



Introduction and Live Demonstration of LS-OPT[®] Version 5

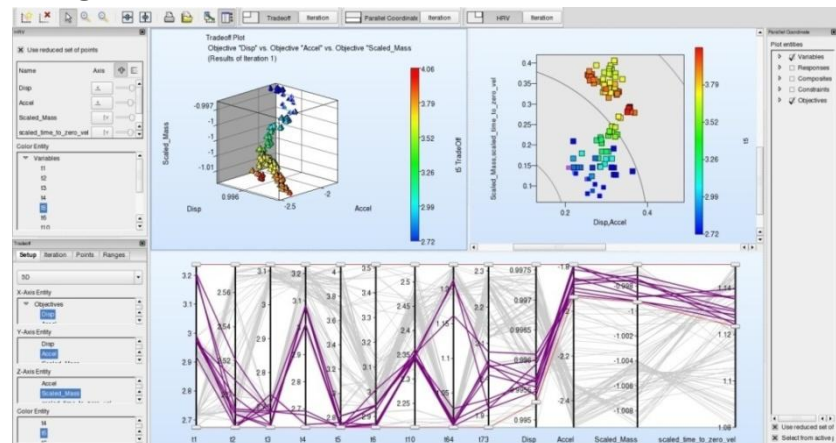
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Überblick

- Einführung LS-OPT
- LS-OPT 5 - Ziele und Anforderungen
- Aufsetzen einer DOE-Studie anhand eines Beispiels mit LS-OPT 5
 - Problembeschreibung
 - Definition von Variablen
 - Extraktion von Antworten
- Visualisierung der Optimierungsergebnisse
 - Simulationsdaten
 - Metamodelle
 - Sensitivitäten

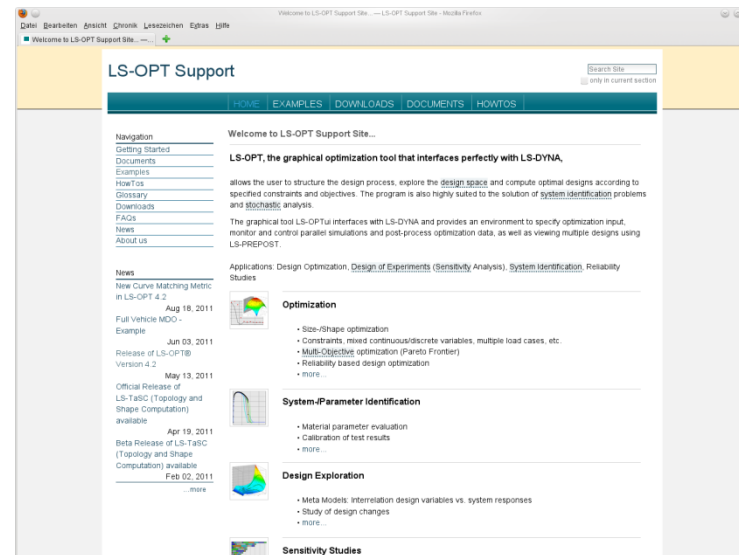
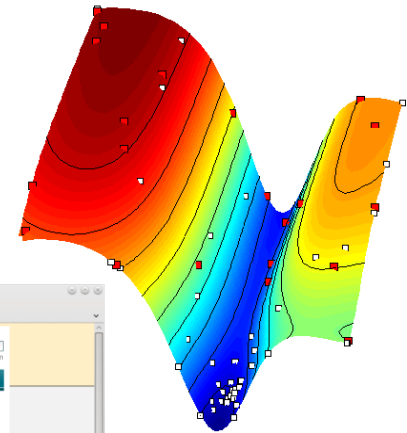


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➔ About LS-OPT

- Two main products LS-OPT and LS-TaSC
- LS-OPT can be **linked to any simulation code** – stand alone optimization software, but perfect suitable with LS-DYNA
- Current production version is LS-OPT 5.0
- LS-OPT Support web page -> www.lsoptsupport.com

- *Download of Executables*
- *Tutorials*
- *HowTos / FAQs*
- *Documents*
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LS-OPT – Overview Methodologies

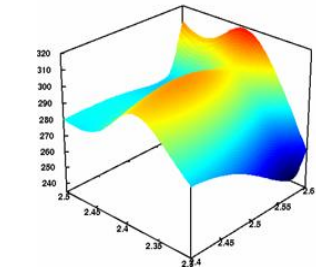
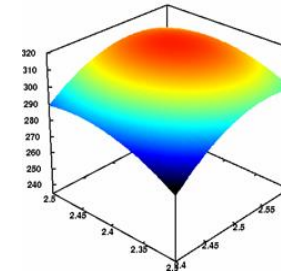
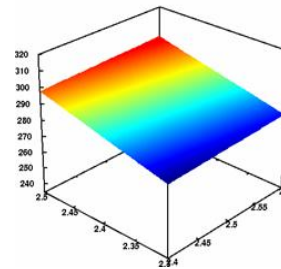
- Successive Response Surface Method (SRSM)

- Meta-Models

- *Polynomials*

- *Radial Basis Functions*

- *Neural Nets (FFNN)*



- Genetic Algorithm (MOGA->NSGA-II)

- Multidisciplinary optimization (MDO)

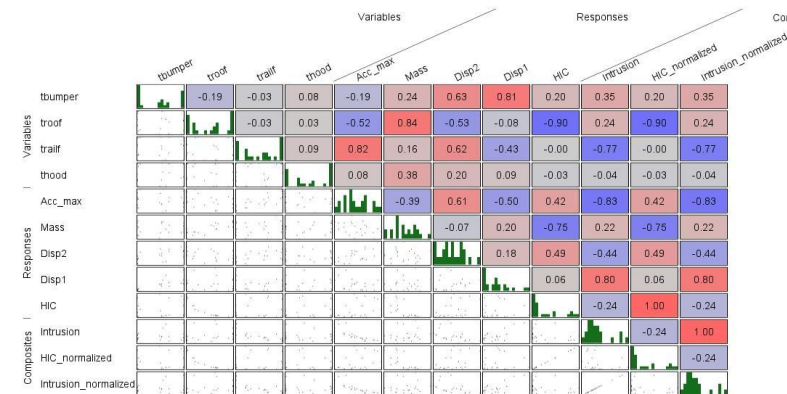
- DOE-Studies (ANOVA, Sobol)

- Stochastic/Probabilistic Analysis

- *Evaluation of stochastic quantities: mean, std.-dev., correl.-coeff.,*

- *Confidence Intervals*

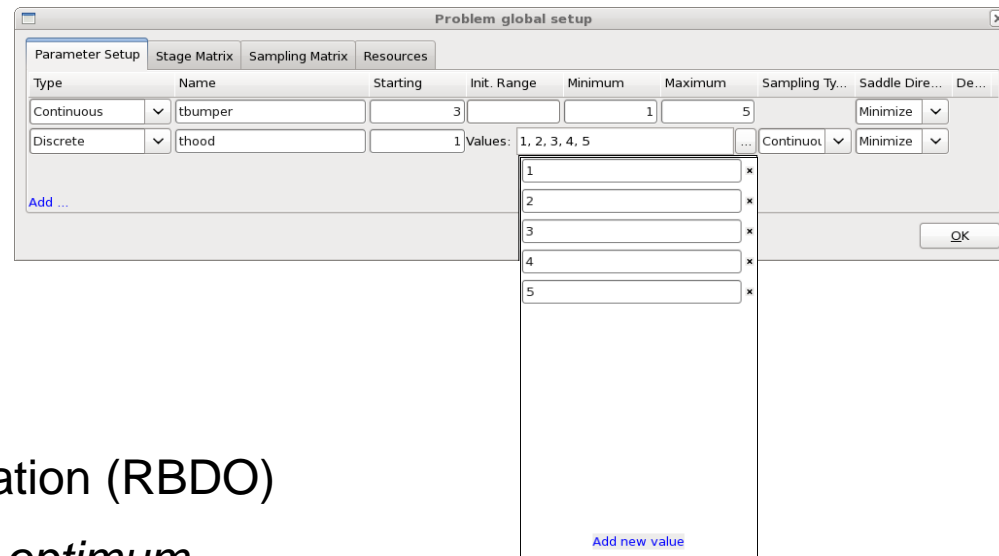
- Monte Carlo Analysis using Meta-Models



