

# **LECTURE 17: STEREOSCOPIC PARTICLE IMAGE VELOCIMETRY - PART 01**

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# PIV IMAGE PROCESSING

- Time-of-flight method:** to measure the displacements of the tracer particles seeded in the flow in a fixed time interval.

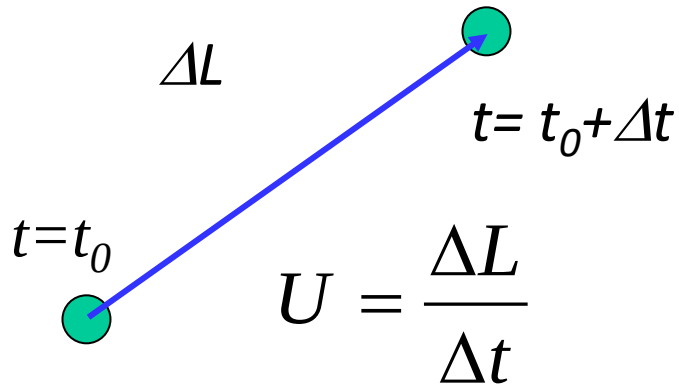
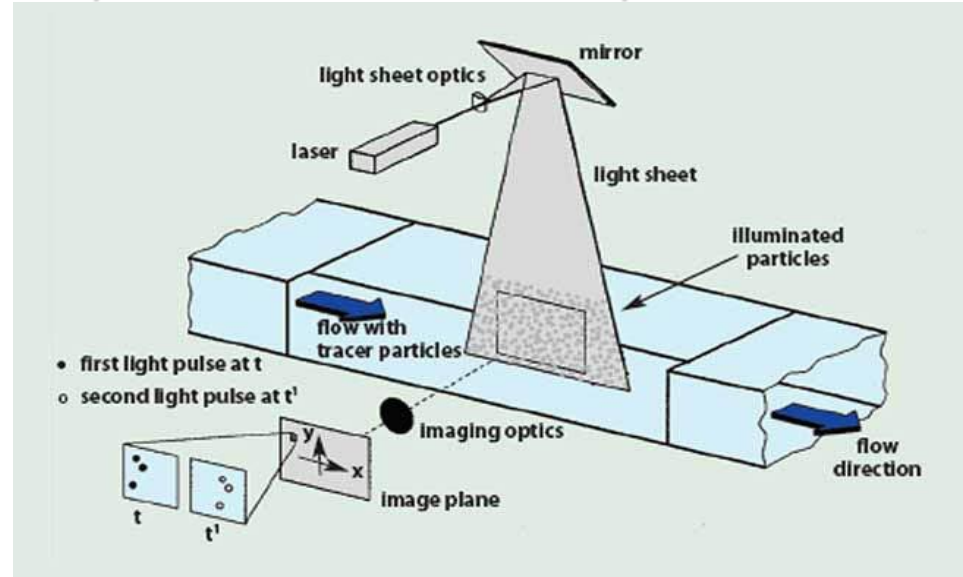


Diagram illustrating the time-of-flight method. A particle (green circle) moves from position  $t=t_0$  to position  $t=t_0+\Delta t$  over a distance  $\Delta L$ . The velocity  $U$  is calculated as:

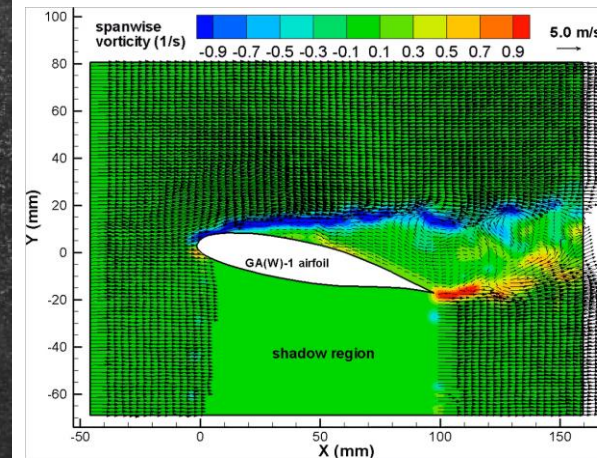
$$U = \frac{\Delta L}{\Delta t}$$



a.  $T=t_0$



b.  $T=t_0+10\mu s$

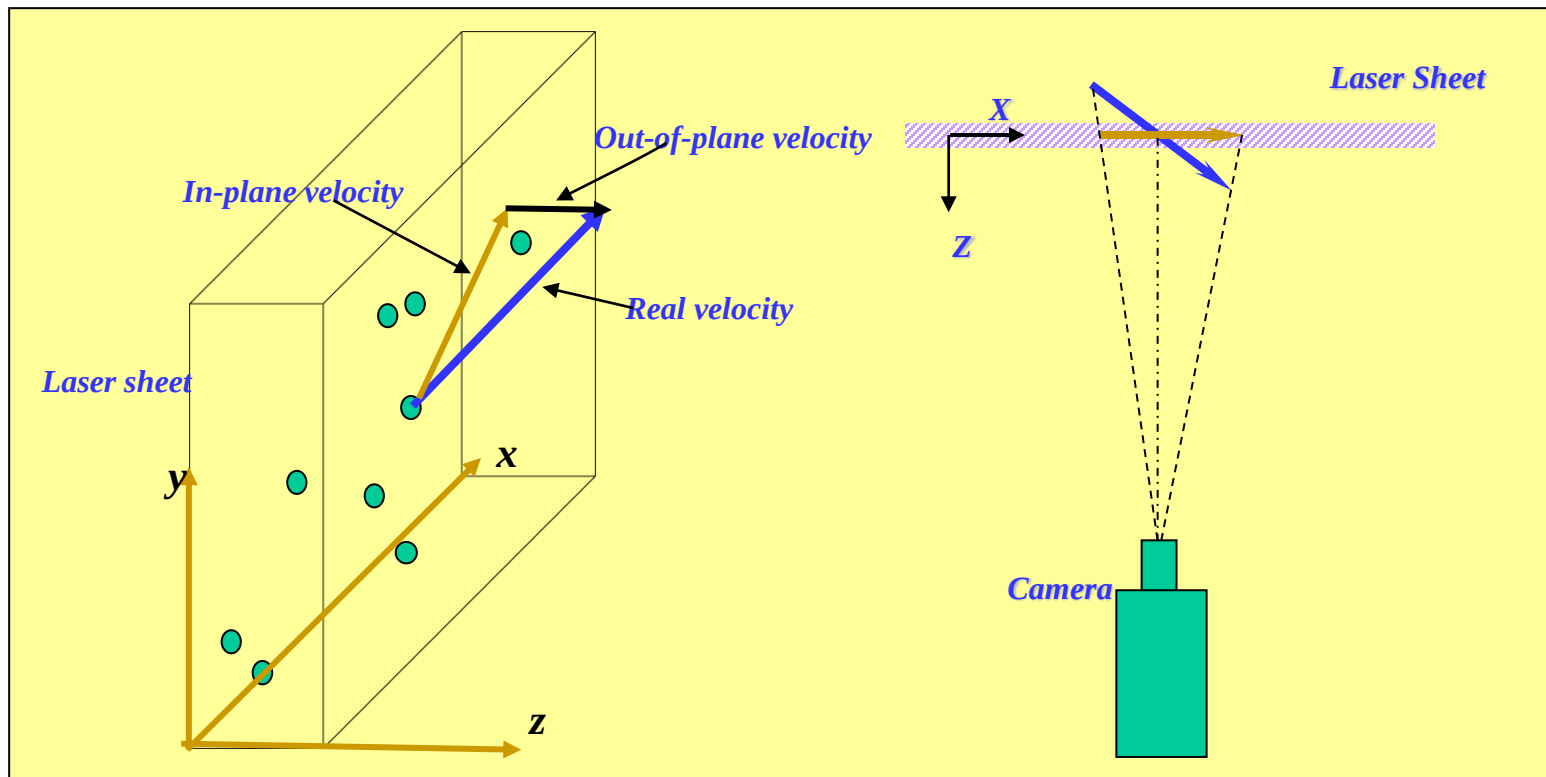


Corresponding Velocity field

# Effect of the out-of-plan velocity for 2-D PIV measurements

| case | $V_M$ | $V_X$ | $W_M$ | $N$   | $D_M$ | CR-U  | CR-V  | AVE-ERR |
|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|---------|
| A    | 7.5   | 15.0  | 0.017 | 4,000 | 5.0   | 0.991 | 0.980 | 7.12%   |
| F    | 7.5   | 15.0  | 0.17  | 4,000 | 5.0   | 0.698 | 0.748 | 13.75%  |
| G    | 7.5   | 15.0  | 0.34  | 4,000 | 5.0   | 0.363 | 0.394 | 41.30%  |
| H    | 7.5   | 15.0  | 1.70  | 4,000 | 5.0   | -0.06 | -0.05 | 132.1%  |

$V_M$ : average velocity (pixel/interval)  
 $V_X$ : maximum Velocity (pixel/interval)  
 $W_M$ : out of plane velocity (laser width/interval)  
 $N$ : tracer number  
 $D_M$ : tracer average diameter (pixel)  
Aver-Err: average error of PIV results without sub-pixel interpolation.



