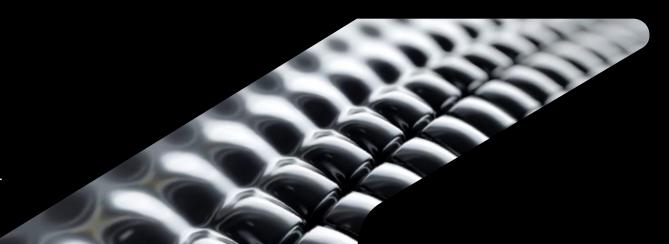


Assemble + Power Bl Developing a Powerful and Practical Model-Checking tool

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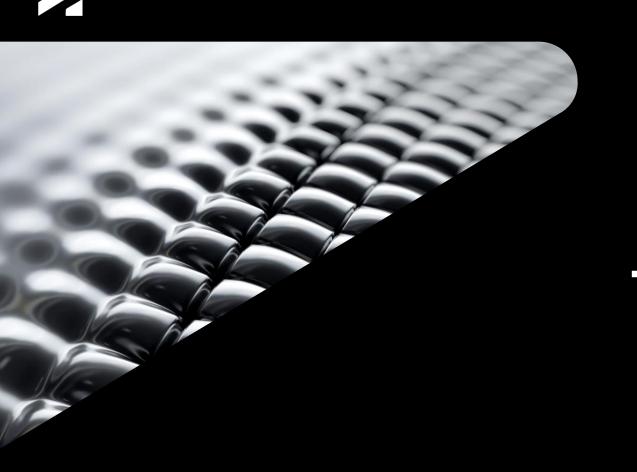
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Why should you stay in the room?

Creating a powerful and practice model-checking tool

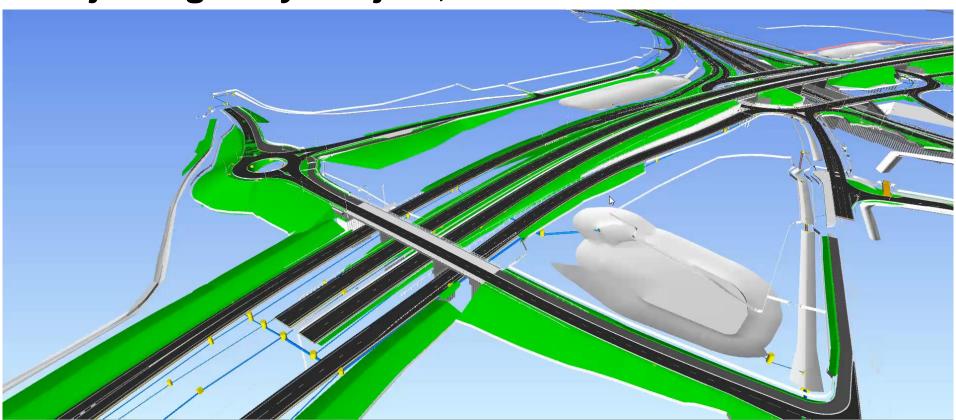
- Highlight our lessons learned and the value gained using this workflow
- Share example how to define model attributes and setup models
- Demonstrate how to set up Power BI dashboard using Assemble
- Better prepared to adopt this or similar approach to your project





The Project

Major Highway Project, U.K.



About the project

- 50+ Bridges and Geotech Structures models in Revit
- LOD4 and LOI4 definition
- Asset, Cost, Time and Carbon information extracted from models
- Strong collaboration between Client and Consultant





The challenges we faced

- Regularly submitting 50 models
- 75,000+ attributes
- Client has their own checking tools
- Engineers understanding content of the models
- Limitations with traditional methods of data extraction

