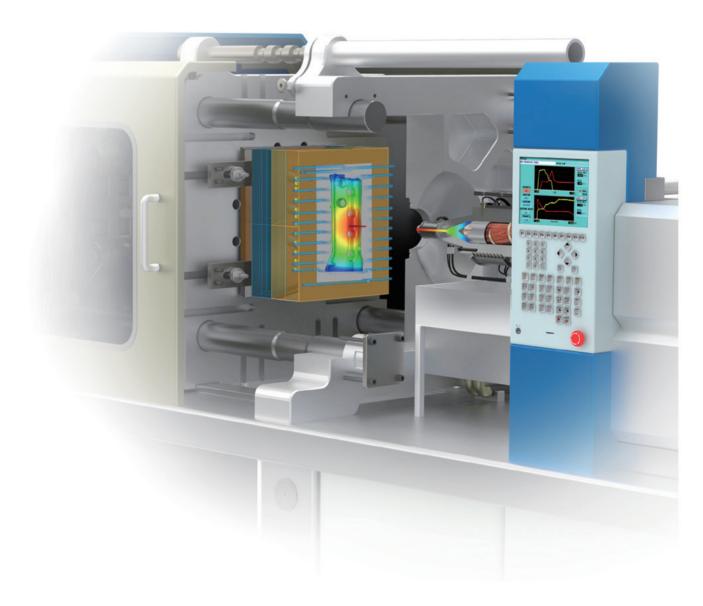


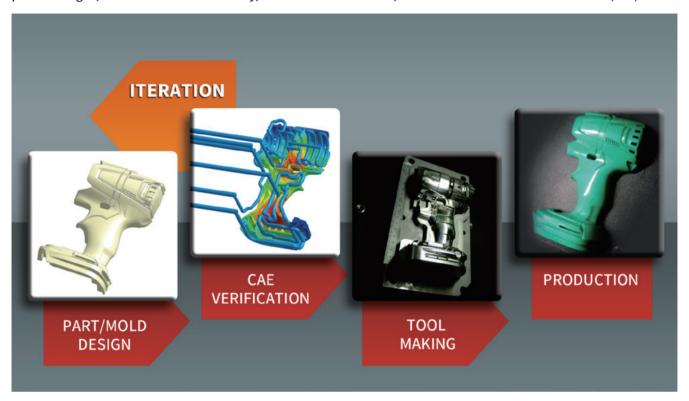
# **Molding Innovation**

Leadership In True 3D CAE Technology



#### **Optimize Part/Mold Design Process**

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).



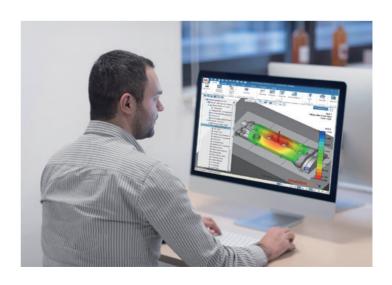
#### **Cost Saving for Your Business**

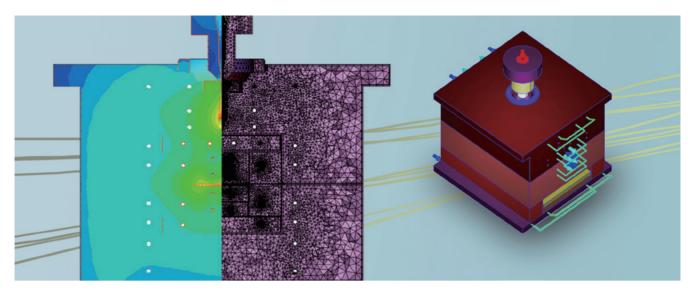
Moldex3D CAE Software provides the true 3D simulation and visualization technology you need if you are fed up with countless trial-and-errors and want to save time, energy, and money more efficiently during the mold-making process.

- Shorten time to market and increase revenue and ROI.
- Reduce the tool trials time and its cost of electricity and manpower.
- Increase margin rate with minimized cycle time and manufacturing cost
- Reduce product scrap rate and extend mold life.

#### Unified Platform with a More Intuitive User Interface to Streamline Simulation Workflows

- Single platform for all powerful Moldex3D simulation functions
- Integrated workflow through out to ensure modeling accuracy
- High quality render performance for upgraded usability
- Convenient result inspection and comparison functions
- A variety of Pre/Post tools and customized report





#### Meshing

High Resolution 3D Mesh Technology (BLM)

- Enable automatic mesh generation, especially for complicated 3D geometry, with less complex and faster workflow.
- 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).

