



Wave propagation methods for hyperbolic problems on mapped grids

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Talk objective



- Review a body-fitted mapped grid approach for numerical approximation of hyperbolic balance laws in multi-D with complex geometries
- Present numerical results for problems arising from
 - Compressible inviscid gas flow
 - Barotropic cavitating flow
 - Shallow granular avalanches

Mathematical model



Consider a hyperbolic balance laws of the form

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} q(\vec{x}, t) + \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} f_j(q, \vec{x}) = \psi(q)$$

in a general multidimensional domain

- $\vec{x} = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_N)$: spatial vector, t : time
- $q \in \mathbb{R}^m$: vector of m state quantities
- $f_j \in \mathbb{R}^m$: flux vector, $\psi \in \mathbb{R}^m$: source terms

Model is assumed to be **hyperbolic**, where $\sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j (\partial f_j / \partial q)$ is diagonalizable with **real e-values** $\forall \alpha_j \in \mathbb{R}$

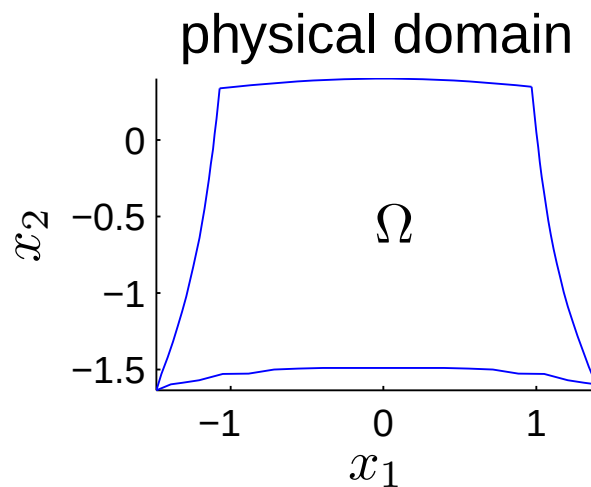
Mathematical model (Cont.)



In a body-fitted mapped grid approach, we introduce a coordinate change $\vec{x} \mapsto \vec{\xi}$ via

$$\vec{\xi} = (\xi_1, \xi_2, \dots, \xi_N), \quad \xi_j = \xi_j(\vec{x})$$

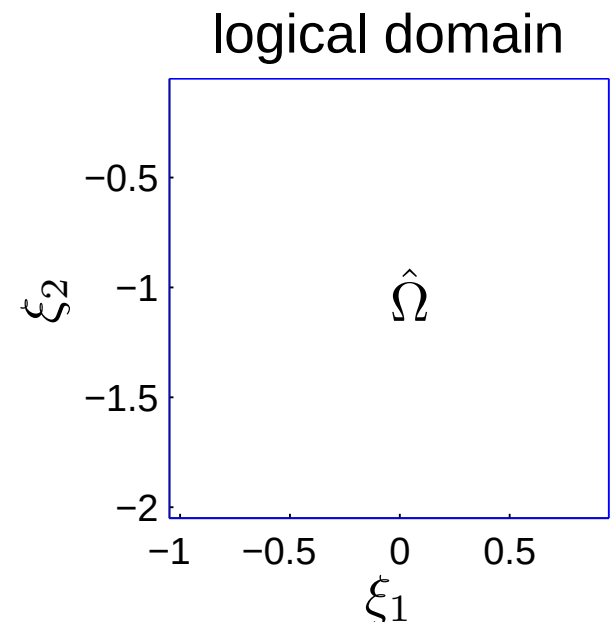
that transform a physical domain Ω to a logical one $\hat{\Omega}$, see below when $N = 2$,



mapping



$$\begin{aligned} \xi_1 &= \xi_1(x_1, x_2) \\ \xi_2 &= \xi_2(x_1, x_2) \end{aligned}$$



Mathematical model (Cont.)



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that transform a physical domain Ω to a logical one $\hat{\Omega}$, and so equations into the form

$$\frac{\partial q}{\partial t} + \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{\partial \tilde{f}_j}{\partial \xi_j} = \psi(q)$$

with

$$\tilde{f}_j = \sum_{k=1}^N f_k \frac{\partial \xi_j}{\partial x_k}$$

Mathematical model (Cont.)



Basic coordinate mapping relations in $N = 3$ are

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \partial_{x_1} \xi_1 & \partial_{x_2} \xi_1 & \partial_{x_3} \xi_1 \\ 0 & \partial_{x_1} \xi_2 & \partial_{x_2} \xi_2 & \partial_{x_3} \xi_2 \\ 0 & \partial_{x_1} \xi_3 & \partial_{x_2} \xi_3 & \partial_{x_3} \xi_3 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{J} \begin{pmatrix} J & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & J_{11} & J_{21} & J_{31} \\ 0 & J_{12} & J_{22} & J_{32} \\ 0 & J_{13} & J_{23} & J_{33} \end{pmatrix}$$

where $J = |\partial(x_1, x_2, x_3)/\partial(\xi_1, \xi_2, \xi_3)| = \det(\partial(x_1, x_2, x_3)/\partial(\xi_1, \xi_2, \xi_3))$,

$$\begin{aligned} J_{11} &= \left| \frac{\partial(x_2, x_3)}{\partial(\xi_2, \xi_3)} \right|, & J_{21} &= \left| \frac{\partial(x_1, x_3)}{\partial(\xi_3, \xi_2)} \right|, & J_{31} &= \left| \frac{\partial(x_1, x_2)}{\partial(\xi_2, \xi_3)} \right|, \\ J_{12} &= \left| \frac{\partial(x_2, x_3)}{\partial(\xi_3, \xi_1)} \right|, & J_{22} &= \left| \frac{\partial(x_1, x_3)}{\partial(\xi_1, \xi_3)} \right|, & J_{32} &= \left| \frac{\partial(x_1, x_2)}{\partial(\xi_3, \xi_1)} \right|, \\ J_{13} &= \left| \frac{\partial(x_2, x_3)}{\partial(\xi_1, \xi_2)} \right|, & J_{23} &= \left| \frac{\partial(x_1, x_3)}{\partial(\xi_2, \xi_1)} \right|, & J_{33} &= \left| \frac{\partial(x_1, x_2)}{\partial(\xi_1, \xi_2)} \right|. \end{aligned}$$

Compressible Euler equations



● Cartesian coordinate case

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \begin{pmatrix} \rho \\ \rho u_i \\ E \end{pmatrix} + \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} \begin{pmatrix} \rho u_j \\ \rho u_i u_j + p \delta_{ij} \\ E u_j + p u_j \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -\rho \partial_{x_i} \phi \\ -\rho \vec{u} \cdot \nabla \phi \end{pmatrix}, \quad i = 1, \dots, N$$

● Generalized coordinate case

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \begin{pmatrix} \rho \\ \rho u_i \\ E \end{pmatrix} + \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{\partial}{\partial \xi_j} \begin{pmatrix} \rho U_j \\ \rho u_i U_j + p \partial_{x_i} \xi_j \\ E U_j + p U_j \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -\rho \partial_{x_i} \phi \\ -\rho \vec{u} \cdot \nabla \phi \end{pmatrix}$$

ρ : density, $p = p(\rho, e)$: pressure, e : internal energy

$E = \rho e + \rho \sum_{j=1}^N u_j^2 / 2$: total energy, ϕ : gravitational potential

$U_j = \partial_t \xi_j + \sum_{i=1}^N u_i \partial_{x_i} \xi_j$: contravariant velocity in ξ_j -direction

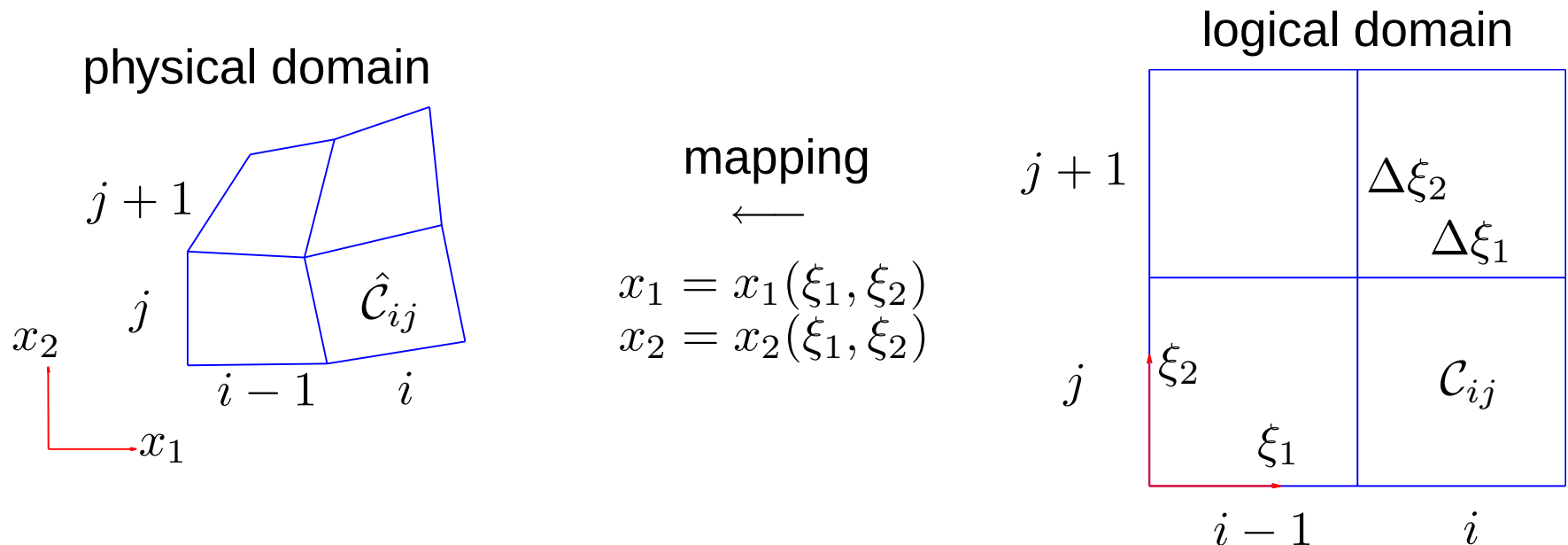
Finite volume approximation



Employ **finite volume** formulation of numerical solution

$$Q_{ijk}^n \approx \frac{1}{\Delta\xi_1 \Delta\xi_2 \Delta\xi_3} \int_{C_{ijk}} q(\xi_1, \xi_2, \xi_3, t_n) dV$$

that gives **approximate** value of **cell average** of solution q over cell C_{ijk} at time t_n (sample case in 2D shown below)



Finite volume (Cont.)



In three dimensions $N = 3$, equations to be solved take

$$\frac{\partial q}{\partial t} + \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{\partial \tilde{f}_j}{\partial \xi_j} = \psi(q)$$

A simple **dimensional-splitting** method based on wave propagation approach of LeVeque *et al.* is used, *i.e.*,

- Solve one-dimensional Riemann problem normal at each cell interfaces
- Use resulting **jumps of fluxes** (decomposed into each wave family) of Riemann solution to update cell averages
- Introduce **limited** jumps of fluxes to achieve high resolution

Finite volume (Cont.)



Basic steps of a dimensional-splitting scheme

● ξ_1 -sweeps: solve

$$\frac{\partial q}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial \tilde{f}_1}{\partial \xi_1} = 0 \quad \text{updating} \quad Q_{ijk}^n \quad \text{to} \quad Q_{ijk}^*$$

● ξ_2 -sweeps: solve

$$\frac{\partial q}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial \tilde{f}_2}{\partial \xi_2} = 0 \quad \text{updating} \quad Q_{ijk}^* \quad \text{to} \quad Q_{ijk}^{**}$$

● ξ_3 -sweeps: solve

$$\frac{\partial q}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial \tilde{f}_3}{\partial \xi_3} = 0, \quad \text{updating} \quad Q_{ijk}^{**} \quad \text{to} \quad Q_{ijk}^{n+1}$$

Finite volume (Cont.)



Consider ξ_1 -sweeps, for example,

● First order update is

$$Q_{ijk}^* = Q_{ijk}^n - \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta \xi_1} \left[(\mathcal{A}_1^+ \Delta Q)_{i-1/2,jk}^n + (\mathcal{A}_1^- \Delta Q)_{i+1/2,jk}^n \right]$$

with the fluctuations

$$(\mathcal{A}_1^+ \Delta Q)_{i-1/2,jk}^n = \sum_{m: (\lambda_{1,m})_{i-1/2,jk}^n > 0} (\mathcal{Z}_{1,m})_{i-1/2,jk}^n$$

and

$$(\mathcal{A}_1^- \Delta Q)_{i+1/2,jk}^n = \sum_{m: (\lambda_{1,m})_{i+1/2,jk}^n < 0} (\mathcal{Z}_{1,m})_{i+1/2,jk}^n$$

$(\lambda_{1,m})_{i-1/2,jk}^n$ & $(\mathcal{Z}_{1,m})_{i-1/2,jk}^n$ are in turn wave speed and f -waves for the m th family of the 1D Riemann problem solutions

Finite volume (Cont.)



- High resolution correction is

$$Q_{ijk}^* := Q_{ijk}^* - \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta \xi_1} \left[\left(\tilde{\mathcal{F}}_1 \right)_{i+1/2,jk}^n - \left(\tilde{\mathcal{F}}_1 \right)_{i-1/2,jk}^n \right]$$

$$\text{with } \left(\tilde{\mathcal{F}}_1 \right)_{i-1/2,jk}^n = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{m=1}^{m_w} \left[\text{sign}(\lambda_{1,m}) \left(1 - \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta \xi_1} |\lambda_{1,m}| \right) \tilde{\mathcal{Z}}_{1,m} \right]_{i-1/2,jk}^n$$

$\tilde{\mathcal{Z}}_{\iota,m}$ is a limited value of $\mathcal{Z}_{\iota,m}$

It is clear that this method belongs to a class of upwind schemes, and is stable when the typical CFL (Courant-Friedrichs-Lewy) condition:

$$\nu = \frac{\Delta t \max_m (\lambda_{1,m}, \lambda_{2,m}, \lambda_{3,m})}{\min (\Delta \xi_1, \Delta \xi_2, \Delta \xi_3)} \leq 1,$$

Smooth vortex flow: accuracy test



- Compressible Euler equations with ideal gas law
- Initial condition for vortex is set by

$$\rho = \left(1 - \frac{25(\gamma - 1)}{8\gamma\pi^2} \exp(1 - r^2) \right)^{1/(\gamma-1)},$$

$$p = \rho^\gamma,$$

$$u_1 = 1 - \frac{5}{2\pi} \exp((1 - r^2)/2) (x_2 - 5),$$

$$u_2 = 1 + \frac{5}{2\pi} \exp((1 - r^2)/2) (x_1 - 5),$$

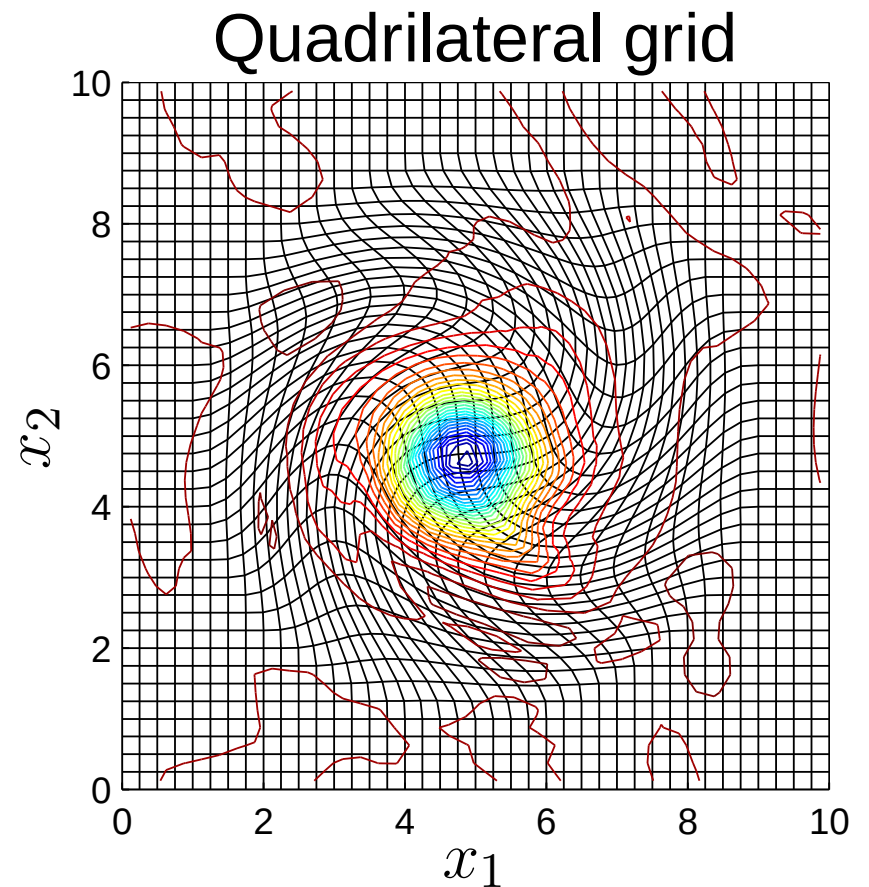
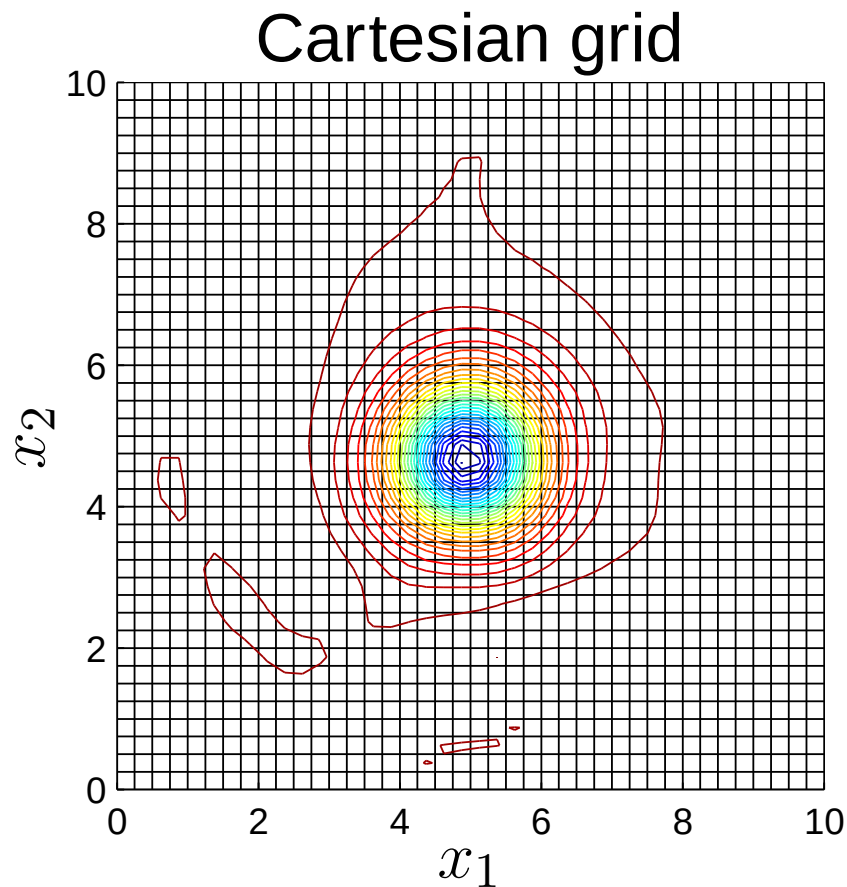
$$r = \sqrt{(x_1 - 5)^2 + (x_2 - 5)^2}$$

- $\|E_z\|_{1,\infty} = \|z_{\text{comput}} - z_{\text{exact}}\|_{1,\infty}$: discrete 1- or maximum-norm for state variable z

Smooth vortex flow: accuracy test



- Density contours on a 40×40 grid at time $t = 10$



Smooth vortex flow: accuracy test



● Cartesian grid results

Mesh size	40×40	80×80	160×160	320×320	Order
$\ E_\rho\ _1$	7.0710(-1)	1.9186(-1)	4.7927(-2)	1.1941(-2)	1.97
$\ E_p\ _1$	8.5264(-1)	2.3594(-1)	5.9209(-2)	1.4721(-2)	1.96
$\ E_{u_1}\ _1$	2.3716(00)	6.1437(-1)	1.5298(-1)	3.8204(-2)	1.99
$\ E_{u_2}\ _1$	1.9377(00)	4.7673(-1)	1.1773(-1)	2.9262(-2)	2.02
$\ E_\rho\ _\infty$	1.4587(-1)	3.8860(-2)	9.5936(-3)	2.3179(-3)	2.00
$\ E_p\ _\infty$	1.8528(-1)	5.0122(-2)	1.2401(-2)	3.0285(-3)	1.98
$\ E_{u_1}\ _\infty$	3.9934(-1)	1.0488(-1)	2.4857(-2)	6.1654(-3)	2.01
$\ E_{u_2}\ _\infty$	2.0948(-1)	5.5860(-2)	1.3506(-2)	3.3386(-3)	2.00

Smooth vortex flow: accuracy test



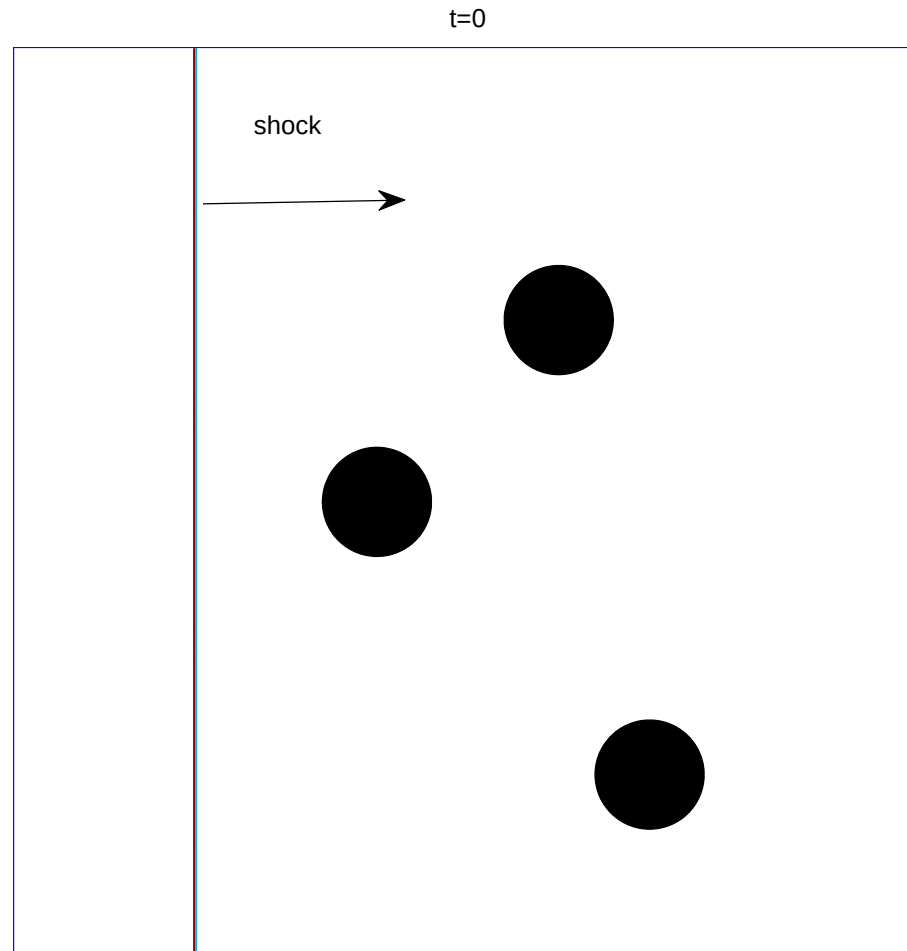
● Quadrilateral grid results

Mesh size	40×40	80×80	160×160	320×320	Order
$\ E_\rho\ _1$	1.1921(00)	4.1732(-1)	1.6058(-1)	7.0078(-2)	1.36
$\ E_p\ _1$	1.4984(00)	5.3128(-1)	2.1063(-1)	9.3740(-2)	1.33
$\ E_{u_1}\ _1$	2.7085(00)	8.5937(-1)	2.8118(-1)	1.0743(-1)	1.56
$\ E_{u_2}\ _1$	2.3014(00)	7.4990(-1)	2.7248(-1)	1.1608(-1)	1.44
$\ E_\rho\ _\infty$	1.8793(-1)	6.2063(-2)	1.9104(-2)	7.0730(-3)	1.59
$\ E_p\ _\infty$	2.2841(-1)	7.2502(-2)	2.1285(-2)	7.9266(-3)	1.63
$\ E_{u_1}\ _\infty$	4.0762(-1)	1.3207(-1)	4.2383(-2)	1.5737(-2)	1.57
$\ E_{u_2}\ _\infty$	2.6456(-1)	9.0362(-2)	2.7416(-2)	1.2385(-2)	1.50

Shock waves over circular array



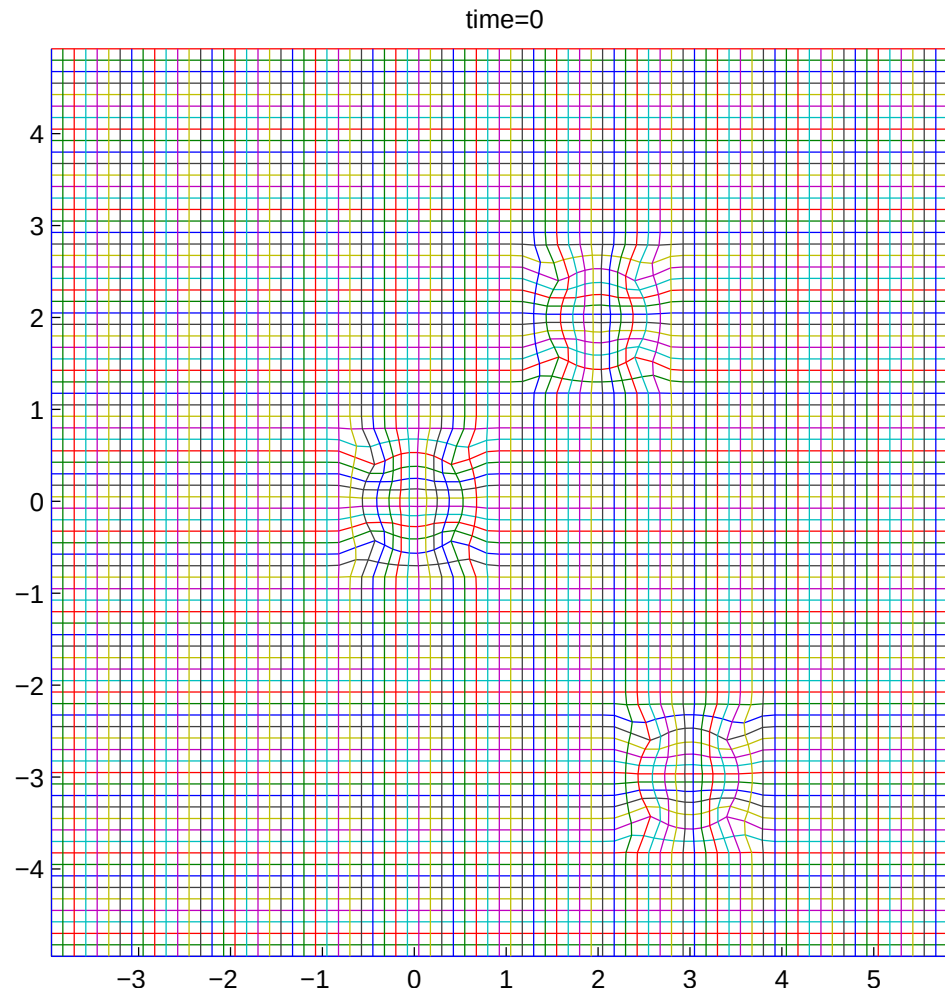
- A Mach 1.42 shock wave in water over a circular array



