

Overview Test Case 2

- **CRM Wing-Body steady Coupled Aero-Structural Simulation**
- **Flow Conditions:** $Ma_{\infty} = 0.85$; $Re_c = 5.0 \times 10^6$; $T_{static} = 100F/310.928K$
- **MSC NASTRAN® Finite-Element Model supplied by NASA via CRM Website**
- **Compute static aero-elastic Deflections, starting from the undeformed Geometry**

- **Test Case 2a: Grid Convergence Study**
 - Grid Levels: L1 - L6 (four required, six desirable)
 - Flow Conditions: fixed $C_L = 0.5 \pm 0.0001$

- **Test Case 2b: Angle-of-Attack Sweep**
 - Grid Level: L3 or L4
 - Flow Conditions: $\alpha = [-1.50^\circ, 2.50^\circ, 2.75^\circ, 3.00^\circ, 3.25^\circ, 3.50^\circ, 3.75^\circ, 4.00^\circ, 4.25^\circ]$
 $C_L = 0.5 \pm 0.0001$



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Data submitted by 6 Teams (3 DPW-6, 3 DPW-8)

- **CFD Grid Type:**
 - unstructured (5)
 - overset (1)
- **CFD Flow Solver:**
 - Finite Volume (3)
 - Finite Differences (1)
 - Stabilized Finite-Element (2)
- **Structural Model:**
 - 3D Volume Element Model (5)
 - equivalent Beam Model (1)
- **Structural Solver:**
 - linear static Analysis (4)
 - linear modal Analysis (2)
- **Interpolation Method CFD $\Rightarrow$ CSM:**
 - nearest-Neighbor (3)
- **Mesh Deformation Algorithm:**
 - Radial Basis Functions (2)
 - Torsional Spring Analogy (1)

**DPW6 only
need Data from
DPW8 Teams**

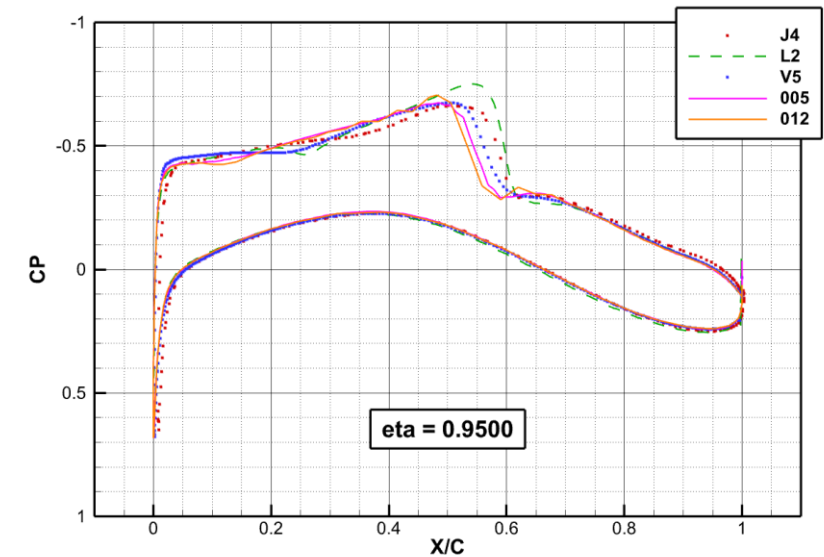
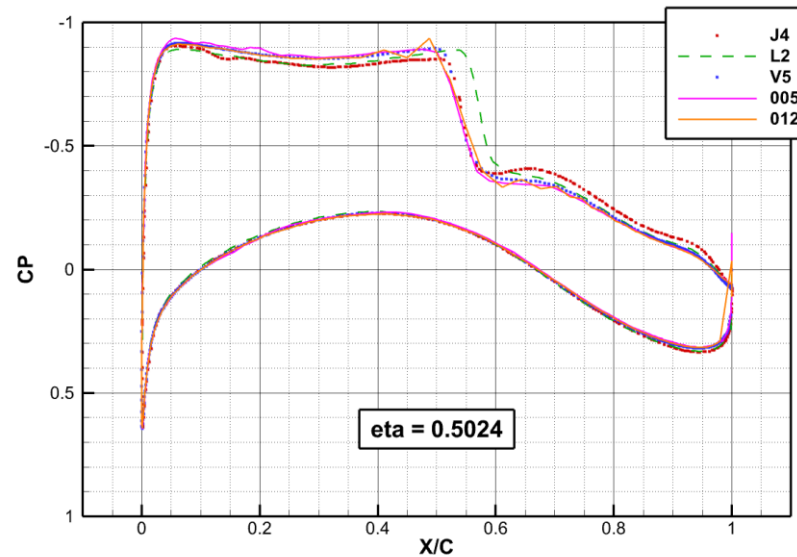
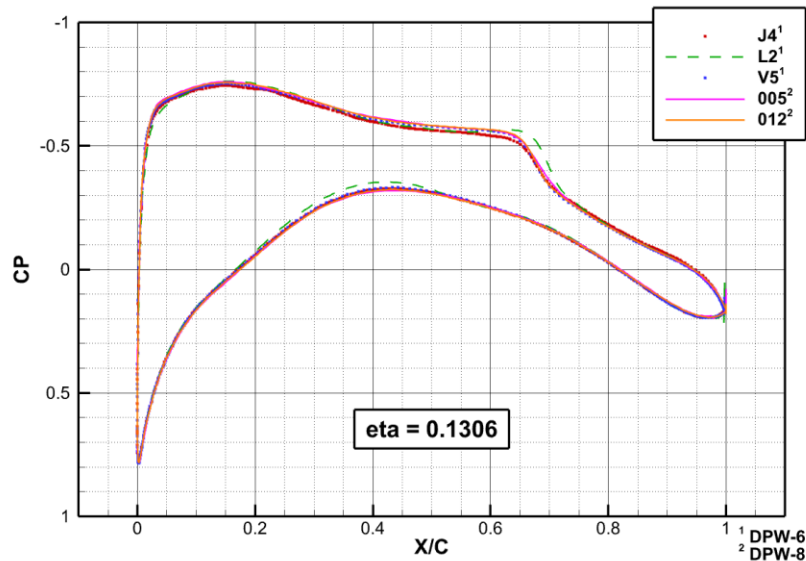


Test Case 2a (E)

- Static Pressure Distributions -

Flow Conditions:

- $Ma = 0.85$
- $Re = 5.0 \times 10^6$
- $C_L = 0.50 \pm 0.0001$
- $q_\infty = 1384 \text{ lb/sq.ft}$



- Pressure Distributions match reasonably well on inboard Wing (no Deformation)
- Some Variation in Shock Location on outboard Wing, probably caused by Variations in Twist ($\Rightarrow$ next Slide)
- Only one Outlier

