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CHAPTER 1 INTRODUCTION

The demand for high-speed catamarans has strongly increased during the last decades due to its excellent performance with respect to speed, safety, resistance and transversal stability. As a consequence, a large number of theoretical, experimental and numerical studies were carried out on the Delft-372 catamaran model in recent years. Zlatev and colleagues [1] and Milanov and colleagues [2] studied the maneuvering characteristics and stability at zero course angle and small drift angles ($\beta \leq 10^0$) for both deep and shallow water by means of combined experimental fluid dynamics (EFD) and computational fluid dynamics (CFD) approaches. In general, they have achieved agreement between EFD and CFD results within the experimental accuracy margins. Castiglione and colleagues [3] and Broglia and colleagues [4] analyzed the seakeeping characteristics using the CFD and EFD approach respectively. The interference in calm water was analyzed by He and colleagues [5]. More recently, stereo particle image velocimetry (SPIV) experiments have been conducted by Broglia and colleagues [6] to study the dynamics of the keel vortices generated along the demihulls at static drift with $\beta \leq 9^0$.

Understanding of three-dimensional separation around ships on straight course or under maneuvering is important for developing next generation ships with improved performance in extreme maneuvers. The separation causes vortex-dominated flows in which the vortex breakdowns at sufficiently high drift angles. The accuracy of Detached Eddy simulation (DES) predictions have typically been far superior to that of the steady or unsteady Reynolds-Averaged Navier-Stokes (URANS) method, while avoiding the computational cost of the Large-Eddy Simulation. Thus, recent DES studies have been conducted for large steady drift cases using URANS/DES solver CFDShip-Iowa research code. Recently, Bhushan and colleagues [7] conducted DES for the surface combatant model DTMB 5415 at straight-ahead and 20^0 static drift angle (β). The straight-ahead condition provided a plausible description of the vortical structures and mean flow patterns observed in the experiments. However, the vortex strengths were overpredicted and the turbulence was not resolved. DES for DTMB 5415 at $\beta = 20^{\circ}$ significantly improved the forces and moment predictions compared to the coarse grid URANS due to improved resolved turbulence predictions. Grid verification study at $\beta = 20^{\circ}$ showed mostly converged solutions for the forces with relatively small grid uncertainties. However, divergence was obtained for the moment due to small grid changes with relatively large iterative errors. Additionally, DES was conducted for a KVLCC2 tanker by Xing and colleagues [8] at a large drift angle ($\beta = 30^{\circ}$). This study analyzed the vortical structures, instabilities, and turbulent structures. Although this study certified the good accuracy of numerical simulation, validation could not be achieved due to the lack of experimental results.

The objective of this study is to identify and analyze the vortical structures, turbulent structures and instabilities of the Delft-372 catamaran and validate URANS and DES solver CFDShip-Iowa V4.5 in collaboration with NATO AVT 183 (Reliable Prediction of Separated Flow Onset and Progression for Air and Sea Vehicles). Unlike single hull ship models DTMB and KVCC2, prediction of local flow components, wave patterns, and integral variables could be more difficult to predict with CFD for the Delft catamaran due to wave and vortex interactions. The URANS and DES are performed on the Delft catamaran ship hull model at wide ranges of Froude numbers and drift angels. The CFD results were compared to experimental results on Delft catamaran conducted by the Bulgarian Ship Hydrodynamics Center (BSHC), Italian Ship Model Basin (INSEAN), and TU Delft facilities. Additionally, vortical structures, instabilities and wave patterns have been studied in detail.

CHAPTER 2 EXPERIMENTAL AND SIMULATION CONDITIONS

2.1 Geometry

Delft 372 catamran model (Figure 2.1) was used for the experimental and numerical studies. Main particulars of the geometry of the catamaran is shown in Table 2.1. BSHC facility used a model with different vertical center of gravity than INSEAN and TU Delft facilities. Additionally, all three facilities had different nondimensional depth and vertical center of gravity.

2.2 Experimental Data and Conditions

The experimental data included the integral variables, motions and wave profile at $0 \leq \beta \leq 24^{0}$ and $0.17 \leq Fr \leq 0.7$ from BSHC [2]; the integral variables at $\beta = 0^{0}$ and $0.1 \leq Fr \leq 0.8$, motions and stereo particle image velocimetry (SPIV) measurements at $\beta = 6^{0}, 9^{0}$ and Fr = 0.4, 0.5 from INSEAN [4, 6]; and the integral variables and motions at $\beta = 0^{0}$ and $0.18 \leq Fr \leq 0.75$ from TU Delft [9]. The model was free to sink and trim, while the roll was fixed at zero for the integral variable, motion and wave measurements. For the SPIV measurements, the model was either fixed at dynamic sink and trim or even keels condition. The model was towed at one location, center of gravity, for INSEAN and TU Delft facilities, while it was towed at two locations from two locations for BSHC facility.

2.3 Simulation Conditions

Three sets of CFD simulations were performed: (1) hull free to sink and trim with $0.3 \leq Fr \leq 0.77$ and $0^0 \leq \beta \leq 30^0$ with URANS, (2) hull fixed at dynamic sink and trim or even keel conditions with Fr = 0.4, 0.5 and $\beta = 6^0, 9^0$ with DES, (3) hull free to sink and trim with Fr = 0.3, $\beta = 24^0$ with DES and URANS (Table 2.2). Two different grid topology was used for these simulations shown in Figures 2.2 and 2.3. The dimensions of the designed grids are shown in Table 2.3 where G1 through G5 grids have the same topology with refinement ratio of $\sqrt{2}$. Validation of integral variables were conducted for case (1) using GR. The flow field around the catamaran was analyzed, including detailed study on vortex structures and wave elevations. This information was used to design new set of grids G1-G5 for cases (2) and (3). Verification study was performed for cases (2) and (3) using DES and URANS respectively. The local mean velocity components and x-vorticity for case (2) was validated using SPIV results from INSEAN facility. Although DES was activated in the vortex regions, the turbulence was not resolved for case (2). Validation of integral variables and wave elevation was performed for case (3) and the resolved turbulence (RTKE) was 66%.



