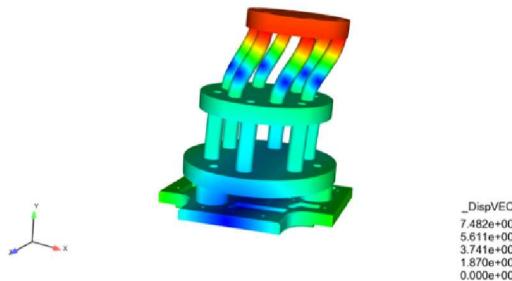
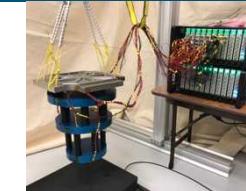
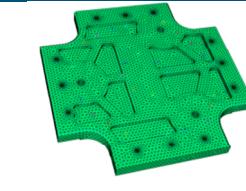
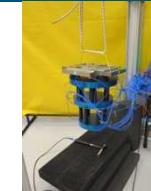
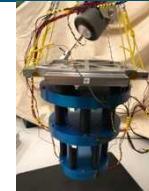
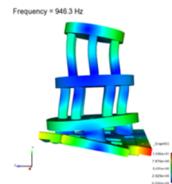


Modal Validation Experiment (Wedding Cake)



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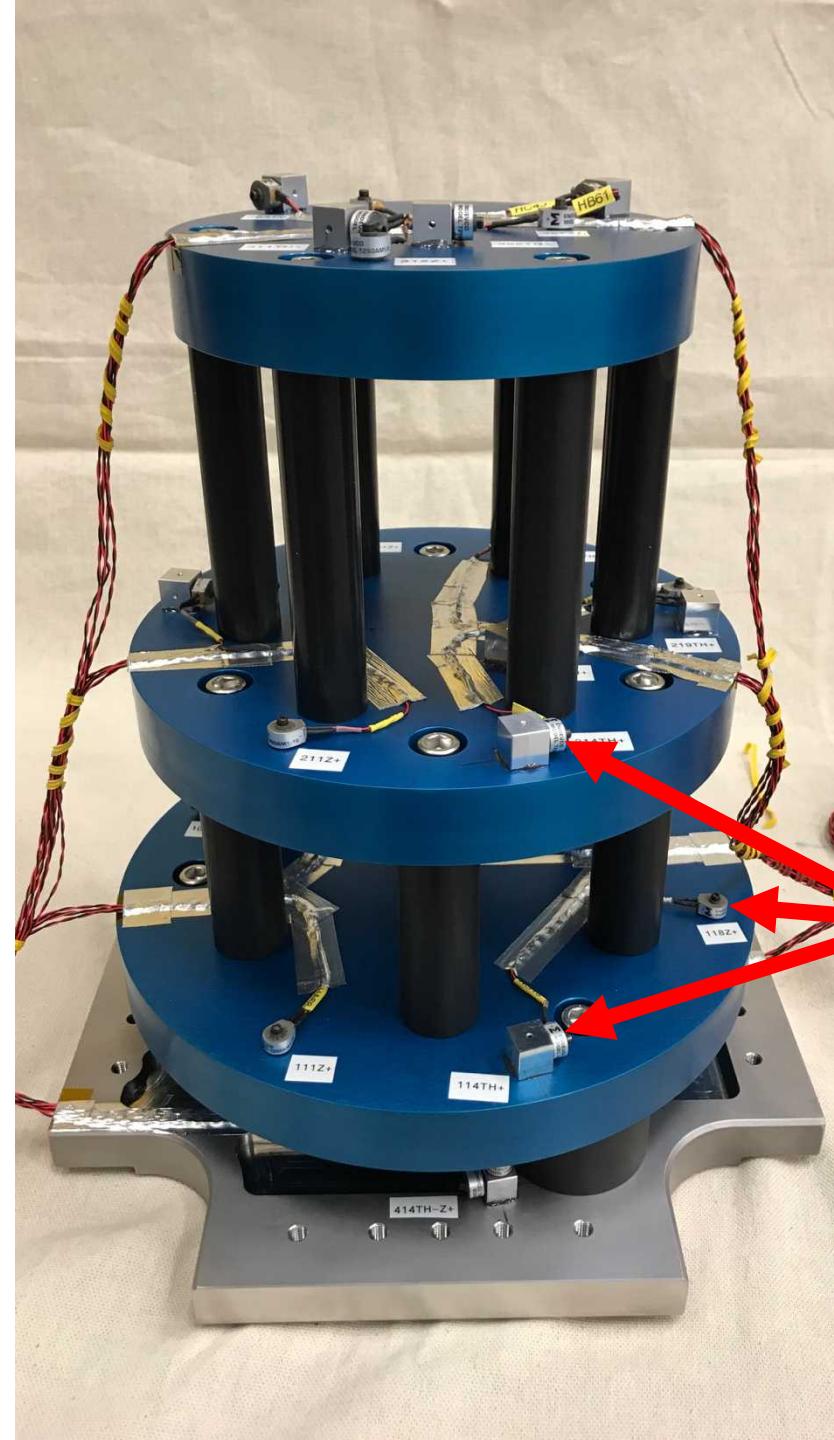
Motivation

What we are trying to do:

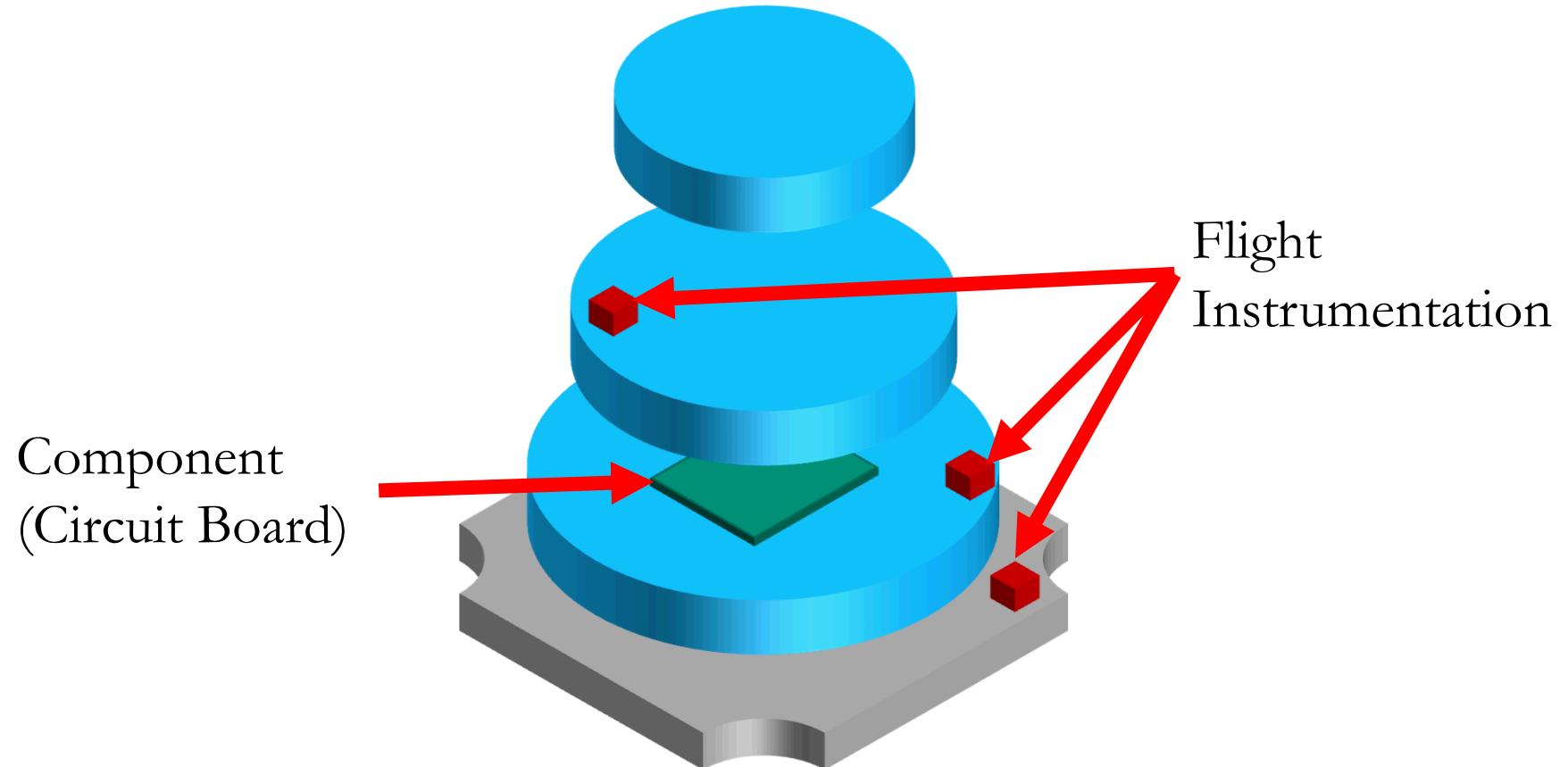
- Prediction of flight environment responses at un-instrumented locations

