





## Next Generation Manufacturing Technology Initiative and the Model-Based Enterprise

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NACFAM National Coalition for Advanced Mannfacturing





## The NGMTI Team

Three non-profit organizations with strong expertise and experience in facilitating collaborations.

- IMTI: a technology/research management organization with a mission to support the nation's manufacturing infrastructure
- NACFAM: a long-term builder of leadership-level, nationwide manufacturing technology publicprivate partnerships
- ATI: a deeply experienced manager of advanced manufacturing technology research collaborations.



## "NGMTI is dedicated to transforming the U.S. manufacturing base through technology driven innovation"

# Importance of Manufacturing to Innovation



- Drives innovation: Manufacturers invest \$135 billion annually in R&D, which is 70% of industry R&D investment and more than all federal R&D
- Innovative mfg process technologies are <u>the most effective</u> <u>means</u> to reduce China's low-wage advantage
- Yet industry gives low priority to process technologies and is moving R&D offshore
- Only 2% of federal \$132 billion R&D budget spent on basic and applied manufacturing tech
- Manufacturing R&D has never been a White House "Grand Challenge"





#### The NGMTI Solution

- Provides a mechanism for building and executing an innovative manufacturing R&D strategy for both economic growth and national security goals
- Represents a sustainable organization meeting critical success factors: strategic planning, industry-government collaboration, national tools
- Coordinates research and development projects focused by strategic investment plans
- Leverages university, federal, industrial labs, and research consortia nation-wide

## NGMTI Provides for Future Common Needs



 Create innovative opportunities for fast response manufacturing of new products







#### **Implementation/Transition Plan**





## **NGMTI Thrust Areas**

- Emerging Process Technologies
- Model-Based Enterprise
- Safe, Secure, & Reliable Manufacturing Operations
- Enterprise Integration
- Intelligent Systems
- Knowledge Management

#### **Model-Based Enterprise Prioritization**





## Model-Based Enterprise White Papers

- Flexible Representation of Complex Models
- Shared Model Libraries
- **System-of-Systems Modeling for the Model-Based Enterprise**
- \* Enterprise-Wide Cost Modeling
- Intelligent Models
- **Configuration Management for the Model-Based Enterprise**
- Product-Driven Product & Process Design
- Model-Based Product Life-Cycle Management
- Model-Based, Real-Time Factory Operations
- Model-Based Distribution
- **Multi-Enterprise Collaboration**
- Model-Based Resource Management
- Information Delivery to Point of Use



### **EPT** White Papers



- Low-Cost Titanium Powder Production
- High-Frequency Laser Machining
- Friction Stir Joining Technologies
- Improved Thin-Film Processes for Semiconductor Fabrication
- Microreactors & Processing Methods
- Digital Direct Manufacturing
- Affordable, Lightweight Large Structural Composites Manufacturing
- Nanomaterials for Glass Coatings
- Smart, Reconfigurable Multifunction Machine Tools
- Thin-Film Coatings for Paint Elimination
- Manufacturing Applications for Carbon Nanotubes
- Advanced Aerospace Casting Processes
- Precision Optical Finishing
- Hybrid Bearing Manufacture
- \* Military Fuel Cell Technology



- \* 28 project plans developed for MBE and EPT, with "High-interest" from both defense and commercial firms
- Project teams now being formed for 13
   of the White Paper topics
- **\* MBE Forum being planned for the fall**



## **The NGMTI Thrust Areas**

- Model-Based Enterprise
- Emerging Process Technologies
- Safe, Secure, Reliable, and Sustainable Manufacturing Operations
- Enterprise Integration
- Intelligent Systems
- Knowledge Applications



## Model-Based Enterprise: A Single Objective

- MBE an integrated digital environment for addressing all aspects of the enterprise
- Requires total sharing of information between all elements of the enterprise.
- New approaches and toolsets are required

### Prioritization to Establish What to Do, When



### Model-Based Enterprise: The Views





## Such an Enterprise Will Be. . .

Thanks to the NNSA for sharing jointly developed visuals and concepts!



### **Totally Connected**



An Integrated Seamless Flow of Information and Knowledge

#### **Knowledge Rich**





Continuous feedback and enrichment of information across the life cycle



Science-based analysis supporting every aspect of the life cycle



One-click access to all needed analysis capabilities

#### **Capable of Supporting Closed-Loop Operation**





As-built configuration & properties
Process performance & material behaviors

Digital feedback deepens the knowledge base for future products

Bottom Line . . .





In a totally managed enterprise

Validated Products



## **MBE Roadmap Process**

- Define the current state of MBE capabilities
- Develop MBE vision
- Express vision, goals & requirements in strategic investment roadmap document
- Establish priorities
  - "Readiness, risk & return"
  - "Scope, magnitude, vital to US competitiveness"
- Prioritize with Kepner-Tregoe decision-making tool
- Write white papers on critical topics
- Review and validation by TAP
- Refine white papers

## **Narrowing MBE Focus**





## **Configuration Management for the Model-Based Enterprise**

Objective: Develop an integrated system that assures association of the right information with any product or process throughout its life cycle.



