

# Automated Teamcenter CAD Validation

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## Brian Walker

### Work Experience

#### Honeywell Aerospace

- MBE Tools & Process Development Lead
  - PLM Strategy & Governance
  - Previously in mechanical design (valves, engine installations, and APUs)
- Mechanical design experience in automotive & aerospace industries prior to Honeywell.

### Education

- B.S. Mechanical Engineering – Michigan Tech
- M.E. Systems Engineering – Penn State

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### Work Experience

#### Elysium Inc

- Director, Americas Sales and Engagements
- Product Management
- Responsible to ensure Americas team understands and delivers customer requirements for success; Allocate appropriate resources to projects and drive product development. Influence global company strategy.

### Industry Involvement

- AIAG MBE Workgroup Volunteer
- JT Open TRB Member
- CAX-IF / ProSTEP / PDES Inc. / LoTAR

# Team members

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- **Elysium**

- Annalise Suzuki, Director, Americas Sales and Engagements
- Masayuki Yonezawa, ASFALIS Technical Application Engineer

- **Honeywell Aerospace**

- Cristina Martinez, MBE Tools & Process Development Lead
- Marco Vaquera , Data Exchange Solution Architect
- Ravikiran Choudhari , Development Lead

# Honeywell Aerospace Overview

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## FACTS

- Headquartered in Phoenix, Arizona
- ~38,000 employees worldwide
- ~100 worldwide manufacturing and service sites
- Annual revenue of ~\$12 billion

## STRENGTHS

- Global leader in aviation industry
- Driving modernization of global air traffic management (ATM)
- Developing innovative safety products
- Committed to improving operational efficiencies



# Honeywell's Business

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**Automation &  
Control Solutions**  
Minneapolis, MN  
headquarters



**Aerospace**  
Phoenix, AZ and  
Rolle, Switzerland  
headquarters

**Performance Materials  
& Technologies**  
Morris Plains, NJ  
headquarters

- **\$38.6B in sales**
- **Approximately 129,000 employees, 1,300 sites, 70 countries**
- **Morris Plains, NJ global corporate headquarters**



