



Performance Engineering for Hybrid-Electrical Vehicles

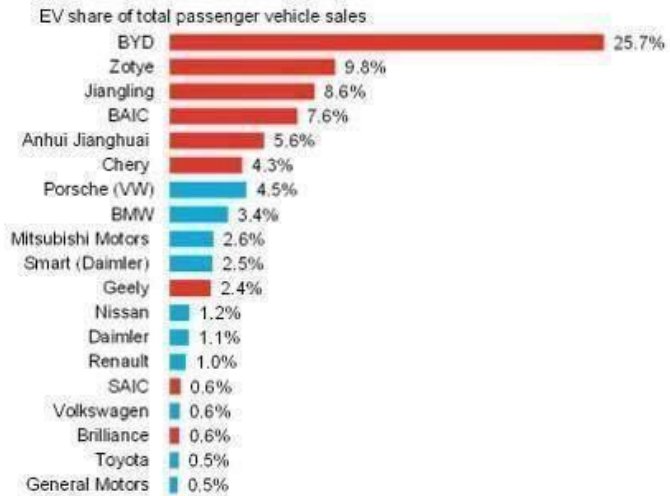
Master the performance engineering complexity with the integrated solutions of Simcenter
Katrien Wyckaert

Electrification

Trend is solidifying

Electrical Segment growing – China a dominant player

2017 EV share of total passenger vehicle sales for selected automakers



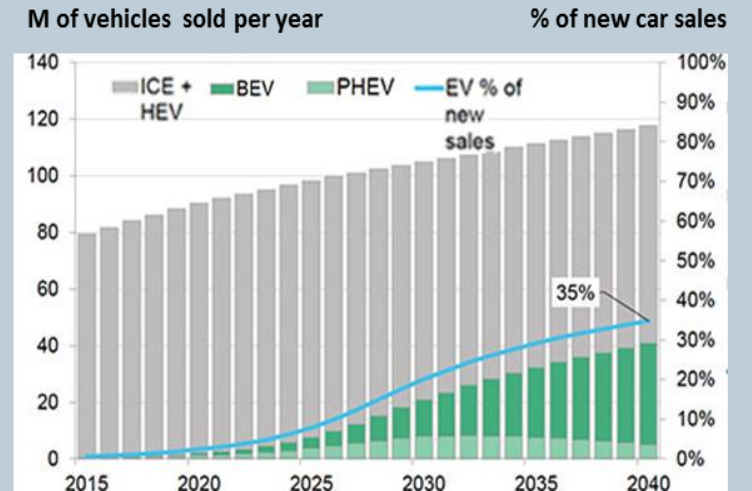
Source: Bloomberg New Energy Finance, Marklines. Note: Red denotes Chinese manufacturers; blue is all other manufacturers. Includes sales data up to the end of 3Q 2017. Only includes selected companies selling more than 250,000 vehicles per year. Includes BEV + PHEV.

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Worldwide sales EV grew 45% in 2016 (McKinsey)

Electric vehicles (HEVs & EVs) share could range from 10-50% of new vehicles sold in 2030



Source: Bloomberg New Energy Finance

Trends driving innovation in today's vehicle market

Challenging vehicle engineering teams

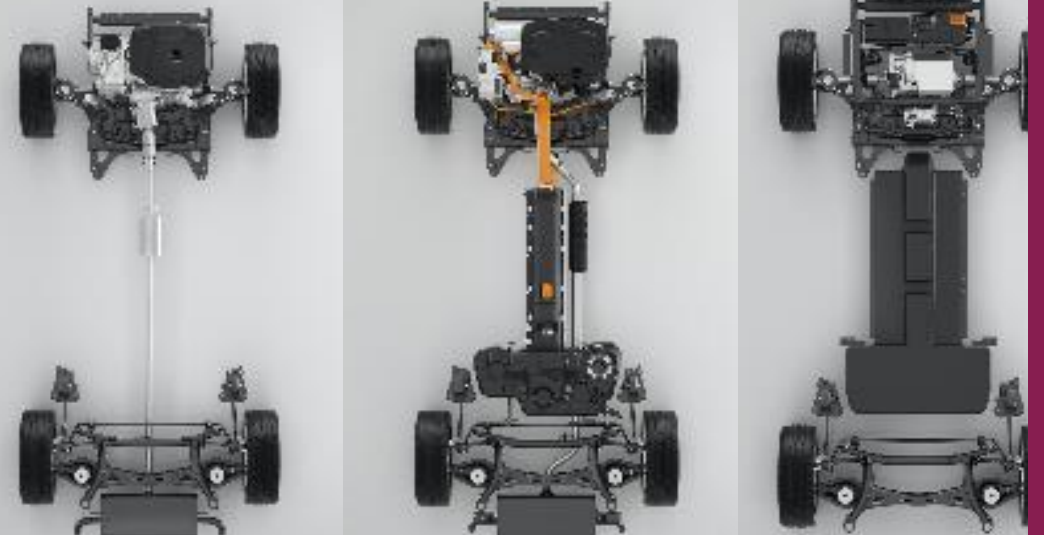
Delivering Lightweight, Emission-Friendly,
Fuel Efficient Vehicles...

Systems Performance



...yet Managing Expected
Vehicle Performance

Managing Complexity of Required
Mechatronic System Innovations...



Mechatronic Complexity

...and Guarantee Quality
of Integration

Engineering implications in vehicle development

A growing complexity in **systems** interactions

System Driven Product Development

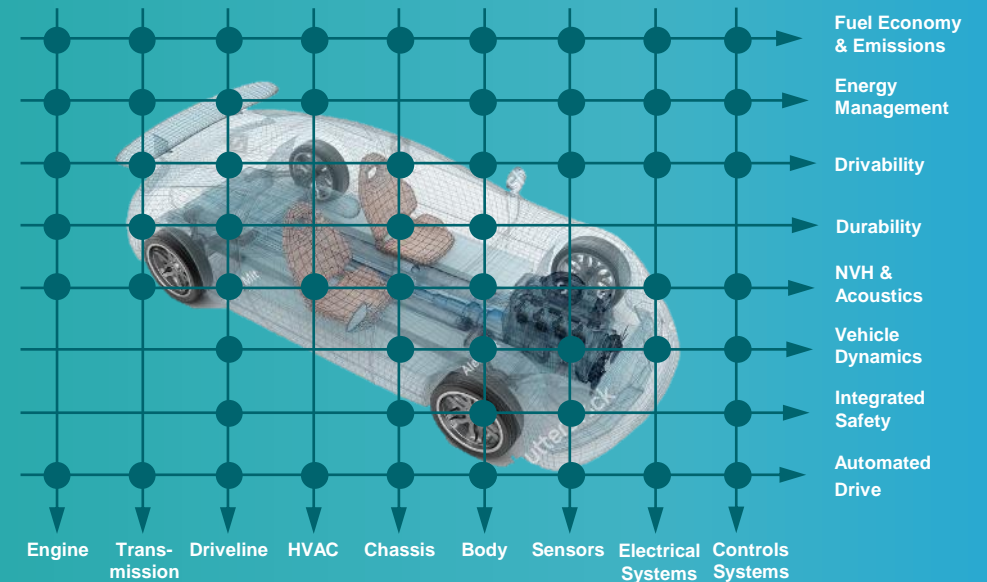
Rethink the vehicle development processes to effectively deal with nowadays challenges

Powertrain electrification & hybridization

Towards automated driving

A balanced driver experience in a global market

Quality in software and hardware complexity



Addressing the challenge of innovations while managing the complexity of mechatronic system development

Deploying the digital twin for performance engineering

Simcenter in support of multi-attribute performance engineering



Multi-attribute Performance Engineering



Fuel Economy & Energy Management



Drivability



Vehicle Dynamics



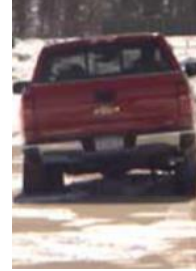
Integrated Safety



NVH & Acoustics



Aerodynamics & Water Management



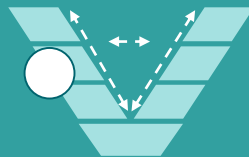
Strength & Durability



Automated Driving



Requirements



Architecture



Subsystem



System



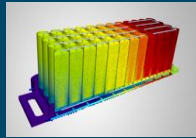
Vehicle performance sign-off

Model based System Solutions Supporting (H)EV Vehicle Development



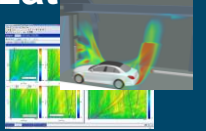
Battery Design

Chemistry | Package | Charging



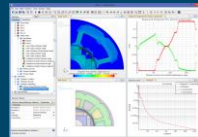
Performance Optimization

Energy & Thermal management
Acoustics & NVH

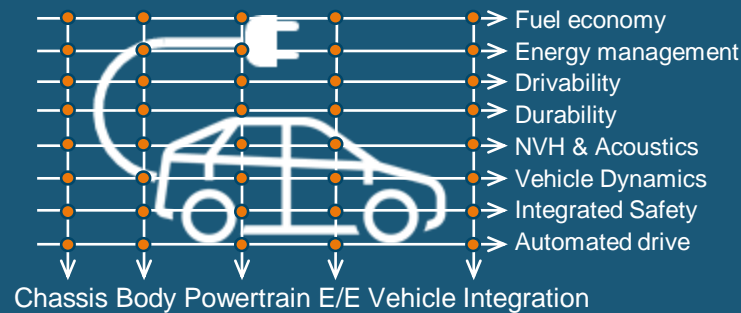


Electric Drive

Motors | Inverter | Converter

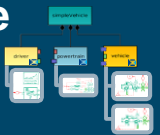


Continuous Verification & Validation Framework



Powertrain Architecture

Vehicle Platform



Systems Driven Product Development

Electrical
Distribution
Systems
EMI/EMC



Software &
Controls

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reported abstract compositionBlock ABLCComposite
Lights_ControllerBlock [boolean Manual_Bo
[boolean PV_Sensor]
constraint [
  true() MaximumInput: Sensor_Imo
]
composition {
  Lights_ControllerBlock aController;
  aController -> Light_Ctrl;
  Manual_Input -> aController.Manual_Input;
  Sensor_Input -> aController.Sensor_Input;
}
    
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Ensuring system continuity, multi-domain traceability and functional safety across domains

Exploiting architectural options to its maximum potential?

