

Dynavista

CAA V5 based
V10.2 / V11.2

Die CAM 3D

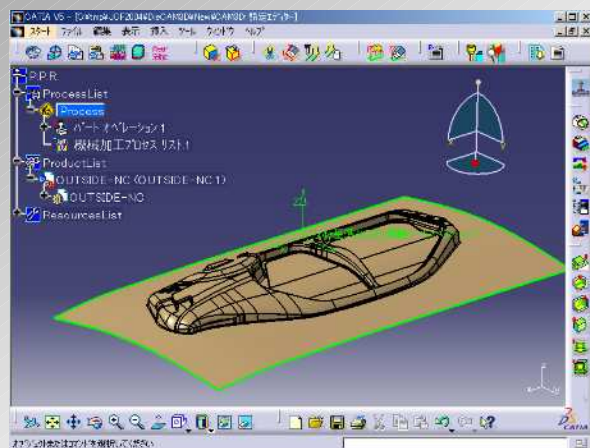
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Die CAM 3D

Die CAM 3D/CAM 3D automates and optimizes machining for die product shape.



V5 prerequisites: MD2

- Various machining operation with users machining know-how.

- Interference-free tool paths are calculated by taking tool changes and attachment changes into account.

- Efficient NC data optimizing machining sequence and air cut.

- Many support functions to improve work efficiency.



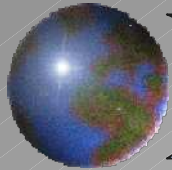
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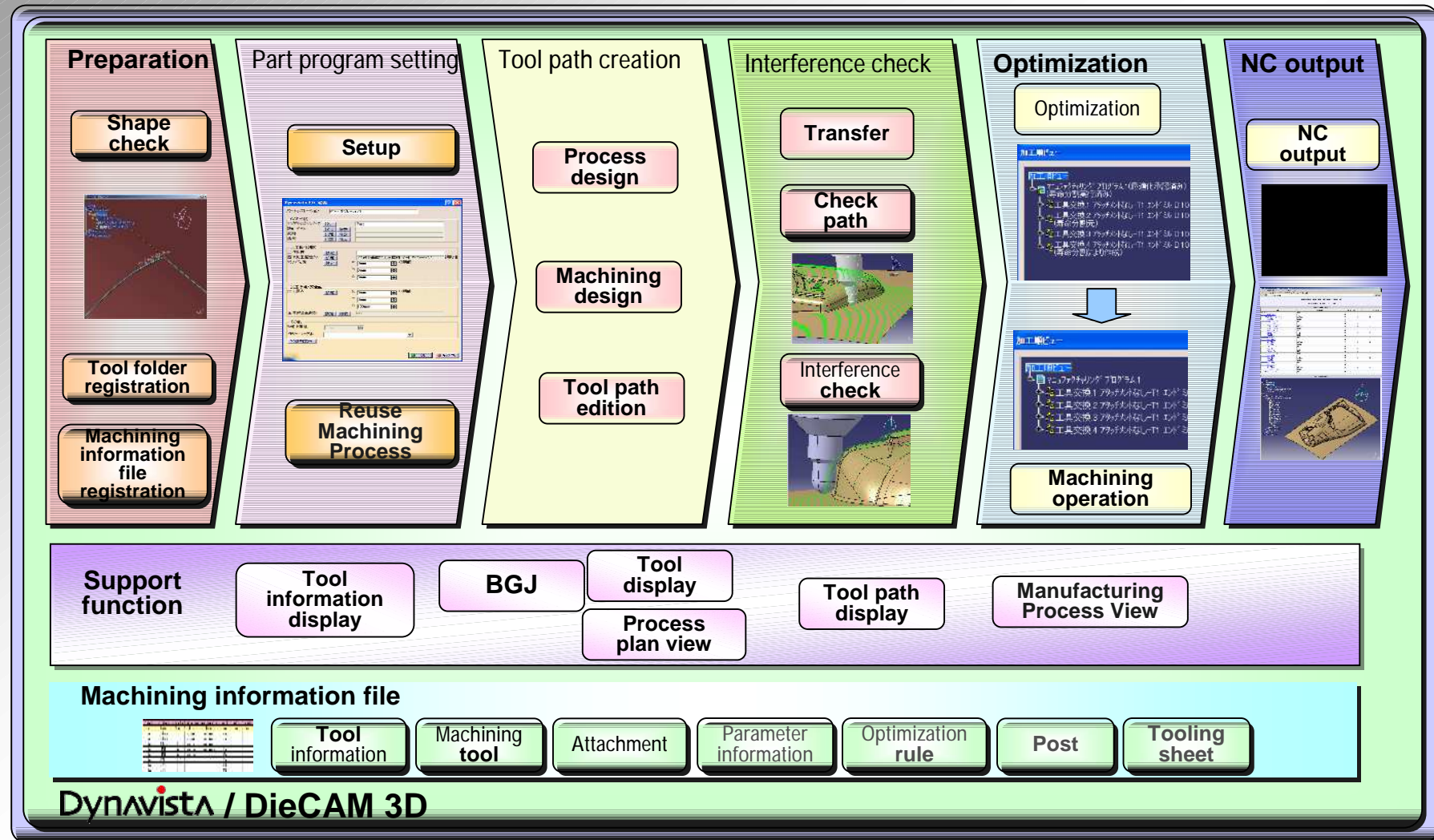
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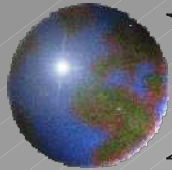


V5R20



Die CAM 3D command





Shape check

- Shape check
 - It is possible to check whether the machining target shape is adequate for the CAM model or not.
 - Minimum necessary portions for surface modification can be shown.

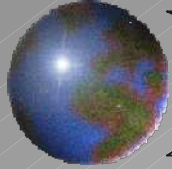
Check items

Boundary: direction of loop, self intersection,
out of the base surface or not

Surface: normal direction, cyclic surface,
too many control points, large surface

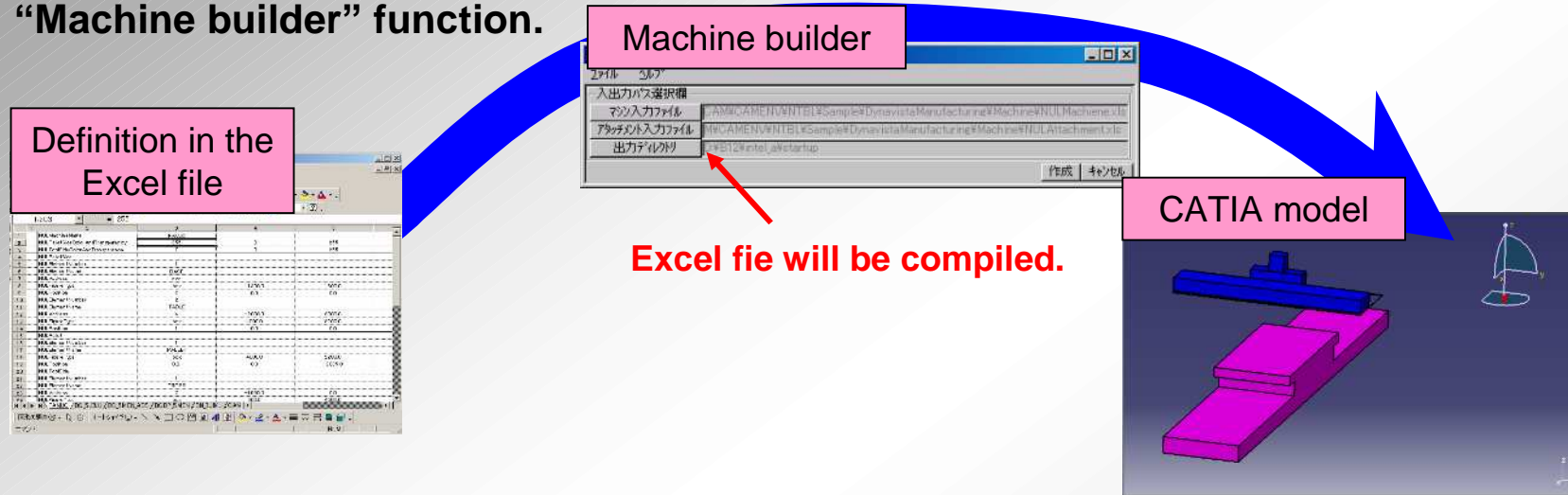
Non-manifold: non-manifold or not



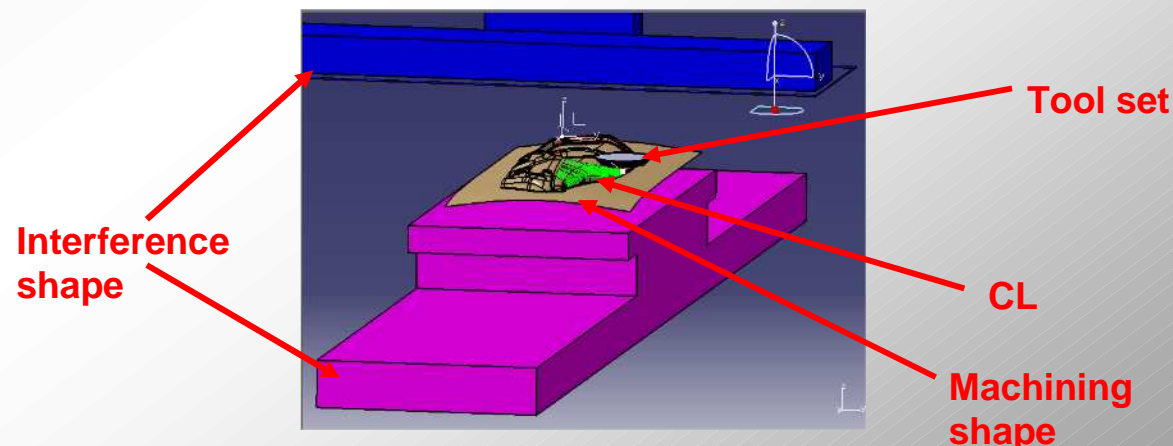


Creation of a machine tool

Machine information is defined in EXCEL file, then it is converted to CATIA data by “Machine builder” function.



