

Coupling SNL Solvers:

CTH+Tiger+SIERRA/Fuego, SIERRA/Aria+Fuego

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SIERRA/Fuego: A low-Ma turbulent combustng flow solver

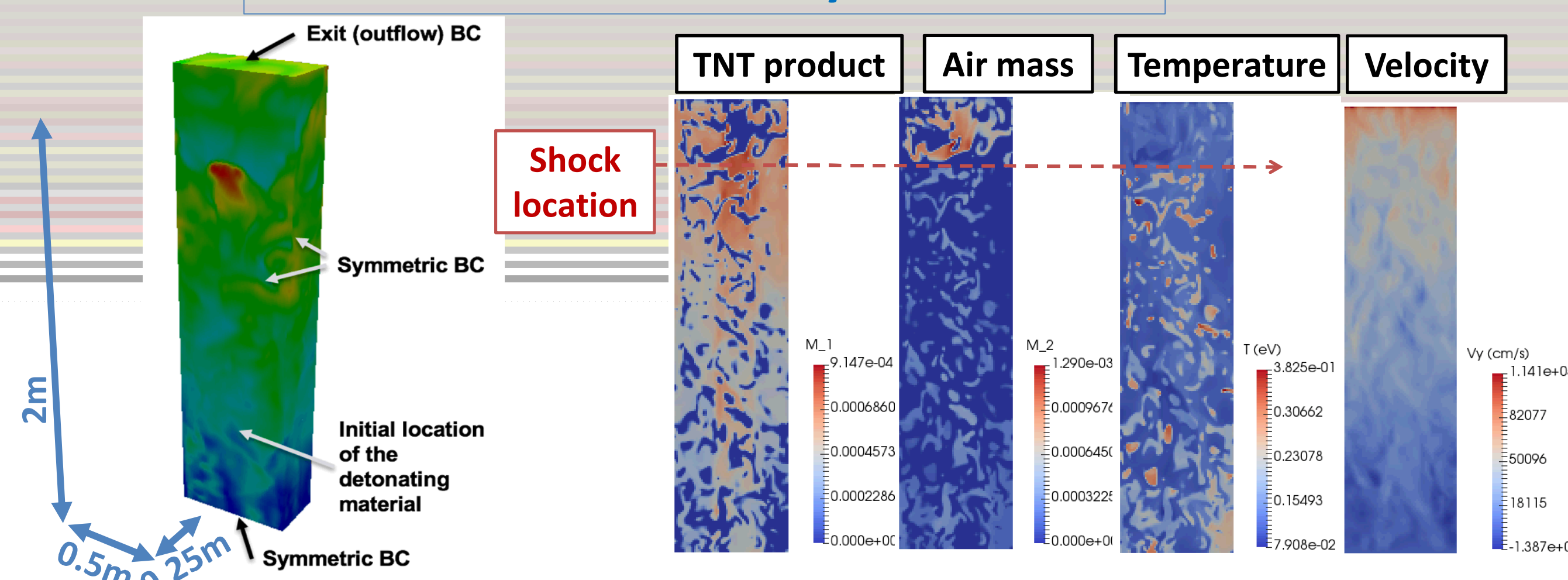
Under the SIERRA code suite, Fuego has a great potential to be coupled with other SNL codes