# Elysium Overview

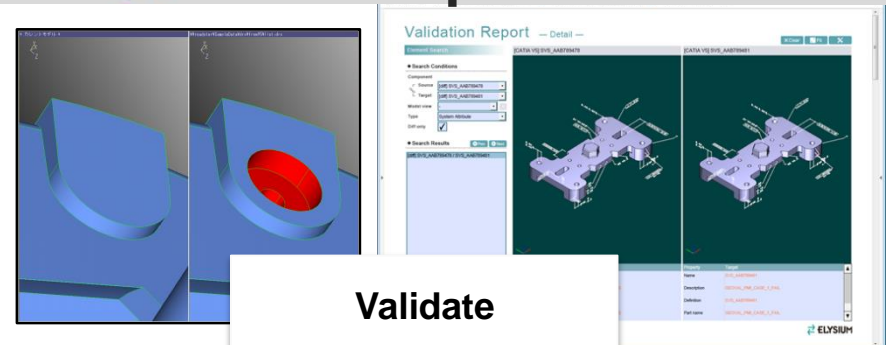
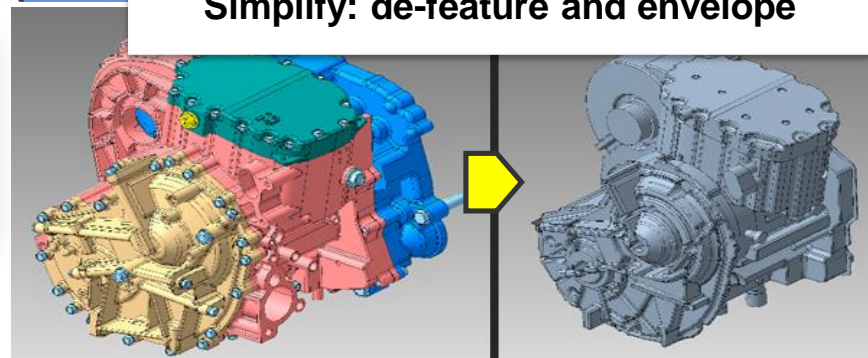
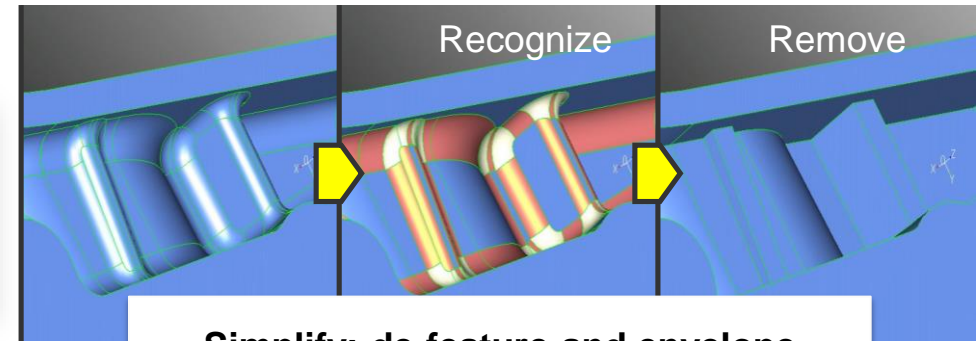
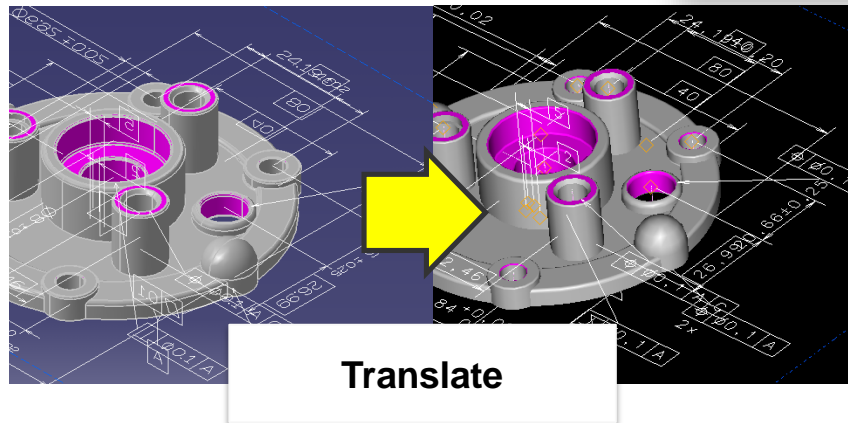
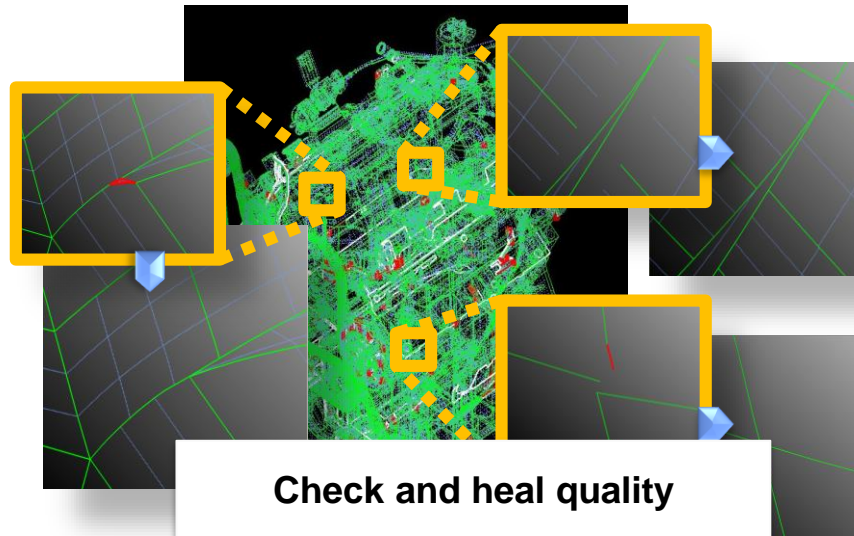
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- **Founded: 1984**
- **Employees: 95 (56 Development)**
- **3D Data Expertise:**
  - Translation
  - Geometry Healing
  - Quality Management
  - Validation
  - Simplification
  - Reverse Engineering / Point Cloud Rendering
- **Off-the-Shelf, OEM, & Migration Services**



