

## Conservations laws : Hyperbolicity

Let us consider the Euler equations on the conservative form (it is assume that  $\lambda \equiv 0$  and  $\mathbf{g} \equiv 0$ )

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + \nabla_{\mathbf{x}} \cdot (\rho \mathbf{u}) &= 0 \\ \frac{\partial \rho \mathbf{u}}{\partial t} + \nabla_{\mathbf{x}} \cdot (\mathbf{u} \otimes (\rho \mathbf{u})) + \nabla p &= 0 \\ \frac{\partial \rho e}{\partial t} + \nabla_{\mathbf{x}} \cdot ((\rho e + p)\mathbf{u}) &= 0 \end{aligned} \quad (0.1)$$

and the closure relation

$$p = (\gamma - 1)\rho\varepsilon \quad \text{where} \quad \varepsilon = e - \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{u}$$

where  $\gamma$  is a constant ( $\gamma = 1.4$  for air flow). The aim here is to prove that the system (0.1) is Hyperbolic.

- Using the vector  $\mathbf{W} = \begin{pmatrix} \rho \\ \rho \mathbf{u} \\ \rho e \end{pmatrix}$  define the flux vectors  $\mathbf{f}_1(\mathbf{W})$ ,  $\mathbf{f}_2(\mathbf{W})$  and  $\mathbf{f}_3(\mathbf{W})$  in order to put the system (0.1) under the following conservative form :

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{W}}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial \mathbf{f}_1}{\partial x_1} + \frac{\partial \mathbf{f}_2}{\partial x_2} + \frac{\partial \mathbf{f}_3}{\partial x_3} = 0$$

- Define the Matrices  $\underline{\mathcal{A}}_1(\mathbf{W})$ ,  $\underline{\mathcal{A}}_2(\mathbf{W})$  and  $\underline{\mathcal{A}}_3(\mathbf{W})$  in order to put the system (0.1) under the following nonconservative form :

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{W}}{\partial t} + \underline{\mathcal{A}}_1 \frac{\partial \mathbf{W}}{\partial x_1} + \underline{\mathcal{A}}_2 \frac{\partial \mathbf{W}}{\partial x_2} + \underline{\mathcal{A}}_3 \frac{\partial \mathbf{W}}{\partial x_3} = 0$$

- Let us consider now the set of variables  $\mathbf{V} = \begin{pmatrix} \rho \\ \mathbf{u} \\ \varepsilon \end{pmatrix}$ . Define the Matrices  $\underline{\mathcal{B}}_1(\mathbf{V})$ ,  $\underline{\mathcal{B}}_2(\mathbf{V})$  and  $\underline{\mathcal{B}}_3(\mathbf{V})$  in order to put the system (0.1) under the following primitive nonconservative form :

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{V}}{\partial t} + \underline{\mathcal{B}}_1 \frac{\partial \mathbf{V}}{\partial x_1} + \underline{\mathcal{B}}_2 \frac{\partial \mathbf{V}}{\partial x_2} + \underline{\mathcal{B}}_3 \frac{\partial \mathbf{V}}{\partial x_3} = 0$$

- Compute the eigenvalues  $\lambda_k$  and the associated right eigenvectors ( $\mathbf{r}_k$ ) of the matrix  $\mathcal{B}(\mathbf{V}, \mathbf{n}) = \sum_{k=1}^3 \mathbf{n}_k \underline{\mathcal{B}}_k$  where  $\|\mathbf{n}\| \neq 0$ . (These computations are possible because the system is hyperbolic)
- Compute  $(\nabla_{\mathbf{V}} \lambda_k) \cdot \mathbf{r}_k$ . (This is used to characterize the waves associated to each eigenvalue)
- Show that eigenvalues of the matrix  $\mathcal{B}(\mathbf{V}, \mathbf{n})$  are also eigenvalues of the matrix  $\mathcal{A}(\mathbf{V}, \mathbf{n}) = \sum_{k=1}^3 \mathbf{n}_k \underline{\mathcal{A}}_k$

*Hint : Use  $\mathbf{n} = (1, 0, 0)^T$  first before considering the more general case.*