



**HAL**  
open science

# An Asymptotic Preserving scheme for the shallow-water equations with Manning friction using viscous correction of the HLL scheme

Solène Bulteau, Christophe Berthon, Marianne Bessemoulin-Chatard

► **To cite this version:**

Solène Bulteau, Christophe Berthon, Marianne Bessemoulin-Chatard. An Asymptotic Preserving scheme for the shallow-water equations with Manning friction using viscous correction of the HLL scheme. 2020. hal-02479081v1

**HAL Id: hal-02479081**

**<https://hal.science/hal-02479081v1>**

Preprint submitted on 14 Feb 2020 (v1), last revised 25 Aug 2022 (v2)

**HAL** is a multi-disciplinary open access archive for the deposit and dissemination of scientific research documents, whether they are published or not. The documents may come from teaching and research institutions in France or abroad, or from public or private research centers.

L'archive ouverte pluridisciplinaire **HAL**, est destinée au dépôt et à la diffusion de documents scientifiques de niveau recherche, publiés ou non, émanant des établissements d'enseignement et de recherche français ou étrangers, des laboratoires publics ou privés.

# An Asymptotic Preserving scheme for the shallow-water equations with Manning friction using viscous correction of the HLL scheme

Solène Bulteau\*      Christophe Berthon †

Marianne Bessemoulin-Chatard ‡

November 21, 2019

**Abstract.** The aim of this paper is to propose a numerical scheme for the shallow-water equations with a Manning friction source term able to preserve the diffusive regime, namely the behavior of the solutions in long time and stiff friction limit. Because of the non-usual rescaling of the friction parameter, a strongly nonlinear derivative operator is involved in the diffusive limit and the development of a numerical scheme possessing this property is not straightforward. The scheme presented here is based on a perturbed HLL scheme with additional viscous terms.

**Keywords.** Finite volume schemes, asymptotic-preserving schemes, conservation laws with source term, shallow-water equations.

**AMS subject classifications.** 65M08, 35Q35.

## 1 Introduction

This paper is devoted to the development of an asymptotic preserving scheme, based on a perturbed HLL discretization, to approximate the solutions of the shallow-water equations with a Manning friction source term [19]. The system of interest reads:

$$\begin{cases} \partial_t h + \partial_x q = 0, \\ \partial_t q + \partial_x \left( \frac{q^2}{h} + \frac{gh^2}{2} \right) = -k|q|qh^{-n}, \end{cases} \quad (x, t) \in \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}_+, \quad (1.1)$$

where the unknowns,  $h(x, t) > 0$  and  $q(x, t) \in \mathbb{R}$ , both depending on space and time, respectively denote the water height and the discharge. As usual, the water velocity is

---

\*Université de Nantes - Laboratoire de Mathématiques Jean Leray, CNRS UMR 6629 - 2 rue de la Houssinière, (solene.bulteau@univ-nantes.fr). <https://solenebulteau.wordpress.com>

†Université de Nantes - Laboratoire de Mathématiques Jean Leray, CNRS UMR 6629 - 2 rue de la Houssinière, (christophe.berthon@univ-nantes.fr). <http://www.math.sciences.univ-nantes.fr/berthon/WEBfrancais/berthon.html>

‡Université de Nantes - Laboratoire de Mathématiques Jean Leray, CNRS UMR 6629 - 2 rue de la Houssinière, (marianne.bessemoulin@univ-nantes.fr). <http://www.math.sciences.univ-nantes.fr/bessemoulin>

given by  $u = q/h$ . In the model,  $g = 9.81 \text{ m.s}^{-2}$  is the gravity constant while  $k$  and  $\eta$  denote friction parameters according to the Manning friction model [19]. In general,  $\eta$  is given by 7/3. Concerning the parameter  $k$ , called Manning coefficient, it defines the intensity of the friction to be adopted.

Here, we are interested in the behavior of  $h$  and  $q$  in long time and dominant friction, and faraway from dry areas. Since our aim is to build a numerical scheme able to preserve the correct asymptotic behavior of the solutions, we formally recall the derivation of the asymptotic diffusive regime. A small parameter  $\varepsilon$  is thus introduced in order to govern the time  $t$  and the friction coefficient  $k$  as follows:

$$t \leftarrow t/\varepsilon \quad \text{and} \quad k \leftarrow k/\varepsilon^2. \quad (1.2)$$

The friction parameter has to be rescaled differently than the time because of the quadratic term in  $q$  in the source term (see [5, 10]). With this scaling, the system (1.1) now reads:

$$\begin{cases} \varepsilon \partial_t h + \partial_x q = 0, \\ \varepsilon \partial_t q + \partial_x \left( \frac{q^2}{h} + \frac{gh^2}{2} \right) = -\frac{k}{\varepsilon^2} |q| q h^{-\eta}. \end{cases} \quad (1.3)$$

To study the behavior of  $h$  and  $q$  when  $\varepsilon$  tends to zero, the following Chapman-Enskog expansions of the unknowns are introduced:

$$h = h^0 + \varepsilon h^1 + \dots \quad \text{and} \quad q = q^0 + \varepsilon q^1 + \dots \quad (1.4)$$

The here considered water height  $h$  is assumed to be positive but, thereafter, we also have to impose the positivity of its first-order term, namely  $h^0 > 0$ . Plugging expansions (1.4) in the rescaled system (1.3), enforcing  $\varepsilon$  to zero, we obtain the following limit system:

$$\begin{cases} \partial_x q^0 = 0, \\ -k |q^0| q^0 (h^0)^{-\eta} = 0. \end{cases} \quad (1.5)$$

Since  $h^0 > 0$ , the second expression of the above system necessary gives  $q^0 = 0$ . Then, from (1.3), we now obtain the following limit problem:

$$\begin{cases} \partial_t h^0 + \partial_x q^1 = 0, \\ \partial_x \left( \frac{g(h^0)^2}{2} \right) = -k |q^1| q^1 (h^0)^{-\eta}. \end{cases} \quad (1.6)$$

The second expression of the above system leads to the following definition of  $q^1$ , called the local equilibrium (see [15]):

$$q^1 = -\text{sign}(\partial_x h^0) \sqrt{\frac{(h^0)^\eta}{k} \left| \partial_x \left( \frac{g(h^0)^2}{2} \right) \right|}. \quad (1.7)$$

Next, considering the  $h_0$  governing evolution equation in (1.6), we obtain the following nonlinear diffusion equation:

$$\partial_t h^0 + \partial_x \left( -\text{sign}(\partial_x h^0) \sqrt{\frac{(h^0)^\eta}{k} \left| \partial_x \left( \frac{g(h^0)^2}{2} \right) \right|} \right) = 0. \quad (1.8)$$

In the above equation, we may recognize a non stationary  $p$ -laplacian type equation supplemented with a nonlinear flux function. Let us underline that the  $p$ -laplacian

equation, known to be a degenerate parabolic equation, has been widely studied (see [2, 14, 18, 21] for theoretical aspects and [1, 4, 17, 20] for some numerical studies) and appears in several physical problems as, for instance, in non-newtonian fluids [9].

The aim of this work is to derive a scheme for (1.1) such that, in the diffusive regime, the approximate solution is consistent with the limit problem (1.6), or equivalently (1.7)-(1.8). This property to be satisfied by the numerical scheme, called asymptotic preserving (AP) [5, 6, 15], is not straightforward and the development of AP-schemes requires a particular attention. During the two last decades, numerous AP-schemes were proposed in the literature. For instance, in [3, 6, 7], AP numerical strategies have been introduced to accurately approximate the asymptotic diffusive regime issuing from the radiative transfer models. We also refer to [16] where an AP-scheme is derived to approximate the solutions of the isentropic gas dynamics in the Darcy law regime. Next, in [6], a generic formulation of AP-schemes is proposed by a suitable extension of the well-known HLL scheme [13]. At the wide discrepancy with the above mentioned works where the source term rescaling is governed by  $1/\varepsilon$ , according to (1.2), in the present paper we have to deal with a rescaling prescribed by  $1/\varepsilon^2$ . High order source term rescaling in  $1/\varepsilon^m$  are considered in [5] where the asymptotic diffusive regime is established to be strongly nonlinear. Of course, this nonlinearity is clearly stated in (1.8). In [5], the authors concluded the asymptotic diffusion study by the derivation of a generic numerical scheme. More recently, in [10], the shallow-water model with a Manning friction given by (1.1) is adopted and a scheme with interesting asymptotic behavior is derived. However, the diffusion regime satisfied by the introduced method comes from an extension of the numerical technique introduced in [6] designed for a scaling of the stiffness given by  $1/\varepsilon$ . As a consequence, the authors established a correct numerical asymptotic behavior of the water height. But, in [10], the expected regime verified by the discharge, according to (1.8), is no longer preserved. In this sense, the numerical scheme proposed in [10] is at most partially asymptotic preserving. The present work is motivated in the design of a numerical scheme able to fully restore the expected asymptotic diffusive regime given by both relations (1.7) and (1.8).

The paper is organized as follows. Section 2 is dedicated to the presentation of the considered general framework. It allows to introduce several notations useful in the next sections and to present a generic form for all the schemes presented in this paper. Afterwards, in Section 3, the scheme given in [10] for the system under concern (1.1) is recalled. The failure of this extension of the scheme presented in [6] is then highlighted. Indeed, this scheme is able to preserve terms of order zero, namely  $h^0$  given by (1.8), but not of order one. As a consequence, the relation (1.7) to govern  $q^1$  is not preserved and the resulting scheme is said a priori partially asymptotic preserving. In fact, by studying the asymptotic behavior of the discharge, since the scheme adopts a nonphysical scaling in  $1/\varepsilon$ , we exhibit an additional relation satisfied once again by  $h^0$ . This new relation combined with (1.8) make this scheme not asymptotic preserving. This failure is illustrated with several numerical experiments. In Section 4, an extension of the generic method introduced in [6], respecting the natural rescaling of the source term stiffness, is proposed. This generalization is able to deal with stiffness rescaled in  $1/\varepsilon^m$  with  $m \in \mathbb{N}^*$ . From now on, we emphasize that the here derived scheme turns out to be a revisit of the numerical approach introduced in [5]. Next, this proposed method is applied on the model (1.1), for which  $m = 2$ , and the diffusive limit regime, given by (1.7) and (1.8), is proved to be preserved by the here designed numerical

technique. More precisely, the respect of the natural rescaling allows to catch consistent discretizations of the order zero, to get (1.8), and the order one, to get (1.7), of the solutions in the diffusive regime. Finally, Section 5 is devoted to the numerical results to illustrate the interest of the developed scheme.

