

## Chap. 2-3. High Resolution Monotonic Schemes

- **Critical Survey on High Resolution Monotonic Schemes**

- **Basic analysis framework**

- 1-D SCL of  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial f(u)}{\partial x} = 0 \rightarrow u_j^{n+1} = u_j^n - \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta x} (F_{j+1/2} - F_{j-1/2})$  or  $\frac{du_j}{dt} = -\frac{1}{\Delta x} (F_{j+1/2} - F_{j-1/2})$

- Monotonicity constraint as a way to design  $F_{j+1/2}$

$$\min(u_{j-1}, u_j, u_{j+1}) \leq u(x) \leq \max(u_{j-1}, u_j, u_{j+1}) \text{ or } \min(u_j, u_{j+1}) \leq u_{j+1/2} \leq \max(u_j, u_{j+1}), x_{j-1/2} \leq x \leq x_{j+1/2}$$

- One-dimensional  $l_1$ - or  $l_\infty$ -stability is realized by imposing TVD stability (FCT, TVD, MUSCL, LED) or TVB stability (ENO and WENO).

→ Avoid numerical oscillations across discontinuous region while maintaining expected order of accuracy in smooth region

- **Multi-dimensional extension**

- 2-D SCL of  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial f(u)}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial g(u)}{\partial y} = 0 \rightarrow \frac{du_{i,j}}{dt} = -\frac{1}{\Delta x} (F_{i+1/2,j} - F_{i-1/2,j}) - \frac{1}{\Delta y} (G_{i,j+1/2} - G_{i,j-1/2})$

- Monotonicity constraint by dimensional splitting approach

$$(x - dir) \min(u_{i-1,j}, u_{i,j}, u_{i+1,j}) \leq u(x, y_j) \leq \max(u_{i-1,j}, u_{i,j}, u_{i+1,j})$$

$$\min(u_{i,j}, u_{i+1,j}) \leq u_{i+1/2,j} \leq \max(u_{i,j}, u_{i+1,j}), x_{i-1/2,j} \leq x \leq x_{i+1/2,j}$$

$$(y - dir) \min(u_{i,j-1}, u_{i,j}, u_{i,j+1}) \leq u(x_i, y) \leq \max(u_{i,j-1}, u_{i,j}, u_{i,j+1})$$

$$\min(u_{i,j}, u_{i,j+1}) \leq u_{i,j+1/2} \leq \max(u_{i,j}, u_{i,j+1}), y_{i,j-1/2} \leq y \leq y_{i,j+1/2}$$

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- **Critical Survey (cont'd)**

- **Any missing physics for multi-D flows?**

- Multi-dimensional monotonicity and multi-dimensional numerical flux

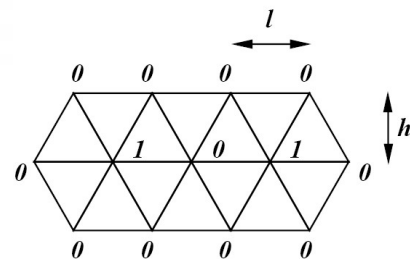
- **Intrinsic one-dimensionality of total variation**

- $TV(u) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |u'(x)| dx = \sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} |u_j - u_{j-1}| = 2(\sum \text{maxima} - \sum \text{minima})$

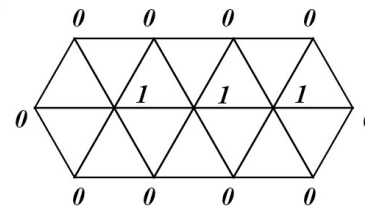
$\xrightarrow{TV \text{ in multiple dimensions}}$ 
 $TV(u) = \int_V \|\nabla u\|_p ds$ 
 with  $\|\nabla u\|_1 = \left| \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \right| + \left| \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \right|$ ,  $\|\nabla u\|_2 = \sqrt{\left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \right)^2 + \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \right)^2}, \dots$

- Two piecewise linear distributions (two-peaks and one-ridge) on equilateral triangular mesh with unit length (Jameson, 1995)

$\rightarrow TV_{\text{two-peaks}} < TV_{\text{one-ridge}}$  confirming that straightforward extension of 1-D TVD is not proper to handle multi-dimensional oscillations.



Two Peaks:  $TV = 4 + 2\sqrt{3}$  ( $L_1$ ), 6 ( $L_2$ ),  
 or  $2 + 2\sqrt{3}$  ( $L_\infty$ ).



