

SimPlay

- SimPlay has been officially released today:
<http://cdsweb.u-strasbg.fr/news.php>
- Recent changes/enhancements :
 - Italian translation available (*G. Iafrate*)
 - Server-side processing has been relocated to a more powerful Linux server (*T. Boch*)
 - Documentation available (*T. Boch*)

SimPlay and Flex

- SimPlay has been developed in Flex
- Flex is a powerful platform to develop RIA
- Running Flex applications require the Adobe Flash player plugin
 - Most users already have it installed
- My personal take on Flex vs. HTML5:
 - (at least) until HTML5 and its canvas element are widely supported in all major browsers, Flex remains a sensible technology to build Rich Internet applications providing users with highly interactive tools.