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# Stlačitelné proudění, segregovaná a sdružená metoda

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# Compressible flows & OF

## Segregated OF solvers for compressible flows:

SIMPLE based solvers: *rhoSimpleFoam*, *rhoPimpleFoam*

- different setup for subsonic and transonic/supersonic flows:
  - compressibility effects in the continuity equation
  - different relaxation factors (problem dependent?)
- very sensitive to initial condition
- low efficiency for transonic/supersonic flows

PISO based solvers: *sonicFoam*, hybrid AUSM+ scheme of [Xisto]

- limited Courant number → limited efficiency for steady state cases

## Coupled (density based) OF solvers:

- *rhoCentralFoam*: explicit central-upwind scheme by Tadmor
- *dbns* solvers (Foam-extend): explicit Riemann solvers based scheme
- *aeroFoam*: (?) similar to *dbns*
- ✗ **All coupled OF schemes use explicit time stepping → strong limit on  $\Delta t$ !**

# Segregovaný řešič, algoritmus SIMPLE

## Rovnice pro tlak z rovnice kontinuity

$$U = \hat{U} - \frac{1}{a} \nabla p$$

$$\rho = \psi p$$

$$\psi = \frac{\rho}{p} = \frac{1}{rT}$$



$$\nabla \cdot (\rho U) = \nabla \cdot (\psi \hat{U} \mathbf{p}) - \nabla \cdot \left( \frac{\rho}{a} \nabla \mathbf{p} \right) = 0$$

$$\psi = \text{const.} \Rightarrow T = \text{const.}$$

## Jak odpovídá předpoklad $T=\text{const.}$ rovnici energie?

$$H = c_p T + \frac{1}{2} \|U\|^2 = \text{const.}$$



$$T' \approx -\frac{1}{c_p} U \cdot U'$$

$$\frac{T'}{T} \approx -\frac{U^2}{c_p T} \frac{U'}{U} = (1 - \gamma) M^2 \frac{U'}{U}$$

# Segregovaný řešič

## Eulerovy rovnice v 1D

$$\begin{aligned}\rho_t + (\rho u)_x &= 0 & p &= \rho r T \\ (\rho u)_t + (\rho u^2 + p)_x &= 0 & E &= c_v T + u^2/2 \\ (\rho E)_t + (\rho u H)_x &= 0 & H &= c_p T + u^2/2\end{aligned}$$

## Linearizace (stacionární případ)

$$\begin{aligned}\rho'_t + \rho'_x \bar{u} + \bar{\rho} u'_x &= 0 & \frac{\rho'_x}{\bar{\rho}} + \frac{u'_x}{\bar{u}} &= 0 \\ u'_t + \bar{u} u'_x + \frac{1}{\bar{\rho}} p'_x &= 0 & \frac{u'_x}{\bar{u}} + \frac{\bar{p}}{\bar{\rho} \bar{u}^2} \frac{p'_x}{\bar{p}} &= 0 \\ p'_t + \bar{u} p'_x + \kappa \bar{p} u'_x &= 0 & \frac{u'_x}{\bar{u}} + \kappa \frac{p'_x}{\bar{p}} &= 0\end{aligned}$$

## Algoritmus SIMPLE

$$\frac{u'}{\bar{u}} \approx -\frac{1}{a} \frac{\kappa}{M^2} \frac{p'_x}{\bar{p}},$$

$$\bar{u} \frac{p'_x}{\bar{p}} - \left( \frac{\kappa}{a M^2} \frac{p'_x}{\bar{p}} \right)_x = 0,$$

=> relaxace závislá na  $M$

# LU-SGS Solver for OF

## **Previous works:**

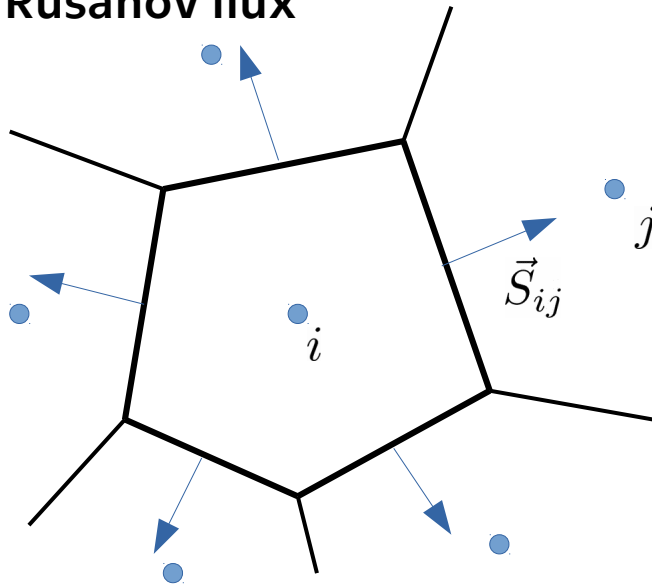
- [Gill et al, 2013] – LU-SGS for steady turbulent flows (at OFW8)
- [Heyns et al, 2014] – GMRES/LU-SGS solver
- [Shen et al, 2016] – detailed description of the implementation, dual time stepping for unsteady cases