## 2 A Godunov-type scheme with source term

For the sake of completeness in the forthcoming developments, we briefly detail the asymptotic preserving numerical technique introduced in [6]. To address such an issue, we consider hyperbolic systems with source terms as follows:

$$\partial_t W + \partial_x F(W) = k(R(x, W) - W), \quad (x, t) \in \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}_+, \quad (2.1)$$

where  $W \in \Omega$  is the vector of the unknowns, with  $\Omega \in \mathbb{R}^N$  the phase space,  $F(W) \in \mathbb{R}^N$  is the physical flux and  $R(W) \in \mathbb{R}^N$  is a function occurring in the source term. We immediately notice that the system (1.1) enters in such a formalism with

$$W = {}^t(h, q), \quad F(W) = {}^t\left(q, \frac{q^2}{h} + g\frac{h^2}{2}\right) \quad \text{and} \quad R(x, W) = {}^t(h, q - q|q|h^{-n}). \quad (2.2)$$

For the sake of simplicity, we assume  $k$  to be a constant and we refer to [6] for more complex interactions.

Next, we introduce a free parameter, denoted  $\bar{k}$ , such that the system (2.1) equivalently reformulates as follows:

$$\partial_t W + \partial_x F(W) = (k + \bar{k}) (\bar{R}(x, W) - W), \quad (x, t) \in \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}_+, \quad (2.3)$$

with

$$\bar{R}(x, W) = \frac{k}{k + \bar{k}} (R(x, W) - W) + W. \quad (2.4)$$

In fact, from a numerical point of view,  $\bar{k}$  will play the role of a correction to be prescribed in order to recover the expected numerical asymptotic regime.

First, we consider the space discretization made of cells  $(x_{i-1/2}, x_{i+1/2})_{i \in \mathbb{Z}}$  with a constant size  $\Delta x$  such that  $x_{i+1/2} = x_{i-1/2} + \Delta x$  for all  $i \in \mathbb{Z}$ . Next, concerning the time discretization, we adopt  $t^{n+1} = t^n + \Delta t$  where  $\Delta t > 0$  denotes the time increment and where  $t^0 = 0$ . As usual, in order to enforce some stability conditions, the time increment will be restricted according to a CFL like condition [8]. Now, equipped with  $(W_i^n)_{i \in \mathbb{Z}}$  over each cell  $(x_{i-1/2}, x_{i+1/2})$  at time  $t^n$ , we search for relevant updated states  $(W_i^{n+1})_{i \in \mathbb{Z}}$  to approximate the solution of (2.3) at time  $t^{n+1}$ . Following [6], the required updated states are obtained by adopting a Godunov-type scheme [11–13]. To address such an issue, we first exhibit an approximate Riemann solver made of four constant states separated by three discontinuities (see Figure 1). According to [6], the approximate Riemann solver of interest reads as follows:

$$\widetilde{W}\left(\frac{x}{t}, W_L, W_R\right) = \begin{cases} W_L, & \text{if } \frac{x}{t} \leq -\lambda_{LR}, \\ \alpha_{LR} W^* + (1 - \alpha_{LR}) R(0^-, W_L), & \text{if } -\lambda_{LR} < \frac{x}{t} \leq 0, \\ \alpha_{LR} W^* + (1 - \alpha_{LR}) R(0^+, W_R), & \text{if } 0 < \frac{x}{t} \leq \lambda_{LR}, \\ W_R, & \text{if } \lambda_{LR} < \frac{x}{t}, \end{cases} \quad (2.5)$$

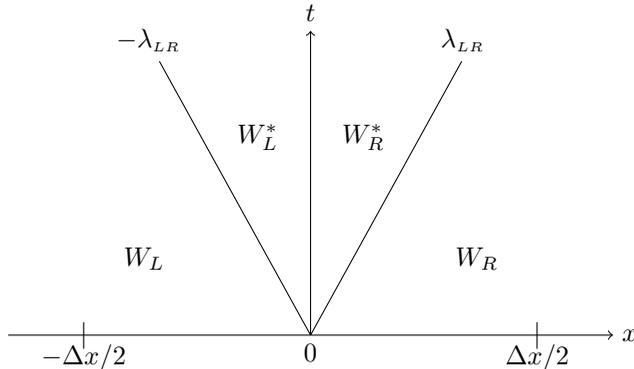


Figure 1: Structure of the approximate Riemann solver

where the parameter  $\alpha_{LR}$  is defined by

$$\alpha_{LR} = \frac{2\lambda_{LR}}{2\lambda_{LR} + (k + \bar{k}_{LR}) \Delta x}. \quad (2.6)$$

The main originality in this approximate Riemann solver remains in the introduction of the source term within the two intermediate states separated by a stationary discontinuity. Moreover, for the sake of simplicity in the forthcoming derivations, we here have adopted a symmetric fan made of speed waves  $-\lambda_{LR} < 0 < \lambda_{LR}$ . Extensions with speed waves  $\lambda_L < 0 < \lambda_R$  are straightforward and they are left to the reader. In (2.5), the vector  $W^*$  denotes the intermediate state of the classical HLL scheme introduced in [13], defined by

$$W^* = \frac{1}{2} (W_R + W_L) - \frac{1}{2\lambda_{LR}} (F(W_R) - F(W_L)),$$

and the following notation is used in the definition (2.5) of the Riemann solver:

$$\bar{R}(0^\pm, W) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^\pm} \bar{R}(x, W).$$

In order to obtain the expected updated states, we first put the approximate Riemann solver  $\widetilde{W}(\frac{x-x_{i+\frac{1}{2}}}{t}, W_i^n, W_{i+1}^n)$  at each interface  $x_{i+\frac{1}{2}}$  for all  $i \in \mathbb{Z}$ . Next, we define  $W_i^{n+1}$  as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} W_i^{n+1} &= \frac{1}{\Delta x} \int_{x_{i-\frac{1}{2}}}^{x_i} \widetilde{W} \left( \frac{x - x_{i-\frac{1}{2}}}{\Delta t}, W_{i-1}^n, W_i^n \right) dx \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{\Delta x} \int_{x_i}^{x_{i+\frac{1}{2}}} \widetilde{W} \left( \frac{x - x_{i+\frac{1}{2}}}{\Delta t}, W_i^n, W_{i+1}^n \right) dx. \end{aligned}$$

With clear notations stated at each interface  $x_{i+\frac{1}{2}}$ , after straightforward computations

we obtain:

$$\begin{aligned} W_i^{n+1} &= W_i^n - \frac{\Delta t}{2\Delta x} \left( \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}} (F(W_{i+1}^n) - F(W_i^n)) + \alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}} (F(W_i^n) - F(W_{i-1}^n)) \right) \\ &\quad + \frac{\Delta t}{2\Delta x} \left( \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}} \lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}} (W_{i+1}^n - W_i^n) - \alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}} \lambda_{i-\frac{1}{2}} (W_i^n - W_{i-1}^n) \right) \\ &\quad + \frac{k\Delta t}{2} \left( \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}} \left( R(x_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^-, W_i^n) - W_i^n \right) + \alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}} \left( R(x_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^+, W_i^n) - W_i^n \right) \right). \end{aligned} \tag{2.7}$$

In order to restore the expected asymptotic preserving property, the free parameter  $\bar{k}_{LR}$  is fixed to catch a discretization of the correct limit in the diffusive regime.

### 3 Failure of an asymptotic preserving scheme

In this section, we recall the scheme developed in [10] and we show that the expected AP-property is not fully satisfied. We adopt the scheme (2.6)-(2.7) where the wave velocities  $(\lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}})_{i \in \mathbb{Z}}$  are fixed as follows:

$$\lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}} = \max \left( \frac{|q_i^n|}{h_i^n} + \sqrt{gh_i^n}, \frac{|q_{i+1}^n|}{h_{i+1}^n} + \sqrt{gh_{i+1}^n} \right) \quad \text{for all } i \in \mathbb{Z}. \tag{3.1}$$

According to [10], in order to recover the asymptotic diffusion equation (1.8), the parameters  $(\bar{k}_{i+\frac{1}{2}})_{i \in \mathbb{Z}}$  are given by

$$\bar{k}_{i+\frac{1}{2}} = 2\lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^2 \sqrt{\frac{k|h_{i+1}^n - h_i^n|}{g\Delta x((h_{i+1}^n)^\eta + (h_i^n)^\eta)(h_{i+1}^n + h_i^n)}} - k \quad \text{for all } i \in \mathbb{Z}. \tag{3.2}$$

This correction has been selected in order to get a consistent approximation of the diffusive equation (1.8) in the asymptotic regime. However, this limit regime is obtained adopting the following rescaling of the time increment  $\Delta t$  and the friction coefficients  $k$  and  $\bar{k}_{LR}$ , using a small parameter  $\varepsilon$ :

$$\Delta t \leftarrow \Delta t/\varepsilon, \quad k \leftarrow k/\varepsilon \quad \text{and} \quad \bar{k}_{LR} \leftarrow \bar{k}_{LR}/\varepsilon.$$

Once again, we underline that this rescaling is not the natural rescaling of the friction, given by (1.2). As a consequence, this rescaling is inconsistent with the continuous framework.

