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Two-Layer Model for the Heat Transfer to Supercritical CO₂

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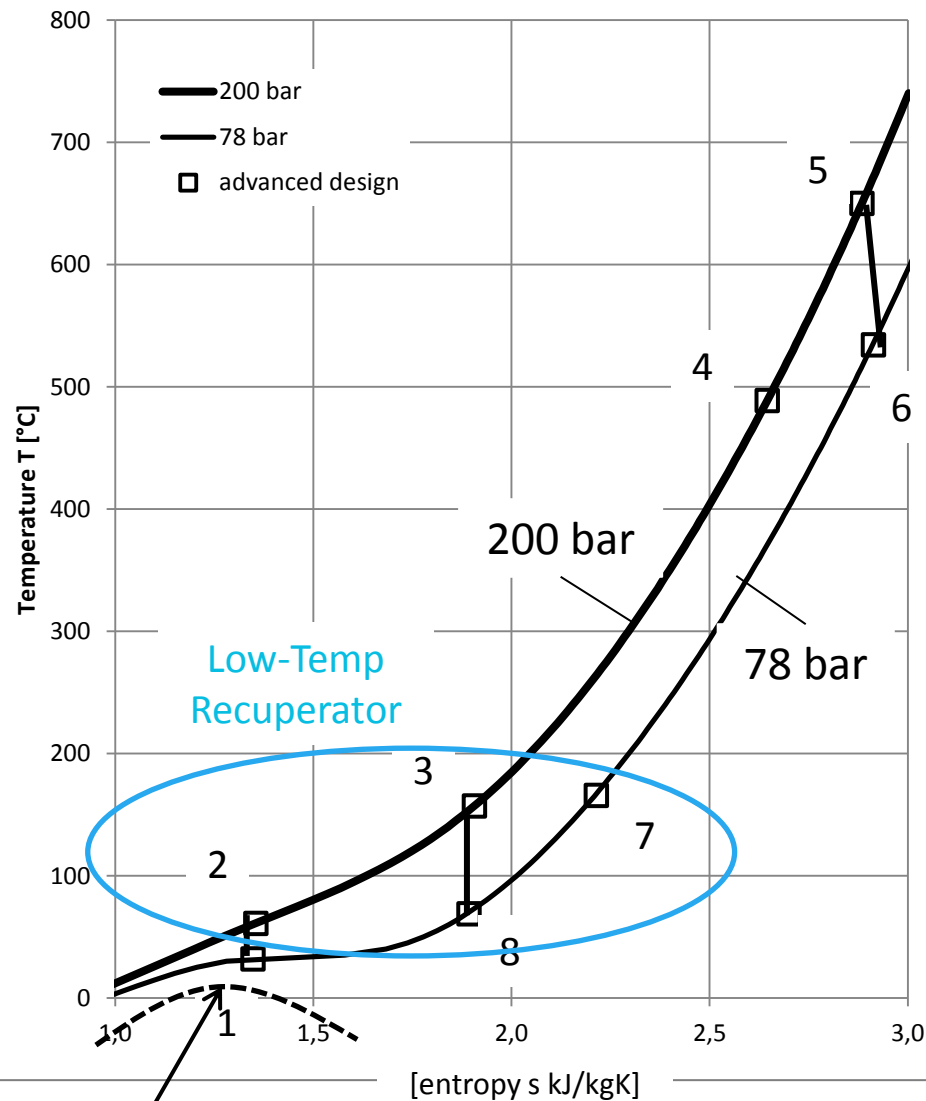
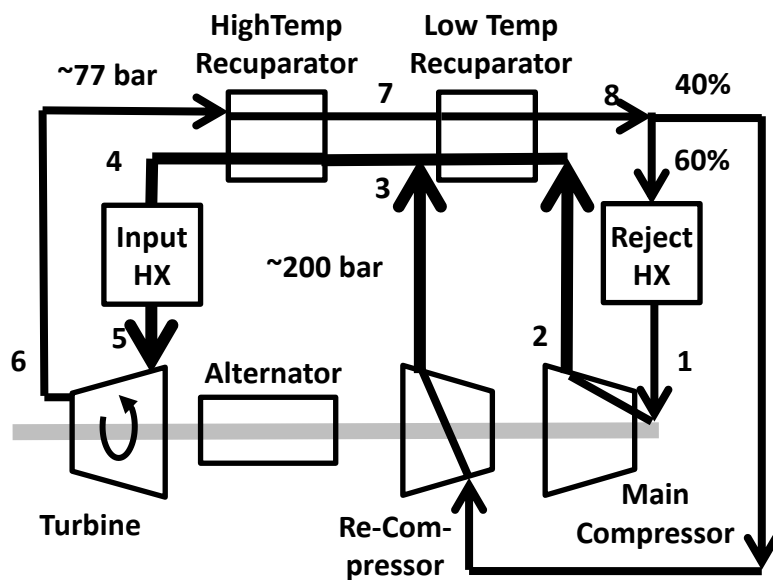


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Supercritical CO₂-Loop for Energy Conversion

