

Simulation Data Management Software Added to Altair Partner Alliance

PDTec's SimData Manager is now available for use by HyperWorks customers

TROY, Mich. – Oct. 05, 2016 – The [Altair Partner Alliance](#) (APA) added SimData Manager from PDTec AG to its software offering today. SimData Manager provides simulation data management for efficient and systematic access to all simulation-relevant data throughout the entire computer-aided engineering (CAE) process chain.

"SimData Manager is an excellent addition to Altair's software lineup," said Detlef Schneider, Senior Vice President of EMEA at Altair. "CAE data management is important to almost all of our customers, so being able to offer them this capability is a great asset. We look forward to growing this partnership and seeing how we can improve our customers' experience in the future."

SimData Manager provides an enterprise CAE data management system to help analysts easily keep up with the constantly increasing number of simulation runs across all disciplines and the global collaboration of simulation activities along the supply chain. The software traces CAD geometries throughout the process to the final analysis reports and various simulation models and vice versa, making it so engineers are always aware of which computer-aided design (CAD) geometry was the base for their simulation models in order to easily select the related analysis results from the SDM system.

"PDTec is excited to become a member of the Altair Partner Alliance," said Albrecht Pfaff, Head of Sales and Marketing at PDTec. "We see great opportunities for Altair's customers to leverage the new partnership and get access to PDTec's SimData Manager via HyperWorks Units. Most larger organizations are challenged by the size of CAE data and the extension of CAE into many disciplines. Global simulation teams want to share their analysis results and work on joint CAE projects. SimData Manager provides a central enterprise system to manage all CAE data globally."

SimData Manager improves project efficiency and overall success by notifying analysts of any updates to the CAD models during simultaneous engineering processes, making it so they are able to decide if changes are necessary for the current simulation. HyperMesh, HyperView and HyperGraph have also been integrated with SimData Manager to make the process of accessing CAE data even more seamless for engineers already working in the HyperWorks environment.

The [introductory webinar](#) for PDTec will be held on October 13 at 10 a.m. ET. For more information about the software, please visit the product page: <http://www.altairhyperworks.com/partner/simdatamanager>.

About the Altair Partner Alliance

Altair's HyperWorks platform applies a revolutionary subscription-based licensing model in which customers use floating licenses to access a broad suite of Altair-developed, as well as third-party, software applications on demand. The Altair Partner Alliance effectively extends the HyperWorks Platform from more than 20 internally developed solutions to upwards of 60 applications with the addition of new partner applications. Customers can invoke these third-party applications at no incremental cost using their existing HyperWorks licenses. Customers benefit from unmatched flexibility and access, resulting in maximum software utilization, productivity and ROI. For more information about the Altair Partner Alliance, visit <http://www.altairhyperworks.com/apa>.

About PDTec AG

PDTec is an integration and engineering data management specialist who helps customers capture their simulation processes along the product lifecycle and streamline all associated digital information flows. To bring our customers closer to their objectives, we develop solutions for integration and enterprise collaborative engineering to support the complete CAE process chain and link their comprehensive tool landscape. We support structured, corporate-wide data management of any CAE data for all disciplines and track the data. PDTec provides the standard software, the integration services along the deployment and the support for ongoing success.

About Altair

Founded in 1985, Altair is focused on the development and application of simulation technology to synthesize and optimize designs, processes and decisions for improved business performance. Privately held with more than 2,600 employees, Altair is headquartered in Troy, Michigan, USA with more than 45 offices throughout 20 countries, and serves more than 5,000 corporate clients across broad industry segments. To learn more, please visit www.altair.com.

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