Figure 2.1: Geometry and coordinate system for the Delft catamaran

Non-dimensional Parameters	Symbol	BSHC	INSEAN	TU Delft	CFD
Beam overall	B/L	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.31
Beam demihull	b/L	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08
Distance between center of hulls	H/L	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23
Draught	T/L	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05
Longitudinal center of gravity	LCG/L	0.53	0.53	0.53	0.53
Vertical center of gravity	$\mathrm{KG/L}$	0.04	0.06	0.06	0.04
Depth of towing tank	h/L	0.41	2.17	0.87	0.41
Depth to Draught Ratio	h/T	8.21	43.33	17.33	8.21

Table 2.1: The main particlulars of Delft catamran

Grid	$\beta [\text{deg}]$	Fr	DOF	Model	Flow	RTKE [%]
GR	$0,\!6,\!10,\!15$	0.30	Sink, Trim	RANS	Steady	-
GR	20,30	0.30	Sink, Trim	RANS	Unsteady	-
GR	$0,\!6,\!10,\!15$	0.45	Sink, Trim	RANS	Steady	-
GR	$20,\!30$	0.45	Sink, Trim	RANS	Unsteady	-
GR	$0,\!6,\!10$	0.61	Sink, Trim	RANS	Steady	-
GR	$15,\!20,\!30$	0.61	Sink, Trim	RANS	Unsteady	-
GR	$0,\!6,\!10$	0.77	Sink, Trim	RANS	Steady	-
GR	$15,\!20,\!30$	0.77	Sink, Trim	RANS	Unsteady	-
G2, G3, G4, G5	6	0.5	0 (Even Keel)	DES	Steady	0
G3	6, 9	0.40, 0.50	0 (Dynamic)	DES	Steady	0
G3	24	0.3	Sink, Trim	RANS	Unsteady	-
G4, G5	24	0.3	Sink, Trim	RANS	Steady	-
G3	24	0.3	Sink, Trim	DES	Unsteady	66



Figure 2.2: Boundary conditions and grid design for GR



Figure 2.3: Boundary conditions and grid design for G5

Table 2.3: Dimensions of the grids

Grid	Boundary	Background	Background Ref.	Vortex Ref.	Total	y+
GR	278x260x91	329x227x88	-	-	13,149,584	0.30
G5	94x41x55	200 x 100 x 75	250 x 100 x 50	450x120x35	$5,\!469,\!926$	0.66
G4	133x57x77	283x141x106	354x141x71	636x170x49	$15,\!471,\!287$	0.45
G3	$188 \times 81 \times 109$	400 x 200 x 150	500 x 200 x 100	900x240x70	$58,\!879,\!408$	0.30
G2	266 x 115 x 154	566x283x212	707x283x141	1273x339x99	123,770,297	0.21
G1	376 x 162 x 218	800x400x300	1000x400x200	1800x480x140	$350,\!075,\!264$	0.15

CHAPTER 3 COMPUTATIONAL METHOD

3.1 Overview

The CFD simulations were conducted with URANS/DES solver CFDShip-Iowa V4.5 [10, 11] which uses dynamic overset grids, single-phase level set free surface capturing approach, blended $k - \epsilon/k - \omega$ turbulence modeling, and six degrees of freedom motions predictor. The URANS and DES approaches are based on a blended shear stress transport (SST) turbulence model.

3.2 Governing Equations

The Navier-Stokes equations are non-dimensionalized using the free stream velocity, U_0 , water viscosity, v, and ship length, L. The non-dimensional mass and momentum conservation equations are:

$$\frac{\partial U_j}{\partial x_i} = 0 \tag{3.1}$$

$$\frac{\partial U_i}{\partial t} + U_j \frac{\partial U_i}{\partial x_j} = -\frac{\partial \hat{p}}{\partial x_i} + \frac{1}{Re} \frac{\partial^2 U_i}{\partial x_i \partial x_j} - \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} \overline{u_i u_j}$$
(3.2)

where U_i are Reynolds-averaged velocity components, $x_i = (x, y, z)$ are the independent coordinate directions $\hat{p} = \left(\frac{p - p_{\infty}}{\rho U_0^2} + \frac{z}{Fr^2}\right)$ is the piezometric pressure coefficient, $\overline{u_i u_j}$ are the Reynolds stresses, $Fr = U_0/\sqrt{gL}$ is the Froude number, and $Re = U_0 L/v$.

3.3 Turbulence Modeling

The ARS model [12] used is the modified version of Menter's blended $k-\omega/k-\epsilon$ [13]. Reynolds stresses are:

$$\overline{u_i u_j} = -v_T \left(\frac{\partial U_i}{\partial x_j} + \frac{\partial U_j}{\partial x_i} \right) + \frac{2}{3} k \delta_{ij} + a_{ij}^{ex} k$$
(3.3)

where δ_{ij} is the Kronecker delta, k is the turbulent kinetic energy, $a_{ij}^{ex}k$ is the additional source term to account for the anisotropic turbulence. The anisotropic tensor:

$$a_{ij}^{ex}k = \beta_3(\Omega_{ik}\Omega_{kj} - \frac{1}{3}II_\Omega\delta_{ij}) + \beta_4(S_{ik}\Omega_{kj} - \Omega_{ik}S_{kj}) + \beta_6(S_{ik}\Omega_{kl}\Omega_{lj} - \Omega_{kl}\Omega_{ik}S_{lj} - II_\Omega S_{ij} - \frac{2}{3}IV\delta_{ij}) + \beta_9(\Omega_{ik}S_{kl}\Omega_{lm}\Omega_{mj} - \Omega_{ik}\Omega_{kl}S_{lm}\Omega_{mj})$$
(3.4)

