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using SIMPACK Wheel/Rail
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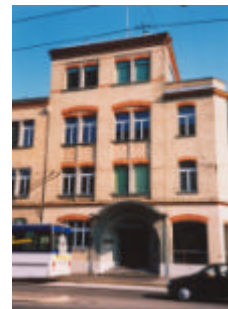
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Bombardier Transportation, Site Winterthur
Business Unit Bogies

Competent for

- ◆ Single Axle Running Gears
- ◆ Bogies for Regional Trains
- ◆ Bogies for Locomotives
- ◆ Bogies for Intercity Trains



Using SIMPACK for projects since April 2000

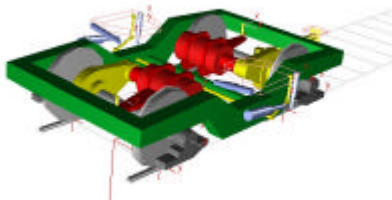
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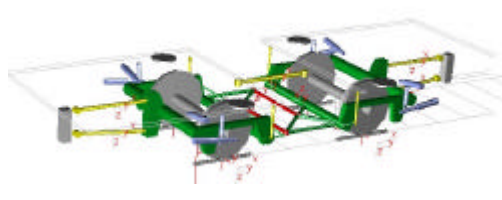
Regional Train
with Single Axle Running Gears



Motor bogie (MB)



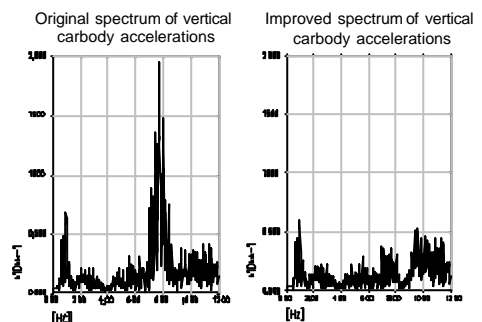
Coupled single axle running gears (EAF)



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NSB EMU Class 72:

- ◆ Running quality calculations with elastic carbody structure by INTEC GmbH in 1999
- ◆ By practicable changes on the carbody and on the bogies the spectra of the carbody accelerations were improved
- ◆ Results of the Running Quality Type Test in Norway (Summer 2001) show good agreement with simulation results



Light Rail Transit Car GTW 2/6 Southern New Jersey Transit



- ◆ Bogies based on LVT 646 (DB AG) and GTW Hessische Landesbahn

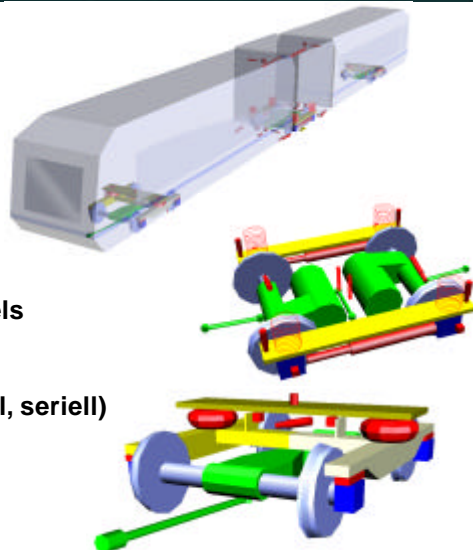


- ◆ Trailer bogie new designed to enable running through 40 m curves

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SIMPACK Model:

- ◆ Articulated vehicle (3 carbodies)
- ◆ Motor bogie under Power Unit
- ◆ 2 trailer bogies with smaller wheels
- ◆ Used Force Elements:
Spring-Damper Elements (parallel, seriell)
Friction Element

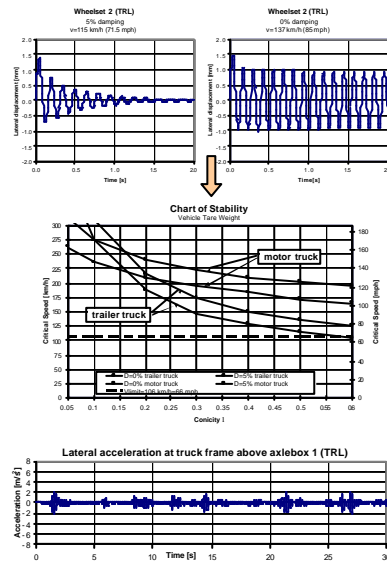


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Stability Analysis:

