



Comparison of Probabilistic Assessments utilizing Geometric Inputs of Different Quality

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Probabilistic Assessment of Turbomachinery Design



- Intended operating point / design geometry → deterministic system response
- Introducing uncertainties → knowledge of design environment → probabilistic design
- geometric uncertainties (manufacturing scatter, deterioration)
- > operational uncertainties (pressure, temperature, rpm, etc.)



Blade Design vs. Data Sources available



→ Mapping and modelling of Blades challenging.



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Comparison of available Measurement Methods

Optical Measurements:

- **3D** data available
- Analyzation of conical surfaces from hub to tip

Tactile Measurements:

- 2D data on limited radial measurement planes only
- Introduce Mapping:
 - Project Parameter onto Copes
 - Interpolate between Construction Cones



$$\Delta \boldsymbol{P} = \boldsymbol{P}_{real} - \boldsymbol{P}_{Design\ Inten}$$





* Coordinate Measurement Machine



Comparison of Chord Length and Stagger Angle

Optical Measurement



→ Data taken from single Integrally Bladed Rotor (IBR). → Not representative of whole manufacturing scatter.

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Comparison of Chord Length and Stagger Angle





→ Mapping reproduces spread. → Loss in Information due to local effects.

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→ Measurement Uncertainty causes difference in spread for linear measures. → Stagger Angle rather insensitive.

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Measurement Uncertainty Comparison



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Uncertainty Quantification of Loss of Coefficient

CFD-Model:

- 1.5 Stages, Stator-Rotor-Stator
- Golden Masters created by modifying Design Intent with Median Values
- TRACE steady state RANS flow solver

UQ-Model:

- Geometric Model
 - Profile deviations, Positioning error
 - Correlations between parameters

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- > 9 Parameters total
- Monte-Carlo-Simulation:
 - Latin Hypercube Sampling
 - > 100 Samples





→ Variation in flow angle similar. → Difference in variation in Loss Coefficient caused by measurement uncertainty.



Conclusion

- Measurement Data of **single IBR analyzed**
 - Optical Measurements
 - Tactile Measurements on (inclined) planes
 - > Differences due to measurement uncertainty
 - Geometric deviations of milled IBR small
- Golden Master built from both Datasets
- Probabilistic Assessment of both Golden Masters using Latin-Hypercube-Sampling
- Variation in Loss Coefficient very small
- Differences caused by measurement uncertainty
- > Variation in flow angle similar in both cases



Tactile Measurements can be utilized for probabilistic assessment of aerodynamic performance

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