Drivers of Jet-flap interaction noise: The thrust vs. shear layer difference velocity experiment

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Motivation

- not fully known: velocity scaling parameter for two-phase / flight ops JFI problems
- Can we predict JFI noise using a simple engine velocity parameter? (maybe with focus on high frequencies, radical engine integrations)
 - exponent known
 - more than one suitable flow parameter candidate available





Definition of jet shear layer properties



Definition of velocity parameters

• Thrust

$$r_{U} = \frac{U_{\infty}}{U_{jet}}$$
$$F := \rho_{j}A_{j} \cdot U_{j}(U_{j} - U_{\infty})$$

Assumptions inlet-to-outlet no mass flow loss no static pressure difference

Thrust "velocity"

$$U_{th} := \sqrt{\frac{F}{\rho_j A_j}} = \sqrt{U_j (U_j - U_\infty)} = U_j \sqrt{1 - r_U}$$

• S/L Difference velocity $\Delta U := U_j - U_\infty = U_j(1 - r_U)$

• Thrust-
$$\Delta U$$
 - relationship $U_j = \frac{U_{th}}{\sqrt{1 - r_U}} = \frac{\Delta U}{(1 - r_U)}$





Hypothesis 1: Assume thrust is scaling parameter

- thrust scales with n=5...6, same-thrust spectra collapse (no matter which ΔU) (or higher, n=6..7? Mahdi Azarpeyvand: "An overview of jet noise research at the University of Bristol", DJINN Conference)
- What is the expected scaling difference for thrust (while keeping ΔU const!)?

$$U_{th}(\Delta U) = \sqrt{1 - r_U} \,\Delta U$$
$$\Delta SPL_{Uth} = n \cdot 10 \cdot \lg\left(\frac{\sqrt{1 - r_{U1}}}{\sqrt{1 - r_{U2}}}\right) = 55 \,\lg\left(\frac{\sqrt{1 - r_{U1}}}{\sqrt{1 - r_{U2}}}\right)$$

- AWB minimum r_{U1}=0.04...0.05 (quasi-static jet, closed-circuit wind tunnel)
- for max use r_{U2}=0.2 (good limit, high jet speed possible)

• or maybe $r_{U2}=0.3$ (wind tunnel limit 60 m/s)

- ∆SPL=2dB
 - Δ SPL=3.6dB



Hypothesis 2: Assume ΔU is scaling parameter

- ΔU scales with n=5...6, same difference velocities collapse (no matter which thrust is used)
- Same scaling difference

Definition of test operations $2 \times 4 \Delta U \times 4 U_{th} = 22/36$



· For generation of general grid, can be optimized



Definition of test operations, optimized 3x same thrust, $3x \text{ same } \Delta U$ with 4 ops each





Dependence on (theoretical) jet impingement areas



Calculation of length adjustment



$$\delta_{\omega} \propto (L - x_0) \cdot \frac{1 - r_U}{1 + r_U}$$

$$\frac{(L_2 - x_0)}{(L_1 - x_0)} = \frac{1 - r_{U1}}{1 + r_{U1}} \cdot \frac{1 + r_{U2}}{1 - r_{U2}} = 1.68$$



Results

Typical campaign	12 b	installed	+ 87 BGN			
1 build/ 16 Ops isolated			L1	La	Lb	L2
		H1	5	4	16	4
		H2	5	4	16	4
		H3	5	4	16	4

- The derived experiment is tailored to force a definite result wrt. thrust or S/L velocity.
- Maybe there is no simple explanation, idea: downwash-velocities

Questions?



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