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# Scalable Engineering Simulation Applications

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- Sample Cases & Scalability Study

## ❑ Large Area Simulations

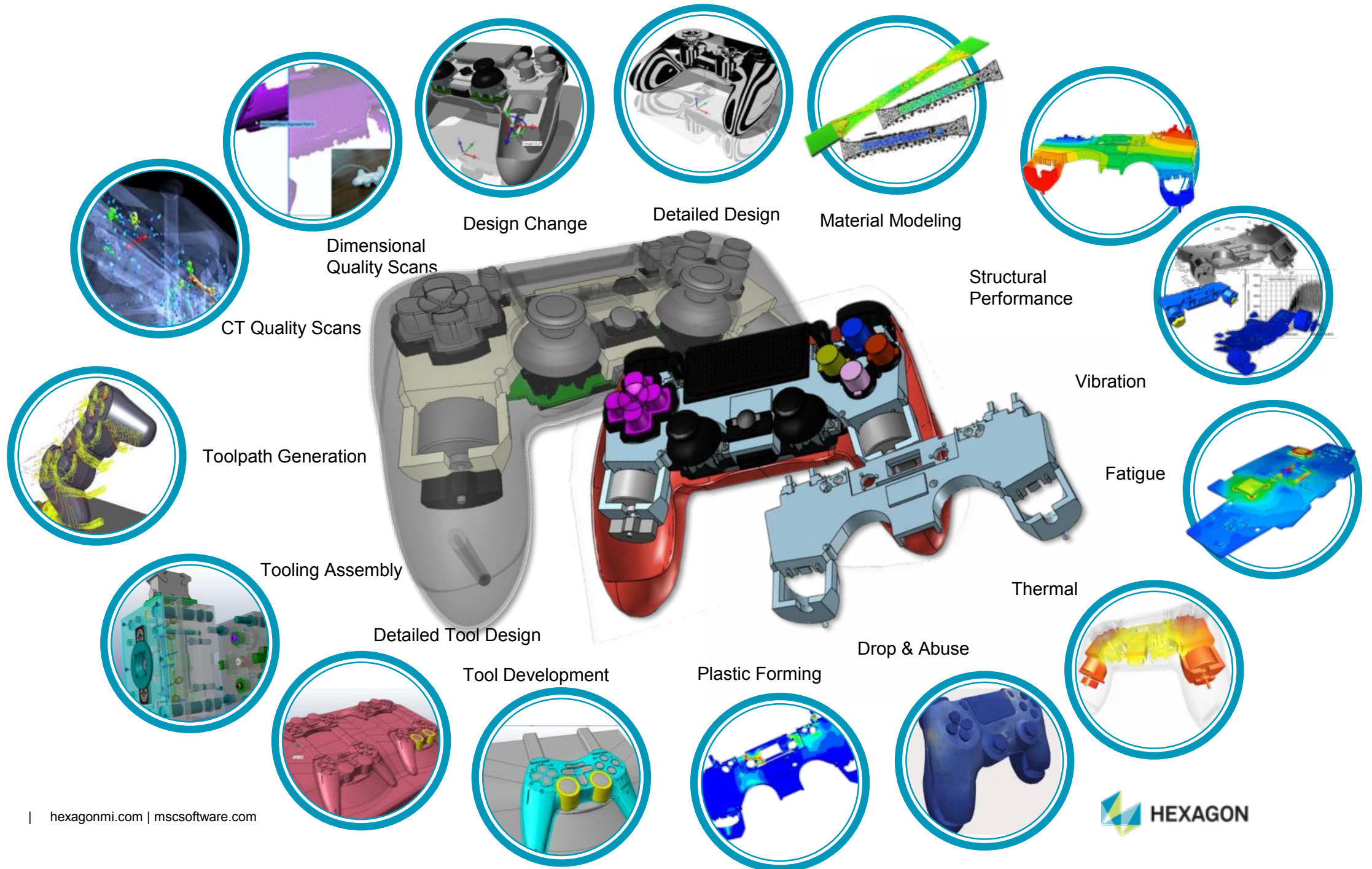
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# Electronic Applications



