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KHI Results with Hybrid Unstructured Grid

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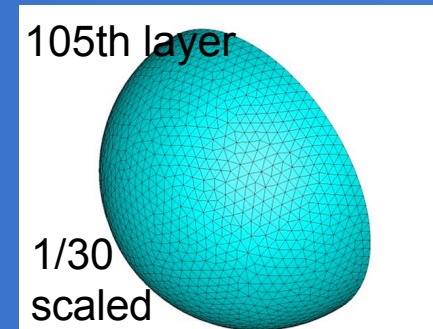
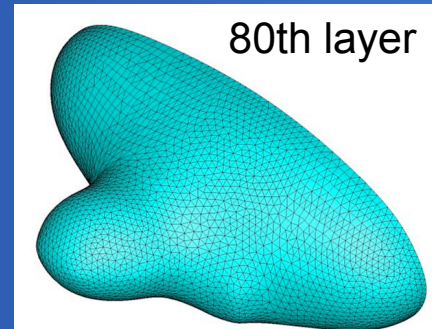
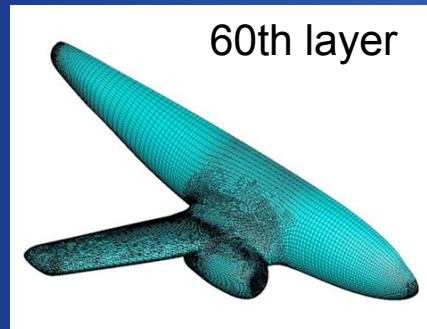
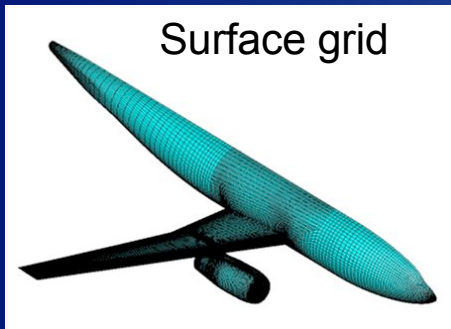
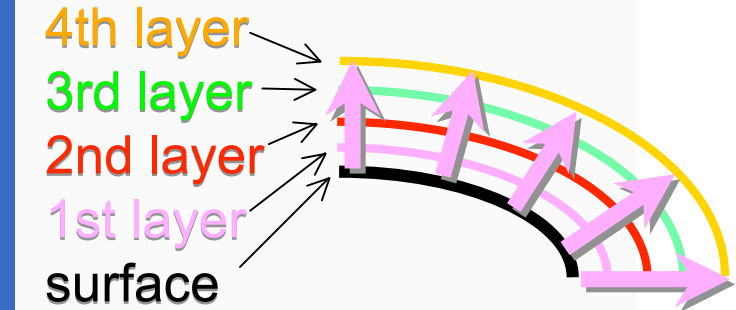
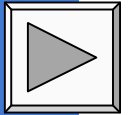


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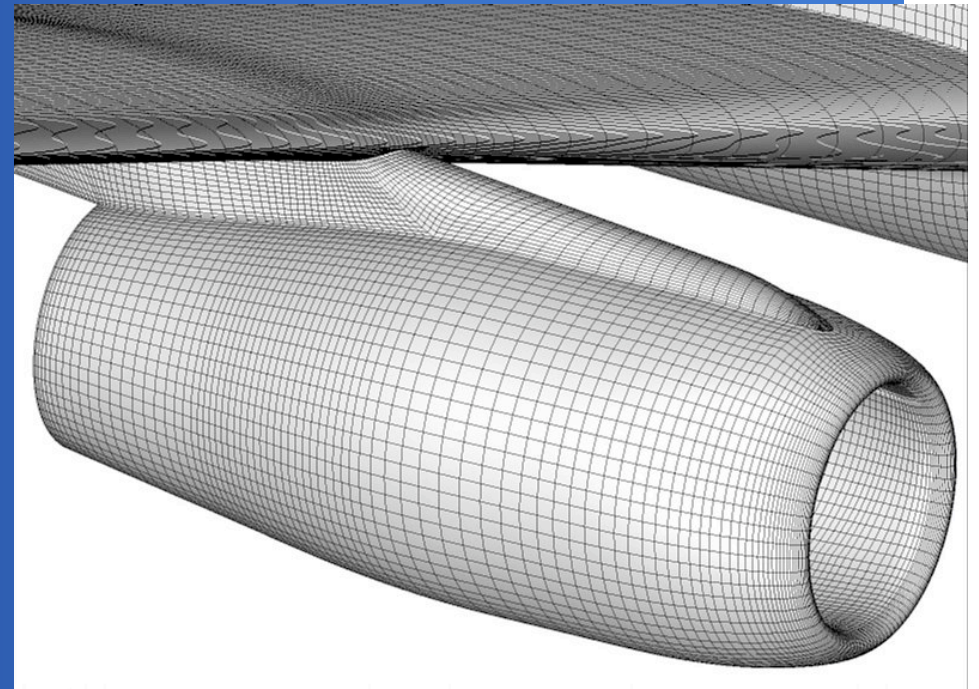
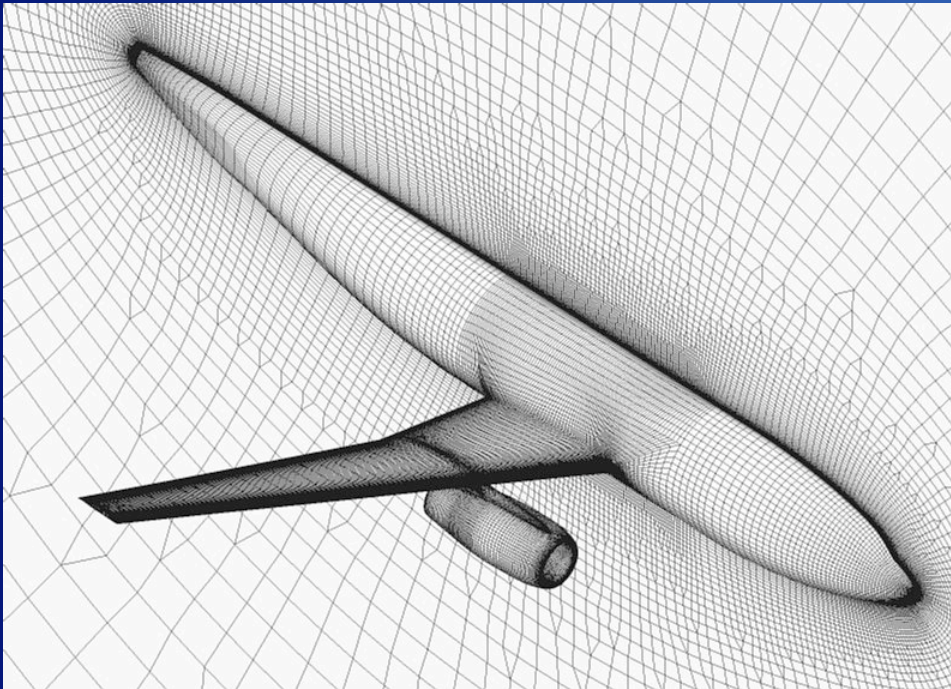
- Grid system
- Numerical method
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- Results
 - Wing-Body (WB) configuration
 - Wing-Body-Nacelle-Pylon (WBNP) configuration
- Summary

Grid generation process

- Hybrid unstructured volume grid
- CFD volume mesh is generated by KHI original code PUFGG (Pile-Up Forming Grid Generator)
- Piles up layers from surface mesh
- Applicable both viscous and inviscid flow
- For surface mesh, triangle, quadrilateral, or mixed cells can be used
- 1 hour to generate viscous mesh for WBNP

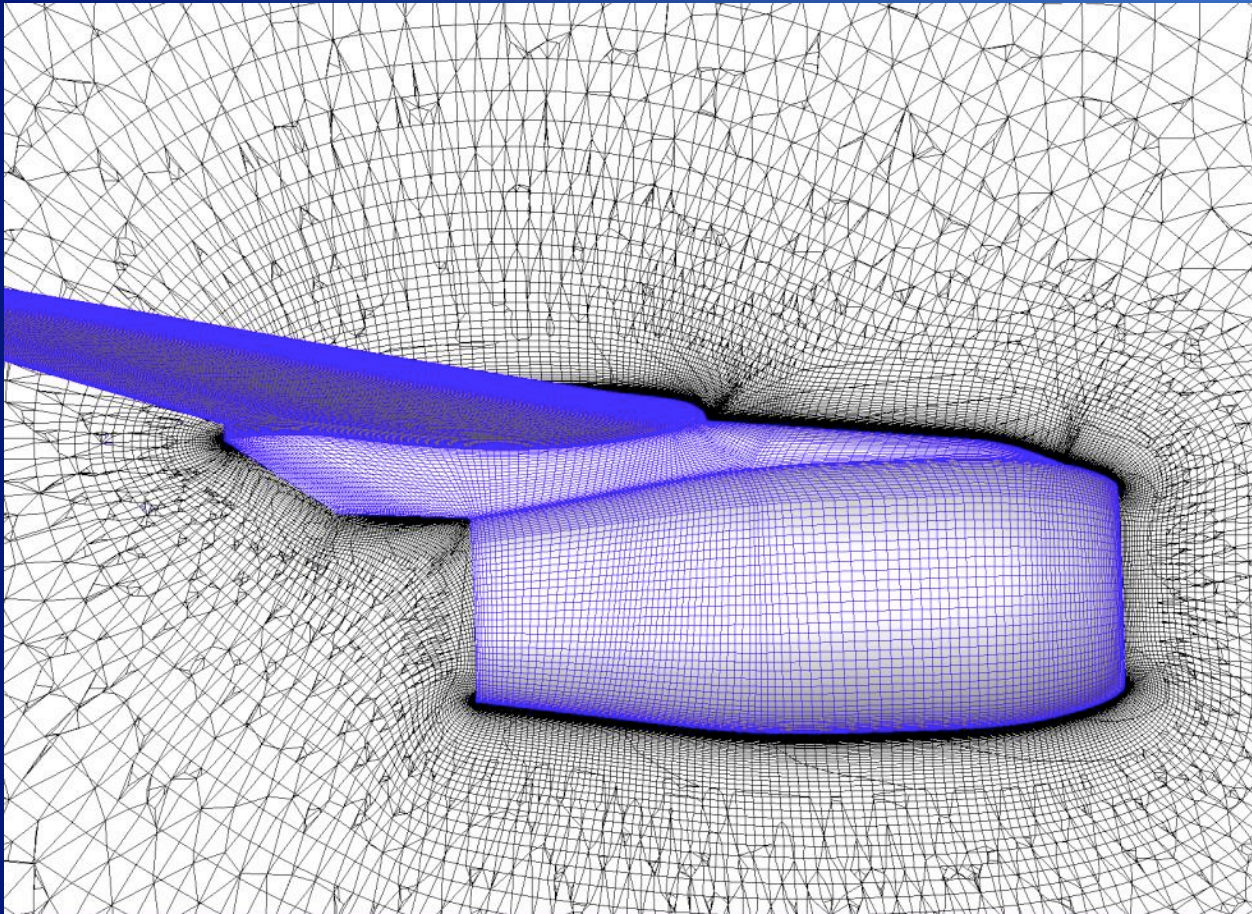


Surface Grid



- Medium density grid
- Surface mesh consists of 98% quadrilateral cells and 2% triangle cells
- Volume mesh consists of 78% hex, 16% prism, 3% pyramid, and 3% tetra cells

Cross section at nacelle

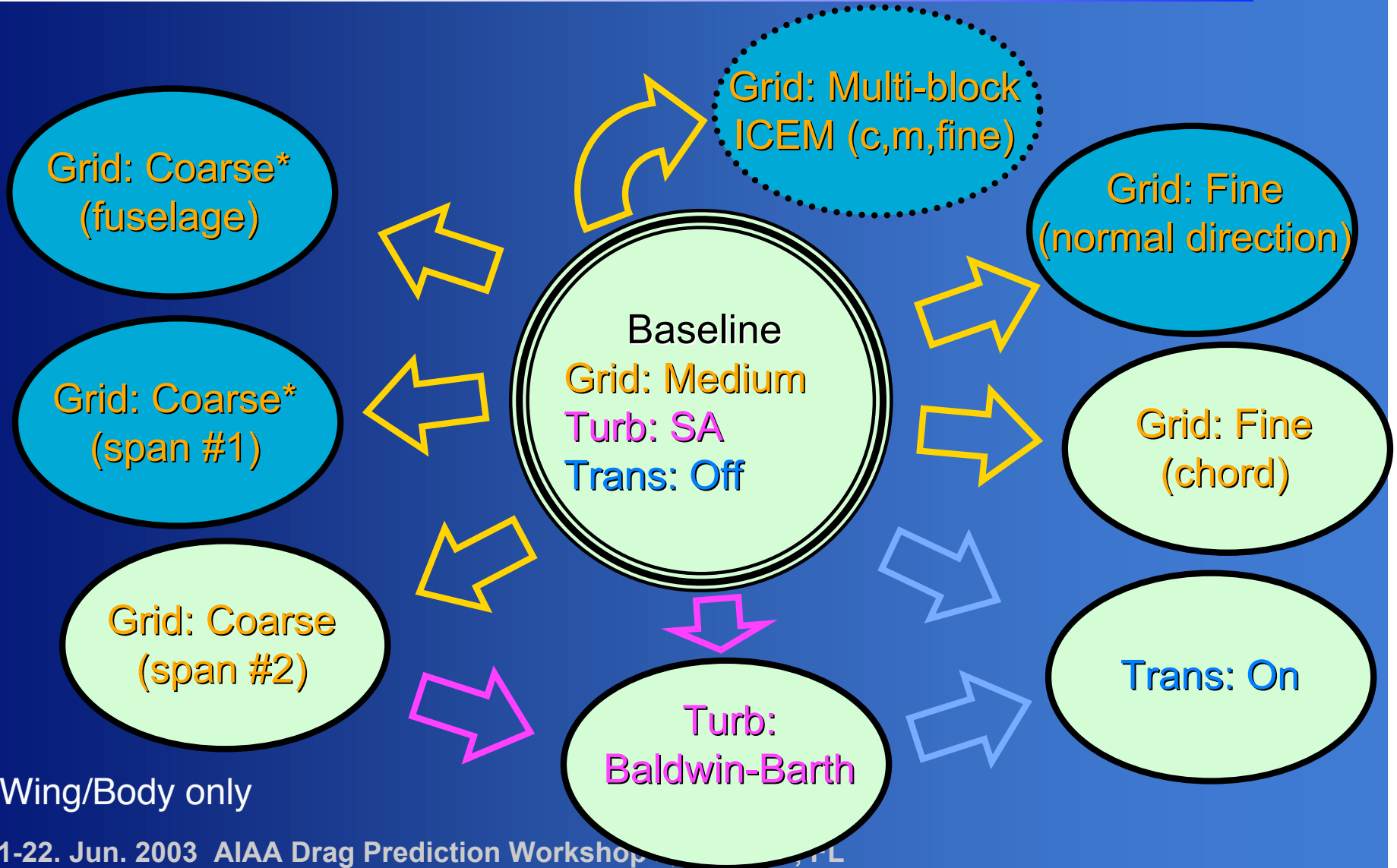


- Medium grid
- Black lines are cut volume grid lines at center of nacelle.
- Blue lines show surface mesh.
- Grid cells near body surface are similar to structured grid cells, because grid cells this region consist of hex cells.
- Far field grid keeps ordered structure, because grid cells mainly consist of prism cells.

