

Dust

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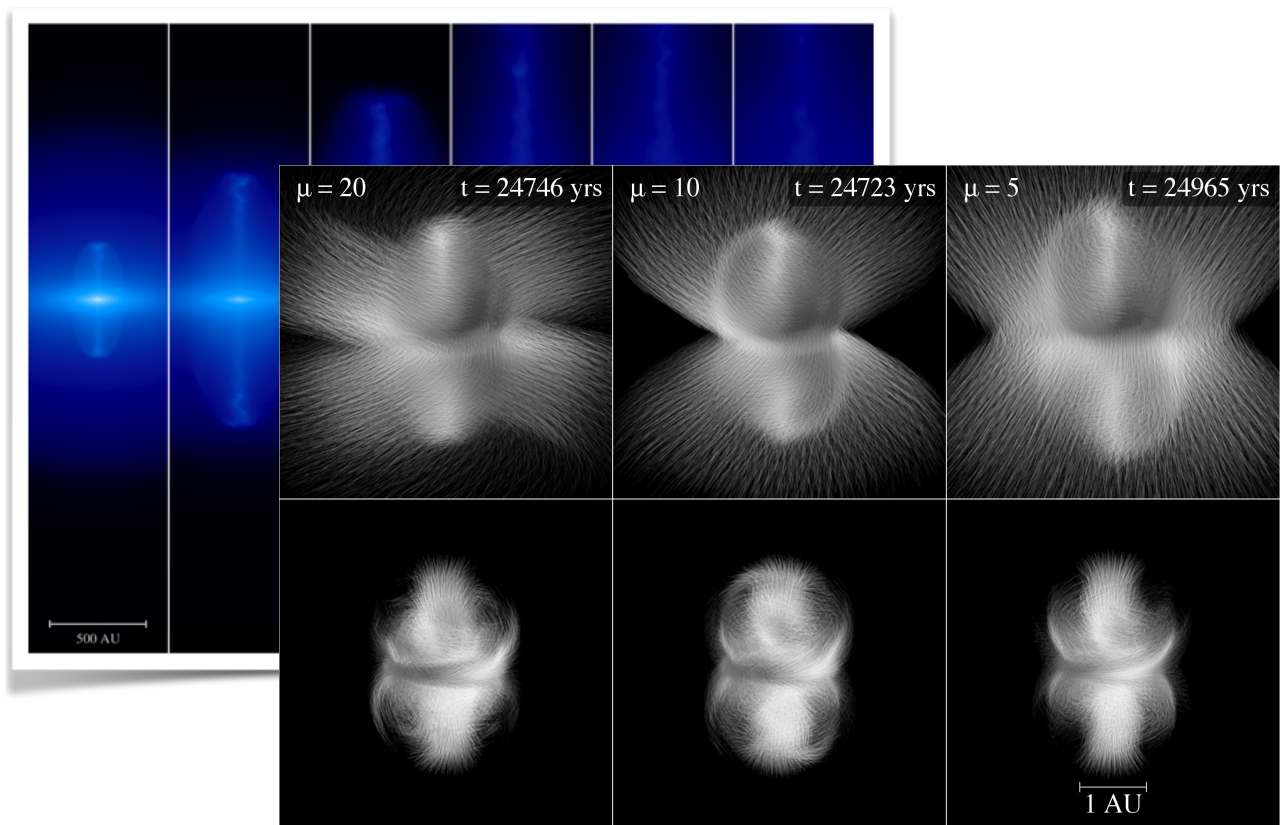
Things I am not
going to talk about

Status of Smoothed Particle Magnetohydrodynamics

- New “constrained” hyperbolic divergence cleaning (Tricco & Price 2012 JCP 231, 7214)
- Improved switch for artificial resistivity (Tricco & Price 2013, MNRAS 436, 2810)
- Now able to robustly tackle variety of new & interesting applications
- Ambipolar diffusion (Wurster, Price & Ayliffe 2014, submitted to MNRAS)

