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# 非構造格子を用いた NASA-CRMの空力解析

## Computation of NASA-CRM Aerodynamics Using Unstructured Mesh

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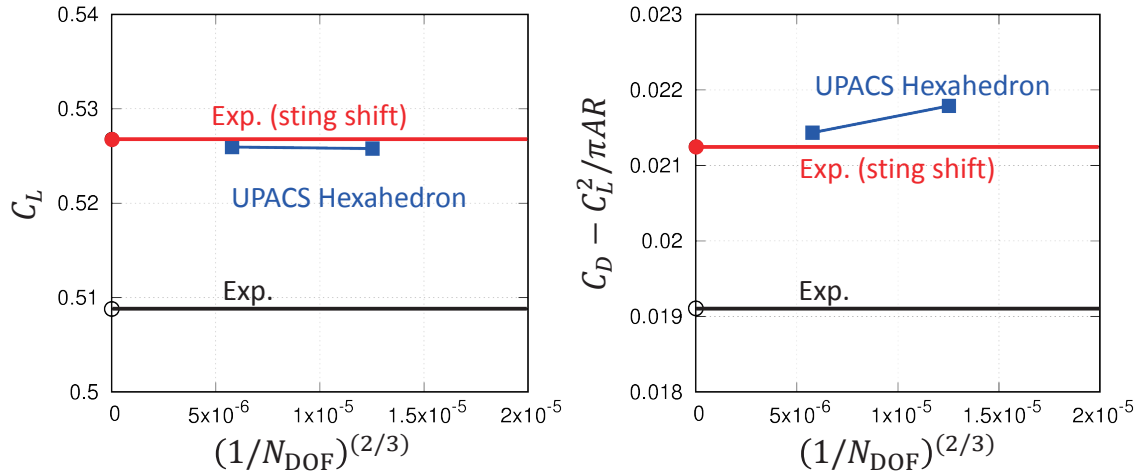
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## Subject 1-2 (APC-I)

### □ Previous attempts

- Grid convergence using 2nd order SV code was only confirmed using UPACS structured meshes in APC-I



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## Mesh Sequence for Grid Convergence Study

### □ Hybrid unstructured meshes

- Comprised of tetrahedral and prismatic cells

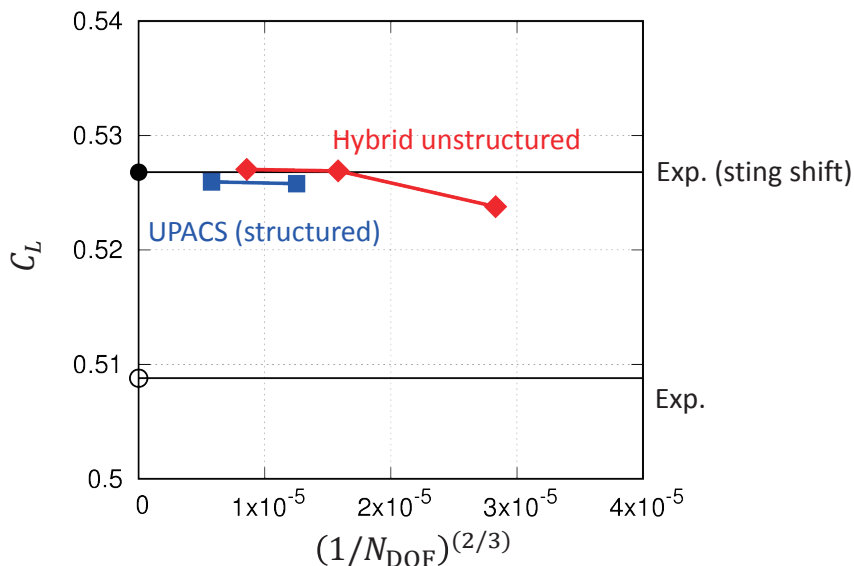
SV 2nd	Tetrahedron	Prism	Total Cells	Total DOF
Coarse	1,210,384	299,078	1,509,462	6,636,004
Medium	2,935,538	694,050	3,629,588	15,906,452
Fine	7,055,087	1,942,220	8,997,307	39,873,668

