

COSMOS: DevOps for Complex Cyber-physical Systems

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Context

- Emerging Cyber-physical Systems (**CPS**) play a crucial role in the quality of life of European citizens and the future of the European “smart everywhere” economy
- **CPS relevant sectors**
 - ◆ Healthcare
 - ◆ Avionics
 - ◆ Automotive
 - ◆ Utilities
 - ◆ Railway
 - ◆ Manufacturing
 - ◆ Smart Cities
 - ◆ Many others...



Challenges

- **C1:** Observability, testability, and predictability of behaviour of CPS is highly limited and, unfortunately, their usage in the real world can lead to fatal crashes sometimes tragically involving also humans



“Self-driving Uber kills Arizona woman in first fatal crash involving pedestrian”



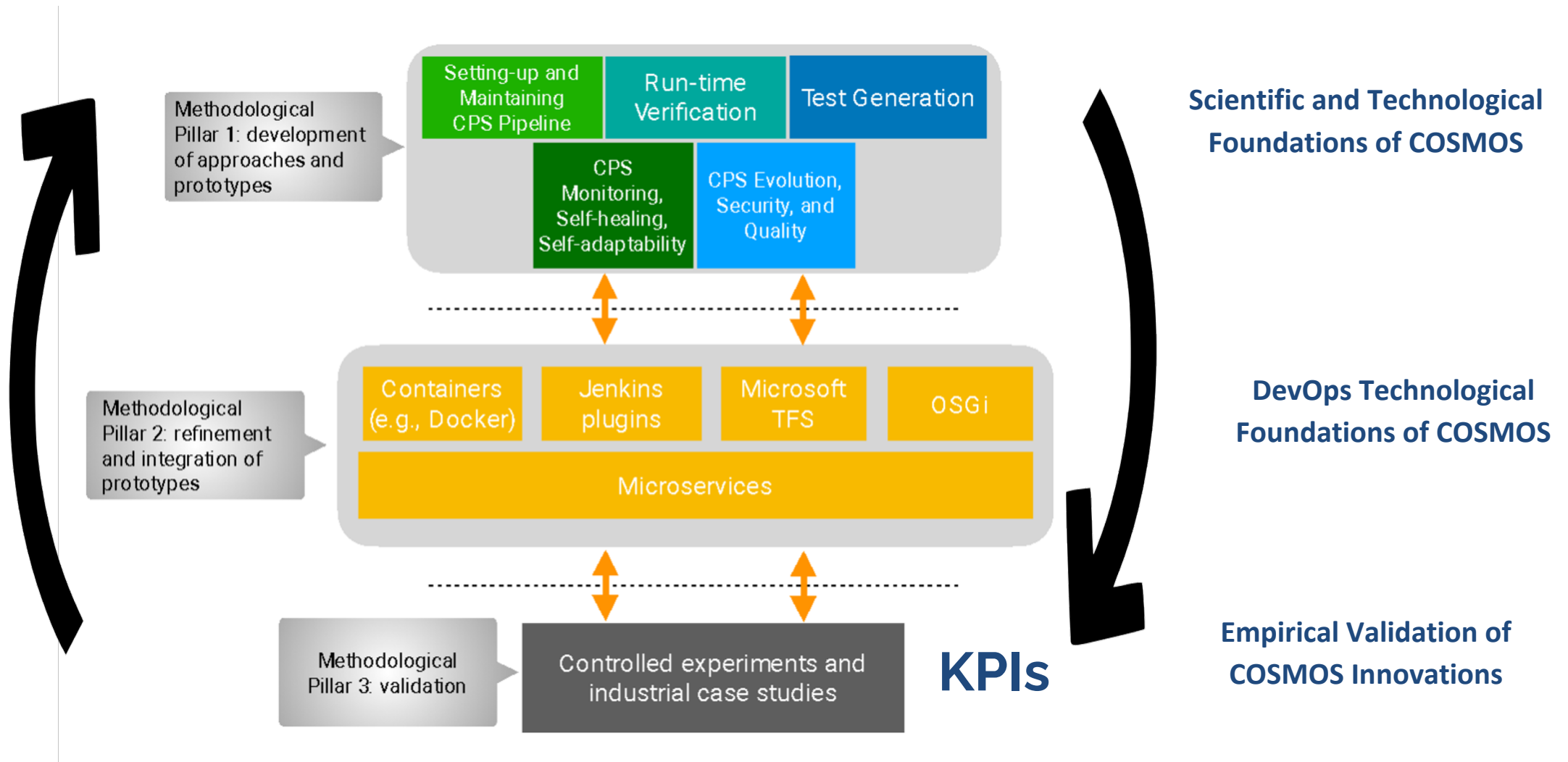
“A simple software update was the direct cause of the fatal crashes of the Boeing 737”



“Swiss Post drone crashes in Zurich - again”

- **C2:** Contemporary DevOps practices and tools are potentially the right solution to this problem, but are currently not developed to be applied in CPS domains

