

A FIRST-ORDER TURBULENCE MODEL FOR VISCOELASTIC FENE-P FLUIDS

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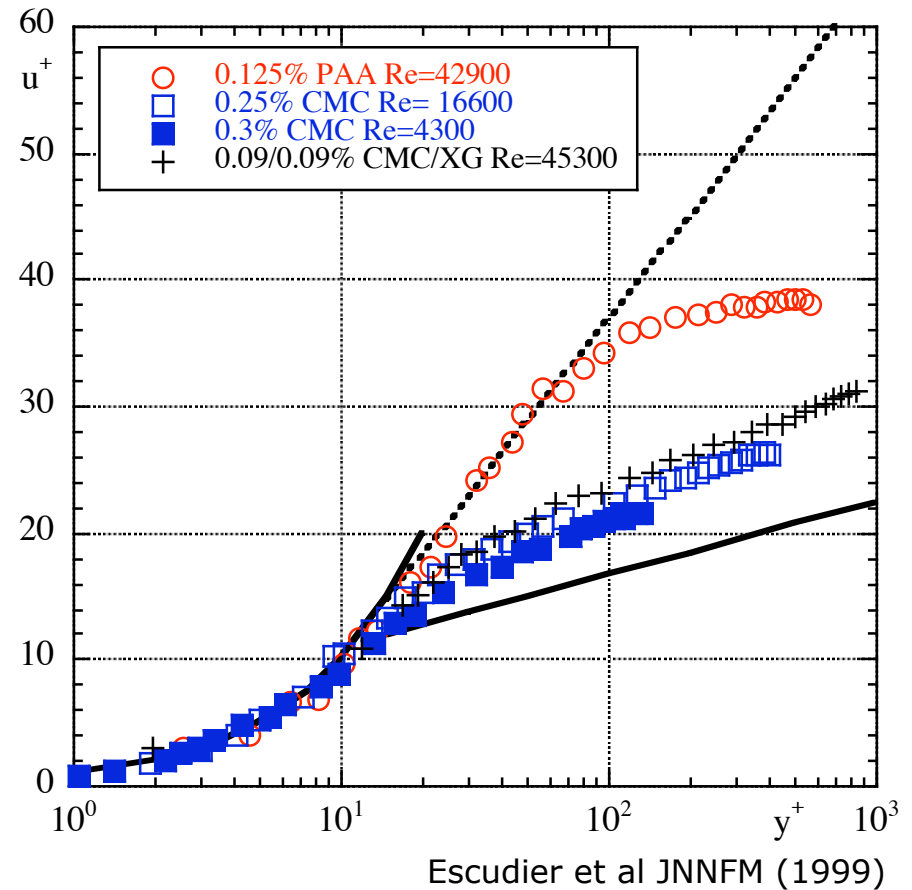
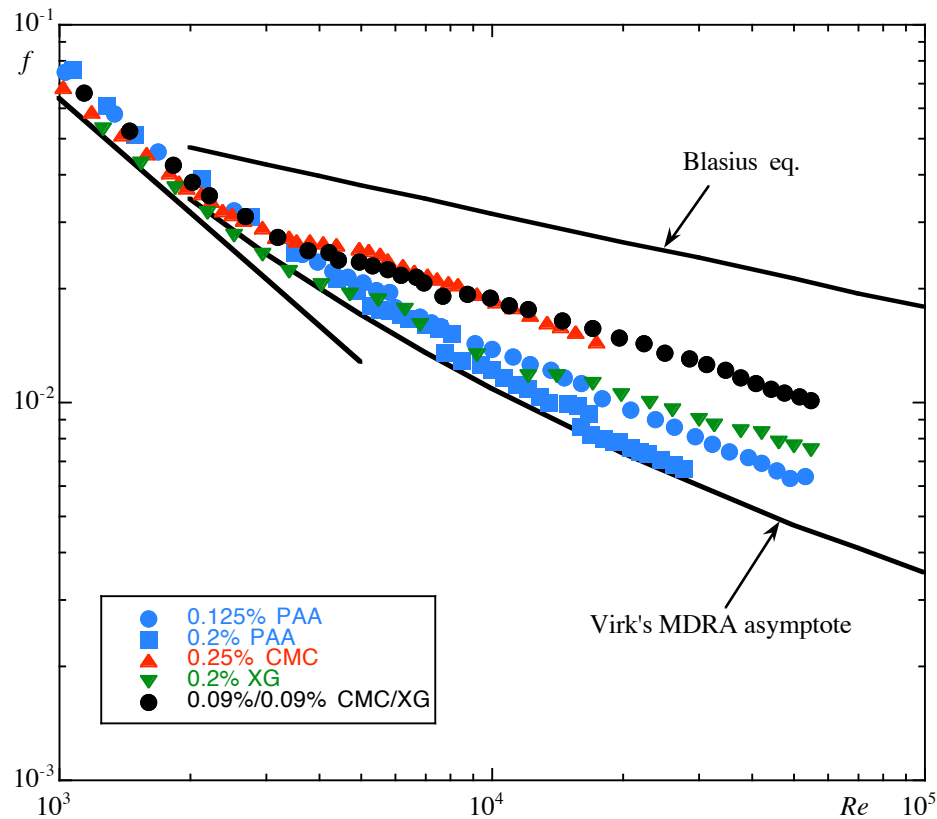
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Relevance: drag reduction in turbulent pipe flow



- Reduction of shear Reynolds stress (DR)
- Increase of normal streamwise Reynolds stress
- Dampening of normal radial and tangential Reynolds stress

Deficit of Reynolds stress

Time-average governing equations: turbulent flow & FENE-P

Continuity: $\frac{\partial U_i}{\partial x_i} = 0$

^ - instantaneous

Overbar or capital letter - time-average

' or small letter - fluctuations

Momentum balance:

$$\rho \frac{\partial U_i}{\partial t} + \rho U_k \frac{\partial U_i}{\partial x_k} = -\frac{\partial \bar{p}}{\partial x_i} + \eta_s \frac{\partial^2 U_i}{\partial x_k \partial x_k} - \frac{\partial}{\partial x_k} \left(\overline{\rho u_i u_k} \right) + \frac{\partial \bar{\tau}_{ik,p}}{\partial x_k}$$

Rheological constitutive equation: **FENE-P** $\bar{\tau}_{ij} = 2\eta_s S_{ij} + \bar{\tau}_{ij,p}$

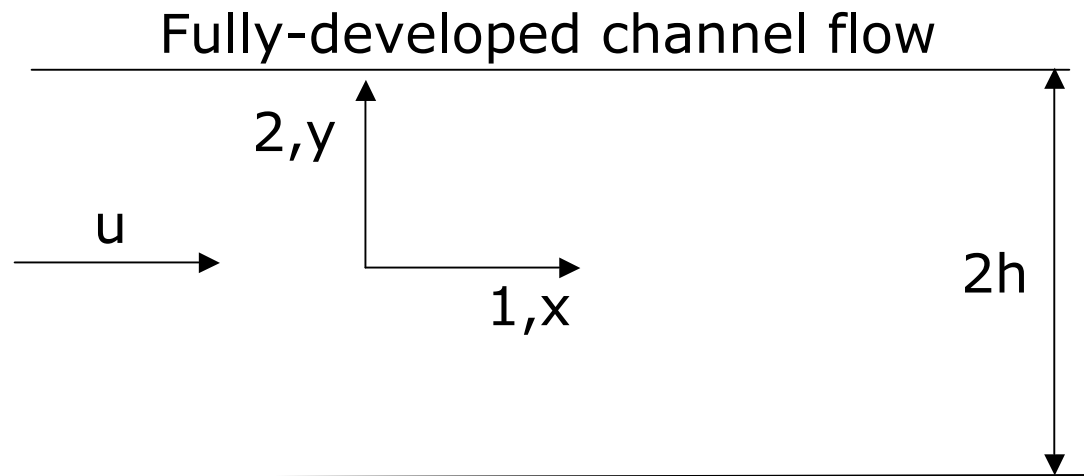
$$\hat{\tau}_{ij,p} = \frac{\eta_p}{\lambda} \left[f(\hat{C}_{kk}) \hat{C}_{ij} - f(L) \delta_{ij} \right]$$

$$f(\hat{C}_{kk}) \hat{C}_{ij} + \lambda \left(\frac{\partial \hat{C}_{ij}}{\partial t} + \hat{U}_k \frac{\partial \hat{C}_{ij}}{\partial x_k} - \hat{C}_{jk} \frac{\partial \hat{U}_i}{\partial x_k} - \hat{C}_{ik} \frac{\partial \hat{U}_j}{\partial x_k} \right) = f(L) \delta_{ij}$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial \hat{C}_{ij}}{\partial t} + \hat{U}_k \frac{\partial \hat{C}_{ij}}{\partial x_k} - \hat{C}_{jk} \frac{\partial \hat{U}_i}{\partial x_k} - \hat{C}_{ik} \frac{\partial \hat{U}_j}{\partial x_k} \right) = \hat{C}_{ij}^\nabla = -\frac{\hat{\tau}_{ij,p}}{\eta_p}$$