Requirements of the checking tool



Confidence model data is compliant



Confidence design intent captured



Easy to use and updated quickly

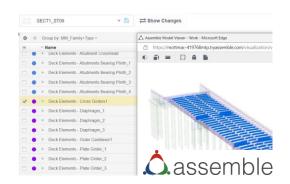
Our solution

Step 1Attribute definition and model setup

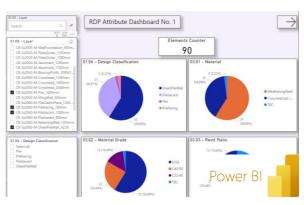


Publish model to
Assemble

Step 2
Model data hosted

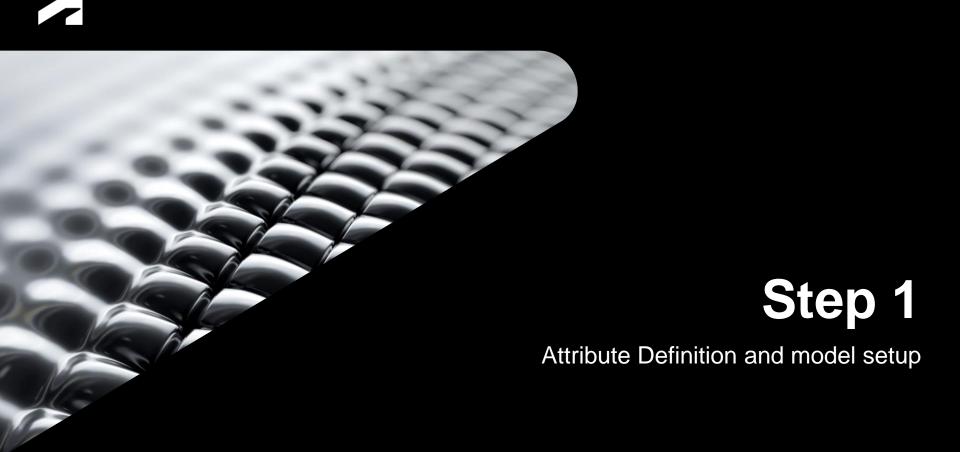


Step 3 Interrogate model data









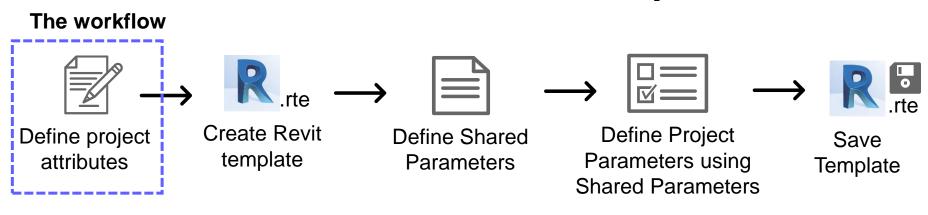
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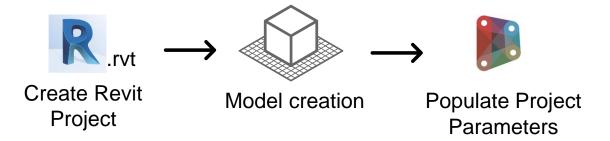
Key points:

- Attributes need to be robust and consider all asset types
- Staff need access to guidance and examples
- Likely to change as the project develops
- It takes time to develop!



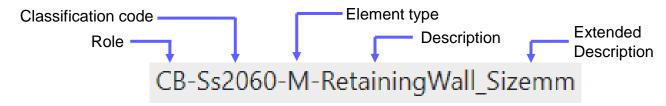
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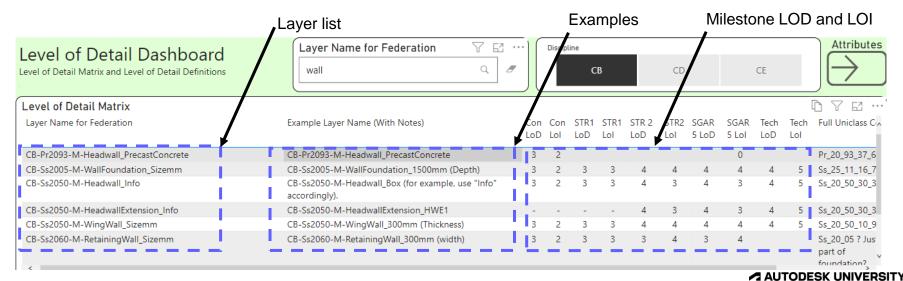


Define Project Attributes

Example – Layer name

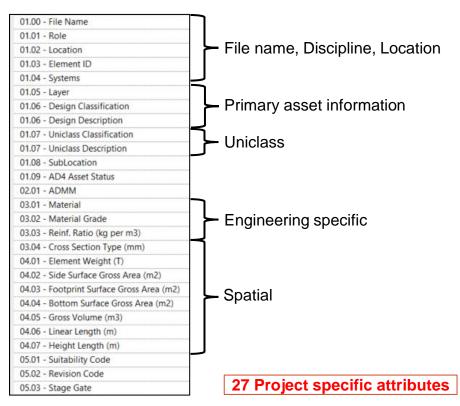


How we are communicating this with the team:



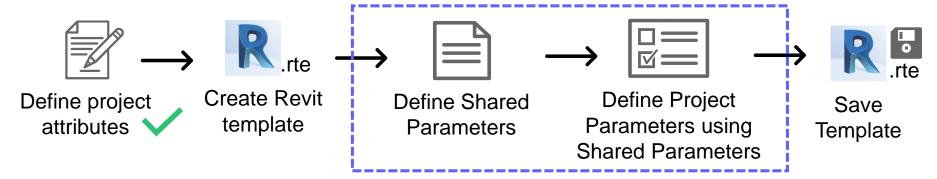
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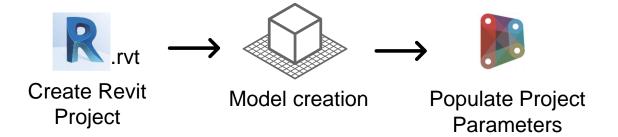
Example – Full attribute list



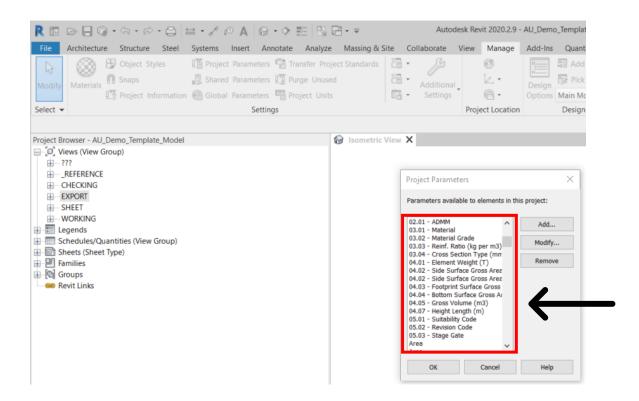
Attribute definition and model setup

The workflow





Revit Shared and Project Parameters

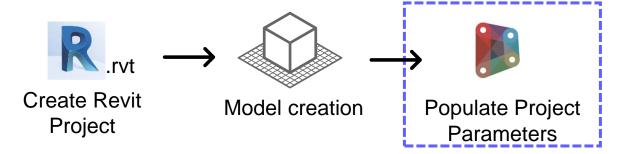


Refer to class handout for detailed instructions

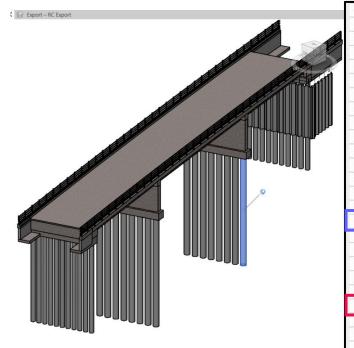
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The workflow