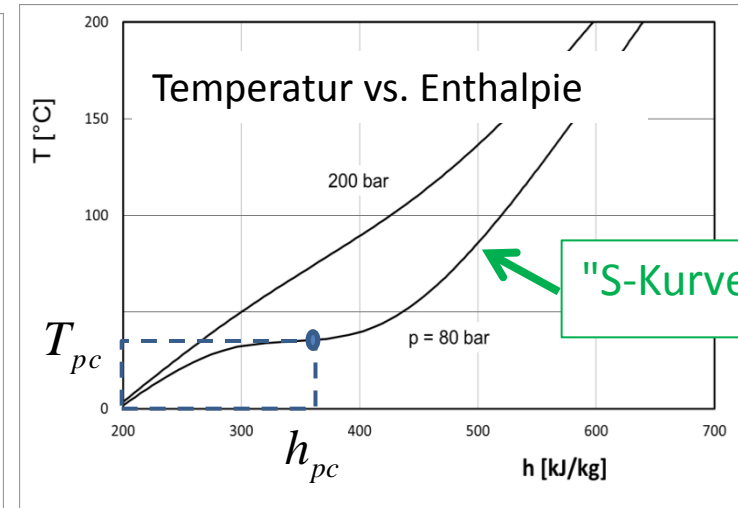
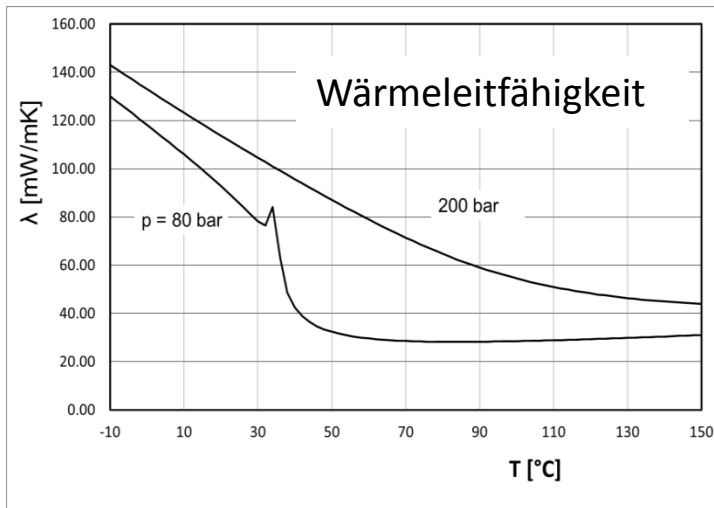
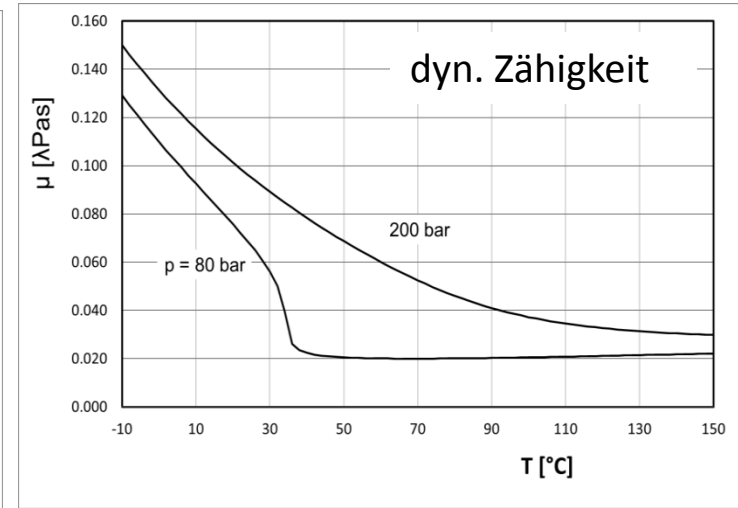
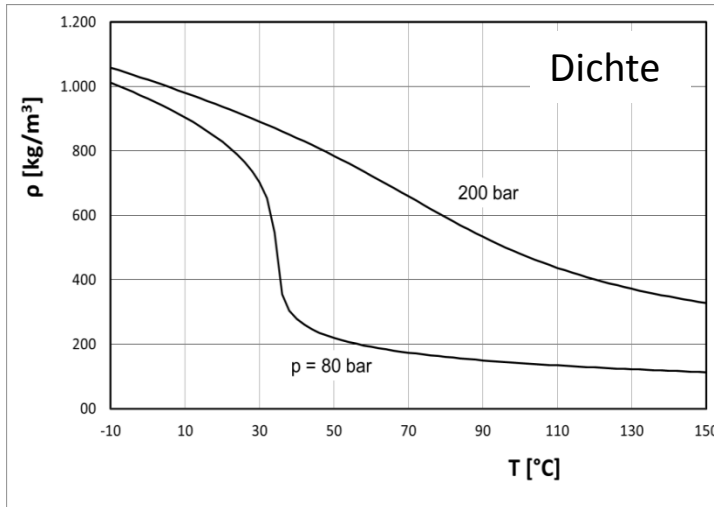
MIT-Study



V. Dostal, M.J. Driscoll, P. Hejzlar: A Supercritical Carbon Dioxide Cycle for Next Generation Nuclear Reactors, MIT-ANP-TR-100 (2004)

Fluid Properties

oc CO₂



vom Dittus-Boelter Typ

$$Nu_t = C_1 Re_t^{m_1} Pr_t^{m_2} \left(\frac{\rho_w}{\rho_b} \right)^{m_3} \left(\frac{\bar{c}_p}{c_{pT}} \right)^{m_4} C_2$$

Referenz	t	C ₁	m ₁	m ₂	m ₃	m ₄	C ₂
Bishop et al. [27]	b	0,0069	0,9	0,66	0,43	0,66	(1+2,4d/l)
Dittus-Boelter, nach [87]	b	0,023	0,8	0,4			
Friem [41]		0,0169	0,8356				$\bar{Pr}^{0,432} \cdot \Phi$
Jackson und Hall [58]	b	0,0183	0,82	0,5	0,3	n	
Lawson et al. [26]	w	0,00459	0,923	0,613	0,231	0,613	
Watts und Chou [38]	b	0,021	0,8	0,55	0,35	0,55	ϕ
Tomagata et al. [36]	b	0,0135	0,85	0,8			F_c

andere Typen

Petukhov et al. [21]

$$Nu_b = \frac{(\xi_0/8) Re_b \bar{Pr}_b}{\left[12,7 \sqrt{\xi_0/8} (\bar{Pr}_b^{2/3} - 1) + 1,07 \right]} \left(\frac{\eta_b}{\eta_w} \right)^{0,11} \left(\frac{\lambda_b}{\lambda_w} \right)^{-0,33} \left(\frac{\bar{c}_p}{c_{pb}} \right)$$

Razumovskiy et al. [39]

$$Nu_b = \frac{(\xi_{\beta}/8) Re_b \bar{Pr}_b}{1,07 + 12,7 \sqrt{\xi_{\beta}/8} (\bar{Pr}_b^{2/3} - 1)} \left(\frac{\bar{c}_p}{c_{pb}} \right)^{0,65}$$

Grass et al. [57]

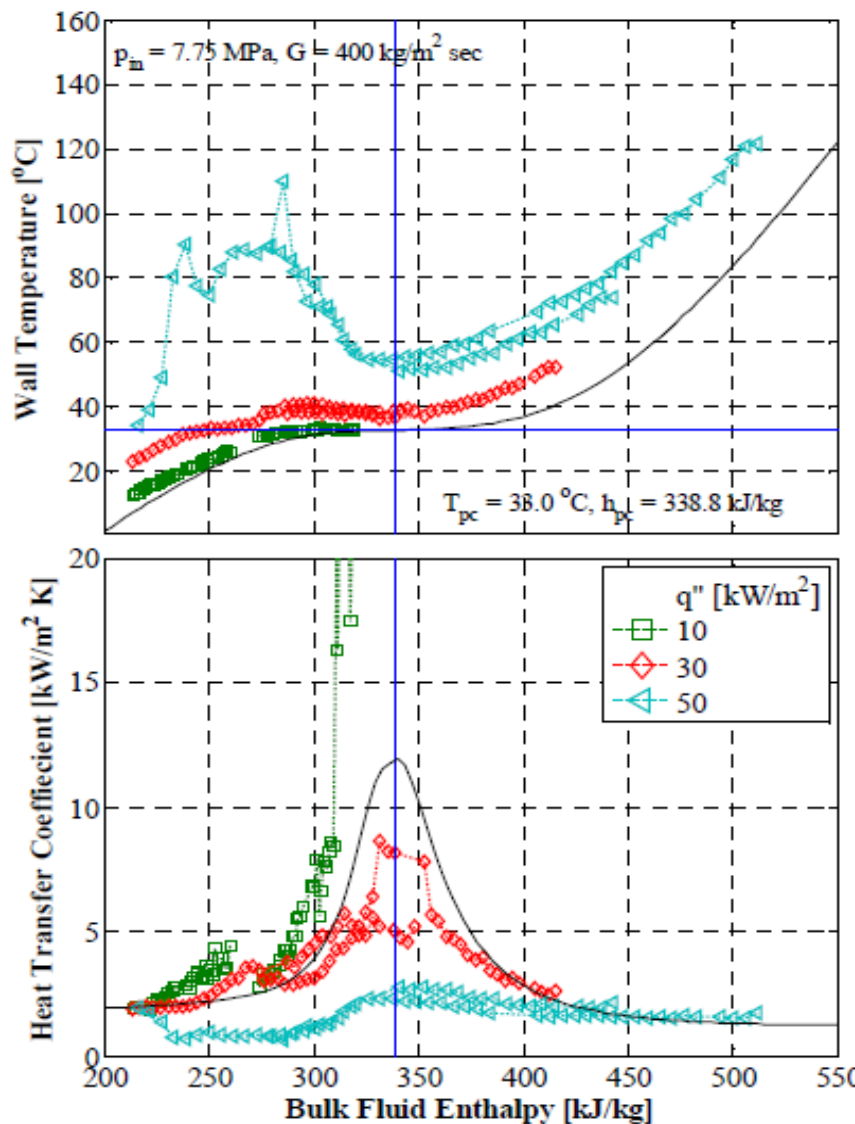
$$Nu_b = \frac{(\xi_0/8) Re_b Pr_b}{1,07 + 12,7 \sqrt{(\xi_0/8)} \left(Pr_G^{2/3} \frac{c_{pb}}{c_{pG}} - 1 \right)}$$

