

Modeling compressible flows with Lattice-Boltzmann Methods

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Lattice-Boltzmann basics

Moments, distributions, lattices, discretization

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Use of the Boltzmann Equation to Simulate Lattice-Gas Automata

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Figure 1: Guy R. McNamara and Gianluigi Zanetti, first Lattice-Boltzmann Model.

LBM algorithm is basically :

- Collision, local step
- Streaming, memory-shift

➔ **Attractive method !** ⬅

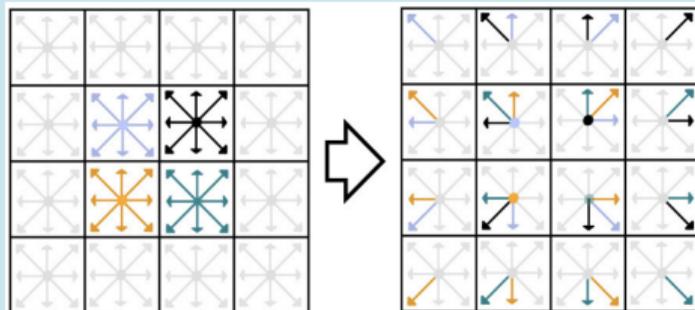


Figure 2: O'Brien's schematic streaming.

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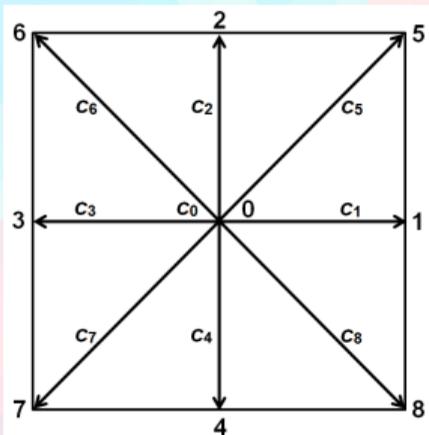


Figure 3: D2Q9 lattice.

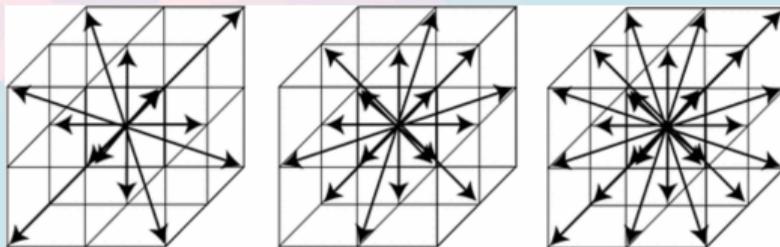


Figure 4: D3Q15, D3Q19 and D3Q27 lattices.

Each different lattice leads to a different Discrete Velocity Boltzmann Equation,

$$\frac{\partial f_i}{\partial t} + c_{i\alpha} \frac{\partial f_i}{\partial x_\alpha} = -\frac{1}{\tau} (f_i - f_i^{eq}) = -\frac{1}{\tau} f_i^{neq}, \quad (8)$$

c_i with $i = 0, \dots, q-1$ and $f_i(t, \mathbf{x}) = f(t, \mathbf{x}, c_i)$.

- Discrete Velocity Boltzmann Equation (**DVBE**) with BGK collision kernel,

$$\frac{\partial f_i}{\partial t} + c_{i\alpha} \frac{\partial f_i}{\partial x_\alpha} = -\frac{1}{\tau} (f_i - f_i^{eq}) = -\frac{1}{\tau} f_i^{neq}. \quad (9)$$

- Integration along characteristic $d\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{c}_i dt$ and **Crank-Nicolson**,

$$f_i(t + \Delta t, \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{c}_i \Delta t) = f_i(t, \mathbf{x}) - \frac{\Delta t}{2} \left\{ \left[\frac{1}{\tau} f_i^{neq} \right] (t, \mathbf{x}) + \left[\frac{1}{\tau} f_i^{neq} \right] (t + \Delta t, \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{c}_i \Delta t) \right\}.$$

- Change of variables $\bar{f}_i = f_i + \frac{\Delta t}{2\tau} f_i^{neq}$ and $\bar{\tau} = \tau + \Delta t/2$,

$$\bar{f}_i(t + \Delta t, \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{c}_i \Delta t) = \left\{ f_i - \frac{\Delta t}{2\tau} f_i^{neq} \right\} (t, \mathbf{x}), \quad (10)$$

$$= \left\{ f_i^{eq} + \left[1 - \frac{\Delta t}{2\tau} \right] f_i^{neq} \right\} (t, \mathbf{x}), \quad (11)$$

$$= \left\{ f_i^{eq} + \left[1 - \frac{\Delta t}{\tau + \Delta t/2} \right] \bar{f}_i^{neq} \right\} (t, \mathbf{x}). \quad (12)$$

By definition in Lattice-Boltzmann $f_i = f_i^{eq} + f_i^{neq}$:

$$\rho = \Pi^{f,(0)} = \sum_i f_i = \sum_i f_i^{eq}, \quad \rho u_\alpha = \Pi_\alpha^{f,(1)} = \sum_i c_{i\alpha} f_i = \sum_i c_{i\alpha} f_i^{eq}, \quad (13)$$

additionally, f_i^{eq} is also built such that,

$$\rho u_\alpha u_\beta + p \delta_{\alpha\beta} = \Pi_{\alpha\beta}^{f^{eq},(2)} = \sum_i c_{i\alpha} c_{i\beta} f_i^{eq}. \quad (14)$$