The non-dimensional strain rate S_{ij} tensor and corresponding invariants are:

$$S_{ij} = \frac{1}{2}\tau \left(\frac{\partial U_i}{\partial x_j} + \frac{\partial U_j}{\partial x_i}\right)$$
(3.5)

$$II_s = S_{kl}S_{lk}, III_s = S_{kl}S_{lm}S_{mk} \tag{3.6}$$

The non-dimensional vorticity Ω_{ij} tensor and corresponding invariants are:

$$\Omega_{ij} = \frac{1}{2}\tau \left(\frac{\partial U_i}{\partial x_j} - \frac{\partial U_j}{\partial x_i}\right)$$
(3.7)

$$II_{\Omega} = \Omega_{kl}\Omega_{lk}, IV_{\Omega} = S_{kl}\Omega_{lm}\Omega_{mk}$$
(3.8)

The time scale is $\tau = max(1/(\beta^*\omega); C_\tau \sqrt{v/(\beta^*k\omega)})$. The model coefficients are:

 $\beta_3 = \frac{-12IV}{NQ} \qquad (3.9)$

$$\beta_4 = \frac{2(N^2 - 2II_{Omega})}{Q} \quad (3.10)$$

$$\beta_6 = -\frac{6N}{Q} \quad (3.11)$$

$$\beta_9 = \frac{6}{Q} \quad (3.12)$$

$$Q = \frac{5}{6}(N^2 - 2II_{\Omega})(2N^2 - II_{\Omega}) \quad (3.13)$$

$$N = \begin{cases} \frac{A_3'}{3} + (P_1 + \sqrt{P_2})^{1/3} + sign(P_1 - \sqrt{P_2})^{1/3} |P_1 - \sqrt{P_2}|^{1/3}, P_2 \ge 0\\ \frac{A_3'}{3} + 2(P_1 - \sqrt{P_2})^{1/6} cos \left[\frac{1}{3} arccos \left(\frac{P_1}{\sqrt{p_1^2 - P_2}}\right)\right] P_2 < 0 \end{cases}$$
(3.14)

$$P1 = \left(\frac{A_3'^2}{27} + \frac{9}{20}II_s - \frac{2}{3}II_\Omega\right)A_3' \quad (3.15)$$

$$P2 = P_1^2 - \left(\frac{A_3'^2}{9} + \frac{9}{10}II_s + \frac{2}{3}II_\Omega\right)^3 \quad (3.16)$$

$$A_{3}^{'2} = \frac{9}{5} + \frac{9}{4}C_{Diff}max(1 + \beta_{1}^{(eq)}II_{s}, 0) \quad (3.17)$$

$$\beta_1^{(eq)} = -\frac{5N^{(eq)}}{6(N^{(eq)})^2 - 12II_{\Omega}} \quad (3.18)$$

$$N^{(eq)} = A_3 + A_4 = \frac{81}{20} \qquad (3.19)$$

$$C_{Diff} = 2.2$$
 (3.20)

The governing equations for the eddy viscosity v_T , turbulent kinetic energy k,

and the turbulent specific dissipation ω are as follows:

$$v_T = \frac{k}{\omega} \tag{3.21}$$

$$\frac{\partial k}{\partial t} + \left(U_j - \sigma_k \frac{\partial v_i}{\partial x_j}\right) \frac{\partial k}{\partial x_j} - \frac{1}{R_k} \nabla^2 k + s_k = 0$$
(3.22)

$$\frac{\partial\omega}{\partial t} + \left(U_j - \sigma_\omega \frac{\partial v_i}{\partial x_j}\right) \frac{\partial w}{\partial x_j} - \frac{1}{R_\omega} \nabla^2 \omega + s_\omega = 0 \tag{3.23}$$

where the source terms, effective Reynolds numbers, and turbulence production are:

$$s_k = R_k(-G + \beta^* \omega k) \tag{3.24}$$

$$s_{\omega} = R_{\omega} \left[-\gamma \frac{\omega}{k} G + \beta \omega^2 + 2(1 - F_1) \sigma_{\omega 2} \frac{1}{w} \frac{\partial k}{\partial x_j} \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial x_j} \right]$$
(3.25)

$$R_k = \left(\frac{1}{1/Re + \sigma_k v_T}\right) \tag{3.26}$$

$$R_{\omega} = \left(\frac{1}{1/Re + \sigma_{\omega}v_T}\right) \tag{3.27}$$

$$G = \tau_{ij} \frac{\partial U_i}{\partial x_j} \tag{3.28}$$

$$F_1 = tanh\left[\left(min\left[max\left(\frac{\sqrt{k}}{0.09\omega\delta};\frac{500}{Re\delta^2\omega}\right);\frac{4\sigma_{\omega 2}k}{CD_{k\omega}\delta^2}\right]\right)^4\right]$$
(3.29)

$$CD_{k\omega} = max \left(2\sigma_{\omega 2} \frac{1}{\omega} \frac{\partial k}{\partial x_j} \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial x_j}; 10^{-20} \right)$$
(3.30)

The blending function F_1 was designed to be 1 in the sublayer and logarithmic regions of boundary layers and gradually switch to zero in the wake region to take advantage of the strength of the $k - \omega$ and $k - \epsilon$.