Shock waves over circular array



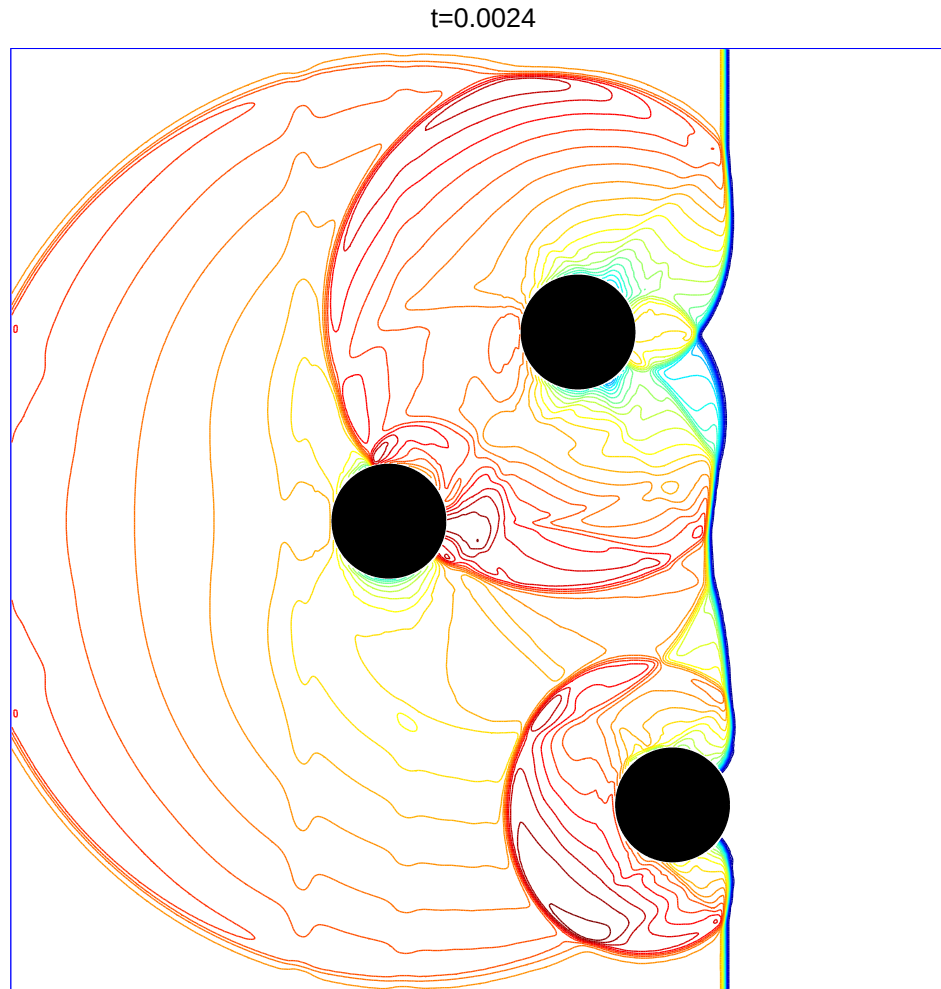
● Grid system



Shock waves over circular array



● Contours for density

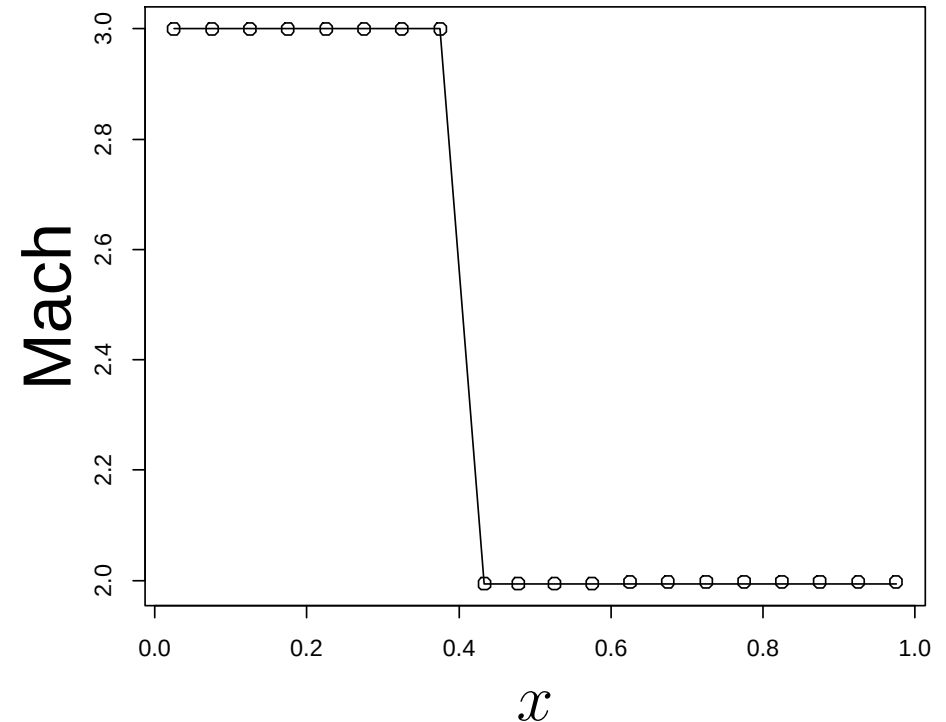
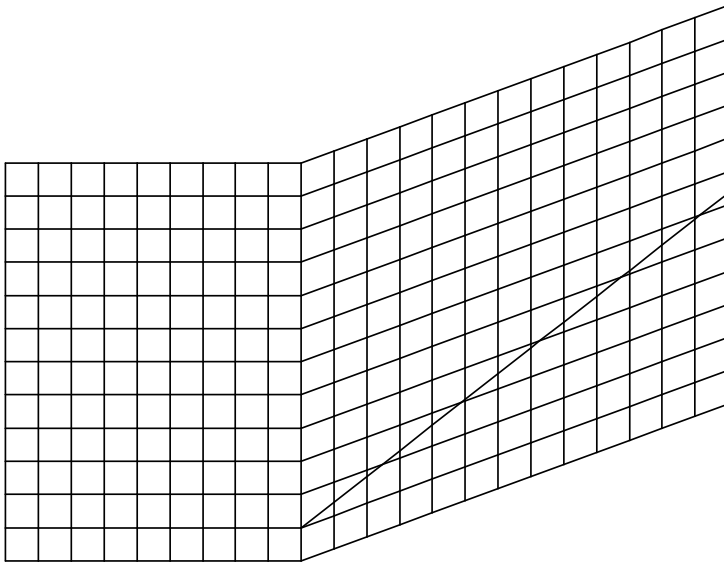


Steady state shock tracking



- A Mach 3 compressible gas flow over a 20° ramp
- Exact shock location (an oblique shock with 37.8°) is inserted into underlying grid for computation

Grid



Compressible Multiphase Flow



- Homogeneous equilibrium pressure & velocity across material interfaces
- Volume-fraction based model equations (Shyue JCP '98, Allaire *et al.* JCP '02)

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} (\alpha_i \rho_i) + \frac{1}{J} \sum_{j=1}^{N_d} \frac{\partial}{\partial \xi_j} (\alpha_i \rho_i U_j) = 0, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, m_f$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} (\rho u_i) + \frac{1}{J} \sum_{j=1}^{N_d} \frac{\partial}{\partial \xi_j} (\rho u_i U_j + p J_{ji}) = 0, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, N_d,$$

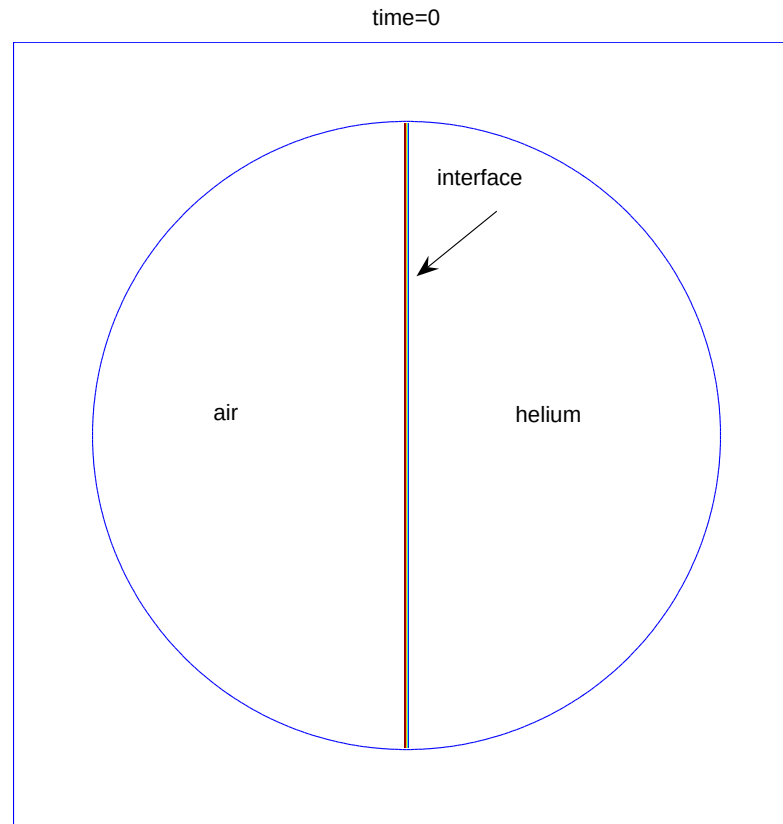
$$\frac{\partial E}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{J} \sum_{j=1}^{N_d} \frac{\partial}{\partial \xi_j} (E U_j + p U_j) = 0,$$

$$\frac{\partial \alpha_i}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{J} \sum_{j=1}^{N_d} U_j \frac{\partial \alpha_i}{\partial \xi_j} = 0, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, m_f - 1;$$

Moving cylindrical vessel



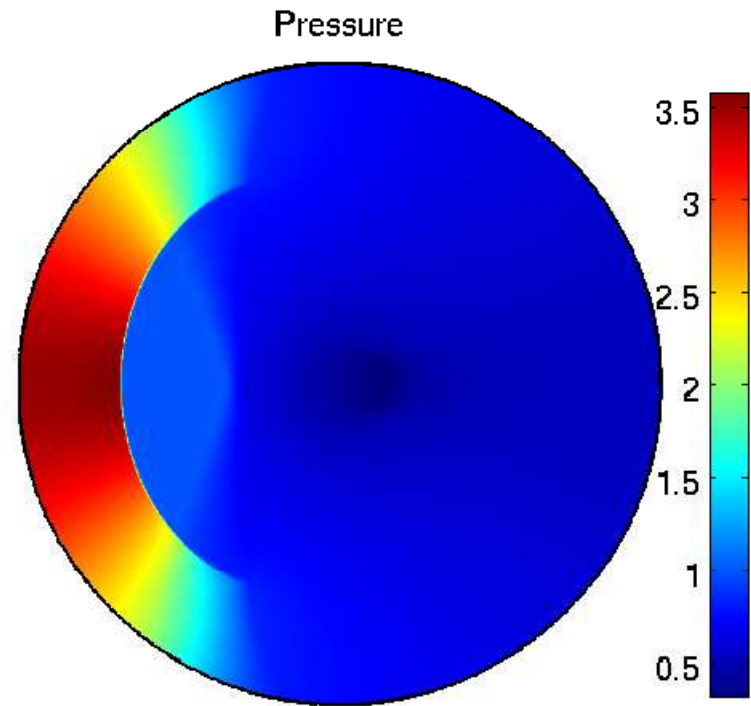
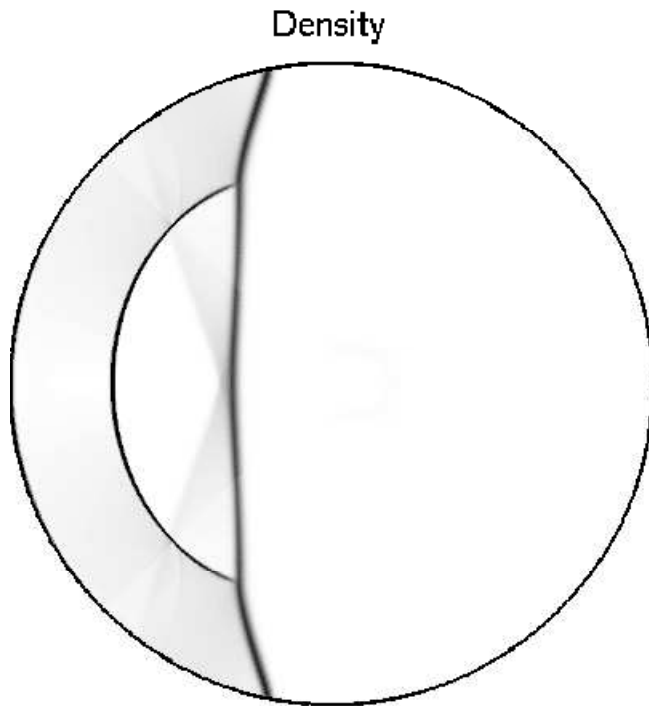
Initial setup



Moving cylindrical vessel



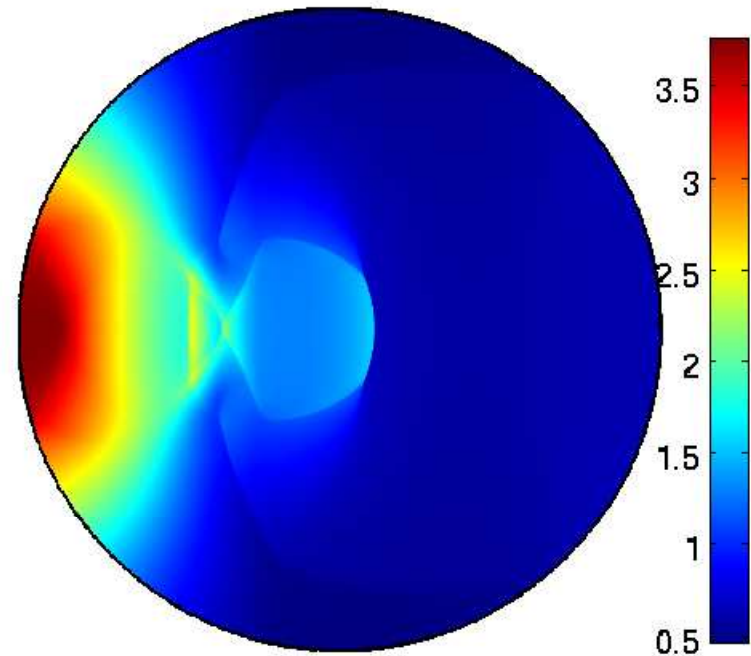
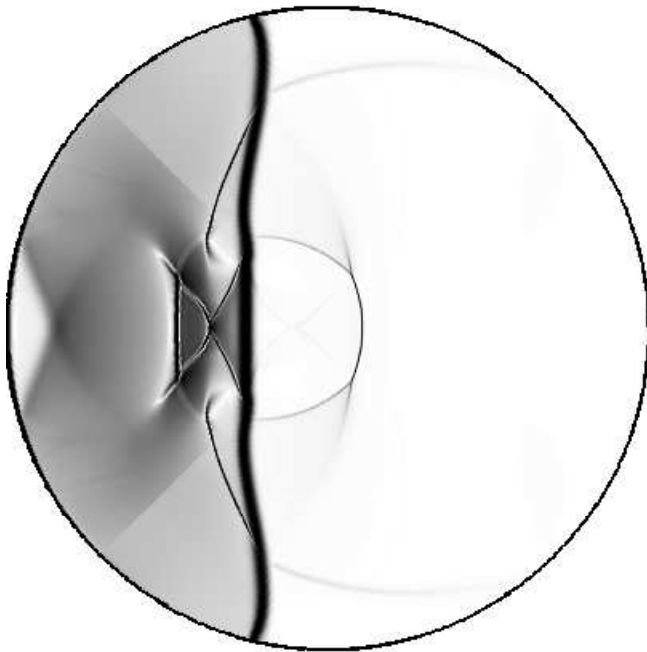
- Solution at time $t = 0.25$



Moving cylindrical vessel



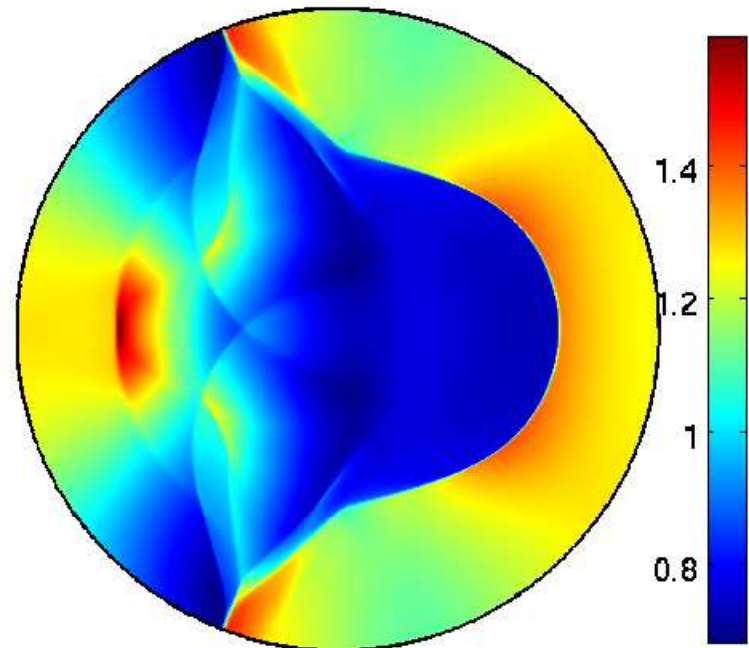
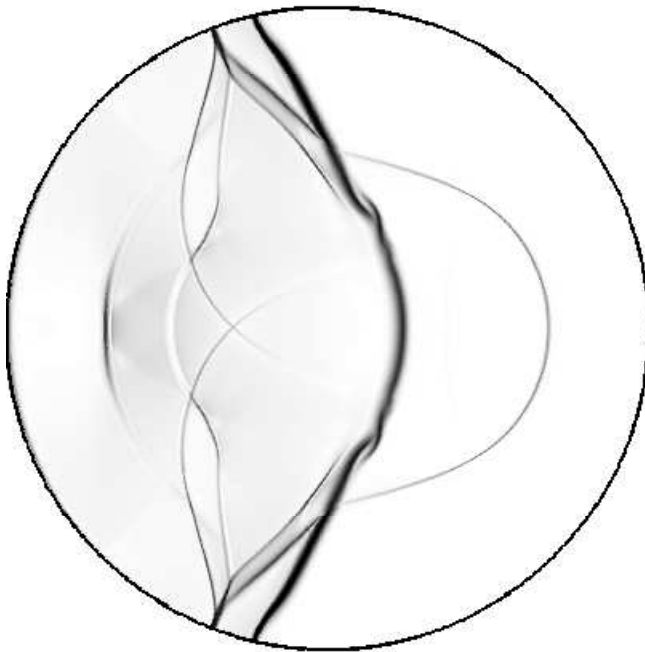
- Solution at time $t = 0.5$



Moving cylindrical vessel



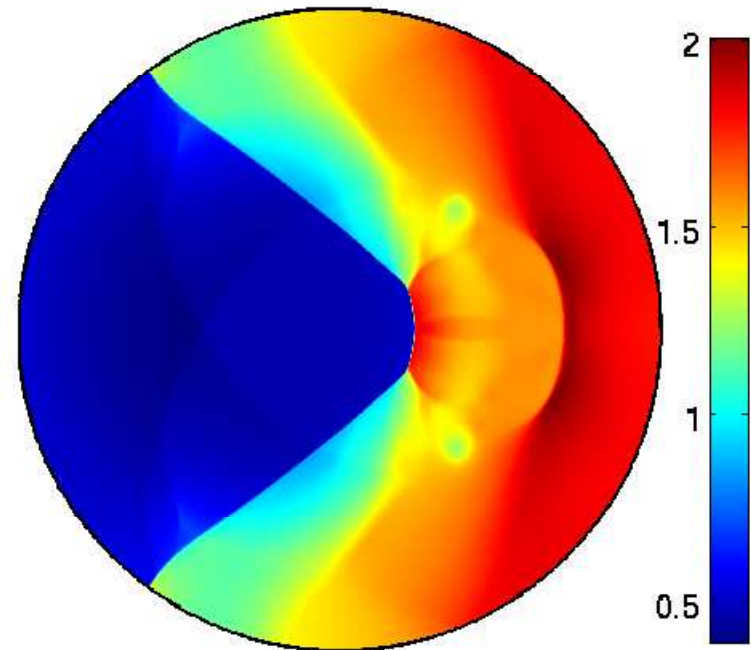
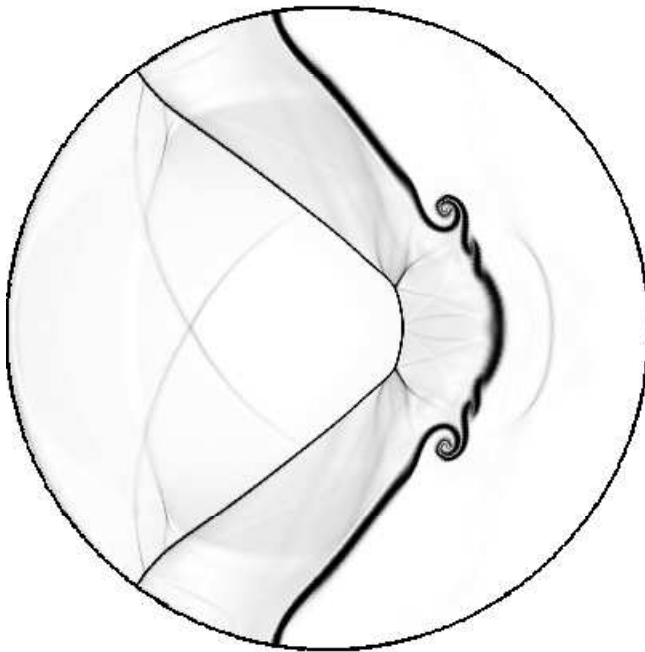
- Solution at time $t = 0.75$



Moving cylindrical vessel



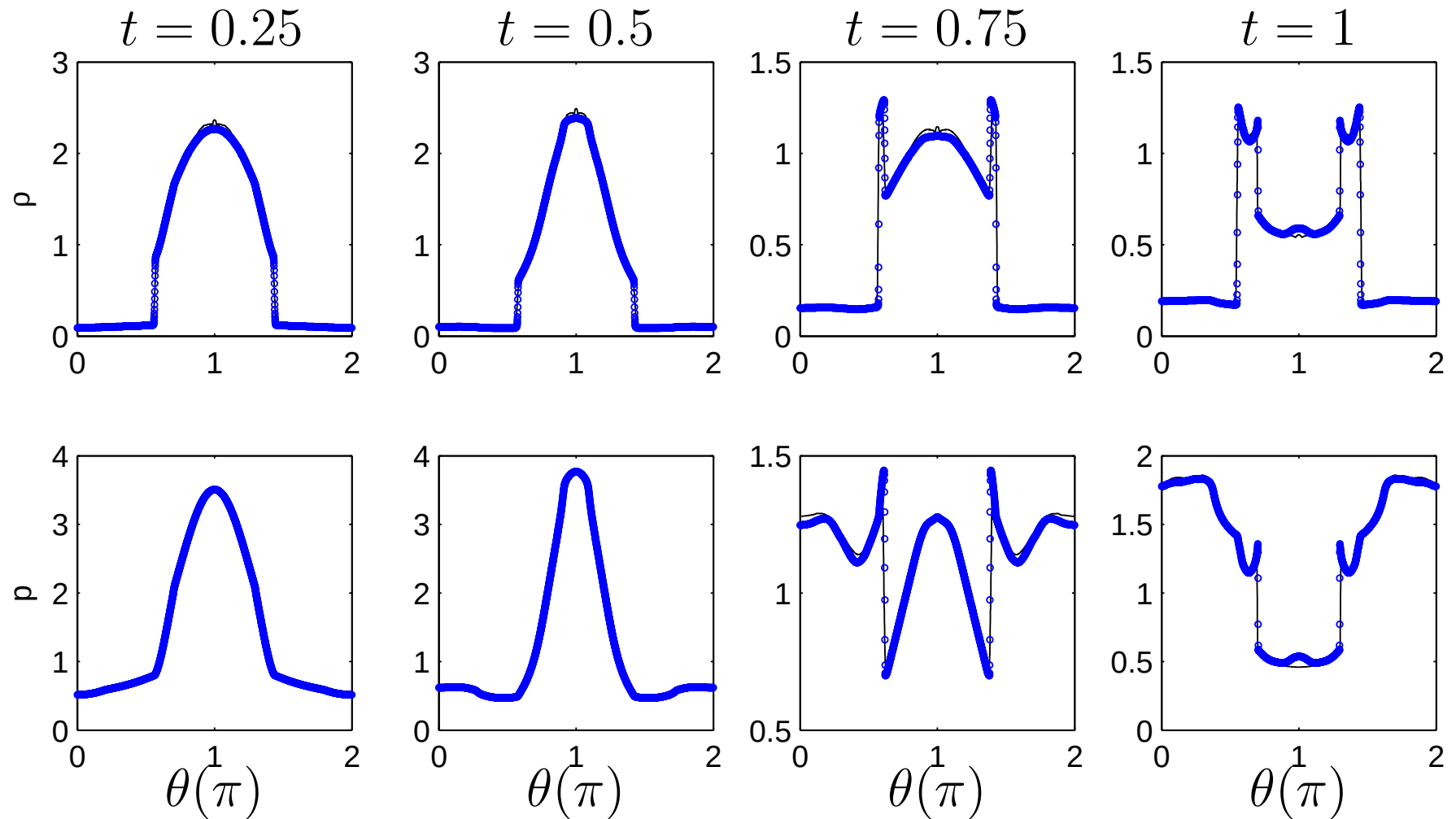
● Solution at time $t = 1$



Moving cylindrical vessel



● cross-sectional plot along boundary



Barotropic cavitating flow



- A relaxation model of Saurel *et al.* (JCP '090)

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} (\alpha_1 \rho_1) + \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} (\alpha_1 \rho_1 u_j) = 0,$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} (\alpha_2 \rho_2) + \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} (\alpha_2 \rho_2 u_j) = 0,$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} (\rho u_i) + \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} (\rho u_i u_j + p \delta_{ij}) = 0, \quad i = 1, \dots, N$$

$$\frac{\partial \alpha_1}{\partial t} + \sum_{j=1}^N u_j \frac{\partial \alpha_1}{\partial x_j} = \frac{1}{\mu} (p_1(\rho_1) - p_2(\rho_2))$$

Each phasic pressure p_ι satisfies $p_\iota(\rho) = (p_0 + \mathcal{B})(\rho/\rho_0)^\gamma - \mathcal{B}$

Mixture pressure p satisfies $p = \alpha_1 p_1 + \alpha_2 p_2$, μ parameter

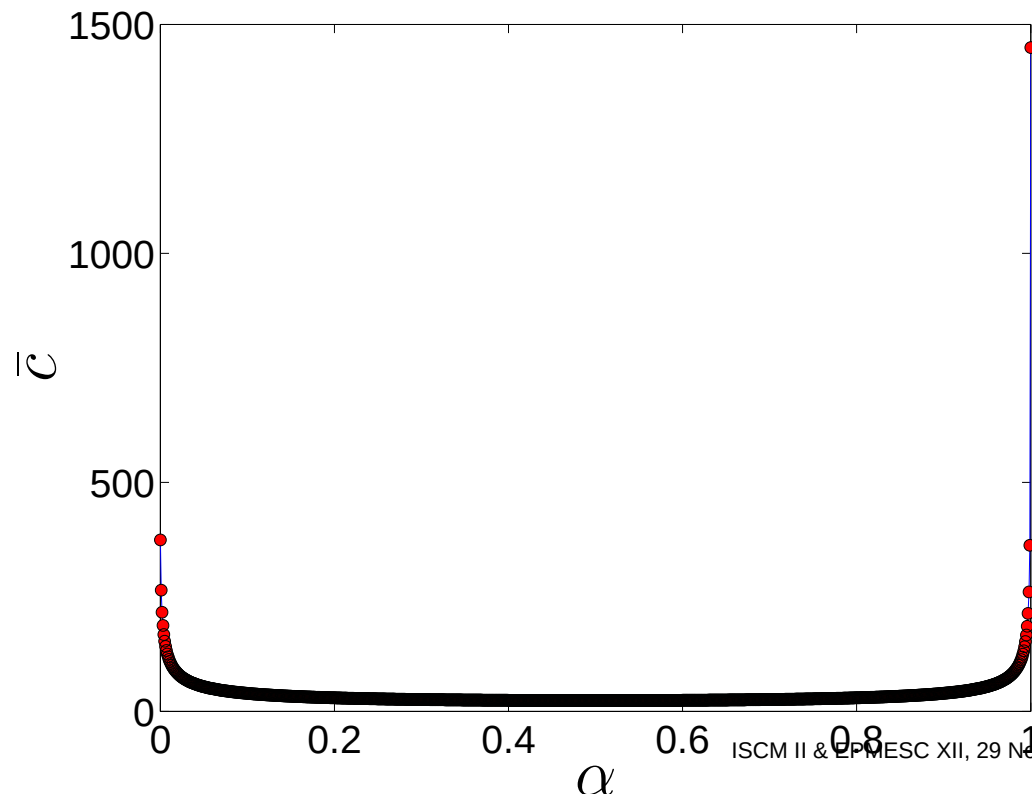
Mixture speed of sound



- Wood formula (stiffness in $\bar{c}$ vs. α)

$$\frac{1}{\rho \bar{c}^2} = \frac{\alpha}{\rho_W c_W^2} + \frac{1 - \alpha}{\rho_g c_g^2}$$

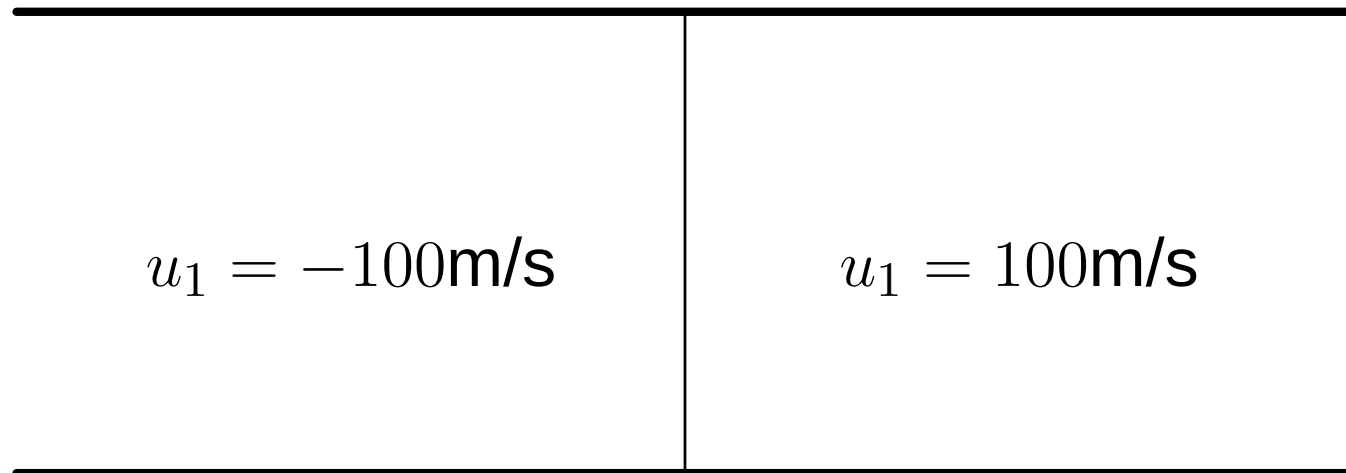
$$\rho_W = 10^3 \text{kg/m}^3, \quad c_W = 1449.4 \text{m/s}, \quad \rho_g = 1.0 \text{kg/m}^3, \quad c_g = 374.2 \text{m/s}$$