14 Hybrid Architectures on the Market

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Series FWD



Parallel AWD



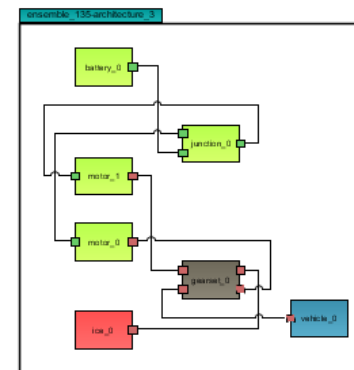
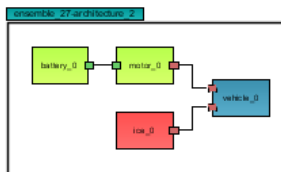
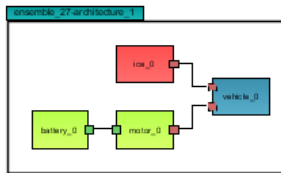
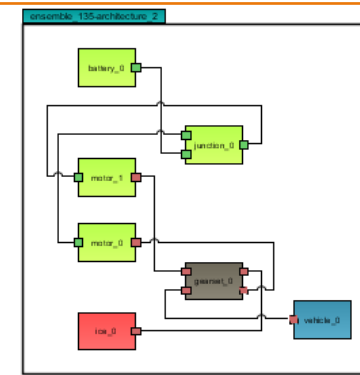
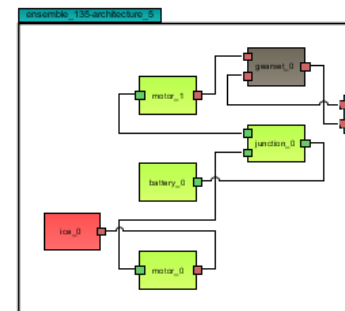
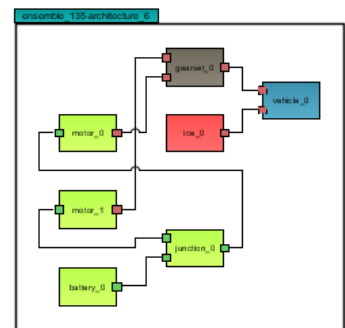
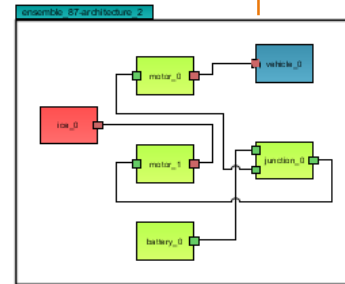
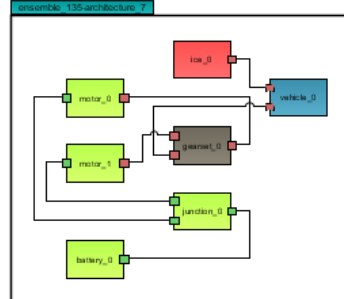
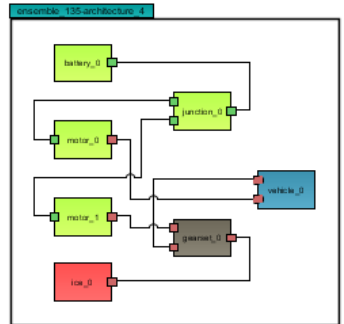
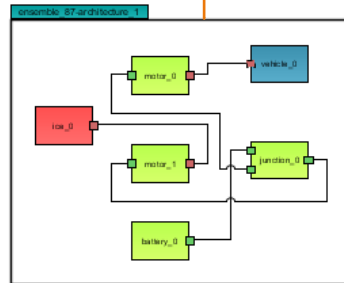
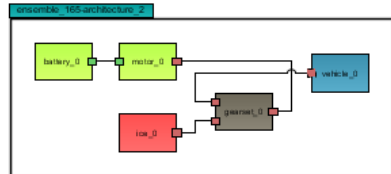
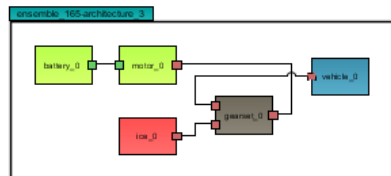
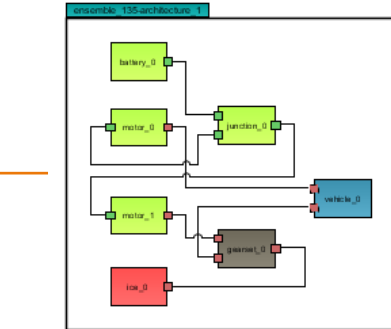
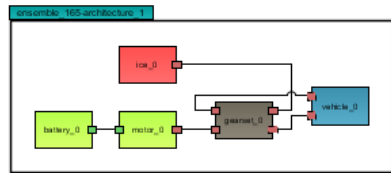
Power split AWD



Parallel RWD



Parallel FWD



Series RWD



Power split RWD



Parallel AWD



Parallel AWD

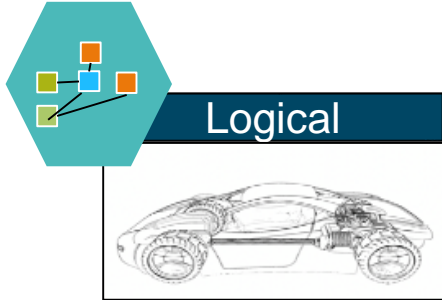


Power split FWD

Architecture Generation

Basic Idea

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**Computational Design
Synthesis**



