
5th Annual OpenModelica Workshop

Feb 4, 2013

Workshop Opening

OpenModelica – Status and Directions

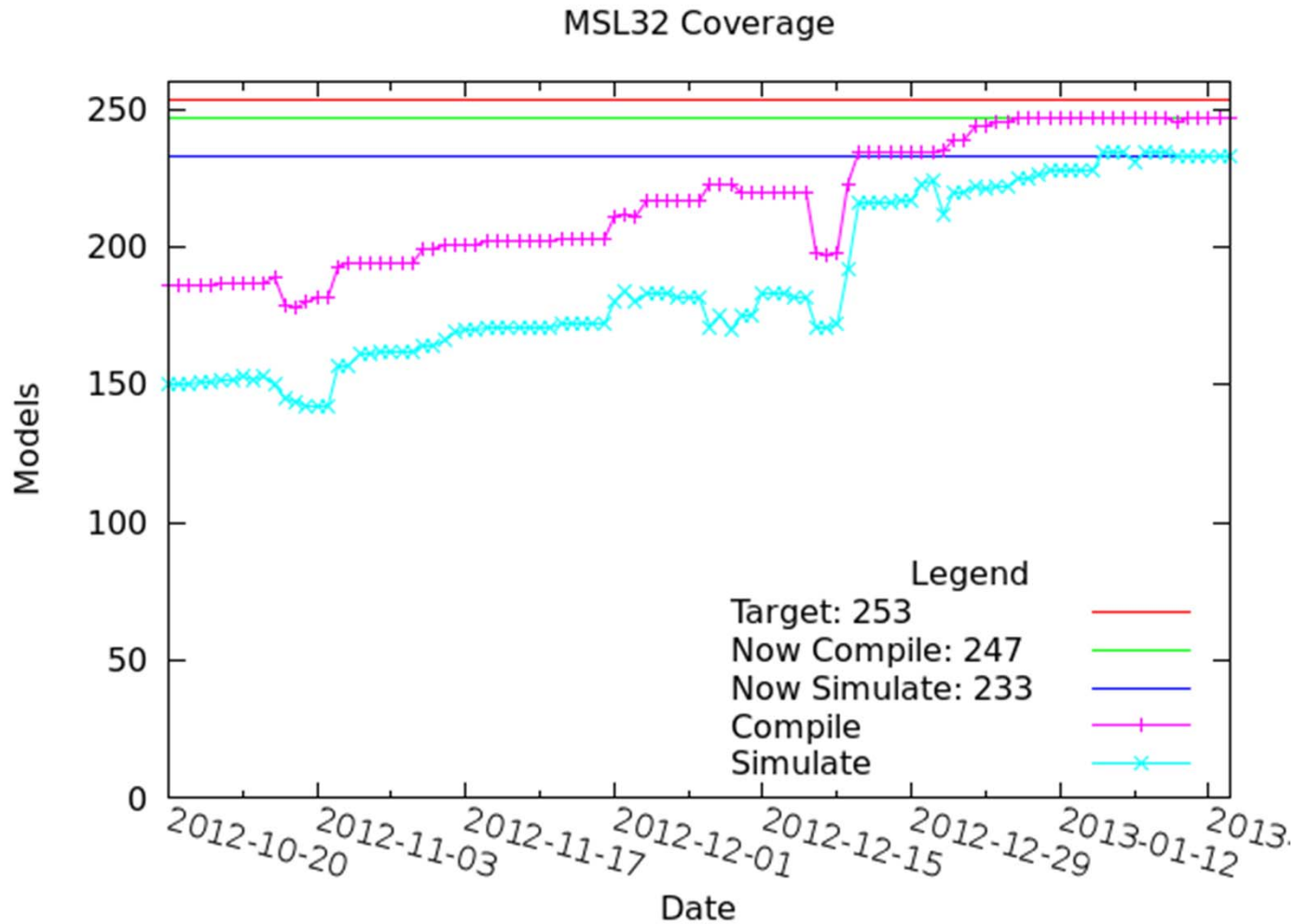
Peter Fritzson

To All Participants!

Very Welcome to this Fifth Annual OpenModelica Workshop!

Important Goal Achieved During 2012

MSL 3.2.1 Coverage > 90%, including most of Fluid



Goals for the OpenModelica Effort

- Comprehensive **modeling, simulation and systems engineering** environment for research, teaching, and industrial usage
- **Open-source** for both **industrial** and **academic** usage
- Invitation for **open-source cooperation** around OpenModelica, tools, and applications

Updated OpenModelica Web Page

The screenshot shows the OpenModelica website homepage. The browser address bar displays <https://www.openmodelica.org/>. The page features a blue header with the OpenModelica logo and navigation links for 'Login' and 'Create an account'. A dark navigation bar contains links for 'HOME', 'DEVELOPER', 'FORUM', 'DOWNLOAD', 'CONTACT US', 'EVENTS', and 'RESEARCH', along with a search box. The main content area is divided into several sections: 'Top information' with links to 'OMEdit' and 'OMPYthon'; 'Introduction' describing the project's goals and inviting participation; 'Modelica/OpenModelica Videos' with a link to watch videos; 'Registration' with a link to register; and 'Latest news' listing recent releases and events. A central image shows a screenshot of the OpenModelica software interface.

OpenModelica Login Create an account

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Top information

OMEdit
Enhanced OpenModelica Connection Editor.

OMPYthon
The new OpenModelica Python interface.

Introduction

OPENMODELICA is an open-source Modelica-based modeling and simulation environment intended for industrial and academic usage. Its long-term development is supported by a non-profit organization – the [Open Source Modelica Consortium \(OSMC\)](#).

The goal with the OpenModelica effort is to create a comprehensive Open Source Modelica modeling, compilation and simulation environment based on free software distributed in binary and source code form for research, teaching, and industrial usage. We invite researchers and students, or any interested developer to participate in the project and cooperate around OpenModelica, tools, and applications.

Modelica/OpenModelica Videos

Watch the Modelica/OpenModelica Videos [here](#).

Registration

Please [register](#) if you download and install OpenModelica. Why? We would like to inform you about new releases of OpenModelica! We want to be informed who is using it and the kind of usage. Your information will not be distributed to third

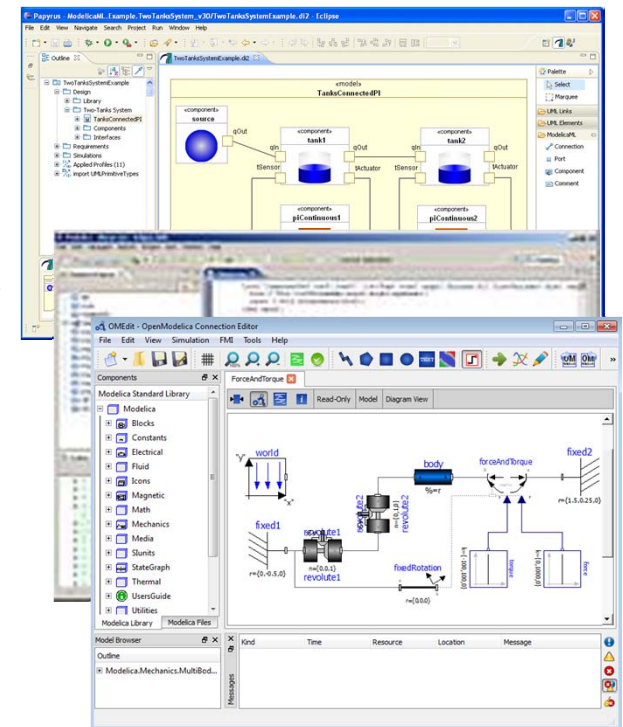
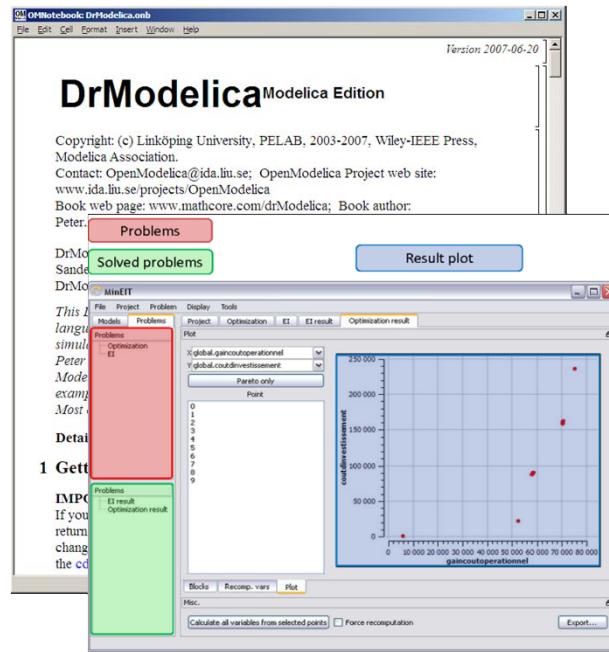
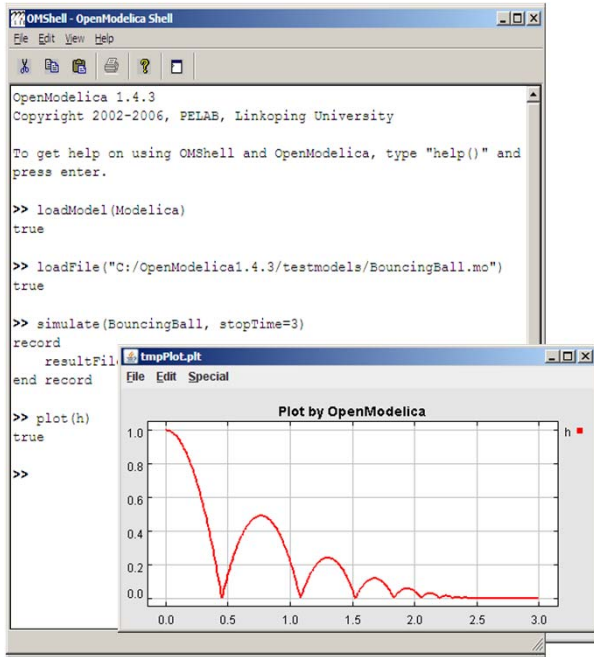
Latest news

- February 1: OpenModelica 1.9.0 Beta4 released
- October 19: OpenModelica 1.9.0 Beta2 released
- Oct 16 : CFP OpenModelica/MODPROD Workshops February 2013
- August 31: OpenModelica 1.9.0 Beta released
- April 4: OpenModelica 1.8.1 released
- Jan 30: OpenModelica 1.8.1 beta released
- January 22: Registration Open - MODPROD'2012 and OpenModelica'2012 workshops on Model-based development
- Nov 25: OpenModelica 1.8.0 released
- Nov 22 : Preliminary Program For OpenModelica Annual Workshop
- OpenModelica Developers Week - 7-11 November 2011

The OpenModelica Open Source Environment

www.openmodelica.org

- **Advanced Interactive Modelica compiler (OMC)**
 - Supports most of the Modelica Language
 - Modelica and Python **scripting**
- **Basic environment for creating models**
 - **OMShell** – an interactive command handler
 - **OMNotebook** – a literate programming notebook
 - **MDT** – an advanced textual environment in Eclipse
- **OMEdit** graphic Editor
- **OMOptim** optimization tool
- **ModelicaML** UML Profile
- **MetaModelica** extension
- **ParModelica** extension



