

Monge-Ampère Equations: Geometry, Invariants and Applications in 3D Meteorological Models

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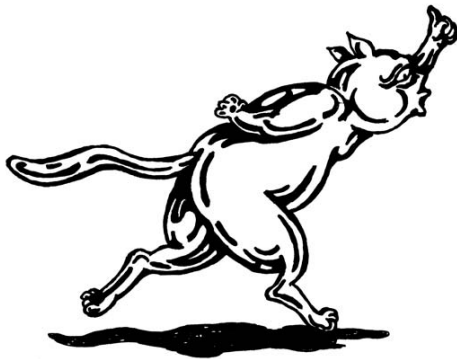
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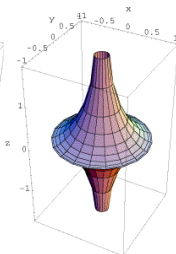
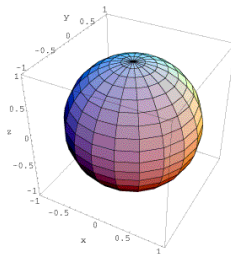
Basic object



Monge and Ampère

$$A \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial q_1^2} + 2B \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial q_1 \partial q_2} + C \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial q_2^2} + D \left(\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial q_1^2} \cdot \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial q_2^2} - \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial q_1 \partial q_2} \right)^2 \right) + E = 0$$

Global Solutions: Monge



sphere and pseudosphere

An example: curvature of a surface in \mathbb{R}^3

$$\frac{u_{q_1 q_1} \cdot u_{q_2 q_2} - u_{q_1 q_2}^2}{(1 + u_{q_1}^2 + u_{q_2}^2)^2} = \mathcal{K}(u)$$

Monge-Ampère structure

Definition

A *Monge-Ampère structure* on a $2n$ -dimensional manifold X is a pair of differential form $(\Omega, \omega) \in \Omega^2(X) \times \Omega^n(X)$ such that Ω is symplectic and ω is Ω -*effective* i.e. $\Omega \wedge \omega = 0$.

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- ▶ The projection of the graph of ∇f on $(\mathbb{R}^n)_x$ is given in coordinates by $\nabla^2(f) = \det \| \frac{\partial^2 f_i}{\partial x_j^2} \|$.

Correspondence: Forms -Symplectic MAO

Let M be a smooth n -dimensional manifold and ω is a differential n -form on T^*M . A (symplectic) Monge-Ampère operator $\Delta_\omega : C^\infty(M) \rightarrow \Omega^n(M)$ is the differential operator defined by

$$\Delta_\omega(f) = (df)^*(\omega),$$

where $df : M \rightarrow T^*M$ is the natural section associated to f .

Examples

ω	$\Delta_\omega = 0$
$dq_1 \wedge dp_2 - dq_2 \wedge dp_1$	$\Delta f = 0$
$dq_1 \wedge dp_2 + dq_2 \wedge dp_1$	$\square f = 0$
$dp_1 \wedge dp_2 \wedge dp_3 - dq_1 \wedge dq_2 \wedge dq_3$	$\text{Hess}(f) = 1$
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- ▶ If two effective k -forms vanish on the same k -dimensional isotropic vector subspaces in (V, Ω) , they are proportional.

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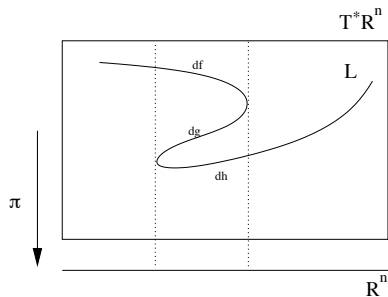
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- ▶ A generalised solution (generically) locally is the graph of an 1-form df for a regular solution f .

Generalized solution



Generalised solution of a MAE

Generic types of singularities for Generalized solutions of MAE

Specific property of the graph-like Lagrangian submanifolds: their projection on the "configuration space" \mathbb{R}^n is a diffeomorphism. Our generalised solutions are general Lagrangian **immersions** and they have Arnold's **lagrangian singularities**.

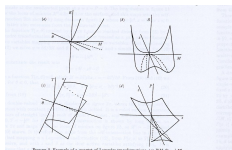


Figure 9. Example of a space of Lagrangian transformations. (a) BM , (b) BM , (c) BM , (d) BM .



Lagrangian singularities (Wave fronts, foldings etc.) This singularities describe the formation of **fronts** (Chynoweth, Porter, Sewell 1988)

