

Coupled fluid-structure prediction capability

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Overall goal of the effort

Develop a differentiating capability to predict fluid-structure interaction on complex geometries with quantifiable uncertainties

Research Challenges: Simulate weapon flight environments and response for a wide range of velocities, attack angles, and environmental conditions

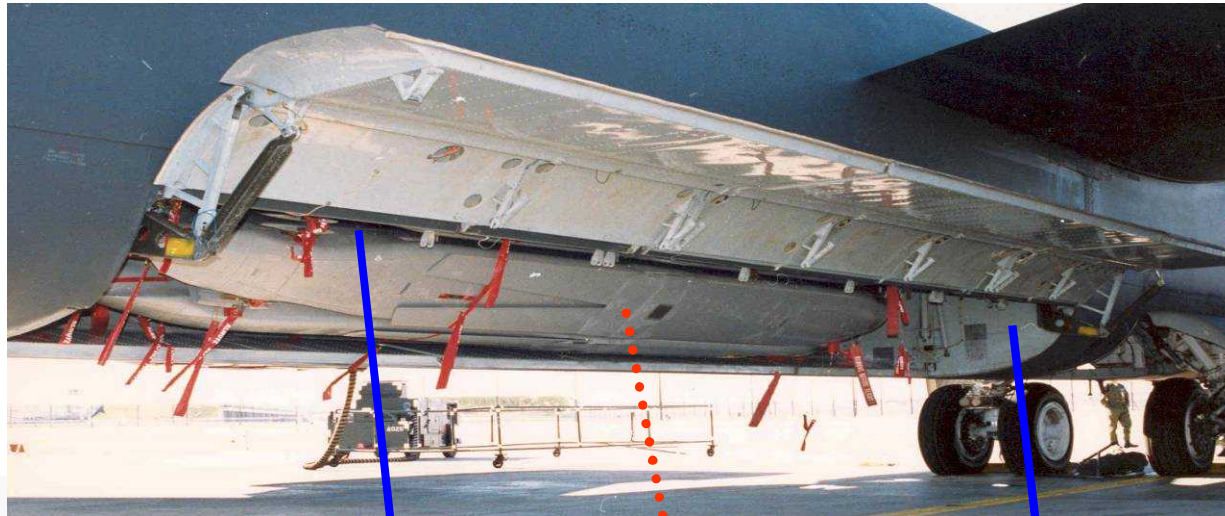
Research Elements

- High performance computing
- Algorithms
- Numerical schemes
- Physical discovery
- Physical models
- Validation
- Uncertainty quantification

Store in F-111 bay



Internal Bay Loadings



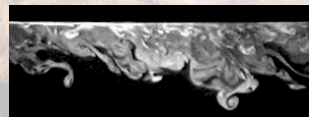
**Acoustic Cavity
Resonances & Broadband
Noise**

**Direct
Mechanical**

**Hydrodynamic
Vortical Flows**



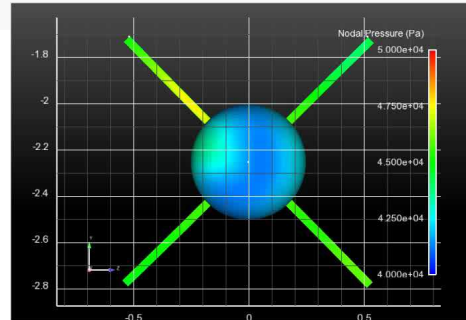
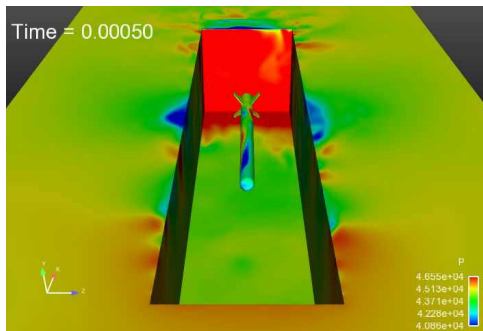
**Vortex Shedding,
Jet Noise, boundary layer , Still
Present But ~ Insignificant**



