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PRO/II PROCESS ENGINEERING: COMPREHENSIVE PROCESS SIMULATION

PRO/II™ Process Engineering optimizes plant performance by improving process design and operational analysis and performing engineering studies. Designed to perform rigorous heat and material balance calculations for a wide range of chemical processes, PRO/II Process Engineering offers a wide variety of thermodynamic models to virtually every industry. PRO/II Process Engineering is cost effective, thereby decreasing both capital and operating costs.

Summary

PRO/II Process Engineering is a professional simulation tool that offers a comprehensive simulation solution for process design, revamp, and operational analysis. PRO/II Process Engineering performs rigorous mass and energy balances for processes ranging from oil and gas separation to reactive distillation.

Business Value

- Decrease capital costs
- Decrease operating costs
- Increase efficiency
- Increase productivity
- Reduce learning curves
- Increase profitability

PRO/II Process Engineering has the power and flexibility to simulate a wide range of processes at steadystate, from refining to chemicals. PRO/II Process Engineering provides robust and accurate results based on industry-standard thermodynamic methods and physical property data. PRO/II Process Engineering is a valuable tool allowing engineers and management to enhance the bottom line of their process or plant.

Simulation Uses

- Design new processes
- Evaluate alternate plant configurations
- Modernize or revamp existing plants
- Assess and document compliance within environmental regulations
- Troubleshoot and debottleneck plant processes
- Monitor, optimize, and improve plant yields and profitability

Key Features

- Comprehensive thermodynamics and physical property data
- Creation and management of custom component data
- Comprehensive rigorous unit operation modeling
- Customizable process modeling via Microsoft® Excel
- Built-in integration with Excel for custom reporting
- SIM4ME™ Portal integration for simulation control and analysis from Excel
- Integration with industry-standard licensors including HTRI, OLI & Koch-Glitsch
- Integration with Spiral CrudeSuite for assay information
- Application across multiple industries
  · Green Engineering
  · Chemicals
  · Refining
  · Polymers
  · Oil & Gas Processing
  · Pharmaceuticals
  · Petrochemicals
- PRO/II Process Engineering is now available via the cloud in addition to the traditional on-premise access method.

  · **A secure user access control** that allows the administrator to add & delete users or edit privileges as needed.
  · **Simplified IT overhead** use the product on pure on-demand cloud machines via a secure URL No need for installations.
  · **Seamless maintenance** since new versions available as soon as they are released.
  · **Flexible Usage and Pricing** with SaaS business model based on minimum usage subscription and flexible, incremental usage credits.
 · **Computer-Based introductory training available.**

Simulation Applications

PRO/II Process Engineering offers a wide variety of thermodynamic methods and physical property data that are applicable to virtually every industry. Below is a limited industry grouping of applications.

Green Engineering

- Integrated Gasification Combined-Cycle (IGCC)
- CO_2 recovery from fuel or flue gas
- Gasification of inedible biomass
- Biofuels production
- Solar silicon production
- Solid Fuel Characterization
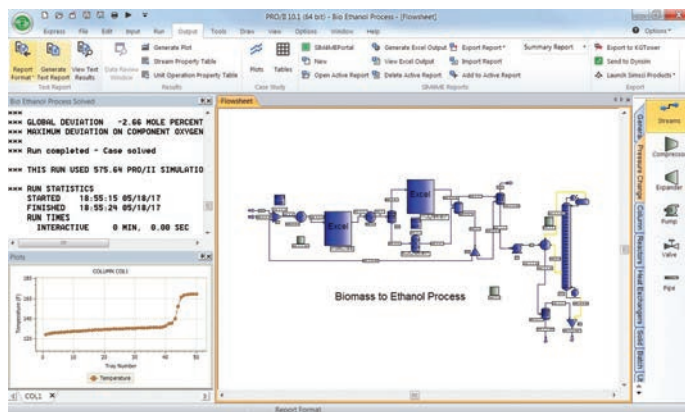
Green Engineering

