

# JAXA's TAS Code Results for the 7<sup>th</sup> AIAA CFD Drag Prediction Workshop

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# Background: JAXA's studies in past DPWs

- JAXA has participated in a series of DPWs since DPW-II
  - Multi-block structured grid solver: UPACS
  - Unstructured grid solvers: TAS code and FaSTAR

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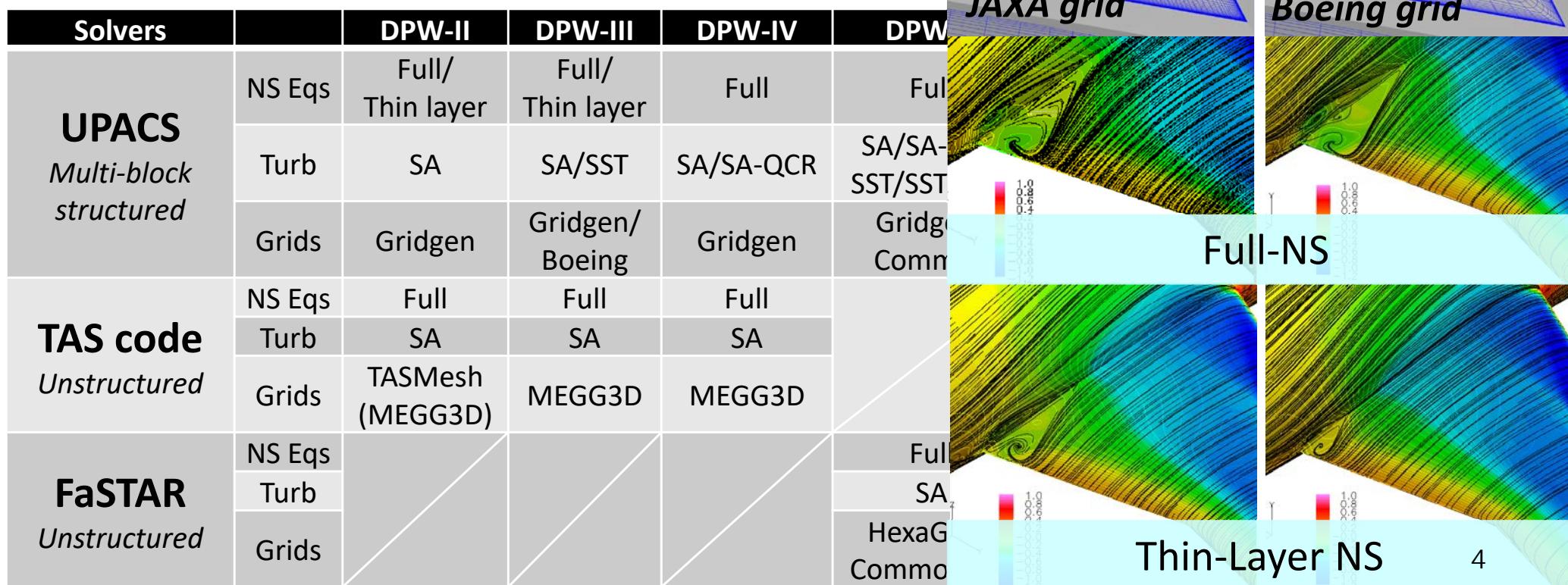
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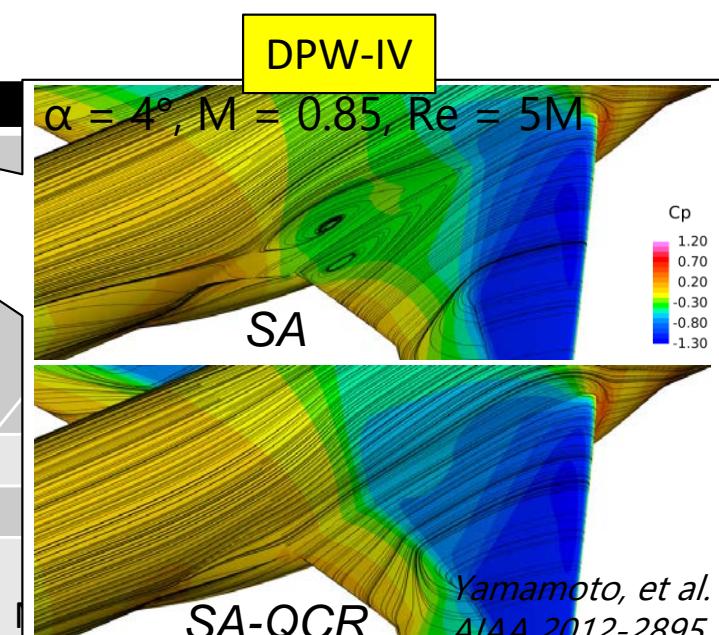
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# JAXA's studies using TAS code for DPW-VII

- To leverage experiences from past DPWs
  - Grid generation of a series of unstructured grids by MEGG3D: JAXA\_Grids.REV00
  - Full-NS with SA-noft2-R-QCR on JAXA's grids
  - Some comparisons with SA-noft2-R
- Test cases
  - Case 1a&b Grid Convergence Study at Re=20M & 5M
  - Case 2a&b Alpha Sweep at Re=20M & 5M
  - Case 3 Reynolds Number Sweep At Constant  $C_L$

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# Flow solver and solution strategies

## ■ Flow solver: unstructured TAS-code

- Solving full compressible Navier-Stokes equations
- SA-noft2-R ( $C_{\text{rot}}=1$ )-QCR2000 with our experience in DPWs
- Fully turbulent
- Computations at higher  $\alpha$  with warm start: restart from previous solution at lower  $\alpha$  with velocity vector rotation to accelerate solution convergence

| TAS-code         |  |
|------------------|--|
| Discretization   | Cell-vertex finite volume  |
| Convection flux  | HLLEW 2 <sup>nd</sup> -order UMUSCL w/ Venkatakrishnan's limiter (K=5)     |
| Time integration | LU-symmetric Gauss-Seidel  |
| Turbulence model | SA-noft2-R( $C_{\text{rot}}=1$ )-QCR2000, SA-noft2-R( $C_{\text{rot}}=1$ ) |

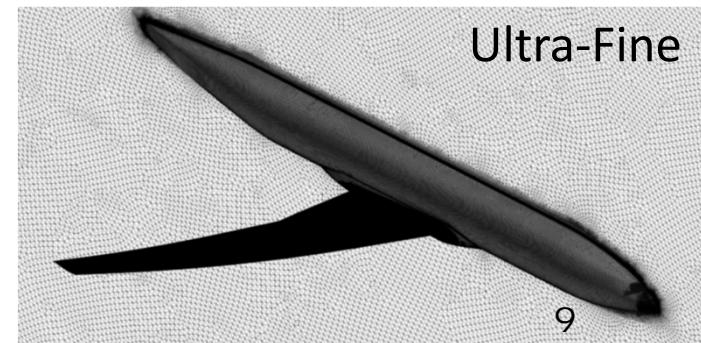
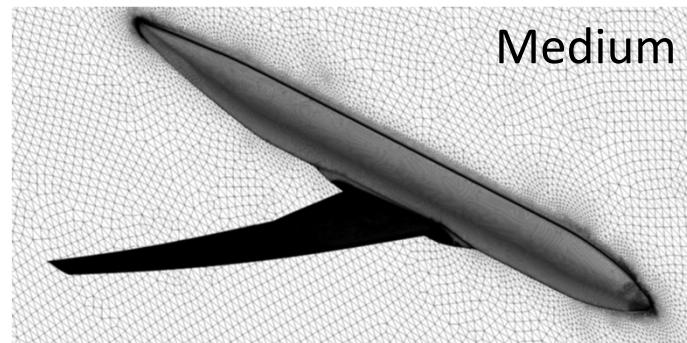
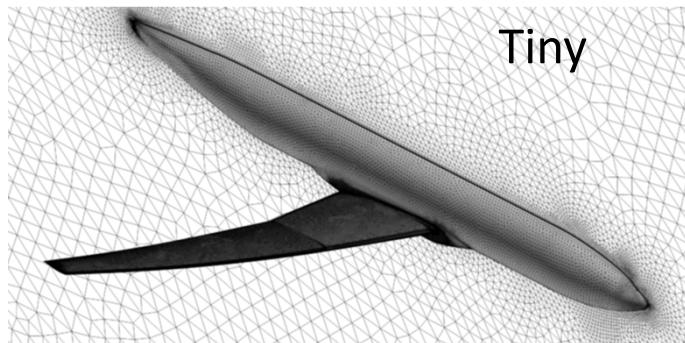
## ■ Grid generation software

- MEGG3D –Mixed Element Grid Generator in 3D
  - Unstructured hybrid surface/volume grid generator
    - Surface: Triangle & rectangle, Volume: Prism, hexa, tetra & pyramid

## ■ Grid generation method with wing deformation

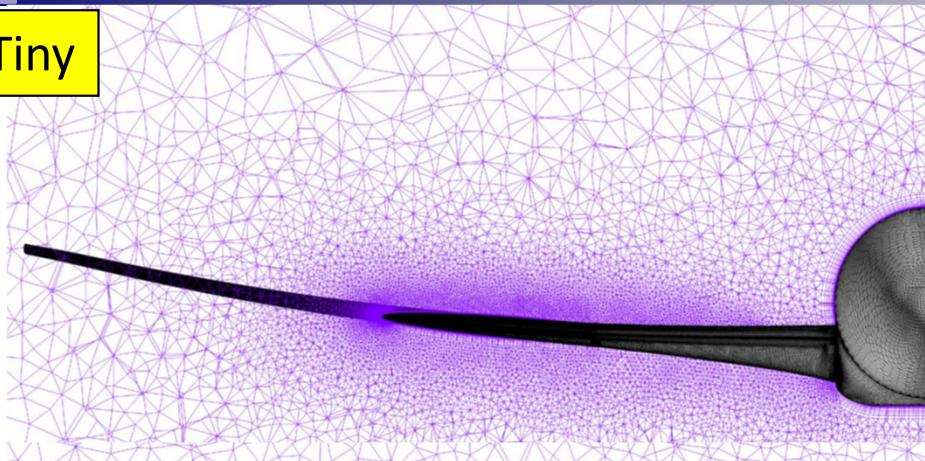
- Baseline grid for config. w/o deformation was generated, then the grid was deformed based on the wing deformation

|                       | Tiny | Coarse | Medium | Fine  | Extra-Fine | Ultra-Fine |
|-----------------------|------|--------|--------|-------|------------|------------|
| Nodes                 | 9 M  | 27 M   | 60 M   | 112 M | 184 M      | 291 M      |
| Cells                 | 25 M | 76 M   | 164 M  | 295 M | 476 M      | 739 M      |
| Target Y <sup>+</sup> | 1.00 | 0.67   | 0.50   | 0.40  | 0.33       | 0.29       |

