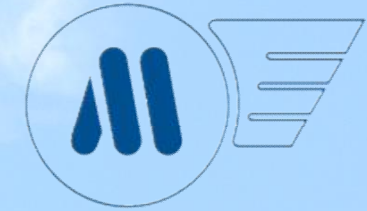


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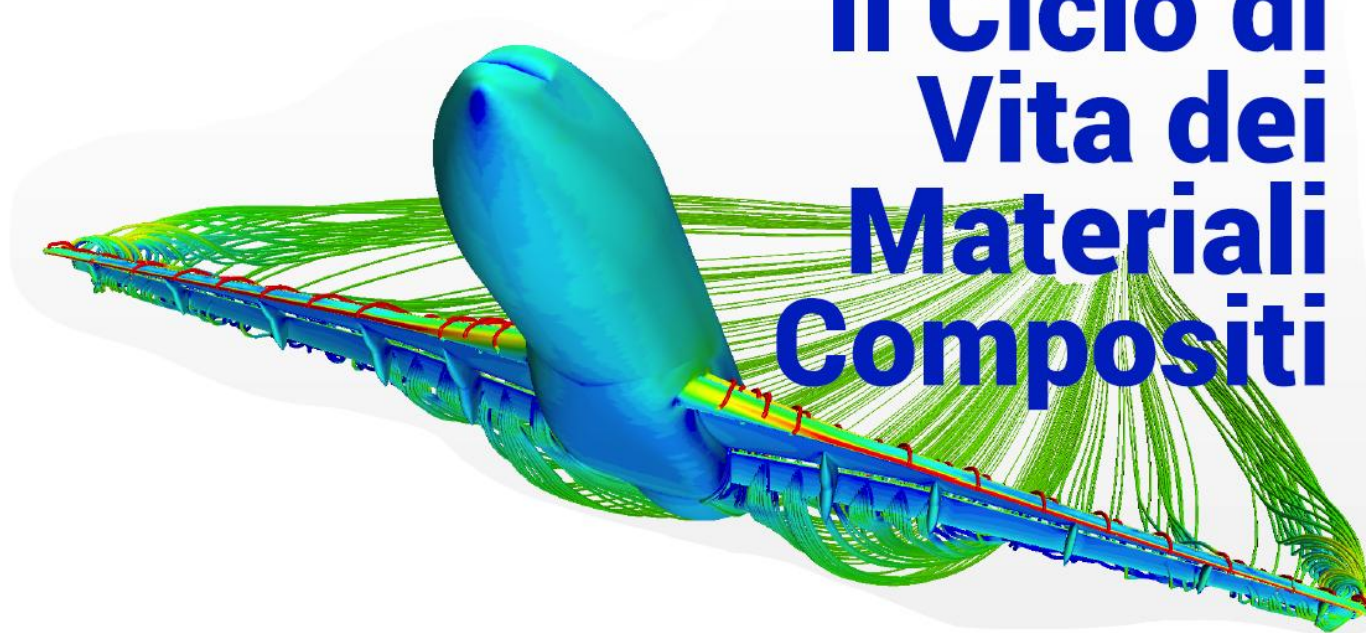


## Certificazione e Controlli non Distruttivi

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# Il Ciclo di Vita dei Materiali Compositi



### Keywords:

- Composite material certification
- Structure certification
- Dynamic analysis
- Non destructive inspection (NDT)

# C*SERIES*



- 01. Head-up guidance system (optional)
- 02. Emergency oxygen masks
- 03. Nose-wheel steering tiller
- 04. Parking brake
- 05. Lighting panel
- 06. Radio tuning unit and audio control panel
- 07. AHRS control panel
- 08. Trim/damper control panel



- | Avionics and electrical |  |
|-------------------------|--|
| E1                      | Rockwell Collins RTA-4218 digital colour weather radar |
| E2                      | Glideslope antenna                                     |
| E3                      | Localiser antenna                                      |
| E4                      | Total air temperature probe - both sides               |
| E5                      | Electrically heated smart probes - both sides          |
| E6                      | Angle-of-attack vane - both sides                      |
| E7                      | Ice detector probe - both sides                        |
| ee                      | TCAS, deconfliction antenna                            |

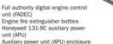
- 631 Island antenna
- 632 GPS antenna – two
- 633 VHF antenna – one in total
- 634 Strobe light – two, one under fuselage
- 635 Directional light – both sides
- 636 Overwing emergency lights – two both sides
- 637 KU band antenna (optional)
- 638 Low level warning light
- 639 Battery enclosure – two
- 640 200 batteries are also shown exposed from the wing, to body facing
- 640 Mid equipment bay
- 641 Forward rack
- 642 Mid equipment bay aft rack
- 643 Aft equipment bay
- 644 ELT antenna
- 645 Static-discharge wicks
- 646 Navigation and anti-collision strobe lights
- 646 Tail logo light – both sides
- 647 HF coupler (optional)
- 648 Fuel tank
- 649 Door port
- 649 VOR antenna
- 649 Antenna mast
- 649 Navigation light

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- Inboard slat section**

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- An aerial photograph showing a road intersection. A yellow arrow points to a specific location on the road, likely indicating the site of the accident.



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- inward-retracting, hydraulically actuated cantilever oleo pneumatic shock absorber twin wheel main gear (manufactured by Liebherr), with anti-skid electrically operated multiple-disc carbon

- Interlocking doors consisting of an upper door, middle door and lower door – all composite
- Side brace and locking stay
- Retraction actuators
- Uplifts

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- A close-up photograph of a building's exterior wall. A red arrow points to a window frame. The wall is made of light-colored concrete or stone. The window frame is dark and appears to be made of metal or wood. The text 'C5' is visible on the wall to the right of the window.

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- 210 Hydraulic system 2  
211 Hydraulic system 3  
212 Ram air turbine (RAT)  
213 Hydraulic power transfer unit (PTU)  
214 Hydraulic AC motor pump (ACTMP)

- View showing

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- ...forward and rear cargo bars

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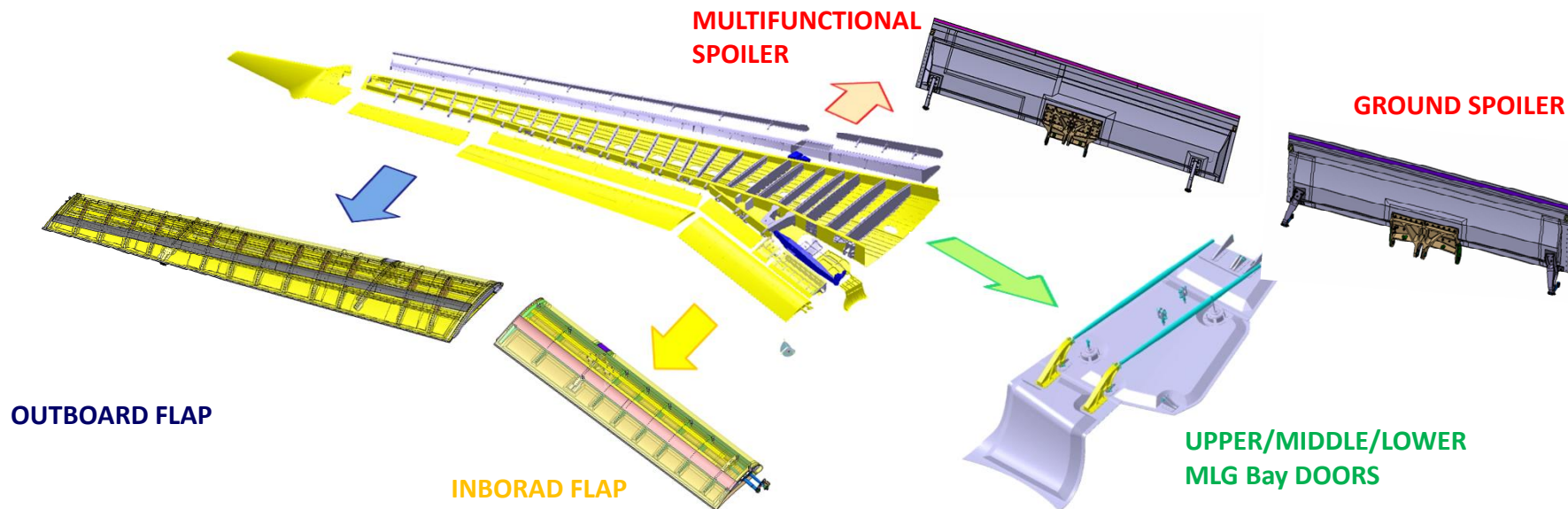
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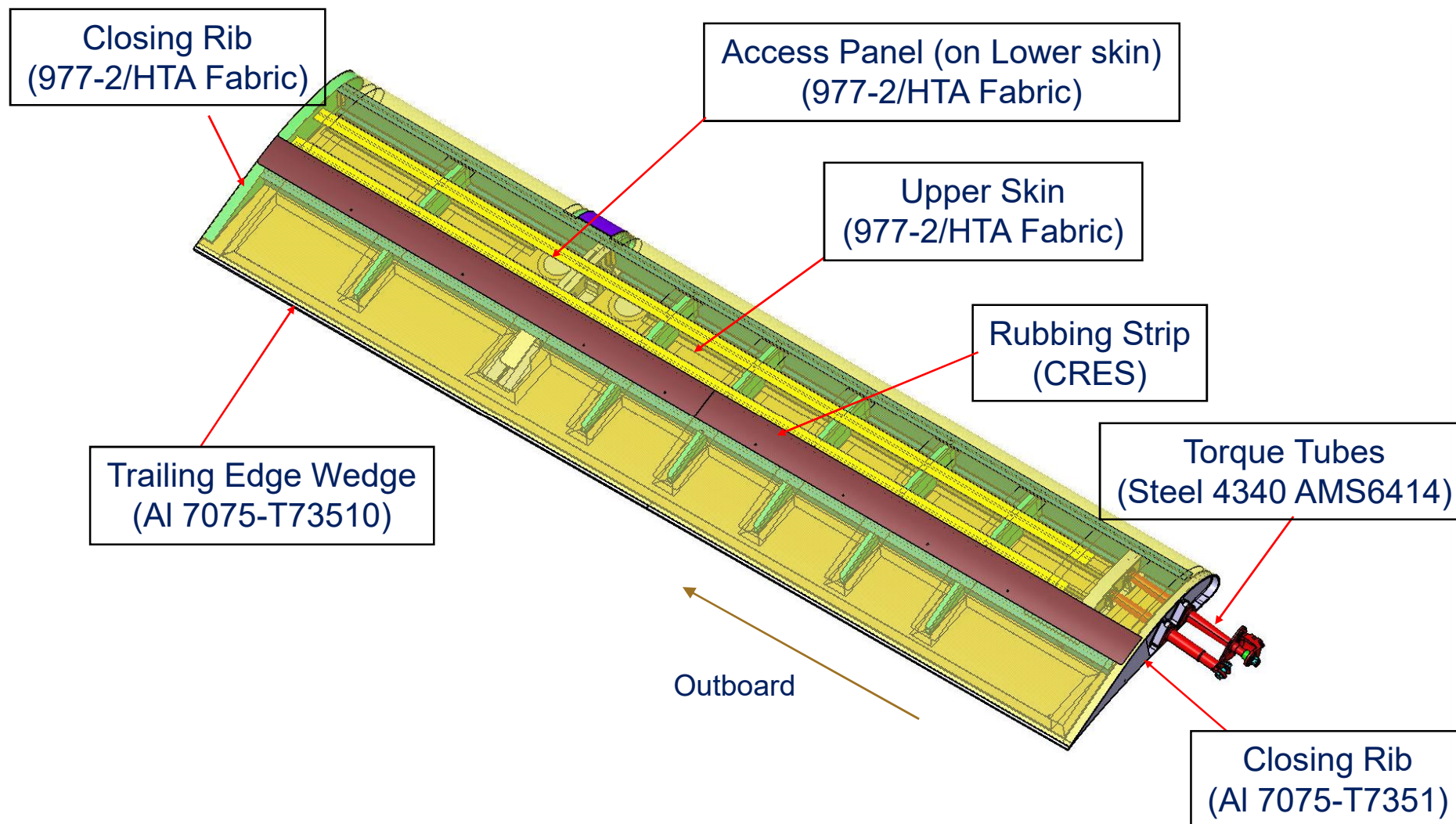


Magnaghi is **Bombardier Aerospace TIER1 Supplier** for CSERIES program (CS100 and CS300) providing the following fully qualified CFRP primary structure components:

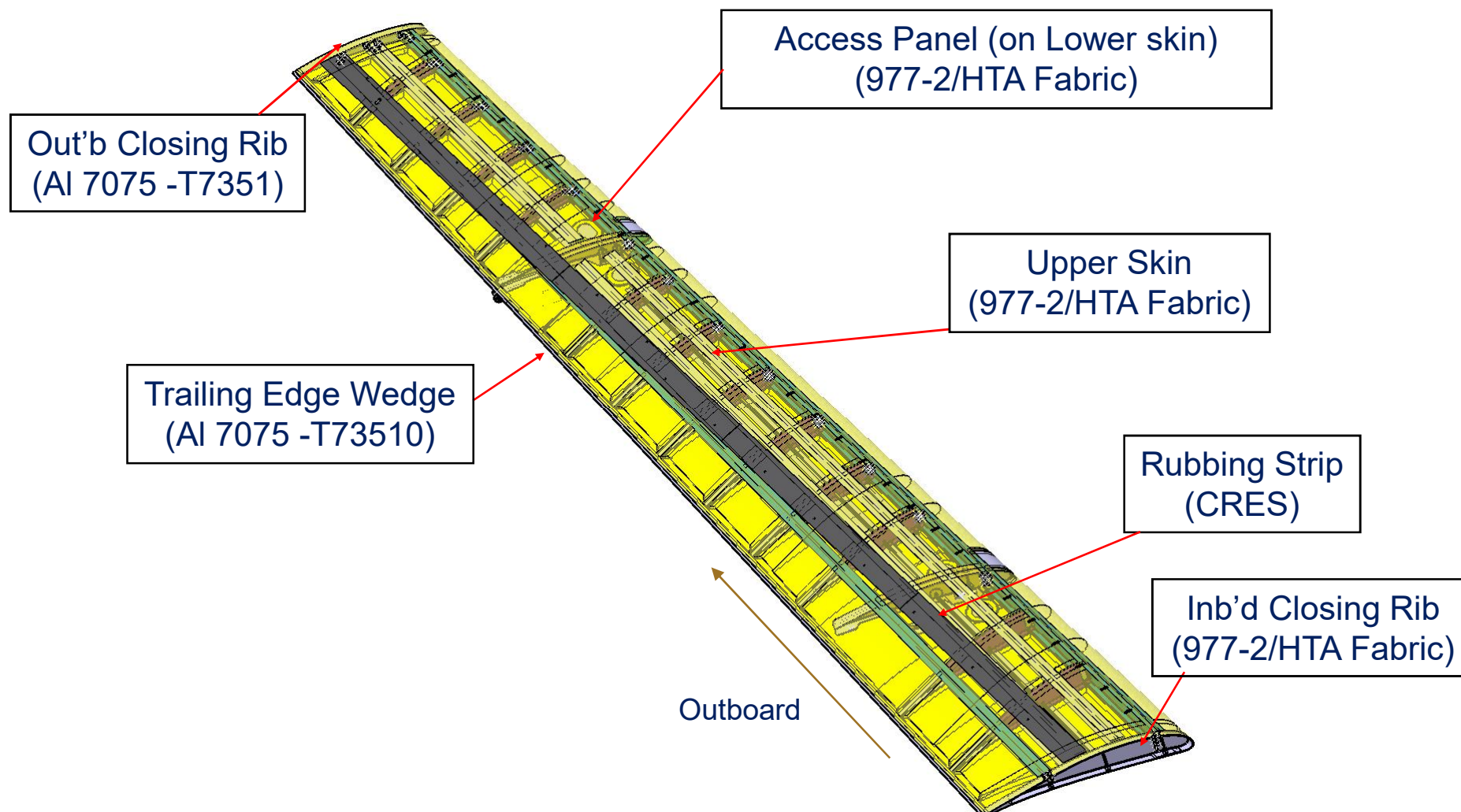
- LH/RH Inboard Flaps
- LH/RH Outboard Flaps
- LH/RH Ground Spoilers
- LH/RH Multifunctional spoilers 8-off (4 off LH – 4 off RH)
- MLG Upper-Middle-Lower Doors



