
Numerical Partial Differential Equations

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- **page 222, exercise #7:** The Fromm slope should have a minus (not a plus):

with $a > 0$. Using the REA algorithm (see Algorithm 6.1), consider the Fromm slope

$$\delta_{k,\ell} = \frac{1}{2}(u_{k+1,\ell} - u_{k-1,\ell}).$$

- **page 401, last paragraph:** The notation here is inconsistent, introducing $\phi_{q,k}(x)$, which later becomes $\phi_{k,q}(x)$. The latter notation is more consistent:

For $v(x) \in \mathcal{V}^{h_x}$, the restriction to each element, $v_k(x)$, is a polynomial of degree at most p . Here, we consider a *nodal* representation of the polynomial, writing $v_k(x)$ in element Ω_k in terms of a nodal basis, $\{\phi_{k,q}(x)\}_{q=0}^p$, where the basis functions, $\phi_{k,q}(x)$, satisfy $\phi_{k,q}(x_{k,j}) = \delta_{q,j}$ at the $p+1$ interpolation points, $x_{k,0}, \dots, x_{k,p}$, in element Ω_k , as shown in Figure 9.5.2. The nodal basis functions $\phi_{k,q}(x)$ are given by the Lagrange polynomials.

- **page 402, line 9:** Missing $\hat{}$ on ϕ_q :

the nodes $x_{k,q} \in \Omega_k$, $\phi_{k,q}(x)$, are related as $\phi_{k,q}(F_k(\hat{x})) = \hat{\phi}_q(\hat{x})$.

- **page 402, two lines after (9.157):** The function u^{h_x} should just be u :

equivalent, since we use the parts of u and v that are restricted to Ω_k , and are,...

- **page 404, eqn. (9.165):** The function z should depend on \mathbf{u}_{k-1} and \mathbf{u}_{k+1} in addition to \mathbf{u}_k :

$$\begin{aligned} M \frac{d\mathbf{u}_k}{dt} &= \frac{2}{h_x} (K \mathbf{f}_k(\mathbf{u}_k) + f^*(u_{k-1,p}, u_{k,0}) \delta_0 - f^*(u_{k,p}, u_{k+1,0}) \delta_p), \\ &=: -z(\mathbf{u}_{k-1}, \mathbf{u}_k, \mathbf{u}_{k+1}), \end{aligned}$$

- **page 410, eqn. (9.187):** The sign on the exponent should be positive, not negative:

$$\tilde{f}_{q,q} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{for } q < p_{\text{cutoff}}, \\ e^{\alpha \left(\frac{q+1-p_{\text{cutoff}}}{p+1-p_{\text{cutoff}}} \right)^{2s}} & \text{for } q \geq p_{\text{cutoff}}, \end{cases}$$

- **page 563, ref. [2]:** The term “editors” should be removed from the citation:

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