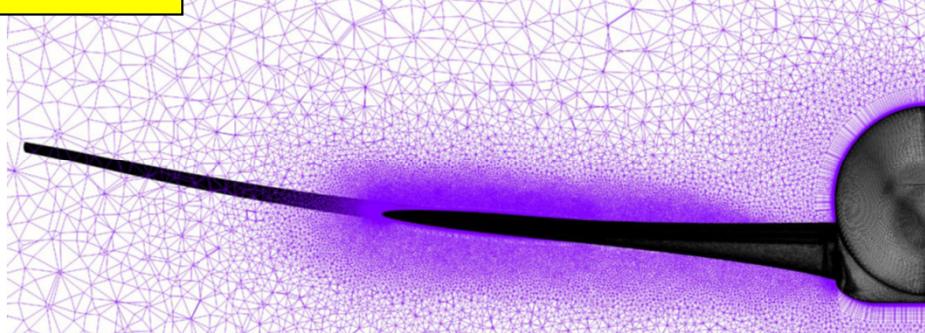


## Computational Grids: JAXA\_Grids.Rev00 in DPW-7 website

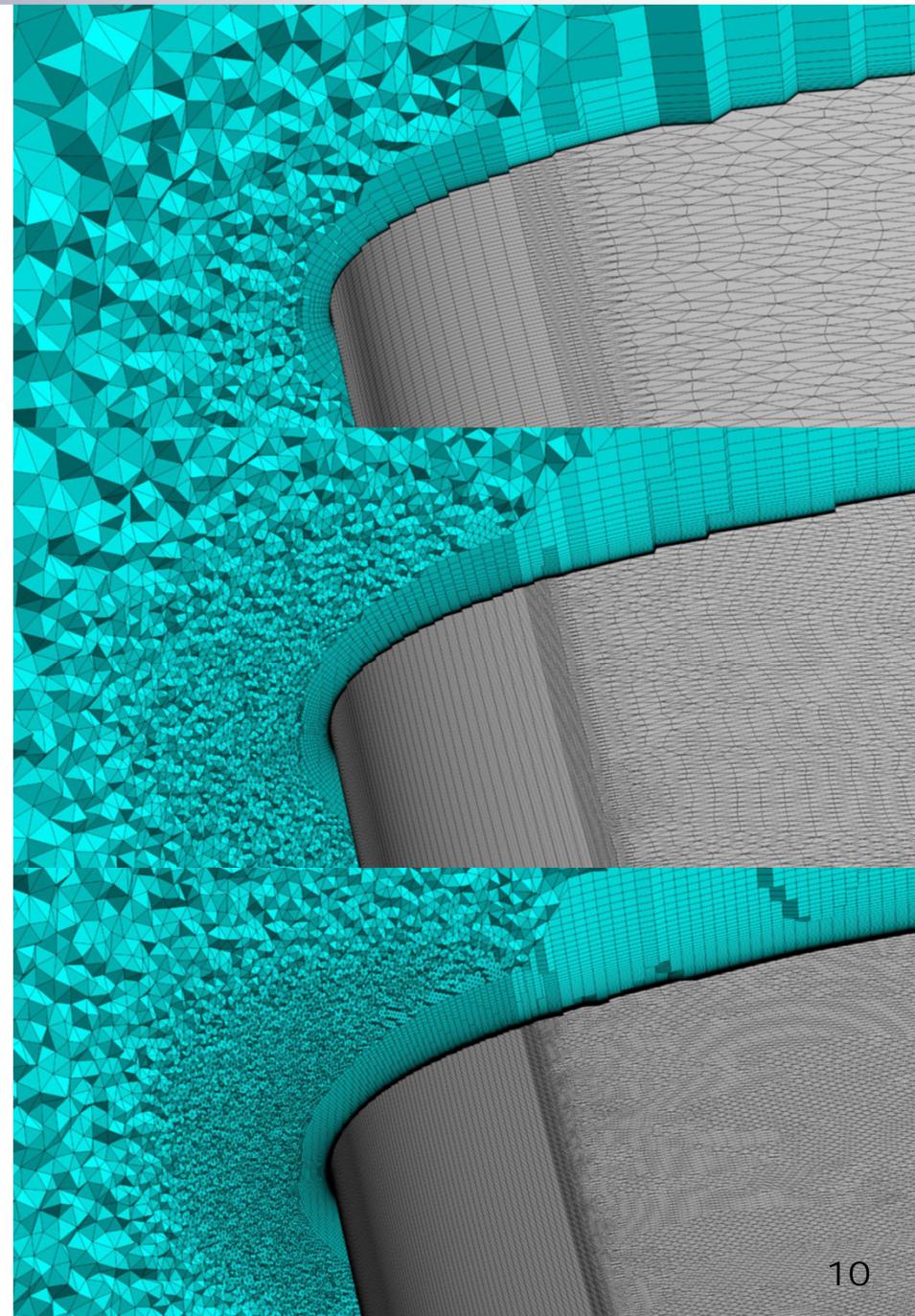
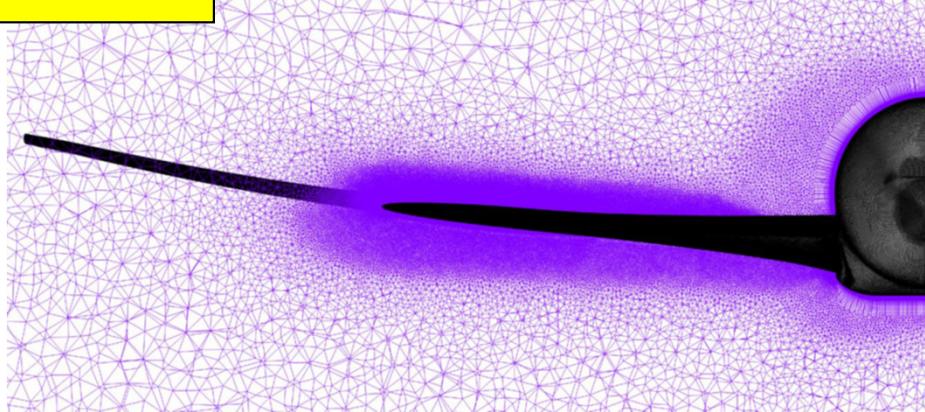
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Medium



