

Travel Time Dynamics and Applications in ITS

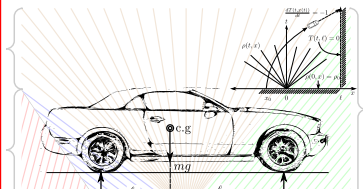
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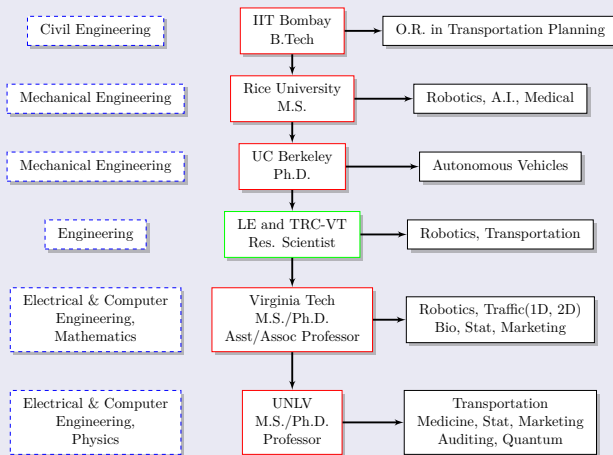
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Interdisciplinary Intelligent Transportation Systems

A Personal Mathematical Journey



Published Books



Books in Preparation

- ① Vehicle Dynamics and Control
- ② Algorithms, Languages, & Complexity
- ③ Travel Time Theory
- ④ Metamathematics for Quantum Logic
- ⑤ Advaita: Aham Brahmasmi, Journey through Mathematics

Phenomenon Modeling

Measure Based

Microscopic

ODE, FDE
FSM, MC

Mesoscopic

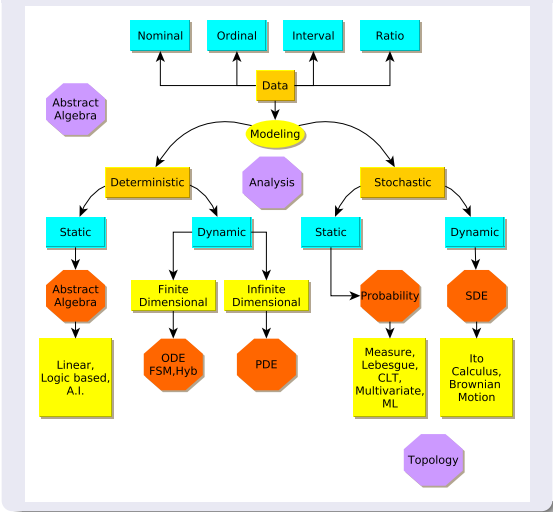
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Distributions
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Macroscopic

PDE
sPDE
Lebesgue

Discontinuous Weak Solutions

Data and Modeling



Intelligent Transportation Systems

Technology Driven

- 1 Sensors
- 2 Processors
- 3 Actuators

Categories

- 1 Intelligent Vehicles (V2X, autonomous)
- 2 Traffic Management Systems
- 3 Traveler Information System
- 4 Intelligent Planning

Traffic Control

Microscopic/vehicles

- 1 Traction Control
- 2 Adaptive Cruise Control
- 3 Lateral Control
- 4 Collision Avoidance
- 5 V2V, V2I
- 6 Vehicle Streams

Macroscopic/traffic

- 1 Ramp Metering
- 2 Signalized Intersection
- 3 Diversion
- 4 Evacuation
- 5 Pedestrian
- 6 Economic Control
(Tolling, congestion pricing)

Static Travel Time Model

Static Travel Time Model

① $T(f) = t_f \phi(f/C)$

② BPR:

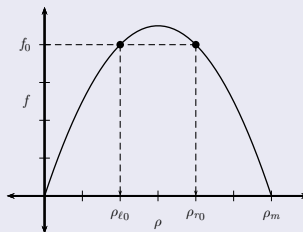
$$T(f) = t_f \left(1 + \beta \left(\frac{f}{C} \right)^\alpha \right)$$