The SST model is a user specified option that accounts for transport of the principle turbulent stresses and has shown to improve results for flows with adverse pressure gradients. The definition of eddy viscosity for SST model:

$$v_T = \frac{0.31k}{max(0.31\omega, \Omega F_2)} \tag{3.31}$$

$$F_2 = tanh\left(max\left(\frac{2\sqrt{k}}{0.09\omega y}, \frac{500v}{y^2\omega}\right)^2\right)$$
(3.32)

The ARS model was extended to the DES model. The k-transport equation was modified [14]:

$$D_{RANS}^k = \rho \beta^8 k \omega = \rho k^{3/2} / l_{k-\omega}$$
(3.33)

$$D_{DES}^{k} = k^{1/2} / (\beta^* \omega) \tag{3.34}$$

The length scales are:

$$l_{k-\omega} = k^{1/2} / (\beta^* \omega) \tag{3.35}$$

$$\bar{l} = min(l_{k-\omega}, C_{DES}\Delta) \tag{3.36}$$

where $C_{DES} = 0.65$ and Δ is the local grid spacing. $\overline{l} > 1$ is the LES zone and $\overline{l} \leq 1$ is the URANS zone.

3.4 Analysis Methods

The Q-criterion was used to identify the vortical structures. The Q-criterion is based on the second invariant of velocity gradient tensor ∇u .

$$Q = \frac{1}{2} [||\mathbf{\Omega}||^2 - ||\mathbf{S}||^2]$$
(3.37)

where,

$$\mathbf{\Omega} = \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_j} - \frac{\partial u_j}{\partial x_i} \right]$$
(3.38)

$$\mathbf{S} = \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_j} + \frac{\partial u_j}{\partial x_i} \right]$$
(3.39)

The normalized helicity provides the direction of the swirl of the vortex relative to the stream-wise velocity component, which is not available in Q-criterion [15]

$$H_n = \frac{\mathbf{V} \cdot \mathbf{\Omega}}{||\mathbf{V}||||\mathbf{\Omega}||} \tag{3.40}$$

Resolved TKE (k_r) is obtained by partitioning the resolved velocity (U_i) into time averaged $(\overline{U_i})$ and fluctuation components u_i as:

$$U_i = \overline{U_i} + u_i : i = 1, 2, 3 \tag{3.41}$$

$$k_r = \frac{1}{2}\overline{u_i U_i} \tag{3.42}$$

The total TKE is $k_t = k + k_r$. The resolved turbulence level in the LES region is computed as $\frac{k_r}{k_t} * 100$.

The mean local error e, for the velocity components was calculated using the equation below:

$$e = \frac{1}{N} \left| \sum_{R} \frac{\overline{u_S} - \overline{u_D}}{max(\overline{u_D}) - min(\overline{u_D})} \right|$$
(3.43)

 $\overline{u_D}$ is the time average of the velocity components for the experimental data. $\overline{u_S}$ is obtained by time averaging the velocity components for CFD over two flow time then interpolating the time averaged values into the PIV zone. R is the PIV zone below free surface and N is the total number of points. The free surface was found by averaging the CFD level set function over two flow times and interpolating it into PIV zone. The inverse distance algorithm was used to compute the interpolations. The maximum and minimum of the time average values were found over the zone R.

CHAPTER 4 URANS RESULTS USING GR GRID

URANS was conducted at large range of $0.3 \leq Fr \leq 0.77$ and $0^0 \leq \beta \leq 30^0$ using GR. The model was free to sink and trim. The simulations were unsteady for large drift angles. Time history and fast Fourier transformation (FFT) are shown in Figures 4.1-4.8.

4.1 Validation of Integral Variables

Hydrodynamic forces, moments and motions for $\beta = 0^0$ were compared to the experimental results from INSEAN, BSHC, and TU Delft facilities. In general, agreement between experiments conducted at the TU Delft and INSEAN facilities, and CFD were achieved at $\beta = 0^0$ with force (X), sink (σ), and trim (τ) errors less than 13%*D* (Table 4.1 and Figure 4.9). Although there was a good agreement on the force between CFD and BSHC experiments, the motions showed large error with more than 30%*D* for sink and trim. The discrepancy in the experimental results could be attributed to the difference in non-dimensional depth of the experiments and vertical center of gravity or experimental setup.

Forces (X and Y) and moment (N) were compared to BSHC experimental results and the motions (σ and τ) were compared to both BSHC and INSEAN experimental results for $0^0 \leq \beta \leq 24^0$ (Table 4.2 and Figures 4.10-4.16). The total forces showed good agreement between EFD and CFD for all Froude numbers and drift angles while total moment had good agreement for all the cases except at very large drift angles. Difference between forces on demihulls were underpredicted, especially for large drift cases, which could explain the discrepancy between EFD and CFD for the moment at large drift angles. CFD motions showed better agreement with IN-SEAN experiments compared to BSHC experiments, similar to what was observed for straight ahead condition. Large scatter was observed for the motion measurements which could indicate large experimental uncertainty. Overall, EFD and CFD exhibited good agreement validating the CFD-Ship Iowa V4.5 research code for predicting the integral variables of the catamaran at a large range of Froude numbers and drift angles.

4.2 Integral Variable Patterns, Vortical Structures and Wave Patterns

Total forces (X_t, Y_t) , moments (N_t) , pressure (X_p, Y_p, N_p) and frictional (X_f, Y_f, N_f) components, and the motions were compared between CFD results for all cases(Figures 4.17). For large drift angles $(\beta \ge 15^0)$ and Froude numbers (Fr=0.61, 0.77), the total X_t and Y_t showed small difference compared to lower Froude numbers. An increase in β resulted in the pressure component of the forces being larger than the frictional component. This was expected because the flow is vortex dominated at large drift angles. Wave patterns displayed wave breaking at sufficiently high drift angles (Figures 4.18-4.21). Wave elevation exceeded the deck height at Fr = 0.77 and $\beta = 30^0$. The GR grid did not include the ship deck, hence inappropriate for cases where wave elevations exceed deck height. The boundary layer grid for G1-G5 included a deck to resolve this problem. Vortical structures have been identified and

named for all cases (Figures 4.22-4.29). Two counter rotating at each hull is observed for straight ahead conditions. Large vortex from the fore-body, two counter rotating keel and stern vorticies were observed for most static drift cases. Additionally, wave induced vorticies were observed at sufficiently large drift angle. Very different vortical structures were observe for extreme cases of Fr = 0.61, 0.77 and $\beta = 30^{\circ}$. Vortex core of the large fore-body vorticies, PF and SF, have been identified using the Q-criterion and marked with black dots on Figures 4.30-4.50. The vortex structures and wave elevations were used to design the grids G1-G5.