Main Events 2012 and January 2013

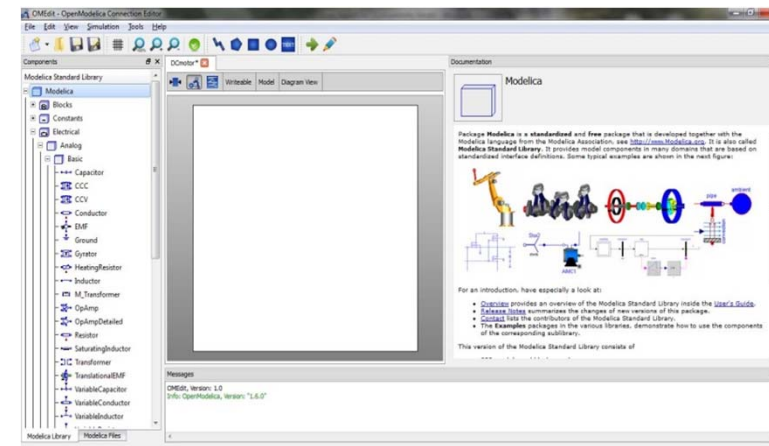
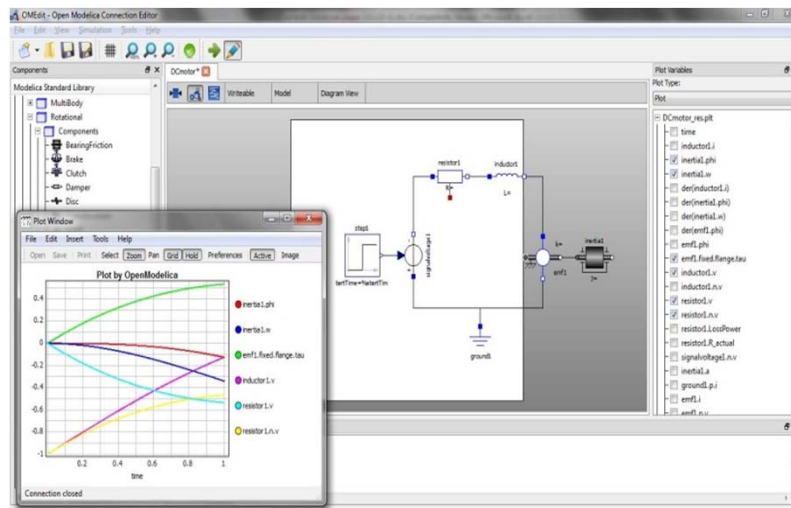
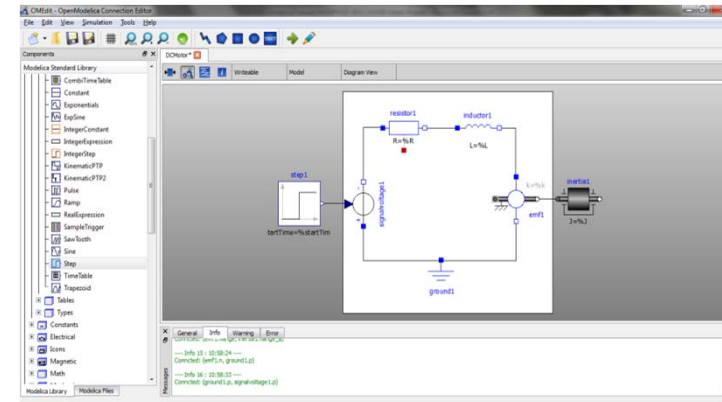
- OSMC expanded from 38 to 45 organizational members
- OpenModelica **1.8.1 release** (April 2012)
 - Operator Overloading support
 - Dramatically improved flattening speed for some models
 - Improved simulation run-time
 - ModelicaML with Modelica library import (MSL) and value-bindings
- OpenModelica **1.9.0 beta1 release** (August 2012)
 - MSL simulation improved, from 36 to 74 example models
 - Improved simulation of other libraries, e.g. ThermoSysPro, PlanarMechanics, etc.
 - Improved algorithms for tearing, matching, dynamic state selection, index reduction
 - Full version of OMPython, updated ModelicaML for requirements verification
- OpenModelica **1.9.0 beta3/4 release** (January 2013)
 - MSL simulation improved, from 74 to 233 example models (**92%** of MSL 3.2.1)
 - **Breakthrough:** Flattening of whole **Fluid** library, simulation of 58% of Fluid examples
 - Improved simulation of other libraries, e.g. ThermoSysPro, PlanarMechanics, etc.
 - Improved algorithms for tearing, matching, dynamic state selection, index reduction
 - Updated version of OMPython supporting new PySimulator release

OpenModelica – Outlook for 2013

- Whole 2013. Continued high priority on better coverage for the Modelica standard libraries, increase from 92% to 100% coverage
- Late spring 2013. Support for larger models with new fast compiler frontend
- Spring 2013 All of Fluid library simulating
- Whole 2013. Improved simulation efficiency.
- May-June 2013. Integrated Modelica debugger.
- Sept 2013. Shifting to bootstrapped OpenModelica compiler for development.
- Fall 2013. Support for Modelica 3.3 clock-based synchronous and state machine features
- Whole 2013. Further improved Parallel Modelica simulation, OpenMP, and ParModelica for GPU simulation prototypes

Further Improved OpenModelica Connection Editor OMEdit

- Supports MSL 3.2.1
- Easy to use
- Stable
- Implemented in C++ Qt library
- **New version end of Feb 2013**



New Efficient OpenModelica MDT Run-time Debugger now also partly for Simulation Models

The screenshot displays the Eclipse IDE with the OpenModelica MDT run-time debugger. The interface is divided into several panes:

- Debug Console:** Shows the current state of the simulation model, including the main thread (stepping) and the current function being executed (getValueMultipliedByTwo at simulationmodel.mo:13).
- Variables View:** A table showing the current values of variables in the scope. The table has four columns: Name, Declared Type, Value, and Actual Type.
- Code Editor:** Displays the source code of the simulation model, including the model definition and the function being executed.
- Output View:** Shows the output of the simulation model, including the current function being executed and its arguments.

The following table represents the data shown in the Variables View:

Name	Declared Type	Value	Actual Type
inValue	Real	1	double
outValue	Real	6.9453280720608359e-308	double

OMPython – Python Scripting with OpenModelica

- Interpretation of Modelica commands and expressions
- Interactive Session handling
- Library / Tool
- Optimized Parser results
- Helper functions
- Deployable, Extensible and Distributable

The screenshot shows a Python script named `test_execute_mode.py` and its execution output. The script uses the `OMPython` library to load a Modelica model, simulate it, and plot the results.

```

import OMPython

OMPython.execute("loadFile('c:/OpenModelica.8.1/testmodels/BouncingBall.mo')")
result=OMPython.execute("simulate(BouncingBall, stopTime=2, method='Euler')")
print result
OMPython.execute("plot(h)")

OMPython.execute("quit()")
    
```