Discrete Velocity Boltzmann Equation,

$$\frac{\partial f_i}{\partial t} + c_{i\alpha} \frac{\partial f_i}{\partial x_\alpha} = \Omega_i. \quad (15)$$

Mass and momentum conservations are obtained using moments, e.g. :

$$\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial \rho u_\alpha}{\partial x_\alpha} = \sum_i \Omega_i, \quad (16)$$

$$\frac{\partial \rho u_\alpha}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial \left[\rho u_\alpha u_\beta + p \delta_{\alpha\beta} + \Pi_{\alpha\beta}^{f^{neq},(2)} \right]}{\partial x_\beta} = \sum_i c_{i\alpha} \Omega_i, \quad (17)$$

Lattice-Boltzmann with q velocities could be understood in 2 equivalent ways :

DVBE,

$$\frac{\partial f_i}{\partial t} + c_{i\alpha} \frac{\partial f_i}{\partial x_\alpha} = \Omega_i$$

describes q equations for f_i .



Extended hydrodynamic system,

$$\frac{\partial \Pi_{\alpha_1 \dots \alpha_n}^{f,(n)}}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial \Pi_{\alpha_1 \dots \alpha_n \alpha_{n+1}}^{f,(n+1)}}{\partial x_{\alpha_{n+1}}} = \Pi_{\alpha_1 \dots \alpha_n}^{\Omega,(n)}$$

describes q equations for $\Pi_{\alpha_1 \dots \alpha_n}^{f,(n)}$.

- What about boundary and initial conditions ?
- Which lattice closure, f^{eq} and collision kernel should be used ?
- What is the range of validity in term of Pr, Ma, Re, etc ?

"Higher-order hydrodynamics" is a research field by itself. Some of these models fail to reproduce physical results (e.g. Burnett with Bobylev instabilities).

→ Can we avoid those uncertainties ? ←

Lattice-Boltzmann is something in between **Boltzmann** and **Navier-Stokes-Fourier**.

→ How to model compressible flows with Lattice-Boltzmann ? ←

Nowadays, Lattice-Boltzmann is a fully fledged numerical method used for different applications : fluids, solids, Schrödinger equation, finance, advection-diffusion etc...

→ We can use classical tools : Taylor expansion and dimensional analysis. ←

Athermal Lattice-Boltzmann

Description of classical Lattice-Boltzmann

This model is summarized by

- **Equilibrium,**

$$f_i^{eq} = \omega_i \left\{ \mathcal{H}^{(0)} \rho + \frac{\mathcal{H}_{i\alpha}^{(1)}}{c_s^2} \rho u_\alpha + \frac{\mathcal{H}_{i\alpha\beta}^{(2)}}{2c_s^4} [\rho u_\alpha u_\beta] + \frac{\mathcal{H}_{i\alpha\beta\gamma}^{(3)}}{6c_s^6} [\rho u_\alpha u_\beta u_\gamma] \right\}. \quad (18)$$

- **Collide & stream, BGK,**

$$\bar{f}_i(t + \Delta t, \mathbf{x}) = \left\{ f_i^{eq} + \left(1 - \frac{\Delta t}{\tau + \Delta t/2} \right) [\bar{f}_i - f_i^{eq}] \right\} (t, \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{c}_i \Delta t). \quad (19)$$

- **Macroscopic reconstruction,**

$$\rho(t + \Delta t, \mathbf{x}) = \sum_{i=0}^{q-1} \bar{f}_i(t + \Delta t, \mathbf{x}), \quad (20)$$

$$\rho u_\alpha(t + \Delta t, \mathbf{x}) = \sum_{i=1}^{q-1} c_{i\alpha} \bar{f}_i(t + \Delta t, \mathbf{x}). \quad (21)$$

Where to find the stress-tensor ?

$$\frac{\partial \Pi_{\alpha_1 \dots \alpha_n}^{f, (n)}}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial \Pi_{\alpha_1 \dots \alpha_n \alpha_{n+1}}^{f, (n+1)}}{\partial x_{\alpha_{n+1}}} = -\frac{1}{\tau} \Pi_{\alpha_1 \dots \alpha_n}^{f^{neq}, (n)} + \mathcal{O}(\Delta t^2) \quad (22)$$



n = 0

$$\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial \rho u_\beta}{\partial x_\beta} = \mathcal{O}(\Delta t^2)$$

n = 1

$$\frac{\partial \rho u_\alpha}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial \left[\rho u_\alpha u_\beta + \rho c_s^2 \delta_{\alpha\beta} + \Pi_{\alpha\beta}^{f^{neq}, (2)} \right]}{\partial x_\beta} = \mathcal{O}(\Delta t^2)$$

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$$\frac{\partial \left[\Pi_{\alpha\beta}^{f^{eq}, (2)} + \Pi_{\alpha\beta}^{f^{neq}, (2)} \right]}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial \left[\Pi_{\alpha\beta\gamma}^{f^{eq}, (3)} + \Pi_{\alpha\beta\gamma}^{f^{neq}, (3)} \right]}{\partial x_\gamma} = -\frac{1}{\tau} \Pi_{\alpha\beta}^{f^{neq}, (2)} + \mathcal{O}(\Delta t^2)$$

