

1 FD schemes

1.1 Taylor series expansion general formula

$$f(x_i + s) = f(x_i) + f^{(1)}(x_i) \cdot s + \frac{f^{(2)}(x_i)}{2!} \cdot s^2 + \frac{f^{(k)}(x_i)}{k!} \cdot s^k + \dots$$

1.2 Check consistency

A. unknowns = $n + p - 1$, n = derivative order, $p = OOA$

B. $\lim_{\Delta t, \Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta x} = 0$ (Checks for stability)

1.3 Domain

if $x \in [0, \pi]$ divided equally, $N = M + 2$ grid points

$\therefore \Delta x = \frac{\pi}{M+1}$, where $x_i = i\Delta x$, where $i = 0, 1, 2, \dots, M + 1$

1.4 Spatial difference schemes ($h \equiv \Delta x$)

$$\text{Forward } \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} : \frac{f(x+\Delta x) - f(x)}{\Delta x} + O(\Delta x)$$

$$\text{Forward } \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} : \frac{-3f(x) + 4f(x+\Delta x) + f(x-2\Delta x)}{2\Delta x} + O(\Delta x)^2$$

$$\text{Forward } \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} : \frac{2f(x) - 5f(x+\Delta x) + 4f(x+2\Delta x) - f(x+3\Delta x)}{\Delta x^3} + O(\Delta x)^2$$

$$\text{Backward } \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} : \frac{f(x) - f(x-\Delta x)}{\Delta x} + O(\Delta x)$$

$$\text{Backward } \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} : \frac{3f(x) - 4f(x-\Delta x) + f(x-2\Delta x)}{2\Delta x} + O(\Delta x)^2$$

$$\text{Backward } \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} : \frac{2f(x) - 5f(x-\Delta x) + 4f(x-2\Delta x) - f(x-3\Delta x)}{\Delta x^3} + O(\Delta x)^2$$

$$\text{Central } \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} : \frac{f(x+\Delta x) - f(x-\Delta x)}{2\Delta x} + O(\Delta x)^2$$

$$\text{Central } \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} : \frac{f(x+\Delta x) - 2f(x) + f(x-\Delta x)}{(\Delta x)^2} + O(\Delta x)^2$$

1.5 Temporal difference schemes, ($h \equiv \Delta t$)

$$\text{Explicit euler } \left. \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} \right|^n = \frac{u^{n+1} - u^n}{\Delta t}$$

$$\text{Expli Leap-frog } \left. \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} \right|^n = \frac{u^{n+1} - u^{n-1}}{2\Delta t}$$

$$\text{2-step explicit } \left. \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} \right|^n = \frac{1}{2\Delta t} [u^{n+1} + 4u^n - 5u^{n-1}] - \frac{1}{2} \left. \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} \right|^{n-1}$$

$$\text{(PC) Predictor } u^{n+1} = \frac{1}{2} \left[u^n + \hat{u}^{n+1} + \Delta t \left. \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} \right|^{n+1} \right]$$

$$\text{(PC) Corrector } \hat{u}^{n+1} = u^n + \Delta t \left. \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} \right|^n$$

$$\text{2nd-order adams-bashforth } \left. \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} \right|^n = \frac{2}{3h} [u^{n+1} - u^n] + \frac{1}{3} \left. \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} \right|^{n-1}$$

$$\text{Implicit Euler } \left. \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} \right|^{n+1} = \frac{u^{n+1} - u^n}{\Delta t}$$

$$\text{Crank-nicholson } \left. \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} \right|^{n+1} = \frac{2}{\Delta t} (u^{n+1} - u^n) - \left. \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} \right|^n$$

1.6 Hybrid schemes

$$\text{Dufort Frankel applied to } \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = \alpha \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} \\ \Rightarrow u_j^{n+1} = u_j^{n-1} + 2\alpha \frac{\Delta t}{(\Delta x)^2} [u_{j+1}^n - (u_j^{n+1} + u_j^{n-1}) + u_{j-1}^n]$$

$$\text{Lax applied to } \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + c \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 0 \\ \Rightarrow u_j^{n+1} = \frac{1}{2} (u_{j+1}^n + u_{j-1}^n) + \frac{c}{2} \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta x} (u_{j+1}^n - u_{j-1}^n)$$

2 Matrices

For banded (tridiagonal) matrix B (a, b, c) of order M, if $b + 2\sqrt{ac} \cos \frac{m\pi}{M+1} = 0$ for $m = 1, 2, \dots, M$, $\Rightarrow \det(B(a, b, c)) = 0$, \therefore **Non-invertible, no unique sol**

Eigenvalues : $\det(A - \lambda I) = 0$

Eigenvectors : $(A - \lambda_1 I)\vec{v}_1 = 0$, $(A - \lambda_i I)\vec{v}_i = 0, \dots$

Determinant (2x2):

3 Linear ODEs

The GS is a linear combination of all fundamental solutions.

