

NASA/DRYDEN flow visualization facility

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NUMERICAL FLUID DYNAMICS

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Class #3

Plan for Today

- 1) **FLUID FLOW EQUATIONS**
Full eqn. set vs. 1-D advection
PDE linearity & order
- 2) **METHODS:**
Lax-Wendroff: review
- 3) **CODE/DATA:**
Web page update; Pgm1 work
- 4) **INITIAL VALUE PROBLEM**
Predator/prey; resolution
- 5) **Linearity:** Nonlinear transition

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**Fluid flow equations:
1D advection**

- 1-D transport (“advection”)
- Linear vs. nonlinear problems

**FOLLOW NOTES
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References:

- A001 (fluid flow)
- A002 (advection)
- A003 (nonlinearity)
- A005 (1-way wave equation)

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Review: Lax-Wendroff

1. Scheme used for Program 1

$$s_j^{n+1} = s_j^n - \frac{V}{2} (s_{j+1}^n - s_{j-1}^n) + \sigma (s_{j+1}^n - 2s_j^n + s_{j-1}^n)$$

This is the Lax-Wendroff method in 1-D.

2. We can summarize this numerical method as –

- An approximation to the 1-way wave equation
- A finite difference method
- An explicit method
- A 2-time-level method
- Uses a 3-point stencil

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Review: Numerical method description

1. **Lax-Wendroff** is:
 - A *finite difference* method
 - ✕ contrast with: finite volume, semi-Lagrangian ... other methods
 - ✕ we will discuss f.d. approximations today; derivations, later
 - An *explicit* method
 - ✕ "explicit" means: given current (time n) data, we can solve for the future (time $n+1$) state directly, one point at a time.
 - A *2-time-level* method
 - ✕ the method involves only two time levels ($n, n+1$).
 - Uses a *3-point stencil*
 - ✕ the method uses grid points $(j-1, j, j+1)$ to find solution at (j, n)

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Code/data: Program #1

WEB PAGE UPDATE
CODING / TESTING CYCLE
MAKING PLOTS

Code questions? Send me questions *plus your code*:

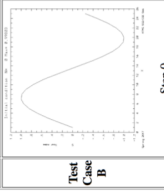
1. **make** archive
- On *Stampede-2*: This creates `pgm1.tar`
2. **Mail** -a `pgm1.tar` `bjewett@illinois.edu`
- enter *subject*, hit *return*
- type `^D` (hold control, type `d`) to send email.

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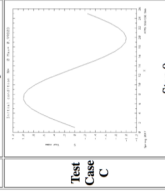
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Web page update

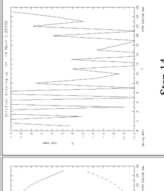
- Program 1 page now available



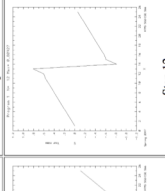
Test Case B
Step 0



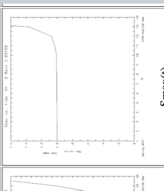
Step 8



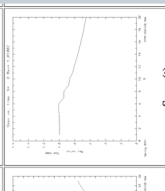
Step 14




Smax(t)



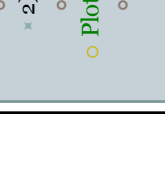
Step 0



Step 4



Step 12



Smax(t)

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Working on Program #1

- How to do computing work:
 - **Run** the code on Stampede-2
 - ✕ use *idev* (reserves a compute node for you)
 - **Editing** code: choose either --
 - ✕ 1) transfer code to your PC, edit *locally*, transfer back to Stampede
 - local editors - **on class page**
 - file transfer tools - FileZilla, Xftp, etc - **Stampede access page**
 - ✕ 2) edit remotely - i.e. run editor **on** Stampede
 - e.g. nano, or Emacs with X-windows
 - **Plotting**
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- Running your pgm1 code produces a *NCAR Graphics* plot file named *gmeta*.
 - “gmeta” is graphics metacode that can be used several ways...
- Converting *gmeta* to GIFs:
 - `~ig457444/502/Tools/metagif gmeta -all -zip`
 - This creates “*gmeta.zip*”; transfer it back to your PC; extract files from *.zip* file; put GIFs into a MS Word or Open Office document; print locally.
- Viewing alternatives.
 - *idt gmeta* on Stampede. X-windows must be running.
 - *Web viewer* – a bit later.

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“PREDATOR-PREY”
AKA **LOTKA-VOLTERRA**
EQUATIONS (1925)

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C.090: Predator-Prey equations
Following Golub and Ortega, 1992

Fluid flow equations:
Nonlinear transition 11

EVOLUTION DOESN'T HAVE TO
BE EITHER/OR
(ONLY LINEAR OR NONLINEAR)

References:

- A006 (nonlinear transition)
- A007 (Eady wave)

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- A numerical solution can also transition from a *linear* to a *nonlinear regime*.
 - a *small perturbation* (disturbance) might first grow in a *linear* mode - as expected from linear theory
 - ✦ Shape doesn't change – but amplitude does.
 - this perturbation might then grow large enough that *nonlinear processes take over*
 - ✦ Structure / evolution can change drastically, and quickly.

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A.006: Nonlinear transition

Nonlinear transition: Eady wave

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Example: Eady wave
(Atmospheric Sciences – growth of a baroclinic wave)

X-Z VERTICAL CROSS SECTION IS SHOWN

VERTICAL VELOCITY (UP IS RED)

Linear growth

Transition

Nonlinear

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A.007: Eady wave, nonlinear transition

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Nonlinear transition: Supernovae behavior

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Growth

entropy field

power

TIME =>

EXPONENTIAL SINUSOID STAGE

NONLINEAR GROWTH BEGINS

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A.008: Supernovae behavior, nonlinear transition

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Blondin, NCSU, <http://arxiv.org/pdf/astro-ph/0507181.pdf>

Nonlinear transition

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A linear model of evolution may fit - or not - and the computational *demands* may change during the solution. *Will your* numerical method be adequate??

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