### Inboard Flap Overview – “Baseline” Architecture



### Outboard Flap Overview – “Baseline” Architecture

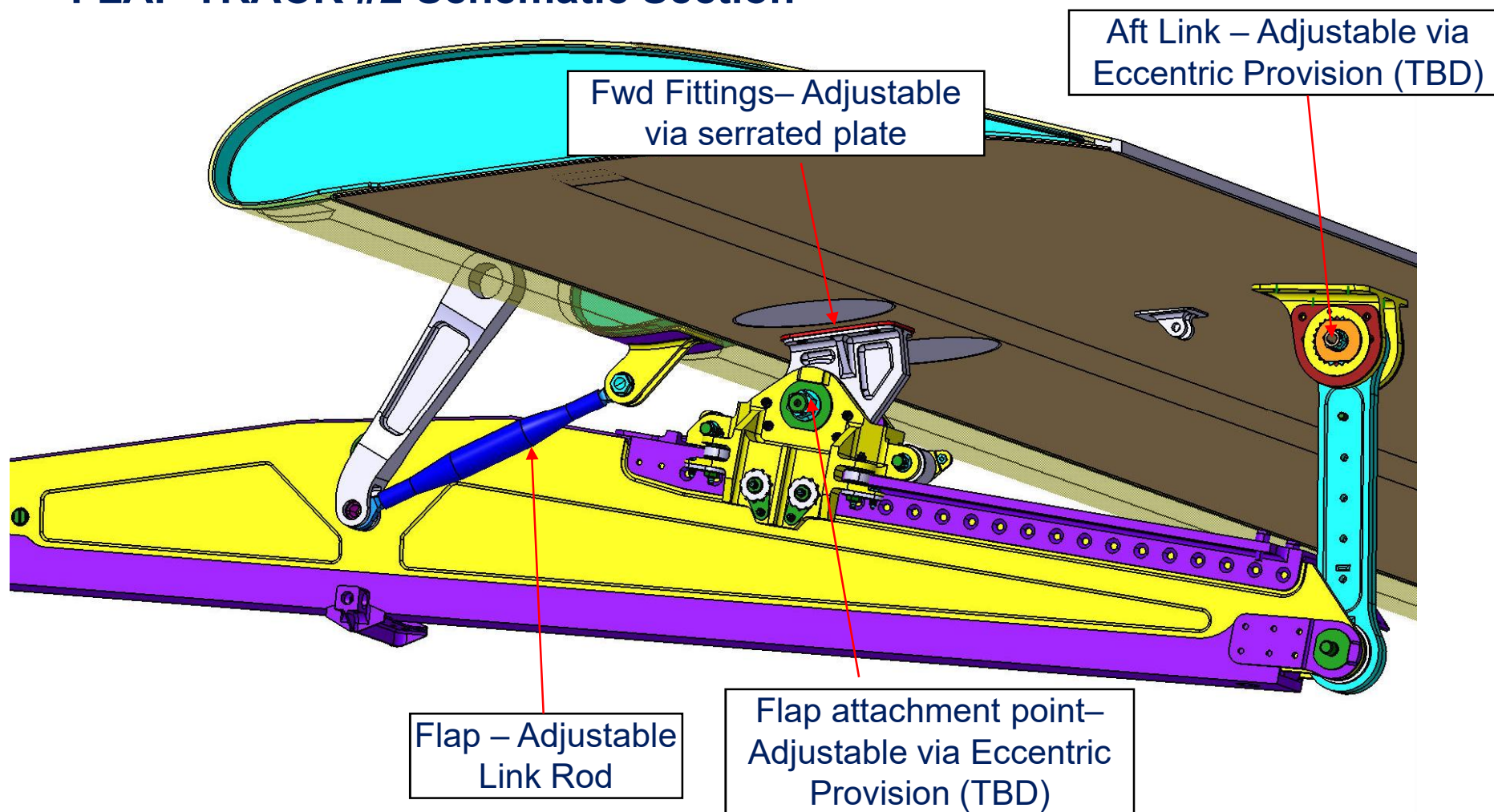




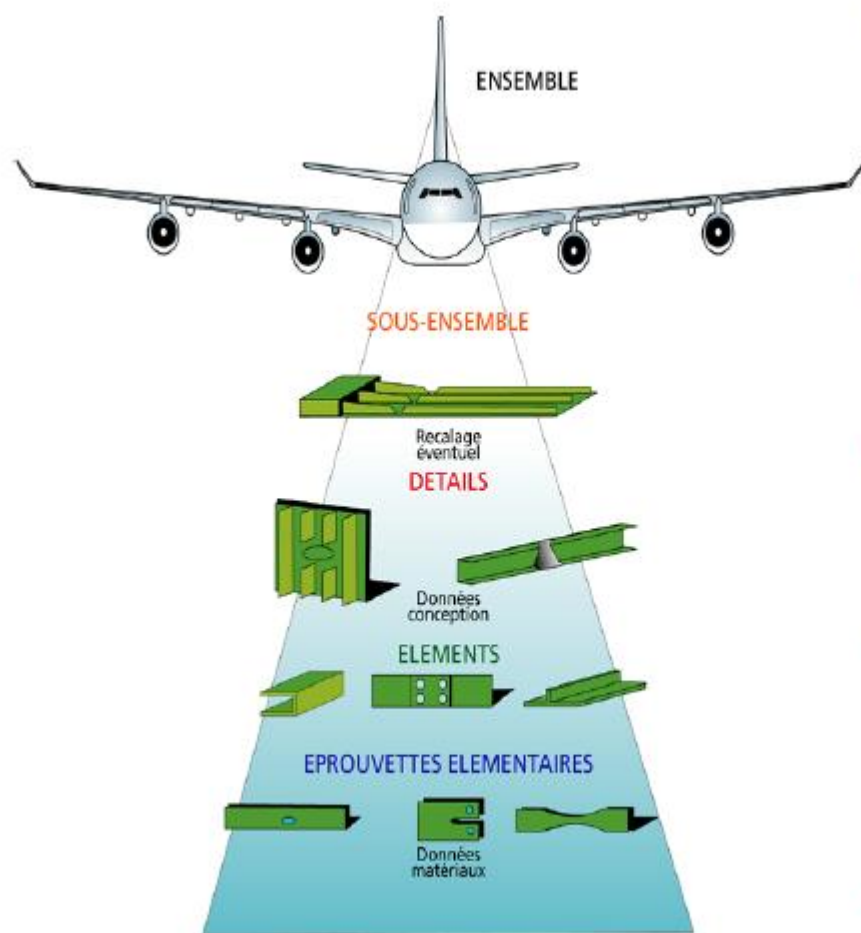
### Inboard Flap Overview – Rigging

\* Rigging Required to Achieve Aero smoothness Criteria

### FLAP TRACK #2 Schematic Section



# Certification Blocking Approach



- Final checking by integration of all the parameters
- Compliance with regulatory requirements

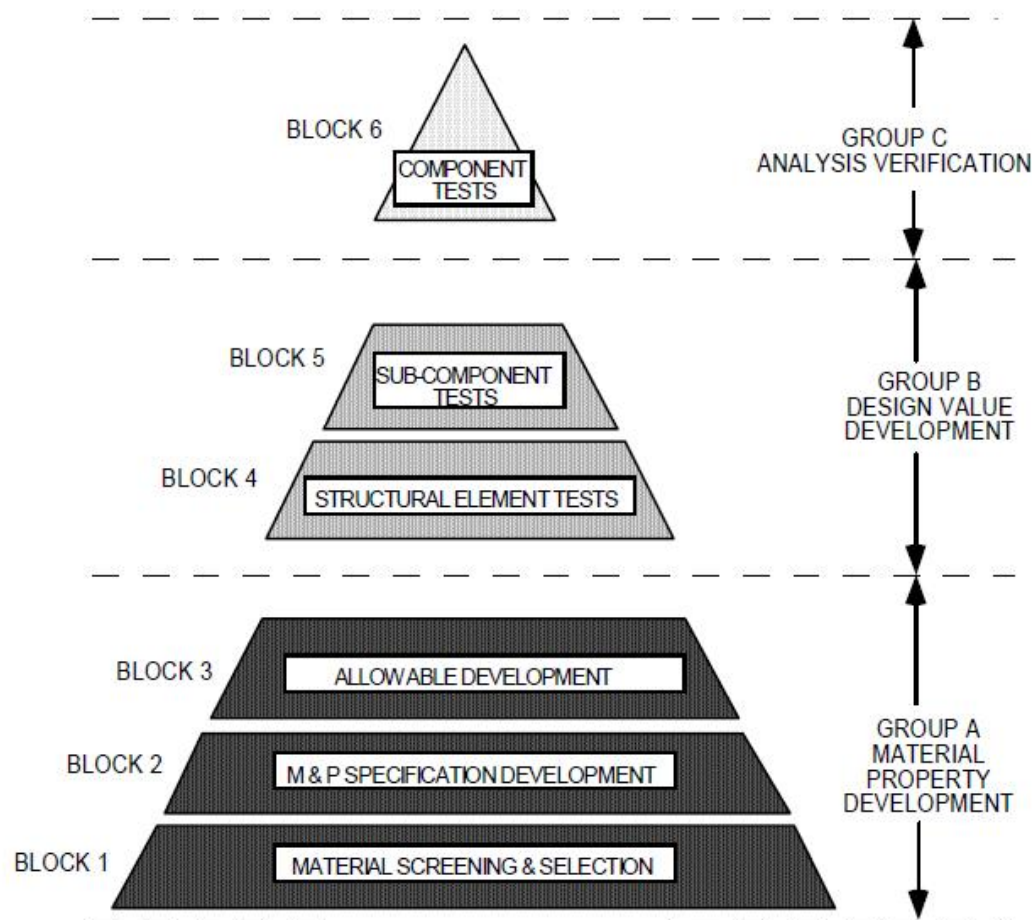
- Risk mitigation
- Sizing preliminary checking
- Assessment for future developments

- Generation of allowables for non generic design features, or details showing low accessibility to calculation

- Generation of allowables for materials or generic design features



# Certification Blocking Approach from “field” point of view

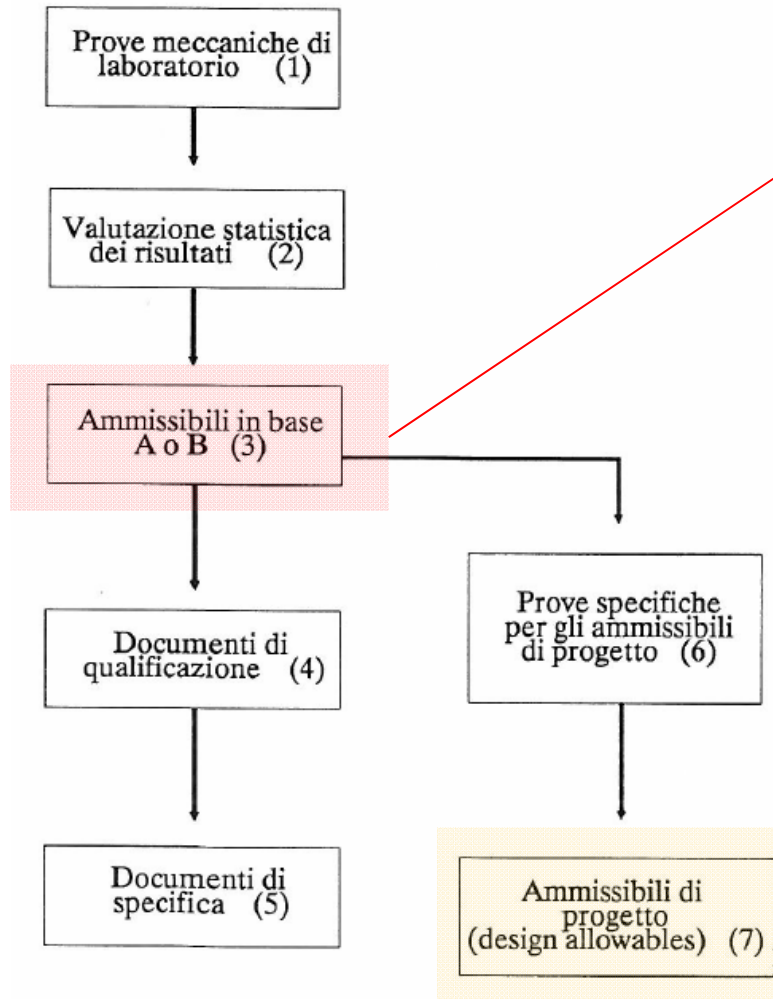


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### The pyramid of tests, Why more tests with composite materials ?

- **Low accessibility to calculation**, then need to generate design values through complex test articles.
- **Sensitivity to environment**, then need to duplicate some tests in order to derive the ageing related knock down factors.
- **Material anisotropy**, then need to increase the test matrix at the coupon level to investigate various stacking sequences.
- **Higher mechanical property variability than for metals**, then need to increase the sample size in order to lower the knock down factors imposed in the derivation of the allowables (e.g. B values).

## Allowable



- Ammissibile in base "A" ("A" basis): è il valore della proprietà meccanica al di sopra del quale almeno il 99% della popolazione di valori è atteso cadere con un grado di confidenza del 95%.
- Ammissibile in base "B" ("B" basis): è il valore della proprietà meccanica al di sopra del quale almeno il 90% della popolazione è atteso cadere con un grado di confidenza del 95%.

### 6.3.3 OPEN HOLE COMPRESSION

The OHC strength and strain are calculated directly from tests data for protruding hole that give B-Basis allowable for the worst environmental condition for this failure mode, the ETW one. Further knockdowns for the effect of a countersink and variations in hole diameter are also provided

$$\sigma_{OHC} = \sigma_{OHC_{baseline, ETW}} \times K_f \times K_d \times K_{w/d}$$

$K_{env}$  is reported in the graphs to permit to determine B-basis RTD values starting from graphs.

$K_{B-basis}$  is reported in the graphs to show the knockdown factor applied.

$K_f$  is a factor applied for the effect of countersink dependant on the hole condition.

