

Smart Mitigation of flow-induced Acoustic Radiation and
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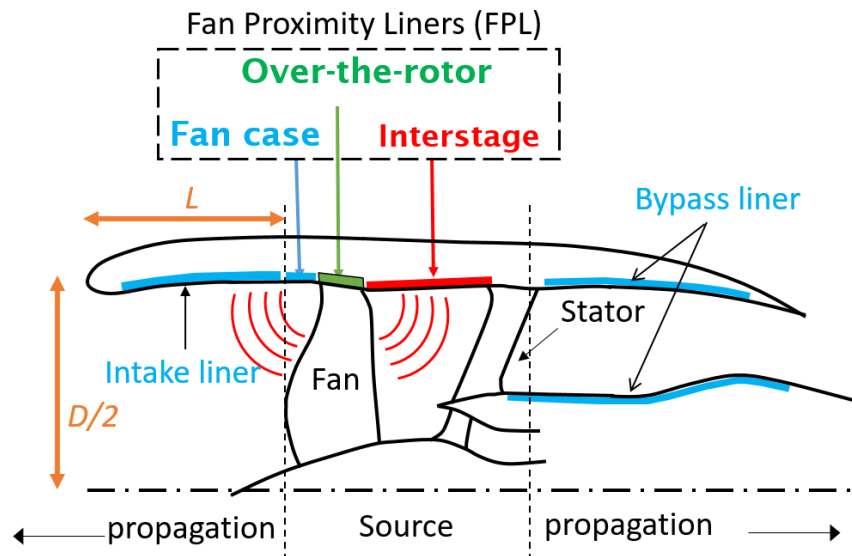
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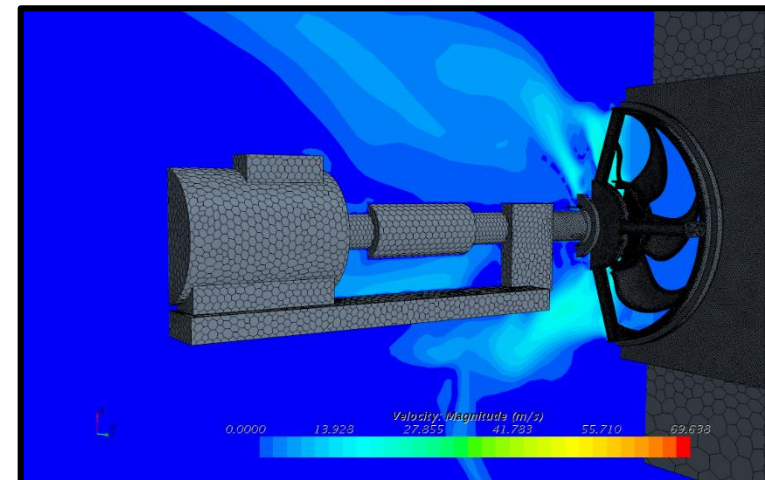
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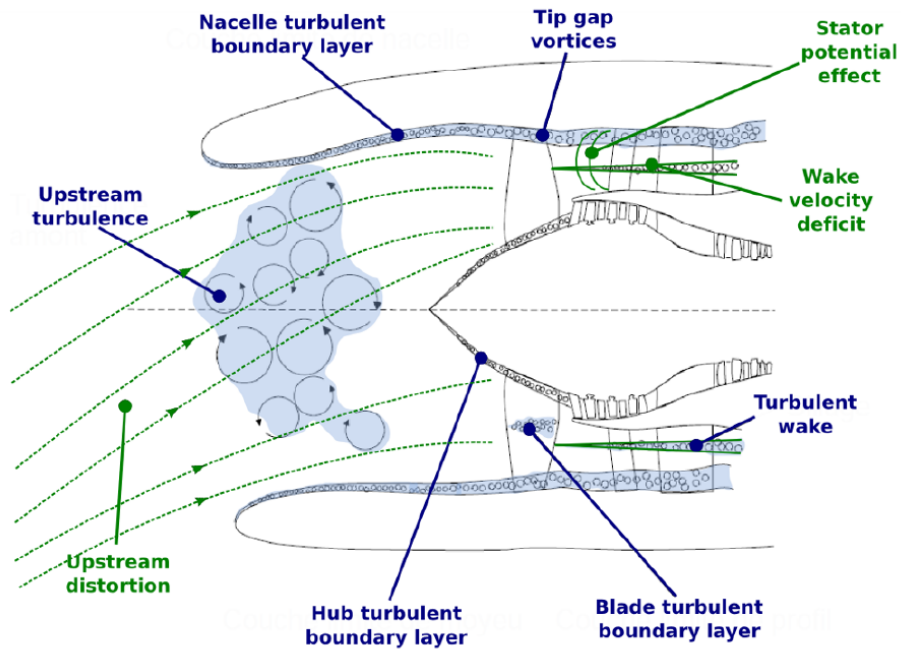
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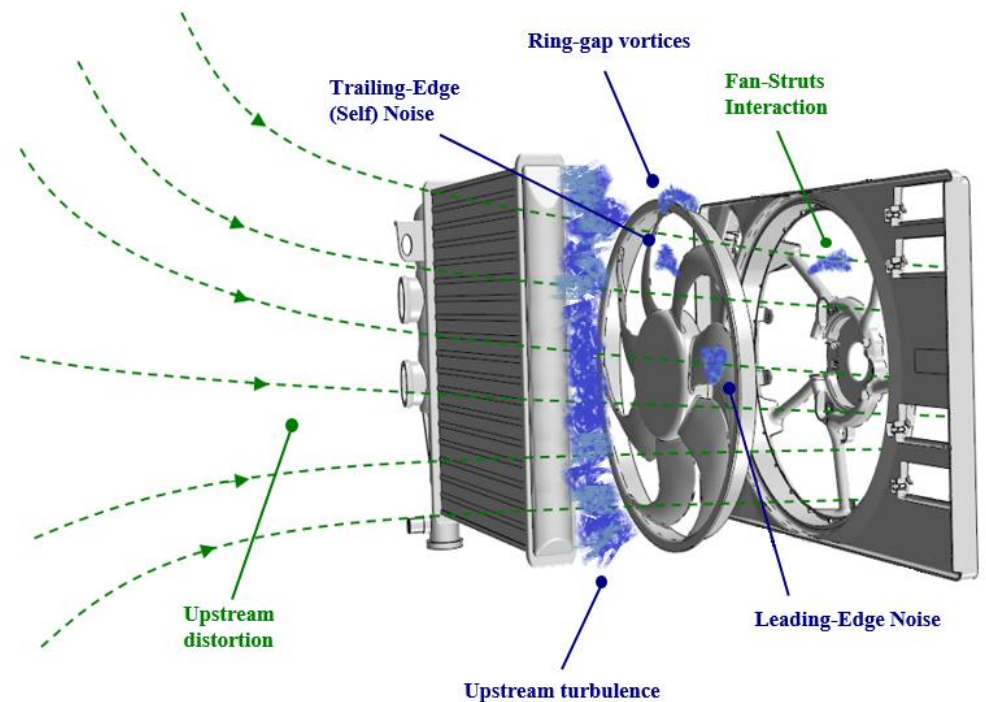
Aerodynamic Fan Noise



Moreau, S.; *Turbomachinery Noise Predictions: Present and Future*; Acoustics. 1. 92–116.

Noise sources in common:

- Rotor-Stator Interaction
- Upstream Turbulence
- Rotor-self noise
- Non-uniform azimuthal velocity distribution
- Tip/Ring gap vortices



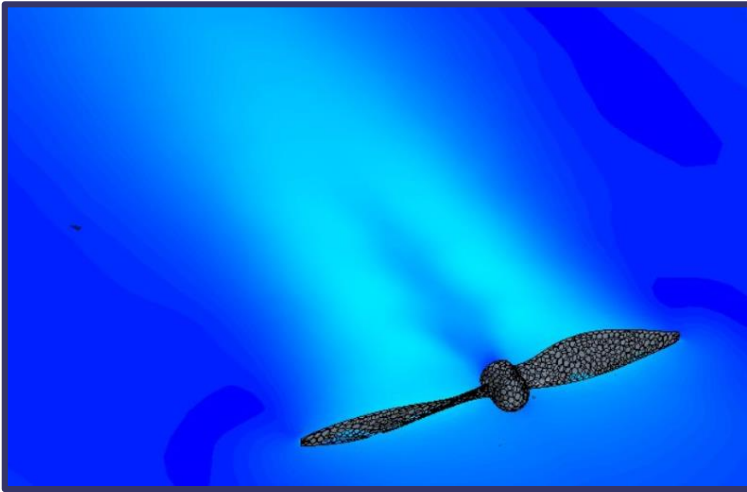
Turbofan specific noise sources:

- Thickness noise (monopolar)
- Buzz-saw noise



Generalizability of the chosen modelling methods

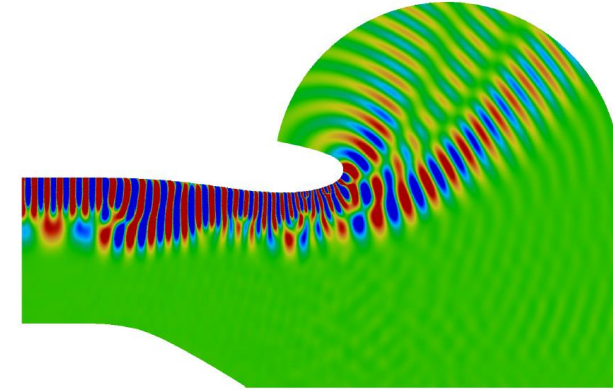
Acoustic Modelling and Mitigation



Near-field Fluid Dynamics

Expensive CFD – LES, RPM, LBM

Cheap CFD/Experiments + Source Characterization



Source Modelling and Propagation

Analytical Models

Numerical Techniques-
DG-FEM,BEM

Acoustical Analogies

Mitigation Techniques

Shape Optimization

Acoustic Liners



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Fan Proximity Liners (FPL)

Over-the-rotor

Fan case

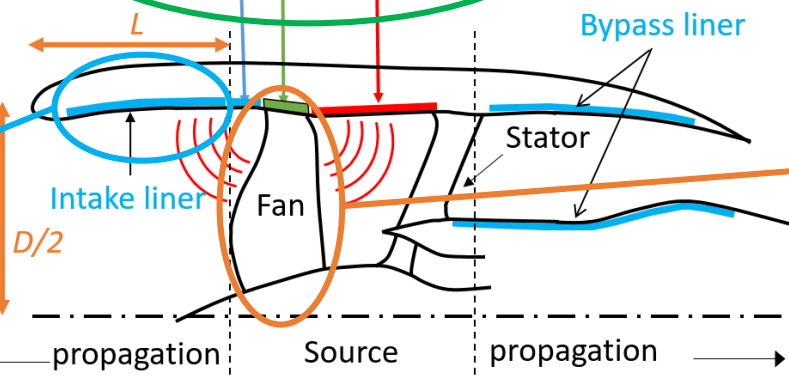
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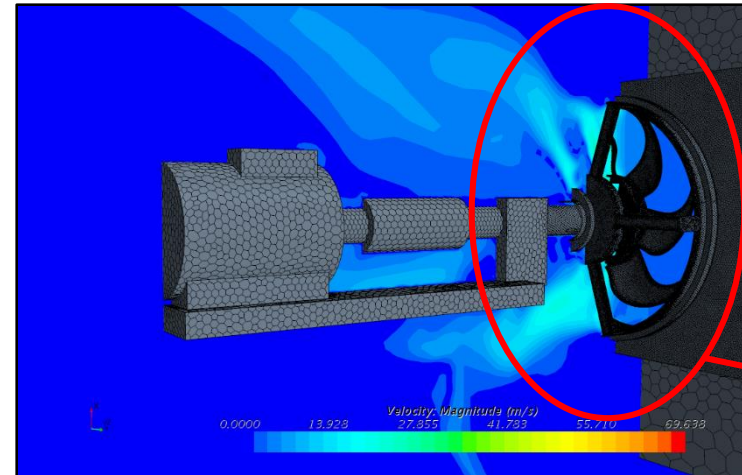
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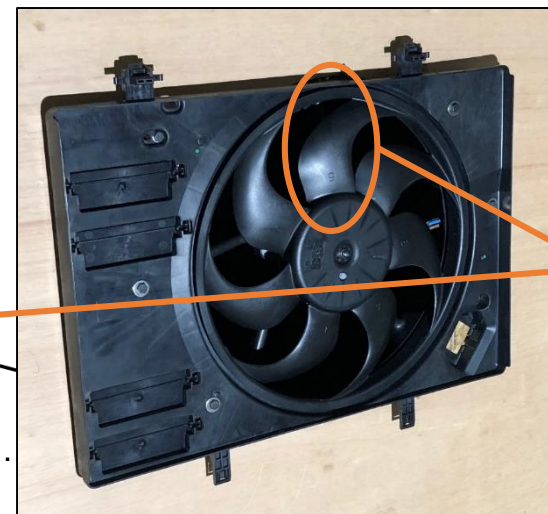
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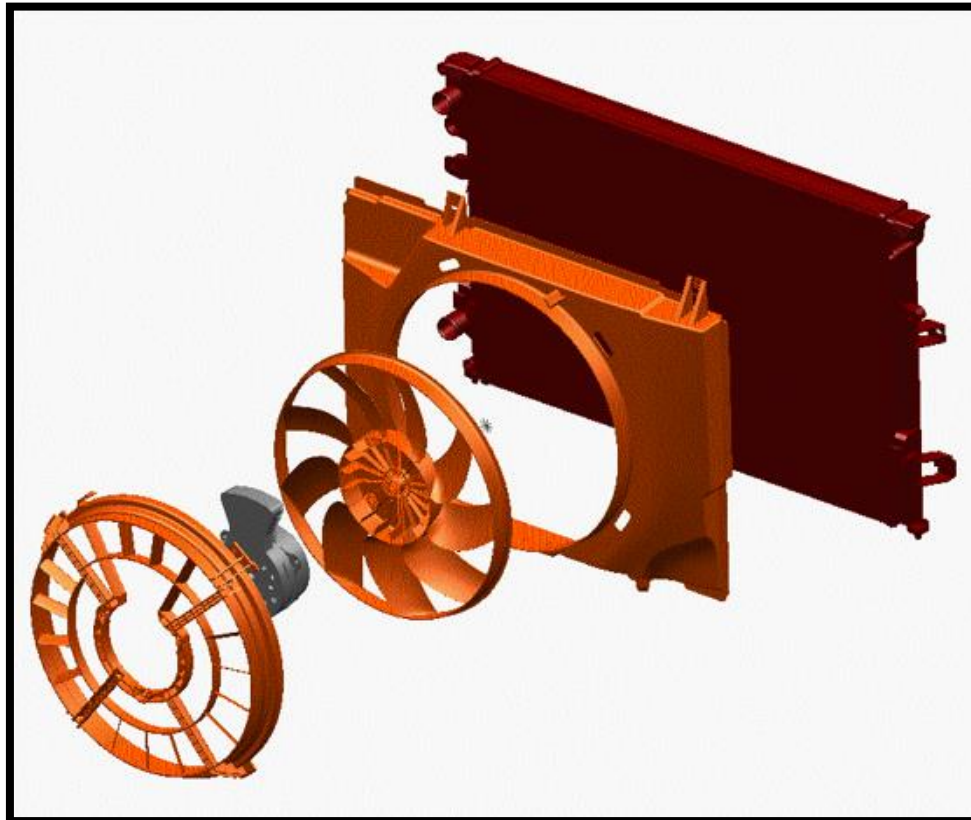
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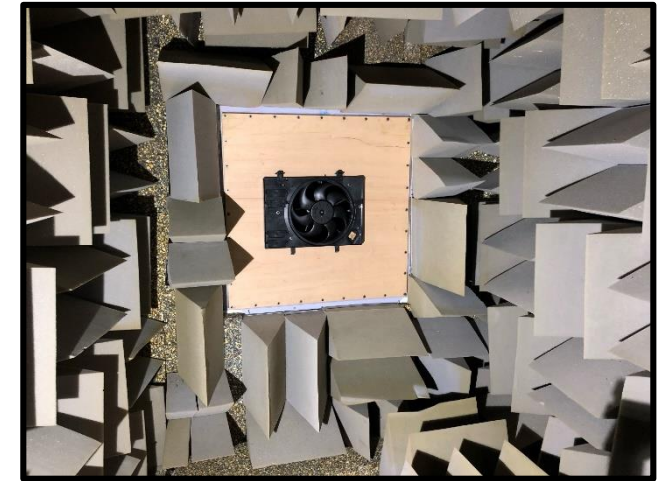
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About ESR2 PhD Research

Dealing with: noise emitted by automotive
low-speed cooling fans



Numerical work: to simulate the
far-field noise of the system



Experimental work: to
isolate and localize
the acoustic sources

In order to: develop a low-order
prediction noise methodology

Far field acoustic **simulation**



Hybrid methods



CFD:

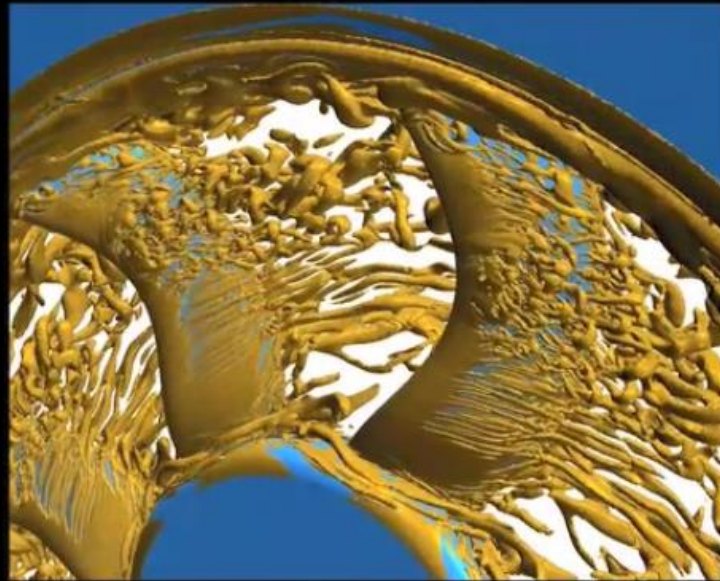
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BATMAN

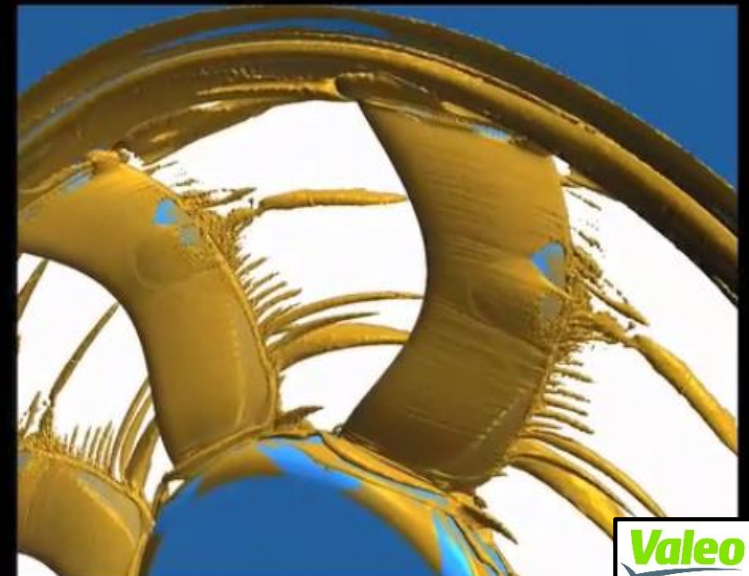


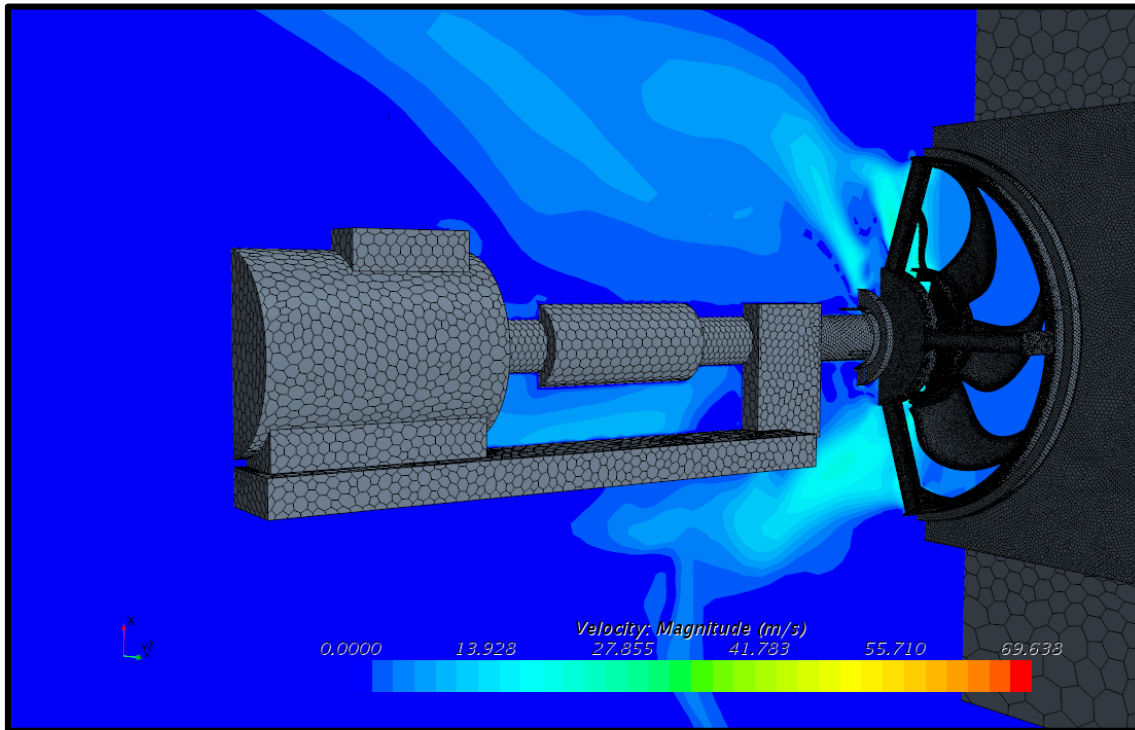
VKI in-house developed code
based on **Amiet's theory**

