

Metal Forming Solution Package

Complete range of standard solutions for the complete world of metal forming technology

Mechanical Presses

Flywheel Press

Servo Press

Handling Systems

Roll Feed

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Feeder systems

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Blanking Line

Flying Shear

Rotary Shear

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Press Safety

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Press Simulation

Press Line Simulation (PLS)

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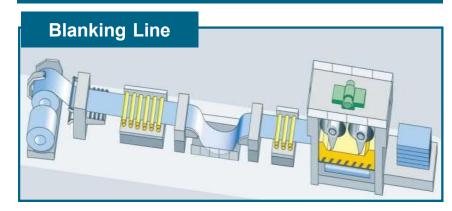


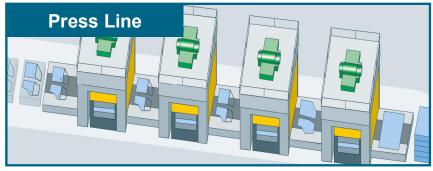




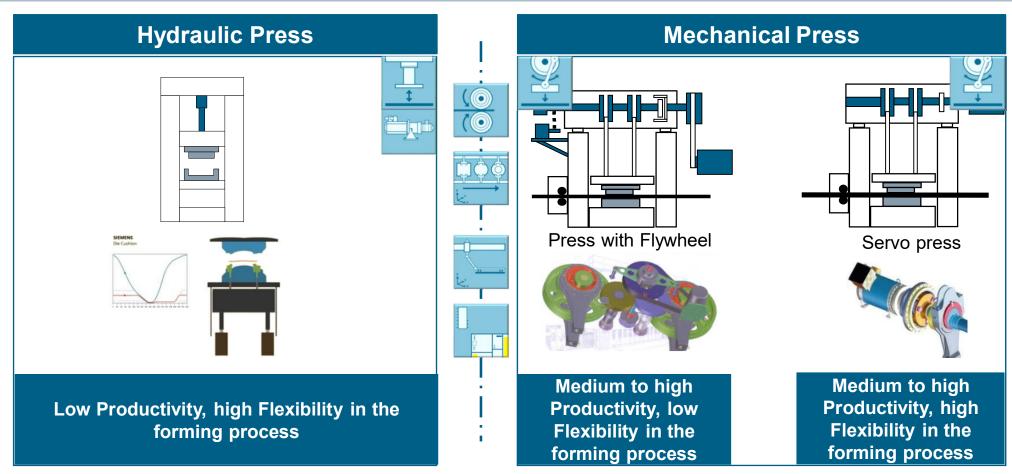


Metal Forming Solution Package Solutions for automation of Press Shops





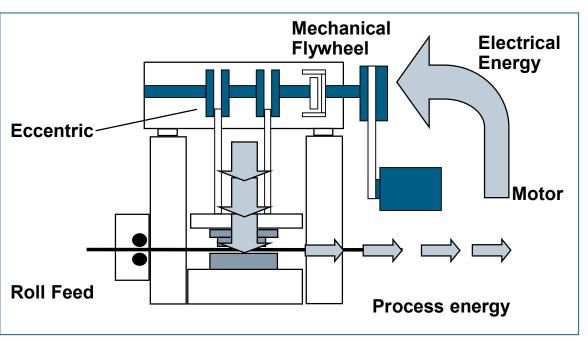
Metal Forming Solution Package Solutions for mechanical Presses



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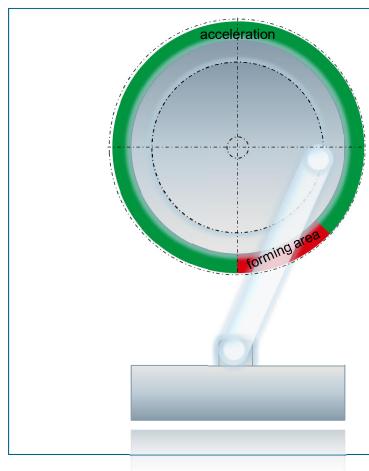
Functional Principle of mechanical Presses with Flywheel

Mechanics: Eccentric, Knee lever, others Brake-/ Clutch combination Mechanical Flywheel AC Main Drive



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Functional Principle of mechanical Presses with Flywheel



Mechanical Flywheel:

- The flywheel is almost exclusively used for the forming process
- Press speed is almost constant -> there are no phases were the press is accelerated or decelerated
- The forming energy is taken from the mechanical flywheel by reduction of the speed, the drive accelerates it and restores the energy
- The infeed provides the forming energy and the losses
- The press is operated in "constant" speed as result of the speed of the flywheel
- Clutch- / Brake combination and machine encoder required.

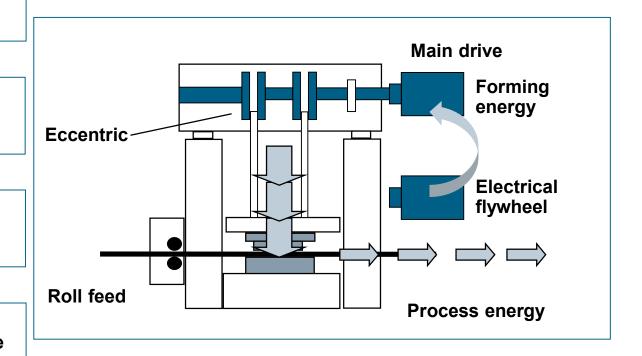
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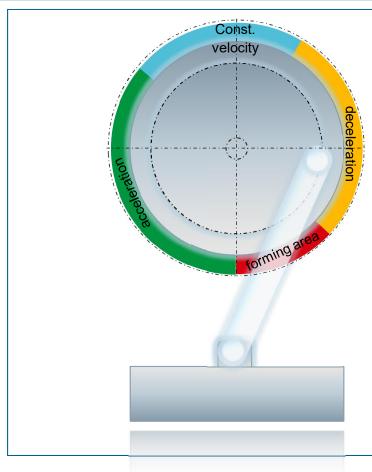
One or more main AC-drives

Electric Flywheel or capacitors

Energy optimized movement profile



Metal Forming Solution Package Functional Principle of Servo Presses



Servo press / Energy storage:

- No flywheel energy storage, press speed is not constant
- The energy storage is used for reduction of peak power at forming, acceleration and deceleration
- The braking energy is stored in the buffer and reused for acceleration or forming
- The infeed provides the forming energy and the losses
- There is no connection between work capacity and speed of the press like in a press with mechanical flywheel
- No brake / clutch unit required
- No machine encoder required