DNS case: LDR

DNS, DR=18% (LDR)



$$We_\tau = 25, Re_\tau = 395$$

$$\beta = 0.9, L^2 = 900$$

$$We_\tau = \frac{\lambda u_\tau^2}{\nu_0}$$

$$Re_\tau = \frac{h u_\tau}{\nu_0}$$

Reynolds decomposition of conformation tensor

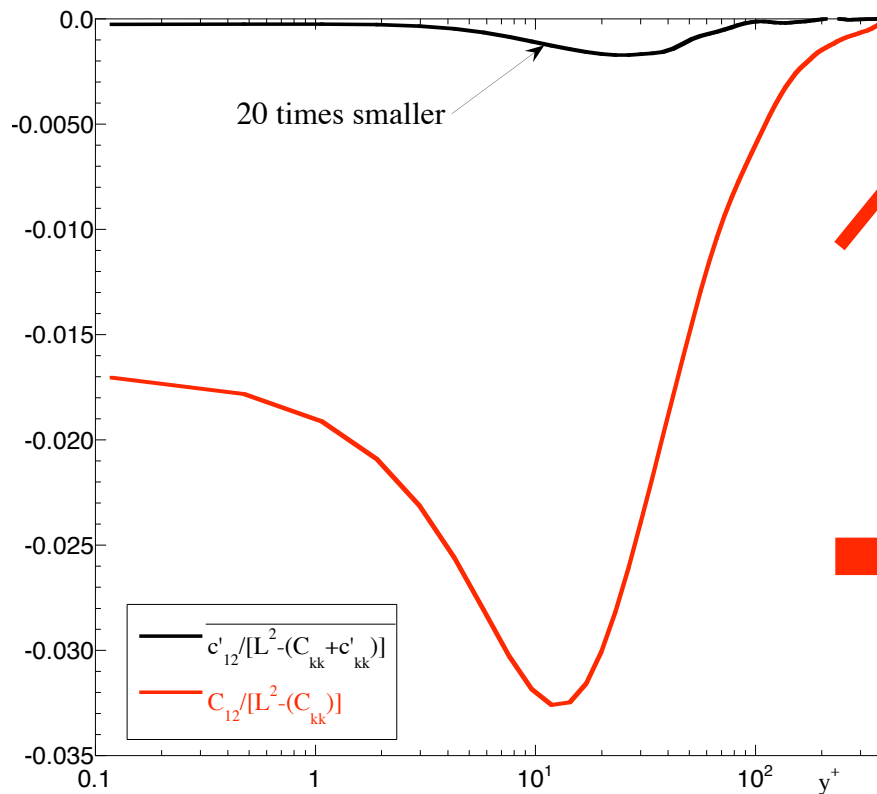
$$\hat{B} = B + b' \quad \text{where} \quad \overline{b'} = 0$$

$$\text{Function: } f(C_{kk}) = \frac{L^2 - 3}{L^2 - C_{kk}}$$

Time average polymeric stress

$$\overline{\tau}_{ij,p} = \frac{\eta_p}{\lambda} [f(C_{kk})C_{ij} - f(L)\delta_{ij}] + \frac{\eta_p}{\lambda} \overline{f(C_{kk} + c_{kk})c_{ij}} \rightarrow \overline{f'c_{ij}}$$

Negligible



$$f(C_{kk})C_{12} \gg \overline{f'c_{12}}$$

Time-average conformation tensor equation

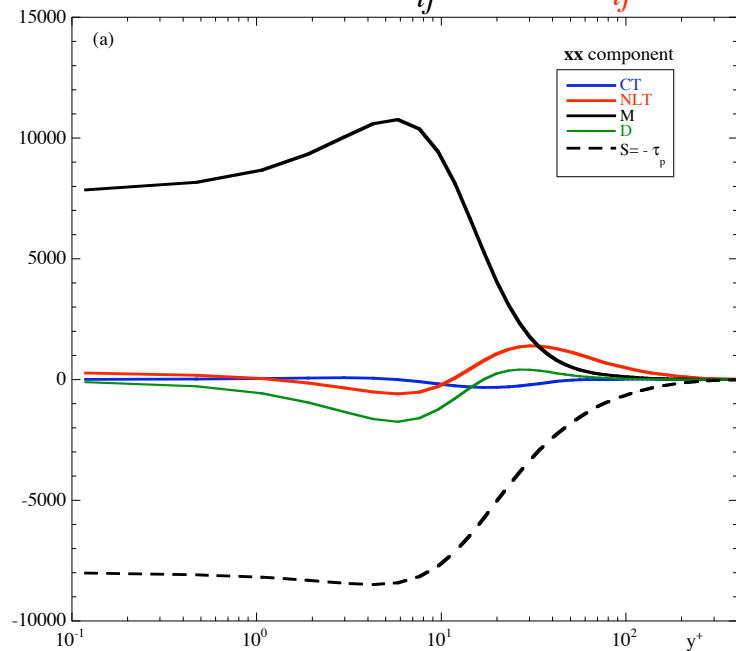
$$\lambda \overset{\nabla}{C}_{ij} + \lambda \left[\overline{u_k \frac{\partial c_{ij}}{\partial x_k}} - \left(\overline{c_{kj} \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_k}} + \overline{c_{ik} \frac{\partial u_j}{\partial x_k}} \right) \right] = -[f(C_{kk})C_{ij} - f(L)\delta_{ij}]$$

$$\overset{\nabla}{C}_{ij} + \overline{u_k \frac{\partial c_{ij}}{\partial x_k}} - \left(\overline{c_{kj} \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_k}} + \overline{c_{ik} \frac{\partial u_j}{\partial x_k}} \right) = -\frac{\bar{\tau}_{ij,p}}{\eta_p}$$

M_{ij}

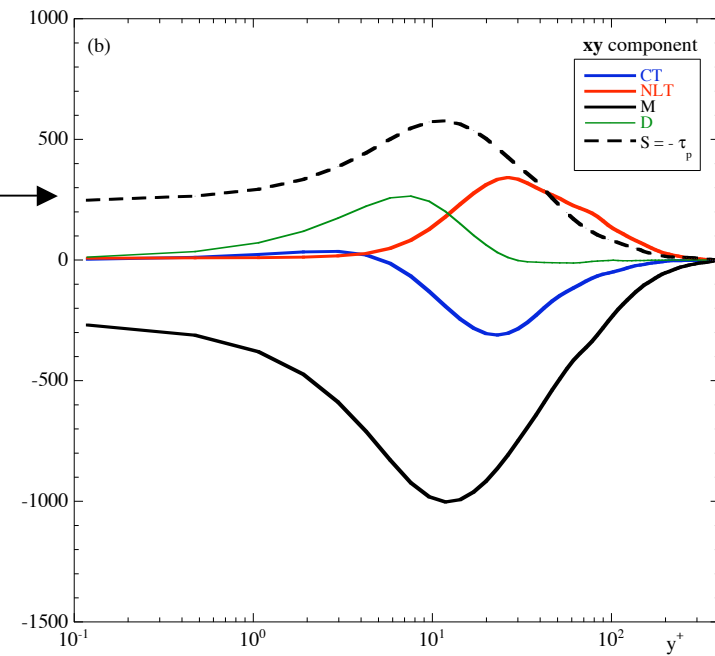
CT_{ij}

NLT_{ij}



xx

xy



Polymer stress: DNS

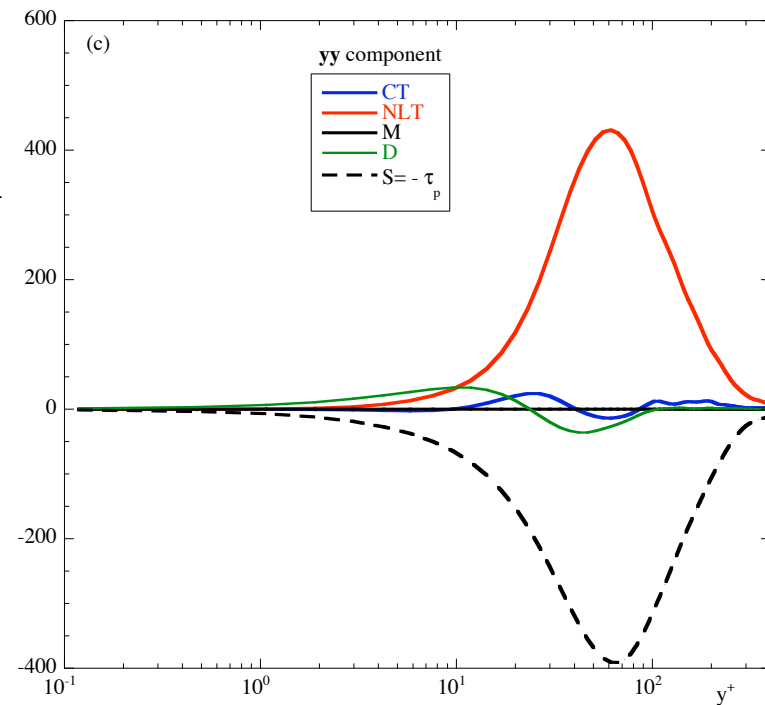
$$\frac{\bar{\tau}_{ij,p}}{\eta_p} = -\overset{\nabla}{C}_{ij} - \cancel{u_k \frac{\partial c_{ij}}{\partial x_k}} + \left(\overline{c_{kj} \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_k}} + \overline{c_{ik} \frac{\partial u_j}{\partial x_k}} \right)$$

Exact M_{ij}

CT_{ij} : originates in advective term, negligible
no need for modeling

NLT_{ij} : originates in distortion of Oldroyd derivative- not negligible
Must be modeled

\mathbf{yy} →



DNS: Housiadas et al (2005), Li et al (2006) JNNFM

Modeling the Reynolds stress

1) Reynolds stresses: Prandtl-Kolmogorov model

$$\overline{-u_i u_j} = 2\nu_T S_{ij} - \frac{2}{3} k \delta_{ij}$$

with

$$\nu_T = C_\mu f_\mu \frac{k^2}{\tilde{\epsilon}^N}$$

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2) Dissipation of turbulent kinetic energy: ϵ^N