Why is this important?:

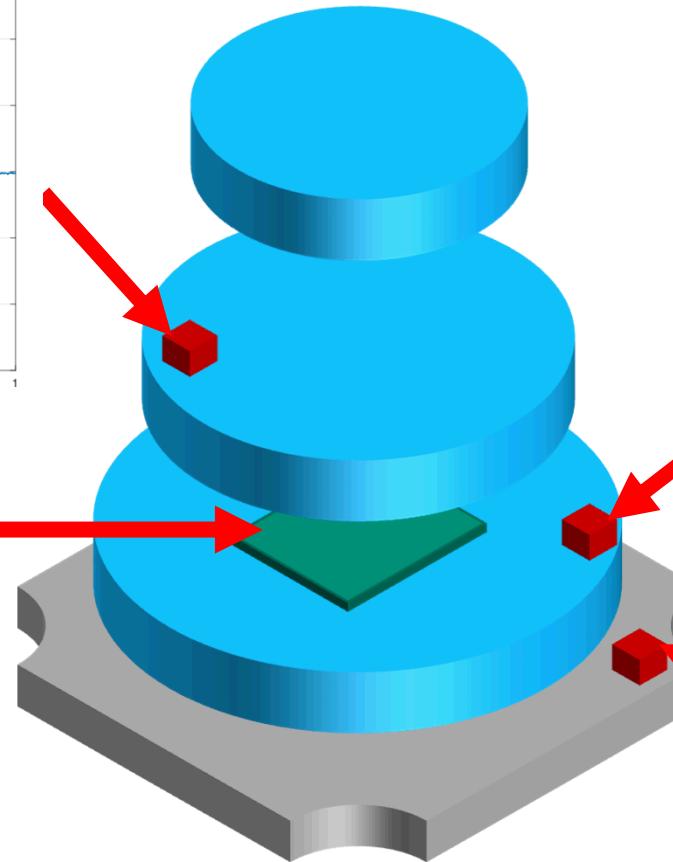
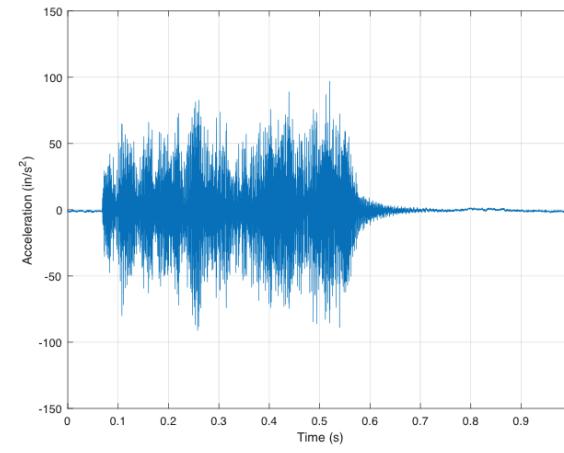
- Telemetry data is typically sparse (location and direction)
- Reduce environment uncertainty
- Over/under-designing of components
- Over/under testing of components



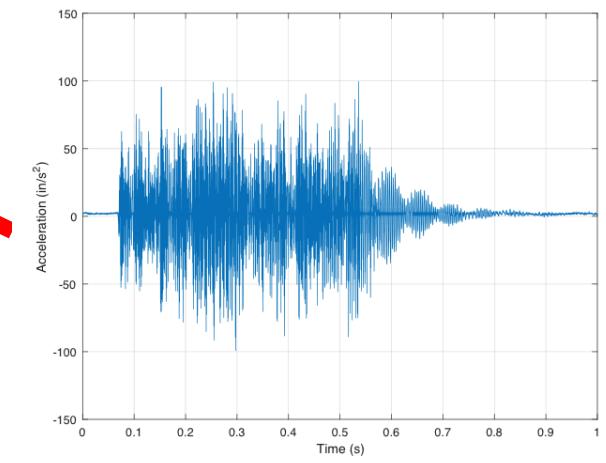
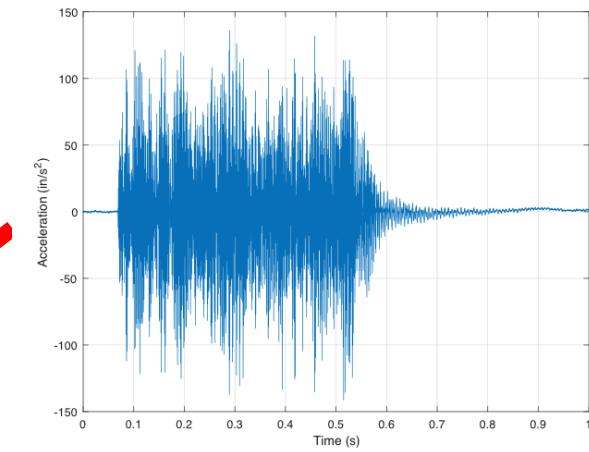
Sparse
Measurement
Locations