Numerical Method UG3

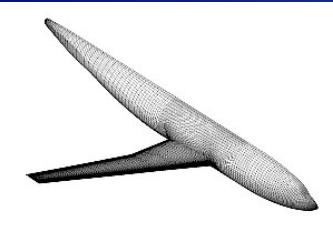
- Governing equations : Thin layer RANS equations
- Grid system: Hybrid unstructured grid
- Numerical scheme: Cell centered finite volume method
 - Spatial discretization : MUSCL+SHUS
 - Time integration : MFGS Implicit scheme
 - Turbulence modeling : Spalart-Allmaras (SA) model
Baldwin-Barth (BB) model

Computed Cases

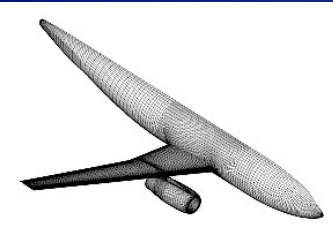


*:Wing/Body only

Grid size



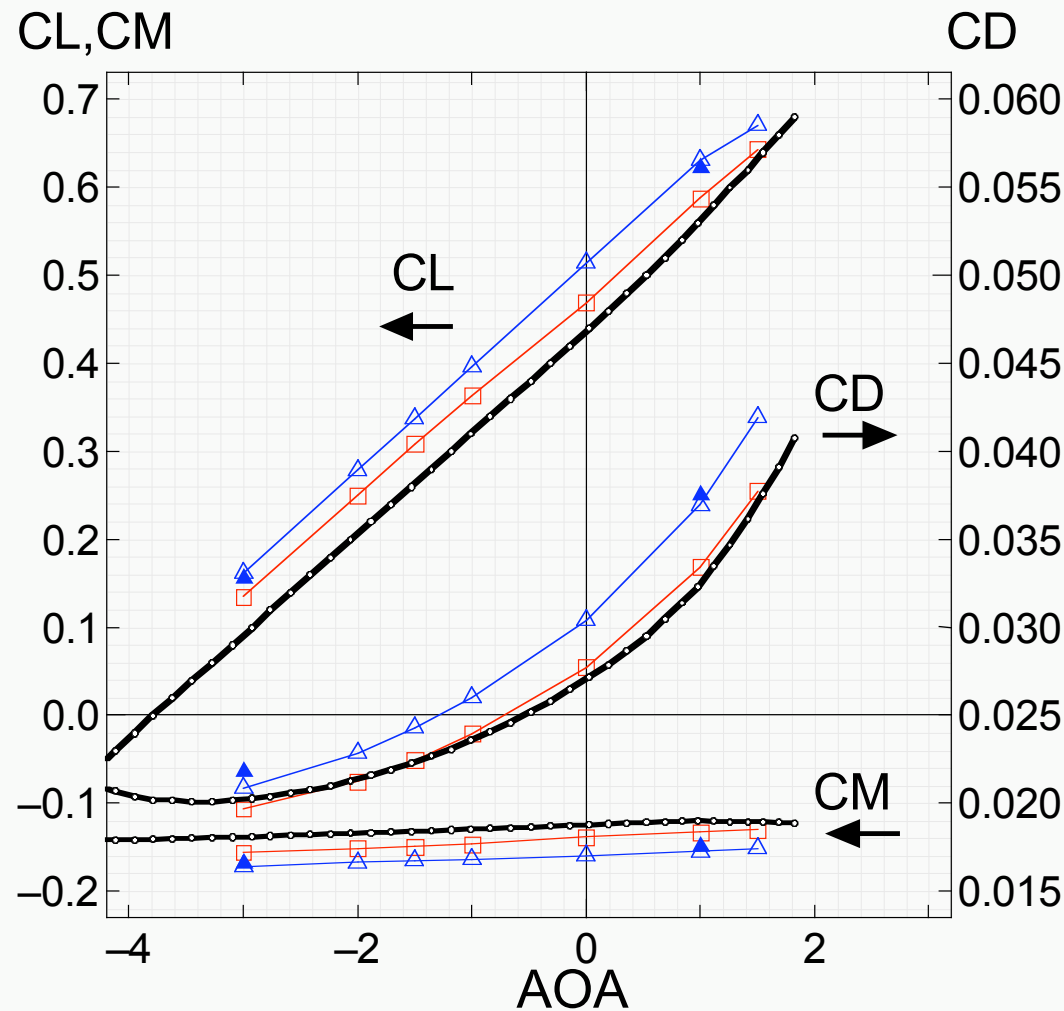
Wing/Body



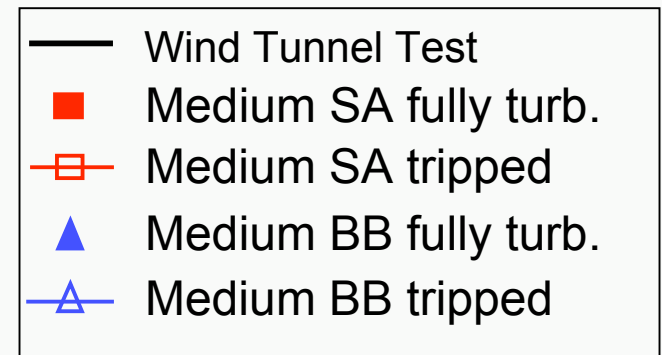
Wing/Body/
Nacelle/Pylon

| Grid size | Surface cells | Volume points | Volume cells |
|-----------|---------------|---------------|--------------|
| Coarse | 22k | 1.6M | 1.8M |
| Medium | 57k | 3.6M | 4.1M |
| Fine | 73k | 4.7M | 7.5M |
| Coarse | 49k | 2.8M | 3.3M |
| Medium | 105k | 5.9M | 6.7M |
| Fine | 160k | 8.6M | 9.5M |

Comparison of CL, CD, CM between SA and BB turbulence model for Wing-Body configuration



Calculation condition: Wing-Body, M=0.75

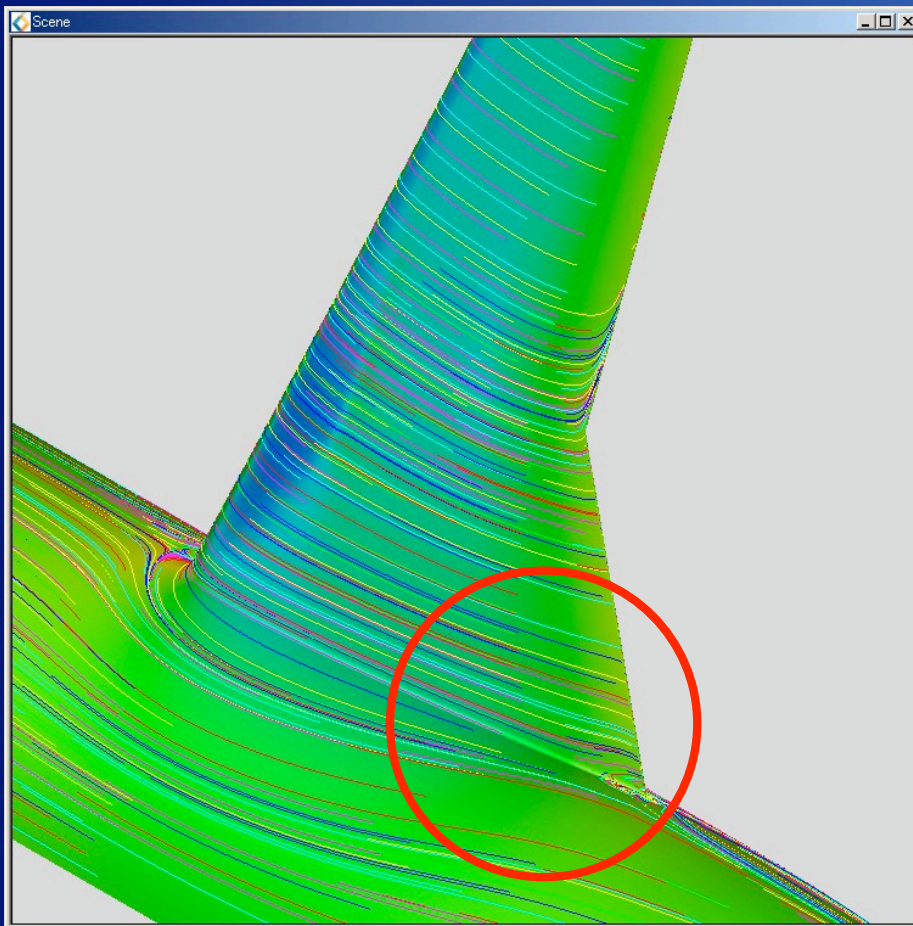


- Spalart-Allmaras (SA) turbulence model shows closer value to WTT, while Baldwin-Barth (BB) model shows large alpha shift.
- CL_{α} slope computed by BB model is in good agreement with WTT result
- CL_{α} slope computed by SA model is slightly smaller value than WTT result.
- Transition effect:
 - Increase CL by approx. +0.02
 - Decrease CD by approx. 4 drag counts.
 - CL_{α} slope is nearly same

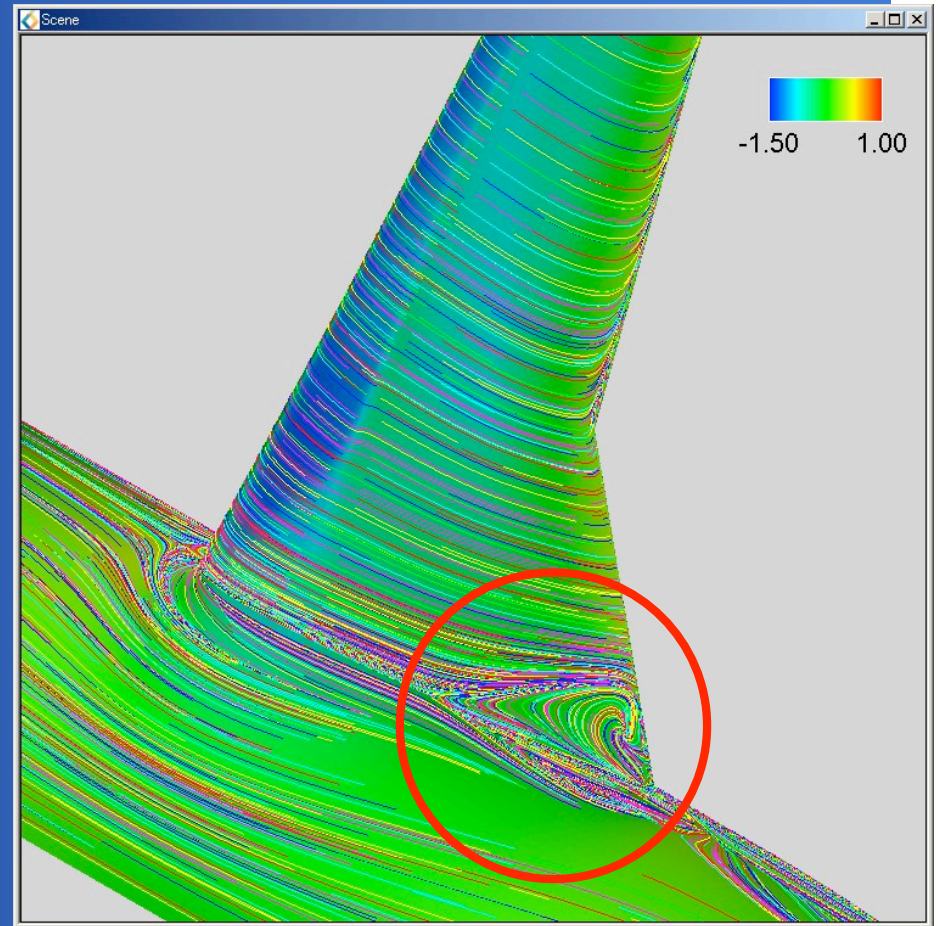
Surface mesh effect on separation vortex for Wing-Body configuration



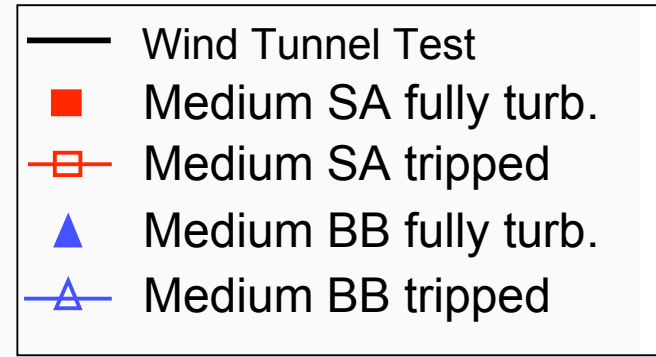
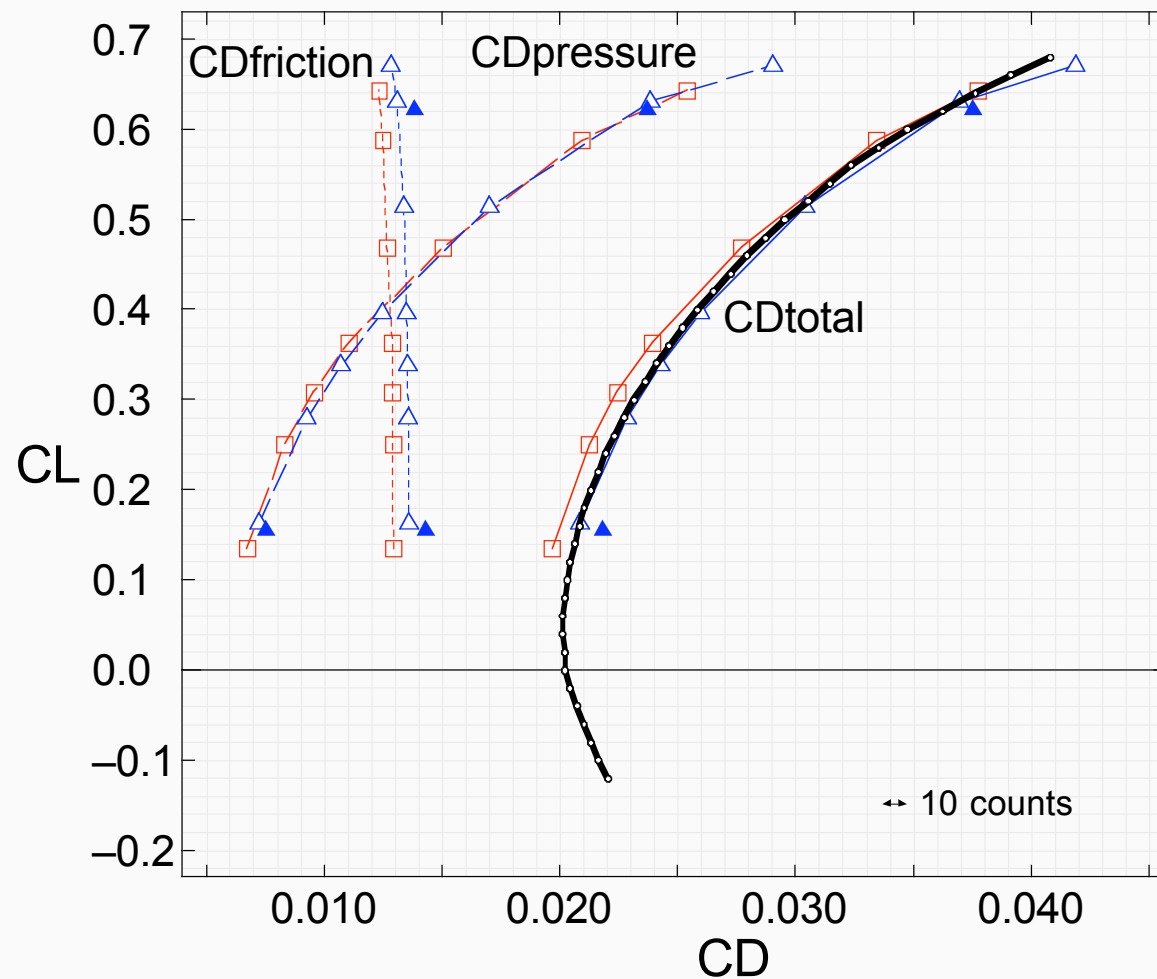
Coarse



Medium



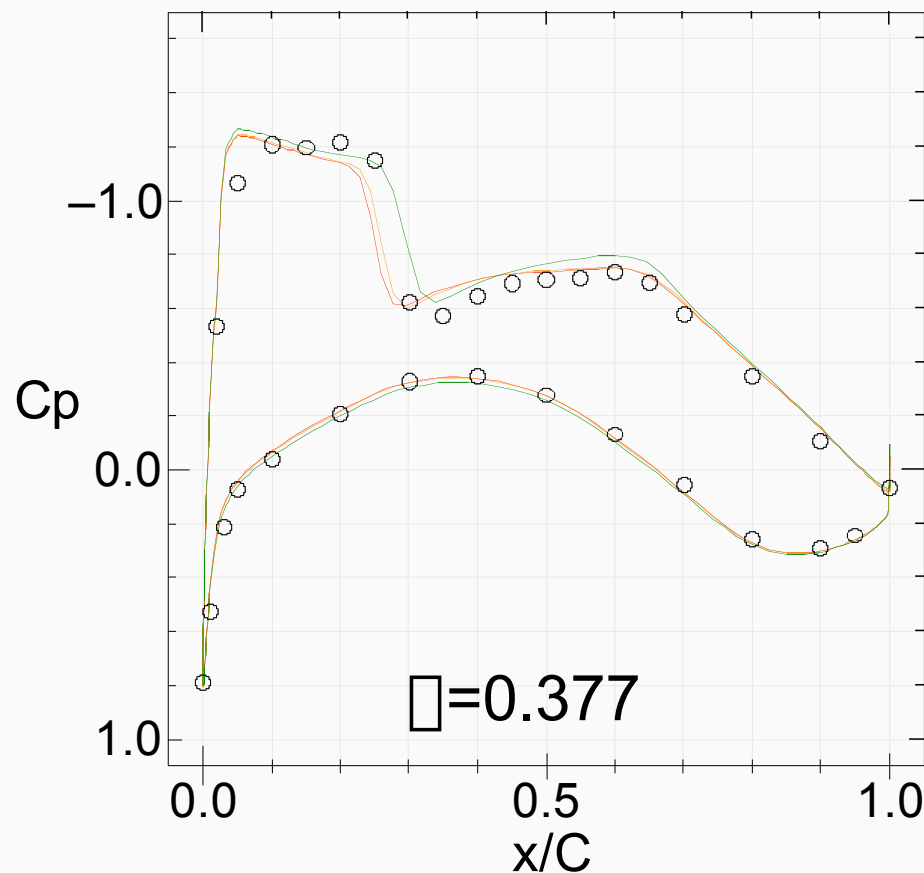
Comparison of polar, C_{Df} , and C_{Dp} between SA and BB turbulence model for Wing-Body configuration