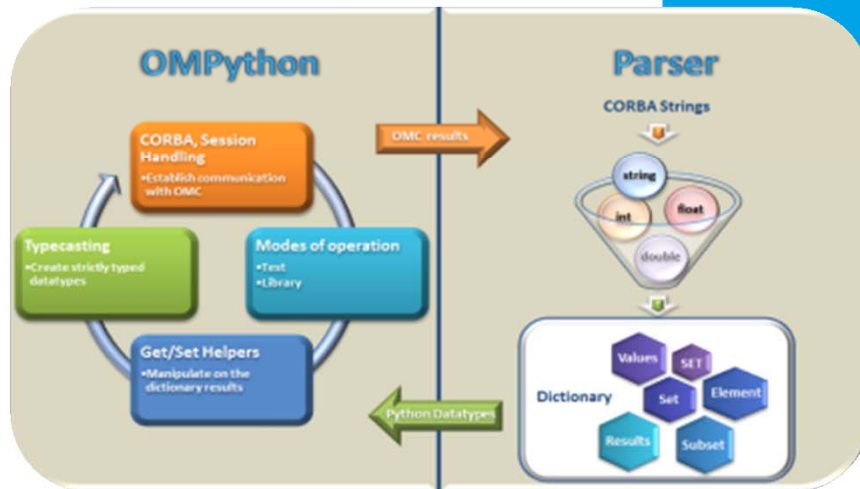
The execution output shows the OMC server starting and running the simulation. The output includes simulation options and results:

```

{'simulationOptions': {'options': {'storeInTemp': False, 'cf lags': '...', 'simflags': '...', 'variableFilter': '...', 'noclean': False, 'outputFormat': 'mat', 'method': 'dassl', 'measurerTime': False, 'stopTime': 2.0, 'startTime': 0.0, 'numberOfIntervals': 500, 'tolerance': 1e-06, 'fileNamePrefix': 'BouncingBall'}, 'simulationResults': {'timeCompile': 6.89815662792063, 'timeBackend': 0.0229111689831523, 'messages': {'timeFrontend': 0.0245992104508437, 'timeSimulation': 0.131418166559841, 'timeTemplate s': 0.0206379911344139, 'timeSimCode': 0.00999736303670383, 'time Total': 7.1078098383753, 'resultFile': 'c:/users/ganan642/bounci ngBall_res.mat'}}}
    
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The output concludes with "OMC has been shutdown" and the user's prompt `C:\Users\ganan642>`.

In the bottom right corner, a small window titled "Plot by OpenModelica" displays a graph of the simulation results, showing a damped oscillation of a variable over time.

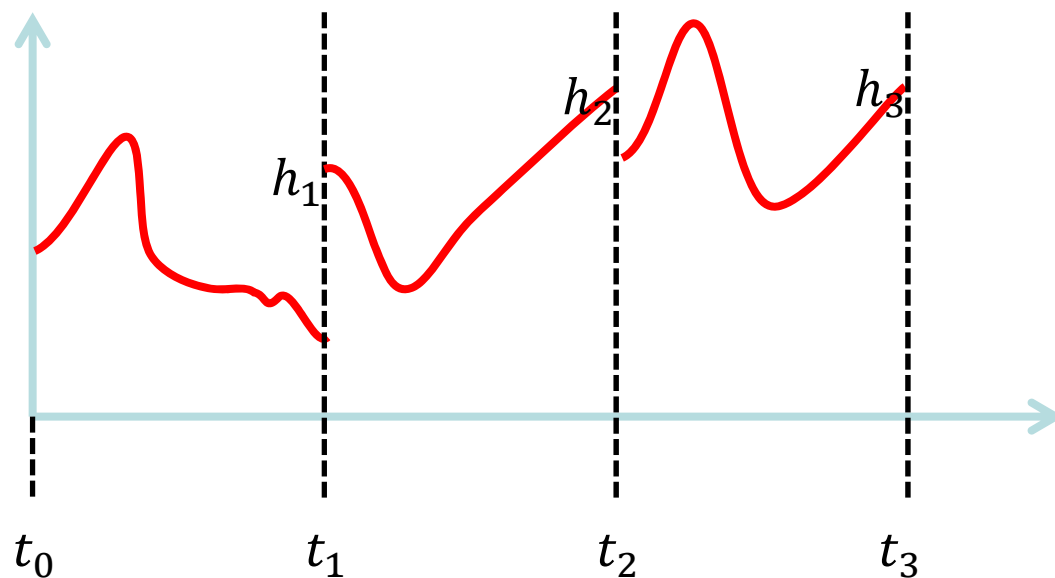


Prototype Parallel Multiple-Shooting and Collocation Dynamic Trajectory Optimization

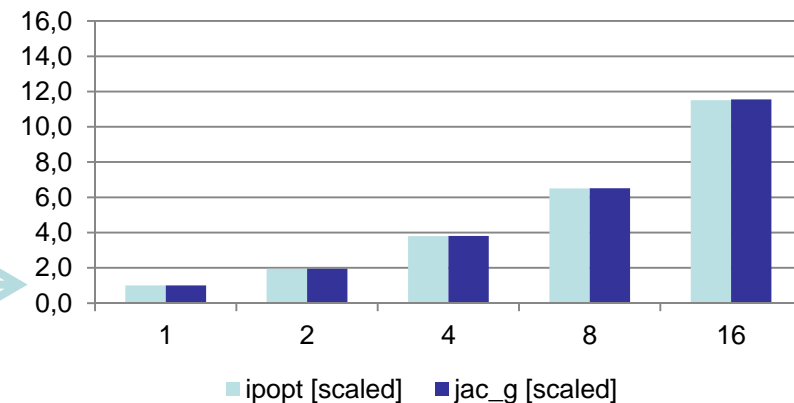
- Minimize a goal function subject to model equation constraints, useful e.g. for NMPC
- Multiple Shooting/Collocation
 - Solve sub-problem in each sub-interval

Paper in Modelica'2012 Conf.
Prototype, not yet in
OpenModelica release.
Planned release 2013.

$$x_i(t_{i+1}) = h_i + \int_{t_i}^{t_{i+1}} f(x_i(t), u(t), t) dt \approx F(t_i, t_{i+1}, h_i, u_i), \quad x_i(t_i) = h_i$$



Example speedup, 16 cores:
MULTIPLE_COLLOCATION



Prototypes of Parallel Execution with OpenModelica

- ParModelica – Parallel Algorithmic Modelica Code Execution on GPU
 - Speedup factor 300 of matrix multiplication on NVIDIA Fermi GPU