Interference between machine tool and tool set can be checked.
Machining simulation with the machining tool is possible



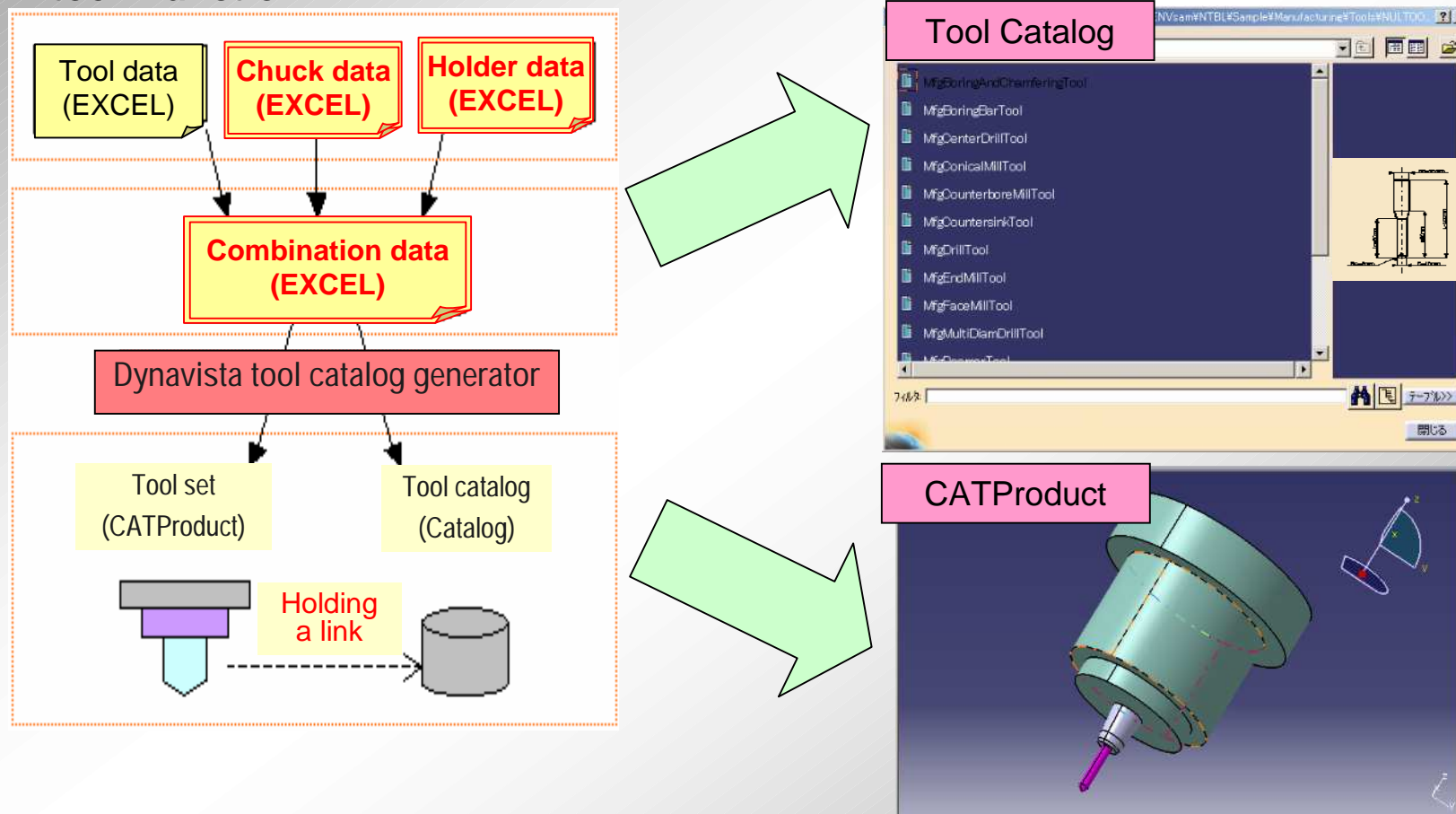


Machining information - Tool information -

Cutters, chucks and holders are defined in the EXCEL file.

Combination of cutters, chuck and holders is defined in the EXCEL file.

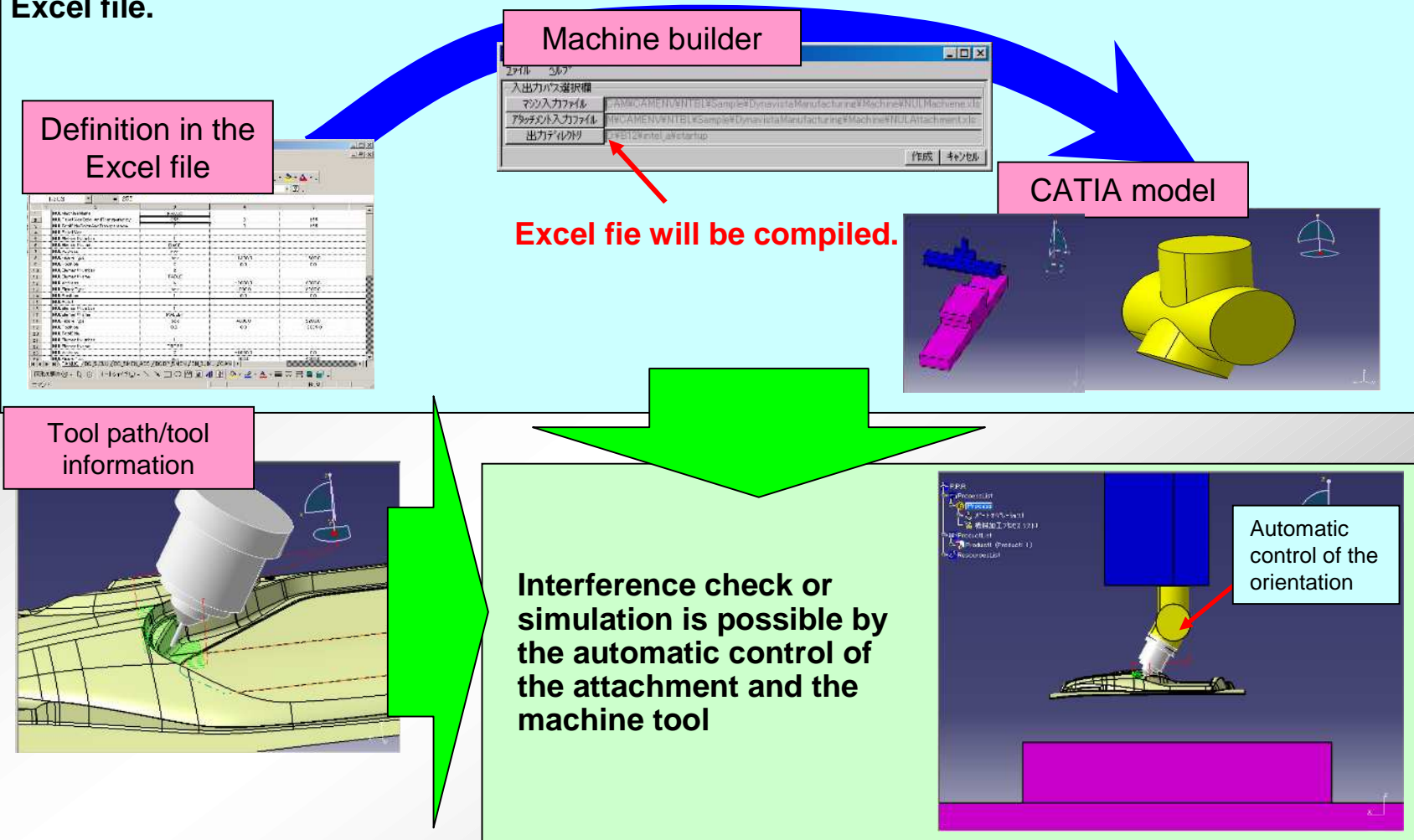
Tools are automatically registered as catalogs (CATPart or CATProduct) by “Create tool” function.

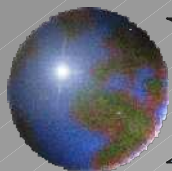




Machining information - Attachment -

The shape of a machine tool or the attachment can be created as a CATIA model based on the Excel file.





Machining information - Parameters -



Use of EXCEL



As for parameters defined as a combination of tools and materials such as cutting conditions, and a pitch, values are specified in EXCEL file.