Problems with Static Model

Problems with Static Model

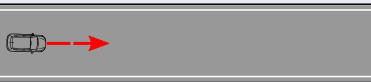
- 1 Depends on uniform condition
- 2 Doesn't change with time
- 3 Based on traffic flow

Problems with Flow based Model



Microscopic Model: Single Vehicle

Single Vehicle



Travel Time

$$T = \frac{\ell}{v_f}$$

Microscopic Model: Two Vehicles

Two Vehicles



Travel Time

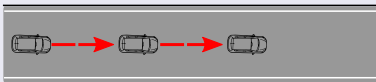
Solve:

$$\frac{dx_1}{dt} = v_f \left(1 - \frac{h_m}{x_2(t) - x_1} \right)$$

$$T = t(x_1 = \ell) - t(x_1 = 0)$$

Microscopic Model: Multiple Vehicles

Multiple Vehicles



Travel Time

Solve:

$$\frac{dx_1}{dt} = v_f \left(1 - \frac{h_m}{x_2 - x_1} \right)$$

$$\frac{dx_2}{dt} = v_f \left(1 - \frac{h_m}{x_3 - x_2} \right)$$

$$T_1 = t(x_1 = \ell) - t(x_1 = 0), T_2 = t(x_2 = \ell) - t(x_2 = 0)$$

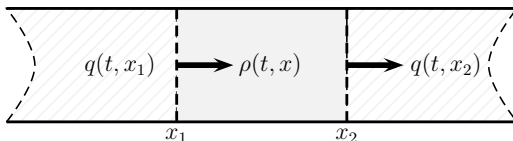
Mesoscopic Model

Multiple Vehicles

- 1 Statistical Mechanics
- 2 Speed Distribution (Boltzmann)
- 3 Equilibrium
- 4 Non-equilibrium Statistical Mechanics

Mass Conservation

Conservation 1D

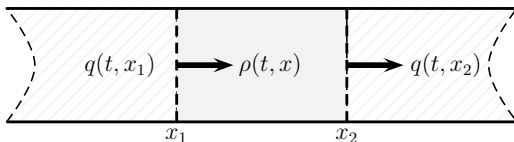


First Integral Form

$$\int_{x_1}^{x_2} \rho(t_2, x) dx - \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \rho(t_1, x) dx = \int_{t_1}^{t_2} \rho(t, x_1) v(t, x_1) dt - \int_{t_1}^{t_2} \rho(t, x_2) v(t, x_2) dt$$

Mass Conservation

Conservation 1D

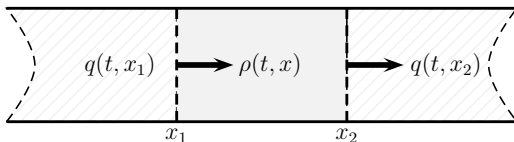


Second Integral Form

$$\frac{d}{dt} \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \rho(t, x) dx = \rho(t, x_1)v(t, x_1) - \rho(t, x_2)v(t, x_2)$$

Mass Conservation

Conservation 1D

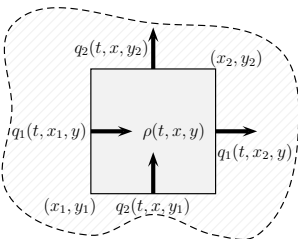


Differential Form

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \rho(t, x) + \frac{\partial}{\partial x} q(t, x) = 0$$

Mass Conservation

Conservation 2D

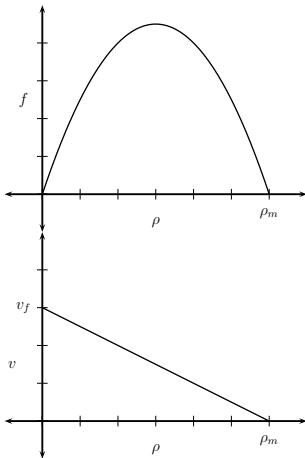


n-Dimensions

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

LWR Model

Fundamental Diagram



Conservation

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \rho(t, x) + \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f(t, x) = 0$$

