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Direct computation of jet noise using Large Eddy Simulation

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Outline

• Introduction : experimental results and open questions on jet noise

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 - effects of nozzle-exit turbulence level
 - effects of Reynolds number
- Influence of jet temperature
- Concluding remarks

• Motivations

investigation of real jets (full scale, complex nozzle geometry, heated, two streams, chevrons, installation effects ...)

- providing reliable predictions and better understanding
- $-\operatorname{giving}$ insight for flow control and noise reduction

Reynolds numbers $\text{Re}_D = u_j D/\nu \sim 10^7$ difficult to reach in experiments and simulations \rightarrow studies at lower Re_D (DNS $\sim 10^3$, LES/exp. $\sim 10^5$) and most are for unheated jets



High-bypass-ratio nozzle (CFM56 type) (Loheac *et al.*, SNECMA, 2004)



QTD2 - Boeing - NASA AIAA Paper 2006-2720



Castelain *et al. AIAA J.*, 2008, 45(5)

Effects of initial conditions

• Shear-layer visualizations at $\neq \operatorname{Re}_D$

from Castelain *et al.*, ECL $Re_D = 870,000$





as the Reynolds number increases

- coherent structures are weaker / fine-scale turbulence is stronger
- the laminar-turbulent transition moves upstream,

from the mixing layer to the nozzle boundary layer

- the nozzle-exit flow parameters (boundary-layer momentum thickness δ_{θ}/r_0 and shape factor H, Reynolds number $\text{Re}_{\theta} = u_j \delta_{\theta}/\nu$, peak turbulence level u'_e/u_j) vary

• Effects of initial conditions on flow and sound fields

cf experiments by Hussain & Zedan (1978), Gutmark & Ho (1983), Zaman (1985), Raman et al. (1989), Bridges & Hussain (1987), ...



e.g. sound spectra at 90 deg.
for untripped/tripped jets with
laminar exit conditions
turbulent exit conditions

from Zaman, AIAA J. (1985)

several exit parameters vary and may be unknown in experiments

- \rightarrow what should be prescribed in simulations?
- \rightarrow what is the influence of each parameter?

there is an ongoing discussion on that issue (cf Viswanathan and Clark (2004), Zaman (2012), Karon & Ahuja (2012) and Bogey *et al.* (2010 ...))

• Effects of temperature on flow and sound fields

cf experiments by Witze (1974), Lau (1981), Lepicovsky (1999), Fisher *et al.* (1974), Tanna (1977), Bridges(05), ...

- overall noise increase for $M = u_j/c_a < 0.7$, and reduction for M > 0.7

– noise reduction depending on the emission angle ϕ



- Effects of temperature on noise components
 - decrease of sound levels for all freq. in the sideline direction
 - growth of low-freq. components in the downstream direction, attributed to entropy sources (cf Morfey et al. (1973 ...))
 - ... questioned by Viswanathan (2004) (contamination? Re_D effects?) \rightarrow is this low-freq. amplification obtained in simulations?



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• Numerical methods

- space derivatives : low-dispersion 11-point finite differences
- time integration : low-dispersion low-dissipation 6-stage Runge-Kutta
- 11-point selective filtering to relax subgrid energy
- $-\operatorname{radiation}$ boundary conditions & outflow sponge zone
 - Ref. : J. Comput. Phys., 2004, 194(1) Acta Acustica, 2002, 88(4) J. Comput. Phys., 2007, 224 Phys. Fluids, 2006, (18)6 - J. Fluid Mech., 2009, 627

• LES based on relaxation filtering

the flow variables are filtered explicitly after each time step to avoid pile-up of energy at smallest scales

- grid cut-off wave number (at 2 PPW) and filtering cut-off wave number (at \sim 5 PPW) well separated
- energy drained by the filtering at smallest scales
- largest scales unaffected and damped by molecular viscosity

