

# Safety Analysis with AADL

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# Objectives



**Introduce the AADL Error-Model v2 (EMV2)**

**Explain main concepts (errors sources and propagation)**

**Present safety analysis tools**

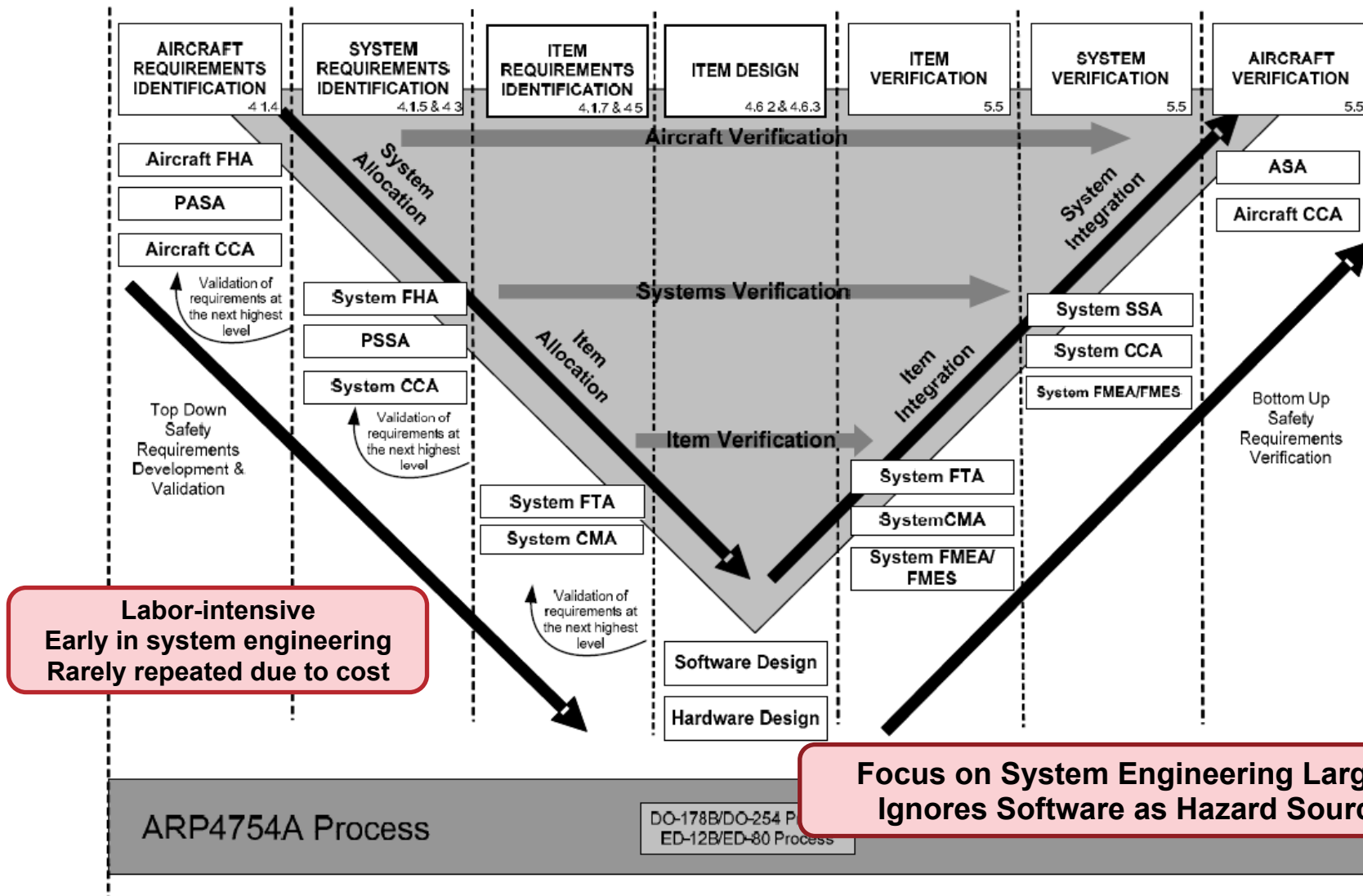
**Exercise safety analysis on the ADIRU system**



# Introduction to the AADL Error Model Annex v2



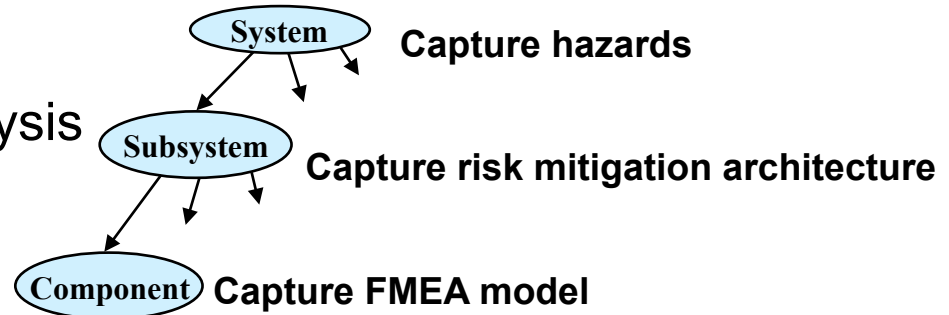
# Safety Practice in Development Process Context



# AADL Error Model Scope and Purpose

System safety process uses many individual methods and analyses, e.g.

- hazard analysis
- failure modes and effects analysis
- fault trees
- Markov processes



**SAE ARP 4761 Guidelines and Methods for Conducting the Safety Assessment Process on Civil Airborne Systems and Equipment**

Related analyses are also useful for other purposes, e.g.

- maintainability
- availability
- Integrity

Annotated architecture model permits checking for **consistency and completeness** between these various declarations.

Goal: a general facility for modeling fault/error/failure behaviors that can be used for several modeling and analysis activities.



# **Error Model V2: 4 levels of abstraction**

- 1. Focus on fault interaction with other components**
- 2. Focus on fault behavior of components**
- 3. Focus on fault behavior in terms of subcomponent**
- 4. Types of malfunctions and propagations**



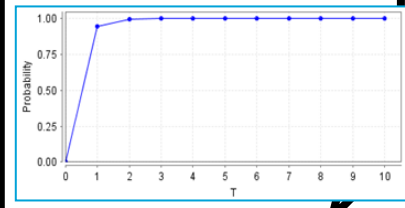
# Automation of SAE ARP4761 System Safety Assessment Practice



**FHA**  
Spreadsheet  
Uses error sources

Component	Error	Hazard Description	Crossrefer	Functional Failure	Operational P
StabilatorPositionSel	"ServiceOmission of	"No stabilator position readings due to s	"1.1.3"	"Loss of sensor readings"	"all"
StabAct1	"ServiceOmission of	"Failure to move stabilator into desired i	"1.1.2"	"Loss of actuator functionalit	"all"
StabAct2	"ServiceOmission of	"Failure to move stabilator into desired i	"1.1.2"	"Loss of actuator functionalit	"all"
StabilatorController	"null on ActCmd"	"Absence of computed data should signa	"1.1.1"	"Loss of guidance values"	"Approach"
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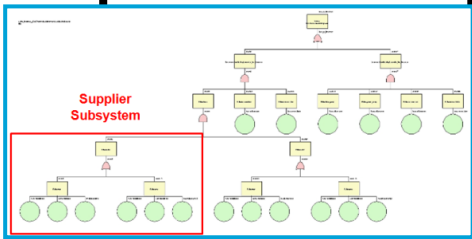
**Markov Chain**  
**PRISM**  
Uses error flows & behavior



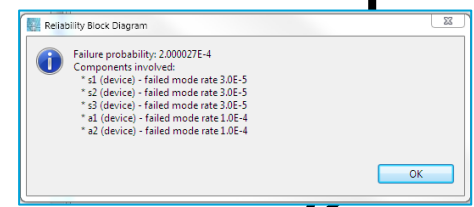
**FMEA**  
Spreadsheet  
Uses error flows & propagations

Three CPU FMEA					
Item	Initial State	Initial Failure	1st Level Effect	Transition	2nd Level Effect
CPU_1.cpu	ErrorFree	CPU_Failure	PermanentError	out_CPU_Failed	PermanentError
PR_AP_L	ErrorFree		ErrorFree	CPU_Failed(N)	PermanentError
CPU_2.cpu	ErrorFree		ErrorFree		ErrorFree
PR_AP_R	ErrorFree		ErrorFree		ErrorFree
PR_FGS_L1	ErrorFree		ErrorFree		ErrorFree
CPU_3.cpu	ErrorFree		ErrorFree		ErrorFree
PR_FGS_R1	ErrorFree		ErrorFree		ErrorFree
CPU_1.cpu	ErrorFree		ErrorFree		ErrorFree
PR_AP_L	ErrorFree		ErrorFree		ErrorFree
CPU_2.cpu	ErrorFree	CPU_Failure	PermanentError	out_CPU_Failed	PermanentError
PR_AP_R	ErrorFree		ErrorFree	CPU_Failed(N)	PermanentError
PR_FGS_L1	ErrorFree		ErrorFree		PermanentError
CPU_3.cpu	ErrorFree		ErrorFree		ErrorFree
PR_FGS_R1	ErrorFree		ErrorFree		ErrorFree

**FTA**  
CAFTA, OpenFTA  
Uses composite error behavior



**RBD/DD**  
OSATE plugin  
Uses composite error behavior





# Value of Automated Architecture-led Safety Analysis

Failure Modes and Effects Analyses are rigorous and comprehensive reliability and safety design evaluations

- Required by industry standards and Government policies
- When performed manually are usually done once due to cost and schedule
- If automated allows for
  - multiple iterations from conceptual to detailed design
  - Tradeoff studies and evaluation of alternatives

ID	Item	Initial State	Initial Failure Mode	1st Level Effect	Transition	2nd Level Effect	Transition	3rd Level Effect	Severity	M
1	Sat_Bus	Working	Failure	Failed		Failed	Recovery	Working		Workin
1	Sat_Payload	Working		Working	Bus failure causes payload transition	Standby		Standby	Bus Recovery Causes Payload Transition	Workin
2	Sat_Bus	Working		Working		Working	5			
2	Sat_Payload	Working	Failure	Failed	Recovery	Working	5			

Largest analysis of satellite to date consists of 26,000 failure modes

- Includes detailed model of satellite bus
- 20 states perform failure mode
- Longest failure mode sequences have 25 transitions (i.e., 25 effects)

