Cooperative Research on High Lift Devices in the FQUROH Project

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Abstract

This collaborative research is being carried out as part of the FQUROH project aimed at raising the technical maturity level of the noise reduction technology for high-lift devices and landing gear, which draws international attention to reduce noise in areas around airports, to a level applicable to future development of aircraft and related equipment. This contributes to reduction of aircraft noise in local communities around the airport and airline operating costs by reducing landing fee.

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Reasons for using JSS2

The JSS2 enabled low-noise devices to be designed based on Reynolds-averaged Navier-Stokes simulations and more advanced computational simulations, such as large eddy simulations, using the Kawasaki Heavy Industries (KHI)-developed unsteady computational fluid dynamics software, "Cflow." Computational simulations using the JSS2 made it possible to design low-noise devices by understanding detailed physical phenomena, which was difficult only with wind tunnel tests.

Achievements of the Year

As a validation of the noise reduction design of the main landing gear (MLG) of JAXA's jet research aircraft, "Hisho," in the FQUROH project, CFD simulations of the MLG were conducted using the KHI in-house unsteady CFD software, "Cflow." Computational results were compared with wind tunnel and flight test results, and detailed knowledge of noise generation and reduction mechanisms were obtained.



Fig. 1: Unsteady CFD analysis around main landing gear of "Hisho" (instantaneous Mach number distribution)

Publications

- Non peer-reviewed papers

 Yamamoto, K., Takaishi, T., Murayama, M., Yokokawa, Y., Ito, Y., Kohzai, M., Arizono, H., Sakai, R., Shoji,
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Usage of JSS2

• Computational Information

Process Parallelization Methods	MPI
Thread Parallelization Methods	N/A
Number of Processes	2048 - 8192
Elapsed Time per Case	240 Hour (s)

• Resources Used

Fraction of Usage in Total Resources^{*1} (%): 0.53

Details

Computational Resources				
System Name	Amount of Core Time (core x hours)	Fraction of Usage ^{*2} (%)		
SORA-MA	4,783,274.10	0.59		
SORA-PP	0.00	0.00		
SORA-LM	0.00	0.00		
SORA-TPP	0.00	0.00		

File System Resources				
File System Name	Storage Assigned (GiB)	Fraction of Usage*2 (%)		
/home	79.76	0.08		
/data	13,699.25	0.24		
/ltmp	7,446.29	0.64		

Archiver Resources		
Archiver Name	Storage Used (TiB)	Fraction of Usage*2 (%)
J-SPACE	112.24	3.93

^{*1}: Fraction of Usage in Total Resources: Weighted average of three resource types (Computing, File System, and Archiver).

*2: Fraction of Usage: Percentage of usage relative to each resource used in one year.