

Combining Runge-Kutta discontinuous Galerkin methods with various limiting methods

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Overview

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 - Constructing a DG-FEM scheme for the linear advection equation
 - Example results
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 - Explicit TVD-Runge-Kutta (TVD-ERK) schemes
 - Implicit time discretisation
 - Implicit Runge-Kutta (IRK) schemes
- Limiting-Methods
 - Slope-Limiter
 - Moment-Limiter
 - Limiting IRK schemes



DG-FEM Scheme

How to construct a discontinuous Galerkin finite element (DG-FEM) scheme?

Linear Advection Equation

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Residual

$$\frac{\partial f_i}{\partial t} + a \frac{\partial f_i}{\partial x} = \xi_i(x, t) \quad (2)$$

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orthogonal test functions $\nu(x)$

$$\int_{x_{i-\frac{1}{2}}}^{x_{i+\frac{1}{2}}} \nu \left(\frac{\partial f_i}{\partial t} + a \frac{\partial f_i}{\partial x} \right) dx = 0 \quad (2)$$

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integration by parts

$$\int_{x_{i-\frac{1}{2}}}^{x_{i+\frac{1}{2}}} \left(\nu(x) \frac{\partial f_i(x)}{\partial t} - a \frac{\partial \nu(x)}{\partial x} f_i(x) \right) dx = - \left[\nu(x) a f_i(x) \right]_{x_{i-\frac{1}{2}}}^{x_{i+\frac{1}{2}}} \quad (2)$$

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Galerkin's Approach

test and base functions from same class

$$\nu(x), f_i(x) \in V^p(x_{i-\frac{1}{2}}, x_{i+\frac{1}{2}})$$

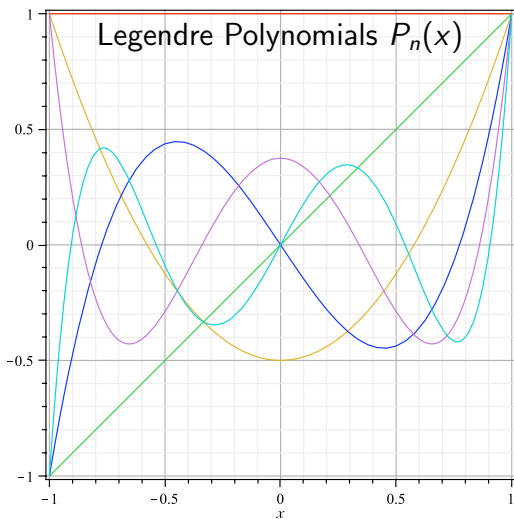
Linear

integrate

$$\int_{x_{i-\frac{1}{2}}}^{x_{i+\frac{1}{2}}}$$

Galerkin

test an



(1)

$$\int_{x_{i-\frac{1}{2}}}^{x_{i+\frac{1}{2}}}$$

(2)

$$v(x), f_i(x) \in V^p(x_{i-\frac{1}{2}}, x_{i+\frac{1}{2}})$$

Integrated Residual

$$\int_{x_{i-\frac{1}{2}}}^{x_{i+\frac{1}{2}}} \left(\nu(x) \frac{\partial f_i(x)}{\partial t} - a \frac{\partial \nu(x)}{\partial x} f_i(x) \right) dx = - \left[\nu(x) a f_i(x) \right]_{x_{i-\frac{1}{2}}}^{x_{i+\frac{1}{2}}} \quad (3)$$

Use Polynomials

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{m=0}^p \left\{ \left(\int_{-1}^{+1} P_n(\tilde{x}) P_m(\tilde{x}) \frac{dx}{d\tilde{x}} d\tilde{x} \right) \frac{d\vec{u}_{i,m}}{dt} \right\} \\ & + a \sum_{m=0}^p \left\{ \left(\int_{-1}^{+1} P_n(\tilde{x}) \frac{d}{dx} P_m(\tilde{x}) \frac{dx}{d\tilde{x}} d\tilde{x} \right) \vec{u}_{i,m} \right\} \quad (4) \\ & = a P_n(-1) \sum_{m=0}^p P_m(1) u_{i-1,m} - a P_n(-1) \sum_{m=0}^p P_m(-1) u_{i,m} \end{aligned}$$

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Matrices of DG-FEM

$$\mathcal{M}_{nm} := \frac{dx}{d\tilde{x}} \int_{-1}^{+1} P_n(\tilde{x}) P_m(\tilde{x}) d\tilde{x} \quad (4)$$

$$\mathcal{D}_{nm} := \frac{dx}{d\tilde{x}} \int_{-1}^{+1} P_n(\tilde{x}) \frac{d}{dx} P_m(\tilde{x}) d\tilde{x} \quad (5)$$



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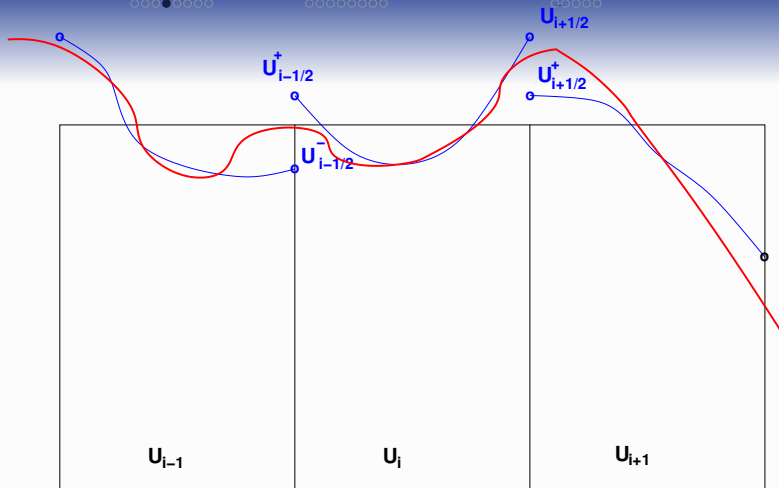
$$\mathcal{D}_{nm} := \frac{dx}{d\tilde{x}} \int_{-1}^{+1} P_n(\tilde{x}) \frac{d}{d\tilde{x}} P_m(\tilde{x}) d\tilde{x} \quad (7)$$