Protostellar outflows with SPMHD

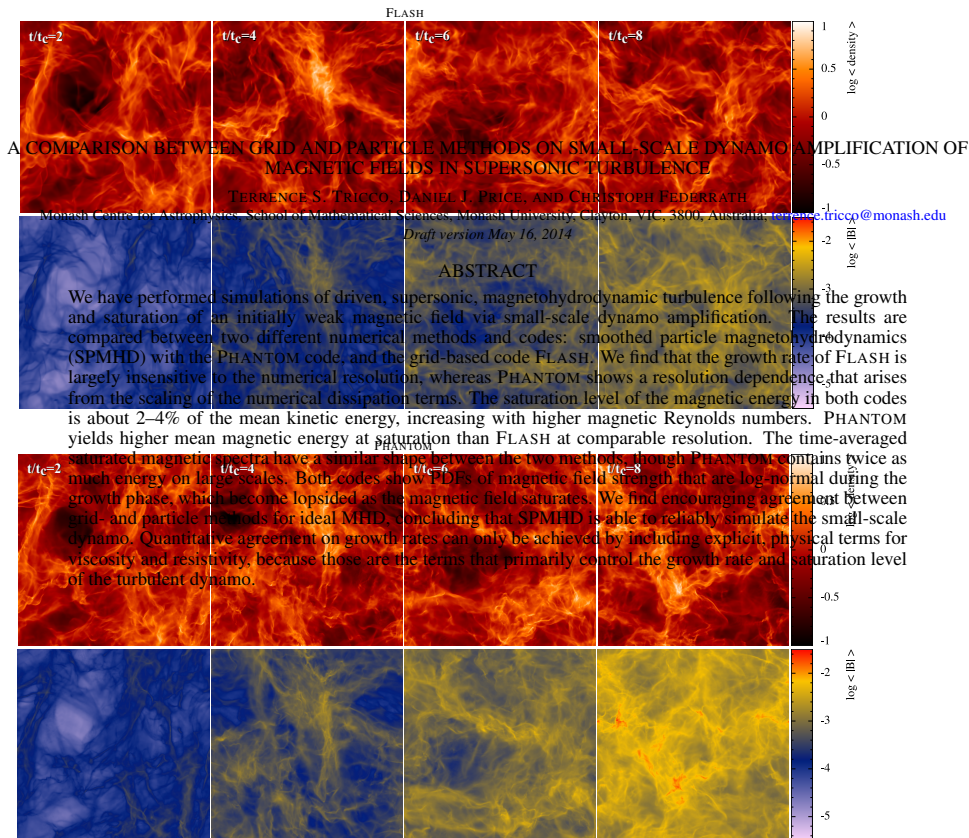
Price, Tricco & Bate (2012); Bate, Tricco & Price (2014)



Small-scale dynamo in SPMHD

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TRICCO, PRICE, & FEDERRATH



Grid
(FLASH)

vs.

SPMHD
(Phantom)

MRI in SPMHD

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CHAPTER 6. CONCLUSION

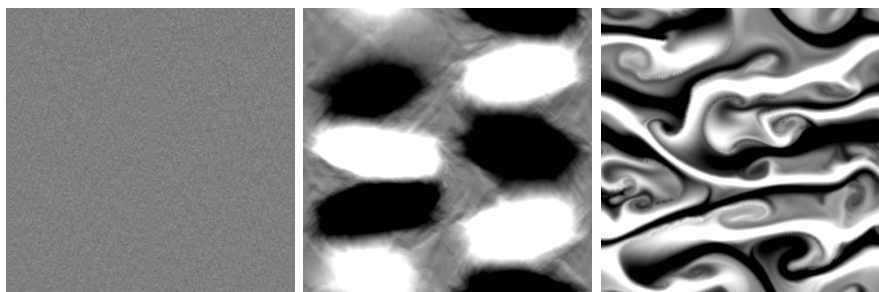


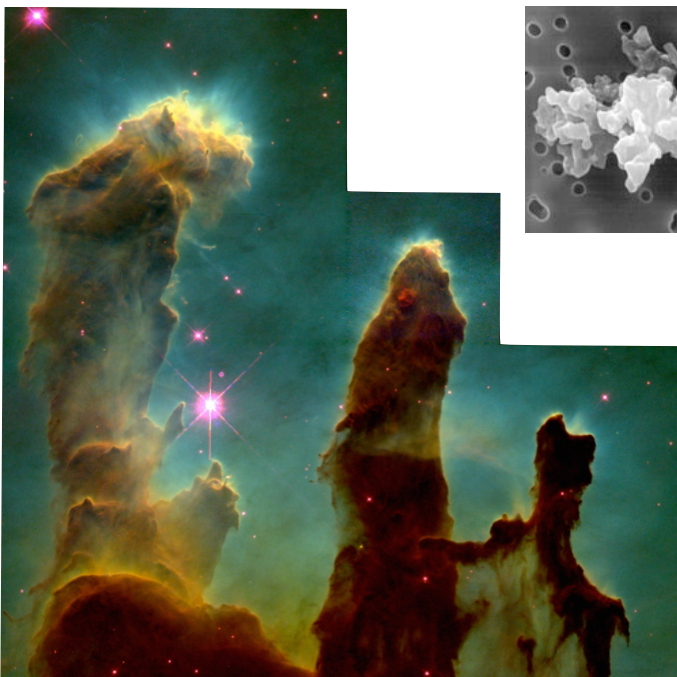
Figure 6.1: Snapshots of B_ϕ at $t = 1, 20,$ and 25Ω for the 512^2 2D shearing box MRI test. Random small motions in the velocity lead to perturbations in the magnetic field ($t = 1\Omega$). These coalesce to form large structures ($t = 20\Omega$), which lead to the generation of turbulence ($t = 25\Omega$). Renderings are not all on the same scale.