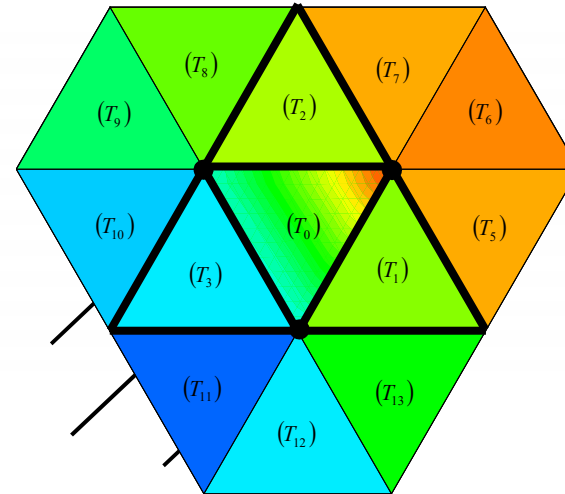
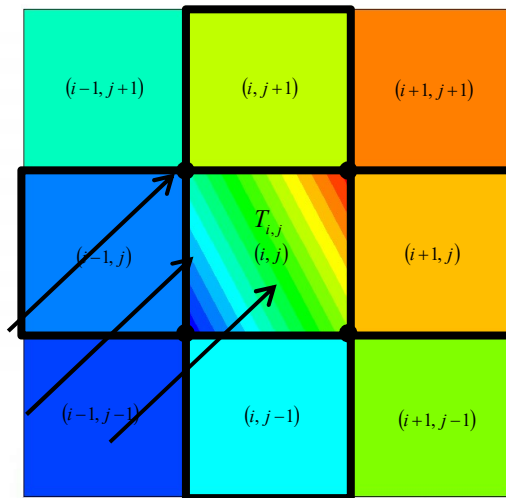
One Ridge:  $TV = 6 + \sqrt{3}$  ( $L_1$ ), 7 ( $L_2$ ),  
 or  $5 + 3\sqrt{3}$  ( $L_\infty$ ).

- 2-D TVD scheme is at most first-order accurate. (Goodman and Leveque, 1985)

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### ● *MLP Schemes*

- **More refined numerical strategy is necessary for non-oscillatory schemes in multi-dimensional flows.**
  - Most oscillation-free schemes have been developed largely based on one dimensional flow physics ( $u_t + f(u)_x = 0$ ).
  - Dimensional splitting TVD schemes do not guarantee monotonicity at vertex point.
  - See the works by C. Kim *et al.* (2005, 2008, 2010), and others
- **Massing flow physics in non grid-aligned flow distributions**



< Do the values at vertexes satisfy monotonicity? >

- Role of vertex values under linear distribution
- Local extrema always appear at vertex point under linear distribution. → treat cell-centered and cell-vertex point simultaneously

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- MLP condition:  $u_{neighbor}^{\min} \leq u(x, y)|_{(x,y) \in T_{i,j} \text{ or } T_0} \leq u_{neighbor}^{\max}$ 
  - Applying MLP condition to each vertex point of the target cell ( $T_{i,j}$  or  $T_0$ ) to have
 
$$\min(u_{i,j}, u_{i+1,j}, u_{i,j+1}, u_{i+1,j+1}) \leq u(x, y)|_{i+1/2, j+1/2} \leq \max(u_{i,j}, u_{i+1,j}, u_{i,j+1}, u_{i+1,j+1})$$

$$\min_{T_k \in S_{v_j}}(u_k) \leq u(x, y)|_{v_j} \leq \max_{T_k \in S_{v_j}}(u_k) \quad \text{with } S_{v_j} = \{T_k | v_j \in T_k \text{ for } v_j \text{ of } T_0\}$$
  - Impose the above inequality as additional constraint in designing MLP limiters

### • MLP Limiters on Structured Meshes

#### • TVD-MUSCL vs. MLP

From MUSCL-type slope limiting, the left/right cell-interface values are given by

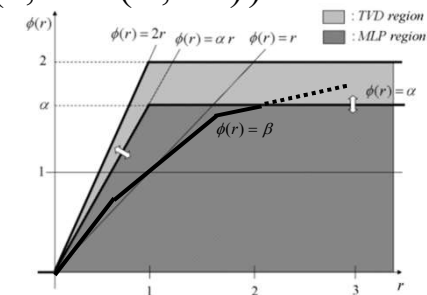
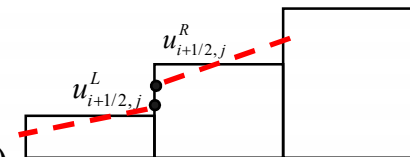
$$u_{i+1/2,j}^L = u_{i,j} + 0.5 \phi_{i,j}(r_L) \Delta u_{i-1/2,j} \quad \text{and} \quad u_{i+1/2,j}^R = u_{i+1,j} - 0.5 \phi_{i+1,j}(r_R) \Delta u_{i+3/2,j}$$

with  $\phi(r) = r\phi(1/r)$  and  $r_L = \Delta u_{i+1/2,j} / \Delta u_{i-1/2,j}$ ,  $r_R = \Delta u_{i+1/2,j} / \Delta u_{i+3/2,j}$

