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Dear ,

In this issue, learn how you can simulate more with less cost. We're excited to bring you the 2009 Virtual Product Development Conferences which will focus on cost savings.

Thank you.

Executive Message**FROM THE DESK OF BILL WEYAND, CHAIRMAN & CEO**

Happy New Year and welcome to MSC Software's newsletter, MSC News. We know that this past year has been a difficult one for business, challenging companies to do more...

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Company Headlines**EADS SELECTS MSC SOFTWARE AS MAJOR SIMULATION PARTNER FOR ITS "PHENIX" PLM HARMONIZATION STRATEGIC PROGRAM**

MSC Software announced that it has been selected by EADS as major partner for Virtual Product Development (VPD) solutions across all EADS business divisions as part of the EADS PHENIX initiative.

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Submit your abstract today! Abstracts are due by February 27, 2009. Fee for one presenter will be waived for every accepted presentation. Plus one co-author may register at 50% off.

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MSC SOFTWARE AND FEV PARTNER TO COMBINE BEST-IN-CLASS MULTI-BODY DYNAMICS TECHNOLOGY AND ENGINE/POWERTRAIN DOMAIN EXPERTISE

MSC Software announced a new license and distribution agreement with FEV Motorentechnik GmbH in Aachen, Germany. Through this agreement, FEV will continue developing the common ADAMS/Engine technology...

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Product Information**SIMULATE MORE COLLABORATIVELY WITH SIMMANAGER WORKGROUP EDITION**

White Paper: Uncover out-of-the-box content management capabilities of SimManager Workgroup Edition that lead to improved operational productivity in matter of hours.

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Validate Medical Product Concepts**FASTER****FIND OUT HOW >>**

Simulate more with
**Integrated Motion-Structure
Solution**



**Perform
Mechanical
System
Simulation at
less cost with**

Industry/Technology

SIMULATE MORE PACKAGING TESTS WITH BETTER RESULTS AT LESS COST

Cut weeks out of packaging testing and engineering simulation. MSC.Software simulation solutions give manufacturers the ability to validate hundreds of design concepts before making prototypes so they can quickly select the best options to move into production.

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University/Education

DISCOVER HOW STUDENTS AND RESEARCHERS USE MSC.SOFTWARE SOLUTIONS

Check out the latest MSC University Success Stories submitted by faculty and students describing the innovative and effective ways schools are incorporating MSC.Software solutions in their teaching and research activities.

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VPD CONFERENCE 2009: AMERICAS REGION UPDATE

The MSC.Software VPD Conferences have moved to a new mid-year schedule for 2009. The Americas Conference will be held on April 21-22 at the Pointe Hilton Tapatio Cliffs Resort in Phoenix, Arizona.

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Event Highlights

SOLUTION WEBINARS FOR MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES

Throughout 2009 MSC.Software will be holding a series of Solution Webinars highlighting the use of simulation technologies in a range of Manufacturing industries. Each webinar session will last approximately 45-60 minutes and will focus on a particular industry scenario application, followed by a hosted discussion forum. Together the full webinar series will build a valuable picture of how virtual prototyping is helping everyday manufacturing organizations to cost effectively explore new design concepts, to verify and optimize their designs, and to maintain competitive advantage.

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ON-DEMAND WEBINARS AVAILABLE

Listen to the SimXpert Templates webinars to learn how CAE best practice capture and automation, based on SimXpert multi-discipline workspaces and MD-Nastran, offer the most powerful and flexible solution available today.

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Event Calendar

MSC.Software is participating in or sponsoring / co-sponsoring in the events listed below:

Date	Event	Location
Feb 24 - 27	Americas Business Partner Summit	Chicago, IL
Feb 25 - 27	Packaging Strategies 22nd Annual Summit Meeting - The Business of Packaging Innovation	Clearwater Beach, FL
Mar 3 - 31	Solution Webinars for Manufacturing Industry	Online
Mar 24 - 25	CIMdata2009 PLM Vendor Forum	Ann Arbor, MI
May 4 - 7	WINDPOWER 2009 Conference & Exhibition	Chicago, IL

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Training

Take 25% off the registration fee on public MSC training classes between February 1, 2009 and March 31, 2009. [Register now >>](#)

Date	Class Name	Location
Feb 18 - 20	NAS113 - Analysis of Composite Materials with MSC Nastran	Santa Ana, CA
Feb 23 - 26	ADM740 - Adams/Car	Southfield, MI
Feb 23 - 27	SND501 - Network Thermal Analysis	Santa Ana, CA
Feb 23 - 24	EAS101 - Dynamic System Modeling and Analysis using Easy5	Bellevue, WA
Feb 25 - 26	EAS105 - Modeling Simulation of Gas Systems using Easy5	Bellevue, WA
Mar 2 - 5	NAS101 - MSC Nastran Linear Static and Normal Modes Analysis	Bellevue, WA
Mar 2 - 6	PAT312 - Thermal Analysis using Patran Thermal	Santa Ana, CA
Mar 9 - 12	PAT302 - Patran for Advanced Users	Santa Ana, CA
Mar 10 -12	SMX121 - SimXpert Motion Analysis	Santa Ana, CA
Mar 16 - 20	PAT301 - Computer Based Modeling for Design and Analysis with Patran	Santa Ana, CA
Mar 16 - 19	MAR120 - Introduction to Engineering Analysis using Marc and Patran	Santa Ana, CA
Mar 16 - 18	SMD101 - Structural Thermal Analysis using MSC SimDesigner	Cincinnati, OH
Mar 23 - 27	ADM701 - Basic Adams/View and Solver	Southfield, MI
Mar 24 - 25	NAS126 - Explicit Dynamics using MD Nastran and Patran	Southfield, MI
Mar 30 - 31	DYT101 - Introduction to Langrangian Analysis using Dytran	Santa Ana, CA
Mar 30 - Apr 2	PAT318 - Durability and Fatigue Life Estimation using Patran Fatigue	Santa Ana, CA

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3 day class: regular price \$1425 -- now just \$1068.75

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