

## **PRESS INFORMATION**

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## **Share-A-space® support for Design Analysis on display at CFMS Open Event**

**The CFMS core programme will be holding this year's CFMS open event at the Microsoft Campus, Thames Valley Park, Reading, UK on the 27<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup> April. Those organizations participating in CFMS will be able to get an update on the latest results across the programme on the first day with the second day devoted to a public event showing the latest in CFMS based integration. Eurostep is delighted to be able to announce that it will be showcasing the Verification & Validation Knowledge base and the PDAI pilot developed for CFMS during those two days.**

The Verification & Validation Knowledge base uses Share-A-space® to allow different organizations to group elements of product structure and analysis results together as test cases that can be separately versioned. The approach also allows engineers to manage and share tests whilst maintaining the links back to the applications originating their data so improving information re-use and shortening the time for design analysis.

The Product Data Assurance Infrastructure (PDAI) work within CFMS has piloted a service-oriented infrastructure that can provide assurances for the protection of IPR and facilitate the exchange of product data. Share-A-space® has been used to provide the information backbone and been interfaced to other CFMS tools that model the risk and dynamically define secure access to the information.

### *About CFMS:*

*The CFMS Core Programme is a £16M UK project for advancing CFD R&D jointly funded by the UK Technology Strategy Board and the industry partners involved. CFMS has completed two of its three years as a project and involves AgustaWestland Helicopters Ltd, Airbus, Aircraft Research Association, BAE Systems, BMT Fluid Mechanics, ClearSpeed Technology, Concurrent Thinking, Eurostep, Frazer-Nash Consultancy, IT Innovation, MBDA, Microsoft UK, PCA Engineers, QinetiQ, Quadrics, Rolls-Royce and Williams Grand Prix Engineering.*

*About Eurostep:*

*Eurostep delivers software and consulting services for product lifecycle management with a particular focus on the exchange and sharing of data within and between enterprises. Services range from pre-studies to the implementation of systems. Eurostep's flagship product, Share-A-space® ([www.share-a-space.com](http://www.share-a-space.com)), is software that supports collaborative engineering across the life cycle of products. Eurostep has subsidiaries in Sweden, the UK, Finland, France and the US and has blue-chip customers in a variety of industries including automotive, aerospace, defence, telecom, building & construction, and process industries.*

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