LES based on relaxation filtering

• In LES, largest scales must be

well calculated, and mainly dissipated by viscosity (not by numeric/SGS models) to capture Reynolds number effects

a priori dissipation functions

$$- ext{ for viscosity}: oldsymbol{
u} k^2 = rac{
u}{\Delta^2} (k\Delta)^2
onumber \ - ext{ for filtering}: rac{\sigma_d}{\Delta t} D_f^*(k\Delta) \quad ext{ with } D_f^* ext{ filter transfer fct}$$





$M = 0.9 \text{ and } Re_D =$ 1700, 2500 and 5000

vorticity and pressure

Ref.: Bogey & Bailly, Phys. Fluids, 2006, 18 - TCFD, 2006, 20(1)

• LES parameters

- grid containing $n_r \times n_\theta \times n_z = 256 \times 1024 \times 962 = 252$ million points with $\Delta r/r_0 = 0.35\%$, $r\Delta \theta/r_0 = 0.6\%$, $\Delta z/r_0 = 0.7\%$ at the nozzle lip
- -164,000 time steps

the baseline LES of an isoT jet at $\text{Re}_D = 10^5$ shown to be accurate see Bogey *et al.*, *PoF*, 2011, 23(3)

- \rightarrow the LES of the other jets with $\text{Re}_D \leq 10^5$ very likely reliable
- Far-field wave propagation
 - to $60r_0$ from the nozzle exit
 - by solving the isentropic linearized Euler eq.
 - from LES fields on a surface at $r = 6.5r_0$
 - $-n_r imes n_ heta imes n_z = 835 imes 256 imes 1155 = 247 imes 10^6$



Jet inflow specification

• Boundary-layer tripping in a $2r_0$ -long pipe

- Blasius laminar profile at the pipe inlet
- addition at $z = -r_0$ of random vortical disturbances of magnitude chosen to provide the intended value of u'_e/u_j

– laminar mean profile at exit (H $\simeq 2.3$)





• Spectra of velocity u'_z at $r = r_0$ and $z = 0.4r_0$

vs axial and azimuthal wave numbers normalized by exit BL thickness δ



— baseline LES of an isoT jet at $\text{Re}_D = 10^5$ with $u'_e/u_j = 9\%$

--- LES with twice the resolution • DNS (turb. pipe flow, Eggels et al. (1994))

 \rightarrow qualitative agreement with spectra in turbulent pipe flow and TBL (Tomkins & Adrian (PIV, 2005)) see Bogey *et al.*, PoF, 2011, 23(9)

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• Objective

identify and distinguish between the effects of initial turbulence level and Reynolds number on laboratory-scale subsonic jets ($\text{Re}_D \simeq 10^5$)

• LES of isothermal round jets at Mach M = 0.9

exiting from a pipe with similar Blasius BL velocity profiles of thickness $\delta_0 = 0.15r_0$ (momentum thickness $\delta_{\theta} = 0.018r_0$) and various peak turbulence intensities u'_e/u_j

 $\rightarrow 4 \text{ jets with } \operatorname{Re}_D = 10^5 \text{ and } u'_e/u_j = 3\%, 6\%, 9\% \text{ or } 12\%$ $(\delta_\theta = 0.018r_0 \text{ yielding } \operatorname{Re}_\theta \simeq 900)$

see in J. Fluid Mech., 2012, 701

 $\rightarrow 4$ jets with $u'_e/u_j = 9\%$ and $\text{Re}_D = 2.5 \times 10^4$, 5×10^4 , 10^5 or 2×10^5 (and $\text{Re}_{\theta} = 251$, 486, 943 or 1856)

see in *PoF*, 2012, 24(10)

- Vorticity norm in the shear layers up to $z = 3.75r_0$
 - \rightarrow jets with $\text{Re}_D = 10^5$ and





 \rightarrow large-scale structures observed at $u'_e/u_j = 3\%$ and $\text{Re}_D = 2.5 \times 10^4$ but stronger fine-scale turbulence with increasing u'_e/u_j or Re_D