After rescaling and when specified to (2.2), the scheme (2.7) now reads as follows:

$$h_i^{n+1} = h_i^n - \frac{\Delta t}{2\varepsilon\Delta x} \left( \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon (q_{i+1}^n - q_i^n) + \alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon (q_i^n - q_{i-1}^n) \right) \tag{3.3}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &+ \frac{\Delta t}{2\varepsilon\Delta x} \left( \lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon (h_{i+1}^n - h_i^n) - \lambda_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon \alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon (h_i^n - h_{i-1}^n) \right), \\ q_i^{n+1} &= q_i^n - \frac{\Delta t}{2\varepsilon\Delta x} \left( \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon \left( \frac{(q_{i+1}^n)^2}{h_{i+1}^n} + g \frac{(h_{i+1}^n)^2}{2} - \frac{(q_i^n)^2}{h_i^n} - g \frac{(h_i^n)^2}{2} \right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon \left( \frac{(q_i^n)^2}{h_i^n} + g \frac{(h_i^n)^2}{2} - \frac{(q_{i-1}^n)^2}{h_{i-1}^n} - g \frac{(h_{i-1}^n)^2}{2} \right) \right) \\ &+ \frac{\Delta t}{2\varepsilon\Delta x} \left( \lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon (q_{i+1}^n - q_i^n) - \lambda_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon \alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon (q_i^n - q_{i-1}^n) \right) \end{aligned} \tag{3.4}$$

$$-\frac{k\Delta t}{2\varepsilon^2} \left( \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon + \alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon \right) q_i^n |q_i^n| (h_i^n)^{-\eta}.$$

where

$$\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon = \frac{2\lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}}\varepsilon}{2\lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}}\varepsilon + (k + \bar{k}_{i+\frac{1}{2}})\Delta x}, \quad (3.5)$$

and with  $\bar{k}_{i+\frac{1}{2}}$  defined by (3.2). In the following lemma, we recall the asymptotic convergence result coming from [10]:

**Lemma 3.1.** *We assume that  $h_i^{n,0} > 0$  for all  $i \in \mathbb{Z}$  and*

$$\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon = \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon) \quad \text{for all } i \in \mathbb{Z}. \quad (3.6)$$

In the limit of  $\varepsilon$  to zero, the scheme (3.3)-(3.4) reads as follows:

$$h_i^{0,n+1} = h_i^{0,n} + \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta x} \left( \text{sign}(h_{i+1}^{0,n} - h_i^{0,n}) \sqrt{\frac{(h_{i+1}^{0,n})^\eta + (h_i^{0,n})^\eta}{2k} \left| \frac{g(h_{i+1}^{0,n})^2 - g(h_i^{0,n})^2}{\Delta x} \right|} \right. \quad (3.7)$$

$$\left. - \text{sign}(h_i^{0,n} - h_{i-1}^{0,n}) \sqrt{\frac{(h_i^{0,n})^\eta + (h_{i-1}^{0,n})^\eta}{2k} \left| \frac{g(h_i^{0,n})^2 - g(h_{i-1}^{0,n})^2}{\Delta x} \right|} \right),$$

$$q_i^{0,n} = 0. \quad (3.8)$$

As expected, the discrete diffusion equation (3.7) is a consistent discretization, when  $\Delta x$  and  $\Delta t$  tend to zero, of the diffusion equation (1.8).

*Proof.* Since the zero-order expansion of both  $(h_i^n)^n$  and  $(q_i^n)^n$  reads

$$h_i^n = h_i^{0,n} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon) \quad \text{and} \quad q_i^n = q_i^{0,n} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon),$$

with assumption (3.6), in the limit of  $\varepsilon$  to zero, the scheme (3.4) yields to

$$q_i^{0,n} |q_i^{0,n}| (h_i^{0,n})^{-\eta} = 0 \quad \text{for all } i \in \mathbb{Z}.$$

With  $h_i^{0,n} > 0$ , we immediately get  $q_i^{0,n} = 0$  and the discharge limit equation (3.8) is recovered. Now, once again with (3.6), the scheme (3.3) is written as follows in the limit of  $\varepsilon$  to zero:

$$h_i^{0,n+1} = h_i^{0,n} + \frac{\Delta t}{2\Delta x} \left( \lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}} \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \frac{\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon}{\varepsilon} (h_{i+1}^{0,n} - h_i^{0,n}) - \lambda_{i-\frac{1}{2}} \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \frac{\alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon}{\varepsilon} (h_i^{0,n} - h_{i-1}^{0,n}) \right). \quad (3.9)$$

Using the definition of  $\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon$  given by (3.5) and the definition of  $\bar{k}_{i+\frac{1}{2}}$  given by (3.2), we have:

$$\lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \frac{\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon}{\varepsilon} = \frac{1}{\lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}}} \sqrt{\frac{g((h_{i+1}^{0,n})^\eta + (h_i^{0,n})^\eta)(h_{i+1}^{0,n} + h_i^{0,n})}{k\Delta x |h_{i+1}^{0,n} - h_i^{0,n}|}}. \quad (3.10)$$

The scheme (3.9) thus coincides with the expected limit (3.7) and the proof is achieved.  $\square$

This first lemma assesses the asymptotic preserving property of the scheme (3.3)-(3.4) in the sense that the diffusive limit (1.8) is preserved. However, we now state a result concerning the behavior of the equation (3.4) in the diffusive regime, which does not coincide with a discretization of the expected local equilibrium (1.7). Moreover, this new statement establishes a non-consistent behavior of  $(h_i^n)_{i \in \mathbb{Z}}$  as  $\varepsilon$  goes to zero.

**Lemma 3.2.** *Assuming (3.6), as  $\varepsilon$  tends to zero, the limit of the equation (3.4) is consistent with  $\partial_x h^0 = 0$ .*

*Proof.* After Lemma 3.1, we have  $h_i^n = h_i^{0,n} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon)$  and  $q_i^n = \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon)$ . Because of (3.6), when  $\varepsilon$  tends to zero, the relation (3.4) reduces as follows:

$$\lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \frac{\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon}{\varepsilon} \frac{(h_{i+1}^{0,n})^2 - (h_i^{0,n})^2}{\Delta x} + \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \frac{\alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon}{\varepsilon} \frac{(h_i^{0,n})^2 - (h_{i-1}^{0,n})^2}{\Delta x} = 0.$$

Moreover, since (3.10) holds, the above relation can be rewritten

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{sign} \left( \frac{h_{i+1}^{0,n} - h_i^{0,n}}{\Delta x} \right) \frac{1}{\lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}}} \sqrt{\left( (h_{i+1}^{0,n})^\eta + (h_i^{0,n})^\eta \right) (h_{i+1}^{0,n} + h_i^{0,n})^3 \left| \frac{h_{i+1}^{0,n} - h_i^{0,n}}{\Delta x} \right|} \\ & + \text{sign} \left( \frac{h_i^{0,n} - h_{i-1}^{0,n}}{\Delta x} \right) \frac{1}{\lambda_{i-\frac{1}{2}}} \sqrt{\left( (h_i^{0,n})^\eta + (h_{i-1}^{0,n})^\eta \right) (h_i^{0,n} + h_{i-1}^{0,n})^3 \left| \frac{h_i^{0,n} - h_{i-1}^{0,n}}{\Delta x} \right|} = 0. \end{aligned}$$

Now, we show that the above discretization is consistent with  $\partial_x h^0 = 0$ . To address such an issue, let us consider  $h^0(x)$  a smooth enough function such that  $h_i^{0,n} = h^0(x_i)$  and  $h_{i\pm 1}^{0,n} = h^0(x_i \pm \Delta x)$ . As a consequence, we easily get:

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{sign}(\partial_x h^0(x_i) + \mathcal{O}(\Delta x)) \frac{1}{\lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}}} \sqrt{16(h^0(x_i))^{\eta+3} |\partial_x h^0(x_i)| + \mathcal{O}(\Delta x)} \\ & + \text{sign}(\partial_x h^0(x_i) + \mathcal{O}(\Delta x)) \frac{1}{\lambda_{i-\frac{1}{2}}} \sqrt{16(h^0(x_i))^{\eta+3} |\partial_x h^0(x_i)| + \mathcal{O}(\Delta x)} = 0. \end{aligned}$$

The above equality can thus be rewritten as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} & \left( \frac{\text{sign}(\partial_x h^0(x_i) + \mathcal{O}(\Delta x))}{\lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}}} + \frac{\text{sign}(\partial_x h^0(x_i) + \mathcal{O}(\Delta x))}{\lambda_{i-\frac{1}{2}}} \right) \\ & \quad \times \sqrt{(h^0(x_i))^{\eta+3} |\partial_x h^0(x_i)| + \mathcal{O}(\Delta x)} = 0. \end{aligned}$$

Since the wave speeds  $(\lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}})_{i \in \mathbb{Z}}$  are positive then, when  $\Delta x$  tends to zero, the above expression is consistent with the expected limit  $\partial_x h^0 = 0$ . The proof is thus achieved.  $\square$

This second result clearly exhibits that the asymptotic water height admits a constant behavior. Moreover, no additional information on the behavior of  $q^1$  can be obtained to mimic the required relation (1.7).

It is worth noticing that the hypothesis (3.6) imposes  $k + \bar{k}_{i+\frac{1}{2}} \neq 0$  for all  $i \in \mathbb{Z}$ . However, according to the definition of  $\bar{k}_{i+\frac{1}{2}}$  given by (3.2), the case  $k + \bar{k}_{i+\frac{1}{2}} = 0$  arises when the water height is constant at an interface. In this situation,  $\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}} = 1$  and the

condition (3.6) does not hold. As a consequence, lemmas 3.1 and 3.2 cannot be applied in cases of constant water height and the partial asymptotic preserving property is, once again, no longer valid for the scheme (3.3)-(3.4).

From now on, let us illustrate the inappropriate behavior of the discretizations given by the scheme (3.3)-(3.4). To address such an issue, two different initial conditions are considered. They are defined on the spatial domain  $[-5, 5]$  and are given as follows.

- Continuous initial condition:

$$h_0(x) = \begin{cases} 2 & \text{if } x < -1, \\ \frac{1}{2} \left( 3 + \sin \left( \frac{3\pi x}{2} \right) \right) & \text{if } -1 \leq x < 1, \quad \text{and } u_0(x) = 0. \\ 1 & \text{else,} \end{cases} \quad (3.11)$$

- Discontinuous initial condition:

$$h_0(x) = \begin{cases} 2 & \text{if } x < 0, \\ 1 & \text{else,} \end{cases} \quad \text{and } u_0(x) = 0. \quad (3.12)$$

These two initial conditions are displayed on Figure 2.

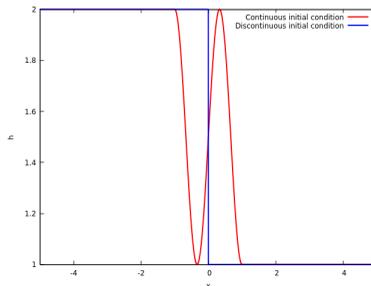


Figure 2: Initial water height.

Moreover, the parameter  $k$  is set equal to 1, the parameter  $\eta$  is equal to  $7/3$  and zero-flux boundary conditions are used.

