

Machining simulation software

NC Virtual Simulator

◆ Features

A high-accuracy simulation that realistically reproduces CNC operation using the same machining conditions as the machine tool.

Realistic simulation that accurately simulates actual machining reduces the number of trial machining and scrap.

The pre- and post-process work can be improved by machine interference check and accurate calculation of machining time.

Color mapping of speed, acceleration and other properties can be used to analyze the surface quality and help to improve machining.

◆ Outline diagram



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Work simulation (Cutting)

Work simulation estimates the machining time and depicts the surface contour accurately using the digital position data that simulates smoothing, acceleration/deceleration, and servo response delay.

Machining time 0:07:43

Highly accurate machining time estimation

(Pinpoint zoom display example)



(Normal enlargement example)

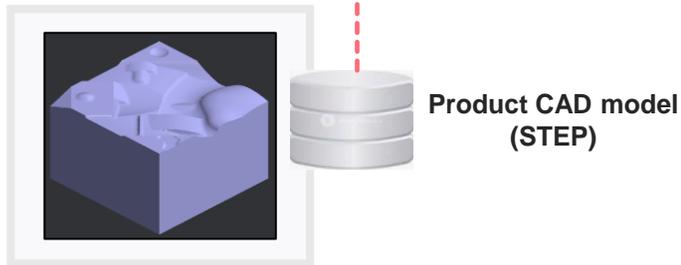
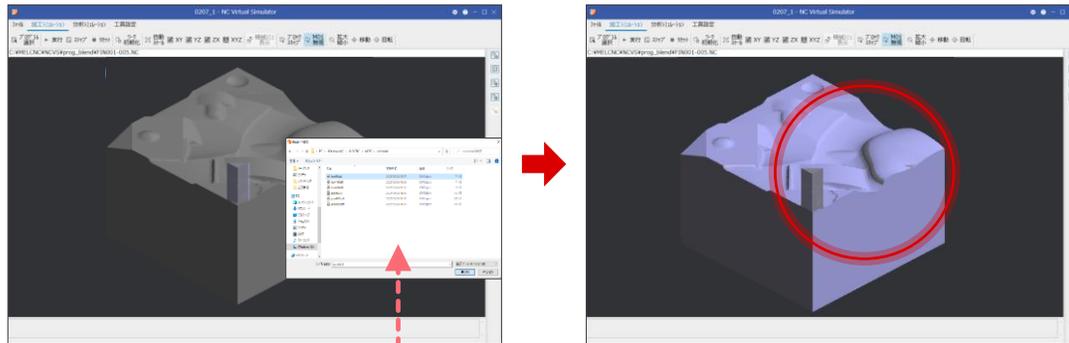
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Workpiece simulation (CAD model overlay display)

You can check for omitted machining processes, etc. by reading in the product CAD model (STEP) and showing it overlaid with the cutting simulation.

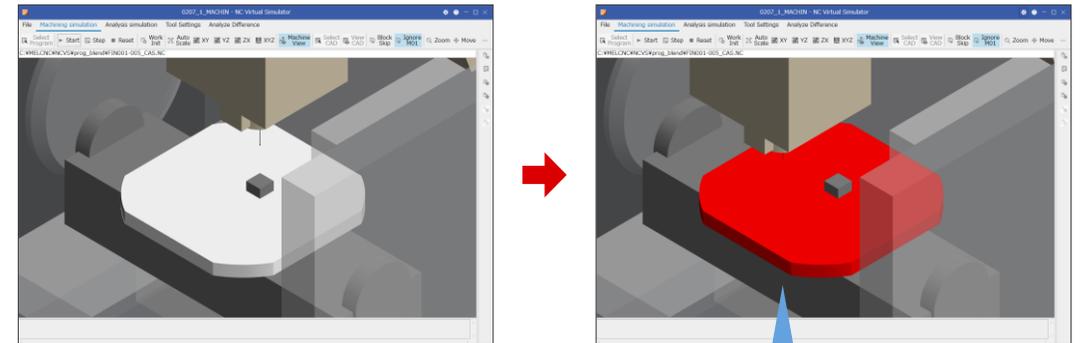
- (1) After executing simulation, select the product CAD model file using "Select product model".
- (2) The simulation results and the product CAD model will be overlaid and shown.