## **Current work:**

- matrix-free LU-SGS
- based on *dbns* library with following improvements:
  - ✓ run-time selection of the Riemann solver (AUSM+up, HLLC, ...)
  - ✓ support for dynamic meshes (arbitrary Lagrangian-Eulerian method, multiple reference frames)
- unified solver for steady and transient case

# LU-SGS Solver for OF

- Navier-Stokes equations for compressible flows
- AUSM and HLLC fluxes
- central approximation of viscous fluxes
- low-order Jacobian based on Rusanov flux



$$\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial (\rho u_j)}{\partial x_j} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial (\rho u_i)}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial (\rho u_i u_j)}{\partial x_j} + \frac{\partial p}{\partial x_i} = \frac{\partial \tau_{ij}^{eff}}{\partial x_j}$$

$$\frac{\partial (\rho E)}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial [(\rho E + p) u_j]}{\partial x_j} = \frac{\partial (u_i \tau_{ij}^{eff} - q_j^{eff})}{x_j}$$

$$W = [\rho, \rho \vec{u}, \rho E]$$

$$|\Omega_i| \frac{dW_i}{dt} = -R(W)_i = - \sum_j (F_{ij} - F_{ij}^v)$$

$$|\Omega_i| \frac{W_i^{n+1} - W_i^n}{\Delta t} \approx -R(W^n)_i - \frac{\partial R^{lo}}{\partial W_j} (W_j^{n+1} - W_j^n)$$

$$\sum_j \left[ \frac{|\Omega_i|}{\Delta t} \delta_{ij} + \frac{\partial R_i^{lo}}{\partial W_j} \right] \Delta W_j = -R(W^n)_i.$$

# LU-SGS Solver for OF

**Lower-Upper Symmetric Gauss Seidel method for  $Ax=b$ :**

$$A = L + D + U \approx (L + D)D^{-1}(D + U) \quad \longrightarrow \quad \begin{aligned} D\Delta x^* &= b - Ax^n - L\Delta x^*, \\ D\Delta x &= D\Delta x^* - U\Delta x, \\ x^{n+1} &= x^n + \Delta x. \end{aligned}$$

**Matrix-free LU-SGS for compressible flows [Blazek]:**

$$D_i \Delta W_i^* = -\tilde{R}(W^n)_i - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{j < i} \left[ \Delta \mathbb{F}_j^* \cdot \vec{S}_{ij} + \lambda_{ij} \Delta W_j^* \right], \quad \text{for } i=0, \dots, \# \text{cells},$$

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**where:**

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta \mathbb{F}_j^* &= \mathbb{F}(\vec{W}_j^*) - \mathbb{F}(\vec{W}_j^n), \\ \Delta \mathbb{F}_j &= \mathbb{F}(\vec{W}_j^{n+1}) - \mathbb{F}(\vec{W}_j^n), \end{aligned} \quad \mathbb{F}(W) = \begin{bmatrix} \rho \vec{u} \\ \rho \vec{u} \otimes \vec{u} + p \mathbb{I} \\ (\rho E + p) \vec{u} \end{bmatrix}, \quad D_i = \left( \frac{|\Omega_i|}{\Delta \tau_i} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{j \in N_i} \lambda_{ij} \right) I,$$

$$\lambda_{ij} = \omega \left[ |\vec{U}_{ij} \cdot \vec{S}_{ij}| + |\vec{S}_{ij}| a_{ij} + \frac{|\vec{S}_{ij}|}{\|\vec{x}_i - \vec{x}_j\|} \max \left( \frac{4}{3\rho_{ij}}, \frac{\gamma}{\rho_{ij}} \right) \left( \frac{\mu}{Pr} + \frac{\mu_T}{Pr_T} \right) \right].$$

