

Discontinuous Galerkin Approximation for Advection-Diffusion-Reaction problems

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A bit of History

Introduced for purely hyperbolic problems (Reed-Hill 70's, Lesaint-Raviart)

Used for second order elliptic (Douglas-Dupont school, mid 70's) and for fourth order (Baker).

Abandoned because of the big size of the final system.

Great revival some 10 years ago (mainly by Cockburn-Shu) also for applications to problems where the elliptic part is present but it is not dominant.

(example: strongly advection-dominated equations, very thin Reissner-Mindlin plates)

Advection-Diffusion-Reaction Problems

$\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^d$ ($d = 2, 3$) bounded convex (polygonal or polyhedral)

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Goal: Numerical Schemes for $\varepsilon \downarrow 0$

- *High order Accurate*
- *Stable*
- *No Problem Dependent*

Plain Conforming Approximation Fails!

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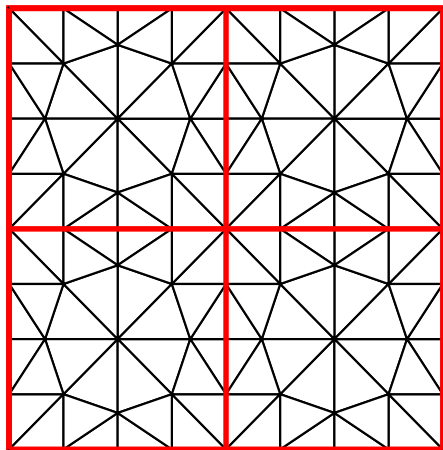
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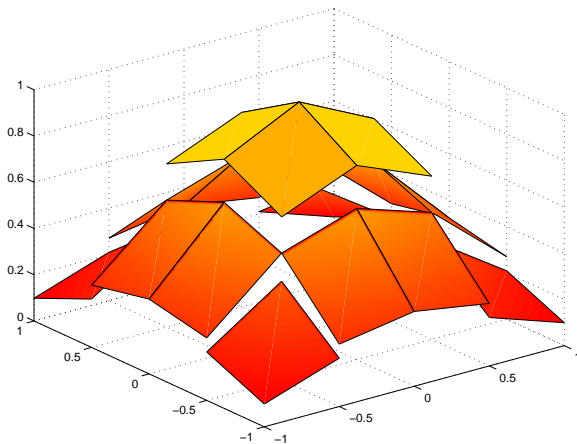
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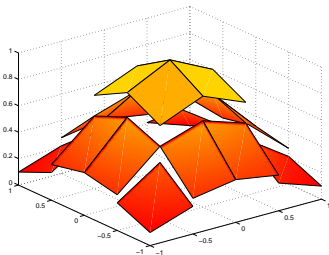


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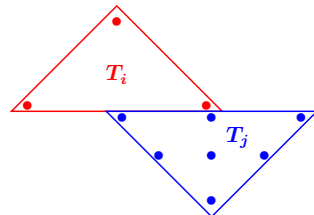
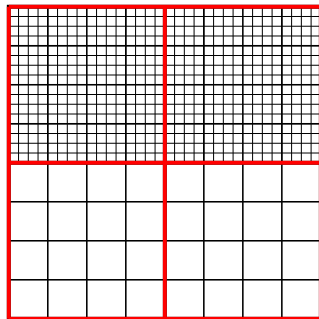
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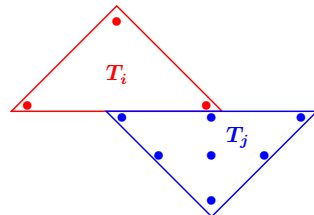
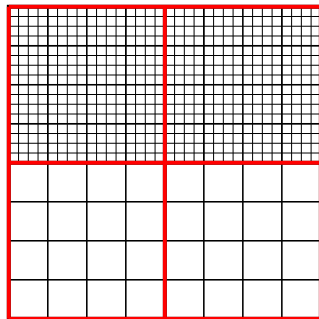
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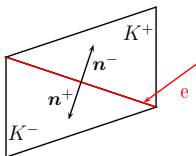
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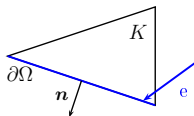
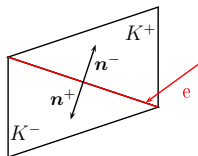
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Starting Point

We take three operators B_0 , B_1 , B_2 from $H^2(\mathcal{T}_h)$ to $L^2(\mathcal{T}_h)$, $[L^2(\mathcal{E}_h)]^d$ and $L^2(\mathcal{E}_h^\circ)$ respectively.

