Research of unsteady flow simulation toward prediction of full flight envelope

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Abstract

The research related to unsteady flow simulation of the aircraft buffet phenomenon is conducted aimed for the prediction of full-flight envelope.

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Reasons and benefits of using JAXA Supercomputer System

A huge amount of computational resources is needed to simulate the aircraft buffet phenomenon which is high-Reynolds number and complex flow including flow separation.

Achievements of the Year

We have simulated low-speed and high-speed buffet toward CFD prediction of full flight envelope. We employed a lattice Boltzmann method(LBM) for the low-speed buffet. Combining the LBM with a building cube method(BCM) enable large-scale computation. Figure 1 is a result of low-speed buffet simulation on NASA-CRM, where 400M cells are employed in the simulation. The small vortices at the separated shear layer are well resolved. Figure 2 is a result of gloabal stability analysis of high-speed buffet. The unstable modes related with the shock oscillation is obtained. The frequency of the unstable mode increases with the swept angle, which agrees with previous reports qualitatively.



Fig. 1: LBM analysis of low-speed buffet on NASA-CRM



Fig. 2: Global stability analysis of high-speed buffet on swept wing

Publications

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- Non peer-reviewed papers

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32nd International Symposium on Shock Waves

- Oral Presentations

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Usage of JSS2

• Computational Information

Process Parallelization Methods	MPI
Thread Parallelization Methods	N/A
Number of Processes	128 - 2048
Elapsed Time per Case	240 Hour(s)

• Resources Used

Fraction of Usage in Total Resources^{*1}(%): 6.14

Details

Computational Resources				
System Name	Amount of Core Time (core x hours)	Fraction of Usage*2(%)		
SORA-MA	54,477,608.38	6.62		
SORA-PP	218,092.71	1.41		
SORA-LM	12,151.02	5.07		
SORA-TPP	0.00	0.00		

File System Resources				
File System Name	Storage Assigned (GiB)	Fraction of Usage*2(%)		
/home	633.93	0.53		
/data	63,941.54	1.09		
/ltmp	13,710.69	1.16		

Archiver Resources		
Archiver Name	Storage Used (TiB)	Fraction of Usage*2(%)
J-SPACE	102.86	2.59

*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.