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Simulations of short fiber reinforced plastics – from injection molding to crash

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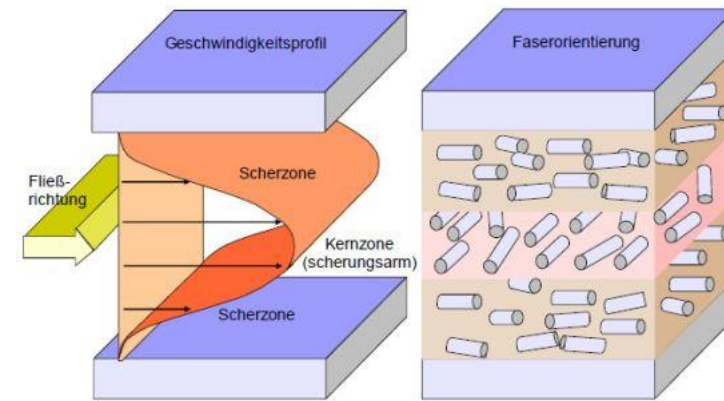
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Introduction

SFRP and simulations

- SFRP – short fiber reinforced plastics, or short fiber thermoplastics, are easy to process and that also makes it a cost-effective design solution.
- The mechanical properties of these materials depend heavily on the fiber orientation relative to the loading direction.
- Fiber orientations come from the manufacturing (often injection molding) and vary within the final components, leaving us with an inhomogeneous and anisotropic material.
- To completely capture the mechanical behavior, we need to model the complete process from manufacturing of the component to the applied loading.

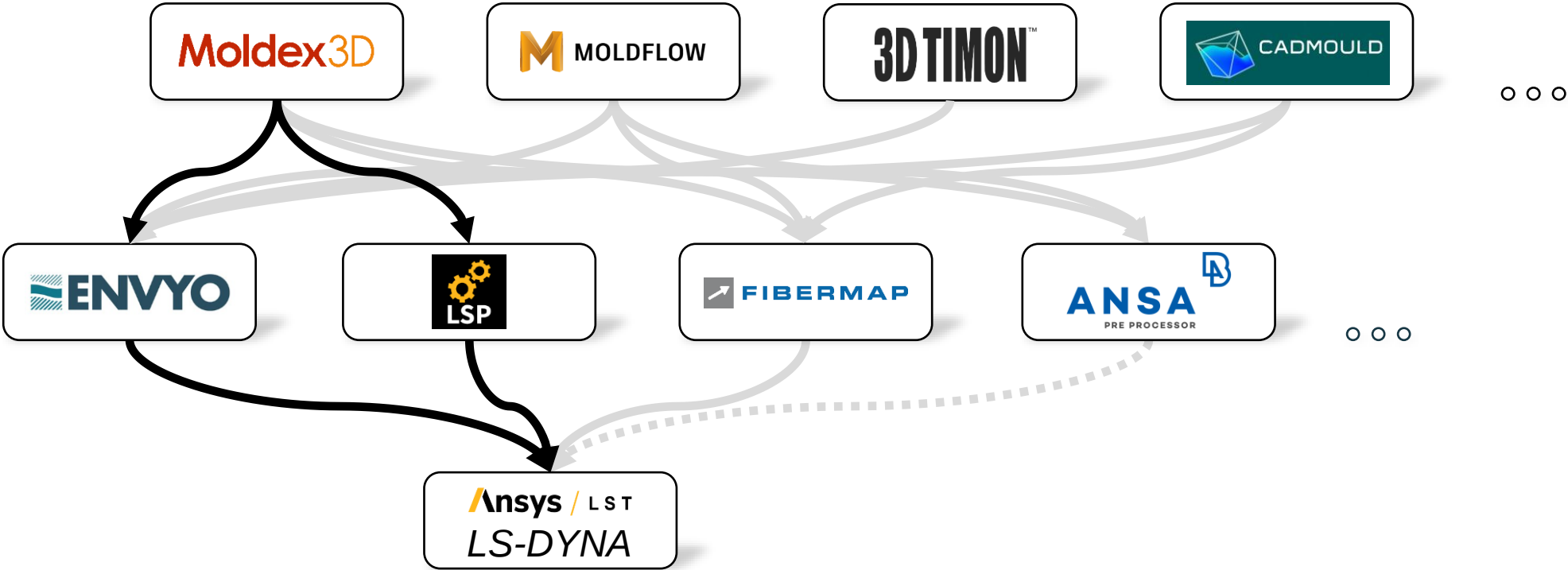


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Introduction

Process simulation paths

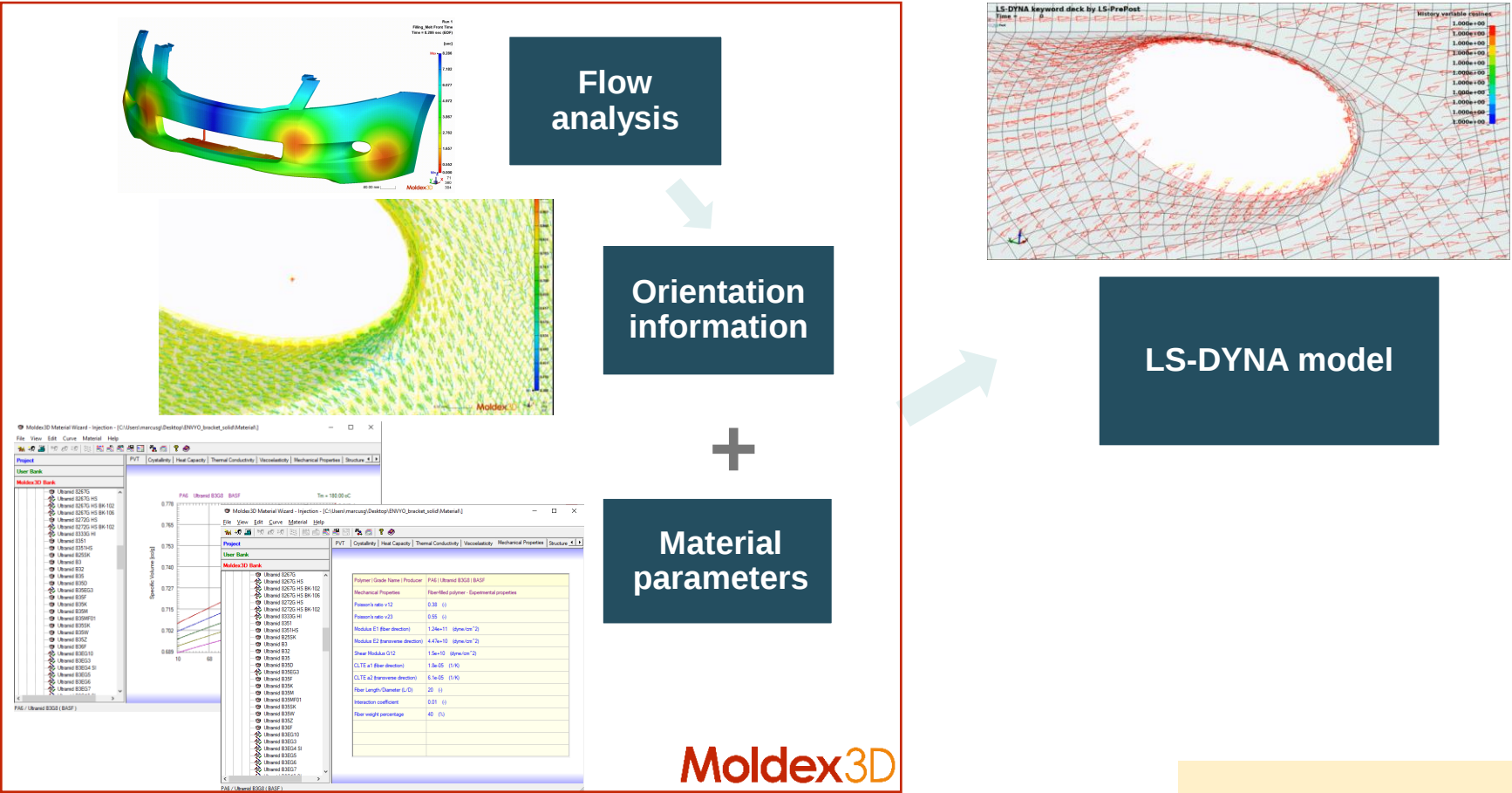
- Process simulation paths and focus of this webinar.



Process example using Moldex3D

Input

- Fiber orientation is predicted in the Moldex3D filling simulation
- Moldex3D Material database include fiber content and properties



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Moldex3D Material Wizard - Injection - [C:\Users\marcusg\Desktop\ENVYO_bracket_solid\Material\]

File View Edit Curve Material Help

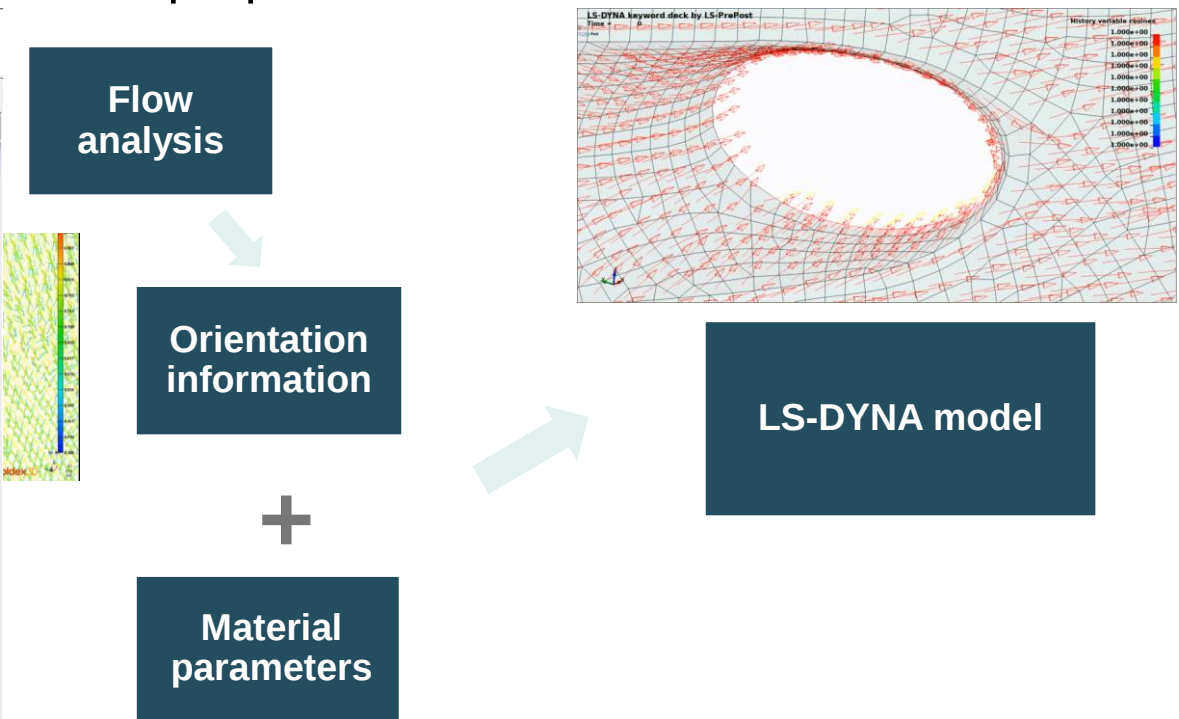
Project

User Bank

Moldex3D Bank

Polymer Grade Name Producer	PA6 Ultramid B3G8 BASF
Mechanical Properties	Fiber-filled polymer - Experimental properties
Poisson's ratio ν_{12}	0.38 (-)
Poisson's ratio ν_{23}	0.55 (-)
Modulus E1 (fiber direction)	1.24e+11 (dyne/cm ²)
Modulus E2 (transverse direction)	4.47e+10 (dyne/cm ²)
Shear Modulus G12	1.5e+10 (dyne/cm ²)
CLTE α_1 (fiber direction)	1.8e-05 (1/K)
CLTE α_2 (transverse direction)	6.1e-05 (1/K)
Fiber Length/Diameter (L/D)	20 (-)
Interaction coefficient	0.01 (-)
Fiber weight percentage	40 (%)

Can be used in Envyo & LS-DYNA



Process example using Moldex3D

Output results for further analyses

Result

Display

Utility

Clipping

Slicing

Isosurface

Section

FEA Interface Function Option

Stress solver : LS-Dyna

Element type : Linear

Output mesh as : Original

Function options

Part

Micromechanics model

Material reduction of fiber orientation

Runner output

Flow induced residual stress output

Initial stress output

Initial strain output (As temperature difference)

Packing phase temperature output

End of cooling temperature output

Micromechanics interface

Weld line output

Max weld line angle (0-135): 135.0

Fiber concentration output

Fiber orientation output

Residual stress output

Temperature output

Density output

Weld line output

Function description :

Weld line result can be exported to nonlinear material modeling softwares via this function. You can map the result onto the structural mesh for further structural analysis in material modeling software.

Output to :

C:\Users\marcusg\Documents\Moldex3D_wd\ENVYO_bracket_solid\Report\Run04

Export

Close

Model Thickness

Compare

Sync Angle

Sync Result

Sync Range

Log

FEA Interface Export

For output to Envyo, use
“output mesh as” Original

For mapping within Moldex3D,
limited functionality.

