Embracing complexity of Systems-of-Systems using Model-Based Risk Assessment and Safety Analysis (MBRASA)

Workshop

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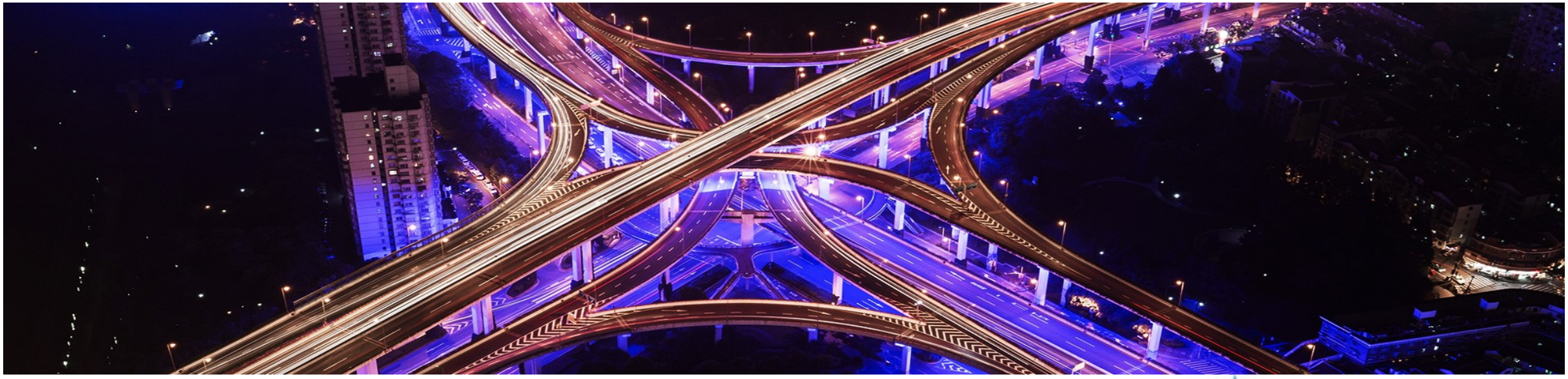

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Given the trends of connectivity and autonomy, a current challenge is to ensure safety among multiple vehicles or machines, so called systems-of-systems, where parts of the end-to-end function reside in the edge and where communication is done wirelessly.

Based on such extended systems definition, the hazard and risk analysis need to be extrapolated to ensure trustworthiness for the extended scope.

The purpose of this workshop is to present and obtain feedback on the evolution of the model-based approach to risk assessment and safety analysis (MBRASA) of systems-of-systems that was the topic of a workshop at SCSSS2021.

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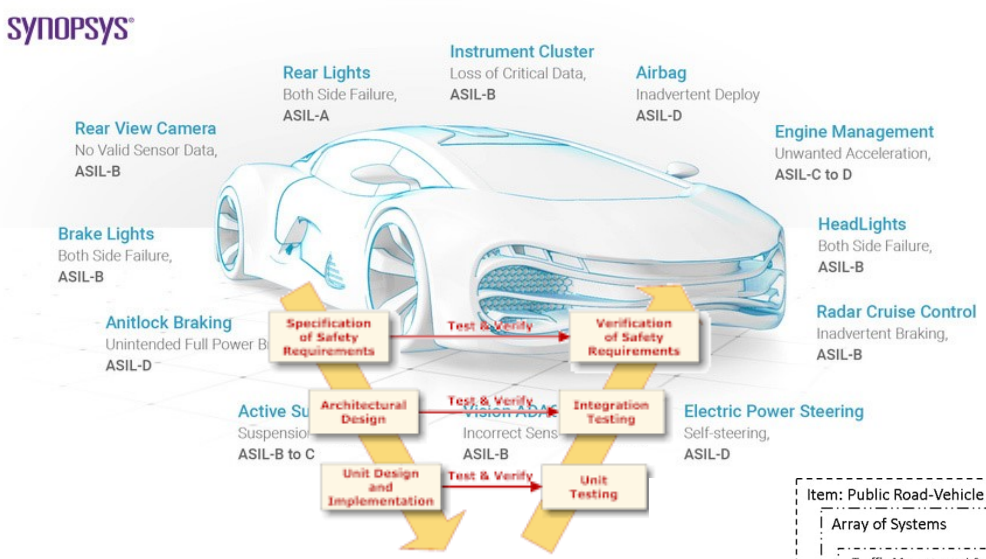

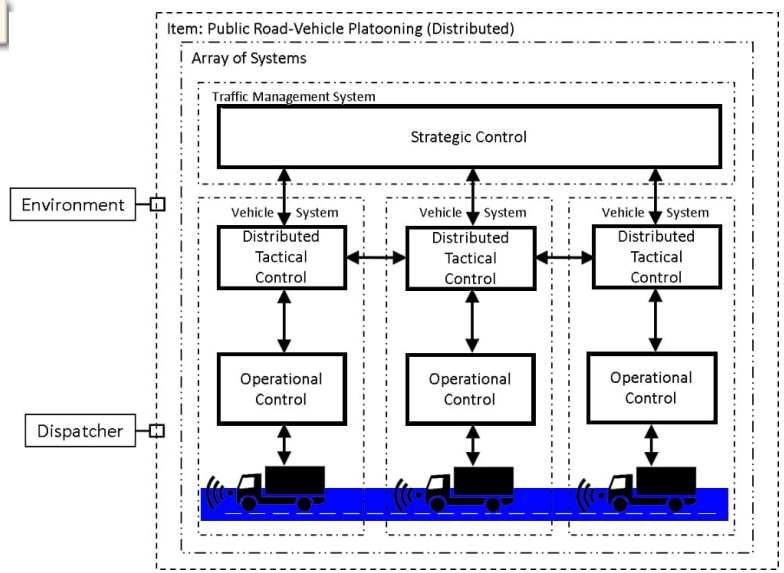

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MBRASA project

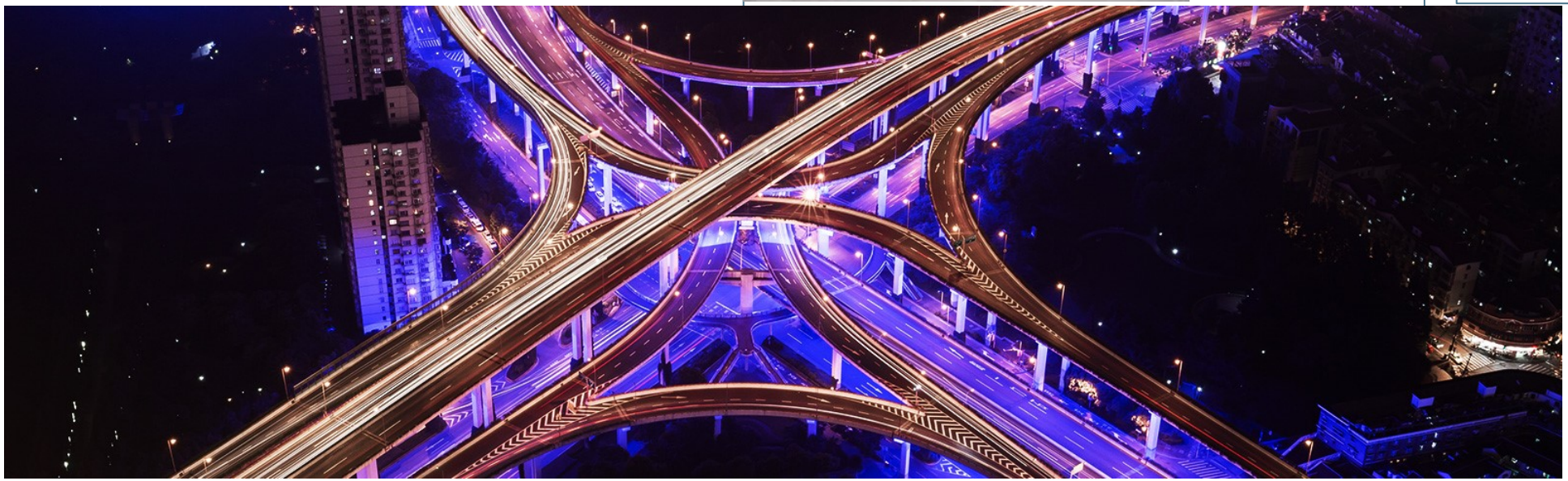
GOAL

- One goal is to support the industry by replacing complex and time-consuming work with safety processes and integration, with a trustworthy methodology and models, reducing the overall workload.

USE CASE(s)

PROJECT

- SME project
  - Syntell AB
  - Safety Integrity
  - Einride
  - KTH
- 7 Months, 2021-2022
- Supported by TECoSA and Vinnova



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System of Systems

A System of Systems (SoS) is a collection of independent constituent systems, that collaborate to produce unique capabilities that they cannot produce alone.

Systems tend to…	Systems of systems tend to…
Have a clear set of stakeholders	Have multiple levels of stakeholders with mixed and possibly competing interests
Have clear objectives and purpose	Have multiple, and possibly contradictory, objectives and purpose
Have a clear management structure and clear accountabilities	Have disparate management structure with no clear accountability
Have clear operational priorities, with escalation to resolve priorities	Have multiple, and sometimes different, operational priorities with no clear escalation routes
Have a single lifecycle	Have multiple lifecycles with elements being implemented asynchronously
Have clear ownership with the ability to move resources between elements	Have multiple owners making individual resourcing decisions