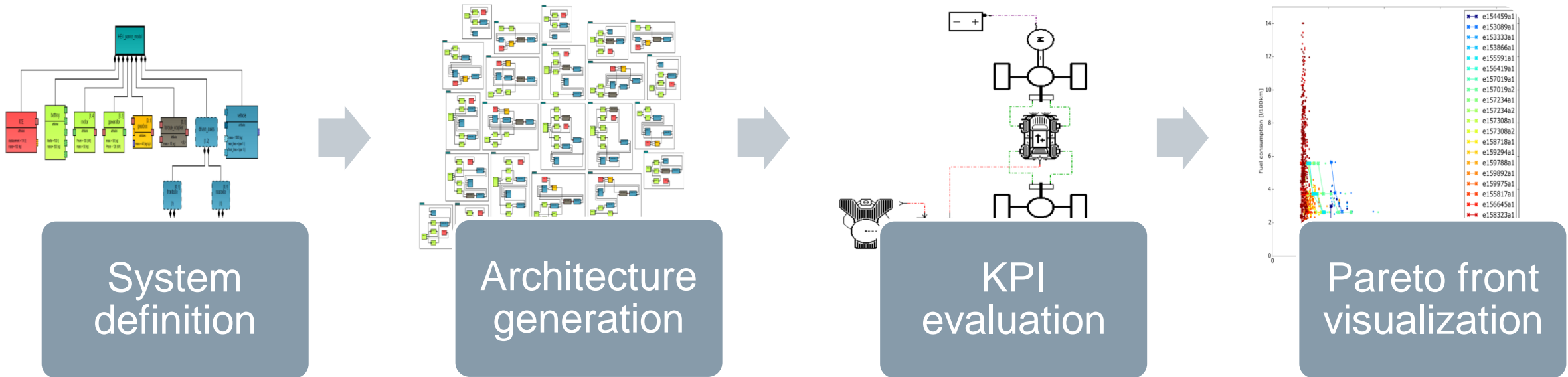
Design knowledge and intent

Design/Architectures/Concepts

Generative Engineering - Architecture

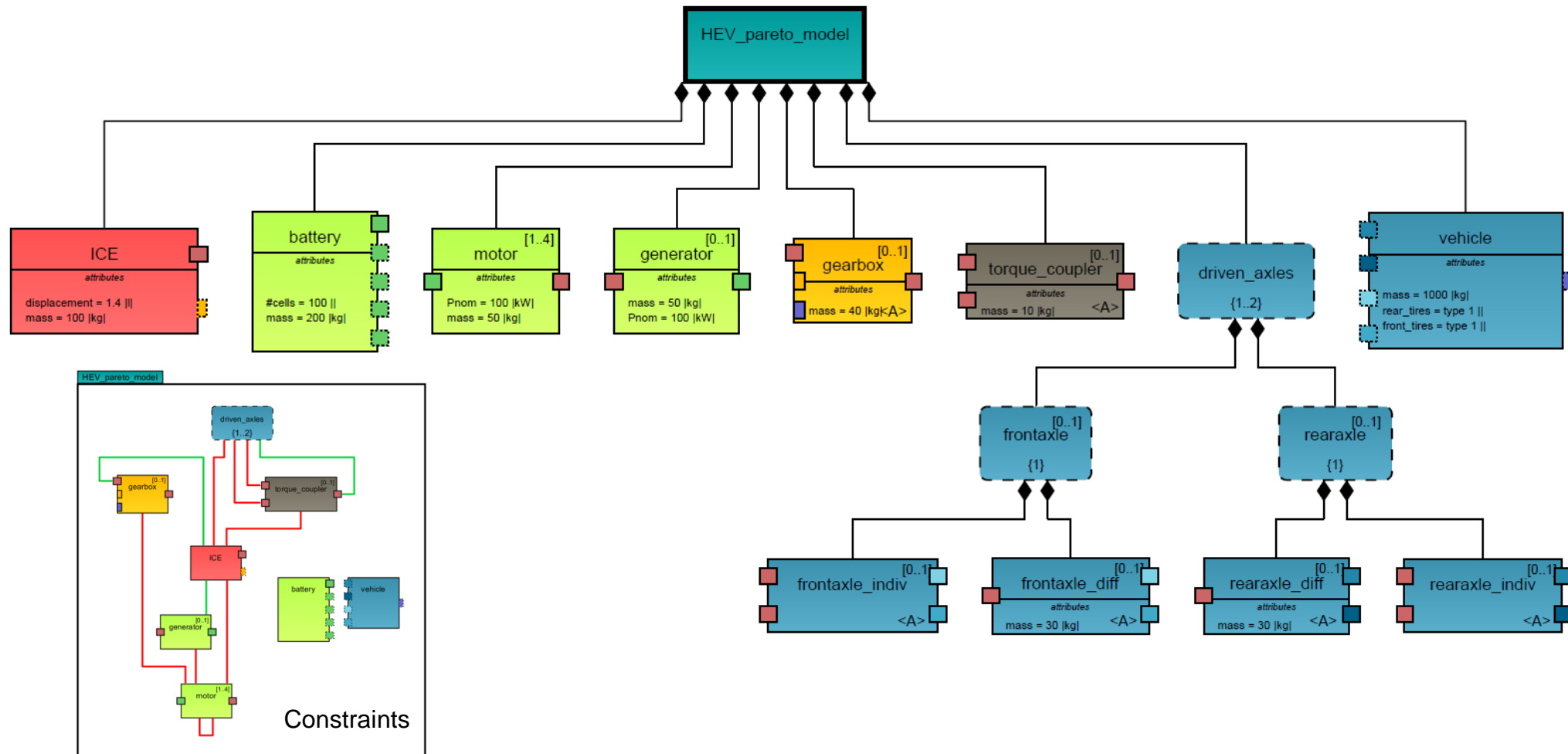
The Process Illustrated

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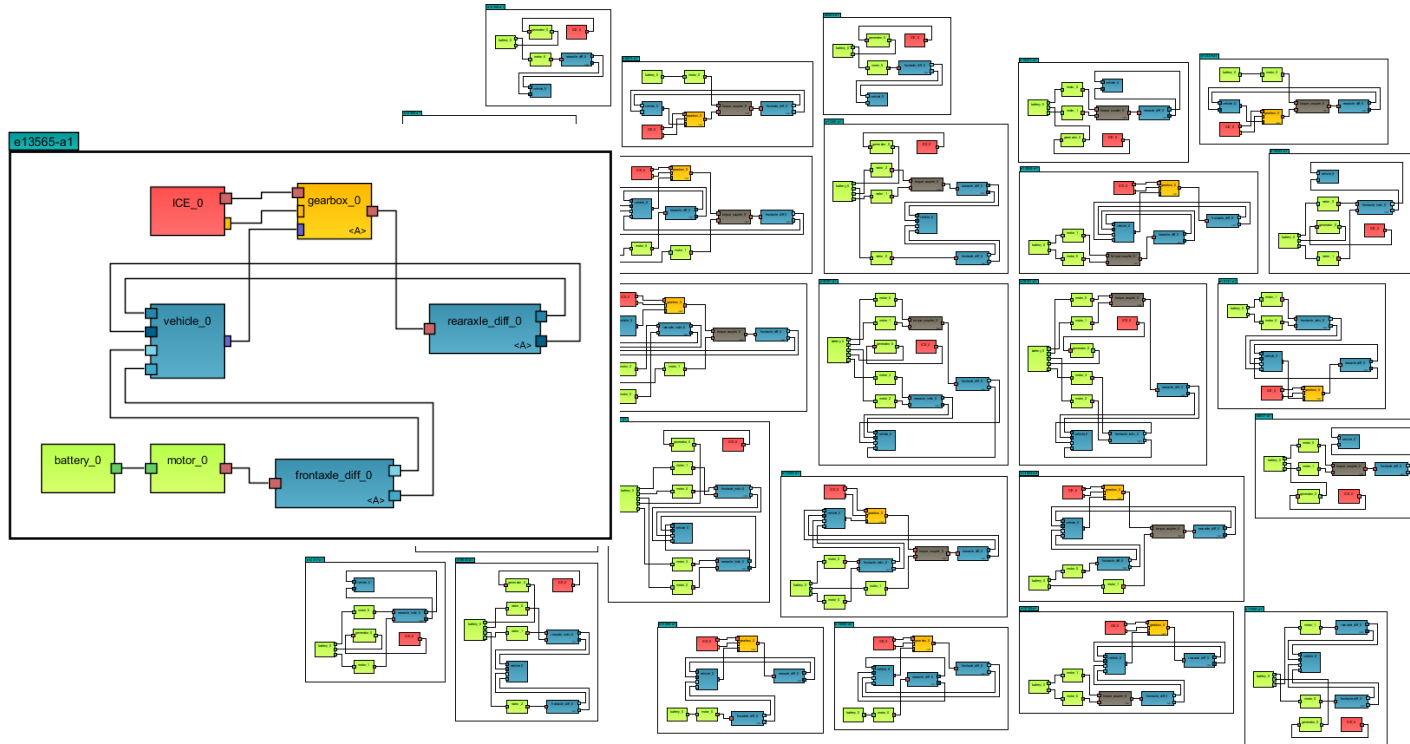
System definition

System model








Architecture generation

26 topologically different architectures



dimension of component variability

ICE	Electric motor	Battery	Shaft & wheels	Vehicle
				
3 variants	3 variants	1 variant	1 variant	1 variant
1.5 l 2.0 l 2.4 l	96 kW, 250 Nm 50 kW, 200 Nm 33 kW, 210 Nm	96 cells/bank 1 banks in series 1 banks in parallel	Final gear ratio: 3.68	1 560kg
		20.0 Ah	Front tires: 195/50R20	C _d : 0.26 S: 2.11 m ²
		Li-Ion (NMC) 3.7 V (cell)	Rear tires: 215/45R20	

KPI definition

Acceleration



Time required for 0-100 km/h acceleration

No traction control
Simple tire models

Fuel consumption



Fuel consumption at cruise @100 km/h, SOC sustaining mode

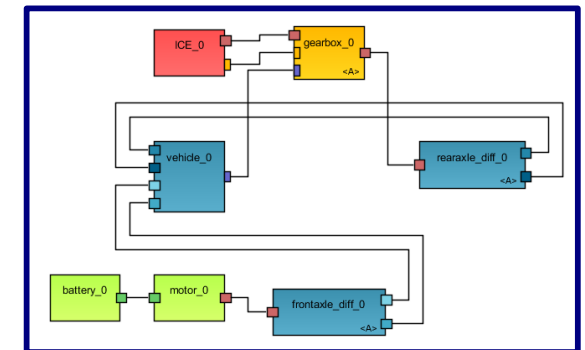
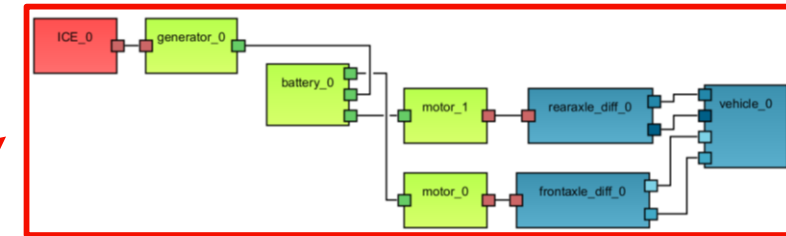
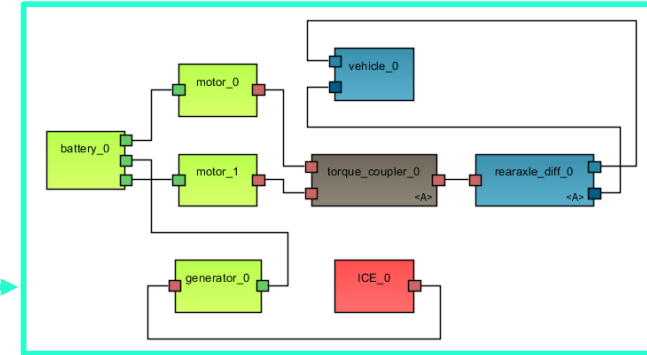
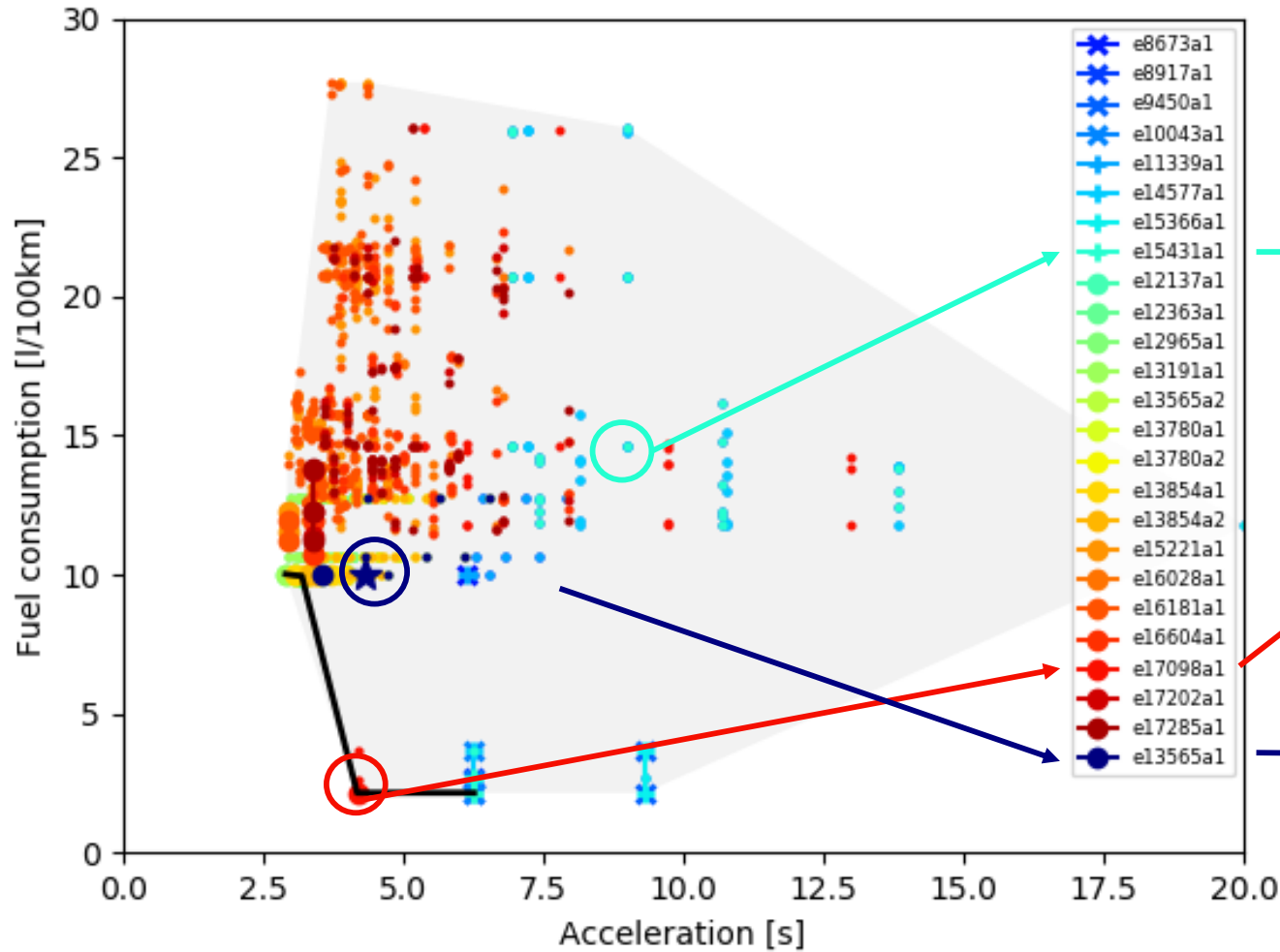
Optimization on the torque inputs of the torque generating devices, large penalty for deviations on vehicle speed and SOC



Pareto front visualization

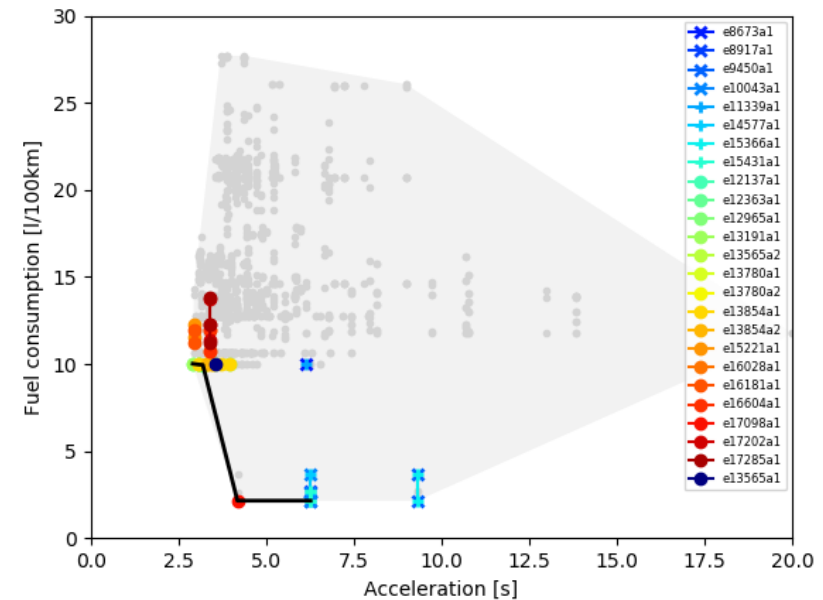
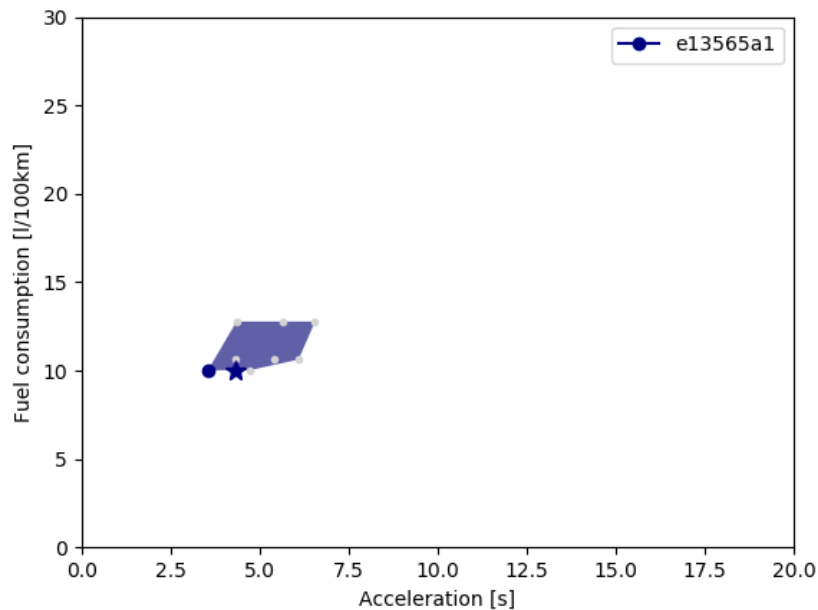
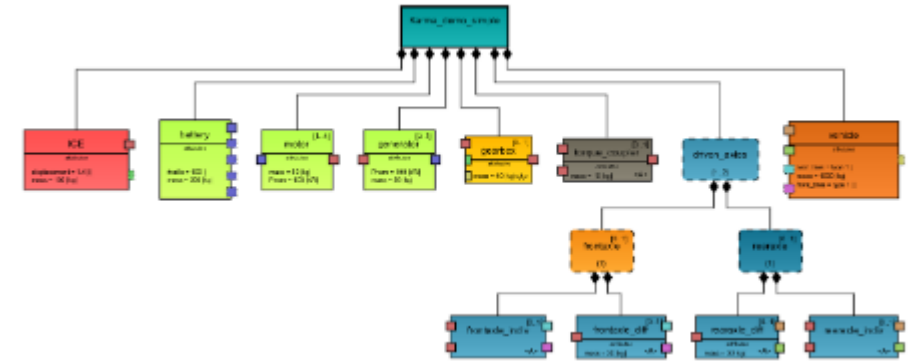
Other architectures

