





Safety Certification of Software-Intensive Systems with Reusable Components



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Artemis: SafeCer

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- Background Information
- SafeCer Technology & Tools
- Demonstration & Evaluation
- HEV Use Case (AVL+VIF)

- Qualification, certification and verification of (sub-)systems accounts for up to 75% of the development cost
- Component based design (CBD) has proven successful for system development but dependability aspects (e.g. safety) have not yet received full attention
- Techniques for **safety argumentation** exist but lack a unifying modelling and tool framework
- The issues above are present and similar in many industrial domains





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Vehicle EE & Software

(p+n) SafeCer ?



- SafeCer addresses the mentioned challenges
 - SafeCer = pSafeCer + nSafeCer
 - 4YR project 2YR pilot started April 2011
- pSafeCer
 - Started April 1, 2011 (duration 2 years)
 - Focus on solution concepts
 - 23 partners

PSafeCer JU GA 269265 NSaleCer JU GA 295373



- nSafeCer
 - Started April 1, 2012 (duration 3 years)
 - 1 year overlap with pSafeCer
 - Focus on demonstration
 - 29 partners

SafeCer by Country

Austria

 AIT, VIF, AVL, TTTech, Thales Rail Signalling

• France

 AdaCore, CEA-List, Delphi, Magillem Design Services, Thales Communications

• Italy

 Akhela, Fondazione Bruno Kessler, Intecs, ResilTech, Vitrociset

Latvia

 Algorego, Latvian Railways, Riga Technical University

Spain

 GMV Aerospace & Defence, OSATU, Technical University of Madrid, Thales Alenia Space Espania, Traintic, ULMA, University of Montragon

• Sweden:

 CrossControl, Mälardalen University, Quiviq, SP, Volvo CE, Volvo Global Trucks Technology





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Avionics & Aerospace

 GMV Aerospace & Defence, Intecs, Thales Alenia Space Espania, Thales Communications, TTTech, Vitrociset

• Automotive & CE

 AVL, Delphi, ResilTech, Virtual Vehicle Competence Center, Volvo CE, Volvo Global Trucks Technology

Railway

Latvian Railways, Thales Rail Signalling, Traintic

Technology Providers

- AdaCore, Akhela, Algorego, CrossControl, Magillem Design Services, OSATU, Quiviq, ULMA Embedded Solutions
- Research Institutes
 - AIT, CEA-LIST, Fondazione Bruno Kessler, Mälardalen University, Riga Technical University, SP, Technical University of Madrid, University of Mondragon





Overall objectives

- To reduce the cost of qualification, certification and verification
- To provide a framework for compositional development and certification of safety relevant embedded systems

Main idea

- Process and technology that enable composable qualification and certification
- Qualification/certification of systems/subsystems based on reuse of already established arguments for and properties of their parts.

• Main industrial domains targeted:

- Automotive & Construction equipment
- Avionics
- Rail
- Cross-domain







The SafeCer Approach



- SafeCer component (meta) model
 - Based on component meta models from different domains
 - Covering certification properties & contracts from domain specific standards
 - Foundation for a certification framework
- Safety Cases complying to safety standards (e.g. ISO 26262)
 → Top-down process
- Derive the overall confirmation measures for verification and validation → Bottom-up process
 - Evidence gathered by analysis and testing
- Development of a Certification Tool Framework
- Development of a Certification Artefact Repository
- Concrete instantiations and demonstrations



Background: Certification Process





Improved Certification Process





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TECHNOLOGY

- **Co-certification** = Development + Verification + Argumentation
- **Process** integrating development and argumentation
- Component model extended with safety contracts
- Argumentation Composable safety argumentation and gathering of evidence
- Verification and validation integrating testing and formal verification

TOOLS

- Certification Artefacts Repository (CAR)
 - A certification-oriented configuration management system
 - Store certification evidence and end-to-end traceability
- Certification Tool Framework (CTF)
 - Assumption: tight tools integration is not economically feasible
 - Lightweight tool integration metadata exchange
- The CAR and CTF are configured with a process model



Demonstration & Evaluation



- Instantiation of tools and technology
- Rail demonstrators
 - Automatic braking system
 - Safety-system for railway crossings
 - On-board train control and monitoring
 - Aerospace demonstrators
 - On board control system
 - Air-traffic control system











- **Automotive & Construction Equipment demonstrators**
 - Hybrid powertrain controller
 - Autosar basic software modules
 - Construction equipment product-line
- Cross-domain & other domains demonstrators
 - Ethernet switch used in 3 different domains
 - On-line diagnosis component
 - Healthcare demonstrator





Thank you for your attention!

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