

DPW-8 & AePW-4

Static Deformation Working Group



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(working group specific email TBD)



Static Deformation Working Group Leadership

- Stefan Keye, DLR
- Garrett McHugh, NASA Langley
- Ben Rider, The Boeing Company

- **Meeting schedule modified**
 - Third Friday of every month
 - 10:00 Eastern Time (will be adjusted with US Daylight Saving Time)
- **For questions about the working group, please email dpwaiiaa@gmail.com**
- **Website updates**
 - Static Deformation Working Group website
<https://aiaa-dpw.larc.nasa.gov>
 - Geometry website
<https://aiaa-dpw.larc.nasa.gov/geometry.html>
 - Grid website (in work)
<https://aiaa-dpw.larc.nasa.gov/grids.html>
 - Postprocessing website (in work)
<https://aiaa-dpw.larc.nasa.gov/postprocessing.html>

Static Aeroelastic Deformation

1. Collaborative effort with both communities
2. Compute fluid/structure interactions in linear regime

Stefan Keye, Garrett McHugh, Ben Rider

Unsteady Aerodynamics and Buffet

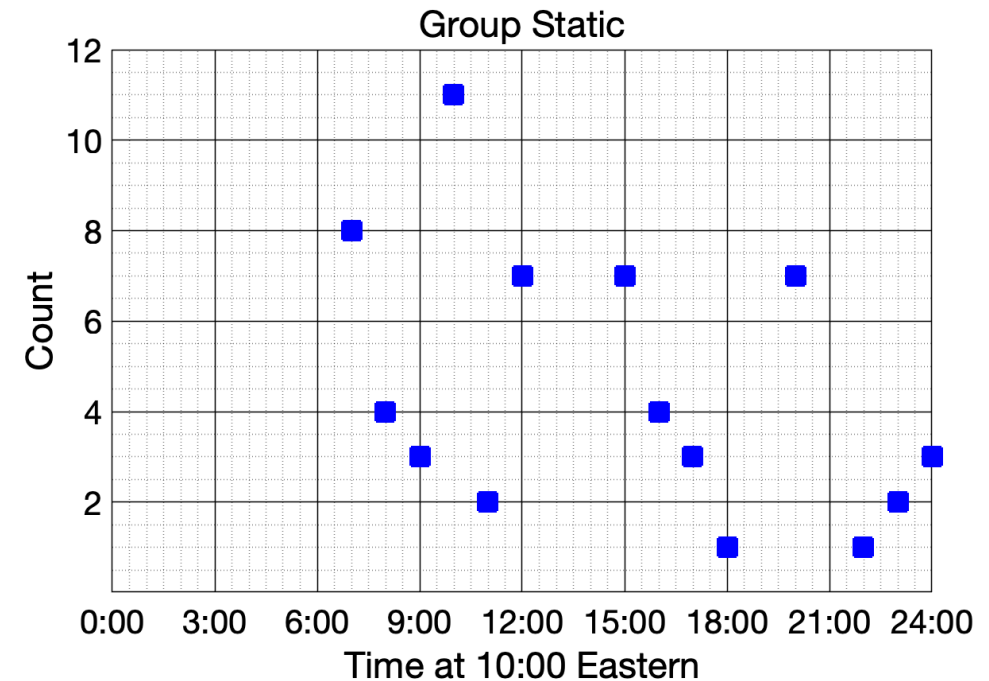
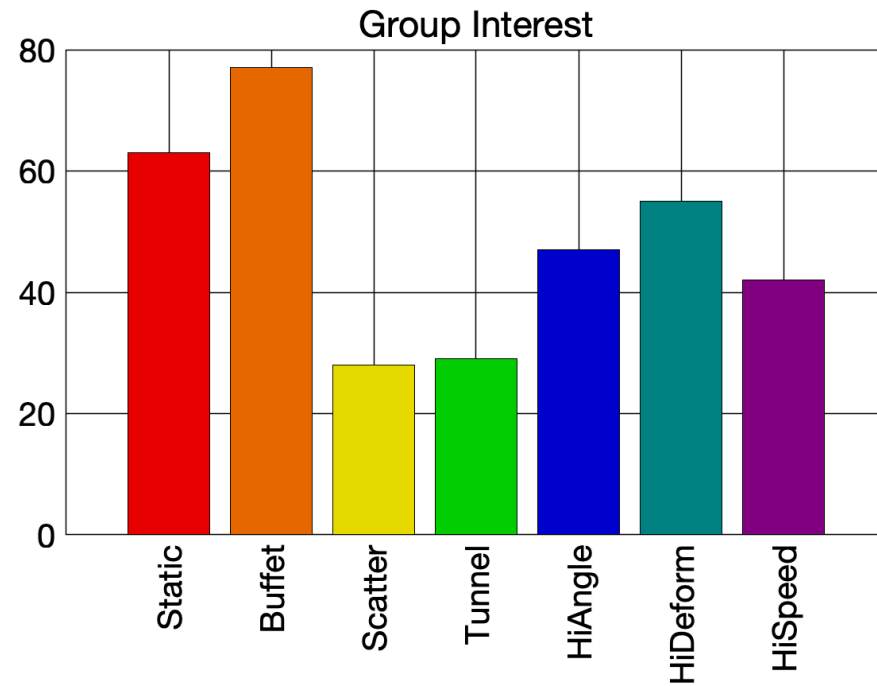
1. Collaborative effort with both communities
2. Compute unsteady flowfield (fixed geometry)
3. Compute fluid/structure interactions in linear regime and past pitchup