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Conclusions

- Generation of architectures from a variant model
- Automatic generation and evaluation of simulation models
- Evaluation of KPI's allows for a more elaborated decision



Electrified Powertrains

Solution areas with Simcenter

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Battery design

**Energy
management**

**Vehicle Systems
Integration**

**Thermal
management**

Motor design

NVH

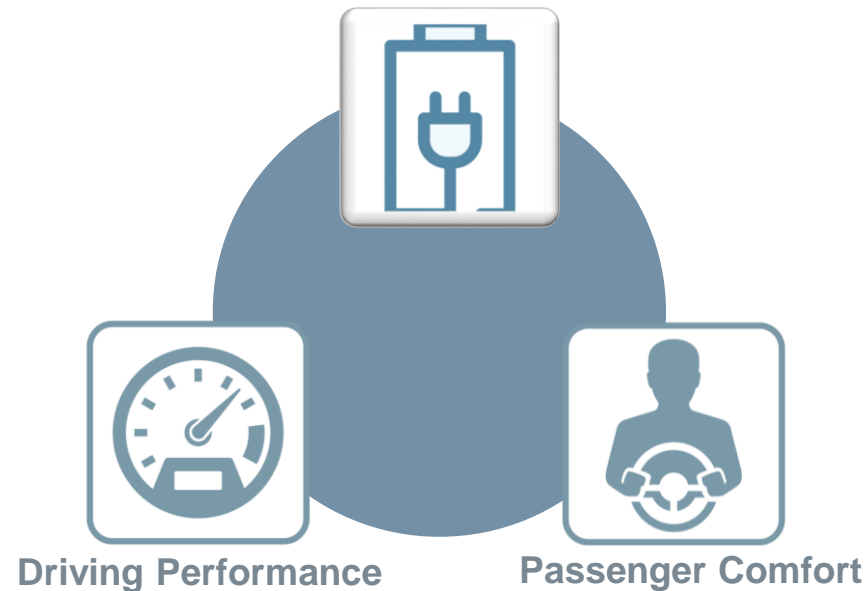
Controls V&V

Implications for Powertrain Performance Engineering

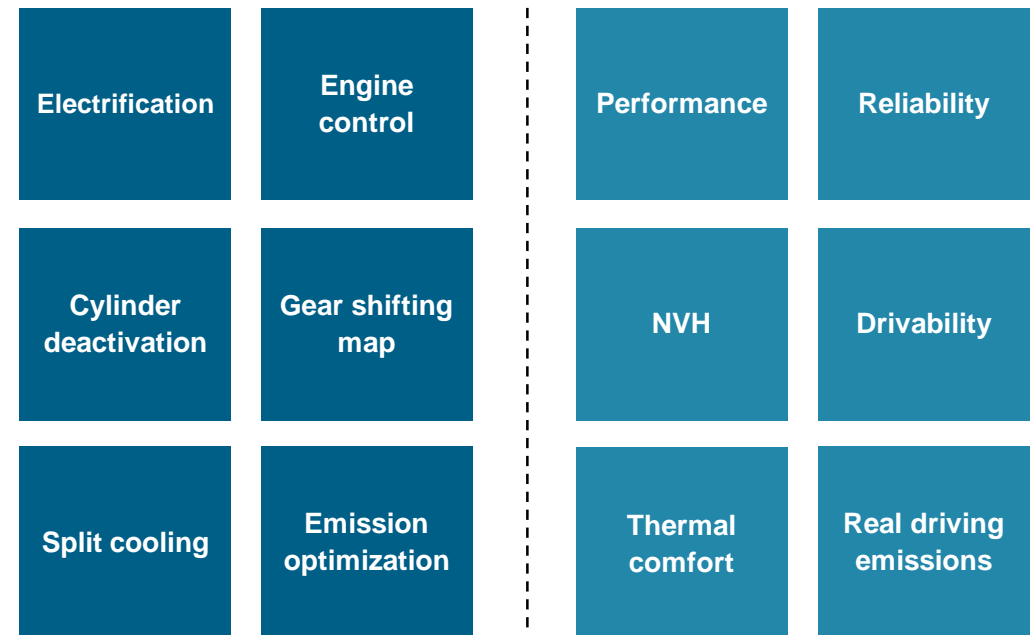
Finding the optimal balance between powertrain performances

Balance attributes to reach targeted performance levels during integration

Range / Fuel Economy / Emission



Assess the impact of technology implementation on key attributes



Finding the optimal balance between powertrain performances

Delivering solutions with Simcenter



Refining
energy
management
requirements

Objectivize target requirements for next driveline design

In-vehicle testing



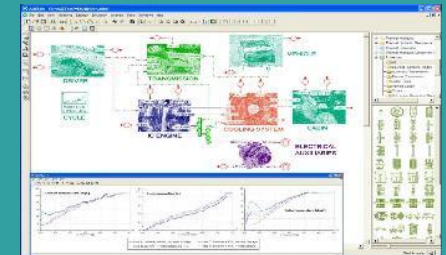
Climatic vehicle cell robot driver,
dedicated instrumentation

Integrating
test and simulation



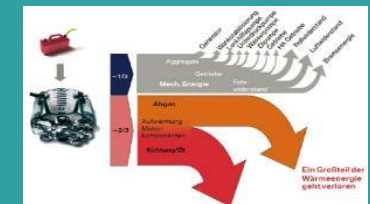
Simulation

- Plant model
- Control
- Multi level
- Multi physics



In-depth analysis

- Energy losses & flow
- Benchmarking
- Fuel eco optimization
- Study alternate systems



Finding the optimal balance between powertrain performances

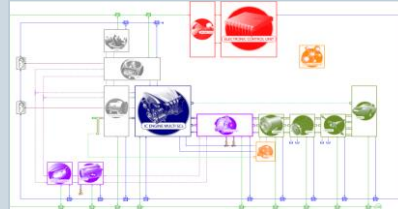
Delivering solutions with Simcenter



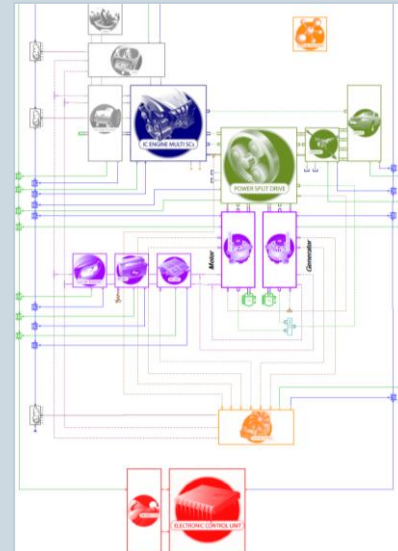
Early trade-off for powertrain configurations

Architectural trade-off for fuel economy, emissions, drivability and low frequency NVH

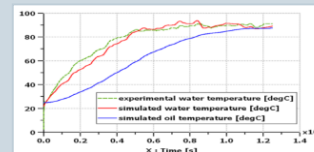
Series hybrid architecture



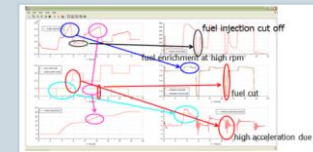
Power Split architecture



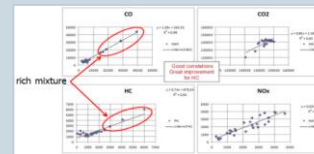
Fuel economy



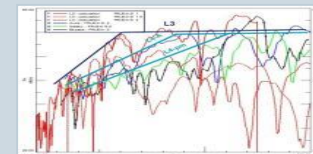
Drivability & comfort



Emissions



Low frequency NVH



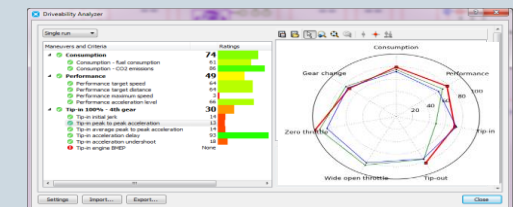
Fuel Economy / Emission

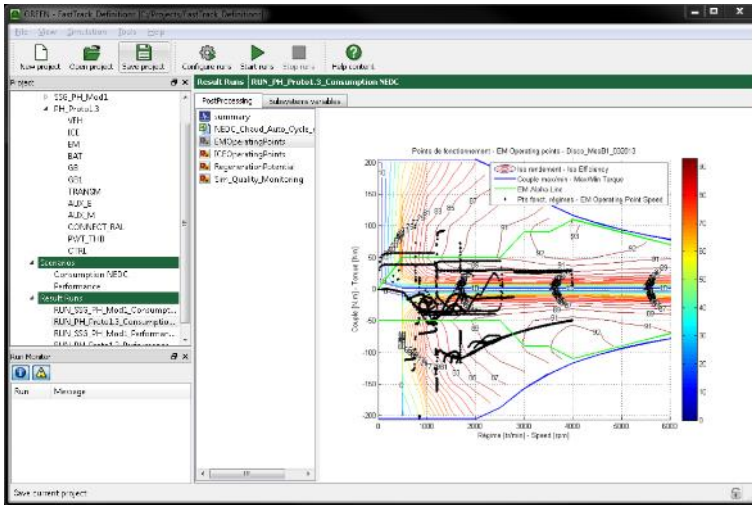


Driving Performance

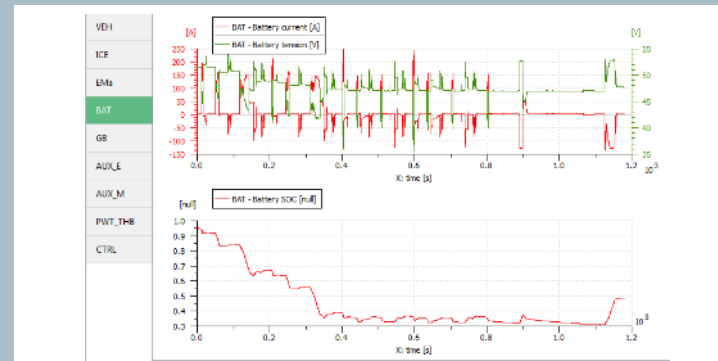


Passenger Comfort

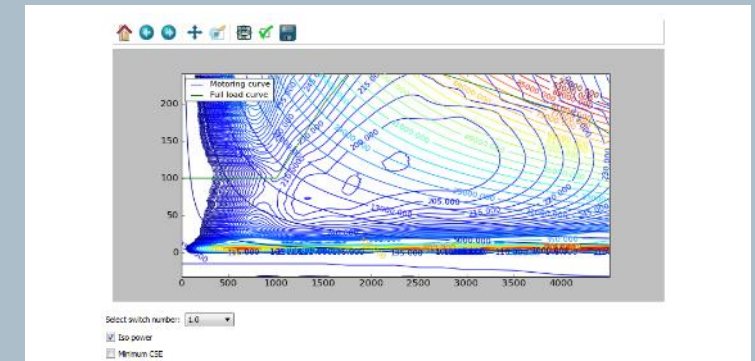




Operating complex multi-domain analyses



Battery behavior simulation



Internal combustion engine analysis

- Delivered high-quality product on-time and with reasonable costs
- Created flexible development platform to support future projects
- Shortened time-to-market