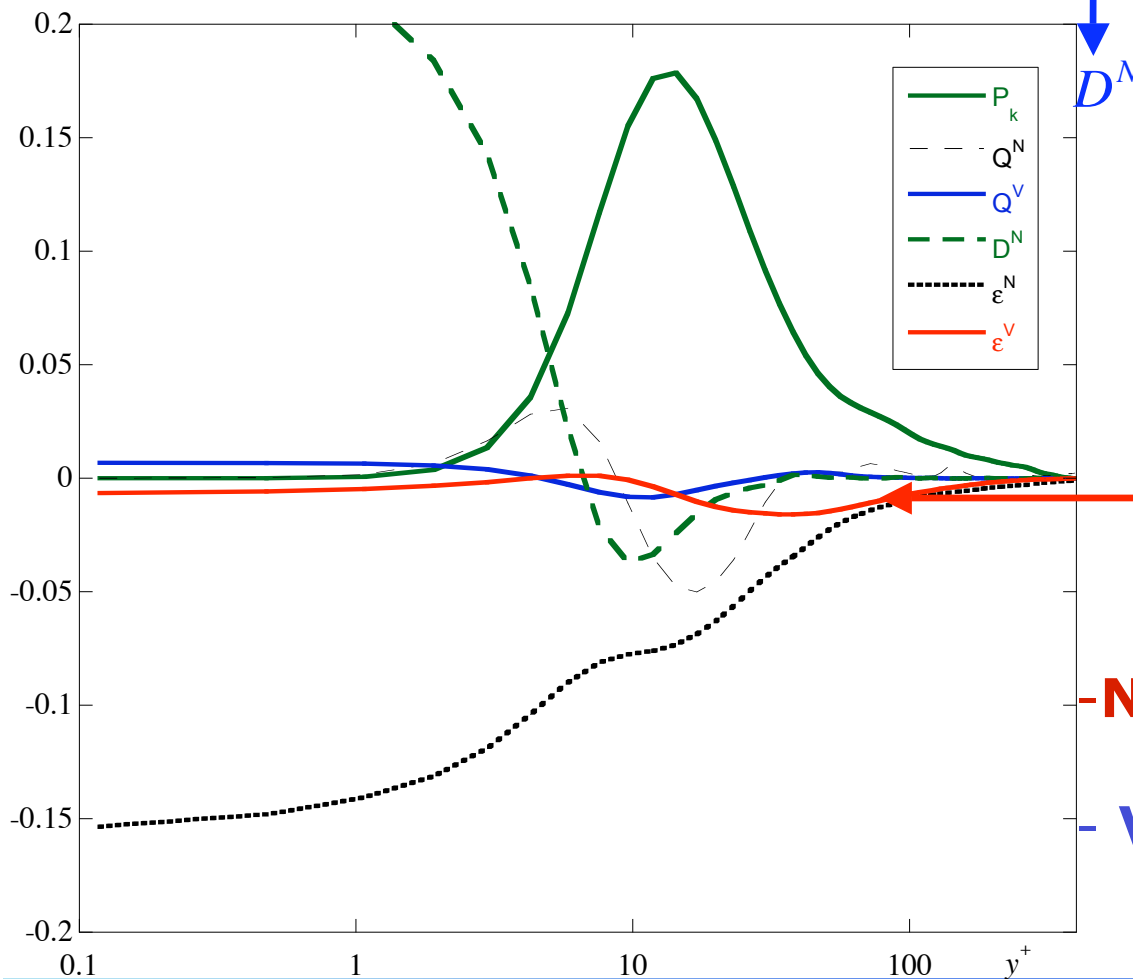
$$\begin{aligned} & 2\nu_s \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_m} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_m} \left(\rho \frac{Du_i}{Dt} \right) + 2\nu_s \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_m} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_m} \left(\rho u_k \frac{\partial U_i}{\partial x_k} \right) + 2\nu_s \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_m} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_m} \left(\rho \frac{\partial u_i u_k}{\partial x_k} \right) \\ & + 2\nu_s \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_m} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_m} \left(\frac{\partial p'}{\partial x_i} \right) - 2\rho \nu_s^2 \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_m} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_m} \left(\frac{\partial^2 u_i}{\partial x_k^2} \right) - 2\nu_s \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_m} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_m} \left(\frac{\partial \tau'_{ik,p}}{\partial x_k} \right) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

New term

As for Newtonian fluids, the whole equation will be approximated

3) Turbulent kinetic energy: its transport equation

$$\rho \frac{Dk}{Dt} + \rho \overline{u_i u_k} \frac{\partial U_i}{\partial x_k} = -\rho \overline{u_i} \frac{\partial k'}{\partial x_i} - \frac{\partial \overline{p' u_i}}{\partial x_i} + \eta_s \frac{\partial^2 k}{\partial x_i \partial x_i} - \eta_s \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_k} \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_k} + \frac{\partial \overline{\tau'_{ik,p} u_i}}{\partial x_k} - \overline{\tau'_{ik,p}} \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_k}$$



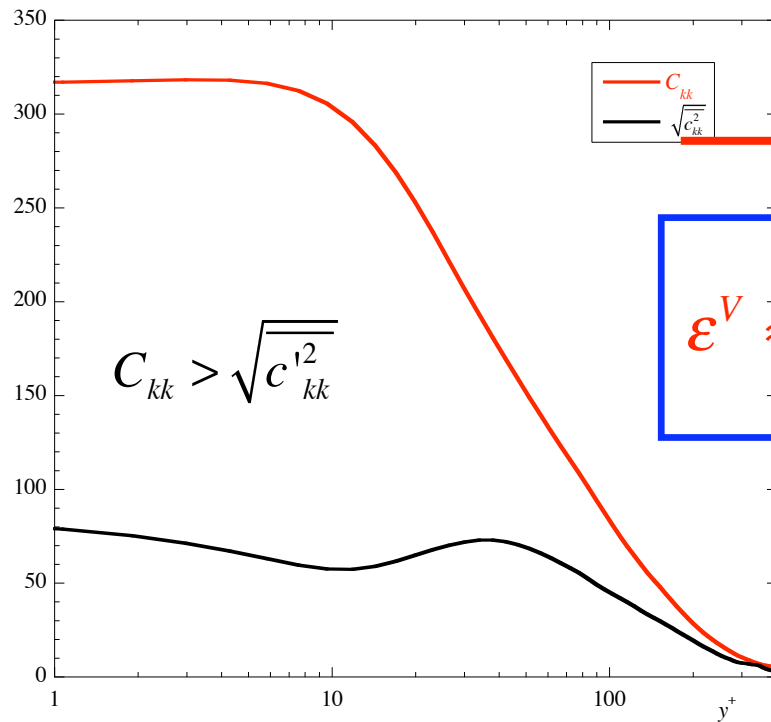
- Need to model viscoelastic stress work
- Viscoelastic turbulent transport is small

Viscoelastic stress work: ϵ^V

$$\epsilon^V \equiv \frac{1}{\rho} \overline{\tau'_{ik,p} \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_k}} = \frac{\eta_p}{\rho \lambda} \left[\overline{C_{ik} f(C_{mm} + c_{mm}) \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_k}} + \overline{c_{ik} f(C_{mm} + c_{mm}) \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_k}} \right]$$

Assumptions & DNS:

$$\overline{C_{ik} f(C_{mm} + c_{mm}) \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_k}} < \overline{c_{ik} f(C_{mm} + c_{mm}) \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_k}}$$



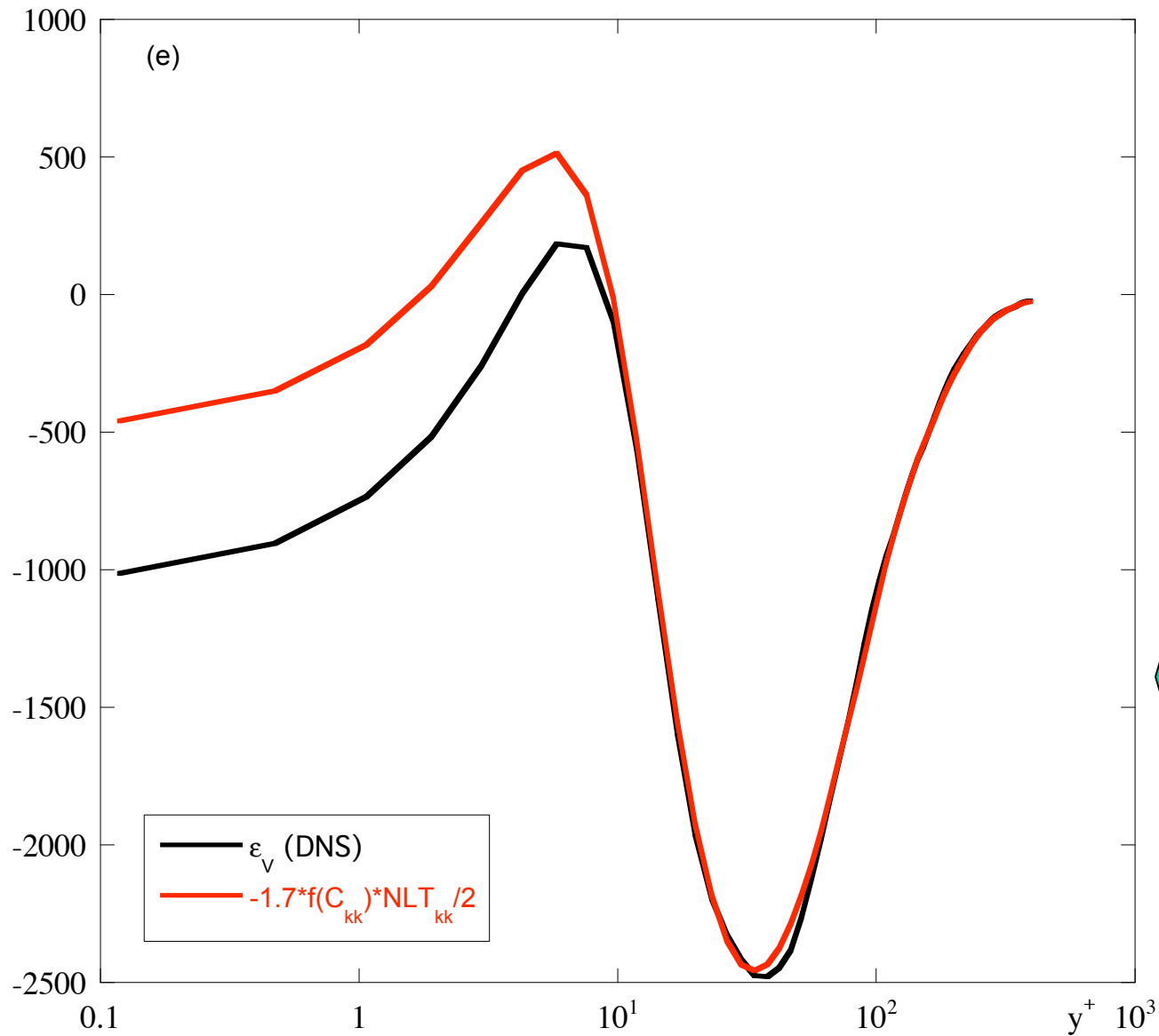
$$\epsilon^V \approx \frac{\eta_p}{\rho \lambda} f(C_{mm}) c_{ik} \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_k} = C_{\epsilon^V} \frac{\eta_p}{\rho \lambda} f(C_{mm}) \frac{NLT_{nn}}{2}$$

