

# Adaptive large time step methods for geophysical flows

Combining the discontinuous Galerkin method with multi-d evolution operators

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# Application





#### Meteorology: Cloud Simulation

Gravity induces hydrostatic balance How do clouds evolve over long periods of time?



Figure: Oceanographic flows

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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) ... ]

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- BUT round off errors can yield the cancelation effects

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

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-Remedy: introduce background values and work with perturbations only

#### - AIM:

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

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

$$h^{(0)}(x) = b(x) + const.$$
(1)  
 $\partial_t h^{(0)} = \partial_x m^{(0)}$   
 $\partial_t u^{(0)} + u^{(0)} \partial_x u^{(0)} + \partial_x z^{(2)} = 0$ 

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

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[Restelli ('07), Giraldo & Restelli ('10)]

•  $\mathcal{L}$ : spatially varying linear system

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$$z_t = 0$$
  

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

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

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

$$\mathcal{L}(\mathbf{w}^{\ell}) = \frac{1}{\Delta x_k} \sum_{k=1}^2 \delta_{x_k}(\mathbf{F}_L(\mathbf{E}_0(\mathbf{w}^{\ell}))), \quad \ell = n, n+1$$
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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  $\varepsilon^{-2}$ 

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$$\approx m^{(0),n} - \Delta t \left[ h^{(0),n+1/2} z_x^{(2),n+1/2} - (hu^2)^{(0),n+1/2} \right]$$

- which is a consistent approx. of the momentum eq.

$$\partial_t u^{(0)} = u^{(0)} \partial_x u^{(0)} + \partial_x z^{(2)}$$

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In short:

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Flux Source term

#### • Goal:

- approximate the Euler eqs. using the above splitting into linearized and nonlinear waves and semi-implicite time discretization
- space discretization using the discontinuous Galerkin method and P1, P2
   elements
- use multi-d evolution in order to approximate fluxes along cell interfaces ... verify AP !





Key Ingredients of the Discretization

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Local variational formulation

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Discrete system & basis functions





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Finite Volume Method: one-dimensional approach Rusanov flux

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 $\lambda$  - max. wave speed

Truly multi-dimensional approach: evolution operator (EG)



implemented in the CloudFlash code: flash/FVEG.F90





#### **Evolution Galerkin Scheme**

Replacing a one-dimensional numerical flux

# Wave propagation for the Euler equations

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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#### Short derivation of integral representation

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with matrices  $\underline{A}_1(\mathbf{w})$ ,  $\underline{A}_2(\mathbf{w})$  and source term  $\mathbf{s}(\mathbf{w})$ . Freeze Jacobians  $\underline{A}_1$ ,  $\underline{A}_2$  if they depend on  $\mathbf{w}$ 

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with matrices  $\underline{A}_1(\mathbf{w})$ ,  $\underline{A}_2(\mathbf{w})$  and source term  $\mathbf{s}(\mathbf{w})$ . Freeze Jacobians  $\underline{A}_1$ ,  $\underline{A}_2$  if they depend on  $\mathbf{w}$ **Step 2: Quasi-diagonalization** Let  $\underline{R}$  denote the right eigenvectors of  $\underline{P} = \underline{A}_1 n_x + \underline{A}_2 n_y$ .

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

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where 
$$\underline{B}_{1/2} := \underline{R}^{-1} \underline{A}_{1/2} \underline{R}$$
  
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where  $\bar{\theta}=\bar{\theta}(y)$ 

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

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

#### **Exact integral representation**

$$\begin{split} \rho'(\mathbf{P}) &= \frac{1}{2\pi a} \int_0^{2\pi} \left[ -\cos(\omega) \, u(\mathbf{Q}_1(\omega) - \sin(\omega) \, v(\mathbf{Q}_1(\omega)) + \frac{\tilde{\gamma}}{a^2} (\rho\theta)'(\mathbf{Q}_1(\omega)) \right] du \\ &+ \rho'(\mathbf{Q}_2) - \frac{\tilde{\gamma}(\rho\theta)'(\mathbf{Q}_2)}{a^2} \\ &- \frac{1}{2\pi a} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_{t_n}^{t_n + \tau} \frac{1}{\tau - t} \left( \cos(\omega) \, u(\mathbf{x}_1(t, \omega)) + \sin(\omega) \, v(\mathbf{x}_1(t, \omega)) \right) \\ &- \frac{1}{2\pi a} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_{t_n}^{t_n + \tau} \sin(\theta) g \rho'(\mathbf{x}_1(t, \omega)) \, dt \, d\omega \end{split}$$

#### 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 DG-update
- The operator is asymptotic preserving !
- It can be shown to be of order  $\mathcal{O}(\tau^2)$ .