Hadar Ben-Gida, Brent Pomeroy, Daniella Raveh, Andrea Sansica, and Bret Stanford

- **Leverage knowledge from both fields to advance state of the art**
 - Increase understanding within each field, individually
 - Synthesize methods to increase understanding of static deformation predictions
- **Determine practices that accurately model fluid structure interaction to predict accurate deformations and resulting aerodynamics**
- **To provide an impartial forum for evaluating the effectiveness of existing tools and methods**
- **Provide guidance for simulations while relying upon users to implement his/her code's best practices**
- **Establish workshop model for future multidisciplinary communities**

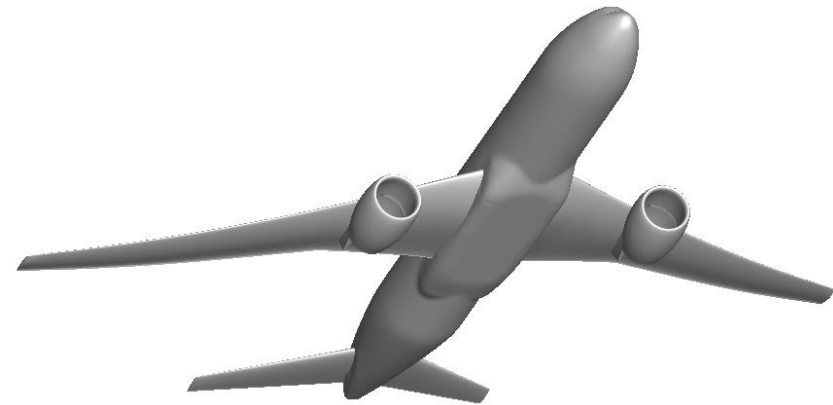
Participant Summary

- **127 workshop respondents to date**
 - Represent five continents
 - Most individuals are interested in multiple working groups
- **77 signed up for Buffet Working Group meeting series**
- **63 signed up for Static Deformation Working Group meeting series**



DPW-8 and AePW-4 Configurations

- **NASA/Boeing Common Research Model**
 - Well studied and tested
 - Provides good comparison to other workshops
 - Rich legacy of NASA, ETW, ONERA, and JAXA experimental data sets
 - Finite element model available for NASA and JAXA models
- **Components**
 - Different working groups require various geometries
 - Will include: wing/body and wing/body/nacelle/pylon



- **Geometry**
 - High-quality CAD is being created or already exists, much from DPW-7
 - Available for download from the DPW website and JAXA website (link coming)
- **Common grids are being generated**
 - Strongly encourage use of committee-supplied grids
 - Cadence/Pointwise, Helden Aerospace, NASA Ames (and you???)
 - User's best practices for solvers may require alternate grids
 - Submission to the workshop strongly desires any custom grids to be provided for posting on the website
- **Proposed topologies**
 - Mixed-element unstructured
 - All-tet unstructured
 - Hex dominant unstructured
 - Structured overset