$$C_{\epsilon^V} = 1.076$$

(from DNS- next slide)

Needs model

Performance of the viscoelastic work model



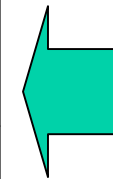
$$\varepsilon^V > 0$$

Negative sign:
different
definitions

$$\varepsilon^{V+} (\text{Re}_{\tau_0})^2$$

versus

$$f(C_{kk}) NLT_{ij}^*$$



Modeling NLT_{ij}

Key ideas:

- 1) Write down **exact** equation- complex 4 lines long
- 2) Assumptions, physical insight, trial-and-error
- 3) Do **a priori** testing of each term
- 4) Select **appropriate combination** and dimensional homogeneity
- 5) Test in code and **modify**- under investigation

$$\overline{u_i u_m} \frac{\partial c_{kj}}{\partial x_m} + \overline{u_i u_m} \frac{\partial C_{kj}}{\partial x_m} \approx \text{Coef} \times \overline{u_i u_m} \frac{\partial C_{kj}}{\partial x_m}$$

$$f(C_{mm}) \frac{NLT_{ij}}{\lambda} = \text{function} \left(S_{ij}, W_{ij}, C_{ij}, \epsilon_{ij}^N, \frac{\partial \overline{u_i u_j}}{\partial x_k}, \frac{\partial C_{ij}}{\partial x_k}, \frac{\partial NLT_{ij}}{\partial x_n}, M_{ij}, \overline{u_i u_j} \right)$$

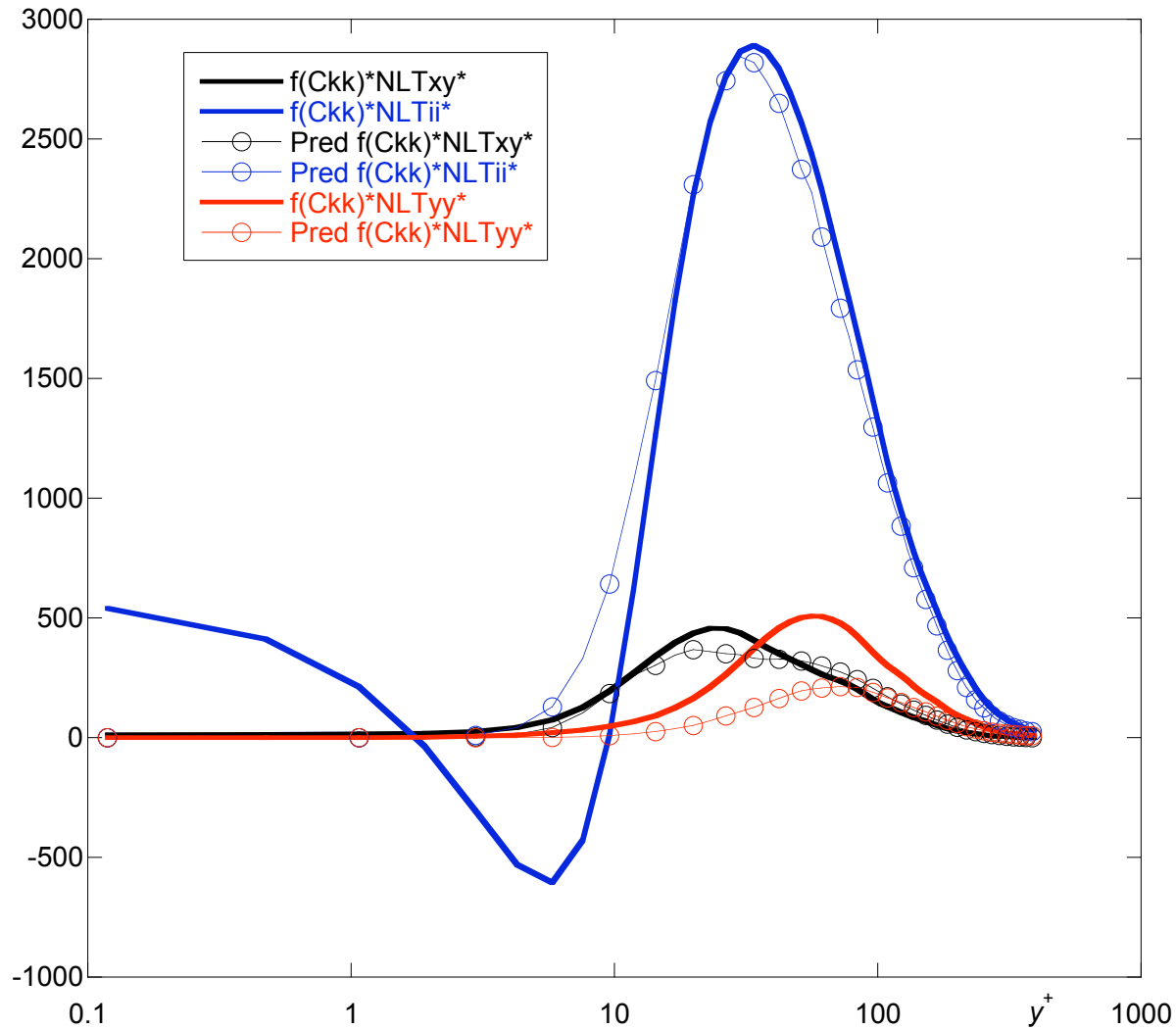


$$f(C_{mm}) \frac{NLT_{ij}}{\lambda} = f_{\mu_1} \left[\frac{C_{E_3} u_\tau^2}{\nu_0^2} C_{kk} \overline{u_i u_j} + \frac{C_{\alpha_{14}}}{\nu_0} \left(\overline{u_i u_k} W_{kn} C_{nj} + \overline{u_j u_k} W_{kn} C_{ni} + \overline{u_k u_i} W_{jn} C_{nk} \right) \right]$$

Model for NLT_{ij}

$$C_{E_3} = 0.00035; C_{\alpha_{14}} = 0.00015$$

$$f_{\mu_1} = \left(1 - \exp(-y^+ / 26.5)\right)^2$$



Viscoelastic turbulent transport: Q^V

$$Q^V \equiv \frac{\overline{\partial \tau'_{ik,p} u_i}}{\partial x_k} = \frac{\eta_p}{\lambda} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_k} \left[\overline{C_{ik} f(C_{mm} + c_{mm}) u_i} + \overline{c_{ik} f(C_{mm} + c_{mm}) u_i} \right]$$

$$C_{kk} > \sqrt{c_{kk}^2}$$

$$f(\hat{C}_{mm}) = \frac{L^2 - 3}{L^2 - (C_{mm} + c_{mm})}$$

Weak coupling
between c_{kk} and c_{ij}, u_i

$$\overline{C_{ik} f(C_{mm} + c_{mm}) u_i} < \overline{c_{ik} f(C_{mm} + c_{mm}) u_i}$$