COSMOS Vision: Three Methodological Pillars



Industrial CPS Evaluations



Automotive



Medical



Avionics



Utilities



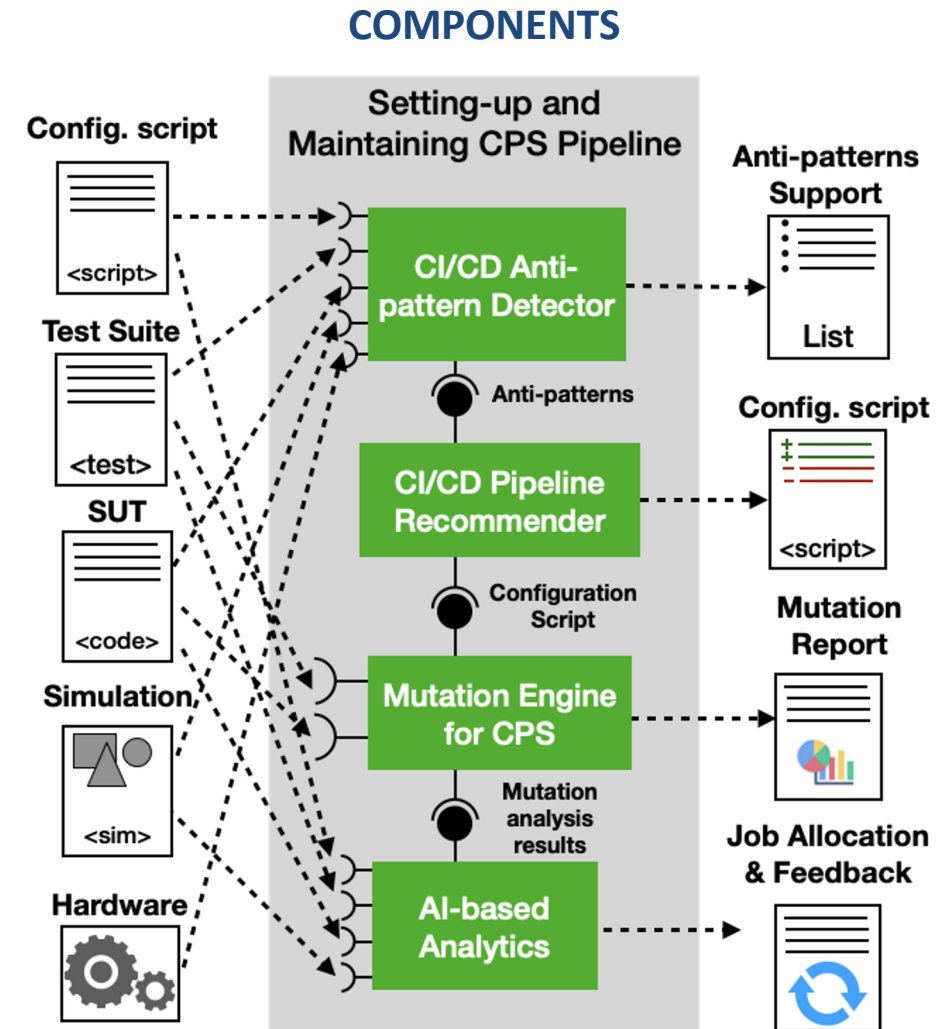
Railways

Evaluations conducted at both mid-project and during final project months

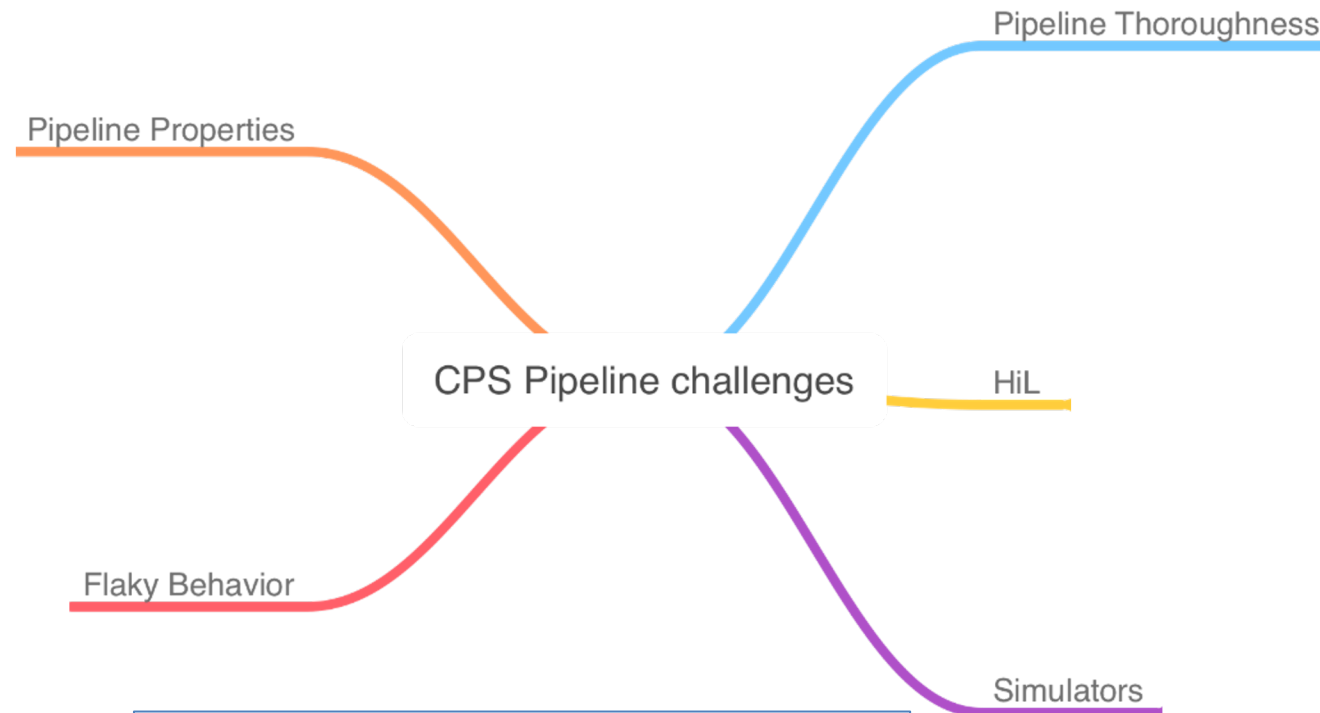
Innovation Area 1: DevOps Pipelines for CPS

WP3: Methodology for Setting-Up and Maintaining COSMOS DevOps Pipelines

- **CI/CD Antipatterns Identification** for CPS
- Definition of a **DevOps-based** Methodology to **Support the Development of Self-Adaptive** CPS
- COSMOS **Pipeline Optimization**