General form will be $u^n = c^n + p^n$

Gen sol (2nd order homo): $u(t) = C_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} + C_2 e^{\lambda_2 t}$

Gen sol (1st order non homo): $u(t) = u_{cs}(t) + u_{ps}(t)$

let homogenous part = 0 $\Rightarrow \frac{du}{dt} - \lambda u = 0$
 $\therefore u_{cs}(t) = C_1 e^{\lambda_1 t}$

3.1 Coupled ODEs

$$\frac{d\vec{u}}{dt} = A\vec{u} - \vec{f} \quad \text{Idea: } AE = ED \Rightarrow E^{-1}AE = D$$

$$E^{-1} \frac{d\vec{u}}{dt} = E^{-1}A\vec{u} - E^{-1}\vec{f}$$

$$E^{-1} \frac{d\vec{u}}{dt} = E^{-1}A(E E^{-1})\vec{u} - E^{-1}\vec{f} \quad \Leftarrow \text{Use } EE^{-1} = I$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dt}(E^{-1}\vec{u}) = D(\lambda)(E^{-1}\vec{u}) - E^{-1}\vec{f} \quad \Leftarrow \text{Use } E^{-1}AE = D(\lambda)$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Let } \vec{U} = E^{-1}\vec{u}, \quad \vec{F} = E^{-1}\vec{f}$$

$$\frac{d\vec{U}}{dt} = D(\lambda)\vec{U} - \vec{F}, \Rightarrow \therefore \frac{d\vec{U}_i}{dt} = \lambda_i U_i - F_i$$

3.2 Solving coupled ODEs numerically

Solution for homogeneous uncoupled ODE is $U_i = C e^{mt}$

For temporal derivatives, simply differentiate.

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dU_i}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt}(C e^{mt}) = m C e^{mt}$$

$$1. \text{ Uncouple the ODEs to get } \frac{d\vec{U}}{dt} = D(\lambda)\vec{U} - \vec{F}$$

Note that decoupling identity matrix = 1

$$2. \text{ Transform eqns to, } \frac{dU_i}{dt} = \lambda_i U_i - F_i$$

3. For $y'' + 5y' = 8x$, homogenous part is $y'' + 5y' = 0$, non-homogenous is the original eqn since it $\neq 0$.

$$4. \text{ Eg ODE } \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = \lambda u + \alpha e^{st}$$

Complimentary solution* $\Rightarrow \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} - \lambda u = 0 \quad \therefore u_{cs}(t) = \beta_1 e^{\lambda_1 t}$

***If polynomial**, use $c^n = \beta \sigma^n \approx \beta e^{\lambda h}$ for every root

Particular solution \Rightarrow Guess a similar form to non-homo part of ODE E.g. $\alpha e^{st} \Rightarrow \therefore u_{ps}(t) = C_2 e^{st}$

***If polynomial**, use $u_i^n = \gamma c_i$

5. Form characteristic polynomial

6. Recouple $\vec{u} = E\vec{U}$ and solve for constants

Example: $u^{n+2} - 4u^{n+1} + 3u^n = \alpha \alpha^n$

Characteristic poly: $u^n = \beta \sigma^n \Rightarrow \sigma^2 - 4\sigma + 3 = 0$

Since polynomial has 2 roots, **Compli sol:** $c^n = \beta_1 \sigma_1^n + \beta_2 \sigma_2^n$

$$\text{Particular sol: } \frac{\alpha}{a^2 - 4a + 3} a^n \\ G(S) = \beta_1 \sigma_1^n + \beta_2 \sigma_2^n + \frac{\alpha}{a^2 - 4a + 3} a^n$$

3.3 Solving coupled ODEs analytically

$$1. \text{ Uncouple ODEs to get } \frac{d\vec{U}}{dt} = D(\lambda)\vec{U} - \vec{F}$$

$$2. \text{ Decouple into } \frac{dU_i}{dt} = \lambda_i U_i + F_i \text{ for } i = \lambda_i \dots$$