**Turbulent Boundary
Layer (on B61, direct)**

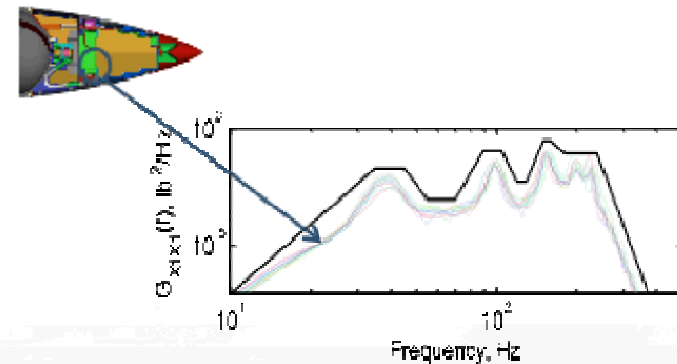
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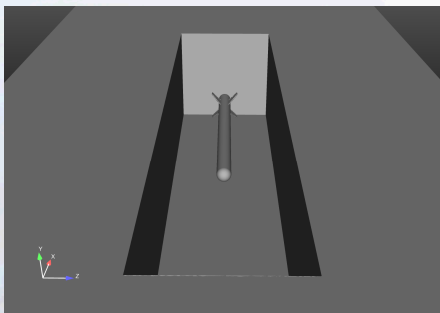


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Create mesh (model) of the bay and store

Use experimental discovery and validation to ensure important physics are accurately captured

Environmental Specification

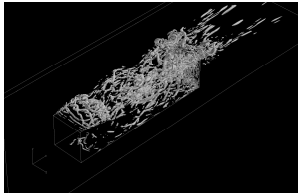
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Multi-axis Component response

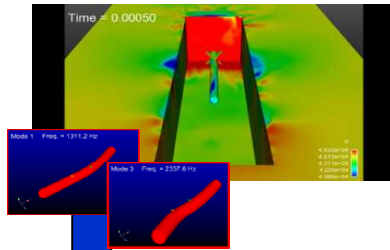
Modeling and Simulation Progression

Modeling, Validation and Applications

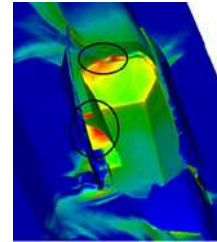
Rectangular
Empty Cavity



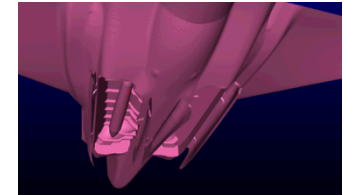
Coupled fluid
structured simulation



Complex cavity
with/without store



Full system
simulation



Gaps

Requirements to
predict flow field and
loads

Coupling validation
and multi-axis
structural response

Complex geometry driven
interactions: multiple modes
and loading directions

Full system validation
(if required)

Validation and Discovery

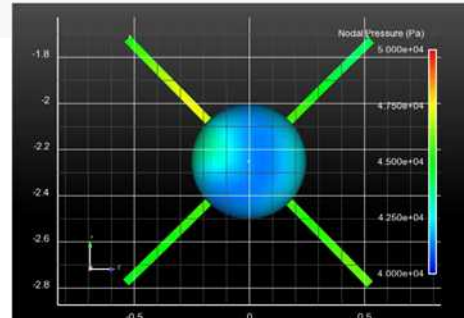
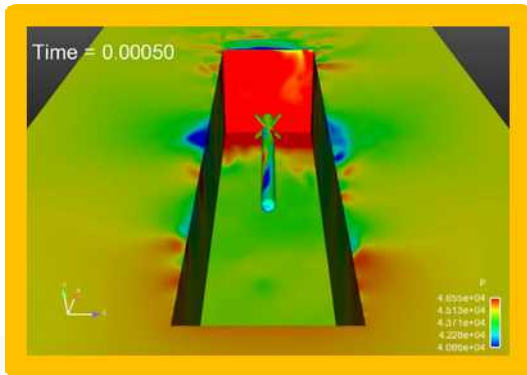
B61-12