**Myron Hecht, Aerospace Corp.**  
Safety Analysis for JPL, member of DO-178C committee



# Providing different views

## EMV2-like Compositional Fault Behavior Specification for Simulink Models

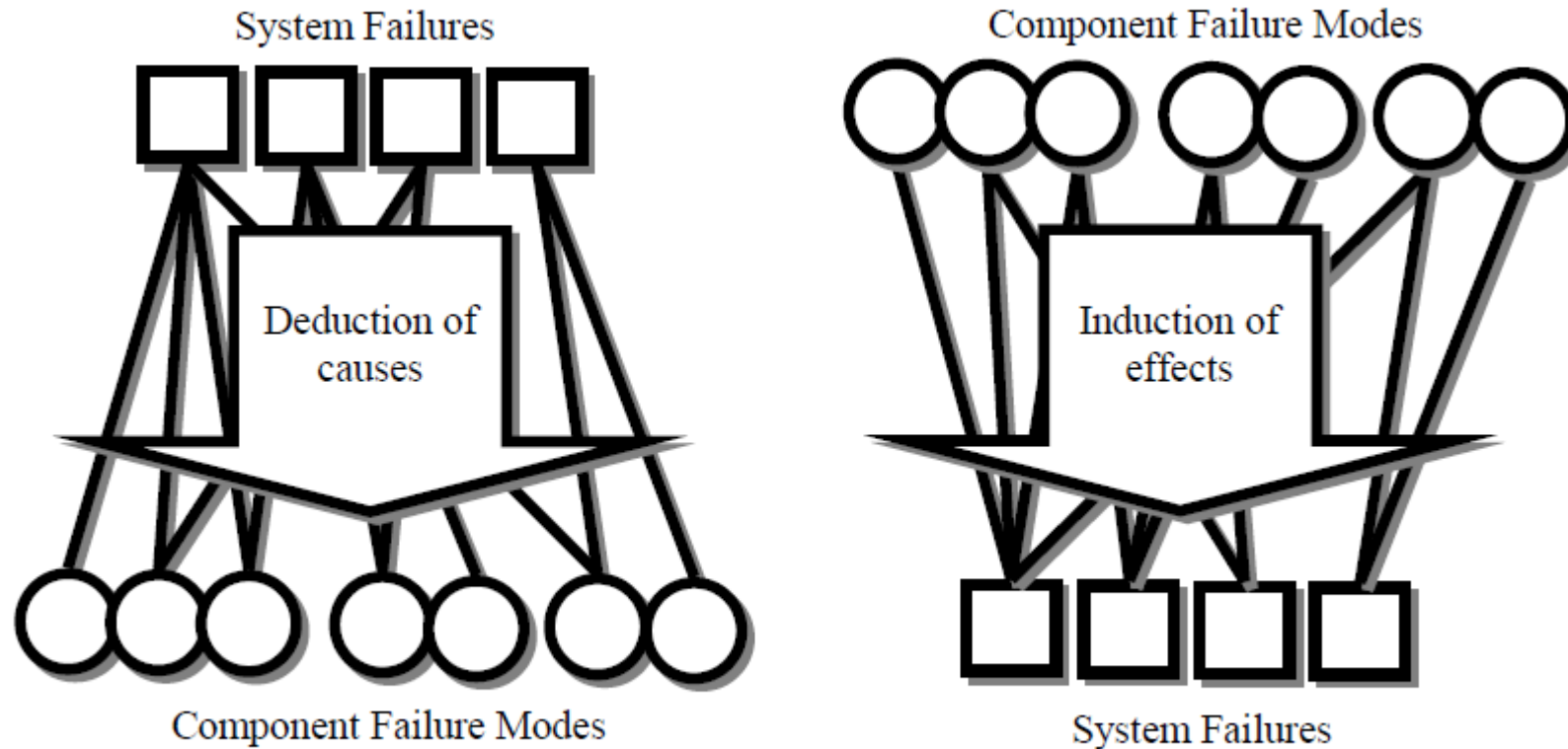
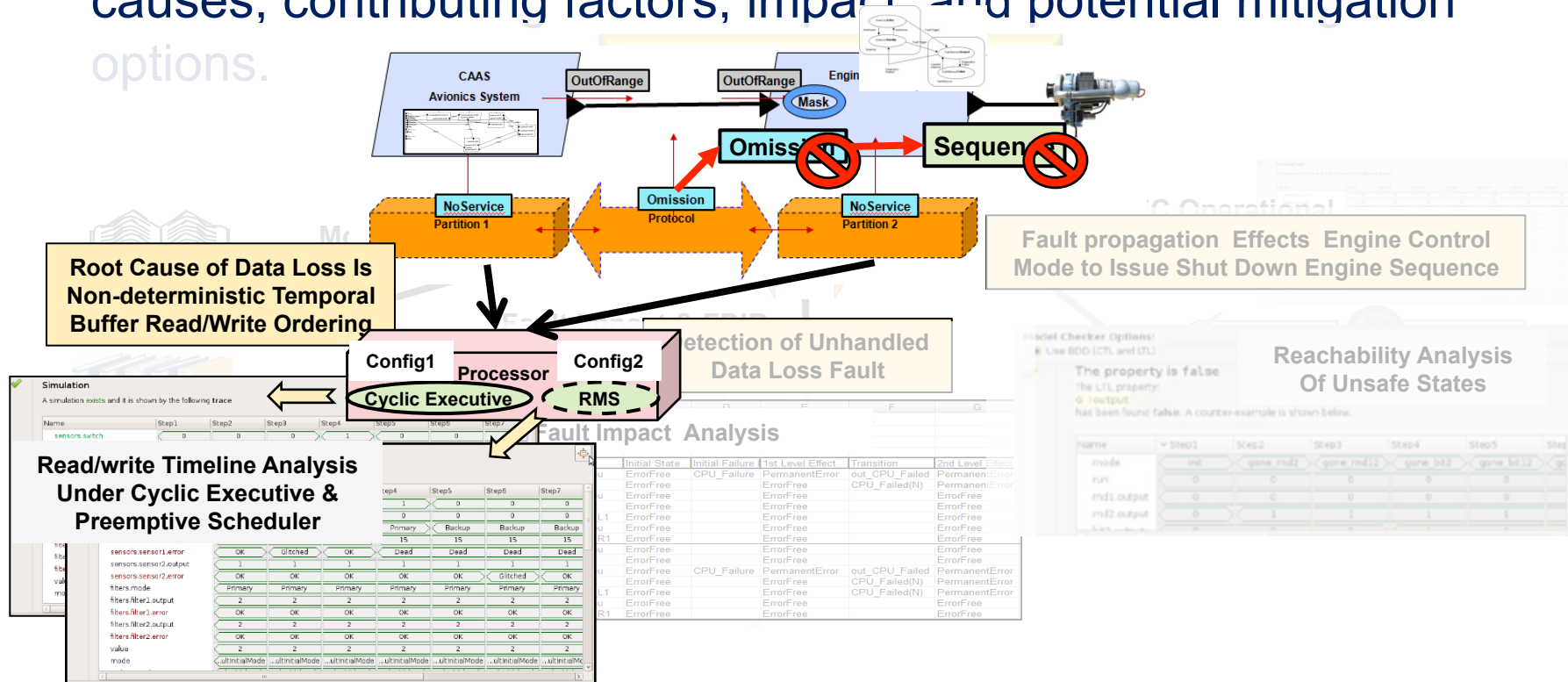


Figure 9 - Inverse relationship between fault trees (left) and FMEA (right)



# Understanding the Cause and Effects of Faults

Through model-based analysis identify architecture induced unhandled, testable, and untestable faults and understand root causes, contributing factors, impact and potential mitigation options.



# Safety-Criticality Requirements

## Exceptional conditions, anomalies and hazards

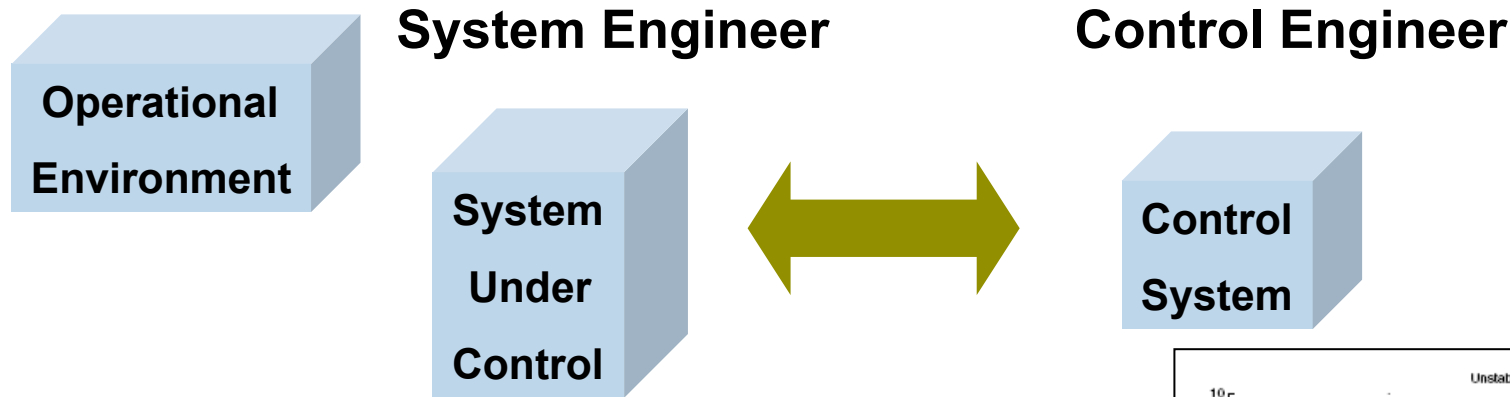
- Mode confusion (reported state vs. observed state vs. actual state)
- Unexpected fault conditions and fault impact
- Inclusion/exclusion of pilot in system
- Fault Detection, Isolation, and Recovery (FDIR)
  - Safety system architecture, security system architecture

## Certification impact

- Criticality levels, design assurance levels and verification implications
- Partition allocations (isolation) and avoidable certification cost
- Understanding change impact to achieve proportional recertification



# Latency Sensitivity in Control Systems

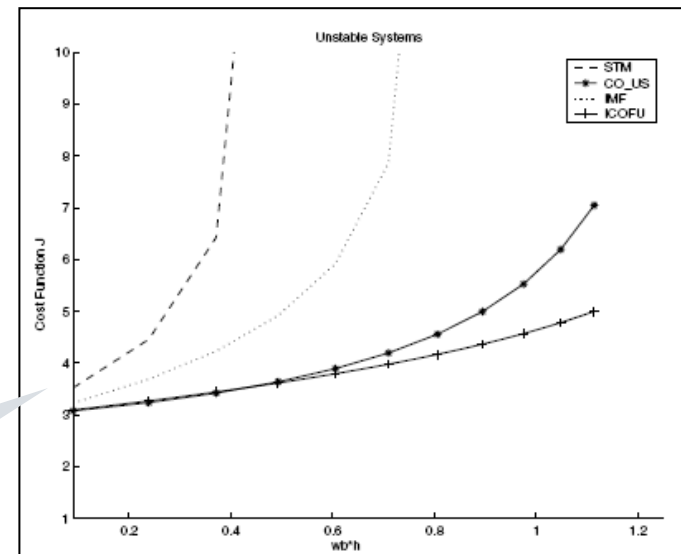


Common latency data from system engineering

- Processing latency
- Sampling latency
- Physical signal latency

Impact of Scheduler Choice on Controller Stability

A. Cervin, Lund U., CCACSD 2006



# Software-Based Latency Contributors

Execution time variation: algorithm, use of cache

Processor speed

Resource contention

Preemption

Legacy & shared variable communic

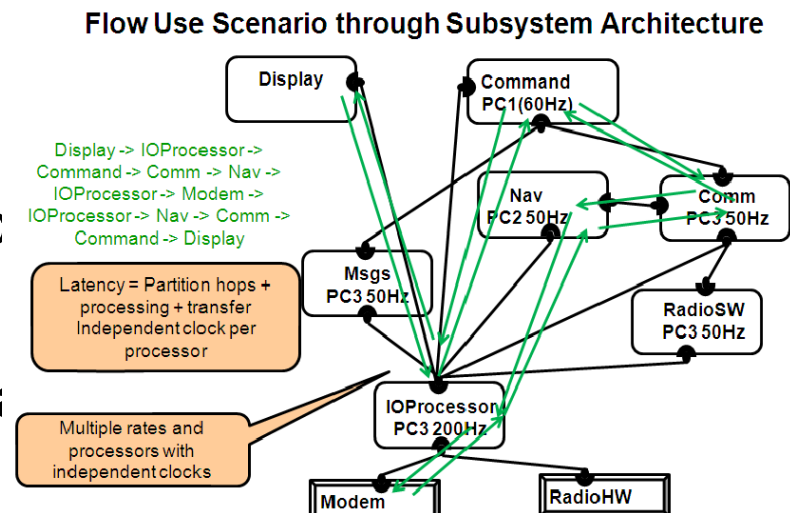
Rate group optimization

Protocol specific communication del

Partitioned architecture

Migration of functionality

Fault tolerance strategy



# The Symptom: Missed Stepper Motor Steps

Stepper motor (SM) controls a valve

- Commanded to achieve a specified valve position
  - Fixed position range mapped into units of SM steps
- New target positions can arrive at any time
  - SM immediately responds to the new desired position

