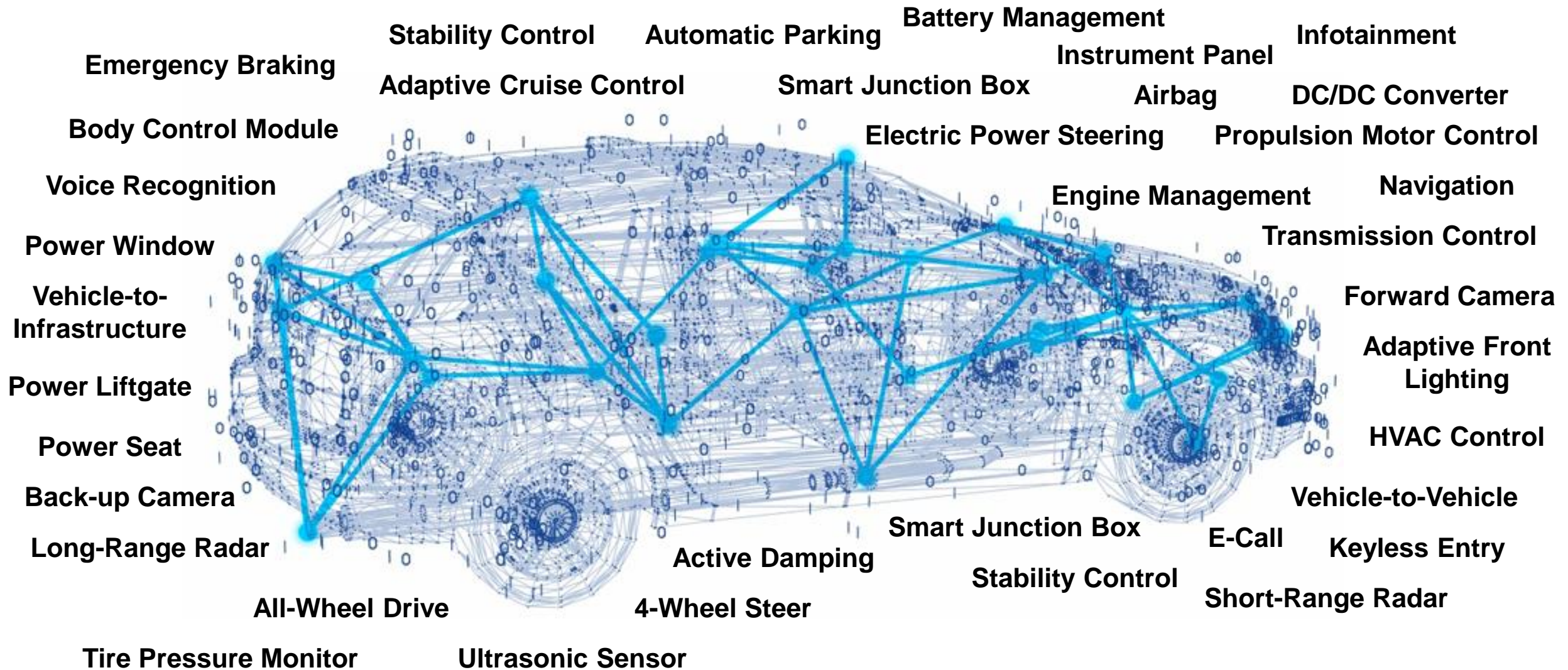


# MathWorks Vision for Systematic Verification and Validation

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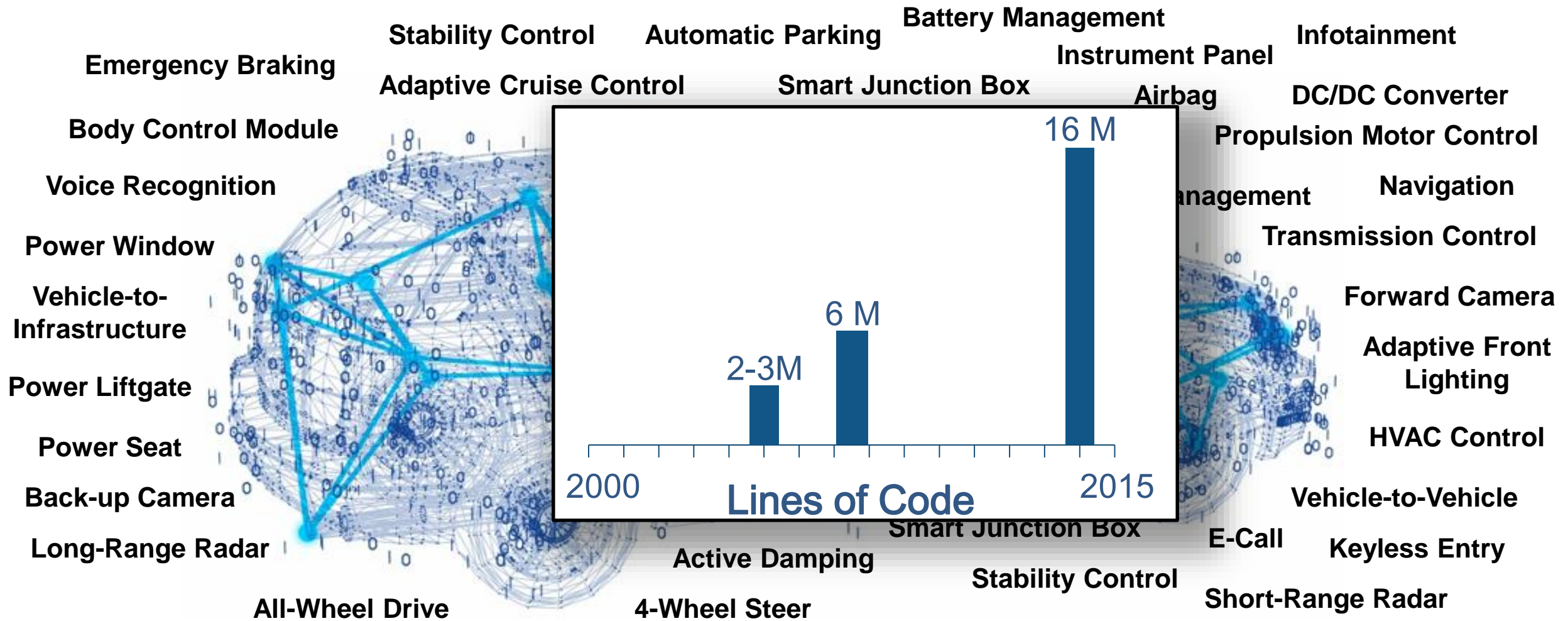


# Growing Complexity of Automotive Controls



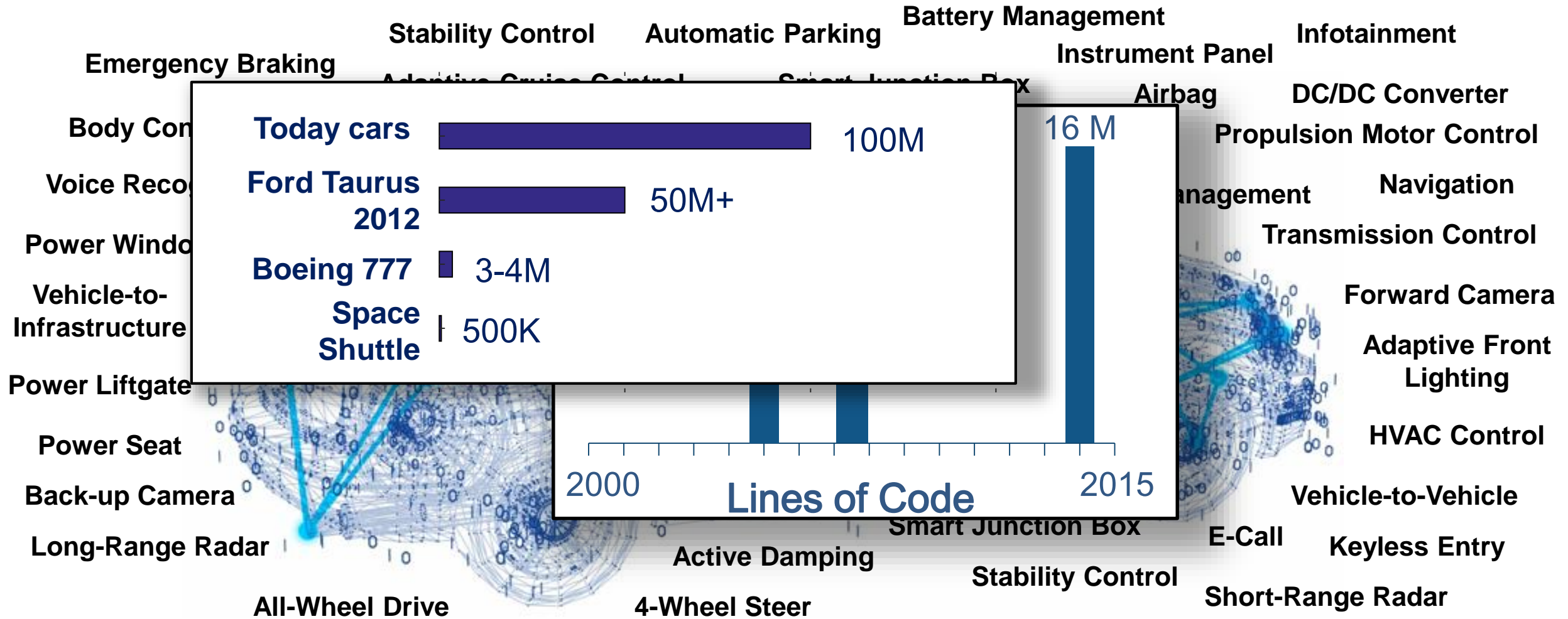


# Growing Complexity of Automotive Controls



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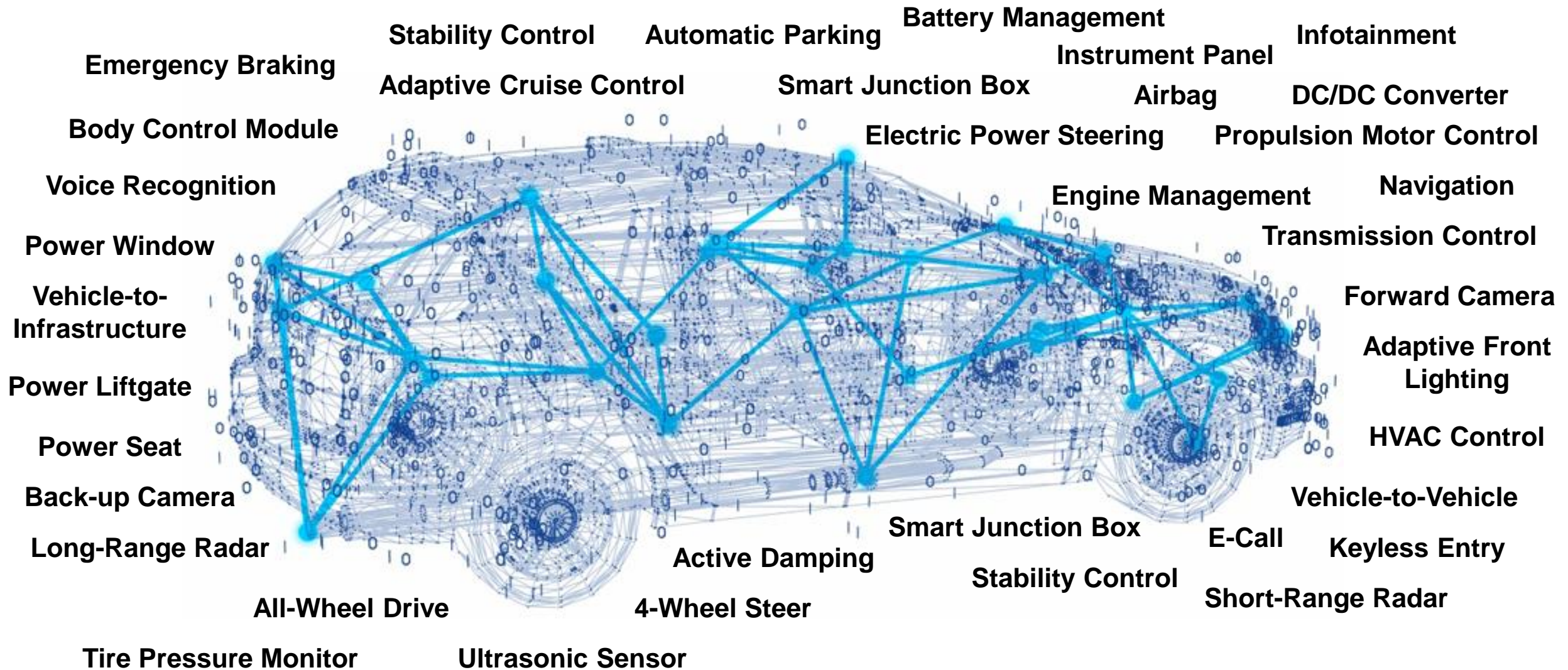
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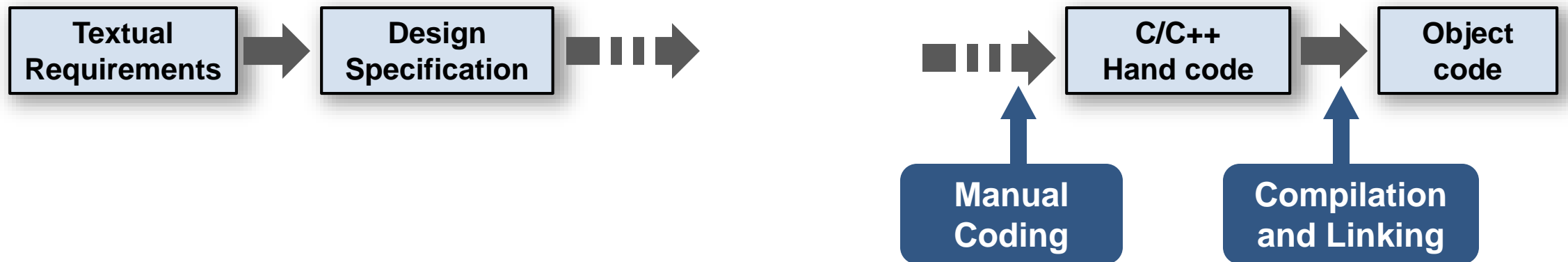
# Growing Complexity of Automotive Controls