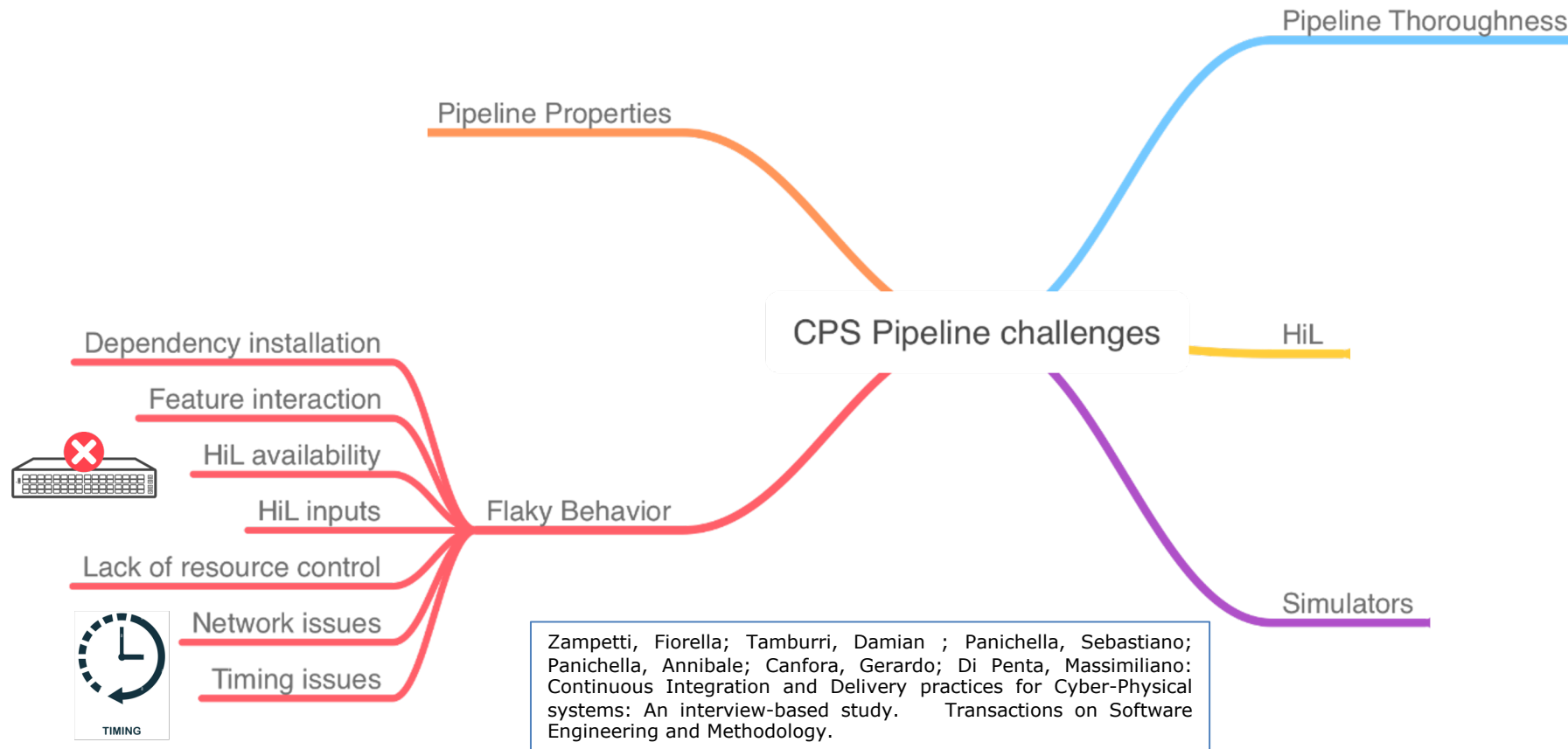


Finding overview - CPS DevOps challenges

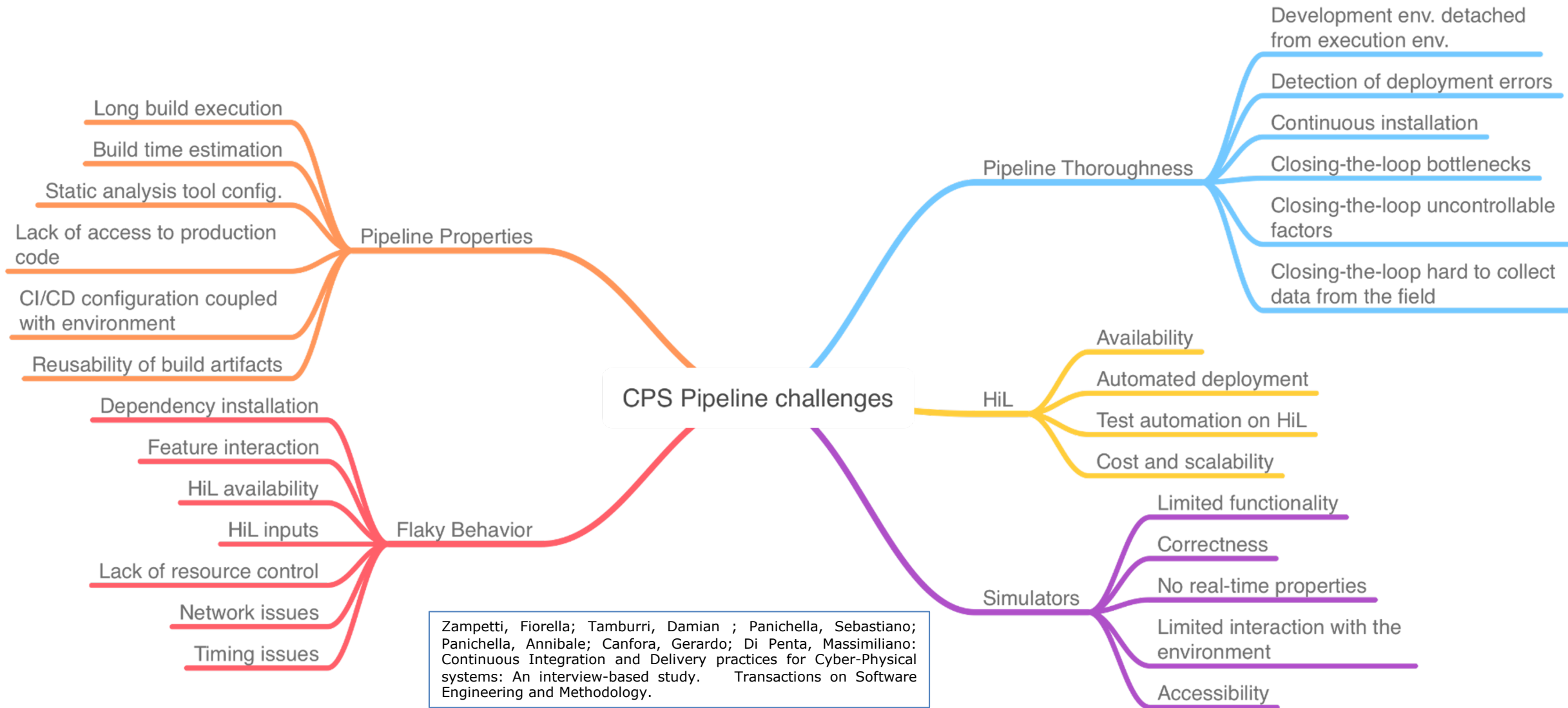


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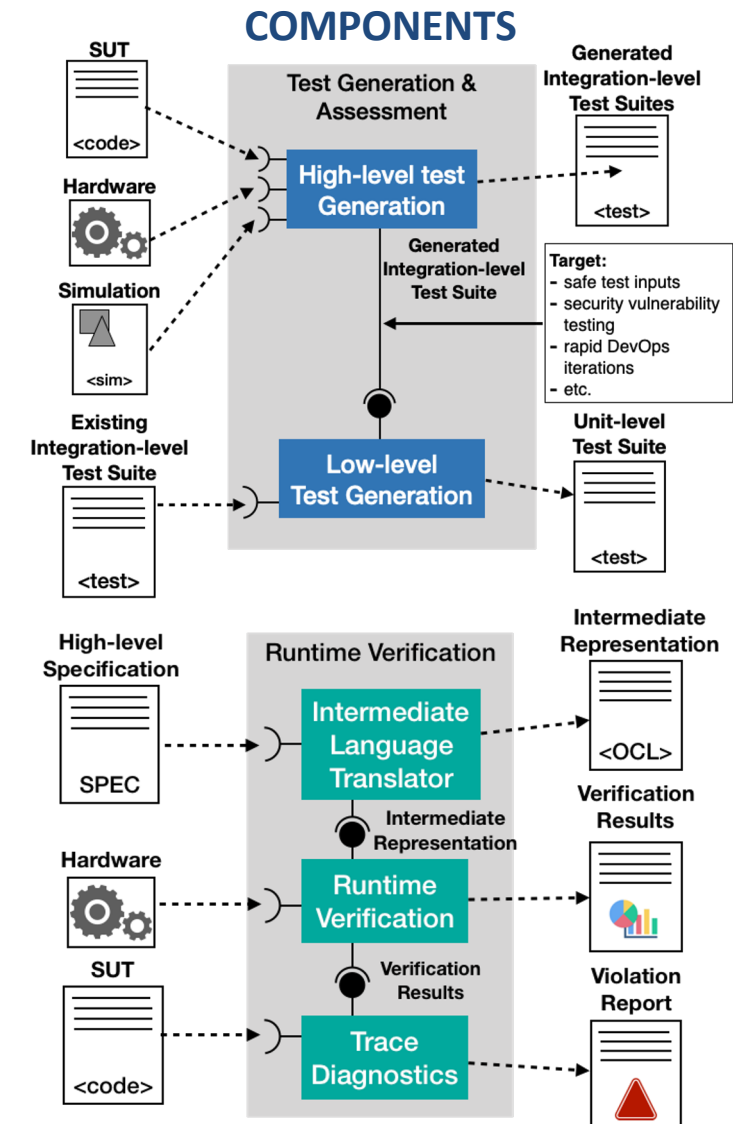
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Innovation Area 2: V&V and Security

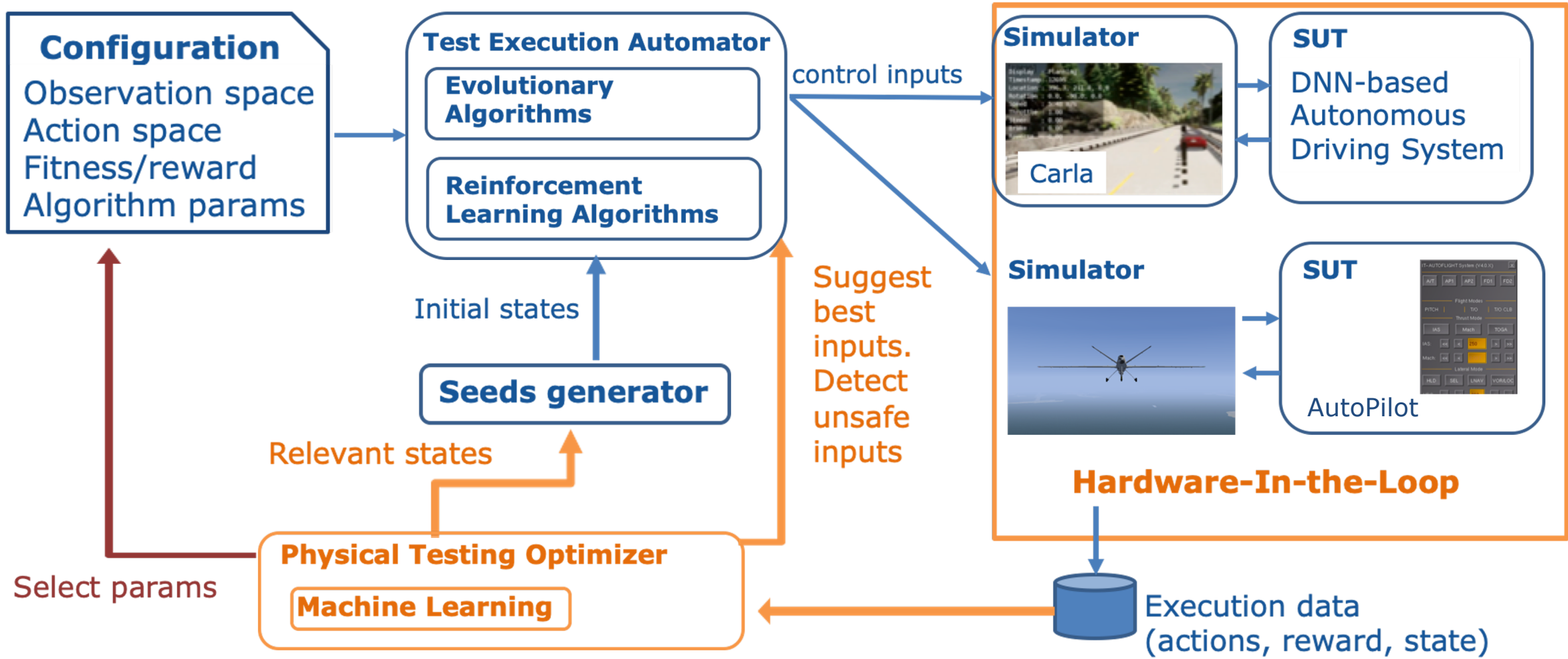
Assessment of DevOps pipelines

WP4: V&V and security assessment of COSMOS DevOps pipelines

- Development of Automated Techniques for Software **Testing** for CPS
- Development of **Run-time Verification** Techniques for **Checking** and Diagnosing **CPS** Executions
- Development of Solutions for Detecting **Security Vulnerabilities** in CPS