DES



URANS

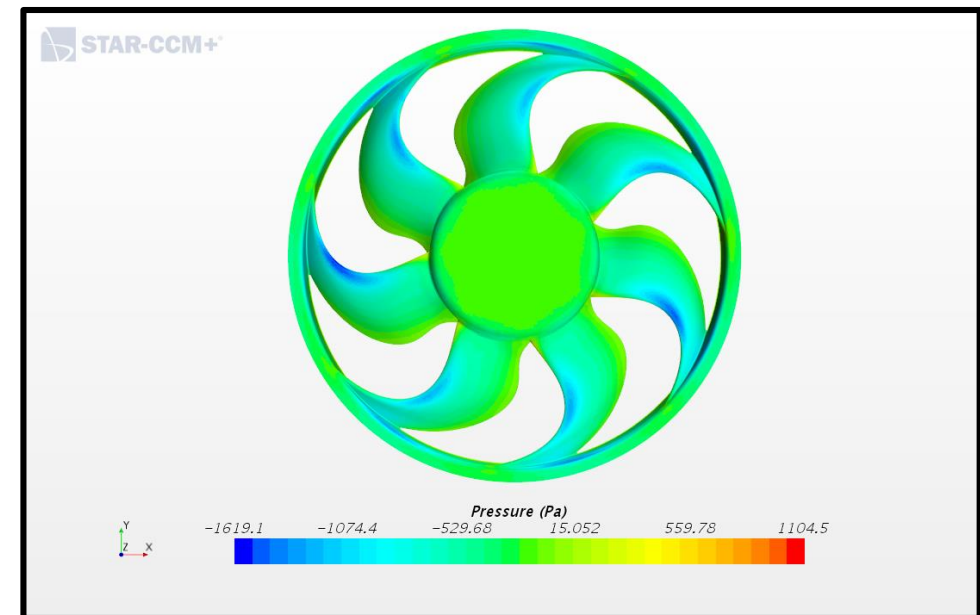




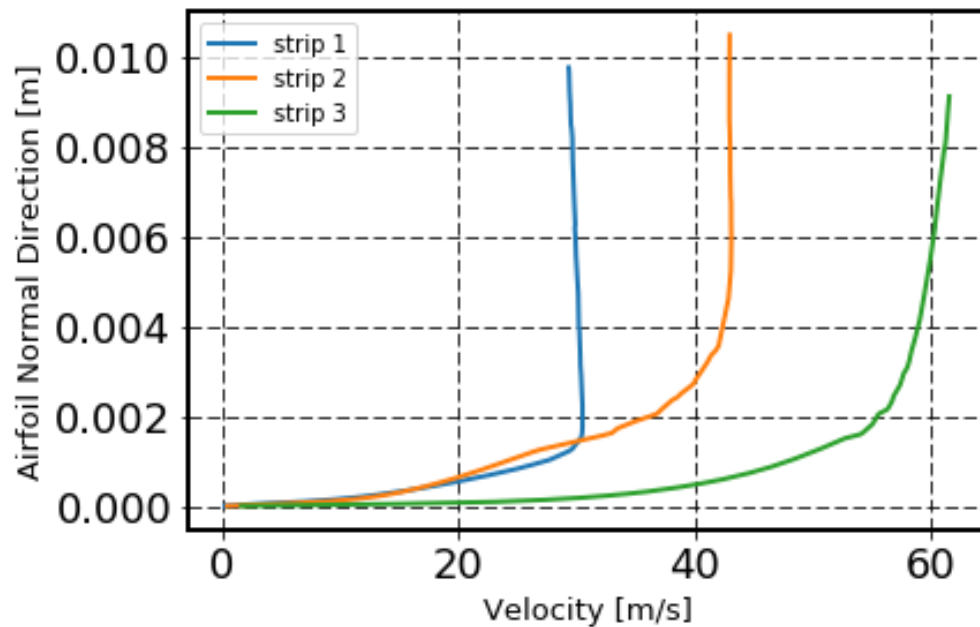
Complete module simulation with the Heat Exchanger on the front.

URANS gives the **averaged quantities**, as the pressure field below

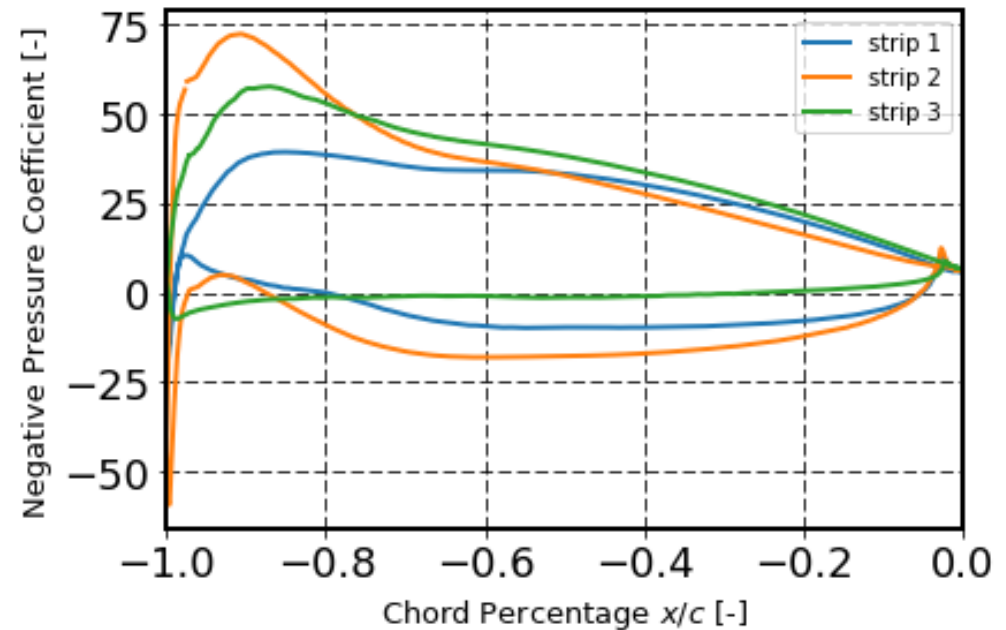
Although they are considered a **low-order method**, the simulation is **rather complicated**



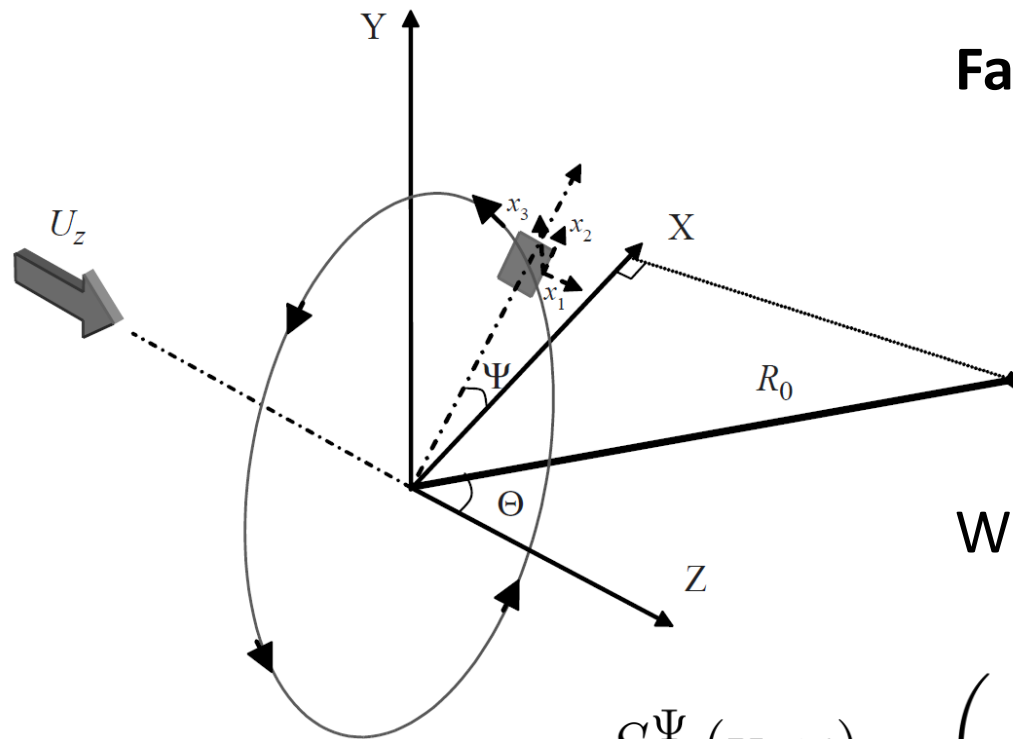
Extracted Data from the CFD simulation at **3 different positions** along the blade



Velocity boundary-layer profiles at 3 spanwise regions



Pressure Coefficient Distributions at 3 spanwise regions



Far-field sound pressure for a ventilator

$$S_{pp}(\mathbf{X}, \omega) = \frac{B}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{\omega_e(\Psi)}{\omega} S_{pp}^{\Psi}(\mathbf{x}, \omega_e) d\Psi$$

Where the **PSD of a blade strip** reads:

$$S_{pp}^{\Psi}(\mathbf{x}, \omega) = \left(\frac{\omega c x_3}{2\pi c_o S_0^2} \right)^2 \frac{L}{2} \left| \mathcal{L} \left(\frac{\omega}{U_c}, \frac{\bar{k} x_2}{S_0} \right) \right|^2 \Phi_{pp}(\omega) l_y(\omega)$$

Φ_{pp} Wall-pressure spectrum

l_y Spanwise correlation length

Assuming a **translational local displacement** of each strip

Empirical Models

For zero pressure gradient flows

- WPS is given as a function of frequency
- Information only from velocity profile

I. Goody
model

Base

For adverse pressure gradient flows

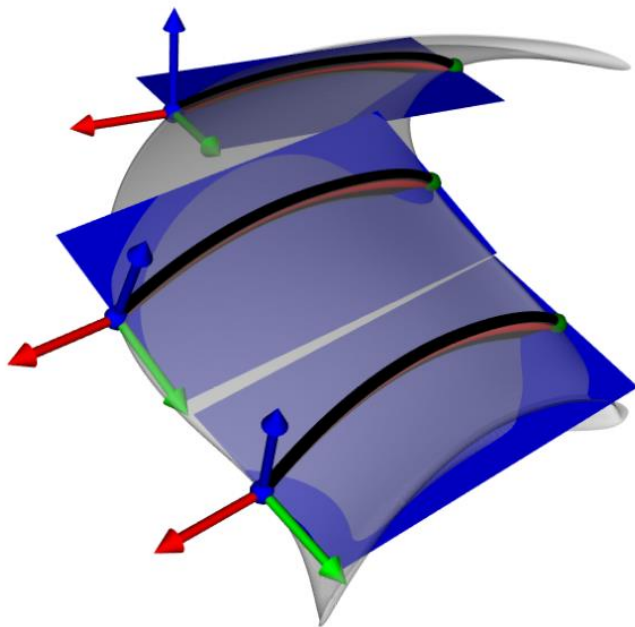
$$\frac{\varphi_{pp}}{\varphi^*} = \frac{A(\omega^*)^B}{[I(\omega^*)^C + D]^E + [F(R_T)^G \omega^*]^H}$$

II. Rozenberg

III. Lee

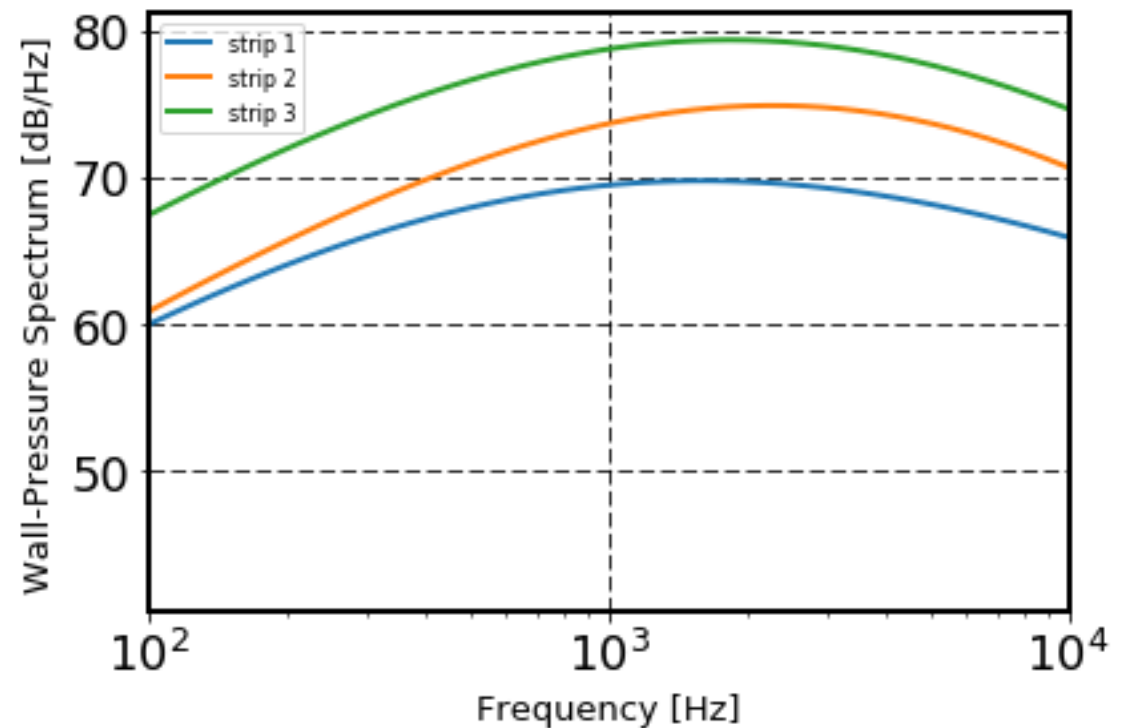
IV. Kamruzzaman

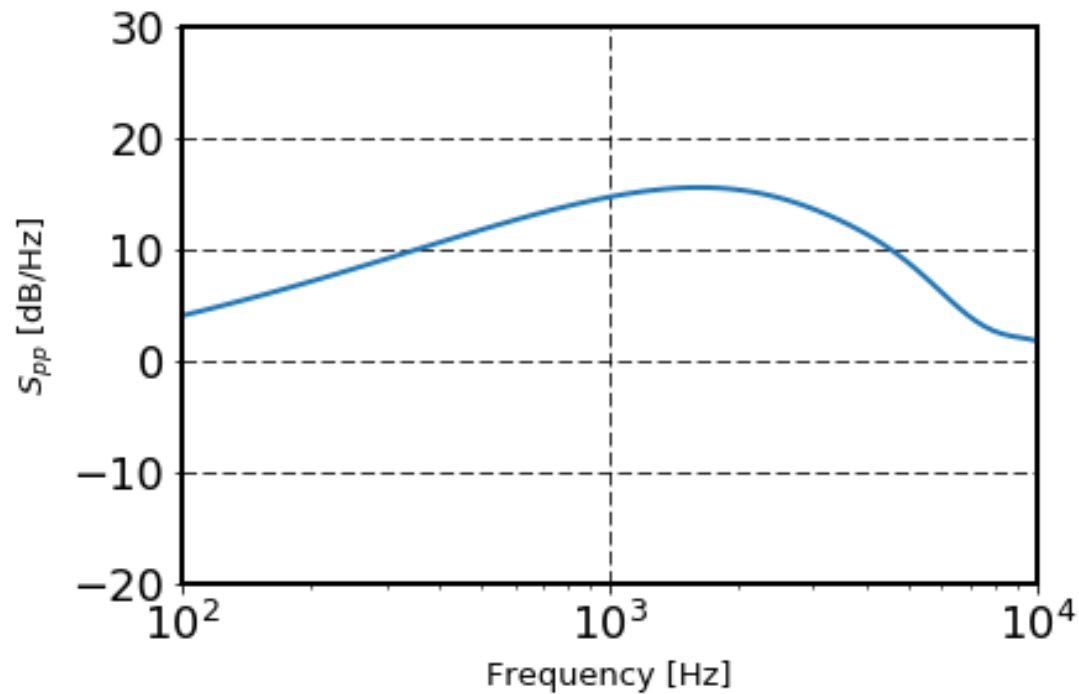
} *Airfoil data*



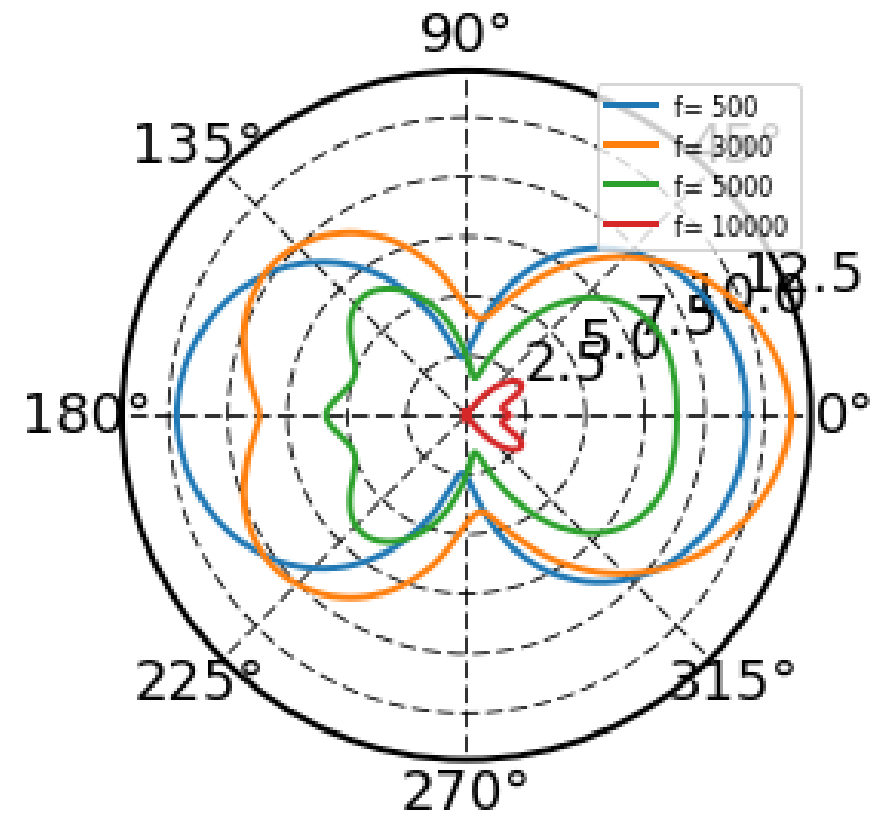
Fan blade planes division

WPS applying Rozenberg's Model



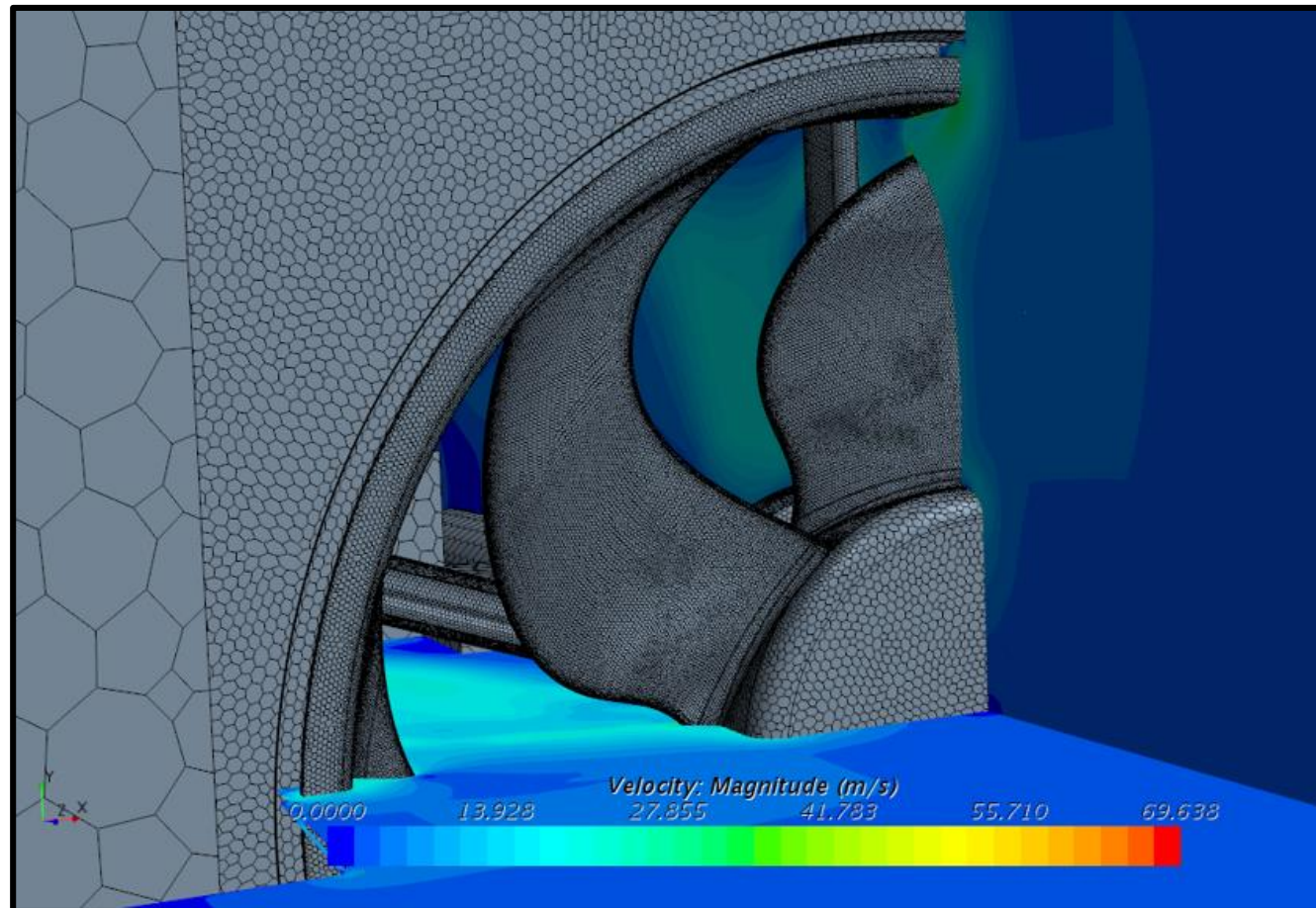


PSD far-field noise results



Fan directivity results

- Improvements on BATMAN to take into account **sweep angles**, **leading-edge noise**, more accurate **wall-pressure models**.
- **Simpler CFD simulation** with **rotor-alone** non-axial-symmetric configuration.
- Better definition of the **flow past the heat exchanger**.