# STEREOSCOPIC IMAGING TECHNIQUE

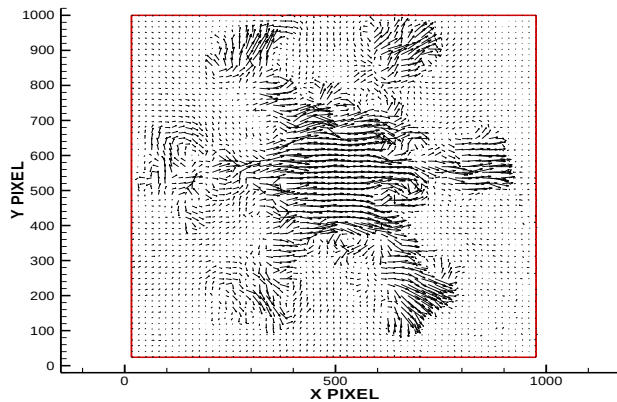
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What is stereoscopy?

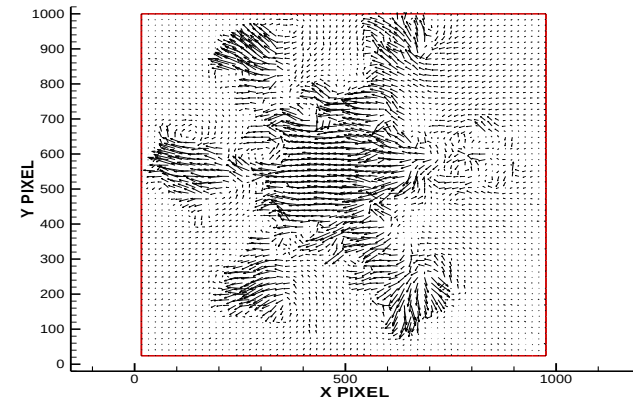




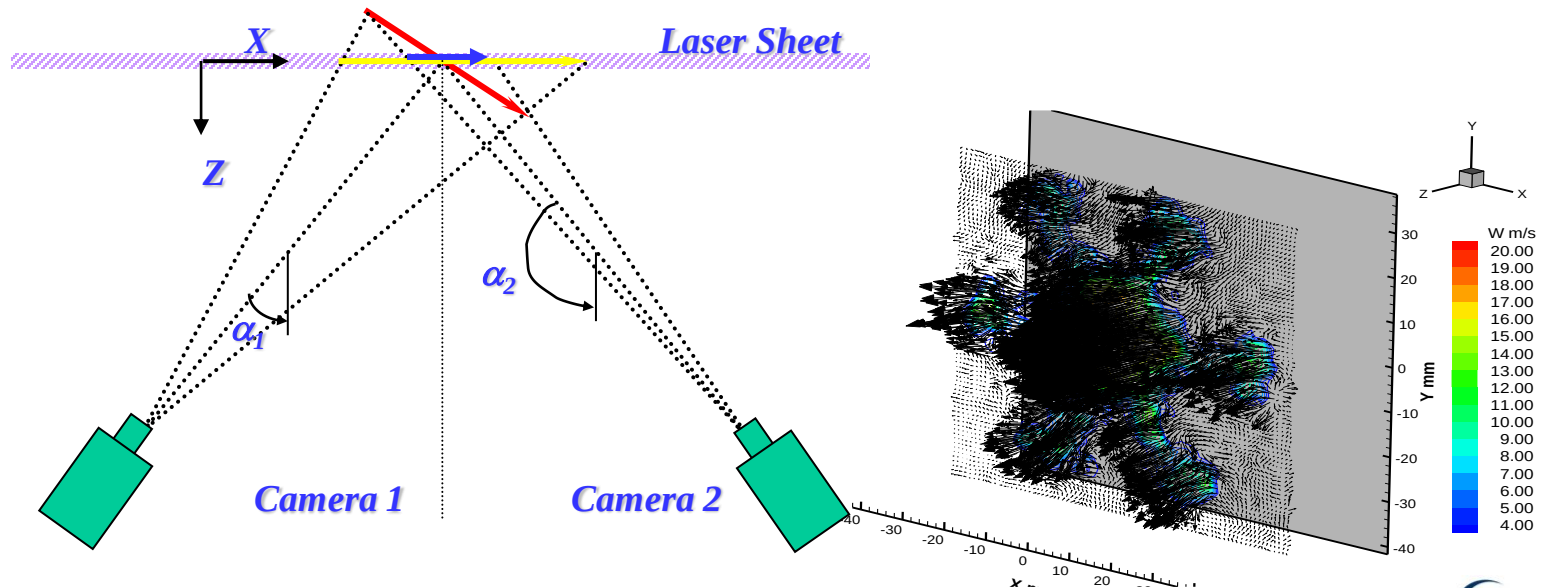
# Stereoscopic PIV technique



*Displacement vectors in left camera*

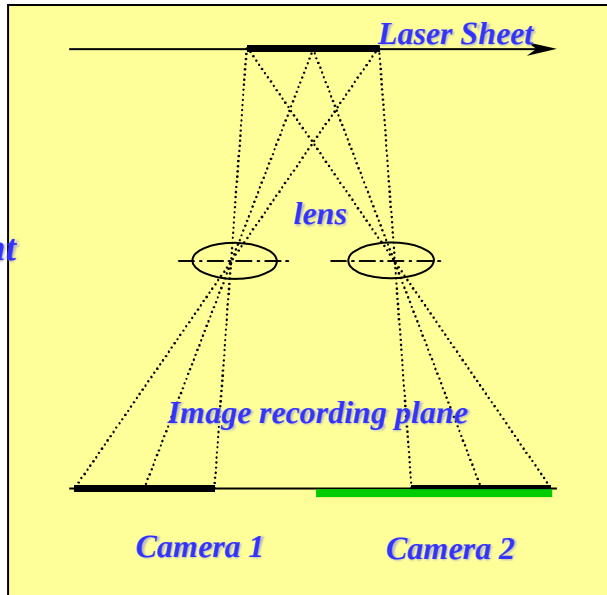


*Displacement vectors in right camera*

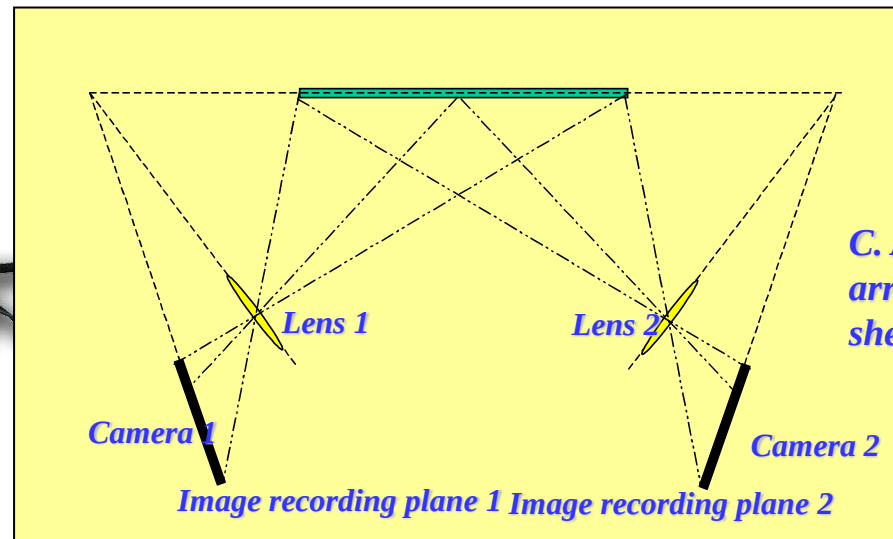
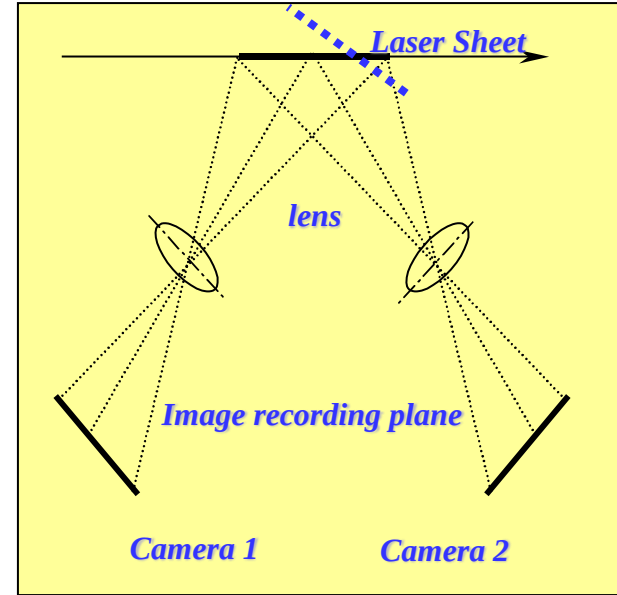


