

# 21-469 Cheatsheet

$$E(t) = \int_0^1 (u(t,x))^2 dx$$

(or  $g(x,t)$ )

$$u_t + au_x = 0$$

$$u(0,x) = u_0(x)$$

$$a > 0: \text{left-to-right}$$

Assuming periodic boundary conditions,  $u(t,0) = u(t,1)$   
 $u_x(t,0) = u_x(t,1)$

The trajectory of a particle depends on time and its initial position,  $\eta = \eta(t, x_0)$  and has symplecticity.

$$\frac{d}{dt} \eta(t, x_0) = a(\eta(t, x_0), t)$$

$$\eta(t, x_0) = \int_0^t a ds + x_0$$

$$\eta(0, x_0) = x_0$$

$$u(t, x_0 + ct) = u_0(x_0)$$

$$u(t, x) = u_0(x - at)$$

$$u(0, \eta(0, x_0)) = u_0(x_0)$$

The implicit scheme is

$$\frac{v_j^{m+1} - v_j^m}{\Delta t} + a \frac{v_{j+1}^{m+1} - v_{j-1}^{m+1}}{2\Delta x} - |a| \frac{v_{j+1}^m - v_{j-1}^m}{2\Delta x} = 0$$

with periodic BC:  $v_0^{m+1} = v_1^{m+1}$   
 $v_1^{m+1} = v_N^{m+1}$

$$a > 0: \frac{v_j^{m+1} - v_j^m}{\Delta t} + a \frac{v_j^{m+1} - v_{j-1}^{m+1}}{\Delta x} = 0$$

$$a < 0: \frac{v_j^{m+1} - v_j^m}{\Delta t} + a \frac{v_{j+1}^{m+1} - v_j^{m+1}}{\Delta x} = 0$$

$$\text{Discrete Energy: } E^m := \Delta x \sum_{j=1}^N (v_j^m)^2$$

$E^{m+1} \leq E^m$  VM when  $|a| \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta x} \leq 1$

$$a \frac{v_{j+1}^{m+1} - v_j^{m+1}}{\Delta x} = a \frac{v_{j+1}^m - v_j^m}{\Delta x} + a \frac{v_{j+1}^{m+1} - v_{j+1}^m}{\Delta x} + a \frac{v_j^{m+1} - v_j^m}{\Delta x}$$

$$\frac{\Delta x}{\Delta x} + a \frac{v_{j+1}^m - v_j^m}{\Delta x} - a \frac{v_{j+1}^{m+1} - v_j^{m+1}}{2\Delta x} = -a \frac{v_{j+1}^{m+1} - v_j^{m+1}}{2\Delta x}$$

$$v_j \frac{v_{j+1}^{m+1} - v_j^{m+1}}{\Delta x} + a v_j \frac{(v_{j+1}^{m+1} - v_j^{m+1})}{2\Delta x} = -\frac{a}{2\Delta x} v_j^m (v_{j+1}^{m+1} - v_j^{m+1}) - (v_j^m - v_{j-1}^m)$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^N 2 v_j (v_{j+1}^{m+1} - v_j^{m+1}) + \sum_{j=1}^N a v_j^m (v_{j+1}^{m+1} - v_j^{m+1}) = -a \sum_{j=1}^N v_j^m (v_{j+1}^{m+1} - v_j^{m+1}) - (v_N^m - v_1^m)$$

by periodicity  $\Rightarrow$  by telescoping

$$E^{m+1} - E^m = -\sum_{j=1}^N (v_j^m - v_{j-1}^m)^2 \Delta x \leq 0$$

can use to prove uniqueness of solutions

$$E(t) = \int_0^1 (u(t,x))^2 dx = \int_0^1 |u(t,x)|^2 dx, \text{ where } u(\cdot) = (u_x)$$

Wave Equation (W)

$$u_{tt} = u_{xx}, x \in \mathbb{R}, t > 0$$

$$u(0,x) = f(x)$$

$$u_t(0,x) = g(x)$$

$$f, g \in C^1(\mathbb{R}), \text{ compactly supported}$$

continuously differentiable

Idea: write  $w = \partial_t u + \partial_x u$ , solve  $\partial_{tt} w = 0$

$$w(0,x) = g(x) + f'(x)$$

$$u(t,x) = \frac{1}{2} (f(x+t) + f(x-t)) + \frac{1}{2} \int_{x-t}^{x+t} g(s) ds$$

(d'Alembert)

On bounded domain  $(u(t,0) = u(t,1) = 0)$ , where

$$f(x) = \sum_k a_k \sin(k\pi x) \text{ and } g(x) = \sum_k b_k \sin(k\pi x), \text{ separation of variables gives us } u_k(t,x) = (a_k \cos(k\pi t) + b_k \sin(k\pi t)) \sin(k\pi x)$$