**Software modeled and verified in SCADE**  
Full reliance on SCADE of SM & all functionality  
Problems with missing steps not detected

Safety hazard due to software design

- Execution time variation results in missed steps
- Leads to misaligned stepper motor position and control system states
- Sensor feedback not granular enough to detect individual step misses

**Software tests did not discover the issue**  
Time sensitive systems are hard to test for.

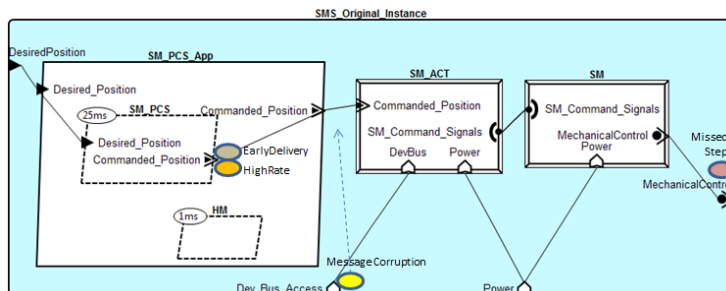
**Two Customer Proposed Solutions**  
Sending of data at 12ms offset from dispatch  
Buffering of command by SM interface  
No analytical evidence that the problem will be addressed



# Analysis Results and Solution

## Architecture Fault Model Analysis

- Fault impact analysis identifies multiple sources of missed steps
  - Early arrival of step increment commands
  - Step increment command rate mismatch
  - Transient message corruption or loss
- Understanding of error cause
  - When is early too early
  - Guaranteed delivery assumption for step increment commands



MissedStep	Original Design	Fixed Send Time	Buffered Command	Position Command
SMS logical failures	EarlyDelivery HighRate	HighRate	HighRate	
SMS mechanical failures	ActuatorFailure StepperMotorFailure	ActuatorFailure StepperMotorFailure	ActuatorFailure StepperMotorFailure	ActuatorFailure StepperMotorFailure
Transient comm failures	MessageCorruption MessageLoss	MessageCorruption MessageLoss	MessageCorruption MessageLoss	
Mechanical failures in Op Environment	ECUFailure PowerLoss ValveFailure	ECUFailure PowerLoss ValveFailure	ECUFailure PowerLoss ValveFailure	ECUFailure PowerLoss ValveFailure





# Time-sensitive Auto-brake Mode Confusion

## Auto-brake mode selection by push button

- Three buttons for three modes
- Each button acts as toggle switch

## Event sampling in asynchronous system setting

- Dual channel COM/MON architecture
- Each COM, MON unit samples separately
  - Button push close to sampling rate results in asymmetric value error
  - COM/MON mode discrepancy votes channel out
  - Repeated button push does not correct problem
  - Operational work around (1 second push) is not fool proof

## Avoidable complexity design issue

- Concept mismatches: desired state by event and sampled event



# Error Model Annex v2

## Main Concepts



# Error Type Libraries

```
Package myerrortypes
public
Annex emv2{**
error types
    AxleFailure: type;
    Fracture: type extends axlefailure;
    Fatigue: type extends axlefailure;
end types;
**};
End myerrortypes;
```

## Error Type libraries and AADL Packages

- An AADL package can contain one Error Model library declaration
- The **error types** clause represents the Error Type library within the Error Model library
- The Error Type library is identified and referenced by the package name

## Error Type library represents a namespace for error types and type sets

- Error type and type set names must be unique within an Error Type library
- An Error Type library can contain multiple error type hierarchies

# Error Types & Error Type Sets

## *Error type declarations*

```
TimingError: type ;  
EarlyValue: type extends TimingError;  
LateLate: type extends TimingError;  
ValueError: type ;  
BadValue: type extends ValueError;
```

### Error Type Set as Constraint

{T1} tokens of one type hierarchy  
{T1, T2} tokens of one of two error type hierarchies  
{T1\*T2} type product (one error type from each error type hierarchy)  
{NoError} represents the empty set  
Constraint on state, propagation, flow, transition condition, detection condition, outgoing propagation condition, composite state condition

## *An error type set represents a set of type instances*

- Elements in a type set are mutually exclusive
- An error type with subtypes includes instances of any subtype
- A *type product* represents a simultaneously occurring types
  - Combinations of subtypes

```
InputOutputError : type set {TimingError, ValueError,  
TimingError*ValueError};
```

## *An error type instance*

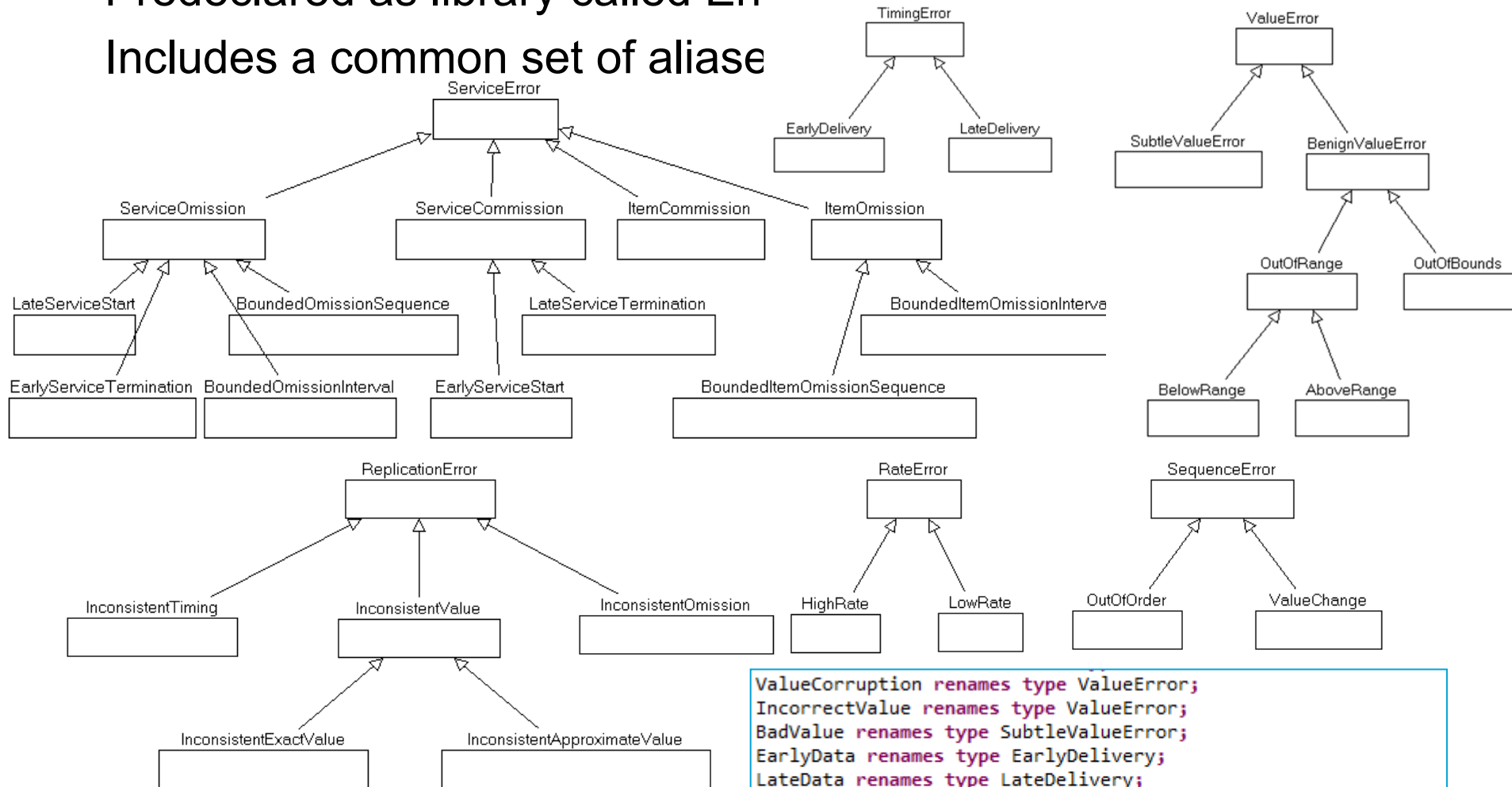
- Represents the error type of an actual event, propagation, or state



# A Standard Set of Error Propagation Types

Predeclared as library called ErrorLibrary

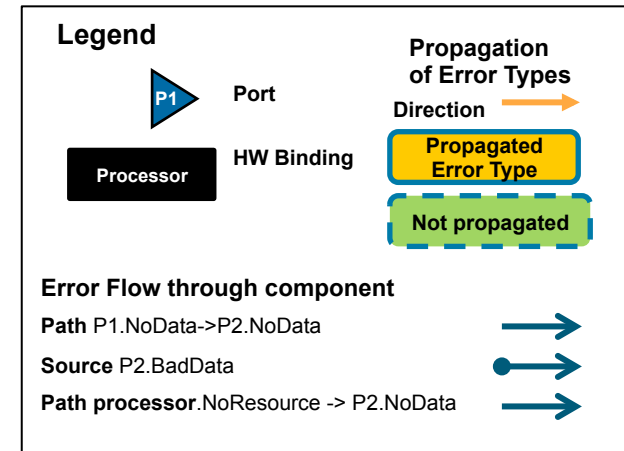
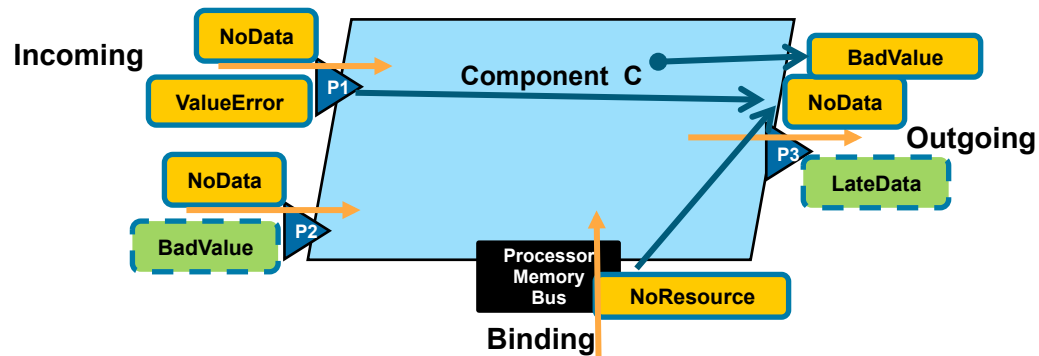
Includes a common set of aliases



```

ValueCorruption renames type ValueError;
IncorrectValue renames type ValueError;
BadValue renames type SubtleValueError;
EarlyData renames type EarlyDelivery;
LateData renames type LateDelivery;
AsymmetricValue renames type InconsistentValue;
SymmetricValue renames type ValueError;
AsymmetricItemOmission renames type InconsistentItemOmission;
  
```

# Component Error Propagation



“Not“ on propagated indicates that this error type is intended to be contained. This allows us to determine whether propagation specification is complete.

## Incoming/Assumed

- Error Propagation  
Propagated errors
- Error Containment:  
Errors not propagated

## Outgoing/Contract

- Error Propagation
- Error Containment

## Bound resources

- Error Propagation
- Error Containment
- Propagation to resource

Supports Fault Propagation & Transformation Calculus (FPTC) by York University  
Also origin of safety cases

# Error Propagation Declarations

**system** Subsystem

**features**

P1: **in data port**;

P2: **in data port**;

P3: **out data port**;

**annex** EMV2 {\*\*

**use types** ErrorLibrary;

**error propagations**

P1: **in propagation** {NoData, ValueError} ;

P2: **in propagation** {NoData};

P2: **not in propagation** {BadValue};

P3: **out propagation** {NoData, BadValue};

P3: **not out propagation** {LateData};

**processor**: **in propagation** {NoResource};

**end propagations**; \*\*};

## Binding Related Propagation Specifications

Processor, Memory, Connection, Binding, Bindings

Path follows predeclared Binding properties



# Error Flows

Error flow specifies the role of a component in error propagation

- The component may be a source or sink of a propagated error types
- The component may pass incoming types through as outgoing types
- The component may transform an incoming type into a different outgoing type
- By default all incoming errors of any feature flow to all outgoing features

annex EMV2 {\*\*  
error propagations

.. . .

flows

es1: **error source** P3{BadData} ;

es2: **error source** P3{NoData} ;

es3: **error sink** P2{NoData};

ep1: **error path** P2{BadData}->P3; -- same type as incoming type

ep2: **error path** P1{ValueError} -> P3{ItemOmission}; -- all value errors xformed into ItemOmission

ep3: **error path processor** -> P3

mapping MyErrorModelLibrary::MyMapping; -- use a type mapping table

end propagations ; \*\*};

The same propagation may be part of a flow source/sink and flow path.