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The stress-tensor evolution equation is

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Usual low-Mach stress-tensor,

$$-\Pi_{\alpha\beta}^{f^{neq},(2)} \approx \underbrace{\tau\rho c_s^2}_\mu \left[\frac{\partial u_\alpha}{\partial x_\beta} + \frac{\partial u_\beta}{\partial x_\alpha} \right]. \quad (24)$$

$\mathcal{O}(u^3)$ error,

$$\mathcal{O}\left(\tau \frac{\partial \rho u^3}{\partial x}\right) \propto u^3. \quad (25)$$

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Assuming t_s is the shortest characteristic time, nondimensional variables $*$ are $\mathcal{O}(1)$,

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} = \frac{1}{t_s} \frac{\partial}{\partial t^*}, \quad \frac{\partial}{\partial x} = \frac{1}{L_0} \frac{\partial}{\partial x^*}, \quad (26)$$

$$\Pi_{\alpha\beta}^{f^{neq},(2)} = \Pi_0 \Pi_{\alpha\beta}^{*,f^{neq},(2)}, \quad \Pi_{\alpha\beta\gamma}^{f^{neq},(3)} = Q_0 \Pi_{\alpha\beta\gamma}^{*,f^{neq},(3)}, \quad (27)$$

$$u = U_0 u^*, \quad \rho = \rho_0 \rho^*, \quad T = T_0 T^*, \quad (28)$$

neglecting numerical errors, the nondimensional stress-tensor is expressed as

$$\begin{aligned} -\Pi_{\alpha\beta}^{*,f^{neq},(2)} &= \frac{\mu U_0}{L_0 \Pi_0} \left[\frac{\partial u_\alpha^*}{\partial x_\beta^*} + \frac{\partial u_\beta^*}{\partial x_\alpha^*} \right] + \mathcal{O} \left(\frac{\mu U_0}{L_0 \Pi_0} \text{Ma}^2 \right) \\ &+ \mathcal{O} \left(\frac{\mu U_0}{L_0 \Pi_0} \frac{Q_0}{\rho_0 c_s^2 U_0} \right) + \mathcal{O} \left(\frac{\tau}{t_s} \right) + \mathcal{O} \left(\frac{\text{Ma}^2}{\text{Re}} \right). \end{aligned} \quad (29)$$

When the classical low-Mach constitutive equation is verified, only the **blue part** remains, in which case $\frac{\mu U_0}{L_0 \Pi_0} = 1$.

- $-\Pi_{\alpha\beta}^{*,f^{neq},(2)} = \left[\frac{\partial u_{\alpha}^*}{\partial x_{\beta}^*} + \frac{\partial u_{\beta}^*}{\partial x_{\alpha}^*} \right]$ "hydrodynamic limit".
- $Ma^2 \ll 1$ error coming from u^3 isotropy defect can be neglected.
- $\frac{Q_0}{\rho_0 c_s^2 U_0} \ll 1$ higher-order contributions from $\Pi_{\alpha\beta\gamma}^{f^{neq},(3)}$ can be neglected.
- $\frac{\tau}{t_s} \ll 1$ stress-tensor time derivative can be neglected.
- $\frac{Ma^2}{Re} \ll 1$ other terms can be neglected.

→ $Kn \propto Ma/Re$ is not the only parameter that controls the consistency. ←

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- Small lattices \rightarrow "isotropy defects" e.g. $\Pi^{(3)} \propto c_s^2 \Pi^{(1)}$ (this explains the $\mathcal{O}(u^3)$ error in stress-tensor).
- Isotropy defect is even worse for higher order moments.

\rightarrow Closure : regularization, higher order moments are filtered. \leftarrow

Collision,

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Regularized Lattice-Boltzmann model is obtained using Taylor expansion,

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Stress-tensor evolution is $\mathcal{O}(\Delta t)$ accurate, but $\tilde{\Pi}^{neq,(3)}$ can be freely changed to increase stability/accuracy.

Thermal Lattice-Boltzmann

Hybrid coupling, entropy equation and traceless collision

Due to isotropy errors ($\Pi^{(3)} \propto c_s^2 \Pi^{(1)}$), energy conservation is wrong with standard lattices (e.g. D3Q19). Possible solutions,

- **Multispeed**, one large set of distributions. Computational efficiency is at stake. ✗
- **Double Distributions coupling**, 2 sets of distributions, one for mass/momentum and another for energy. Computational efficiency is at stake. ✗
- **Hybrid coupling**, 1 small set of distributions and 1 energy equation discretized by a finite difference scheme. Cheaper, allows coupling with a wide variety of models. ✓

The entropy is a mode of the linearized Euler system, its coupling with mass/momentum is weaker than using e.g. total energy or enthalpy.

Entropy equation in the frame reference of a plane discontinuity,

$$u \frac{\partial s}{\partial x} = 0. \quad (39)$$

Contact discontinuity is compatible. Shock is not, because $u \neq 0$ such that $\partial s / \partial x = 0$ is necessary.