Reasonable to include DPW-6 Data in Analysis

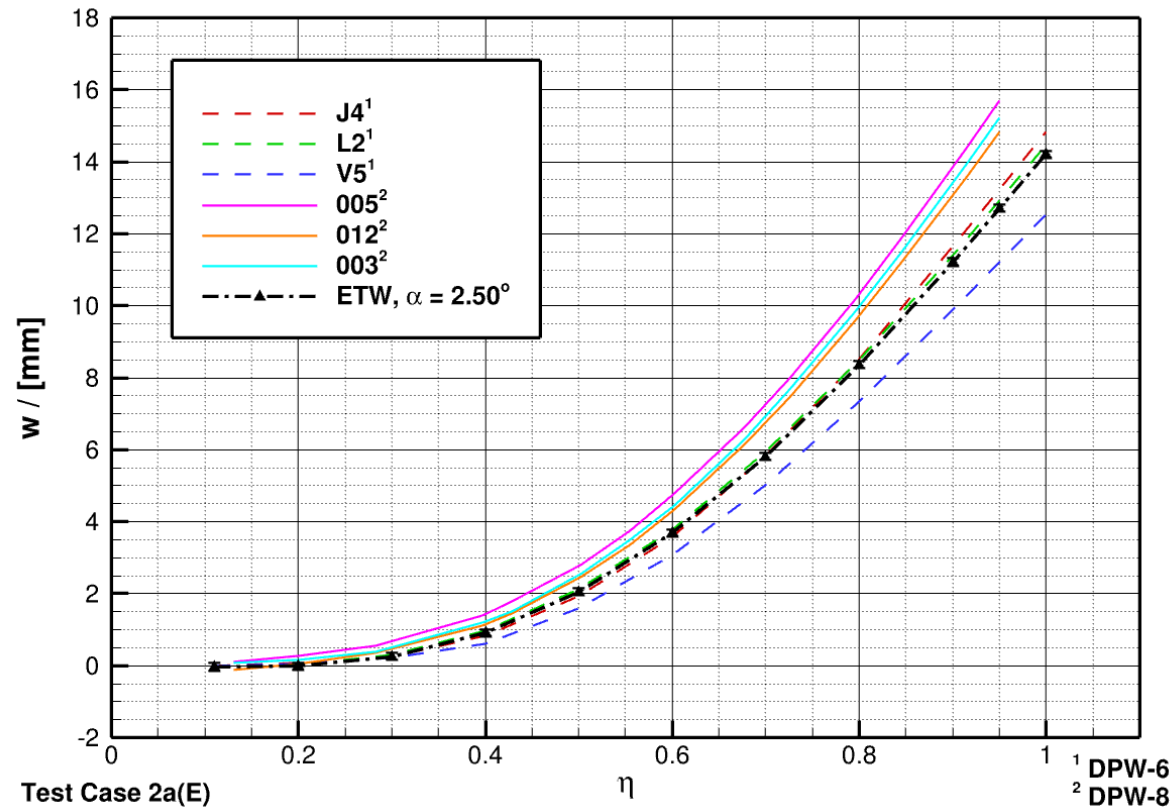


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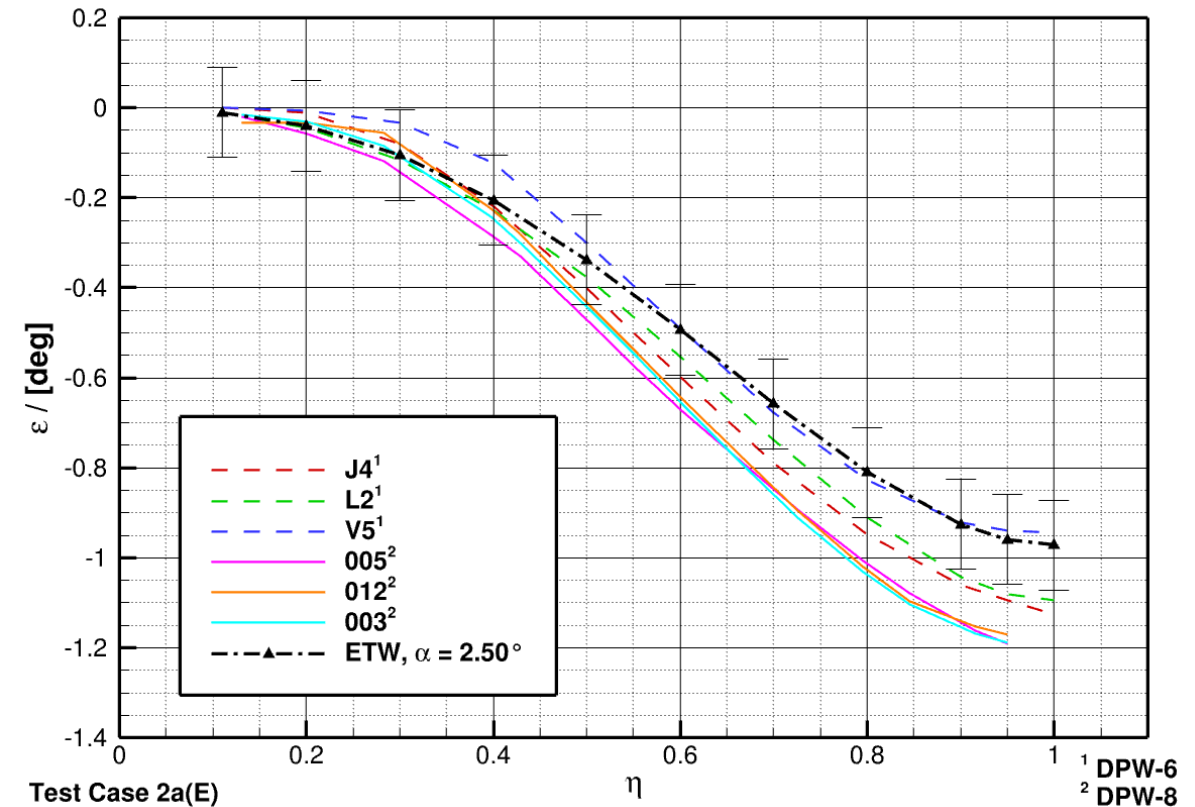
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- Relatively large Deviations for DPW-8 Datasets (16-24%)
- ETW Measurement Accuracy: $\pm 0.1 \text{ mm}$ ($\pm 0.004 \text{ in}$)