# Advanced Technologies for the Model-Based Enterprise

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# Current State

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**Honeywell has the need to translate CAD data for multiple interoperability and compliance reasons. A quality measure is then necessary to assess the data, but ...**

- Manual validation is cumbersome
- Validation results are inconsistent
- There is no established criteria to measure validation integrity

# Automated Validation Critical Requirements (High Level)

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- 1. Apply standardized validation criteria**
- 2. Validation report must be user friendly**
- 3. Existing Export control measures must not be bypassed**

# How do we get there?

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**This track will provide an overview of the solution as well as the formed partnership between Honeywell and Elysium implementing ASFALIS within Team Center.**

# Requirements

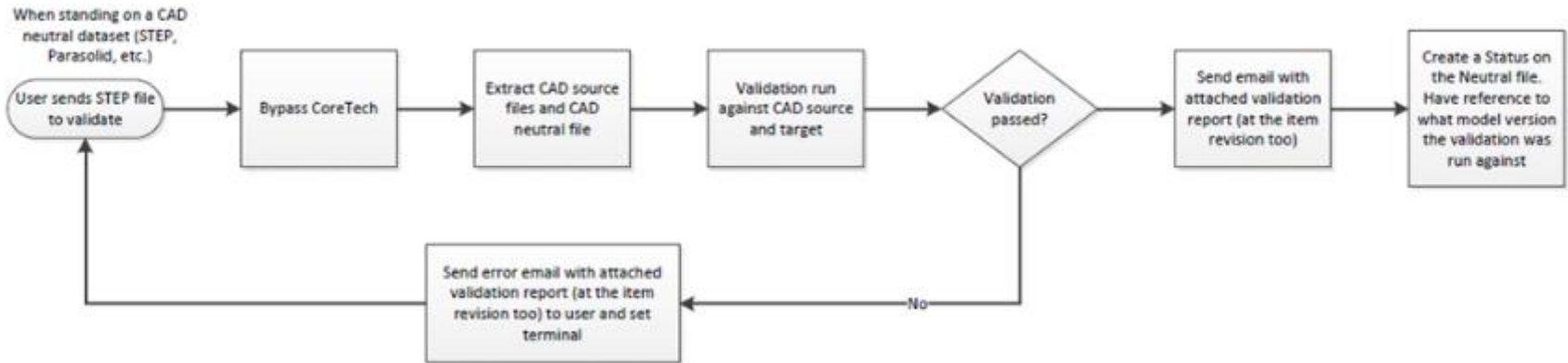
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The following validation scenarios must be addressed:

- **Design revision documentation**
  - To document unknown changes between different revisions of the same ITEM
- **Translation validation**
  - A master-derivative validation process
- **Validation of step files for downstream process consumption**
  - Provide validated STEP format CAD data to other processes that might need to consume datasets
- **Product Data Quality (PDQ) Verification compare**
  - CAD Verification on demand