Metal Forming Solution Package Functional Principle of Servo Presses

Advantages of a Servo press

Motor speed is variable: Ram can be accelerated / decelerated within physical limits, higher productivity,

Pendulum operation is possible

Accurate positioning: No braking angle calculation due to the missing clutch, positioning of the eccentric

based on a defined setpoint

Low machine speeds: No minimum operation speed because all energy comes from main drive, hand wheel

operation possible (motion of the ram by increments)

Machine Stop: Fastest way to stop the press is via motor deceleration

Safety: No DIN / EN standards for servo presses defined yet, extended Drive Safety

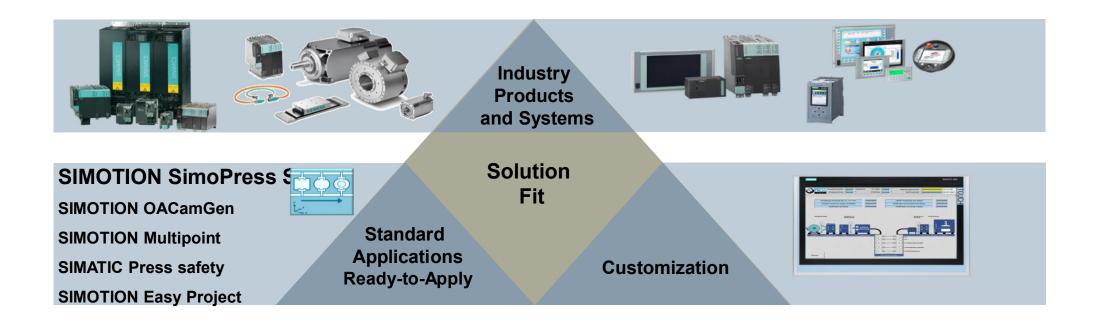
necessary

Energy Management: High energy requirement due to acceleration / deceleration, oscillating energy

has to be buffered

Transfer Systems: Press speed is variable and depends on calculated profile, coupling of handling

system via virtual press master



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Sizing of the drive system

How do we size the drive system in a way that ensures the desired performance data of the press?

Motion Profile

- How do we tell the press to run a motion profile that matches the tool in the machine?
- How can we adapt the machine to a new tool?

Energy management

- Can we avoid to see the effects of the oscillating process power of a servo press on our power grid?
- If I have a large drive system-do I also need a large infeed system?

Robust drive technology

- Can we operate any type of motors and drives in the servo press application?
- What are the critical characteristics we must observe?



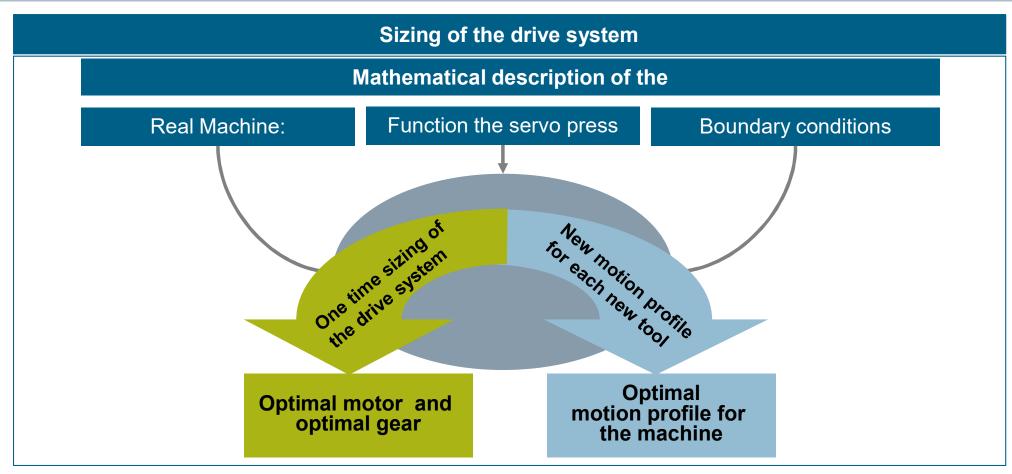
Servo press

High productivity **and** high flexibility in the forming process

Metal Forming Solution Package Benefits of the Solution

OEM	End customer
 Time saving in engineering Application Support by Motion Control specialists Open customizable solution Continuous enhancement Simple to learn & get to know using application examples The Application is free of charge Universal and scalable range of hardware for all machine requirements 	 Higher Productivity Higher Availability Higher Flexibility Avoiding "Black Box" or special solutions leads to unified automation structures and results in simplified service & maintenance

The solution for the automation of Servo Presses SIMOTION SimoPressServo



Sizing of the drive system

Machine data

Machine specification – Excel Questionnaire

Sizing Tool

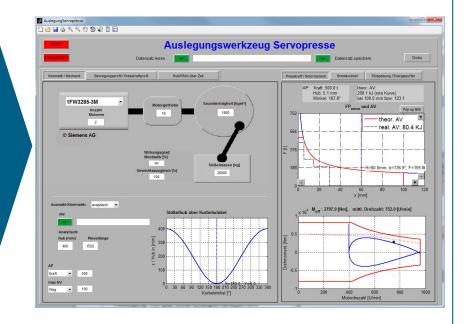
- Siemens developed a sizing tool for servo presses
- All functions and results of the tool have been verified via measurements on existing machines

Mechatronic concept

- Understand the machine as mechatronic system
- Deep knowledge of the functional principle of Servo presses and funded knowledge of motor and drives results in an overall system capable of fulfilling the requirements of equipment of servo presses

System sizing with energy management

Sizing with and without energy managment



Generation of Motion Profiles

Flexibility in Motion

How do we use the abilities of a servo drive? How do I tell my machine to do the perfect motion for the tool I want to operate next?

Optimized Motion

How do we generate the optimized motion profile? Defining some points on a graph manually or go for an optimization algorithm that performs this task automatically?

