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1 Motivation

Over the last five decades the requirement for supersonic and hypersonic propulsion has grown considerably. Prediction of thermoacoustic oscillations gained importance in order to run rocket engines and gas turbines properly. This motivation requires to being capable of solving complicated mathematical models by utilizing adjoint methods.

2 Mathematical Model

1D thermoacoustic model has been considered. Mean flow has been set to zero. As can be seen in Figure 1, open ended elongated tube from 0 to X containing gas at following parameters;

- Uniform density, $\overline{\rho}$
- Uniform pressure, \overline{p}
- Ratio of specific heats, γ
- Velocity, u
- Pressure, p

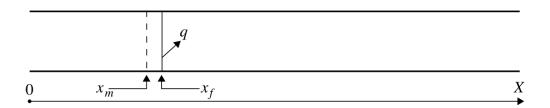


Figure 1: Diagram of the open-ended tube extending from 0 (upstream) to X (downstream). The heat release, q, occurs at position x f and is a function of the acoustic velocity at x m. The mean flow, which is defined as positive in the positive x-direction, is set to zero.

2.1 Governing Equations

The 1D acoustic energy and momentum equations are;

$$\overline{\rho}\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial p}{\partial x} = 0 \tag{2.1}$$

$$\frac{\partial p}{\partial t} + \gamma \overline{p} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = (\gamma - 1)q\delta_D(x - x_f)$$
 (2.2)

Heat release rate $q(t) = nu(x_m, t_\tau)[W/m^2]$ is placed at $x = x_f$, where $n[J/m^3]$ is a real constant, τ is time delay, x_m is the measurement position of u. Mean density drop across the heat source, viscous and thermal dissipations have been neglected.

 δ is the Dirac delta. Reference length, reference speed and reference pressure are defined as $L_{ref} = X$, $U_{ref} = \overline{c}$ and $P_{ref} = \overline{p}$, respectively. Dimensionless acoustic energy and momentum equations are stated as follows;

$$\gamma \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial p}{\partial x} = 0 \tag{2.3}$$

$$\frac{\partial p}{\partial t} + \gamma \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = (\gamma - 1)q\delta_D(x - x_f)$$
 (2.4)

3 Numerical Methods

Solution of fluid flow domain has a complex physical and mathematical examinations. 4 methods are commonly preferred to approximate exact solutions of governing equations. These methods are;

- Traveling Wave Method
- Helmholtz Finite Difference Method
- Helmholtz Finite Element Method
- Galerkin Method

Each method has been used to solve thermoacoustic governing equations mentioned in previous section. Equation 2.3 and 2.4 are determined by applying these methods.

4 Codework

In order to solve the thermoacoustic governing equations, these 4 method could be programmed to get parametric and quick results.

JULIA programming language is preferred to perform codeworks.

4.1 Why Julia Programming Language?

Julia programming language is developed in order to perform matrix calculations reasonably fast and easy. It is completely open source programming language which enables to work without getting licence. Additionally, having high-level programming syntax makes it easy to learn and its computing performance is blazing fast comparing to programming languages like MATLAB and Python. Furthermore, dynamic type syntax is not requiring to define parameter type(int, float, double, string, char) such as fast programming languages C++ and Fortran.

4.2 Programming Methodology

During the code development, mathematical model is created based on object oriented programming technique. Followed methodology is illustrated in Figure 2.

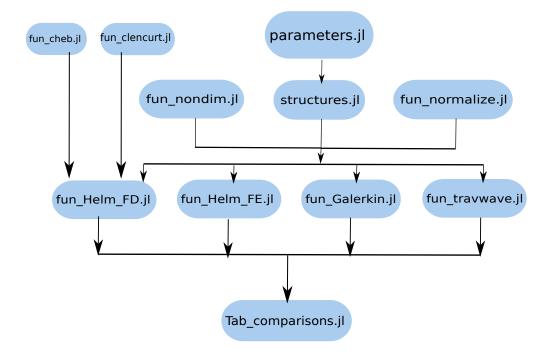


Figure 2: Codework layout and proposed flowchart

Figure 2 shows that each Julia file is connected by following systematic approach. By using these codes, all the methods' calculations can be performed and obtained results and table can be generated in file $Tab_comparisons.jl$. Script structures.jl includes structures of emode and ds. These 2 structures are determined and returned by 4 main $scripts;fun_Helm_FD.jl, fun_Helm_FE.jl, fun_Galerkin.jl and fun_travwave.jl$ Specified model parameters are inserted into parameters.jl file. Moreover, normalization and non-dimensionalization are performed by $fun_normalize.jl$ and $fun_nondim.jl$ files respectively.

