

# Failsafe flux limiting for implosion models

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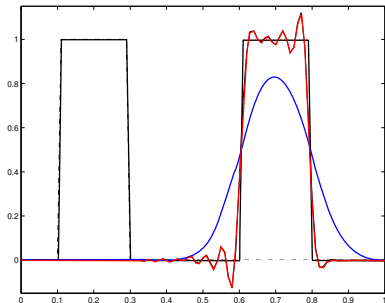
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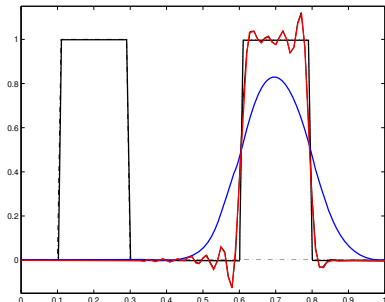
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# Compressible Euler equations

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## Divergence form

$$\frac{\partial U}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot \mathbf{F} = 0$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{F} = \sum_d \frac{\partial F^d}{\partial x_d}$$



## Quasi-linear form

$$\frac{\partial U}{\partial t} + \mathbf{A} \cdot \nabla U = 0$$

$$\mathbf{A} \cdot \nabla U = \sum_d A^d \frac{\partial U}{\partial x_d}$$

- Conservative variables, fluxes and EOS for an ideal gas ( $\gamma = 1.4$ )

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} \rho \\ \rho \mathbf{v} \\ \rho E \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{F} = \begin{bmatrix} \rho \mathbf{v} \\ \rho \mathbf{v} \otimes \mathbf{v} + p \mathcal{I} \\ \rho E \mathbf{v} + p \mathbf{v} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \rho E = \frac{p}{\gamma - 1} + \frac{\rho}{2} |\mathbf{v}|^2$$

- Homogeneity property  $F^d = A^d U$ ,  $A^d = \frac{\partial F^d}{\partial U}$ ,  $d = 1, 2, 3$

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Evaluate correction factors  $\alpha_{ij}^u$  for an arbitrary set of control variables  $\{u\}$  and limit the conservative fluxes.





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- Fixed percentage elimination of unacceptable antidiffusive fluxes

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$$\beta_{ij}^{(0)} = 0, \quad \beta_{ij}^{(r)} := \begin{cases} r/R & \text{if node } i \text{ or } j \text{ violates bounds} \\ \beta_{ij}^{(r-1)} & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

# Double Mach reflection

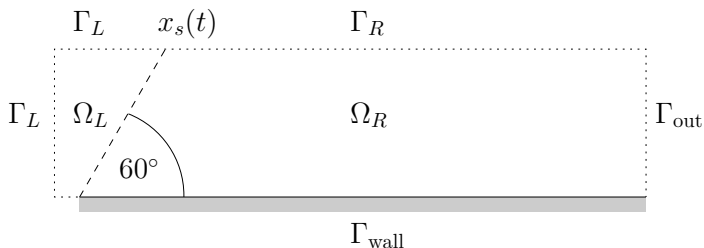
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Initial conditions in  $\Omega = (0, 4) \times (0, 1)$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \rho_L \\ u_L \\ v_L \\ p_L \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 8.0 \\ 8.25 \cos(30^\circ) \\ -8.25 \sin(30^\circ) \\ 116.5 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} \rho_R \\ u_R \\ v_R \\ p_R \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1.4 \\ 0.0 \\ 0.0 \\ 1.0 \end{bmatrix}$$

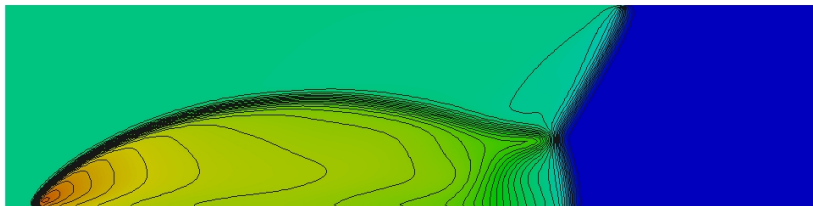
Boundary conditions  $x_s(t) = 1/6 + (1 + 20t)/\sqrt{3}$

$$\Gamma_L = \{x < x_s(t), y = 1\}, \quad \Gamma_R = \{x \geq x_s(t), y = 1\}$$



## Double Mach reflection at time $T = 0.2$

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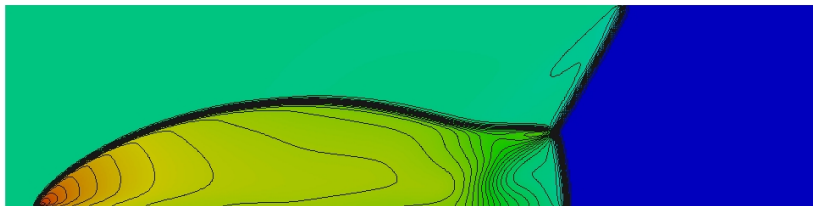