- OPENMP support in OpenModelica, parallelization of partitioned models
 - Speedup factor 4 of trivial model on 4-core machine

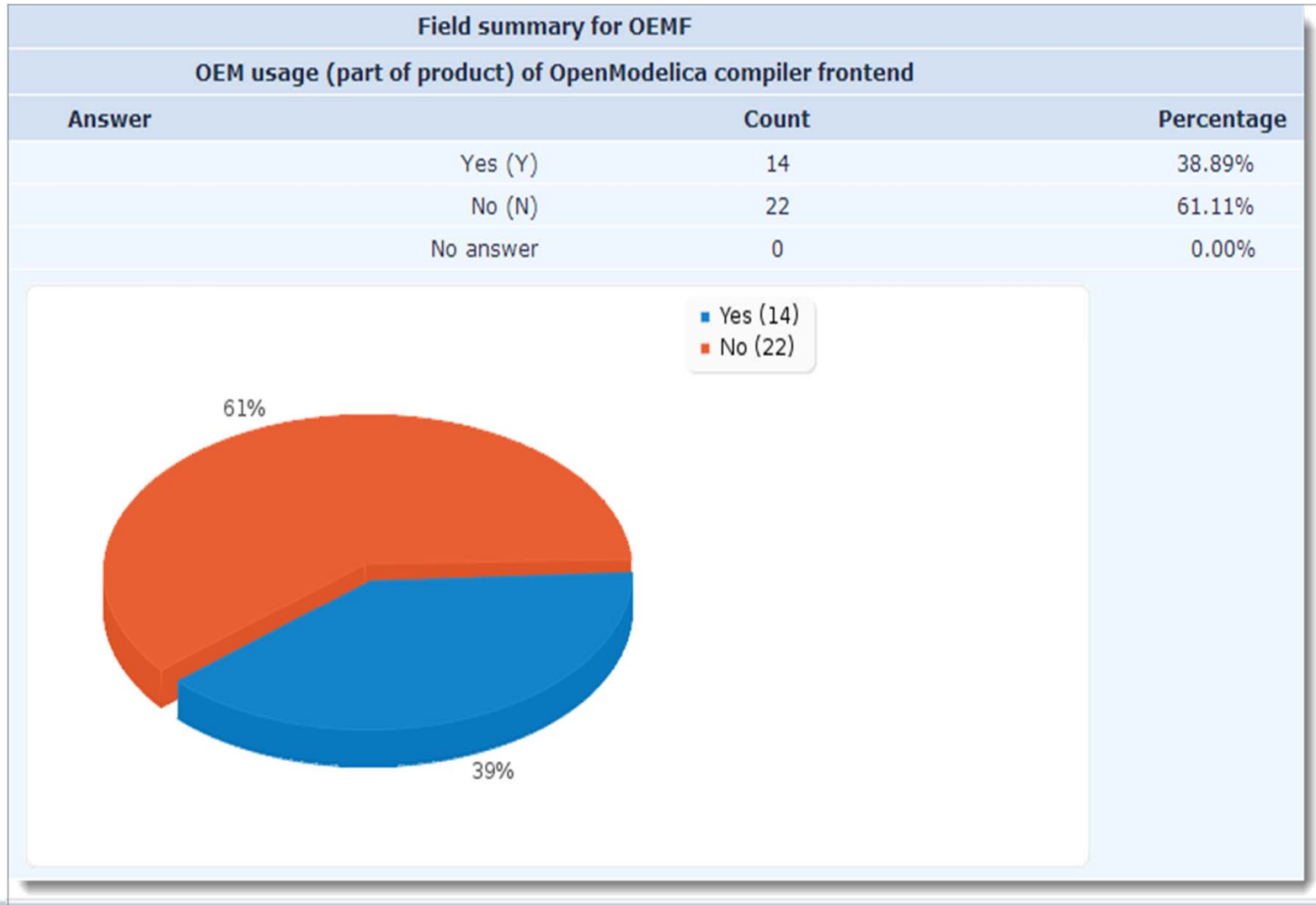
OpenModelica Compiler Bootstrapping

- Bootstrapping = OMC Compiler Compiles itself
- Advantages
 - **Faster** compilation for the developers
 - Complete Modelica language for **easier programming**
 - Better error messages and maintainability
 - Makes a faster Modelica **debugger** possible
 - Makes **performance** analysis possible
 - some **Modelica 4** like features
- Status
 - Dec 2010, OMC first compiled itself
 - During 2011-now, used for development with the new debugger
 - Dec 2012. Automatic memory reclamation operational

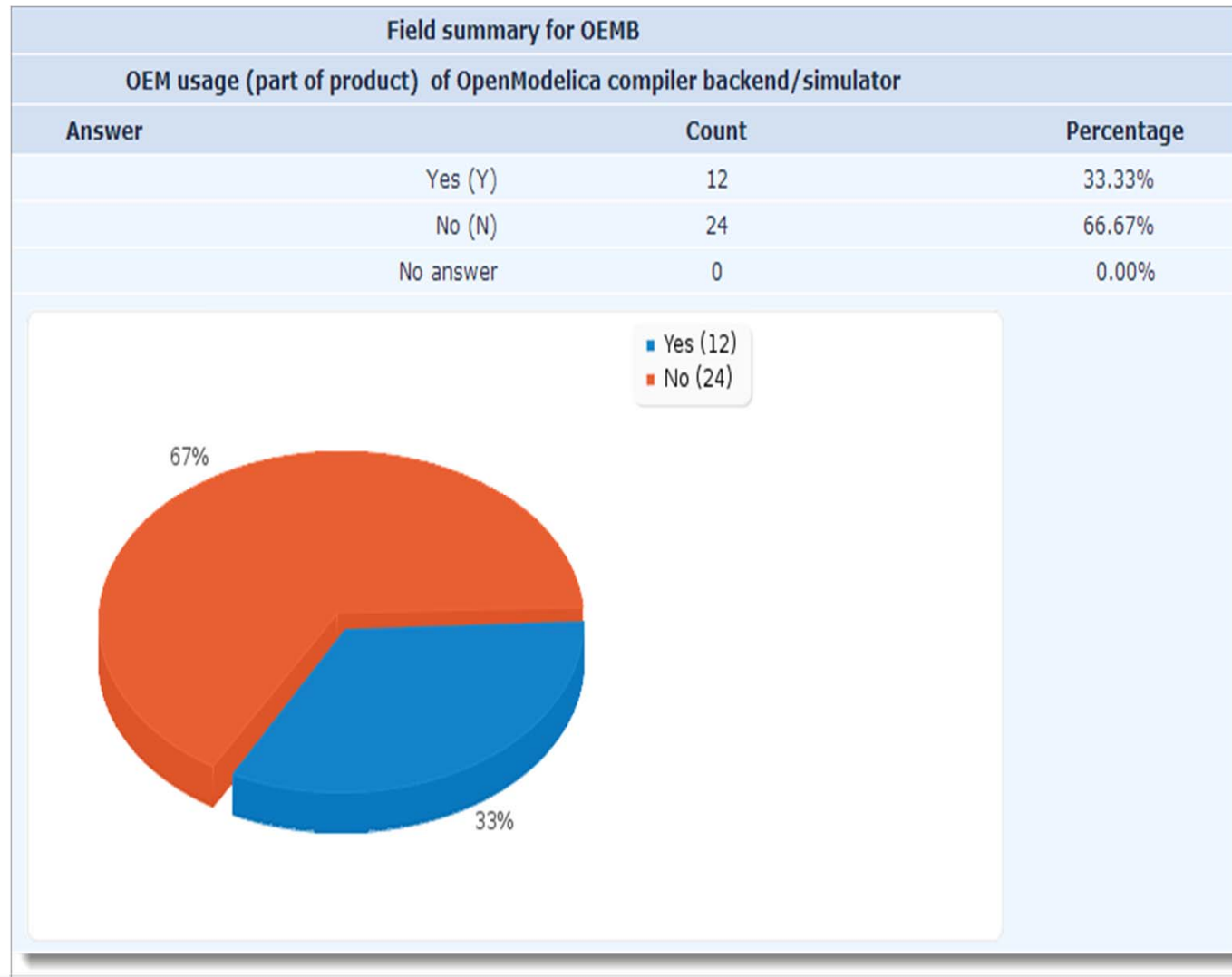
Questionnaire to OSMC Org Members

- 23 Questions
- 36 out of 45 organizational members answered
- Slightly less than half OEM users of parts of OM compiler
- Slightly more than half end-users (usage for applications)
- 5 organizations only OEM users of compiler frontend (4 current, 1 near-future)
- 80% Research & Development usage of OpenModelica

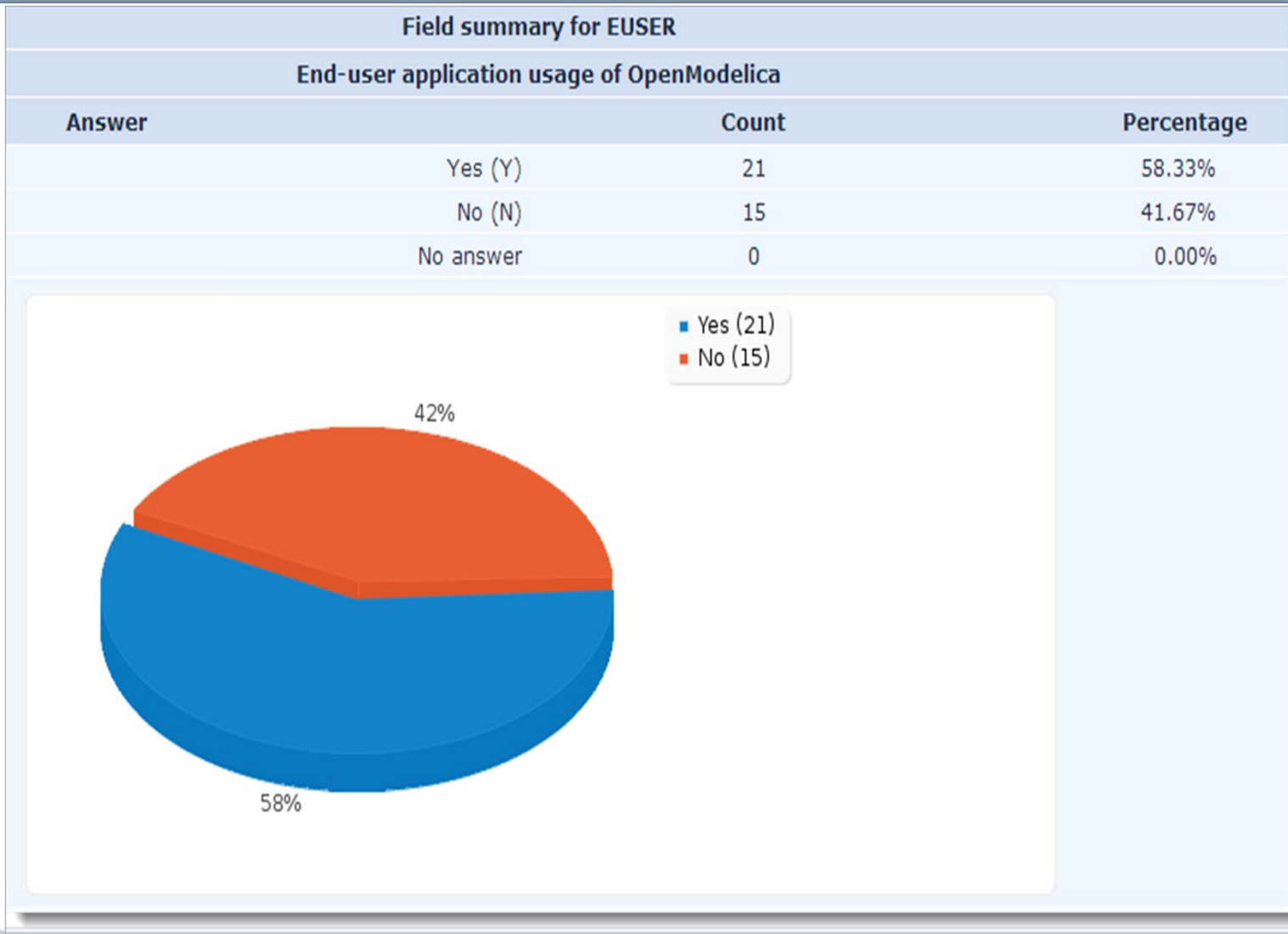
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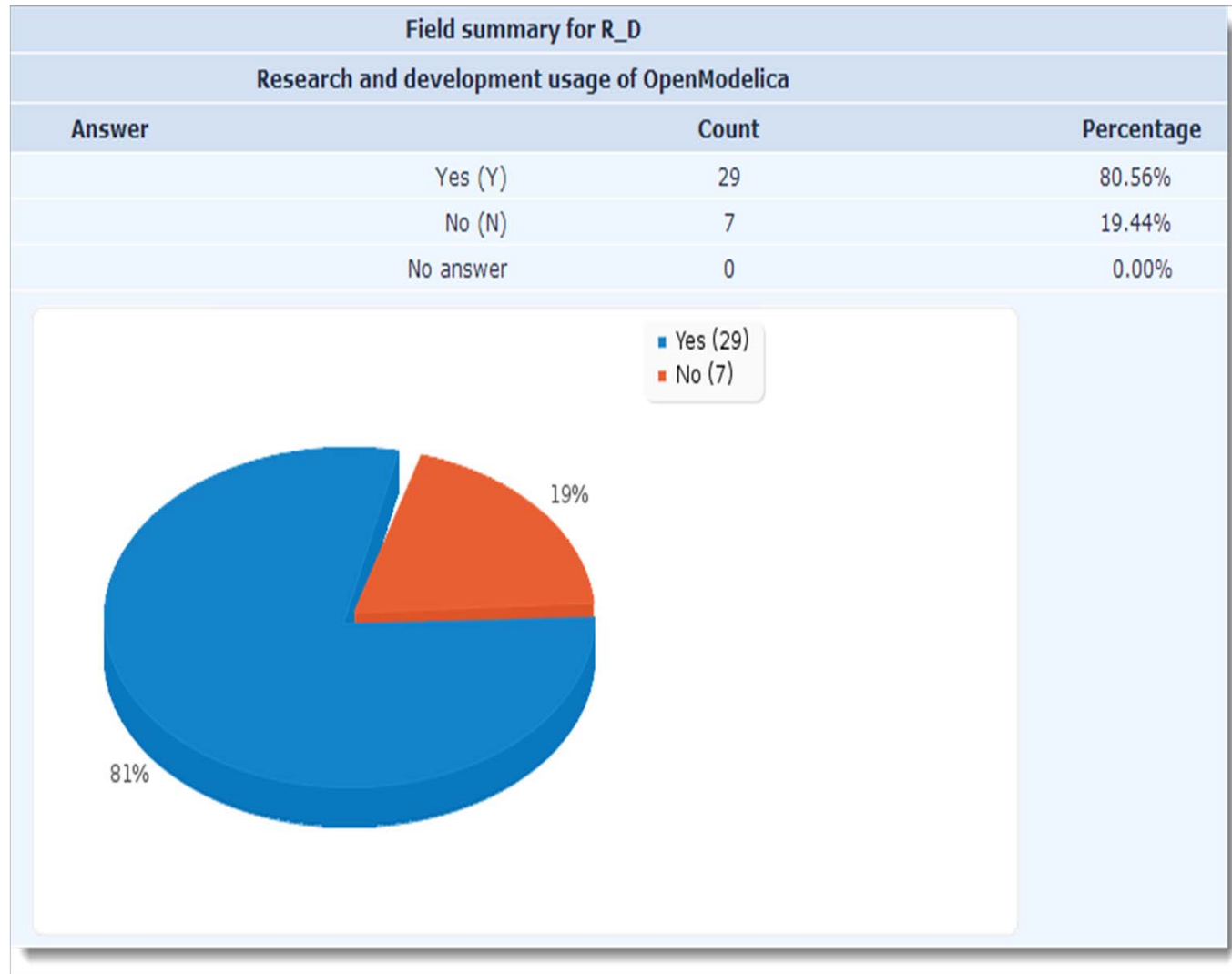
Q: OEM Usage (part of product) of OpenModelica compiler backend/simulator



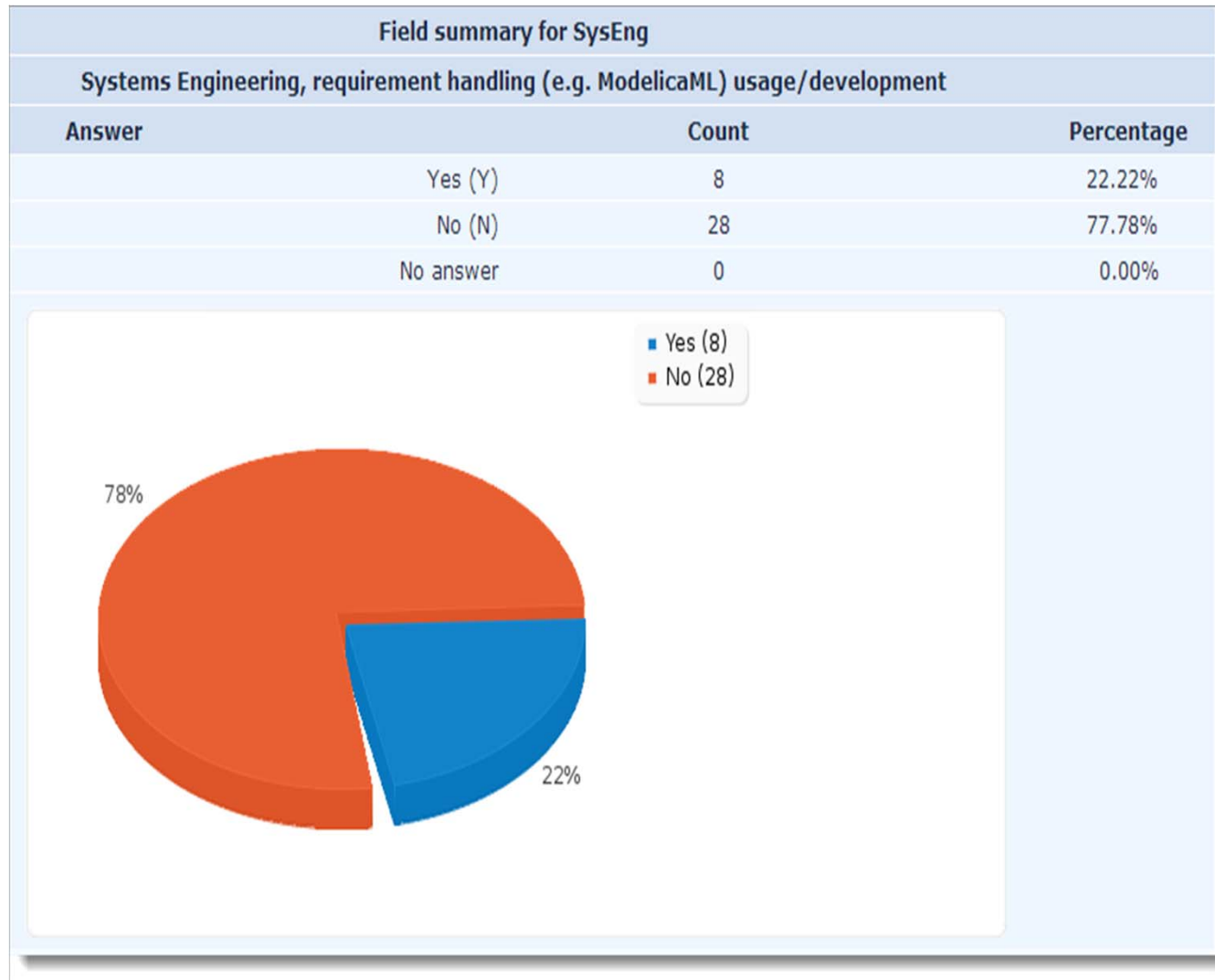
Q: End User Application Usage of OpenModelica



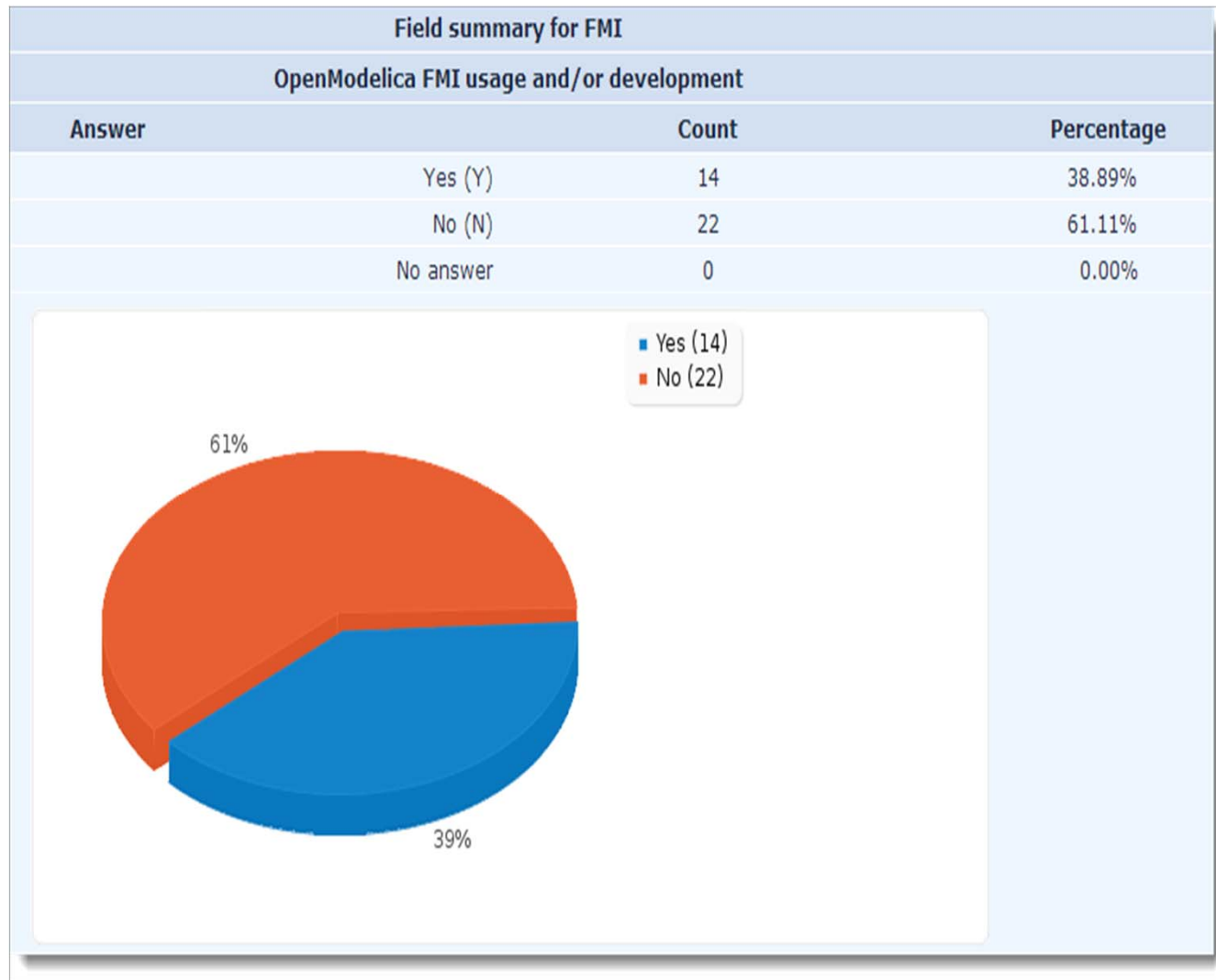
Q: Research and Development Usage of OpenModelica



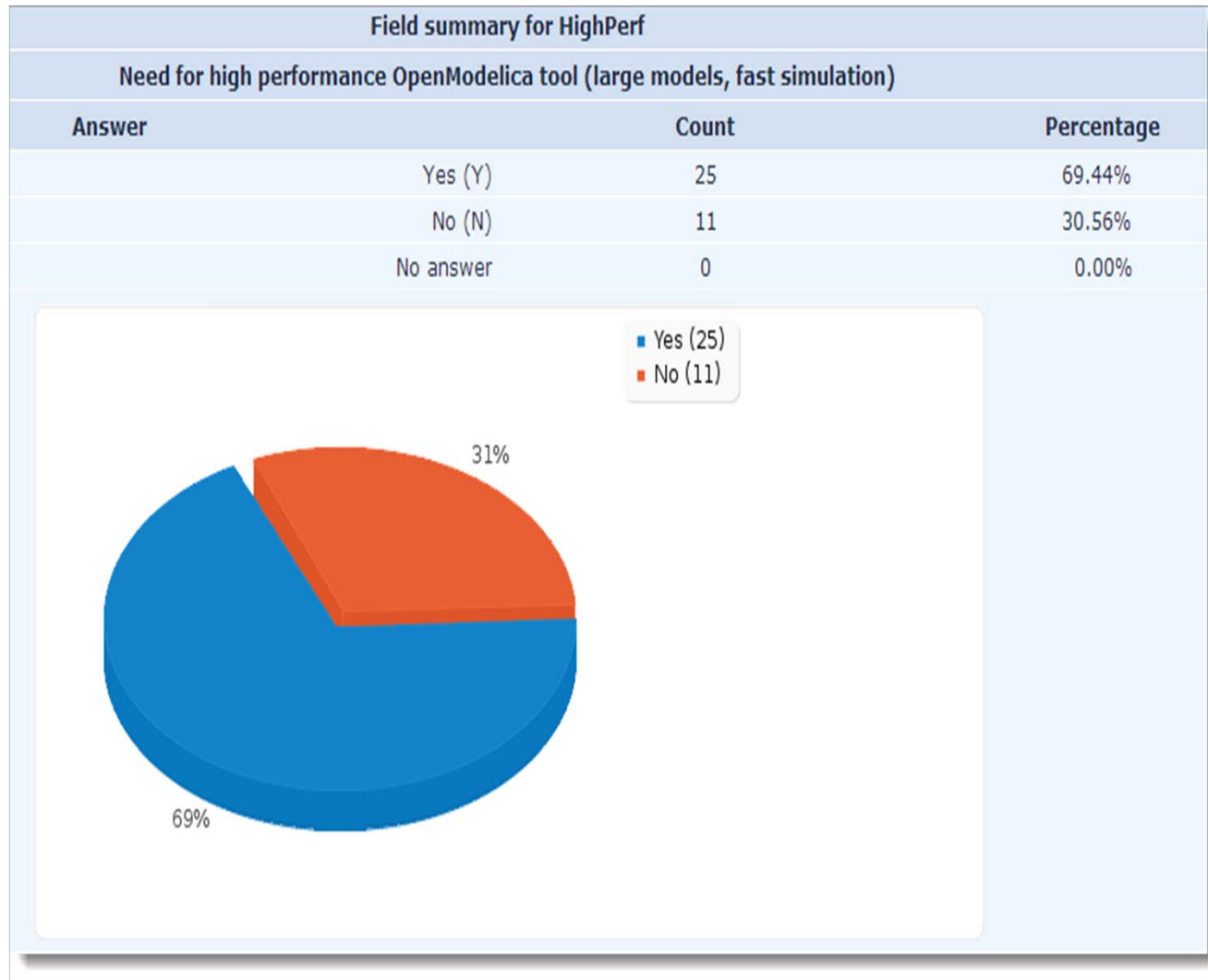
Q: Systems Engineering, requirement handling (e.g. ModelicaML) usage/development



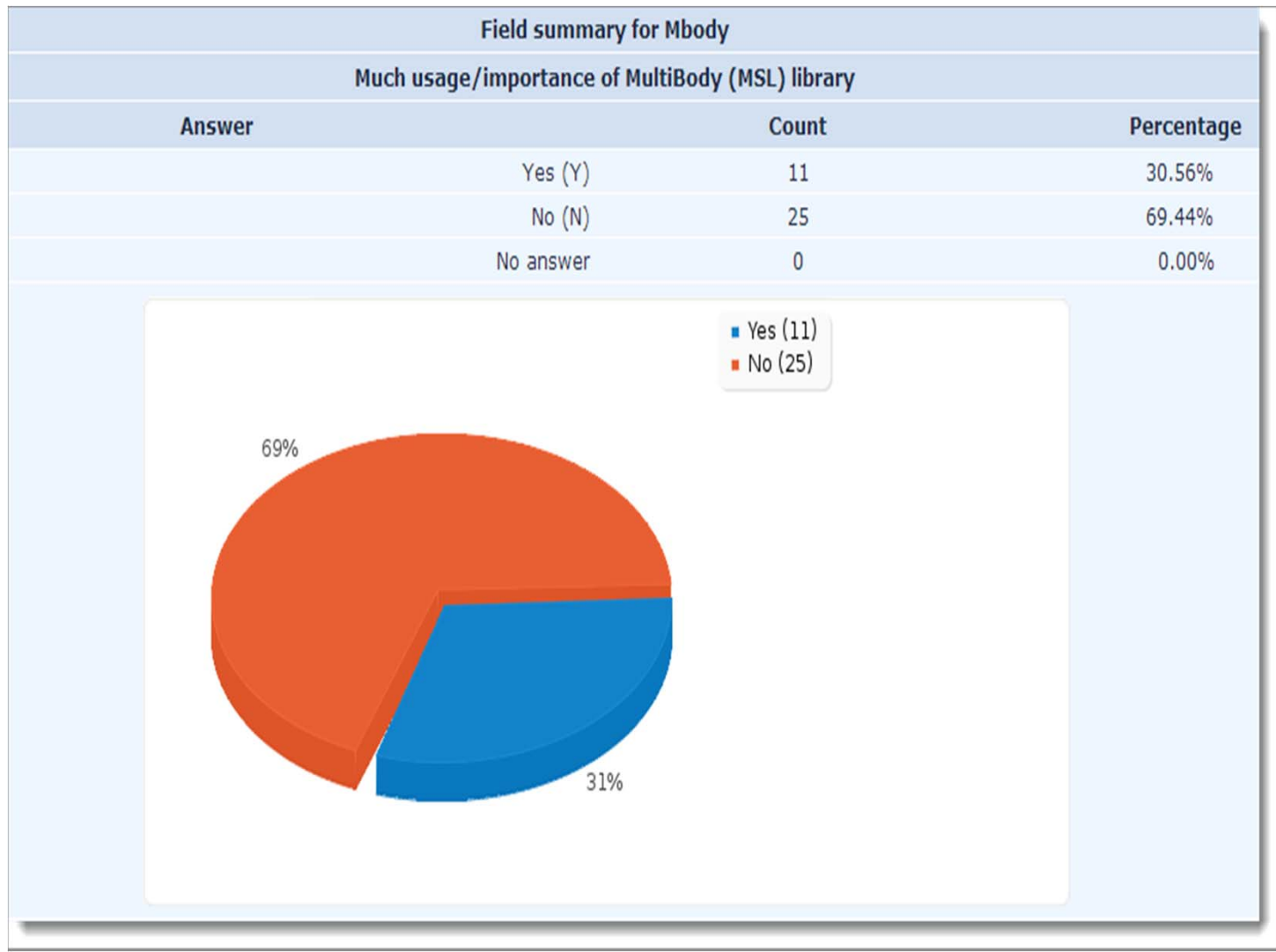
Q: OpenModelica FMI Usage and/or Development



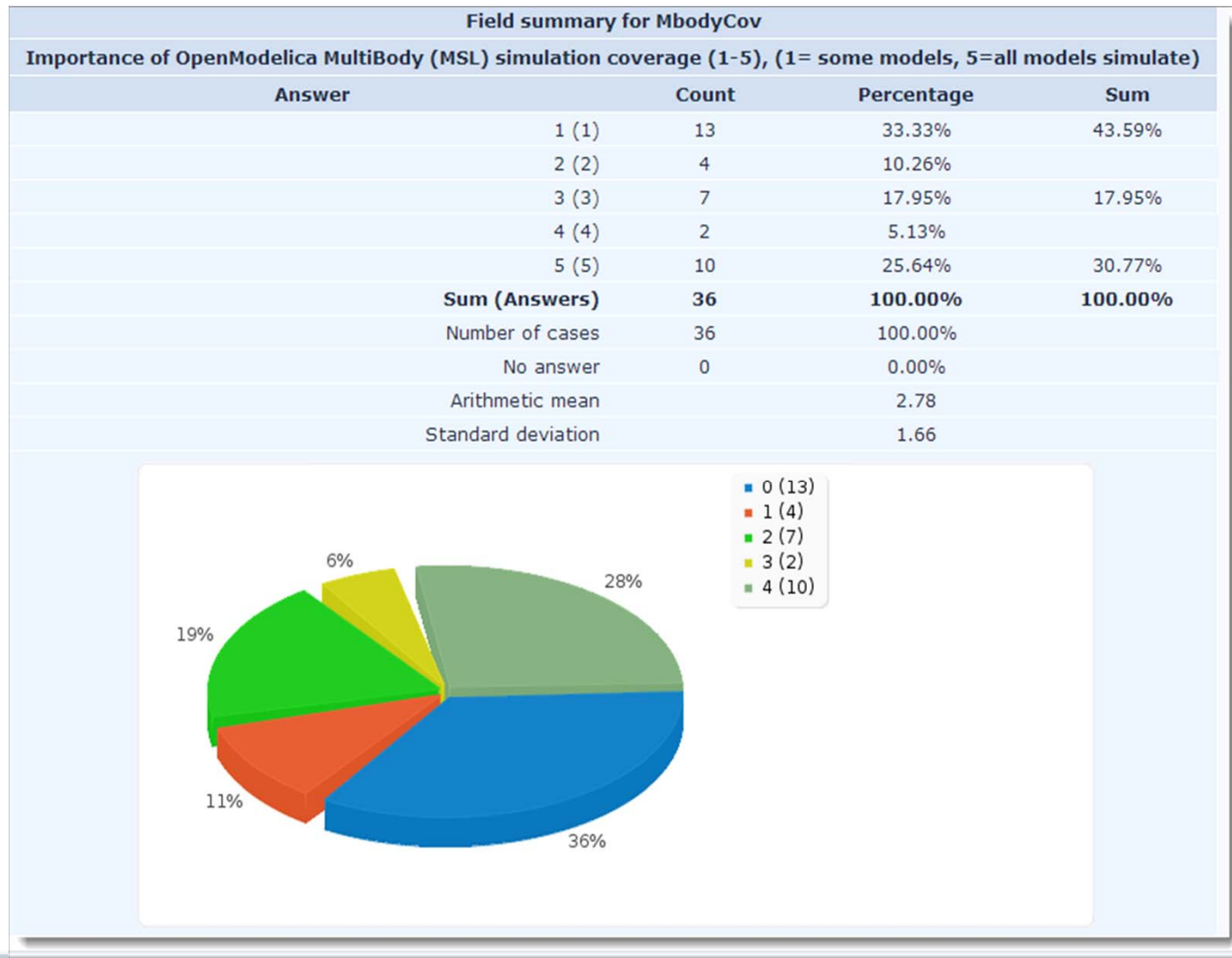
Q: Need for High Performance OpenModelica Tool (large models, fast simulation)



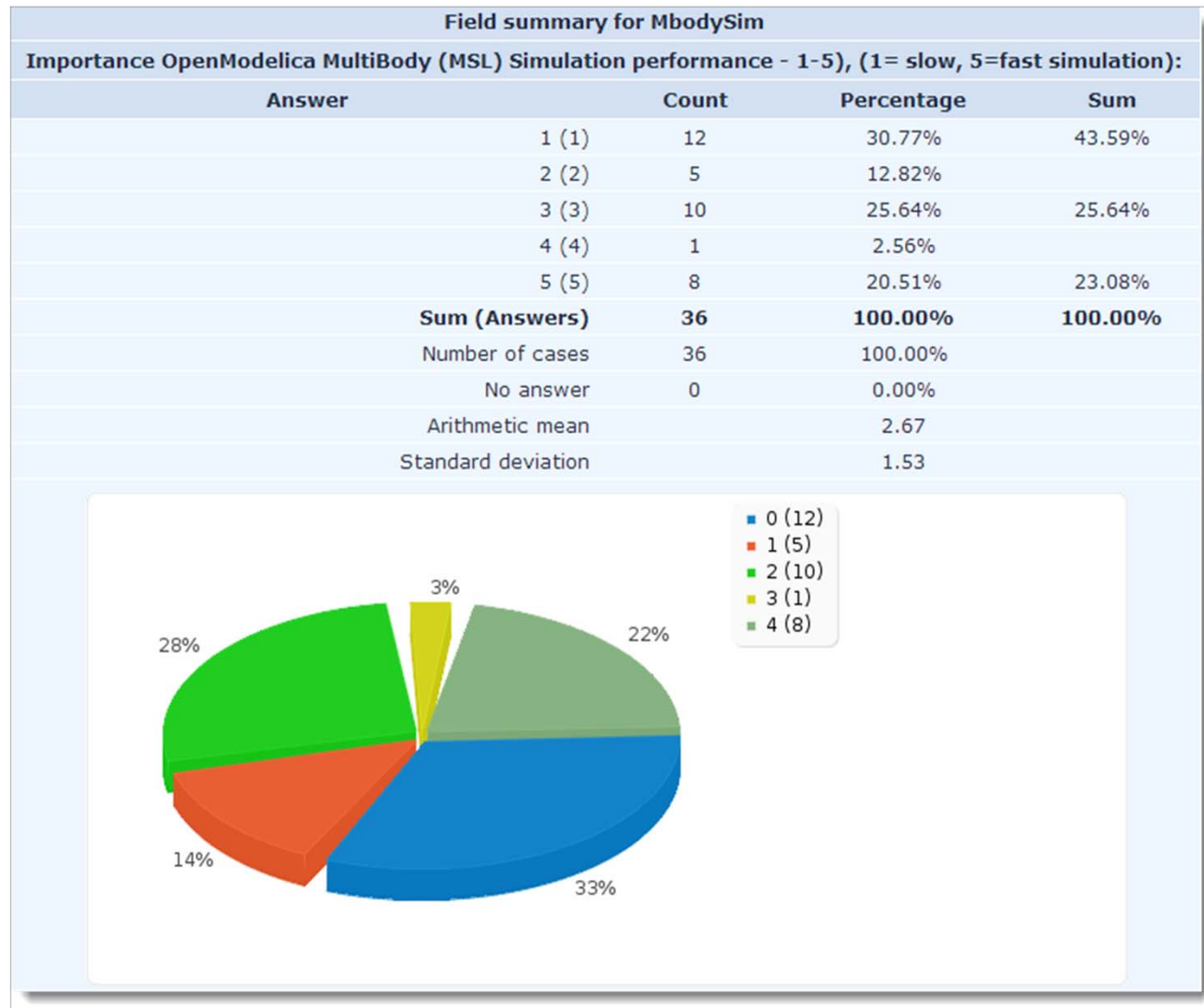
Q: Much Usage/Importance of MultiBody Library



