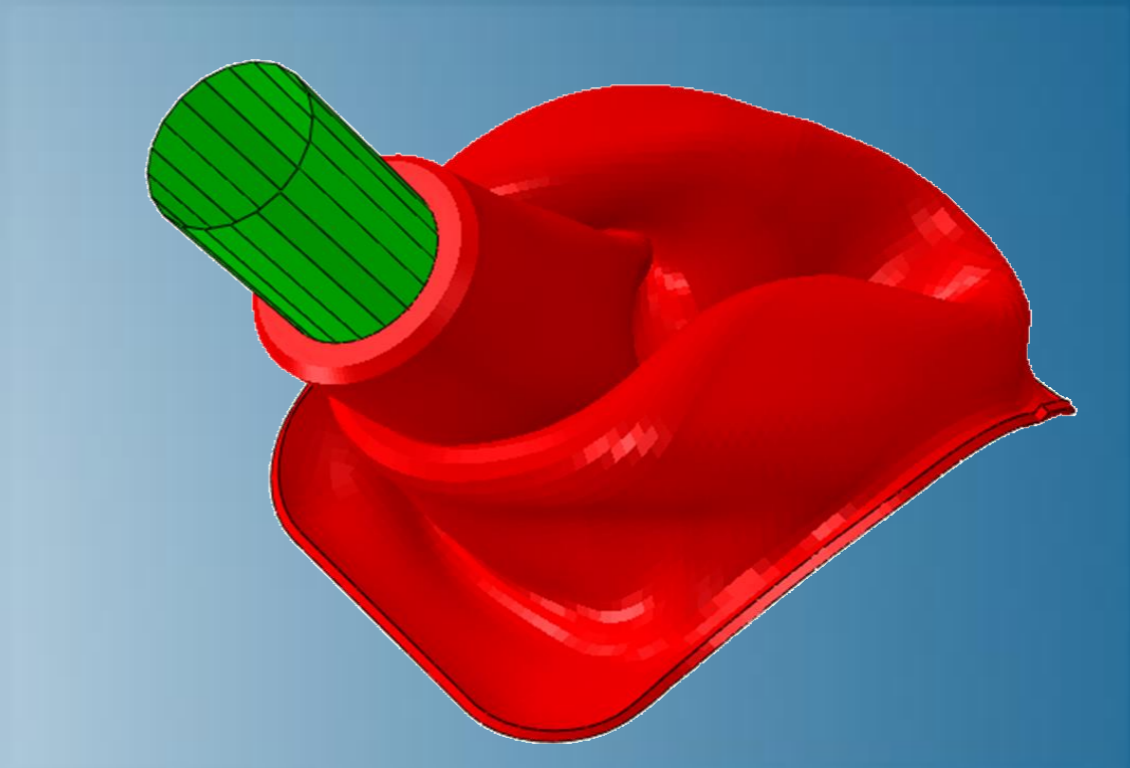


Modeling Rubber and Viscoelasticity with Abaqus

Abaqus 2020



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About this Course

Course objectives

Upon completion of this course you will be able to:

- ▶ Use experimental test data to calculate material constants
- ▶ Check the stability of the Abaqus material model at extreme strains
- ▶ Obtain the best possible material constants from the available test data
- ▶ Select elements for modeling rubber and foams
- ▶ Design an appropriate finite element mesh
- ▶ Model viscoelastic behavior in both the time and frequency domain
- ▶ Use a user subroutine to define the hyperelastic behavior

Targeted audience

Simulation Analysts

Prerequisites

This course is recommended for engineers with experience using Abaqus



2 days

Day 1

- ▶ Lesson 1 Rubber Physics
- ▶ Lesson 2 Introduction to Hyperelasticity Models
- ▶ Lesson 3 Mechanical Testing
 - Workshop 1 Axial Deflection of a Rubber Bushing
- ▶ Lesson 4 Defining Rubber Elasticity Models in Abaqus
- ▶ Lesson 5 Modeling Issues and Tips
 - Workshop 2 Bead Seal Compression

Day 2

- ▶ Lesson 6 Viscoelastic Material Behavior
- ▶ Lesson 7 Time-Domain Viscoelasticity
 - Workshop 3 Bead Seal Relaxation
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Additional Material

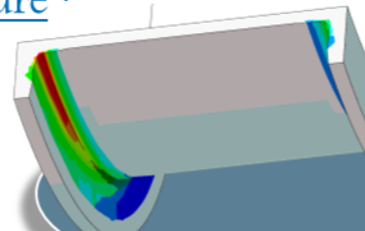
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SIMULIA

- ▶ SIMULIA is the Dassault Systèmes brand for Realistic Simulation solutions
- ▶ Portfolio of established, best-in-class products
 - Abaqus, Isight, Tosca, fe-safe, Simpack