- Difference of polar curve between WTT and CFD is less than 10 counts
- Friction drag are nearly constant values regardless of lift values.
- SA model shows less friction drag than BB model about 7 counts.
- Pressure drag shows almost same value.
- Transition effect is just shift
 - Larger lift, smaller drag

Calculation condition: Wing-Body, $M=0.75$

Difference of span-wise grid density

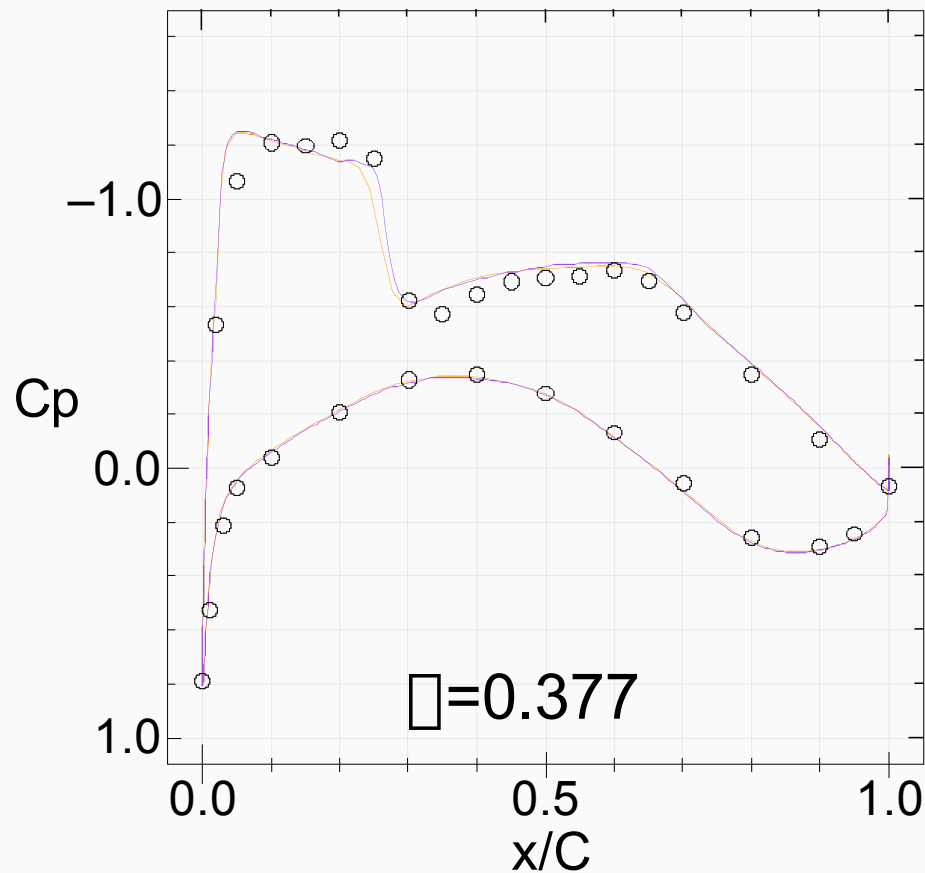


- 100x67 chord(one side) x span
- 100x93
- 200x121

- Shock location moves forward with increase of span-wise direction grid points.
- Shock location shift looks like converged at 121 points.
- 67 points grid results seems to be good results, however if transition is not applied in this calculation.

Calculation condition: Wing-Body, M=0.75, AOA=0.49, SA model, **fully turbulent**

Difference of Chord-wise grid density



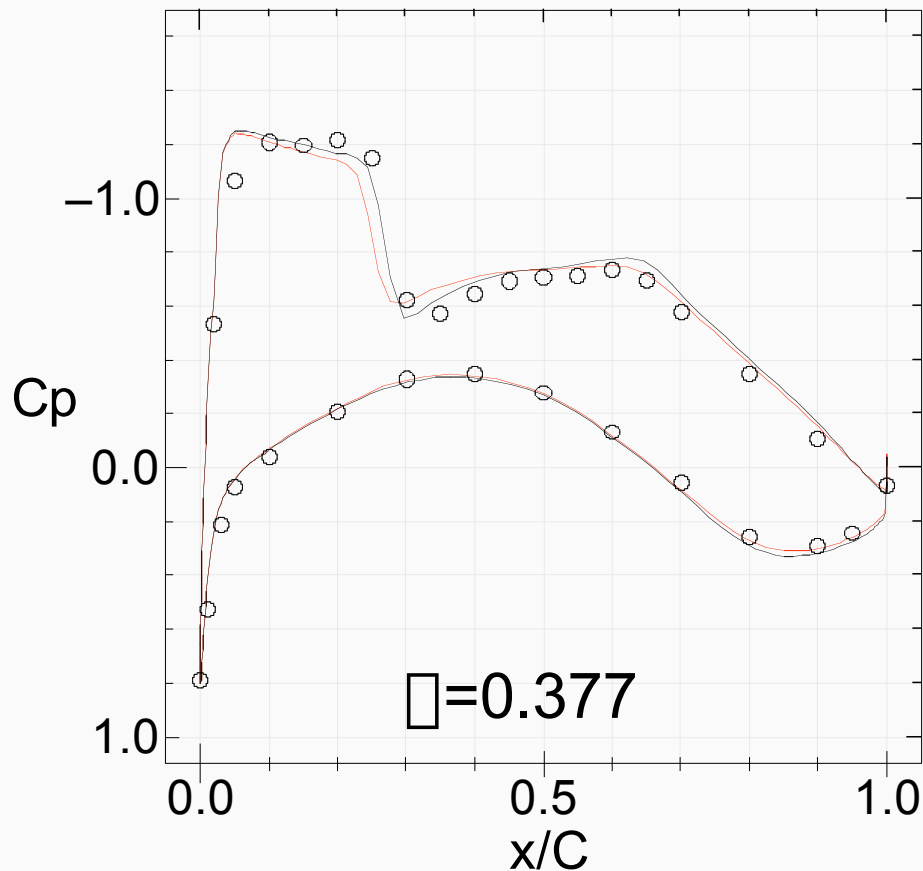
--- 100x93 chord(one side) x span
 --- 200x88

- Difference between two grid is small
- Shock is slightly steep in fine grid results.

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Transition effect



--- 100x121

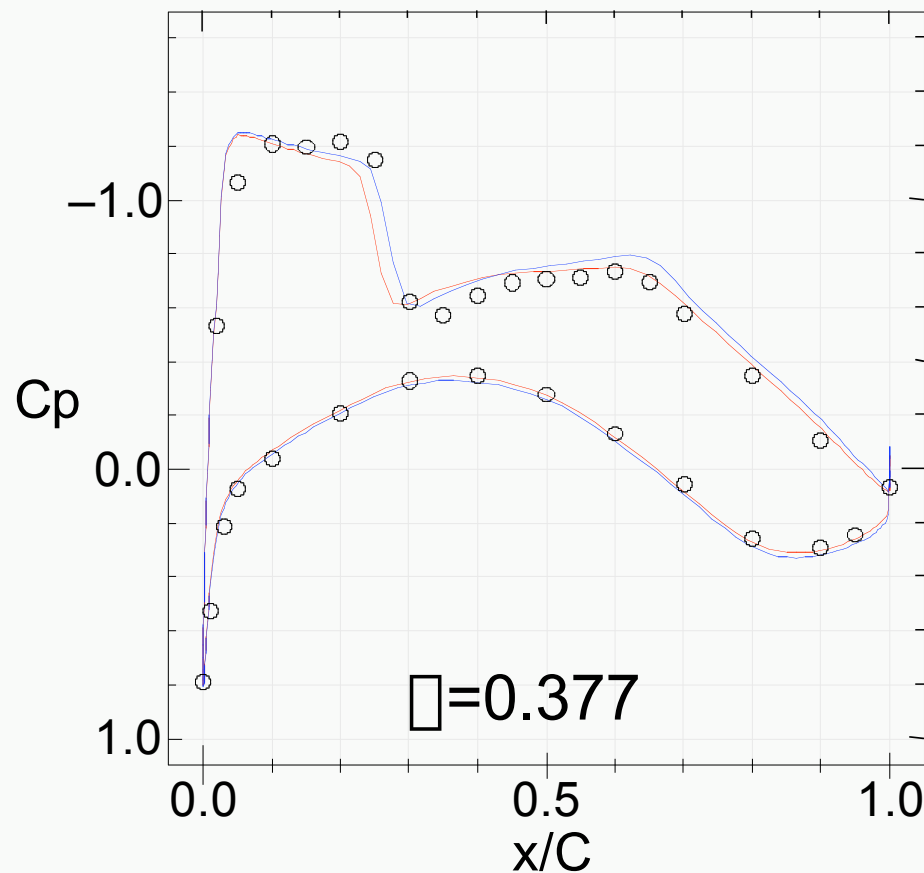
--- 100x121 (with transition)

- Transition effect:

- Shock location moves backward
- Shock intensity becomes strong
- Wave drag estimation should be affected.

Calculation condition: Wing-Body, $M=0.75$, $AOA=0.49$, SA model

Difference of turbulence model



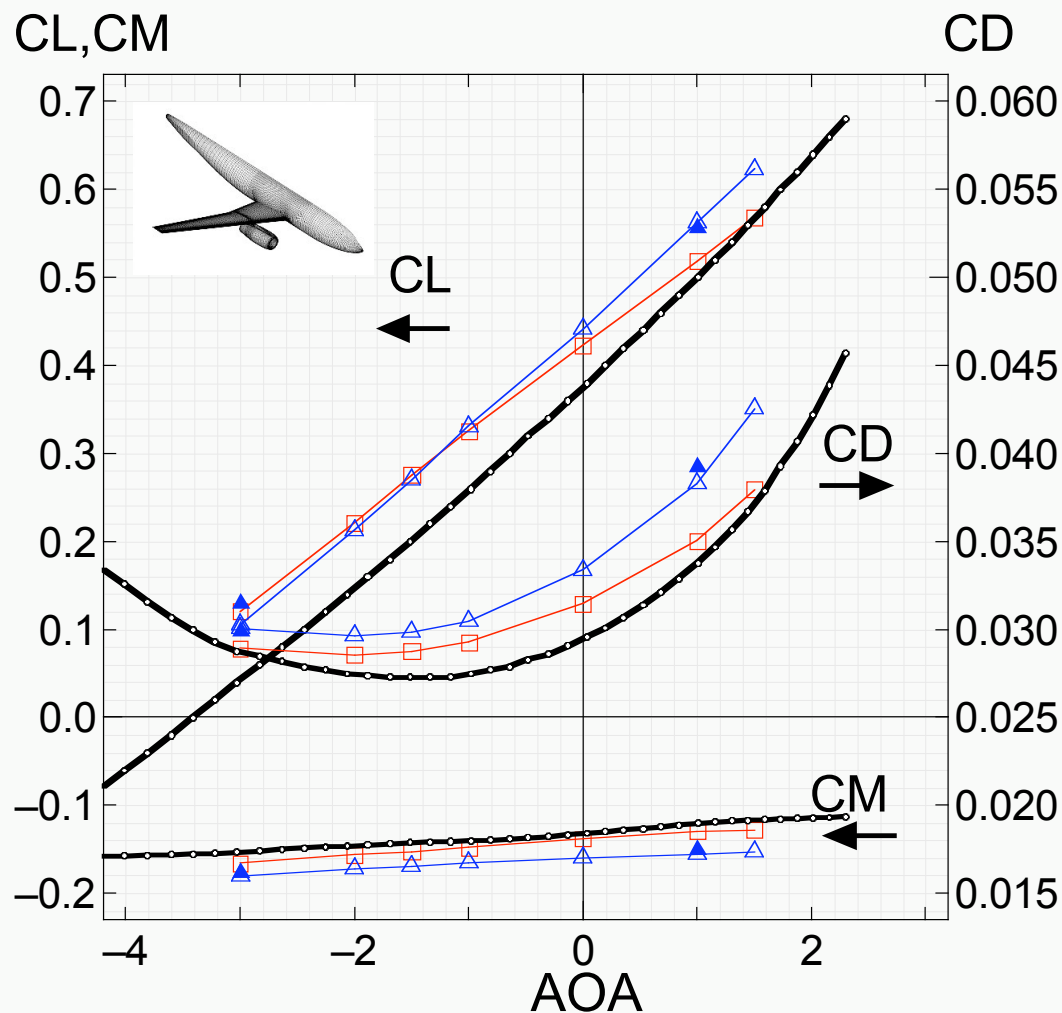
--- 100x121 (SA fully turbulent)

--- 100x121 (BB fully turbulent)

- SA shows forward shock location.
- BB shows larger lift.

Calculation condition: Wing-Body, $M=0.75$, $AOA=0.49$, fully turbulent

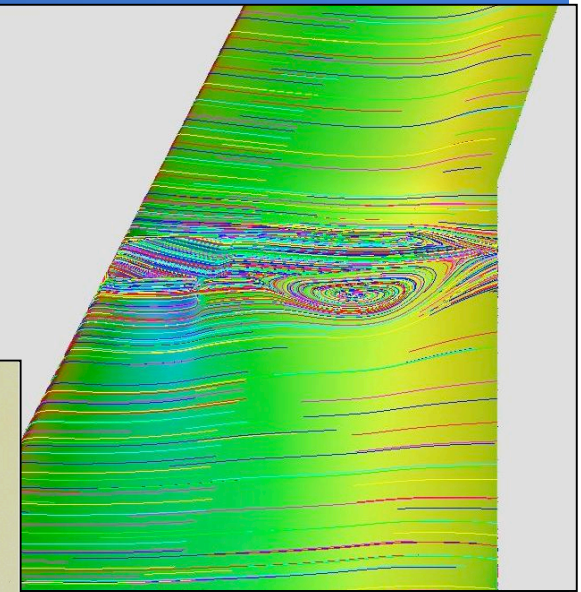
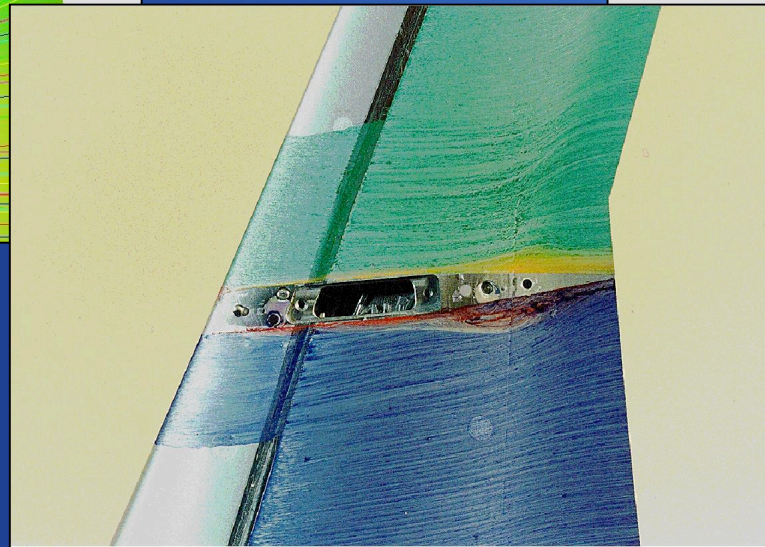
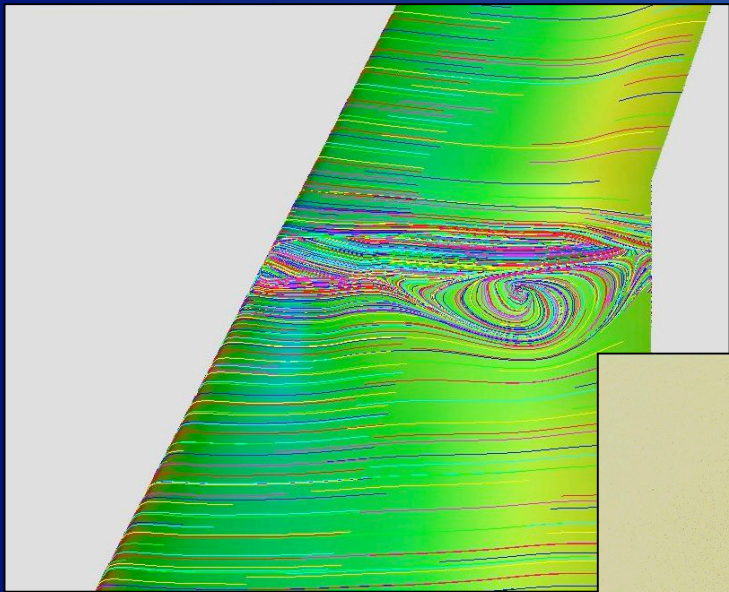
Comparison of CL, CD, CM between SA and BB turbulence model for Wing-Body-Nacelle-Pylon



- Different with WB case, CL- α slope by SA is considerably small compared to WTT result.
- CL- α slope by BB is still in good agreement with WTT result
- CDmin computed by CFD is larger than WTT
- Drag and moment coefficient by SA is closer to WTT than BB result