- ◆ Parameter Variation with linearized wheel/rail contact:
Not possible with two wheelset types
- ◆ Stability investigation with linear wheel/rail contact in time domain with friction element
- ◆ Simulation with track irregularities and high conicity
Evaluation of lateral acceleration at the bogie frames

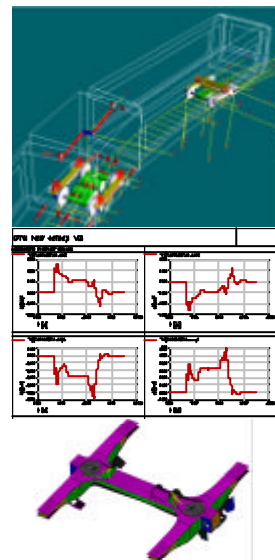


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Calculation of forces for fatigue investigation, e.g.:

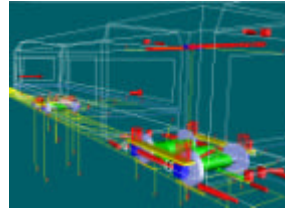
- ◆ Simulation of curving through 40 m curve
- ◆ Evaluation of forces relevant for structural mechanics
- ◆ FEM calculation



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Sidewind Analysis

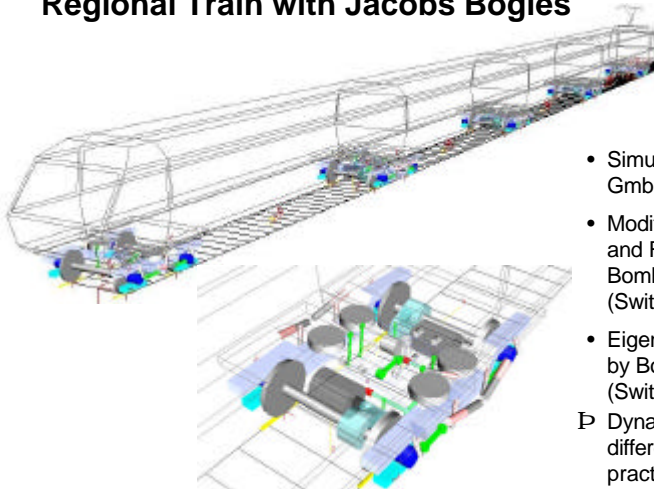


Evidence that $Q > 0$ and Y/Q below the limit value for:

- ◆ the narrowest curve
- ◆ Running with maximum speed on straight track with irregularities
- ◆ Running slowly through a curve with maximum superelevation

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CP 2000: Regional Train with Jacobs Bogies



- Simulation model made by INTEC GmbH in 2000
- Modification of the simulation model and Running Quality Calculations by Bombardier Transportation (Switzerland) in Pratteln
- Eigenvalue and Stability calculations by Bombardier Transportation (Switzerland) in Winterthur
- ↳ Dynamic simulation project at different sites with SIMPACK practicable

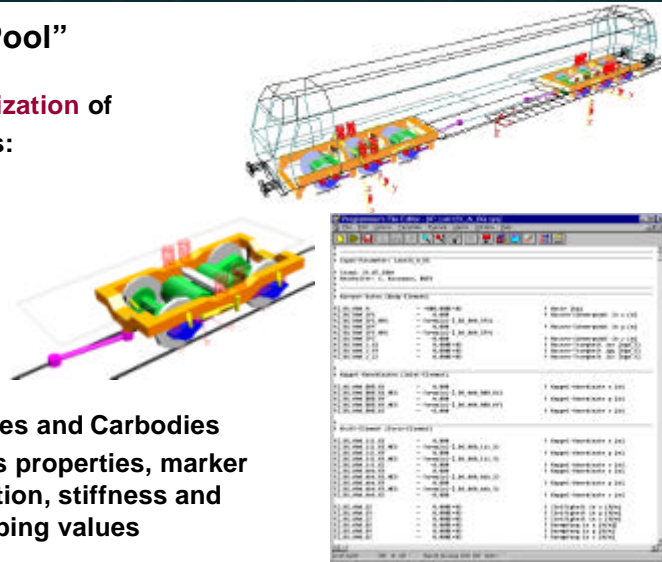
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SIMPACK "Lok-Pool"