Machine simulation

You can check for machine interference during automatic operation using 3D machine models.

If interference occurs, the parts that interfere are shown in interference color as warning display.



- The movement of machine parts is shown in 3D.
- If interference between parts is detected, a warning display takes effect.

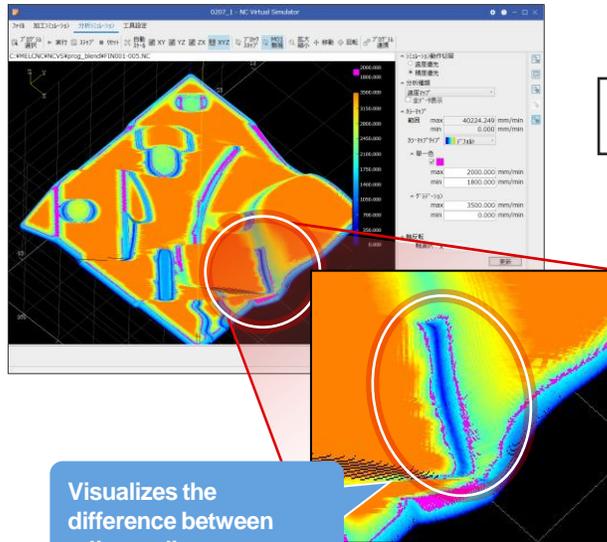
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Analysis simulation

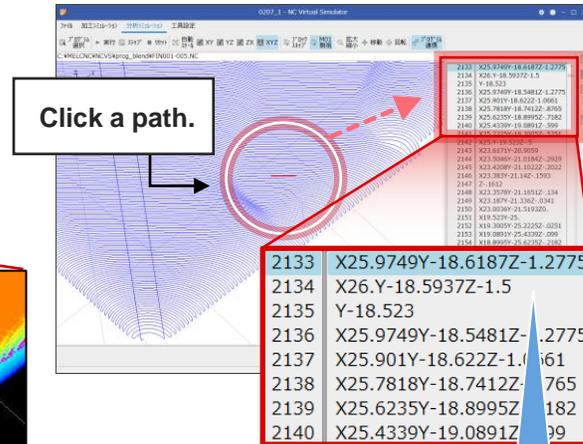
The change in position, speed, acceleration rate, and other data is displayed at the level of a micro segment in a color map. In addition, by selecting a line segment in the contour, the corresponding block in the machining program can be displayed.

(1) Color map display



Visualizes the difference between adjacent line segments

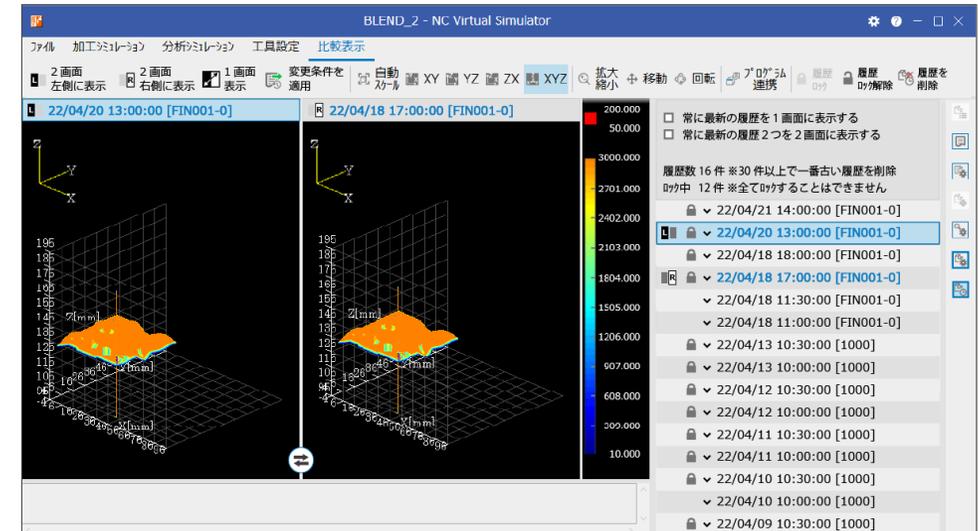
(2) Program link display



The corresponding block in the machining program is displayed.