Figure 4.1: Time history for Fr=0.3 and $0\leq\beta\leq30$ using GR



Figure 4.2: FFT for Fr = 0.3 and $0 \le \beta \le 30$ using GR



Figure 4.3: Time history for Fr=0.45 and $0\leq\beta\leq30$ using GR



Figure 4.4: FFT for Fr = 0.45 and $0 \le \beta \le 30$ using GR


Figure 4.5: Time history for Fr=0.61 and $0\leq\beta\leq30$ using GR



Figure 4.6: FFT for Fr=0.61 and $0\leq\beta\leq30$ using GR



Figure 4.7: Time history for Fr=0.77 and $0\leq\beta\leq30$ using GR



Figure 4.8: FFT for Fr=0.77 and $0\leq\beta\leq30$ using GR

Table 4.1: CFD error for X, σ , τ at $\beta = 0^0$ using GR

		BSHC			INSEAN			TU Delft	
Fr	Х	σ	τ	Х	σ	τ	Х	σ	au
0.3	-1.82	-	-	11.22	-0.05	2.12	4.56	0.48	7.62
0.45	8.59	30.19	33.93	14.74	0.07	23.64	8.45	-0.06	-5.01
Avg.	5.2	30.19	33.93	12.98	0.06	12.88	6.5	0.27	6.31

Table 4.2: CFD error for $X,Y,\,N,\,\sigma,$ and τ at $\beta\geq 0^0$ using GR

			BSHC					INSEAN		
β	Х	Y	Ν	σ	au	Х	Y	Ν	σ	τ
0	10.6	-	-	31.0	29.0	-	-	-	29.1	26.1
6	11.1	5.9	13.3	33.8	29.9	-	-	-	26.8	26.2
10	2.6	12.8	3.2	21.0	49.5	-	-	-	-	-
Avg.	8.1	9.4	8.2	28.6	36.2	-	-	-	27.9	26.2



Figure 4.9: EFD-CFD comparison of $X,\,\sigma,\,\tau$ at $\beta=0^0$ using GR



Figure 4.10: Comparison of X, Y, N, σ , and τ for EFD at $0.15 \le Fr \le 0.4$ and CFD at Fr = 0.3 with $0^0 \le \beta \le 30^0$ using GR



Figure 4.11: Comparison of X,Y, N, σ , and τ for EFD at 0.37 $\leq Fr \leq 0.475$ and CFD at Fr = 0.45 with $0^0 \leq \beta \leq 30^0$ using GR



Figure 4.12: Comparison of X, Y, N, σ , and τ for EFD at $0.59 \leq Fr \leq 0.65$ and CFD at Fr = 0.61 with $0^0 \leq \beta \leq 30^0$ using GR



Figure 4.13: Comparison of X, Y, N, σ , and τ for EFD at $0.65 \le Fr \le 0.7$ and CFD at Fr = 0.77 with $0^0 \le \beta \le 30^0$ using GR



Figure 4.14: Comparison of X, Y, and N for EFD at $0.15 \le Fr \le 0.3$ and CFD at Fr = 0.3 with $0^0 \le \beta \le 30^0$ using GR on demihull



Figure 4.15: Comparison of X, Y, and N for EFD at $0.37 \le Fr \le 0.44$ and CFD at Fr = 0.45 with $0^0 \le \beta \le 30^0$ using GR on demihull



Figure 4.16: Comparison of X, Y, and N for EFD at Fr = 0.6 and CFD at Fr = 0.61with $0^0 \le \beta \le 30^0$ using GR on demihull



Figure 4.17: Comparison of total, pressure and frictional components of the integral variables using GR for CFD results at $0.3 \le Fr \le 0.77$ and $0^0 \le \beta \le 30^0$



Figure 4.18: Wave patterns at Fr=0.3 and $0^0\leq\beta\leq30^0$ using GR



Figure 4.19: Wave patterns at Fr=0.45 and $0^0\leq\beta\leq30^0$ using GR



Figure 4.20: Wave patterns at Fr=0.61 and $0^0\leq\beta\leq30^0$ using GR



Figure 4.21: Wave patterns at Fr=0.77 and $0^0\leq\beta\leq30^0$ using GR



Figure 4.22: Vortex structures and boundary layer at Fr = 0.3 and $0^0 \le \beta \le 30^0$ using GR



Figure 4.23: Vortex structures and boundary layer at Fr=0.45 and $0^0\leq\beta\leq30^0$ using GR



Figure 4.24: Vortex structures and boundary layer at Fr=0.61 and $0^0\leq\beta\leq30^0$ using GR



Figure 4.25: Vortex structures and boundary layer at Fr=0.77 and $0^0\leq\beta\leq30^0$ using GR



Figure 4.26: Vorticity plot at Fr=0.3 and $0^0\leq\beta\leq30^0$ using GR



Figure 4.27: Vorticity plot at Fr = 0.45 and $0^0 \le \beta \le 30^0$ using GR



Figure 4.28: Vorticity plot at Fr=0.61 and $0^0\leq\beta\leq30^0$ using GR



Figure 4.29: Vorticity plot at Fr=0.77 and $0^0\leq\beta\leq30^0$ using GR



Figure 4.30: Comparison of vortex core trajectories at $0 \leq Frle0.77$ and $0^0 \leq \beta \leq 30^0$ using GR



