

Modelling of Spray flames with Double Conditional Moment Closure

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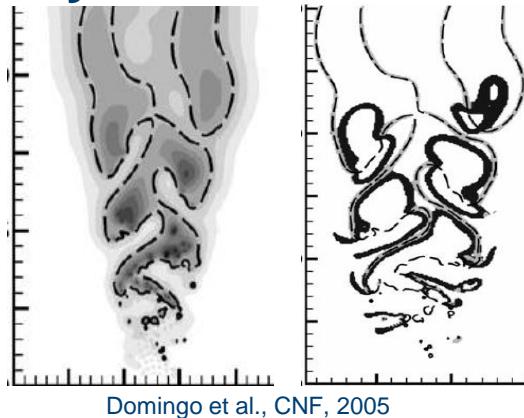
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Objectives

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Spray flames



Domingo et al., CNF, 2005

- Max. mixture fraction
- Non premixed & premixed

CMC

- Statistical model
- Non-premixed
- Spray
- Premixed
- Double-conditioning

Klimenko & Bilger, PECS, 1999

Mortensen & Bilger, CNF, 2009
Borghesi et al., CTM, 2011

Mantel & Bilger, CST, 1995
Amzin et al., CST, 2012

Kronenburg, Phys. Fluids, 2004

- Present the **DCMC** equation for spray flames.
- Propose **closure**.
- Preliminary test case and comparison with experiments.

Governing Equations

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- Governing equations of a two-phase reacting flow.

Following Mortensen & Bilger, CNF, 2009

Separate flow mode (Kataoka, Int. J. Multiphase Flow, 1986)

$$\frac{\partial \theta}{\partial t} + \nabla \theta = \Pi$$

here, θ = gas phase

$\bar{\theta}$ is the volume fraction of gas phase in a cell

$$\frac{\partial \theta \rho}{\partial t} + \operatorname{div}(\theta \rho \mathbf{u}) = \rho \Pi$$

$$\frac{\partial \theta \rho Y_\alpha}{\partial t} + \operatorname{div}(\theta \rho Y_\alpha \mathbf{u}) = \operatorname{div}(\theta \rho D_\alpha \nabla Y_\alpha) + \theta \rho \dot{\omega}_\alpha + \rho Y_\alpha (\hat{V}_\alpha + \Pi)$$

$$Y_\alpha \hat{V}_\alpha = \nabla \theta \cdot (-D_\alpha \nabla Y_\alpha)$$

$$Y_\alpha \hat{V}_\alpha = (\delta_\alpha - Y_\alpha) \Pi$$

DCMC equation for sprays

$\xi = 0$ in pure air

$\xi = 1$ in pure fuel vapour

$$c_\psi(x, t) \equiv \frac{\psi_0(\xi(x, t)) - \psi(x, t)}{\psi_0(\xi(x, t)) - \psi_{\text{Eq}}(\xi(x, t))} \quad \text{Bray et al., CNF, 2005}$$

$$\frac{\partial \theta \rho \xi}{\partial t} + \text{div}(\theta \rho \xi \mathbf{u}) = \text{div}(\theta \rho D_\xi \nabla \xi) + \rho(1 - \xi)\Pi + \rho \xi \Pi$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \theta \rho c}{\partial t} + \text{div}(\theta \rho c \mathbf{u}) &= \text{div}(\theta \rho D_c \nabla c) \\ &\quad + \frac{\theta \rho}{\partial \psi / \partial c} + \theta \rho \dot{\omega}_c + N_\xi \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial \xi^2} + 2 N_{\xi c} \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial \xi \partial c} + N_c \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial c^2} \\ &\quad + \rho \hat{C}(\xi, c)\Pi + \rho c \Pi \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\partial \theta \rho Y_\alpha}{\partial t} + \text{div}(\theta \rho Y_\alpha \mathbf{u}) = \text{div}(\theta \rho D_\alpha \nabla Y_\alpha) + \theta \rho \dot{\omega}_\alpha + \rho Y_\alpha (\hat{V}_\alpha + \Pi)$$

