

Integrating Product Design and Analysis Models



An Overview of ProAM:

Product Data-Driven Analysis in a Missile Supply Chain

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Extended Abstract

The U. S. Department of Defense Joint Electronic Commerce Program Office (JECPO) has sponsored the ProAM effort with the Army Aviation and Missile Command (AMCOM) as primary stakeholder. Under subcontract to Concurrent Technologies Corp. through the Atlanta Electronic Commerce Resource Center (AECRC), ProAM has focused on improving missile electronics through advanced engineering analysis integration and delivery. This Georgia Tech-led effort has addressed barriers to small & medium-sized enterprise (SME) analysis of product physical behavior with the involvement of Circuit Express Inc. and System Studies and Simulation Inc., two SMEs in the AMCOM supply chain.

This presentation overviews the ProAM project and resulting tools and technologies:

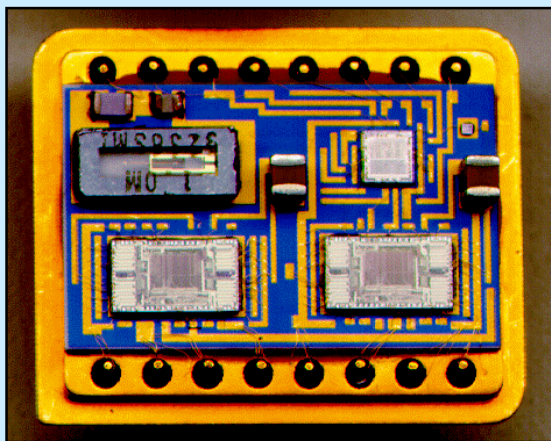
- **U-Engineer.com, a self/full-serve Internet-based engineering service bureau (ESB)** with highly automated analysis modules for printed wiring board (PWB) fabricators and designers. Some modules, including PWB impedance models and the IPC-D-279 plated-through hole fatigue model, are available for usage via web-based thin clients. Accessing U-Engineer.com-based solvers as a thick client, *XaiTools PWA-B* provides other tools for PWB layout design and warpage analysis.
- **General ESB and analysis integration techniques** underlying U-Engineer.com, including:
 - A prototype template to aid establishing other Internet-based ESBs via technologies such as thick and thin client tools, CORBA-wrapped analysis solvers, and Internet security.
 - Product data-driven analysis techniques to enable highly automated plug-and-play usage via emerging product standards like ISO STEP AP210 and IPC GenCAM/GenX. *XaiTools*, the general-purpose analysis integration toolkit underlying *XaiTools PWA-B*, is highlighted with its integration to commercial CAD/CAE tools and applications to other product domains.

U-Engineer.com utilization by SMEs and Primes is highlighted, including evaluating design/process alternatives, and increasing awareness of potential issues. Experience has shown that ProAM technology excels at delivering automated product-specific analysis to places it has never gone before.

While ProAM has focused on tools for the AMCOM PWB supply chain, these same tools and techniques can benefit other industries. Envisioned applications include development of analysis module catalogs for other domains and establishment of company-specific Internet/Intranet-based engineering service bureaus.

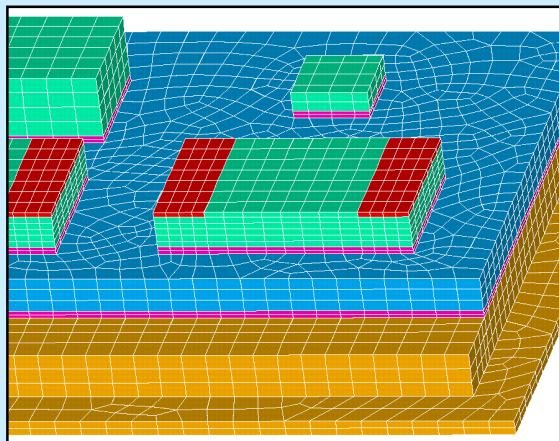
Motivation for Physical Behavior Analysis

Need for Predictive Analysis

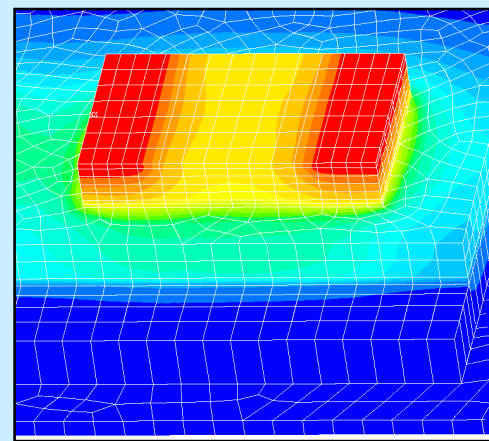


Missile MCM
with Overheating Problems

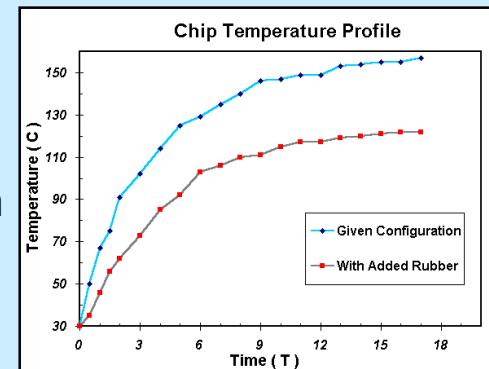
- ◆ Costly delays
- ◆ Serious consequences
- ◆ High improvement potential



Finite Element Analysis



Improved vs.
Existing Design

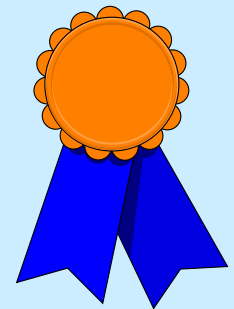
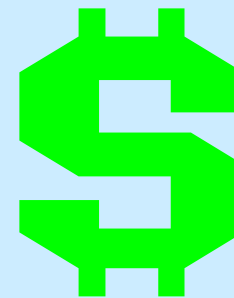


Representative Product Domain: Electronics

- ◆ \$300B+ industry; widespread technology

Analysis Motivation for Small-Medium Enterprises (SMEs)

- ◆ Typically niche-experts
 - Precise mfg. process knowledge
 - Specialized product design knowledge (ex. PWB laminates)
- ◆ SME analysis needs
 - Product improvements (DFM)
 - Mfg. process troubleshooting
 - Mfg. process optimization
- ◆ More accurate data → Better analysis
- ◆ Bottom line drivers:

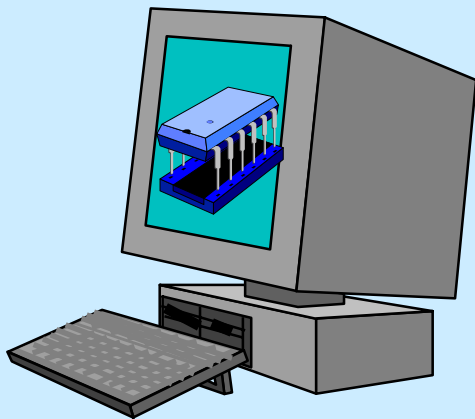


*Higher Yields, Lower Cost,
Better Quality, Fewer Delays*

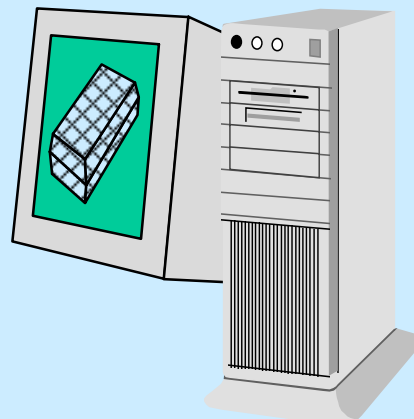
Barriers to SME Analysis

- ◆ Lack of awareness
- ◆ High costs of traditional analysis capability
 - Secondary: Specialized Software, Training, Hardware
 - Primary: Model Access/Development, Validation, Usage
- ◆ Lack of domain-specific integrated tools

Product Model



Analysis Models



Skilled Personnel





ProAM Deliverable Highlights

Applications in U. S. Army AMCOM context

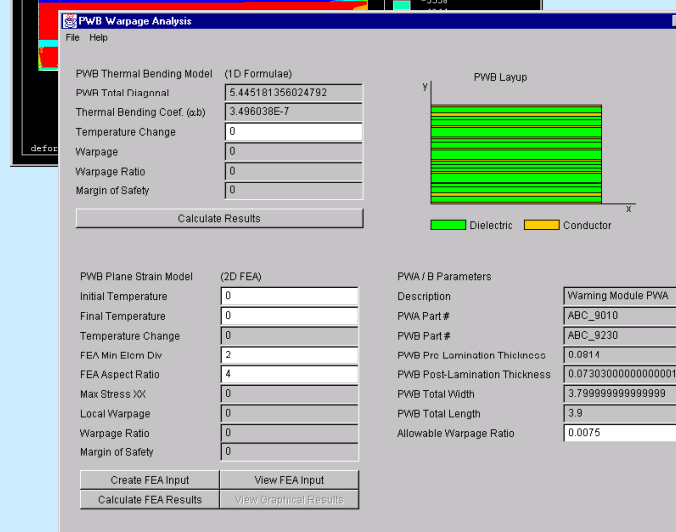
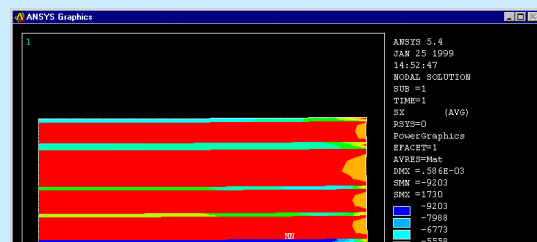
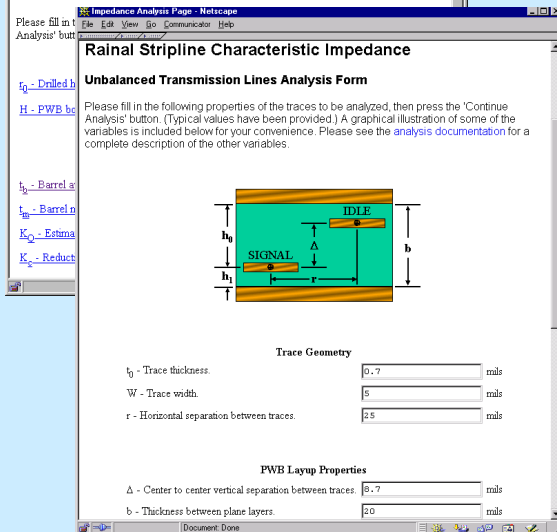
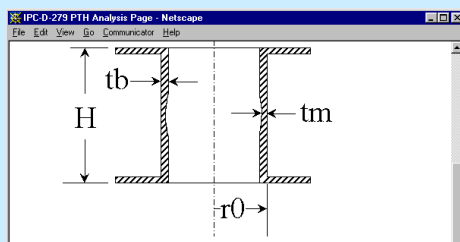
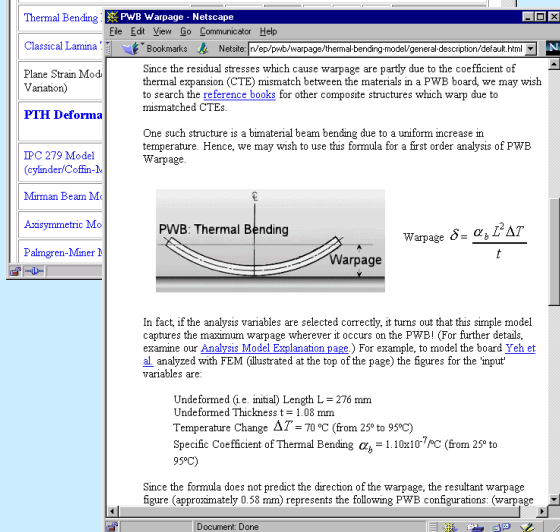
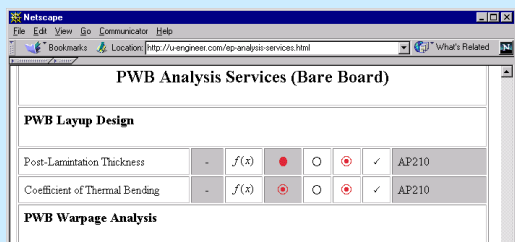
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 - ♦ Internet-based PWA-B analysis modules & toolkit
- ♦ Usage in AMCOM supply chain

General techniques

- ♦ Internet-based engineering service bureau (ESB)
- ♦ X-analysis integration (XAI)
 - ♦ Product data-driven plug-and-play analysis modules
 - ♦ General purpose XAI toolkit, *XaiTools*



U-Engineer.com Engineering Service Bureau (ESB)



Analysis Documentation

Ready-to-Use Analysis Modules

Lower cost, better quality, fewer delays in supply chain


ESB Analysis Module Catalogs & Documentation

PWB Analysis Services (Bare Board)


PWB Layup Design

Post-Lamination Thickness	-	$f(x)$	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	AP210
Coefficient of Thermal Bending	-	$f(x)$	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	AP210

PWB Warpage Analysis

Thermal Bending Model	1D	$f(x)$	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	AP210
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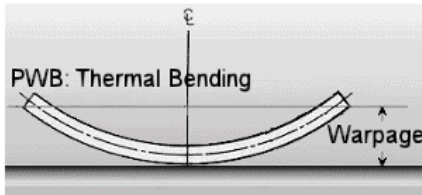
PTH Deformation & Fatigue Analysis

IPC 279 Model (cylinder/Coffin-Manson)	1D	$f(x)$	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	GenX
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Palmgren-Miner Model	-	$f(x)$	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

PWB Warpage - Netscape

Since the residual stresses which cause warpage are partly due to the coefficient of thermal expansion (CTE) mismatch between the materials in a PWB board, we may wish to search the [reference books](#) for other composite structures which warp due to mismatched CTEs.

