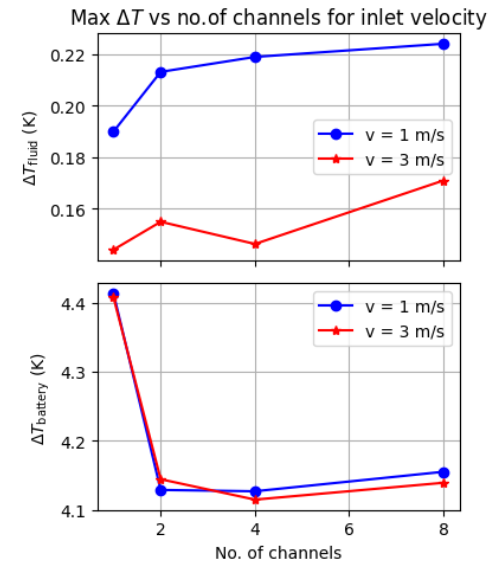
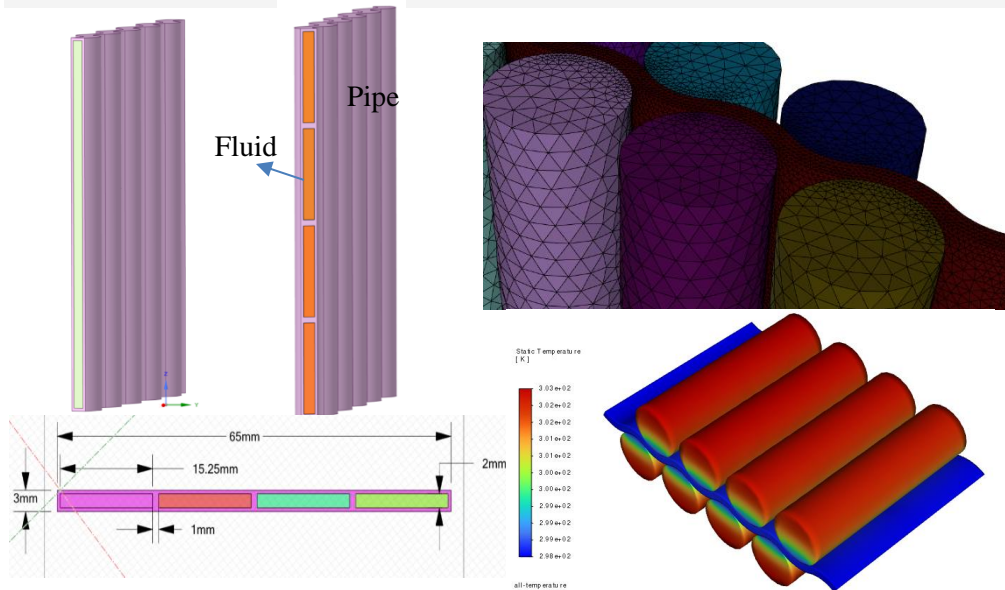




18650 Battery Pack Cooling Using Serpentine Pipe



What?

- EV Battery pack cooling using serpentine pipe –used in Tesla
- Heat released @ $4C = 74163 \text{ W/m}^3$
- Study effect of single channel and multi channel 2,4, and 8

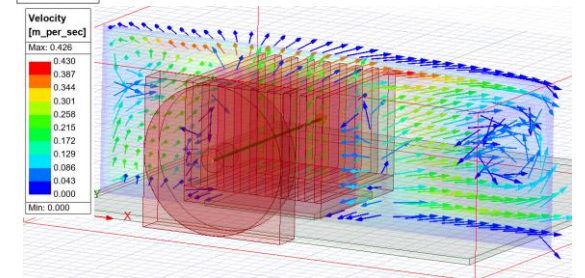
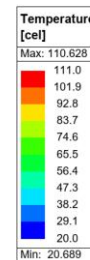
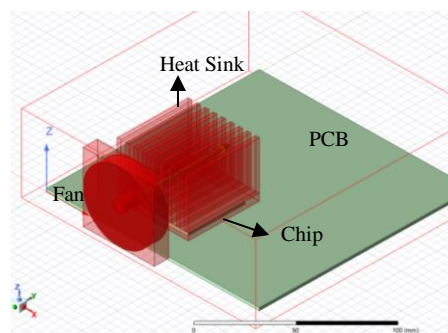
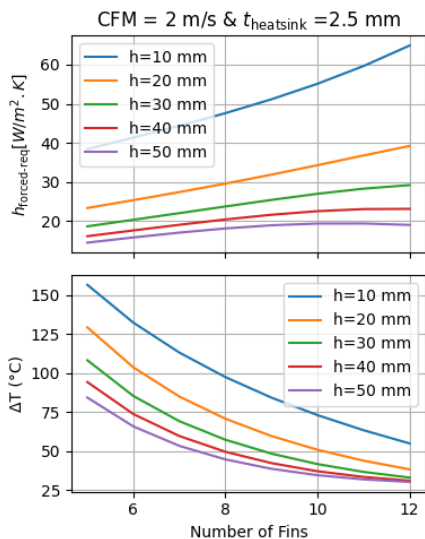
How?