CTH + Tiger + SIERRA/Fuego

CTH: A shock physics, detonation solver

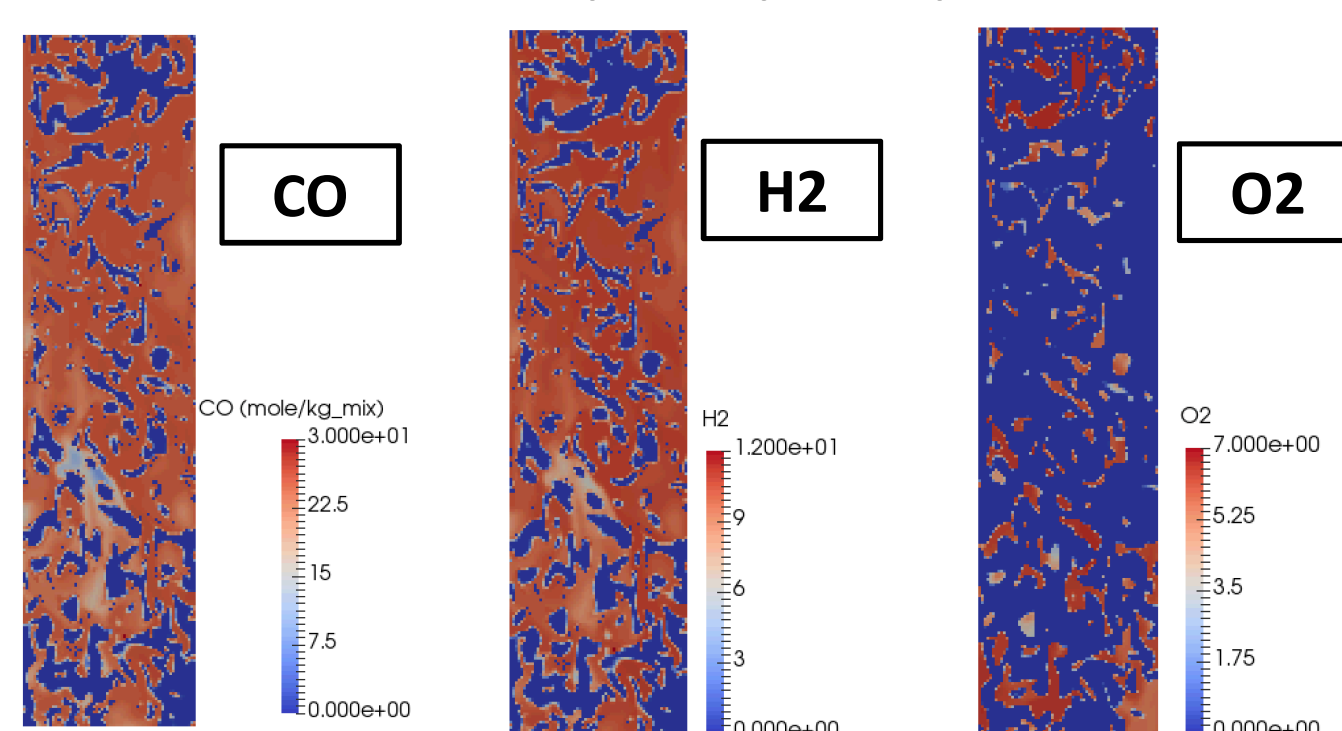
- Superior predictability on post-detonation transportation and wave propagation
- Lacks mixing, post-detonation combustion