#### Auto 3D Meshing Engine (eDesign)

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

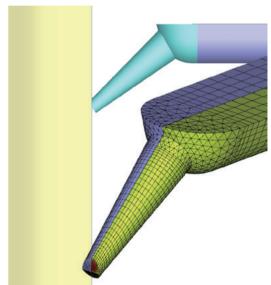
#### Hybrid Mesh Technology

- Create mesh manually for the most customized pur-
- 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.

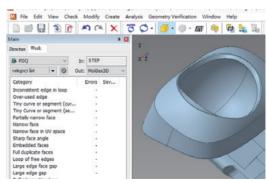
# **Integrated Geometry Healing Tool**

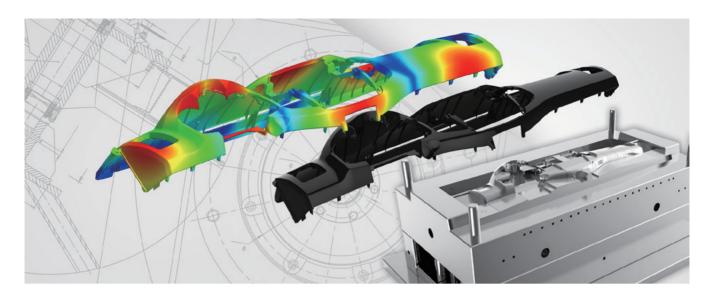
### Moldex3D CADdoctor

- 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.









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

#### Flow

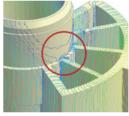
- Predict melt front and flow pattern.
- Optimize gating locations and design.
- Diagnose common manufacturing issues (weld line, flow imbalance, air trap, hesitation, short shot etc.).













Weld Line

Flow Imbalance

Air Trap

Hesitation

**Short Shot** 

#### Pack

- Evaluate gate-freeze time.
- Avoid sink mark, or flash.
- Optimize packing profile.

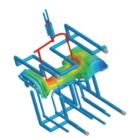
#### Cool

- Improve cooling efficiency.
- Reduce cycle time.
- Predict hot spots.

#### Warp

- Predict final part shape.
- Identify warpage causes.
- Calculate residual stress.







#### Reaction Injection Molding (RIM)

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

#### **Injection Molded Plastic**

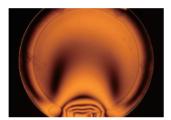
#### Stress

- 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.

#### **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.





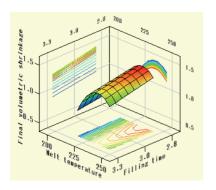
#### Viscoelasticity (VE)

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

#### **DOE & Optimization**

#### Expert

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



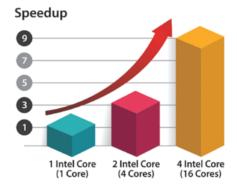
#### **High-Performance Computing (HPC)**

#### Parallel Processing (PP)

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

#### **Cloud Extension**

- Provide scalable license seats for fluctuating demands.
- Support full Moldex3D simulation capabilities.
- Offer a 16-core computing node for one job.



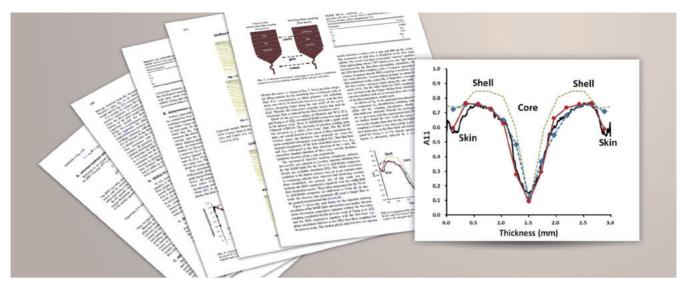
#### **CAD Interoperability**

#### **SYNC**

- Integrated with PTC® Creo®, NX, and SOLID-WORKS®.
- 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.

#### API

- Enable users automate the workflow via the pre- and post- processor API.
- Integrate with CAD and structural analysis software.



#### **Lightweight Composite Products**

#### Fiber

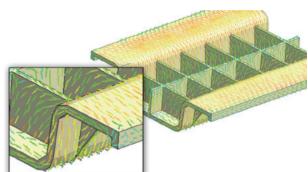
- Visualize fiber orientation, length, and concentration inside fiber-reinforced plastics.
- Evaluate the filler effect to mechanical properties and final shrinkage
- Optimize process conditions to enhance the part strength.
- Support short, long, flat fiber and flake orientation simulation.