Operations based on the knowledge function of CATIA-NC

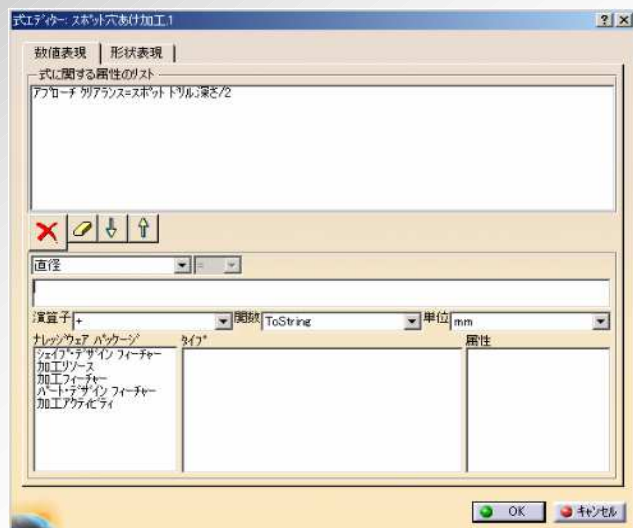


Rules and formula are registered and used.



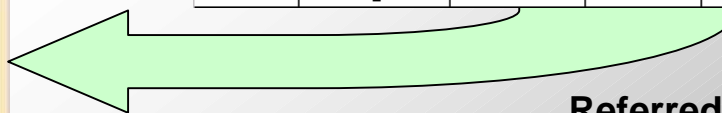
In case complex conditions are defined, the definition is simplified by the linkage with descriptions in the EXCEL file.

Knowledge registration panel



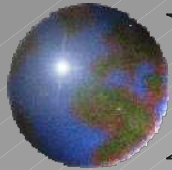
Description in the EXCEL file

Keyword	Process type	Sequence	Machine	Attachment	Length	Stock	Hole1
Unit	String	String	String	String	mm	mm	mm
data	Scan	Rough	machine1	attachment1	100		
data	Scan	Rough	machine1	attachment1	200		
data	Scan	Rough	machine1	attachment1			
data	Boundary	Semi-finish	machine*	attachment*	50		
data	Boundary	Semi-finish	machine*		100		
data	Along-srf	Finish			50		
data	Along-srf	Finish			80		
data	Along-srf	Finish			100		



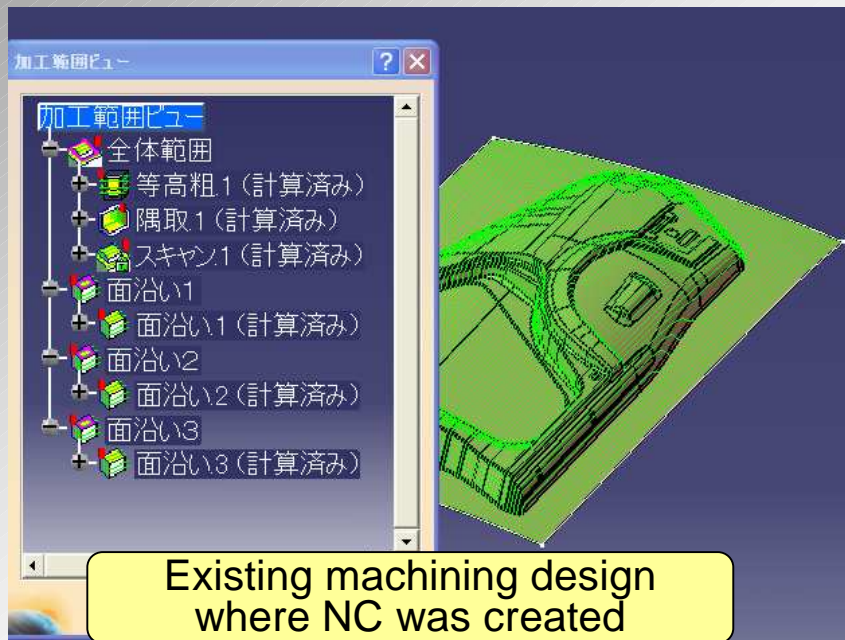
Referred



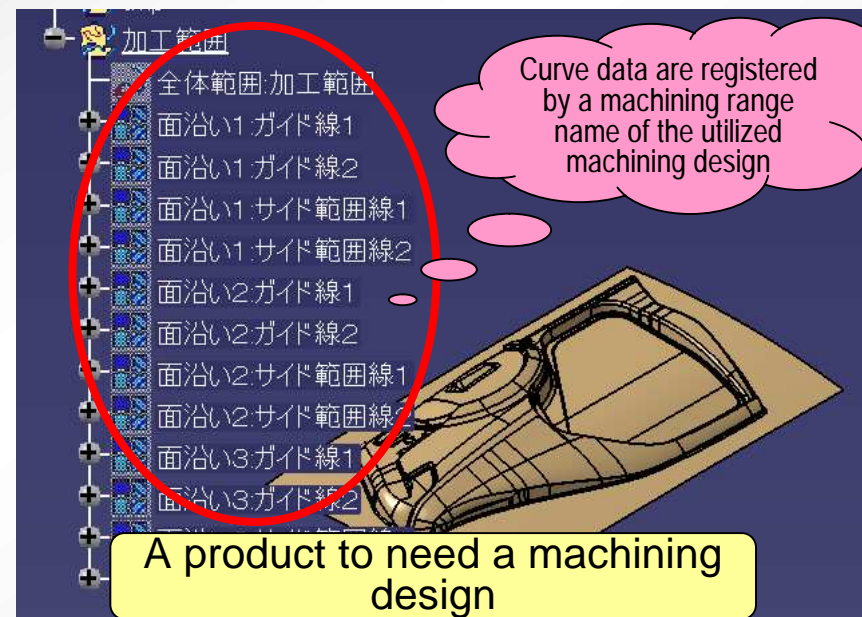


Reuse Machining Process

- A function is prepared to utilize a process design of a similar product.



Existing machining design
where NC was created



A product to need a machining
design

Adaptive
machining
design





Reuse Machining Process

A process setting corresponding to the machining range is possible.

Machine tool, attachment and tool can be utilized.

Created machining range will be displayed.

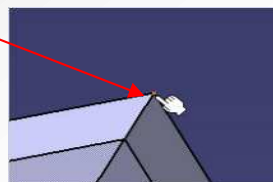


Setup

- Part operation definition dedicated to Dynavista

- CAD element can be specified by coordinate value input.

Clamp Position: X: 0 mm Y: 0 mm Z: 0 mm



- Consistency is guaranteed for parameter change. (Whether to delete all paths or to delete and re-create is selectable)
- Part operation feature will be created.

* Part operation
A feature which has CAD shape, material, machining tool, machining base point and safety height, etc.

The screenshot shows the 'Dynavista PO Definition' dialog box with the following fields and buttons:

- Part Operation:** Part Operation.1
- CAD Shape:**
 - Product or Part: Part1
 - Design Part:
 - Stock Table:
 - Fixture Table:
- Material:**
 - Material:
- Processing machine/Arrangements:**
 - Machine: MC5X
 - Machine Axis: Default reference machining axis for Part Opera
 - Clamp Position: X: 0 mm Y: 0 mm Z: 0 mm
- Origin/Safe Plane:**
 - Machine Home Position: X: 0 mm Y: 0 mm Z: 100 mm
 - Safety Plane: ---
- Other:**
 - W-Axis Low: 0 mm
 - PP Word Table: NULCPOSTSample.pptable
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- Buttons:**

Dynavista PO definition





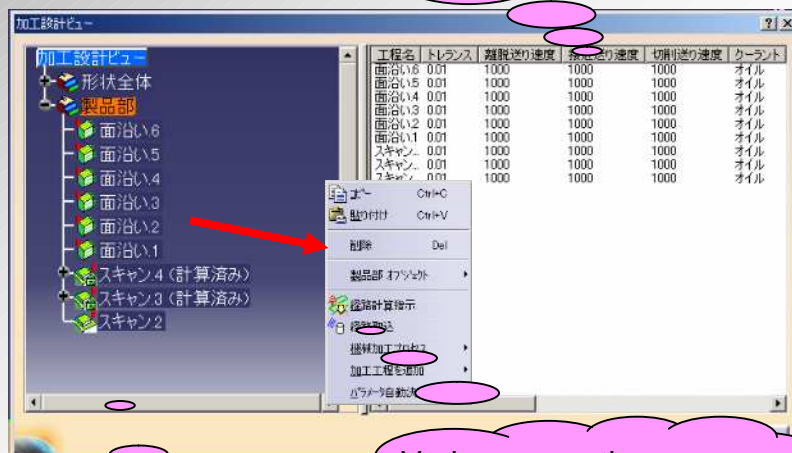
Process Planning

- Functions to manage machining process, machining area, thickness are provided.

Process Plan view

Managing machining processes

Processes can be checked in the list.



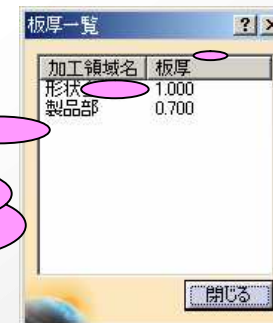
Various operations are possible in the view.

Process can be managed for each machining area.