Tricco & Price (in prep.)

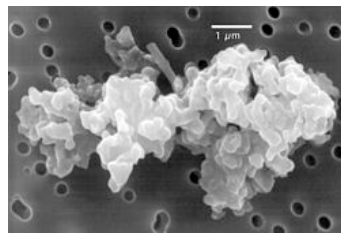
A Dusty Wedding



DUST IS KEY TO STAR AND PLANET



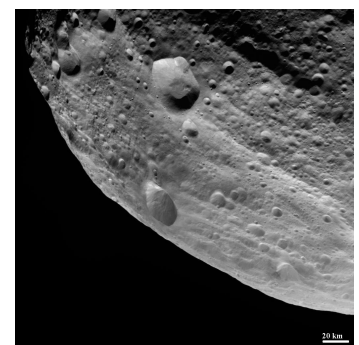
Pillars of Creation (the Eagle Nebula)



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Dust + Gas: A simple example of a two-fluid mixture

Two fluids coupled by a drag term

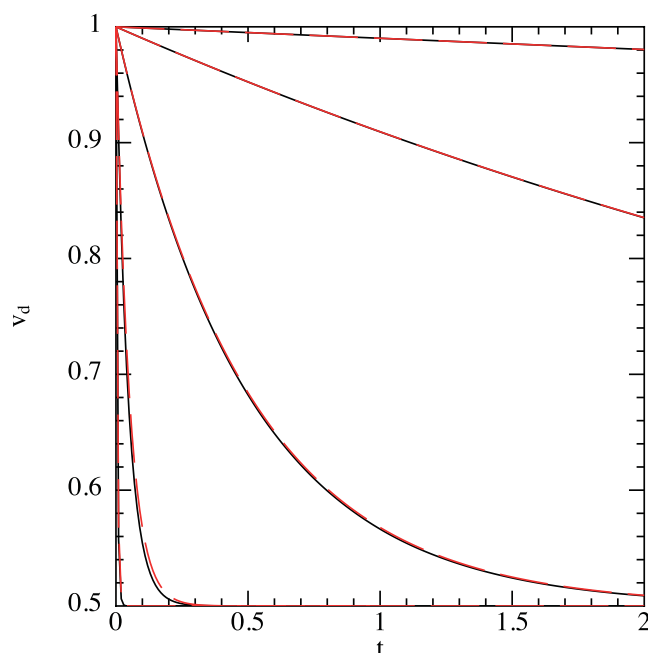
$$\frac{\partial \rho_g}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot (\rho_g \mathbf{v}_g) = 0,$$

$$\frac{\partial \rho_d}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot (\rho_d \mathbf{v}_d) = 0,$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{v}_g}{\partial t} + (\mathbf{v}_g \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{v}_g = -\frac{\nabla P_g}{\rho_g} + K(\mathbf{v}_d - \mathbf{v}_g) + \mathbf{f},$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{v}_d}{\partial t} + (\mathbf{v}_d \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{v}_d = -K(\mathbf{v}_d - \mathbf{v}_g) + \mathbf{f},$$

