

Case Study - Gwion Llwyd, Development Manager

1. What benefits has DesignDataManager brought to your organisation?

DesignDataManager has allowed Farrat to successfully control and manage product development activities. DDM was crucial to our successful adoption of Pro/ENGINEER and has resulted in the efficient storing and retrieval of our product design data. Complex products such as the 'Isolay anti-vibration flooring' could not have been developed without the efficient coordination of product design, finite element testing, and tool manufacture, facilitated by DDM.



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

Return on Investment was the prime consideration when selecting our PDM software. DDM was judged, and has proved to be a very cost efficient compliment to our Pro/ENGINEER investment.

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

Yes, primarily due to improved coordination and the reliable access to current product data. Developments such as the successful 'ISO8 hydraulic press mount' have been brought to market in a professional and timely manner.

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

No. All existing products design data and product development data has been organised around our Design Data Manager software.

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

Direct access to the small but highly capable team of people at CSI, developing and supporting DesignDataManager, has been a refreshing change to larger more remote software developers. We look forward to future releases of this continuously improving software.

About Farrat Isolevel Ltd

Farrat produce and supply a wide range of machine mountings, vibration isolators and anti-vibration materials which offer solutions to problems and applications in the field of Machine Mounting Methods, Shock and Vibration Isolation.

Two ranges of product to provide rigid support, levelling and fixing of precision machinery to their foundations. If vibration isolation is also required we would recommend foundation isolation



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