Low-order solution,  $\alpha_{ij} = 0$ ,  $h = 1/64$ ,  $\Delta t = 1 \cdot 10^{-4}$



## Double Mach reflection at time $T = 0.2$ , cont'd

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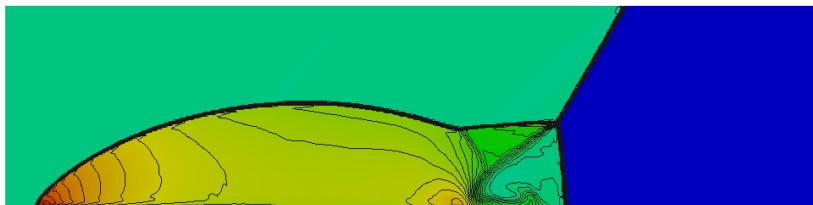
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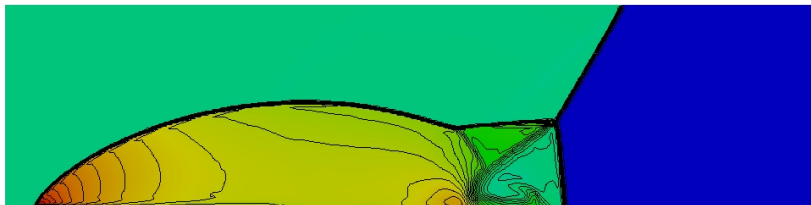


Failsafe FCT solution,  $\alpha_{ij} = \alpha_{ij}^{\rho}$ ,  $h = 1/128$ ,  $\Delta t = 5 \cdot 10^{-5}$



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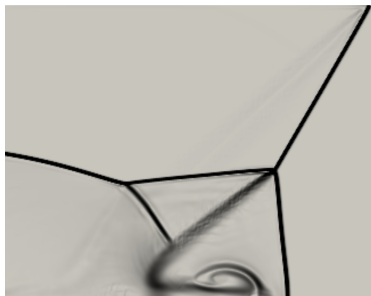
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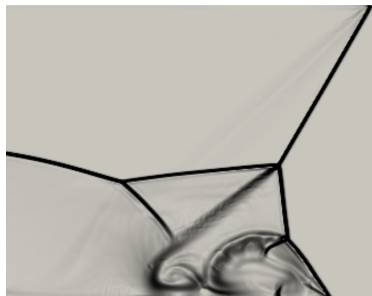
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Unsafe FCT solution,  $h = 1/256$ ,  $\Delta t = 2.5 \cdot 10^{-5}$



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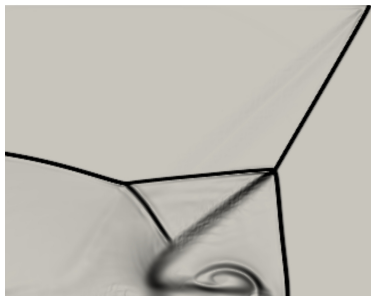


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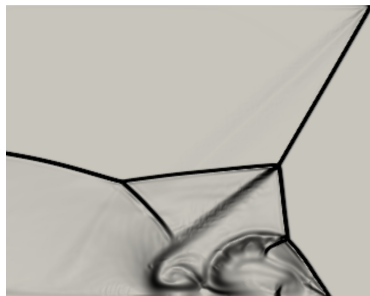
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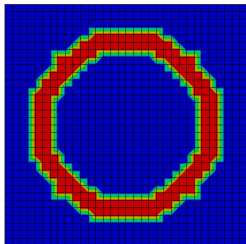
Remark: Linear combination  $\alpha_{ij}^{\mathbf{v}} = \frac{u_{ij}^2 \alpha_{ij}^u + v_{ij}^2 \alpha_{ij}^v}{\|\mathbf{v}_{ij}\|^2}$  based on the mean velocity  $\mathbf{v}_{ij} = \frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{v}_i + \mathbf{v}_j)$  yields a physically correct solution.

