Capsim-GlobalDNATM

Bringing Real-World International-Business Experience into Large-Enrollment Classrooms



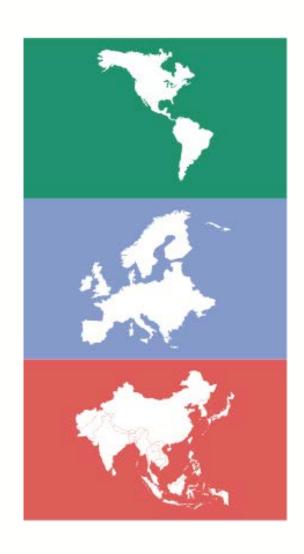
ADVANTAGES OF USING SIMULATION

- Hands-on, in-depth, real-world application of concepts learned in course
- Team element improves communication and professional skills; competition builds excitement
- >Simulation can be paired with TeamMate, powerful peer-evaluation and peer-improvement tool
- >Although student work is substantive, grading is simple, easily done in Excel

CHALLENGES OF USING SIMULATION

- >Intimidating interface/data
 - -Excellent Capsim Support
 - —Provide overabundance of info: step-by-step instructions on paper and in video demos (done by TAs, for example)
- Navigating team dynamics
 - -Choose teams for students
 - -Group students according to ability, major, other categories
 - Encourage immediate mindfulness of team problems; allow process to kick off underperforming teammates
- >Student worry about "competing" for grade
 - -Make most points participation/completion
 - -Students compete for only a small number of total points

THE SIMULATION



Medical Genetic Testing Devices Option to Sell in 3 Regions:

- Americas
- > Europe
- > Asia-Pacific

Preferences, Market Characteristics, Policies Differ Across Regions:

- Varying market and segment (hi-, low-tech) sizes and preferences
- > Exchange-rate fluctuations, tariffs, shipping costs
- > Trade agreements
- Regional customization
- > Outsourcing
- These change over time

TEAM COMPANY STRUCTURE



- DNA medical tests
- > Develop up to 4 products
- Segment Perceptual Map
- > Iterative product updates
- > Region kits



Marketing

- Regional Sales and Promotion Budgets
- > Forecasting ranges
- Fluctuating currency exchange rates
- > Local pricing



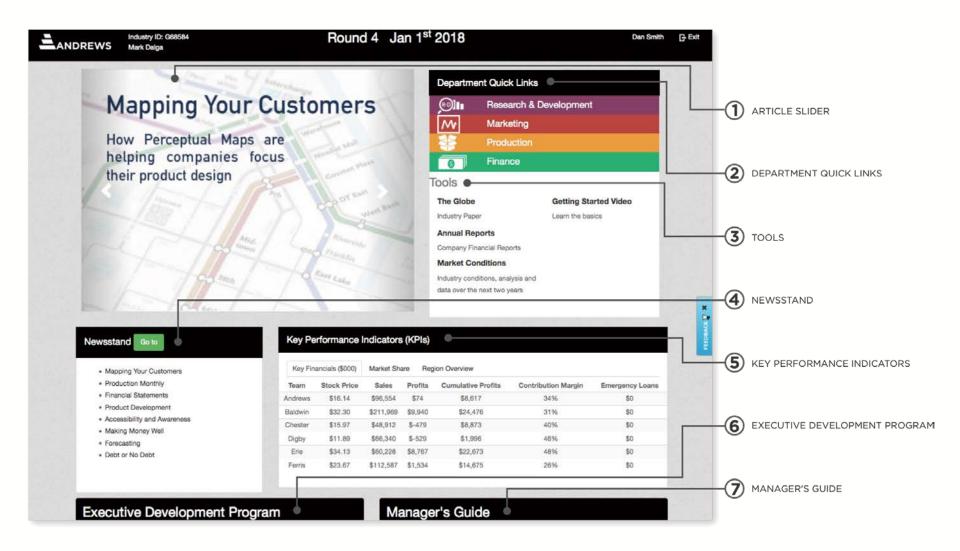
- One manufacturing plant
- > Outsourcing
- > Instant plant upgrades
- > Shipping and tariffs



