

# Effects of simple generic configuration (SWIM) on near to far field wake using 3D Vortex Filament Method

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# **Objectives**

- Validation of the EZ-vortex code against linear stability studies
- Parametric study :
  - NLR wind tunnel results (LST/ LLF):
     6 model configurations.
  - ◆ Initial conditions of EZ-Vortex
  - ◆ EZ-Vortex computation

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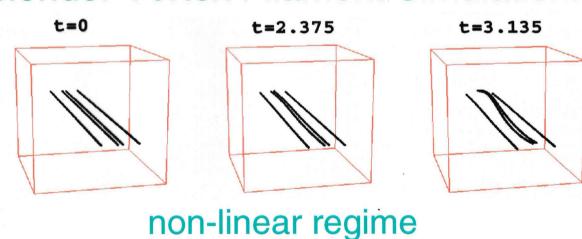
### Validation of EZ-Vortex

- → Validation: 4-wake vortex model

  Growth rate / Shape of linear mode
  - ◆ Linear Stability (Fabre Jacquin 2000)
  - ◆ EZ-Vortex computation (linear regime)



→ Slender Vortex Filament Simulation:



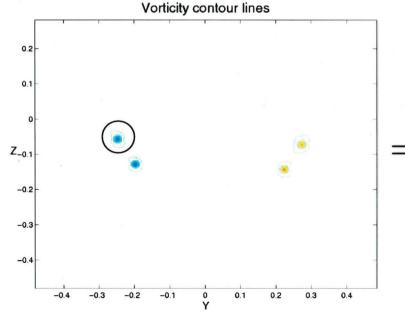


# Parametric study

- Inputs of EZ-Vortex (Initial condition)
  - Position, Circulation  $\Gamma$ , Radius  $\delta$  , Axial flux  $\emph{m}_0$
- NLR report : only some of these parameters are available

⇒ we need to complete the analysis of NLR

Experimental NLR data: Our analysis of the data files:



- → Axi-symmetric average over the circle:
  - ⇒radial profile of vorticity
- → Analysis of this profile:

(least square method)

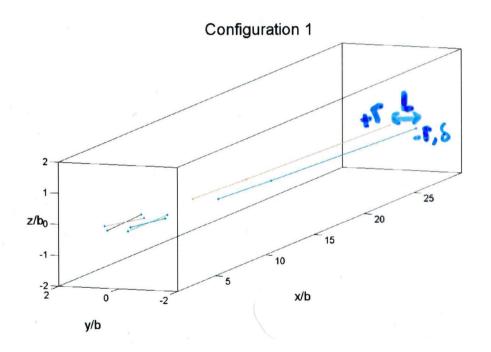
$$\Rightarrow$$
 position,  $\Gamma$  ,  $\delta$  ,  $m_0$ 



### **Analysis**



#### Position of vortices



x/b > 30:

- 3D dynamics, curvature effects
- Initial condition for EZ-Vortex from station

$$x/b = 30 \quad \checkmark \quad \Rightarrow$$

 $\Rightarrow x/b < 30$ : 2D dynamics for motion and merging



### **Initial Conditions for EZ Vortex**

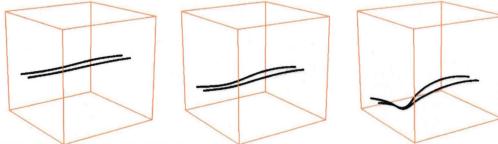
(Wing span b=0.6 m, V0=60 m/s)

# IC from our analysis at x/b = 30: Configuration 1:

- 2 vortices
- Distance of vortices L = 0.5m
- Circulation  $\Gamma = +/-2.4m^2/s$
- Radius  $\delta/L = \varepsilon = 0.046 \Rightarrow$  Slender vortex
- Viscosity  $V/\varepsilon^2 = 0.01m^2/s$

Axial flux  $m0 = -0.0m^3 / s$ EZ-Vortex code





 $\Lambda = 4.57965m$  (most unstable linear mode)

#### Time of 3d collision:

$$t_{collision} = 1.273s$$
  
Linear stability time:

$$t_{linear} = 1/\beta = 0.78s$$

#### Criteria of collision:

$$d_{\min} / L = 4\varepsilon$$