# Development Challenges

- Representing complex systems
- Coordinating work across teams
- Working efficiently
- Ensuring quality

# Traditional Development Process

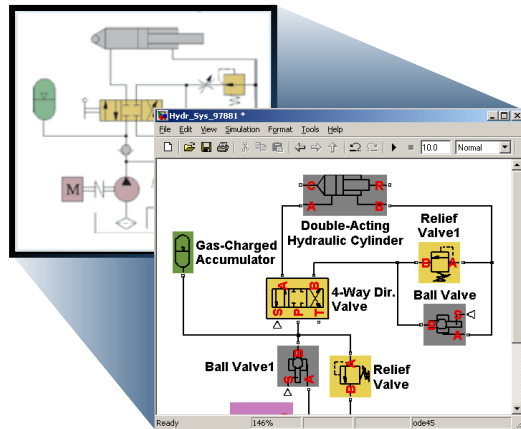


# Models for Specification



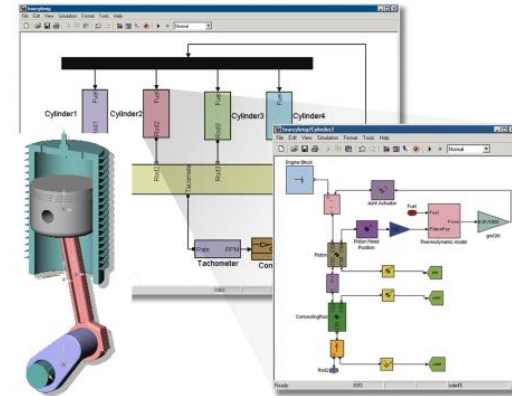


# Model Abstraction – Work at an appropriate level of detail

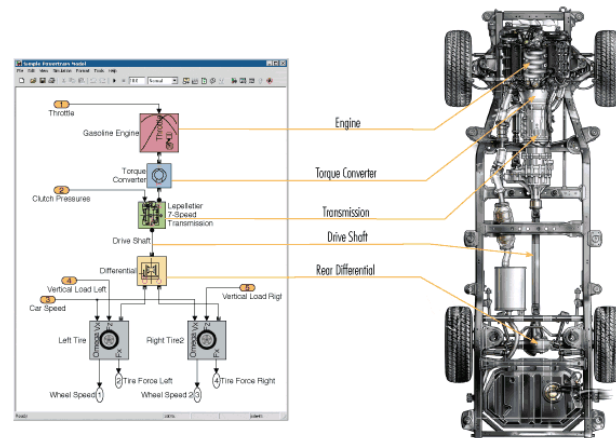


**Simscape Fluids**

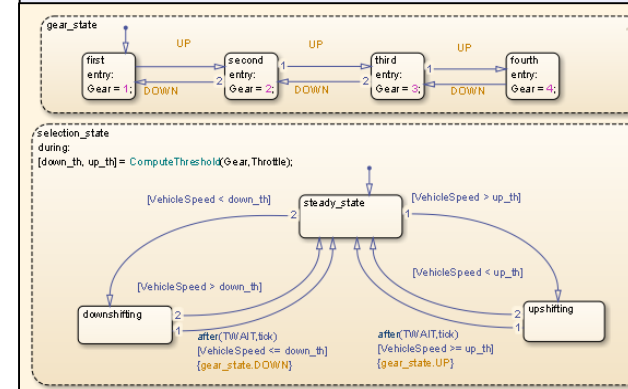
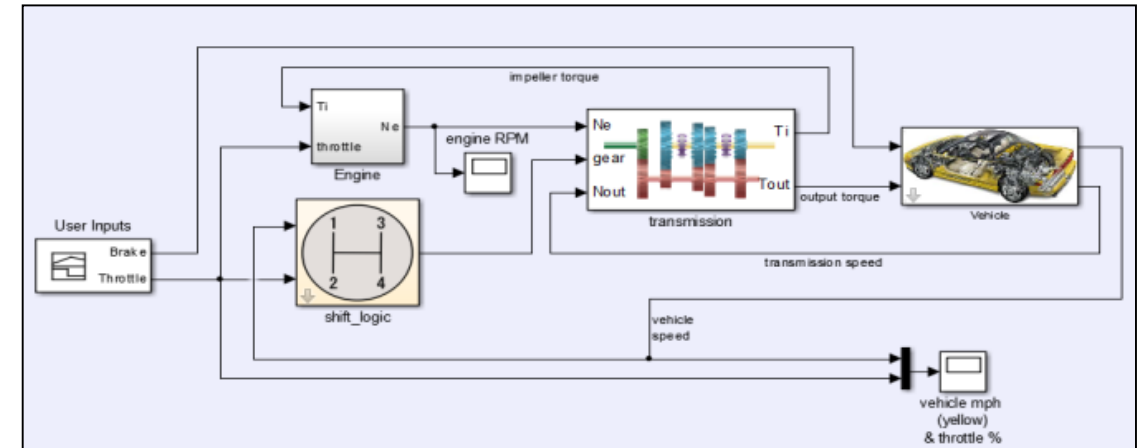
**Simscape Multibody**



**Simscape Driveline**



**Simulink**



```

% Predicted state and covariance
x_prd = A * x_est;
p_prd = A * p_est * A' + Q;

% Estimation
S = H * p_prd' * H' + R;
B = H * p_prd';
klm_gain = (S \ B)';

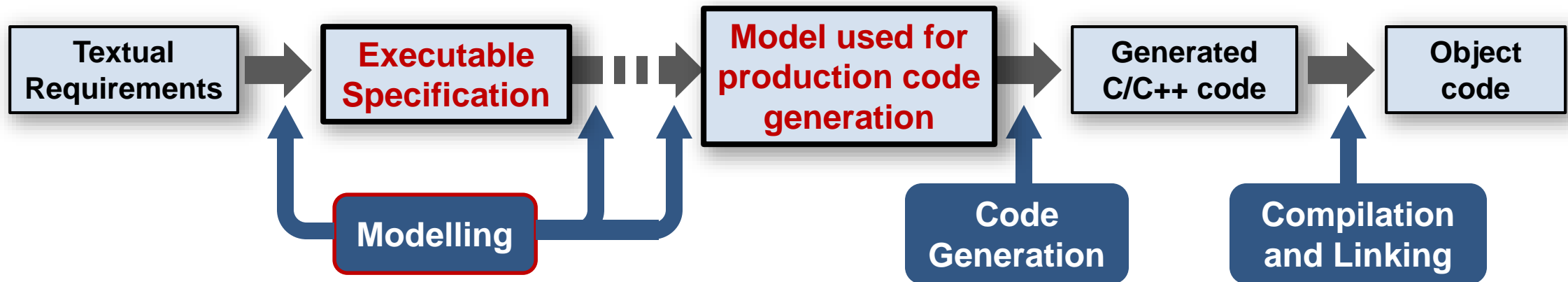
% Estimated state and covariance
x_est = x_prd + klm_gain * (z - H * x_prd);
p_est = p_prd - klm_gain * H * p_prd;

% Compute the estimated measurements
y = H * x_est;
    
```

**Stateflow**

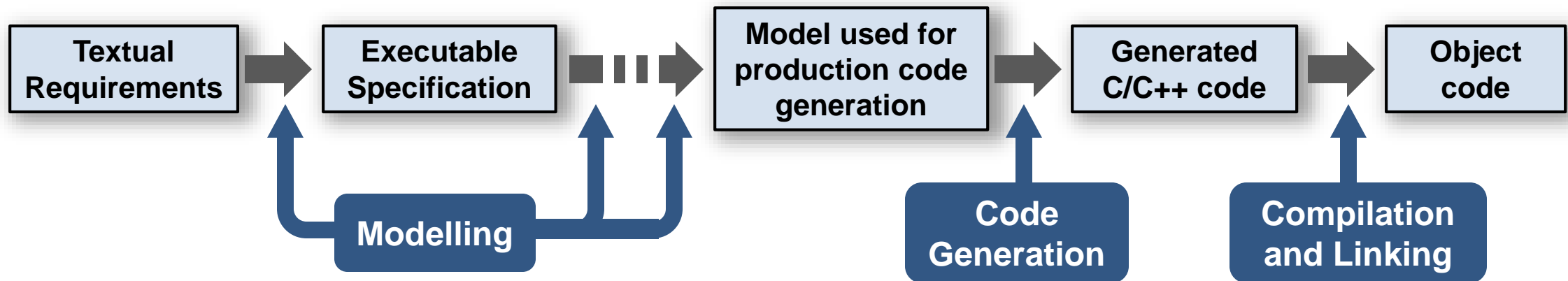
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# Complete Model Based Design Workflow, Concept to Code

