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<b>GENERAL SOLVER CAPABILITIES</b>								
Comprehensive Inlet and Outlet Conditions								
Steady-State Flow	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Transient Flow	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
2-D and 3-D Flow	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Time Dependent Boundary Conditions	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Customizable Materials Library	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Granta Materials Data for Simulation	■ <sup>7</sup>	■ <sup>7</sup>	■ <sup>7</sup>	■ <sup>7</sup>	■ <sup>7</sup>	■ <sup>7</sup>	■ <sup>7</sup>	■ <sup>7</sup>
Fan Model	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Periodic Domains	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Flow-Driven Solid Motion (6DOF)	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Pressure-Based Coupled Solver	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Density-Based Coupled Solver	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Dynamic/Moving-Deforming Mesh	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Ovsets Mesh	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Immersed-Solid/MST Method for Moving Parts	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Automatic On-the-fly Mesh Generation with Dynamic Refinement	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Dynamic Solution-Adaptive Mesh Refinement	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Polyhedral Unstructured Solution-Adaptive Mesh Refinement	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
<b>SINGLE PHASE, NON-REACTING FLOWS</b>								
Incompressible Flow	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Compressible Flow	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Porous Media	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Non-Newtonian Viscosity	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Turbulence -Isotropic	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Turbulence -Anisotropic (RSM)	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●

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Turbulence - Unsteady (LES/SAS/DES)	●		●			●	
Turbulence - Laminar/Turbulent Transition	●	●	●		●		
Flow Pathlines (Massless)	●	●	●	●	●		
Acoustics (Source Expert)	●	●	●	●	●		
Acoustics (Noise Prediction)	●	▲					
<b>HEAT TRANSFER</b>							
Natural Convection	●	●	●	●	●		
Conduction & Conjugate Heat Transfer	●	●	●	●	●		
Shell Conduction (Including Multi-Layer Model)	●	●	●	●	●		
Internal Radiation - Participating Media	●	●	●	●	●		
Internal Radiation - Transparent Media	●	●	●	●	●		
External Radiation	●	●	●	●	●		
Solare Radiation & Load	●	●	●	●	●		
Simplified Heat Exchange Model	●	●	●	●	●		
Non-Equilibrium Thermal Model	●	●	●	●	●		
Porous Media	●						
<b>PARTICLES FLOWS (MULTIPHASE)</b>							
Coupled Discrete Phase Modeling including Thin Wall Films				▲	▲		
Macroscopic Particle Model							
Inert Particle Tracking (with Mass)				●	●		
Liquid Droplet (including Evaporation)				▲	●		
Combusting Particles				●	●		
Multicomponent Droplets				●	●		
Discrete Element Model (DEM)				●	●		
Break-Up and Coalescence				▲	●		
Erosion				●	●		

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<b>FREE SURFACE FLOWS (MULTIPHASE)</b>							
Implicit VOF	●				●		
Explicit VOF		●			●		
Coupled Level Set/VOF					●		
Complex Multiphase Regime Transitions (AIAD and GENTOP Model)	●						
VOF to DPM Spray Model	●	●					
DPM to VOF Model	●	●					
Open Channel Flow and Wave	●	●					
Surface Tension		●			●		
Phase Change		●		●			
Cavitation		●		●			
Cavitation Where Multiple Fluids and Non-Condensing Gases are Present		●		●			
<b>DISPERSED MULTIPHASE FLOWS (MULTIPHASE)</b>							
Mixture Fraction	●						
Eulerian Model including Thin Wall Films	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Bolling Model	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Surface Tension		●	●	●	●	●	●
Phase Change		●	●	●	●	●	●
Drag and Lift							
Wall Lubrication							
Heat and Mass Transfer							
Population Balance							
Reactions Between Phases							
Granular Model for Dense Bed of Solids							
Dense Particulate Coupling (DDPM)							

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Species Transport		●		●	●	●	
Non-Premixed Combustion		●	●	●	●		
Premixed Combustion		●	●	●	●		
Partially Premixed Combustion		●	●	●	●		
Composition PDF Transport		●	●	●	●		
Finite Rate Chemistry		●	●	●	●		
Pollutants and Soot Modeling		●					
Sparse Chemistry Solver with Dynamic Cell Clustering and Dynamic Adaptive Chemistry							
Ability to Use Model Fuel Library Mechanisms							
Flame-speed from Fuel-Component Library							
DPLK Spark-Ignition Model							
Flame-Propagation Using Level-Set Method (C-Equation)							
Internal Combustion Engine Specific Solution					●		
0-D/1-D/2-D Reactor Models and Reactor Networks					●		
Plasma Reactions					●		
Comprehensive Surface-Kinetics					●		
Chemical and Phase Equilibrium					●		
Flamelet Table Generation					●		
Flamespeed and Ignition Table Generation					●		
Reaction Sensitivity, Uncertainty and Path Analysis					●		
Surrogate Blend Formulation and Optimization					●		
Mechanism Reduction					●		
Detailed Electrochemistry Model for Li-ion Batteries					●		

