



Webinar:

What, how, and where to enter the RAMP 2018 Challenge

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<https://www.challenge.gov/challenge/ramp-reusable-abstractions-of-manufacturing-processes/>

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2018 RAMP: Reusable Abstractions of Manufacturing Processes

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About the Challenge

Building up a US manufacturing resource!

Posted By: National Institute of Standards and Technology

Category: Scientific/Engineering

Partners: NSF Directorate for Engineering, ASTM International E60 Committee, ASME MSEC, SME NAMRC

Skill: Engineering

Interest: Manufacturing

Submission Dates: 9 a.m. ET, Jan 29, 2018 - 5 p.m. ET, Apr 20, 2018

Announcement: Please join us for a live webinar on February 6, 2018 at 1:00 PM EST. We will go over the rules in detail and answer any questions. [Click here to access the live webinar!](#) The webinar will be recorded and posted here afterwards.

Showcase your manufacturing research by entering the RAMP 2018 Challenge! Finalists will be invited to present their entries in a workshop at ASME MSEC 2018 in College Station, TX, on June 18-22. Check out the official rules for details on eligibility and submission criteria.



Theme: This year's RAMP competition will be underlined by the theme...





Tracking Resources and Flows through the System

Similar to last year's competition, the building blocks of each submission are the Unit Manufacturing Process (UMP) models, which represent Reusable Abstractions of Manufacturing Processes (RAMP). Two of the main drivers within this Theme are sustainability and composability. Particular interest will be paid to those submissions that address some element of both drivers. Possible approaches that participants could take to address this year's theme include (but are not limited to) the following:

- Composition of a set of UMP models to conduct material flow analysis (MFA)
- Waste minimization for part manufacturing (or product assembly) using UMP models
- Detailed sustainability analysis of a single process using multiple UMP representations
- Environmental and economic tradeoff analysis using alternative UMP methods

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Prizes

	First Place \$1,000.00
	Second Place \$750.00
	Third Place \$500.00
	Runners Up \$200.00 up to 8 recipients

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If you have questions....

- Live participants: use the Q&A chat bar
- After the webinar, send any other questions to
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ASTM International: Committee E60 on Sustainability

Scope:

The acquisition, promotion, and dissemination of knowledge, stimulation of research and the development of standards relating to sustainability and sustainable development.

<http://www.astm.org/COMMITTEE/E60.htm>

Subcommittee E60.13 on Sustainable Manufacturing



ASTM E3012-16:

Standard Guide for Characterizing Environmental Aspects of Manufacturing Processes

- Provides guidelines for the formal characterization and representation of unit manufacturing process (UMP) models
- Fundamental foundation for the idea of a repository of reusable UMP models



Access to ASTM E3012-16 for RAMP Participants:
<https://www.astm.org/nist-ramp.htm>



Goals of ASTM E3012-16

- Characterizing manufacturing process models in a consistent manner
- Sharing and re-using manufacturing process information
- Promoting integration of tools for manufacturing-related decision-making
- Aiding in environmental sustainability assessment

More information about ASTM E3012-16

UMP Model

Product/Process Information

- Equipment and material specifications
- Process Specifications
 - Setup-operation-teardown instructions
 - Control Programs and process control
- Product and engineering specifications
- Production plans
- Quality plans
 - KPI's and quality plans
- PLM and sustainability plans
- Safety documentation

