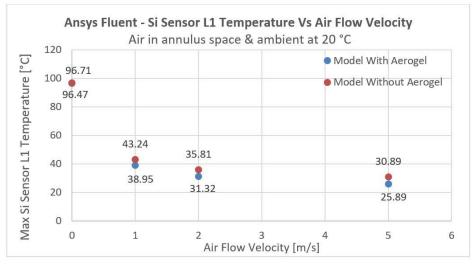
DSG Ansys R&D Meeting

Date: February 16, 2023 Time: 2:00 PM – 3:00 PM

Attendees: Aaron Brown, Pablo Campero, Brian Eng, Marc McMullen, and Tyler Lemon

1. Discussed simulation of NPS crystal array cooling

- 1. Overlapping components in model corrected in SpaceClaim, but Ansys still returns an error when attempting to import model into Fluent.
- 2. Debugging in process.
- 2. Discussed simulation results when using different properties for the aerogel insulation for EIC beam pipe thermal simulation
 - 1. Changed with density from 50 kg/m^3 to 250 kg/m^3
 - No effect
 - 2. Changed thermal conductivity value to 0.0156
 - Silicon sensor layer 1 temperature increased by 1°C
- 3. EIC beam pipe simulation results at various air flow velocities of 0.001 m/s, 1 m/s, 2 m/s, and 5 m/s
 - 1. Used model with 5-mm separation between beryllium beam pipe first layer of silicon sensors
 - 2. There is \sim 5°C difference between results with and without aerogel



Temperature vs. air flow velocity with and without aerogel.