Then we consider the following *variational* formulation

find $u \in H^2(\mathcal{T}_h)$ such that, $\forall v \in H^2(\mathcal{T}_h)$:

$$(Au - f, B_0(v))_h + \langle [u], B_1(v) \rangle_h + \langle [\sigma], B_2(v) \rangle_h^0 = 0,$$

where

$$(u, v)_h = \sum_{K \in \mathcal{T}_h} \int_K u v \, dx \quad \langle u, v \rangle_h = \sum_{e \in \mathcal{E}_h} \int_e u v \, ds$$

and $\langle u, v \rangle_h^0$ runs only on internal edges

► Conditions on B_j 's

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(For simplicity of exposition) ε , β , γ constants: $\varepsilon > 0$, $\gamma \geq 0$.

Unique solution $u \in H^2(\Omega)$.

$$\Gamma = \Gamma^+ \cup \Gamma^-, \quad \Gamma^- = \text{inflow } (\beta \cdot \mathbf{n} < 0), \quad \Gamma^+ = \text{outflow } (\beta \cdot \mathbf{n} \geq 0)$$

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First choice - minimal choice

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For the diffusive part this choice corresponds to the IIP scheme

Dawson, Sun & Wheeler (CMAME04), Sun & Wheeler (SINUM05)

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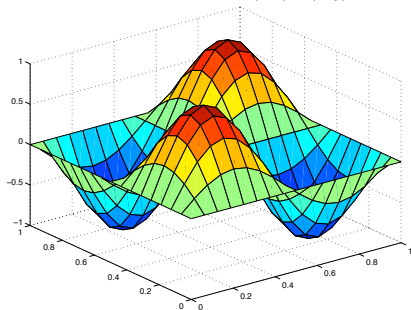
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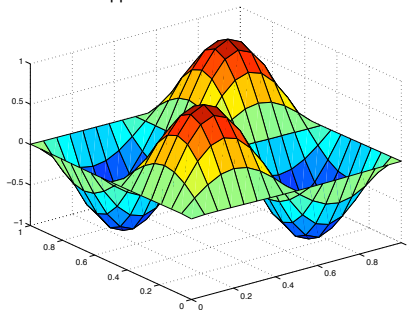
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Approximation to a Smooth Solution

exact solution: $u = \sin(2\pi x)\sin(2\pi y)$

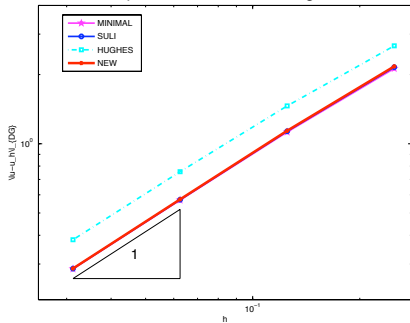


approximate solution with NEW

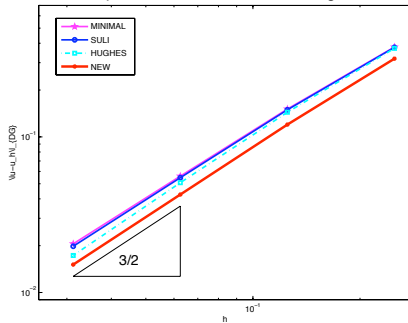


Convergence Diagrams: Unstructured Meshes

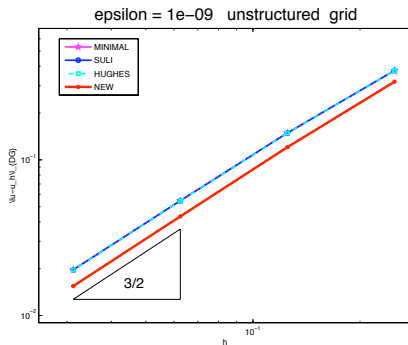
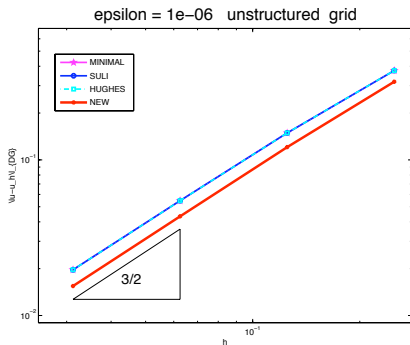
epsilon = 1 unstructured grid