- ANSYS water tight geometry meshing
- Ansys Fluent- Steady state, Conjugate heat transfer, and Multi zone
- Flow is laminar and solving energy
- Multiple Iteration

Results

- Using multiple channels decreased MTD (Maximum temperature diff)
- But in the cost of increasing fluid temperature
- Adding more channels reduces overall fluid mass rate, so no change in MTD

Analytical & CFD-FEA Study of Chip Cooling with Optimized Heatsink Design.



What?

- Analytical Thermal Resistance Model (RM) for a chip-heatsink-fan system by using DOE
- $Q_{chip} = 30 \text{ W}$, $T_{amb} = 20^{\circ}\text{C}$.
- DOE varying thickness and no. of fins to maintain $T_{jun} = 85^{\circ}\text{C}$

How?

- Ansys Icepak –uses Fluent for flow and FEA for structure
- Inbuilt automatic fine structured mesh
- Turbulent, steady state
- PyAEDT for DOE by varying the location of chip and heat sink
- Grille with free area ratio of 0.9

Results

- Thickness and no. of fins have influence on required cooling from analytical model.
- Influence on location of chip-heatsink using PyAEDT Icepak results
- Results from simulations & RM had small differences in temperatures and velocities, due to simplicity in RM.

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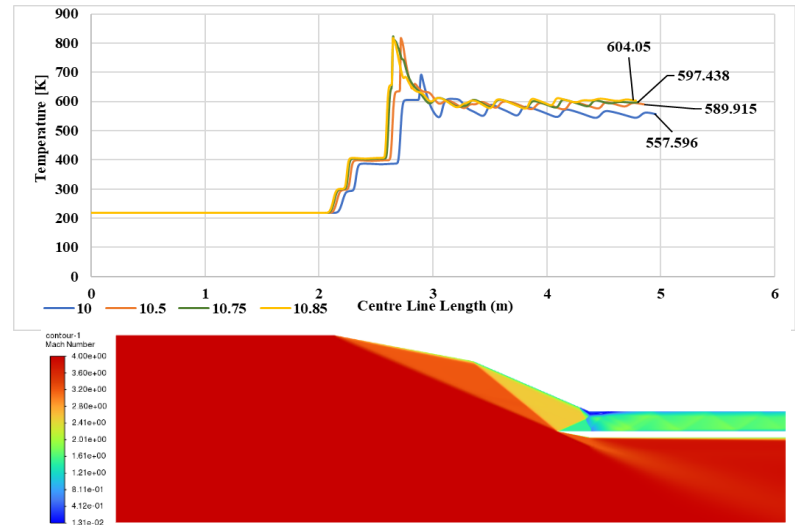
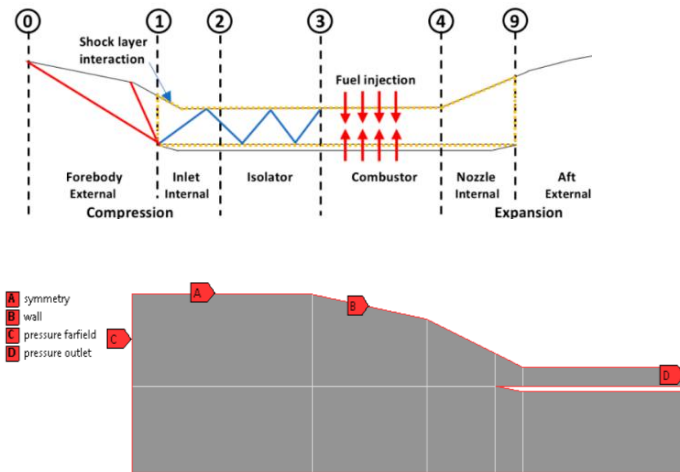


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Design of Scramjet Inlet for Shock on Lip Condition at Low Mach Number by Using CFD



What?

- Engine for high speed flights with only 2 engines, Turbo-Ram and Scramjet
- At low Mach number 4&5 achieving minimum ignition temperature (MIT) by compression is challenging
- Using shock on lip for flow spillage and 2 ramps by varying angles for compression.

How?

