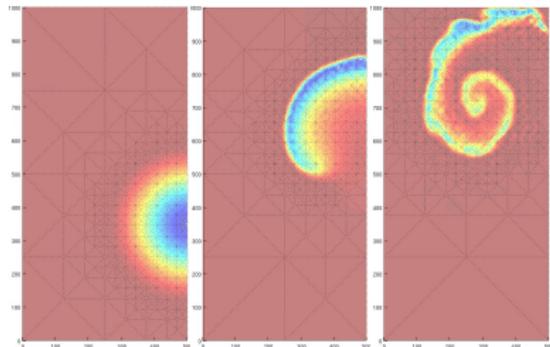


Asymptotic Preserving Schemes for Weakly Compressible Flows

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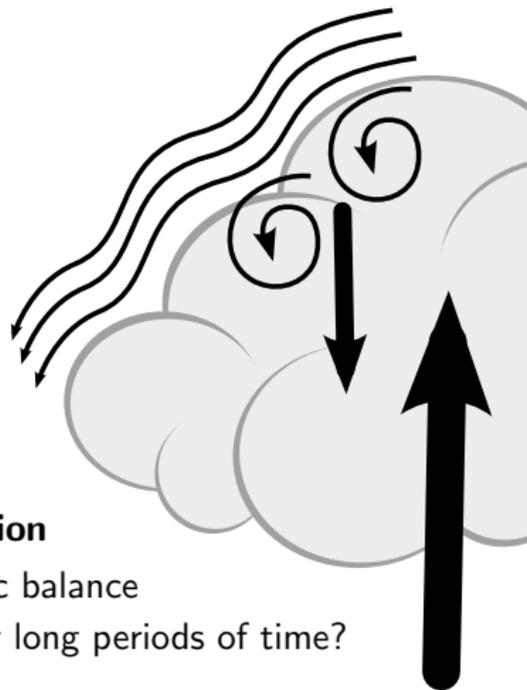
Application



Meteorology: Cloud Simulation

Gravity induces hydrostatic balance

How do clouds evolve over long periods of time?



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- number of time steps $\mathcal{O}(1/\mathbf{Fr})$

-low Mach / low Froude number problem

[Bijl & Wesseling ('98), Klein et al.('95, '01), Meister ('99,01), Munz & Park ('05), Degond et al. ('11) ...]

Cancelation problem

- Sesterhenn et al. ('99)
- h ... water depth in the shallow flow
- "pressure term" $\frac{1}{2\mathbf{Fr}^2} \nabla h^2 \implies$
- $h_L, h_R = h_L + \delta h, \quad \delta h \approx \mathcal{O}(\mathbf{Fr}^2)$
- **round off errors** can yield the **cancelation** effects

$$\begin{aligned}h_R^2 - h_L^2 &= ((h_L^2 + 2h_L\delta h + \delta h^2)(1 + \epsilon_1) - h_L^2)(1 + \epsilon_2) \\h_R^2 - h_L^2 &= \delta h \left[(2h_L + \delta h_L) + \epsilon_1 \frac{(h_L + \delta h)^2}{\delta h} + h.o.t. \right]\end{aligned}$$

- leading order error in the pressure term $\approx \frac{1}{\mathbf{Fr}^2} \epsilon_1 \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{\mathbf{Fr}^2}\right) \approx \mathcal{O}(1) \quad !$

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- AIM:

- reduce adverse effect of $1 + 1/\mathbf{Fr}$
- large time step scheme: Δt does not depends on \mathbf{Fr}
- efficient scheme for advection effects
- stability and accuracy of the scheme is independent on \mathbf{Fr}

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limiting system as $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$ ($\partial_t b = 0$)

$$h^{(0)}(x) = b(x) + \text{const.} \tag{1}$$

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Does a numerical scheme give a consistent approximation of (1) ?