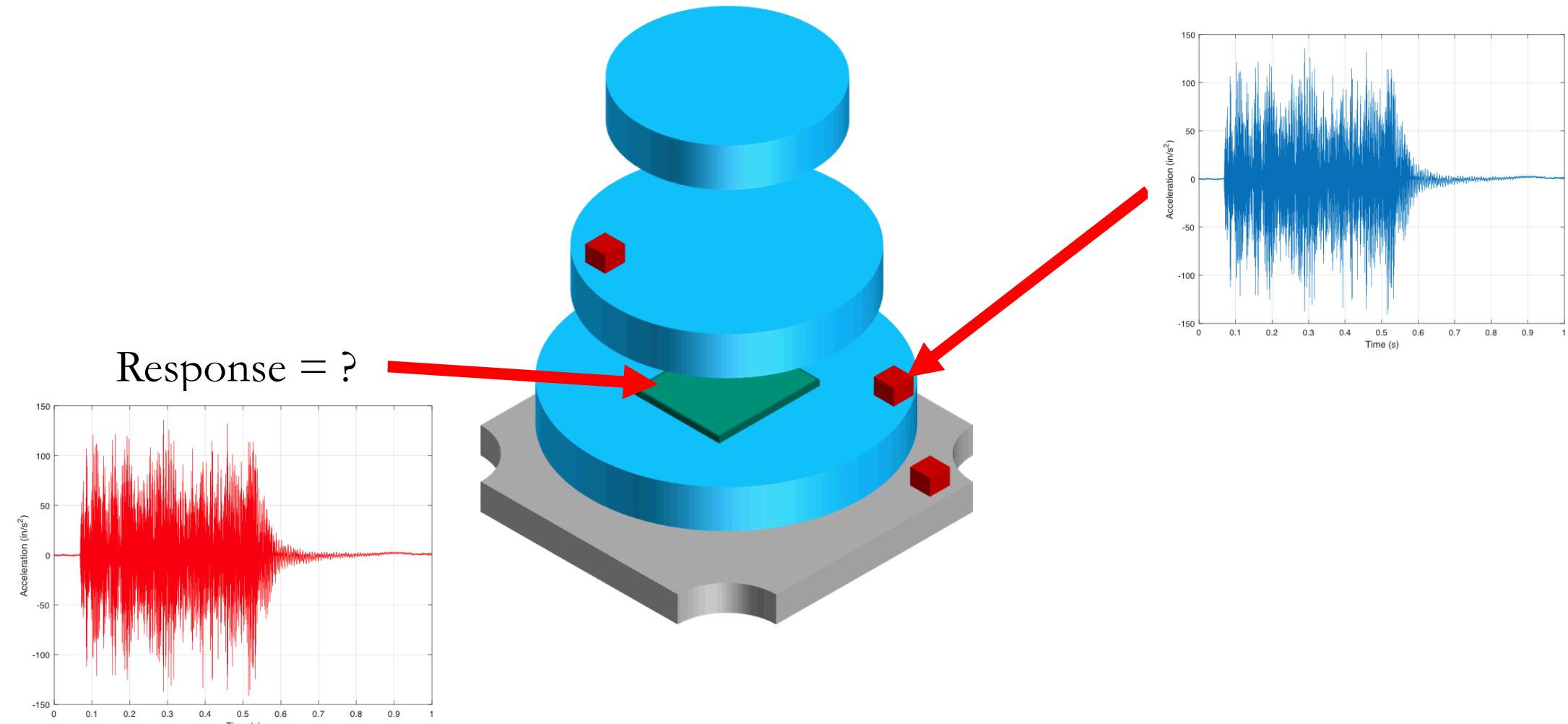


Motivation



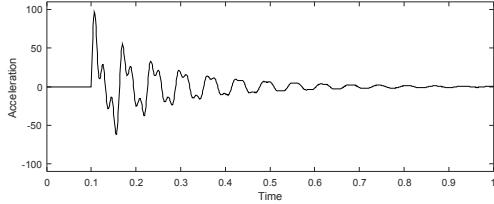
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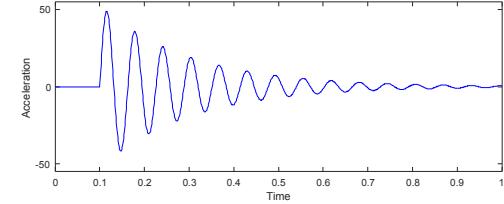


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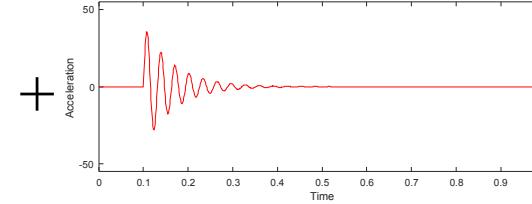


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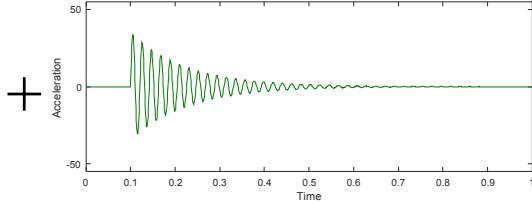
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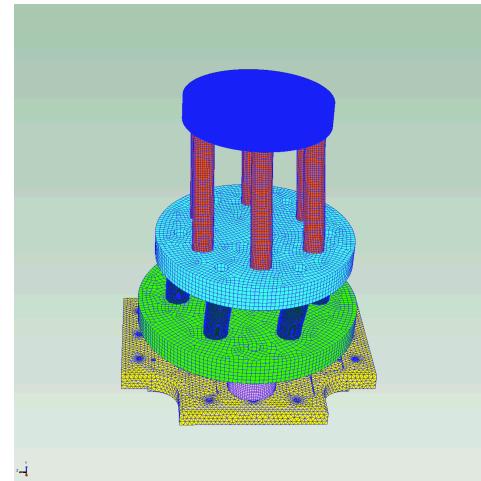
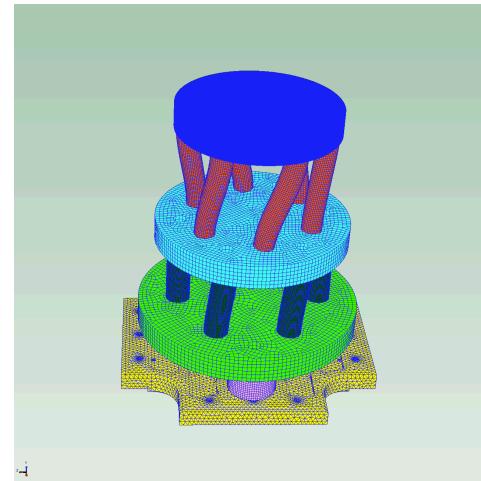
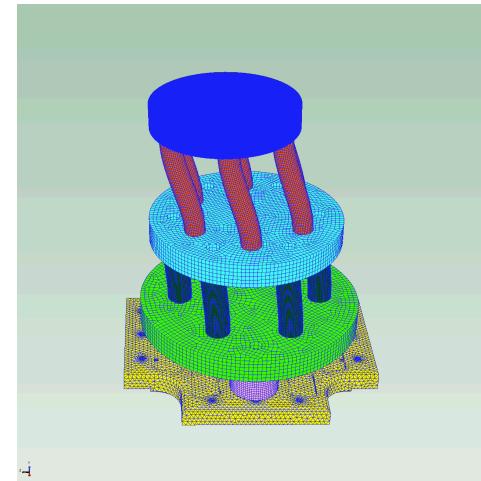
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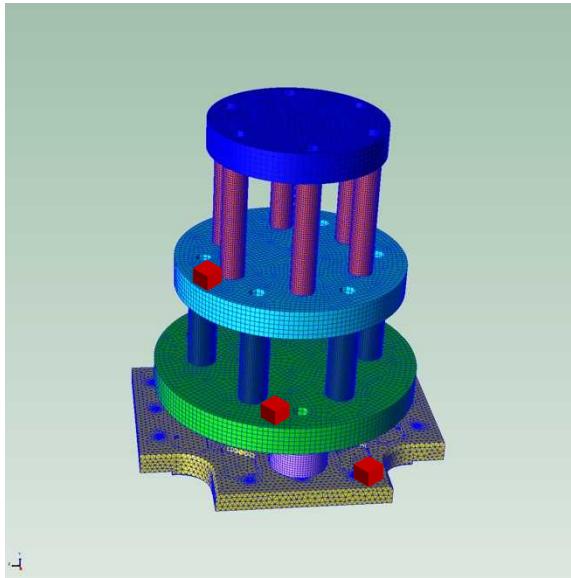
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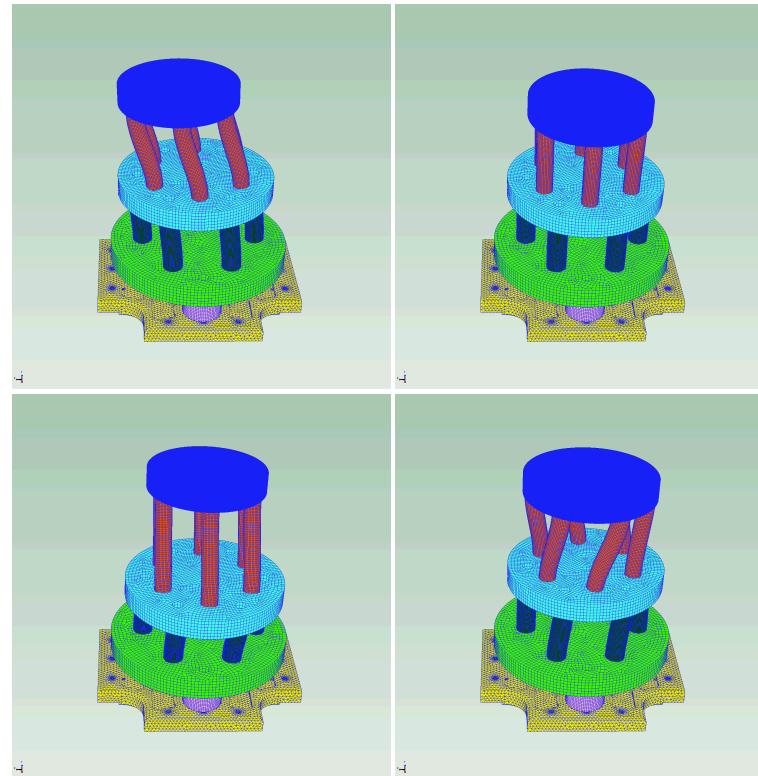
Modal Superposition

