

# The Discontinuous Galerkin Method for the Compressible Navier-Stokes Equations

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We add the thermodynamical relations

$$p = (\gamma - 1)(e - \rho|v|^2/2), \quad \theta = \left( \frac{e}{\rho} - \frac{1}{2}|v|^2 \right) / c_v.$$

and the following set of boundary conditions:

Case  $\Gamma_I$ : a)  $\rho|_{\Gamma_I \times (0, T)} = \rho_D$ , b)  $\mathbf{v}|_{\Gamma_I \times (0, T)} = \mathbf{v}_D = (v_{D1}, v_{D2})^T$ ,

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- Inviscid BCs at  $\Gamma_I, \Gamma_O$  are imposed by choosing the "outside" boundary state  $\mathbf{w}_{ji}$  in the numerical flux. This is done by local linearization of the Euler equations and prescribing  $\mathbf{w}_{ji}$  so that the linear problem is well posed.

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{q}}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial f_1(\mathbf{q})}{\partial \tilde{x}_1} = 0$$

⇓ Linearization

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{q}}{\partial t} + \mathbb{A}_1(\mathbf{q}_{ij}) \frac{\partial \mathbf{q}}{\partial \tilde{x}_1} = 0, \text{ where } \mathbb{A}_1 = \frac{Df_1}{D\mathbf{w}}.$$

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Treat the second order terms as a first order system and apply the discretization from the previous slide.

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Simplest DG discretization of second order terms.

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## Definition

We say that  $\mathbf{w}_h$  is a DGFE solution of the compressible Navier-Stokes equations if

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c)  $\mathbf{w}_h(0) = \mathbf{w}_h^0$ ,

where  $\mathbf{w}_h^0$  is an  $\mathbf{S}_h$  approximation of the initial condition  $\mathbf{w}^0$ .

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We therefore linearize

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We choose the Vijayasundaram numerical flux

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Diffusion terms (for instance *incomplete* variant):

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# Shock Capturing

In transonic and supersonic flows it is common that solutions develop discontinuities. In these cases spurious under and overshoots occur on elements near the discontinuity. Especially in the semi-implicit case, it is desirable to avoid such phenomena. We therefore locally add artificial diffusion to suppress these effects.

# Shock Capturing

To the scheme we add two artificial viscosity forms. Internal diffusion:

$$\Phi_h^1(\mathbf{w}_h^n, \mathbf{w}_h^{n+1}, \boldsymbol{\varphi}) = \nu_1 \sum_{i \in I} h_{K_i} G^n(i) \int_{K_i} \nabla \mathbf{w}_h^{n+1} \cdot \nabla \boldsymbol{\varphi} \, dx$$

with  $\nu_1 = O(1)$  a given constant. Here  $G(i)$  is a discontinuity indicator which measures interelement jumps of the solution:

$$G^k(i) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if interelement jumps of } \mathbf{w}_h^n \text{ are large near } K_i, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

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Inter-element diffusion:

$$\Phi_h^2(\mathbf{w}_h^n, \mathbf{w}_h^{n+1}, \boldsymbol{\varphi}) = \nu_2 \sum_{i \in I} \sum_{j \in \mathcal{S}(i)} \langle G^n \rangle_{ij} \int_{\Gamma_{ij}} [\mathbf{w}_h^{n+1}] \cdot [\boldsymbol{\varphi}] dS,$$

with  $\nu_2 = O(1)$  a given constant. This term allows to strengthen the influence of neighbouring elements and improves the behavior of the method in the case, when strongly unstructured and/or anisotropic meshes are used.



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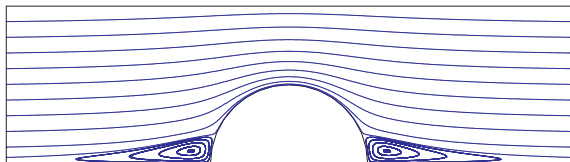


Figure: Exact solution streamlines.

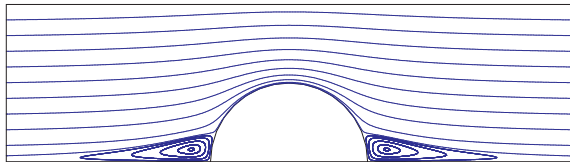
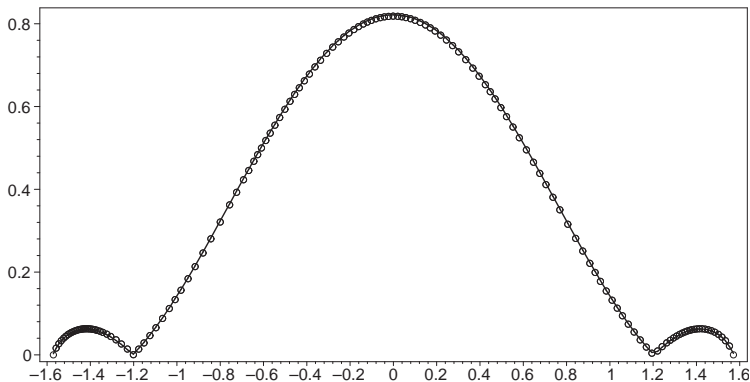


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**Figure:** Velocity distribution on the surface of the half-cylinder:  $\circ\circ\circ$  – exact solution of incompressible flow, — — approximate solution of compressible flow.

# Supersonic flow around Žukovský profile

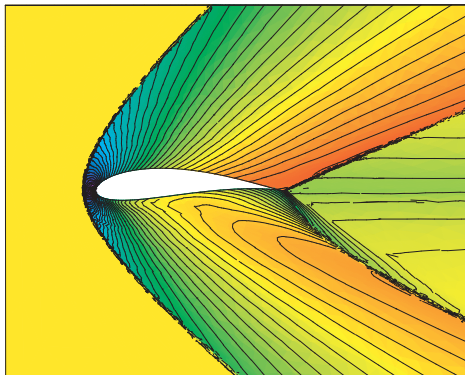


Figure:  $M_\infty = 2.0$ , Mach isolines.

## NACA 0012 viscous flow

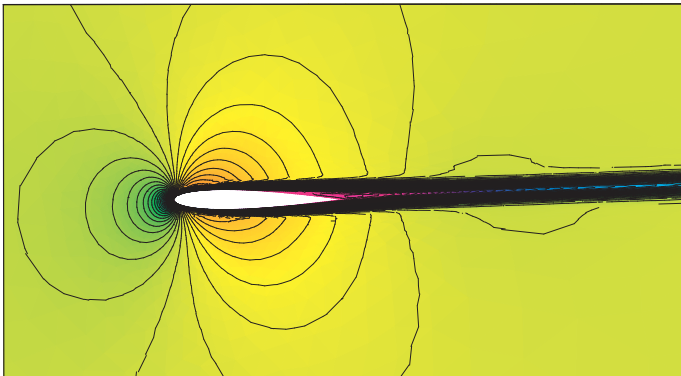


Figure:  $M_\infty = 0.5$ ,  $Re = 5000$ ,  $\alpha = 2^\circ$ , Mach isolines.

Thank you for your attention