One such structure is a bimaterial beam bending due to a uniform increase in temperature. Hence, we may wish to use this formula for a first order analysis of PWB Warpage.



$$\text{Warpage } \delta = \frac{\alpha_b L^2 \Delta T}{t}$$

In fact, if the analysis variables are selected correctly, it turns out that this simple model captures the maximum warpage wherever it occurs on the PWB! (For further details, examine our [Analysis Model Explanation page](#).) For example, to model the board [Yeh et al](#) analyzed with FEM (illustrated at the top of the page) the figures for the 'input' variables are:

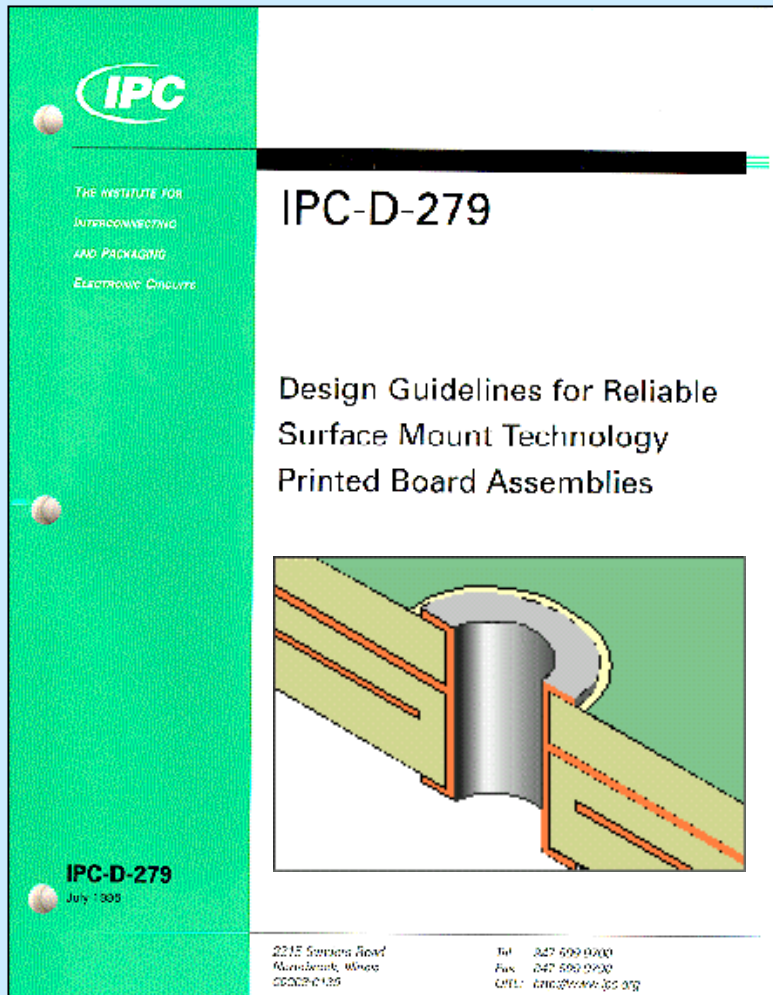
Undeformed (i.e. initial) Length $L = 276 \text{ mm}$
 Undeformed Thickness $t = 1.08 \text{ mm}$
 Temperature Change $\Delta T = 70^\circ \text{C}$ (from 25° to 95°C)
 Specific Coefficient of Thermal Bending $\alpha_b = 1.10 \times 10^{-7} / ^\circ \text{C}$ (from 25° to 95°C)

Since the formula does not predict the direction of the warpage, the resultant warpage figure (approximately 0.58 mm) represents the following PWB configurations: (warpage

Paper-based IPC-D-279

Plated Through Hole Fatigue Analysis

Tedious to Use



PTH/PTV Fatigue Life Estimation

$$\sigma_{avg} = \frac{\left[(\alpha_E - \alpha_{Cu}) \Delta T + S_y \cdot \frac{E_{Cu} - E_{Cu}'}{E_{Cu} \cdot E_{Cu}'} \right] A_E \cdot E_E \cdot E_{Cu}'}{A_E \cdot E_E + A_{Cu} \cdot E_{Cu}'}$$

$$\Delta \epsilon_{avg} = \frac{(\alpha_E' - \alpha_{Cu}') \Delta T \cdot A_E \cdot E_E - S_y \cdot A_{Cu} \cdot \frac{E_{Cu} - E_{Cu}'}{E_{Cu}}}{A_E \cdot E_E + A_{Cu} \cdot E_{Cu}'}$$

$$N_f^{-0.6} D_f^{0.75} + 0.9 \frac{S_u}{E} \left[\frac{e^{D_f}}{0.36} \right]^{0.1785 \log \frac{10^5}{N_f}} - \Delta \epsilon = 0$$

$$N_f(x\%) = N_f(50\%) \left[\frac{\ln(1 - 0.01x)}{\ln(0.5)} \right]^{\frac{1}{\beta}}$$

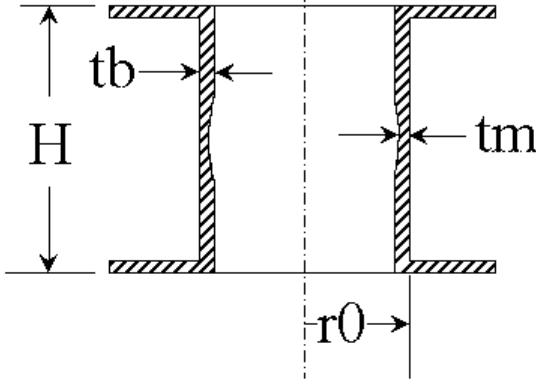


Web-based IPC-D-279 PTH Analysis Module

Easy to Use

IPC-D-279 PTH Analysis Page - Netscape

File Edit View Go Communicator Help



Please fill in the following properties of the PTH to be analyzed, then press the 'Continue Analysis' button. (Typical values have been provided.)

PTH Geometry

[r₀ - Drilled hole radius.](#) inches

[H - PWB board thickness.](#) inches

PTH 'As Manufactured' Properties

[t_b - Barrel average plated thickness.](#) mils

[t_m - Barrel minimum plated thickness.](#) mils

[K_Q - Estimate of plating quality.](#)

[K_c - Reduction in cross section due to local defects.](#)

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PTH Analysis Results

Input Variables

Drilled hole diameter, d: 0.025 inches
PWB Board thickness, H: 0.0625 inches

Barrel average plated thickness, t_b: 0.0012 inches
Barrel minimum plated thickness, t_m: 0.001 inches
Estimate of Plating Quality, K_Q: 6
Reduction in local cross sectional area due to plating or drilling defects, K_c: 10 %

Change in temperature, ΔT: 200°C
Reference temperature (ambient), T_{ref}: 25°C

Compression modulus of resin, E_r: 500000 psi
Coefficient of Thermal Expansion of resin, α_r below T_g: 0.000067 /°C
Coefficient of Thermal Expansion of resin, α_r above T_g: 0.000315 /°C
Glass Transition Temperature, T_g: 137 °C

Tensile modulus of barrel material, E_b: 3000000 psi
Plastic modulus of barrel material, E_p: 100000 psi
Yield Strength of barrel material, S_y: 25000 psi
Ultimate Strength of barrel material, S_u: 41000 psi
Plastic strain at fracture of barrel material, D_f: 0.203
Coefficient of Thermal Expansion of barrel material, α_b: 0.000017 /°C

Analysis Model

IPC-D-279 Plated Through Hole Model

Results

Average Stress in the PTH barrel: 30.0317e3 psi
Maximum Strain in the PTH barrel: 0.121682
PTH barrel Fatigue Life: 10.61e3 cycles to 50% failure probability.