- TVD limiting region based on 1-D analysis:  $\Phi_{TVD}(r) = \max(0, \min(2, 2r))$
- MLP limiting region to treat multi-dimensionality:  $\Phi_{MLP}(r) = \max(0, \min(\alpha, \alpha r))$
- Basic form:  $\phi_{MLP}(r) = \max(0, \min(\alpha, \alpha r, \beta(r)))$

$\alpha$  : multi-dimensional restriction coefficient to determine the upper bound of MLP limiting region

$\beta$  : characteristic interpolation coefficient to determine local variation (slope or higher than 2nd-order)



[ TVD vs. MLP limiting region ]

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- **Determination of multi-dimensional restriction coefficient,  $\alpha$**

- (S1) Each cell-vertex value of the target cell  $T_{i,j}$  is estimated by

$$\begin{aligned} u_{i+k_1/2,j+k_2/2} &= u_{i,j} + \Delta u_{i+k_1/2,j}^x + \Delta u_{i,j+k_2/2}^y = u_{i,j} + 0.5k_1\phi(r_x)\Delta u_{i-1/2,j} + 0.5k_2\phi(r_y)\Delta u_{i,j-1/2} \\ &= u_{i,j} + (1+r_{xy})\Delta u_{i+k_1/2,j}^x \end{aligned}$$

with  $r_x = \Delta u_{i+1/2,j} / \Delta u_{i-1/2,j}$ ,  $r_y = \Delta u_{i,j+1/2} / \Delta u_{i,j-1/2}$ ,  $r_{xy} = \Delta u_{i,j+k_2/2}^y / \Delta u_{i+k_1/2,j}^x$  and  $k_1, k_2 = \pm 1$

- Noth that, with linear subcell approximation, we only need to check the upper bound of the maximum vertex value and the lower bound of the minimum vertex value. Thus,  $r_{xy}$  is assumed to be positive.

- (S2) Obtain the neighboring minimum and maximum values by checking all cell-averaged values sharing the same vertex point  $(i+k_1/2, j+k_2/2)$

$$u_{i+k_1/2,j+k_2/2}^{\min} = \min(u_{i,j}, u_{i+k_1,j}, u_{i,j+k_2}, u_{i+k_1,j+k_2}), u_{i+k_1/2,j+k_2/2}^{\max} = \max(u_{i,j}, u_{i+k_1,j}, u_{i,j+k_2}, u_{i+k_1,j+k_2})$$

- (S3) Enforce the MLP limiting condition with  $\phi(r) = \phi_{MLP}(r) = \min(\alpha, \alpha r)$  into  $u_{i+k_1/2,j+k_2/2}$

$$u_{i+k_1/2,j+k_2/2}^{\min} \leq u_{i+k_1/2,j+k_2/2} \leq u_{i+k_1/2,j+k_2/2}^{\max} \rightarrow u_{i+k_1/2,j+k_2/2}^{\min} \leq u_{i,j} + (1+r_{xy})\Delta u_{i+k_1/2,j}^x \leq u_{i+k_1/2,j+k_2/2}^{\max}$$

$$\frac{u_{i+k_1/2,j+k_2/2}^{\min} - u_{i,j}}{1+r_{xy}} \leq \Delta u_{i+k_1/2,j}^x \leq \frac{u_{i+k_1/2,j+k_2/2}^{\max} - u_{i,j}}{1+r_{xy}} \quad \text{or}$$

$$\frac{u_{i+k_1/2,j+k_2/2}^{\min} - u_{i,j}}{1+r_{xy}} \leq 0.5k_1\phi_{MLP}(r_x)\Delta u_{i-1/2,j} \leq \frac{u_{i+k_1/2,j+k_2/2}^{\max} - u_{i,j}}{1+r_{xy}}$$



- **Determination of multi-dimensional restriction coefficient,  $\alpha$  (cont'd)**