A propagation may be a sink for one type and not for another

```
type mappings MyMapping  
use types ErrorLibrary;  
{BadData} -> {NoData} ;  
{NoService} -> {NoData} ;  
end mappings;
```





# Functional Hazard Assessment

## Hazard property

- Tailoring for safety standards (ARP4761, MIL-STD-882)
- Associated with error state, error source, outgoing propagation, error type

```
Hazards: list of record
(
  crossreference      : aadlstring; -- cross referenc
  hazardtitle        : aadlstring; -- short descri
  description         : aadlstring; -- description
  failure             : aadlstring; -- description
  failureeffect      : aadlstring; -- description
  phases              : list of aadlstring; -- oper
  environment         : aadlstring; -- description

  risk                : aadlstring; -- description
  failurecondition   : aadlstring; -- description
  severity            : ARP4761::SeverityLabels;
  likelihood          : ARP4761::LikelihoodLabels;
  targetseverity     : ARP4761::SeverityLabels; --
  targetlikelihood   : ARP4761::LikelihoodLabels;
  developmentassurancelevel : EMV2::DALLabels; --

  verificationmethod : aadlstring; -- verification
  safetyreport        : aadlstring; -- capturing th
  comment             : aadlstring; -- additional
)
```

			D	E	F	G	H
			Functions	Operational Phase	Effects of	Severity	
17	Partial Sy	Landing or RTO			Asymmet	Catastr	
17	Inadvert	Takeoff			Undetect	Catastr	
17	Crew deb	Landing or RTO			Total Loss	Hazard	
17	Crew deb	Landing or RTO			Total Loss	Hazard	
17	Crew deb	Landing or RTO			Partial Sy	Hazard	
	see ARP4	Loss of Ar	all		The syste	Catastr	
		No signal	TBD		No signal		
		No signal	TBD		No signal		
9	pedals	Noservice on signalz	TBD				
10	power/battery1	Depleted	TBD		Battery D	all	No more Major
11	power/battery1	Explode	TBD		Battery E	all	Battery E: Catastroph
12	power/battery1	NoPower on socket	ARP4761 page 277 figure 9		Loss of or	Landing/RTO	Loss of El: Major Probable Have a physical impact on the surrounding components
13	power/battery2	Depleted	TBD		Battery D	all	No more Major Probable Can be an issue if redundant battery is failing also
14	power/battery2	Explode	TBD		Battery E	all	Battery E: Catastroph Extreme: Have a physical impact on the surrounding components
15	power/battery2	NoPower on socket	ARP4761 page 277 figure 9		Loss of or	Landing/RTO	Loss of El: Major Probable Major hazard if both power are lost
16	blue_pump	HydraulicError	ARP4761 page 275 figure L9		Hydraulic	TBD	Loss of or Major Probable Major hazard if both pumps are lost
17	green_pump	HydraulicError	ARP4761 page 275 figure L9		Hydraulic	TBD	Loss of or Major Probable Major hazard if both pumps are lost
18	accumulator	HydraulicError	ARP4761 page 275 figure L9		Hydraulic	TBD	Loss of or Major Probable Major hazard if both pumps are lost

```
device PositionSensor
features
  PositionReading: out data port DataDictionary::Position;
flows
  f1: flow source PositionReading {
    Latency => 2 ms .. 3 ms;
  };
annex EMV2 {**
  use types ErrorLibrary, FHAErrorLibrary;
  use behavior ErrorModelLibrary::Simple;
error propagations
  PositionReading: out propagation {ServiceOmission};
flows
  ef1:error source PositionReading {ServiceOmission} when Failed;
end propagations;
properties
EMV2::hazards =>
([ crossreference => "1.1.3";
  failure => "Loss of sensor readings";
  phases => ("all");
  severity => MILSTD882::Critical;
  likelihood => MILSTD882::remote;
  description => "No stabilator position readings due to sensor failure";
  comment => "Becomes major hazard, if no reundant sensor";
])
  applies to ef1.Failed;
**);
end PositionSensor;
```

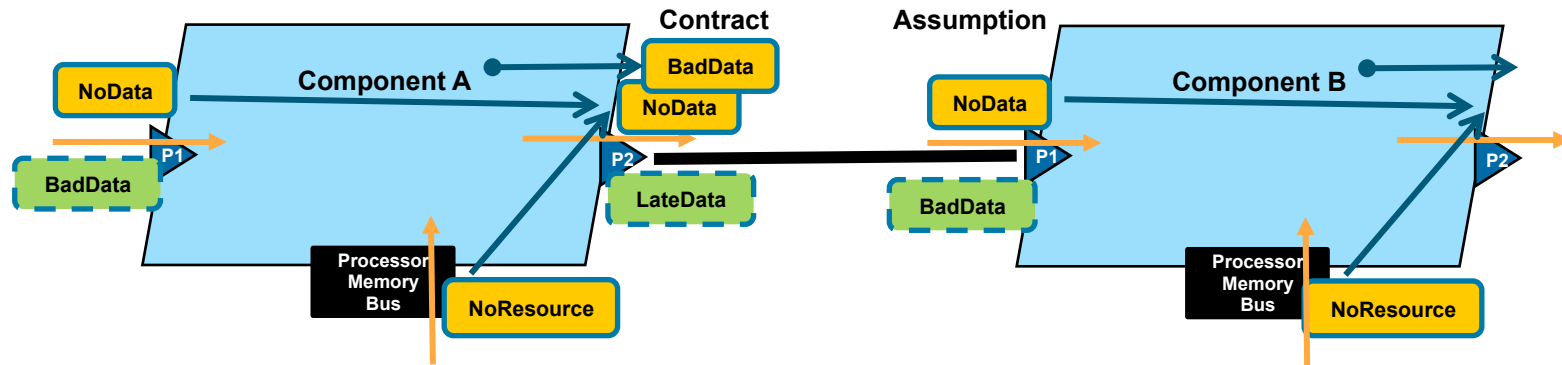


# Other Predeclared EMV2 Properties

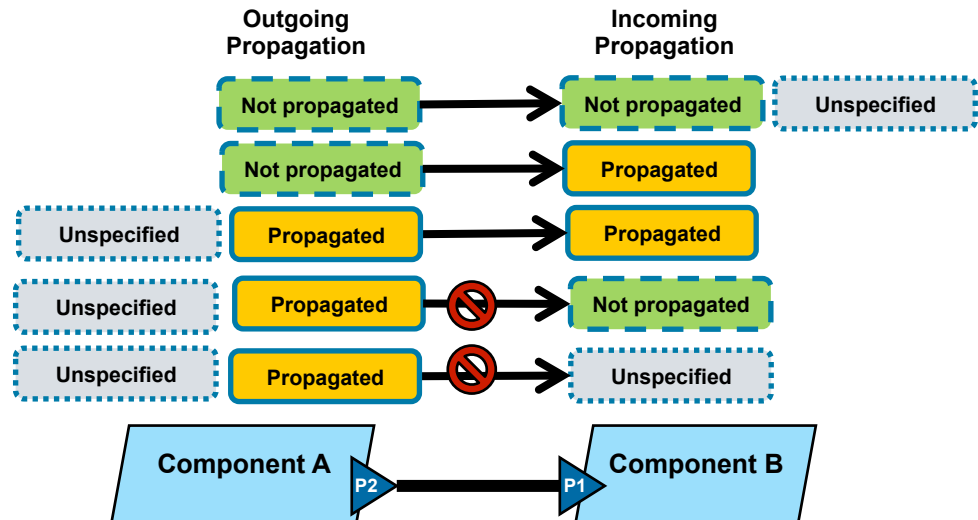
- Occurrence distribution
  - Distribution functions: Fixed, Poisson/Exponential, Normal/Gauss, Weibull, Binominal
- Persistence: Permanent, Transient, Singleton
- Duration distribution
- Fault kind: design, operational
- State kind: working, nonworking
- Detection mechanism



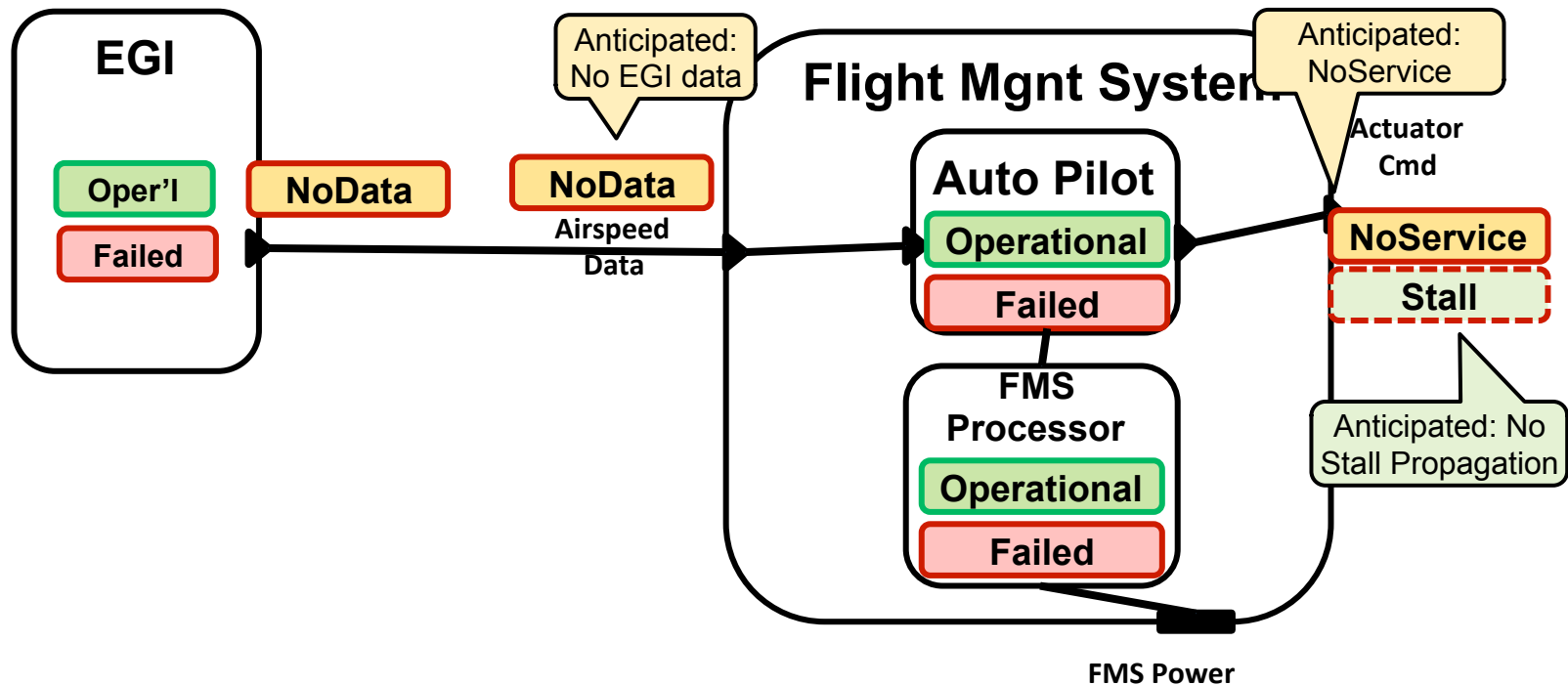
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**Mismatched fault propagation and containment assumptions**  
 Discovery of unhandled error propagations.