# About the solution

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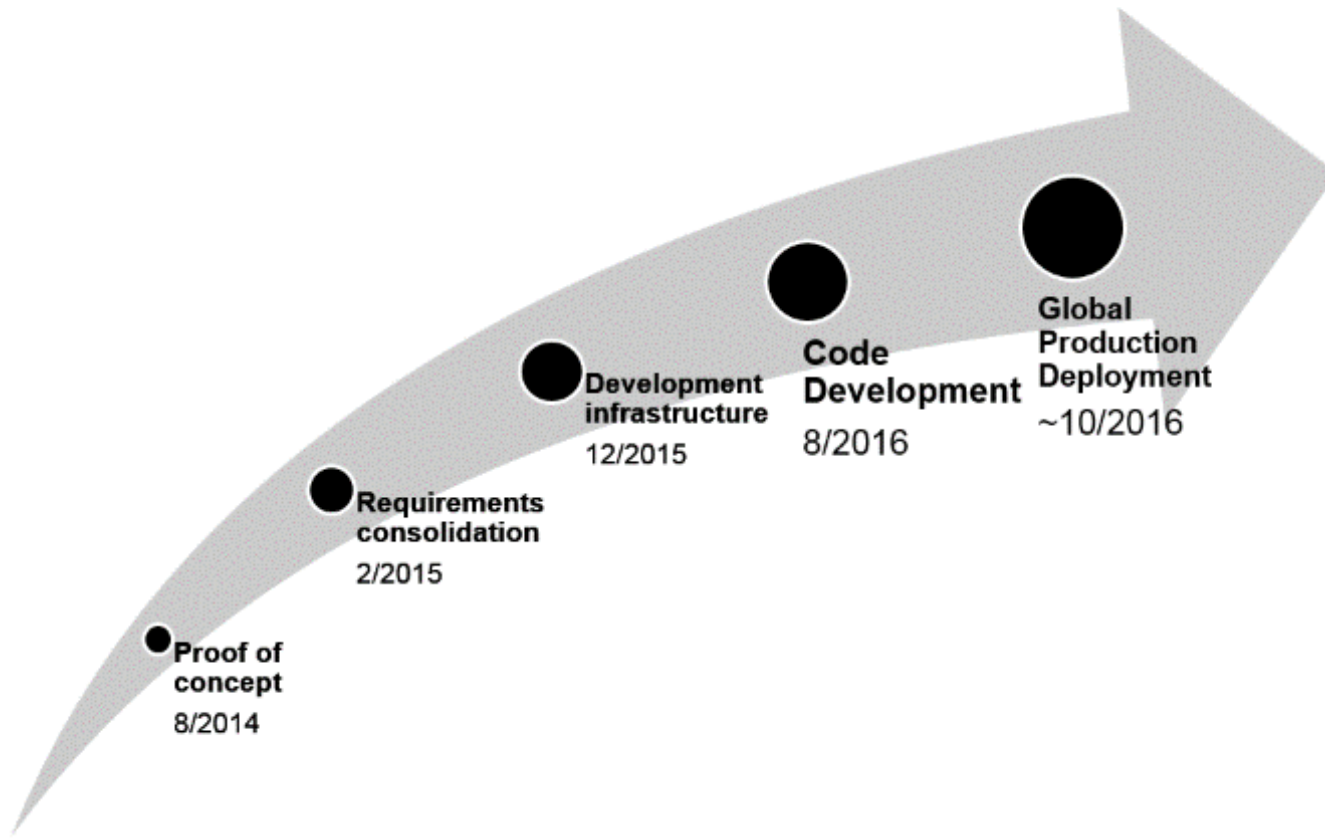
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Use case 3	<b>honDERval</b>	Master-derived compare (from same revision)
Use case 4	<b>honSTPval</b>	Master-derivative compare when target is STEP
Use case 5	<b>honPDQval</b>	PDQ assessment and compare



# Project Schedule

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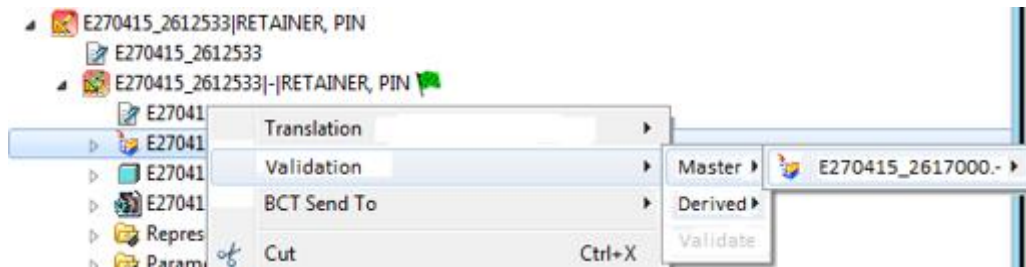
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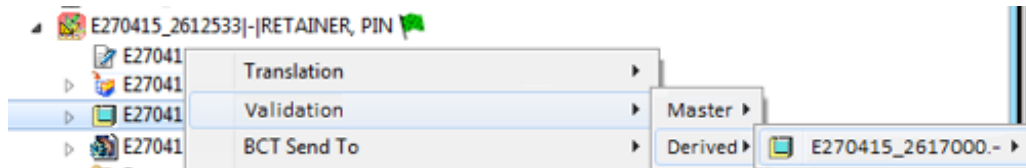
# Storyboard – CAD Validation end user interface