DCMC equation for sprays

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{\partial Q_\alpha}{\partial t} + \langle \mathbf{u} | \eta, \zeta \rangle \cdot \nabla Q_\alpha = & \\
 & \langle \dot{\omega}_\alpha | \eta, \zeta \rangle - \langle \dot{\omega}_c | \eta, \zeta \rangle \frac{\partial Q_\alpha}{\partial \zeta} \\
 & + \frac{Le_\xi}{Le_\alpha} \langle N_\xi | \eta, \zeta \rangle \frac{\partial^2 Q_\alpha}{\partial \eta^2} + \left(\frac{Le_\xi}{Le_\alpha} + \frac{Le_c}{Le_\alpha} \right) \langle N_{\xi c} | \eta, \zeta \rangle \frac{\partial^2 Q_\alpha}{\partial \eta \partial \zeta} + \frac{Le_c}{Le_\alpha} \langle N_c | \eta, \zeta \rangle \frac{\partial^2 Q_\alpha}{\partial \zeta^2} \\
 & - \frac{1}{\bar{\theta} \bar{\rho} \bar{P}} \operatorname{div}(\bar{\theta} \bar{\rho} \bar{P} \langle \mathbf{u}'' Y_\alpha'' | \eta, \zeta \rangle) \\
 & + (\delta_\alpha - Q_\alpha) \frac{\langle \Pi | \eta, \zeta \rangle}{\bar{\theta}} - \left[(1 - \eta) \frac{\partial Q_\alpha}{\partial \eta} + \hat{C}(\eta, \zeta) \frac{\partial Q_\alpha}{\partial \zeta} \right] \frac{\langle \Pi | \eta, \zeta \rangle}{\bar{\theta}} \\
 & - \frac{1}{\bar{\theta} \bar{\rho} \bar{P}} \frac{\partial \bar{\rho} \bar{P} (1 - \eta) \langle Y_\alpha'' \Pi'' | \eta, \zeta \rangle}{\partial \eta} - \frac{1}{\bar{\theta} \bar{\rho} \bar{P}} \frac{\partial \bar{\rho} \bar{P} \hat{C}(\eta, \zeta) \langle Y_\alpha'' \Pi'' | \eta, \zeta \rangle}{\partial \zeta} \\
 & + D_Q
 \end{aligned}$$

Klimenko & Bilger, PECS, 1999

Mantel & Bilger, CST, 1995

Kronenborg, Phys.Fl., 2004

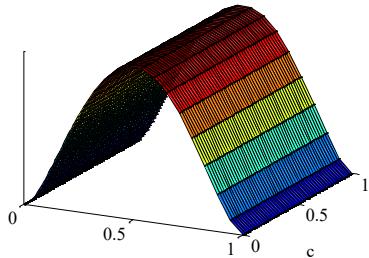
Mantel & Bilger, 1995; Amzin & Swaminathan, CST, 2012

Mortensen & Bilger, CNF, 2009

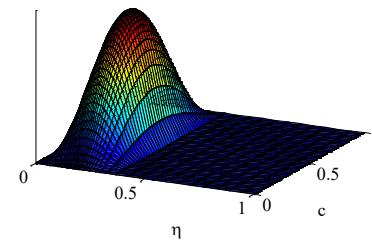
Closure

- Presumed β -pdfs $\tilde{P}(\eta)$ $\tilde{P}(\zeta)$
- Stat. independent pdfs $\tilde{P}(\eta, \zeta) = \tilde{P}(\eta) \tilde{P}(\zeta)$
- Cond. scalar dissipation rates

$$\langle N_\xi | \eta, \zeta \rangle$$



$$\langle N_c | \eta, \zeta \rangle$$



$$\langle N_{\xi c} | \eta, \zeta \rangle = 0$$

as proposed by Nguyen et al., CNF, 2010
and discussed by Kronenburg & Mastorakos in Echekki & Mastorakos eds., Springer, 2011

- No conditional spray terms and dilute spray assumed
- No radiation or wall heat loss
- Unity Lewis number

