MDSolids

PLTW Teachers

I'm pleased to announce that a new version of MDSolids is now available here. Version 3.5 contains many new features, particularly in the areas of Combined Loadings and fundamental stress concepts. Version 3.5 makes use of 3d animations to help illustrate the course concepts. In the Full Version, there are also many new conveniences for students such as File Save and Print options.

The registration code for the Full Version of MDSolids version 3.5 is 55DEA82F.

Please feel free to put MDSolids on as many machines at your schools as you'd like. I'd ask that you not give out the code directly to your students. If they want to install MDSolids on their own personal computers at home, I'd like for them to pay the \$25 registration fee for the Student Version. They can purchase MDSolids through the link provided at www.mdsolids.com.

Please let me know if you have any difficulty in installing and using the new version. If there should happen to be any errors (hopefully not), please let me know and I'll get it fixed before the semester starts next month.

Thanks for your past interest in MDSolids. I think you'll enjoy this new version.

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Version 3.0 of MDSolids is now available. Visit the MDSolids website at www.mdsolids.com

Look for MDSolids in the textbook "Mechanics of Materials, 2nd Edition" by Roy R. Craig, Jr. (published by Wiley and now available).