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MSC Software

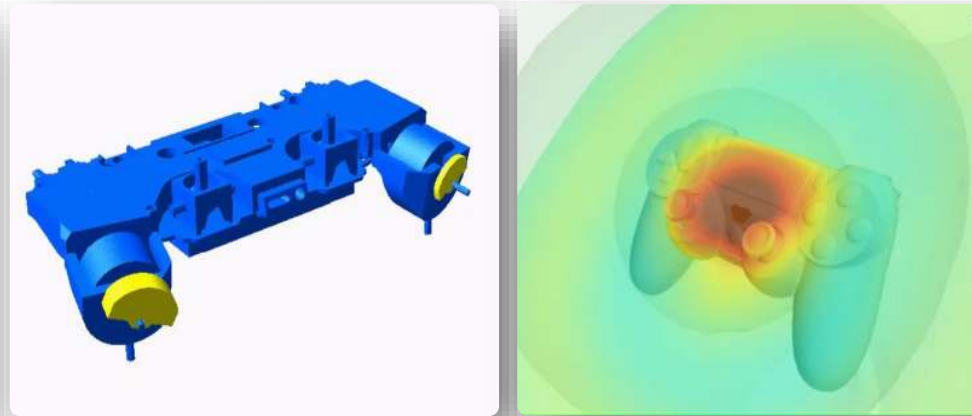


# Detailed Simulation Workflow

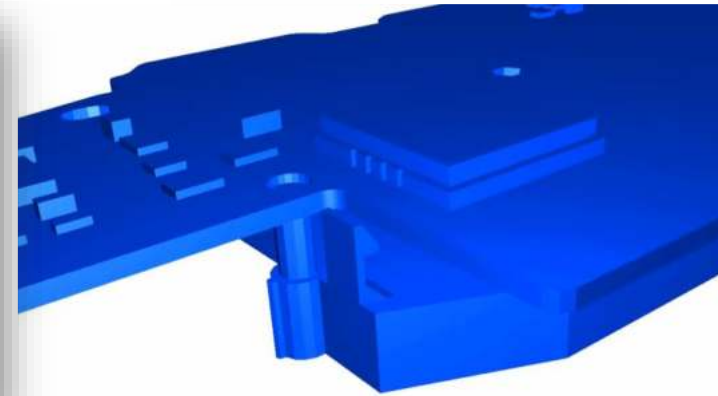
## Thermal & Humidity



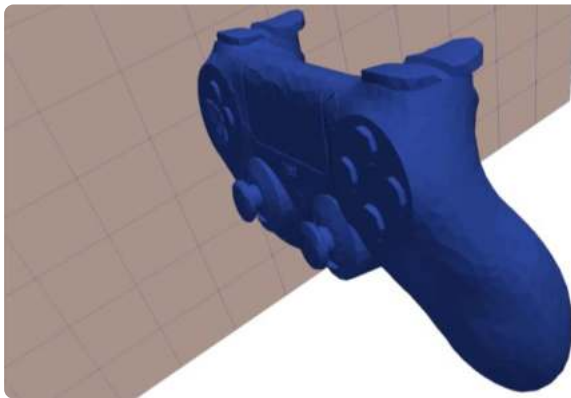
## Motion & Acoustics



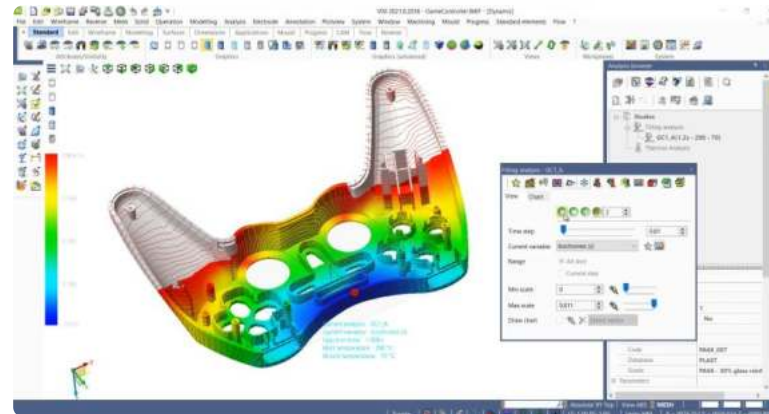
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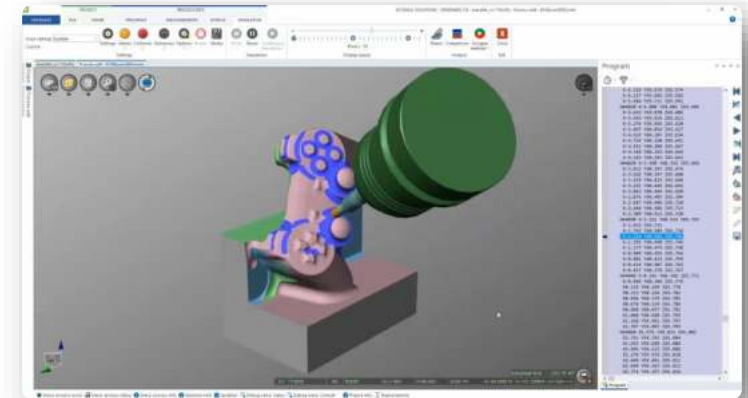
## Shock Testing



## Injection Molding



## Tool Design & Machining



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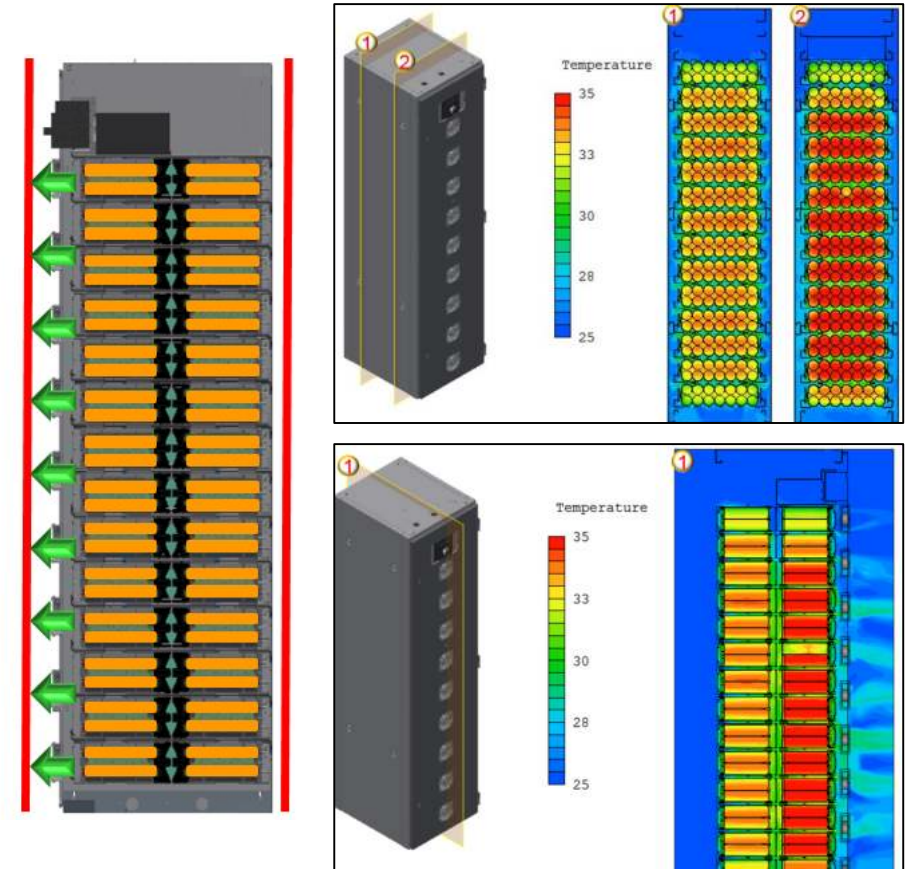
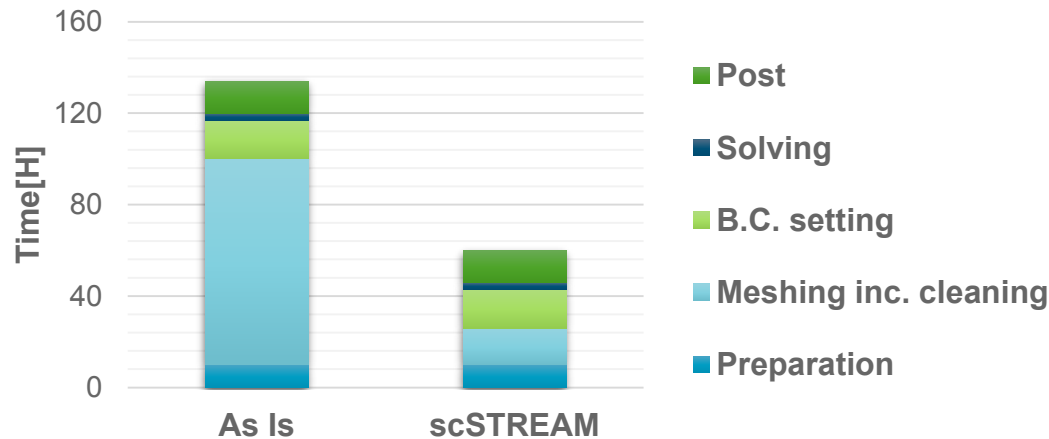
# Integrated Results Viewing