#### FEA/Micromechanics Interface

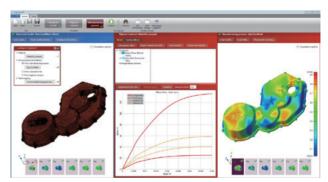
- Export fiber orientation, material anisotropy, residual stresses, and molding pressure to structural software.
- Validate the structural performance of products and mold sustainability.

#### Moldex3D Digimat-RP

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

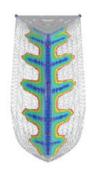




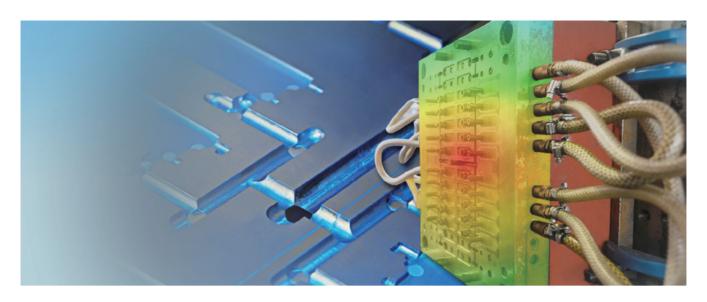


#### Resin Transfer Molding (RTM)

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



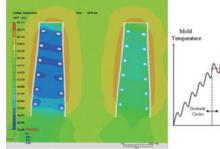


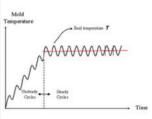


#### **Heat and Cool Management**

#### **Transient Cool**

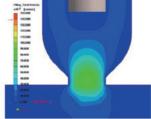
- Support various dynamic variotherm technologies, including Heat & Cool™, Induction Heating Molding (IHM), Electricity Heating Mold (E-Mold),
- Utilize rapid temperature-changing molding process to increase melt fluidity in the filling stage and further improve part quality within a reasonable cycle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

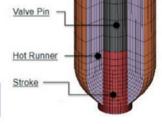




#### Advanced Hot Runner (AHR)

- 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.
- Support pin movement control by flow front location.





#### 3D Coolant CFD

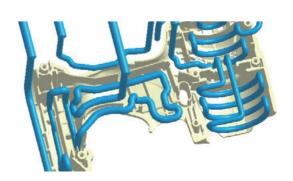
- Simulate coolant flow in 3D cooling channels to guarantee cooling efficiency.
- Visualize the streamline direction and predict dead spot.
- Optimize cooling system design and achieve cycle time reduction.

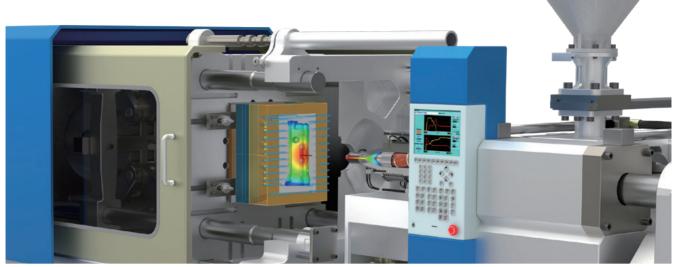




#### Moldex3D Conformal Cooling

- Allow conformal cooling modeling with the combination of different line and geometry defined components
- Provide wizard interface for a fast and intuitive workflow to build complex cooling system.
- Support automatic and quick cooling channel layout design tool (Moldex3D CCD)





#### **Multi-Material Injection Molding**

#### Multi-Component Molding (MCM)

- Simulate insert and sequential shot molding process.
- Detect potential re-melt issue.
- Predict warpage and cooling with different materials.
- Evaluate the impact by thermal and fiber condition in insert component from another shot.



- Enable easy IMD film modeling workflow with minimum human effort
- Provide wash-out index to better predict the wash-off ink decoration of the film.

#### Co-Injection Molding (CoIM)

- 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 (BiIM)

- 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.



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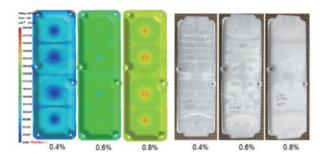
#### Gas/Water-Assisted Injection Molding (GAIM/WAIM)

- 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.



