Generation of weaves, foams, sponges, sphere packings and sintered materials

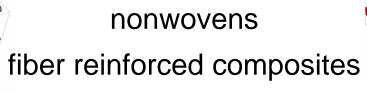
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GeoDict Material Models



papers

ceramic materials

rocks

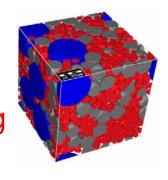
dense (sphere) packing

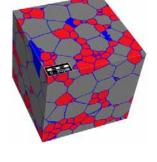
woven materials

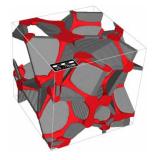
foams

sponges

regular materials







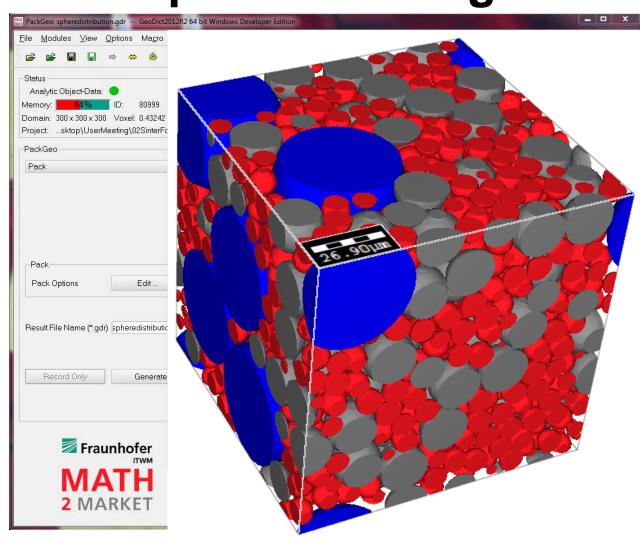




PackGeo: Dense Sphere Packings

Generate dense sphere packings

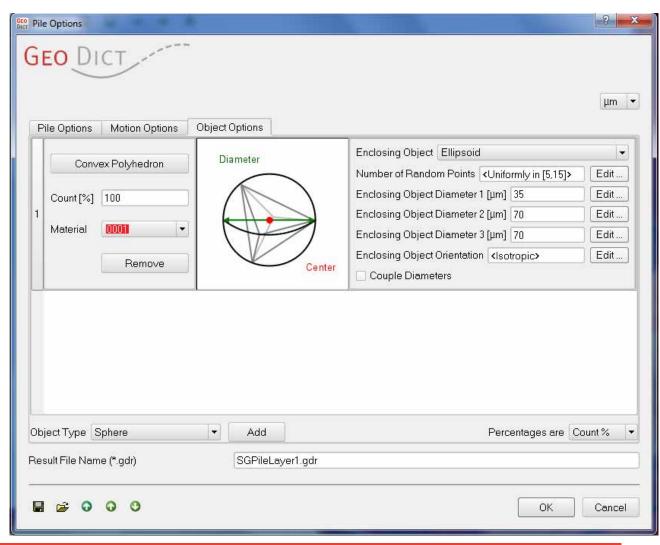
- Large diameter differences
- Large number of spheres
- Fast implementation of the force-biased algorithm
- Very high packing densities (>60%)





