

New software version release announcement October 16, 2008

- Last update of files to be downloaded: October 15 -

BETA CAE Systems S.A.

announces the release of **μETA v6.2.1**
with important new features and resolved issues

Attention:

μETA v6.2.1 can run only with BETA LM v6.0 or later.
Migrate the latest BETA LM version before running **μETA** v6.2.1.

New Features:

1. Support of AdamsMNF *.op2 files
2. In the Model Report tool, option to also filter Groups by name.

Known issues resolved:

1. Wrong velocity calculation in the Calculate Modal Response tool of **μETA**.
2. Several issues related to Advanced Filtering and other tools of **μETA**.

..... and many more.

Examples on automating processes:

A new version of examples files for automating the processes in **μETA** v6.2.1 has been released.

It is strongly recommended to download the latest file
`EXAMPLES_META_SESSIONS_FOR_AUTOMATION.tar.gz`

Process automation examples that were previously released do not function with this software version.

Important Notes:

1. Please, refer to the "Release Notes" document for more details about the software corrections and the new features. A detailed "Release Notes" document is available in pdf format in the download directory and also in the `.../docs` sub-directory within the installation directory.
 2. A version of **μETA** Users Guide 6.2.0 is also available in pdf format.
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Our customers may download the new software from their account in our download server. You may access your account through the Login link at our web site <http://www.beta-cae.gr> [Contact us](#) if you miss your account details. The [\[Public\]](#) link will give you access to the public downloads.

What to download:

For the installation of the software on each platform type you will need:

1. The tar file with the respective platform name (e.g. hp, linux etc.), or the respective zip file for Windows and
2. the "common" .tar or .zip file

Particularly for the support of ABAQUS odb files:

1. Only for the support of ABAQUS odb files and depending on the ABAQUS version you use, you will need to download the corresponding file(s), containing ABAQUS libraries, from the META_POST_EXT_LIBS directory within the [\[Public\]](#) link. If the support of ABAQUS odb files is not an issue then there is no need to download these files. To support at the same time ABAQUS 6.3.4 odb files (or earlier), ABAQUS 6.4.x, ABAQUS 6.5.x, ABAQUS 6.6.x odb, ABAQUS 6.7.x files and ABAQUS 6.8.x files, it is recommended to download all respective ABAQUS files. For the support of ABAQUS 6.8 odb files on Windows platforms, it maybe required to take extra actions. Please refer to the SetUp Guide for more details.
2. The ABAQUS libraries have to be downloaded once. If these files are downloaded now (or have been already downloaded with a previous **μETA** version), there is no need to download them again with a future version of **μETA**.
3. It is also possible to use the ABAQUS libraries directly from the installation directory of the ABAQUS software, in case this directory is accessible. In this case you can avoid downloading the respective ABAQUS libraries from the [\[Public\]](#) link.
For more details please refer to the Setup Guide.

The previous software releases can be found in the sub-directory called "old".

Documentation:

1. Additional documentation is packed into the "common" file. While the "common" file is unpacked, you will find an html file that will guide you through the available pdf documents, including the Users Guides and the Release Notes.

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