



Numerical Convergence Study of Hyperbolic Moment Models in Partially-Conservative Form

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Outline

- 1 Introduction to Moment Methods
- 2 Numerical Methods
- 3 Simulation Results

Boltzmann Transport Equation

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} f(t, \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{c}) + c_i \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} f(t, \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{c}) = S(f)$$

PDE for particles' *probability density function* $f(t, \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{c})$

- Describes change of f due to transport and collisions
- Collision operator S
- Usually a 7-dimensional phase space

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Model or closure relation

$$f(t, x, c) = \sum_{i=0}^M f_i(t, x) H_i \left(\frac{c - v}{\sqrt{\theta}} \right), \quad \mathbf{w}(t, x) = (\rho, v, \theta, f_i)^T$$

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Operator Projection Framework [FAN, JK et al., 2016]

- $\tilde{\mathbf{D}} = \mathbf{P} \mathbf{D} \mathbf{P}^T$, $\tilde{\mathbf{M}} = \mathbf{P} \mathbf{M} \mathbf{P}^T$
- Projection matrix \mathbf{P} depends on the model
- Projections guarantee hyperbolicity

Grad's Method [GRAD, 1949]

Standard Galerkin projection of equations

$$\partial_t \mathbf{w} + \mathbf{A}_{\text{Grad}} \partial_x \mathbf{w} = -\frac{1}{\tau} \mathbf{B} \mathbf{w}$$

Grad model ($M = 4$)

$$\mathbf{A}_{\text{Grad}} = \begin{pmatrix} v & \rho & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{\theta}{\rho} & v & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2\theta & v & \frac{6}{\rho} & 0 \\ 0 & 4f_3 & \frac{\rho\theta}{2} & v & 4 \\ -\frac{f_3\theta}{\rho} & 5f_4 & \frac{3f_3}{2} & \theta & v \end{pmatrix}$$

Not globally hyperbolic but in conservative form

Hyperbolic Moment Equations [CAI et al., 2012]

Modify last equation to achieve hyperbolicity

$$\partial_t \mathbf{w} + \mathbf{A}_{\text{HME}} \partial_x \mathbf{w} = -\frac{1}{\tau} \mathbf{B} \mathbf{w}$$

HME model ($M = 4$)

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Quadrature-Based Moment Equations [JK, 2013]

Use of Gaussian quadrature

$$\partial_t \mathbf{w} + \mathbf{A}_{\text{QBME}} \partial_x \mathbf{w} = -\frac{1}{\tau} \mathbf{B} \mathbf{w}$$

QBME model ($M = 4$)

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- Hyperbolic moment equations cannot be written in conservative form
- At least one of the last equations is non-conservative
- Mass, momentum and energy are still conserved

Castro scheme [Castro, Pares, 2004]

First order scheme

$$\mathbf{u}_i^{n+1} = \mathbf{u}_i^n - \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta x} \left(\mathbf{A}_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^- (\mathbf{u}_{i+1}^n - \mathbf{u}_i^n) + \mathbf{A}_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^+ (\mathbf{u}_i^n - \mathbf{u}_{i-1}^n) \right)$$

- Upwind type scheme, uses eigenvalue information

$$\mathbf{A}_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\pm = \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{u}_i^n, \mathbf{u}_{i+1}^n)^\pm = \mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{\Lambda}^\pm \cdot \mathbf{R}^{-1}$$

PRICE-C scheme [Canestrelli, 2009]

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- Central scheme, adds numerical diffusion

$$\mathbf{A}_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^- = \frac{1}{4} \left(2\mathbf{A}(\mathbf{u}_i^n, \mathbf{u}_{i+1}^n) - \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta t} \mathbf{I} - \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta x} (\mathbf{A}(\mathbf{u}_i^n, \mathbf{u}_{i+1}^n))^2 \right)$$
$$\mathbf{A}_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^+ = \frac{1}{4} \left(2\mathbf{A}(\mathbf{u}_{i-1}^n, \mathbf{u}_i^n) - \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta t} \mathbf{I} - \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta x} (\mathbf{A}(\mathbf{u}_{i-1}^n, \mathbf{u}_i^n))^2 \right)$$

Wave propagation scheme [LeVeque, 1997]

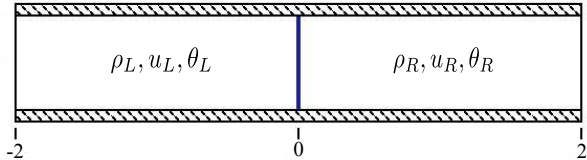
Second order scheme

$$\mathbf{u}_i^{n+1} = \mathbf{u}_i^n - \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta x} (\mathbf{A}^+ \Delta \mathbf{u}_i + \mathbf{A}^- \Delta \mathbf{u}_{i+1}) - \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta x} (\tilde{\mathbf{F}}_{i+1} - \tilde{\mathbf{F}}_i)$$

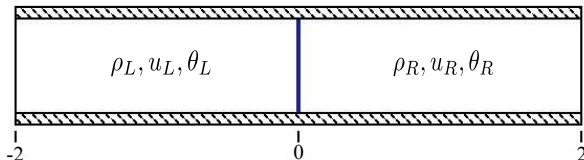
- Upwind type scheme
- Correction term for almost second order
- Only for uniform grids

