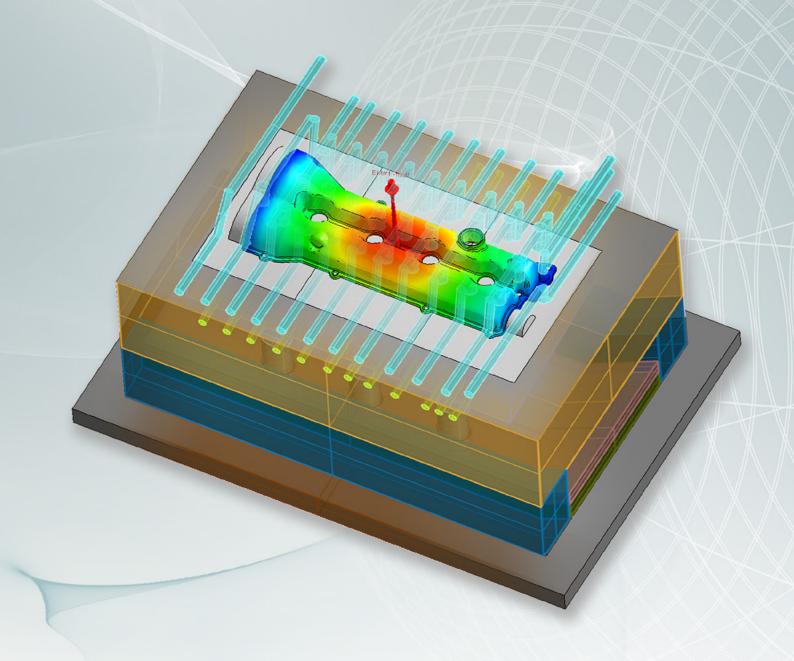


# **Molding Innovation**

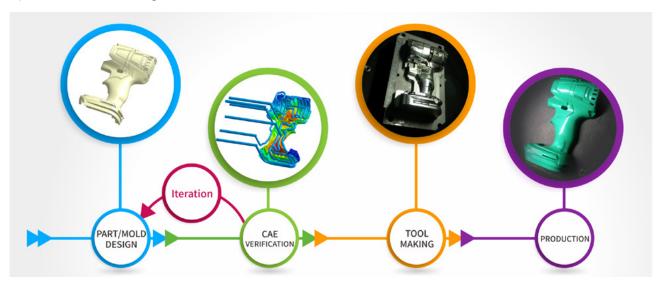
Leadership In True 3D CAE Technology



## **Key to Your Core Competitiveness**

Moldex3D helps you simulate and visualize versatile injection molding processes to validate and optimize your plastic designs, increase manufacturability, shorten time to market, and maximize Return on Investment (ROI).

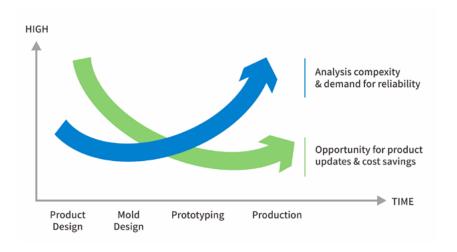
#### Optimize Part/Mold Design Process



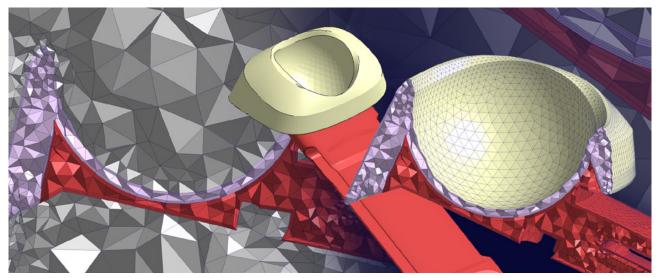
#### **Cost Saving for Your Business**

Moldex3D CAE Software provides the true 3D simulation and visualization technology you need if you are fed up with countless trial-and-errors and want to save time, energy, and money more efficiently during the mold-making process.

- Reduce the number of tool trials and shorten time to market.
- Reduce cycle time and scrap rate.
- Reduce electricity, time, and manpower costs which result from failed tool trials or inefficient manufactur-
- Reduce manufacturing cost, increase margin rate, increase revenue and ROI.
- Extend mold life.