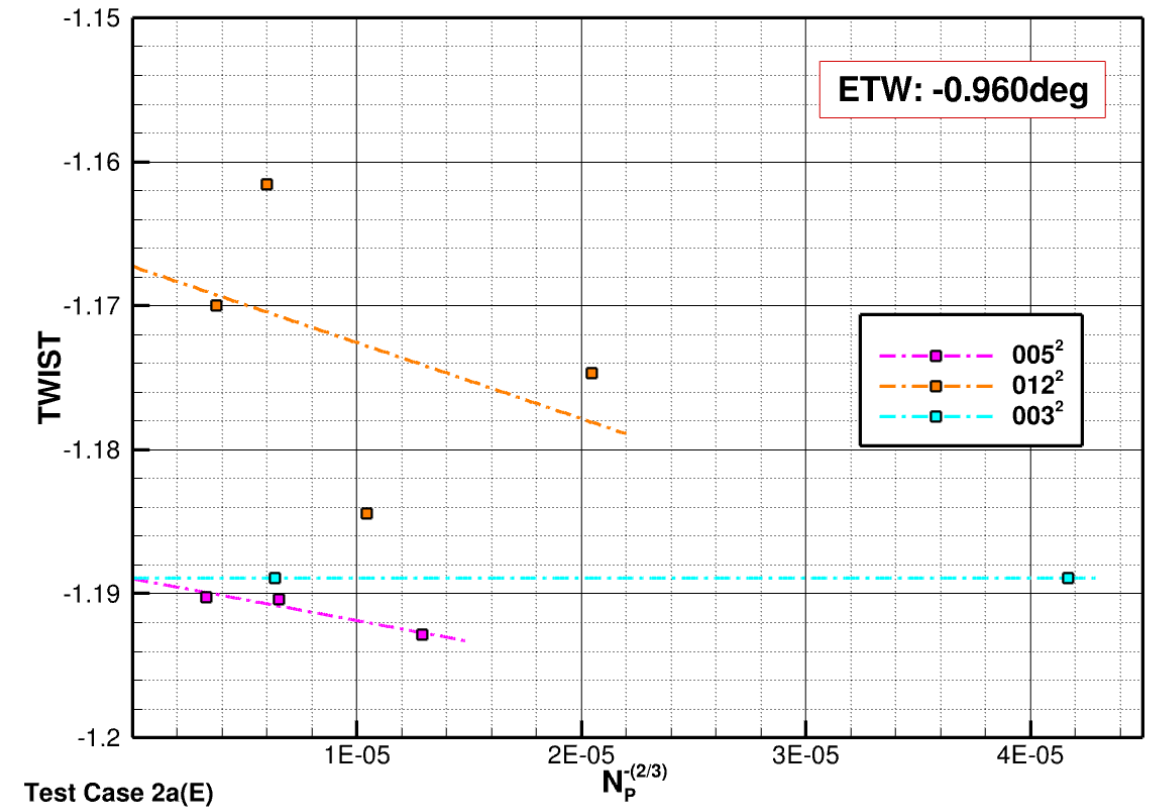
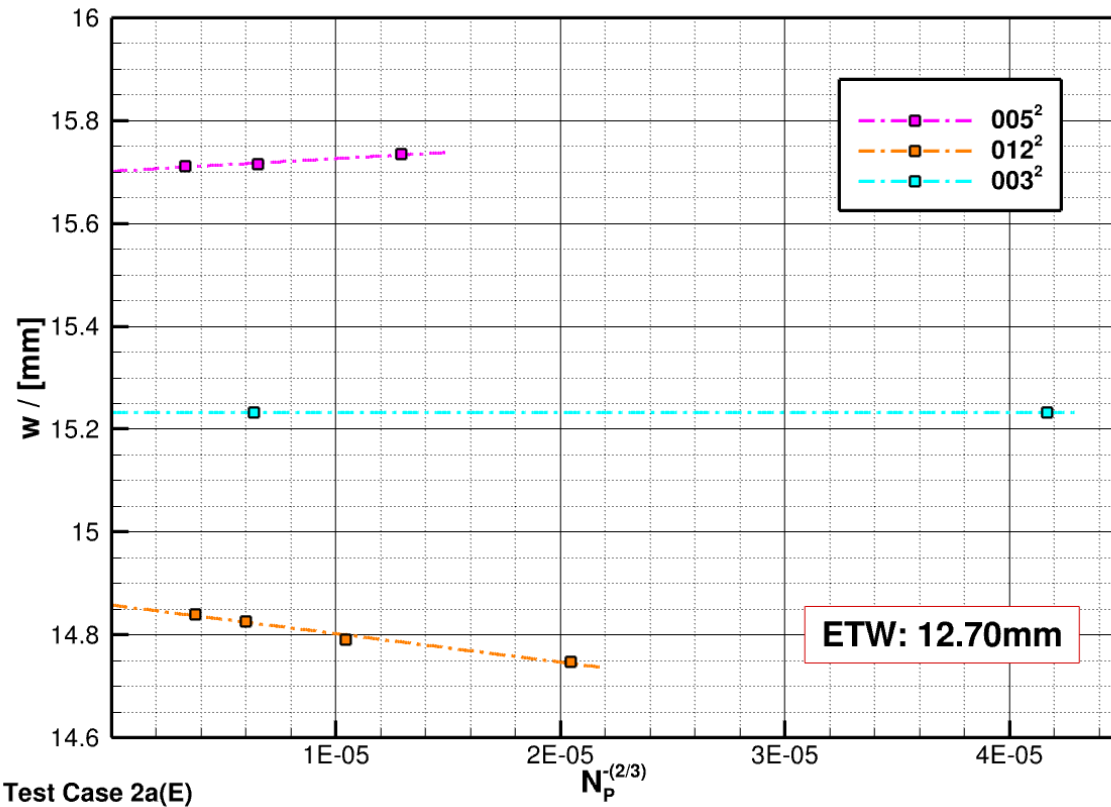
- Twist Deviation @ $\eta = 0.95$: $\Delta\varepsilon \approx 0.15\text{-}0.25 \text{ deg}$
- ETW Measurement Accuracy: $\pm 0.1 \text{ deg}$

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- good Grid Convergence w.r.t. Wing Deformations

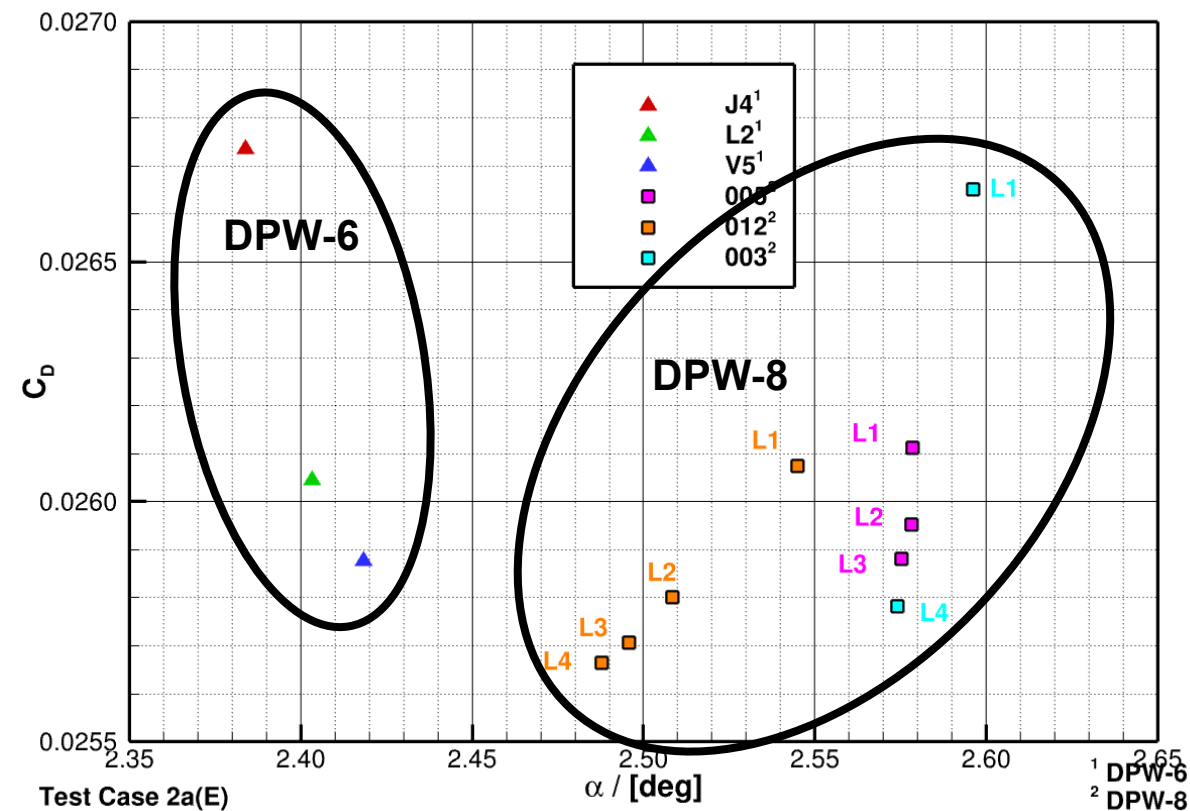
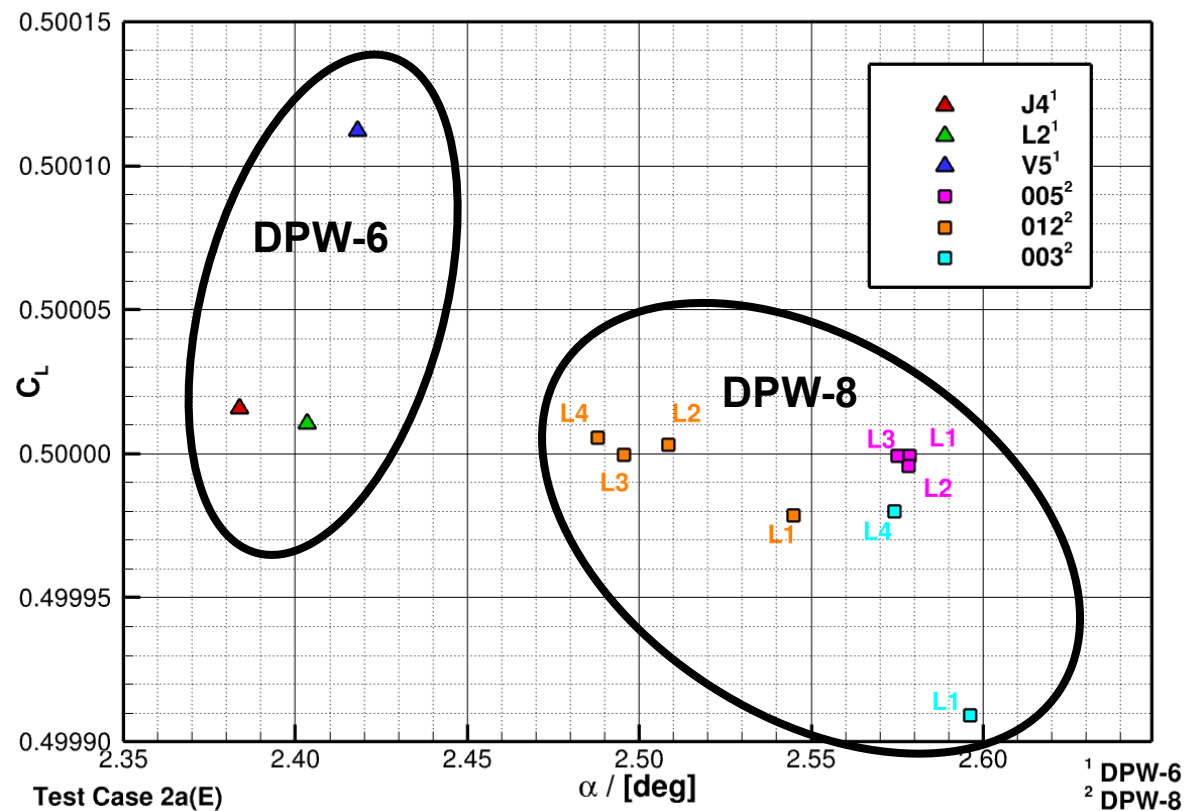