- (S4) Obtain the range of  $\alpha$  for local maximum case

Since  $\Delta u_{i+k_1/2,j}^x > 0$  (local maximum),  $0 \leq 0.5k_1\phi_{MLP}(r_x)\Delta u_{i-1/2,j} \leq \frac{u_{i+k_1/2,j+k_2/2}^{\max} - u_{i,j}}{1+r_{xy}}$

i)  $0 < r_x < 1$ ,  $0 \leq 0.5k_1\alpha\Delta u_{i+1/2,j} \leq \frac{u_{i+k_1/2,j+k_2/2}^{\max} - u_{i,j}}{1+r_{xy}} \rightarrow 0 \leq \alpha \leq \frac{2(u_{i+k_1/2,j+k_2/2}^{\max} - u_{i,j})}{k_1(1+r_{xy})\Delta u_{i+1/2,j}}$

ii)  $r_x > 1$ ,  $0 \leq \frac{k_1\alpha}{2r_x}\Delta u_{i+1/2,j} \leq \frac{u_{i+k_1/2,j+k_2/2}^{\max} - u_{i,j}}{1+r_{xy}} \rightarrow 0 \leq \alpha \leq \frac{2r_x(u_{i+k_1/2,j+k_2/2}^{\max} - u_{i,j})}{k_1(1+r_{xy})\Delta u_{i+1/2,j}}$

Thus, we have  $0 \leq \alpha_{\max} \leq \frac{2 \max(1, r_x)(u_{i+k_1/2,j+k_2/2}^{\max} - u_{i,j})}{k_1(1+r_{xy})\Delta u_{i+1/2,j}}$

- (S5) Obtain the range of  $\alpha$  for local minimum case

Since  $\Delta u_{i+k_1/2,j}^x < 0$  (local minimum),  $\frac{u_{i+k_1/2,j+k_2/2}^{\min} - u_{i,j}}{1+r_{xy}} \leq 0.5k_1\phi_{MLP}(r_x)\Delta u_{i-1/2,j} \leq 0$

i)  $0 < r_x < 1$ ,  $\frac{u_{i+k_1/2,j+k_2/2}^{\min} - u_{i,j}}{1+r_{xy}} \leq 0.5k_1\alpha\Delta u_{i+1/2,j} \leq 0 \rightarrow 0 \leq \alpha \leq \frac{2(u_{i+k_1/2,j+k_2/2}^{\min} - u_{i,j})}{k_1(1+r_{xy})\Delta u_{i+1/2,j}}$

ii)  $r_x > 1$ ,  $\frac{u_{i+k_1/2,j+k_2/2}^{\min} - u_{i,j}}{1+r_{xy}} \leq \frac{k_1\alpha}{2r_x}\Delta u_{i+1/2,j} \leq 0 \rightarrow 0 \leq \alpha \leq \frac{2r_x(u_{i+k_1/2,j+k_2/2}^{\min} - u_{i,j})}{k_1(1+r_{xy})\Delta u_{i+1/2,j}}$

Thus, we have  $0 \leq \alpha_{\min} \leq \frac{2 \max(1, r_x)(u_{i+k_1/2,j+k_2/2}^{\min} - u_{i,j})}{k_1(1+r_{xy})\Delta u_{i+1/2,j}}$

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- **Determination of multi-dimensional restriction coefficient,  $\alpha$  (cont'd)**

- (S6) Obtain the range of  $\alpha$  from (S4) and (S5) with  $\alpha \geq 1$

$$1 \leq \alpha = \min(\alpha_{\text{lmax}}, \alpha_{\text{lmin}}) \leq \left| \frac{2 \max(1, r_x)}{(1 + r_{xy}) \Delta u_{i+1/2, j}} \right| \min \left( \left| u_{i+k_1/2, j+k_2/2}^{\text{max}} - u_{i, j} \right|, \left| u_{i+k_1/2, j+k_2/2}^{\text{min}} - u_{i, j} \right| \right),$$

and choose the upper bound as  $\alpha = \left| \frac{2 \max(1, r_x)}{(1 + r_{xy}) \Delta u_{i+1/2, j}} \right| \min \left( \left| u_{i+k_1/2, j+k_2/2}^{\text{max}} - u_{i, j} \right|, \left| u_{i+k_1/2, j+k_2/2}^{\text{min}} - u_{i, j} \right| \right)$

- Notice that if  $r_{xy} = 0$  (1-D situation), it recovers the 1-D TVD region.

- **Determination of interpolation coefficient,  $\beta$**

- $\beta$  using conventional TVD-MUSCL or LED slopes
  - MLP with minmod limiter is the same as TVD minmod limiter with  $\alpha=1=\beta$ .

- MLP with van Leer:  $\beta_L = \frac{2 r_L}{1 + r_L}$ ,  $\beta_R = \frac{2 r_R}{1 + r_R}$

- MLP with superbee:  $\beta_{L/R} = \max(1, r_{L/R})$

- Any other TVD-MUSCL or LED slopes with  $\beta(r)|_{r=1} = 1$  can be used.

