

Performances aero-thermiques de grilles d'aubes de turbines HP et aérodynamiques de turbines BP en conditions représentatives de fonctionnement moteur

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High-Pressure Gas Turbine Nozzle Blades

LS 89 – Uncooled nozzle guide vane

$Re_{2,is,c} : 5.5 \cdot 10^5 - 2 \cdot 10^6$

$Tu_{\infty} : 1 \% - 6 \% \rightarrow 25 \%$

$M_{2,is} : \text{subsonic} - \text{transonic}$

Gas/wall temp ratio : 1.1 – 1.5

Aero and heat flux data (uniform temperature wall BC)

LS 94 – Film cooled version of LS 89

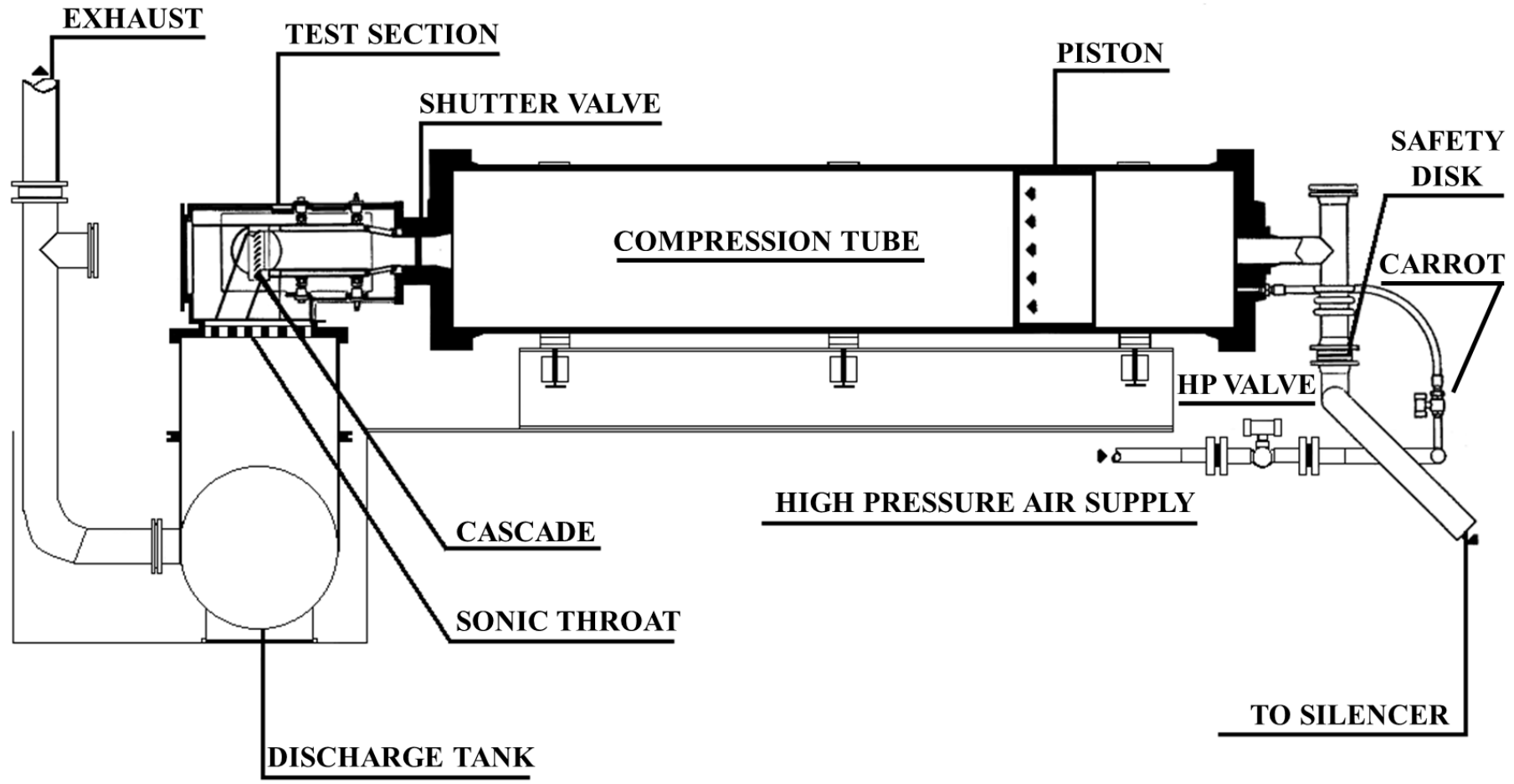
Suction/Pressure side film cooling

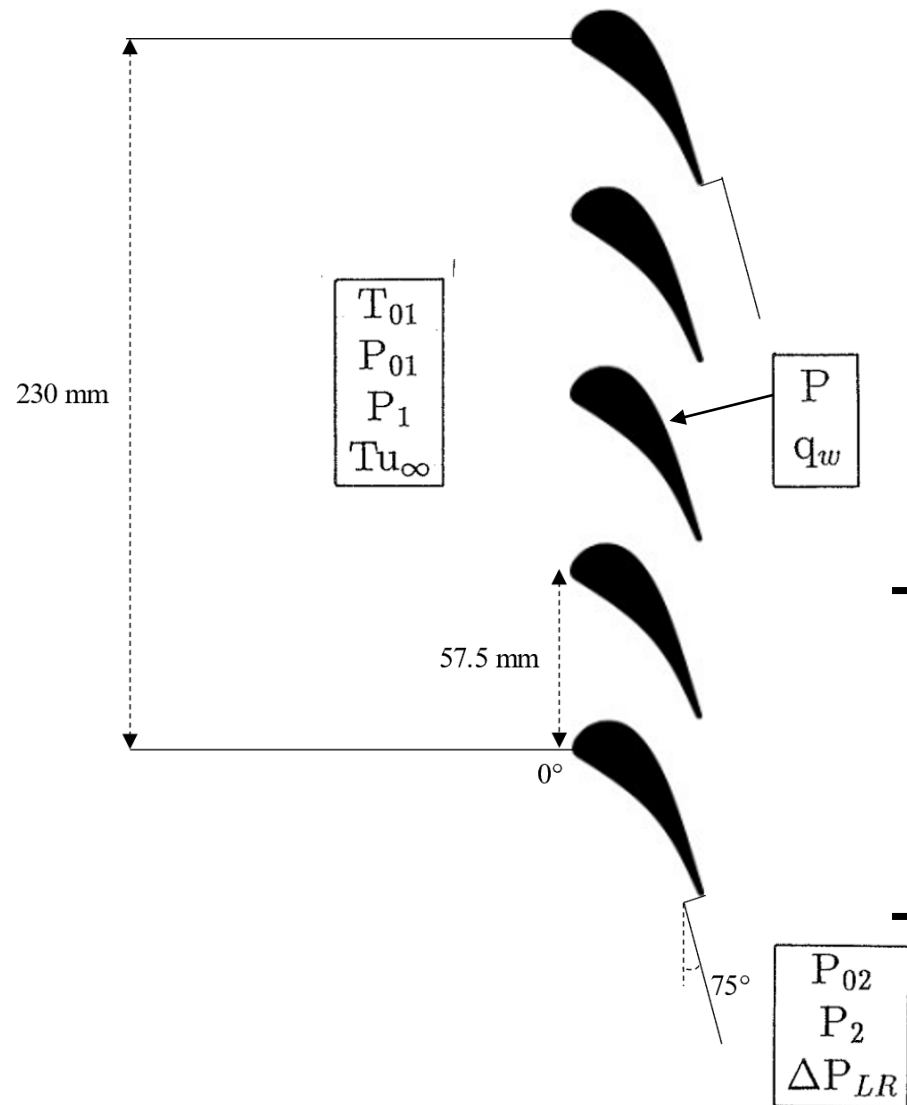
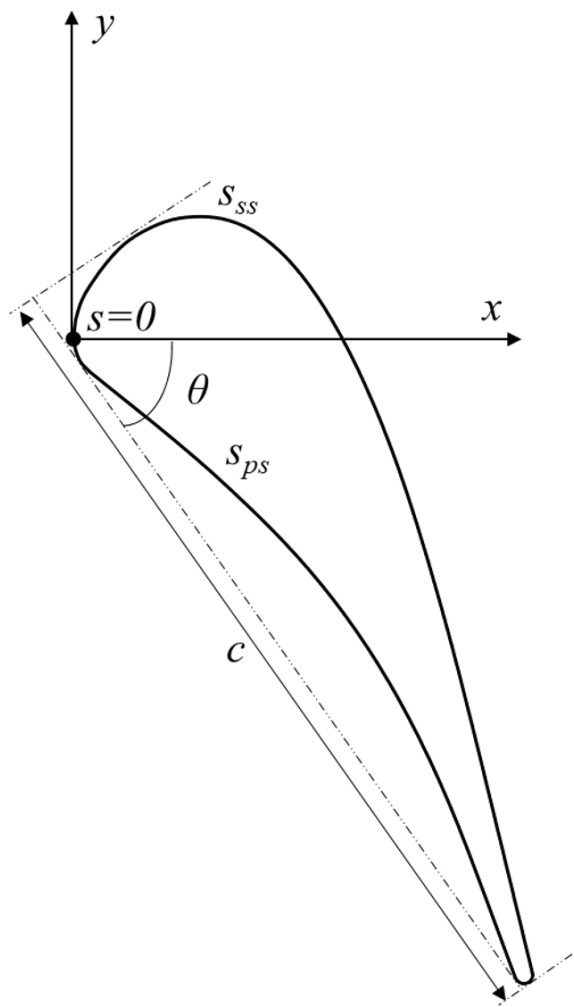
Similar boundary conditions

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Steady inlet and exit boundary conditions