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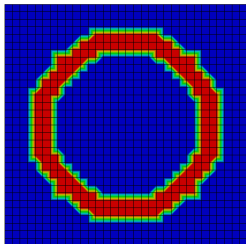
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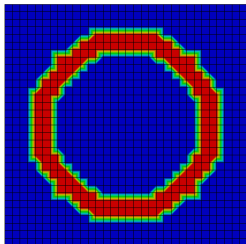
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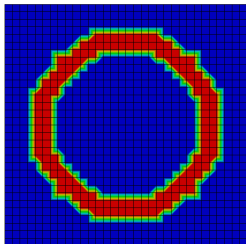
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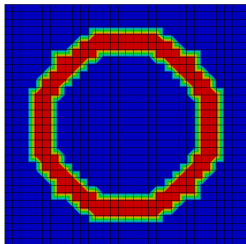
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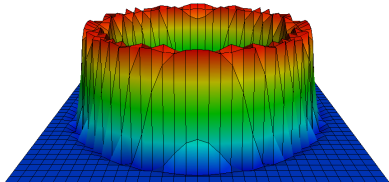
- Limited  $L_2$ -projection ( $0 \leq \alpha_{ij} \leq 1$ )

$$m_i U_i = m_i U_i^L + \sum_{j \neq i} \alpha_{ij} m_{ij} (U_i^L - U_j^L)$$

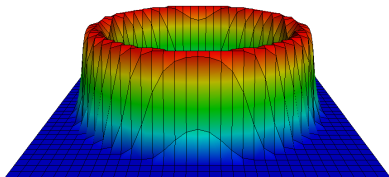
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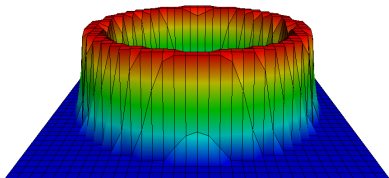
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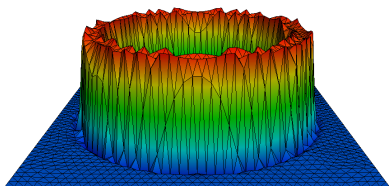


	bilinear elements, $3 \times 3$ Gauss rule		
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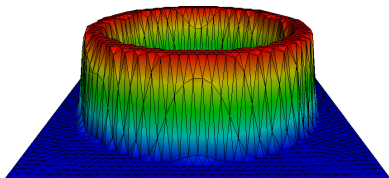
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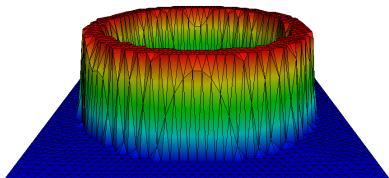
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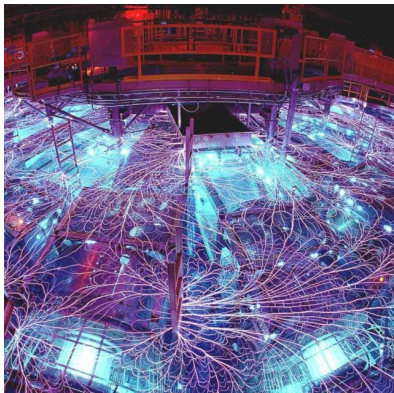


	linear elements, 3-point Gauss rule		
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(a)	1.206e-1	-7.143e-2	1.088
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(c)	1.259e-1	1.000e-2	1.000

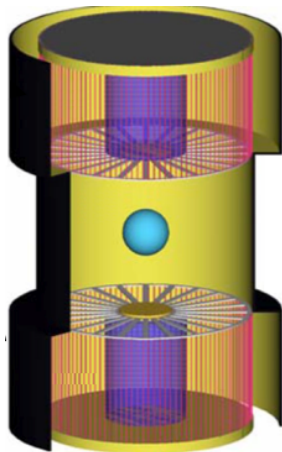
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# Application: *Z-pinch implosions*

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Z machine at Sandia National Lab.