Source: INCOSE Systems of Systems Primer INCOSE-TP-2018-003-01.0

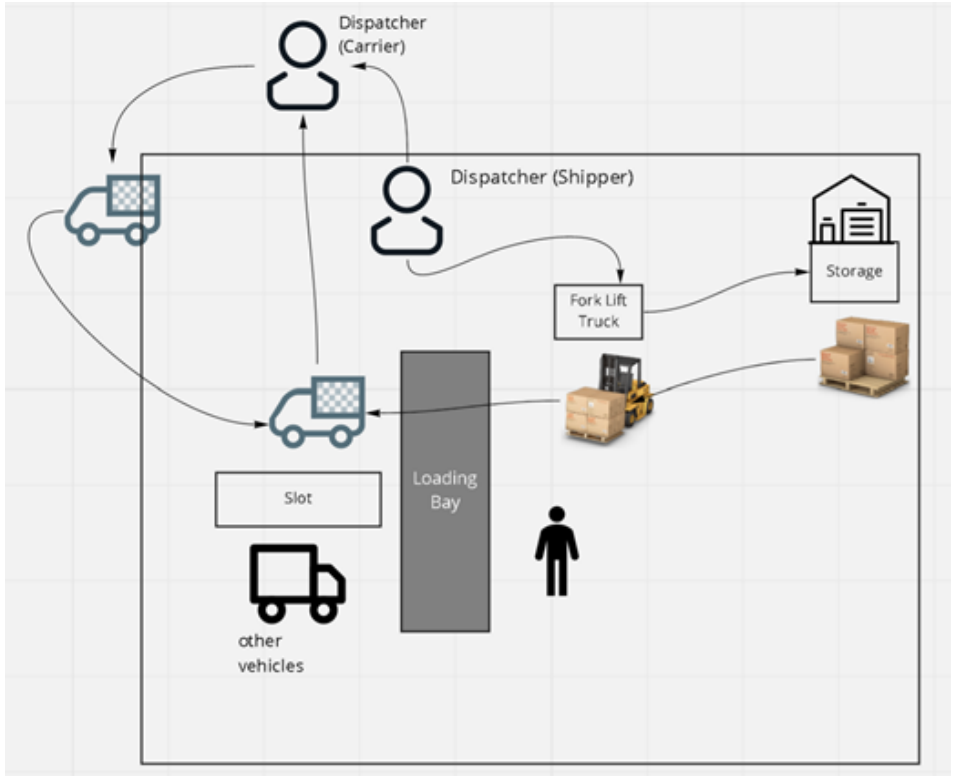
Cases

Einride loading/unloading

Platooning

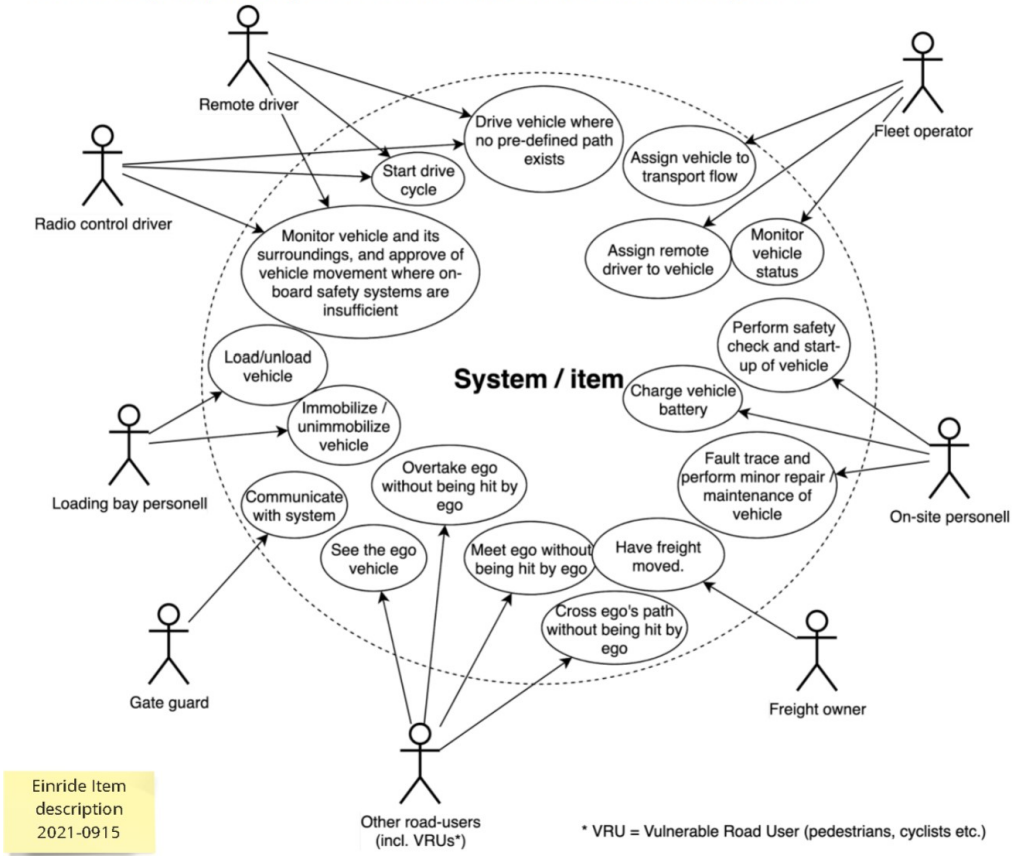
Use case - Einride

Loading/Unloading at Terminal



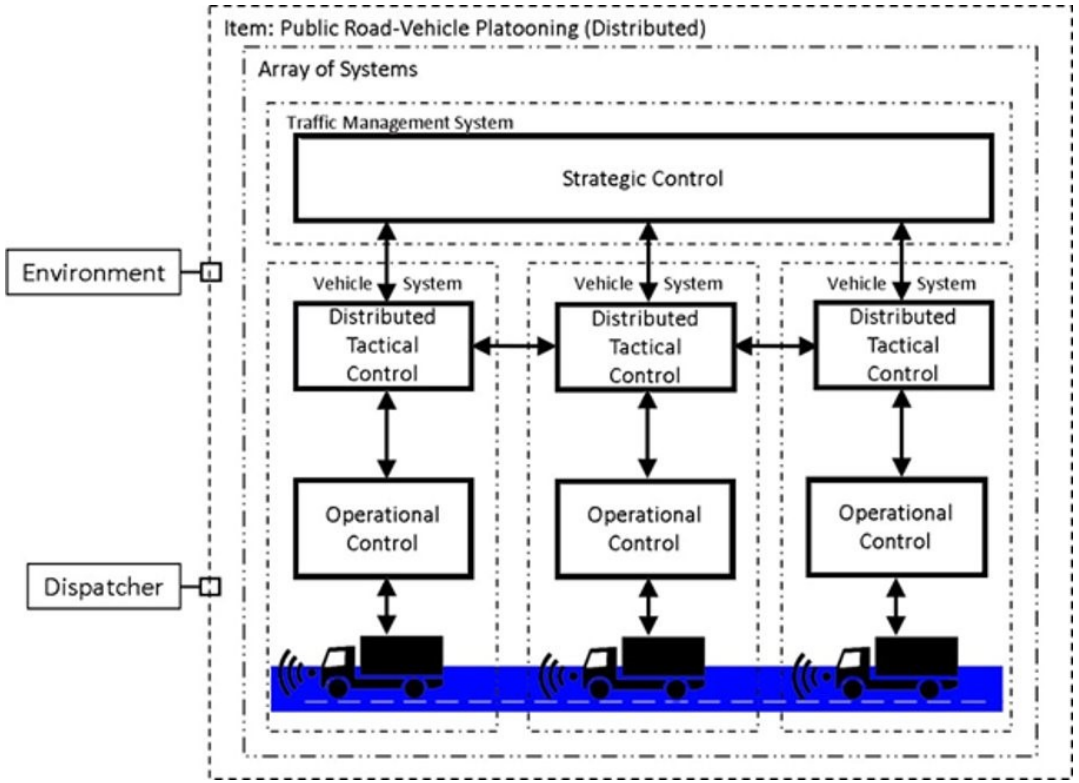
Actors

The following actors have been identified to interact with the system. The use-cases (the actions they will perform) have been identified as the ones in the picture.



Einride Item description 2021-0915

Use Case - Platooning



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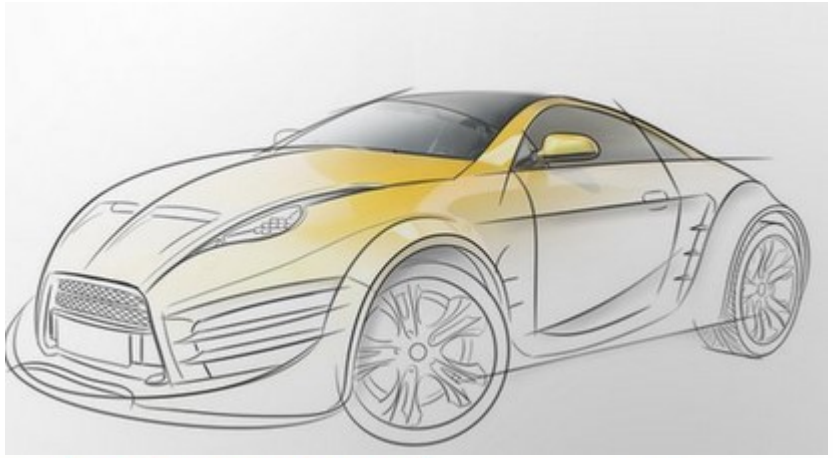

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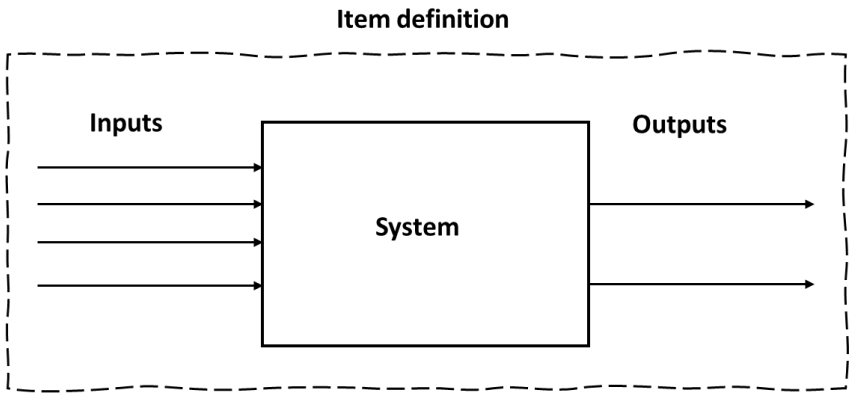
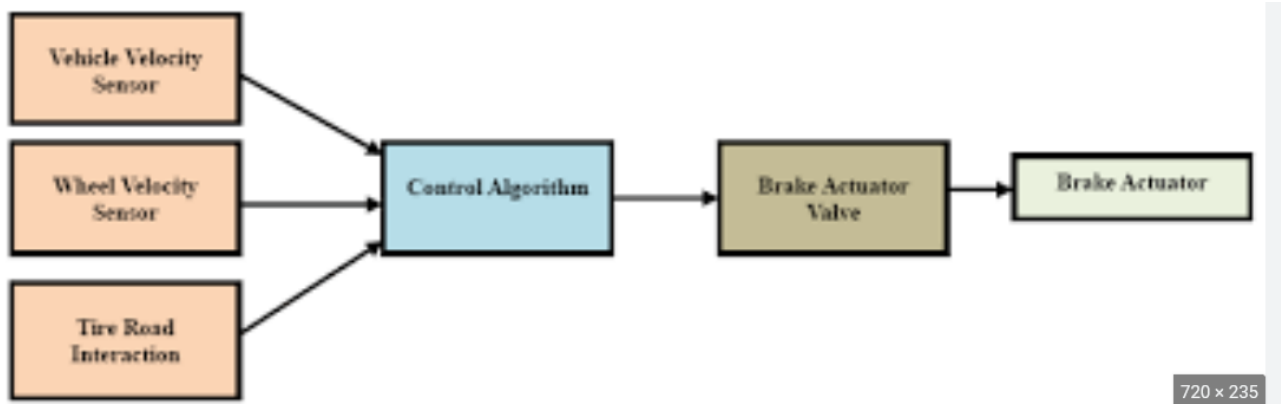
Item