Ultra-Fine



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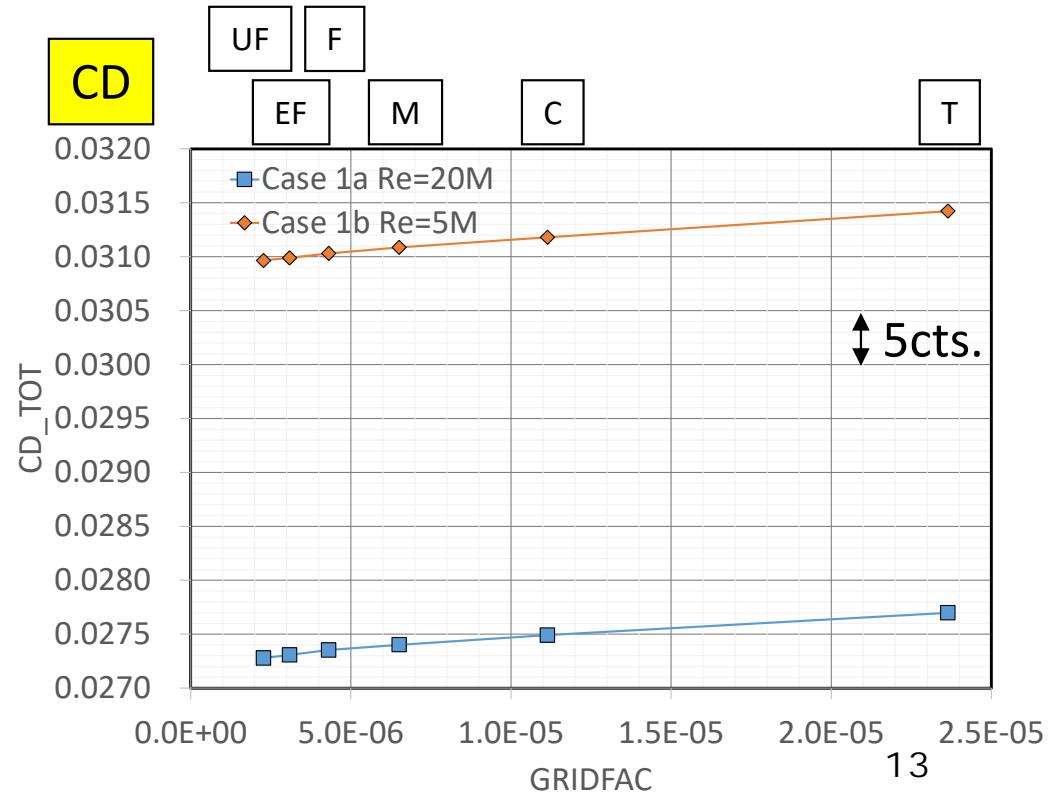
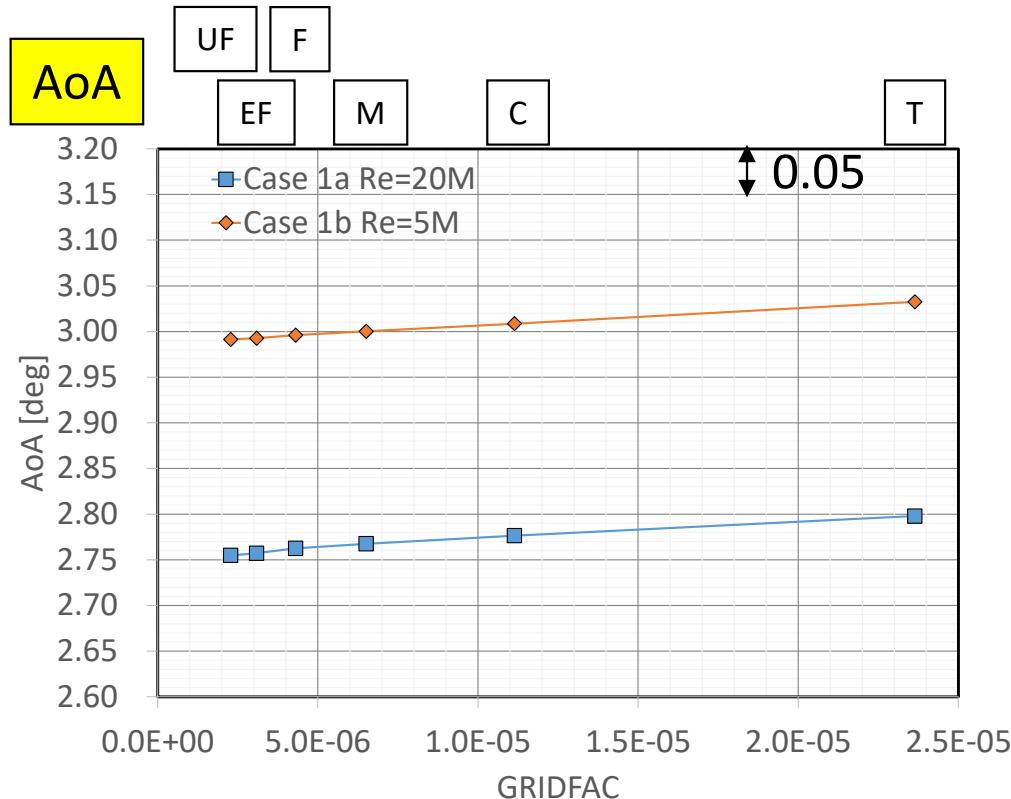
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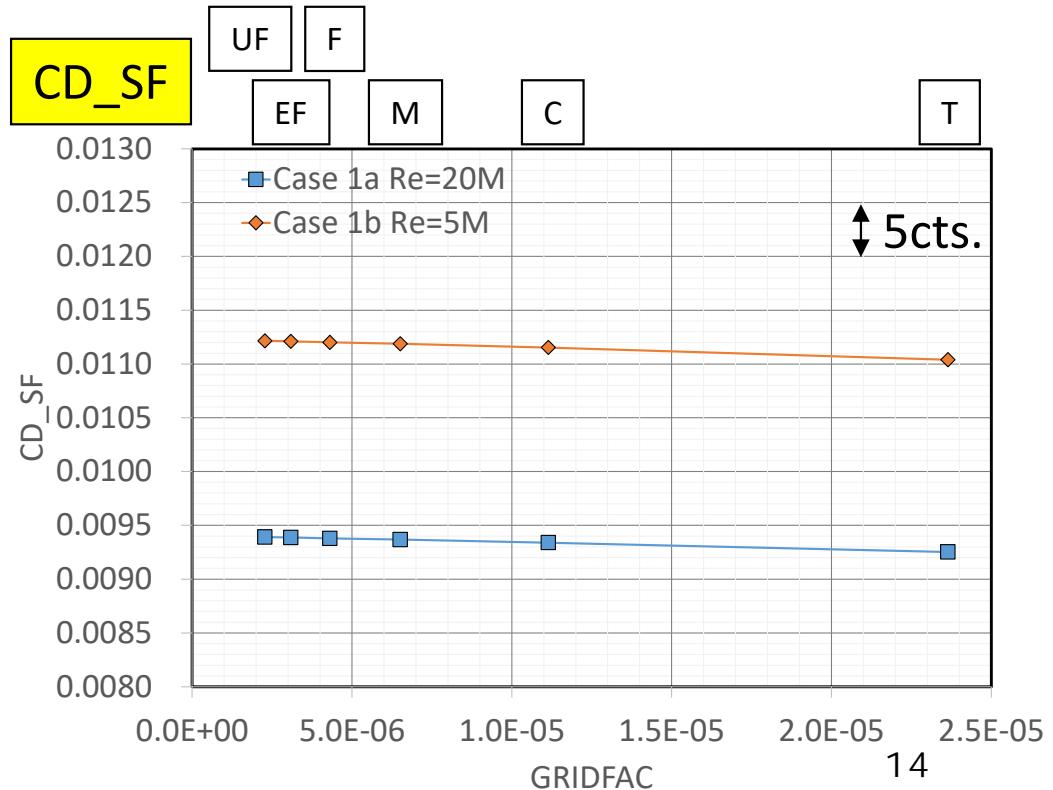
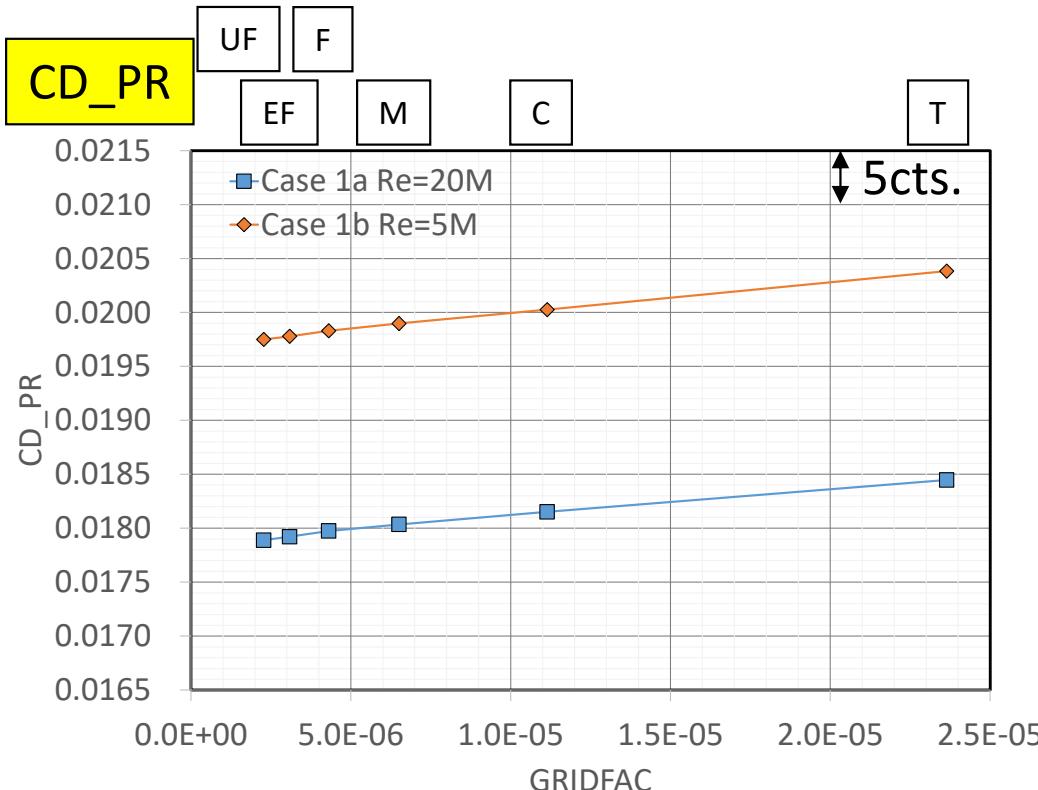
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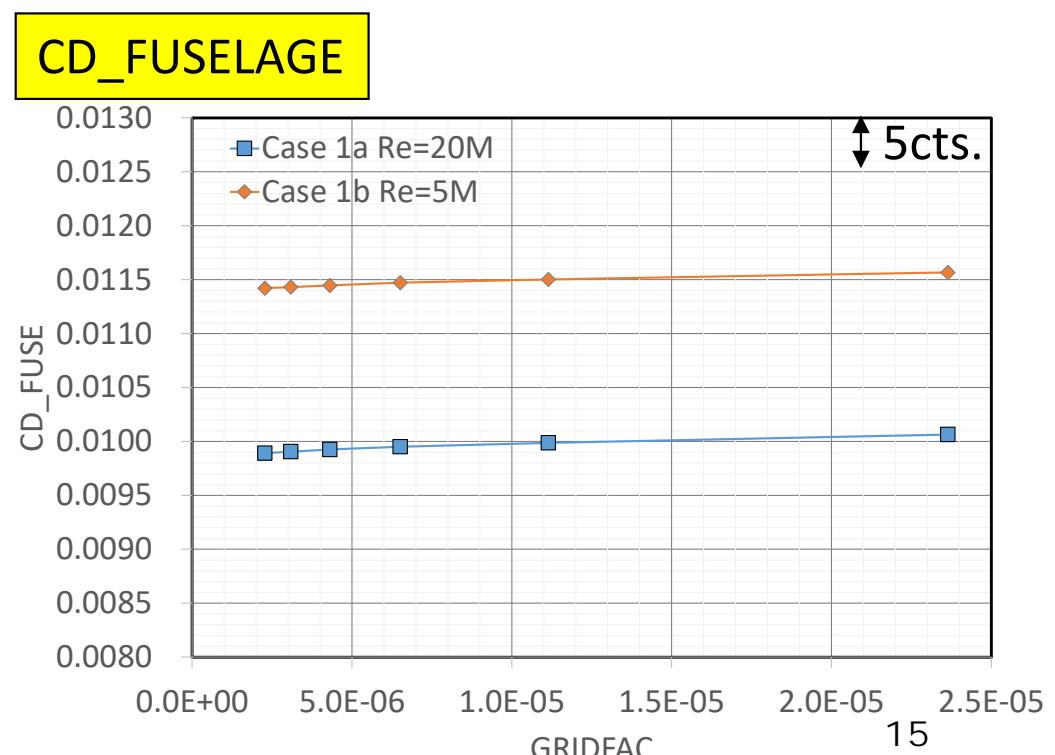
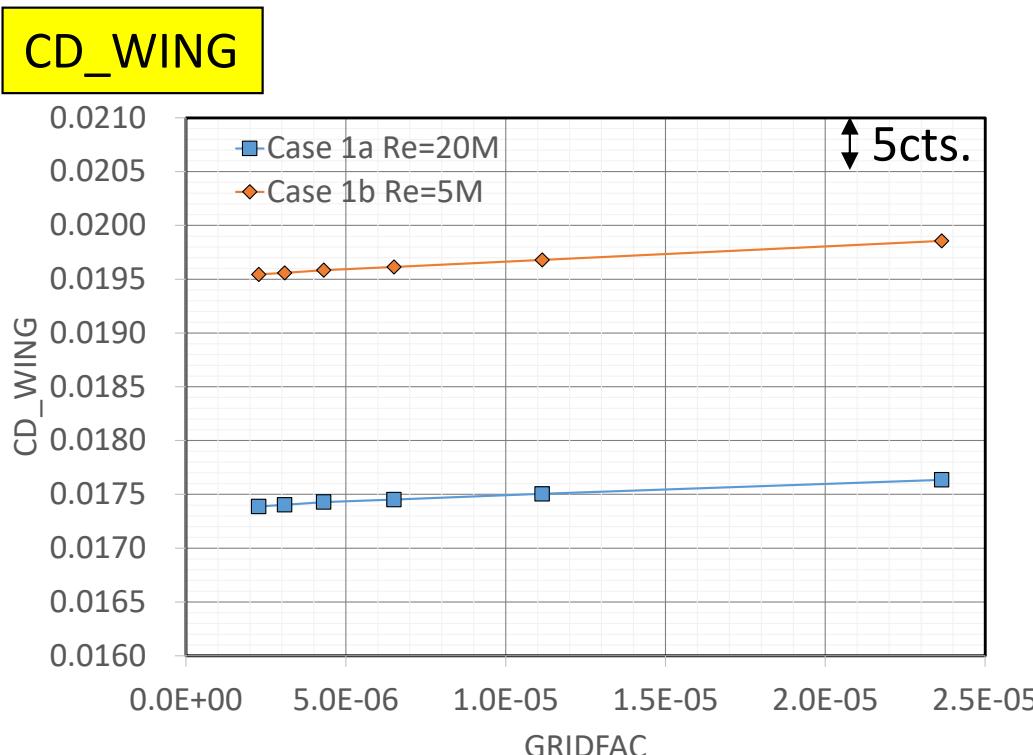
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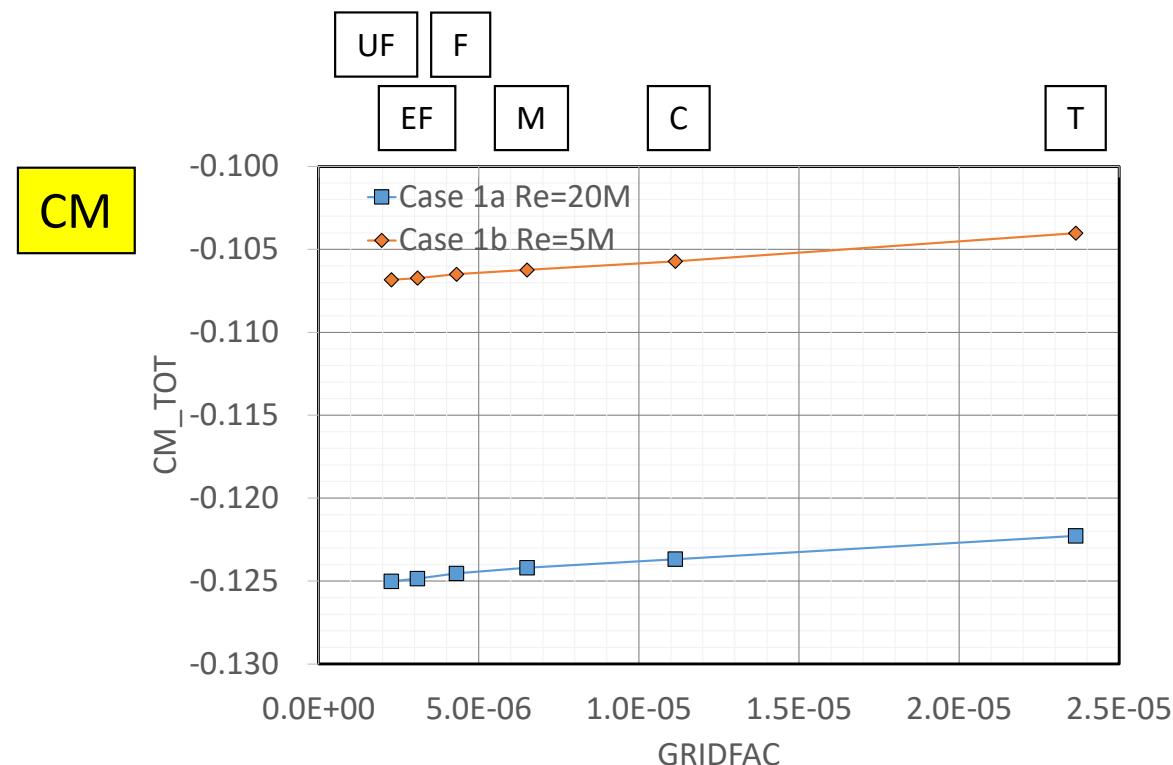