Stopping time



$K=0.01$

$$t_{\text{stop}} \equiv \frac{\rho_d \rho_g}{K(\rho_d + \rho_g)}$$

$K=100$

Resolution study

Laibe & Price, 2012, MNRAS 420, 2345

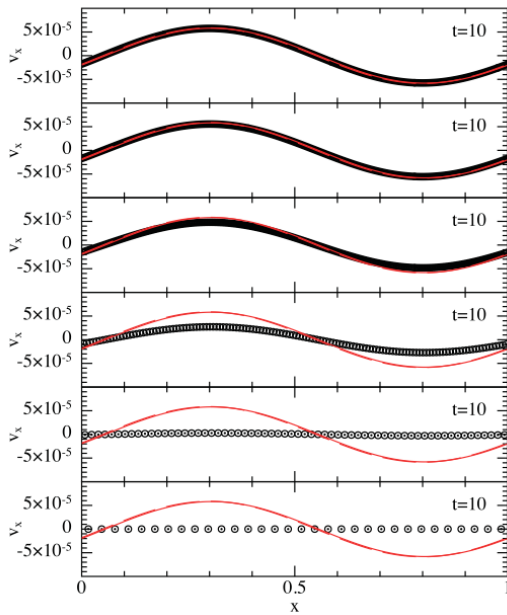


Figure 8. Resolution study for the DUSTYWAVE test in one dimension using a high drag coefficient ($K = 100$) and a dust-to-gas ratio of unity using 32, 64, 128, 256, 512 and 1024 particles from bottom to top. At large drag, high resolution is required to resolve the small differential motions between the fluids and thus to prevent overdamping of the numerical solution, corresponding to the criterion $h \lesssim c_s t_s$, here implying $\gtrsim 240$ particles. See also Fig. 9.

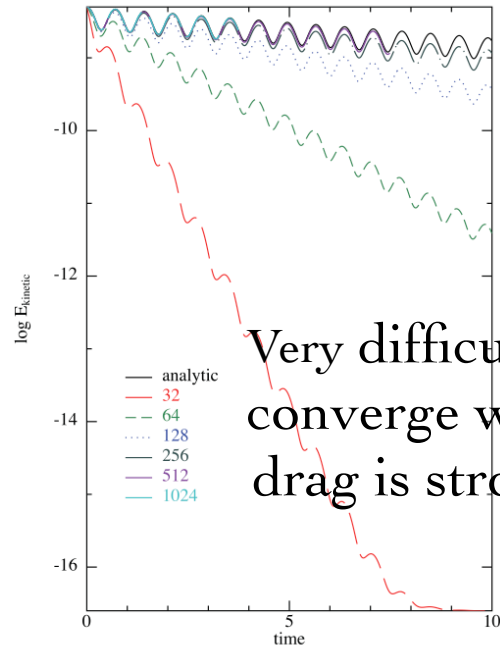


Figure 9. As in Fig. 8 but showing the kinetic energy as a function of time in the numerical solution at a progressively increasing resolution, compared to the analytic solution given by the solid black line. The kinetic energy decay converges to the analytic solution at ~ 256 –512 particles per wavelength, implying a demanding resolution criterion ($h \lesssim c_s t_s$) for high drag.

Very difficult to converge when drag is strong!

Resolution Criterion

Laibe & Price, 2012, MNRAS 420, 2345

Temporal: $\Delta t < t_{\text{stop}}$ (can be fixed with implicit timestepping methods)

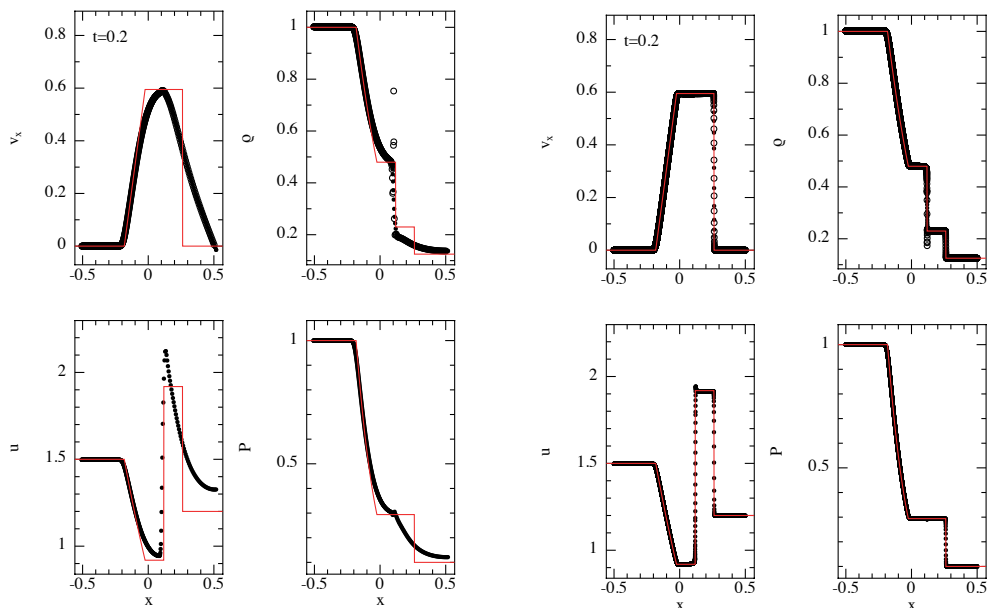
Spatial: $\Delta x \lesssim t_{\text{stop}} c_s$ (much more difficult to fix)

$$t_{\text{stop}} \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{implies} \quad \begin{aligned} \Delta t &\rightarrow 0 \\ \Delta x &\rightarrow 0 \end{aligned} \quad (K \rightarrow \infty)$$

☛ Require infinite timesteps AND infinite resolution in the obvious limit of perfect coupling!

