

## Dr. Jan Brandt, LS-DYNA Specialist

It is with the deepest regret I have to inform you that Dr. Jan Brandt has passed away.

Jan Brandt was born in Malmö, Sweden, in 1949. He received his Master of Science in Physical Engineering from Lund University in 1976 and his Ph.D. in Solid Mechanics from Linköping University in 1998 with me as his supervisor. His Ph.D. thesis concerns the constitutive modelling of hard metal powder, both during the compaction process and the subsequent sintering process. His material model is implemented into LS-DYNA and is used in product development runs by Sandvik Coromant AB.

Jan Brandt has been involved in LS-DYNA matters since 1985, when LS-DYNA was introduced at Saab Aircraft. He has regularly and frequently been using LS-DYNA since the late 1980's in many, often advanced and complex, projects as an independent consultant of Ingenjördata AB. At the time of his death he was working on the solution of bird strike and containment problems at Volvo Aero AB.

We remember Jan Brandt as an advanced specialist, colleague, client and dear friend.

Larsgunnar Nilsson  
President, Engineering Research AB

## Which revision are you using?

Please note the importance of using the latest LS-DYNA official program release.

The current mpp/LS-DYNA is version 971, release R2, revision 7600.1224. You find this information in the d3hsp file after a run.

The development of the current release R2 is frozen, i.e. the new revisions only include bug-fixes. It is therefore recommended to always use the latest revision.

Analysis of structures in three dimensions	
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The latest official revisions are always found at our download site.

Release R3 is planned within 2 months.

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