

1. What did Ansys announce today?

Ansys announced its acquisition of Thermal Desktop maker Cullimore and Ring Technologies, Inc. a/k/a C&R Technologies. The company's thermal-centric modeling software and expertise complements and extends the Ansys suite of 3D thermal and fluid flow simulation tools to provide more efficient and accurate design, analysis, and optimization of the thermal behavior of systems and networks of interacting components. The acquisition closed on November 1, 2022. Terms of the deal were not disclosed.

The integration will empower Ansys customers with improved fidelity throughout every stage of thermal system design and optimization for a host of applications – bolstering capabilities across Aerospace and Defense (A&D), the private space industry (NewSpace), and other industry verticals.

2. What does Thermal Desktop do?

Thermal Desktop is a leading system simulation suite for thermal model generation and management. The company boasts a rich set of features and capabilities for heat transfer analysis – which are most often, but not exclusively, used in the A&D sector for thermal analysis of space applications and satellites. Additionally, C&R Technologies has connections to and from 3D CAD, as well as structural and fluid dynamics software—providing modules for radiation and environmental heating as well as integrated thermohydraulic network modeling.

3. Why is this significant?

Thermal Desktop is the standard tool for thermal analysis of space applications and satellites. The acquisition further positions Ansys as the leading simulation solution for NewSpace and all things satellites. From outer space to the deep sea, the design of many engineering systems requires a thorough understanding of their thermal behavior for a huge range of environmental conditions, often involving numerous components and their interactions, and accounting for transient situations such as start-up and shutdown, and any number operational or mission scenarios. C&R Technologies thermal-centric modeling approach provides fast and effective system-level simulation capabilities to meet this need, and can be used in combination with Ansys physics solvers to give customers the fidelity required in every stage of their thermal system design and optimization.

4. Did Ansys have a prior relationship with C&R Technologies?

Yes. Prior to acquisition, C&R Technologies and Ansys have collaborated in multiple ways to support customers' ability to combine the capabilities of C&R Technologies' focus on system-level thermal modeling with the Ansys family of multiphysics analysis software. This includes the ability to use Ansys SpaceClaim with Thermal Desktop to take advantage of SpaceClaim's strengths to prepare CAD models for thermal analysis, mapping of loads for

thermoelastic simulation in Ansys Mechanical, and coupling with detailed flow simulations using Ansys Fluent. Bringing together C&R Technologies and Ansys will strengthen these connections and further enhance customers' ability to combine the advantages of both.

5. Where is C&R Technologies based?

C&R Technologies is based in the Boulder, CO area.

6. How many people does C&R Technologies employ?

Approximately 12.

7. How will C&R Technologies fit into the overall structure at Ansys?

The C&R Technologies development team will be integrated into Ansys' existing product development organization. As with past acquisitions, leaders from both companies will work collaboratively to plan and carry out integration activities, leveraging each individual company's strengths for the benefit of the combined organization.

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