Approximation:  $v_j^{m+1} - 2v_j^m + v_j^{m-1} = \frac{v_{j+1}^m - 2v_j^m + v_{j-1}^m}{\Delta t^2}$

$$v_j^m = v_{j+1}^m = 0$$

$$v_j^0 = f(x_j), v_j^1 = v_j^0 + \Delta t g(x_j) + \frac{\Delta t^2}{2\Delta x^2} (v_{j+1}^0 - 2v_j^0 + v_{j-1}^0)$$

$$\text{Discrete Energy: } E^m := \Delta x \sum_{j=1}^N \left[ \frac{v_j^{m+1} - v_j^m}{\Delta t} \right]^2 + \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{v_{j+1}^m - v_j^m}{\Delta x} \right]^2 + \left[ \frac{v_j^m - v_{j-1}^m}{\Delta x} \right]^2$$

(1) Differentiation

$$(2) u_t u_{tt} = u_t u_{xx}, \int u_t u_{xx} dx = \int u_t u_x dx$$

$$E'(t) = 0 \text{ can be shown in two ways}$$

$$\Delta x \sum_{j=1}^N \left[ \frac{v_j^{m+1} - v_j^m}{\Delta t} \right]^2 + \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{v_{j+1}^{m+1} - v_j^{m+1}}{\Delta x} \right]^2 + \left[ \frac{v_j^{m+1} - v_{j-1}^{m+1}}{\Delta x} \right]^2 = \Delta x \sum_{j=1}^N \left[ \frac{v_j^{m+1} - v_j^m}{\Delta t} \right]^2 + \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{v_{j+1}^m - v_j^m}{\Delta x} \right]^2 + \left[ \frac{v_j^m - v_{j-1}^m}{\Delta x} \right]^2$$

Discrete Stability

$$E^{m+1} - E^m = \Delta x \sum_{j=1}^N \left[ \frac{v_j^{m+1} - v_j^m}{\Delta t} \right]^2 + \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{v_{j+1}^{m+1} - v_j^{m+1}}{\Delta x} \right]^2 + \left[ \frac{v_j^{m+1} - v_{j-1}^{m+1}}{\Delta x} \right]^2 - \Delta x \sum_{j=1}^N \left[ \frac{v_j^m - v_{j-1}^m}{\Delta x} \right]^2 - \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{v_{j+1}^m - v_j^m}{\Delta x} \right]^2$$

by periodicity

$$E^{m+1} - E^m = -\sum_{j=1}^N (v_j^m - v_{j-1}^m)^2 \Delta x \leq 0$$

Stability

$\infty$ -norm energy, effect of perturbation

consistency

convergence

(Leibniz)

$$\frac{d}{dx} \int_{a(x)}^{b(x)} f(x,y) dy = f(x,b(x)) b'(x) - f(x,a(x)) a'(x) + \int_{a(x)}^{b(x)} f_x(x,y) dy$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \int_0^x f(x,y) dy = f(x,x) + \int_0^x f_x(x,y) dy$$

$$\text{Truncation Error} = \int_0^x f(x,y) dy - \int_0^x f(x,y) dy$$

$\rightarrow$  evaluate actual solution in scheme

$\rightarrow$  more terms and so RHS = 0 if we are using discrete points

(Lax Equivalence)

method of the form  $v^{m+1} = B v^m + b^m$

is convergent  $\Leftrightarrow$  Lax-stability

$$\|B\| \leq 1, \|b^m\| \leq C, m \text{ uniformly}$$

$$\|E^m\| \leq \Delta t \sum_{k=0}^m \max_{j,k} \|f_j^k\|$$

$$\leq \max_{j,k} \|f_j^k\| \Delta t \sum_{k=0}^m 1$$

$$\rightarrow 0 \text{ as } \Delta t, \Delta x \rightarrow 0$$

$$v^{m+1} = B v^m + b^m$$

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# Heat Equation

$u_t - u_{xx} = 0$   
 $u(0,x) = u_0(x)$   
 $u(t,0) = u(t,1) = 0$  (Cipriani)

$E^m := \Delta x \sum_{j=1}^n (v_j^m)^2$   
 or  $E(t) = \int_0^1 (u(t,x))^2 dx$  'energy'

Exact Solutions  
 ① (Unbounded)  $u(t,x) = H(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x \leq 0 \\ u_0 & x > 0 \end{cases}$   
 ② (Unbounded)  $u(t,x) = \phi(x)$  (Bessel case)  
 ③ (Bounded)  $u(t,x) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} c_k \sin(k\pi x) e^{-k^2 \pi^2 t}$

Finite Differences:  
 (Bounded)  $v_j^m = u(t_m, x_j)$   
 $v_0^m = v_{n+1}^m = 0$   
 ① Explicit Heat  $v_j^{m+1} = v_j^m + \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta x^2} (v_{j+1}^m - 2v_j^m + v_{j-1}^m)$   
 Energy stability / Co-norm both require  $\Delta t \leq \frac{\Delta x^2}{2}$   
 Truncation error  $O(\Delta t + \Delta x^2)$