Figure 4.31: Q plots at Fr=0.3 and $\beta=6^0$ for GR



Figure 4.32: Q plots at Fr = 0.3 and $\beta = 10^0$ for GR



Figure 4.33: Q plots at Fr=0.3 and $\beta=15^0~{\rm for~GR}$



Figure 4.34: Q plots at Fr = 0.3 and $\beta = 20^0$ for GR



Figure 4.35: Q plots at Fr = 0.3 and $\beta = 30^0$ for GR



Figure 4.36: Q plots at Fr = 0.45 and $\beta = 6^0$ for GR



Figure 4.37: Q plots at Fr=0.45 and $\beta=10^0~{\rm for~GR}$



Figure 4.38: Q plots at Fr = 0.45 and $\beta = 15^0$ for GR


Figure 4.39: Q plots at Fr = 0.45 and $\beta = 20^{0}$ for GR



Figure 4.40: Q plots at Fr=0.45 and $\beta=30^0 \; {\rm for \; GR}$



Figure 4.41: Q plots at Fr = 0.61 and $\beta = 6^0$ for GR



Figure 4.42: Q plots at Fr = 0.61 and $\beta = 10^0$ for GR



Figure 4.43: Q plots at Fr = 0.61 and $\beta = 15^0$ for GR



Figure 4.44: Q plots at Fr=0.61 and $\beta=20^0 \; {\rm for \; GR}$



Figure 4.45: Q plots at Fr=0.61 and $\beta=30^0\;{\rm for}\;{\rm GR}$



Figure 4.46: Q plots at Fr=0.77 and $\beta=6^0$ for GR



Figure 4.47: Q plots at Fr=0.77 and $\beta=10^0~{\rm for~GR}$



Figure 4.48: Q plots at Fr=0.77 and $\beta=15^0 \; {\rm for \; GR}$



Figure 4.49: Q plots at Fr = 0.77 and $\beta = 20^0$ for GR



Figure 4.50: Q plots at Fr = 0.77 and $\beta = 30^{0}$ for GR

CHAPTER 5 URANS AND DES RESULTS USING G2,G3,G4, AND G5 GRIDS

Two verification studies were conducted using DES and URANS. Local mean velocity components and x-vorticity were validated for CFD using DES with $\beta = 6^0, 9^0$ and Fr = 0.4, 0.5. The catamran was fixed at the same position as the SPIV experiments for local mean component validation. Additionally, integral variables and the wave elevations were validated at $\beta = 24^0$ and Fr = 0.3 where ship was free to sink and trim. Although LES was activated at the vortex region as shown in Figures 5.1-5.3, turbulence was not resolved for the cases where ship was fixed. The resolved turbulence was 66% for Fr = 0.3 and $\beta = 24^0$ case where most of the turbulence was resolved at the wake of the catamaran (Figure 5.4). The flow was steady for all cases except Fr = 0.3 and $\beta = 24$ using G3 (Figures 5.5-5.10.

5.1 Verification of Integral Variables

Verification study of the integral variables using DES model with two triplets of G5-G4-G3 and G4-G3-G2 was performed at $\beta = 6^{\circ}$, Fr = 0.5 and even keel condition (Table 5.1). Convergence was achieved for Xf, N, Nf, Np for triplet of G4-G3-G2 and X, Y, Yf, Yp for triplet G5-G4-G3. Most of the convergence achieved was oscillatory convergence. The LES activation region increased with increasing grid size as seen in Figures 5.1-5.3. The verification method does not account for the use of different models at different regions which could explain the poor verification results. Another verification study was performed using URANS model with triplet G5-G4G3 at $\beta = 24^{\circ}$ and Fr = 0.3 (Table 5.2). Monotonic convergence was achieved for all the principle variables with the exception of sink. However, large uncertainty was observed for x-force. This could be due to the fact that the flow was unsteady for G3 while it was steady for G4 and G5.

5.2 Validation of Integral and Local Variables

Validation study using both DES and URANS for the forces showed good agreement between EFD and CFD while larger errors were observed for the moment and motions (Table 5.3). Additionally, the difference of forces between the demihulls were underpredicted. These results are consistent with the previous results obtained using GR grids. DES improve the force prediction while the moment and motion prediction worsened. Difference in the vortical structures are observed for URANS and DES as shown in Figure 5.11.

Validation of local mean velocity and vorticity have been shown in Figures 5.12-5.20. Two large vorticies PF and SF have been validated with SPIV measurements. However, the location of the SPIV measurements were not appropriate to validate other vorticies observed in the CFD. Excellent agreement between EFD and CFD was achieved for the local mean velocity and vorticity for all the SPIV planes and experimental conditions (Table 5.4). Comparison of wave elevetion between EFD and CFD are shown in Figure 5.22 at Fr = 0.3 and $\beta = 24^{\circ}$. Similar wave patterns were observed for both EFD and CFD (Figure 5.22). TKE results at the same location as PIV were also shown in Figures 5.23-5.27.

5.3 Onset and Vortex Progression Analysis

Similar vortical structures and surface streamlines were observed for the fixed cases with Fr = 0.4, 0.5 and $\beta = 6^0, 9^0$ (Figures 5.28-5.42). Therefore, only detailed onset and vortical analysis were performed for Fr = 0.5 and $\beta = 9^0$ (Figures 5.43-5.46). Low surface pressure region was observed due to the large fore-body vortex. Convergence streamlines were followed by series of sink and saddles consequently followed by converging streamlines again on the hull surface along the fore-body vortex. Hence an open-closed type instability for the fore-body vorticies was found. Additionally, vortex progression and onset analysis were conducted for Fr = 0.3 and $\beta = 24^0$ (Figures 5.47-5.55). Wave induced, fore-body, and keel vorticies were traced along the ship.