Neglect of this term is
irrelevant because non-neglected
term is modeled

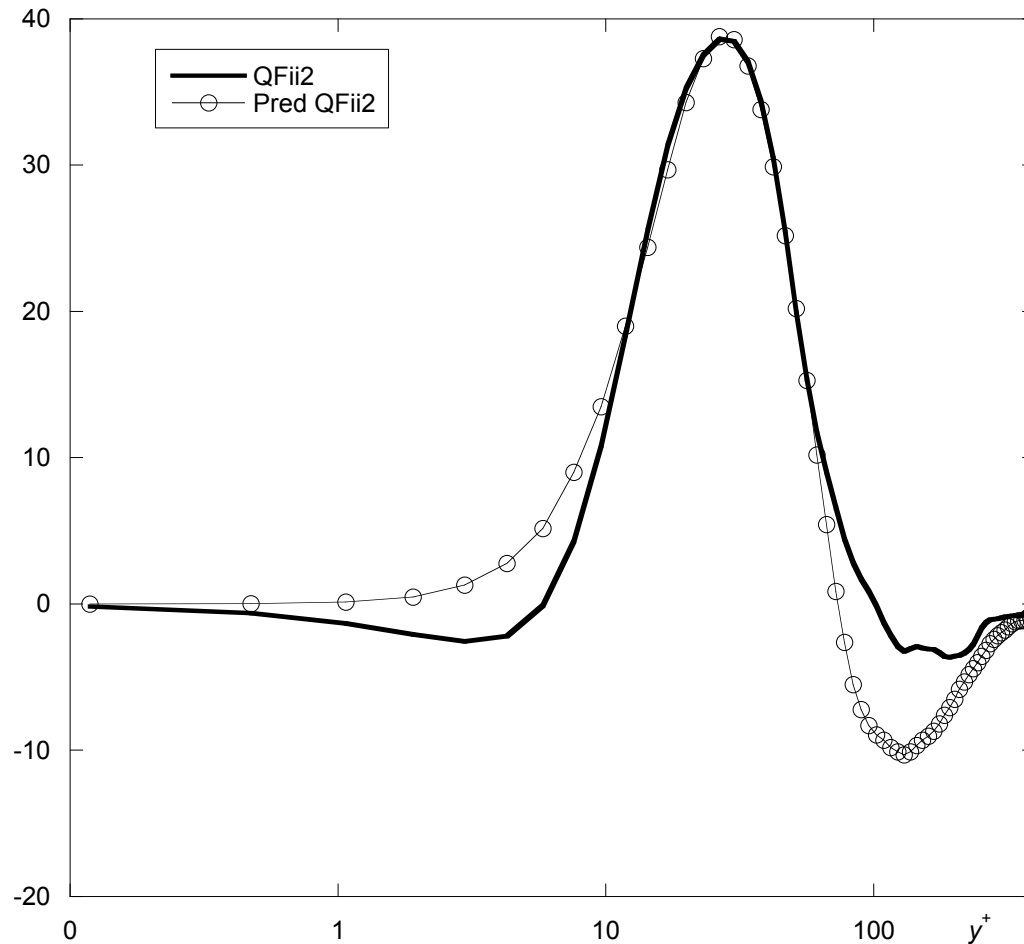
$$Q^V = \frac{\eta_p}{\lambda} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_k} \left[f(C_{mm}) \overline{CU_{iik}} \right] \rightarrow \text{Needs model } \left(\overline{CU_{ijk}} \right)$$

General case

Model for CU_{ijk}

- Same modelling approach as with NLT_{ij}

$$\frac{f(C_{mm})CU_{ijk}}{\lambda} = f_{\mu_2} \left[-C_{\beta_1} \left(\overline{u_i u_m} \frac{\partial C_{kj}}{\partial x_m} + \overline{u_j u_m} \frac{\partial C_{ik}}{\partial x_m} \right) - \frac{C_{\beta_7}}{\lambda} f(C_{mm}) \left[\pm \sqrt{u_j^2} C_{ik} \pm \sqrt{u_i^2} C_{jk} \right] \right]$$



$$C_{\beta_1} = 1.3; C_{\beta_7} = 0.37$$

$$f_{\mu_2} = 1 - \exp\left(-\frac{y^+}{26.5}\right)$$

Final equations: low Re k - ε type model for channel flow

Momentum:
$$\frac{d}{dy} \left[\eta_s \frac{dU}{dy} + \bar{\tau}_{p,xy} - \rho \bar{uv} \right] - \frac{d\bar{p}}{dx} = 0$$

$$\bar{\tau}_{xy,p} = \frac{\eta_p}{\lambda} f(C_{kk}) C_{xy}$$

$$f(C_{kk}) C_{xy} = \lambda C_{yy} \frac{dU}{dy} + \lambda NLT_{xy}$$

$$f(C_{kk}) C_{yy} = \lambda NLT_{yy} + 1$$

$$f(C_{kk}) C_{xx} = 2\lambda C_{xy} \frac{dU}{dy} + \lambda NLT_{xx} + 1$$

$$f(C_{kk}) C_{zz} = \lambda NLT_{zz} + 1$$

$$f(C_{kk}) = \frac{L^2 - 3}{L^2 - (C_{xx} + C_{yy} + C_{zz})}$$

Reynolds stress:

$$-\rho \bar{uv} = \rho v_T \frac{dU}{dy} \quad \text{with} \quad v_T = C_\mu f_\mu \frac{k^2}{\tilde{\varepsilon}^N}$$

k and ε transport equations: modified Nagano & Hishida

$$0 = \frac{d}{dy} \left[\left(\eta_s + \frac{\rho v_T}{\sigma_k} \right) \frac{dk}{dy} \right] + P_k - \rho \tilde{\varepsilon}^N - \rho D + \eta_p \frac{d}{dy} \left[\frac{f(C_{mm}) CU_{nny}}{\lambda} \right] - \eta_p \frac{f(C_{mm}) NLT_{nn}}{\lambda}$$

$$\varepsilon^N = \tilde{\varepsilon}^N + D^N \quad D^N = 2\eta_s \left(\frac{d\sqrt{k}}{dy} \right)^2$$

$$0 = \frac{d}{dy} \left[\left(\eta_s + \frac{\rho v_T}{\sigma_\varepsilon} \right) \frac{d\tilde{\varepsilon}^N}{dy} \right] + \rho f_1 C_{\varepsilon_1} \frac{\tilde{\varepsilon}^N}{k} \frac{P_k}{\rho} - \rho f_2 C_{\varepsilon_2} \frac{\varepsilon^{N^2}}{k} + \rho E + E_{\tau_p}$$

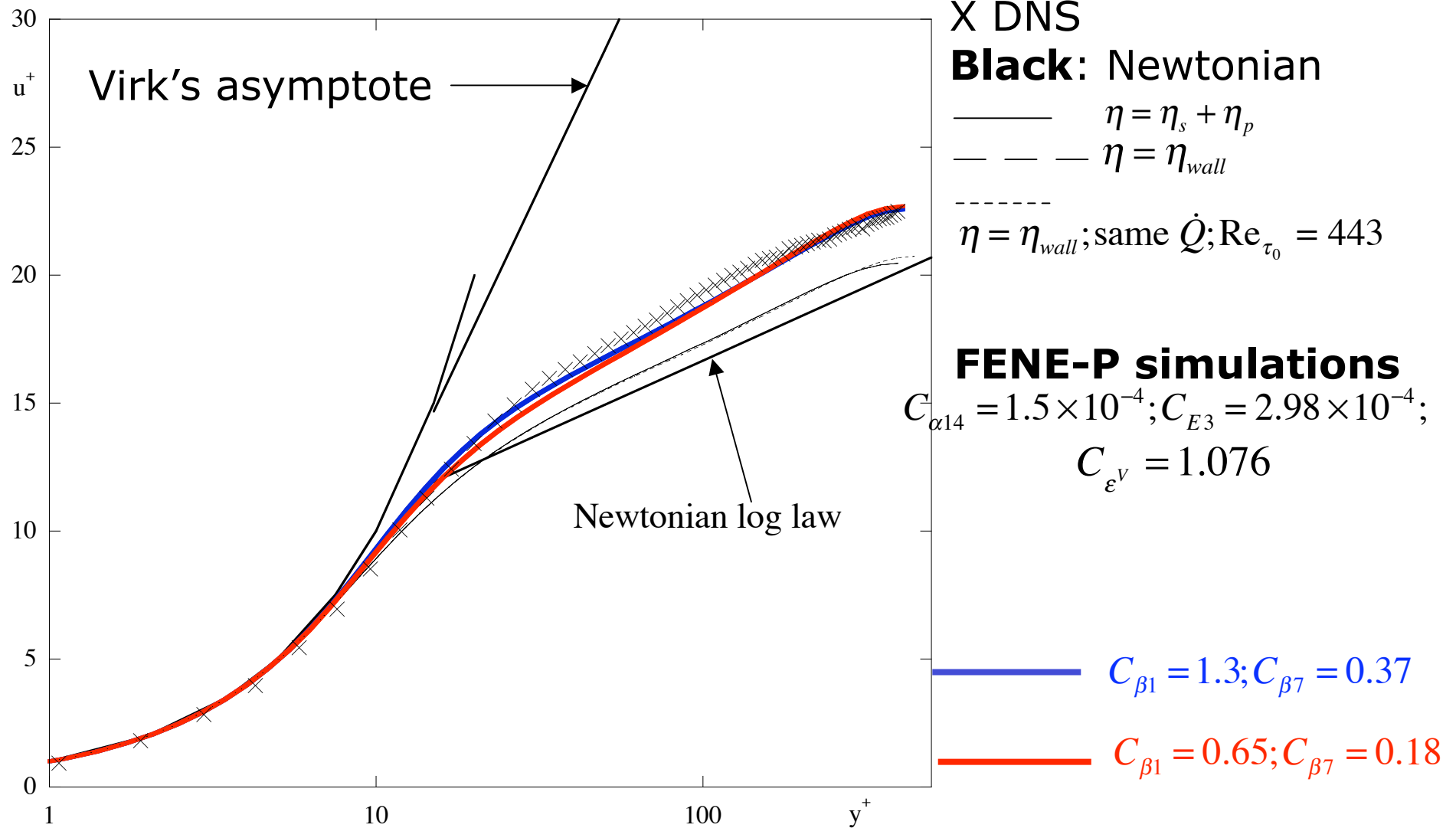
$$E = \frac{\eta_s}{\rho} v_T (1 - f_\mu) \left(\frac{d^2 U}{dy^2} \right)^2$$