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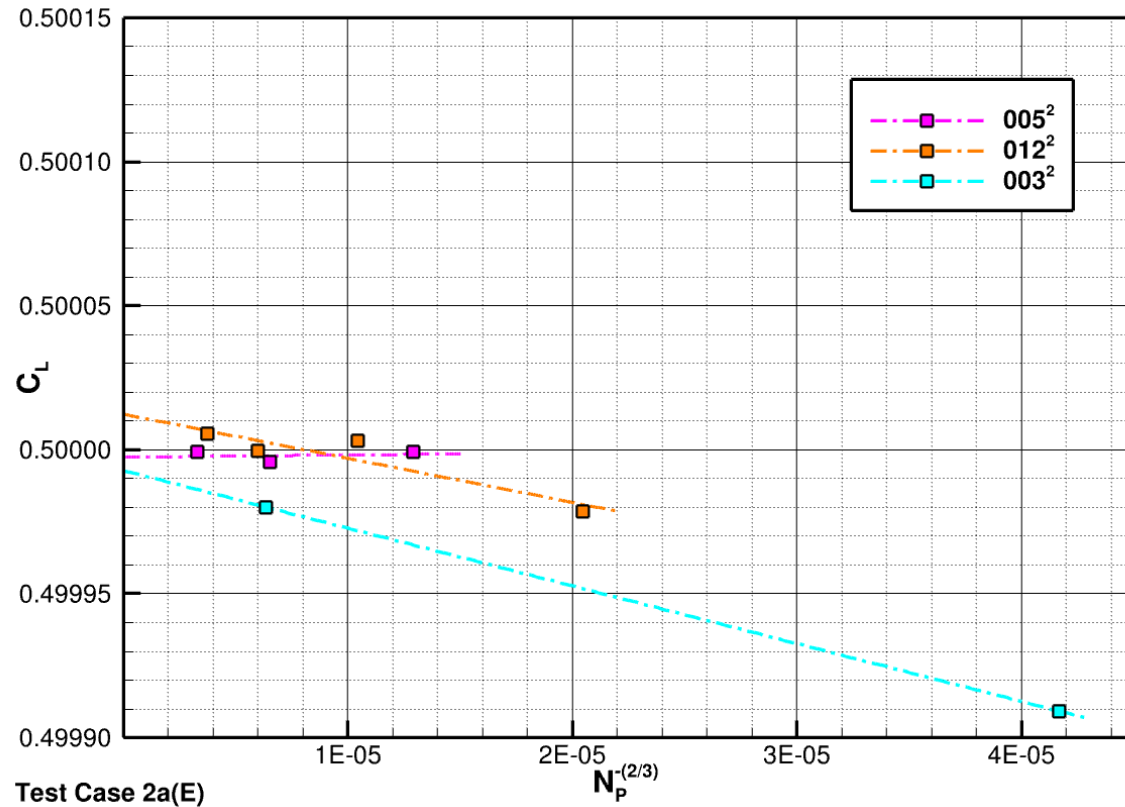


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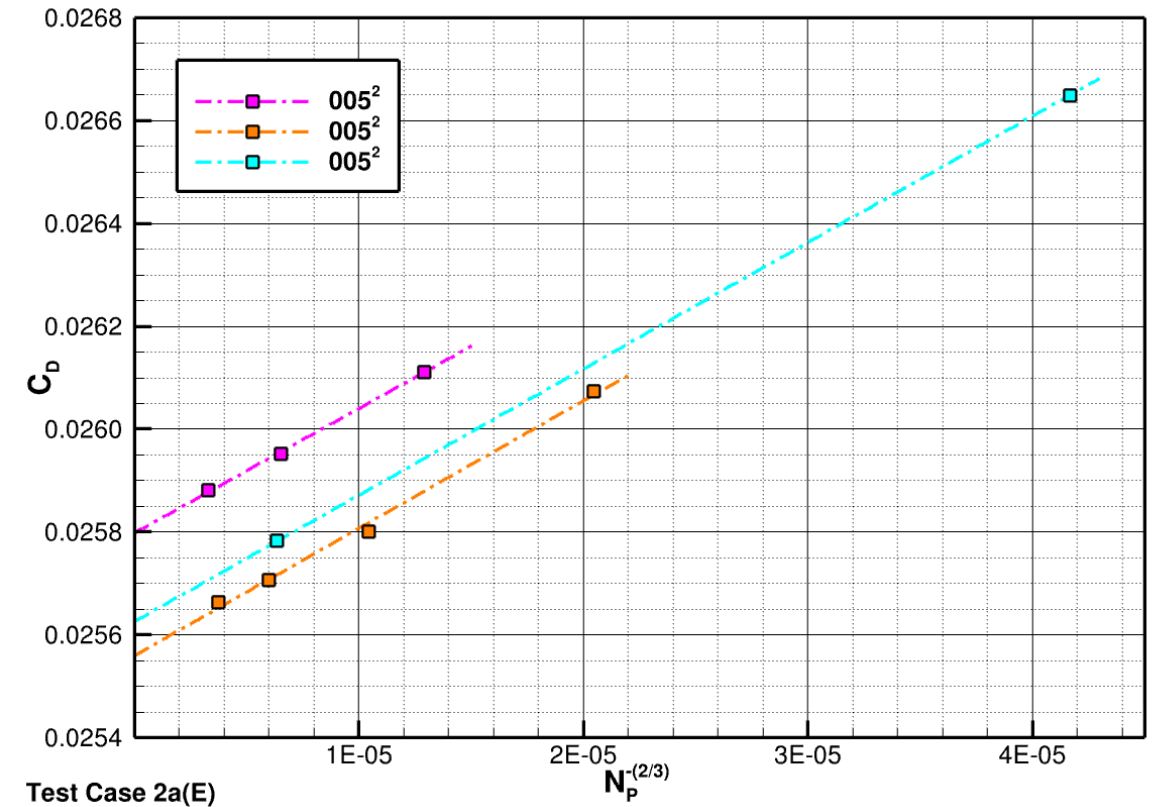
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- good Grid Convergence for Lift



