

Brief Resume

Name : T. N. Venkatesh

Academic record

B.Tech	I.I.T. Madras	1991	Aerospace Engg.
M.E	I.I.Sc. Bangalore	1993	Aerospace Engg.
PhD	I.I.Sc. Bangalore	2003	Aerospace Engg.

Thesis title: A vortex merger theory for tropical cyclogenesis.

Professional record

Working at NAL since 1993.

Present post:

Chief Scientist,
Computational & Theoretical Fluid Dynamics Division,
National Aerospace Laboratories,
Council of Scientific and Industrial Research,
PB 1779, Bangalore 560017.

Fields of specialization

Computational Fluid Dynamics, Vortex methods, Parallel Computing, Atmospheric flows, Numerical Weather Prediction, Spectral methods, Visualization, Aviation Weather

Awards

- Sabita Chaudhuri Memorial Award for the best ME student in the department of Aerospace Engineering, IISc. for the year 92-93.
- NAL Team award for Outstanding performance in Design, Development and Project Execution for "*Development of 32 processor Flosolver Mk5*"
August 2000
- NAL Outstanding performance for Excellence in the area of Technology "*Computational methodology and CFD software development for estimation of power-on effects of Saras Mk2 aircraft*"
August 2022

Sabbaticals: Visiting Scientist : November 2010 - November 2011 Department of Aerospace Engineering and Divecha Center for Climate Change, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore

Number of Journal publications : 19

Copyrights : 1

Patents : 1

Membership of societies : Member of the Aeronautical Society of India.

List of journal publications

1. Monsoon forecasting on parallel computers,
U. N. Sinha, Sarasamma, V. R., Rajalakshmy, S., Subramaniam, K. R., Bhardwaj, P. V. R., Chandrashekhar, C. S., Venkatesh, T. N., Sunder, R., Basu, B. K., Gadgil, S. and Raju, A., *Current Science*, Vol. 67, No. 3, 178–184, 1994.
2. Scalability of the parallel GCM-T80 code
T. N. Venkatesh, Rajalakshmy Sivaramakrishnana, Sarasamma V. R. and U. N. Sinha
Current Science, Vol. 75, No. 7, 1998.
3. Computational weather modelling
U. N. Sinha, Ravi Nanjundiah and T. N. Venkatesh
Current Science, Vol. 77, No. 10, 1999.
4. A Scalable parallel architecture for spectral GCMs
T. N. Venkatesh, U. N. Sinha and Ravi Nanjundiah
in "Developments in Terracomputing", *World Scientific: 2001*
Proceedings of the Ninth ECMWF Workshop on the Use of High Performance Computing in Meteorology held at Reading, England during November 2000.
5. Prediction of tropical cyclone genesis using a vortex merger index
T. N. Venkatesh and Joseph Mathew
Geophysical Research Letters, Vol. 31, L04105, 19 February 2004.
6. Super-linear speed-up of a parallel multigrid Navier-Stokes solver on Flosolver
T. N. Venkatesh, V. R. Sarasamma, Rajalakshmy S., Kirti Chandra Sahu and Rama Govindarajan
Current Science, Vol. 88, No. 4, 25 February 2005, 589 – 593.
7. Mesoscale interactions during the genesis and intensification of the 1999 Orissa super-cyclone
T. N. Venkatesh
Mausam, **57**, 1, 31–36, 2006.
8. Preliminary results on the simulation of the 1999 Orissa supercyclone using a GCM with a new boundary layer code
T. N. Venkatesh, Vidyadhar Mudkavi, S. Rajalakshmy, V. R. Sarasamma, U. N. Sinha and R. Narasimha
Mausam, **57**, 1, 119–128, 2006.

9. Isentropic Swirling Flow Through Supersonic Nozzles; Part I (Free Vortex Flow)
S. Vaidyanathan, T. N. Venkatesh and Krishna Mohan
Journal of Aerospace Sciences and Technologies, February 2006.
10. Role of precision in meteorological computing: a study using the NMITLI Varsha GCM
– T. N. Venkatesh and U. N. Sinha, in "Use of high performance computing in meteorology" Edited by George Mozdzynski, *World Scientific* 2007
11. A numerical study of the role of vertical structure of vorticity during tropical cyclone genesis
T. N. Venkatesh and Joseph Mathew
Fluid Dynamics Research, **42** (2010) 045506 (21pp)
12. "Relative effect of slope and equilibrium line altitude on the retreat of Himalayan glaciers"
T. N. Venkatesh, A. V. Kulkarni and J. Srinivasan
The Cryosphere, 6, 301 – 311, 15 March 2012
13. "The problem of clear air turbulence: changing perspectives in the understanding of the phenomenon "
T. N. Venkatesh and Joseph Mathew
Sadhana Vol. 38, Part 4, August 2013, pp. 707–722.
14. "Secondary instability as a possible mechanism for clear-air turbulence: a case study"
T. N. Venkatesh, Joseph Mathew and Ravi S. Nanjundiah
Meteorology and Atmospheric Physics: Volume 126, Issue 3 (2014), Page 139-160
15. "CFD analysis for siting wind-turbines on high-rise buildings"
Veena K., Asha V., Arshad Shameem C. and T. N. Venkatesh
Journal of Physics, Conference series, 822,012013, 2017
16. "Study of a possible wake-vortex encounter of an aircraft over the Arabian Sea"
T. N. Venkatesh, Arshad Shameem C. and Saravanakumar J.
Journal of Physics, Conference series, 822,012049, 2017
17. "Numerical simulation of flow over an airport during a low-level wind shear event"
Arshad Shameem C., J. Saravanakumar and T. N. Venkatesh
Journal of Aerospace Sciences and Technologies, Volume 71, pp 24 – 29, 2019
18. "Estimation of turbulent heat transfer rates for flow over buildings using OpenFOAM"
K. Veena, K.M. Parammasivam and T. N. Venkatesh
Journal of Aerospace Sciences and Technologies, Volume 71, No.2, pp 208 – 213, 2019
19. "Urban Heat Island studies: Current status in India and a comparison with International studies"
K. Veena K., K. M. Parammasivam and T. N. Venkatesh
J. Earth Syst. Sci 129 85, 2020

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Registration number : SW-3745/2008
Title : VARSHA-2C - A software for numerical weather prediction
Language : C
Author : T. N. Venkatesh, NAL, Bangalore, 560017
Date : 14-01-2008

Patents

Indian Patent
Patent number : 208824
Title of invention : A device for scalable inter-nodal communication
in a parallel computing system
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