

$$3) \text{ flux } F(A, s)|_{s_{k+\frac{1}{2}}} = F_{k+\frac{1}{2}}(\bar{A}_k^n, \bar{A}_k^{n+1}) \approx \frac{1}{\Delta t} \int_{t_n}^{t_{n+1}} F(A, s_{k+\frac{1}{2}}) dt$$

$$\text{So } \bar{A}_k^{n+1} = \bar{A}_k^n - \frac{1}{h_k} \int_{t_n}^{t_{n+1}} \frac{F_{k+\frac{1}{2}}(\bar{A}_k^n, \bar{A}_k^{n+1}) - F_{k-\frac{1}{2}}(\bar{A}_k^n, \bar{A}_k^{n+1})}{F(A, s)|_{s_{k+\frac{1}{2}}} - F(A, s)|_{s_{k-\frac{1}{2}}}} dt$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{A}_k^{n+1} = \bar{A}_k^n - \frac{\Delta t}{h_k} (F_{k+\frac{1}{2}}(\bar{A}_k^n, \bar{A}_k^{n+1}) - F_{k-\frac{1}{2}}(\bar{A}_k^n, \bar{A}_k^{n+1}))$$

4) From question 2, we saw that the characteristic 'speed'  $F'(A) > 0$ , so the characteristics move to the right. So, the flux taken at a boundary  $k+\frac{1}{2}$  is determined by the volume to the left of the boundary. Thus, the Godunov flux  $F_{k+\frac{1}{2}} = F(\bar{A}_k)$  which is equal to ~~the flux from the Riemann problem solution~~  $F(A_k)$ , using  $A_k$  from the Riemann problem solution.

5) The CFL stability condition for the Godunov scheme above defines a timestep,  $\Delta t$ , that must satisfy:

$$\Delta t < \text{CFL} \cdot \min_k \frac{h_k}{\lambda_k}$$

For  $\text{CFL} \in (0, 1)$ , and  $\lambda_k = F'(\bar{A}_k) > 0$  from question 2.

So  $\Delta t < \min_k \frac{h_k}{F'(\bar{A}_k)}$  is our time-step restriction.

6) At  $s=0$ , define our boundary condition,  $\bar{A}_1^n$ , as our inflow area.

Since  $F'(A) > 0$ , our characteristics move ~~from left to right~~ from left to right in the domain  $s = [0, 1, \dots, L]$ .

Fix the flux at  $s=0$   $F_{\frac{1}{2}}(\bar{A}_1^n) = Q_0$

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Since  $\lambda(A) > 0$ , giving us an upwind scheme, the characteristics simply leave the domain at  $s=L$ , so fixing the flux at the end of the domain would not have an effect on the rest of the domain. Thus, no boundary condition is needed at the downstream boundary.