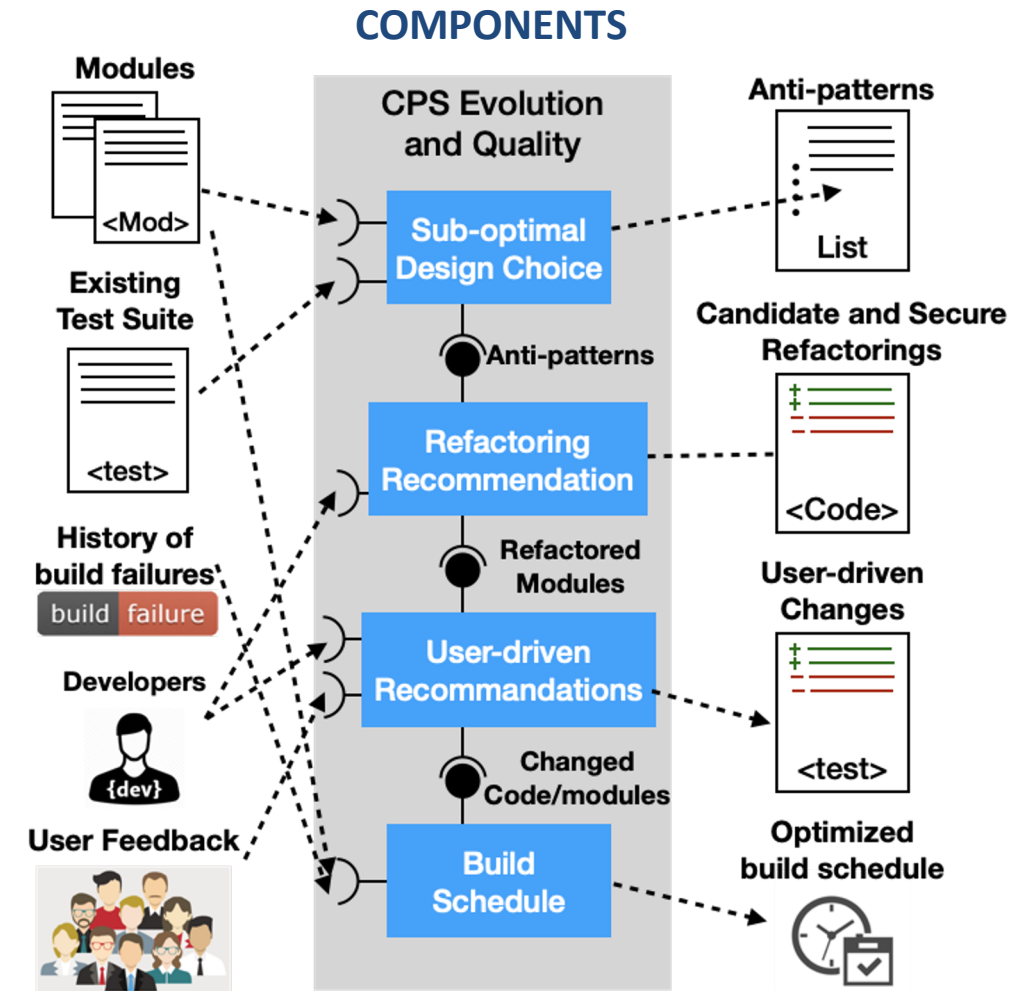
V&V of DevOps pipelines for CPS



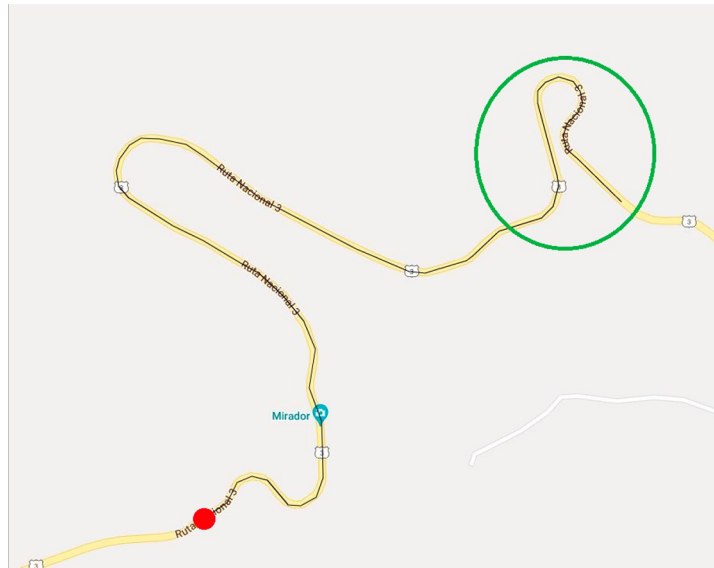
Innovation Area 3: Tools for High Quality CPS Software Evolution

WP5: Development of Tools to support High Quality CPS Software Evolution

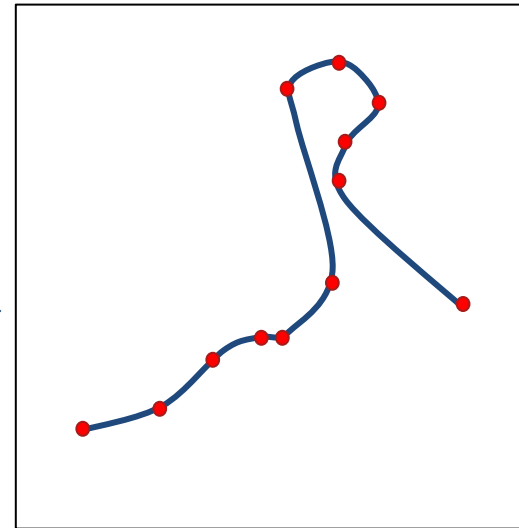
- Design and **Development of Refactoring Framework** for Secure and Reliable CPS
- Development of **Test Case Generation** Tools for **Rapid DevOps Iterations**
- Development of Tools to support **User-oriented Maintenance and Testing**



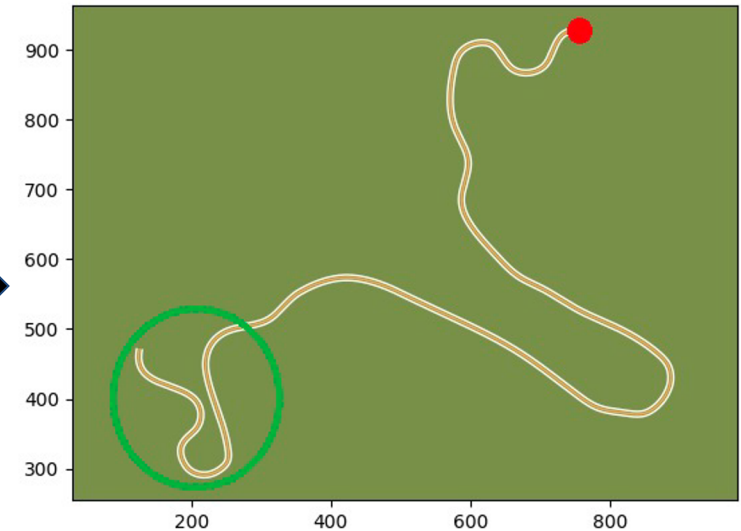
Seeding Strategies based on Real-world Streets