RANS Implementation

$$\frac{\partial \bar{\rho} \tilde{\xi}}{\partial t} + \operatorname{div}(\bar{\rho} \tilde{\xi} \tilde{\mathbf{u}}) = \operatorname{div}(\bar{\rho}(D_T + D) \nabla \tilde{\xi}) + \bar{\rho} \widetilde{\Pi}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \bar{\rho} \tilde{\xi}'^2}{\partial t} + \operatorname{div}(\bar{\rho} \tilde{\xi}'^2 \tilde{\mathbf{u}}) &= \operatorname{div}(\bar{\rho}(D_T + D) \nabla \tilde{\xi}'^2) - 2\bar{\rho} \frac{\tilde{\varepsilon}}{\tilde{k}} \tilde{\xi}'^2 + 2\bar{\rho} D_T \nabla \tilde{\xi} \cdot \nabla \tilde{\xi} \\ &\quad + 2\bar{\rho} (\tilde{\xi} \widetilde{\Pi} - \tilde{\xi}' \widetilde{\Pi}') - \bar{\rho} (\tilde{\xi}'^2 \widetilde{\Pi} - \tilde{\xi}'^2 \widetilde{\Pi}') \end{aligned}$$

$$c = c_{\text{CO}_2}$$

$$\frac{\partial \bar{\rho} \tilde{c}}{\partial t} + \operatorname{div}(\bar{\rho} \tilde{c} \tilde{\mathbf{u}}) = \operatorname{div}(\bar{\rho}(D_T + D) \nabla \tilde{c}) + \bar{\rho} \widetilde{\omega}_c$$

$$\frac{\partial \bar{\rho} \tilde{c}'^2}{\partial t} + \operatorname{div}(\bar{\rho} \tilde{c}'^2 \tilde{\mathbf{u}}) = \operatorname{div}(\bar{\rho}(D_T + D) \nabla \tilde{c}'^2) - 2\bar{\rho} \widetilde{\varepsilon}_c + 2\bar{\rho} D_T \nabla \tilde{c} \cdot \nabla \tilde{c} + 2\bar{\rho} \tilde{c}' \widetilde{\omega}'_c$$

where $\widetilde{\varepsilon}_c = \frac{1}{\beta'} \left[(2K_c^* - \tau C_4) \frac{S_L}{\delta_L} + C_3 \frac{\tilde{\varepsilon}}{\tilde{k}} \right] \tilde{c}'^2$

