

# SystemC and SystemC AMS Advanced Modelling in COSIDE®

## What is COSIDE®?

The electronic system level tool **COSIDE®** is the first commercial available environment fully supporting the SystemC & SystemC AMS language standards. COSIDE® enables overall system modeling and simulation for analog and digital as well as for hard- and software.

## What is SystemC / SystemC AMS?

The language **SystemC** has been developed to support system level design. It is applied for system-level modeling, architectural exploration, performance modeling, software development and functional verification.

Its analog extension **SystemC AMS** enables designers to model and simulate particularly complex heterogeneous systems for digital as well as for analog applications. SystemC and SystemC AMS in combination with C/C++ are typically used to model systems that have both hardware and software content.

## What will you learn?

After completion of this training you know how to make complex system-level models in COSIDE® by using advanced programming skills. During the training you will gain deep knowledge about the different modelling capabilities and principles of the modelling language C / C++ / SystemC and its analog extension SystemC AMS.

You gain the ability to write and execute complex models in COSIDE® as well as to debug and analyze them. You become familiar with the analysis, debug, and introspection features of modelling and design environment COSIDE®. You understand how to apply those principles to real world modelling and simulation problems and how to make best use of COSIDE® and the SystemC AMS simulator to debug and validate your models.

## Who should attend?

- Hardware design-, concept-, system-, verification- engineers who are dealing with complex analog and digital systems, have basic knowledge with COSIDE® and wish to further deepen their skills in the practical use of COSIDE® & SystemC / SystemC AMS
- Embedded software engineers who already have a basic knowledge of C/C++ and who like to extend their knowledge in the direction of hardware modelling

## Training Agenda

*This agenda is to be seen as a proposal of the potential range of content. We will provide tailored COSIDE® as well as SystemC / SystemC AMS training tuned to your specific needs and according to your previous knowledge. Our training contains a significant individual part, which will be customized to fit the content, scope and duration needed to best-fit your specific requirements. We are also open to discuss your own project examples within our exercises to provide a specific recommendation for your current project challenge.*

### 1st Day

#### **Short (re-)introduction of SystemC and COSIDE®**

- Introduction
- Recap of SystemC Modelling in COSIDE®

#### **C++ Object Oriented Programming (accompanied with Lab)**

- Basics: Classes, Functions, Operators
- Polymorphism
- Templates
- Exception handling
- Using external libraries

### 2nd Day

#### **In-depth SystemC Modelling (accompanied with Lab)**

- Introduction
- Virtual platforms using TLM 2.0
- Fault injection
- Regression test setup

### 3rd Day

#### **In-depth SystemC AMS Modelling (accompanied with Lab)**

- Introduction
- Piece-Wise-Linear
- AC-Simulation
- Multi-Domain simulation
- Dynamic TDF and multi rate systems

### 4th Day

#### **Advances Modelling Features in COSIDE® (accompanied with Lab)**

- Creating own model libraries
- Architecture switching
- COSIDE® simulator coupling (focused on Cadence target)
- Performance analysis
- Discussion of current user problems

## Software Used in This Course

COSIDE® 2.2 - The Design Environment for Heterogeneous Systems

## Training Materials

Our comprehensive and user friendly training materials are included within the training fees.

## Duration and Place

The duration of the trainings will be 4 days. The training will take place at your side or at our training center in Dresden, Germany.

## Prerequisites

- Basic knowledge modelling and simulation
- Basic knowledge of one Hardware description language
- Basic knowledge C and/or C++
- Basic knowledge of COSIDE®

## Offered Languages

English, German

## Training Prices

Prices are on request

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