Technological Challenges

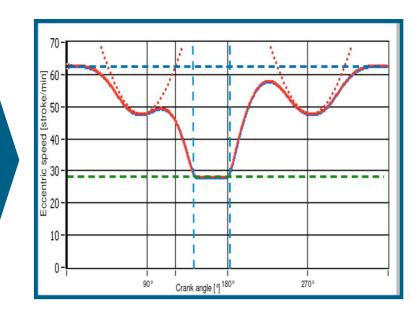
- Reduce stress for the tool
- Drawing process

Transfer time

Optimized pendulum mode

Observing all Boundary Conditions

 We must ensure that ALL boundary conditions of the system are observed permanently? (Acceleration, Jerk, max. Speed, max. Torque, max. Forming Speed)



Generation of Motion Profiles

SIMOTION OACamGen

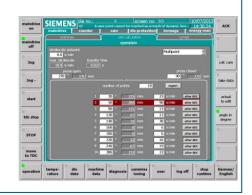
- Order-No: 6AU1820-3EA20-0AB0 (L-Price: ~3.446€ FY16/17)
- RT-License
- Integrated in SIMTDCION SimoPress Servo
- Calculation of energy optimized motion profiles for pendulum and servo operation taking machine specific parameters into account
- Controller: From V2.0: Simotion D455-2 recommended, no release for Simotion D410

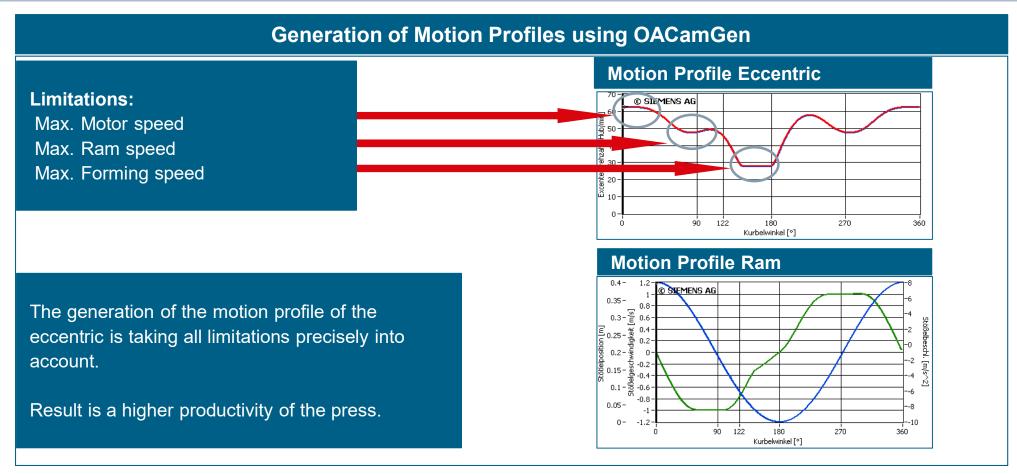
SIMOTION Multipoint

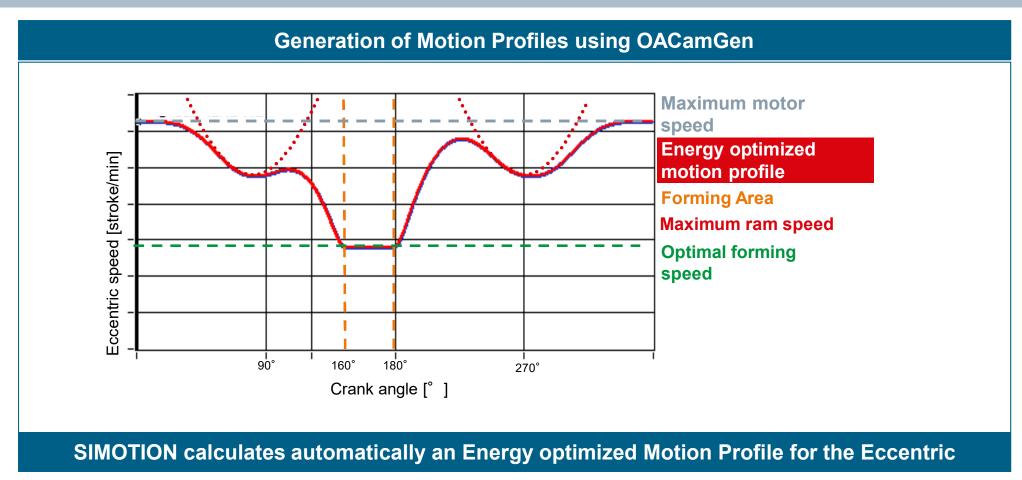
- Integrated in SIMOTION SimoPress Servo
- No license required, no additional costs
- Breakpoint based (10) calculation of motion profiles for pendulum and servo operation taking machine specific parameters into account
- No restrictions concerning the hardware platform

Customer specific functions or fixed curves can be integrated

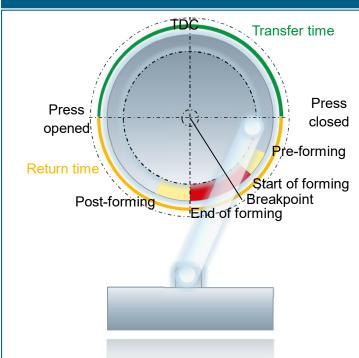








Generation of Motion Profiles using OACamGen

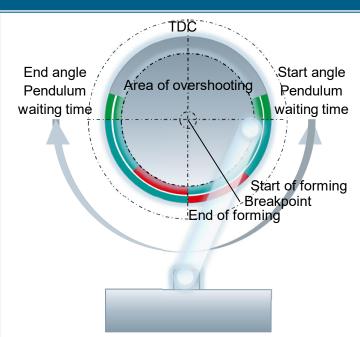


Min. required transfer or return time can be configured. The press profile will be optimized according this requirement to still reach a max. possible stroke rate.

Servo operation with transfer time, return time					
Coordinate	Description	Units			
Pre-forming	Angle / Speed before forming	° / spm			
Start of forming	Start angle forming / forming speed	° / spm			
End of forming	End angle forming / forming speed	°/spm			
Post-forming	Angle / Speed after forming	° / spm			
Press open	Angle / height, at which the press is open	o			
Press closed	Angle / height, at which the press is closed	o			
Breakpoint in forming area	Angle + waiting time of breakpoint in forming area	°/s			
Time press open	Time for roll feed / transfer	S			
Time press closed	Return time	S			

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Generation of Motion Profiles using OACamGen

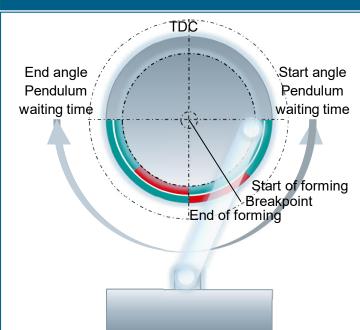


Pendulum mode with waiting time and "overshooting"

Coordinate	Description	Units
Start Pendulum	Start angle Pendulum motion	0
End Pendulum	End angle Pendulum motion	0
Waiting time	Waiting time at reversal point at start and end angle pendulum motion	S
Start of forming	Start angle forming / forming speed	°/spm
End of forming	End angle forming / forming speed	° / spm
Angle of overshooting	Area of overshooting	٥
Breakpoint in forming area	Angle + waiting time of breakpoint in forming area	°/s

The acceleration at the reversal point is not zero. The reversal point is passed with max. possible acceleration until the max. overshoot area. A higher machine performance is reached.