Approach

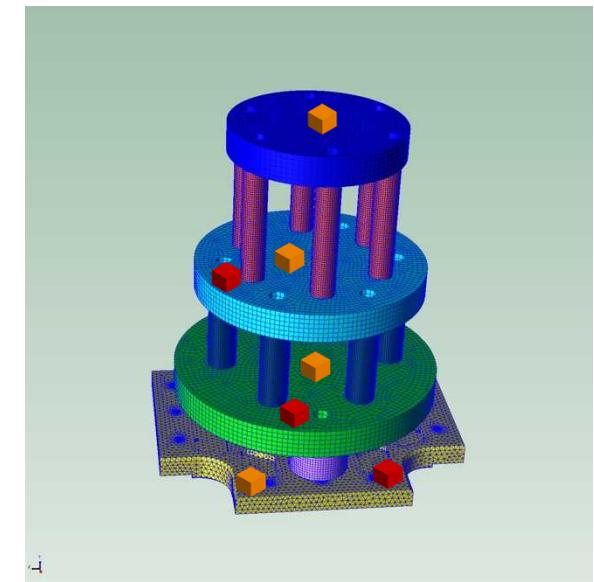
Response at
Measured Locations



Modal
Response
(From FEM)



Response at
Unmeasured Locations
(Virtual Accelerometers)

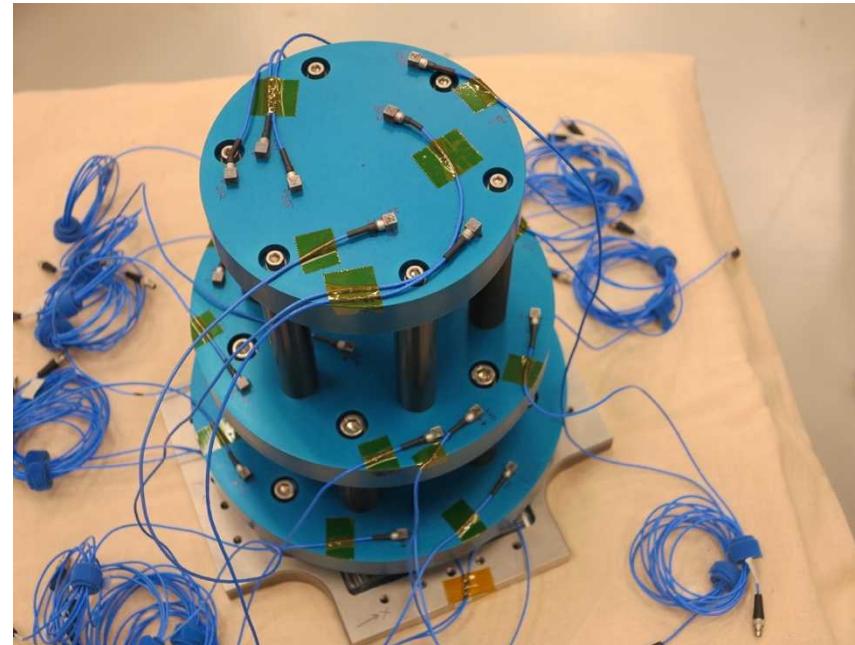
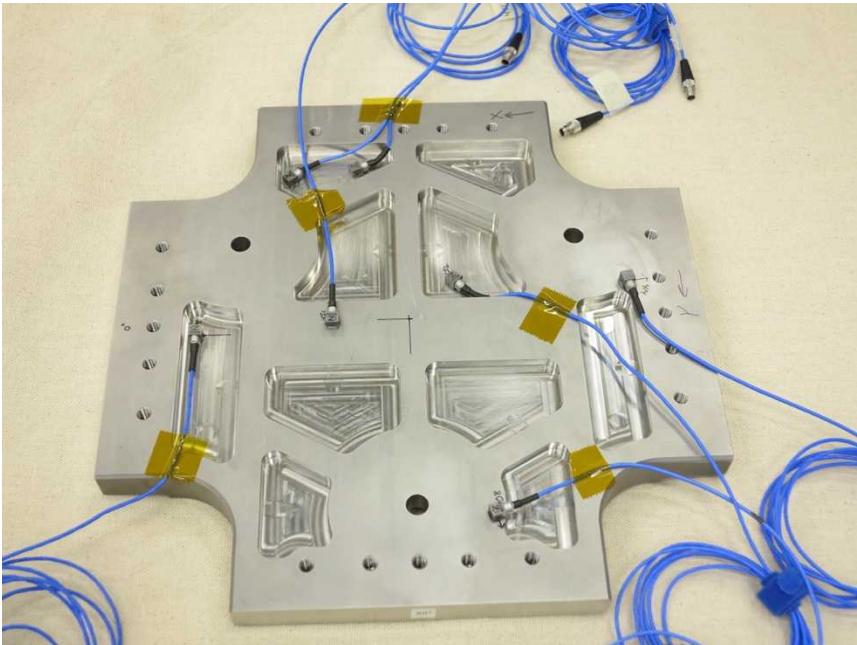
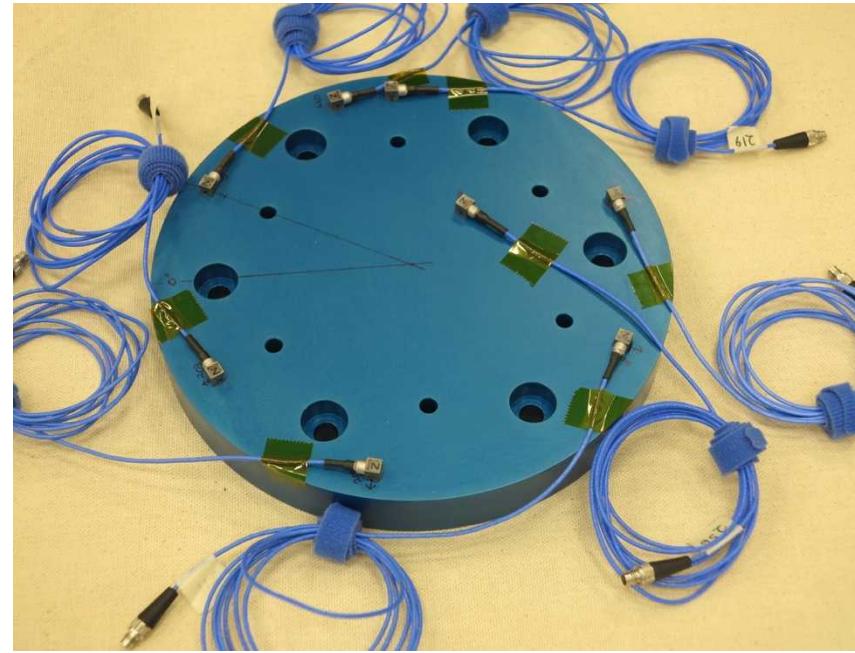