Complex Cavity

B2 Flight Data

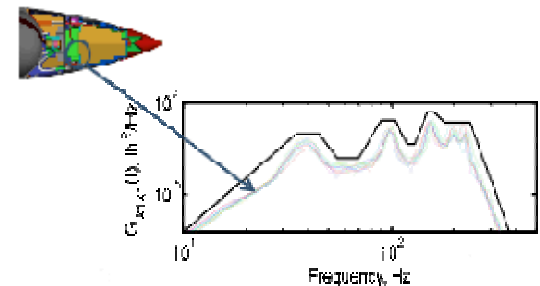
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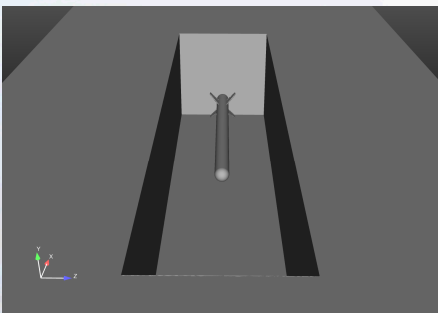


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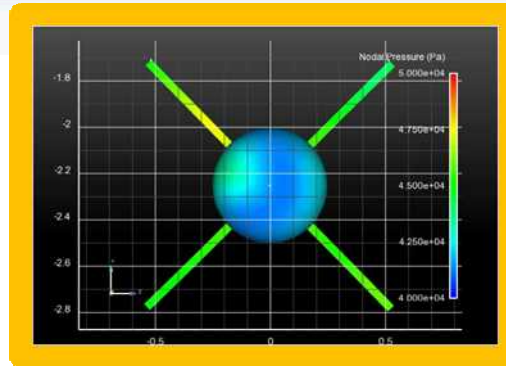
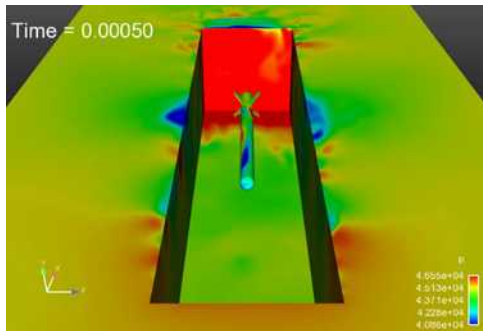
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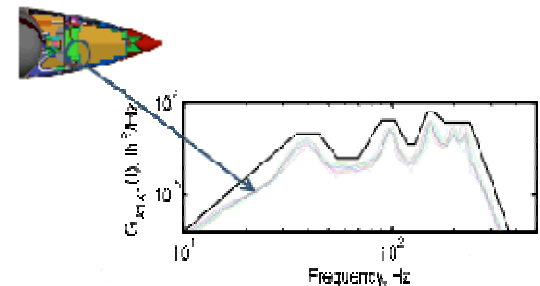
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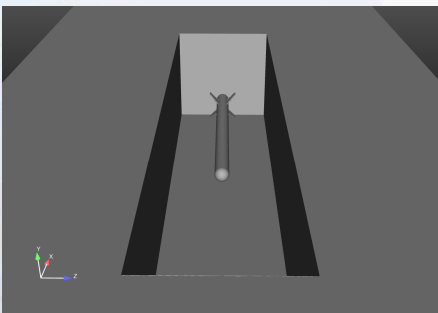