# Boundary conditions

## **"Standard" OF boundary conditions at subsonic inlet:**

- $p_{tot}$  – implemented as *totalPressure*  $\rightarrow p_f = f(U_f, p_{tot})$
- $T_{tot}$  – implemented as *totalTemperature*  $\rightarrow T_f = f(U_f, T_{tot})$
- $\alpha$  – implemented as *pressureDirectedVelocity*  $\rightarrow U_f = f(\varphi_f, \alpha)$

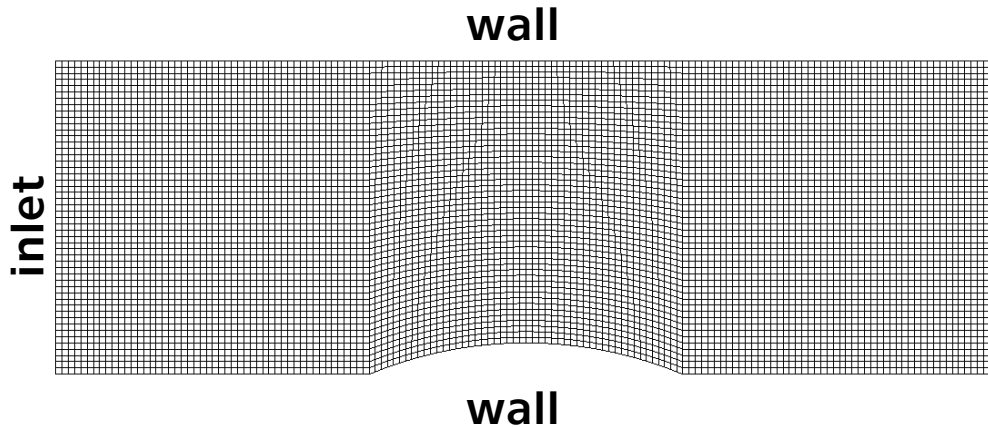
OK for segregated solvers where  $\varphi$  is updated from the flux of *pEqn*, but not compatible with coupled solvers where  $\varphi = f(U)$ !

## **New boundary condition for U at subsonic inlet:**

- 1)  $U_f = f(p_{int}, p_{tot}, T_{tot}, \alpha),$
- 2)  $p_f = f(U_f, p_{tot}),$  (*totalPressure*)
- 3)  $T_f = f(U_f, T_{tot}),$  (*totalTemperature*)
- 4)  $\varphi_f = f(U_f).$



# 2D flow over a bump



## Channel with circular bump

length: 3m

height: 1m

bump height:

0.1m for subsonic inlets

0.04m for supersonic inlets

### Test cases:

subsonic:  $M_{in}=0.1$

transonic:  $M_{in}=0.675$

supersonic:  $M_{in}=1.65$

### Mesh:

structured

coarse with 150x50 cells

fine with 450x150 cells

### Flow field:

2D

compressible ideal gas

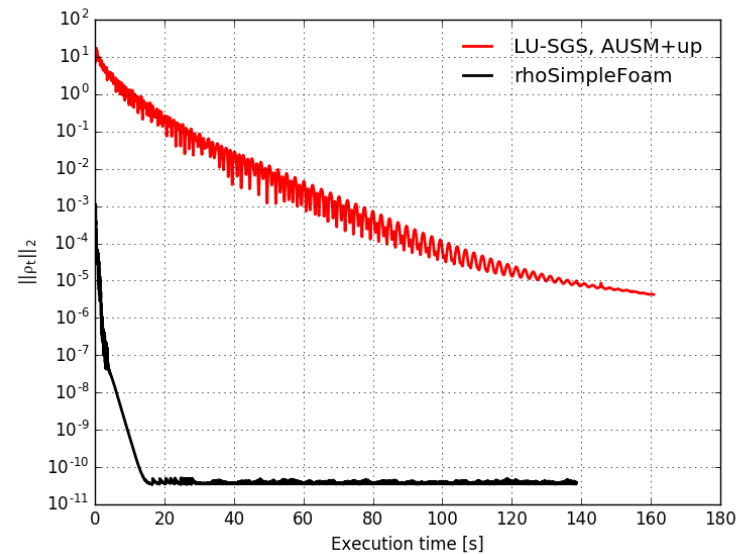
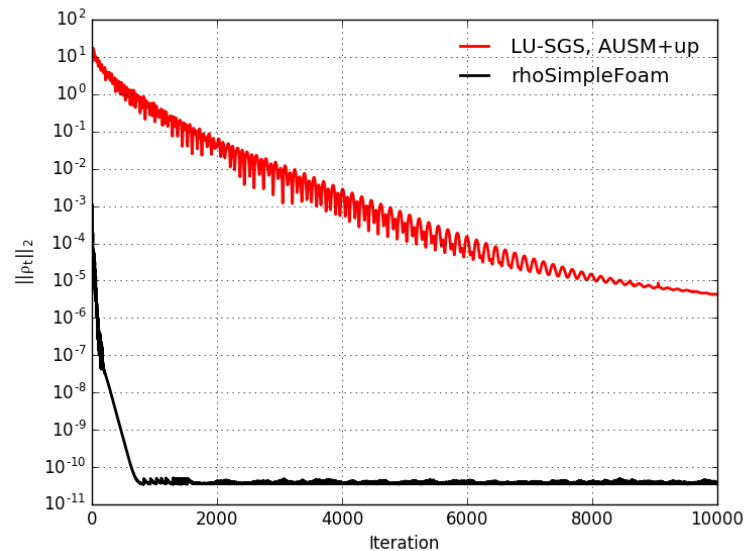
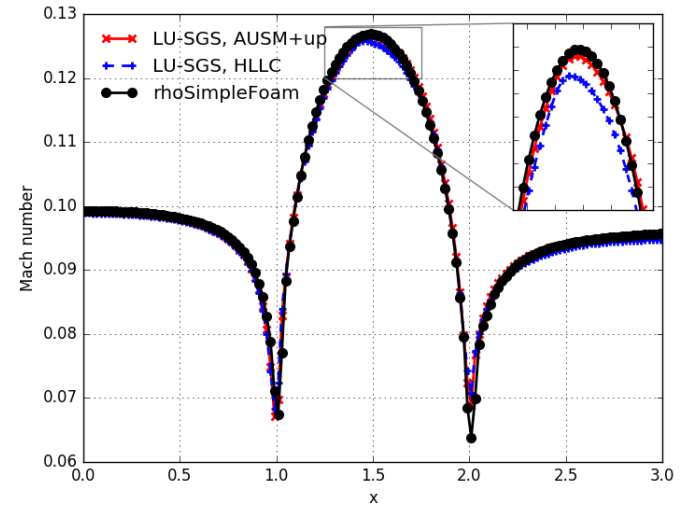
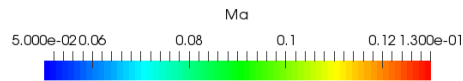
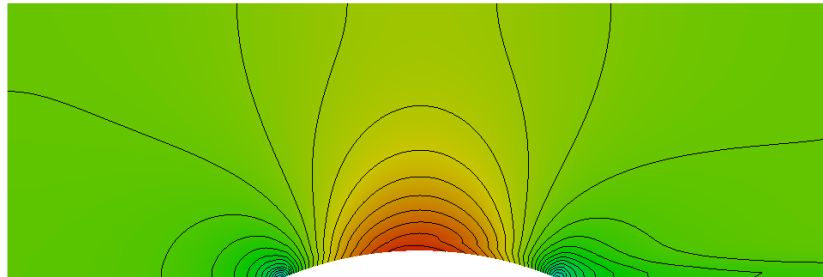
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### Solution obtained with