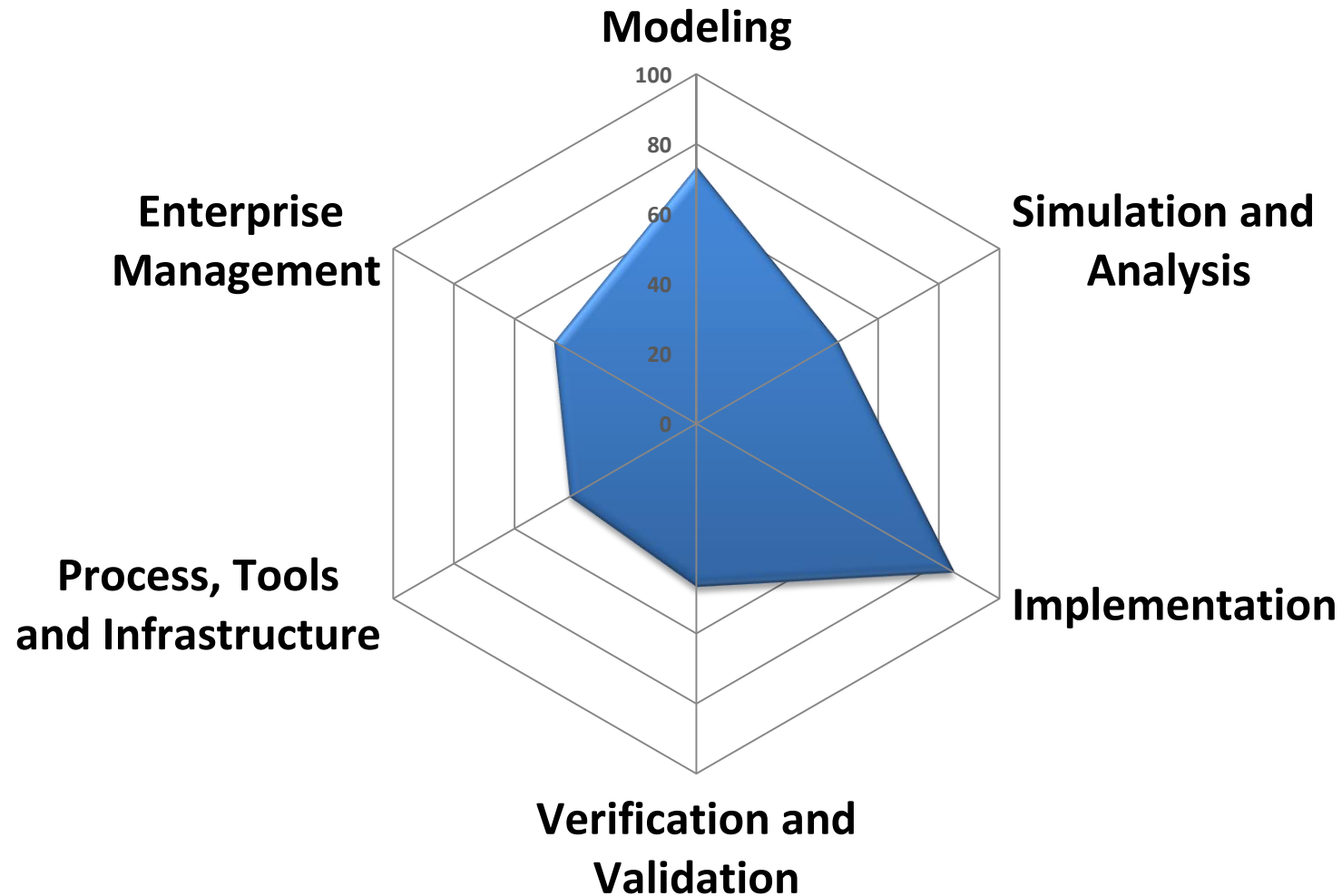


# Complete Model Based Design Workflow, Concept to Code

## How do you ensure correctness?

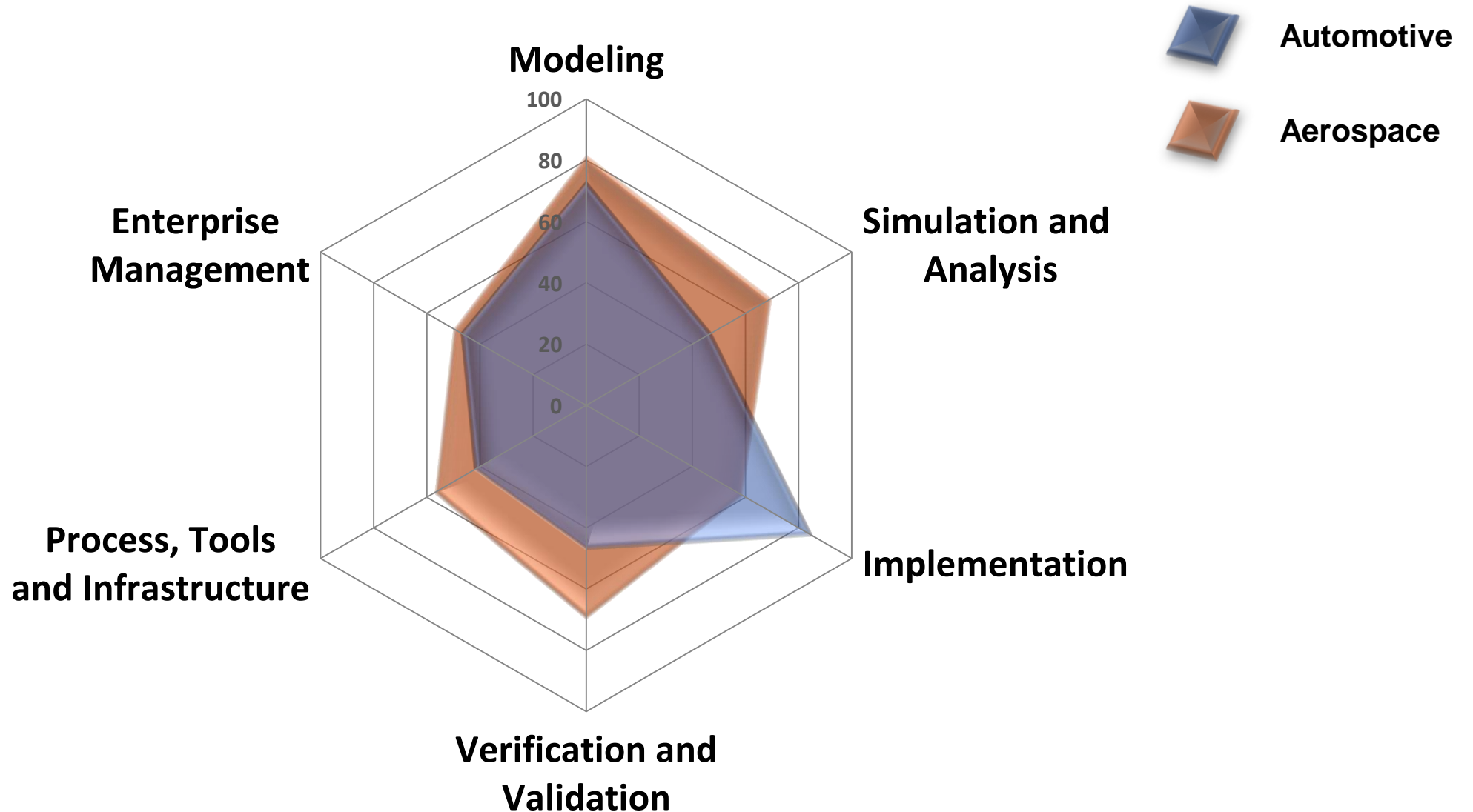


# Model-Based Design Maturity, Automotive Industry

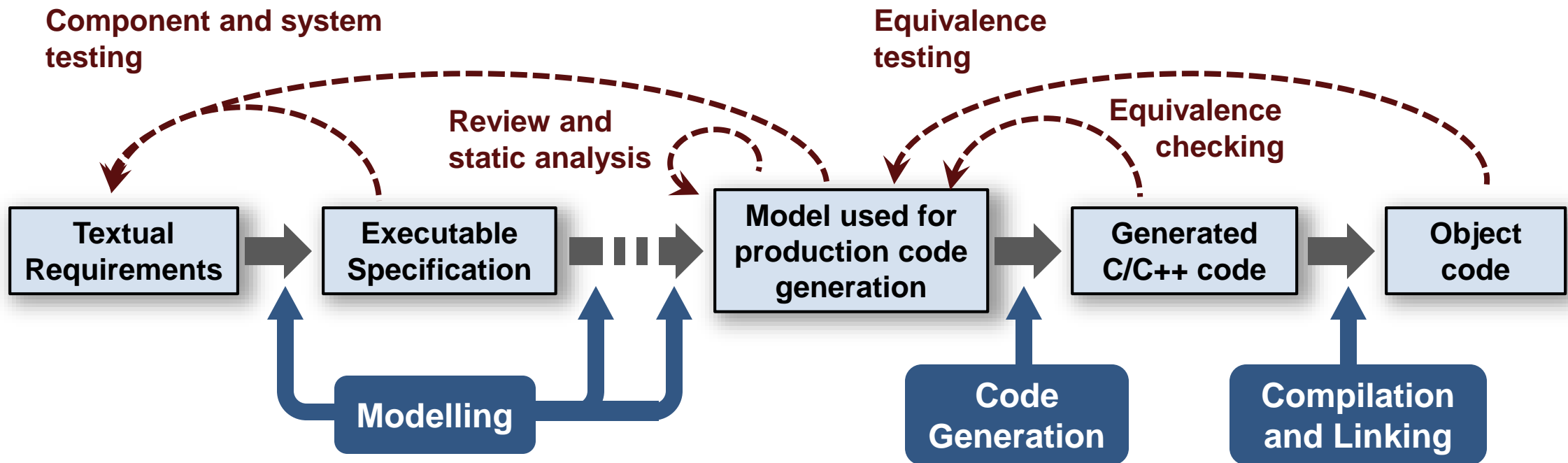




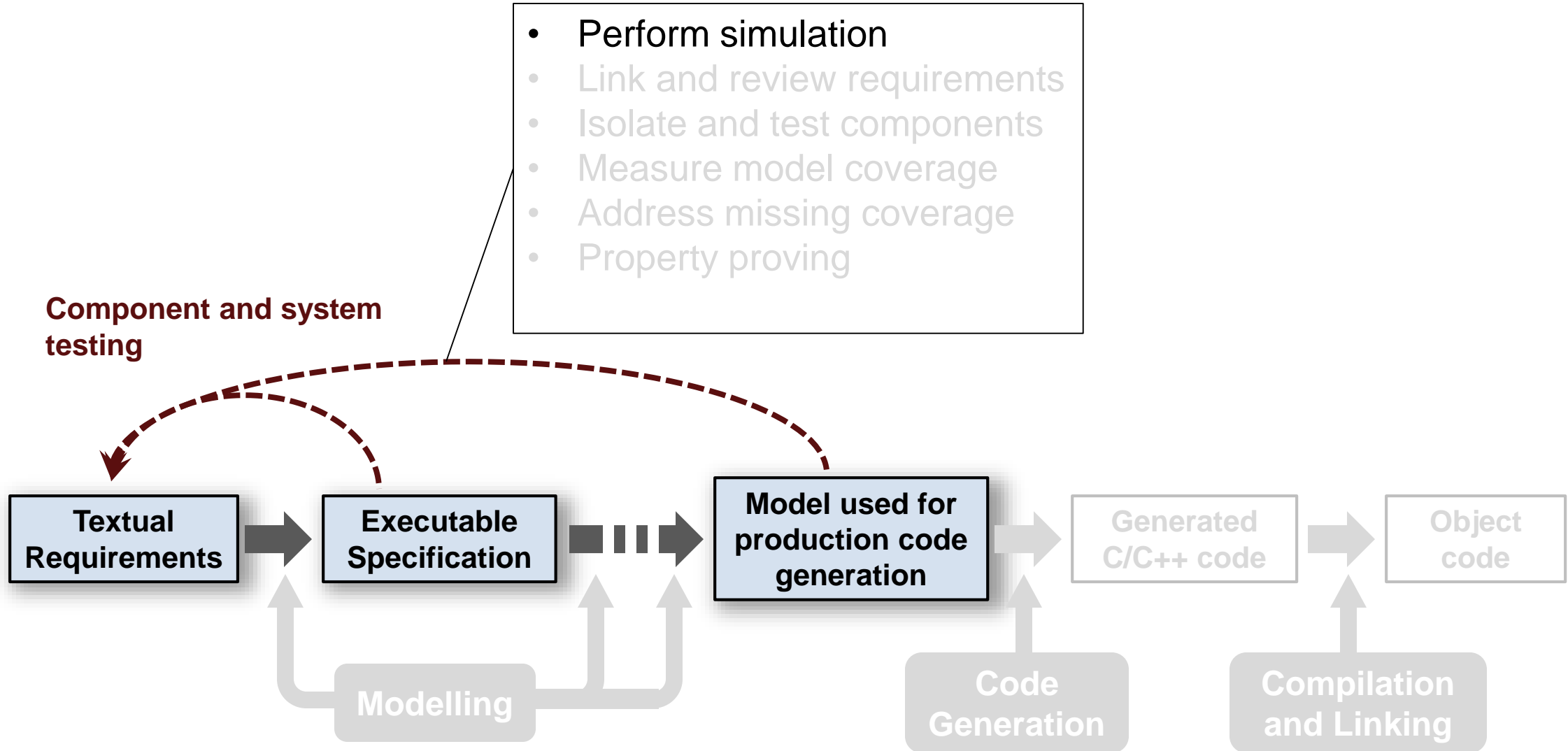
# Model-Based Design Maturity, Automotive and Aerospace



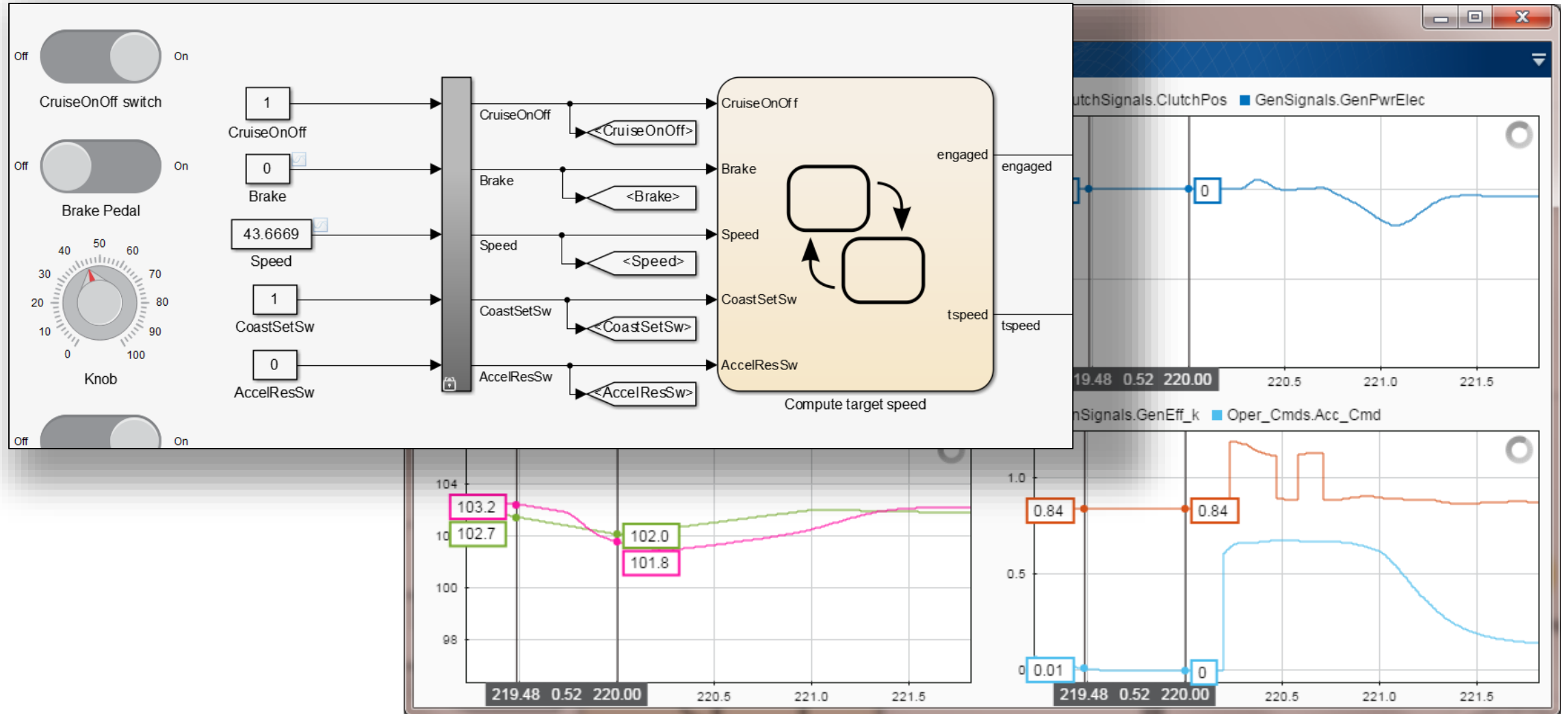
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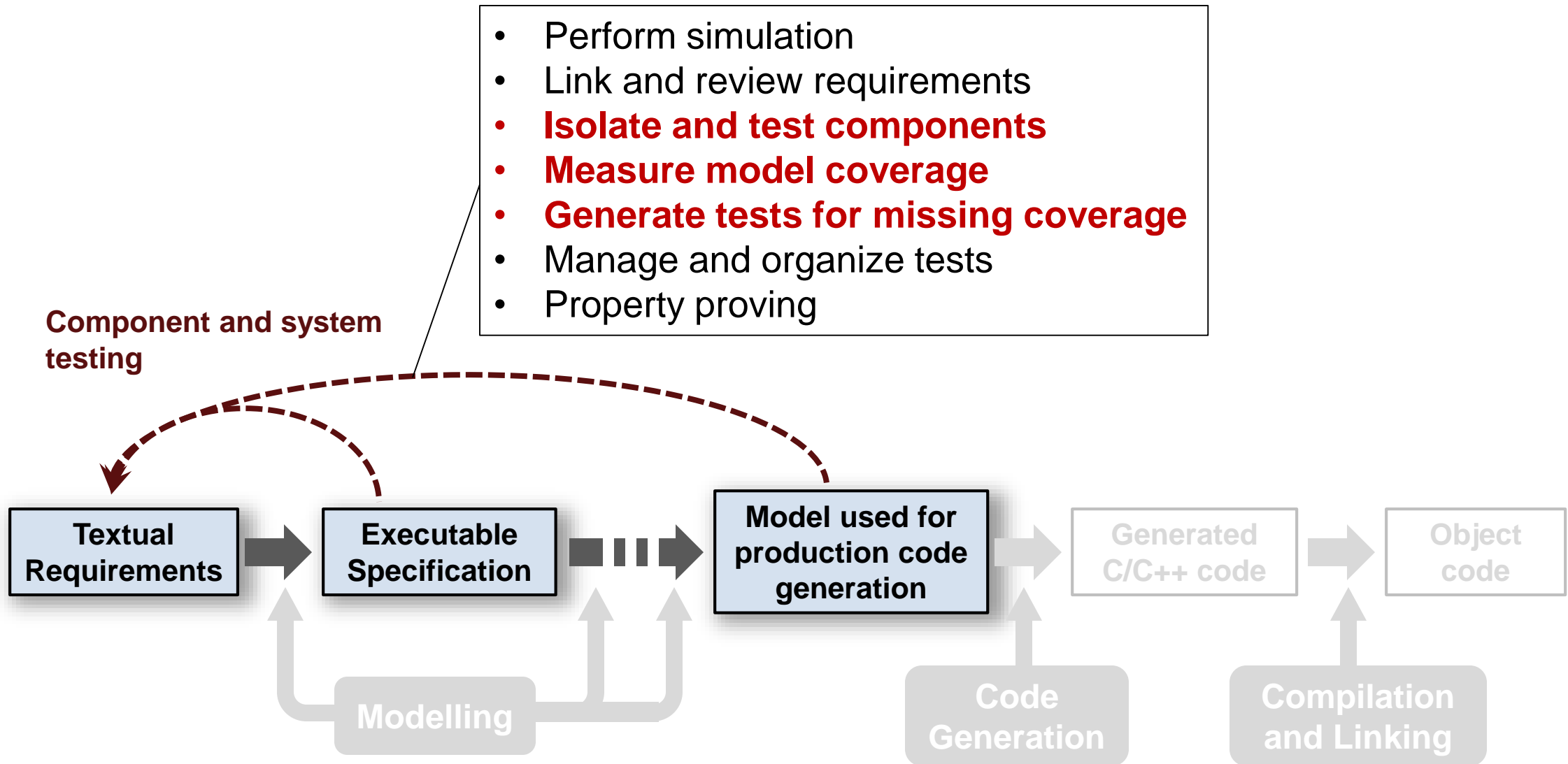