Refining

- Heavy oils processing
- Crude preheating
- Atmospheric crude distillation
- Vacuum column
- FCC main fractionator
- Coker fractionator
- Gas plant
- Gasoline and naphtha stabilizer
- Shift and methanator reactors
- Sour water stripper
- Sulfuric and HF acid alkylation
- Deisobutanizer
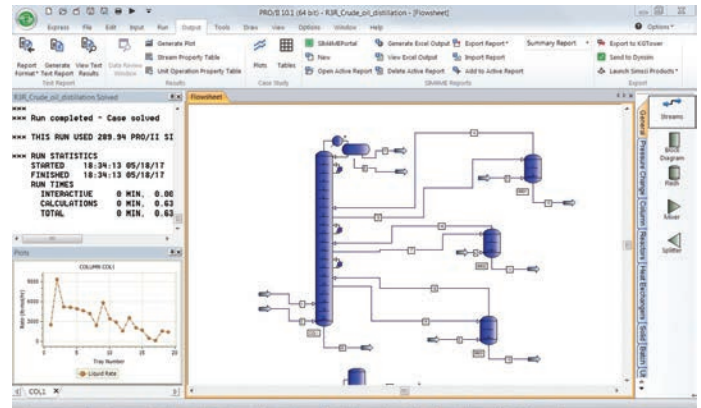
Refining

Oil & Gas Processing

- Amine sweetening
- Cascade refrigeration & refrigeration loops
- Compressor train
- Deethanizer and demethanizer
- Expander plant
- Gas dehydration
- Hydrate formation/inhibition
- Turbo-expander optimization
- Liquefaction of natural gas
- Oil & gas separation
- Upstream integration with PIPEPHASE Pipeline Network Design
- Tight oil and shale oil & gas processing
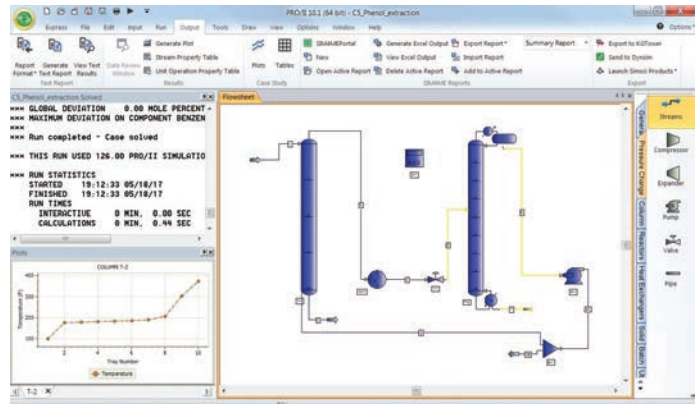- Solid CO_2 prediction
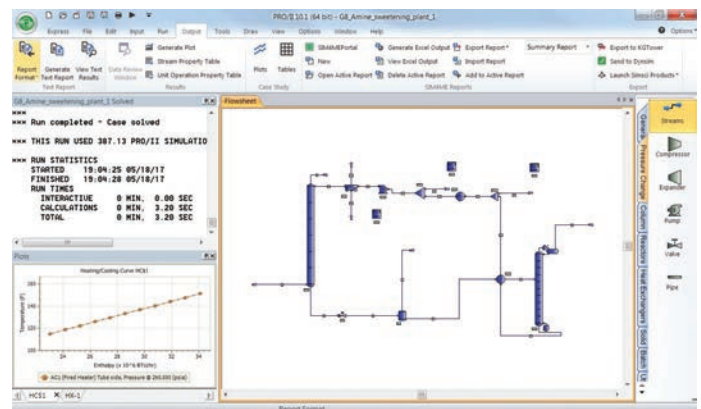
Oil & Gas Processing