$$\xi_{\beta} = \xi_0 \left(\frac{\eta_w \rho_w}{\eta_b \rho_b} \right)^{0,18} ; \xi_0 = \left(1,821 \log \left(\frac{Re_b}{8} \right) \right)^{-2}$$

diese Korrelationen
sind oft sehr ungenau

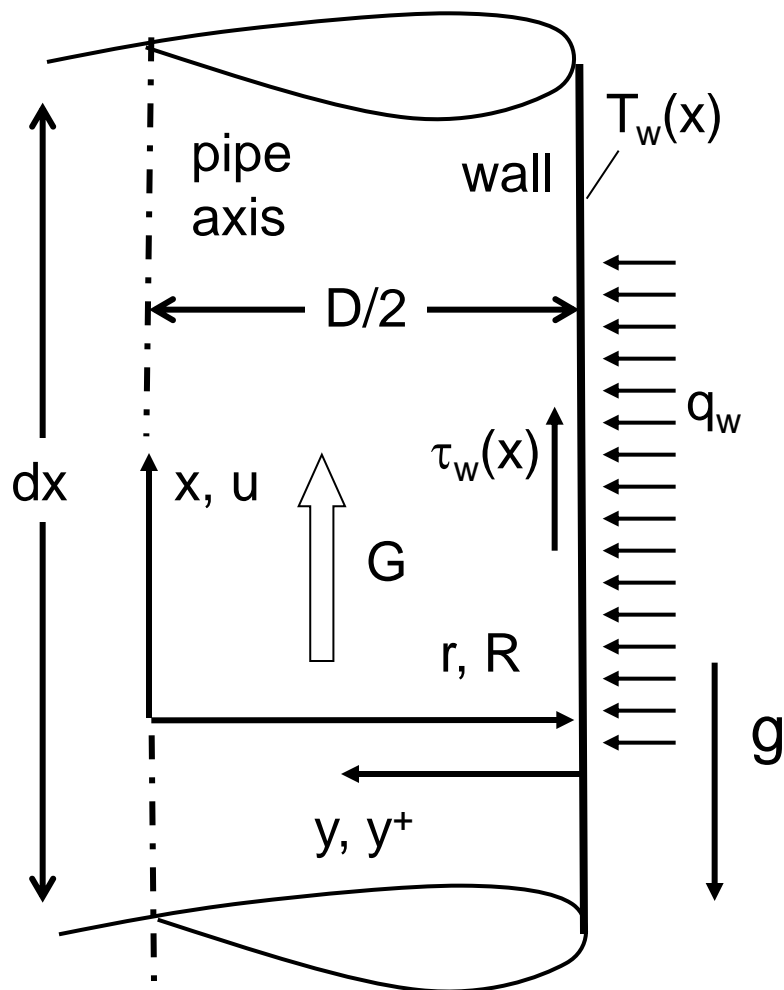
Experiments by Kim et al.

77.5 bar heated wall



Integration Domain an Governing Equations

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Theoretical Description Methods:

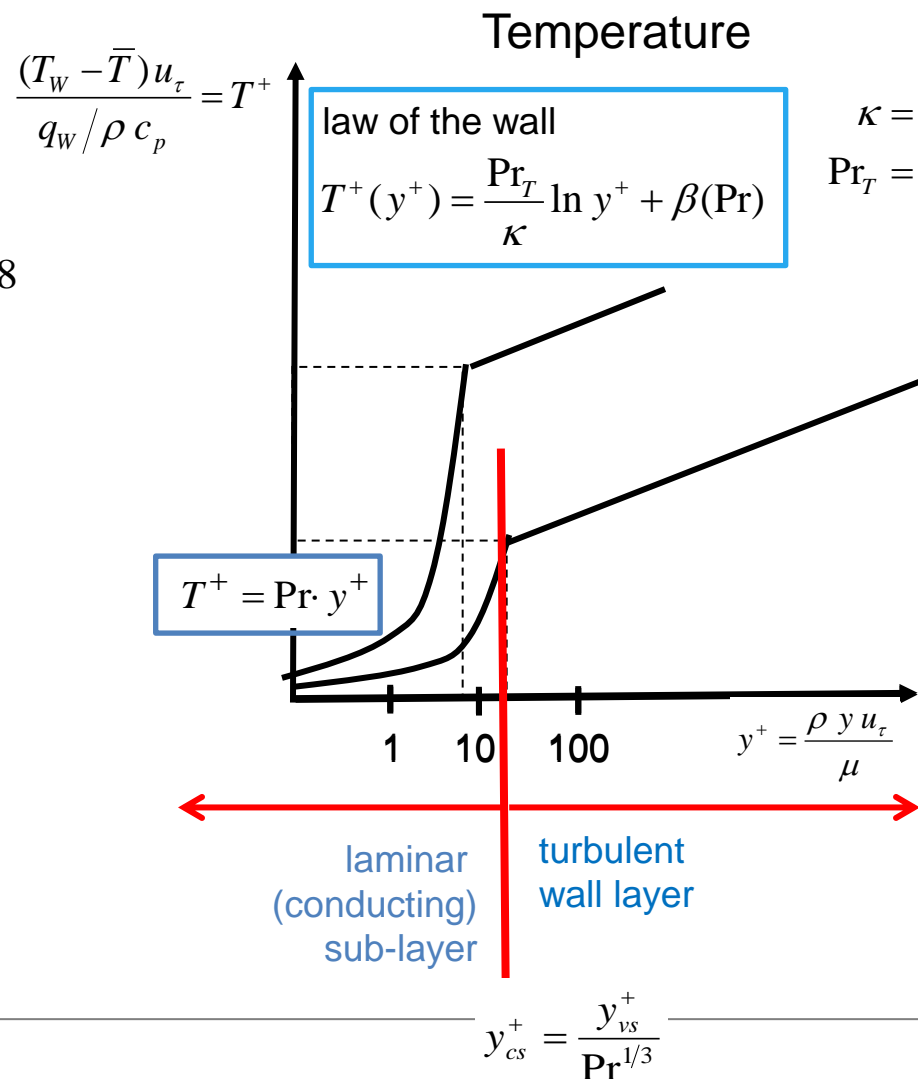
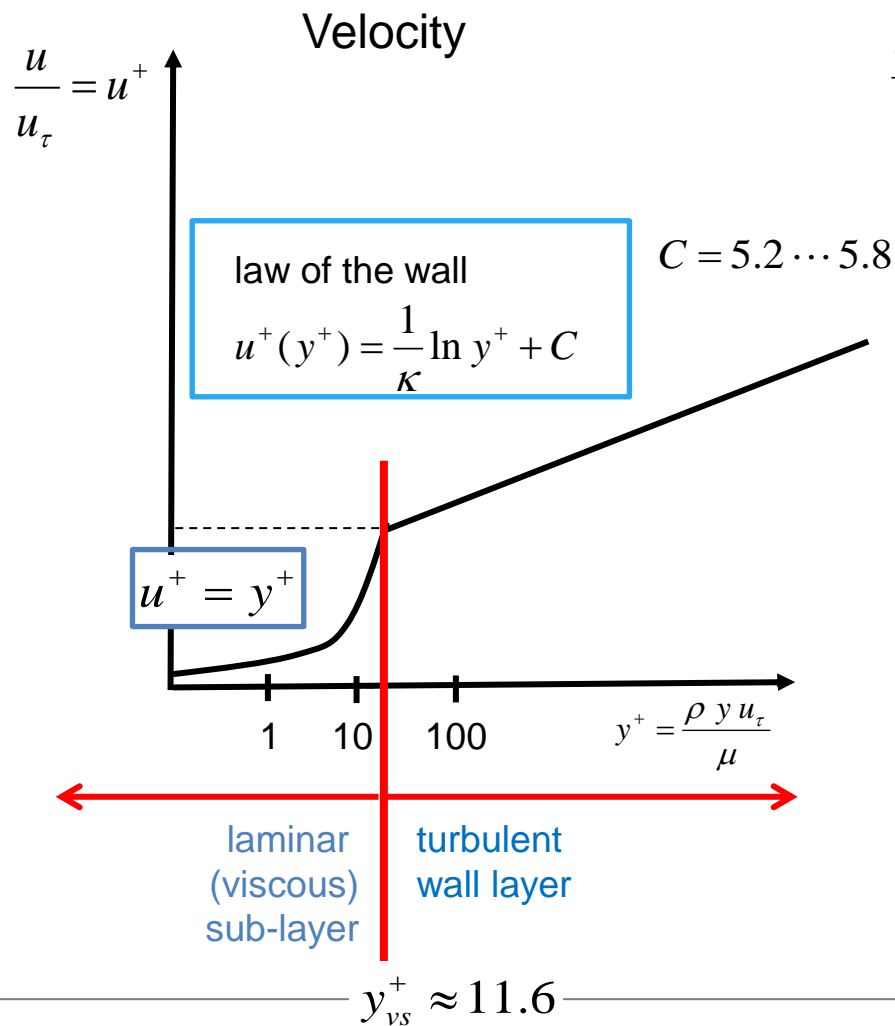
- Lookup Table
- CFD (RANS and DNS)
- 1-dimensional theory by Laurien 2012
- Explicit or implicit formulas (model equations), correlations

$$Nu = a \cdot Re^{e1} Pr^{e2} \left(\frac{\lambda_b}{\lambda_w} \right)^{e3} \left(\frac{\mu_b}{\mu_w} \right)^{e4} \left(\frac{\rho_b}{\rho_w} \right)^{e5} \left(\frac{c_{pb}}{c_{wb}} \right)^{e6}$$

Two-Layer Method

Constant Properties

$$\text{Re}_\tau = \frac{\rho D u_\tau}{\mu} = \sqrt{\frac{c_f}{8}} \text{Re} \rightarrow u_\tau$$



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Scaling with bulk quantities

$$y^{+w} = \frac{\rho_b y u_{zw}}{\mu_b} \quad u_{zb} = \sqrt{\frac{\tau_w}{\rho_b}}$$

Scaling with wall quantities

$$y^{+w} = \frac{\rho_w y u_{zw}}{\mu_w} \quad u_{zw} = \sqrt{\frac{\tau_w}{\rho_w}}$$

Friction

created at the wall

$$\text{Re}_w = \frac{\rho_w u_m D}{\mu_w} \quad \Bigg| \quad c'_f = \frac{\rho_b}{\rho_w} c_f$$



$$\tau_w = \frac{c_f}{8} \rho_b u_m^2$$

wall
shear stress

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{c'_f}} = -2 \log_{10} \left(\frac{\varepsilon/D}{3.7} + \frac{2.51}{\text{Re}_w \sqrt{c'_f}} \right)$$

Heat Transfer

turbulent Layer (*turb*)

$$\Delta T_{turb}^{+b} = \frac{\Delta T_{turb} u_{zb}}{q_w / \rho_b c_b}$$

$$\Delta T_{turb}^{+b} = \frac{\text{Pr}_T}{\kappa} (\ln R^{+b} - \ln y_{cs}^{+b})$$

conducting sublayer (*cs*)

