

Case Study - Richard Parr, Design Engineer

1. What benefits has DesignDataManager brought to your organisation?

For us the major benefits of using DDM are:

- A. Having all parts & assemblies in the same database means they are only modelled once, and it's extremely quick for anyone to do a search.
- B. We now have complete revision and issue control on our drawings.
- C. We have complete trace ability on any part, assembly or drawing.
- D. Before DDM, we had several designers all working on the same job. No matter how hard we tried to control who was working on what, we still experienced data loss with parts, assemblies and drawings being overwritten. The workbench system on DDM means this problem no longer exists.
- E. We now have installed the DDM Web Server and this is allowing much closer collaboration between departments.



2. What influenced your choice to choose DesignDataManager over alternative PDM systems?

Mainly price.

3. Has DesignDataManager directly influenced decreased development timescales at your company?

Yes. Due to the points in question 1.

4. Could you envisage working without data management? Please expand on this if you wish?

No. Pro/ENGINEER produces an incredible amount of design data. Without proper management of this data, you will always experience data loss of some kind.

5. Please make any additional comments that you feel appropriate regarding DesignDataManager or of the CSI organisation/people.

Like any new installation of software, we experienced some teething problems at the start. During this period CSI staff were always there to help overcome any difficulties we had. Now, 18 months on, DDM is proving to be reliable and is being utilised throughout the rest of the business.

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