- minor Gradient in Drag Convergence

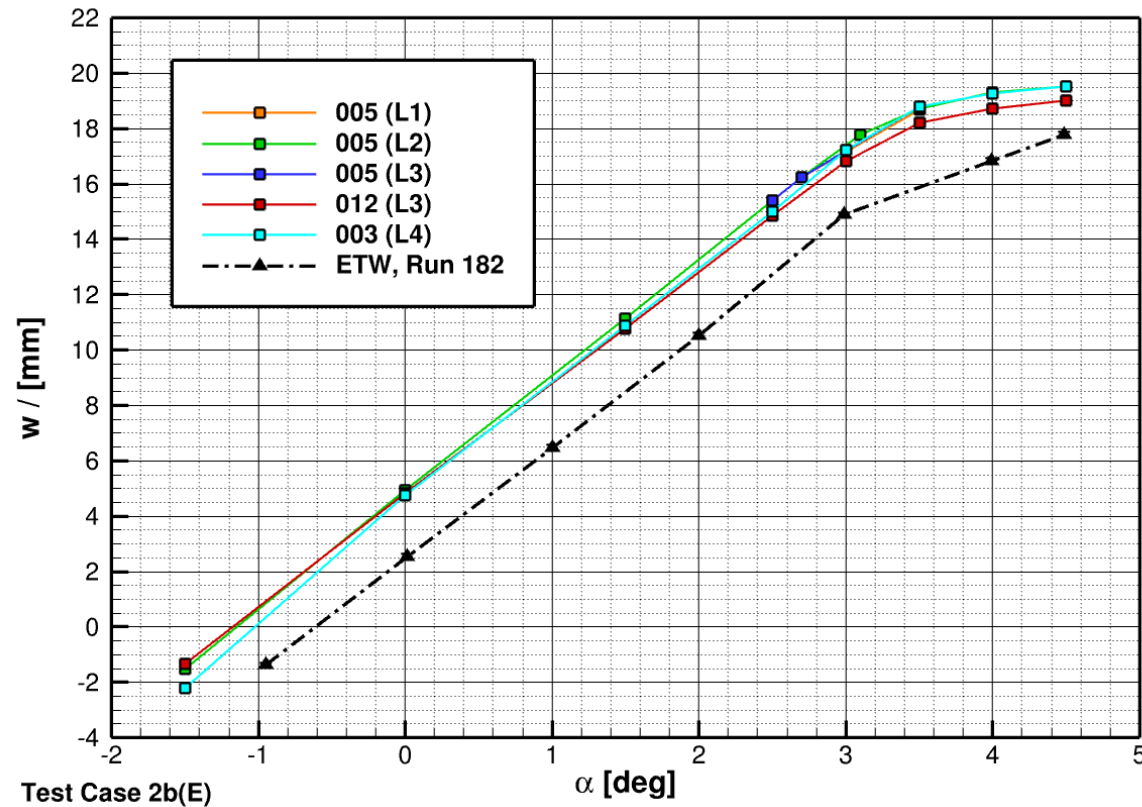


Test Case 2b (E)

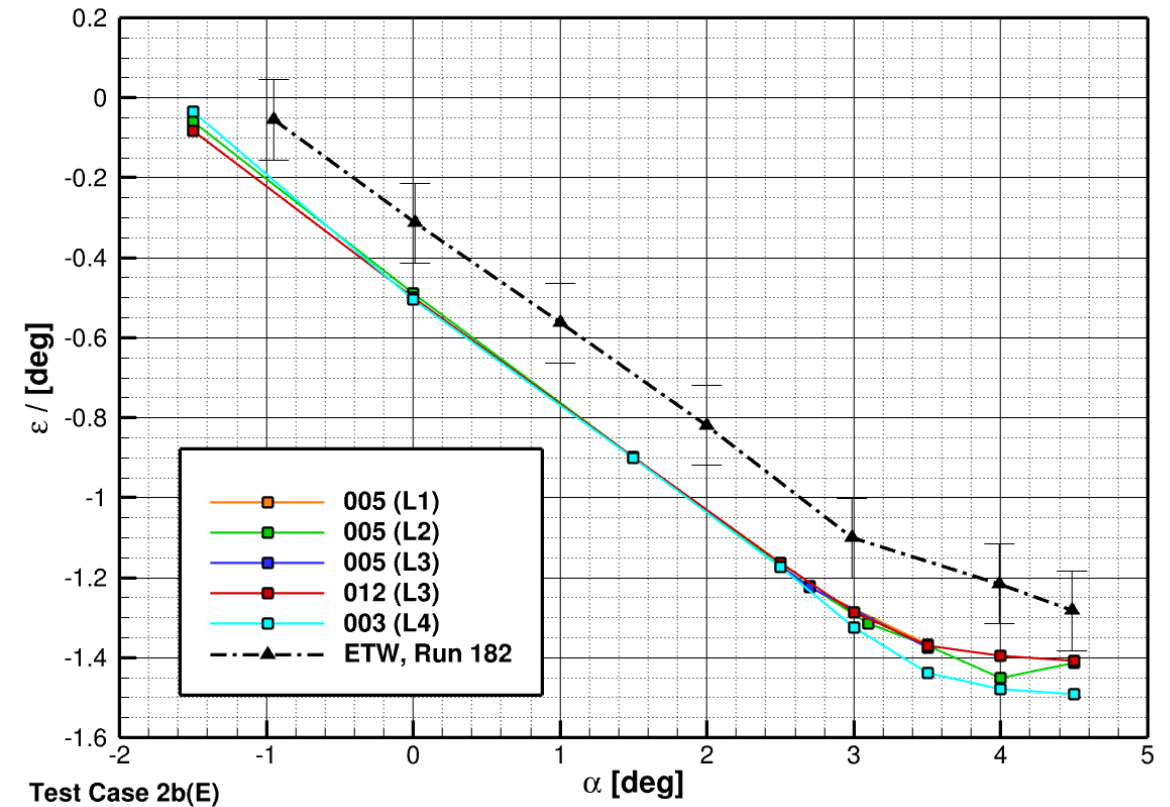
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- approximately constant Offset due to Sting Effect



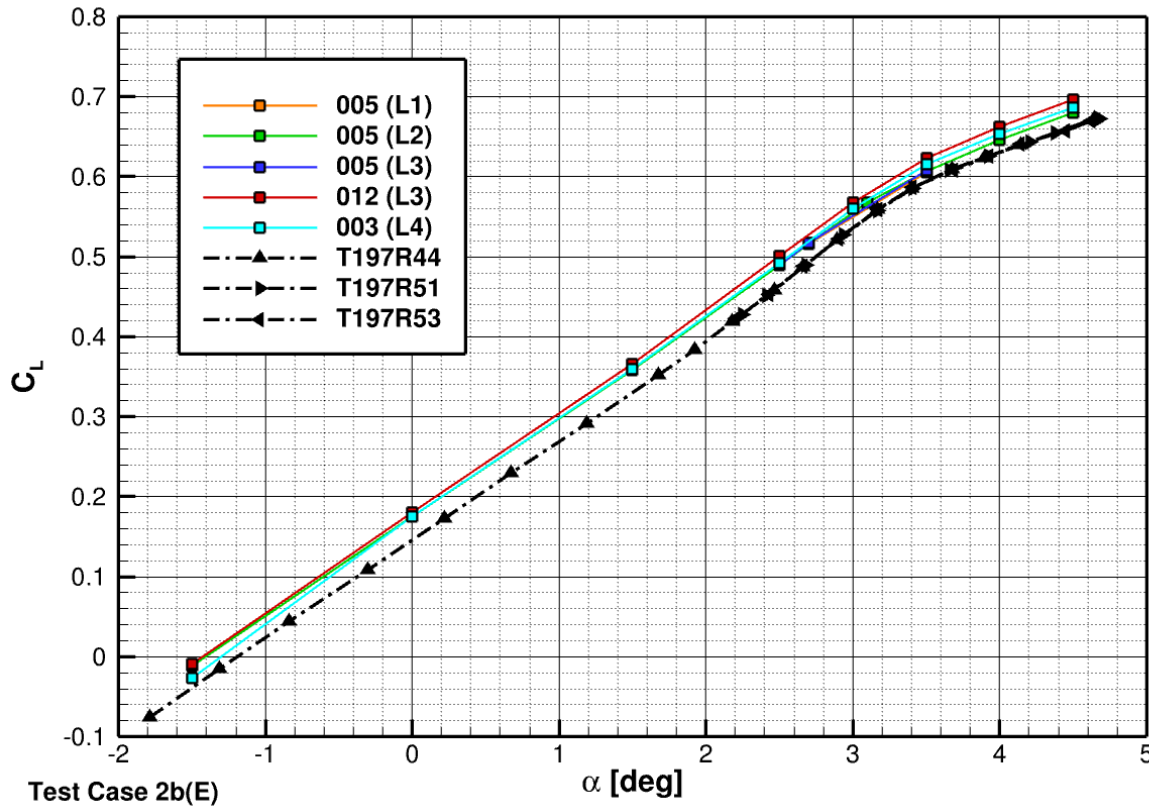
- almost constant Offset $\Delta\epsilon \approx 0.16\text{-}0.18\text{deg}$