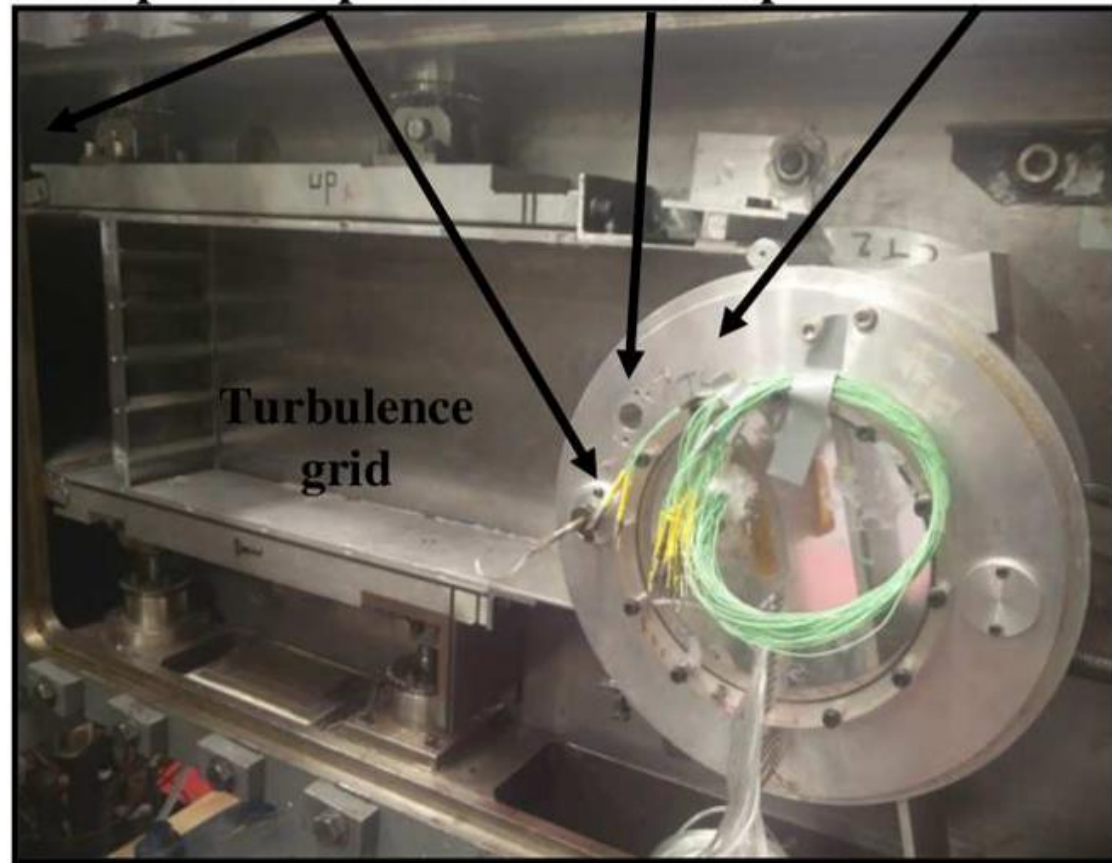
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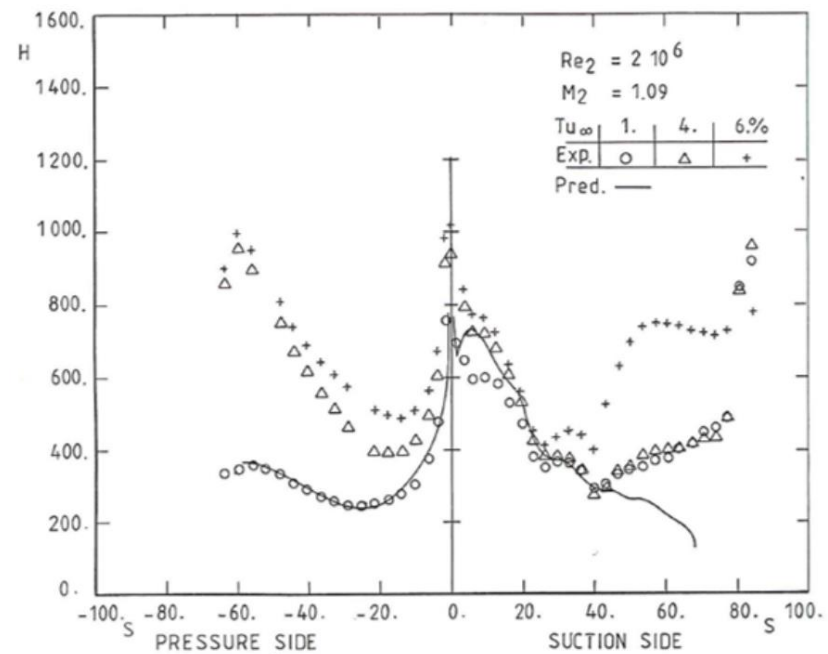
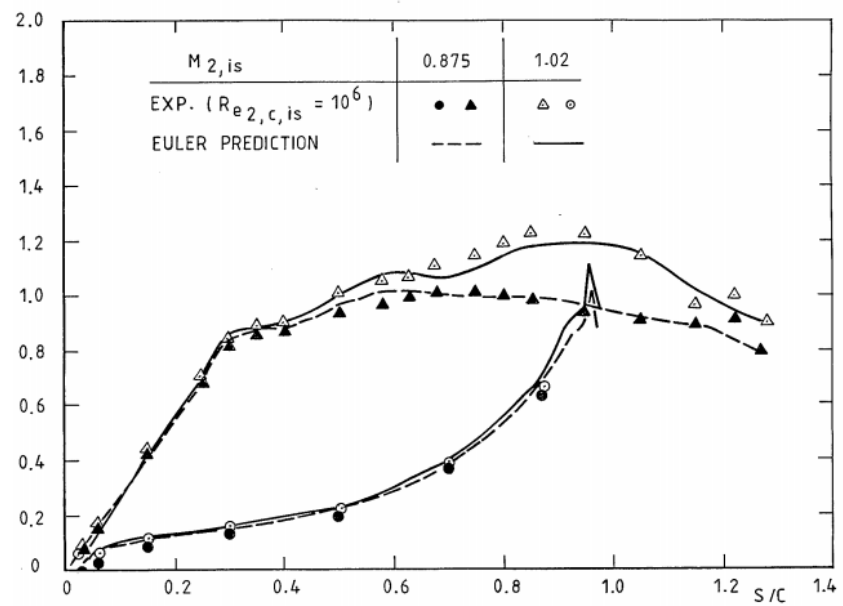
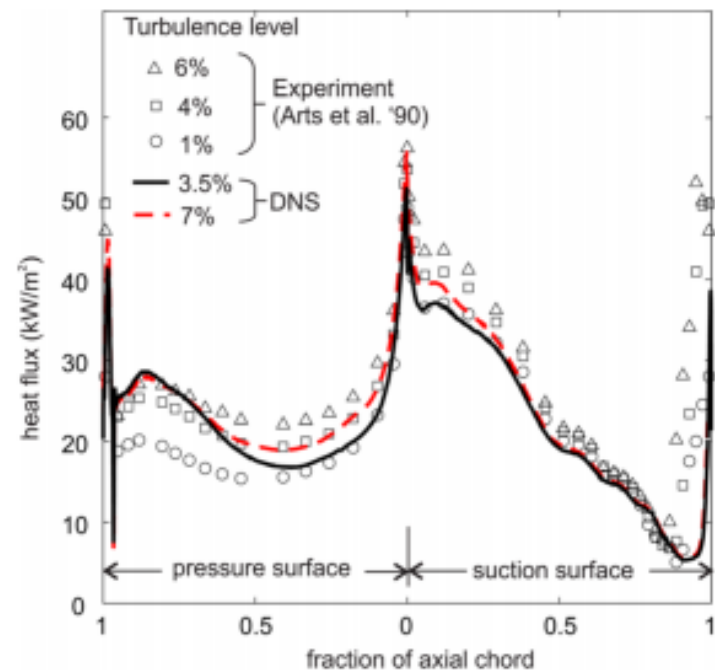
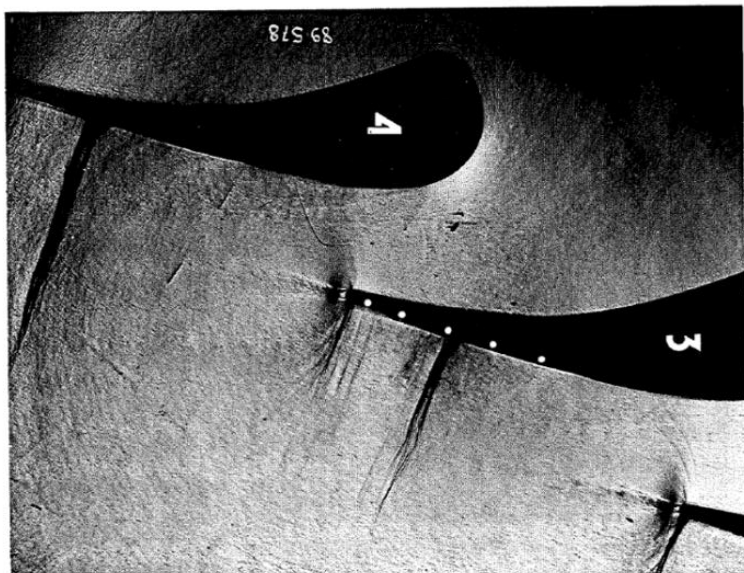
c	: 67.647 mm
g/c	: 0.850
γ	: 55.0 deg (from axial direction)
o/c	: 0.2207
T_{LE}/c	: 0.061 (evaluated around stagnation point)
T_{TE}/c	: 0.0105

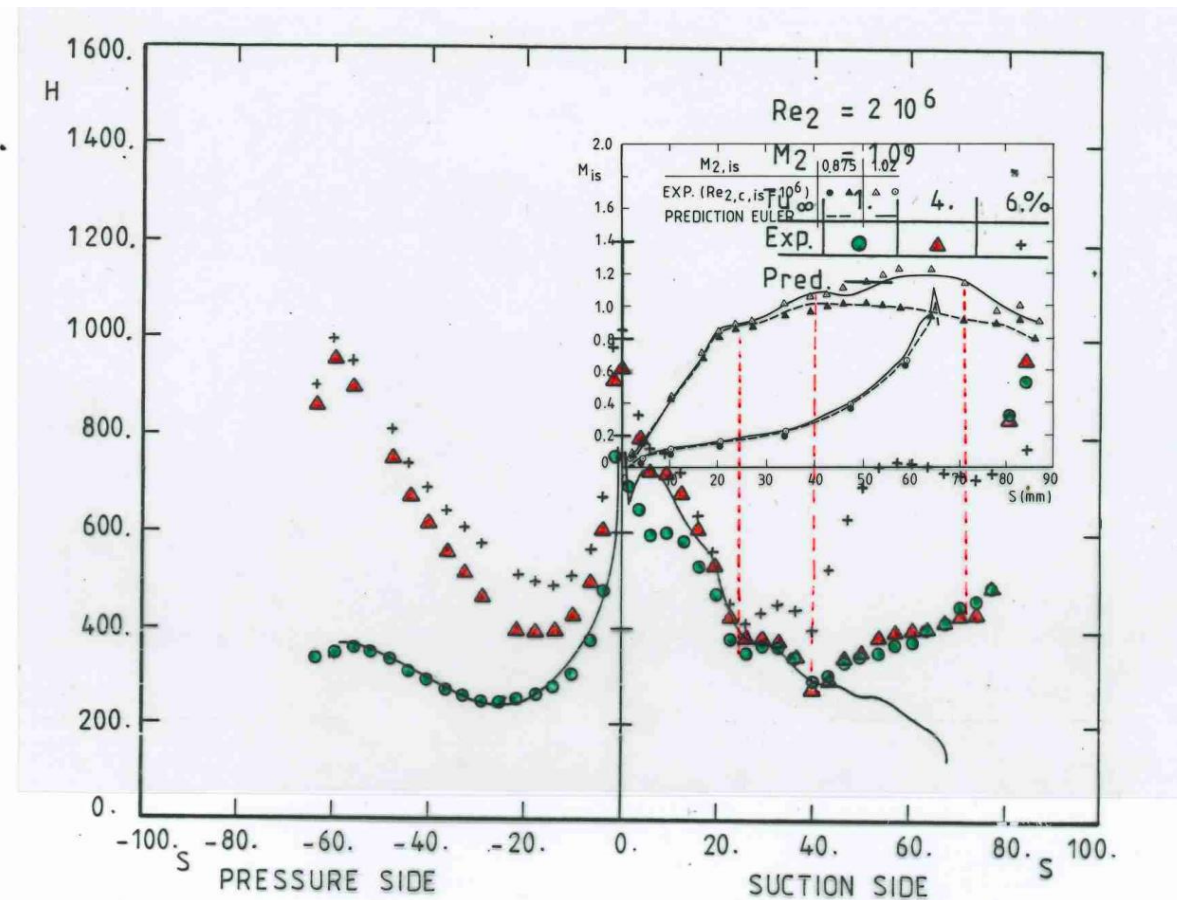
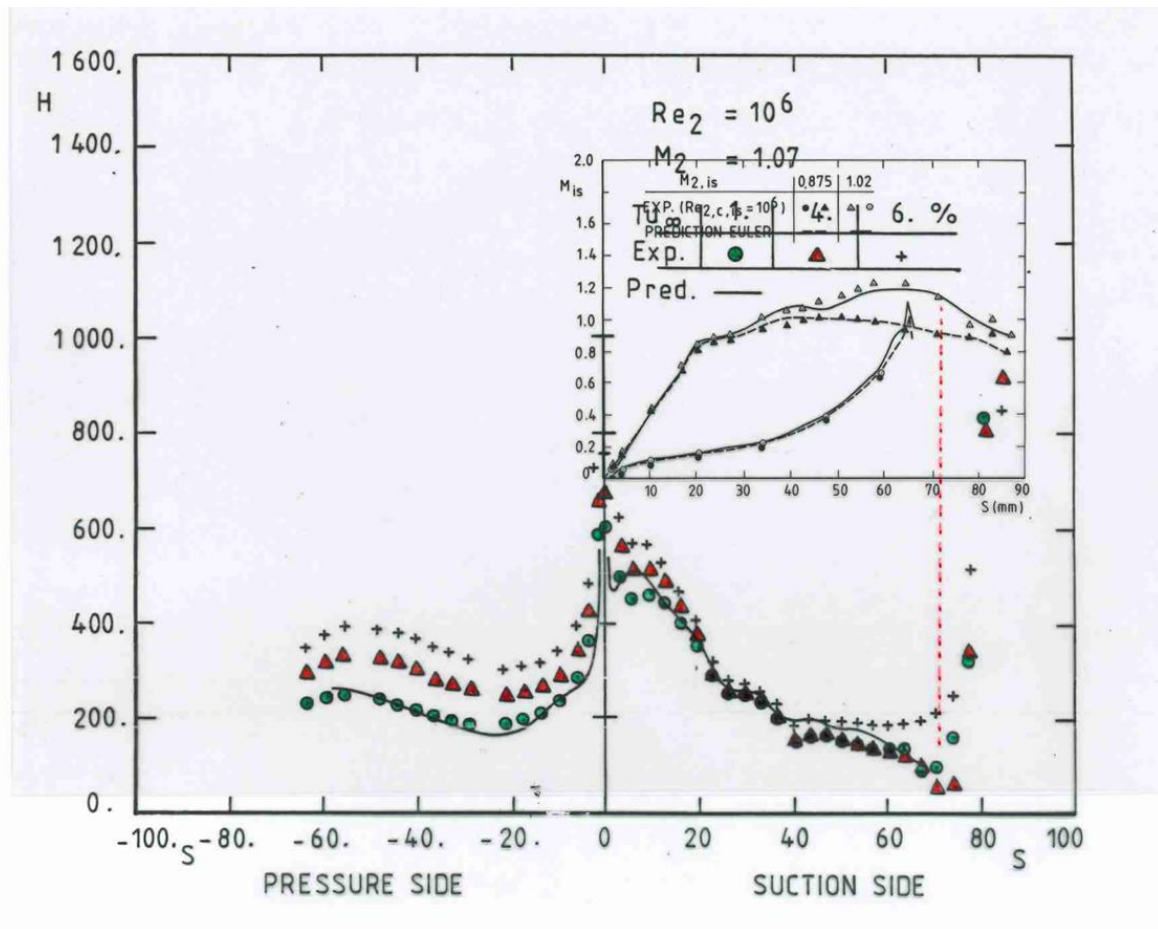
Total pressure probe Thermocouple Hot-wire Linear cascade