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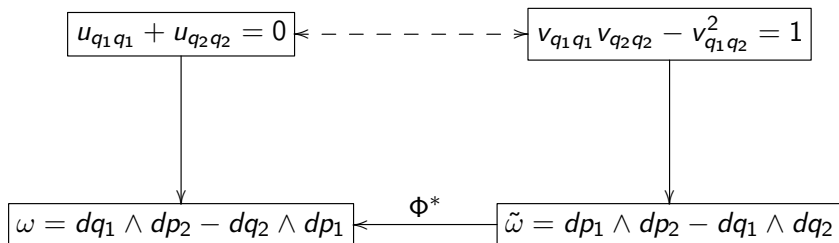
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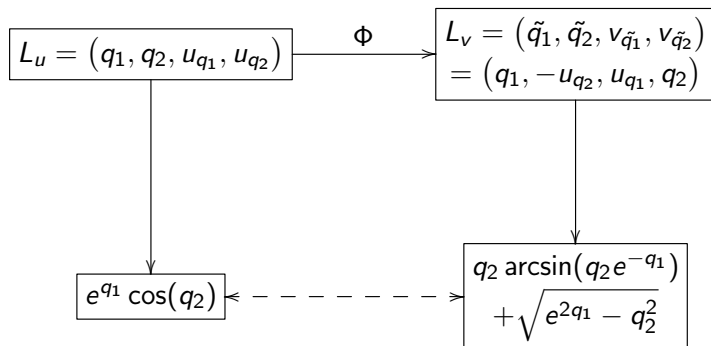
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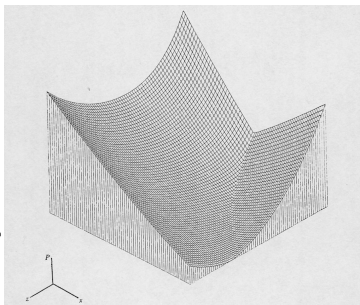


Legendre partial transformation-2



with $\Phi : T^*\mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow T^*\mathbb{R}^2, (q_1, q_2, p_1, p_2) \mapsto (q_1, -p_2, p_1, q_2)$.

Sewell-Chynoweth SG- equation



Numerical Solution of the semi-geostrophic 3D equation (Cullen, Sewell-Chynoweth...)

$$\text{hess}_{x,y}(u) + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial z^2} = \text{hess}(u) \quad (1)$$

Sewell-Chynoweth MAO form and its equivalence

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- ▶ The equation (??) is symplectically equivalent to the equation

$$hess(u) = 1. \tag{2}$$

An exact solution of the SG 3D equation



$$f(x, y, z) = \int_a^{\sqrt{xy+yz+zx}} (b + 4\xi^3)^{1/3} d\xi$$

is a regular solution of (??). Therefore,

$$L = \left\{ (x, y, (x + y)\alpha, (y + z)\alpha, (z + x)\alpha, \gamma(x + y)\alpha - z) \right\}$$

is a generalised solution of (??) with

$$\alpha = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{b}{(xy + yz + zx)^{\frac{3}{2}}} + 4 \right)^{\frac{1}{3}}.$$

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- ▶ B. Hoskins (1975) had proposed a remarkable coordinate transformation (a passage to **geostrophic coordinates** in $x - y$ directions such that the geostrophic velocity and potential temperature may be represented in terms of one function both in the transformed coordinates as in physical ones



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- ▶ Here (and in what follows) f is the *Coriolis parameter* taking as a constant and N is the *Brunt - Väisälä* frequency:

$$N = \sqrt{\frac{q_g g}{f\theta_0}},$$

for the uniform potential vorticity q_g and the constant potential temperature θ_0 .

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- ▶ The Hoskins SG (??) is equivalent to the (??):

$$\text{hess}(u) = \frac{N^2}{f^4} = \frac{(q_g g)^2}{f^6 (\theta_0)^2} \quad (5)$$

by the symplectomorphism (??).

Table 1. Effective forms with constant coefficients in $2D$

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5	$\square f = 0$	$dp_1 \wedge dq_2 \wedge dq_3 + dp_2 \wedge dq_1 \wedge dq_3 + dp_3 \wedge dq_1 \wedge dq_2$	$(2, 1)$	0
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8	$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial q_1^2} = 0$	$dp_1 \wedge dq_2 \wedge dq_3$	$(0, 0)$	0
9		0	$(0, 0)$	0

Table: Classification of effective 3-forms in dimension 6

HyperKähler triple of MAE

The conservation law (the Ertel's theorem) of the potential vorticity obtains (using the Hamiltonian representation of the system):

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial(q_1, q_2)}{\partial(a, b)} \right) =$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} (1 + \phi_{q_1 q_1} + \phi_{q_2 q_2} + \det \text{Hess } \phi) = 0,$$

This equation is a part of the HyperKähler triple of MAEs (R. and Roulstone 1997, 2001):

$$\begin{cases} \omega_I = [1 + a(p_{11} + p_{22}) + (a^2 - c^2)(p_{11}p_{22} - p_{12}^2)dq_1] \wedge dq_2 & , \\ \omega_J = [2cp_{12} + ac(p_{11}p_{22} - p_{12}^2)] dq_1 \wedge dq_2 & , \\ \omega_K = -c\Omega \end{cases}$$

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Our classification theorem in 2D gives a classification of all "almost-balanced" ($0 < c < \sqrt{3}$) models with a uniform potential vorticity.

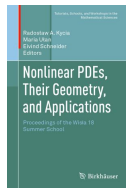
The subjects which I had no time to describe:

- ▶ Symmetries, conservation laws and Noether theorem for MAO and MAE
- ▶ Self-similar solutions, shock waves and Hugoniot-Rankin conditions
- ▶ Variational MAE, divergent MAE and Euler-Lagrange operators
- ▶ Jacobi 2D non-linear 1st order systems and Generalised Complex Geometry of Hitchin
- ▶ Generalised Calabi-Yau 3D structures
- ▶ Linearisation of Ditchell-Viudez coupled MAE in 2D and 3D
- ▶ Many-many other interesting things...

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Thank you for your attention!