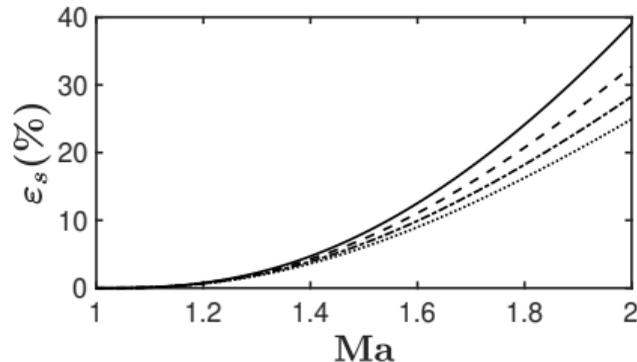


Figure 5: Entropy jump error with entropy equation as a function of Ma. $\gamma = 1.2, 1.4, 1.6, 1.8$ (top to bottom).

→ Acceptable errors on plane shocks ($\sim 5\%$) up to Mach 1.4 ←

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Compressible models & applications

Pressure-based model, unified model, applications

During the past few years, M2P2 designed different compressible models,

- Density based (ρ -based), 2019,

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- Pressure based (p -based), early 2020,

- ▣ G. Farag, S. Zhao, T. Coratger, P. Boivin, G. Chiavassa and P. Sagaut. A pressure-based regularized lattice-Boltzmann method for the simulation of compressible flows. *Physics of Fluids*, 2020.

- Improved-density based ($i\rho$ -based), late 2020,

- ▣ S. Guo, Y. Feng and P. Sagaut. Improved standard thermal lattice Boltzmann model with hybrid recursive regularization for compressible laminar and turbulent flows. *Physics of Fluids*, 2020.

➔ How do they differ from one another ? Which one should be used ? ←

Their 2nd-order distributions are :

$$f_i^{\rho,eq} = \omega_i \left\{ \rho + \frac{\mathcal{H}_{i\alpha}^{(1)}}{c_s^2} \rho u_\alpha + \frac{\mathcal{H}_{i\alpha\beta}^{(2)}}{2c_s^4} [\rho u_\alpha u_\beta + \delta_{\alpha\beta} \rho c_s^2 (\theta - 1)] \right\} \quad (42)$$

$$f_i^{\mathbf{p},eq} = \omega_i \left\{ \rho \theta + \frac{\mathcal{H}_{i\alpha}^{(1)}}{c_s^2} \rho u_\alpha + \frac{\mathcal{H}_{i\alpha\beta}^{(2)}}{2c_s^4} [\rho u_\alpha u_\beta + \delta_{\alpha\beta} \mathbf{0}] \right\} \quad (43)$$

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With 2 different update rules for mass :

- $\rho/i\rho$ -based : $\rho(t + \Delta t, \mathbf{x}) = \sum_{i=0}^{q-1} \bar{f}_i(t + \Delta t, \mathbf{x})$ (45)

- p -based : $\rho(t + \Delta t, \mathbf{x}) = \sum_{i=0}^{q-1} \bar{f}_i(t + \Delta t, \mathbf{x}) + \rho(t, \mathbf{x}) [1 - \theta(t, \mathbf{x})]$ (46)

➔ Very close equations, let us try to find a generalized formulation. ⬅

Considering the D3Q19 lattice a function can be projected onto its basis

$$\left(\mathcal{H}_i^{(0)}, \mathcal{H}_{ix}^{(1)}, \mathcal{H}_{iy}^{(1)}, \mathcal{H}_{iz}^{(1)}, \mathcal{H}_{ixx}^{(2)}, \mathcal{H}_{iyy}^{(2)}, \mathcal{H}_{izz}^{(2)}, \mathcal{H}_{ixy}^{(2)}, \mathcal{H}_{ixz}^{(2)}, \mathcal{H}_{iyz}^{(2)}, \right. \\ \left. \mathcal{H}_{ixxy}^{(3)}, \mathcal{H}_{ixxz}^{(3)}, \mathcal{H}_{iyyx}^{(3)}, \mathcal{H}_{iyyz}^{(3)}, \mathcal{H}_{izzx}^{(3)}, \mathcal{H}_{izzy}^{(3)}, \mathcal{A}_i, \mathcal{B}_i, \mathcal{C}_i \right) \quad (47)$$

The equilibrium distribution that generalizes M2P2 models is

$$f_i^{eq} = \omega_i \left\{ \mathcal{H}^{(0)} \rho + \frac{\mathcal{H}_{i\alpha}^{(1)}}{c_s^2} \rho u_\alpha + \frac{\mathcal{H}_{i\alpha\beta}^{(2)}}{2c_s^4} [\rho u_\alpha u_\beta + \delta_{\alpha\beta} \rho c_s^2 (\theta - 1)] + \frac{\mathcal{H}_{i\alpha\beta\gamma}^{(3)}}{6c_s^6} [\rho u_\alpha u_\beta u_\gamma \right. \\ \left. - \kappa \rho c_s^2 (u_\alpha \delta_{\beta\gamma} + u_\beta \delta_{\gamma\alpha} + u_\gamma \delta_{\alpha\beta})] - \frac{\mathcal{A}_i + \mathcal{B}_i + \mathcal{C}_i}{12c_s^4} \rho [\theta - 1] (1 - \zeta) \right\}. \quad (48)$$

- $\zeta = 1$ and $\kappa = 1 - \theta$ is the classical ρ -based.
- $\zeta = 0$ and $\kappa = 0$ is for ρ -based and $i\rho$ -based. Same core model !

