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modeFRONTIER在汽车安全 及设计优化中的应用



modeFRONTIER in Automotive Safety: Stochastic Model Extrapolation and Robustness Design



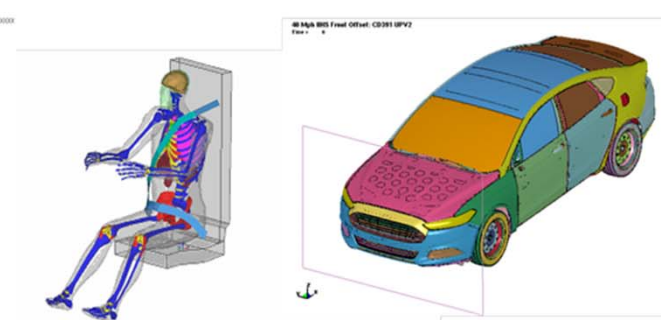
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Research Interests

- ▶ 模型验证与校核理论及方法 Model Validation & Verification
- ▶ 稳健设计与基于可靠性设计方法 Robust/Reliability Based Design
- ▶ 多学科优化设计理论与方法 Multidisciplinary Design Optimization
- ▶ 车辆安全耐撞性优化设计 Vehicle Safety Crashworthiness Optimization
- ▶ 动态系统统计数据分析 Statistical analysis techniques on dynamic time histories

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公路交通安全：世界和中国



每年全世界

- ④ 120万人：死于车祸
- ④ 2500万人：受伤或致残
- ④ 23%：车祸占全球伤害总死亡比例
- ④ 5000亿美元：车祸相关经济损失

④ WHO Report 2004

2012年中国

- ④ 20.4万：交通事故
- ④ 6.0万人：死于车祸
- ④ 25.4万人：受伤或致残
- ④ 9.3亿元：车祸直接经济损失

④ 中国交通技术网

汽车安全研究综述



阶段1:
正常驾驶

阶段2:
危险驾驶

阶段3:
事故不可避免

阶段4:
事故发生

阶段5:
事故后

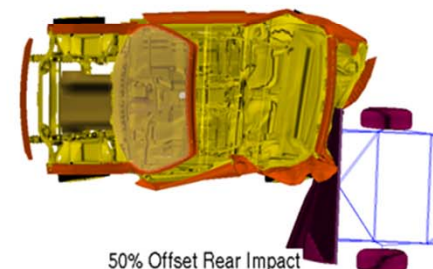
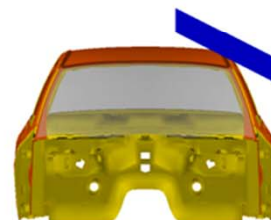
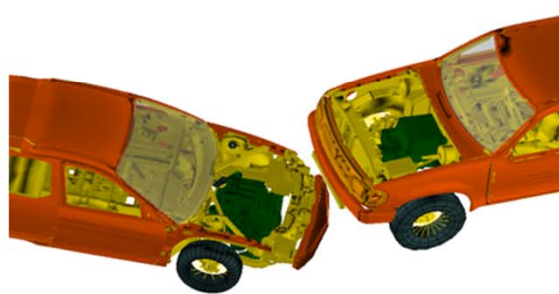
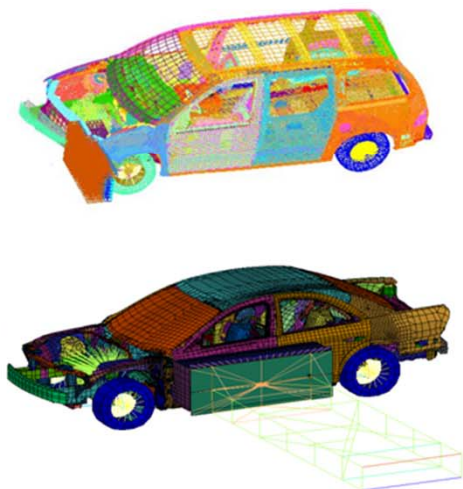
主动安全
Active Safety

被动安全
Passive Safety

第三期
Tertiary

碰撞Impact

(P, Prasad, 2007)



被动安全研究



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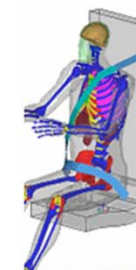
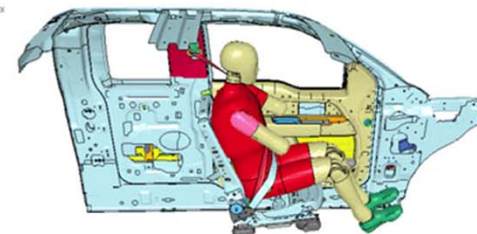
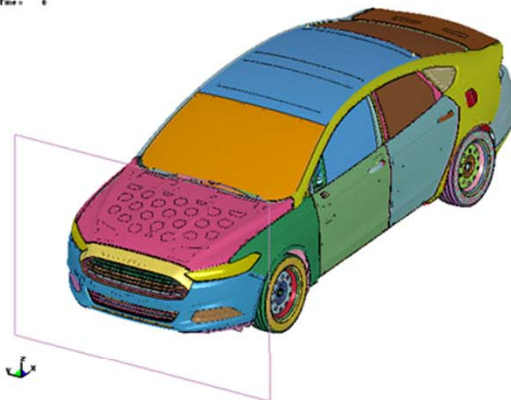


Global Safety Regulations

Public Domain

Real World Considerations

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Optimization & Robustness Designs

Greater Products, Stronger Business, A better World !

(J Cheng, 2012)



Research & Advanced Engineering

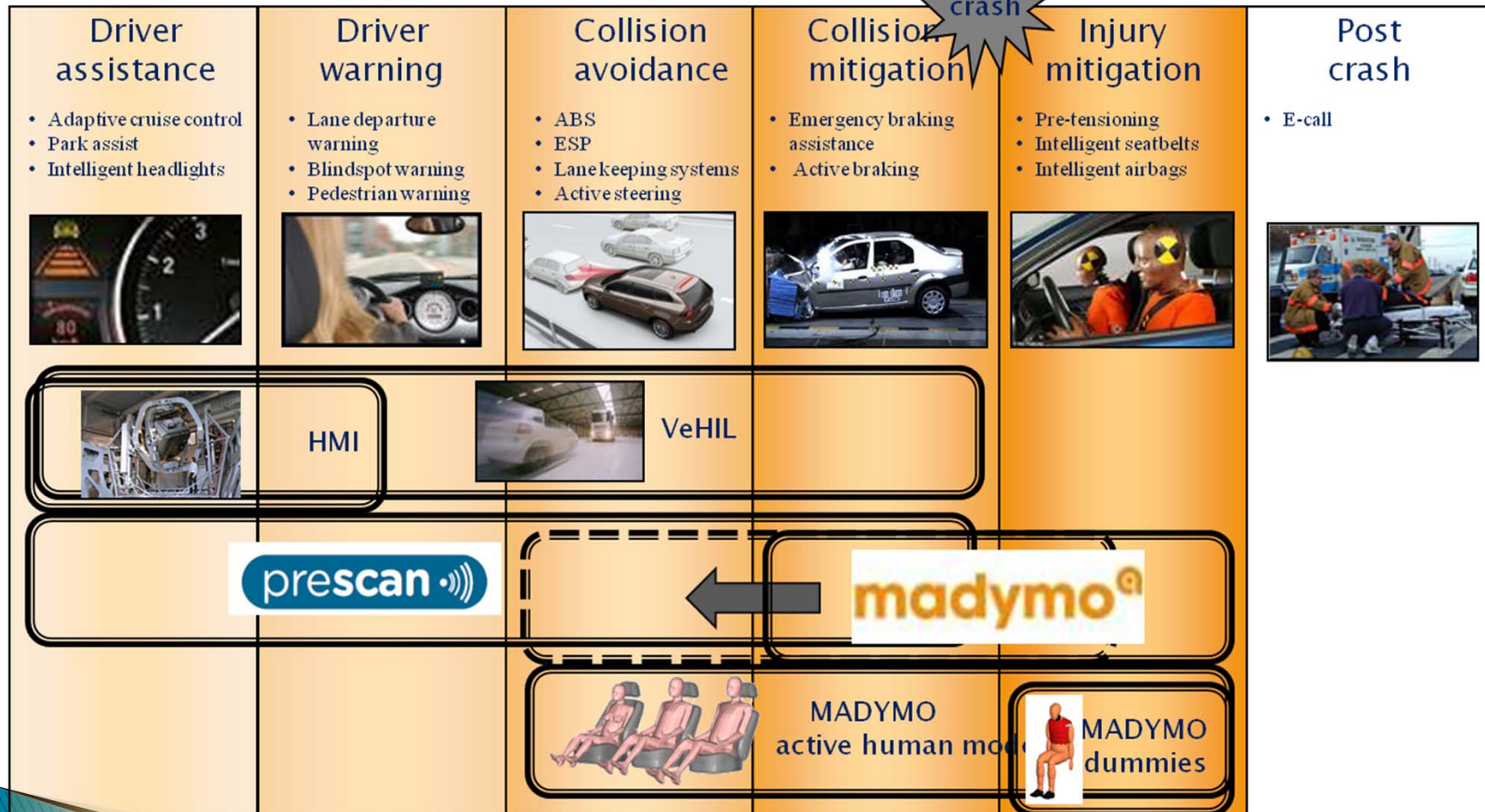
Safety Optimization And Robustness

趋势：集成安全

Active safety

PreCrash

Passive safety



(Courtesy of TASS, 2012)

