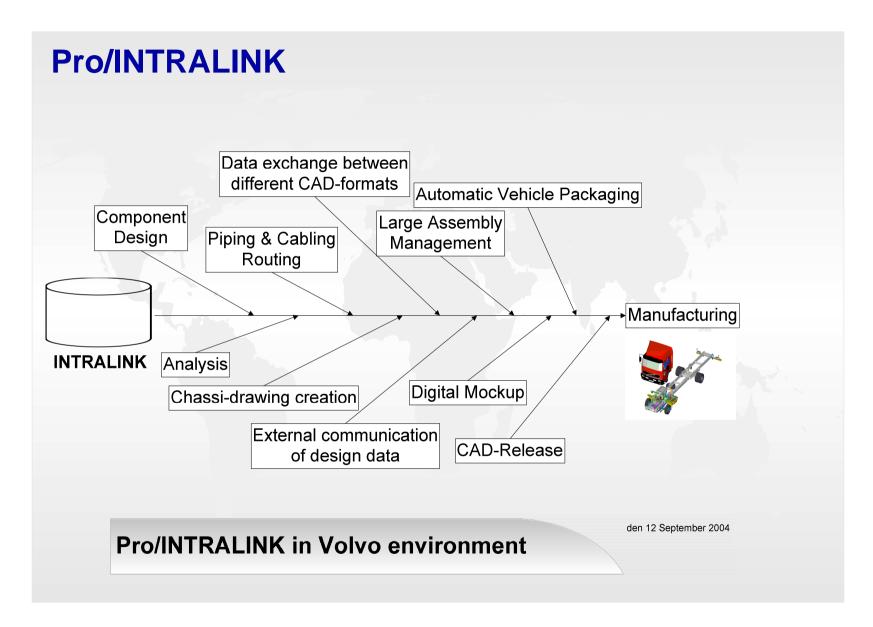
# Release Process AB Volvo PTC tools

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# Volvo PowerTrain



Mack Trucks

Renault Trucks

Volvo Buses

Volvo C.E.

Volvo Penta

PowerTrain

### **VPT - Volvo PowerTrain**

#### Standalone mode

#### Merger mode

"Create synergies"

