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Stability, dissipation, dispersion.

Recap

① Two-level schemes

$$P u_{l+1} = Q u_l + h \tau \frac{u_l}{\tau}$$

$\uparrow$  time  $l+1$                        $\uparrow$  time  $l$

ignore

②  $u$  is the numerical approx

$\bar{u}$  is the exact.

$$e = \bar{u} - u$$

③  $\tau$  is the truncation error  
is "the remainder after  
applying the FD scheme  
to the exact solution"

$$\Rightarrow P u_{e+1} = Q u_e + \tau h_e$$

↑  
why?  
Example  
5.14

④ How do errors propagate?

$$P u_{t+1} = Q u_t + r h_t$$

$$\left( P u_{t+1} = Q u_t \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow P e_{t+1} = Q e_t + r h_t$$

$$e_0 = 0 \quad (\text{since } u_0 = \bar{u}_0)$$

$$P e_1 = Q e_0 + r_0 h_t$$

$$= r_0 h_t$$

$$e_1 = P^{-1} r_0 h_t$$

$$e_1 = P^{-1} \tau_0 h_t$$

$$Pe_2 = Qe_1 + \tau_1 h_t$$

$$e_2 = P^{-1} Qe_1 + P^{-1} \tau_1 h_t$$

$$= P^{-1} Q P^{-1} \tau_0 h_t + P^{-1} \tau_1 h_t$$

$$Pe_3 = \dots$$

$$Pe_4 = \dots$$

⋮

$$e_l = \sum_{m=1}^l (P^{-1} Q)^{l-m} P^{-1} \tau_0 h_t + P^{-1} \tau_l h_t$$

$$\textcircled{5} \quad e_e = h_t \sum_{m=1}^l (P^{-1}Q)^{l-m} P^{-1} \tau_{m-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \|e_e\| \leq h_t \sum_{m=1}^l \underbrace{\| (P^{-1}Q)^{l-m} P^{-1} \|}_{\text{stability}} \underbrace{\|\tau_{m-1}\|}_{\text{consistent}}$$

$\textcircled{6}$  A scheme is consistent  $\leq c$   $\Rightarrow 0$   
 if  $\tau_e \rightarrow 0$  as  $h_t, h_x \rightarrow 0$  as  $h_t, h_x \rightarrow 0$

$\textcircled{7}$  A scheme is convergent  
 if  $e_e \rightarrow 0$  as  $h_t, h_x \rightarrow 0$ .

$\textcircled{7}$  A scheme is stable if  $\| (P^{-1}Q)^l P^{-1} \| \leq c$  for some  $c$ .

⑧ How to show stability?

- ① bound the matrix norms ✓
- ② von Neumann stability

# V.N. stability

## Short Story

(Section 5.3.2 in text)

•  $P$  and  $Q$  are Toeplitz

• Can write  $(Px)_j = \sum_k p_{j-k} x_k$

$$(Qx)_j = \sum_k q_{j-k} x_k$$

• ...  $\|P^{-1}Q\| = \max \left| \frac{\hat{q}(\phi)}{\hat{p}(\phi)} \right|$

if  $\left| \frac{\hat{q}(\phi)}{\hat{p}(\phi)} \right| < 1$   
then  $\Sigma$  stable

Fourier Trans.  
of  $\hat{p}, \hat{q}$

In practice:

$$\text{let } u_{k,l} = \lambda^l e^{ik\theta}$$

$$\gamma = \frac{ahv}{h_x}$$

Example

$$u_{k,l+1} = \gamma u_{k-1,l} + (1-\gamma) u_{k,l}$$

$$\cancel{\lambda^{l+1}} e^{ik\theta} = \gamma \cancel{\lambda^l} e^{ik\theta} e^{-i\theta} + (1-\gamma) \cancel{\lambda^l} e^{ik\theta}$$

$$\lambda = \gamma e^{-i\theta} + (1-\gamma)$$

Find conditions so that

$$|| \text{rest} || = |\lambda| \leq 1$$



$$\lambda = \gamma e^{-i\theta} + (1-\gamma)$$

$$|\lambda|^2 \leq 1?$$

$$\lambda = 1 - \gamma(1 - e^{-i\theta})$$

$$\Rightarrow |\lambda|^2 = 1 - \gamma(1 - e^{-i\theta}) - \gamma(1 - e^{i\theta})$$