# Software Induced Flight Safety Issue

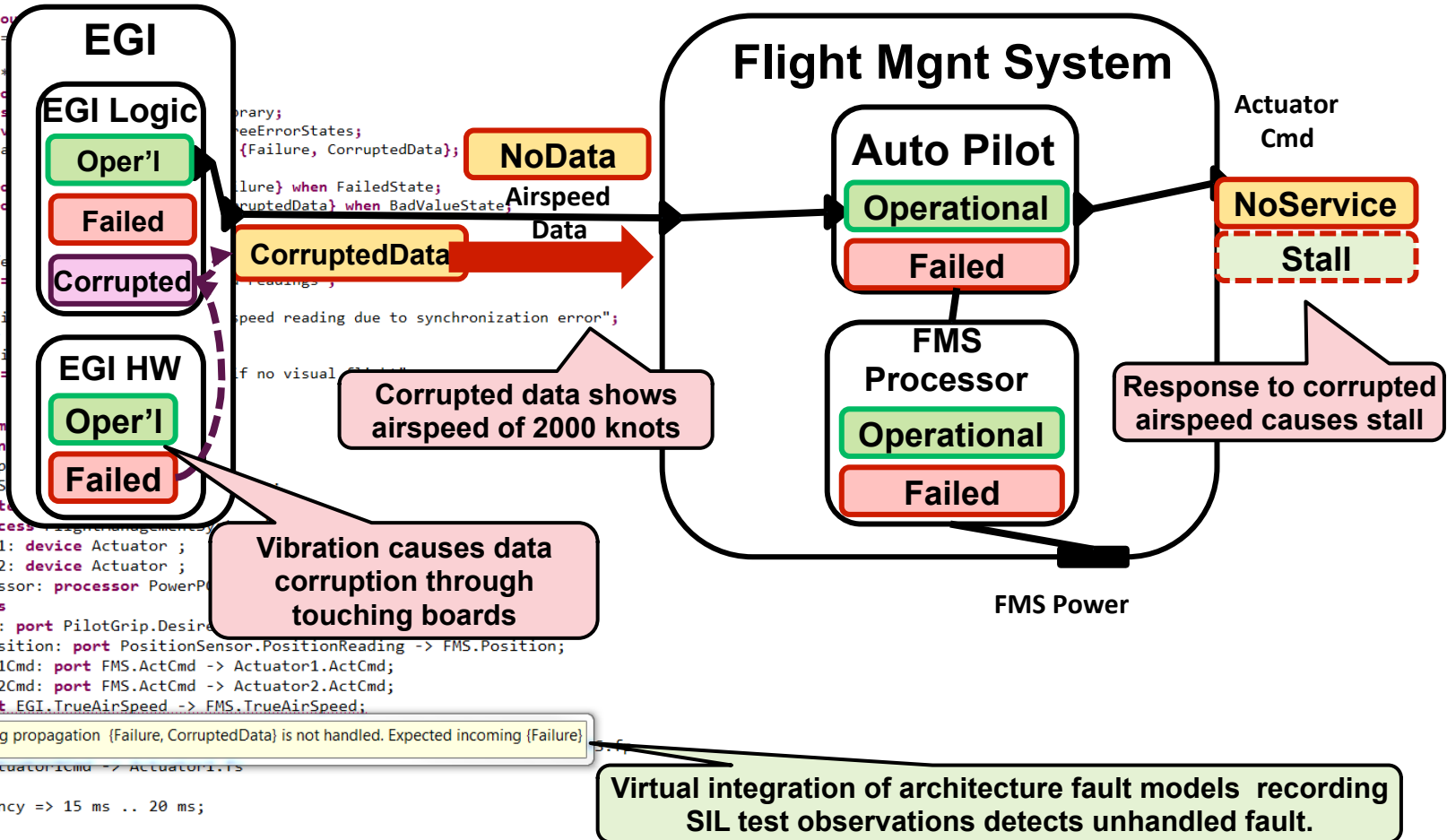


**Original Preliminary System Safety Analysis (PSSA)**  
 System engineering activity with focus on failing components.

# Unhandled Hazard Discovery through Virtual Integration

```

system EGI
  features
    trueairspeed: out data port DataDictionary::Velocity;
  flows
    f1: flow so
      Latency =
    };
  annex EMV2 {
    error pro
    use types
    use behav
    truea
  flows
    ef1:erro
    ef2:erro
  properties
    EMV2::hazard
    [
      crossref
      failure =
      phase =>
      descripti
      severity
      criticali
      comment =
    ]
  system imple
  subcomponent
    PilotGrip
    PositionS
    EGI: syst
    FMS: proces
    Actuator1: device Actuator ;
    Actuator2: device Actuator ;
    FMSProcessor: processor PowerP
  connections
    pilotCmd: port PilotGrip.Desire
    sensedPosition: port PositionSensor.PositionReading -> FMS.Position;
    Actuator1Cmd: port FMS.ActCmd -> Actuator1.ActCmd;
    Actuator2Cmd: port FMS.ActCmd -> Actuator2.ActCmd;
    vtx: port EGI.TrueAirSpeed -> FMS.TrueAirSpeed;
  f
    x Outgoing propagation (Failure, CorruptedData) is not handled. Expected incoming (Failure)
  }
  Actuator1Cmd -> Actuator1.F
  {
    Latency => 15 ms .. 20 ms;
  };
  
```



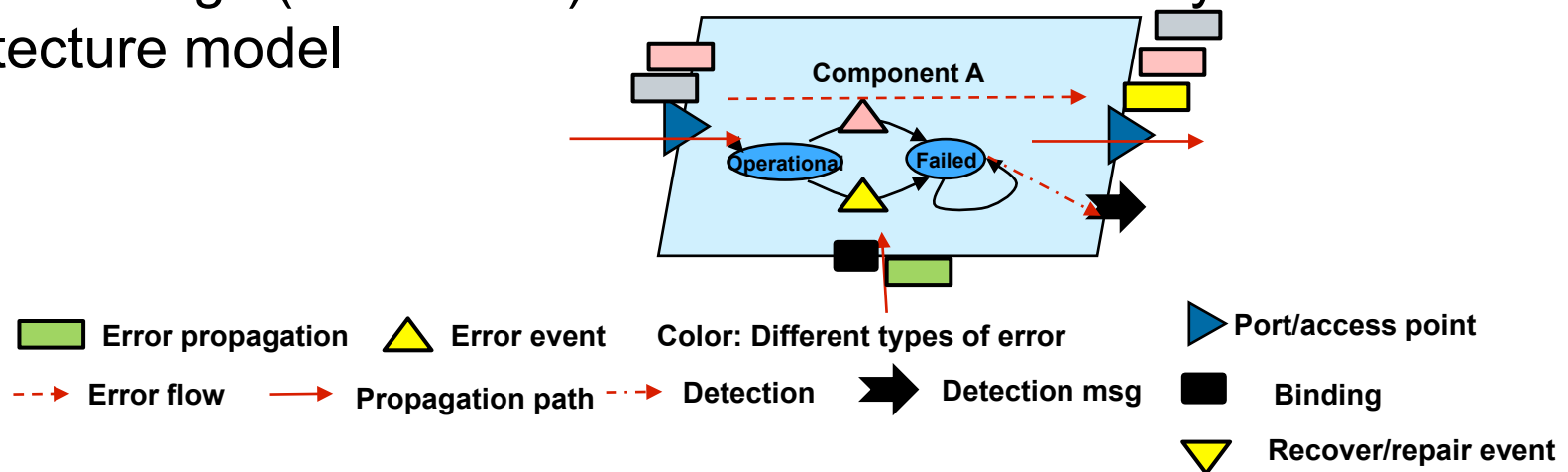
# Component Error Behavior

Components have error, mitigation, and recovery behavior specified by an error behavior state machine

*Transitions between states triggered by error events and incoming propagations.*

Conditions for *outgoing propagations* are specified in terms of the *current state* and *incoming propagations*.

*Detection* of error states and incoming propagations is mapped into a message (event data) with error code in the system architecture model



# Reusable Error Behavior State Machine

annex EMV2 {\*\*

**error behavior** ExampleBehavior

**events**

Fault: **error event**;

SelfRepair: **recover event**;

Fix: **repair event**;

**states**

Operational: **initial state** ;

FailStopped: **state**;

FailTransient: **state**;

State machine with  
branching transition

**transitions**

SelfFail: Operational -[Fault]-> (FailStopped **with** 0.7, FailTransient **with** 0.3);

Recover: FailTransient -[SelfRepair]-> Operational;

**end behavior**;

**Properties**

EMV2::OccurrenceDistribution => [ ProbabilityValue => 0.00004 ; Distribution => Poisson;]

**applies to** Fault;



# Component Error Behavior Specification

## Component-specific behavior specification

- Identifies an error behavior state machine
- Optionally defines component specific error events
- Specifies transition trigger conditions in terms of incoming propagated errors or working condition of connected component
- Specifies propagation conditions for outgoing propagated errors in terms of states & incoming propagated errors
- Specifies detection conditions under which becomes an event with error code in the core AADL model

**use types** ErrorLibrary ;

**use behavior** MyErrorLibrary::ExampleBehavior ;

**component error behavior**

**transitions** -- additional transitions that are component specific

Operational-[Port1{NoData} and Port2{NoError}]->FailTransient;

FailStopped-[port1{BadData}];

**propagations**

all -[2 ormore (Port1{BadData}, Port2{BadData},Port3{BadData})]-> Outputport3(BadData);

**detections**

FailedState -[]-> **Self**.Failed ( FailCode ); -- Could also report on an outgoing error port

**properties**

EMV2::OccurrenceDistribution => [ ProbabilityValue => 0.00005 ; Distribution => Poisson;]

**applies to** Fault; -- component specific occurrence value

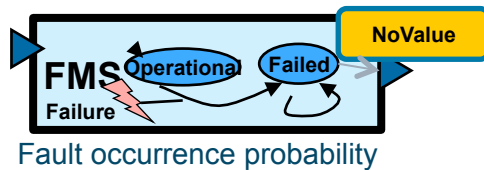
**end behavior;**





# Error Model at Each Architecture Level

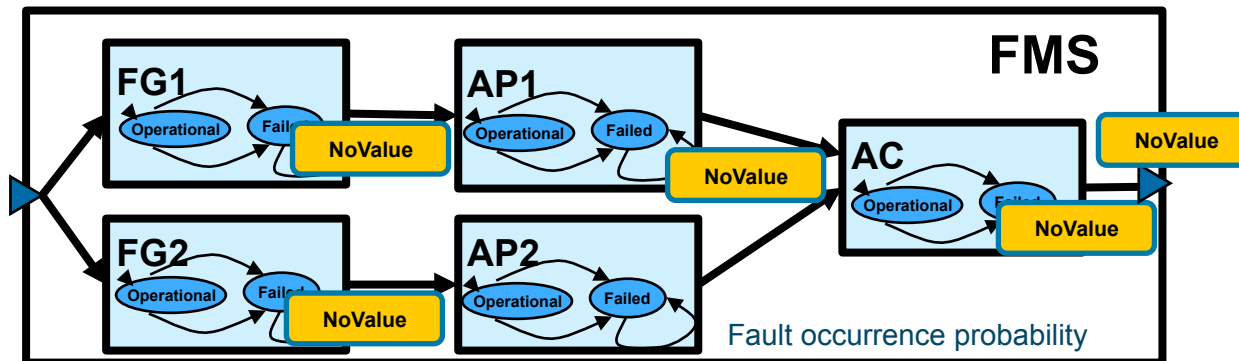
- Abstracted error behavior of FMS
  - Error behavior and propagation specification



Composite error models lead to fault trees and reliability predictions

- Composite error behavior specification of FMS
  - State in terms of subcomponent states