# Stereoscopic PIV technique

a. lens translation arrangement

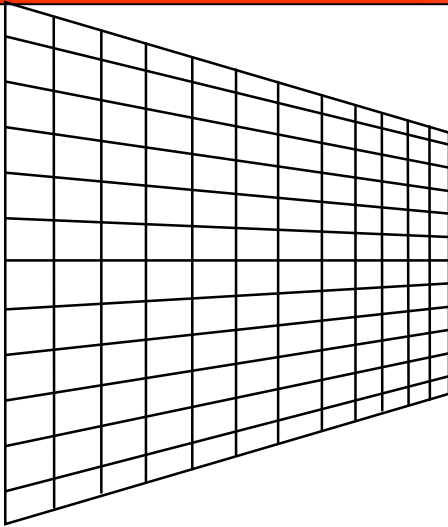


b. angle displacement arrangement

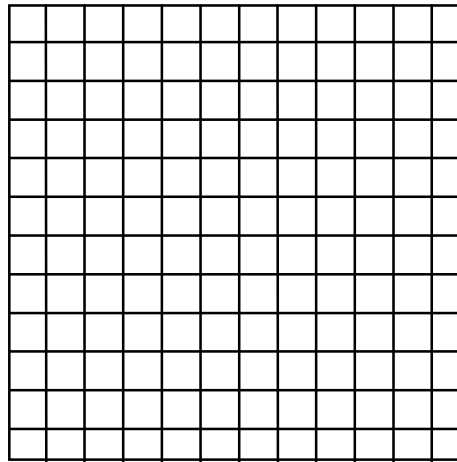


C. Angle displacement arrangement with sheimpflug condition

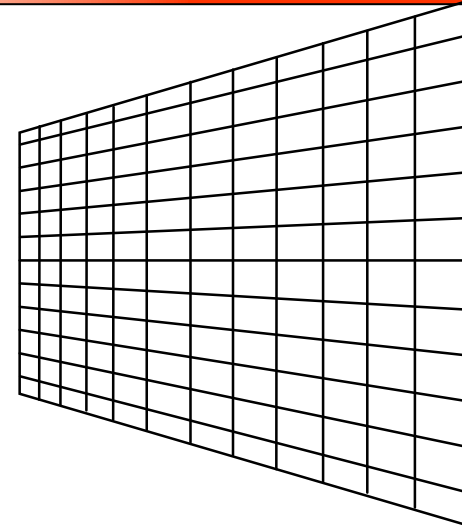
# Stereoscopic PIV technique



*a. image of left camera*

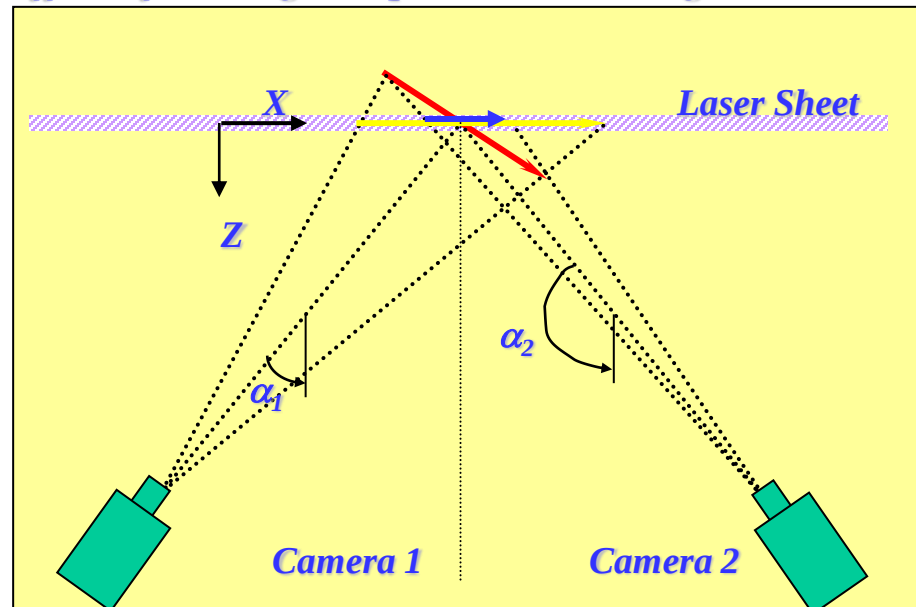


*b. rectangular grid in the object plane*



*c. image of left camera*

*The perspective effect of the angle displacement arrangement*



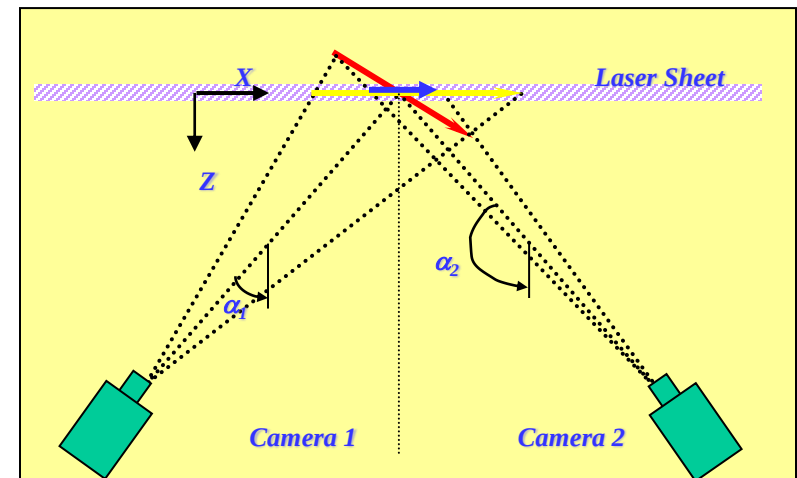
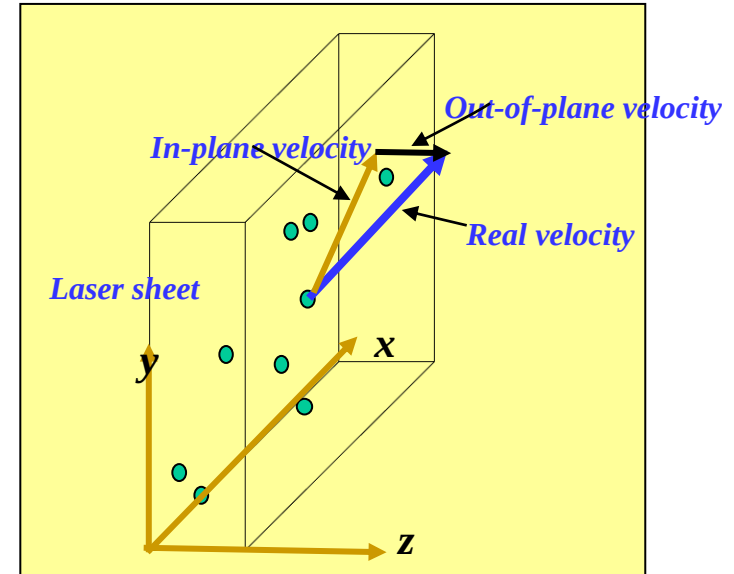
# Mapping Function for Stereo PIV

$$X^{(c)} = F^{(c)}(x_i)$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \overline{\Delta X_1^{(1)}} \\ \overline{\Delta X_2^{(1)}} \\ \overline{\Delta X_1^{(2)}} \\ \overline{\Delta X_2^{(2)}} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} F_{1,1}^{(1)} & F_{1,2}^{(1)} & F_{1,3}^{(1)} \\ F_{2,1}^{(1)} & F_{2,2}^{(1)} & F_{2,3}^{(1)} \\ F_{1,1}^{(2)} & F_{1,2}^{(2)} & F_{1,3}^{(2)} \\ F_{2,1}^{(2)} & F_{2,2}^{(2)} & F_{2,3}^{(2)} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \overline{\Delta x_1} \\ \overline{\Delta x_2} \\ \overline{\Delta x_3} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$F_{i,j}^{(c)} = \frac{\partial F_i^{(c)}}{\partial x_j} \quad c=1,2 \quad , \quad i=1,2 \quad j=1,2,3$$

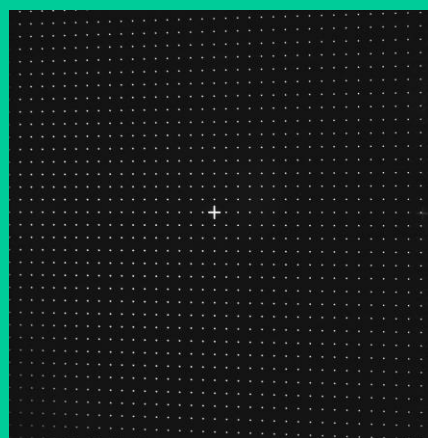
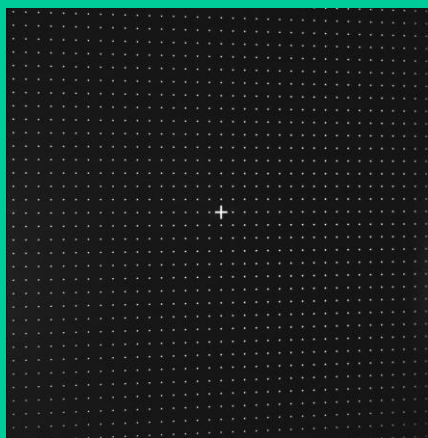
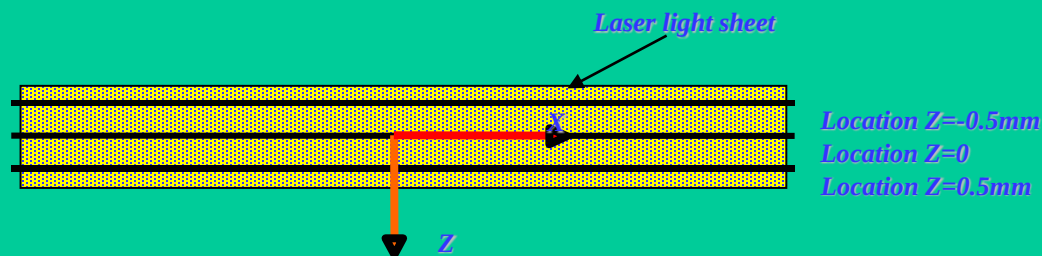
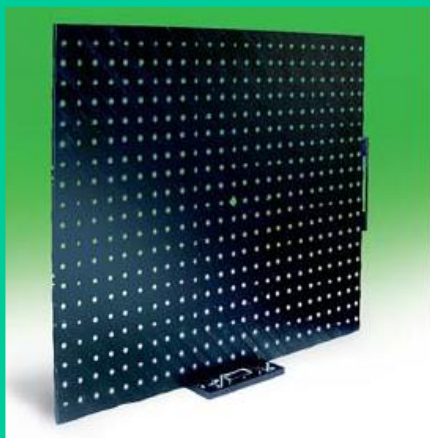
$$\overline{\Delta X_i^{(c)}} \cong (\nabla F) \overline{\Delta x}$$