➔ Differences between models are inside 3rd and 4th-order moments. ⬅

- 1/ **Classical thermal equilibrium up to 2nd-order** → Consistent mass and momentum Euler conservation.
- 2/ **Higher-order equilibrium moments related to \mathcal{A}_i , \mathcal{B}_i and \mathcal{C}_i polynomials and force correction term similar to pressure-based model** → Improved stability.
- 3/ **Athermal 3rd order equilibrium moments $\rho u_\alpha u_\beta u_\gamma$** → Improved stability and more reasonable errors $\mathcal{O}\left(\frac{\text{Ma}^2 \text{CFL}^2}{\text{Re}(\text{Ma}+1)^2}\right)$ compared to $\mathcal{O}\left(\frac{\text{Ma}^2}{\text{Re}}\right) + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{\text{RePr}}\right)$ in classical density-based thermal model.
- 4/ **Entropy equation using MUSCL-Hancock scheme** → Reasonable trade-off between small stencil (1D is 5points), both stability and accuracy are improved.
- 5/ **Discontinuity sensor based on density** → Increased viscosity in both shocks and contact discontinuities.
- 6/ **Small artificial bulk viscosity** → Necessary for very high Mach $\gtrsim 1.7$.
- 7/ **Recursive regularization and regularization of stress-tensor trace** → Improved stability.

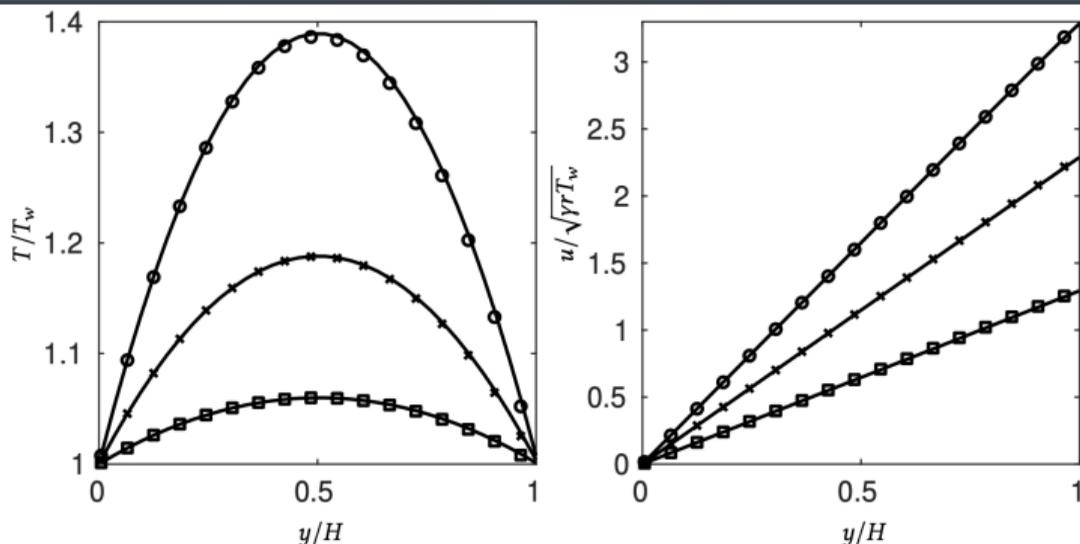


Figure 6: \square , \times and \circ are the $Ma = 1.3, 2.3, 3.3$ analytical solution.
 — correspond to numerical solutions with the unified model.

100 \times 1 \times 1 mesh, CFL ranging between 0.5 and 0.2.

➔ Accurate viscosity, heat diffusion and viscous heat ←

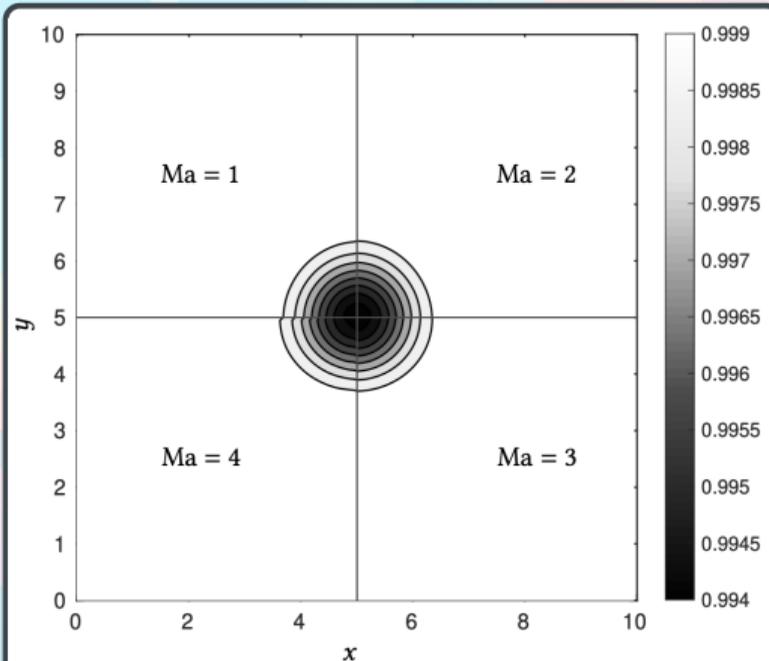


Figure 7: Isentropic vortex advection after 20 flow-through-time periods for different Mach numbers.