Choose what should be output
under “Micromechanics Interface”

- .k file, Moldex3D mesh - nodes and elements
- .o2d file, fiber orientations
- .nwd file, weld lines

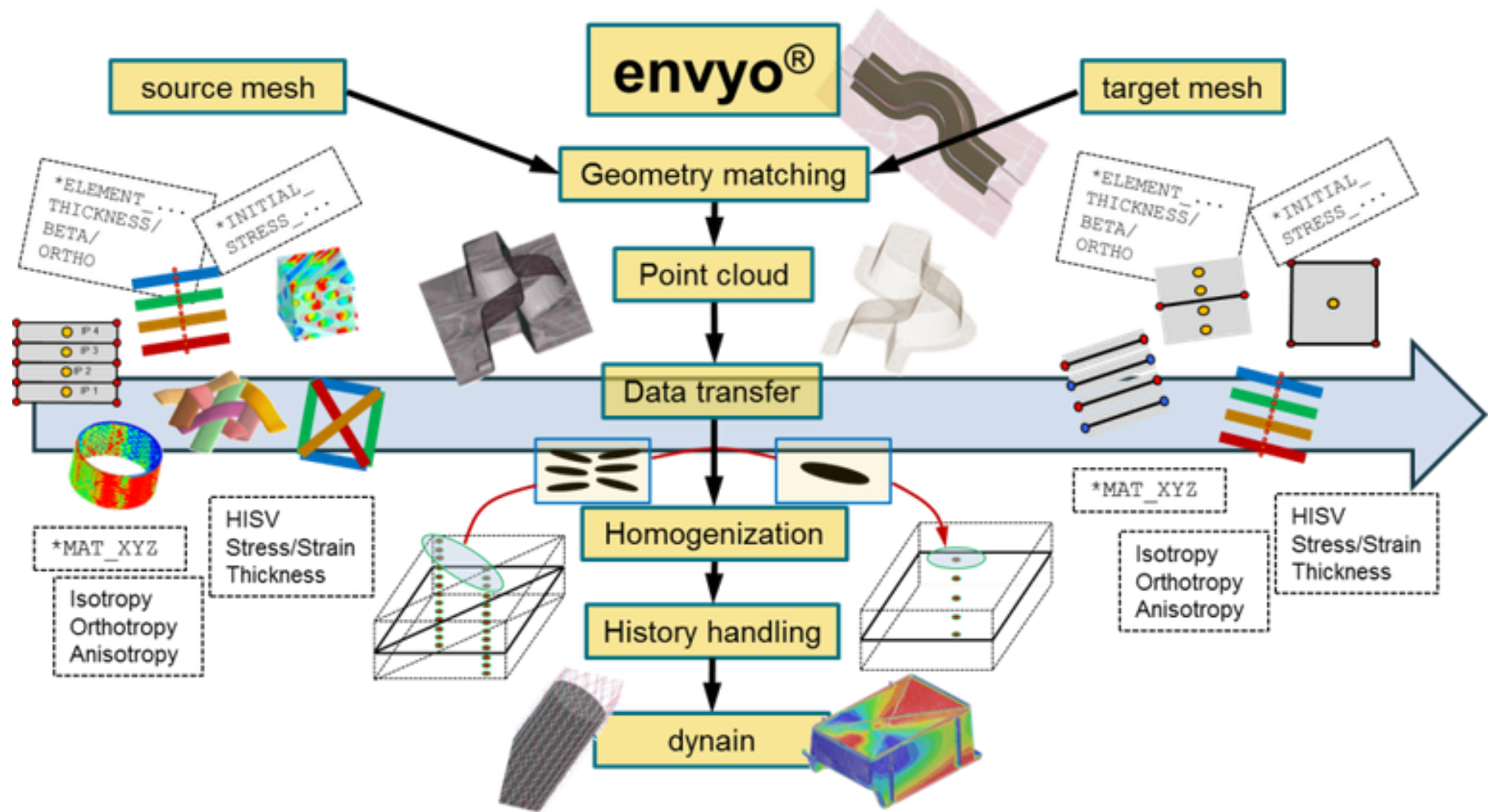
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- Envyo® is a mapping tool for multiple purposes, developed by DYNAmore GmbH, an Ansys company.
- Envyo can for instance map:
 - from different solvers
 - to other meshes including between different element types
 - from 2d axisymmetric simulation results to 3d models
 - from history variable values to other material models
 - from point clouds of experimental data
 - from images
 - ...
- Mapping with Envyo can be used for many purposes, but mapping to an LS-DYNA input model is the most common application.





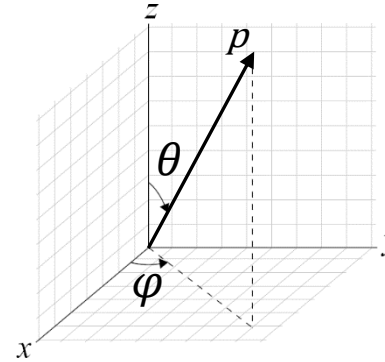
Mapping injection molding results to LS-DYNA

- When mapping from injection molding analyses, only mapping to shell and solid elements is available right now.
- A “weldline” can be put in a separate part with lower material properties. You also specify the width (radius) on the weldline. Currently no difference in what angle the fronts meet (flow line vs. weld line).

Fiber orientations

- Each fiber has a definite direction described by

$$p = \begin{pmatrix} \sin \theta \cos \varphi \\ \sin \theta \sin \varphi \\ \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}, \quad -\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \varphi \leq \frac{\pi}{2}, \quad 0 \leq \theta \leq \pi$$



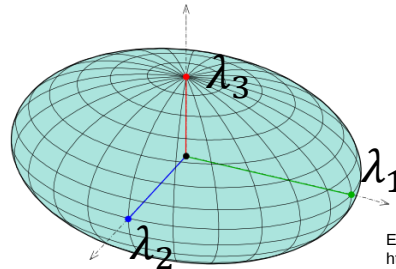
- The orientation tensor sums and averages the contributions from each fiber

$$a_{ij} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n p_i^k p_j^k = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

- The symmetric tensor has three orthogonal eigenvectors and corresponding eigenvalues λ_i that sum to 1

$$a_{ij} = a_{ji}$$

$$\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 + \lambda_3 = 1$$



Ellipsoid adopted from Ag2gaeh - Own work, CC BY-SA 4.0,
<https://commons.wikimedia.org/w/index.php?curid=45585493>

- The eigenvector with the largest eigenvalue is often visualized along with the eigenvalue as the color fringe to show the fiber directions

- Homogenization is the process of collecting the material properties of the constituents into one composite material.



- Not all properties are necessarily homogenized, some properties are given on the material card and need to be calibrated.
- Many homogenization methods exist, of which these are available in Envyo
 - Halpin-Tsai
 - Tandon-Weng
 - Voigt
 - Kukuri
 - Mori-Tanaka_1
 - Mori-Tanaka_2
 - Mori-Tanaka_3
- Mori-Tanaka_3 is the most widely used one, together with a linear closure approximation method and assumed spheroidal inclusion shape.

Material models for SFRP in LS-DYNA

*MAT_157 and *MAT_215

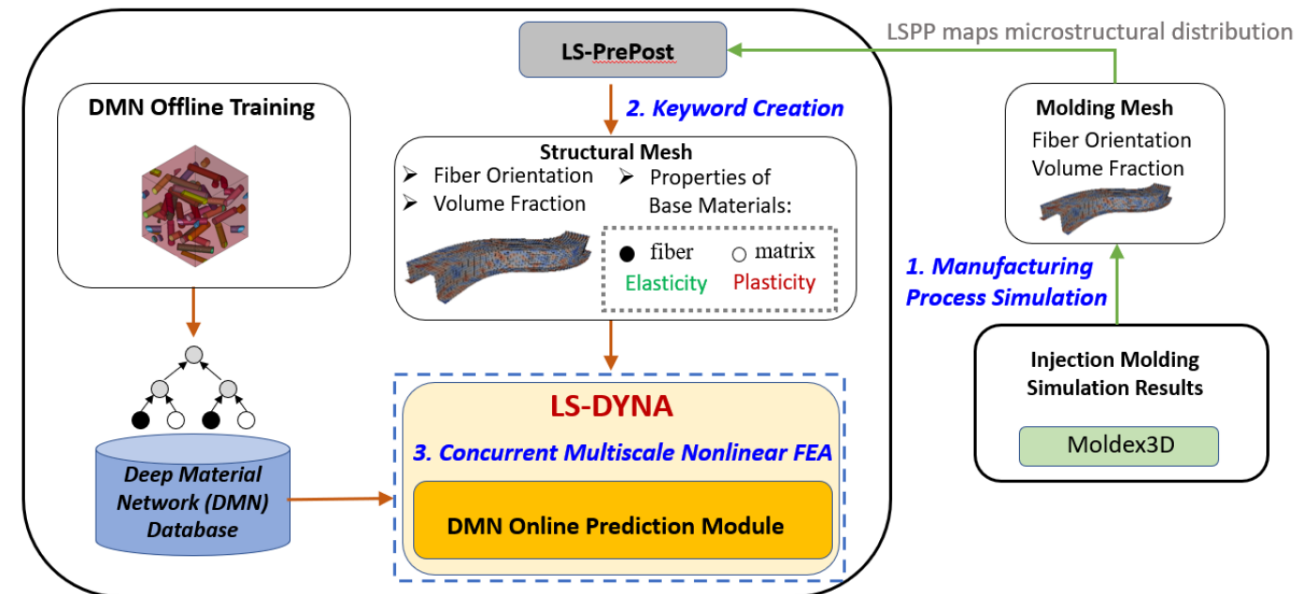
- *MAT_ANISOTROPIC_ELASTIC_PLASTIC (*MAT_157, explicit, implicit)
 - Anisotropic elastic adopted from *MAT_002
 - Anisotropic plastic adopted from *MAT_103_P (FGHLMN for solids, R-values for shells)
 - Strain rate dependency with table in LCSS
 - Brittle orthotropic failure available (phenomenological, Tsai-Wu or Tsai-Hill)
- *MAT_4A_MICROMECH (*MAT_215, explicit, implicit(R14.1/dev))
 - Micromechanical model with inelastic homogenization for describing the composite deformation
 - Mori-Tanaka Meanfield Theory
 - Ellipsoidal inclusions using Eshelby's solution
 - Orientation averaging
 - DIEM for matrix failure and maximum stress criterion for fiber failure
 - Matrix behavior is by an isotropic viscoplastic (on LCIDT) von Mises model
 - Fiber behavior is transversal isotropic elastic

Material model	mat_157, IHIS=1	mat_157, IHIS=3	mat_215
What is mapped?	• Material directions	• Material directions • Stiffness matrix (accounts for orientation degree)	• Length and orientation of ellipsoid

Material models for SFRP in LS-DYNA

*MAT_303

- Machine-learning based multiscale material model
 - User needs to provide
 - Fiber orientation tensor
 - Fiber volume fraction (optional)
 - Material properties for each constituent
- LSPP can be used for data transfer from Moldex3D
- Model is trained “offline” utilizing the LS-DYNA RVE Analysis tool
- Available since R14, explicit
 - Eight-node hexahedral elements, four-node tetrahedrons
 - Type 25 four node shell elements



Wei, Wu, Lyu, Hu, Rouet, Zhang, Ho, Oura, Nishi, Naito, Shen: *Multiscale Simulation of Short-Fiber-Reinforced Composites: From Computational Homogenization to Mechanistic Machine Learning in LS-DYNA*, 13th European LS-DYNA Conference 2021, Ulm.

Mapping to *MAT_157, IHIS=1

MAT_157 = MAT_ANISOTROPIC_ELASTIC_PLASTIC

*MAT_ANISOTROPIC_ELASTIC_PLASTIC								
\$	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
\$#	MID	RO	SIGY	LCSS	QR1	CR1	QR2	CR2
\$#	1							
\$#	C11	C12	C13	C14	C15	C16	C22	C23
\$#	C24	C25	C26	C33	C34	C35	C36	C44
\$#	C45	C46	C55	C56	C66	R00 F	R45 G	R90 H
\$#	S11 L	S22 M	S33 N	S12	AOPT	VP		MACF
\$#	XP	YP	ZP	A1	A2	A3		EXTRA
\$#	V1	V2	V3	D1	D2	D3	BETA	IHIS
								1
*INITIAL_STRESS_SOLID								
\$	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
\$#	EID/SID	NINT	NHISV	LARGE	IVEFLG	IALEGP	NTHINT	NTHHSV
\$#	1	1	6	1				
\$#	SIGXX		SIGYY		SIGZZ		SIGXY	SIGYZ
\$#	SIGZX		EPS		HISV1		HISV2	HISV3
					q1		q2	q3
\$#	HISV4		HISV5		HISV6		HISV7	HISV8
	q4		q5		q6			

Green text = input if element type is shell

Input to Envyo:

- SourceFile=XYZ_1.k (from Moldex3D)
- TargetFile=XYZ_2.k (target mesh)
- MappingResult=XYZ_3.key (result file)
- OrientationFile=XYZ_4.o2d (from Moldex3D)
- WeldlineFile=XYZ_5.nwd (from Moldex3D)

- ETYP=1
- MapStress=Yes (does not map residual stresses)
- MapWeldline=Yes
- WeldlinePID=10
- WeldlineRADIUS=1.0
- MapMainDir=No

- ALGORITHM=ClosestPoint
- SORT=BUCKET
- REPEAT=YES
- INN=4
- TargetMaterialModel=157
- IHIS=1

Material directions given on this form can only be visualized in LS-PrePost after an initialization in LS-DYNA.

The q_{ij} terms are the first and third rows of a rotation matrix for the rotation from a co-rotational element's system and the a - b - c material directions. The c_{ij} terms are the upper triangular terms of the symmetric stiffness matrix, c_{11} , c_{12} , c_{13} , c_{14} , c_{15} , c_{16} , c_{22} , c_{23} , c_{24} , c_{25} , c_{26} , c_{33} , c_{34} , c_{35} , c_{36} , c_{44} , c_{45} , c_{46} , c_{55} , c_{56} , and c_{66} .