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Linear Advection Equation discretised with DG-FEM

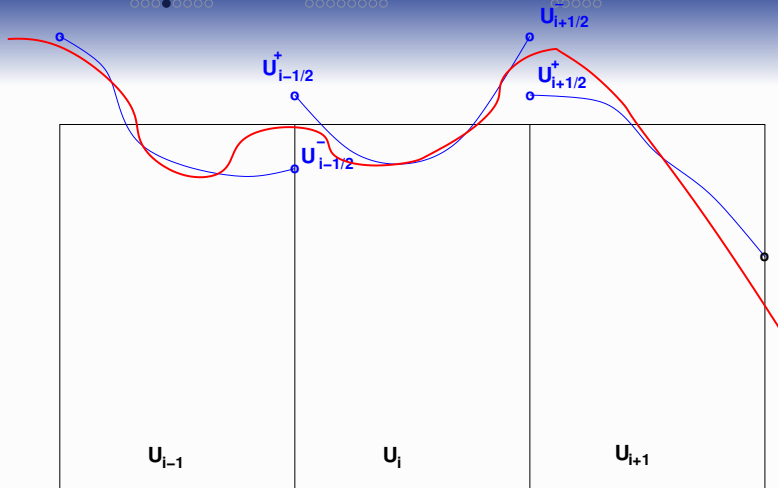
$$\mathcal{M} \frac{d\vec{u}_i}{dt} = -a [\mathcal{D}\vec{u}_i - (\mathcal{F}^+ \vec{u}_{i-1} - \mathcal{F}^- \vec{u}_i)] \quad (10)$$



Linear Advection Equation

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} f(x, t) + a \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f(x, t) = 0 \quad (11)$$



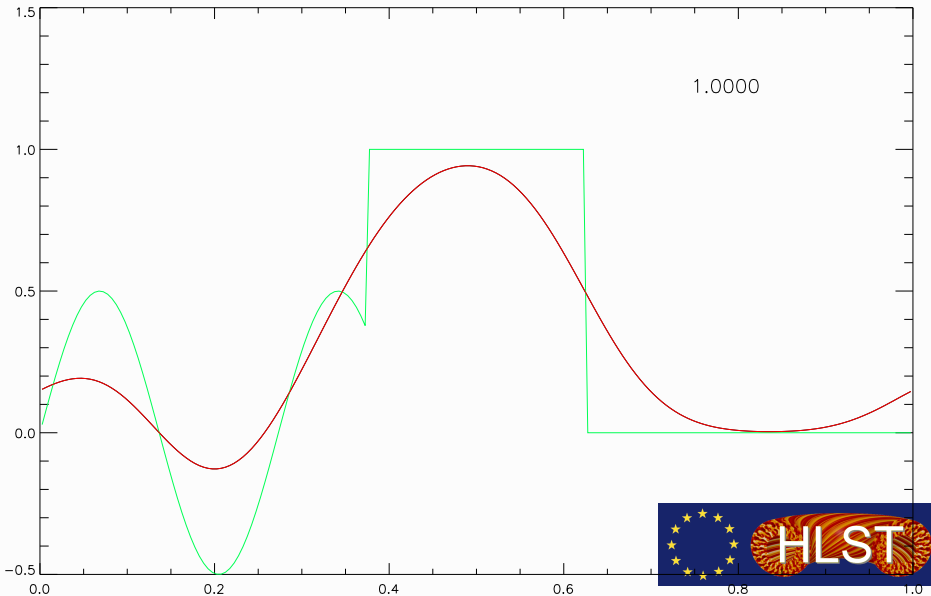


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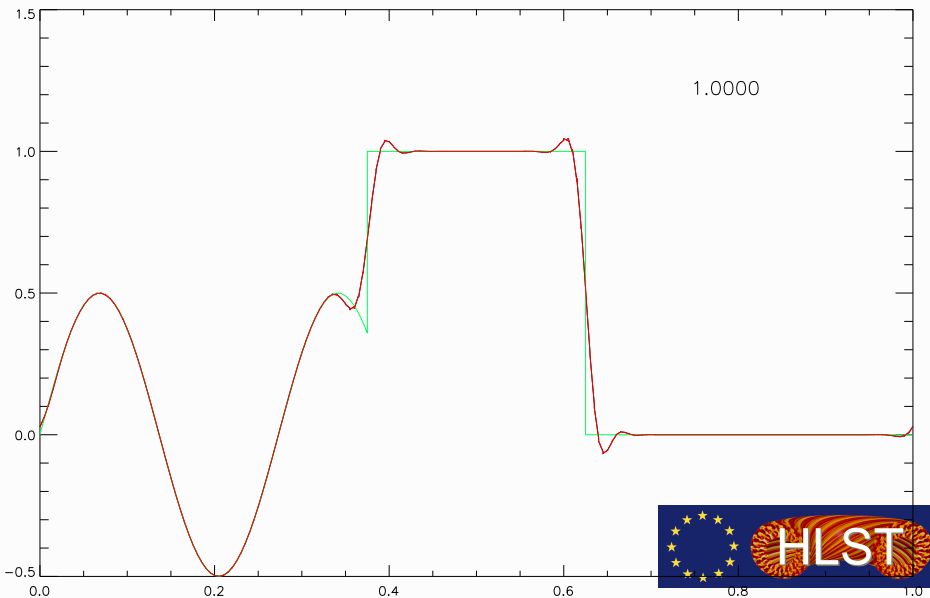


