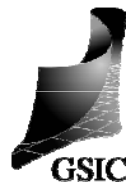


Classification of Partial Differential Equations.



- Parabolic Equation (Diffusion Eq.)
- Hyperbolic Equation (Advection Eq.)
- Elliptic Equation (Poisson Eq.)
[Multi-Grid Method]

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2nd Order Linear Partial Differential Equation



$$A \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + B \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} + C \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} + D \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + E \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} + Ff + G = 0$$

Elliptic $B^2 - 4AC < 0$

Parabolic $B^2 - 4AC = 0$

Hyperbolic $B^2 - 4AC > 0$

Characteristics of the partial differential equation is determined by the highest order derivative term.

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Typical Equations



● Elliptic Equation

Poisson Eq.
(A = C = 1, B = 0)

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} = \rho$$

● Parabolic Equation

Diffusion Eq.
(A = K, B = C = 0)

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial t} = \kappa \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2}$$

● Hyperbolic Equation

Wave Eq.
(A = -c², B = 0, C = 1)

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial t^2} - c^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} = 0$$

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Partial Differential Equation in space



• Boundary Problems (Boundary Conditions)

1D Poisson Eq. $\frac{d^2 f}{dx^2} = \rho = \text{const} \quad (0 \leq x \leq 1)$

Boundary Condition : $f(0) = 0, \quad f(1) = 0$

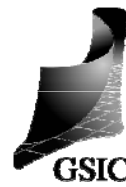
2D Poisson Eq.

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} = \rho = \text{const} \quad (x \in S)$$

Boundary Conditions : f is given at the surface - S

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Differential Equation in time



Initial Condition

Time goes in one way

Newton Eq. : $\frac{d^2 \mathbf{r}}{dt^2} = \mathbf{F} \quad (t_0 \leq t \leq t_1)$

Initial Condition: $\mathbf{r}(t_0) = \mathbf{r}_0, \quad \dot{\mathbf{r}}(t_0) = \dot{\mathbf{r}}_0$

: $\frac{d\mathbf{v}}{dt} = \mathbf{F}, \quad \frac{d\mathbf{r}}{dt} = \mathbf{v} \quad (t_0 \leq t \leq t_1)$

Initial Condition: $\mathbf{r}(t_0) = \mathbf{r}_0, \quad \mathbf{v}(t_0) = \mathbf{v}_0$

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Partial Differential Equation in time and space



Initial Boundary Problem

One-dimensional diffusion equation:

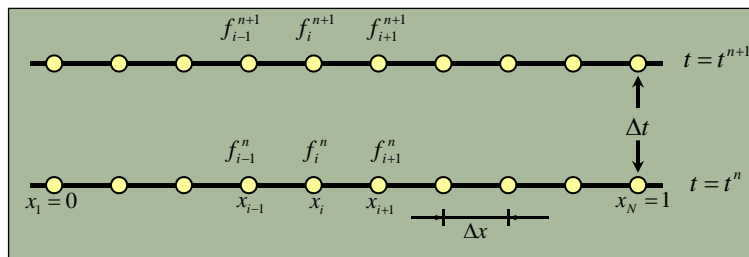
$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial t} = \kappa \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} \quad (0 \leq x \leq 1)$$

Initial Condition: $f(x, 0) = f_0(x) \quad (0 \leq x \leq 1)$

Boundary Condition: $f(0, t) = 0, \quad f(1, t) = 0$

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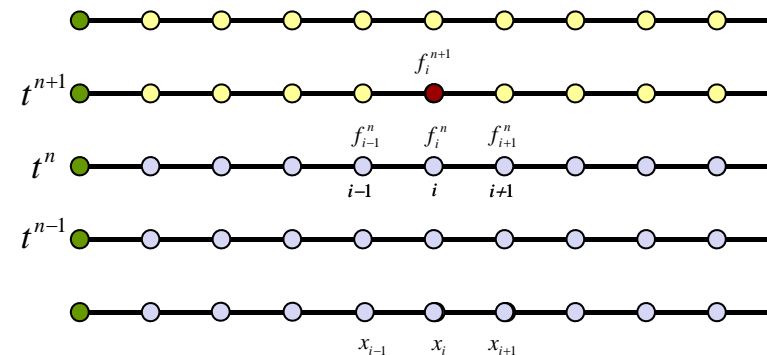
Discretization in time and space (Notation)



$$f(x_i, t^n) = f_i^n \quad f(x_i + \Delta x, t^n + \Delta t) = f_{i+1}^{n+1}$$

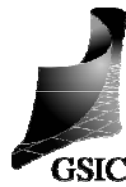
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Time and Space Cone for Information travel



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Introduction to finite Difference Method



Finite Difference Approximation

Differential operators are replaced by finite difference expressions

Derivation of finite difference expressions

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \rightarrow \frac{f_{i+1} - f_i}{\Delta x}$$