- Using Hypersonic aerodynamics, designed analytical geometry and modeled in Catia.
- Block-Structured mesh using Ansys meshing
- Ansys Fluent- RANS, Steady state, Density-based solver and ideal gas
- The Advection Upstream Splitting Method (AUSM) for shock capture

Results

- Initial geometry doesn't give required MIT for JP-7 fuel.
- Varying angles of ramps by different combination got desired MIT for combustion in engine.
- Shock-on-lip observed in all simulations

Design and analysis of small-scale axial flow pump impeller using CFD (Ansys CFX)

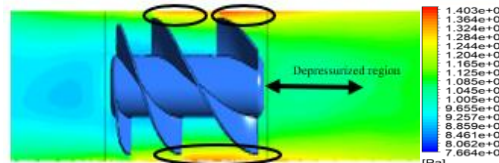
	Specification	
	Revolution per Minute (RPM)	10000
Pump	Discharge	5[L/Min]
	Working Fluid	Water
	Desired Head	1000[Kg/m³]
	Density of working fluid	1[m]
	Type	Helical
Blade	Total length	43.5[mm]
	Tip Diameter	20[mm]
	Hub Diameter	10[mm]
	Blade Height	5[mm]
	Blade Thickness	1[mm]



What?

- Mini axial-flow pump for small-scale use: chemical dosing, blood pumps, dispensers
- Analyzed 6 impeller designs with: Wrap angles: **240°, 300°, 360°**
- Leading edge shapes: **circular** and **parabolic**

	Wrap Angles		
	240°	300°	360°
Leading Edge Profile			
Circular			
Parabolic			

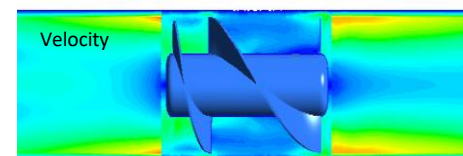
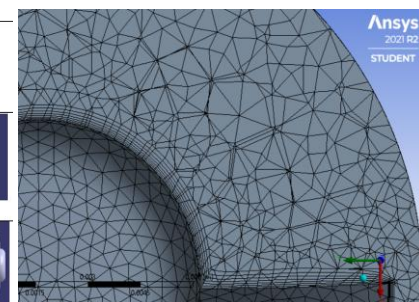


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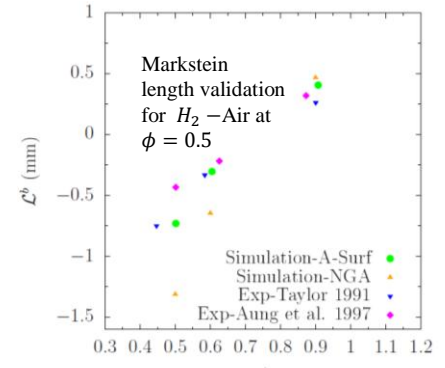
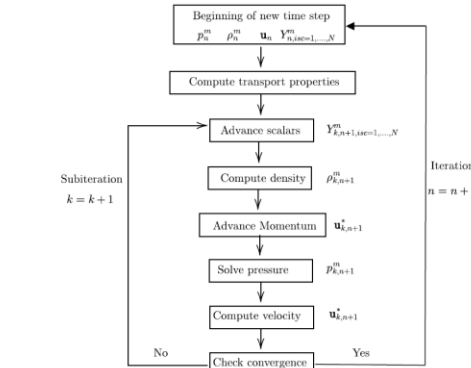
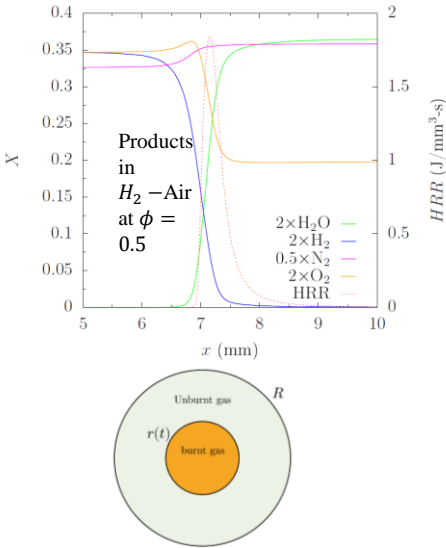
- Designed in **CATIA**, domains split into suction, pump, and delivery.
- **Meshed in ANSYS** with inflation near impeller walls for boundary layer accuracy
- Simulated in **ANSYS CFX**, steady-state, 10000 rpm, 5 L/min flow
- Used **k-ε turbulence model**, sliding interfaces between rotating and stationary domains

Results

- **300° wrap angle + parabolic edge** gave best total head and smooth flow
- Parabolic edges minimized flow separation at leading corners
- **Head increased as discharge decreased**, confirming expected trend
- Improved pressure and velocity distribution observed near blade surfaces



Measurement of Flame Properties in CFD Simulated Premixed Cylindrically Expanding Flames



Mixture		MA		MA-MC		MA-MA	
Name	p ₀ (atm)	S _L (m/s)	M ^b	S _L (m/s)	M ^b	S _L (m/s)	M ^b
D80E95	1	3.6894	2.7282	3.772	4.4887	3.6990	3.0011
D82E90	1	3.2013	2.6941	3.2797	4.2494	3.2156	2.9735
D84E90	1	2.8169	2.6861	2.8856	4.2689	2.8318	3.0155
D89E65	1	1.0863	0.9635	1.0986	1.2127	1.0986	1.2127
	2	1.0273	0.9010	1.0427	1.1986	1.0381	0.9708
	3	0.9626	0.8340	0.9744	1.1514	0.9714	0.9051

What?