# Ad-Hoc Simulation: Explore Behavior Virtually



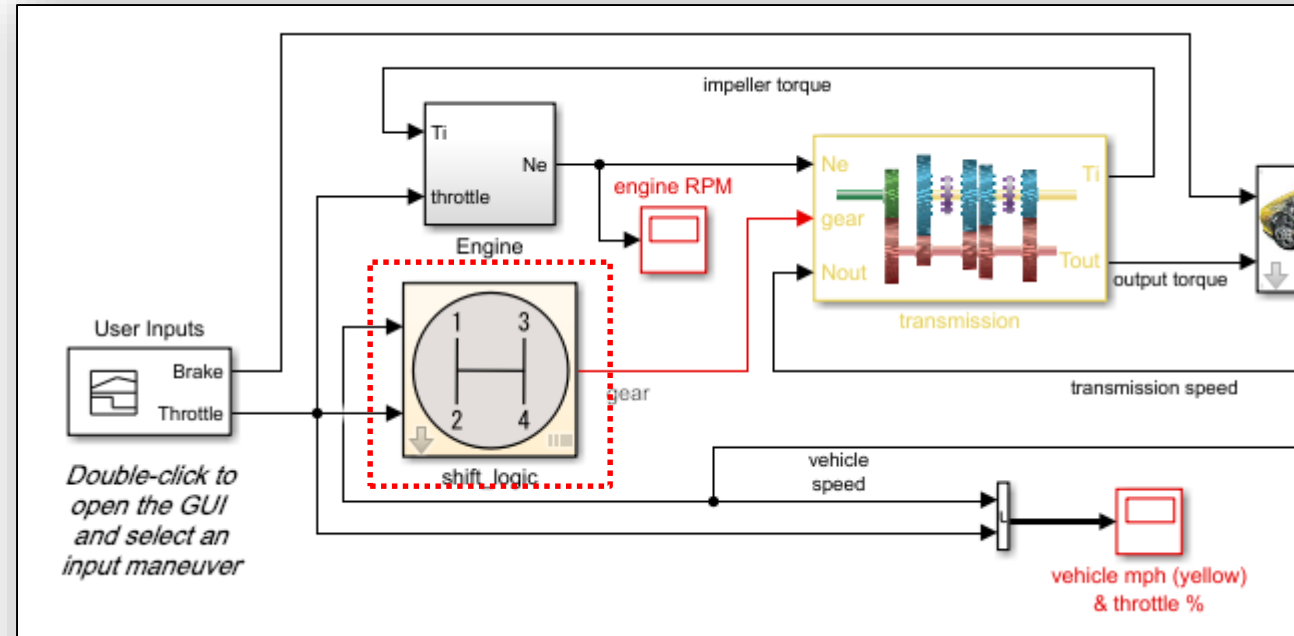


# Model Based Design Verification Workflow



# Test Harnesses

From any subsystem ...

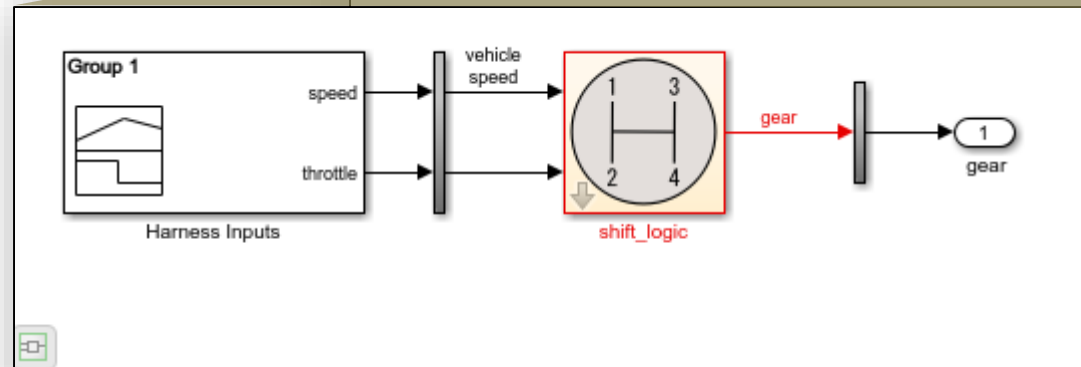
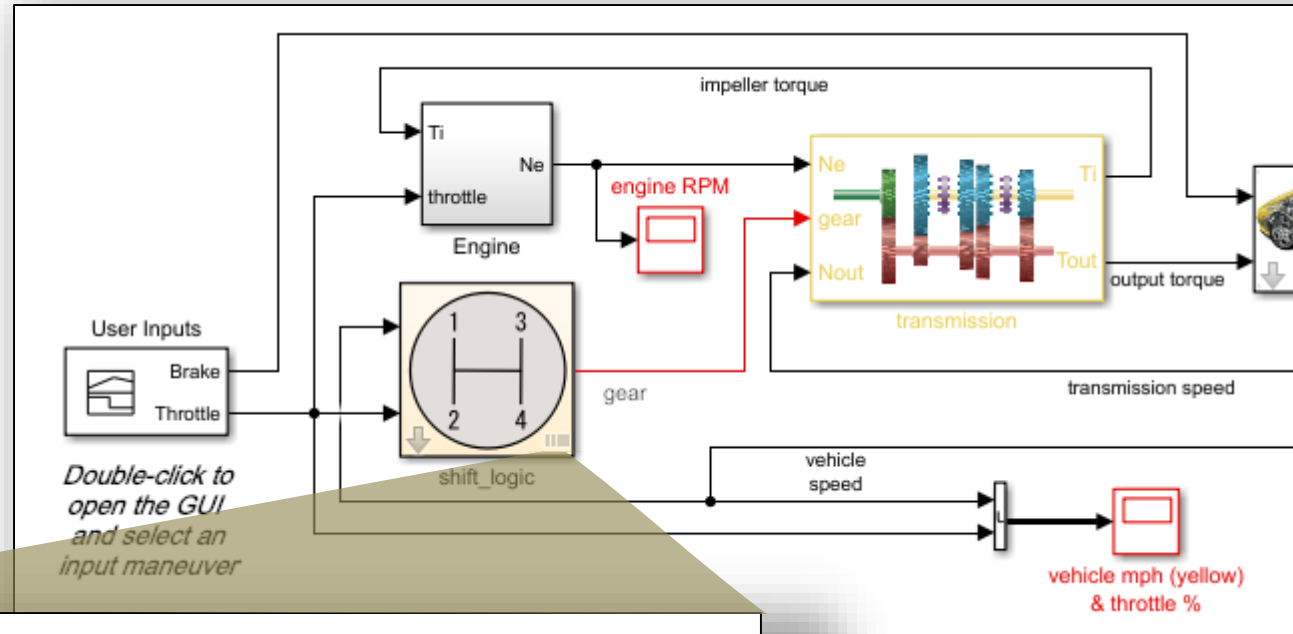


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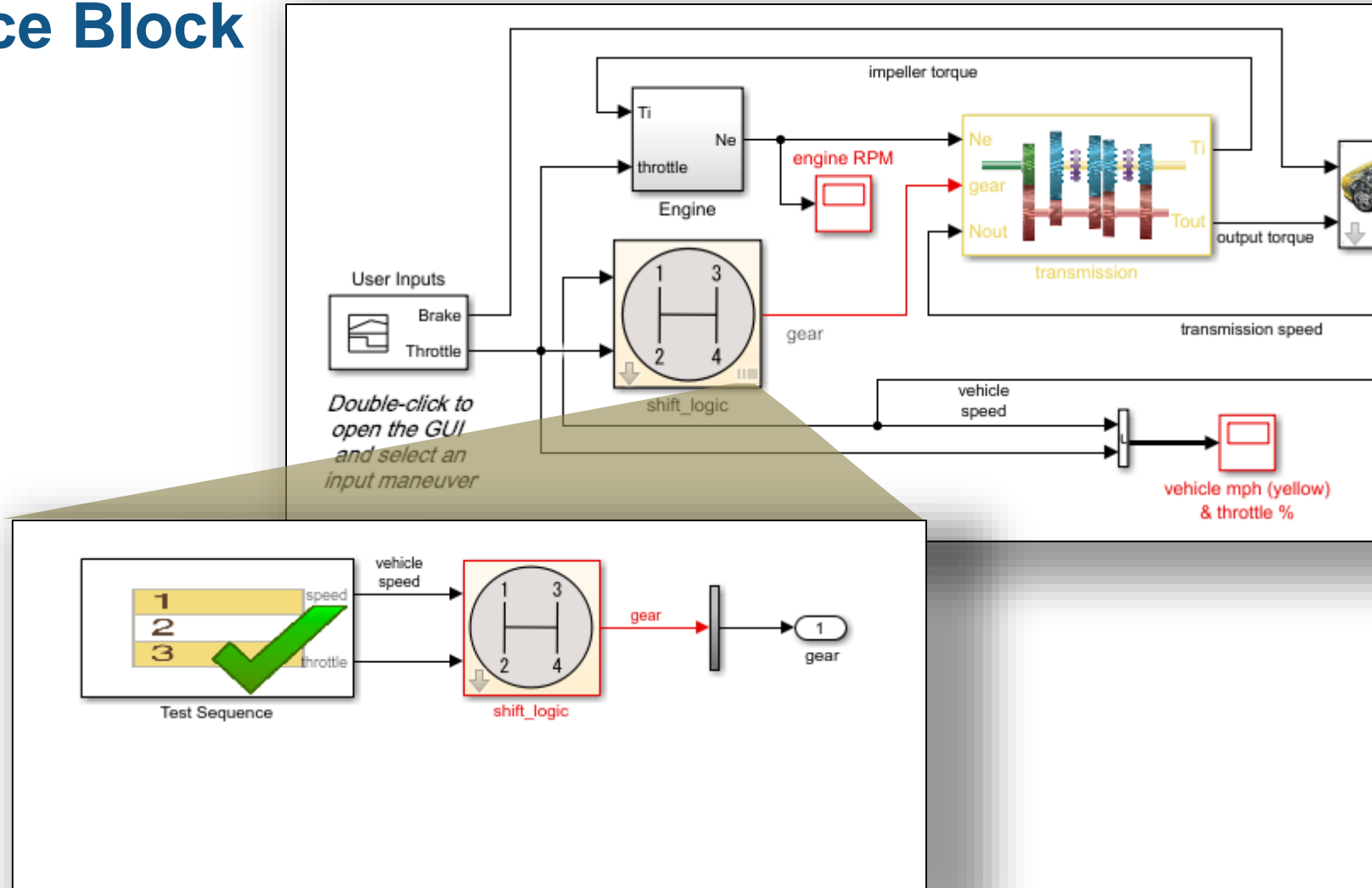
Isolate it with content it to drive inputs and analyze outputs

Simulate independently



Can be embedded in design model file.