Thickness definition

Defining and managing thickness for each machining area

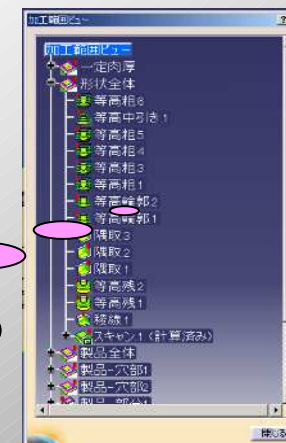
Each process generates a path considering the thickness



Machining Limits view

Managing machining range

Process can be managed for each machining range.





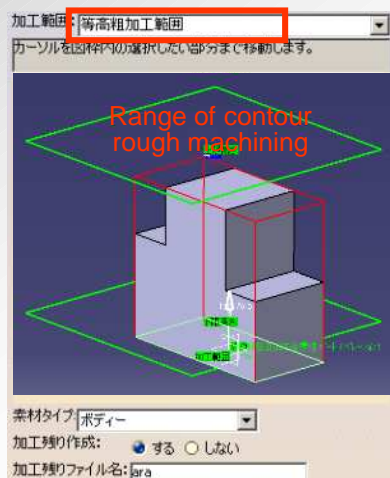
Machining design

- Rough contour and semi rough machining
- Improvement of machining range inheritance -

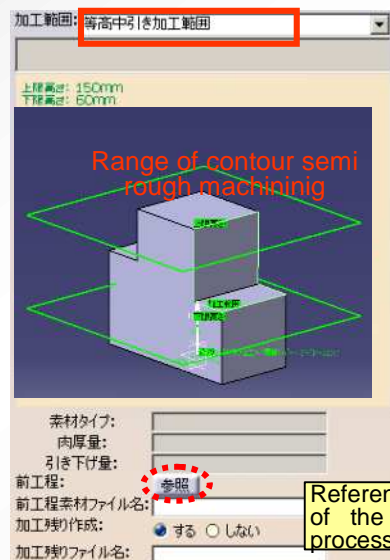
Abstract

Selection of whether to “Inherit the machining range” or “Not” is added at referencing a pre process of the contour semi rough machining.

Pre process

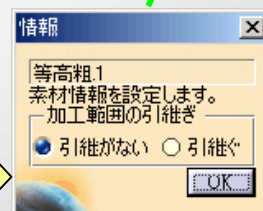


Before reference



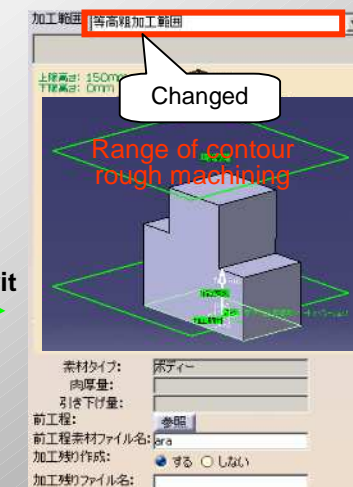
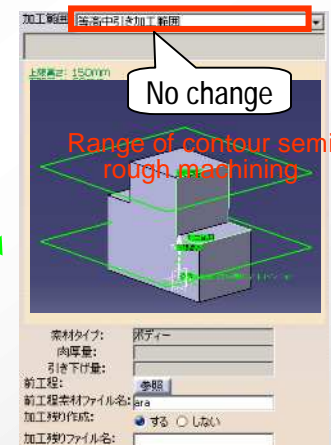
Reference
of the pre-
process

Not inherit



Inherit

After reference



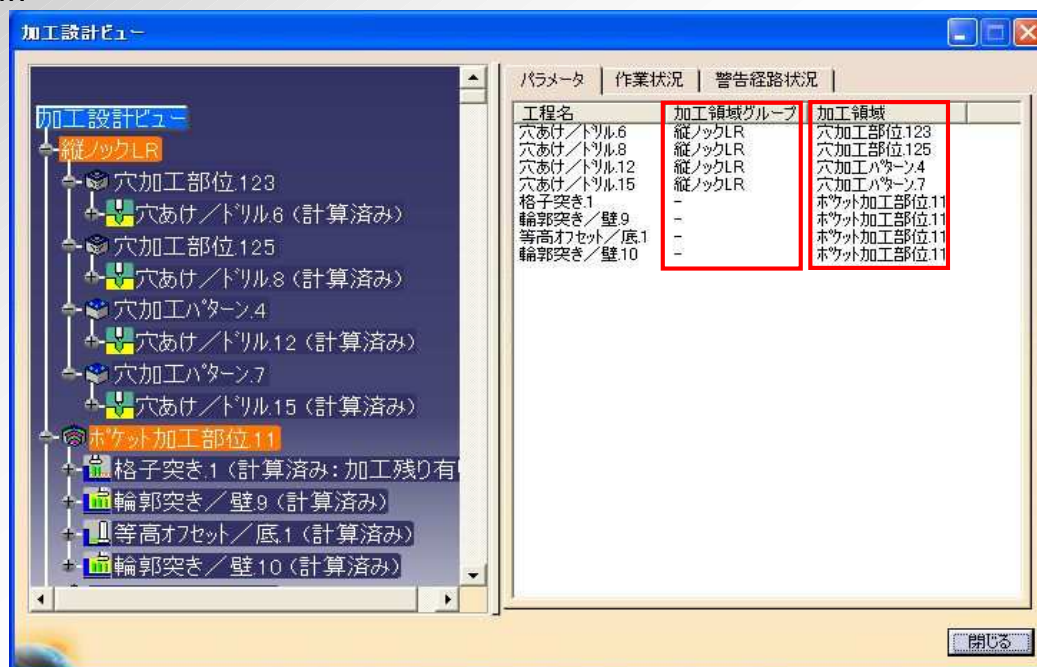


Process Plan View

- Display of machining area group name and machining portion name

Abstract

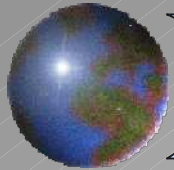
Display of machining area group name and machining portion name are added to a parameter column of a machining design view.



Purpose

Man-hour of "specification of portion" will be decreased by the display of "Machining portion name", "Machining area group name" and "Machining area name" at parameter column in the machining design view.

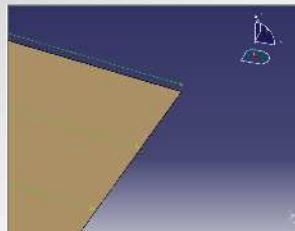
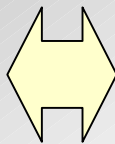
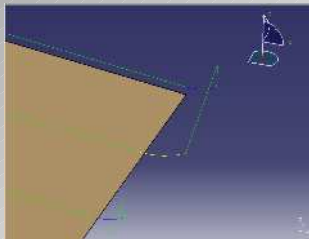




Tool path edition

- Wide variety of editing functions from whole tool path to tool path points

Edit Air cut



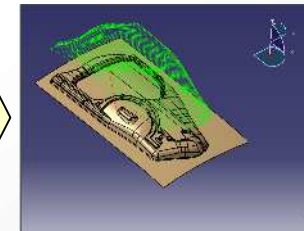
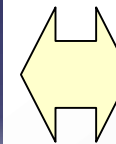
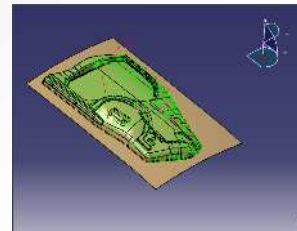
Followings can be added or removed.

- Approach
- Retract
- Pick feed

Add air cut

Delete air cut

Edit path



Edition of the whole tool path

Move

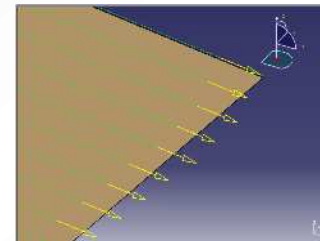
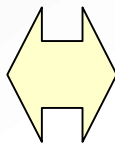
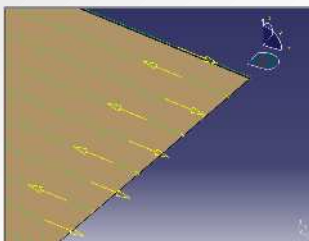
Rotate

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Copy

Mirror copy

Edit element path



Edition is allowed for each elementary path in the tool path

Delete

Reverse direction

Change of order

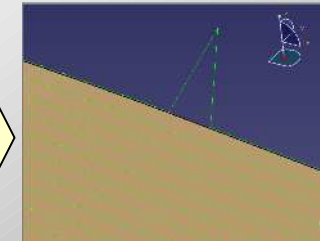
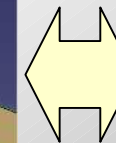
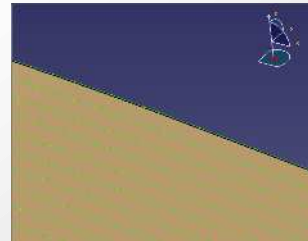
Shortest ordering

Arrange direction

Reverse order

Recursive operation is possible

Edit path point



Edition allowed for each tool path point

Extend

Move

Move

Add

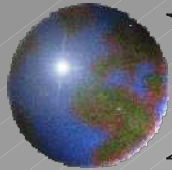
Copy

Measure

Mirror is possible for a machining axis

Closest point on the path: measurement of the closest point between any point on a path and the path or a shape.





Tool path edition

- Deletion of a basic tool path and its recursive operation

Abstract

“Apply” button is added to “Delete basic tool path command” for recursive operation of the command.