Cavitation test: 1D



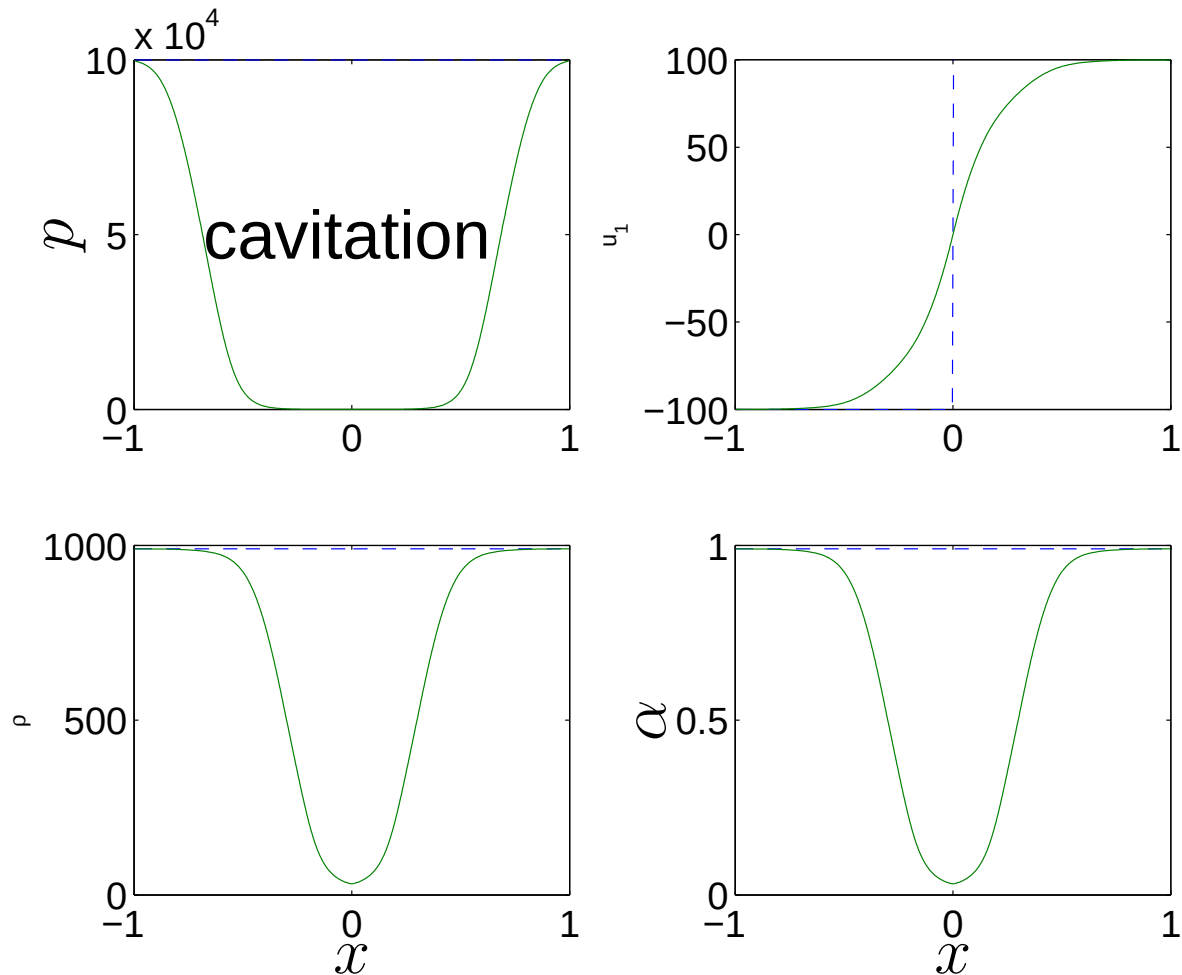
- Homogeneous gas-liquid mixture with $\alpha_g = 10^{-2}$



Cavitation test: 1D



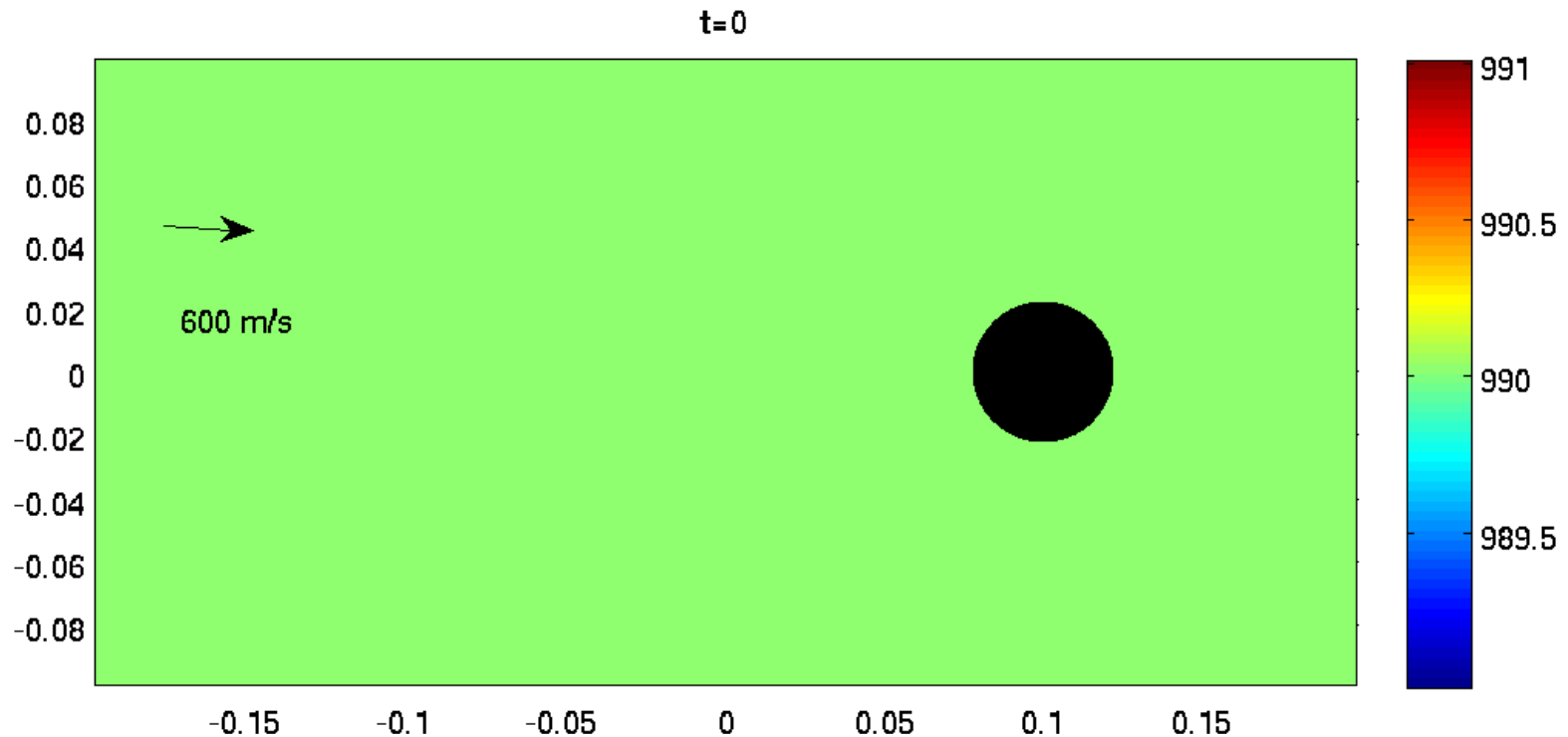
● Formation of cavitating gas bubble



Cavitation test: 2D steady state



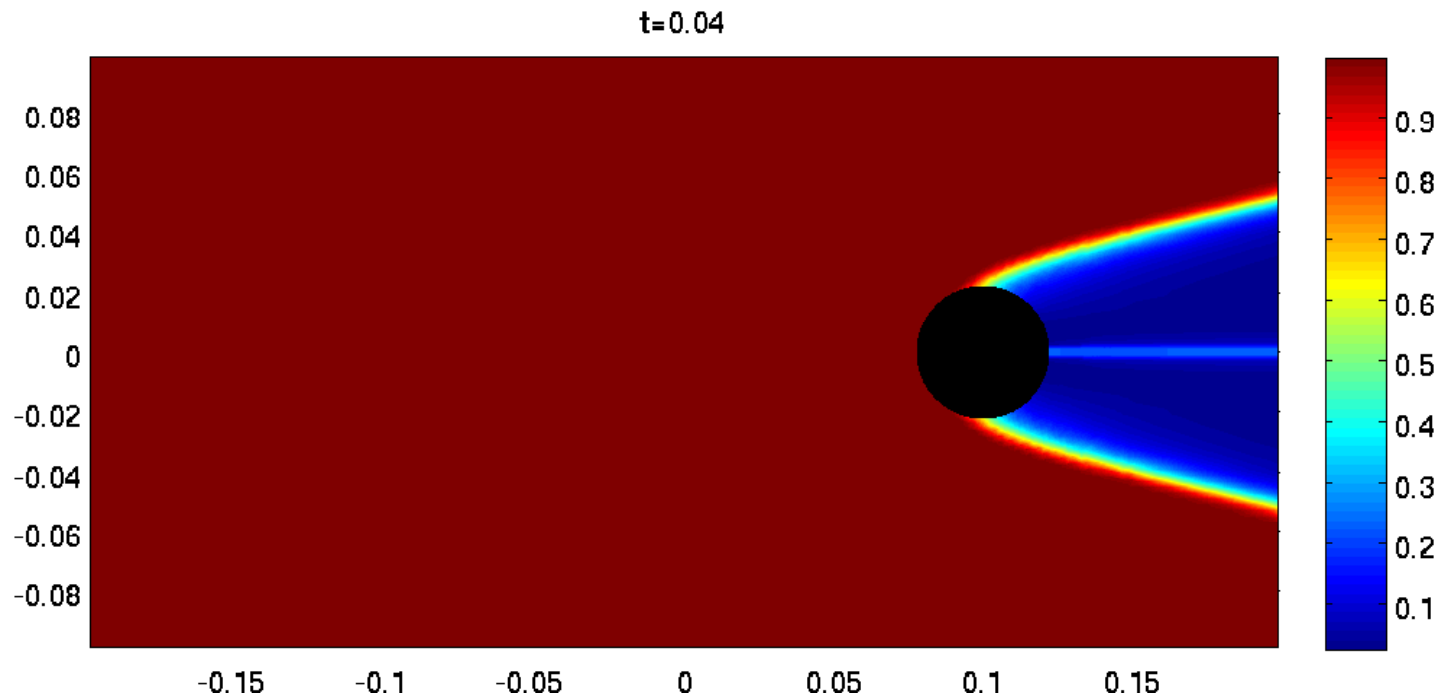
- Uniform gas-liquid mixture with speed 600m /s over a circular region



Cavitation test: 2D steady state



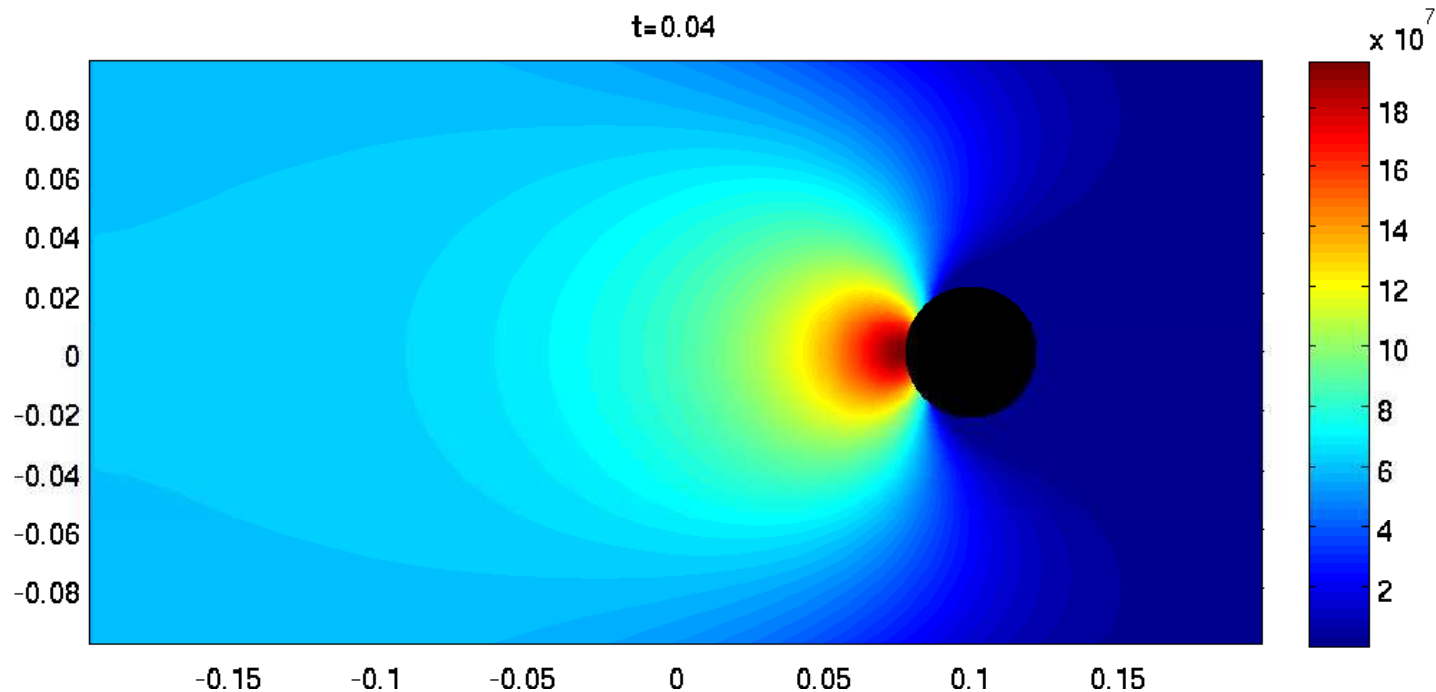
- Pseudo colors of volume fraction
- Formation of cavitation zone (Onset–shock induced, diffusion, ... ?)



Cavitation test: 2D steady state



- Pseudo colors of pressure
- Smooth transition across liquid-gas phase boundary

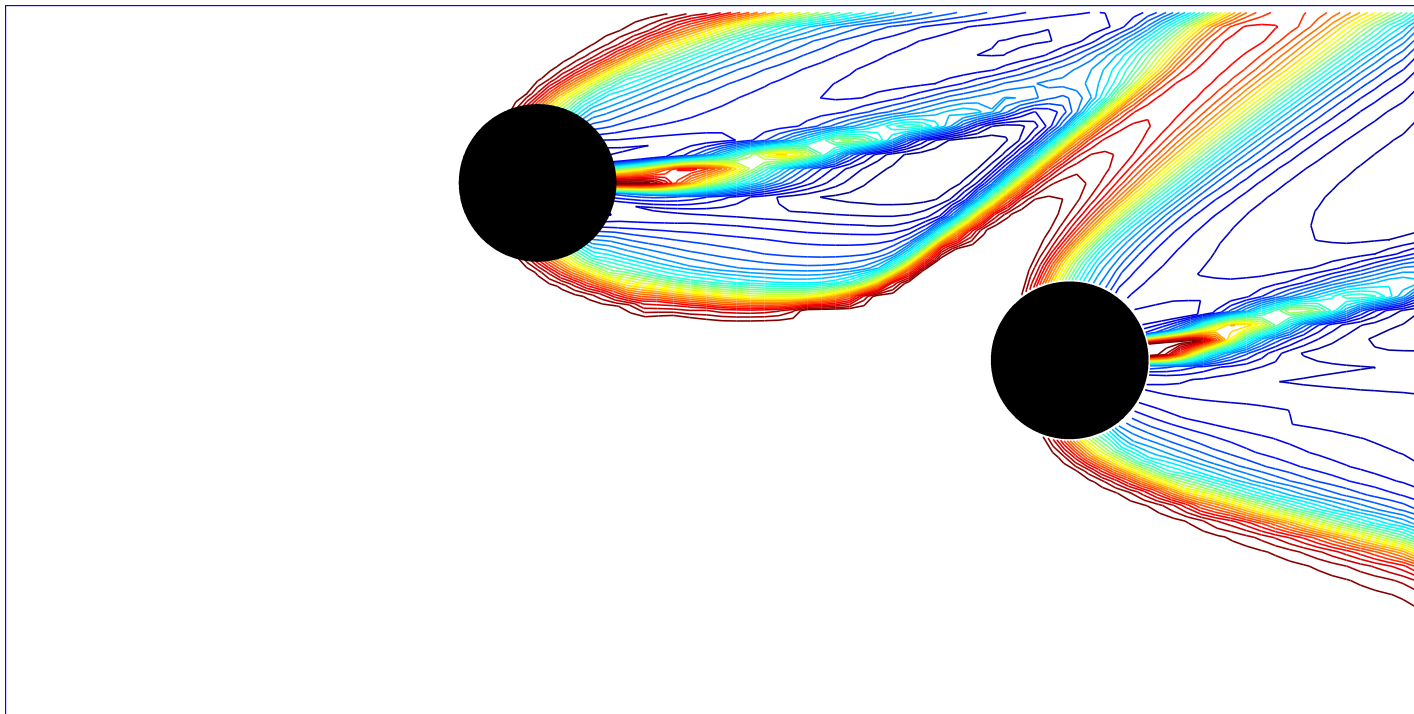


Cavitation test: 2D steady state



- Pseudo colors of volume fraction: 2 circular case
- Convergence of solution as the mesh is refined ?

$t=0.05$



Shallow granular avalanches



● Depth-average Savage-Hutter equations

$$\frac{\partial h}{\partial t} + \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} (h u_j) = 0,$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} (h u_i) + \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} \left(h u_i u_j + \frac{1}{2} \beta_x h^2 \delta_{ij} \right) = h \psi_i, \quad i = 1, \dots, N,$$

where Mohr-Coulomb closure is used with

$$\beta_x = K_x \cos \zeta,$$

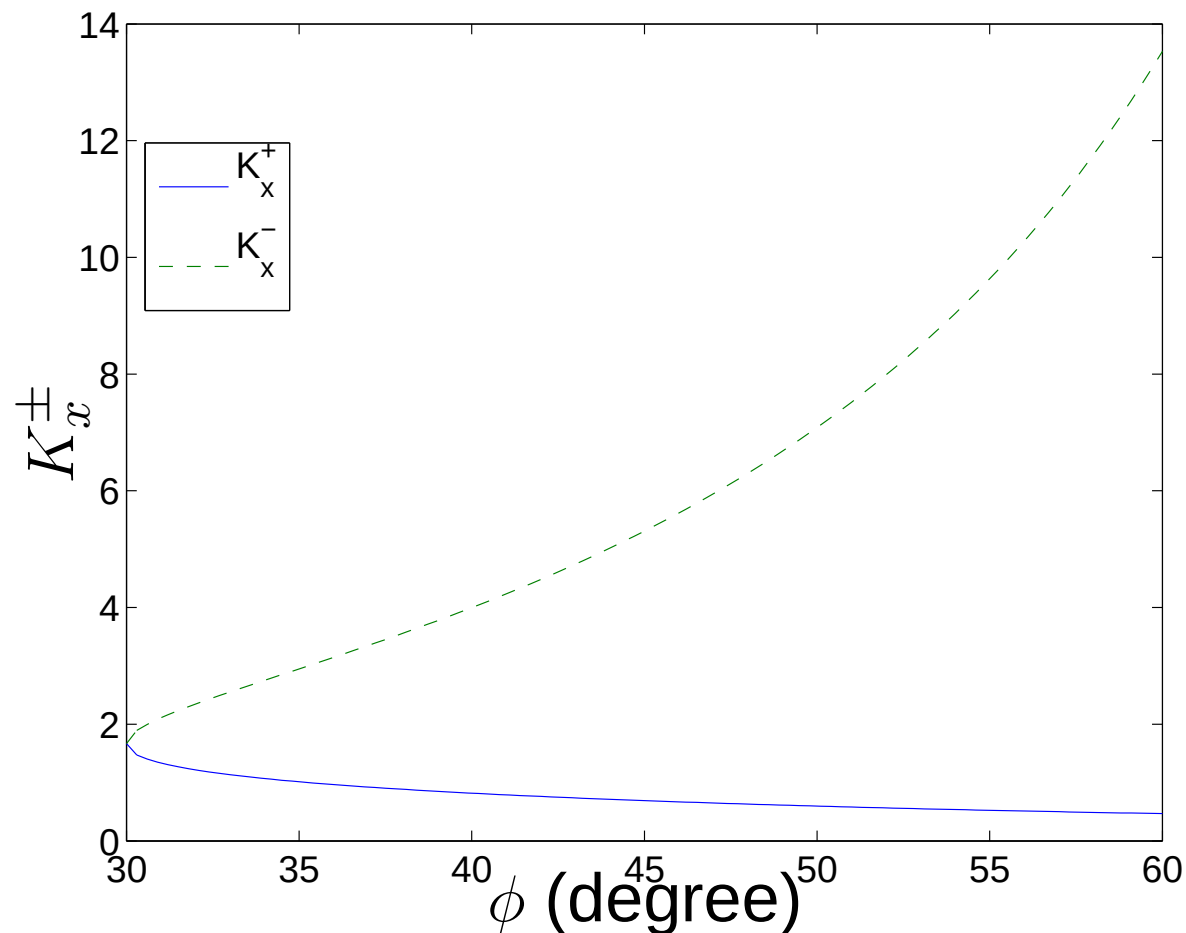
$$K_x = \begin{cases} K_x^- & \text{if } \nabla \cdot \vec{u} > 0 \\ K_x^+ & \text{if } \nabla \cdot \vec{u} < 0, \end{cases} \quad K_x^\pm = \frac{2}{\cos^2 \phi} \left(1 \pm \sqrt{1 - \frac{\cos^2 \phi}{\cos^2 \delta}} \right) - 1,$$

$$\psi_i = \sin \zeta \delta_{1i} - \frac{u_i}{|\vec{u}|} \tan \delta (\cos \zeta + \kappa u_1^2) - \cos \zeta \frac{\partial \mathcal{B}}{\partial x_i}$$

Earth pressure coefficients



- Jump discontinuity on K_x , $|K_x^+ - K_x^-| \neq 0$ (see below where $\delta = 30^\circ$ is used as a reference)

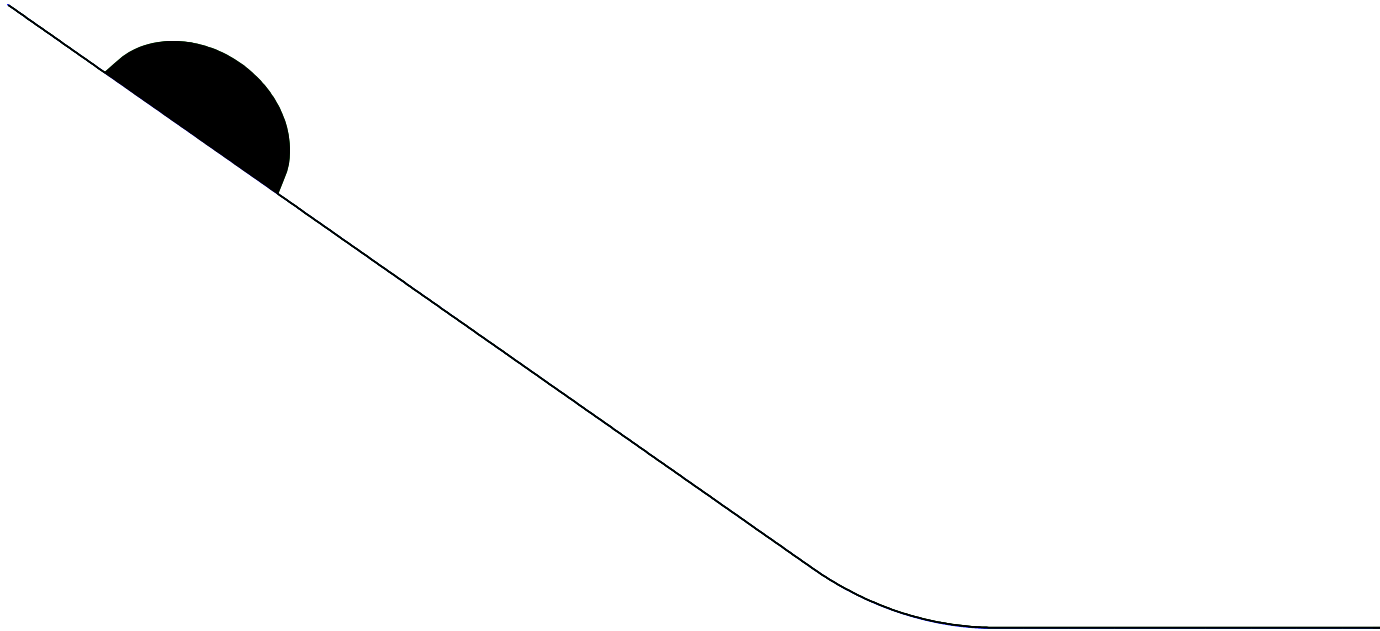


Avalanche on an inclined channel



- Hemispherical granular material
- Parameters: $\zeta = 35^\circ$, $\phi = 30^\circ$, $\delta = 30^\circ$

