ECN 6: TOPIC FLAME STRUCTURE

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Compared to earlier ECN's:

- data exchange remains troublesome (many different servers), typically 6-10Gb per case.
- But data files themselves were really without much issues. ECN5 scripts worked without much modification.







IGNITION CONTRIBUTIONS RANS

- CMT, Converge, UFPV, β-PDF
- POLIMI, OpenFOAM 2.2.x/liblce, ADF, β-PDF
- Penn State (PSU), code ??, tPDF
- TUE, OpenFOAM 2.2.x/liblce, FGM,WM

Note: in the plots where it states PSU, CMC it is WM

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• TUE, OpenFOAM 2.4.x, FGM-WM,RANS Adapted code from CMT, Mesh from CMT



IGNITION CONTRIBUTIONS

Tabulated chemistry approaches

Transported PDF

PSU



OVERVIEW







Sorry PSU: I only got the WM files in time...



CONTENT

Ignition

Spray A, Base case (AR)

- IXT plots overview
- Focus around ignition
- Fields vs scatter plots
 - OH
 - CH2O
- RGB fields (overlap?)

MAR

- Impression (TUE, POLIMI)
- ?





FOCUS AROUND IGNITION



OH BACK TO BACK





OH BACK TO BACK





- Differences in peak OH. Logical, WM vs b-pdf!
- All ignite at the side and then progress towards full encapsulation. Could have been missed with lower time resolution.
 - But ADF, FPV not as fast (b-pdf vs d-pdf?). Needs checking.
 - OH peak at the slightly rich side of the flame (all)

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CH2O BACK TO BACK





CH2O BACK TO BACK





- Differences in peak CH2O in scatter plots. Logical? No straightforward explanation. b-pdf vs WM?
- For all: CH2O appears at the side and then progresses towards rich side.
 - But final axial 'extension' is really different

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RGB PLOTS





CONCLUSIONS IGNITION PART

- All models predict ignition at the side
- Differences
 - Evolution to full encapsulation (if at all, LES)
 - Does LES add anything, yes 'streaks in IXT'
- Do we have a winner or do we need a more challenging case?



MULTIPLE INJECTION (MAR)

TUERANS data, B. Akkurt, FGM, OF 2.2.x/LibICE EXP DATA, N. Maes





MAR (TUERANS DATA)





MAR (POLIMI DATA)









MAR

Big Q: Why study this

- More relevant for modern engines.
- Second injection meets a quite different environment, can models tackle that. Hotter, certain products. Bigger challenge!
 - Anybe more decisive for quality/generality of the combustion model.
 - \diamond But capturing ignition delay is even more important !!
- Maybe LIF of CH2O, OH around second injection interesting? Doable?
- Do we still want to pursue a better chemistry model and if so why?

Even bigger \mathbf{Q} : 'why study diesel combustion at all?'



Why study diesel engines at all

Tesla truck Range 500 mile (805 km) Battery pack ??

Recharging 0,5 hr -> hyperchargers needed

Let's do the math Average energy use truck : 140 kWhr/100 km Total : 1127 kWhr Weight : 7200 kg Hypercharger 1127/0.5 = 2MW (Supercharger = 100kW)

Why study diesel engines at all

TESLA

Wärtsilä Genset 31 Cylinder bore 310 mm Piston stroke 430 mm Cylinder output 590, 610 kW/cyl Speed 720, 750 rpm Mean effective pressure 30.3, 30.1 bar Piston speed 10.3, 10.75 m/s



Fictitious Hypercharger station 10-20 MW installed electric power

Need approximately 2 Wartsila 16V31 9MW genset



The **average** size of onshore turbines being manufactured today is around 2.5-3 MW, with blades of about 50 metres length. It can **power** more than 1,500 **average** EU households. An **average** offshore **wind turbine** of 3.6 MW can **power** more than 3,312 **average** EU households.

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