$$f_1 = 1 \quad f_2 = 1 - 0.3 \exp(-R_T^2)$$

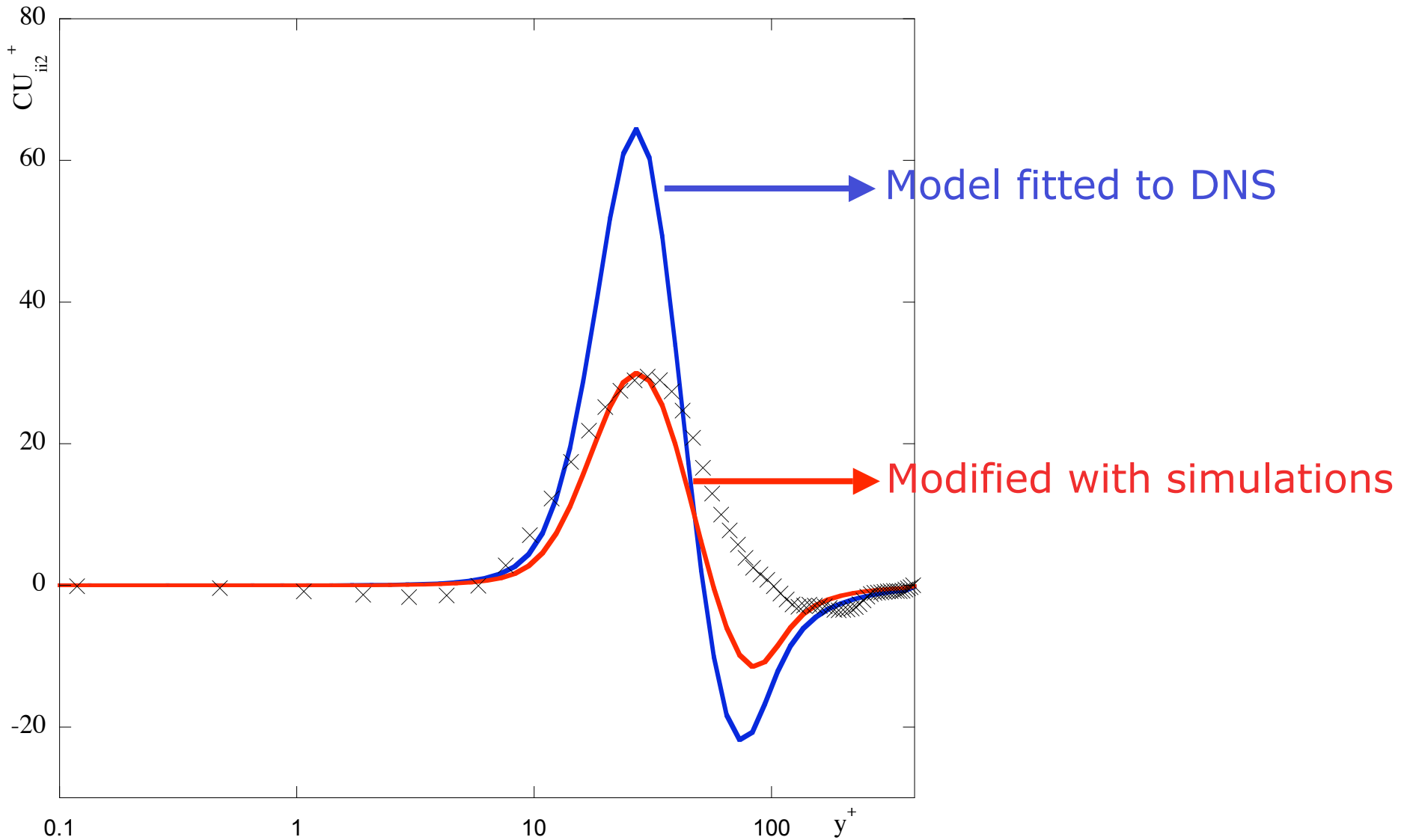
$$f_\mu = \left[1 - \exp\left(\frac{-y^+}{26.5} \right) \right]^2$$

based on Newtonian model of Nagano & Hishida (1984)

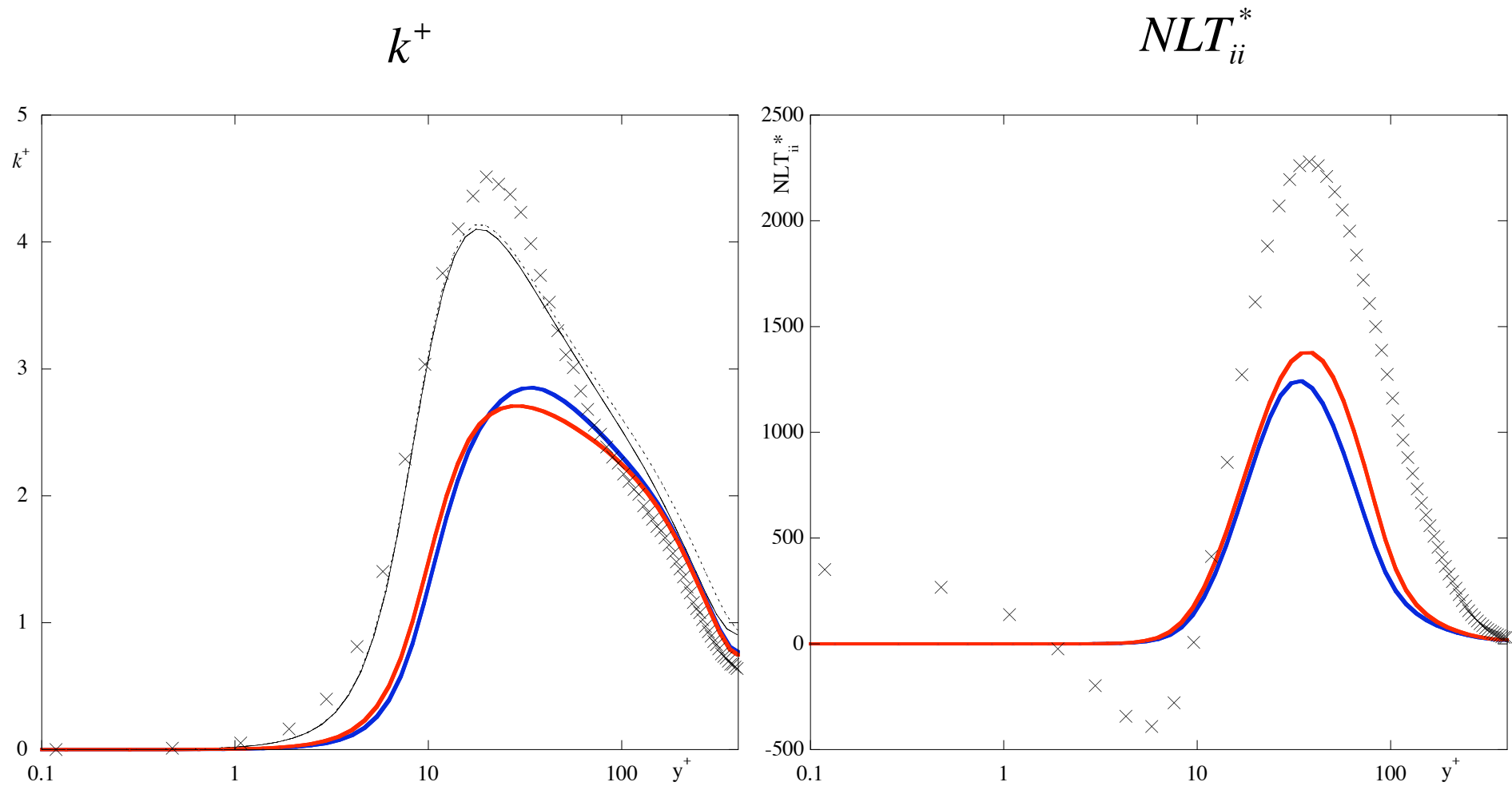
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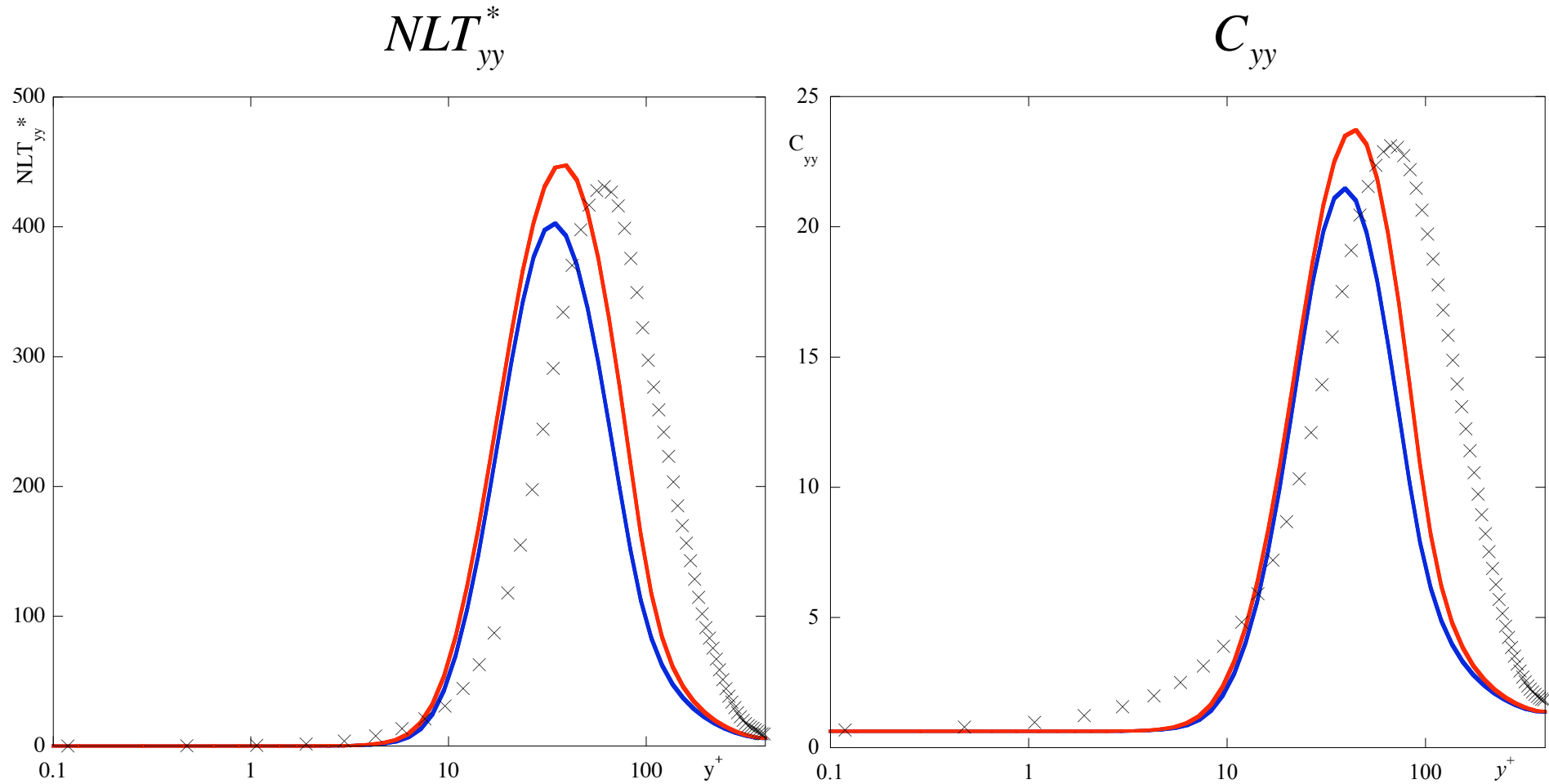
Predictions 2: $Re_{\tau_0} = 395$; $We_{\tau_0} = 25$; $\beta = 0.9$, $L^2 = 900$