Complete **parameterization** of
Locomotives models:

- ◆ BR 145
- ◆ BR 146
- ◆ BR 101
- ◆ Blue Tiger
- ◆ BR 128 (12X)

Substructures: Bogies and Carbodies
Parameters: mass properties, marker
position, stiffness and
damping values



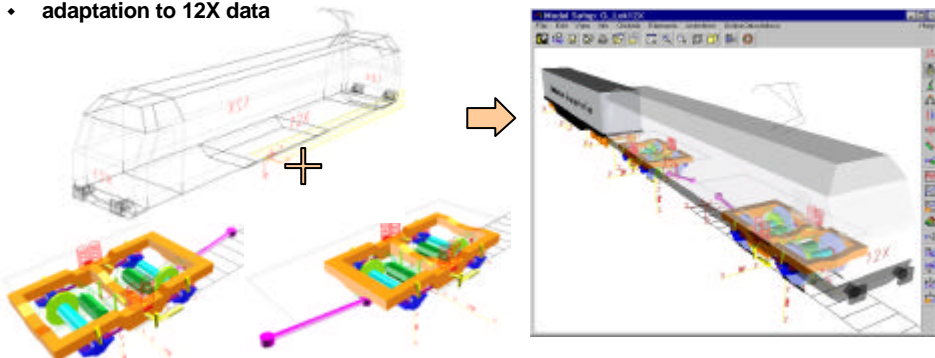
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BR 128 (Lok 12X)

Co-Simulation with MATLAB SIMULINK

SIMPACK model

- originated from completely parameterised BR 146 model
- substructures: bogies and carbody
- adaptation to 12X data

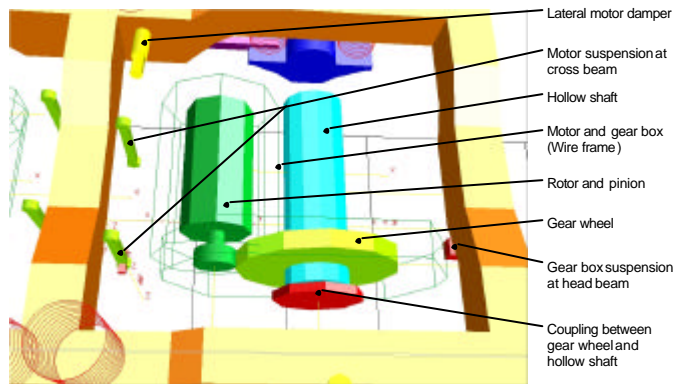


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Detailed drive model

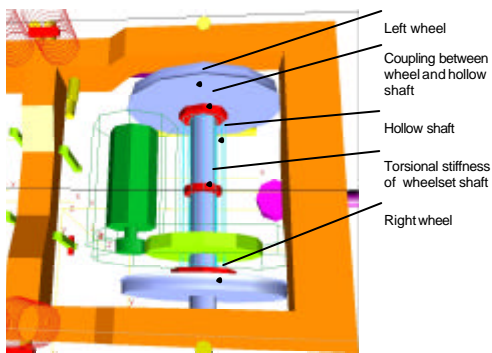
- Hollow shaft
- Gear wheel
- Pinion and Rotor
- Motor and gearbox



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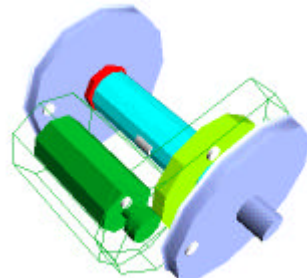
Wheelset with torsional-elastic axle



Eigenmodes of drive

„Rattern“ (21.7 Hz)