Generation of Motion Profiles using OACamGen

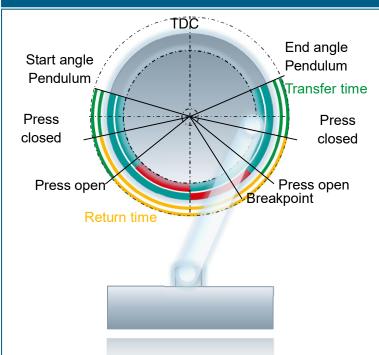


Pendulum mode with max. acceleration at reversal point

Coordinate	Description	Units
Start Pendulum	Start angle Pendulum motion	0
End Pendulum	End angle Pendulum motion	٥
Start of forming	Start angle forming / forming speed	°/spm
End of forming	End angle forming / forming speed	°/spm
Breakpoint in forming area	Angle + waiting time of breakpoint in forming area	°/s
Operating mode	Mode max. acceleration at reversal point	

Passing the reversal point with max. acceleration (no breaking to acceleration = zero), thus a higher velocity of the machine can be achieved.

Generation of Motion Profiles using OACamGen



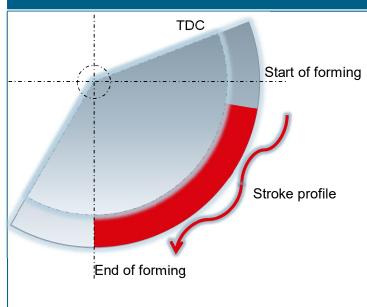
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Generation of Motion Profiles using OACamGen



Servo or pendulum operation with multi strike					
	Angle [°]	Speed [Hub/min]	Acceleration factor	Waiting time [s]	Max. Speed [Hub/min]
1	100	25	1	0	-1
2	165	0	0,9	0,5	10
3	159	0	0,25	0	10
4	173	0	0,9	0,5	12
5	167	0	0,25	0	12
6	180	0	0,5	0,1	-1
7	185	25	1	0	-1

Servo operation and pendulum mode with multi strike operation; forward and backward motions in the forming area are configurable

Generation of Motion Profiles using OACamGen

- Energy optimized motion profiles
- Calculation of two cycle times specified by start and stop angle for e.g. transfer or roll feed applications
- New optimization algorithm (higher precision, in general better utilization resulting in higher reachable machine performance)
- Memory for 1024 profiles
- Calculation of the energy loss for comparison of pendulum and servo operation
- Expert parameters (torque for forming process, resolution of the optimization algorithm) changeable via function block
- Extension of pendulum operating modes ("Overshooting", max. acceleration at reversal point)
- Extension of parametrization of the time of transfer (time of transfer and return in servo operation and pendulum mode)
- Multi strike operating mode (Chart of points in forming area in servo operation and pendulum mode)

Energy Management

Special Characteristic of Servo Presses

- Cyclic load change caused by permanent acceleration and deceleration.
- What does this mean to the drive system of the machine?

Advantages / Disadvantages of an energy management

+ Smaller infeed

- Higher invest
- + Avoid power peaks
- + Reduction of harmonics

Technological Challenges

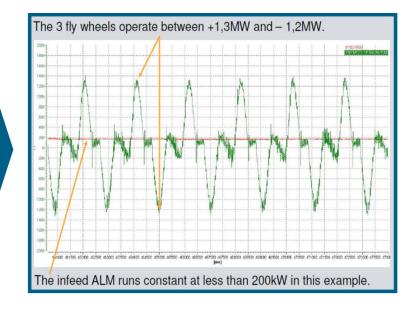
What types of affordable energy buffers are available?

Capacitors

Kinetic buffer

Energy Saving / Cost Reduction?

- Forming Work remains the same!
- Fed back Energy will not be refunded by the power company
- For large presses Energy management is a MUST



Energy Management

Why Energy Management?

- Reduced infeed power:
 With intelligent energy management it is possible to limit the infeed power to the actual work that needs to be done by the machine plus the mechanical and electrical losses of the system.
- Reuse of braking energy:
 The braking energy remains in the system and will not be regenerated and therefore will not cause any cyclic load changes on the supplies.
- Energy buffer during power loss:
 The energy remains in the system after a power loss and can be used for emergency movements and automation controllers for an optimized stand-still

Energy Management

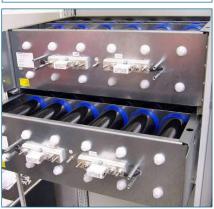
Kinetic energy storage: Flywheel motor

- © High energy density and low peak high power
- © Safety: Encapsulated mechanical system
- Maintenance: Rotating mechanical system
- ☼ Higher expenses for infrastructure in case of water cooling
- ☼ Energy efficiency

Electric energy storage: Capacity

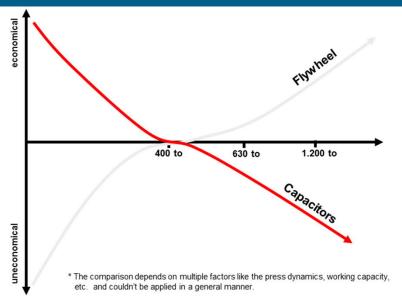
- © Low energy density and high peak power
- © High energy efficiency
- © Easy to install
- © Lifetime is limited by load cycles and high ambient temperature