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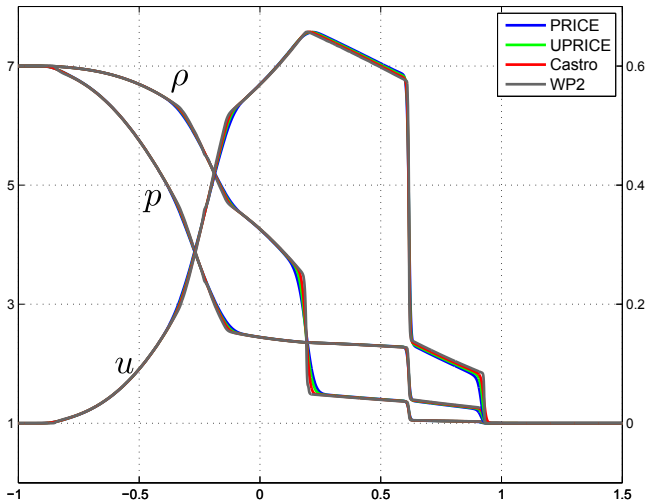
Riemann problem with BGK collision operator

$$\partial_t \mathbf{w} + \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{w}) \partial_x \mathbf{w} = -\frac{1}{\tau} \mathbf{B} \mathbf{w}, \quad x \in [-2, 2]$$

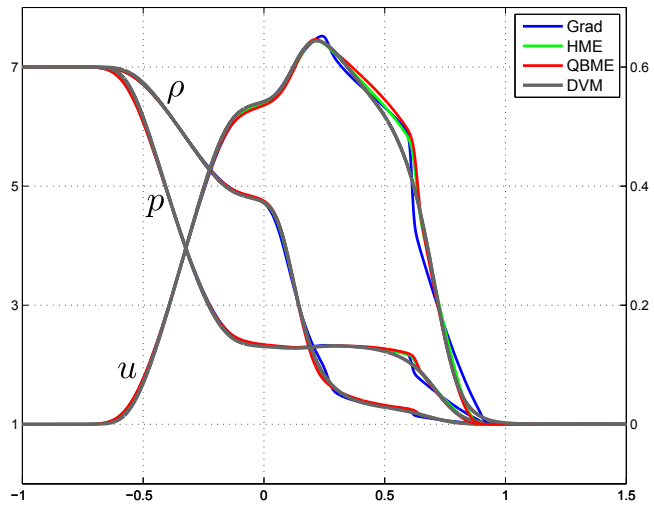
$$\rho_L = 7, \rho_R = 1$$

- Variable vector $\mathbf{w} = (\rho, u, \theta, f_3, f_4)$
- Relaxation time $\tau = \frac{\text{Kn}}{\rho} \Rightarrow$ non-linear

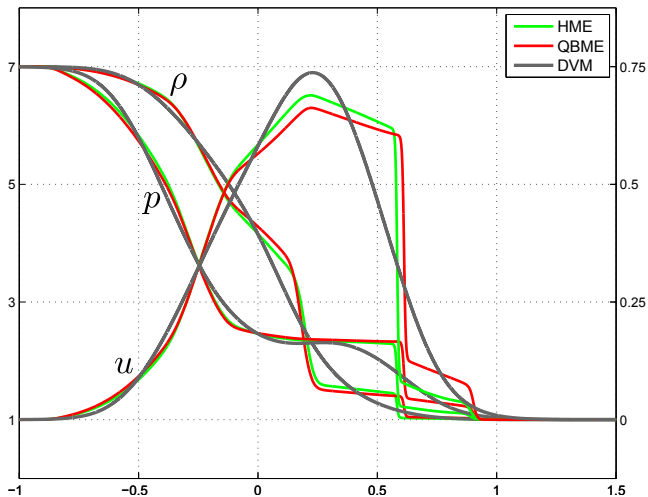
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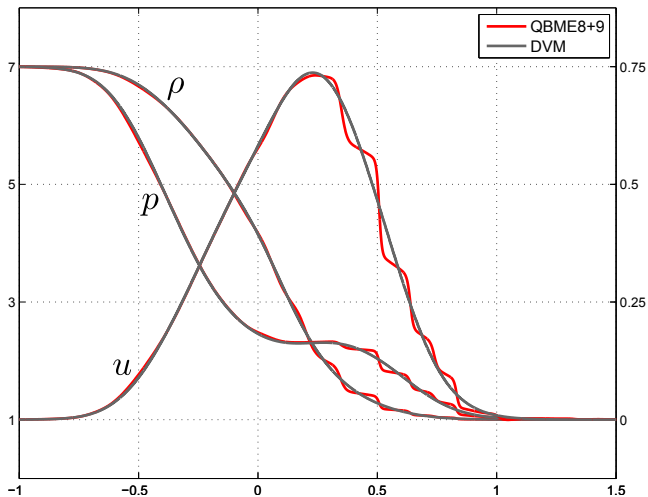
Model Comparison, $Kn = 0.05$



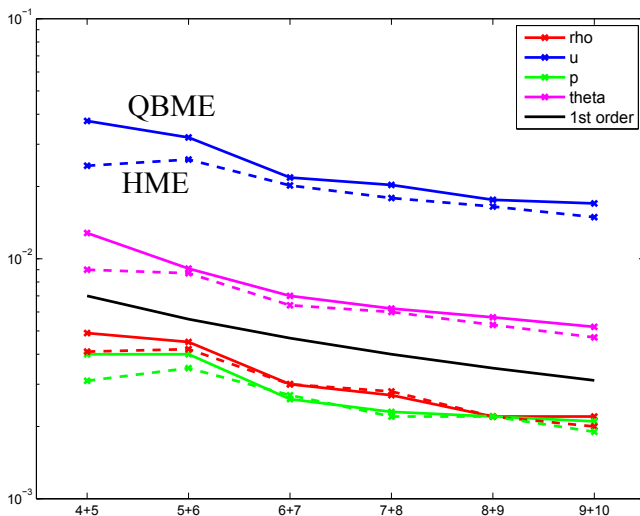
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Averaged Solution $M = 8$ & $M = 9$, $\text{Kn} = 0.5$



Convergence of Model, $Kn = 0.5$



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