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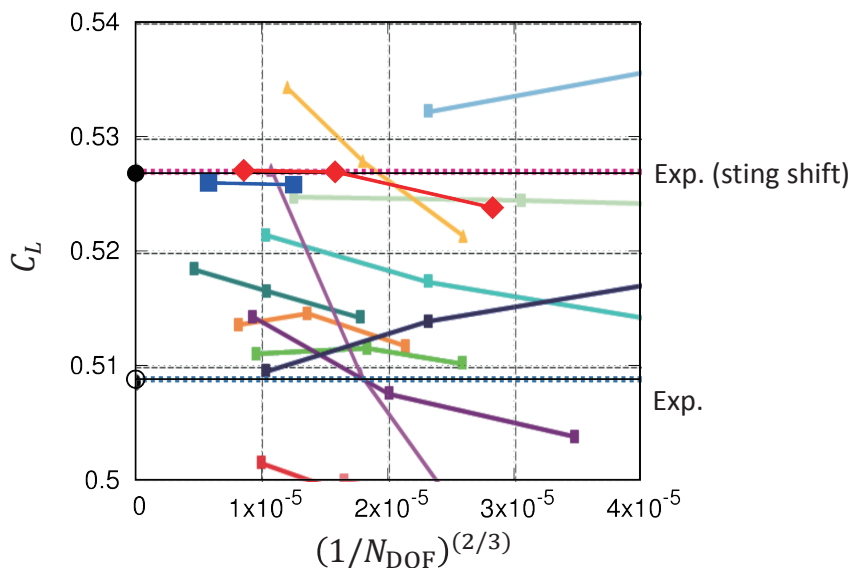
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- ▣ Compared with UPACS (structured) case
  - Better convergence property indicated



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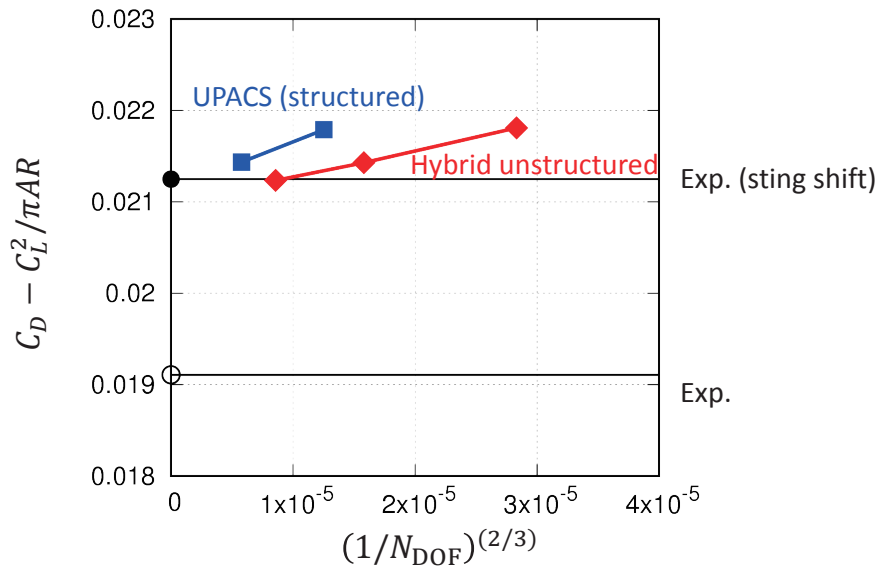
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## $C_D - C_L^2/\pi AR$ Convergence Sequence

