



Multiphysics Modeling and Simulation for Armament System Improvement



Structural Mechanics

Electromagnetics

Systems and Multiphysics

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Physics-Based Simulation

Electromagnetics, Thermal, Structural Mechanics, Fluid Dynamics



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• Industry Trends

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Industry Trends Are Reshaping A&D Product Development



Rising Fuel Costs





Safety and Environmental Considerations New Space Race



Fiscal Constraints



Geopolitical Drivers



Warfare Revolution



• Key Implications

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Constricting Defense Budgets Cause Focus On Affordability, Reduction In New Procurement And The Extension Of The Service Life Of Equipment---Need to design for **Affordability**



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•Do more without more

•Shift from procurement to sustainment

Key Business Initiatives

- Design for Affordability
- Engineer for Sustainment

Fiscal Constraint





Commercial And Military Competition Drives Innovation And Increases The Pressure On Deployment Timeframe --- Need to Design and Implement systems Faster.







•Emerging competition in commercial aero and space

System Sophistication

• Heavy investment in emerging markets

Key Business Initiatives

- Faster Design Cycles
- Commercial design practices
- Employ up-front analysis

Geopolitical **Drivers**



defense technologies in



As The Nature Of Warfare Changes, The Demand For Intelligence, Surveillance And Reconnaissance (ISR) Technology Is Increasing Significantly --- Need to develop **Smart** systems



Warfare Revolution







•Field recognition of the importance of novel ISR capabilities

•More sophisticated, robust and affordable unmanned systems

> Increase sensor complexity

• Manage size, weight and power (SWaP)

Key Business Initiatives

- Design in more inteligence
- Increased use of electronics
- Increased need for Multiphysics evaluation



Industry trends are driving the development of more sophisticated electronic systems in shorter time frames and with greater fiscal scrutiny

Fiscal constraint, coupled with the increasing demands of sophistication, competition and time pressure mean that system robustness is more important than ever

Working with thousands of customers around the globe, we (Ansys) observe industry leaders adopting best practices to tackle robust design through simulation based engineering

Simulation based engineering is a key enabler for <u>Robust</u> design using <u>Accurate, Multi-Physics</u> based analysis tools.



Multi-Physics Simulation

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Why is multiphysics based design a best practice for robustness and affordability?





Amedeo Larussi Sr Principal Electrical Engineer Raytheon Space and Airborne Systems

"Traditional engineering methods are not able to accurately anticipate performance degradation and /or product failures because does not combine all performance factors"

Idga/webinars



ANSYS's Aerospace and Defense Best Practices Derived from Cross-Industry Knowledge Bring Best-In-Class Insights to Solve Your Product Development Challenges





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Ansys Workbench Integration Benefits

Benefits of Integration

- Utilizes intuitive multi-physics layout
 - Automated data exchange
 - Coupled physics solutions
- Efficient system design exploration
- Streamlined geometry handling
 - CAD integration in ANSYS Workbench provides bi-directional link to 3rd party CAD tools
 - Multiple physics can share the common geometry





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Electronics Applications







Mechanical Solutions



- Overview ANSYS Mechanical Capabilities
 - Steady State/Transient

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- Explicit Solvers (Impact)
- Solid, Shell, Beam, and Point Mass Elements
- Convection/Conduction/Radiation/Advection
- Layered Composite Shells and Solids
- Automatic Contact Setup (Thermal and Structural)
- HPC for large model support











Computational Fluid Dynamics Solutions



• Overview of CFD Capabilities

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- Incompressible/Compressible Flow
- Extensive Turbulence Models
- Multi-Species & Reacting Flow
- Conjugate Heat Transfer
- Fluid Structure Interaction 1 way & 2 way
- Dynamic, moving & sliding meshes











Radome and Antenna Multi-Physics Example: Workbench Project



Generic geometry source: http://www.3dcontentcentral.com/parts/browse/Aircraft/User-Library/136/136/Models/part.aspx?id=12463#1

ANSYS Incorporating Fluid Dynamics into Multi-Physics Simulation Flow



Steady State Thermal and CFD -

Convection coefficients determined from CFD solution

Static Structural and CFD -

Pressure/forces mapped from CFD solution impacting geometry deformation

Simulation Flow – HFSS/Thermal/Stress Simulation Overview

 Antenna and Radome Simulation Flow

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- EM Solution of Antenna Array
- EM Solution of Radome using array solution as excitation (data link)
- Losses passed to Ansys Mechanical for thermal analysis
- Thermal loading applied to structural solution to calculate deformation
- Antenna System Simulation
 Iterations
 - Temperature Dependent Material properties can be applied in EM solution
 - Mesh Deformations (v14.5)



Using Workbench for Design Exploration

DesignXplorer (DX) is a tool for designing and understanding the analysis response of parts and assemblies

The Response Surface Method allows for optimization and six-sigma studies efficiently

DX uses Design of Experiments (DOE)

 DOE method determines how many, and which, design points should be solved for the most efficient approach to optimization

Response surface is fit to solved DOE



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ANSYS High Performance Computing

DSO – Distributed Solve Option

- DDM Domain Decomposition Method
 - Feature of HPC licensing
- SDM Spectral Decomposition Method
 - Feature of HPC licensing
- MPO Multi-processing option
 - Feature of HPC licensing







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