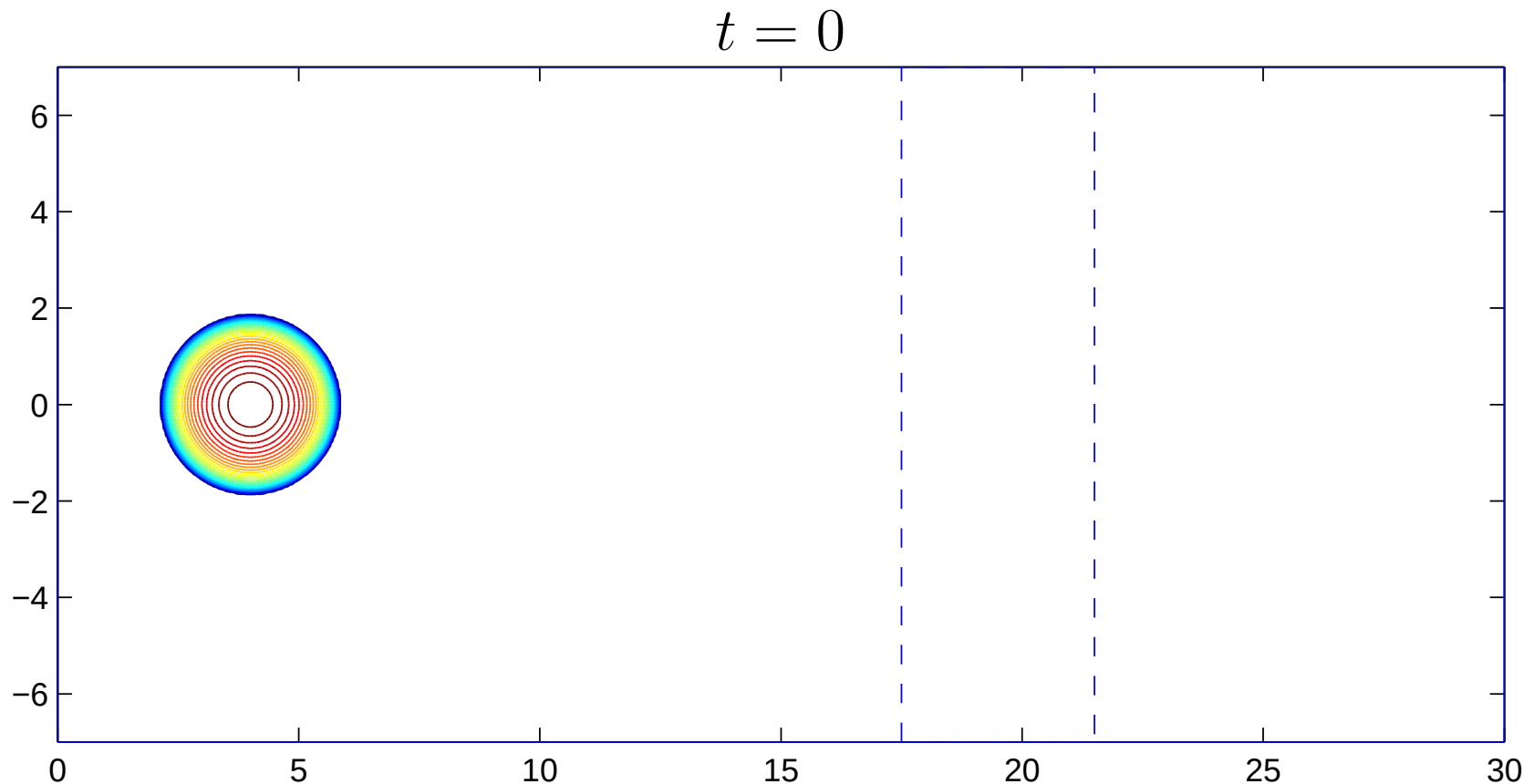
$$t = 0$$



Avalanche on an inclined channel



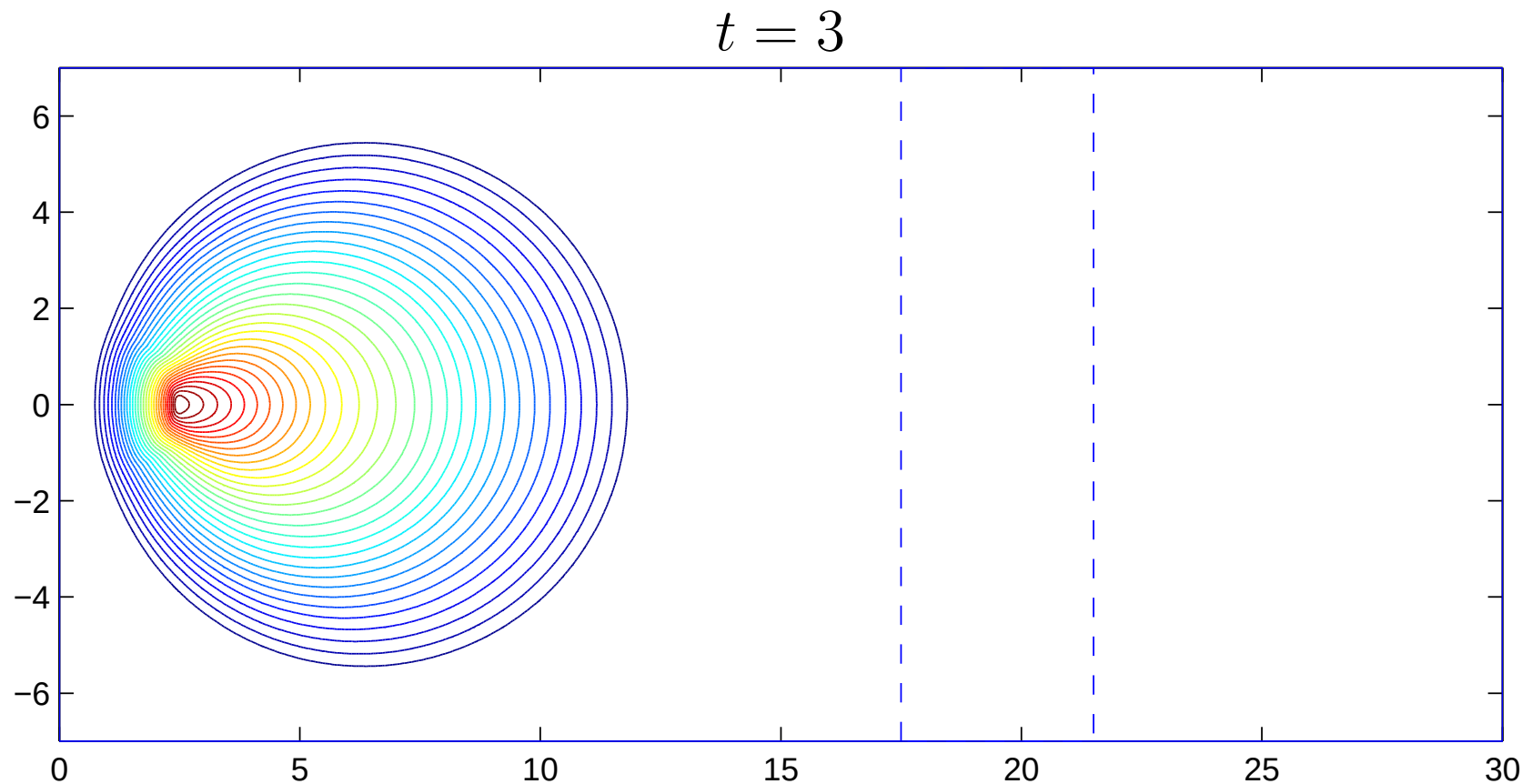
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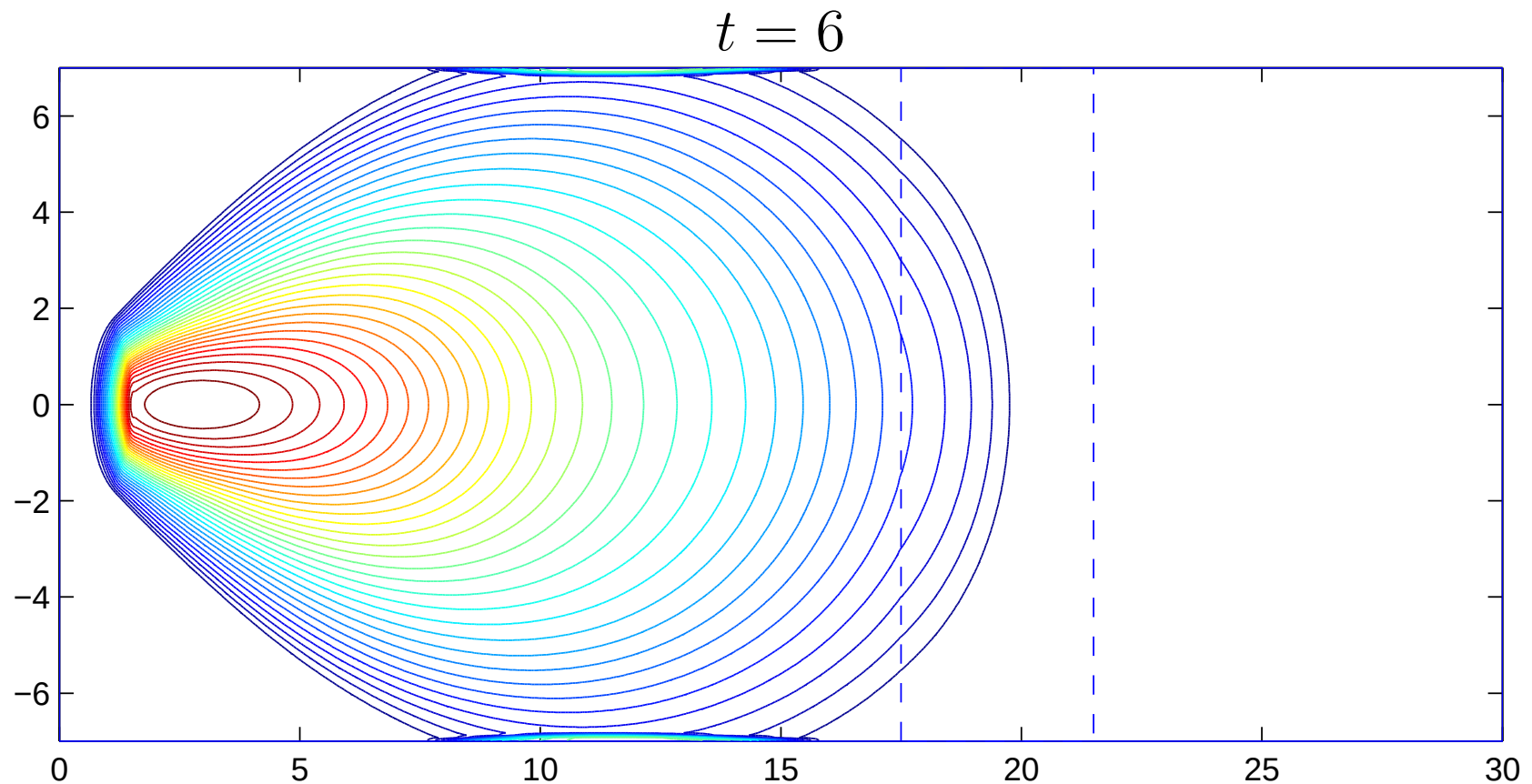
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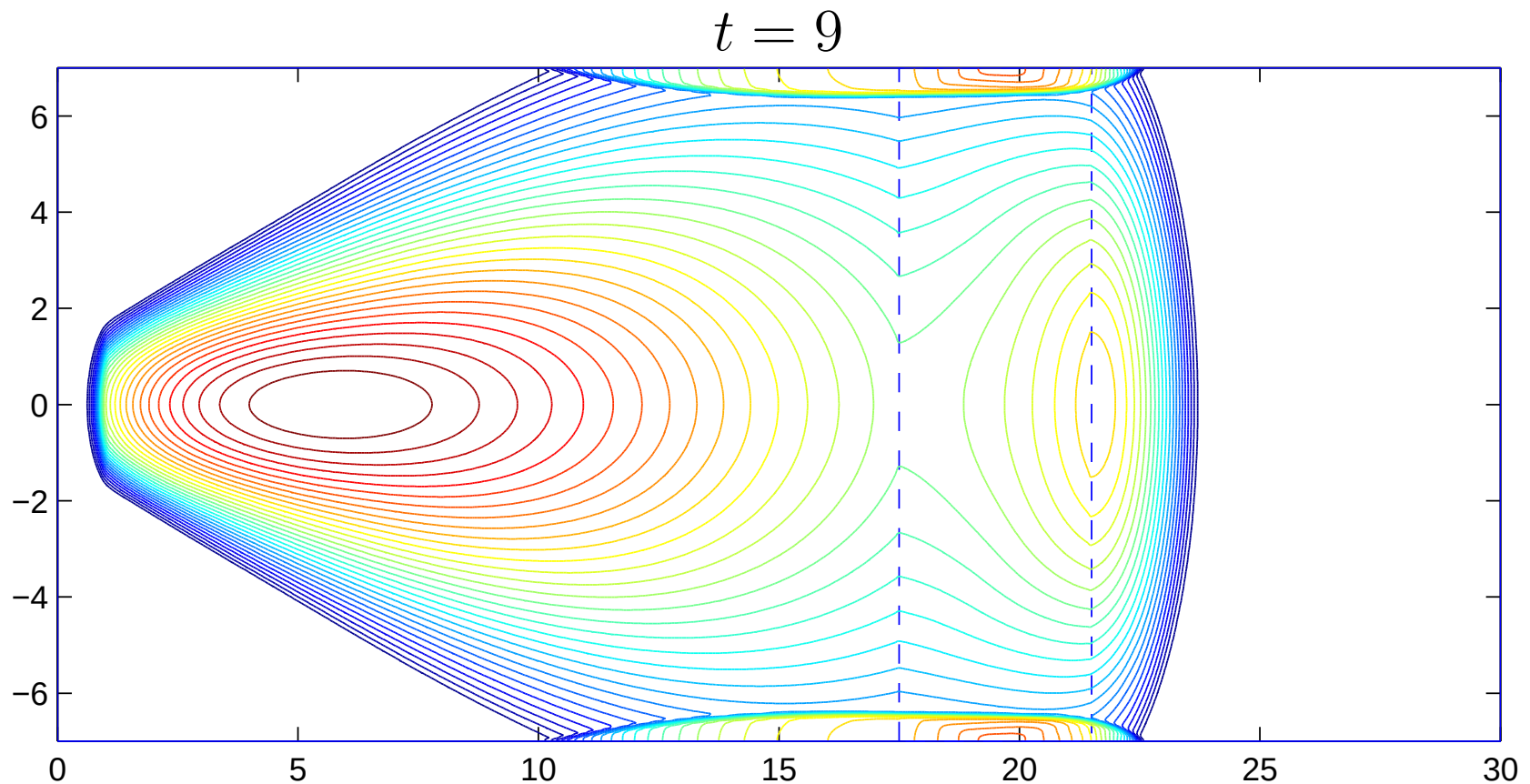
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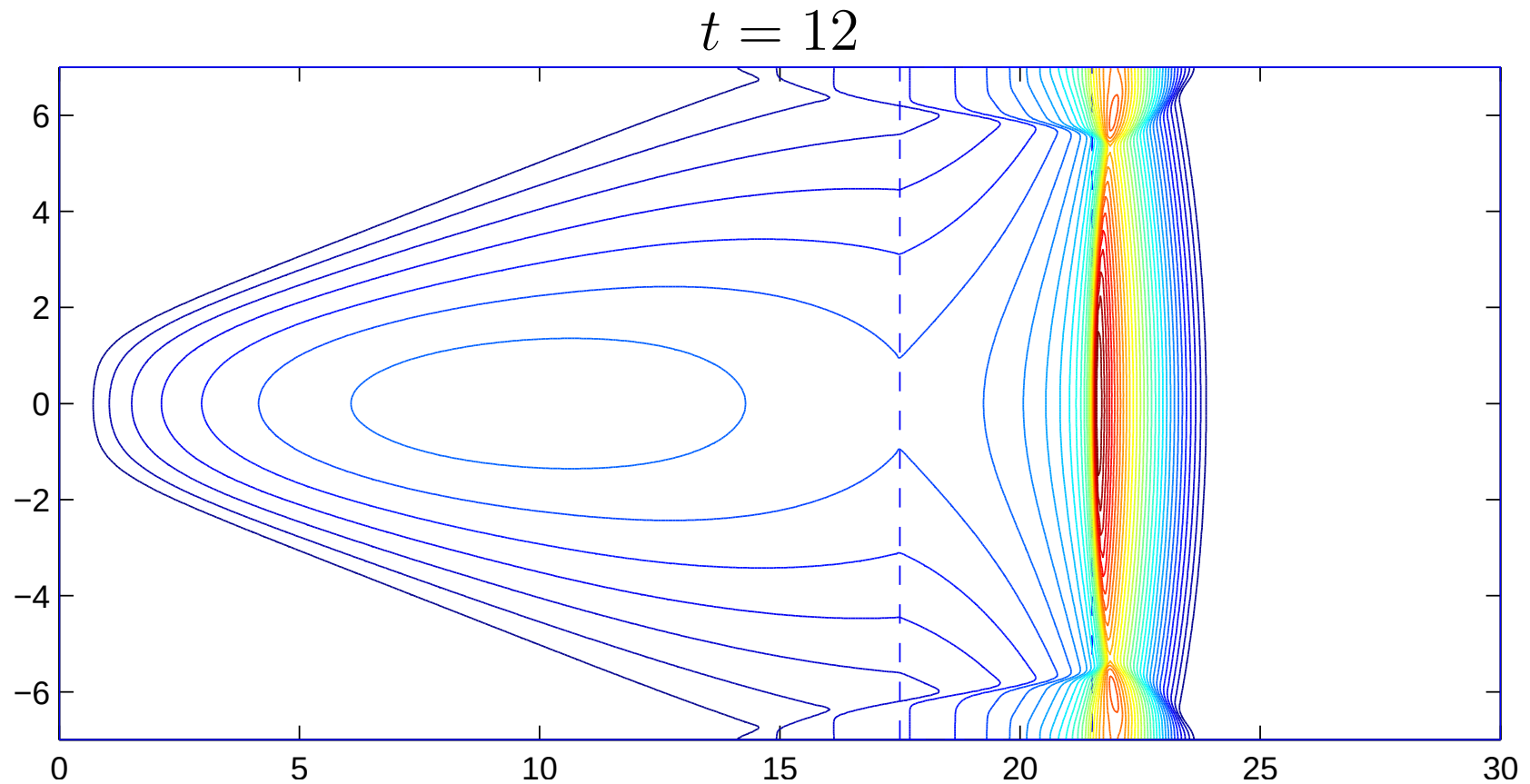
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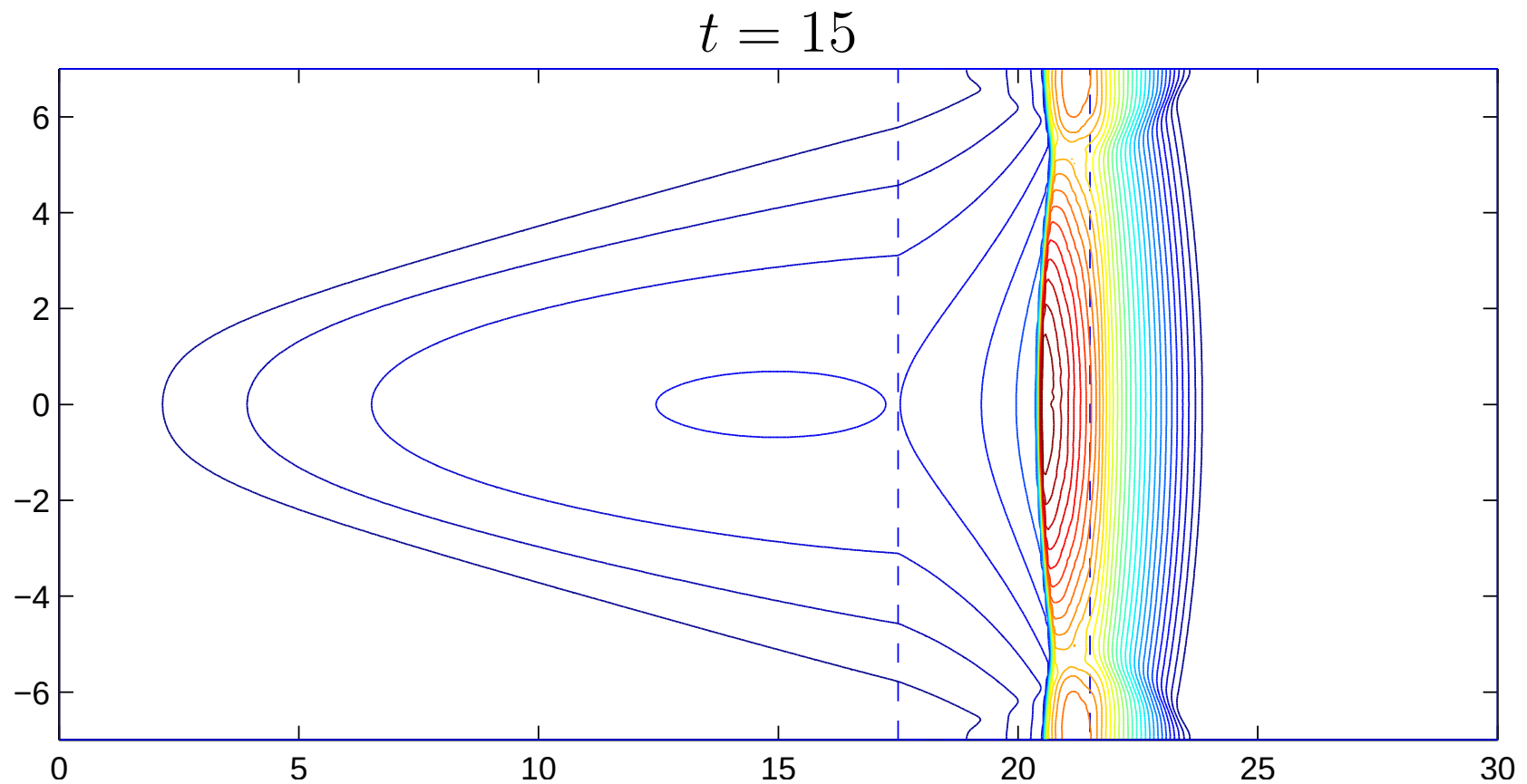
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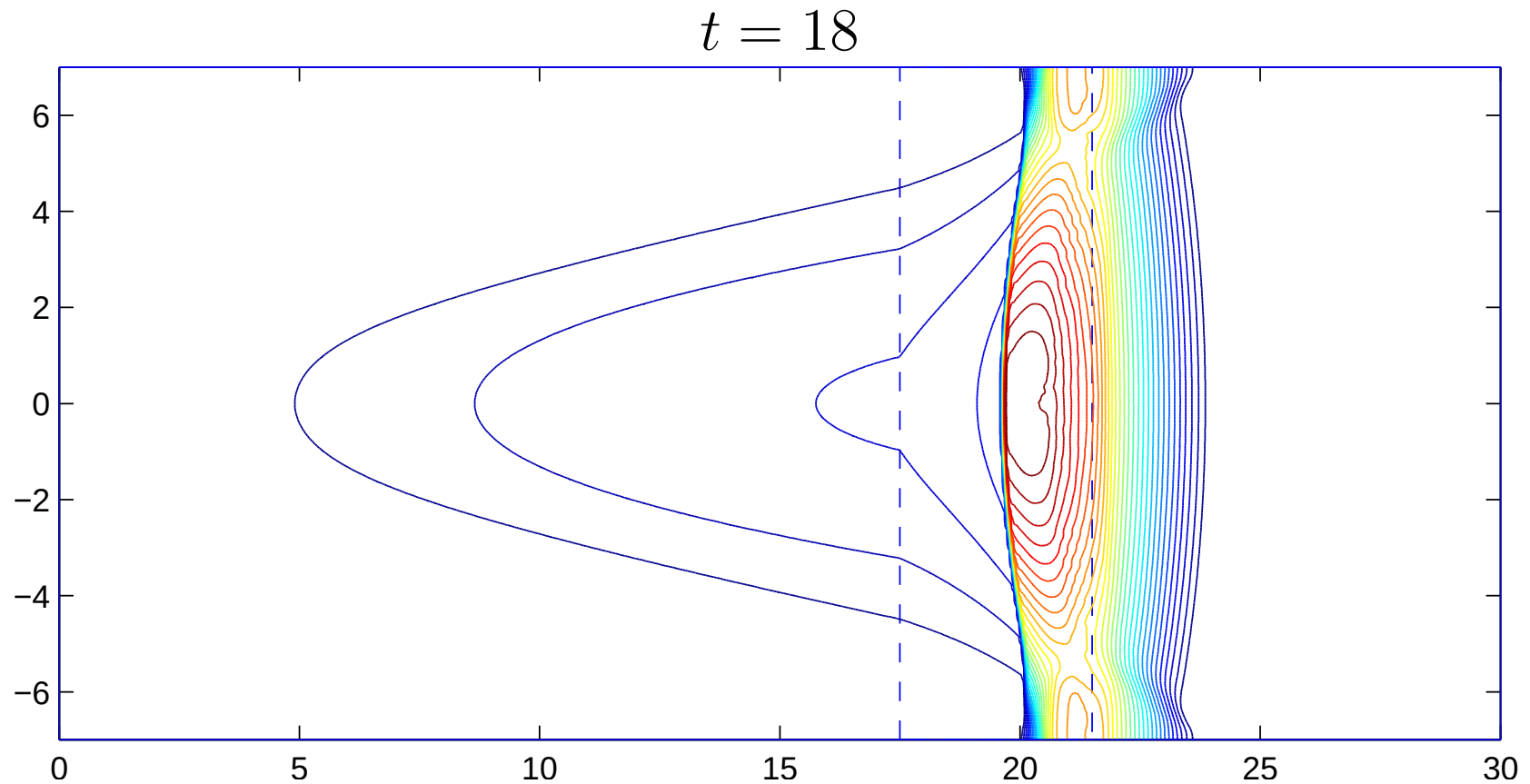
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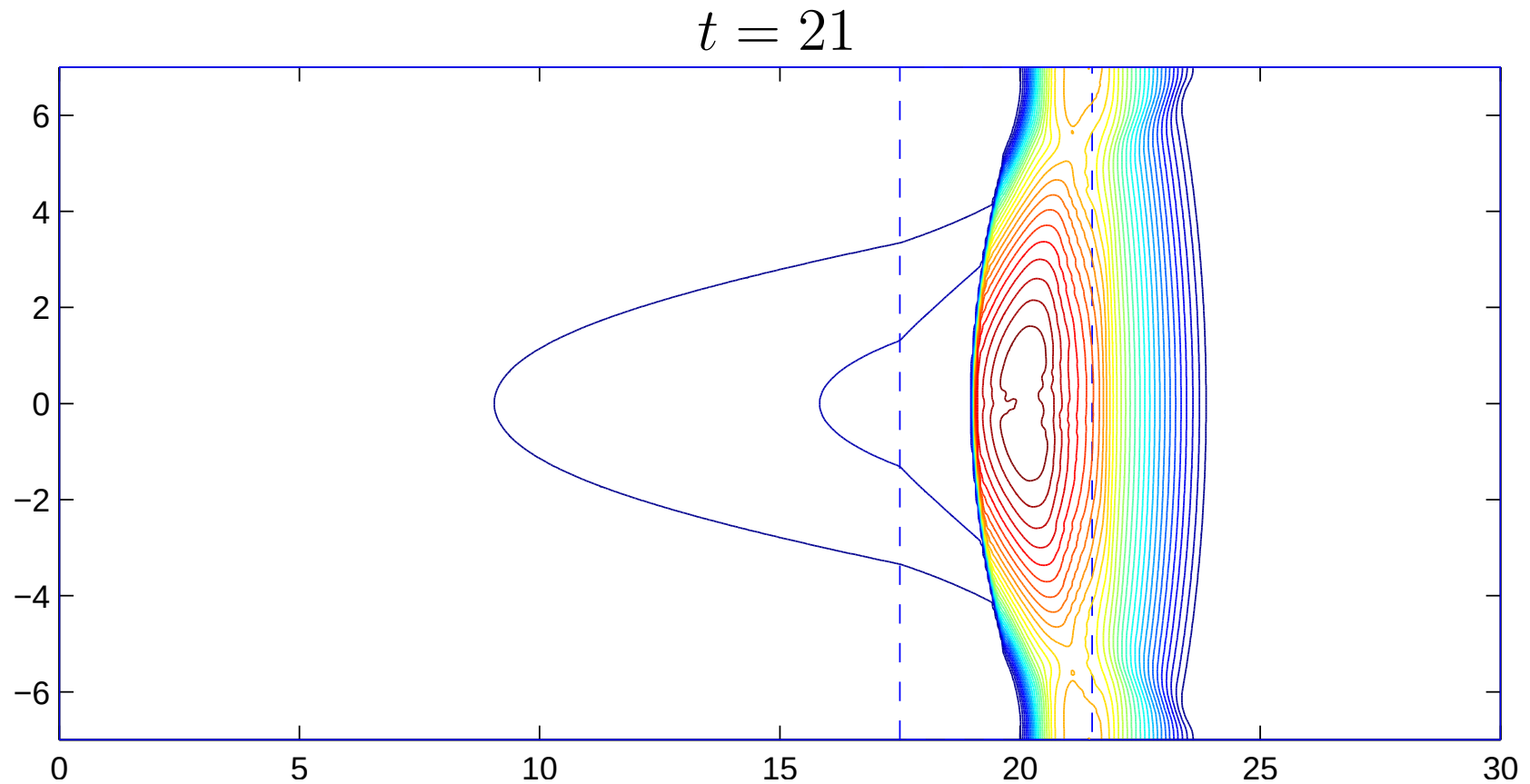
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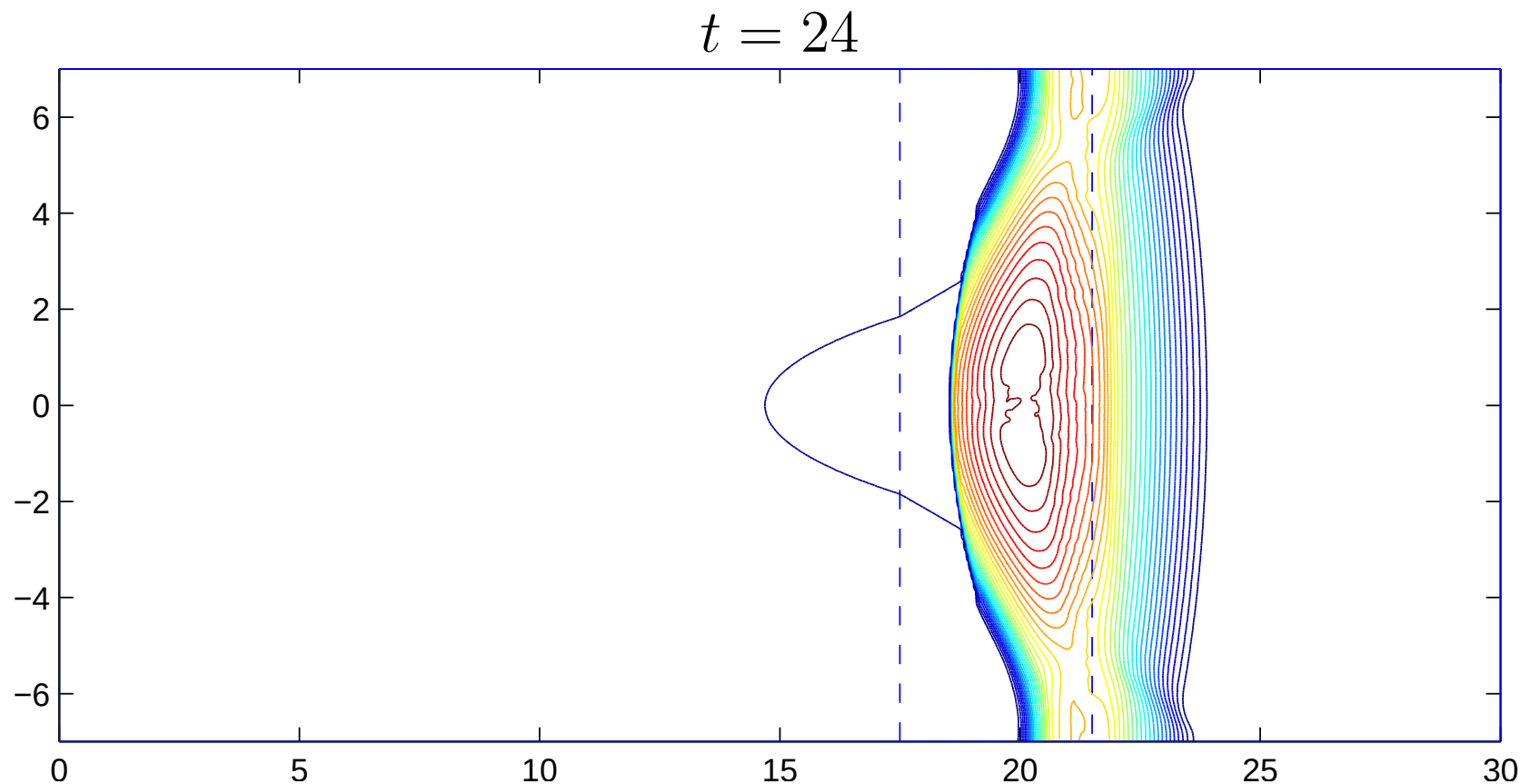
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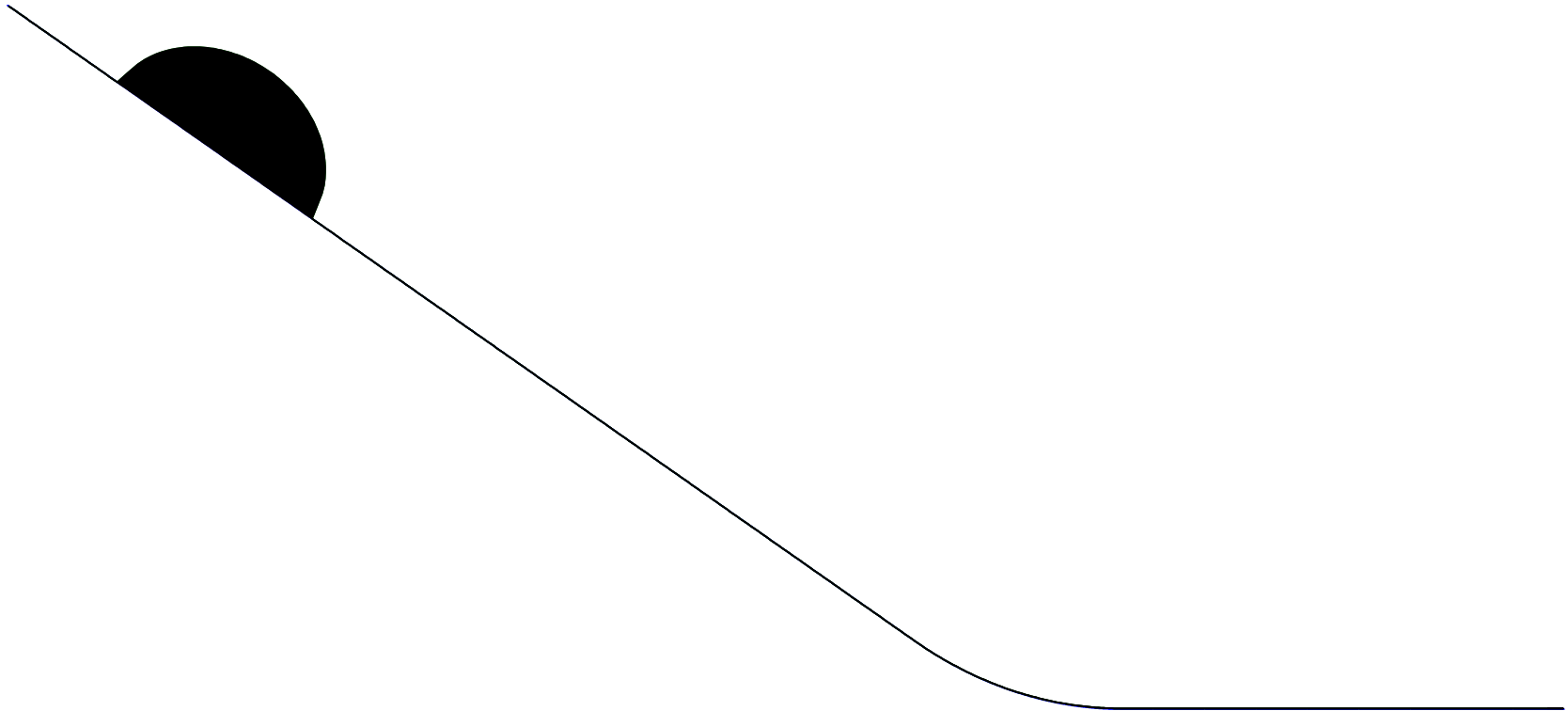