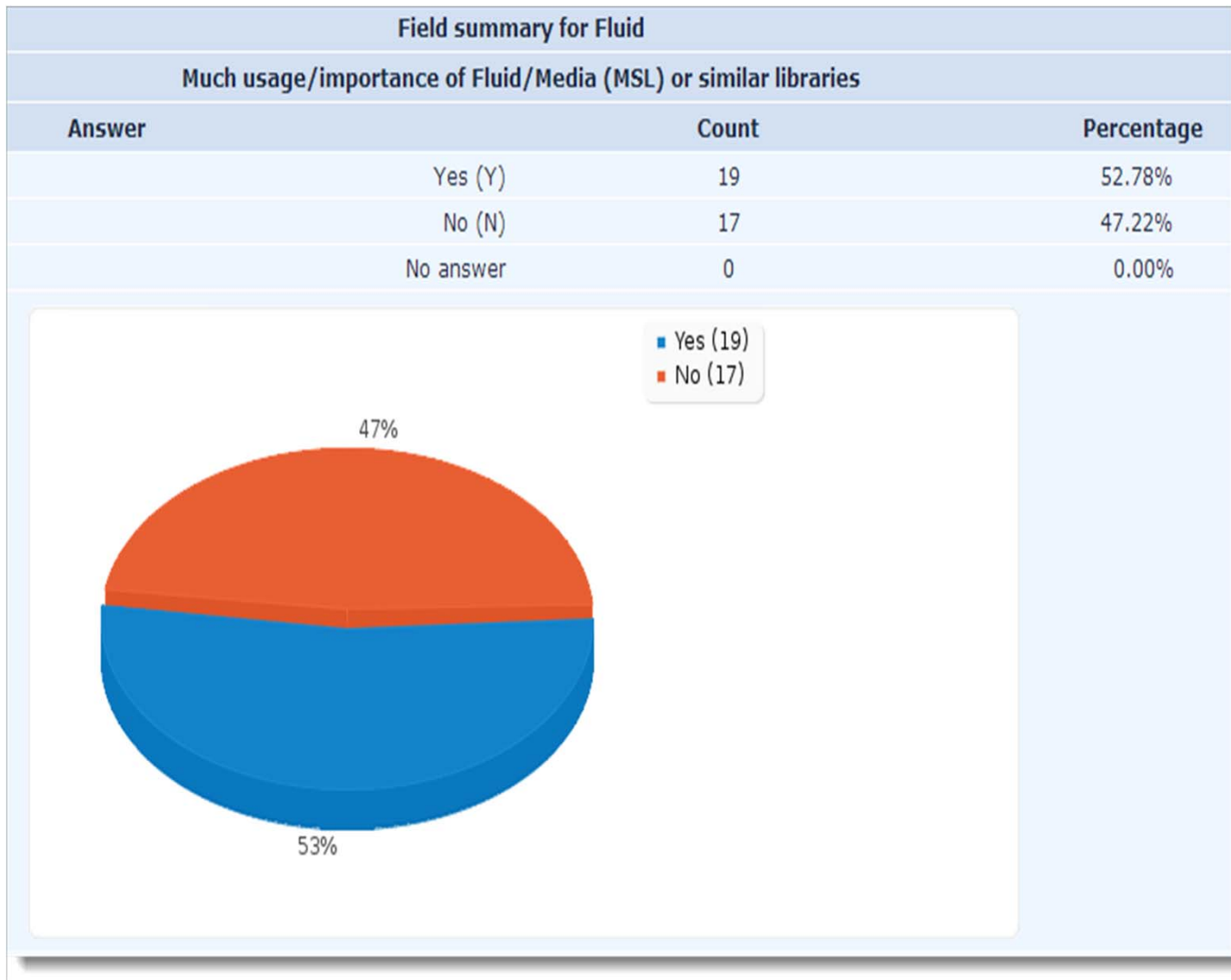
Q: Coverage Importance of MSL MultiBody (1-5)



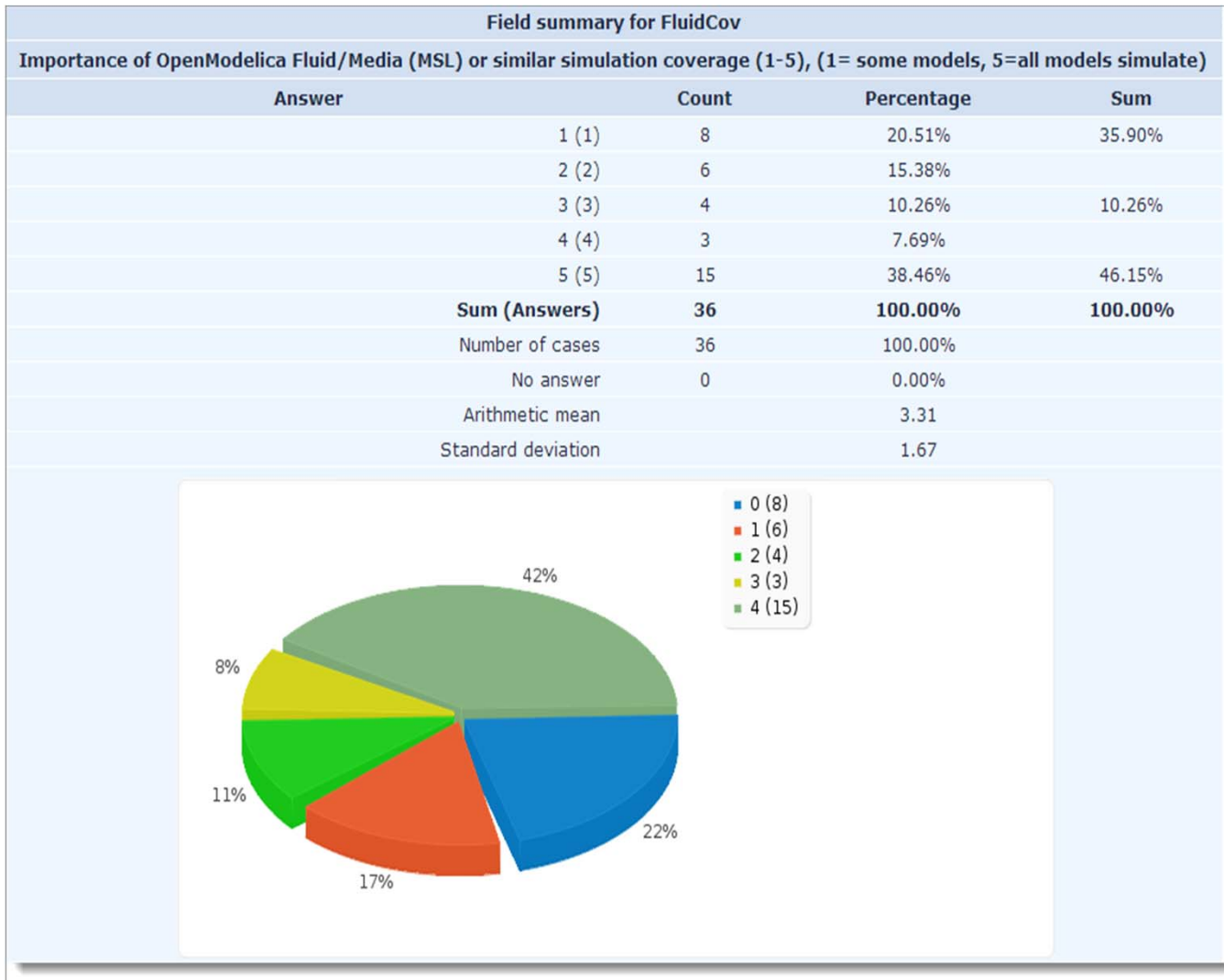
Q: Performance Importance MultiBody (1 to 5)



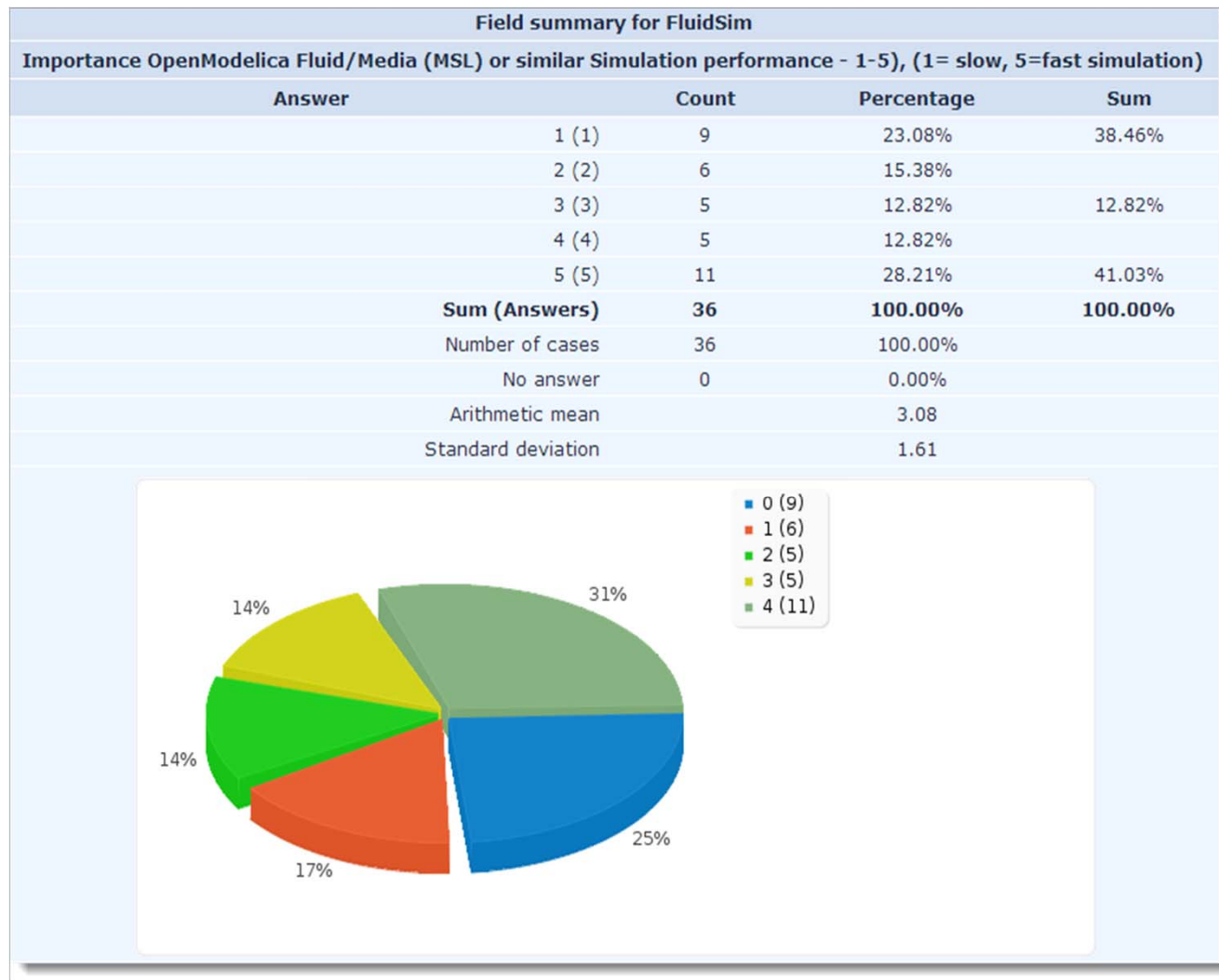
Q: Much Usage/Importance of Fluid/Media



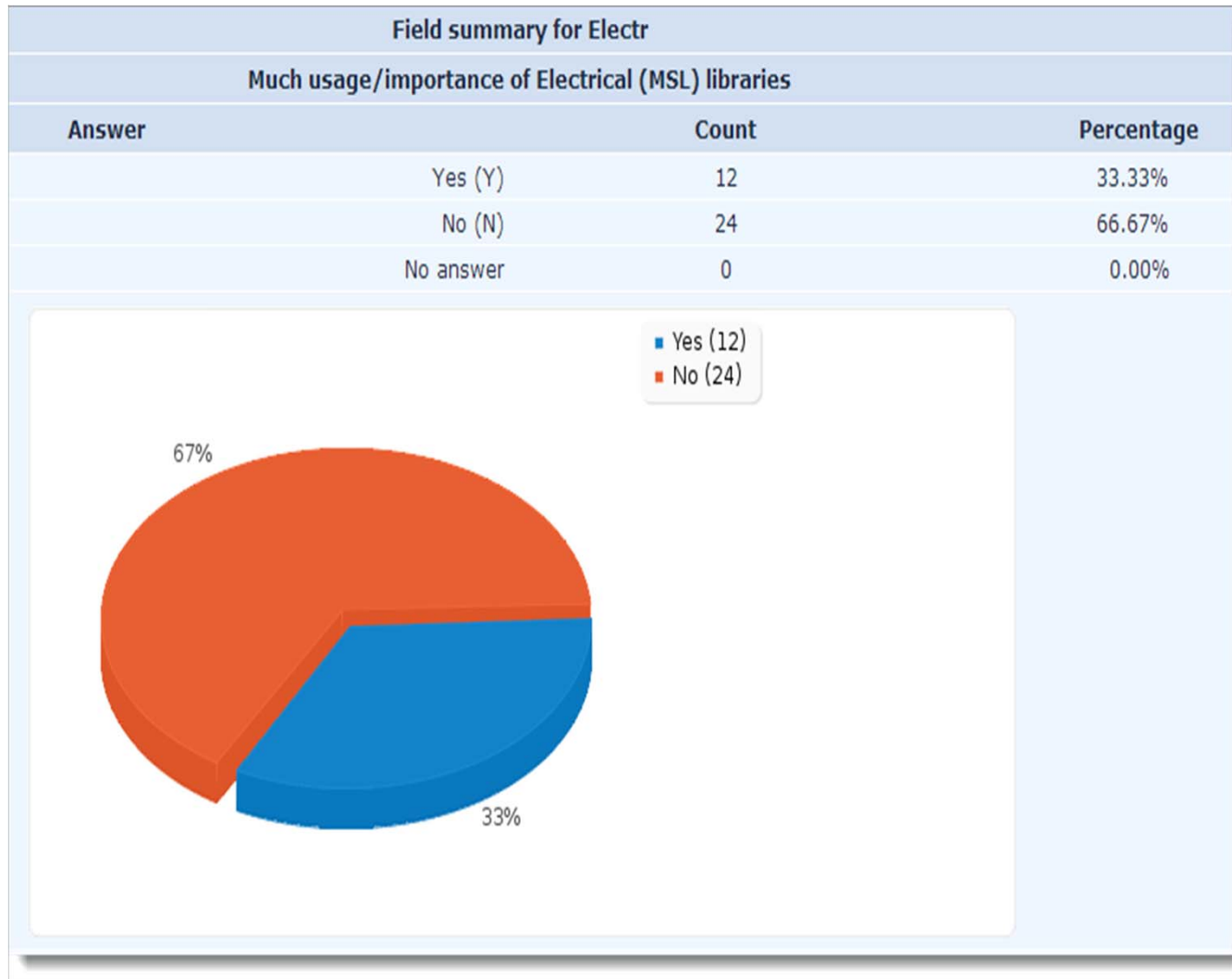
Q: Coverage Importance Fluid/Media (1 to 5)



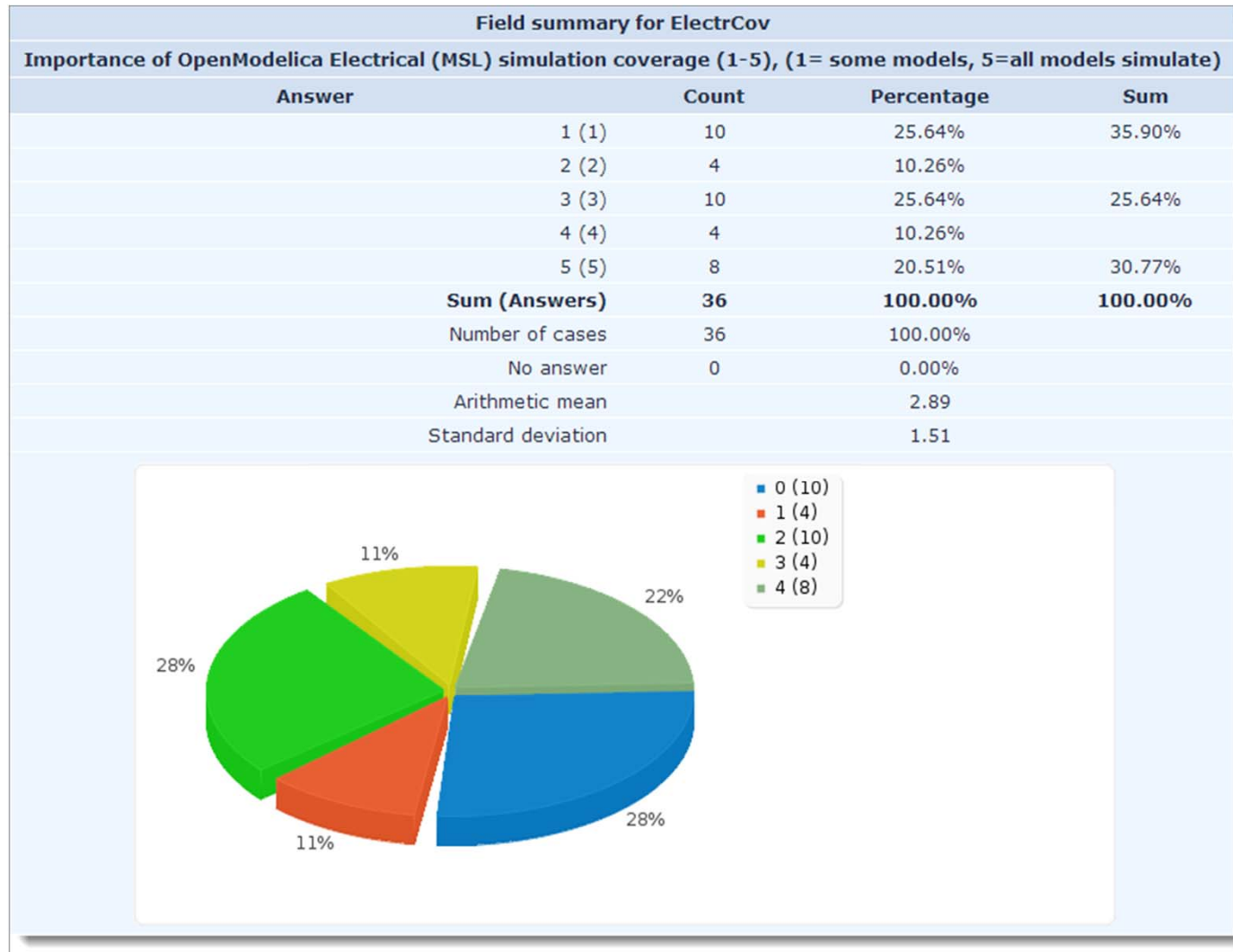
Q: Simulation Performance Fluid/Media (1 – 5)



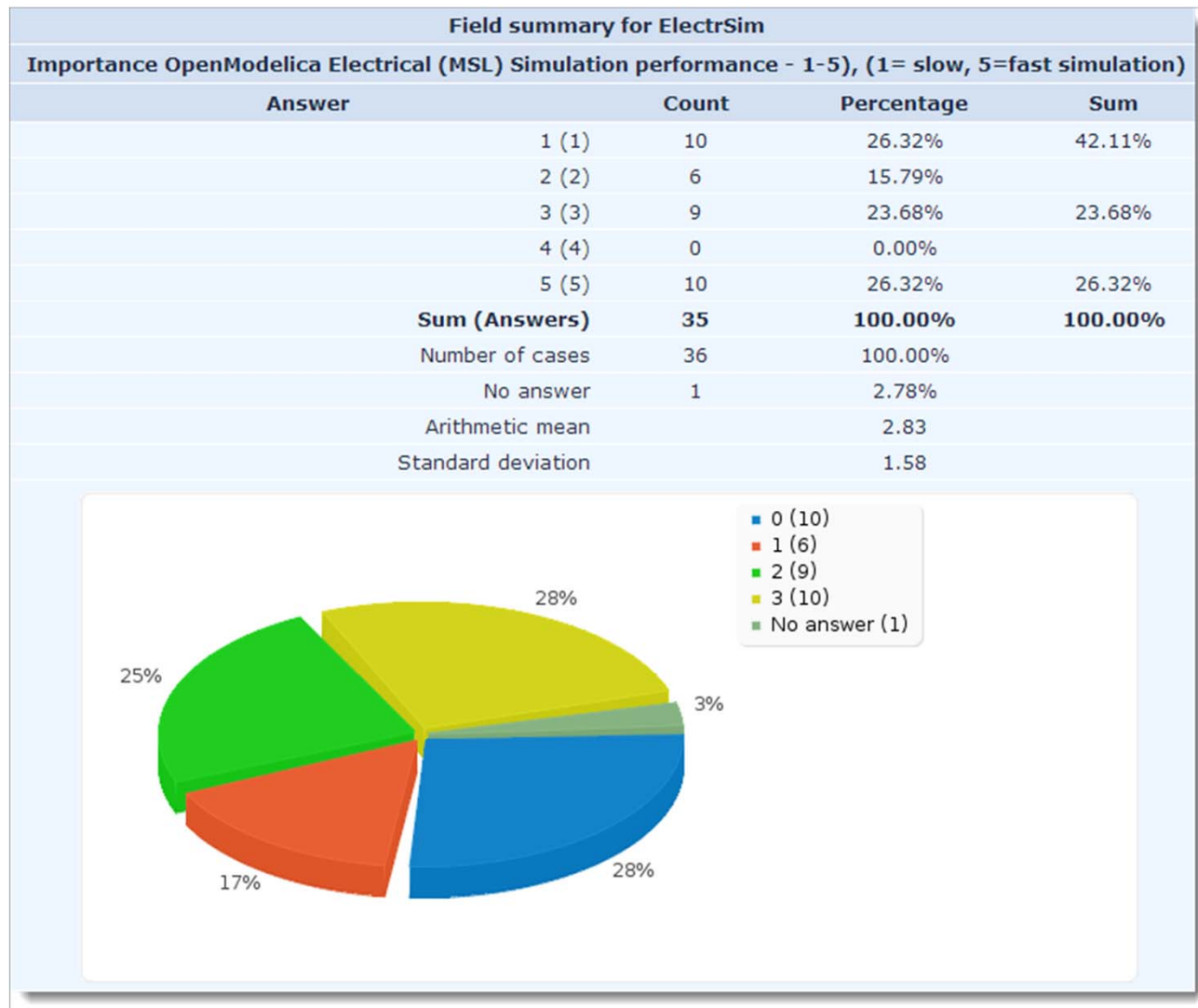
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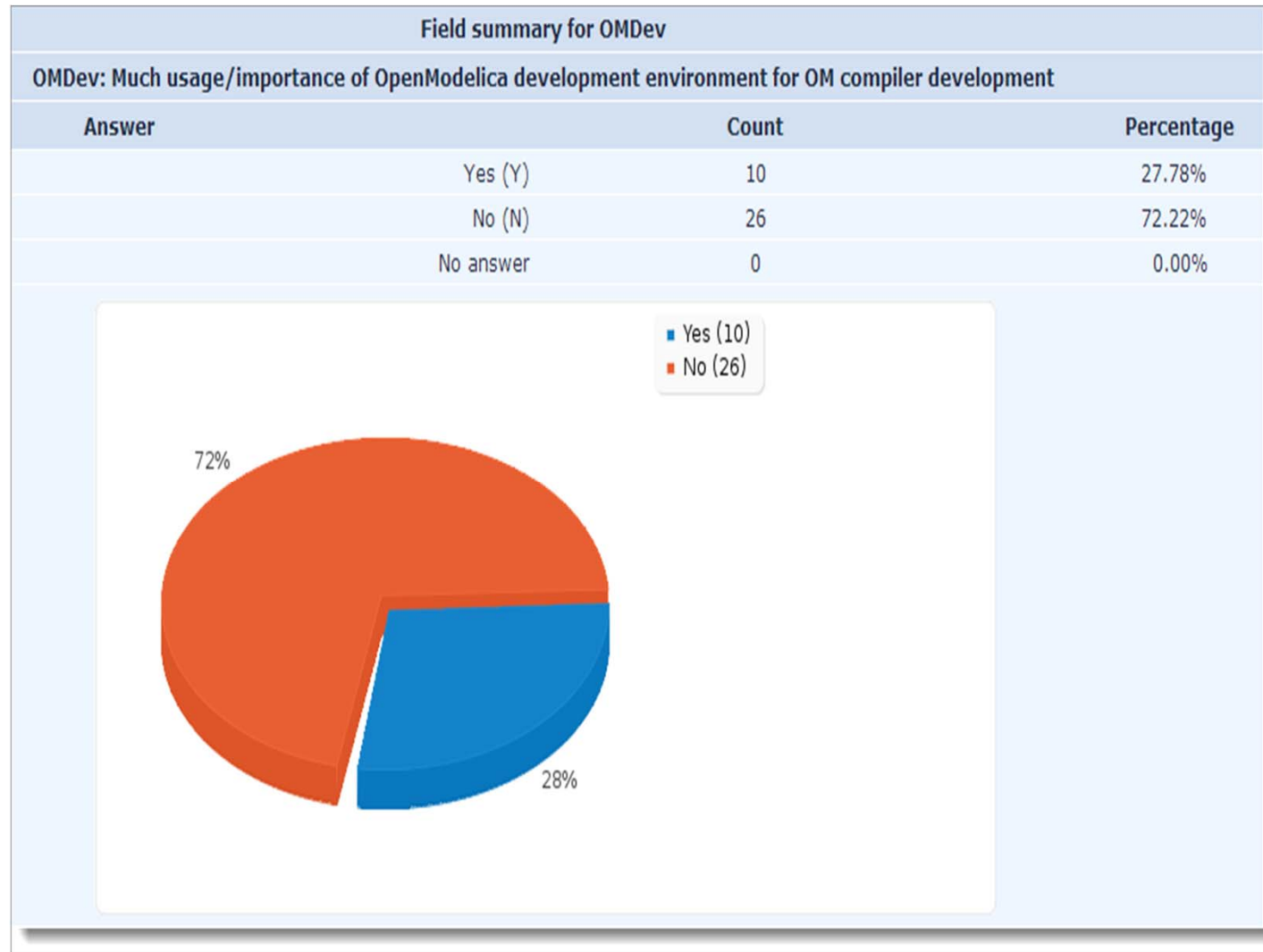
Q: Simulation Coverage of Electrical lib (1 to 5)



Q: Simulation Performance of Electrical lib (1 to 5)



Q: Much Usage/Importance of OM Dev Environment

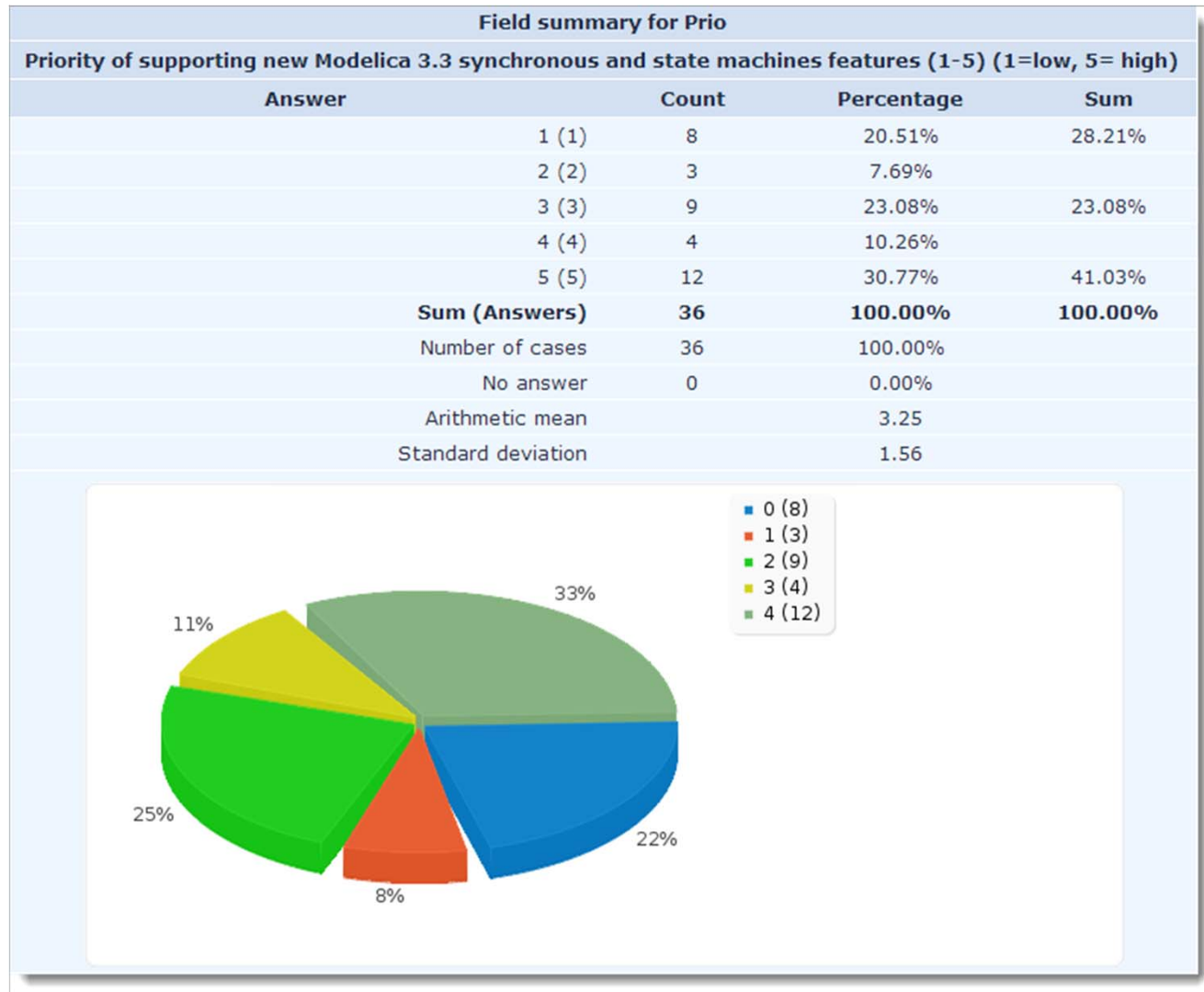


Q: Typical Appl Model Size (# of Equations)

Field summary for ModSize:	
Model size: What is the size (in equations) of your typical application models: (give a rough number)	
Calculation	Result
Count	32
Sum	534175.0000000000
Standard deviation	25639.59
Average	16692.97
Minimum	5.0000000000
1st quartile (Q1)	1000
2nd quartile (Median)	10000
3rd quartile (Q3)	17500
Maximum	100000.0000000000

Null values are ignored in calculations
Q1 and Q3 calculated using minitab method

Q: Priority Modelica 3.3 Clocked & State Machines



The Open Source Modelica Consortium

Purpose of the Consortium

- The Open Source Modelica Consortium, created the 4th of December 2007 in Linköping, Sweden, in the following called OSMC, is a non-profit, non-governmental organization with the aim of developing and promoting the development and usage of the **OpenModelica open source implementation of the Modelica computer language** (also named Modelica modeling language) and **OpenModelica associated open-source tools and libraries**, collectively named the OpenModelica Environment, in the following referred to as OpenModelica.