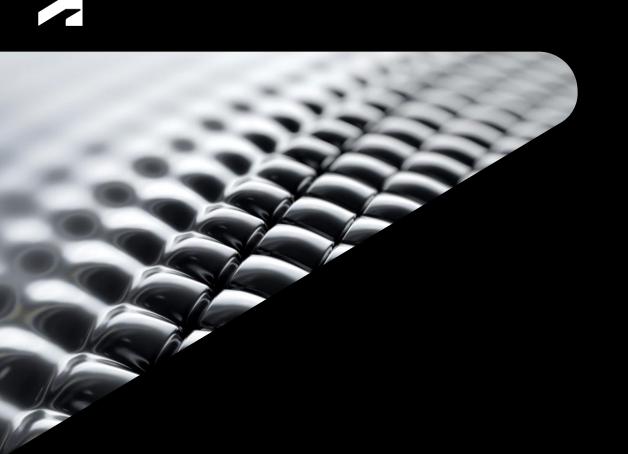


Project Specific Attributes



01.00 - File Name	SBR-SECT1_ST02-M3-CB-00001
01.01 - Role	СВ
01.02 - Location	SECT1_ST02
01.03 - Element ID	3651358
01.04 - Systems	SBR
01.05 - Layer	CB-Ss2005-M-PileCastInPlace_1200mm
01.06 - Design Classification	CB-Ss2005-M-PileCastInPlace
01.06 - Design Description	1200mm
01.07 - Uniclass Classification	
01.07 - Uniclass Description	
01.08 - SubLocation	TBC
01.09 - AD4 Asset Status	TBC
02.01 - ADMM	TBC
03.01 - Material	ConcreteCast-in-Place
03.02 - Material Grade	C32/40
03.03 - Reinf. Ratio (kg per m3)	250.000000
03.04 - Cross Section Type (mm)	1200mm
04.01 - Element Weight (T)	0.000000
04.02 - Side Surface Gross Area (m2)	0.000 m ²
04.03 - Footprint Surface Gross Area (m2)	0.000 m ²
04.04 - Bottom Surface Gross Area (m2)	0.000 m ²
04.05 - Gross Volume (m3)	1.631 m³
04.06 - Linear Length (m)	0.0000
04.07 - Height Length (m)	23.0750
05.01 - Suitability Code	TBC
05.02 - Revision Code	TBC
05.03 - Stage Gate	TBC





Step 2

Assemble

Assemble – What is it?