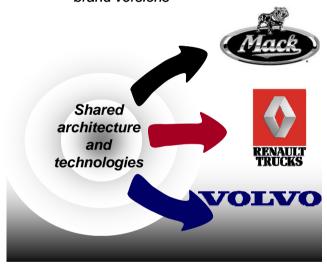




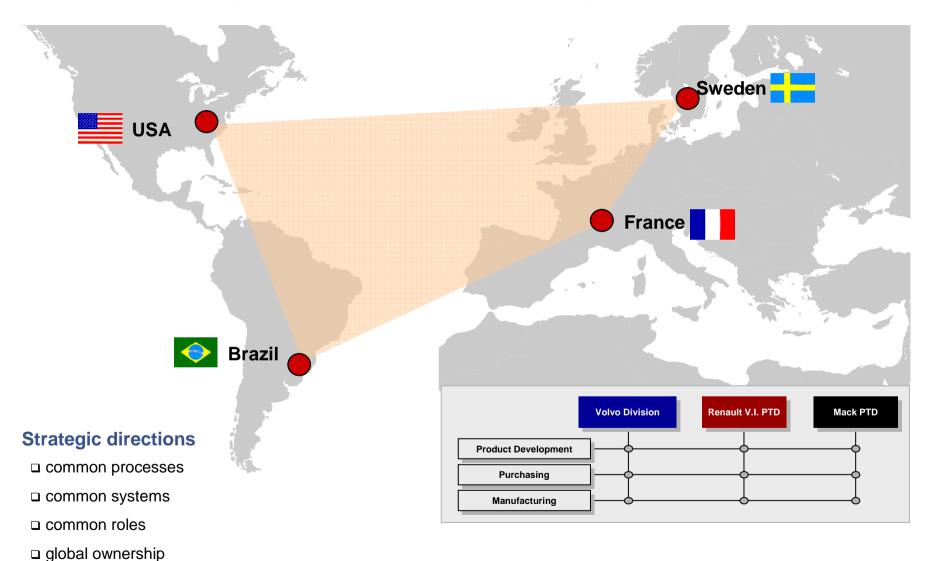


#### **Vision mode**

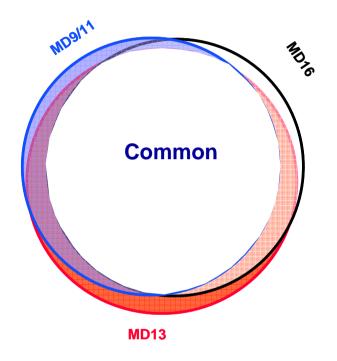
"New architecture and shared technologies. Develop unique brand versions"



# One Team - 4 Sites



### **Commonality goals**



#### **Definition of commonality**

- Shared Technology
- Common Architecture
- Same manufacturing technology
- Same supplier

Platforms ENGINES from 18 to 2 shared on 4 development sites.

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# **Release Process analysis**

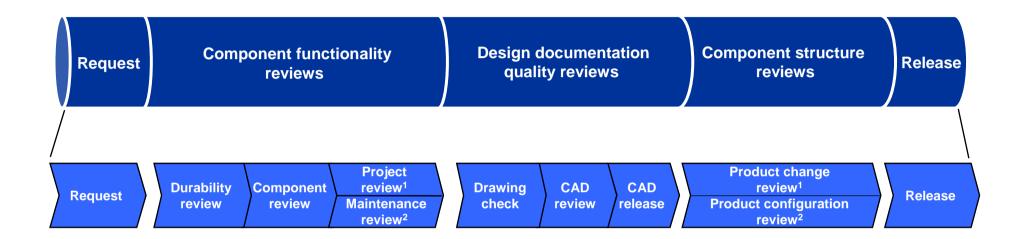
#### **Business Needs**

- 1. System simplicity
- 2. Process overview
- 3. Global platform
- 4. Electronic information
- 5. Automation
- 6. Data consistency



### System characteristics

- Single user interface to access release information
- 2. Workflow management ability
- 3. Access from all sites to release information
- 4. Electronic documentation collaboration and signing
- 5. Integration of automation applications
- 6. Real-time information sharing between sites



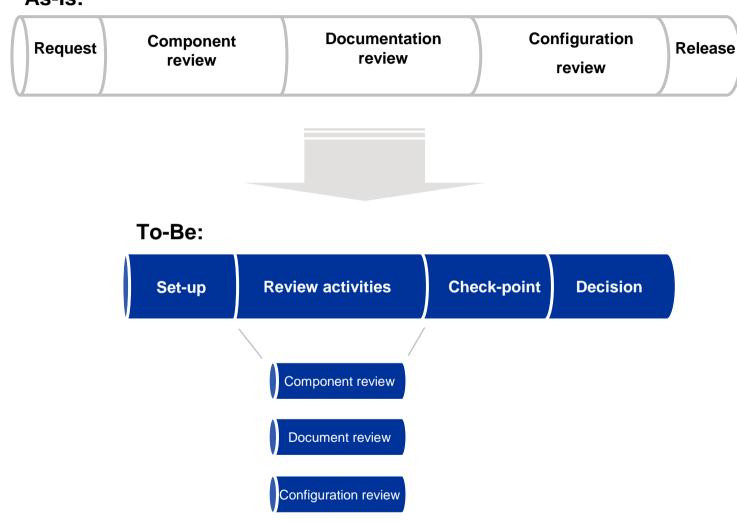
#### **Deliverables:**

- □ Review material
- □ Confirmed durability
- ☐ Confirmed component functionality
- Confirmed component compatibility with entire product