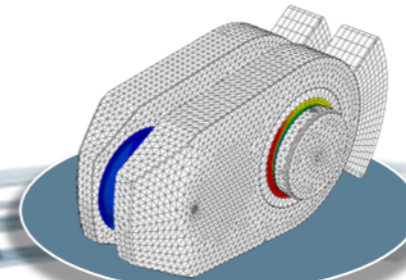
Design Optimization: Tosca Structure *

Simulation-driven design refinement to improve performance



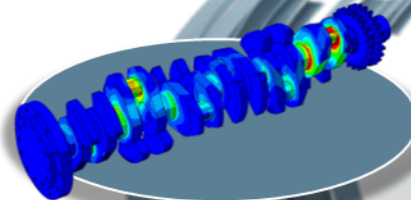
Durability Assessment: fe-safe *

Accurate life estimation to achieve certification



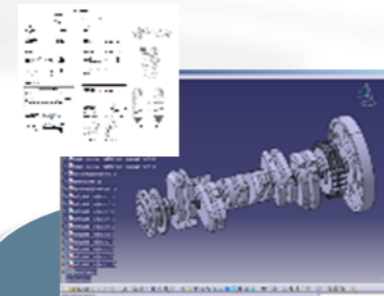
FEA Stress Analysis: Abaqus *

Detailed stress analysis using extracted load history from MBS



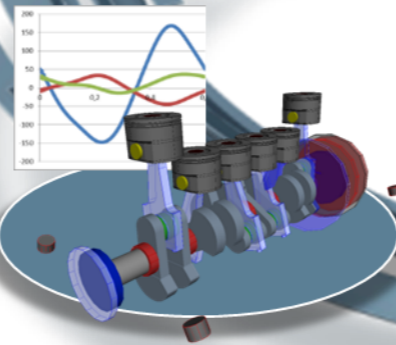
CAD Geometry: CATIA

Fully parameterized 3D geometry; FEA model generation via associative interface



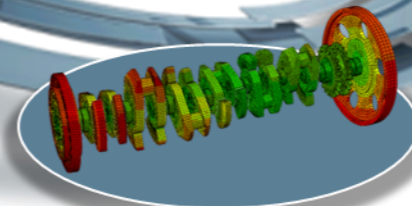
Multibody Simulation: Simpack

System analysis to extract virtual load history of complete working cycle



Mesh Calibration: Isight *

Automated mesh calibration; sufficient mesh quality for accurate results

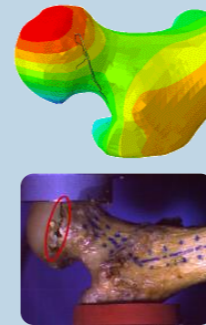


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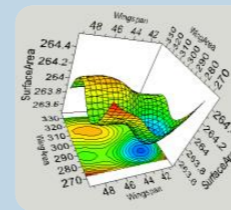
- Routine and Advanced Simulation
- Linear and Nonlinear, Static and Dynamic
- Thermal, Electrical, Acoustics
- Extended Physics through Co-simulation
- Model Preparation and Visualization



**Realistic Human Simulation
High Speed Crash & Impact
Noise & Vibration**

Isight

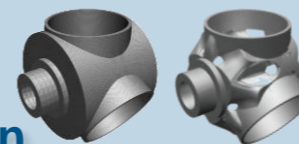
- Process Integration
- Design Optimization
- Parametric Optimization
- Six Sigma and Design of Experiments



**Material Calibration
Workflow Automation
Design Exploration**

Tosca

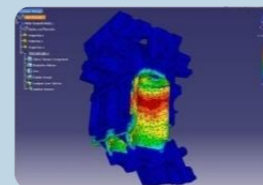
- Non-Parametric Optimization
- Structural and Fluid Flow Optimization
- Topology, Sizing, Shape, Bead Optimization



**Conceptual/Detailed Design
Weight, Stiffness, Stress
Pressure Loss Reduction**

fe-safe

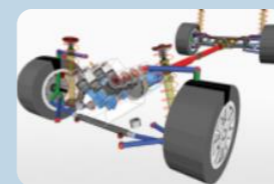
- Durability Simulation
- Low Cycle and High Cycle Fatigue
- Weld, High Temperature, Non-metallics



**Safety Factors
Creep-Fatigue Interaction
Weld Fatigue**

Simpack

- 3D Multibody Dynamics Simulation
- Mechanical or Mechatronic Systems
- Detailed Transient Simulation (Offline and Realtime)



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Flex Bodies, Advanced
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Lesson 1: Rubber Physics

Lesson content:

- ▶ Motivation
- ▶ Solid Rubber
 - Molecular structure
 - Material processing
 - Glass transition temperature
 - Nearly incompressible behavior
 - Typical stress–strain response
 - Hysteresis and damping
 - Damage
 - Anisotropy
- ▶ Thermoplastic Elastomers
 - Physical description
 - Advantages and disadvantages
- ▶ Rubber Foam
 - Physical description
 - Cellular structure
 - Typical stress–strain response
 - Poisson’s effect
- ▶ The Nonlinear Elastic Assumption



30 minutes

Lesson 2: Introduction to Hyperelasticity Models

Lesson content:

- ▶ Introduction
- ▶ Models for Nearly Incompressible Hyperelasticity
- ▶ Model for Foam Rubber Hyperelasticity



30 minutes

Lesson 3: Mechanical Testing

Lesson content:

- ▶ Modes of Deformation
 - Uniaxial tension
 - Planar tension
 - Uniaxial compression
 - Equibiaxial tension
 - Confined compression
- ▶ Loading History
 - Testing at temperature
- ▶ Test Specimens
- ▶ Test Data Guidelines
- ▶ Testing for Time-Dependent Properties
- ▶ Workshop Preliminaries
- ▶ Workshop 1: Axial Deflection of a Rubber Bushing (IA)
- ▶ Workshop 1: Axial Deflection of a Rubber Bushing (KW)



2 hours



Both interactive (IA) and keywords (KW) versions of the workshop are provided. Complete only one.