- $\beta$  using polynomial interpolation

- Consider higher-order polynomial of  $u(x) = a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2 + \dots + a_n x^n$ ,  $x_{j-1/2} \leq x \leq x_{j+1/2}$

- MLP3 (slope limiting using 2nd-order polynomial)

For  $u(x) = a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2$  with  $u_{i+l} = \int_{x_{i+l-1/2}}^{x_{i+l+1/2}} u(x) dx$  ( $l = 0, \pm 1$ ),

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- **Determination of interpolation coefficient,  $\beta$  (cont'd)**

- $\beta$  using polynomial interpolation
  - MLP3 (slope limiting using 2rd-order polynomial)

$$u_{i+1/2}^L = u(x_{i+1/2}) = \frac{-u_{i-1} + 5u_i + 2u_{i+1}}{6} = u_i + 0.5 \frac{\Delta u_{i-1/2} + 2\Delta u_{i+1/2}}{3} = u_i + 0.5\beta(r_L)\Delta u_{i-1/2}$$

Thus, we have  $\beta_{L/R} = \beta(r_{L/R}) = \frac{1+2r_{L/R}}{3}$ .

- MLP5 (slope limiting using 4th-order polynomial)

Similarly, with  $u(x) = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + a_3x^3 + a_4x^4$  and  $u_{i+l} = \int_{x_{i+l-1/2}}^{x_{i+l+1/2}} u(x)dx$  ( $l = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2$ ),

$$u_{i+1/2}^L = u(x_{i+1/2}) = u_i + 0.5 \frac{-2\Delta u_{i-3/2} + 11\Delta u_{i-1/2} + 24\Delta u_{i+1/2} - 3\Delta u_{i+3/2}}{30} = u_i + 0.5\beta(r_L)\Delta u_{i-1/2}$$

Thus, we have 
$$\begin{cases} \beta_L = \beta(r_L) = \frac{-2/r_{L(i-1)} + 11 + 24r_L - 3r_L r_{L(i+1)}}{30}, \\ \beta_R = \frac{-2/r_{R(i+1)} + 11 + 24r_R - 3r_{R(i-1)}r_R}{30}. \end{cases}$$

- **MLP slope limiting in multiple dimensions**

- x-directional cell-interface values and fluxes

$$\left. \begin{aligned} u_{i+1/2,j}^L &= u_{i,j} + 0.5\phi_{MLP(i,j)}(r_L)\Delta u_{i-1/2,j} = u_{i,j} + 0.5 \max(0, \min(\alpha_L, \alpha_L r_L, \beta_L))\Delta u_{i-1/2,j} \\ u_{i+1/2,j}^R &= u_{i+1,j} - 0.5\phi_{MLP(i+1,j)}(r_R)\Delta u_{i+3/2,j} = u_{i+1,j} - 0.5 \max(0, \min(\alpha_R, \alpha_R r_R, \beta_R))\Delta u_{i+3/2,j} \end{aligned} \right\} \rightarrow F_{i+1/2,j}(u_{i+1/2,j}^L, u_{i+1/2,j}^R)$$



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- **MLP Limiters on Unstructured Meshes**

- **Multi-dimensional unstructured meshes excludes direct estimation of  $\alpha, \beta$ .**

- Multi-dimensional limited linear reconstruction for the target cell  $T_o$

$$u_o(\mathbf{r}) = u_o + \nabla u_o \cdot (\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}_o) \rightarrow L[u_o(\mathbf{r})] = u_o + \phi_{\text{MLP}, T_o} \nabla u_o \cdot (\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}_o)$$

- Gradient  $\nabla u_o$  is estimated by least square method using the cell-averaged values of the cell  $T_o$  and its neighborhoods  $T_A, T_B, T_C$ .

- The same MLP condition is enforced to determine the limiter function  $\phi_{\text{MLP}, T_o}$

since local extrema appear at vertex points.

- Apply the MLP condition to each vertex  $v_i \in T_o$

$$u_{v_i}^{\min} \leq L[u_o(\mathbf{r}_{v_i})] = u_o + \phi_{\text{MLP}, v_i} \nabla u_o \cdot (\mathbf{r}_{v_i} - \mathbf{r}_o) \leq u_{v_i}^{\max},$$