Calculation condition: Wing-Body-Nacelle-Pylon, M=0.75

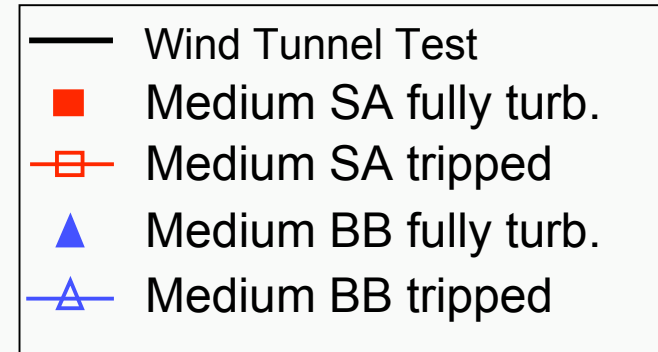
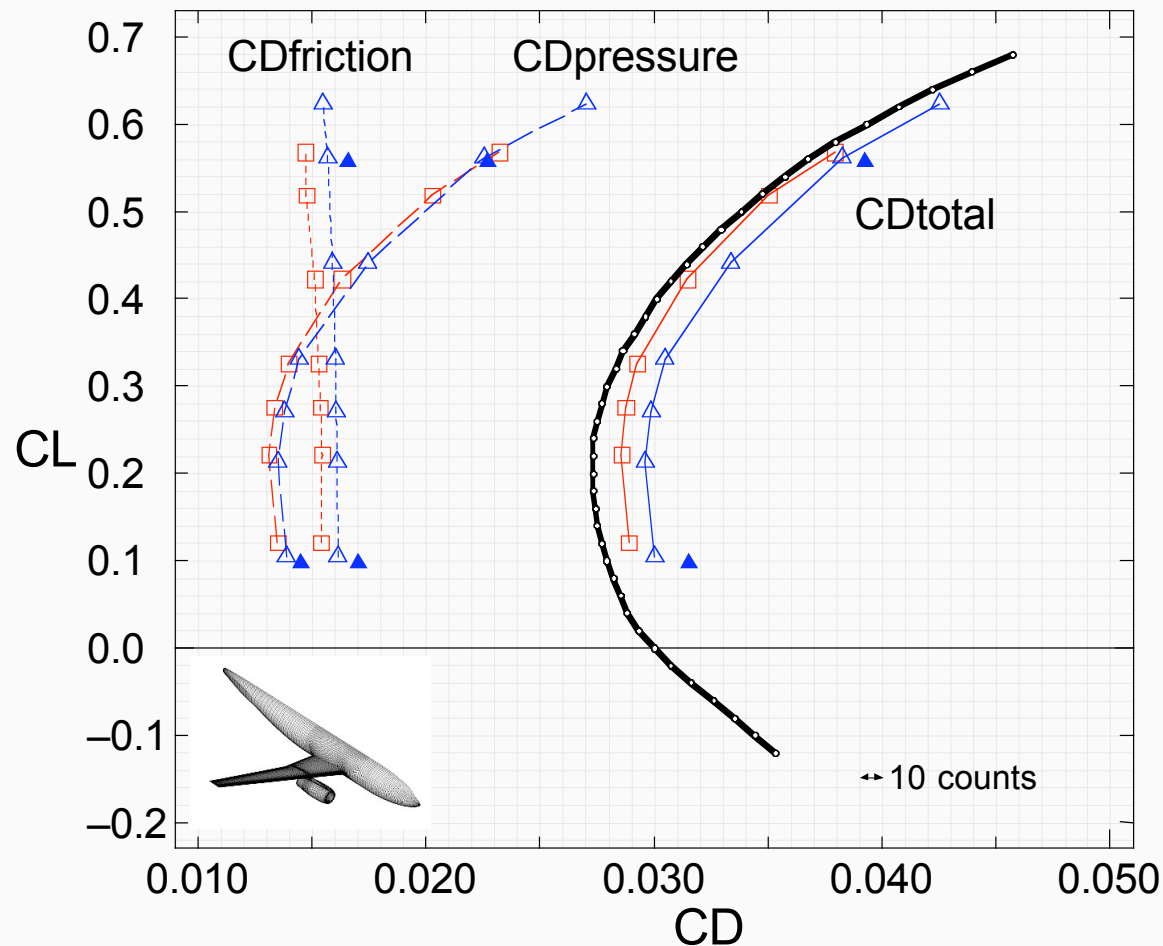
Comparison of separation bubble size



Calculation condition: Wing-Body-Nacelle-Pylon, $M=0.75$, $\alpha=1.0$

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Comparison of polar, C_{Df} , and C_{Dp} between SA and BB turbulence model for Wing-Body configuration



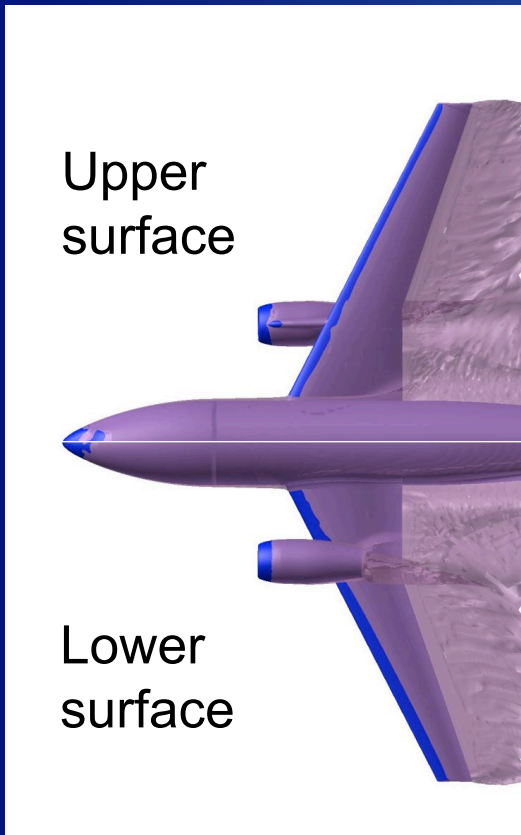
- Difference of polar curve between WTT and CFD is larger than Wing-Body case.
- C_{dmin} is not well predicted.
- Polar curve by CFD is opened compared to WTT.
- Pressure drag differ up to 5 drag counts around C_{dmin}
- SA model shows less friction drag than BB model about 8 to 10 counts.
- Transition effect is just shift
 - Larger lift, smaller drag

Calculation condition: Wing-Body-Nacelle-Pylon, $M=0.75$

Transition

Transition location

$\frac{\delta_T}{\delta} = 10$ Iso-surface visualization



WING/BODY

| | AOA | CL | CDtotal | CDp | CDf | CM |
|----------------|--------|-------|---------|--------|---------|--------|
| FULLY TURBULEN | 0.292 | 0.500 | 0.0296 | 0.0164 | 0.0132 | -0.135 |
| TRIPPED | 0.263 | 0.500 | 0.0292 | 0.0166 | 0.0126 | -0.137 |
| ? | -0.029 | 0.000 | -0.0004 | 0.0002 | -0.0006 | -0.002 |

WING/BODY/NACELLE/PYLON

| | AOA | CL | CDtotal | CDp | CDf | CM |
|----------------|--------|-------|---------|---------|---------|--------|
| FULLY TURBULEN | 0.775 | 0.500 | 0.0352 | 0.0196 | 0.0159 | -0.125 |
| TRIPPED | 0.809 | 0.500 | 0.0343 | 0.0195 | 0.0148 | -0.131 |
| ? | -0.166 | 0.000 | -0.0008 | -0.0001 | -0.0011 | -0.006 |

Summary

Wing-Body.

- Spalart-Allmaras (SA) turbulence model is closer to WTT, while Baldwin-Barth (BB) model shows large alpha shift.
- CL_{α} slope overall agreement is good.
- Drag polar is in good agreement.
- Coarse grid could not capture separation bubble at wing-body junction. However medium and fine grid over estimated separation bubble.

Wing-Body-Nacelle-Pylon.

- CL_{α} slope by SA model is considerably small.
- (Coarse grid SA showed better CL_{α} slope)
- C_{dmin} was not well predicted differences are 20counts(SA) and 30counts(BB). Polar curve is slightly opened.
- SA model showed larger separation bubble at pylon inboard than BB model.

Summary cont'd

Directional grid density.

- If span-wise grid is increased, shock location moves forward. Lift is decreased.
- If chord-wise grid is increased, shock location is almost same. Lift is a little increased.
- (If normal direction grid to the surface is increased, lift is a little increased. However cp distribution is hardly changed.).

Transition effect.

- Just shift.
 - $\Delta CD_f = -4\text{counts(WB)}, -9\text{counts(WBNP)}$

END

Thank you for your attention

- Wall clock time 1day for medium WBNP using 8PCUs PC cluster(P4 2.8GHz).
- Convergence criteria
 $\text{Max}(\Delta CL, \Delta CD, \Delta CM) < 5 \times 10^{-7} / \text{step}$

Case#1 Grid convergence

Wing-Body Configuration

| | | Grid cells | AoA | CL | CD | CM | CDp | CDf |
|-------|--------|------------|-------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|
| WTT | | | 0.52 | 0.5000 | 0.0295 | -0.1211 | -- | -- |
| PUFGG | Coarse | 1.8M | -0.15 | 0.5003 | 0.0289 | -0.1619 | 0.0156 | 0.0133 |
| PUFGG | medium | 4.1M | 0.29 | 0.4999 | 0.0296 | -0.1449 | 0.0164 | 0.0132 |
| PUFGG | fine | 7.5M | 0.27 | 0.5247 | 0.0292 | -0.1355 | 0.0162 | 0.0130 |
| ICEM | coarse | 3.4M | 0.33 | 0.4995 | 0.0289 | -0.1392 | 0.0158 | 0.0131 |
| ICEM | medium | 5.7M | 0.27 | 0.5004 | 0.0284 | -0.1427 | 0.0154 | 0.0130 |
| ICEM | fine | 10.0M | 0.26 | 0.5001 | 0.0282 | -0.1436 | 0.0151 | 0.0130 |

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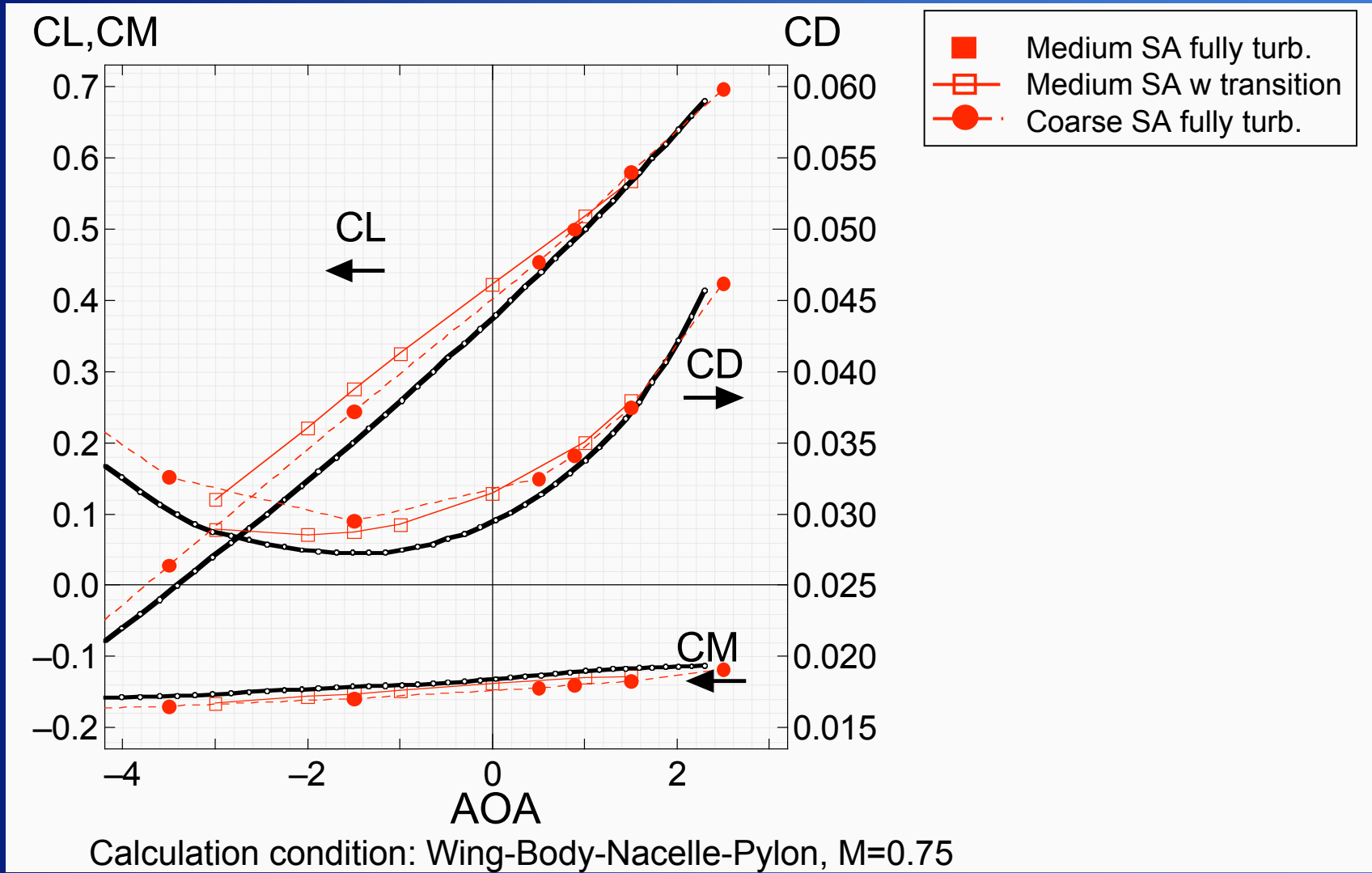
Wing-Body-Nacelle-Pylon Configuration

| | | Grid cells | AoA | CL | CD | CM | CDp | CDf |
|-------|--------|------------|------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|
| WTT | | | 1 | 0.5000 | 0.0338 | -0.1199 | -- | -- |
| PUFGG | Coarse | 3.3M | 0.61 | 0.4994 | 0.0358 | -0.1505 | 0.0201 | 0.0157 |
| PUFGG | medium | 6.7M | | | | | | |
| PUFGG | fine | 9.5M | | | | | | |
| ICEM | coarse | 4.8M | 0.89 | 0.5005 | 0.0341 | -0.1374 | 0.0184 | 0.0156 |
| ICEM | medium | 8.3M | 0.86 | 0.5003 | 0.0336 | -0.1400 | 0.0180 | 0.0156 |
| ICEM | fine | 13.5M | | | | | | |

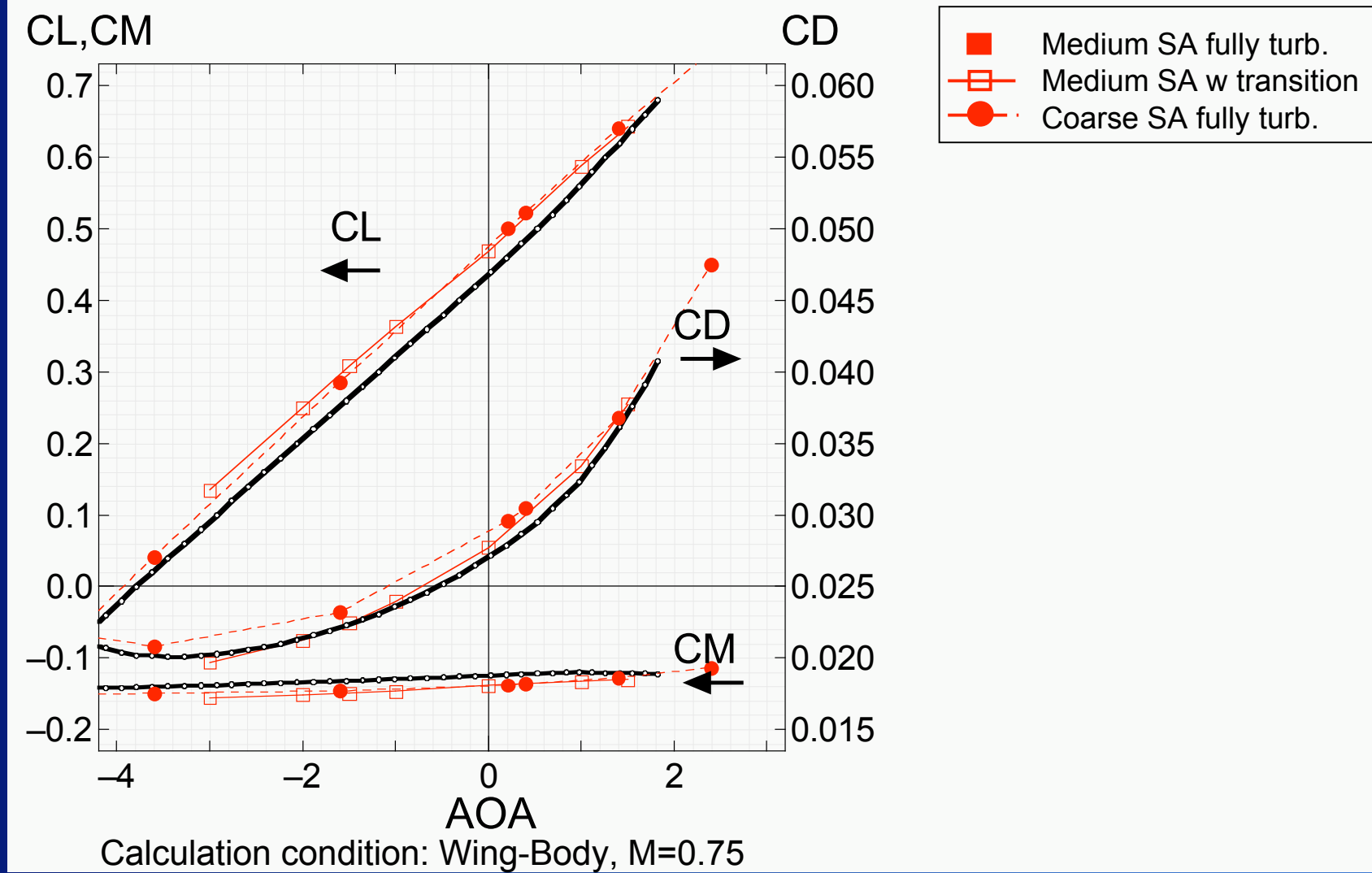
Summary cont'd

- Grid density affects separation bubble size at wing-body junction. Consequently, lift is considerably changed.
 - For worst case $\Delta CL=0.06$, as AOA $\alpha=0.5$
- Spurious drag is reduced with increasing grid density
 - Coarse(2M) grid; $CD_{spurious}=10\text{counts(WB)}, 17\text{counts(WBNP)}$
 - Fine(8M) grid; $CD_{spurious}= 5\text{counts(WB)}, 8\text{counts(WBNP)}$
- Transition effect is simple.
 - $\Delta CL = +0.01$ to $+0.02$
 - ΔCL_a is about $+1\%$ (for SA, BB, KHI grid, ICEM grid)
 - $\Delta CD = -4\text{counts(WB)}, -9\text{counts(WBNP)}$
 - $\Delta CD_f = -4\text{counts(WB)}, -10\text{counts(WBNP)}$
 - Shock location moves backward. Shock becomes strong.