Cloud-based platform



Classify, organise and interrogate project data

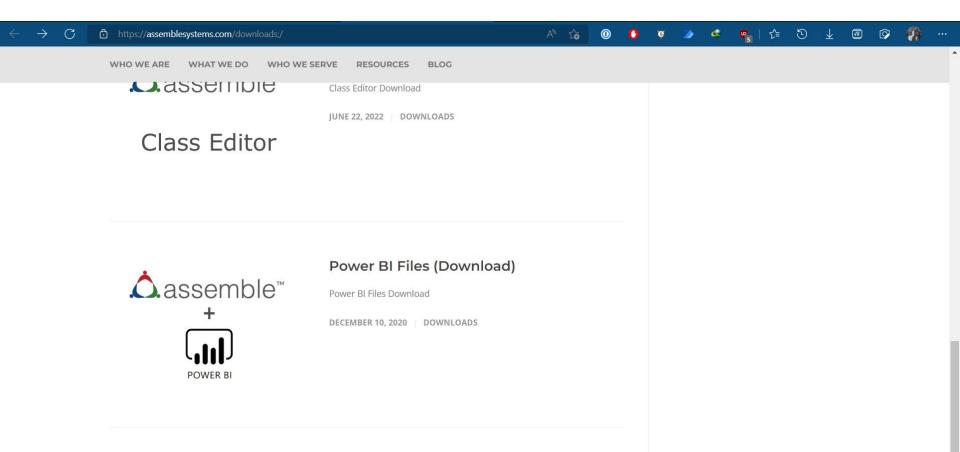


User-friendly environment

Assemble Add-ins

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- Integrations

Power BI

Schedule Integrator

Procore Integration

iSqFt Integration

Create View

Export Data to Microsoft Excel

Import Custom Assembly Codes into Revit 2015-2016

Import data from Microsoft Excel

Sync from View: Sync all properties for instances and types in the view

Sync Assemble Data to Revit

Sync from View: Sync only properties chosen as columns in the view

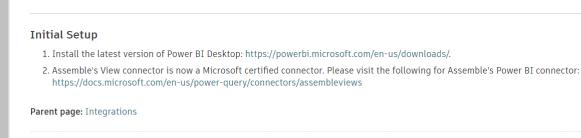
Sync Everything

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Power BI

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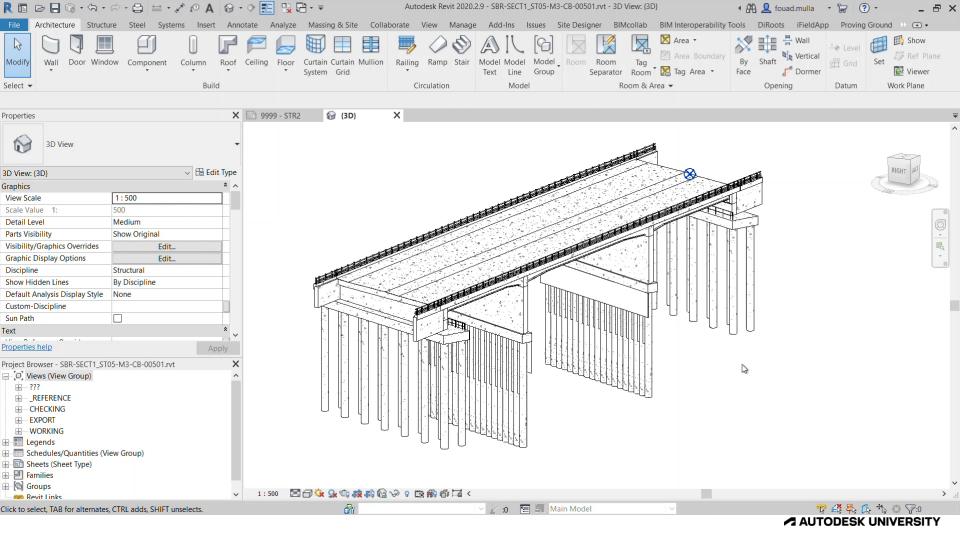


