathbf{w})\mathbf{D}(\mathbf{w})\mathbf{T}^{-1}(\mathbf{w})$.

We take an equidistant mesh on the interval $\langle 0, \ell \rangle$, i.e. for $N > 1$ we set $h = \ell/N$ and we denote $x_j = (j - \frac{1}{2})h$, $j = 1, 2, \dots, N$. Interval $\langle 0, \ell \rangle$ is union of N finite volumes

$$D_j = \left[x_{j-\frac{1}{2}}, x_{j+\frac{1}{2}} \right] \equiv [(j-1)h, jh], \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, N,$$

where $x_{j-\frac{1}{2}} = x_j - \frac{1}{2}h$, $x_{j+\frac{1}{2}} = x_j + \frac{1}{2}h$. On interval $\langle 0, T \rangle$ we take the mesh

$$0 < t_0 < t_1 < \dots < t_k < t_{k+1} < \dots < t_{Q-1} < t_Q = T$$

and we denote the time step by $\tau_k = t_k - t_{k-1}$.

From the initial condition we set $\mathbf{w}_j^0 = \mathbf{w}^0(x_j)$, $j = 1, \dots, N$. The boundary conditions will be used the extrapolate B.C., so in fictional finite volumes $D_0 = [-h, 0]$ and $D_{N+1} = [\ell, \ell + h]$ we prescribe values $\mathbf{w}_0^k = \mathbf{w}_1^k$ and $\mathbf{w}_{N+1}^k = \mathbf{w}_N^k$ for $k = 0, 1, 2, \dots$

The general numerical scheme is

$$\mathbf{w}_j^{k+1} = \mathbf{w}_j^k - \frac{\tau_k}{h} (\mathbf{H}(\mathbf{w}_j^k, \mathbf{w}_{j+1}^k) - \mathbf{H}(\mathbf{w}_{j-1}^k, \mathbf{w}_j^k)), \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, N, \quad k = 0, 1, \dots,$$

where $\mathbf{H}(\mathbf{w}_L, \mathbf{w}_R)$ is numerical flux.

Roe numerical flux $\mathbf{H}_{Roe}(\mathbf{w}_L, \mathbf{w}_R)$ with Harten-Hyman entropy fix:

Firstly, for $\mathbf{w}_L = (\rho_L, \rho_L u_L, E_L)^T$ and $\mathbf{w}_R = (\rho_R, \rho_R u_R, E_R)^T$ we define $\hat{\mathbf{w}} \equiv \hat{\mathbf{w}}(\mathbf{w}_L, \mathbf{w}_R) = (\hat{\rho}, \hat{\rho}\hat{u}, \hat{E})^T$, where

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\rho} &= \left[\frac{1}{2} (\sqrt{\rho_L} + \sqrt{\rho_R}) \right]^2, & \hat{u} &= \frac{\sqrt{\rho_L} u_L + \sqrt{\rho_R} u_R}{\sqrt{\rho_L} + \sqrt{\rho_R}}, \\ \hat{H} &= \frac{\sqrt{\rho_L} H_L + \sqrt{\rho_R} H_R}{\sqrt{\rho_L} + \sqrt{\rho_R}}, & \hat{E} &= \frac{1}{\gamma} \hat{\rho} \hat{H} + \frac{\gamma-1}{2\gamma} \hat{\rho} \hat{u}^2. \end{aligned}$$

The speed of sound in new variable $\hat{\mathbf{w}}$ is

$$\hat{a} = \sqrt{(\gamma-1) \left(H - \frac{1}{2} \hat{u}^2 \right)}.$$

Let's $\hat{\gamma} = \mathbf{T}^{-1}(\hat{\mathbf{w}})(\mathbf{w}_R - \mathbf{w}_L) \equiv (\hat{\gamma}_1, \hat{\gamma}_2, \hat{\gamma}_3)^T$, where the coefficients $\hat{\gamma}_1, \hat{\gamma}_2, \hat{\gamma}_3$ can be calculated:

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\gamma}_2 &= \frac{\gamma-1}{\hat{a}^2} \left[(\hat{H} - \hat{u}^2) \delta_1 + \hat{u} \delta_2 - \delta_3 \right], \\ \hat{\gamma}_1 &= \frac{1}{2\hat{a}} \left[(\hat{u} + \hat{a}) \delta_1 - \delta_2 - \hat{a} \hat{\gamma}_2 \right], \\ \hat{\gamma}_3 &= \delta_1 - \hat{\gamma}_2 - \hat{\gamma}_3, \end{aligned}$$

where $\delta_1, \delta_2, \delta_3$ are components of vector $\mathbf{w}_R - \mathbf{w}_L = (\delta_1, \delta_2, \delta_3)^T$. The Roe numerical flux is calculated by:

a) If $\lambda_2(\hat{\mathbf{w}}) > 0$, we calculate $\mathbf{w}_L^* = \mathbf{w}_L + \hat{\gamma}_1 \mathbf{r}_1(\hat{\mathbf{w}})$ and we set

$$\tilde{\lambda}_1 = \begin{cases} \lambda_1(\mathbf{w}_L) \frac{\lambda_1(\mathbf{w}_L^*) - \lambda_1(\hat{\mathbf{w}})}{\lambda_1(\mathbf{w}_L^*) - \lambda_1(\mathbf{w}_L)} & \text{for } \lambda_1(\mathbf{w}_L) < 0 < \lambda_1(\mathbf{w}_L^*) \\ \lambda_1(\hat{\mathbf{w}}) & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

and then the numerical flux is

$$\mathbf{H}_{Roe}(\mathbf{w}_L, \mathbf{w}_R) = \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{w}_L) + \hat{\gamma}_1 \tilde{\lambda}_1^- \mathbf{r}_1(\hat{\mathbf{w}}).$$

b) If $\lambda_2(\hat{\mathbf{w}}) \leq 0$, we calculate $\mathbf{w}_R^* = \mathbf{w}_R - \hat{\gamma}_3 \mathbf{r}_3(\hat{\mathbf{w}})$ and we set

$$\tilde{\lambda}_3 = \begin{cases} \lambda_3(\mathbf{w}_R) \frac{\lambda_3(\hat{\mathbf{w}}) - \lambda_3(\mathbf{w}_R^*)}{\lambda_3(\mathbf{w}_R) - \lambda_3(\mathbf{w}_R^*)} & \text{for } \lambda_3(\mathbf{w}_R^*) < 0 < \lambda_3(\mathbf{w}_R) \\ \lambda_3(\hat{\mathbf{w}}) & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

and then the numerical flux is

$$\mathbf{H}_{Roe}(\mathbf{w}_L, \mathbf{w}_R) = \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{w}_R) - \hat{\gamma}_3 \tilde{\lambda}_3^+ \mathbf{r}_3(\hat{\mathbf{w}}).$$

The right upper index \pm is used in usual sense, i.e. $a^+ = \max(a, 0)$ and $a^- = \min(a, 0)$.

The time step τ_k is calculated by

$$\tau_k \leq Ch \left(\max_{j=0, \dots, N} (|\hat{u}(\mathbf{w}_j^k, \mathbf{w}_{j+1}^k)| + \hat{a}(\mathbf{w}_j^k, \mathbf{w}_{j+1}^k)) \right)^{-1},$$

where $C \leq 1$ is so called CFL constant, for example $C = 0, 9$.

Vijayasundaram numerical flux:

$$\mathbf{H}_V(\mathbf{w}_L, \mathbf{w}_R) = \mathbf{A}^+(\hat{\mathbf{w}})\mathbf{w}_L + \mathbf{A}^-(\hat{\mathbf{w}})\mathbf{w}_R,$$

where $\hat{\mathbf{w}} = \frac{\mathbf{w}_L + \mathbf{w}_R}{2}$, $\mathbf{A}^\pm = \mathbf{T}\mathbf{D}^\pm\mathbf{T}^{-1}$, $\mathbf{D}^\pm = \text{diag}(\lambda_1^\pm, \lambda_2^\pm, \lambda_3^\pm)$.