epsilon = 0.001 unstructured grid



Convergence Diagrams: Smooth Solution



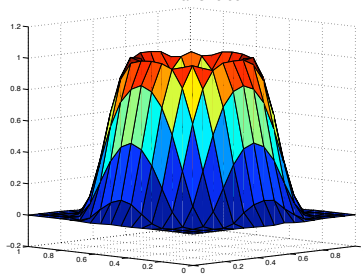
Pure Hyperbolic Problem (*Rotating Flow*)

$$\beta = \left[y - \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} - x \right]^T, \quad \gamma = 0$$

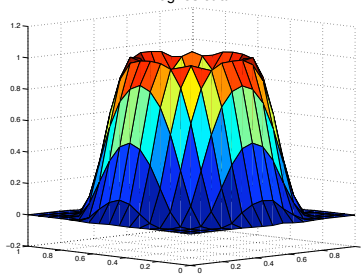
$$\begin{cases} \operatorname{div}(\beta u) = 0 & \text{in } [0, 1]^2 \\ u(1/2, y) = \sin^2(2\pi y) & y \in \left[0, \frac{1}{2}\right]. \end{cases}$$

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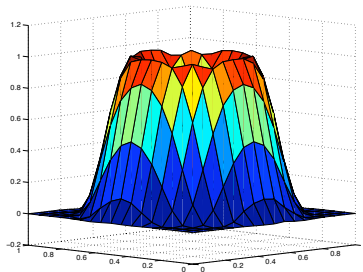
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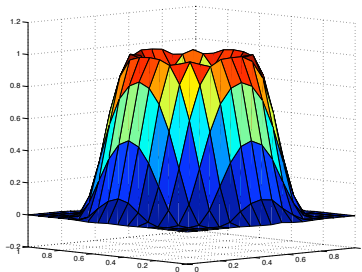
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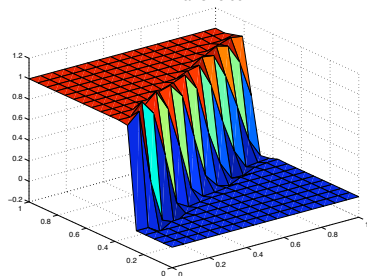


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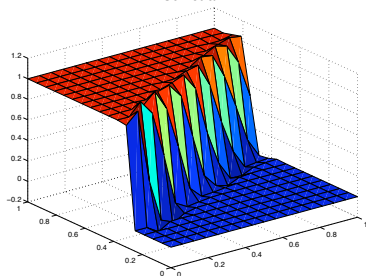


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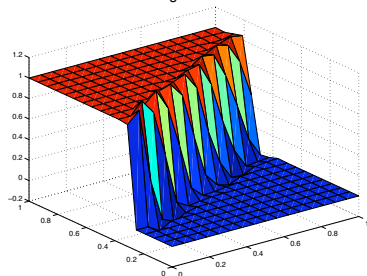
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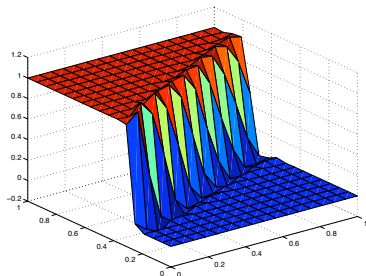
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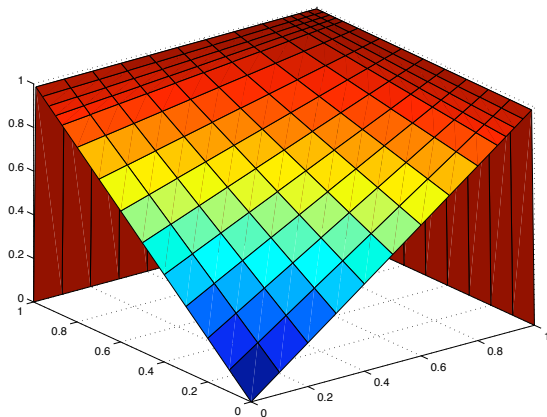


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Forcing term with Boundary Layer $\epsilon = 1e - 09$

