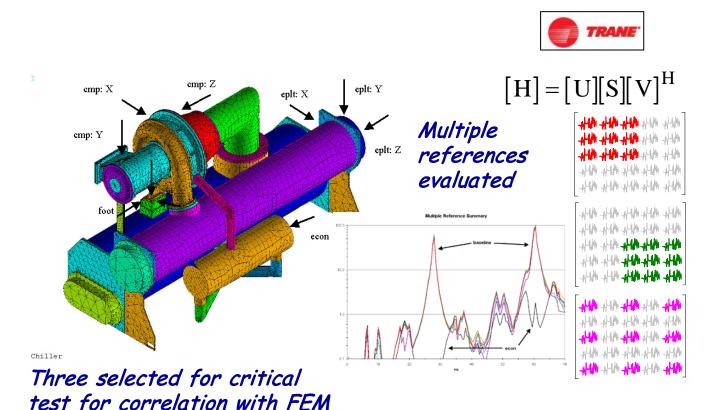


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Optimal Reference Selection for Modal Testing



Identification of appropriate references for high fidelity modal tests can be improved using the Test reference Identification Procedure. Performing an SVD on a small set of measurements helps to identify number of references and optimal locations.