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 1 **ormore**(FG2.Failed **or** AP2.Failed) **or** AC.Failed]->Failed



Consistency Checking Across Levels of the Hierarchy

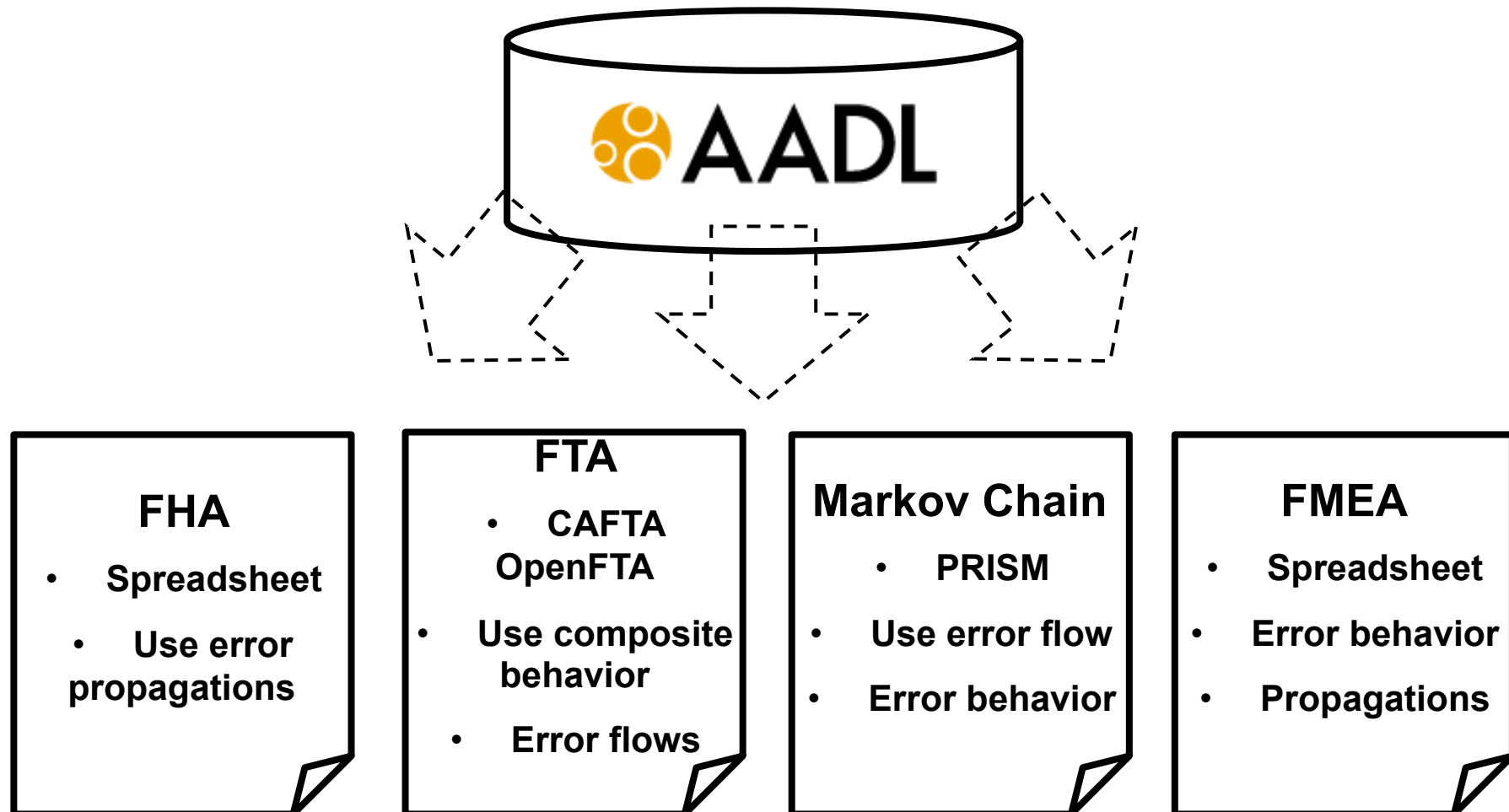


# Error Model Annex v2

## Safety Analysis tools



# AADL & Safety Evaluation – Tool Overview



# Safety Analysis & AADL

Preliminary System Safety Assessment (PSSA) support  
High-level component, interfaces from the OEM  
Automatic generation of validation materials (FHA, FTA)

System Safety Assessment (SSA) support  
Use refined models from suppliers  
Enhancement of error specifications  
Support of quantitative safety analysis (FTA, FMEA, MA)

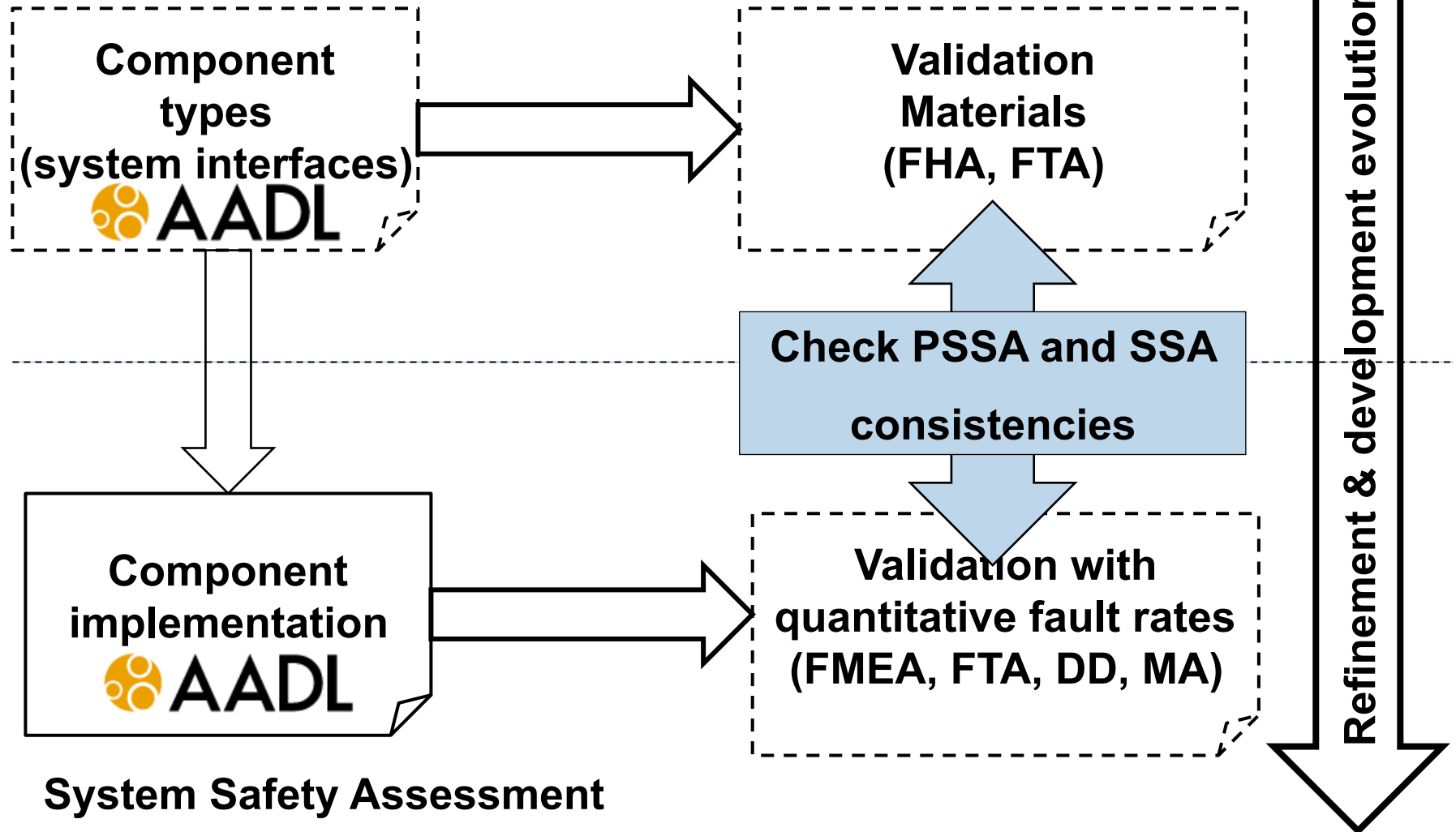


System Development Cycle



# Evolution of Safety Analysis process with AADL

## Preliminary System Safety Assessment



# Safety Analyses on Refined Architecture

## Aircraft-Level Safety Analysis

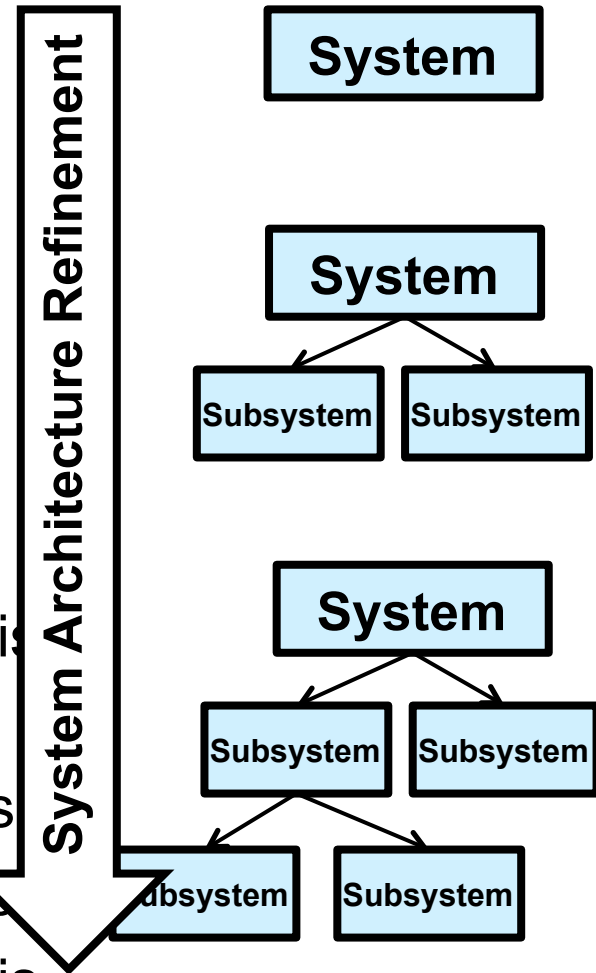
- Define aircraft failure conditions
- Allocate failure to system functions
- Perform PSSA and SSA

