

The Case for Simulation Lifecycle Management

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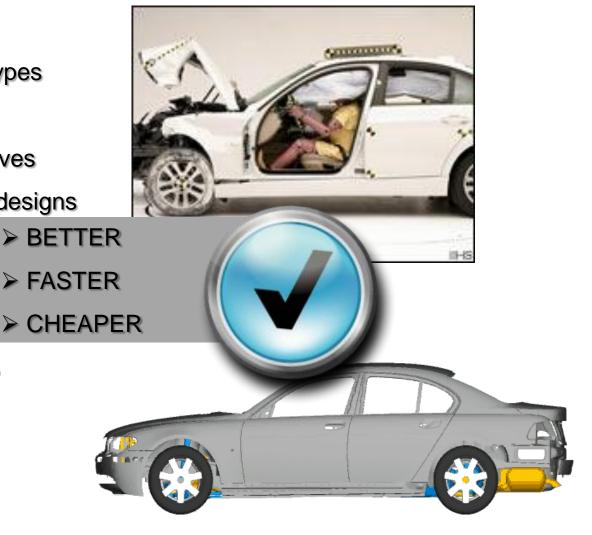




Role of Simulation in Product Development

Drive design decisions

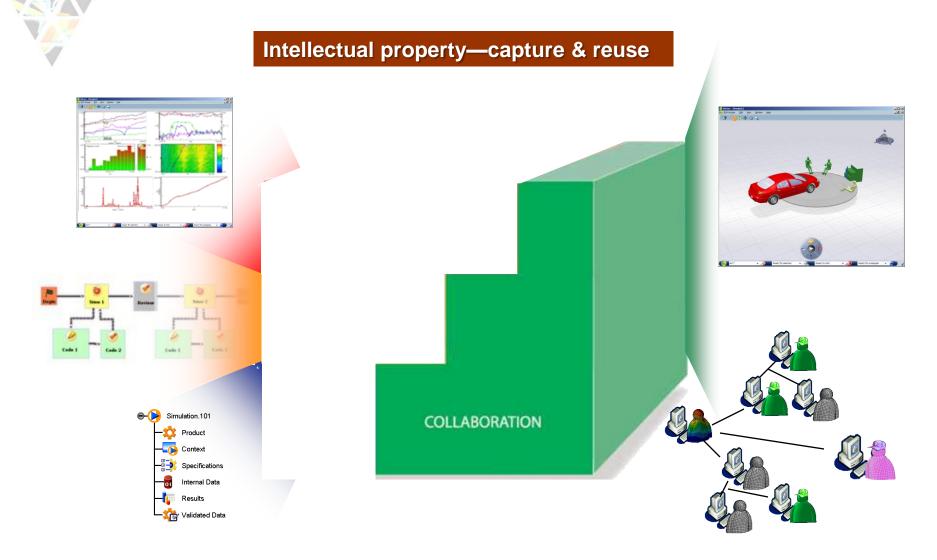
- ➤ Reduce physical prototypes
- ➤ Provide deeper insight
- >Explore design alternatives
- ➤ Increase confidence in designs



Courtesy of BMW



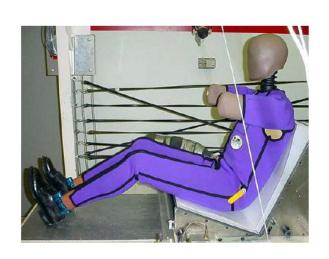
SLM Fundamentals



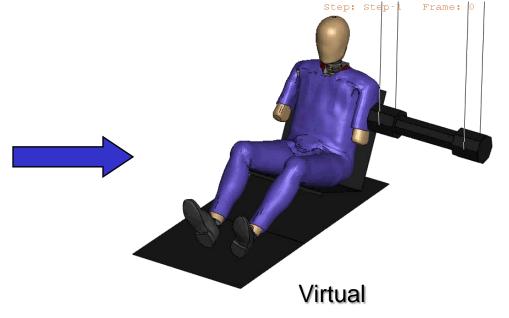
Bringing Order to Simulation: Data → Processes → Decisions