- ◆ Measurement Location
- ◆ Predicted Response Location

9 | Hardware Selection

Design Criteria:

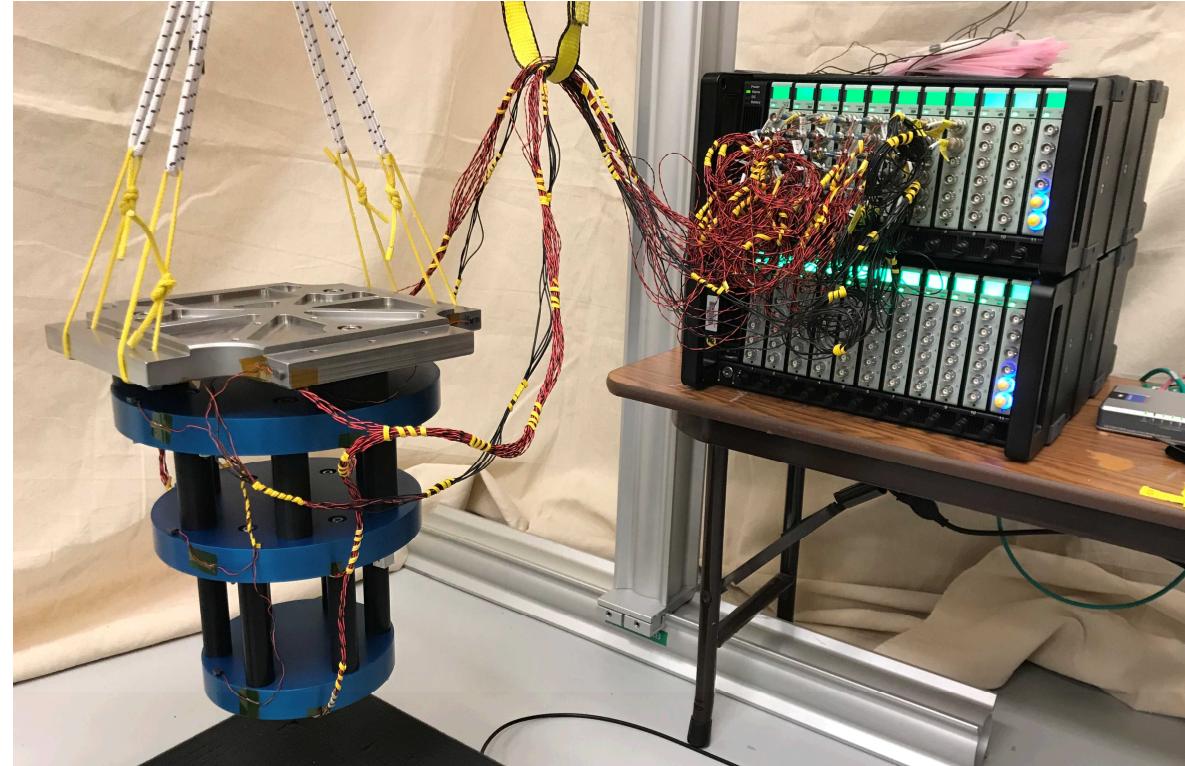
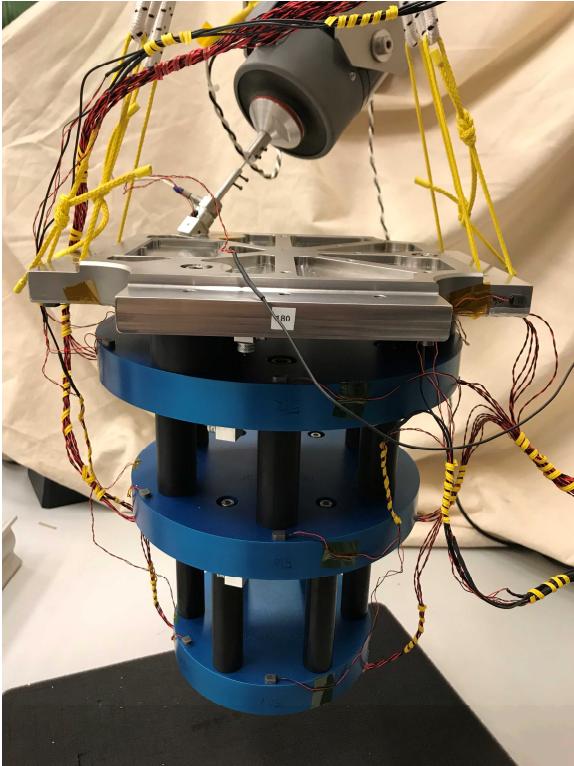
- Active modes in excitation bandwidth
- Linear response
- Durable
- Reasonable amount of damping
- Easy to build and test





We need good mode shapes for unmeasured locations

- Can come from experimental or Finite Element Model
- Require all modes active within excitation bandwidth

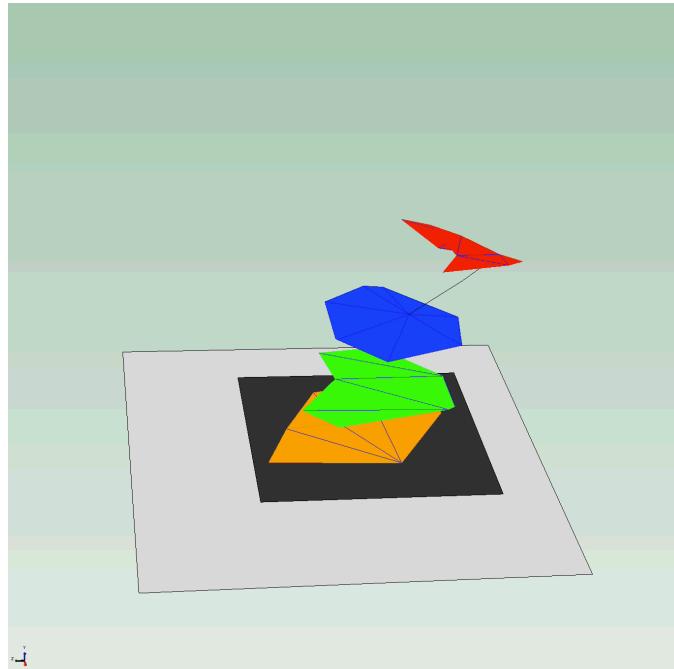




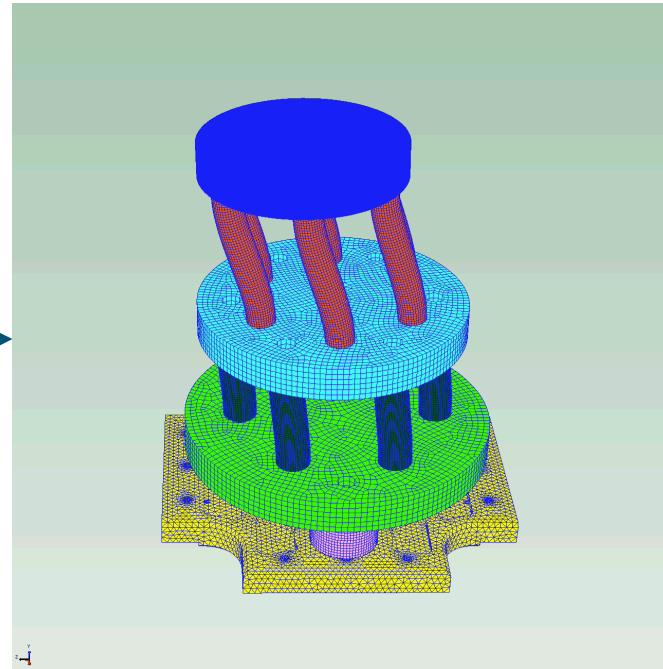
Finite Element Model Correlation

- Modal Impact Testing/Shaker Testing
- Mode Extraction
- Finite Element Model Updating