## **Boost Work Efficiency in Pre-processing**



#### Meshing

Automatic 3D Meshing Engine (eDesign)

Support auto mesh generation for saving time and variant level of mesh generation with intelligent wizards.

High Resolution 3D Mesh Technology (BLM)

- Support auto mesh generation, especially for complicated 3D geometry, with less complex and faster workflow.
- Support mixed type to construct runner system with combination of curve and geometry runner/gate.
- Support non-matching technology for part insert and moldbase.
- Support tetra elements and Boundary Layer Mesh (BLM).

#### Hybrid Mesh Technology

- Create mesh manually for the most customized purpose.
- Increase mesh resolution significantly with acceptable element count.
- Control uniform or biasing mesh pattern and element layer count in thickness direction by users.
- Support tetra, hexahedral, prism, and pyramid elements.

#### **Integrated Geometry Healing Tool**

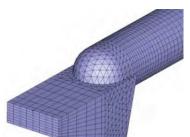
Moldex3D CADdoctor

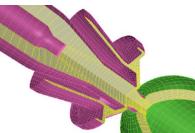
- Enable multi-CAD data exchange between Moldex3D preprocessing and multi-CAD platform.
- Fix the defects of part and simplify the complicated geometry structure with high-quality surfaces and entities for better BLM generation.

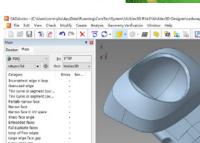
#### **CAD Interoperability**

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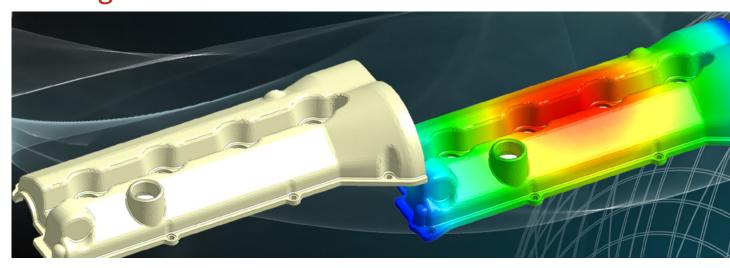
- Integrated with PTC® Creo®, NX, and SOLIDWORKS®.
- Provide the automatic mesh engine and intelligent wizards for CAE analysis and help to build a complete injection molding system in CAD environment.
- Synchronize design changes with simulations to effectively optimize the product designs.
- Enable CAD users to quickly validate part designs directly in familiar CAD/CAM environments.







# Validate and Optimize with Plastics Injection Molding Simulation

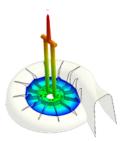


#### **Standard Injection Molding Solutions**

Predict upfront more than 85% of common manufacturing problems, such as short shot, flow imbalance, air trap, or sink mark. It greatly improves part quality, structure, and appearance.

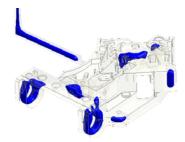
#### Flow

- Visualize melt front.
- Predict locations of weld line or air trap.
- Optimize gate size and locations.
- Optimize process conditions in filling stage, such as injection time, melt temperature, ram speed profile, etc.



#### Pack

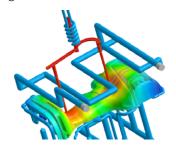
- Evaluate gate-freeze time.
- Avoid sink mark, or flash.
- Optimize packing profile.
- Predict areas of high volumetric shrinkage.
- Predict the requirement of clamping force.



#### Reactive Injection Molding (RIM)

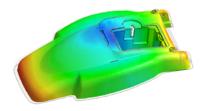
- Simulate thermoset injection molding.
- Simulate cavity filling, curing, part warpage, fiber orientation, multi-component molding, etc.

- Improve cooling efficiency.
- Reduce cycle time.
- Predict hot spots.
- Support cooling channel network analysis.
- Design and verify an effective conformal cooling.



