

MARINE CYBERNETICS: FROM 0-100 IN 10 YEARS

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ABOUT ME - «AFFILIATED» WITH ITK SINCE 2000

- MSc Marine Technology 2002
 - Specialized in Marine Cybernetics (the study)
 - Master thesis at MIT on a force feedback VIV test setup
- PhD Marine Technology 2006
 - Working with modeling, simulation and control of propellers and ship motion
 - Thesis: Control of Marine Propellers: from Normal to Extreme conditions
- With Marine Cybernetics (the company) since 2003
 - Consultant/developer
 - Senior project engineer
 - Product manager
 - CTO
 - COO

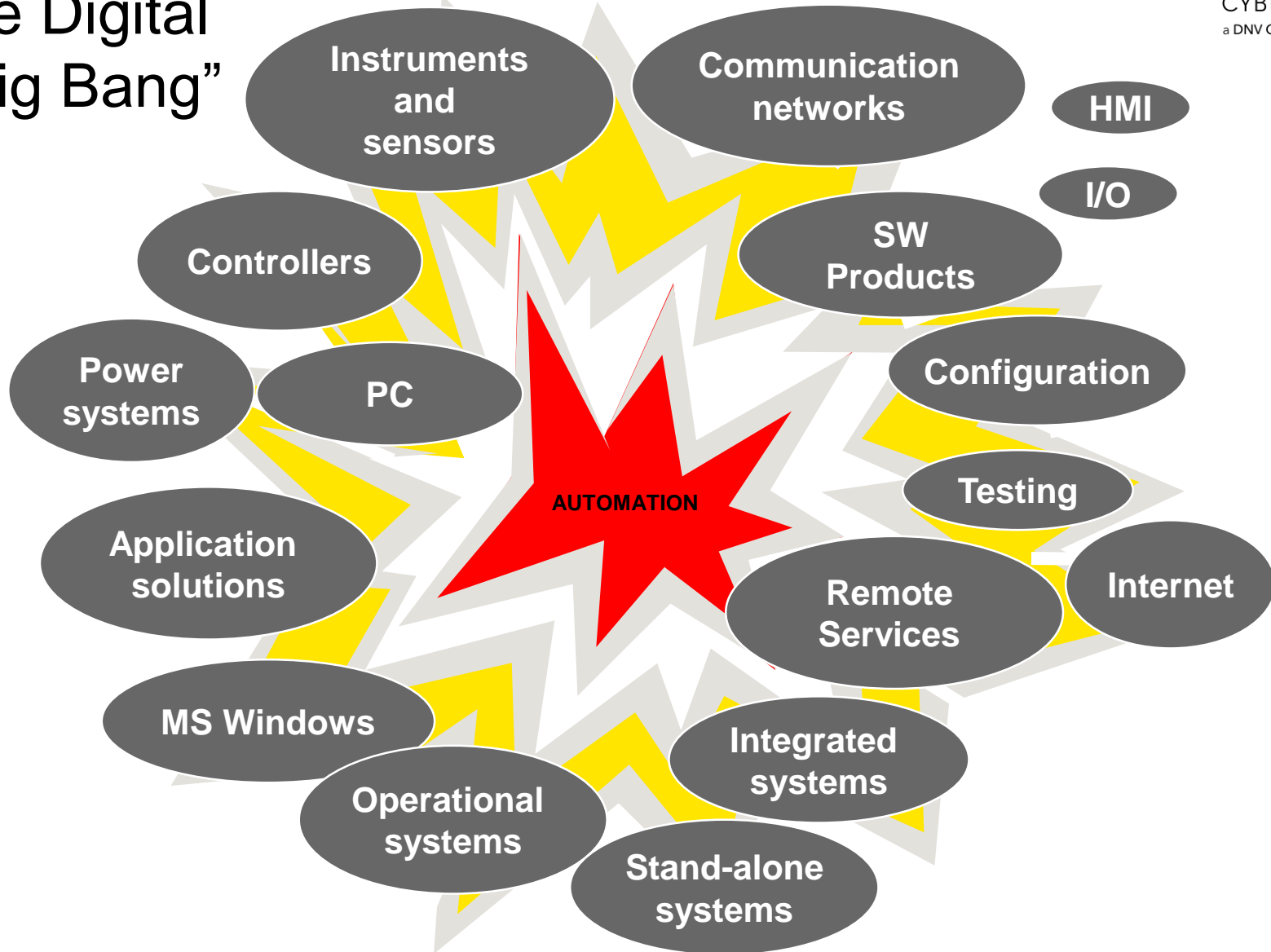


SUMMER 2002

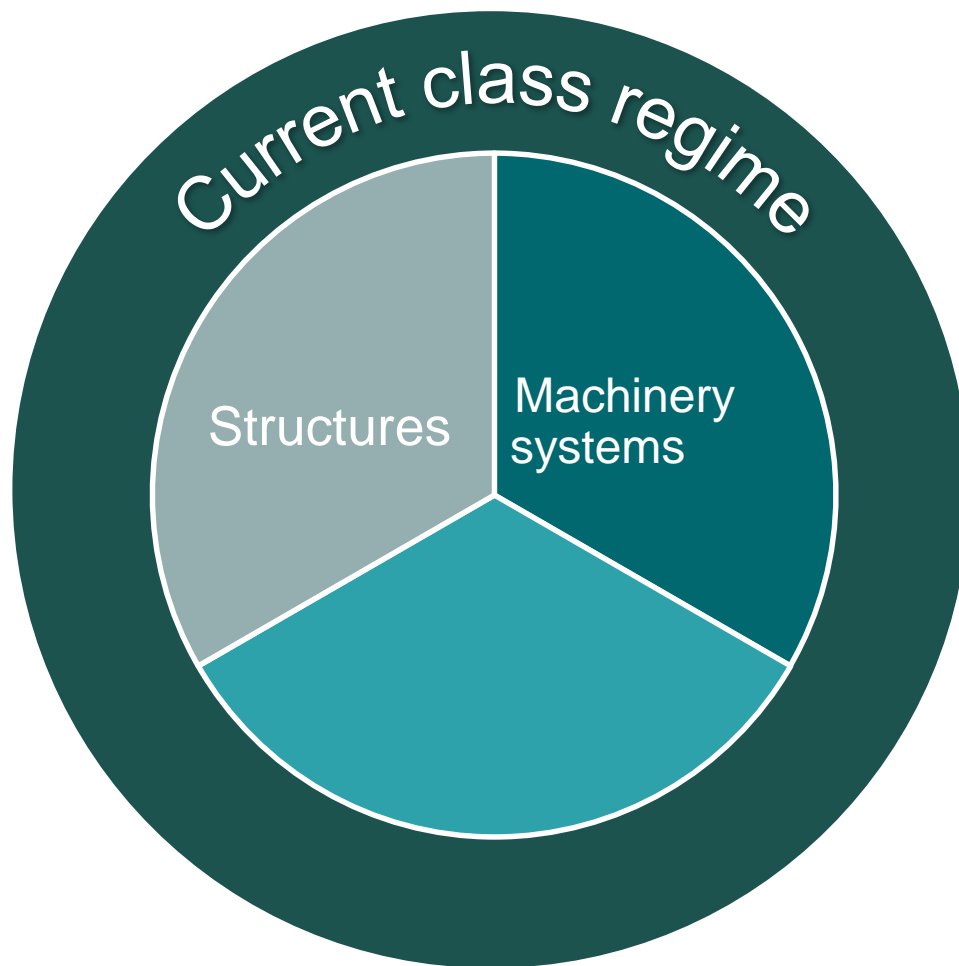
Marine Cybernetics ANS

Publisher and Technical consulting company owned by Thor Inge Fossen

The Digital “Big Bang”



GAP IN THE CURRENT CLASS REGIME



THE FOUNDERS



Marine Cybernetics AS

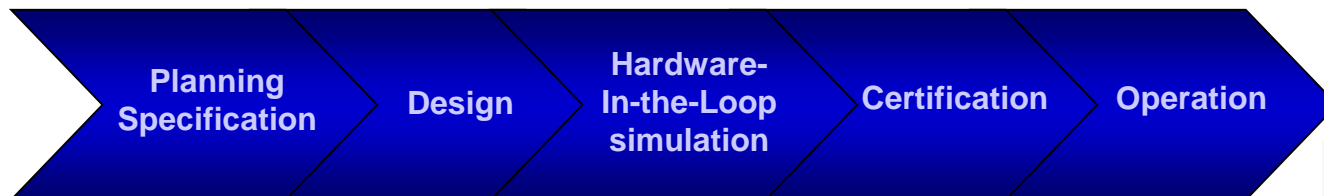
A spin-off from NTNU. Founded in December 2002

Vision

To be established as the leading and most profitable niche company in independent testing and verification of control systems