$K_d$  is a factor applied for variations in the hole diameter from the baseline tested value

$K_{w/d}$  is a factor applied to account for the finite width correction when W/D ratio is below nominal value of 6 used on baseline coupons



# Allowable

**Basic material allowable, are developed at the laminate level, using MIL-HDBK-17 statistical procedures:**

- **Unnotched**
- **Filled-hole**
- **Open-hole**
- **Representative laminates**
- **Five to 16 batches**
- **Environmental effects accounted for with factors based on ratio of average values at environmental and room temperatures**

# Allowables

### Design values test database includes:

- Coupon, elements, and subcomponents specimens
- Variations of temperature and moisture
- Variation within the manufacturing specification acceptance limits
- Laminates, effects of holes, fasteners, and environments representative of the C-Series structure and environment
- For design values derived from element and coupon level tests, average test data is calculated and a typical value is derived. Typical values are then reduced to get design values
- Design values derived from subcomponent tests are set at or below the test data

**Up today for the C SERIES PROGRAM more than 1000 coupons have been tested. Additional test are still in progress (design modification and weight reduction)**

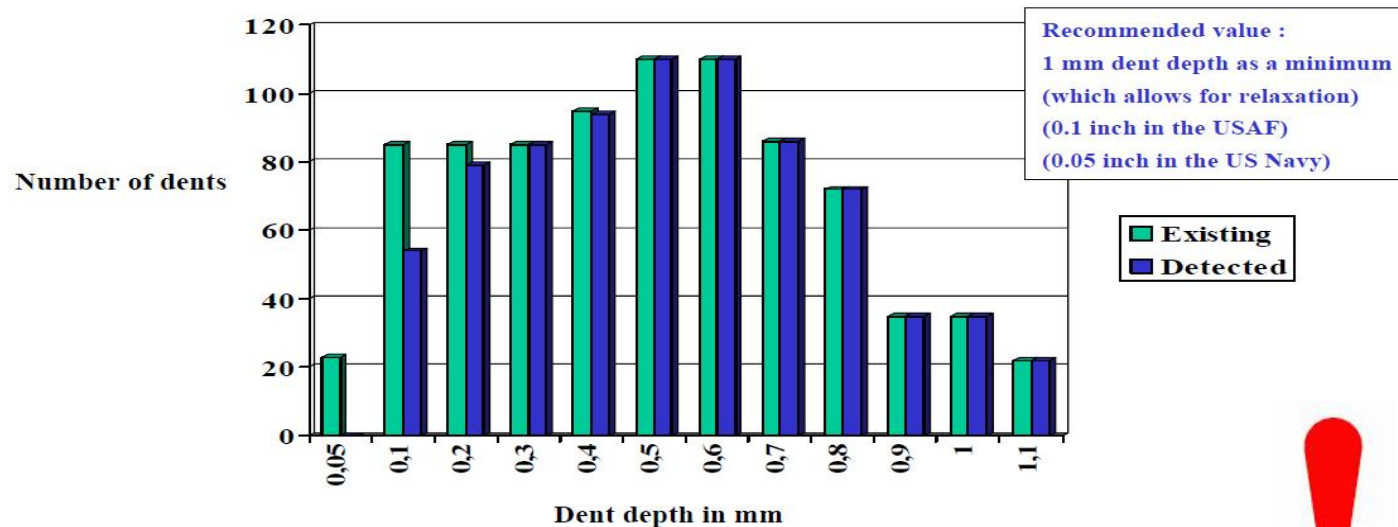


### DAMAGE IMPACT ALLOWABLES

**ACJ 25 603 § 5.8** : It should be shown that impact damage that can be realistically expected from manufacturing and service, but not more than the established threshold of detectability for the selected inspection procedure, will not reduce the structural strength below ultimate load capability.

#### Defining detectability threshold

Results of an investigation carried out at EADS - Louis Bleriot research centre



-the maximum size that a normal inspector may overlook?

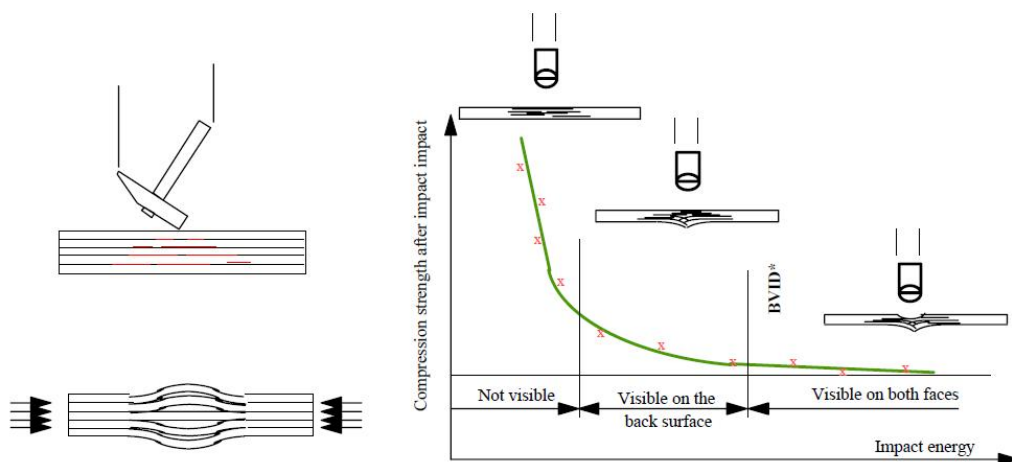


Additional tests have been performed on coupons to establish the strength and strain capability when impacts giving an indentation greater than BVID, more than 1.5 mm

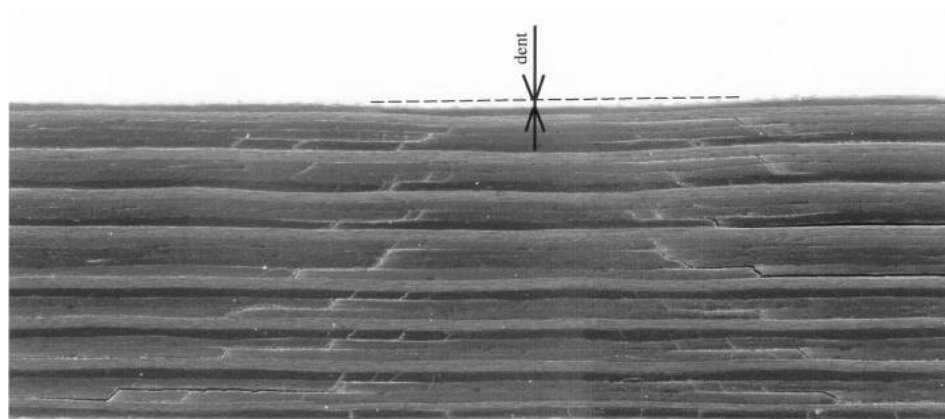


## COMPOSITE SENSITIVITY TO LOW VELOCITY IMPACT DAMAGE

**LARGE STATIC STRENGTH REDUCTIONS MAY OCCUR BEFORE DAMAGE BECOMES DETECTABLE**



\* BVID = Barely Visible Impact Damage



x 18

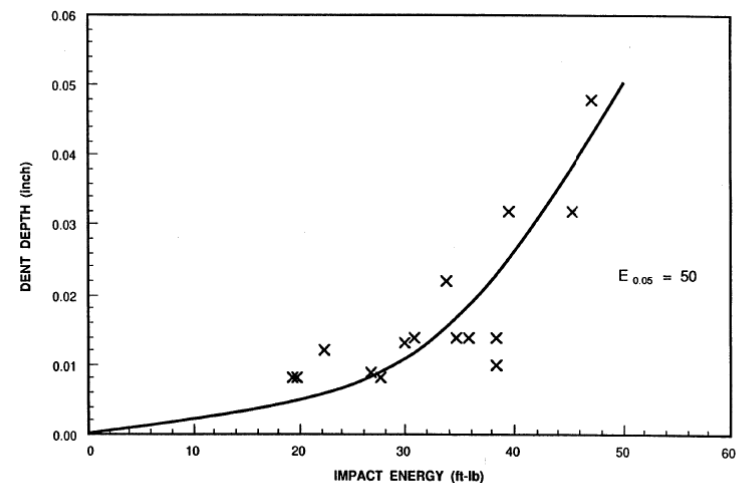


Figure 11. Relationship Between Dent Depth and Impact Energy for  $0.20 \leq t \leq 0.25$  inch.

## **CATEGORY 1 DAMAGE**

Category 1 damage covers potential defects that can occur from the composite manufacturing process and Barely Visible Impact Damage (BVID) from assembly and in service. Category 1 Damage should cover all potential inherent defects in the structure, together with damage that is not expected to be detected, and is introduced into the test article for all static and composite fatigue testing.

## **CATEGORY 2 DAMAGES**

Introduce Visible Impact Damage (VID), increased scratch depths and missing fasteners to the structure. Category 2 impacts are applied to specified locations in the composite flap structure to create VID up to cut-off energies (100 joule typically) specified for the C-series programme.

## **CATEGORY 3 DAMAGE**

Introduced to the structure for the residual strength check, up to limit load with ECLF, and has been targeted at areas of high strain

## **CATEGORY 4 DAMAGE**

discrete source damage is introduced to the structure required based on threat assessment and DSD component test results. It is used to test the structure to 70% limit load or DSD loads.

## **INCLUSIONS /DEFECT /SCRATCH**

Inclusions are introduced throughout the outboard flap composite structure. It is intended to use inclusions to substantiate the effects of voids, delamination or porosity defects.

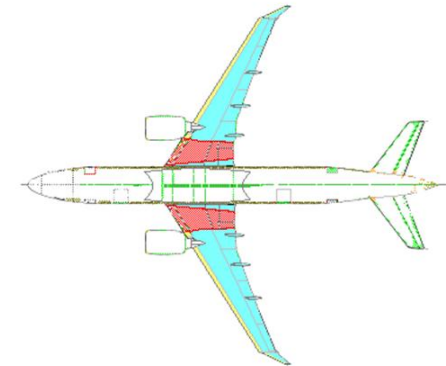
### BARELY VISIBLE IMPACT DAMAGE (BVID) (CATEGORY 1)

Composite structures shall be capable of sustaining BVID at Ultimate Load to the Design Service Goal without temporary or permanent repair.

The impact energy cut-off values for the control surfaces are based on deterministic approach, generally from 30 to 60 J.

The dent depth thresholds of detectability for BVID are:

- 1mm applied under Detailed Visual Inspection (DVI)
- 2.5mm General Visual Inspection (GVI)



### Additional Category 1 Damage Types:

Composite structures shall be capable of sustaining the additional damage types at Ultimate Load to the Design Service Goal without temporary or permanent repair.

Scratch damage – typ max 4.00” scratch in any direction (1 ply deep about)



### VISIBLE IMPACT DAMAGE (VID) (CATEGORY 2 & 3)

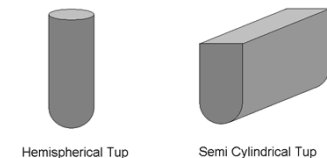
Composite structures shall be capable of sustaining external VID at Limit load and for a period of operation before detection. Categories 2 & 3 are damage levels which exceed BVID

Category 2 damage must not degrade the structure below “k x Limit Load” capability.

Category 3 damage must not degrade the structure below Limit Load capability but Level 2 Damages, less detectable than Level 3 must sustain the ability to carry limit load between more detailed maintenance checks as they are deemed to be less detectable.

Hence VID can range from damages just exceeding the BVID visibility criteria up to large through penetrations

Category 2 and 3 damages are subject to an energy cut off of  $\geq 100\text{J}$



The simulation of Category 2 and 3 damages will include the use of impacting equipment of different diameter tips and the use of high velocity / low mass impactors to simulate impacts caused by runway debris or hail. The effect of VID will be investigated in Levels 4 (Sub-Component and bench tests) and 5 (Full-Aircraft) Tests

### **VISIBLE IMPACT DAMAGE (VID) (CATEGORY 2 & 3)**

#### **ADDITIONAL CATEGORY 2 & 3 DAMAGE TYPES**

Composite structures shall be capable of sustaining the additional damage types, listed below, at Limit Load between major inspections.

- Scratch damage – 4.00” scratch in any direction, up 2 two plies deep (depth dependant on cured ply thickness)
- Lightning strike – typical damage for max voltage strike on component
- Fastener damage – Missing fastener or visible mis-installation

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### DISCRETE SOURCES OF DAMAGE (CATEGORY 4)

These damages are not subject to energy cut offs and often have unique impact foot prints. As a result, these damages will be substantiated by analysis and specific testing at the highest levels of the testing pyramid.

An assessment of potential sizes and energies for these damages will be performed by analysis. In most instances these will be covered by specific tests or specific damages applied to Level 4 and level 5 test articles in the testing pyramid

- Tyre Burst (by Analysis)
- Impact damage – ground collision to trailing edge and flight components (by Analysis)
- Lightning Strike (by Test)
- Bird strike (by Analysis/Test)
- Rotor Disk Burst (not applicable)



### IMPACT TRIAL TEST SETUP

- Two Impactors have been used
  - Manual gun impactor, capable to apply impact energies up to 110 J
  - Tower impactor, capable to apply impacts energies up to 290 J