- Combustion research on alternate premixed fuel needs, a lot of Numerical studies
- Hydrogen-Air Combustion in Von Karman Combustion Chamber (VKCC)
- Creating a framework to calculate flame properties efficiently.

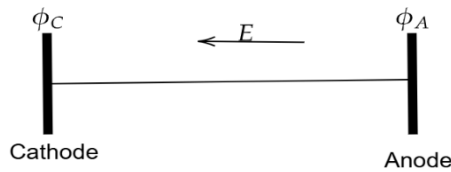
How?

- Usually 3D spherical solver are used-expensive. Here 1D cylindrical mapped solver is used, computationally efficient.
- Pre analysis using Cantera 1D-Planar
- Using Mixture-average model for diffusion velocity. Inhouse code NGA-HPC, Parallel, Soret effect included

Results

- Parameters interested – Flame speed, Markstein number and length
- NGA results are validated with experimental results.
- NGA is applied for premixed Hydrogen study.

Design and analysis of small-scale axial flow pump impeller using CFD (Ansys CFX)



Cathode

$$\nabla n_i = 0, \nabla n_e = 0$$

$$\phi = \phi_C$$

$$\Gamma_i = \frac{1}{4} v_i n_i + n_i \mu_i E$$

$$\text{where } v_j = \sqrt{8k_B T_j / \pi m_j}$$

$$\Gamma_e = \frac{1}{4} v_e n_e \pm \gamma \Gamma_i$$

Anode

$$\nabla n_i = 0, \nabla n_e = 0$$

$$\phi = \phi_A$$

$$\Gamma_i = \frac{1}{4} v_i n_i$$

$$\Gamma_e = \frac{1}{4} v_e n_e$$

$$\frac{\partial n_s}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot \Gamma_s = S$$

$$\Gamma_e = -\mu_e n_e E - D_e \nabla n_e, \Gamma_i = \mu_i n_i E - D_i \nabla n_i$$

$$S = \bar{\alpha} |\Gamma^{\text{drift}}| = \bar{\alpha} \mu_e |E| n_e$$

$$\mu_e, D_e \text{ and } \bar{\alpha} \text{ are function of } |E|$$

$$\nabla^2 \phi = -\frac{\rho}{\epsilon_0}$$

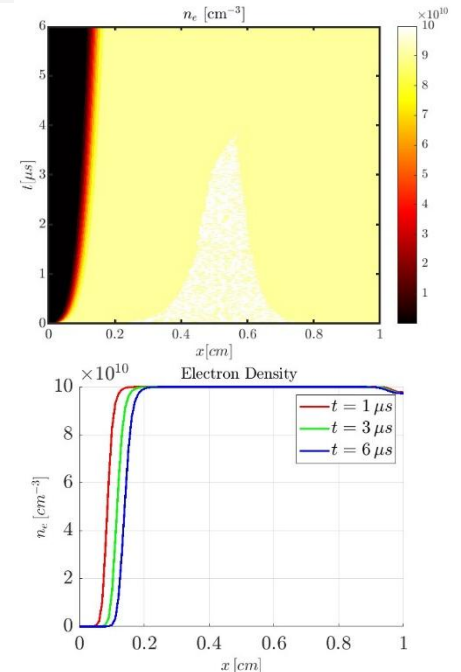
$$E = -\nabla \phi, \text{ where } \rho = (n_i - n_e)e$$

How?

- FVM
- Explicit time discretization ODE45
- Convective term Γ^{drift} - using Lax-Friedrich Flux Splitting and WENO5 for discretization
- Dirichlet B.C to solve the Electric Potential results a sparse matrix
- $\Delta t = 1 \text{ ns}, t = 6 \mu\text{s}$
- $\Delta x = 1 \mu\text{m}, L = 1 \text{ cm}$

What?

- Drift diffusion model, very common model in plasma physics to study number density of electron and ions.
- Applications:** Plasma Confinement, Glow Discharges and Ionization Fronts, Electric Probe Diagnostics, Semiconductor Plasmas, Plasma Thrusters



Results

- Captured the sheaths and number densities