Finance

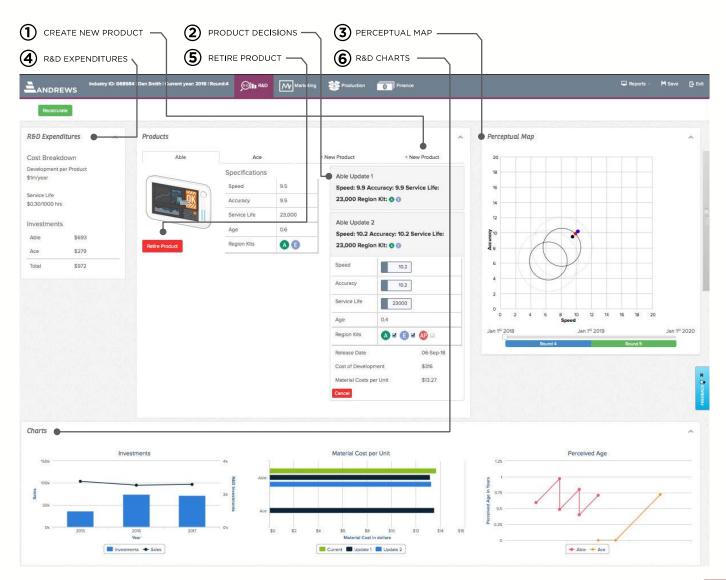
- > Pro forma financial statements
- Summary dashboard and key statistics
- International reporting