Wall pressure taps up/downstream

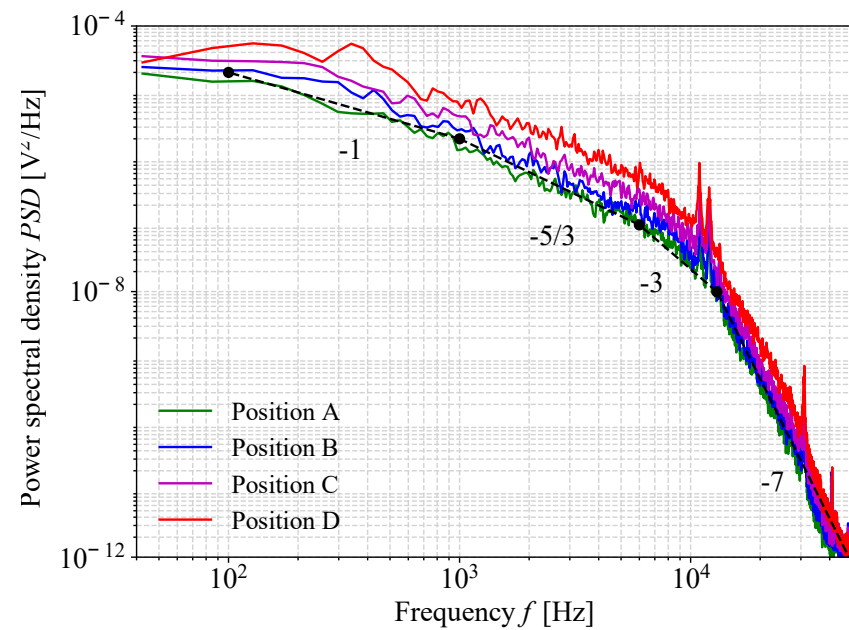
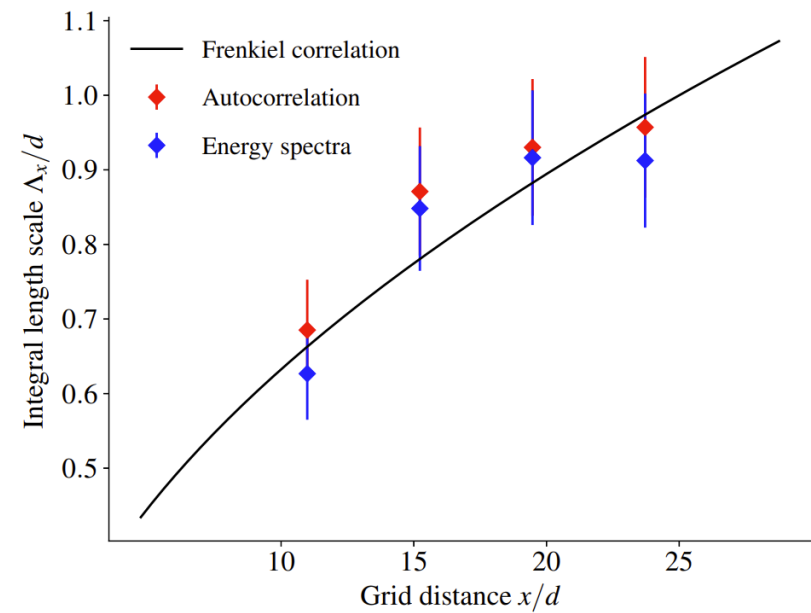
Thin films

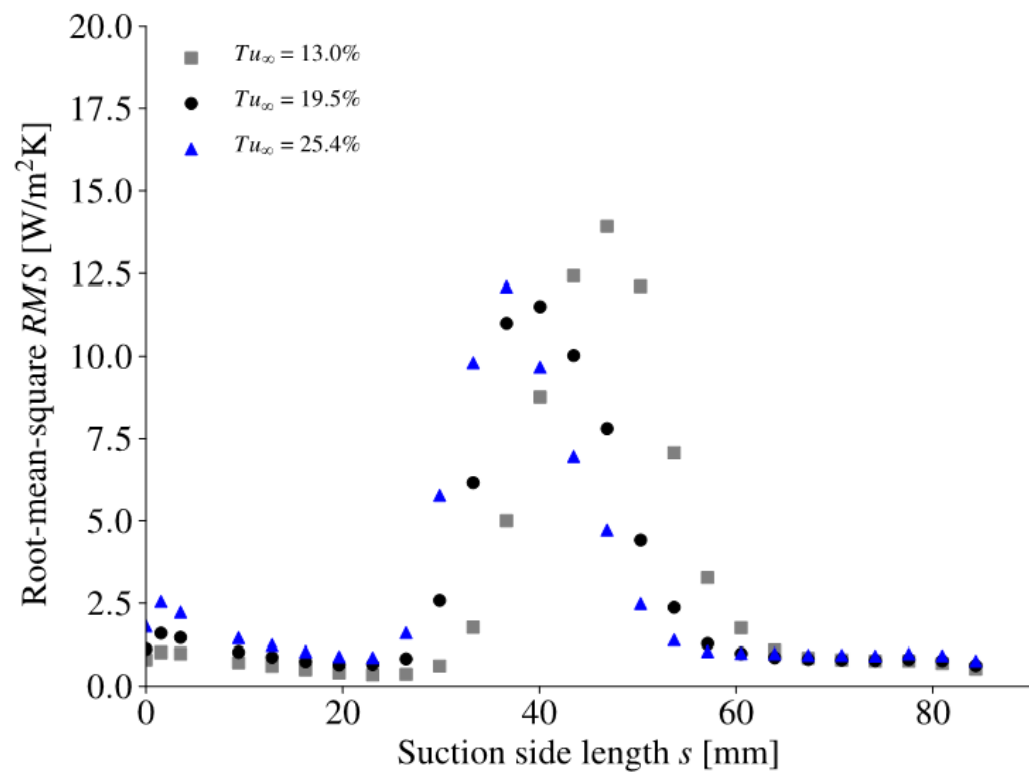
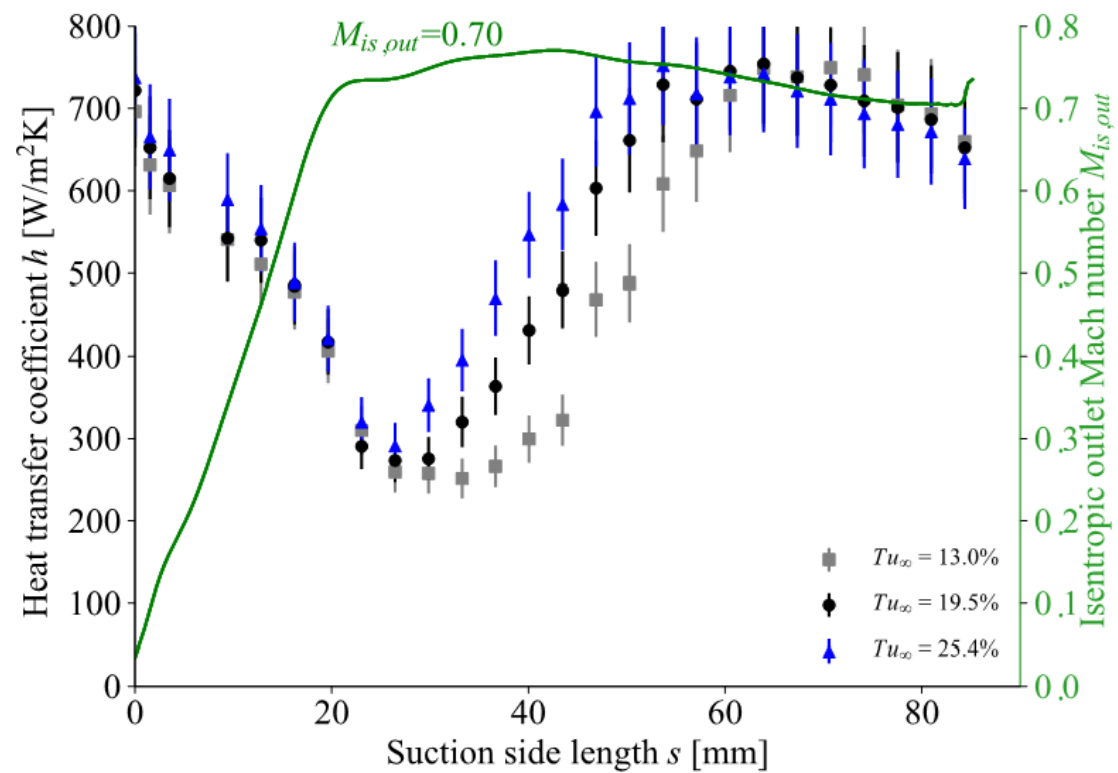




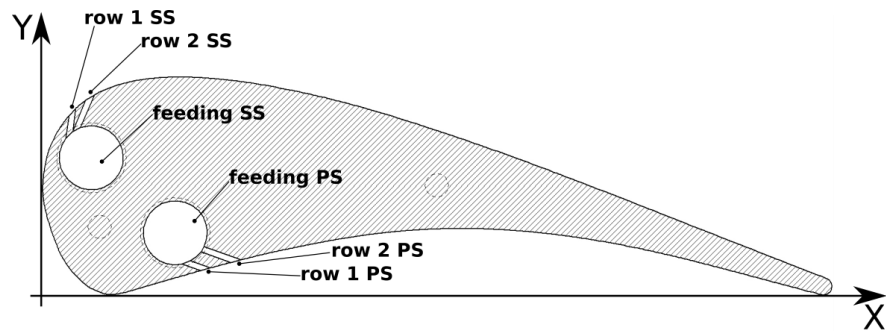


Grid	Square	Diamond
Position	Turbulence intensity [%]	
A	8.80	13.0
B	9.80	13.4
C	12.3	18.0
D	15.8	24.7



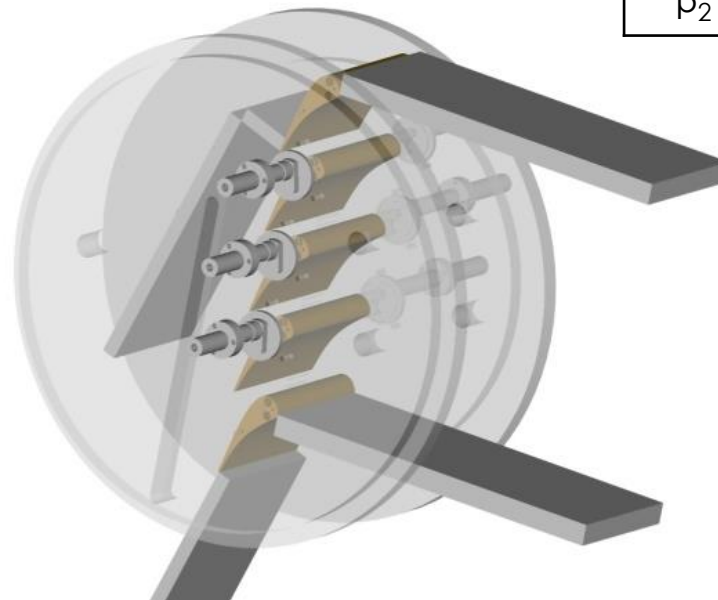


LS 94

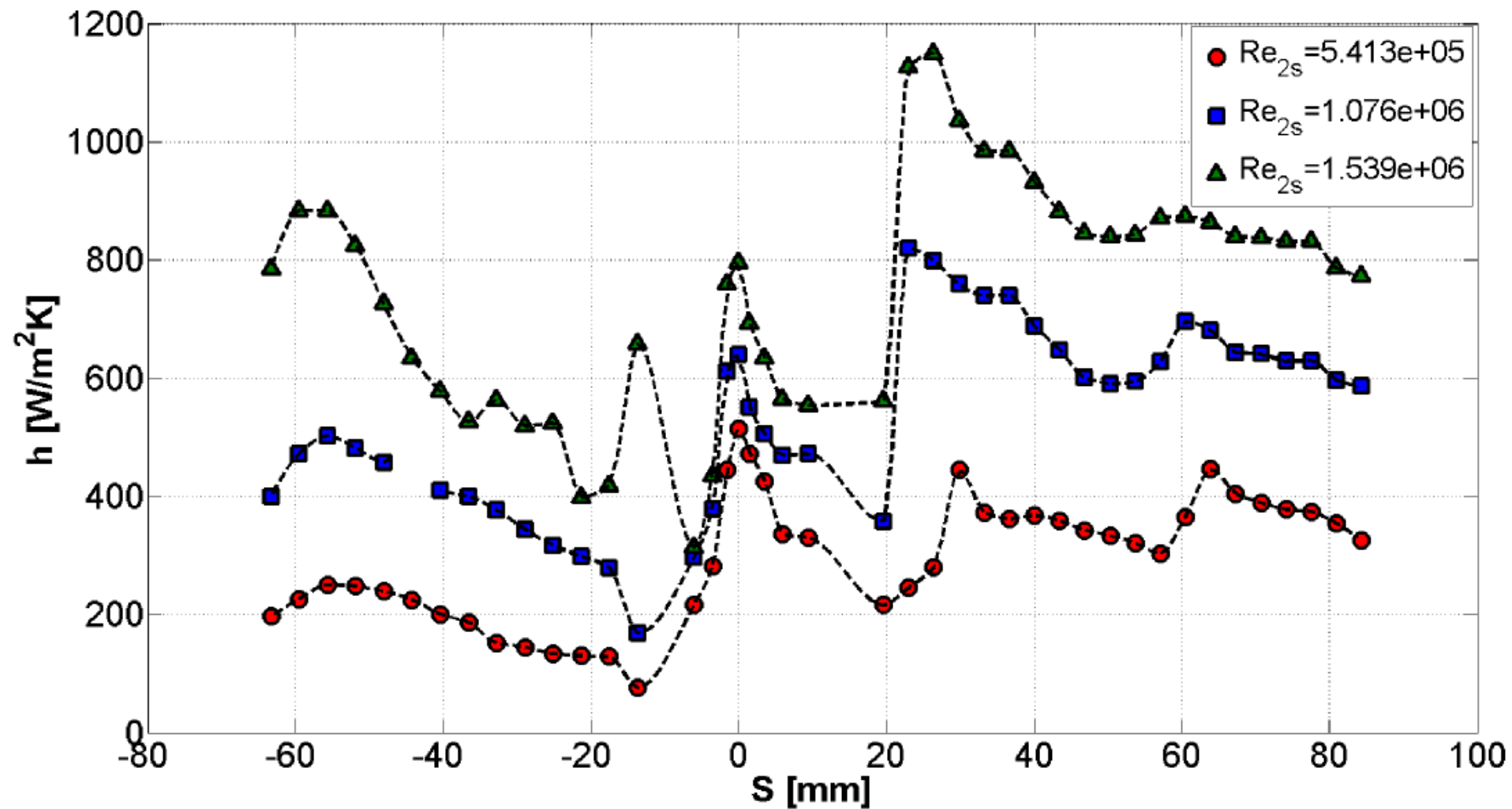


5 blades linear cascade	
c [mm]	67.47
h [mm]	100
g/c	0.85
γ [°]	55
o/c	0.2207
β_2 [°]	≈ 75