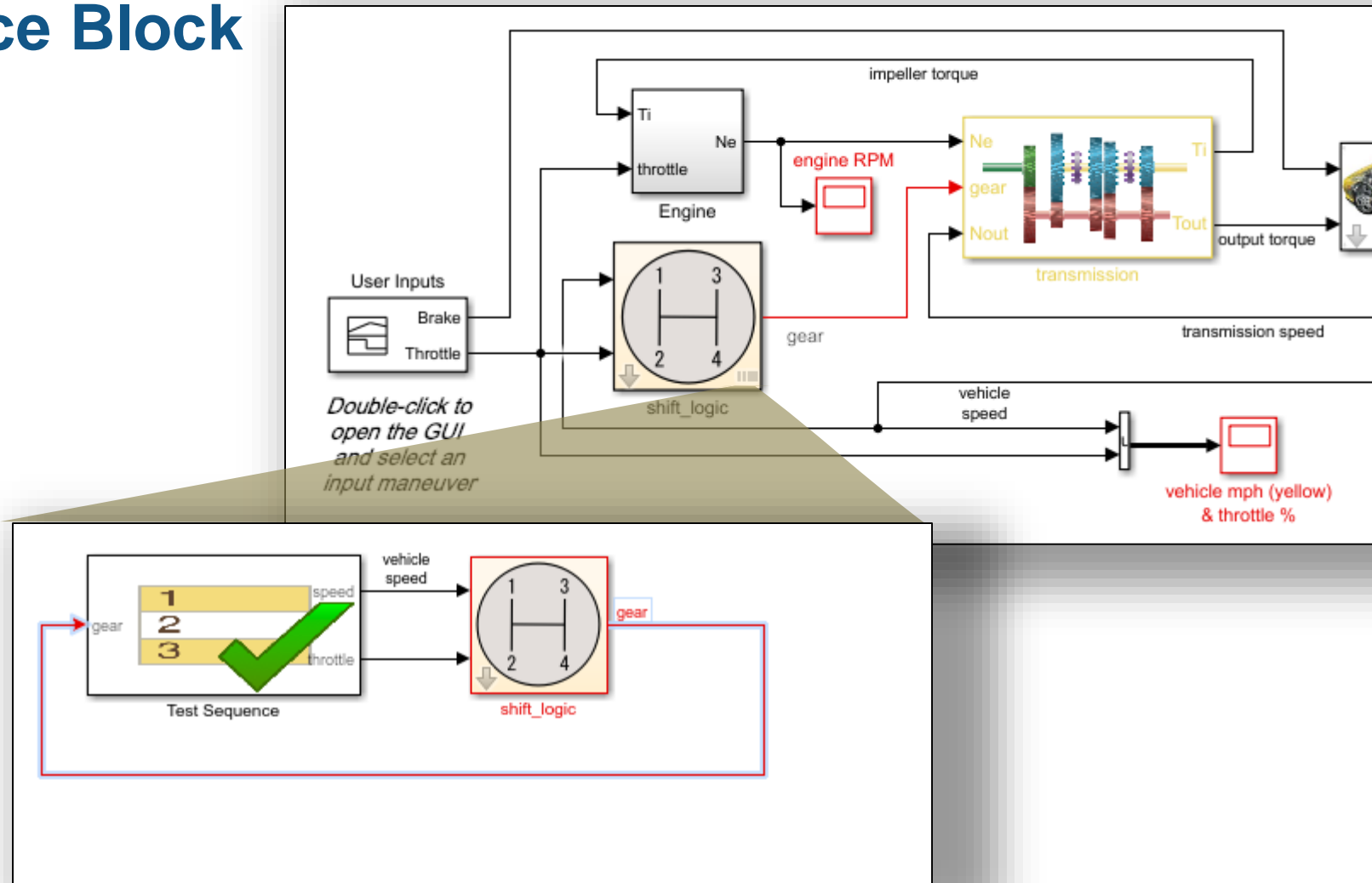
# Test Sequence Block



**A test sequence block can drive inputs**

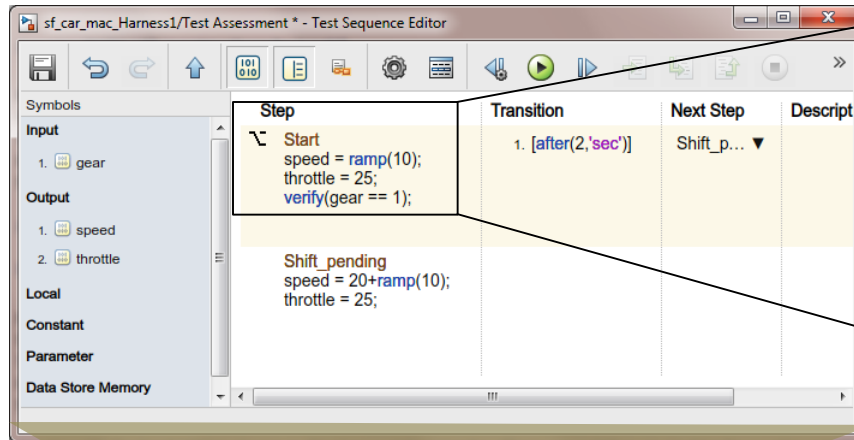


# Test Sequence Block



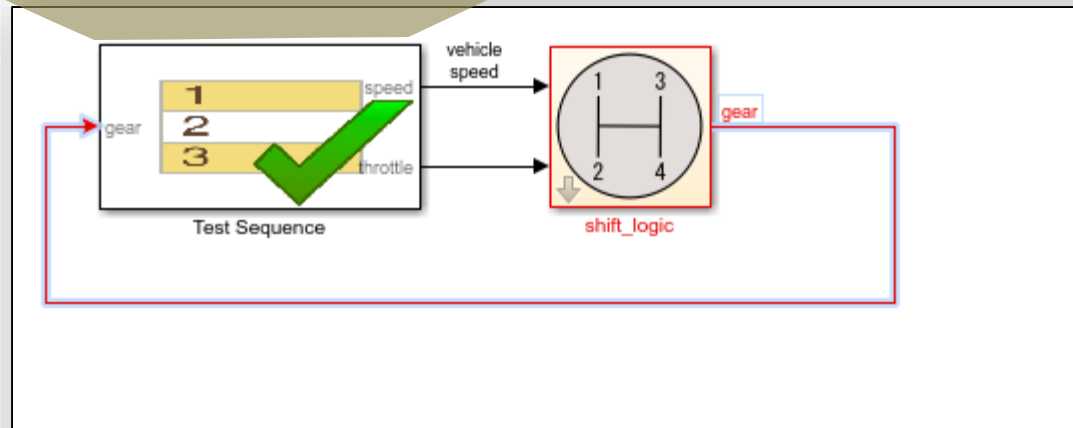
**A test sequence block can drive inputs and assess outputs**

# Test Sequence Block Syntax

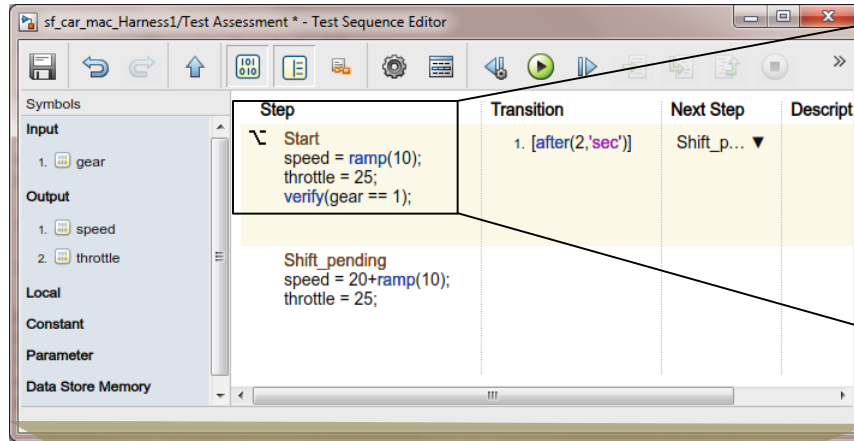


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 $\surd$  Start
speed = ramp(10);
throttle = 25;
verify(gear == 1);
    
```



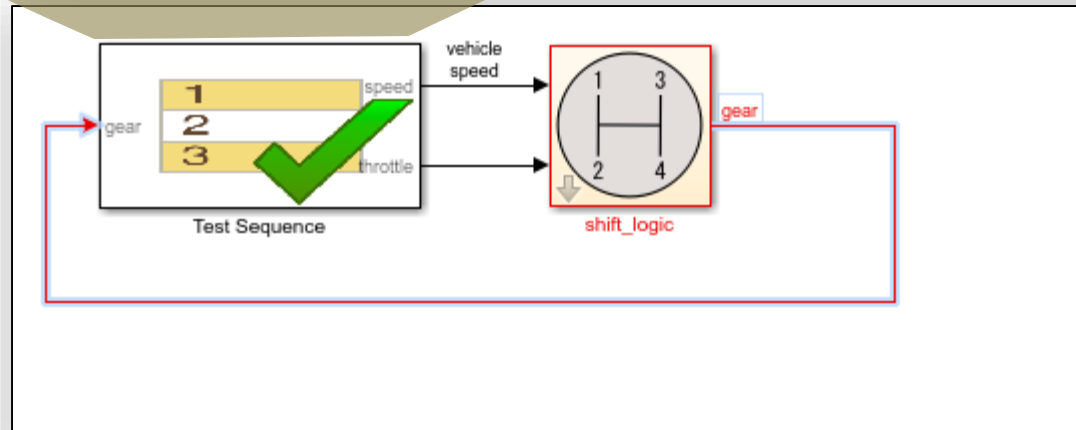
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**Define Inputs**

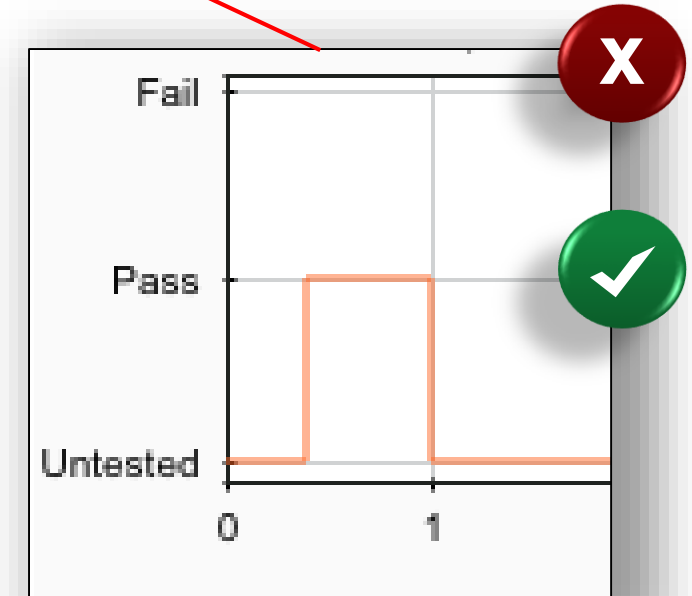
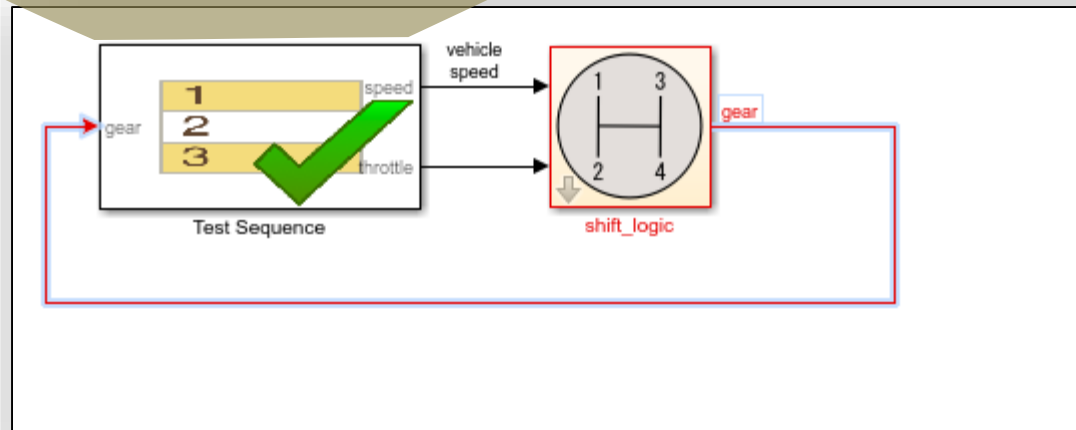


# Defining Pass/Fail Criteria

Step	Transition	Next Step	Description
Start speed = ramp(10); throttle = 25; verify(gear == 1);	1. [after(2,'sec')]	Shift_p...	
Shift_pending speed = 20+ramp(10); throttle = 25;			

```

Start
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verify(gear == 1);
    