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Product Data-Driven IPC-D-279 PTH Analysis Module

Easier to Use

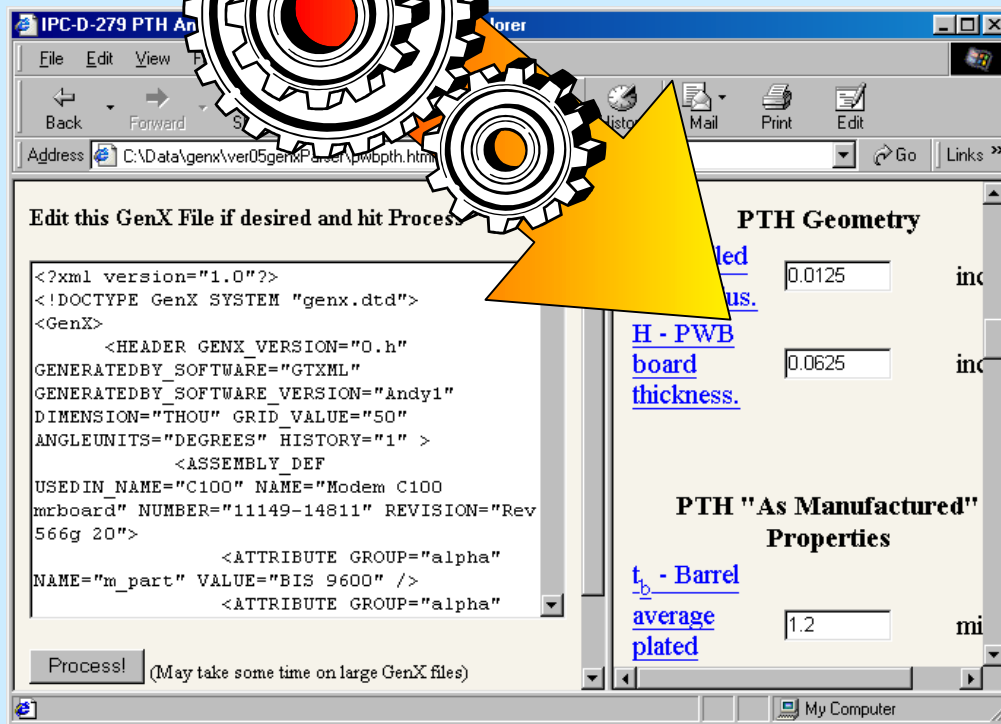
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GenCAM/GenX
Neutral Design File



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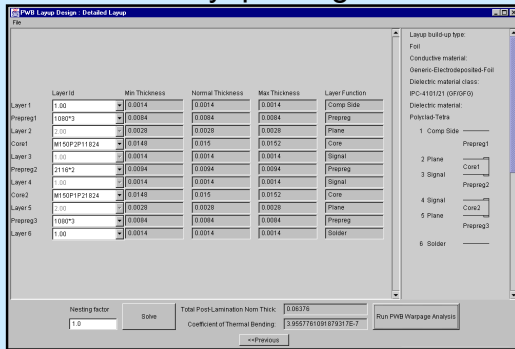
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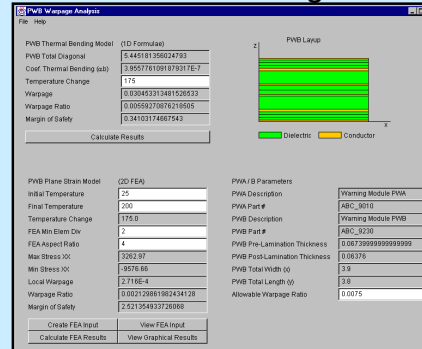
- ◆ Local browser:
 - + Idealizes design data
 - + Inserts into analysis
- ◆ Benefits
 - + Fewer errors vs. manual idealization & re-entry
 - + Automated exhaustive search (100s of PTHs)
 - + Data compression (as much as 100x)
 - + Increased security

Iterative Design & Analysis

PWB Layup Design Tool



1D Thermal Bending Model



Quick Formula-based Check

$$\delta = \frac{\alpha_b L^2 \Delta T}{t}$$

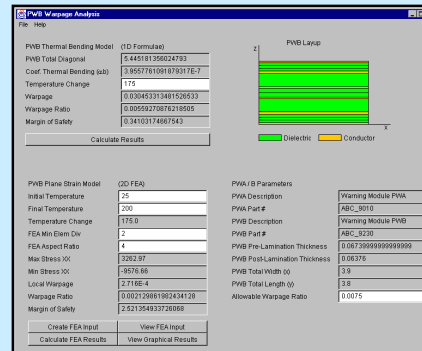
$$\alpha_b = \frac{w_i \alpha_i y_i}{t/2 \quad w_i}$$