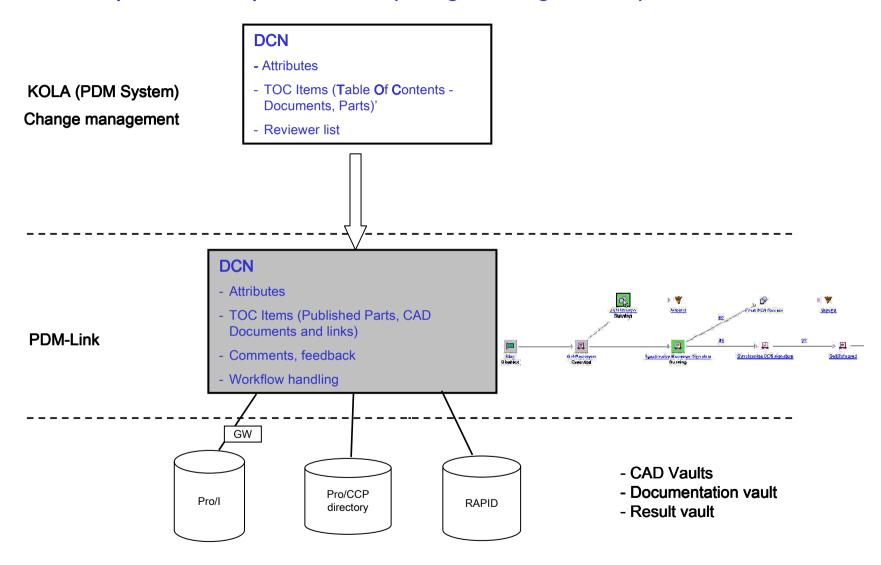
- Confirmed drawing quality
- ☐ Confirmed CAD-object
- □ Released CAD-object

- ☐ Confirmed product change
- Confirmed product configuration & diversity
- ☐ Released design
- ☐ Stored design

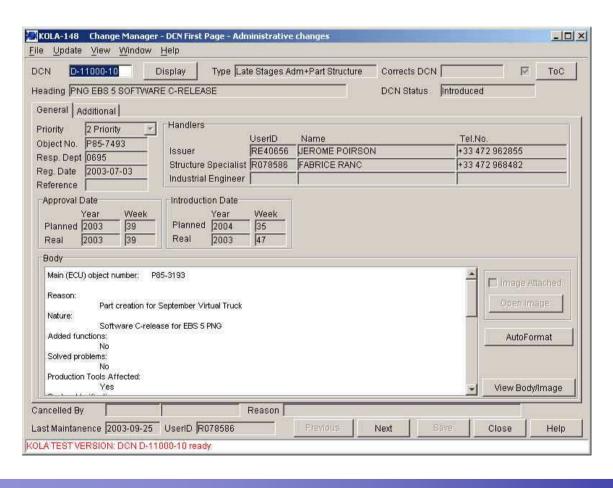
#### As-Is:



#### Process scope: DCN Representation (Design Change Notice)

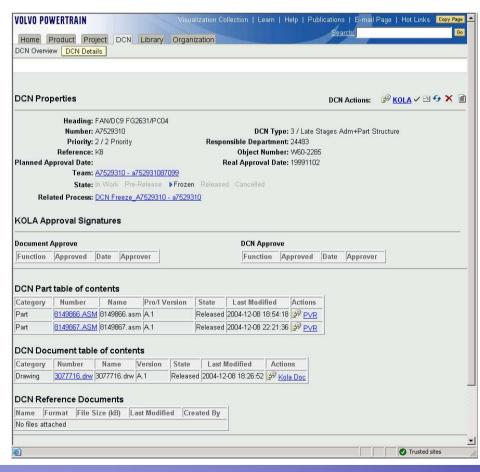




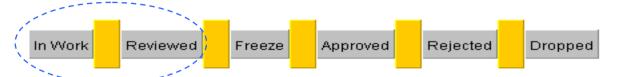


- All involved stakeholders are aware that a change is on its way.
- All can see what change is going on and what effects are.