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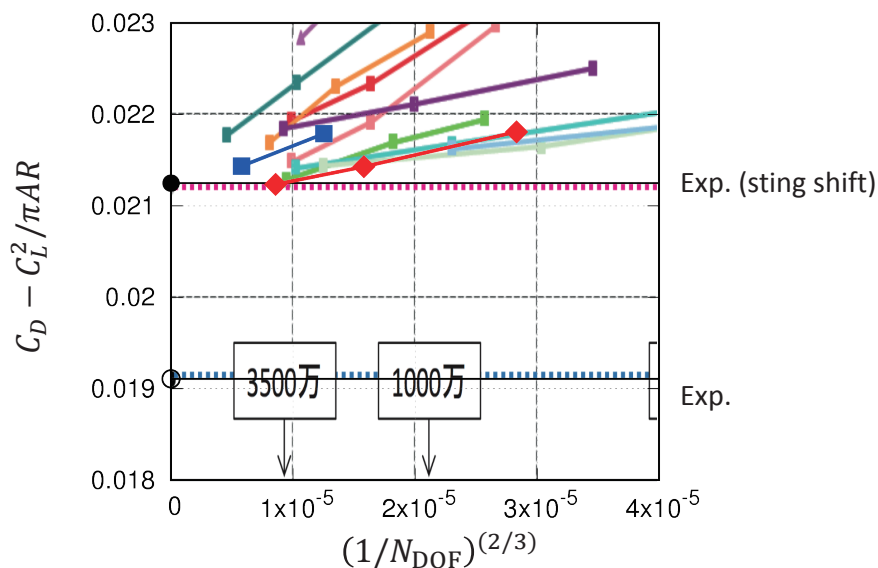
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## Summary for Subject 1-2 (APC-I)

### □ Grid convergence study

- SV method successfully gives reasonable mesh convergence property for hybrid unstructured mesh sequence
- Better convergence property of hybrid unstructured mesh than that for UPACS structured mesh sequence

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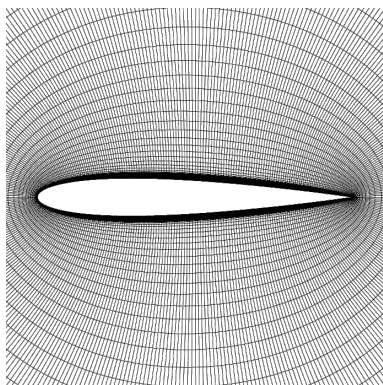
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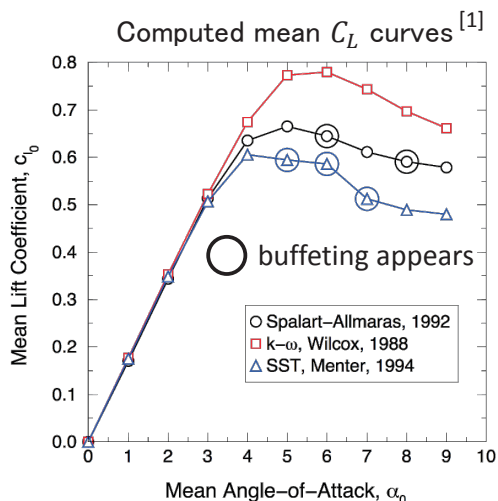
## Subject 3 (APC-III)

### □ Buffet onset prediction using RANS

- Practical method at industries in terms of cost
- Depends on choice of schemes, computational meshes and turbulence model



Computational mesh (NACA0012)<sup>[1]</sup>



[1] JP. Thomas and EH. Dowell, AIAA 2011-2077

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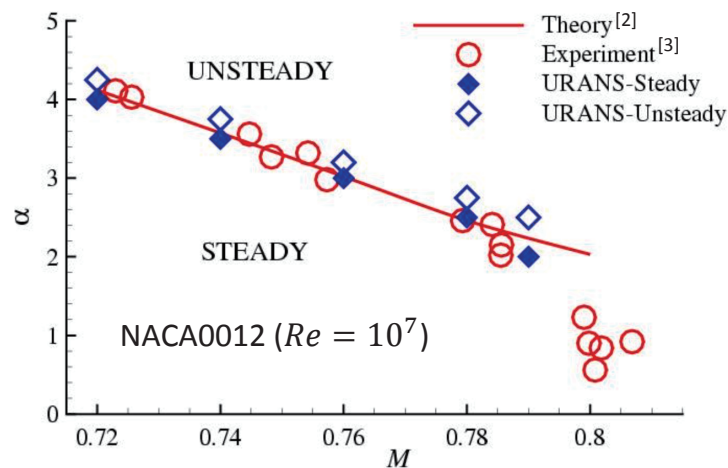
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# Global-Stability Theory