Layup
Re-design

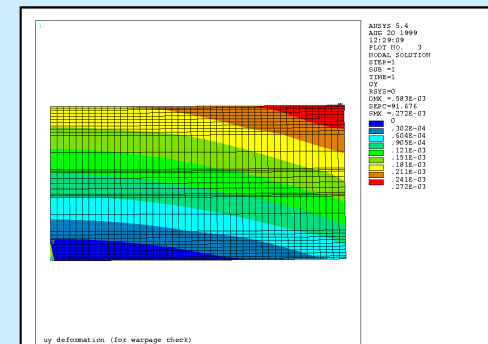
PWB Warpage Modules

Analyzable
Product Model

2D Plane Strain Model



Detailed FEA Check





ProAM Deliverable Highlights

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ProAM Technical Team



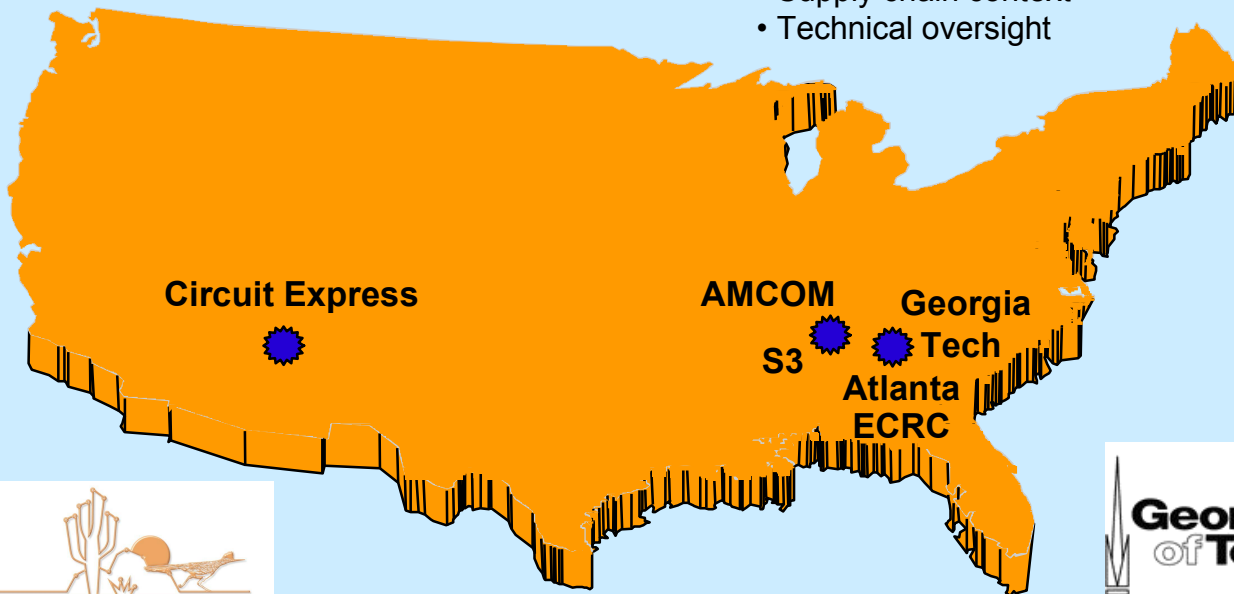
Missile supply chain SME

- PWB design & fabrication expertise
- Tool usage & feedback



Missile system end-user

- Supply chain context
- Technical oversight



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Electronic commerce resource center