We compare the discretization of the water height given by the scheme (3.3) with the straightforward discretization (3.7) of the diffusive limit. As detailed in the proof of Lemma 3.1, the approximate water height given by (3.3)-(3.4) coincides with the discretization given by this limit scheme in case of non constant water height. On Figure 3, we display the approximate water height, at time  $t = 0.01$  and for the continuous initial condition, obtained with the scheme (3.3)-(3.4) for different values of  $\varepsilon$ , the asymptotic parameter. The dotted line corresponds to the limit water height obtained with (3.7). The same plot, obtained for the discontinuous initial condition, can be observed on Figure 4. The preservation of the diffusive limit by the scheme (3.3)-(3.4) developed in [10] is not obvious. This result is not surprising since we are not in the framework given by hypothesis (3.6) for both initial conditions (3.11) and

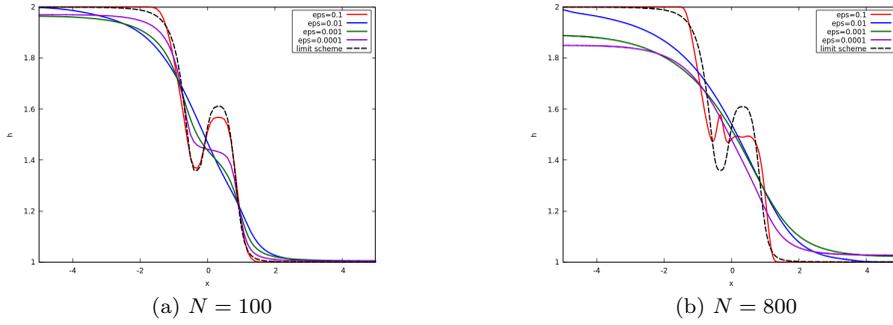


Figure 3: Water height at time  $t = 0.01$  with the continuous initial condition for different values of  $\epsilon$ .

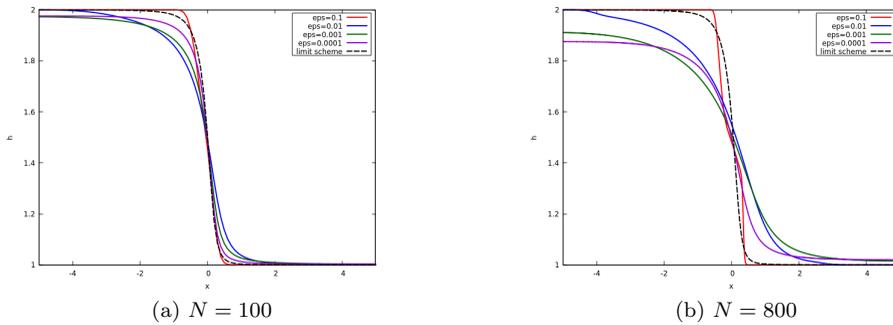


Figure 4: Water height at time  $t = 0.01$  with the discontinuous initial condition for different values of  $\epsilon$ .

(3.12).

To complete this illustration, we display on Figures 5 and 6 the water height obtained for a fixed value of  $\epsilon$  and different number of cells. Moreover the water height discretized by the limit scheme (3.7) is obtained with 800 cells.

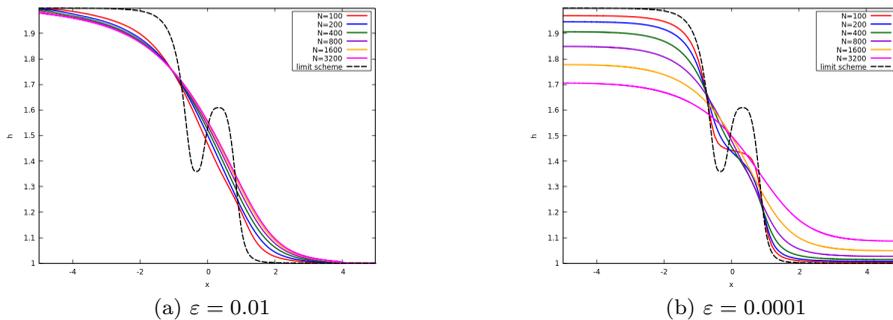


Figure 5: Water height at time  $t = 0.01$  with the continuous initial condition for different number of cells.

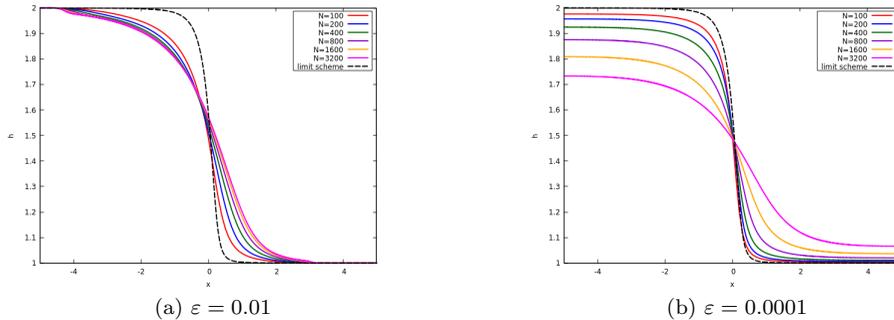


Figure 6: Water height at time  $t = 0.01$  with the discontinuous initial condition for different number of cells.

Moreover, to observe the behavior of the one-order of the approximate discharge given by the scheme (3.3)-(3.4), we consider  $(q_i^n/\varepsilon)_i^n$  where  $(q_i^n)_i^n$  is the discharge given by (3.3)-(3.4). We compare it with the following discretization of the local equilibrium (1.7) :

$$q_i^n = -\text{sign}(h_{i+1}^n - h_{i-1}^n) \sqrt{\frac{(h_i^n)^\eta}{k} \left| \frac{g}{2}(h_{i+1}^n)^2 - \frac{g}{2}(h_{i-1}^n)^2 \right|}, \quad (3.13)$$

where  $(h_i^n)_i^n$  is given by the discrete diffusion equation (3.7). This comparison is displayed on Figures 7 and 8 for a fixed value of  $N$  and different values of  $\varepsilon$ . We can observe that, for a fixed number of cells, more  $\varepsilon$  is small and more the one-order of the approximate discharge is far from the discrete local equilibrium. This allows us to confirm that the scheme (3.3)-(3.4) is not asymptotic preserving in the sense that it does not preserve both the diffusive limit (1.8) and the local equilibrium (1.7).

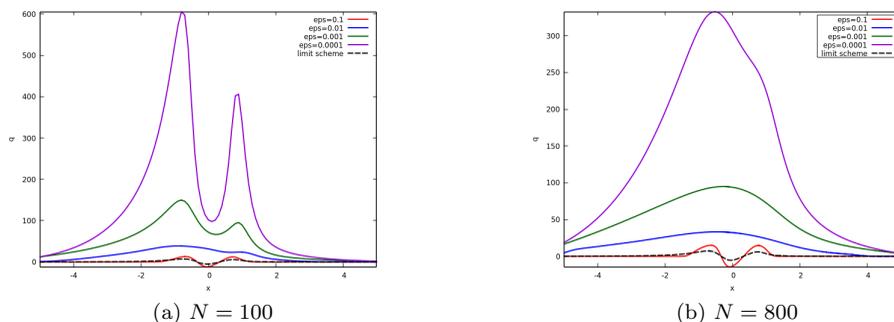


Figure 7: Order one of the water discharge at time  $t = 0.01$  with the continuous initial condition for different values of  $\varepsilon$ .

Finally, on Figures 9 and 10, we display the one-order of the discharge compared to the discrete local equilibrium (3.13) for a fixed value of  $\varepsilon$  and different number of cells. Once again, we remark that the scheme (3.3)-(3.4) fails capturing the expected asymptotic behavior.

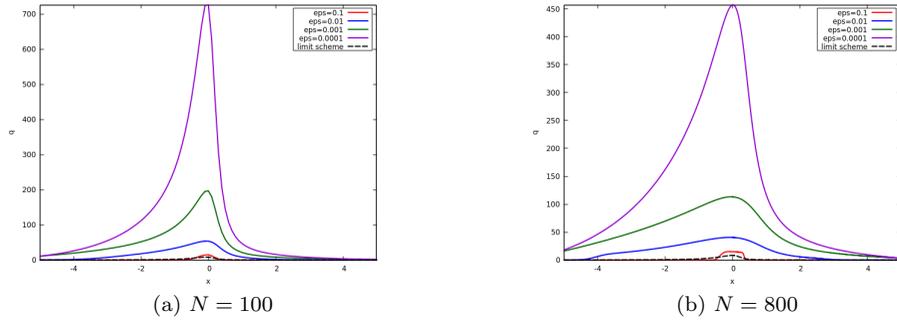


Figure 8: Order one of the water discharge at time  $t = 0.01$  with the discontinuous initial condition for different values of  $\varepsilon$ .

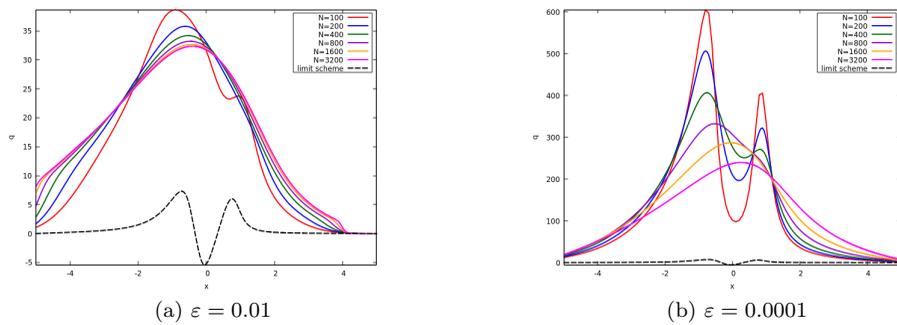


Figure 9: Order one of the water discharge at time  $t = 0.01$  with the continuous initial condition for different number of cells.