Kolla et al. CST, 2009

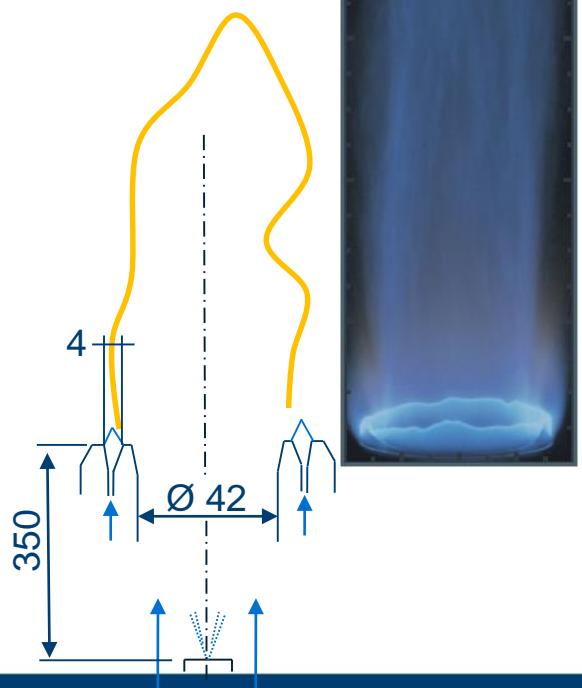
Test case

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Piloted ethanol spray flame

Kariuki & Mastorakos, submitted to CNF, 2016

- Liquid fuel
- Pre-vaporisation
- Premixing

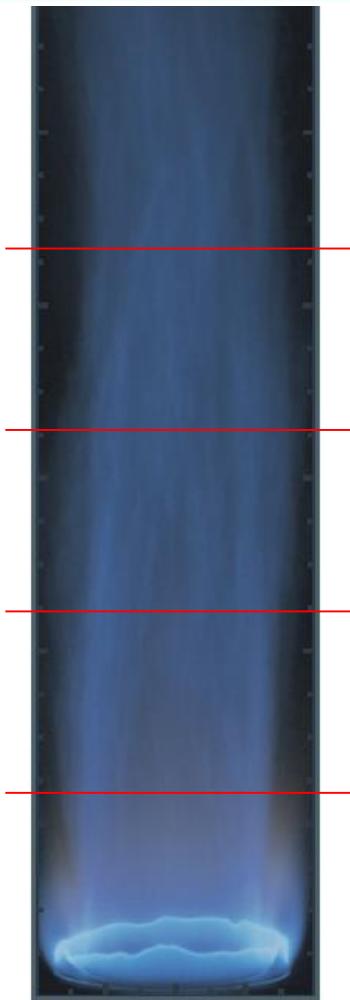
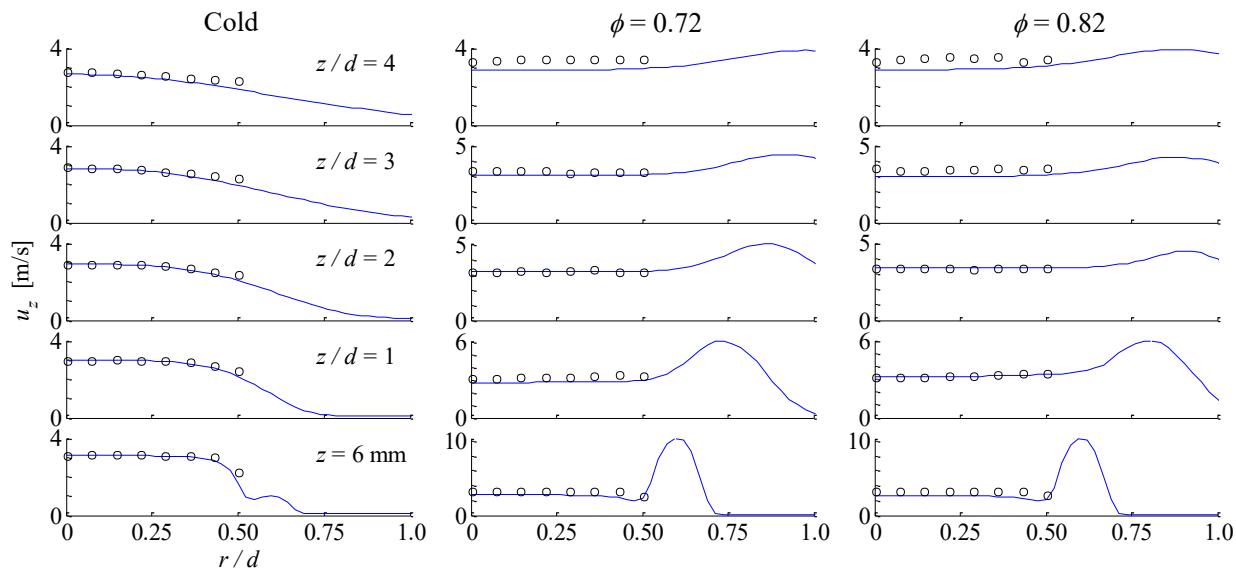


Simulation

- Flow field solver **OpenFOAM**
- BCs from experiment
- Lagrangian droplets
- Abramzon & Sirignano evaporation model
- 1D CMC grid
- Detailed chem. (57 species) Marinov mechanism