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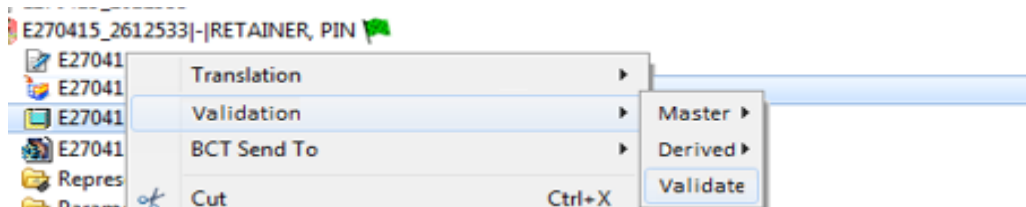
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## 2) Select Derived dataset



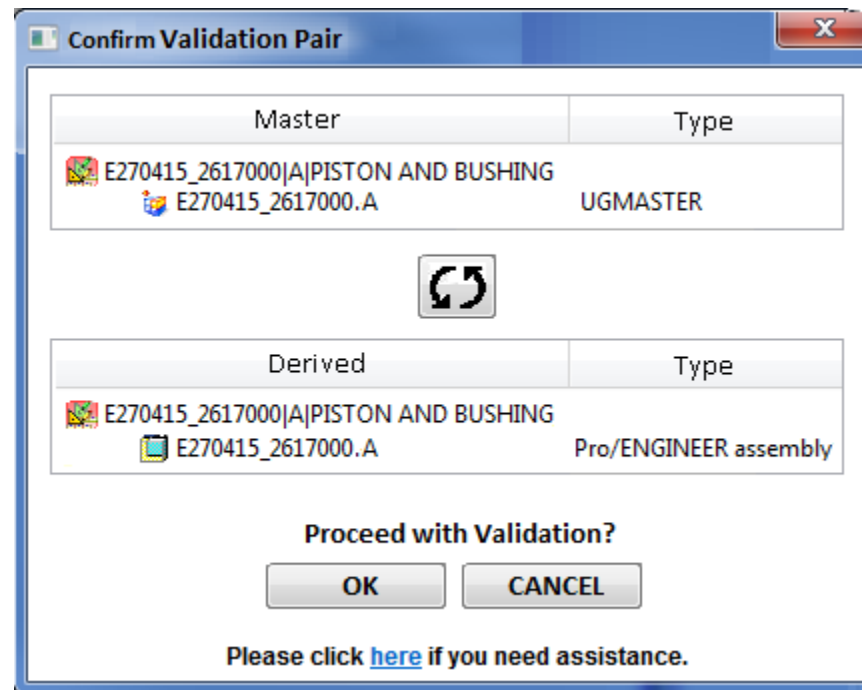
## 3) Validate



# Storyboard – Validation Report

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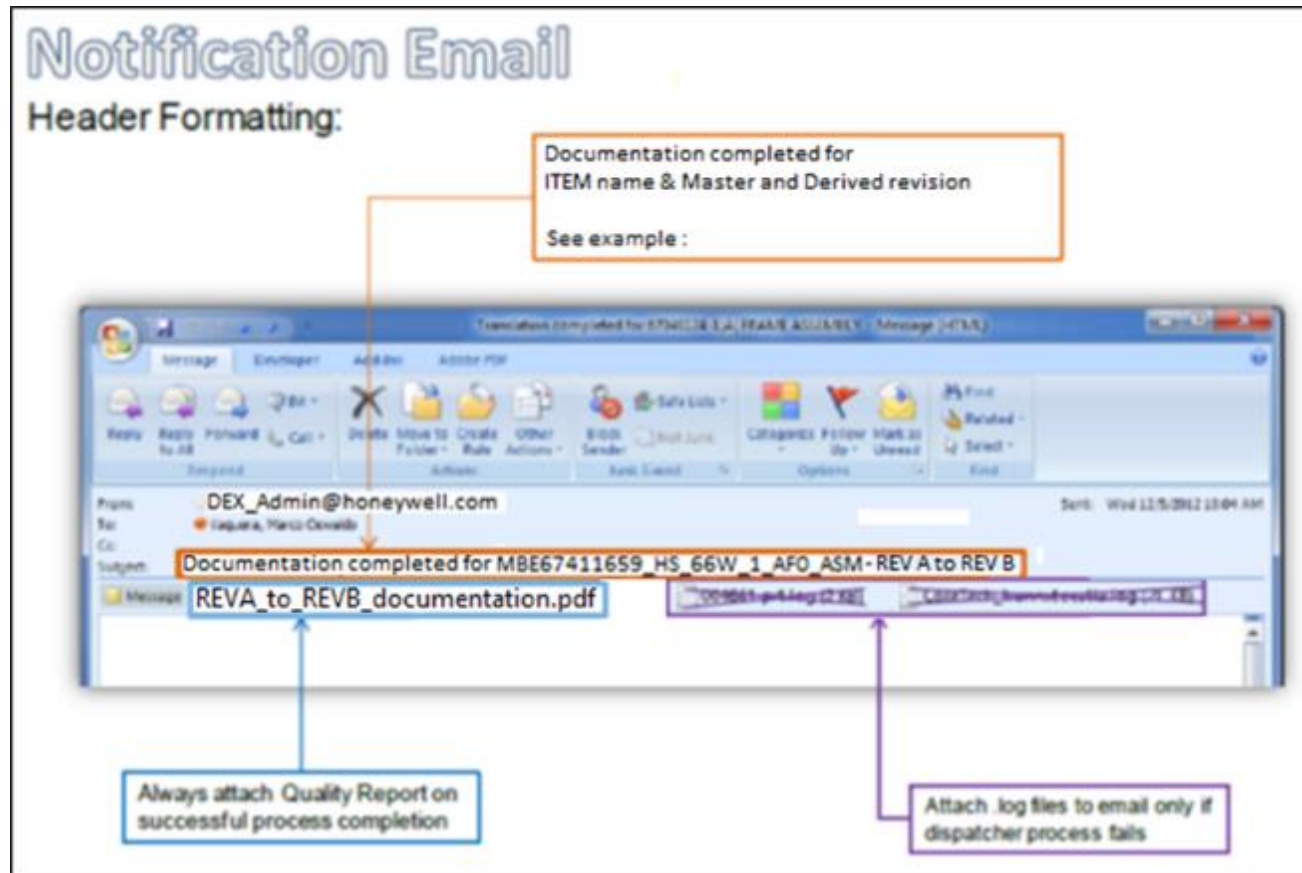
## 4) Confirm Validation pair



# Storyboard – Communication for End Users

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## 5) Email Notification for end user



# Storyboard – Validation Report

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## 6) 3D PDF Validation Report

### Honeywell | Validation Report

powered by ELYSIUM

Assesment Result

# FAIL

Assembly Tree

Left Side	Right Side
(All)	(All)
[diff] mbe67411659_hs_66w_1	[diff] MBE67411659_HS_66W_1
[diff] mbe67411659_hs_66w	[diff] MBE67411659_HS_66W
[diff] mbe67411659_ins-stes	[diff] MBE67411659_INS-ST
[diff] mbe67411659_to-223	[diff] MBE67411659_TO-223
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Divergence Analysis

Categories

(All)  
System Attribute  
Instance

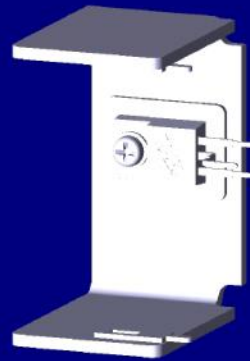
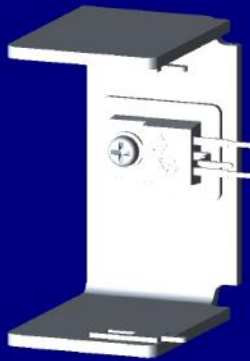
Elements