Purpose

It is inefficient to activate the command many times to delete basic tool paths recursively so far.
Operations and man-hour of the command execution are reduced by this improvement.

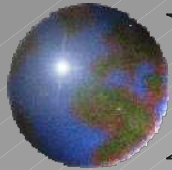
Usage

Recursive operation is possible to push “Apply” button instead of “OK”.



“Apply” is added





Tool path edition

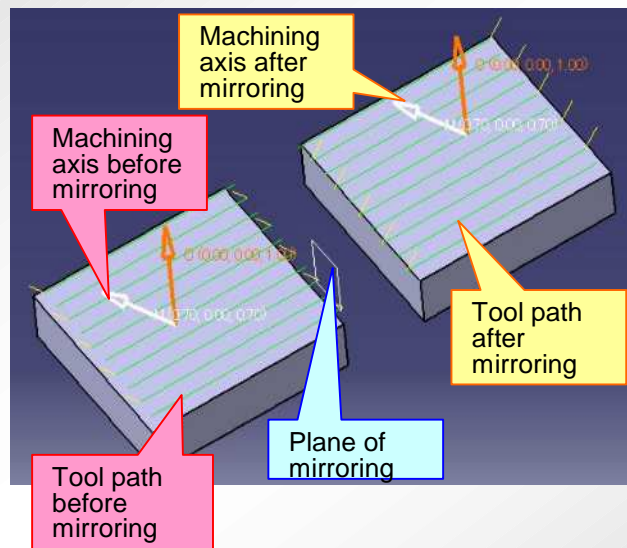
- Mirror copy of a tool path

abstract

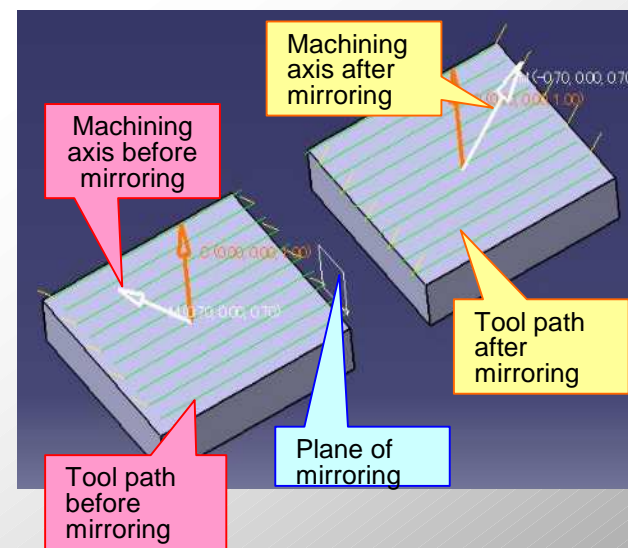
Mirroring function is added for a tool paths in a specified machining process and specified machining axis.



Mirror copy of CATIA



Mirror copy of Dynavista

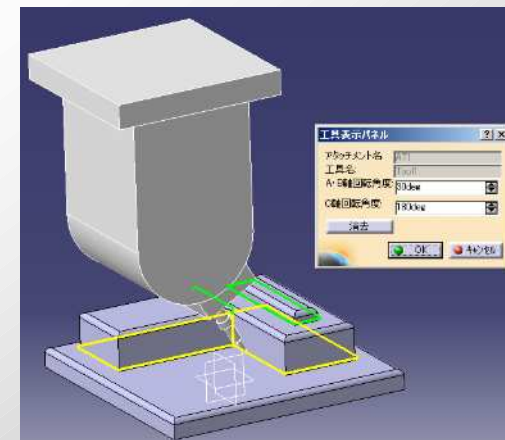
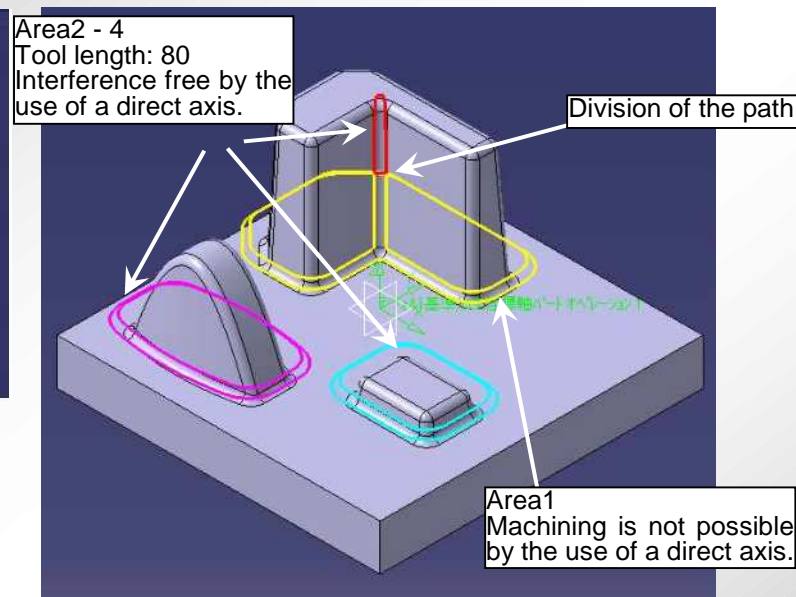
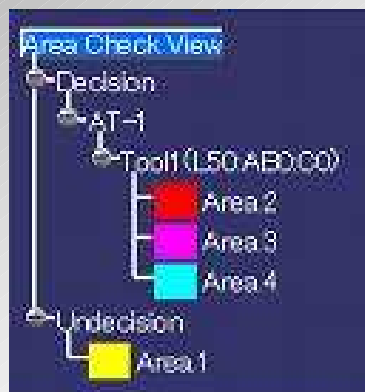




Corner machining Auto Corner Division

– selection of appropriate length tool

Interfere free tool paths are created at tools, holders and attachments taking optimum tool length and tool axis into account. Tools with different length are pre-registered.



Sloped axis tool can be specified for an area unable to machine by a direct axis

Machining order

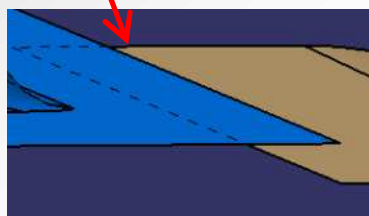
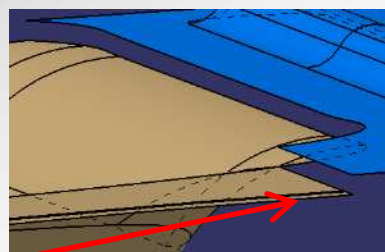
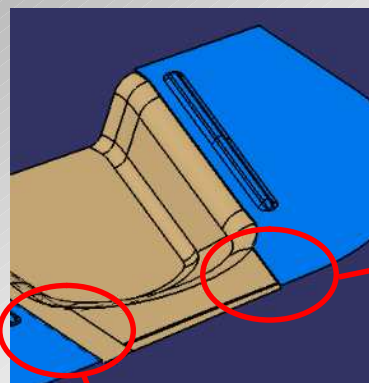
An order is defined so that a short tool is prior to a long one, and direct axis tool is prior to a large slope angle one. Whether tool length order or slope angle order will be determined by executing an optimization.



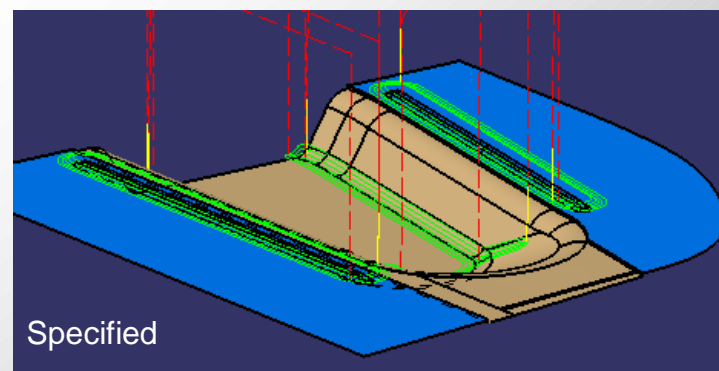
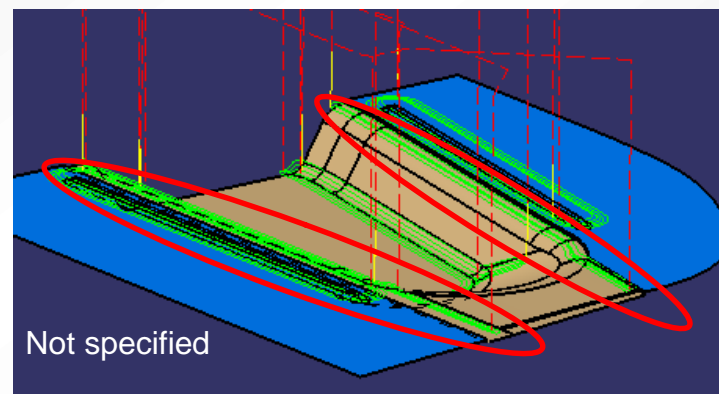


Corner machining Delete Gap CL – removal of small step path

When a small step (where surfaces are disconnected) exists in a target shape of machining, the small step is automatically detected and no tool path will be created at the portion.



A user specifies whether it is a small step or not.