Experimental Model



Finite Element Model

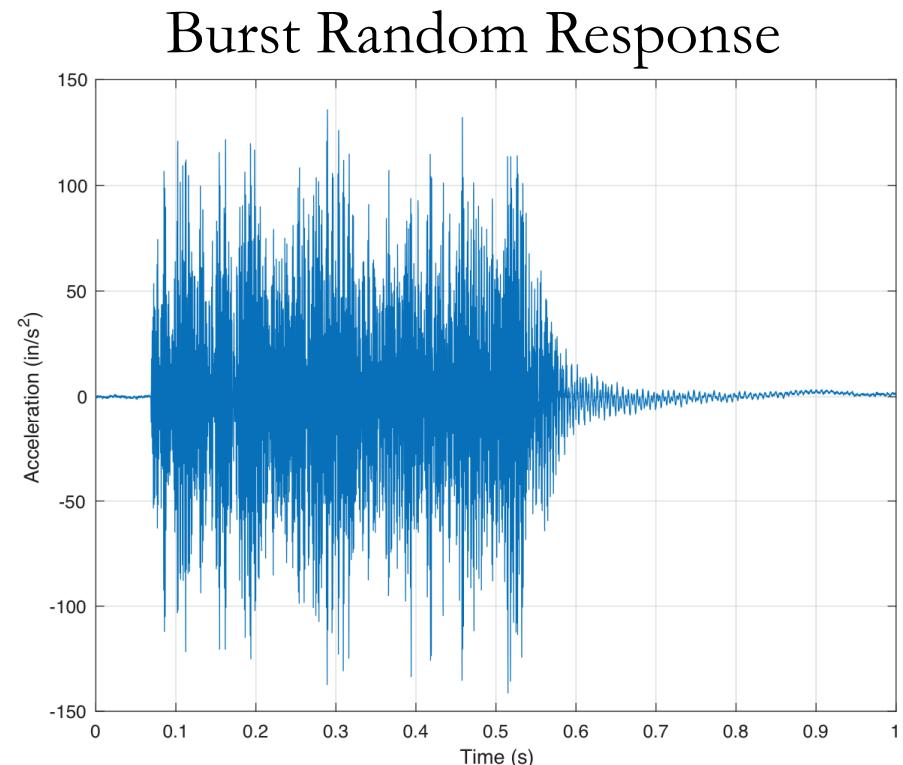
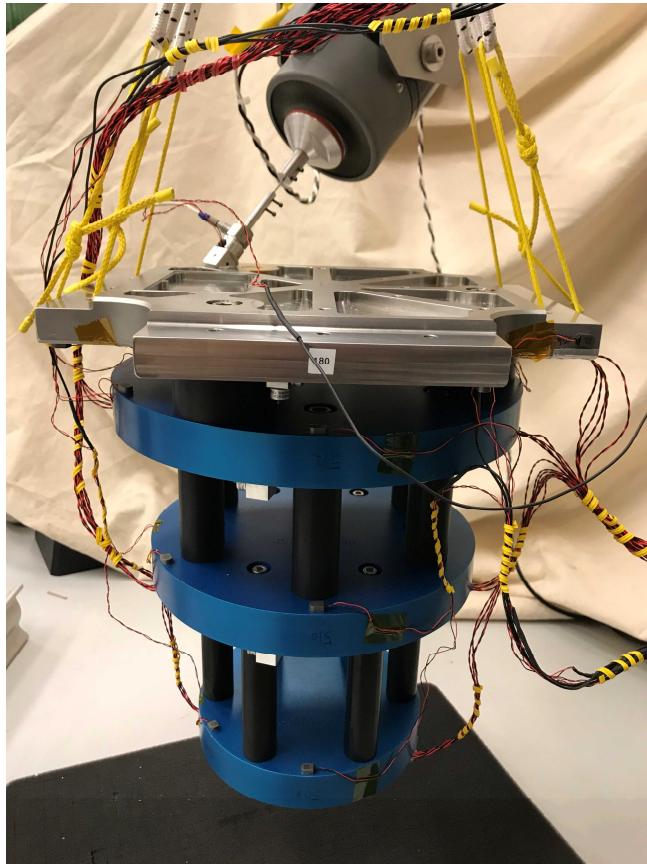