# Large-scale Thermal Fluid Simulations

## Billion Cell Models

- Simulation time reduced by **1/2**
- Minimal geometry data clean up. **80% less manual process**
  - meshing speed.
  - calculation speed.
  - memory efficient.



### Server tower power & cooling requirements

- 5000 parts.
- No CAD clean-up, or preparation

## Powering the highest resolution video display in the history of Times Square

### Engagement Details

- 32 PCB; 157 components; 128 thermal via (bloc); 23 Fan ; 2,2kW heat dissipation,

### Turn-around

- No model preparation
- Solved across 20 cores, in one night

### Scope

- 3 x Simulation, with results and report, 1 week, from the receipt of data





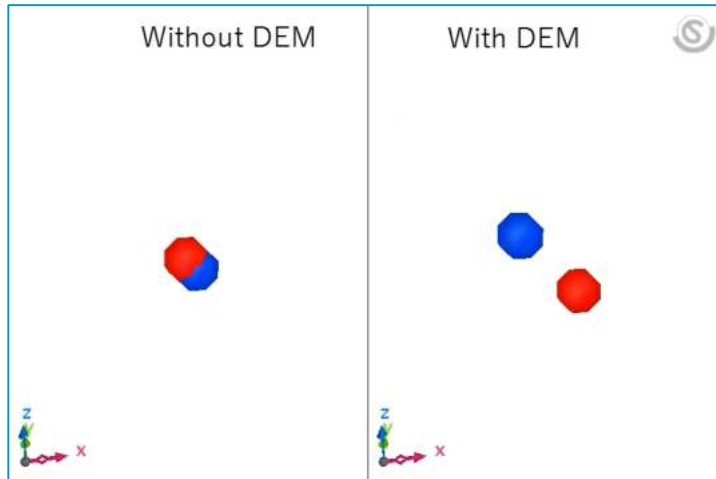
# COVID Research

Particle Dynamics & HVAC



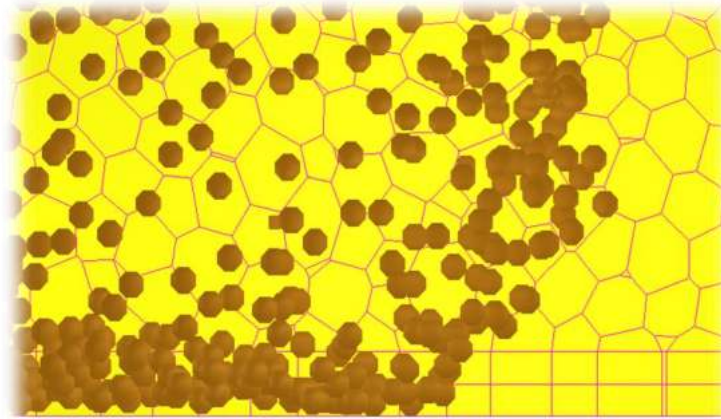
# Introduction to Particle Dynamics

## Complex Particle Dynamics



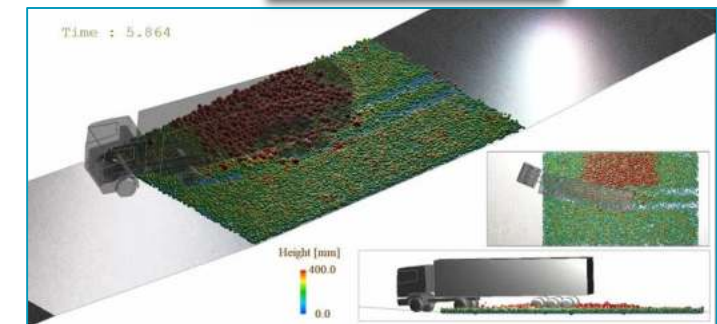
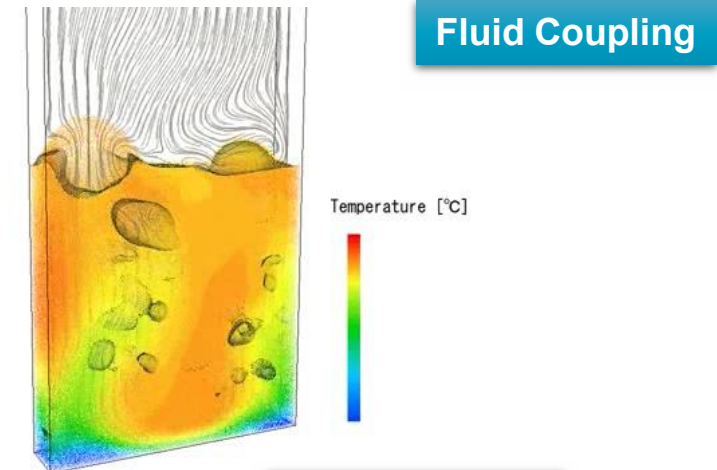
- Interaction between fluid and particles
- Contact forces between particles
