

DPW-VII

Opening Remarks



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DPW-VII: Baseline RANS Grid Family Plan

Name	L	WB	Δy_1	Y^+	$\#\Delta y_1s$
Tiny (T)	1	~5	0.0002332"	~1.00	2
Coarse (C)	2	~17	0.0001555"	~0.67	3
Medium (M)	3	~40	0.0001166"	~0.50	4
Fine (F)	4	~78	0.0000933"	~0.40	5
Extra Fine (X)	5	~135	0.0000777"	~0.33	6
Ultra Fine (U)	6	~215	0.0000666"	~0.29	7

Rough Nominal Size of Grid System in M-DOF

At Least 4 Sequential Mesh Levels & Bias Towards Finest

DPW-VII: Gridding Guidelines (1/2)

- **Tiny Grid**

- Viscous Wall Spacing: $Y^+ \sim 1.0 \rightarrow \Delta y_1 = 0.0002332''$
 - Based on local C_f @ 10% C_{ref} for $Re_c = 30$ million
 - $C_f \sim 0.455 / \ln^2(0.06 * Re_x) = 0.003107$, where $Re_x = 0.1 * Re_c = 3$ million
 - $\Delta y_1 = C_{ref} / [Re_c * \sqrt{C_f/2}] = 0.0002332''$
- At Least 2 Constantly-Spaced Cells at Viscous Walls, $\Delta y_2 = \Delta y_1$
- Growth Rates < 1.2X Normal to Viscous Walls
- Wing Spanwise Spacing < 0.1%*Semispan at Root & Tip
- Wing Chordwise Spacing < 0.1%*C (Local Chord) at LE & TE
- Wing TE Base >> 8 Cells
- Spacing Near Fuselage Nose & End-of-Body < 1%* C_{ref}
- **Grow Next-Finer Grid in Family by $\sim [(L+2)/(L+1)]^3$ in Size**
 - Scale Dimensions in All Three Directions by $\sim [(L+2)/(L+1)]$
 - Grid Spacings Should Reduce as follows, (0.1% in Tiny Grid)
 - [T,C,M,F,X,U] = [0.100, 0.067, 0.050, 0.040, 0.033, 0.029]%

DPW-VII: Gridding Guidelines (2/2)

- **Farfield Boundary > 100*Semispans**
- **Miscellaneous Notes:**
 - Try to be Multigrid Friendly on Structured Meshes
 - Store Grid Coordinates in 64-bit Precision
 - If Storing Grids in Plot3D Format, Keep Zones < 38M Nodes
 - Itemize Surface Elements by Components [W, B, Sym, Far]
 - Itemize Element Count for Unstructured Meshes
 - Volume: Tetrahedra, Prisms, Pyramids, Hexahedra
 - Surface: Triangles, Quads
 - Total of 15 Grids Needed per Grid Type
 - Subtotal of 8 AE Medium Grids @ Low-Q for Alpha Sweep
 - Subtotal of 1 AE Medium Grid @ High-Q for Q Effect
 - Subtotal of 1 Medium Grid on Undeflected Geometry for Case 6
 - Subtotal of 6 Grids in Grid Family for Grid Convergence
 - AE3.00degLowQ Geometry, CL = 0.58, Re = 20M, (Re = 5M Optional)