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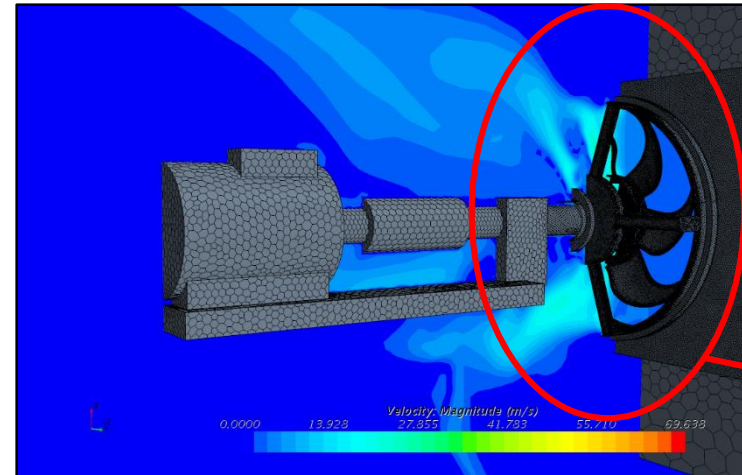
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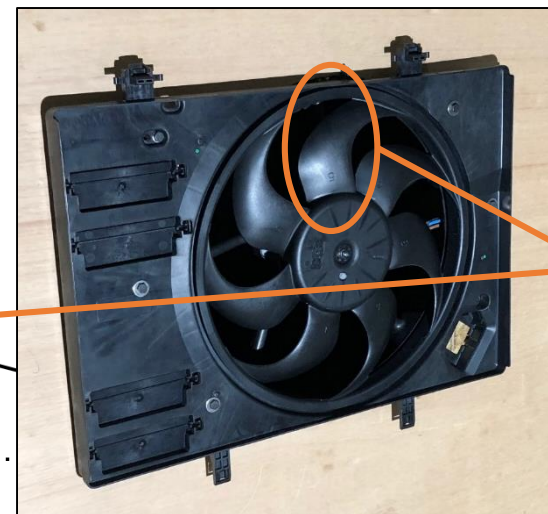
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Fan Proximity Acoustic Treatments for Improved Noise Suppression in Turbofan Engines

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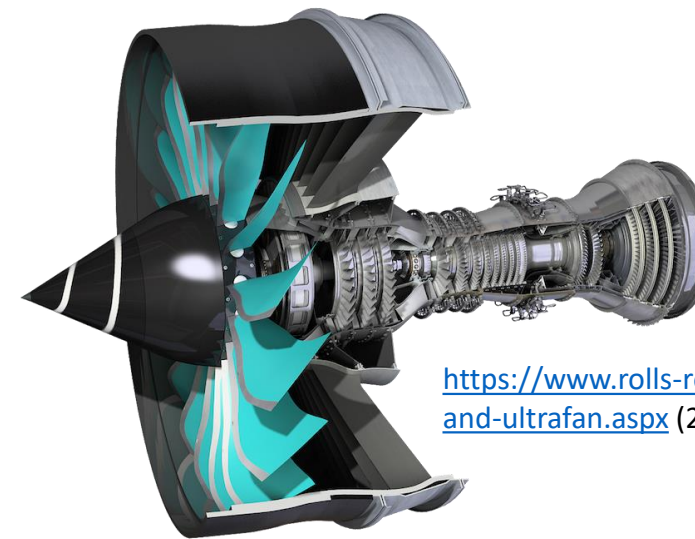
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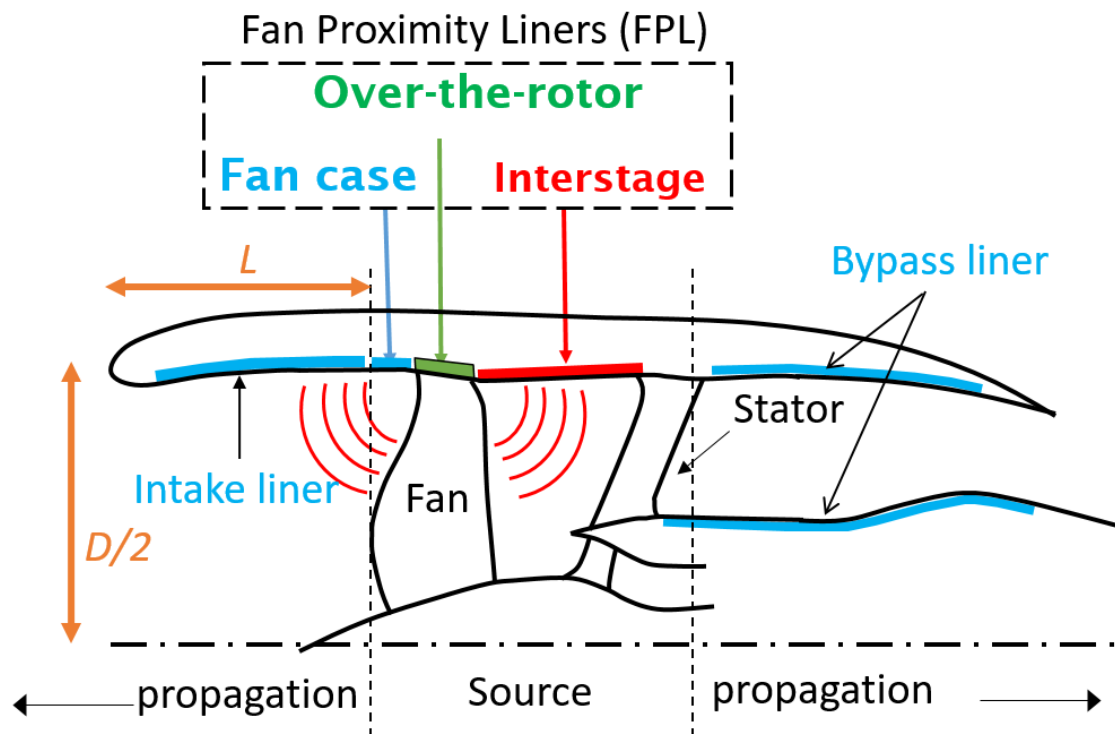
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Dominant Noise	
Approach	Departure
- Fan Noise - Airframe Noise	- Fan Noise - Jet Mixing Noise



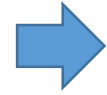
e.g. Rolls-Royce
Ultrafan, BPR 15+

<https://www.rolls-royce.com/innovation/advance-and-ultrafan.aspx> (20/09/17)



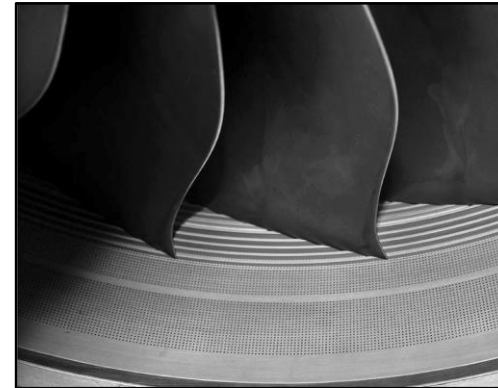
- Mitigation of Fan Noise remains critical in noise reduction for the next generation of engines (2020).

- BPR for large engines:

$\sim 10:1 \rightarrow 15:1 +$  Reduced liner performance due to lower L/D

- Optimise liner effect by exploiting available space

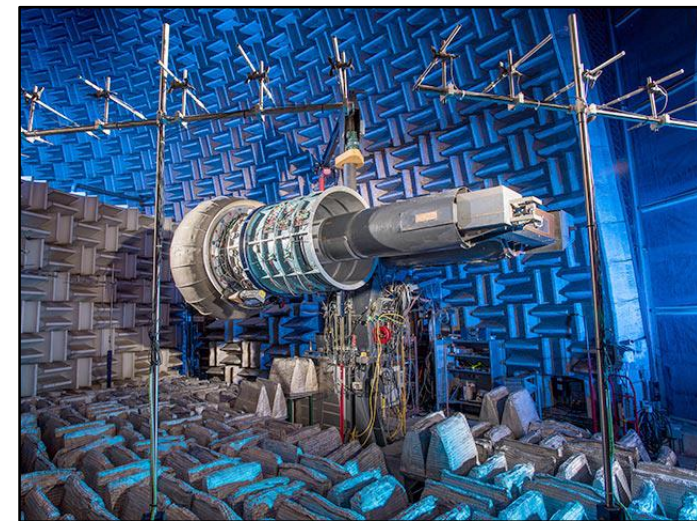
- **Over-The-Rotor (OTR) Acoustic Treatments**
 - **Physical Mechanism**
 - Source modification
 - Absorption of acoustic waves
 - Reduced rotor-stator noise
- **Experimental Data**
 - **Noise Attenuation**
 - AAPL at NASA GRC
 - Test data: ANCF, ADP, FJ44-3A
 - 1 – 5 dB OAPWL
 - **Aerodynamic Performance**
 - Penalty variability with design
 - 0.75 – 9.8 % loss in adiabatic efficiency
- **Design & Modelling**
 - Prediction method for OTR liner design



Close-up of foam metal liner installed in FJ44-3A (Sutliff, D. L. et al., 2013)

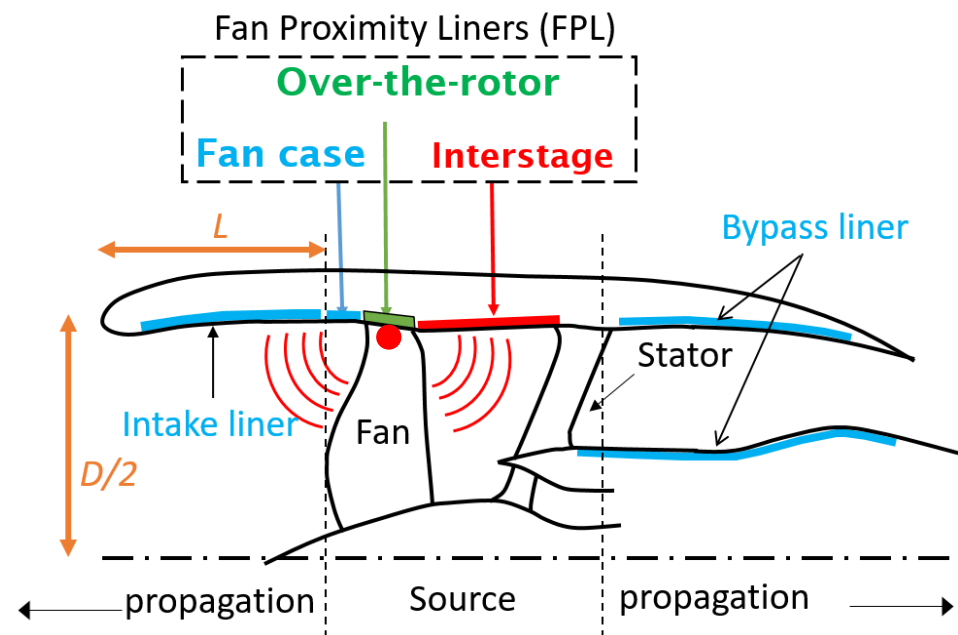


Williams International FJ44-3A engine(Sutliff, D. L. et al., 2013)



Advanced Noise Control Fan
(Gazella, M.R. et al., 2013)

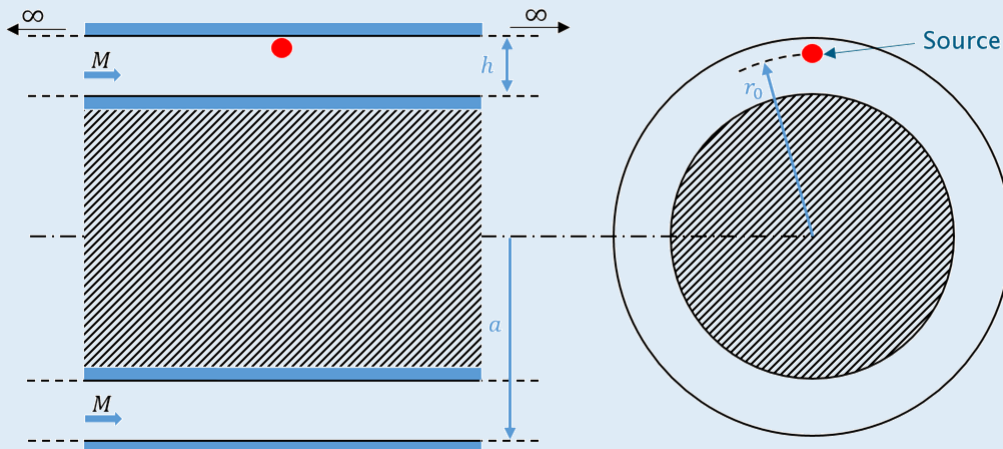
- Improve the understanding of the acoustic attenuation of OTR liners through the development of theoretical models, numerical simulations and experimental validation.
- Use the acquired understanding to provide a prediction method to guide the choice of low-TRL fan proximity liner designs for optimal noise reduction.



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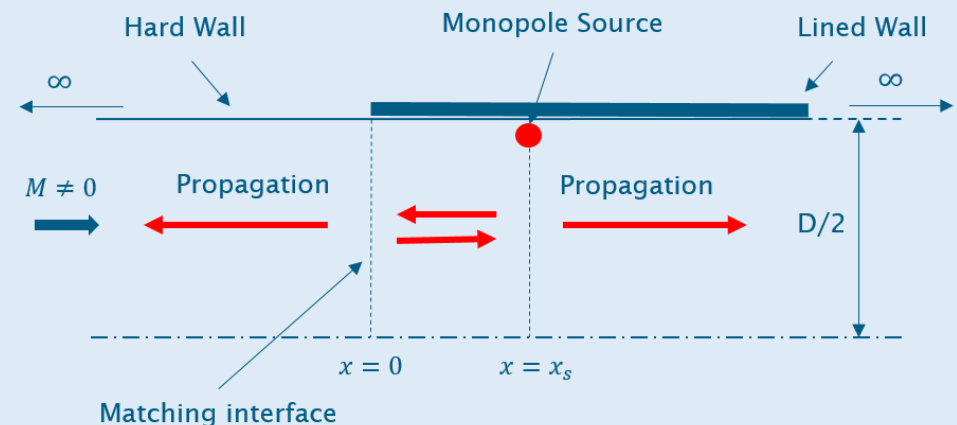
Infinite lined duct with mean flow (Green/INF)

- Based on Green's function for a lined circular duct containing uniform mean flow (Rienstra, S.W. and Tester, B.J., 2008).
- Hollow & Annular section.
- Hard & Lined walls.
- Source: static point monopole/dipole
- Cross-verified against Rienstra, S.W. and Tester, B.J., 2008 results & FEM simulations.



Semi-Infinite lined-hard duct (Green/SINF)

- Source: static monopole/dipole.
- Gain understanding on the effects of different parameters on the noise radiation by using the inlet power Insertion Loss (IL):
 - Source radial & axial position: r_0/a ; x_s/a
 - Excitation frequency: He
 - Preliminary inlet power Insertion Loss (IL) impedance map.
 - Effect of the Mach number

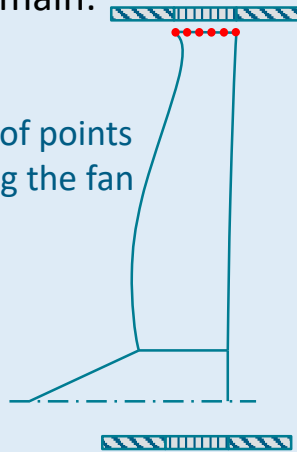


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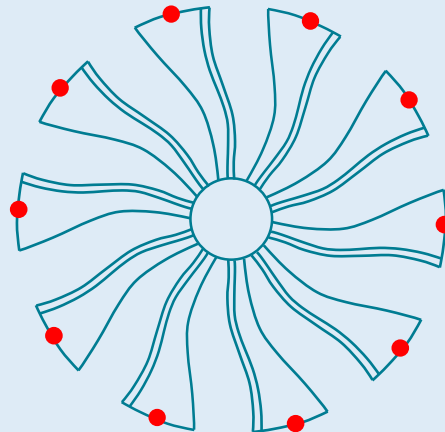
Green/INF & Green/SINF with multiple sources

- Based on Green/INF + Multiple sources (Coherent/Incoherent)
- It considers different distributions of point sources in the domain:

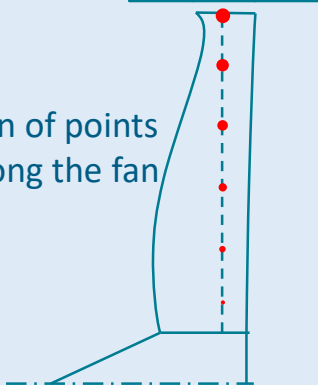
- Distribution of points sources along the fan blade chord



- Distribution along the circumferential direction – **B** blades

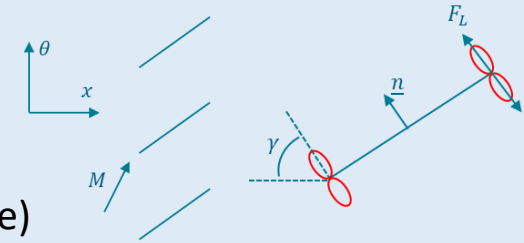


- Distribution of points sources along the fan blade span



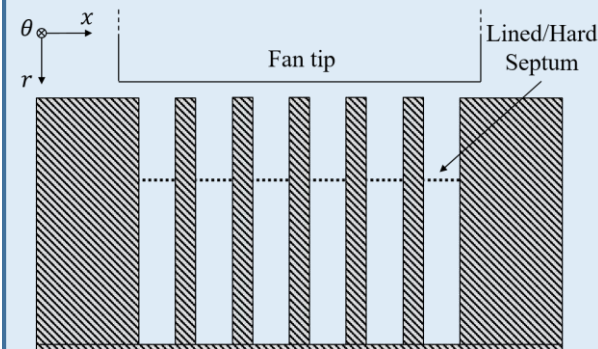
Source modelling

- Static point monopole
- Static point axial dipole
- Static point lift dipole
- (Rotating point lift dipole)



Impedance modelling

- Circumferential grooves with acoustic treatment
- Non-locally reacting in the azimuthal direction.