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- Cross-sectional plot along the channel

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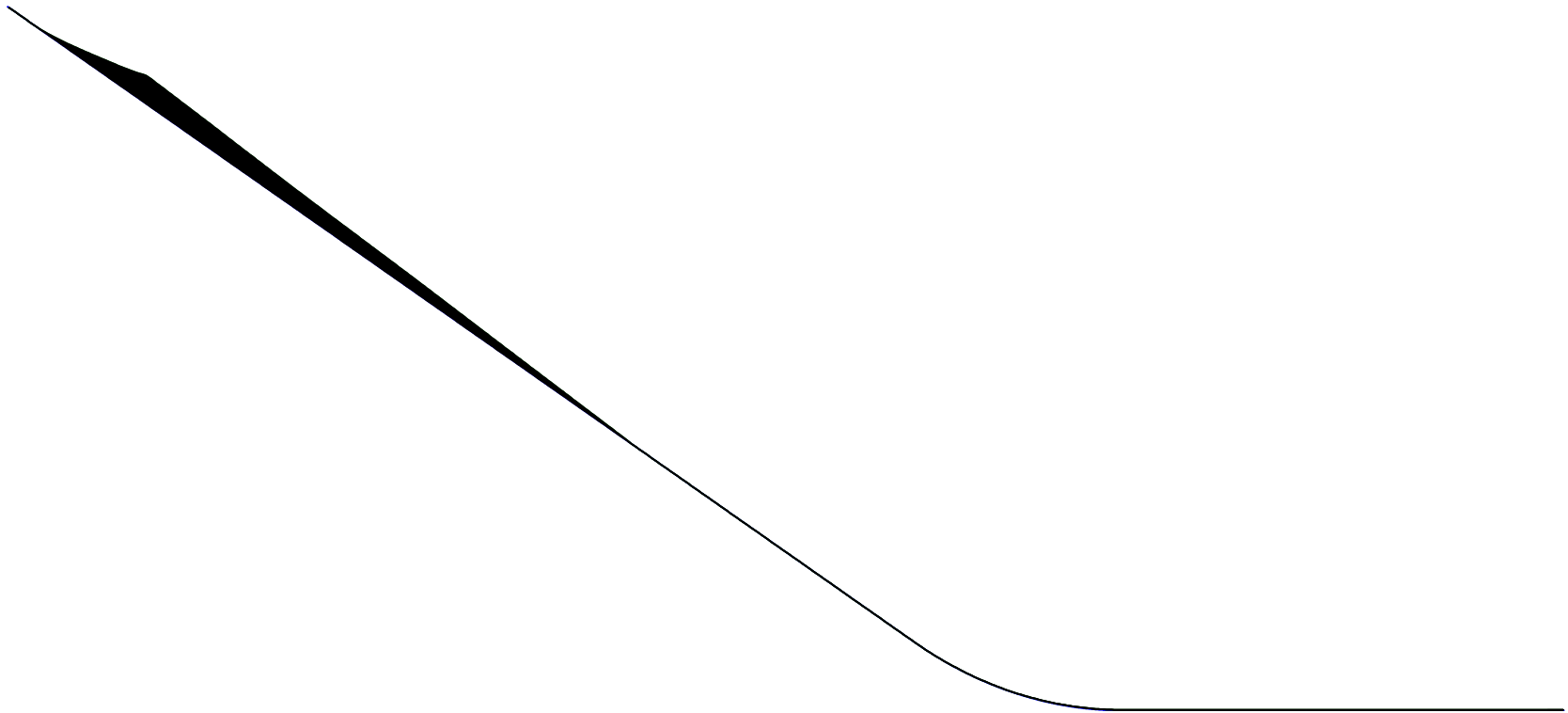


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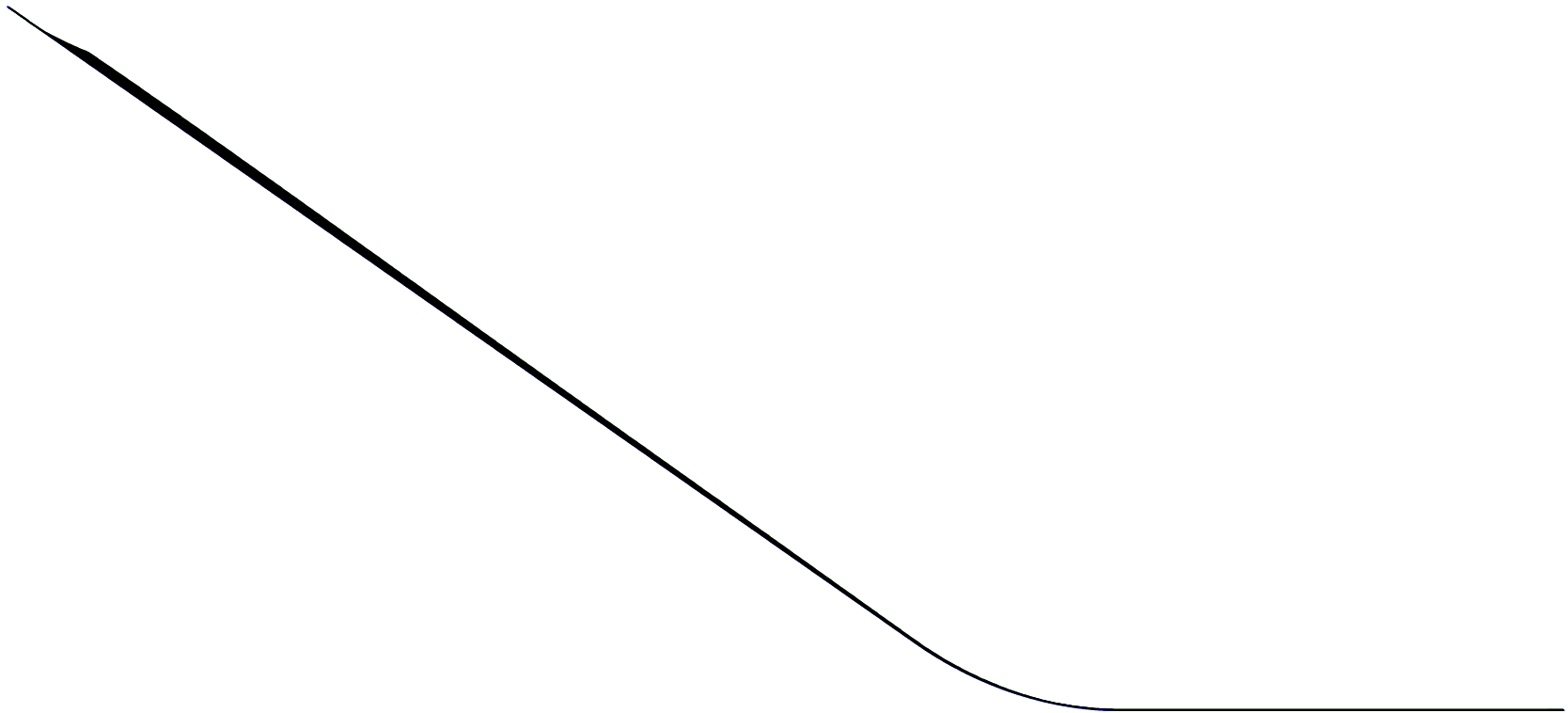


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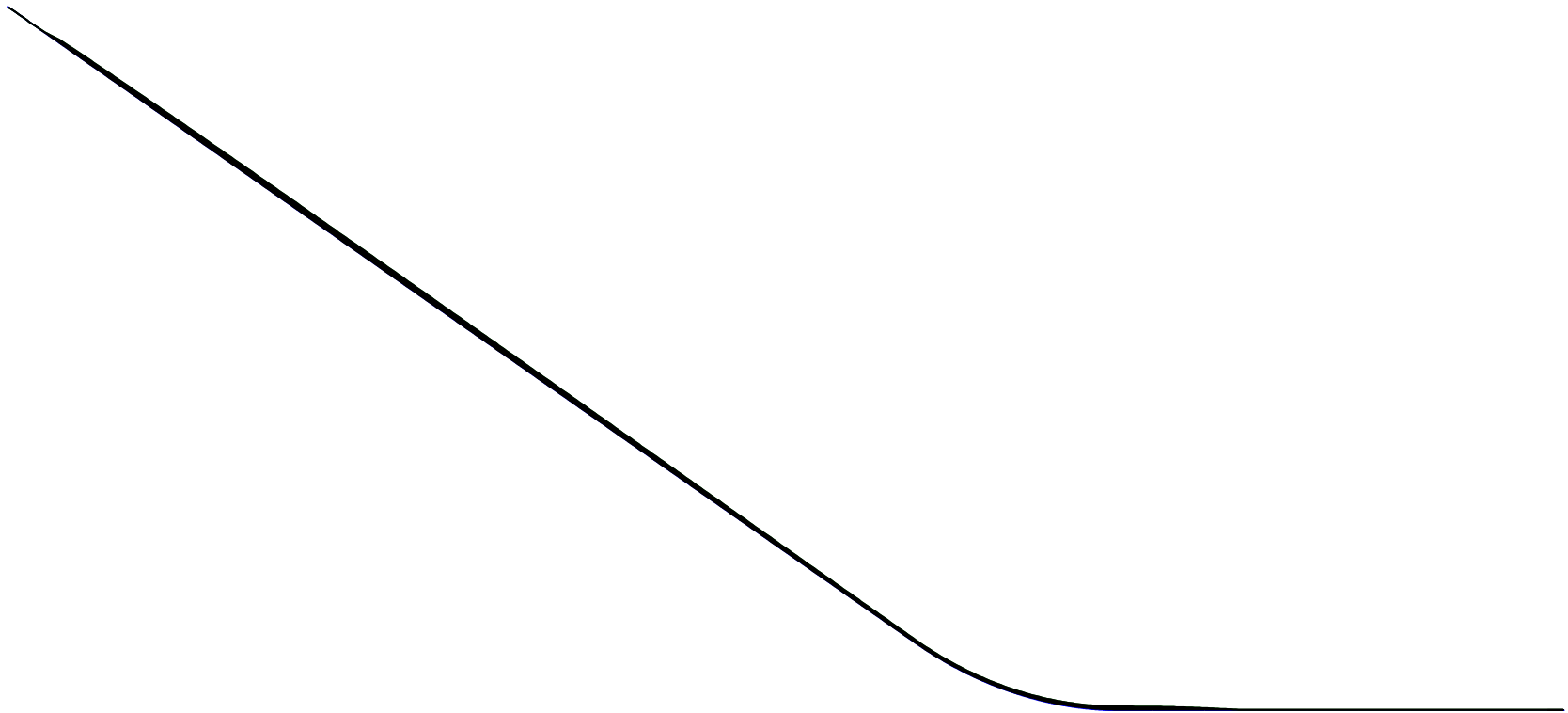


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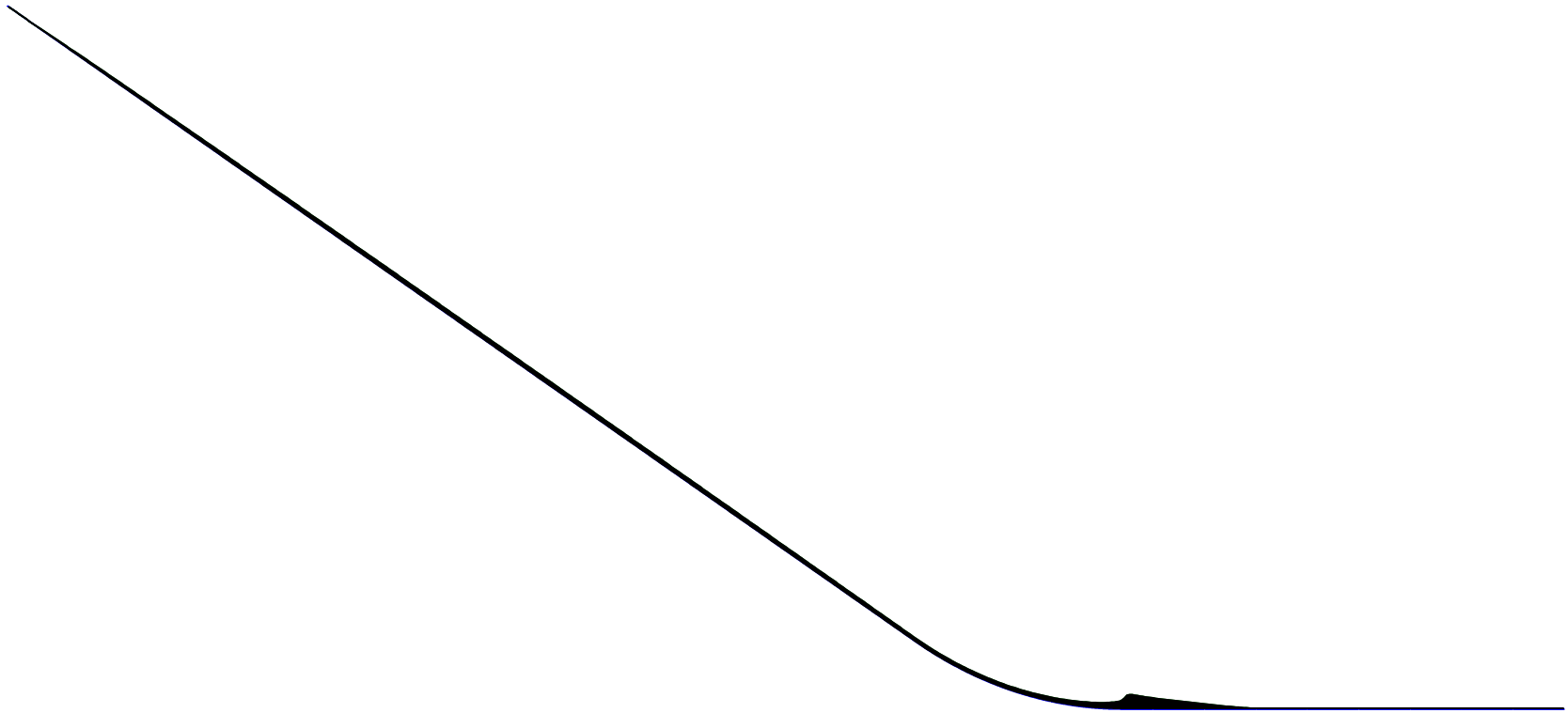


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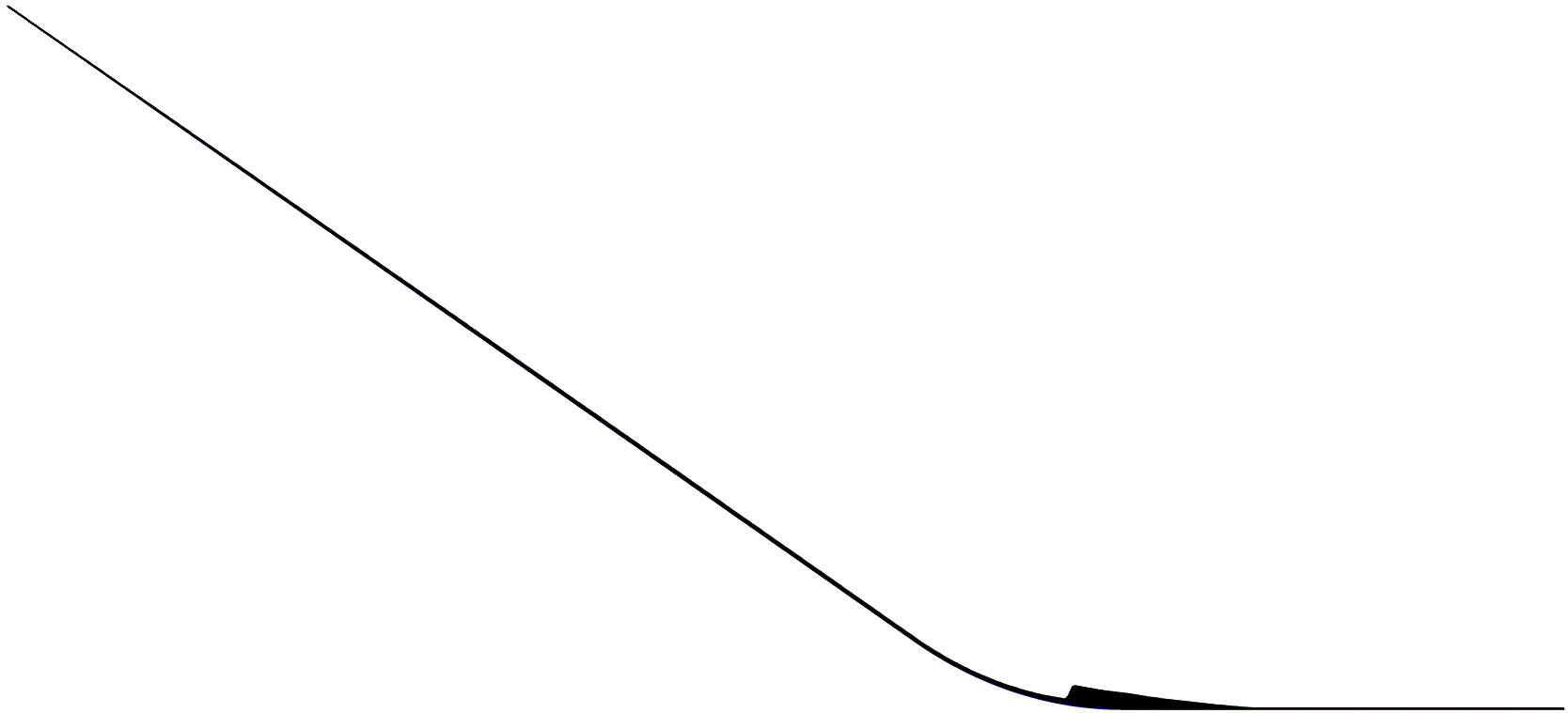


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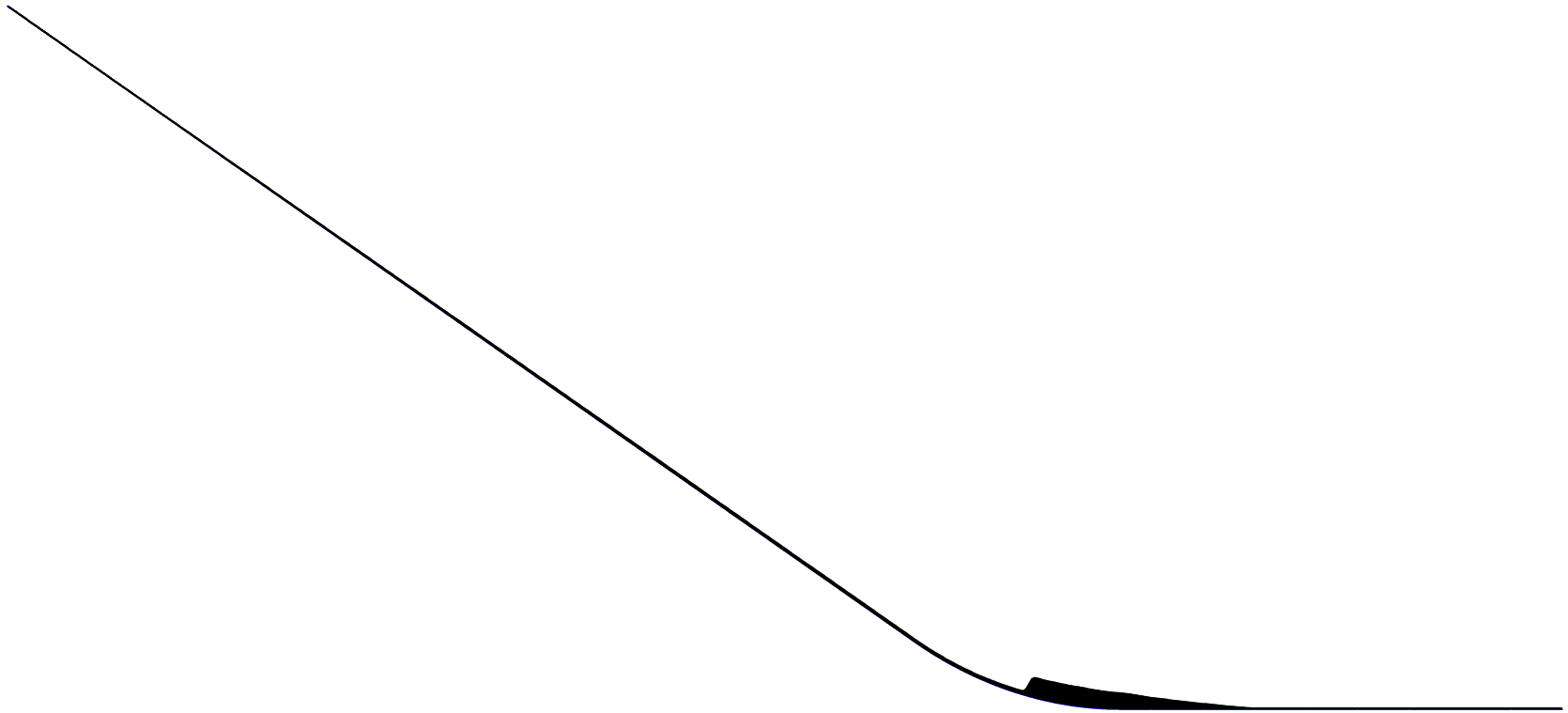


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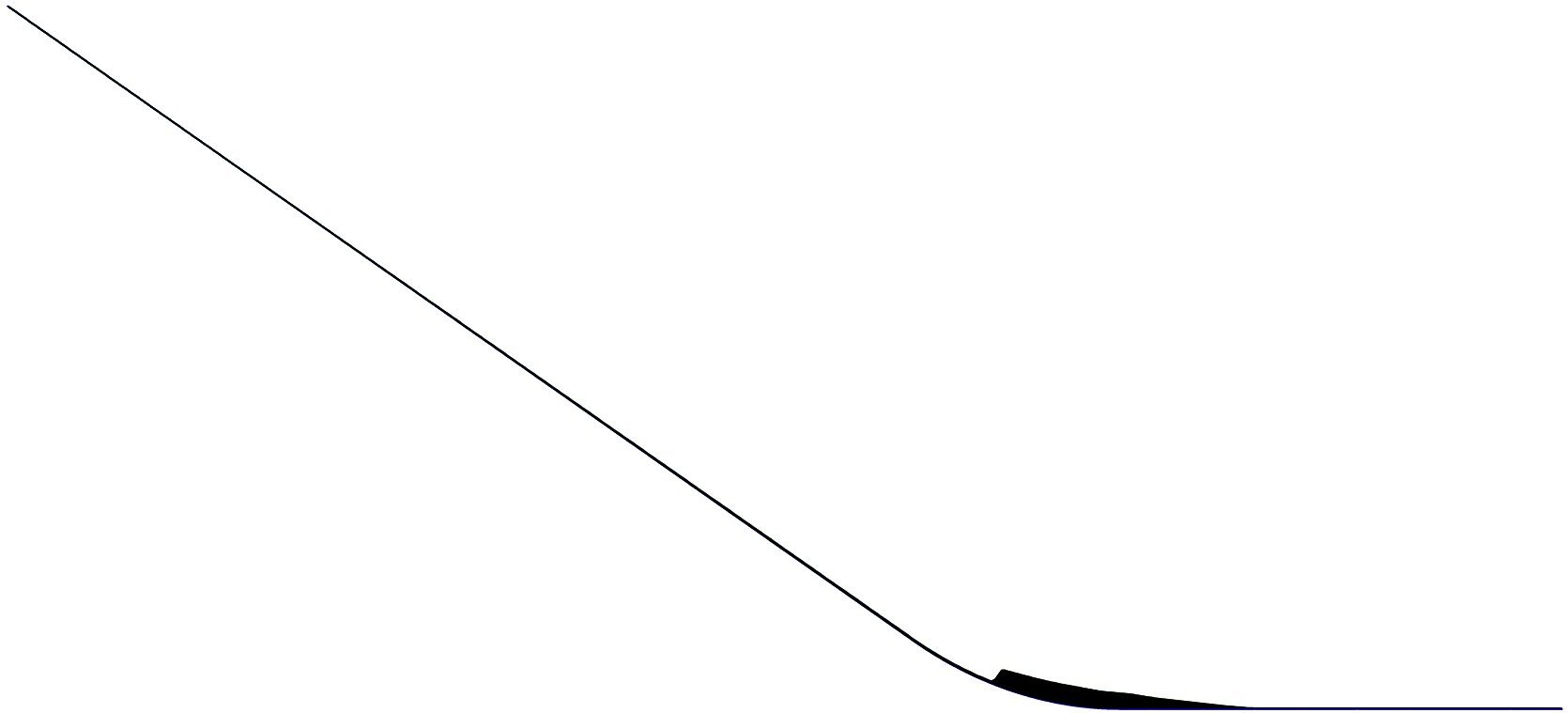


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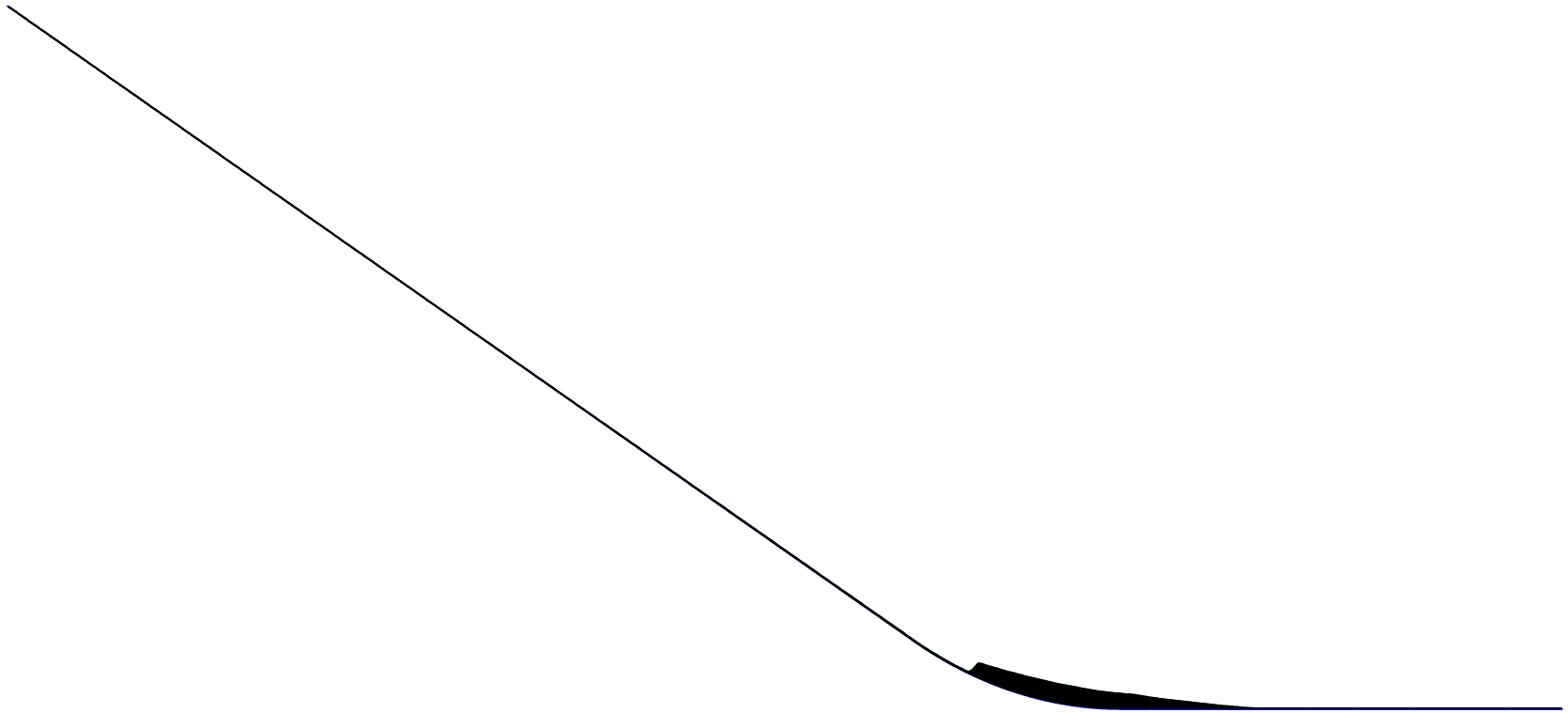


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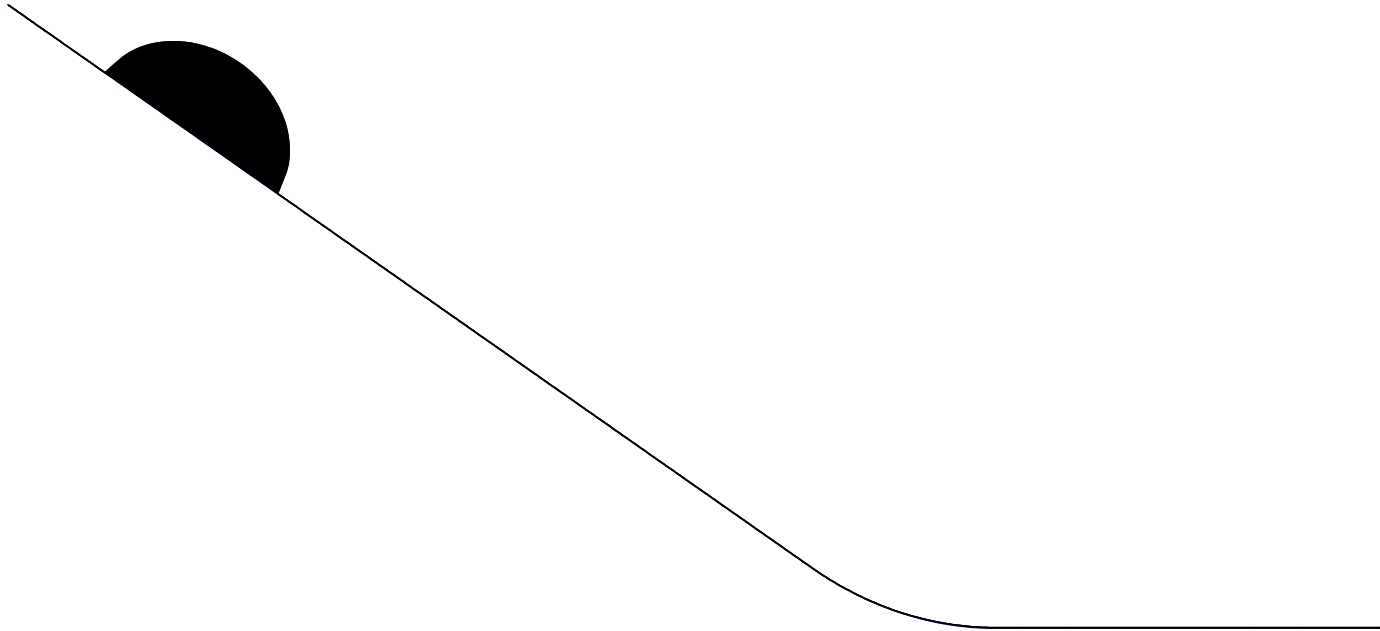