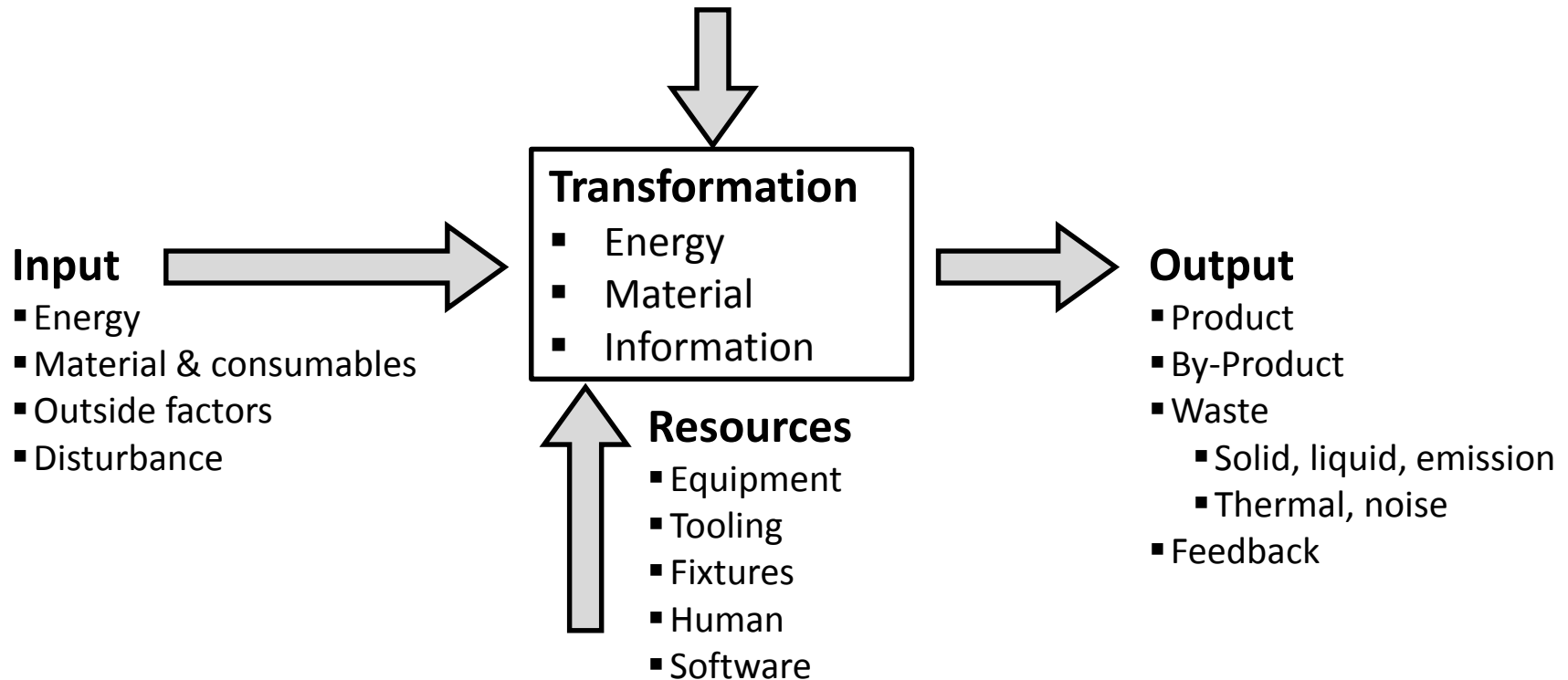
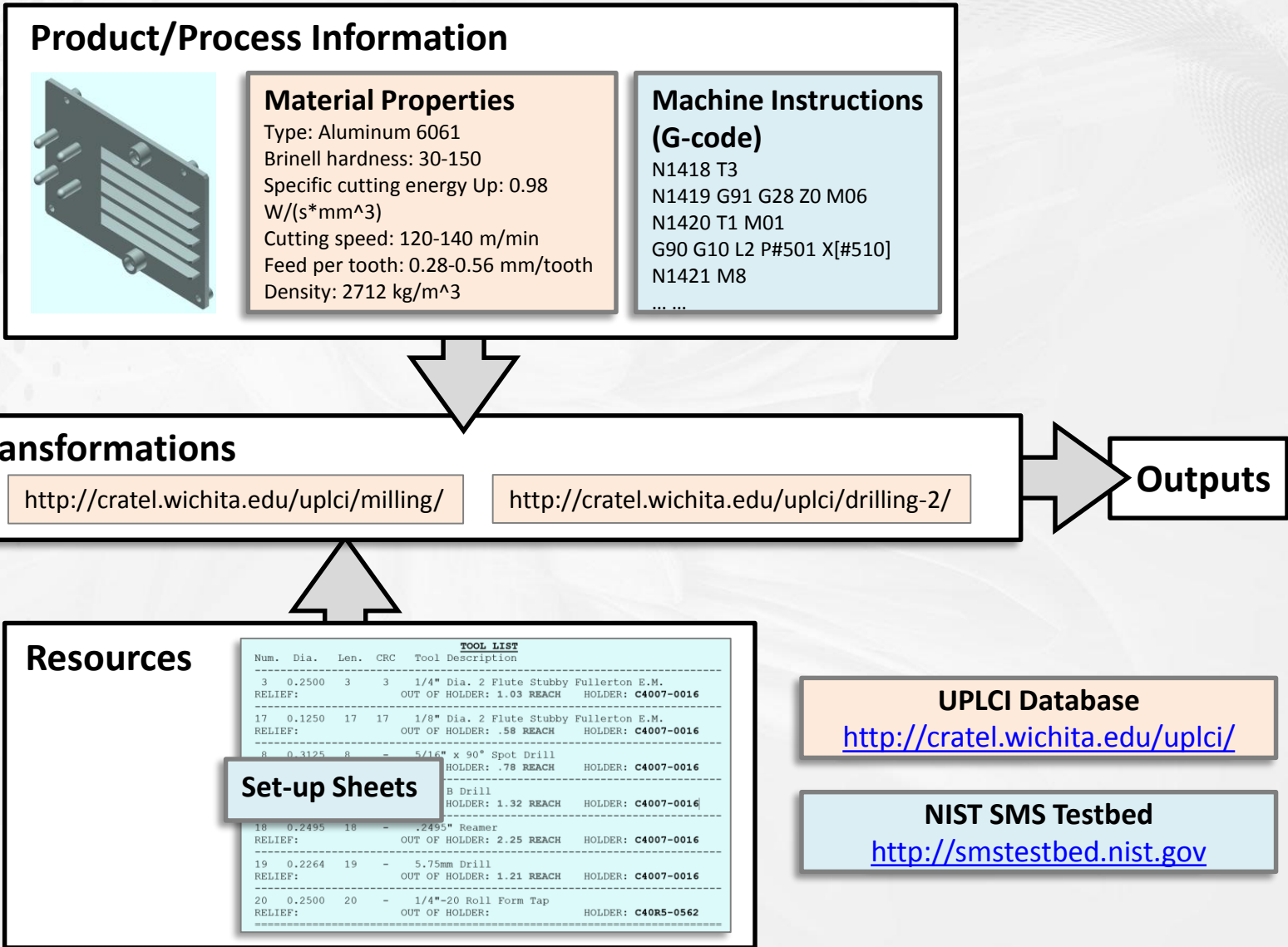