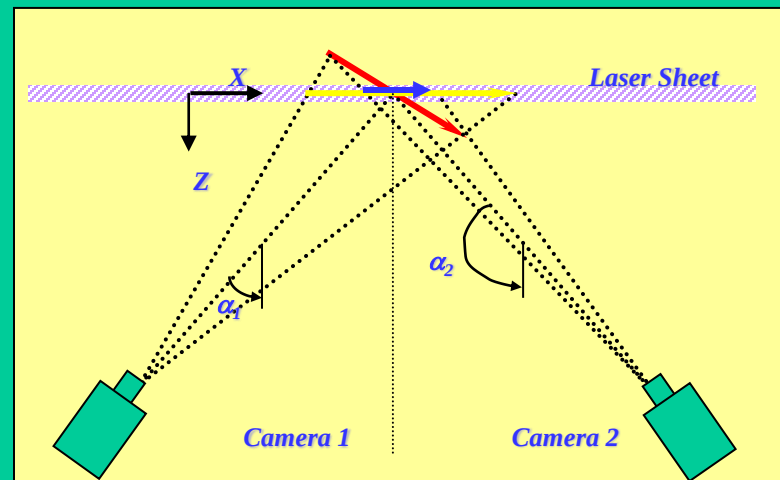
# Mapping Function for Stereo PIV

$$X^{(c)} = F^{(c)}(x_i)$$

$$F(x, y, z) = a_0 + a_1x + a_2y + a_3z + a_4x^2 + a_5xy + a_6y^2 + a_7xz + a_8yz + a_9z^2 + a_{10}x^3 + a_{11}x^2y + a_{12}xy^2 + a_{13}y^3 + a_{14}x^2z + a_{15}xyz + a_{16}y^2z + a_{17}xz^2 + a_{18}yz^2 + a_{19}x^4 + a_{20}x^3y + a_{21}x^2z^2 + a_{22}x^1y^3 + a_{23}y^4 + a_{24}x^3z + a_{25}x^2yz + a_{26}xy^2z + a_{27}y^3z + a_{28}x^2z^2 + a_{29}xyz^2 + a_{30}y^2z^2$$

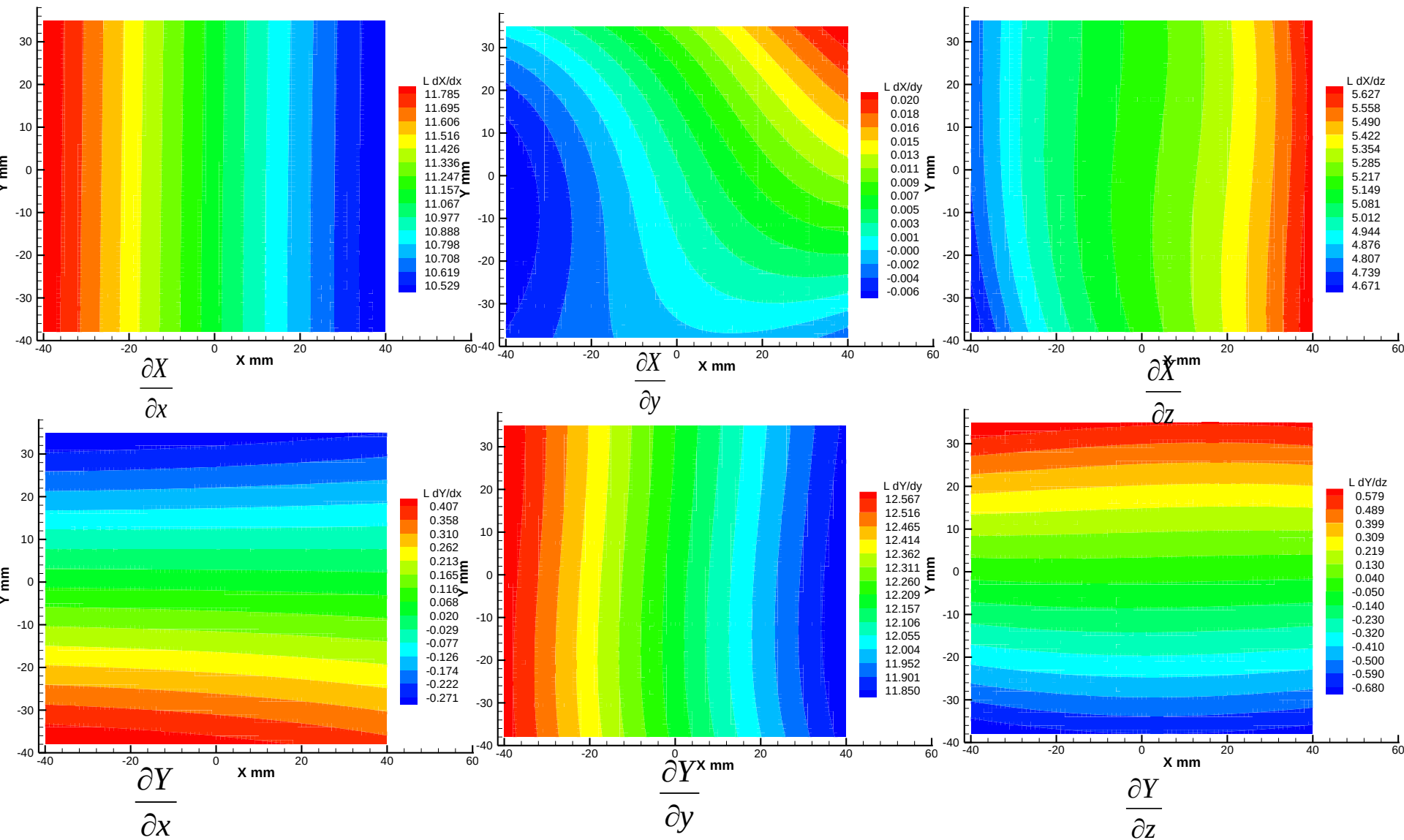


a. image from the left camera   b. image from the right camera



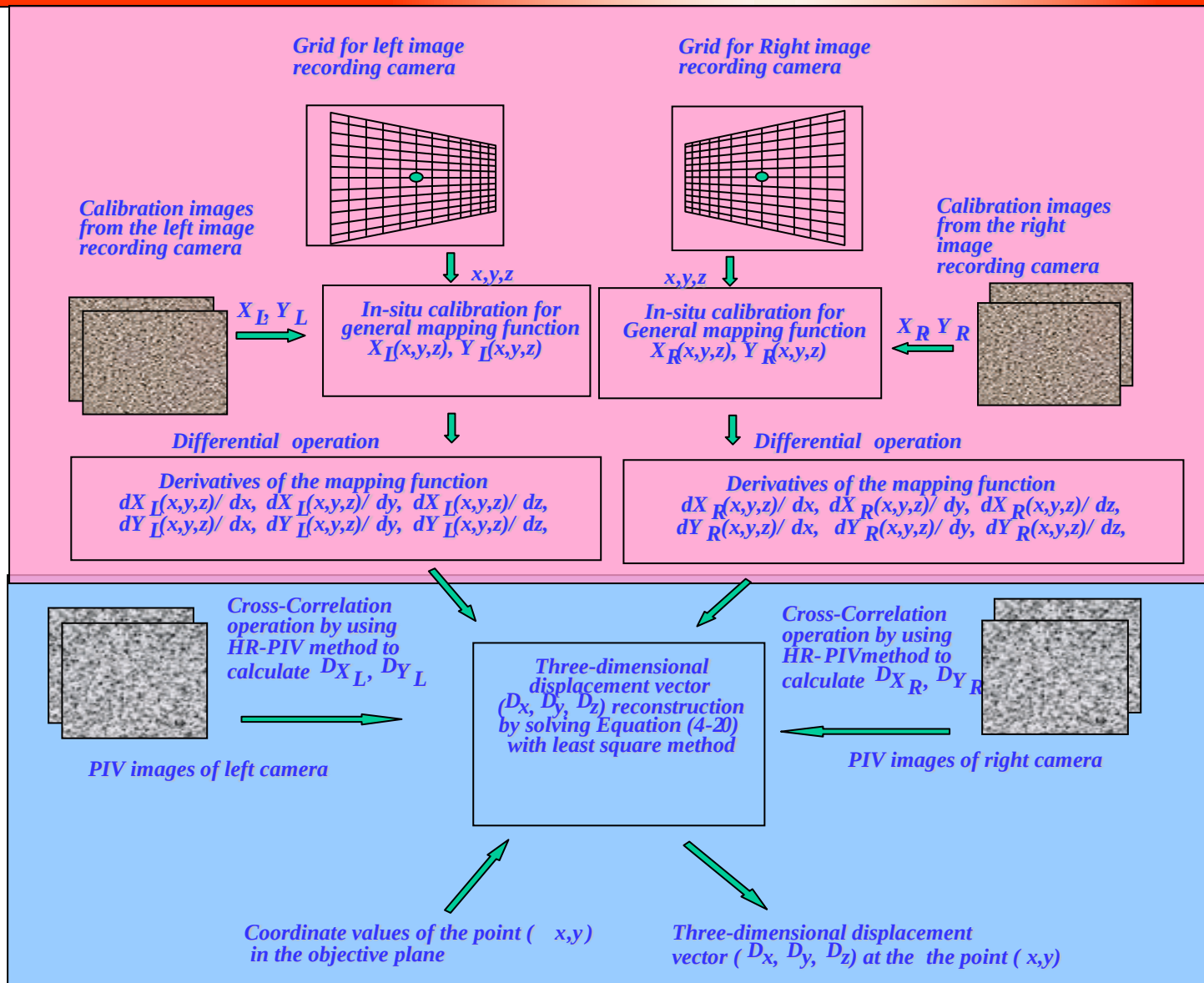


# Mapping function



*The derivatives of the mapping function for the left camera*

# Flow Chart for Stereo PIV measurements



*In-situ calibration to determine the mapping function*

*To reconstruct the 3-component of the velocity vector using the mapping function*