- Association of correct info with each version of each product or process in the enterprise
- Feedback loop, which enables continuous product improvement.
- Assured ability to reproduce

## Flexible Representation of Complex Models

GENERATION MANUFACTURING TECHNOLOGY INITIATIVE

Objective: Develop capability to create collaborative models rich enough to support all MBE functions.



- Enables full evaluation of any decision
- Procurement cost savings in the billions of dollars
- Reduced time to market
- Reduced costs
- Better quality products



## System-of-Systems Modeling for Model-Based Enterprises

Objective: To develop capabilities, approaches, and tools for integrated multi-level, multi-system modeling of products, processes, and life-cycle functions.

- Composable and decomposable models enable evaluation of total system
   performance within its operational context
- Extends SoS philosophy to manufacturing enterprise
- Enhanced ability to simulate, with high fidelity, the effects of wear and tear on complex systems in combat and training





## Intelligent Models for Manufacturing

## Objective: Develop intelligent models that understand, seek out, acquire knowledge needed to execute their functions.



- Dramatic cost savings through elimination of design iterations
- Improved logistics support for weapons systems
- Significant reduction of design cycle times



## Model-Driven Product and Process Development

Objective: Develop simulation capabilities enabling the product model to fully support down stream operations.



- Saves money and assures product quality
- Optimizes use of product and process capabilities
- Reduces the extent and level of design changes
- Enhances risk analysis and mitigation

## Model-Based Product Life-Cycle Management



Objective: Provide the capability to create and apply hi-fidelity, scaleable product life-cycle models.



- Provides a toolset for modeling and understanding life-cycle cost and supportability impacts.
- Enables feed back from down-stream experience to improve up-stream functions.
- Improved speed and accuracy of technical and business decisions over the life cycle,
- Ability to analyze and reverse-engineer "as-worn" parts to predict failure

# Information Delivery to Point of Use



## Objective: Deliver information to any location in support of any enterprise function



- Largely graphical information delivery
- Job compatible delivery
- Graphical format saves money in multi-lingual support
- Reduced warrantee cost for returns due to fewer mistakes

## MBE Enablers for the Electro-Mechanical Industry



Objective: To apply product and process models to define and manage all enterprise processes, and by applying science-based analytical tools to make optimal decisions at every step of the product life-cycle.



- Model-Based testing offers development time savings of 50%
- Elimination of the "disconnect" between development and production
- Rapid response to customer demands

## **Shared Model Libraries**



#### Objective: Enable centralized access to modular components to support all MBE functions and optimize enterprise decisions



- Provides a core set of models affordable and available.
- Reduction in cycle time and cost by up to 40%
- Rapid integration and virtual testing of complex weapon systems
- Elimination/Reduction of redesign/rework costs and time

## Enterprise-Wide Cost Modeling



Objective: Provide the ability to model and predict cost for every element and from every source in the enterprise, including uncertainty and risk.



- Visibility of the cost impacts of design changes
- Eliminating low-ball estimates with directly traceable sources
- Significant areas of cost and expense can be easily identified
- Enables evaluation of Strategic options

## Model-Based Real-Time Factory Operations



Objective: To develop enabling technologies for real time, model-based control of factory operations.



- First and every product correct due to process control.
- Maximum use of production capability
- More efficient, responsive, flexible, and capable manufacturing base
- Shortened timelines to ramp up production

# Model-Based Distribution



Objective: Provides a framework for supporting design for distribution planning, execution, and re-planning.



- "Engineer out" problems in new products rollout
- Accommodates far more variables in distribution planning
- Improved downstream lifecycle management
- Enables definitive information about where it should be
- Focuses for closing the loop on where it is

## **Model-Based Resource** Management



**Objective:** Create a cost effective, integrated capability for evaluating options and directing control over all manufacturing resources. Modular and easily integrated are key attributes.



- Provision of model-based resource management capabilities that:
  - Greatly reduce the cost of acquiring, deploying and maintaining a resource management system
  - Enable far greater accuracy and efficiency in managing resources
- Enhanced ability of smaller suppliers to choose resource management tools, and to interface with prime manufacturers

## **Multi-Enterprise Collaboration**



#### **Objective:** Provide a tool set to support multi-enterprise collaboration



- Mitigates the cost of transferring or recreating design definitions shared among different members of the supply chain.
- Enables ability to objectively evaluate potential suppliers
- Reduces contract administration costs by 50% through integrated reporting and management



- NGMTI is an important program to the nation
- We are off to a fast start and making great progress
- Project formation is in full swing opportunity knocks

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