Figure based on ASTM E3012-16. Standard available for competition participants.



Example: Machining UMP



Brodsky, A., et al. 2016. A system and architecture for reusable abstractions of manufacturing processes. In *Proc. of the 2016 IEEE Conference on Big Data*. DOI: [10.1109/BigData.2016.7840823](https://doi.org/10.1109/BigData.2016.7840823)



Goals of RAMP 2018 Challenge

- RAMP = Reusable Abstractions of Manufacturing Processes
- Capture and exchange research results in the field of sustainable manufacturing
- Demonstrate ASTM E3012-16 on a variety of unit manufacturing processes (UMPs)
- Demonstrate the use of the recorded models to perform analysis, e.g. through simulation or optimization.
- This year's theme:

Tracking Resources and Flows through the System



Example approaches to address the theme:

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The “When” - Important Dates

Submission Deadline: **April 20, 2018**
@ 5pm ET

Announcement of Finalists: **May 7, 2018**
(by e-mail)

Announcement of Winners: **June 20, 2018**
ASME 2018 MSEC
College Station, TX



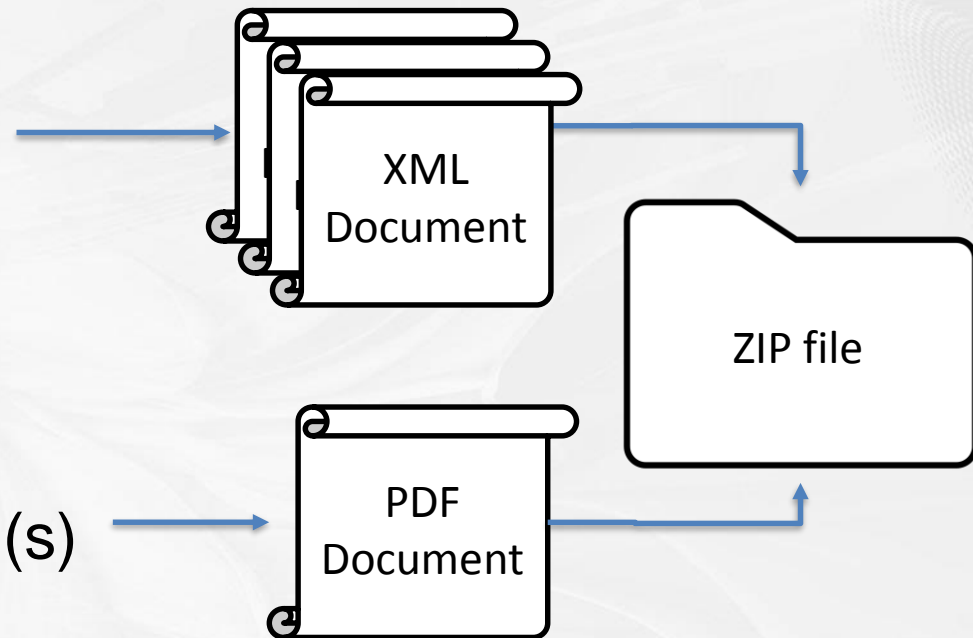
The “Who”

- Can be individuals or teams
- Person accepting prize must be US citizen or permanent resident



What to submit?