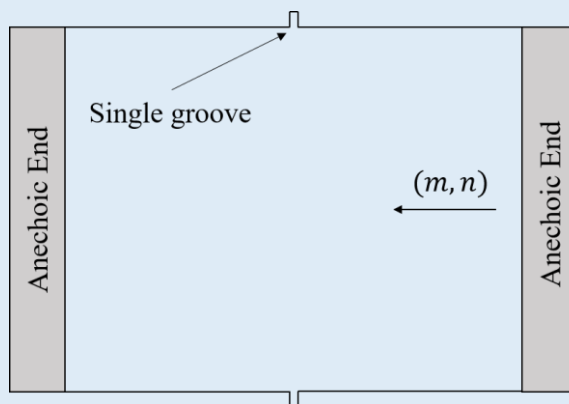
OTR acoustic casing treatment
(Bozak, R. F. et al., 2018)

NUMERICAL APPROACH

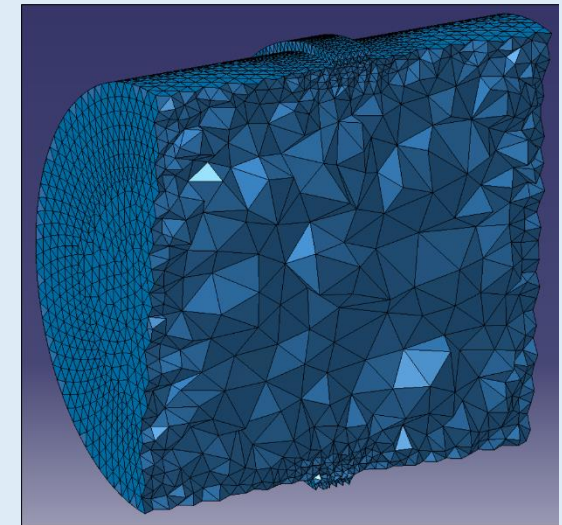
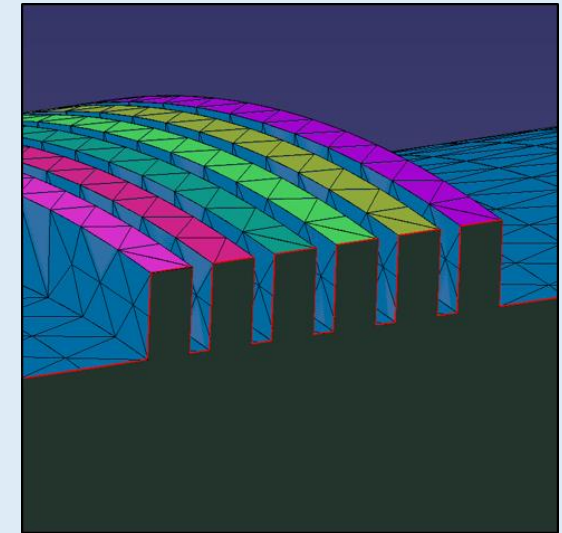
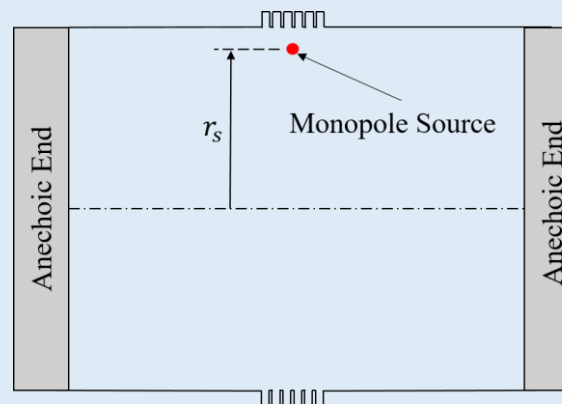
Verification of the semi-locally reacting lined groove model

- *FEM Software:* LMS Virtual.Lab (Secondment at SIEMENS PML)
- *Objectives:*
 1. Improve the understanding of the acoustic response of acoustically treated semi-locally reacting grooves
 2. Provide a reference solution to cross-verify with the analytical impedance model
- *Cases:*

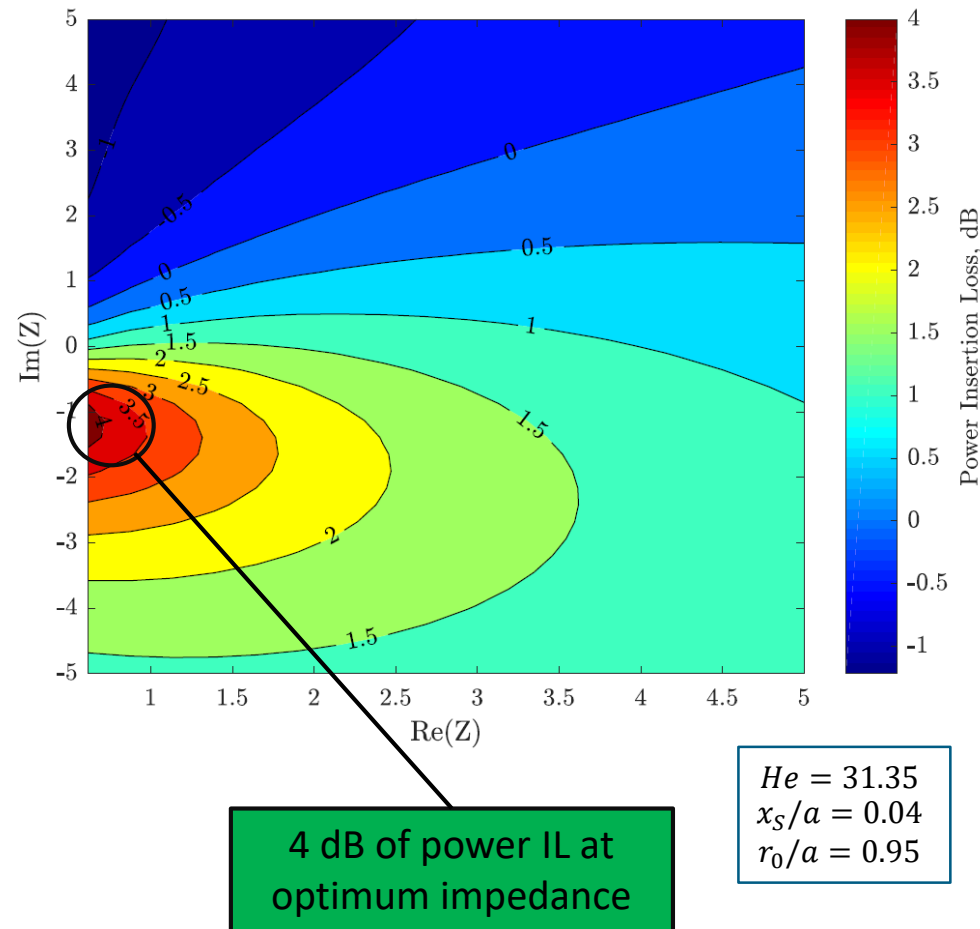
Single groove with incident duct modes



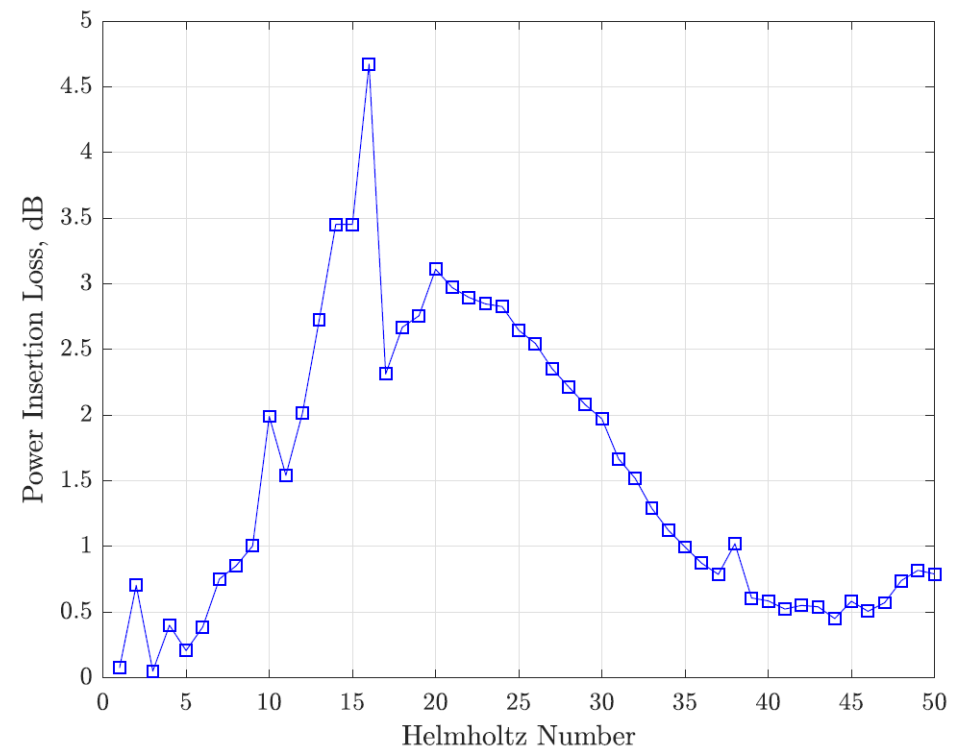
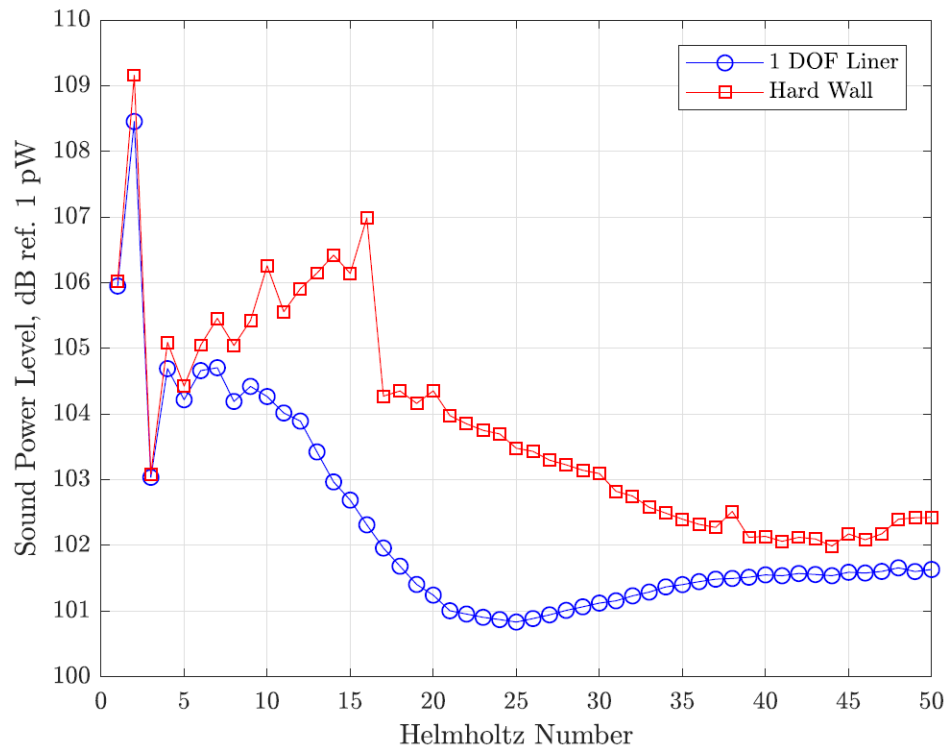
Multiple grooves excited by a monopole source



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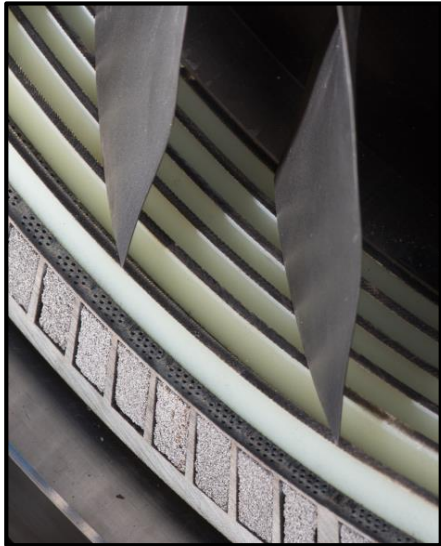


$$Z(\omega) = R_f + j \left(k \frac{t + d}{\sigma} - \cot(kh) \right)$$

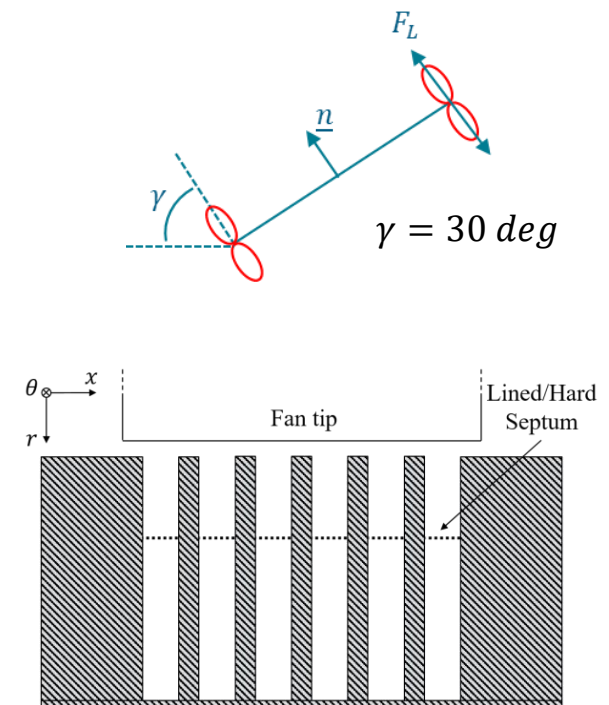
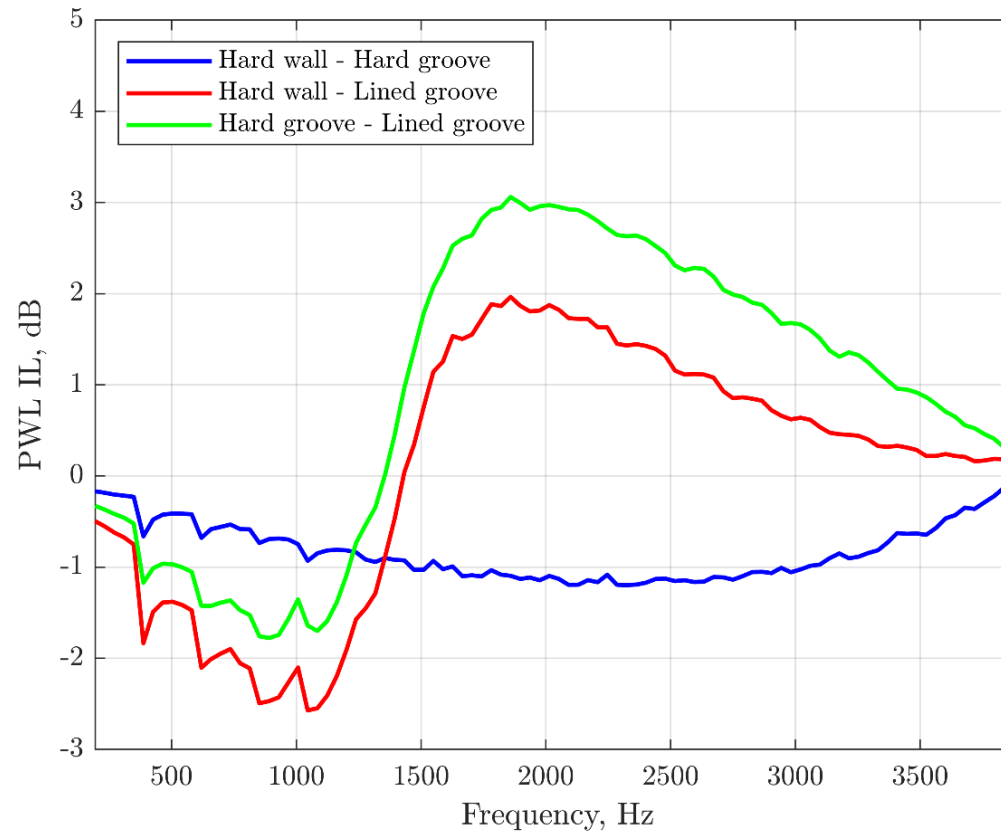
(SDOF cavity liner)

$$\begin{aligned} x_s/a &= 0.04 \\ r_0/a &= 0.95 \end{aligned}$$

OTR NASA Estimates – PWL Insertion Loss



$$\begin{aligned} COR &= 5 \\ r_0/a &= 0.95 \\ M &= 0.0 \end{aligned}$$

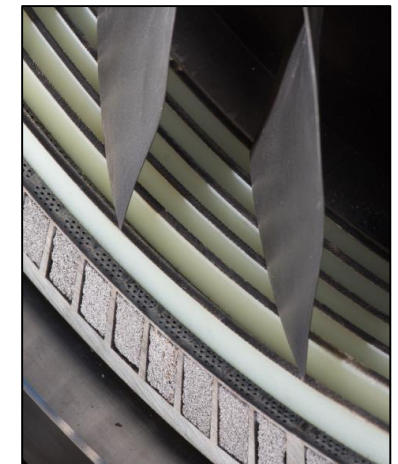
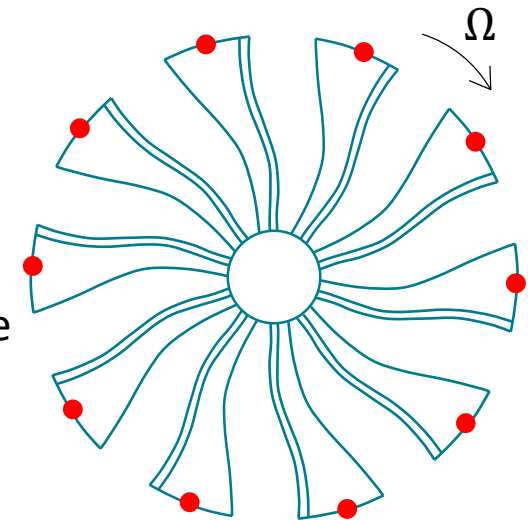


	Groove Effect	Treatment Effect	Total Effect
In-duct Sound Power Level (dB)	$\Delta W_{grooves}$	$\Delta W_{treatment}$	ΔW_{total}
Forward Propagating Modes	- 1.6dB	- 1-2dB	- 2.6-3.6dB
Co-rotating Forward Propagating Modes	- 1.7dB	- 1.8-2.9dB	- 3.5-4.6dB
Circumferential Groove Noise	+ 7.6dB	- 1.5-5dB	+ 2.6-6.1dB

Bozak, R. F. et al., 2018

- ***OTR Performance Estimates – Green/SINF***
 - A point monopole source in design case provide a broadband power IL of ~ 4 dB, with significant attenuation over a wide range of source excitation frequencies.
- ***Verification of the semi-locally reacting lined groove model***
 - Preliminary comparisons of the numerical simulations of the acoustically treated grooves and the results obtained with the analytical impedance model show a satisfactory agreement.
- ***OTR NASA Estimates***
 - The predicted acoustic power attenuation or insertion loss is found to be within the same range as the experimental results, i.e. 2.5 - 3.5 dB (PWL).

- ***Green/SINF Development – inclusion of:***
 - System of rotating point sources.
 - Swirl in the fan section – solid body rotation
- ***Green/FINF Development***
 - Finite length duct within a hard wall duct, the source/s placed within the lined region.
- ***Numerical Verification***
 - Further investigation on ‘back-reaction’ effects using LMS Virtual.Lab.
 - Obtain reference solutions to cross-verify with the analytical models.
- ***Experimental Validation***
 - Validation of the analytical results with NASA published results.
 - Validation tests at ECL : assessment of the performance of an acoustic liner in terms of reducing tip noise of an aerofoil over a flat surface.



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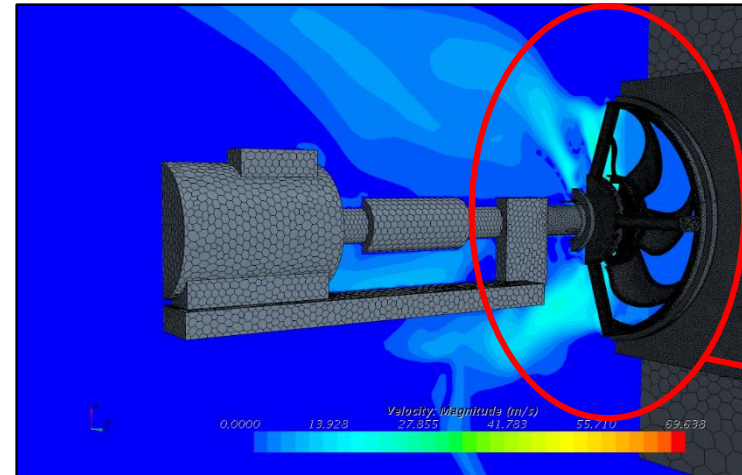
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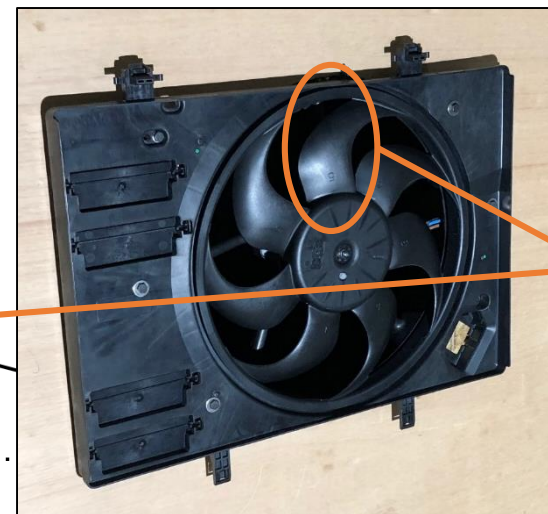
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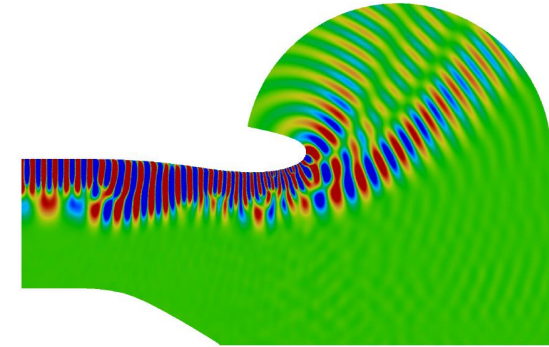
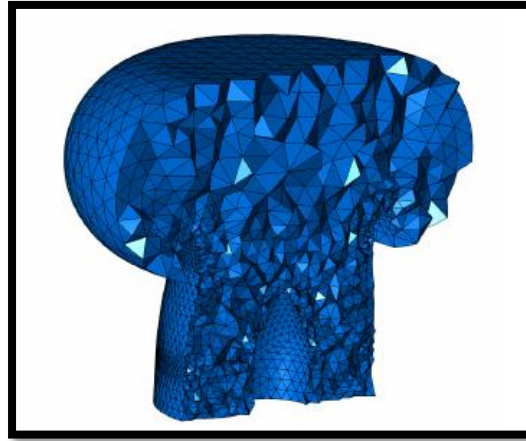
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- Focus on the noise mitigation at the turbofan inlet.
- Modeling of non-locally reacting liners is computationally expensive.
- Modeling in the nacelle can be approximated using LPE or Helmholtz eqn.
- At 2BPF, and $kR=128$, the **computational time is 5h30min**, for sideline configuration.