Gun Impactor



Manual Tower Impactor



### IMPACT TEST SETUP (USING CANTILEVER MACHINE)



### IMPACT TEST SETUP (USING GUN)





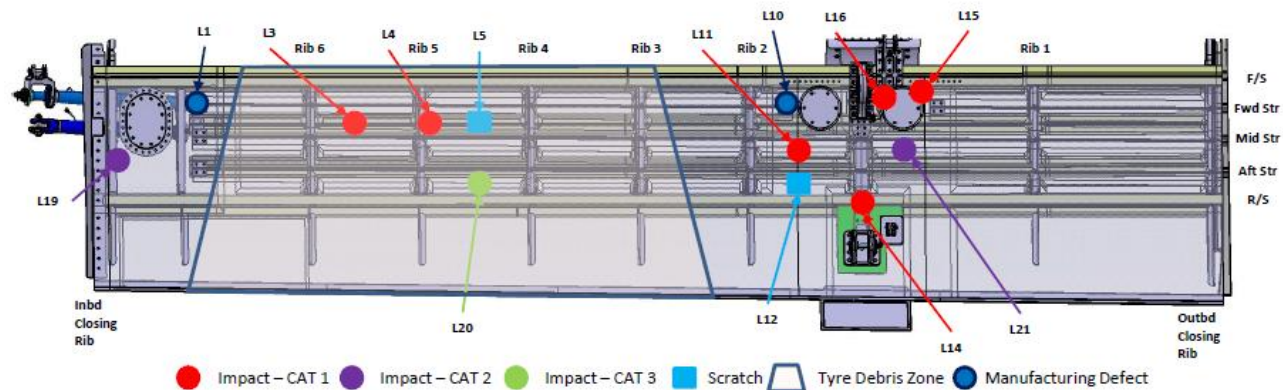
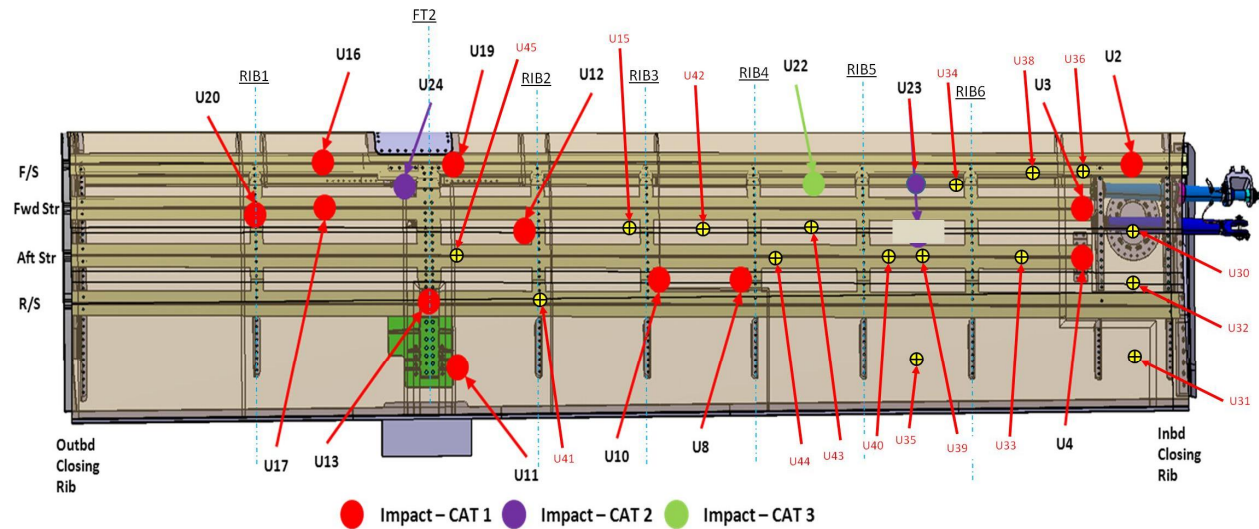
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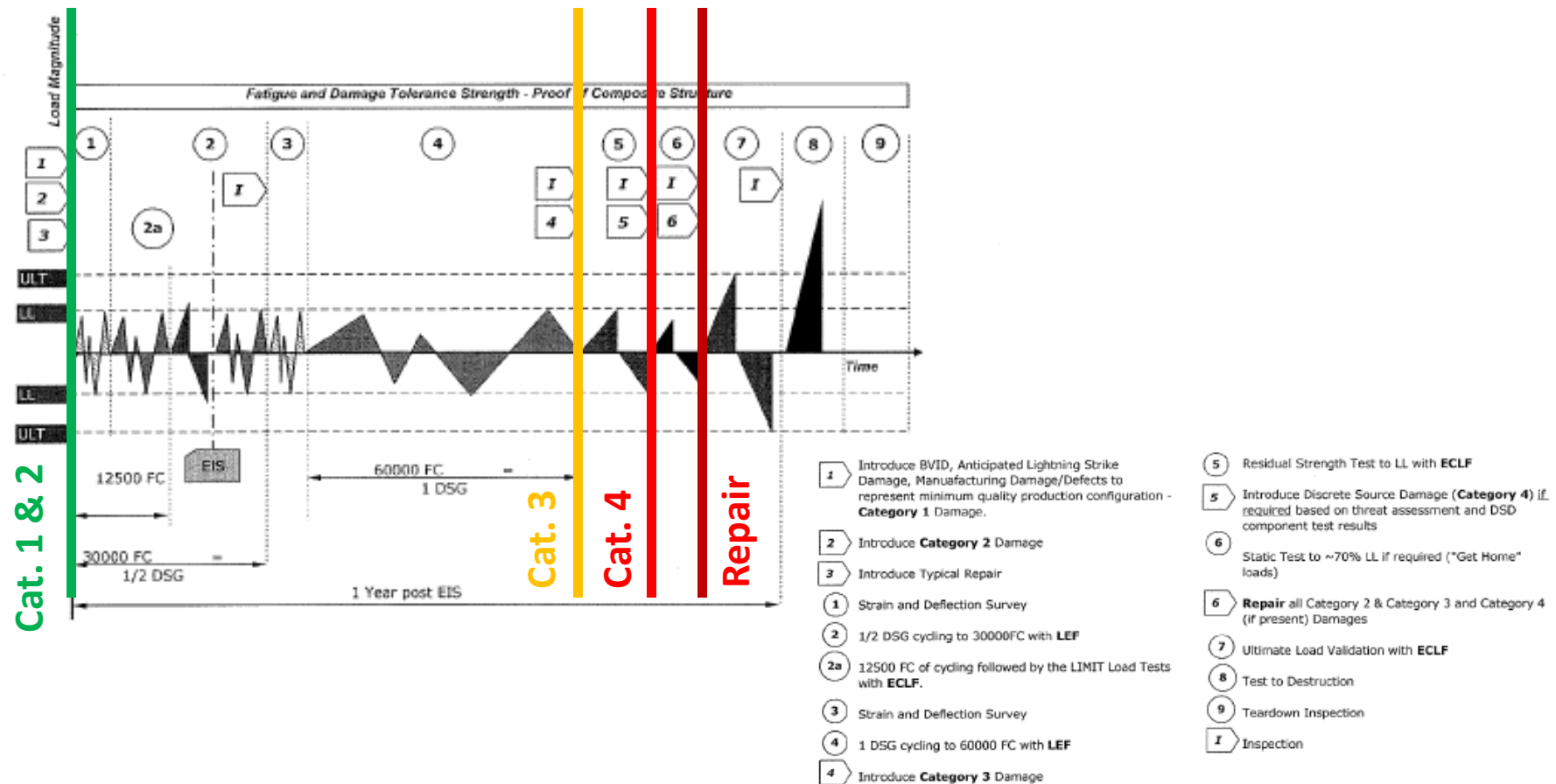


## IB Flap Impact locations





# STATIC AND FATIGUE TEST PLAN



### EFFECTS OF DEFECTS

**Effects of manufacturing anomalies within and outside the process specification limits were evaluated in tests with coupons, elements, and subcomponents**

- **Porosity**
- **Fiber waviness**
- **Delamination**
- **Ply gaps**
- **Foreign material inclusions**

Inclusions are introduced throughout the outboard flap composite structure. It is intended to use inclusions to substantiate the effects of voids, delamination or porosity defects. A double stack of Teflon inserts shall be placed in the critical parts established from stress analysis.

Two types of insert have been defined and the sizes and shapes are detailed below:

- 1.Round Dia= 0.50in thickness 0.015in
- 2.Square 0.50in x 0.50in thickness 0.015in

### Topics to be addressed when presenting a certification plan to the Airworthiness Authorities

- **STRUCTURE DESCRIPTION**
- **STRUCTURAL SUBSTANTIATIONS**
- **FABRICATION METHODS**
- **QUALITY ASSURANCE**
- **AIRWORTHINESS**

**This documentation will include at least :**

The Certification plan (with the associated test plans)

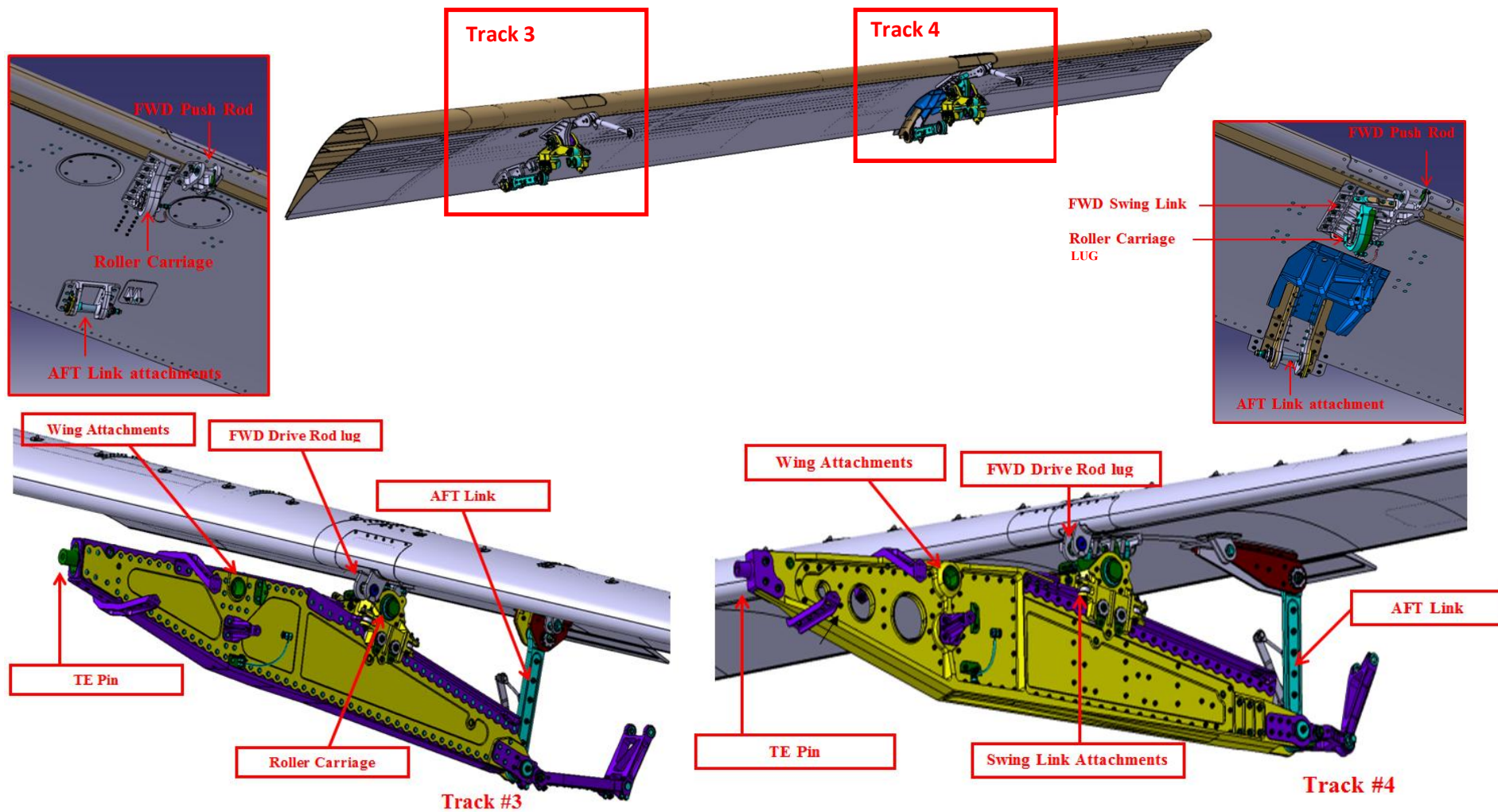
The Composite Summary Plan and Report

The Airframe Certification Documents

*\*The Composite Summary Report is the Composite Summary Plan updated with test results*