• Momentum thickness

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 ${
m Re}_D=2.5 imes 10^4
earrow 2 imes 10^5$ $u_e^\prime/u_j=3\%
earrow 12\%$ 0.3 0.3 0.25 0.25 0.2 0.2 δ_θ / r_0 δ_θ / r_0 0.15 0.15 0.1 0.1 u'_e $Re \nearrow$ 0.05 0.05 0 0 8 2 2 4 10 8 10 0 6 0 4 6 z/r₀ z/r₀

 \rightarrow for higher u'_e/u_j or Re_D , the shear layers develop more slowly with lower spreading rates

• Peak axial turbulence intensities

 $u_e^\prime/u_j=3\%
earrow 12\%$

 ${
m Re}_D=2.5 imes 10^4
earrow 2 imes 10^5$



 \rightarrow lower rms velocities for higher u'_e/u_j or Re_D

 \rightarrow overshoot at $u'_e/u_j = 3\%$ and $\operatorname{Re}_D = 2.5 \times 10^4$ but nearly monotonical trend at $u'_e/u_j = 12\%$ and $\operatorname{Re}_D = 2 \times 10^5$

Effects of jet initial conditions

• Fluctuating pressure



• Sound levels at 60 radii from the nozzle exit

 $u_e^\prime/u_j=3\%
earrow 12\%$

 ${
m Re}_D=2.5 imes 10^4
earrow 2 imes 10^5$



 $\triangleright, +, \times$ measurements at $\operatorname{Re}_D \geq 5 \times 10^5$

 \rightarrow as u'_e/u_j or Re_D increase, OASPL decrease and become closer to those for high-Re_D not very likely to generate vortex-pairing noise • Sound spectra at 60 deg.

 $u_e^\prime/u_j=3\%
earrow 12\%$

 ${
m Re}_D=2.5 imes 10^4
earrow 2 imes 10^5$



 \triangleright measurements at $\operatorname{Re}_D \geq 5 \times 10^5$ $\operatorname{St}_{\theta} = 0.007$ (half of ML dominant freq.)

 \rightarrow as u'_e/u_j or Re_D increase, the extra hump wrt high- Re_D measurements is weaker, as large-scale structures no longer dominate the shear layers

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• Objective

to identify and distinguish btw temperature and Reynolds number effects on heated laboratory-scale subsonic jets see AIAA-2013-2140 Q: is the downstream low-freq. noise amplification due to Re_D ?

• LES of round jets at Mach M = 0.9

exiting from a pipe with similar Blasius BL velocity profiles of thickness $\delta_0 = 0.15r_0$ (momentum thickness $\delta_{\theta} = 0.018r_0$) and peak turbulence intensities u'_e/u_j

 \rightarrow one isoT jet at $\text{Re}_D = 10^5$

 \rightarrow two hot jets at $T_j = 1.5T_a$ and at $T_j = 2.25T_a$ with the same diameter as the isoT jet, yielding $\text{Re}_D = 5 \times 10^4$ and $\text{Re}_D = 2.5 \times 10^4$ due to the variations of viscosity with T_j

 \rightarrow one hot jet at $T_j = 1.5T_a$ with the same $\text{Re}_D = 10^5$ as the isoT jet

• Shear-layer development



 \rightarrow with heating, the shear layers develop more rapidly with higher turbulence intensities for the jets at identical D, but shows much less change for a constant Re_D

... strong Reynolds nb effects

Effects of jet temperature

• Vorticity norm in the jets and pressure outside

with heating :

 \rightarrow emission of additionnal sound waves in the mixing layers for a constant D

 $\rightarrow \text{lower noise in the}$ upstream direction
at a fixed Re_D



Effects of jet temperature

• Sound levels at $d = 60r_0$ vs emission angle ϕ

OASPL comp. with exp. data OASPL (dB) OASPL (dB) ϕ (deg.) (deg.)