物理试验 vs. 仿真模型

物理试验



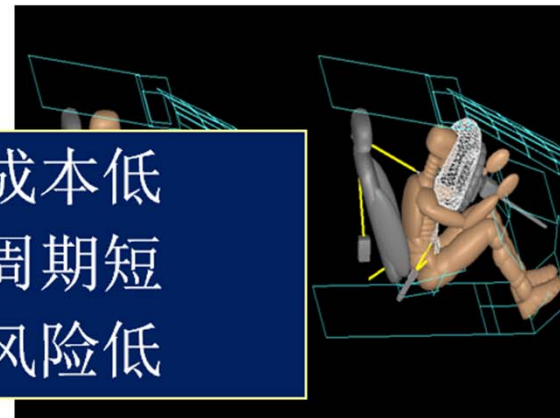
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周期**长**
风险**高**



仿真模型



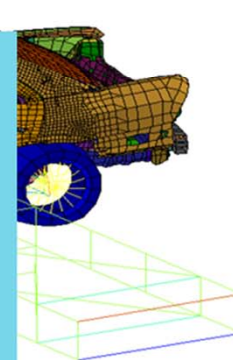
成本**低**
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风险**低**



数字化虚拟样车开发:

- 70%: 缩短的研发时间 (从50个月到15个月)
- 40台: 每年可以减少用于各种碰撞试验的物理样车
- 50%: 每年每条生产线节约的花费
- 500万美元: 每年每条生产线节约的花费

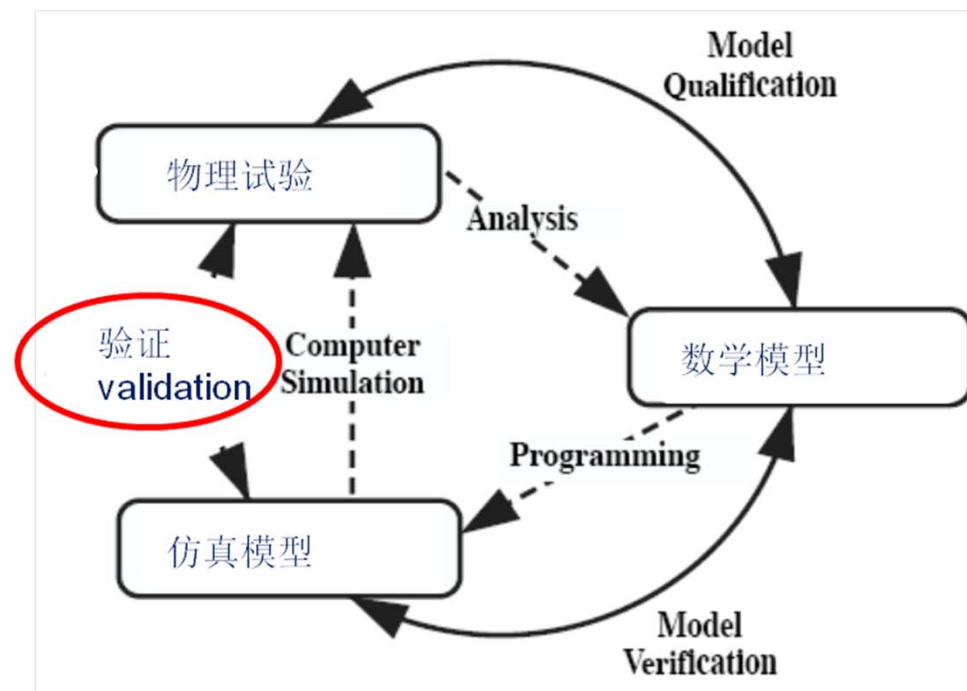
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模型验证 Model Validation



福特Explorer 2003 整车正碰试验

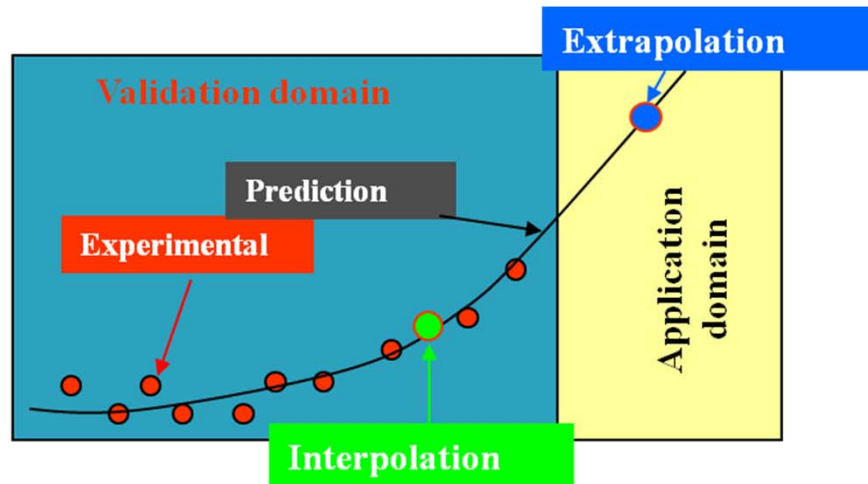


模型验证 Model Validation

确定计算机仿真模型在拟定用途上与其模拟的物理事实吻合程度的过程。

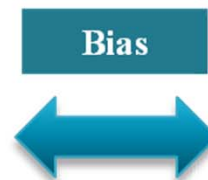
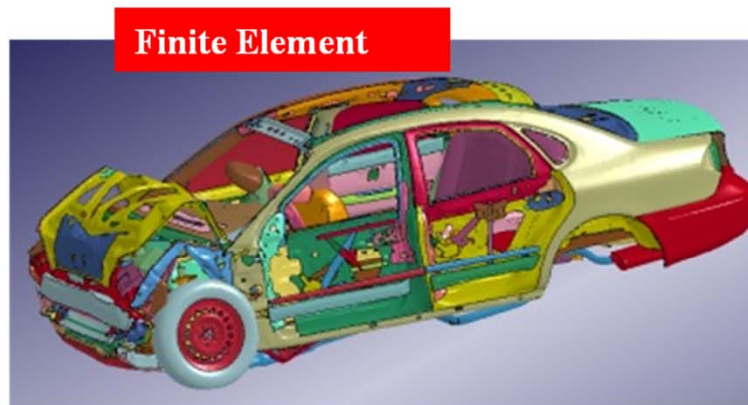
模型内插与外推

Model Interpolation and Extrapolation

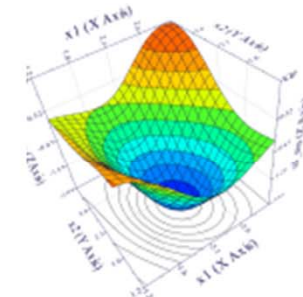
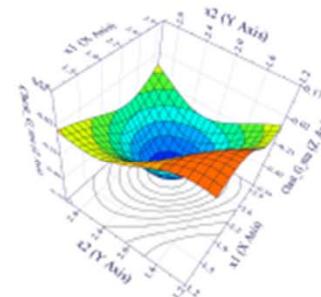


Model Interpolation is a method of evaluating new data points within the range of a discrete set of known data points.