- Facilitate communication and decision-making thanks to a common platform
- Implement co-simulations to assess the energy synthesis of any hybrid configuration

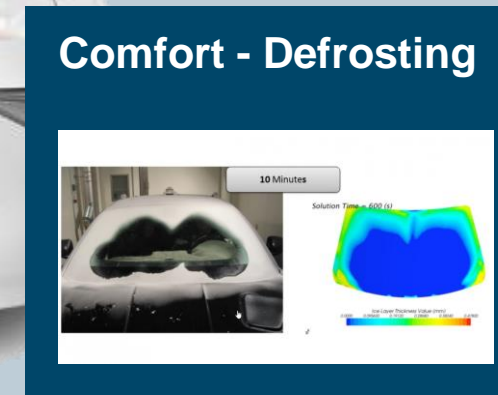
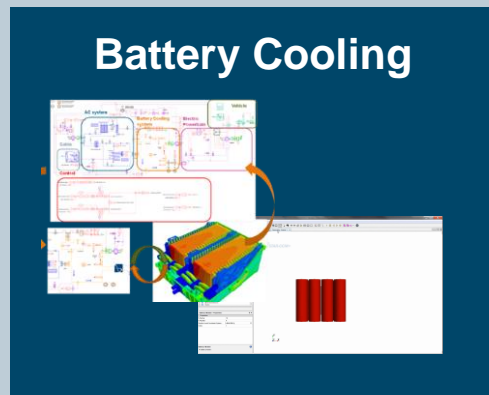
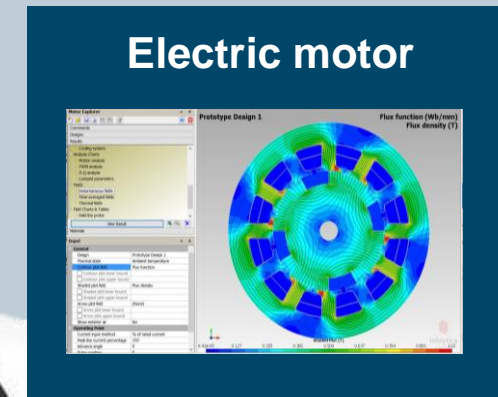
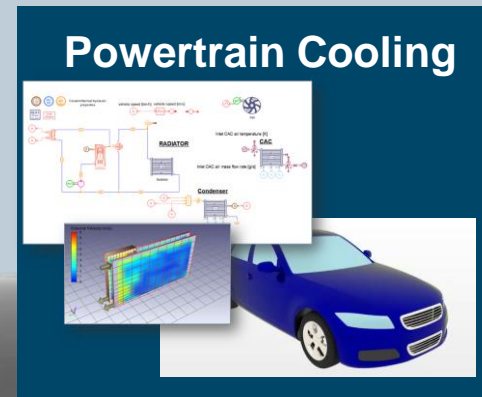
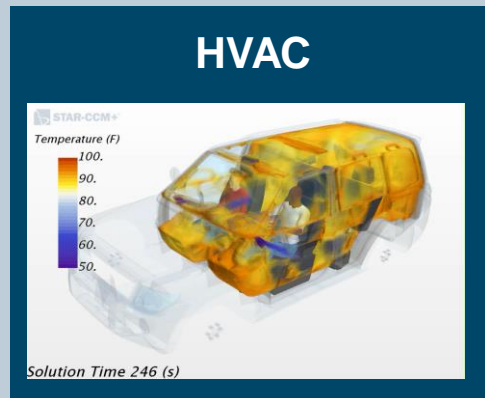
“LMS Imagine.Lab Amesim enables us to get a deep insight on energy performance of hybrid architectures and helps us select optimal architectures that fit our requirements early in the design process.”

Eric Chauvelier, Method and Simulation Manager

Optimize Energy Management of Low Emission Vehicles

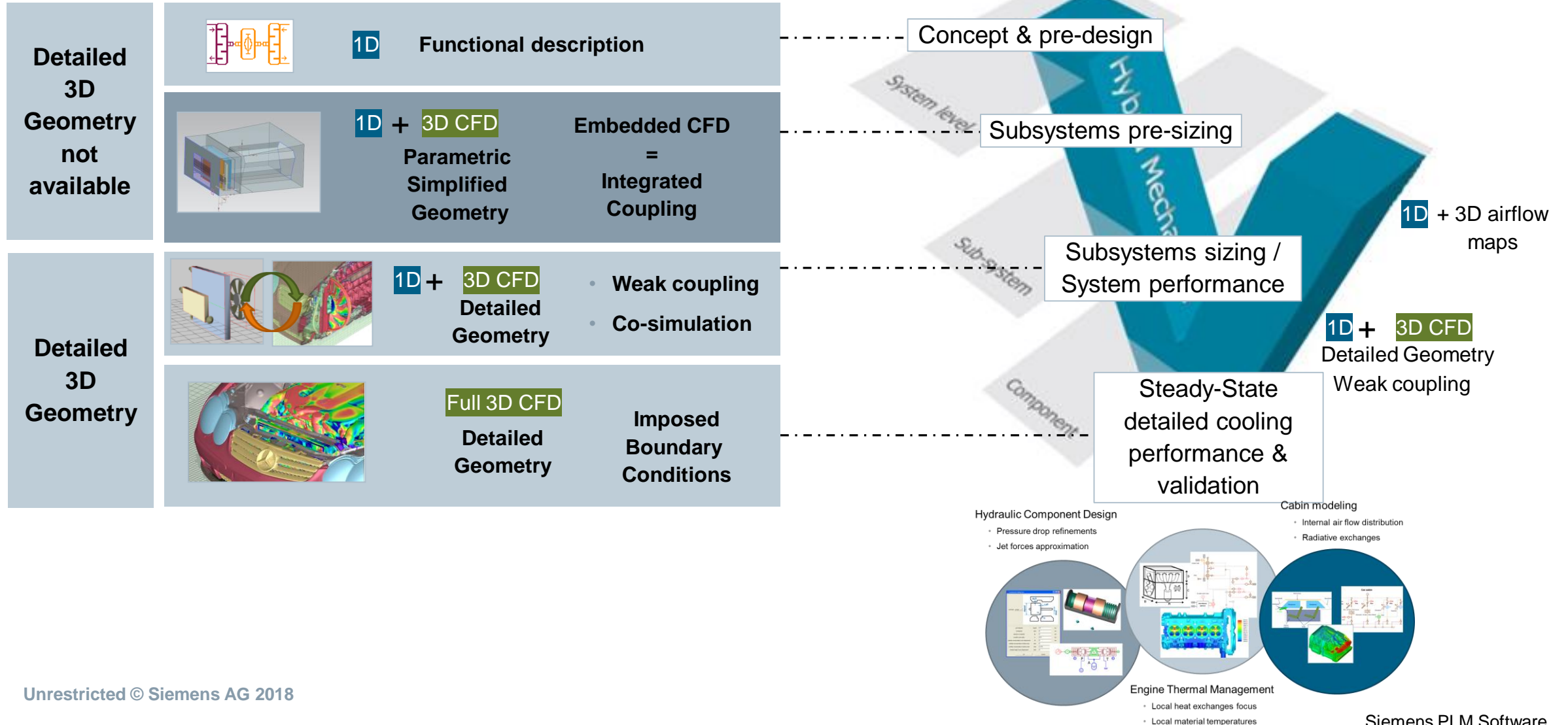
Simcenter for vehicle performance engineering

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Frontloading Mechatronic System Performance

Scalable use of 1D & 3D system simulation



Finding the optimal balance between powertrain performances

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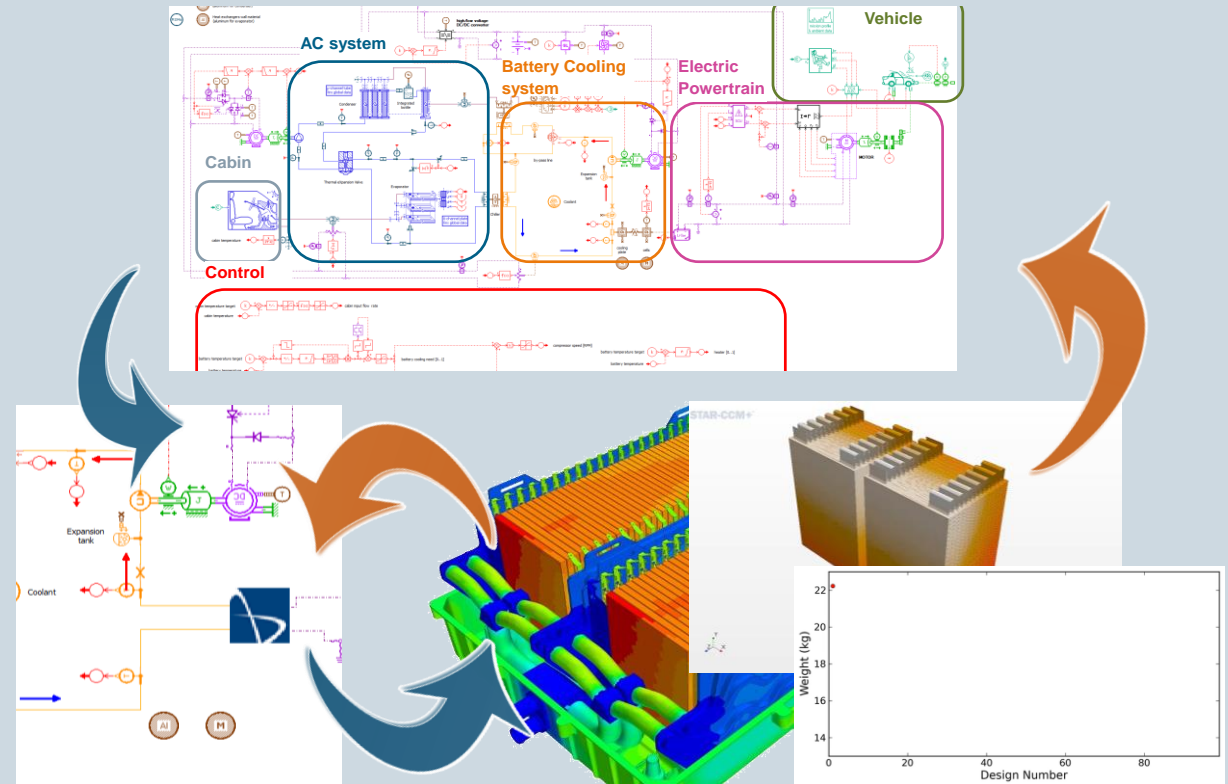


