

Generalization of Arakawa's Jacobian

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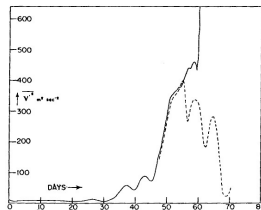
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Introduction

- Phillips (1956) observed a non-linear computational instability
- The instability was unaffected by a reduction in the time step
- The magnitude of the solution values did not simply grow exponentially but instead remained relatively small and nearly constant before exploding into astronomical values
- ALIASING: non-linear problems would need an infinite spectrum but in discrete problems the spectrum is finite \rightarrow the grid system incorrectly interprets wave lengths shorter than about 2 grid intervals as long waves
- In order to absorb the falsely generated energy, Phillips proposed the use of a smoothing process



Arakawa's idea

- In order to overcome the nonlinear numerical instability:
 - Use of a higher order method to reduce errors due to subscale processes
 - Use of energy-entropy conserving numerical methods (Arakawa, 1966)
- Discrete system which is physically analogous to the continuous system
- $\frac{dK}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt} \sum_n K_n$, $K_n = \frac{1}{2} \overline{(\nabla \psi_n)^2}$
(conservation on mean kinetic energy)
- $\frac{dV}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt} \sum_n V_n$, $K_n = \frac{1}{2} \overline{(\nabla^2 \psi_n)^2} = k_n^2 K_n$
(conservation on mean square vorticity)
 - Conservation of the average wave number, k , defined by $k^2 = \frac{\sum_n k_n^2 K_n}{\sum_n K_n}$
 - no systematic one-way cascade of energy into shorter waves can occur in two-dimensional incompressible flow

The vorticity equation

We consider the vorticity equation for two-dimensional incompressible flow:

$$\begin{cases} \nabla \cdot \mathbf{v} = 0 \\ \zeta_t + \mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla \zeta = 0 \\ \zeta = \mathbf{k} \cdot \nabla \times \mathbf{v} \end{cases}$$

The continuity equation implies:

$$\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{k} \times \nabla \psi \rightarrow \zeta = \nabla^2 \psi$$

We introduce the Jacobian operator $J(a, b) = \frac{\partial a}{\partial x} \frac{\partial b}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial a}{\partial y} \frac{\partial b}{\partial x}$, and we read again: $\frac{\partial \zeta}{\partial t} = J(\zeta, \psi)$.

Conserved quantities*:

- mean kinetic energy $E = \frac{1}{2} \overline{v^2} = \frac{1}{2} \overline{(\nabla \psi)^2} = \frac{1}{2} \overline{(\nabla \psi) \cdot (\nabla \psi)} = -\frac{\overline{\psi \zeta}}{2}$,
- mean square vorticity $G = \frac{\overline{\zeta^2}}{2}$

To see the conservation of energy we recall the laplacian property $\overline{f(\nabla^2 g)} = \overline{g(\nabla^2 f)}$; we get:

$$\overline{\left(\frac{\partial E}{\partial t}\right)} = \frac{\overline{(-\psi \zeta_t - \zeta \psi_t)}}{2} = \frac{\overline{[\psi J(\psi, \zeta) + \zeta \nabla^{-2} J(\psi, \zeta)]}}{2} = \frac{\overline{[\psi J(\psi, \zeta) + \nabla^{-2} \zeta J(\psi, \zeta)]}}{2} = \overline{\psi J(\psi, \zeta)} = 0$$

And for the conservation of enstrophy:

$$\overline{\left(\frac{\partial G}{\partial t}\right)} = \overline{\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left(\frac{\zeta^2}{2}\right)\right)} = \overline{\left(\zeta \frac{\partial \zeta}{\partial t}\right)} = \overline{(-\zeta J(\psi, \zeta))} = 0$$

$$*\bar{f} = \frac{1}{|\Omega|} \int_{\Omega} f dx dy, \Omega \text{ bi-periodic domain}$$