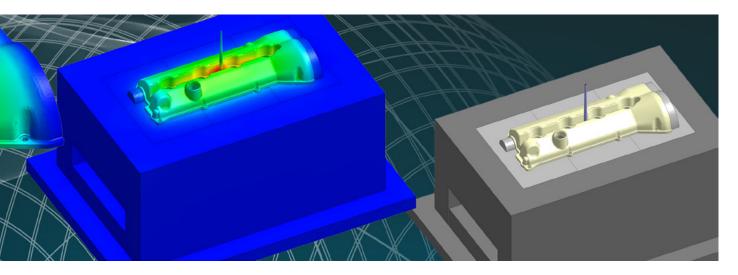
#### Warp

- Predict final part shape.
- Identify warpage causes.
- Calculate residual stress.
- Evaluate fiber orientation effect on warpage.
- Export inverse warpage shape.



#### Multi-Component Molding (MCM)

- Predict warpage with different materials.
- Detect potential re-melt issue.



#### High-Performance Parallel Processing (PP)

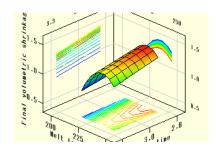
Speed up analysis by utilizing the strength of multi-core, multi-CPU, and multi-PC cluster.



#### **DOE & Optimization**

#### Expert

- Create analysis variation and provide graphical summaries automatically.
- Evaluate the optimal process conditions, such as injection velocity, packing time, cooling time, or mold temperature.



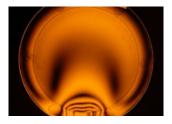
#### **Stress**

- Predict stress and displacement distributions of parts and part inserts.
- Evaluate displacements of plastics under certain external loadings.
- Support FSI (Fluid-structure interaction) calculation.
- Predict annealing with Viscoelasticity.

#### **Injection Molded Plastic Optics** Optics

- Predict flow- or thermally-induced birefringence, retardation, fringed orders, and fringed patterns.
- Integrate with CODE V by providing non-uniform refractive index prediction and deformed shape.

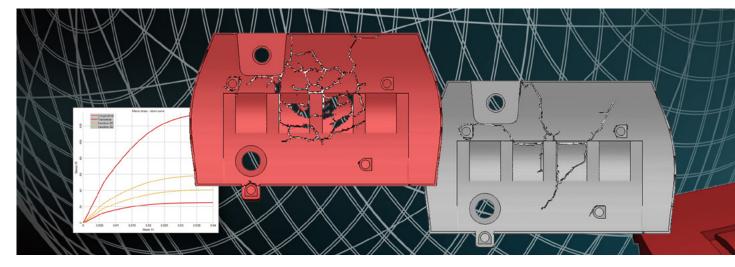




#### Viscoelasticity (VE)

- Analyze the viscous and elastic properties of polymeric materials.
- Calculate flow-induced residual stress, warpage, and optical properties (with Optics module).

## **Meet Growing Demands of Lightweight Composite Products**



#### Fiber

- Visualize fiber orientation, length, and concentration for short and long fiber-reinforced plastics.
- Calculate thermo-mechanical properties and optimize process conditions to enhance the strength of plastics.
- Evaluate the strength of parts and weld line regions.
- Support flake orientation simulation.

#### FEA/Micromechanics Interface

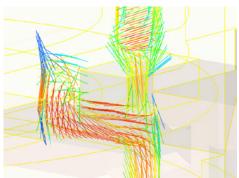
- Export fiber orientation, material anisotropy, residual stresses, and molding pressure to structural software.
- Validate the structural performance of products and mold sustainability.

#### Moldex3D Digimat-RP

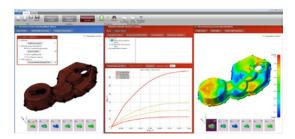
- Bridge manufacturing process and FEA anal-
- Predict the mechanical behaviors with nonlinear material modeling technology for reinforced plastic.
- Edit material properties and criteria of failure properties for reinforced plastic.
- Support automatic reverse engineering for material model generation based on experiment data.

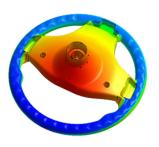
#### Polyurethane (PU) Chemical Foaming

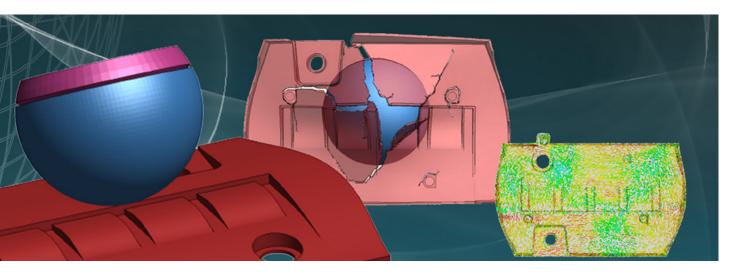
- Provide foaming kinetics in chemical foaming
- Ensure a desired volume-to-weight ratio of the product.