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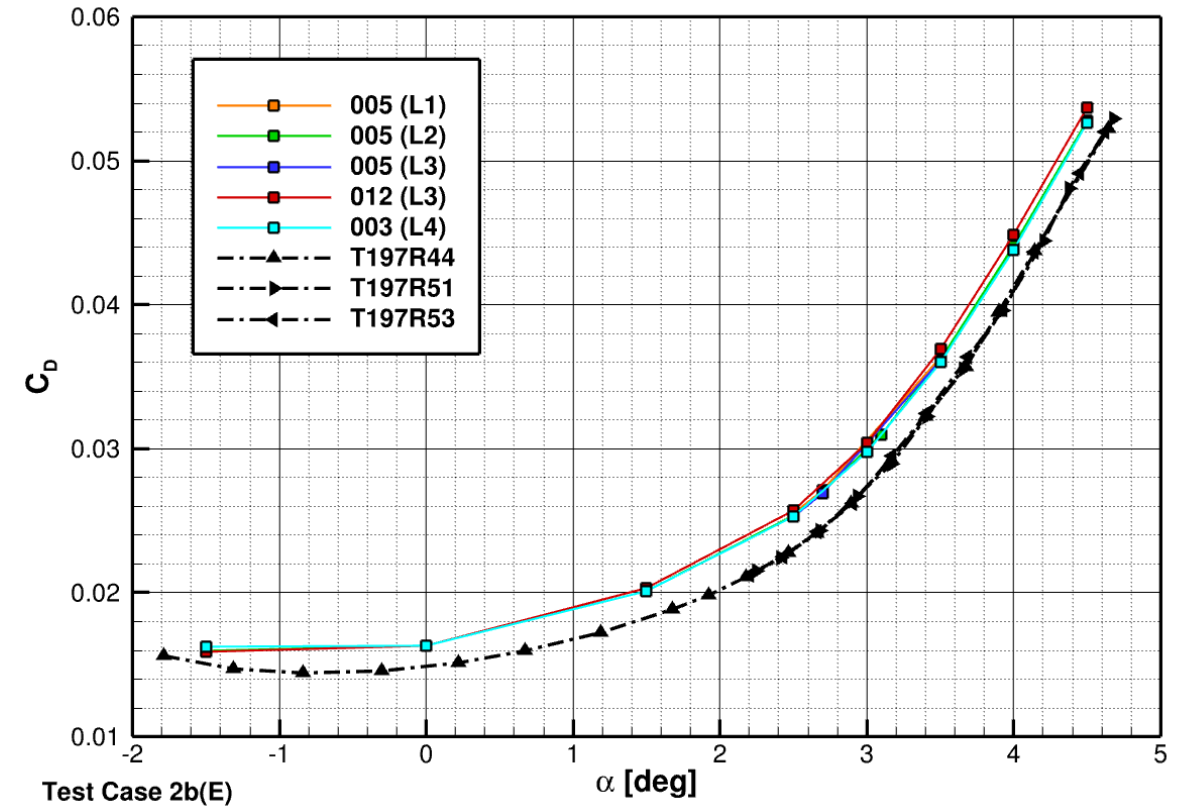
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- constant Offset possibly due to missing Tail Sting in CFD ($\Rightarrow$ Slide No. 6 from Ed's Presentation)



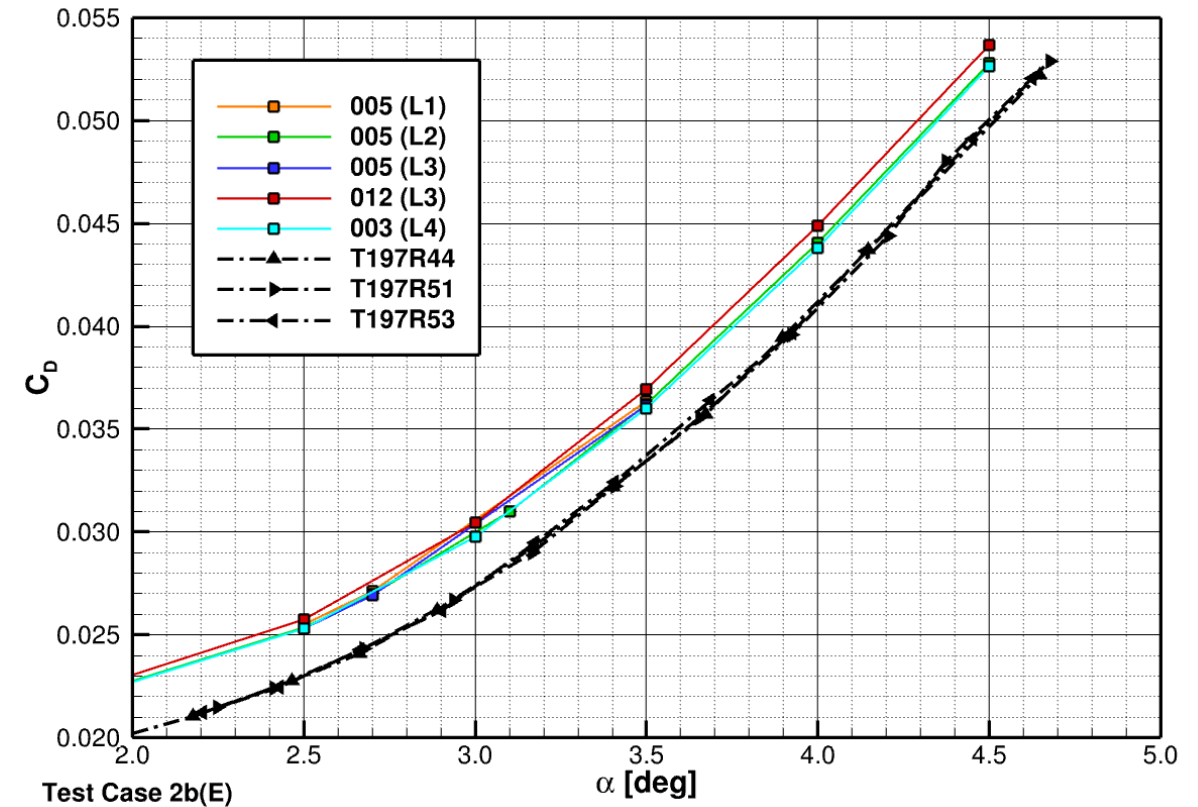
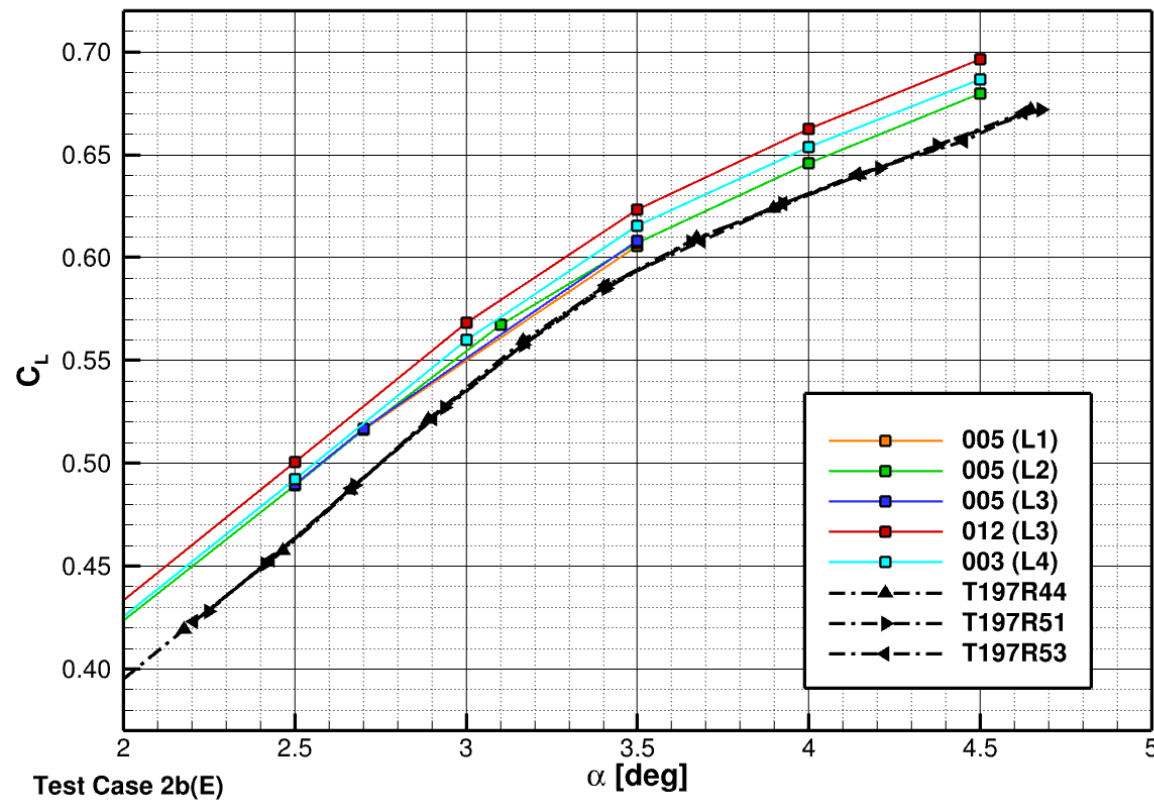
- good Agreement between Participants
- Offset to measured Data partially caused by fully turbulent RANS Computations