Compare
Update FEM



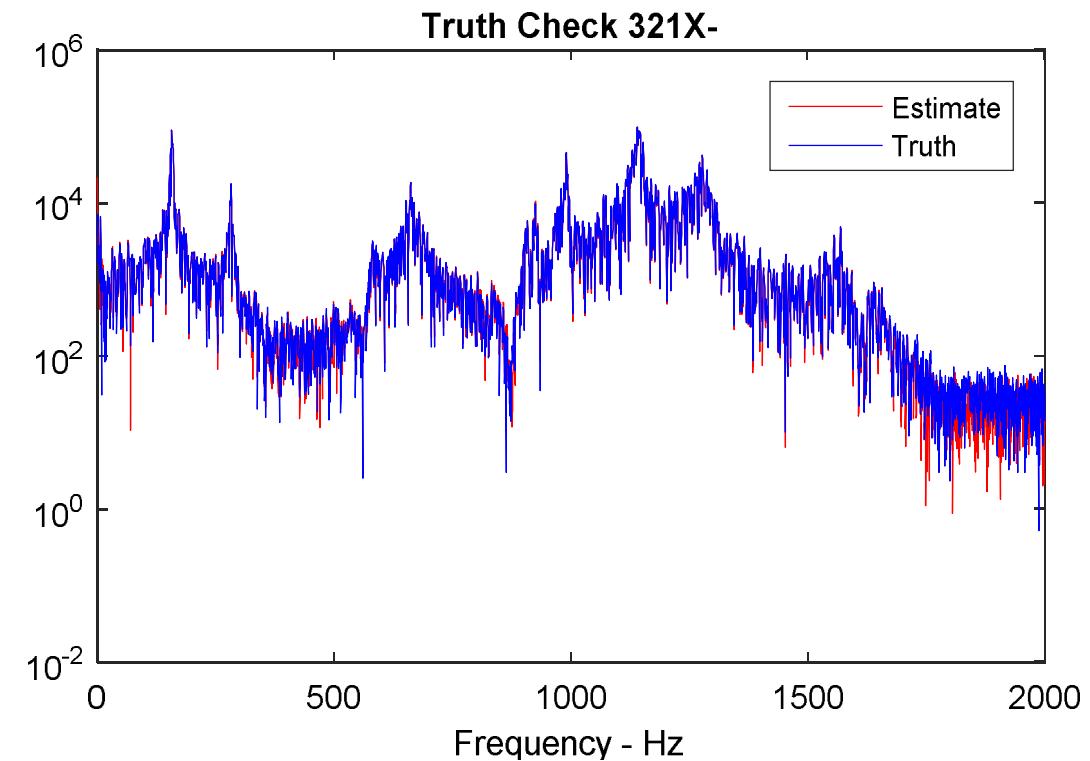
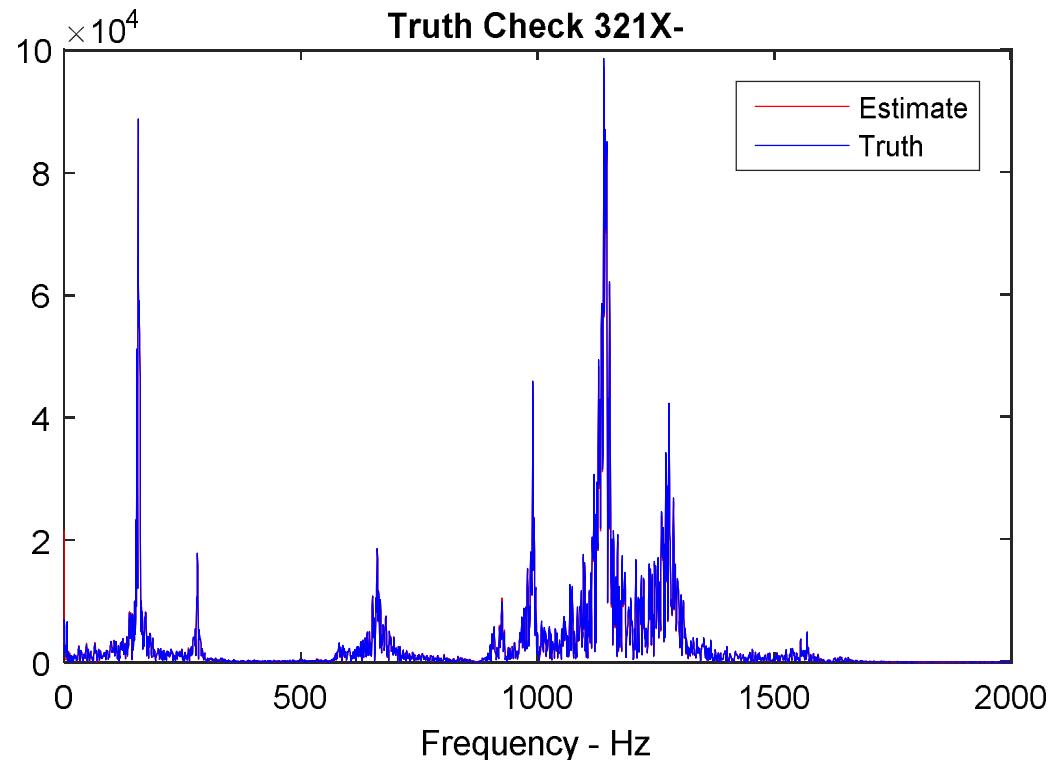
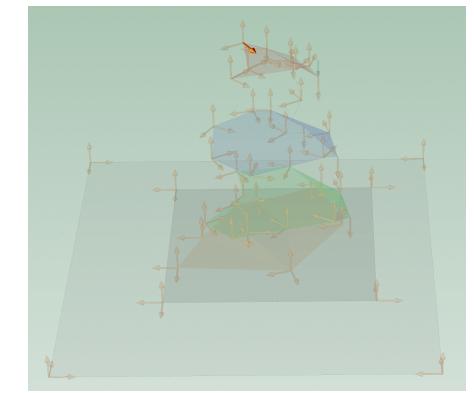
Response Prediction at Unmeasured Locations

- Shaker used to create “pseudo environmental data”



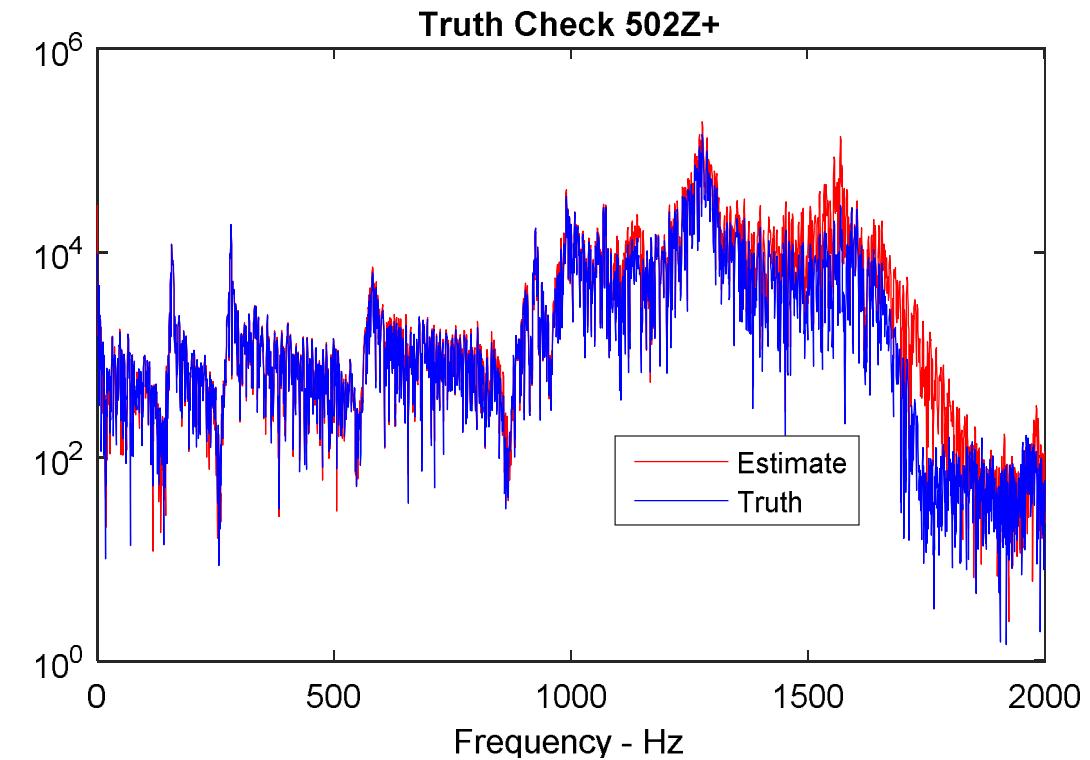
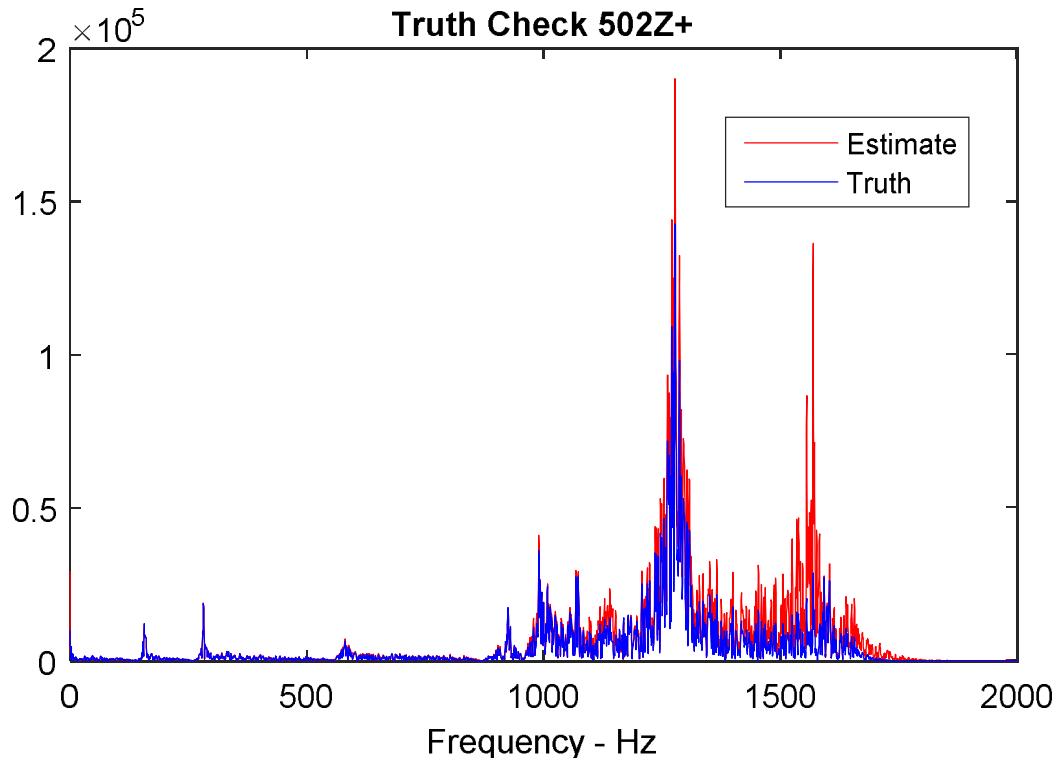
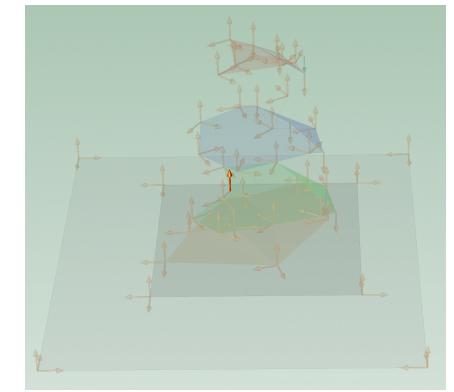
Results