#### Compression Molding (CM)

- Visualize pressure distribution, volume shrinkage, residual stress distribution, fiber orientation, etc.
- Predict potential molding defects, such as flashing.



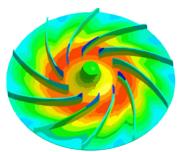
- Visualize property changes in the compression molding process over time.
- Calculate residual stress and evaluate process designs.

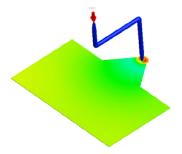
### Foam Injection Molding

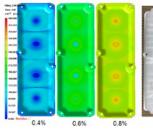
- Visualize the filling behavior of the polymer-gas solution into the cavity.
- Visualize bubble density and size considering the bubble nucleation and growth.
- Evaluate the surface quality, bubble effects, weight reduction, tonnage reduction, shrinkage reduction, etc.
- Support CBA material simulation as an initial gas concentration option for thermoplastic analysis.

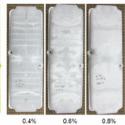
#### Resin Transfer Molding (RTM)

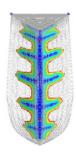
- Control resin infusion by pressure or flow rate.
- Capture cure reaction trend during molding through viscosity and kinetics models.





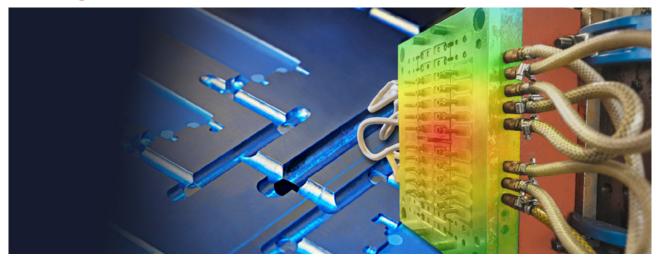








## Handle Injection Temperature: Heat and Cool Management



#### **Transient Cool**

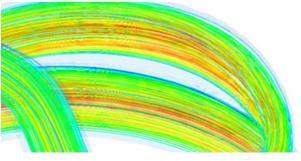
- Support various dynamic variotherm technologies, including Heat & Cool™, Induction Heating Molding (IHM), Electricity Heating Mold (E-Mold), etc.
- Utilize rapid temperature-changing molding process to increase melt fluidity in the filling stage and further improve part quality within a reasonable cycle time.

#### **Advanced Hot Runner**

- Visualize temperature distributions over time in hot runners and moldbase.
- Predict problems, such as non-uniform melt temperature, unbalanced filling, etc.
- Support quick, steady analysis for complex hot runner layout design.

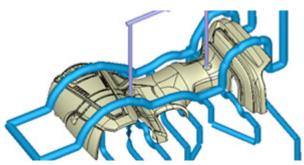
#### 3D Coolant CFD

- Simulate water flow in 3D cooling channels to guarantee cooling efficiency.
- Visualize the streamline direction and predict dead spot.
- Optimize cooling system design and achieve cycle time reduction.



### Moldex3D Cooling Channel Designer (CCD)

- Create conformal cooling channels automatically based on the contour of product.
- Provide a fast and intuitive workflow to build complex cooling system.



## **Support Multi-Material Injection Molding Processes**



#### Gas/Water-Assisted Injection Molding (GAIM/WAIM)

- Specify the gas/fluid injected from single or multiple gas entrances or from the melt entrance.
- Optimize gas/fluid channel designs and locations of gas/fluid entrances.
- Visualize the skin thickness and core-out ratio distributions and predict corner effect and blow through.



#### Powder Injection Molding (PIM)

- Visualize flow behaviors of the feedstock.
- Predict black line due to phase separation of powder and binder (non-uniform powder ncentration).