3. If have constant F after decoupling, particular solution exist, becomes $U_i = C_i e^{\lambda_i t} + \frac{1}{\lambda_i}$, else $U_i = C_i e^{\lambda_i t}$

$$4. \text{ Convert back to } \vec{u} \Rightarrow \vec{u} = E\vec{U}$$

3.4 Isolation Theorem

1. Multiply E^{-1} to all terms.

2. Add EE^{-1} to right of A matrix, since $EE^{-1} = 1$.

2. Sub $E^{-1}AE = D$ into equation.

3.5 Exact solution of non-homogenous FDE

Complimentary solution is a **fluctuating** component, $\sigma \approx e^{\lambda h}$ and particular solution is **steady state** solution. $\sigma = e^{\lambda h} = 1 + \lambda h + \frac{1}{2!}(\lambda h)^2 + \frac{1}{3!}(\lambda h)^3 + \dots + O(h)^k$ Leapfrog will have 2 roots, principal and spurious. Principal roots matches the $e^{\lambda h}$ term while spurious does not. Numerical methods with spurious roots are not self-starting, require additional initial condition.

3.6 Accuracy of temporal discretization

$$\text{Transient solution error } \epsilon_\lambda = e^{\lambda \Delta t} - \sigma_{\text{principal}}$$

$$\text{Amplitude error } \epsilon_{|\lambda|} = 1 - \sqrt{\sigma_r^2 + \sigma_i^2}$$

$$\text{Phase error } \epsilon_w = wh - \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\sigma_i}{\sigma_r}\right)$$

$$\text{Particular solution error } \epsilon_{PS} = p_{\text{numerical}} - p_{\text{exact}}$$

$$\text{Exact ODE solution } u(t) = ce^{\lambda t} + \frac{a}{\mu - \lambda} e^{\mu t}$$

3.7 Stability analysis

**** $|\sigma_i| \leq 1$ where the root can be real or complex

Gerschogrin's Circle $|\lambda_i - A_{ii}| \leq r_i$
 Need to do A_{11}, A_{22}, \dots Plot and find largest circle.

$$\text{Euler forward } |\sigma_{\text{principal}}| = |1 + \lambda h| \leq 1, \quad \lambda_{\text{max}} = -\frac{4\nu}{(\Delta x)^2}$$

Leapfrog
 Unstable if leaves circle. Gives 1 spurious, 1 principal

MC Pred-corrector
 Same as Euler forward, but with a higher OOA for small λh

Matrix method

1. Discretize spatial derivatives, reduce PDE to a set of coupled ODEs in the form of: $\frac{d\vec{u}}{dt} = A\vec{u} + \vec{f}$.

2. Choose typical eigenvalue of **A**, called λ_T , you get $\frac{du}{dt} = \lambda_T \cdot u$.

3. Choose temporal FD scheme and sub ODE into FD scheme.

4. Add shift operator, $S \approx \frac{u^{n+1}}{u^n}$

5. Find dispersion relation, $\sigma_i = \sigma_i(\lambda_T \Delta T)$

6. Check FDE stability is met for all roots, $|\sigma_i| \leq 1$

7. For OOA, binomial exp:
 $(1+x)^n = 1 + nx + n(n-1)\frac{x^2}{2!} + n(n-1)(n-2)\frac{x^3}{3!} + \dots$

- σ_i could be real or complex. If ODE is unstable, FDE stability doesn't matter.

- Numerical methods are Adams-type if all spurious roots lie at origin when $\Delta t = 0$. E.g. Adams-Bashforth, Adam-Moulton

- Methods of Milne-type (e.g. leap-frog method) have spurious roots at unit circle when $\Delta t = 0$. Typically, Milne-type are more accurate but less stable than Adams-type.

ODE Stability criteria $\Rightarrow \text{Re}(\lambda_m) \leq 0$

von Neumann method

$$\text{Sub } u_j^n = v^n e^{ikxj}, \quad u_{j+1}^n = v^n e^{ik(xj+\Delta x)}, \quad k\Delta x = \theta$$

$$\text{Amplification factor, } |G| = \left| \frac{v^{n+1}}{v^n} \right| \leq 1$$

$$\text{Courant number, } c \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta x} \leq 1$$

$$\text{Diffusion number, } S, \quad \nu \frac{\Delta t}{(\Delta x)^2} \leq \frac{1}{2}$$

4 Boundary Conditions

Periodic $i = 0, 1, 2, \dots, N \text{ points}$ $U_0 = U_{N-1}$, $U_1 = U_N$
 Neumann Derivative value at points
 Dirichlet Fixed value at points

5 Examples

5.1 Derive PDE of Burger's eqn

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + C \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \nu \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$$

3 point central, 2nd order:

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = \left(\frac{\nu}{\Delta x^2} - \frac{c}{2\Delta x}\right)u_{i+1} - \frac{2\nu}{\Delta x^2}u_i + \left(\frac{\nu}{\Delta x^2} + \frac{c}{2\Delta x}\right)u_{i-1} + O(\Delta x)^2$$