$$\Delta T_{cs}^{+} = \frac{\Delta T_{cs} u_{zw}}{q_w / \rho_w c_w}$$

$$\Delta T_{cs}^{+w} = \text{Pr}_w^{2/3} y_{vs}^{+w}$$



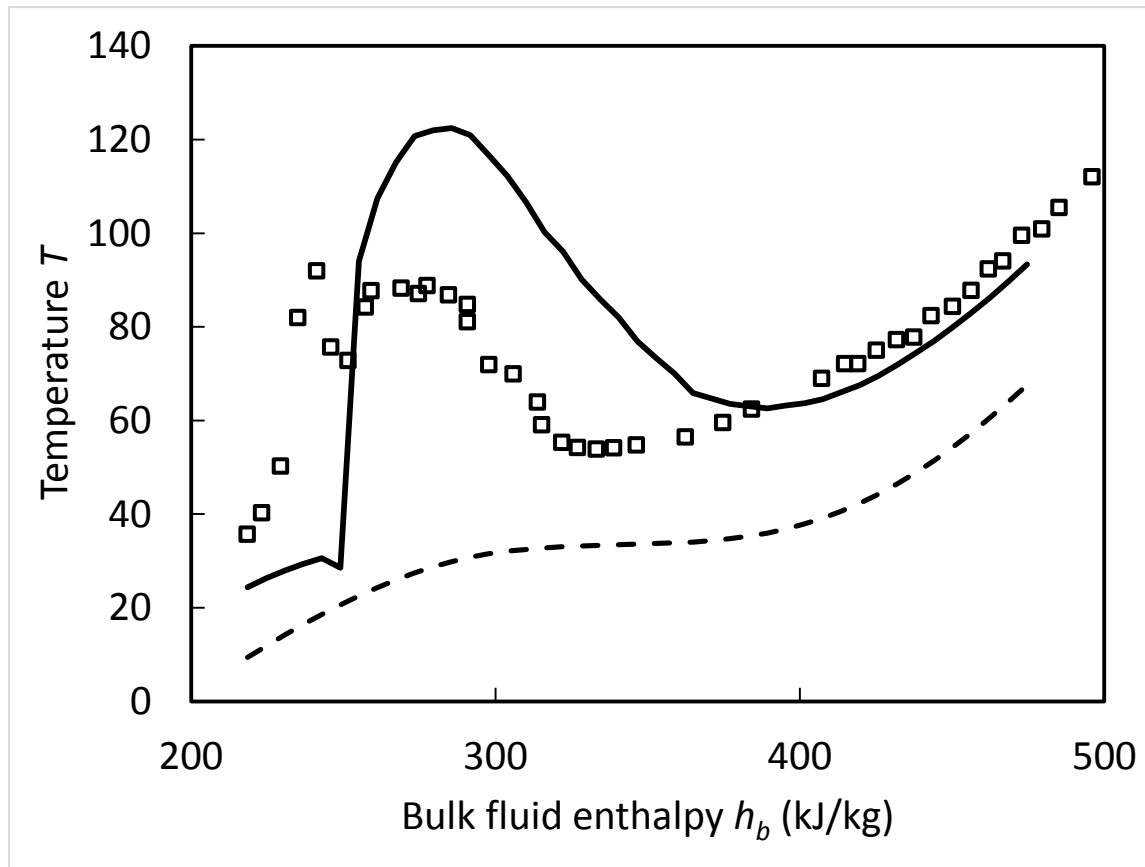
$$T_{cs} = T_b + \Delta T_{turb}$$

$$T_w = T_{cs} + \Delta T_{cs}$$

temperature
increase

Result of the Original Method

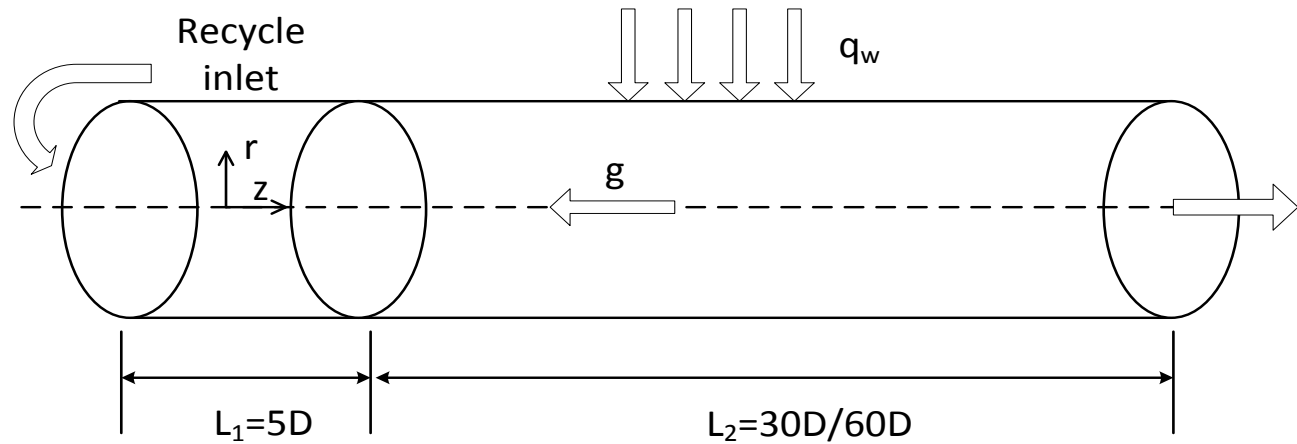
Experiment Li et al.



deterioration can be predicted, but some inaccuracies remain

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Re	5400	9000
L_2	30D	60D
Δr_1^+	0.16	0.17
Δz^+	7.6	6.6
$(R\Delta\theta)^+$	9.6	9.5
no of cells	22-70 Mio.	150 Mio.