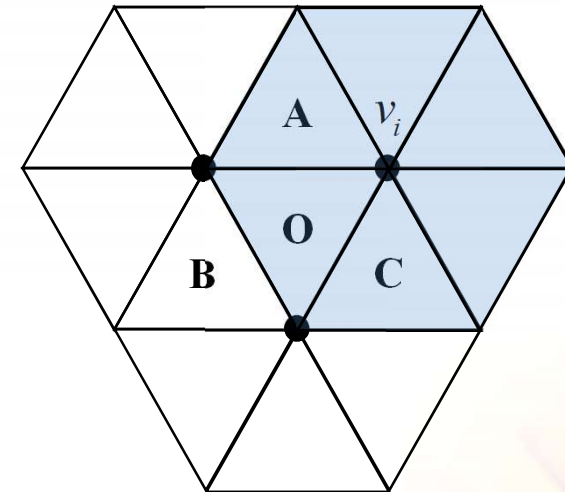
$$\text{where } u_{v_i}^{\min} = \min_{T_k \in S_{v_i}}(u_k), \quad u_{v_i}^{\max} = \max_{T_k \in S_{v_i}}(u_k),$$

$$\text{and } S_{v_i} = \{T_k \mid v_i \in T_k \text{ for } v_i \in T_o\}.$$

$$\rightarrow u_{v_i}^{\min} - u_o \leq \phi_{\text{MLP}, v_i} \nabla u_o \cdot (\mathbf{r}_{v_i} - \mathbf{r}_o) \leq u_{v_i}^{\max} - u_o$$

$$\text{Since } \text{Sgn}(u_{v_i}^{\min} - u_o) \neq \text{Sgn}(u_{v_i}^{\max} - u_o),$$

$$0 \leq \phi_{\text{MLP}, v_i} \leq \max \left( \frac{u_{v_i}^{\min} - u_o}{\nabla u_o \cdot (\mathbf{r}_{v_i} - \mathbf{r}_o)}, \frac{u_{v_i}^{\max} - u_o}{\nabla u_o \cdot (\mathbf{r}_{v_i} - \mathbf{r}_o)} \right).$$



< Target triangular cell  $T_o$  and its neighborhoods  $T_A, T_B, T_C$  >

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- **Determination of MLP-u slope limiters on unstructured meshes**

- (S1) Estimate a local gradient  $\nabla u_o$  using a least-square approach and reconstruct the linear distribution within the target cell  $T_o$ .

$$u_o(\mathbf{r}) = u_o + \nabla u_o \cdot (\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}_o)|_{A,B,C} \rightarrow [\mathbf{L}_1 \quad \mathbf{L}_2][\nabla u_o] = [\Delta u] \text{ with}$$

$$\mathbf{L}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \Delta x_{OA} \\ \Delta x_{OB} \\ \Delta x_{OC} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{L}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} \Delta y_{OA} \\ \Delta y_{OB} \\ \Delta y_{OC} \end{bmatrix}, \quad [\nabla u_o] = \begin{bmatrix} (\nabla u_o)_x \\ (\nabla u_o)_y \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } [\Delta u] = \begin{bmatrix} u_A - u_o \\ u_B - u_o \\ u_C - u_o \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Thus, we have } [\nabla u_o] = \frac{1}{l_{11}l_{22} - l_{12}^2} \begin{bmatrix} l_{22}(\mathbf{L}_1 \cdot [\Delta u]) & -l_{12}(\mathbf{L}_2 \cdot [\Delta u]) \\ l_{11}(\mathbf{L}_2 \cdot [\Delta u]) & -l_{12}(\mathbf{L}_1 \cdot [\Delta u]) \end{bmatrix} \text{ with } l_{ij} = \mathbf{L}_i \cdot \mathbf{L}_j.$$

- (S2) For each vertex  $v_i \in T_o$ , search neighboring maximum and minimum cell-averaged values, and determine the permissible range of  $\phi_{\text{MLP},v_i}$  by applying the MLP condition.

$$u_{v_i}^{\min} = \min_{T_k \in S_{v_i}}(u_k), \quad u_{v_i}^{\max} = \max_{T_k \in S_{v_i}}(u_k) \text{ with } S_{v_i} = \{T_k \mid v_i \in T_k \text{ for } v_i \in T_o\} \text{ gives}$$

$$0 \leq \phi_{\text{MLP},v_i} \leq \min(r_{v_i}, 1) \text{ with } r_{v_i} = \begin{cases} \frac{u_{v_i}^{\max} - u_o}{\nabla u_o \cdot (\mathbf{r}_{v_i} - \mathbf{r}_o)} & \text{if } \nabla u_o \cdot (\mathbf{r}_{v_i} - \mathbf{r}_o) > 0 \\ \frac{u_{v_i}^{\min} - u_o}{\nabla u_o \cdot (\mathbf{r}_{v_i} - \mathbf{r}_o)} & \text{if } \nabla u_o \cdot (\mathbf{r}_{v_i} - \mathbf{r}_o) < 0 \end{cases}$$

Similar to minmod limiting,  $r_{v_i}$  is the ratio of the maximum (or minimum) allowable variation to the estimated variation at the vertex  $v_i \in T_o$ .