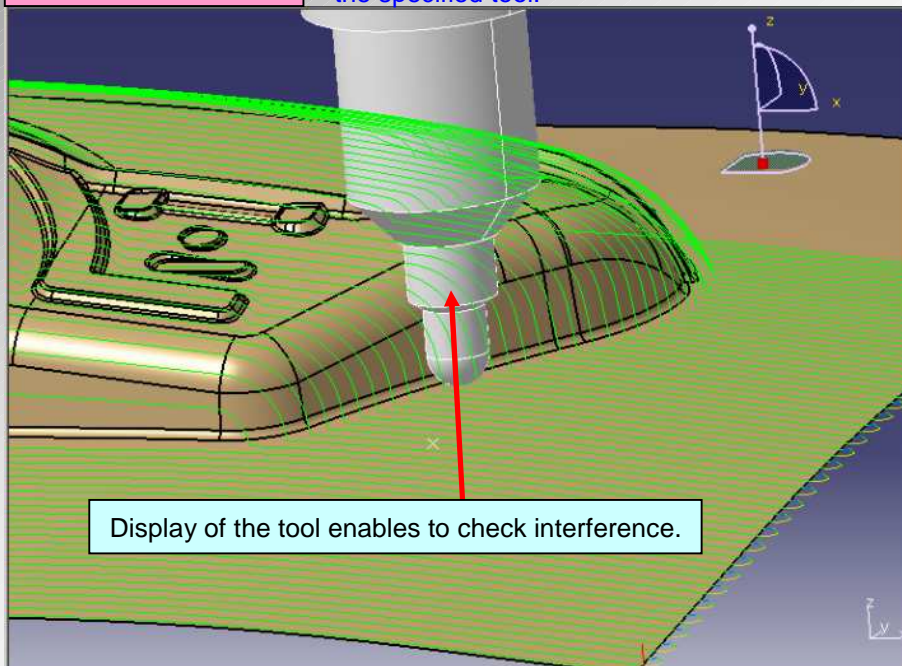


Check tool path

- The tool can be displayed in order to check the specified tool path or the specified portion.

Tool body display

Cutting status can be checked by 3D view using the specified tool.



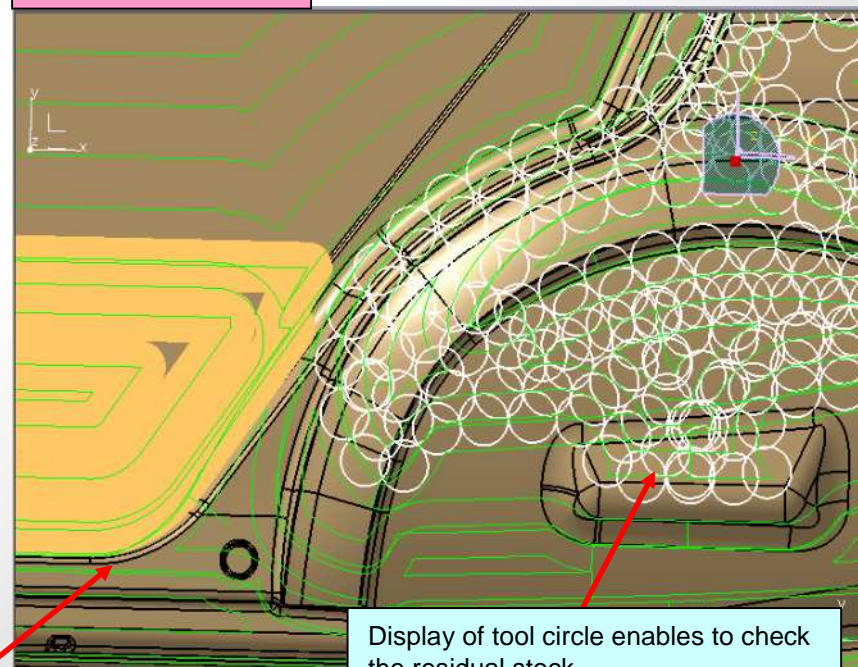
Display of the tool enables to check interference.

Selection of tools, re-setting to a process
Display even without tool paths.

- Half transparent display is possible.
- It can be used from Edit tool path / Display tool path / Check interference result

Tool circle display

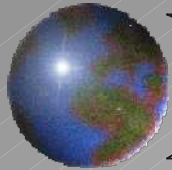
Cutting status of be checked by 2D view using the specified tool.



Display of tool circle enables to check the residual stock.

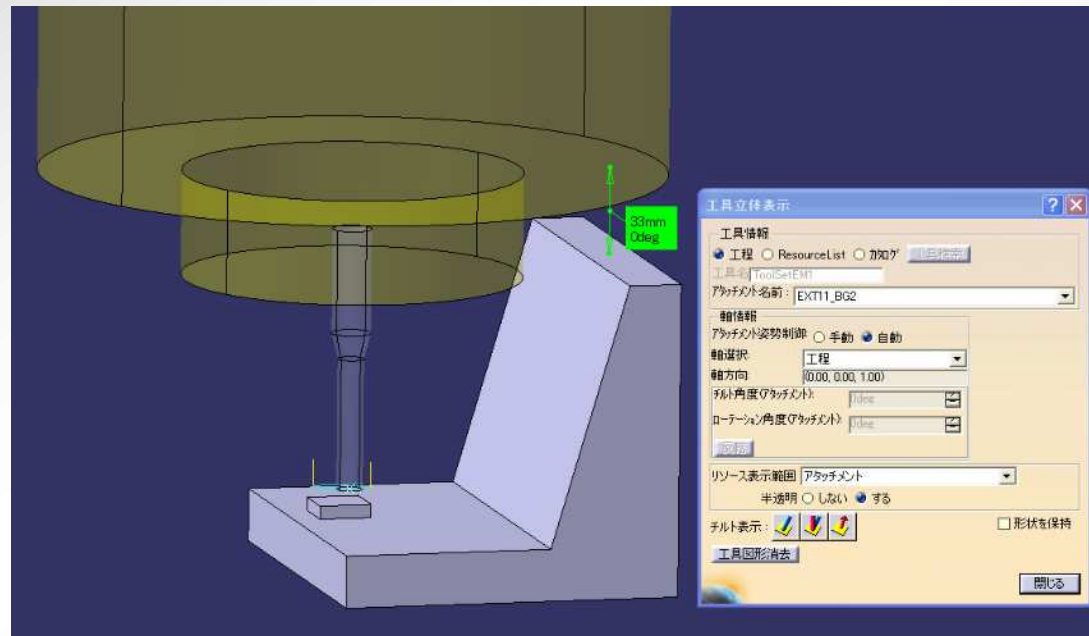
Display of the tool paths in filled manner enables to check the residual stock.





Tool display

- Display a tool solid on a screen
- Half transparent display is possible.
- It can be activated from Tool path edition / Tool path display /Interference check result command.



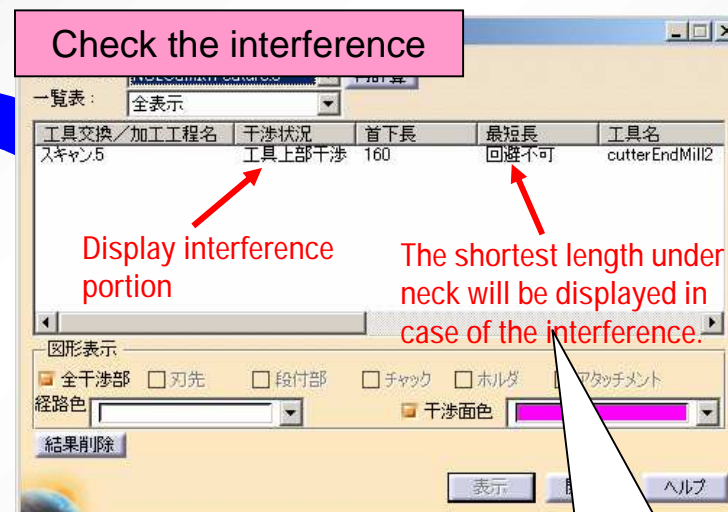
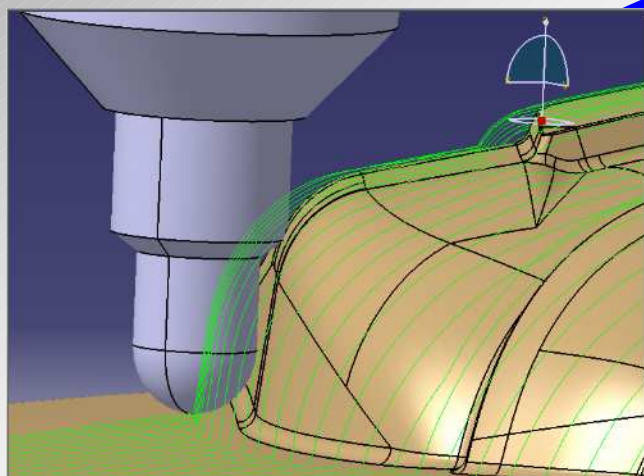


Interference check

Interference check of the tool, the holder and the attachment for a tool path.

Easy check of interference portions.

Output of the shortest length under neck.