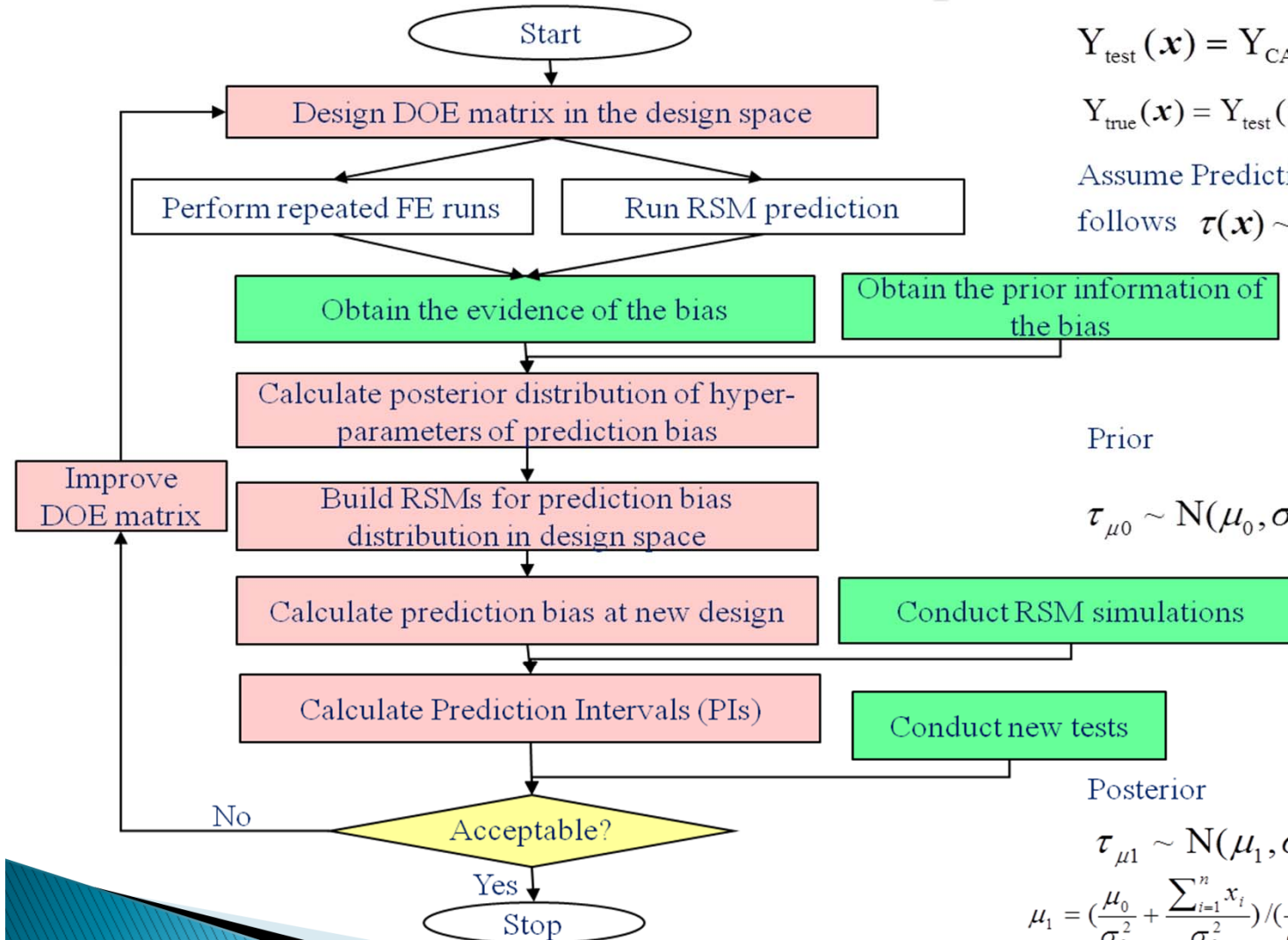
Model Extrapolation is a method of estimating the model predictive capability of a new data point which is beyond the range of given data



Response Surface Model



Bayesian Inference based Model Interpolation and Extrapolation



$$Y_{\text{test}}(\mathbf{x}) = Y_{\text{CAE}}(\mathbf{x}) + \delta(\mathbf{x}) + \varepsilon(\mathbf{x})$$

$$Y_{\text{true}}(\mathbf{x}) = Y_{\text{test}}(\mathbf{x}) - \varepsilon(\mathbf{x}) = Y_{\text{CAE}}(\mathbf{x}) + \delta(\mathbf{x})$$

Assume Prediction bias $\tau(\mathbf{x}) = \delta(\mathbf{x}) + \varepsilon(\mathbf{x})$
follows $\tau(\mathbf{x}) \sim N(\tau_{\mu}(\mathbf{x}), \tau_{\sigma^2}(\mathbf{x}))$

Prior

$$\tau_{\mu 0} \sim N(\mu_0, \sigma_0^2) \quad p(\theta | x) = \frac{p(x | \theta)p(\theta)}{\int p(x | \theta)p(\theta)d\theta}$$

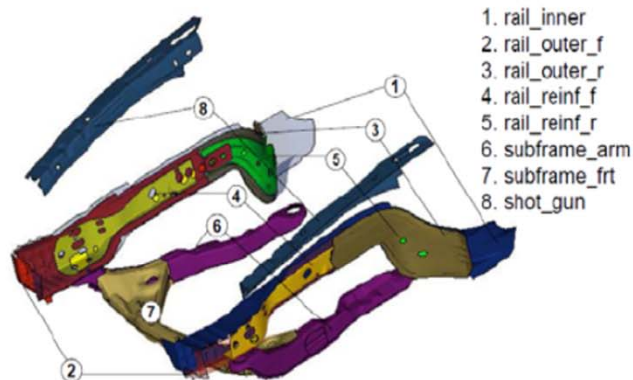
Posterior

$$\tau_{\mu 1} \sim N(\mu_1, \sigma_1^2)$$

$$\mu_1 = \left(\frac{\mu_0}{\sigma_0^2} + \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i}{\sigma_0^2} \right) / \left(\frac{1}{\sigma_0^2} + \frac{n}{\sigma_0^2} \right) \quad \sigma_1^2 = \left(\frac{1}{\sigma_0^2} + \frac{n}{\sigma_0^2} \right)^{-1}$$

Case Study: Vehicle Design Problem

2001 Ford Taurus model from National Crash Analysis Center (NCAC) for Frontal Impact



Design variables		Lower bound	Upper bound	Baseline
x1	rail_inner	1.4	2.8	1.9
x2	rail_outer_front	1.2	2.8	1.91
x3	rail_outer_rear	1.6	4.0	2.51
x4	rail_reinf_front	1.5	4.0	2.4
x5	rail_reinf_rear	1.6	4.0	2.55
x6	subframe_arm	1.5	3.5	2.55
x7	subframe_front	1.5	3.5	2.25
x8	shot_gun	1.2	3.0	1.5

Fig. 4 Design variable selection for main front-end structure

Case Study: Interpolation and Extrapolation

80 uniform DOEs

3 repeated FE runs and 1 RSM at each design

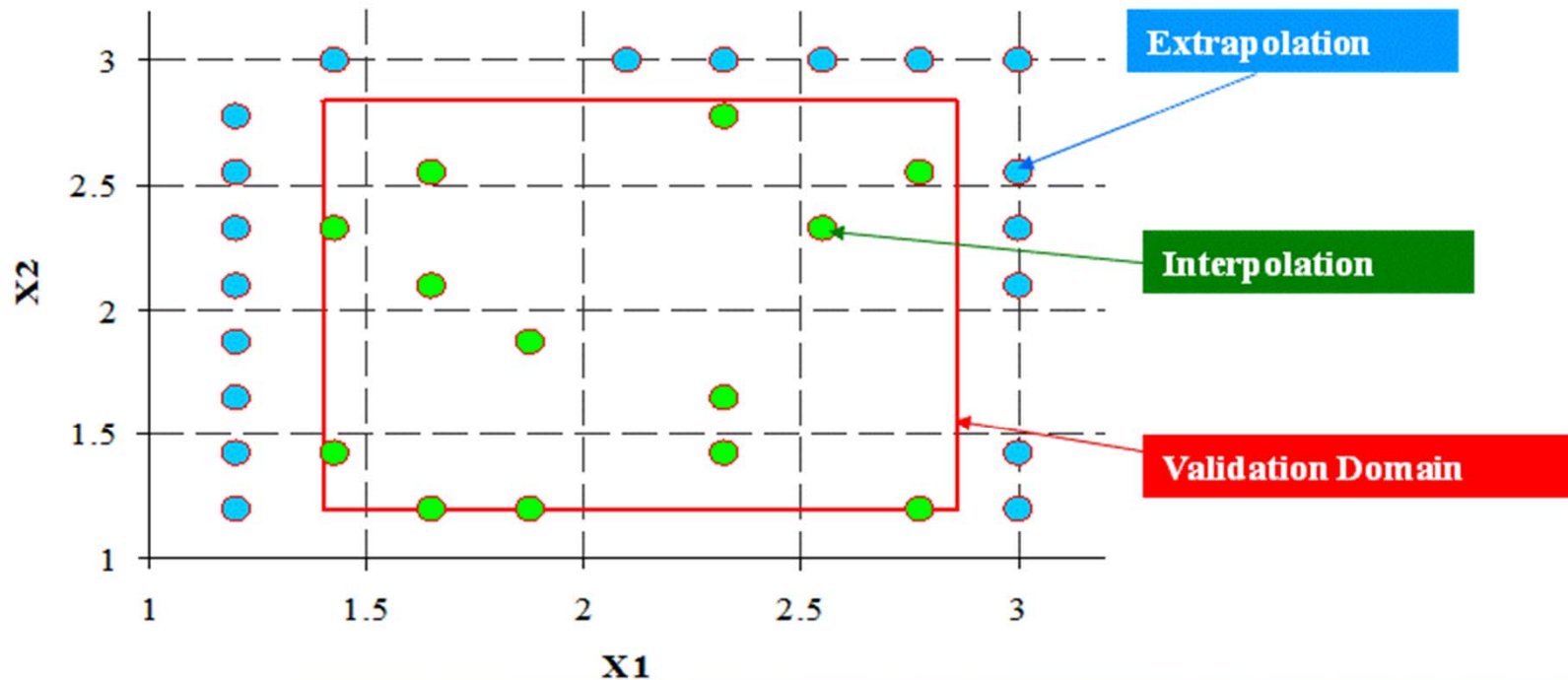
65 DOE samples are used to construct the Kriging RSMs