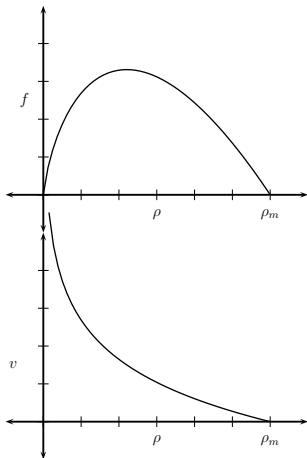
$$f = \rho(t, x) v(t, x)$$

Greenshield Model

$$v(\rho) = v_f \left(1 - \frac{\rho}{\rho_m}\right)$$

LWR Model

Fundamental Diagram



Conservation

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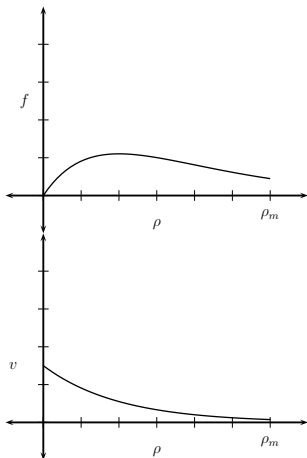
$$f = \rho(t, x) v(t, x)$$

Greenberg Model

$$v(\rho) = v_f \ln\left(\frac{\rho_m}{\rho}\right)$$

LWR Model

Fundamental Diagram



Conservation

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \rho(t, x) + \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f(t, x) = 0$$

$$f = \rho(t, x) v(t, x)$$

Underwood Model

$$v(\rho) = v_f \exp\left(\frac{-\rho}{\rho_m}\right)$$

LWR Model

Conservation

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \rho(t, x) + \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f(t, x) = 0$$

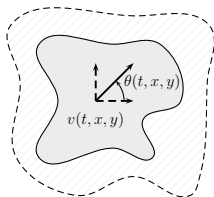
$$f = \rho(t, x)v(t, x)$$

Diffusion Model

$$v(\rho) = v_f \left(1 - \frac{\rho}{\rho_m}\right) - \frac{D}{\rho} \left(\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial x}\right)$$

LWR Model

Pedestrian 2D Traffic



Model

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \rho(t, x, y) + \nabla \cdot q(t, x, y) = 0$$

$$q = v_f \left(1 - \frac{\rho}{\rho_m} \right) \rho \begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta \\ \sin\theta \end{pmatrix}$$

Lagrangian Model

Model

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} s(t, n) + \frac{\partial}{\partial n} V(s) = 0$$

Smartphone Lagrangian Sensor

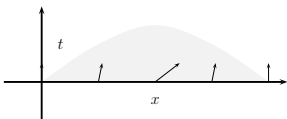


Features

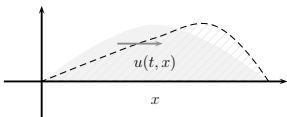
- $s(t, n)$ spacing function of time t and n vehicle number
- Modeling useful for Lagrangian sensors like smartphone
- Observability Important

Characteristics

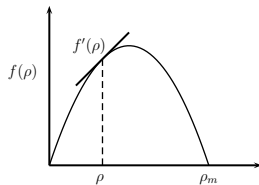
Characteristic Slopes



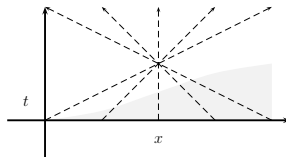
Solution at Time t



Characteristic Speed

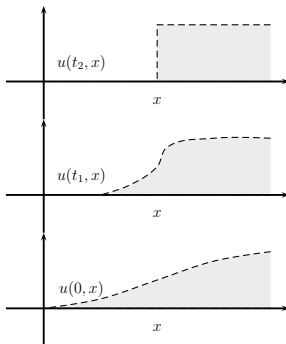


Solution Blowup



Characteristics

Initial Conditions Propagations



Distributional Solution

Cauchy Problem

$$u_t + f(u)_x = 0$$

$$u(0, x) = u_0(x)$$

Distributional Solution

A measurable locally integrable function $u(t, x)$ is a solution in the distributional sense of the Cauchy problem if for every test function ϕ

$$\iint_{R^+ \times R} [u(t, x) \phi_t(t, x) + f(u(t, x)) \phi_x(t, x)] dx dt + \int_R u_0(x) \phi(x, 0) dx = 0$$