Detailed trade-off

Trade-off battery cooling requirements and vehicle energy management requirements

Balance battery performance to HVAC and control systems

Predict cell temperature variation, and optimize battery pack using full system simulation including battery, electric systems, thermal systems, coupled with detailed 3D cell model



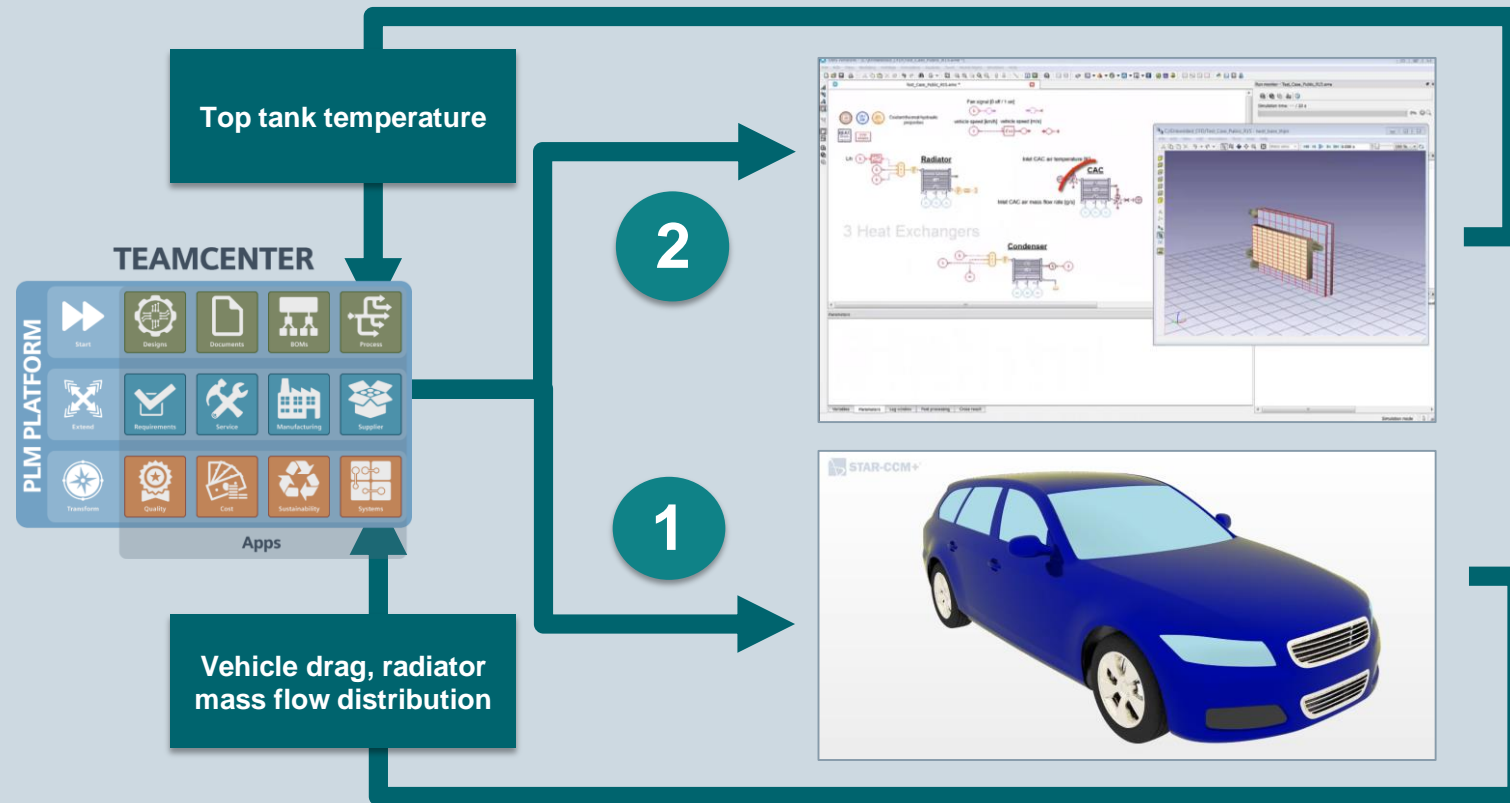
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Subsystem
versus system
trade-off for
energy
management

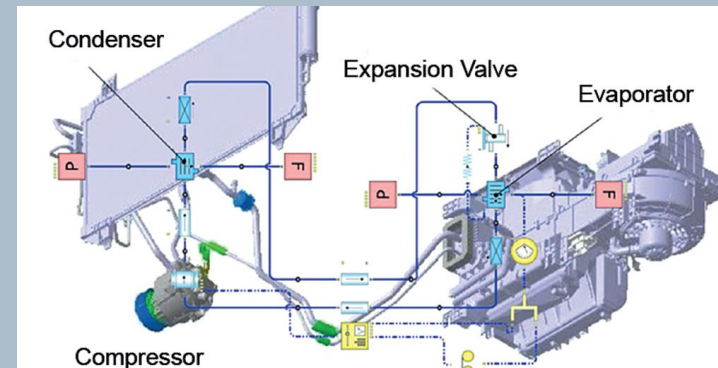
Achieve engine cooling performance targets and meet system energy consumption / fuel economy requirements



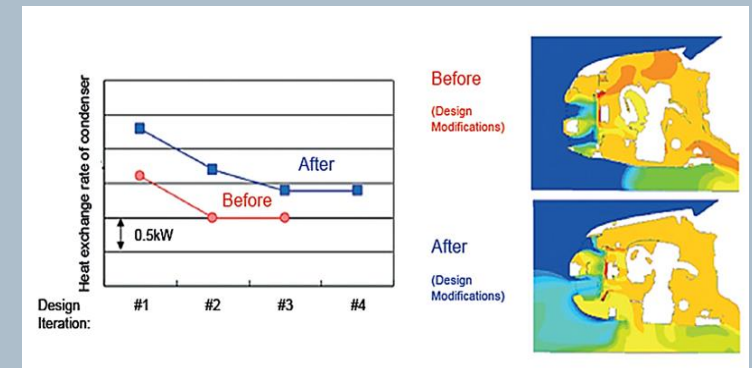


- Ensured SUV has extended range while balancing thermal challenges in the design.
- Enabled cutting edge innovation for Plug-in Hybrid Electric Vehicles
- Conducted loosely coupled 1D/3D simulation to enable different drive conditions.

Vehicle thermal management study using 1D & 3D CFD



HVAC System with Simplified 1D Network



Using 1D Simulation Coupled to 3D for Improved Idle Performance

- Used 1D and 3D CFD to define all internal thermal ventilation for optimal performance.
- 3D CFD applications include cabin comfort, windshield defrosting, air ventilation duct design, radiator and underhood thermal design.

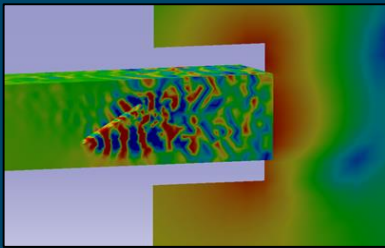
“Currently, our 1D and 3D co-operative analysis approach is leading our accuracy improvements. We use it to evaluate equipment parts and it is ideal to have the performance of each single, required AC part, simulated to satisfy the targeted cooling system performance level. “

Optimize NVH of Low Emission Vehicles

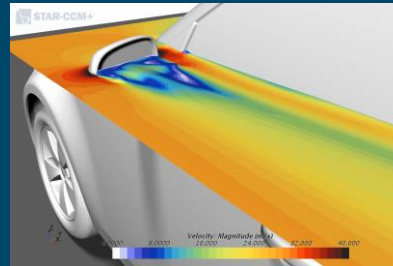
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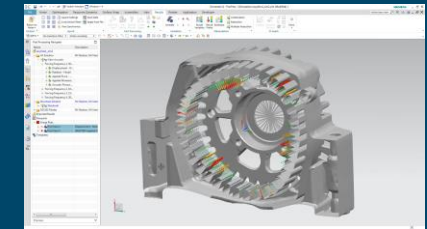
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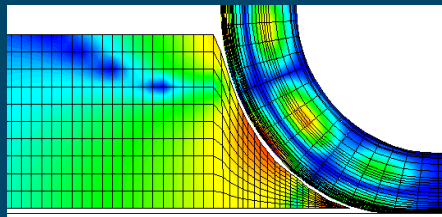
Wind noise



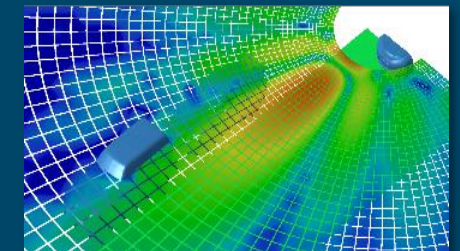
Electric motor



Road Noise



Warning sounds



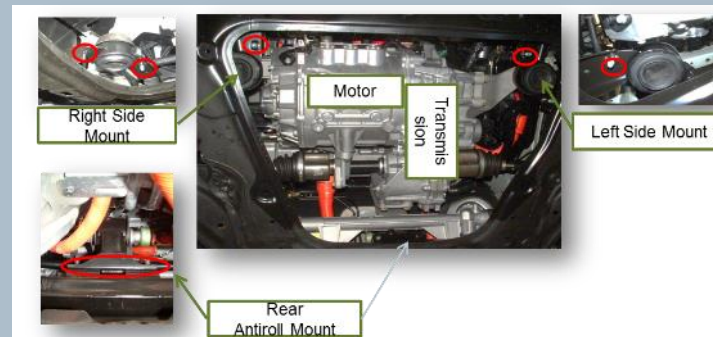
Target Setting – Requirements – EV - Specific Noise performance

Source-Transfer-Receiver methodology

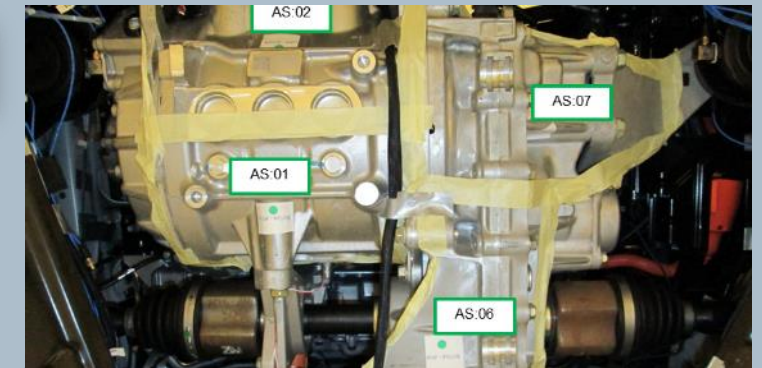


- Traditional TPA technology applied to electric vehicles
- Identification of major noise contributors up to high frequency (up to 100th engine order)
- Electro-magnetic forces, gear whine and PWM switching as noise generating mechanisms

Applying TPA and ASQ methodologies on an electric vehicle



Structure borne TPA



Airborne TPA

Investigation of airborne and structure borne source contributions from the powertrain to the interior by applying common TPA technologies .

