

## **VERSION 2.0 ADDS NEW FEATURES FOR MATERIALS COST MODELING**

Version 2.0 includes all features of Version 1.0 plus a Materials Cost Model capability. The tool user can interface material related items and components in the appropriate spreadsheet module and collect material, as well as labor, costs by function. An additional graph has been added to depict function cost by labor, materials, and labor/materials combined. These features give greater visibility for targeting areas of high cost where creative innovative solutions can be applied to examine process and/or product alternatives to improve value and/or reduce costs. Simulation of the change can be dynamically viewed.