- Volume of each particle also to be considered

## Large Mesh Size



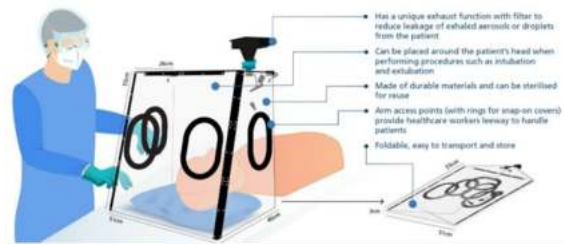
- Particle size is assumed to be relatively small compared to CFD mesh size

## Complexity with Coupling



# Mitigating Infection Transmission

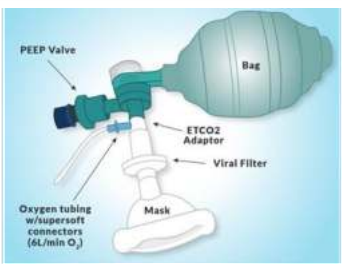
## Reduced Droplet Spread during Airway Manipulation



Credits: National University of Singapore

### Spread Reducing Tent:

- Air flow pattern with breathing cycles
- Particulate dynamics & leakage study
- Study of exhaust function
- Intubation and Extubation processes
- Material study and 3D Printing

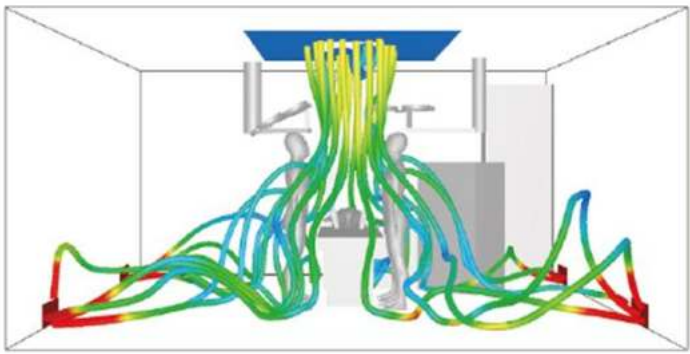


Credits: EMCrit

### Modified Hudson Masks:

- Modified filter and valve attachments
- Specialised Airway Management
- Ingress and Egress slots for Extubation
- Materials study and 3D Printing

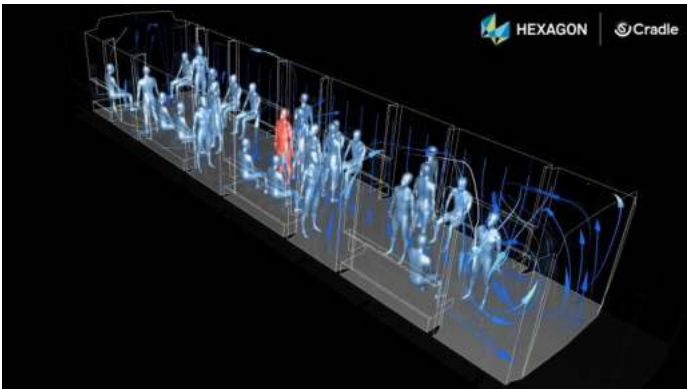
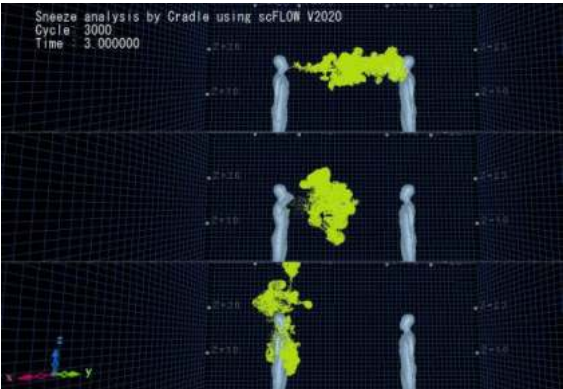
## Containment Wards / ICU / OT



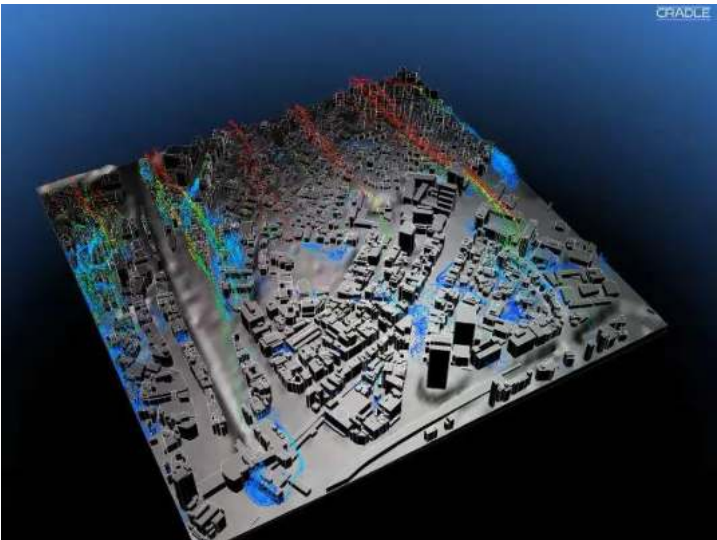
### Key Areas:

- Effective Ventilation Configuration
- Reduce flow circulations
- Identify exhaust vent positions for effective evacuation

## Distancing Effectiveness & Droplet Dynamics



## Large Area Disinfection



### Key Impact:

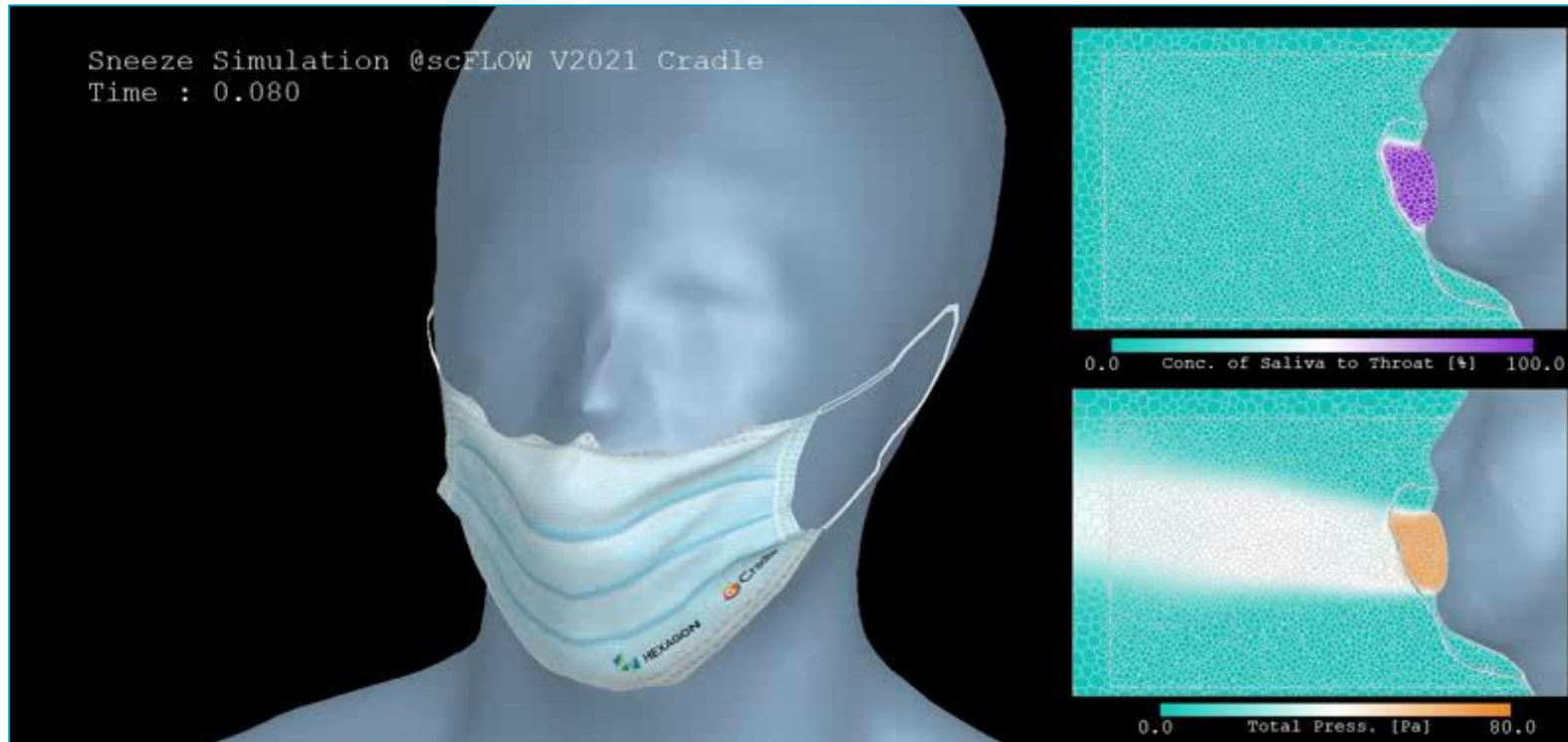
- Infection Mitigation & Control
- Spray Effectiveness & Dispersion
- Flow Pattern and Disinfectant Spread
- Concentration through VOF



# Particle Dynamics – With CFD Coupling

Cloth model emulating a Mask

Mask Trapping Sneezing Droplets



## Conditions

- Sneezing Max speed : 10 m/s
- DEM particle count : 4,753
- Particle Diameter : 2 mm (Uniform)
- Particle Density : 200 kg/m<sup>3</sup> (4 g at the whole Mask)
- Contact model : Walton-Braun
- Young's modulus : 1 kPa
- Static friction : 0.3
- Rolling friction : 0.3
- Restitution coeff. : 0.01
- CFD coupling : Used
- Mesh Count : 728,289

## Calc.Spec.

- Calc. Time : 6h : 36m : 29s @ rx2530
- MAX Memory(ALL) : approx. 38 GB
- Degree of parallelism : 144 MPI procs.
- Physical Time : 2 s
- CFD time step : 0.5 ms
- DEM time step :

