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Time-resolved analysis of thermo-acoustic instability triggering in a low-swirl burner using simultaneous high-speed laser diagnostics.

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Industrial context

Lean premixed flames for aircraft engines

| Industrial goals | Improve efficiency |
|-------------------------|----------------------------------|
| | Reduce pollutant emissions |
| New approach | Lean premixed combustion |
| Technological solutions | Multipoint injection |
| | Staging |
| | Low-swirl |
| Scientific challenge | New flame dynamics to understand |



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Experimental Setup

Simultaneous high-speed OH and acetone PLIF



Frame rate: 10000 fps

Number of images: 43684

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Laser sheet thickness: 1 mm

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Resolution: 0.13 mm/pixel



Pressure transducer and OH* photomultiplier recorded at 200 kHz.

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Instantaneous phase: $\phi(t)$

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Low-swirl burner Summary

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