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- ① $(J_1)_{i,j} = \frac{1}{4d^2} [(\zeta_{i+1,j} - \zeta_{i-1,j})(\psi_{i,j+1} - \psi_{i,j-1}) - (\zeta_{i,j+1} - \zeta_{i,j-1})(\psi_{i+1,j} - \psi_{i-1,j})]$
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$$J_{Arakawa} = \frac{1}{3}(J_1 + J_2 + J_3)$$

The main idea

• Algebraic Construction

We consider a general finite differences discretization of a general operator which uses a 9×9 grid

$$\begin{aligned}
 J(\psi, \zeta) = & (A_1\psi_{i+1,j+1} + A_2\psi_{i+1,j} + A_3\psi_{i+1,j-1} + A_4\psi_{i,j+1} + A_5\psi_{i,j} + A_6\psi_{i,j-1} \\
 & + A_7\psi_{i-1,j+1} + A_8\psi_{i-1,j} + A_9\psi_{i-1,j-1}) \cdot (A'_1\zeta_{i+1,j+1} + A'_2\zeta_{i+1,j} + A'_3\zeta_{i+1,j-1} \\
 & + A'_4\zeta_{i,j+1} + A'_5\zeta_{i,j} + A'_6\zeta_{i,j-1} + A'_7\zeta_{i-1,j+1} + A'_8\zeta_{i-1,j} + A'_9\zeta_{i-1,j-1}).
 \end{aligned}$$

Requirements:

- (a) Skew-symmetric property
- (b) Conservation of energy
- (c) Conservation of enstrophy
- (d) Consistency (order two)

The linear system

We can see this non linear problem as a linear problem with 81 unknowns:

$B_1 = A_1 A'_1, B_2 = A_1 A'_2, \dots$, then we read the general Jacobian as:

$$\sigma_i J_i(\zeta, \psi) = \sum_{i'} \sum_{i''} c_{i,i',i''} \zeta_{i+i'} \psi_{i+i''} \quad (1)$$

It is useful to read again the Jacobian as:

$$\sigma_i J_i(\zeta, \psi) = \sum_{i'} a_{i,i+i'} \zeta_{i+i'}, \quad \text{where } a_{i,i+i'} = \sum_{i''} c_{i,i',i''} \psi_{i+i''} \quad (2)$$

or

$$\sigma_i J_i(\zeta, \psi) = \sum_{i''} b_{i,i+i''} \psi_{i+i''} \quad \text{where } b_{i,i+i''} = \sum_{i'} c_{i,i',i''} \zeta_{i+i'} \quad (3)$$

in order to translate the properties of the analytic Jacobian in terms of properties of the numerical scheme for the 81 coefficients \rightarrow

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(a) to obtain the skew-symmetric property, $J(\zeta, \psi) = -J(\psi, \zeta)$:

$$\sum_{i'} \sum_{i''} c_{i,i',i''} \zeta_{i+i'} \psi_{i+i''} = - \sum_{i'} \sum_{i''} c_{i,i',i''} \zeta_{i+i''} \psi_{i+i'} \Rightarrow c_{i,i',i''} = -c_{i,i'',i'}$$

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- (d) to obtain consistency, using Taylor expansions with the help of a symbolic manipulator, we nullify any equation proportional to dx^0 , dx^1 , dx^3 , and we save only the contribution proportional to dx^2 of the Jacobian, meaning $(\frac{\partial \zeta}{\partial x} \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial y})$ and $(\frac{\partial \zeta}{\partial y} \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x})$.

