

- Welcome
- Multibody Dynamics Platform Vision
- What's New in RecurDyn V9R3

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# PORT USERS CONFERENCE

#### Wednesday, September 25th

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10:00 am EDT(8:00 am MDT)	Welcome, Review of Schedule	Brant Ross
10:15 am EDT(8:15 am MDT)	RecurDyn as a multi-physics simulation platform, V9R3: RecurDyn/Professional and ProcessNet.	Brant Ross
12:00 pm EDT (10:00 am MDT)	Break	
1:00 pm EDT (11:00 am MDT)	V9R3: RecurDyn Toolkits, Controls, and Co- simulation Interfaces	Nelson Woo
2:00 pm EDT (12:00 pm MDT)	V9R3: RecurDyn/FFlex and Mesher.	Zach Smith
3:00 pm EDT(1:00 pm MDT)	Review of Logistics for the Thursday Tutorials	Brant Ross
3:15 pm EDT ( 1:15 pm MDT)	Adjourn	



#### **Capabilities Needed for System-Level Simulation**

- (80's) Multibody
  Dynamics (MBD)
  Rigid Bodies
- (90's) MBD –
  Linear Flexible
  Bodies, Controls
- (00's) MBD Process Automation, Nonlinear Flexible Bodies, Hydraulics,



- (10's) Extended multi-physics simulation through co-simulation with CFD & DEM
- (20's) MBD is now Model-Based Design, emergence of Model-Based Engineering. Multibody dynamics is a key enabler of MBD and MBE for products that include assemblies in motion.





#### **Multi-Physics Platform for Assemblies in Motion**





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### Oil Sloshing Within a Transmission **Arecurdyn** × Particleworks









### Oil injection on a connecting rod









#### Vehicle on a flooded road









Car Water Splash vs. Velocity





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#### **Fuel Tank Sloshing (Flexible body)**



**Vehicle Dynamics** (RecurDyn)



Interactive fuel sloshing Rigid Position, Velocity of moving **Bodies** components + Flexible Pressure (Force) of fuel **Bodies** MBD x FEA x CFD

#### Incompressible **Fluid Particles**



Transparent View (Double Lane Change)







### Washing Machine (Front loading)



Washing Machine (Front Loading Type) – Coupled simulation with MPS (Particleworks) and Shell element (RecurDyn) Simulation by FunctionBay K. K.



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## Why include the impact of bulk materials?

- Material type and behavior imparts loading on equipment
- Material loads affect the mechanical systems and machine performance



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- Bulk materials have complex behavior.
- Predicting the effect of material on equipment is challenging
- Assumptions can lead to expensive mistakes





#### **Off-Road Transit of Excavator**









#### **4-Wheel Drive Loader**









## **Wolf Star Products**











## Motivation



- 1. What's the load?
- 2. True-Load provides
  - Strain correlated loading
  - Full field knowledge from a handful of strain gauges
  - Easy interface to FEA Durability SW
- 3. First to market solution







## **Products and Loading**









# Historical Concerns with Loading





- Loading profile is biggest unknown in analysis (GIGO)
- Poor loading drives extra iteration cycles ightarrow \$\$\$
- Traditional load measurement:
  - Is expensive → Load transducers can cost \$10,000+
  - Is expensive → Requires modifications to mount transducers
  - Is inaccurate → Changing structure changes loads & load paths
  - Not aligned with analysis → Needs to 're-work' data & FEA





## Historical Concerns with Strain Measurement





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- Strain gauge placement from heuristic knowledge
- Simulation (FEA) does not match test data
  - Many hours spent post-test to "adjust" loading
  - Only one or two points / channels of data are targeted
  - Entire event is not well understood

- "Correlated" load cases used for future designs
  - Often missing key elements of loading influence
  - Leads to wasted iterations in hardware
    - ➔ Wasted Time, Wasted \$\$\$



## What's Wrong?



- High Fidelity Models
  - ✓ Skilled FE Analysts
  - ✓ World Class FEA Software
- High Fidelity Testing
  - ✓ Instrumentation
  - ✓ Equipment
  - ✓ Data Processing
- ✓ High Fidelity Fatigue
  - ✓ fe-safe<sup>®</sup>
  - ✓ Design Life
  - ✓ Safe Design

- **×**Too many variables to manage
  - × Gauge Locations
  - × Load Cases
  - X Quantity of Data
  - X Unique loading for each data point
- Impossible to perform manually

Poor loading knowledge

causes extra design iterations = \$\$\$\$





## The Solution – True-Load<sup>™</sup>

True-Load

- In-situ load measurement
- Turns complex components into multi-channel load cells
- Leverages FEA Model and Test Data
- Works with all FEA
- Optimal placement of Strain Gauges
- Direct interface to FEA-based fatigue





## **The True-Load<sup>™</sup> Workflow**

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