

Numerical Comparison of Different Meshing Approaches

Description: Bachelor's-/Master's-/Semester's thesis

An adapted mesh for a CFD simulation is essential for generating high-quality data. The structured and unstructured approaches are two ways of discretising a flow domain. They both have advantages and disadvantages, such as flexibility vs. speed. To quantify the impact on the simulation quality, the rotor of a 3.5-stage compressor will be meshed with these two different approaches, and the compressor metrics will be compared to find meshing guidelines for future projects.

Work packages:

- Meshing of the 3.5-stage compressor with a comparable structured and unstructured approach
- Simulation of the compressor maps for both attempts
- Post-processing and evaluation of CFD data

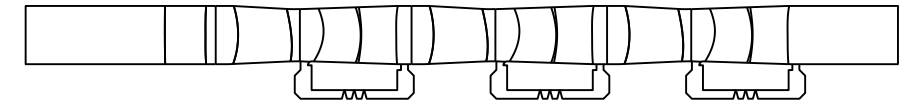
Requirements/knowledge:

- Linux, Matlab, Python
- Compressor aerodynamics
- Basics in CFD

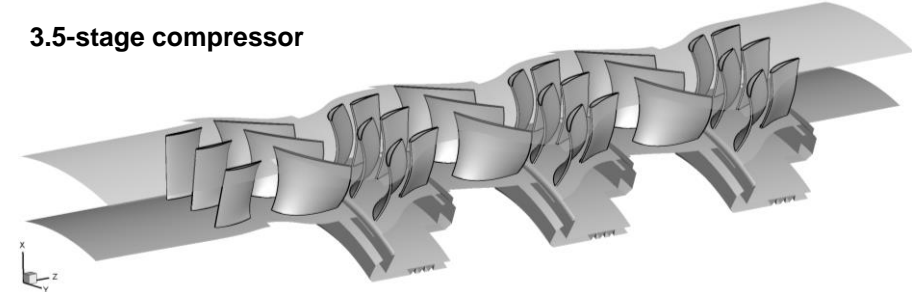
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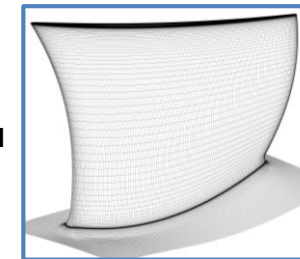
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3.5-stage compressor



rotor-structured



rotor - unstructured

