

Experiments and Simulations

Lecture 11

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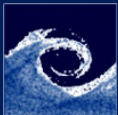


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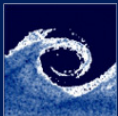
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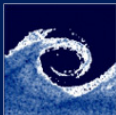
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- Inlet BC-s
 - Given analytical profiles
 - Arbitrary input parameters
 - Should be implemented as a new function
 - See e.g.:
 - laminarPipe BC (Lecture 9)
 - Turbulent BC-s for atmospheric flows (in `src/.../derivedFvPatchFields`)
- Wall BC-s
 - Wall functions for turbulent quantities (ν_t , k , ϵ , ω)
 - Arbitrary input parameters
 - Should be implemented as a new function
 - See WF-s for atmospheric flows (Balogh et al., 2012)
- Special
 - Non-reflective BC-s (wave transmissive, sponge)
 - Sponge could be implemented (via source terms)



Boundary Conditions from Experimental Data

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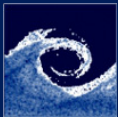
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- Experiments
 - Measured quantities: $U, V, W, u', v', w' \dots$
 - Derived quantities: TI
- Simulations
 - Inlet quantities: $U, V, W, k, \epsilon, \omega$
 - Should be derived based on the theory
- Derivation
 - Turbulent kinetic energy: $k = 1.5 \overline{U}^2 I^2$
 - Its dissipation rate: $\epsilon = C_\mu^{0.75} k^{1.5} / l$
 - Specific dissipation rate: $\omega = \epsilon / k$
 - Mixing length estimation: $l = 0.07L$, e.g. $l = 0.07 d_{eqv}$ for fully developed flows in pipes and channels



Mapping Boundary Conditions from Experimental Data

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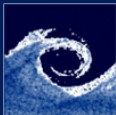
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- Mapping functionality
 - Using `timeVaryingMappedFixedValue` BC
 - Coordinates: `constant/boundaryData/points`
 - Quantities: `constant/boundaryData/0/...`
- Mapping values at the inlet-wall join (e.g. for channels)
 - U : `fixedValue (0 0 0)`
 - k : `kqRwallFunction (zeroGradient)`
 - ϵ : `epsilonWallFunction (theory)`
- Set mapped fields
 - point cloud with the corresponding quantities
 - always 3 dimensional
- Example experimental data



Mapping fields - points

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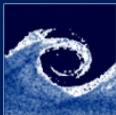
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Listing 1: constant/boundaryData/points

```
1 FoamFile
2 {
3     version      2.0;
4     format       ascii;
5     class        vectorField;
6     object       points;
7 }
8 //*****//
9 (
10     // minz coordinates
11     ( 0      1.016  -1)
12     ( 0      1.0033 -1)
13     ( 0      0.99695 -1)
14     ( 0      0.9906  -1)
15     ...
16
17     // maxz coordinates
18     ( 0      1.016   1)
19     ( 0      1.0033  1)
20     ( 0      0.99695  1)
21     ( 0      0.9906   1)
22     ...
23 )
```



Mapping fields - listed fields

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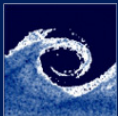
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Listing 2: constant/boundaryData/inlet/0/k

```
1 FoamFile
2 {
3     version      2.0;
4     format       ascii;
5     class        scalarField;
6     object       k;
7 }
8 //*****//
9 (
10 // Average
11 0
12
13 // Data on points
14 58
15 (
16
17     // data for minz coordinates
18     61.8027985067
19     63.5482090058
20     60.8383454386
21     51.3919900459
22     ...
23 )
```



Mapping fields - boundary definition

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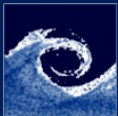
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Listing 3: timeVaryingMappedFixedValue

```
1 boundaryField
2 {
3     // For k, epsilon (scalar-fields)
4     inlet
5     {
6         type            timeVaryingMappedFixedValue;
7         setAverage      0;
8         offset          0;
9     }
10    ...
11    // For U (vector-fields)
12    inlet
13    {
14        type            timeVaryingMappedFixedValue;
15        setAverage      off;
16        offset          (0 0 0);
17    }
18    ...
19 }
```

Topics of re-take exam

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- The topics of the former mid-term exam (Lecture 1-7)
 - Introduction to OpenFOAM
 - Solving simple fluid flow problems
 - Software components
 - Stationary and transient flows
 - Turbulent and compressible flows
 - Multiphase and reactive flows
- Additional topics
 - Lecture 9 – laminar pipe flow
 - Lecture 10 – advanced post-processing
 - Lecture 11 – current topics