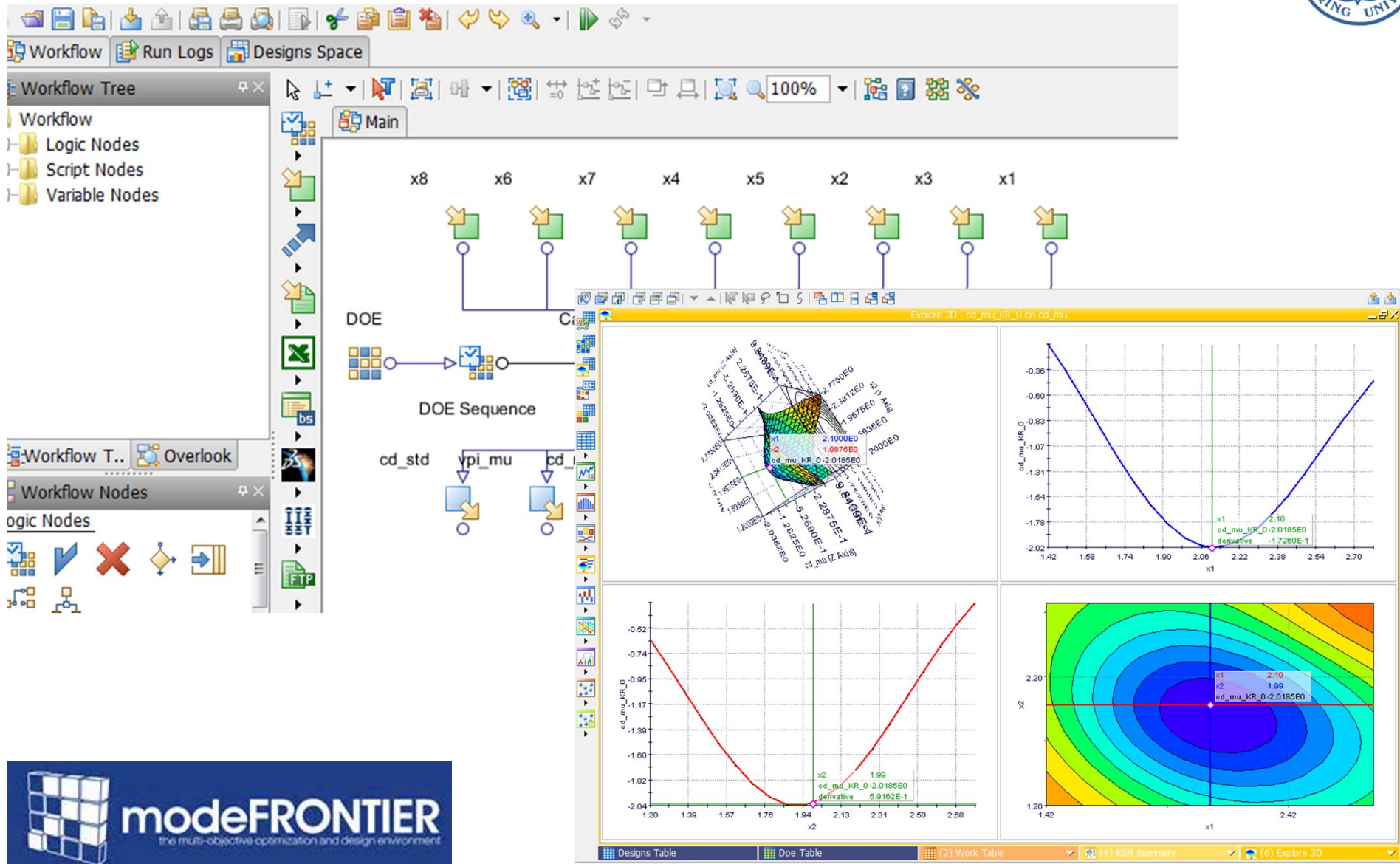
15 DOE samples to validate the interpolation capability

25 for extrapolation

**Key Performance
Output Responses:**

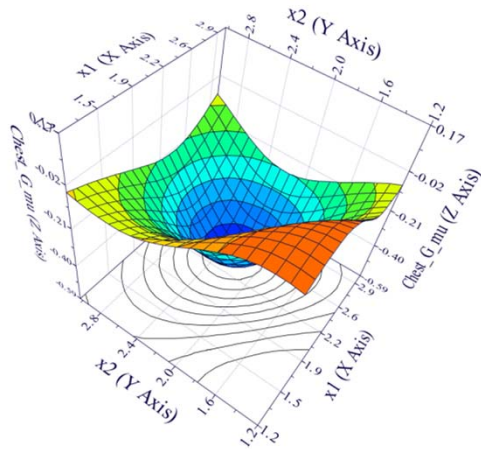
Chest G, Crush distance



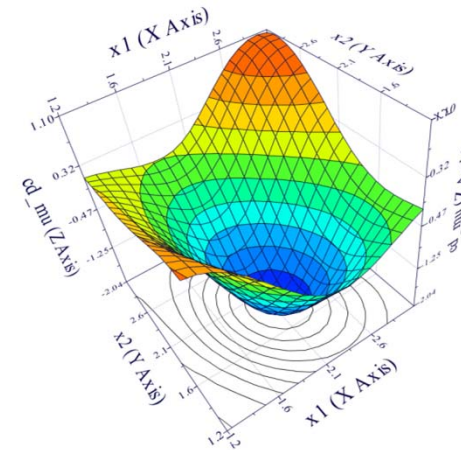


Case Study: Kriging RSMs of Prediction Bias

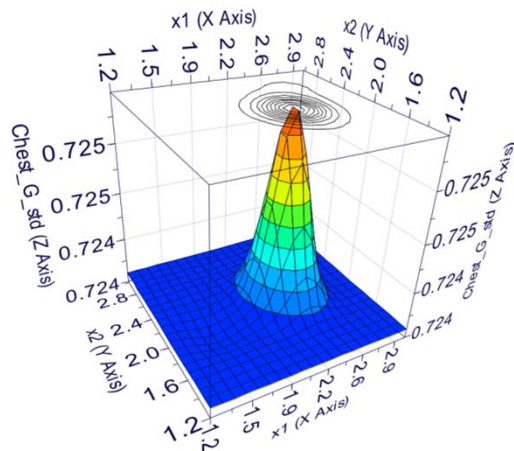
► Chest G bias $\text{mean}_{\mu}(x_a)$



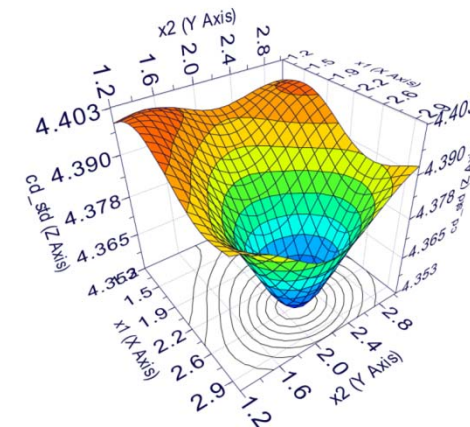
Crash Distance bias $\text{mean}_{\mu}(x_a)$



► Chest G bias Standard Deviation $\sigma(x_a)$



Crash Distance bias Standard Deviation $\sigma(x_a)$



Case Study II: Taurus Example Interpolation Evaluation Results

Chest G			
Interpolation	Area Metric	Reliability Metric	Bayesian Confidence Metric
Bayesian Inference-based Method	0.0102	0.4703	0.6888
GPM-based Method	0.0131	0.4106	0.6208
Copula-based Method	0.0081	0.5550	0.7874
Crush Distance			
Interpolation	Area Metric	Reliability Metric	Bayesian Confidence Metric
Bayesian Inference-based Method	0.0069	0.7208	0.9302
GPM-based Method	0.0082	0.6841	0.8650
Copula-based Method	0.0117	0.4833	0.7208

- Copula-based method is rated best in chest G prediction while worst in crush distance prediction. In general, crush distance interpolation prediction results have higher credibility than chest G.

