







a world of materials

many products



each with its own reality



properties that describe reality



web services for material data

Material Data Management in a Collaborative Product Development Environment

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Modern product development

- Highly collaborative
- Many stakeholders
 - Material suppliers
 - Part suppliers
 - Consultants
 - CAE vendors

globally located...



Collaborative Engineering

- Provides a common platform for development
 - Share all data
 - Eliminate duplication of effort
 - Eliminate inconsistent use of data
 - Permit simultaneous development



Data Sharing

Advanced for geometry/CAD sharing
Very poor for material data sharing

yet both are important...



Why?

- Material data is very diverse
- It is not absolute
- Very complex to store



- Incompatible with CAD data structures
- Data does not fit into PDM environment



Current dilemma

- Imagine wading through enormous swamps looking for the right data
 - Handbooks
 - Internet
 - Databases
 - File cabinets
 - Colleagues and co-workers





Inconsistent use of data



the six sigma killer...



Further complications

- We need to store a multitude of varied properties
- Which depend on the end use application
- For diverse applications
- For diverse material types
- Useable in a variety of CAE solutions

a major mess...



Problem

Poor properties can be fatal

- Property no longer represents the behavior being simulated
- Can be a root cause of error in CAE
- Presents a serious credibility problem for analyst, CAE tool, and VPD





Goal of MDM

- Material data specific data structures
 - Store diverse data, simple or complex
 - Handle all types of data used in product development
- Within a PDM type framework
 - Share data selectively, securely
 - Extensible to entire product life cycle



Introducing Matereality



Handles data diversity



StaMax40YM240 > Tensile Properties Effect of test temperature

True Tensile Stress-Strain Curves





Stores pertinent data



Records traceability





Material names are trademark of Dow Chemical

Displays variability



43.79 MPa	Average
41.07 MPa	3
46.04 MPa	2

Offset Yield Strain in Tension

2.12 MPa	1
2.24 MPa	2

×1Ở 1.0Legend 0.9 1 2 0.8 3 MPa 0.7 Engineering Stress 0.6 0.5 0.4 0.3 0.2 0.1 0.0 0.0 20.0 40.0 60.0 80.0 100.0 120.0140.0 Refresh Engineering Strain % x-log v-log Parsed 3 point sets

Engineering Tensile Stress-Strain Curves



Example

Application to VPD and beyond

Part designer's matereality

- •Stress-strain data
- •Impact data
- •Refractive index

Moldflow analyst's matereality

- Viscosity
- •Thermal conductivity
- •Melt density
- •Specific heat
- No-flow temperature

Molder's matereality

- Melt flow rate
- Izod strength



Material: polycarbonate





Matereality is collaborative, suppliers me co-workers contractors matereality



flexible,

Highly efficient data pipelines













creates secure, flexible networks

Matereality applied consistently





Cost savings

- Only the properties needed are measured
- Once measured, properties are shared by all stakeholders
- Reduced risk- no searching in dubious places for data



Conclusions

- Authoritative source of material data for the enterprise
- Handles any kind of material data
- Selectively shareable by stakeholders
- Achieves cost benefits
- Reduces time to market
- Reduces risk
- Extensible to entire product life cycle