Business Idea

To improve safety and profitability for our customers by developing and applying *Hardware-In-the-Loop (HIL)* solutions for *independent testing* of software in control systems on ships and offshore installations



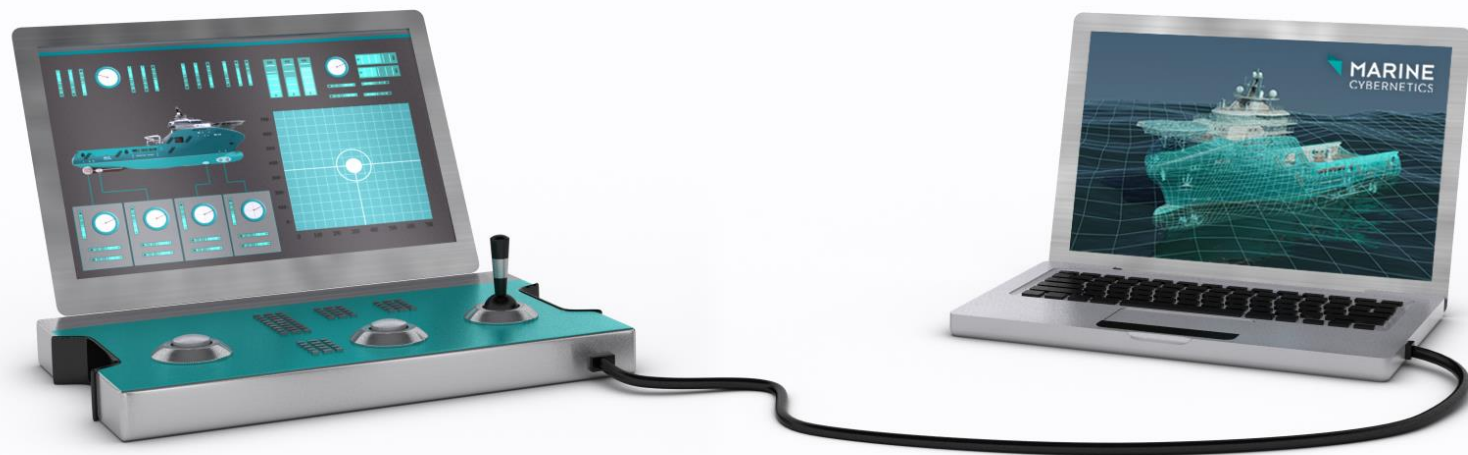
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CONTROL SYSTEM IN NORMAL OPERATION - CONTROLLING REAL VESSEL

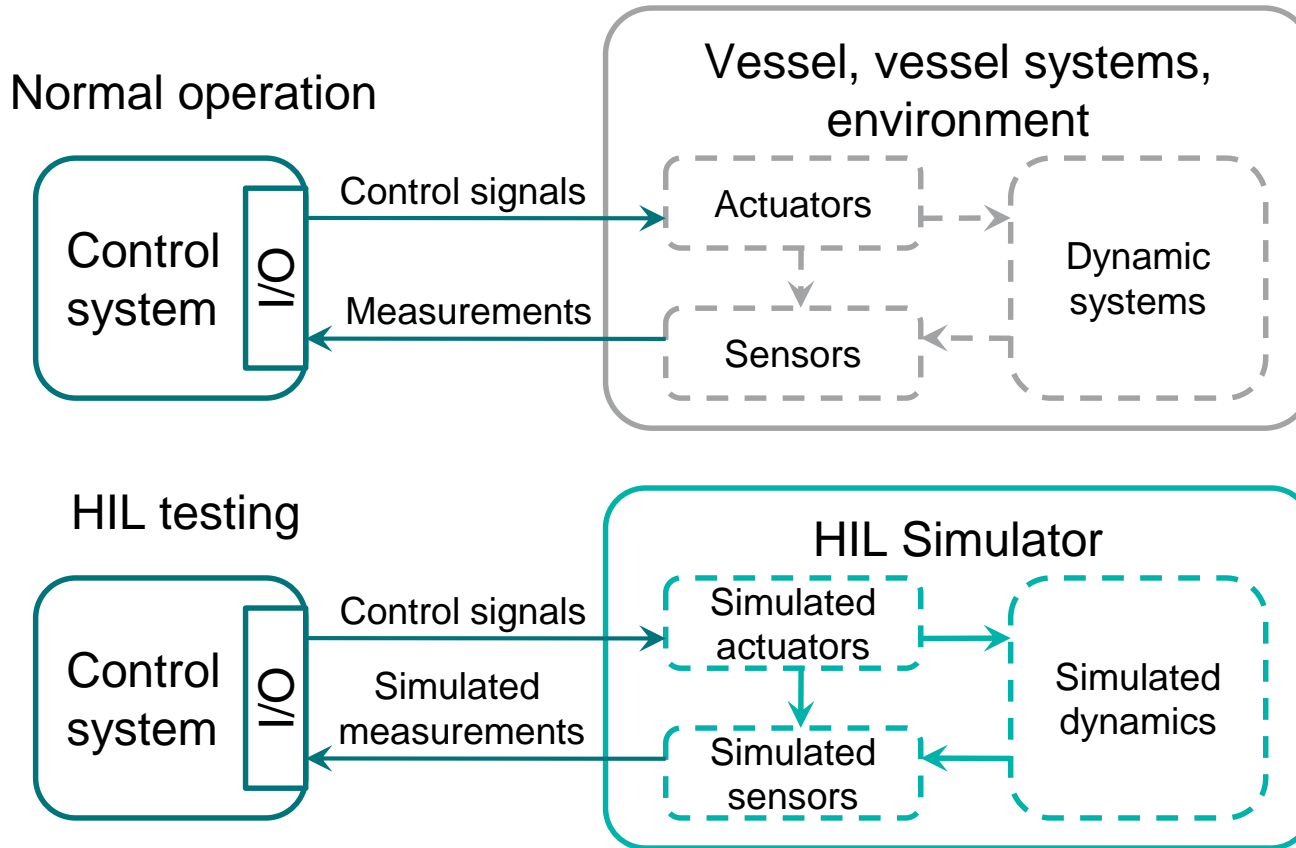


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THE CONCEPT OF HIL TESTING



2004 – THE FIRST EMPLOYEES



2004-2005 – a company of nerds: 6.25 PhD, 1 MSc

First comment from the industry to our HIL test program:

«What the is an orthogonal coordinate system?»

DP-HIL PILOT PROJECT: VIKING POSEIDON, 2004



FIRST COMMERCIAL HIL-TEST JANUARY 2006



COMPANY HISTORY

Identifying software issues:

- Reducing risk for incidents and accidents
- Reducing risk for off-hire and non-productive time
- Securing safe and reliable operations
- Securing flawless startups