- **Committee-supplied grids will be provided (stay tuned for an email)**
- **Geometry**
 - High-quality CAD for the ONERA OAT15A is on the website
 - <https://aiaa-dpw.larc.nasa.gov/geometry.html>
 - Various spans
- **Common grids are being generated**
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Test Case 1a: Workshop-Wide Validation

- Validation of steady CFD analysis, required
- Users are encouraged to employ best practices for selected CFD codes

- **Settings**

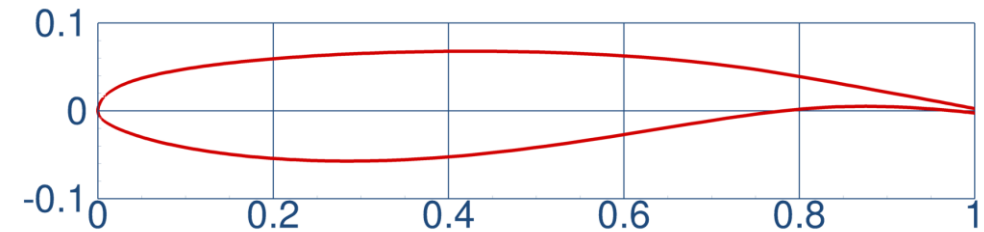
- Steady CFD (e.g., RANS)
- Prefer some version of SA, multiple turbulence models can be submitted

- **Grids**

- Six-member grid family; four are required, six are desirable
- Encourage use of committee-supplied grids; user-generated grids are acceptable
- Three committee-supplied grid options: one cell wide, span=0.1 chord, and 230mm chord with 780mm span (users can contribute one or multiple geometries)

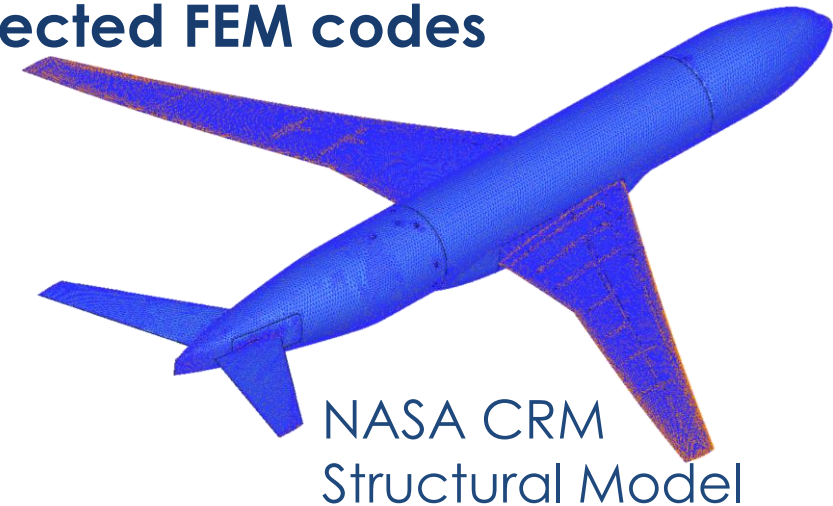
- **Conditions**

- Mach 0.73, $Re_c=3m$ (based on chord length), $T_{static} = 300K$ (540 R, 80.33 F)
- Alpha: 1.36, 1.50, 2.50, 3.00, 3.10



ONERA OAT15A Transonic Airfoil

- **Validation of Structural Model for NASA CRM**
 - Tap Test planned for comparison to normal mode solutions of FEM models
 - Static Loads Tests will be conducted to compare deflection measurements (and maybe twist) to Linear Static FEM solutions
- **Users are encouraged to employ best practices for selected FEM codes**
- **Settings**
 - Linear Eigenvalue Analysis (e.g. NASTRAN[®] SOL103)
- **Conditions**
 - Rigid suspension at sting
- **Grid**
 - MSC NASTRAN[®] solid 4-node tetrahedral finite-element structural model
 - Model consists of $6.8 \cdot 10^6$ elements, $4.1 \cdot 10^6$ degrees-of-freedom
 - Supplied by NASA Langley's Configuration Aerodynamics Branch
 - Wind tunnel sting will be added as beam model (date ???)