Road from Google Map



Map reconstruction via Spline interpolation

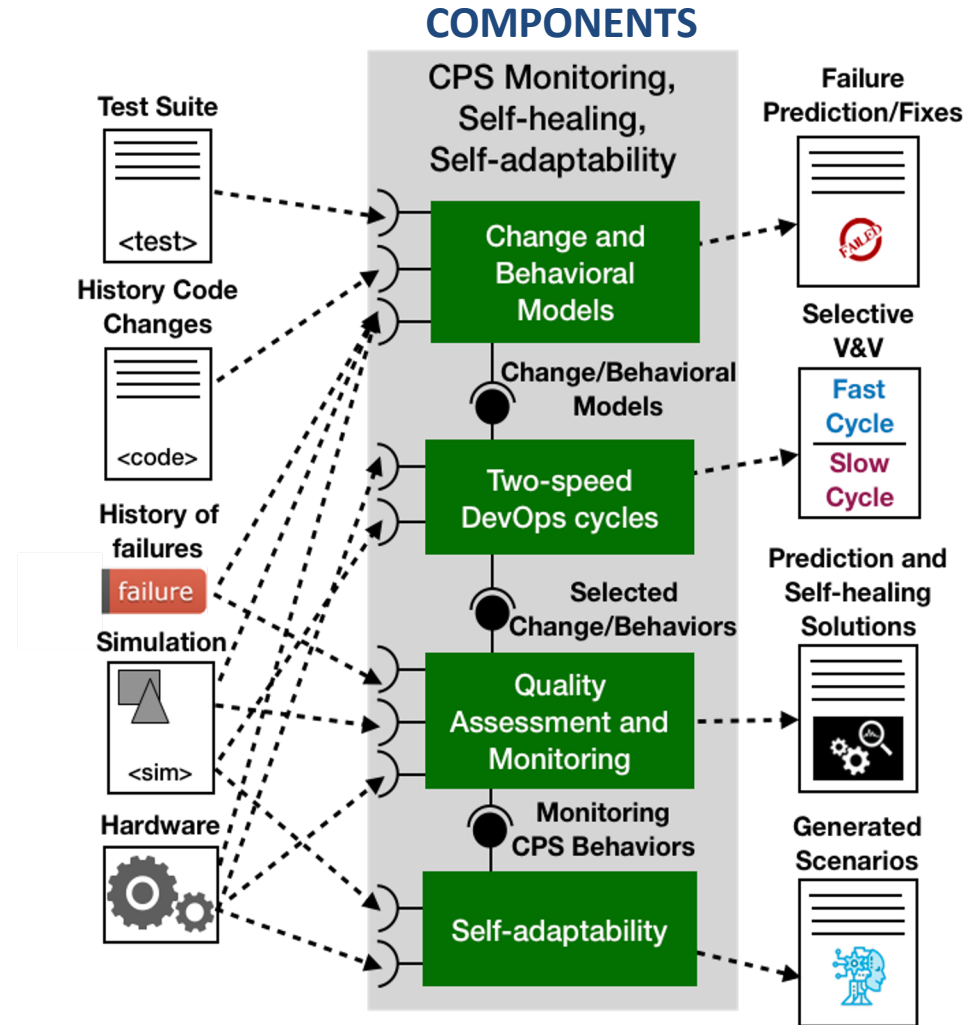


Simulation-based Driving Scenario

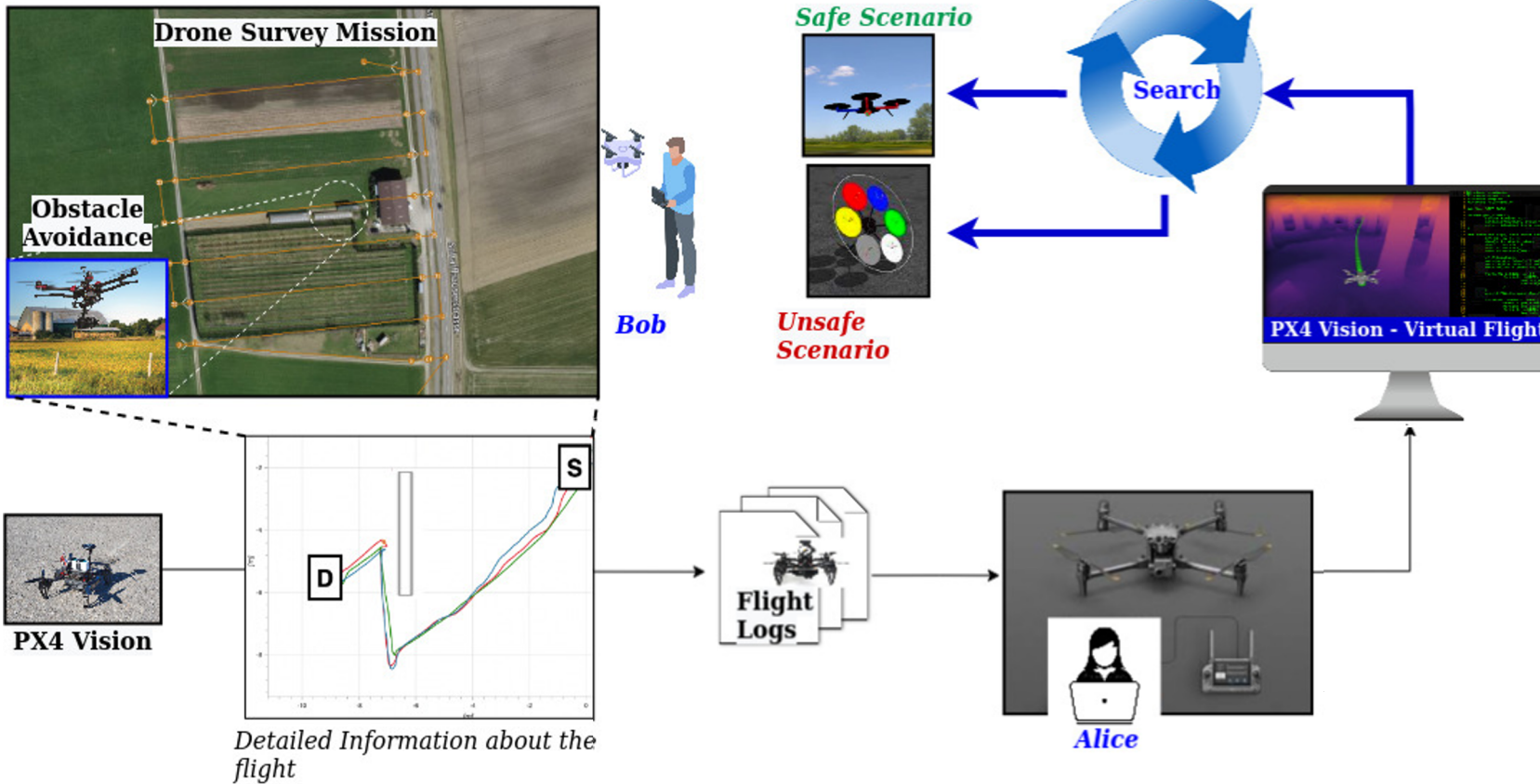
Innovation Area 4: Tools for Monitoring, Self-healing and Self-adaptability of CPS

WP6: Development of Tools to support Monitoring, Self-healing, and Self-adaptability of CPS **in the Field**