Safe software – safe operation



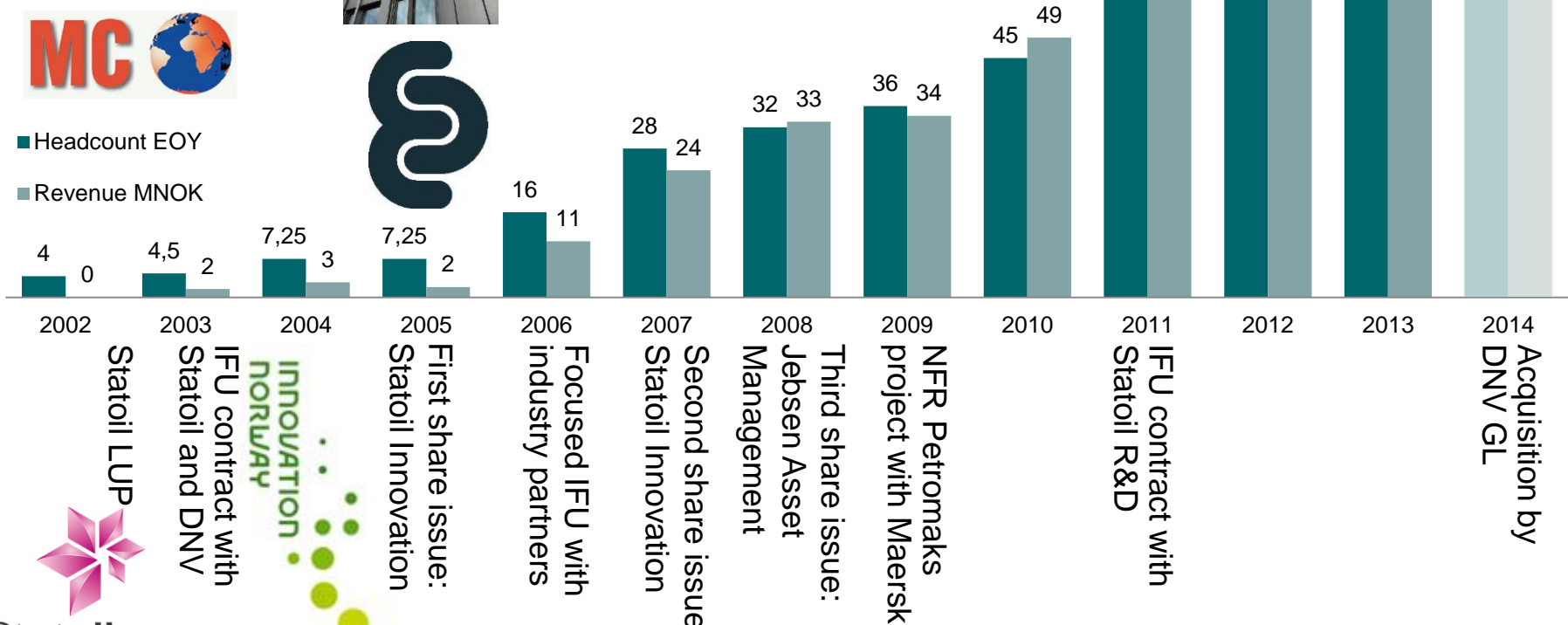
HEADCOUNT, REVENUE AND EXPANSION

July 2010 / April 2011: Houston office opened / US legal entity established

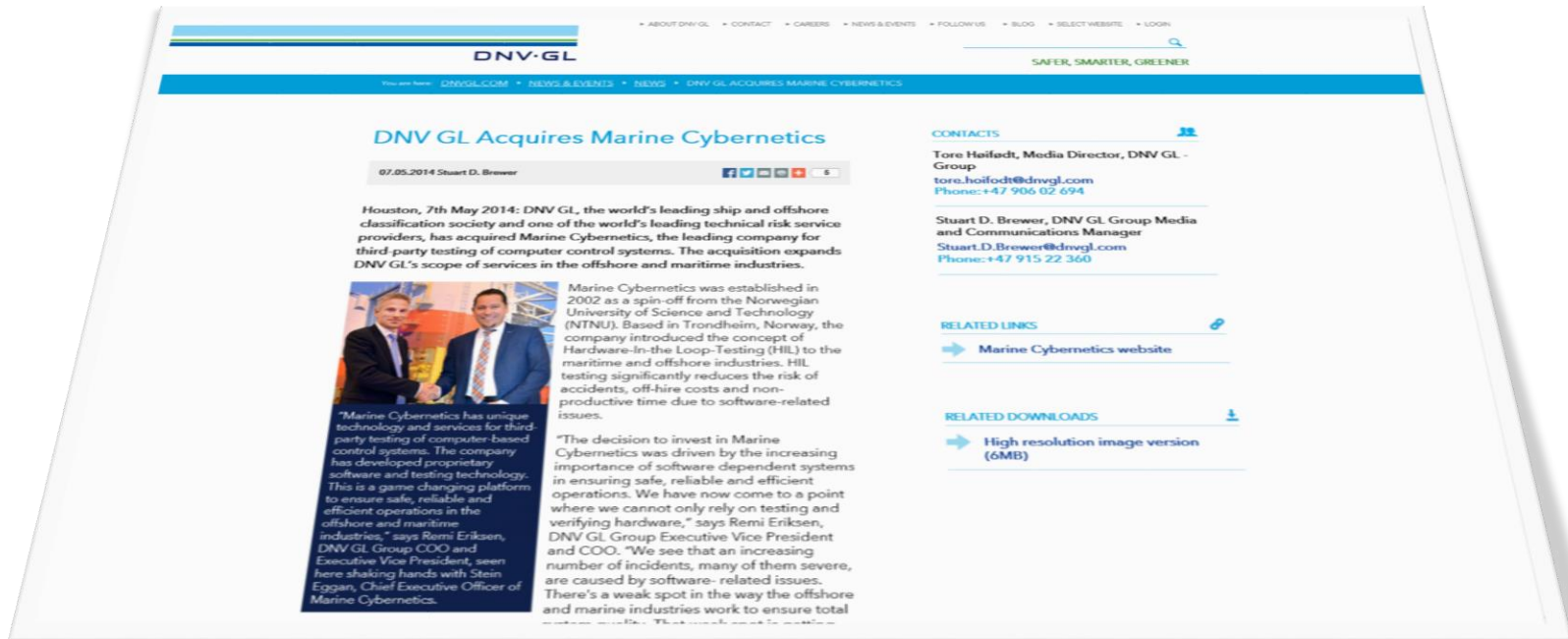
January 2011 / May 2011: Rio de Janeiro office opened / Brasil legal entity established



■ Headcount EOY
■ Revenue MNOK



MAY 2014: DNV GL ACQUIRES MARINE CYBERNETICS



MARINE CYBERNETICS' CURRENT HIL TESTING OFFERING

Testing of different control systems

Marine control systems (including on drilling rigs)

Dynamic Positioning (DP)



Steering, Propulsion, Thruster (SPT)



Power Management (PMS)



Drilling systems

Drill floor



Blowout preventer (BOP)



Intelligent Drilling/ Managed pressure drilling



Other automation systems

Emergency Shutdown (ESD)



Crane



Bow-loading systems



Integrated systems

In most projects Marine Cybernetics tests several different control systems together and how they interact

Testing on different type of vessels and rigs



Mobile offshore drilling units (MODU)

40 drilling rigs tested



Platform Supply Vessels (PSV)

26 vessels tested



Offshore Construction Vessels (OCSV)

22 vessels tested



Anchor Handling Tug Supply (AHTS)

15 vessels tested



Shuttle Tankers

14 vessels tested



Emergency Rescue Recovery Vessels (ERRV)