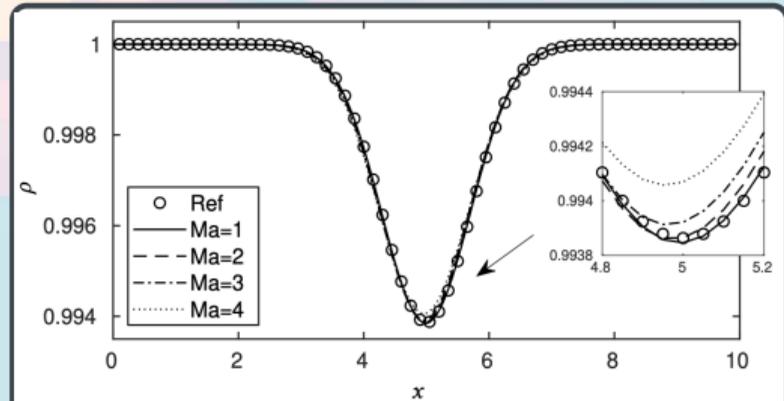


Figure 8: $y = 0$ density slices after 20 periods for different Ma .

200 \times 200 \times 1 mesh, CFL from 0.3 to 0.1 and $\mu = 0$.

→ Low numerical dissipation/dispersion ←

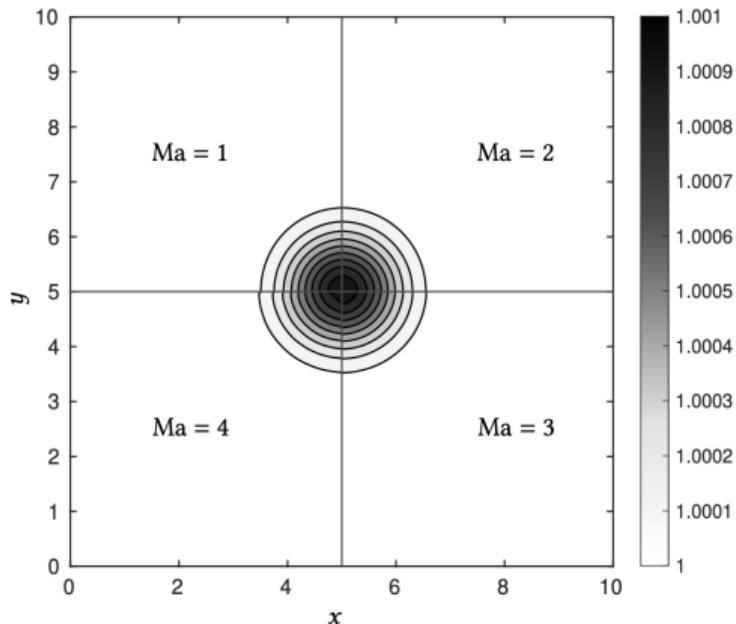


Figure 9: Entropy spot advection after 20 flow-through-time periods for different Mach numbers.

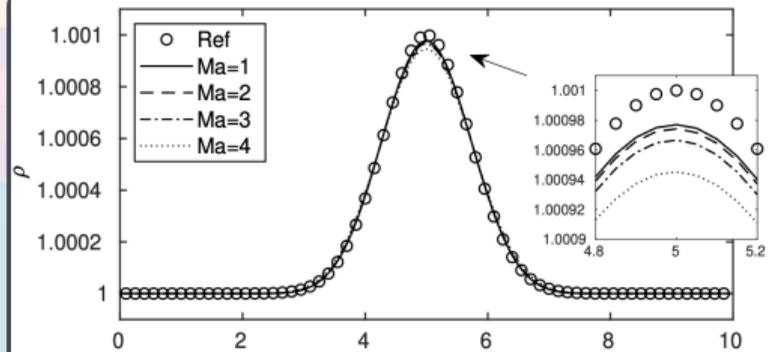


Figure 10: $y = 0$ density slices after 20 periods for different Ma.

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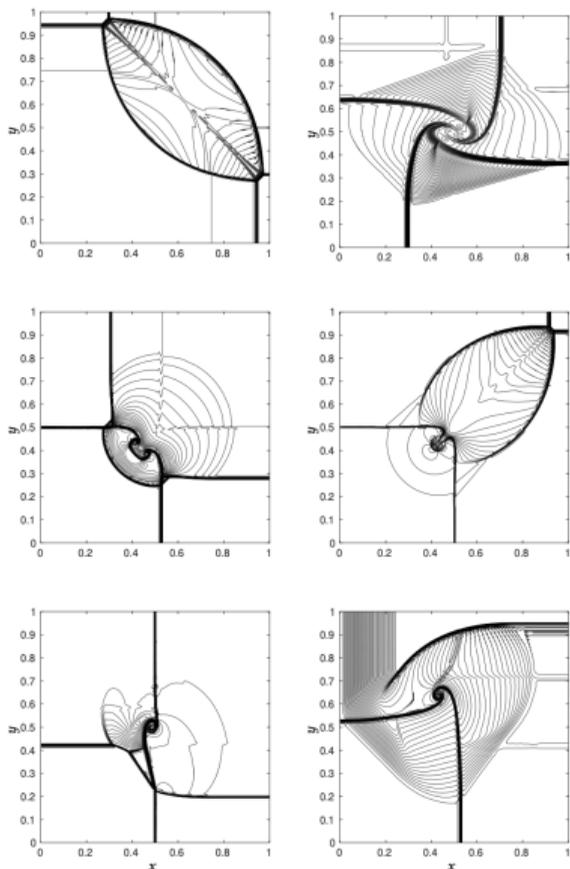


Figure 11: Lax & Liu 2D Riemann problems : Density fields of configurations 4-6-11-12-13-16.

