

SAP PLM

Product Structure Management

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Designing to Customer Demand and Product Individualization

DESIGN to Operate

SAP Product Lifecycle Management enables faster and insight-driven decisions on product design to meet highly variable and individualized customer requirements.

Idea / Requirements

Systems Engineering

Detailed Design

Prototyping

Production

Operate

Idea & Requirements

Collect, filter and organize new requirements for the next generation product, through improvement requests & feedback from the market that helps you spot trends and focus on what matters

Systems Engineering

Set up project and assign tasks via a collaboration to calculate early product costs estimates and begin model-based systems engineering.

Detailed Design

Integrate CAD, mCAD, eCAD to ensure one product definition. At the same time ensure software compatibility and run product simulations.

Prototyping

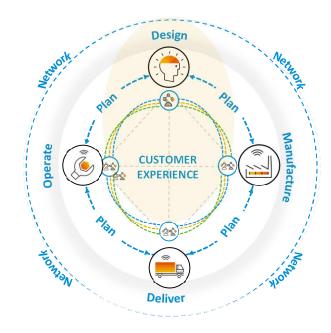
Collaborate with suppliers and test & validate the product or system

Production

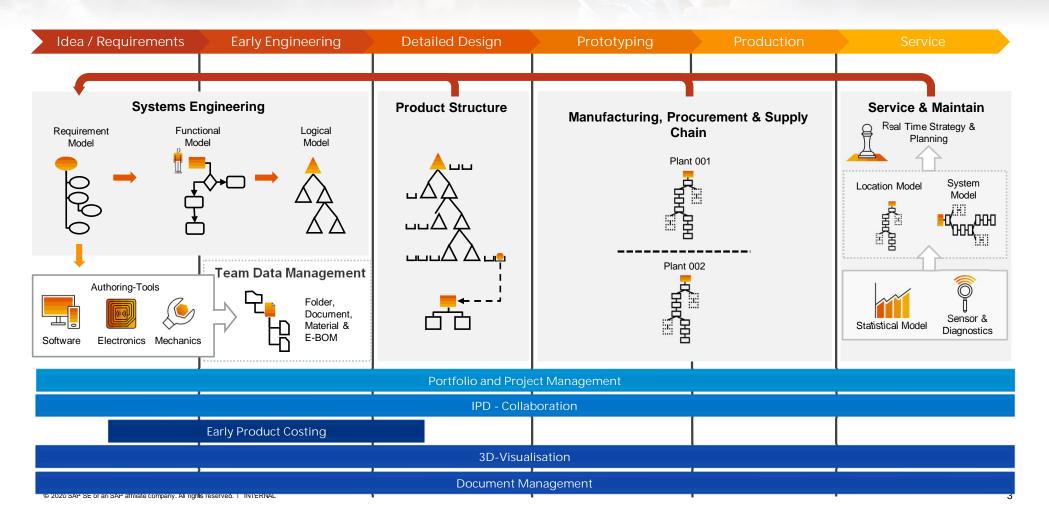
Convert engineering BOMs to manufacturing BOMs to begin product industrialization

Operate

Share spare parts and assets design data to the asset network



Design Business Process with SAP PLM



Requirements Management

User Story

The systems engineer has been asked to create/update the models for the intelligent valve according to the RFLP approach.

Highlight

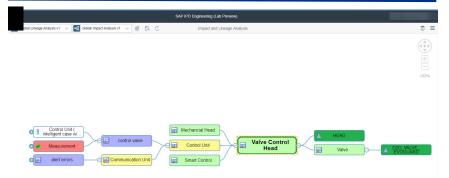
- Impact and Lineage Analysis
- Model-based Systems Engineering using SysML diagrams
- Requirements Management using Machine Learning
- Handover to Product Designers for detailed design

