

# A high-order moving mesh kinetic scheme based on WENO reconstruction for compressible flows on unstructured grids

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**ABSTRACT** Based on the WENO reconstruction, we present a high-order (at least three order) moving mesh kinetic scheme for compressible flow computations on unstructured meshes. To construct our scheme, we employ the frame of the remapping-free ALE-type kinetic method [G.X. Ni, S. Jiang and K. Xu, Remapping-free ALE-type kinetic method for flow computations, *J. Comput. Phys.* 228 (2009), 3154-3171.] to discrete Euler equation. As a result of the WENO reconstruction and mesh movement, a new steady set of stencils is set up. We make use of the kinetic flux evolution to construct the numerical fluxes in order to achieve their time-accuracy [K. Xu, A gas-kinetic BGK scheme for the Navier-Stokes equations and its connection with artificial dissipation and Godunov method, *J. Comput. Phys.* 171 (2001)]. To move meshes adaptively so that the accuracy and robustness of the scheme can be improved, we use the adaptive moving mesh approach from . A number of numerical examples, such as different one-dimensional Riemann problems for the Euler equations, the Mach 3 shock density-wave interaction and the two-dimensional double-Mach shock reflection problems, are presented. Also, an isentropic vortex problem is numerically tested under the trivial mesh velocity to show the convergence order (3rd-order) of our scheme. All the numerical results demonstrate the accuracy and robustness of the scheme.

**Keywords:** WENO scheme, finite volume scheme, adaptive moving mesh method, ALE method, gas kinetic scheme, compressible gas dynamics

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