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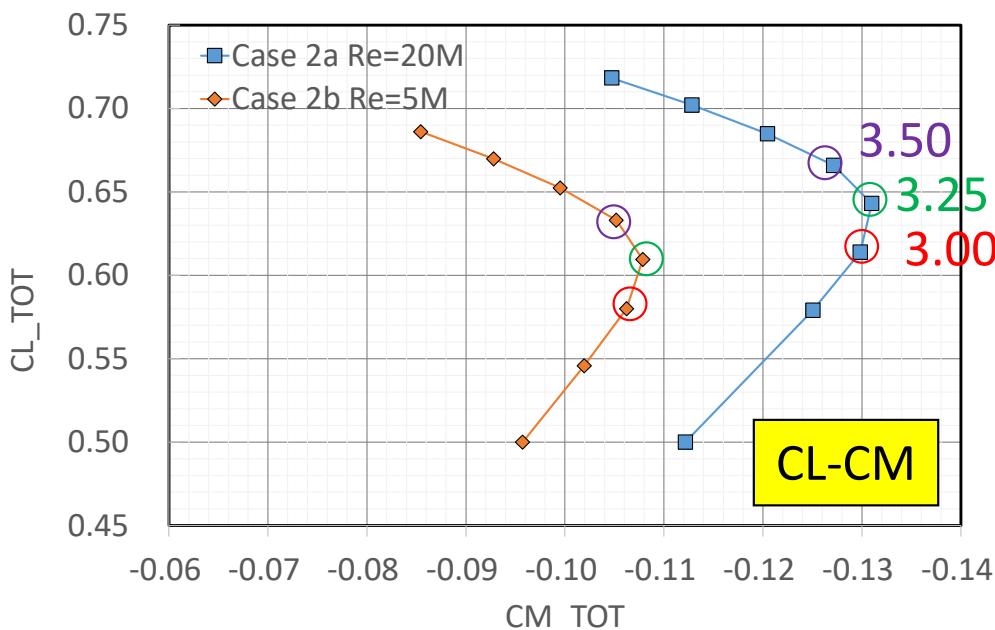
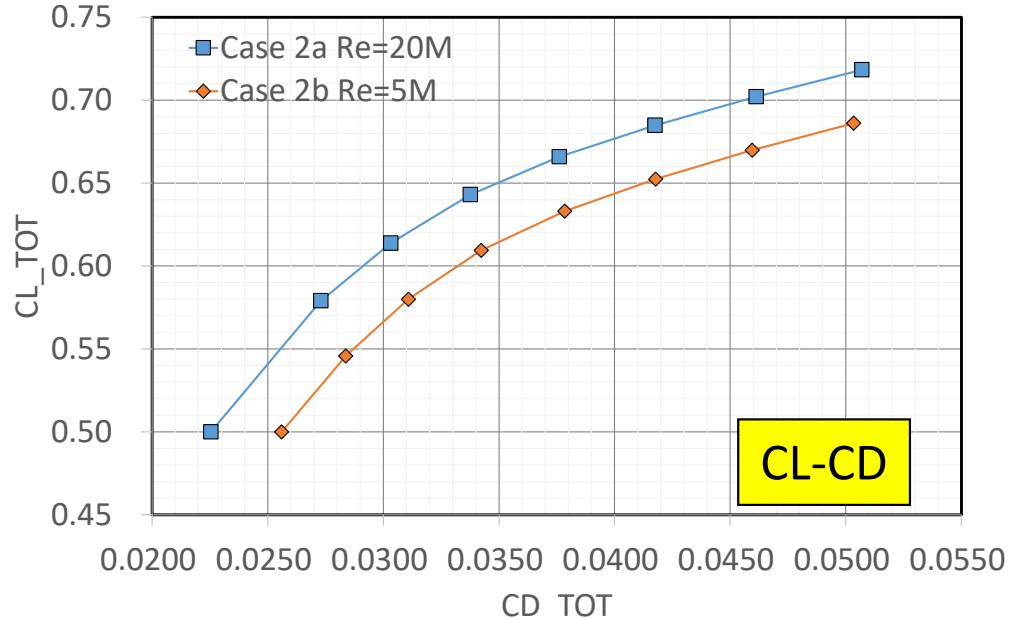
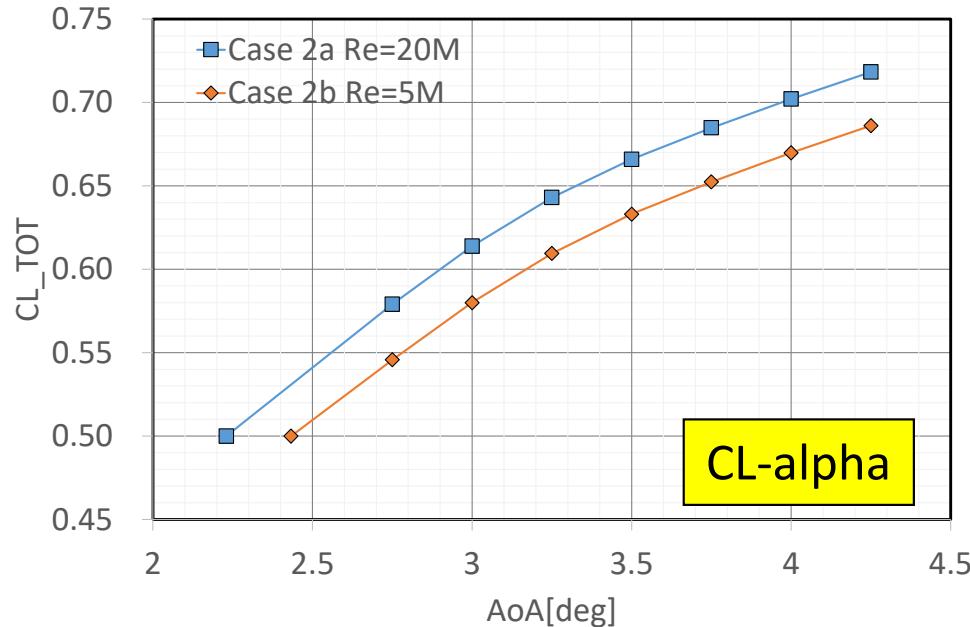
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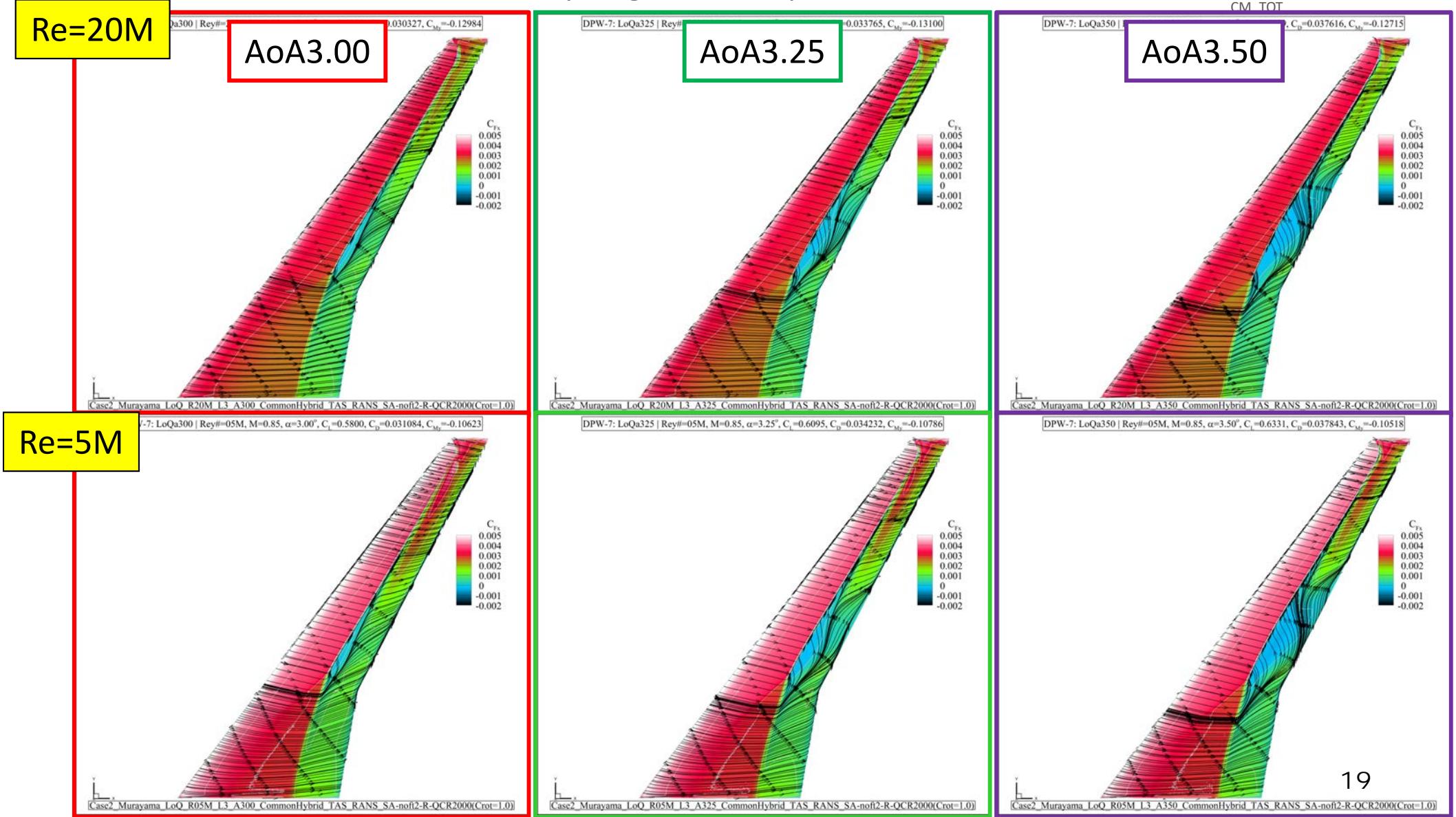
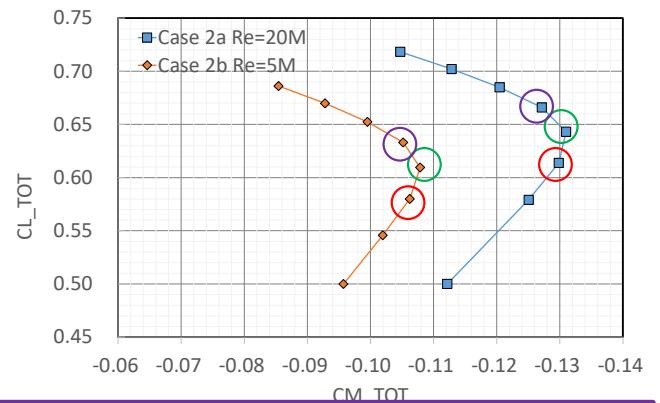
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- Almost constant shift between results of two Re, but some differences after pitching-moment break
- The break of curve is observed around AoA=3.25