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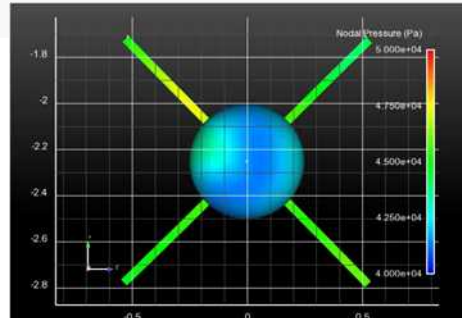
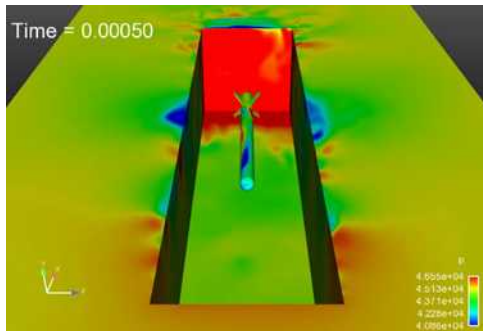
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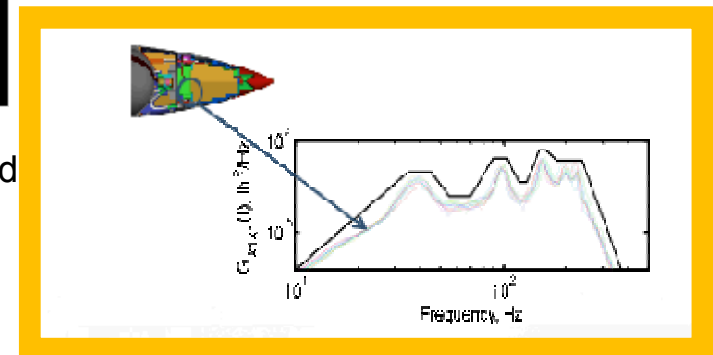
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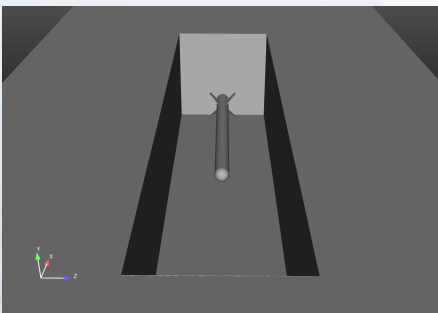


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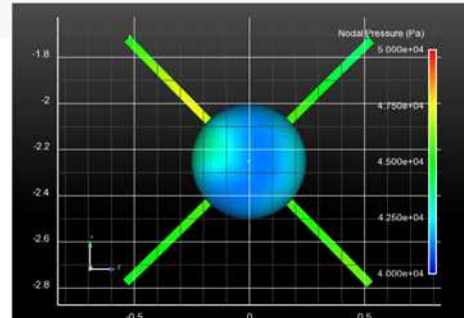
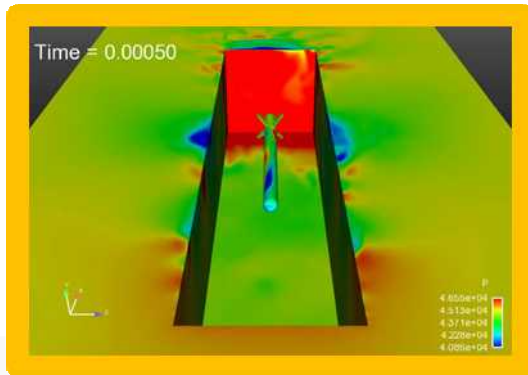
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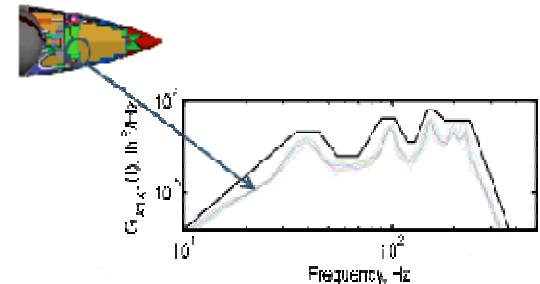
A software approach to unsteady, turbulent fluid-structure interactions - Steve Bova