```

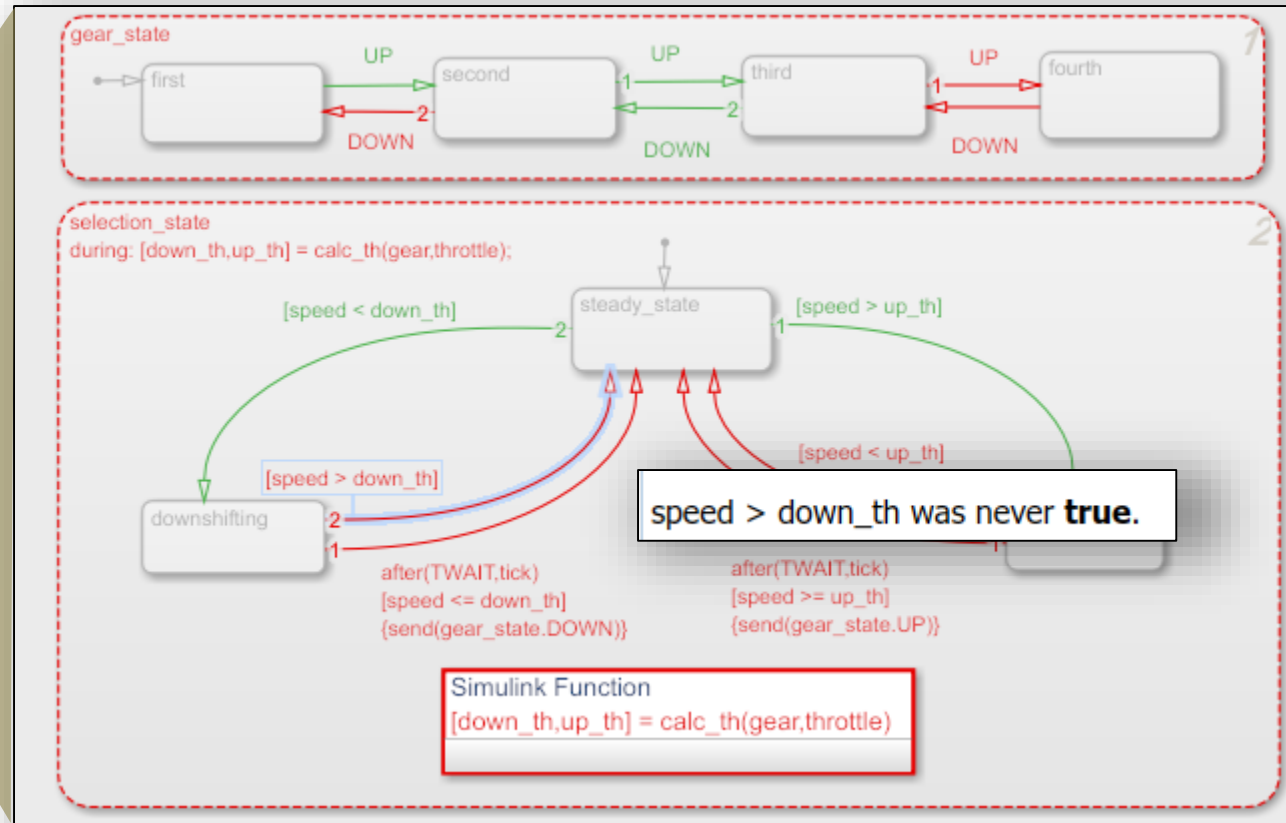
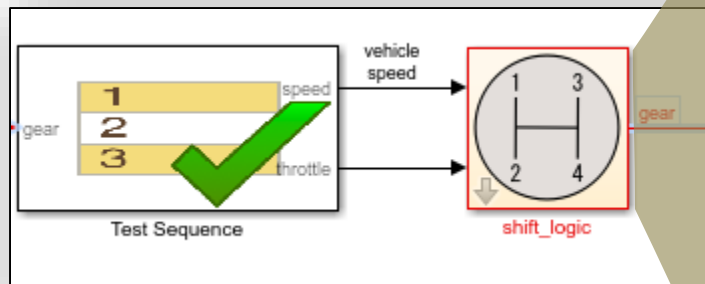




# Model Coverage

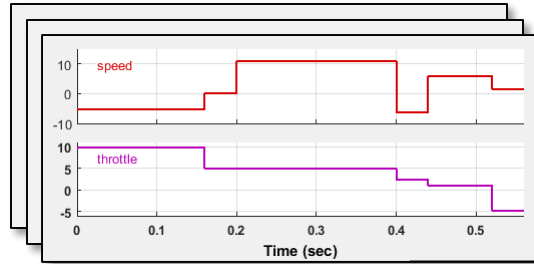
## Identify testing gaps:

- Untested switch positions
- Subsystems not executed
- Transitions not taken
- *Many more ...*

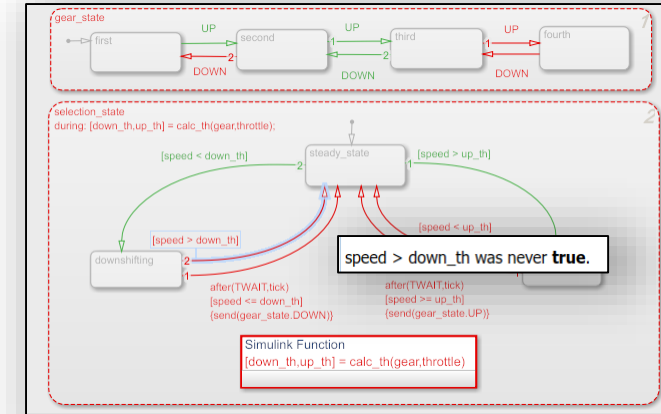
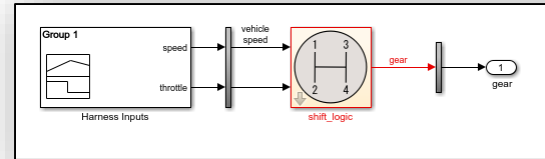


# Addressing Missing Coverage

## Partial Coverage

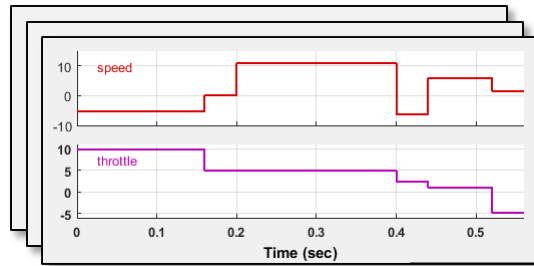


Test Cases

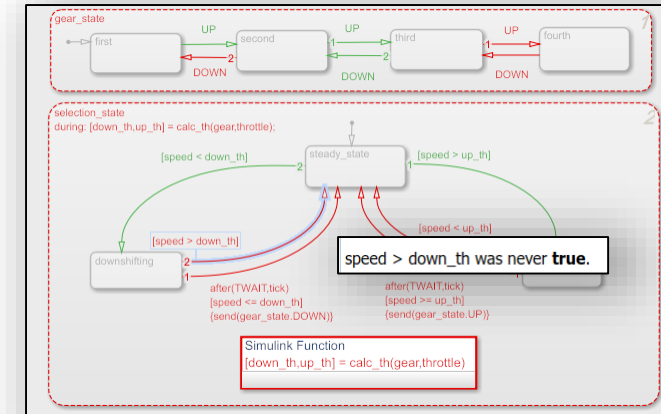
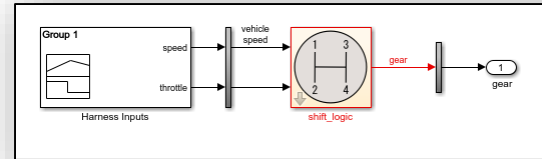


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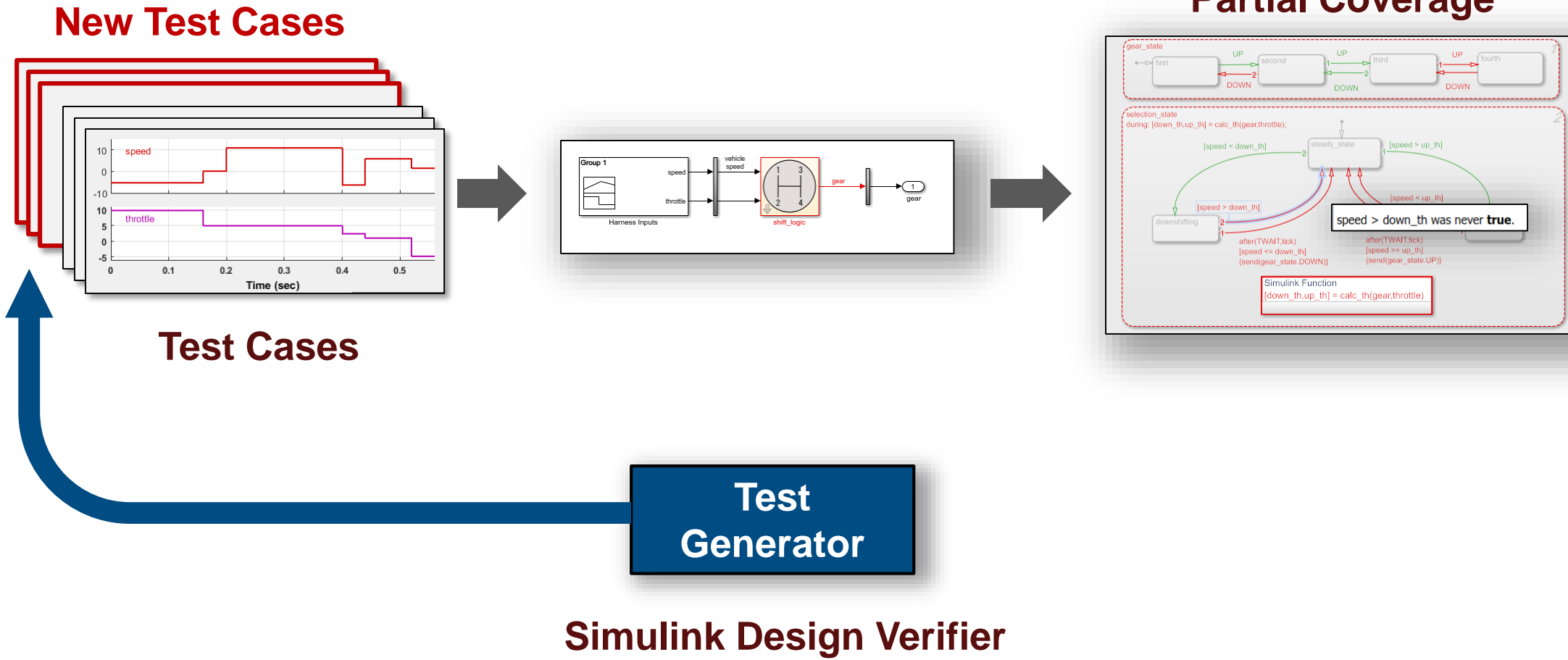
Test Cases



Test Generator

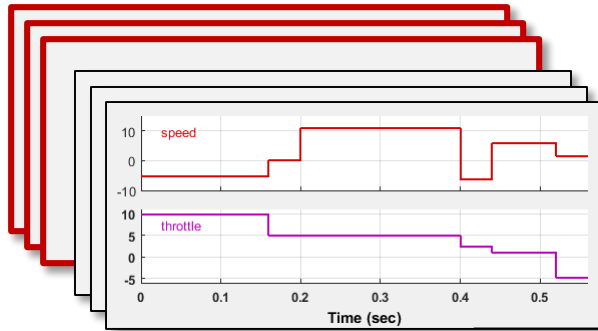
Simulink Design Verifier

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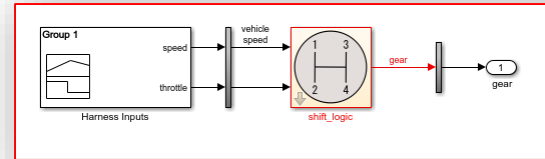


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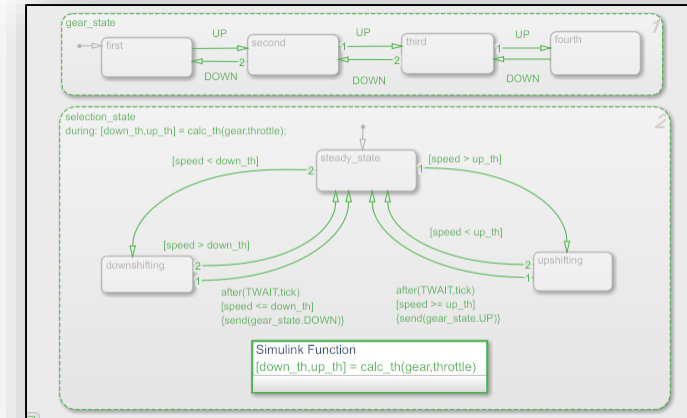
## New Test Cases



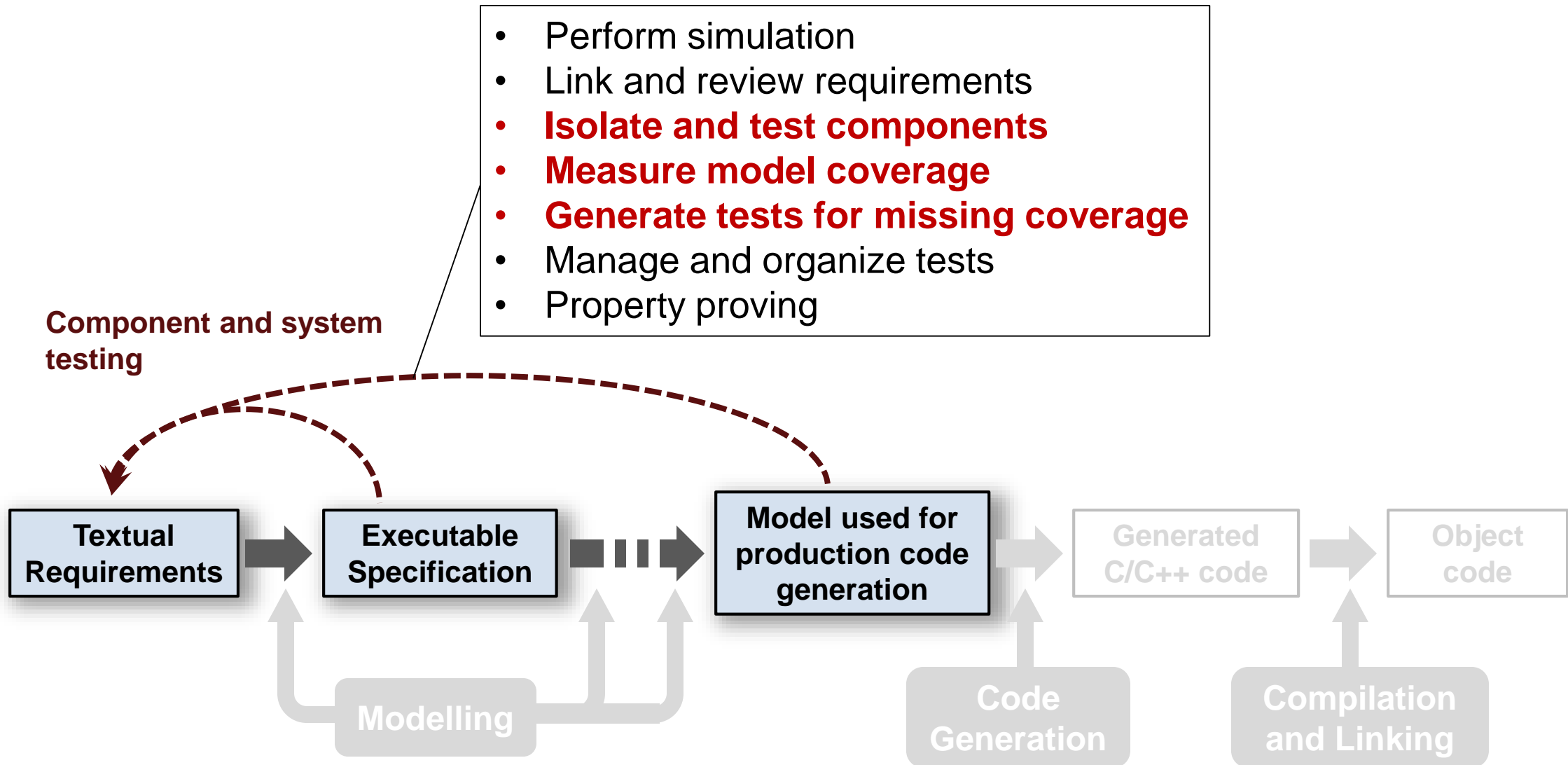
## Test Cases



## Full Coverage



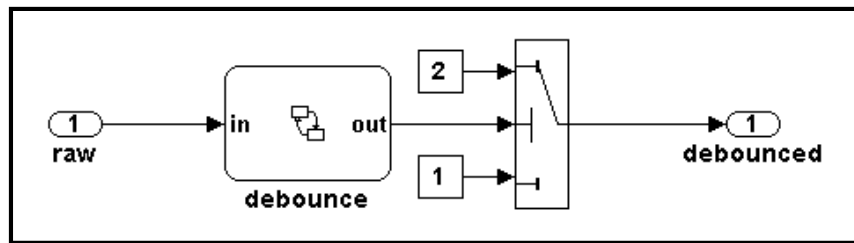
# Model Based Design Verification Workflow





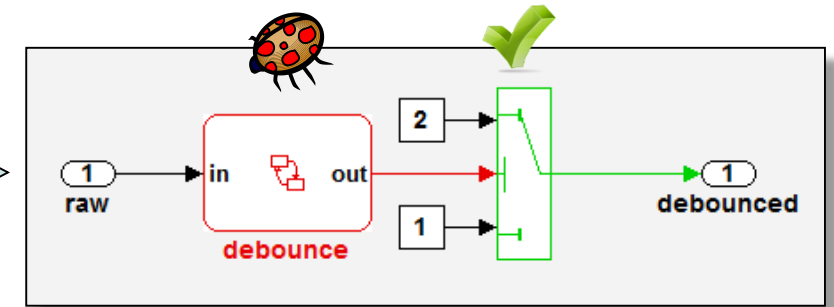


# Detecting Hidden Run-Time Design Errors



**Design Model**

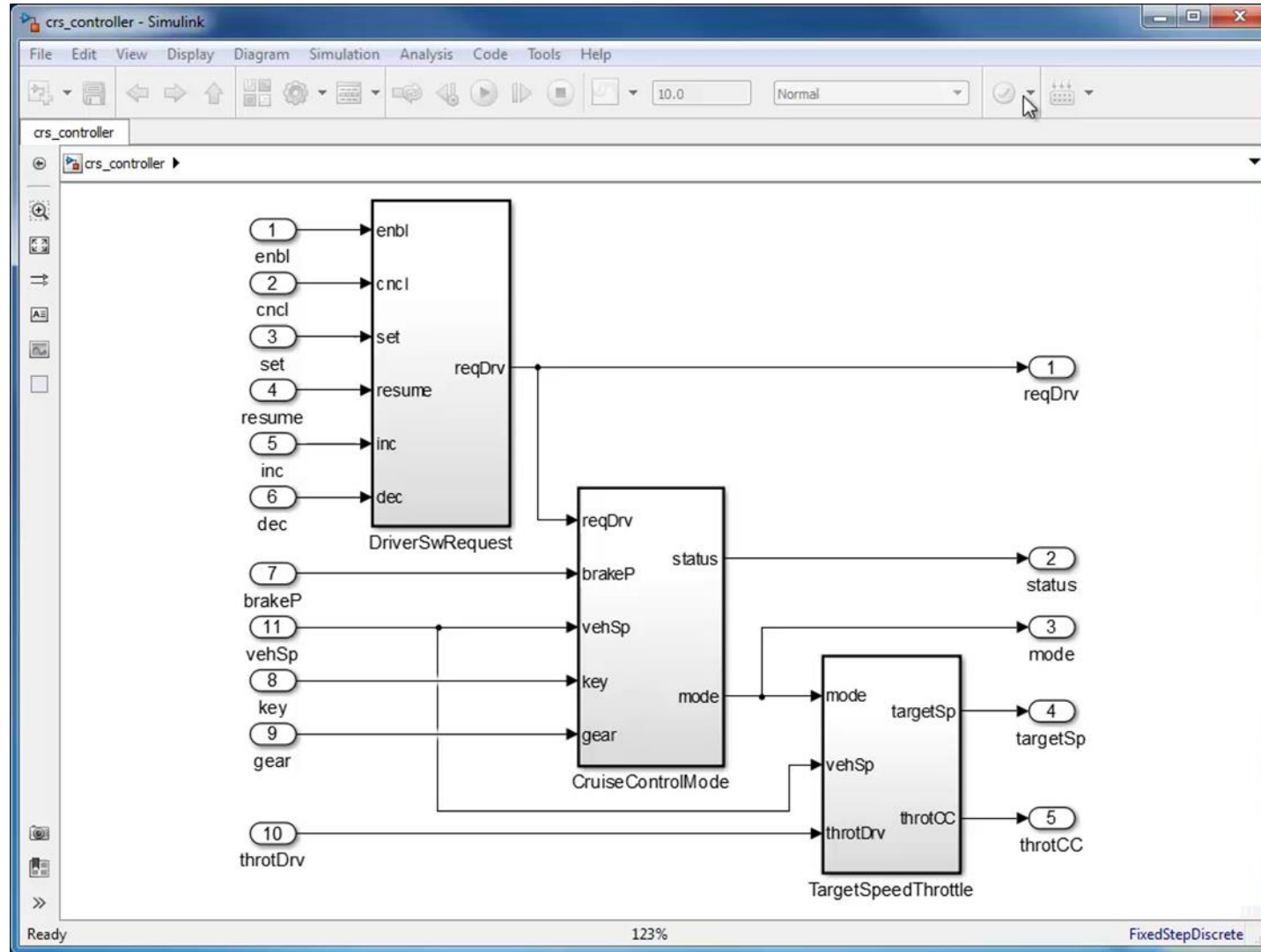
Design error detection



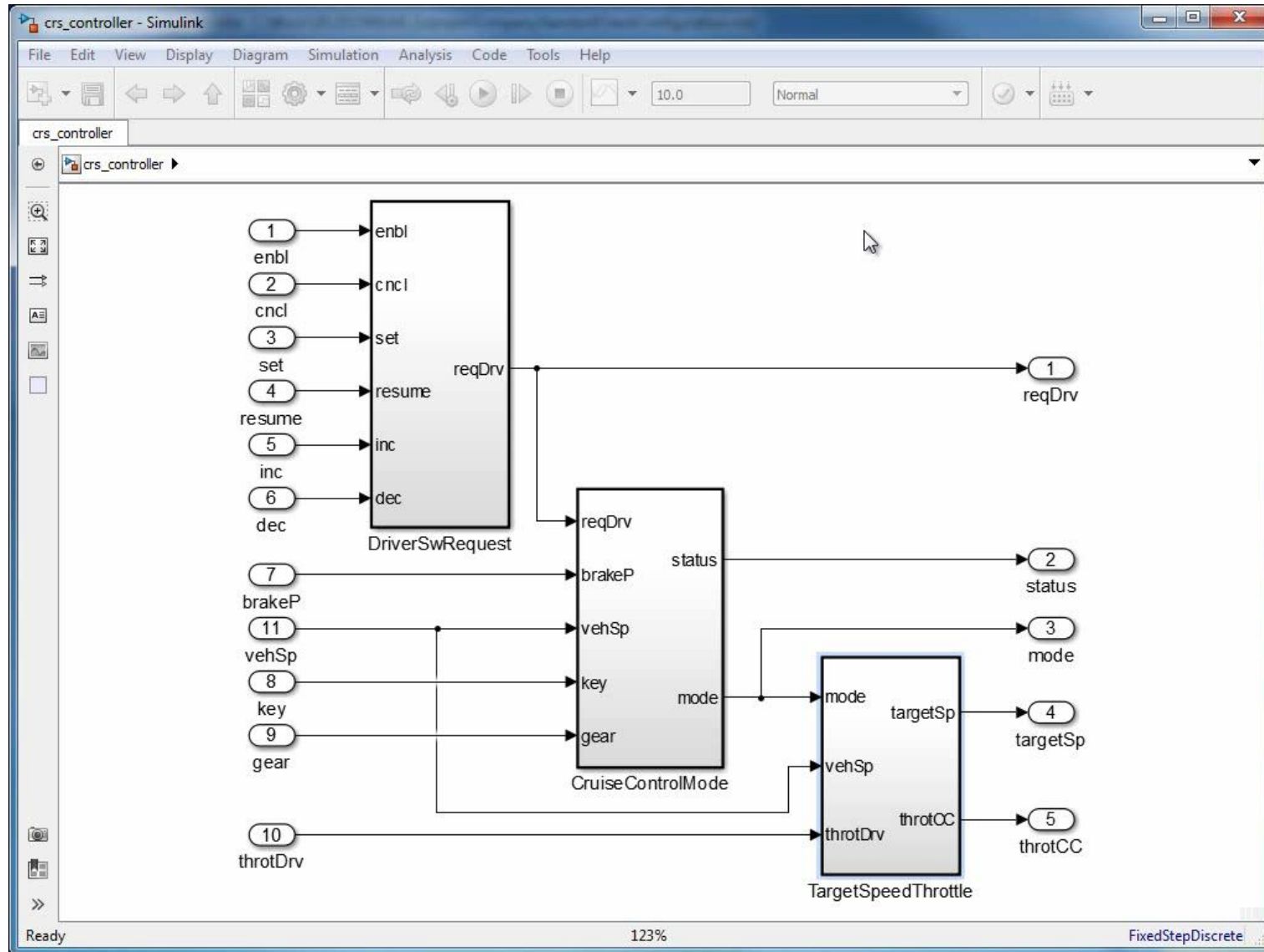
**Highlighted Model**

- Integer overflow