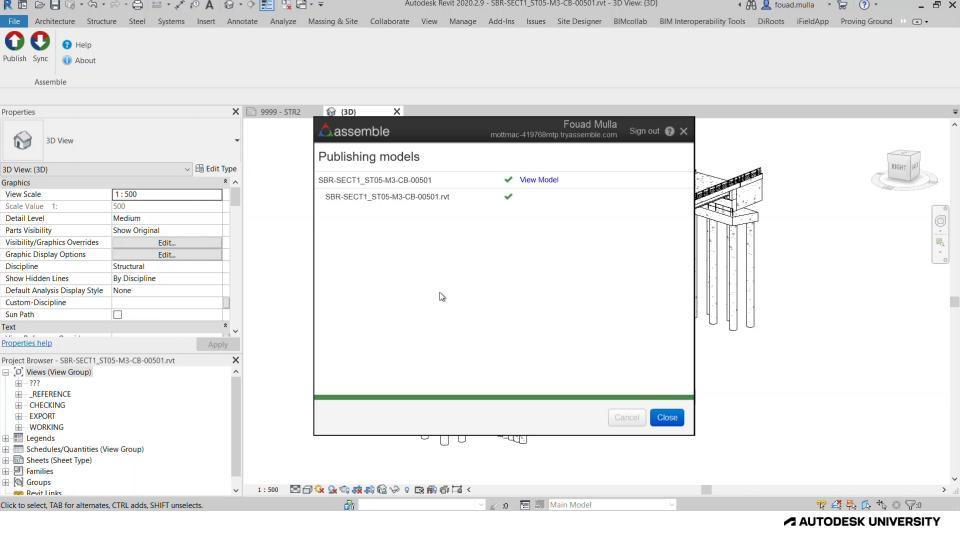




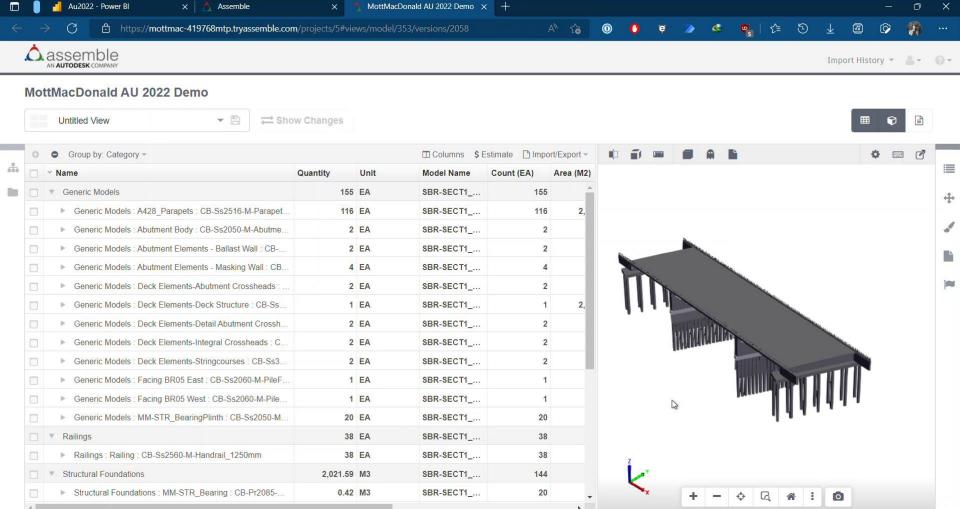


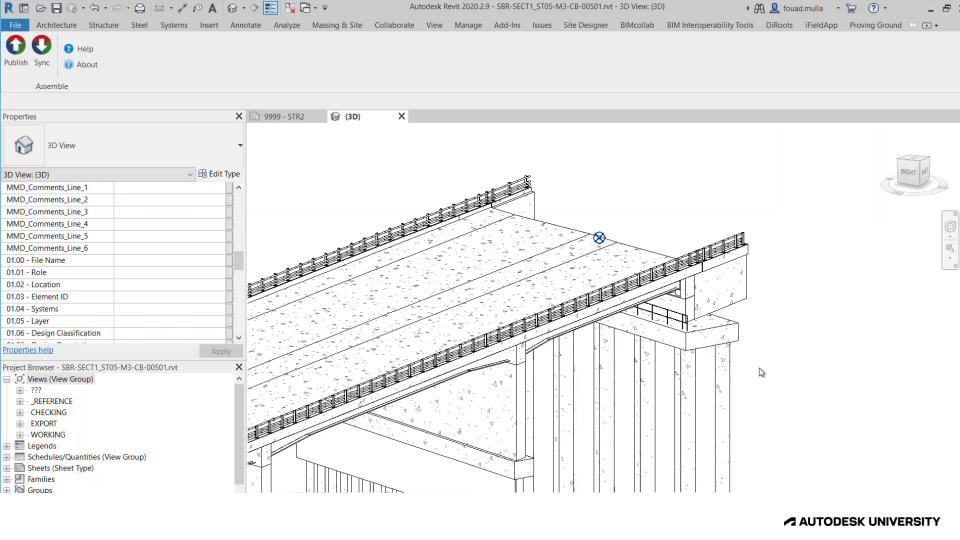
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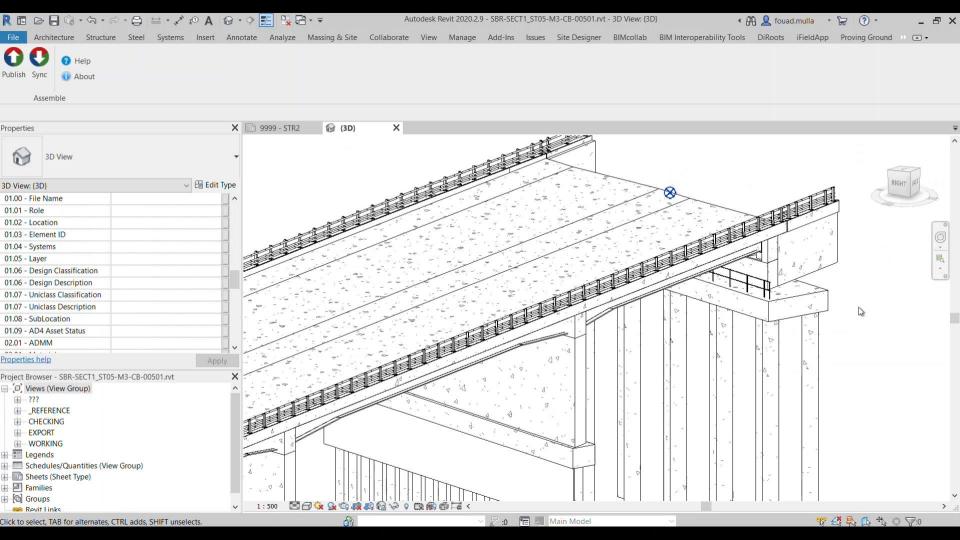


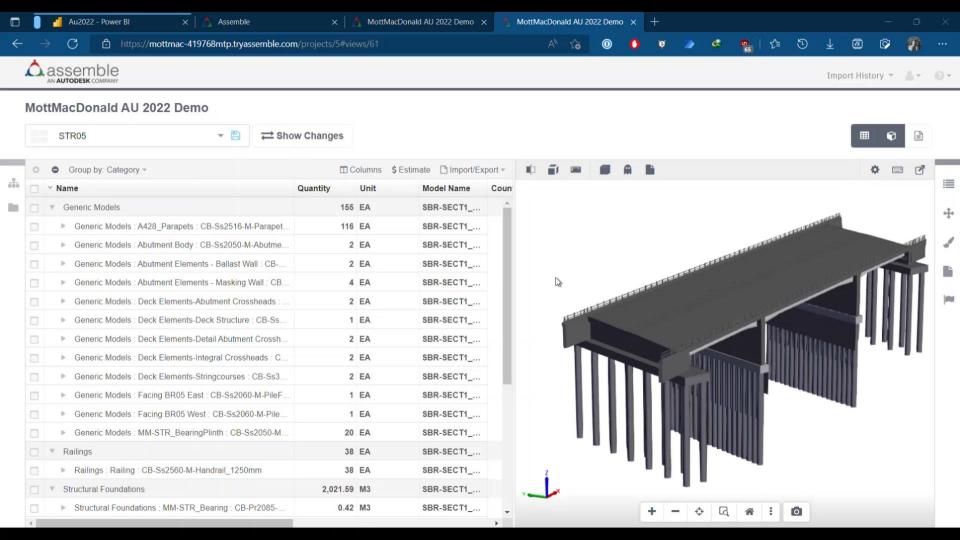
Synchronizing a model from Revit





Model Versions





Setting up a view

Edit Project



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Search models/views by name

MODELS

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359 objects 2022-08-23

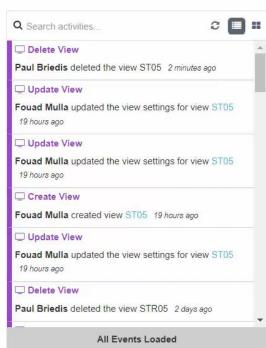
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Multiple Models