DG-FEM: $p = 0$, $cfl = 0.1$



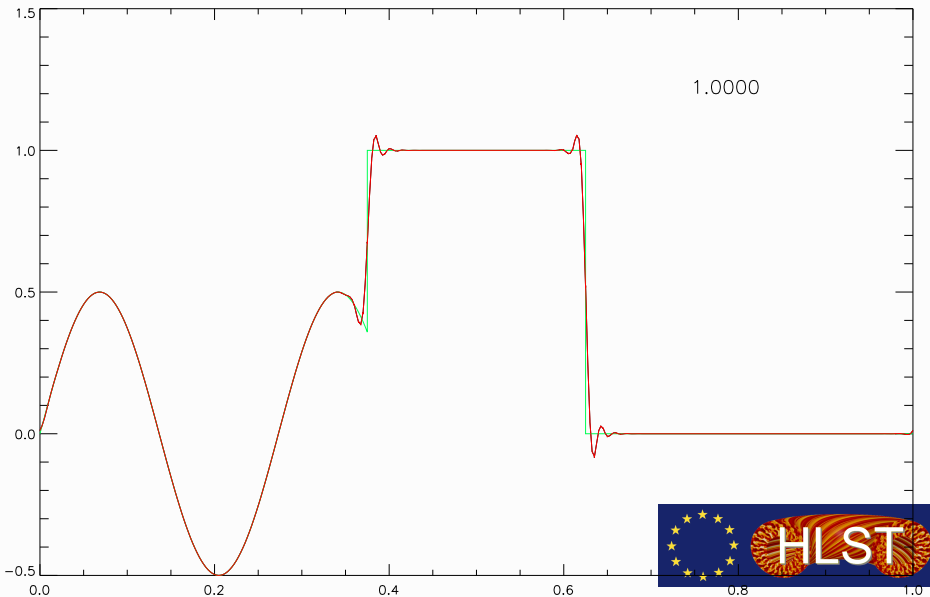


DG-FEM: $p = 1$, $cfl = 0.1$



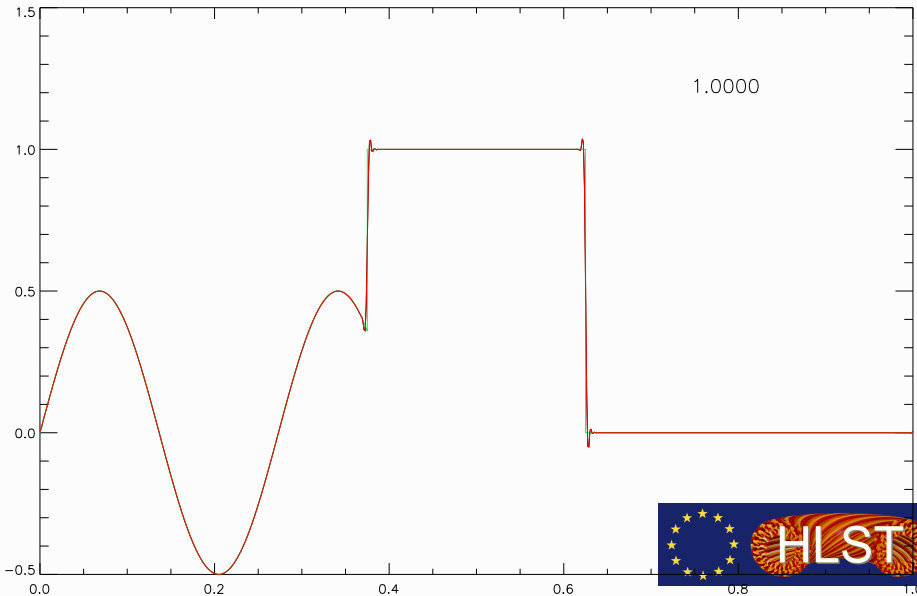


DG-FEM: $p = 2$, $cfl = 0.1$

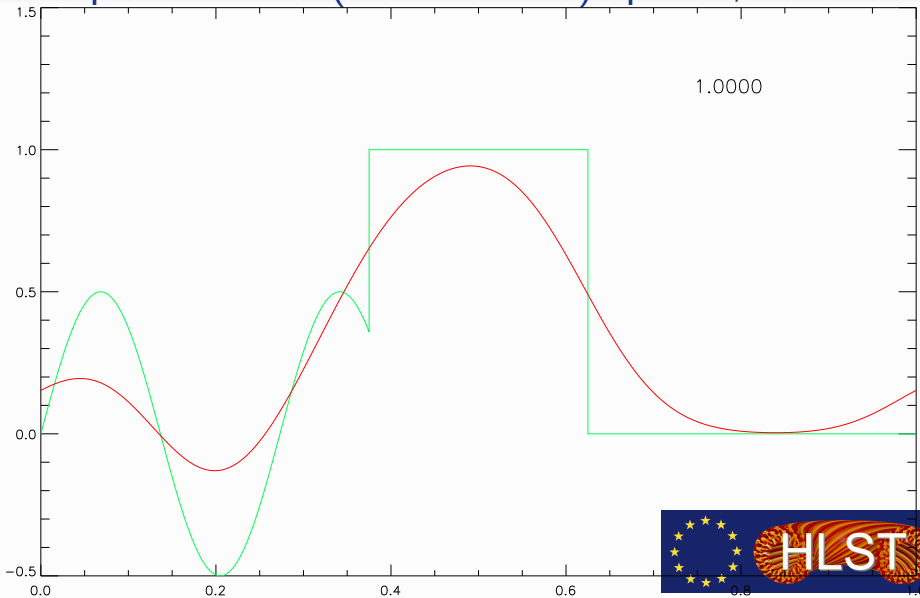




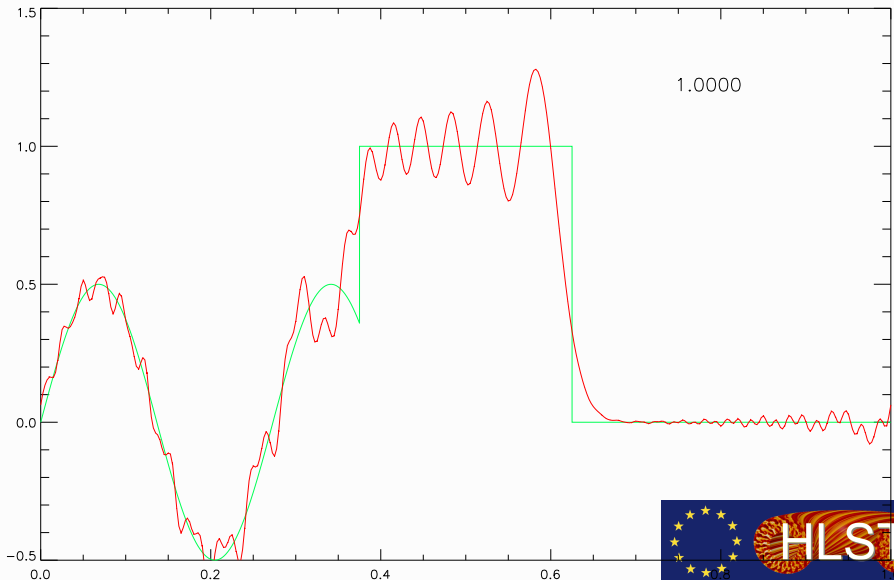
DG-FEM: $p = 6$, $cfl = 0.05$



impl. DG-FEM (Euler backw.): $p = 2$, $cfl = 1$.

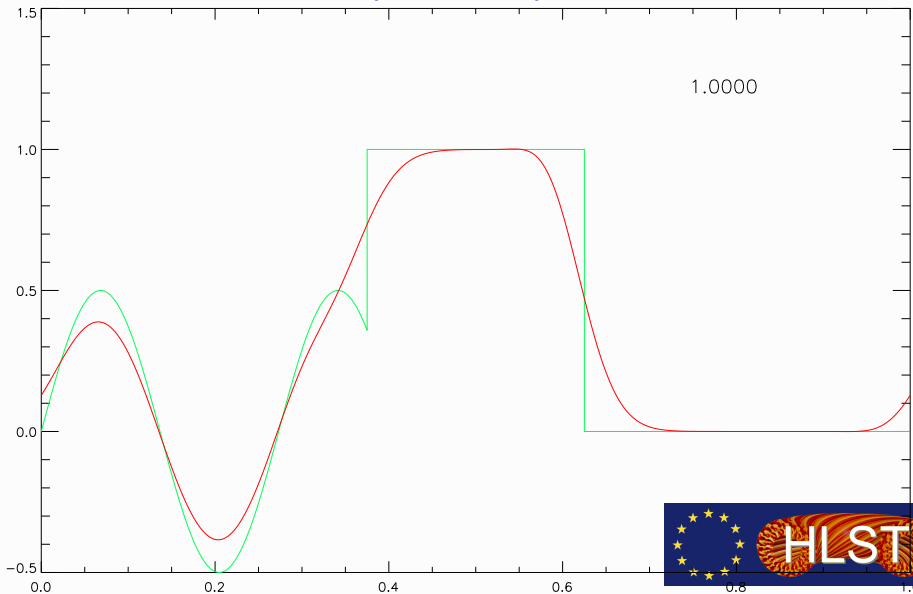


impl. DG-FEM (Crank-Nichols.): $p = 2$, $cfl = 1.0$





impl. DG-FEM (gen. CN): $p = 2$, $cfl = 1.0$



General Runge-Kutta Equation System

$$\vec{u}^{(1)} = f \left(t^n + c_1 \Delta t, \vec{u}^n + \sum_{k=1}^s a_{1k} \Delta t \vec{u}^{(k)} \right) \quad (12)$$

$$\vec{u}^{(2)} = f \left(t^n + c_2 \Delta t, \vec{u}^n + \sum_{k=1}^s a_{2k} \Delta t \vec{u}^{(k)} \right) \quad (13)$$

$$\vdots$$

$$\vec{u}^{(s)} = f \left(t^n + c_s \Delta t, \vec{u}^n + \sum_{k=1}^s a_{sk} \Delta t \vec{u}^{(k)} \right) \quad (14)$$

$$\vec{u}^{n+1} = f \left(t^n + \Delta t, \vec{u}^n + \sum_{k=1}^s a_{(s+1)k} \Delta t \vec{u}^{(k)} \right) \quad (15)$$

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Butcher's Array

c_1	a_{11}	a_{12}	\cdots	a_{1s}	.	(16)
c_2	a_{21}	a_{22}	\cdots	a_{2s}		
\vdots	\vdots	\vdots	\ddots	\vdots		
c_s	a_{s1}	a_{s2}	\cdots	a_{ss}		
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 \end{array} \tag{17}$$