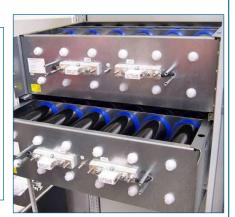


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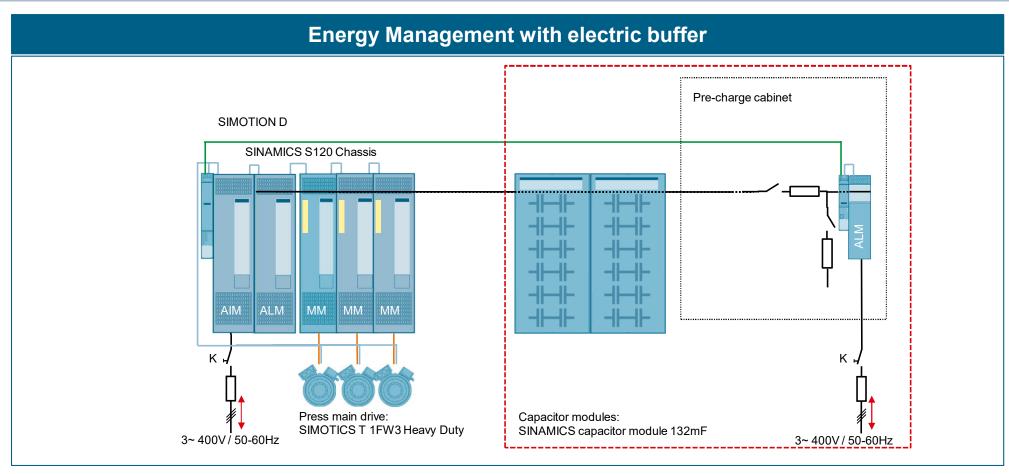
Schematic illustration of the system costs*

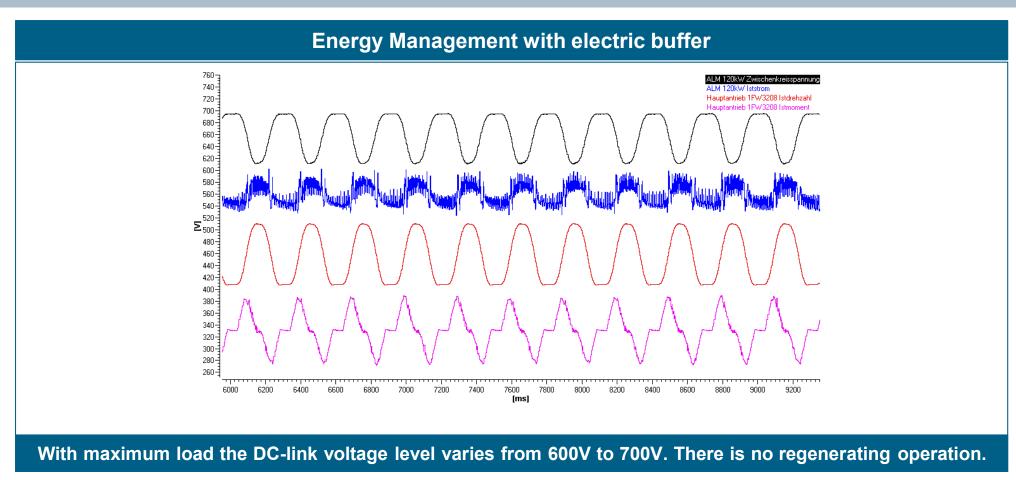






The capacitor solution is in relation to the control requirements the simplest one. However, in larger press systems the required capacitor quantity is too high to compensate the total peak motor power in the most cost-efficient way.





Energy Management with electric buffer

Product:

6SY7000-0AE64: SINAMICS Capacitor Module 132mF

Limitations:

 System limitation of the DC-link capacity is 2,3F (18 capacitor modules with 132mF each)

Min. DC-link voltage: 600VMax. DC-link voltage: 720V

Pre-charging required

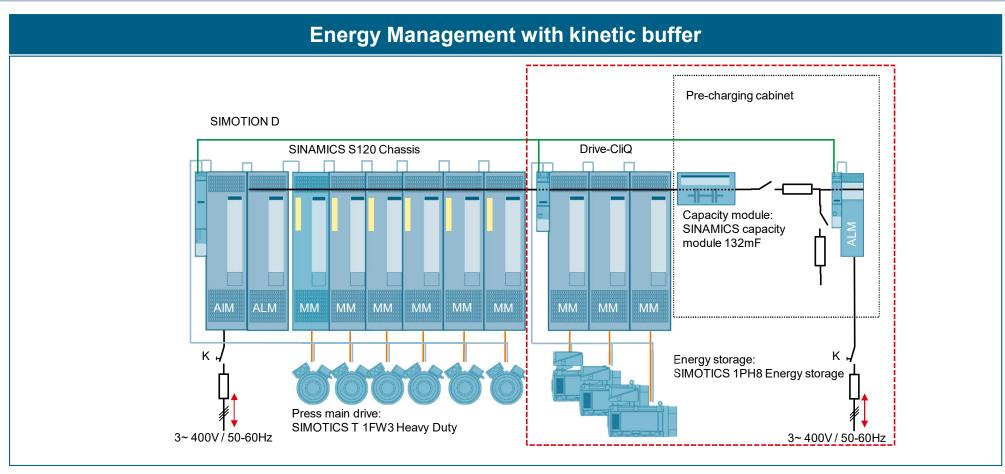
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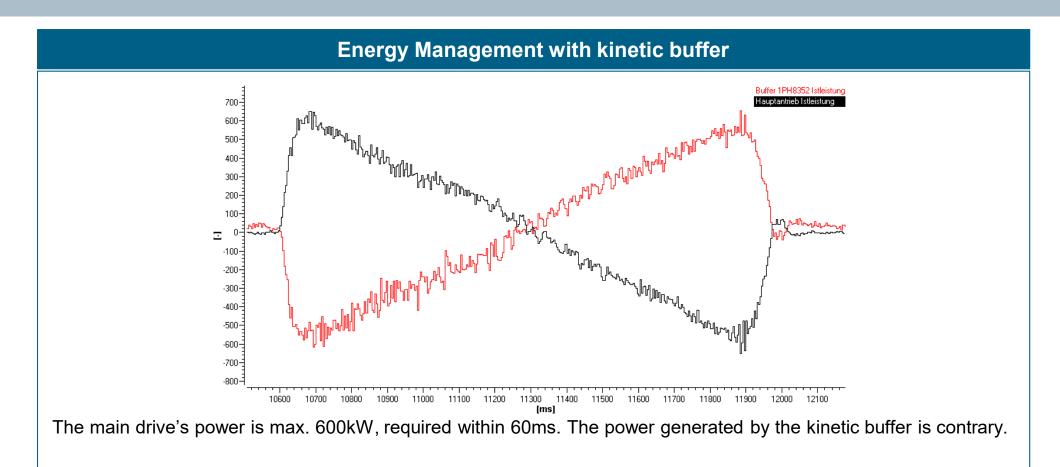
 No additional control of the system required, manipulation of the voltage control in the ALM required