Detonation simulation by CTH for 2ms

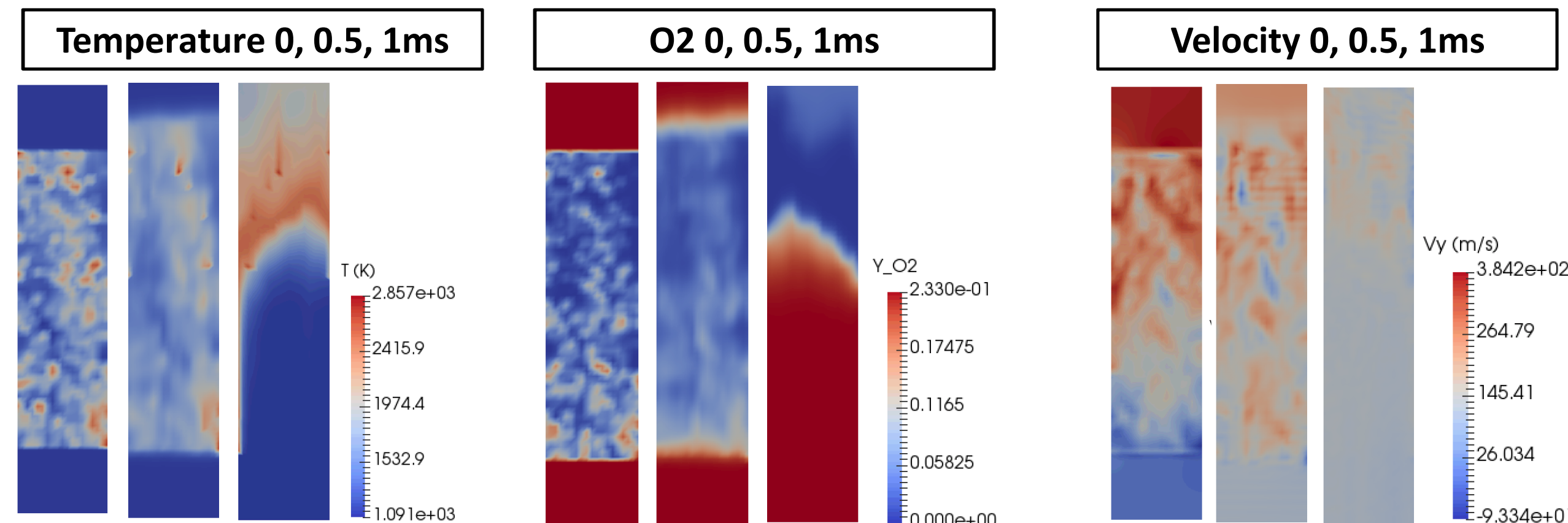


Tiger: Computes equilibrium gas composition

- Highly explosive + air \rightarrow CO, H₂, O₂, ...