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- **Determination of MLP-u slope limiters on unstructured meshes (cont'd)**

- (S3) For each vertex  $v_i \in T_O$ , determine  $\phi_{\text{MLP},v_i}$

- i) MLP-u1 limiter  $\rightarrow$  Take the upper bound of the limiting region

$$\phi_{\text{MLP-u1},v_i} = \Phi(r_{v_i}), \text{ where } \Phi(r) = \begin{cases} \min(1, r) & r > 0, \\ 0 & r = 0. \end{cases}$$

- ii) MLP-u2 limiter  $\rightarrow$  Make MLP-u1 limiter function  $\Phi_{\text{MLP-u1}}$  differentiable for steady-state computations

- . Approximate  $\min(1, r)$  by a smooth function  $f_v(r) = (r^2 + 2r) / (r^2 + r + 2)$  \_Venkat, and apply  $f_v(r)$  to  $\Phi_{\text{MLP-u1}}(r)$  with  $\varepsilon$  to avoid clipping

$$\Phi_{\text{MLP-u2}}\left(\frac{\Delta_+}{\Delta_-}\right) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\Delta_-} \left( \frac{(\Delta_+^2 + \varepsilon^2)\Delta_- + 2\Delta_-^2\Delta_+}{\Delta_+^2 + 2\Delta_-^2 + \Delta_- \Delta_+ + \varepsilon^2} \right) & r \neq 0, \\ 1 & r = 0. \end{cases},$$

- . where  $r = \Delta_+ / \Delta_-$ ,  $\Delta_+ = u_{v_j}^{\min} - u_O$  or  $u_{v_j}^{\max} - u_O$ , and  $\Delta_- = \nabla u_O \cdot (\mathbf{r}_{v_i} - \mathbf{r}_O)$ .

- .  $\varepsilon$  is determined by reflecting local flow physics

- In nearly uniform regions,  $\varepsilon$  is large enough to prevent unnecessary operation of the limiter.

- In fluctuating regions,  $\varepsilon$  is smaller than local flow variation to activate the limiter.

$$\varepsilon_{\text{MLP-u2}}^2 = \frac{K_1}{1+r} (\Delta u_{v_i})^2 \text{ with } r = \frac{\Delta u_{v_i}}{K_2 (\Delta x)^{1.5}}, \Delta u_{v_i} = u_{v_i}^{\max} - u_{v_i}^{\min}, \text{ and } K_1 = K_2 = 5.0$$

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- **Determination of MLP-u slope limiters on unstructured meshes (cont'd)**
  - (S4) Determine the limited slope within the cell  $T_o$  to satisfy the local maximum principle.

$$L[u_o(\mathbf{r})] = u_o + \phi_{\text{MLP},T_o} \nabla u_o \cdot (\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}_o) \quad \text{with} \quad \phi_{\text{MLP},T_o} = \min_{\forall v_i \in T_o} \phi_{\text{MLP},v_i}$$

- **Stability of MLP schemes**
  - $l_\infty$  stability by the local maximum principle

For multi-dimensional nonlinear scalar conservation law of  $\partial u / \partial t + \partial f(u) / \partial x + \partial g(u) / \partial y = 0$ , a fully discrete scheme using the MLP limiters for *linear reconstruction* over  $T_o$  satisfies the local maximum principle under a suitable CFL condition.

$$\text{If } u_{\text{neighbor}}^{\min,n} \leq u_{T_o}^n \leq u_{\text{neighbor}}^{\max,n}, \text{ then } u_{\text{neighbor}}^{\min,n} \leq u_{T_o}^{n+1} \leq u_{\text{neighbor}}^{\max,n}$$

-  $u_{\text{neighbor}}^{\min/\max,n}$  is the minimum/maximum cell-averaged value over the MLP stencil,  $S_{T_j}$ , given by

$$S_{T_j} = \left\{ T_k \mid v_i \in T_k \text{ for any } v_i \in T_j \right\}.$$

-  $\phi_{\text{MLP}}$  is less diffusive than conventional limiters on regular triangular/tetrahedral meshes.