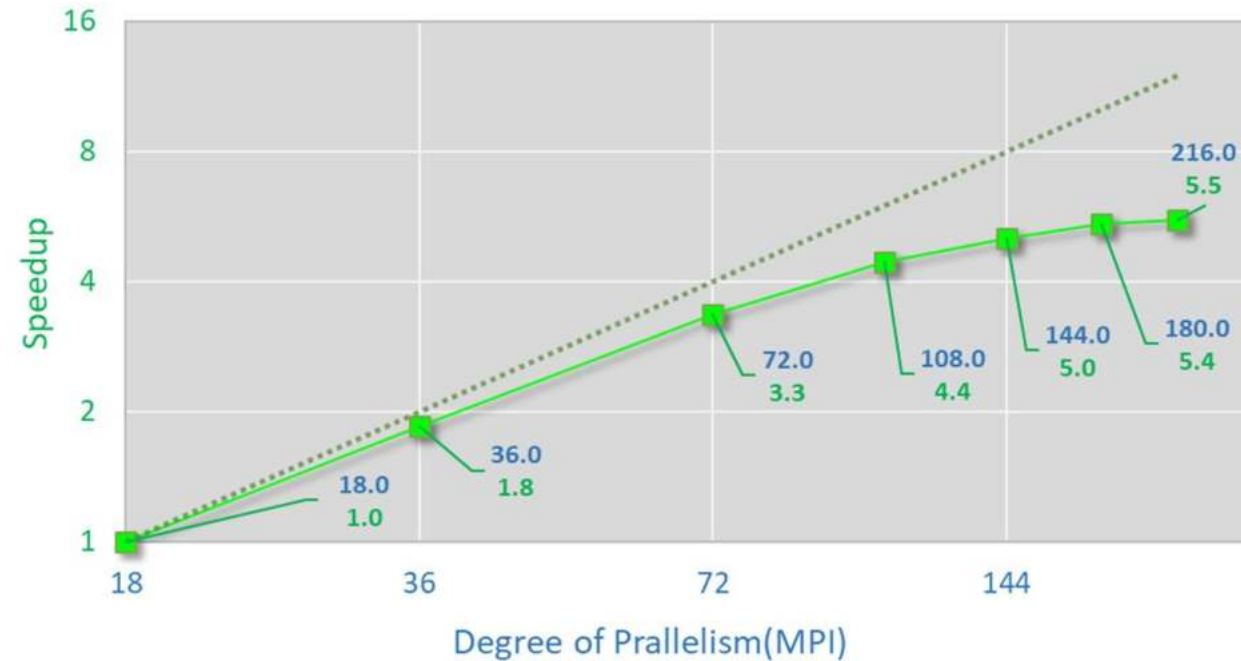
the lesser of either 10 % of the critical Rayleigh time step,  
and 10 % of diameter divided by the velocity of particle  
( Avg. : approx. 0.1 ms )



# Particle Dynamics - Scalability Study

## \* Conditions

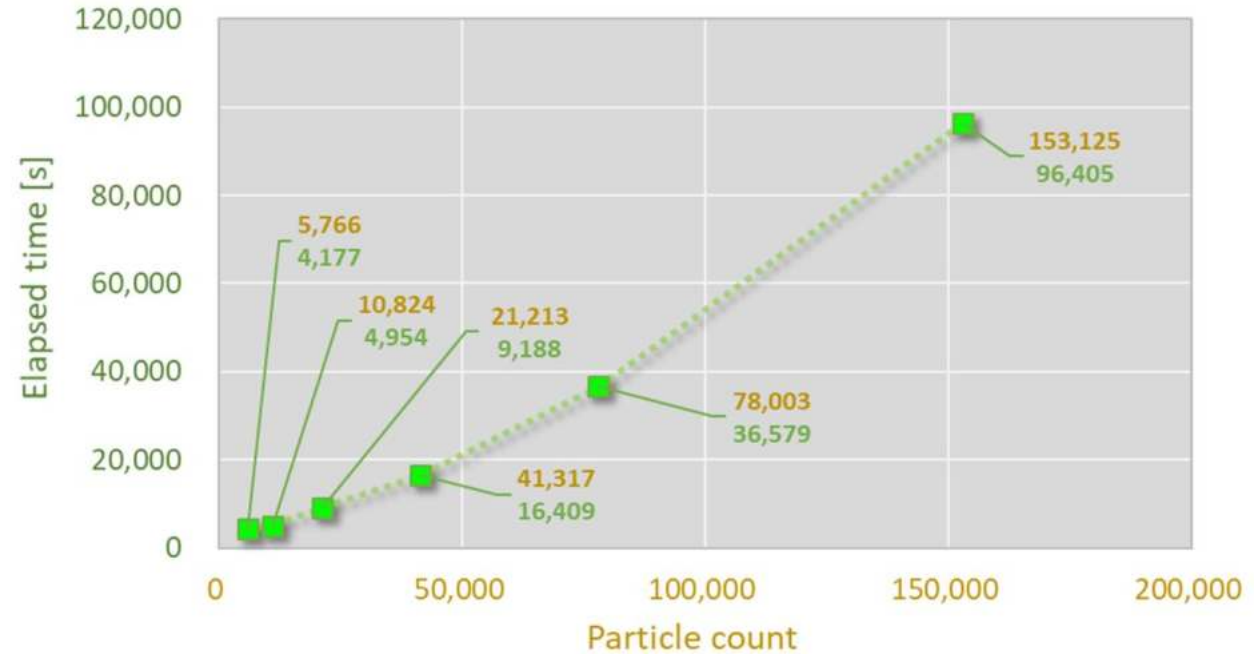
- DEM Particle count : 153,124
- Mesh Count : 28,513
- Contact Model : **Walton-Braun**
- Young's modulus : 1,000 Pa
- Diameter : 0.14 mm (uniform)
- Density : 2,650 kg/m<sup>3</sup>



➡ With CFD skip mode, good efficiency achieved.