Predictions 3: $Re_{\tau_0} = 395$; $We_{\tau_0} = 25$; $\beta = 0.9$, $L^2 = 900$

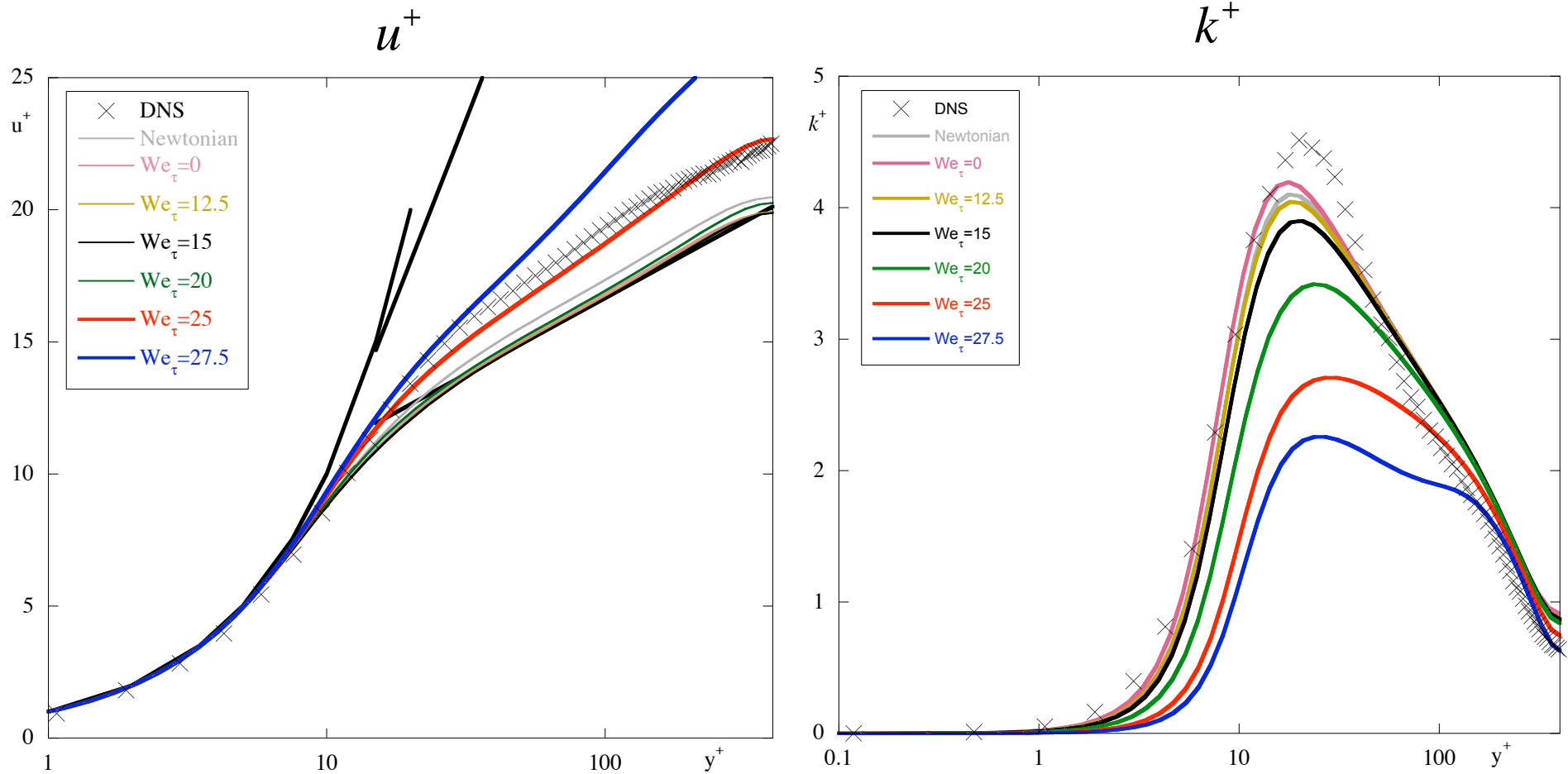


Predictions 4: $Re_{\tau_0} = 395$; $We_{\tau_0} = 25$; $\beta = 0.9$, $L^2 = 900$