Weak Solution

Weak Solution

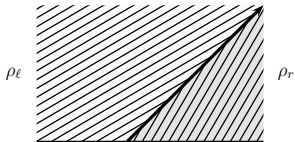
Distributional solution in the open strip; initial condition, L^1
cont. in t

$$u(t, x) = u(t, x^+)$$

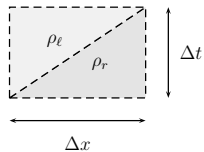
$$\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \int_R |u(t, x) - u_0(x)| dx = 0$$

Shock Wave

Shock Characteristics



Shock Speed

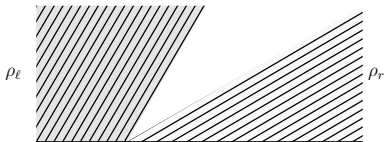


Calculating Shock Speed

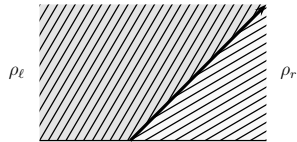
$$\lambda(\rho_r - \rho_l) = f(\rho_r) - f(\rho_l)$$

Rarefaction Wave

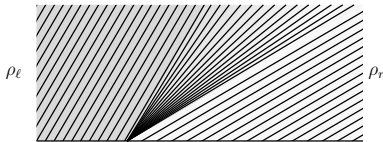
Blank Region



Entropy Violating Solution



Rarefaction Solution

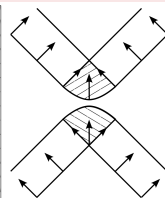
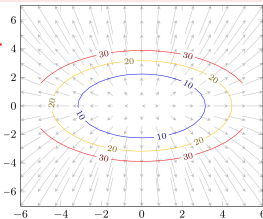
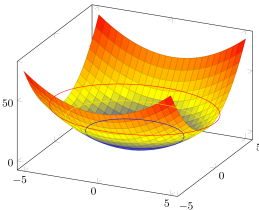
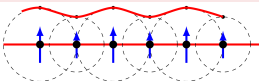


Urban Morphology

Huygen's Principle

$$\|\nabla u(x, y)\|^2 = \frac{1}{s^2(x, y)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dx}{d\ell} &= sp, \\ \frac{dy}{d\ell} &= sq, \\ \frac{du}{d\ell} &= \frac{1}{s}, \\ \frac{dp}{d\ell} &= -\frac{s_x}{s^2}, \\ \frac{dq}{d\ell} &= -\frac{s_y}{s^2} \end{aligned}$$



Admissibility Conditions

Vanishing Viscosity

$$u_t^\epsilon + f(u^\epsilon)_x = \epsilon u_{xx}^\epsilon$$

Entropy

$$\frac{\partial \eta(u)}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial q(u)}{\partial x} \leq 0$$

Lax Admissibility Condition

$$\lambda(u_\ell) \geq \lambda \geq \lambda(u_r)$$

Kruzkov's Entropy Function

$$\eta(u) = |u - k| \text{ and } q(u) = \text{sign}(u - k) \cdot (f(u) - f(k))$$

$$\iint_{\Pi_T} \{ |u(x, t) - k| \phi_t + \text{sign}(u(x, t) - k) [f(x, t, u(x, t)) - f(x, t, k)] \phi_x$$

$$- \text{sign}(u(x, t) - k) [f_x(x, t, u(x, t)) - g(x, t, u(x, t))] \} dx dt \geq 0$$

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \int_{K_r} |u(x, t) - u_0(x)| dx = 0.$$