Test Case 2a: Wing/Body Deformation (1 condition)

- **CFD/FEM start from unloaded (wind-off) geometry/grid**
- **CRM Wing/Body**
 - Reynolds numbers: 5M (LoQ) [Available: 5M(LoQ),20M(LoQ),20M(HiQ),30M(HiQ)]
 - Mach Number: 0.85 [Available: 0.70, 0.85, 0.87]
 - Angle of Attack: 3.00 deg [Available: -3.0 – 12.0 deg]
- **Committee-supplied**
 - NASA CRM geometry in jig/unloaded condition
 - Trip location, if tested (optional to use)
 - MSC NASTRAN® finite-element model of the NASA CRM
 - Grid Family (L1:Tiny/L2:Coarse/L3:Medium/L4:Fine/L5:eXtra-fine/L6:Ultra-fine)
- **Comparison metrics**
 - Forces / Moments
 - Sectional Twist / Deformation
 - Sectional C_p distribution

Test Case 2b: Wing/Body Deformation (polar)

- **CFD/FEM start from unloaded (wind-off) geometry/grid**
- **CRM Wing/Body**
 - Available Reynolds numbers: 5M (LoQ), 20M (LoQ), 20M (HiQ), 30M (HiQ)
 - Range of Mach numbers: 0.70, 0.85, 0.87 (M_{cruise} = 0.85)
 - Range of Angles of attack: -3.0 – 12.0 deg (AOA_{cruise} ~ 2.75-3.00 deg)
- **Committee-supplied**
 - NASA CRM geometry in jig/unloaded condition
 - Trip location, if tested (optional to use)
 - MSC NASTRAN[®] finite-element model of the NASA CRM
 - Grid Family (L1:Tiny/L2:Coarse/L3:Medium/L4:Fine/L5:eXtra-fine/L6:Ultra-fine)
- **Comparison metrics**
 - Forces / Moments
 - Sectional Twist / Deformation
 - Sectional C_p distribution

- **CFD/FEM start from unloaded (wind-off) geometry/grid**
- **CRM Wing/Body/Nacelle /Pylon**
 - Available Reynolds numbers: 5M (LoQ)
 - Range of Mach numbers: 0.70, 0.85, 0.87 (M_{cruise} = 0.85)
 - Range of Angles of attack: -3.0 – 12.0 deg (AOA_{cruise} ~ 2.75-3.00 deg)
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- **June, 2024**
 - First Working Group Meeting ✓
 - ONERA OAT15A geometry release ✓
- **July, 2024**
 - ONERA OAT15A grids released
- **August, 2024**
 - AVIATION in-person meeting
- **August, 2024**
 - First look of Test Case 2/3 grids
- **Winter, 2024 (?)**
 - Mini Workshop 1
- **January, 2025**
 - SciTech in-person meeting
- **July, 2025**
 - AVIATION in-person meeting
- **Summer/Fall, 2025 (?)**
 - Mini Workshop 2
- **January, 2026**
 - SciTech in-person meeting
- **February, 2026**
 - Delivery of final data set (perhaps alternate submissions prior to this date)
- **June, 2026**
 - Workshop in San Diego, CA

Working Group Meeting Cadence

- **Currently set up for 10:00 Eastern time on third Friday of each month**
 - A suitable meeting time is very difficult for global participants
 - Recurring meeting invite sent
- **Next meeting: July 19th**
- **Workshop-wide meeting at AIAA AVIATION (July 30 @ 7pm)**



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- Please carefully follow filename and auxiliary data information on the website
- **Case 1a**
 - Required data
 - F&M (DPW8-AePW4_ForceMomentAveraged_v1.dat)
 - C_p cut (DPW8-AePW4_SectionalCutsAveraged_v1.dat)
 - Optional data set supplement
 - Boundary layer profile data (DPW8-AePW4_BoundaryLayerAveraged_v1.dat)

NASA NTF Deformation Data

- **NTF 197**

Configuration	Re#=5M	Re#=19.8M LoQ	Re#=19.8M HiQ	Re#=30M
WB			X	X
WBT(0)	X	X	X	X
WBPN	X			

- **NTF 215**

Configuration	Re#=5M	Re#=19.8M LoQ	Re#=19.8M HiQ	Re#=30M
WB	X	X	X	X
WBT(0)	X	X	X	
WBPN	X			



ETW Deformation Data

- ETW ESWI^{RP}

Configuration	Re#=5M	Re#=19.8M LoQ	Re#=19.8M HiQ	Re#=30M
WB				
WBT(0)	X	X	X	X
WBPN				

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