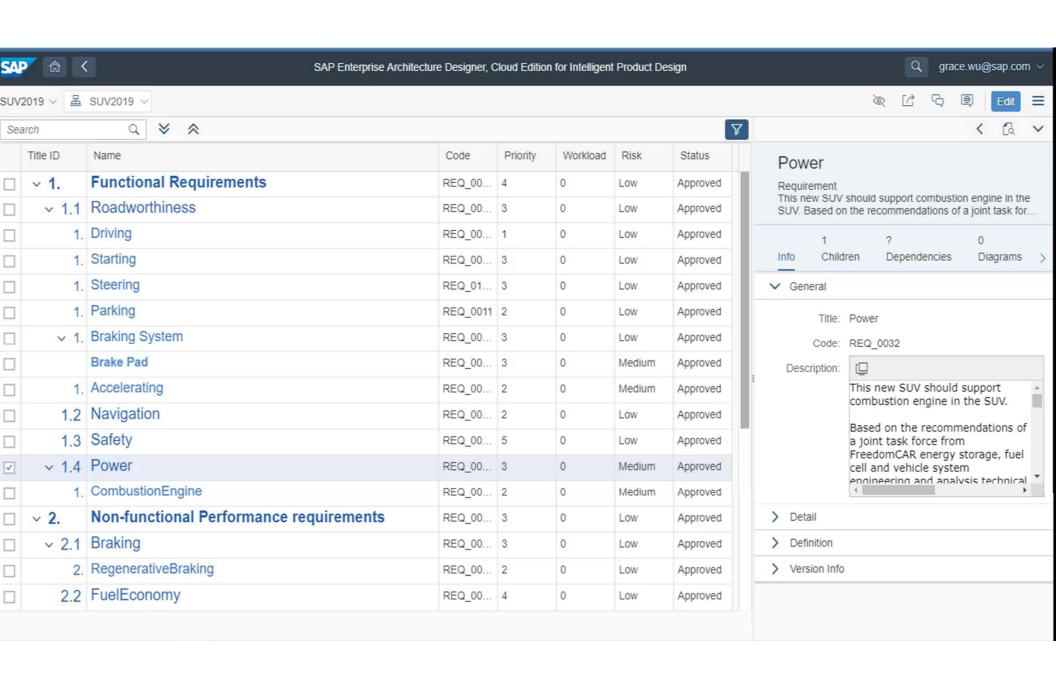
Benefits

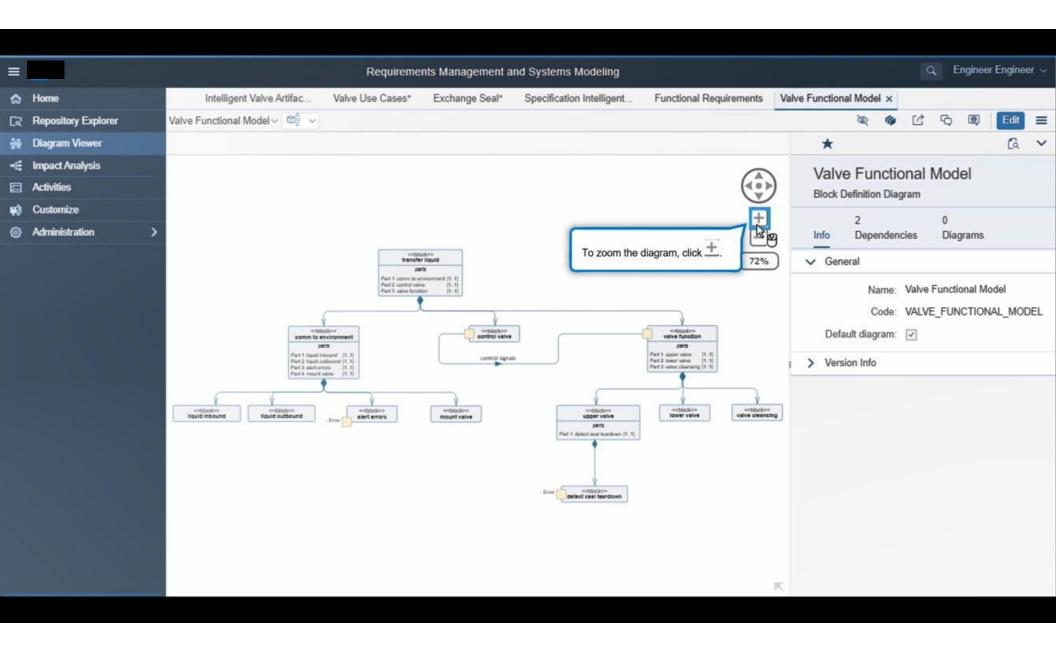
- Graphical Traceability of connections and dependencies between internal and external objects
- Unique and integrated methodology for requirements engineering and management,
- Functional and logical design, as well as physical design in different domains for the multi-disciplinary development process based on a Systems Engineering approach early in the design process.