Avalanche on an inclined channel



- Hemispherical granular material
- Parameters: $\zeta = 35^\circ$, $\phi = 40^\circ$, $\delta = 30^\circ$

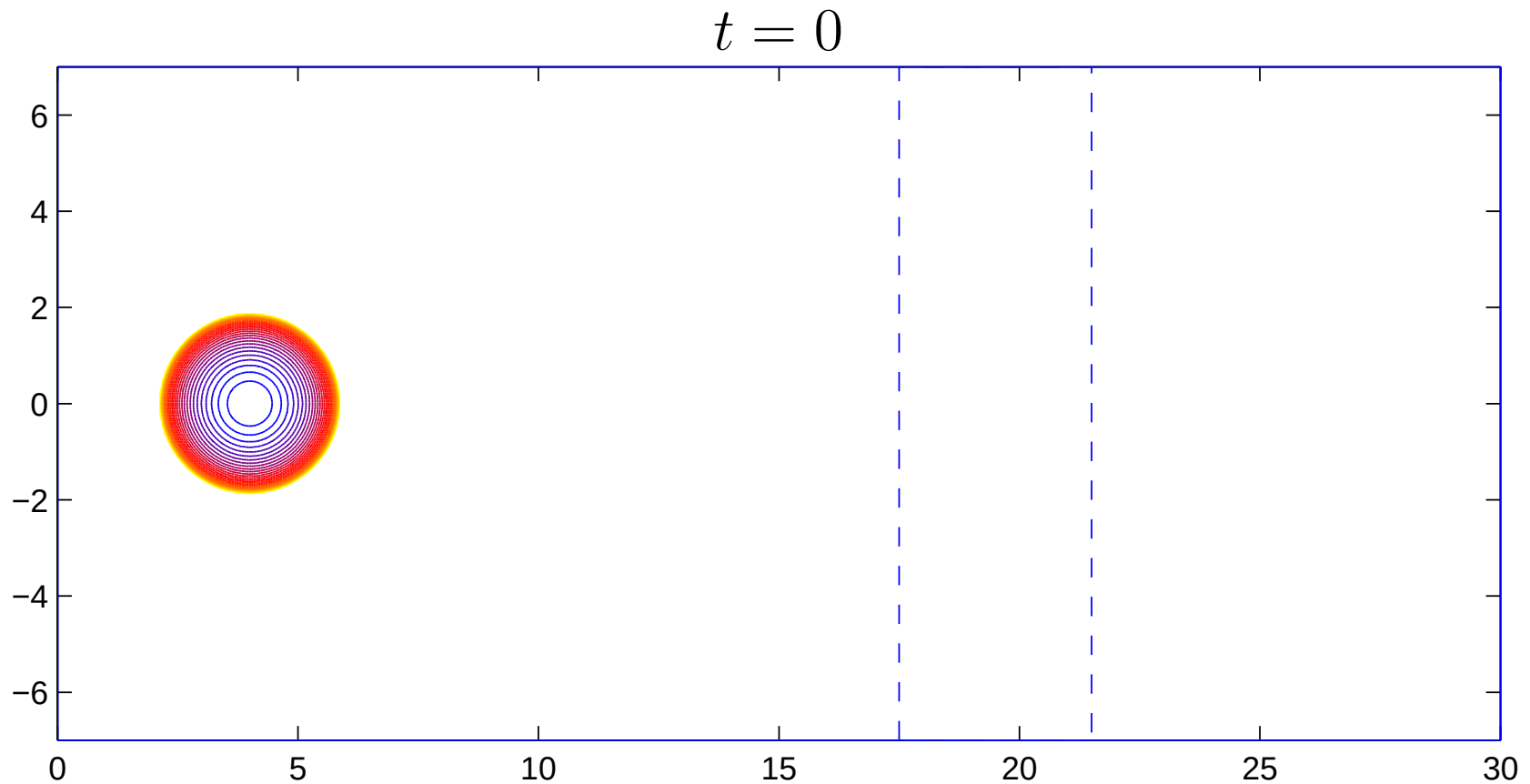
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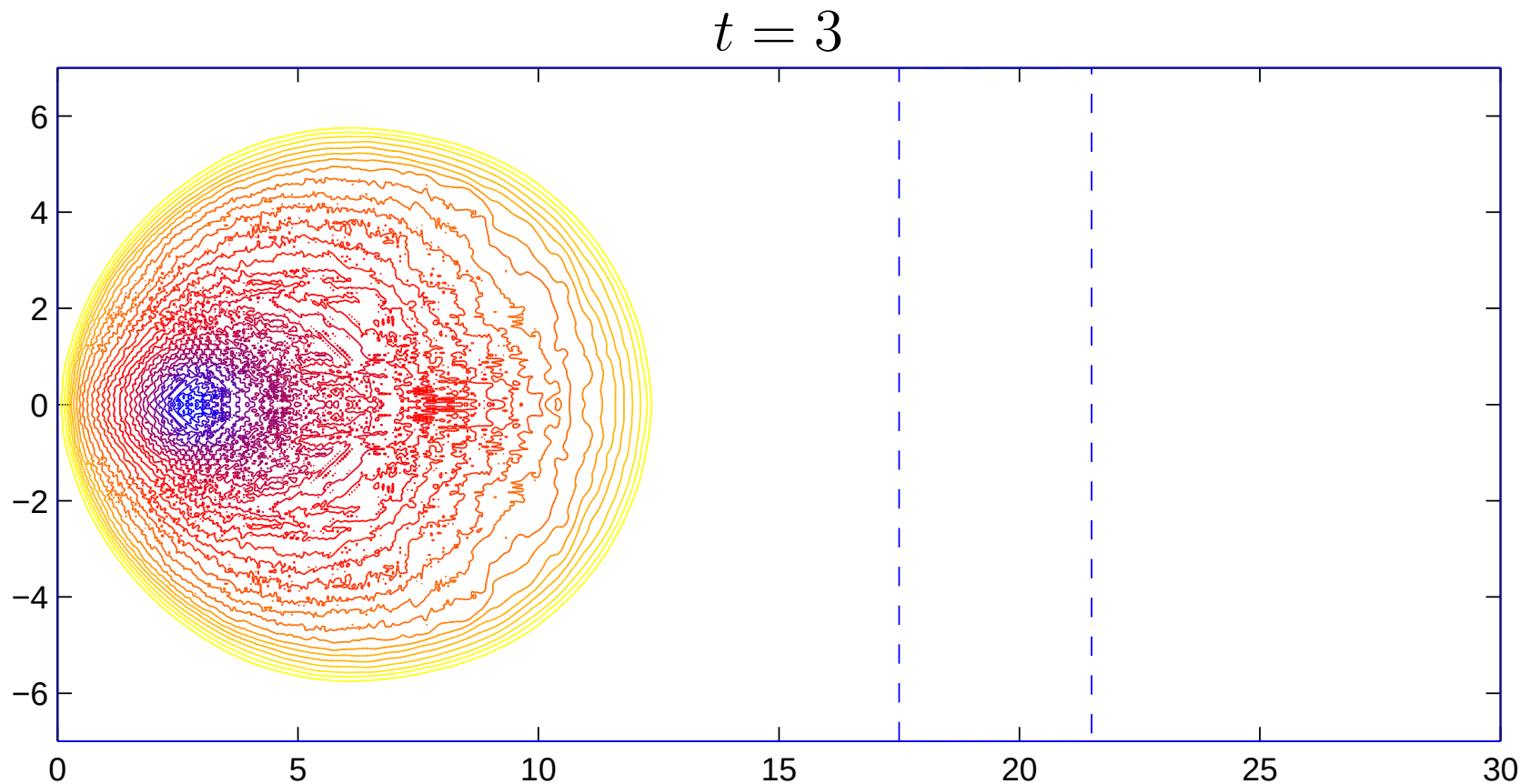
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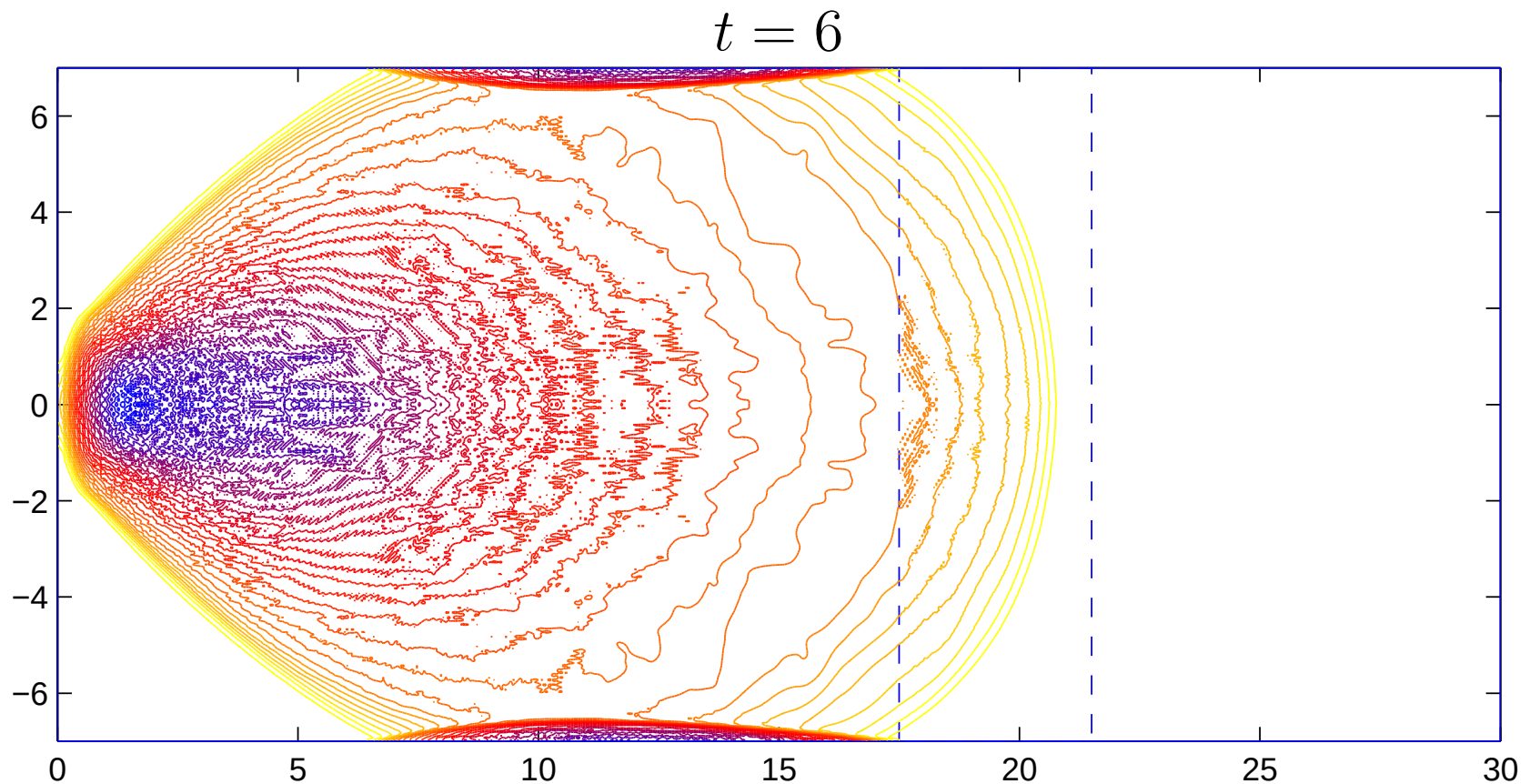
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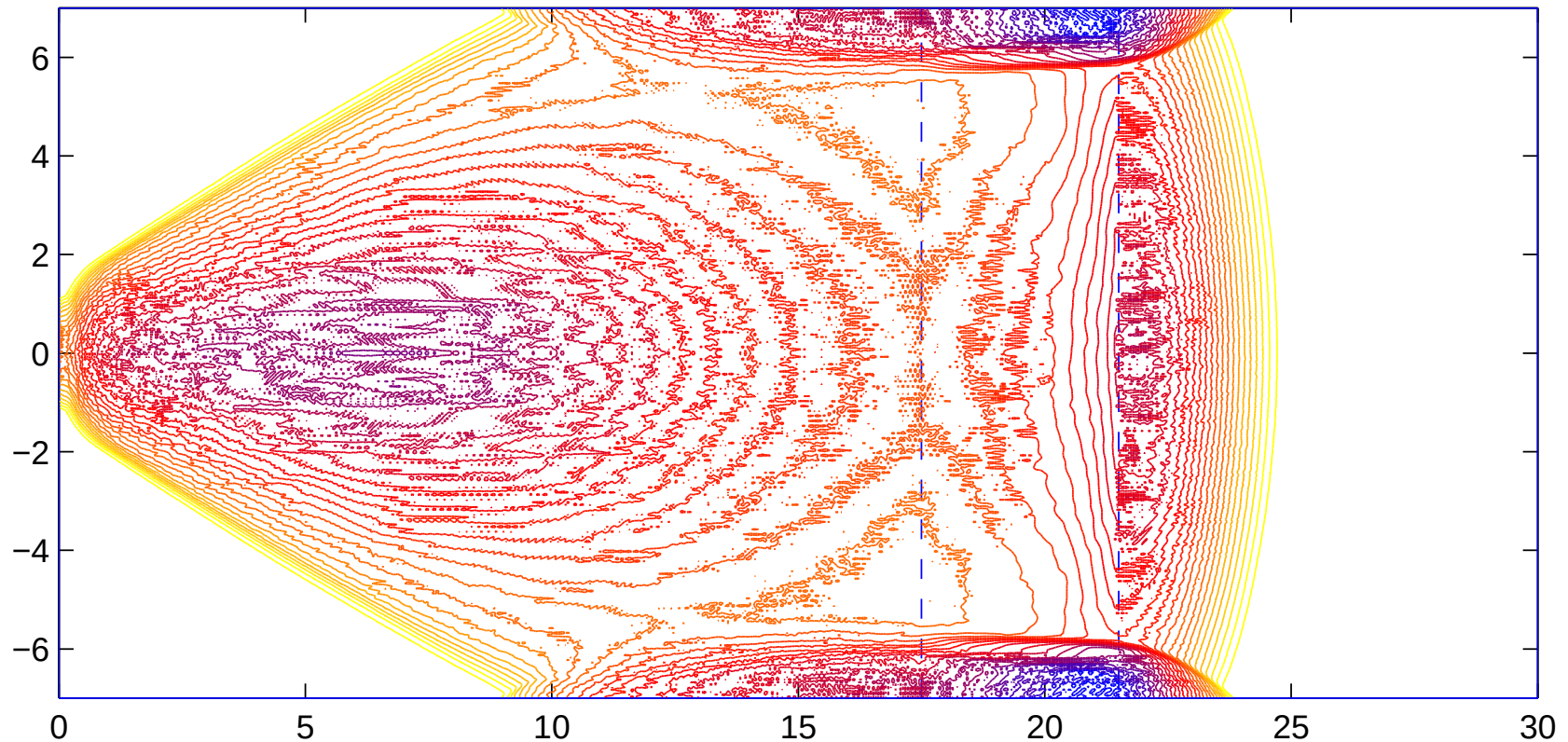


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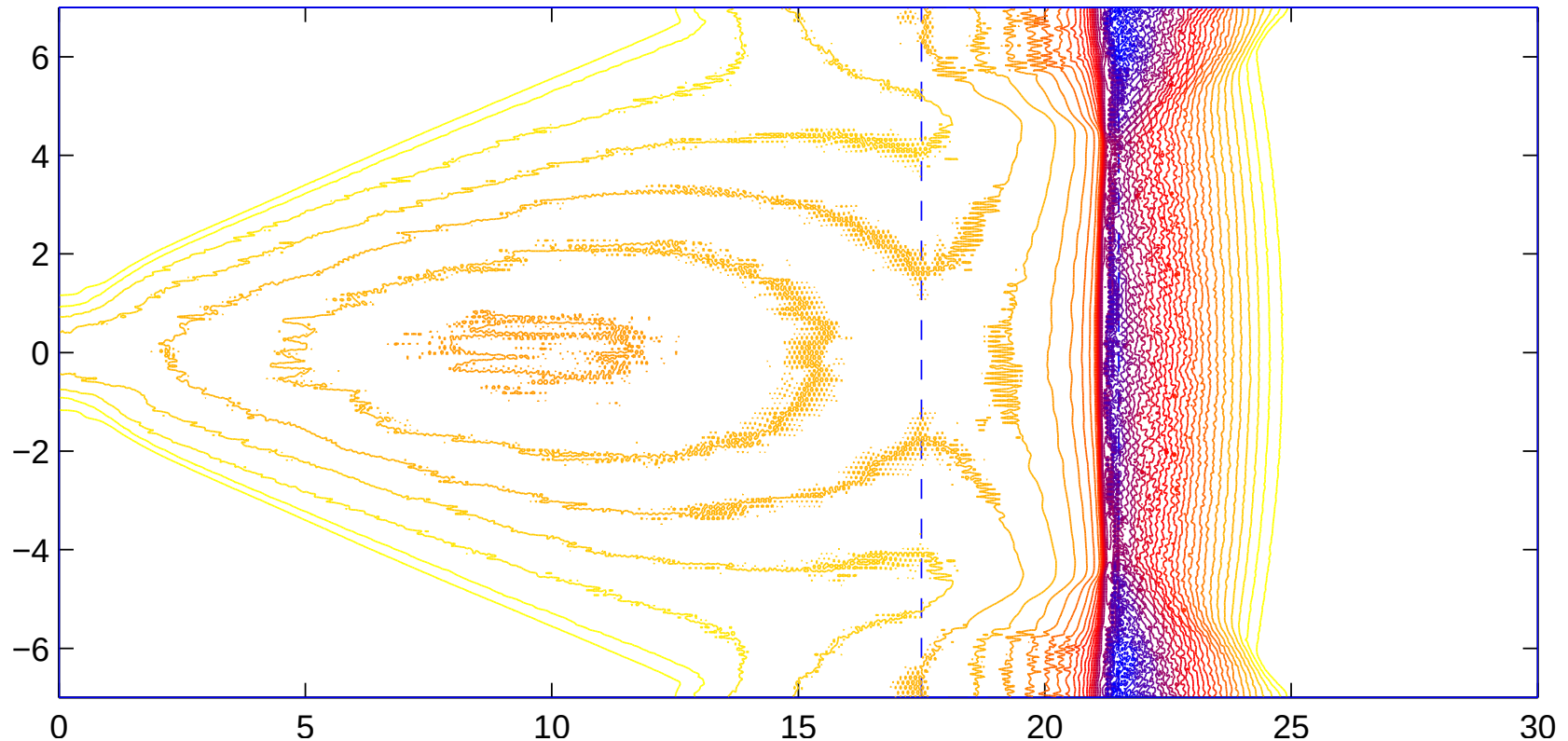


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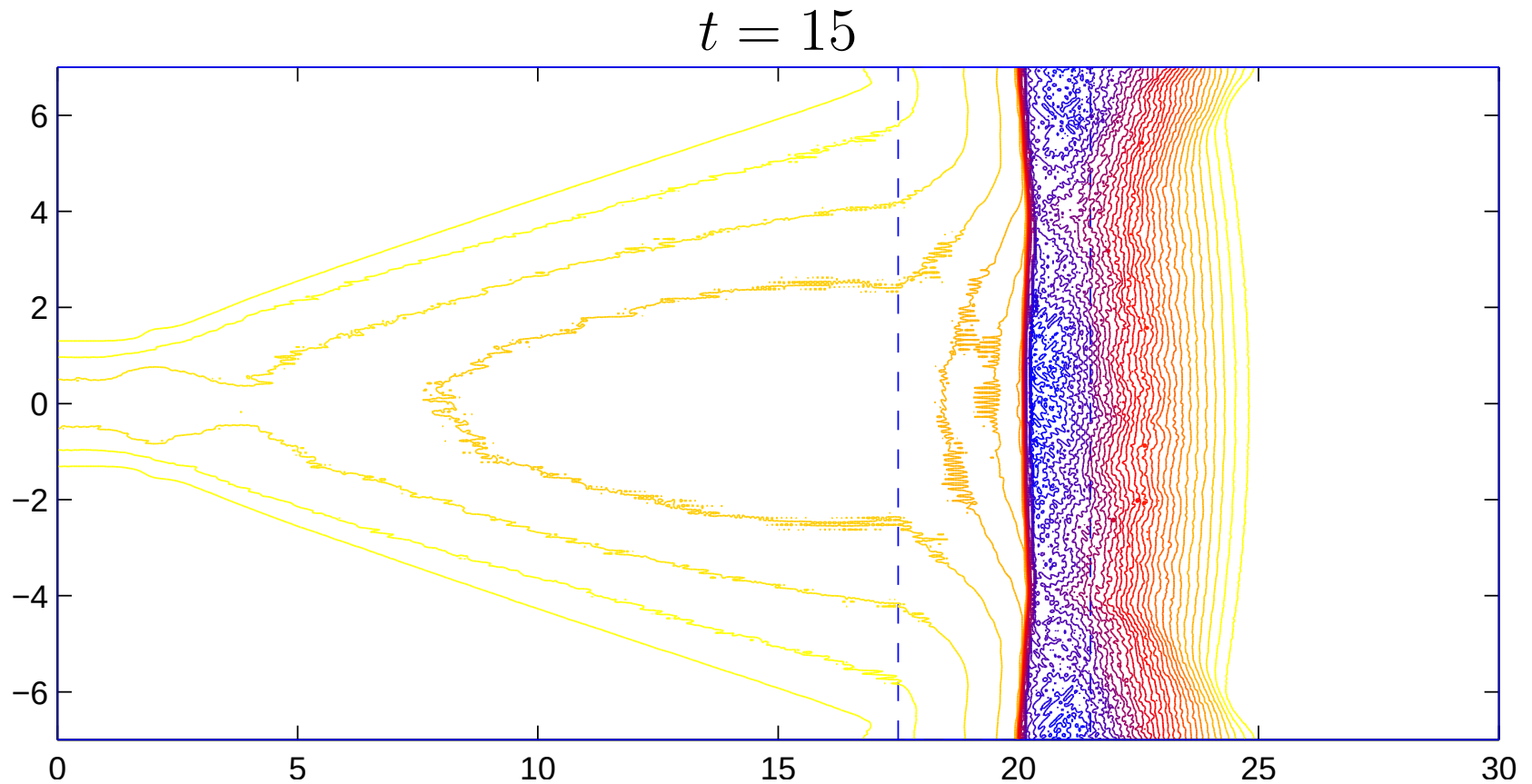
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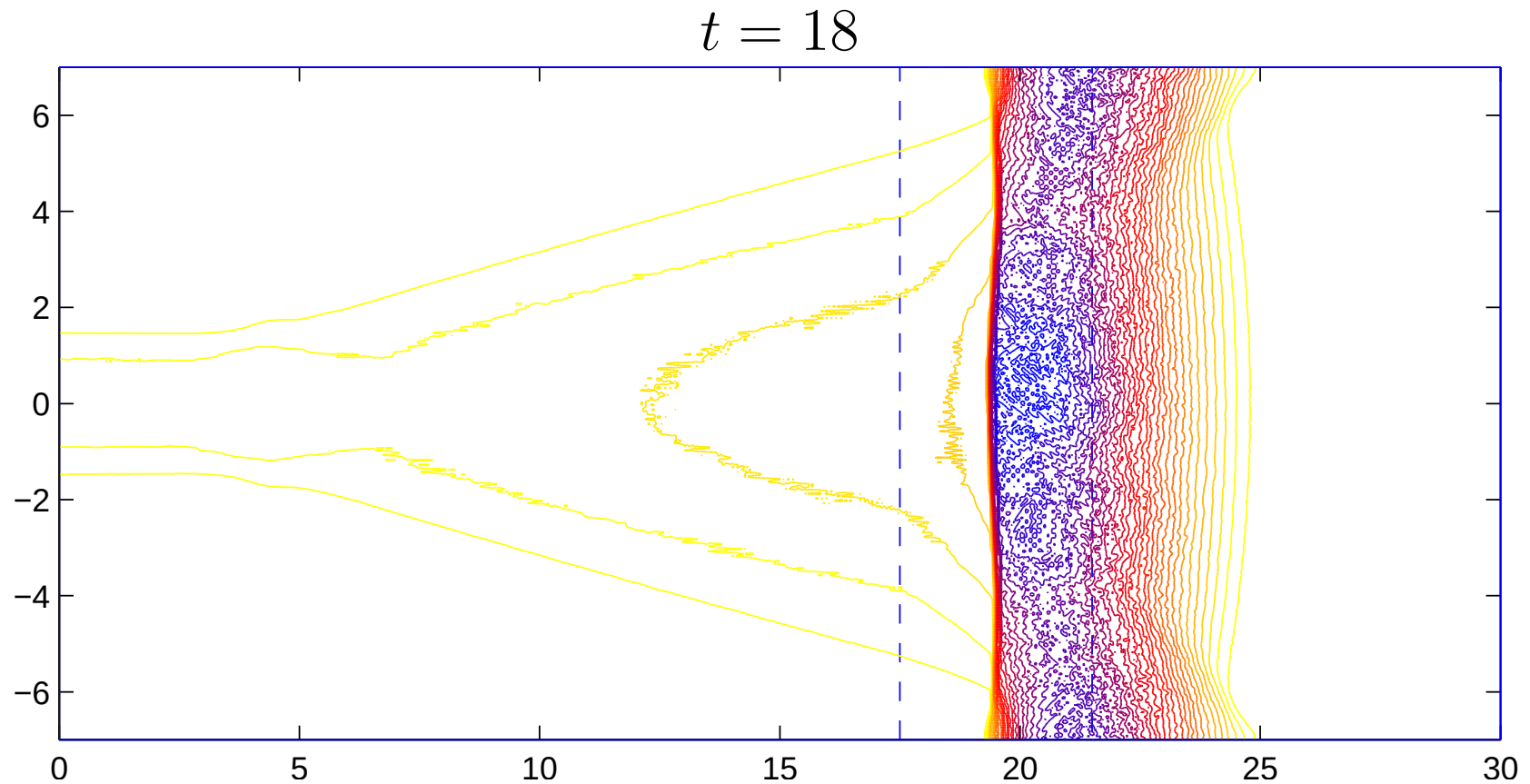
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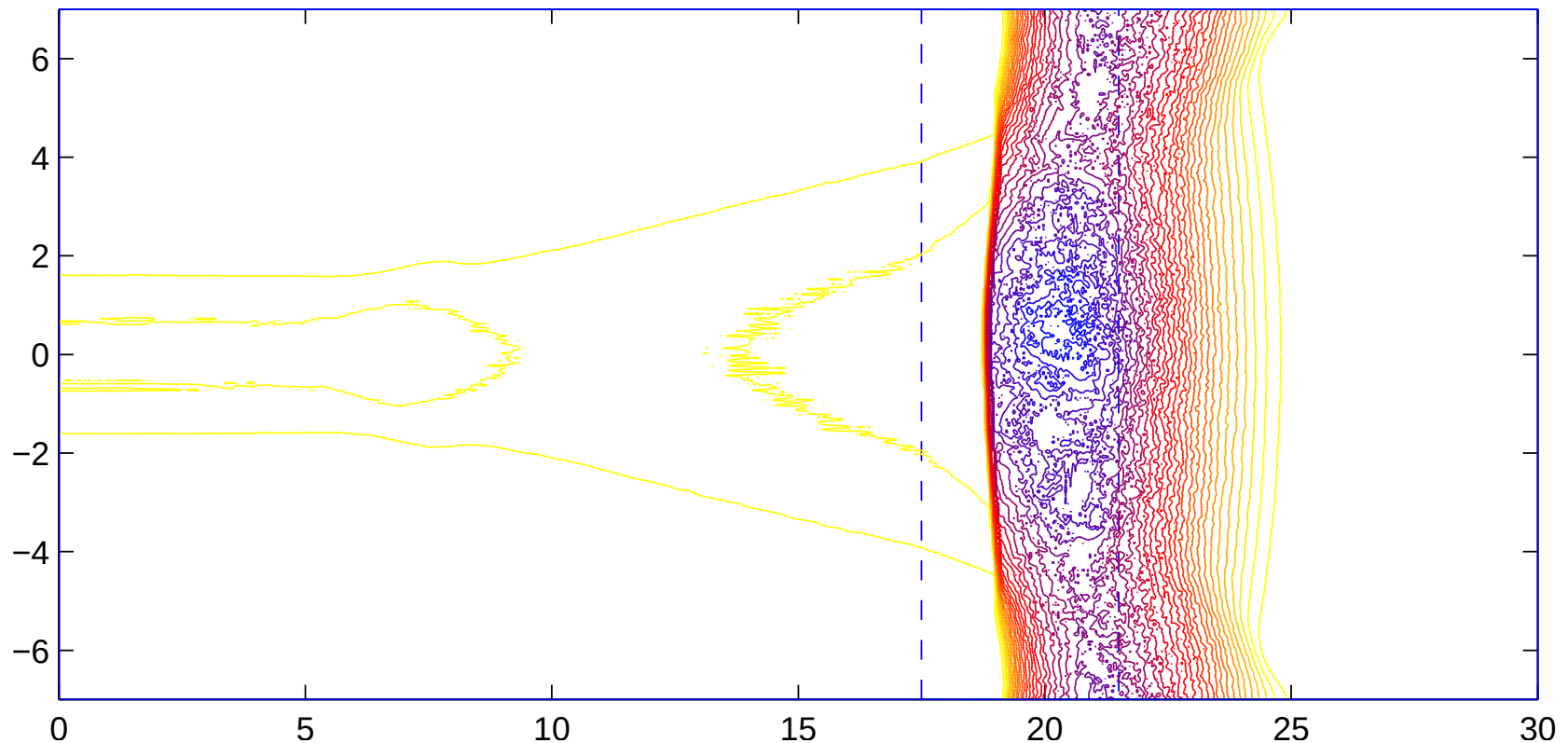