- Input, logic, output
- Model to define scope and function



- Example, electronic braking system



Hazard Analysis and Risk Assessment, HARA

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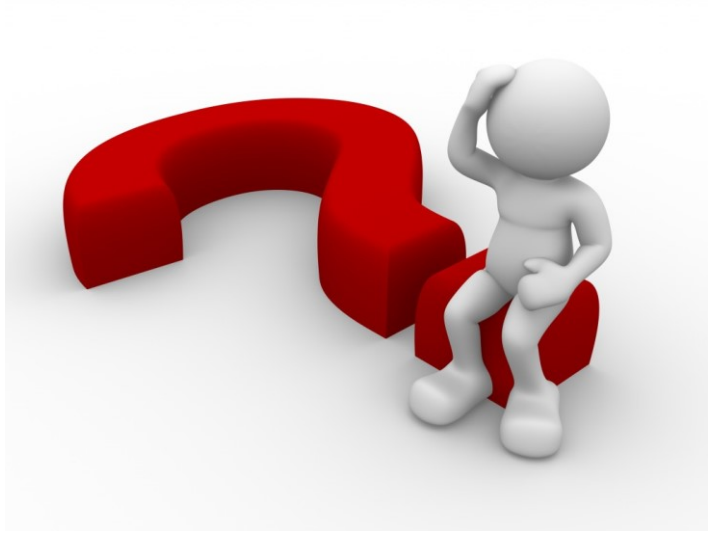
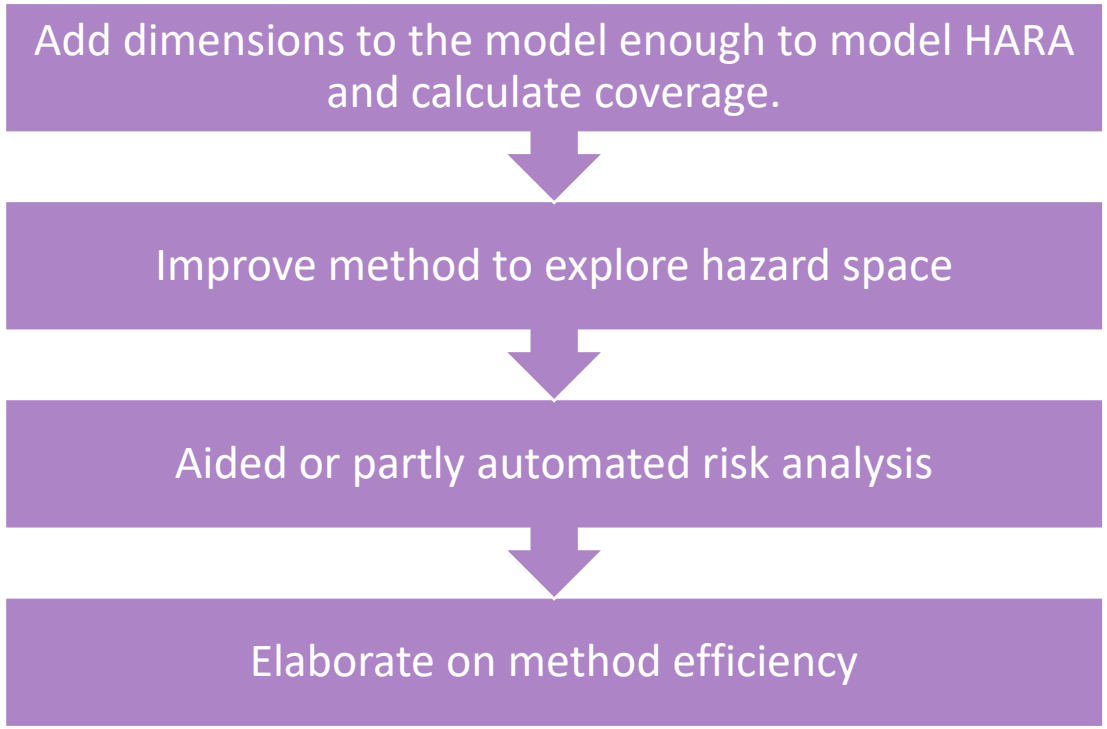
Problem description



- SoS complexity
  - HARA Search space large
- SoS Managerial independence
  - Development and change across organizations
- SoS operational independence
  - User information about SoS doings
- SoS emerging behavior
  - Hard to foresee

HARA for SoS, The Vision

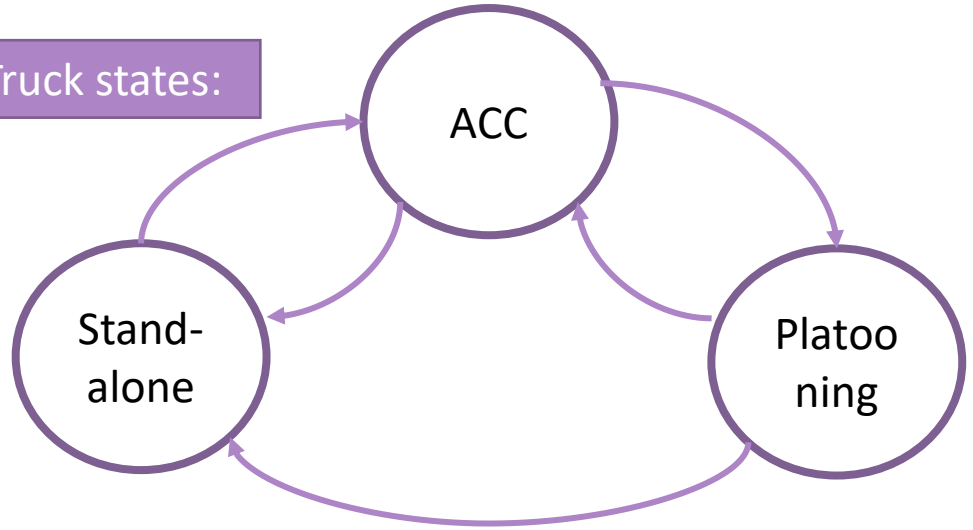


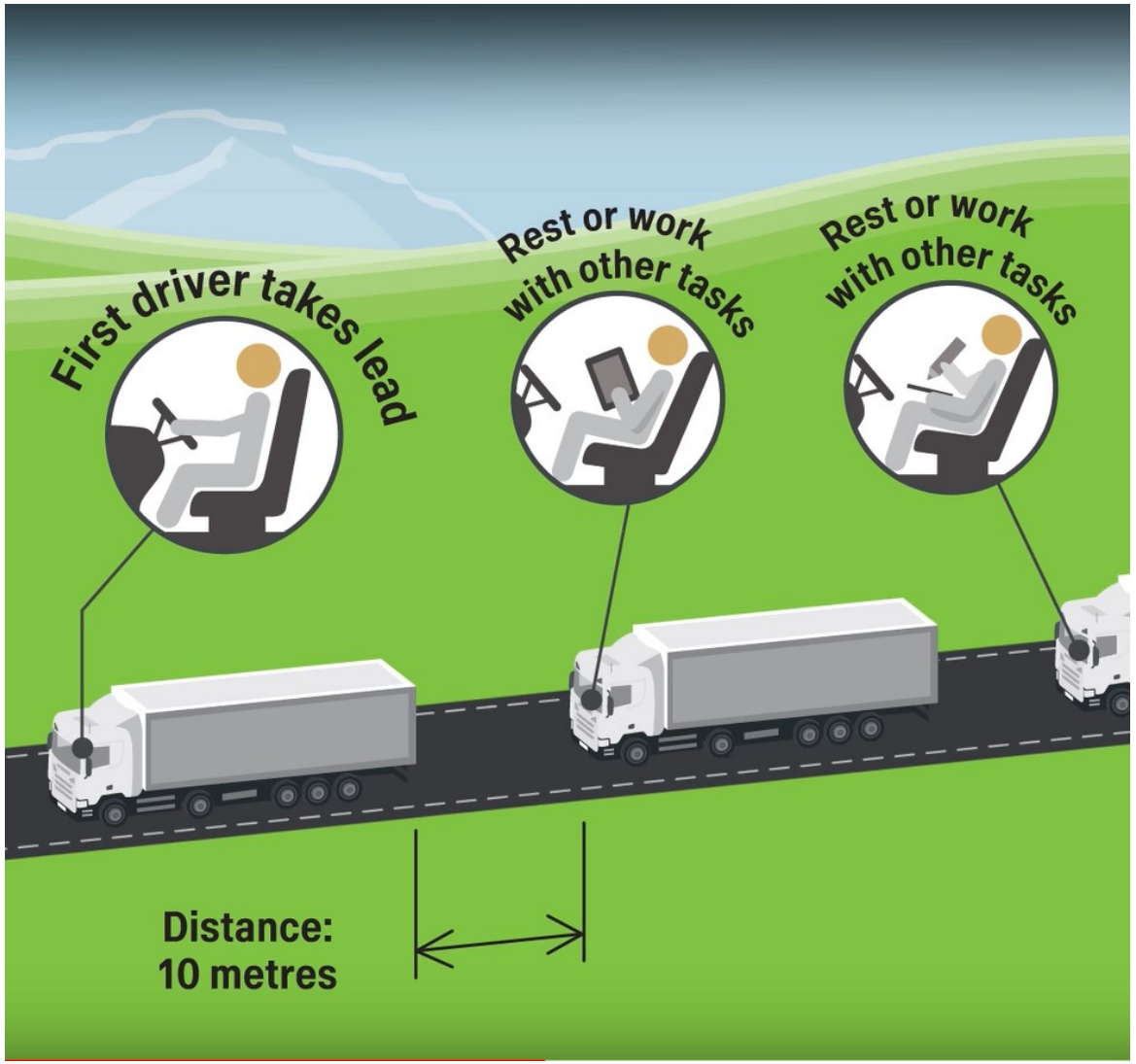
Wanted:
Better exploration of hazard space, Reuse of items, Reuse of HARA Results, structured change of existing items

Description of platooning example

- Drivers in trucks
- X number of trucks
- Entering platooning procedure:
  - Joining behind
  - Truck is in ACC mode, auto brake on
  - Agree to go to platooning
  - Auto brake disabled
  - Distance is shortened
- Following leader, dependent on wireless signal

