### **DRD** TECHNOLOGY

# Updating Contacts in Large Assemblies

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### Introduction to DRD Techniques for Updating Geometry Live Demo Q&A

### **Mission Statement**

DRD Technology helps engineering teams accelerate product development. With in-house expertise spanning the entire range of physics, we ensure customers succeed when using Ansys simulation tools for virtual prototyping and design verification.



### **DRD History**

Since 1980, DRD Technology has been focused on engineering simulation.

In 1984, DRD became an Ansys Channel Partner.

I've been working with DRD for 29 years. Working with your team has been one of the more enjoyable parts of my career. You have always been ready to help in any way.

> - Rick Kunc Sr. Research & Development Engineer







CERTIFIED ELITE CHANNEL PARTNER

### **Technical Support Contact Coordinates**



For more than five years, I have worked closely with DRD Technology to execute tactical and strategic initiatives here at EaglePicher due to our unprecedented growth. We've been very happy with DRD and will continue to work with them as our business partner for using Ansys tools effectively and efficiently.

Doug Austin
Director of Research and Development
Eagle Picher
Technologies, LLC

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### **Ansys Software Training**

### Courses from DRD

#### Structures

Introduction to Ansys Mechanical (2 days) Ansys Composite Cure Simulation (1 day) Ansys Mechanical Nonlinear Structural Simulation (2 days) Ansys Mechanical Structural Dynamics (2 days) Ansys Mechanical Fracture Mechanics (1 day) Ansys Mechanical Thermal Simulation (1 day) Ansys Composite PrepPost (1 day) Ansys Topology Optimization and Metal Additive Manufacturing (1 day) Ansys Workbench LS-DYNA (2 days) Advanced Meshing for Ansys Mechanical (1 day) Introduction to SpaceClaim for Ansys Mechanical (1 day) Ansys Mechanical Fatigue Life Prediction (1/2 day) Ansys nCode Design Life (2 days)

#### System Modeling

Introduction to Ansys Twin Builder for Mechanical Systems (1 day)

#### Fluids

Introduction to Ansys CFX (2 days) Introduction to Ansys Fluent (2 days) Workbench Meshing for Ansys Fluent (1 day) Fault Tolerant Meshing for Underhood Thermal Modeling with Ansys CFD (1 day) Ansys Rocky (1 day)

#### Electronics

Introduction to Ansys HFSS (2 days) Ansys HFSS Antenna Design (2 days) Ansys HFSS SBR+ Antenna Placement Design (1 day) Introduction to Ansys Slwave (1 day) Introduction to Ansys HFSS 3D Layout (2 days) Introduction to Ansys Maxwell (1 day) Ansys Maxwell Motor Modeling (1 day) Introduction to Ansys Icepak (2 days)

## **DRD Tulsa, OK Training Facility**

In person training may be conducted at DRD's Tulsa offices or on-site at a customer's facility.

DRD's training has the right mix of theoretical background, technical depth, and practical application.

> - Patrick Stahl Sr. Product Development Engineer Bobcat



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### **Ansys Expert Mail List**

#### Request to be added by sending a note to support@drd.com

#### **Ansys Expert Tech Corner**

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	• 2021
The topics on this page are intended for engineers who are interested in highly technical and detailed information on Ansys. These topics contain information, which is not readily available to Ansys users through standard documentation and training courses. For example, some topics provide information on Ansys capabilities that are under development or are not documented.	• 2020
	• 2019
	• 2018
	• 2017
	• 2016
	• 2014 - 2015
	• 2003 - 2013

#### Fracture Mechanics Webinar: Gain Insight Into Structures with Cracks with Ansys Fracture Mechanics - (April 2023)

This webinar, conducted on April 28, 2023, provides a brief overview of fracture mechanics and Ansys capabilities in fracture analysis. DRD discusses safe-life vs. damage tolerant design, material data acquisition, and simulation of cracks in structures. Ansys fracture capabilities include both stationary, and static and fatigue crack growth options for engineers to analyze their systems.

For a recording and the presentation slides, download here. (A password is required if you have not obtained one already. Select Fracture Mechanics Webinar (April 2023) from the password topic list).



- Contact management can be challenging when making geometry changes
- Mechanical has features for managing scoping after updating geometry
- Goals: define new contacts, fix lost scoping, avoid repeating work

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