Dustystock

Laibe & Price, 2012, MNRAS 420, 2345



sensible resolution

ludicrous resolution

Dusty Gas with One Fluid

Laibe & Price (2014a,b, MNRAS 440, 2136-2163)

- Reformulate equations on the barycentre of both fluids

$$\mathbf{v} \equiv \frac{\rho_g \mathbf{v}_g + \rho_d \mathbf{v}_d}{\rho_g + \rho_d}$$

- Change of variables, from $\mathbf{v}_g, \mathbf{v}_d, \rho_g, \rho_d$

to $\mathbf{v}, \Delta \mathbf{v}, \rho, \rho_d / \rho_g$

TWO BECOME ONE

A phoenix from the ashes

☛ Two fluids coupled by a drag term

$$\frac{\partial \rho_g}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot (\rho_g \mathbf{v}_g) = 0,$$

$$\frac{\partial \rho_d}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot (\rho_d \mathbf{v}_d) = 0,$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{v}_g}{\partial t} + (\mathbf{v}_g \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{v}_g = -\frac{\nabla P_g}{\rho_g} + K(\mathbf{v}_d - \mathbf{v}_g) + \mathbf{f},$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{v}_d}{\partial t} + (\mathbf{v}_d \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{v}_d = -K(\mathbf{v}_d - \mathbf{v}_g) + \mathbf{f},$$

TWO BECOME ONE

A phoenix from the ashes

■ One mixture with a differential velocity

$$\frac{d\rho}{dt} = -\rho(\nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}),$$

$$\frac{d\mathbf{v}}{dt} = -\frac{\nabla P_g}{\rho} - \frac{1}{\rho} \nabla \cdot \left(\frac{\rho_g \rho_d}{\rho} \Delta \mathbf{v} \Delta \mathbf{v} \right) + \mathbf{f},$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\rho_d}{\rho_g} \right) = -\frac{1}{\rho} \nabla \cdot \left(\frac{\rho_g \rho_d}{\rho} \Delta \mathbf{v} \right),$$

$$\frac{d\Delta \mathbf{v}}{dt} = -\frac{\Delta \mathbf{v}}{t_s} + \frac{\nabla P_g}{\rho_g} - (\Delta \mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{v} + \frac{1}{2} \nabla \left[\frac{\rho_d - \rho_g}{\rho_g + \rho_d} \Delta \mathbf{v}^2 \right],$$

No approximations!

Laibe & Price (2014) MNRAS

Eulerian form

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{u}}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot \mathbf{F} = \mathbf{S}$$

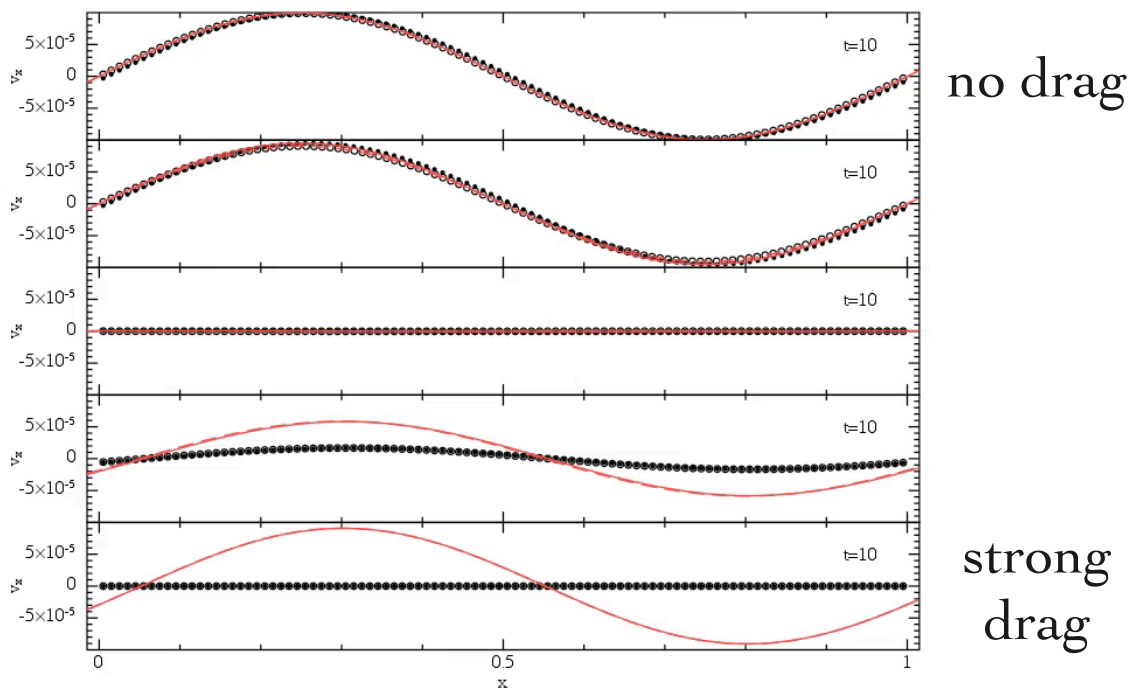
$$\mathbf{u} = \begin{bmatrix} \rho \\ \rho\epsilon \\ \rho\mathbf{v} \\ \rho\epsilon\mathbf{v}_d \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{F} = \begin{bmatrix} \rho\mathbf{v} \\ \rho\epsilon\mathbf{v}_d \\ \rho\mathbf{v}\mathbf{v} + P\mathbf{I} + \rho\epsilon(1-\epsilon)\Delta\mathbf{v}\Delta\mathbf{v} \\ \rho\epsilon\mathbf{v}_d\mathbf{v}_d \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{S} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ -K\Delta\mathbf{v} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{v}_d \equiv \mathbf{v} + (1 - \epsilon)\Delta\mathbf{v} \quad \epsilon \equiv \frac{\rho_d}{\rho}$$