## Avionics Subsystem Level Safety Analysis

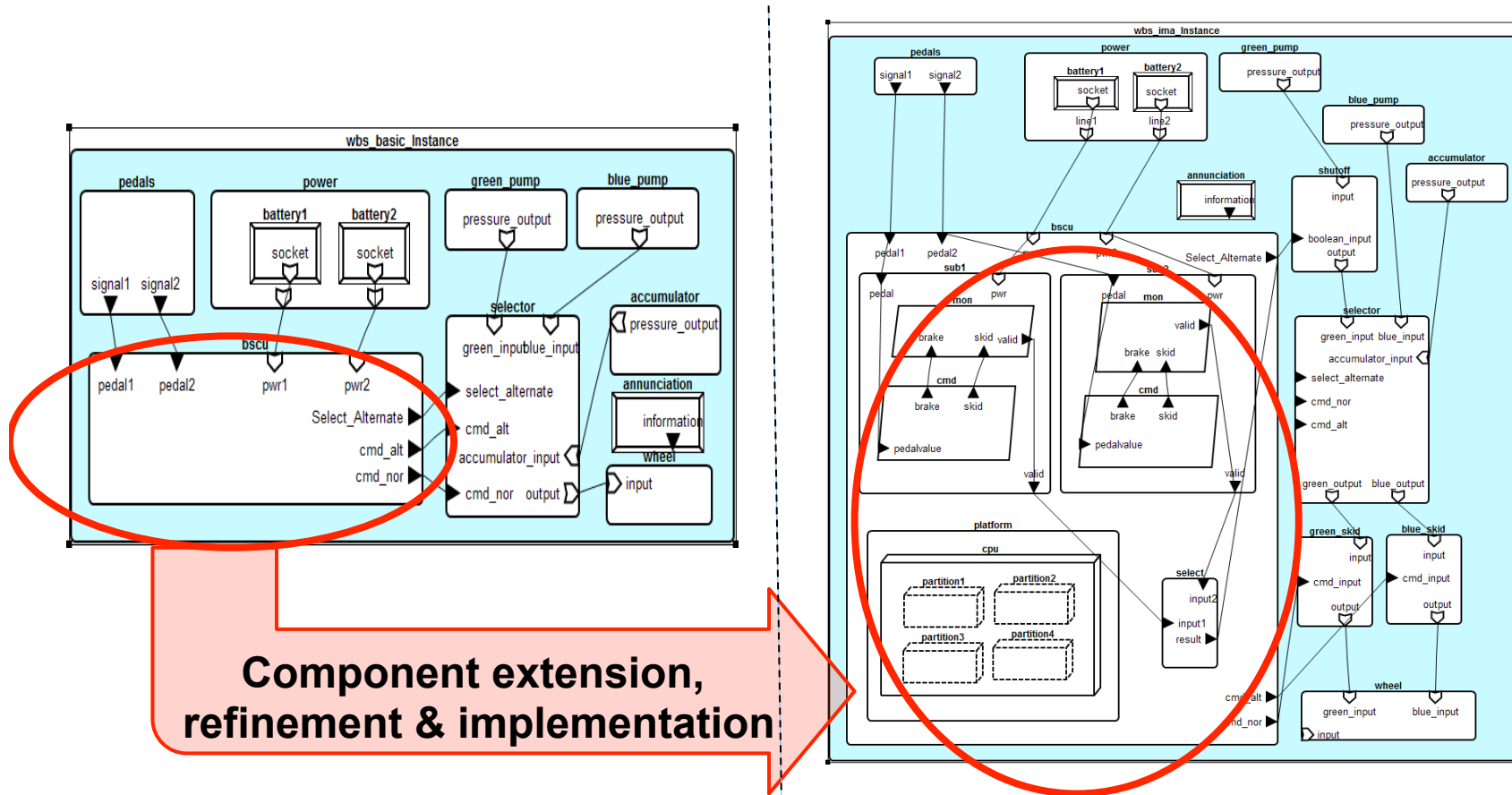
- Perform PSSA and SSA at subsystem level
- Ensure consistency with aircraft level analysis

## Navigation Sub-Subsystem Level Safety Analysis

- Perform PSSA and SSA at sub-subsystem level
- Ensure consistency with aircraft level analysis



# Evolution of the AADL model



AADL model Version n

AADL model Version n + 1

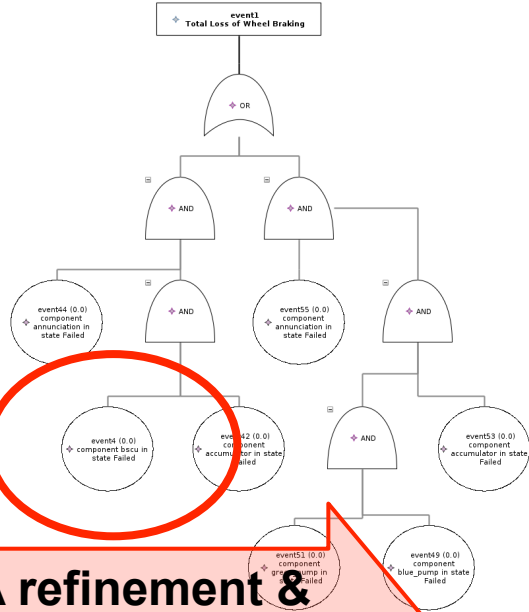
Development Process



# Evolution of Safety Assessment with AADL

 **AADL model version n**

**Automatic Fault-Tree Generation**

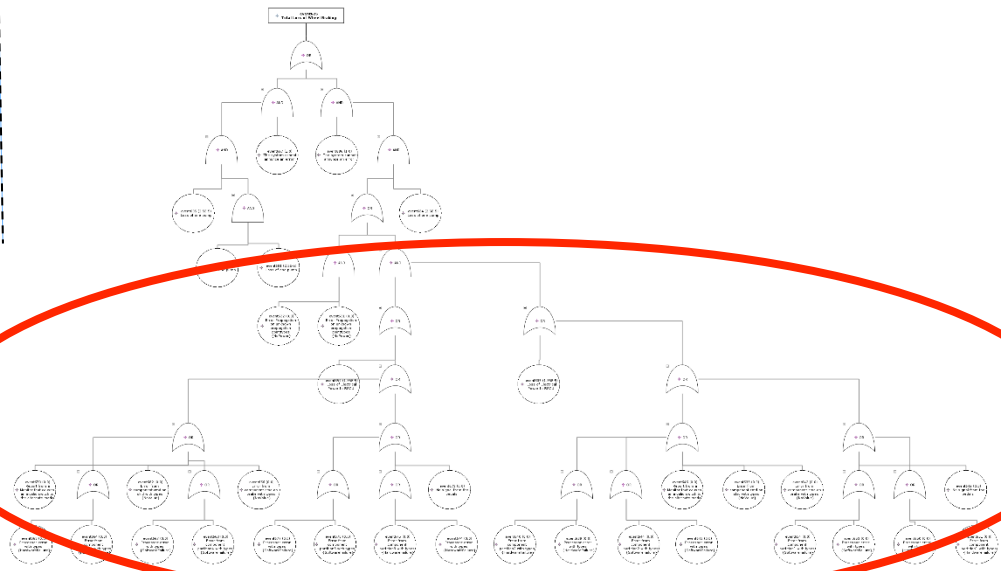


**FTA refinement & improvement**

**FTA Version n**

 **AADL model version n + 1**

**Automatic Fault-Tree Generation**



**FTA Version n + 1**

**Development Process**






# Functional Hazard Analysis Support

Use of **component error behavior**

Error propagations rules

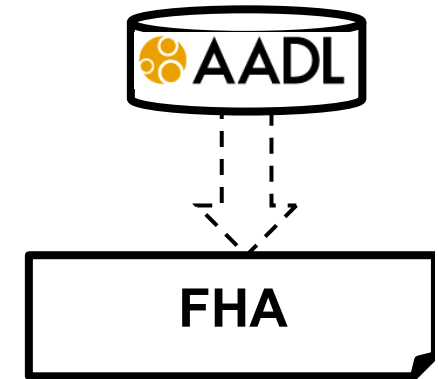
Internal error events

Specify initial failure mode

Define error description and related information

Create spreadsheet containing FHA elements

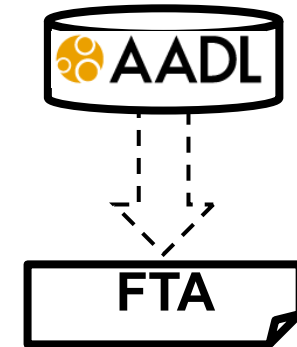
To be reused by commercial or open-source tools



# Fault-Tree Analysis Support

Use of **composite error behavior**

FTA nodes



Use of **component error behavior**

Incoming error events

Walk through the components hierarchy

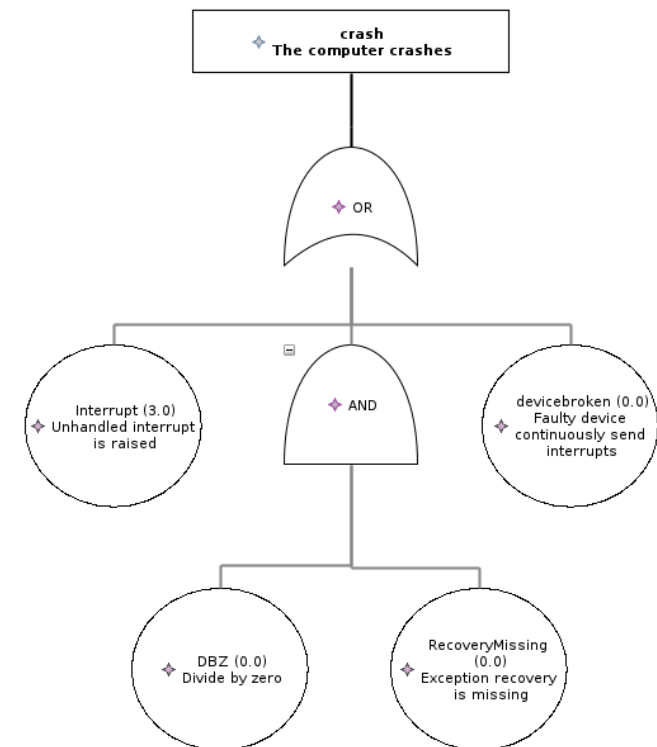
Generate the complete fault-tree

Focus on specific AADL subcomponents

Export to several tools

Commercial: CAFTA

Open-Source: EMFTA, OpenFTA



# Failure Mode and Effects Support

## Use of **component error behavior**

Error propagations rules (source, sink, etc.)

Internal error events

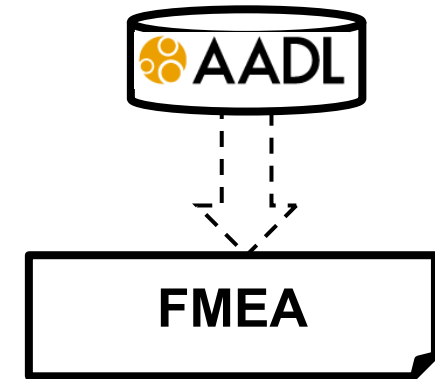
## Traverse all error paths

Record impact over the components hierarchy

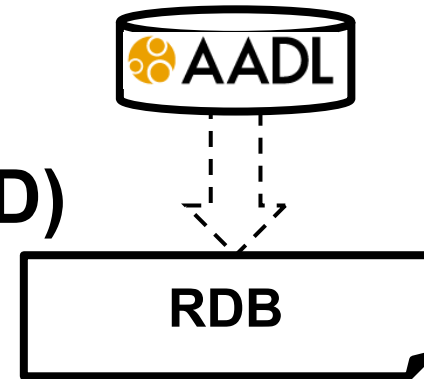
## Use error description and related information

## Create spreadsheet containing FHA elements

To be reused by commercial or open-source tools



# Reliability Block Diagram aka ARP4761 Dependence Diagram (DD)



Use of **composite error behavior**

Error propagations rules (source, sink, etc.)