---- isoT, ---- $T_j = 1.5T_a$, ---- $T_j = 2.25T_a$ for the same D (and Re_D) ---- $T_j = 1.5T_a$ for the same Re_D as the isoT case exp. data for M = 0.9 jets with D = 5.1cm from Tanna and Bridges :

--- isoT / --- $T_j = 2.3T_a$ at d = 72D, --- $\operatorname{cold}/\operatorname{---} T_j = 1.43T_a$ at d = 40D

 \rightarrow with heating, more noise for the same D, less noise for equal Re_D ... in the latter, resemblance to exp. data for high Re_D • Difference in sound spectra wrt the isoT case vs $St_D = fD/u_j$

at $\phi = 30^{\circ}$



---- $T_j = 1.5T_a$, ---- $T_j = 2.25T_a$ for the same D (and $\operatorname{Re}_D \searrow$) ---- $T_j = 1.5T_a$ for the same Re_D as the isoT case

 \rightarrow emergence of a low-freq. component independently of Re_D and reduction of high-freq. noise, in agreement with exp. of Tanna (1977)

... low-freq. amplification due to entropy noise sources?

• Difference in sound spectra wrt the isoT case vs $St_D = fD/u_j$

at $\phi = 60^{\circ}$



 $--- T_j = 1.5T_a, --- T_j = 2.25T_a \text{ for the same } D \text{ (and } \operatorname{Re}_D \text{)}$ $--- T_j = 1.5T_a \text{ for the same } \operatorname{Re}_D \text{ as the isoT case}$

--- 1/8, 1/4 and 1/2 of the freq. initially dominating in the mixing layers

- \rightarrow extra noise components as Re_D decreases
- ... generation of vortex-pairing noise?

• Difference in sound spectra wrt the isoT case vs $St_D = fD/u_j$

at $\phi = 90^{\circ}$



 $--- T_j = 1.5T_a, --- T_j = 2.25T_a \text{ for the same } D \text{ (and } \operatorname{Re}_D \text{)}$ $--- T_j = 1.5T_a \text{ for the same } \operatorname{Re}_D \text{ as the isoT case}$

exp. data for M = 0.9 jets with D = 5.1cm: \triangledown btw cold and $T_j = 1.43T_a$ (Bridges)

 \rightarrow for the jet at $\text{Re}_D = 10^5$, noise reduction for nearly all freq. in line with exp. of Tanna (1977) and Bridges (2005)

• Large-Eddy Simulations of jets

even still expensive, they can now allow us to carefully investigate problems encountered for laboratory-scale jets

... and to complement and clarify experimental results

e.g. regarding effects difficult to distinguish, which can mutually amplify or oppose one another

- effects of Reynolds number $(\text{Re}_D/\text{Re}_{\theta})$ and exit turbulence levels
- effects of temperature and Reynolds number
- They are mature enough to
 - provide a better understanding of noise generation mechanisms
 - be applied to more complex configurations

• Shear-layer visualizations at different Re_D

 ${
m Re}_D = 870,000$



from Castelain et al., ECL

the nozzle-exit parameters vary with Re_D , including

- the boundary-layer momentum thickness δ_{θ}/r_0 (~ 0.1 1%) and its corresponding Reynolds number $\text{Re}_{\theta} = u_j \delta_{\theta}/\nu$
- the peak turbulence level $u'_e/u_j~(\sim 0-10\%)$
- the shape factor $H = \delta^* / \delta_{\theta}$ of the mean velocity profile (H $\simeq 2.5$: Blasius laminar profile - H $\simeq 1.4$ turbulent profile)

• Initial flow state at the nozzle exit



peak exit rms velocity u'_e/u_j for jets with Re_D between 50,000 and 300,000

from Zaman, AIAA J. (1985)

 $- ext{ for } \operatorname{Re}_D \lesssim 100,000 : u'_e/u_j < 1\% ext{ and } \operatorname{H} \simeq 2.5$ $o ext{ the jets are initially fully laminar}$

 $- ext{ for } 100,000 \lesssim ext{Re}_D \lesssim 500,000: 1\% \leq u'_e/u_j \leq 10\% \ o ext{ the jets are initially transitional}$

 $- ext{ for } \operatorname{Re}_D \gtrsim 500,000 : u'_e/u_j \simeq 10\% ext{ and } \operatorname{H} \simeq 1.4$ $o ext{ the jets are initially fully turbulent}$

