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ESI launches its Customer Portal "myESI"

Granting users of its Virtual Manufacturing solutions online access to resources including software documentation, training information, tips & tricks, and more

Paris, France – February 22, 2013 – <u>ESI Group</u>, pioneer and world-leading solution provider in <u>Virtual Prototyping</u> for manufacturing industries, announces the launch of its web-based <u>customer portal</u>. Dedicated to ESI licensed users in the field of Virtual Manufacturing, the portal delivers valuable content directly to the end-user and enables two-way communication between ESI and its customers.

Accessible 24/7 online at myesi.esi-group.com, ESI's customer portal provides instant access to a wide range of documentation downloads, training information, and also tips & tricks that provide added value for members of the ESI community and enables them to gain efficiency in their software usage. Today the portal features content dedicated to ESI's Virtual Manufacturing applications, including: the CastingSimulation Suite - Procast and QuikCAST; the Simulation Suite - PAM-STAMP 2G; and, the Welding & AssemblySimulation Suite. ESI support teams are working on rolling out this portal for other ESI software solutions and adding new features for collaboration and information sharing.

After securely logging into the portal, <u>ESI</u> customers have immediate access to release notes and Flexnet license toolkits. The portal's advanced search tool enables searching for information by keyword, trade or product name; allowing fast and easy access to resources and providing a welcome relief from hunting for information through complex website architectures.

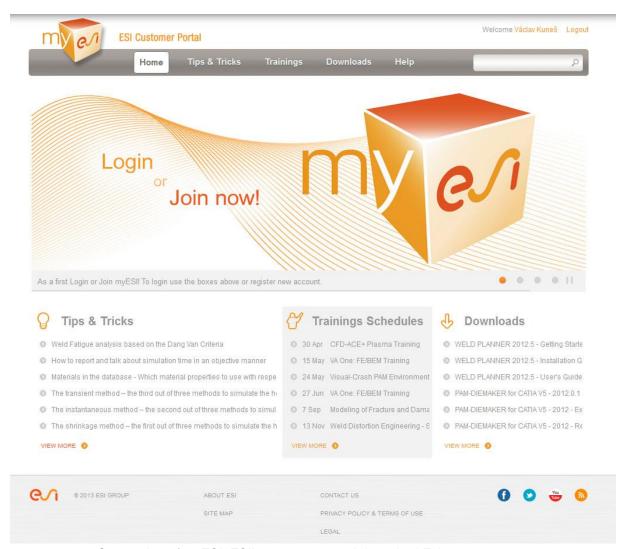
<u>ESI</u> support teams have created a dedicated Tips & Tricks section that provides short technical articles on how to solve common problems instantly. When facing issues related to a specific task, users can go directly to this section and find answers in minutes; searching for guidance by trade or product name, user rating, most viewed articles and keywords.



"ESI's Support Teams around the world contribute daily to the success of our customers' industrial projects. Now, with myESI, our customers can access valuable information 24/7. We hope that by leveraging ESI's knowledge of best practices online, we can help our customers speed up their Virtual Product Engineering processes and find the right answers to their challenges at the right time," says Hervé Charlier, Customer Support Director, ESI Group.

Other benefits of myESI include easy access to ESI's global calendar of upcoming training courses, and online registration for such events.

For more info, please visit https://myesi.esi-group.com/



Screenshot of myESI, ESI's customer portal, launched February 21, 2013



About ESI Group

ESI is a pioneer and world-leading provider in Virtual Prototyping that takes into account the physics of materials. ESI boasts a unique know-how in Virtual Product Engineering, based on an integrated suite of coherent, industry-oriented applications. Addressing manufacturing industries, Virtual Product Engineering aims to replace physical prototypes by realistically simulating a product's behavior during testing, to fine-tune fabrication and assembly processes in accordance with desired product performance, and to evaluate the impact on product use under normal or accidental conditions. ESI's solutions fit into a single collaborative and open environment for End-to-End Virtual Prototyping. These solutions are delivered using the latest technologies, including immersive Virtual Reality, to bring products to life in 3D; helping customers make the right decisions throughout product development. The company employs about 900 high-level specialists worldwide covering more than 30 countries. ESI Group is listed in compartment C of NYSE Euronext Paris.

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