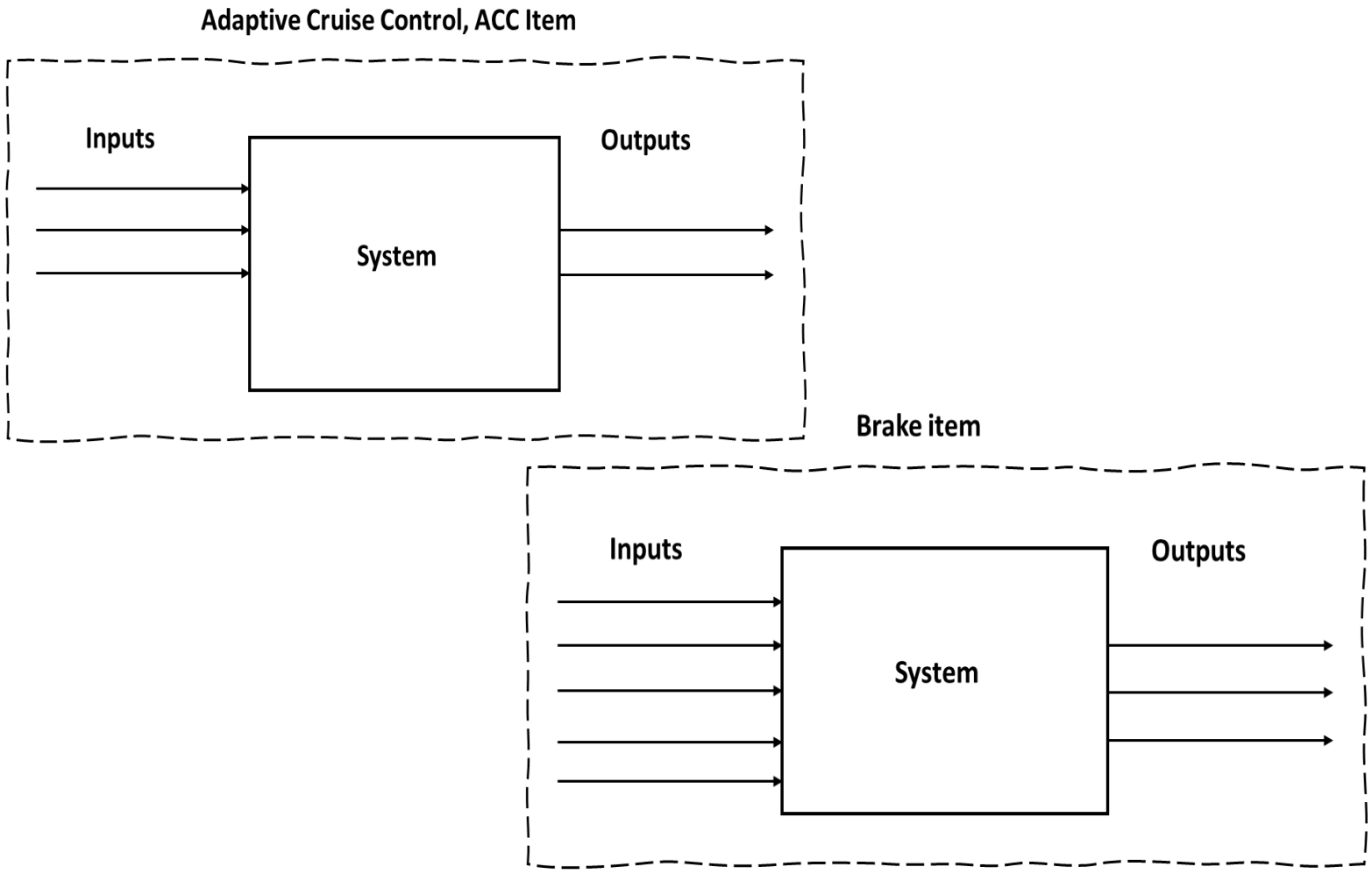
Truck states:





Picture: Scania youtube channel, 2018

Existing items in a truck



Platoon Brake Item

SoS input:
(Traffic)
(Weather)
(…)

CS input:
Brake pedals input
Speed of trucks
Distances
States
(Weights)
…

Inputs

Logic

Wireless Com

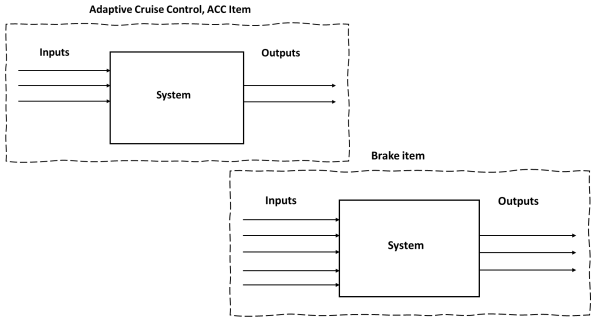
Outputs

System

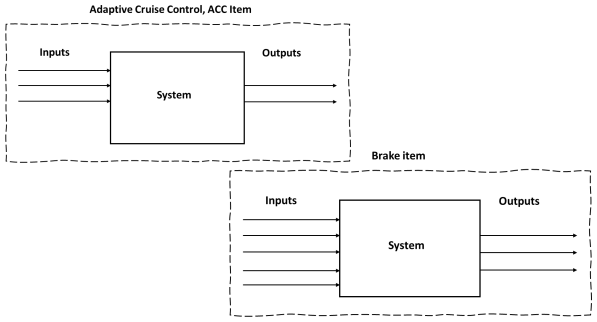
SoS output:
(Status)
(Fuel saving)
(…)

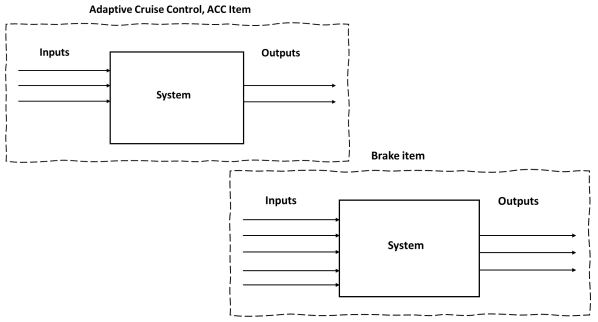
CS output:
Brake torque request
Set ACC mode

Truck 1



Truck 2





HARA, FTA, Safety concept

Identify delta of items

Explore added hazards of items

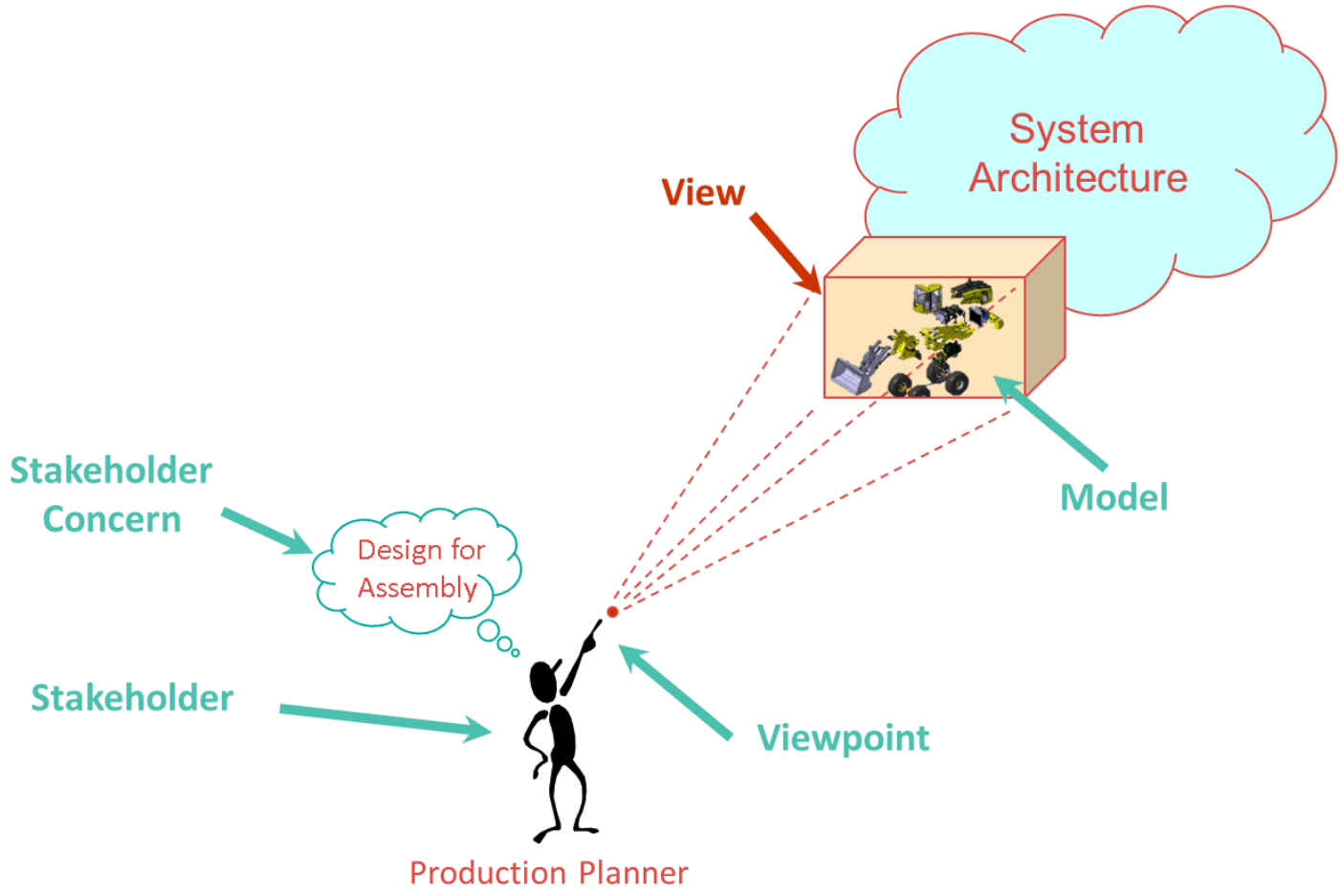
Explore hazards for SoS

Model

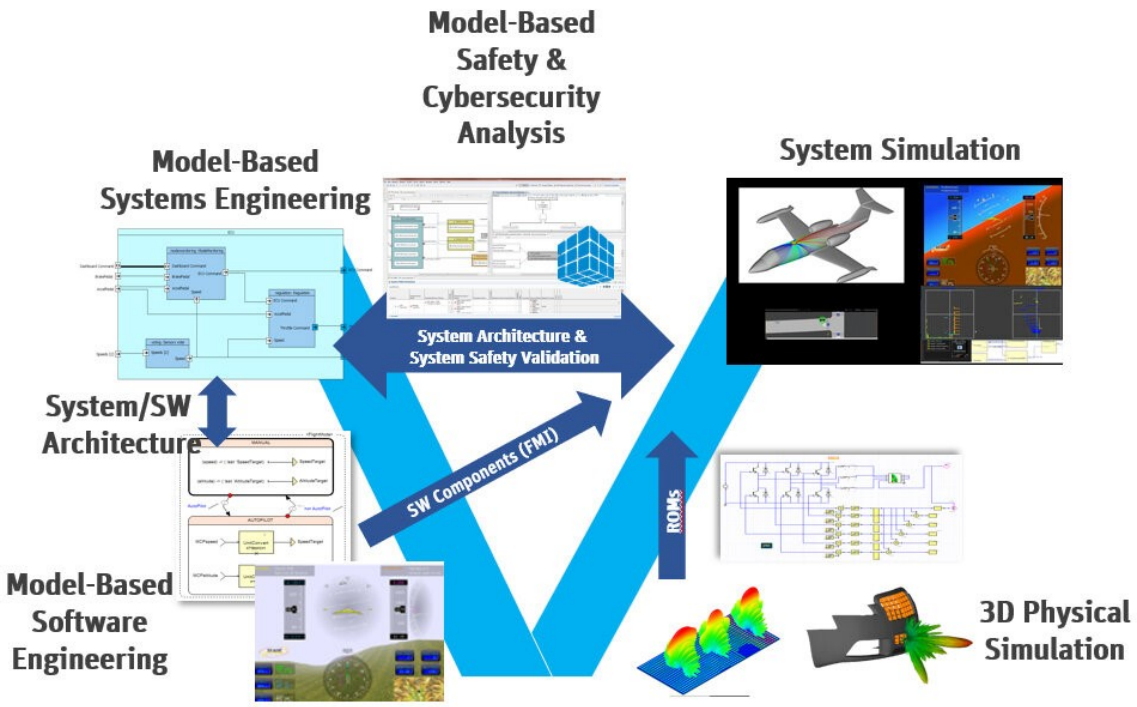
- An abstraction or representation of a system, entity, phenomenon, or process of interest.