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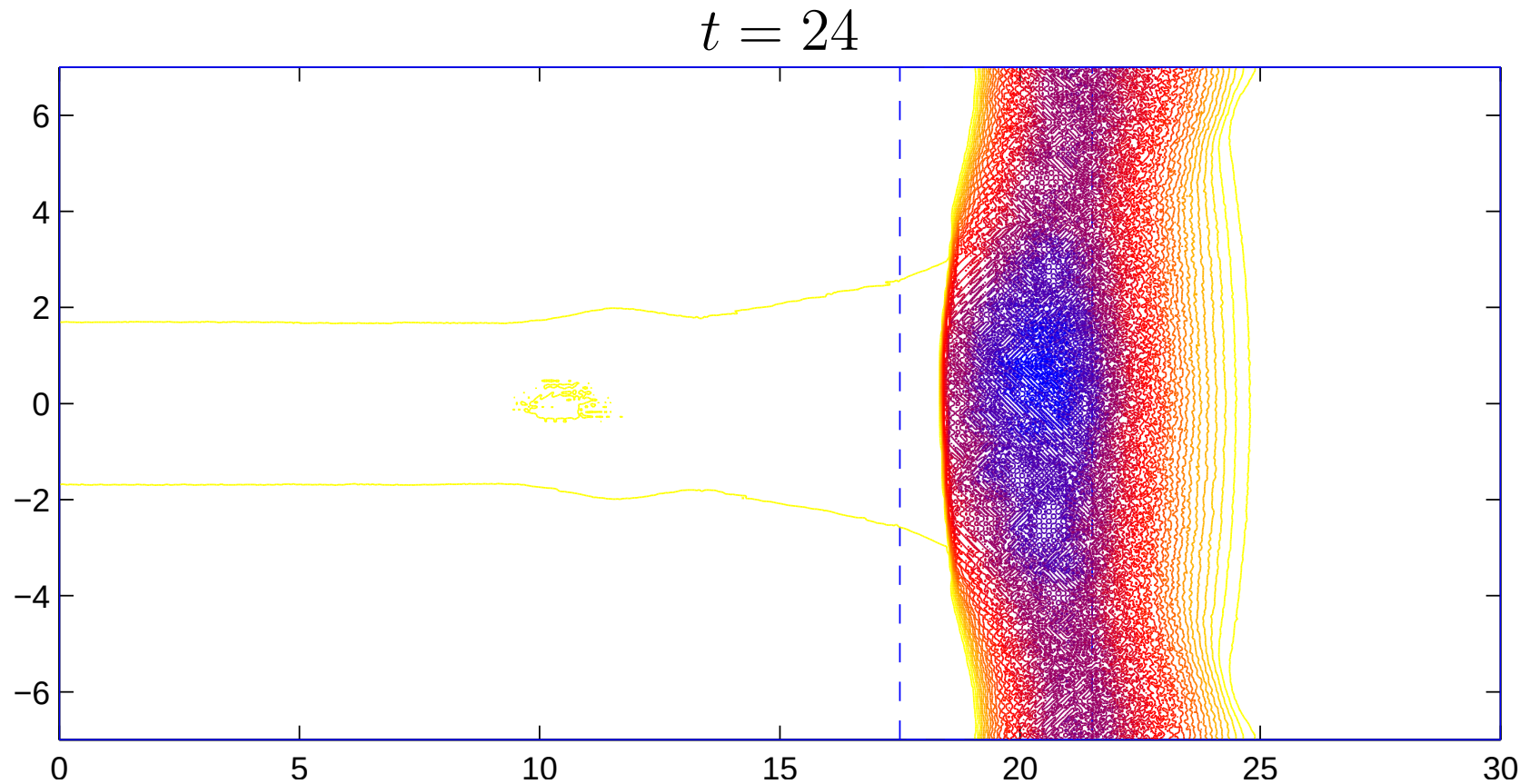
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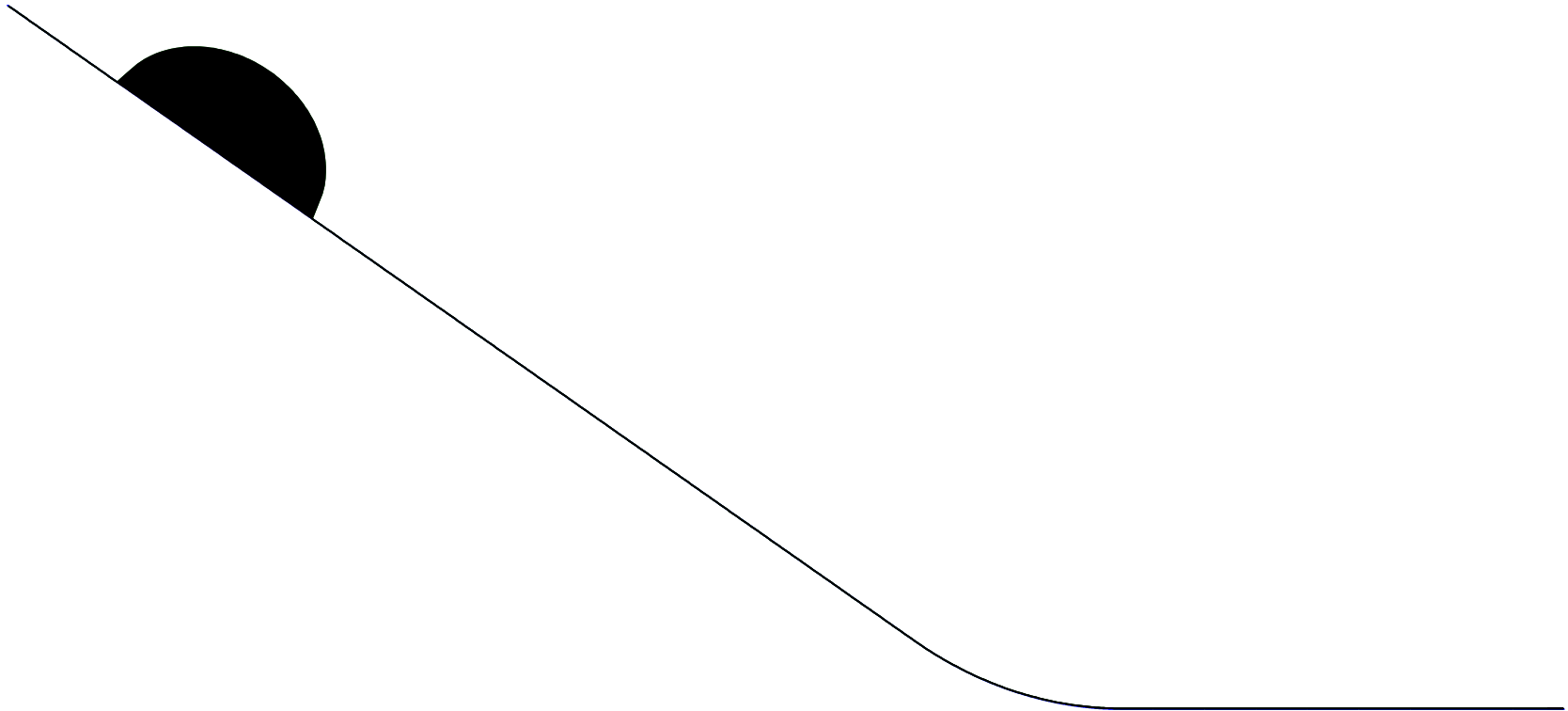


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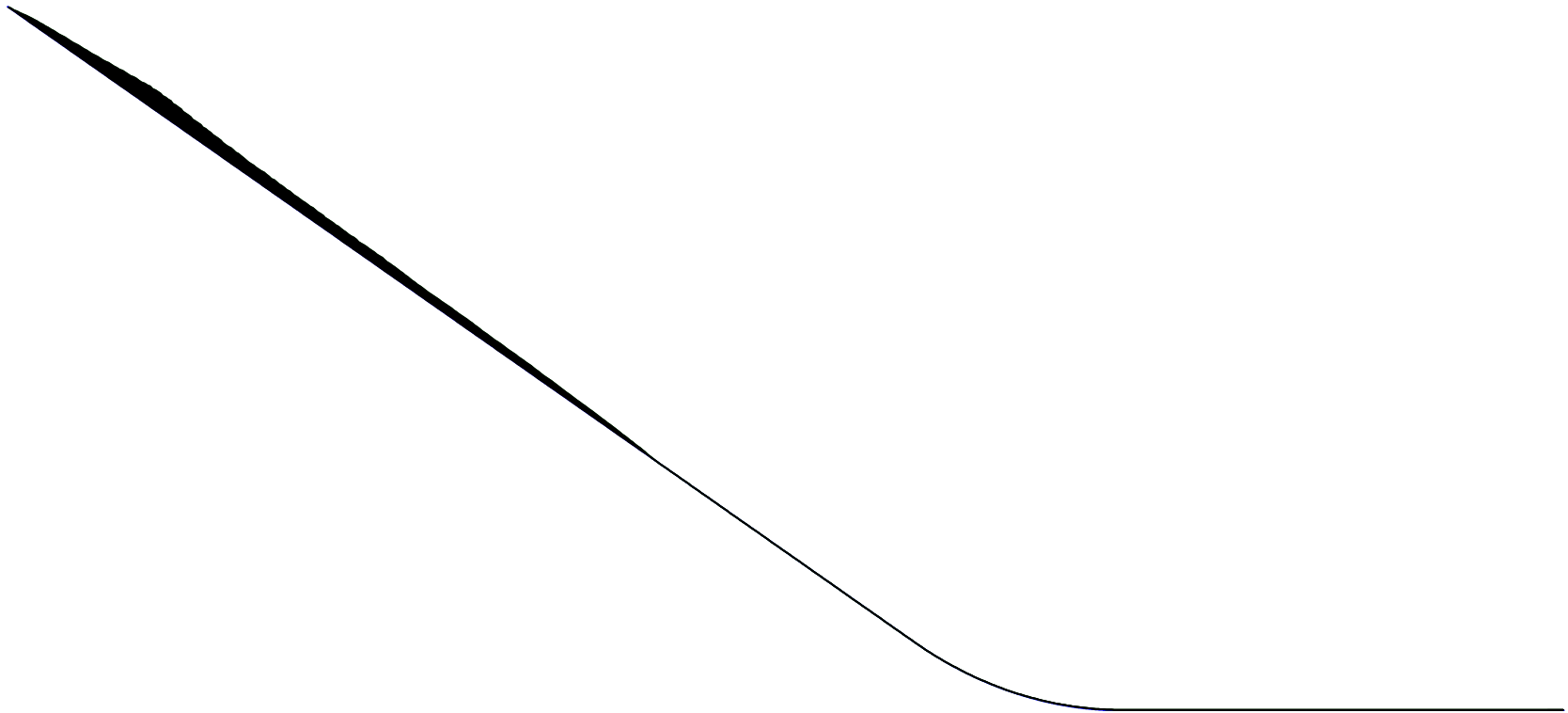


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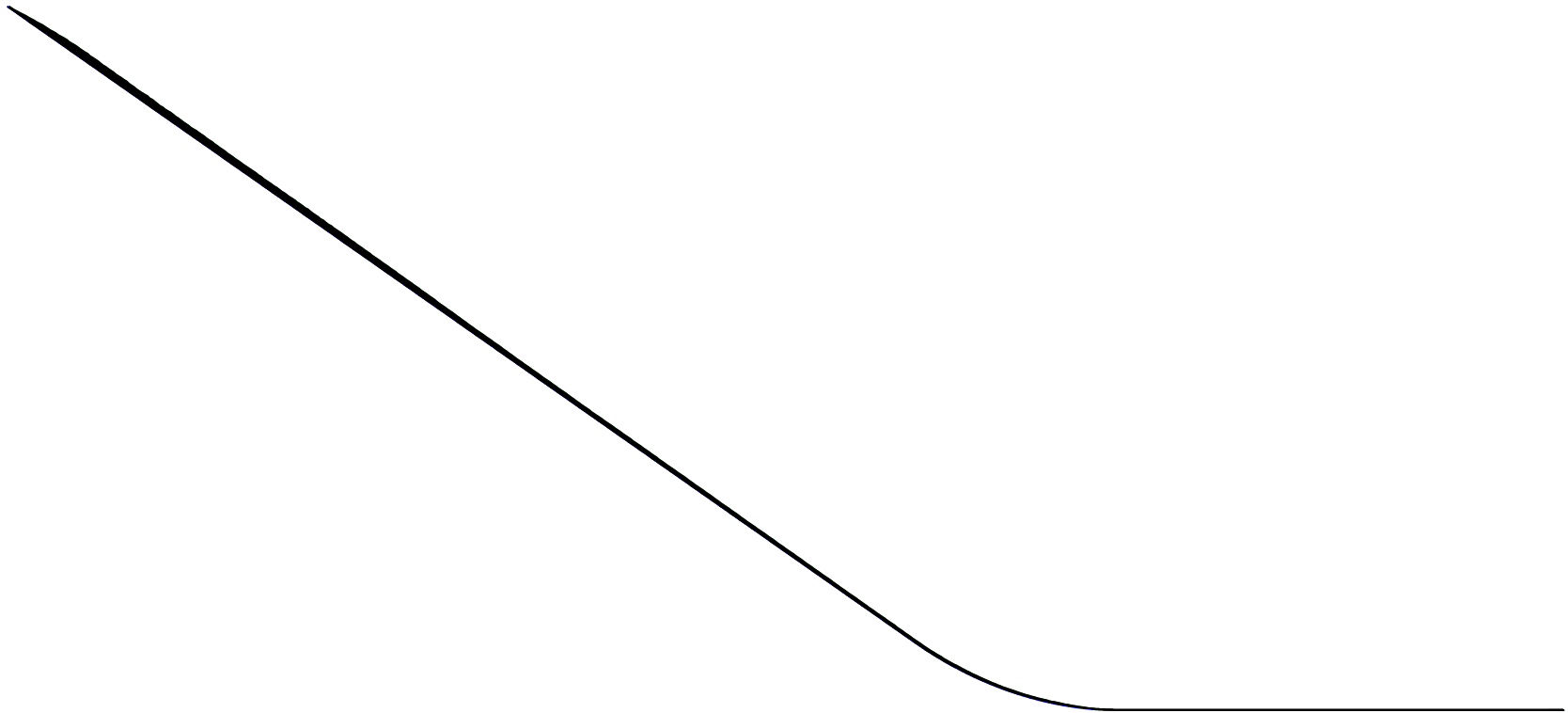


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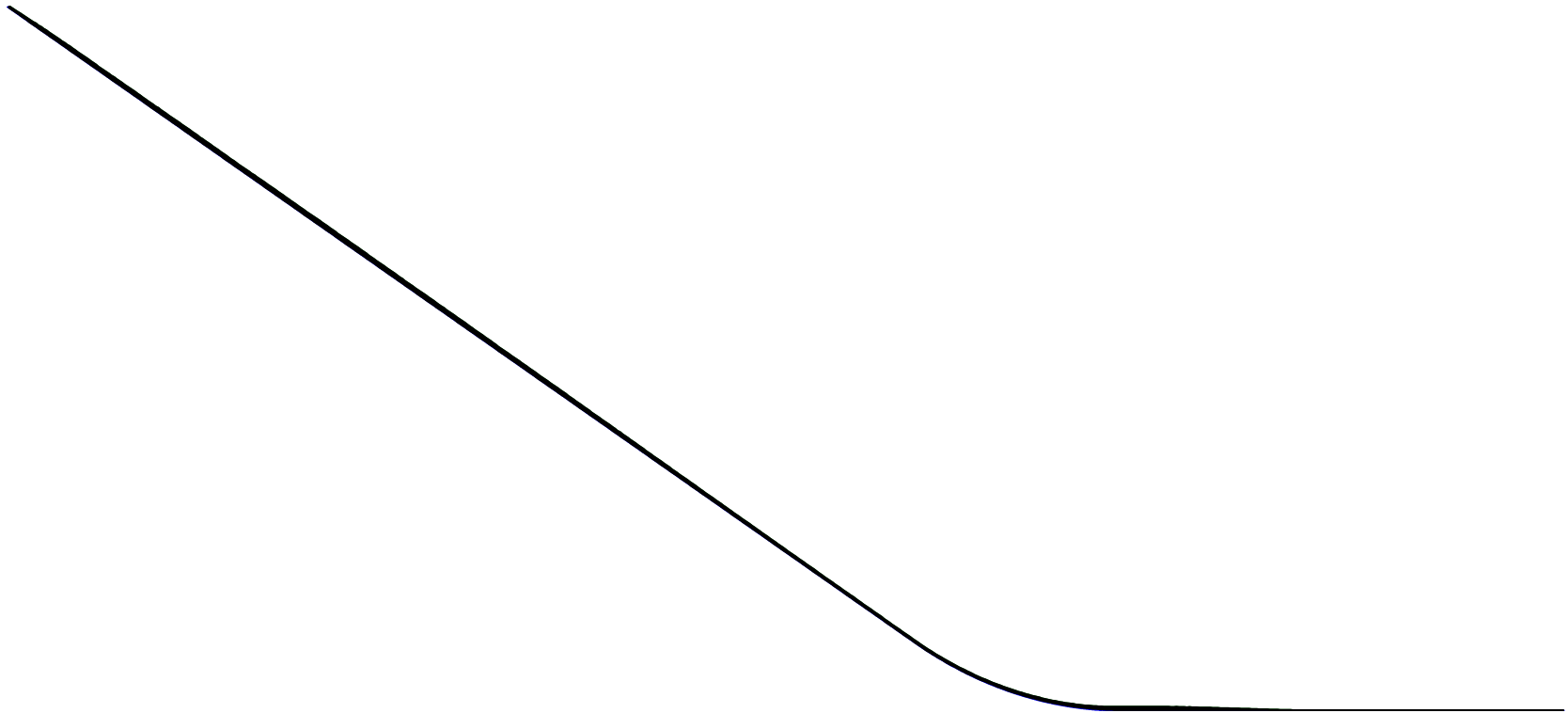


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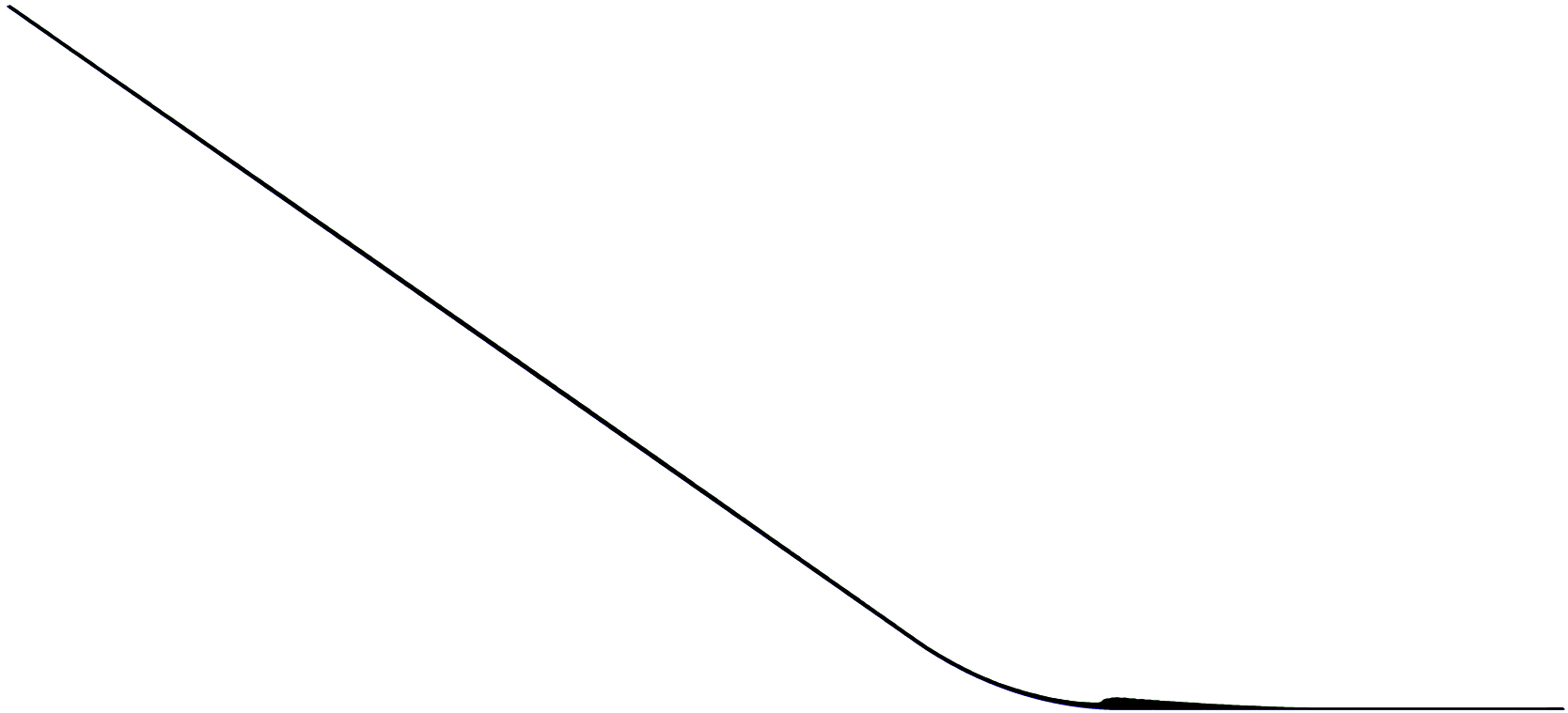


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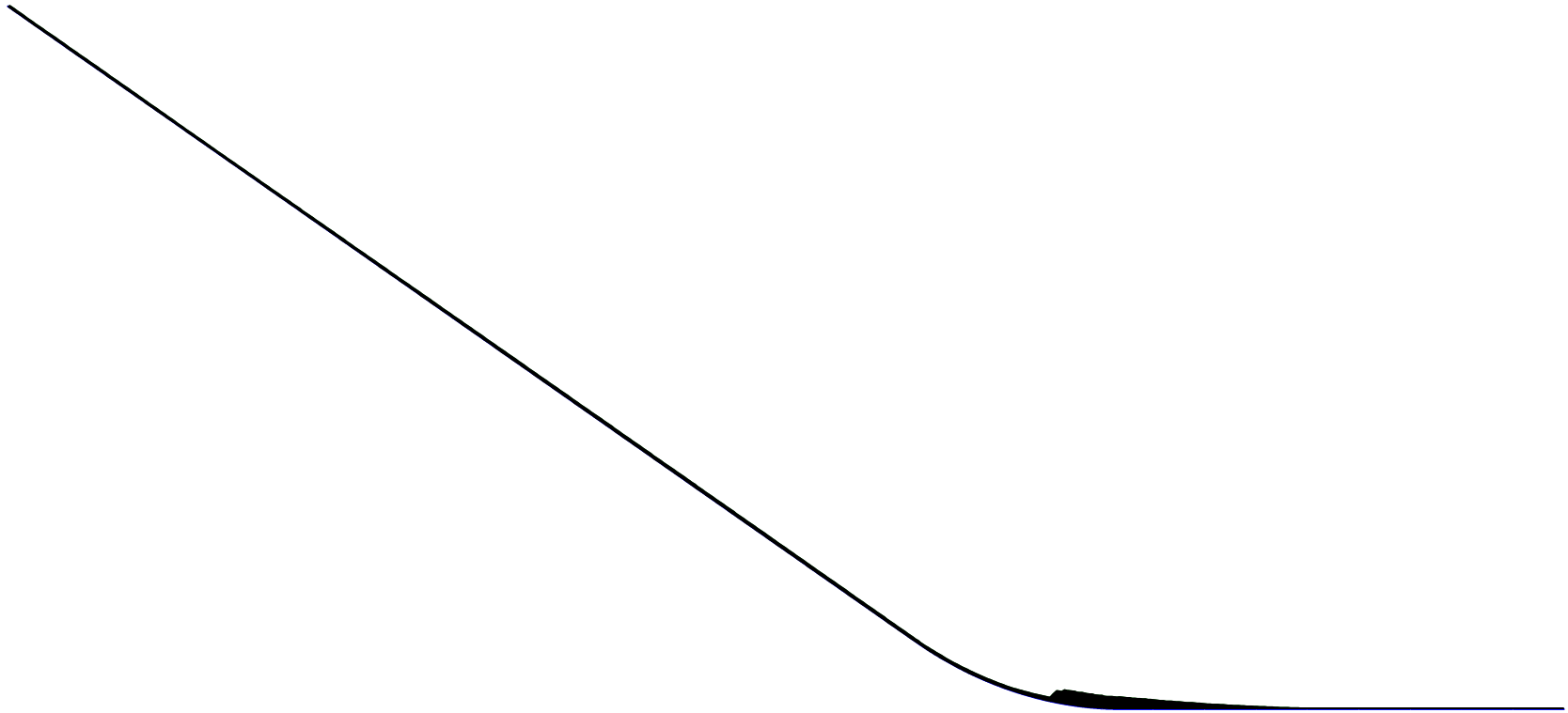


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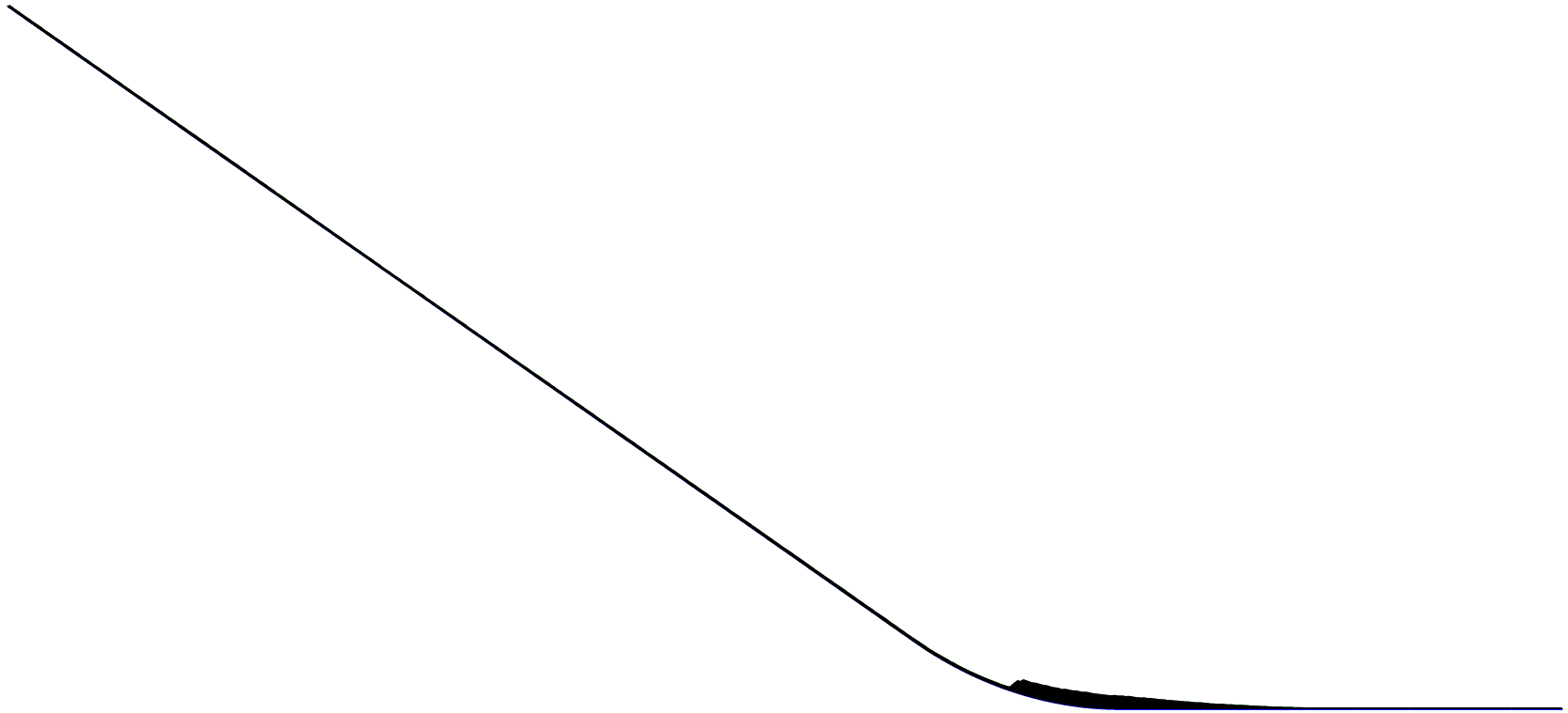


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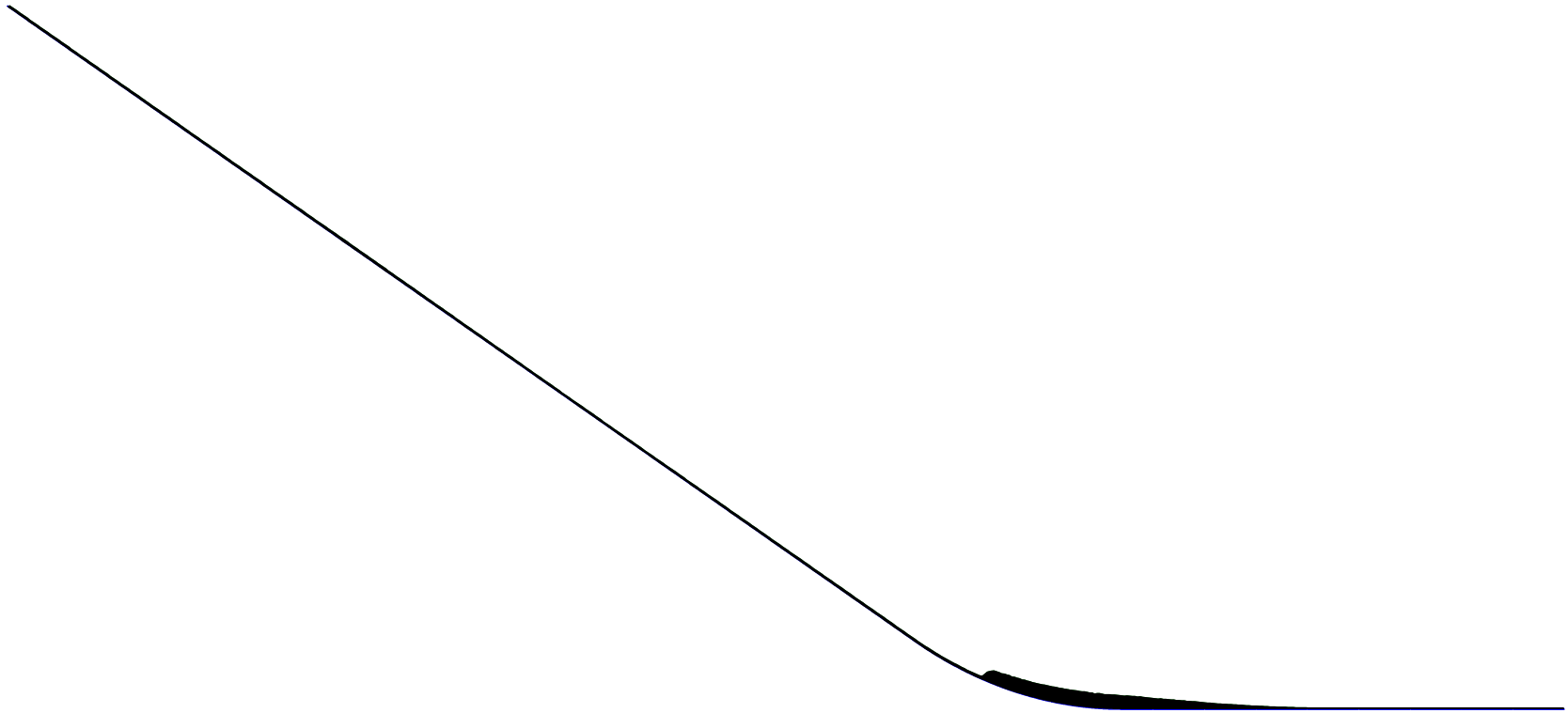