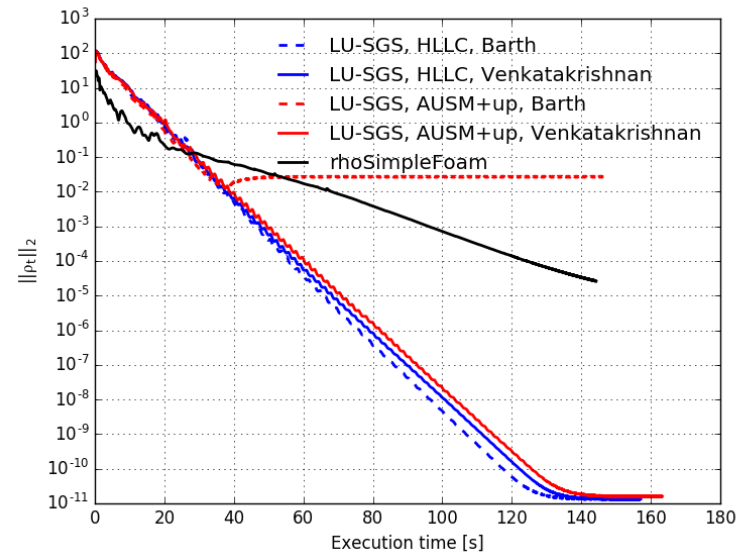
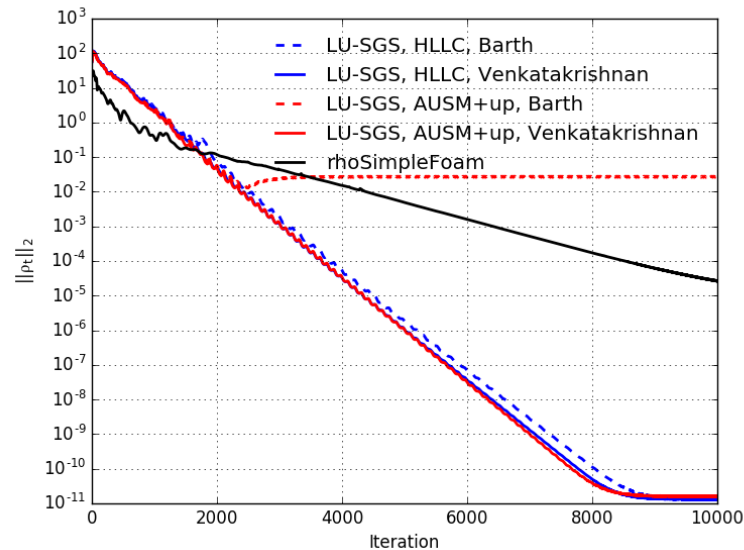
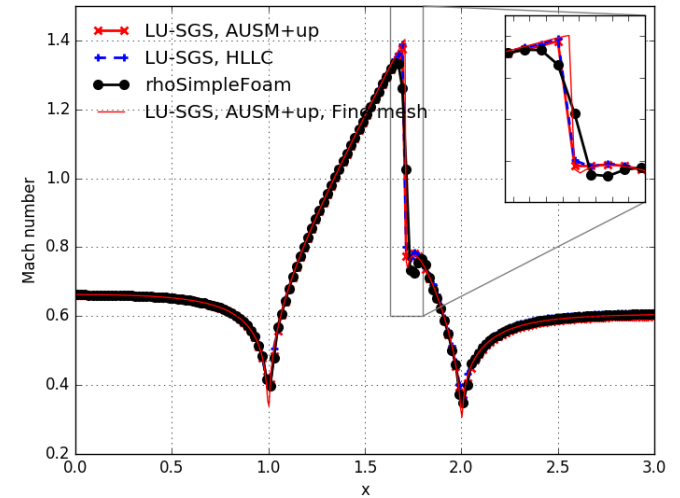
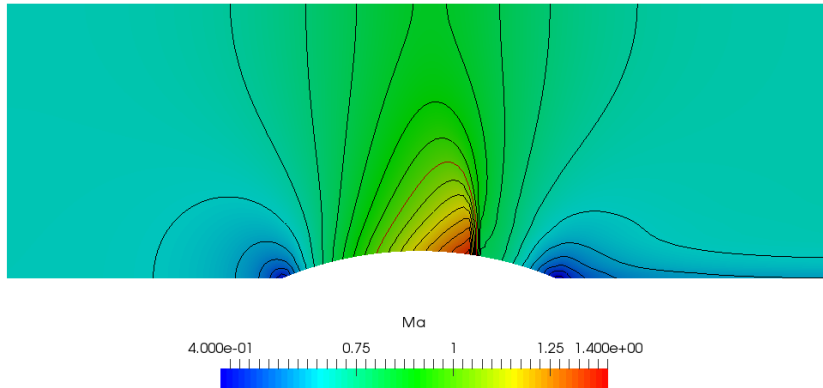
pressure correction method (rhoSimpleFOAM)