Mapping to *MAT_157, IHIS=3

MAT_157 = MAT_ANISOTROPIC_ELASTIC_PLASTIC

*MAT_ANISOTROPIC_ELASTIC_PLASTIC								
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	1							
\$#	C11	C12	C13	C14	C15	C16	C22	C23
\$#	C24	C25	C26	C33	C34	C35	C36	C44
\$#	C45	C46	C55	C56	C66	F	G	H
\$#	L	M	M		AOPT	VP		MACF
					0.0			
\$#	XP	YP	ZP	A1	A2	A3		EXTRA
\$#	V1	V2	V3	D1	D2	D3	BETA	IHIS
								3
*INITIAL_STRESS_SOLID								
\$	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
\$#	EID/SID	NINT	NHISV	LARGE	IVEFLG	IALEGP	NTHINT	NTHHSV
	1	1	27	1				
\$#	SIGXX		SIGYY		SIGZZ		SIGXY	SIGYZ
\$#	SIGZX		EPS		HISV1		HISV2	HISV3
					q1		q2	q3
\$#	HISV4		HISV5		HISV6		HISV7	HISV8
	q4		q5		q6		c11	c12
\$#	HISV9		HISV10		HISV11		HISV12	HISV13
	c13		c14		c15		c16	c22
\$#	HISV14		HISV15		HISV16		HISV17	HISV18
	c23		c24		c25		c26	c33
\$#	HISV19		HISV20		HISV21		HISV22	HISV23
	c34		c35		c36		c44	c45
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	c46		c55		c56		c66	

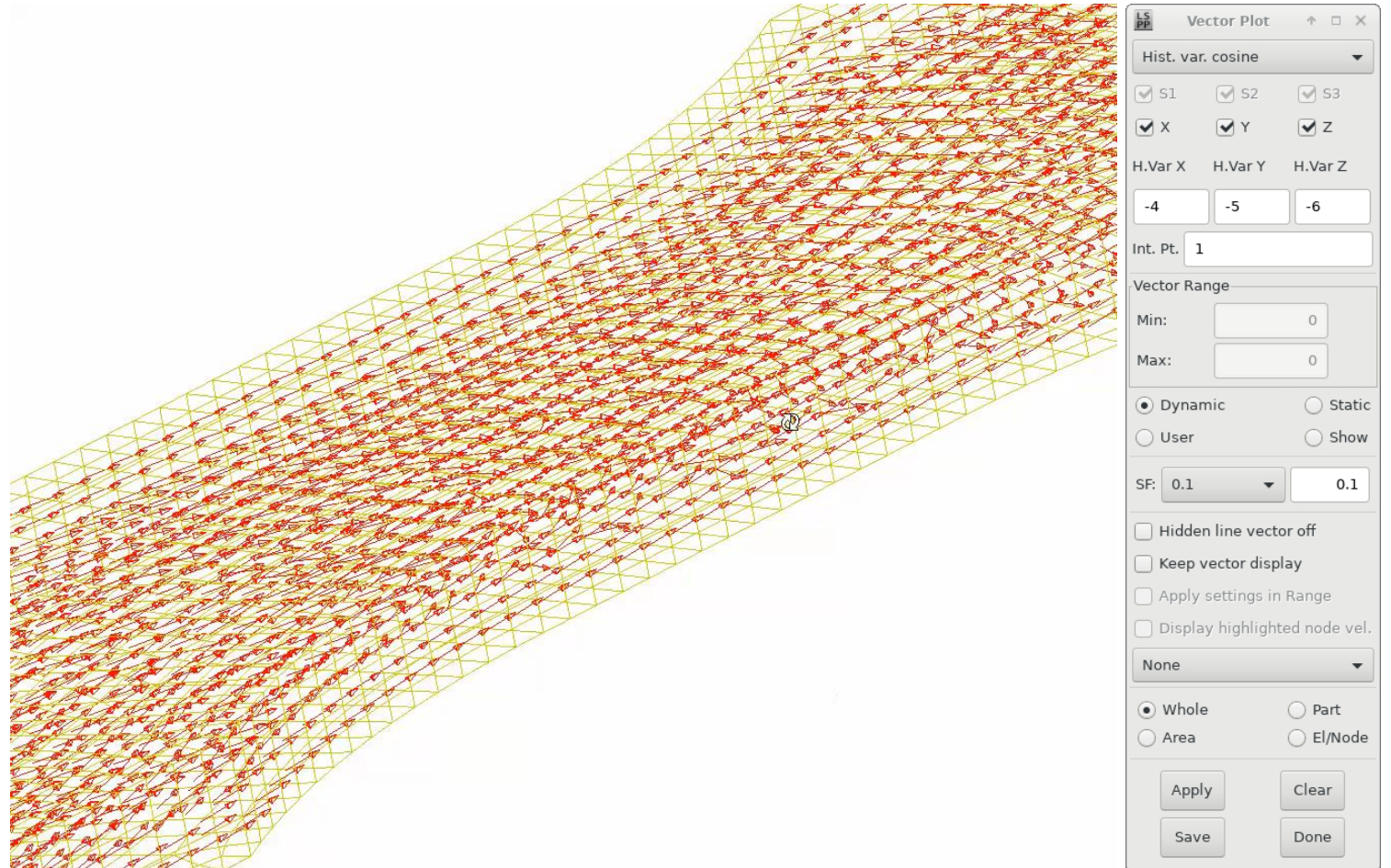
Input to Envyo:

- ...
- IHIS=3
- HomogenizationMethod=method
- ClosureApproximation=method
- E11F="Fiber Young's modulus in main direction"
- E22F="Fiber Young's modulus in thickness direction"
- RHOF="Fiber density"
- PRBAF="Fiber in-plane Poisson's ratio"
- PRCBF="Fiber out-of-plane Poisson's ratio"
- G12F="Fiber shear modulus"
- EM="Matrix Young's modulus"
- RHOM="Matrix density"
- PRM="Matrix Poisson's ratio"
- AspectRatio="Fiber aspect ratio (length/thickness)"
- FiberVolumeFraction="Fiber volume fraction in percent"
- InclusionShape="Shape of the inclusions."
 - Spheroidal
 - Spherical
 - Needle
 - Disc

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Visualizing fiber directions in LS-PrePost

1. Run an analysis (a single time step is enough).
2. Open the d3plot and navigate through "Post" to the "Vector-Plot" functionality.
3. Select "Hist. Var. cosine" - and insert -4 for H.Var X, -5 for H.Var Y and -6 for H.Var Z, that's where the first vector of the principal axis of the material coordinate system is stored in the d3plot. For shells, insert -1 for H.Var X, -2 for H.Var Y.

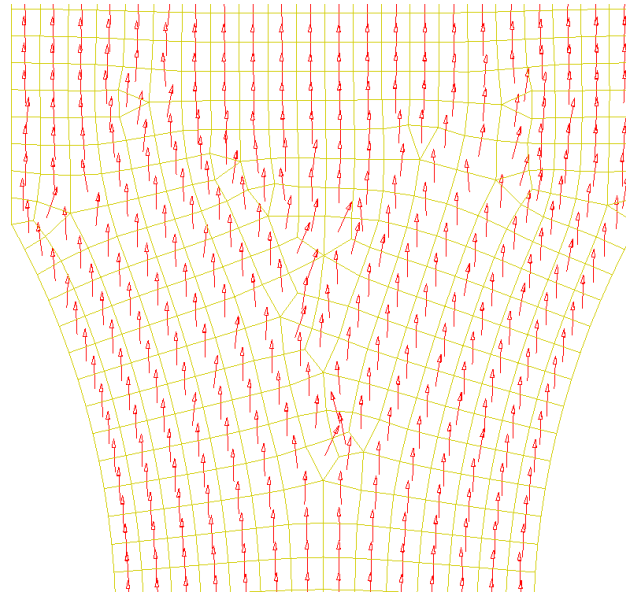


Invariant node numbering

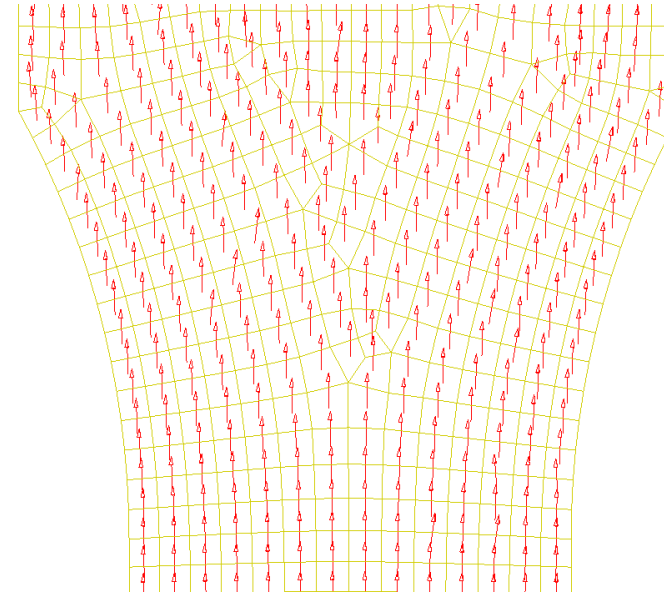
INN flag on *CONTROL_ACCURACY

- Calculation of local element coordinate system is calculated differently depending on the value of the INN flag on *CONTROL_ACCURACY.
- Example, Envoyo is set to INN=1

INN=4



INN=1



- Envoyo currently supports all positive inputs of INN.

Mapping to *MAT_215

MAT_215 = MAT_4A_MICROMEK

*MAT_ANISOTROPIC_ELASTIC_PLASTIC								
\$#	MID	MMOPT	BUPD			FAILM	FAILF	NUMINT
\$#	1							
\$#	AOPT	MACF	XP	YP	ZP	A1	A2	A3
\$#	V1	V2	V3	D1	D2	D3	BETA	
\$#	FVF		FL	FD		A11	A22	
\$#	13.3916		20.	1.				
\$#	ROF	EL	ET	GLT	PRTL	PRTT		
\$#	2.54E-9	72000.	72000.	29500.	0.22	0.22		
\$#	XT						SLIMXT	NCYRED
\$#	ROM	E	PR					
\$#	0.9E-9	1430.	0.4					
\$#	SIGYT	ETANT			EPS0	C		
\$#	LCIDT				LCDI	UPF		
\$#	123123							
*INITIAL_STRESS_SOLID								
\$#	EID/SID	NINT	NHISV	LARGE	IVEFLG	IALEGP	NTHINT	NTHHSV
\$#	1	1	16	1				
\$#	SIGXX		SIGYY		SIGZZ		SIGXY	SIGYZ
\$#	SIGZX		EPS		HISV1		HISV2	HISV3
\$#	HISV4		HISV5		HISV6		HISV7	HISV8
\$#	HISV9		HISV10		HISV11		HISV12	HISV13
\$#	a11		a22		q1/q11		q2/q12	-/q13
\$#	HISV14		HISV15		HISV16		HISV17	HISV18
\$#	-/q31		-/q32		-/q33			

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Input to Envyo:

- ...
- TargetMaterialModel=215

*MAT_215 history variables

Extravar.	DESCRIPTION
1	effs - equivalent plastic strain rate of matrix
2	eta - triaxiality of matrix ... $\eta = -\frac{p}{q}$
3	x1 - lode parameter of matrix ... $\xi = -\frac{27 \cdot I_3}{2 \cdot q^3}$
4	dM - Damage initiation d of matrix (Ductile Criteria)
5	DM - Damage evolution D of matrix
6	RFF - Fiber reserve factor
7	DF- Fiber damage variable
8	Currently unused
Extravar.	DESCRIPTION
9	A11 - fiber orientation first principal value
10	A22 - fiber orientation second principal value
11	q1/q11
12	q2/q12
13	-/q13
14	-/q31
15	-/q32
16	-/q33
17	FVF- Fiber-Volume-Fraction
18	FL- Fiber length

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Mapping to *MAT_303

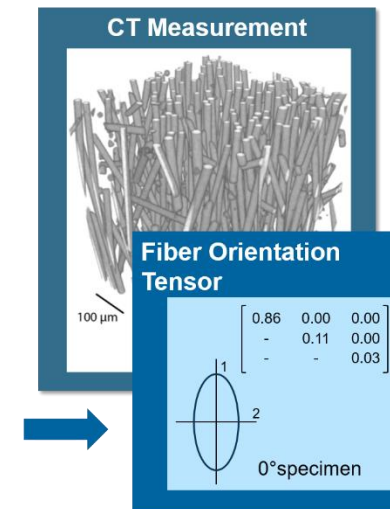
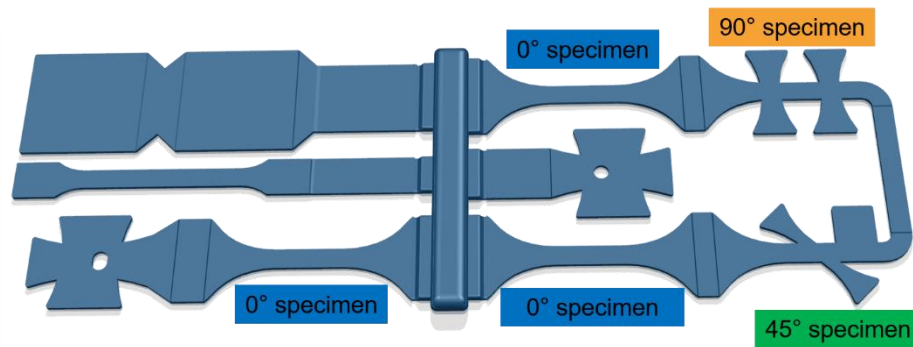
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	13.3916		2.54E-9	0.9E-9	20.	1.	
\$#	F_E	F_PR	ISO				
	72000	0.22	0				
\$#	M_E	M_PR	M_SY	M_H1	M_H2	M_H3	ITC
	1430.	0.4					0
\$#	LCIDT	LCIDC					
	123123						
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\$	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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\$#	SIGXX		SIGYY		SIGZZ		SIGXY
							SIGYZ
\$#	SIGZX		EPS		HISV1		HISV2
					Axx		Ayy
\$#	HISV4		HISV5		HISV6		HISV7
	Ayz		Axz		fvf		Axy

- Additional input lines may be given:
 - ISO: Flag for anisotropy of the fiber phase:
 - EQ.0: Isotropic fiber material property
 - EQ.1: Transversely isotropic fiber material property
 - ITC: Option for the elastoplastic material law for the matrix phase.
 - EQ.0: No tension-compression asymmetry in material properties
 - EQ.1: Use tension-compression asymmetric material properties

Material testing and calibration

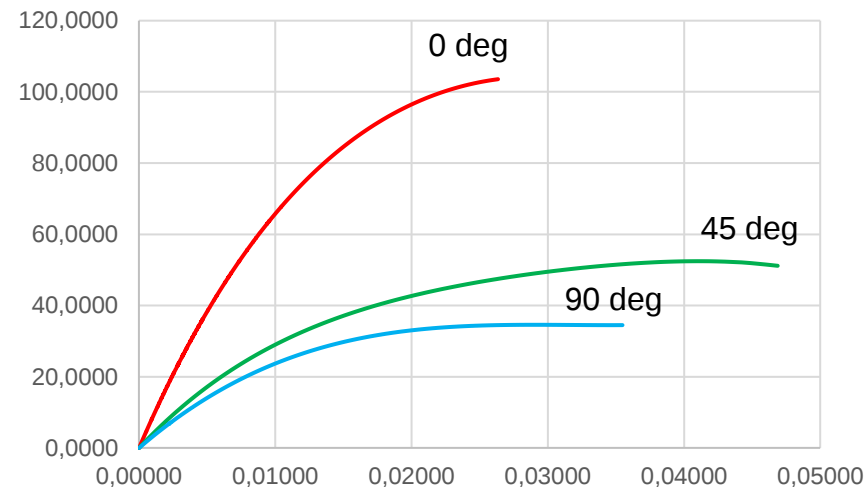
- By Borealis Polyolefine GmbH, Austria.
- “The Borealis GF-tool”
 - Specimens with high fiber alignment in 0, 45 and 90° angle relative loading direction.
- CT scanning to determine detailed orientation distribution.
- GD301FE was characterized.