Petrochemicals

- Ethylene fractionator
- C3 splitter
- Aromatics separation
- Cyclohexane plant
- MTBE separation manufacturing
- Naphthalene recovery
- Olefin production
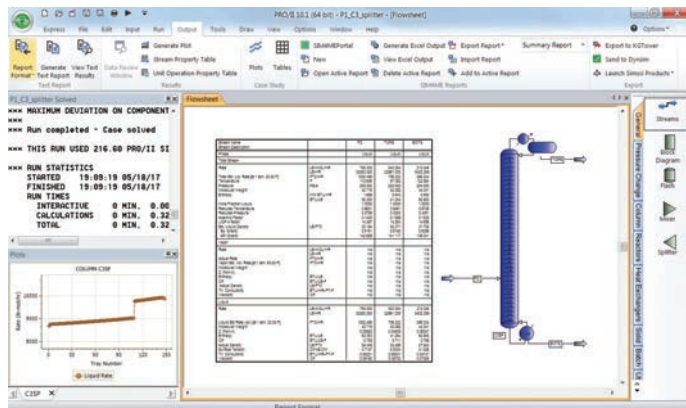- Oxygenate production
- Propylene chlorination

Chemicals & Life Sciences

Petrochemicals

Chemicals & Life Sciences

- Ammonia synthesis
- Azeotropic and extractive distillation
- Biofuels
- Crystallization
- Dehydration processes
- Electrolytes
- Inorganic processes
- Liquid-liquid extraction
- Phenol distillation
- Solids handling
- Batch distillation and reactors

Polymers

- Free radical polymerization
- Step-growth polymerization
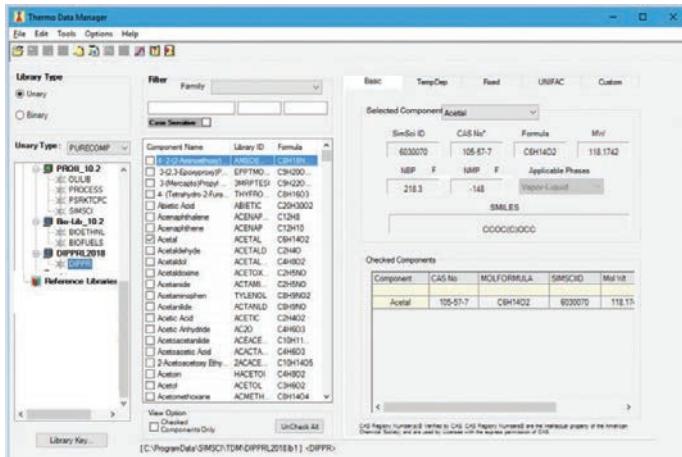- Copolymers

Component Databanks

- 1,700+ pure component library
- Solids properties
- 1900+ components/species electrolyte databank
- Integration with Spiral CrudeSuite provides access to libraries for crude assays
- Non-library components
- DIPPR® databank
- Pseudocomponents and assay characterization
- User libraries
- Property predictionfrom UNIFAC and PROPRED structures
- Multiple assay blends
- Thermodynamic Data
- Manager (TDM) the ability to create, regress and manage custom libraries
- Solid fuel characterization usingultimate and proximate analysis

Thermodynamic Methods

Refining/Oil & Gas/Petrochemicals

- Soave-Redlich-Kwong (SRK)
- Peng-Robinson (PR)
- Huron-Vidal mixing rule (SRK & PR)
- Kabadi-Danner mixing rule (SRK & PR)
- Panagiotopoulos & Reid mixing rule (SRK & PR) original & modified
- SIMSCI mixing rule
  - PSRK
  - PPR78
  - PPR78 as a fill option for EOS methods above
  - Glycol
- Temperature-dependent Kijs
- Lee-Kesler
- Lee-Kesler-Plocker
- Chao-Seader
- Grayson-Streed
- Braun K10
- Ideal library methods
- BWRS
- Costald
- API density method
- Single and multi-fluid Rackett densities
- IF97 Steam Tables
- Free-water decant