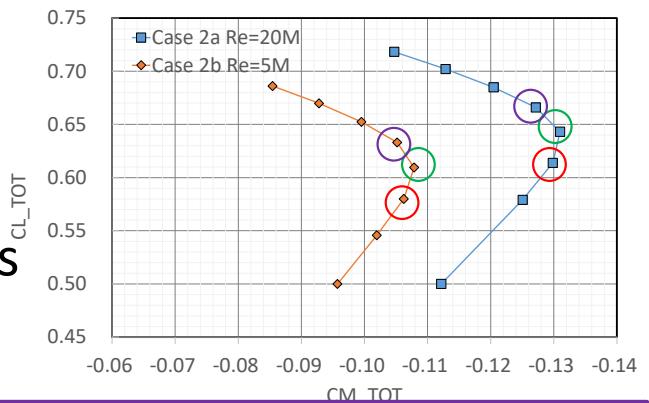
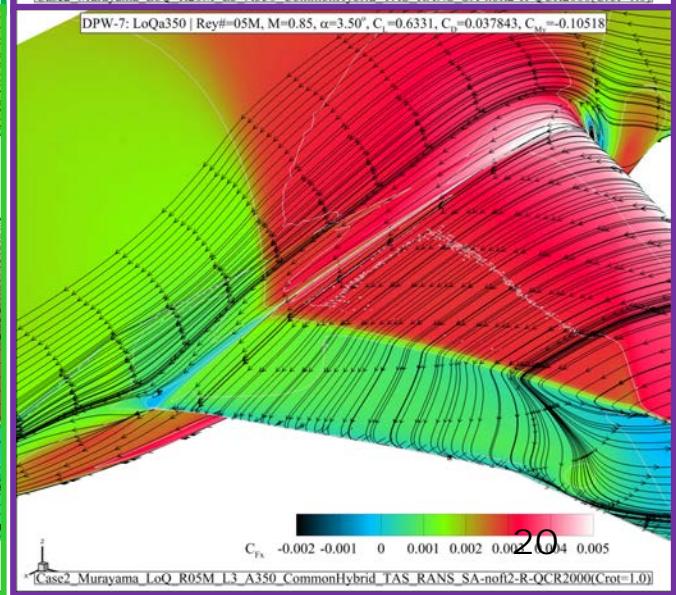
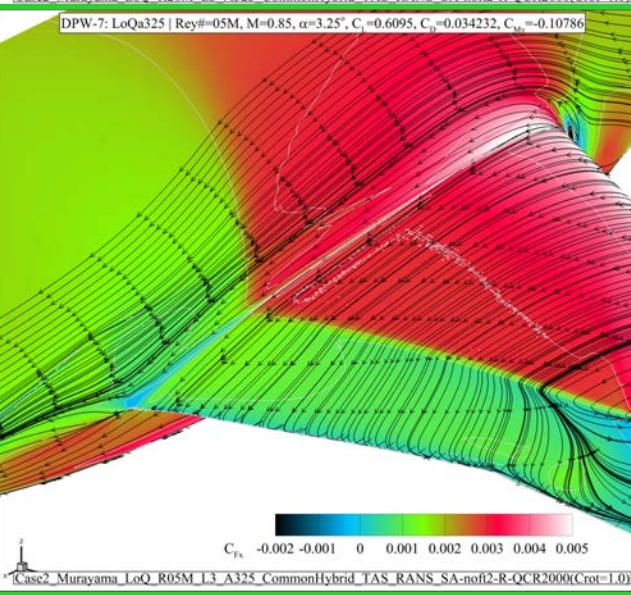
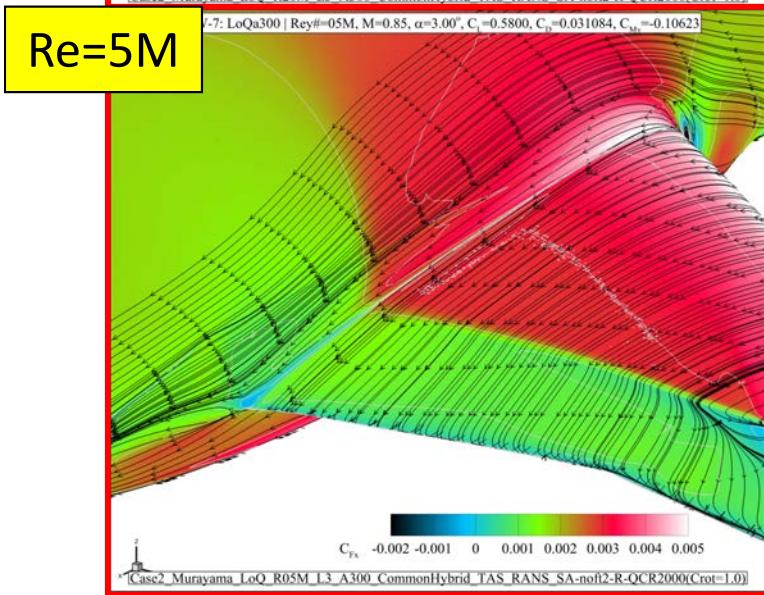
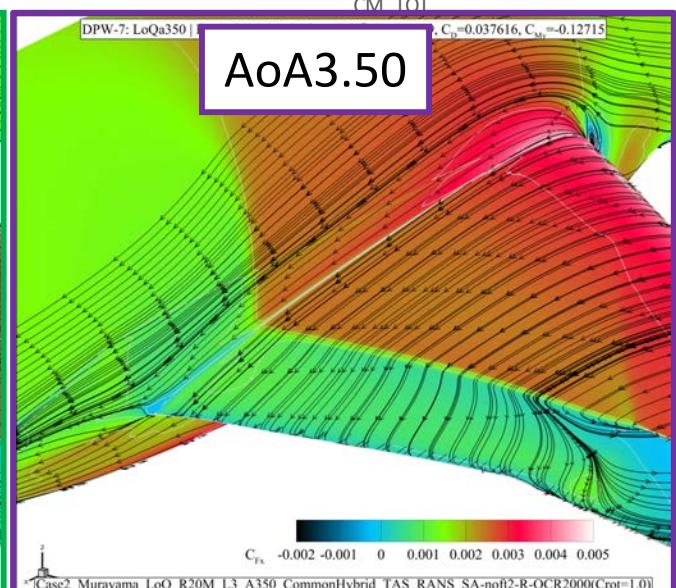
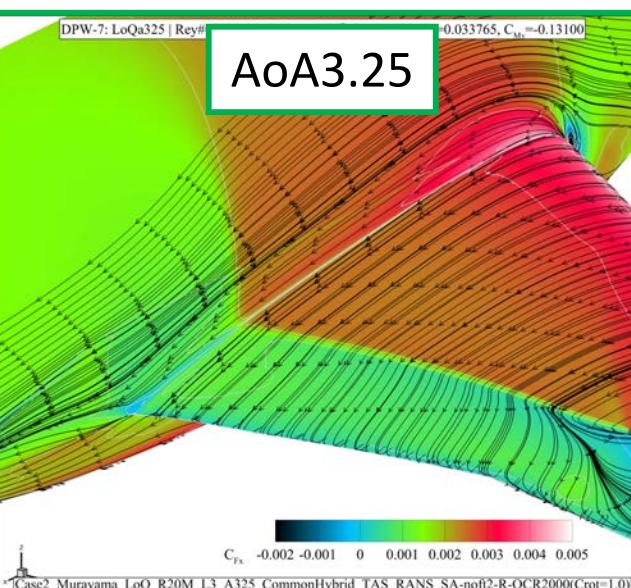
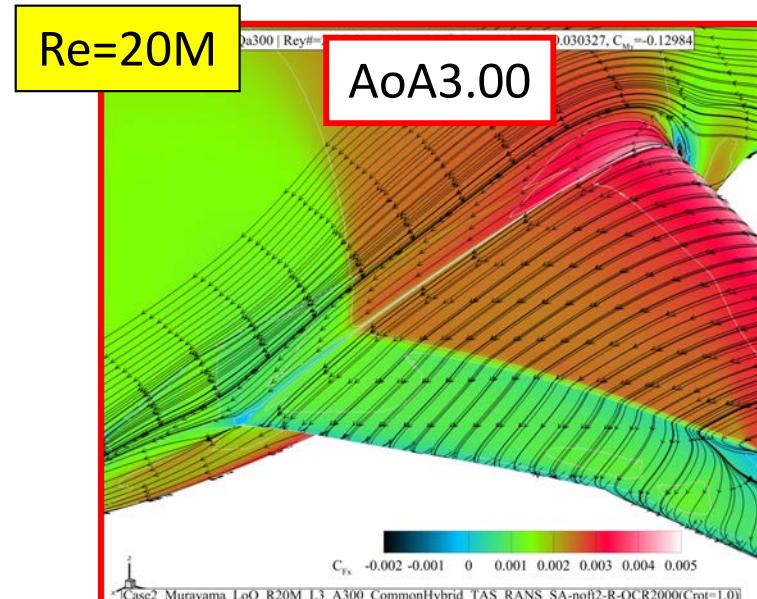
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- Shock-induced flow separation around mid-span expands at higher AoAs
- Results at 5M show relatively larger flow separation