Cooling Geometry	PS Two // rows	SS Two rows
Diameter [mm] Cylindrical Holes	0.5	0.5
Inclination [°]	35 - //	35

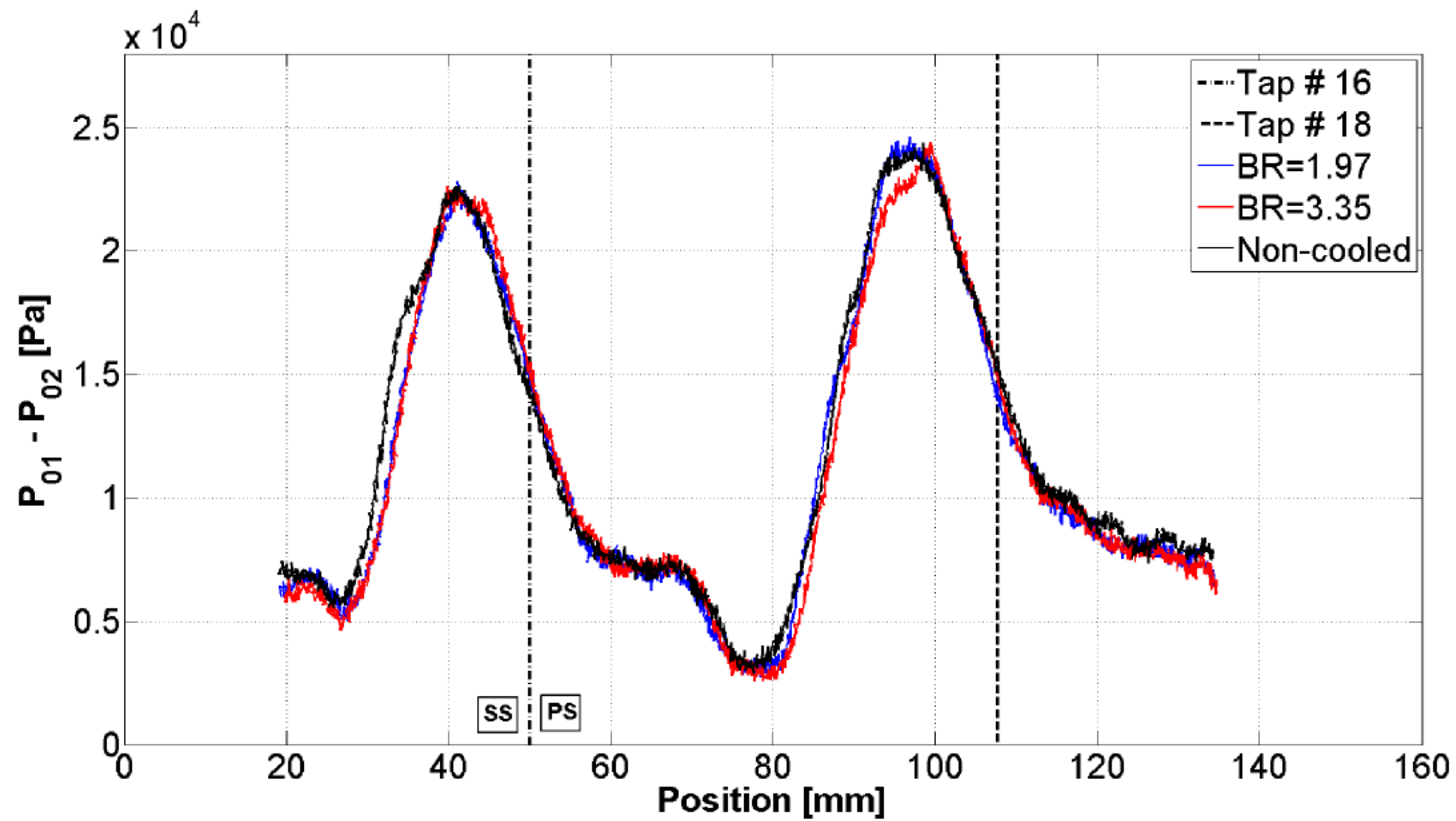


Convective heat-transfer coefficient distribution



$Ma_{2s} = 0.9 - Tu = 1\%$

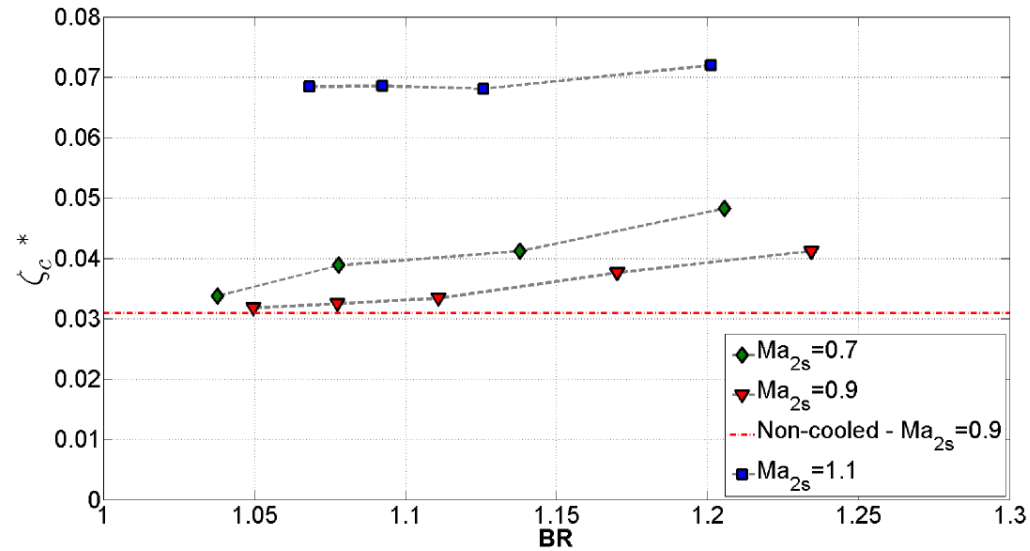
$\delta h = \pm 6.8\%$



$Ma_{2s}=1.1$ - $Re_{2s}=1.5$ M - $Tu=1\%$

Mass-averaged loss coefficient / Area-averaged flow angle

$$\delta \zeta_c^* = \pm 0.0025$$

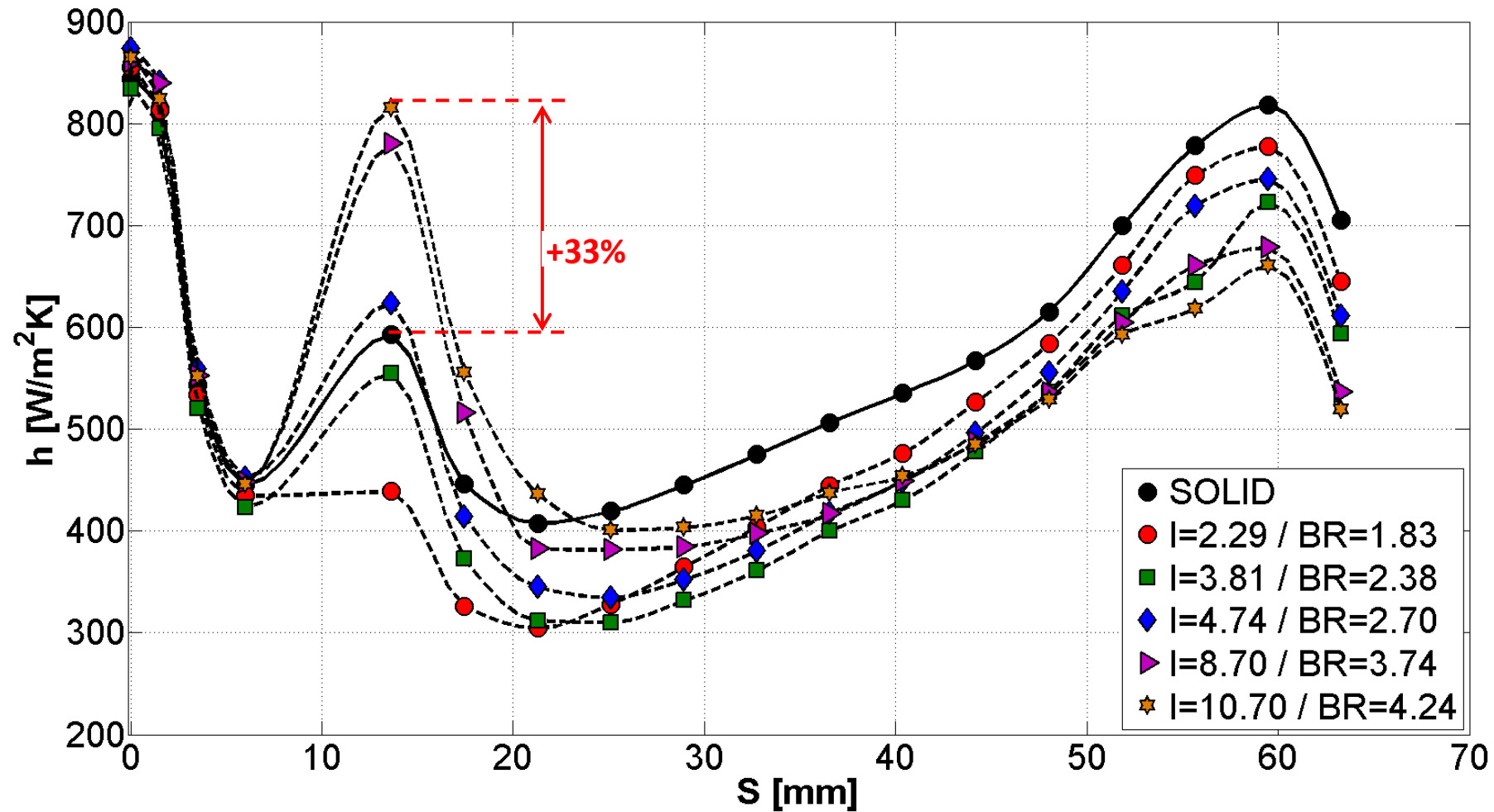


$Re_{2s} = 1.5 \text{ M}$
 $Tu = 1\%$

$$\delta \beta_2 < 0.16 [^\circ]$$

$$\zeta_c^* = 1 - \frac{\left[1 - \left(\frac{\overline{P}_2}{P_{02}} \right)^{\left(\frac{\gamma-1}{\gamma} \right)_m} \right] \cdot [\dot{m}_\infty^* T_{01} + \dot{m}_c T_{0c}]}{\dot{m}_\infty^* T_{01} \cdot \left[1 - \left(\frac{\overline{P}_2}{P_{01}} \right)^{\left(\frac{\gamma-1}{\gamma} \right)_g} \right] + \dot{m}_c T_{0c} \left[1 - \left(\frac{\overline{P}_2}{P_{0c}} \right)^{\left(\frac{\gamma-1}{\gamma} \right)_c} \right]}$$

Convective heat-transfer coefficient



$\text{Ma}_{2s}=1.1$ $\text{Re}_{2s}=1.5 \text{ M}$
 $\text{Tu}=5.3\%$

$\delta h = \pm 6.8\%$

T106 – T2

Low-Pressure Gas Turbine Blades

T106 – Design by MTU aero-engines and tested at DLR, Cambridge U., VKI ...