Calibrations of material models

Test data GD301FE

- Quasistatic response:



- CT scans of tensile tests report an average orientation degree used in the calibrations:

- 0 deg: $a_{11}=0.86$ $a_{22}=0.105$
- 45 deg: $a_{11}=0.822$ $a_{22}=0.148$
- 90 deg: $a_{11}=0.778$ $a_{22}=0.201$

- Test data for higher strain rates data is also available, but we have not used it in this presentation.

Calibration of *MAT_215

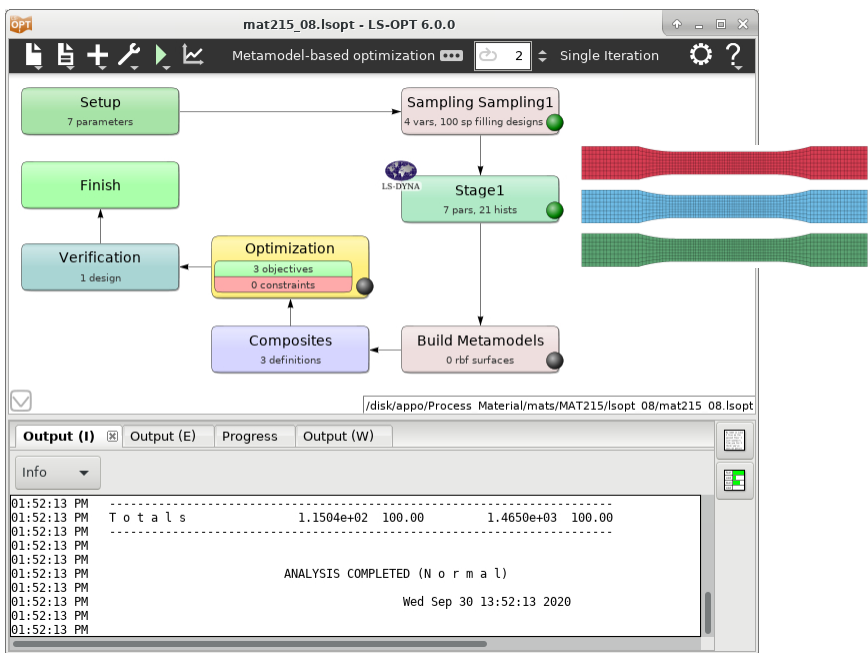
Setup

- Input fiber properties.
- Parameterize the model to optimize the matrix properties. Only the hardening curve was optimized.

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*MAT_4A_MICROMEC_TITLE
GD301FE 0 deg
$# mid mmopt bupd unused unused failm failf numint
1 1.0 0.01 0.0 0 1.0
$# aopt macf xp zp a1 a2 a3
2.0 1 0.0 0.0 1.0 0.0 0.0
$# v1 v2 v3 d1 d2 d3 beta
0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0
$# fvf unused fl fd unused a11 a22
-0.3 32.0 1.0 0.86 0.105
$# rof el et glt prt1 prt2
2.54000E-9 72000.0 72000.0 29500.0 0.22 0.22
$# xt unused unused unused unused slimxt ncyred
0.0 0.0 0.0
$# rom e pr
9.0000E-10 0.4
$# sigyt etant unused unused eps0 c
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$# lcidd lcidd upf
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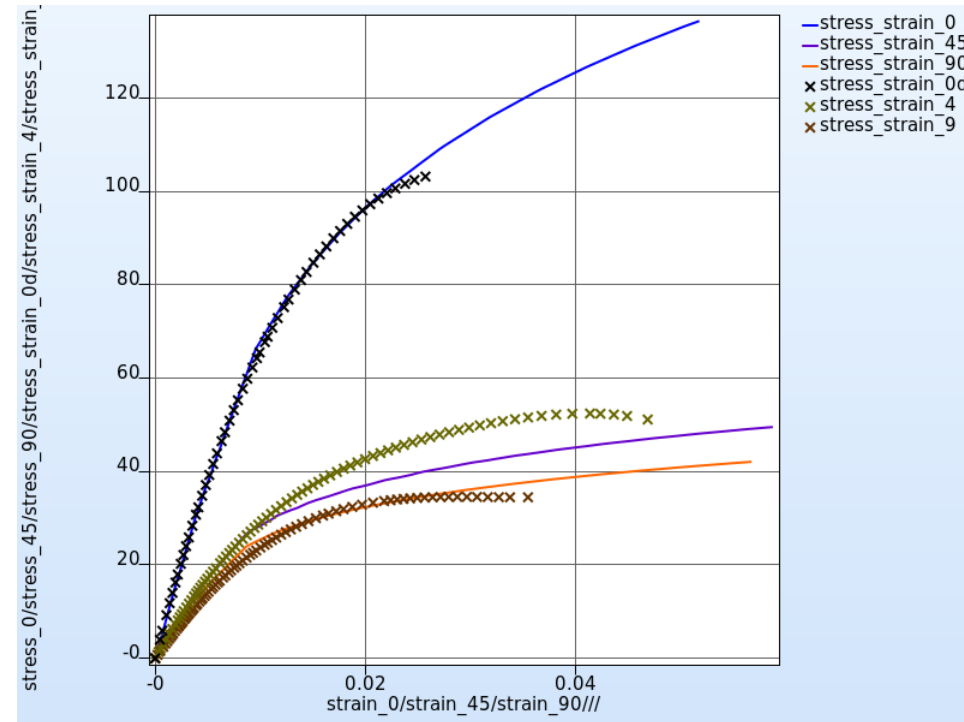
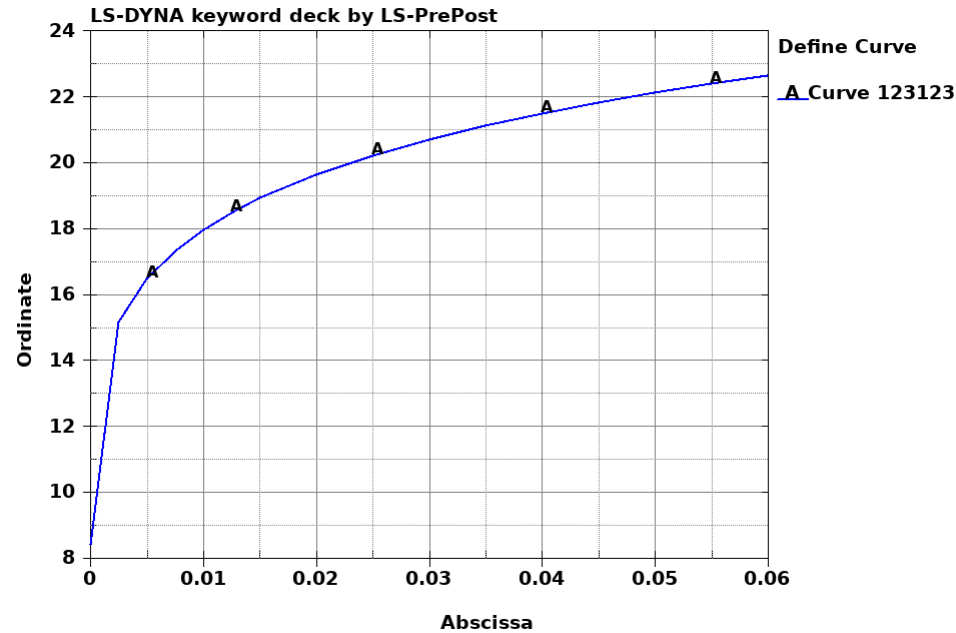
$$\sigma = A - Be^{-C\varepsilon_p^H}$$

- Simulate the three tensile specimens (with shells) and optimize using curve matching composites in LS-OPT.