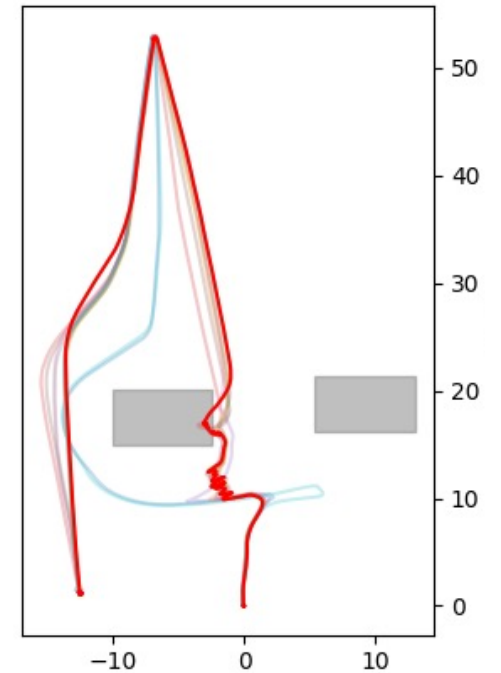
- Development and **Assessment of CPS Change** & Behavioral Models
- Developing **AI-based** Solutions to Support **Two-speed DevOps Cycles** for **CPS**
- Automated **Quality Assessment and Monitoring** of CPS in the Field
- Development of AI-based Solutions to **Increase CPS Self-adaptability** to **Diverse Contexts**



UAV Test Case Generation in the Neighborhood of Real Flights



■Unsafe / Misbehavior



Sajad Khatiri, Sebastiano Panichella, Paolo Tonella: Simulation-based Test Case Generation for Unmanned Aerial Vehicles in the Neighborhood of Real Flights. International Conference on Software Testing, Verification and Validation. (ICST 2023)

Targeted Impacts

■ Industrial Impacts

- ◆ **Decreasing** percentage of **changes** that result in **CPS failure**
- ◆ **Reducing CPS test execution** time and computational resource consumption
- ◆ **Replacing manually generated tests** with automated CPS test coverage
- ◆ **Improving test effectiveness** through tests able to discover more bugs

- ◆ **Reducing** number of **security vulnerabilities** in CPS
- ◆ **Reducing** component **integration** and **deployment time**
- ◆ **Reducing** time to implement a change and make updated CPS operational
- ◆ **Reducing downtime** when deploying new CPS hardware or software



Targeted Impacts

■ CPS DevOps Ecosystem

- ◆ Project technologies available in open source with actions to build a European community and ecosystem exploiting DevOps for CPS

■ Standardisation

- ◆ Usage of existing industry standards and proposed new standards and extensions to ensure “plug-n-play” of DevOps tools for CPS development

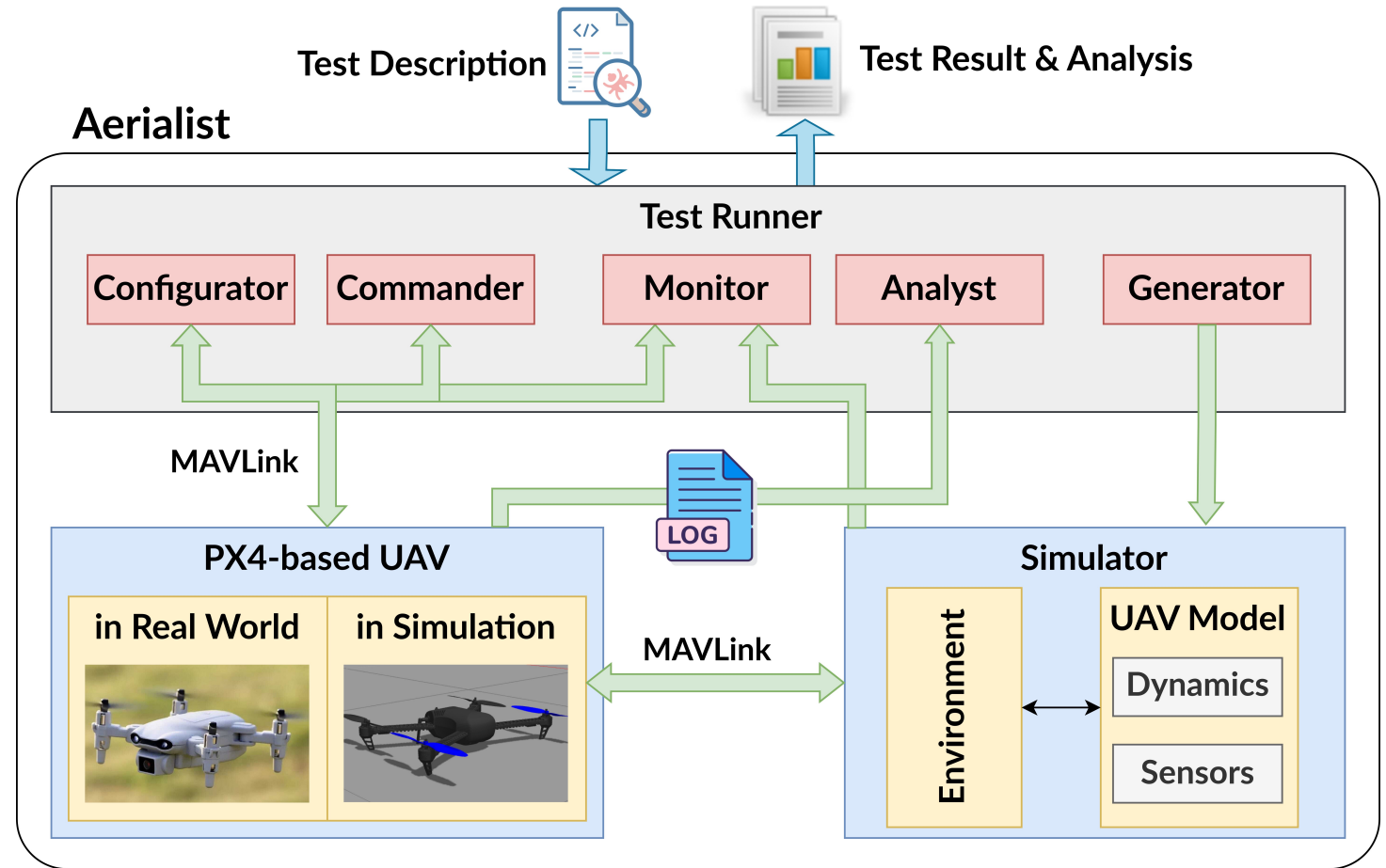
■ Academic impact

- ◆ Partners produced publications and are contributing to educational content



AERIALIST: Open Source Standard for Testing and Monitoring Unmanned Aerial Vehicles

