Modelica within Simcenter Amesim Combining causal & a-causal paradigms

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# The Digital Factory business follows a long-term strategy with the systematic expansion of our portfolio



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### **Siemens PLM Software Business Segments**

#### Manufacturing Product Mainstream **Specialized Simulation and** Manufacturing Lifecycle Digital **Operations** Collaboration Engineering Engineering Engineering **Test Solutions** Engineering Services Management **SIMATIC IT Fibersim** Simcenter **IBS QMS** Solid Edge **MindSphere Tecnomatix** Teamcenter NX **Syncrofit** Camstar **STAR-CCM+ &** NX CAM Polarion Omneo Femap **HEEDS** WinCC Mastertrim Preactor End-to-end design Product design, Composites, air frame Simulation, test Process design Collaboration, Process, MES, Quality, HMI and IoT operating system and engineering simulation and assembly and systems and simulation; Change and BOM Production and analytics manufacturing and seat design NC programming Management engineering Product design and Rich domain and Enabling closed-loop Build & support Collect and analyze Design & engineer better Collaborate & innovate Realize products faster engineering for the industry driven Systems Driven products more data to optimize plants, products faster more intelligently and increase quality mainstream market solutions Product Development efficiently products, and machine **Business Ready Cloud Solutions**

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## Simcenter system simulation solutions

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## Applications in auto & aero industries



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## Simcenter Amesim: an open platform





Platform facilities: Data management, pack, libraries, supercomponents...



Analysis tools: Eigenvalues, Modal shapes, Bode plots, ...



**Solvers and numerics:** Solver technology, Parallel computing, HPC, ..

> MIL/SIL/HIL and real-time: Blackbox, RT FMUs, Precompiled objects for RT targets...



**Optimization, robustness, design of experiments:** *NLPQL, Parameter sweep, Monte Carlo, Genetic Algorithms* 



Software Interfaces: FMI export/import 1.0-2.0 dedicated interfaces (Simulink,etc...), Excel import, inhouse codes...



**Simulator scripting & APIs:** C/C++, python, VBA, matlab, scilab, console...



**1D/3D CAE:** CAD import, FE import, CFD coupling,...



**Customization:** App designer, customized components...



Modelica platform

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## **Modelica within Simcenter Amesim**

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#### Modelica Editor



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Two worlds in a same environment require a translator able to ease integration and interactions

#### Simcenter Amesim



## **Siemens partners with Modelon**





NA Modelica Conference, Boston, October 9<sup>th</sup>, 2018

## Siemens partners Modelon to use Optimica's Compiler Toolkit as its Modelica engine starting from Simcenter Amesim 17

Siemens & Modelon signed an agreement to integrate Modelon's OCT compiler within next Simcenter Amesim release (\*). This agreement will allow Simcenter users **develop**, enhance and reuse **Modelica** libraries to describe dynamic multi-physics systems, and **combine** them seamlessly with the Simcenter Amesim **native libraries**.

Such model will benefit from **full Modelica standard support** and **optimized code** generated by Modelon compiler, and will be simulated by Simcenter **Amesim solver** while being **compatible** with all useful **Simcenter Amesim platform capabilities** such as e.g. analysis tools, .... Support of Modelon industrial libraries through this workflow will come in future releases.

"Do not choose between causal & acausal approach: get the best of both worlds in a same environment!"



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## Value proposition

- Modelica well suited for some physical domains
  - Usable to extend Simcenter Amesim capabilities

### Unique causal and a-causal execution platform

- Unique value of solution
- Compatibility with popular libraries (full MSL 3.2.2 support, Modelon → support to be implemented in future release)

#### Integration into Simcenter Amesim

 Modelica Editor calls OCT (Optimica Compiler Toolkit) and generates a 2.0 Model Exchange FMU behind the scenes,

#### extended with physical ports

 Tight coupling & compatibility with Simcenter Amesim analysis tools (e.g. Performance Analyzer, Linear Analysis)

### CAE portfolio consolidation opportunity (one tool supports both)

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## A new FMI specification being advocated by Siemens





The FMI import tool is enhanced with the new FMI 3.0 "Terminals and Icons" FCP feature. Its first application is the import of FMUs produced by Modelon's Optimica Compiler Toolkit

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## A streamlined workflow

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- Full-featured, configurable IDE
- Source code editor
- · Graphical component assembly
- MSL v3.2.1
- Easy library loading



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Automated compiling when model added to Simcenter Amesim

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## Compile

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**Connection** with native libraries through dedicated physical connectors

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Simulate



Solved as whole system, no cosimulation. Compatible with Simcenter Amesim simulation capabilities: Batch/Design Exploration, HPC, MIL/SIL/HIL...

## Analyze



Compatible with Simcenter Amesim platform capabilities: Performance analyzer, linear **analysis** (eigenvalues, modal shapes, frequency response, root locus...), dashboards, scripting,...

## Demo: heterogeneous modelling of an injector

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## FMI 2.0 model exchange export



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#### Software interfaces

 Export Simcenter Amesim models as 2.0
 Functional Mock-up Units (FMUs) for model exchange and simulate the coupled system in various Functional Mock-up Interface (FMI) compatible tools

#### Select "model exchange 2.0" as export setting and select your platform



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Start the FMU export assistant with an FMI interface block on the sketch

Interfaces Tools Help

FMU import assistant...

Import linear model...

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## Application: export a Simcenter Amesim model without its solver to any FMI 2.0 compliant importing tool for continuous or strong coupling applications



Any 3<sup>rd</sup>-party FMI CFD Control tool enter Am Cosim ME Import ME Export Cosim Slave Master x 2.0 Third-party software **User Interface** fmi Third-party TMU FUNCTIONAL MOCK-UP FUNCTIONAL MOCK-UP INTERNAL Simcenter MODEL Simcenter Amesim Amesim MODEL 32 bit MODEL Third-party SOLVER 32 64 bit bit

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Under Windows or Linux, a Simcenter Amesim user exports his model as a 2.0 FMU for model exchange, i.e. without the solver embedded. The FMU is compiled for both the 32-bit and the 64-bit architectures and embeds all the tables used by the model

A user of a 3rd party FMI 2.0 compliant tool imports the FMU and selects a solver suitable for solving both the 3rd party part of the assembled coupled model and the Simcenter Amesim part contained in the FMU

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## Thank you.