Calibration of *MAT_215

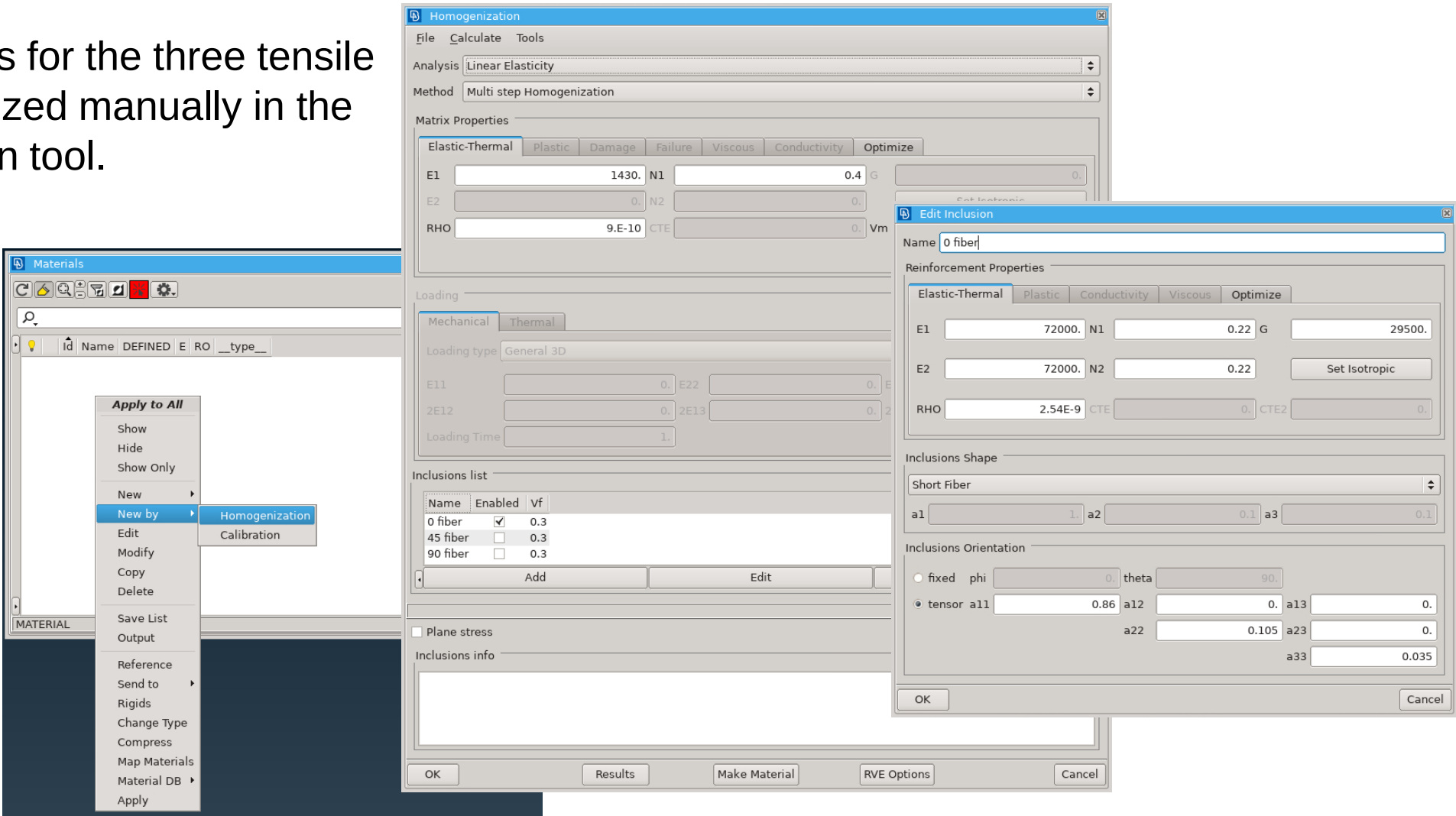
Results



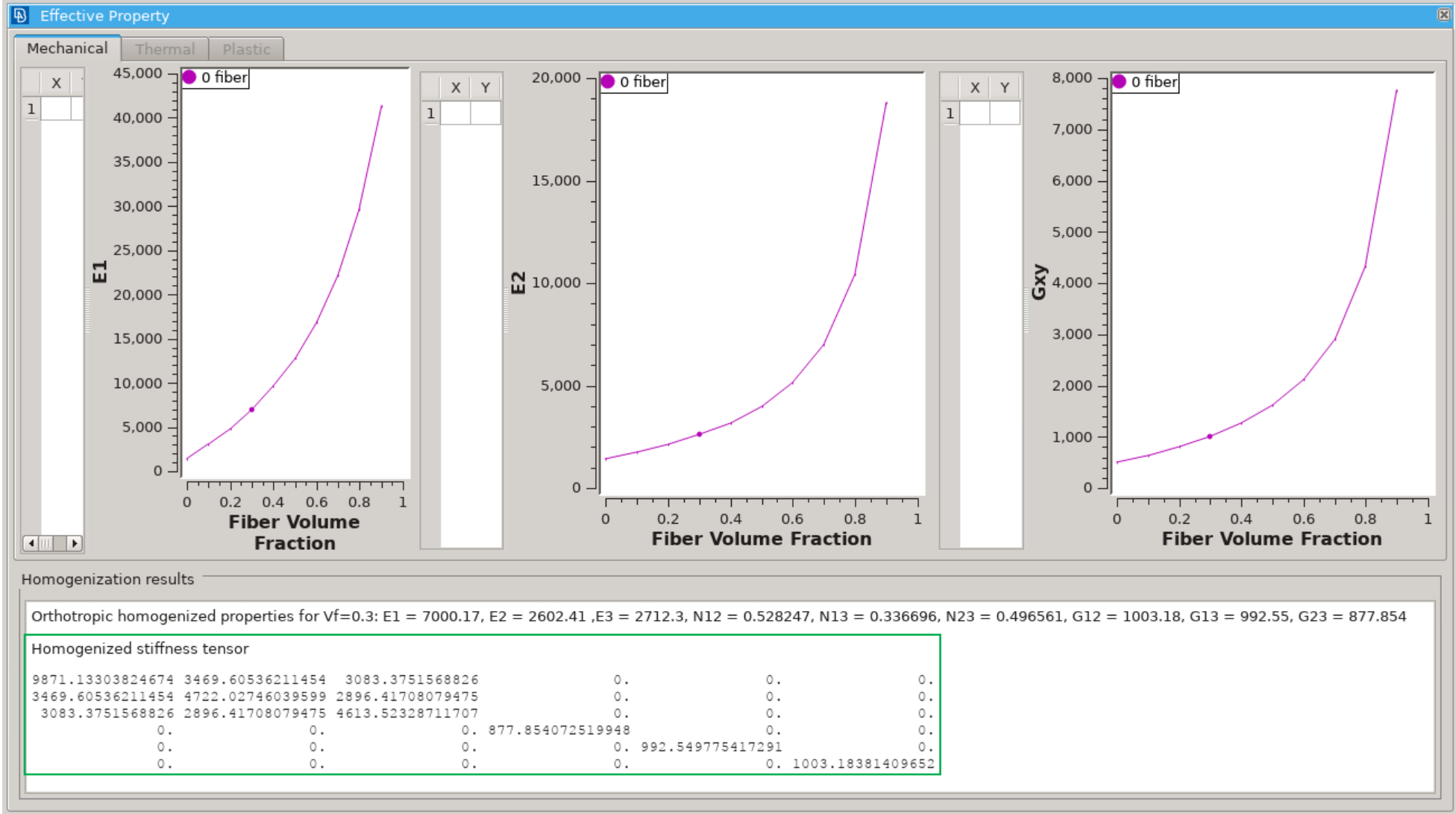
- Possible reasons for deviation:
 - Constant fiber orientation through tensile specimen assumed.
 - The assumed equation for the hardening is insufficient.
 - Limitations of shell description.

Calibration of *MAT_157

- The elastic properties for the three tensile tests were homogenized manually in the Ansa homogenization tool.



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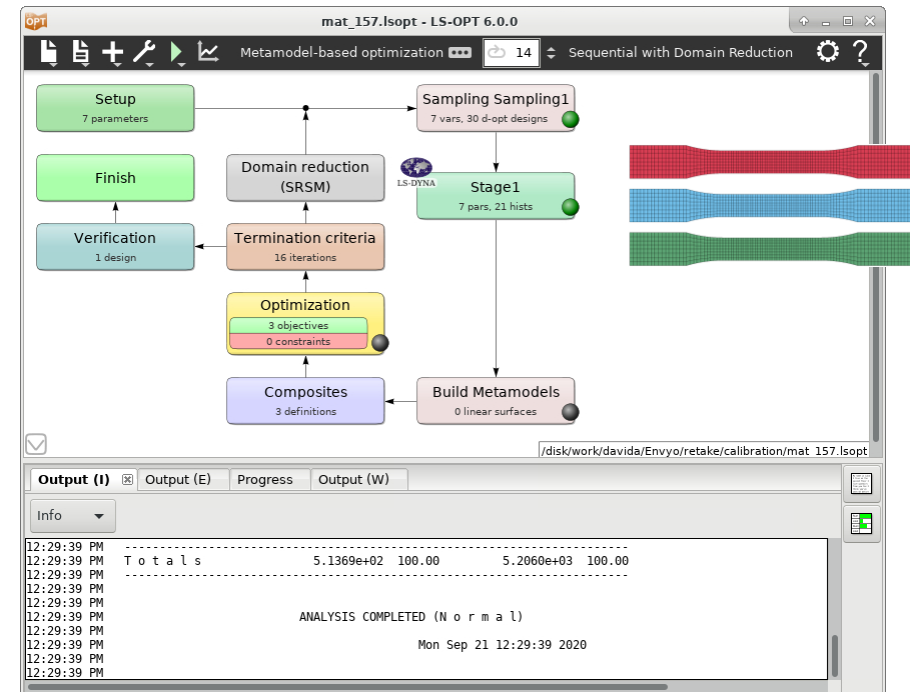
Setup

- Homogenize the elastic and mass properties of the matrix and fibers to get a composite stiffness matrix and density.
- Parameterize the model to optimize the hardening and the R-values.

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*MAT_ANISOTROPIC_ELASTIC_PLASTIC_TITLE
GD30IFE 0 deg
$# mid ro sigy lcss qr1 cr1 qr2 cr2
1 1.120E-09 20.0 123123
$# c11 c12 c13 c14 c15 c16 c22 c23
9871.133043469.605363083.37516 0. 0. 0.4722.027462896.41708
$# c24 c25 c26 c33 c34 c35 c36 c44
0. 0. 0.4613.52329 0. 0. 0.877.854073
$# c45 c46 c55 c56 c66 r00IF r45IG r90IH
0. 0.992.549775 0.1003.18381&R0 &R45 &R90
$# s11|L s22|M s33|N s12 aopt vp mact
1. 2
$# xp yp zp a1 a2 a3
1. 1.
$# v1 v2 v3 d1 d2 d3 beta ihis
0
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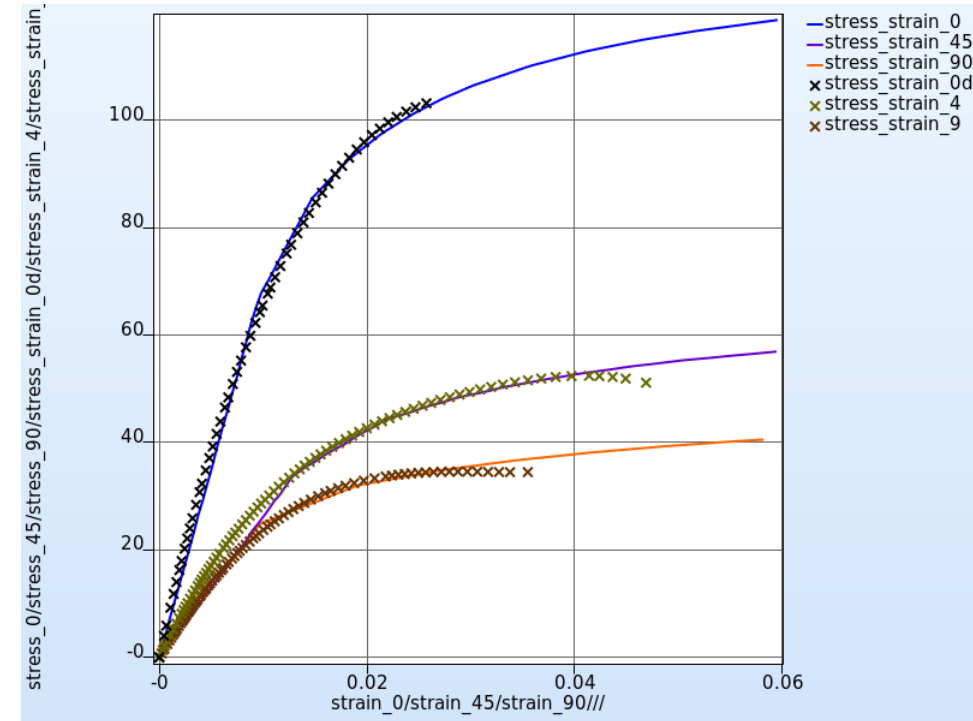
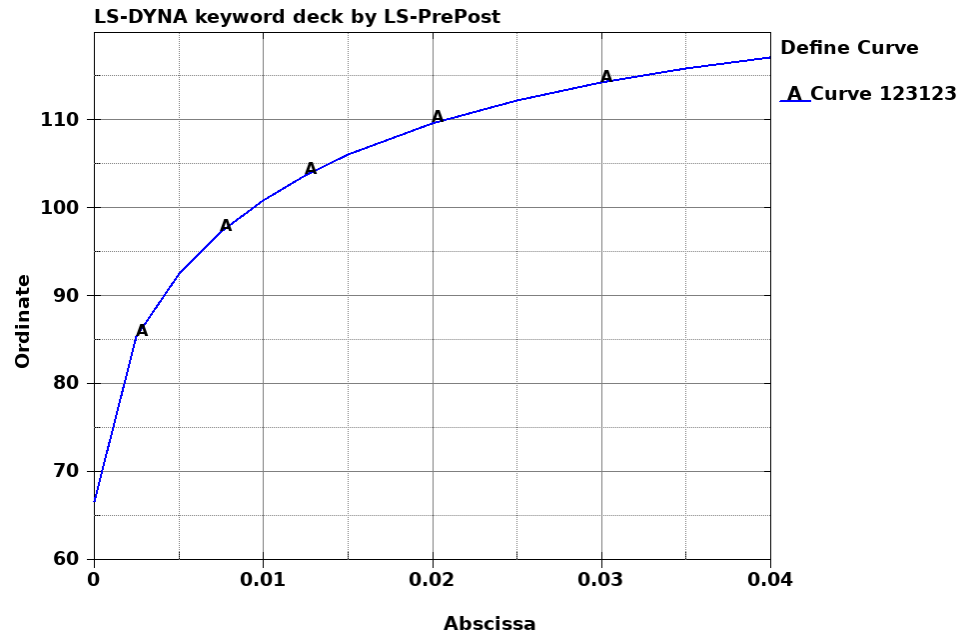
$$\sigma = A - B e^{-C \epsilon_p^H}$$

- Simulate the three tensile specimens (with shells) and optimize using curve matching composites in LS-OPT.



Calibration of *MAT_157

Results

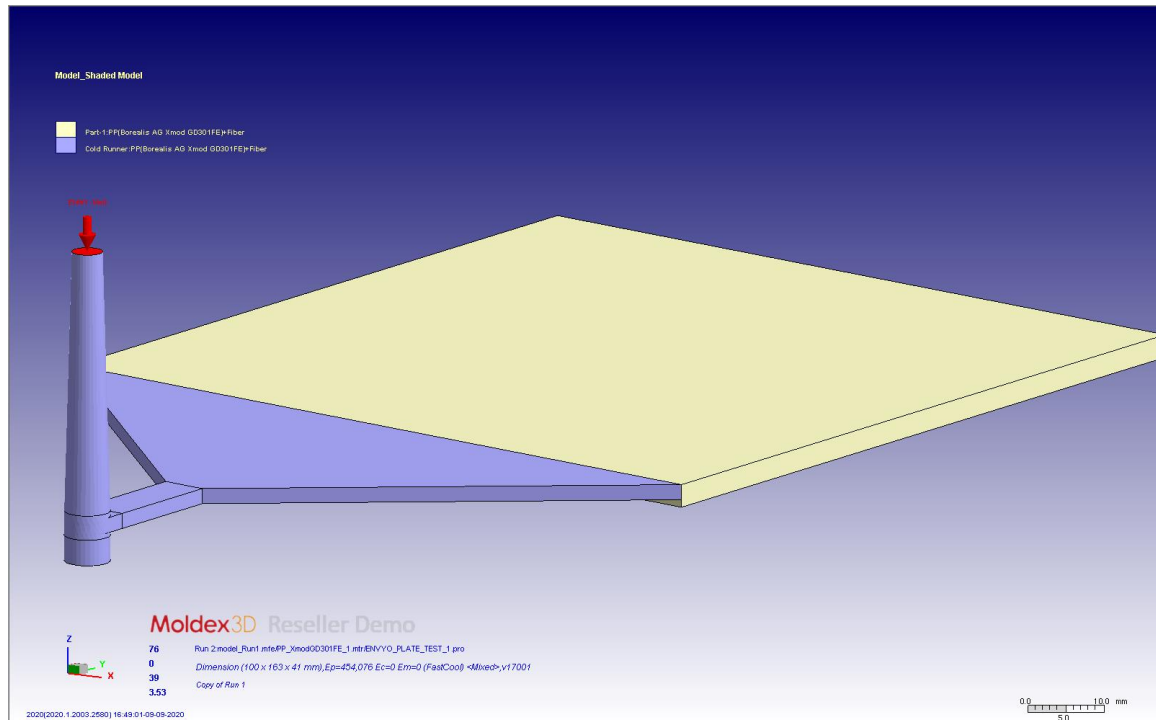


- Possible reasons for deviation:
 - Constant fiber orientation through tensile specimen assumed.
 - The assumed equation for the hardening is insufficient.
 - Limitations of shell description.

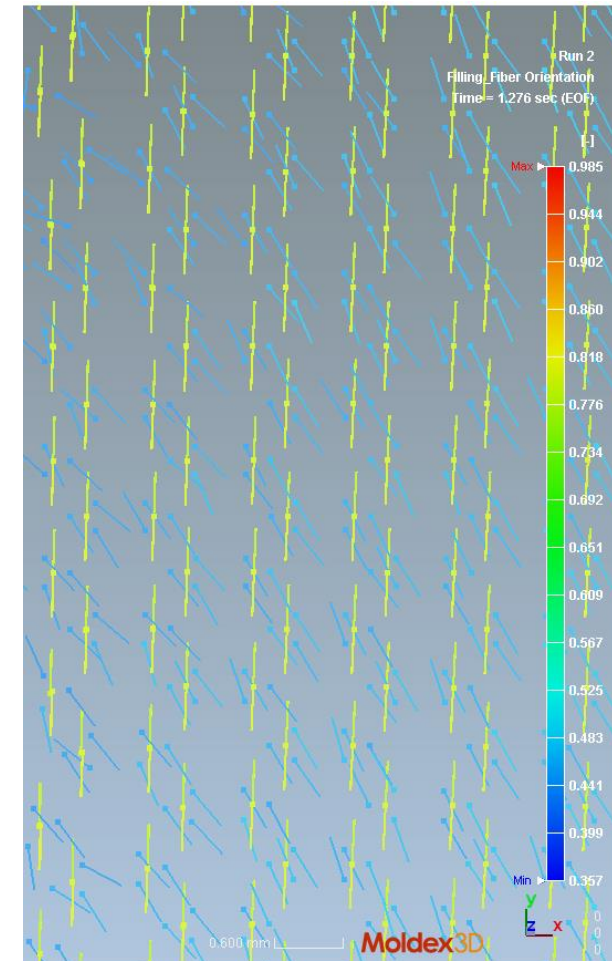
Example 1

Tensile tests from injection molded plate

- A plate is injected with material from which tensile specimen are cut out in different directions.