The General Scheme

By imposing the conditions a. b. c. d. we obtain a matrix of rank 80, corresponding to ∞^1 solutions. We proved the following theorem:

Theorem: Non-uniqueness of Arakawa's Jacobian

There exists a whole set of solutions for the numerical Jacobian which satisfy conservation of energy, conservation of enstrophy and skew-symmetric property; this set depends on one parameter (when the parameter is zero, we recover Arakawa's solution).

$$J_b(\zeta, \psi) = \vec{\psi}^T B \vec{\zeta}$$

where

$$B =$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -(b-1) & 0 & (b-1) & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ (b-1) & 0 & (b+1) & -(b+1) & 0 & -(b-1) & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -(b+1) & 0 & 0 & 0 & b+1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -(b-1) & (b+1) & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -(b+1) & (b-1) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & (b-1) & -(b+1) & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & (b+1) & -(b-1) \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & b+1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -(b+1) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -(b-1) & 0 & -(b+1) & b+1 & 0 & (b-1) \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & (b-1) & 0 & -(b-1) & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Conservative form of the general scheme

We look now for the conservative formulation of the scheme:

$$J(\zeta, \psi) = -\nabla \cdot (\bar{u}\zeta)$$

In order to define the flux on a unique control volume, we need to define the following quantities:

$$\bar{a}_{i,j+1/2}^{b_x} = \frac{1}{2} [(1-b)a_{i+1/2,j+1/2} + (1+b)a_{i-1/2,j+1/2}]$$

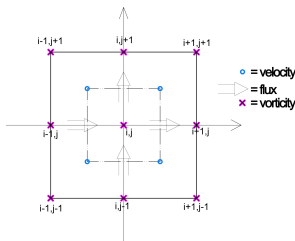
$$(u_b)_{i+1/2,j+1/2} = -\frac{1}{d} \left[\frac{(1-b)\psi_{i+1,j+1} + (1+b)\psi_{i,j+1}}{2} - \frac{(1-b)\psi_{i+1,j} + (1+b)\psi_{i,j}}{2} \right]$$

$$(v_b)_{i+1/2,j+1/2} = \frac{1}{d} \left[\frac{(1-b)\psi_{i+1,j+1} + (1+b)\psi_{i+1,j}}{2} - \frac{(1-b)\psi_{i,j+1} + (1+b)\psi_{i,j}}{2} \right]$$

The flux is then uniquely defined as $[\widehat{u\zeta}^{x,y,b}] = 2\gamma \overline{u_b^y} \zeta^x + \overline{\overline{u^x} \zeta^b}$, where $\gamma = 1/3$.

We obtain then the new general scheme on a unique control volume in a conservative form. Moreover it turns out that the parameter b acts as a *weight*. When the parameter is zero, we can read Arakawa's Jacobian in a new conservative form.

$$\nabla \cdot (\bar{u}\zeta) = [u\zeta]_x + [v\zeta]_y = [\widehat{u\zeta}^{x,y,b}]_{i-1/2,j}^{i+1/2,j} + [\widehat{v\zeta}^{y,x,b}]_{i,j-1/2}^{i,j+1/2}$$



Accuracy of the scheme

$$T(J_b) = \psi_y \zeta_x - \psi_x \zeta_y$$

$$+ \frac{dx^2}{6} (\psi_y \zeta_{xxx} - \psi_x \zeta_{xxy} - \psi_{xx} \zeta_{xy} + \psi_{xy} \zeta_{xx} - \psi_{xxx} \zeta_y + \psi_{xxy} \zeta_x - \psi_x \zeta_{yyy}$$

$$+ \psi_y \zeta_{yyx} - \psi_{xy} \zeta_{yy} + \psi_{yy} \zeta_{xy} - \psi_{yyx} \zeta_y + \psi_{yyy} \zeta_x$$

$$+ \frac{b}{2} (2\psi_x \zeta_{yyx} - 2\psi_y \zeta_{xxy} + \psi_{xx} \zeta_{yy} - \psi_{yy} \zeta_{xx} + 2\psi_{xxy} \zeta_y - 2\psi_{yyx} \zeta_x))$$

$$+ \frac{dx^4}{72} (\psi_{xy} \zeta_{xxxx} - 2\psi_{xx} \zeta_{xxy} - 2\psi_{xxx} \zeta_{xy} + 2\psi_{xxy} \zeta_{xxx} - \psi_{xxx} \zeta_{xy} + 2\psi_{xxy} \zeta_{xx}$$