Autor: Xu Chu, IKE

Code: OpenFoam

Cray XC-40 'HazelHen' des HLRS

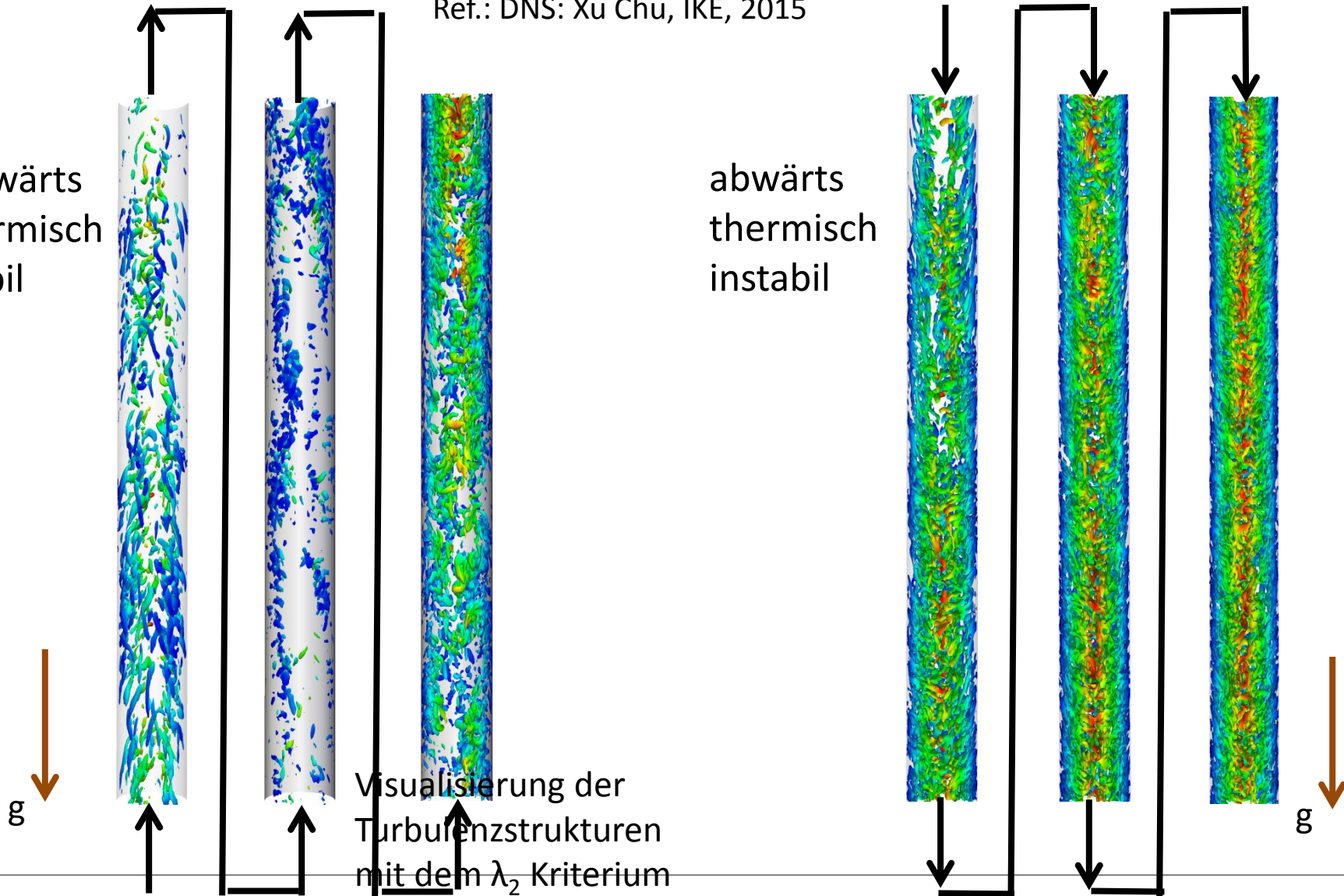
ca. 1000 CPU-cores

Re = 5400 Vertikales beheiztes Rohr

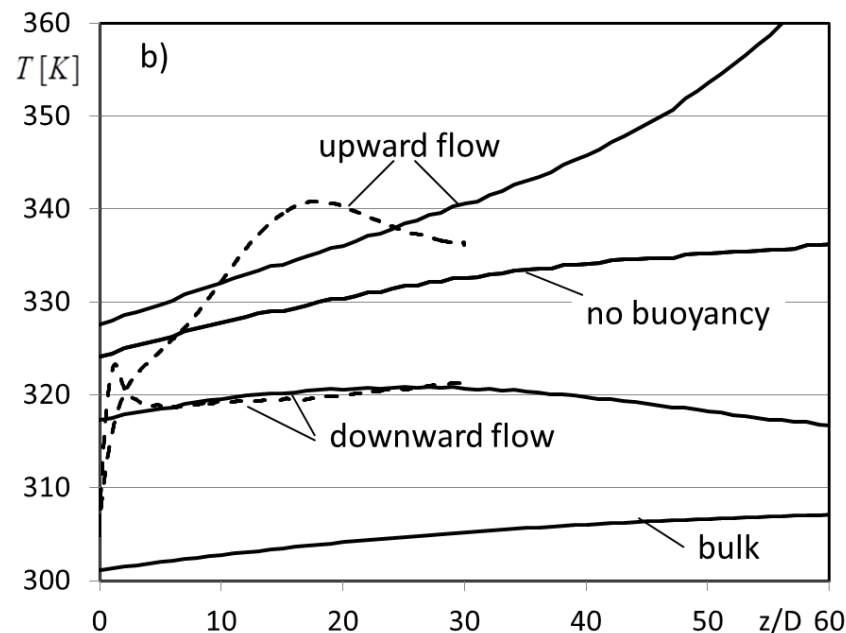
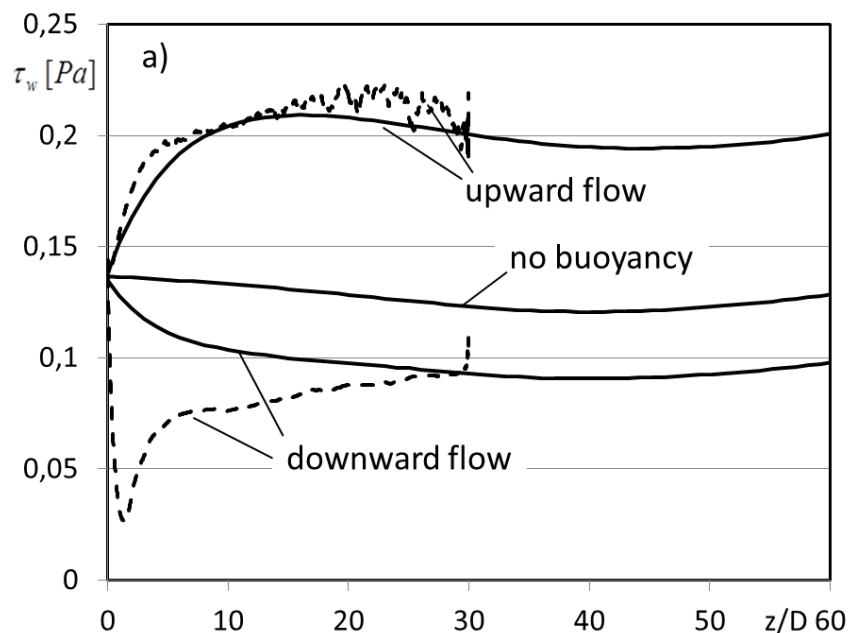
Ref.: DNS: Xu Chu, IKE, 2015

aufwärts
thermisch
stabil

abwärts
thermisch
instabil



Calibration of the Method



Extension of the Method

to take account of acceleration and buoyancy

Implementation in the method

Acceleration Parameter

$$K_v = \frac{4q_w \mu_b u_m}{GD \rho_b^2} \left. \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial h} \right|_b ; \quad \left. \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial h} \right|_b = \frac{\rho_b \beta_b}{c_{pb}}$$

$$y_{vs}^{+w} = 11.8 + c_v K_v$$

Parameter for the 'structural' effect of buoyancy

$$Ri_b = \frac{Gr_b}{Re_b^2}$$

$$y_{cs}^{+w} = \frac{11.8}{Pr_{cs}^{1/3}} - c_{buoy,in} \cdot Ri_b$$

Parameter for the 'external' effect of buoyancy

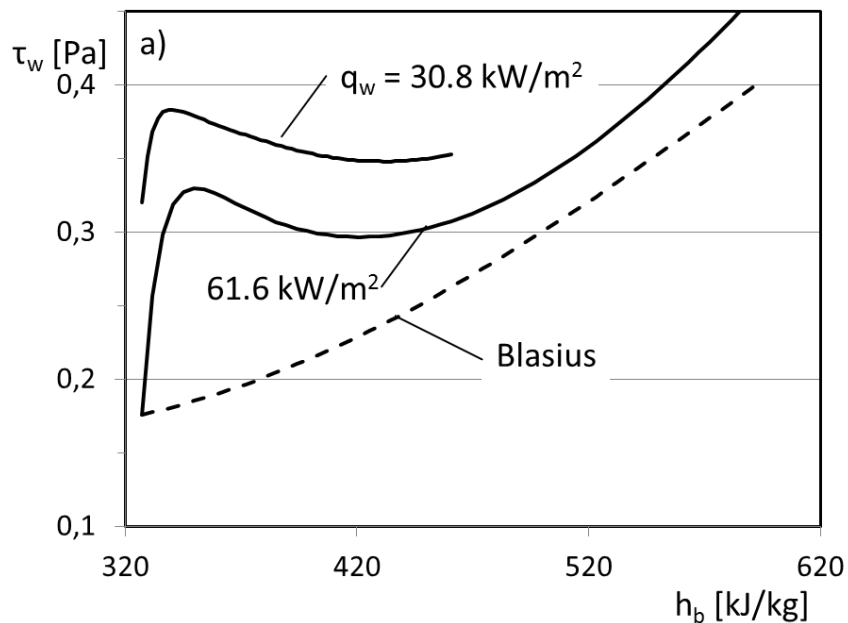
$$Gr_w = \frac{g \beta_w \rho_w^2 D^3 |T_b - T_w|}{\mu_w^2}$$