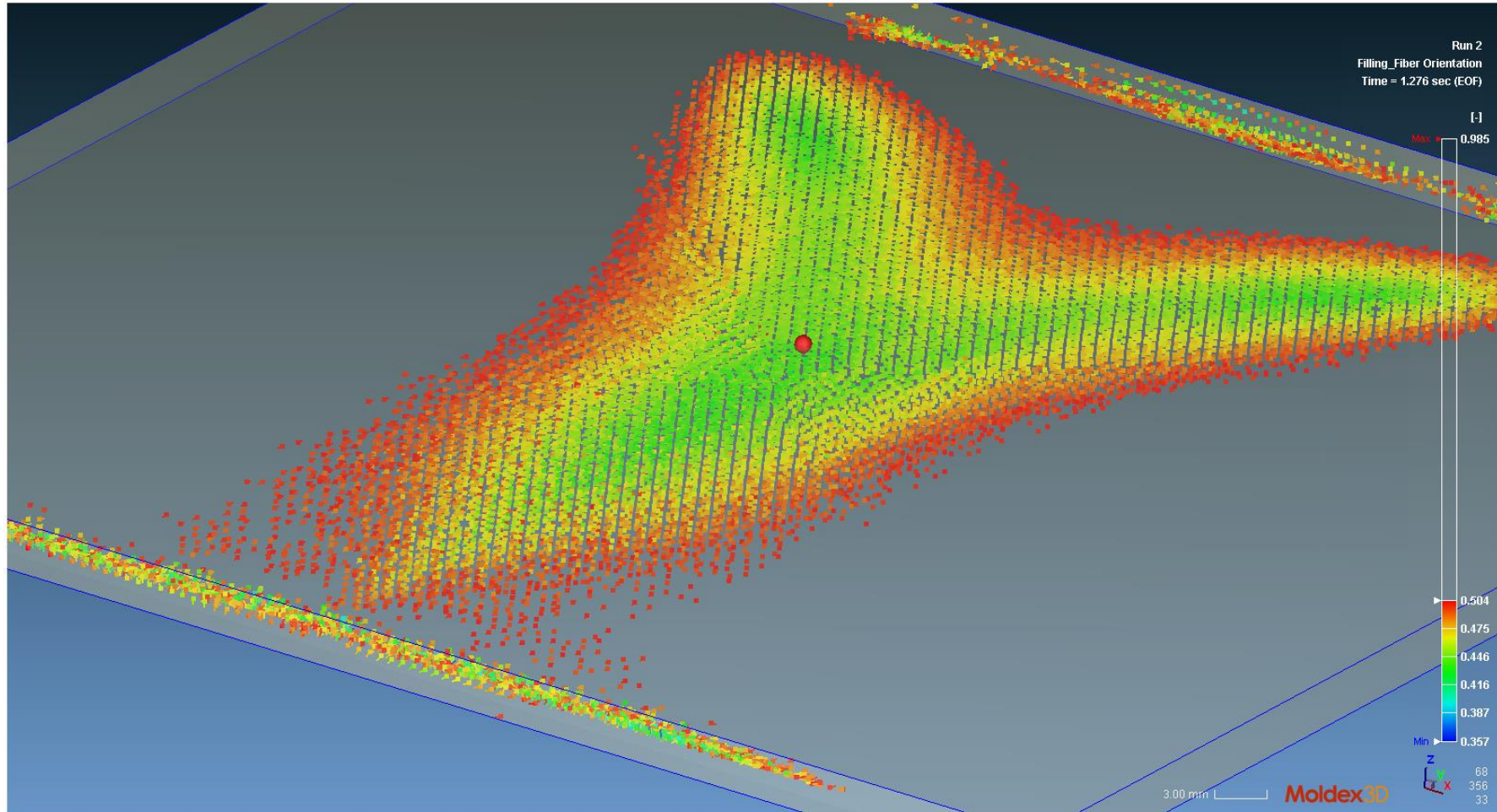
- The fibers are mostly oriented in the y direction...



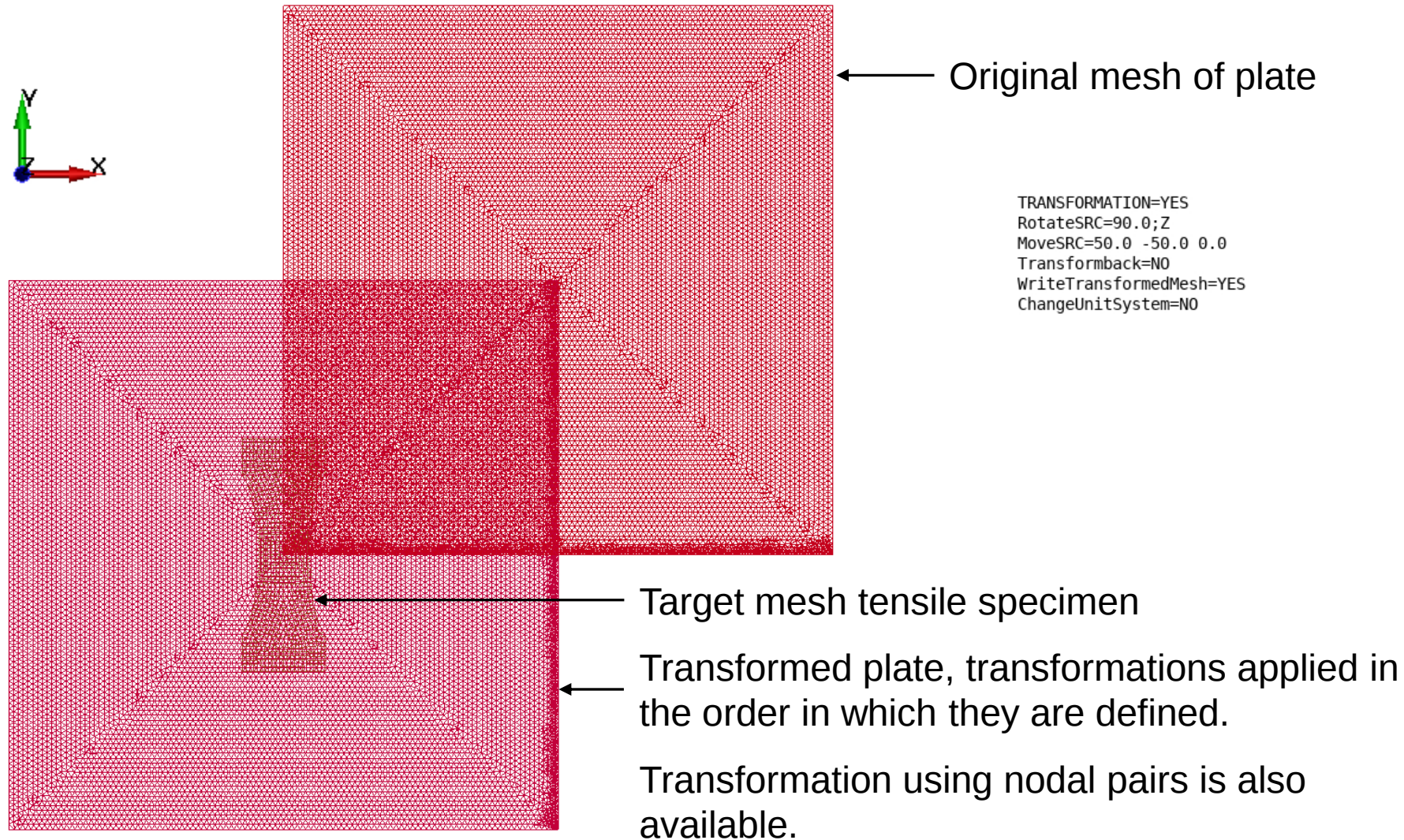
Example 1

Tensile tests from injection molded plate

... except for the mid layer which is not as oriented.

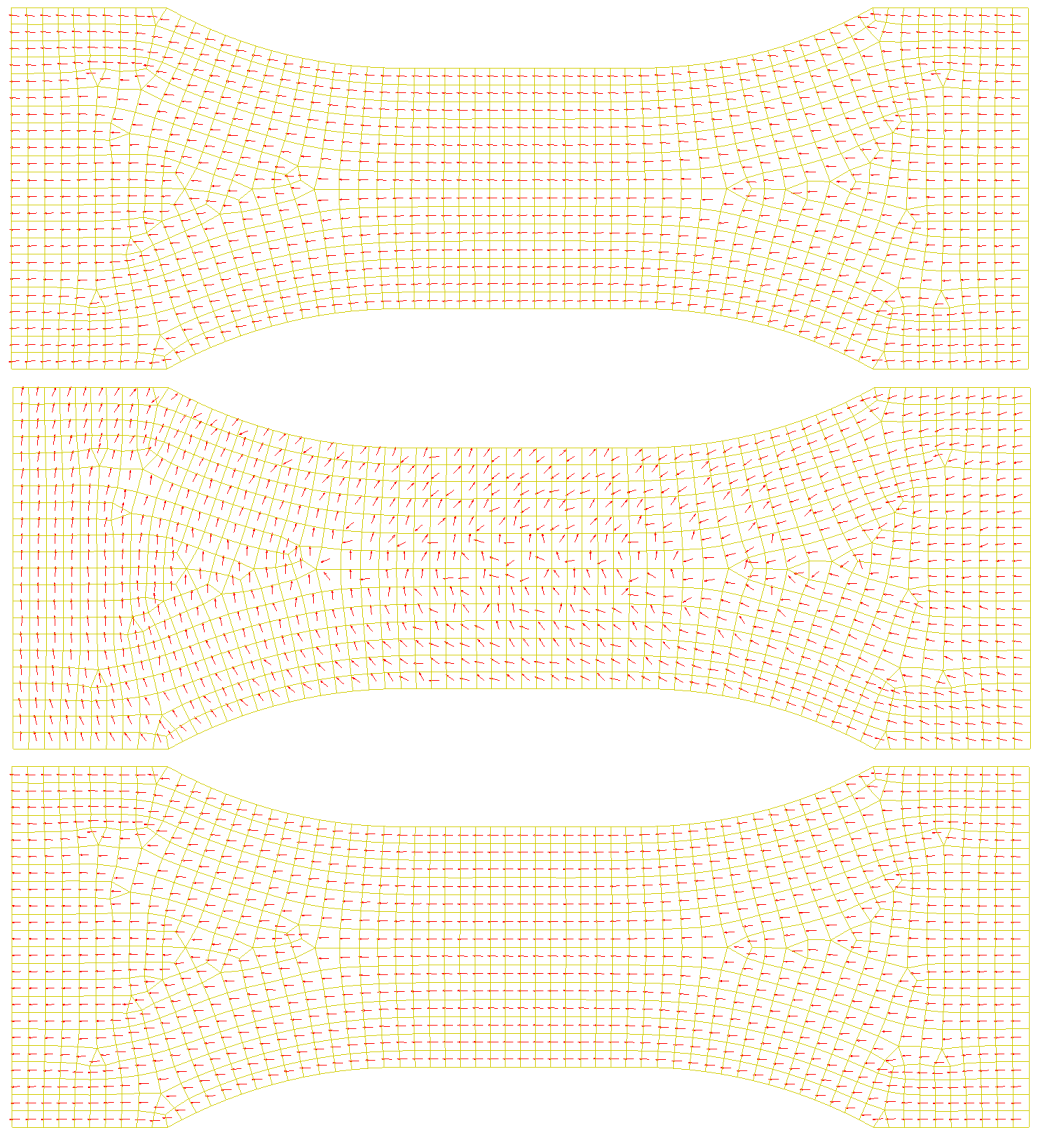
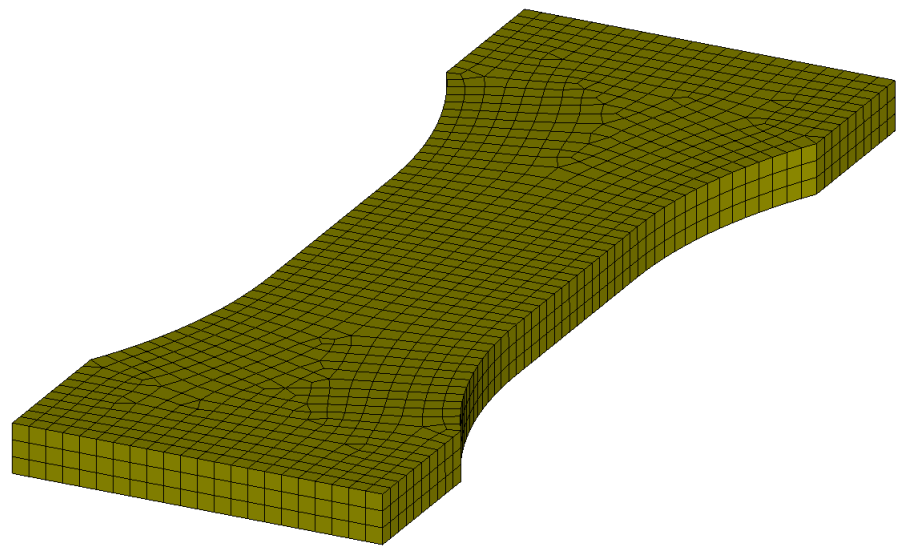