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Forward Difference



Taylor Expansion Series

$$f(x_i + \Delta x) = f(x_i) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \bigg|_{x=x_i} \Delta x + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} \bigg|_{x=x_i} \Delta x^2 + \frac{1}{6} \frac{\partial^3 f}{\partial x^3} \bigg|_{x=x_i} \Delta x^3 + \dots$$

$$\frac{f_{i+1} - f_i}{\Delta x} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \bigg|_{x=x_i} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} \bigg|_{x=x_i} \Delta x + \frac{1}{6} \frac{\partial^3 f}{\partial x^3} \bigg|_{x=x_i} \Delta x^2 + \dots$$

$$= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \bigg|_{x=x_i} + O(\Delta x) \quad (1)$$

The accuracy of the finite difference is the first order of Δx .

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Backward Difference



Taylor Expansion Series

$$f(x_i - \Delta x) = f(x_i) - \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \bigg|_{x=x_i} \Delta x + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} \bigg|_{x=x_i} \Delta x^2 - \frac{1}{6} \frac{\partial^3 f}{\partial x^3} \bigg|_{x=x_i} \Delta x^3 + \dots$$

$$\frac{f_i - f_{i-1}}{\Delta x} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \bigg|_{x=x_i} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} \bigg|_{x=x_i} \Delta x + \frac{1}{6} \frac{\partial^3 f}{\partial x^3} \bigg|_{x=x_i} \Delta x^2 + \dots$$

$$= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \bigg|_{x=x_i} + O(\Delta x) \quad (2)$$

The accuracy of the finite difference is the first order of Δx .

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Central Difference



Subtracting (2) from (1),

$$f(x_i + \Delta x) = f(x_i - \Delta x) + 2 \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \bigg|_{x=x_i} \Delta x + \frac{1}{3} \frac{\partial^3 f}{\partial x^3} \bigg|_{x=x_i} \Delta x^3 + \dots$$

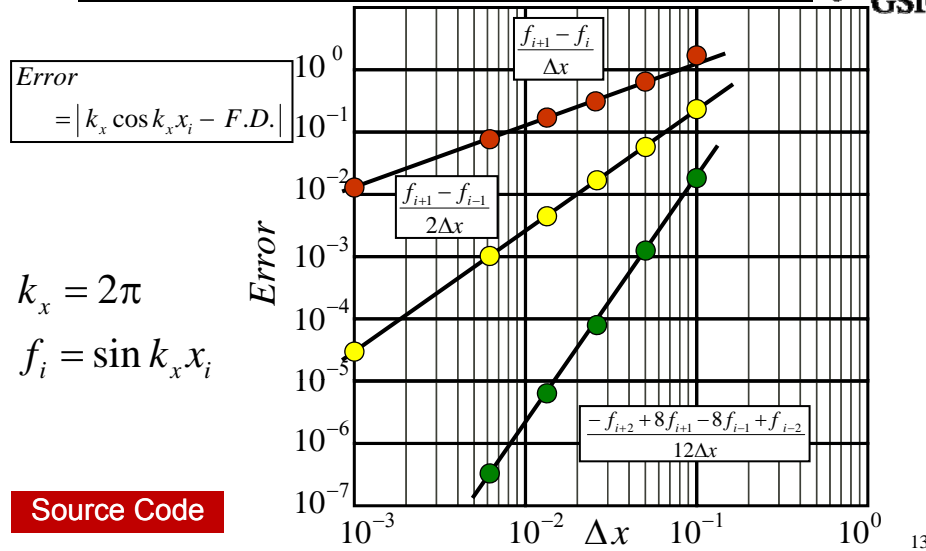
$$\frac{f_{i+1} - f_{i-1}}{2\Delta x} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \bigg|_{x=x_i} + \frac{1}{6} \frac{\partial^3 f}{\partial x^3} \bigg|_{x=x_i} \Delta x^2 + \dots$$

$$= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \bigg|_{x=x_i} + O(\Delta x^2)$$

The accuracy of the finite difference is the second order of Δx .