$Re_{2,is,c} : 8.0 \cdot 10^4 - 2.5 \cdot 10^5$

$Tu_{\infty} : 1 \% - 4 \%$

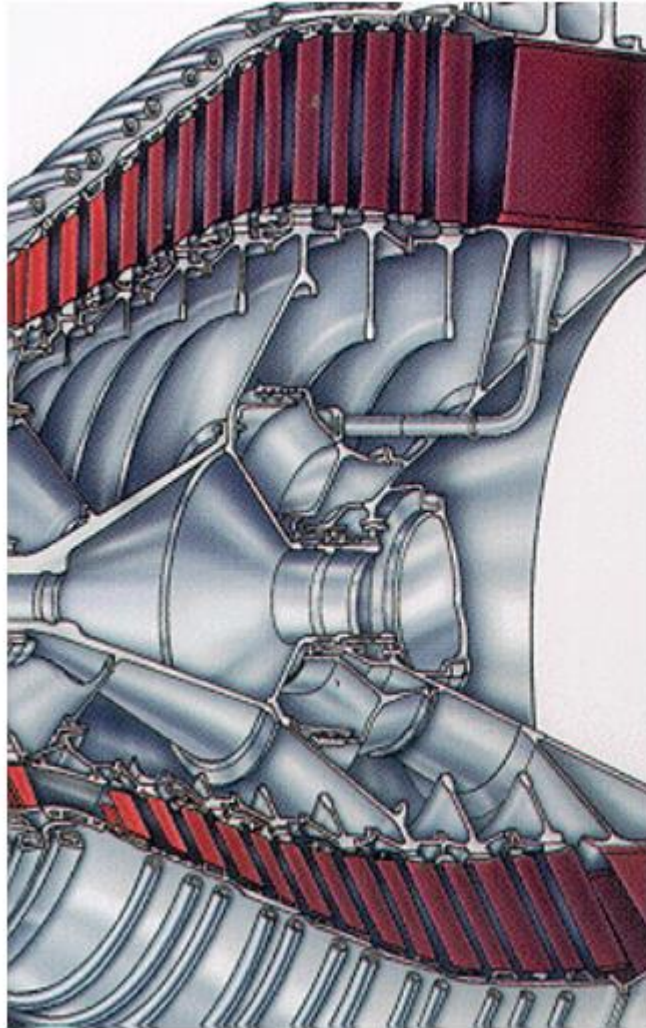
$M_{2,is} : \sim 0.6$ (transonic exit should come soon)

Aero data (uniform temperature wall BC)

T2 – Design by VKI (higher pitch-to-chord ratio – UTAT programme)

Similar boundary conditions and measurements

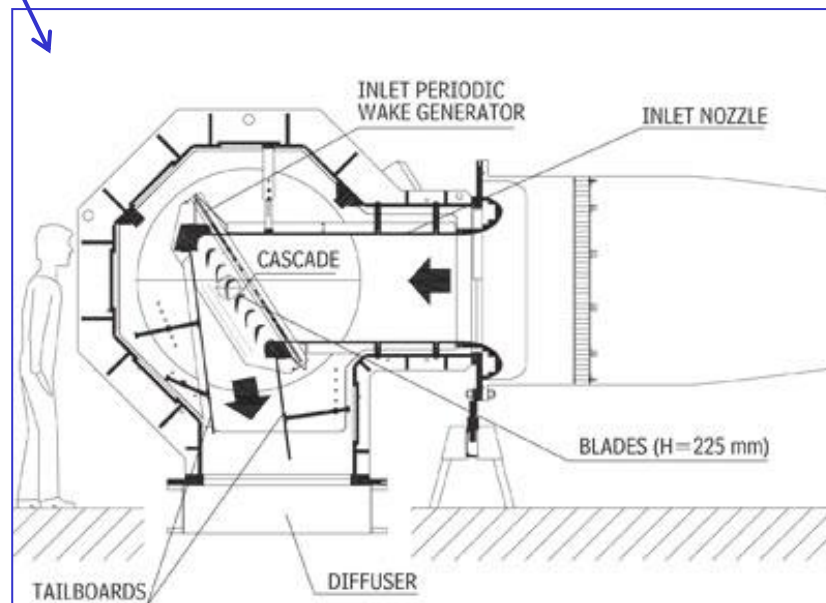
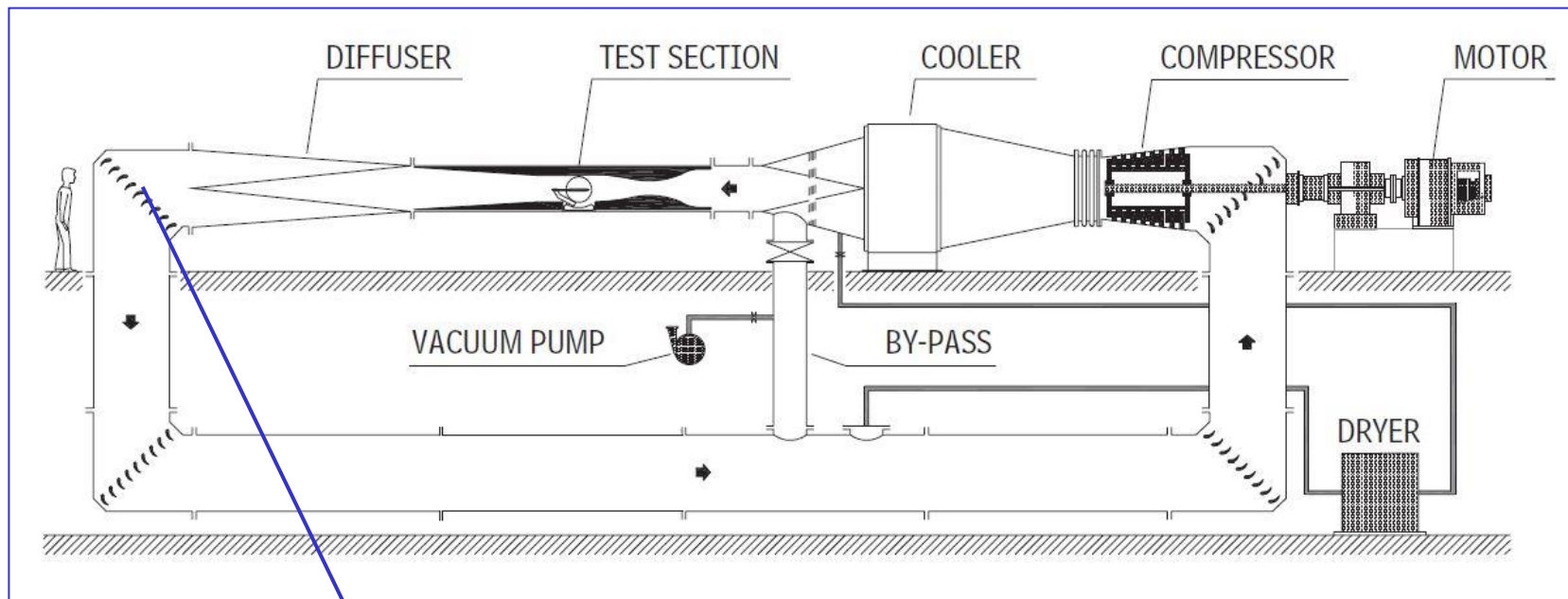
Steady and periodic inlet and steady exit boundary conditions



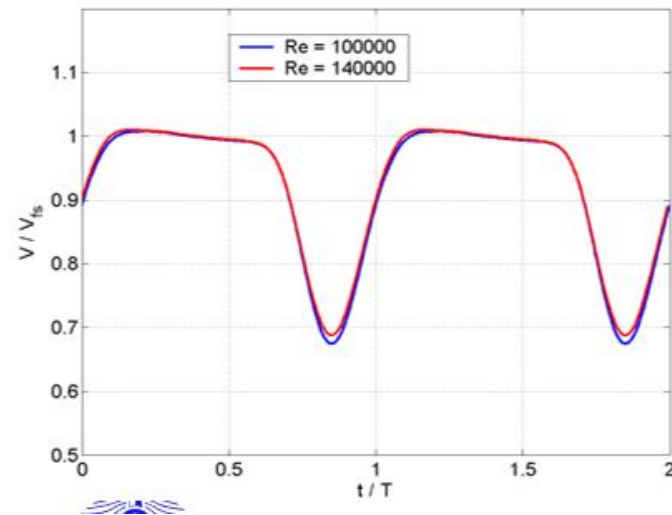
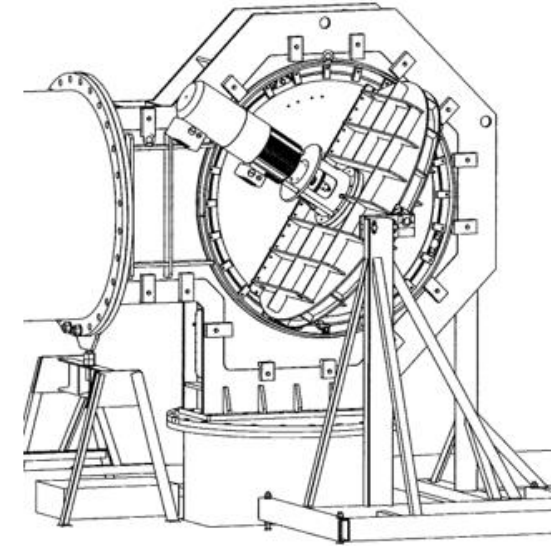
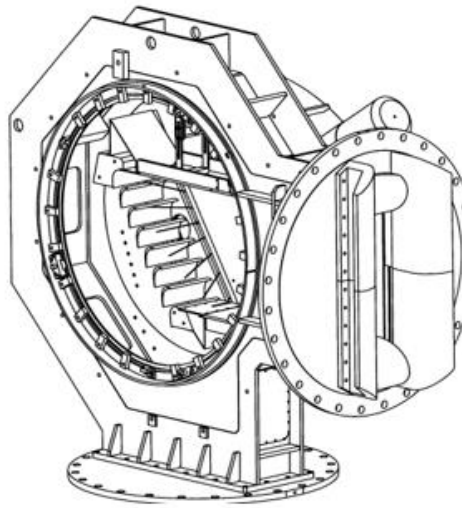
- High aspect ratio ➡ **2D behavior**
- $Re \sim 10^5$ ➡ **Laminar flow**
- Large # of blades ➡ **Heavy**

Reduction of the blade number

- Decrease of **Weight** and **Costs**
- Risks of **Laminar Separation** as $g/c \nearrow$