LU-SGS with AUSM+up or HLLC scheme using Barth or Venkatakrishnan limiter

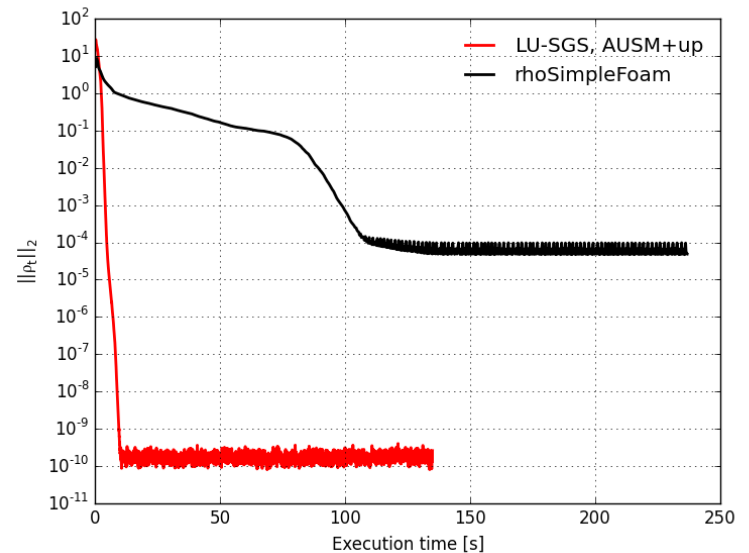
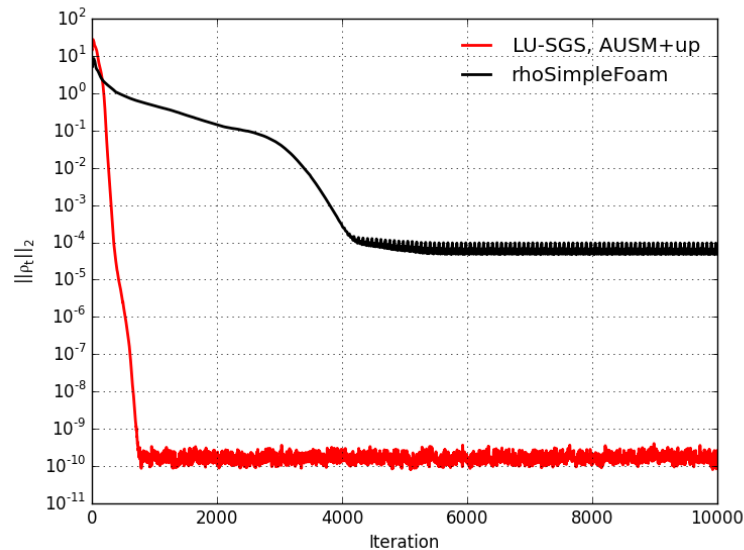
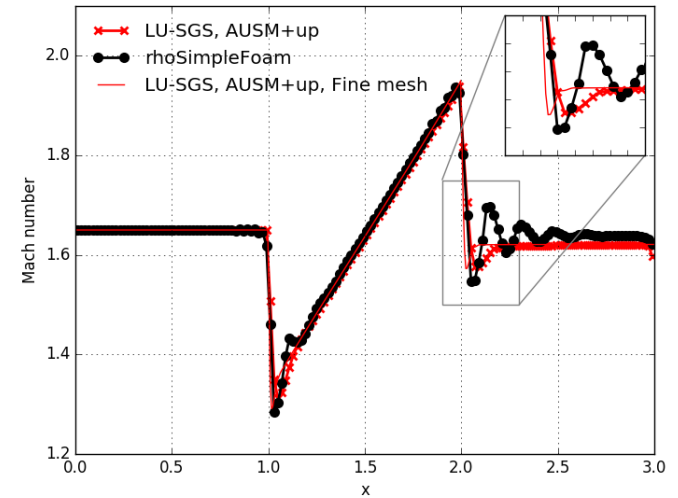
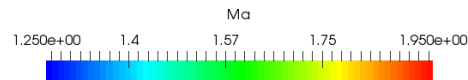
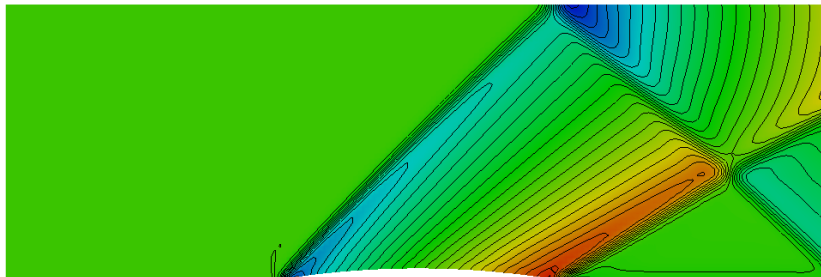
# Flow over a bump, $M_{in}=0.1$