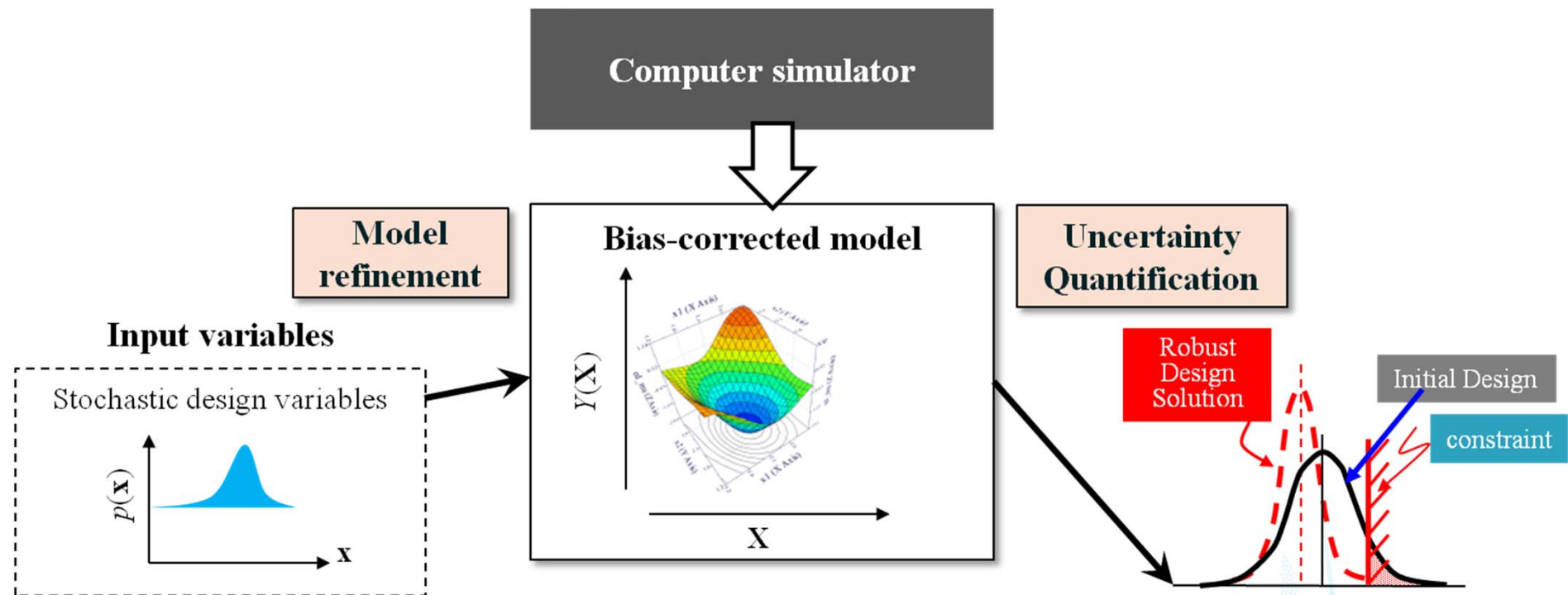
Case Study II: Taurus Example Extrapolation Evaluation Results

Chest G			
Extrapolation	Area Metric	Reliability Metric	Bayesian Confidence Metric
Bayesian Inference-based Method	0.0174	0.3513	0.5650
GPM-based Method	0.0166	0.3527	0.5196
Copula-based Method	0.0289	0.2160	0.3390
Crush Distance			
Extrapolation	Area Metric	Reliability Metric	Bayesian Confidence Metric
Bayesian Inference-based Method	0.0077	0.6682	0.8925
GPM-based Method	0.0127	0.4577	0.7188
Copula-based Method	0.0125	0.4468	0.7005

- The ranking of the three methods are not exactly the same according to different validation metrics,
- For the chest G extrapolation, the evaluation results of Bayesian inference based method and GPM based method are similar, and both methods are rated better than the Copula-based method.
- For the crush distance extrapolation, GPM based method and Copula-based method are rated similar by all three metrics while both are outperformed by Bayesian inference method.

基于可靠性的设计优化

Reliability Based Design Optimization (RBDO)



$$\min \mu_Y(X), \text{ s. t. } \Pr\{g_i(X) \leq 0\} \geq \alpha_i \%, i = 1, \dots, k$$

Reliability-Based Design Optimization (RBDO)

Obtain an improved while reliable design, regardless of input variable variations

Case Study: Reliability Based Design Optimization

RBDO problem formulation



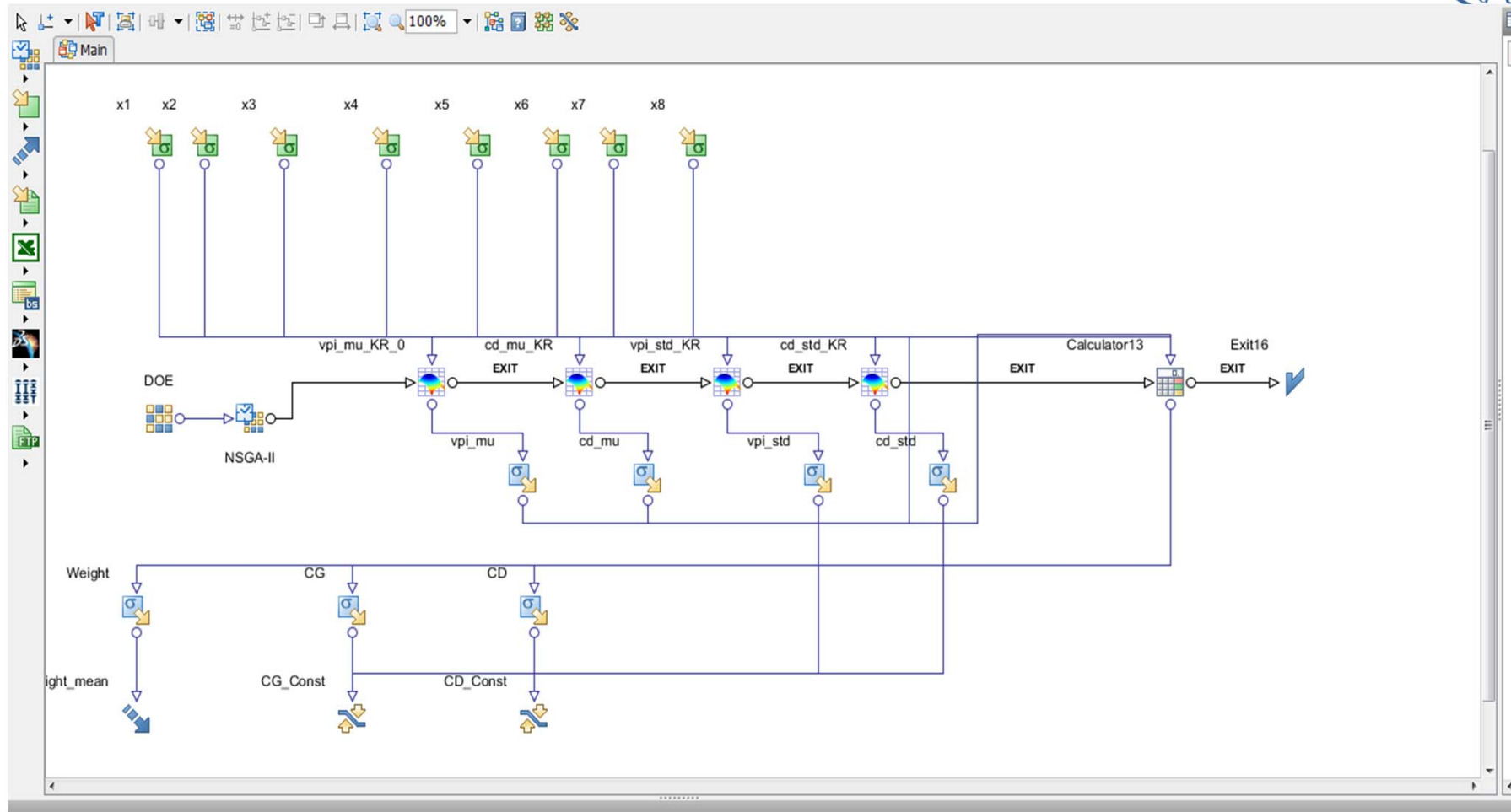
Find $\mu_{x_i}, i = 1, 2, \dots, 8$
 to minimize μ_{Weight}
 subject to $\Pr\{CG \leq CG_{Target}\} \geq 99\%, CG_{Target} = 65;$
 $\Pr\{CD \leq CD_{Target}\} \geq 99\%, CD_{Target} = 750;$
 $L_{x_i} \leq \mu_{x_i} \leq U_{x_i}, i = 1, 2, \dots, 8.$

where

$$\begin{aligned} Weight &= 6.012x_1 + 3.166x_2 + 2.078x_3 + 1.237x_4 \\ &\quad + 1.463x_5 + 4.369x_6 + 3.547x_7 + 2.306x_8, \\ CG &= 84.699 - 7.7668x_6 + 0.7635x_5x_8 + 0.9809x_7 - 13.133x_1 \\ &\quad - 0.999x_2x_5 + 4.0889x_1x_6 - 0.3187x_4x_8 + 0.2922x_1x_5, \\ CD &= 922.51 - 2.5605x_6x_7 + 0.6625x_4 - 88.269x_1 + 13.929x_1^2 \\ &\quad - 1.2664x_3x_6 + 0.4711x_4x_5 - 8.2049x_2x_6 - 4.6859x_4x_8, \end{aligned}$$

where

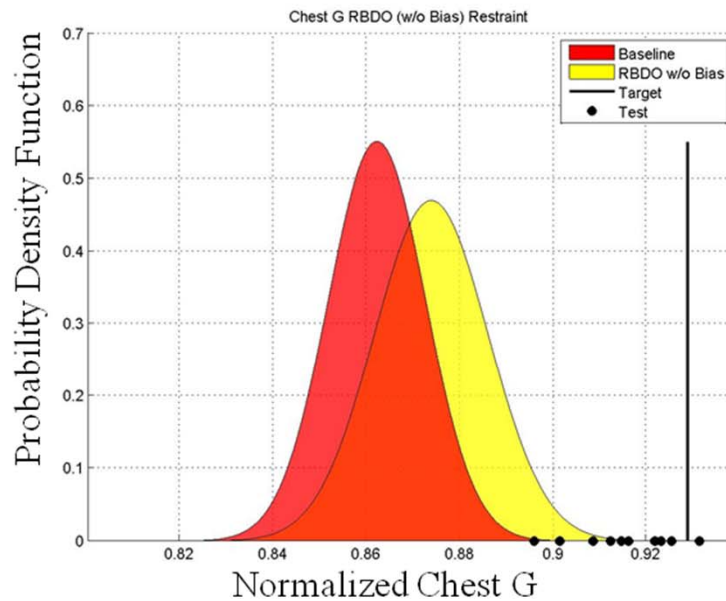
$$x_i \sim N\left(\mu_{x_i}, (0.05x_{i_Baseline})^2\right), i = 1, 2, \dots, 8$$