# Concept of Lobed Mixer/Nozzle

## Aero-engine:

*enhance mixing between hot high-speed flow exhaust from core-engine with cold low-speed bypass flow*

- **civilian airplanes:**

*reduce jet noise during take-off and landing  
thrust augmentation*

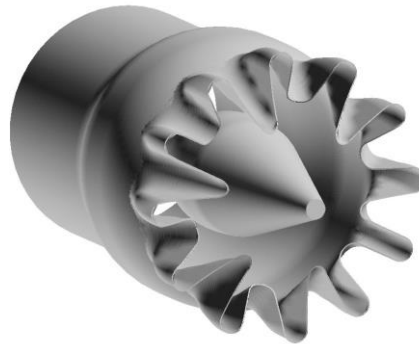
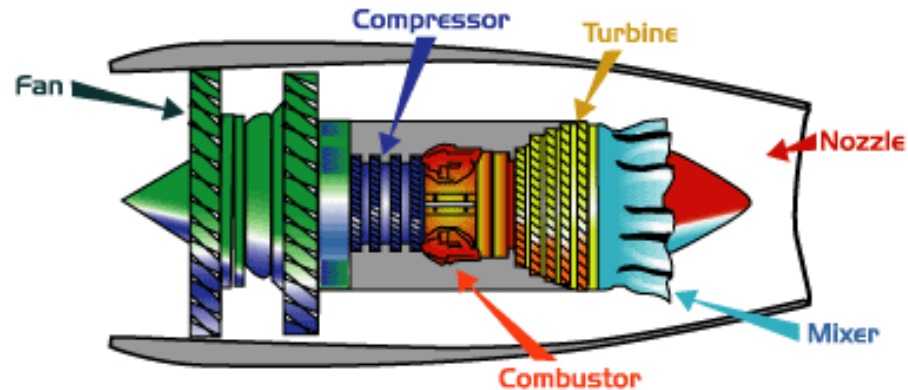
- **Military airplanes:**

*reduce the length of the hot plume, therefore, reduce the infrared emission signals to improve its survivability from the attack of infrared guided missiles.*

## Combustion:

*enhance mixing between the fuel with air in the combustion chamber*

- improve combustion efficiency
- suppression pollutant formation

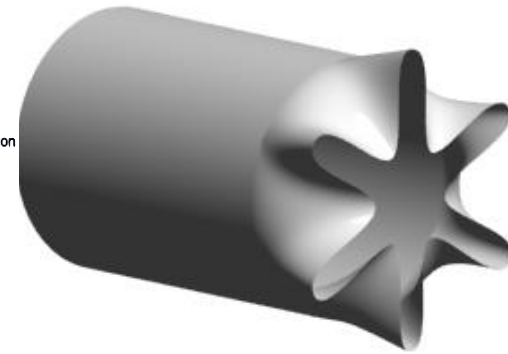
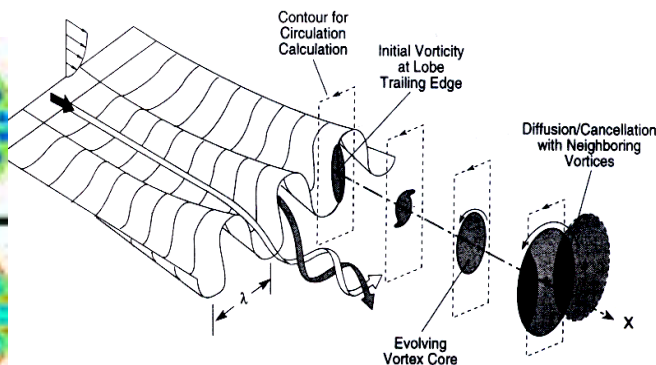
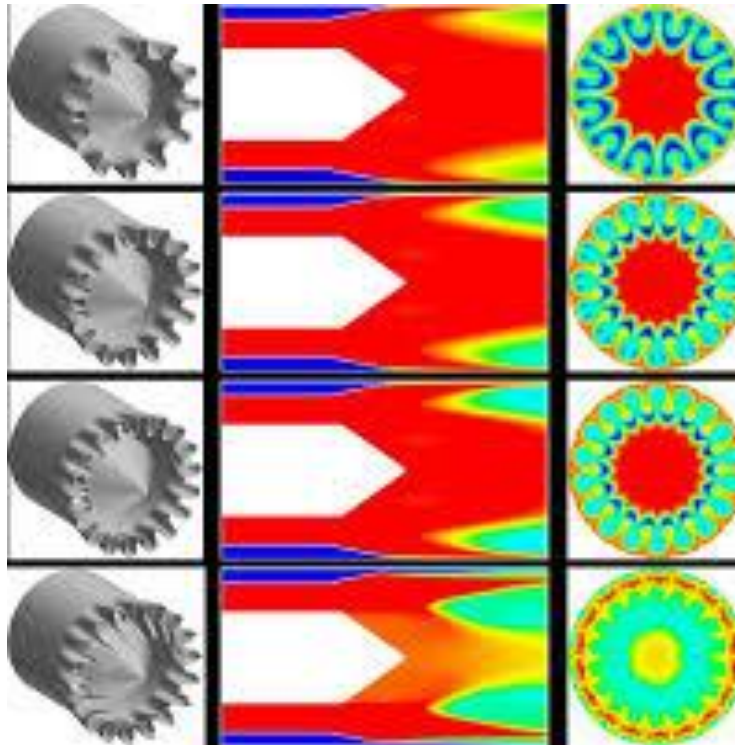




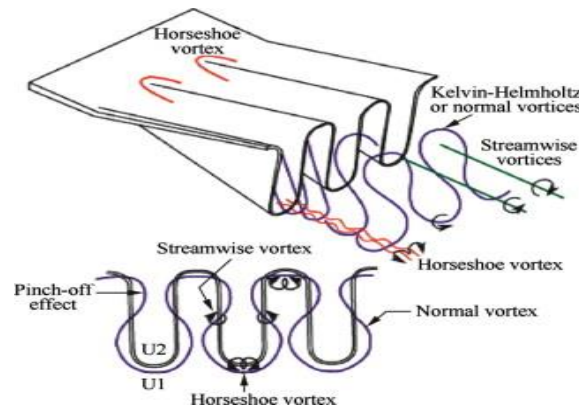
# Vortex Structures Downstream a Lobed Mixer/Nozzle

*Two kinds of vortex structures are considered to play important roles for the mixing enhancement in a lobed mixing flow:*

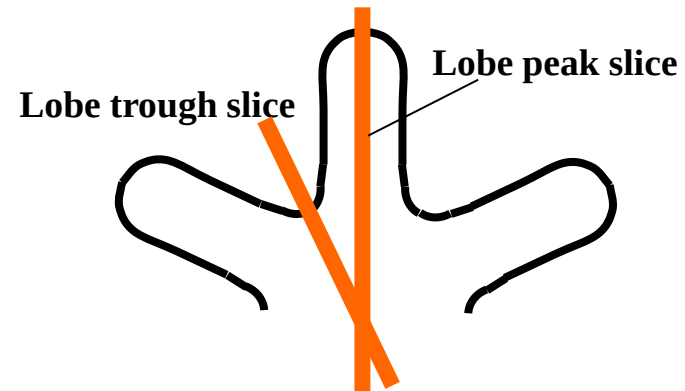
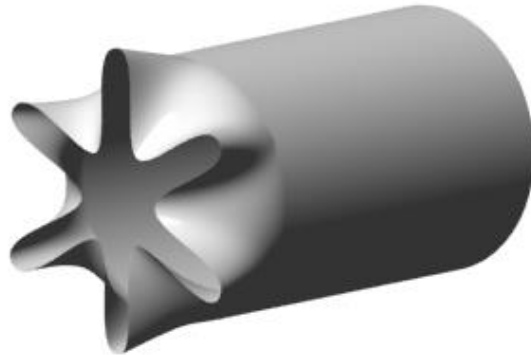
- ***Azimuthal (spanwise) vortex structures** due to the Kelvin-Helmholtz instability at the interface between two streams.*
- ***Large-scale streamwise vortices** generated by the special geometry of the lobed trailing edge*