Laibe & Price (2014) MNRAS

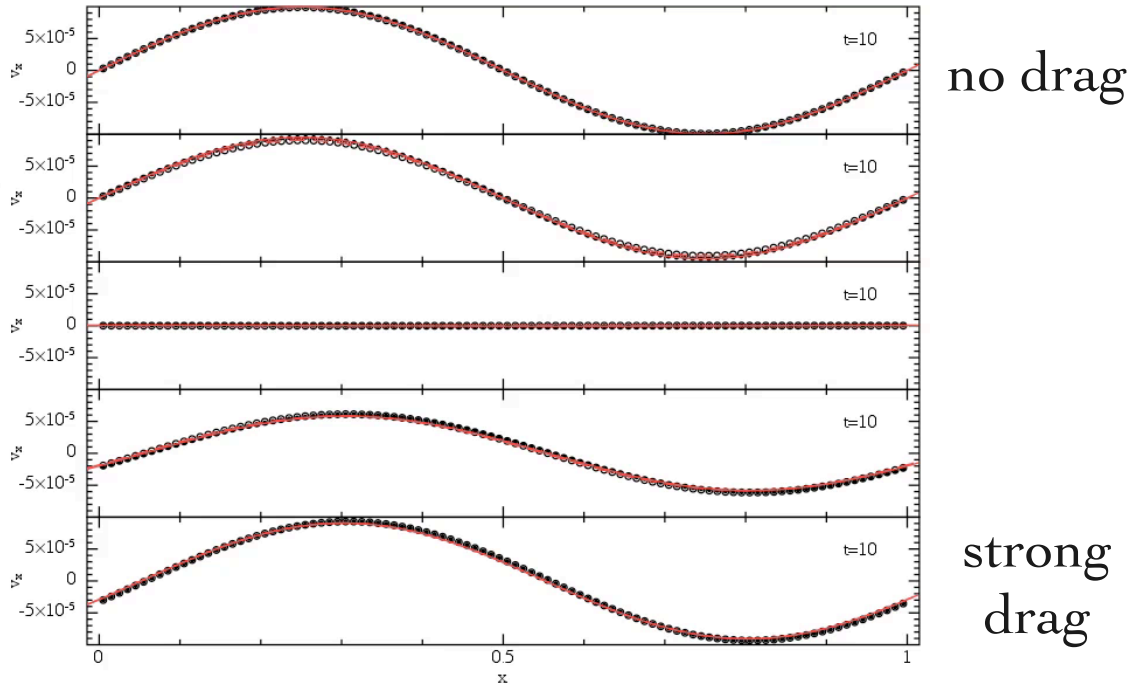
DUSTY WAVES: TWO FLUID

Laibe & Price (2012a)