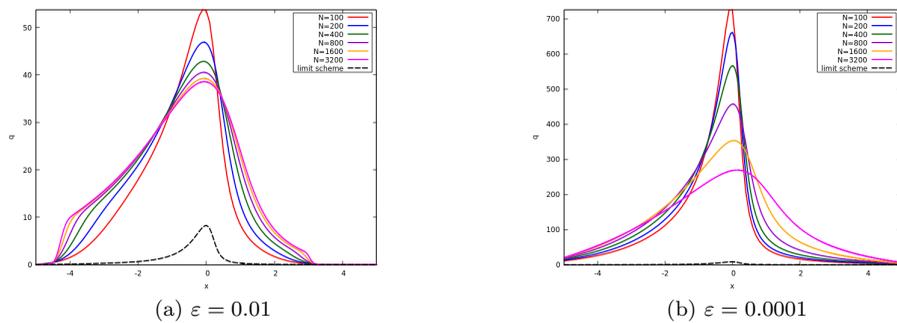


Figure 10: Order one of the water discharge at time  $t = 0.01$  with the discontinuous initial condition for different number of cells.

## 4 An improved AP-scheme

A generic method is now developed to design asymptotic preserving schemes for the hyperbolic problem (2.3) with a diffusive regime governed by a rescaling of  $t$  and  $k$  of the following form:

$$t \leftarrow t/\varepsilon, \quad \text{and} \quad k \leftarrow k/\varepsilon^m,$$

where  $m \in \mathbb{N}^*$ . Let us emphasize that  $m$  is restricted to 1 in [6] while we have to fix  $m = 2$  to deal with system (1.3). To derive the scheme under interest, we extend the formalism (2.3) in order to correctly mimic the rescaling of the source term in  $1/\varepsilon^m$ . To address such an issue, we introduce a second free parameter  $\delta > 0$  as follows:

$$\partial_t W + \partial_x F(W) = \delta(k + \bar{k}) (\bar{R}(x, W) - W), \quad (x, t) \in \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}_+,$$

where  $\bar{R}$  is now given by

$$\bar{R}(x, W) = \frac{k}{\delta(k + \bar{k})} (R(x, W) - W) + W.$$

We notice that  $\delta$  is a proportional parameter. It will be chosen according to the rescaling in order to restore the correct asymptotic behavior.

The scheme (2.6)-(2.7) can then be applied by substituting  $k + \bar{k}_{LR}$  by  $\delta(k + \bar{k}_{LR})$ . The next step consists in injecting into the obtained numerical method the following natural rescaling of the time step  $\Delta t$  and the parameters  $k$  and  $\bar{k}_{LR}$ :

$$\Delta t \leftarrow \Delta t/\varepsilon, \quad k \leftarrow k/\varepsilon^m \quad \text{and} \quad \bar{k}_{LR} \leftarrow \bar{k}_{LR}/\varepsilon^m. \quad (4.1)$$

Moreover, the parameter  $\delta$  is chosen as follows:

$$\delta = \varepsilon^{m-1}.$$

As usual, the parameter  $\bar{k}_{LR}$  is given at each interface by (3.2) such that the first equation of the scheme is consistent with the diffusive equation in the limit regime.

Now we exhibit the scheme for the shallow-water equations with Manning friction (1.1). The integer  $m$  is equal to 2 and the wave speeds are, once again, defined by (3.1). The natural rescaling defined by

$$\Delta t \leftarrow \Delta t/\varepsilon, \quad k \leftarrow k/\varepsilon^2 \quad \text{and} \quad \bar{k}_{LR} \leftarrow \bar{k}_{LR}/\varepsilon^2, \quad (4.2)$$

can be adopted and  $\delta$  fixed to  $\varepsilon$  to obtain the following rescaled scheme:

$$h_i^{n+1} = h_i^n - \frac{\Delta t}{2\varepsilon\Delta x} \left( \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon (q_{i+1}^n - q_i^n) + \alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon (q_i^n - q_{i-1}^n) \right) + \frac{\Delta t}{2\varepsilon\Delta x} \left( \lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}} \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon (h_{i+1}^n - h_i^n) - \lambda_{i-\frac{1}{2}} \alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon (h_i^n - h_{i-1}^n) \right), \quad (4.3)$$

$$q_i^{n+1} = q_i^n - \frac{\Delta t}{2\varepsilon\Delta x} \left( \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon \left( \frac{(q_{i+1}^n)^2}{h_{i+1}^n} + g \frac{(h_{i+1}^n)^2}{2} - \frac{(q_i^n)^2}{h_i^n} - g \frac{(h_i^n)^2}{2} \right) + \alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon \left( \frac{(q_i^n)^2}{h_i^n} + g \frac{(h_i^n)^2}{2} - \frac{(q_{i-1}^n)^2}{h_{i-1}^n} - g \frac{(h_{i-1}^n)^2}{2} \right) \right) + \frac{\Delta t}{2\varepsilon\Delta x} \left( \lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}} \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon (q_{i+1}^n - q_i^n) - \lambda_{i-\frac{1}{2}} \alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon (q_i^n - q_{i-1}^n) \right) - \frac{k\Delta t}{2\varepsilon^3} \left( \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon + \alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon \right) q_i^n |q_i^n| (h_i^n)^{-\eta}, \quad (4.4)$$

where  $(\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon)_{i \in \mathbb{Z}}$  is given by

$$\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon = \frac{2\lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}}\varepsilon}{2\lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}}\varepsilon + (k + \bar{k}_{i+\frac{1}{2}})\Delta x}. \quad (4.5)$$

The discrepancy between the above scheme (4.3)-(4.4) and the scheme (3.3)-(3.4), developed in [10], stays in the introduction of the coefficient  $\delta$  which modifies the definition of  $\alpha$  given by (4.5). This new parameter turns out to be essential to improve the numerical diffusion involved in the scheme in order to deal with the correct scaling (4.1). We now state the asymptotic behavior satisfied by the scheme (4.3)-(4.4).

**Theorem 4.1.** *We consider the scheme (4.3)-(4.4)-(4.5), where the additional parameter  $\bar{k}_{i+\frac{1}{2}}$  is defined by (3.2). When  $\varepsilon$  tends to zero, the two following assertions are satisfied.*

- (i) *In the diffusive regime, the equation (4.4) coincides with a discretization of the local equilibrium (1.7).*
- (ii) *In the diffusive regime, the equation (4.3) coincides with the discrete diffusion equation (3.7) to discretize (1.8).*

*Proof.* Let us adopt the following Chapman-Enskog expansions of  $h_i^n$  and  $q_i^n$  for all  $i \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ :

$$h_i^n = h_i^{0,n} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon) \quad \text{and} \quad q_i^n = q_i^{0,n} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon), \quad (4.6)$$

where the zero-order of the water height  $h_i^{0,n}$  is assumed to be positive for all  $i \in \mathbb{Z}$  and  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . First, we underline that the following developments easily hold for all  $i \in \mathbb{Z}$  and  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ :

$$\frac{(q_i^n)^2}{h_i^n} + g \frac{(h_i^n)^2}{2} = \frac{(q_i^{0,n})^2}{h_i^{0,n}} + g \frac{(h_i^{0,n})^2}{2} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon).$$

The discrete discharge evolution law (4.4) can then be rewritten as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} q_i^{0,n+1} &= q_i^{0,n} - \frac{\Delta t}{2\varepsilon \Delta x} \left( \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon \left( \frac{(q_{i+1}^{0,n})^2}{h_{i+1}^{0,n}} + g \frac{(h_{i+1}^{0,n})^2}{2} - \frac{(q_i^{0,n})^2}{h_i^{0,n}} - g \frac{(h_i^{0,n})^2}{2} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon) \right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon \left( \frac{(q_i^{0,n})^2}{h_i^{0,n}} + g \frac{(h_i^{0,n})^2}{2} - \frac{(q_{i-1}^{0,n})^2}{h_{i-1}^{0,n}} - g \frac{(h_{i-1}^{0,n})^2}{2} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon) \right) \right) \\ &\quad + \frac{\Delta t}{2\varepsilon \Delta x} \left( \lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}} \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon \left( q_{i+1}^{0,n} - q_i^{0,n} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon) \right) - \lambda_{i-\frac{1}{2}} \alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon \left( q_i^{0,n} - q_{i-1}^{0,n} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon) \right) \right) \\ &\quad - \frac{k \Delta t}{2\varepsilon^3} \left( \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon + \alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon \right) \left( q_i^{0,n} |q_i^{0,n}| (h_i^{0,n})^{-\eta} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon) \right) + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon). \end{aligned} \quad (4.7)$$

Moreover, from the definition of  $(\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon)_{i \in \mathbb{Z}}$  given by (4.5) and the definition of  $(\bar{k}_{i+\frac{1}{2}})_{i \in \mathbb{Z}}$  given by (3.2),  $\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon$  can be rewritten as follows:

$$\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon = \varepsilon \left( \varepsilon + \lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}} \sqrt{\frac{k \Delta x |h_{i+1}^n - h_i^n|}{g((h_{i+1}^n)^\eta + (h_i^n)^\eta)(h_{i+1}^n + h_i^n)}} \right)^{-1}.$$

Using expansions (4.6), from the above expression we deduce the following limit:

$$\lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \frac{\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon}{\varepsilon} = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}}} \sqrt{\frac{g((h_{i+1}^{0,n})^\eta + (h_i^{0,n})^\eta)(h_{i+1}^{0,n} + h_i^{0,n})}{k \Delta x |h_{i+1}^{0,n} - h_i^{0,n}|}}, & \text{if } h_i^{0,n} \neq h_{i+1}^{0,n}, \\ +\infty, & \text{if } h_i^{0,n} = h_{i+1}^{0,n}. \end{cases}$$

Even if the limit of  $\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon/\varepsilon$  is not necessary finite, when  $\varepsilon$  goes to zero, the dominant term in the equation (4.7) coincides with the source term discretization. As a consequence, we get the following limit for all  $i \in \mathbb{Z}$ :

$$0 = q_i^{0,n} |q_i^{0,n}| (h_i^{0,n})^{-\eta}. \quad (4.8)$$

Since  $h_i^{0,n}$  is assumed to be positive, the above expression necessary gives that the zero-order of the discharge  $q_i^{0,n}$  vanishes in each cell, and the expansions (4.6) then rewrite:

$$h_i^n = h_i^{0,n} + \varepsilon h_i^{1,n} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon) \quad \text{and} \quad q_i^n = \varepsilon \left( q_i^{1,n} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon) \right). \quad (4.9)$$