- Mgt., ESB, and computing support



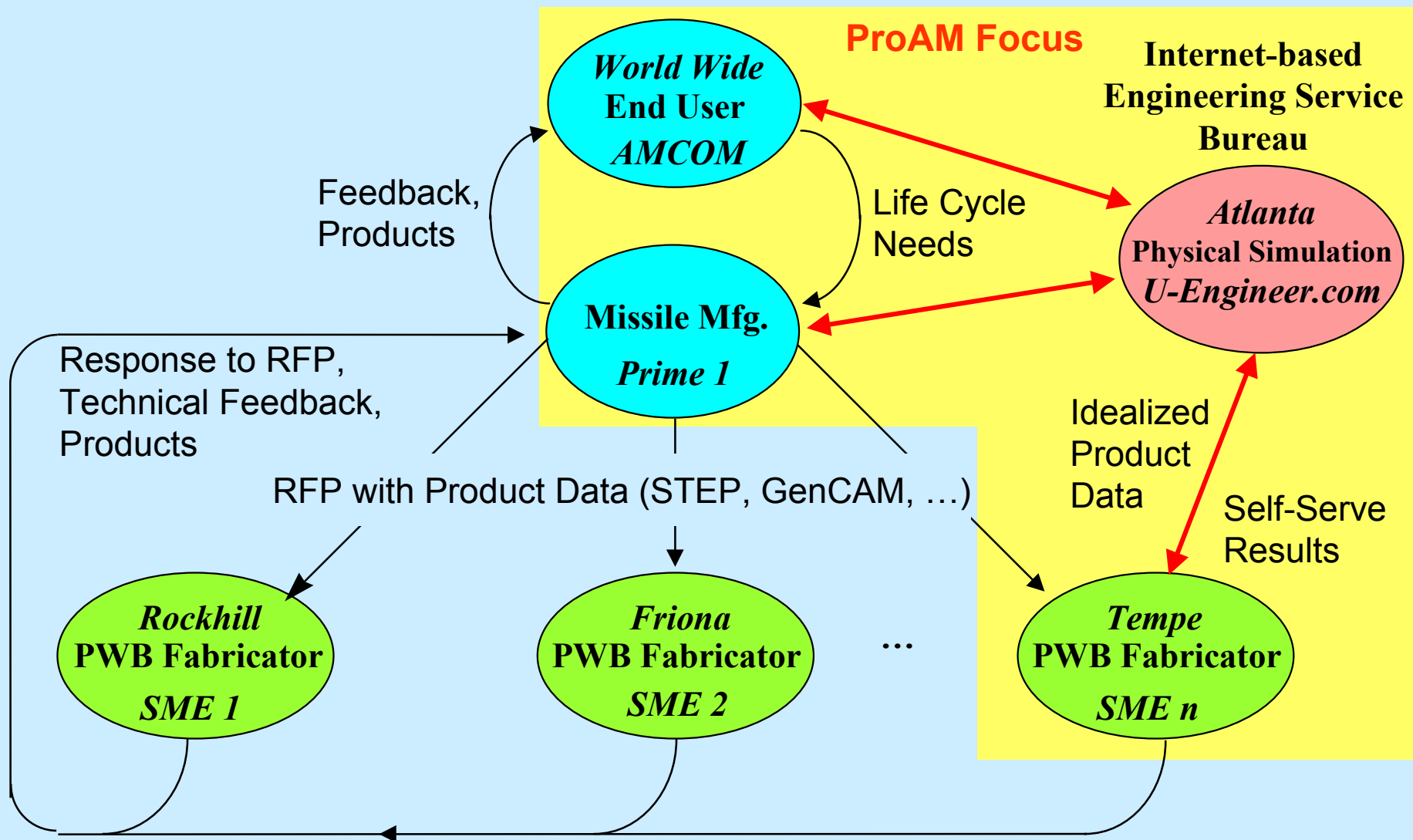
Research & development lab

- Program management
- Technical concepts
- Tool implementation



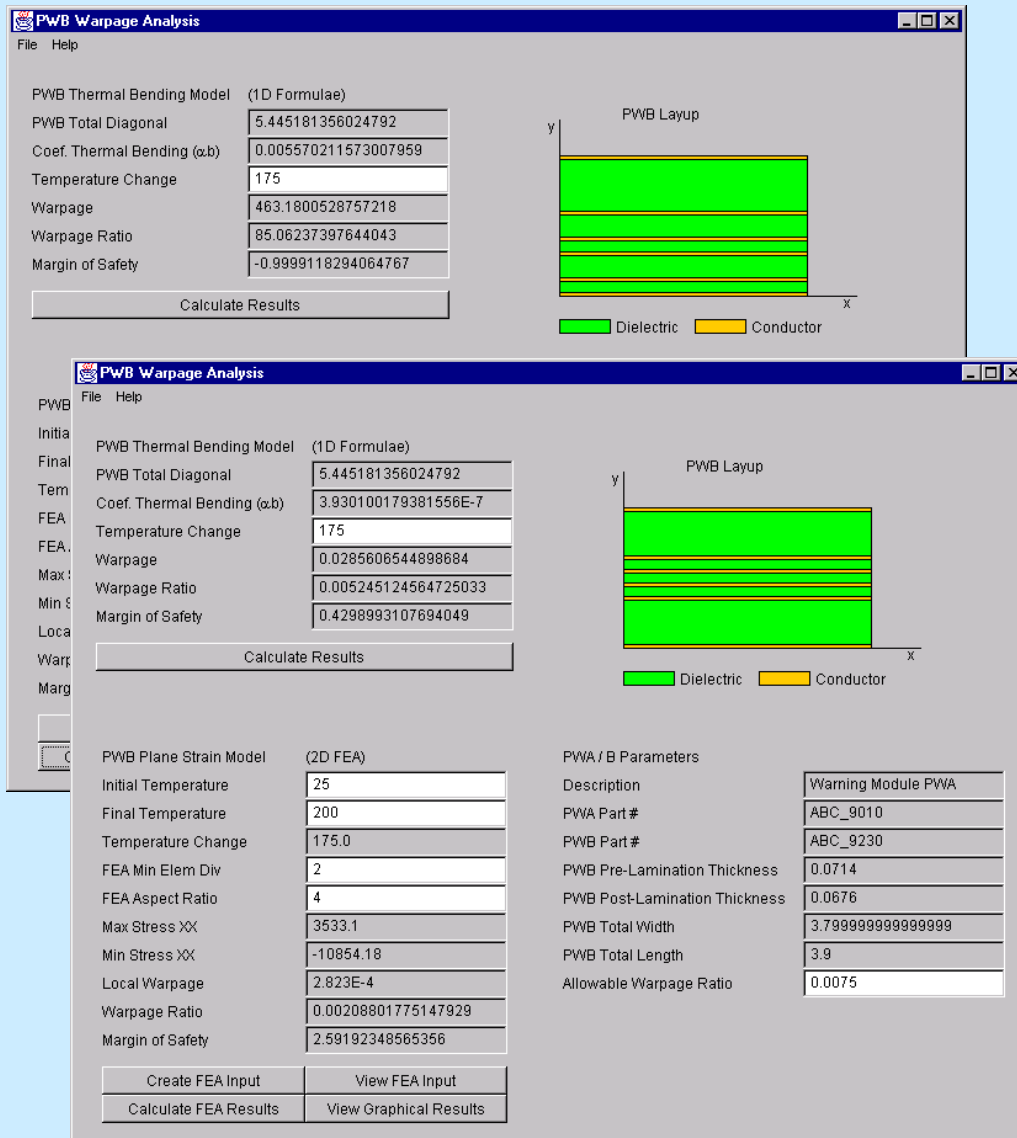
ProAM Focus

Automated Internet-based Analysis for Supply Chains





Example SME Usage



- ◆ Original design:
 - Six layer board
 - Unsymmetrical layup
 - Severe warpage
 - Analysis predicted thermal distortion
- ◆ Alternate design:
 - Modeled construction variables
 - Analysis predicted improved distortion
- ◆ New capability aided design improvement



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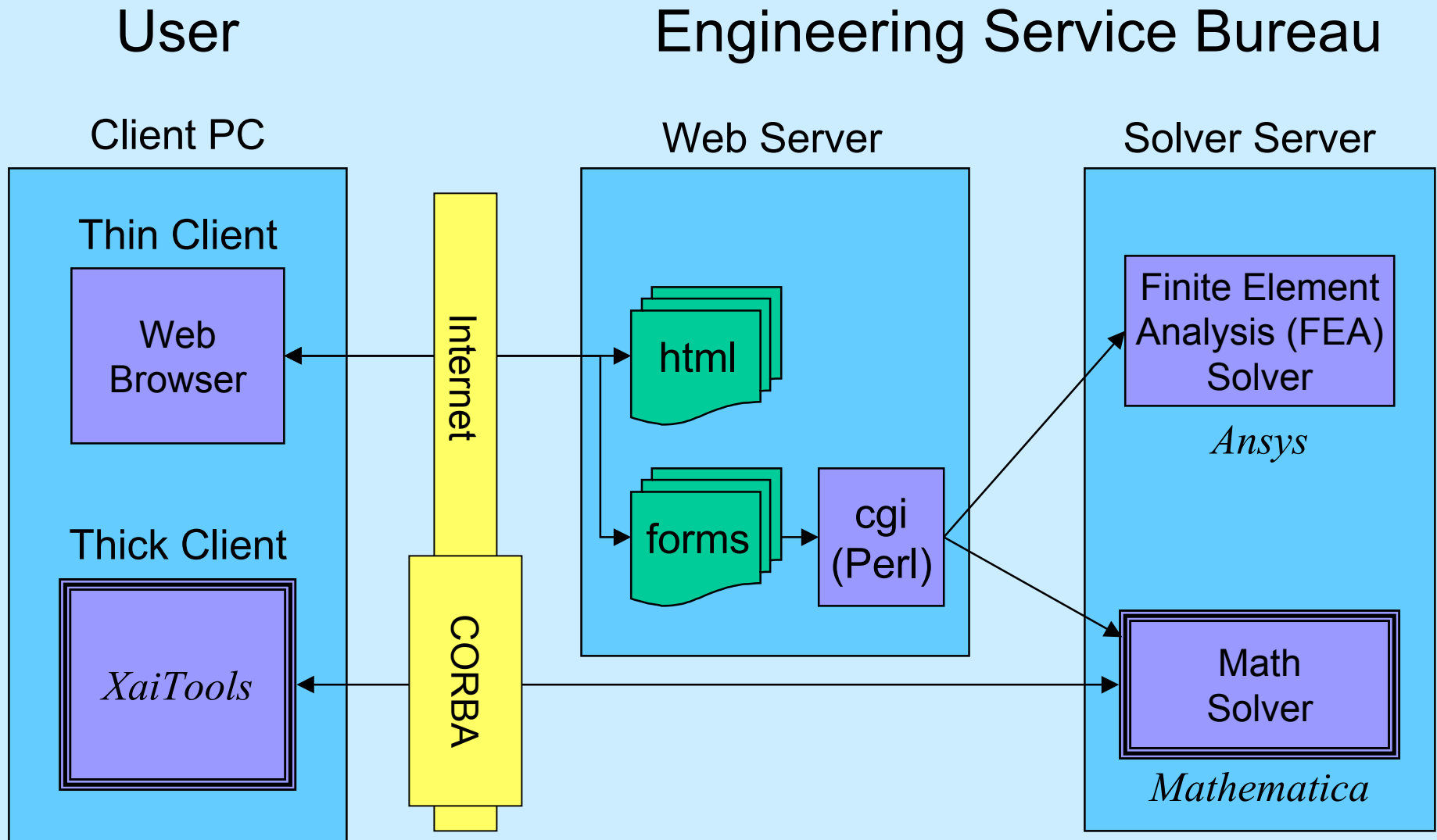
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Example

ESB Client-Server Architecture





Internet-based ESB Techniques

- ◆ Analysis module template & methodology
- ◆ Range of access methods:
 - ◆ Remote Tools
 - ◆ Login to remote workstation; X-Windows display
 - ◆ Thick Clients
 - ◆ Locally installed w/ Internet/LAN-based solvers via CORBA
 - ◆ Thin Clients
 - ◆ Web-based forms & solvers all located at ESB
- ◆ General web techniques
- ◆ General e-commerce: electronic payment, etc.