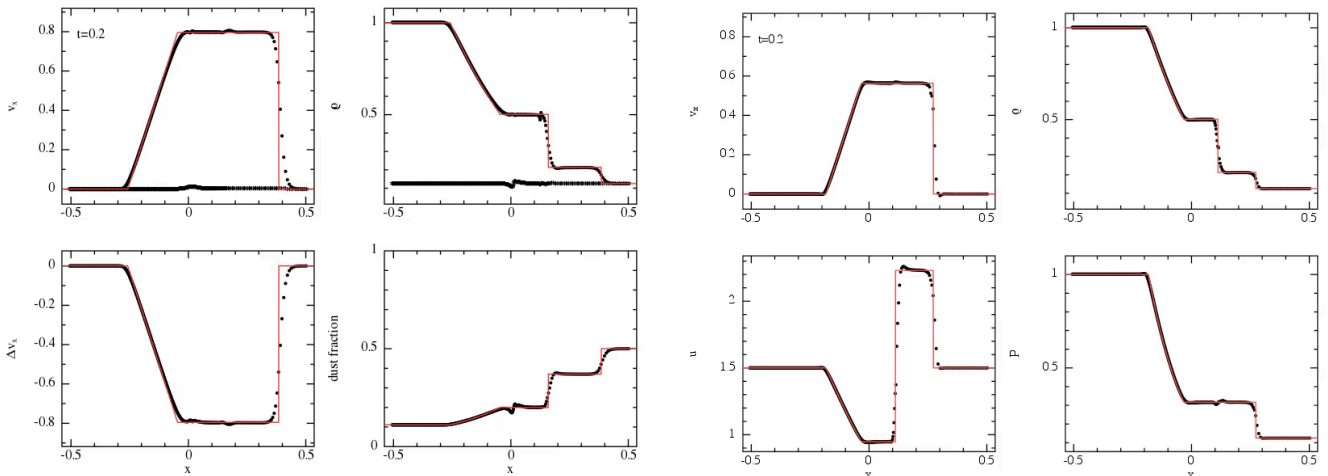
DUSTY WAVES: ONE FLUID

Laibe & Price (2014b)



Dustys shock with one fluid

Laibe & Price (2014b)



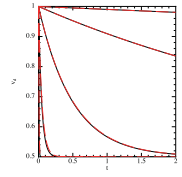
no drag

strong drag

No spatial resolution issue, but still requires implicit timestepping

Terminal velocity approximation

☛ Assume $\Delta \mathbf{v} = \frac{\nabla P_g}{\rho_g} t_s$, valid when $t_{\text{stop}} < \Delta t$



$$\frac{d\rho}{dt} = -\rho(\nabla \cdot \mathbf{v})$$

$$\frac{d\mathbf{v}}{dt} = -\frac{\nabla P}{\rho} + \mathbf{f}$$

$$\frac{d\epsilon}{dt} = -\frac{1}{\rho} \nabla \cdot (\epsilon t_s \nabla P) \quad \epsilon \equiv \frac{\rho_d}{\rho}$$

“Diffusion approximation for dust”

Breaks down when diffusion controls timestep!

Laibe & Price (2014)

See also Youdin & Goodman (2005); Chiang (2008); Barranco 2009, Jacquet et al. 2011

Zeroth order approximation

☛ Assume $\Delta \mathbf{v} = 0$, valid when $t_{\text{stop}} \ll \Delta t$

$$\frac{d\rho}{dt} = -\rho(\nabla \cdot \mathbf{v})$$

$$\frac{d\mathbf{v}}{dt} = -\frac{\nabla P}{\rho} + \mathbf{f}$$

$$\frac{d\epsilon}{dt} = 0$$

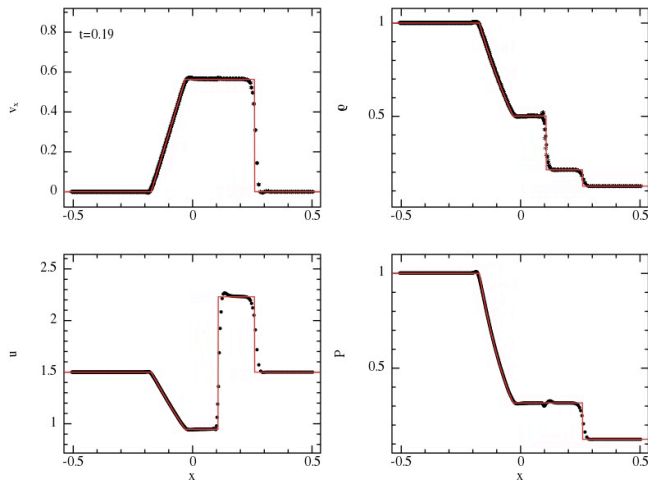
$$P = \tilde{c}_s \rho$$

“Heavy fluid”