6 vessels tested



Fixed installations

1 installation tested



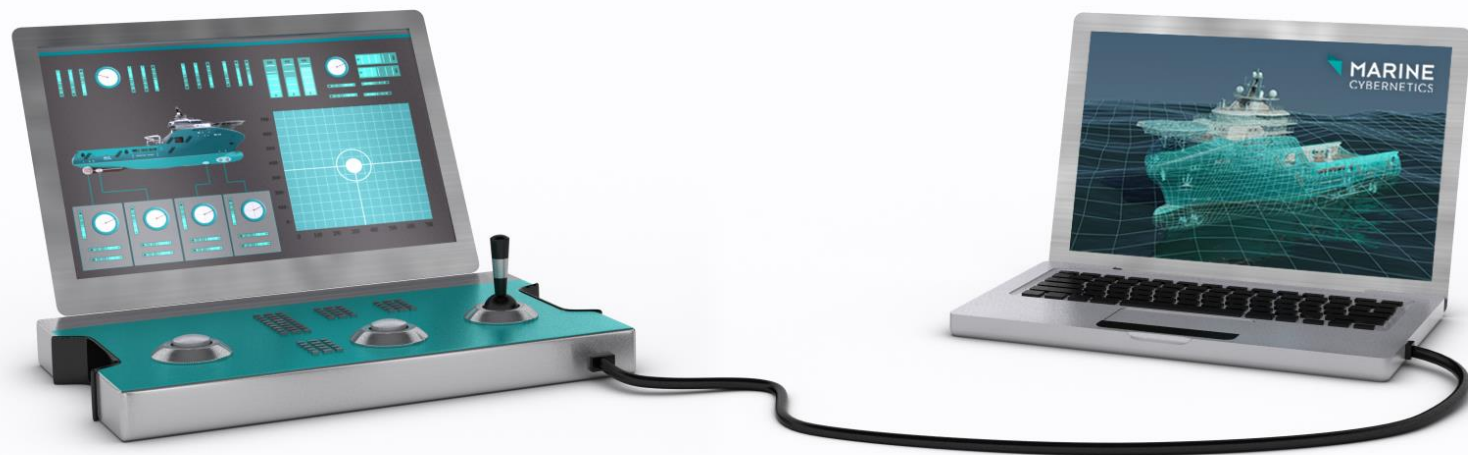
Seismic Vessel

1 vessel tested

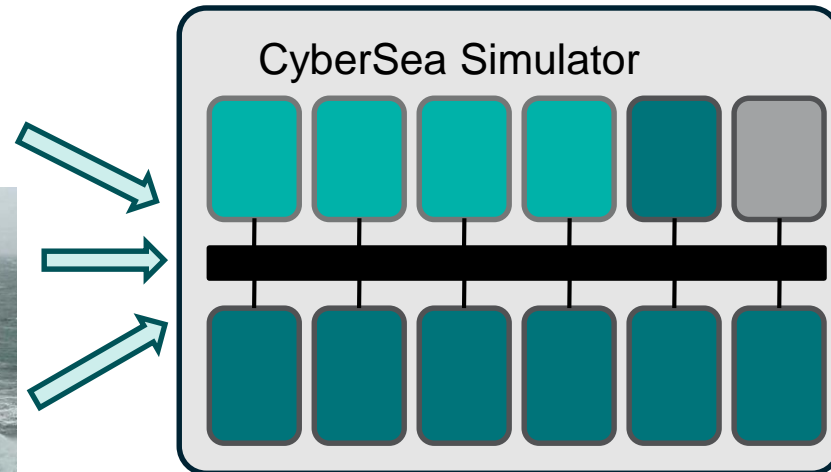
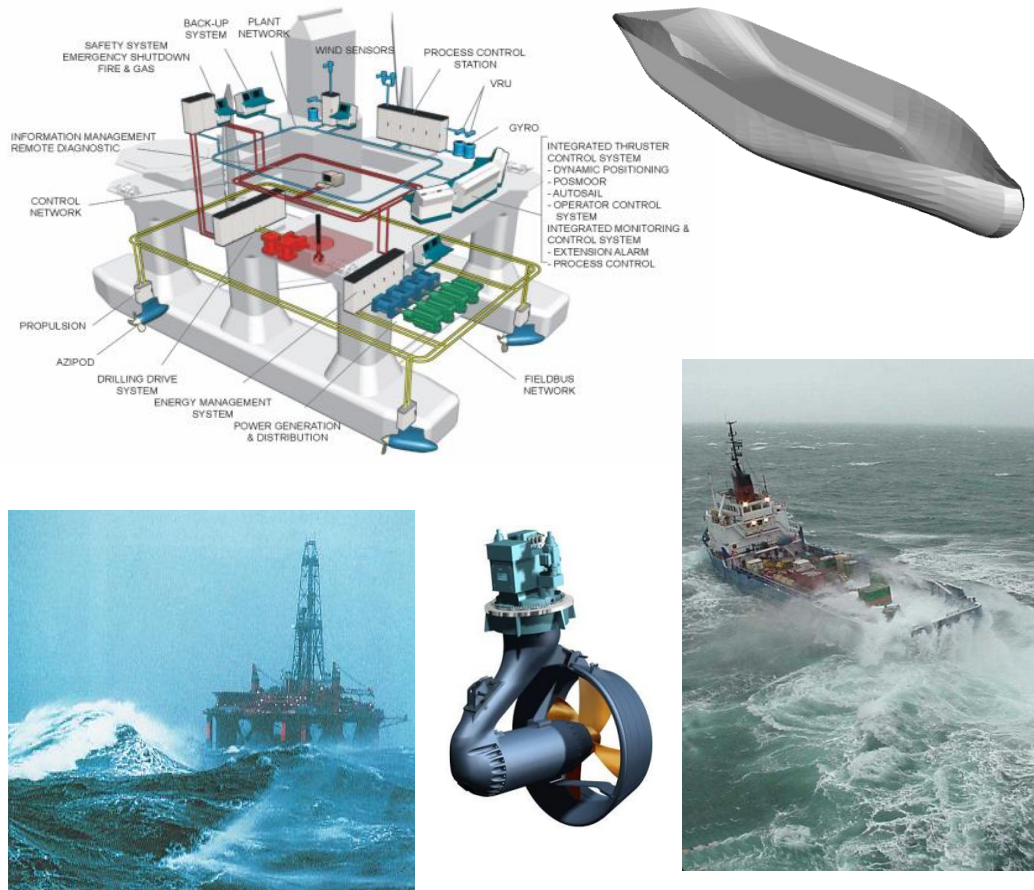
Marine Cybernetics offers HIL testing on a range of control system software for marine and drilling applications

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CYBERSEA REAL-WORLD MODELS



Mathematical models of environment, vessels, equipment and onboard systems are implemented and simulated in the CyberSea Simulator

Marine Cybernetics Dynamic Positioning System

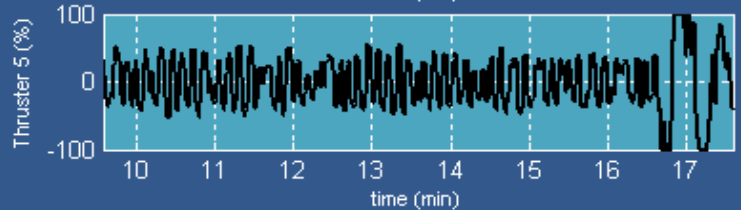
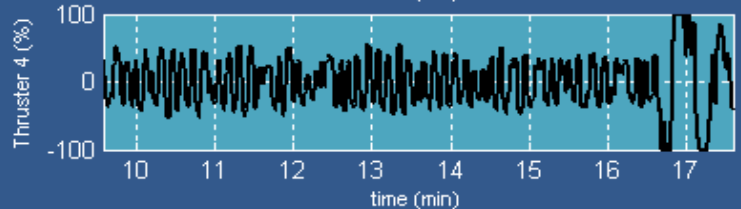
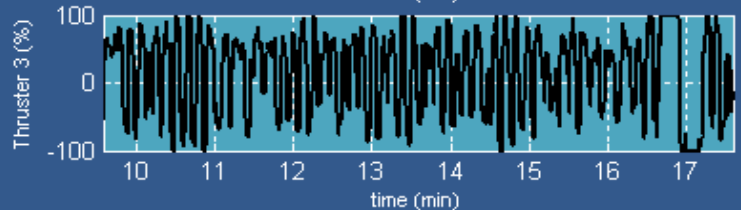
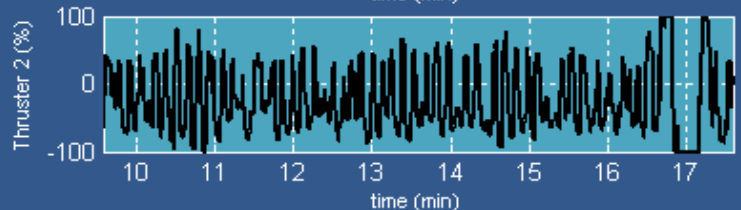
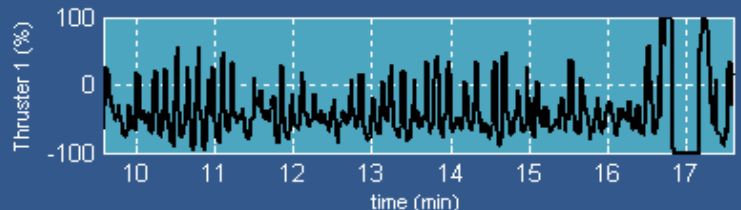
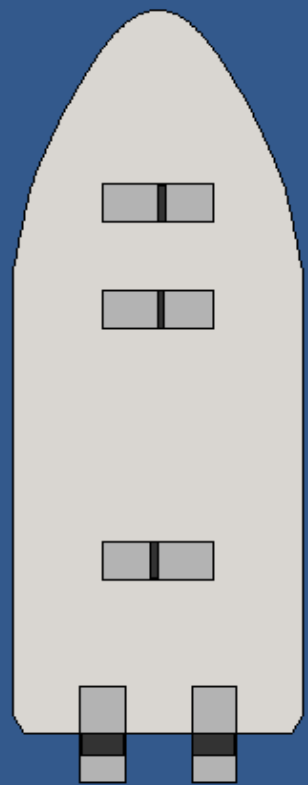
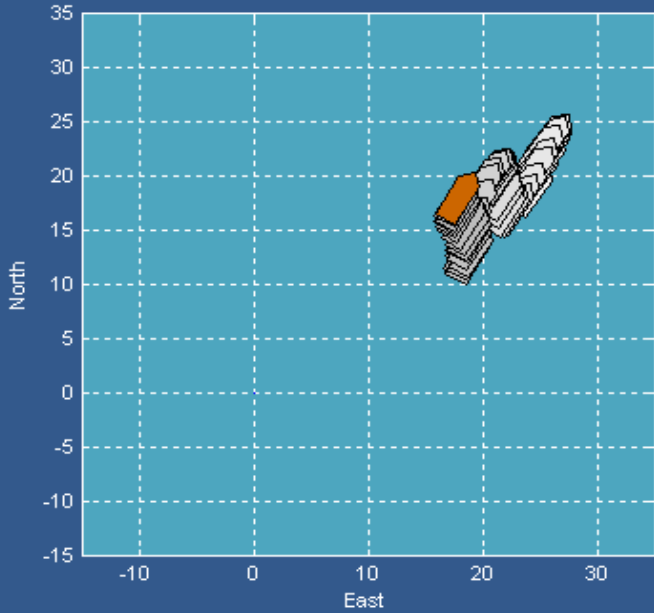
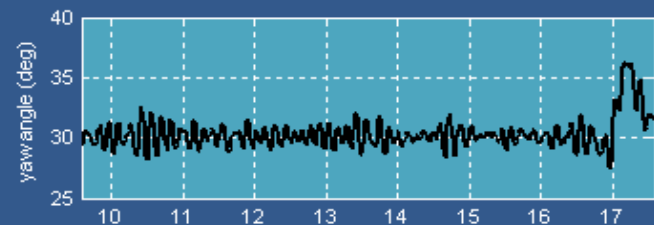