② Implicit Heat  $(v_j^{m+1} - v_j^m) \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta x^2} = v_{j+1}^{m+1} - 2v_j^{m+1} + v_{j-1}^{m+1}$   
 $r := \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta x^2}, A v^{m+1} = v^m$  where  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1-r & r & & \\ r & 1-2r & r & \\ & r & \ddots & r \\ & & r & 1-r \end{pmatrix}$   
 ③  $v_j^{m+1} - v_j^m = \frac{v_{j+1}^{m+1/2} - 2v_j^{m+1/2} + v_{j-1}^{m+1/2}}{\Delta x^2}, v_j^{m+1/2} = \frac{1}{2}(v_j^m + v_j^{m+1})$

Lax-Richtmyer stability: Choose  $G = I$ , show  $\|B\|_2 \leq 1$ , then  $\|B^m\|_2 \leq \|B\|_2^m$   
 Explicit:  $\Delta t \leq \frac{\Delta x^2}{2}$ , Implicit: Unconditionally stable!

# Poisson Equation (in 1D)

$-u''(x) = f(x), u(0) = u(1) = 0$   
 → Uniqueness follows from stability  
 → Green's function:  $u(x) = \int_0^1 G(x,y) f(y) dy$   
 where  $G(x,y) = \begin{cases} y(1-x) & 0 \leq y \leq x \leq 1 \\ x(1-y) & 0 \leq x \leq y \leq 1 \end{cases}$

$\|u\|_{\infty} \leq \frac{1}{8} \|f\|_{\infty}$   
 $\|u\|_{H^1, \infty} \leq \frac{1}{8} \|f\|_{\infty}$  for the numerical scheme  
 $f \in C^2([0,1]) \Rightarrow \|f''\|_{\infty} \leq \frac{1}{12} \|f\|_{\infty}$  (consistency)  
 $\|u - v\|_{H^1, \infty} \leq \frac{1}{96} \|f\|_{\infty} h^2$  (convergence)

Let  $L$  be the  $-d^2/dx^2$  (second derivative) operator.

Then we look for eigenfunction  $v \in C([0,1])$  such that  $Lv = \lambda v \Leftrightarrow v''(x) + \lambda v(x) = 0$   
 For  $u, v$ ,  $\langle Lu, u \rangle > 0, \langle u, u \rangle > 0 \Rightarrow \langle Lu, u \rangle = \lambda \langle u, u \rangle > 0$   
 must be positive!  
 So we write  $\beta = \sqrt{\lambda}$ , solve  $u''(x) + \beta^2 u(x) = 0$ , such that  $u(0) = u(1) = 0$ .  
 $u(x) = a \sin(\beta x) + b \cos(\beta x)$   
 $u(0) = 0 \Rightarrow b = 0$   
 $u(1) = 0 \Rightarrow \sin(\beta) = 0$  that are orthogonal w.r.t  $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle := \int_0^1 \sin(k\pi x) \sin(l\pi x) dx$   
 $\Delta_k = (k\pi)^2 \Rightarrow v_j^k = \sin(k\pi x_j) \Rightarrow v_j^k = \sin(k\pi x_j)$

So  $v_k = \sin(k\pi x), k \in \mathbb{N}$ : eigenfunctions that are orthogonal w.r.t  $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle := \int_0^1 \sin(k\pi x) \sin(l\pi x) dx$   
 In the discrete case,  $Av = \mu v \Rightarrow v_j^k = \sin(k\pi x_j)$   
 $\mu_k = \frac{2}{h^2} (1 - \cos(k\pi h)) = \frac{4}{h^2} \sin^2(\frac{k\pi h}{2})$   
 We can similarly show  $v^k$  are linearly independent w.r.t  $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_h := h \sum_{j=1}^n v_j^k v_j^l$   
 Furthermore  $\mu_k \rightarrow \lambda_k$  as  $h \rightarrow 0$  (Taylor series)

Explicit:  $u_{xx} + u_{yy} = f(x,y)$   
 Implicit:  $\Delta u - \Delta u \Delta u = -\Delta u + f(-u)$   
 Tensor:  $\Delta u = u_{xx} + u_{yy}$   
 $\Delta u f_{i,j} = \frac{1}{2} (f_{i,j+1} + f_{i,j-1} + f_{i+1,j} + f_{i-1,j})$

- Positive definite  $\Rightarrow$  Non-singular  
 Strictly diagonally dominant  $\Rightarrow$  Not singular

- Rate of convergence:  $\log(e_h) = \alpha \log(h) + C$   
 Plug in values for  $h$  to compute  $\alpha$

$\langle uv \rangle := \int_0^1 u(x)v(x) dx$   
 is an inner product! Can use Cauchy-Schwarz (Hölder):  
 $\frac{E^m}{\Delta t} = \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta t} \sum_{j=1}^n (v_j^{m+1} - v_j^m)^2$   
 Lax Equivalence:  $v^{m+1} = B v^m + b^m$   
 (see details on next page)

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