Effects of jet initial conditions

• Nozzle-exit flow profiles for the jets with $\text{Re}_D = 10^5$ and $u'_e/u_j \nearrow$



 \rightarrow as desired, laminar velocity profiles (H $\simeq 2.3$), momentum thickness $\delta_{\theta} \simeq 0.018 r_0$, and rms velocity peaks $u'_e/u_j = 3, 6, 9, 12\%$

 δ_{θ} yielding momentum Reynolds numbers $\operatorname{Re}_{\theta} \simeq 900$

Effects of jet initial conditions

• Nozzle-exit flow profiles for the jets with $u'_e/u_j = 9\%$ and $\operatorname{Re}_D \nearrow$



 \rightarrow as desired, laminar velocity profiles (H $\simeq 2.3$), momentum thickness $\delta_{\theta} \simeq 0.018 r_0$, and rms velocity peaks $u'_e/u_j \simeq 9\%$

 δ_{θ} providing momentum Reynolds numbers $\text{Re}_{\theta} = 251, 477, 925$ and 1830

• Centerline mean axial velocity

 $u_e^\prime/u_j=3\%
earrow 12\%$

 ${
m Re}_D=2.5 imes 10^4
earrow 2 imes 10^5$



o, \diamond , \Box measurements for Mach 0.9 jets at $\text{Re}_D \geq 5 \times 10^5$

- \rightarrow with rising u'_e/u_j or Re_D , the jet spreads farther downstream
- ... fair agreement with high Re_D data

• Centerline axial turbulence intensities

 $u_e^\prime/u_j=3\%
earrow 12\%$

 ${
m Re}_D=2.5 imes 10^4
earrow 2 imes 10^5$



o, \diamond , \Box measurements for Mach 0.9 jets at $\text{Re}_D \geq 5 \times 10^5$

 \rightarrow as u'_e/u_j or Re_D increase, rms velocity peaks are reached farther downstream but do not differ much

Effects of jet initial conditions



pressure fields

for the jets with $u'_e/u_j =$ 9% and $\operatorname{Re}_D \nearrow$

 \rightarrow strong waves emitted between $z = 2r_0$ and $z = 5r_0$ at lower Re_D , attenuated at higher Re_D

• Nozzle-exit profiles

mean axial velocity $\langle u_z \rangle / u_i$ rms axial velocity $[u'_{z}]_{rms}/u_{j}$ 1.1 0.10.09 0.8 <u'_zu'_z>^{1/2}/u_i <u >/u 0.06 0.6 0.4 0.03 0.2 0 0.8 0.85 0.9 0.95 0.85 0.9 0.95 0.8 r/r r/r₀ ---- isoT, ---- $T_j = 1.5T_a$, ----- $T_j = 2.25T_a$ for the same D (and $\operatorname{Re}_D \searrow$) $--- T_j = 1.5T_a$ for the same Re_D as the isoT case \circ exp. data for a $\text{Re}_D = 10^5$ tripped jet

 \rightarrow as desired, (laminar) Blasius velocity profiles (shape factor $H \simeq 2.3$), momentum thickness $\delta_{\theta} \simeq 0.019 r_0$, and rms velocity peak $u'_e/u_j \simeq 9\%$

... δ_{θ} providing $\text{Re}_{\theta} = 943$, 485, 254 and 941

 \bullet Vorticity norm in the shear layers up to $z=3r_0$



 \rightarrow stronger large-scale structures in the hot jets with equal diameter and decreasing Re_D

 \rightarrow similar vorticity fields for a constant Re_D

Effects of jet temperature

• Centerline mean axial velocity u_c/u_j



----- isoT, ----- $T_j = 1.5T_a$, ----- $T_j = 2.25T_a$ for the same D (and $\operatorname{Re}_D \searrow$) ----- $T_j = 1.5T_a$ for the same Re_D as the isoT case

exp. data at M = 0.9 and Re $_D \geq 4 \times 10^5$: \triangledown , \diamond , \square $T_j \simeq T_a$, \land $T_j = 1.76T_a$