Traditional TPA methodologies prove well capable of investigating high frequency noise content as seen in electric vehicles if measurements and analysis are done with appropriate care.

BYD Auto Company Limited

Boosting NVH performance of plug-in hybrid and electrical vehicle fleet

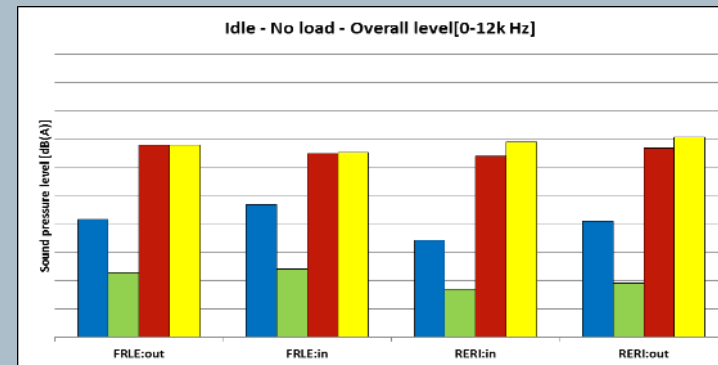
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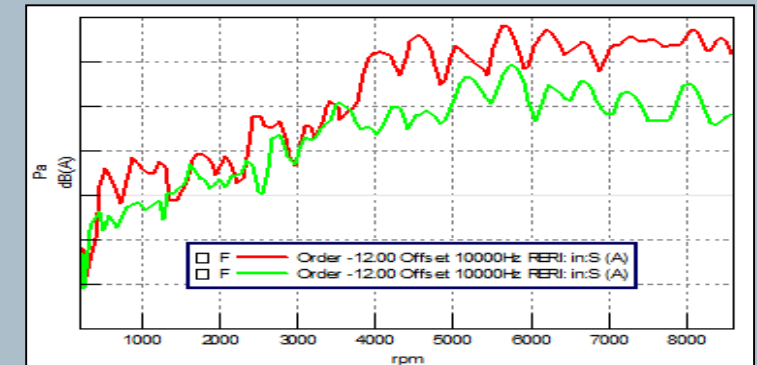


- Reduced noise and vibration levels in hybrid vehicles and other NVH-related problems, such as wind and cooling pump noise
- Optimized overall hybrid vehicle structure for NVH performance without compromising other quality parameters, such as drivability and handling

Improving the NVH development and control process



Target setting and benchmarking



NVH optimization

- Dedicated and comprehensive troubleshooting methodology
- Integrated simulation and testing to determine and resolve the root causes of problems

“15 versions of the Qin were praised for NVH performance by our customers. Working together with Siemens Simcenter Engineering for NVH optimization has helped us position ourselves as the top seller in plug-in new energy vehicles”

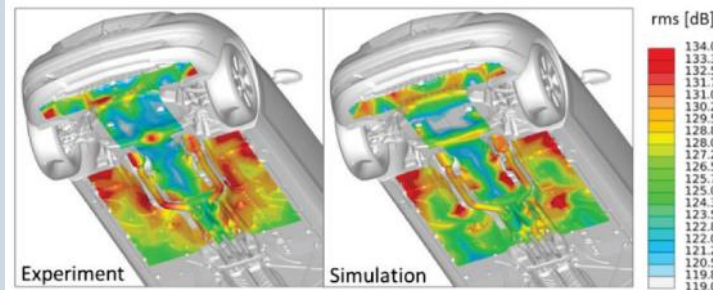
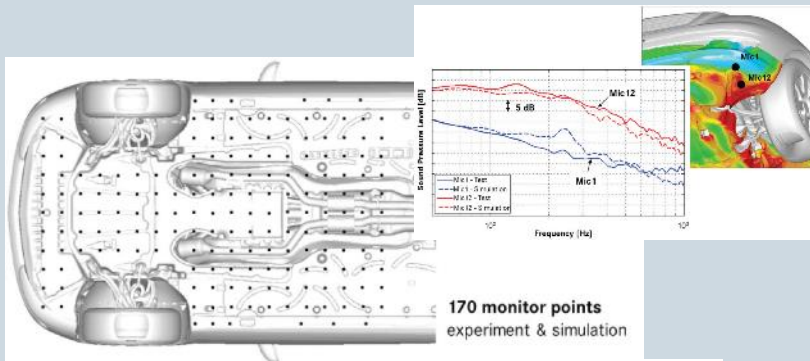
Zhang Rongrong, Manager NVH performance research division

Balancing performances for low emission vehicles

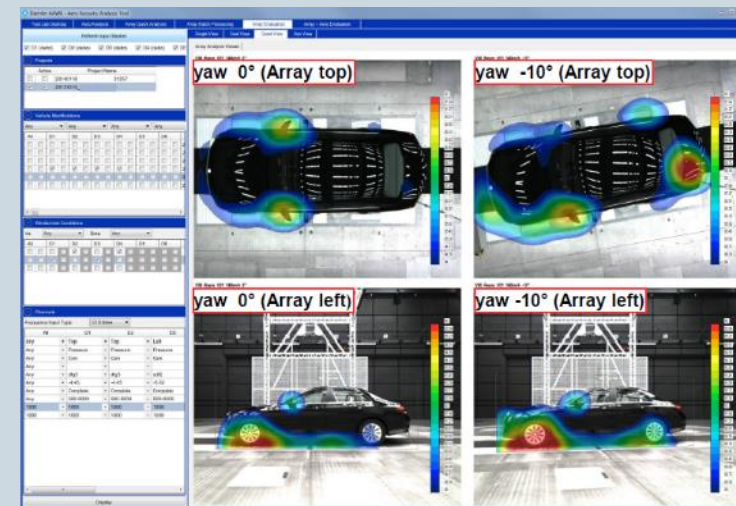
Simcenter for vehicle performance engineering

Electrification impacts NVH balance

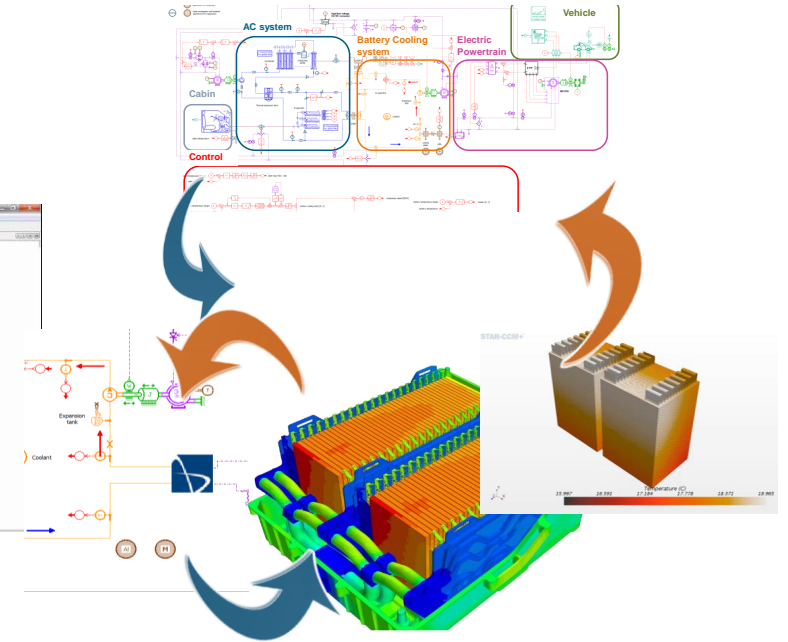
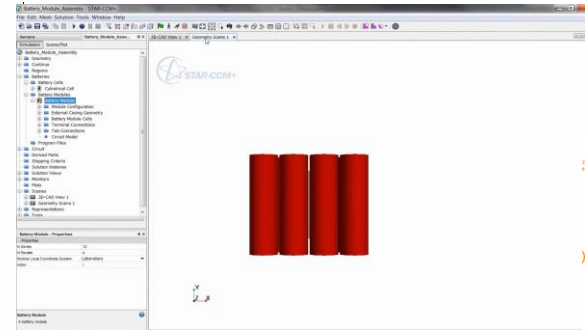
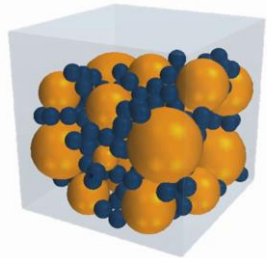
Developing the digital twin for aerodynamic and wind noise



Ref. "The New Daimler Automotive Wind Tunnel Acoustic Properties and Measurement System",
Published at 10th FKFS Conference 2016



Siemens Battery Modelling Expertise



Micro-structure Electrochemistry

Virtually test SEM produced electrode geometry
Conduct design studies on new concepts

Virtual Cell Design and Test

Detailed geometrical representation coupled to performance model to build cell digital twin

Battery pack design

Flow, thermal & Electrochemistry analysis of complex power systems
Study detailed spatial effects at cell, module & pack level

Overall System Design

Interface Module & Pack 3D analyses with complex power train
1D functional system models



Improving the cooling system for jelly roll batteries

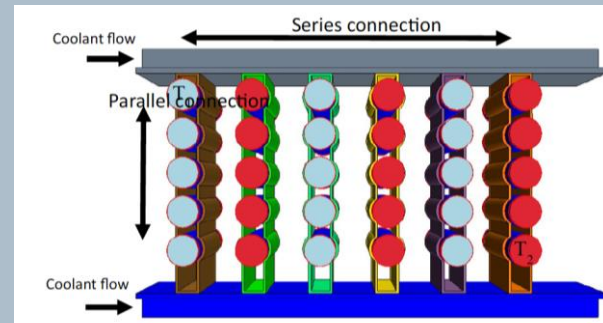
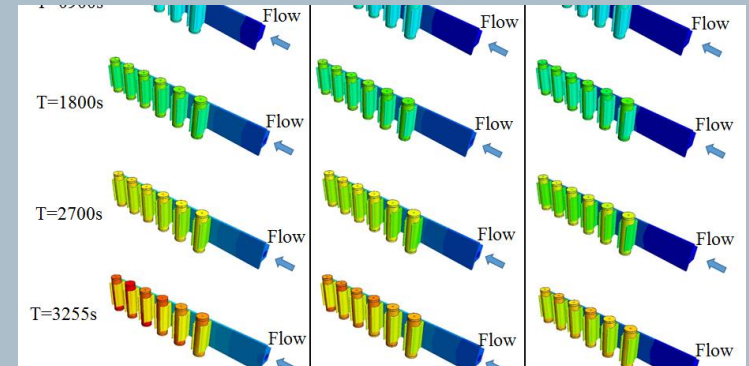


Fig. 2. Locations of temperature measurements ('T₁' and 'T₂') in the pack.