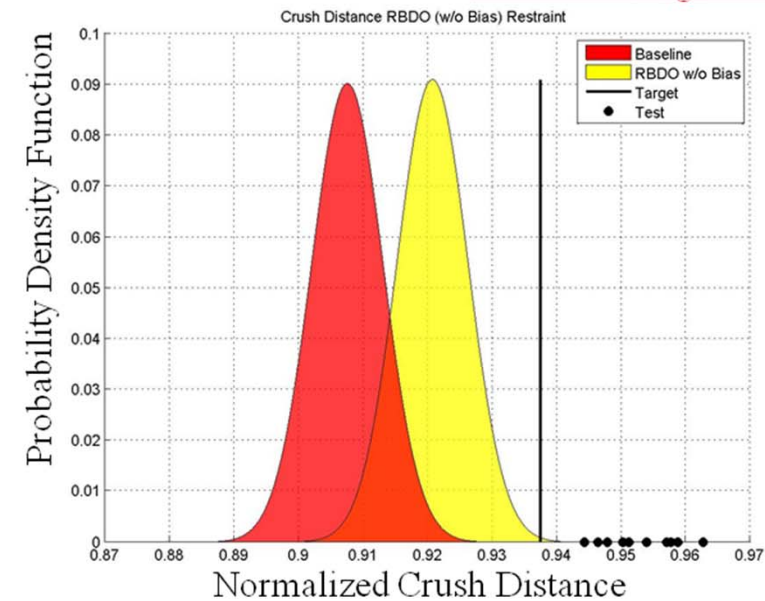
RBDO result: optimal design without bias correction

	x_1	x_2	x_3	x_4	x_5	x_6	x_7	x_8	Weight
Baseline	1.90	1.91	2.51	2.40	2.55	2.55	2.25	1.50	51.97
RBDO w/o bias	1.715	1.212	1.614	3.966	1.560	1.595	1.559	2.988	44.08

— Design target
 ■ Baseline design
 ■ RBDO w/o bias design

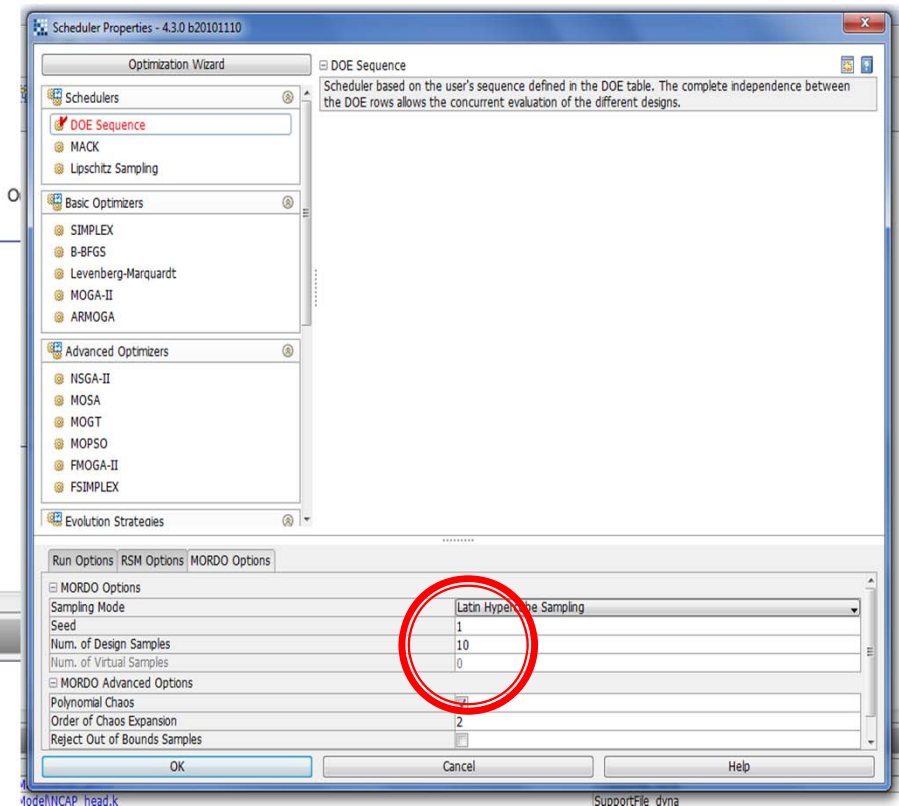
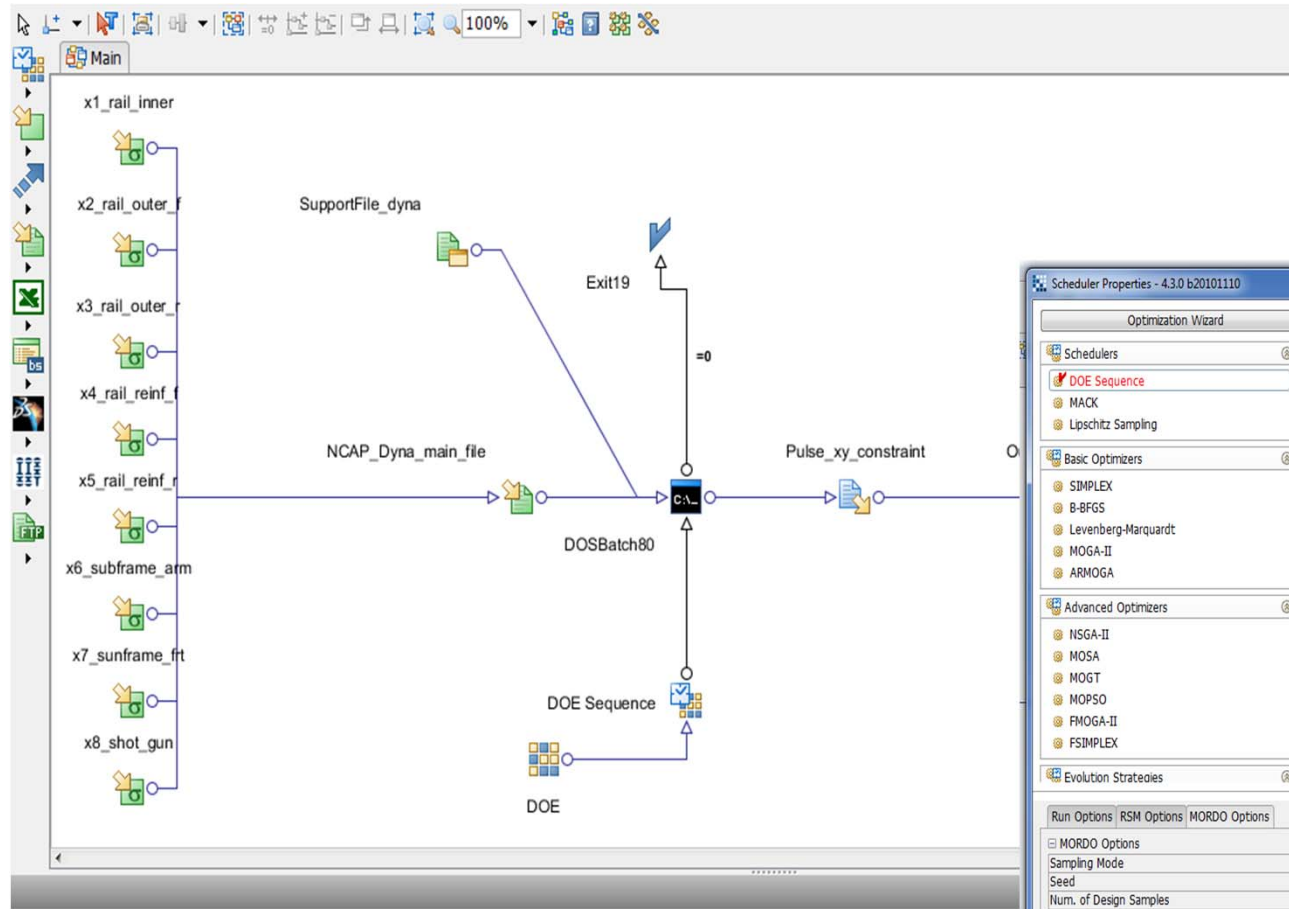