LS-OPT – Overview Methodologies

■ Mixed Discrete-Continuous Optimization

- *Specify sets of discrete variables (e.g. sheet thicknesses)*



■ Robust Parameter Design (RDO)

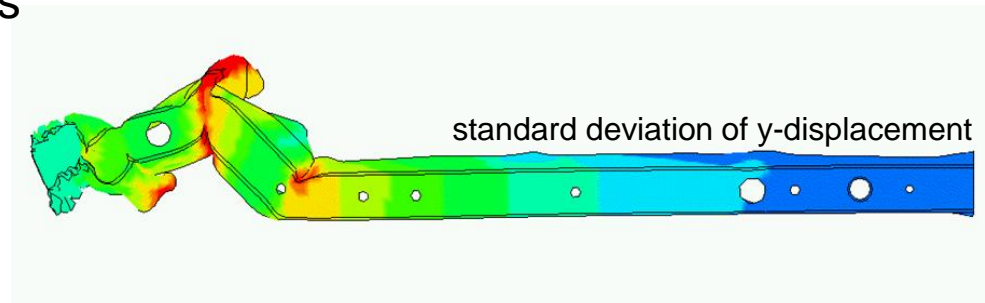
- *Improve/Maximizing the robustness of the optimum*

■ Reliability Based Design Optimization (RBDO)

- *Improve failure probability of optimum*

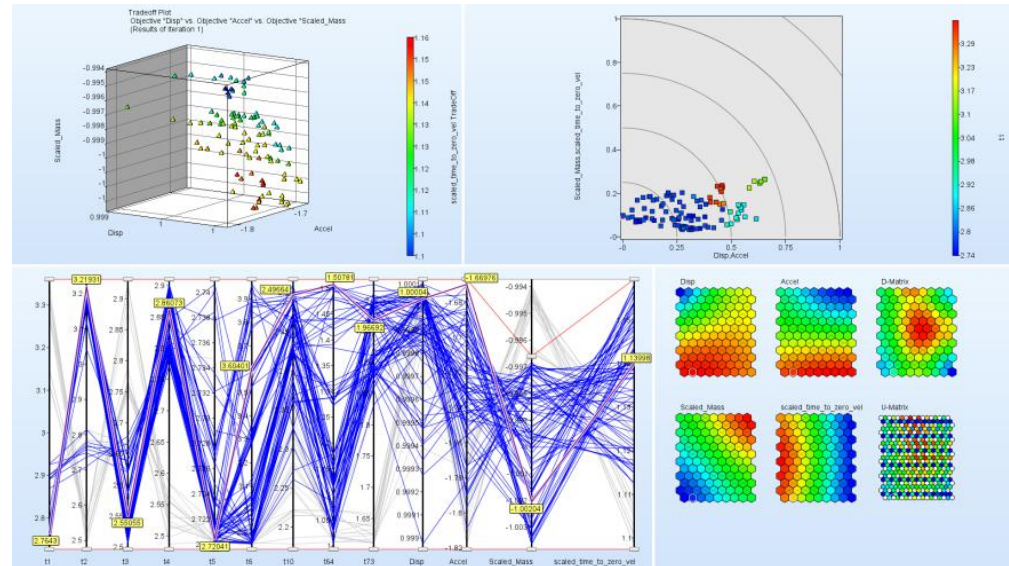
■ Visualization of Stochastic Results

- *Fringe of statistic results on the FE-Model*



➔ LS-OPT – Multi-Objective Optimization

- Genetic Algorithm (MOGA->NSGA-II) for Multi Objective Optimization (Pareto Frontiers)
- Visualization Strategies for Pareto Optimal Data
 - Tradeoff Plot
 - Parallel Coordinate Plots
 - Hyper-Radial Visualization
 - Self Organizing Maps



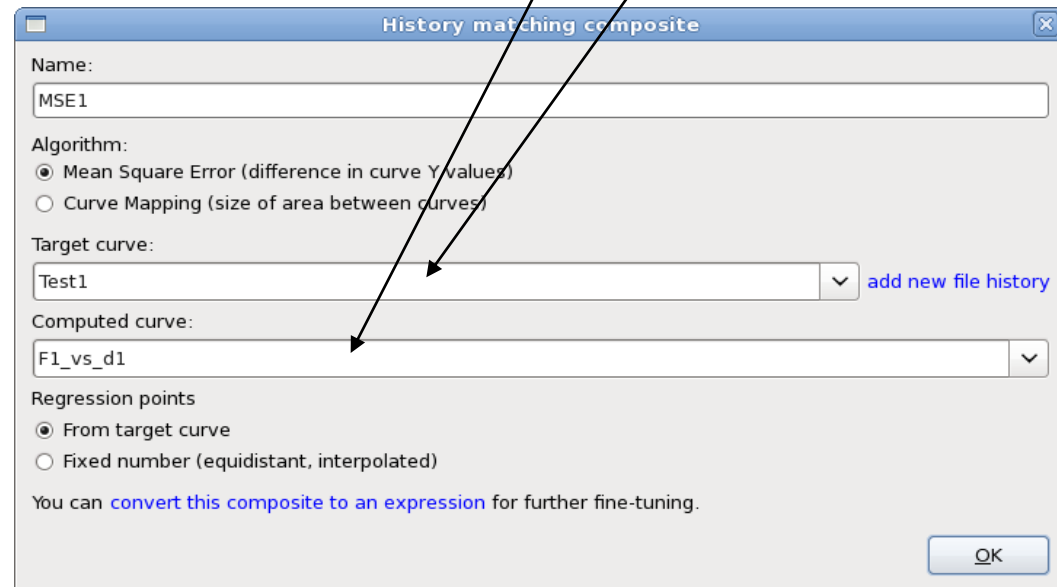
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■ Parameter Identification Module

- *Handles "continuous" test curves*
- *Automated use of test results to calibrate materials/systems*
- *Simplify input for system identification applications*
- *Visualization of test and simulation curve to compare*
- *Confidence intervals for individual parameters in parameter identification*