Lesson 4: Defining Rubber Elasticity Models in Abaqus

Lesson content:

- ▶ Curve-Fitting for Hyperelasticity of Nearly Incompressible Materials
- ▶ Material Stability
- ▶ Curve-fitting in Abaqus/CAE
- ▶ Choosing a Hyperelastic Model
- ▶ Augmenting Data
- ▶ Defining Hyperelastic Models
- ▶ Mullins Effect
- ▶ Hyperfoam Model
- ▶ UHYPER



Lesson 5: Modeling Issues and Tips

Lesson content:

- ▶ Contact
- ▶ Element Selection
- ▶ Meshing Considerations
- ▶ Constraints and Reinforcements
- ▶ Instability
- ▶ Output Variables
- ▶ Using Abaqus/Explicit for Rubber Analyses
- ▶ Special Features
- ▶ Example: Column Shifter Boot
- ▶ Example: Weather Seal
- ▶ Workshop 2: Bead Seal Compression (IA)
- ▶ Workshop 2: Bead Seal Compression (KW)



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2 hours

Lesson 6: Viscoelastic Material Behavior

Lesson content:

- ▶ Introduction
- ▶ Effects of Viscoelasticity
 - Creep
 - Stress relaxation
 - Damping and hysteresis
- ▶ Linear Viscoelasticity
- ▶ Finite-strain Nonlinear Viscoelasticity
- ▶ Temperature Dependence



Lesson 7: Time-Domain Viscoelasticity

Lesson content:

- ▶ Classical Linear Viscoelasticity
- ▶ Prony Series Representation
- ▶ Finite-Strain Linear Viscoelasticity
- ▶ Relaxation and Creep Test Data
- ▶ Prony Series Data
- ▶ Automatic Material Evaluation
- ▶ Time-Temperature Correspondence
- ▶ Usage Hints
- ▶ Finite-Strain Nonlinear Viscoelasticity
- ▶ Structural Relaxation in Glass
- ▶ Workshop 3: Bead Seal Relaxation (IA)
- ▶ Workshop 3: Bead Seal Relaxation (KW)



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2.5 hours

Lesson 8: Frequency-Domain Viscoelasticity

Lesson content:

- ▶ Frequency-Domain Response
- ▶ Storage and Loss Moduli
- ▶ Classical Isotropic Linear Viscoelasticity
- ▶ Frequency-Temperature Correspondence
- ▶ Isotropic Finite-Strain Viscoelasticity
- ▶ Procedures
- ▶ Workshop 4: Bead Seal Vibration (IA)
- ▶ Workshop 4: Bead Seal Vibration (KW)



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1.75 hours

Lesson 9: Permanent Set in Solid Elastomers

Lesson content:

- ▶ Motivation
- ▶ Defining Permanent Set
- ▶ Example
- ▶ Summary



Lesson 10: Anisotropic Hyperelasticity

Lesson content:

- ▶ Motivation
- ▶ Models Available in Abaqus
- ▶ Examples



Appendix 1: Finite Deformations

Appendix content:

- ▶ Motions and Displacements
- ▶ Extension of a Material Line Element
- ▶ The Deformation Gradient
- ▶ Strain for Large Deformations
- ▶ Decomposition of a Deformation
- ▶ Principal Stretches and Principal Axes of Deformation
- ▶ Strain Invariants
- ▶ Deformation Example – Simple Shear
- ▶ Summary



Appendix 2: Rubber Elasticity Models: Math. Forms

Appendix content:

- ▶ Energy Functions for Solid Rubbers (Isotropic)
 - ▣ Polynomial Model
 - ▣ Mooney-Rivlin Model
 - ▣ Reduced Polynomial Model
 - ▣ Neo-Hookean Model
 - ▣ Yeoh Model
 - ▣ Ogden Model
 - ▣ Marlow Model
 - ▣ Arruda-Boyce Model
 - ▣ Van der Waals Model
- ▶ Foam Rubber Model
- ▶ Mullins Effect



Appendix 3: Linear Viscoelasticity Theory

Appendix content:

- ▶ Classical Linear Viscoelasticity



30 minutes

Appendix 4: Harmonic Viscoelasticity Theory

Appendix content:

- ▶ Classical Linear Viscoelasticity
- ▶ Harmonic Excitation



Appendix 5: Suggested Reading

Appendix content:

- ▶ Suggested Reading



15 minutes