Chest G



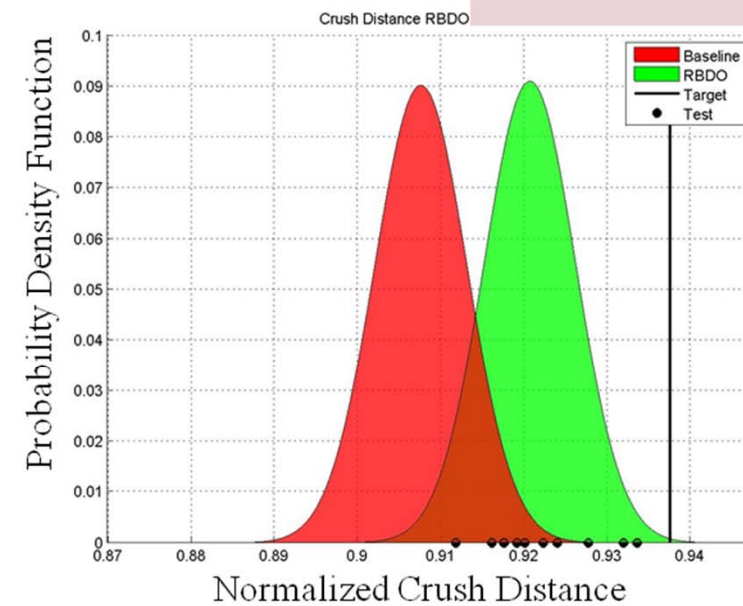
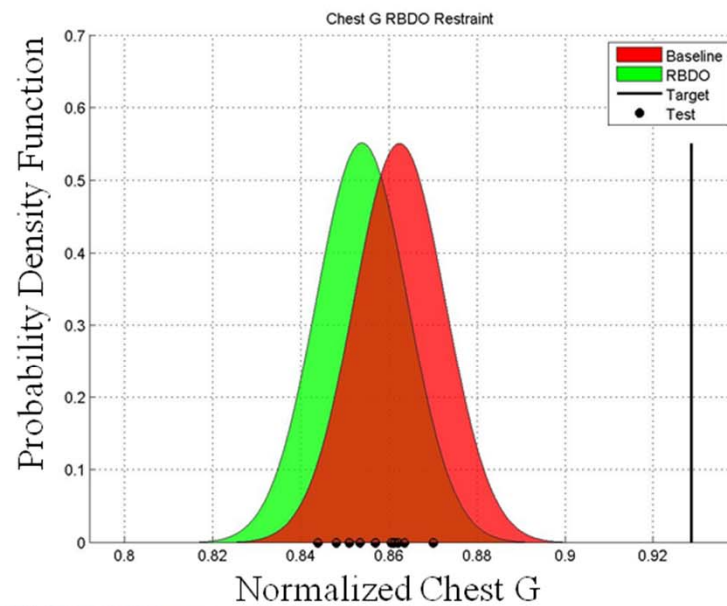
Crush Distance

Case Study: FE Confirmation modeFRONTIER Flowchart



RBDO result: optimal design

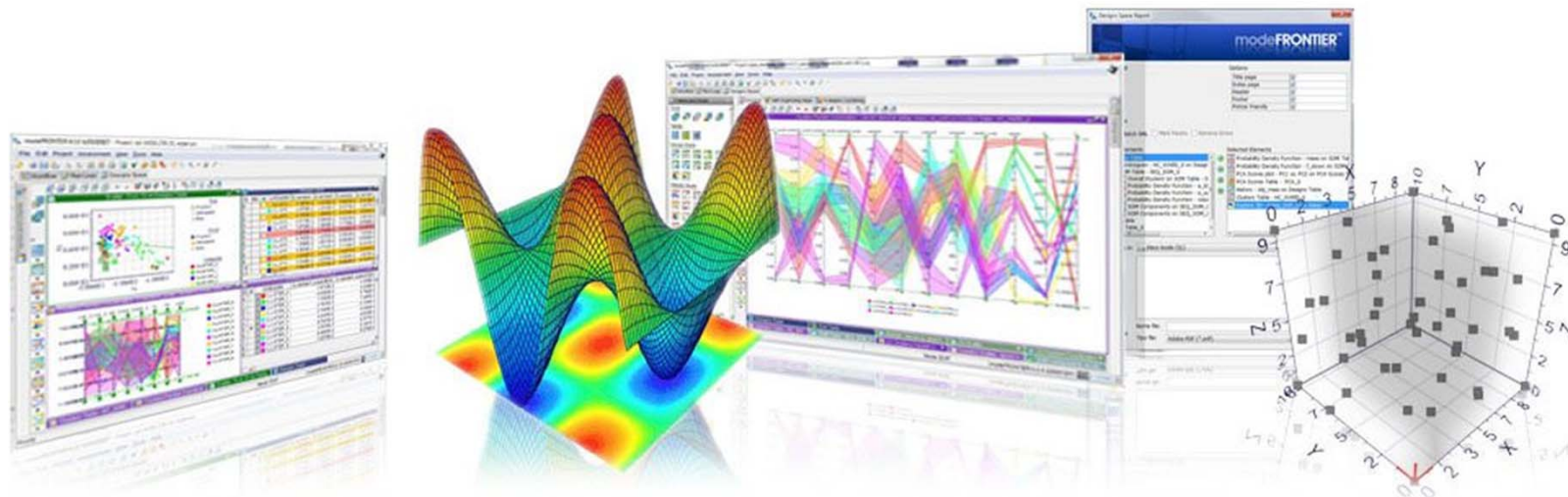
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RBDO	1.918	2.270	1.600	1.500	1.601	2.379	1.700	1.497	46.21



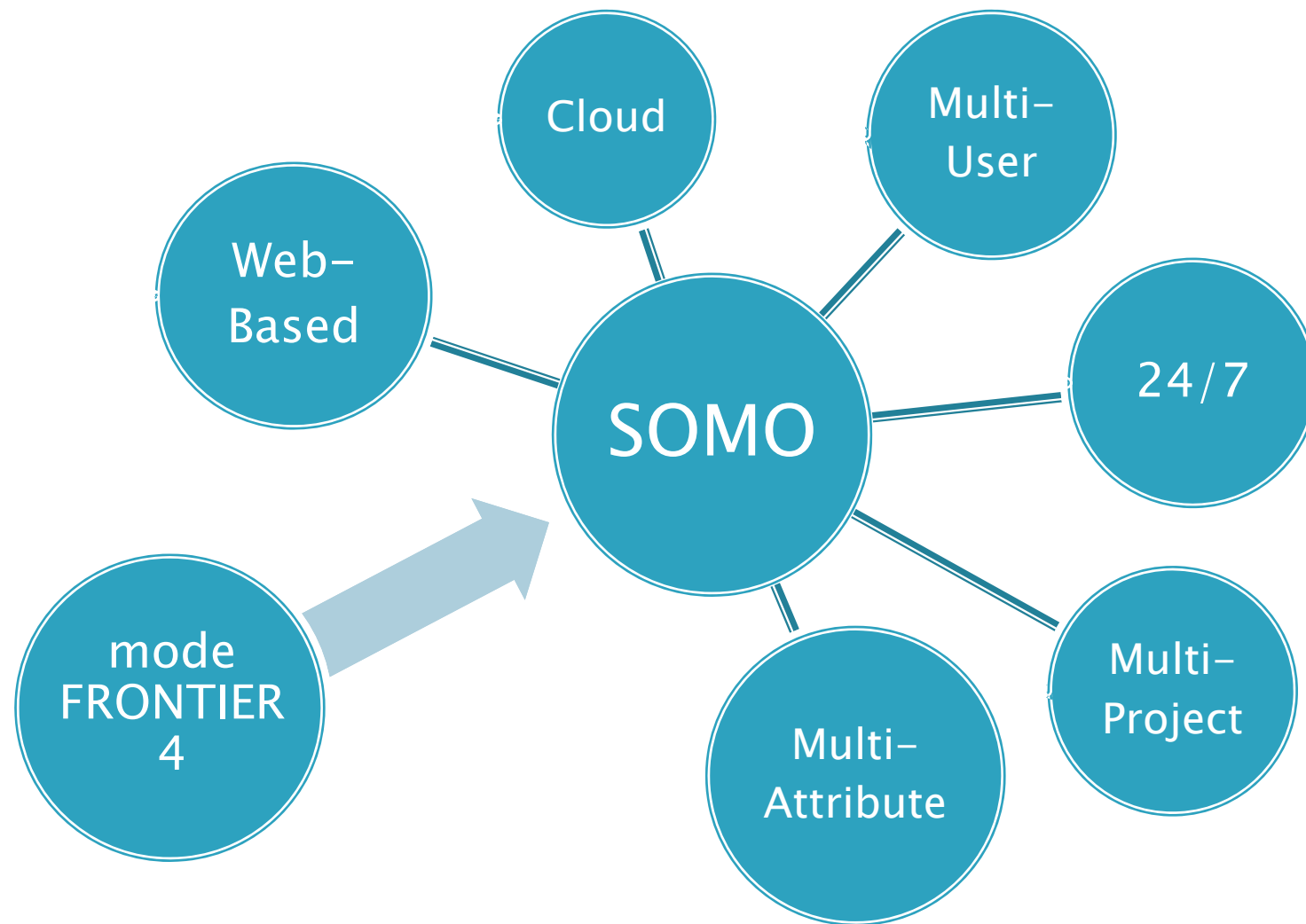
RBDO

modeFRONTIER

is a **multidisciplinary** and **multi-objective optimization** and **design environment**, written to allow easy coupling to almost any computer aided engineering (CAE) tool, whether commercial or in-house.

