Low load operating protocol investigation of a 620MWe power boiler using a fast Eulerian-Eulerian CFD model

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#### Abstract

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	Nomenclature				
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Symbol	Quantity	Unit	$\alpha_p$	Particle absorption	$m^{-1}$
				coefficient	
A	Area	$m^2$	g	Gravity	$m/s^2$

## 1. Introduction

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### 3. Numerical setup

Validation separately mention the rates/loadings - give results for 40% case inputs Low Ultra low load inputs

Table 1: Utility boiler fuel characteristics

Fuel constituent	Fraction	Unit	
Ultimate analysis - (DAF)	-	-	
Carbon	0.7753	$kg/kg_{fuel}$	
Hydrogen	0.0415	$kg/kg_{fuel}$	
Nitrogen	0.0181	$kg/kg_{fuel}$	
Oxygen	0.1474	$kg/kg_{fuel}$	
Sulphur	0.0175	$kg/kg_{fuel}$	
$Proximate\ analysis$ - $(AR)$	-	-	
Fixed carbon	0.340	$kg/kg_{fuel}$	
Volatile matter	0.196	$kg/kg_{fuel}$	
Ash	0.4090	$kg/kg_{fuel}$	
Moisture	0.0550	$kg/kg_{fuel}$	
Energy content - (DAF)	Value		
Higher heating value	15070	$kJ/kg_{fuel}$	

# $3.1.\ Model\ validation$

The validation of the proposed model was conducted for three steady state MCR loads of 100%, 80% and 60%. The

Figures of the Histrograms and CO graphs as in paper Data plots and overall performance of the model Inputs for the various loads table ghff

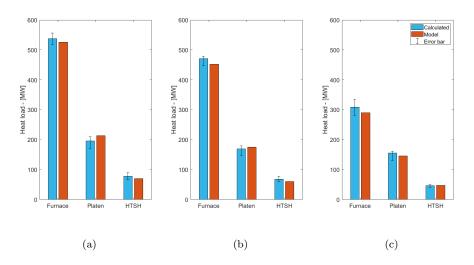


Figure 1: Validation of the experimental and models heat load to the furnace, PSH and HTSH for steady state loads of a) 100% MCR, b) 80% MCR and c) 60% MCR

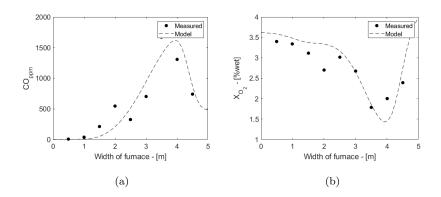


Figure 2: Experimentally calculated CO and  $O_2$  concentration predictions at a height of 37.5 (m)

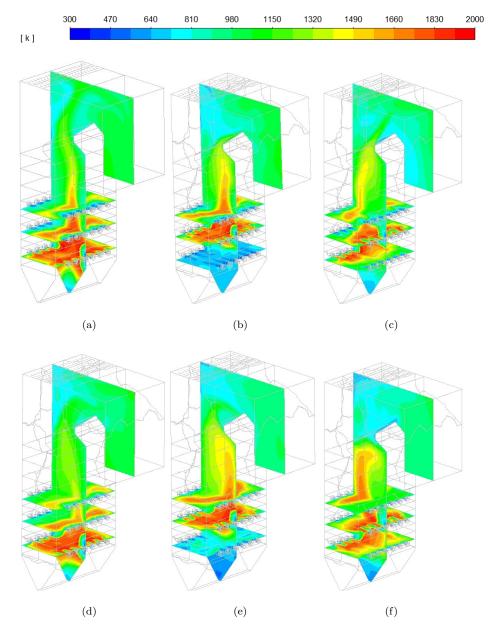


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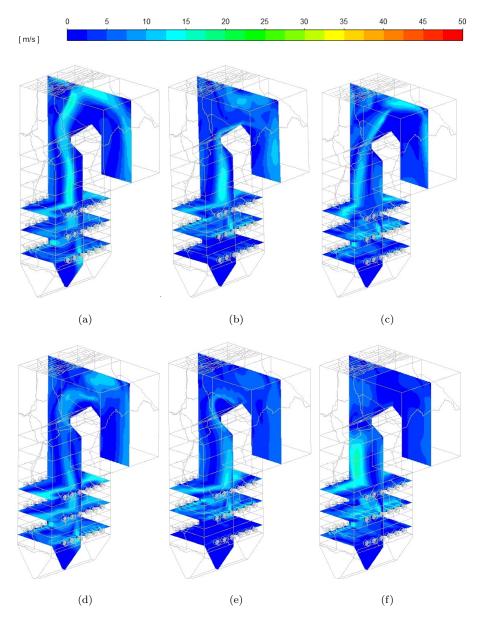


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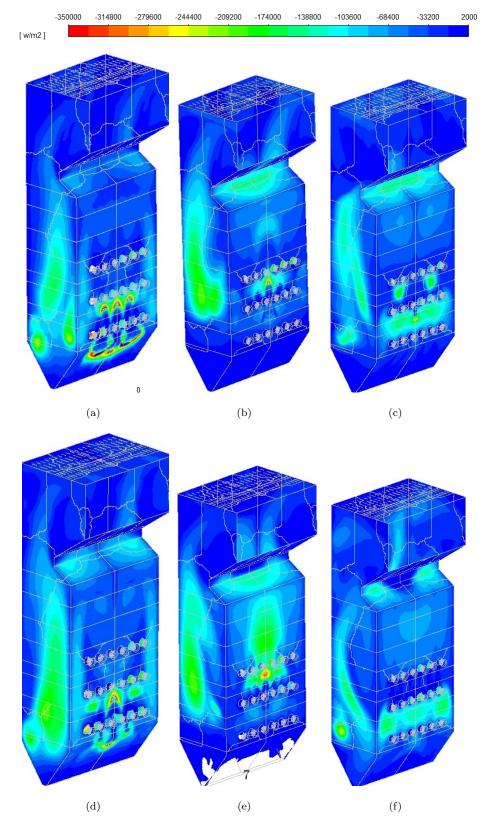
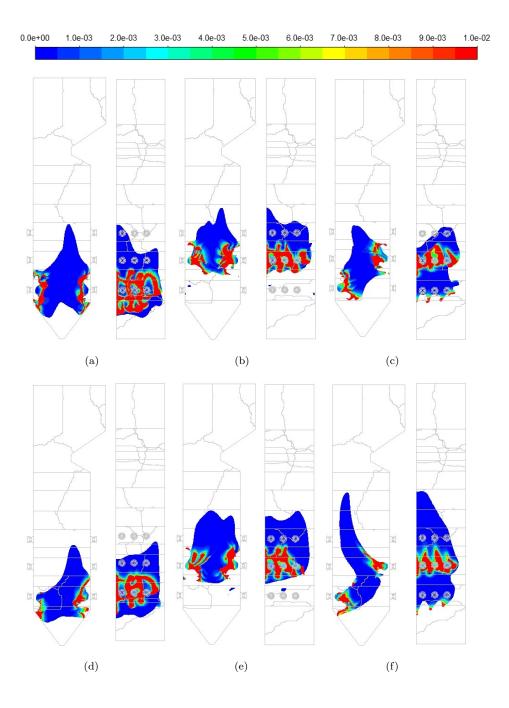


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# 4. Results & discussion

## 5. Conclusions

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