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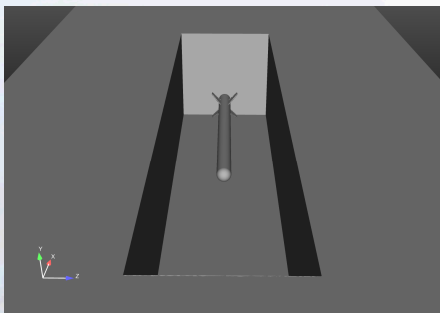


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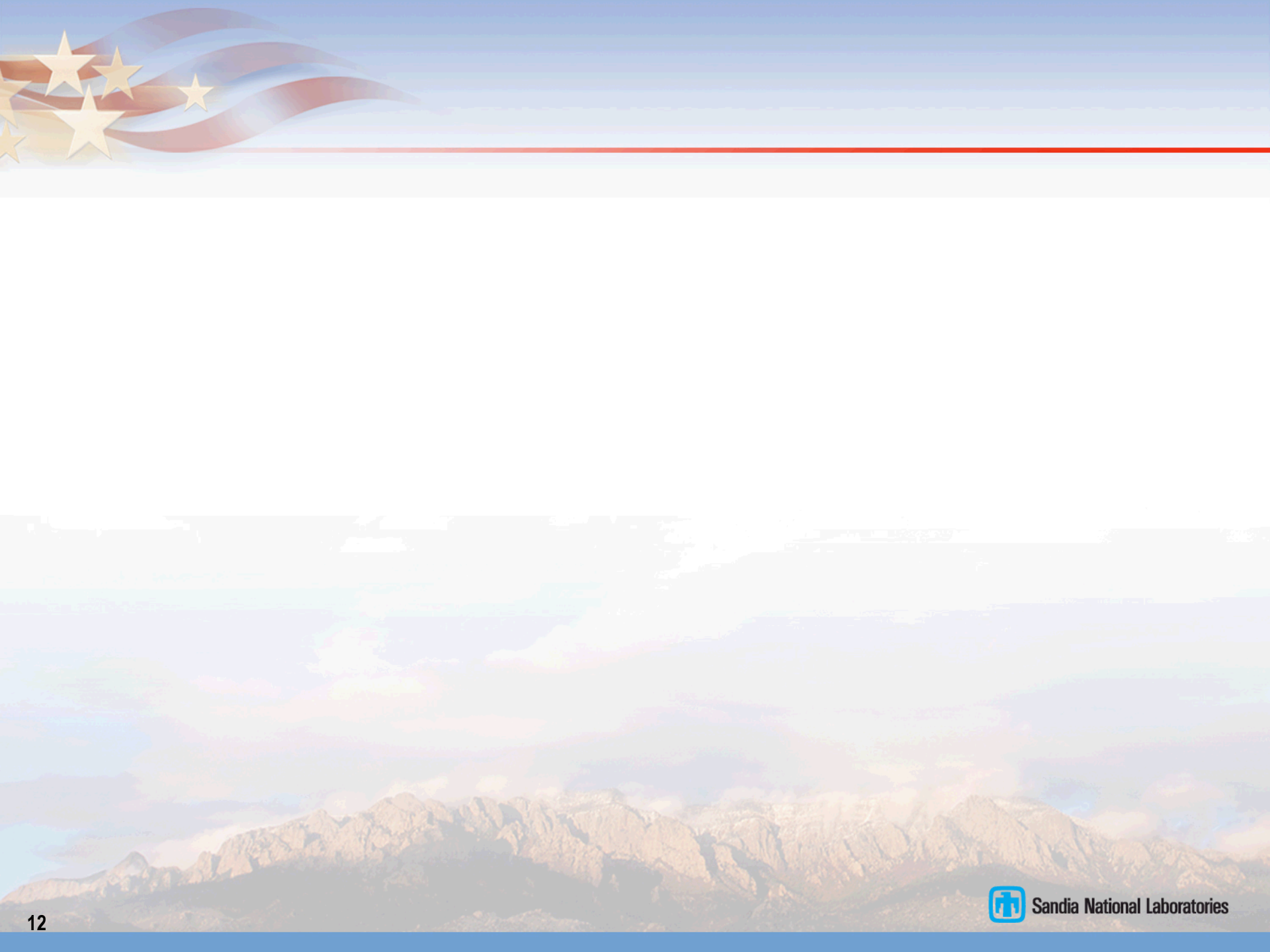
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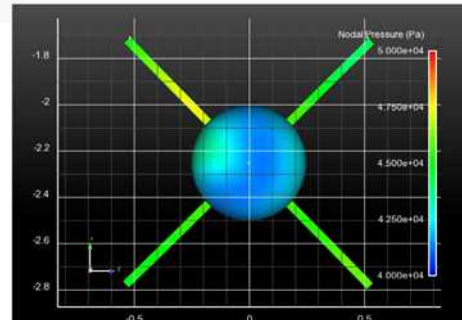
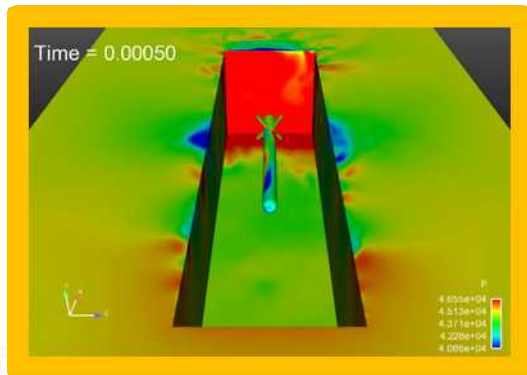
Current Research Challenge: Predict the environments and component response for a B61-12 in captive carriage