- Uses of models:
  - Communication
  - Understanding
  - Analysis

- Responds to a need:
  - WHAT
  - for WHOM
  - And HOW



Model-Based (Systems) Engineering



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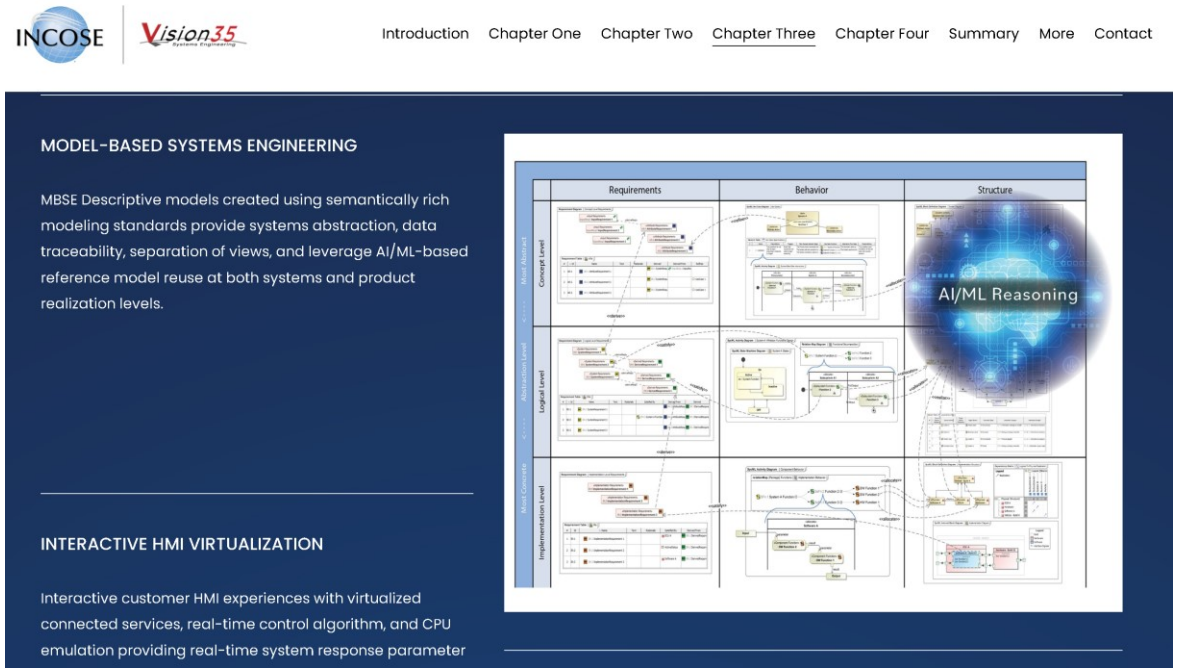

International Council on Systems Engineering (INCOSE) Systems Engineering Vision 2035
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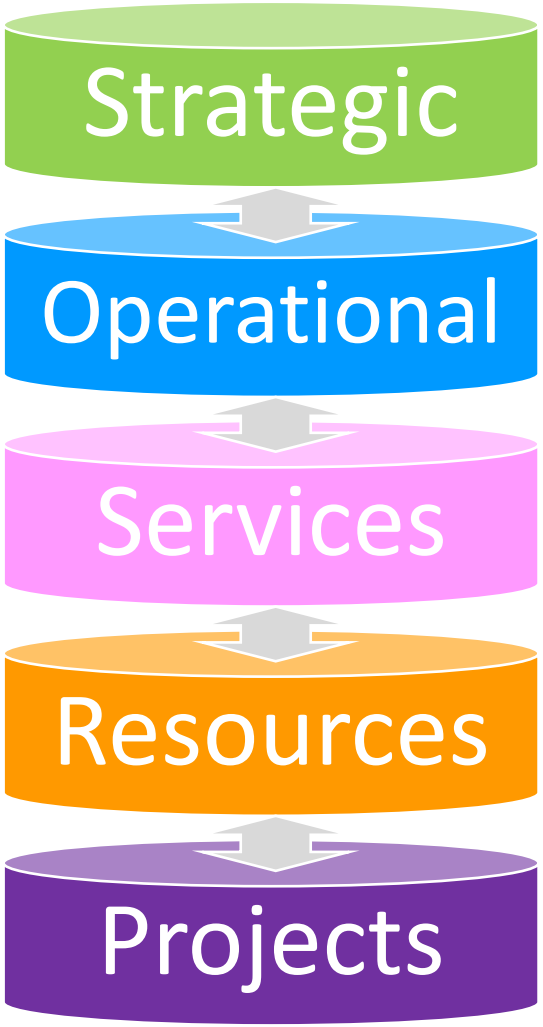
Enterprise architecture framework

Allows model to be created that deal not only with software or design but with concerns of an enterprise as a whole.



Enterprise goals and capabilities (to meet market needs and stakeholder requirements)

Describing the environment and how you will operate your enterprise.

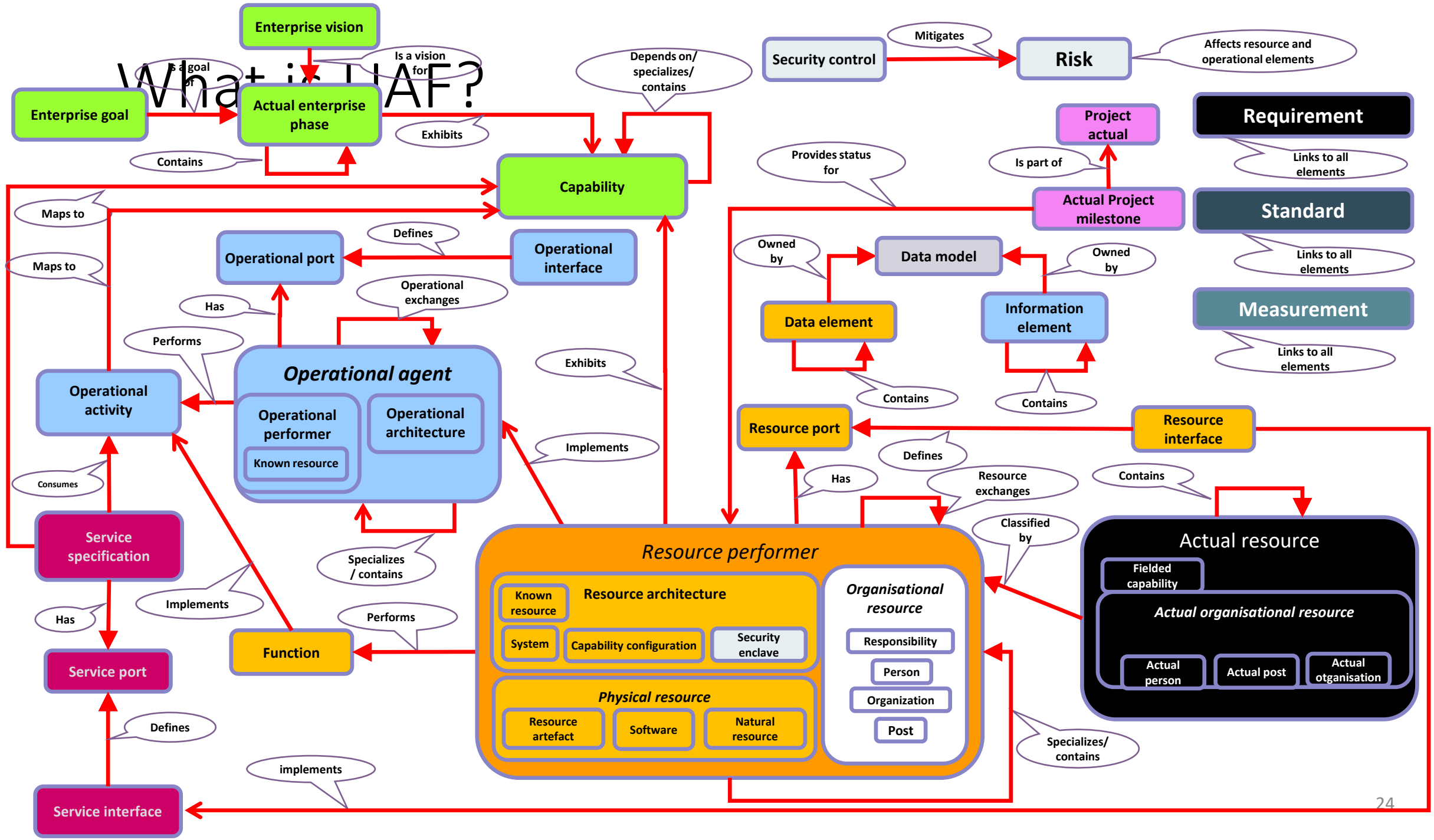
The Services that can be called upon to carry out operational activities or capabilities.

The actual resources and their configurations that you will need to carry out activities.

Describes the Projects, their relationships and how they contribute to establish capabilities.

Adapted from Unified Architecture Framework (UAF)
https://www.omg.org/uaf/index.htm

What is TOGAF?



Electric Site Model

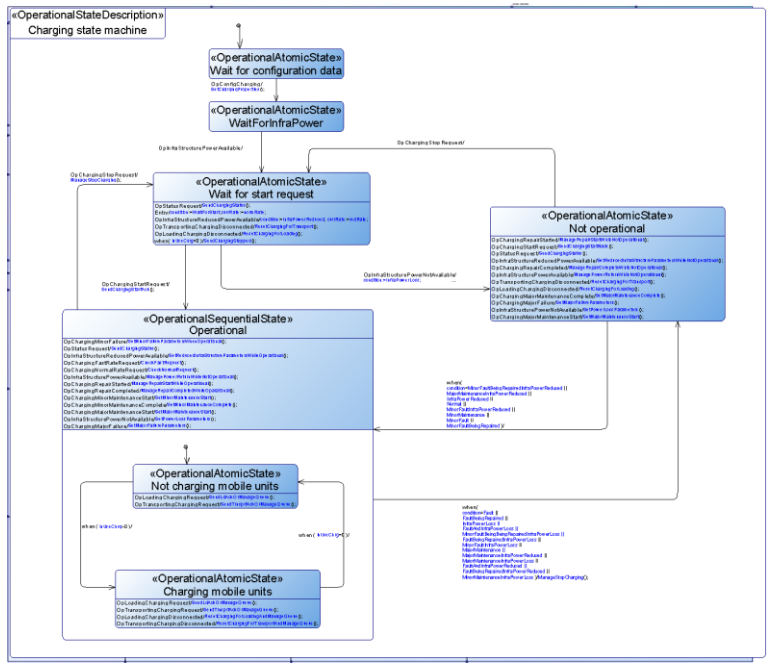
CO_2 reduction?

TCO reduction?