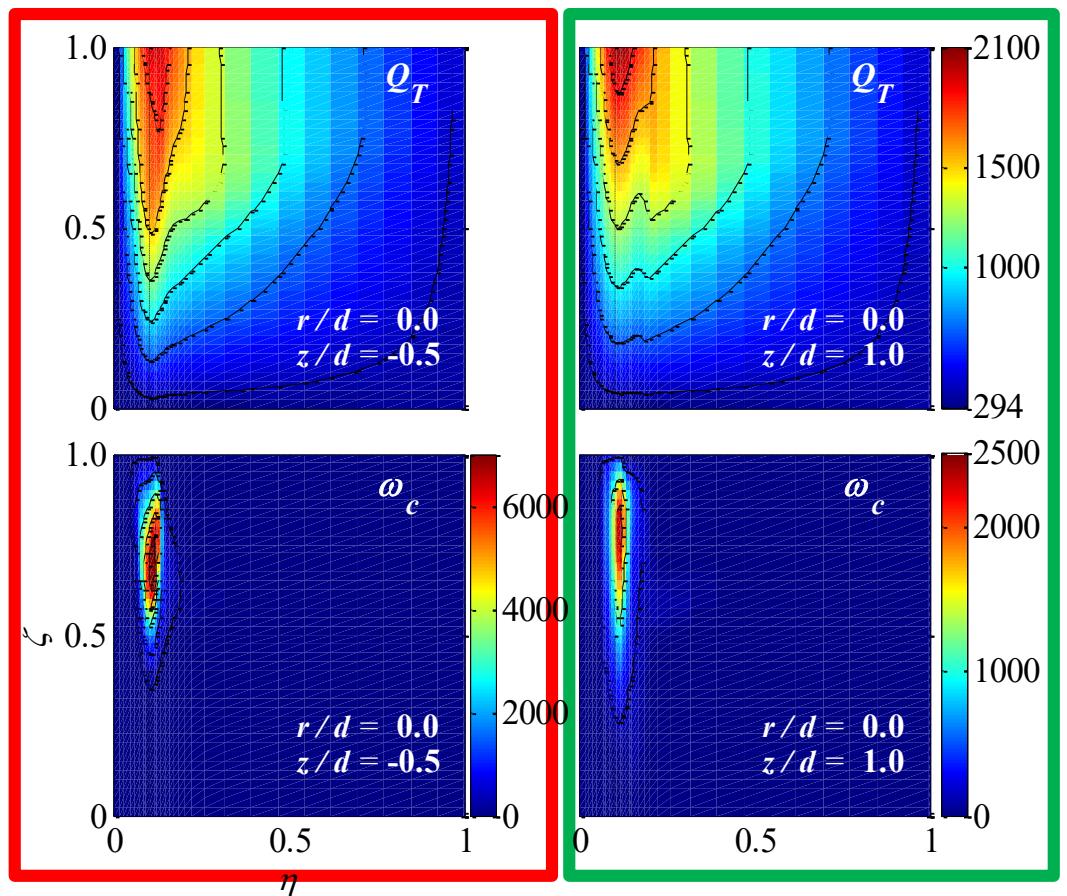
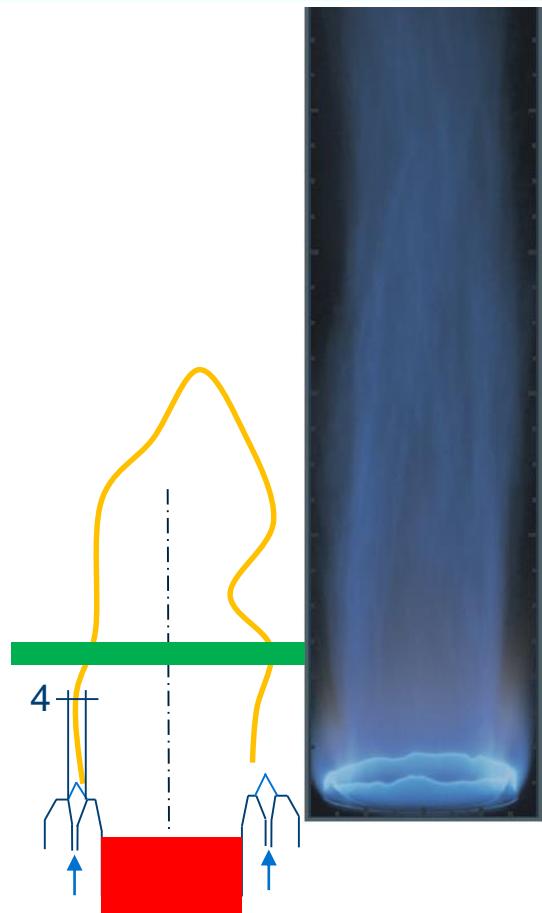
Axial velocity