Solution Properties

Solution Properties

$$u_t + f(u)_x = 0, \quad u(0, x) = u_0(x)$$

1 *Maximum Principle:*

$$\|u(t, \cdot)\|_\infty \leq \|u_0\|_\infty$$

2 *Total variation diminishing:*

$$TV(u(t, \cdot)) \leq TV(u_0)$$

3 *L^1 Contractive:*

$$\|u(t, \cdot) - v(t, \cdot)\|_1 \leq \|u_0 - v_0\|_1$$

4 *Monotonicity Preserving:*

$$u_0 \text{ monotone} \Rightarrow u(t, \cdot) \text{ monotone}$$

5 *Monotonicity:*

$$u_0 \leq v_0 \Rightarrow u(t, \cdot) \leq v(t, \cdot)$$

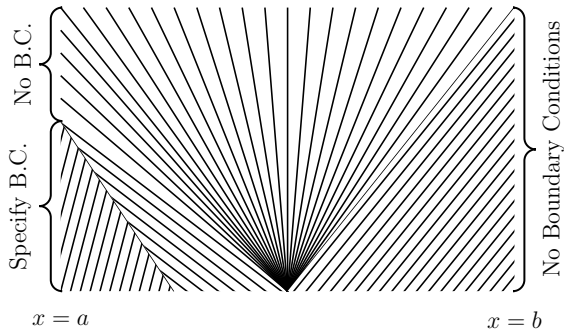
6 *Lipschitz Continuity in time:*

$$\|u(t, \cdot) - u(s, \cdot)\|_1 \leq \|f\|_{Lip} TV(u_0) |t - s|$$

$$\forall s, t \in \mathbb{R}^+$$

Initial-Boundary Problem

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Macroscopic Model: Single Vehicle

Single Vehicle

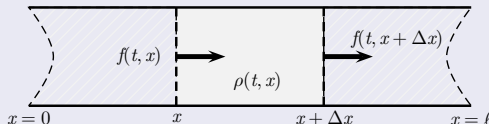


Travel Time

$$T = \frac{\ell}{v_f \left(1 - \frac{\rho}{\rho_m}\right)}$$

Macroscopic Model: Traffic Dynamics

Traffic Dynamics



Travel Time

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \rho(t, x) + \frac{\partial}{\partial x} [\rho(t, x) v(\rho(t, x))] = 0$$

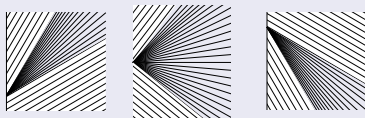
$$v(\rho(t, x)) = v_f \left(1 - \frac{\rho}{\rho_m}\right)$$

Macroscopic Model: Traffic Dynamics

Shock Waves

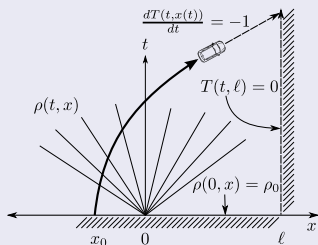


Rarefaction Waves



Derivation of the Travel Time Dynamics

Travel Time on Vehicle Path



Derivation

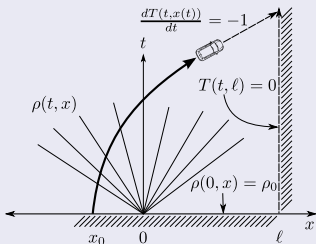
$$T(t + \Delta t, x + \Delta x) = T(t, x) - \frac{\Delta x}{v(t, x)}$$

$$\frac{\partial T(t, x)}{\partial t} \Delta t + \frac{\partial T(t, x)}{\partial x} \Delta x = -\frac{\Delta x}{v(t, x)}$$

$$\frac{\partial T(t, x)}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial T(t, x)}{\partial x} v(\rho(t, x)) + 1 = 0$$

Derivation of the Travel Time Dynamics

Travel Time on Vehicle Path



Derivation

$$\frac{dT(t, x(t))}{dt} = -1$$

$$\frac{\partial T(t, x)}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial T(t, x)}{\partial x} \frac{dx}{dt} + 1 = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial T(t, x)}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial T(t, x)}{\partial x} v(\rho(t, x)) + 1 = 0$$