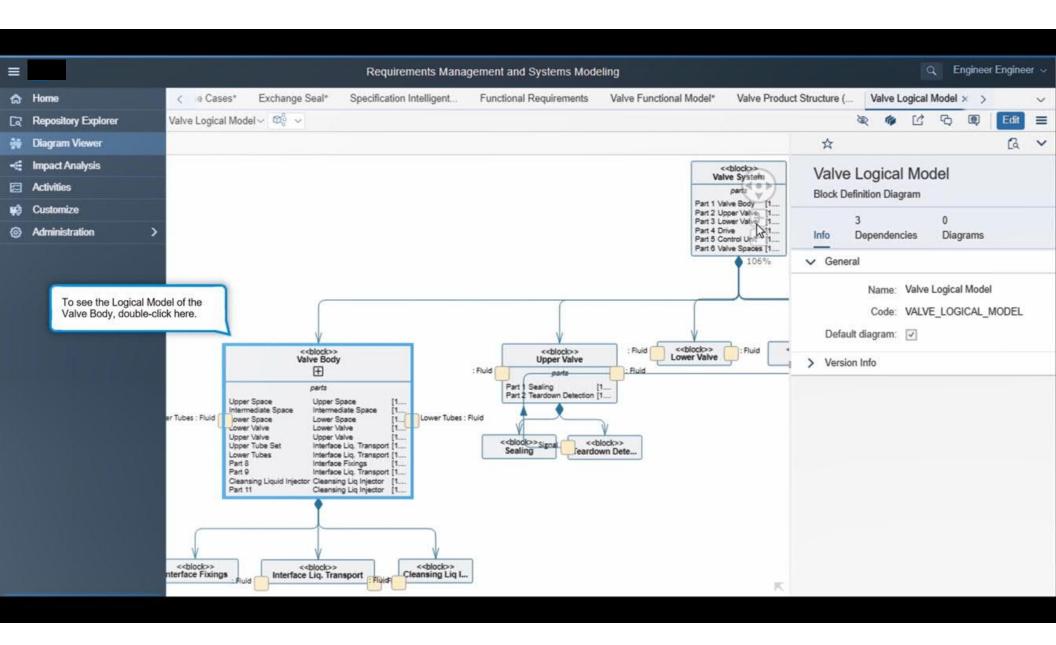


... Classifies new requirements through Machine Learning









Engineering Product Structure

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Create a multilevel structure for a configurable product in an early design phase



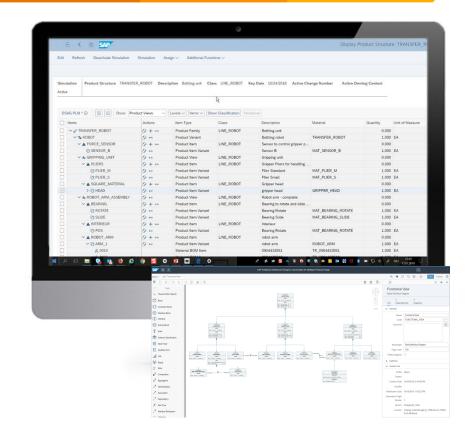
Brings different disciplines together such as mechanics, E/E & Software



As Backbone integrated into Systems Engineering, where the systems engineer is owning the functional (BDD Block Definition Diagrams) or logical models definition.



Backbone for whole engineering department & provides a foundation of reuse information needed in downstream processes, including digital twin



Engineering Product Structure – Template Management

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Templates (150%) could be used as design library owning already characteristics/rules



Create a multilevel structure/new Product Family in early design phase copying templates

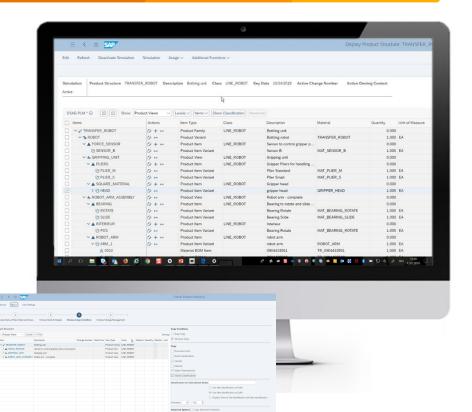


Rework new Product Family and reduce from 150%-100% only. Start Re-Use planning process.