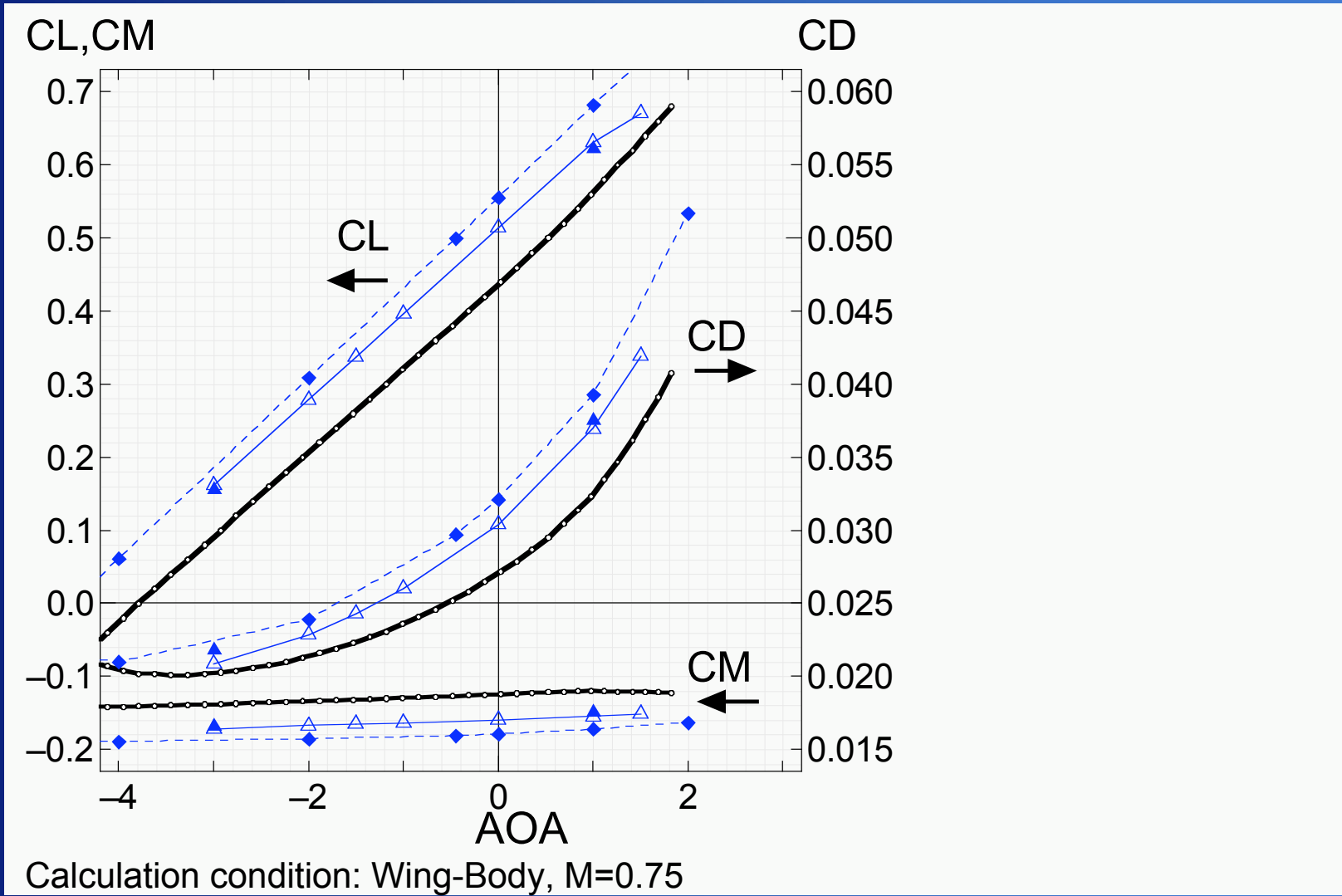
Comparison of CL, CD, CM between medium and fine grid for Wing-Body-Nacelle-Pylon using SA model



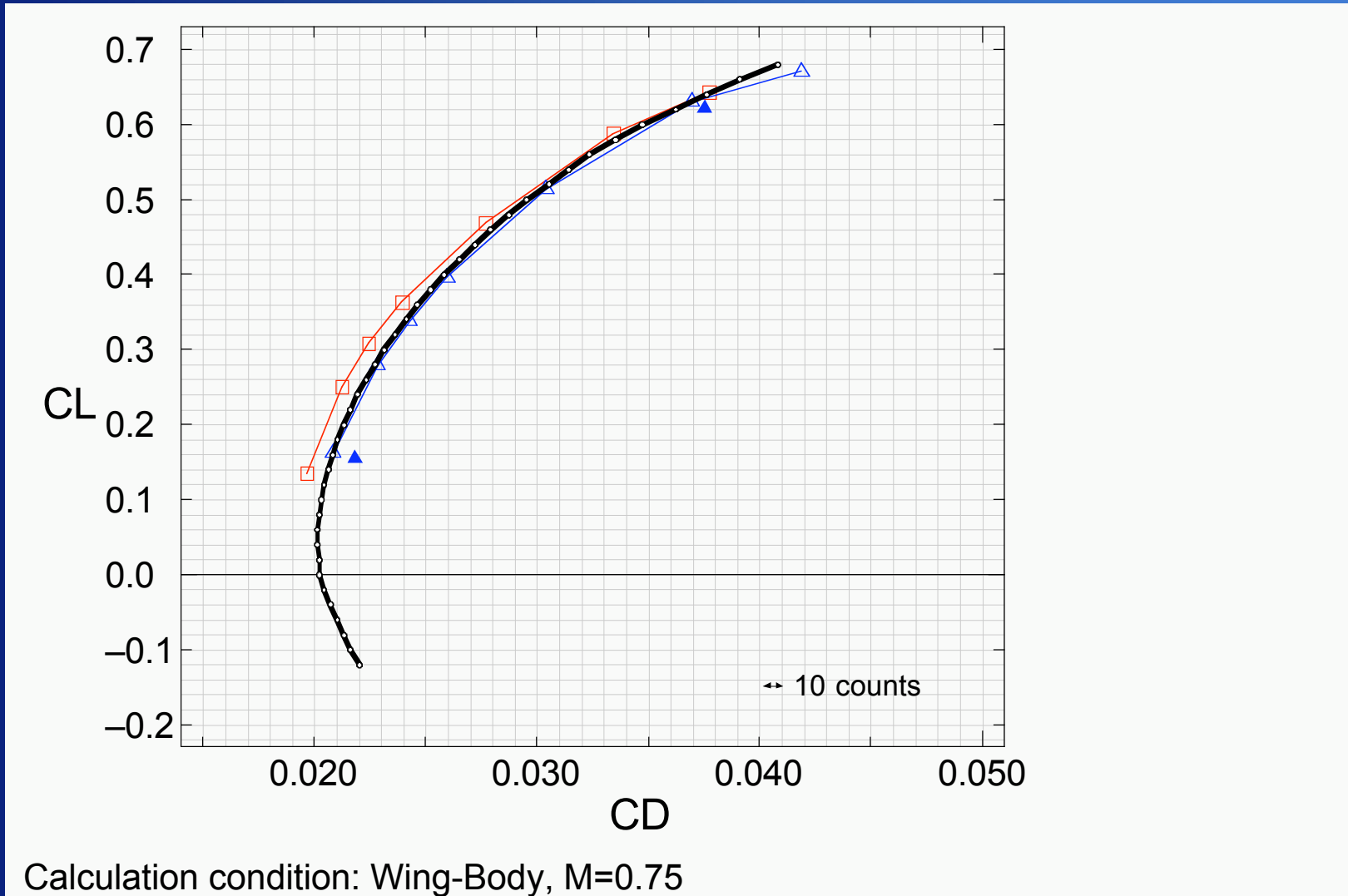
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Comparison of CL, CD, CM between medium and fine grid for Wing-Body config. using BB model

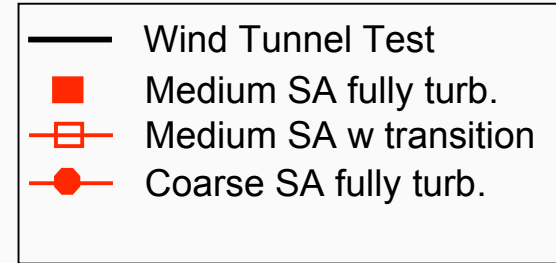
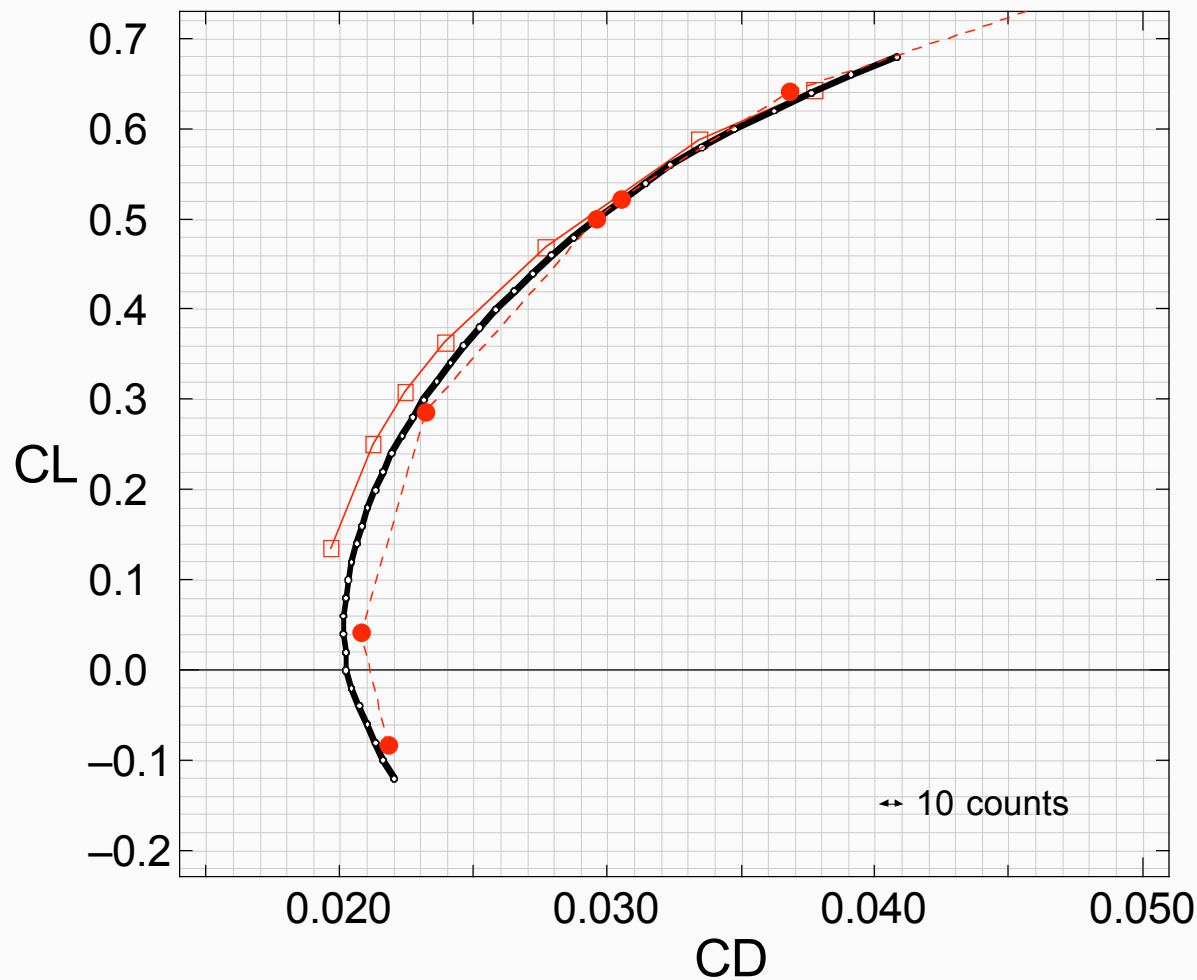


Comparison of polar curve between SA and BB turbulence model for Wing-Body configuration



Calculation condition: Wing-Body, M=0.75

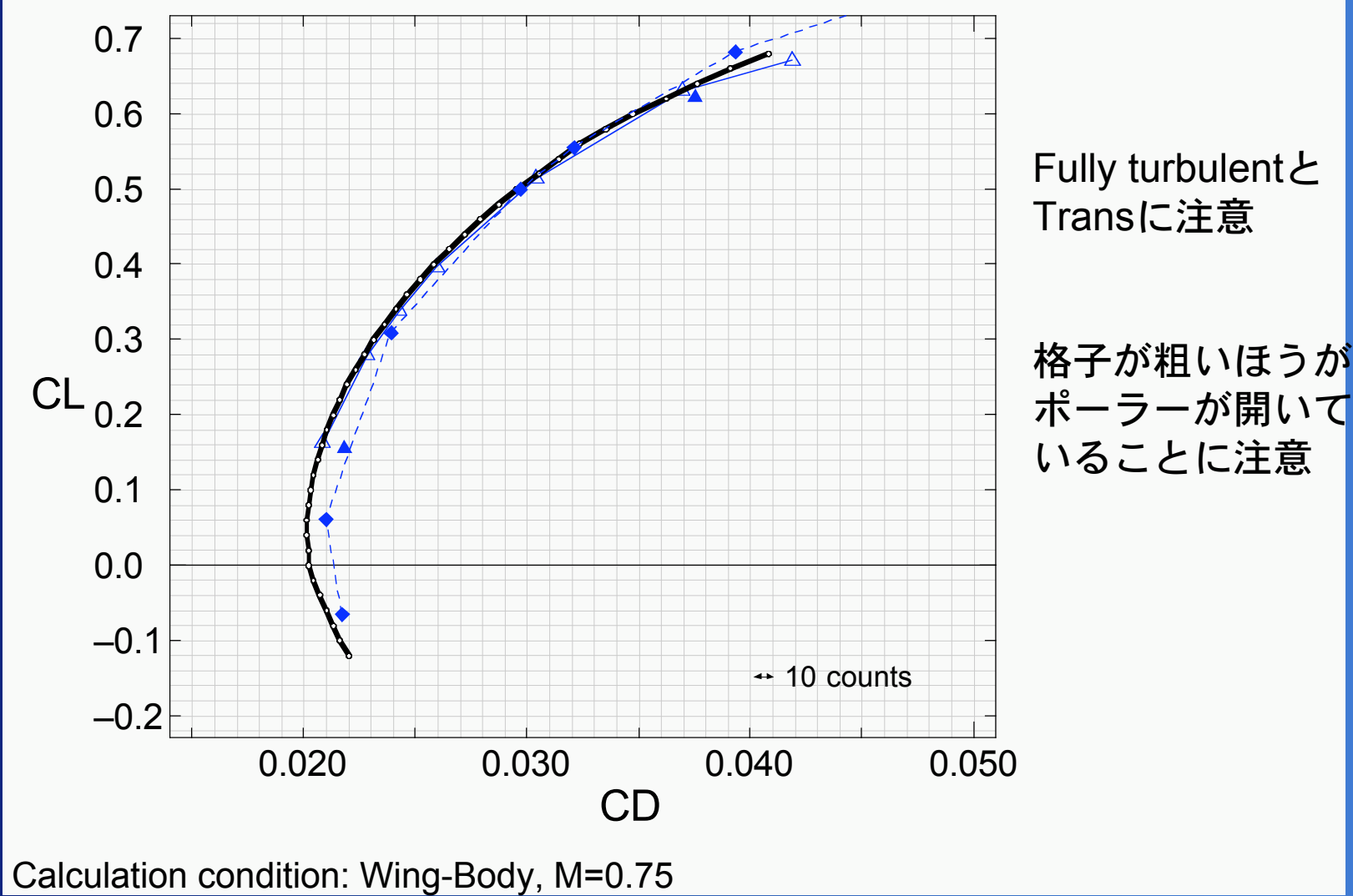
Comparison of polar curve between medium and fine grid for Wing-Body config. using SA model



- Polar curve computed by coarse grid is opened
- CDmin by coarse grid is larger than medium grid
- Fine grid?