3rd Order TVD-ERK (3 stages)

$$\begin{array}{c|ccc}
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\
 \frac{1}{4} & \frac{3}{4} & \frac{1}{4} & 0 \\
 \hline
 & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{2}{3} & 0
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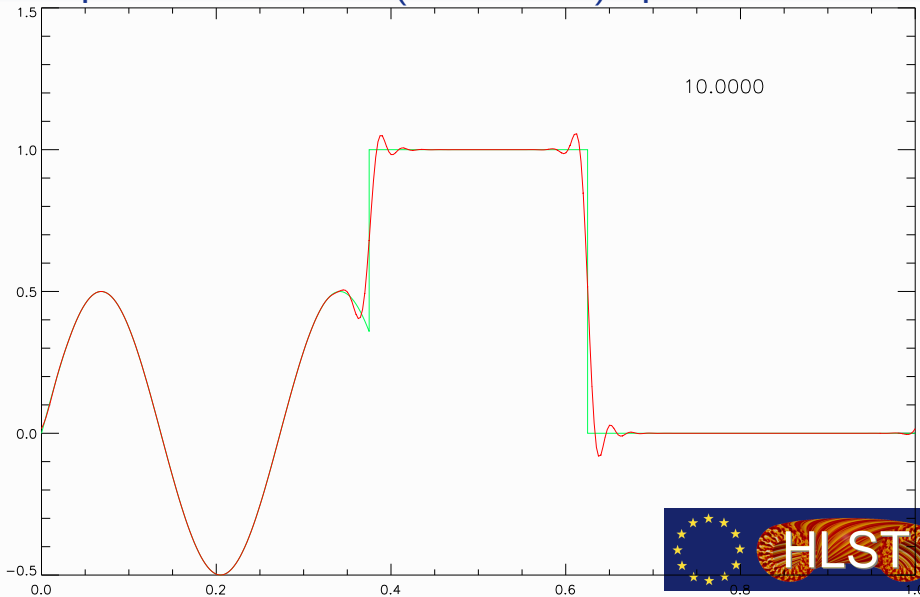
$$\begin{array}{c|ccc}
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 1 & 1 & 0 & 0
 \end{array}$$

6th Order GL-IRK (3 stages)

$$\begin{array}{c|ccc}
 \frac{1}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{15}}{10} & \frac{5}{36} & \frac{2}{9} - \frac{\sqrt{15}}{15} & \frac{5}{36} - \frac{\sqrt{15}}{30} \\
 \frac{1}{2} & \frac{5}{36} + \frac{\sqrt{15}}{24} & \frac{2}{9} & \frac{5}{36} - \frac{\sqrt{15}}{24} \\
 \frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{15}}{10} & \frac{5}{36} + \frac{\sqrt{15}}{30} & \frac{2}{9} + \frac{\sqrt{15}}{15} & \frac{5}{36} \\
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 & \frac{5}{18} & \frac{4}{9} & \frac{5}{18}
 \end{array} \tag{19}$$

