

Look at Godunov 1-d $f(u) = au$, $a > 0$, $a = \text{const.}$

Then $U_i^{n+1} = U_i^n - \left(\frac{\Delta t}{\Delta x}\right) (f(U_i) - f(U_{i-1}))$

$U_i^{n+1} = U_i^n - \lambda \cdot a U_i^n + \lambda a U_{i-1}^n$

form the PDE discretization

$\frac{U_i^{n+1} - U_i^n}{\Delta t} + \frac{a U_i^n - a U_{i-1}^n}{\Delta x} = 0$

$\frac{U_i^{n+1} - U_i^n}{\Delta t} + \frac{a U_{i+1}^n - a U_{i-1}^n}{2 \Delta x} + \frac{-a U_{i+1}^n + 2a U_i^n - a U_{i-1}^n}{2 \Delta x} = 0$

$\partial_t u + \partial_x (au) + \text{perturbation terms} = 0$

"central" = "Galerkin" derivative discretization

viscosity

$\frac{U_i^{n+1} - U_i^n}{\Delta t} + \frac{a U_{i+1}^n - a U_{i-1}^n}{2 \Delta x} = \frac{a \cdot \Delta x}{2} \cdot \frac{U_{i-1}^n - 2U_i^n + U_{i+1}^n}{\Delta x^2}$

$\partial_t u + \partial_x f(u) = \beta \frac{\Delta x}{2} \Delta u \quad \left\| \sum_{j=i-1}^{i+1} d_{ij} U_j^n \right.$

$\beta = \text{max local speed}$

PDE: $\partial_t u + \partial_x f(u) = \partial_x (\underline{\underline{\epsilon(u)}} u_x)$

Forward Euler time step \oplus mass lumping FEM-term \oplus discrete artificial diffusion

(some) FEM \Leftrightarrow FDM on uniform meshes.

! If we repeat $\ast - \ast$ with $a < 0 \Rightarrow \text{viscosity} = |a| \frac{\Delta x}{2} \cdot \frac{U_{i-1}^n + 2U_i^n + U_{i+1}^n}{\Delta x^2}$

Invariant domain preserving schemes

$$1) \vec{u} = \begin{pmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \\ \vdots \\ u_m \end{pmatrix}, \vec{u} = \vec{u}(x, t) \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^d, t > 0$$

$$2) \mathbf{f}(u) \text{ takes values in } (\mathbb{R}^m)^d, \text{ i.e. } \mathbf{f}(u) = (\vec{f}_1(u), \vec{f}_2(u), \dots, \vec{f}_d(u))$$

and $\vec{f}_j(u) = \begin{pmatrix} f_{1j}(u) \\ \vdots \\ f_{mj}(u) \end{pmatrix}$ and each $f_{ij}(u) = \text{scalar function.}$

$$3) \text{ Given a unit vector } \vec{n} \in S^{d-1} \text{ we consider}$$

$$\mathbf{f}_{\vec{n}} = \mathbf{f} \cdot \vec{n} = \sum_{j=1}^d \vec{f}_j \cdot \vec{n}_j; \quad (\sum n_j^2 = 1)$$

and we assume that if $(u_L, u_R) \in \Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^m$ the problem

$$(1)_{\vec{n}} \begin{cases} \partial_t u + \partial_x (\mathbf{f}_{\vec{n}}(u)) = 0 \\ u(x, 0) = \begin{cases} u_L, & x < 0 \\ u_R, & x > 0 \end{cases} \end{cases}$$

is solvable!

That is, the notion of $u(x, t)$ a unique solution of $(1)_{\vec{n}}$ is clear.

$$4) u_t + \nabla_x \cdot \mathbf{f}(u) = 0 \text{ is hyperbolic if } (1)_{\vec{n}} \text{ is hyperbolic,}$$

i.e., $\mathbf{f}'_{\vec{n}}$ has real eigenvalues for any $u \in \Omega$.

$$\text{The solution } u(x, t) = \begin{cases} u_L & \text{if } \frac{x}{t} \leq \lambda_{\min} \\ \text{something} & \text{if } \lambda_{\min} < \frac{x}{t} < \lambda_{\max} \\ u_R & \text{if } \frac{x}{t} \geq \lambda_{\max} \end{cases}$$

Therefore, we assume finite speed of propagation

The (interface) Riemann solution is enclosed

in the cone $\lambda_{\min} \leq \frac{x}{t} \leq \lambda_{\max}$

let $\lambda_{\max}(\vec{f}_u, u_L, u_R) := \max(|\lambda_{\min}|, |\lambda_{\max}|)$