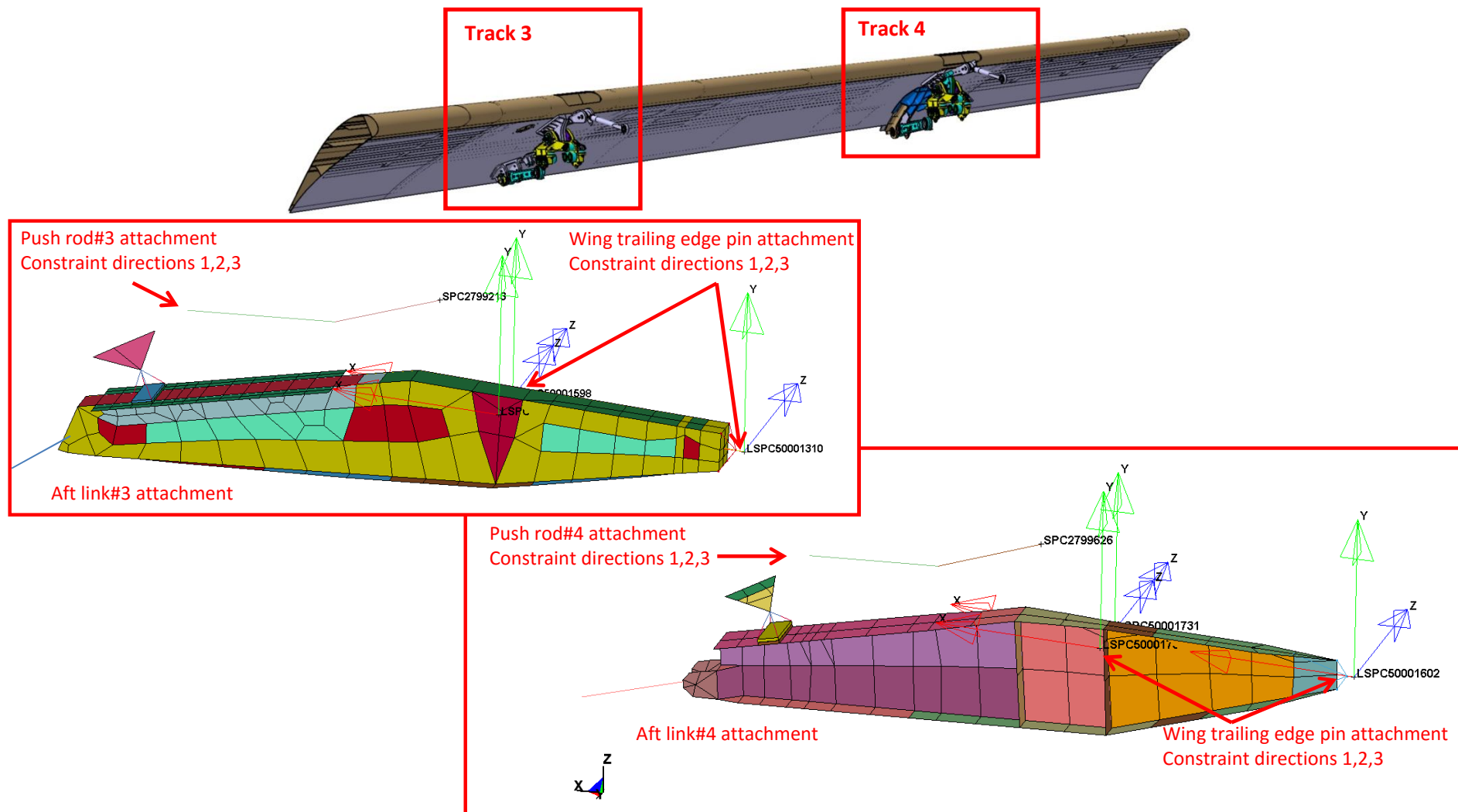
# **BIRD IMPACT ANALYSIS AND CERTIFICATION PROCESS**

## Description of Flap track attachment

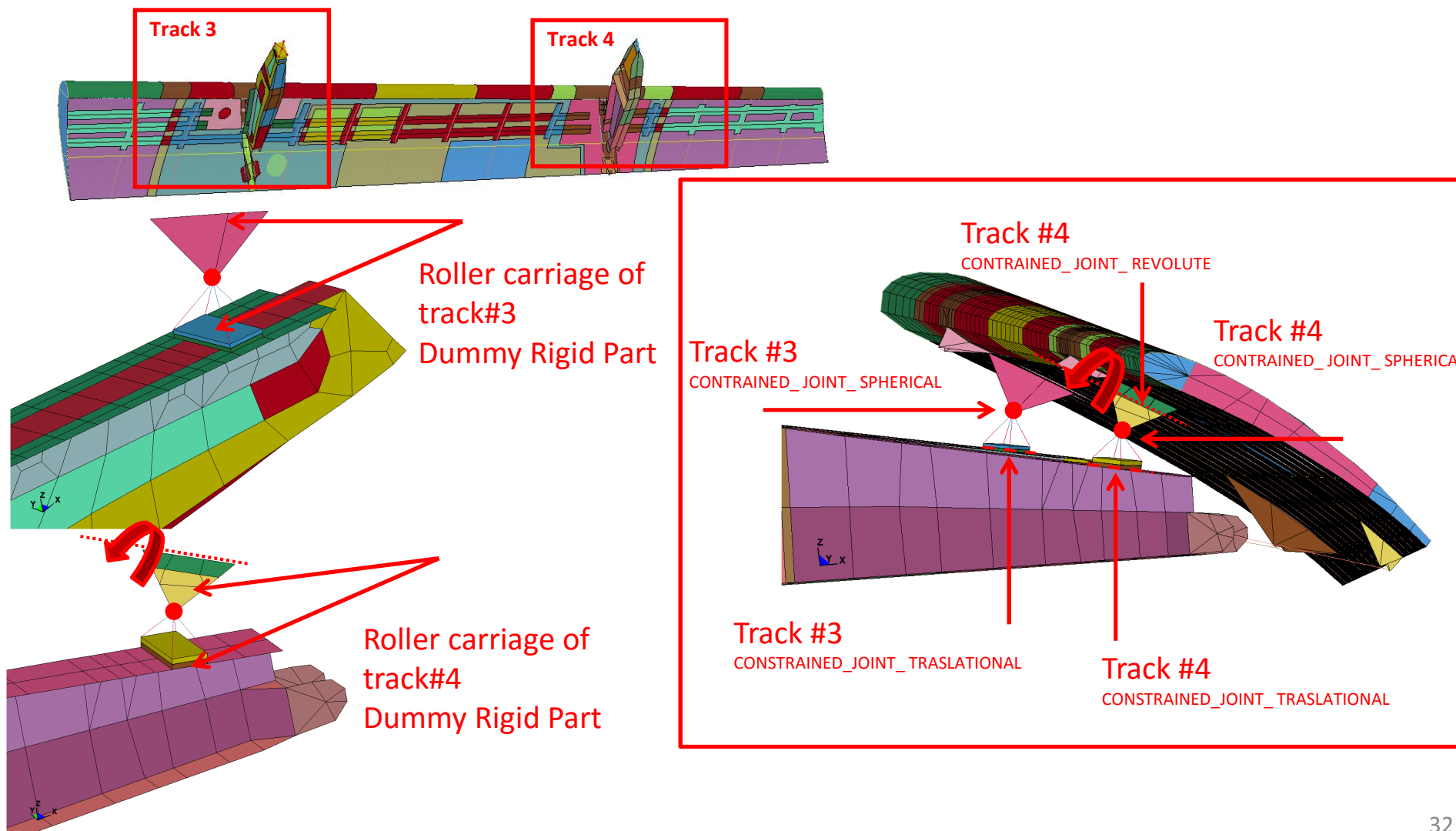




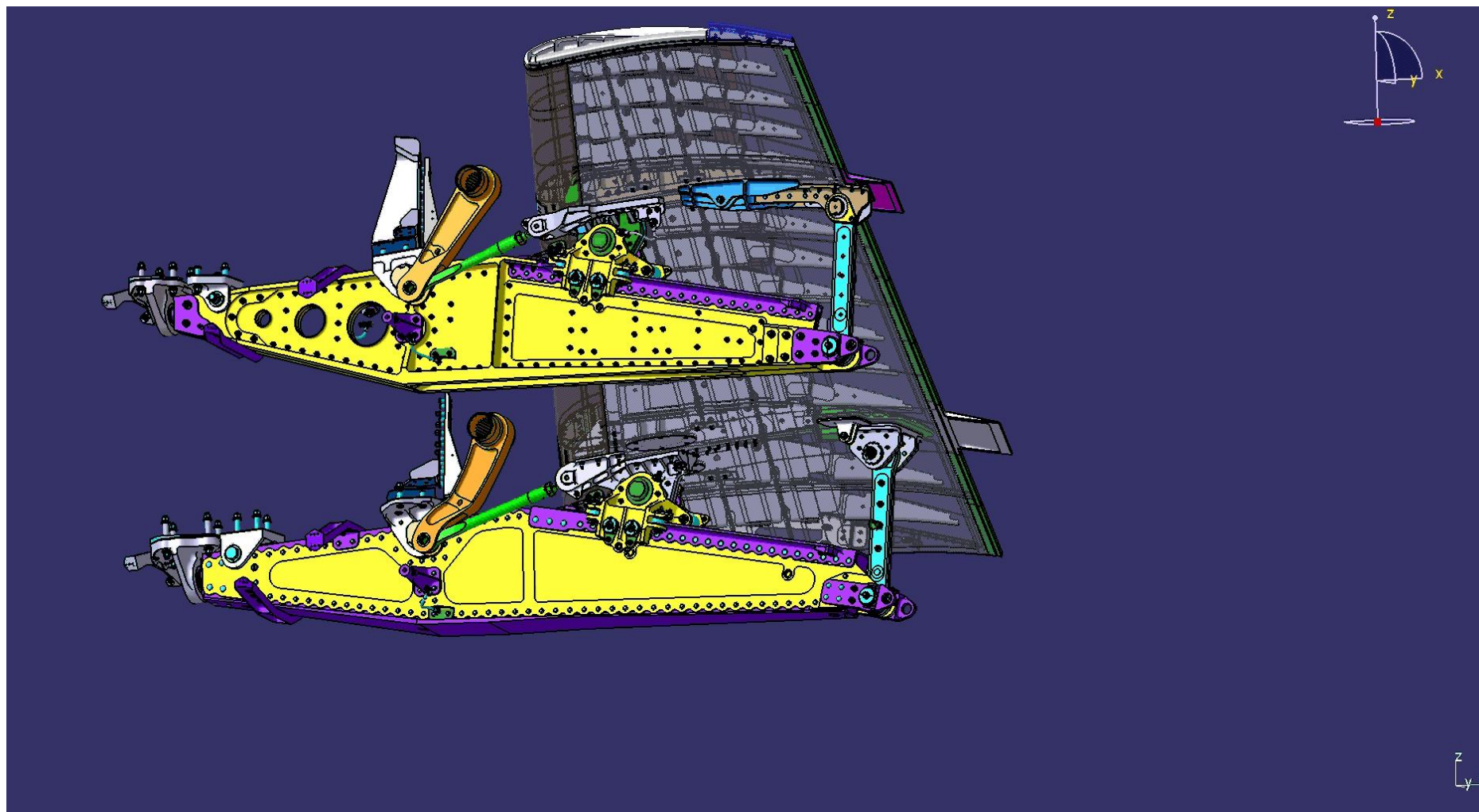
## FEM External Constraints



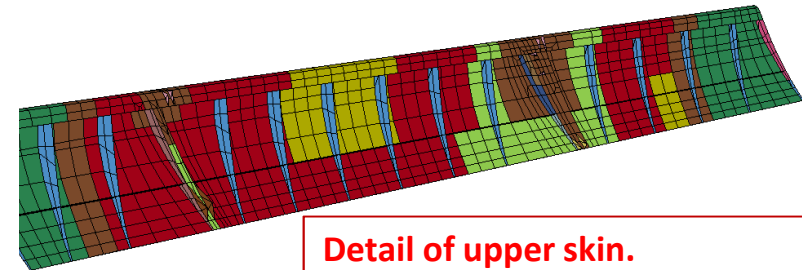
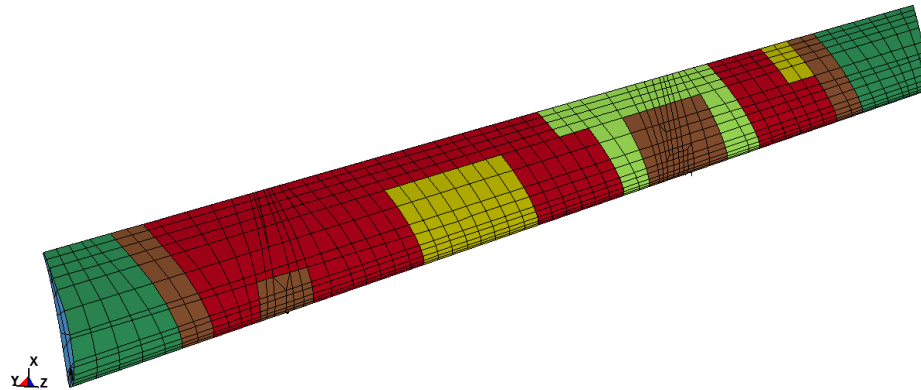
## Internal Constraints



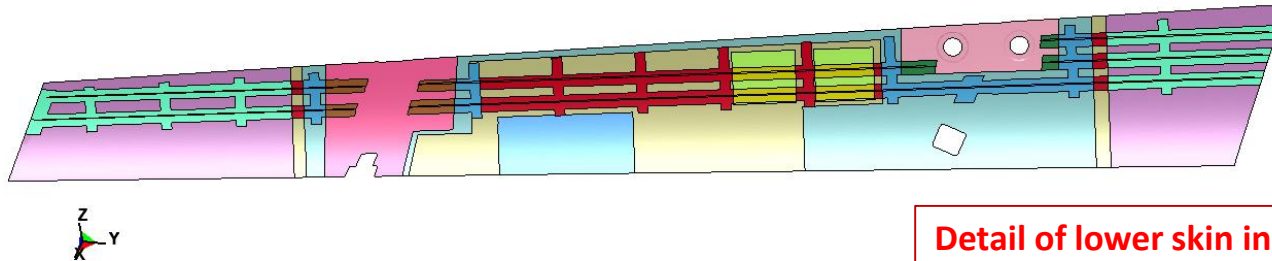
## Flap Kinematics



### Coarse to fine mesh



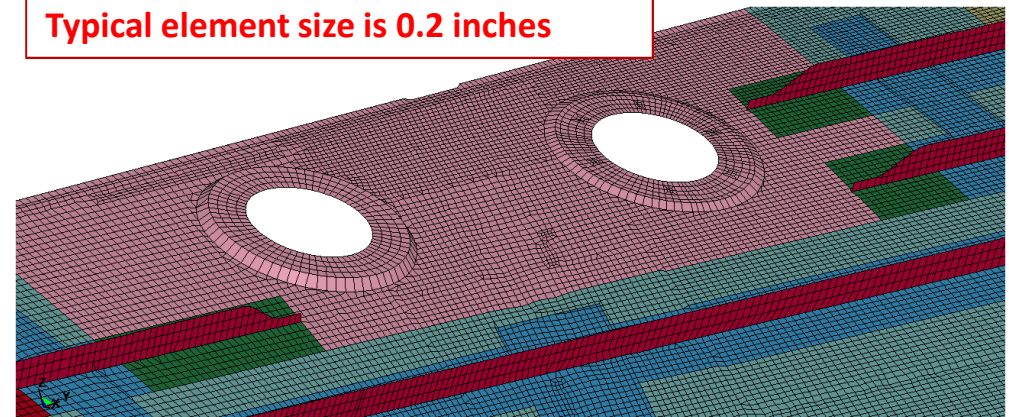
Detail of upper skin.  
Typical element size is: 4 to 5" inches



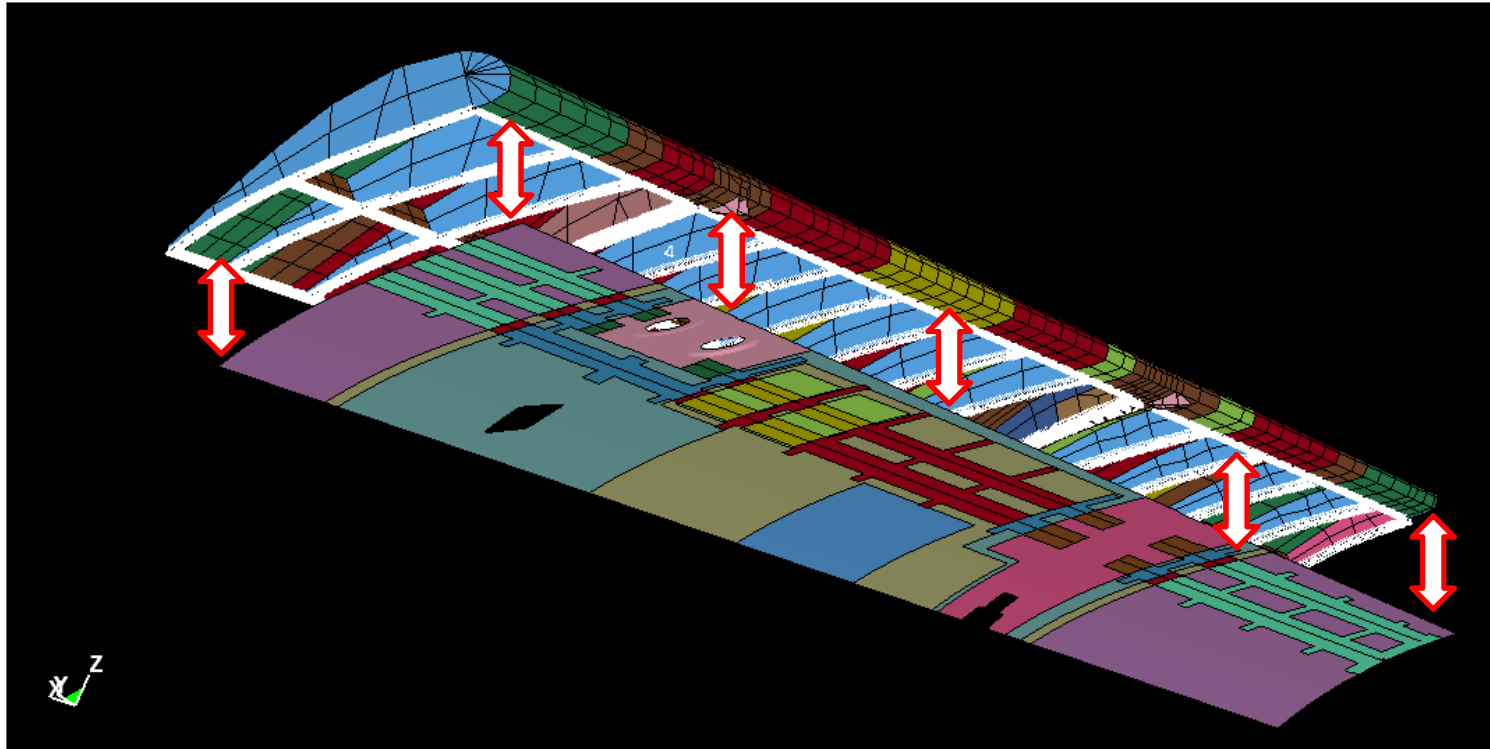
Detail of lower skin inspection holes  
Typical element size is 0.2 inches

Upper skin including ribs, stringer and co-cured spars are modelled as “coarse” mesh.

Lower skin subject to impact event are meshed as “fine” and includes stringer web, inspection holes and stringer runout



### Coarse to fine mesh



TIED SHELL EDGE TO SURFACE OFF-SET contact formulation is used to allow shear load transmission between lower skin, ribs, and spar feet.