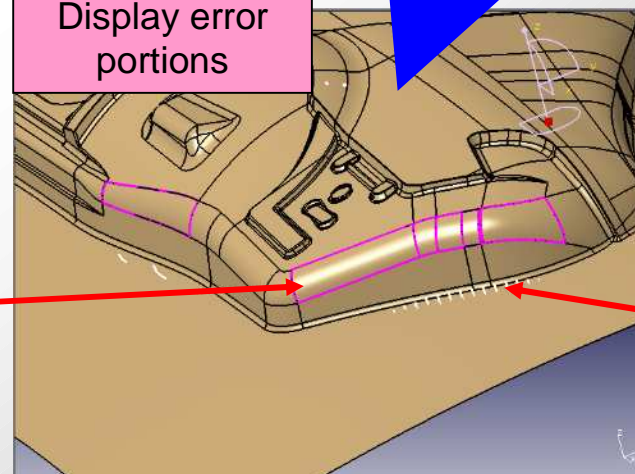


Display interference portion

The shortest length under neck will be displayed in case of the interference.

Display error portions

Display interference surface



It can be displayed even if no interference exists.

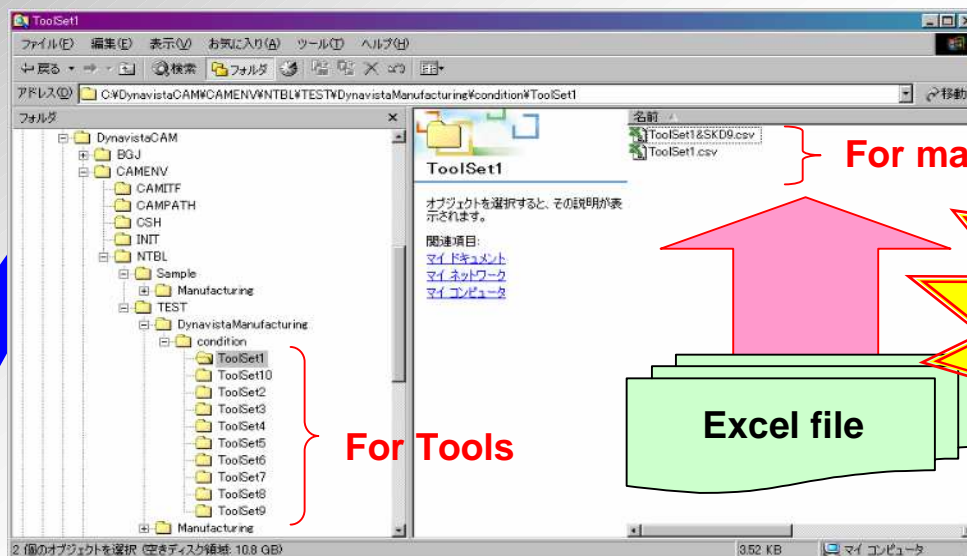
Display interference portion in the CL.





Automatic parameter definition

- Machining parameters such as feed rate are automatically defined by tool, material and machining method.



Before

工程名	トレランス	離脱送り速度	接近送り速度	切削送り速度	クーラント
形状全体					
製品部					
面沿い6 (計算済み)	0.01	1000	1000	1000	オイル
面沿い5 (計算済み)	0.01	1000	1000	1000	オイル
面沿い4 (計算済み)	0.01	1000	1000	1000	オイル
面沿い3 (計算済み)	0.01	1000	1000	1000	オイル
面沿い2					
面沿い1 (計算済み)	0.01	1000	1000	1000	オイル
スキャン4 (計算済み)	0.01	1000	1000	1000	オイル
スキャン3 (計算済み)	0.01	1000	1000	1000	オイル
スキャン2					
スキャン1					

After

工程名	トレランス	離脱送り速度	接近送り速度	切削送り速度	クーラント
形状全体					
製品部					
面沿い6 (計算済み)	0.01	500	500	3000	オイル
面沿い5 (計算済み)	0.01	500	500	3000	オイル
面沿い4 (計算済み)	0.01	500	500	3000	オイル
面沿い3 (計算済み)	0.01	500	500	3000	オイル
面沿い2					
面沿い1 (計算済み)	0.01	500	500	3000	オイル
スキャン4 (計算済み)	0.01	500	500	6000	オイル
スキャン3 (計算済み)	0.01	500	500	6000	オイル
スキャン2					
スキャン1					

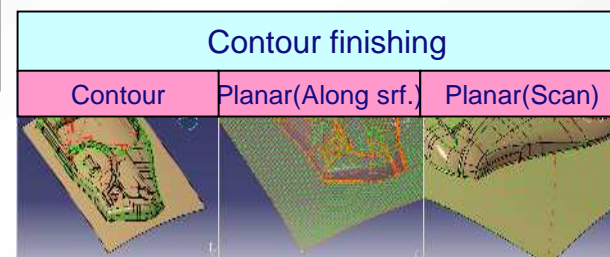
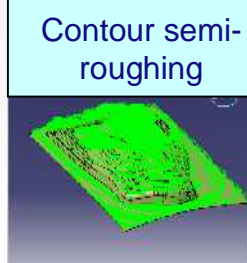
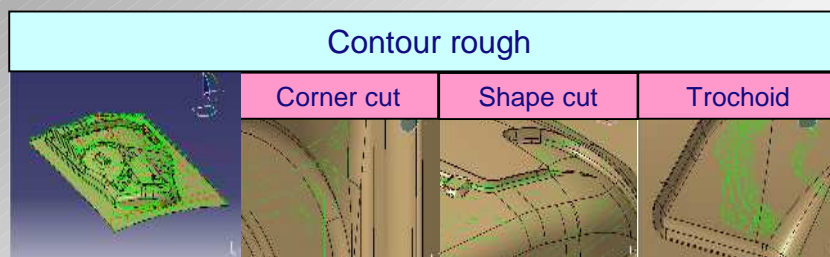
Feed rate was changed.



Machining operation

- Various original 3D machining functions

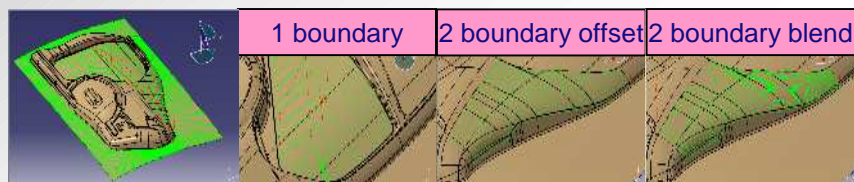
Contour machining



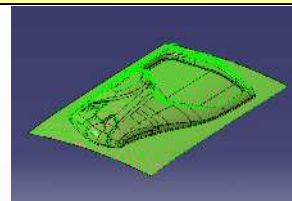
Contour Along-surf Corner Boundary Scan Profile Scriber



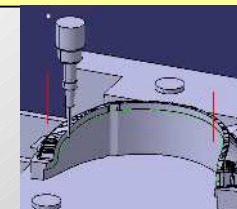
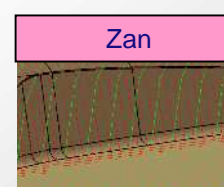
Along surface machining



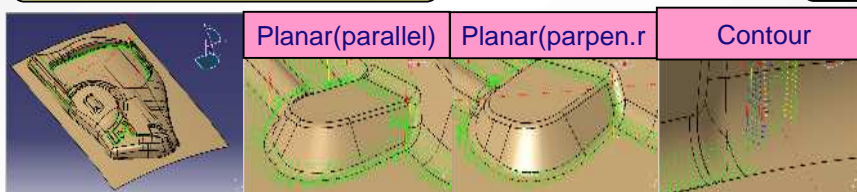
Scan (Lace) machining



Profile machining



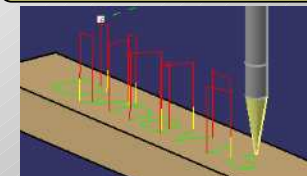
Corner machining



Boundary machining



Scriber machining



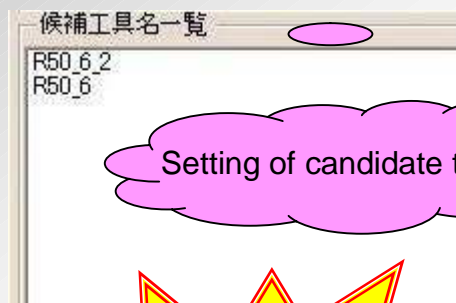
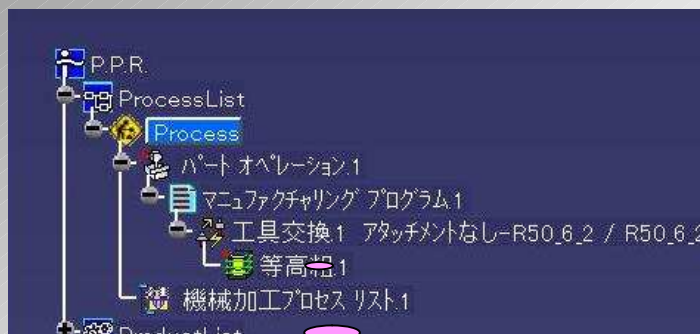
- Automatic selection of optimum machining parameters fitting to machining process