Theorem: let $t \lambda_{\max}(\vec{f}_u, u_L, u_R) \leq \frac{1}{2}$. Then

$$\bar{u}(t) = \int_{-\frac{1}{2}}^{\frac{1}{2}} u(x, t) dx = \frac{1}{2}(u_L + u_R) - t \left(\vec{f}_u(u_R) - \vec{f}_u(u_L) \right)$$

This is the essential step in the Lax scheme (staggered average)

More over, if $\partial_t \eta(u(x, t)) + \partial_x q_{\vec{u}}(u(x, t)) \leq 0$ for an entropy pair $(\eta, q_{\vec{u}})$ then we have the following

$$(*) \quad \eta(\bar{u}(t)) \leq \frac{1}{2}(\eta(u_L) + \eta(u_R)) - t(q_{\vec{u}}(u_R) - q_{\vec{u}}(u_L)).$$

(*) is a discrete entropy inequality.

Def. (Invariant domain) A convex set $A \subset \mathcal{R}$ is an invariant domain of the PDE if for any (\vec{u}) and any $u_L, u_R \in A$ we have that $\bar{u}(t) \in A$ for all $0 \leq t \leq t_{\max} = \frac{1}{2 \lambda_{\max}(\vec{f}_u, u_L, u_R)}$.

Let $\{\mathcal{T}_h\}_{h>0}$ be a shape regular sequence of affine matching meshes. Think of Δ -s or \square in 2D.

The approximation space P is (P_1) on triangles or (Q_1) on quadrilaterals. Any $v \in P(\mathcal{T}_h)$ can be expressed as a linear combination of the Lagrange shape functions.

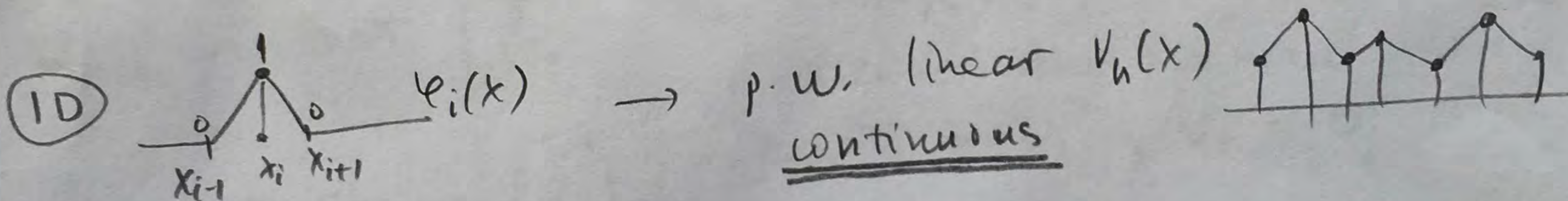
$$V_h(x) = \sum_{i=1}^I v(\hat{a}_e) \varphi_i(x)$$



$$\begin{cases} \varphi(\hat{a}_i) = 1 \\ \varphi(\hat{a}_j) = 0 \\ \forall j \neq i \end{cases}$$

Key property: $\begin{cases} \min V_h(x) = \min_e v(\hat{a}_e) \\ \max V_h(x) = \max_e v(\hat{a}_e) \end{cases}$

(2D) $\begin{cases} V_h/K = \text{linear} = a + bx + cy \\ K = \Delta\text{-gle (2D)} \end{cases}$ or $\begin{cases} V_h/K = a + bx + cy + dx^2 + dy^2 \\ K = \text{rectangle (2D)} \end{cases}$



Recall the equation:

$$m_i = \int \varphi_i(x) dx$$

$\varphi_i \cdot | \partial_t u + \nabla \cdot f(u) = 0$
integrate

Discretization:

$$m_i \frac{U_i^{n+1} - U_i^n}{\tau} + \int (\nabla \cdot \Pi_h f(U_h^n)) \varphi_i dx - \sum_{j \in \mathcal{I}(s_i)} d_{ij} U_j^n = 0$$

time derivative discretization

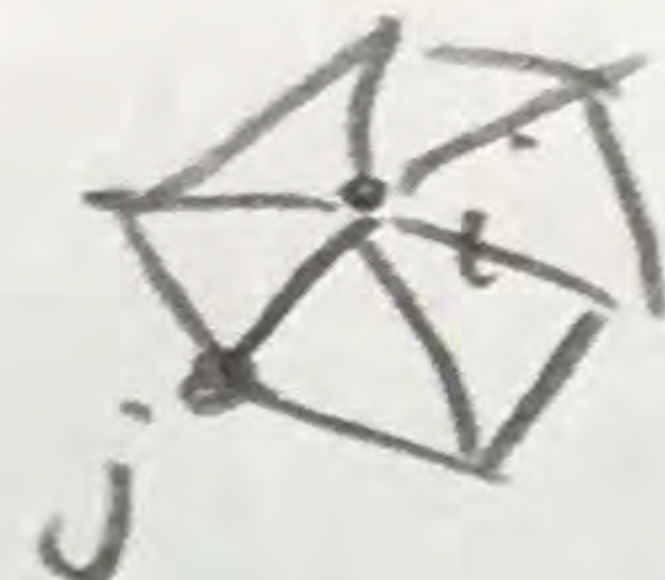
$$\Pi_h f = \sum_j f(U_j^n) \cdot \varphi_j$$

(interpolant)

stabilization term
artificial viscosity!