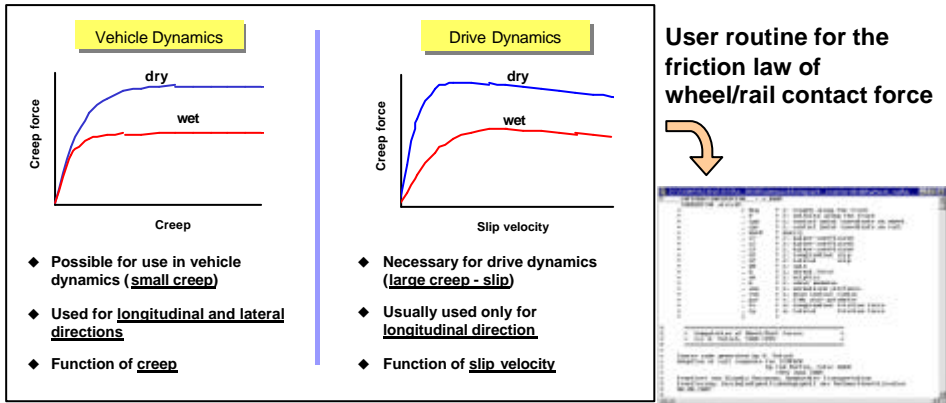
„Rollieren“ (49.2 Hz)



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Necessity of extension of wheel/rail contact model



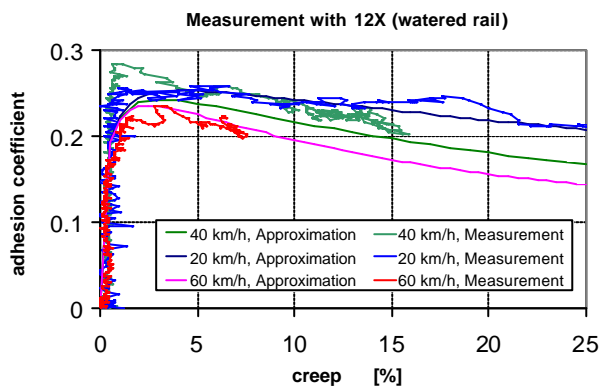
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Approximation of measured creep force function

Evaluation of

- ◆ maximum friction coefficient μ_0
- ◆ ratio of μ_∞ (limit friction coefficient at infinity slip velocity) to μ_0
- ◆ coefficient of exponential friction decrease
- ◆ Kalker factor in area of adhesion
- ◆ Kalker faktor in area of slip



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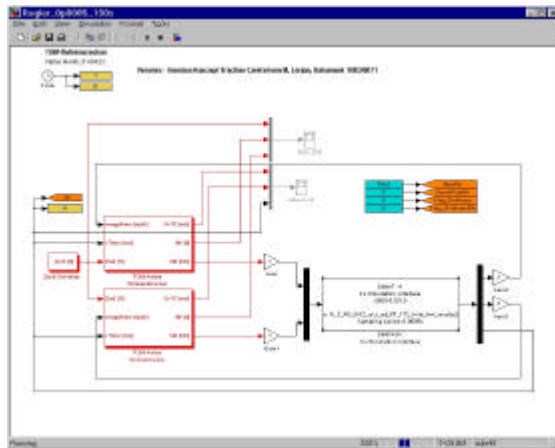
Implementation of mechanical model in SIMULINK control

SIMPACK output:

- Rotating speed of rotor 3
- Rotating speed of rotor 4
- Velocity

SIMPACK input:

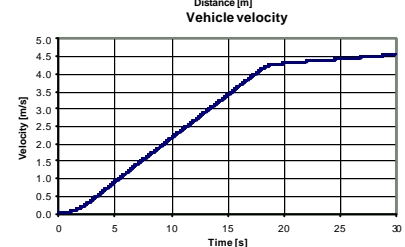
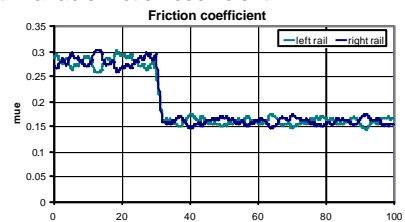
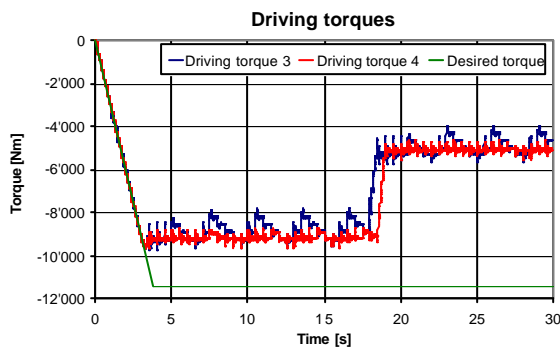
- Driving torque of rotor 3
- Driving torque of rotor 4