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$$+ \frac{b}{2} (6\psi_{xx} \zeta_{xxy} - \psi_{yy} \zeta_{xxx} + 4\psi_{xxx} \zeta_{yyx} - 4\psi_{yyx} \zeta_{xxx} + \psi_{xxx} \zeta_{yy} - 6\psi_{xxy} \zeta_{xx}$$

$$+ \psi_{xx} \zeta_{yyy} - 6\psi_{yy} \zeta_{xxy} + 4\psi_{xxy} \zeta_{yy} - 4\psi_{yyy} \zeta_{xxy} + 6\psi_{xxy} \zeta_{yy} - \psi_{yyy} \zeta_{xx})) + O(dx^6)$$

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 \end{aligned}$$

→ a possible choice of b is the one that nullify the error proportional to dx^2

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$$\psi(x, y) = -Uy + Vx$$

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with U , V , $\bar{\zeta}$ all constants. We get the analytic Jacobian:

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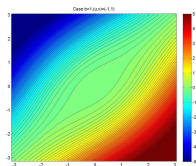
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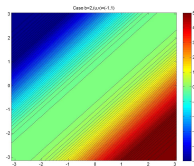
- $b = \pm 1$ and $u = \pm v$

$$J_{\pm 1}(\zeta, \psi) = i \frac{\zeta(x, y)}{3dx} v [-3\sin(\beta) - 3\sin(\alpha)]$$

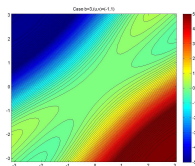
An example: the case $(U, V) = (-1, 1)$



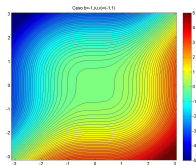
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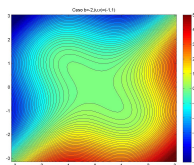
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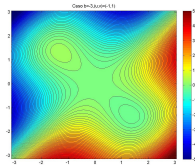
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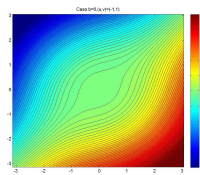
b=-1



b=-2



b=-3



b=0

How to fix the CFL condition with the free parameter

Let $R = \frac{u}{v}$, by the previous analysis on the mwn, we can estimate:

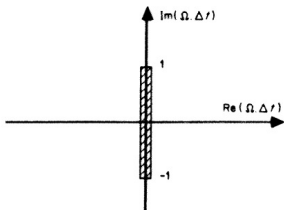
$$\begin{aligned}
 |\Omega| &\leq \left| \frac{v}{3dx} \right| [2 + 1 + |R|(2 + 1) + |b|(1 + 1 + |R|(1 + 1))] \\
 &= \left| \frac{v}{3dx} \right| [3 + 3|R| + |b|(2 + 2|R|)] \\
 &= \left| \frac{v}{3dx} \right| [(3 + 2|b|)(1 + |R|)]
 \end{aligned} \tag{4}$$

In order to get stability for the leap-frog scheme, we require:

$$\Delta t \leq \frac{3dx}{\max|v|} [(3 + 2|b|)(1 + |R|)]^{-1} \tag{5}$$

in the case $b=0$ (Arakawa) we get the classical CFL condition:

$$\Delta t \leq \frac{dx}{\max|v| + \max|u|} \tag{6}$$



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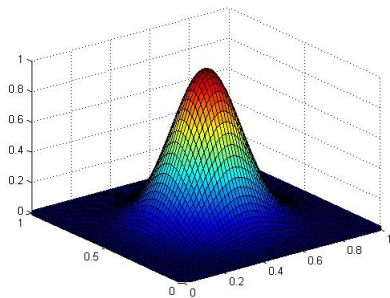
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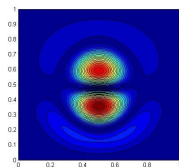
Time discretization at time N:

- if $N=1$: Eulero scheme
- if $(N > 1 \text{ .AND. } \text{mod}(N,10)=0)$:
Matzuno scheme
- else: Leap-Frog scheme

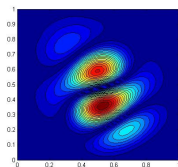


Results: $(u, v) = (1, 0)$

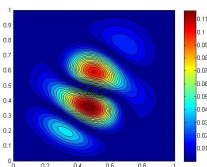
b	T	N	CFL	L^∞	L^1	L^2
0	5	64	0.5	1.2173 e-001	4.2880 e-002	2.5707 e-002
1	5	64	0.5	1.2261 e-001	4.2684 e-002	2.6346 e-002
-1	5	64	0.5	1.2261 e-001	4.2684 e-002	2.6346 e-002



b=0



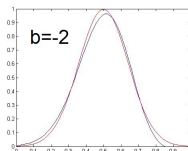
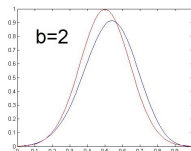
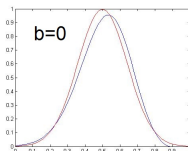
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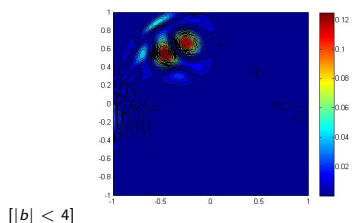
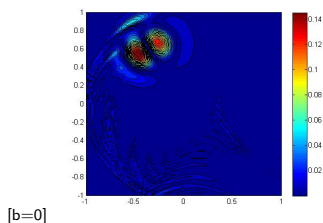
Results: $(u, v) = (-1, 1)$

b	T	N	CFL	L^∞	L^1	L^2
-3	5	64	0.5	1.0775 e-001	4.0348 e-002	3.0349 e-002
-2	5	64	0.5	1.0267 e-001	3.8392 e-002	2.5415 e-002
-1	5	64	0.5	1.3730 e-001	4.0045 e-002	2.7721 e-002
0	5	64	0.5	1.8564 e-001	4.6229 e-002	3.4902 e-002
1	5	64	0.5	2.2337 e-001	5.8602 e-002	4.3846 e-002
2	5	64	0.5	2.4628 e-001	7.1161 e-002	5.2478 e-002
3	5	64	0.5	2.5960 e-001	8.2244 e-002	6.1007 e-002



Results: $(u, v) = (-\omega y, \omega x)$

b	T	Δt	N	L^∞	L^1	L^2
0	5	1.0101e-002	100	1.5263e-001	5.0805e-002	3.0419e-002
0	5	6.0000e-003	100	1.6813e-001	5.4615e-002	3.3490e-002
$b = \frac{u^2+v^2}{2uv}, b \leq 1$	5	6.0606e-003	100	1.3879e-001	4.4813e-002	2.7747e-002
$b = \frac{u^2+v^2}{2uv}, b \leq 2$	5	4.3290e-003	100	1.3245e-001	4.1187e-002	2.6672e-002
$b = \frac{u^2+v^2}{2uv}, b \leq 3$	5	3.3670e-003	100	1.3139e-001	4.1407e-002	2.6526e-002
$b = \frac{u^2+v^2}{2uv}, b \leq 4$	5	2.7548e-003	100	1.3106e-001	4.0865e-002	2.6511e-002
$b = \frac{u^2+v^2}{2uv}, b \leq 5$	5	2.3310e-003	100	1.3090e-001	4.0712e-002	2.6554e-002
$b = \frac{u^2+v^2}{2uv}, b \leq 6$	5	2.0202e-003	100	1.3079e-001	4.0657e-002	2.6608e-002