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Conditional moments

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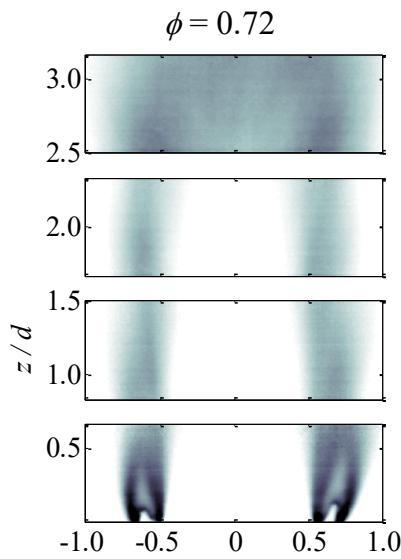


Flame shape

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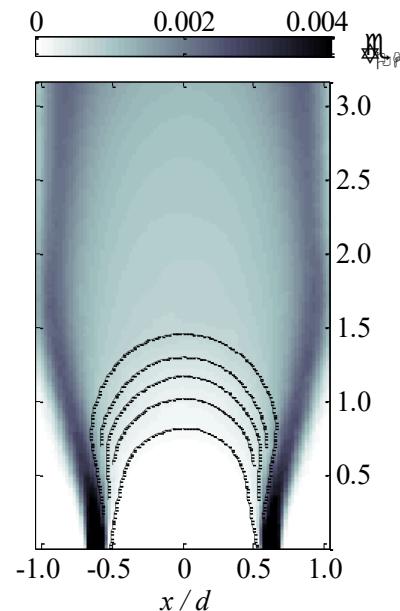
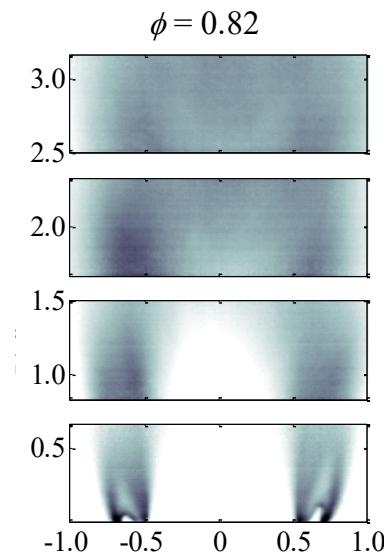
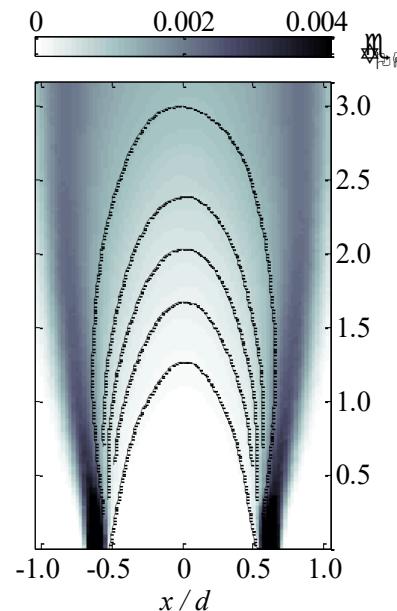
Experiment