Simulation comparison display

Simulation results are retained as history and used in simulation result comparison. You can see how the machining result changes depending on the machining conditions such as NC parameters.

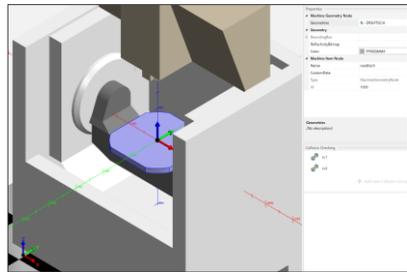


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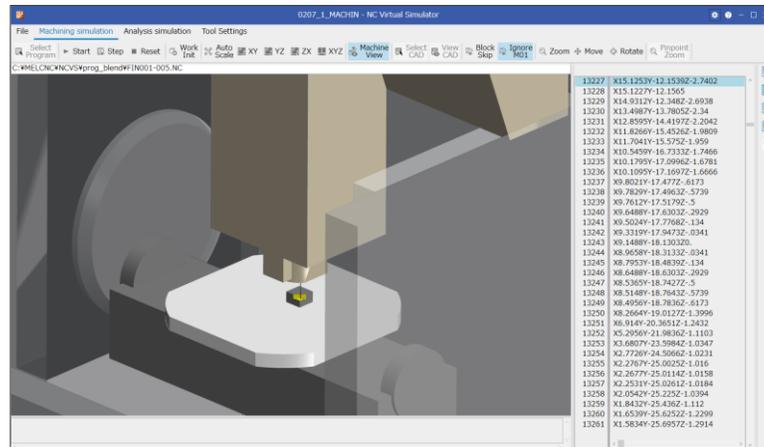
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NC Trainer2 plus linking functions

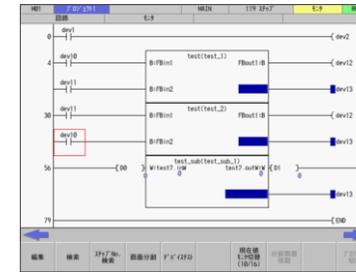
By linking with NC Trainer2 plus, the NC Virtual Simulator's machine simulation can be used as the simulation environment for the machine tool manufacturer's ladder design and machine design to check operation.



Machine model (CAD)



Import to NC Virtual Simulator



Ladder circuit

Import to NC Trainer2 Plus

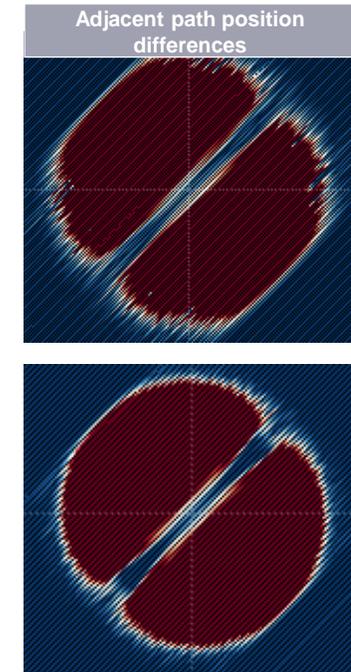
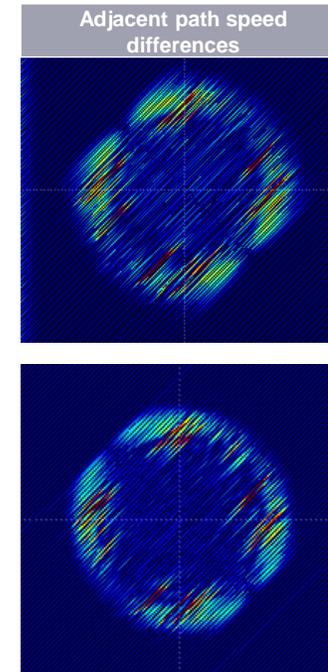
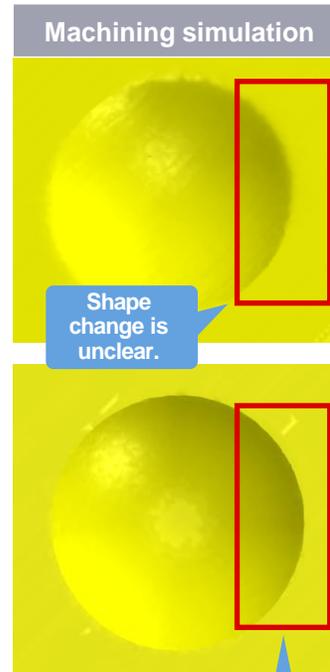
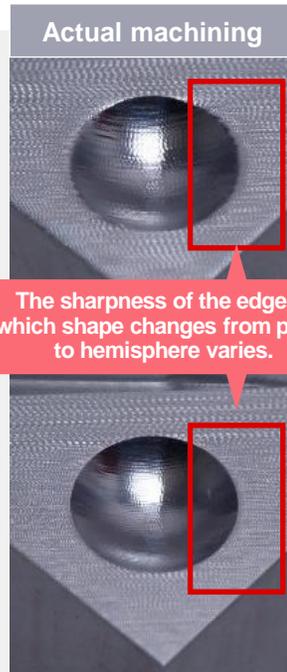