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East position (m):	<input type="text" value="15.0"/>
Heading (deg):	<input type="text" value="30.0"/>

Sensors

	North	East
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HPR	<input type="text" value="16.8 m"/>	<input type="text" value="17.1 m"/>
Gyro	<input type="text" value="31.6 deg"/>	



12-Jun-2003 16:39:05 Warning: GPS2 wild-point detected
12-Jun-2003 16:18:06 Status: Marine Cybernetics DP running

Vessel

Simulator time: 642s

Latitude: 60°24.5308'N

Longitude: 005°00.9929'E

North pos [m]: -117.5

East pos [m]: -13.8

Heading [deg]: 48.7

Heave pos [m]: -1.2

Roll angle [deg]: -0.9

Pitch angle [deg]: 0.0

Speed [m/s]: 0.1

Course [deg]: 58.6

Thrusters

Thruster	MTC	Pitch [%]			Direction [deg]		
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Posref / Sensors

	North	East
DGPS1	-100.8 m	2.0 m
DGPS2	-102.5 m	4.7 m
HPR1	-117.5 m	-15.1 m
HPR2	---	---
Artemis	---	---
Fanbeam	-106.1 m	4.3 m
Tautwire	---	---

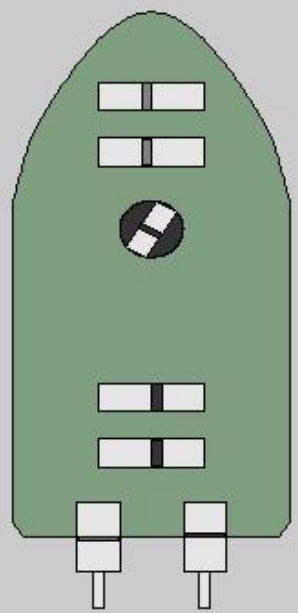
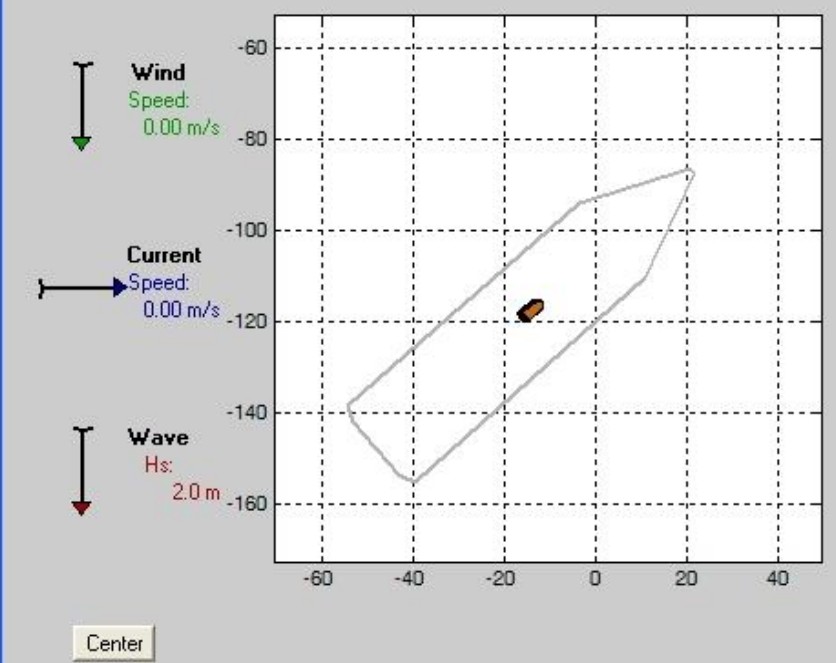
	Roll	Pitch
VRS1	-0.9°	0.0°
VRS2	-0.9°	-0.0°