 \rightarrow in all cases, the potential core shortens and the velocity decay is faster with heating, in good agreement with exp. data

... temperature effects are predominant

• Centerline turbulence intensities

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rms axial velocity $[u'_z]_{rms}/u_j$



----- isoT, ----- $T_j = 1.5T_a$, ----- $T_j = 2.25T_a$ for the same D (and $\operatorname{Re}_D \searrow$) ----- $T_j = 1.5T_a$ for the same Re_D as the isoT case

exp. data at M = 0.9 and Re_D $\geq 4 \times 10^5$: \diamond , $\Box T_j \simeq T_a$

 \rightarrow with rising temperature, the peak turbulence intensities increase, in agreement with exp. findings of Bridges (2006)

LES of jet noise carried out since 2000

- Simulations without nozzle
 - of subsonic jets at Mach M = 0.9:
 - feasibility (JEAN)
 - influence of forcing

- TCFD, 2003, 16(4)- C&F, 2006, 35(10)
 - AIAA J, 2005, 43(5)
- influence of subgrid-scale model (Smagorinsky vs filtering)

AIAA J, 2005, 43(2) - PoF, 2006, 18(6) - IJHHF, 2006, 27

– analysis of two noise components for Reynolds $\text{Re}_D \leq 10,000$

TCFD, 2006, 20(10) - JFM, 2007, 583

• Simulations with pipe nozzle

preliminary simulations :

- single-stream subsonic jet
- supersonic screeching jet
- dual-stream jet (CoJeN)

IJA, 2008, 7(1)

- PoF, 2007, 19(7)
- PoF, 2009, 21(3)

LES of jet noise carried out since 2000

recent simulations with pipe nozzle :

- $-jet at M = 3.3 and Re_D = 100,000$ AIAA J, 2011, 49(10)
- initially laminar jets at M = 0.9 and $Re_D = 100,000$

JFM, 2011, 23(3)

- initially turbulent jets at M = 0.9 and $Re_D \simeq 100,000$
 - \rightarrow grid convergence and investigation of exit turbulence
 - PoF, 2011, 23(3) PoF, 2011, 23(9) \rightarrow effets of initial turbulence JFM, 2012, 701 \rightarrow effets of Reynolds number PoF, 2012, 24(10) \rightarrow effets of exit-boundary-layer thickness PoF, 2013, 25(05)

ongoing work :

-heated jets at M = 0.9 and $Re_D \simeq 100,000$ AIAA-2013-2140

papers available at http://acoustique.ec-lyon.fr/caapubli_fr.php

About grid resolution in jet LES

• Highest resolutions in recent LES of subsonic single jets

\rightarrow jet conditions

	${ m Re}_D$	$\operatorname{Re}_{ heta}$	δ_{BL}/r_0	BL trip	u_e^\prime/u_j	initial state
Bogey & Bailly (JFM, 2010)	10^5	1200	0.2	no	< 1%	fully laminar
Bogey et al. (PoF, 2011)	10^5	900	0.15	yes	$\sim 9\%$	nominally turbulent
Shur et al. (JSV, 2011)	$1.1 imes10^{6}$	550	0.016	DES	na	na

\rightarrow grid resolutions wrt δ_{BL}

	$n_r imes n_ heta imes n_z$	$\delta/\Delta r_{min}$	$\delta/(r_0\Delta heta)$	$\delta/\Delta z_e$	remarks
Bogey	173 imes256 imes505	7	8.1	3.5	similar results
(2010)					when $\Delta r \ \& \ \Delta z/2$
Bogey	256 imes 1024 imes 962	41	24	21	very close mixing layer solutions
(2011)					when $\delta/\Delta r,\delta/(r_0\Delta heta)$ & $\delta/\Delta z imes 2$
Shur (2011)	158 imes 240 imes 601	4.4	0.6	1.6	

in Bogey (2011) : integral length scales shown to be well discretized and affected by molecular viscosity rather than by the sgs model