$$\tau_{w,mod} = \tau_w + (c_{buoy,ex} \times 10^{-7} Gr_w) (1 - e^{-z/5D})$$

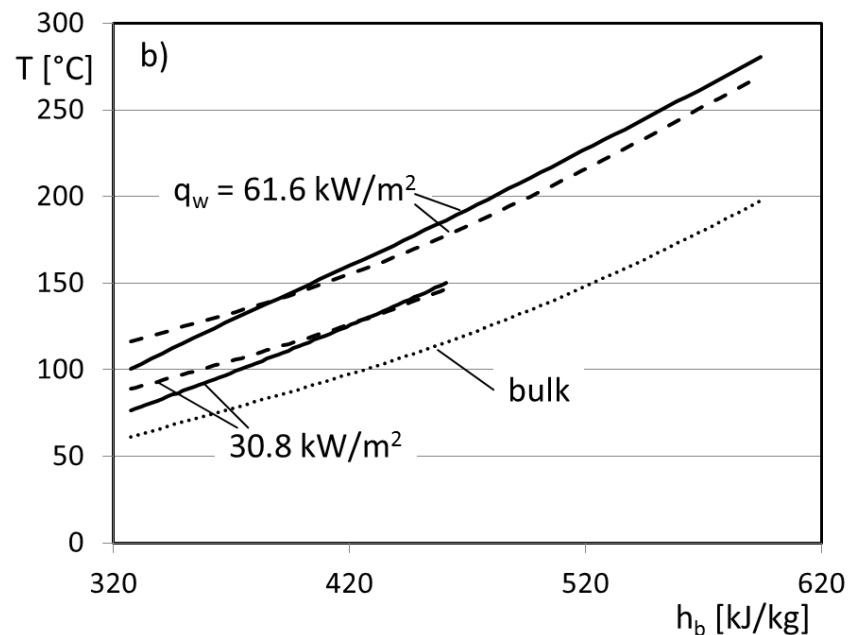
Low-Temperature Recuperator, Secondary Side

200 bar upward flow

wall shear stress



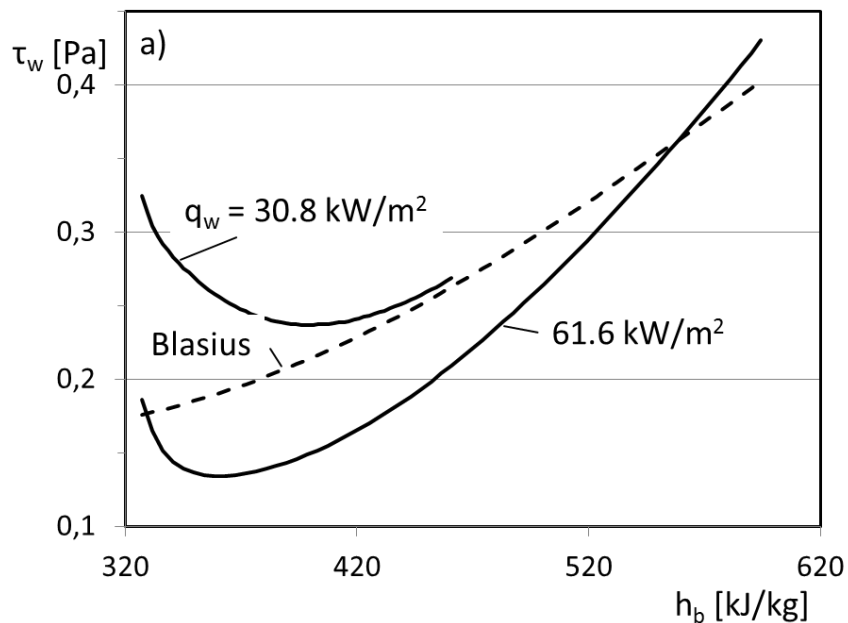
wall temperature



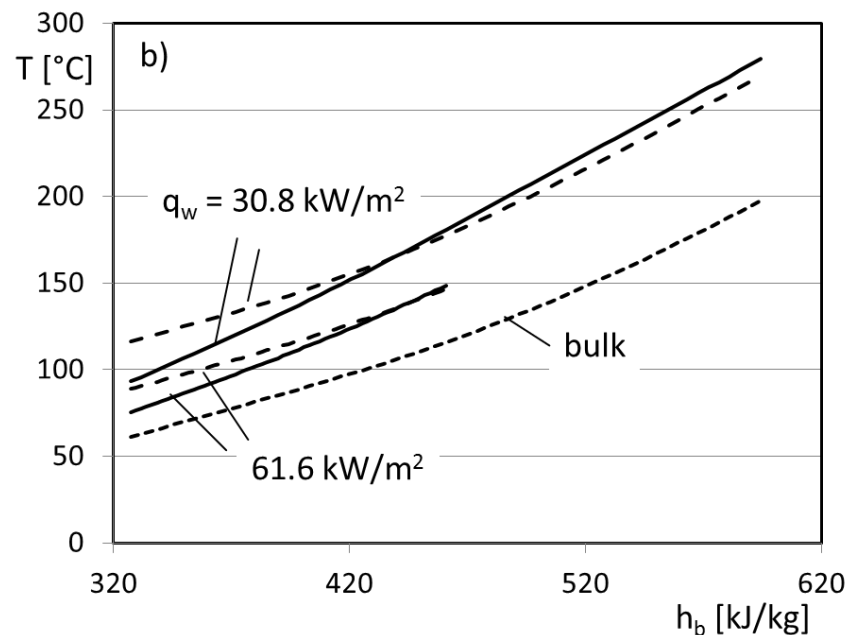
Low-Temperature Recuperator, Secondary Side