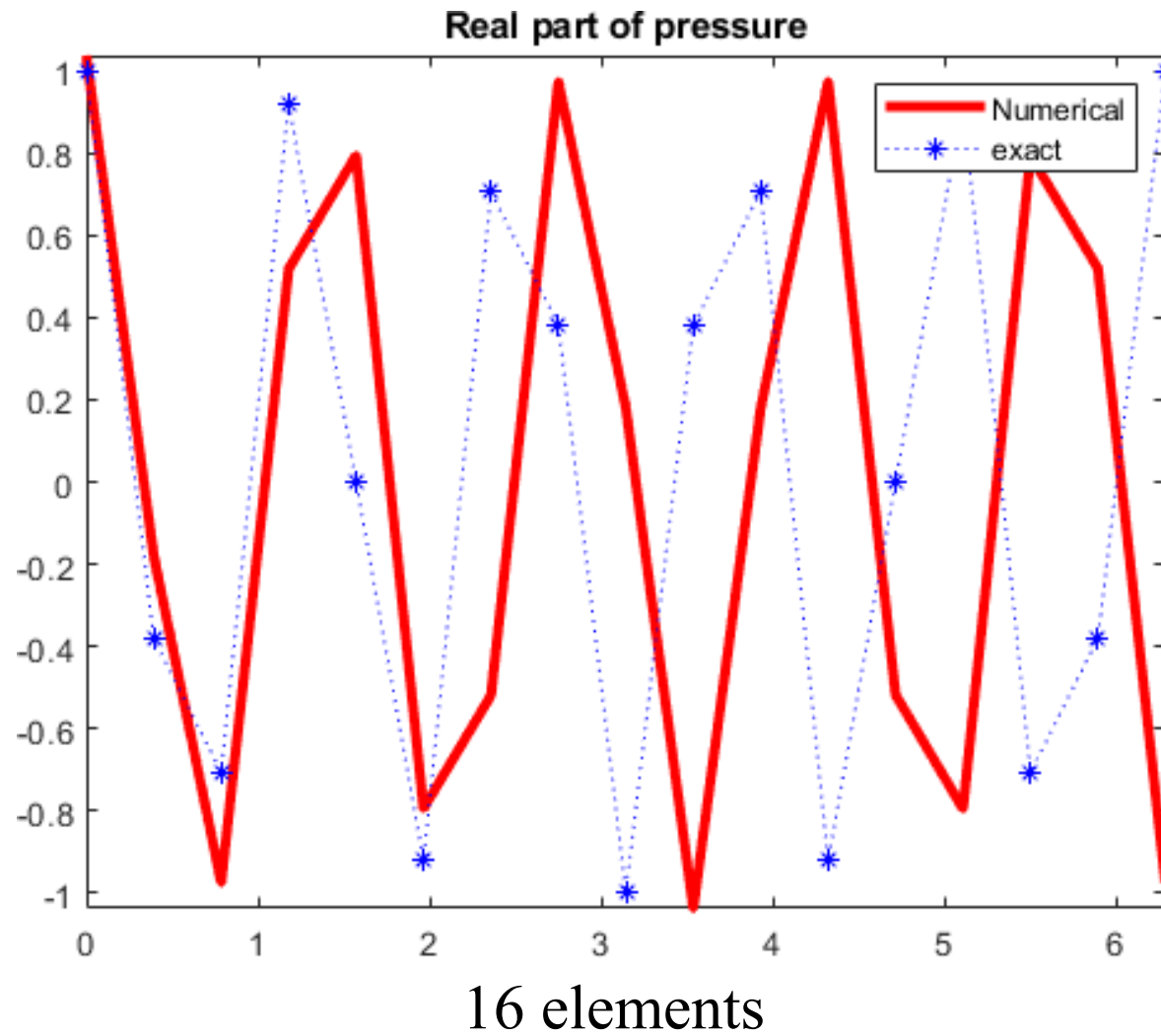
Introduction to Finite element method (FEM)

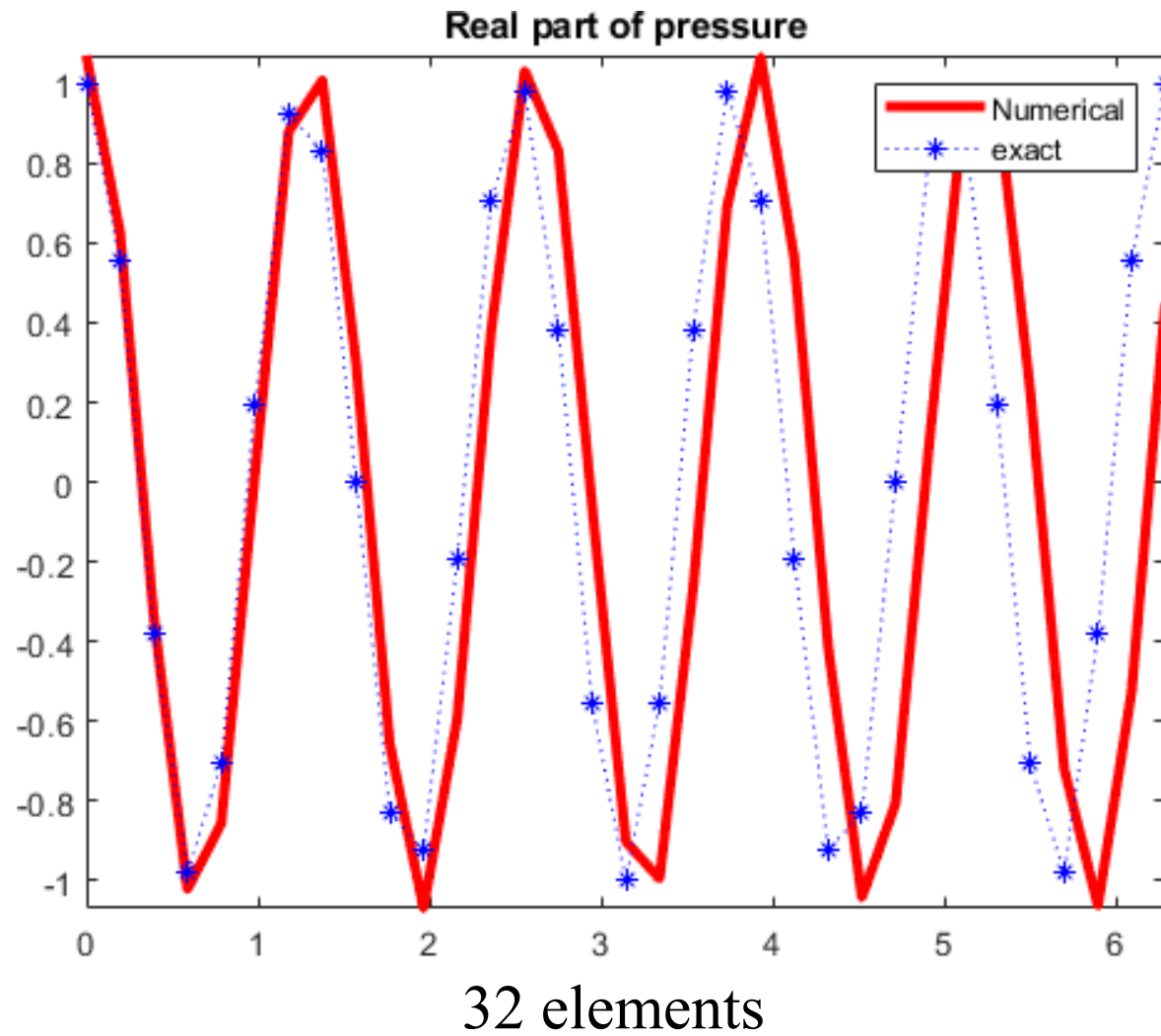
What is FEM ??

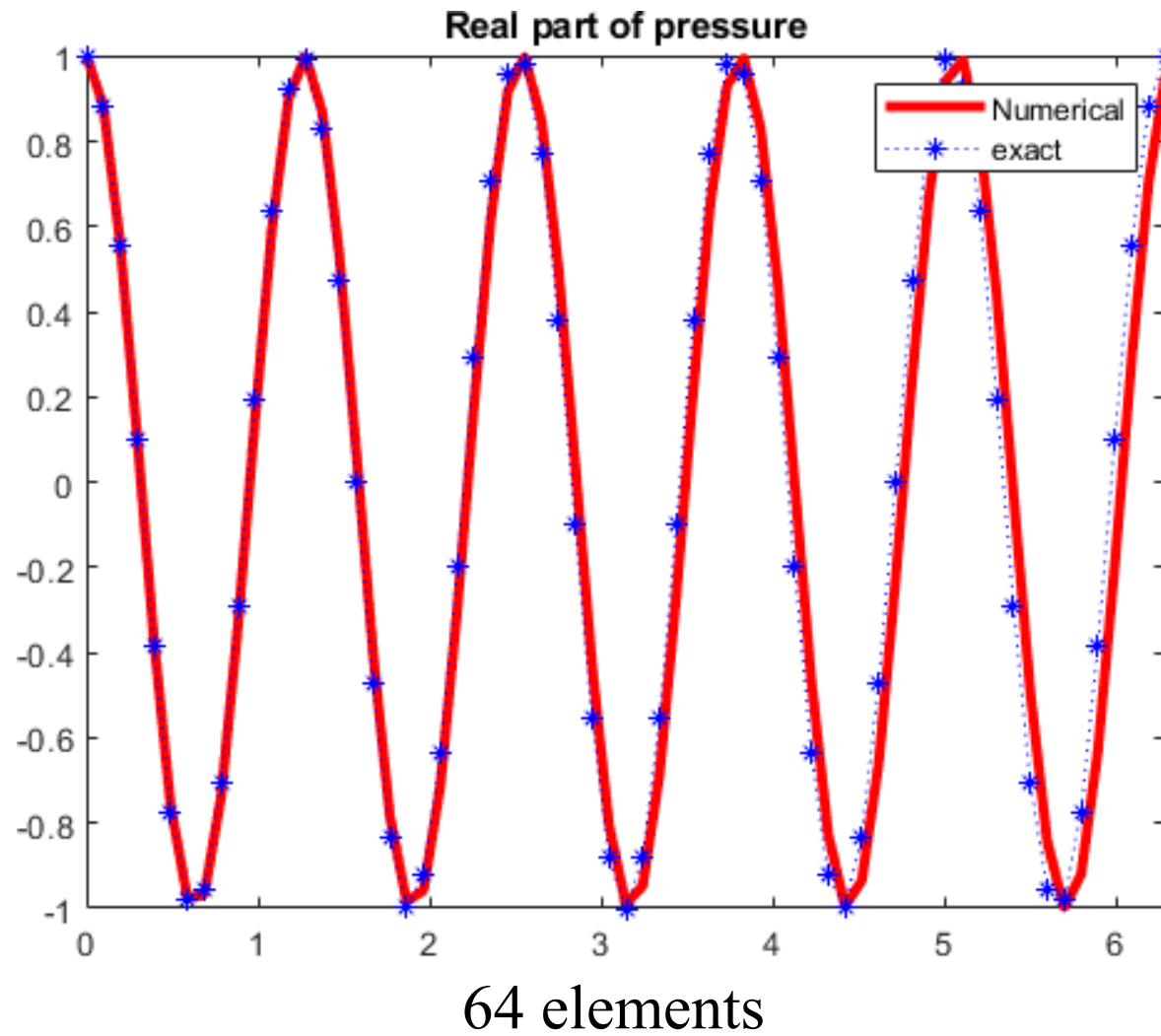
- The computational domain is divided into **small geometric elements** like triangles, rectangles, cubes, etc.
- In each element the pressure field is computed by using **some basis functions**.

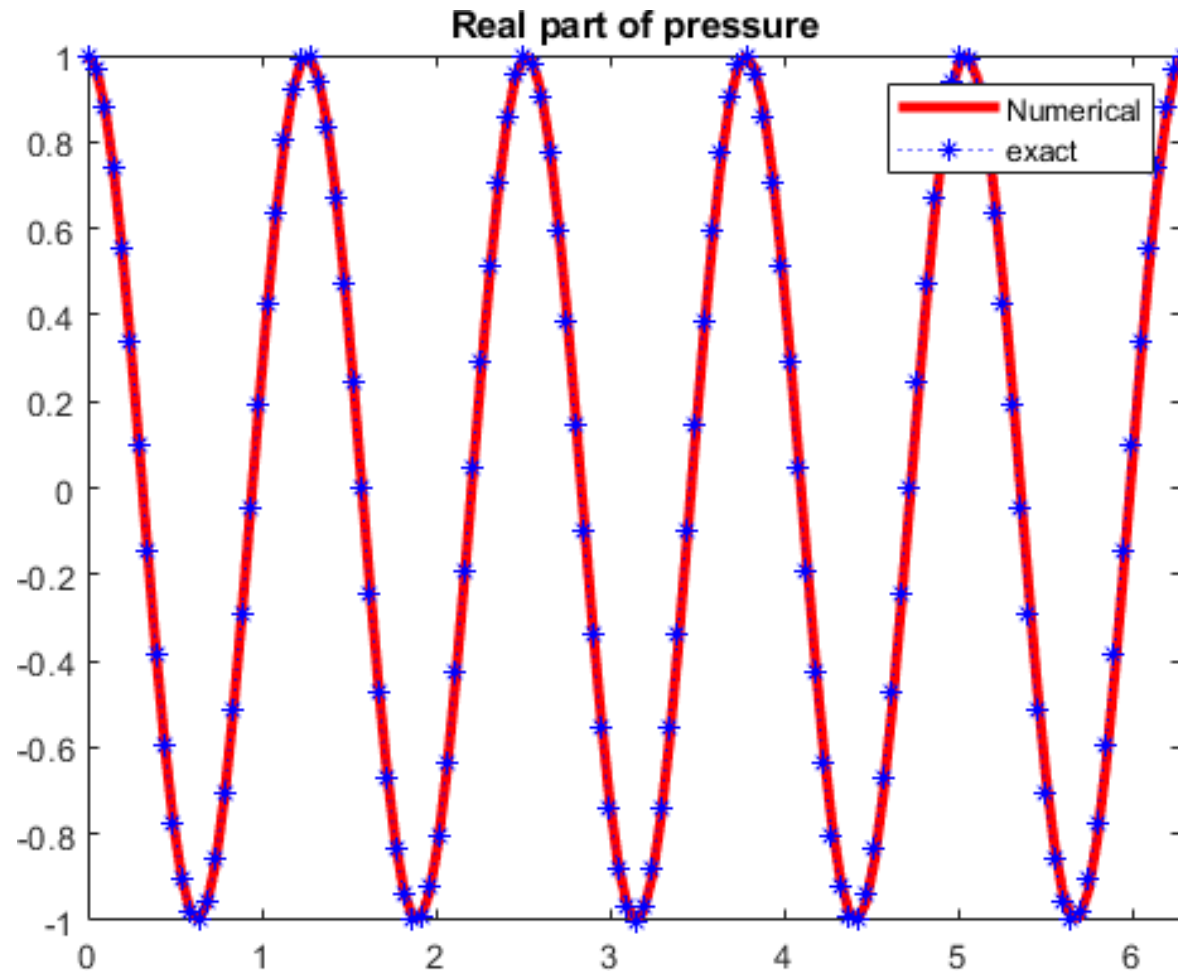
The example of a plane wave propagating in 1D in the positive X – direction is shown.

Helmholtz number = 5





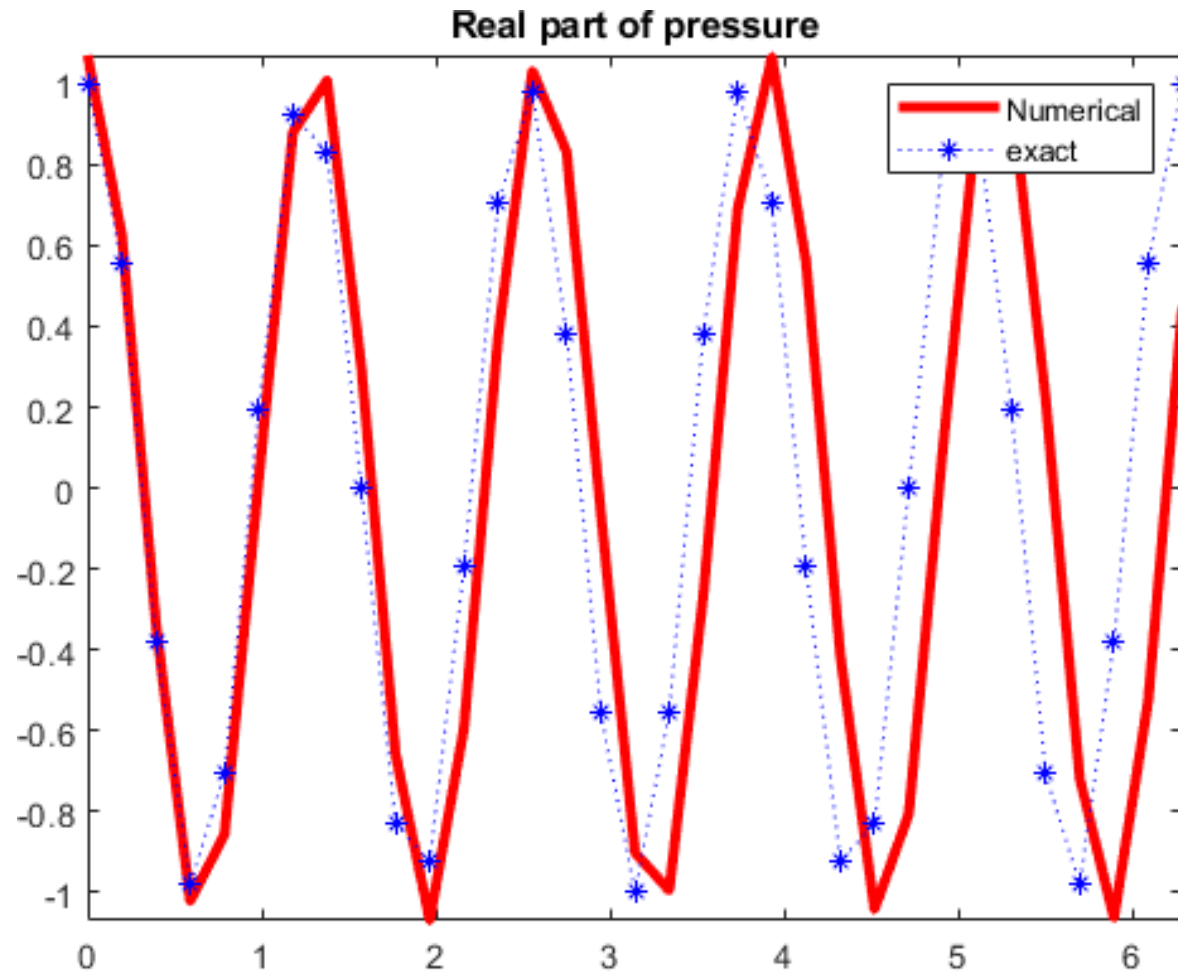




128 elements

- We need to **increase the number of points** to improve the results
- This is classical FEM.