- Division by zero
- Array out-of-bounds
- Range violations
- Dead Logic

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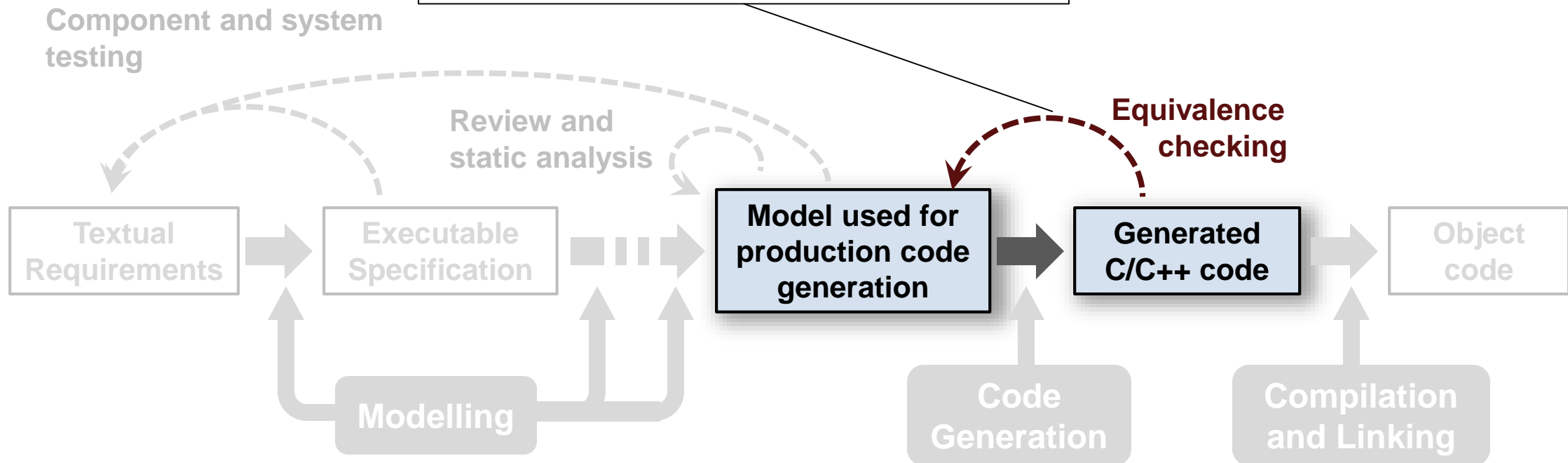


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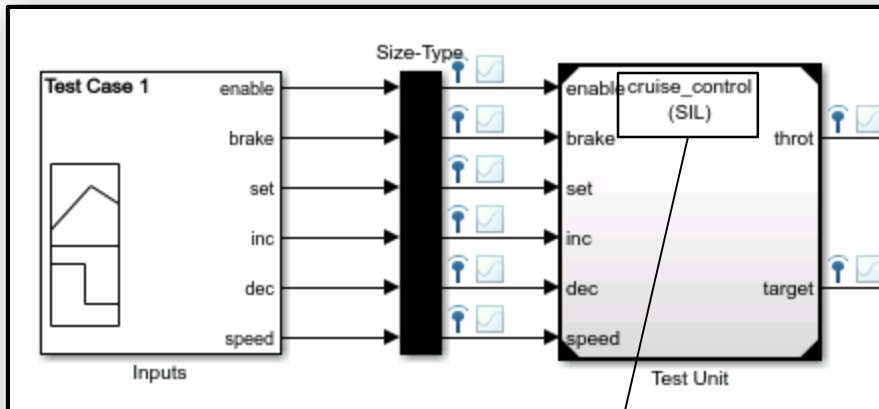


# Model Based Design Verification Workflow

- Perform SIL Testing
- **Measure code coverage**
- Verify code with Polyspace
- Verify consistency with Simulink Code Inspector



# Coverage for Generated Code (R2016a)



**cruise\_control  
(SIL)**

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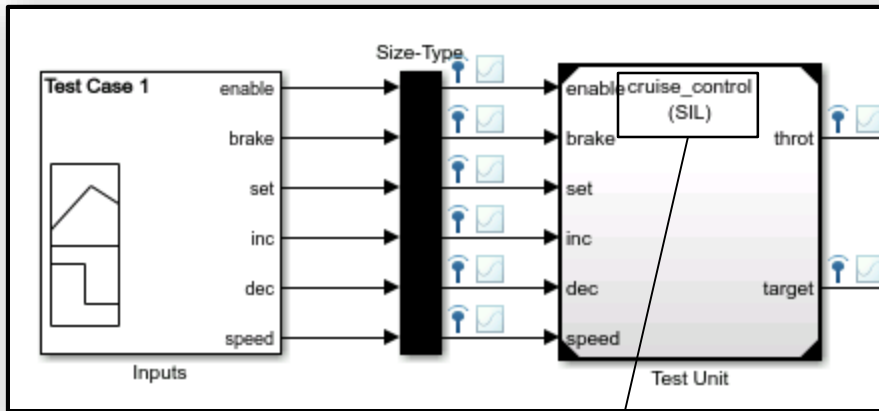
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78      /* Sum: '<S2>/Sum' incorporates:
79      * DiscreteIntegrator: '<S2>/Discrete-Time Integrator'
80      * Gain: '<S2>/Kp'
81      * Gain: '<S2>/Kp1'
82      */
83      *rty_throt = 0.02 * rtb_Switch2 + 0.01 *
84          localDW->DiscreteTimeIntegrator_DSTATE;
85
86      /* Update for DiscreteIntegrator: '<S2>/Discrete-Time Integrator'
87      localDW->DiscreteTimeIntegrator_DSTATE += 0.01 * rtb_Switch2;
88      if (localDW->DiscreteTimeIntegrator_DSTATE >= 5.0) {
89          localDW->DiscreteTimeIntegrator_DSTATE = 5.0;
90      } else {
91          if (localDW->DiscreteTimeIntegrator_DSTATE <= -5.0) {
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93          }
94      }