Prev Next

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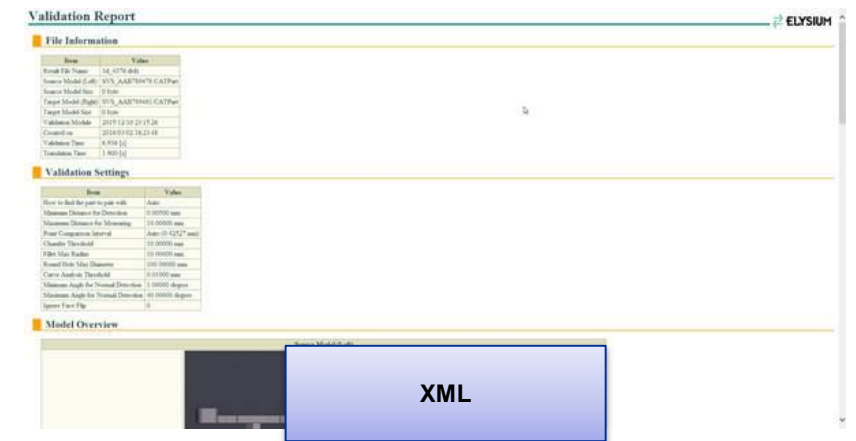
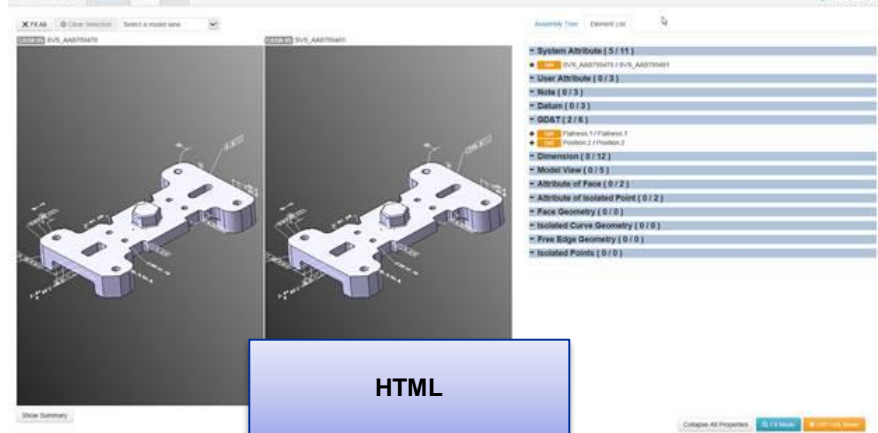
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Revision	1	Revision	



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# Customization and Demos

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- **Viewability / presentation options**
  - Model views, type of variance, ALL
- **Check criteria and reporting**
  - On/Off
  - Tolerance
  - Color map
  - Max deviation
- **Demos:**
  - HTML, 3DPDF

# Challenges/ Lessons Learned

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- **User acceptance – Getting users to think past their specific role**
  - Hard to define requirements when different stakeholders don't understand the big picture
- **Aligning with the business needs**
  - Deliver the right data, rapidly and easily at the right context at the right time!
- **Enhance end user experience**
  - Easy and standardized way to communicate validation issues
  - Development of public space to share CAD validation best practices

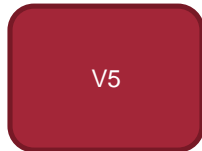
# Customizing PDQ Checks

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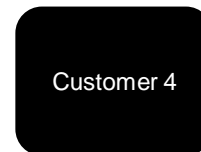
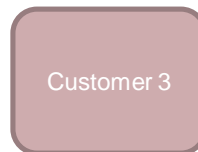
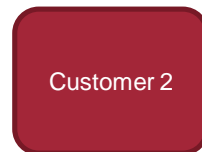
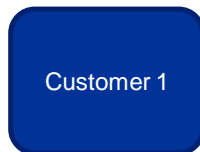
**Elysium offers 78 total PDQ check items!**

**Options to filter:**

- **Based on CAD system**



- **Based on internal rules**
  - Run large sampling, especially problematic cases
- **Based on OEM criteria/ Standard/ Other**



# Methodology for Verification

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- **Leverage CAD system modeling tolerance and kernel rules**
  - Different PDQ criteria makes sense for each CAD format:
    - NX, CATIA V4, CATIA V5, Creo, STEP, SolidWorks
- **Further enhance according to downstream use**
  - LoTAR
  - Toolpath generation
  - Inspection
  - FEA
  - Visualization
    - Iterative process and requires cooperation from end consumers to provide feedback



# Q&A

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