1. Information Model(s)
2. Introductory Information
3. Graphical Representation(s)
4. Written Narrative



Note: submission should be a single ZIP file to challenge.gov



2. Introductory Information

- Description of your submission, including:
 - Names of participants
 - Team leader designation
 - Affiliations of participants
 - Submission title

Note: can serve as the title page of your submission.



3. Graphical Representation – Generic Milling Model

Product & Process Information

Job Information

Part Description: Heat Sink Test Part
 Geometry: Complex, see CAD file (file.stp)
 Material: Al6061
 Operations: Mill thicknesses,
 bosses and counter bores,
 deburr, mill chamfers, radii, mill fins
 Required Tools: End mills, chamfer mills, rounding mills

Variable definitions for transformation equations (short list)

U_p – Specific Cutting Energy (W/mm ³)	p_m – Milling Power (kW)
V_i – volume of input (mm ³)	e_m – Milling Energy (kJ)
V – Cutting Speed (m/min)	f_t – Feed per tooth (mm/tooth)
$t_{a,o}$ – Approach and Overtravel time (sec)	VRR – Volume Material Removal Rate (mm ³ /min)
t_r – Retract time (sec)	L_c – Extent of the first contact (mm)
t_h – Handling Time (sec)	t_m – Milling Time (sec/cut)
t_i – Milling Idle time (sec)	E – Total energy consumed (kWh/cycle)
p_i – Milling Idle power (kW)	C – Total cost for energy (\$)
e_i – Milling Idle Energy (kJ)	CO_2 – Total CO ₂ for energy (kg)
e_c – Energy Consumed per cycle (kJ/cycle)	t_t – Total time for all cycles (sec)
t_c – Total time per cycle (sec)	$Yield$ – Items produced in all cycles (qty)

Inputs

Electrical energy, kWh
 Workpiece material
 (e.g. aluminum, steel)

Transformation Equations

$f_t = f_r / (N * n_t)$ $VRR = w_m * d * f_r$ For centered milling: $L_c = D / 2$ For peripheral milling: $t_m = 60 * \frac{l_m + L_c}{f_r}$ $L_c = \sqrt{d * (D - d)}$ For face milling: $t_m = 60 * \frac{l_m + 2 * L_c}{f_r}$ $L_c = \sqrt{w_m * (D - w_m)}$	$V = N * D * 1000\pi$ $p_i = p_s + p_c + p_a$ $t_c = t_l + t_c + t_u + t_i$ $V_i = l_m * w_m * h_m * n_c$ $t_{a,o} = 60 * \frac{d_a + d_o}{f_r}$ $p_m = \frac{VRR * U_p}{1000}$ $t_h = t_{a,o} + t_r$ $t_i = t_h + t_m$	$e_m = p_m * t_m$ $e_i = p_i * t_i$ $e_c = e_m + e_i + e_b$ $t_t = t_c * n_c$ $Yield = n_c$ $C = E * C_{kwh}$ $CO_2 = E * CO_{2kwh}$ $E = e_c * n_c * 2.78e^{-4}$
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Outputs

Finished part, qty
 Waste
 Heat, BTU
 Material, kg

Resources

Operator: John Doe
 Machine: GF Agile HP600U
 Fixture Details: Mill Clearance, Drill, Ream and Tap Mounting
 Holes Orientation, Origin → (0.100,0.720,0.168)
 Software: See MasterCam for fixture and tooling specifics

Tool List:

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- 3/16" Dia. 2 Flute Stubby Fullerton E.M.
- 3" Face Mill
- 1/2" Dia. 2 Flute Stubby Fullerton E.M.
- 1/4" x 45° Chamfer Mill
- 1/4" 2 Flute E.M. With .020" x 45° Chamfers
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4. Written Narrative (1500 words max)

- Validation: explain how the model is validated.
 - Examples include: case study, literature review, traditional cross-validation techniques, or others
- Novelty of UMP analysis: show off your ideas!
 - Knowledge/understanding of UMP modeling
 - Standards supporting reusable models
 - Techniques for development & validation of UMP models
- Other important topics:
 - How does your submission contribute to manufacturing science?
 - How does your submission address the theme?