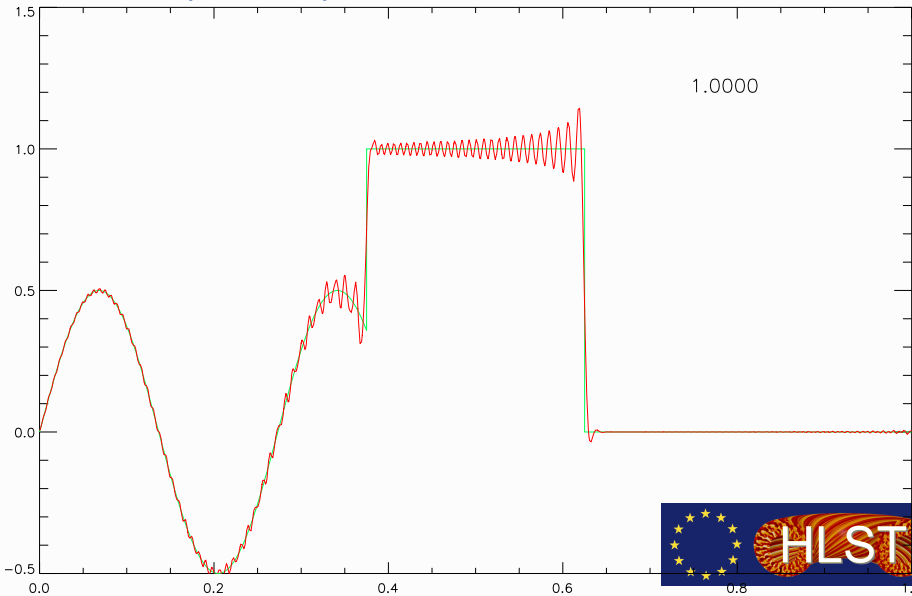


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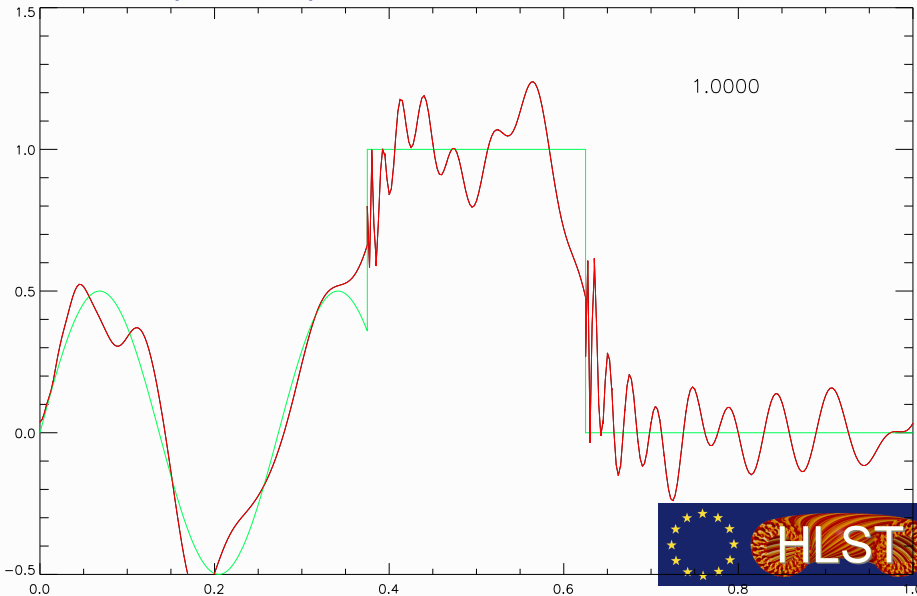




IRK (GL 8th) DG-FEM : $p = 4$, $cfl = 1.6$



IRK (GL 8th) DG-FEM : $p = 2$, $cfl = 25.0$



Limiting Methods

Basic Idea

Wiggles form in the higher order moments at steep gradients
⇒ limit higher order moments by lower order moments



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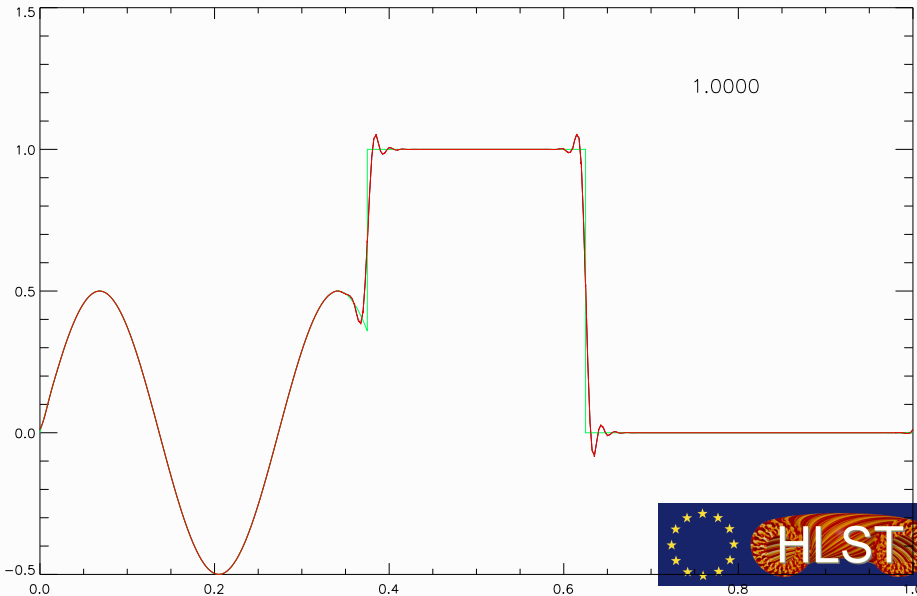
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Moment Limiter as Example

$$u_i^{n+1} = \text{minmod} \left(u_i^{n+1}, \frac{u_{i+1}^n - u_i^n}{2n+1}, \frac{u_i^n - u_{i-1}^n}{2n+1} \right) \quad (20)$$