Heading

Gyro1	49.2°
Gyro2	49.2°
Gyro3	49.1°

	Speed	Dir
Wind 1	0.0 m/s	10.2°
Wind 2	0.1 m/s	10.3°

SensorBypass

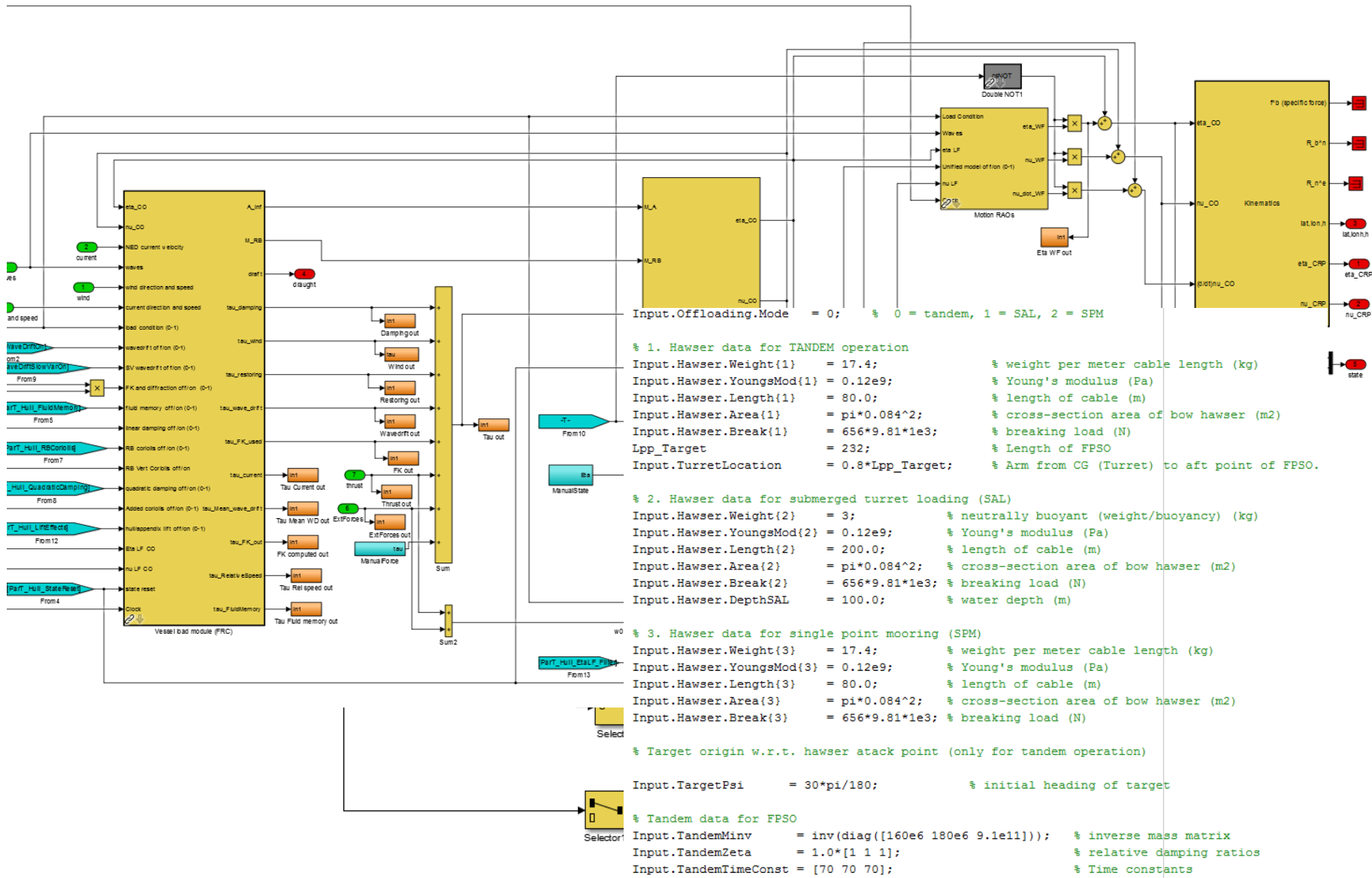


Network status

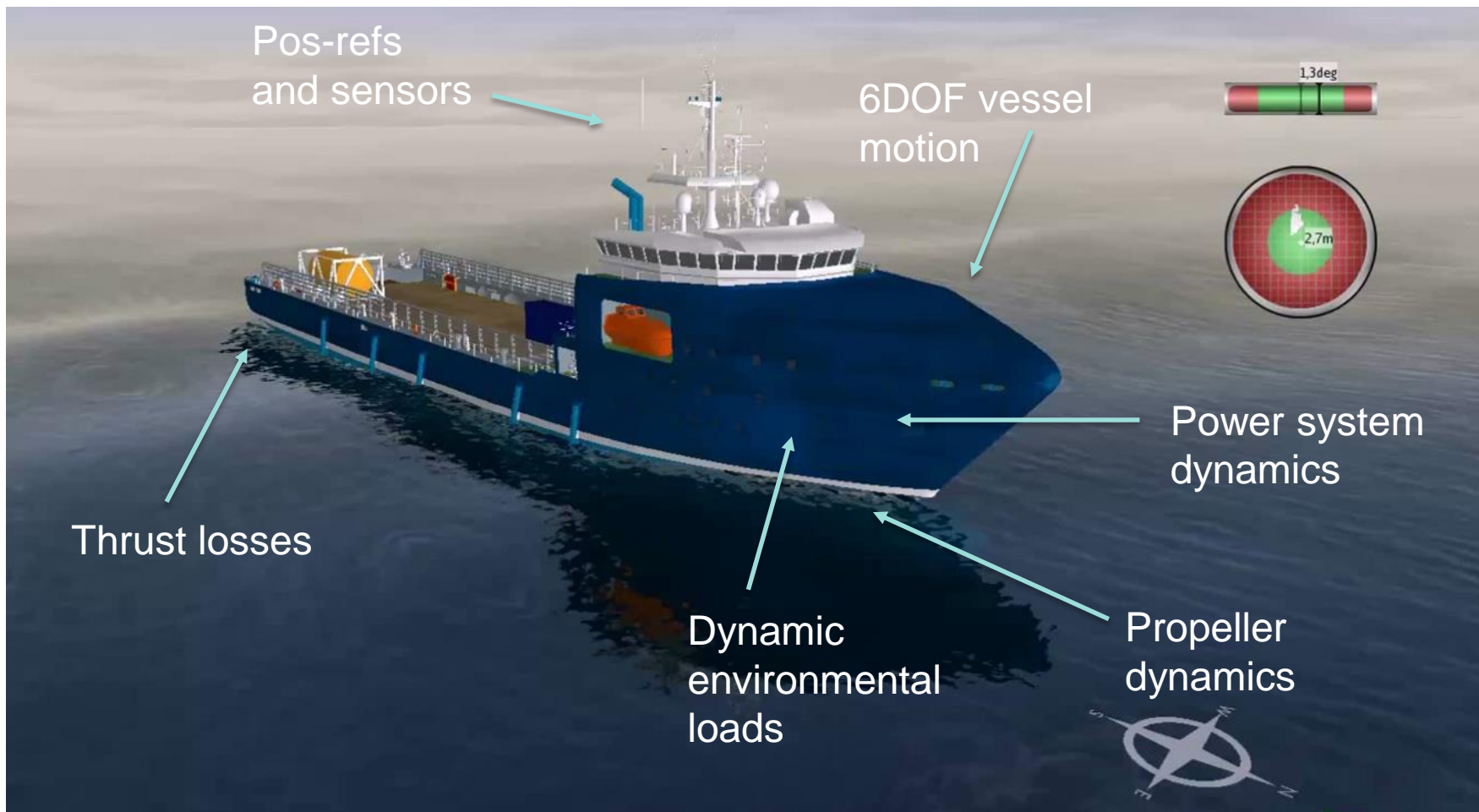
- Net A selected
- Status Net A
- Status Net B