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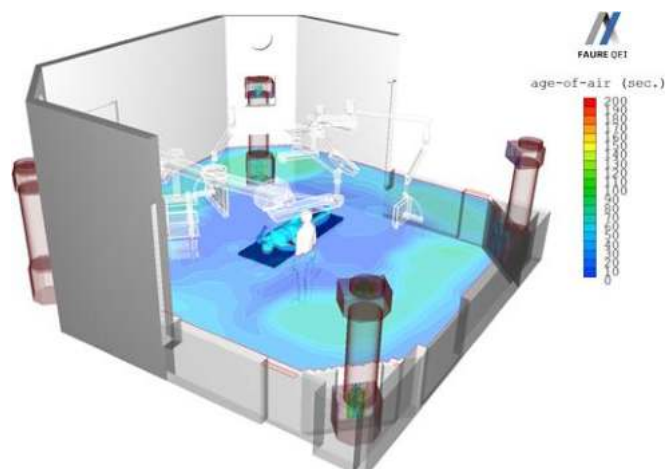
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➡ The elapsed time is almost linear to the particle count.



## Cleanroom



More information on Faure's use of MSC CFD's scStream can be had from their [website](#)

## Industrial Plant

e.g. Pharma, Electronics, energy



*"We're working at the extremes of our industry for nuclear, medical & micro-electronic applications at the micro and nano level. We need to provide our customers with confidence that they're going to be protected"*

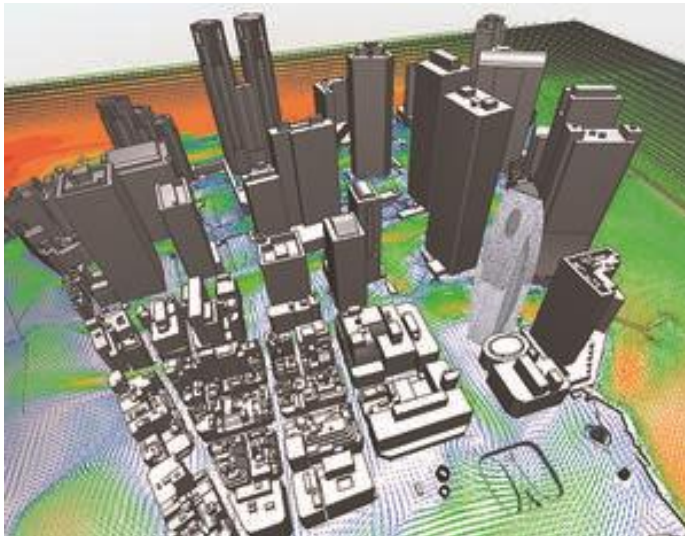
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# Large-Scale Simulations

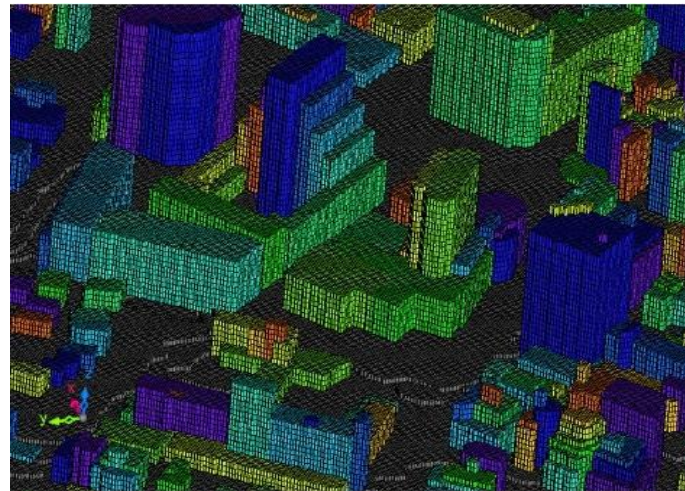
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## Problem Size