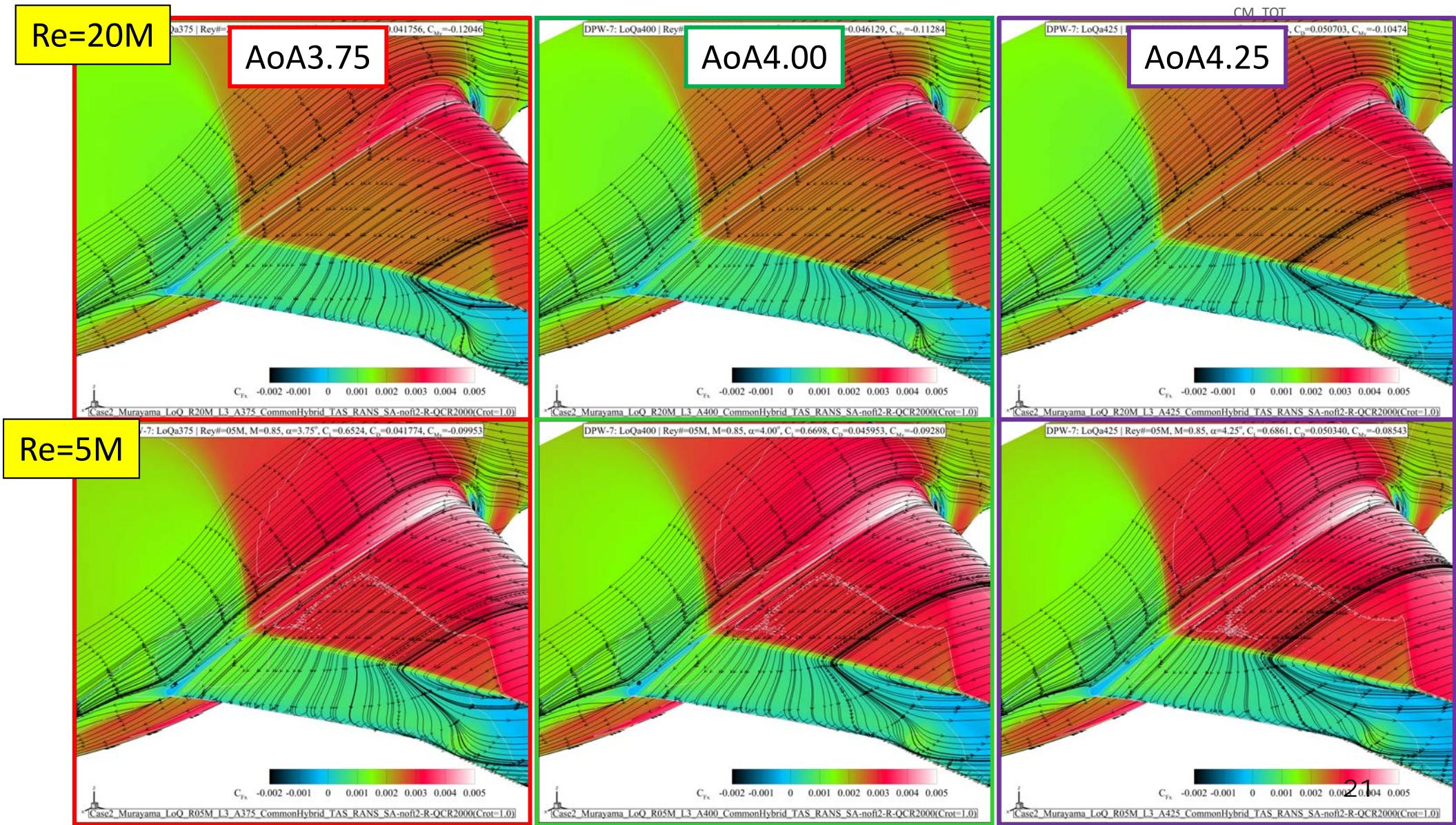
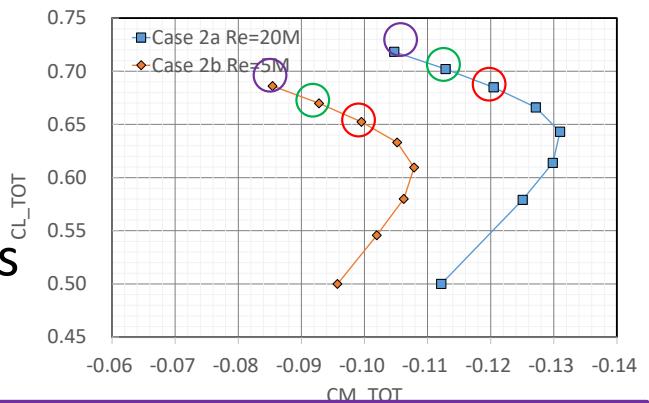
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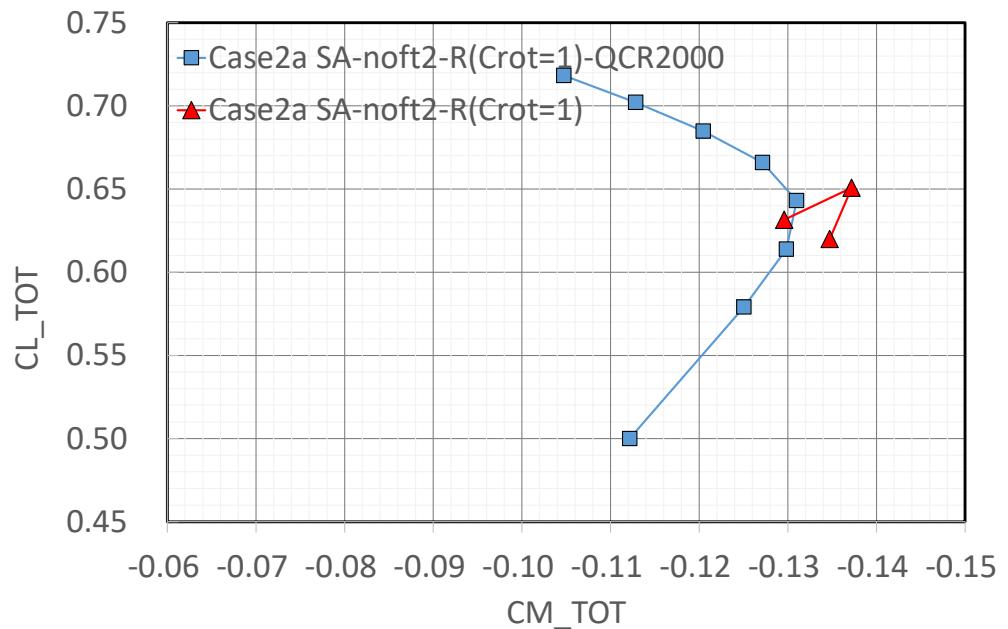
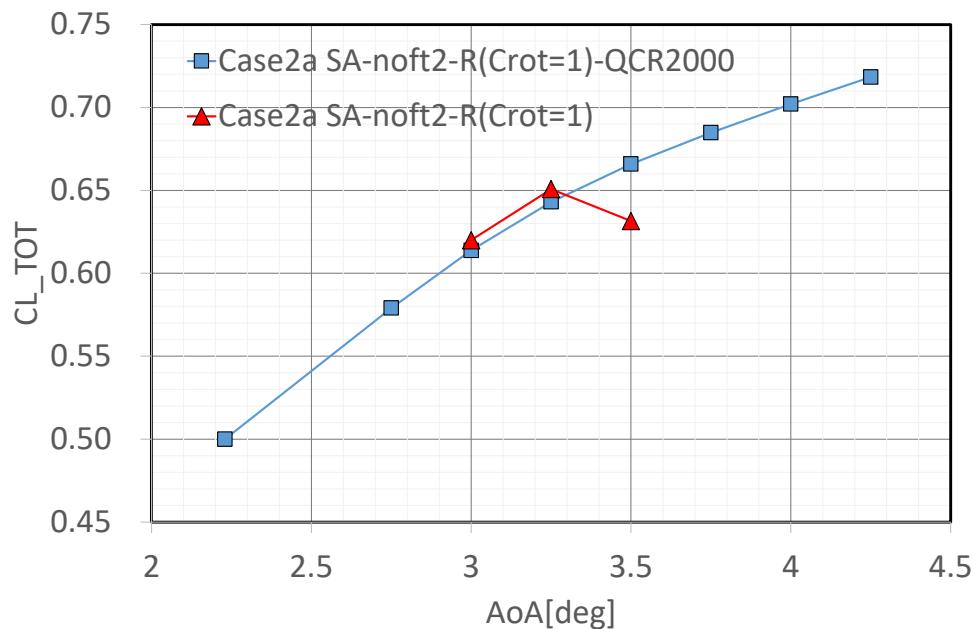
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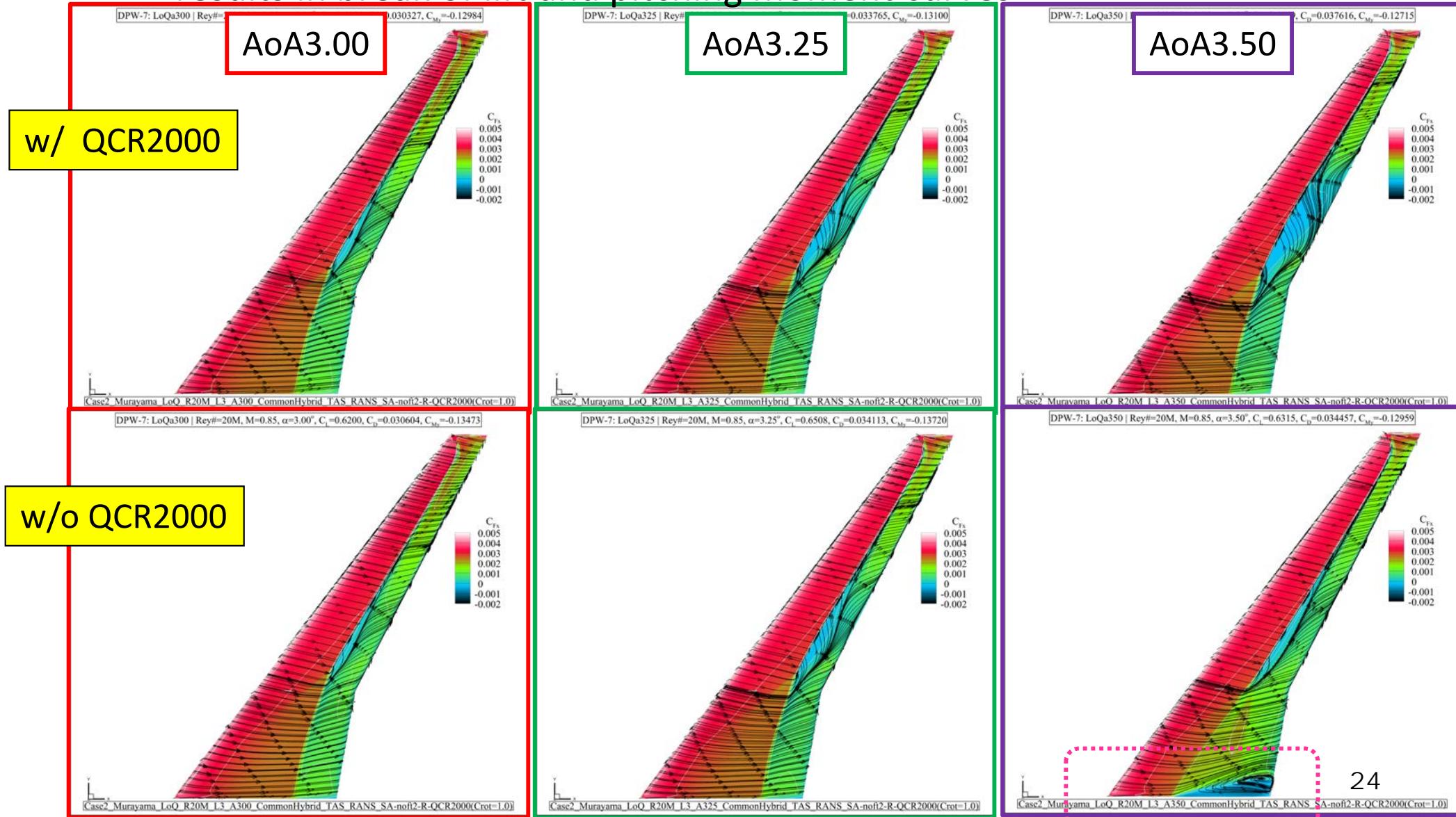
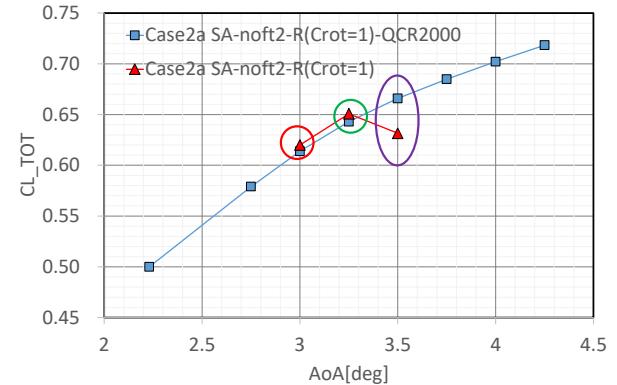
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- Lift and pitching moment curves break at AoA=3.5deg