THE FUN STUFF – UNDER THE HOOD

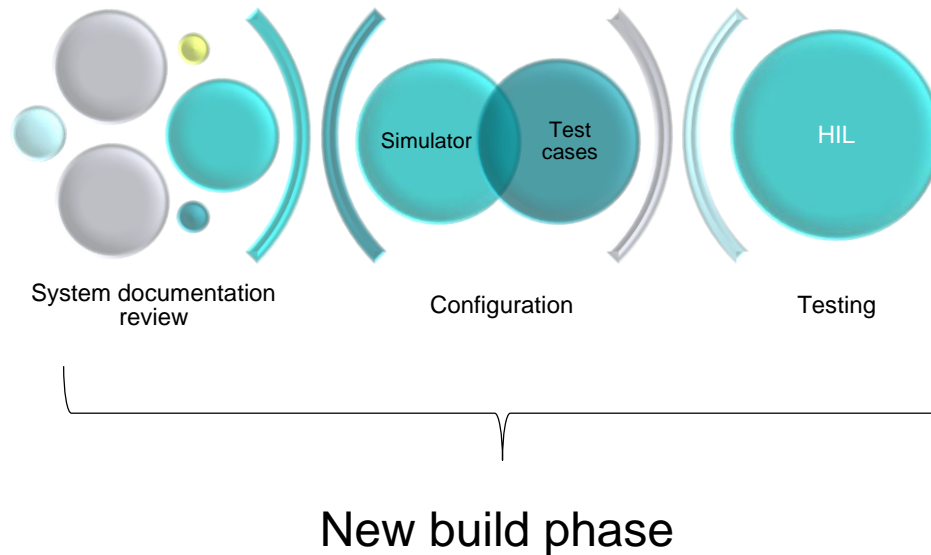


THE CYBERSEA VESSEL SIMULATOR





TODAY – MANUAL HIL TESTING

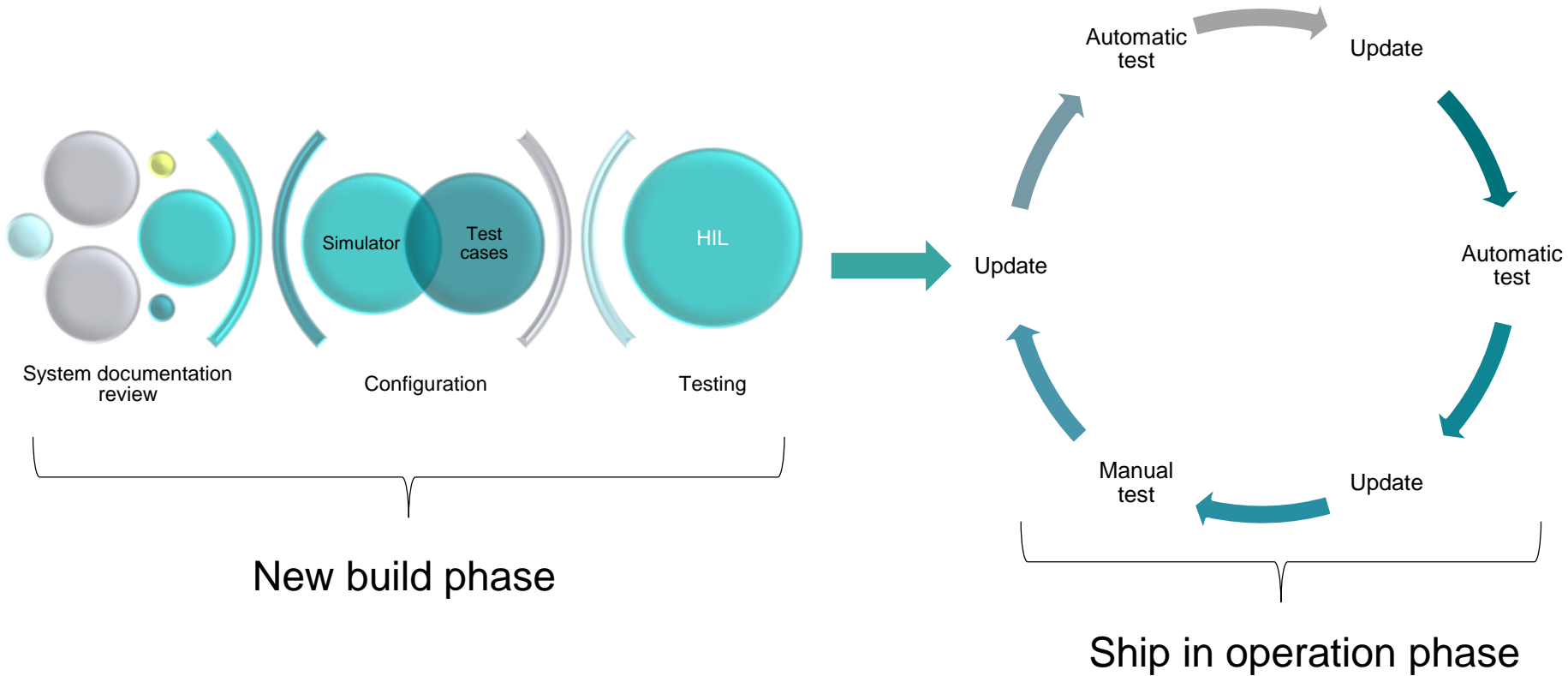


Challenges



WAY FORWARD - MANUAL AND AUTOMATIC HIL TESTING

Solution



Tests | Reports
CyberSea Signature v1.0

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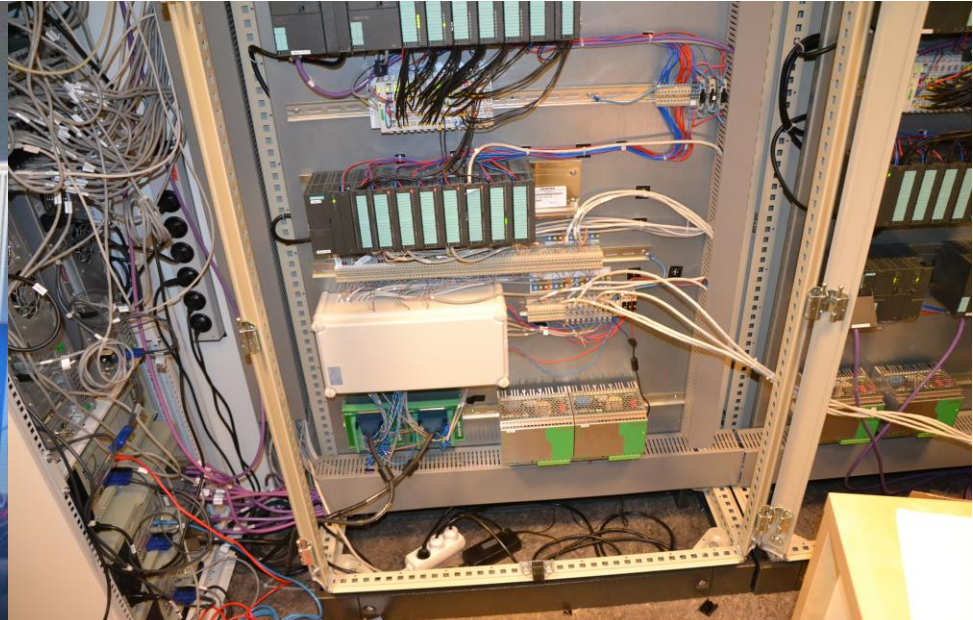
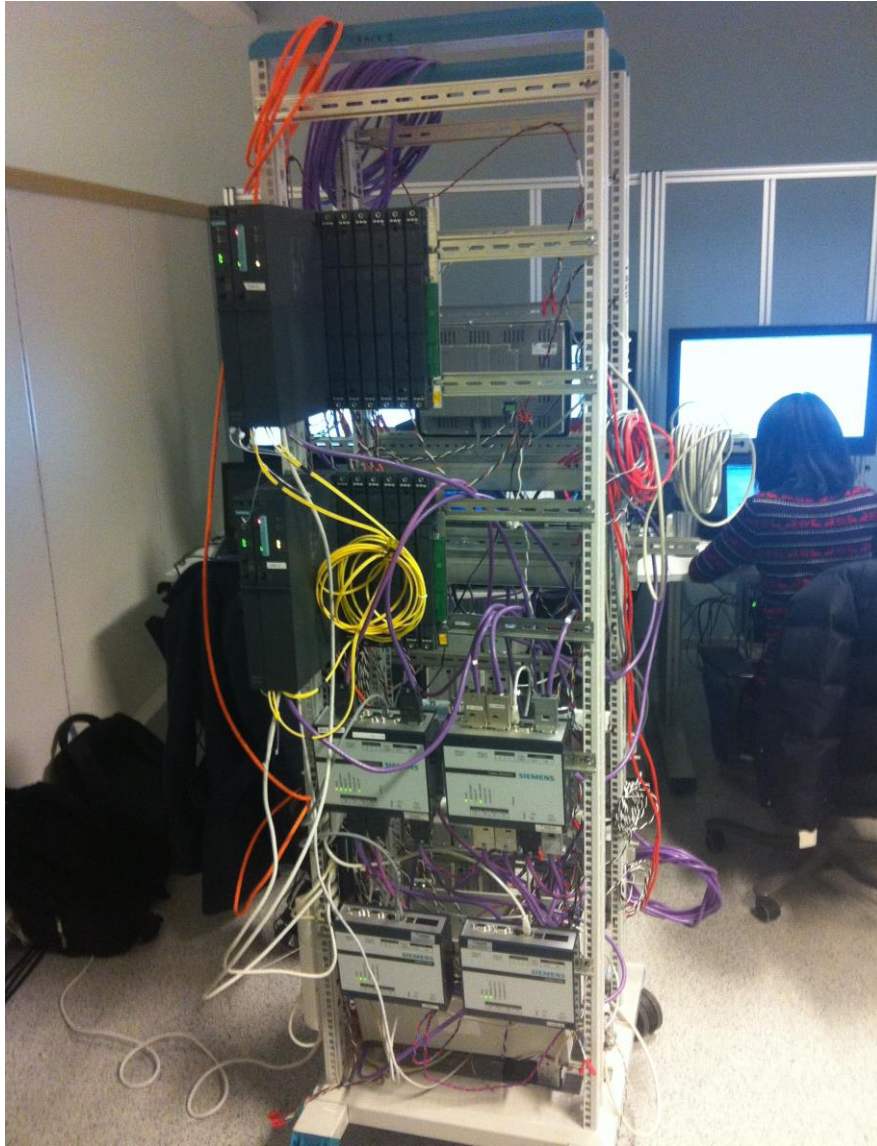
running..

