

1. Consider the nonlinear Schrödinger equation

$$\begin{cases} iv_t = v_{xx} + 2|v|^2v & \text{for } (x, t) \in \mathbf{R} \times (0, T) \\ v(x, 0) = f(x) & \text{for } x \in \mathbf{R}. \end{cases}$$

Suppose for some  $L > 0$  that  $f(x) = f(x+L)$  for  $x \in \mathbf{R}$ . Prove the resulting solution  $v$  satisfies  $v(x, t) = v(x+L, t)$  for all  $(x, t) \in \mathbf{R} \times (0, T)$ . We shall say that  $v$  satisfies the nonlinear Schrödinger equation with  $L$ -periodic boundary conditions.

Consider the function  $w(x, t) = v(x+L, t)$ . Since  $f$  is  $L$ -periodic we have

$$w(x, 0) = v(x+L, 0) = f(x+L) = f(x).$$

By the chain rule

$$w_{xx}(x, t) = \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} v(x+L, t) = v_{xx}(x+L, t).$$

Therefore  $w(x, t)$  satisfies the differential equation

$$\begin{cases} iw_t = w_{xx} + 2|w|^2w & \text{for } (x, t) \in \mathbf{R} \times (0, T) \\ w(x, 0) = f(x) & \text{for } x \in \mathbf{R}. \end{cases}$$

Uniqueness of solutions implies that  $w(x, t) = v(x, t)$ . Therefore  $v(x, t) = v(x+L, t)$  for all  $(x, t) \in \mathbf{R} \times (0, T)$  which was to be shown.

2. Let  $v$  be a solution to the nonlinear Schrödinger equation with  $L$ -periodic boundary conditions. Let  $\Delta x = L/K$  and  $\Delta t = T/N$  and consider the finite difference method for approximating  $v$  on  $[0, L] \times [0, T]$  given by

$$\begin{cases} u_k^{n+1} = u_k^{n-1} - \frac{2i\Delta t}{\Delta x^2} \delta^2 u_k^n - 4i\Delta t |u_k^n|^2 u_k^n & \text{for } n = 1, \dots, N-1 \\ & \text{and } k = 1, \dots, K \\ u_k^1 = u_k^0 - \frac{i\Delta t}{\Delta x^2} \delta^2 u_k^0 - 2i\Delta t |u_k^0|^2 u_k^0 & \text{for } k = 1, \dots, K \\ u_0^n = u_K^n \quad \text{and} \quad u_{K+1}^n = u_1^n & \text{for } n = 0, \dots, N \\ u_k^0 = f(k\Delta x) & \text{for } k = 1, \dots, K. \end{cases}$$

For  $L = 10$  and  $T = 0.2$  choose  $K$  and  $N$  sufficiently large to approximate  $v(5, 0.2)$  to at least 3 significant digits for the personalized initial condition  $f$  given below

$$\begin{aligned} f_{\text{Alexander}}(x) &= 2 \exp(3i \sin(\omega x)) + \sin(3\omega x) \\ f_{\text{Anthony}}(x) &= \exp(i\omega x) - \sin(2\omega x) + \exp(5i\omega x) \\ f_{\text{Brian}}(x) &= 0.5 \exp(i\omega x) + 0.5 \sin(2\omega x) - 2i \cos(3\omega x) \\ f_{\text{Jordan}}(x) &= 2 \exp(-i\omega x) - i \cos(3\omega x) \\ f_{\text{Joseph}}(x) &= 0.5 \exp(i\omega x) - \exp(2i\omega x) + i \exp(3i\omega x) + 0.5 \exp(5i\omega x) \\ f_{\text{Kyle}}(x) &= i \sin(\omega x) + \cos(2\omega x) + \exp(-3i\omega x) \\ f_{\text{Masakazu}}(x) &= 1 + \exp(i\omega x) \\ f_{\text{Sarah}}(x) &= \exp(i\omega x) + \exp(-2i\omega x) + \exp(3i\omega x) \\ f_{\text{Shijie}}(x) &= \sin(3 \cos(\omega x)) + 2 \exp(2i\omega x) \end{aligned}$$

where  $\omega = \pi/5$ .