$i_n = i_0$
The denotes charge rate would charge is thus $i_0 = F(k$
Lithi achieved



Examining tradeoff between pressure loss on coolant system to temperature uniformity

Exploring the effect of coolant flow rate on jelly roll temperature

- Designed novel liquid coolant based thermal system
- Predicted sensitivity of thermal performance to contact resistance
- Reduced thermal variation inside batter pack

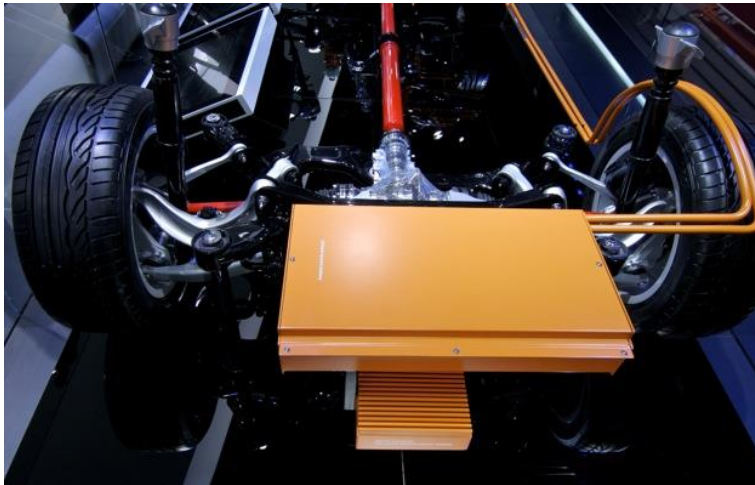
- Thermal systems is critical for high performance and long battery back life
- Simulation helps maintain batteries in narrow temperature range

“Using the CFD-based TMS functional model created with STAR-CCM+ and Battery Design Studio, a close agreement between simulations and experimental measurements was achieved, validating the model against experiment with greater than 90 percent accuracy”

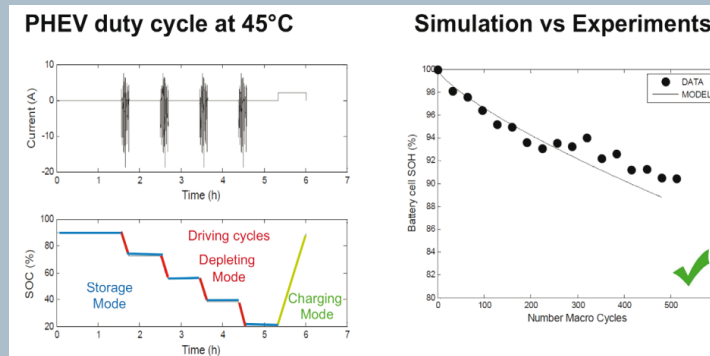
Dr Suman Basu – Senior Chief Engineer

IFP Energies nouvelles

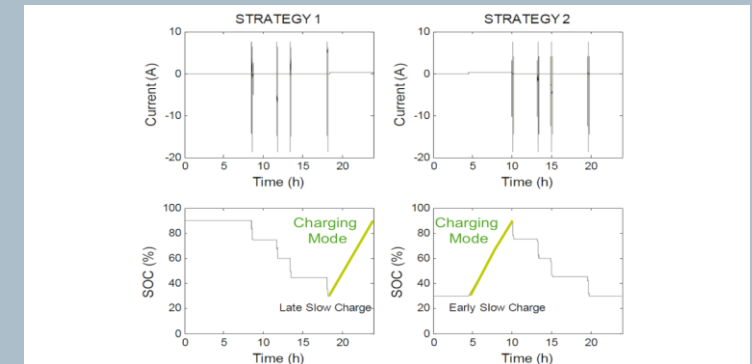
Enhancing battery lifetime modeling using LMS Imagine.Lab Amesim



Towards a robust battery aging behavior model



Validated PHEV battery model



Charging strategy influence on battery life

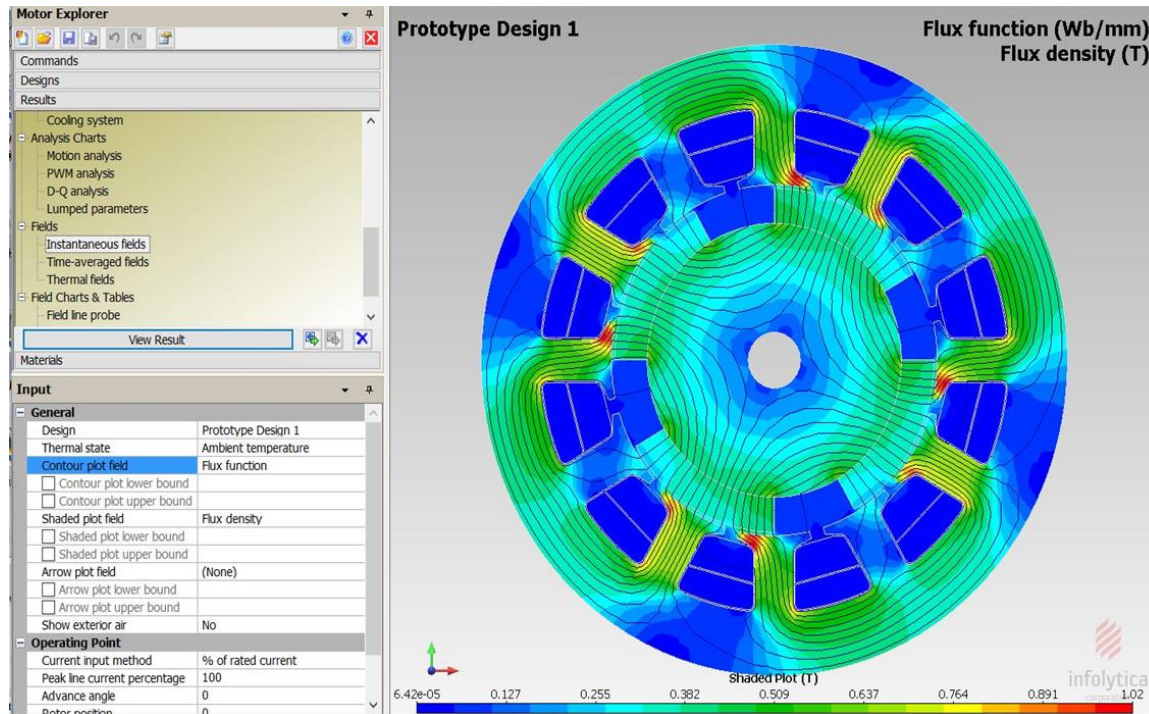
- Built easy-to-use, high-fidelity aging models
- Obtained reliable aging simulation results
- Analyzed 10 years of battery behavior in a few hours

- Encapsulate fundamental physical phenomena
- Analyze electrochemical energy storage system behavior

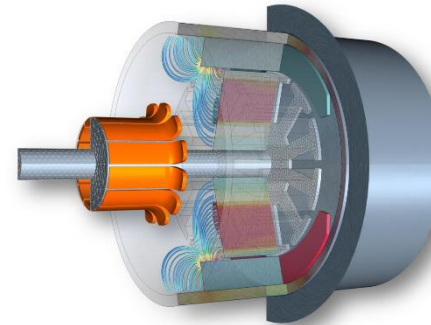
“I strongly believe that LMS Imagine.Lab Amesim will become a best-in-class battery modeling and simulation platform (...)”

Eric Prada, Electrochemical R&D Engineer

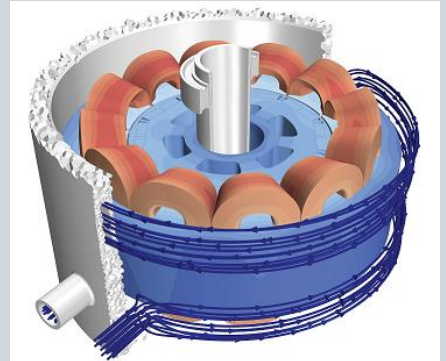
Electric Machine design... A true multi-physics problem



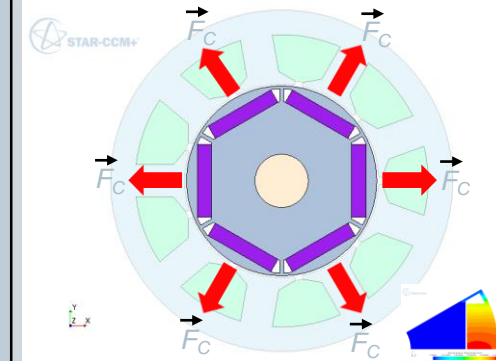
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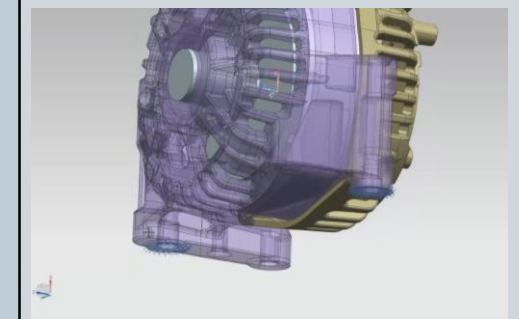
2. Thermal / CFD



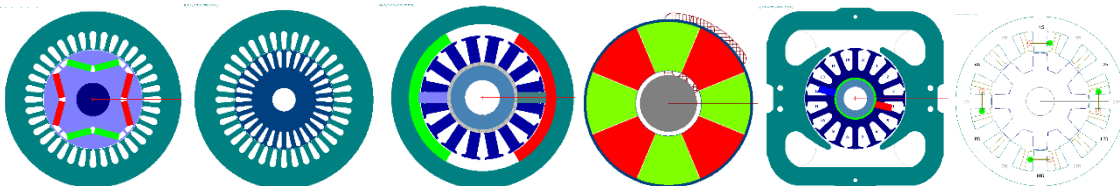
3. Stress Analysis



4. Vibro-acoustic



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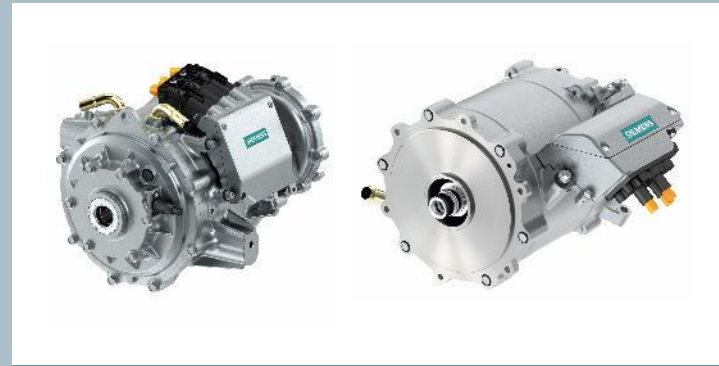


Siemens eCar Powertrain Systems

Designing advanced components for e-mobility with LMS Imagine.Lab



Forward through model-based systems engineering



Component behavior analysis
for pre-sizing



Full vehicle assessment for
performance and efficiency optimization

- Streamlined design and customization process for all e-mobility devices
- Fulfilled market demands based on standardization and scalability
- Shorter development cycles and lower costs

- Predict the efficiency of required powertrain electric components
- Re-use knowledge capitalized from past work and experience

“The implementation of model-based systems engineering is driving our innovation platform, and enables us to combine architecture definition with simulation capabilities to validate technical choices early in the design cycle”

Wolfgang Nebe, Director System Technology, eCar Powertrain Systems business unit

Electrified Powertrain

Solution areas with Simcenter

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Battery design

**Energy
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**Vehicle Systems
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**Thermal
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Motor design

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