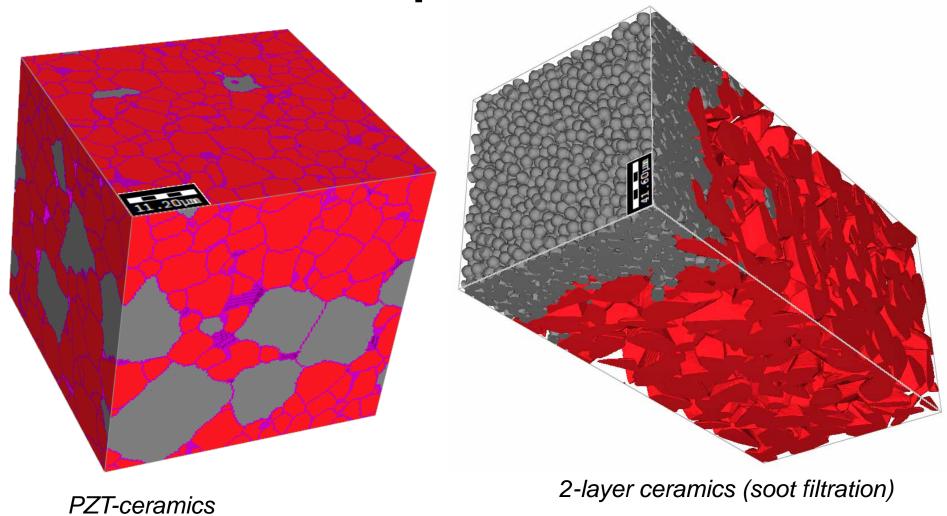
SinterGeo: Packing & Sinter Material

- Create or pile arbitrary objects
- Packing density about 50%
- Generate ceramics
- Generate rock models
- Generate sinter structures





SinterGeo Examples





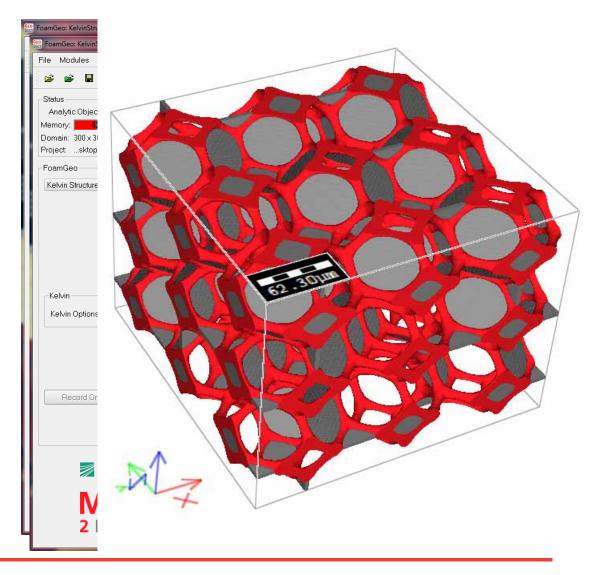
FoamGeo

Create

- Regular Foam (Kelvin Structure)
- Random Foam

Kelvin Structure:

- Different scaling of the unit cell
- Different rod shapes
- Open or closed cell walls

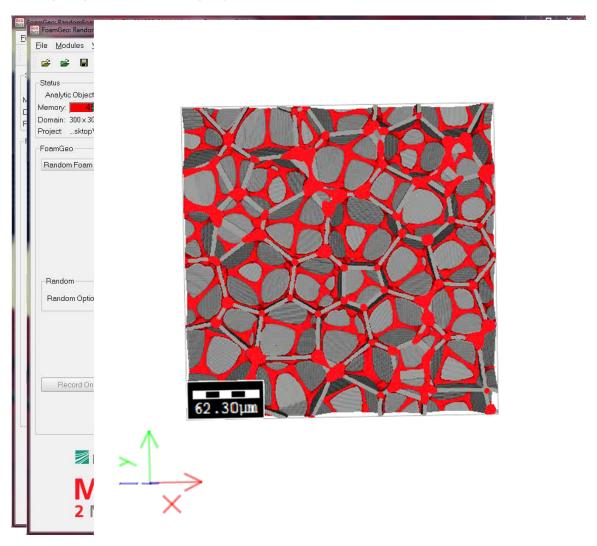




FoamGeo: Random Foam

Based on distance map of a pile of spheres, ellipsoids, ..

- Different scaling of the unit cell
- Different rod shapes
- Open or closed cell walls
- Complex distribution of basis objects possible



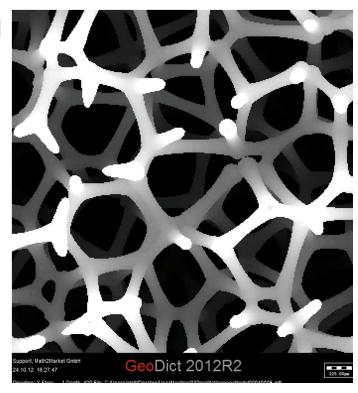


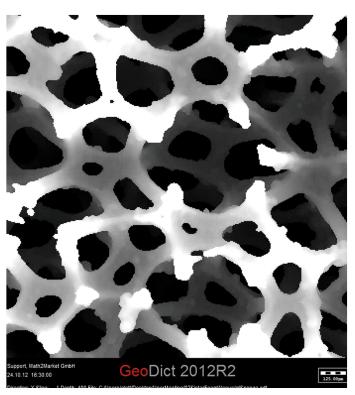
FoamGeo: Sponge

Create a model for the CT-image of a sponge (see. presentation about the ImportModule):