## □ Buffet onset prediction by Crouch et al.

- Stability limit agrees with experimentally determined buffet onset



[2] Crouch et al, AIAA Paper 4233, 2008

[3] McDevitt et al, NASA Technical Paper 1985-2485

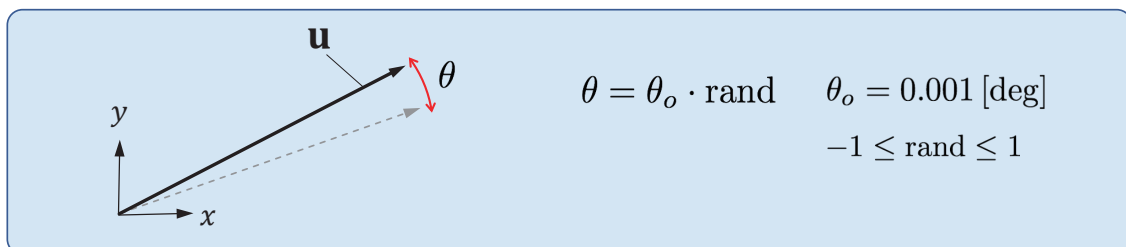
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# Unsteady Perturbed RANS Approach

## □ Introduction of numerical perturbation

- Velocity vector is perturbed by rotating for small angle
- Numerical perturbations are applied to all computational domain



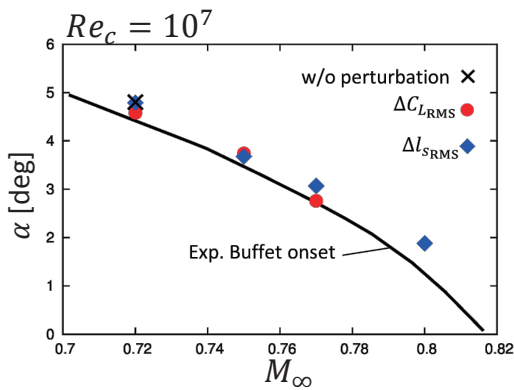
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# Transonic Buffet Onset Prediction

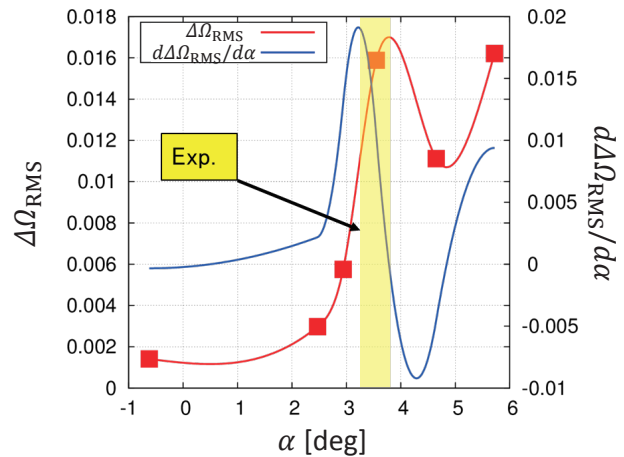
- Unsteady perturbed RANS approach gives reasonable transonic buffet onset for NACA0012 and NASA-CRM

NACA0012 wing section (2D)



$\Delta l_S$  : Separation length

NASA-CRM wing-body (3D)



Exp. :3.39 [deg], URANS : 3.2 [deg]

$\Delta\Omega$  : Separation area

# A New Method for Numerical Perturbation

- Perturbation is determined by turbulent kinetic energy
  - Numerical perturbation is introduced where turbulent fluctuation becomes significant
  - Rotation angle is determined based on SNGR
  - Appropriate portion of wave number range above Kolmogorov wave number is chosen