The time step is calculated in the same manner as in Roe flux, the velocity $\hat{u}(\mathbf{w}_j^k, \mathbf{w}_{j+1}^k)$ and the speed of sound $\hat{a}(\mathbf{w}_j^k, \mathbf{w}_{j+1}^k)$ we obtain from $\hat{\mathbf{w}}(\mathbf{w}_j^k, \mathbf{w}_{j+1}^k) := \frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{w}_j^k + \mathbf{w}_{j+1}^k)$, $j = 0, 1, \dots, N$.

Steger-Warming numerical flux:

$$\mathbf{H}_{SW}(\mathbf{w}_L, \mathbf{w}_R) = \mathbf{A}^+(\mathbf{w}_L)\mathbf{w}_L + \mathbf{A}^-(\mathbf{w}_R)\mathbf{w}_R$$

The time step is calculated in the same manner as in Roe flux, the velocity $\hat{u}(\mathbf{w}_j^k, \mathbf{w}_{j+1}^k)$ and the speed of sound $\hat{a}(\mathbf{w}_j^k, \mathbf{w}_{j+1}^k)$ we obtain from $\hat{\mathbf{w}}(\mathbf{w}_j^k, \mathbf{w}_{j+1}^k) := \mathbf{w}_j^k$, $j = 0, 1, \dots, N$.

Van Leer numerical flux with Harten entropy fix:

$$\mathbf{H}_{VL}(\mathbf{w}_L, \mathbf{w}_R) = \frac{1}{2} [\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{w}_L) + \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{w}_R) - |\mathbf{A}(\hat{\mathbf{w}})|(\mathbf{w}_R - \mathbf{w}_L)],$$

where $\hat{\mathbf{w}} = \frac{\mathbf{w}_L + \mathbf{w}_R}{2}$, $|\mathbf{A}| = \mathbf{T}|\mathbf{D}|\mathbf{T}^{-1}$, $|\mathbf{D}| = \text{diag}(\phi_\delta(\lambda_1), \phi_\delta(\lambda_2), \phi_\delta(\lambda_3))$, where

$$\phi_\delta(\lambda) = \begin{cases} \frac{\lambda^2 + \delta^2}{2\delta} & \text{for } |\lambda| < \delta \\ |\lambda| & \text{for } |\lambda| \geq \delta \end{cases}$$

and $\delta \in \langle 0.1, 1 \rangle$ is parameter, which depend on solved problem and must be well-corrected.

The time step is calculated in the same manner as in Roe flux, the velocity $\hat{u}(\mathbf{w}_j^k, \mathbf{w}_{j+1}^k)$ and the speed of sound $\hat{a}(\mathbf{w}_j^k, \mathbf{w}_{j+1}^k)$ we obtain from $\hat{\mathbf{w}}(\mathbf{w}_j^k, \mathbf{w}_{j+1}^k) = \frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{w}_j^k + \mathbf{w}_{j+1}^k)$, $j = 0, 1, \dots, N$.

Test problems:

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{w}}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{w})}{\partial x} = \mathbf{0}, \quad \mathbf{w}(x, 0) = \begin{cases} \mathbf{w}_L & \text{for } x < x_0 \\ \mathbf{w}_R & \text{for } x > x_0, \end{cases}$$

where $x \in (0, \ell)$, $t \in (0, T)$. The initial data for $\mathbf{w}_L = (\rho_L, \rho_L u_L, E_L)^T$ and $\mathbf{w}_R = (\rho_R, \rho_R u_R, E_R)^T$ are in the following table.

test	ℓ	T	x_0	ρ_L	u_L	p_L	ρ_R	u_R	p_l
0	1	0.2	0.5	1	0	1	0.125	0	0.1
1	1	0.2	0.3	1	0.75	1	0.125	0	0.1
2	1	0.15	0.5	1	-2	0.4	1	2	0.4
3	1	0.012	0.5	1	0	1000	1	0	0.01
4	1	0.035	0.4	5.99924	19.5975	460.894	5.99942	-6.19633	46.0950
5	1	0.012	0.8	1	-19.59754	1000	1	-19.59745	0.01