Total Dynamics

Total Dynamics

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial}{\partial t}\rho(t, x) + \frac{\partial}{\partial x}[\rho(t, x)v(\rho(t, x))] &= 0 \\ \frac{\partial T(t, x)}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial T(t, x)}{\partial x}v(\rho(t, x)) + 1 &= 0 \\ v(\rho(t, x)) &= v_f\left(1 - \frac{\rho}{\rho_m}\right)\end{aligned}$$

Transportation Networks

Static to Dynamic

- ① Conservation on links
- ② Also on Nodes
- ③ Entropy or Vanishing Viscosity on Nodes and Links

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \rho^i(t, x) + \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f(\rho^i(t, x)) = 0 \quad \forall x \in [a_i, b_i], t \in [0, T]$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \pi^i(t, x, k, r, s) + v^i(\rho^i(t, x)) \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \pi^i(t, x, k, r, s) = 0 \quad \forall x \in [a_i, b_i], t \in [0, T]$$

Time t , space x , link i , OD pair (r, s) , and path k , fraction π .

$$\rho^i(t, x, k, r, s) = \pi^i(t, x, k, r, s) \rho^i(t, x)$$

Heterogeneous Traffic

Heterogeneous Traffic

$$f_i(\rho_1, \rho_2, \dots, \rho_n) = \rho_i v_i(\rho_1, \rho_2, \dots, \rho_n), \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n$$

Table: Multi-class Traffic Variables

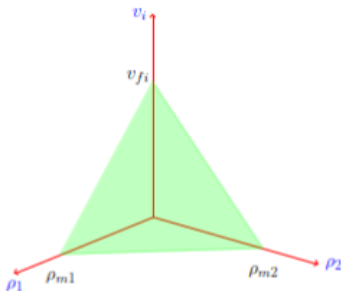
Variable	Meaning
ρ_i	Traffic density of class i
$v_i(\rho_1, \rho_2, \dots, \rho_n)$	Traffic speed of class i as a function of all densities
$f_i(\rho_1, \rho_2, \dots, \rho_n)$	Traffic flow of class i as a function of all densities

Heterogeneous Traffic

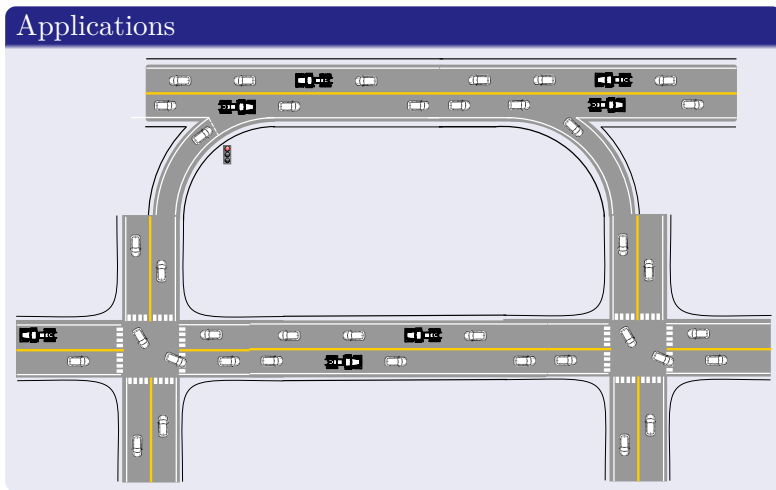
Heterogeneous Traffic

$$\forall i = 1, 2, \dots, n \quad \frac{\partial \rho_i(t, x)}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial f_i(\rho_1(t, x), \rho_2(t, x), \dots, \rho_n(t, x))}{\partial x} = 0,$$

$$\frac{\partial T_i(t, x)}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial T_i(\rho_1(t, x), \rho_2(t, x), \dots, \rho_n(t, x))}{\partial x} v_i(\rho_1, \rho_2, \dots, \rho_n) + 1 = 0$$



Applications



Conclusions

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- 1 Static travel time models not adequate
- 2 Travel time dynamics derived from basic principles
- 3 Applications