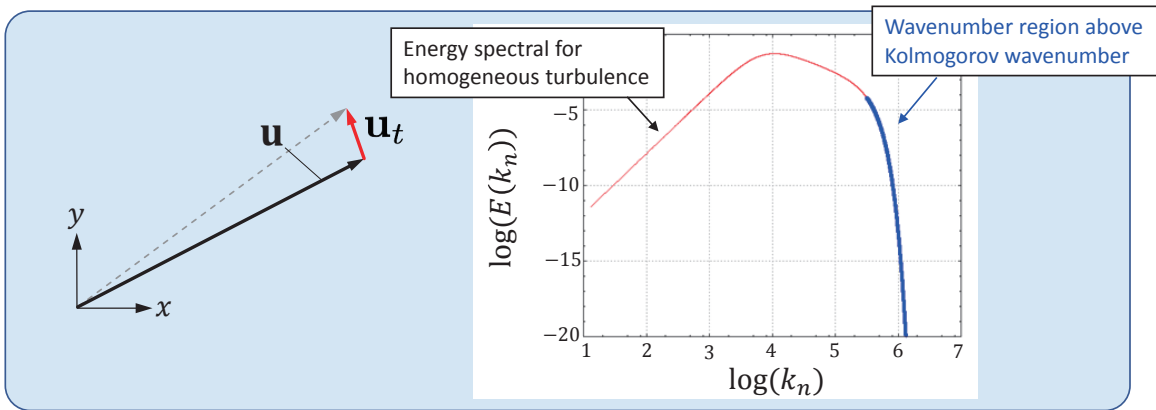
$$\mathbf{u}_t = 2 \sum_{n=1}^N u_n \cos(\mathbf{k}_n \cdot \mathbf{x} + \psi_n) \boldsymbol{\sigma}_n$$

$$u_n = \sqrt{E(k_n) \Delta k_n}$$

$E(k_n)$  : Energy spectrum

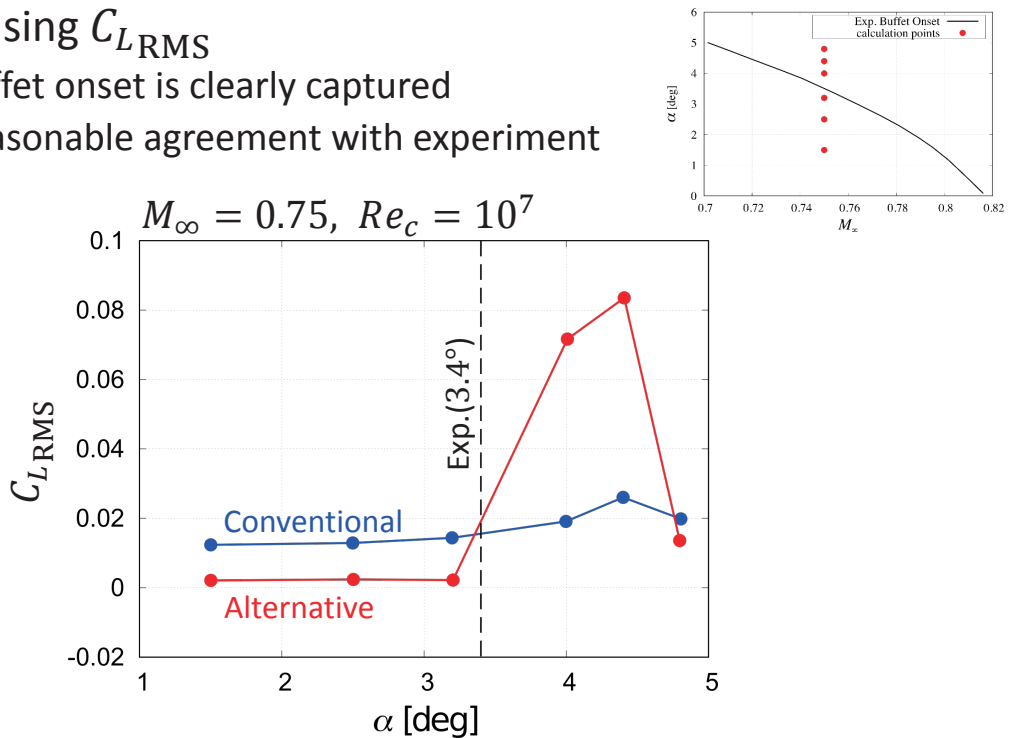
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# Transonic Buffet Onset Prediction for NACA0012