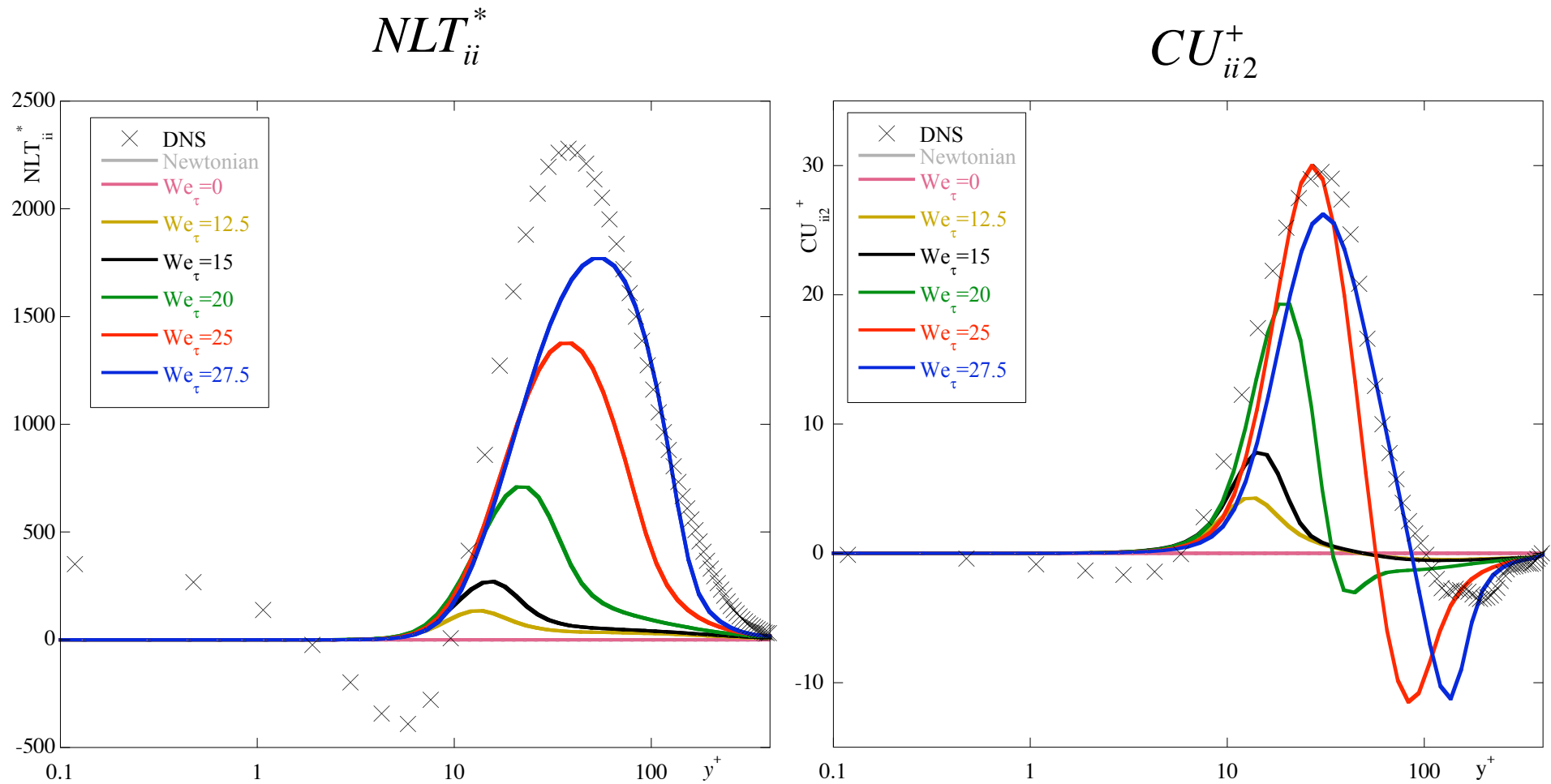


Effect of Weissenberg 1: $Re_{\tau_0} = 395; \beta = 0.9, L^2 = 900$

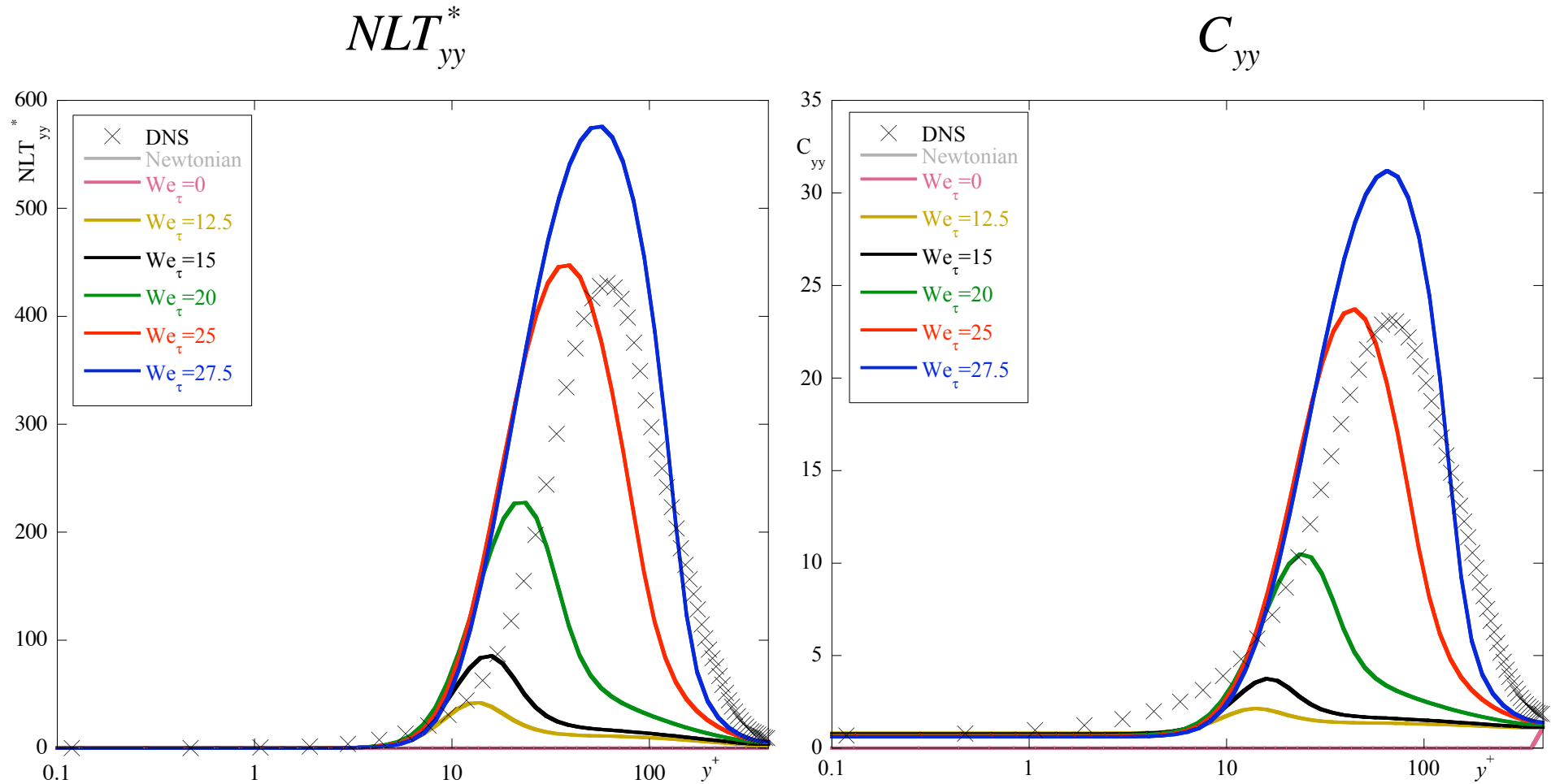
$$Re_{\tau} = 395; C_{\beta_1} = 0.65; C_{\beta_7} = 0.18; C_{\alpha_{14}} = 1.5 \times 10^{-4}; C_{E3} = 2.98 \times 10^{-4}$$



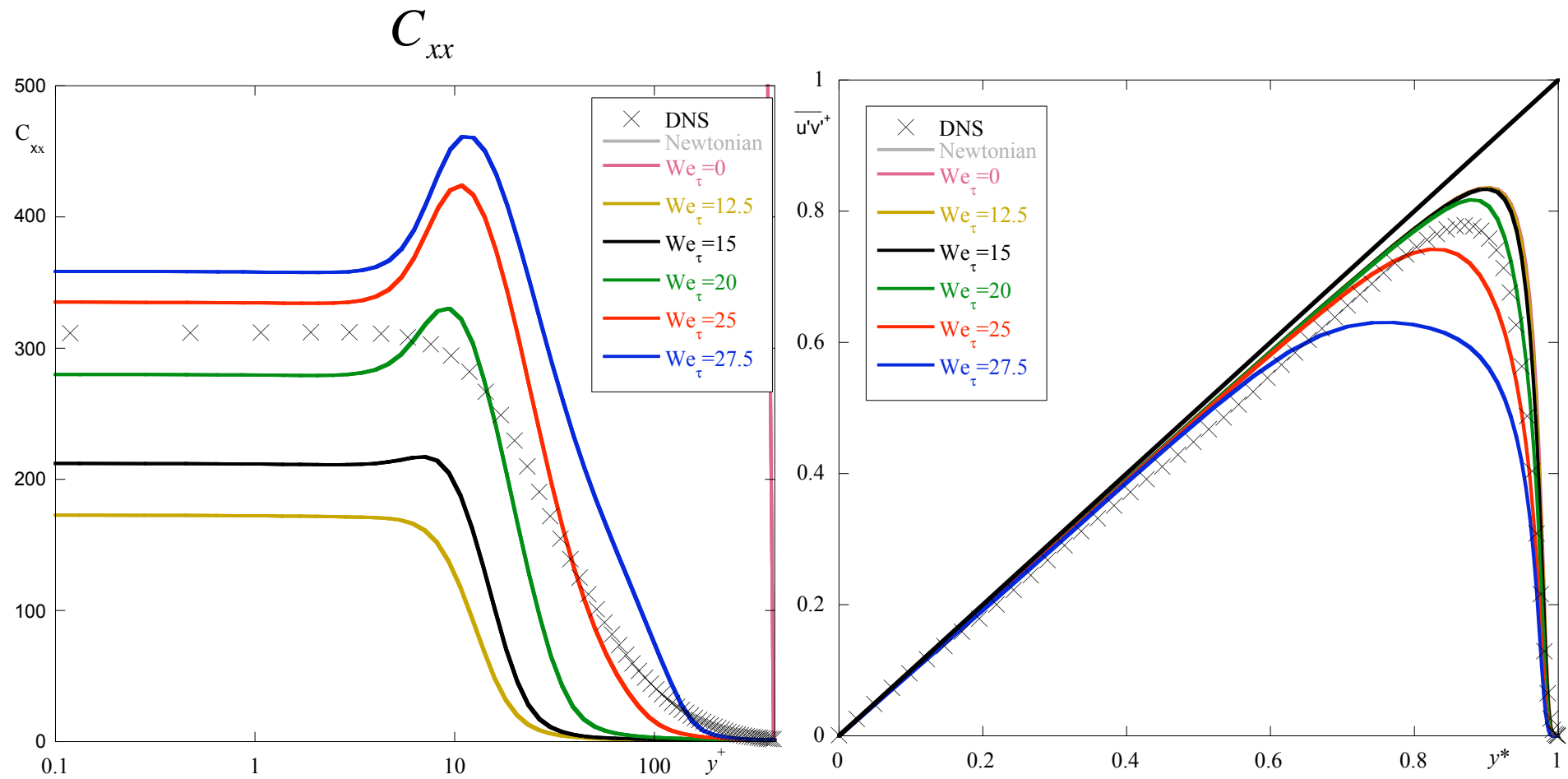
Effect of Weissenberg 2: $Re_{\tau 0} = 395; \beta = 0.9, L^2 = 900$



Effect of Weissenberg 3: $Re_{\tau_0} = 395; \beta = 0.9, L^2 = 900$



Effect of Weissenberg 4: $Re_{\tau_0} = 395; \beta = 0.9, L^2 = 900$



Conclusions

- Developed simplified k - ε model: code and closures are working
- Viscoelastic turbulent transport **not** very important at DR= 18%
- Viscoelastic turbulent transport is **reasonably well** modeled

- Viscoelastic stress power **well** modeled by NLT_{ij}

- NLT_{ij} required for C_{ij} and ε_{ij}^V
- NLT_{ij} closure **needs significant improvement**
- **Need to model viscoelastic turbulence production close to wall**

- Deficiencies also **related to Newtonian** part of model
- **Isotropic** turbulence does not allow a good model
- Need to consider **anisotropic** turbulence: anisotr. k - ε and RSM