# Flow o. a bump, $M_{in}=0.675$



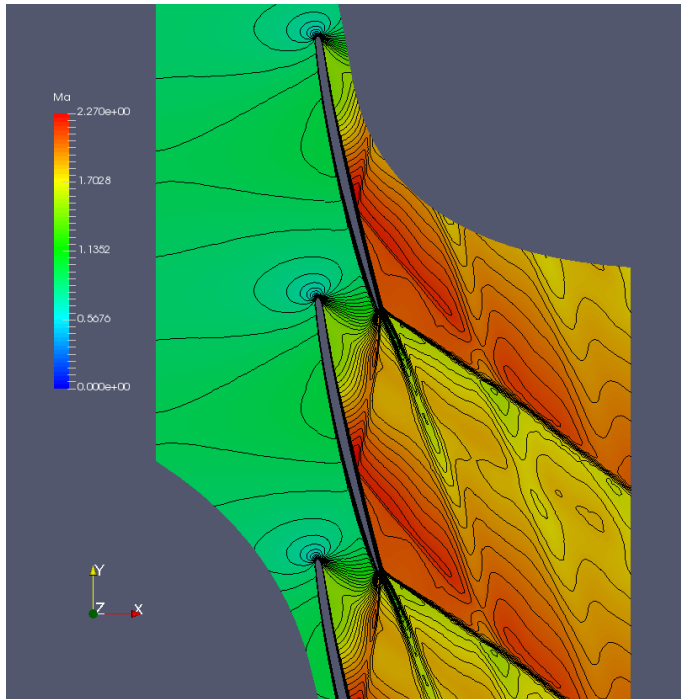
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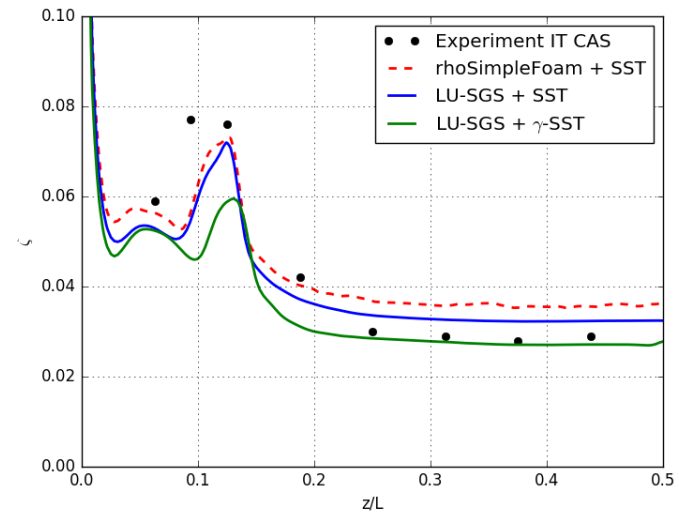
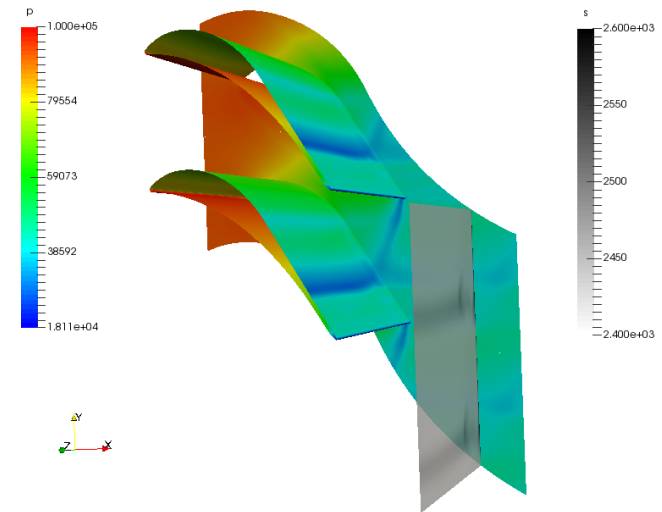
# Applications