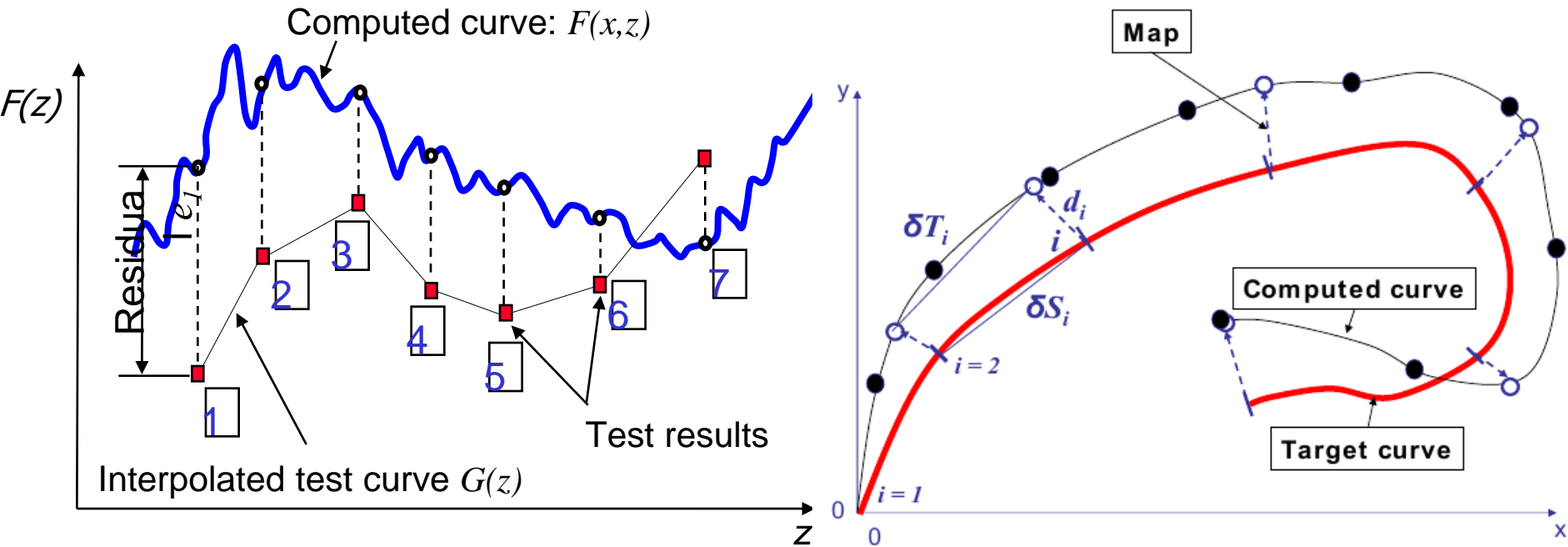
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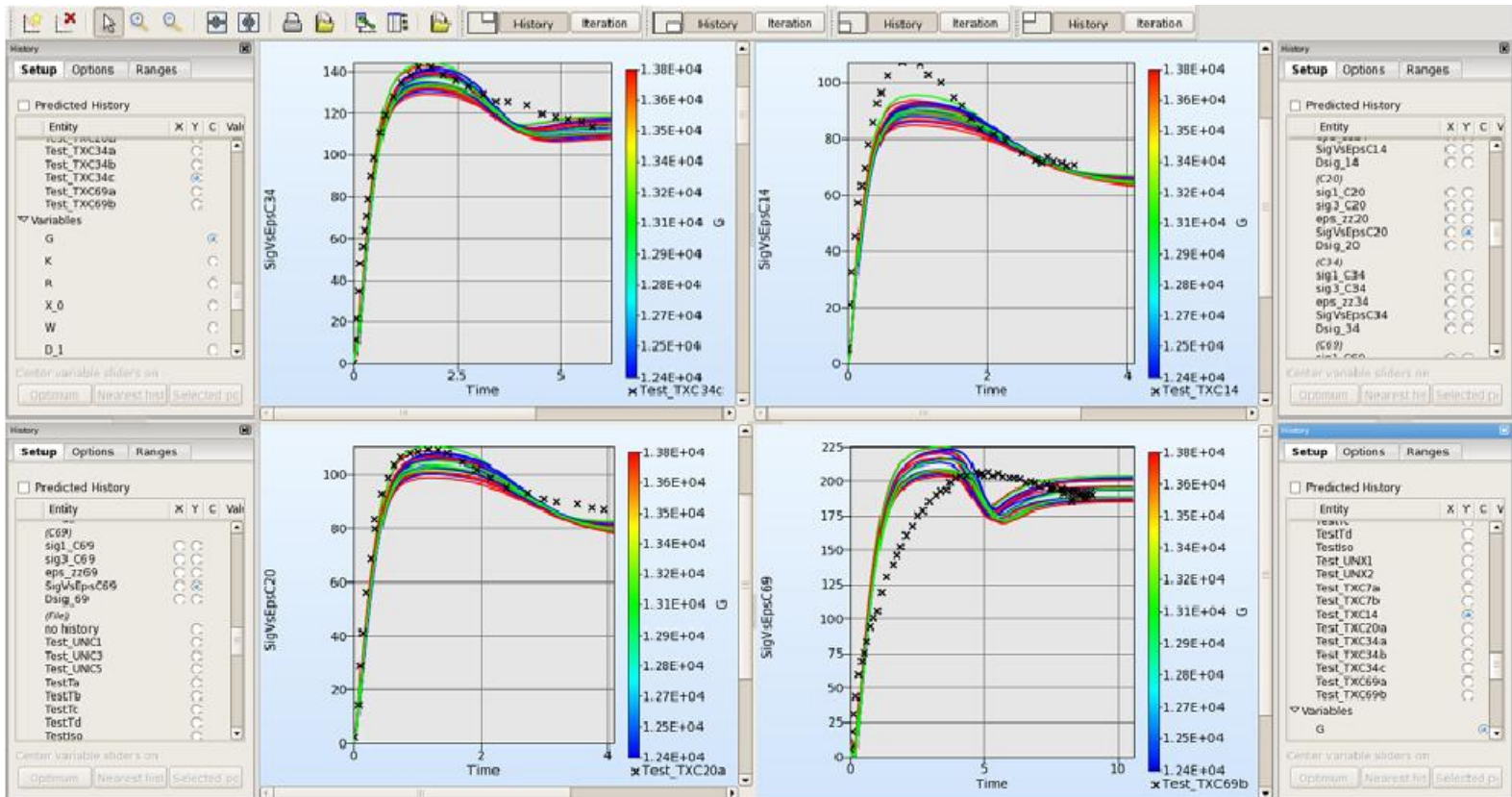
■ Parameter Identification with Test Curves



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- Computed history curves vs. Target curves



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➔ About LS-OPT – General Aspects

- Job Distribution - Interface to Queuing Systems
 - *PBS, LSF, LoadLeveler, SLURM, AQS, etc.*
 - *Retry of failed queuing (abnormal termination)*