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Accuracy of Finite Difference Expressions



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Typical Finite Difference Expressions for 1st-order derivative



$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \frac{f_{i+1} - f_i}{\Delta x} \quad (\Delta x)$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \frac{f_{i+1} - f_{i-1}}{2\Delta x} \quad (\Delta x^2)$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \frac{-f_{i+2} + 4f_{i+1} - 3f_i}{2\Delta x} \quad (\Delta x^2)$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \frac{-f_{i+2} + 6f_{i+1} - 3f_i - 2f_{i-1}}{6\Delta x} \quad (\Delta x^3)$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \frac{-f_{i+2} + 8f_{i+1} - 8f_{i-1} + f_{i-2}}{12\Delta x} \quad (\Delta x^4)$$

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Finite Difference for 2nd-order derivative



By adding (1) to (2) ,

$$f(x_i + \Delta x) + f(x_i - \Delta x) = 2f(x_i) + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} \bigg|_{x=x_i} \Delta x^2 + \frac{1}{12} \frac{\partial^4 f}{\partial x^4} \bigg|_{x=x_i} \Delta x^4 + \dots$$

$$\frac{f_{i+1} - 2f_i + f_{i-1}}{\Delta x^2} = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} \bigg|_{x=x_i} + \frac{1}{12} \frac{\partial^4 f}{\partial x^4} \bigg|_{x=x_i} \Delta x^2 + \dots$$

$$= \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} \bigg|_{x=x_i} + O(\Delta x^2)$$

The accuracy of the finite difference is the second order of Δx .

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Typical Finite Difference Expressions for 2nd-order derivative



$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} = \frac{f_{i+2} - 2f_{i+1} + f_i}{\Delta x^2} \quad (\Delta x)$$

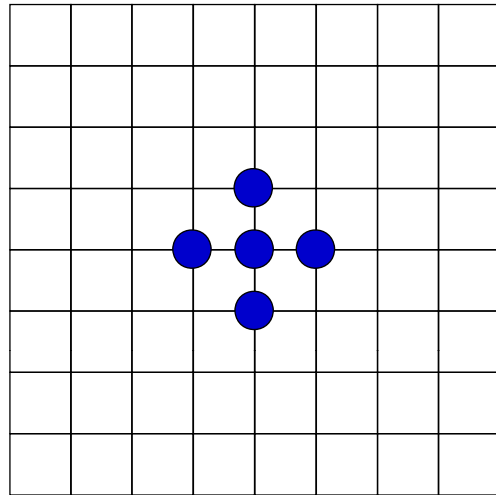
$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} = \frac{f_{i+1} - 2f_i + f_{i-1}}{\Delta x^2} \quad (\Delta x^2)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} = \frac{-f_{i+2} + 16f_{i+1} - 30f_i + 16f_{i-1} - f_{i-2}}{12\Delta x^2} \quad (\Delta x^4)$$

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Game

Rule: get a new value by replacing the average about surroundings

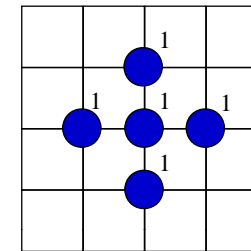


Initial

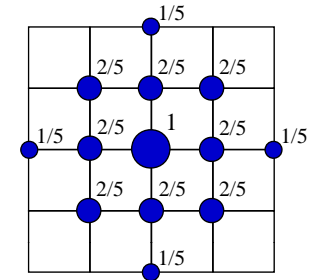
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Game

Rule: get a new value by replacing the average about surroundings



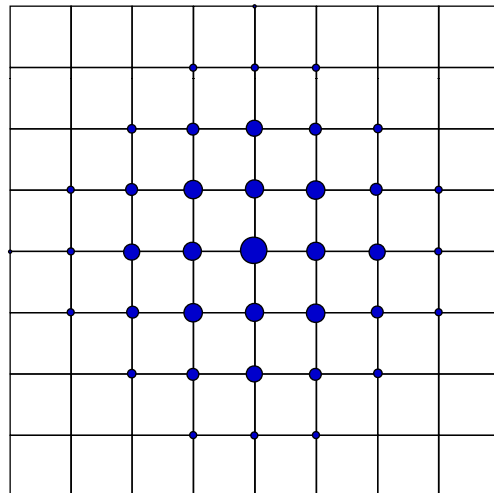
Replacing with the average



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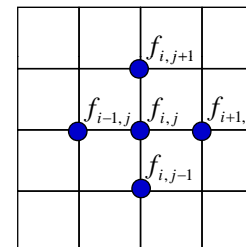
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Rule: get a new value by replacing the average about surroundings



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Game



i : grid index in the x -direction
 j : grid index in the y -direction

This average process is

$$f_{i,j}^* = \frac{f_{i,j} + f_{i+1,j} + f_{i-1,j} + f_{i,j+1} + f_{i,j-1}}{5}$$

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Game



$$f_{i,j}^{n+1} = \frac{f_{i,j}^n + f_{i+1,j}^n + f_{i-1,j}^n + f_{i,j+1}^n + f_{i,j-1}^n}{5}$$

n : present value

n+1 : the value after average

By subtracting $f_{i,j}$ from both side

$$f_{i,j}^{n+1} - f_{i,j}^n = \frac{f_{i+1,j}^n - 2f_{i,j}^n + f_{i-1,j}^n + f_{i,j+1}^n - 2f_{i,j}^n + f_{i,j-1}^n}{5}$$

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Game



When we regard $\Delta t = 1.0$, $\Delta x = \Delta y = 1.0$, $\kappa = 1/5$,

$$\frac{f_{i,j}^{n+1} - f_{i,j}^n}{\Delta t} = \kappa \frac{f_{i+1,j}^n - 2f_{i,j}^n + f_{i-1,j}^n}{\Delta x^2} + \kappa \frac{f_{i,j+1}^n - 2f_{i,j}^n + f_{i,j-1}^n}{\Delta y^2}$$

2-dimendional diffusion equation

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial t} = \kappa \left(\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} \right)$$

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Parabolic Equation



1-dimeisional
diffusion eq.