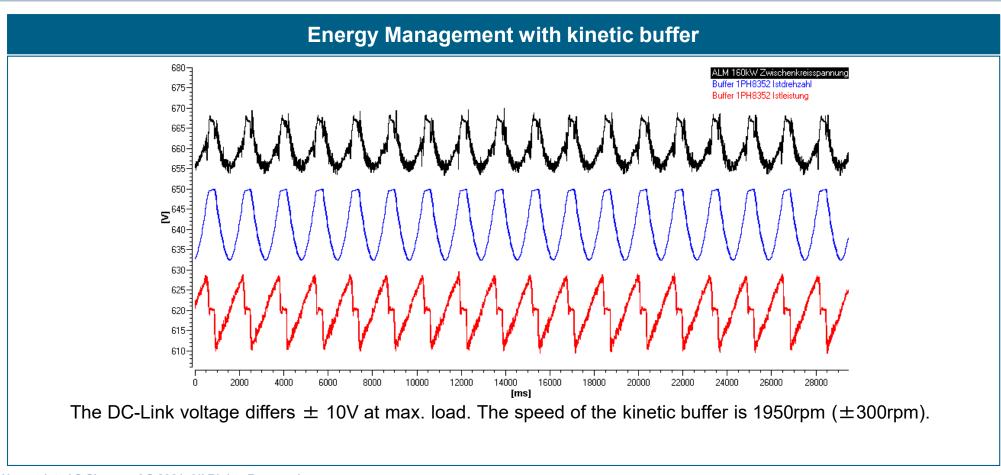
Fields of Application:

 Electric buffers are not applied to "larger" presses (>400t) because of the system limitation of 2,3F, cabinet space and price

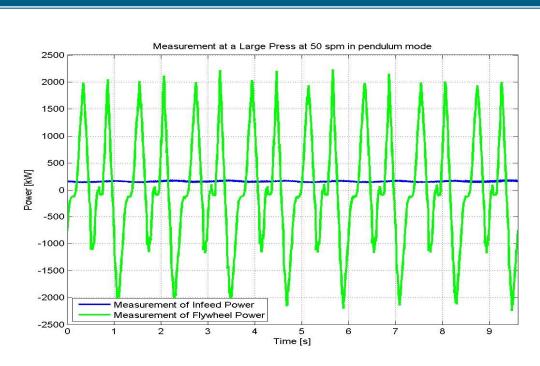












Press with 3 Flywheels:

Peak Load: ±2,2MW

Result:

The required power of the press is less than **200kW**..

Reduction of the power input through consequent Energy Management

Energy Management with kinetic buffer

Product:

SIMOTICS 1PH8 in shaft height 355 Energy storage

Features:

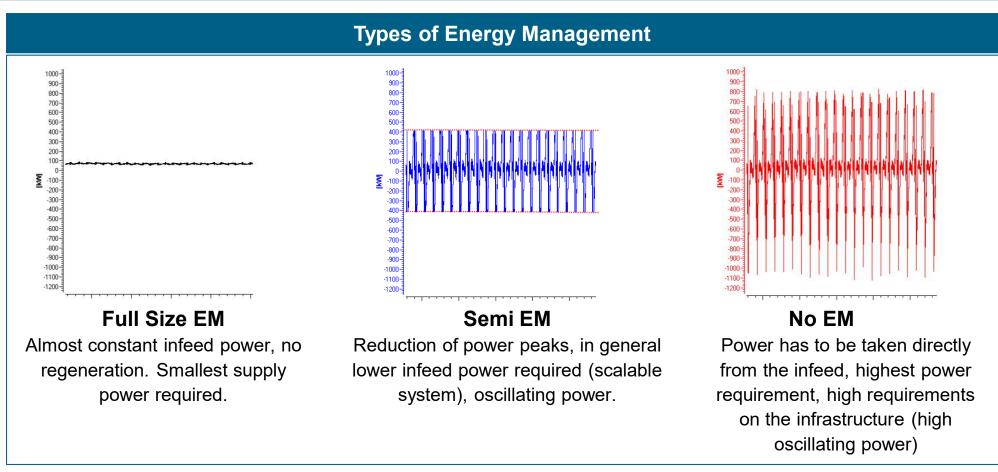
- No system limitation like the solution with capacities
- Nearly constant infeed power without regeneration
- Smallest infeed power

Limitations:

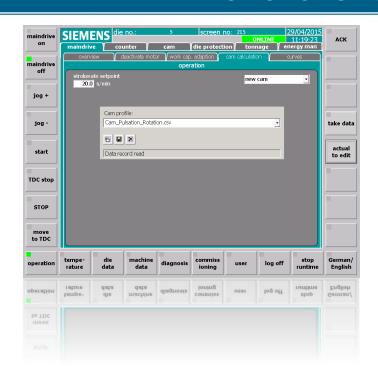
- Short cycle times because of the high dynamic of the system required (≤ 1ms)
- One capacity module required to improve the system robustness
- Pre-charge circuit required

Engineering:

- Additional control required
- Implementation of the control within SIMOTION in a know-how protected function block



SIMOTION SimoPess Servo: Free Cam Profiles



- User-defined cam profiles for press motion
- Cam profile as interpolation point table (eccentric position [°] at virtual master position [°])
- Up to 720 interpolation points possible
- File must either be CSV or TXT
- File must have specific structure
 (distinction between rotation and pendulum profiles)
- File must be stored on CF card of SIMOTION (USER > SIMOTION > HMI > USERFILES)
- Referenced by file name

Caution: No verification regarding any mechanical or electrical limits!

SIMOTION SimoPess Servo: Free Cam Profiles

Rotation profiles:

- First interpolation point must be (0.0, 0.0)
- Last interpolation point must be (360.0, 360.0)
- Remaining interpolation points can be chosen arbitrarily (in ascending order)

Pendulum profiles:

- First interpolation point must be (0.0, start point pendulum)
- One interpolation point must be (360.0, end point pendulum)
- Last interpolation point must be (720.0, start point pendulum)
- Remaining interpolation points can be chosen arbitrarily (in ascending order)



SIMOTION SimoPress Servo: Customized Kinematics

Customized Kinematics:

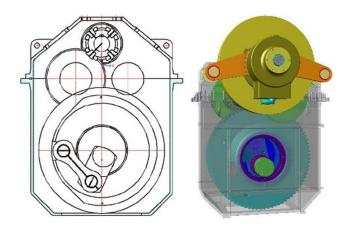
- Drag link system
- Link drive
- Knee lever
- etc.

