

# DPW-8 & AePW-4

## Buffet Working Group



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- Registration is open and handled through [www.aiaa.org/aviation](http://www.aiaa.org/aviation)
- **Saturday (nominally 8-6)**
  - AePW: Hillcrest ABCD
  - DPW: Solana Beach AB
- **Sunday (nominally 8-6)**
  - All in Hillcrest ABCD
- **25 Years of DPW dinner celebration dinner on Saturday evening; separate cost (hopefully \$30)**

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## Logistics

June 6-7, 2026

Two day pre-conference workshop colocated with AIAA AVIATION Forum & Expo.

Note that the DPW-8/AePW-4 workshop is separate from the AVIATION forum. A separate registration fee will be charged for workshop participants, and AVIATION registration is not required to attend or contribute to the workshop. No abstracts are necessary.

Manchester Grand Hyatt  
1 Market Place, San Diego, CA



## Schedule

Saturday, June 6 and Sunday, June 7

All day; nominally 8:00 am-6:00 pm

- **25 Years of DPW celebration**
- **Will include a few retrospective presentations**
- **Former organizing committee members have been invited**
- **Optional Saturday evening dinner (sponsors desired)**

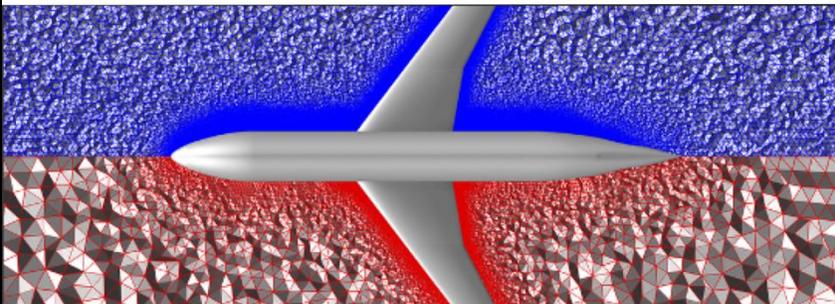
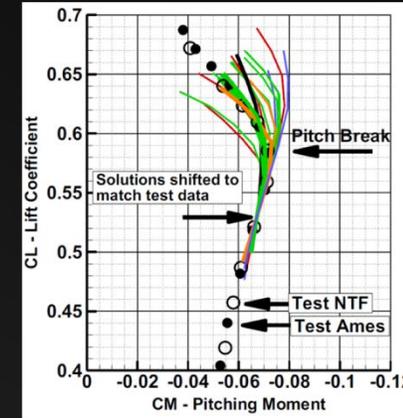
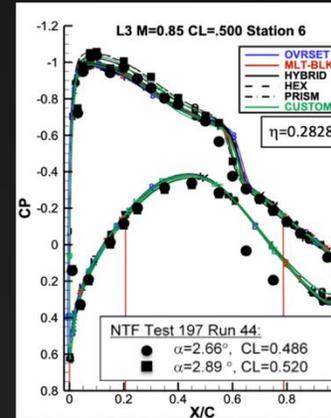


## DRAG PREDICTION WORKSHOP SERIES

# 25 YEARS OF DPW

# CELEBRATION DINNER

- DPW-1 (2001): Laying the Foundation
- DPW-2 (2003): Full Configuration Drag
- DPW-3 (2006): Wing-Body Junction Interactions
- DPW-4 (2009): Entrance of the Common Research Model
- DPW-5 (2012): Common Grids and Separation Onset
- DPW-6 (2016): Aeroelastics and Nacelle-Pylon Interactions
- DPW-7 (2022): Expanding the Envelope
- DPW-8 (2026): Collaborative Drag and Aeroelasticity



JUNE 6, 2026  
 SAN DIEGO, CA  
 HELD IN CONJUNCTION WITH DPW-8

DINNER RSVP IS SEPARATE FROM WORKSHOP REGISTRATION  
 (DPW-8 WORKSHOP REGISTRATION NOT REQUIRED FOR DINNER)

- **Participant presentations are planned for the workshop**
- **Handled outside of the AIAA conference abstract process**
- **Presentation-only**
  - Will be posted on the websites
  - Ensure export compliance before presenting
  - 10-25 minutes, depending upon working group and amount of your content
  - One presentation should cover all solvers you used
  - We're evaluating whether we can do virtual presentations (not ideal)
- **SciTech '27 will contain follow-on special sessions (either presentation only or paper/presentation)**
- **A virtual collection in a journal (e.g., Journal of Aircraft) is also planned**

# Workshop Participation

- Data due NLT May 1, earlier is better so we can ensure data integrity
- No abstracts are needed to participate

# Progress Toward Test Cases 2 and 3

Participant	Test Case 2	Test Case 3
Embraer (002)	In progress (nearly done)	Interested
Boeing BCA PD (003)	In progress	No plan
Langley CAB (004)	In progress	No plan
Ames LAVA (005)	In progress	Interested
USAF (006)	Paused	None yet
JAXA (007)	In progress and also submitted	No plan
Metacomp (008)	No	Starting
Langley AEB (012)	In progress	In progress
Technion/Dassault (013)	Submitted	TBD
Boeing CharLES (014)	In progress	No plan
CREATE (021)	In progress	Interested
RMIT/Ansys (027)	In progress (nearly done)	Interested
KTH (032)	In progress	Interested

# Open Discussion

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