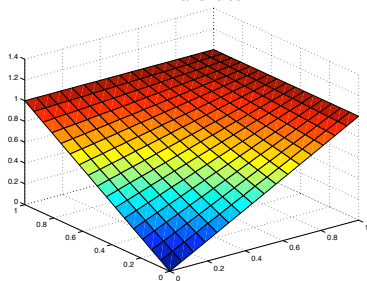
Exact Solution



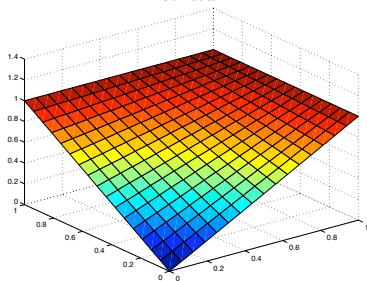
$$u(x, y) = x + y(1 - x) + \frac{e^{-1/\epsilon} - e^{-(1-x)(1-y)/\epsilon}}{1 - e^{-1/\epsilon}}, \quad (x, y) \in \Omega.$$

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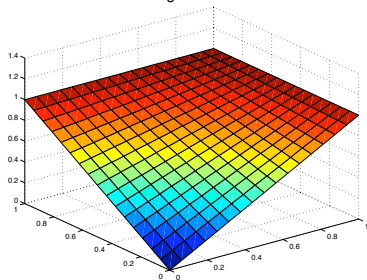
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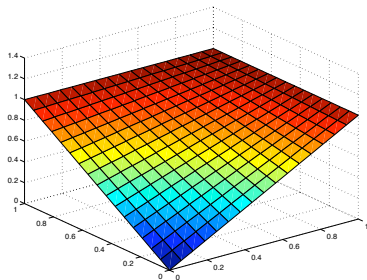
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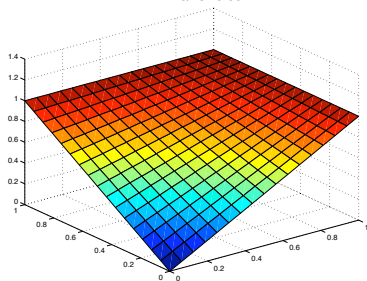


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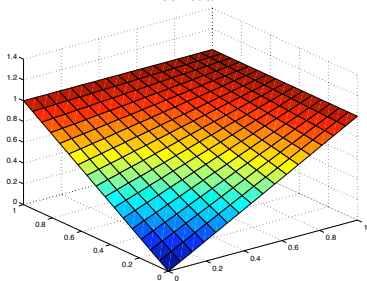


Forcing term with Boundary Layer $\epsilon = 1e - 06$

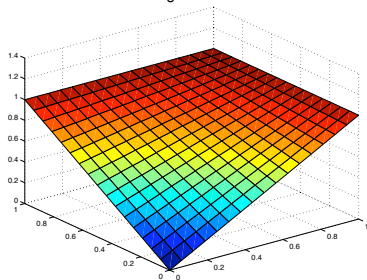
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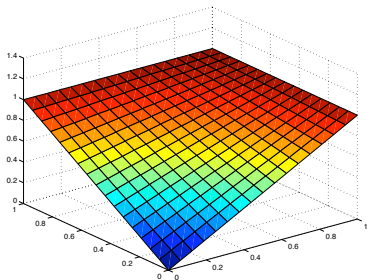
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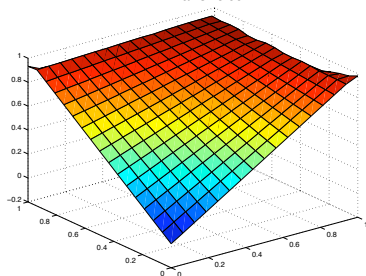


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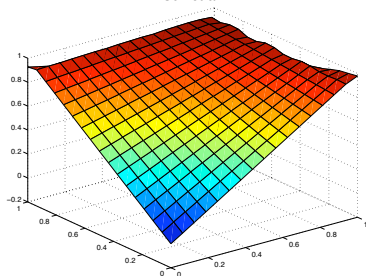