```

**Generated Code Coverage**



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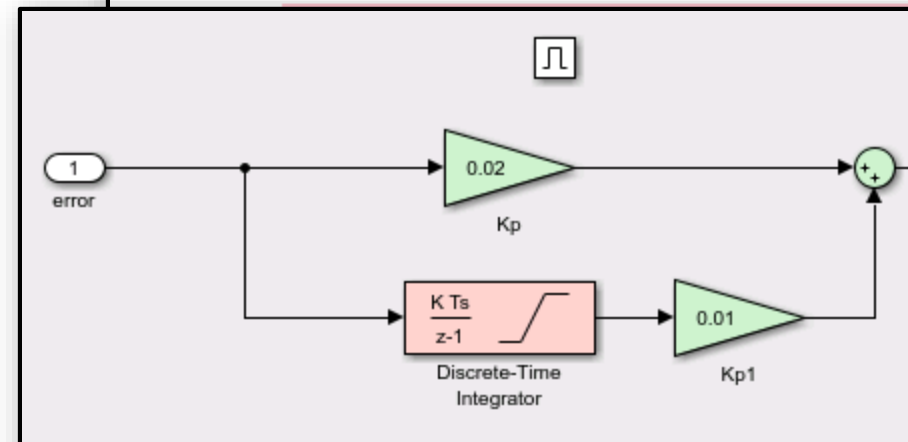


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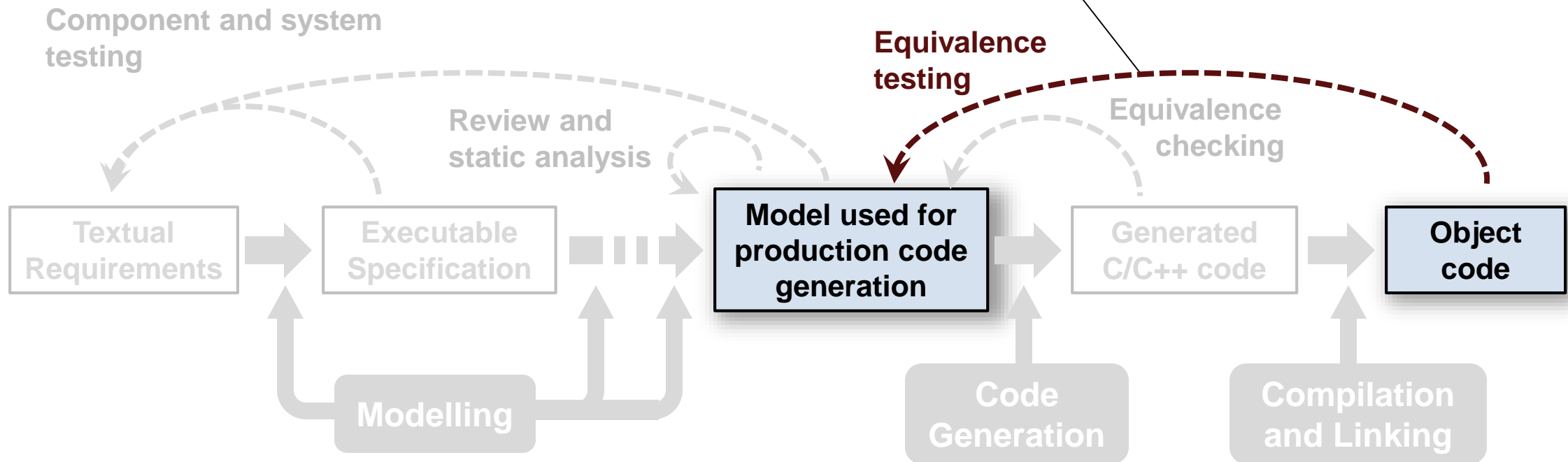
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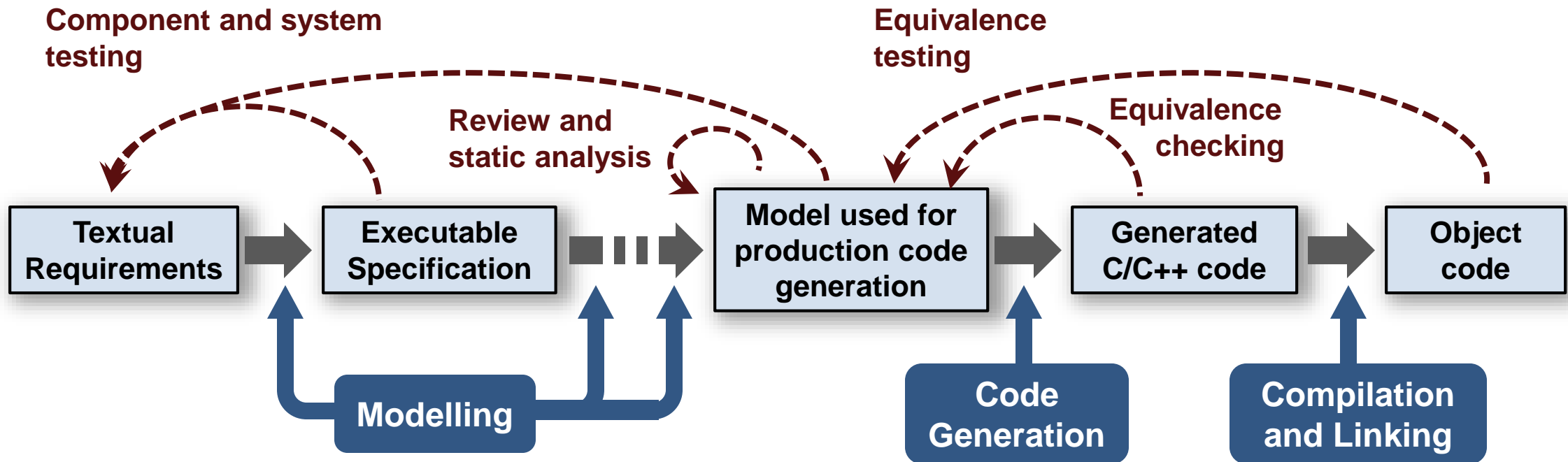
**Can also be highlighted on model**

# Model Based Design Verification Workflow

- Perform PIL Testing
- Perform HIL Testing

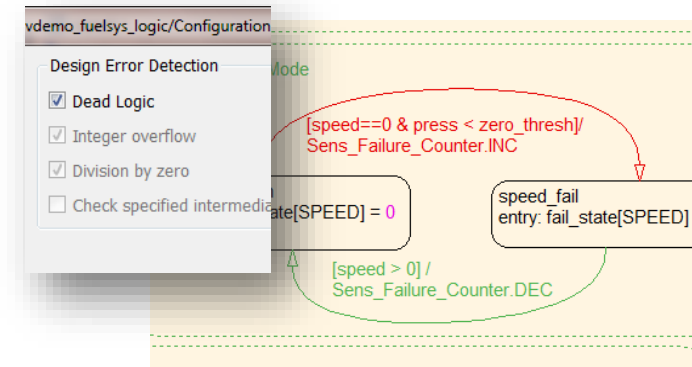


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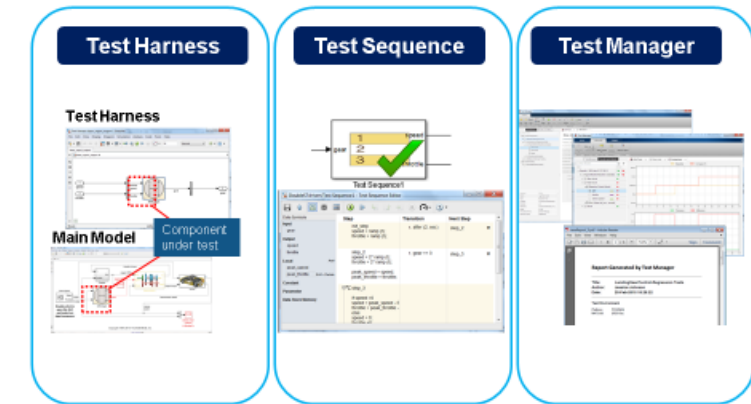


# Systematic Verification

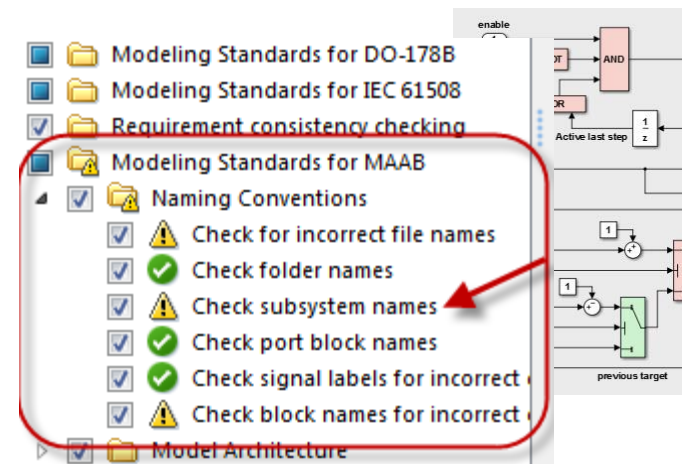
- Ensure that verification is systematically performed across:
  - All requirements
  - Complete model structure
  - Complete code structure
  - All design behaviors



Simulink Design Verifier



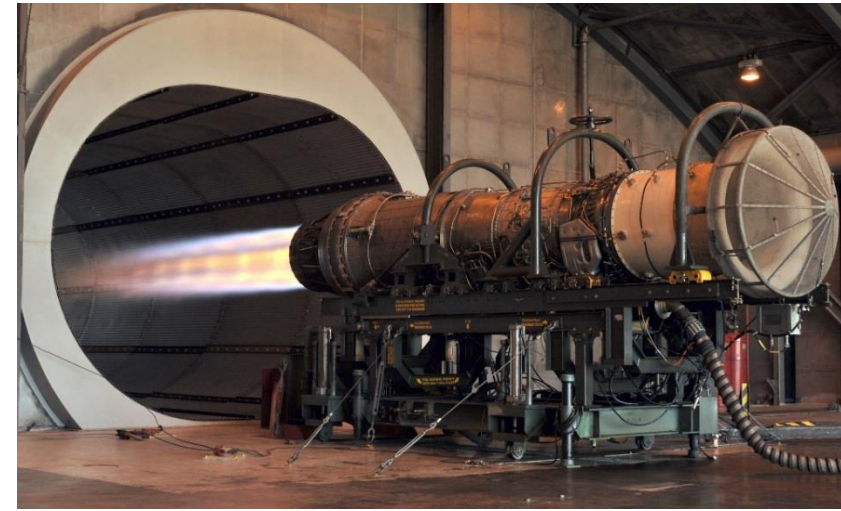
Simulink Test



Simulink Verification & Validation

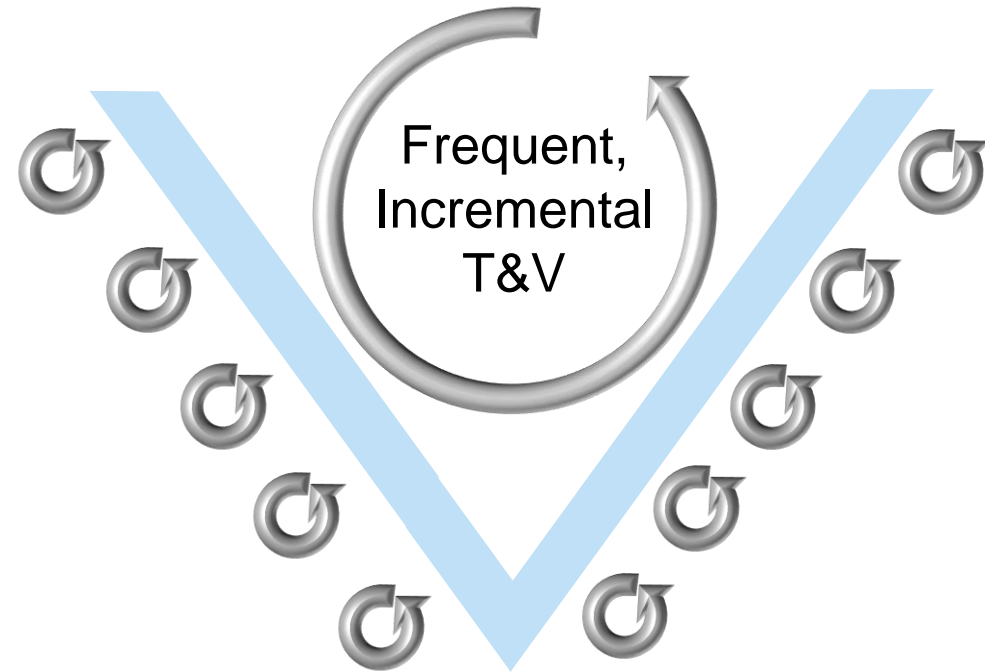
# Test and Verification

- Essential
  - Expensive
  - Complex
- } Pain Points



# Test and Verification

- Essential → More Complete
- Expensive → Faster
- Complex → Simpler





**Thank You!**