Moreover, the following development now holds:

$$q_i^n |q_i^n| (h_i^n)^{-\eta} = \varepsilon^2 \left( q_i^{1,n} |q_i^{1,n}| (h_i^{0,n})^{-\eta} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon) \right). \quad (4.10)$$

Now, it is necessary to distinguish the expansion of  $(\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon)_{i \in \mathbb{Z}}$  with respect to the behavior of the water height as follows:

$$\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon = \begin{cases} \varepsilon \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^1 + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^2) & \text{if } h_i^{0,n} \neq h_{i+1}^{0,n}, \\ \sqrt{\varepsilon} \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^{1/2} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon) & \text{if } h_i^{0,n} = h_{i+1}^{0,n} \quad \text{and} \quad h_i^{1,n} \neq h_{i+1}^{1,n}, \\ \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^0 + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon) & \text{if } h_i^{0,n} = h_{i+1}^{0,n} \quad \text{and} \quad h_i^{1,n} = h_{i+1}^{1,n}, \end{cases} \quad (4.11)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^1 &= \frac{1}{\lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}}} \sqrt{\frac{g((h_{i+1}^{0,n})^\eta + (h_i^{0,n})^\eta)(h_{i+1}^{0,n} + h_i^{0,n})}{k \Delta x |h_{i+1}^{0,n} - h_i^{0,n}|}}, \\ \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^{1/2} &= \frac{2}{\lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}}} \sqrt{\frac{g(h_i^{0,n})^{\eta+1}}{k |h_{i+1}^{1,n} - h_i^{1,n}| \Delta x}}, \\ \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^0 &= \left( 1 + \frac{\lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}}}{2} \sqrt{\frac{k |h_{i+1}^{2,n} - h_i^{2,n}| \Delta x}{g(h_i^{0,n})^{\eta+1}}} \right)^{-1}. \end{aligned} \quad (4.12)$$

We notice that the quantities  $\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^1$ ,  $\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^{1/2}$  and  $\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^0$  are positive and well defined. For the sake of simplicity in the notations, we introduce  $(\beta_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^{L,\varepsilon})_{i \in \mathbb{Z}}$  and  $(\beta_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^{R,\varepsilon})_{i \in \mathbb{Z}}$  defined as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \beta_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^{L,\varepsilon} &= -\frac{\Delta t}{2\varepsilon} \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon \left( \frac{g}{2\Delta x} ((h_{i+1}^n)^2 - (h_i^n)^2) + \frac{k}{\varepsilon^2} q_i^n |q_i^n| (h_i^n)^{-\eta} \right), \\ \beta_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^{R,\varepsilon} &= -\frac{\Delta t}{2\varepsilon} \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon \left( \frac{g}{2\Delta x} ((h_{i+1}^n)^2 - (h_i^n)^2) + \frac{k}{\varepsilon^2} q_{i+1}^n |q_{i+1}^n| (h_{i+1}^n)^{-\eta} \right). \end{aligned}$$

From (4.9), (4.10) and (4.11),  $\beta_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^{K,\varepsilon}$  admits the following expansion:

$$\beta_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^{K,\varepsilon} = \begin{cases} \beta_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^{K,0} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon) & \text{if } h_i^{0,n} \neq h_{i+1}^{0,n}, \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{\varepsilon}} \beta_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^{K,-1/2} + \mathcal{O}(1) & \text{if } h_i^{0,n} = h_{i+1}^{0,n} \quad \text{and} \quad h_i^{1,n} \neq h_{i+1}^{1,n}, \\ \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \beta_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^{K,-1} + \mathcal{O}(1) & \text{if } h_i^{0,n} = h_{i+1}^{0,n} \quad \text{and} \quad h_i^{1,n} = h_{i+1}^{1,n}, \end{cases}$$

where we have set

$$\begin{aligned}\beta_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^{L,0} &= -\frac{\Delta t}{2}\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^1 \left( \frac{g}{2\Delta x} \left( (h_{i+1}^{0,n})^2 - (h_i^{0,n})^2 \right) + kq_i^{1,n}|q_i^{1,n}|(h_i^{0,n})^{-\eta} \right), \\ \beta_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^{L,-1/2} &= -\frac{k\Delta t}{2}\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^{1/2} q_i^{1,n}|q_i^{1,n}|(h_i^{0,n})^{-\eta}, \\ \beta_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^{L,-1} &= -\frac{k\Delta t}{2}\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^0 q_i^{1,n}|q_i^{1,n}|(h_i^{0,n})^{-\eta},\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}\beta_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^{R,0} &= -\frac{\Delta t}{2}\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^1 \left( \frac{g}{2\Delta x} \left( (h_{i+1}^{0,n})^2 - (h_i^{0,n})^2 \right) + kq_{i+1}^{1,n}|q_{i+1}^{1,n}|(h_{i+1}^{0,n})^{-\eta} \right), \\ \beta_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^{R,-1/2} &= -\frac{k\Delta t}{2}\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^{1/2} q_{i+1}^{1,n}|q_{i+1}^{1,n}|(h_{i+1}^{0,n})^{-\eta}, \\ \beta_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^{R,-1} &= -\frac{k\Delta t}{2}\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^0 q_{i+1}^{1,n}|q_{i+1}^{1,n}|(h_{i+1}^{0,n})^{-\eta}.\end{aligned}$$

Adopting this new notation, we easily rewrite (4.4) as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}q_i^{n+1} &= q_i^n + \beta_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^{L,\varepsilon} + \beta_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^{R,\varepsilon} + \frac{\Delta t}{2\varepsilon\Delta x} \left( \lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}}\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon (q_{i+1}^n - q_i^n) - \lambda_{i-\frac{1}{2}}\alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon (q_i^n - q_{i-1}^n) \right) \\ &\quad - \frac{\Delta t}{2\varepsilon\Delta x} \left( \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon \left( \frac{(q_{i+1}^n)^2}{h_{i+1}^n} - \frac{(q_i^n)^2}{h_i^n} \right) + \alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon \left( \frac{(q_i^n)^2}{h_i^n} - \frac{(q_{i-1}^n)^2}{h_{i-1}^n} \right) \right).\end{aligned}\tag{4.13}$$

Now, let us consider the limit of (4.13) as  $\varepsilon$  goes to zero. Since the behavior of  $\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}$  and  $\beta_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^{K,\varepsilon}$  depends on the values of the water height, two cases must be distinguished to exhibit the limit scheme. First, let us assume that  $h_i^{0,n} = h_{i-1}^{0,n}$  and/or  $h_i^{0,n} = h_{i+1}^{0,n}$ , then the limit of (4.13) as  $\varepsilon$  goes to zero reads

$$q_i^{1,n}|q_i^{1,n}|(h_i^{0,n})^{-\eta} = 0.\tag{4.14}$$

Next, if we have  $h_i^{0,n} \neq h_{i-1}^{0,n}$  and  $h_i^{0,n} \neq h_{i+1}^{0,n}$  then, in the limit of  $\varepsilon$  to zero, (4.13) now tends to

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^1 \frac{g}{2}(h_{i+1}^{0,n})^2 - \frac{g}{2}(h_i^{0,n})^2}{\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^1 + \alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^1} \frac{1}{\Delta x} + \frac{\alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^1 \frac{g}{2}(h_i^{0,n})^2 - \frac{g}{2}(h_{i-1}^{0,n})^2}{\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^1 + \alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^1} \frac{1}{\Delta x} \\ = -kq_i^{1,n}|q_i^{1,n}|(h_i^{0,n})^{-\eta}.\end{aligned}\tag{4.15}$$

Nowadays, to achieve the establishment of (i), we have to show that the above limit scheme, given by (4.14) or (4.15), is consistent with the local equilibrium (1.7). To address such an issue, we introduce two smooth enough functions,  $h^0(x)$  and  $q^1(x)$ , such that  $(h_i^{0,n}, q_i^{1,n}) = (h^0(x_i), q^1(x_i))$  and  $(h_{i\pm 1}^{0,n}, q_{i\pm 1}^{1,n}) = (h^0(x_i \pm \Delta x), q^1(x_i \pm \Delta x))$ . Now, in order to deal with the limit scheme, (4.14) or (4.15), we have to distinguish the case  $h^0(x_i) = h^0(x_i - \Delta x)$  and/or  $h^0(x_i) = h^0(x_i + \Delta x)$  and the case  $h^0(x_i) \neq h^0(x_i \pm \Delta x)$ . Since the expected consistency comes in the limit of  $\Delta x$  to zero, the case  $h^0(x_i) = h^0(x_i - \Delta x)$  and/or  $h^0(x_i) = h^0(x_i + \Delta x)$ , for all  $\Delta x$  small enough, necessary implies  $h^0(x)$  equal to a constant in a neighborhood of  $x_i$ . Then, since  $h^0(x_i) > 0$ , the limit (4.14) gives  $q^1(x_i) = 0$ , which coincides with the expected local equilibrium (1.7) with a constant water height. Next, let us assume that  $h^0(x)$  is not given by a constant.

As a consequence we have  $h^0(x_i) \neq h^0(x_i \pm \Delta x)$  as soon as  $\Delta x$  is small enough. Then, we easily obtain the following limit

$$\lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^1}{\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^1 + \alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^1} \frac{\frac{g}{2}h^0(x_i + \Delta x)^2 - \frac{g}{2}h^0(x_i)^2}{\Delta x} + \frac{\alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^1}{\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^1 + \alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^1} \frac{\frac{g}{2}h^0(x_i)^2 - \frac{g}{2}h^0(x_i - \Delta x)^2}{\Delta x} \right) = \partial_x \left( \frac{gh^0(x_i)^2}{2} \right),$$

to immediately deduce the required consistency of the  $\varepsilon$ -asymptotic scheme (4.15) with the local equilibrium (1.7) as the water height is not constant. This achieves the establishment of (i).

