

Pset 4. Due 6/15/15.

Problem 1: Wave equation.

- a) Write down the upwind schemes for the 1D wave equation. Define the ratio:  $r = c \cdot dt/dx$ , where  $c$  is the wave speed.
- b) Write a code to solve the 1D wave equation. Make a graph to show the solution and discuss your results.
  - Try  $r=1$ .
  - Try  $r<1$ .
  - Try  $r>1$ .

Problem 2: Boundary value problem.

- a) Consider a 2D Poisson equation in the  $x$ - $y$  plane with the periodic boundary condition in the  $y$  direction.
- b) Find a 2D example with known analytic solution.
- c) Write a code to solve the equation.  
Hint: use Fourier transform in the  $y$  direction to reduce to a 1D problem and then use finite difference in the  $x$  direction with fixed-fixed boundary conditions.
- d) Make a 2D plot to show your solution and check your results.