Figure 5.1: Q plot and LES activation (indicated by pink outline) at $\beta = 6^0$ and Fr = 0.5 for G3 at even keel condition



Figure 5.2: Q plot and LES activation (indicated by pink outline) at $\beta = 6^0$ and Fr = 0.5 for G4 at even keel condition



Figure 5.3: Q plot and LES activation (indicated by pink outline) at $\beta = 6^0$ and Fr = 0.5 for G5 at even keel condition



Figure 5.4: Percentage of resolved turbulence in the LES activated Region at $\beta = 24^0$, and Fr = 0.3



Figure 5.5: Time history for Fr = 0.4, 0.5 and $\beta = 6^0, 9^0$ fixed at dynamic sink and trim using G3



Figure 5.6: FFT for Fr = 0.4, 0.5 and $\beta = 6^0, 9^0$ fixed at dynamic sink and trim using G3



Figure 5.7: Time history for 0.5 and $\beta = 6^0$ fixed at even keel condition using G2-G5



Figure 5.8: FFT for 0.5 and $\beta=6^0$ fixed at even keel condition using G2-G5



Figure 5.9: Time history for Fr=0.3 and $\beta=24^0$ using G3



Figure 5.10: FFT for Fr=0.3 and $\beta=24^0$ using G3

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Grids	Variables	R	Convergence	$U_I\%S_1$	$U_G\%S_1$	$U_{SN}\%S_1$	
G4,G3,G2	Х	6.30	MD	-	-	-	
	Xf	-0.17	OC	0.0065	0.1876	0.1877	
	Xp	2.64	MD	-	-	-	
	Υ	-1.89	OD	-	-	-	
	Yf	-5.25	OD	-	-	-	
	Yp	-2.24	OD	-	-	-	
	Ν	0.29	MC	0.0323	11.7327	11.7328	
	Nf	0.29	MC	0.0323	11.7327	11.7328	
	Np	-0.96	OC	0.0489	0.5354	0.5376	
G5,G4,G3	Х	-0.35	OC	0.0349	0.0501	0.0611	
	Xf	1.28	MD	-	-	-	
	Xp	1.22	MD	-	-	-	
	Υ	-0.72	OC	0.0365	0.5828	0.5840	
	Yf	-0.35	OC	0.0607	0.5722	0.5754	
	Yp	-0.73	OC	0.0294	0.4667	0.4676	
	Ν	1.18	MD	-	-	-	
	Nf	1.18	MD	-	-	-	
	Np	-10.19	OD	-	-	-	

Table 5.1: Verification study at even keel, $\beta = 6^0$ and Fr = 0.5 using DES

Table 5.2: Verification study at $\beta = 24^0$ and Fr = 0.3 using URANS

Grids	Variables	R	Convergence	$U_I \% S_1$	$U_G\%S_1$	$U_{SN}\%S_1$
G5,G4,G3	Х	0.91	MC	0.013	42.426	42.426
	Xf	1.66	MD	0.031	-	-
	Xp	-0.54	OD	0.019	-	-
	Υ	0.54	MC	0.163	3.100	3.104
	Yf	1.77	MD	6.868	-	-
	Yp	0.11	MC	0.078	0.323	0.332
	Ν	0.03	MC	0.006	0.141	0.141
	Nf	0.21	MC	1.215	46.588	46.604
	Np	1.29	MD	0.013	-	-
	\mathbf{S}	2.14	MD	0.003	-	-
	\mathbf{t}	0.15	MC	0.470	12.250	12.259

Table 5.3: Error comparison for

URANS and DES

at $\beta = 24^0$ and Fr = 0.3

Variables	G3-URANS	G3-DES
X	-3.72	-2.18
Υ	-15.05	-13.30
Ν	38.63	40.29
σ	19.28	20.67
τ	-98.87	-98.88



Figure 5.11: Comparison of vortical structures between URANS and DES $\beta=24^0,$ and Fr=0.3



Figure 5.12: EFD-CFD comparison at Fr = 0.4 and $\beta = 6^0$ for u-velocity



Figure 5.13: EFD-CFD comparison at Fr = 0.4 and $\beta = 6^0$ for vorticity



Figure 5.14: EFD-CFD comparison at Fr = 0.5 and $\beta = 6^0$ for u velocity



Figure 5.15: EFD-CFD comparison at Fr = 0.5 and $\beta = 6^0$ for vorticity



Figure 5.16: EFD-CFD comparison at even keel, Fr = 0.5 and $\beta = 6^0$ for u velocity



Figure 5.17: EFD-CFD comparison at even keel, Fr = 0.5 and $\beta = 6^0$ for vorticity



Figure 5.18: EFD-CFD comparison, Fr = 0.4 and $\beta = 9^0$ for u velocity



Figure 5.19: EFD-CFD comparison, Fr = 0.4 and $\beta = 9^0$ for vorticity



Figure 5.20: EFD-CFD comparison, Fr = 0.5 and $\beta = 9^0$ for u velocity



Figure 5.21: EFD-CFD comparison, Fr = 0.5 and $\beta = 9^0$ for vorticity

Ship Orientation	β	Fr	Location	Grid	u	v	W
dynamic sinkage and trim	6	0.4	P1	G3	2.01	2.07	3.33
			P2		2.09	1.69	2.57
			P3		1.11	1.42	2.23
			P4		3.28	6.97	7.99
			P5		6.60	7.09	10.10
dynamic sinkage and trim	6	0.5	P1	G3	1.68	2.32	3.63
			P2		2.40	2.94	4.87
			P3		1.10	1.25	2.56
even keel	6	0.5	P1	G2	1.69	2.76	4.39
				G3	1.69	2.72	4.37
				G4	1.69	2.67	4.26
				G5	1.69	2.67	4.26
dynamic sinkage and trim	9	0.4	P1	G3	0.62	1.17	1.59
dynamic sinkage and trim		0.5	P1	G3	0.51	0.95	1.27

