Component-based ROMs (ROM Networks)

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High-fidelity simulations of rocket combustion are expensive Goal

<u>Given no Full-Order Model (FOM) of the full-scale engine</u>, develop ROM framework to model a class of rocket engines to engage CFD in design



Purdue HAMSTER experiment (Harvazinski et al., 2020 AIAA SciTech)

~2M CPU hours affordable!

9 elements (1-2 months on 1000s of cores)



Purdue 9-element transverse chamber (Harvazinski et al., 2019 AIAA SciTech)

10M CPU hours

100s of elements (> 10-20 months on > 10,000s of cores)





RD-170 element distribution (Haeseler and Haidn, 2017)

100M CPU hours (still under-resolved!)

Component-based ROM Framework

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- Develop sufficiently rich FOM dataset to construct injector ROM with
 - One (or small number of) injector
 - Boundary perturbations to excite essential dynamics



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- Couple different components to enable the full system modeling
 - Flexible predictions (number of injectors, operating conditions, etc)



Domain Decomposition and Components Coupling ROM / FOM Coupling



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****** Information is exchanged between components in full states

- Consistent formulation as FOM/FOM interfacing for parallel implementation
 - Easy implementation in existing (multi-domain/paralell) solvers/codes
- Complex interface dynamics (e.g., flow separation or reverse flow) inherently accounted <u>if ROM 'sees' such physics</u>
- Compatible with different types of ROMs (both non-intrusive and intrusive)
- Making ROM training and coupling relatively independent of each other
- Easily extendable to structured/unstructured mesh coupling

Outline

• Test Case I: 2D Single-Injector Rocket Combustors with Variable Geometries

• **Test Case II**: 2D Single Injector with Variable Mass Flow Rates

• Test Case III: 2D Multi-Injector Rocket Combustors with Variable Geometries

Test Case I: 2D Single-Injector Rocket Combustors with Variable Geometries



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 - To account for reverse flow dynamics at the interface
 - Only upstream portion used to construct the ROM (buffer region excluded)



Component-based ROM Framework

- **ROM training**: downstream perturbations to mimic full-domain acoustics $- N_f = 2 \text{ with } f_1 = 1100 \text{Hz} (1 \text{L for } L_{\text{chamber}} = 0.42 \text{ m}) \text{ and } A_1 = 0.05$ $f_2 = 1300 \text{Hz} (1 \text{L for } L_{\text{chamber}} = 0.35 \text{ m}) \text{ and } A_2 = 0.05$
- **ROM/FOM Coupling:** flux exchange at interface
 - FOM is used in the downstream to evaluate the framework performance



**** no hyper-reduction in ROM**

Comparisons of *Local* **Pressure Signals** – Unstable Configurations

- ROM (trained using ~ **1.6** ms) + FOM to <u>predict</u> **20** ms full-domain dynamics
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Comparisons of *Local* **Pressure Signals** – Stable Configuration

- ROM (trained using ~ **1.6** ms) + FOM to <u>predict</u> **20** ms full-domain dynamics
- ROM+FOM framework reasonably captures the oscillation amplitude but <u>fails to</u> <u>predict the dominant frequencies</u> of the shorter chamber length



Comparisons of Unsteady Pressure Fields – *L*_{chamber} = 0.42 m

- Distinguishable mismatches at ROM/FOM interface
 - The upstream ROM is not able to predict the correct pressure dynamics with the information (e.g., upstream running characteristics) from the downstream FOM



Comparisons of RMS Fields – $L_{chamber}$ = 0.42 m Pressure Pressure, kPa 30 37 44 51 58 65 72 79 86 93 100 FOM + FOM ** distinguishable mismatches at ROM/FOM Interface ROM + FOMTemperature Temperature, K 0 80 160 240 320 400 480 560 640 720 800 FOM + FOM** significantly under-predicted temperature RMS by ROM ROM + FOM

Domain Decomposition (ROM/FOM)







Domain Decomposition (Adaptive-basis ROM/FOM)



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**** no hyper-reduction in adaptive ROM**

Comparisons of *Local* **Pressure Signals**

- ROM (trained using ~ 0.01 ms) + FOM to <u>predict</u> 20 ms full-domain dynamics
- Adaptive ROM+FOM framework accurately predict the instability behaviors for different chamber lengths



Comparisons of RMS Fields

• Adaptive ROM+FOM framework accurately predict the RMS for different chamber lengths



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Test Case II: 2D Single Injector with Variable Mass Flow Rates

- Single-injector simulated with reference mass flow rates ($\phi_{ref} = 0.8$) from 0 30ms
- Mass flow rates of both *fuel* and *ox* are changed after 30ms leading to different limit cycles



Component-based ROM Framework

- **ROM Training**: *Reduced-domain* + buffer
 - → *Single* downstream boundary forcing
 - \rightarrow Adaptive ROM with 2% sampling points and $z_s = 5$
- **ROM/FOM Coupling:** flux exchange at interface
 - FOM is used in the downstream to evaluate the framework performance



100% $\dot{m}_{f,ref}$ +100% $\dot{m}_{ox,ref}$ ($\phi = 0.8$)

• As the calculations proceed, phase differences between FOM+FOM and ROM+FOM show up in the local pressure signals



50% $\dot{m}_{f,ref}$ +100% $\dot{m}_{ox,ref}$ ($\phi = 0.4$)

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150% $\dot{m}_{f,ref}$ +100% $\dot{m}_{ox,ref}$ (ϕ =1.2)

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DMD Spectra Comparisons – Equivalence Ratio Effects

• DMD analysis based on snapshots from 40 to 65ms



50%
$$\dot{m}_{f,ref}$$
 + 50% $\dot{m}_{ox,ref}$ ($\phi = 0.8$)

• Phase shifts in local pressure signals are minor here but still present



150%
$$\dot{m}_{f,ref}$$
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DMD Spectra Comparisons – Mean Flow Effects

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3-injector Training for ROM of Interior Injector (ROM-I)

• <u>Two</u> auxiliary injectors included to:

- Account for interactions between injectors
- Incorporate the complex interface dynamics
- Extended buffer regions included to:
 - Account for reverse flow at the interface
 - Mitigate the effects of numerical wave reflections from the boundaries
- Run FOM for 100 time steps



2-injector Training for ROM of Wall Injector (ROM-W)

• <u>One</u> auxiliary injectors included to:

- Account for interactions between injectors
- Incorporate the complex interface dynamics
- Extended buffer regions included to:
 - Account for reverse flow at the interface
 - Mitigate the effects of numerical wave reflections from the boundaries
- Run FOM for 100 time steps



Component-based ROM Framework



FOM vs CBROM Framework: 3-injector Configuration

Adaptive ROM (One ROM-I and Two ROM-W)



FOM vs ROM Framework: 5-injector Configuration

Adaptive ROM (Three ROM-I and Two ROM-W)



Frequency, Hz

FOM vs ROM Framework: 7-injector Configuration

Adaptive ROM (Five ROM-I and Two ROM-W)



Summary

- Component-based ROM framework demonstrated on modeling *selfexcited* combustion dynamics in rocket combustors
- ROM training with reduced number of injectors + buffer
 No need to perform FOM simulations on the full configuration
- Adaptivity enables predictive ROM in the framework
 - Accurate predictions of the dynamics for different combustor configurations and operating conditions

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