- OpenModelica is **available for commercial and non-commercial usage under the conditions of the OSMC Public License**. It is the aim of OSMC, within the limitations of its available resources, to provide **support and maintenance of OpenModelica**, to support its publication on the web, and to **coordinate** contributions to OpenModelica.

Open Source Modelica Consortium

Originally Created Dec 4, 2007

7 Founding Organizational Members

- Bosch-Rexroth AG, Germany
- Equa Simulation AB, Sweden
- TLK Thermo, Germany
- VTT, Finland
- Linköping University, Sweden
- Hamburg University of Technology/TuTech, Institute of Thermo-Fluid Dynamics, Germany
- Technical University of Braunschweig, the Institut of Thermodynamik, Germany

OSMC – Open Source Modelica Consortium

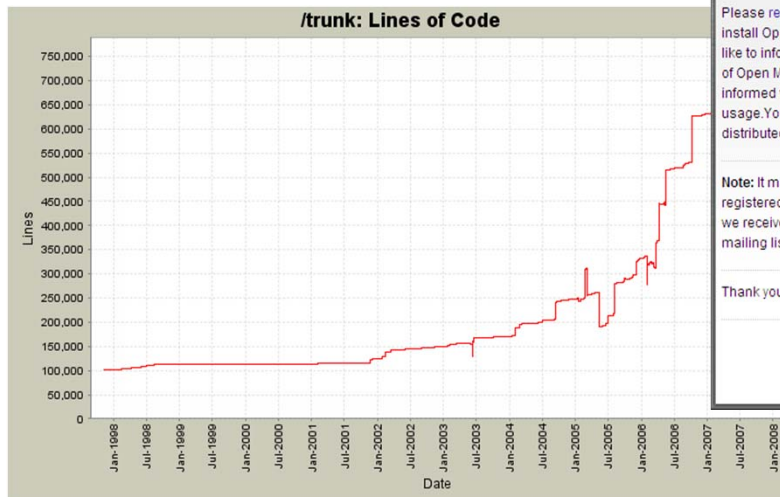
45 organizational members December 2012

Founded Dec 4, 2007

Open-source community services

- Website and Support Forum
- Version-controlled source base
- Bug database
- Development courses
- www.openmodelica.org

Code Statistics



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OSMC 45 Organizational Members, Dec 2012

(initially 7 members, 2007)

Companies and Institutes (24 members)

- ABB Corporate Research, Sweden
- Bosch Rexroth AG, Germany
- Siemens PLM, California, USA
- Siemens Turbo Machinery AB, Sweden
- CDAC Centre for Advanced Compu, Kerala, India
- Creative Connections, Prague, Czech Republic
- DHI, Aarhus, Denmark
- Evonik, Dehli, India
- Equa Simulation AB, Sweden
- Fraunhofer FIRST, Berlin, Germany
- Frontway AB, Sweden
- Gamma Technology Inc, USA
- IFP, Paris, France
- ISID Dentsu, Tokyo, Japan
- ITI, Dresden, Germany
- MathCore Engineering/ Wolfram, Sweden
- Maplesoft, Canada
- TLK Thermo, Germany
- Sozhou Tongyuan Software and Control, China
- VI-grade, Italy
- VTI, Linköping, Sweden
- VTT, Finland
- XRG Simulation, Germany

Universities (21 members)

- TU Berlin, Inst. UEBB, Germany
- FH Bielefeld, Bielefeld, Germany
- TU Braunschweig, Germany