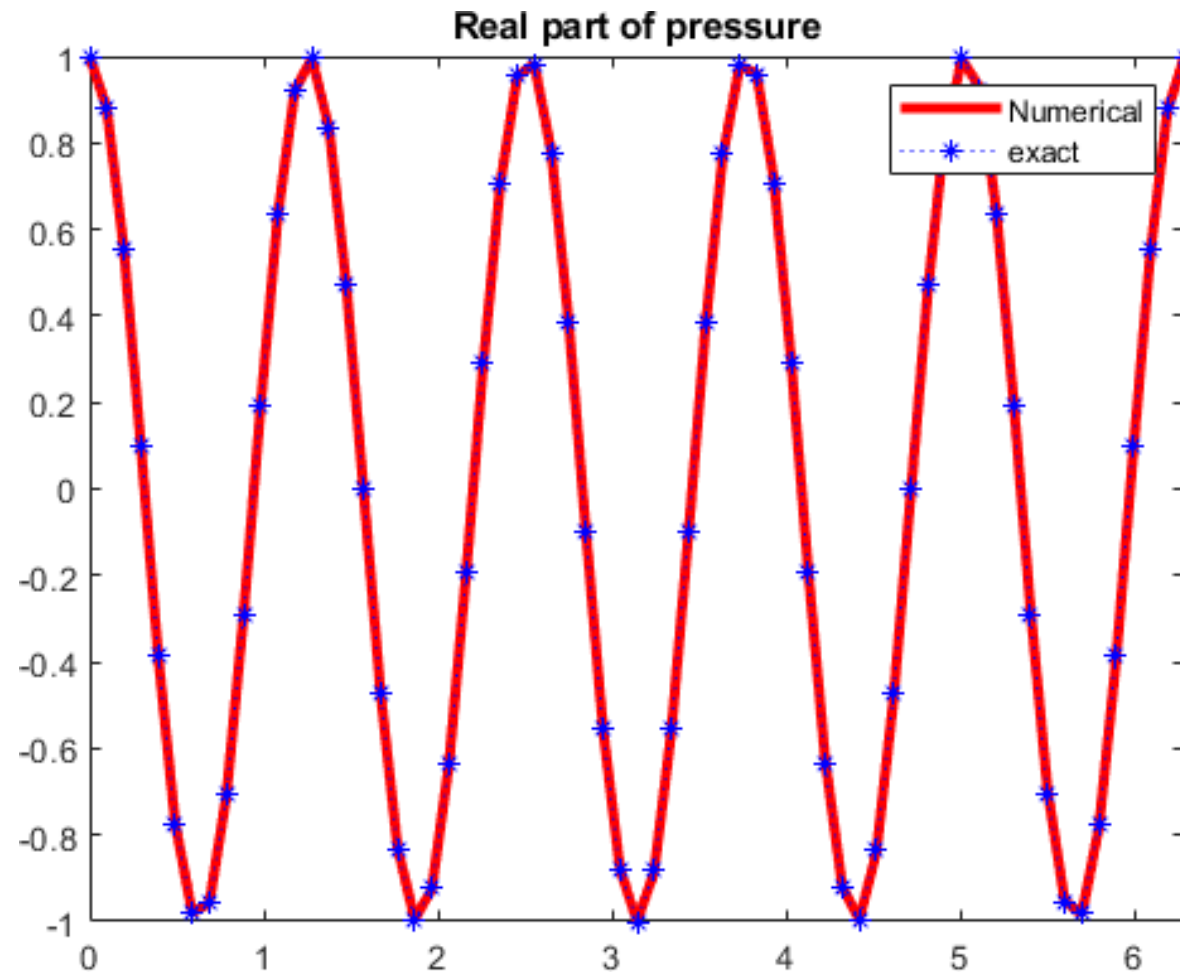
Higher order FEM



$p = 1, 32$ elements

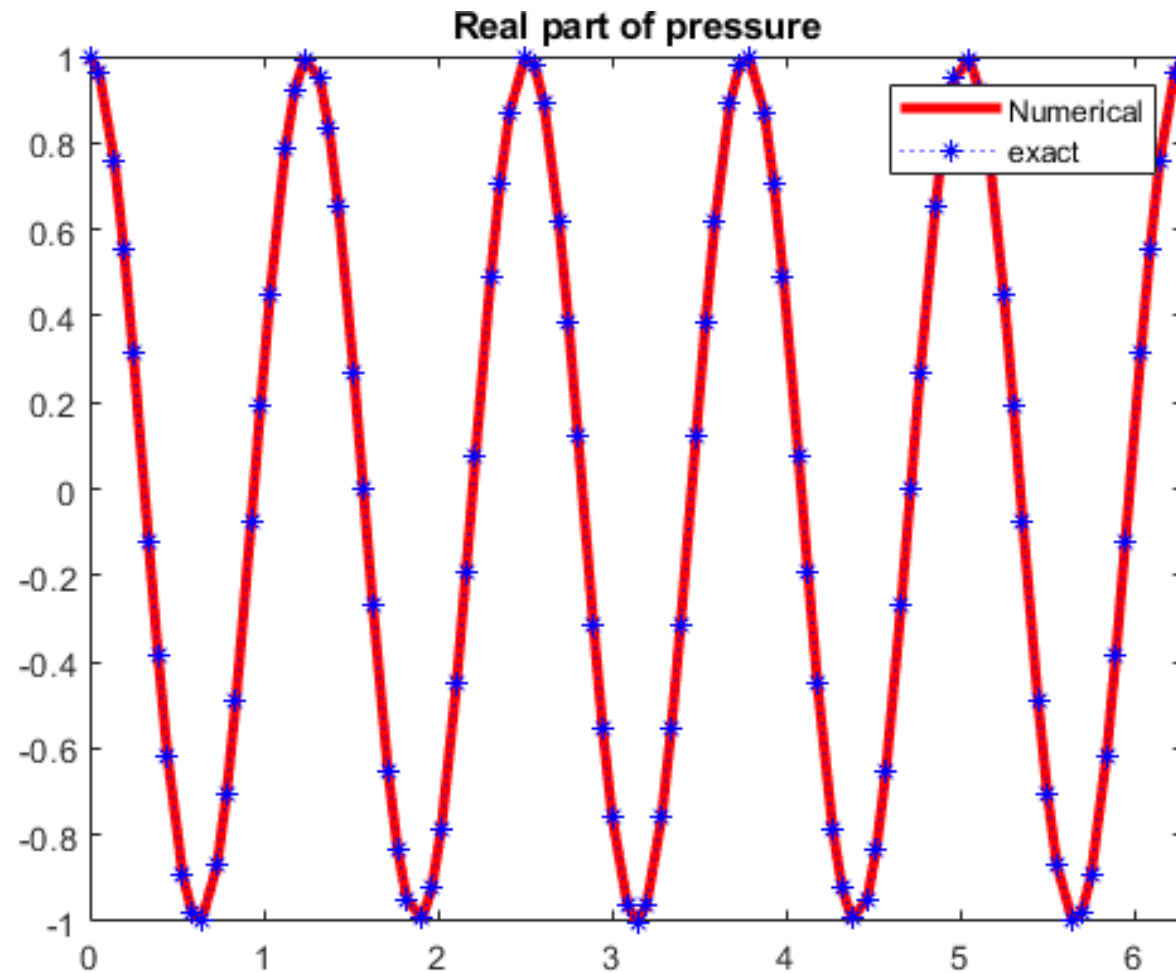
We keep the same number of elements, but increase " p "

Higher order FEM



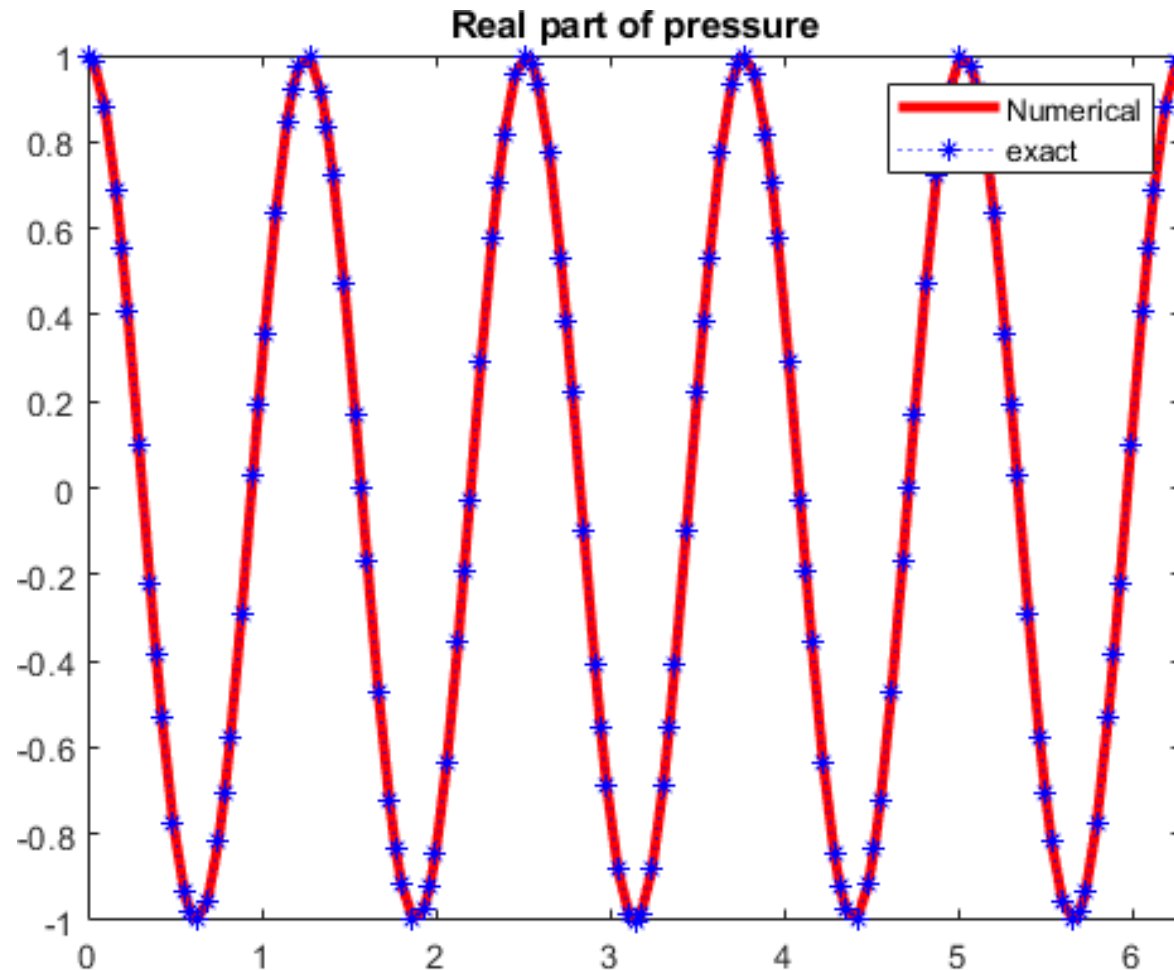
$p = 2, 32$ elements

Higher order FEM



$p = 3$, 32 elements

Higher order FEM



$p = 4$, 32 elements

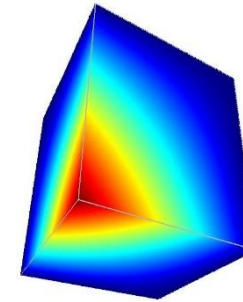
- Just with 32 elements with can get very good accuracy.
- Referred to as **p FEM**.

Higher order FEM method

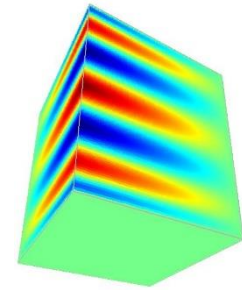
- Allows to use one mesh for a range of frequencies
- Static condensation
 - Removes bubble shape functions
 - Improves the conditioning
- Increases assembly time for the system

Options to choose in higher order FEM:

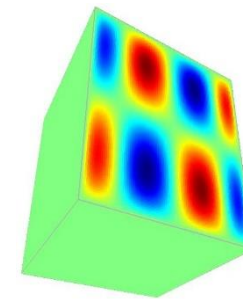
- Nodal based (Lagrange)
- **Hierarchic (Integrated Legendre)**
 - Ensures optimal conditioning of the stiffness matrix
 - basis of order $p + 1$ built on simple correction of the basis of order p ;



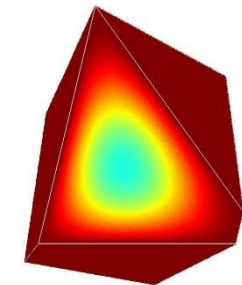
Vertex function



Edge function



Face function



Bubble function

Higher order FEM method

- Adaptive Higher order FEM (FEMAO) [1]
- Anisotropic Higher order FEM (FEMA2O) [2]
- These provides drastic improvements over the fixed higher order FEM.
- But even with FEMA2O, it **requires large computational time** for one simulation.
- These simulations need to be run 100's to 1000's of times for liner optimization.
- We propose to use domain decomposition methods (DDM) to tackle this problem

[1] Beriot, H. *et. al.* "Efficient implementation of high-order finite elements for Helmholtz problems," International Journal for Numerical Methods in Engineering, Vol. 106, No. 3, 2016, pp. 213-240.

[2] Gabard.,G., *et. al.*, "An Adaptive, High-Order Finite-Element Method for Convected Acoustics." American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics, 2018.

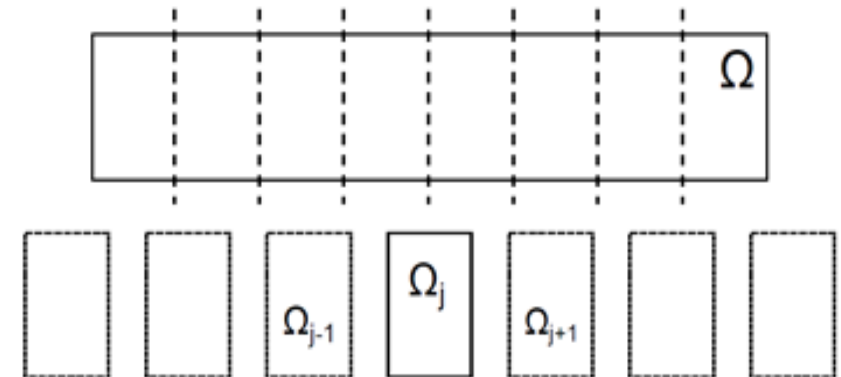
Domain Decomposition Methods

We propose to use **non-overlapping FETI** methods.

What is **FETI** ??

Finite Element Tearing and Interconnect

- Division of the numerical domain into smaller sub-domains (**Tearing**)
- Compute partial solutions in each subdomain (**Finite Element**)
- Glue the solutions back to get the final solution (**Interconnect**)



Suited for parallel computing.

- Examine / Compare the state of art FETI methods using p FEM.
- Extend FETI methods to non-local liners
- Improve the optimization workflow for liner modeling
 - reduce CPU, memory costs
 - reduce the computational time
- Extend FETI methods to non-local liners with flow. (LPE)
- Apply the methodology on realistic nacelle intakes.

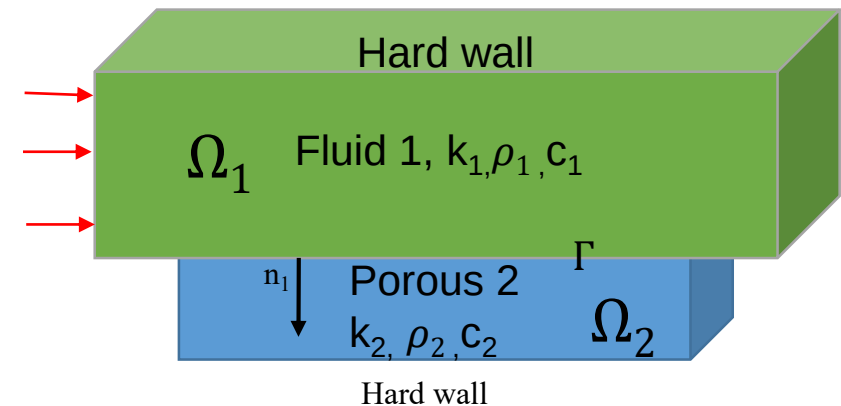
- FETI-2LM (two LM for coupling.)
- FETI-H (1 LM for coupling)
- Porous material is modeled as a fluid with freq. dependent properties.
- Fluid 1 and 2 are governed by Helmholtz equation.

FETI-2LM Interface conditions:

$$p_1 = p_2, \quad v n_1 = -v n_2$$

$$\frac{\partial p_1}{\partial n_1} + i k_1 p_1 = -\frac{\rho_1}{\rho_2} \frac{\partial p_2}{\partial n_2} + i k_1 p_2 \text{ on } \Gamma \dots (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial p_2}{\partial n_2} + i k_2 p_2 = -\frac{\rho_2}{\rho_1} \frac{\partial p_1}{\partial n_1} + i k_2 p_1 \text{ on } \Gamma \dots (2)$$



$k_2(\omega), \rho_2(\omega), c_2(\omega)$ are complex and frequency dependent.

$$\frac{\partial p_1}{\partial n_1} + ik_1 p_1 = \rho_1 \lambda_{12} \quad \text{on } \Gamma \dots (3)$$

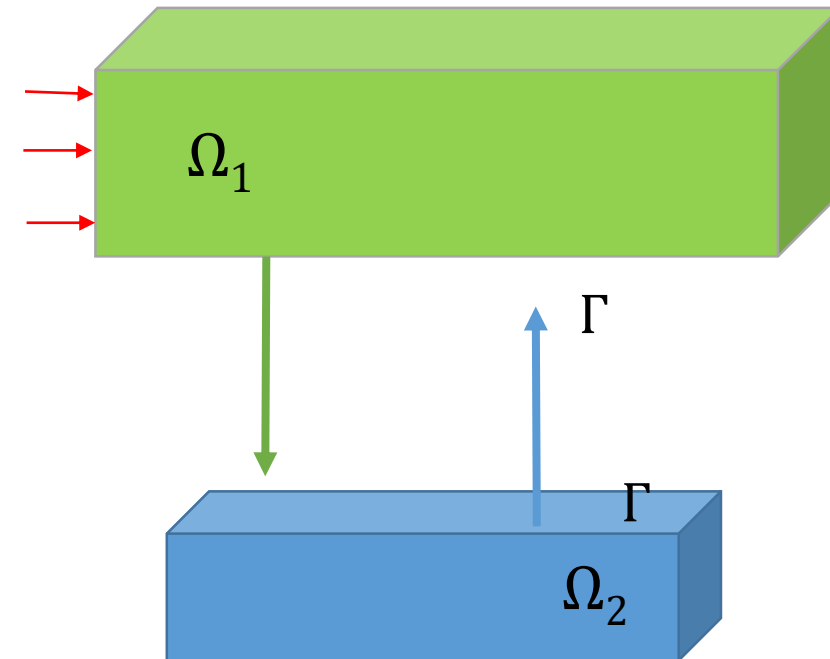
$$\frac{\partial p_2}{\partial n_2} + ik_2 p_2 = \rho_2 \lambda_{21} \quad \text{on } \Gamma \dots (4)$$

Resulting interface FETI-2LM problem:

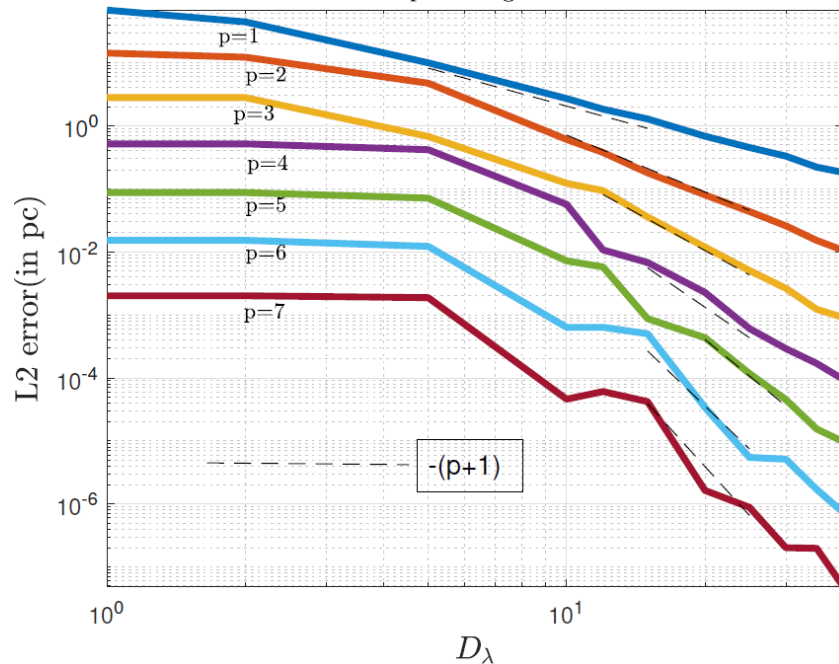
$$\lambda_{12} + \lambda_{21} = i \left(\frac{k_1}{\rho_1} + \frac{k_2}{\rho_2} \right) p_1 \quad \text{on } \Gamma \dots (5)$$

$$\lambda_{12} + \lambda_{21} = i \left(\frac{k_1}{\rho_1} + \frac{k_2}{\rho_2} \right) p_2 \quad \text{on } \Gamma \dots (6)$$

Discretization : Higher order FEM
ORTHODIR to solve the iterative system.