Product Objectives — WorldSID Male FE Model







Product objective: Deliver virtual FE model of WorldSID Dummy

- Validated
- Accredited
- Supported
- Robust















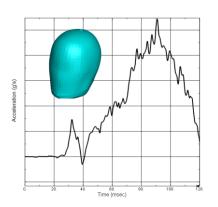
Work Data—WorldSID Male FE Model

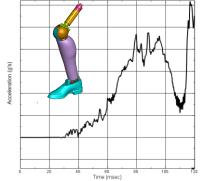
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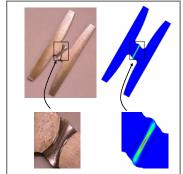


GEOMETRY (CAD and preliminary FEA meshes)

Examples: Material tests, drop tests, pendulum impact tests







TEST results: Material, components/subassemblies, full dummy assembly—approximately 350 different tests

Deliverable

Abaqus input file of validated full dummy model



*Heading

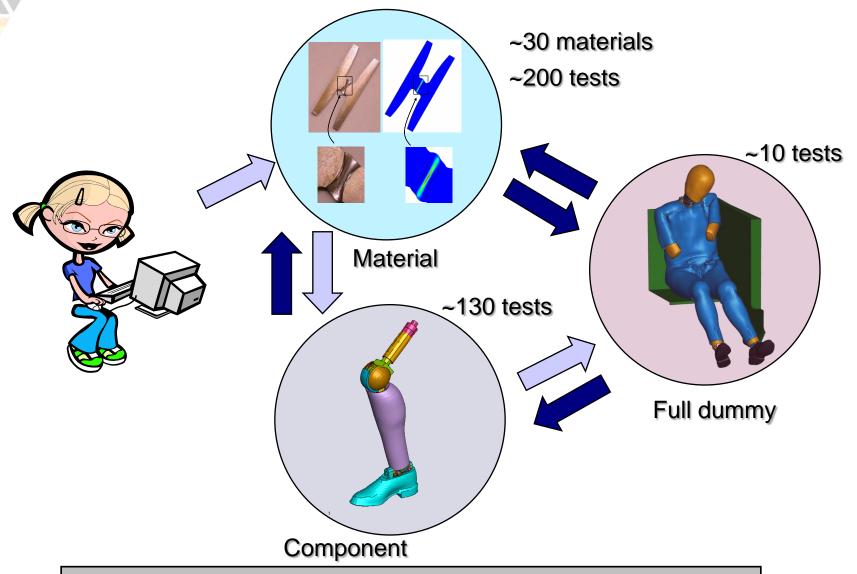
WorldSID Male FE Model

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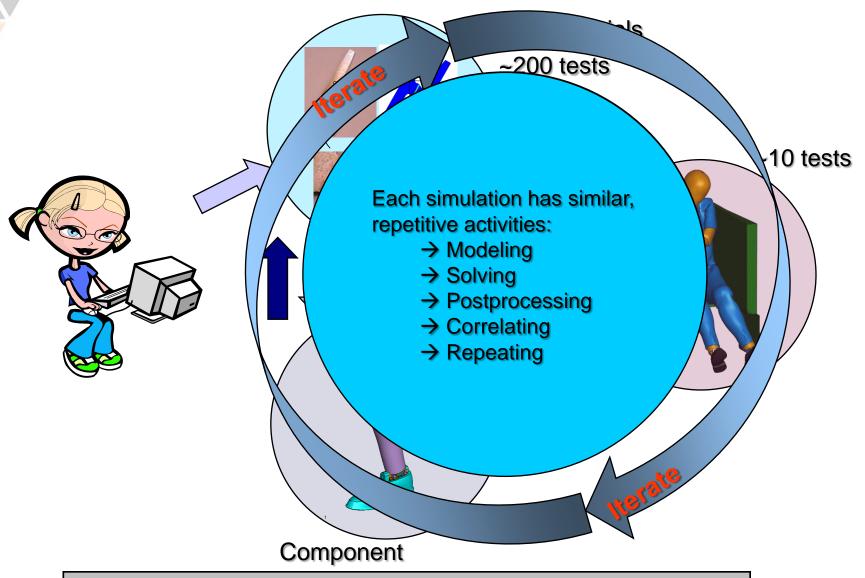
Work Process—WorldSID Male FE Model