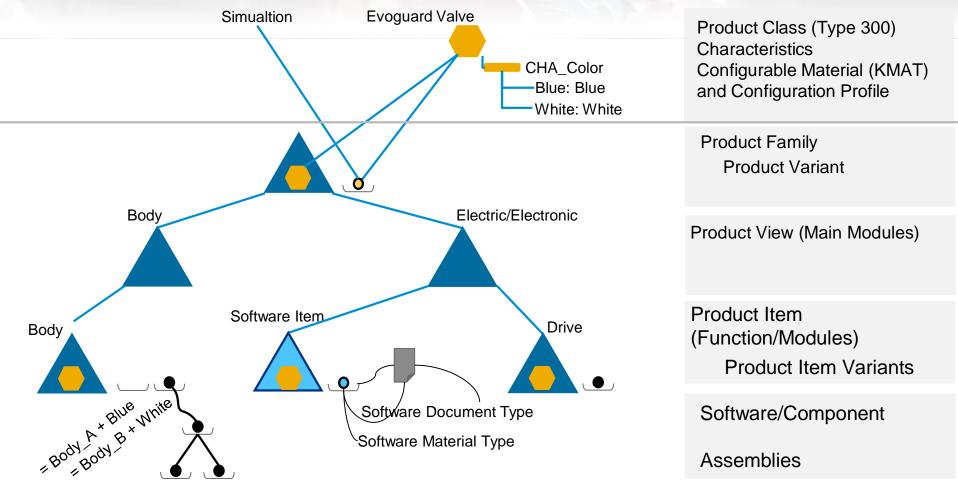


Create new variants, derive targets (cost, weight) from requirements & assign specifications.

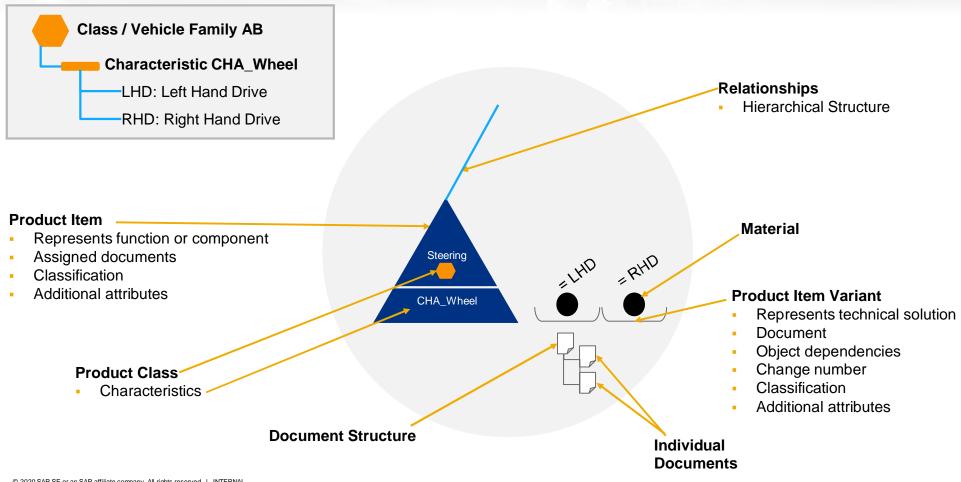
Manage rules/characteristics for new variants. "start/release" new Design – top down approach



Basic Product Variant Structure Definitions



Common example of Product Item & Product Variant



Design & Authoring Tool Integration via ECTR

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Accelerate product development by integrating diverse CAD authoring tools on one platform



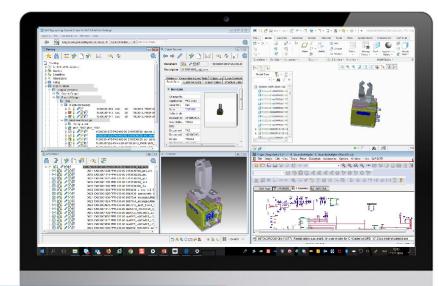
Support multi-disciplinary product development by integrating mechanical, electrical/electronic, & software structures into one product definition

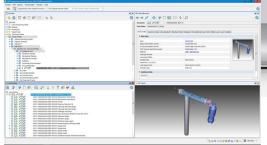


Synchronize product metadata, structures, access, and documentation across the enterprise to encourage data reuse