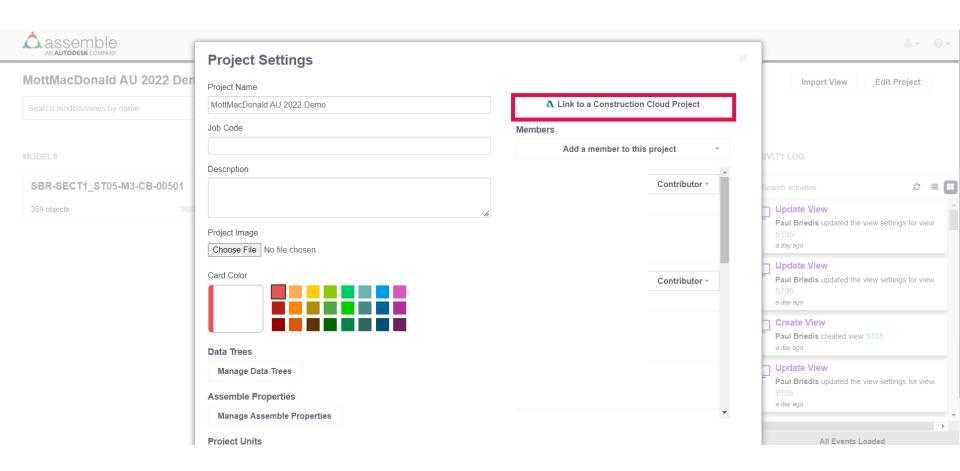
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ACTIVITY LOG

Import View



Assemble and BIM 360





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+Add/Update Models

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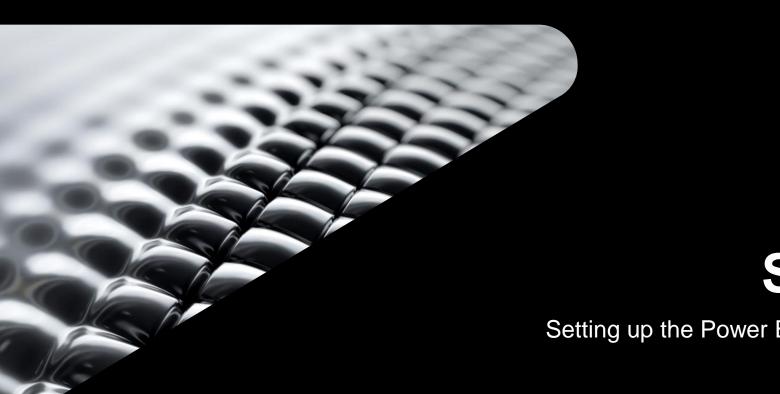
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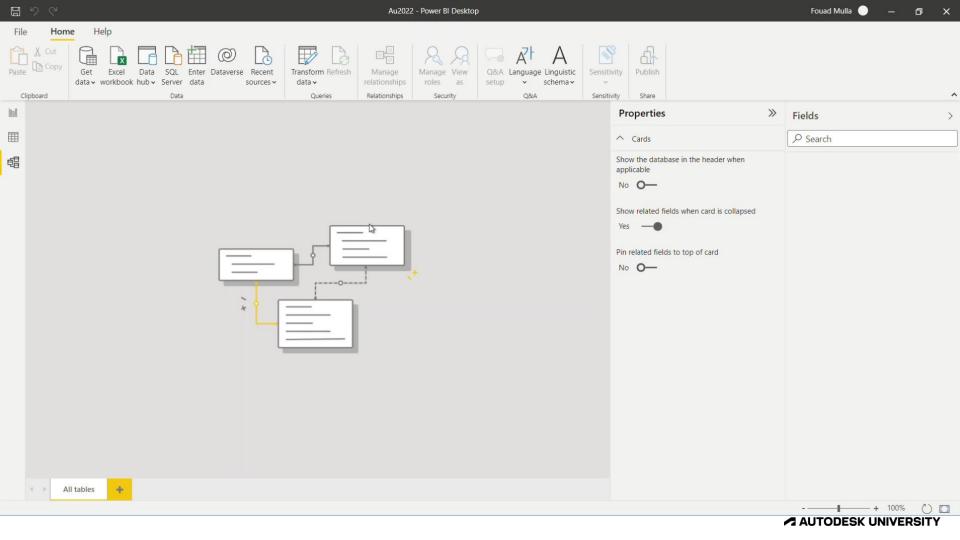
Setting up the Power BI Dashboard



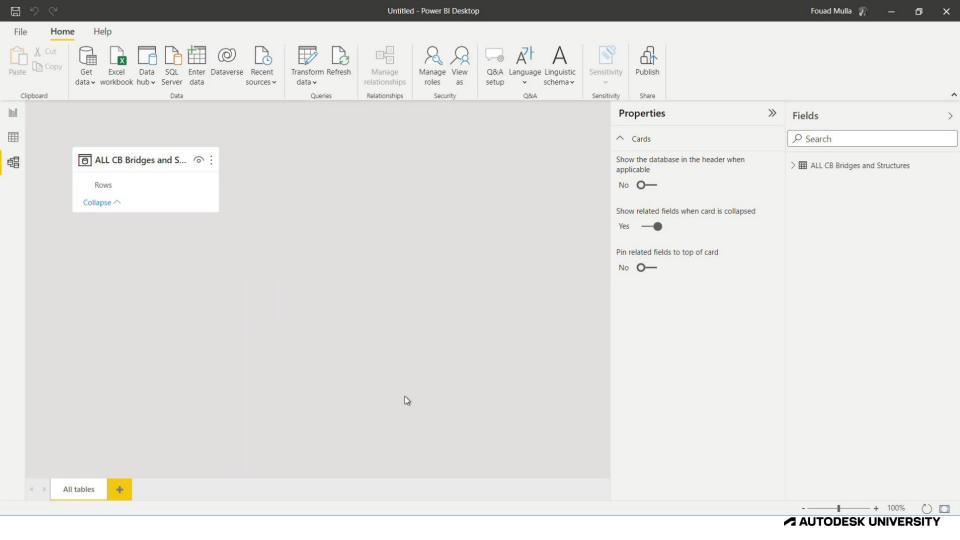
Setting up the Power BI Dashboard

- Linking Power BI to Assemble
- Data Cleansing
- Add visuals, build our dashboard
- Publish the dashboard