Remaining:
80 minutes, 52 tests

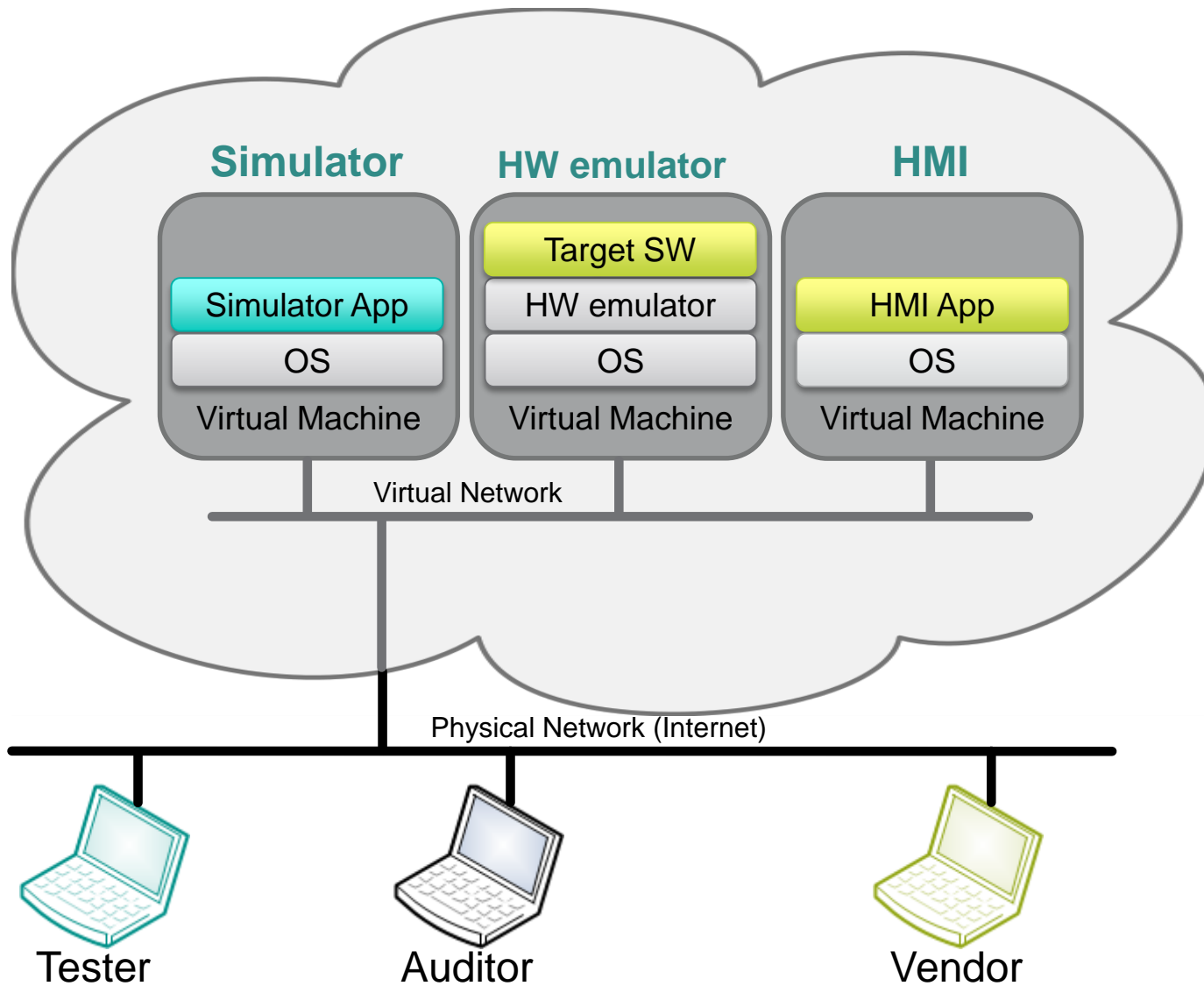
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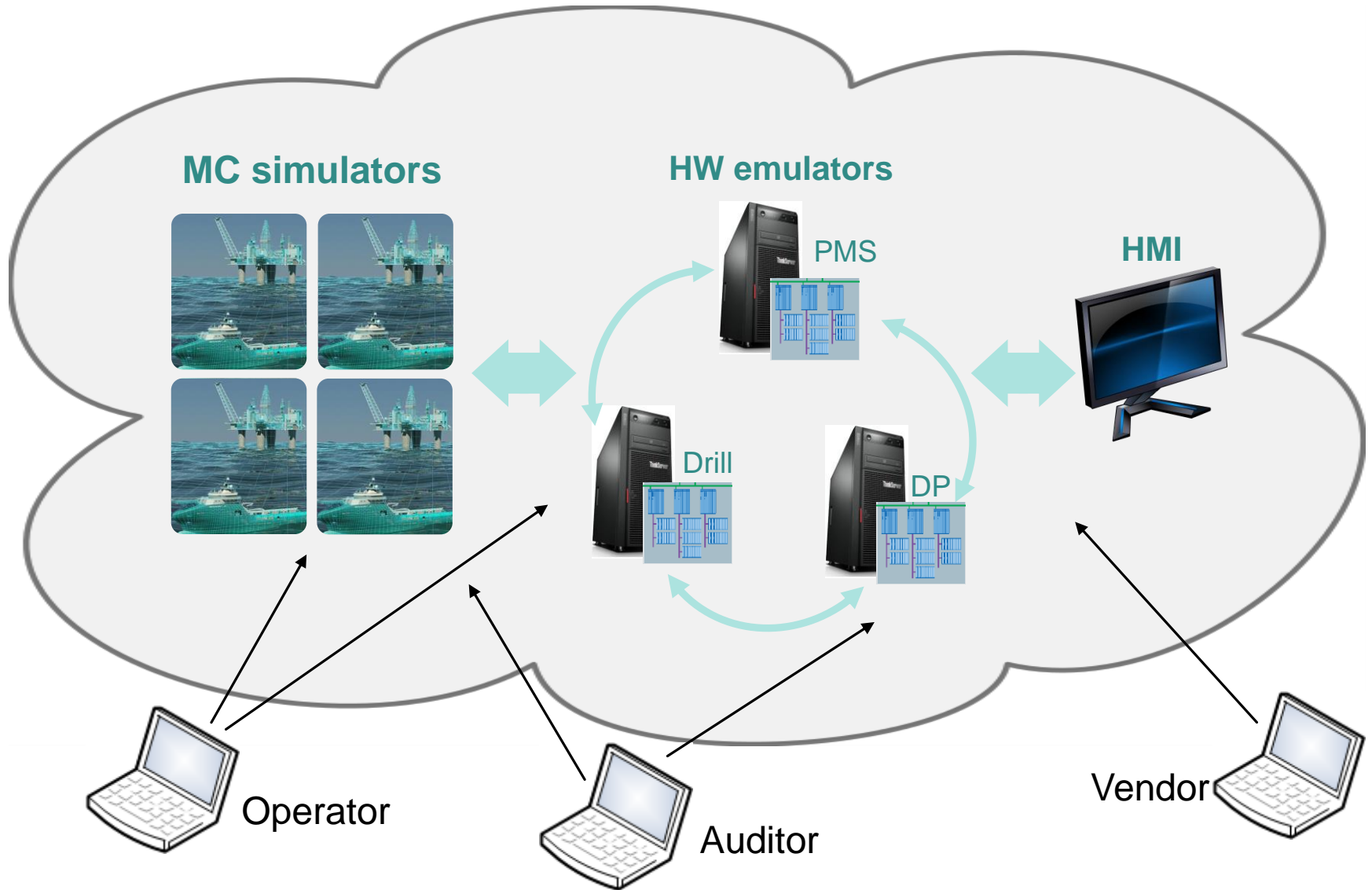
HIL TESTING TODAY – HARDWARE INTENSIVE

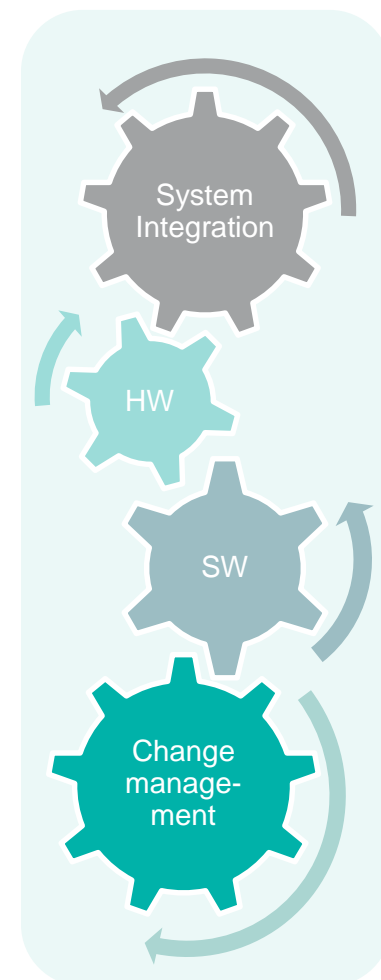
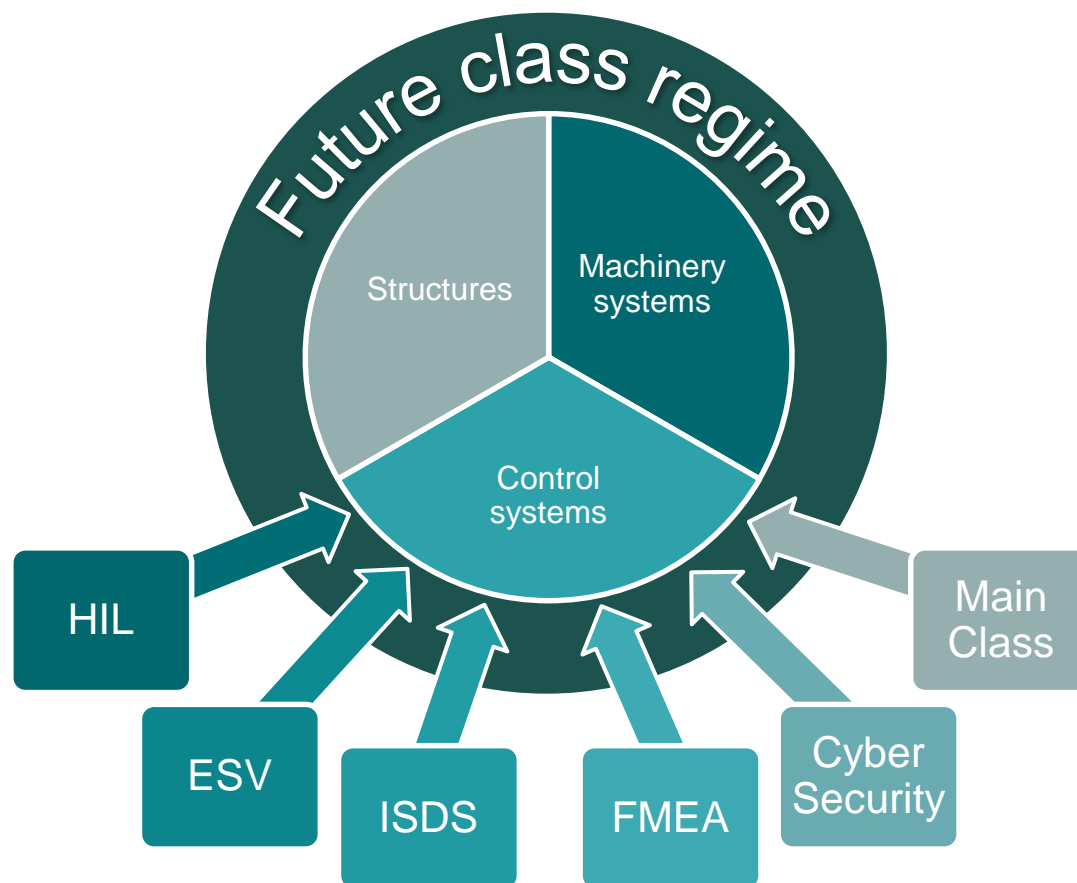


SOFTWARE-IN-THE-LOOP (SIL)



SIL CLOUD SERVICE – VIRTUAL TEST SETUPS







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