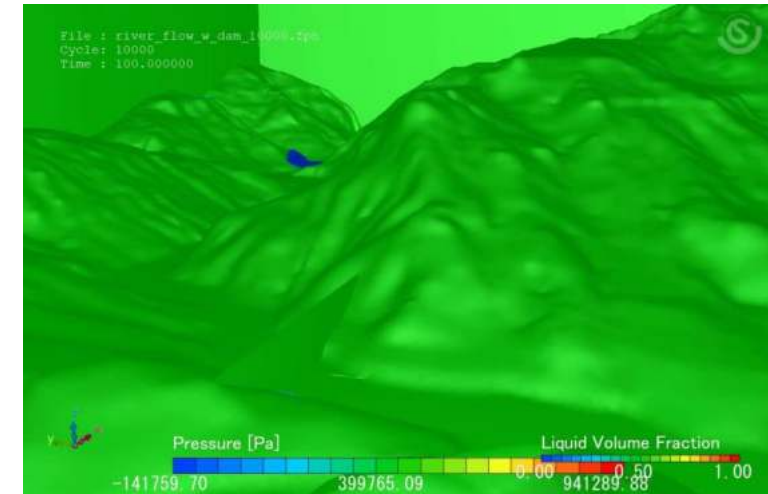
- Ranging from few sq. meter to sq. kms

## Large Mesh Size



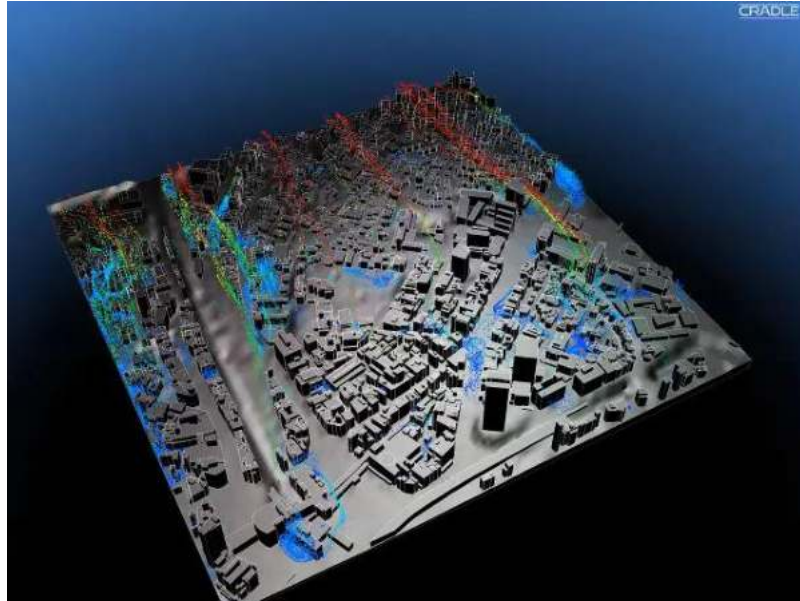
- Ranging between 50 – 500 million and above

## Multiphysics



- Volume of Fluids
- Particle tracking / DEM
- Solar Tracking / Rays
- Topology Mapping

# Wind flow & Pollution Dispersion



## Simulation Details & benefits

- 50 Million+ mesh count
- Inclusion of Multiphase – Air and Particles
- Complex terrain conditions through topology mapping
- Effect of wind direction and ground elevation
- Pollution diffusion analysis
- Study on pollution concentrations
- Flow And structure interactions
- Inclusion of vehicular emissions, fog and moisture

# Tsunami Run-up Simulation

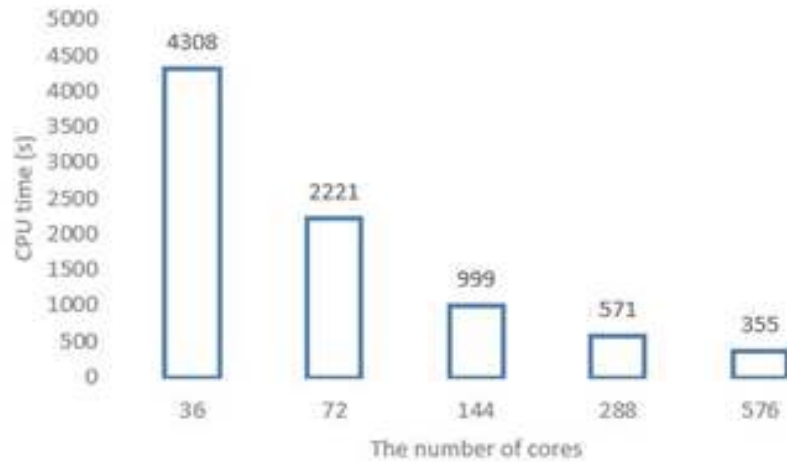


## Analysis details and benefits

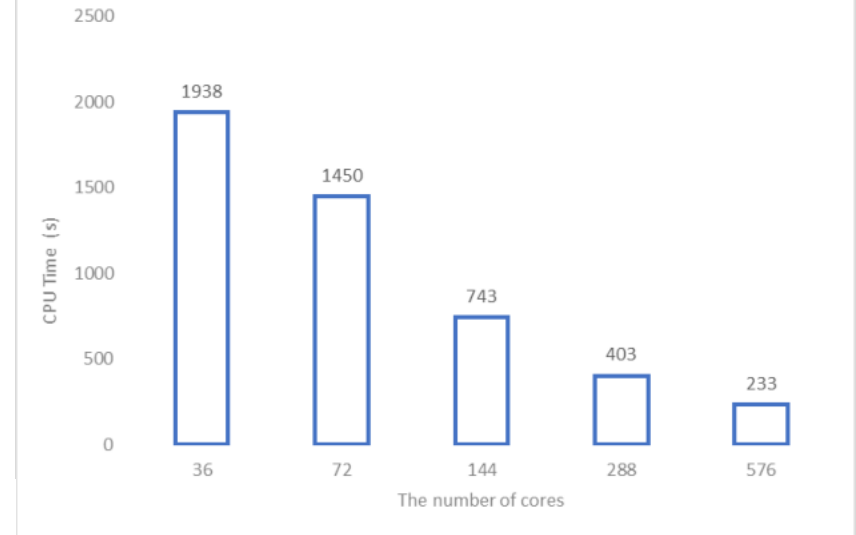
- Mesh Count – 100 million
- Simulation involves wave generation and VOF
- Catastrophe Assessment
- Effective Disaster response
- Water Ingress and flow path analysis
- Infrastructure damage

# Large Scale Simulations - Scalability Study

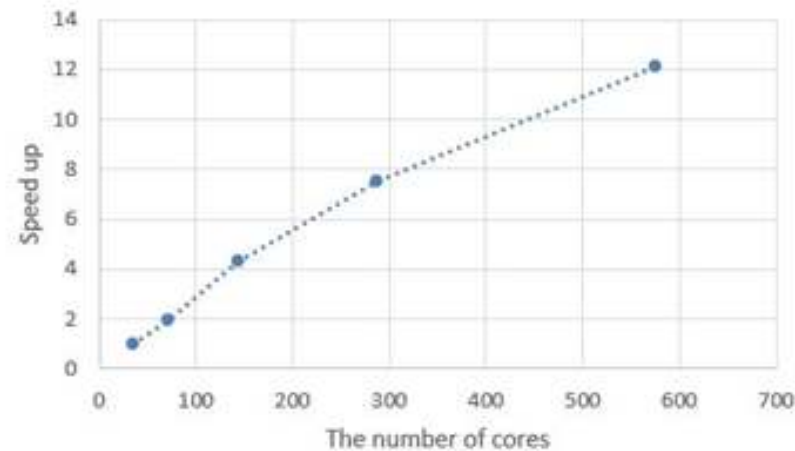
City pollution simulation



Tsunami simulation



Performance



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