- We have focused on this Challenge for three year
- The principle area we are working to enable the capability
 - Software and Algorithms
 - Numerical schemes and Physical models
 - Physical discovery and Validation
 - Uncertainty quantification
- Resolved future efforts
 - Improved physical discovery and validation enabled by temporal and correlated data
 - Subgrid Model that enables separation and quantification of numerical errors and physical modeling errors



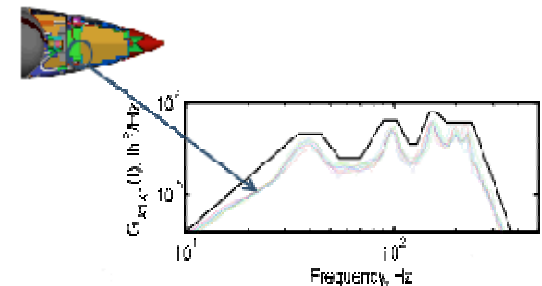
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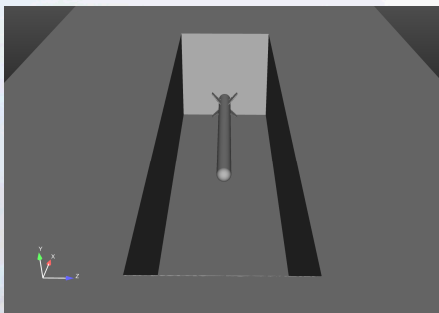


