FMU import

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What is FMI?

FMI, also known as a Functional Mock-up Interface, is a tool independent open-source standard that supports both model exchange and co-simulation of dynamic models in a standardized format. The modeling tool supports FMI versions 1.0 and 2.0.

What is FMU?

A component that implements FMI is called FMU (Functional Mock-up Unit). It stores a simulation model that adheres to the FMI standard. To be more specific, the FMU file contains an XML description file and implementation in a binary form.

FMU import

The FMU Import Options dialog enables users to customize the FMU file import into the model. For instance, you can specify whether parameters from the FMU file should be imported as ports or value properties. Additionally, you can change the name of the Block (the FMU model name is used by default) and automatically attach the file to the project on import.

The FMU Import Options dialog has the following options:

Option name	Description						
Direction	The direction of the port: In or Out. Inputs and Outputs are selected to be imported as ports by default.						
Name	The name of the property/parameter.						
Туре	The type of the property, for example, value property.						
Description	The textual description of the property.						
As Port	If the checkbox under As Port is selected, the property is imported into the model as a Flow port.						
Redefine	The Redefine option allows redefining inherited value and part properties.						
C Select All	Click to select all listed properties at once.						
C Select None	Click to deselect all listed properties at once.						
Attach file to the project	If the checkbox next to Attach file to the project is selected, the imported FMU file is automatically attached to the model.						
Block name: WaterTank.Control	The name of the Block created in the model on import. By default, the name of the FMU model is used, but you can set the one you like.						

To import the FMU file into the model

1. In the top-left corner of the modeling tool, click **File** > **Import From** > **FMU File**.

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	Model Execution & Integration		
	Use Project	>	
	Import From	>	Another Project
	Export To	>	CSV File
	Convert To	>	UML 2.1/2.5 XMI File
	Share Packages		MagicDraw Native XML File
	Save as Image		MOF XMI File
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2. Select the FMU file on your file system and click **Open**.

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3. In the FMU Import Options dialog, specify which properties from the FMU file should be imported into your model as values and ports. Click OK.

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#### Dragging and dropping FMU on diagram

Alternatively, you can import the FMU model by dragging and dropping the selected FMU file directly onto the Block Definition (BDD) and/or Internal Block (IBD) diagrams.

To import the FMU file into the model using BDD/IBD

- 1. Locate the FMU file on your file system.
- 2. Do either:
  - Drag and drop the file from your file system onto the BDD diagram. A Block with the applied «FMU» stereotype is created in the model after customizing FMU import via the **FMU Import Options** dialog.



• Drag and drop the file from your file system onto the IBD diagram. A Part property is created in the model after customizing FMU import via the **FMU Import Options** dialog.



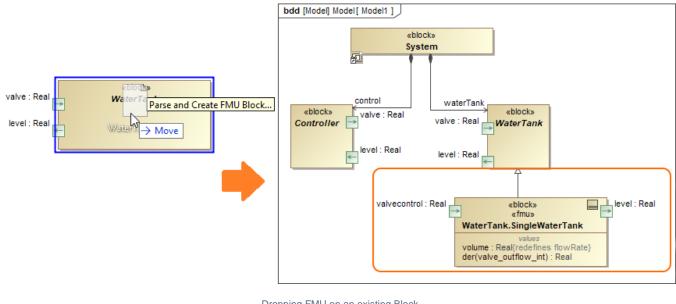
#### Dragging and dropping FMU on existing Block

You can drag and drop the FMU file directly onto the Block as implementation as well. Once the FMU file is dropped, the FMU Import Options dialog that allows redefining value and part properties of the Block opens.

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Redefining properties using FMU Import Options dialog

In this case, a new Block is created as a subtype of the existing Block together with the Generalization relationship.



Dropping FMU on an existing Block

In/Out properties in the FMU Import Options dialog are selected by default to be imported in the model as ports of a Flow type.

#### Updating existing FMU Block

An existing FMU Block can be updated by dragging and dropping a FMU file directly on it. This is useful in those cases when there is a need to quickly import properties that were, initially, left out.

To update a FMU Block

- 1. Locate the FMU file on your file system.
- 2. Drag and drop it on the shape of your FMU Block.
- 3. In the opened FMU Import Options dialog, select the properties to update the FMU Block with.
- 4. Click OK.

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	22	N/A	fs_p_p	🔽 Real		false	
valve : Real	23	N/A	fs_p_phi	🔽 Real		false	
Parse and Create FMU Block	24	N/A	tank_p_e	🔽 Real		false	
level : Real	25	N/A	tank_p_phi	🔽 Real		false	
Water™ → Move	26	N/A	valve_powerOut_e	🔽 Real		false	
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Dragging and dropping FMU on the existing FMU Block

Already imported properties are grayed out and cannot be edited in the FMU Import Options dialog.

the Attach file to the project is checked in the FMU Import Options dialog, a previous version of the attached file is replaced with a new one on import.

#### **Co-Simulation**

The FMU file can be simulated using Cameo Simulation Toolkit (CST). To learn more, please click here.

#### Related pages

• Simulation of SysML models