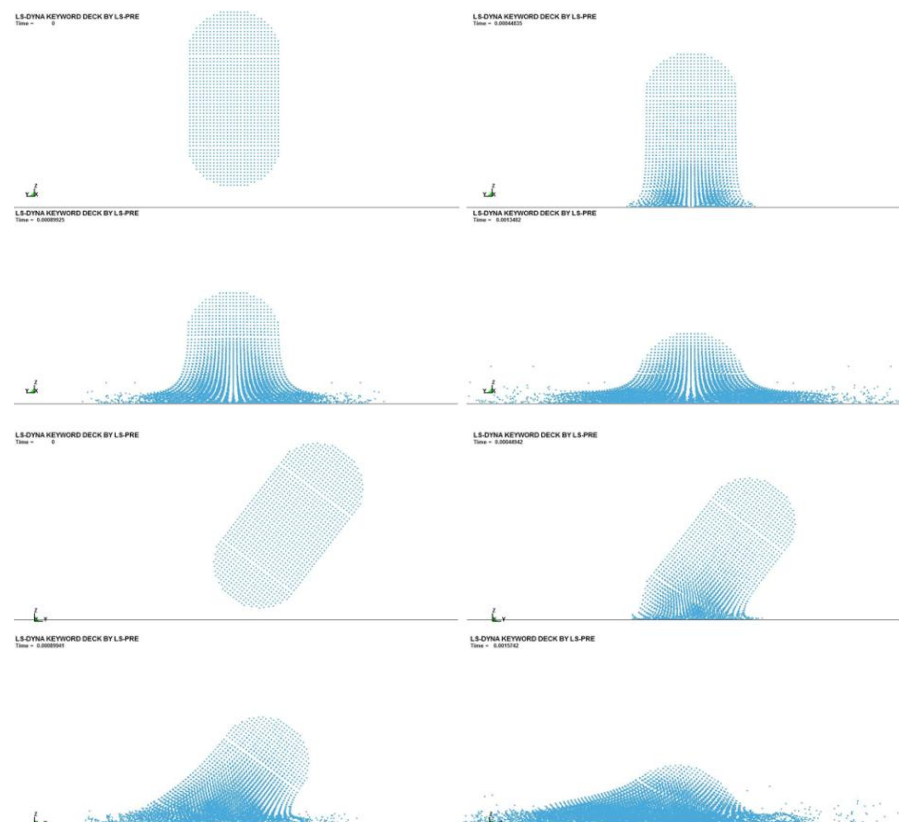
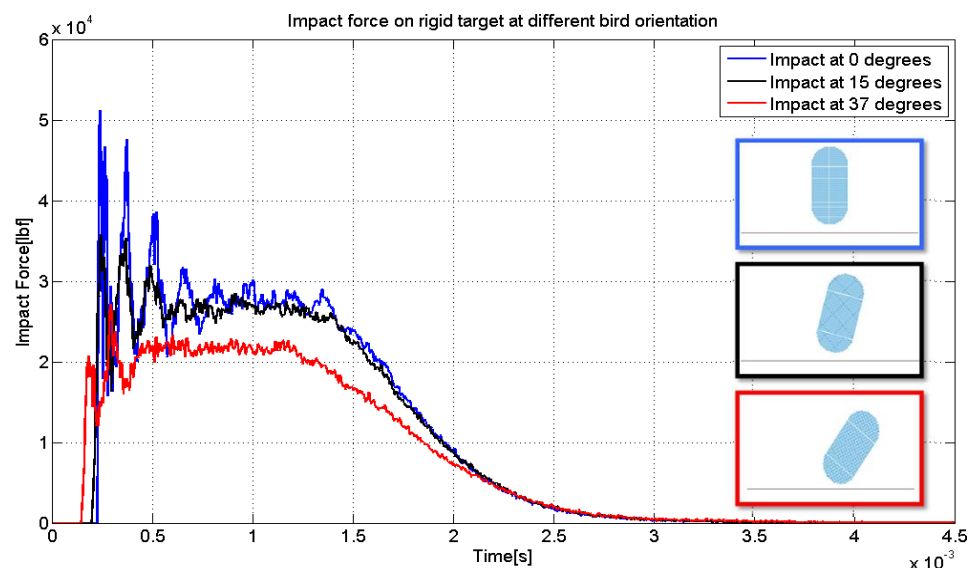
This approach allows to increase the level accuracy where a detailed investigation is required.

**It ensures a very high mesh density gradient going from 5" to 0.2".**



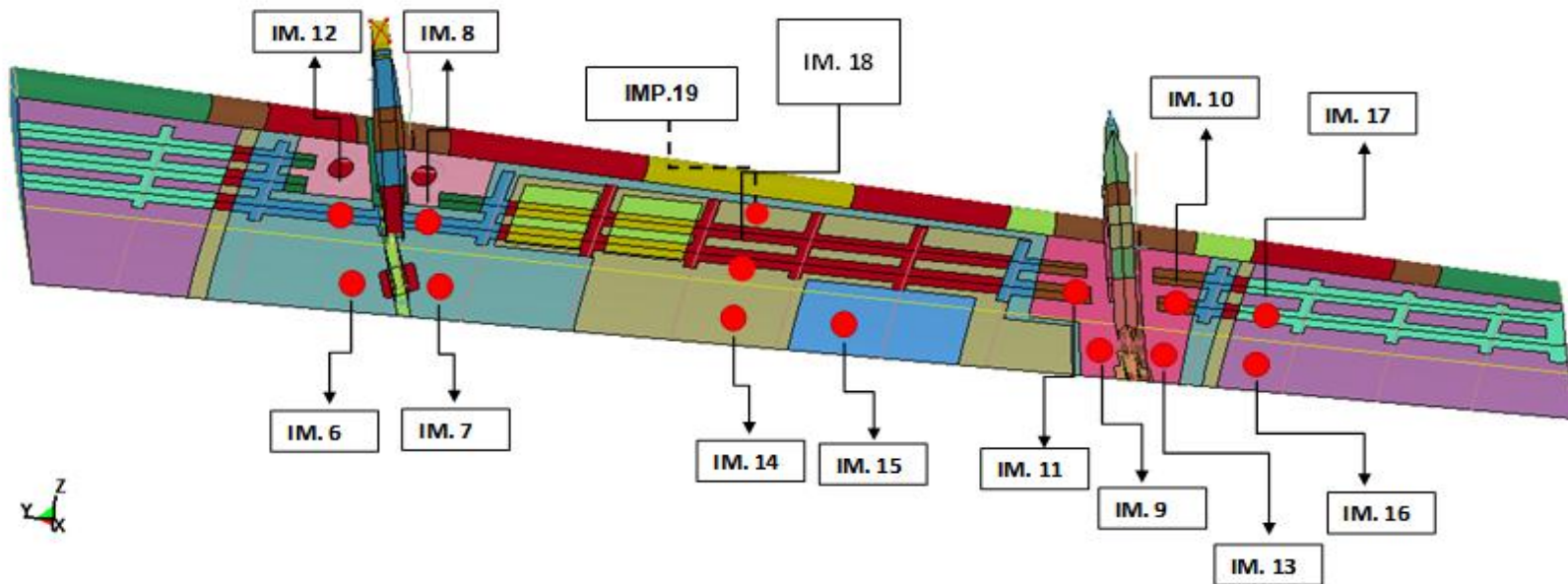
## Calibration of bird impact model

### IMPACT @ 219 Kts (113 M/s)



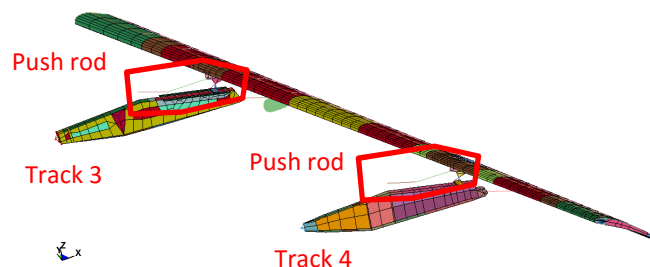
Velocity=219 Knot, Bird Mass=4 lb	Momentum Transfer [lb·s]	Empirical Formula [lb·s]	LS-DYNA MAT_RIGID [lb·s]	LS-DYNA MAT_ELASTIC [lb·s]
0°	48596	37790	51228	60199
15°	46940	36502	35776	54807

### BIRD IMPACT ANALYSIS. PLAN OF SIMULATION IMPACT



The selection criteria of the Test Impact Point is based on the most severe skin and metallic attachments damage resulting from the model simulation.

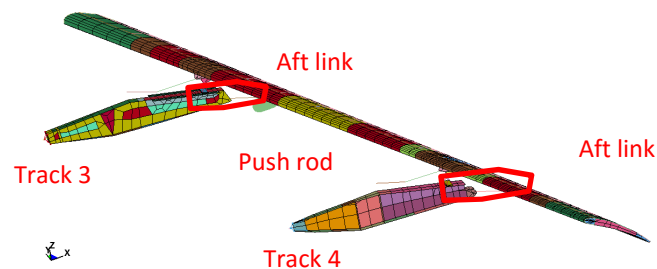
## Bird Impact analysis. Result



Flap	Impact ID	Max Bird Impact Force	FWD push rod track #3		
			Minimum Peak from Bird Strike Analysis	Maximum Peak from Bird Strike Analysis	(Max DesignLoad-Max Bird Impact Force)/Max DesignLoad
37 deg	18	13292	-5889	5097	74%
37 deg	6	13986	-14320	1203	36%
37 deg	7	13140	-14430	313	36%
37 deg	8	13694	-10520	5775	53%
37 deg	9	13237	-5235	2108	77%
37 deg	10	13503	-5041	2533	77%
37 deg	11	13585	-2766	2281	88%
37 deg	12	14122	-9745	5413	56%
37 deg	13	14008	-4886	773	78%
37 deg	14	14599	-6878	400	69%
37 deg	15	13069	-2771	419	88%
37 deg	16	11835	-5382	1916	76%
37 deg	17	14963	-5325	899	76%
25 deg	18	8273	-2007	1444	91%
25 deg	7	11500	-6400	1552	71%
25 deg	19	8325	-1283	2633	94%

Flap	Impact ID	Max Bird Impact Force	FWD push rod track #4		
			Minimum Peak from Bird Strike Analysis	Maximum Peak from Bird Strike Analysis	(Max DesignLoad-Max Bird Impact Force)/Max DesignLoad
37 deg	18	13292	-7072	5324	49%
37 deg	6	13986	-6574	3242	52%
37 deg	7	13140	-5256	4859	62%
37 deg	8	13694	-4241	5302	69%
37 deg	9	13237	-9764	1708	29%
37 deg	10	13503	-9108	5702	34%
37 deg	11	13585	-8582	4240	38%
37 deg	12	14122	-4649	4612	66%
37 deg	13	14008	-9044	630	34%
37 deg	14	14599	-5463	2267	60%
37 deg	15	13069	-2478	51	82%
37 deg	16	11835	-11350	1486	17%
37 deg	17	14963	-6081	6796	56%
25 deg	18	8273	-1650	522	88%
25 deg	7	11500	-2338	1626	83%
25 deg	19	8325	-661	1493	95%

## Bird Impact analysis. Result



Flap Deployment	Impact ID	Max Bird Impact Force	AFT LINK #3		(Max DesignLoad-Max Bird Impact Force)/Max DesignLoad
			Minimum Peak from Bird Strike Analysis	Maximum Peak from Bird Strike Analysis	
37 deg	18	13292	-2079	8679	44%
37 deg	6	13986	-5301	19830	-27%
37 deg	7	13140	-942	19040	-22%
37 deg	8	13694	-1558	13960	11%
37 deg	9	13237	-1916	3858	75%
37 deg	10	13503	-1573	1614	90%
37 deg	11	13585	-1479	5277	66%
37 deg	12	14122	-4805	12210	22%
37 deg	13	14008	-2082	2723	83%
37 deg	14	14599	-5862	12350	21%
37 deg	15	13069	-185	382	98%
37 deg	16	11835	-2085	2024	87%
37 deg	17	14963	-1000	1239	92%
25 deg	18	8273	-106	6335	59%
25 deg	7	11500	-998	14850	5%
25 deg	19	8325	-1603	4104	74%

Flap Deployment	Impact ID	Max Bird Impact Force	AFT LINK #4		(Max DesignLoad-Max Bird Impact Force)/Max DesignLoad
			Minimum Peak from Bird Strike Analysis	Maximum Peak from Bird Strike Analysis	
37 deg	18	13292	-1748	8987	38%
37 deg	6	13986	-712	3394	77%
37 deg	7	13140	-2072	2338	84%
37 deg	8	13694	-1302	799	94%
37 deg	9	13237	-3169	17050	-18%
37 deg	10	13503	-3710	12250	15%
37 deg	11	13585	-1766	9229	36%
37 deg	12	14122	-1565	2561	82%
37 deg	13	14008	-2018	18210	-26%
37 deg	14	14599	-1079	11500	21%
37 deg	15	13069	-835	1859	87%
37 deg	16	11835	-381	14170	2%
37 deg	17	14963	-3653	8982	38%
25 deg	18	8273	-893	5339	63%
25 deg	7	11500	-1807	1855	87%
25 deg	19	8325	-2543	5486	62%

## Bird Impact analysis. Result

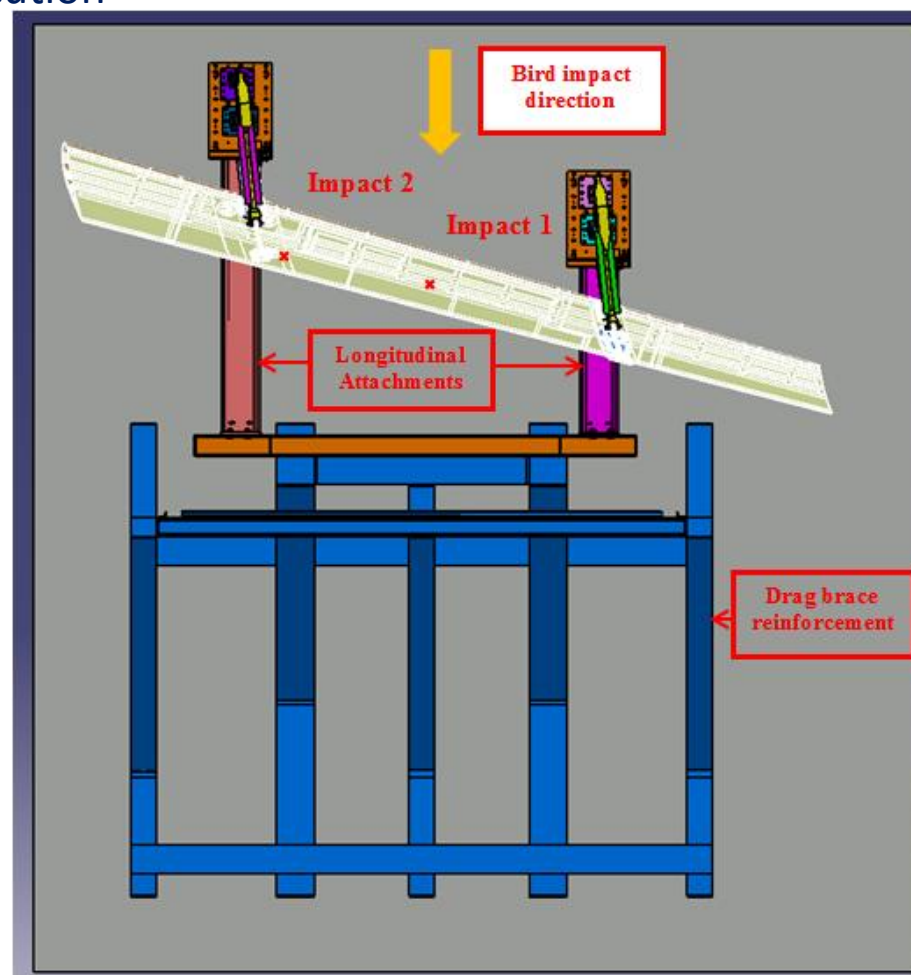
Flap Deployment angle	Impact ID	Damage	Spar Strain MS	(Max DesignLoad-Max Bid Impact Force)/Max DesignLoad			
				AFT Link 3	AFT Link 4	FWD Push 3	FWD Push 4
37 deg	6	D	N/A	-27%	77%	36%	52%
37 deg	7	F-T	N/A	-22%	84%	36%	62%
37 deg	8	F-N	-0.09	11%	94%	53%	69%
37 deg	9	D	N/A	75%	-18%	77%	29%
37 deg	10	S	0.1	90%	15%	77%	34%
37 deg	11	S	-0.07	66%	36%	88%	38%
37 deg	12	F-N	0.4	22%	82%	56%	66%
37 deg	13	D	N/A	83%	-26%	78%	34%
37 deg	14	D		21%	21%	69%	60%
37 deg	18	F-N	-0.16	44%	38%	74%	49%
37 deg	15	D	N/A	98%	87%	88%	82%
37 deg	16	F-N	N/A	87%	2%	76%	17%
37 deg	17	F-T	-0.12	92%	38%	76%	56%
25 deg	7	F-N	N/A	5%	87%	71%	83%
25 deg	18	F-N	0.147846154	59%	63%	91%	88%
25 deg	19	D	N/A	74%	62%	94%	95%