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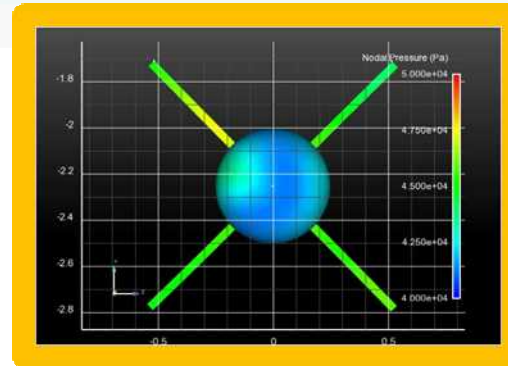
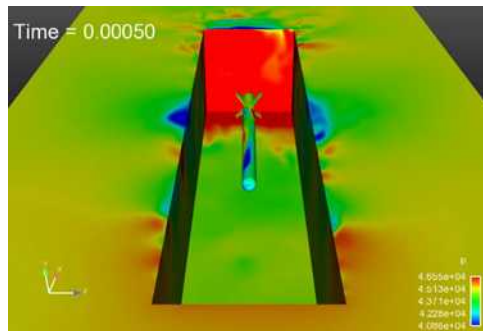
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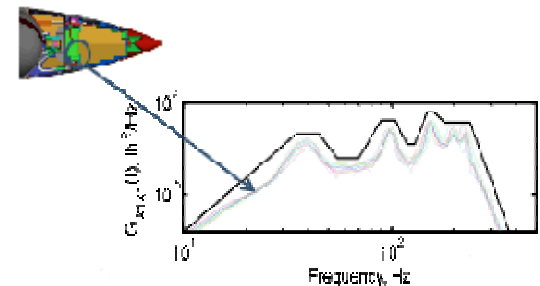
Captive Carry Experiments, Discovery and Validation – Justin Wagner

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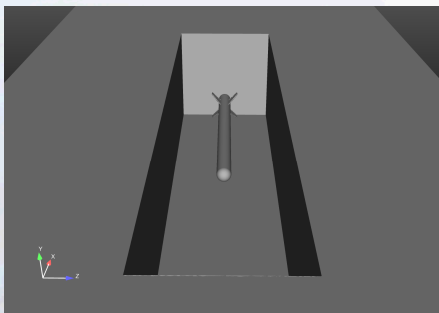


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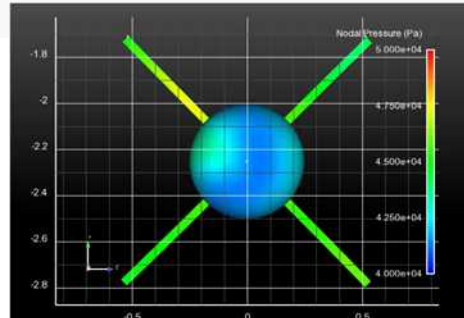
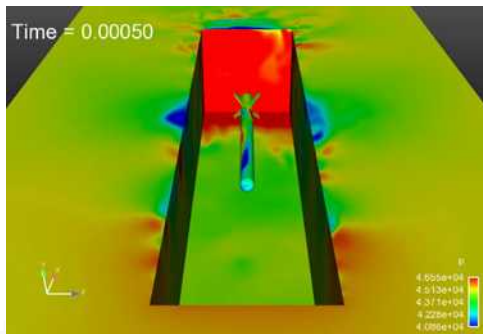
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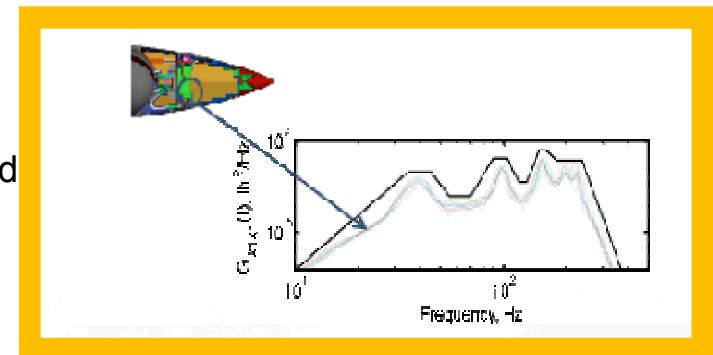
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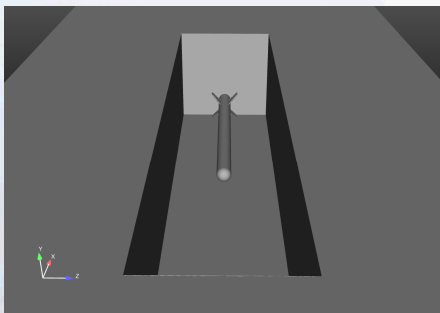


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