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- **Performances of MLP**

- Ex1: 2-D linear wave equation on triangular meshes

$$u_t + \mathbf{a} \cdot \nabla u = 0, \quad \mathbf{a} = (1, 2)$$

with

i) smooth IC:

$$u_0(x, y) = \sin(2\pi x) \sin(2\pi y)$$

ii) discontinuous IC:

$$u_0(x, y) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } -0.5 \leq x, y \leq 0.5 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

At  $t = 1.0$

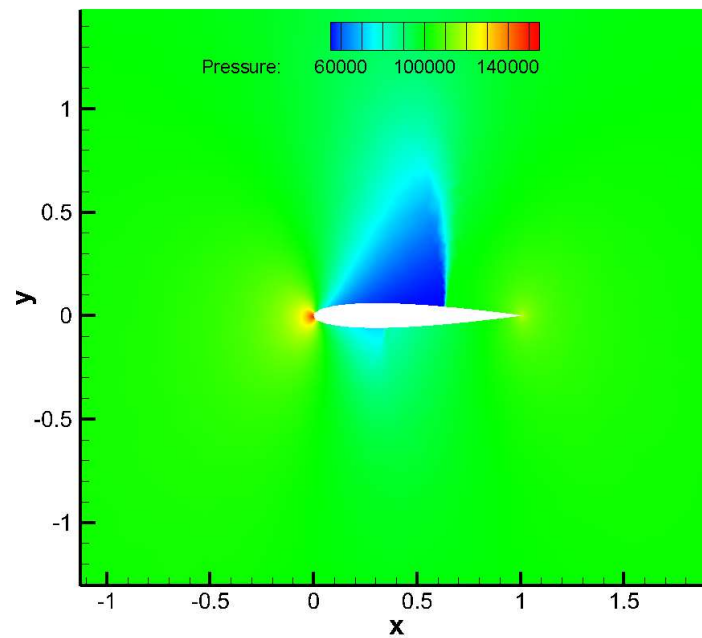
Scheme	Grid	$L_\infty$	Order	$L_1$	Order
Barth's Limiter	20x20x2	4.0857E-01	-	1.8795E-01	-
	40x40x2	2.3275E-01	0.81	1.1570E-01	0.70
	80x80x2	1.3716E-01	0.76	6.6048E-02	0.81
	160x160x2	7.7957E-2	0.81	3.6023E-02	0.87
MLP-u1	20x20x2	1.7544E-01		3.3721E-02	
	40x40x2	6.6036E-02	1.41	6.5248E-03	2.37
	80x80x2	2.3412E-02	1.50	1.2439E-03	2.39
	160x160x2	8.0831E-03	1.53	2.5402E-04	2.29
MLP-u2	20x20x2	2.5789E-01		7.0173E-02	
	40x40x2	1.0727E-01	1.27	1.6780E-02	2.06
	80x80x2	4.3619E-02	1.30	4.1919E-03	2.00
	160x160x2	1.7198E-02	1.34	4.1919E-03	2.11
Unlimited	20x20x2	3.2729E-02		1.7253E-02	
	40x40x2	6.5138E-03	2.33	3.4741E-03	2.31
	80x80x2	1.4691E-03	2.15	8.0518E-04	2.11
	160x160x2	3.5323E-04	2.06	1.9720E-04	2.03



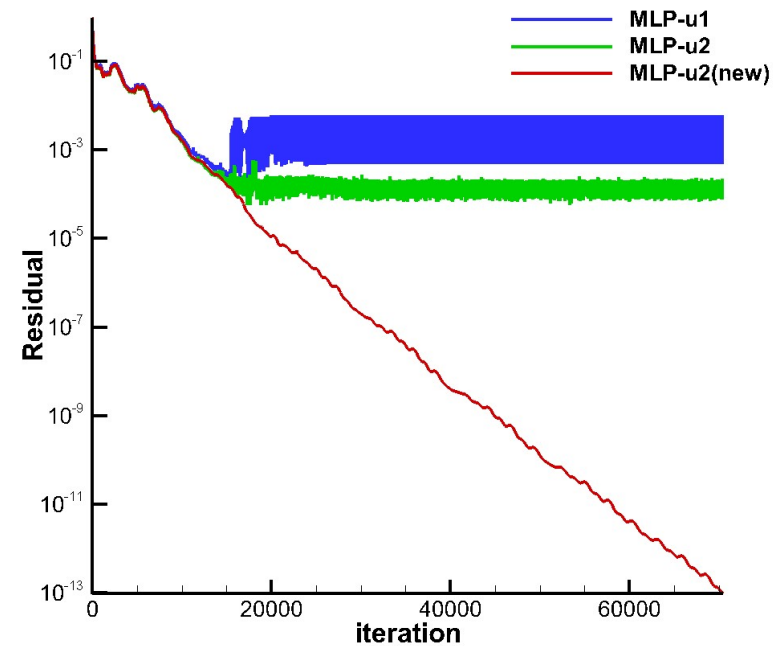
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- **Performances of MLP**

- Ex2: 2-D steady Euler equations
  - Inviscid transonic flow over NACA0012 airfoil
  - Freestream Mach number = 0.8, angle of attack =  $1.25^\circ$
  - RoeM numerical flux with LU-SGS implicit time integration
  - 24,041 triangular elements



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