ESB Characteristics

- ◆ **Self-serve analysis**
 - Pre-developed analysis modules presented in product & process contexts
 - Available via the Internet
 - Optionally standards-driven (STEP, GenCAM ...):
 - » Reduce manual data transformation & re-entry
 - » Highly automated plug-and-play usage
 - Enabled by X-analysis integration technology
- ◆ **Full-serve analysis as needed**
- ◆ **Possible business models:**
 - Pay-per-use and/or pay-per-period
 - ESB hosting
 - Costs averaged across customer base





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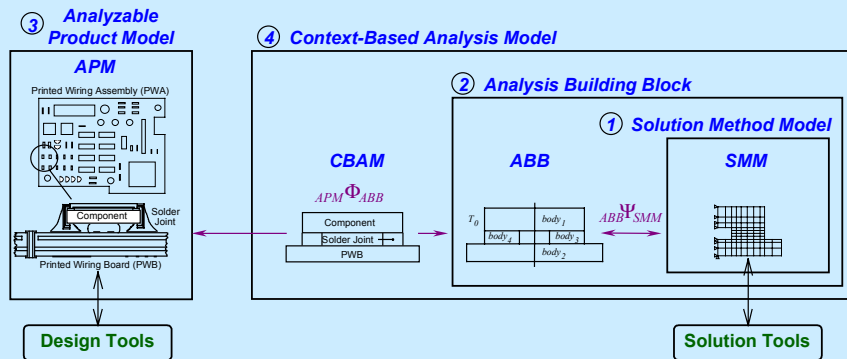
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X-Analysis Integration Concepts

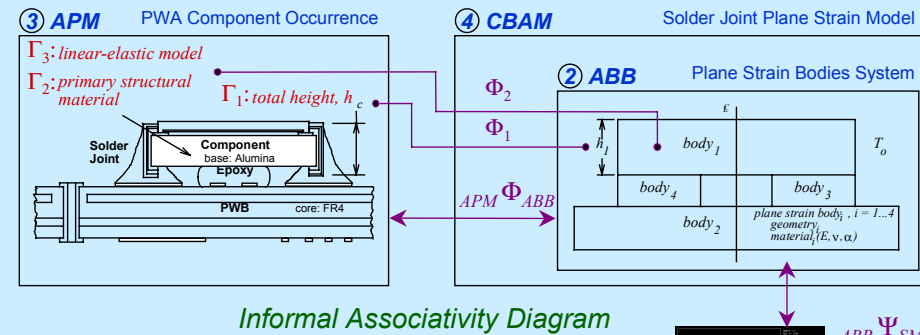
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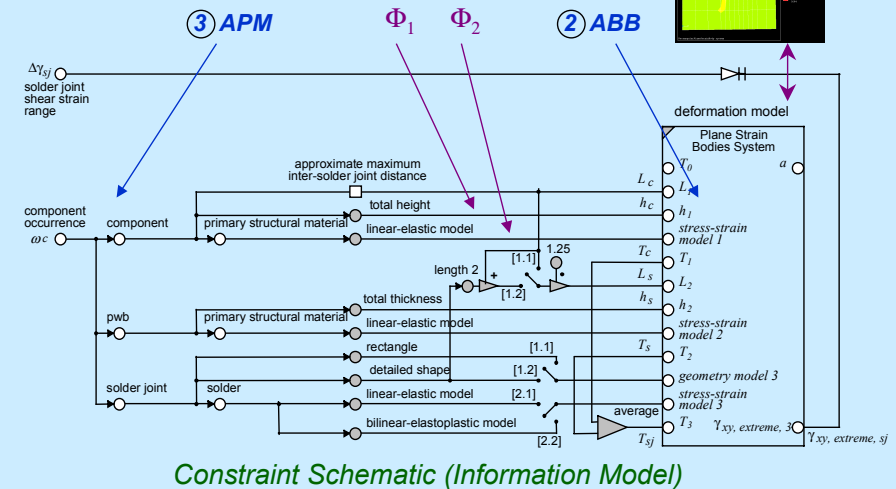
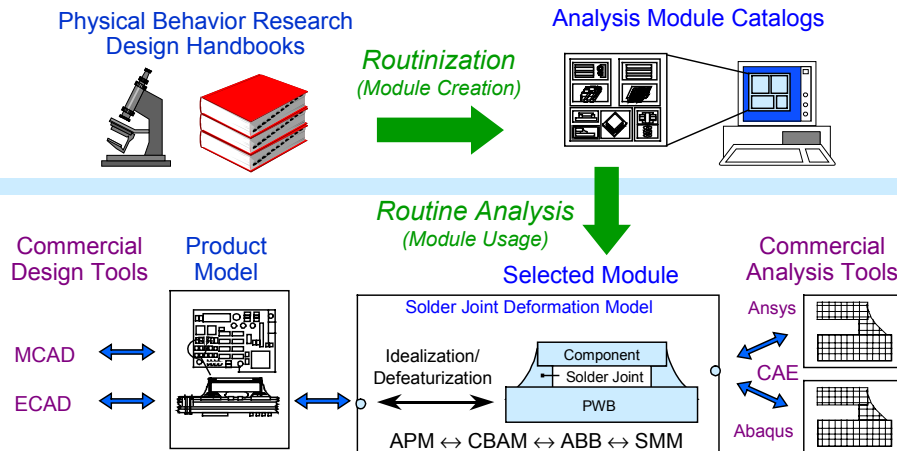
Design-Analysis Associativity