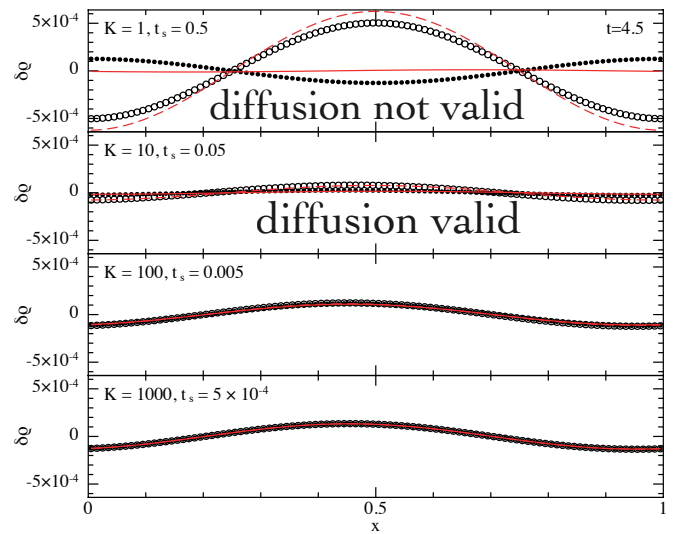
Laibe & Price (2014)

Shock+wave

Price & Laibe (in prep.)



Explicit timestepping only!



Relation to multi-fluid MHD?

$$\frac{\partial \rho_j}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot (\rho_j \mathbf{v}_j) = 0, \quad (1)$$

$$\frac{d\mathbf{v}_e}{dt} = -\frac{\nabla P_e}{\rho_e} - \frac{e}{m_e} \left(\mathbf{E} + \frac{\mathbf{v}_e}{c} \times \mathbf{B} \right) - \sum_{j=i, n} \nu_{ej} (\mathbf{v}_e - \mathbf{v}_j), \quad (2)$$

$$\frac{d\mathbf{v}_i}{dt} = -\frac{\nabla P_i}{\rho_i} + \frac{e}{m_i} \left(\mathbf{E} + \frac{\mathbf{v}_i}{c} \times \mathbf{B} \right) - \sum_{j=e, n} \nu_{ij} (\mathbf{v}_i - \mathbf{v}_j), \quad (3)$$

$$\frac{d\mathbf{v}_n}{dt} = -\frac{\nabla P_n}{\rho_n} + \sum_{j=e, i} \nu_{nj} (\mathbf{v}_j - \mathbf{v}_n). \quad (4)$$

e.g. Pandey & Wardle (2008)

Multiple fluid -> single fluid

MHD

The continuity equation for the bulk fluid is obtained by summing up equation (1) for each species:

$$\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot (\rho \mathbf{v}) = 0. \quad (11)$$

The momentum equation can be derived by adding equations (2)–(4) to obtain

$$\rho \frac{d\mathbf{v}}{dt} + \nabla \cdot \left(\frac{\rho_i \rho_n}{\rho} \mathbf{v}_D \mathbf{v}_D \right) = -\nabla P + \frac{\mathbf{J} \times \mathbf{B}}{c}, \quad (12)$$

where $P = P_e + P_i + P_n$ is the total pressure, $\mathbf{v}_D = \mathbf{v}_i - \mathbf{v}_n$ is the ion–neutral drift velocity and $\mathbf{J} = n_e e (\mathbf{v}_i - \mathbf{v}_e)$ is the current density.

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} = \nabla \times \left[(\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B}) - \frac{4\pi\eta}{c} \mathbf{J} - \frac{4\pi\eta_H}{c} \mathbf{J} \times \hat{\mathbf{B}} + \frac{4\pi\eta_A}{c} (\mathbf{J} \times \hat{\mathbf{B}}) \times \hat{\mathbf{B}} \right],$$

Pandey & Wardle (2008)

SPMHD implementation: Wurster, Price & Ayliffe (2014)

DUST

$$\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot (\rho \mathbf{v}) = 0,$$

$$\rho \frac{d\mathbf{v}}{dt} + \nabla \cdot \left[\frac{\rho_g \rho_d}{\rho} \Delta \mathbf{v} \Delta \mathbf{v} \right] = -\nabla P + \mathbf{f}$$

$$\frac{d\epsilon}{dt} = -\frac{1}{\rho} \nabla \cdot \left[\frac{\rho_g \rho_d}{\rho} \Delta \mathbf{v} \right]$$

Laibe & Price (2014)

Summary

- New single fluid formulation for dust-gas mixtures
- Solves both spatial and temporal resolution problems for small grains
- New “Diffusion approximation for dust”
- Similar to existing methods for non-ideal MHD

Corollary

- When diffusion controls the timestep, diffusion is the wrong approximation

Open-source implementation: _____