Petrochemical/Chemicals/Polymers

- UNIFAC (VLE, LLE, & VLLE)
- UNIFAC-FV (free volume)
- UNIWAALS
- UNIQUAC
- NRTL
- Wilson
- Van Laar
- Regular solution model
- Acid dimerization
- Henry's law for non-condensibles
- Henry's law for dilute aqueous systems
- Three-phase equilibrium
- Heat of mixing
- Hayden-O'Connell
- Electrolyte models (OLI)
- Advanced Lattice Model (ALM) for polymers
- Flory-Huggins with Chi for polymers
- SAFT EOS for polymers
- PHSC EOS for polymers

Unit Operations

General Flowsheet Models

- Flash, valve, compressor, expander, pump, pipe, AMSIM module, membrane separator
- Simple integration of custom units using the Excel unit operation

Heat Exchanger Models

- Shell and tube exchanger, simplified exchanger, LNG exchanger, fired heater, air cooled exchanger, heating/cooling curves
- HTRI integration, zone analysis

Flowsheet Control

- Feed-forward control, feedback controller, multivariable controller, Risk-based Maintenance
- Parameter cross-referencing, auto-sequencing

Polymer Modeling

- Continuous stirred tank reactor, plug flow reactor, wiped film evaporator

- Kinetics mechanism

  · Homogeneous Ziegler–Natta

  · Chain polymerization

  · Condensation polymerization

Distillation Models

- Multiple advanced solution algorithms
- Multiple initial estimate generators
- Two/Three phase distillation
- Electrolytic distillation
- Reactive and batch distillation
- Liquid-liquid extraction
- Column and tray sizing or rating
- Thermosiphon reboiler
- RATEFRAC & BATCHFRAC

Solids Modeling

- Solid Fuel gasification

- Countercurrent decanter, centrifuge, rotary drum filter, dryer, solid separator, cyclone

Reactor Models

- Conversion & equilibrium reactors, plug flow reactor, continuous stirred tank reactor, shift & methanation reactors, boiling pot reactor, batch reactor

- Inline FORTRAN reaction kinetics, Gibbs free energy minimization

Add-On Modules

There are several add-on modules, interfaces to third-party software and separate software such as the SIM4ME Portal that are integrated with PRO/II Process Engineering as licensable add-ons. These add-on modules extend the functionality of PRO/II Process Engineering in various ways from Excel integration to electrolytic modeling to rate-based distillation.
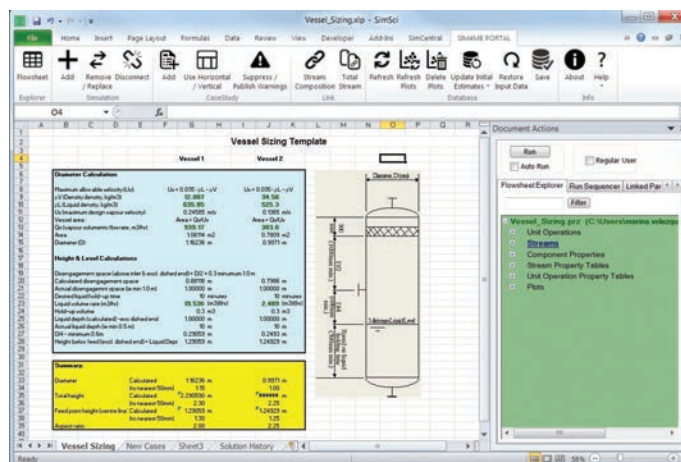
SIM4ME Portal

The SIM4ME Portal facilitates a simple, bidirectional transfer of variables between various SimSci simulation software, including PRO/II Process Engineering, and Microsoft Excel. The Portal allows a novice to use the simulation program through Excel.