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- REST: nonlinear system \mathcal{N}

$$z_t = 0$$

$$m_t + (m^2/(z-b))_x + \frac{1}{2\mathbf{Fr}^2}(z^2)_x + (mn/(z-b))_y = 0$$

$$n_t + (mn/(z-b))_x + (n^2/(z-b))_y + \frac{1}{2\mathbf{Fr}^2}(z^2)_y = 0 \implies E_{\Delta}^N$$

E_{Δ}^N is the evolution along the characteristics as by Prof. Tabata, Prof. Notsu

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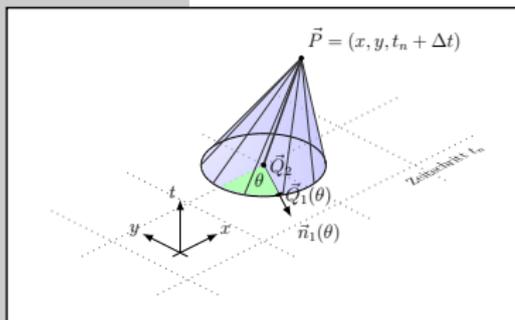
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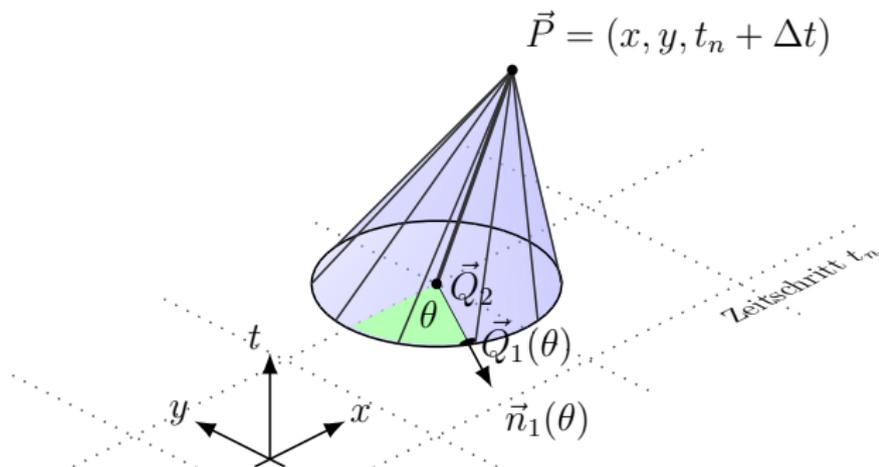
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Bicharacteristic scheme for linear operator \mathcal{L}

Wave propagation for the hyperbolic balance laws

Information travels along **bicharacteristic curves**

Integration along each curve + averaging over the cone mantle yields integral representation for the solution at the pick of the cone



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Let \underline{R} denote the right eigenvectors of $\underline{P} = \underline{A}_1 n_x + \underline{A}_2 n_y$.

Change of variables $\mathbf{v} = \underline{R}^{-1} \mathbf{w}$ yields a quasi-diagonal system

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where $\underline{B}_{1/2} := \underline{R}^{-1} \underline{A}_{1/2} \underline{R}$

$\mathbf{r} := \underline{R}^{-1} \mathbf{s}(\mathbf{w})$, $\mathbf{S} := -(\underline{B}_1 - \text{diag}(\underline{B}_1)) \partial_x \mathbf{v} - (\underline{B}_2 - \text{diag}(\underline{B}_2)) \partial_y \mathbf{v}$.

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eigenstructure: $\lambda_1 = -a$, $\lambda_2 = 0$, $\lambda_3 = a$, $a := \frac{\sqrt{-b}}{\operatorname{Fr}}$

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Expression intractable for a numerical scheme – Simplify!

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- The resulting operator is a predictor for the cell-interface values of fluxes in the Finite Volume update
- **The operator is asymptotic preserving !**
- It can be shown to be of order $\mathcal{O}(\tau^2)$.