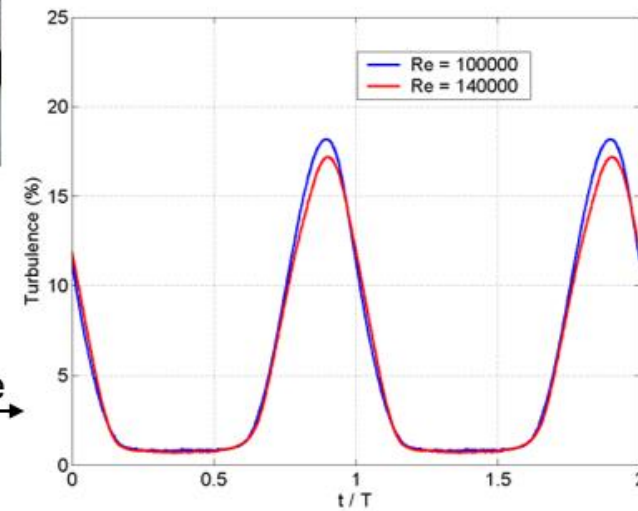


HIGH SPEED PERIODIC INLET WAKES GENERATOR

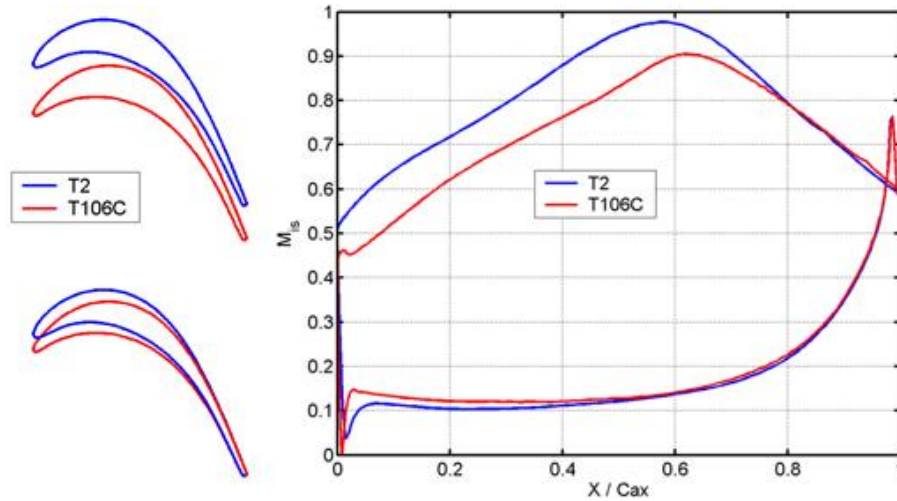


← Inlet velocity profile

Inlet turbulence profile →

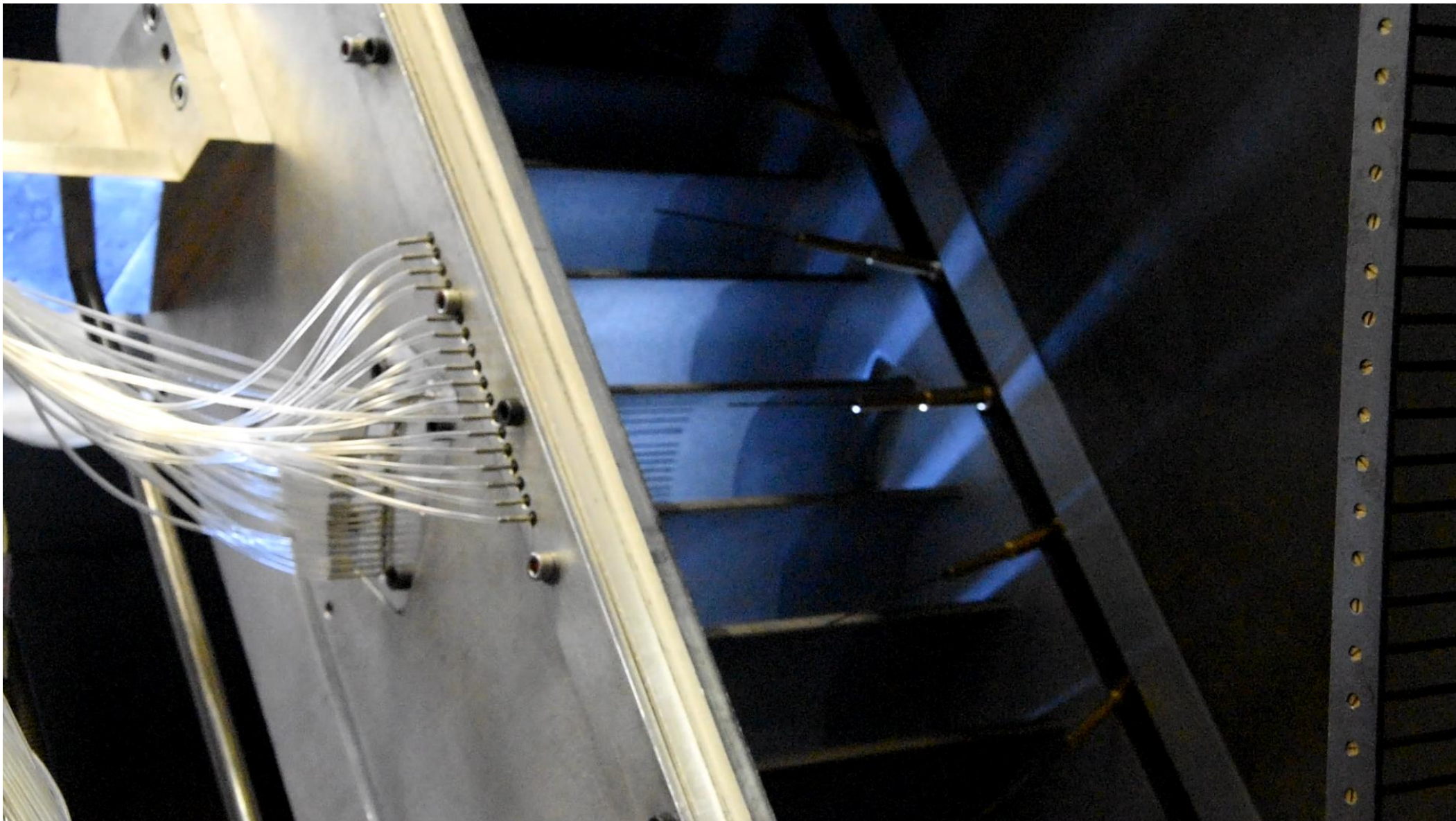


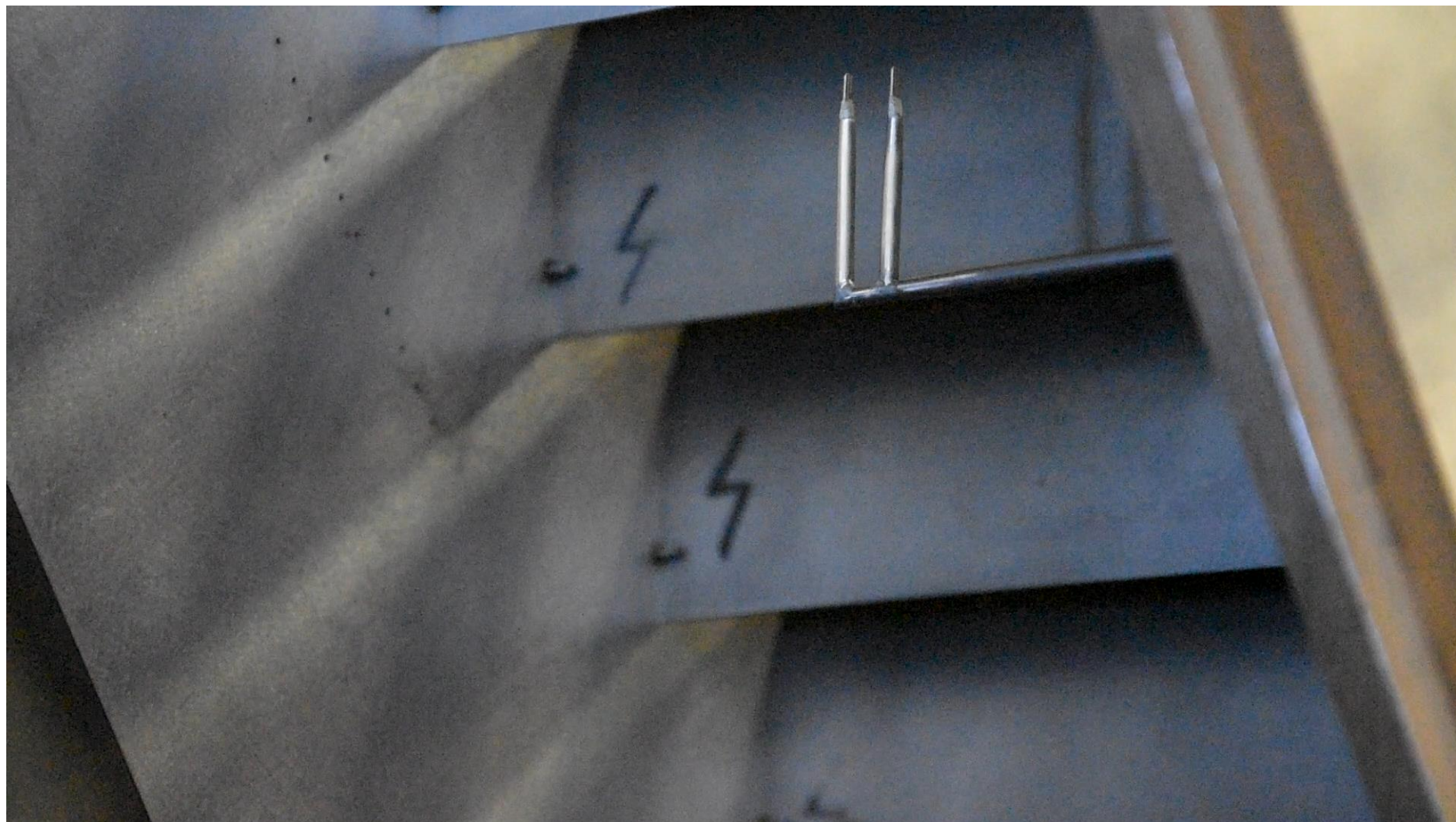
GEOMETRIES - INSTRUMENTATION



	T106C	T2
Chord length (mm)	93.01	96.35
Blade height (mm)	225.0	225.0
Aspect ratio	2.4	2.34
Pitch-to-chord ratio	0.95	1.05
Throat (mm)	43.38	50.99
Stagger angle (deg)	30.71	33.53
Arc <u>cos</u> (throat/pitch) (deg)	60.58	59.74
Inlet flow angle	32.7	32.7
Exit Mach number	0.65	0.65