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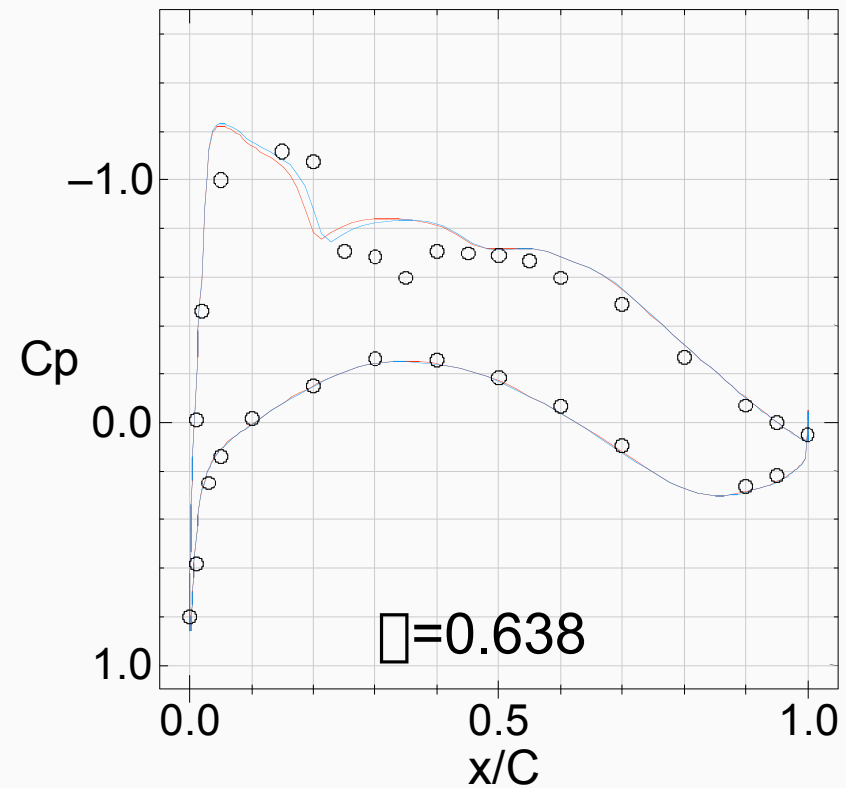
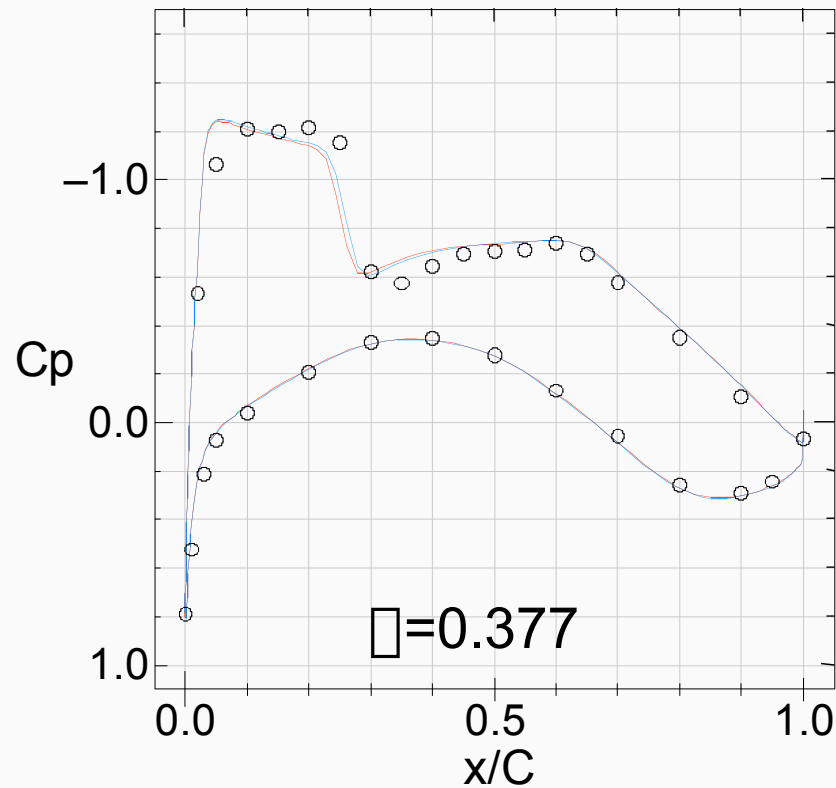
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Normal to body surface direction grid density effect on Cp distributions for Wing-Body configuration

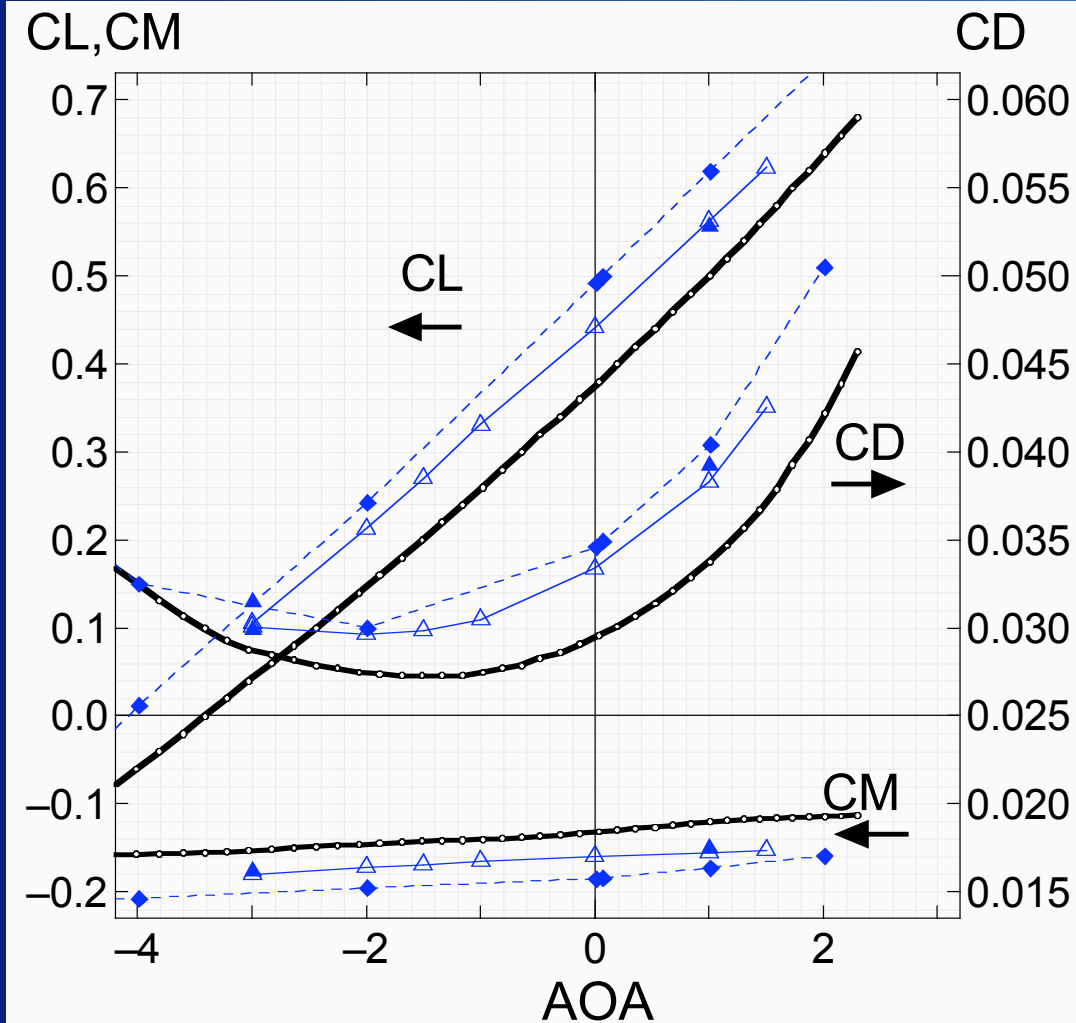
○ WTT — 100x121 — 100x121 (normal direc. fine) (chord x span)



Calculation condition: Wing-Body, $M=0.75$, $AOA=0.49$, SA model, fully turbulent

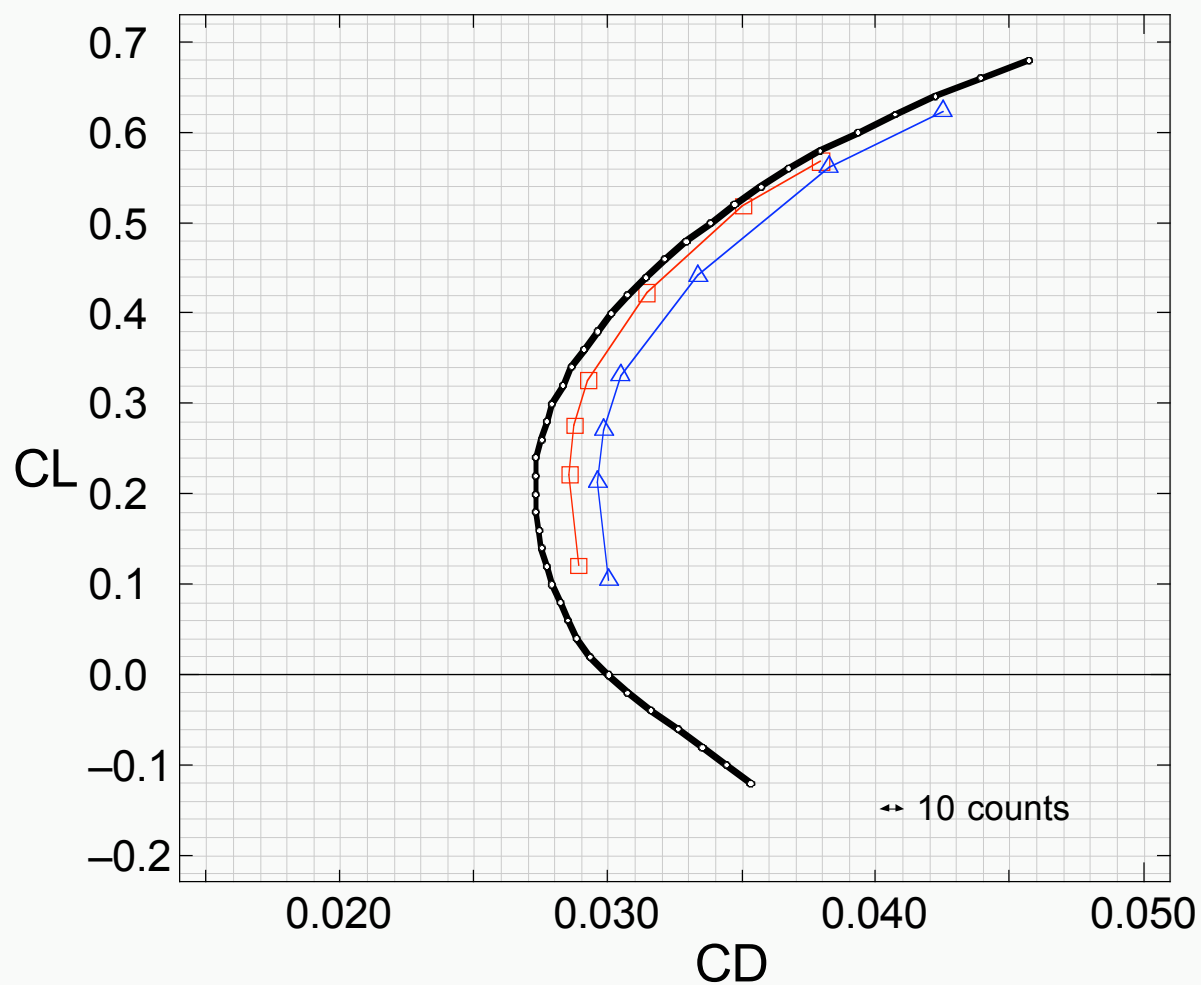
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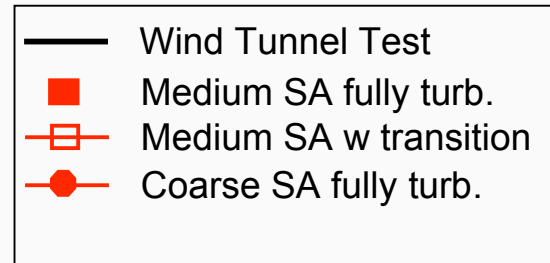
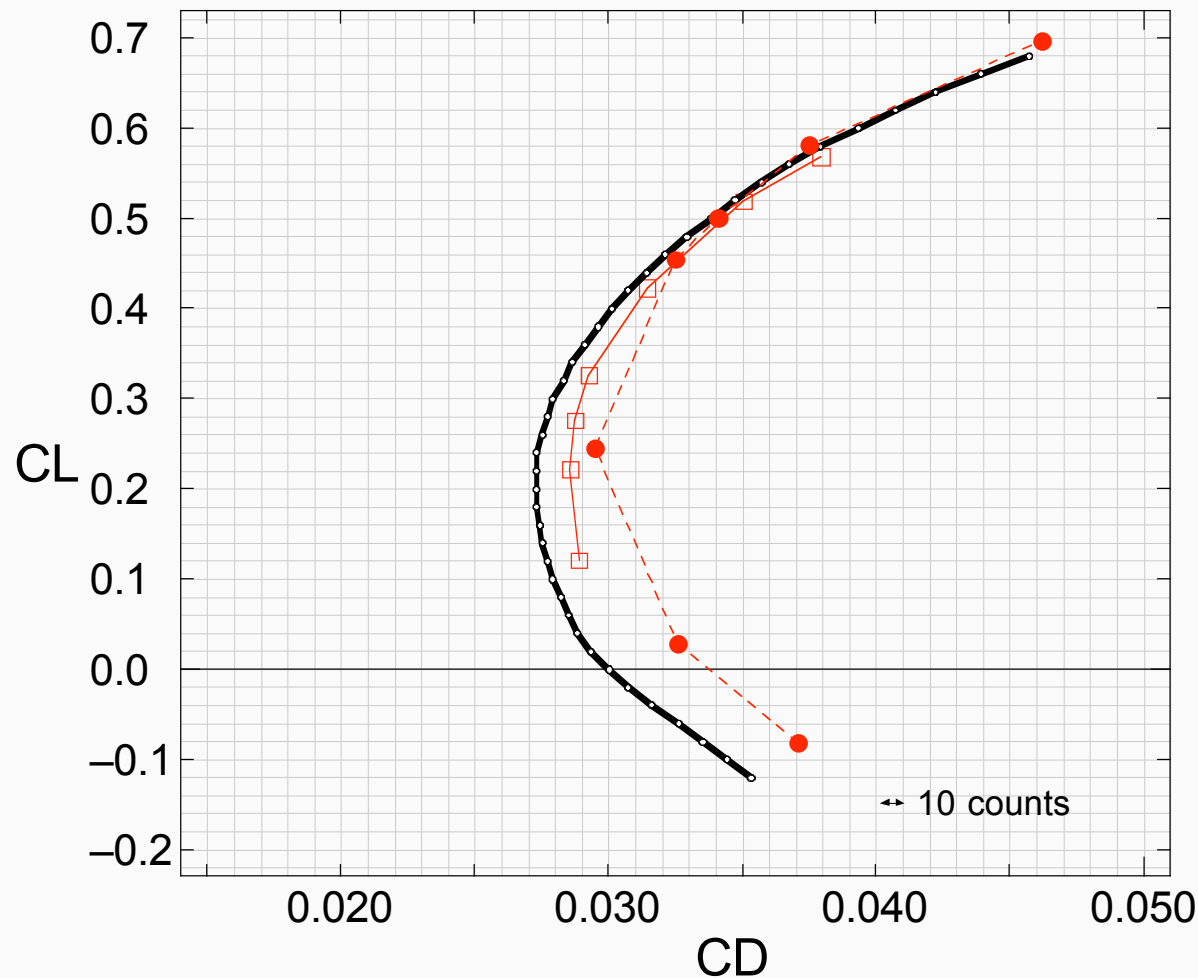
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WBNP