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- spatial discretization: **Finite Volume update** using flux differences
- + EG-evolution operator to evaluate fluxes at interfaces (multi-d Riemann solver)

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- we assume that $z^n, z^{n+1/2}, m^n, m^{n+1/2}$ approximate the limiting eqs. (1)

• Eq.(3) yields for ε^{-2}

$$\frac{b}{2} \left(z_x^{(0),n+1} + z_x^{(0),n} \right) - \frac{1}{2} z^{(0),n+1/2} z_x^{(0),n+1/2} = 0$$

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- transported with $\mathbf{u}_{\text{ref}} = (0.6, 0)$

- period $T = 5/3$

- exact solution: $w(x, y, t) = w(x - t/T, y, 0)$; $w = (z, m, n)^T$

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80	0.00210	0.60779	0.57048	0.62504	0.57483	0.60955
160	0.00123	0.77580	0.33396	0.77250	0.33783	0.76682

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20	0.06944		0.17415		0.18840	
40	0.01584	2.1323	0.03977	2.1306	0.05377	1.8089
80	0.00327	2.2766	0.00906	2.1349	0.01609	1.7407
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80	3.20e-5	1.9363	0.07283	2.3054	0.07454	2.2888
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Let $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^2$ be a bounded Lipschitz-continuous domain and the bottom topography $b \in W^{1,\infty}(\Omega)$, $b \leq 0$. Then the following problem

$$w + \Delta t \Phi(w) = 0 \quad (7)$$

has a unique solution $w \in H^1(\Omega)$, provided

$$\int_{\partial\Omega} bz \partial_\nu z \, ds \geq 0. \quad (8)$$

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Application to atmospheric flow

Compressible Euler equations

$$\begin{aligned}\partial_t \rho' + \nabla \cdot (\rho \mathbf{u}) &= 0 \\ \partial_t (\rho \mathbf{u}) + \nabla \cdot (\rho \mathbf{u} \otimes \mathbf{u} + p' \text{Id}) &= -\rho' g \mathbf{k} \\ \partial_t (\rho \theta)' + \nabla \cdot (\rho \theta \mathbf{u}) &= 0\end{aligned}$$

with background state \bar{p} , $\bar{\rho}$, $\bar{\theta}$ in **hydrostatic balance**

$$\boxed{\partial_y \bar{p} = -\bar{\rho} g}$$

State variables: $\mathbf{w} = [\rho', \rho u, \rho v, (\rho \theta)']^\top$

- Potential temperature $\theta := T/\pi$
 - Exner-pressure $\pi(y) := 1 - \frac{gy}{c_p \theta}$
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Exact evolution operator for the linear subsystem

linear part for the Euler system

$$\partial_t \mathbf{w} + \mathcal{L}(\mathbf{w}) = 0$$

$$\mathbf{w} := \begin{pmatrix} \rho' \\ \rho u \\ \rho v \\ (\rho\theta)' \end{pmatrix} \quad \mathcal{L}(\mathbf{w}) := \begin{pmatrix} \operatorname{div}(\rho \mathbf{u}) \\ \partial p' / \partial x \\ \partial p' / \partial y + g \rho' \\ \operatorname{div}(\bar{\theta} \rho \mathbf{u}) \end{pmatrix}$$

- linearized version of p' : $p' = \frac{c_p \bar{p}}{c_v \bar{\rho} \bar{\theta}} (\rho\theta)'$

Exact evolution operator for the linear subsystem

$$\partial \mathbf{w} + \mathbf{A}_1 \mathbf{w}_x + \mathbf{A}_2 \mathbf{w}_y = S(\mathbf{w})$$

$$\mathbf{A}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \bar{\theta} & 0 & 0 \\ \tilde{\gamma} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \mathbf{A}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & \bar{\theta} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \tilde{\gamma} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

where $\bar{\theta} = \bar{\theta}(y)$, $\tilde{\gamma} = \frac{c_p \bar{p}}{c_v \bar{\rho} \bar{\theta}}$

eigenstructure: $\lambda_1 = -a$, $\lambda_{2,3} = 0$, $\lambda_4 = a$, $a := \sqrt{\tilde{\gamma} \bar{\theta}}$