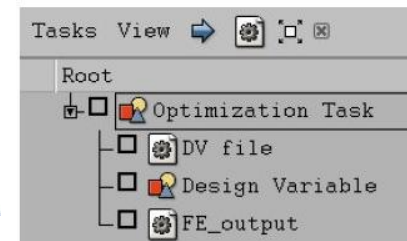
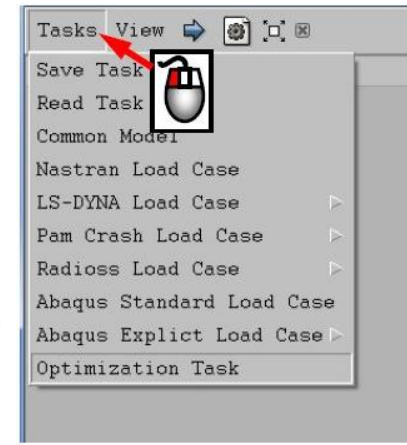
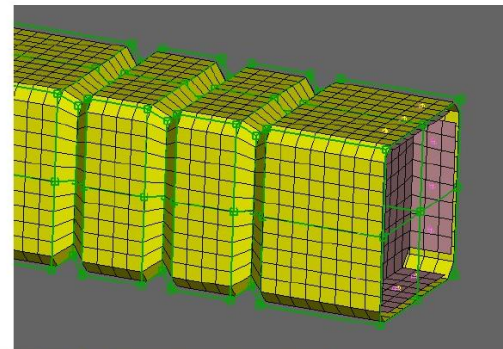
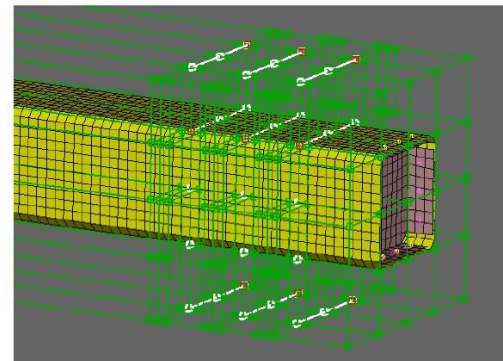
- LS-OPT might be used as a “Process Manager”

■ Shape Optimization

- *Interface to ANSA, HyperMorph, LS-PREPOST,*

■ META Post interface

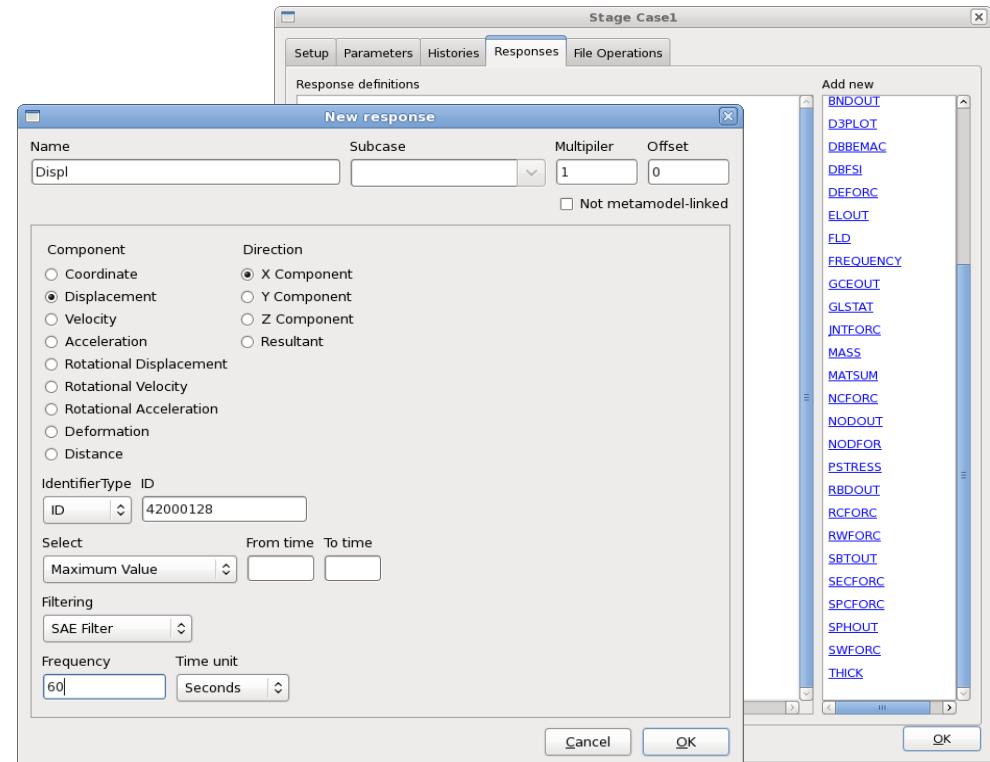
- *Allows extraction of results from any package (Abaqus, NASTRAN, ...) supported by META Post (ANSA package)*



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■ LS-DYNA Integration

- *Checking of Dyna keyword files (*DATABASE_)*
- *Importation of design parameters from Dyna keyword files (*PARAMETER_)*
- *Monitoring of LS-DYNA progress*
- *Result extraction of most LS-DYNA response types*
- *D3plot compression (node and part selection)*



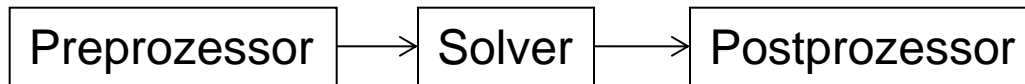


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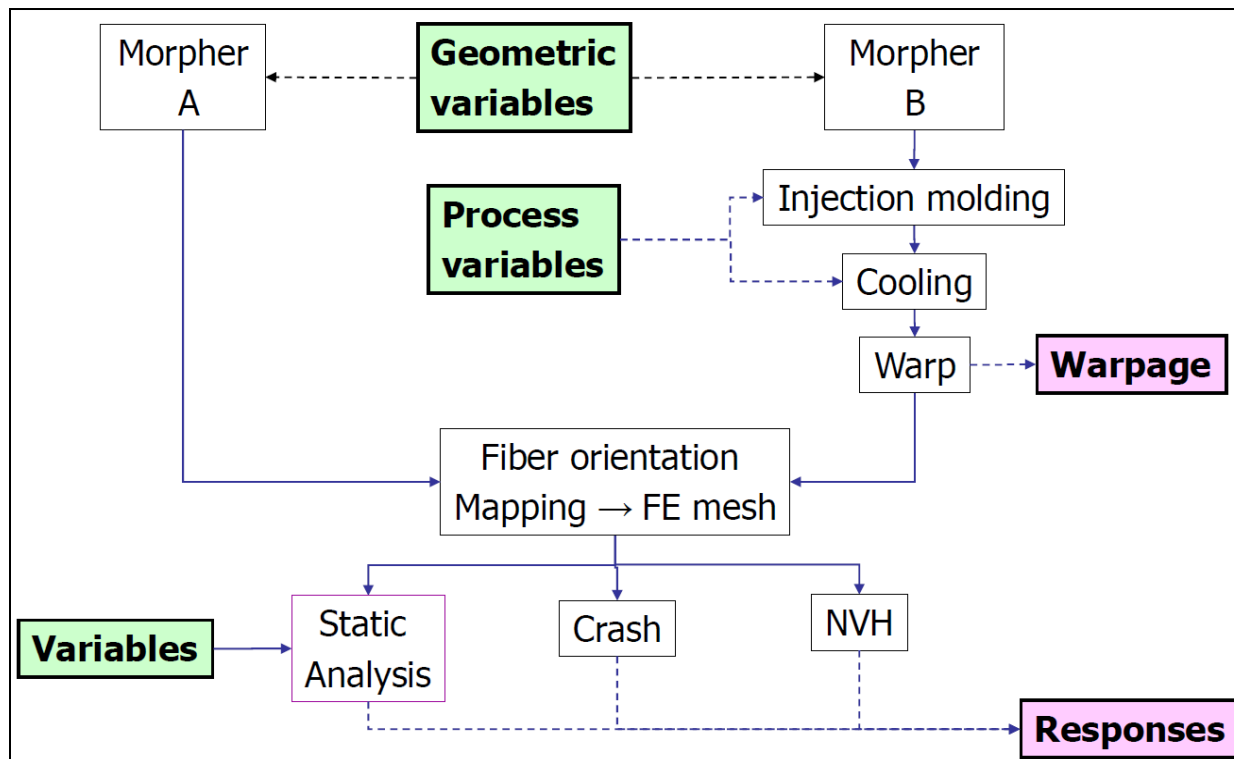
Ziele und Anforderungen