Polymer Module

The polymer module provides PRO/II Process Engineering with the ability to simulate and analyze industrial polymer processes. Capabilities range from monomer purification and polymerization reactions to separation and finishing.

Batch Module

The batch module enables the rigorous design and analysis of batch reactors and distillation columns. The batch module allows for the design, monitoring, and troubleshooting of both batch and batch/continuous processes while evaluating alternative configurations.

Electrolyte Module

The electrolyte module extends the capabilities of PRO/II Process Engineering to electrolyte modeling using rigorous thermodynamics from original limited Aqueous Databank from OLI Systems Inc. The electrolyte module includes the ability to design and analyze systems containing electrolytes as well as allowing the generation of custom electrolyte models.
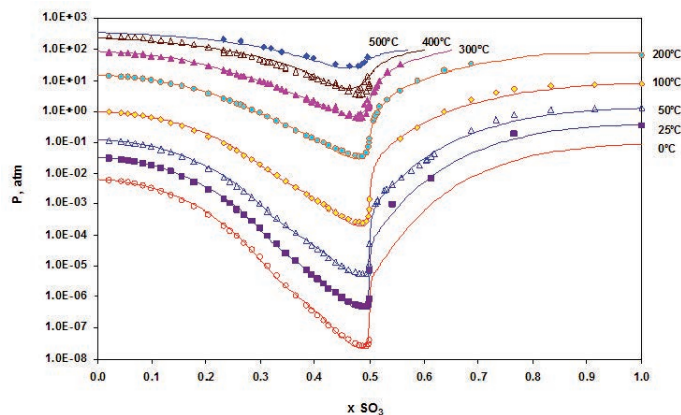
Mixed Solvent Electrolytes (MSE)

MSE is the latest full database of electrolytic components offering from OLI Systems Inc that provides species information and thermodynamic algorithms for electrolytic systems without a concentration limit by utilizing an activity coefficient model. MSE is ideal for systems where the components have a high miscibility with water.

AMSIM

Schlumberger's AMSIM® is fully integrated into PRO/II Process Engineering allowing accurate simulation for the removal of H2S, CO2 and mercaptans from natural gas and liquefied petroleum gas (LPG) streams using chemicals (amines) and physical solvents.

RATEFRAC

RATEFRAC™ is a product of Koch-Glitsch and licensed exclusively within PRO/II Process Engineering. RATEFRAC is a rigorous rate-based distillation model for applications where equilibrium initiative are limited by heat and mass transfer rates. RATEFRAC allows for the simulation of all types of multistage vapor-liquid columns such as absorption, stripping, and conventional azeotropic and extractive distillation.
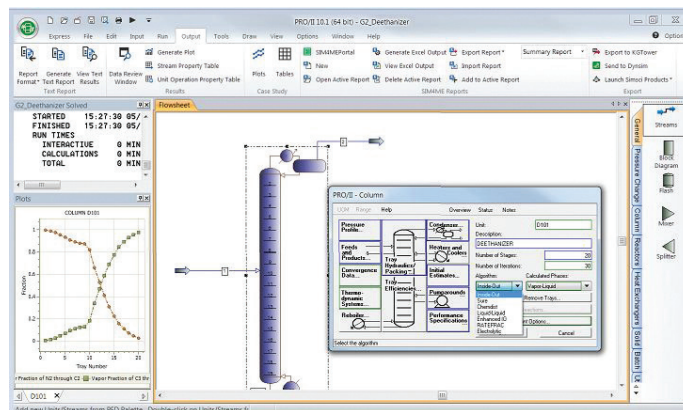
BATCHFRAC