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Comparison between simulation results and machined workpiece (1)

① Using machining **time-optimized** NC parameters

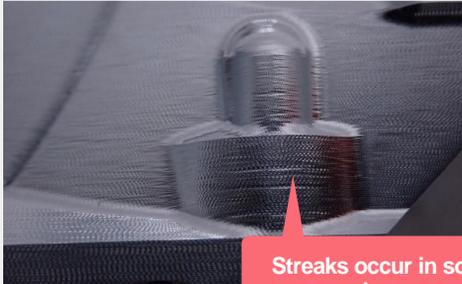
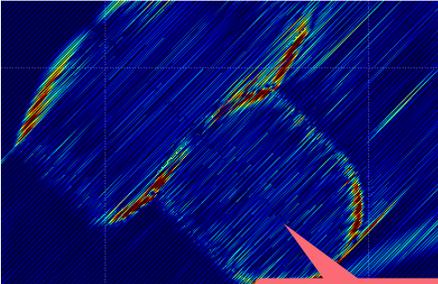
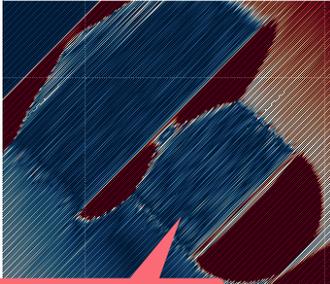
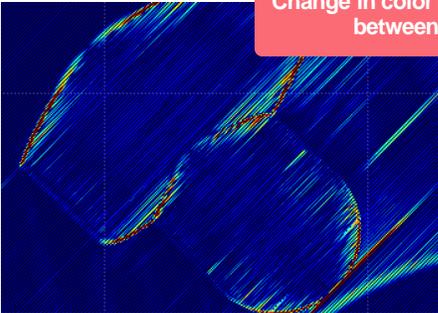
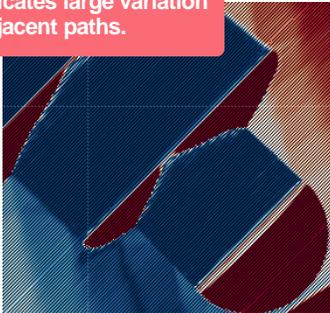


② Using machining **accuracy-optimized** NC parameters

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Comparison between simulation results and machined workpiece (2)

	Actual machining	Machining simulation	Adjacent path speed differences	Adjacent path position differences
<p>① Using machining time-optimized NC parameters</p>	 <p>Streaks occur in some places.</p>			
<p>② Using machining accuracy-optimized NC parameters</p>				 <p>Change in color indicates large variation between adjacent paths.</p>