TEAM COMPANY HOME PAGE



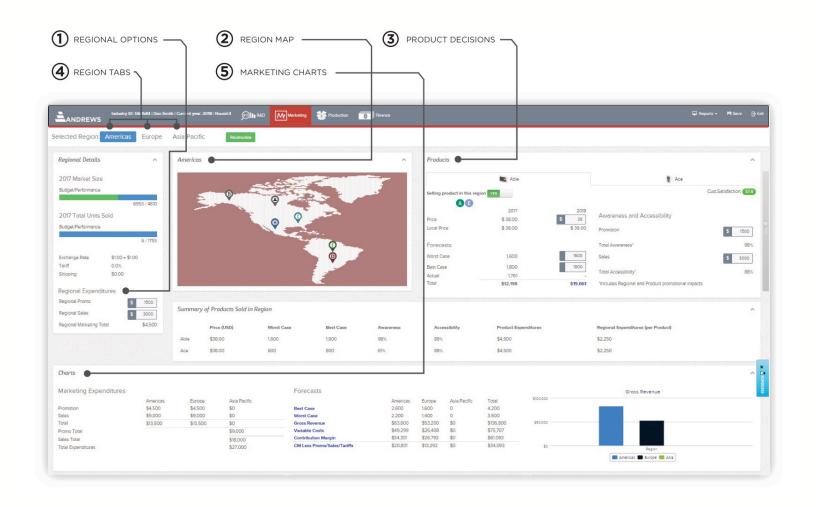


RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT



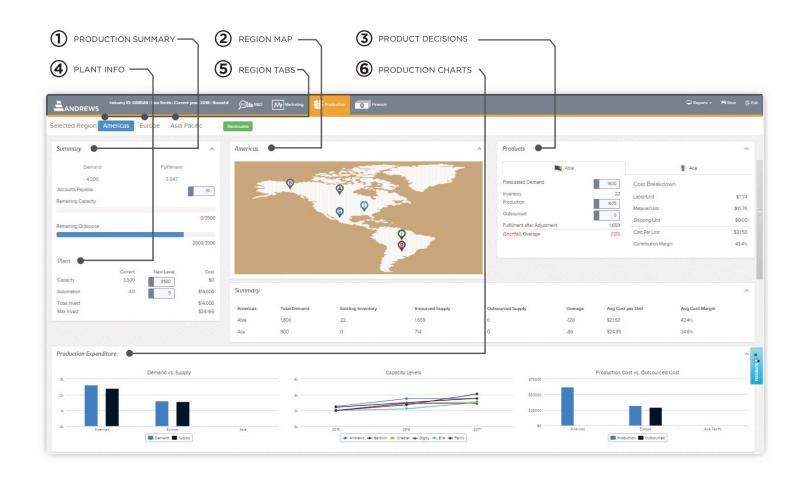


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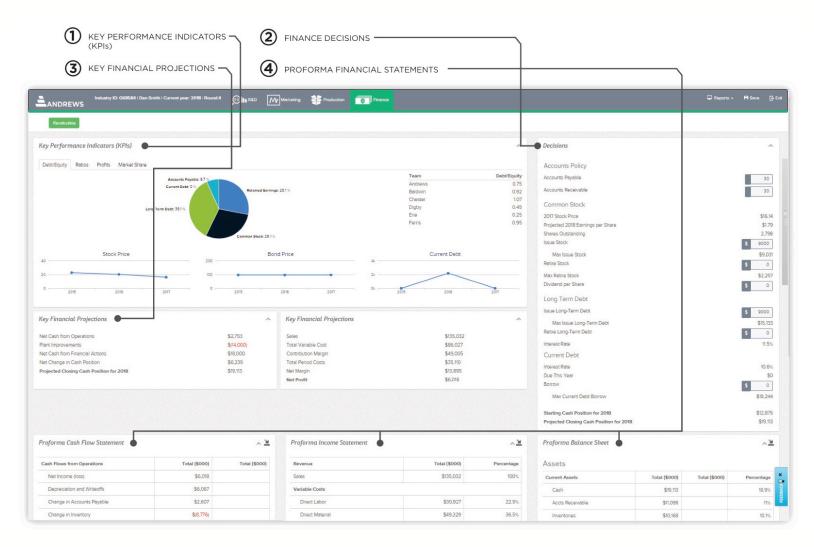




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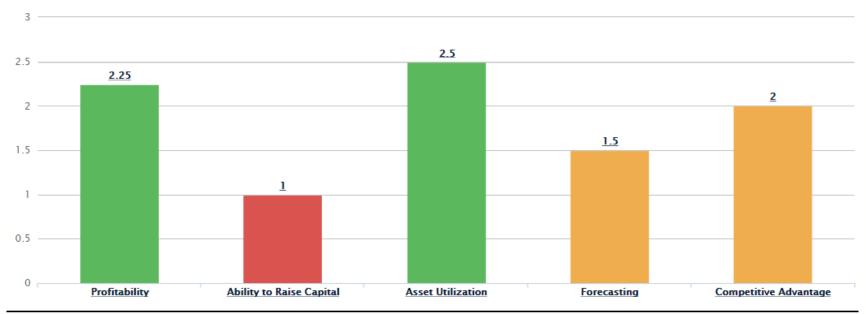
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RESULTS

Overview



The Good The Bad

- You lead the industry in contribution margin across your product line, which shows an ability to minimize your labor, material and inventory carrying costs. Keep up the great work!
- Your stockholders will be happy to see such a huge increase in your stock price!
- Your company outpaced your competitors, and the industry average, with regards to profits. Keep it up!

- Watch your outsourcing levels. Outsourcing typically costs more than producing in-house due to the fixed automation level of 2.0 at the outsourced plant.
- One of your products was stuck with very high inventory levels in Asia Pacific. To correct this, reduce your forecasts to a more realistic number, improve your product offering to meet customer demands and increase your marketing expenditures.
- Your company invested the least amount in the industry in your plant and equipment. Consider growing your internal plant's capacity and increasing automation to create long-term cost savings.