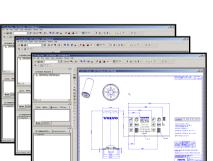


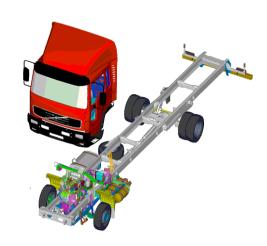
 A mirrored DCN are created in PDM-Link



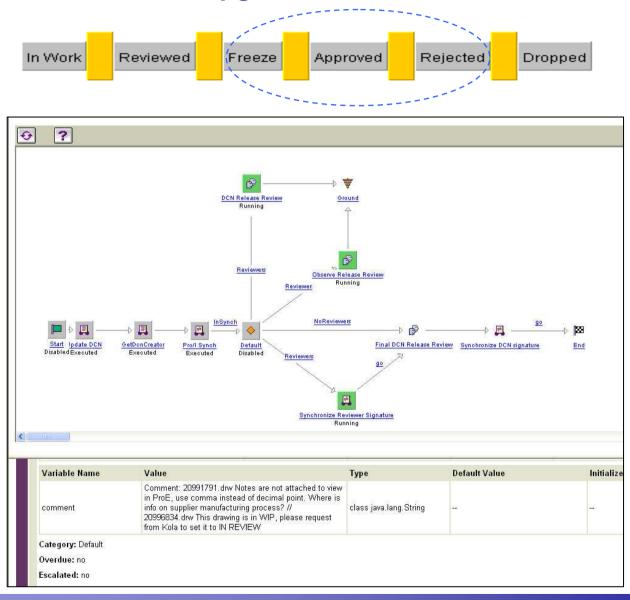










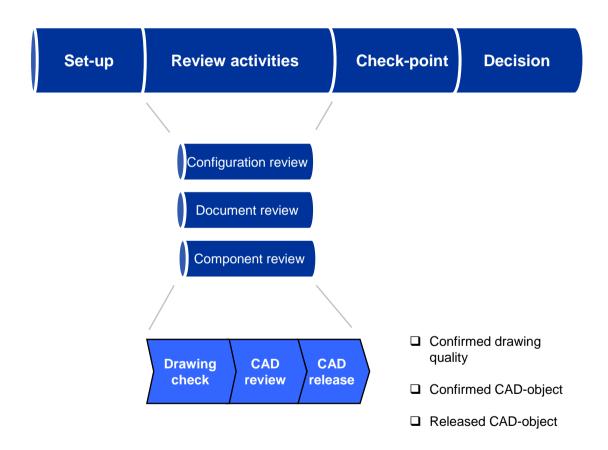


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### **Pro/CCP – Pro/Engineer CAD Check Program**

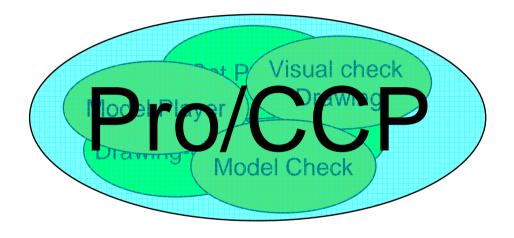


### **Pro/CCP – CAD Quality**

DDEL For more info see Modelling Guideline					
Can not recreate instance [NO].	ecreate instance [NO].		Pro/E		
Failed to regenerate component placement.	The component referring to geometry that is no longer present in the assembly	<b>Redefine</b> the constraints for the component	Pro/E		
[NO] incomplete. and [NO] supp. Feature (s) or component (s).	(s) or  Delete incomplete features or components, Resume suppressed features or components		ProCCP		

## **Overview Pro/CCP Solution**

 Today there are several tools/applications for checking cad -objects that helps the designer in his work before Release



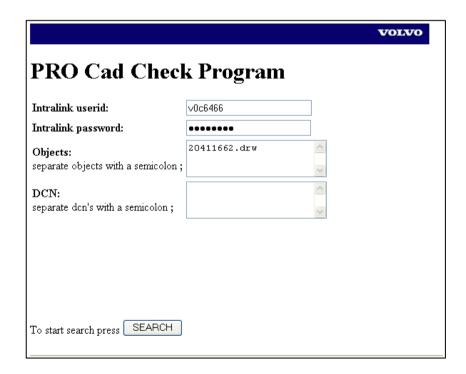


- Some actions are done manually
- Pro/CCP will gather these steps to one activity for the designer and release administrator
- Pro/CCP will produce a error log file presented on a web page.