- Rod parameter measured from the segmented CT-image
- Match pore size distribution, calculated with PoroDict

model





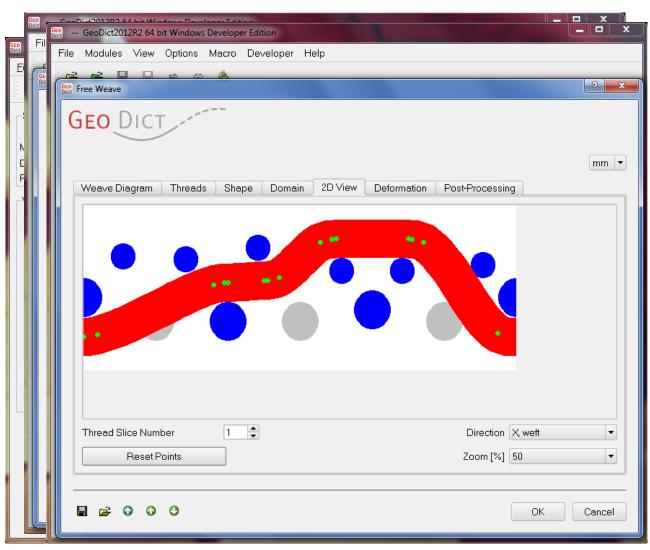
CT-image



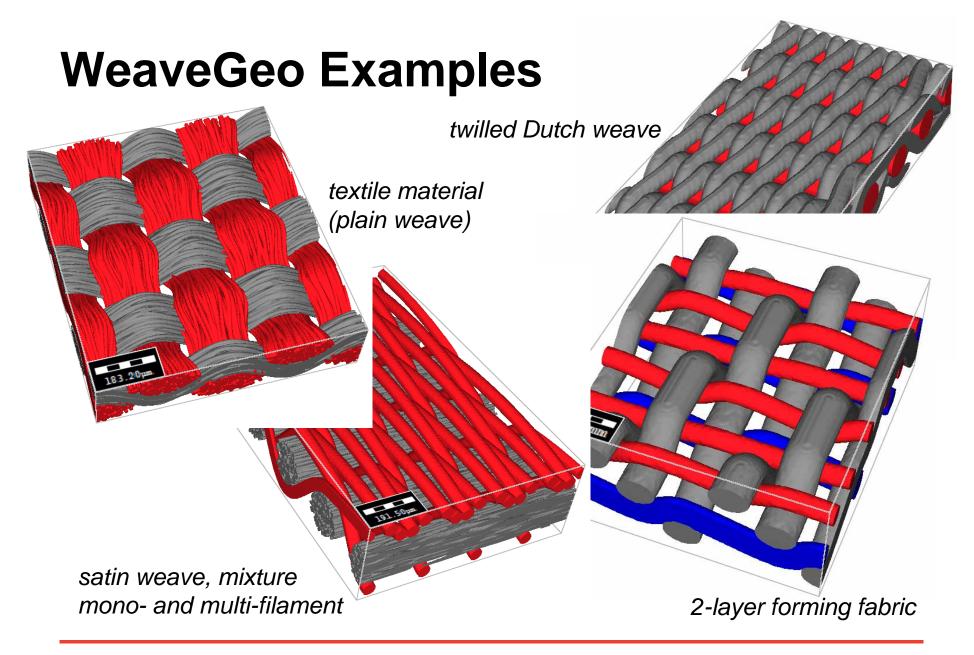
WeaveGeo: Woven Material

Generate woven structures:

- Simple GUI for one layer weaves with standard weaving patterns
- User-defined weave diagram
- Multi-layer weaves
- Multifilament weaves and ropes
- Weave preview and post processing









Conclusions

- The structure modeling is a centerpiece of GeoDict
- The structure models improve constantly
- With the new release GeoDict is able to model foams and sponges

Outlook

We are working hard to approach our aim to model any micro structure