*The lobed nozzle used in the present study*

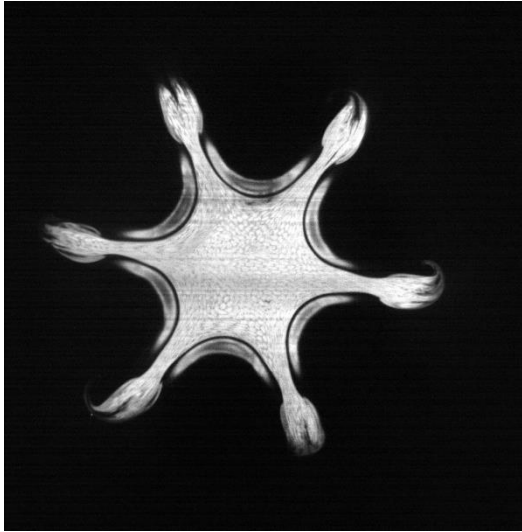


# Laser Induced Fluorescence (LIF) Flow Visualization (Axial Slices, $Re=6,000$ )

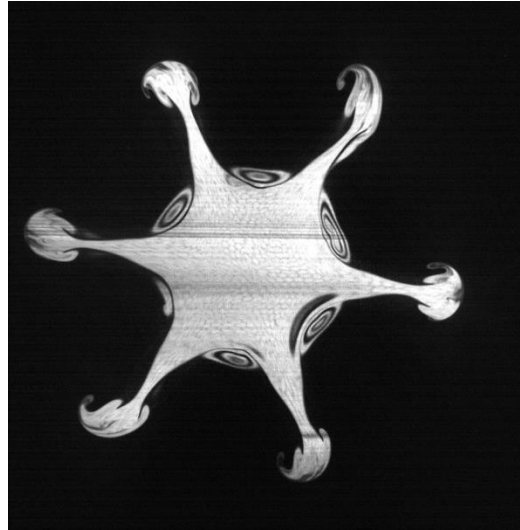


# Laser Induced Fluorescence (LIF) Flow Visualization (Cross Sections, $Re=3,000$ )

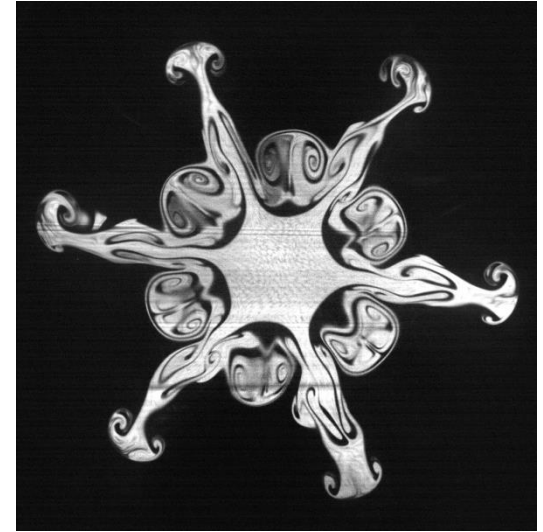
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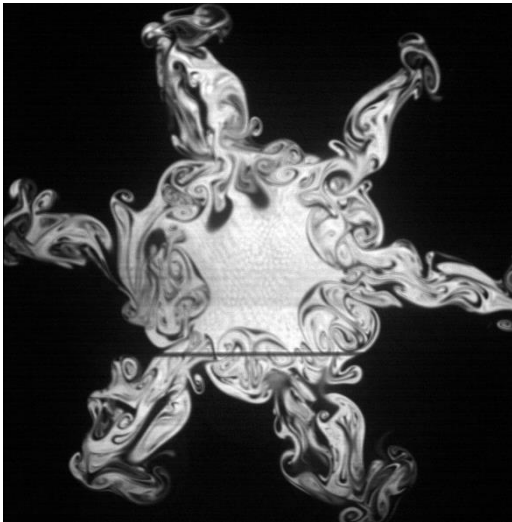
$X/D=0.25$