# **Pro/CCP** web interface

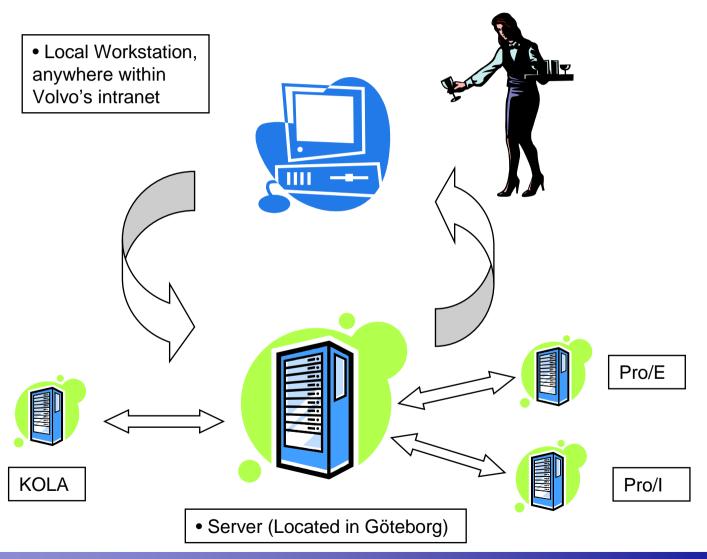
On the Pro/CCP web page fill in Id, object and Site location





 A complete breakdown of the object are performed and choose all non-released objects for testing.

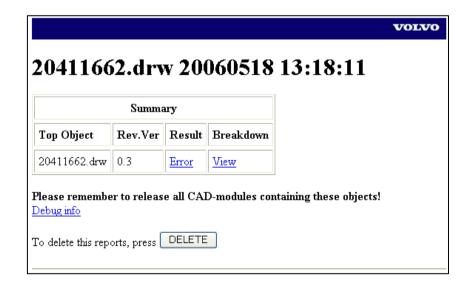
# **Pro/CCP Workflow**



## **Pro/CCP** web interface

After the batch process is finished a link to the Result summery will be sent to the users email





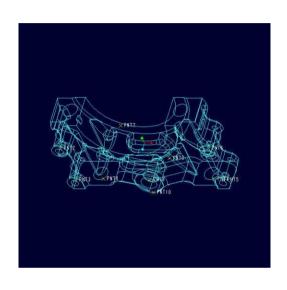
# **Pro/CCP Result page**

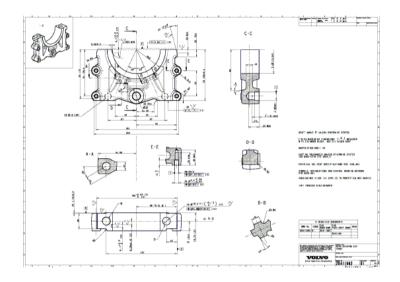
On the Result page the user can find information about Warnings and Errors

Check List							
Object	Info	Warning	Error				
20411661.prt	The designated parameters corresponds to KOLA	Original reference not found, using alternate. CUT is entirely outside the model, model unchanged.	1 suppressed feature(s) or component(s). (+) marked after model_player "As stored" revision version (0.3) not the same as "latest" revision version (1.0) Layer POINTS not blanked out Quilt 24798 is not on layer SURFACES as supposed				
20411662.drw	The designated parameters corresponds to KOLA		The geometry which serves as the origin of the partial view "new_view_8", on sheet 1, is missing.				

### **Useful Functions**

Visual check, Pro/CCP generates a link to a .jpeg for parts and a .cals files for drawings.





Help for Error messages

12	12	(+) marked after model_player	modified references and has not been completely	Execute Utilities > Model Player and solve any regeneration problems that might occur before sending the object into Commonspace.
	1.3	Parameter ISSUE (01) does not match KOLA data (00)	IITNA UKO/E ANIACT ANAC I	Update issue in KOLA and Pro/E object to correct values.

### **Effects from Pro/CCP**

- Reduce the amount of rejects and loops.
  - From ~75% to less then 10% in total & no second time loop. (UVT test)
- Provide a better tool for designers to check the drawing in a early stage of the design and give them more time for designing.
  - Time saved approx. 30 min/drawing
- Less interaction with different system tools.
- To have a better quality overall on cad objects.
- Same global check within Volvo PowerTrain.
- Reduced time for Release administrators.

# **Questions**



# Thank you for your attention!