Response Prediction at Unmeasured Locations
(That we actually measured)



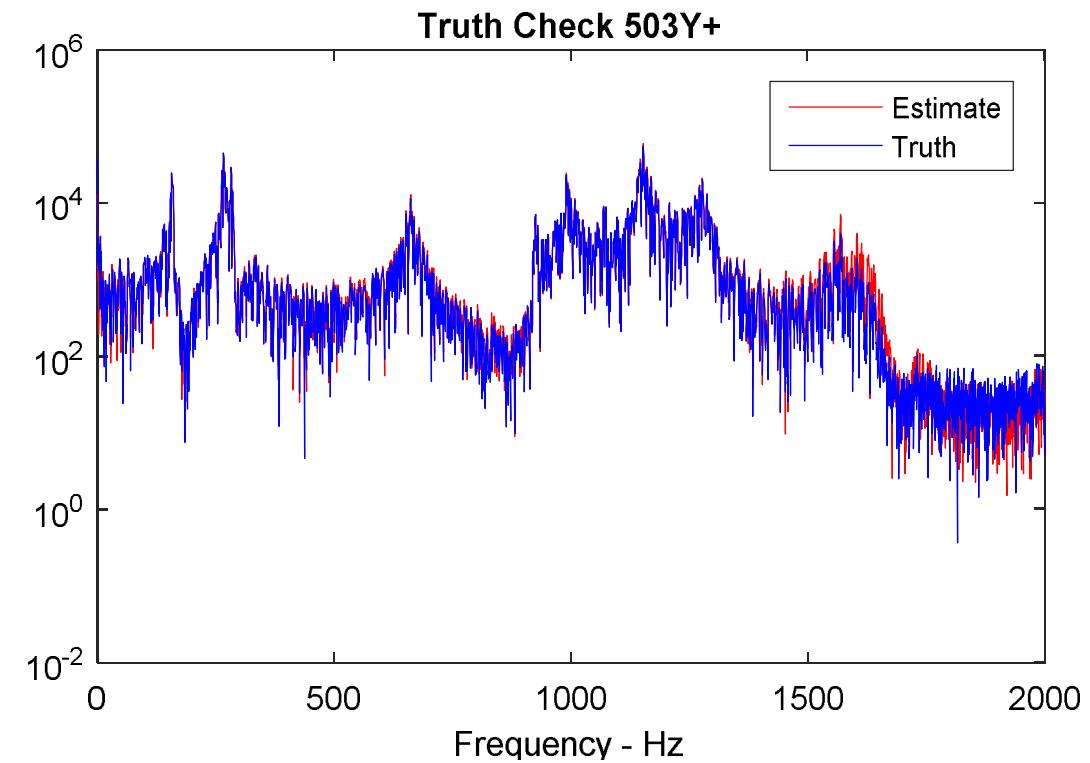
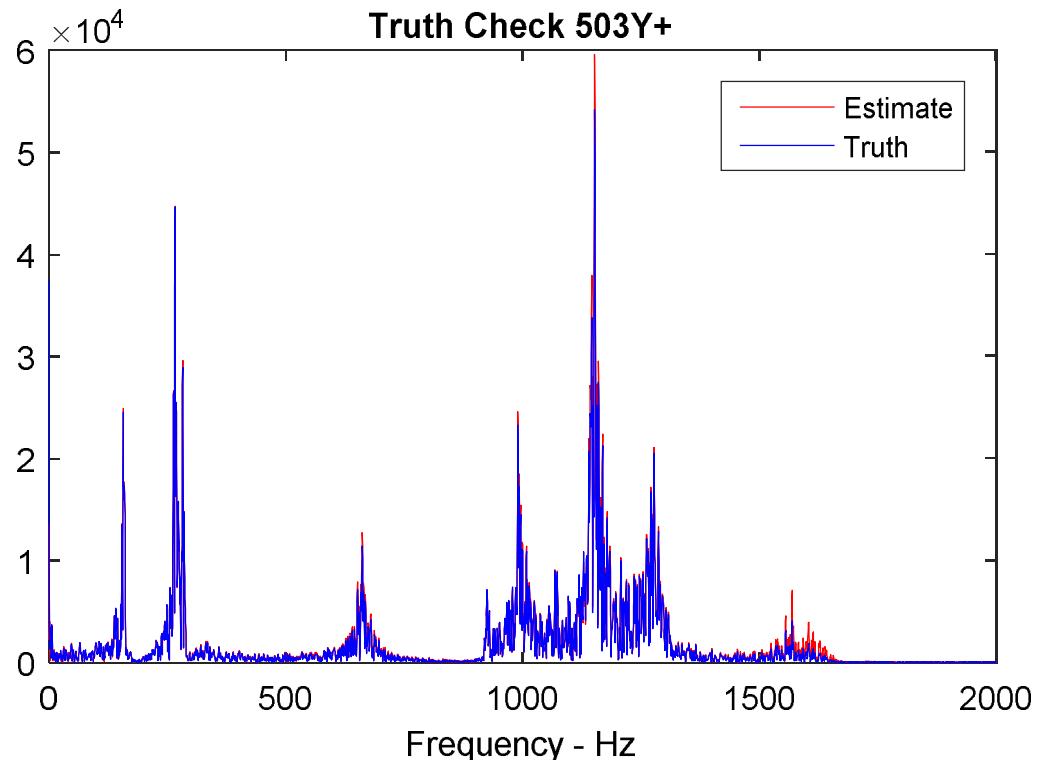
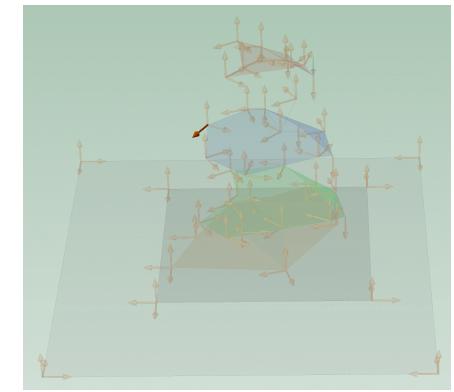
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- Response predictions could be improved by improving finite element model correlation
- Experimental modal extraction needs to be high quality for good results
- Collaboration/communication between analysis group and modal group was improved as a result of this study

6DOF Environment Definition

6DOF Testing

Compensation for Boundary Conditions

- Additive Manufacturing
- Modal Substructuring

Apply to Real Environmental Data

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