



M1 combustion test benches

Identification of the installation/facility:

Country: FRANCE City: Palaiseau

Name of the facility: M1 test bench

Date of construction or of acquisition or of main refurbishment: 1999

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Technical characteristics:

1 - Type of infrastructure	
Wind tunnel	
Propulsion bench	\boxtimes
Structures facility	
Material facility	
Simulator (ex. Flight simulator, tower,)	
Flight test bed (aircraft, embedded facilities,)	
Supercomputers	
Other	

2 - Main technical characteristics

The M1 test bench is a part of ATD Laboratories (Aerothermodynamics Laboratories) located in Onera Palaiseau Center. It is used for applied research testing on combustors, combustor components, single sector and injection system performances on tubular combustor (ignition limits, stability limits, pollutant emission measurements, etc...)
There are 3 flow lines available.

Maximum Air mass flow: 4 kg/s Maximum pressure: 3 Mpa Minimum pressure: 0.06 Mpa Maximum temperature: 870 K

Type of fuel: Kerosen and biofuels (maximum pressure 8 MPa), propane C3H8

(maximum pressure1.7 MPa)

3 - Research domains which can be addressed (refer to ACARE taxonomy http://www.acare4europe.com/docs/ASD-Annex-final-211004-out-asd.pdf)

Propulsion/ Combustion

- Combustor operability
- Combustion technologies for reducing emissions produce by conventional engines configurations
- Enhance mixing design / technologies for lean combustion
- Multi-point fuel injection
- 4 Main (or specific) associated measurement techniques





-Dedicated to the bench : pressure, temperature, mass flow rate, gas analysis

-Specific measurements : non intrusive optical measurement methods (LDV, PIV, PLIF, CARS,...)

- 5 Operational status
- Fully operational (hours available in 2010): about 250h

6 - Picture



Financial elements:

Replacement cost (MEuros)	
Less than 10	
10 to 30	
30 to 60	
60 to 100	
More than 100	

Practices concerning:

Access policy (contract, voucher, free access for research, etc...): Contract

Support (regional, national, European, private, ...): regional, national, European, private (industries.

Origin of information ('signature'): author and date

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