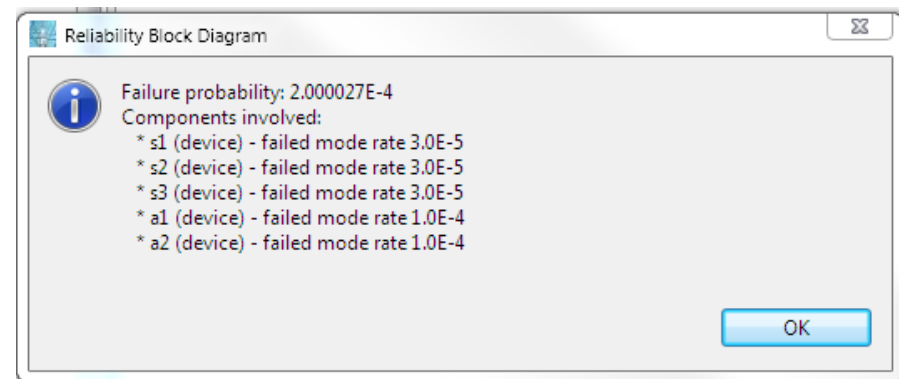
Internal error events

Compute reliability of the Dependence Diagram

Use of recover and failure events

Overall probability of system failure

Support in OSATE (built-in)



# Error Model Annex v2

## Application to the ADIRU



# Annotating the model with Error Information (1)

```
device implementation acc_device.impl
annex EMV2
{**
use types ADIRU_errLibrary;
use behavior ADIRU_errLibrary::simple;

error propagations
  accData : out propagation{ValueErroneous};
flows
  f1 : error source accData{ValueErroneous} when failed;
end propagations;

properties
  emv2::hazards =>
  ([ crossreference => *N/A*;
    failure => "Accelerometer value error";
    phases => ("in flight");
    description => "Accelerometer starts to send an erroneous value";
    comment => "Can be critical if not detected by the health monitoring";
  ])
  applies to accData.valueerroneous;

  EMV2::OccurrenceDistribution => [ ProbabilityValue => 3.4e-5 ; Distribution => Fixed;]
  applies to accData.valueerroneous;
**};
end acc_device.impl;
```

Declaring error sources

Documenting the error



# Annotating the model with Error Information (2)

```
process implementation acc_process_env2.impl extends acc_process.impl
subcomponents
-- We extend the initial implementation, and add error modeling elements.

acc1: refined to thread threads::acc1_dataOutput_env2.impl
  { Classifier_Substitution_Rule => Type_Extension; };
acc2: refined to thread threads::acc2_dataOutput_env2.impl
  { Classifier_Substitution_Rule => Type_Extension; };
acc3: refined to thread threads::acc3_dataOutput_env2.impl
  { Classifier_Substitution_Rule => Type_Extension; };
acc4: refined to thread threads::acc4_dataOutput_env2.impl
  { Classifier_Substitution_Rule => Type_Extension; };
acc5: refined to thread threads::acc5_dataOutput_env2.impl
  { Classifier_Substitution_Rule => Type_Extension; };
acc6: refined to thread threads::acc6_dataOutput_env2.impl
  { Classifier_Substitution_Rule => Type_Extension; };

connections
C21 : port acc1_input -> acc1.acc1_input;
C22 : port acc2_input -> acc2.acc2_input;
C23 : port acc3_input -> acc3.acc3_input;
C24 : port acc4_input -> acc4.acc4_input;
C25 : port acc5_input -> acc5.acc5_input;
C26 : port acc6_input -> acc6.acc6_input;

annex EMV2{**
use types ADIRU_errLibrary;
use behavior ADIRU_errLibrary::simple;

error propagations
acc1_input : in propagation{ValueErroneous};
acc1_output : out propagation{ValueErroneous};
acc2_input : in propagation{ValueErroneous};
acc2_output : out propagation{ValueErroneous};
acc3_input : in propagation{ValueErroneous};
acc3_output : out propagation{ValueErroneous};
acc4_input : in propagation{ValueErroneous};
acc4_output : out propagation{ValueErroneous};
acc5_input : in propagation{ValueErroneous};
acc5_output : out propagation{ValueErroneous};
acc6_input : in propagation{ValueErroneous};
acc6_output : out propagation{ValueErroneous};

flows
f1 : error path acc1_input{ValueErroneous} -> acc1_output{ValueErroneous};
f2 : error path acc2_input{ValueErroneous} -> acc2_output{ValueErroneous};
f3 : error path acc3_input{ValueErroneous} -> acc3_output{ValueErroneous};
f4 : error path acc4_input{ValueErroneous} -> acc4_output{ValueErroneous};
f5 : error path acc5_input{ValueErroneous} -> acc5_output{ValueErroneous};
f6 : error path acc6_input{ValueErroneous} -> acc6_output{ValueErroneous};
end propagations; **};
end acc_process_env2.impl;
```

Passing the error directly through components features



# Annotating the model with Error Information (3)

```
annex EMV2{**
use types ADIRU_errLibrary;
use behavior ADIRU_errLibrary::simple;

error propagations
acc1_input : in propagation{ValueErroneous};
acc2_input : in propagation{ValueErroneous};
acc3_input : in propagation{ValueErroneous};
acc4_input : in propagation{ValueErroneous};
acc5_input : in propagation{ValueErroneous};
acc6_input : in propagation{ValueErroneous};
flows
f1 : error sink acc1_input{ValueErroneous};
f2 : error sink acc2_input{ValueErroneous};
f3 : error sink acc3_input{ValueErroneous};
f4 : error sink acc4_input{ValueErroneous};
f5 : error sink acc5_input{ValueErroneous};
f6 : error sink acc6_input{ValueErroneous};
end propagations;

component error behavior
transitions
t1 : operational -[acc1_input{ValueErroneous}]-> failed;
t2 : operational -[acc2_input{ValueErroneous}]-> failed;
t3 : operational -[acc3_input{ValueErroneous}]-> failed;
t4 : operational -[acc4_input{ValueErroneous}]-> failed;
t5 : operational -[acc5_input{ValueErroneous}]-> failed;
t6 : operational -[acc6_input{ValueErroneous}]-> failed;
detections
operational -[! ormore(acc1_input{ValueErroneous})]-> acc_error_out!;
operational -[! ormore(acc2_input{ValueErroneous})]-> acc_error_out!;
operational -[! ormore(acc3_input{ValueErroneous})]-> acc_error_out!;
operational -[! ormore(acc4_input{ValueErroneous})]-> acc_error_out!;
operational -[! ormore(acc5_input{ValueErroneous})]-> acc_error_out!;
operational -[! ormore(acc6_input{ValueErroneous})]-> acc_error_out!;
end component;
**};
```

Receiving a erroneous value makes the component to fail





# Functional Hazard Assessment

Component	Error	Hazard Description	ossreferer	Functional Failure	Operational Phases	Comment
acc1	"ValueErroneous on accData"	"Accelerometer starts to send an erroneous value"	"N/A"	"Accelerometer value error"	"in flight"	"Can be critical if not detected by the health monitoring"
acc2	"ValueErroneous on accData"	"Accelerometer starts to send an erroneous value"	"N/A"	"Accelerometer value error"	"in flight"	"Can be critical if not detected by the health monitoring"
acc3	"ValueErroneous on accData"	"Accelerometer starts to send an erroneous value"	"N/A"	"Accelerometer value error"	"in flight"	"Can be critical if not detected by the health monitoring"
acc4	"ValueErroneous on accData"	"Accelerometer starts to send an erroneous value"	"N/A"	"Accelerometer value error"	"in flight"	"Can be critical if not detected by the health monitoring"
acc5	"ValueErroneous on accData"	"Accelerometer starts to send an erroneous value"	"N/A"	"Accelerometer value error"	"in flight"	"Can be critical if not detected by the health monitoring"
acc6	"ValueErroneous on accData"	"Accelerometer starts to send an erroneous value"	"N/A"	"Accelerometer value error"	"in flight"	"Can be critical if not detected by the health monitoring"

**List all potential error sources**

**Include documentation from the model**

**Required by ARP4761 safety standard**



# Fault Impact Analysis

Component	Initial Failure Mode	1st Level Effect	Failure Mode	second Level Effect	Failure Mode
acc1	Failed	{ValueErroneous} accData -> acc_pr:acc1_input	acc_pr {ValueErroneous}	{ValueErroneous} acc1_output -> acc_hm_pr:acc1_input	acc_hm_pr {ValueErroneous} [Masked]
acc2	Failed	{ValueErroneous} accData -> acc_pr:acc2_input	acc_pr {ValueErroneous}	{ValueErroneous} acc2_output -> acc_hm_pr:acc2_input	acc_hm_pr {ValueErroneous} [Masked]
acc3	Failed	{ValueErroneous} accData -> acc_pr:acc3_input	acc_pr {ValueErroneous}	{ValueErroneous} acc3_output -> acc_hm_pr:acc3_input	acc_hm_pr {ValueErroneous} [Masked]
acc4	Failed	{ValueErroneous} accData -> acc_pr:acc4_input	acc_pr {ValueErroneous}	{ValueErroneous} acc4_output -> acc_hm_pr:acc4_input	acc_hm_pr {ValueErroneous} [Masked]
acc5	Failed	{ValueErroneous} accData -> acc_pr:acc5_input	acc_pr {ValueErroneous}	{ValueErroneous} acc5_output -> acc_hm_pr:acc5_input	acc_hm_pr {ValueErroneous} [Masked]
acc6	Failed	{ValueErroneous} accData -> acc_pr:acc6_input	acc_pr {ValueErroneous}	{ValueErroneous} acc6_output -> acc_hm_pr:acc6_input	acc_hm_pr {ValueErroneous} [Masked]

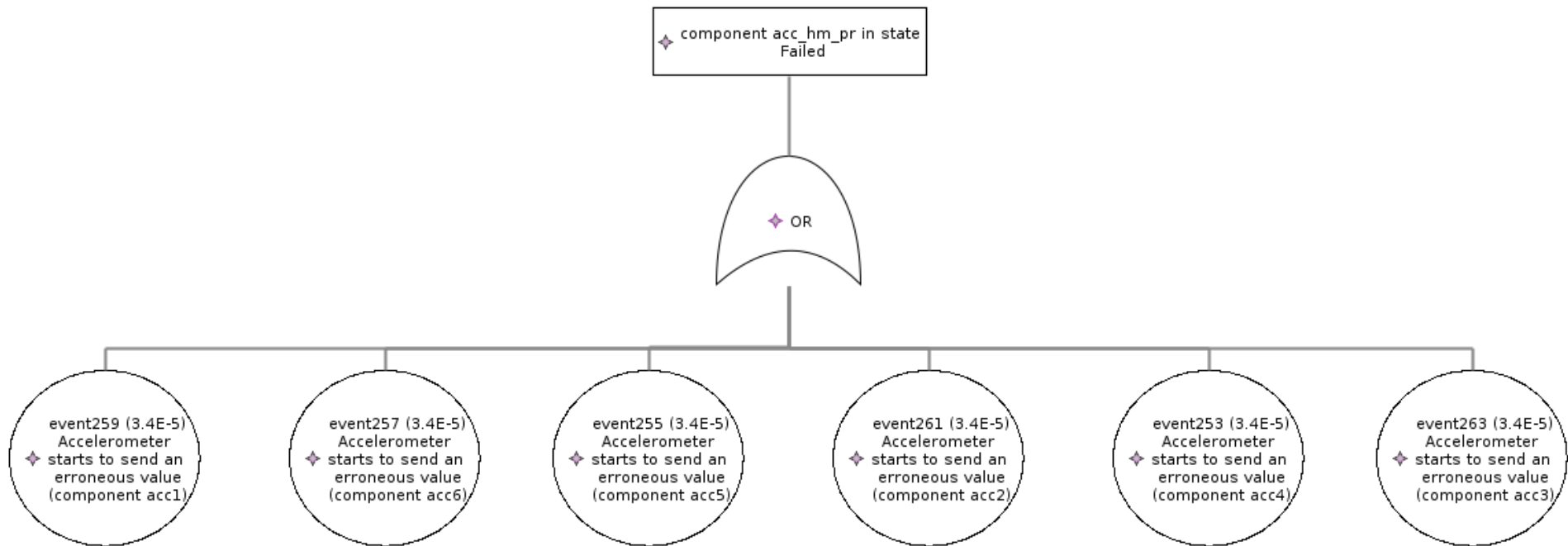
## Bottom-up approach

Trace the error flow defined in the architecture

Required by ARP4761 safety standard



# Fault Tree Analysis



# Error Model Annex v2 Conclusion



# Architecture Fault Modeling Summary

## Architecture Fault Modeling with AADL

- Error Model Annex was originally published in 2006
  - Supported in AADL V1 and AADL V2
- Standardized Error Model Annex (V2) based on user experiences
- Error Model V2 concepts and ontology can be applied to other modeling notations

## Safety Analysis and Verification

- Error Model Annex front-end available in OSATE open source toolset
  - Allows for integration with in-house safety analysis tools
- Multiple tool chains support various forms of safety analysis (Honeywell, Aerospace Corp., AVSI SAVI, ESA COMPASS, WW Technology)
- FHA, FMEA, fault tree, Markov models, stochastic Petri net generation from AADL/Error Model



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