$$+ \gamma^2 |1 - e^{i\theta}|^2$$

$$= 1 - 2\gamma + 2\gamma \cos(\theta)$$

$$+ \gamma^2 (1 - \bar{e}^{i\theta} - e^{i\theta} + e^{-i\theta+i\theta})$$

$$\underbrace{1 - 2\cos\theta + 1}_{2 - 2\cos\theta}$$

$$= 1 - 2\gamma + 2\gamma \cos\theta + \gamma^2 (2 - 2\cos\theta)$$

$$|\lambda|^2 = 1 - 2\gamma + 2\gamma^2 + 2(\gamma - \gamma^2)\cos\theta$$

take  $\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta}$

$$\rightarrow \frac{\partial |\lambda|^2}{\partial \theta} = -2(\gamma - \gamma^2)\sin\theta = 0$$

$$\text{if } \theta = m\pi$$

$$m \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$= 1 - 2\gamma + 2\gamma^2 + 2(\gamma - \gamma^2)(\pm 1)$$

if  $m$  is even:

$$|\lambda|^2 = 1 - 2\gamma + 2\gamma^2 + 2\gamma - 2\gamma^2 = 1$$

if  $m$  is odd

$$|\lambda|^2 = 1 - 4\gamma + 4\gamma^2 = (1 - 2\gamma)^2$$

$$|\lambda|^2 = |1 - 2\gamma|^2 \leq 1$$

iff

$$0 \leq \gamma \leq 1$$

or

$$0 \leq \frac{a h_t}{h_x} \leq 1$$

or

$$h_t \leq \frac{h_x}{a}$$

$$u_t + a u_x = 0$$

(can we do better?)

Taylor  $u(x, t+h_t) = u(x, t) + h_t u_t(x, t) + \frac{h_t^2}{2} u_{tt}(x, t) + o(h_t^3)$

$$u_t + a u_x = 0$$

$$\rightarrow u_t = -a u_x$$

also

$$u_{tt} = -a u_{tx}$$

$$\rightarrow u_{tt} = a^2 u_{xx}$$

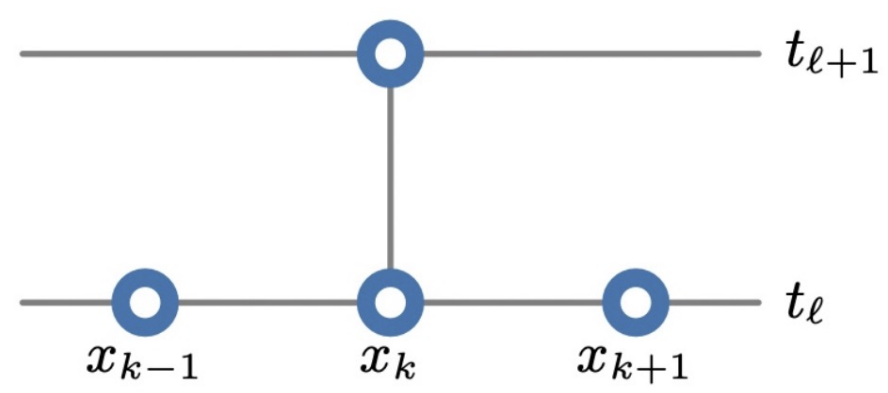
$$u(x, t+h_t) = u + h_t u_x + \frac{h_t^2}{2} u_{xx}$$

centered

centered

↙ explicit time
↙ centered
↙ 2<sup>nd</sup> order  $u_{xx}$

$$\frac{u_{k,l+1} - u_{k,l}}{h_t} + a \frac{u_{k+1,l} - u_{k-1,l}}{2h_x} - \frac{a^2 h_t}{2} \frac{u_{k+1,l} - 2u_{k,l} + u_{k-1,l}}{h_x^2} = 0$$



f. Lax-Wendroff (LW)