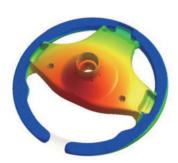
#### Foam Injection Molding (FIM)

- 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.



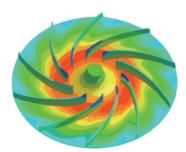
#### PU Chemical Foaming Molding (CFM)

- Provide foaming kinetics for different by-products in chemical foaming process.
- Optimize for 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.



#### Injection Compression Molding (ICM)

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



#### Powder Injection Molding (PIM)

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



# **Product Portfolio and Features**

● Essential features contained | ○ Optional features

# **Standard Injection Molding**

	Professional Basic	eDesign	Professional	Advanced
Solver Capabilities				
Simultaneous Filling Analysis (max.)	1	1	1	3
Parallel Processing (PP)	4	4	8	12
Cloud Extension	•	•	•	
Material Database <sup>1</sup>		•	•	•
Thermoplastic Injection Molding		•		•
Reaction Injection Molding (RIM)			•	
Simulation Capabilities				
Filling	•	•	•	
Surface Defect Prediction	•		•	•
Venting Design	•	•	•	•
Gate Design	•	•	•	•
Cold & Hot Runners	•	•	•	•
Runner Balancing	•	•	•	•
Machine Response <sup>2</sup>	0	0	0	0
Packing		•	•	•
Cooling		•	•	•
Transient Mold Cooling or Heating		•	•	•
Conformal Cooling		•	•	•
3D Coolant CFD		0	•	•
Rapid Temperature Cycling		•	•	•
Induction Heating		•	•	•
Heating Elements		•	•	•
Warpage		•	•	•
Insert Molding	•	•	•	•
Multi-shot Sequential Molding		•	•	•
Mesh Technology				
Boundary Layer Mesh (BLM)	•		•	•
eDesign	•	•	•	•
Solid (Hexa, Prism, Pyramid, Hybrid)				•
Shell (2.5D Mesh)				•

# **System Requirements**

Platform	
Windows	Windows 10, 8, 7, Server 2016, Server 2012 R2
Hardware	
Minimum	Intel® Core i7 processor, 16 GB RAM, and at least 1 TB free space
Recommended	Intel Xeon Platinum 8000 series processor, at least 64 GB RAM & 4 TB free space HDD, NVIDIA Quadro & AMD Radeon series graphic card and 1920 x 1080 screen resolution

## Solution Add-on

	Professional Basic	eDesign	Professional	Advanced
CAD Interoperability				
SYNC <sup>3</sup>	0	0	0	0
Moldex3D CADdoctor	$\circ$	0	0	$\circ$
Moldex3D Cooling Channel Designer (CCD)		$\circ$	0	$\circ$
Fiber Reinforced Plastics				
Fiber <sup>4</sup>	$\circ$	$\circ$	0	0
Stress		$\circ$	0	$\circ$
FEA Interface <sup>5</sup>	$\circ$	0	0	$\circ$
Micromechanics Interface <sup>6</sup>	$\circ$	$\circ$	$\circ$	0
Moldex3D Digimat-RP	$\circ$	$\circ$	0	0
DOE				
Expert		0	0	$\circ$
Thermal Management				
Advanced Hot Runner (AHR)		0	0	0
In-Mold Decoration (IMD)			0	0
Optical				
Optics				0
Viscoelasticity (VE)		$\circ$	0	$\circ$
Special Molding Processes				
Powder Injection Molding (PIM)	0	0	0	0
Foam Injection Molding (FIM)		0	0	0
Gas-Assisted Injection Molding (GAIM)			$\circ$	0
Water-Assisted Injection Molding (WAIM)			0	0
Co-Injection (CoIM)			0	0
Bi-Injection (BiIM)			0	0
PU Chemical Foaming Molding (CFM)			0	0
Compression Molding (CM)				0
Injection Compression Molding (ICM)				$\circ$

<sup>1.</sup> Database: Thermoplastics materials, thermoset materials, molding materials, coolant materials, and mold materials.

<sup>2.</sup> Machine Response function requires the machine file received from Machine Characterization service
3. Moldex3D SYNC supports PTC® Creo®, NX, and SOLIDWORKS®.
4. Flat Fiber and Flow-Fiber Coupling function require additional license EnhancedFiber
5. Moldex3D FEA Interface supports Abaqus, ANSYS, MSC.Nastran, NX Nastran, LS-DYNA, MSC.Marc, and Radioss.
6. Moldex3D Micromechanics Interface supports Digimat and CONVERSE.