Calibrate models to correlate with tests within tolerances



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Pains/Challenges—WorldSID Male FE Model

Without SLM there are many challenges:

- Highly repetitive and human-error-prone process
- Organizing hundreds of simulations
 - Managing the interdependencies (relationships) between simulations
 - Keeping track of all intermediate modeling change
 - Keeping models up-to-date
- Working collaboratively and sharing workload
- Providing management insight into program status



SIMULIA SLM Use case

WorldSID dummy development



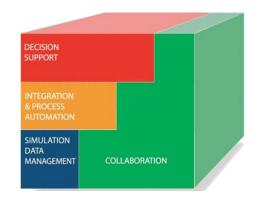
How Will You and Your Company Benefit from SLM?

Benefits:

- Single source
- Traceability
- Enhanced collaboration
- Openness
- Standardization opportunities
- Framework for process automation

Program status insight—targets and performance attributes

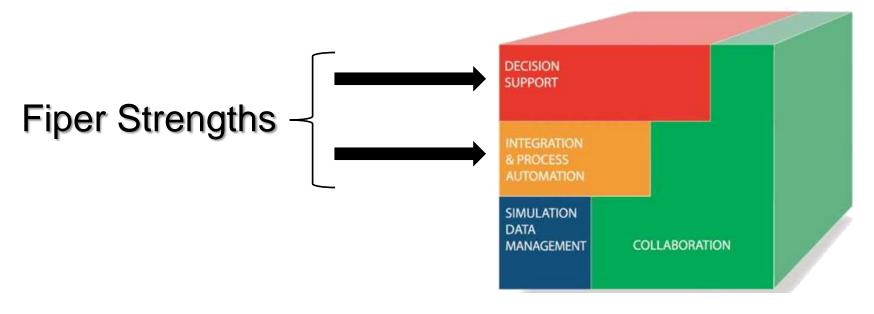
- > BETTER
- > FASTER
- > CHEAPER





Future Directions for SLM

- SIMULIA SLM future began this summer
- DS announced the acquisition of Engineous Software
 - Engineous becomes part of SIMULIA
 - FIPER for application integration, enterprise job execution, process automation & decision support
 - Design exploration technology for multidisciplinary optimization
 - Accelerates SLM development roadmap



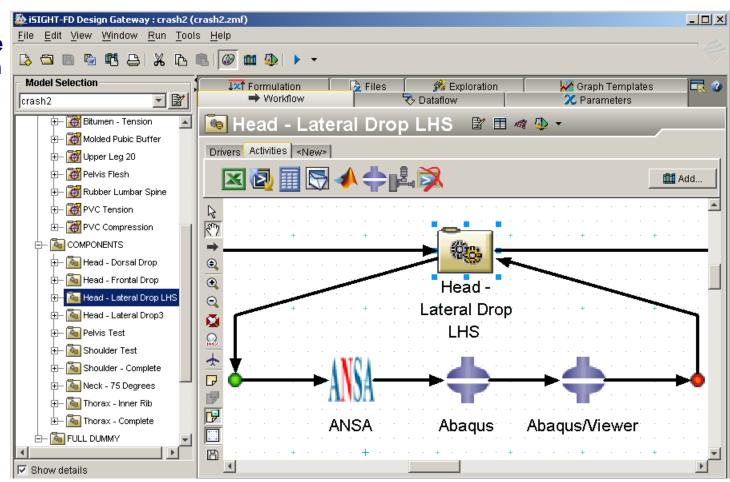




Future Directions for SLM - Process

Drag and Drop Palette Process Definition and Execution

- Application Components
- ParameterManagement(extract and map)
- Optimization and DOE
- Distributed and Parallelized Execution on HPC







Future Directions for SLM - Data

Connect SLM data management to process definition

- Manage data flow across simulations
- Impact of upstream data changes
- Rerun impacted analyses
- Program status tracking