$X/D=0.5$



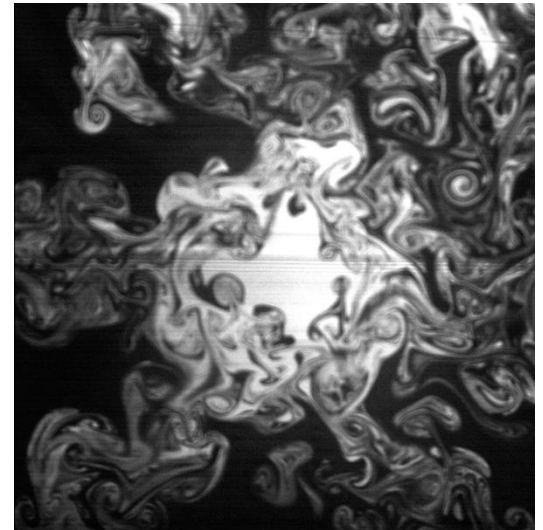
$X/D=0.75$



$X/D=1.0$



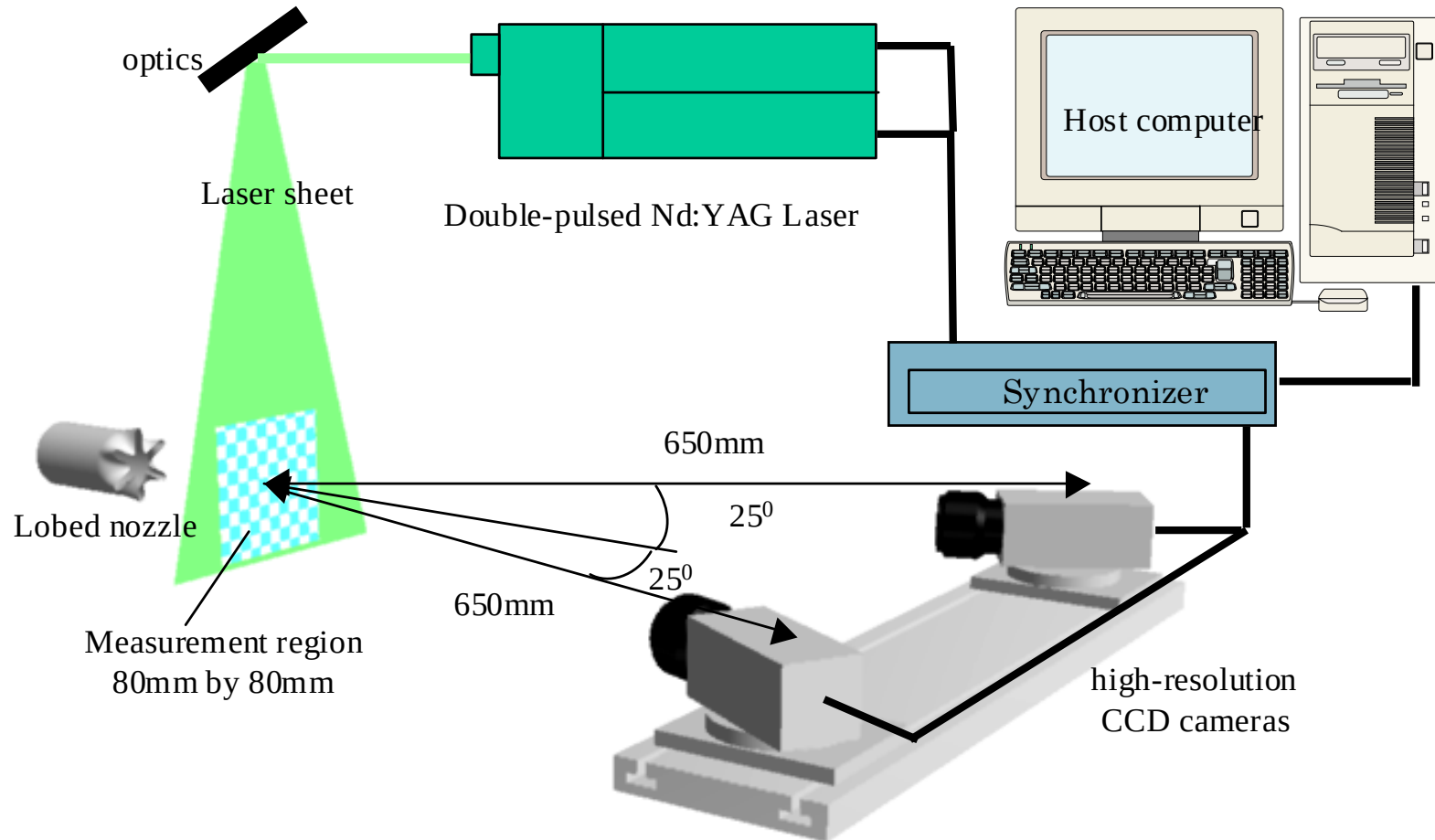
$X/D=1.5$



$X/D=2.0$

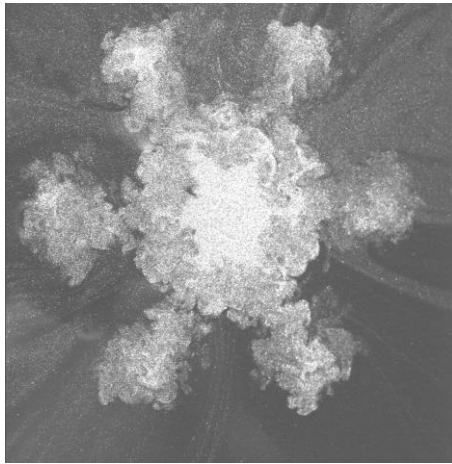


# Stereoscopic PIV system

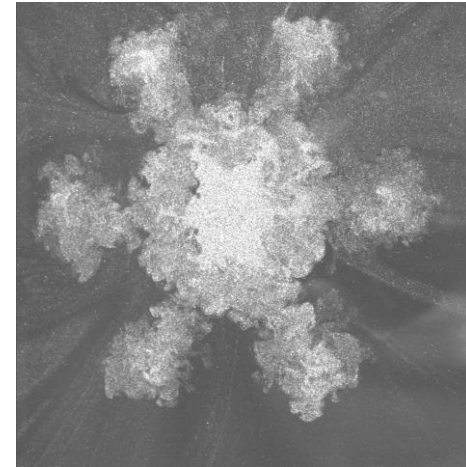


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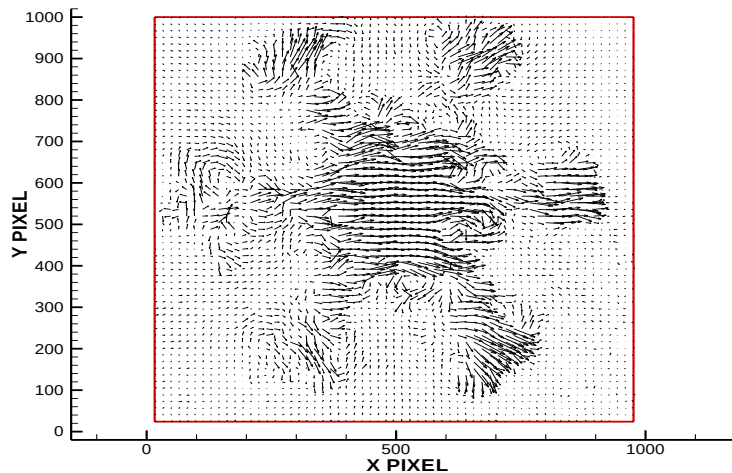
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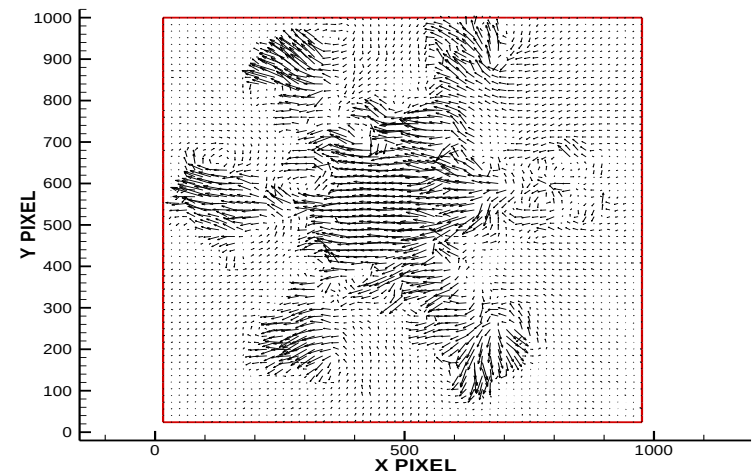
*a. PIV image from the left camera*



*b. PIV image from the right camera*



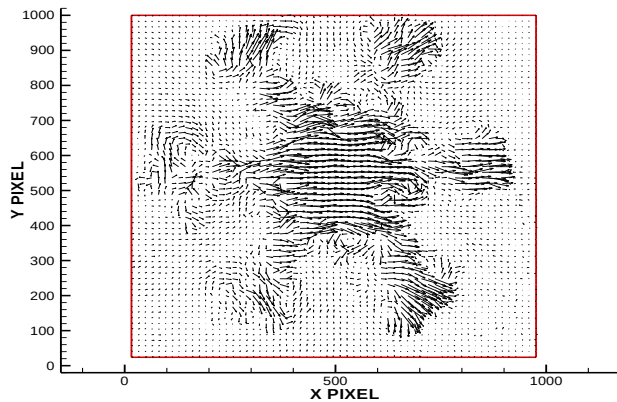
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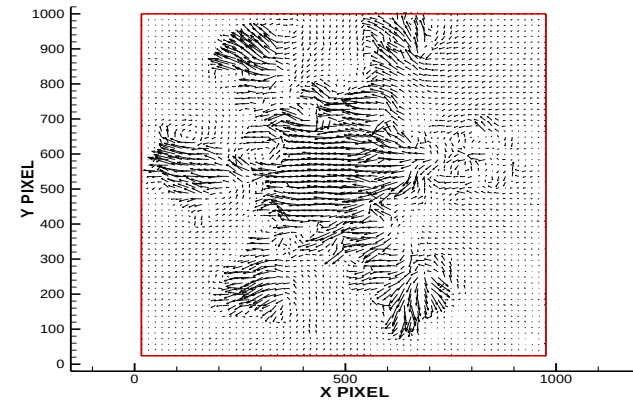
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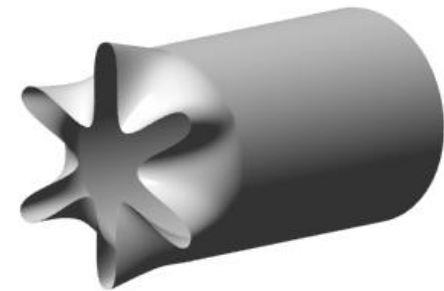
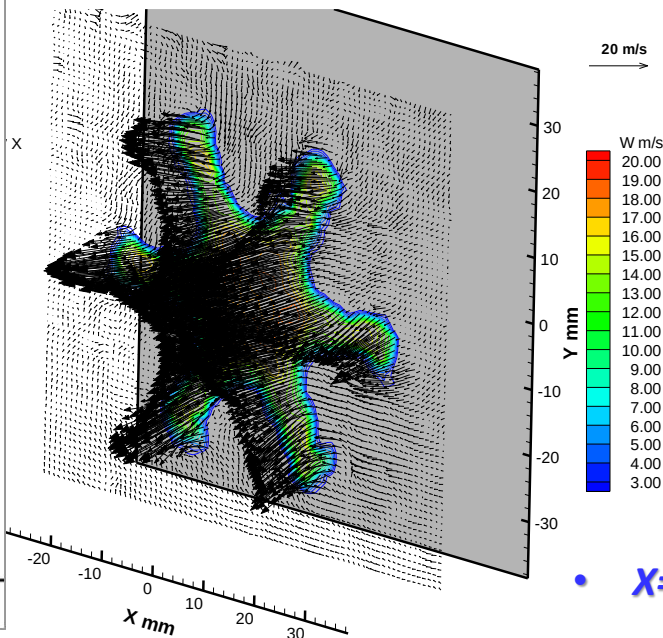
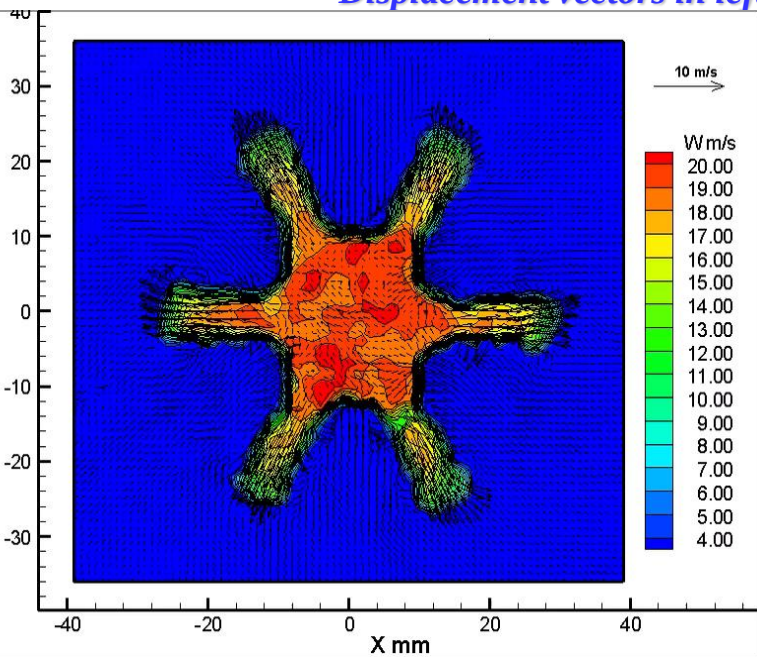
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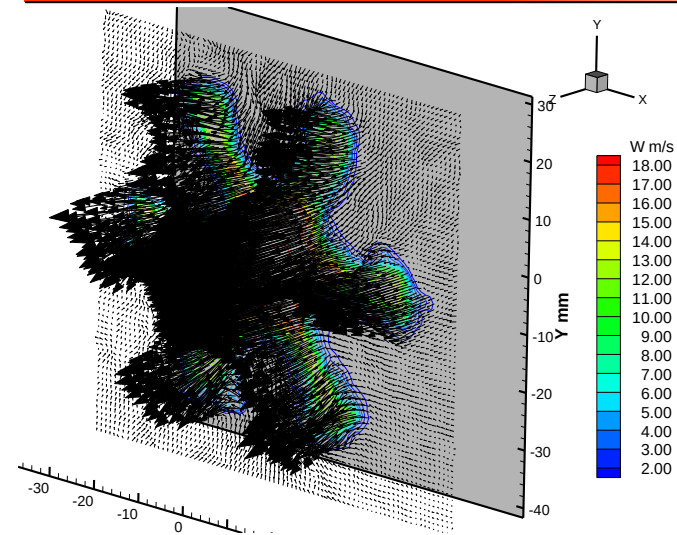