1. Information Model

- Your UMP model must abide by the schema (XSD) provided on the RAMP 2018 website
- Description of each element and attribute included in the schema are documented on the challenge site:

https://www.challenge.gov/wp-content/uploads/2018/01/UMP_Schema_Documentation.pdf

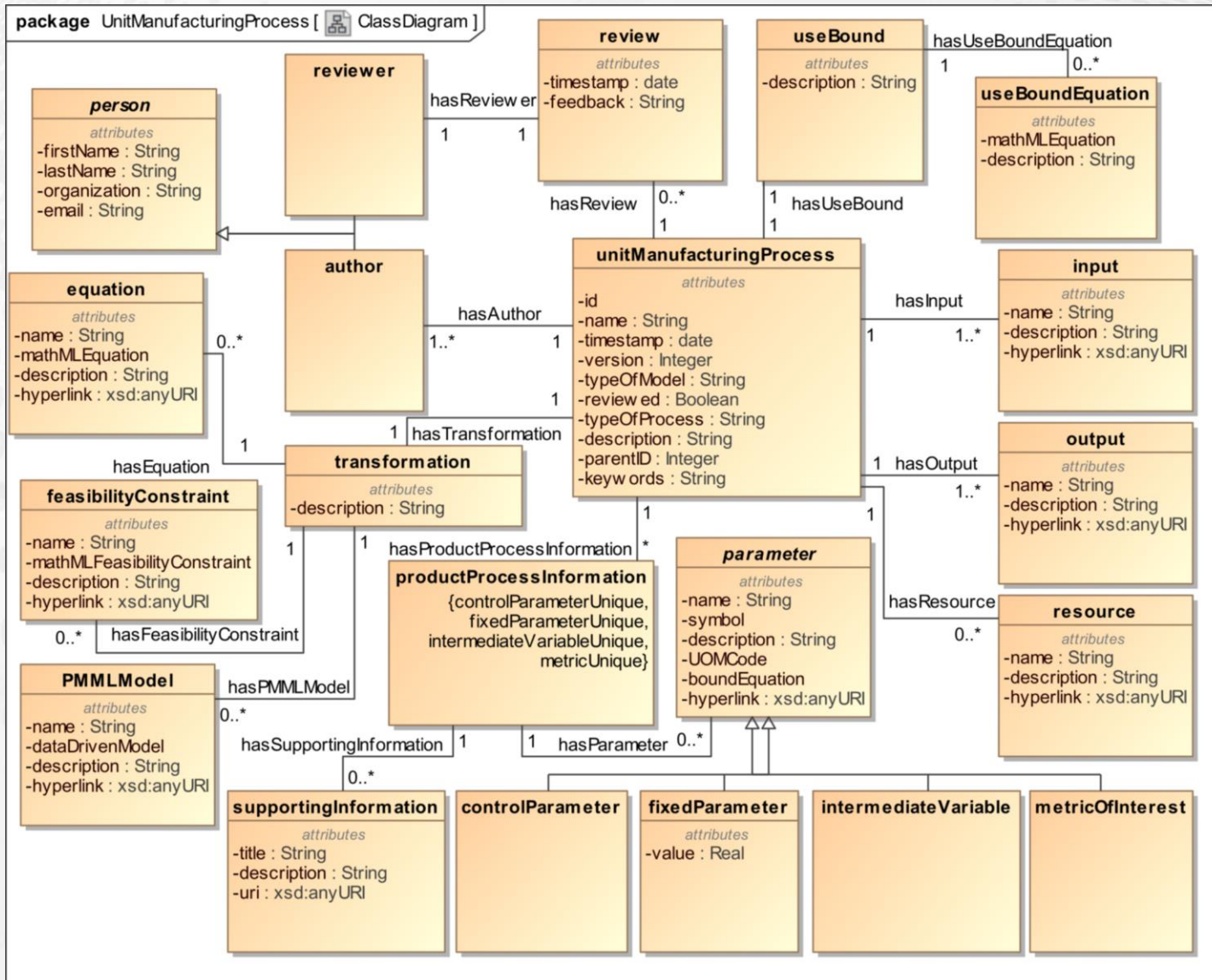
- Example: For recording transformations, you must use MathML or PMML

Note: This schema is not part of the published standard.