LS-OPT 5 – Ziele und Anforderungen

- Bisher mögliche Prozessketten innerhalb Optimierung mit LS-OPT:



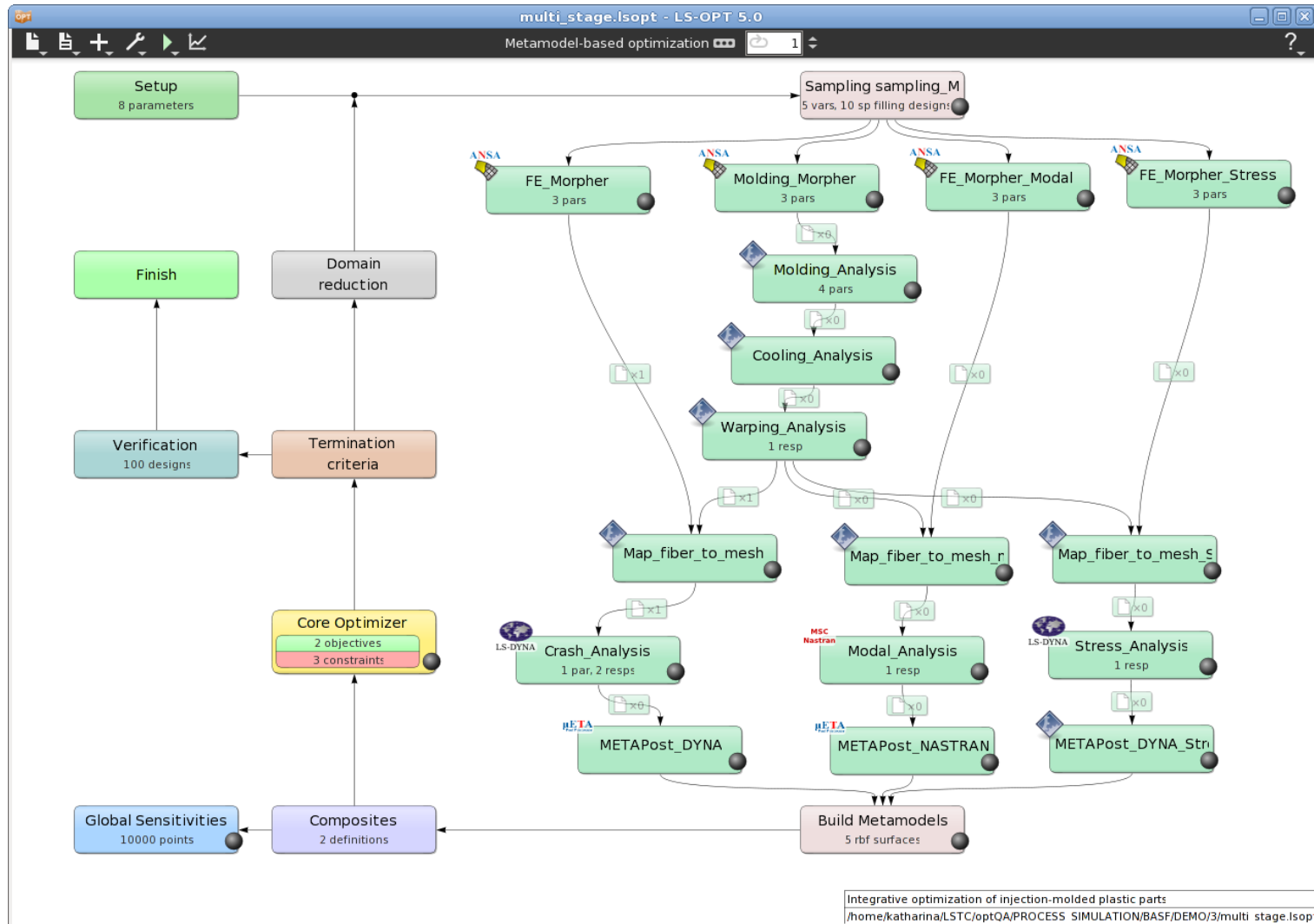
- Neue Anforderungen: längere Prozessketten, Verzweigungen



LS-OPT 5 – Ziele und Anforderungen

- Prozesssimulation & Optimierung
 - *Prozess-Ablauf mit Verzweigungen und Zusammenführen*
 - *Ausgabe-Dateien: kopieren, löschen, verschieben, ...*
- Schrittweise Ausführung möglich
 - *z.B. nur Sampling*
 - *oder einzelner Teilschritt der Prozesskette*
- Status der Berechnungen bzw. Optimierung wird dargestellt

LS-OPT 5 – neue graphische Oberfläche



LS-OPT 5 – neue Datenbasis

■ XML-Format

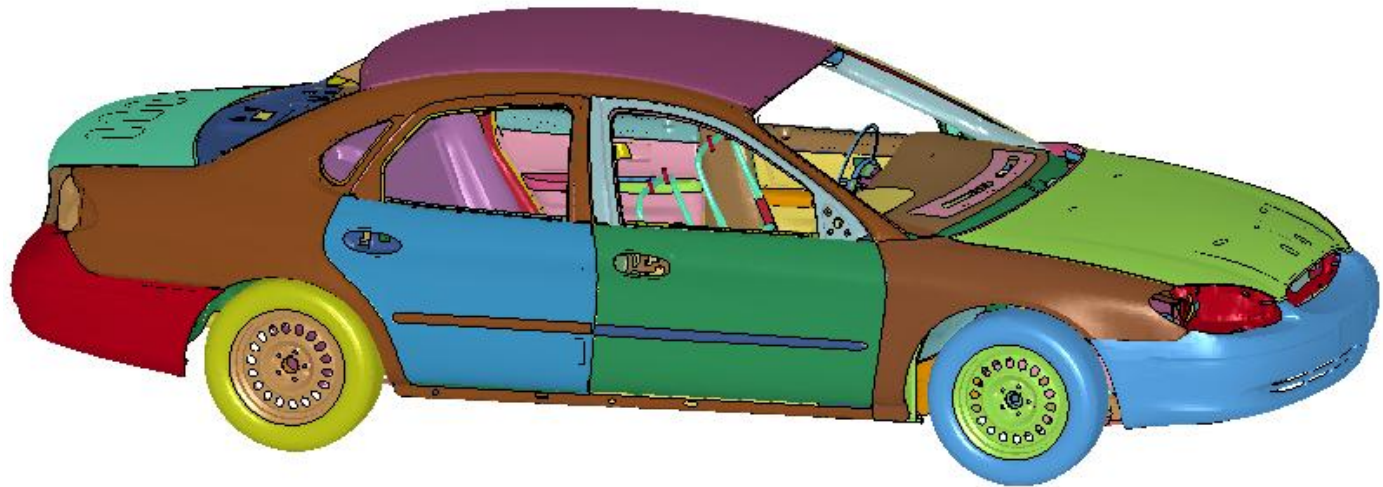
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Beispiel

Example Problem - Model

- NCAC Model <http://www.ncac.gwu.edu/>, Ford Taurus
 - *Number of Parts* 771
 - *Number of Shells* 776209
 - *Number of Nodes* 858117
 - *Number of Beams* 4
 - *Number of Solids* 48227
 - *Number of Elements* 824452