5 Results

Table 1 shows the eigenvalues, s, determined according to four different methods for N=400. Figure 3 shows the corresponding P (x) and U (x) eigenvectors for the highest resolution case of each method. The eigenvectors differ only around the heat release zone, at $x = x_f = 0.25$. Main difference coming out in Galerkin method, rest of the three method showed good agreement.

Table 1: Eigenvalues, s, calculated with four different methods and, where relevant, up to five different resolutions, N, for the same thermoacoustic system. The growth rate is s r and the frequency is s i. The solutions approach each other as the resolution increases. (Tab comparisons.jl)

N	$ ext{fun_travwave}$	fun_Helm_FD	$\mathbf{fun}_{-}\mathbf{Helm}_{-}\mathbf{FE}$	fun_Galerkin
1	$0.12187530859257883 \\ +\ 3.2227814041928715 im$	-	-	-
10	-	$0.12301472009722814\\+\ 3.2222551623591285 im$	$\begin{array}{l} 1.2649666277747205e\text{-}10 \\ +\ 3.141592631034653\mathrm{im} \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{l} 3.42049450595866\text{e-}21 \\ +\ 3.1545273778453238\text{im} \end{array}$
40	-	$0.12363155192096682\\ +\ 3.221964689943754 im$	$0.06990252109480179\\+\ 3.184618956384646 im$	$0.1045690701269305\\+\ 3.2100253033952892 im$
100	-	$0.12115229273097906 \\ +\ 3.2231040481839406 im$	$0.12302841468171331\\+\ 3.2235632383934383 im$	$0.12181433836201444\\+\ 3.2228598981240886 im$
400	-	$0.12205739886178892\\+\ 3.2226989128574868 im$	$\begin{array}{l} 0.12181867950887351 \\ + \ 3.2227425705073545 \mathrm{im} \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{l} 0.12181840527018106 \\ + \ 3.2227499047678436 \mathrm{im} \end{array}$

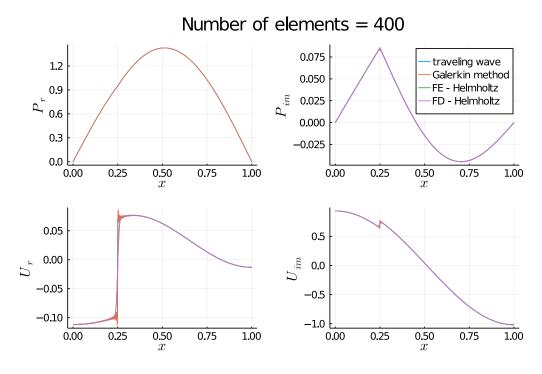


Figure 3: Real and imaginary components of the pressure, P (x), and velocity, U (x), eigenfunctions calculated for the highest resolution cases of the methods shown in table 1. (Tab_comparisons.jl)

Table 2 tabulates the calculated base sensitivities of each method.

Table 2: Base state sensitivities calculated by means of four methods with N=400 (Tab comparisons.jl)

	$\partial s/\partial n$	$\partial s/\partial au$	$\partial s/\partial x_m$	$\partial s/\partial x_f$
fun_travwave.jl	$0.10298315656272834\\ +\ 0.08269441085108045 im$	0.2539549055356268 - 0.34197060875680085im	-0.2664856896104548 - 0.17766984877202488im	$\begin{array}{l} 0.43129016791308405 \\ +\ 0.21134136333692508 im \end{array}$
fun_Helm_FD.jl	$0.1029381172495191\\+\ 0.08265540766612185 im$	0.2538373154537853 - 0.341812025204056im	-0.2663486625117436 - 0.17759310185260918im	$\begin{array}{l} 0.4310431667740005 \\ +\ 0.2112708145173602 \mathrm{im} \end{array}$
fun_Helm_FE.jl	$\begin{array}{l} 0.10293804348656137 \\ +\ 0.08265471643133453 im \end{array}$	0.2538357312085307 - 0.34181243558702773im	-0.2663469127817901 - 0.17759196026029755im	$\begin{array}{l} 0.4310398326117469 \\ +\ 0.21126935565722768 im \end{array}$
fun_Galerkin.jl	$0.1033169131009024 \\ +\ 0.08257175330986924 im$	0.253493305952927 - 0.3430377969585296im	-0.26685205730784367 - 0.17749521966955883im	$0.398800858731003 \\ +\ 0.2259008693655126 \mathrm{im}$