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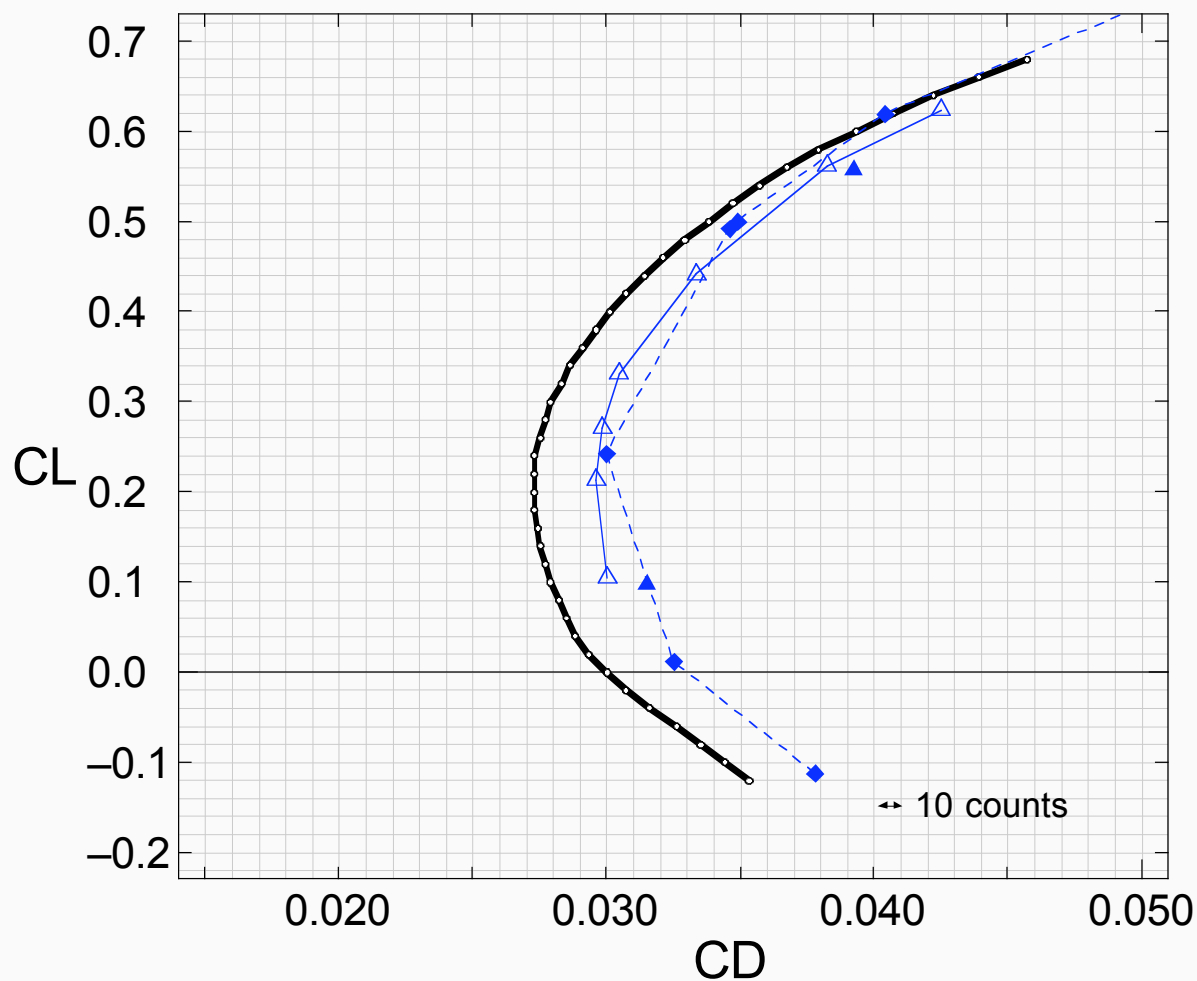
WBNP



- As same as WB case
- Polar curve computed by coarse grid is opened
- CDmin by coarse grid is larger than medium grid
- Fine grid?

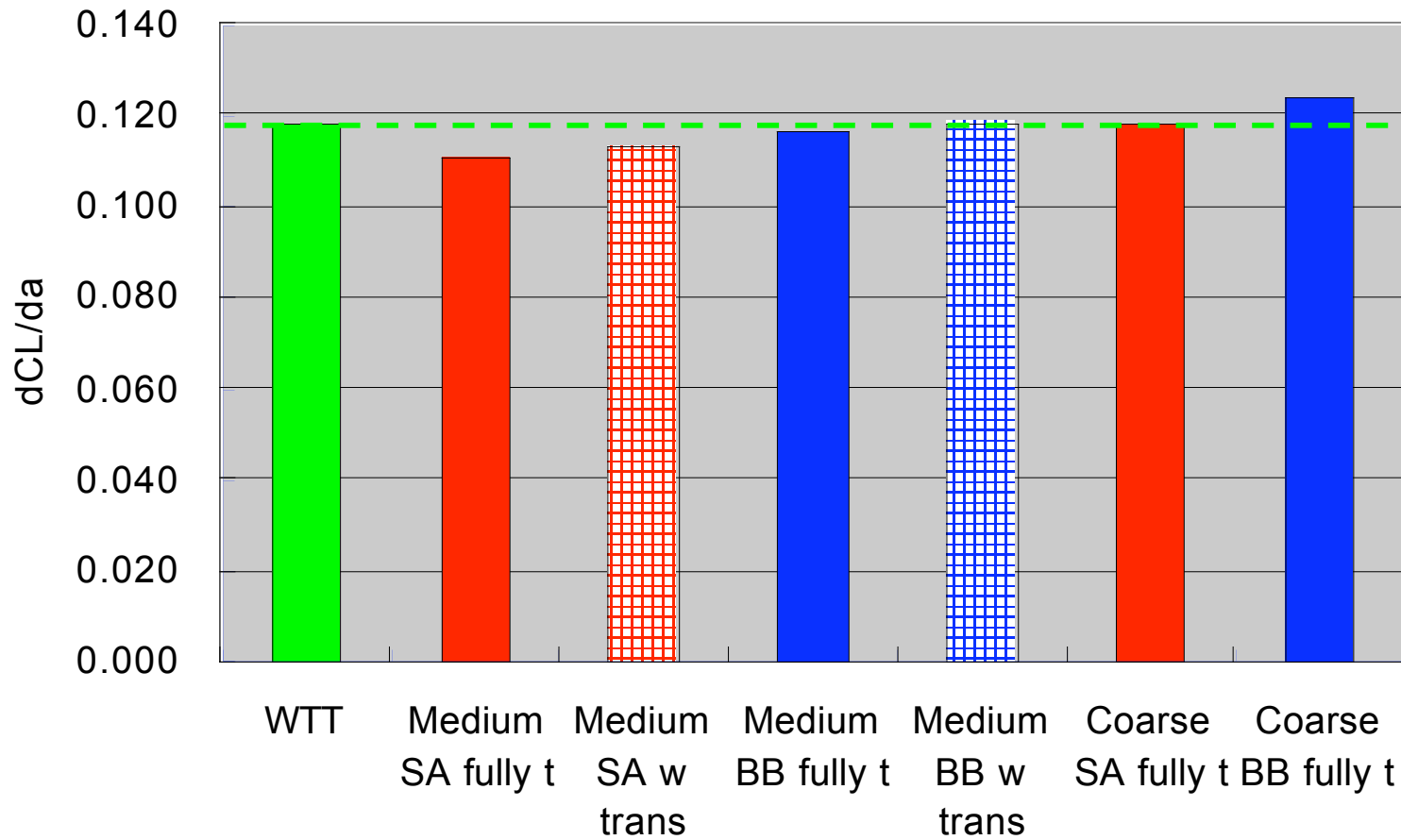
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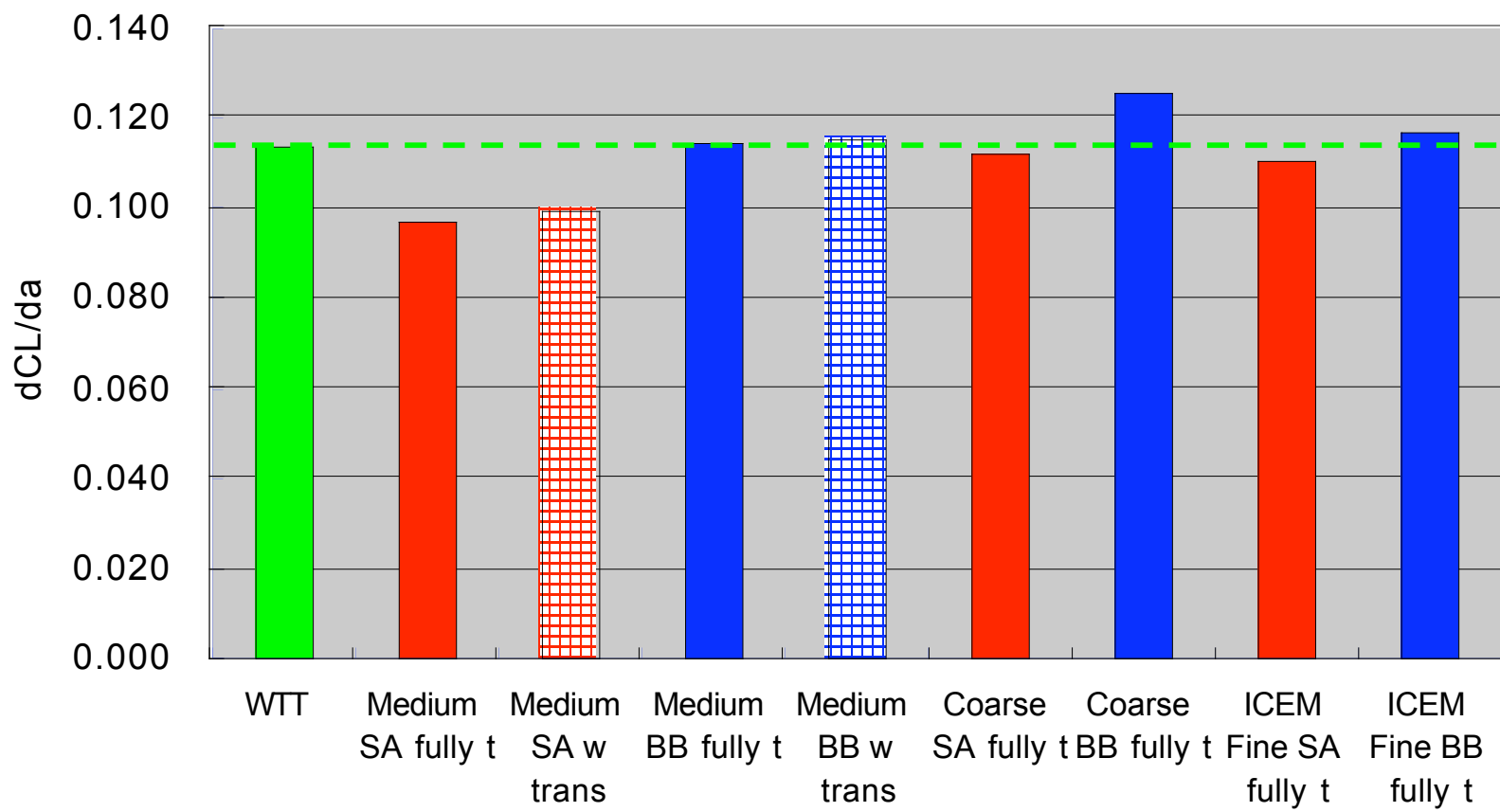


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WB CL_α (-3to1degs)



WBNP



Assessed items

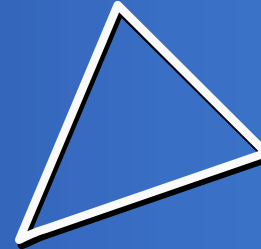
- CL,CD,CM
- CL_{α}
- Drag polar
- $CD_{pressure}$, $CD_{friction}$
- C_p distribution
- Span load distribution
- Oil flow visualization
- Transition point

Grid cell elements

Surface cell

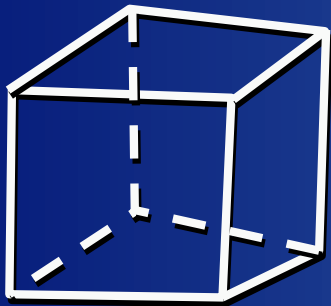


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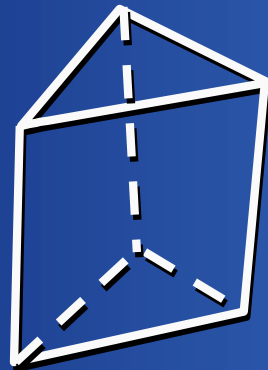


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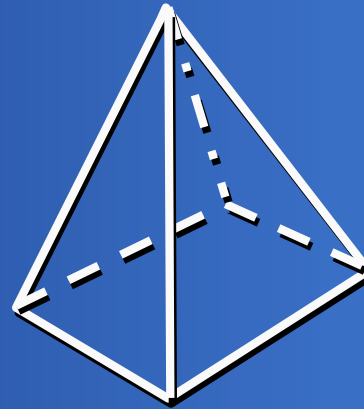
Volume cell



