

$$\vec{u}_{e+1} = \vec{u}_e + hL(\vec{u}) \leftarrow FE$$

$$HL \Rightarrow TV(\vec{u}_{e+1}) \leq TV(\vec{u}_e) \leftarrow$$

SSP methods are conv. comb. of FE steps

$$f(\vec{E}, \vec{H}) = \begin{pmatrix} \partial_x \\ \partial_y \\ \partial_z \end{pmatrix} \left( \begin{array}{l} \leftarrow E_1 \\ \leftarrow E_2 \\ \leftarrow H_1 \end{array} \right)$$

$$f: \mathbb{R}^6 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{6 \times 3}$$

$$\vec{u}_t + \nabla \cdot f(\vec{u}) = 0$$

Euler's eqns of gas dyn.  
Wave eqn.  
Maxwell's eqns.

$$\partial_t \vec{E} + c \cdot \nabla \times \vec{H} = 0$$

$$\partial_t \vec{H} + c \cdot \nabla \times \vec{E} = 0$$

# Systems of Conservation Laws

Linear system of hyperbolic conservation laws,  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times m}$ :

$$\mathbf{u}_t + A\mathbf{u}_x = 0,$$

$$\mathbf{u}(x, 0) = \mathbf{u}_0(x).$$

Assumptions on  $A$ ?  $\rightarrow AR = R\Lambda$

$$\Lambda = \text{diag}(\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_m)$$

Hyperbolic  $\Leftrightarrow A$  is diagonalizable w/ real eigenvalues.

$$A \vec{r}_p = \lambda_p \vec{r}_p$$

Called strictly hyperbolic if eigenvalues are all distinct.

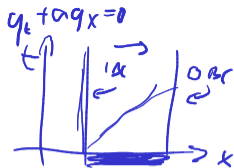
$$\vec{v} = R^{-1} \mathbf{u}$$

$$R^{-1} \vec{u}_t + R^{-1} A R R^{-1} \vec{u}_x = 0$$

$$\vec{v}_t + \Lambda \vec{v}_x = \vec{0}$$

# Linear System Solution

$$\mathbf{v} = R^{-1}\mathbf{u}, \quad \mathbf{v}_t + \Lambda \mathbf{v}_x = 0.$$



Write down the solution.

$$u(x, t) = \sum_p \vec{r}_p \underbrace{v_p(x - \lambda_p t, 0)}$$

$$\vec{v}(x, 0) = R^{-1} \vec{u}(x, 0)$$

What is the impact on boundary conditions? E.g.  $(\lambda_p) = \underline{(-c, 0, c)}$  for a BC at  $x = 0$  for  $[0, 1]$ ?

Can only impose BCs on characteristics "into the domain".  
 → in nonlinear problems: #BCs <sup>u/slate many u/g</sup>

## Characteristics for Systems (1/2)

Consider system  $\mathbf{u}_t + \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{u})_x = 0$ . Write in quasilinear form:

$$\vec{u}_t + \mathbf{J}_f(\mathbf{u}) \vec{u}_x = 0$$

When hyperbolic?

if  $\mathbf{J}_f(\vec{u})$  is diag w/ real eigvals.  
strictly hyperbolic if eigenvalues are distinct.

## Characteristics for Systems (2/2)



What about characteristics/shock speeds?

- By considering char. decomp., can still define characteristics. In characteristics through each pt.
- No longer an ODE for char. curves.

Are values of  $u$  still constant along characteristics?

No, only char. coefficients are "locally constant"

## Shocks and Riemann Problems for Systems

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{u}_t + \mathbf{A}\mathbf{u}_x &= 0, \\ \mathbf{u}(x, 0) &= \begin{cases} \mathbf{u}_l & x < 0, \\ \mathbf{u}_r & x > 0. \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

Solution? (Assume strict hyperbolicity with  $\lambda_1 < \lambda_2 < \dots < \lambda_m$ .)

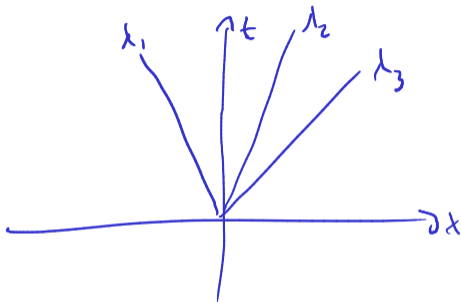
$$\vec{u}_l = \sum_p \alpha_p \vec{r}_p \quad \vec{u}_r = \sum_p \beta_p \vec{r}_p \Rightarrow v_p(x, 0) = \begin{cases} \alpha_p & x < 0 \\ \beta_p & x > 0 \end{cases}$$

Let  $p(x, t)$  be the max. value of  $p$  so that  $x - \lambda_p t > 0$

$$\vec{u}(x, t) = \sum_{p=1}^{p(x, t)} \beta_p \vec{r}_p + \sum_{p=p(x, t)+1}^m \alpha_p \vec{r}_p$$

## Shock Fans (1/2)

What does the solution look like?



Jump across the characteristic associated with  $\lambda_p$ ?

$$[\hat{u}] = (\beta_p - \alpha_p) \vec{r}_p$$

## Shock Fans (2/2)

Do those jumps satisfy Rankine-Hugoniot?

$$[\vec{F}] = A [\vec{u}] = (\beta_p - \alpha_p) A \vec{r}_p = (\beta_p - \alpha_p) \lambda_p \vec{r}_p = \lambda_p [\vec{u}]$$

How can we find intermediate values of  $\mathbf{u}$ ?

$$[u] = u_l - u_r = (\beta_1 - \alpha_1) \vec{r}_1 + \dots + (\beta_m - \alpha_m) \vec{r}_m$$

Can use R-H as constraint on  $\uparrow$  to find intermediates.  
states.




## Two Dimensions



$u_t + f(u)_x + g(u)_y = 0$ . Finite volume methods generalize in principle:

$$\frac{d\bar{u}_{ij}}{dt} + \frac{1}{h^2} \int_{y_{j-\frac{1}{2}}}^{y_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} f(u(x_{i+\frac{1}{2}}, y, t)) - f(u(x_{i-\frac{1}{2}}, y, t)) dy$$
$$+ \frac{1}{h^2} \int_{x_{i-\frac{1}{2}}}^{x_{i+\frac{1}{2}}} \quad \quad \quad \text{(analogous)} \quad dx$$

However:

- 2D: TVD  $\Rightarrow$  first order [Goodman (Lax '85)]
- Reconstruction stencils have a tendency to get dense  $\Rightarrow$  expensive 

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