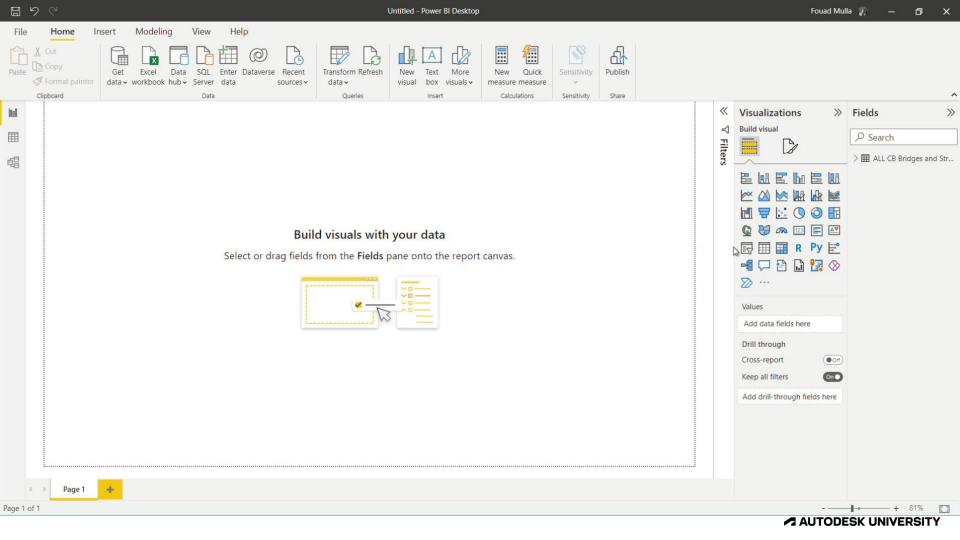
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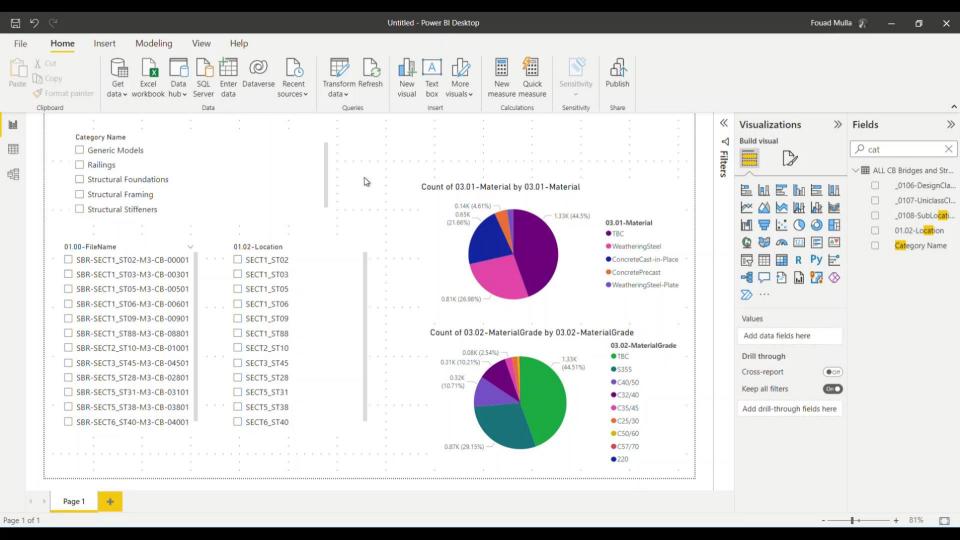
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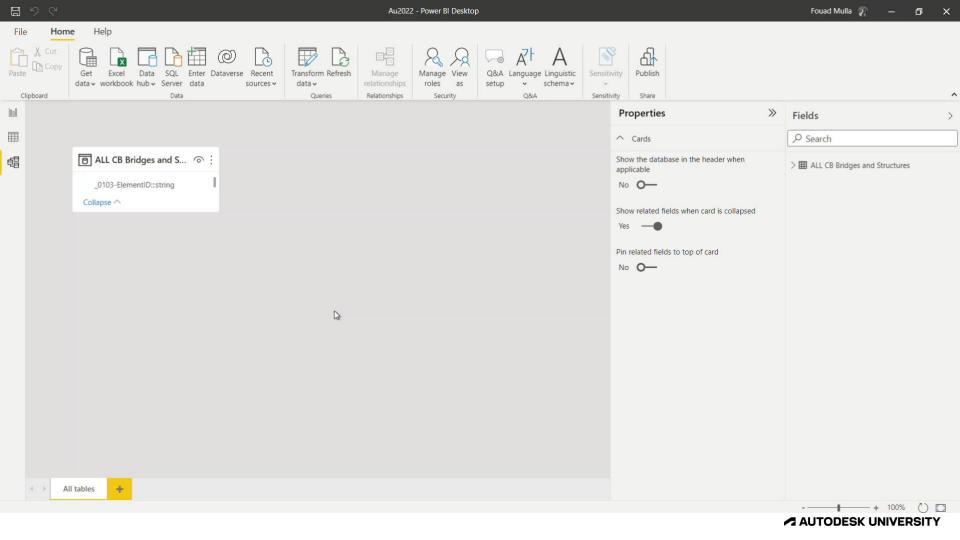
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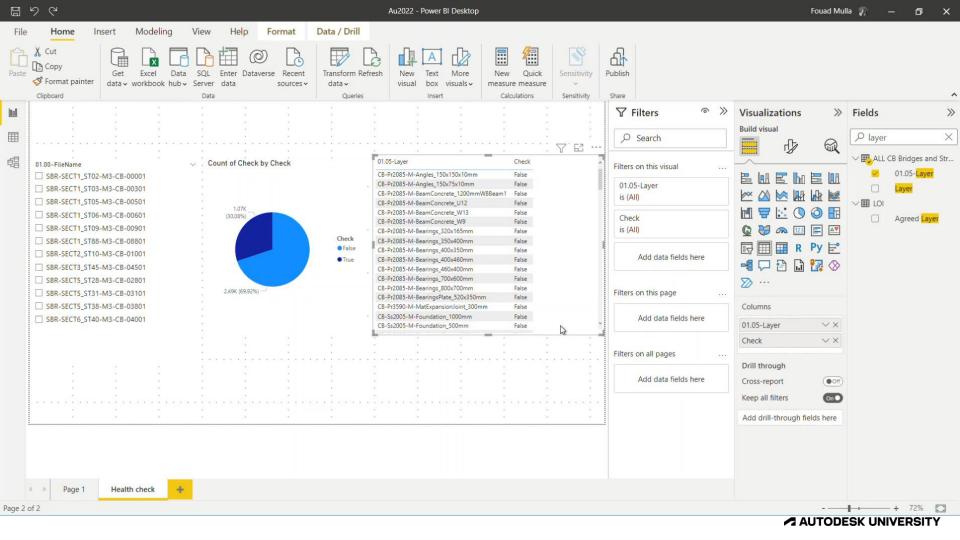