Now we turn proving (ii). First, we give the behavior of the discretization (4.3) for  $\varepsilon$  in a neighborhood of zero. To address such an issue, let us underline that the expansions (4.9) now write:

$$h_i^n = h_i^{0,n} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon) \quad \text{and} \quad q_i^n = \begin{cases} \varepsilon \left( q_i^{1,n} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon) \right) & \text{if } h_i^{0,n} \neq h_{i-1}^{0,n} \text{ and } h_i^{0,n} \neq h_{i+1}^{0,n}, \\ \varepsilon^2 \left( q_i^{2,n} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon) \right) & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

The above expansions combined with the expansion (4.11) of  $\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon$  imply:

$$\frac{1}{2\varepsilon\Delta x} \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon (q_{i+1}^n - q_i^n) = \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon), \quad (4.16)$$

so that the discrete water height evolution law (4.3) now reads:

$$h_i^{n+1} = h_i^n + \Delta t \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon) + \frac{\Delta t}{2\varepsilon\Delta x} \left( \lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}} \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon (h_{i+1}^n - h_i^n) - \lambda_{i-\frac{1}{2}} \alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon (h_i^n - h_{i-1}^n) \right). \quad (4.17)$$

To simplify the notations, let us set

$$\gamma_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon = \frac{\lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}} \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon}{2\varepsilon\Delta x} (h_{i+1}^n - h_i^n),$$

such that we reformulate (4.17) as follows:

$$h_i^{n+1} = h_i^n + \Delta t \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon) + \Delta t \left( \gamma_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon - \gamma_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon \right). \quad (4.18)$$

From (4.11), the following behavior of  $\gamma_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon$  is obtained:

$$\gamma_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon = \begin{cases} \frac{\lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}} \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^1}{2\Delta x} (h_{i+1}^{0,n} - h_i^{0,n}) + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon) & \text{if } h_i^{0,n} \neq h_{i+1}^{0,n}, \\ \sqrt{\varepsilon} \frac{\lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}} \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^{1/2}}{2\Delta x} (h_{i+1}^{1,n} - h_i^{1,n}) + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon) & \text{if } h_i^{0,n} = h_{i+1}^{0,n} \text{ and } h_i^{1,n} \neq h_{i+1}^{1,n}, \\ \varepsilon \frac{\lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}} \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^0}{2\Delta x} (h_{i+1}^{2,n} - h_i^{2,n}) + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^2) & \text{if } h_i^{0,n} = h_{i+1}^{0,n} \text{ and } h_i^{1,n} = h_{i+1}^{1,n}. \end{cases}$$

Thus, as soon as  $h_i^{0,n} = h_{i+1}^{0,n}$ , the quantity  $\gamma_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon$  is at least of order  $\sqrt{\varepsilon}$ . Then, the above expansion rewrites as follows:

$$\gamma_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon = \frac{\lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}} \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^1}{2\Delta x} (h_{i+1}^{0,n} - h_i^{0,n}) + \mathcal{O}(\sqrt{\varepsilon}). \quad (4.19)$$

Moreover, by the definition of  $\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^1$ , given by (4.12), the following equality holds :

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{\lambda_{i+\frac{1}{2}} \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^1}{2\Delta x} (h_{i+1}^{0,n} - h_i^{0,n}) \\ &= \frac{1}{2\Delta x} \sqrt{\frac{g}{k}} \operatorname{sign}(h_{i+1}^{0,n} - h_i^{0,n}) \sqrt{\left( (h_{i+1}^{0,n})^\eta + (h_i^{0,n})^\eta \right) \frac{|(h_{i+1}^{0,n})^2 - (h_i^{0,n})^2|}{\Delta x}}. \end{aligned} \quad (4.20)$$

As a consequence, the expansion (4.19) of  $\gamma_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon$  can thus be rewritten as follows:

$$\gamma_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^\varepsilon = \frac{1}{\Delta x} \operatorname{sign}(h_{i+1}^{0,n} - h_i^{0,n}) \sqrt{\frac{(h_{i+1}^{0,n})^\eta + (h_i^{0,n})^\eta}{2k} \frac{\left| \frac{g}{2}(h_{i+1}^{0,n})^2 - \frac{g}{2}(h_i^{0,n})^2 \right|}{\Delta x}} + \mathcal{O}(\sqrt{\varepsilon}). \quad (4.21)$$

Then, equipped with the above expression, the discretization (4.3), or equivalently (4.18), thus admits the following behavior:

$$\begin{aligned} h_i^{n+1} = h_i^n + \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta x} & \left( \operatorname{sign}(h_{i+1}^{0,n} - h_i^{0,n}) \sqrt{\frac{(h_{i+1}^{0,n})^\eta + (h_i^{0,n})^\eta}{2k} \frac{\left| \frac{g}{2}(h_{i+1}^{0,n})^2 - \frac{g}{2}(h_i^{0,n})^2 \right|}{\Delta x}} \right. \\ & \left. - \operatorname{sign}(h_i^{0,n} - h_{i-1}^{0,n}) \sqrt{\frac{(h_i^{0,n})^\eta + (h_{i-1}^{0,n})^\eta}{2k} \frac{\left| \frac{g}{2}(h_i^{0,n})^2 - \frac{g}{2}(h_{i-1}^{0,n})^2 \right|}{\Delta x}} \right) \\ & + \Delta t \mathcal{O}(\sqrt{\varepsilon}). \end{aligned}$$

In the limit of  $\varepsilon$  to zero, we immediately obtain the expected consistency with the diffusion equation (1.8). The proof is thus achieved.  $\square$

## 5 Numerical illustrations

This section is devoted to the numerical representation of the convergence of the discretization given by (4.3)-(4.4) towards the discretization given by the limit scheme (3.7). The preservation of the asymptotic behavior of the discharge given by (1.7) is also highlighted. The two initial conditions introduced in Section 3 and given by (3.11) and (3.12) are considered. Moreover, the parameter  $k$  is set equal to 1, the parameter  $\eta$  is equal to 7/3 and zero-flux boundary conditions are used.

We compare the discretization of the water height given by the scheme (4.3)-(4.4) with the straightforward discretization (3.7) of the diffusive limit. As detailed in the proof of Theorem 4.1, the approximate water height given by (4.3) coincides with the

discretization given by this limit scheme when  $\varepsilon$  tends to zero. On Figures 11 and 12, we display the approximate water height, at time  $t = 0.01$  and for both initial conditions, obtained with the scheme (4.3)-(4.4) for different values of  $\varepsilon$ , the asymptotic parameter. The dotted line denotes the limit water height obtained with (3.7). We can clearly observe the preservation of the diffusion equation by the scheme (4.3)-(4.4).

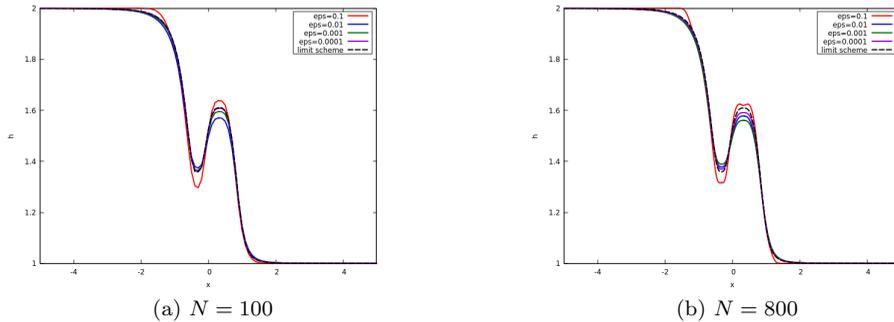


Figure 11: Water height at time  $t = 0.01$  with the continuous initial condition for different values of  $\varepsilon$ .

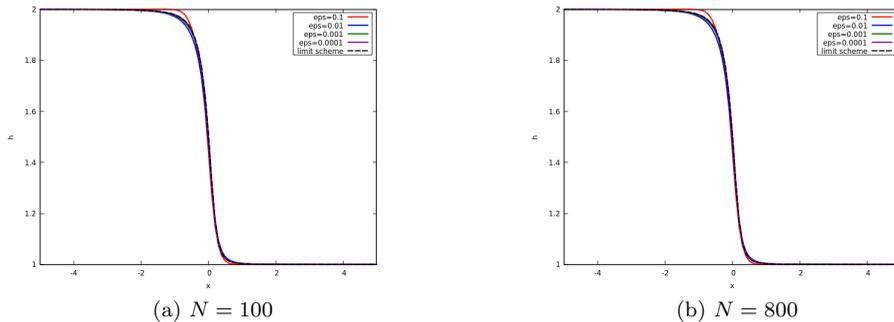


Figure 12: Water height at time  $t = 0.01$  with the discontinuous initial condition for different values of  $\varepsilon$ .

To complete this illustration, we display on Figures 13 and 14 the water height obtained for a fixed value of  $\varepsilon$  and different number of cells. The behavior of the space convergence is clearly better than for the scheme developed in [10], whose results are displayed in Section 3.

Moreover, to observe the behavior of the one-order of the approximate discharge given by the scheme (4.4), we consider  $(q_i^n/\varepsilon)_i^n$  where  $(q_i^n)_i^n$  is the discharge given by (4.4). We compare it with the discrete local equilibrium (3.13) on Figures 15 and 16 for a fixed value of  $N$  and different values of  $\varepsilon$ . At the discrepancy with results from Section 3, the convergence toward the discrete local equilibrium is illustrated and the scheme (4.3)-(4.4) preserves both the diffusion equation (1.8) and the local equilibrium (1.7).

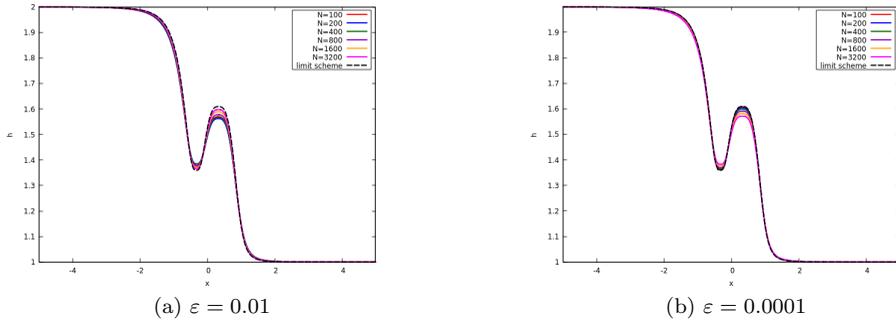


Figure 13: Water height at time  $t = 0.01$  with the continuous initial condition for different number of cells.