- University of Calabria, Italy
- TU Dortmund, Germany
- TU Dresden, Germany
- Georgia Institute of Technology, USA
- Ghent University, Belgium
- Griffith University, Australia
- TU Hamburg/Harburg Germany
- KTH, Stockholm, Sweden
- Université Laval, Canada
- Linköping University, Sweden
- Univ of Maryland, Syst Eng USA
- Univ of Maryland, CEEE, USA
- Politecnico di Milano, Italy
- Ecoles des Mines, CEP, France
- Mälardalen University, Sweden
- Univ Pisa, Italy
- Telemark Univ College, Norway
- University of Ålesund, Norway

Open Source Modelica Consortium

Individual Members

(62 individual members, 4 February 2013)

- Peter Fritzon, Adrian Pop, Martin Sjölund, Per Östlund, Peter Aronsson, Adeel Asghar, Mikael Axin, Bernhard Bachmann, Vasile Baluta, Adam Bergmark, Robert Braun, Willi Braun, David Broman, Stefan Brus, Francesco Casella, Filippo Donida, Jens Frenkel, Mahder Gebremedhin, Pavel Grozman, Daniel Hedberg, Michael Hanke, Zoheb Hossain, Alf Isaksson, Kim Jansson, Daniel Kanth, Tommi Karhela, Juha Kortelainen, Abhin Kothari, Petter Krus, Alexey Lebedev, Oliver Lenord, Ariel Liebman, Rickard Lindberg, Håkan Lundvall, Abhi Raj Metkar, Eric Meyers, Tuomas Miettinen, Afshin Moghadam, Maroun Nemer, Hannu Niemistö, Peter Nordin, Kristoffer Norling, Lennart Ochel, Arunkumar Palanisamy, Karl Pettersson, Pavol Privitzer, Reino Ruusu, Per Sahlin, Wladimir Schamai, Gerhard Schmitz, Alachew Shitahun, Magnus Sjöstrand, Anton Sodja, Ingo Staack, Kristian Stavåker, Sonia Tariq, Mohsen Torabzadeh-Tari, Parham Vasaiely, Niklas Worschech, Robert Wotzlaw, Björn Zackrisson, Azam Zia

Open Source Modelica Consortium – OSMC

Board of Directors 2012

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- **Gerhard Schmitz**, Prof, Univ. Hamburg, Germany
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- **Francesco Casella**, Prof, Politecnico di Milano, Italy