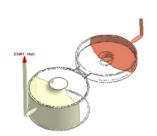
#### **Co-Injection Molding**

- Visualize the flow behaviors of skin and core materials.
- Optimize geometry thickness and process conditions based on core breakthrough prediction.
- Consider temperature imbalance and pressure resistance variations of skin layer and center core.



#### **Bi-Injection Molding**

- Define independent melt entrances and filling/packing parameters for different materials.
- Visualize the melt front time for each melt entrance in the filling stage.
- Predict weld line through melt front advancement.



#### In-Mold Decoration (IMD)

- Support IMD film boundary condition (BC) setting with minimum human effort for model preparation.
- Provide wash-out index to better predict the wash-off ink decoration of the film.



# **Product Portfolio and Features**

● Essential features contained | ○ Optional features

Product Package & Mesh Technology					
	eDesign Basic	eDesign	Professional	Advanced	
True 3D Mesh					
eDesign	•	•	•	•	
Boundary Layer Mesh (BLM), Tetra			•	•	
Solid (Hexa, Prism, Pyramid, Hybrid)				•	
2.5D Mesh					
Shell				•	

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Standard Injection Molding					
	eDesign Basic	eDesign	Professional	Advanced	
Solver Capabilities					
Simultaneous Filling Analysis (max.)	1	1	1	3	
Parallel Processing (PP)	4	4	8	12	
Thermoplastic Injection Molding	•	•	•	•	
Reaction Injection Molding (RIM)	•	•	•	•	
Simulation Capabilities					
Filling	•	•	•	•	
Surface Defect Prediction	•	•	•	•	
Venting Analysis	•	•	•	•	
Gate Location	•	•	•	•	
Cold & Hot Runners	•	•	•	•	
Runner Balancing	•	•	•	•	
Packing		•	•	•	
Cooling		•	•	•	
Transient Mold Cooling or Heating		•	•	•	
Conformal Cooling		•	•	•	
3D Coolant CFD		$\circ$	•	•	
Rapid Temperature Cycling		•	•	•	
Induction Heating		•	•	•	
Heating Elements		•	•	•	
Warpage		•	•	•	
Insert Molding		•	•	•	
Multi-shot Sequential Molding		•	•	•	

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	Solution Add	d-on		
	eDesign Basic	eDesign	Professional	Advanced
CAD Interoperability				
SYNC	0	0	0	0
Moldex3D CADdoctor	$\circ$	0	0	0
Moldex3D Cooling Channel Designer (CCI	D)	0	$\circ$	0
Fiber Reinforced Plastics				
Fiber	0	0	$\circ$	0
Stress		$\circ$	$\circ$	$\circ$
FEA Interface		0	$\circ$	0
Micromechanics Interface		0	$\circ$	0
Moldex3D Digimat-RP		0	$\circ$	0
DOE				
Expert		0	0	0
Thermal Management				
Advanced Hot Runner		0	0	0
In-Mold Decoration(IMD)			$\circ$	0
Optical				
Optics				0
Viscoelasticity (VE)		0	$\circ$	0
Special Molding Processes				
Powder Injection Molding (PIM)	0	0	0	0
Foam Injection Molding		$\circ$	$\circ$	0
Gas-Assisted Injection Molding (GAIM)			0	0
Water-Assisted Injection Molding (WAIM)			0	0
Co-Injection			0	0
Bi-Injection			0	0
PU Chemical Foaming			0	0
Compression Molding (CM)				0
Injection Compression Molding (ICM)				0
Resin Transfer Molding (RTM)				0
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System Requirements				
Platform				
Windows	Windows 10, 8, 7, Server 2012, 2008, HPC Server 2008			
Hardware				
Minimum	Intel® Core i7 processor, 16 GB RAM, and at least 1 TB free space			
Recommended	Intel® Xeon® E5 processor, 32 GB RAM, and at least 2 TB free space			

<sup>1.</sup> Moldex3D SYNC supports PTC® Creo®, NX, and SOLIDWORKS®.
2. Moldex3D FEA Interface supports Abaqus, ANSYS, MSC.Nastran, Nastran, NX Nastran, LS-DYNA, MSC.Marc, and Radioss.
3. Moldex3D Micromechanics Interface supports Digimat and CONVERSE.
4. Database: Thermoplastics materials, thermoset materials, molding materials, coolant materials, and mold materials.







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