

5th High Lift Prediction Workshop

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Adapt TFG Introduction

- Verifying methods and model implementations is the primary objective with a goal of controlling RANS meshing influence
- Other sources of uncertainty (e.g., modeling error, wind tunnel corrections, boundary conditions) have less emphasis and can only be quantified when discretization error is controlled and methods are verified
- Share many challenges with the RANS TFG
 - Controlling iterative solver error for separated flows
 - Multiple attractors or stationary points in RANS solutions "multiple solutions"

HLPW4 Adapt TFG Context

Mesh adaptation reduced scatter C_L: Results at AoA=7.05 deg



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Mesh Adaptation for RANS TFG

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Mesh adaptation reduced scatter

- Complexity continuation at 7.05° case1b (SA)
 - Includes Fixed RANS FG best practice (SA)







Adapt TFG Key Questions (KQs)

#	Key Question
1	Can adaptive mesh convergence be achieved on the CRM-HL Wing-Body to verify implementations?
2	Can adaptive mesh refinement identify consistent trends due to increasing geometric complexity across the angle of attack range?
3	Can adaptive mesh refinement resolve Reynolds number trends in integrated forces, moment, and separation patterns across the angle of attack range?
4	Where can mesh adapted RANS contribute to prediction of high-lift flow physics?



Compiled technical results

- From all participants that provided data (forces, moment, surface flow visualization, etc., as available and appropriate)
- Approximate mesh control volume counts are in legend
 - The minimum count is quoted when the count varied over the submission
- Corresponding RANS TFG submissions shown in light gray



Test Case 1 Description

- CRM-HL-WB
- Mach number 0.20
- Chord Reynolds number 5.6 x 10⁶
- Angle of attack 11°
- Reference static temperature 521 °R
- SA-neg-QCR2000-R(Crot=1) is recommended

SA-neg is also of interest



Test Case 1 Lift





Test Case 1 Drag





Test Case 1 Pitching Moment





Test Case 1 Lift





Test Case 1 Drag





Test Case 1 Pitching Moment





Test Case 1 SA Influence of 1.R.04 Base Mesh





Case 1 Summary

Can adaptive mesh convergence be achieved on the CRM-HL Wing-Body to verify implementations?

- Adapted mesh solution forces and moment are consistent with RANS TFG submissions for SA and SA-QCR2000-R(Crot=1) turbulence models
- Goal-based drag metric approached fine-mesh result with less degrees of freedom
- A-006 used the workshop 1.R.04 mesh as a base mesh and refined volume without surface adaptation, which trended toward 2 of 3 1.R.04 RANS TFG submissions
- A-002 and A-003.1 used remeshing in the volume and on the surface
 - Approached similar force and moment values to the RANS Select submissions



Test Case 2 Description

- Mach number 0.20
- Chord Reynolds number
 - 5.6 x 10⁶ (subcase 2.1)
 - 5.9 x 10⁶ (subcases 2.2 2.4)
- Reference static temperature 518.67 °R





• CRM-HL-WBHV Clean wing with flap fairings













• ONERA_LRM-WBSHV adds full-span slat









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• 2.3: ONERA_LRM-WRSFH\/ adds denloved flans











• ONERA_LRM-LDG-HV add nacelle, pylon, and slat break









Case 2 Summary

Can adaptive mesh refinement identify consistent trends due to increasing geometric complexity across the angle of attack range?

- The adapted results are consistent with the bulk of the RANS TFG submissions and the RANS Select submissions
- Case 2.2 had the most submissions and consistency between those submission
 - Two participants showed a rapid increase in outer wing slat bracket "pizza slice" wake separation above 16° angle of attack for test case 2.2, but others stayed on the high lift branch of solutions
- The difference between adapted SA and SST turbulence models is less than the difference between independent grid series
- The addition of the flaps (increasing lift) created a larger increase in variation than the addition of the slat but the number of submissions decreased making trends difficult to extract



Case 3 Summary

Can adaptive mesh refinement resolve Reynolds number trends in integrated forces, moment, and separation patterns across the angle of attack range?

• There are no Adapt TFG submissions for Test Case 3.1-3.4 to study Reynolds number trends



Adapt TFG Summary

Where can mesh adapted RANS contribute to prediction of highlift flow physics?

- Improved force and moment consistency at lower angles of attack that show correct trends in turbulence model sensitivity
- Adapted results are consistent with the RANS Select submissions
- Verification is the priority of the Adapt TFG
- Comparison to WT shown for Test Case 2.2-2.4
 - Four wind tunnel (WT) curves shown for mono-strut (upsweep and downsweep) and tri-strut (upsweep and downsweep)











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Test Case 2.2-2.4 Wind Tunnel Comparison

- Test Case 2.2 had the most submissions
 - Variation due to slat wakes remains an open topic
 - Submissions with smaller slat wakes had lower variation and least difference between simulation and measurement
- Test Case 2.3 adds a flap deflection
 - Differences increase above 16°
 - A-006.1 is different from other RANS submissions and closer to WT
 - A-004.1 is different from WT and closer to other RANS submissions
- Test Case 2.4 adds nacelle, pylon, and slat break
 - Largest difference between WT and RANS submissions
 - Change in lift and moment angle of attack slope at 10° not seen in wind tunnel measurement
- The addition of the flaps created a larger difference between simulation and measurement than the addition of the slat



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