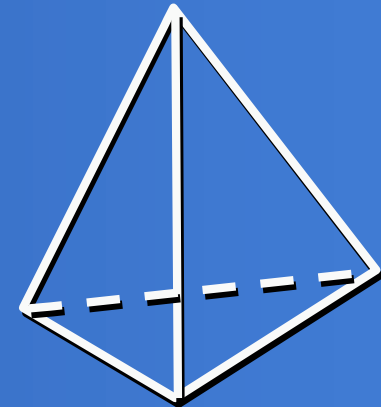
Hexahedron



Prism

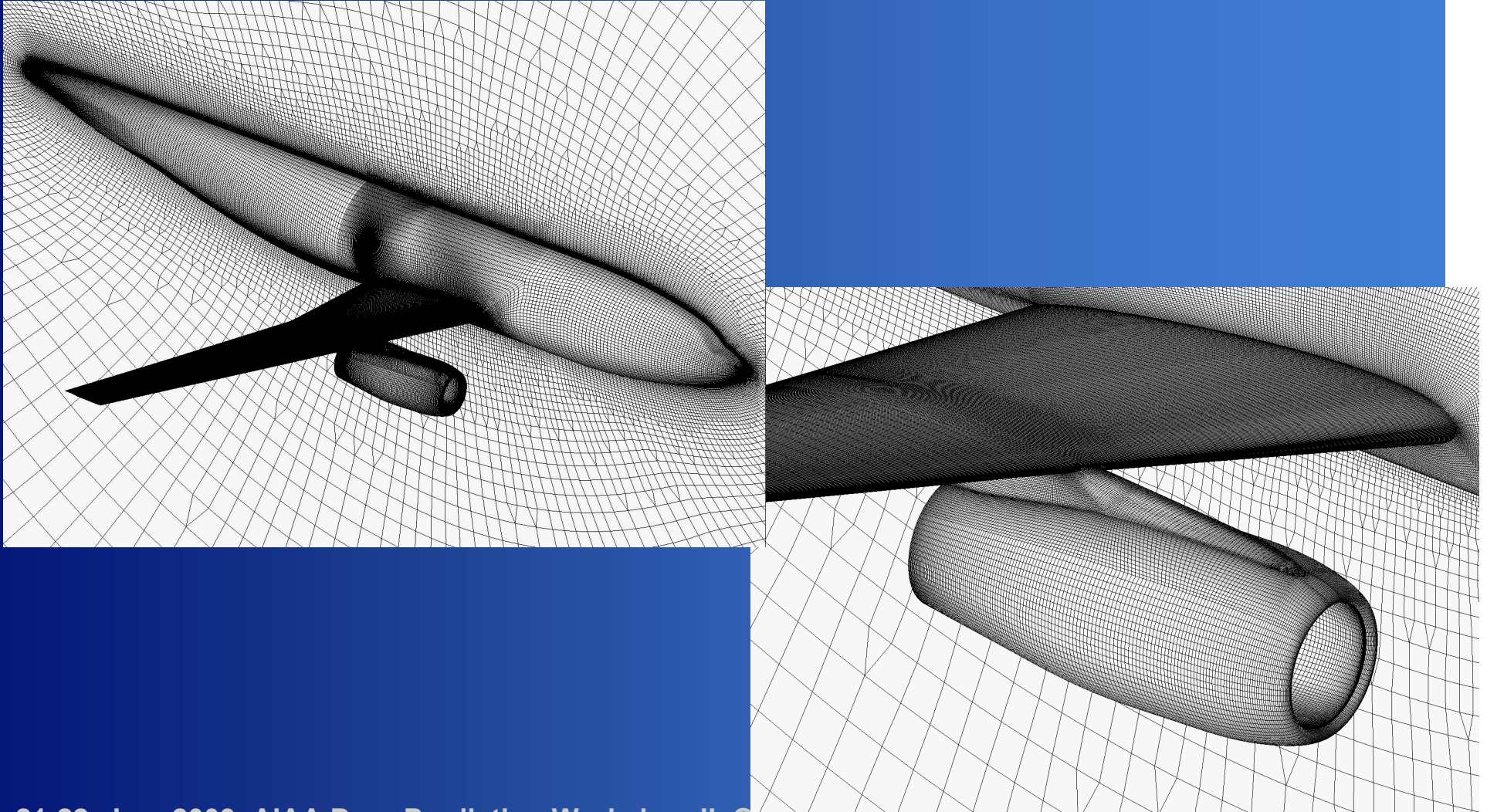


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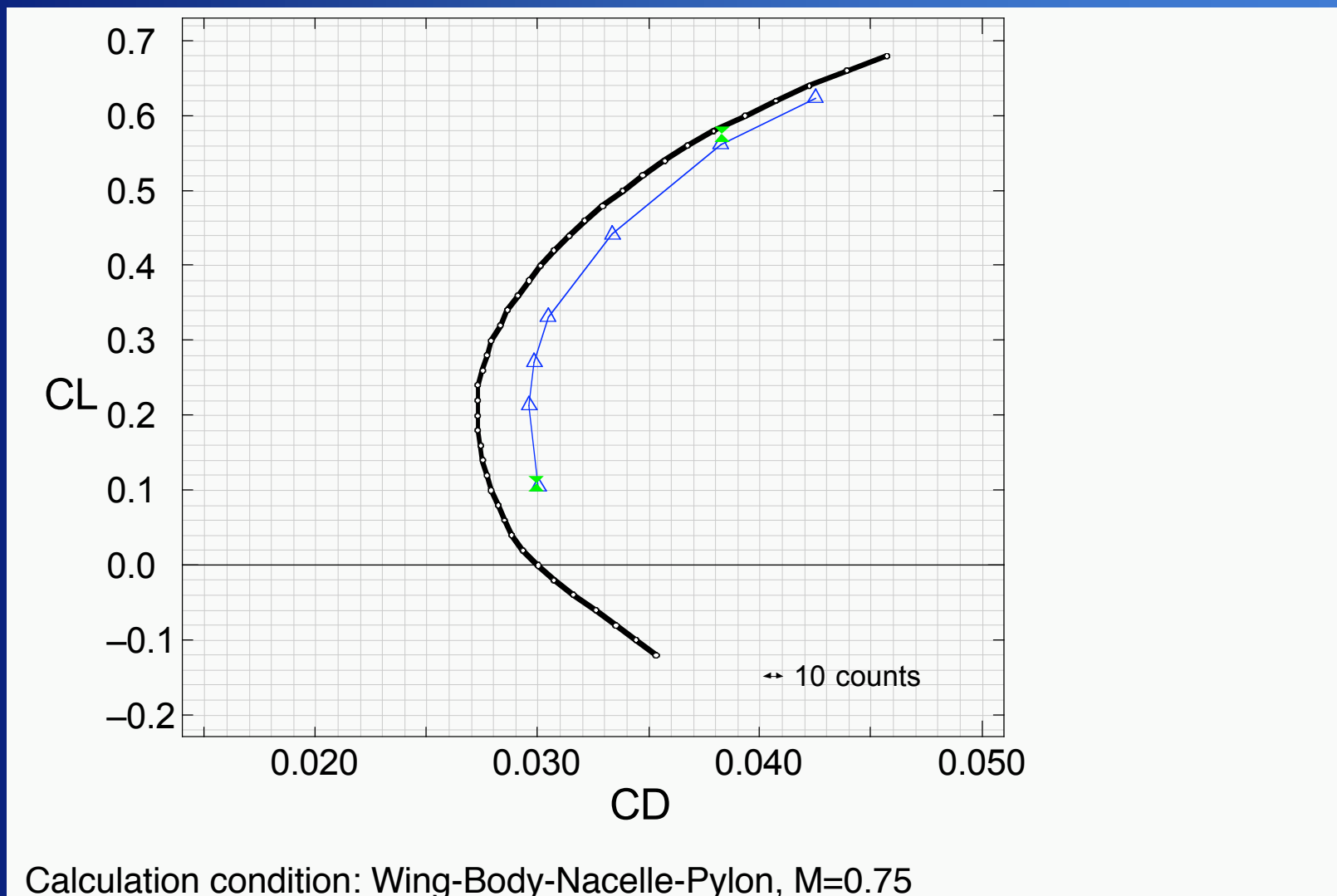


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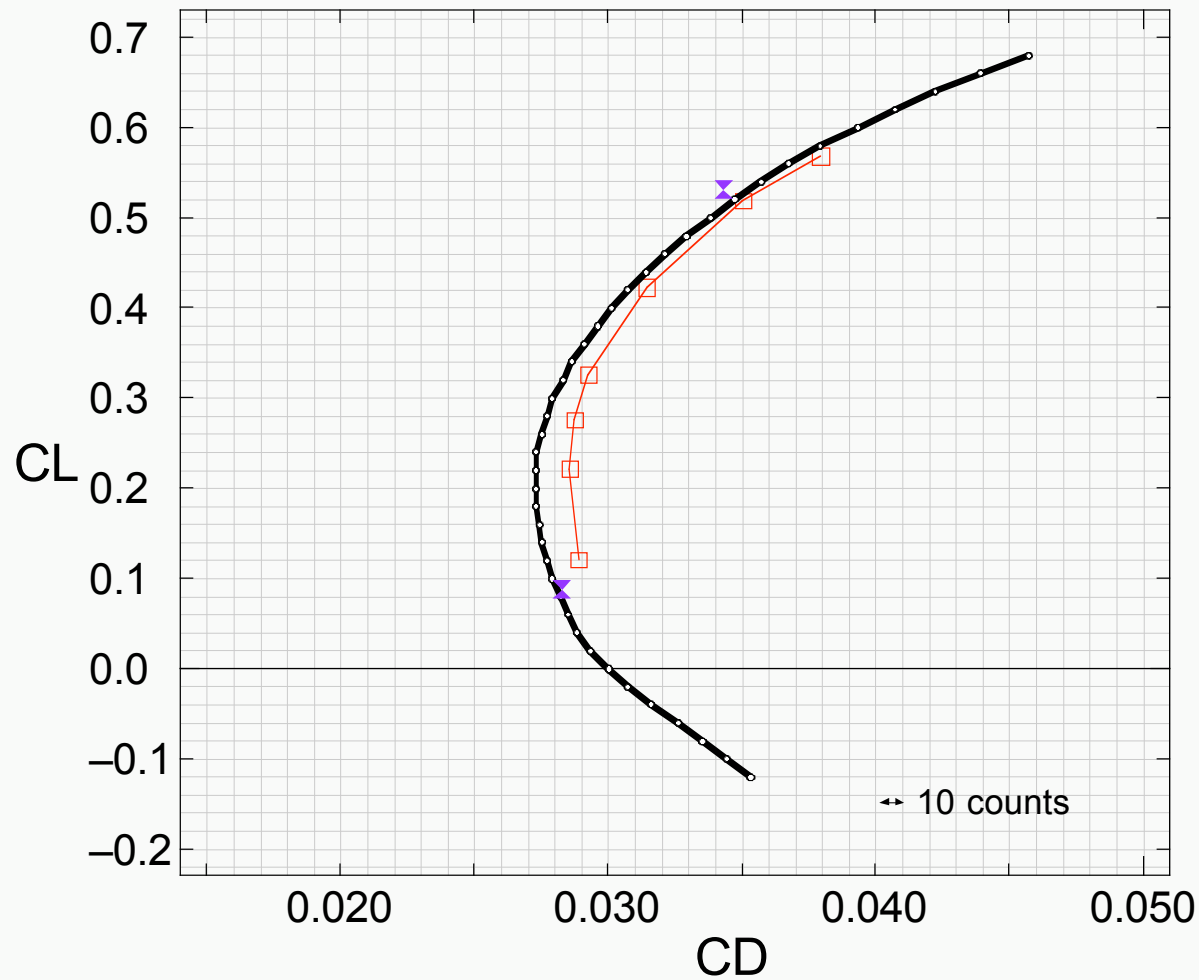
Fine Grid



WBNP

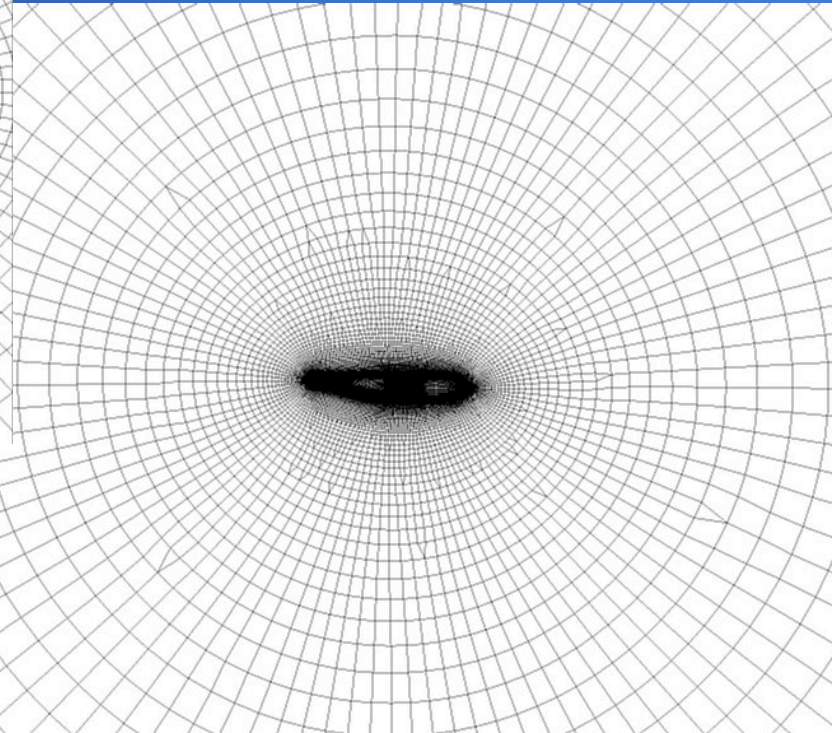
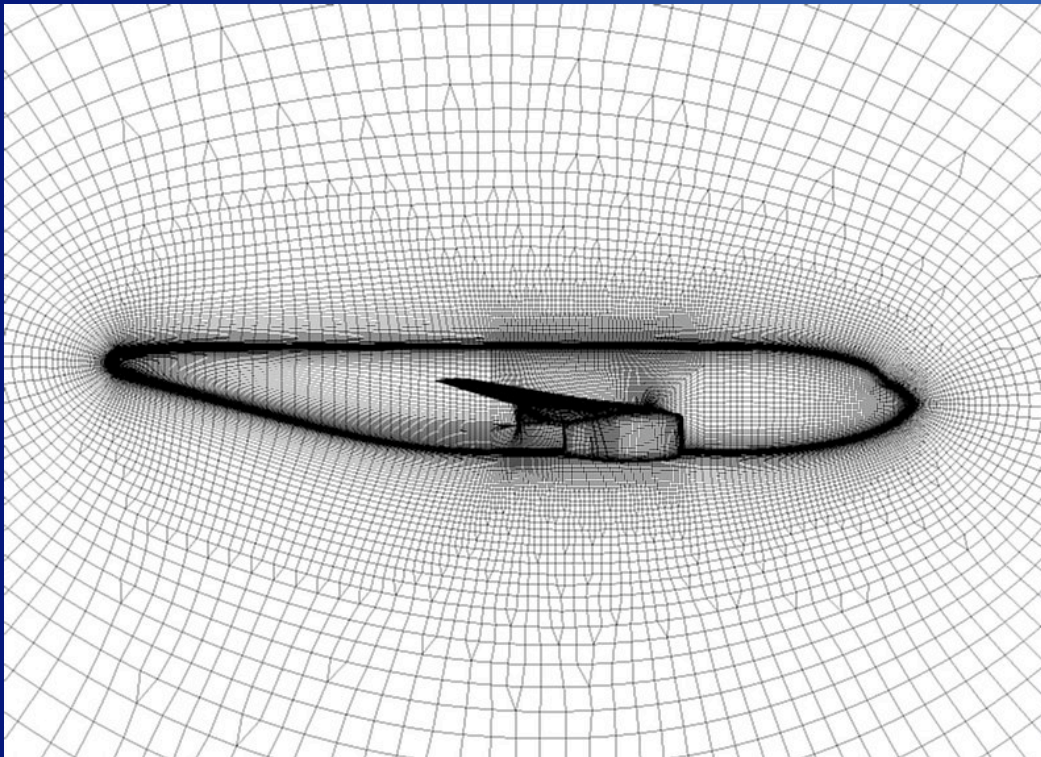


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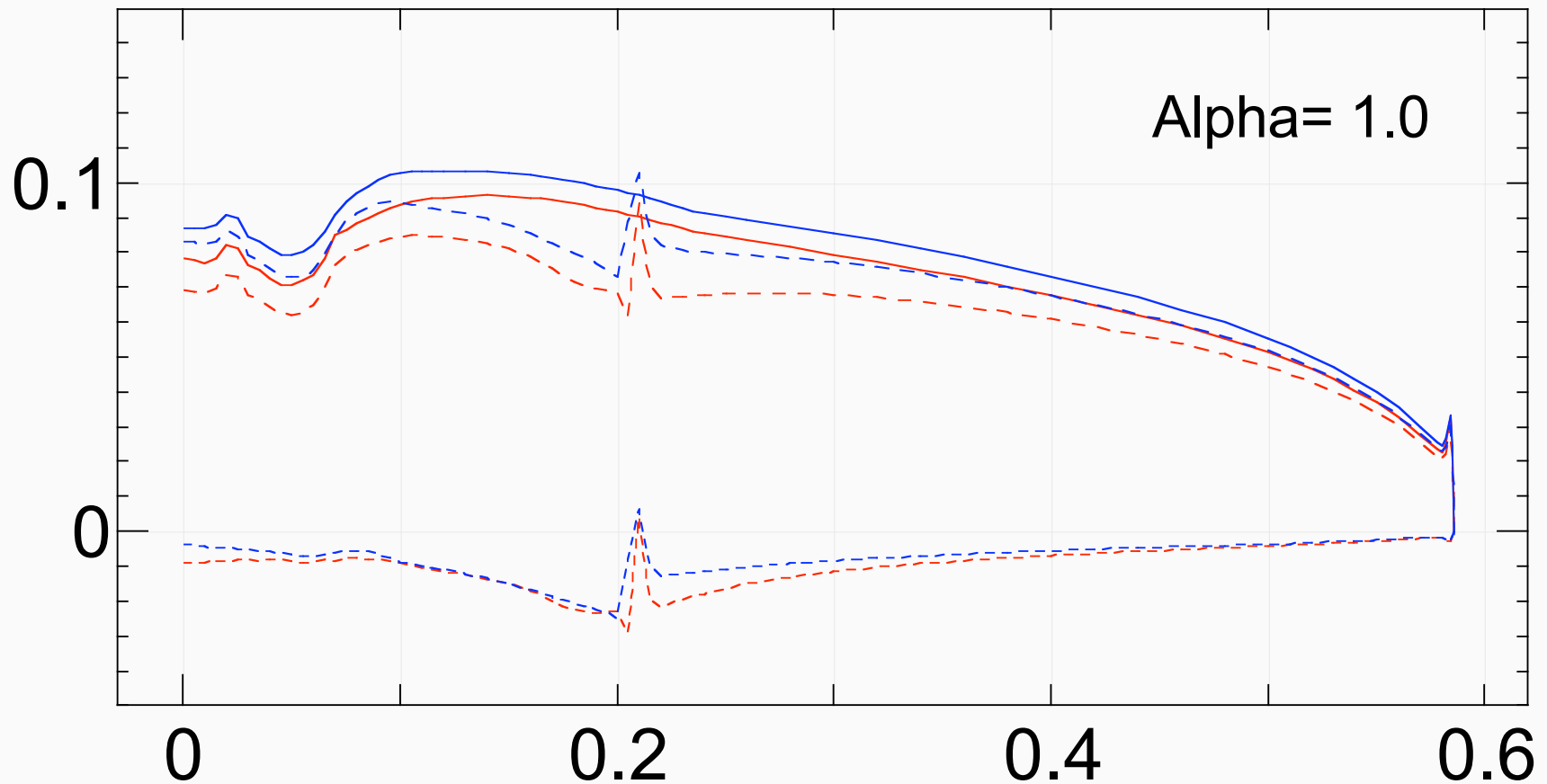
Calculation condition: Wing-Body-Nacelle-Pylon, M=0.75

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Span load distributions

—(red) SA —(blue) BB —(solid) WB - - (dash) WBNP



Comparison of Cp distributions nacelle surface

○ WTT

— CFD(Fine)