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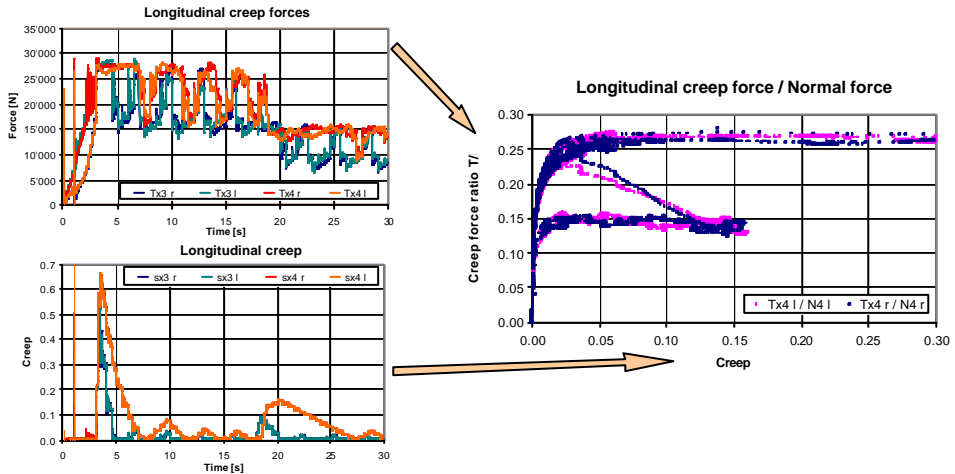
Simulation results: Starting up on straight track with variable friction coefficient



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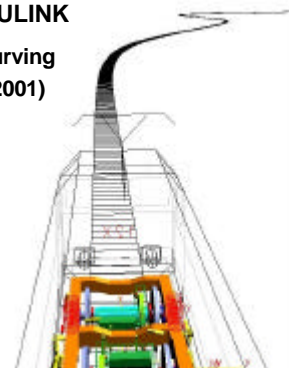
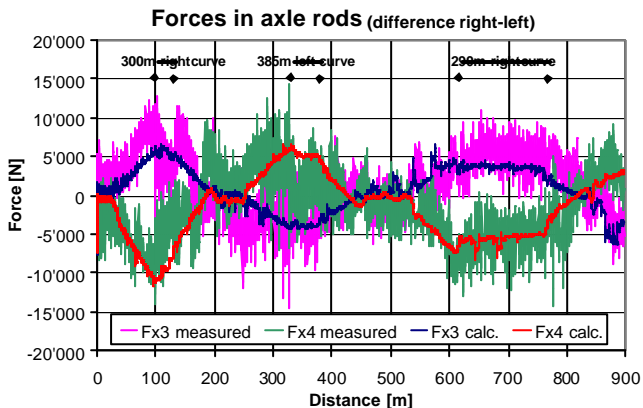
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Simulation results: Starting up on straight track followed by curving
Comparison with measurements with 12X (Kanderviadukt, Aug. 2001)

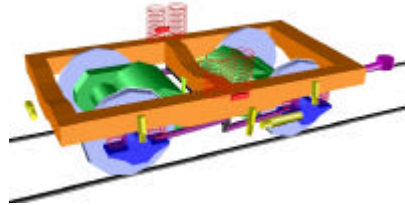


Present and further activities

4 System Locomotive:

New bogies based on BR 145/146:

- Unsuspended Drive
- Suspended Drive
- Each variation with or without coupling system for radial steering



Co-simulation:

- Getting more experience using SIMAT
- Building up additional know-how
- Applying co-simulation in further fields of bogie engineering