## 2D flows through tip section of a turbine cascade

- $M_{\text{out}} \sim 2$
- $Re \sim 10^6$



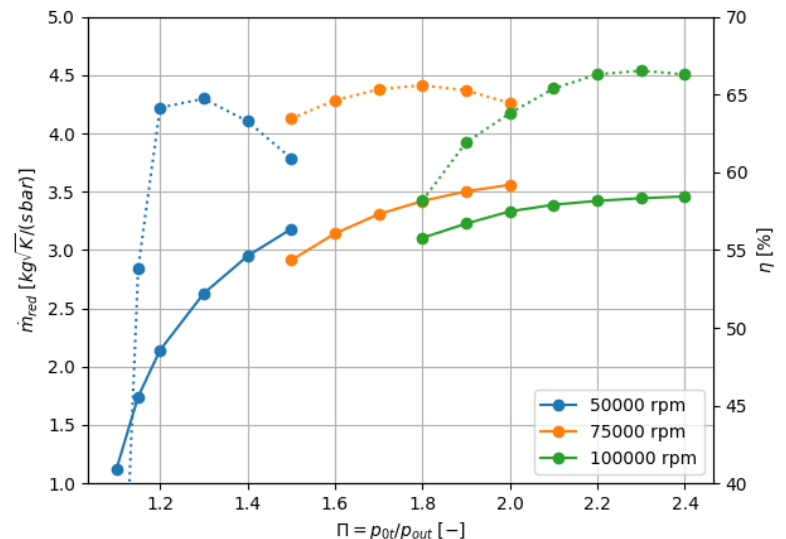
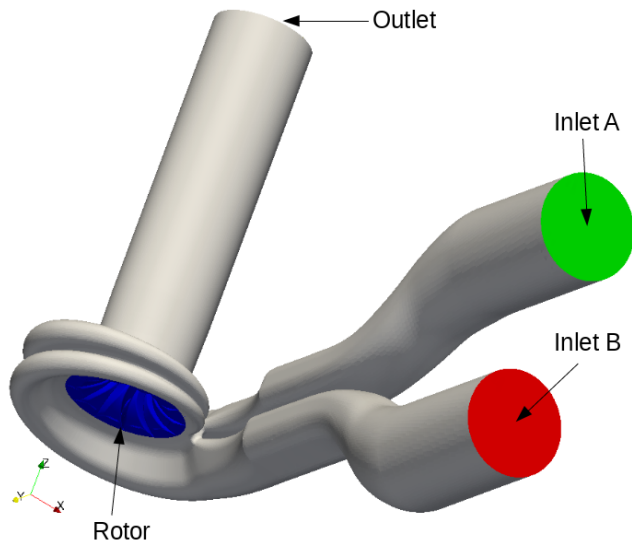
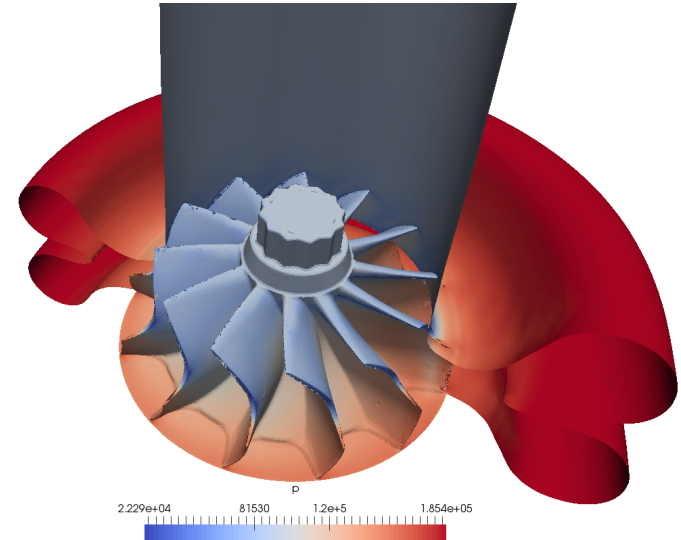
## 3D flows through turbine cascade



# Applications

## Analysis of twin-scroll turbine

- high rotation speed (50-100 krpm)
- expansion ratio  $\Pi=1.2-2.2$
- important compressibility
- steady (MRF) / transient simulation
- 2 mil. cells, snappyHexMesh



# Conclusions

The matrix-free LU-SGS method has been implemented for steady and unsteady turbulent flows (using MRF or dynamic mesh).

The LU-SGS method is:

- very simple
- efficient for compressible flows ( $Ma > 0.3$ )
- provides sharp resolution of shock waves
- has very low memory footprint

The LU-SGS solver is compatible with the rest of OpenFOAM framework (turbulence models, parallel processing, ...)

**Future work:**

- preconditioning for low Mach number flows

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