To implement these scheme the driver and common routines were factored into the file `utility.c` with header `utility.h` while the file named `classical.c` was used for the method itself. The driver and common routines are

```

1 /* utility.c -- Utility functions for Programming Project 2
2    Written May 2013 by Eric Olson */
3
4 #include <stdio.h>
5 #include <math.h>
6 #include <complex.h>
7 #include "utility.h"
8
9 double dx,dt;
10
11 #define FD(func,def) static Complex func(double x){ \
12     if(x<0) printf("%s=%s\n",#func,#def); \
13     return def; }
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14
15 FD(fAlexander,2*cexp(3*I*sin(W*x))+sin(3*W*x))
16 FD(fAnthony,cexp(I*W*x)-sin(2*W*x)+cexp(5*I*W*x))
17 FD(fBrian,0.5*cexp(I*W*x)+0.5*sin(2*W*x)-2*I*cos(3*W*x))
18 FD(fJordan,2*cexp(-I*W*x)-I*cos(3*W*x))
19 FD(fJoseph,
20 0.5*cexp(I*W*x)-cexp(2*I*W*x)+I*cexp(3*I*W*x)+0.5*cexp(5*I*W*x))
21 FD(fKyle,I*sin(W*x)+cos(2*W*x)+cexp(-3*I*W*x))
22 FD(fMasakazu,1+cexp(I*W*x))
23 FD(fSarah,cexp(I*W*x)+cexp(-2*I*W*x)+cexp(3*I*W*x))
24 FD(fShijie,sin(3*cos(W*x))+2*cexp(2*I*W*x))
25
26 static double energy(int K,Complex u[K]){
27     int k;
28     double energy=0.0;
29     for(k=0;k<K;k++){
30         energy+=creal(u[k]*conj(u[k]));
31     }
32     return energy/K;
33 }
34
35 static Complex init(int K,Complex u[K+2],Complex (*f)(double)){
36     int k;
37     for(k=0;k<K;k++) {
38         double xk=k*dx;
39         u[k]=f(xk);
40     }
41     u[K]=u[0]; u[K+1]=u[1];
42 }
43
44 typedef struct {
45     Complex (*f)(double);
46     char *p;
47 } param;
48 #define FN(x) { .f=x,.p=#x }
49 void everyone(int K,Complex scheme(int,Complex *,int),int N){
50     dx=L/K;
51     dt=T/N;
52     Complex u[K+2];
53     char bufR[128],bufI[128];
54     param P[]= {FN(fAlexander),FN(fAnthony),FN(fBrian),FN(fJordan),
55         FN(fJoseph),FN(fKyle),FN(fMasakazu),FN(fSarah),FN(fShijie)};
56     int J=sizeof(P)/sizeof(param);
57     int j;
58     for(j=0;j<J;j++) P[j].f(-1);

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59     printf("\nL=%g K=%d dx=%g\nT=%g N=%d dt=%g\n",L,K,dx,T,N,dt);
60     sprintf(bufR,"Re(u(%g,%g))",K/2*dx,T);
61     sprintf(bufI,"Im(u(%g,%g))",K/2*dx,T);
62     printf("\n%-12s %14s %14s %14s %14s\n",
63           "Name","|u(.,0)|","|u(.,T)|",bufR,bufI);
64     for(j=0;j<J;j++){
65         init(K,u,P[j].f);
66         double e1=energy(K,u);
67         Complex r=scheme(K,u,N);
68         double e2=energy(K,u);
69         printf("%-12s %14.6e %14.6e %14.6e %14.6e\n",
70               P[j].p,e1,e2,creal(r),cimag(r));
71     }
72 }

```

with header

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1 /* utility.h -- Utility functions for Programming Project 2
2    Written May 2013 by Eric Olson */
3
4 #ifndef _UTILITY_H
5 #define _UTILITY_H
6
7 #include <complex.h>
8
9 typedef double complex Complex;
10
11 #define T 0.2
12 #define L 10.0
13 #define W (2*M_PI/L)
14
15 extern double dx,dt;
16 extern void everyone(int K,Complex scheme(int,Complex *,int),int N);
17
18 #endif

```

and the classical explicit method was coded as