$400 \times 400 \times 1$ grid, $\Delta t / \Delta x = 0.22$
extremely close to Lax & Liu's
article, $\mu = 0$ and discontinuity
sensor.

→ Robust ←

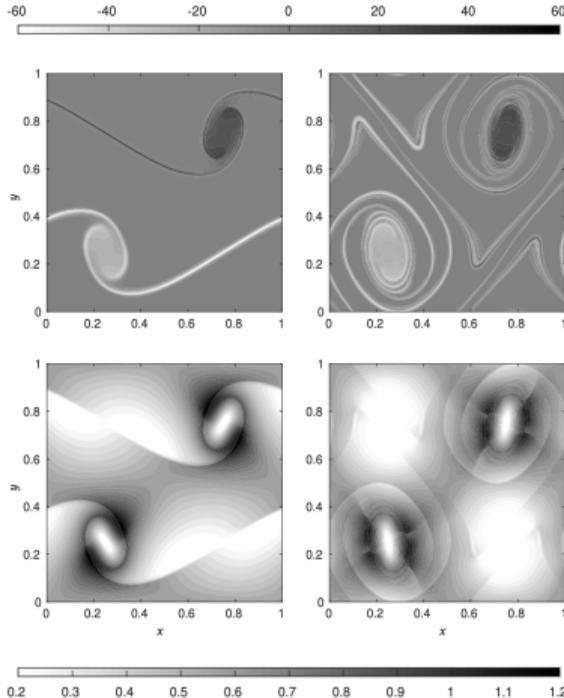


Figure 12: Vorticity (top) and Mach (bottom) at time t_c (left) and $2t_c$ (right) using the 512×512 grid.

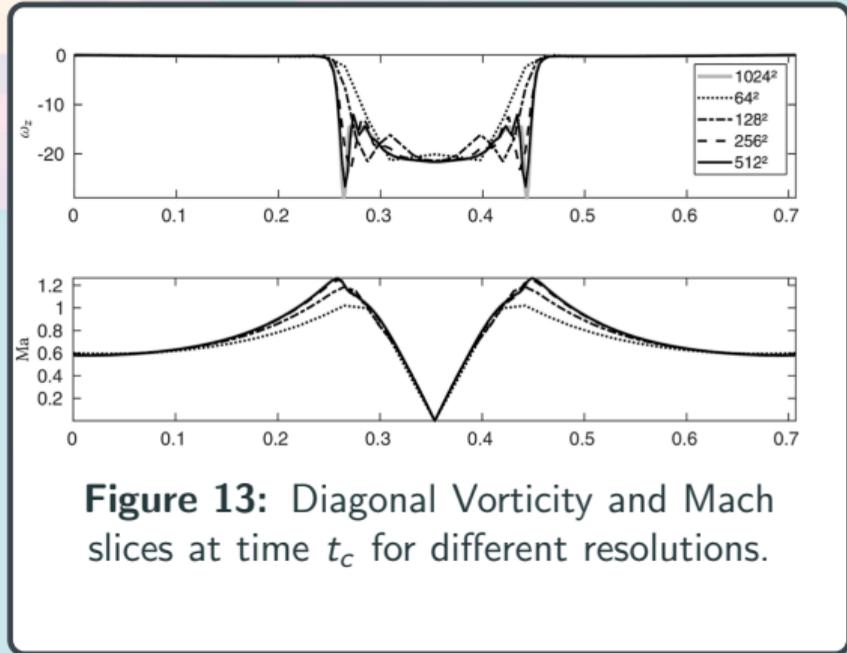


Figure 13: Diagonal Vorticity and Mach slices at time t_c for different resolutions.

Initial CFL = 0.28 and $\mu = 0$.

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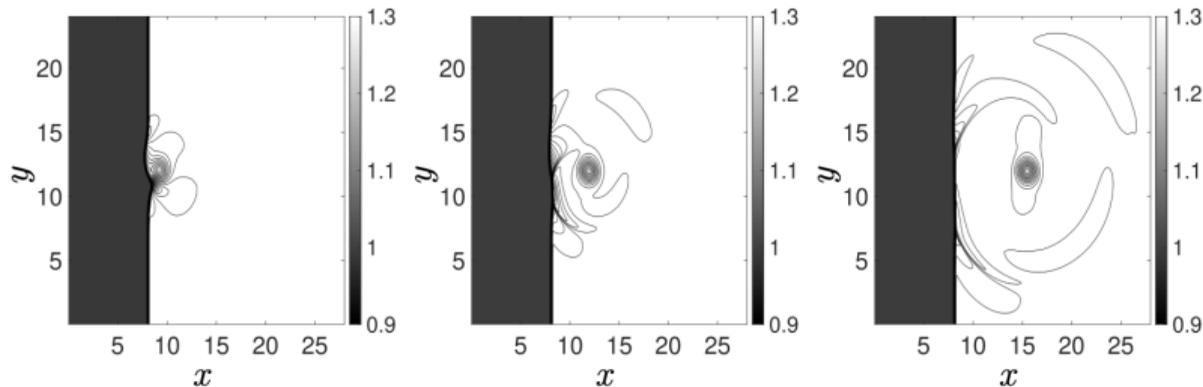


Figure 14:
Vortex/shock
interaction :
density fields
at time
 $t = 3, 6, 10$.