• *X= 10 mm downstream*

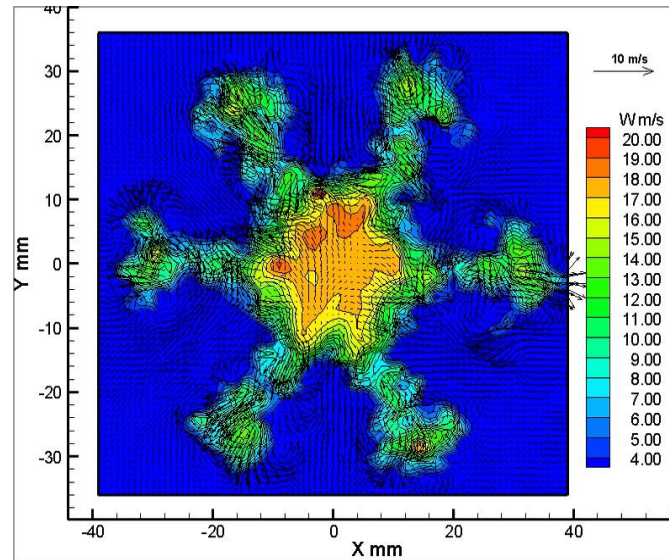
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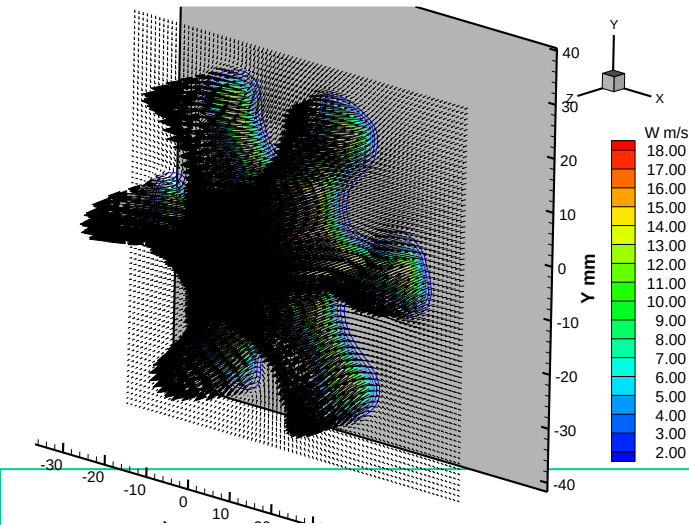
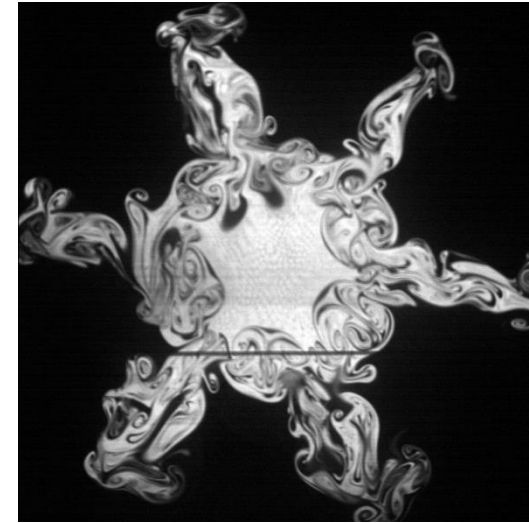
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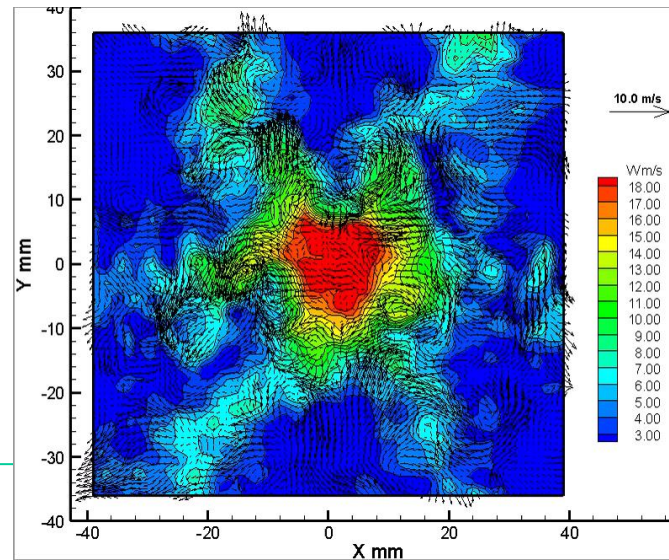
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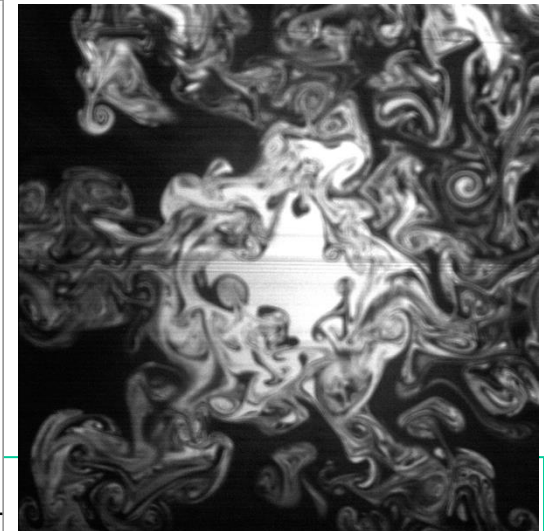
•  $X = 40$  mm downstream



c. ensemble-averaged velocity.

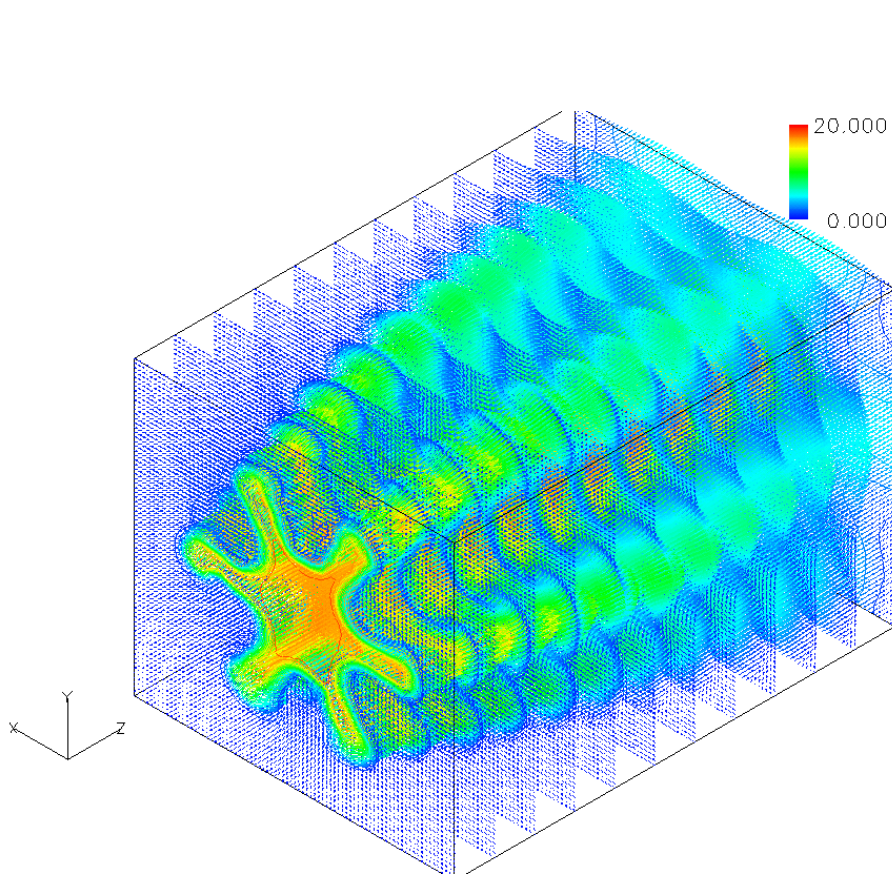


•  $X = 120$  mm downstream

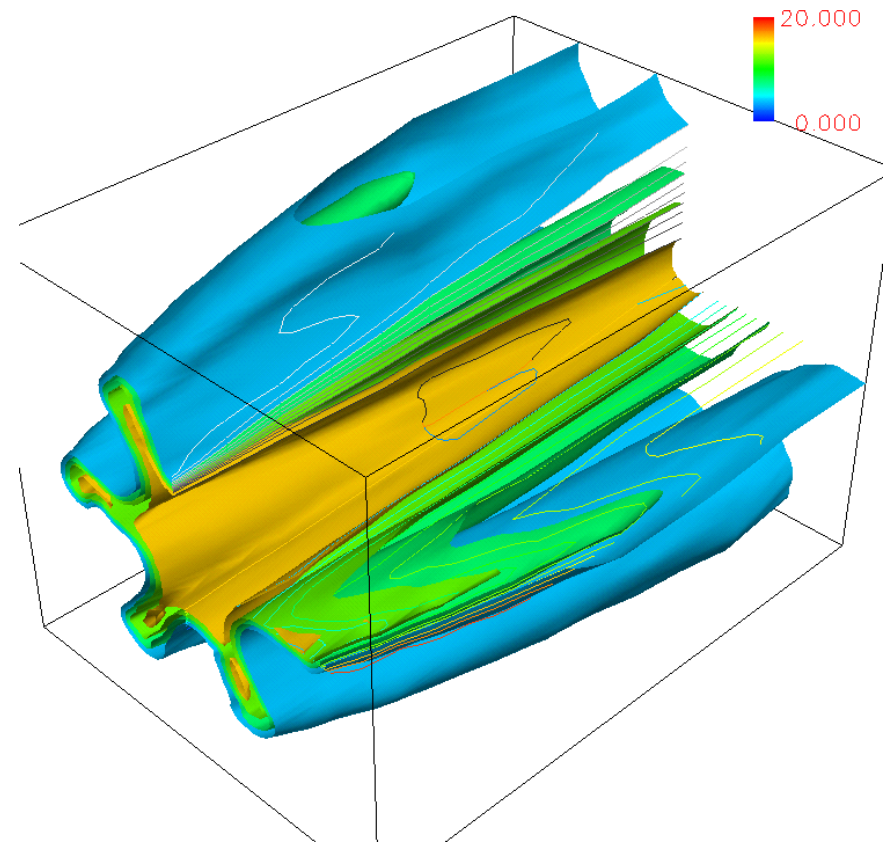




# Reconstructed Three-dimensional Flow Field



a. three-dimensional velocity vectors



b. iso-surface of velocity field

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