Design Model

Analysis Model

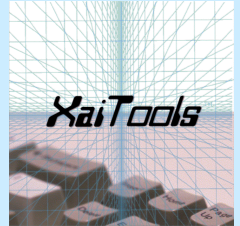


Analysis Module Creation Methodology

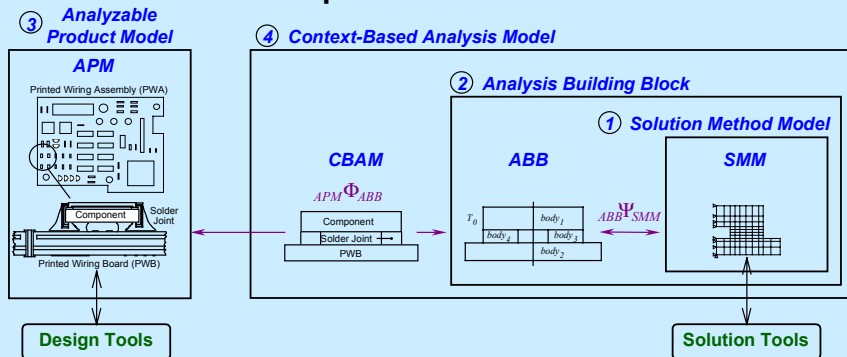


XaiToolsTM

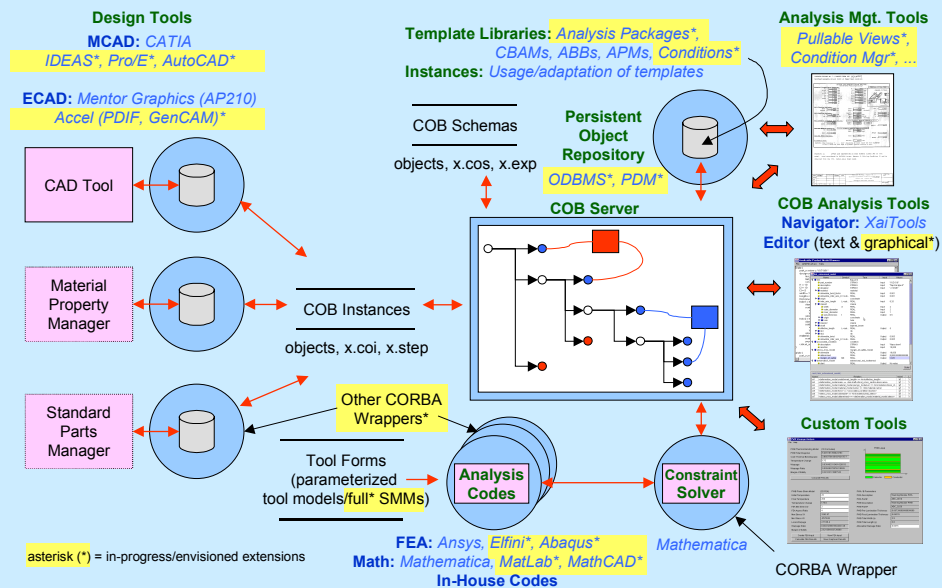
X-Analysis Integration Toolkit



Multi-Representation Architecture (MRA) Implementation



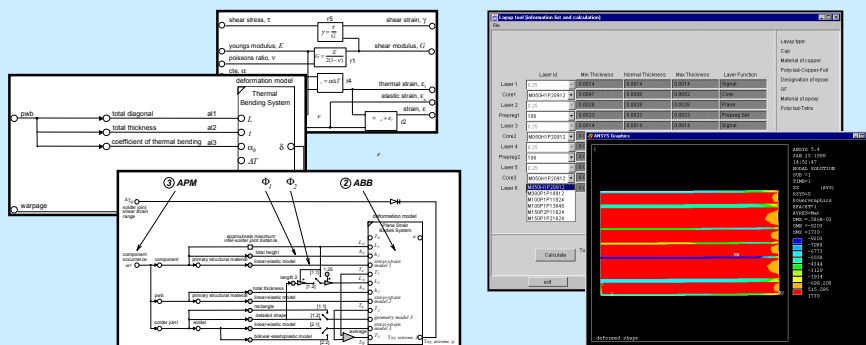
CAD/E Framework Architecture



Analysis Modules & Building Blocks

Constraint Schematics

Implementations



Product-Specific Applications

- ◆ Aerospace structural analysis
- ◆ PWA-B thermomechanical analysis & design
XaiTools PWA-BTM
- ◆ Electronic package thermal analysis
XaiTools ChipPackageTM

STEP AP 210

PWA/B Design Information

Physical

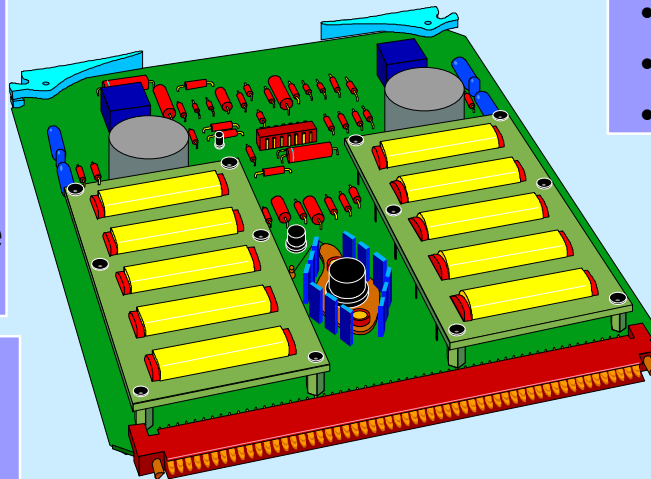
- Component Placement
- Bare Board Geometry
- Layout items
- Layers non-planar, conductive & non-conductive
- Material product

Geometry

- Geometrically Bounded 2-D Shape
- Wireframe with Topology
- Advanced BREP Solids
- Constructive Solid Geometry

Product Structure/Connectivity

- Functional
- Packaged



Part

- Functionality
- Termination
- Shape 2D, 3D
- Single Level Decomposition
- Material Product
- Characteristics

Configuration Mgmt

- Identification
- Authority
- Effectivity
- Control
- Requirement Traceability
- Analytical Model
- Document References

Requirements

- Design
- Allocation
- Constraints
- Interface

Technology

- Fabrication Design Rules
- Product Design Rules



ProAM Design-Analysis Integration

Electronic Packaging Examples: PWA-B

Design Tools

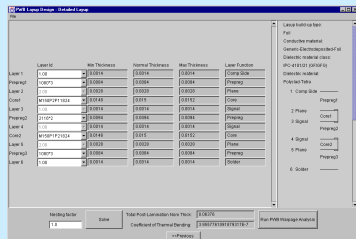
ECAD Tools

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PWB Layup Tool

XaiTools PWA-B



Laminates DB



Materials DB

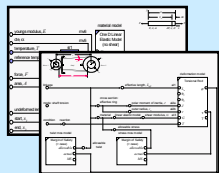


STEP AP210,
GenCAM**,
PDF*

Analyzable Product Model



Modular, Reusable Template Libraries



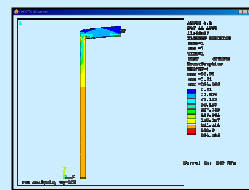
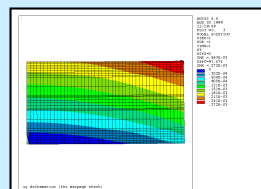
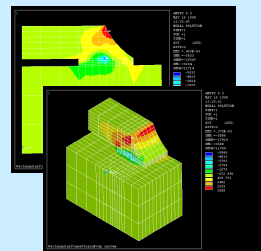
Analysis Modules (CBAMs) of Diverse Mode & Fidelity

XaiTools
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Analysis Tools

General Math
Mathematica

FEA Ansys



Solder Joint
Deformation*

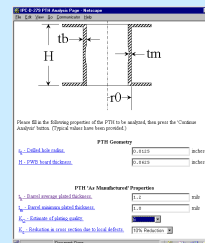
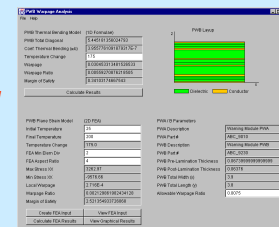
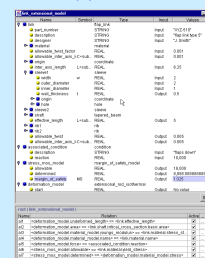
1D,
2D,
3D

PWB
Warpage

1D,
2D

PTH
Deformation
& Fatigue**

1D,
2D



* = Item not yet available in toolkit (all others have working examples) ** = Item available via U-Engineer.com

Summary

- ◆ Internet-based engineering service bureaus (ESBs)
 - ➡ *Key step for affordable SME analysis*
- ◆ Product data-driven analysis technology
 - ◆ Analysis integration toolkit
- ◆ AMCOM missile supply chain applications
 - ➡ *U-Engineer.com & electronic packaging analysis*
- ◆ Exemplar usage of electronic data files like STEP
- ◆ Applicability to other product industries
- ◆ Framework for automated analysis
 - ➡ *Improved product performance, reliability,
and manufacturability*

For Further Information ...

- ◆ EIS Lab web site: <http://eislabs.gatech.edu/>
 - See Publications, DAI/XAI, Suggested Starting Points
- ◆ ProAM home page: <http://eislabs.gatech.edu/projects/proam/>
- ◆ XaiTools home page: <http://eislabs.gatech.edu/>
- ◆ Pilot commercial ESB: <http://www.u-engineer.com/>
 - Internet-based self-serve analysis
 - Analysis module catalog for electronic packaging
 - Highly automated front-ends to general FEA & math tools

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