Note: in the non-dimensional form $\tilde{\gamma} = \frac{\gamma R}{\mathbf{M}^2}$

Test 1: rising warm air bubble

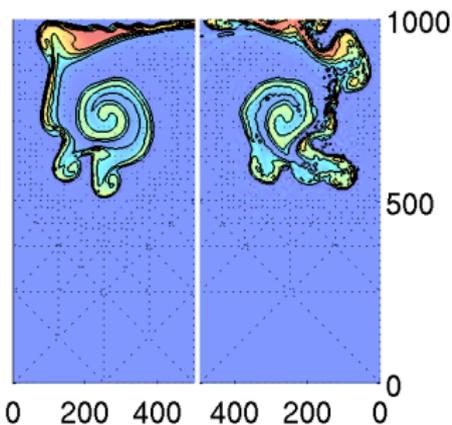
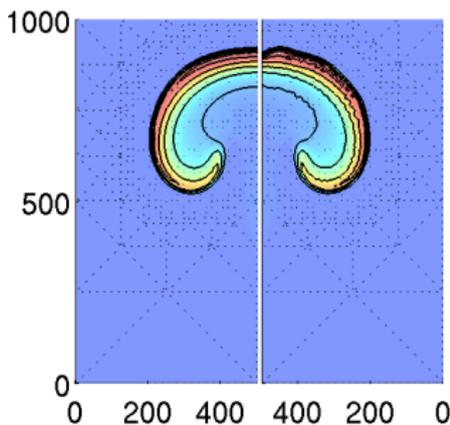
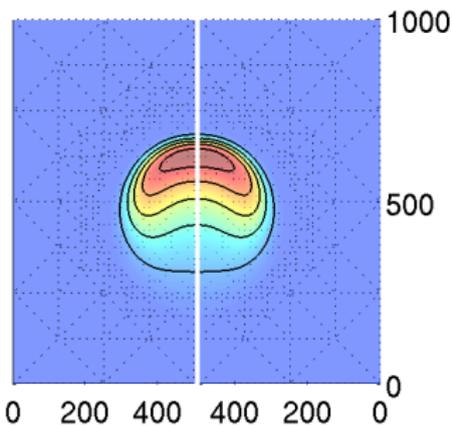
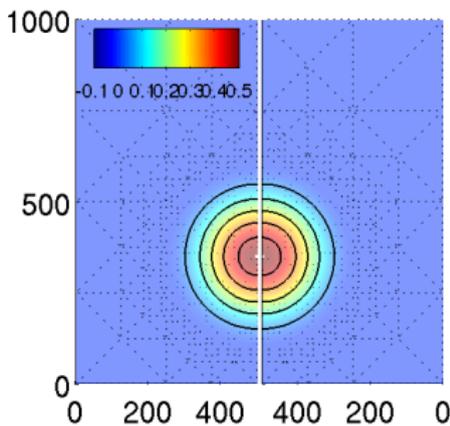
- bubble with a cosine profile in $\theta = \bar{\theta} + \theta'$:

$$\theta' = \begin{cases} 0 & r > r_C, \quad r = \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{x}_C\| \\ 0.25[1 + \cos(\pi_c r / r_C)] & r \leq r_C \end{cases}$$

$$\mathbf{x}_C = (500, 350), \quad r_C = 250m, \quad \bar{\theta} = 300K,$$
$$\mathbf{x} \in [0, 1000]^2, \quad t \in [0, 700]$$

- in the momentum and energy eqs. regularized viscous terms with a small viscosity μ are added

$$\mu = 0.1m^2/s$$



Test 2: small cold bubble on the top of large warm bubble

- **Robert test** (1993)
 - both bubbles: a Gaussian profile
 - warm air bubble: amplitude of 0.5 K
 - cold air bubble: amplitude 0.17 K
 - $\mu = 0.1m^2/s$