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t} = \kappa \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x^2}$$

κ : diffusion coefficient

Image of diffusion equation: spreading distribution with fading out.

→ Increasing entropy

Particle Collision Process from the microscopic view

Thermal Conduction:	Electron Collision
Viscosity:	Ion Collision
Nuclear Reactor:	Neutron Collision

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1-dimensional Diffusion Equation



$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t} = \kappa \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x^2}$$

κ : diffusion coefficient

Applying the forward finite difference to the time derivative term and the center finite difference to the spatial difference,

$$\frac{\phi_j^{n+1} - \phi_j^n}{\Delta t} = \kappa \frac{\phi_{j+1}^n - 2\phi_j^n + \phi_{j-1}^n}{\Delta x^2}$$

We can reduce to $\phi_j^{n+1} = \phi_j^n + \mu(\phi_{j+1}^n - 2\phi_j^n + \phi_{j-1}^n)$

where $\mu = \frac{\kappa \Delta t}{\Delta x^2}$

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Sample Program 1



```
#include "xwin.h"
#define N 101

int main() {
    double f[N], fn[N], x[N], mu = 0.25;
    int j, icnt = 0;
    while(icnt < 100) {
        for(j=1; j < N-1; j++) {
            fn[j] = f[j] + mu*(f[j+1] - 2.0*f[j] + f[j-1]);
        }
        for(j=0; j < N; j++) f[j] = fn[j]; /* updating */
        icnt++;
    }
}
```

Source Code

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Stability Analysis (1/3)



von Neumann's Method

Assuming the perturbation $\phi_j^n = \delta\phi^n e^{ik \cdot j\Delta x}$

Where the notation i is the imaginary, k is the wave number, j is grid index, $j\Delta x$ is the grid position.

Substituting into $\phi_j^{n+1} = \phi_j^n + \mu(\phi_{j+1}^n - 2\phi_j^n + \phi_{j-1}^n)$

$$\delta\phi^{n+1} e^{ik \cdot j\Delta x} = \delta\phi^n e^{ik \cdot j\Delta x} + \mu(\delta\phi^n e^{ik \cdot (j+1)\Delta x} - 2\delta\phi^n e^{ik \cdot j\Delta x} + \delta\phi^n e^{ik \cdot (j-1)\Delta x})$$

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Stability Analysis (2/3)



$n+1$ step / n step : amplitude ratio

$$\frac{\delta\phi_j^{n+1}}{\delta\phi_j^n} = 1 + \mu(e^{-ik\Delta x} - 2 + e^{ik\Delta x}) = 1 - 2\mu(1 - \cos k\Delta x)$$

$$\cos k\Delta x = \frac{e^{ik\Delta x} + e^{-ik\Delta x}}{2}$$

$|\delta\phi^{n+1} / \delta\phi^n| < 1$: The amplitude of the perturbation decrease in time.

→ The calculation is stable.

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Stability Analysis (3/3)



Amplitude ratio: $\delta\phi_j^{n+1} / \delta\phi_j^n = 1 - 2\mu(1 - \cos k\Delta x)$

$\mu < 0$: unstable,
 $0 < \mu < 1/2$: stable
 $1/2 < \mu$: unstable depending on the value k

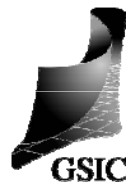
We consider only the case of $0 < \mu$,

$$\mu < \frac{1}{2} \rightarrow \Delta t < \frac{1}{2} \frac{\Delta x^2}{\kappa}$$

We have to choose Δt satisfying the condition, but Δt should be decrease proportionally to Δx^2 with decrease of Δx .

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2-dimendional Diffusion Equation



$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial t} = \kappa \left(\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} \right)$$

Forward Difference in time $O(\Delta t)$

Central Difference in space $O(\Delta x^2)$

$$\frac{f_{i,j}^{n+1} - f_{i,j}^n}{\Delta t} = \kappa \frac{f_{i+1,j}^n - 2f_{i,j}^n + f_{i-1,j}^n}{\Delta x^2} + \kappa \frac{f_{i,j+1}^n - 2f_{i,j}^n + f_{i,j-1}^n}{\Delta y^2}$$

[Source Code](#)