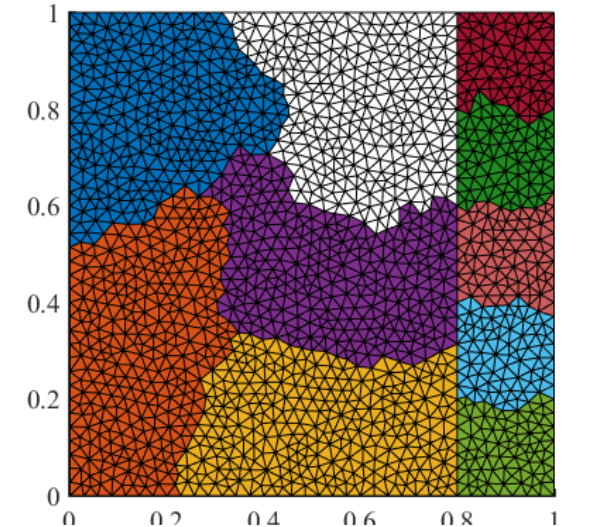
Case 1: Plane wave propagation



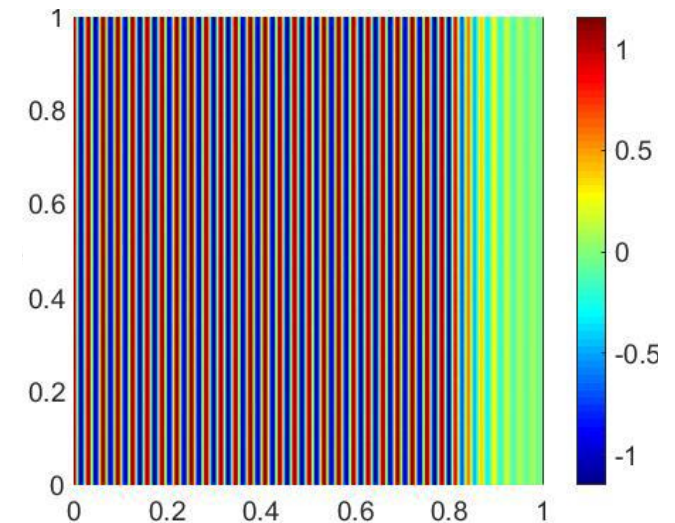
h - p convergence in 1D using p-FEM

- L_2 – norm error converges as $D_\lambda^{-(p+1)}$.
- Scalability tests (w.r.t. iteration count) showed **better** performance for FETI-2LM compared to FETI-H. **No preconditioner used.**

Case 2: Kundt's tube test case



5 partitions each in fluid 1 and 2

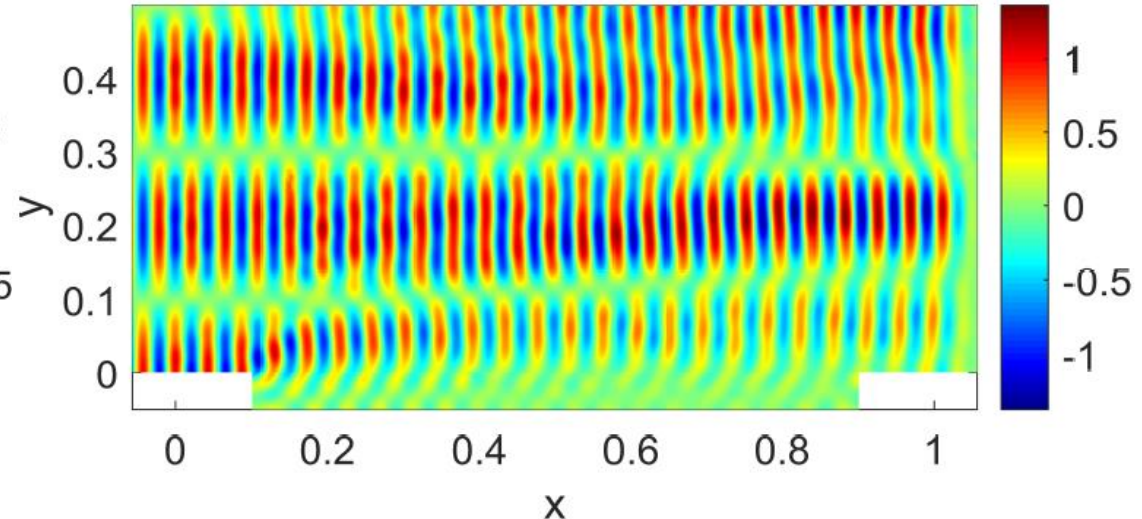
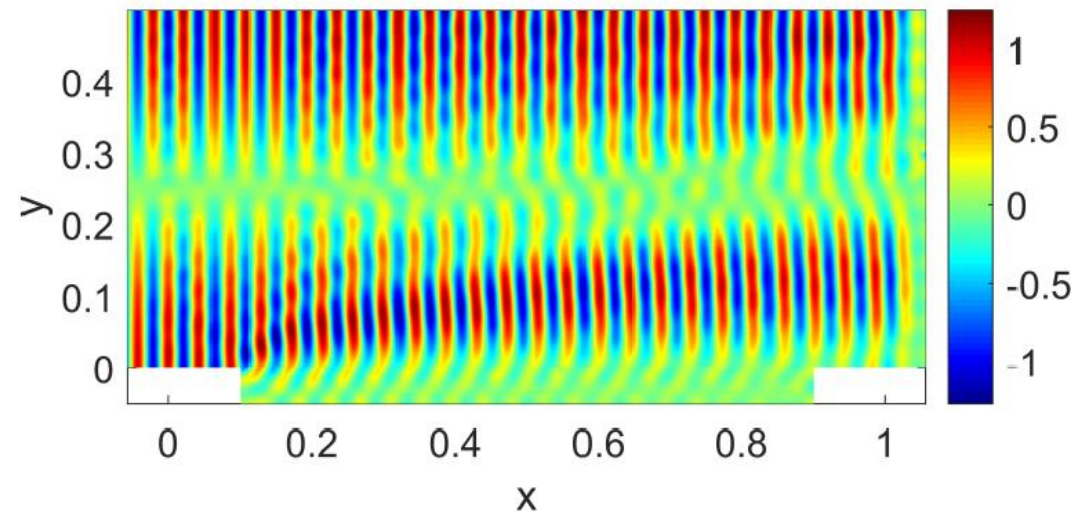
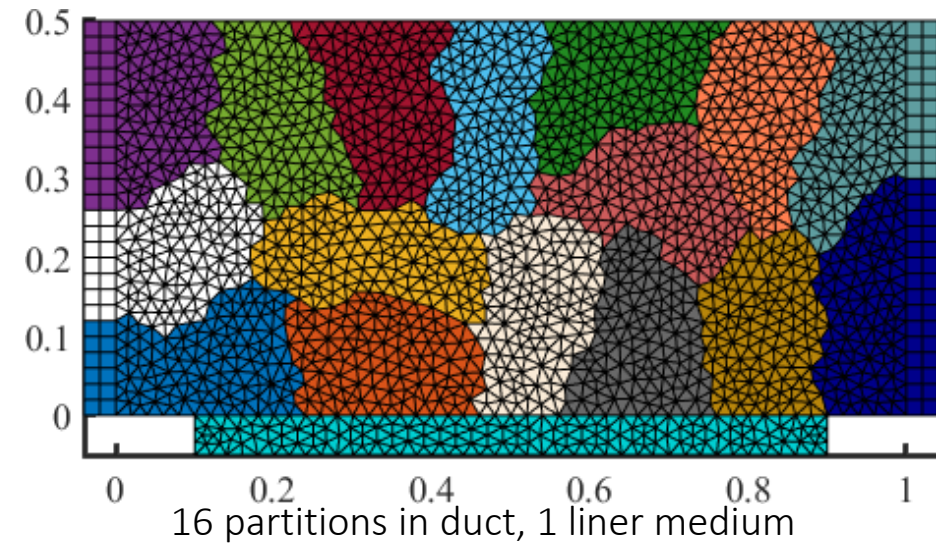


Pressure field at 7.7kHz for a plane wave

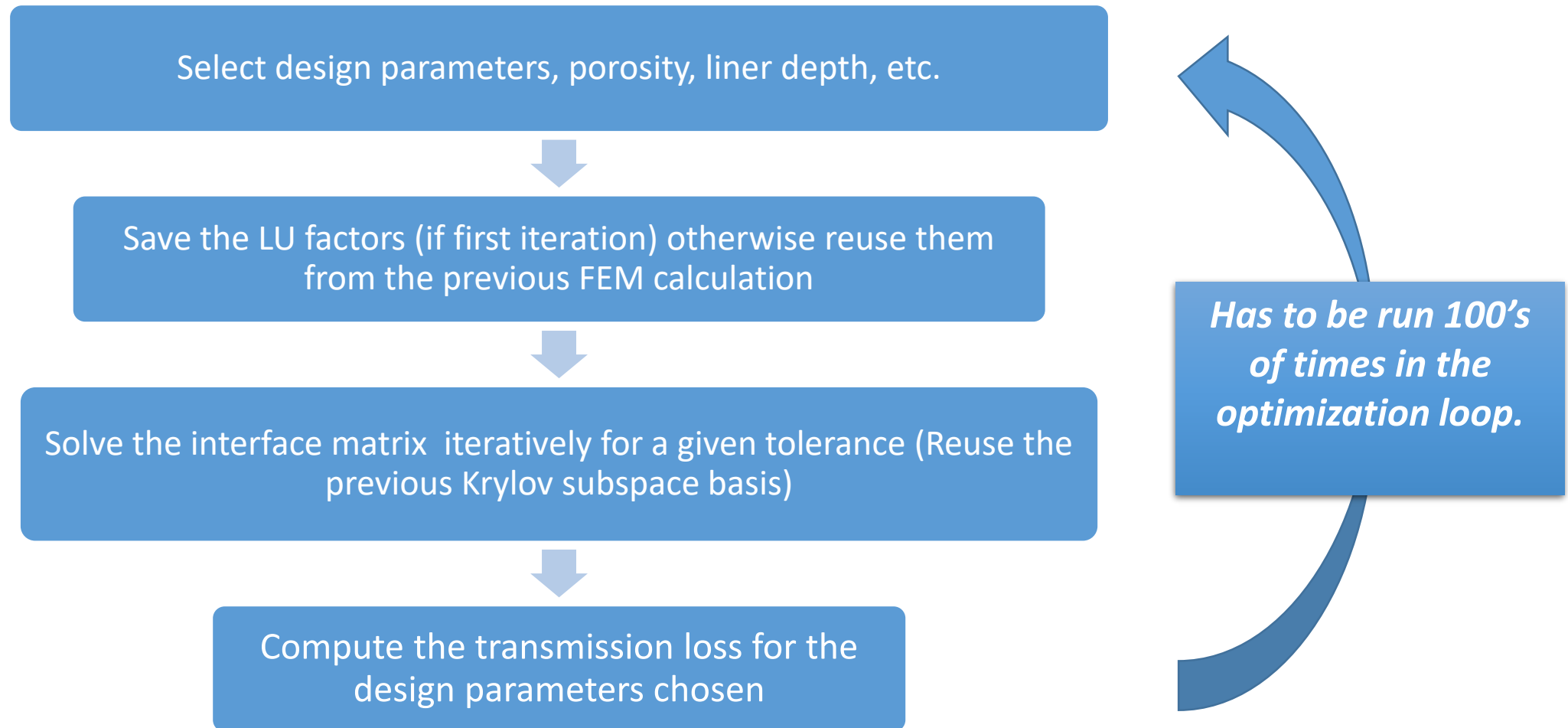
Case 3:Duct-Liner Test case



Simplified
Geometry
in 2D

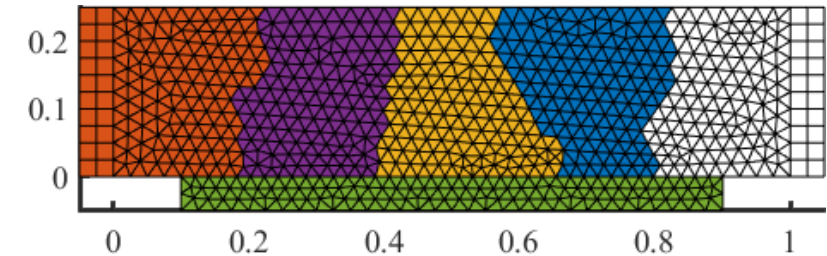


Proposed workflow at a particular frequency

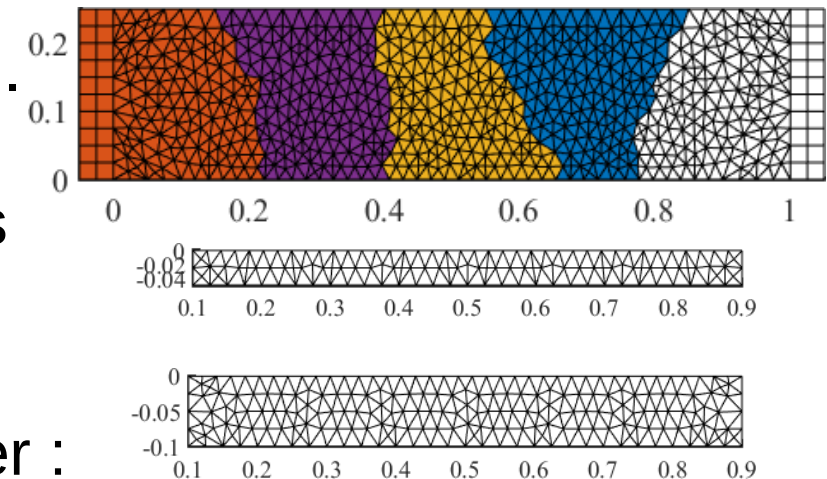


- This new optimized workflow has been verified for this simple geometry.
- The results from case 1 and case 2 are accurate up to machine precision.
- Drastic reductions in the CPU cost observed.
- Recycling the vectors reduced the iterations cost by a factor of 2.
- The range of parameters chosen for the liner :
 $d = 5 - 10 \text{ cm}$
 $\phi = 2e^3 \text{ to } 5e^4 \frac{Ns}{m^4}$

Case 1: Classical way



Case 2: Proposed methodology

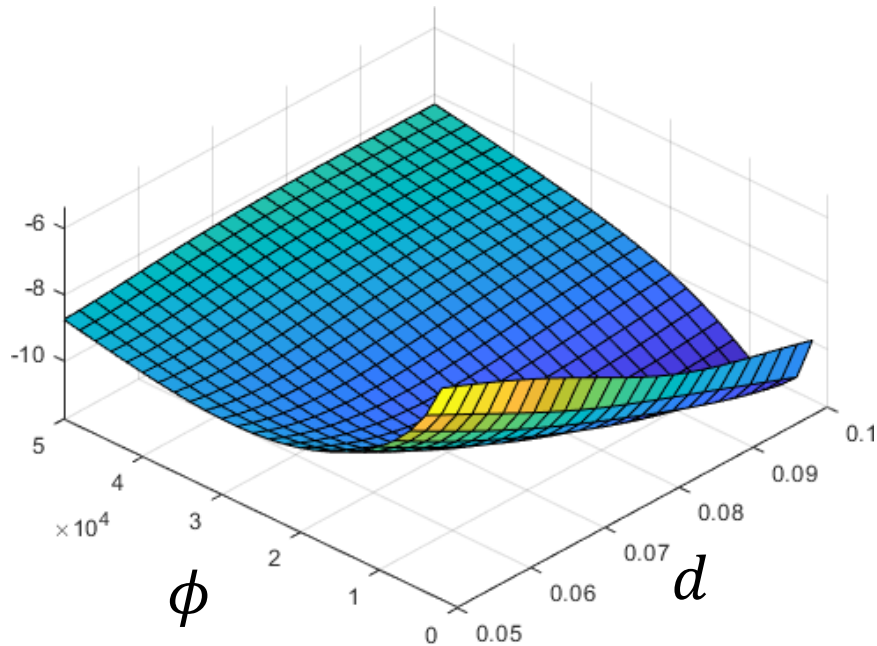


Liner 1: $d = 5 \text{ cm}$, $\phi = 2e^3 \frac{Ns}{m^4}$

Liner 2: $d = 10 \text{ cm}$, $\phi = 5e^4 \frac{Ns}{m^4}$

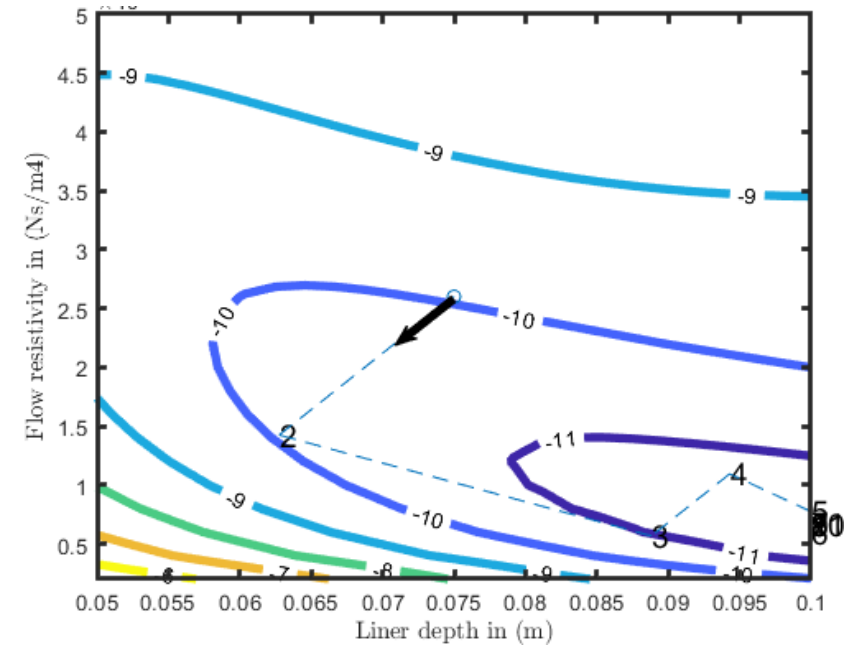
Preliminary results

1kHz, first mode optimization



Results from manual scan of the design space

- T.L. = 11.77 dB for 10cm, $6572 \frac{Ns}{m^4}$
- **Matlab** optimization toolbox “fmincon” is used.
- Since there is only one minima, the fmincon converges irrespective of initial guess.
- The higher the liner depth, better is the attenuation in general.



Results from “fmincon” for optimization

Conclusion

- The **FETI-2LM DDM** was found to be more efficient in the absence of a global preconditioner.
- The optimization workflow has been implemented and verified in 2D in the case of no flow.
- Automatic local optimization tools have been tested for simplified geometries in 2D.
- The savings in the LU factor provide **drastic reductions** in **CPU costs**.
- The current recycling strategies **reduce the number of iterations** by 50%.

- More efficient recycling strategies to improve the performance of the proposed workflow.
- Extend the current workflow including mean flow effects in 3D.
- Application to a realistic test case using optimization tools in 3D.
- **Generic and a black box tool, easy to use** which can be integrated in any optimization workflow.

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Fan Proximity Liner Modelling

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Fan Proximity Liners (FPL)

Over-the-rotor

Fan case

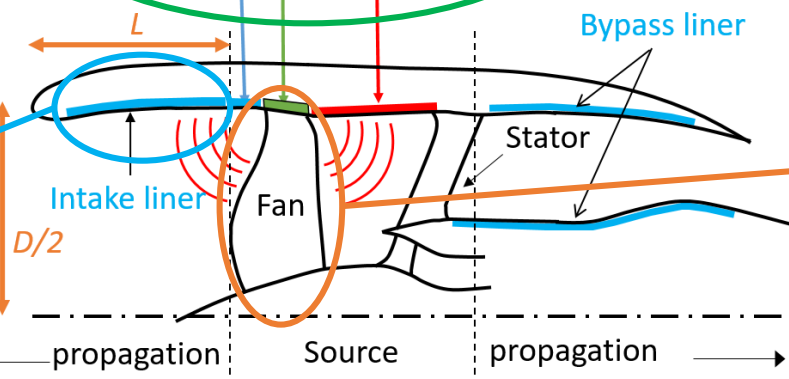
Interstage

Bypass liner

Intake liner

Fan

Stator



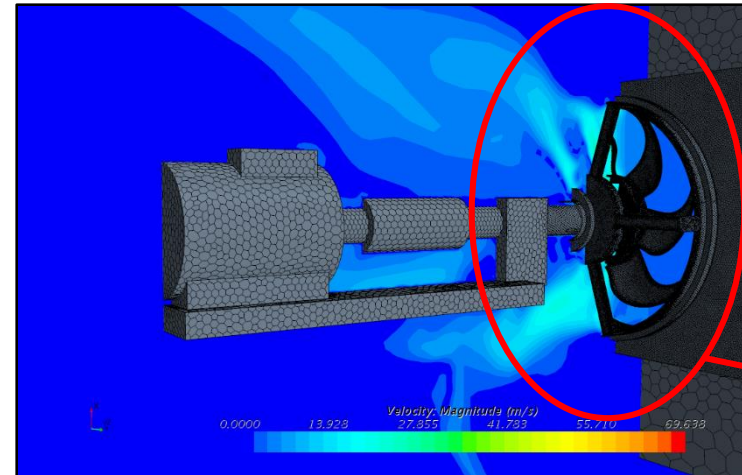
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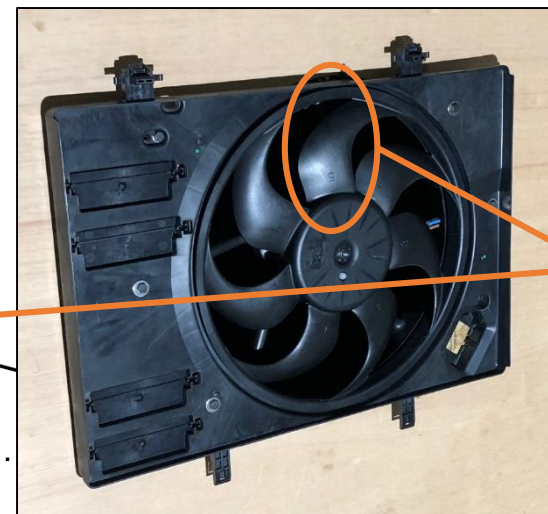
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Low-Speed Cooling Fan Noise Modelling

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Smart Mitigation of flow-induced Acoustic Radiation and
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- Hybrid Methods
- Validation of Hybrid solver
- Adjoint Methods
- Continuous Adjoint formulation
- Background
- Optimization results
- Next Steps

The overall acoustic problem is broken down into a set of coupled sub-problems, addressed using a numerical method that is customized to the dominant physics occurring at this stage.

- Development of a CAA tool based on Ffowcs Williams & Hawkings (FW-H) analogy and coupling with a GPU-enabled compressible CFD solver .
- Development of the (continuous) adjoint to the coupled CFD-CAA model.