```

1 /* classical.c -- Programming Project 2
2    Nonlinear Schroedinger using Classical Explicit Method
3
4    This is method 1(a)(i) described in
5
6    Thiab Taha, Mark Ablowitz, Analytical and Numerical Aspects of
7    Certain Nonlinear Evolution Equations II. Numerical, Nonlinear
8    Schrodinger Equation, J. of Comp. Physics, 55 (1984), 203-230.
9 */

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10
11 #include <stdio.h>
12 #include <math.h>
13 #include "utility.h"
14
15 Complex classical(int K,Complex u[K+2],int N){
16     Complex w[K+2],unm1[K+2];
17     int k;
18     double rho=dt/dx/dx;
19     int n;
20     for(k=1;k<=K;k++){
21         w[k]=-I*(rho*(u[k+1]-2*u[k]+u[k-1]))
22             +2*dt*(u[k]*conj(u[k]))*u[k]);
23     }
24     w[0]=w[K]; w[K+1]=w[1];
25     for(k=0;k<=K+1;k++){
26         unm1[k]=u[k]+w[k];
27     }
28     for(n=1;n<N;n++){
29         for(k=1;k<=K;k++){
30             w[k]=-I*(2*rho*(u[k+1]-2*u[k]+u[k-1]))
31                 +4*dt*(u[k]*conj(u[k]))*u[k]);
32         }
33         w[0]=w[K]; w[K+1]=w[1];
34         for(k=0;k<=K+1;k++){
35             Complex tmp=u[k];
36             u[k]=unm1[k]+w[k];
37             unm1[k]=tmp;
38         }
39     }
40     return u[K/2];
41 }
42
43 main(){
44     printf("classical -- Programming Project 2\n"
45           "Nonlinear Schroedinger using Classical Explicit Method\n\n");
46     everyone(800,classical,400000);
47 }

```

The output is

```

classical -- Programming Project 2
Nonlinear Schroedinger using Classical Explicit Method

fAlexander=2*cexp(3*I*sin(W*x))+sin(3*W*x)
fAnthony=cexp(I*W*x)-sin(2*W*x)+cexp(5*I*W*x)
fBrian=0.5*cexp(I*W*x)+0.5*sin(2*W*x)-2*I*cos(3*W*x)

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fJordan=2*cexp(-I*W*x)-I*cos(3*W*x)
fJoseph=0.5*cexp(I*W*x)-cexp(2*I*W*x)+I*cexp(3*I*W*x)+0.5*cexp(5*I*W*x)
fKyle=I*sin(W*x)+cos(2*W*x)+cexp(-3*I*W*x)
fMasakazu=1+cexp(I*W*x)
fSarah=cexp(I*W*x)+cexp(-2*I*W*x)+cexp(3*I*W*x)
fShijie=sin(3*cos(W*x))+2*cexp(2*I*W*x)

```

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L=10 K=800 dx=0.0125
T=0.2 N=400000 dt=5e-07

```

Name	u(.,0)	u(.,T)	Re(u(5,0.2))	Im(u(5,0.2))
fAlexander	4.500000e+00	4.499996e+00	-1.440933e+00	-2.922288e+00
fAnthony	2.500000e+00	2.500006e+00	-1.310246e+00	4.137590e-01
fBrian	2.375000e+00	2.374995e+00	1.851442e+00	1.965779e+00
fJordan	4.500000e+00	4.499997e+00	1.875292e+00	4.649261e-01
fJoseph	2.500000e+00	2.499999e+00	-8.733876e-01	-4.058580e-01
fKyle	2.000000e+00	2.000001e+00	1.263949e-01	-3.491421e-01
fMasakazu	2.000000e+00	1.999996e+00	2.377104e-03	-7.211769e-02
fSarah	3.000000e+00	3.000011e+00	-5.794036e-01	2.397391e-01
fShijie	4.424677e+00	4.424663e+00	1.267973e+00	-1.485885e+00

Note that values for  $N$  and  $K$  were chosen as a trade off between accuracy, stability and computational time. The output is consistent with the output from the more efficient methods used in the next sections.

3. Approximate  $v(5, 0.2)$  using one of the other methods found, for example, in

Thiab R. Taha, Mark J. Ablowitz, Analytical and Numerical Aspects of Certain Nonlinear Evolution Equations II: Numerical, Nonlinear Schrödinger Equation, *J. Comput. Phys.*, **55** (1984), pp. 203–230.