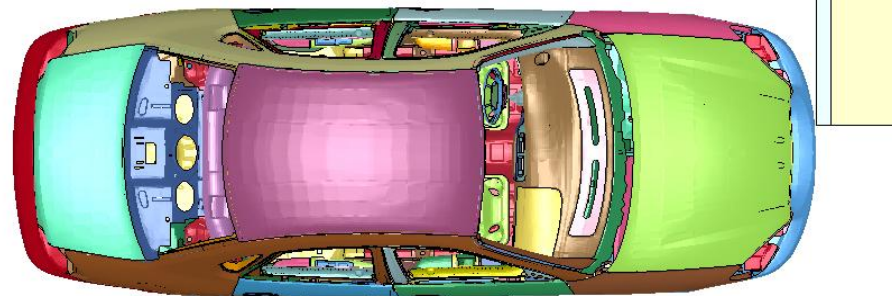


Example Problem – Load Cases

- US-NCAP
 - 56.6km/h

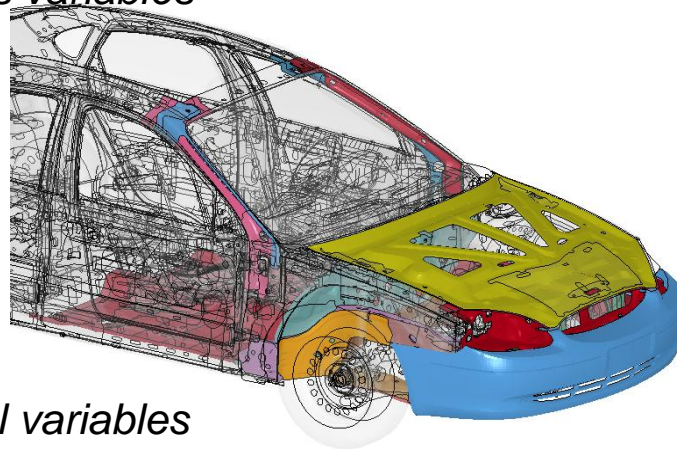


- IIHS ODB
 - 64.4 km/h
 - 40% overlap

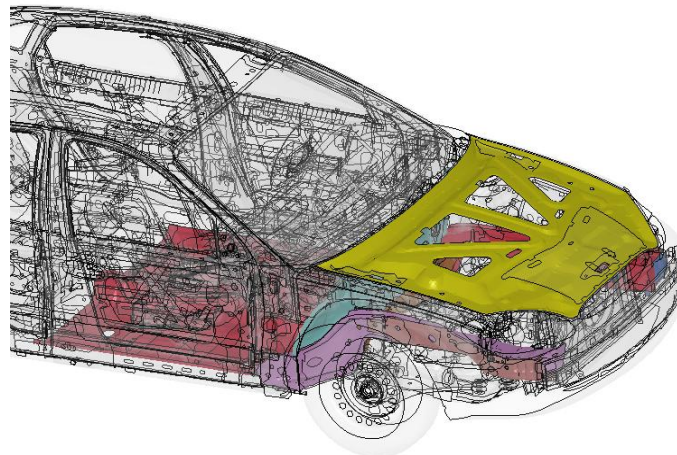


Example Problem - Variables

- 27 variables
 - 21 *sheet thickness variables*

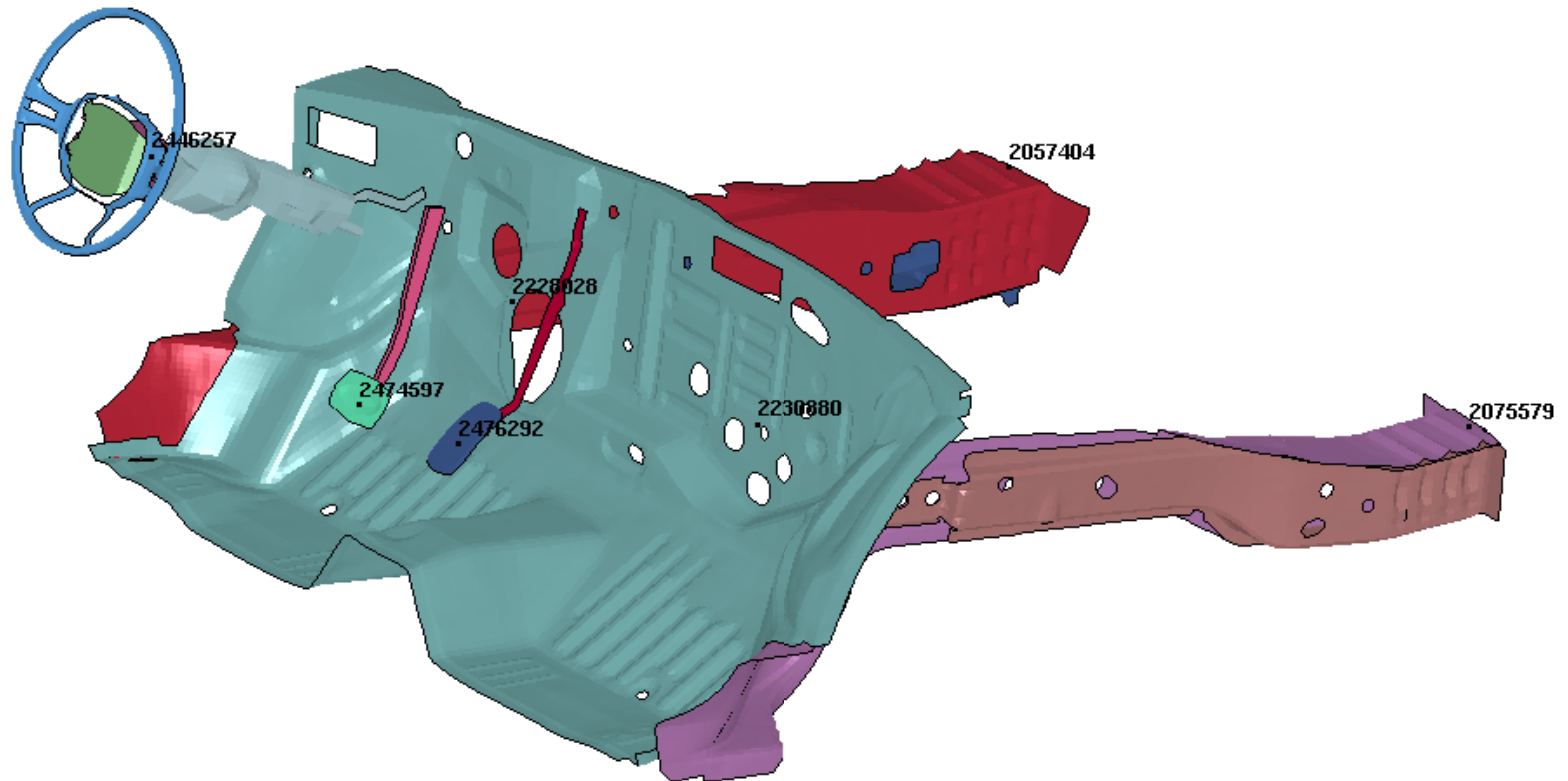