ELECTRIC SITE – a test stone quarry site with electrical, autonomous machines

THESIS COMPOSITION

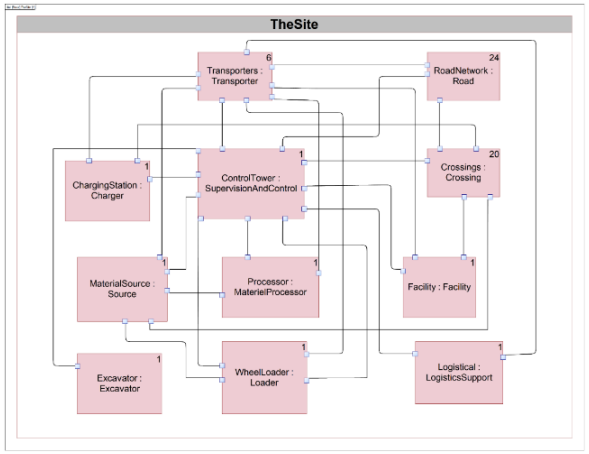
- UAF Architecture
- Behaviour, requirements
- State machines



Model

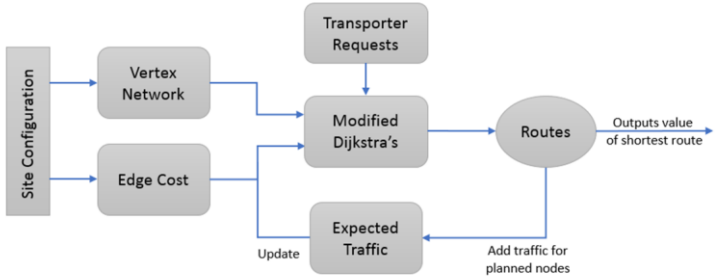
Simulation

- Production
- Traffic flow
- Critical scenarios



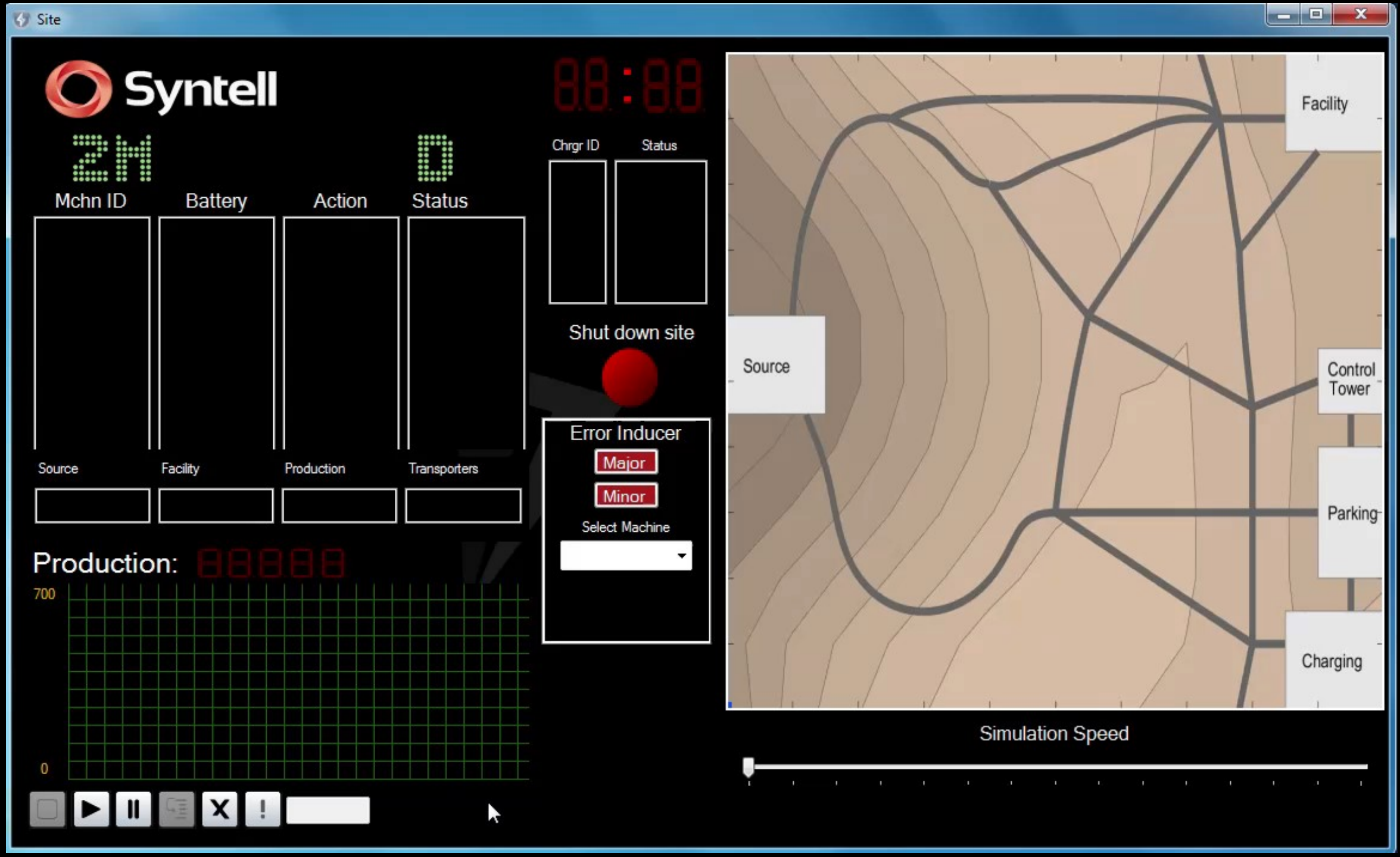
Optimization

- Scheduling
- Routing



$$C = ArrivalTime + w \cdot Traffic$$

w – a *weight* scalar to handle congestion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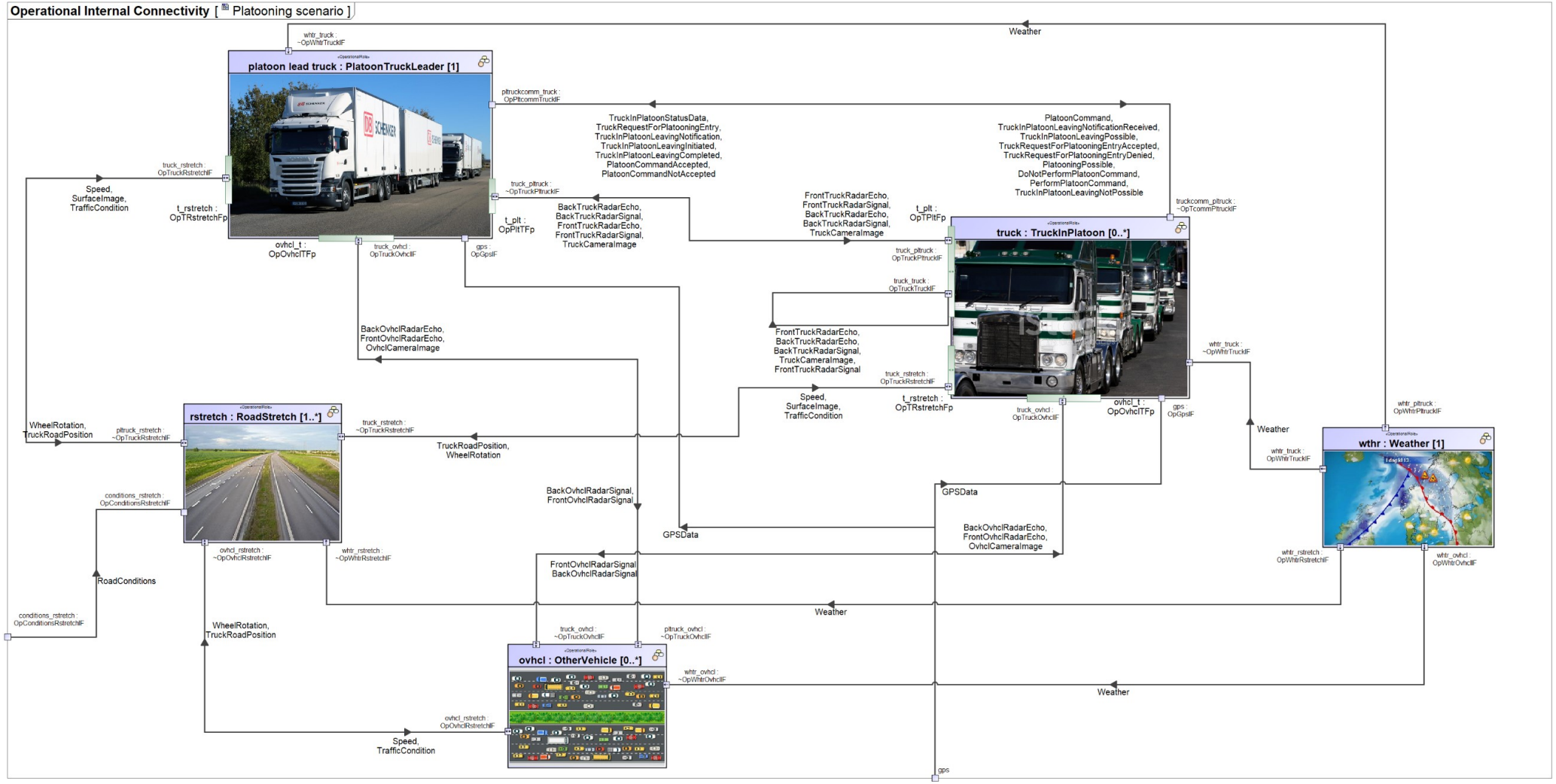
Simulation Speed

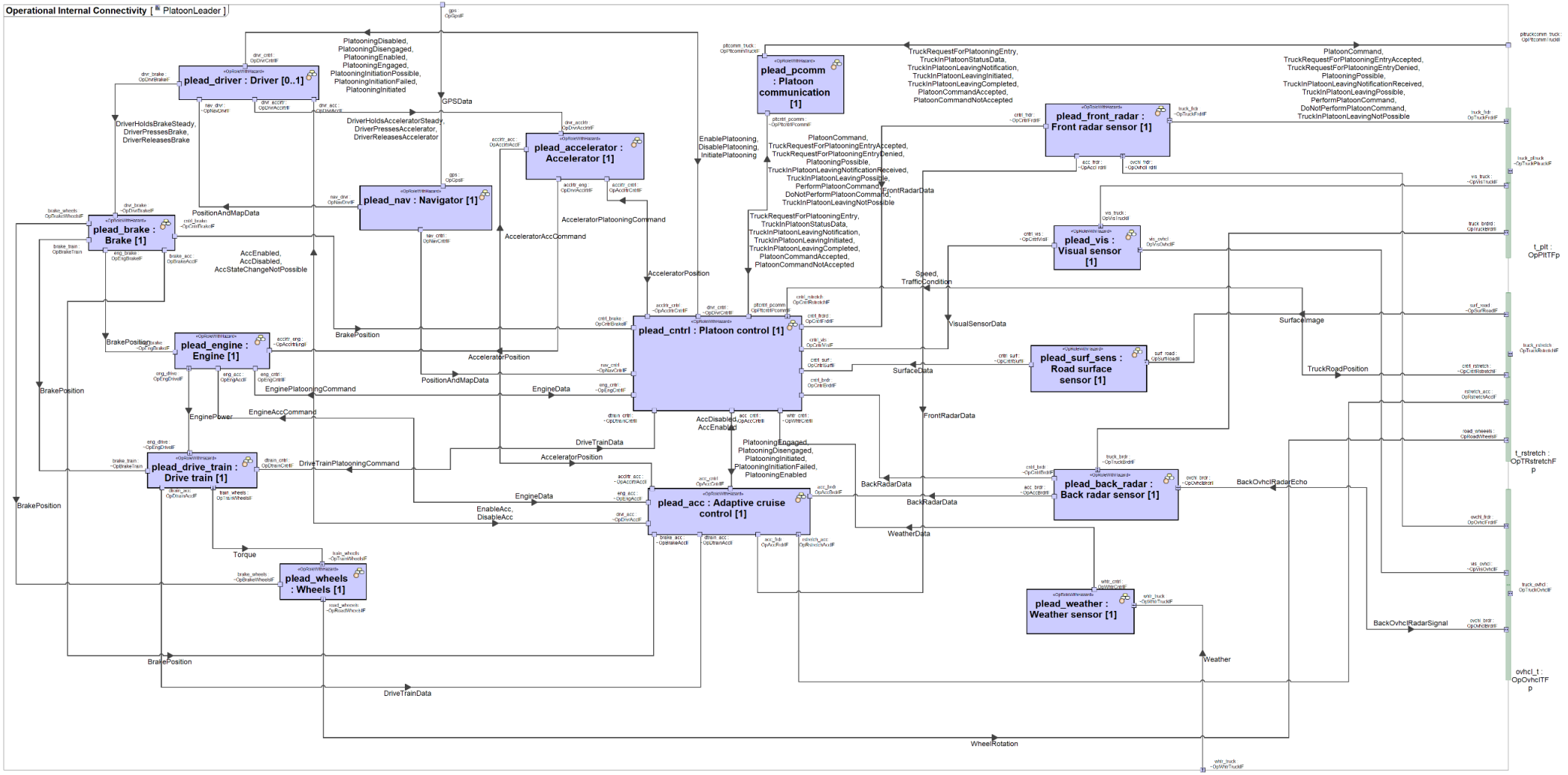
Logical Model of Truck, Platoon & Environment