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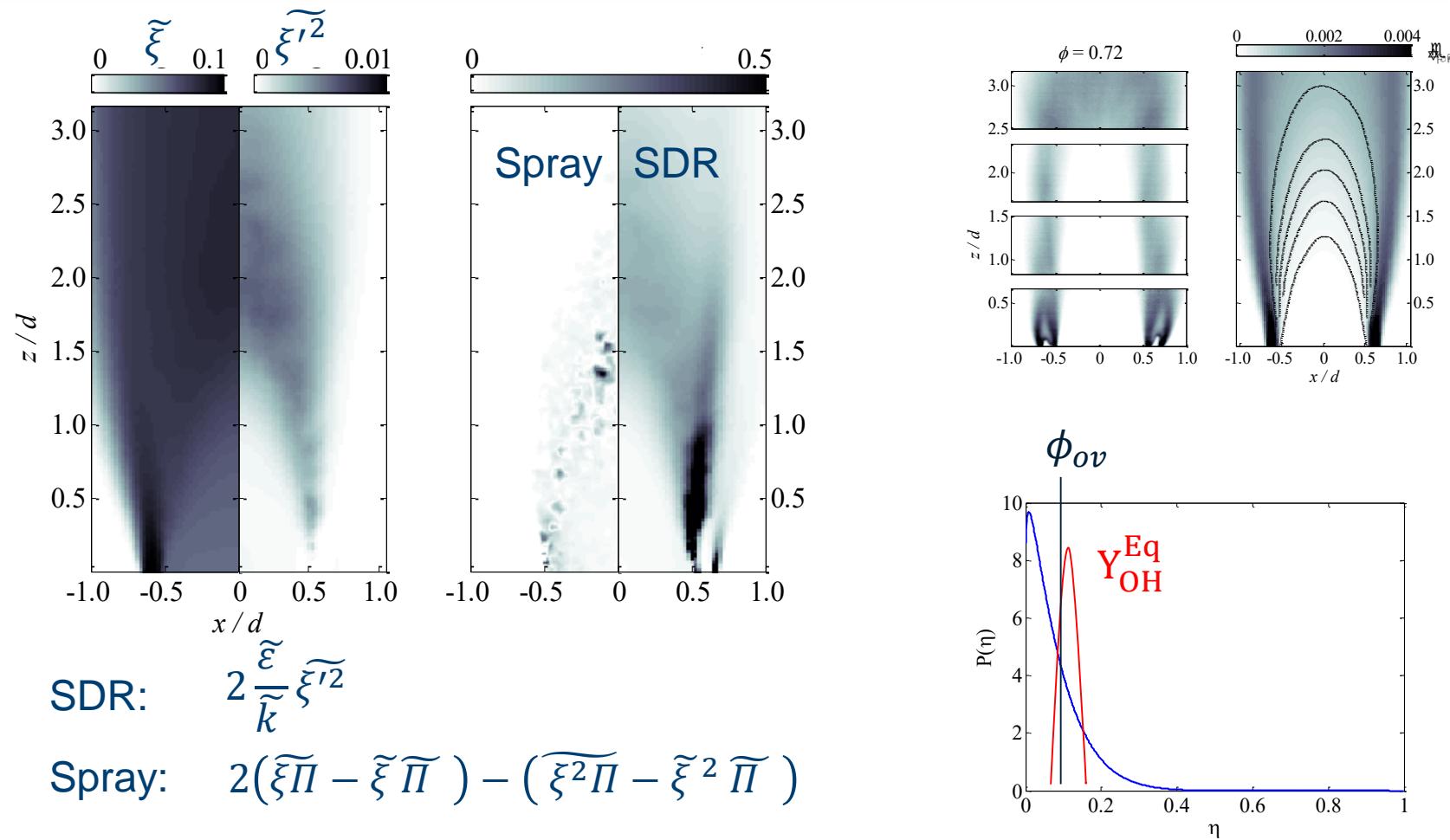
Simulation

$\widetilde{Y}_{\text{OH}}$



Mixture fraction variance

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- DCMC equation for spray flames $\frac{\partial Q_\alpha}{\partial t} + \dots$
- Preliminary application
- Experiment vs. Simulation
- Performance of the mixture fraction SDR model unsatisfactory

Future work:

Modelling of the spray terms