Please include a bibliographic reference to the method you implemented as a comment in your source code.

I implemented the hopscotch method 1(a)(ii) and the split step Fourier method 2(i) following Taha and Ablowitz. The code for the hopscotch method is

```

1 /* hopscotch.c -- Programming Project 2
2    Nonlinear Schroedinger using the Hopscotch Method
3
4    This is method 1(a)(ii) described in
5
6    Thiab Taha, Mark Ablowitz, Analytical and Numerical Aspects of
7    Certain Nonlinear Evolution Equations II. Numerical, Nonlinear
8    Schrodinger Equation, J. of Comp. Physics, 55 (1984), 203-230.
9 */
10
11 #include <stdio.h>
12 #include <math.h>
13 #include "utility.h"
14
15 Complex hopscotch(int K,Complex u[K+2],int N){
16     Complex w[K+2],q[K+2];
17     int k;
18     double rho=dt/dx/dx;
19     int n;
20     for(n=1;n<=N;n++){
21         if(n==1){
22             for(k=1;k<=K;k+=2){
23                 w[k]=u[k]-I*rho*(u[k+1]-2*u[k]+u[k-1])
24                     -I*dt*(u[k-1]*conj(u[k-1])*u[k-1]
25                         +u[k+1]*conj(u[k+1])*u[k+1]);
26             }
27             w[K+1]=w[1];
28         } else {
29             for(k=n%2;k<=K+1;k+=2){
30                 w[k]=2*u[k]-q[k];
31             }
32         }
33         for(k=n%2+1;k<=K;k+=2){
34             w[k]=1/(1-2*I*rho)*(u[k]-I*rho*(w[k-1]+w[k+1])
35                 -I*dt*(w[k-1]*conj(w[k-1])*w[k-1]

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36             +w[k+1]*conj(w[k+1])*w[k+1]));
37     }
38     if(n%2==1) w[K+1]=w[1];
39     else w[0]=w[K];
40     for(k=0;k<=K+1;k++) {
41         q[k]=u[k];
42         u[k]=w[k];
43     }
44 }
45 return u[K/2];
46 }
47
48 main(){
49     printf("hopscotch -- Programming Project 2\n"
50           "Nonlinear Schroedinger using the Hopscotch Method\n\n");
51     everyone(800,hopscotch,400000);
52 }

```

with output

```

hopscotch -- Programming Project 2
Nonlinear Schroedinger using the Hopscotch Method

fAlexander=2*cexp(3*I*sin(W*x))+sin(3*W*x)
fAnthony=cexp(I*W*x)-sin(2*W*x)+cexp(5*I*W*x)
fBrian=0.5*cexp(I*W*x)+0.5*sin(2*W*x)-2*I*cos(3*W*x)
fJordan=2*cexp(-I*W*x)-I*cos(3*W*x)
fJoseph=0.5*cexp(I*W*x)-cexp(2*I*W*x)+I*cexp(3*I*W*x)+0.5*cexp(5*I*W*x)
fKyle=I*sin(W*x)+cos(2*W*x)+cexp(-3*I*W*x)
fMasakazu=1+cexp(I*W*x)
fSarah=cexp(I*W*x)+cexp(-2*I*W*x)+cexp(3*I*W*x)
fShijie=sin(3*cos(W*x))+2*cexp(2*I*W*x)

L=10 K=800 dx=0.0125
T=0.2 N=400000 dt=5e-07

Name          |u(.,0)|      |u(.,T)|      Re(u(5,0.2))  Im(u(5,0.2))
fAlexander    4.500000e+00  4.497342e+00 -1.427328e+00 -2.931356e+00
fAnthony      2.500000e+00  2.498831e+00 -1.309640e+00  4.121534e-01
fBrian        2.375000e+00  2.374884e+00  1.846055e+00  1.966600e+00
fJordan       4.500000e+00  4.495430e+00  1.887079e+00  4.708170e-01
fJoseph       2.500000e+00  2.499696e+00 -8.730900e-01 -4.060822e-01
fKyle         2.000000e+00  1.999463e+00  1.264794e-01 -3.493688e-01
fMasakazu     2.000000e+00  2.000082e+00  2.485139e-03 -7.206665e-02
fSarah        3.000000e+00  3.000680e+00 -5.800543e-01  2.412936e-01
fShijie       4.424677e+00  4.422633e+00  1.268974e+00 -1.486035e+00