Shows the context (“ODD”) in which the SoS is operated

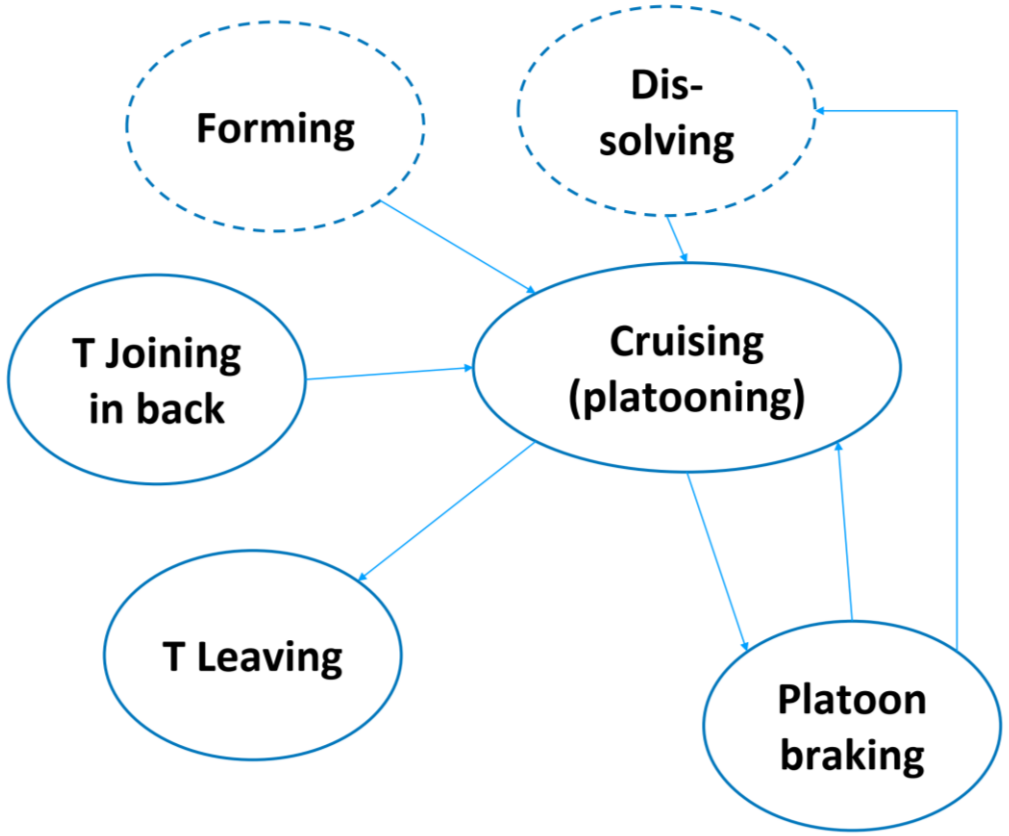


Logical Breakdown of a Truck

Shows the logical components of a truck prepared for platooning



Scenarios w possible hazards

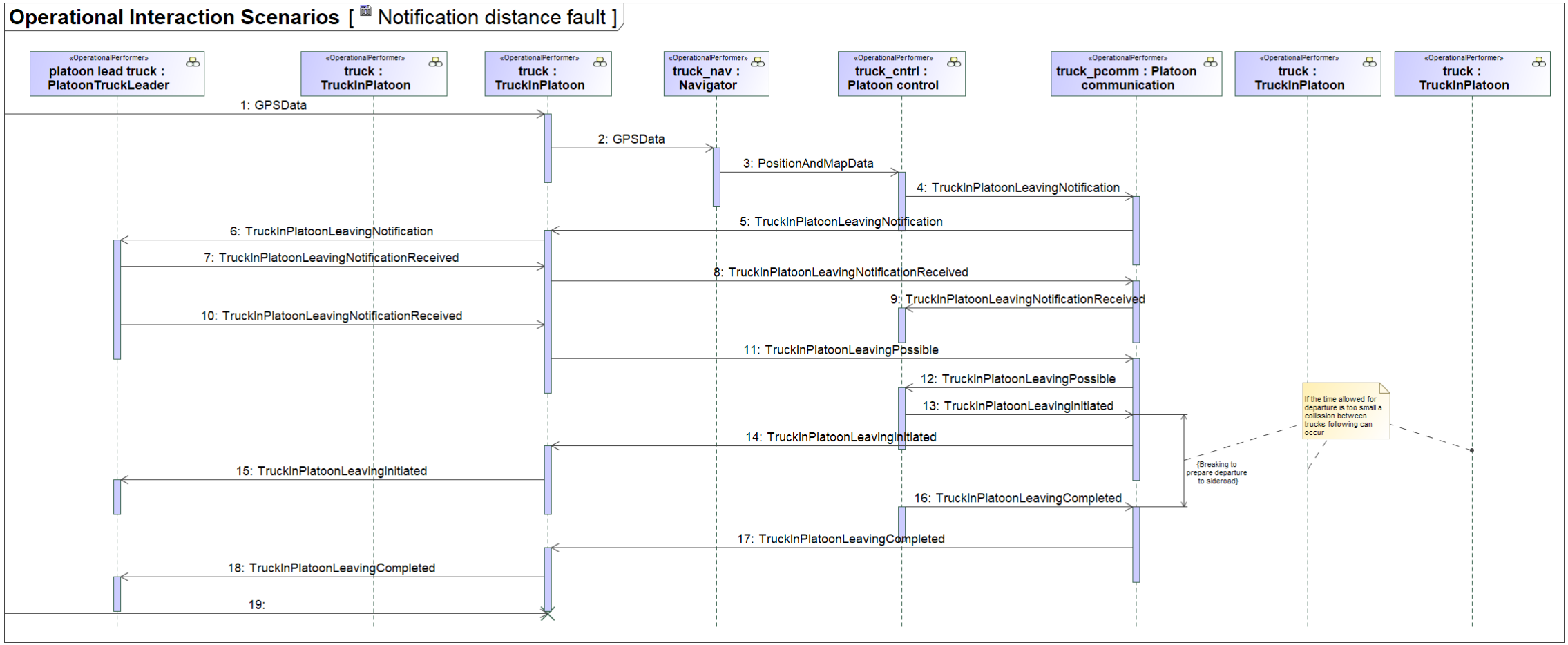


While being able to deal with:

- Traffic Restrictions (speed limit changes, queues, gradients)
- Parameter handling
- Gap handling
- Other Vehicle interaction handling
- Platoon length handling

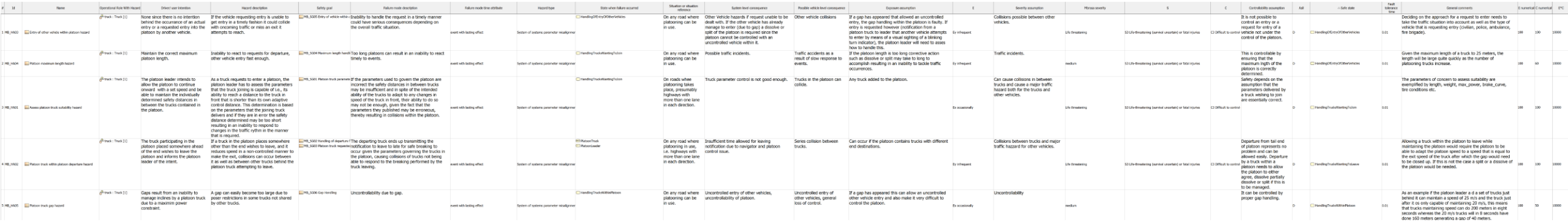
Truck Platooning Scenario

Shows a truck leaving the platoon, communicating with the others, speed control & platoon behavior