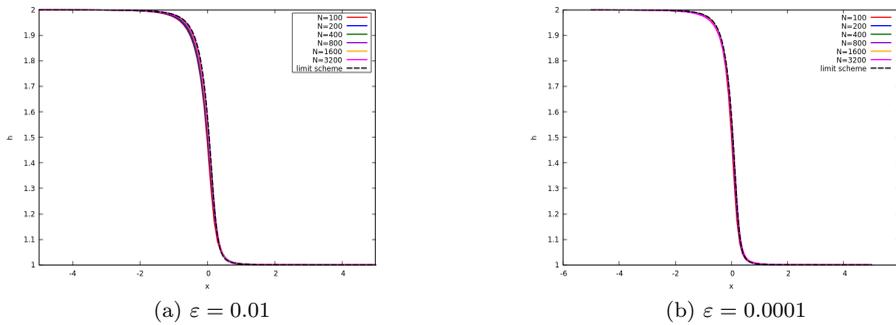


Figure 14: Water height at time  $t = 0.01$  with the discontinuous initial condition for different number of cells.

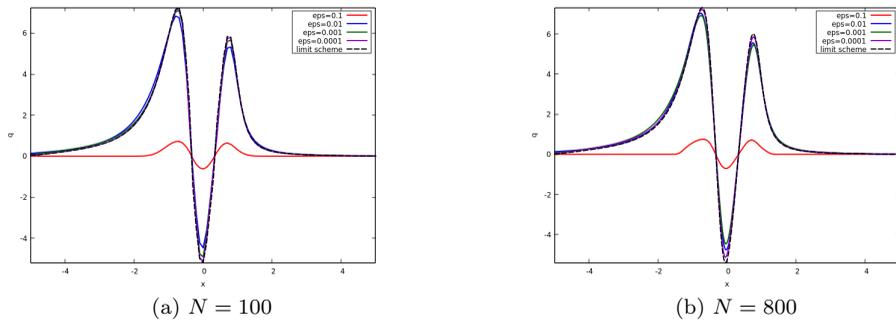


Figure 15: Order one of the water discharge at time  $t = 0.01$  with the continuous initial condition for different values of  $\varepsilon$ .

Finally, on Figures 17 and 18, we display the one-order of the discharge compared to the discrete local equilibrium (3.13) for a fixed value of  $\varepsilon$  and different number of cells. The spatial convergence of the scheme (4.3)-(4.4) is, here again, better than the spatial convergence of the scheme (3.3)-(3.4), from [10], displayed in Section 3.

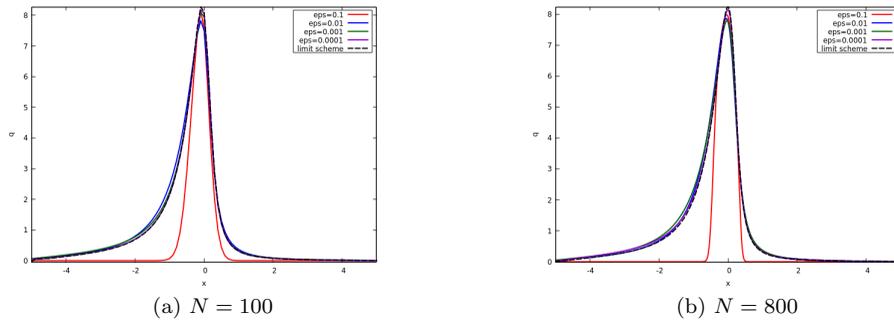


Figure 16: Order one of the water discharge at time  $t = 0.01$  with the discontinuous initial condition for different values of  $\varepsilon$ .

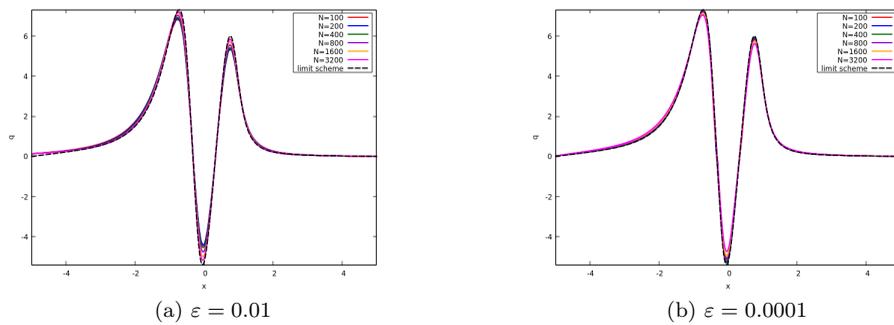


Figure 17: Order one of the water discharge at time  $t = 0.01$  with the continuous initial condition for different number of cells.

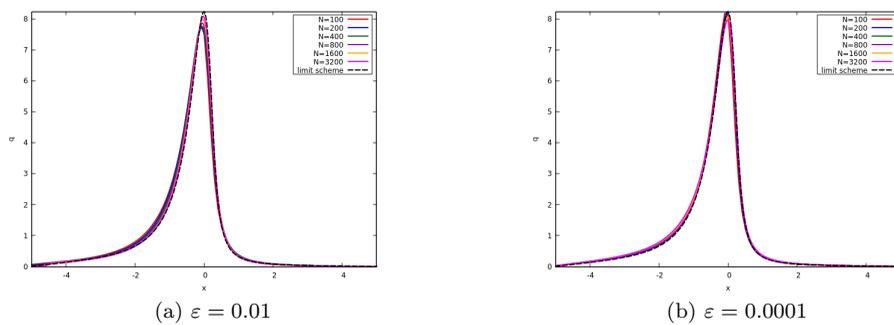


Figure 18: Order one of the water discharge at time  $t = 0.01$  with the discontinuous initial condition for different number of cells.

**Acknowledgment.** The authors are supported by the MoHyCon project (ANR-17-CE40-0027-01) and the Centre Henri Lebesgue (ANR-11-LABX-0020-01).

## References

- [1] B. Andreianov, F. Boyer, and F. Hubert. Finite volume schemes for the  $p$ -Laplacian on Cartesian meshes. *M2AN Math. Model. Numer. Anal.*, 38(6):931–959, 2004. [1](#)
- [2] F. Andreu, J. M. Mazón, S. Segura de León, and J. Toledo. Existence and uniqueness for a degenerate parabolic equation with  $L^1$ -data. *Trans. Amer. Math. Soc.*, 351(1):285–306, 1999. [1](#)
- [3] E. Audit, P. Charrier, J. . Chièze, and B. Dubroca. A radiation-hydrodynamics scheme valid from the transport to the diffusion limit. *arXiv Astrophysics e-prints*, June 2002. [1](#)
- [4] J. W. Barrett and W. B. Liu. Finite element approximation of the  $p$ -Laplacian. *Math. Comp.*, 61(204):523–537, 1993. [1](#)
- [5] C. Berthon, P. G. LeFloch, and R. Turpault. Late-time/stiff-relaxation asymptotic-preserving approximations of hyperbolic equations. *Math. Comp.*, 82(282):831–860, 2013. [1](#), [1](#)
- [6] C. Berthon and R. Turpault. Asymptotic preserving HLL schemes. *Numer. Methods Partial Differential Equations*, 27(6):1396–1422, 2011. [1](#), [2](#), [2](#), [2](#), [2](#), [4](#)
- [7] C. Buet and B. Despres. Asymptotic preserving and positive schemes for radiation hydrodynamics. *J. Comput. Phys.*, 215(2):717–740, 2006. [1](#)
- [8] R. Courant, K. Friedrichs, and H. Lewy. On the partial difference equations of mathematical physics. *IBM J. Res. Develop.*, 11:215–234, 1967. [2](#)
- [9] J. I. Díaz and M. A. Herrero. Estimates on the support of the solutions of some nonlinear elliptic and parabolic problems. *Proc. Roy. Soc. Edinburgh Sect. A*, 89(3-4):249–258, 1981. [1](#)
- [10] A. Duran, F. Marche, R. Turpault, and C. Berthon. Asymptotic preserving scheme for the shallow water equations with source terms on unstructured meshes. *J. Comput. Phys.*, 287:184–206, 2015. [1](#), [1](#), [3](#), [3](#), [3](#), [3](#), [4](#), [5](#), [5](#)
- [11] G. Gallice. Schémas de type Godunov entropiques et positifs préservant les discontinuités de contact. *C. R. Acad. Sci. Paris Sér. I Math.*, 331(2):149–152, 2000. [2](#)
- [12] G. Gallice. Solveurs simples positifs et entropiques pour les systèmes hyperboliques avec terme source. *C. R. Math. Acad. Sci. Paris*, 334(8):713–716, 2002. [2](#)
- [13] A. Harten, P. D. Lax, and B. van Leer. On upstream differencing and Godunov-type schemes for hyperbolic conservation laws. *SIAM Rev.*, 25(1):35–61, 1983. [1](#), [2](#), [2](#)
- [14] M. A. Herrero and J. L. Vazquez. Asymptotic behaviour of the solutions of a strongly nonlinear parabolic problem. *Annales de la Faculté des sciences de Toulouse : Mathématiques*, Ser. 5, 3(2):113–127, 1981. [1](#)
- [15] S. Jin. Efficient asymptotic-preserving (AP) schemes for some multiscale kinetic equations. *SIAM J. Sci. Comput.*, 21(2):441–454, 1999. [1](#), [1](#)

- [16] S. Jin, L. Pareschi, and G. Toscani. Diffusive relaxation schemes for multiscale discrete-velocity kinetic equations. *SIAM J. Numer. Anal.*, 35(6):2405–2439, 1998. [1](#)
- [17] N. Ju. Numerical analysis of parabolic  $p$ -Laplacian: approximation of trajectories. *SIAM J. Numer. Anal.*, 37(6):1861–1884, 2000. [1](#)
- [18] S. Kamin and J. L. Vazquez. Fundamental solutions and asymptotic behaviour for the  $p$ -laplacian equation. 1988. [1](#)
- [19] R. Manning. On the flow of water in open channels and pipes. *Transactions of the Institution of Civil Engineers of Ireland*, 20:161–207, 1890. [1](#), [1](#)
- [20] N. Peton. *Étude et simulation d'un modèle stratigraphique advecto-diffusif non-linéaire avec frontières mobiles*. PhD thesis, Université Paris-Saclay, 2018. [1](#)
- [21] S. Segura de León and J. Toledo. Regularity for entropy solutions of parabolic  $p$ -Laplacian type equations. *Publ. Mat.*, 43(2):665–683, 1999. [1](#)