Table 5.4: Mean of local velocity error



Figure 5.22: Comparison of wave patterns for EFD and CFD at Fr=0.3 and $\beta=24^0$


Figure 5.23: CFD TKE at Fr = 0.4 and $\beta = 6^0$



Figure 5.24: CFD TKE at Fr=0.5 and $\beta=6^0$



Figure 5.25: CFD TKE at even keel, Fr=0.5 and $\beta=6^0$



Figure 5.26: CFD TKE at Fr=0.4 and $\beta=9^0$



Figure 5.27: CFD TKE at Fr = 0.5 and $\beta = 9^0$



Figure 5.28: Port hull pressure contour and surface streamlines below free surface at fixed dynamic sink and trim with $\beta = 6^0$, and Fr = 0.4



Figure 5.29: Starboard hull pressure contour and surface streamlines below free surface at fixed dynamic sink and trim with $\beta = 6^0$, and Fr = 0.4



Figure 5.30: Vortex structure for CFD fixed at dynamic sink and trim with $\beta = 6^0$, and Fr = 0.4



Figure 5.31: Port hull pressure contour and surface streamlines below free surface at fixed dynamic sink and trim with $\beta = 6^0$, and Fr = 0.5



Figure 5.32: Starboard hull pressure contour and surface streamlines below free surface at fixed dynamic sink and trim with $\beta = 6^0$, and Fr = 0.5



Figure 5.33: Vortex structure for CFD fixed at dynamic sink and trim with $\beta = 6^0$, and Fr = 0.5



Figure 5.34: Port hull pressure contour and surface streamlines below free surface at even keel with $\beta = 6^0$, and Fr = 0.5



Figure 5.35: Starboard hull pressure contour and surface streamlines below free surface at even keel with $\beta = 6^0$, and Fr = 0.5



Figure 5.36: Vortex structure for CFD fixed at even keel with $\beta = 6^0$, and Fr = 0.5



Figure 5.37: Port hull pressure contour and streamlines below free surface at Fr=0.4and $\beta=9^0$



Figure 5.38: Starboard hull pressure contour and streamlines below free surface at Fr=0.4 and $\beta=9^0$



Figure 5.39: Vortex structure for CFD fixed at dynamic sink and trim with $\beta = 9^0$, and Fr = 0.4



Figure 5.40: Port hull pressure contour and streamlines below free surface at Fr=0.5 and $\beta=9^0$



Figure 5.41: Starboard hull pressure contour and streamlines below free surface at Fr=0.5 and $\beta=9^0$



Figure 5.42: Vortex structure for CFD fixed at dynamic sink and trim with $\beta = 9^0$, and Fr = 0.5



Figure 5.43: Pressure contour, streamlines and Q = 100 line (pink colored) at x/L = 0.005, 0.01, 0.03 for $Fr = 0.5, \beta = 9^0$ (right starboard hull and left port hull)





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Figure 5.44: Pressure contour, streamlines and Q = 100 line (pink colored) at x/L = 0.05, 0.1, 0.2, 0.3 for $Fr = 0.5, \beta = 9^0$ (right starboard hull and left port hull)



Figure 5.45: Port hull streamlines, $Q\,=\,100$ isosurface, and x-plane streamlines at $Fr\,=\,0.5,\,\beta\,=\,9^0$



Figure 5.46: Starboard hull streamlines, Q=100 isosurface, and x-plane streamlines at $Fr=0.5,\,\beta=9^0$



Figure 5.47: Port hull pressure contour and streamlines below free surface at Fr=0.3and $\beta=24^0$



Figure 5.48: Starboard hull pressure contour and streamlines below free surface at Fr=0.3 and $\beta=24^0$



Figure 5.49: Vortical structures for CFD using DES at $\beta = 24^{\circ}$, and Fr = 0.3



Figure 5.50: Pressure contour, streamlines and Q = 100 line (pink colored) at x/L = 0.005, 0.01, 0.03 for $Fr = 0.3, \beta = 24^{0}$ (right starboard hull and left port hull)



Figure 5.51: Pressure contour, streamlines and Q = 100 line (pink colored) at x/L = 0.05, 0.01, 0.2 for $Fr = 0.3, \beta = 24^0$ (right starboard hull and left port hull)



Figure 5.52: Pressure contour, streamlines and Q = 100 line (pink colored) at x/L = 0.3, 0.4, 0.5 for $Fr = 0.3, \beta = 24^{0}$ (right starboard hull and left port hull)



Figure 5.53: Pressure contour, streamlines and Q = 100 line (pink colored) at x/L = 0.6, 0.7, 0.8 for $Fr = 0.3, \beta = 24^{0}$ (right starboard hull and left port hull)



Figure 5.54: Pressure contour, streamlines and Q = 100 line (pink colored) at x/L = 0.9, 1.0, 1.1 for Fr = 0.3, $\beta = 24^{\circ}$ (right starboard hull and left port hull)



Figure 5.55: Pressure contour, streamlines and Q = 100 line (pink colored) at x/L =1.2, 1.3, 1.4 for Fr = 0.3, $\beta = 24^{0}$ (right starboard hull and left port hull)

CHAPTER 6 CONCLUSIONS

Verfication and validation were performed for integral variables for a large range of Fr and β . In general, CFD showed excellent agreement with the EFD results for the integral variables with the exception of motions at large drift angles. Additionally, validation of the local velocity for CFD showed very good agreement with EFD. Large fore-body vortex observed in CFD was validated with the SPIV experiments. This study successfully shows that the new version of CFDShip-IOWA, version 4.5, could be used to reliably predict the integral variables, local velocity, vortex structures and wave patterns for catamaran Delft 372 at static drift and straight ahead conditions. In the future, vortex refinement block will be added to G3 for Fr = 0.3 and $\beta = 24^{\circ}$ case to improve the wave elevation predictions.

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