- Increasing  $C_{L,RMS}$ 
  - Buffet onset is clearly captured
  - Reasonable agreement with experiment

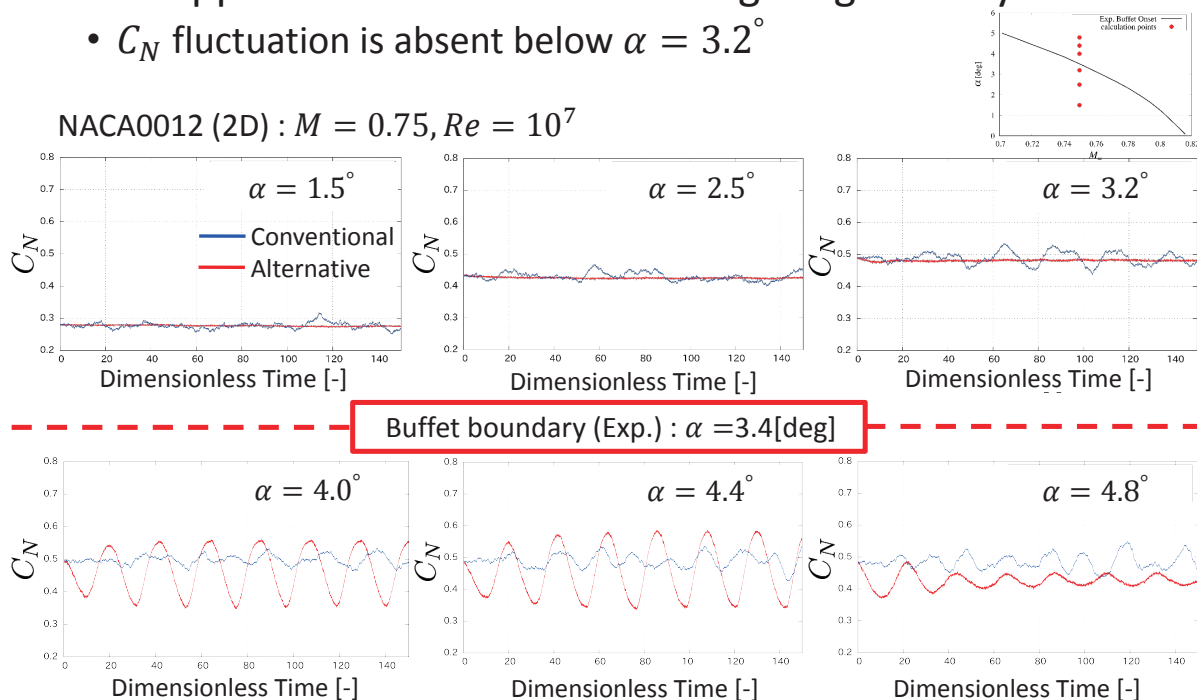




# Computed $C_N$ Fluctuations

□ New approach determines buffeting range clearly

- $C_N$  fluctuation is absent below  $\alpha = 3.2^\circ$



# Summary for Subject 3 (APC-III)

□ Preliminary results for transonic buffet onset prediction are shown for 2D wing section and NASA-CRM wing-body

- Unsteady perturbed RANS simulation is capable of predicting transonic buffet onset reasonably well
- New method seems promising which can determine buffet onset clearly

□ Computed result of transonic buffet onset for NASA-CRM using new method will be reported elsewhere