Customized kinematics can be included via array of data or cam.

Die data has to be available in form of breakpoints angle of the eccentric / stroke heights with sufficient resolution (minimum 1°).

Advantages:

- Reduced motor power
- Cheaper systems



SIMOTION SimoPress Servo: hand wheel operation

Mini-Handheld for handwheel operation:

- Handwheel with magnetic latching and incremental encoder
- 2 channel enabling button
- 2 channel emergency stop
- Connection to Sinamics S120 via SMC 30
- Resolution / Speed configurable via Simopress Servo

E.g.

6FX2007-1AD03: With 3,5m coiled cable 6FX2007-1AD13: With 5m straight cable 6FX2006-1BG03: Connection kit (>= 25m)

6SL3055-0AA00-5CA2: SMC 30

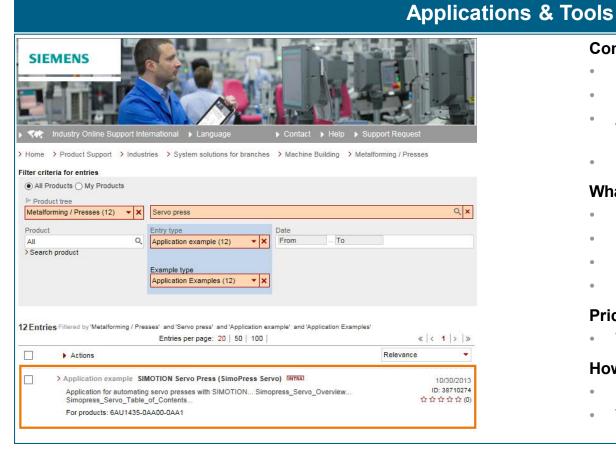
Attention:

Take the output current derating for frequencies < 10 Hz into account!



SIMOTION SimoPress Servo V3.8: Scope of Functionality

- Automatic calculation of energy optimized motion profiles for servo presses
- Integration of individual kinematic systems (eccentric, link-drive, drag-link...)
- Easy generation of motion profiles via OACamGen, Multipoint, integration of external curves
- Generation of the motion curves directly in the machine
- Generation of motion profiles via parameter (start angle, end angle of the forming area, speed, time for press handling, waiting time, pendulum, target machine speed)
- Continuous or pendulum operation possible
- Electronic hand wheel for tryout operation
- Reduction of the connecting power via scalable energy management
- Supports electronic energy buffer (capacities) or kinetic buffers (flywheel)
- Calculation of the press performance via web-server possible
- Operating mode manager (Setup, Single Stroke, Automatic, Positioning, OT-Stop, Hand wheel)
- Three different stop reactions (TDC stop, immediate stop, safety related stop)
- Direct synchronization between press handling and press possible (roll feed, transfer)
- Inclusion of restriction caused by the press handling system
- Tool data management



Contents:

- PowerPoint Presentation (German / English)
- Manuals (German / English)
- Application for SIMOTION D demo system including HMI
- Information material (German / English)

What offers the application:

- Simplified engineering
- Optimal Project structure
- Simplified Support
- Documented and tested Software

Price:

The application is free of charge

How to get the application:

- Request at DF FA PMA BR3-2 or APC
- Via Applications & Tools portal

From a servo press to a coordinated servo press line

What are the challenges in servo press coordination?

If one wants to operate servo presses in a coordinated manner he will find out quickly that the presses usually must follow the transfer device.

The handling application creates very specific requirements for the movement of the single presses.

Distance between tools, acceleration and jerk at the point where the product is held force the handling device to move in a way that defines the range for the offset angle of the presses right and left of the handling device.

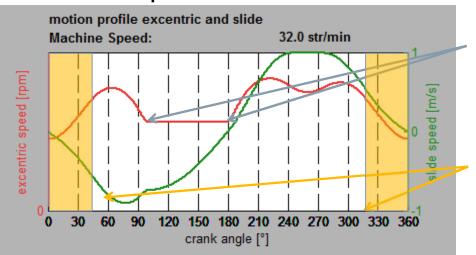
This results in defined offset angles between the individual presses that must be controlled by the press line automation system in order to reach the ideal parts flow through the press line.

In order to give the handling device space and time for a collision free movement it is essential that the motion control system of each single press allows the manipulation of its motion profile in a way that opens the press fast and delays the closing of the press while observing all other settings for an optimized production rate and highest energy efficiency.

Here the flexible OACAMGEN can show its superior functionality!

From a servo press to a coordinated servo press line

Flexibility in the definition of the motion profile:

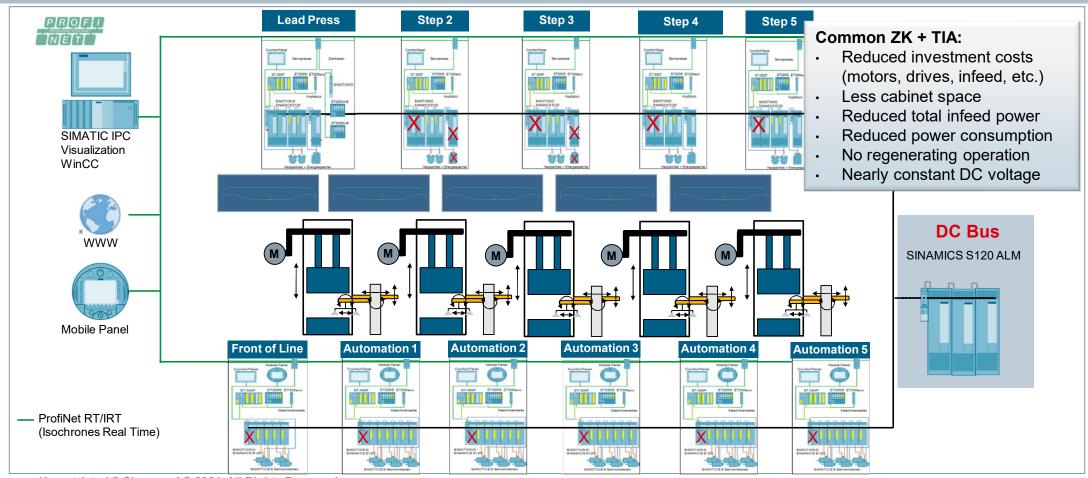


Forming area is defined and must not be changed.