Info about MathML: <https://www.w3.org/Math/>

Info about PMML: <http://dmg.org/pmml/v4-3/GeneralStructure.html>

UMP Schema for RAMP 2018



Dealing with variables in your model

ProductProcessInformation contains 5 elements:

- [0...*] ***ControlParameter***: includes tunable model parameters that can be adjusted to evaluate different process settings.
- [0...*] ***FixedParameter***: includes model parameters that are fixed through the evaluation of the transformation equations.
- [0...*] ***IntermediateVariable***: includes calculated variables required to complete the evaluation of the metrics of interest.
- [0...*] ***MetricOfInterest***: includes performance metrics that the model evaluates regarding the process.
- [0...1] ***SupportingInformation***: includes all other relevant links to information needed to instantiate the model



Dealing with units in your model

Use “Common Code” from United Nations Economic Commission for Europe (UNECE)

Quantity	ST	Level/ Category	Name Description	Representation symbol	Conversion factor to SI	Common Code
Space and Time						
angle (plane)		1	radian	rad	$\text{m} \times \text{m}^{-1} = 1$	C81
		1S	milliradian	mrad	10^{-3} rad	C25
		1S	microradian	μrad	10^{-6} rad	B97
	#	1	degree [unit of angle]		$1,745\,329 \times 10^{-2} \text{ rad}$	DD
	#	1	minute [unit of angle]	'	$2,908\,882 \times 10^{-4} \text{ rad}$	D61
	#	1	second [unit of angle]	"	$4,848\,137 \times 10^{-6} \text{ rad}$	D62
	D	2	grade		= gon	A91
		2	gon	gon	$1,570\,796 \times 10^{-2} \text{ rad}$	A91
solid angle		1	steradian	sr	$\text{m}^2 \times \text{m}^{-2} = 1$	D27
length,		1	metre	m	m	MTR
breadth		1M	decimetre	dm	10^{-1} m	DMT
height		1S	centimetre	cm	10^{-2} m	CMT
thickness,		1S	micrometre (micron)	μm	10^{-6} m	4H
radius,		1S	millimetre	mm	10^{-3} m	MMT

https://www.unece.org/fileadmin/DAM/cefact/recommendations/rec20/rec20_rev3_Annex1e.pdf

Example of a well-formed XML document

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Review Criteria for Selecting Finalists

- **Completeness:** Submission follows the guidelines and includes all necessary components.
- **Complexity:** Model reflects the complexities of the manufacturing process, especially those which influence sustainability indicators such as energy and material consumption.
- **Clarity and adherence to theme:** Model is clear in describing the process-related information.
- **Accuracy:** Submission accurately models the process as shown through validation.
- **Novelty:** Approach taken develops new techniques to advance model reusability or reliability.



Live Judging at MSEC 2018 + Awards

Live Judging will be based off the same review criteria (75%) along with presentation clarity, content, and quality of in-person presentation (25%)

Awards

- First Place Prize: \$1,000
- Second Place Prize: \$750
- Third Place Prize: \$500
- Runners Up Prizes (up to five): \$200 each



RAMP 2018 support

- Communication through the RAMP 2018 challenge.gov discussion board
- UMP Builder: to help conform to the schema and automatically generate graphical representation
 - Note: optional for the competition



UMP Builder affordances

UMP Builder is a publicly available toolkit, developed at NIST, provides 5 key features:

- **Build UMP:** UMP Builder provides a form generated by the updated UMP schema. Facilitates the creation of MathML expressions.
- **Validate UMP:** UMP Builder offers model validation against the XML schema definition (XSD) for UMP models.
- **Visualize UMP:** UMP Builder automatically generates an interactive visualization of the build model, resembling the graphical representation in ASTM E3012-16.
- **Record UMP:** UMP Builder also can serve as a repository of your models. You can save either validated models or models that are a work-in-progress. Your models are kept private and are not viewable for other users of the system.
- **Explore UMP repository:** Once you record a set of models, UMP Builder offers various querying capabilities to explore the repository. You will be able to see only your own models.

<https://umpbuilder.nist.gov>

For best performance, use Mozilla Firefox.





Pause to check Q&A board...

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Demo: UMP Builder

<https://umpbuilder.nist.gov>

Available for your use!



Thank you for your attention!

Best of luck in RAMP 2018!

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