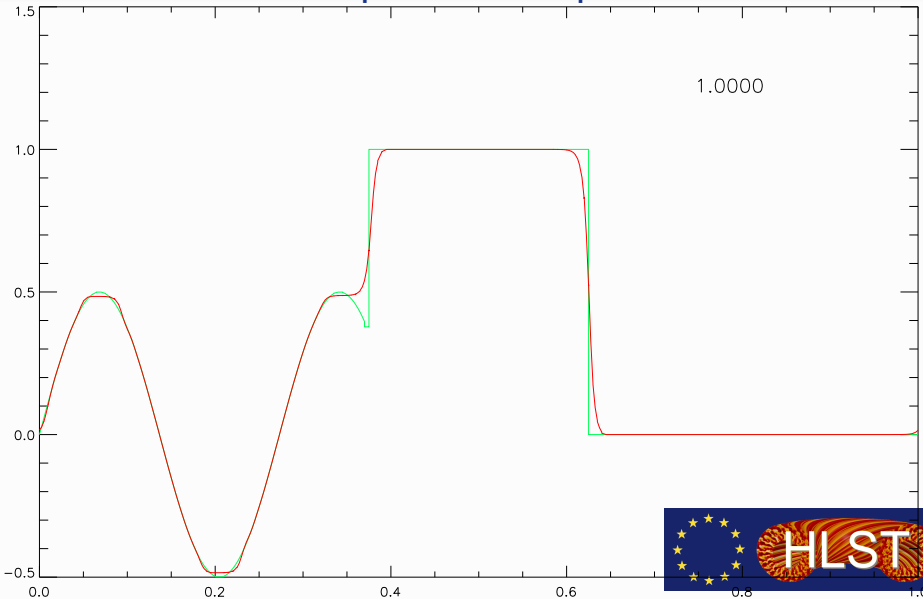


DG-FEM: $p = 2$, $cfl = 0.1$

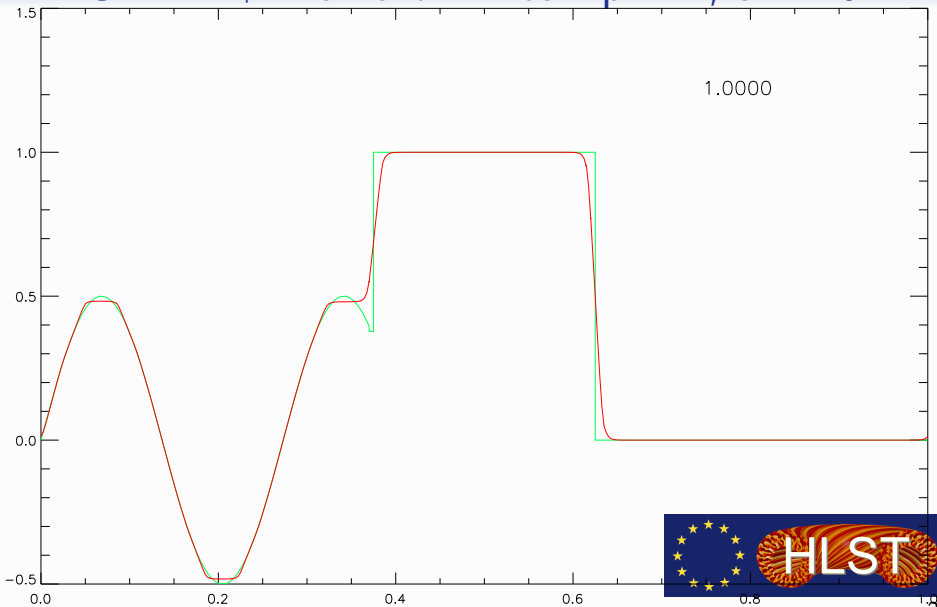




DG-FEM + Slope-Limiter: $p = 2$, $cfl = 0.1$

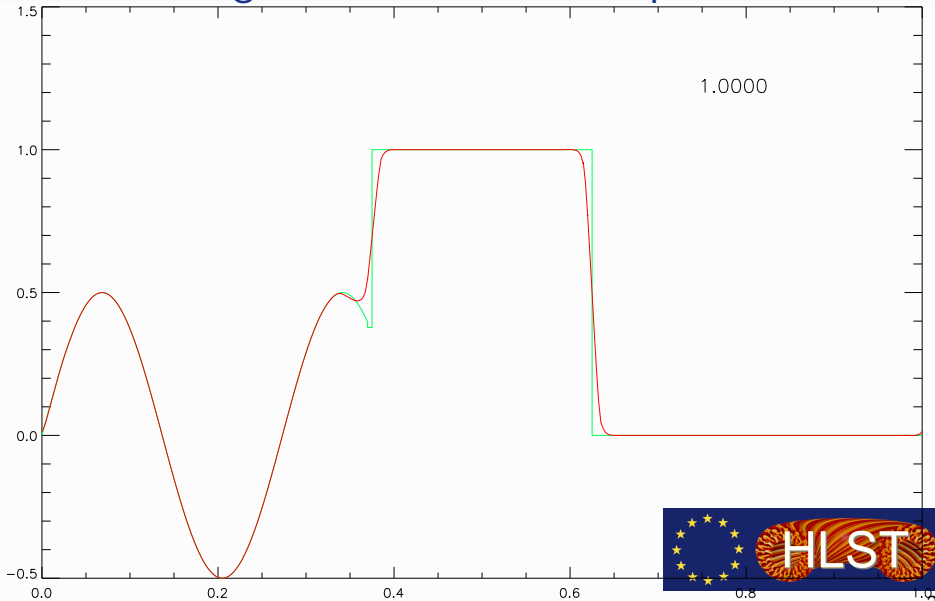


DG-FEM + Moment-Limiter: $p = 2$, $cfl = 0.1$

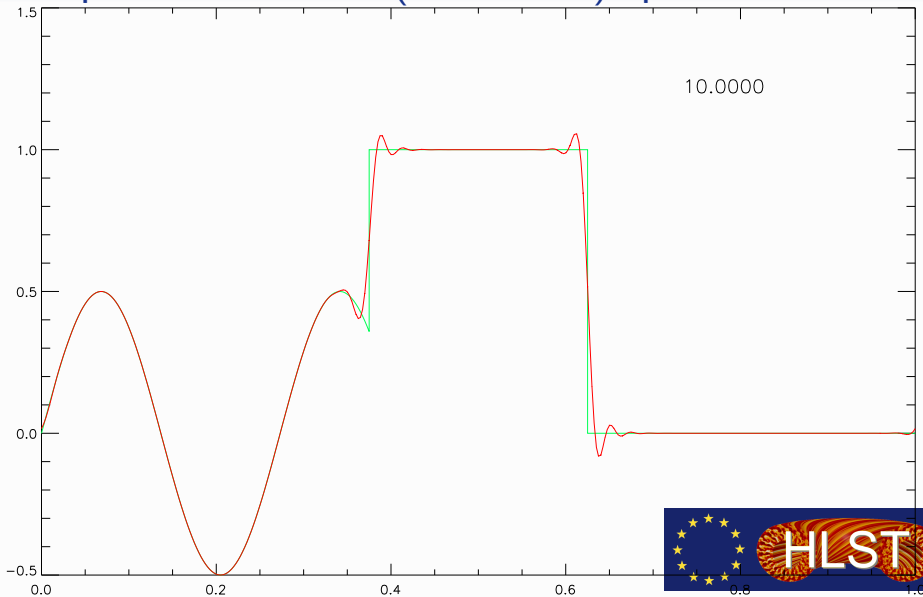




DG-FEM + gen. Moment-Limiter: $p = 2$, $cfl = 0.1$

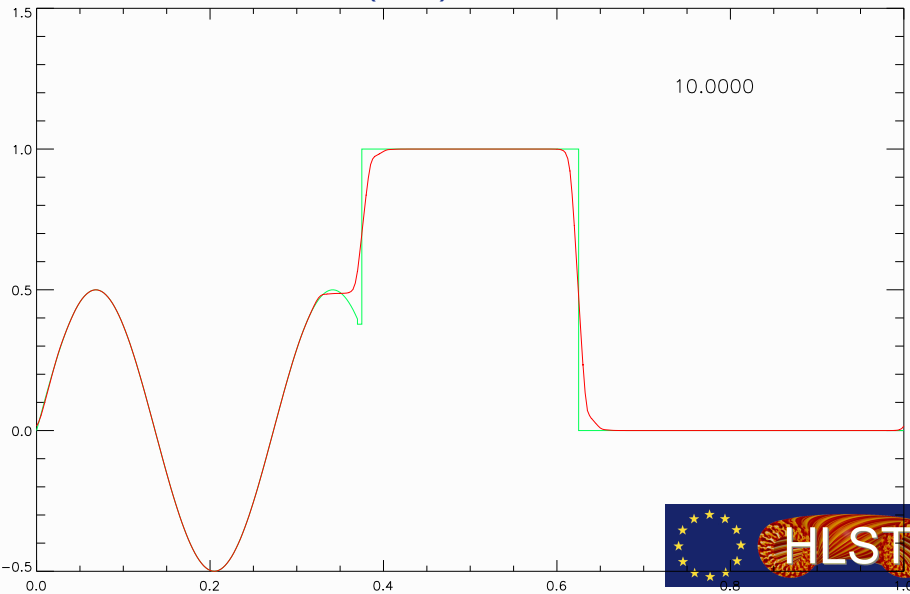