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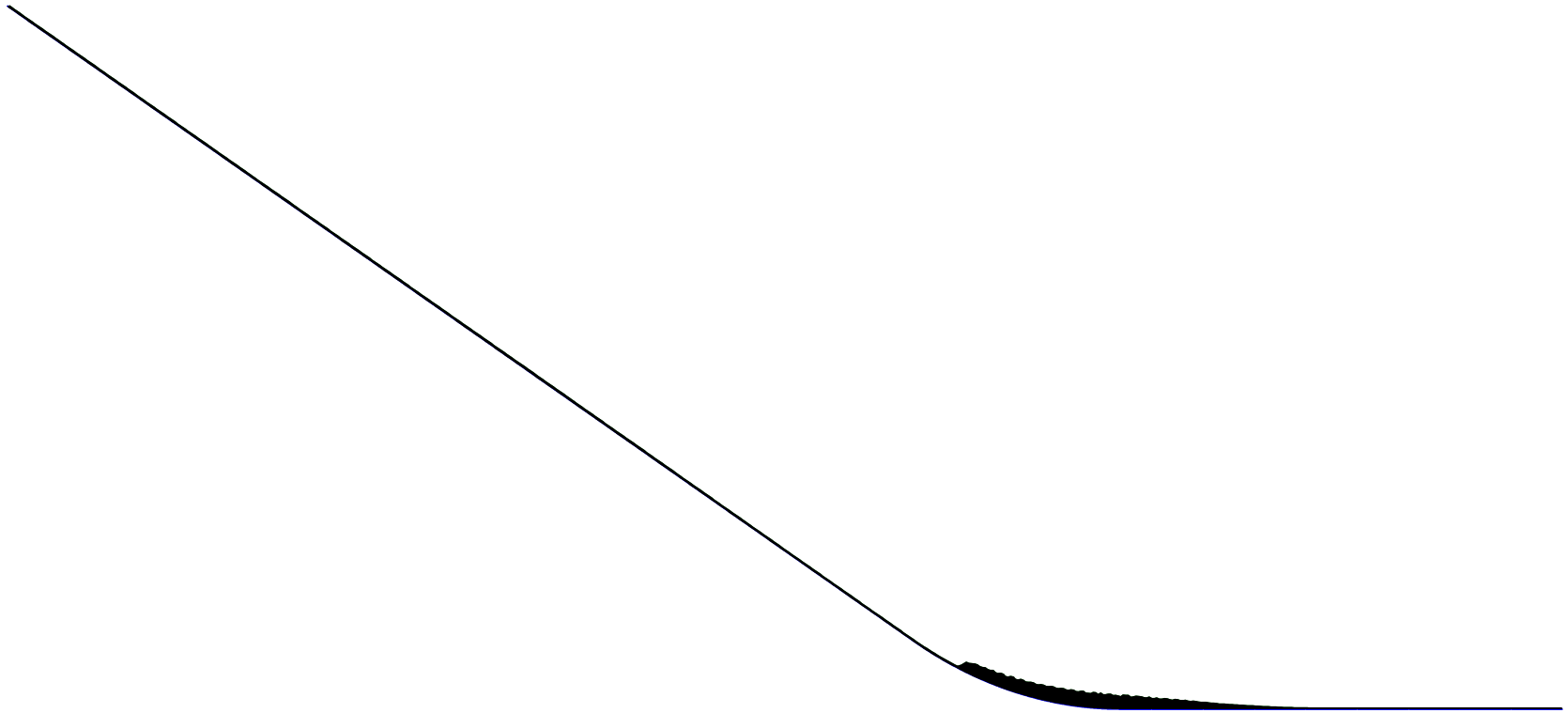


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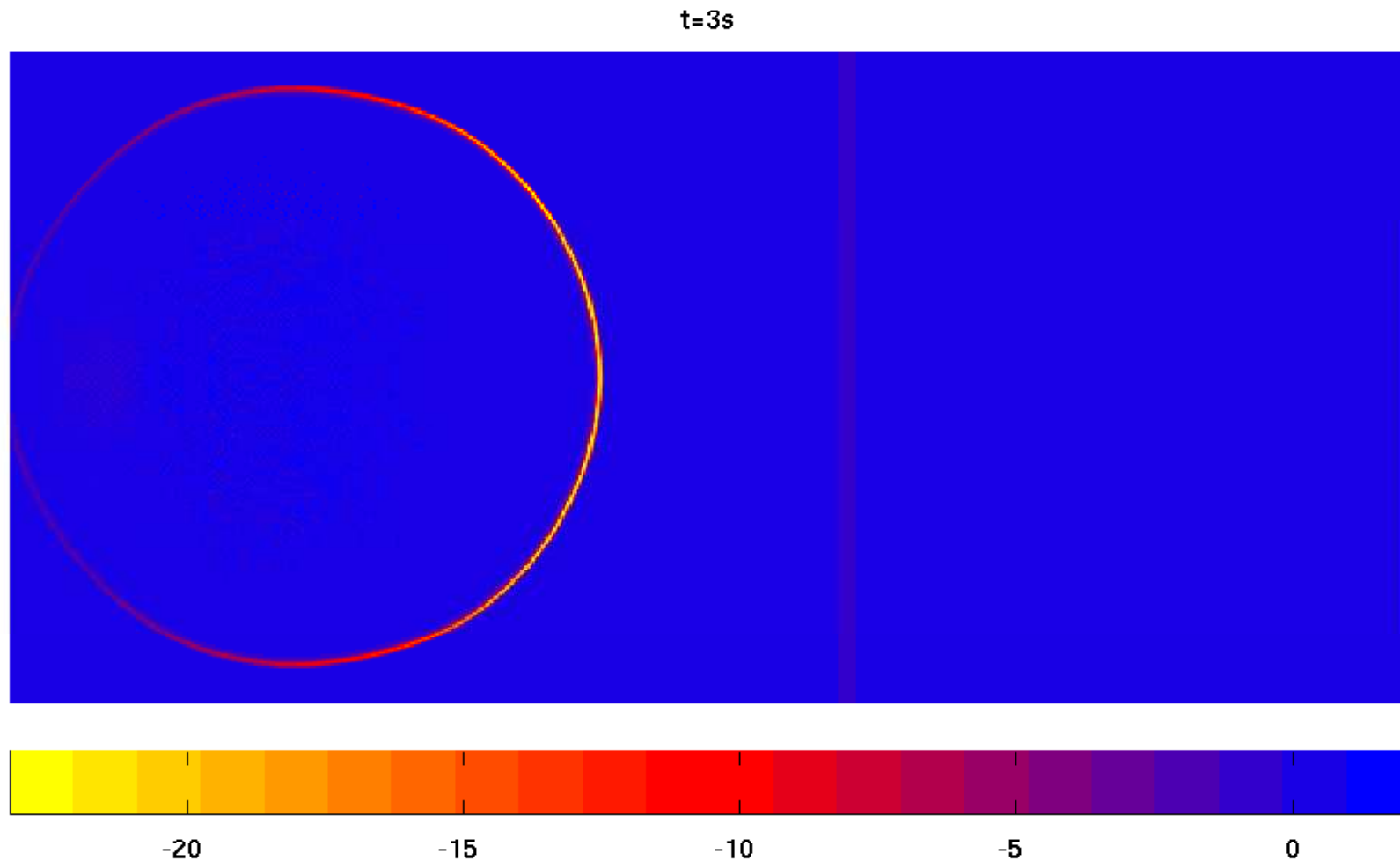
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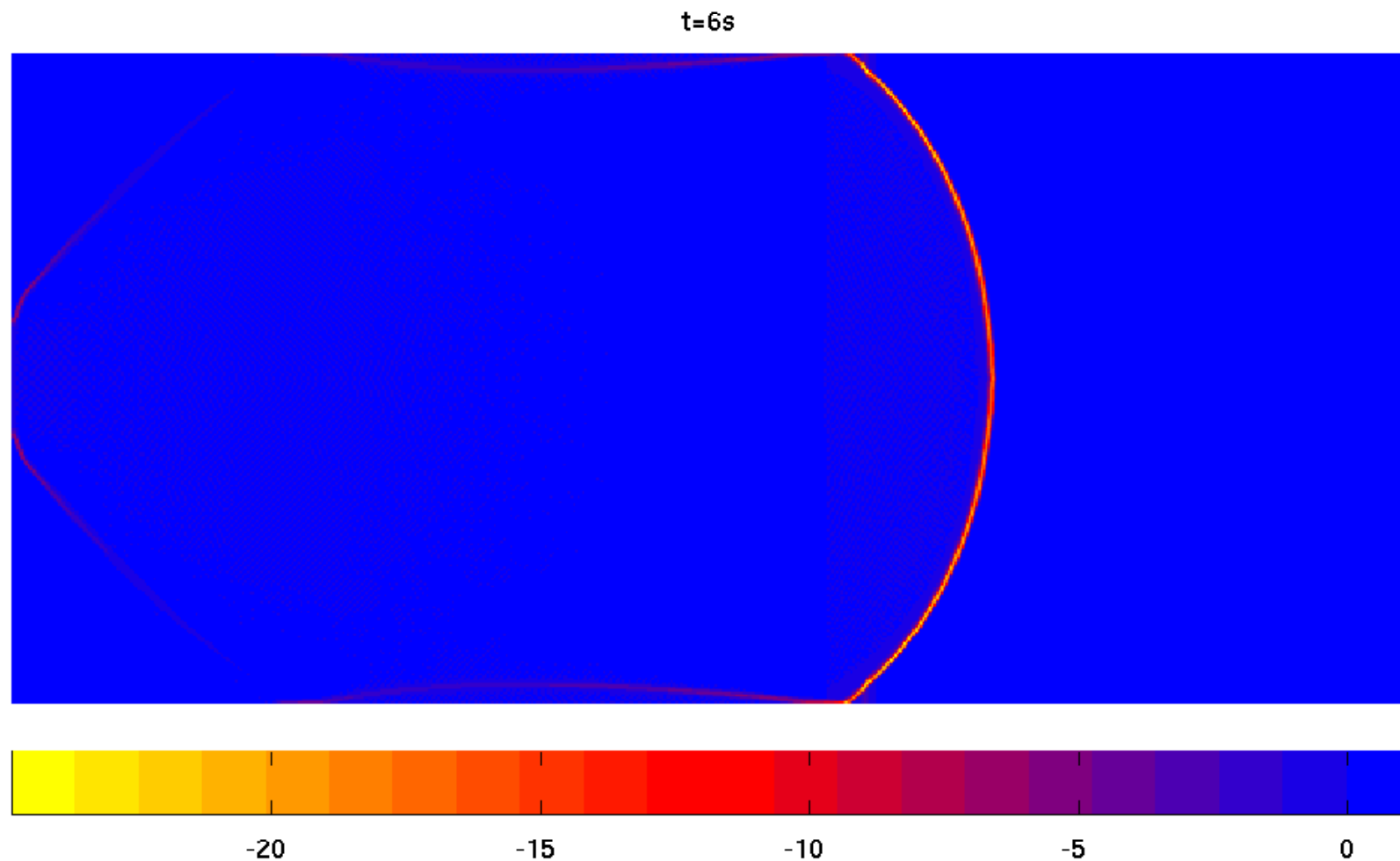
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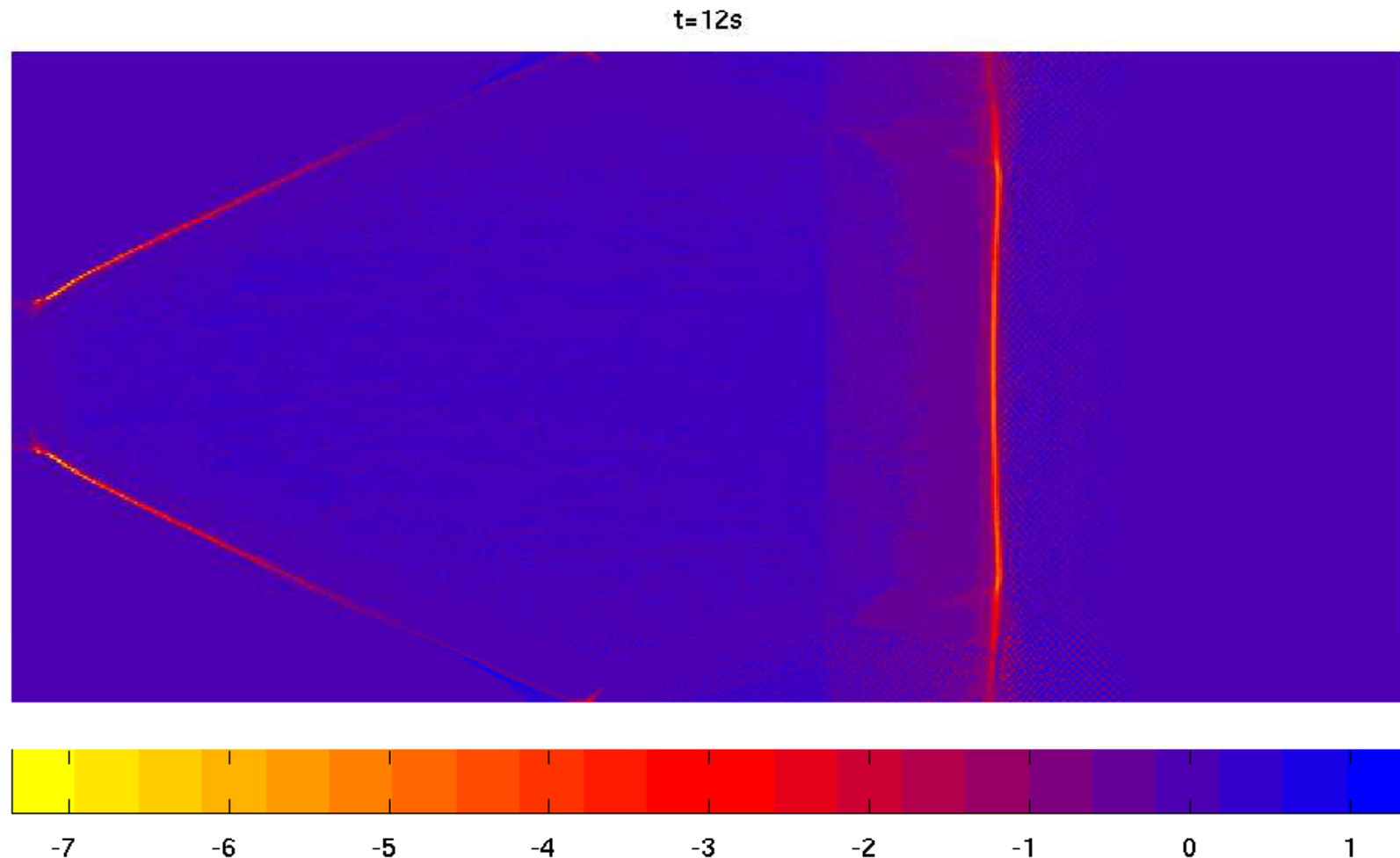
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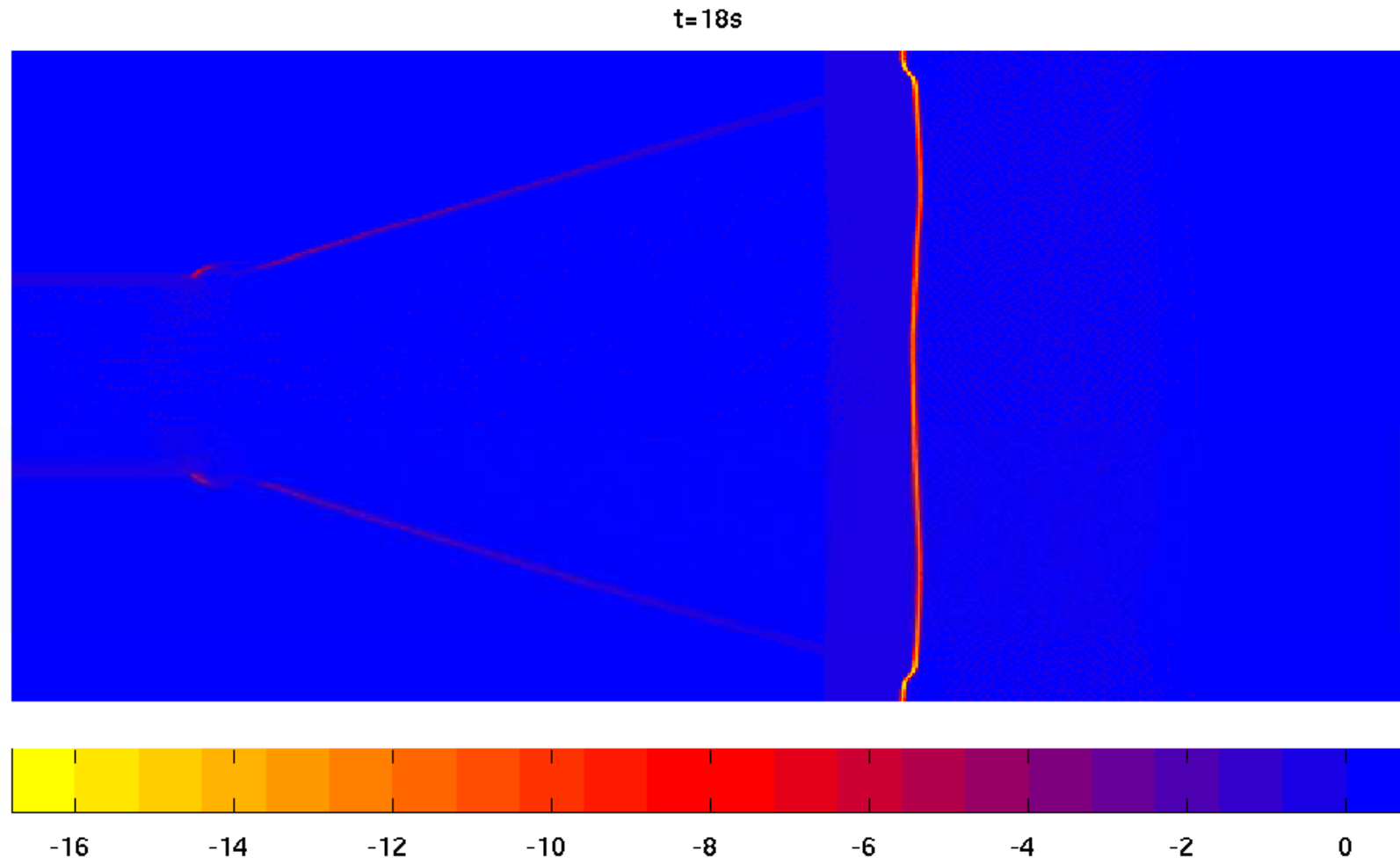
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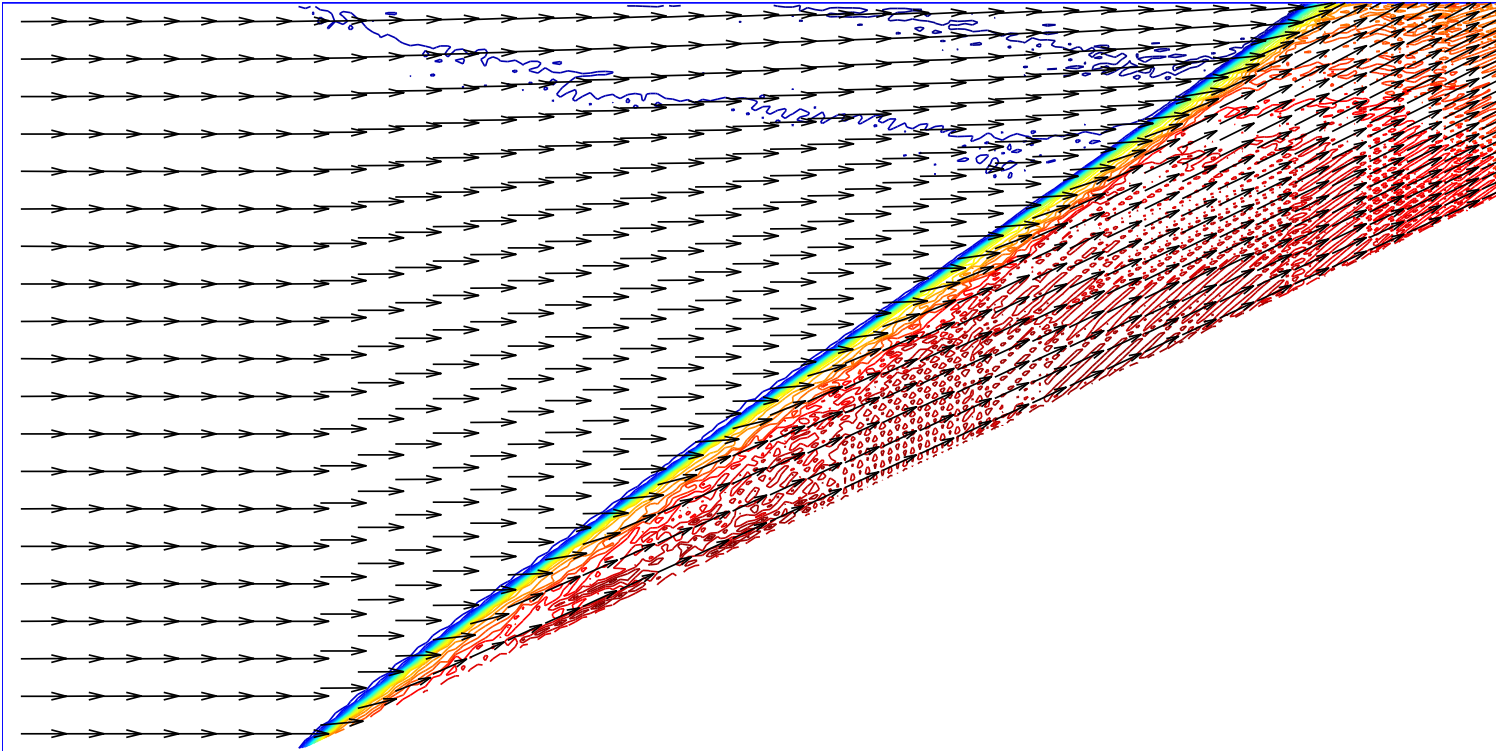
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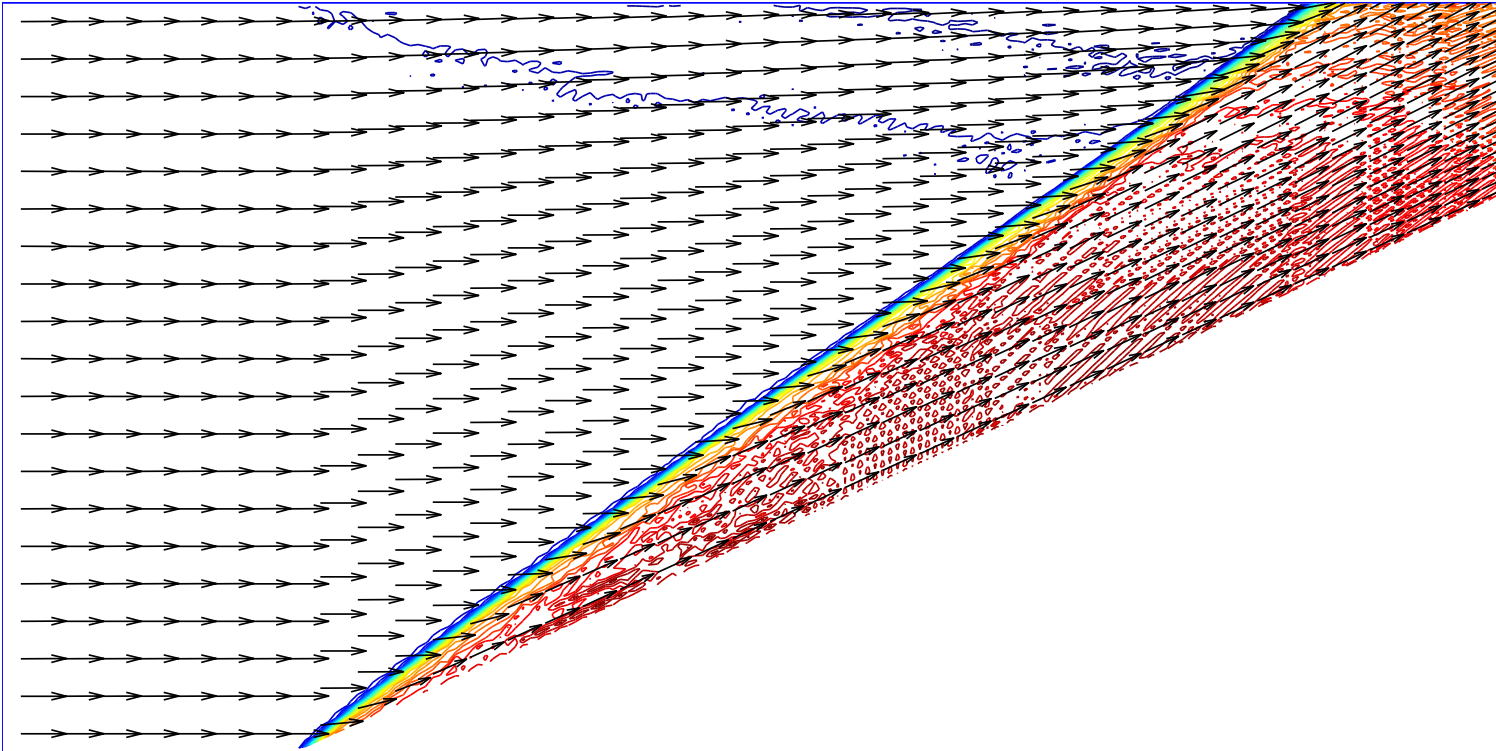
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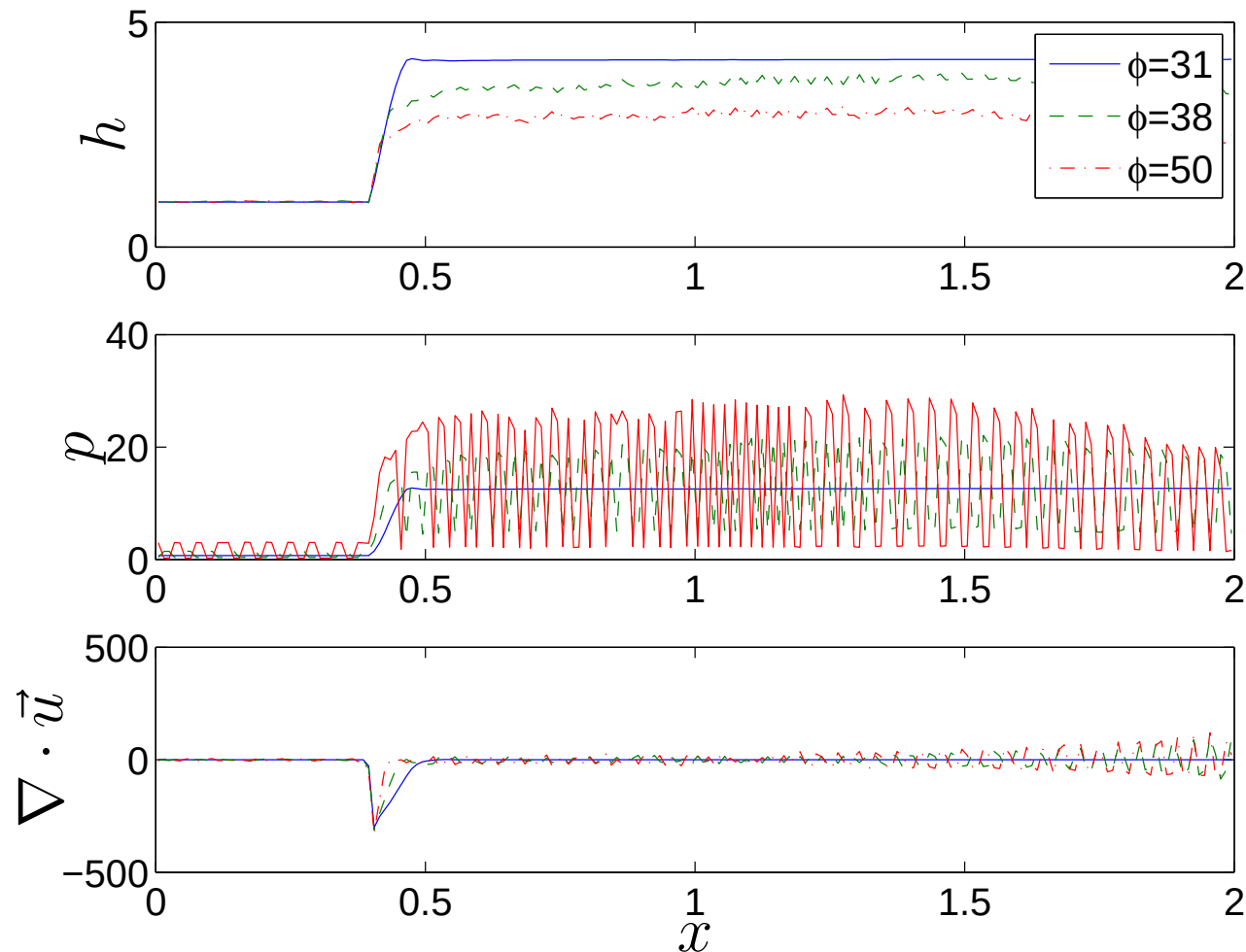
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