Domain $x \in [0, 1]$, $Grid = 0, 1, 2, \dots, N$

For Interior points $i = 1, 2, 3 \dots N-1$,

$$i = 1, \quad \left(\frac{\nu}{\Delta x^2} - \frac{c}{2\Delta x}\right)u_2 - \frac{2\nu}{\Delta x^2}u_1 + \left(\frac{\nu}{\Delta x^2} + \frac{c}{2\Delta x}\right)u_0$$

$$i = 2, \quad \left(\frac{\nu}{\Delta x^2} - \frac{c}{2\Delta x}\right)u_3 - \frac{2\nu}{\Delta x^2}u_2 + \left(\frac{\nu}{\Delta x^2} + \frac{c}{2\Delta x}\right)u_1$$

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$$i = N-2, \left(\frac{\nu}{\Delta x^2} - \frac{c}{2\Delta x}\right)u_{N-1} - \frac{2\nu}{\Delta x^2}u_{N-2} + \left(\frac{\nu}{\Delta x^2} + \frac{c}{2\Delta x}\right)u_{N-3}$$

$$i = N-1, \left(\frac{\nu}{\Delta x^2} - \frac{c}{2\Delta x}\right)u_N - \frac{2\nu}{\Delta x^2}u_{N-1} + \left(\frac{\nu}{\Delta x^2} + \frac{c}{2\Delta x}\right)u_{N-2}$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = \left[\frac{\nu}{\Delta x^2} \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 & 0 & & 0 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 & & \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & 1 & \\ & & \ddots & \ddots & 1 \\ 0 & & 0 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} - \right]$$

$$\frac{c}{2\Delta x} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 & & \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & \\ & & \ddots & \ddots & 1 \\ 0 & & 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \\ \vdots \\ u_{N-2} \\ u_{N-1} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \frac{ca}{2\Delta x} + \frac{\nu a}{(\Delta x)^2} \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ \frac{-cb}{2\Delta x} + \frac{\nu b}{(\Delta x)^2} \end{bmatrix}$$

Expressed in the form of $\frac{\partial \vec{u}}{\partial t} = A\vec{u} + \vec{f}$

5.2 Solve coupled ODE numerically, find u_1, u_2 (Crank Nic)

$$\frac{du_1}{dt} = -\frac{3}{2}u_1 - \frac{1}{2}u_2 - 1 \quad , \quad \frac{du_2}{dt} = -\frac{1}{2}u_1 - \frac{3}{2}u_2 + 1$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -1.5 & -0.5 \\ -0.5 & -1.5 \end{bmatrix} \quad \lambda = \det(A - \lambda I) \quad \Rightarrow \lambda_1 = -1, \lambda_2 = -2$$

$$E = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad D = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$u^{n+1} = u^n 0.5h \left[\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} \right]^{n+1} + \left[\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} \right]^n$$

$$\text{Sub} \Rightarrow \frac{\partial \vec{u}}{\partial t} = A\vec{u} + \vec{f}$$

$$\vec{u}^{n+1} = \vec{u}^n + 0.5h \left[(A\vec{u}^{n+1} + \vec{f}) + (A\vec{u}^n + \vec{f}) \right]$$

$$(I - 0.5hA)\vec{u}^{n+1} = (I + 0.5hA)\vec{u}^n + h\vec{f}$$

$$E^{-1}\vec{u}^{n+1} - \frac{h}{2}DE^{-1}\vec{u}^{n+1} = E^{-1}\vec{u}^n + \frac{h}{2}DE^{-1}\vec{u}^n + hE^{-1}\vec{f}$$

$$\text{Sub} \Rightarrow E^{-1}\vec{u}^n = \vec{U}^n, \quad \vec{F} = E^{-1}\vec{f}$$

$$(I - 0.5hD)\vec{U}^{n+1} = (I + 0.5D)\vec{U}^n + h\vec{F}$$

$$\text{Change to i} \Rightarrow (1 - 0.5h\lambda_i)U_i^{n+1} = (I + 0.5\lambda_i)U_i^n + hF_i$$

$$\text{Complimentary sol, sub } U_i^n = \beta_i \sigma_i^n$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 - 0.5h\lambda_i)\sigma_i - (I + 0.5\lambda_i) = 0$$

$$\text{Particular sol, sub } U_i^n = c_i$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 - 0.5h\lambda_i)c_i = (I + 0.5\lambda_i)c_i + hF_i$$

$$G(S) = \beta_i \sigma_i^n - \frac{F_i}{\lambda_i} \Rightarrow U_{1,2}^n = \beta_1 \left(\frac{1-h}{1+h} \right)^n - 0, \quad \beta_2 \left(\frac{1-0.5h}{1+0.5h} \right)^n - 1$$