#### **Time integration**

Second order linear semi-implicit method: BDF2

$$rac{\partial \mathbf{w}}{\partial t} = \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{w}) = \mathcal{R}(\mathbf{w}) + \mathcal{L}(\mathbf{w}),$$

 ${\cal L}$  - linearised operator: acoustic waves / gravity waves -implicit approx. in time

 $\mathcal{R}:=\mathcal{N}-\mathcal{L}$  -nonlinear part : explicit approx. in time

# Time integration; cont. ...

- BDF time discretization:

 $\Rightarrow$ 

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{w}}{\partial t} = \{\mathcal{N}(\mathbf{w}) - \mathcal{L}(\mathbf{w})\} + \mathcal{L}(\mathbf{w})$$

$$\sum_{m=-1}^{1} \alpha_m \mathbf{w}^{n-m} = \sum_{m=0}^{1} \beta_m \left[ \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{w}^{\mathbf{n}-\mathbf{m}}) - \mathcal{L}(\mathbf{w}^{\mathbf{n}-\mathbf{m}}) \right] + \mathcal{L}(\mathbf{w}^{n+1})$$

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implicit corrector

 $\Rightarrow$ 

 $\alpha_0$ 

$$[1 - \gamma \Delta t \mathcal{L}] \mathbf{w}^{n+1} = \mathbf{w}^{ex} - \gamma \Delta t \sum_{m=0}^{1} \beta_m \mathcal{L}(\mathbf{w}^{n-m})$$

with the explicit predictor step

$$\mathbf{w}^{ex} := \sum_{m=0}^{1} \alpha_m \mathbf{w}^{n-m} + \gamma \Delta t \sum_{m=0}^{1} \beta_m \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{w}^{n-m})$$
  
= 4/3,  $\alpha_1 = -1/3, \gamma = 2/3, \beta_0 = 2, \beta_1 = -1$ 

## **Numerical Experiments**

- Euler equations with hydrostatic assumption: hydrostatic balance  $\partial_z p = -g\rho$
- DG space discretization (with Rusanov flux and EG operator)
- SSP Runge Kutta 2 or 3; BDF 2 time discretization
- adaptive mesh refinement, triangular grid mesh refinement criterium:

$$|\theta'| \geq \max_{\mathbf{x}}(|\theta'(\mathbf{x},t=0)|)/10$$

#### Test 1: rising warm air bubble

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

$$\theta' = \begin{cases} 0 & r > r_C, \ r = \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{x}_C\| \\ 0.25[1 + \cos(\pi_c r/r_C)] & r \le r_C \end{cases}$$
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 $\mathbf{x} \in [0, 1000]^2, \ t \in [0, 700]$ 

- in the momentum and energy eqs. regularized viscous terms with a small viscosity  $\mu$  are added  $\mu=0.1m^2/s$ 

# **Error Analysis**

- comparison of the multi-D EG-flux and the 1-D Rusanov flux

- semi-implict: BFD2, quadratic elements, T = 150 EG-flux

N = gridlevel	$  u_N - u_{N+2}  $	$  u_{N+2} - u_{N+4}  $	EOC
3	0.0375	0.0071	2.40
4	0.0226	0.0038	2.56
5	0.0071	0.0014	2.33
6	0.0038	0.0005	3.03
7	0.0014	0.0002	3.05

Rusanov flux

N = gridlevel	$  u_N - u_{N+2}  $	$  u_{N+2} - u_{N+4}  $	EOC
3	0.0815	0.0115	2.82
4	0.0354	0.0060	2.57
5	0.0115	0.0027	2.07
6	0.0060	0.0012	2.33
7	0.0027	0.0005	2.26



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



# **GPU** parallelization



Speed up for the GPU implementation of the EG operator