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OSMC Board – 7 Meetings Jan 1 2013 – Dec 31 2013

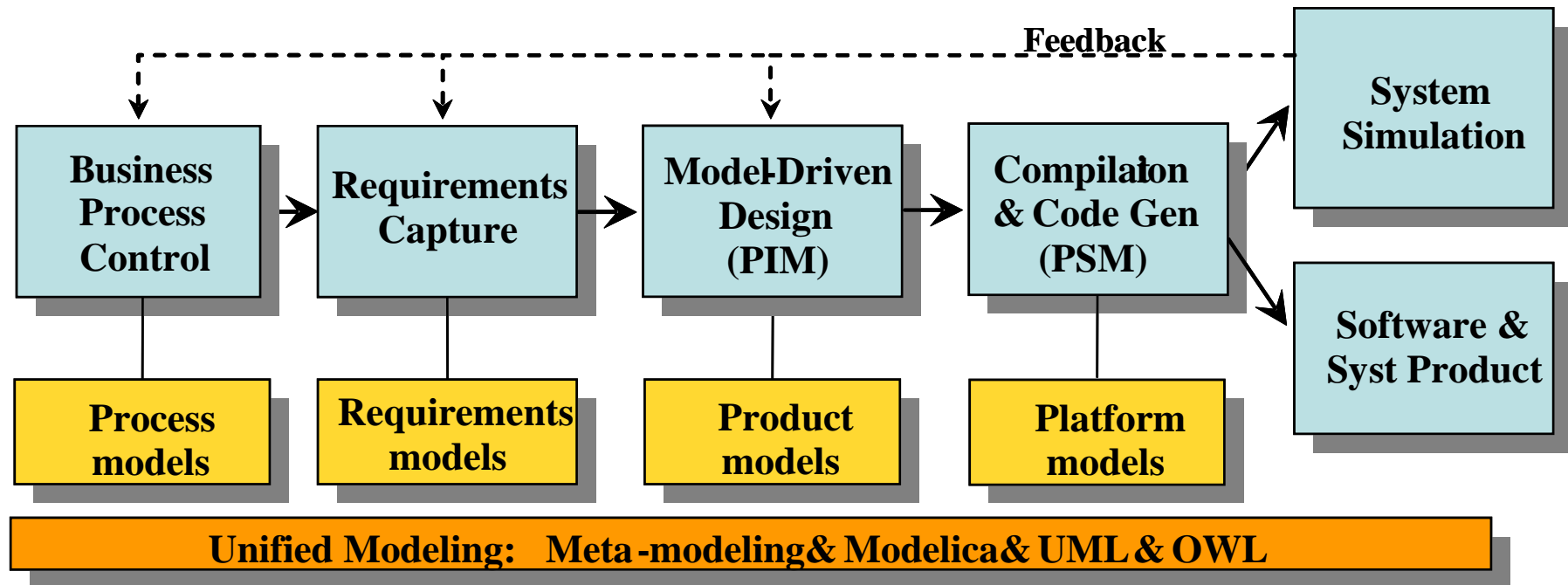
Meeting dates

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- 120314
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Board Work

- Planning and prioritizing the OSMC work
- Admitting new members
- Planning the workshop
- Budget
- etc.

Expanded Vision for OpenModelica Effort: Integrated Model-driven Development Based on OpenModelica, e.g. in OPENPROD project



Vision of unified modeling framework for model-driven product development from platform independent models (PIM) to platform specific models (PSM)

OPENPROD –OpenModelica related Project

- Duration: June 2009 – Dec 2012 (3.3 years)
- Budget: approx 11 Meuro, 94 Manyears
- 28 partners
- Very important for OpenModelica development
- Successful review Sept 2011 after 2 years
- Successful review Dec 2012 including most application demos
- (New project MODRIO approved, starting fall 2012)

Main workpackages

- Integrated hardware software modeling by Modelica - UML - SysML integration.
- Model compiler enhancements.
- Compilation of Modelica to parallel multi-core platforms.
- Tool interoperability.
- Application demonstrators.

Special Thanks

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- The 45 OpenModelica consortium organizational members for support including Bosch-Rexroth, Wolfram-MathCore, Siemens Turbo Machinery, ABB, Siemens PLM, etc...
- Master students and PhD students who made important contributions.

Conclusions and Summary 2012

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- Dec 2012/Jan 2013. Breakthrough Fluid support. 92% MSL 3.2.1 simulating. OpenModelica 1.9.0 beta3/4
- 2013. Good prospects for the future – towards a standard high quality open source Modelica implementation in Modelica, increased tool support for integrated systems engineering.

Questions?

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