5.3 Solve coupled ODE analytically

$$\frac{du_1}{dt} = -\frac{3}{2}u_1 - \frac{1}{2}u_2 - 1 \quad , \quad \frac{du_2}{dt} = -\frac{1}{2}u_1 - \frac{3}{2}u_2 + 1$$

Same A, D, E as 5.2. $\Rightarrow \lambda_1 = -1, \lambda_2 = -2$

$$\frac{d\vec{U}}{dt} = D(\lambda)\vec{U} + \vec{F} \quad \text{where, } \vec{F} = E^{-1}\vec{f} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\frac{dU_1}{dt} = \lambda_1 U_1 + 0, \quad \frac{dU_2}{dt} = \lambda_2 U_2 - 1$$

$$U_1 = \frac{1}{\lambda_1} \frac{dU_1}{dt} = C_1 e^{\lambda_1 t}$$

$$U_2 = \frac{1}{\lambda_2} \frac{dU_2}{dt} + \lambda_2 = C_2 e^{\lambda_2 t} + \frac{1}{\lambda_2}$$

$$\text{Recouple back } \vec{u} = E\vec{U} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} C_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} \\ C_2 e^{\lambda_2 t} + \frac{1}{\lambda_2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$u_1(t) = e^{-2t} + e^{-t} - 1$$

$$u_2(t) = e^{-2t} + e^{-t} + 1$$

5.4 Find dispersion relationship

$$\text{Model eqn: } \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = \lambda u + a e^{\mu t}$$

$$\text{FDE: } u^{n+1} = u^n + 0.5h \left[3 \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} \right)^n - \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} \right)^{n-1} \right]$$

Sub FDE into eqn,

$$u^{n+1} - (1 + 1.5h\lambda)u^n + 0.5h\lambda u^{n-1} = 0.5ah e^{\mu h n} (3 - e^{-\mu h})$$

$$\text{Add shift op } s \equiv \frac{u^{n+1}}{u^n} \equiv u, \quad s^2 = (1 + 1.5h\lambda)s - 0.5\lambda h$$

$$P(\sigma) = P(s) = 0, \quad \sigma^2 - (1 + 1.5\lambda h)\sigma + 0.5\lambda h = 0$$

$$\sigma = \frac{(1 + 1.5\lambda h) \pm \sqrt{(1 + 1.5\lambda h)^2 - 2\lambda h}}{2}$$

σ_{positive} is principal root as it matches binom exp of $e^{\lambda h}$

5.5 Fourier series stability neumann

$$\text{Sub } u_j^n = v^n e^{ikx_j}, \quad u_{j+1}^n = v^n e^{ik(x_j + \Delta x)}, \quad k\Delta x = \theta$$

Sub in G, courant, diffusion constants to simplify eqn.

Express in G

$$\nu^{n+1} e^{ikx_j} = \nu^n e^{ikx_j} \left[1 + \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta x^2} (1 - \frac{3}{2}\Delta x) \right] +$$

$$\nu^n e^{ik(x_j + \Delta x)} \left[2 \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta x^2} (\Delta x - 1) \right] + \nu^n e^{ik(x_j + 2\Delta x)} \left[\frac{\Delta t}{\Delta x^2} (1 - \frac{1}{2}\Delta x) \right]$$

$$G \nu^n e^{ikx_j} = \nu^n e^{ikx_j} \left[1 + P - \frac{3}{2}Q \right] + \nu^n e^{ik(x_j + \Delta x)} [2(Q - P)] +$$

$$\nu^n e^{ik(x_j + 2\Delta x)} (P - \frac{1}{2}Q)$$

Divide by $\nu^n e^{ikx_j}$ and apply Euler, $e^{i\theta} = \cos \theta + \sin \theta$

$$G = (1 - \frac{1}{2}P) + e^{i2k\Delta x} (\frac{1}{2}P) =$$

$$(1 - \frac{1}{2}P + \frac{1}{P} \cos(2k\Delta x)) + i \frac{1}{2}P \sin(2k\Delta x)$$

Square G and solve inequality.

$$1 + P(1 - \frac{1}{2}P) [\cos(2k\Delta x) - 1] \leq 1$$

Since $\cos(2k\Delta x)$ is negative, middle term must be +

$$1 - \frac{1}{2}P \geq 0 \Rightarrow P \leq 2, \quad \Rightarrow \Delta t \leq 2$$