Transformations in Envyo, e.g. 90° rotation



Fiber orientation after mapping

Illustration of 0° sample



Bottom layer

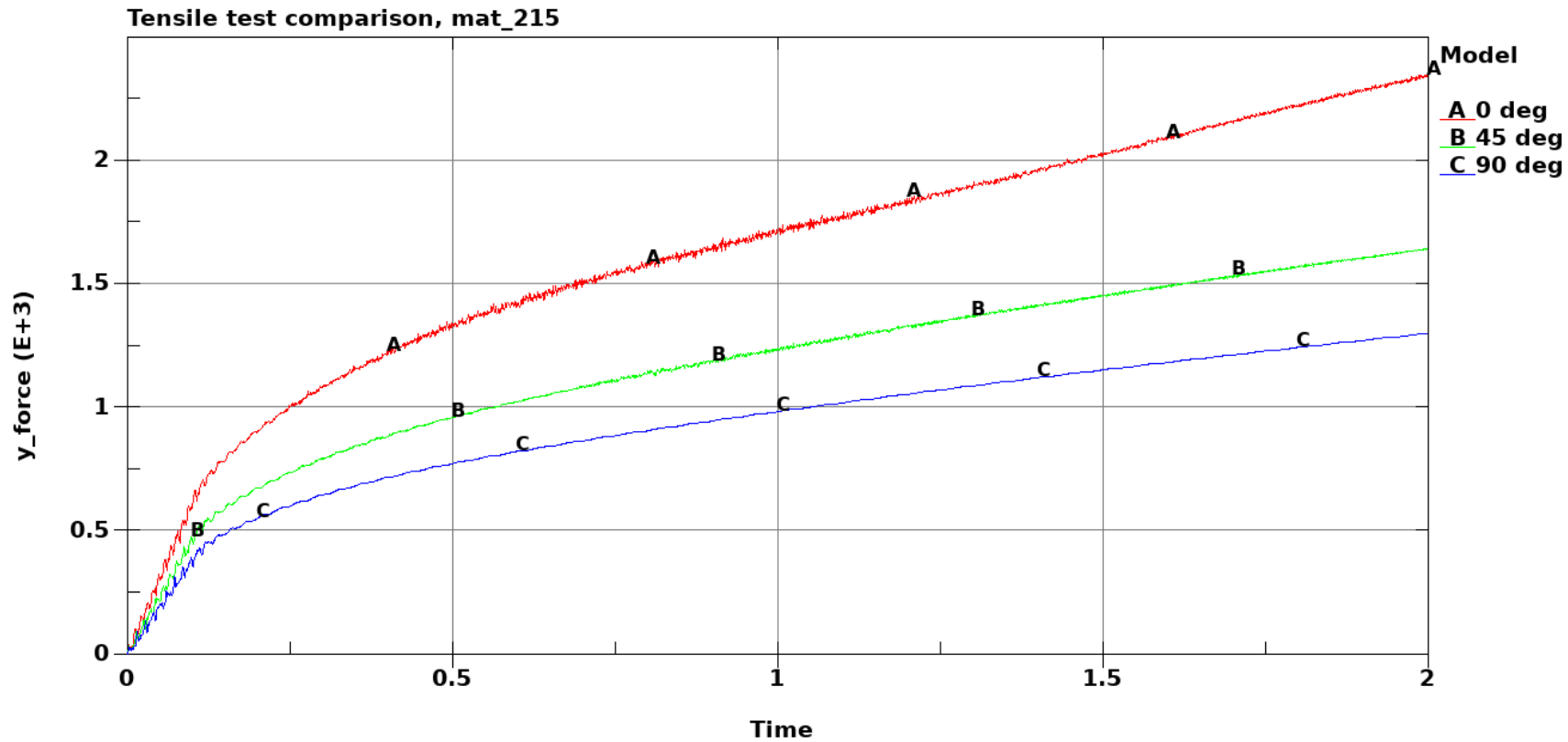
Middle layer

Top layer

Tensile simulation results

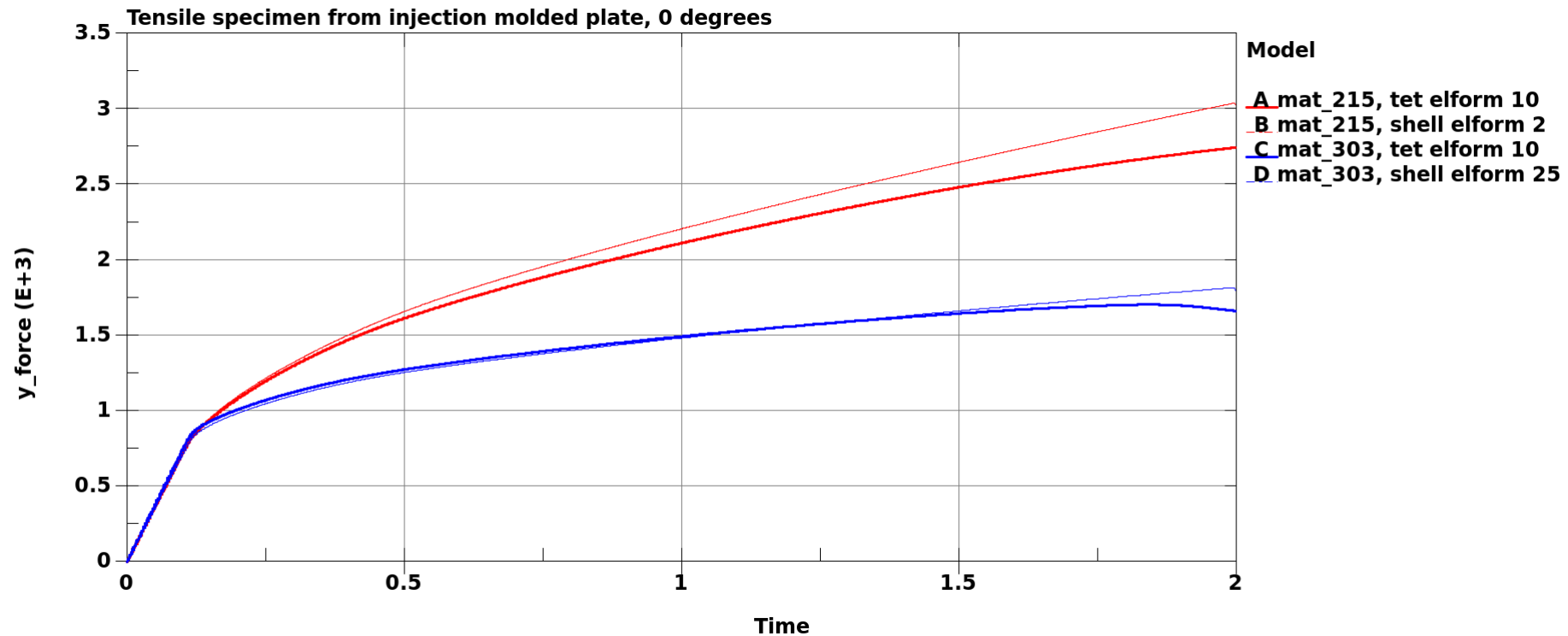
Example using the calibrated *MAT_215

- Simulations of cut out tensile specimens from the plate.



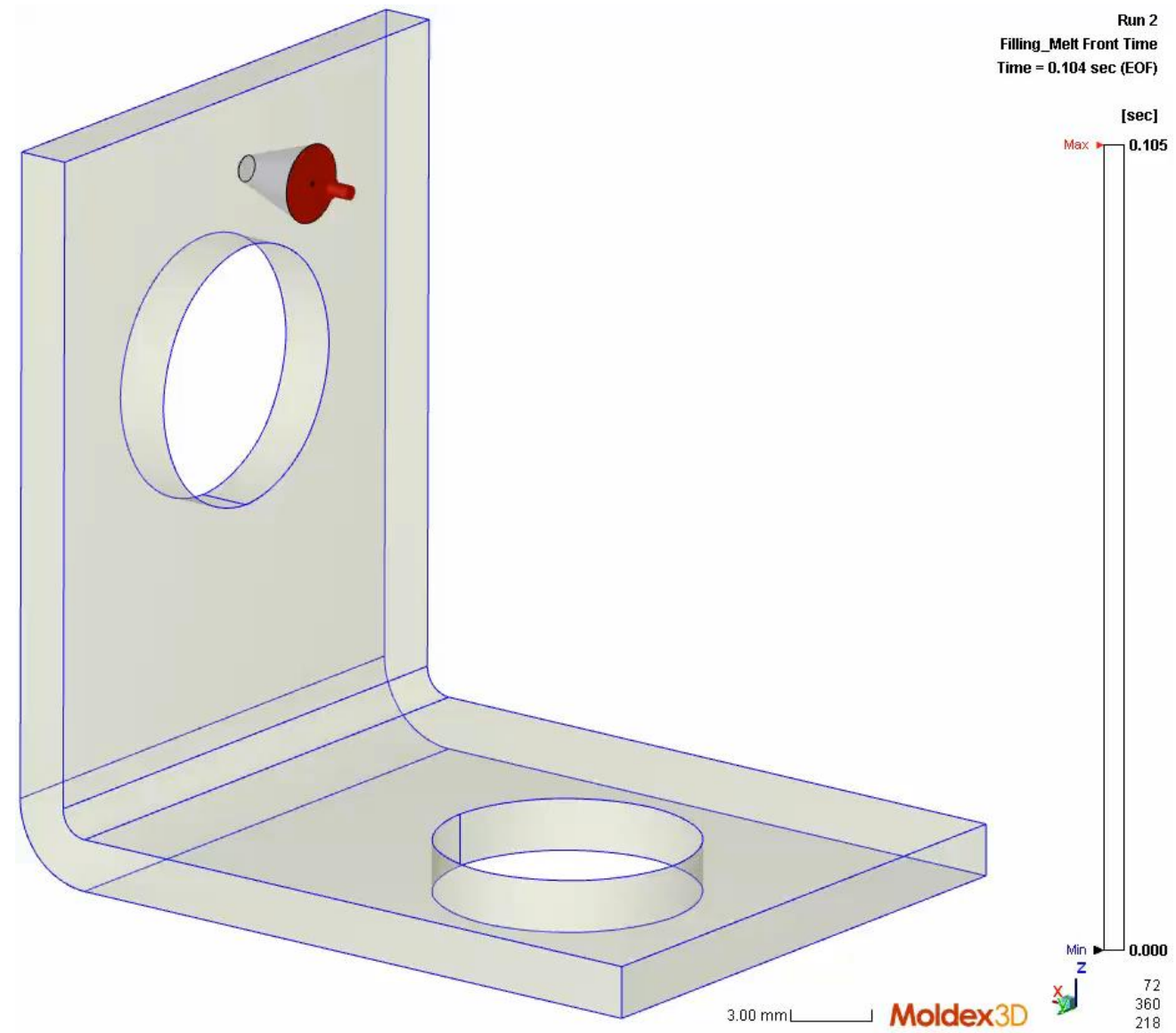
Test of *MAT_303

- The same input for mat_215 and mat_303 give different results. Calibrations of base material properties might be necessary.



Example 2

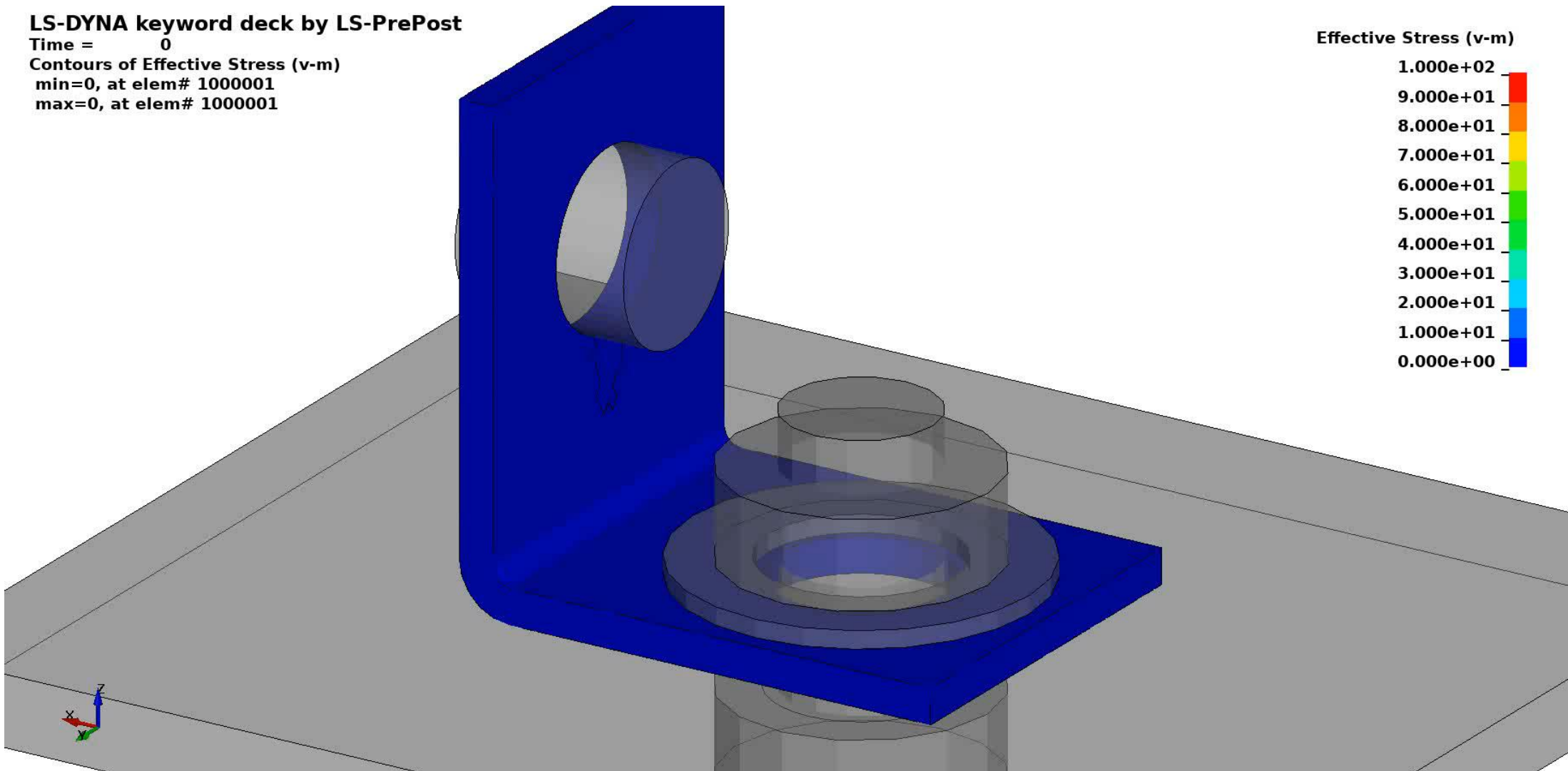
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Example 2