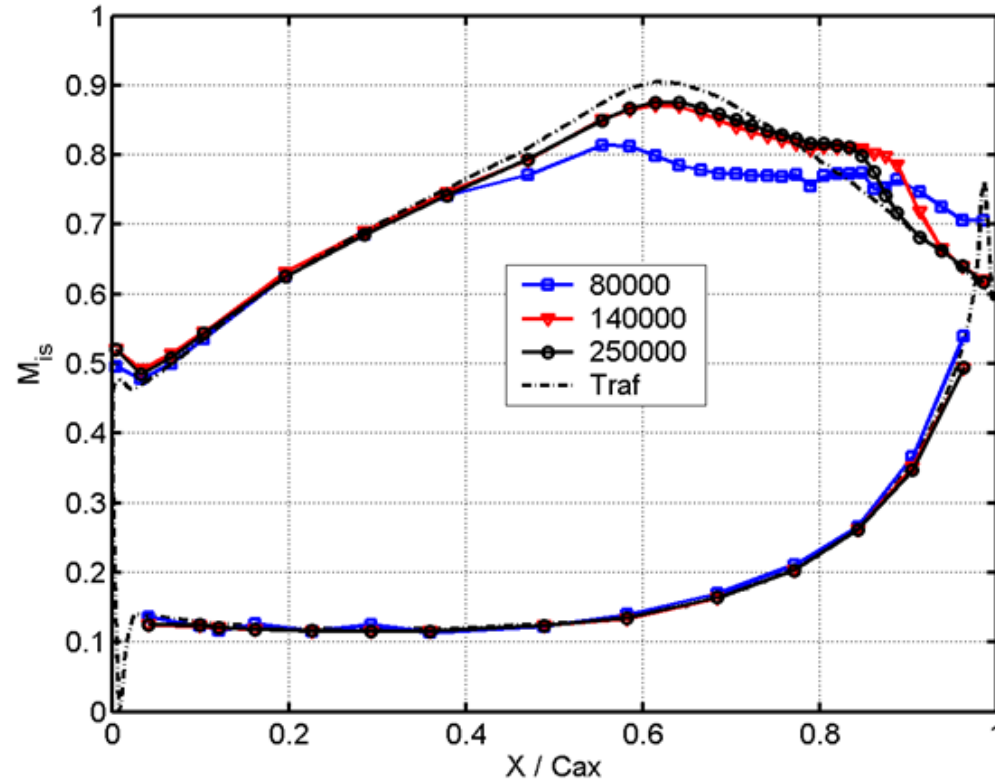




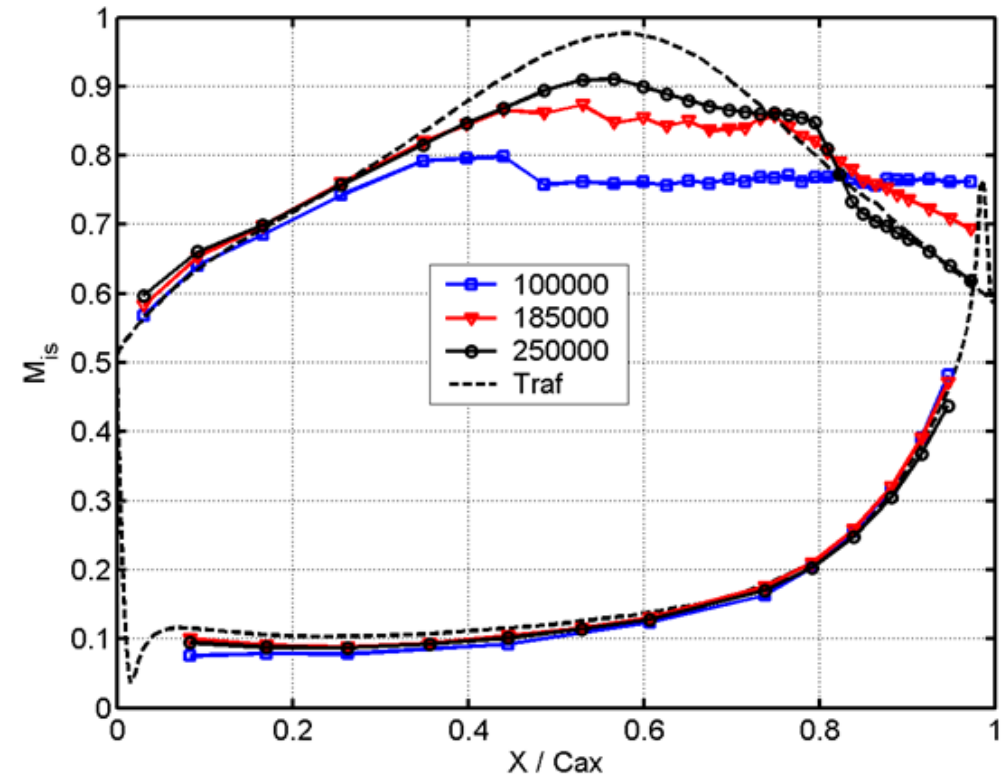


STEADY STATE INLET FLOW

BLADE ISENTROPIC MACH NUMBER DISTRIBUTION

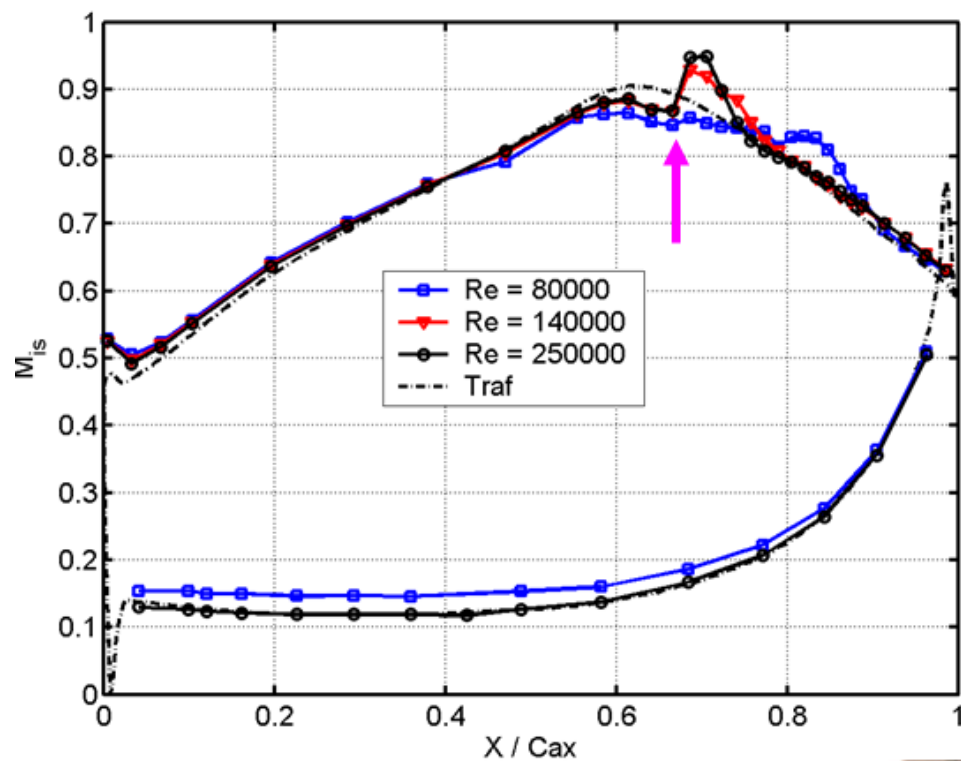


T106-C Cascade
Smooth suction side

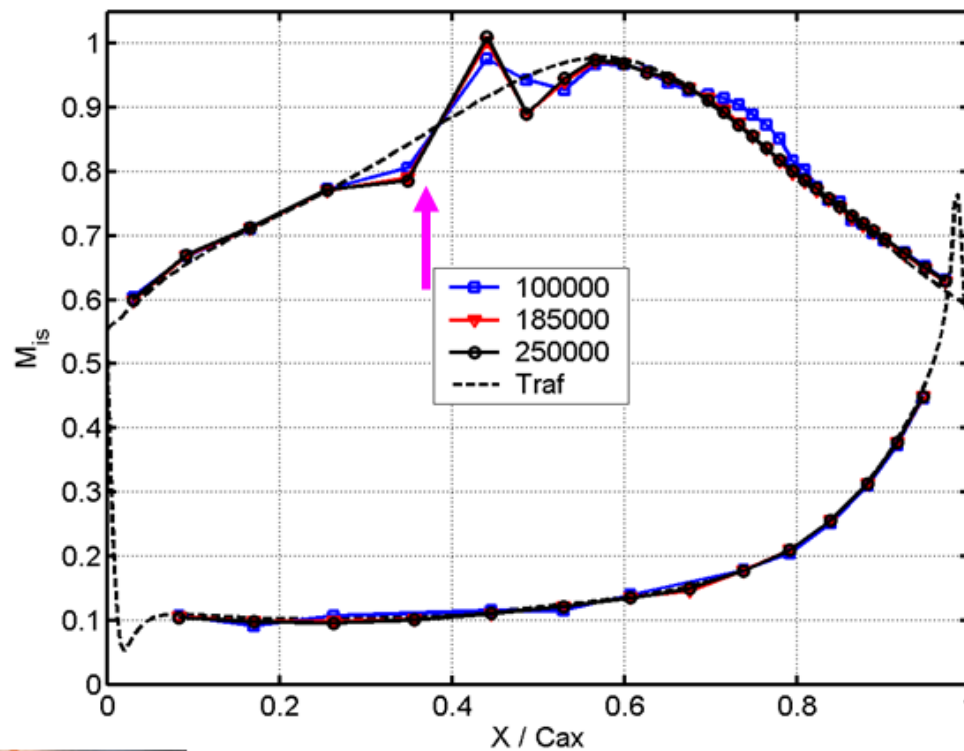


T2 Cascade
Smooth suction side

STEADY STATE INLET FLOW BLADE ISENTROPIC MACH NUMBER DISTRIBUTION



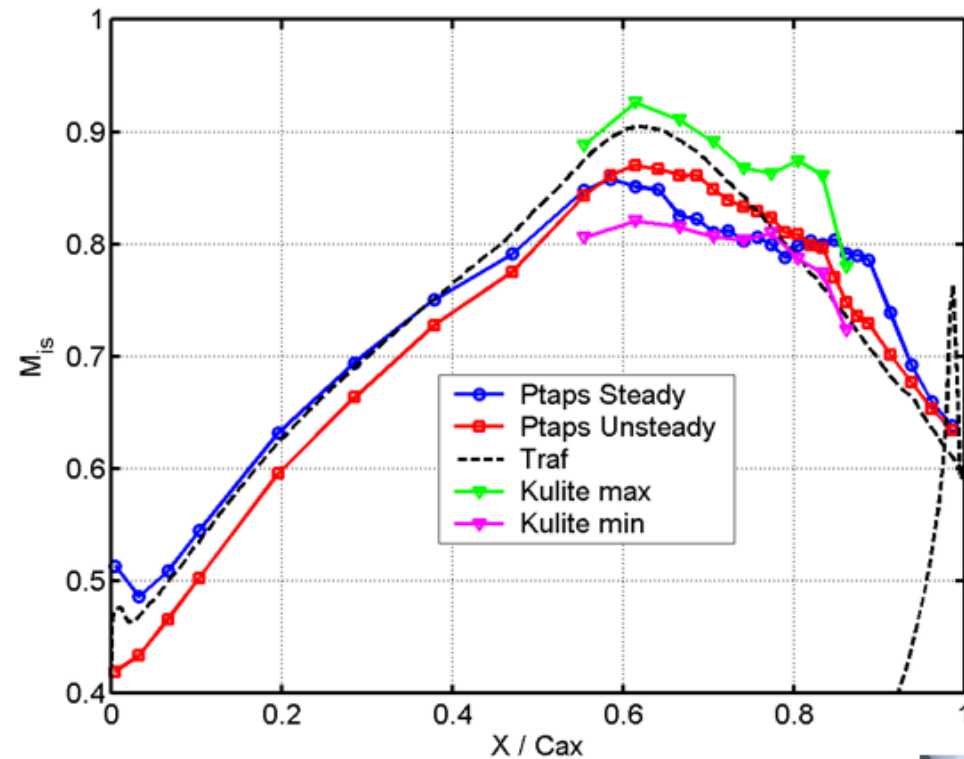
T106-C Cascade
Local roughness on suction side



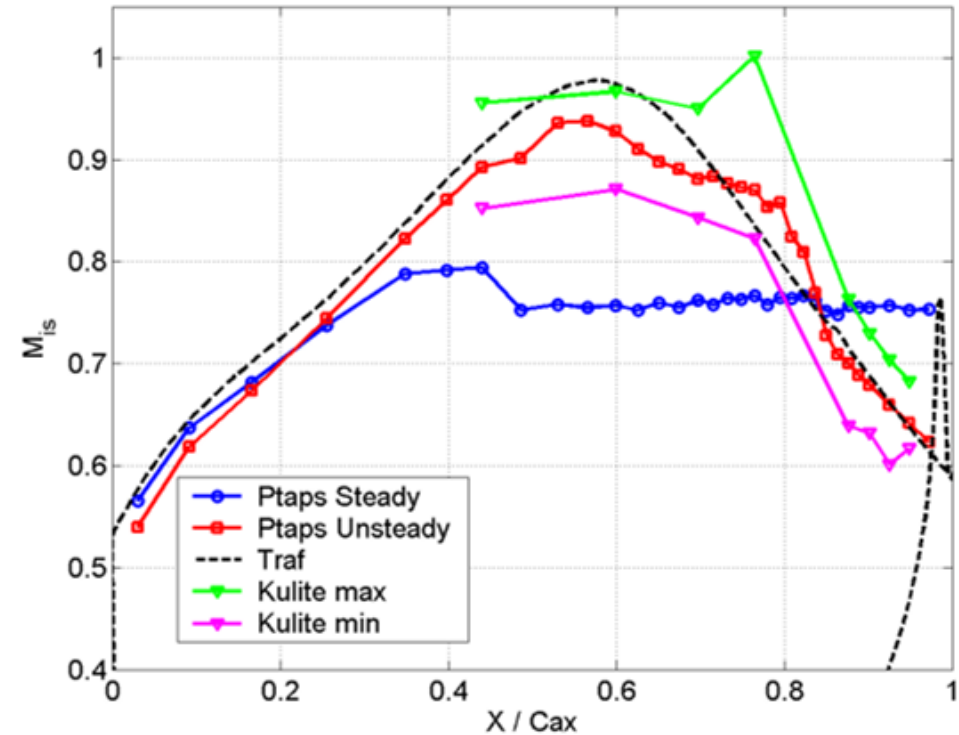
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PERIODIC INLET WAKES

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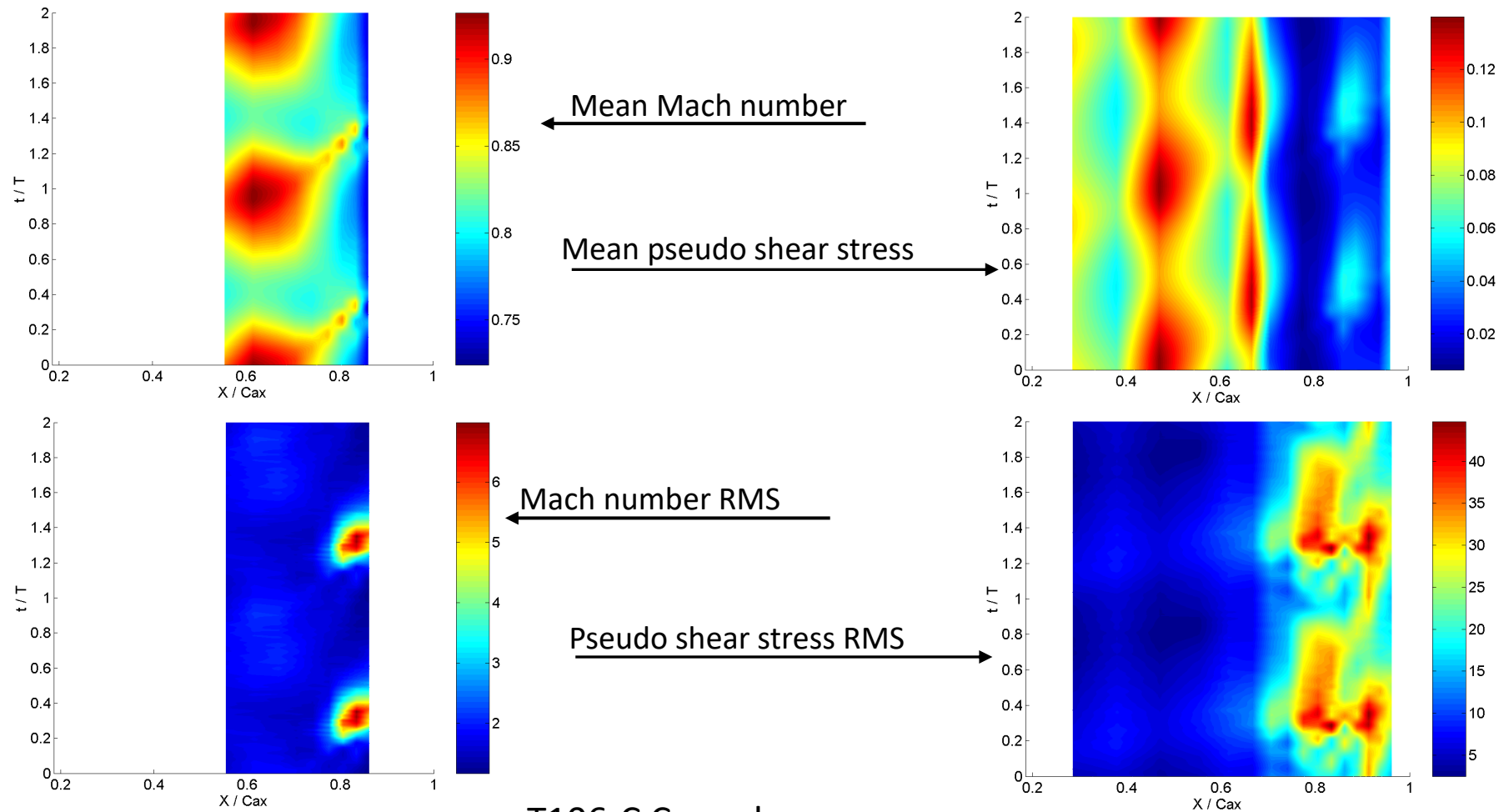
T106-C Cascade
Smooth suction side



T2 Cascade
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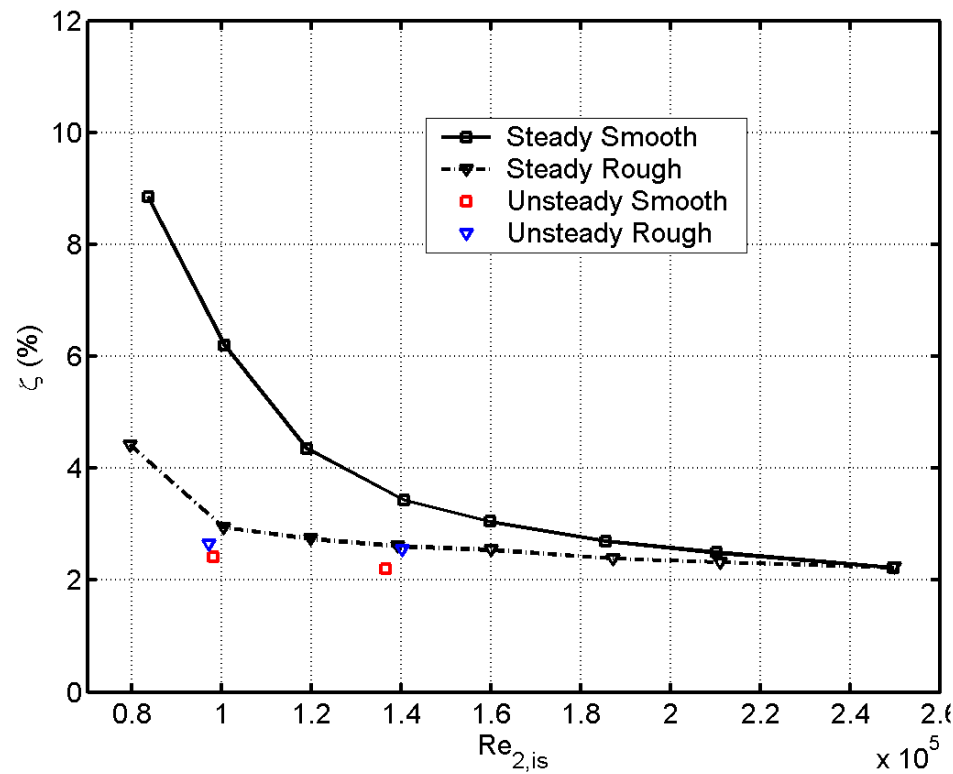