FW-H analogy
(permeable version)

$$H(f)c_o^2\rho'(\mathbf{y},\omega)=-\oint_{f=0}F_i(\xi,\omega)\frac{\partial G(\mathbf{y};\xi)}{\partial\xi_i}dl$$

$$-\oint_{f=0}i\omega Q(\xi,\omega)G(\mathbf{y};\xi)dl$$

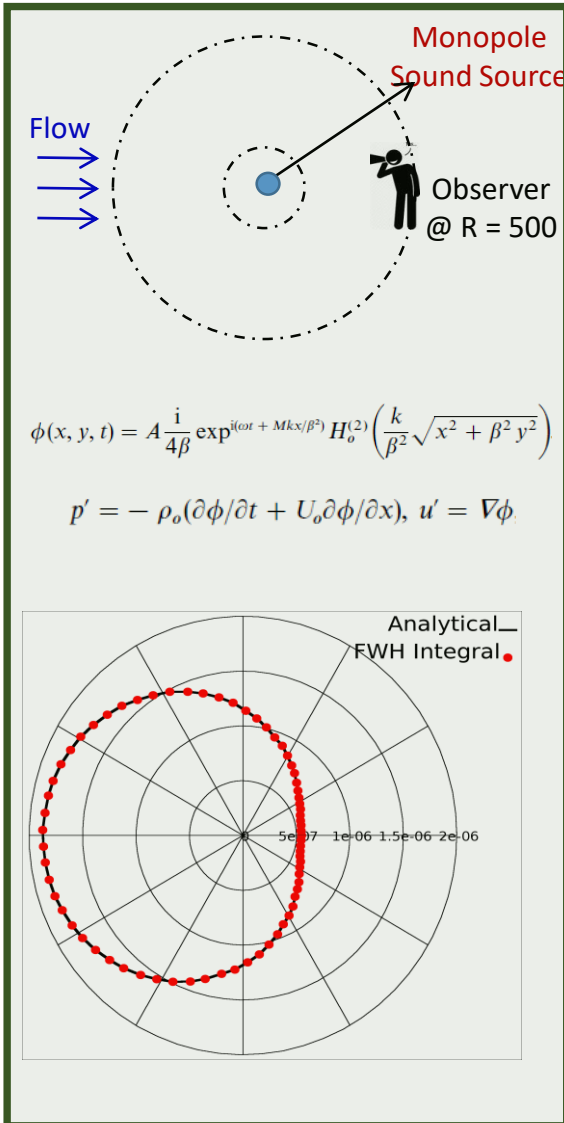
$$-\int_{f>0}T_{ij}(\xi,\omega)H(f)\frac{\partial^2 G(\mathbf{y};\xi)}{\partial\xi_i\partial\xi_j}d\xi.$$

$$F_i=(P_{ij}+\rho u_i(u_j-v_j))\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i}$$

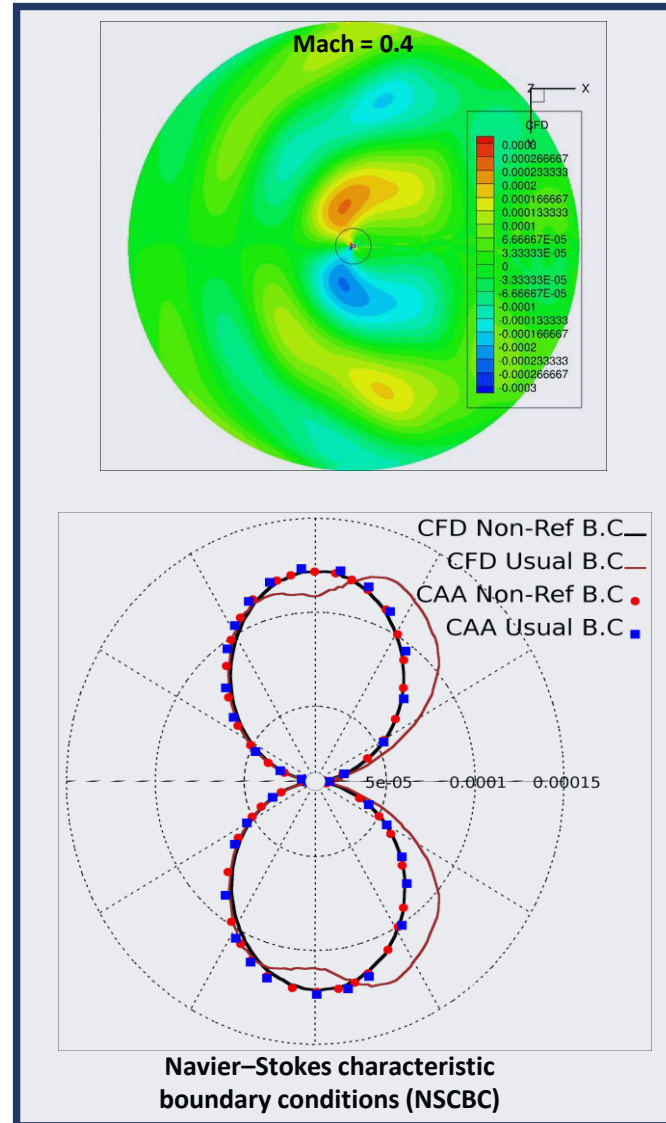
$$Q_i=(p_o v_i+\rho(u_i-v_i))\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i}$$

$$T_{ij}=\rho u_i u_j+P_{ij}-c_o^2\rho'\delta_{ij},$$

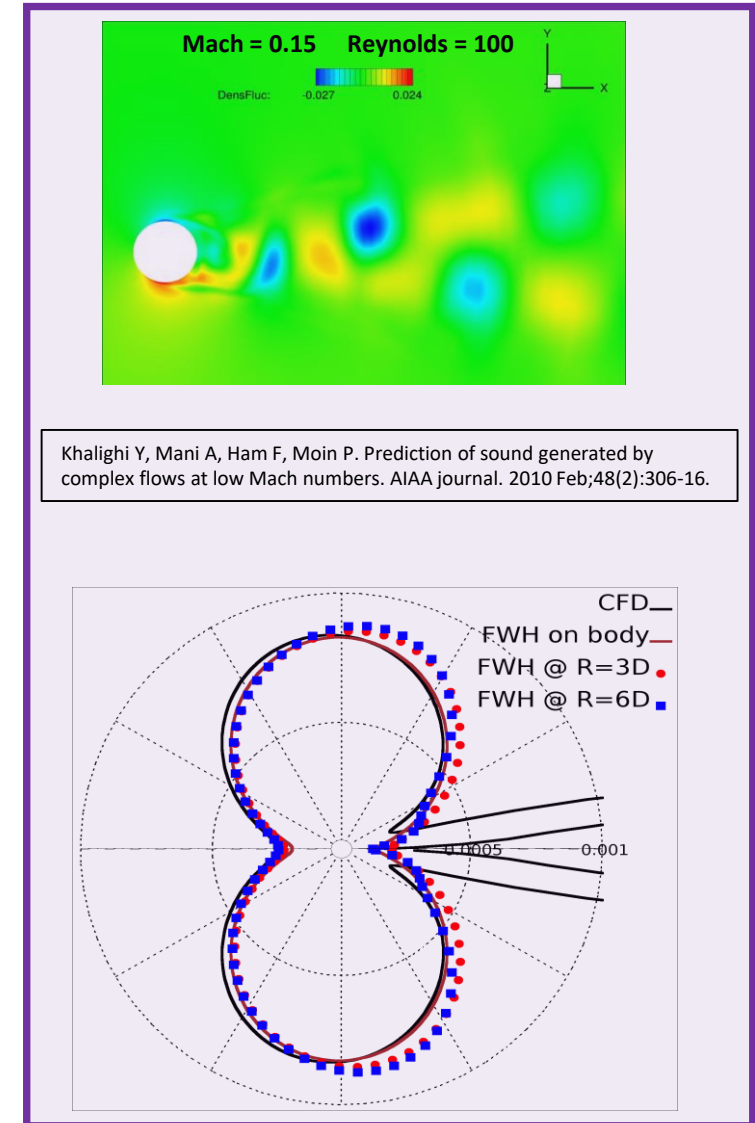
Monopole in flow



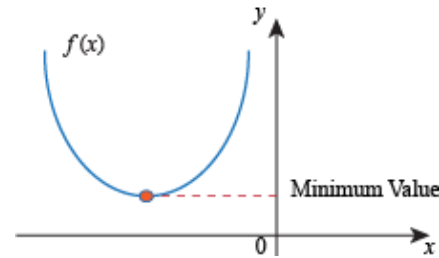
Pitching Airfoil NACA12 in inviscid fluid



Laminar Vortex shedding Cylinder



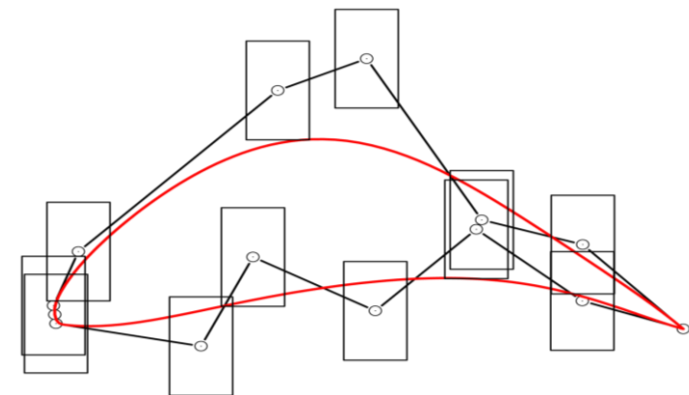
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- Find the minimum of $f(x)$.
- But, analytic expressions are not known in the computational world !!
- To optimize an Objective Function with respect to a Design Variable we need the gradient.
- Efficiency of GBMs depends on the method used to compute objective function (J) gradients.
- Finite Difference method:

$$\frac{\delta J(b)}{\delta b_n} = \frac{J(b_1, \dots, b_n + \varepsilon, \dots, b_N) - J(b_1, \dots, b_n - \varepsilon, \dots, b_N)}{2\varepsilon}$$

$2 \times N$ RUN!!!



- Adjoint methods can tell you from a single run how you should change a geometry to improve it, independent from the number of design variables.

- Continuous adjoint formulation:

Primal equation : $\vec{R}(\vec{u}, \vec{b}) = 0$

Objective function : $J(\vec{u}, \vec{b})$

$$J_{aug} = J + \int_{\Omega} \vec{\psi} \vec{R} \, d\Omega \quad \xrightarrow{\text{Differentiation}} \quad \frac{\delta J_{Aug}}{\delta b_n} = \int_{\Omega} \left[(\dots) \frac{\partial \vec{u}}{\partial b_n} + (\dots) \right] d\Omega$$

Adjoint equation

Adjoint B.C & Sensitivities

- Field adjoint equations, their boundary conditions and the final expression of the gradients (sensitivity derivative) are derived by differentiating the augmented function
- Adjoint solves backward in time (saving result in unsteady problems).

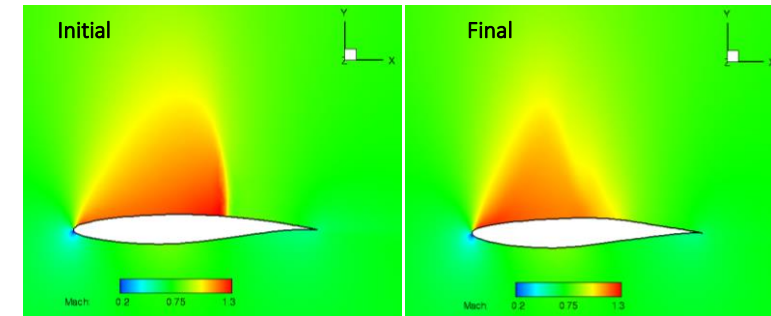
- Adjoint methods are Widely used in aerodynamic shape optimization.
- relatively new in the field of aeroacoustic optimization .

▪ Discrete Adjoint using Algorithmic Differentiation

- Rumpfkeil et al (2010). **URANS/FW-H** -(blunt trailing edge in turbulent flow).
- Zhou et al (2015 - now). **URANS/FW-H**-(nviscid pitching airfoil, laminar and turbulent vortex shedding cylinder, rod airfoil, jet flap interaction noise).
- Zhou et al (2019). **RANS-SNG**(Direct method, broadband noise minimization).

▪ Continuous Adjoint

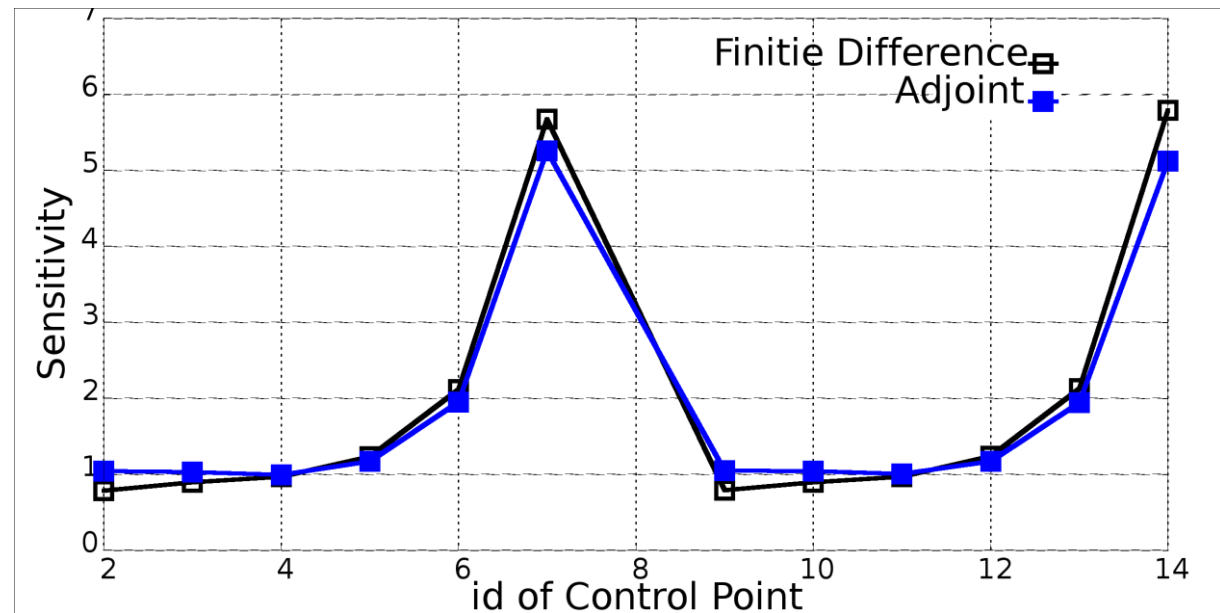
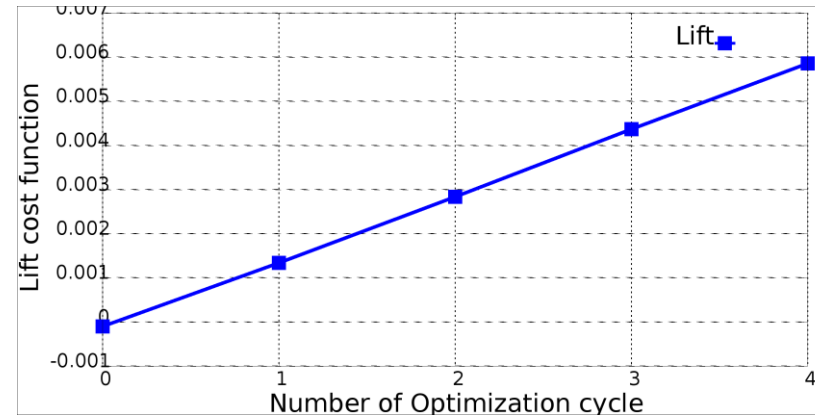
- Economon et al (2012). FW-H formulation in the wave equation form, solved using a FEM. Needs cumbersome derivations of new adjoint boundary conditions at the interface between the CFD and CAA. (inviscid pitching airfoil)
- NTUA (2015). Steady flow model was used and a turbulence-based surrogate objective functions-(side mirror).
- Kapellos. Incompressible flow models and the Kirchhoff integral.



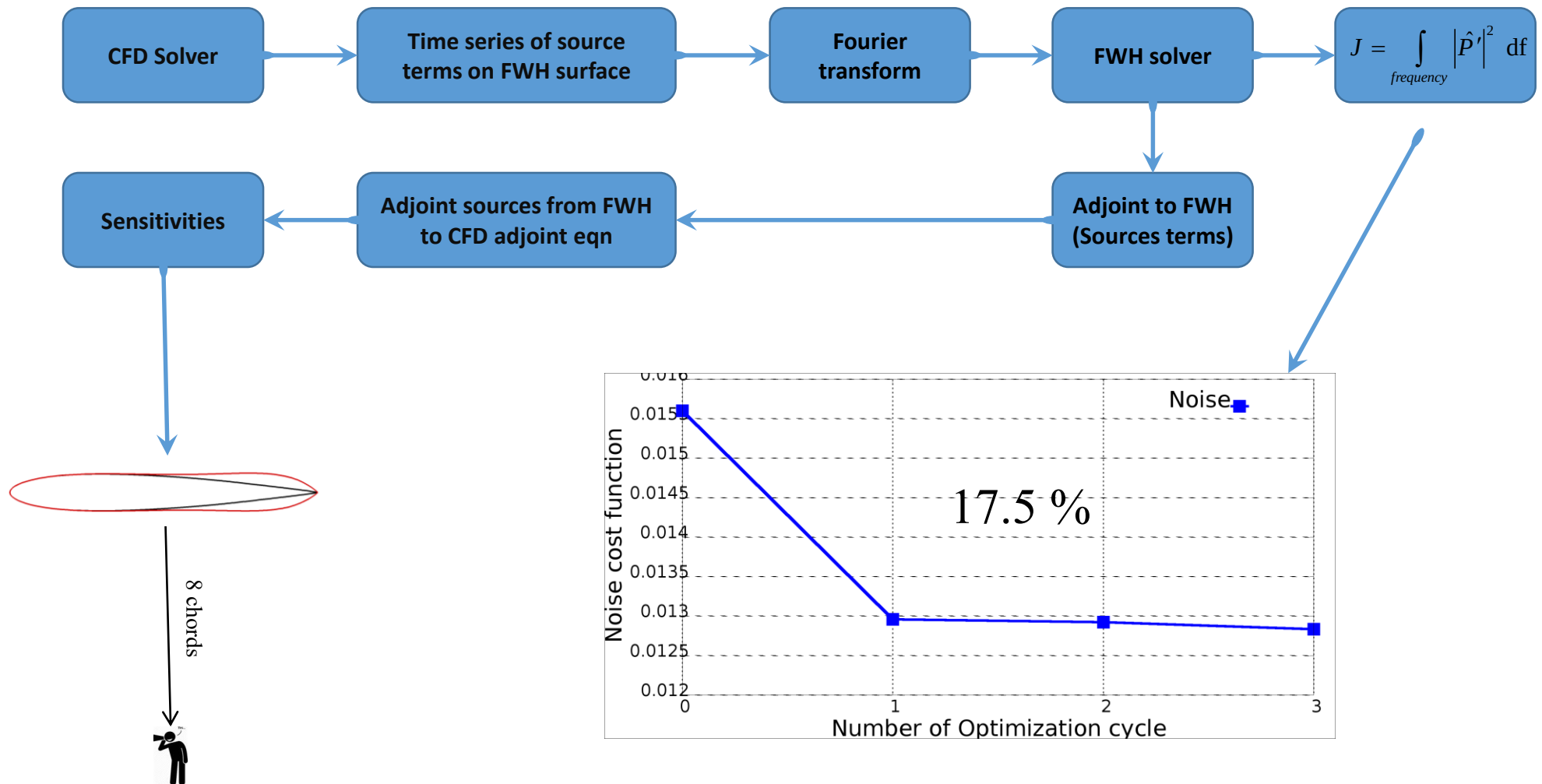
RAE airfoil, Drag minimization

Lift Optimization

- Mach = 0.6
- Amplitude = 2.44 degrees
- Mean angle of attack = 0
- Period = 0.114
- 40 time steps per period
- 2D
- Unstructured
- 51000 nodes
- 202 nodes on airfoil
- 201 nodes on far field

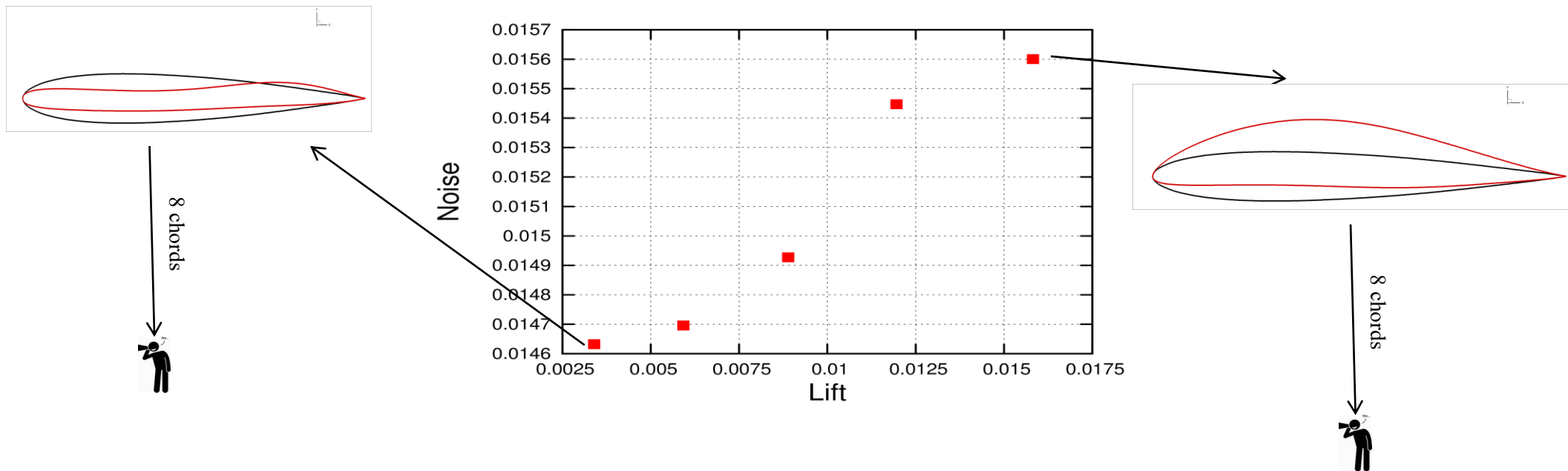


Noise Optimization



Noise Optimization

In-house software (EASY) – Evolutionary algorithm



Next Steps

- Validate the sensitivities for inviscid case.
- Including constraints.
- Run the code for the laminar vortex shedding cylinder.
- Inclusion of turbulent cases.

Overall conclusions

Low-Speed Cooling Fan Noise Modelling

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- A low-order prediction methodology has been applied to model the self-noise emitted by a low-speed cooling fan.

A generic, robust, easy to use tool for modeling liners in the initial design phase.

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- OTR analytical liner models can yield a peak PWL insertion loss of ~ 4 dB, with a significant broadband IL over a wide range of frequencies.

- A shape optimization frame-work for noise reduction based on the continuous adjoint method has been developed.

CFD-CAA analysis & optimization methods

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