Machining operation

- Tool path division by tool length



Setting of candidate tools

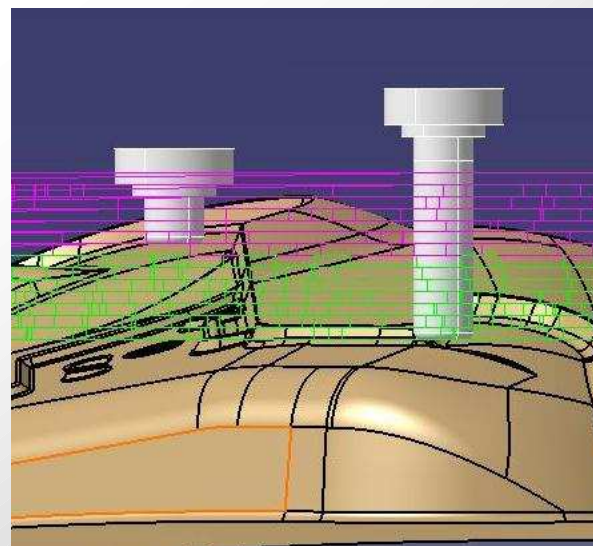
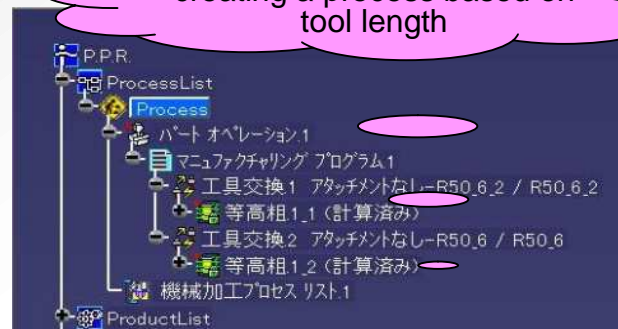
**Candidate tool
registration
Easy setting by the
use of EXCEL**

Tool path
calculation



Import of
tool path

Dividing a tool path and
creating a process based on
tool length



Target machining

- Scan (lace)
- Boundary
- Along surface
- Contour rough
- Contour semi-roughing
- Contour profile
- Contour zan
- Corner



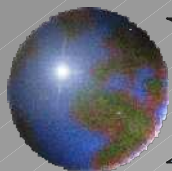


Machining operation

- Division of tool path by tool length

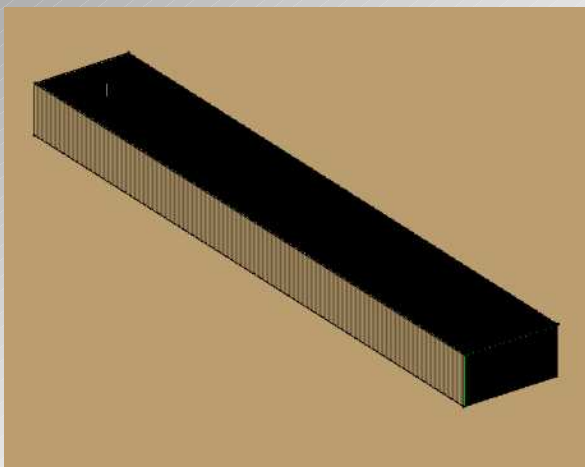
- Scan (lace)
 - Boundary
 - Along surface
 - Contour profile
 - Contour zan
 - Contour rough
 - Contour semi-rough
 - Corner
- + Overlap amount can be specified. 3
 - + Motion type is selectable
 - 1 optimum tool set
 - Dividing a tool path with an optimum tool set
 - Basically dividing a tool path with an optimum tool set
 - Removal of interference portion of 1 tool set.
 - + Interference-free tools can be determined for each layer.
 - + Not only shape but also interference with raw material
 - + Tool paths with interference can be temporarily displayed for every candidate tool.
 - + Division of tool path by tool length dedicated to corner machining.



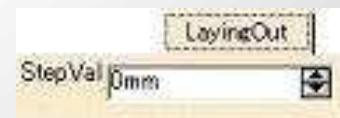
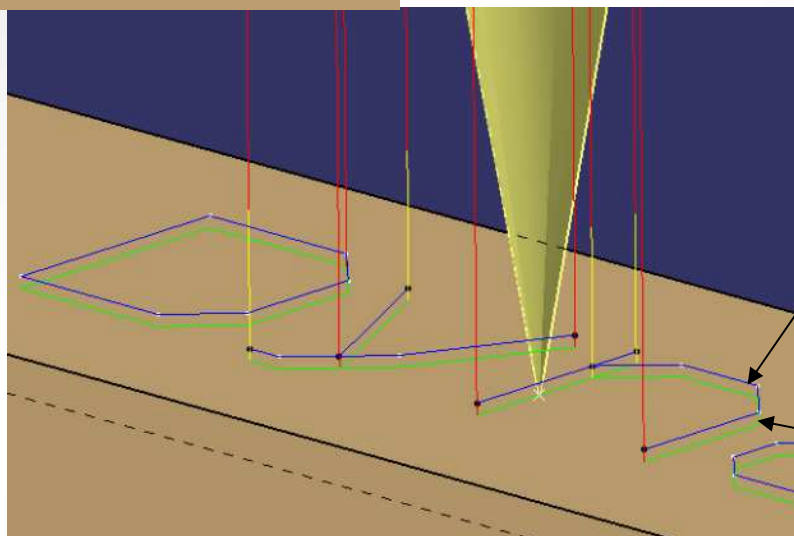


Machining operation

- Scriber machining



A tool path is created from a CAD curve.



Specify a cutting amount

Guide curve (CAD curve)

Tool path

Cutting amount

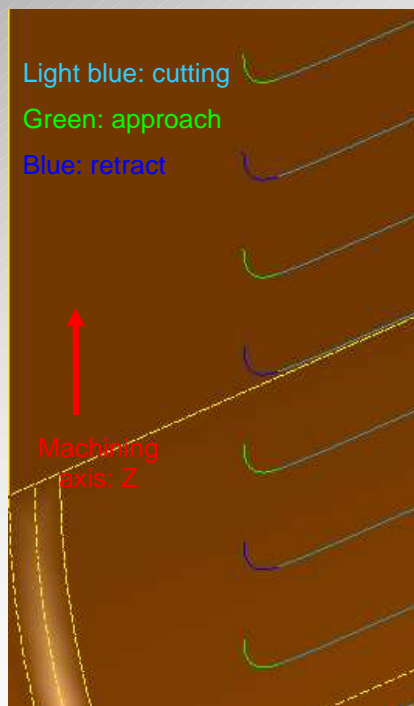




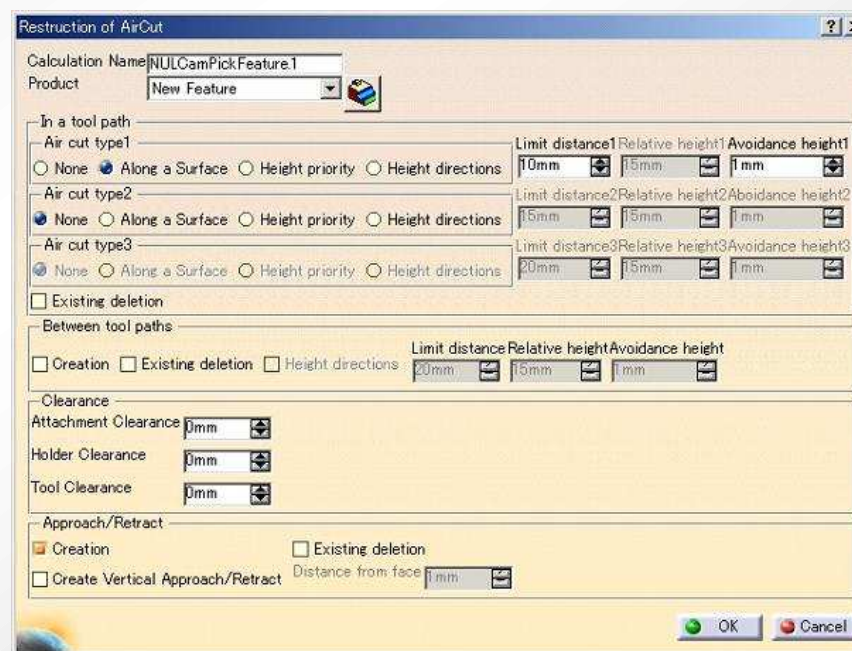
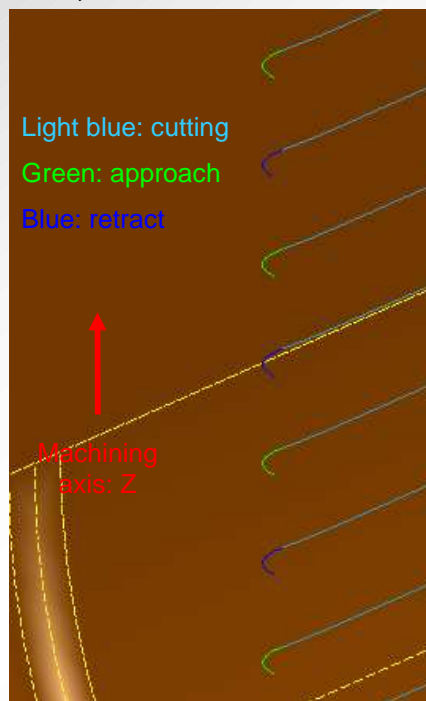
Pick calculation

- An approach and retract perpendicular to a surface

Approach along an axis
(Retract)

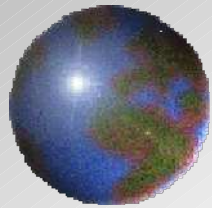


Approach perpendicular to a surface
(retract)





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