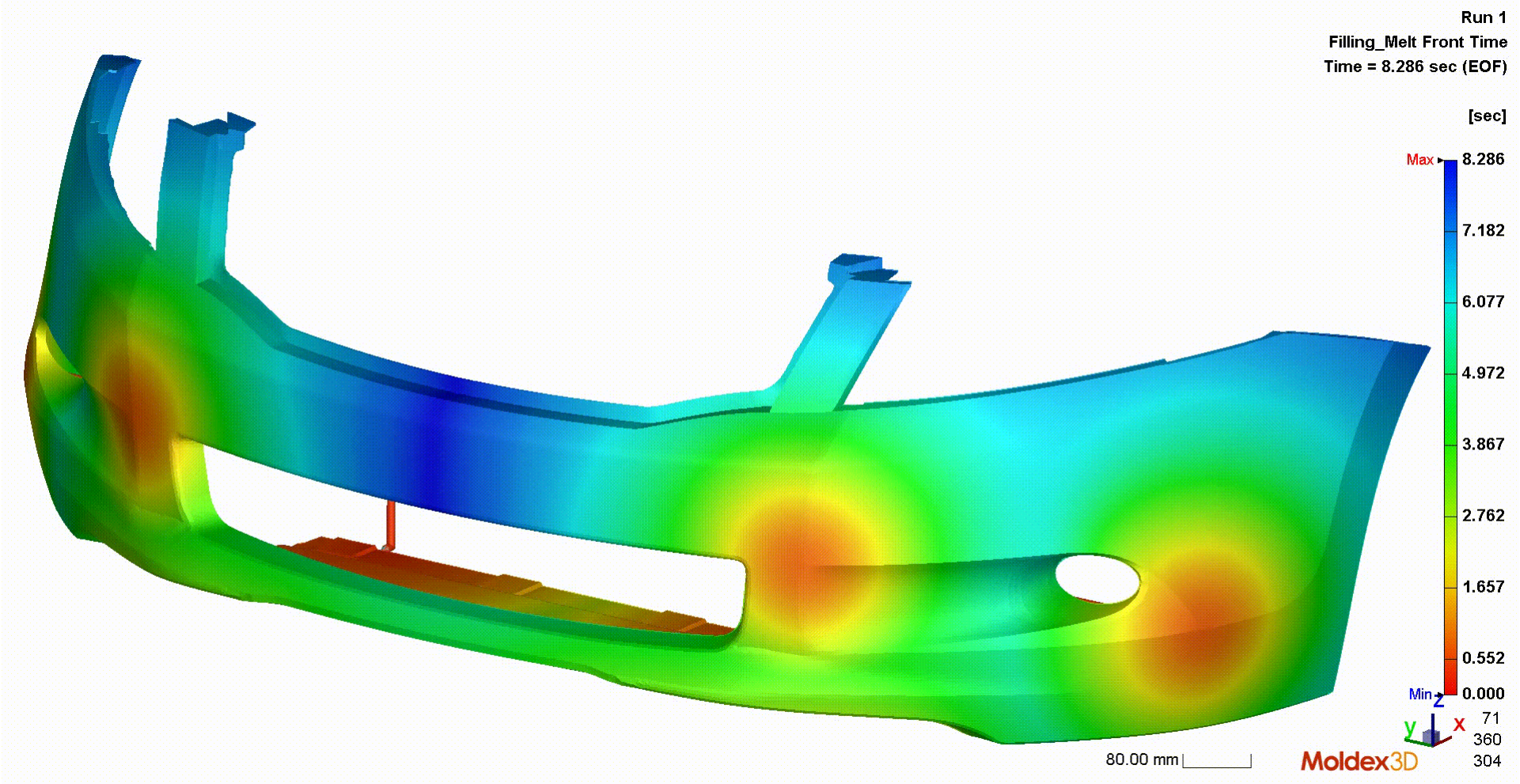
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LS-DYNA keyword deck by LS-PrePost
Time = 0
Contours of Effective Stress (v-m)
min=0, at elem# 1000001
max=0, at elem# 1000001



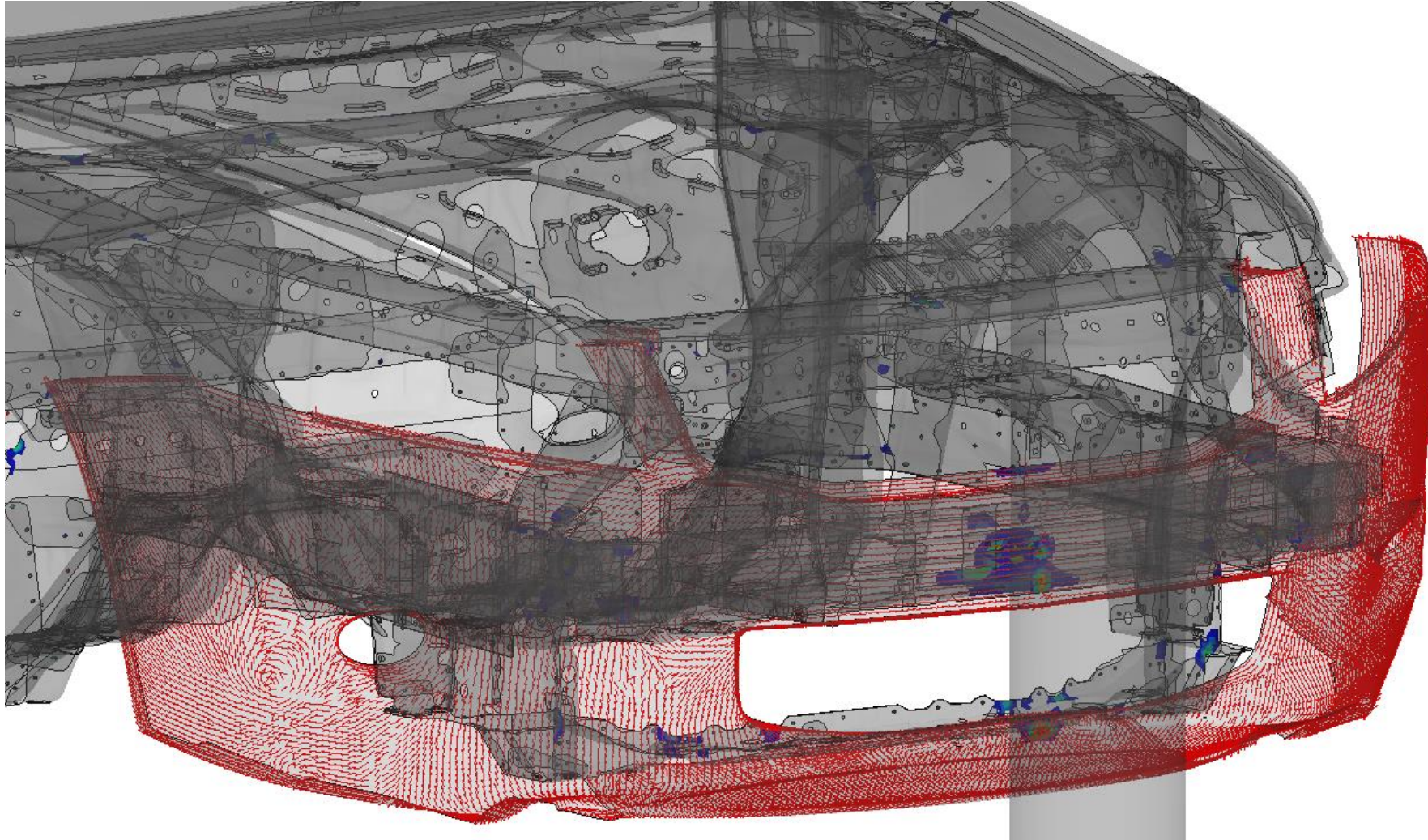
Example 3

Bumper



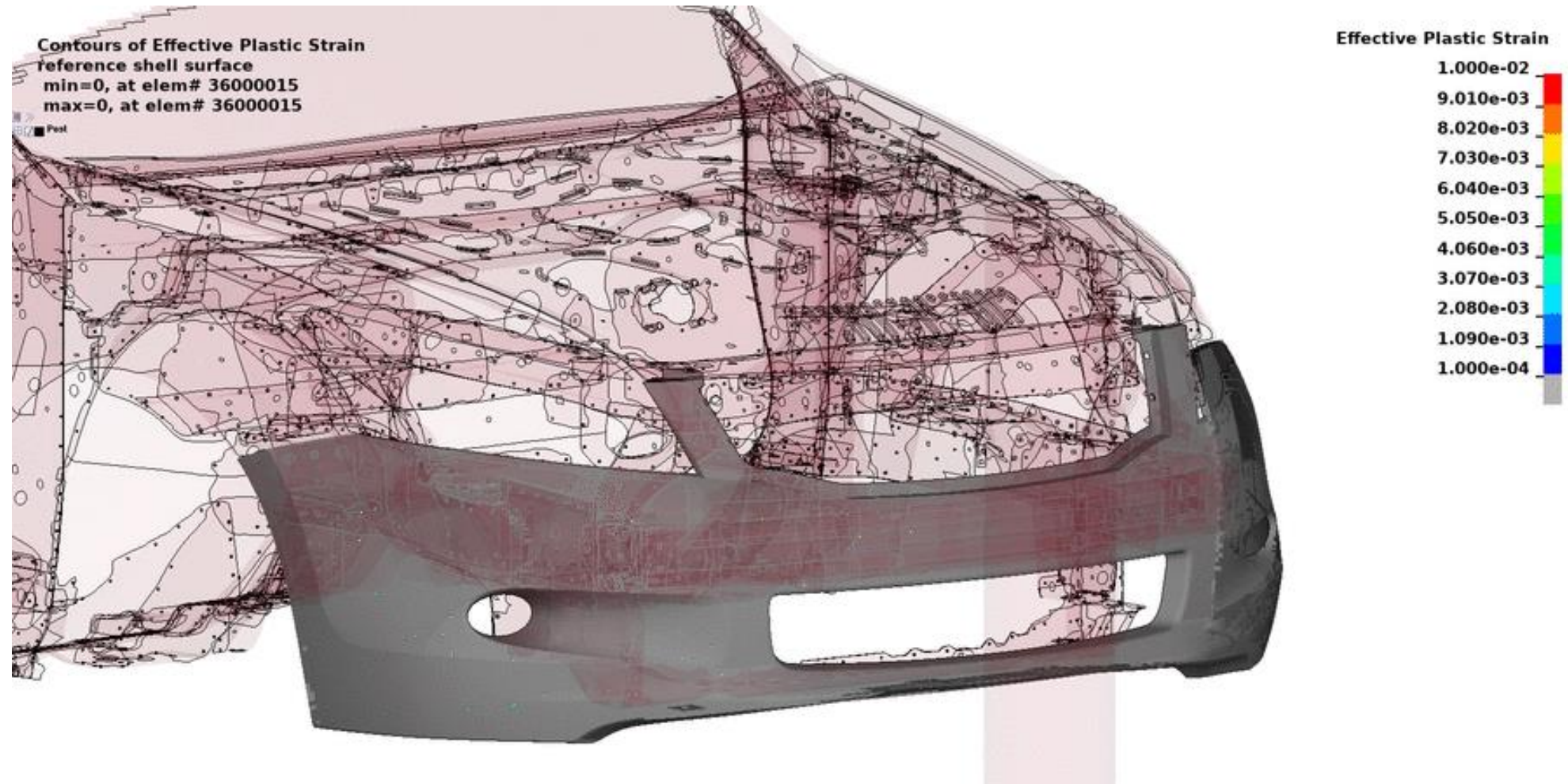
Example 3

Bumper



Example 3

Bumper

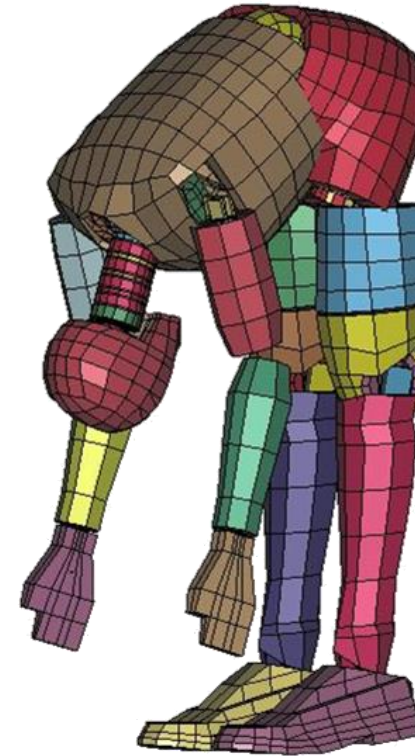


The car used in this demonstration is a modified version of the publicly available Honda Accord model, provided by NHTSA, <https://www.nhtsa.gov/crash-simulation-vehicle-models>.

- Additional experimental results are needed for calibration of
 - Strain rate dependencies
 - *MAT_157 for solid elements
 - Failure, e.g. triaxiality dependent (*MAT_ADD_DAMAGE_DIEM/GISSMO) or even anisotropic damage (*MAT_ADD_GENERALIZED_DAMAGE)
- Some suggestions for additional experiments
 - Bending tests (load concentrated on top and bottom of specimen where fibers are more oriented)
 - Puncture test (biaxial stress state for calibration of triaxiality dependent failure)
 - Samples created with intentional weld lines (calibration of reduced strength in weld lines)
- A component validation of the calibrated material is recommended
 - How much resolution is required through the thickness to incorporate effects from fiber tensor variations?

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