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- nonlinear Region starting at $\alpha \approx 3.0\text{deg}$ captured correctly in both Lift and Drag
- 005: very small Differences between Grids (~1 Lift Count, ~2 Drag Counts)



Conclusions

- **Generally good Agreement between Teams and w.r.t. experimental Data**
- **DPW-6 Data included in Test Case 2a(E)**
- **Good Grid Convergence w.r.t. both Wing Deformations and aerodynamic Coefficients**
- **Minor Variations in Twist Distribution and chord-wise Shock Location, mainly on outboard Wing**
- **Lift overpredicted due to missing Sting in CFD Simulations**
- **Drag overpredicted due to fully turbulent RANS Computations**
- **Not enough Data for Statistics**



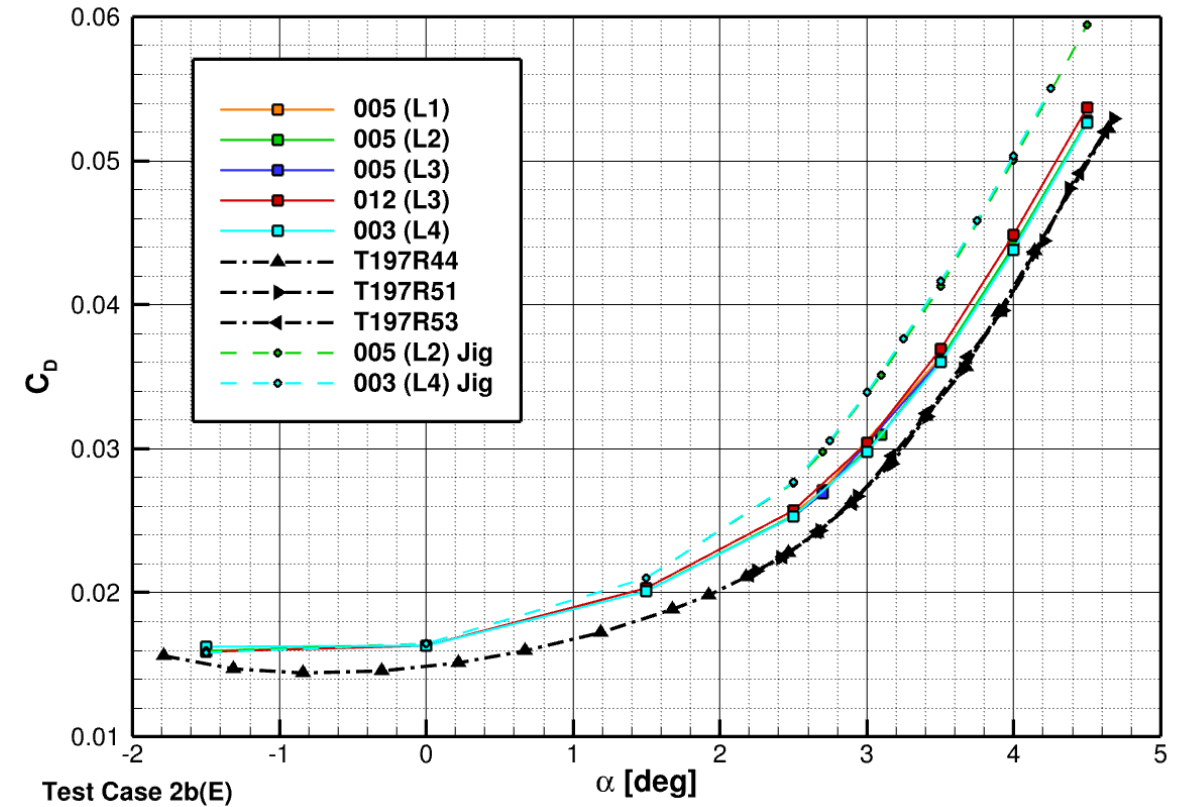
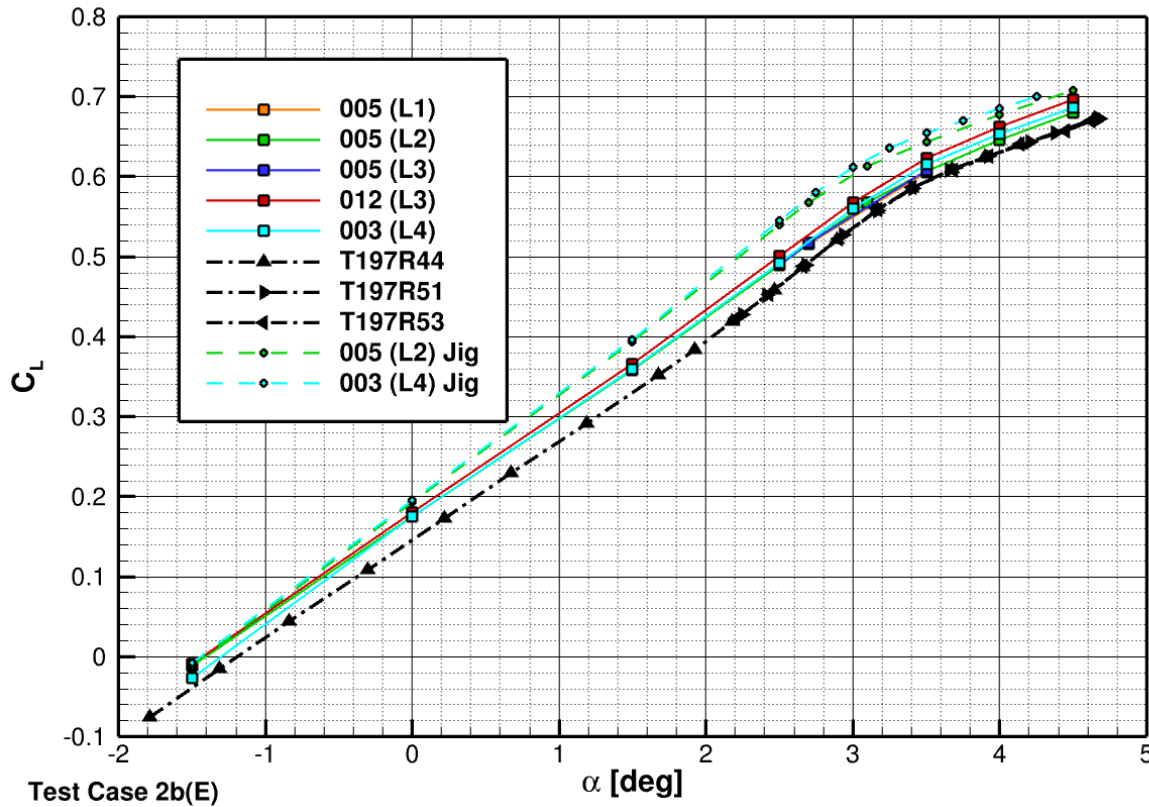
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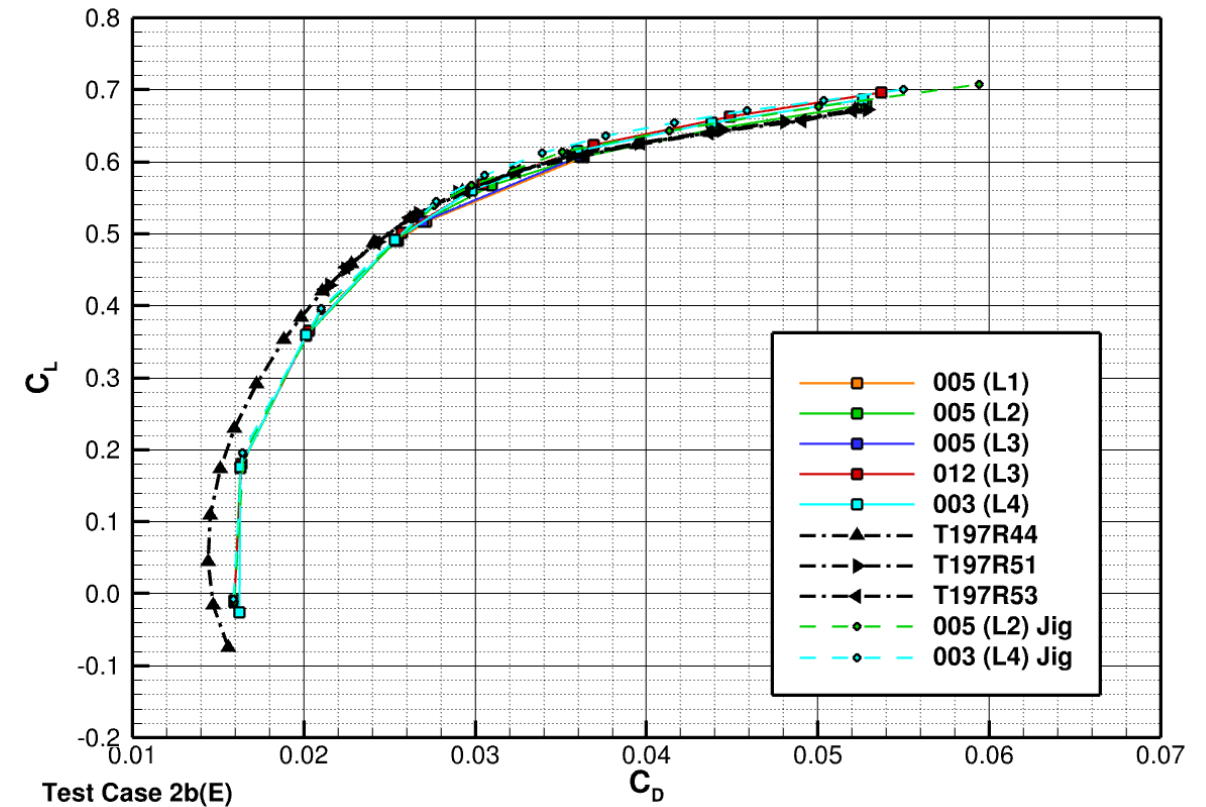
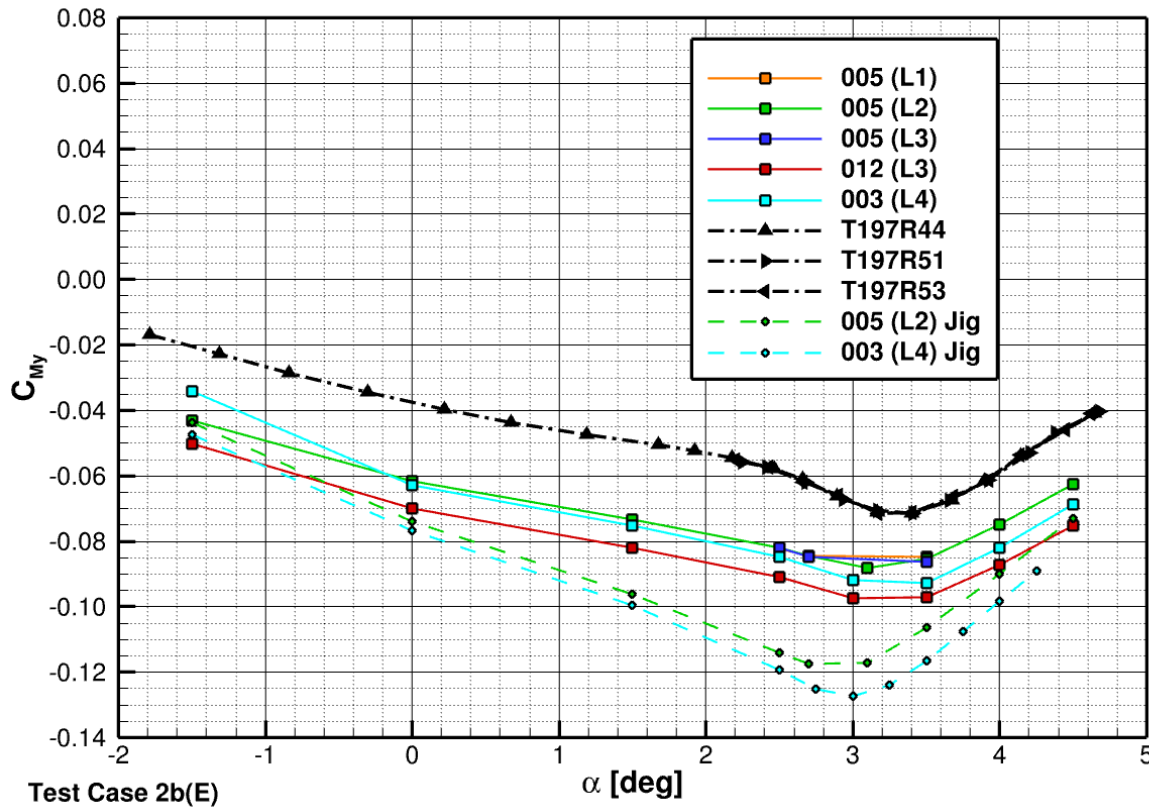
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