Fuego: fuel-air mixing, post-detonation combustion, radiation

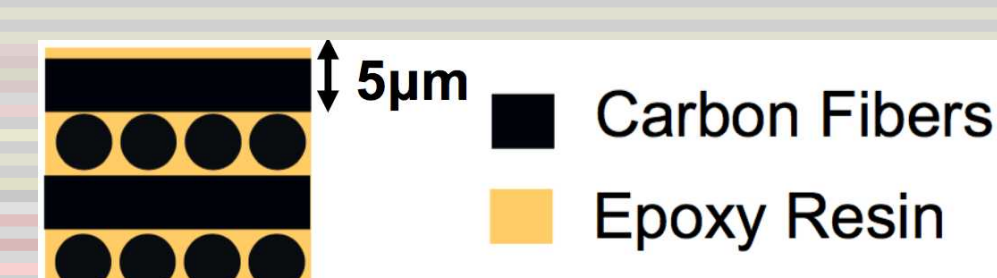


- **Successfully performed CTH \rightarrow Tiger \rightarrow Fuego coupling**

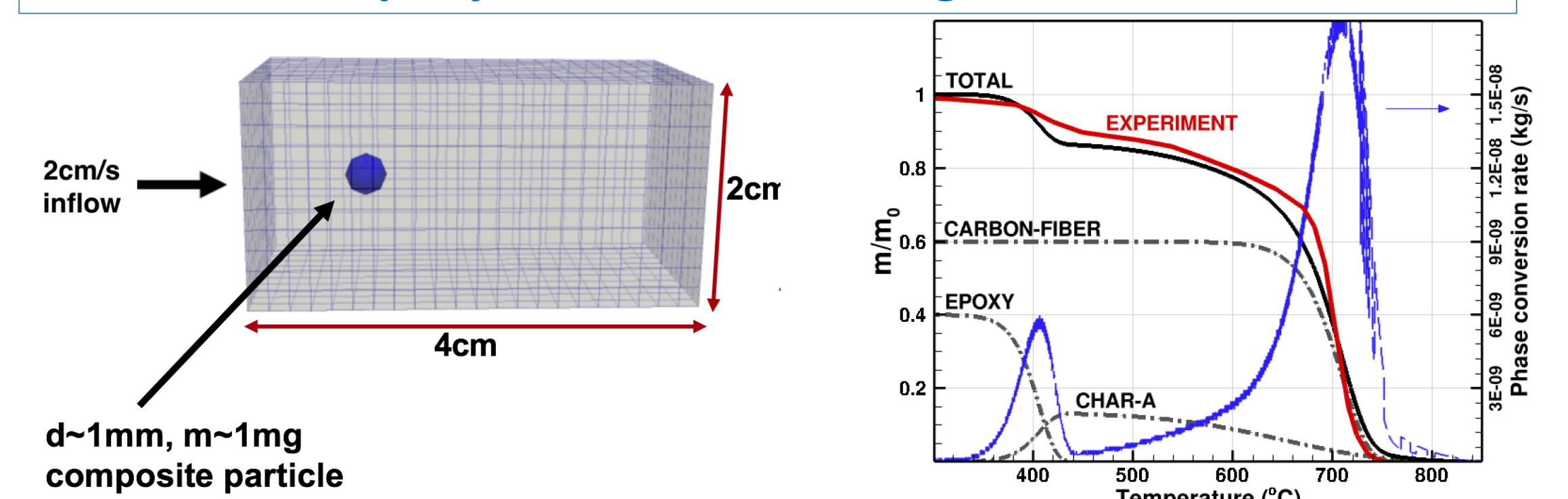
such that Tiger post-processed CTH result is used as Fuego IC

- Tools were made for exodus-Tiger, element to nodal variable conversion, along with a Fuego code development work

SIERRA/Aria + Fuego



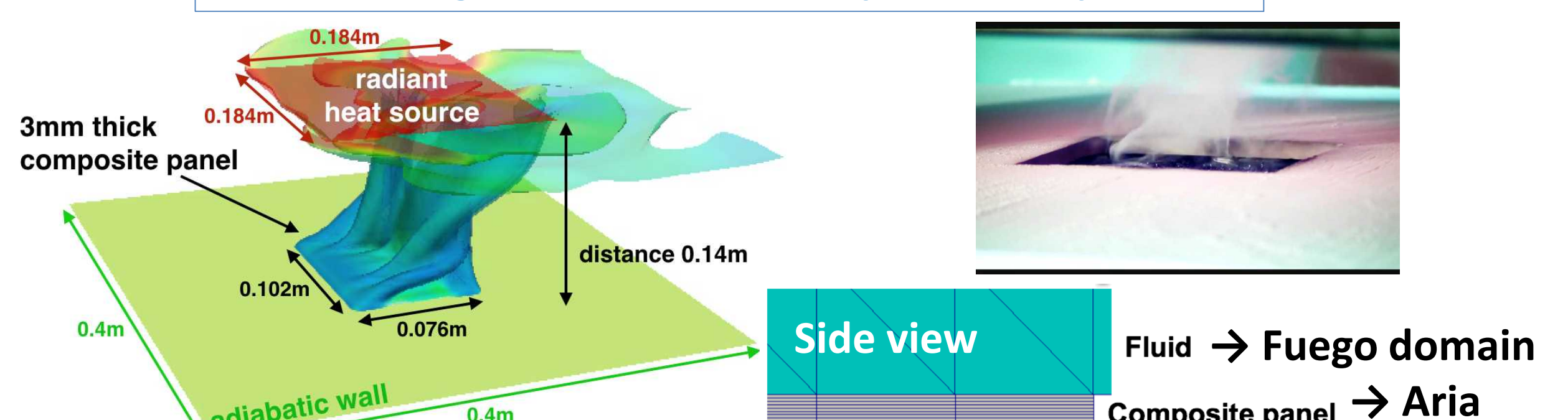
Carbon-fiber epoxy structure and the gasification mechanism



TGA simulation using Fuego follows experiment mass conversion

Radiant heat panel experiment: Aria-Fuego coupled approach predicts temperature correctly

Panel configuration and an experiment picture



Panel temperature, mass conversion profiles