The scheme:

$$m_i \frac{U_i^{n+1} - U_i^n}{\tau} = - \sum_{j \neq i} f(U_j^n) \cdot c_{ij} + \sum_{j \neq i} d_{ij} U_j^n, \text{ where } c_{ij} = \int \nabla \varphi_j \cdot \varphi_i$$

We require $\sum_j d_{ij} = 0$, note $d_{ij} = 0$ if $j \in I(s_i)$; 

$$m_i \frac{U_i^{n+1} - U_i^n}{\tau} = - \sum_{j \in I(s_i)} \underbrace{(f(U_j^n) - f(U_i^n))}_{\text{adds zero}} \cdot C_{ij} + \sum_{j \in I(s_i)} d_{ij} (U_j + \underbrace{U_i}_{\text{adds zero}})$$

Then:

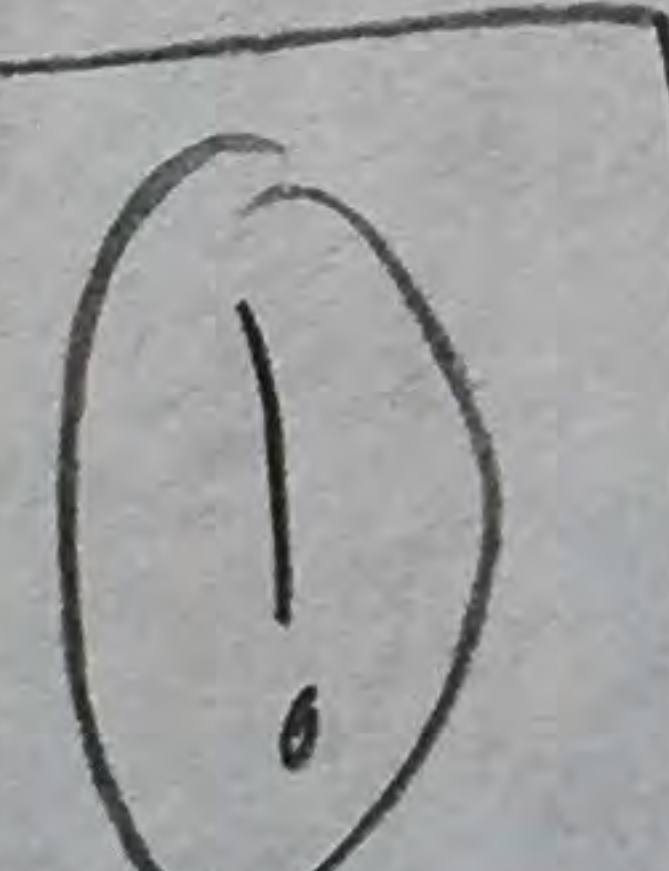
$$U_i^{n+1} = U_i^n \left(1 - \sum_{j \neq i} \frac{2\tau d_{ij}}{m_i} \right) + \sum_{j \neq i} \frac{2\tau d_{ij}}{m_i} \cdot \bar{U}_{ij}, \text{ where}$$

$$\bar{U}_{ij} = \frac{1}{2} (U_j + U_i) - \frac{\|C_{ij}\|}{2d_{ij}} (f(U_j^n) - f(U_i^n)) \cdot \underbrace{\left(\frac{C_{ij}}{\|C_{ij}\|} \right)}_{\text{unit vector}} = u_{ij}$$

As long as $\frac{\|C_{ij}\|}{2d_{ij}} = \text{artificial time } \tau \leq \frac{1}{2 \cdot \lambda_{\max}(f, u_i, u_j)}$

we have that

\bar{U}_{ij} = the average of the exact solution of the Riemann problem with $U_L = U_i$, $U_R = U_j$ and flux = $f \cdot u_{ij}$



Then $\bar{U}_{ij} \in A$ if A is an invariant domain for U_i^n & U_j^n for this fixed $j \in I(s_i)$

Theorem If A is an invariant domain s.t. $U_j^n \in A$ for all $j \in I(s_i)$, then

$$\left[\begin{array}{l} \bar{U}_{ij} \in A \text{ and } U_i^{n+1} \in A! \\ \forall j \in I(s_i) \end{array} \right. \quad \square$$