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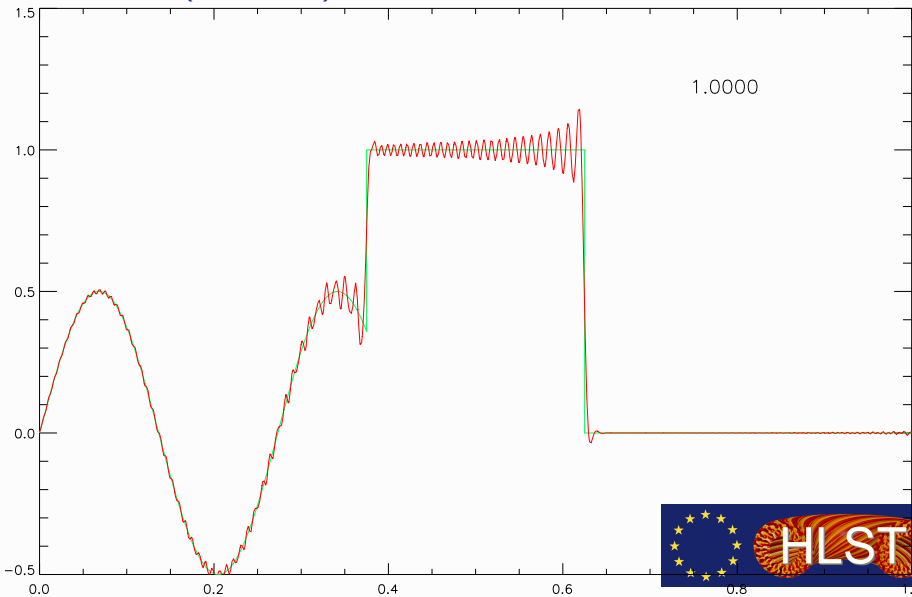




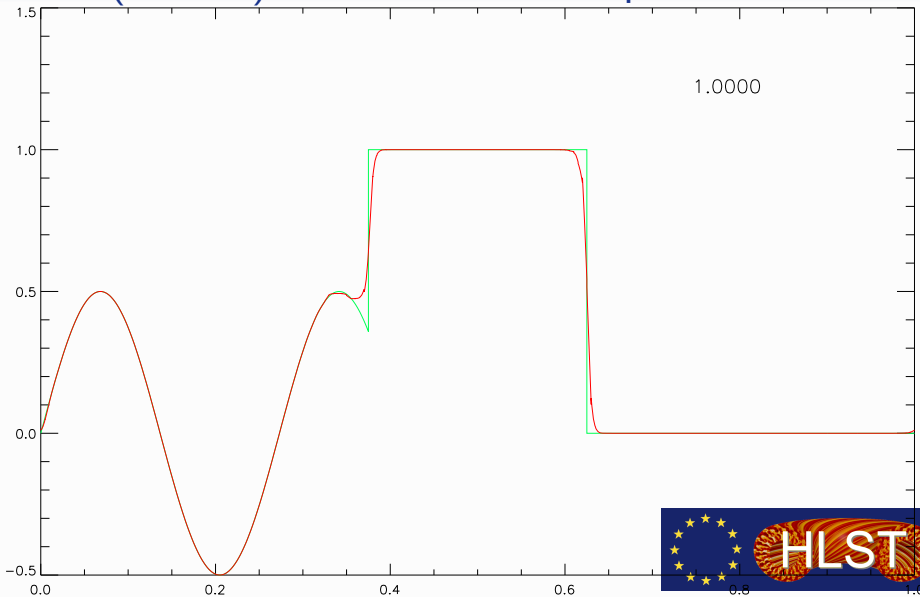
SDIRK-DG-FEM (4th) + GML: $p = 2$, $cfl = .5$



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More Details

More details can be found in the technical report

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