

# Dassault Systèmes assigned a rating of A- / Stable by S&P Global Ratings

**PARIS, France** – **August 27, 2019** – Dassault Systèmes, the **3D**EXPERIENCE Company, world leader in 3D design software, 3D Digital Mock Up and Product Lifecycle Management (PLM) solutions, today announces that it has received its first long-term issuer credit rating.

S&P Global Ratings has assigned to Dassault Systèmes a rating of 'A-'with a stable outlook and "Strong" business risk profile.

The "Strong" business risk profile notably reflects S&P Global Ratings' view of the Group's high barriers to entry, strong differentiation through its unified **3D**EXPERIENCE platform, relentless innovation and resilience across cycles.

Pascal Daloz, Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Corporate Strategy Officer, Dassault Systèmes: "This development marks an important milestone in the credit history of Dassault Systèmes, in the context of the announced acquisition of Medidata Solutions".

**Thibaud Lagache, Lead Analyst, S&P Global, commented**: "Dassault Systèmes' credit quality is supported by its strong balance sheet, financial flexibility, a prudent financial policy, its well-seasoned and stable management, and its supportive ownership structure underpinning a strong governance framework."

### **Investor Calendar**

Third-quarter 2019 revenue: October 24, 2019 Fourth-quarter 2019 revenue: February 06, 2020

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