F Damage  
 P Bird penetration  
 N Not penetration  
 T Partially penetrated  
 S Stringer failure  
 D Diverted



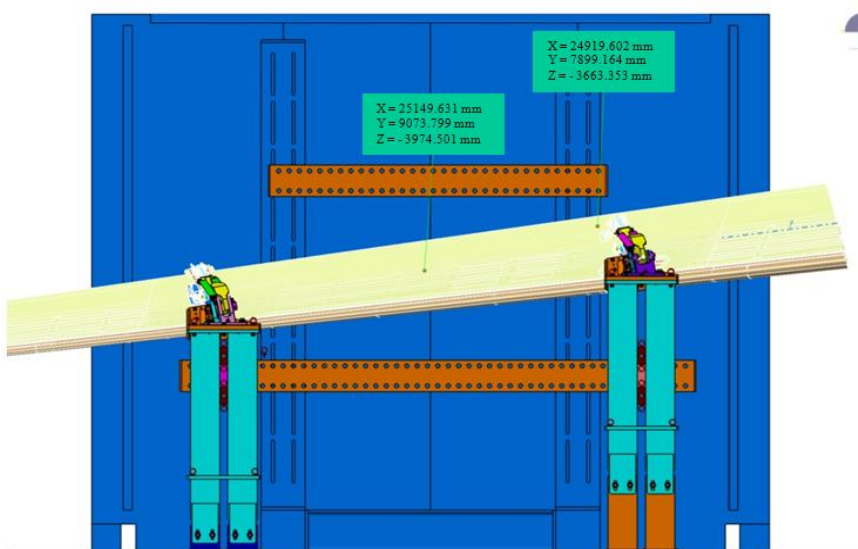
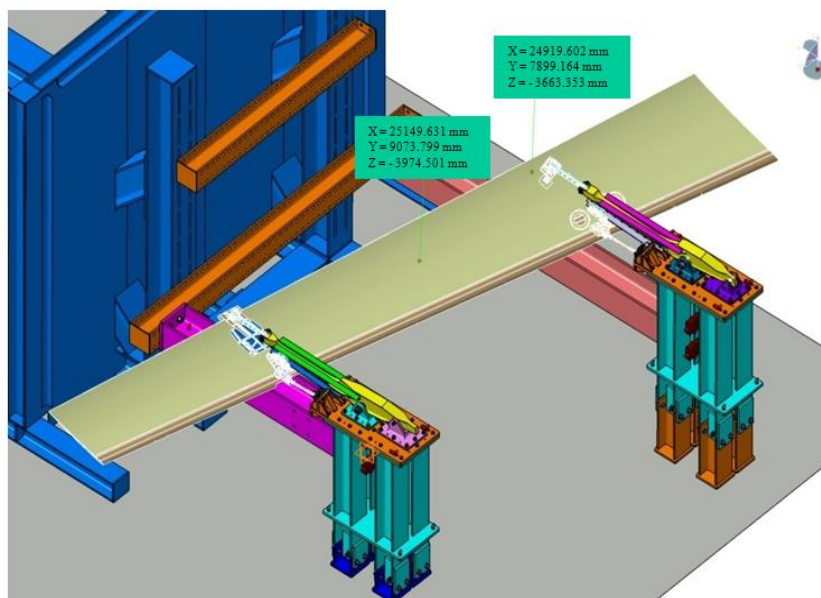
### Bird Impact Test

**AleniaAermacchi** have been selected by **Magnaghi** as LAB test supplier for bird strike test execution



### Bird Impact Test Rig Layout

«Dummy tracks» fully reflecting actual aircraft attachment in terms of stiffness and constraints have been provided to LAB test supplier



**Bird impact test on TRACK+FLAP has been performed  
on the basis of the most critical impact point selected by analysis**

### Bird Impact Test Facilities





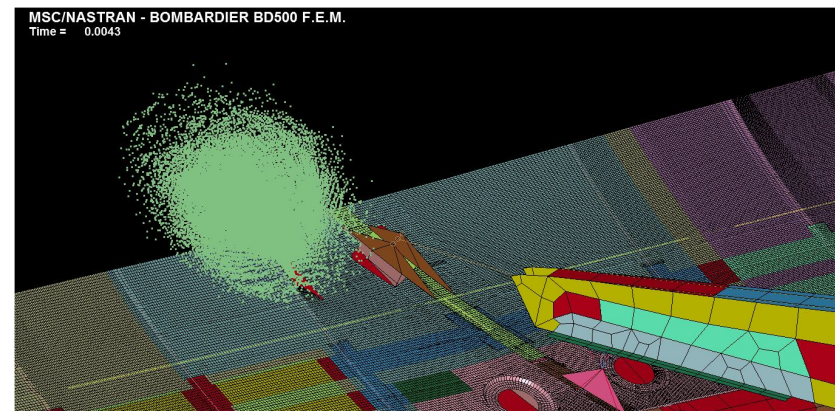
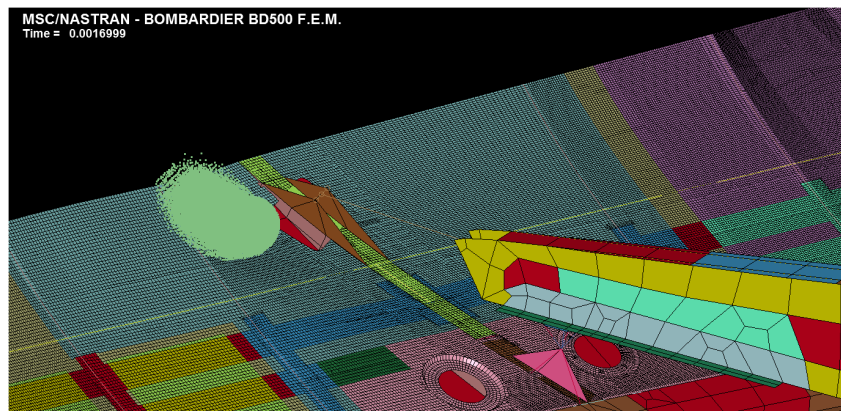
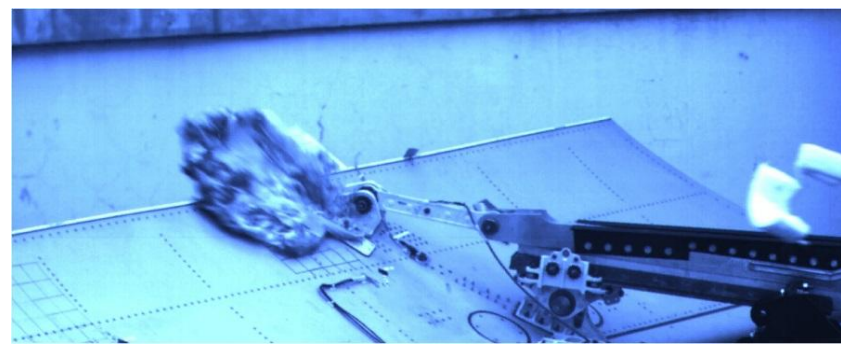
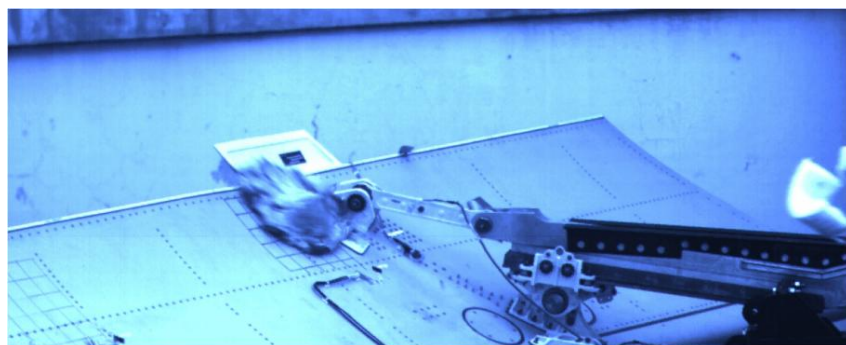
### Bird Impact Test high speed acquisition camera



Fixture and scenario of a bird-strike test.

- a – air cannon bore;
- b – velocity measure device;
- c – test article;
- d – high speed camera;
- e – test bed;
- f - safeguard screen;
- g – load cell.

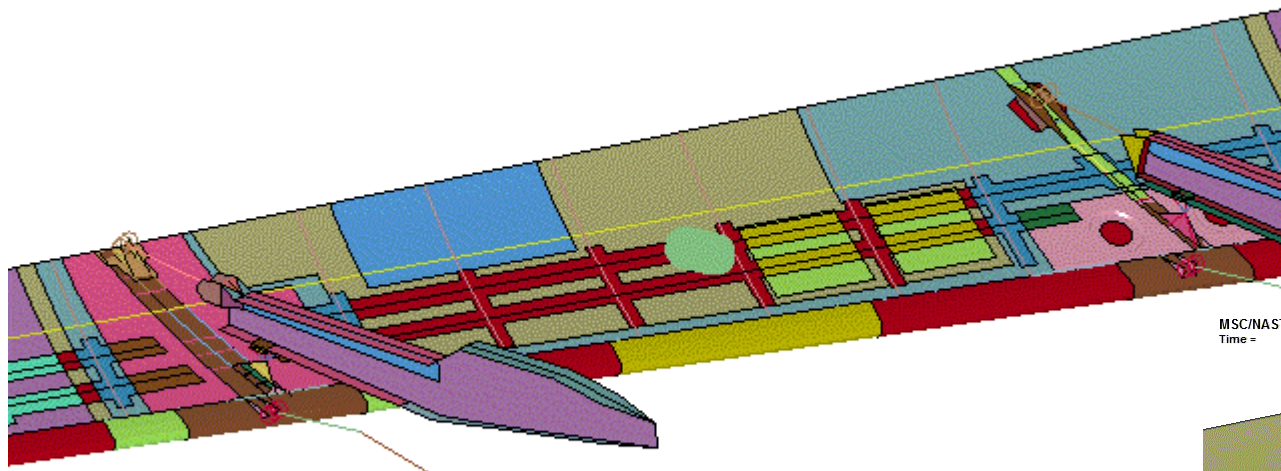
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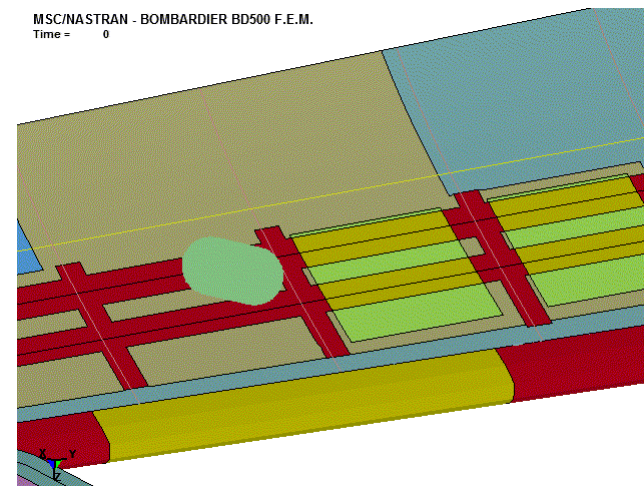


## Bird Impact analysis

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Time = 0



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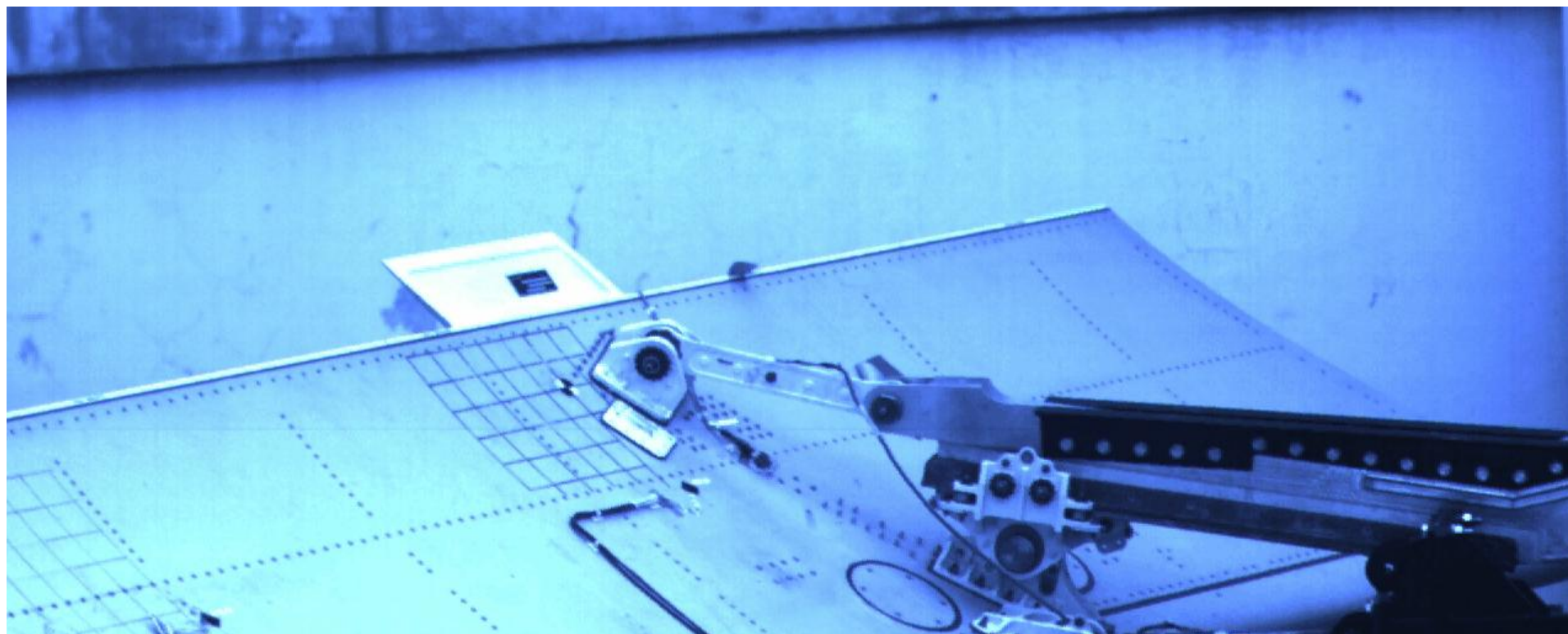