# Idealized Z-pinch implosion model, Banks/Shadid

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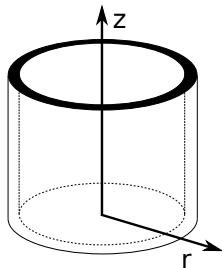
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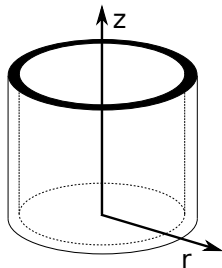
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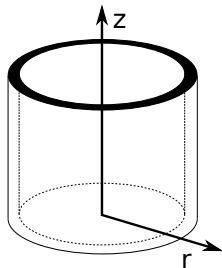
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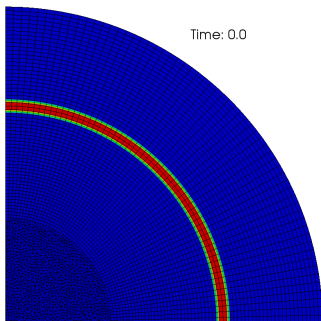
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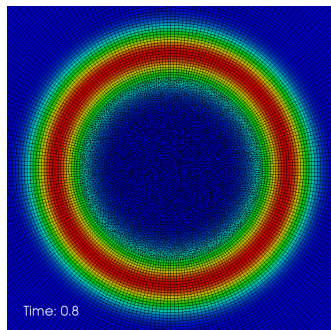
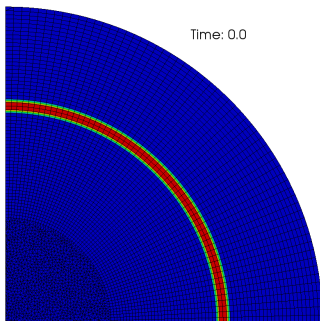
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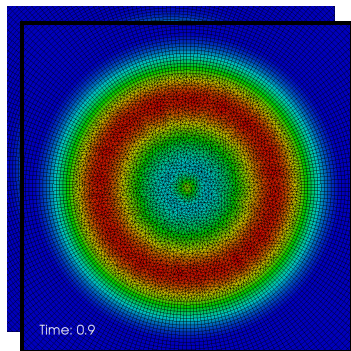
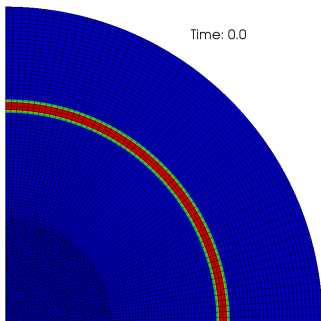
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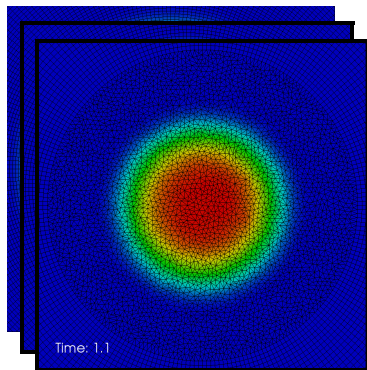
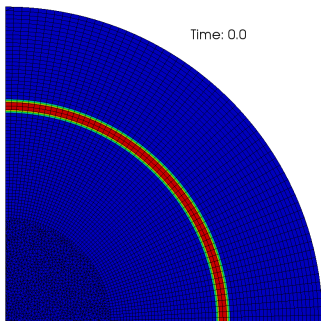
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# Conclusions

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- Synchronized flux correction allows to impose mathematical constraints on a set of arbitrary control variables a posteriori
- Failsafe feature makes it possible to eliminate undesirable undershoots and overshoots from the quantities of interest
- Constrained  $L_2$ -projection is a handy tool for the initialization/interpolation of solution values which ensures boundedness of physical quantities, mass conservation and minimal diffusivity
- Coupled solution algorithm provides a general framework for the efficient computation of idealized Z-pinch implosion models

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Input: auxiliary solution  $u^L$  and antidiffusive fluxes  $f_{ij}^u$ , where  $f_{ji}^u \neq f_{ij}^u$

- 1 Sums of positive/negative antidiffusive fluxes into node  $i$

$$P_i^+ = \sum_{j \neq i} \max\{0, f_{ij}^u\}, \quad P_i^- = \sum_{j \neq i} \min\{0, f_{ij}^u\}$$

- 2 Upper/lower bounds based on the local extrema of  $u^L$

$$Q_i^+ = \frac{m_i}{\Delta t} (u_i^{\max} - u_i^L), \quad Q_i^- = \frac{m_i}{\Delta t} (u_i^{\min} - u_i^L)$$

- 3 Correction factors  $\alpha_{ij}^u = \alpha_{ji}^u$  to satisfy the FCT constraints

$$\alpha_{ij}^u = \min\{R_{ij}, R_{ji}\}, \quad R_{ij} = \begin{cases} \min\{1, Q_i^+ / P_i^+\} & \text{if } f_{ij}^u \geq 0 \\ \min\{1, Q_i^- / P_i^-\} & \text{if } f_{ij}^u < 0 \end{cases}$$