Hazard Analysis Report

Compiles the information from the scenarios



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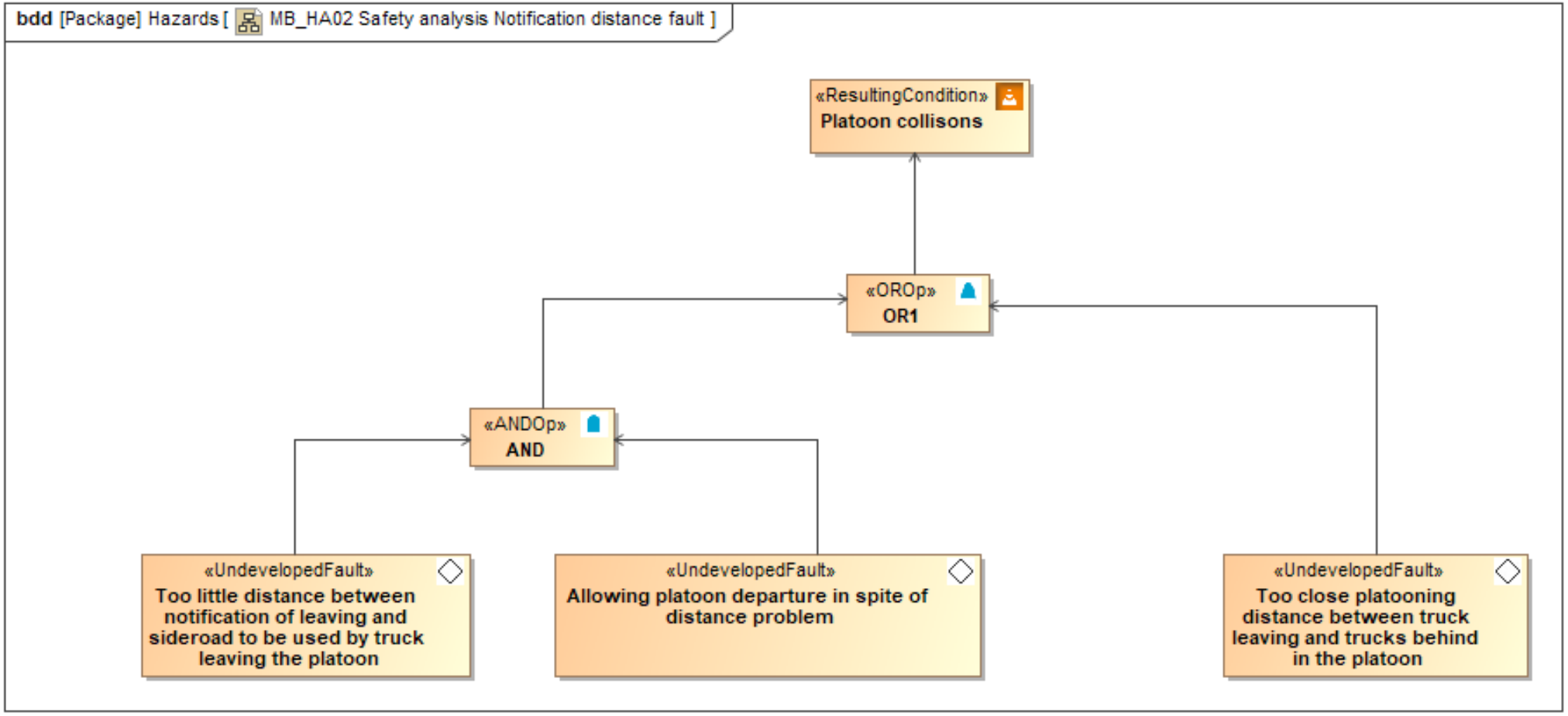
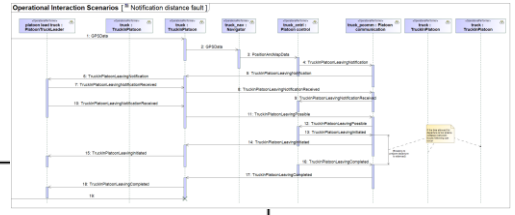
Fault Tree Analysis (FTA)

Shows how a critical failure is broken down into potential causes and the logic



idef0 Perform MBRASA

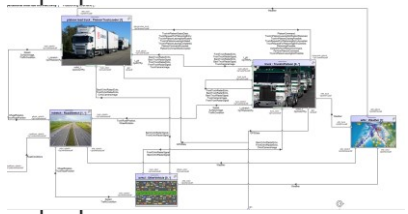
Summary of the proposed approach



1.1 Create SoS Model (Platoon)

SoS Functionality

SoS Model



1.2 Preliminary Identify hazards (Platoon)

Hazards

1.3 Identify SoS items (w concurrent design)

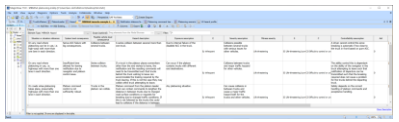
CS Items info (Vehicle)

Request for CS info

Requirement for SoS compliance

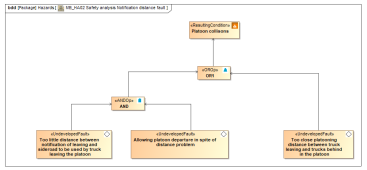
SoS items

Request for more info about SoS



1.4 Conduct SoS HARA

Safety goals



SoS Hazard w Criticality

1.5 Develop complete SoS Solution Concept (Platoon)

SoS Functional Safety Concept

Updates to SoS Model

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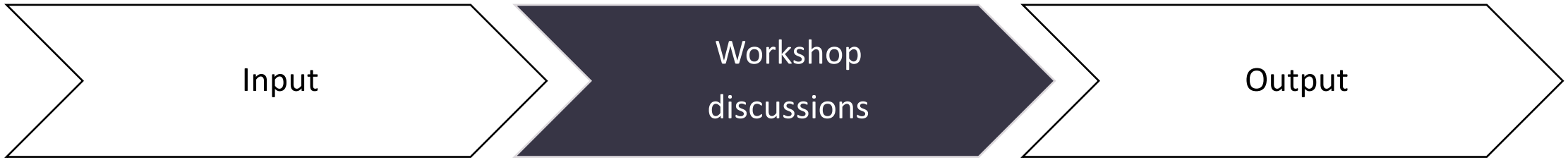


- MBRASA approach
  - Safety analysis approach
  - System modelling approach
  - Use cases
- Personal experiences

- Considering a MBRASA approach as applied to your domain, what benefits could a MBRASA approach bring? What keeps us from reaping those benefits?
- Start by a round table presentation and appoint a note taker and presenter

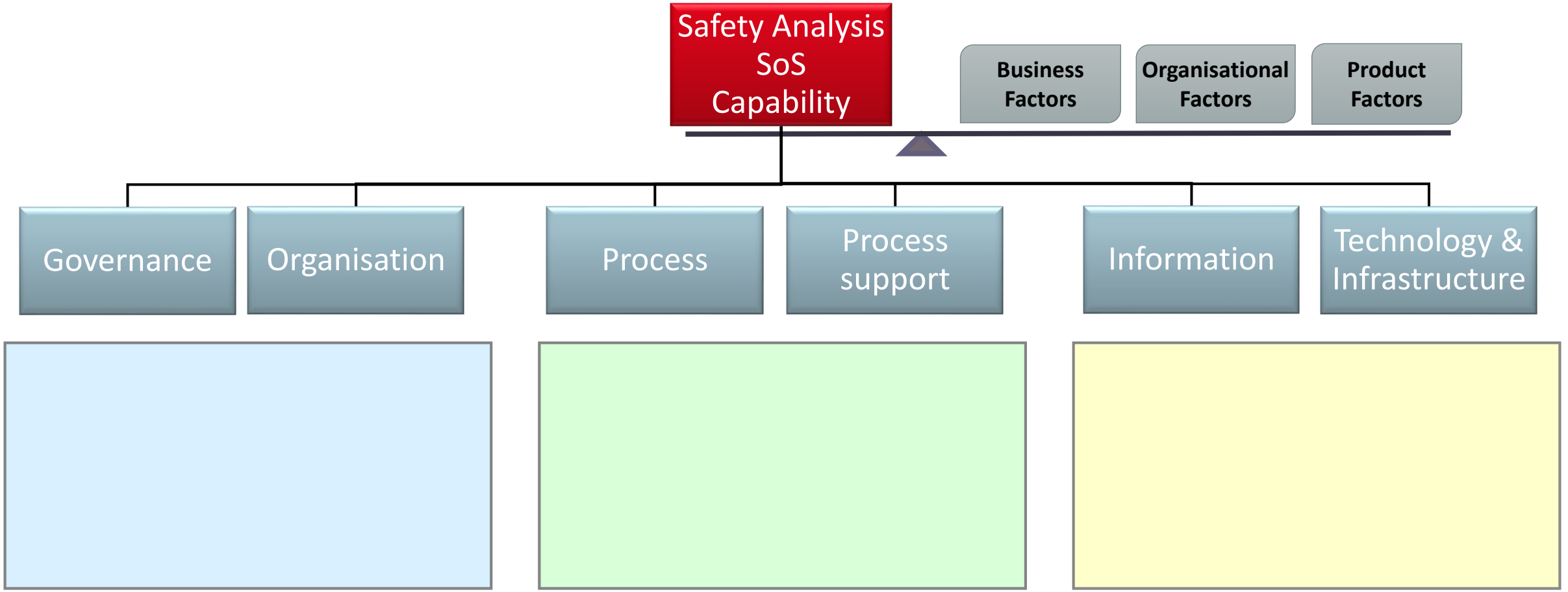
- Reflections from each group, summarized in 3 key points
- As a follow up, for those interested, a summary of the workshop discussions as an amendment to the MBRASA project report.

Questions

- ***What usage and value could a MBRASA approach bring?***
- ***What are the potential issues of using the approach to achieving that usage and value?***
- ***What could be done to overcome those issues?***
- ***What could/should be done to improve our methods to assess safety of complex SoS?***

Topics addressed in 2021:
Automation of Analysis, Roles required, Certification and reuse of models, Systems of Systems derived requirements on constituents

Capability Model - Safety Analysis of SoS



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Presentation and discussion

Each group, summarize in three (3) points the highlights of your discussion

GROUPS:

B-Bravo
Dangerous Cargo

C-Charlie
Yes

D-Delta
Keep Clear

F-Foxtrot
Disabled

1. ***What usage and value could a MBRASA approach bring?***

2. ***What are the potential issues of using the approach to achieving that usage and value?***

3. ***What could be done to overcome those issues?***

4. ***What could/should be done to improve our methods to assess safety of complex SoS?***

Syntax: “+” for usage and value, “-“ for issues (problems), “!” for proposal for improvement

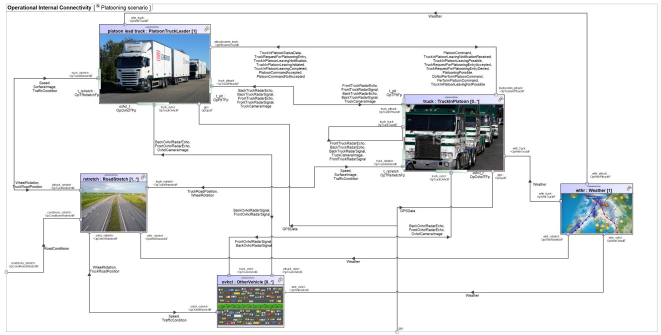
Bravo group:
+ The method seems useful to be able to evaluate a system-of-systems before detailed design.
+ The delta identification
- Physical limits of the systems is overlooked.
- If a model is too complex it may indicate non-safety.
! Strive for simplicity

Delta group:
- Lacking assurance of environmental model. For instance road markings.
- Lacking a method for communicating requirements (and traceability) between developing organizations. This includes not only truck manufacturers but infrastructure.
! Consider iterative process to gradually improve the uncertainty of the model.
! Sotif and cybersecurity is needed as part of the approach. There are very many attack vectors for a platoon. Each truck has interface.

Charlie group:+ Repeatable
+ Modelling the system builds skills
+ Governance added
+ Standardization need to be enforced
- Not sure it is possible to model, but how else could it be done?
! Tools may be built for this.

Foxtrot group:
+ provides for overview
+ behavioural aspects of the SoS could be elicited by the SoS model and used as requirements for constituents.
+ Aid in decision making
- Analysis needed for freedom of interference between parts.
- Safety case needs more details.
! The STPA method could be incorporated to improve.

Agile Systems Lifecycle Management



AI/ ML
Making sense of Big Data

Enterprise and System Modelling
Making the right decisions faster

Robotics and unmanned systems
(facilitating deployment/supply)

System-of-Interest IRL

ANALYSE
CONCEIVE
DEVELOP, IV&V
DEV
FEED-
Block Chain to protect data
Additive mfg
PRODU
Contested logistics
DEPLOY
OPERATE
MONITOR
OPS
Guided operations
Sensors - recording status and trends

MB SE, safety and Supportability
Analysis – faster development

Support system

Requirements Engineering

Systems Engineering

Logistics Engineering and Mgmt

Configuration Management

Thanks for participating!

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