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Spiral Crude Suite

Spiral CrudeSuite is an industry-leading, enterprise toolset for crude oil knowledge management. It is also a key component of Spiral's enterprise-level supply chain solution, working in conjunction with the Spiral Unified Supply Chain Management toolset to support work processes across assay management, planning, scheduling, and supply and distribution. The unique features of this toolset have made CrudeSuite the assay management tool of choice across the petroleum industry. CrudeSuite helps organizations manage their data, make purchasing and blending decisions, and feed refinery plans. Integration between CrudeSuite and PRO/II Process Engineering extends the benefits to process design and operational support by providing accurate feedstock information to the simulations, which greatly increases the accuracy of the models.
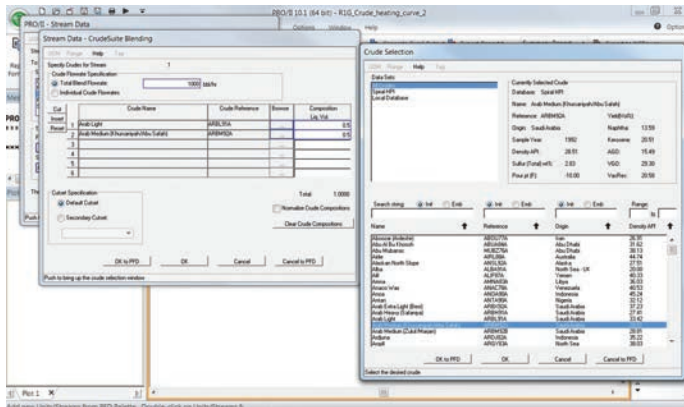
HTRI

Heat Transfer Research, Inc. (HTRI®) delivers world class process heat transfer and heat exchanger technology within PRO/II Process Engineering. HTRI products are widely recognized as the industry standard for the rigorous design, rating, and simulation of heat transfer equipment, including shell & tube heat exchangers and air coolers. This technology is accessible via the Rigorous Heat Exchanger unit operation of PRO/II Process Engineering.
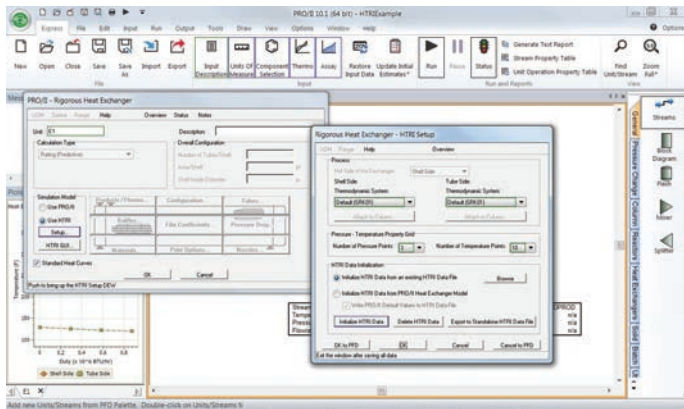
Cost Estimation

An accurate cost estimate is the foundation for success. The capability to compare and analyze costs of a process design is imperative to delivering a project within time and within budget. The partnership of AVEVA and Cost Engineering accelerates the design process by using comprehensive, accurate cost estimates to evaluate alternatives along the lifecycle of a project. From an early phase conceptual estimate to a definitive detail estimate, you can ensure the best possible quality and accuracy thus minimizing risk.

PRO/II Process Engineering is the main product of the Process Engineering Suite of products offered by AVEVA providing the general flowsheeting and process design capabilities. This set of software readily interfaces with other applications commonly used by process engineers, thus enhancing productivity in the plant lifecycle. They all can be used for oil and gas production, refining, petrochemicals, chemicals, pharmaceuticals, and polymer plant modeling.

- **PRO/II Process Engineering** – General-purpose process flowsheet simulation and optimization

- **HEXTRAN® Heat Exchanger Design**– Comprehensive heat transfer simulation and pinch analysis

- **PIPEPHASE™ Pipeline Network Design** - A steady state, multiphase fluid flow simulation for plant piping networks and rigorous modeling of gathering networks and pipeline systems.

- **VISUAL FLARE Safety Relief Design** – Design and modeling of safety systems and pressure relief networks

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