200 bar downward flow

wall shear stress



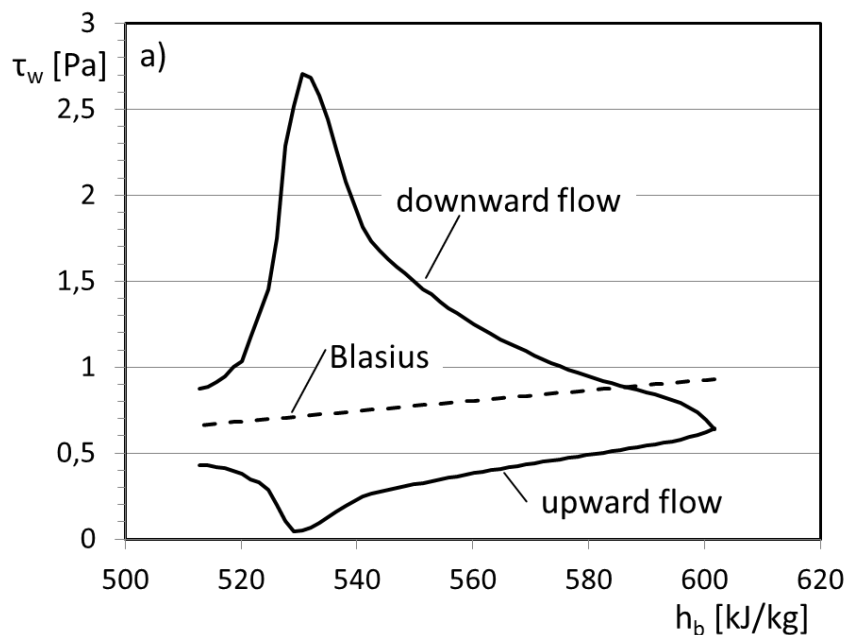
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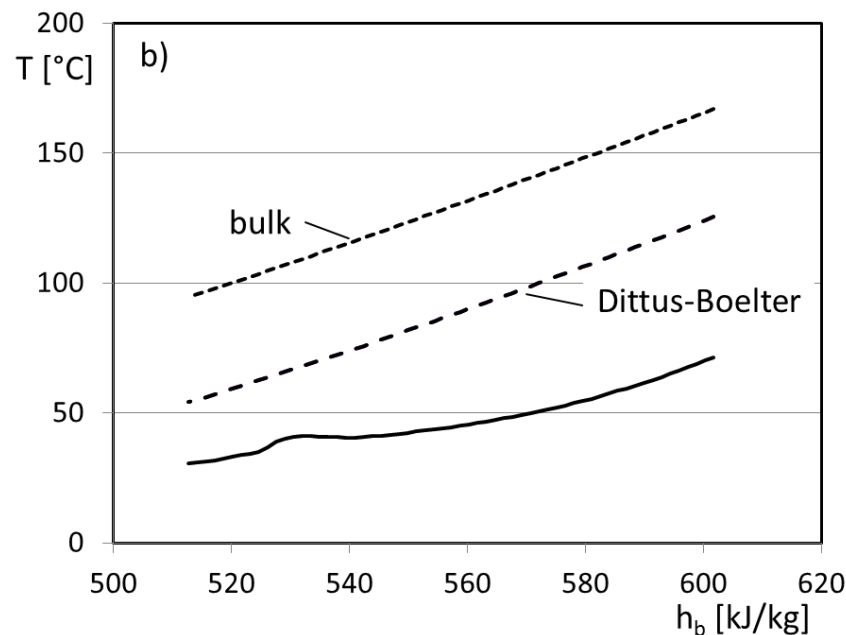
Low-Temperature Recuperator, Primary Side

80 bar cooling

wall shear stress



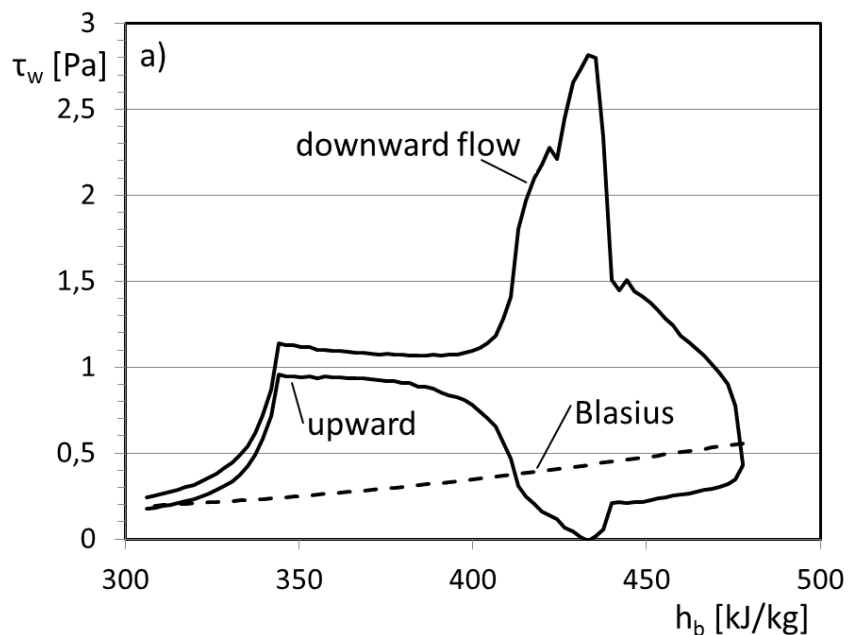
wall temperature



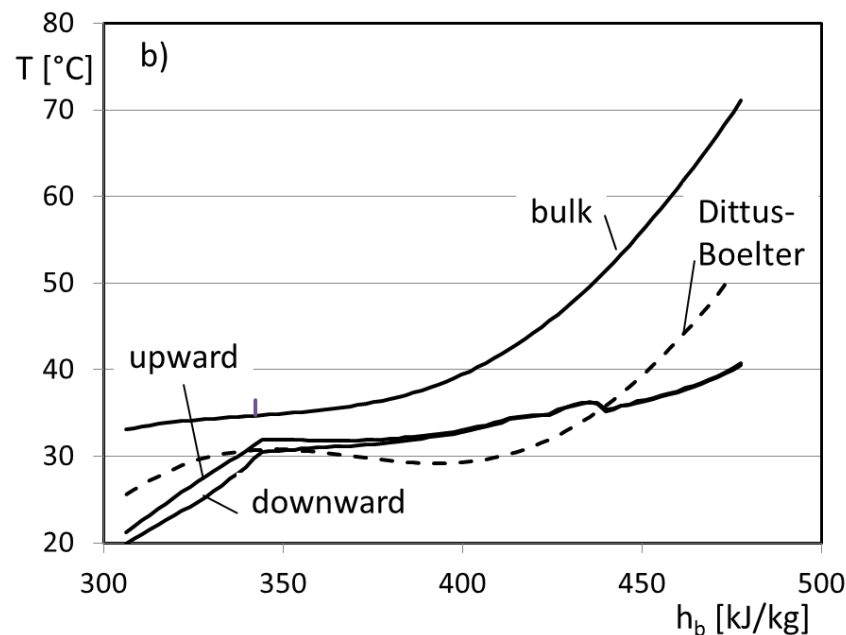
Reject-Heat Exchanger

80 bar cooling

wall shear stress



wall temperature



Conclusion

- The two-layer model has been modified to take account of buoyancy and acceleration in a vertical (upward or downward) supercritical pipe flow at low Reynolds numbers ($Re < 10000$)
- Wall temperature and wall shear stress are determined as a function of pressure, pipe diameter, wall heat flux (heating or cooling), mass flux, and bulk enthalpy
- Empirical model parameters have been determined using two results of Direct Numerical Simulations
 - must be extended by further work (in progress)
- Model is applied to flows in the low-temperature recuperator and the reject-heat exchanger