### Bird Impact Test – Impact Point after impact



### C-Series Bird Impact Test Inboard Flap

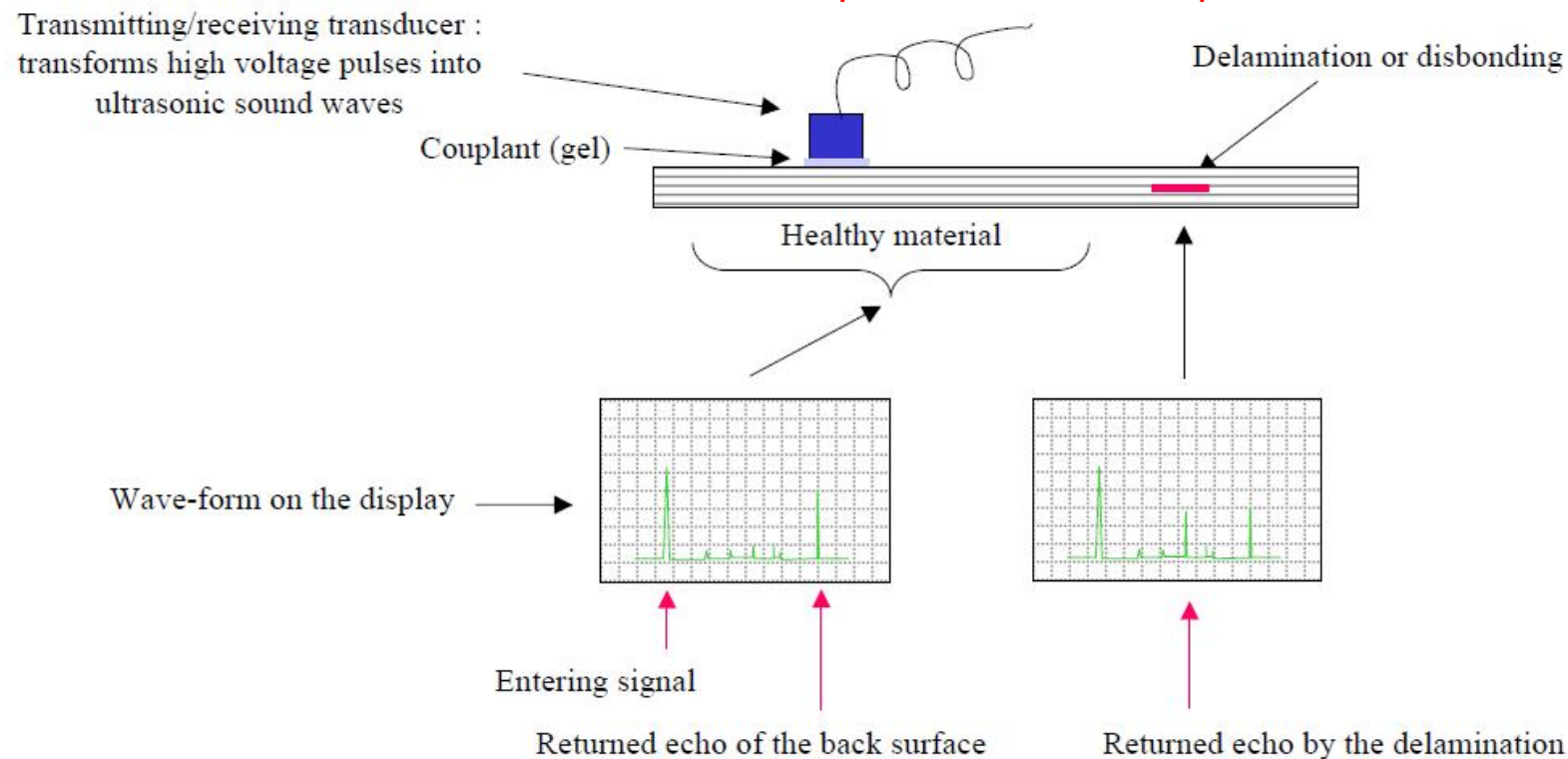


### NDT inspection after the Impact

After the each impact all internal and external parts need to be subjected to inspection for:

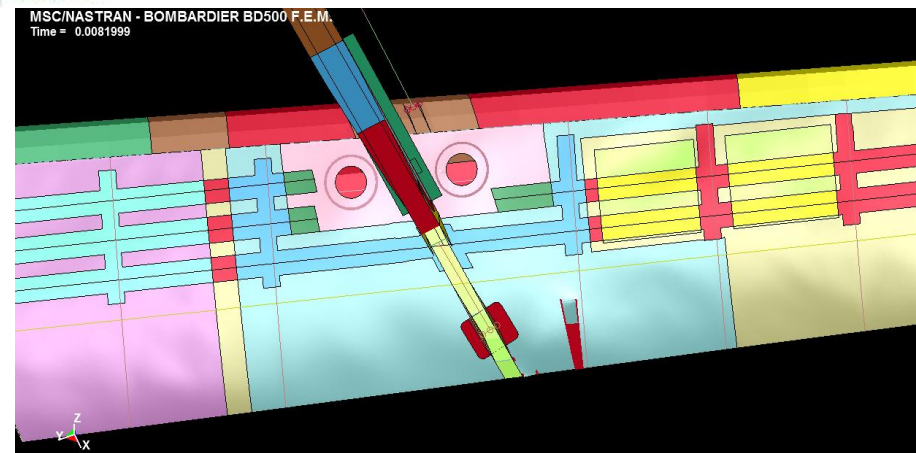
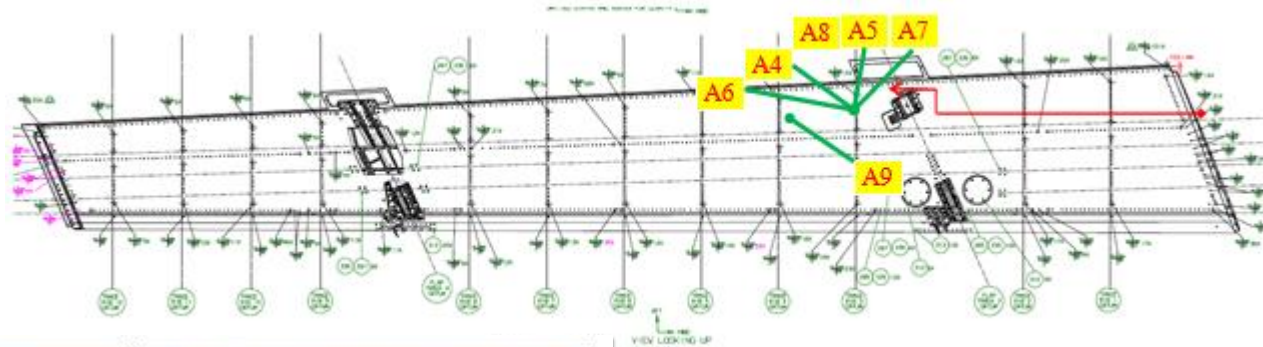
- delamination (ultrasonic inspection)
- crack and failure (Borescope Probe)

### Ultrasonic inspection principles of composite structures: the pulse-echo technique



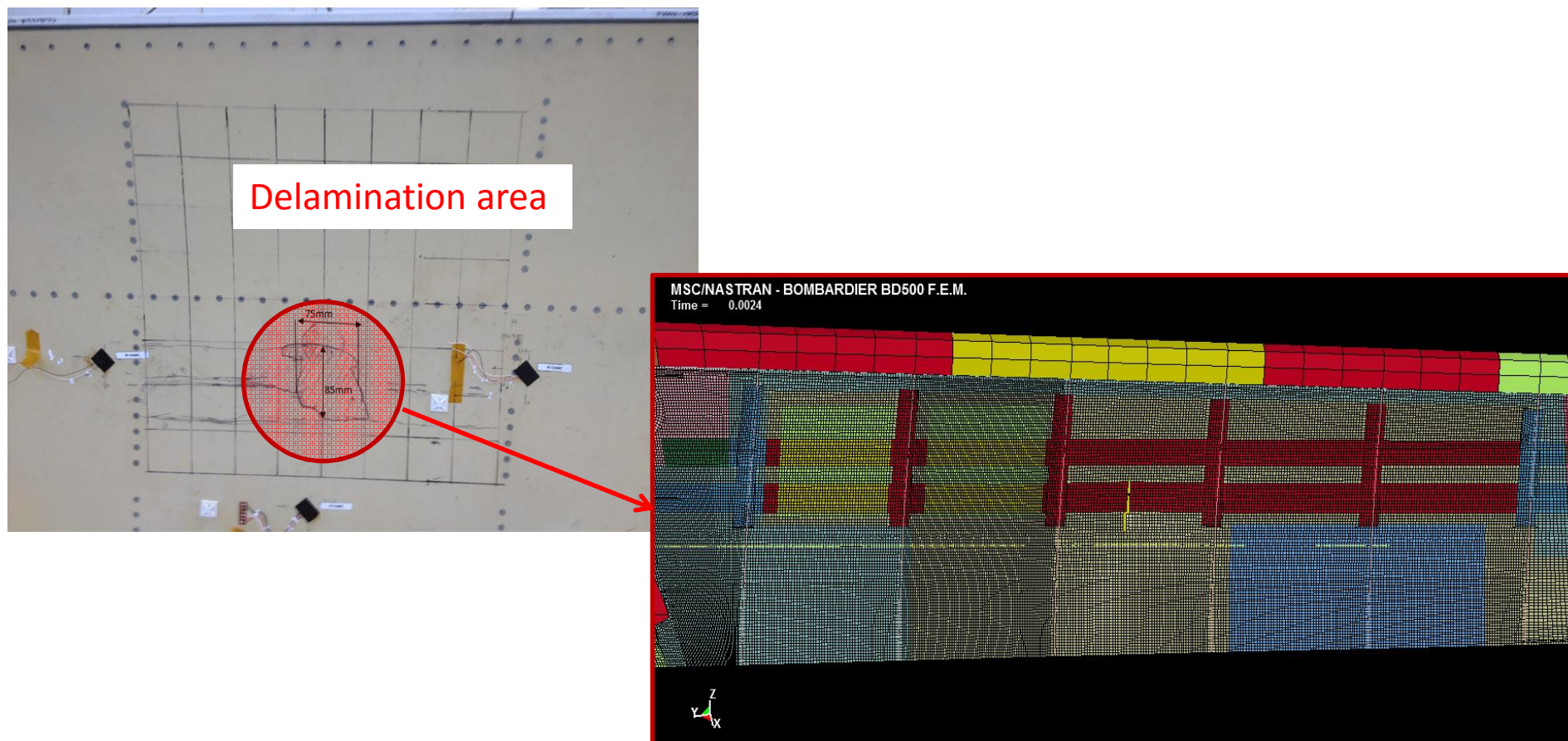


## VISUAL INSPECTION BY USING BORESCOPE PROBE



Failure of composite lower skin+trailing edge rib foot was predicted by model simulation

### VISUAL INSPECTION BY USING OF HIGH DEFINITION BORESCOPE PROBE COMPARISON WITH PREDICTION

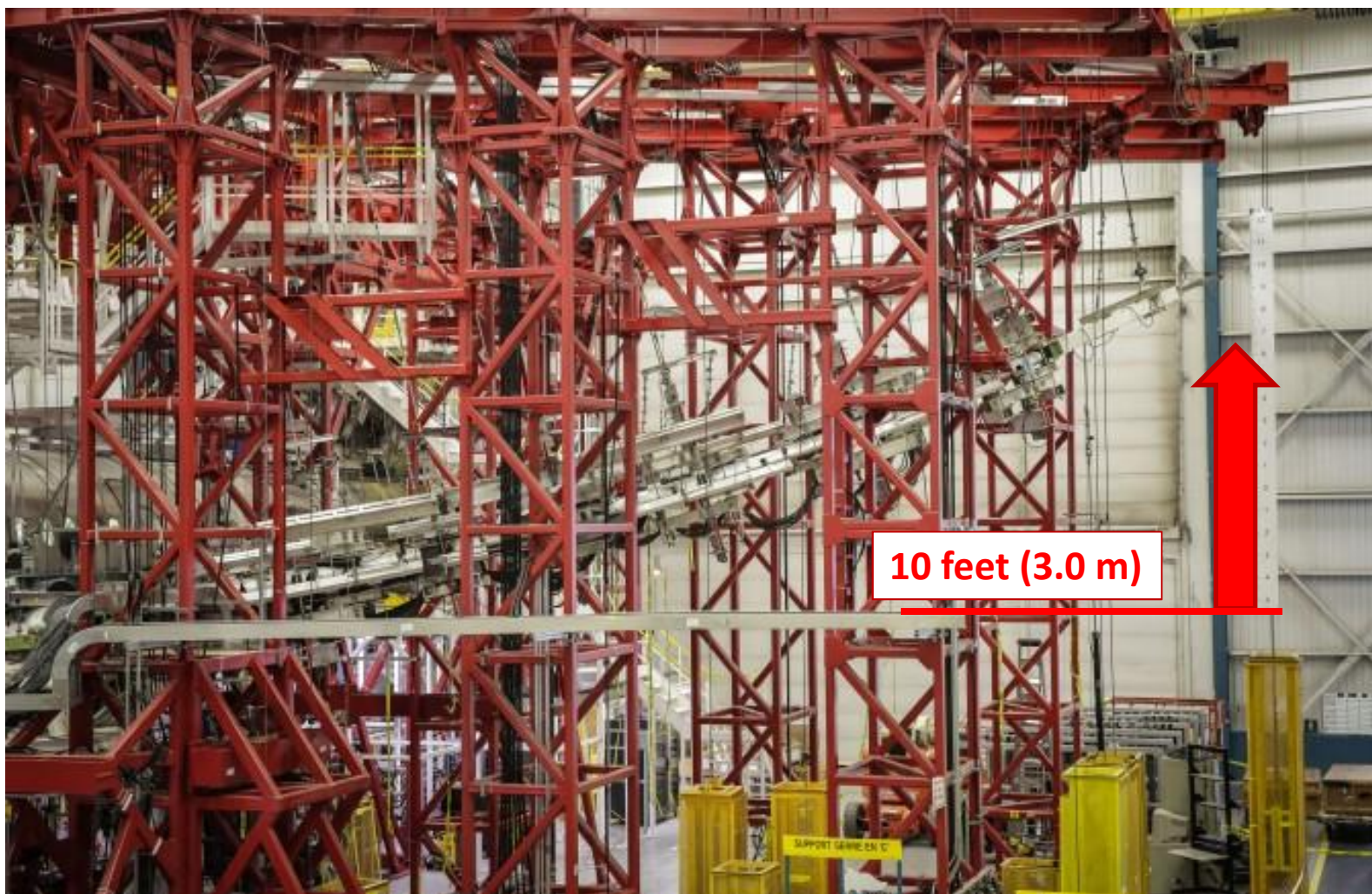


Failure of web stringer (including foot and lower skin) was predicted by model simulation



# VIDEO

### C-SERIES TEST VEHICLE #1 take-off from Montreal on September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2013





0 deg timelapse 001.MOV



37 Deg Time Lapse.MOV



175 time lapse.MOV



## Certificazione e Controlli non Distruttivi