- 6 *discrete material variables*



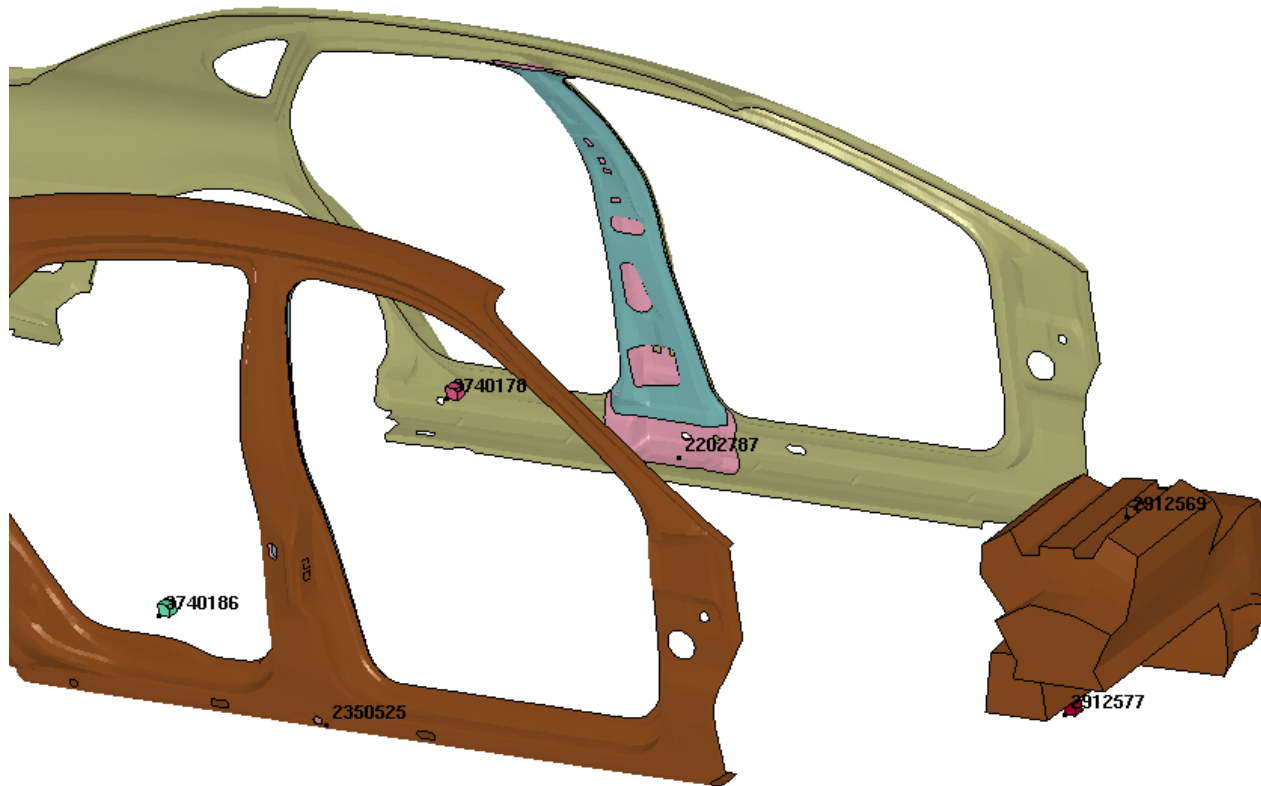
Example Problem - Responses

- Responses US-NCAP and IIHS ODB
 - *Mass*
 - *Intrusions*



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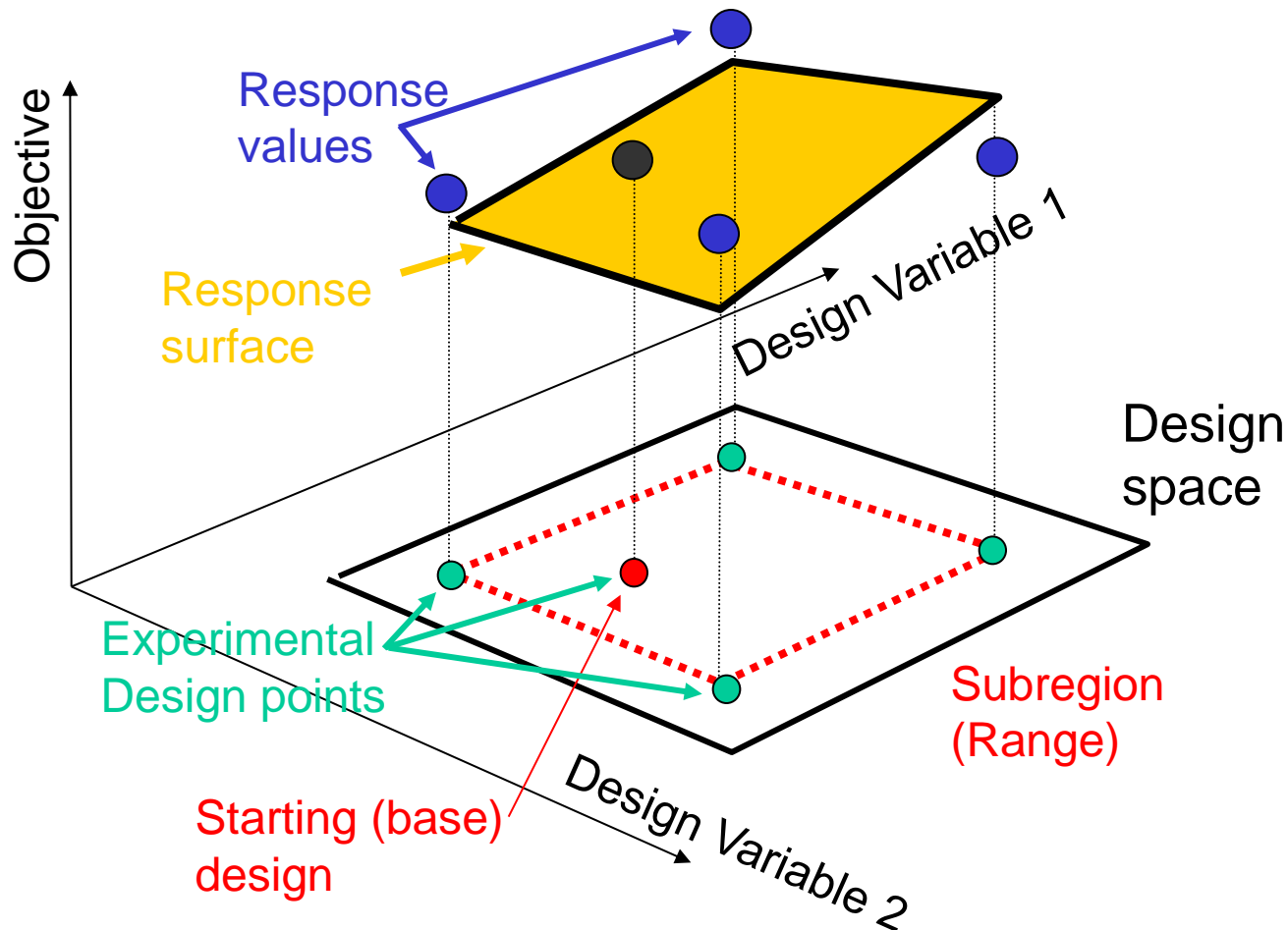
- Responses US-NCAP and IIHS ODB
 - Accelerations