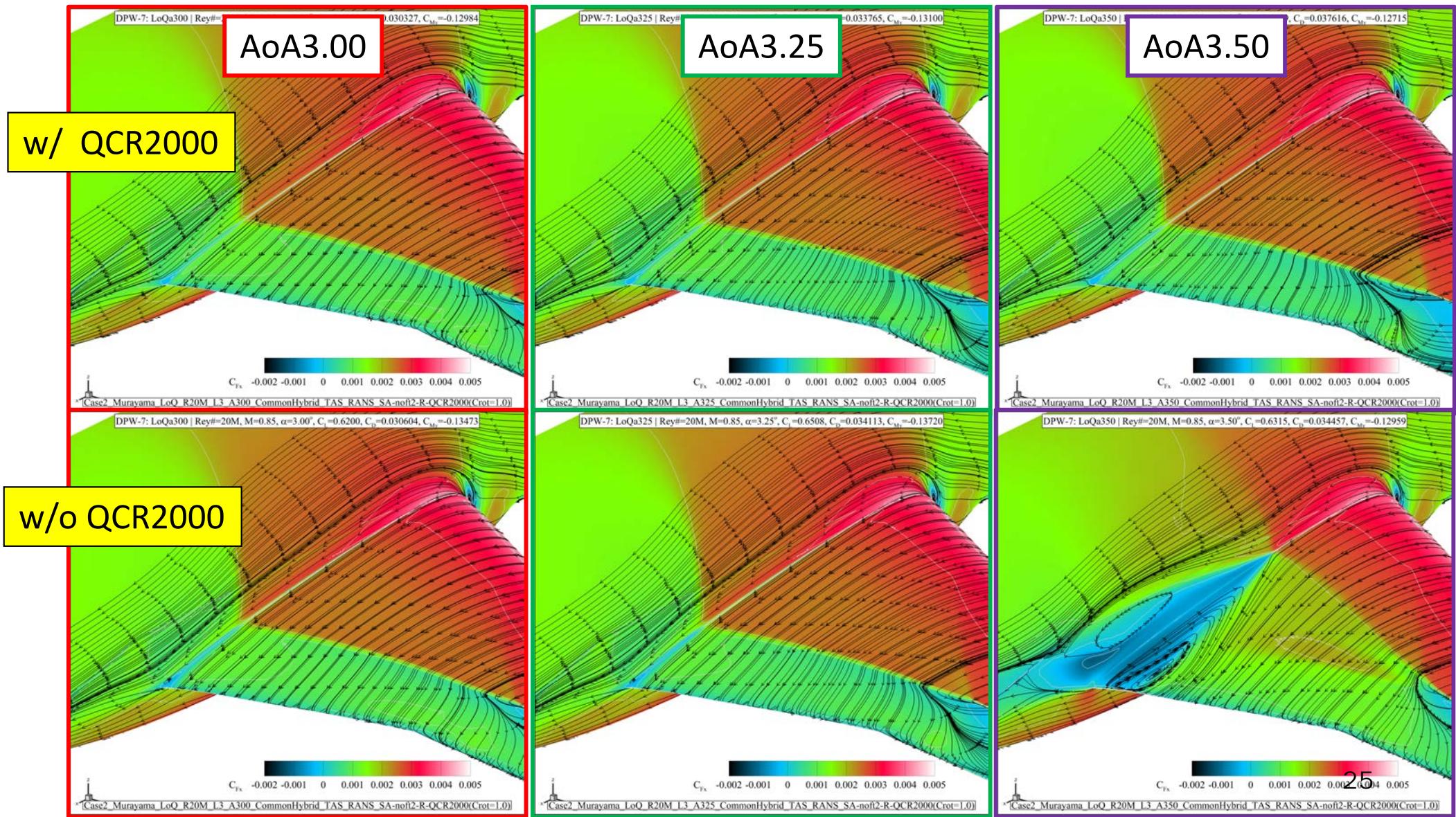
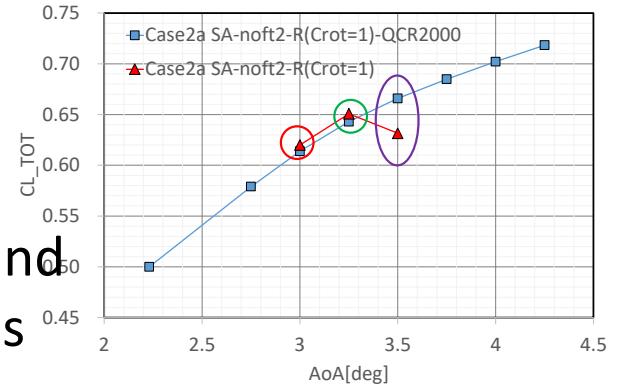
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- w/ QCR: shock slightly shifts forward
- w/o QCR: SOB separation occurs at AoA=3.5 and it results in break of lift and pitching moment curves