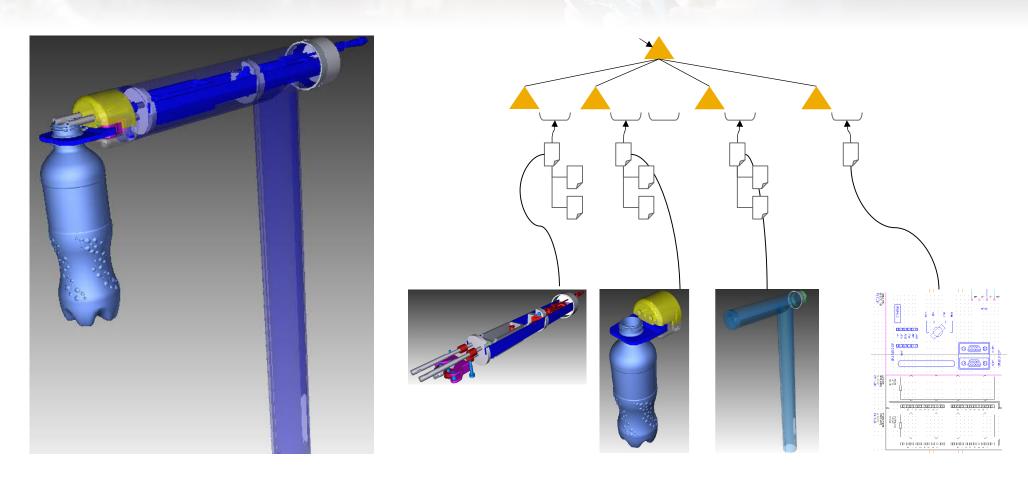


Provide the **foundation** for realizing the **digital twin** by capturing **the multi discipline design data** early on in the product development process





Top down - Functional/Physical Structure / Bottom up - Components, Assemblies



Product Development and Configuration – Software Management

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Handle software as part of the **product model** that is integrated with mechanical & electronical parts



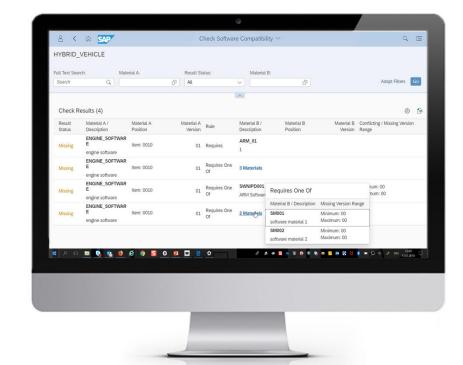
Manage constraints between software's & between software & hardware



Track software usage within the complete product lifecycle from engineering processes down to operation of product equipment



Ensure all software in BOM component are compatible with other BOM components



Enterprise Product Structure - Simulation

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Early Engineering

Detailed Design

Prototyping

Production

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Embedded Simulation with Advanced Variant Configuration Integration



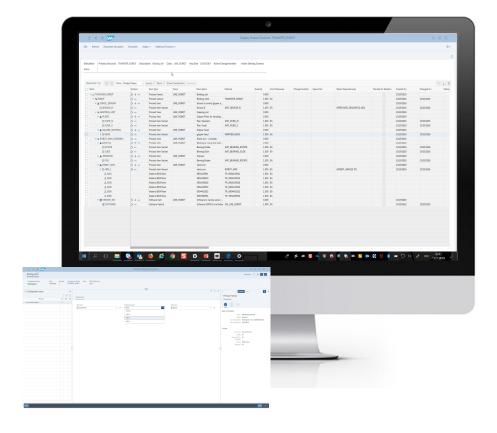
Easy Simulation Management Application



Three different approaches: **Change Number, Simulation or Manual** Setting from where the valid from date is derived



Effortlessly simulate and filter to your needs



Non Visual Handover to Manufacturing with Enterprise Product Structure

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Streamlined handover process bringing together engineering and manufacturing structures



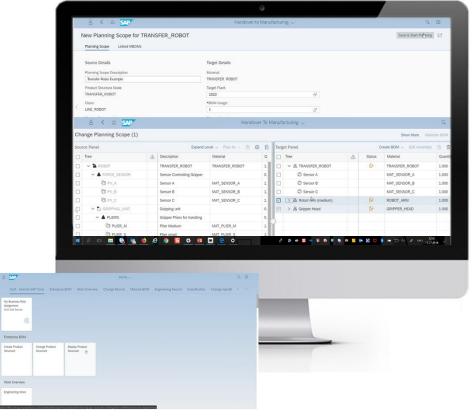
Planning scope allows for easy management of source & target information on one interface



Includes planning features such as "planned as designed" which also allows multilevel product structure explosion



Completeness check also embedded



Thank you.

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