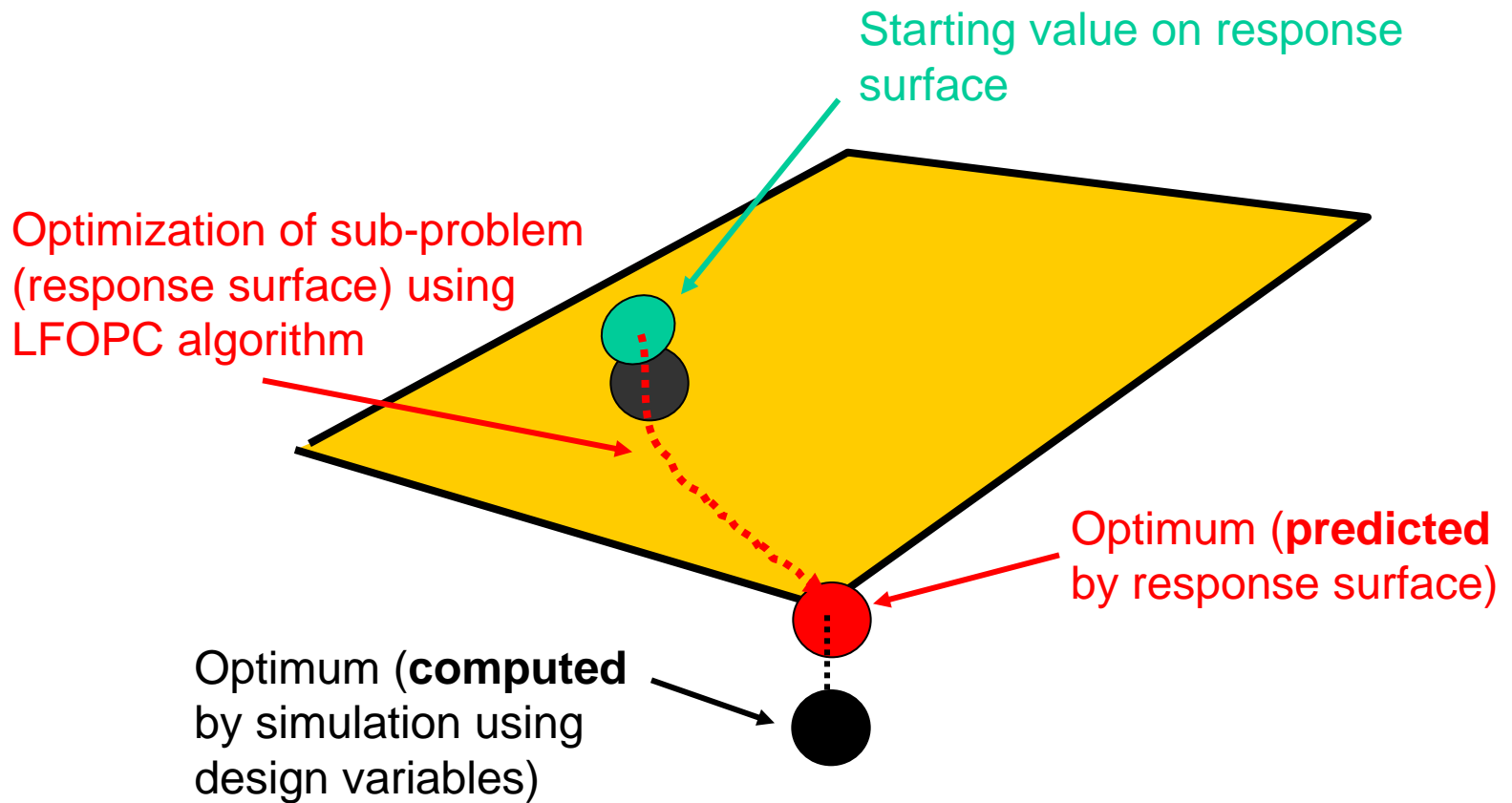
Einschub – Sequential Response Surface Method (SRSM)

Response Surface Methodology - Optimization Process

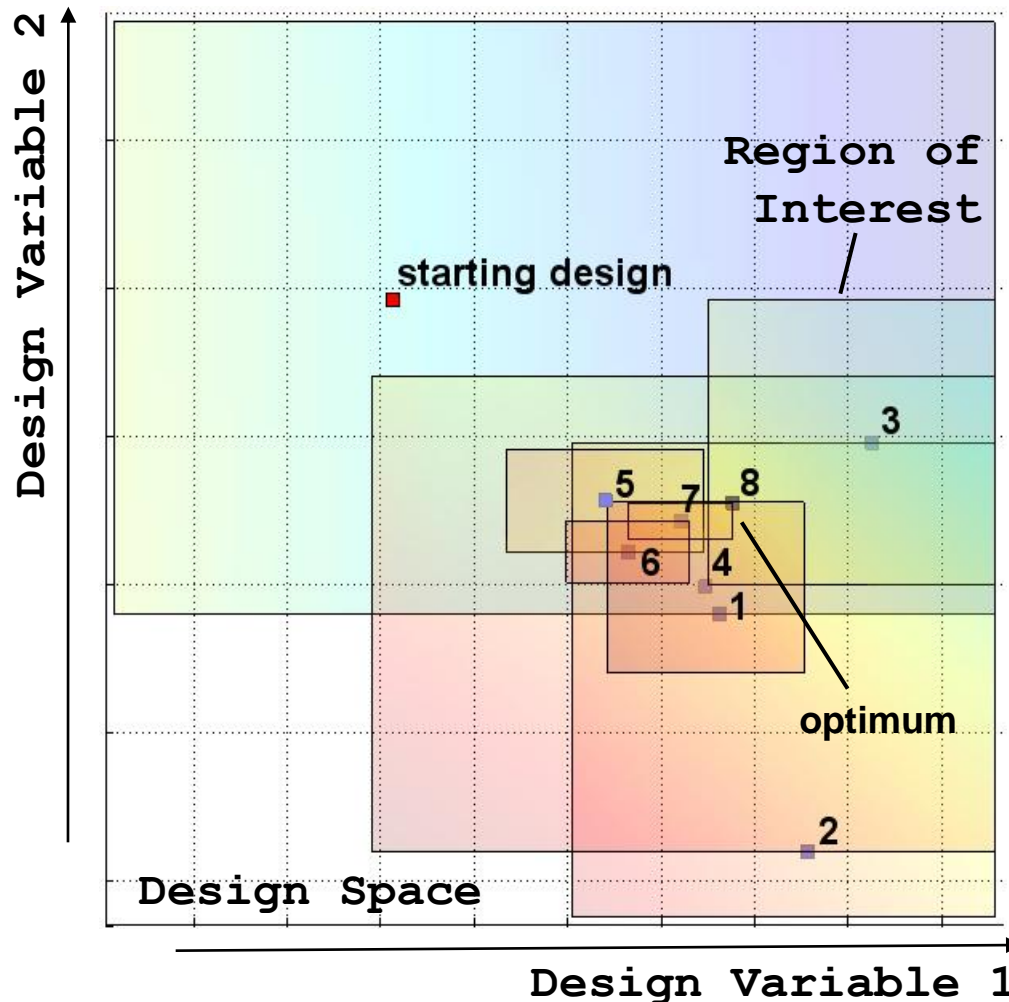


Methods - Optimization

Find an Optimum on the Response Surface (one iteration)



Successive Response Surface Methodology





LS-OPT 5 - Datenstruktur

- Früher „Solver“ → „Sampling“ und „Stage“ → neue Datenstruktur