The Rankine model

The Rankine vortex model is a circular flow in which an inner circular region about the origin is in solid rotation, while the outer region is free of vorticity. Its definition is natural in a cylindrical coordinate system $(r; \theta; z)$:

$$\begin{cases} v_r = 0 \\ v_\theta = \begin{cases} V_R \frac{r}{R} & \text{if } 0 \leq r < R \\ V_R \frac{R}{r} & \text{if } R \leq r \end{cases} \\ v_z = 0 \end{cases} \quad \zeta = \nabla \times \vec{v} = \hat{k} \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial(rv_\theta)}{\partial r} = \hat{k} \left(\frac{v_\theta}{r} + \frac{\partial v_\theta}{\partial r} \right) \\ = \begin{cases} 2 \frac{V_R}{R} & \text{if } 0 \leq r < R \\ 0 & \text{if } R \leq r \end{cases}$$

It is worth to note that the Rankine vortex is characterized by a continuous velocity field, but with a discontinuity in vorticity at the characteristic distance, and it is well known that this will cause problems in numerical simulations.

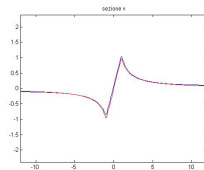
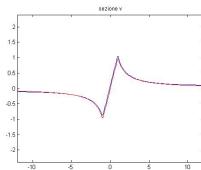
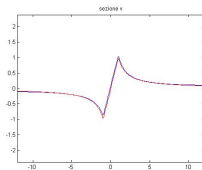
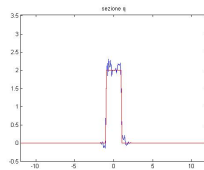
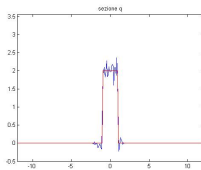
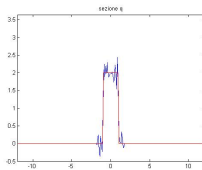
Results

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \zeta_t = J(\zeta(\vec{x}, t), \psi(\vec{x}, t)) \\ \zeta = \Delta\psi \\ \text{(solved by Gauss-Seidel algorithm via Multi-Grid method)} \\ \zeta(\vec{x}, 0) = \zeta_0(\vec{x}) \\ \zeta(\vec{x}, t) = 0 \quad \text{if } \vec{x} \in \partial D \\ \psi(\vec{x}, t) = B(\vec{x}, t) \quad \text{if } \vec{x} \in \partial D \\ \text{-constant velocity at the boundary-} \end{array} \right.$$

- CFL=1
- Domain: [-12,12]x[-12,12]
- Nodes NxN=257x257
- Multigrid Levels LL=3
- T=3

Test n°	B	L^∞	L^1	L^2
1a	0	9.9394e-001	8.4248e-001	5.5692e-001
1b	1	1.0726e+000	8.4771e+001	5.7087e-001
1c	-1	1.0728e-000	8.9904e-001	5.7087e-001
1d	2	1.0198e-000	8.8891e-001	5.9787e-001
1e	-2	1.0200-000	9.6736e-001	5.9788e-001
1f	average, $ b < 1$	1.2594e+000	1.0919e+000	6.5639e-001
1g	-average, $ b < 1$	8.6986e-001	7.4244e-001	4.8888e-001

Results



Concluding remarks

- General finite differences discretization of a general operator which uses a 9×9 grid nodes
- Forcing the scheme to:
 - be skew-symmetric
 - conserve energy
 - conserve enstrophy
 - be consistent at order two

we obtain a **scheme with one free parameter**. With the parameter $b=0$ we recover Arakawa's solution.

- 1 b as weight for calculating derivatives (meaning velocities)
 - 2 Study of the parameter in terms of dispersion error
 - Truncation error
 - Modified Wave Number
- Reformulation in terms of Lax-Wendroff incoming and outgoing fluxes
→ **New Standard Conservative formulation** of Arakawa's Jacobian and of the general scheme

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Next steps

- Extension to different hydro-dynamic systems
- Non-linear criterion to choose effectively the best parameter
- Higher order generalized scheme
- Application to a quasi-geostrophic system (joint work with ENEA)

Thank you for your attention.