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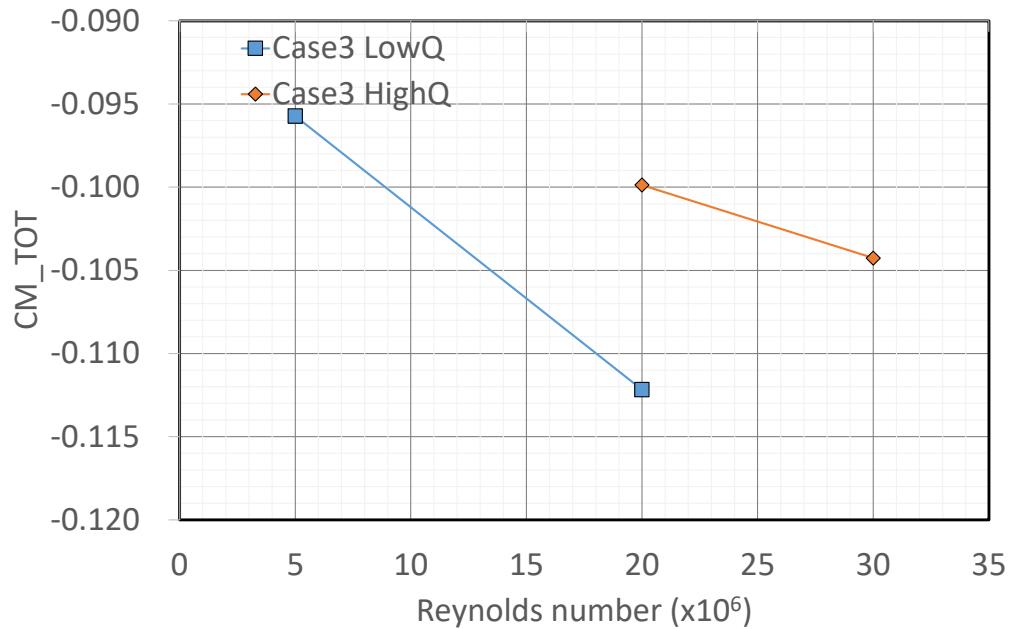
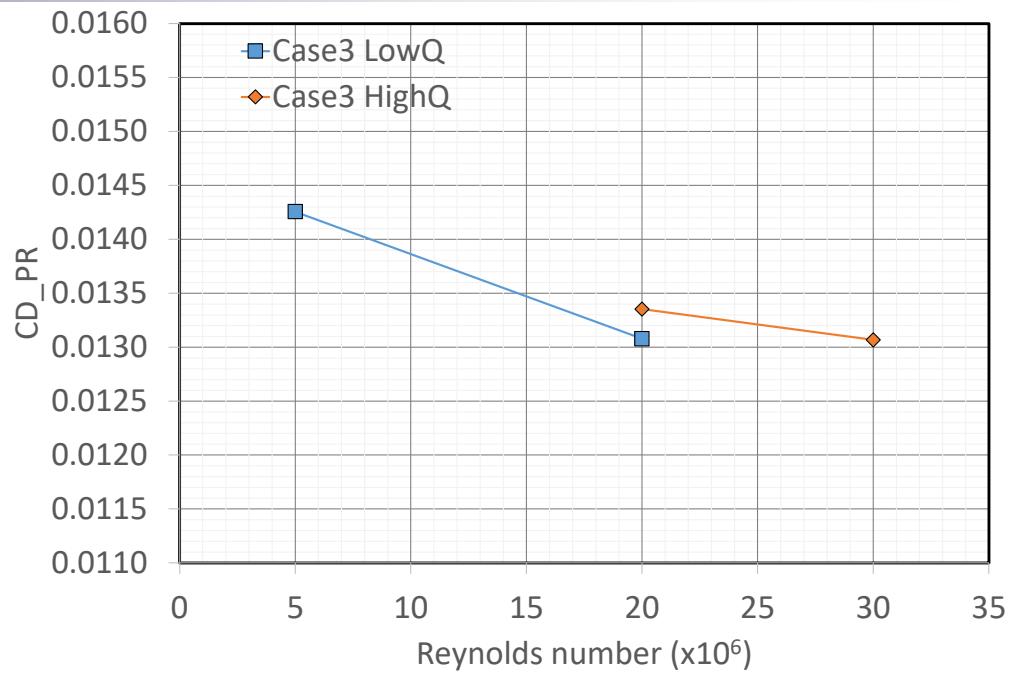
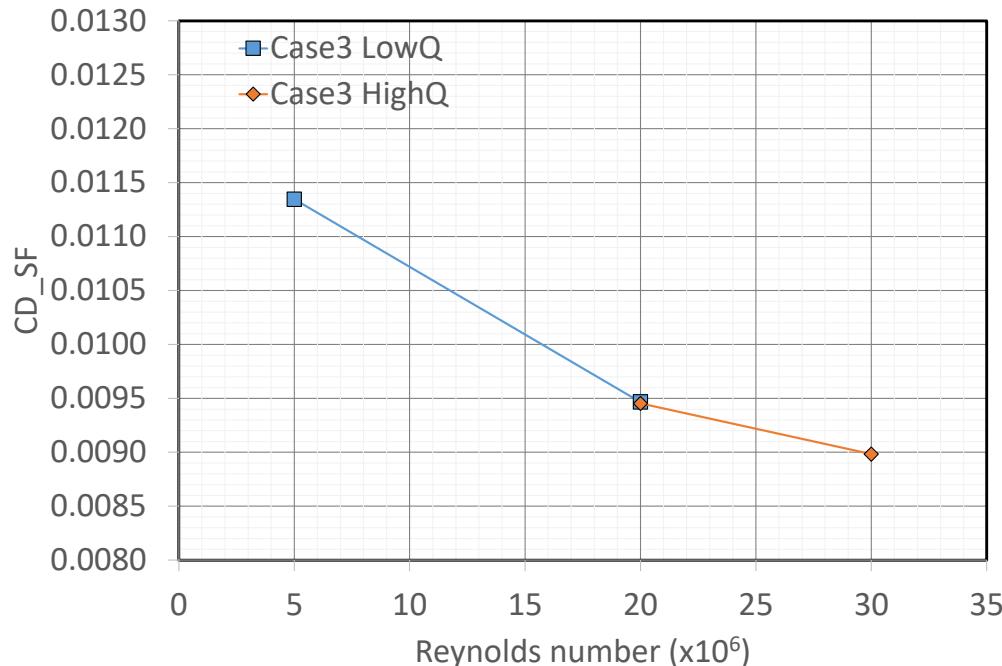
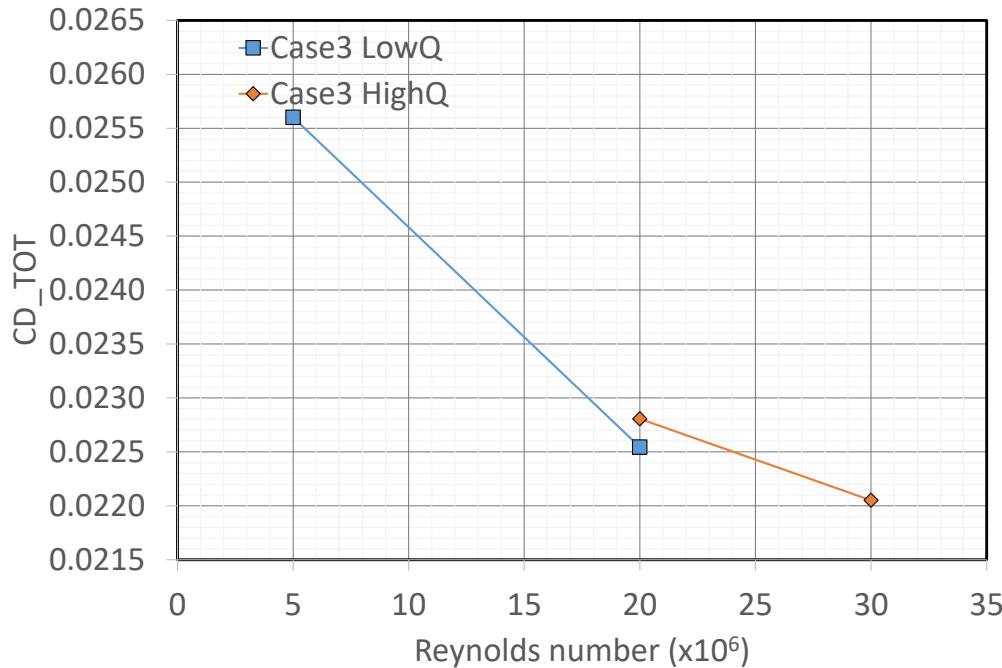
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## Computational Results

- Case 1a&b: Grid Convergence Study at  $Re=20M$  &  $5M$
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Some jumps are found at  $Re=20M$  by the difference of  $Q$  especially for  $CD_{PR}$  and  $CM$

## Concluding Remarks

- JAXA's TAS Code Results for DPW-VII were shown
  - Case 1a&b Grid Convergence Study at Re=20M & 5M
    - Straight grid convergence from Tiny to Ultra-Fine and constant difference between result of two Re conditions at each grid level
  - Case 2a&b Alpha Sweep at Re=20M & 5M
    - Shock-induced flow separation expands around mid-span from AoA=3.00
    - No large SOB flow separation is found at both Re conditions with QCR2000
    - w/ QCR: shock slightly shifts forward
    - w/o QCR: Large SOB flow separation suddenly occurs at AoA=3.5 and it results in break of lift and pitching moment curves
  - Case 3 Reynolds Number Sweep At Constant  $C_L$ 
    - Some jump at Re=20M by the difference of Q and deformation especially for CD\_PR and CM



# Case 2a&b: Alpha Sweep at Re=20M & 5M

- Shock-induced flow separation around mid-span expands at higher AoAs
- Results at 5M show relatively larger flow separation