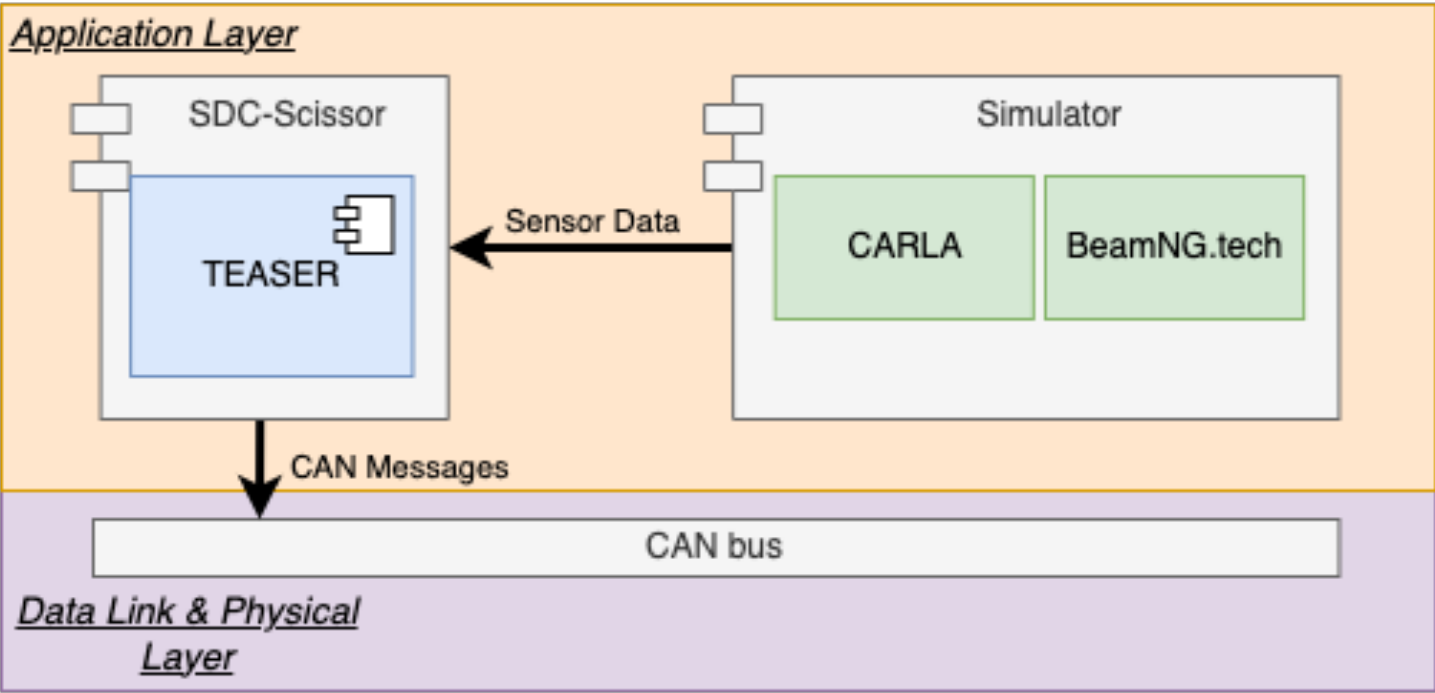
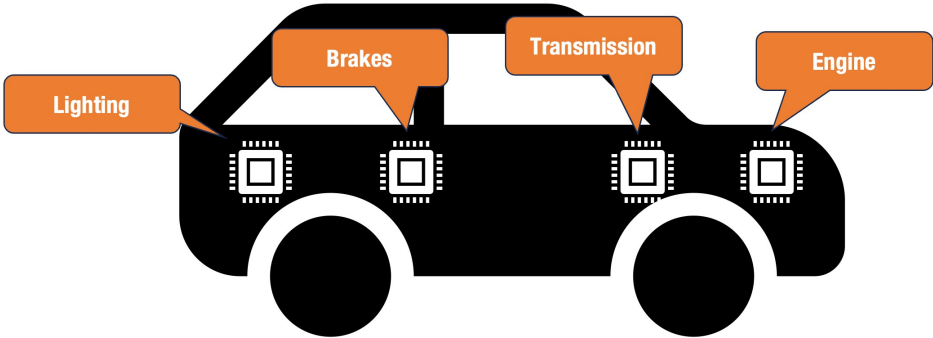
- Test Bench and Test Generation Platform for UAVs
- Using Popular Open-source UAV Autopilot



<https://github.com/skhatiri/Aerialist> <https://github.com/skhatiri/UAV-Testing-Competition>

TEASER: Open Source Standard for Testing Self-Driving Cars

CAN Bus Use Case



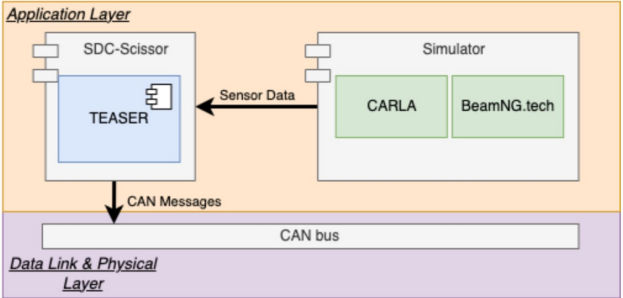
<https://github.com/christianbirchler-org/sdc-scissor>

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- Search docs
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 - Test Execution
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 - Test Outcome Prediction
 - Test Prioritization
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- Read the Docs
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TEASER CAN bus component



TEASER's main objective is to extend the test runner of SDC-Scissor to enable CAN bus testing. The tool uses two open source python libraries; the python-can 2 and cantools 3 packages. The python-can library allows communication with the CAN bus over specific interfaces (e.g., sockets). Complementary to the first package, the cantools library provides functionality to compose the can messages to send on the CAN bus. Specifically, cantools allows the user to specify a CAN database file, which defines how signals are encoded into CAN messages. The following listing illustrates how the wheel speed, throttle, brake, and steering angle are encoded in a CAN message by specifying it in a CAN database file.

```
...
B0_177 sampleFrame2: 4 Vector_XXX
SG_wheelspeed : 16|16@1+ (0.2,0) [0|13107] "rpm" Vector_XXX

B0_161 sampleFrame1: 7 Vector_XXX
SG_throttle : 16|16@1+ (0.0001,0) [0|1] "%" Vector_XXX
SG_brake : 0|16@1+ (0.0001,0) [0|1] "%" Vector_XXX
SG_steering : 32|17@1- (0.01,0) [-655.36|655.35] "degree" Vector_XXX
...
```

TEASER Setup

<https://github.com/christianbirchler-org/sdc-scissor>



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