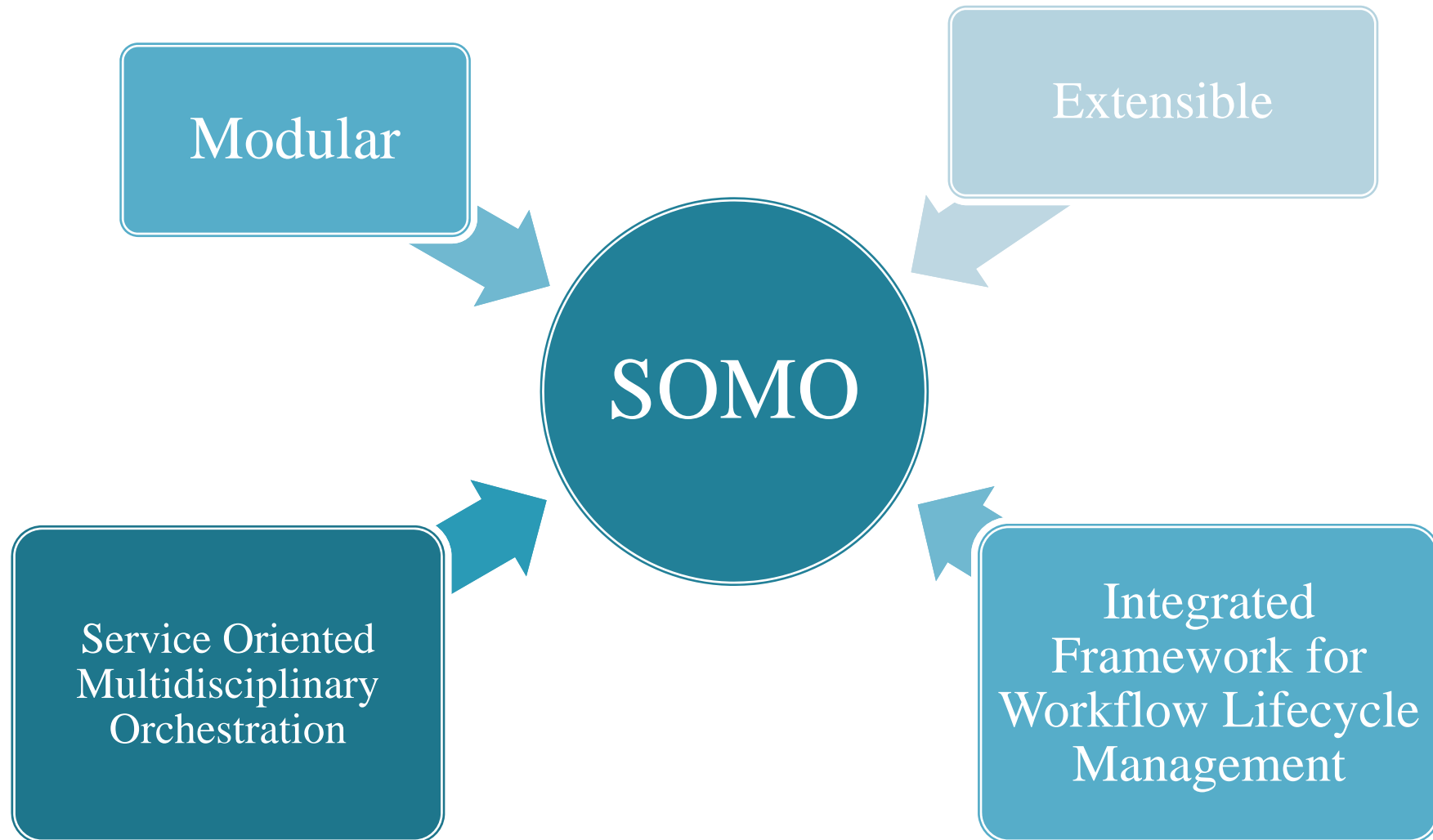


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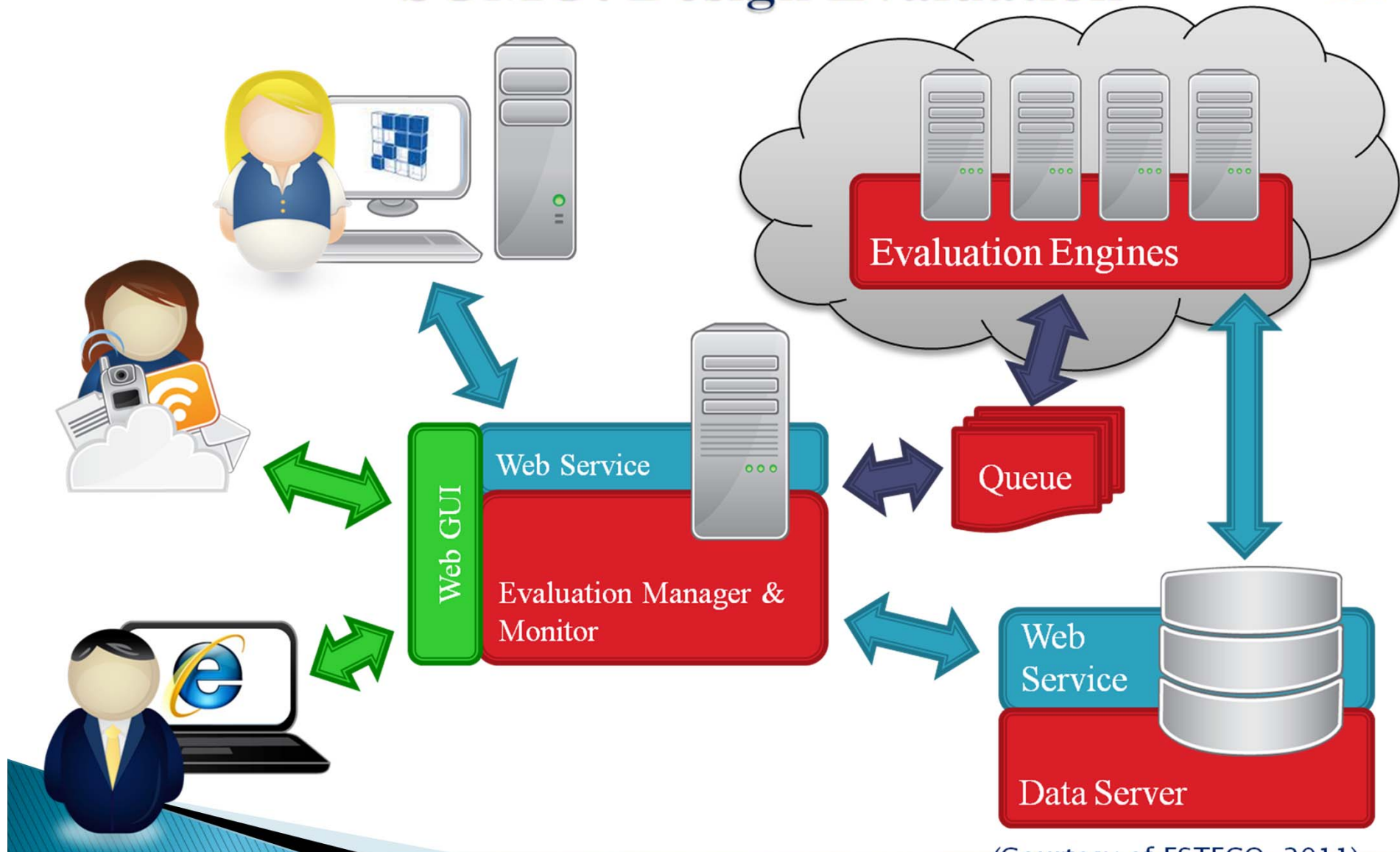
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What Is SOMO?



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SOMO: Design Evaluation



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SOMO vs. modeFRONTIER

	SOMO	modeFRONTIER
Design process approach	Batch	Interactive/Batch
Computing resources	Remote	Local/Grid
Control over resources	Share	Total
Multidisciplinary	Different departments	Different applications
Deployment	Community	Single user
Platform	Web	Desktop
Availability	Intranet, Internet	Office
Architecture	Modular for extensibility	Monolithic for performance
Target	Engineers, Managers, Executives	Engineers
Optimization	Through library modules	Native

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Thank you!



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