OACAMGEN allows to keep the press in "open condition" longer and thus gives more time for the handling system to run a smooth profile.

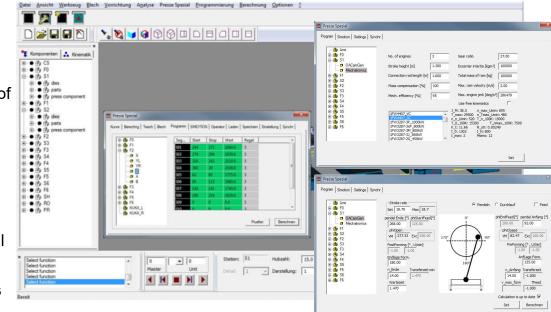
If your machine operator had the choice - would he leave the definition of those complicated curves to smart software or would he rather go for the try-and-error method to define these motion profiles?

Simotion OACAMGEN is the perfect tool for this job.



Press Line Simulation (PLS)

- Simulation by a precise model of the press
- Simulation of complete press lines
- Collision detection (Automation, Die)
- PLS consists of three functional packages (Generation of press models, Press Line Simulation, Die Validation)
- Transfer programming identical to SIMOTION SimoTrans
- Optimized handling motion profiles can be directly transferred to the handling controller (Simotion)
- Generation of Motion profiles for Servo presses identical to SIMOTION SimoPress Servo
- Press profiles can be directly transferred to the press controller (Simotion)

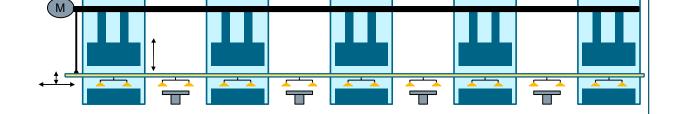


- Virtual optimization and verification of all function components
- Minimizing of errors through simulation
- Increase of productivity by optimized process parameters

Press concepts in the past and today

Past / Today: Transfer presses

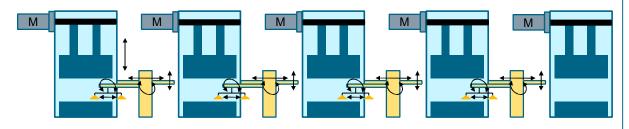
- Common drive / mechanical connection
- Mechanical Flywheel
- Mechanically synchronized transport system
- Low dynamic
- Limited flexibility (rotation)



- Low potential for optimization
- Low danger of collisions

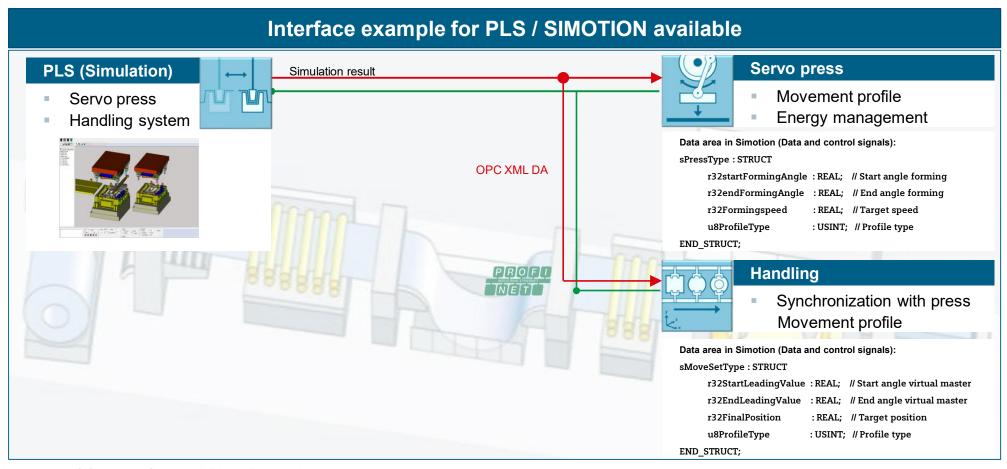
Today / Future: Servo presses

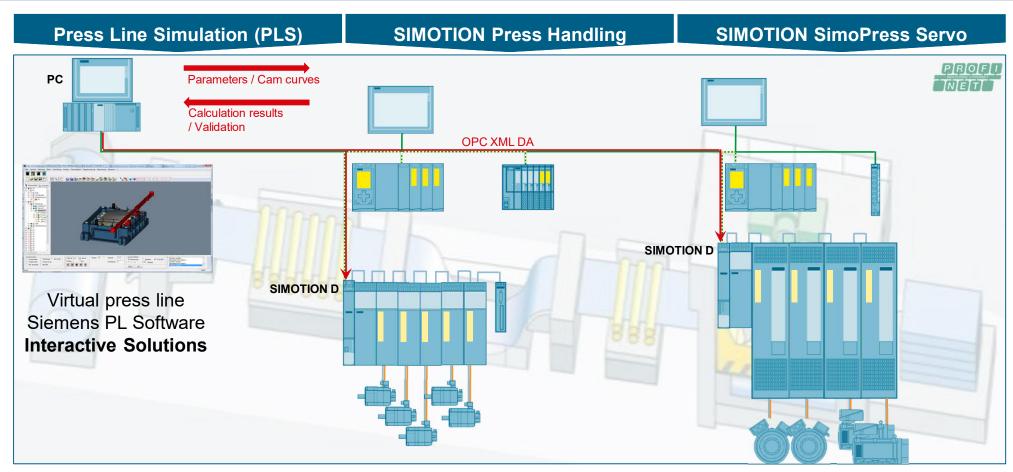
- One drive per slide / direct drives
- Flexible and programmable material transport
- High dynamic
- Electrical synchronization



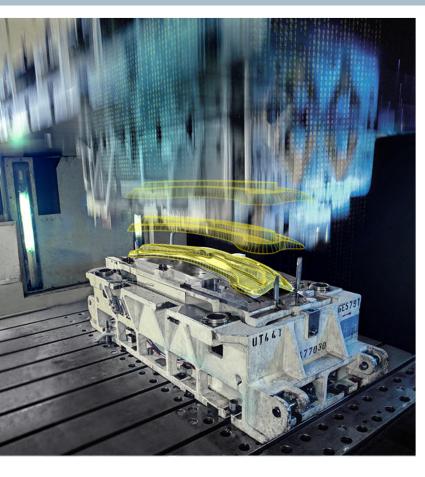
- High potential for optimization
- High danger of collisions







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