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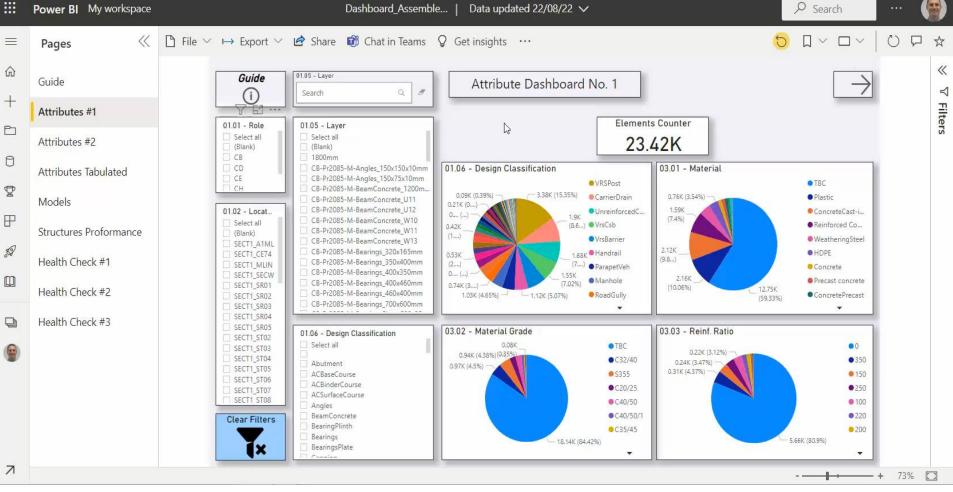


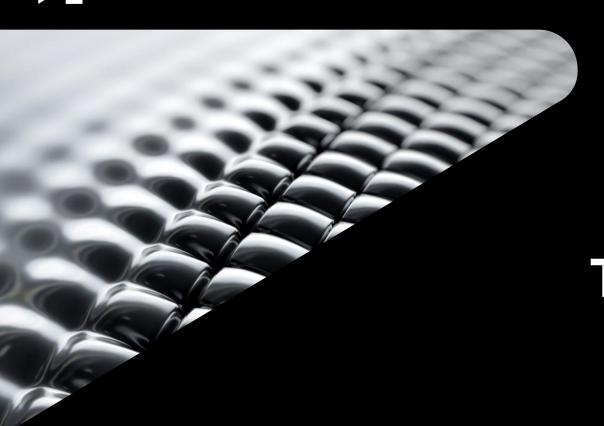
Creating a Health Check





The finished product





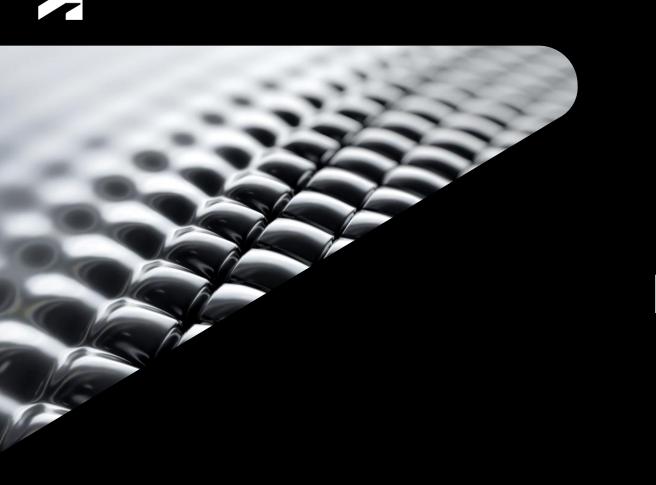
The outcome



Our solution

- Models can be rapidly published and checked
- Clear visibility of all attributes
- Engineers understand design intend
- We have robust method of checking our deliverables

Confidence and clarity



Next steps

Next steps

Forge..



Autodesk Validation Tool..



AUTODESK Validation Tool

Carbon...



Scale..