```

and the code for the split step Fourier method is

```

1 /* split.c -- Programming Project 2
2    Nonlinear Schroedinger using Split Step Fourier Method
3

```



```

4     This is method 2(i) described in
5
6     Thiab Taha, Mark Ablowitz, Analytical and Numerical Aspects of
7     Certain Nonlinear Evolution Equations II. Numerical, Nonlinear
8     Schrodinger Equation, J. of Comp. Physics, 55 (1984), 203-230.
9 */
10
11 #include <stdio.h>
12 #include <math.h>
13 #include <fftw3.h>
14 #include "utility.h"
15
16
17 Complex split(int K,Complex u[K],int N){
18     Complex qt[K],qthat[K];
19     fftw_plan qt2qthat,qthat2u;
20     qt2qthat=fftw_plan_dft_1d(K,(fftw_complex *)qt,
21         (fftw_complex *)qthat,FFTW_FORWARD,FFTW_ESTIMATE);
22     qthat2u=fftw_plan_dft_1d(K,(fftw_complex *)qthat,
23         (fftw_complex *)u,FFTW_BACKWARD,FFTW_ESTIMATE);
24     int k;
25     double rho=dt*W*W;
26     int n;
27     for(n=0;n<N;n++){
28         int k;
29         for (k=0;k<K;k++) qt[k]=cexp(-2*I*u[k]*conj(u[k])*dt)*u[k];
30         fftw_execute(qt2qthat);
31         for(k=0;k<K;k++){
32             int j;
33             if(k<K/2) j=k; else j=k-K;
34             qthat[k]*=cexp(I*j*j*rho)/K;
35         }
36         fftw_execute(qthat2u);
37     }
38     fftw_destroy_plan(qthat2u);
39     fftw_destroy_plan(qt2qthat);
40     return u[K/2];
41 }
42
43 main(){
44     printf("split -- Programming Project 2\n"
45         "Nonlinear Schroedinger using Split Step Fourier Method\n\n");
46     everyone(1024,split,800000);
47 }

```

with output

```
split -- Programming Project 2
Nonlinear Schroedinger using Split Step Fourier Method

fAlexander=2*cexp(3*I*sin(W*x))+sin(3*W*x)
fAnthony=cexp(I*W*x)-sin(2*W*x)+cexp(5*I*W*x)
fBrian=0.5*cexp(I*W*x)+0.5*sin(2*W*x)-2*I*cos(3*W*x)
fJordan=2*cexp(-I*W*x)-I*cos(3*W*x)
fJoseph=0.5*cexp(I*W*x)-cexp(2*I*W*x)+I*cexp(3*I*W*x)+0.5*cexp(5*I*W*x)
fKyle=I*sin(W*x)+cos(2*W*x)+cexp(-3*I*W*x)
fMasakazu=1+cexp(I*W*x)
fSarah=cexp(I*W*x)+cexp(-2*I*W*x)+cexp(3*I*W*x)
fShijie=sin(3*cos(W*x))+2*cexp(2*I*W*x)

L=10 K=1024 dx=0.00976562
T=0.2 N=800000 dt=2.5e-07

Name          |u(.,0)|      |u(.,T)|      Re(u(5,0.2))  Im(u(5,0.2))
fAlexander    4.500000e+00  4.500000e+00  -1.440323e+00  -2.924135e+00
fAnthony      2.500000e+00  2.500000e+00  -1.310387e+00  4.135818e-01
fBrian        2.375000e+00  2.375000e+00  1.850646e+00  1.965636e+00
fJordan       4.500000e+00  4.500000e+00  1.876497e+00  4.649049e-01
fJoseph       2.500000e+00  2.500000e+00  -8.731091e-01  -4.059225e-01
fKyle         2.000000e+00  2.000000e+00  1.264414e-01  -3.491812e-01
fMasakazu     2.000000e+00  2.000000e+00  2.377875e-03  -7.211771e-02
fSarah        3.000000e+00  3.000000e+00  -5.794367e-01  2.401274e-01
fShijie       4.424677e+00  4.424677e+00  1.268159e+00  -1.485840e+00
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Note the two methods yield results consistent with Part 2.