Forcing term with Boundary Layer $\epsilon = 1e - 03$

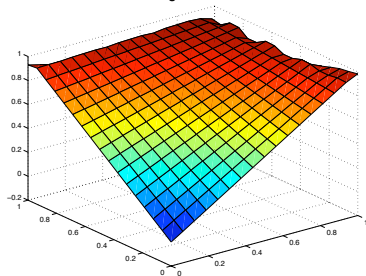
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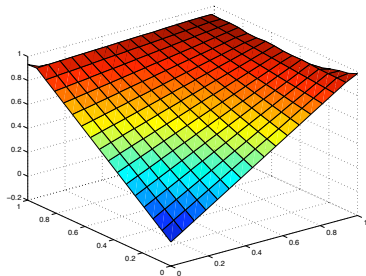
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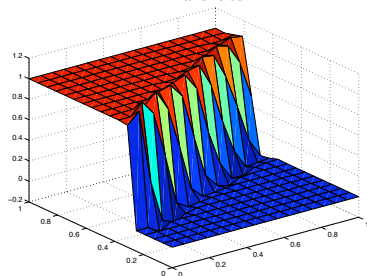
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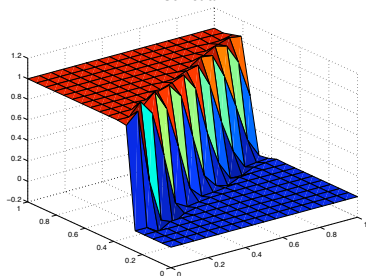
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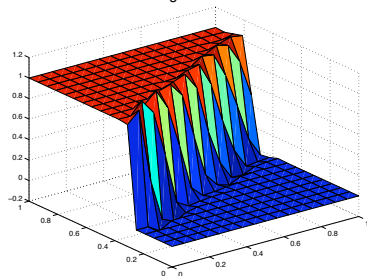
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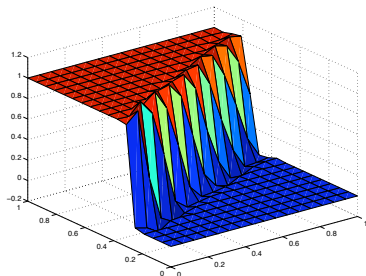
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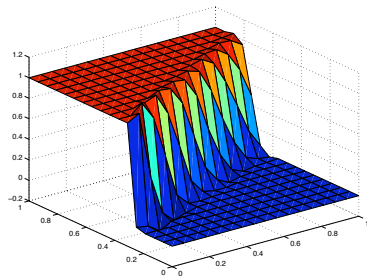


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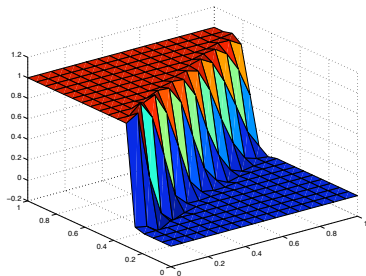


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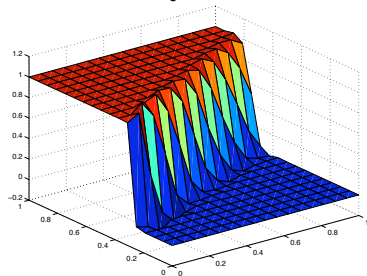
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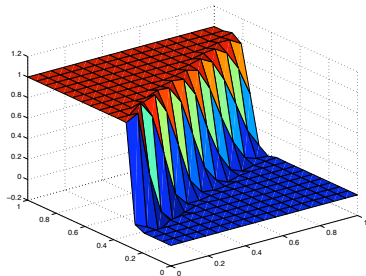
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NIPG for the diffusive part (Wheeler-Rivière-Girault (99'))

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Buffa, Hughes & Sangalli (SINUM07)

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- **Weighted Average:** Let $e = \partial K^+ \cap \partial K^-$,
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$\alpha^+ = \alpha^- = 1/2 \longrightarrow$ arithmetic average

$$\{\varphi\}_\alpha = \{\varphi\} + \frac{[\alpha]}{2} \llbracket \varphi \rrbracket$$

Let K^+ be an upwind element ($\beta \cdot \mathbf{n}^+ > 0$) then $\alpha = (1, 0)$

$$\{\varphi\}_\alpha \equiv (\varphi)_{upw} = \varphi^+ \quad \{\varphi\}_{1-\alpha} \equiv (\varphi)_{dw} = \varphi^-$$

$\alpha^i = (\text{sign}(\beta \cdot \mathbf{n}^i) + 1)/2 \longrightarrow$ classical upwind

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