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<b>TURBOMACHINERY</b>							
MRF/Frozen-Rotor	●	●	●				
Sliding-Mesh/Stage		●	●				
Transient Blade Row			●				
Pitch Change		●					
Time Transformation			●				
Fourier Transformation			●				
Harmonic Analysis			●				
Blade Flutter Analysis			●				
Performance Maps			●				
<b>IN-FLIGHT ICING</b>							
Simulation of Standard Droplets, SLD and Ice Crystals		●					
Inclusion of Vapor/Humidity Effects on Icing		●					
Icing Environments of Appendices C, O (SLD) and D (Ice Crystals)		●					
Various Pre-Defined Droplet Size Distributions		●					
Simulation of Rime, Glaze and Mixed Icing		●					
Single and Multi-Shot Icing Simulations with Mesh Deformation for Prediction of Ice Accretion and Aerodynamic Performance Degradation		●					
Conjugate Heat Transfer (CHT) for Anti and De-Icing Simulations			■				
Ice Cracking					▲		
Ice Shredding					●		
<b>OPTIMIZATION</b>							
Parameters				●	■		
Design Point Studies				●	■		
Correlation Analysis				●	■		
Design of Experiments				●	■		

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Sensitivity Analysis		●		●		●	
Goal Drive Optimization		●		●	●		
Six Sigma Analysis		●		●	●		
Adjoint Solver for Shape Optimization		●					
Adjoint Solver Supports Rotating Reference Frames and Conjugate Heat Transfer		●					
Mult-Objective Constrained Optimization		●		●			
Mesh Morphing (RBF Morph)			■				
<b>HIGH RHEOLOGY MATERIAL</b>							
Viscoelasticity		●		●	●		
Specialty Extrusion Models							
Specialty Blow Molding Models							
Specialty Fiber Spinning Models							
<b>HPC - FLUIDS</b>							
Parallel Solving on Local PC Option		●		●	●		
Parallel Solving over Network Option		●		●	●		
Parallel Solving over Cloud launched from Desktop				●	●		
GPU Support				●	●		
Parallel Mesh Generation							
<b>PRE AND POST PROCESSING</b>							
Compare Multiple Runs, Datasets, Physics, Graphs in a Single Window					●		
Simulation Reports					●		
Advanced, Automated Data Exchange					●		
Accurate Data Interpolation between Dissimilar Meshes					●		

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<b>MULTIPHYSICS</b>								
Drag-n-Drop Multiphysics				●				
Direct Coupling Between Physics		●	●					
Collaborative Workflows		●	●					
Fully Managed Co-Simulation		●	●	●				
Flexible Solver Coupling Options		●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Functional Mock Up Unit (FMU) Coupling		●	●	■	■			
Force Induced Motion/Deformation		●	■	■				
Fluid Thermal Deformation		●	●	●				
<b>FLUID-STRUCTURE INTERACTION</b>								
Intrinsic FSI			●					
Thermo-elasticity								
Convection Cooled Electronics			●	●				
Conduction Cooled Electronics			●	●				
<b>ELECTRO-THERMAL INTERACTION</b>								
High Frequency Thermal Management			●	●	●			
Electromechanical Thermal Management			●	●	●			
Aero-Vibro Acoustics								
Acoustic-Structural				●				
<b>OTHER COUPLED INTERACTIONS</b>								
Fluid Magnetohydrodynamics					●			
Support ACT Simulation Apps					●			
Mosaic-Enabled Meshing Technology								
<b>EASE OF USE AND PRODUCTIVITY</b>								
Task-Based Workflow - Watertight Geometries					●	●		
Task-Based Workflow - Fault Tolerant Geometries					●	●		
Directly Enter Expressions					●	●		
Parallel Solving with Ansys Cloud Launched from Desktop					●	●		
Parallel Solving with Ansys Cloud Launched from VDI					●	●		

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