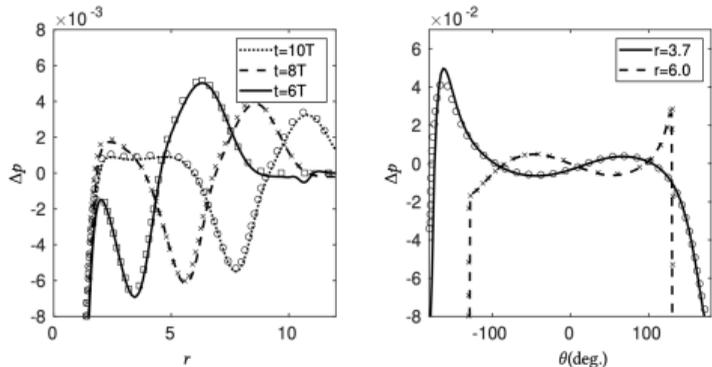


Figure 15:
Different
acoustic
slices
compared
to
reference.

CFL = 0.83 and
discontinuity sensor.
Other parameters are
identical to reference.

➔ Robust ◀

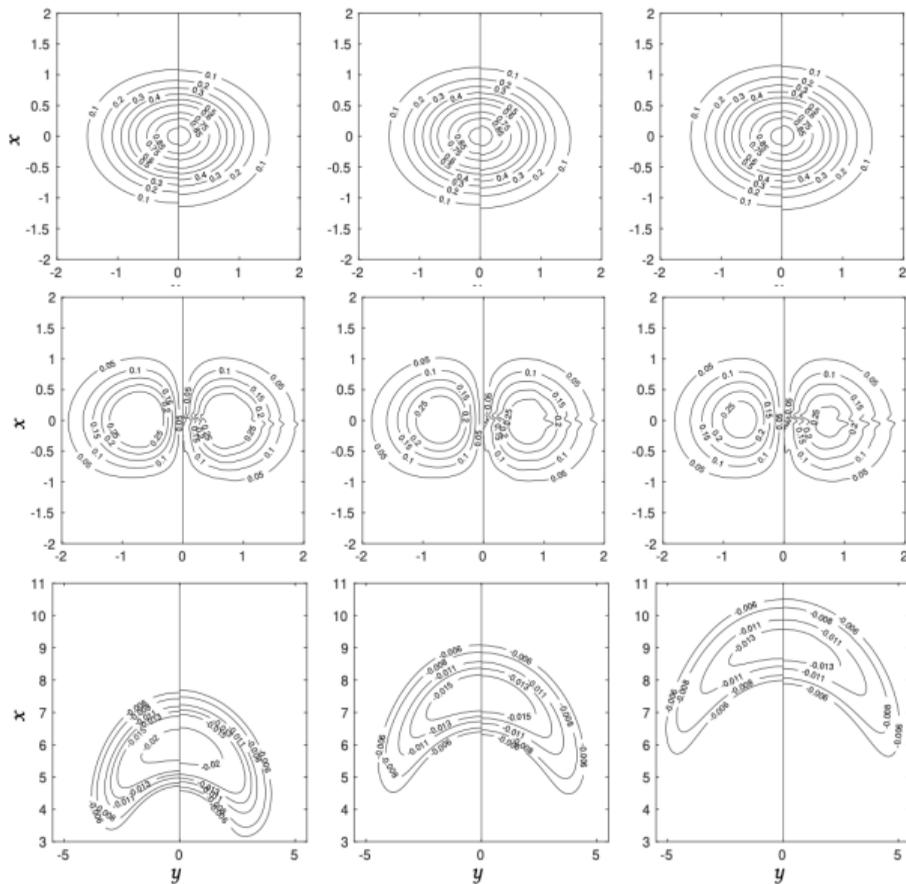


Figure 16: Transmitted entropy, vorticity and pressure fields. From left to right $\gamma = 1.2, 1.4$ and 1.6 . Analytical and numerical solutions respectively correspond to $y < 0$ and $y \geq 0$.

Initial CFL = 0.42 and $\mu = 0$.

→ Robust ←

- 1/ In the absence of a careful study of higher-order terms, the Lattice-Boltzmann link with kinetic theory is blurred.
- 2/ $\Delta t \rightarrow 0$ is the sole necessary assumption to study a LB model. Being cheaper in term of assumptions, the dimensional analysis outperforms Chapman-Enskog.
- 3/ M2P2 models are now unified under a single formalism.
- 4/ "Kinetic-theory-inspired" LB schemes is not necessarily the most efficient path towards stability/accuracy.
- 5/ The regularization has been extended to the trace of the stress-tensor : $\Pi_{\alpha\alpha}^{neq}$. This drastically improves the stability.

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