PERIODIC INLET WAKES – TIME/SPACE DIAGRAMS



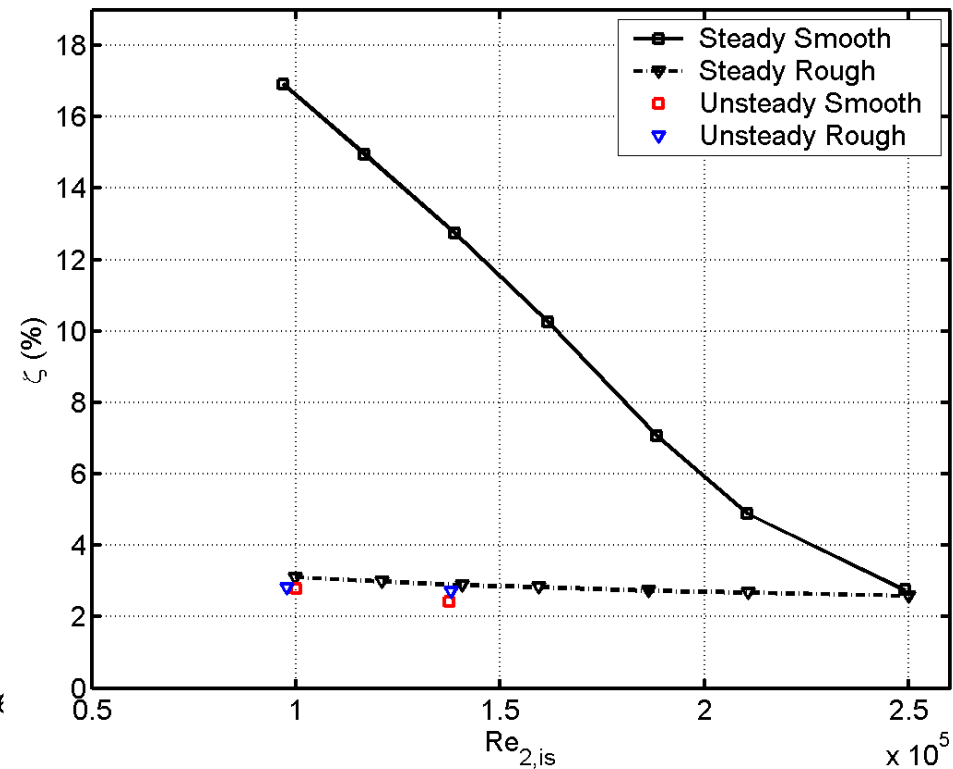
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EXIT KINETIC ENERGY LOSS COEFFICIENT

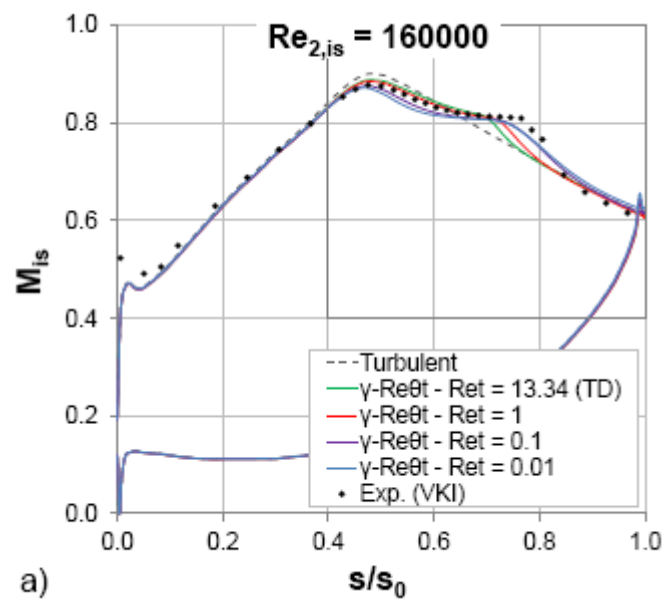
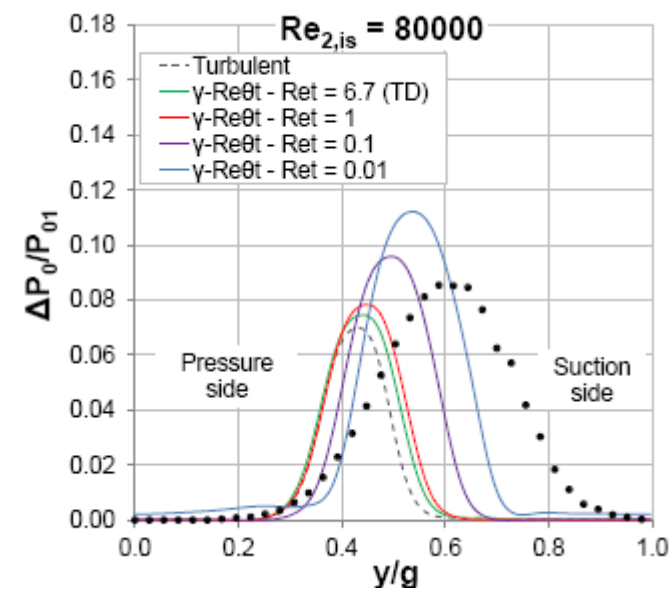
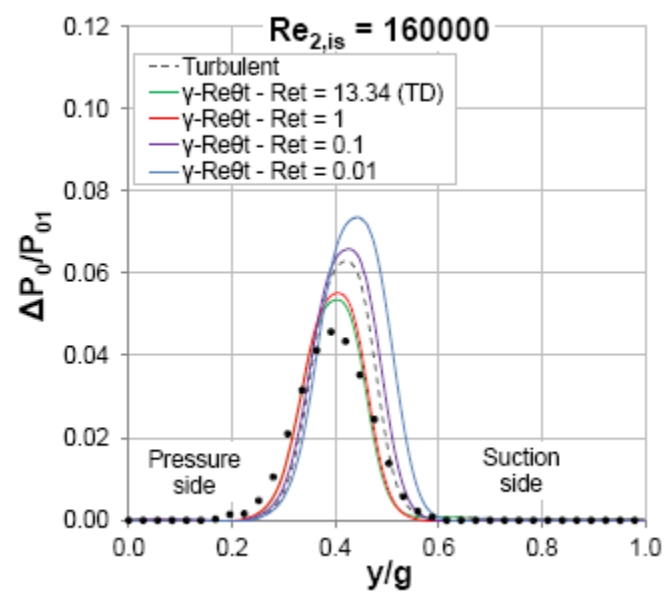
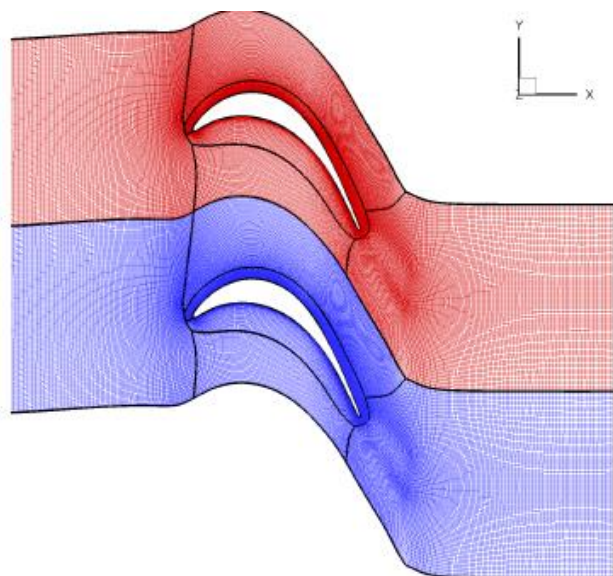


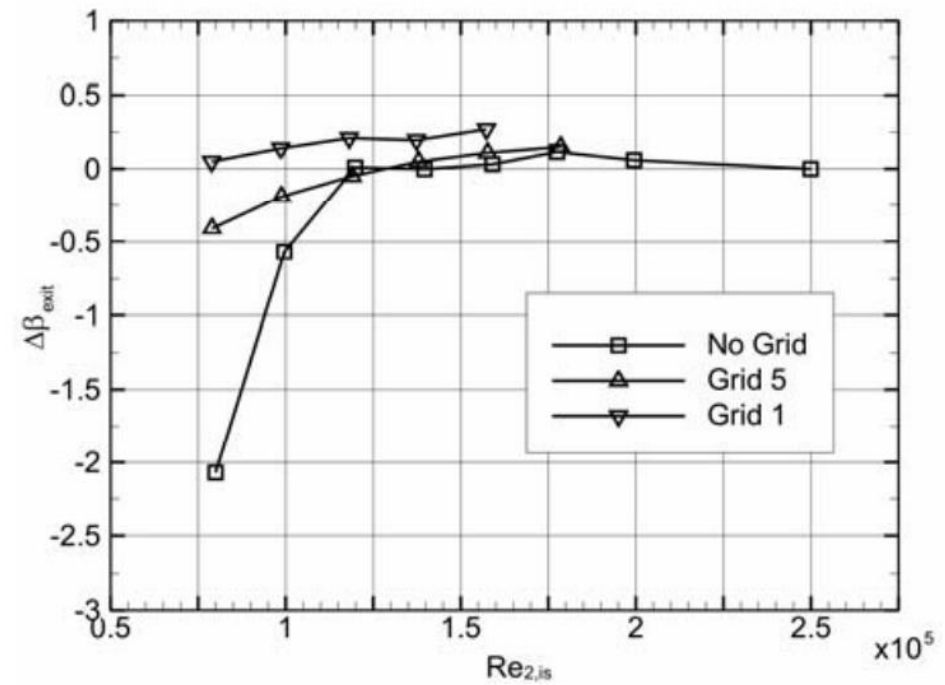
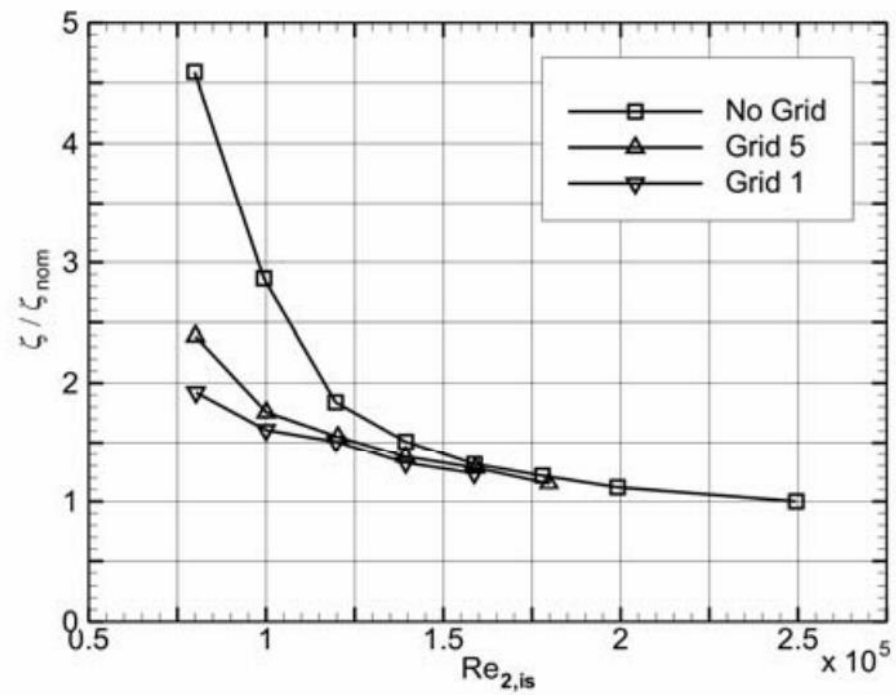
T106-C Cascade

$$\zeta = 1 - \frac{1 - \left(\frac{\overline{P_2}}{\overline{P_{02}}} \right)^{\frac{\gamma-1}{\gamma}}}{1 - \left(\frac{\overline{P_2}}{\overline{P_{01}}} \right)^{\frac{\gamma-1}{\gamma}}}$$



T2 Cascade





No Grid	Tu : 0.8 %	Integral length scale : 0.005 m
Grid 5	Tu : 1.8 %	Integral length scale : 0.012 m
Grid 1	Tu : 3.2 %	

Conclusions – Summary

Validation is a “must” – in both directions

Geometries and experimental data are available

Application to RANS – URANS – LES ...