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Virtual Homologation of Software-Intensive Safety Systems: From ESC to Automated Driving

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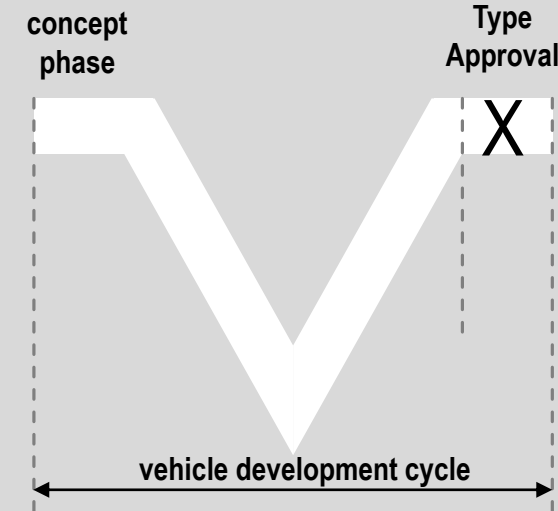
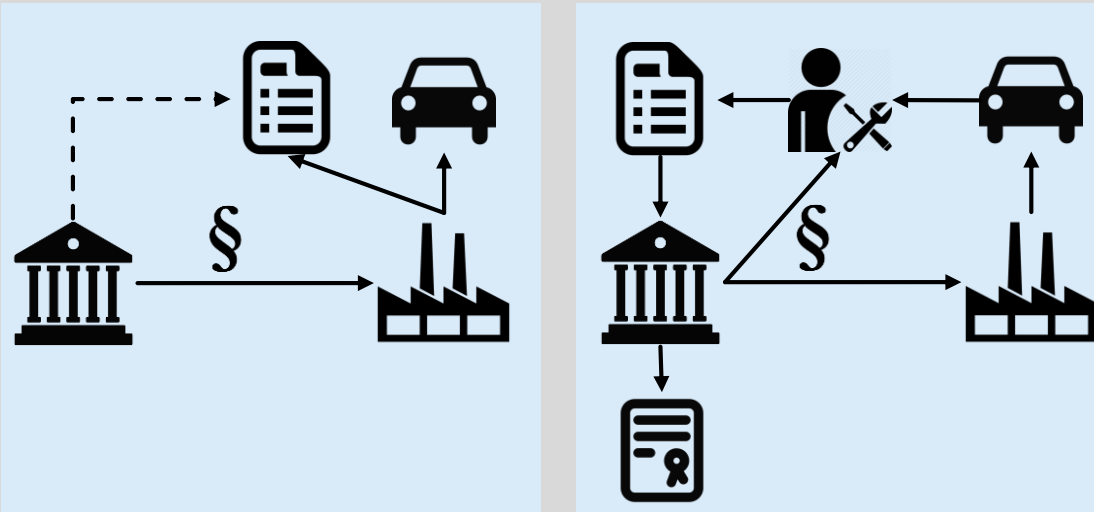
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Definition

Homologation refers to the certification process of a product (vehicle) granting that it complies with all local standards and legal regulations such as safety and environmental regulation.

No homologation → No CoC → No sales

Self certification vs. type approval 3rd party principle

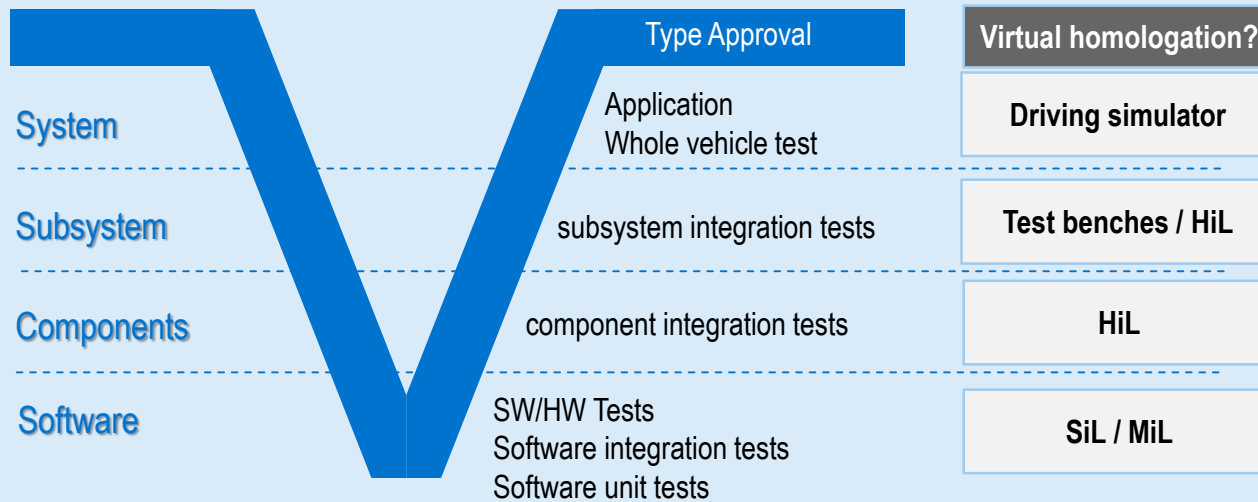


Type Approval in vehicle development

- Last step of development
- Accomplishment of the v-cycle
- legal and technical approval of the concept

- European Union: Directive 2007/46/EC Type approval, tests are based on United Nations Economic Commission for Europe (UN/ECE) procedures;
- North America: Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards (FMVSS) regulations released by the NHTSA;
- Australian Design Rules (ADR) regulations;
- Japan follows UN/ECE regulations and their own Test Requirements and Instructions for Automobile Standards (TRIAS) regulations;
- Other countries that accept or base their own regulation on those mentioned above, following the latest release or previous versions of the regulations.

Using simulation in vehicle development and testing



Simulation is used at different testing levels through the development cycle

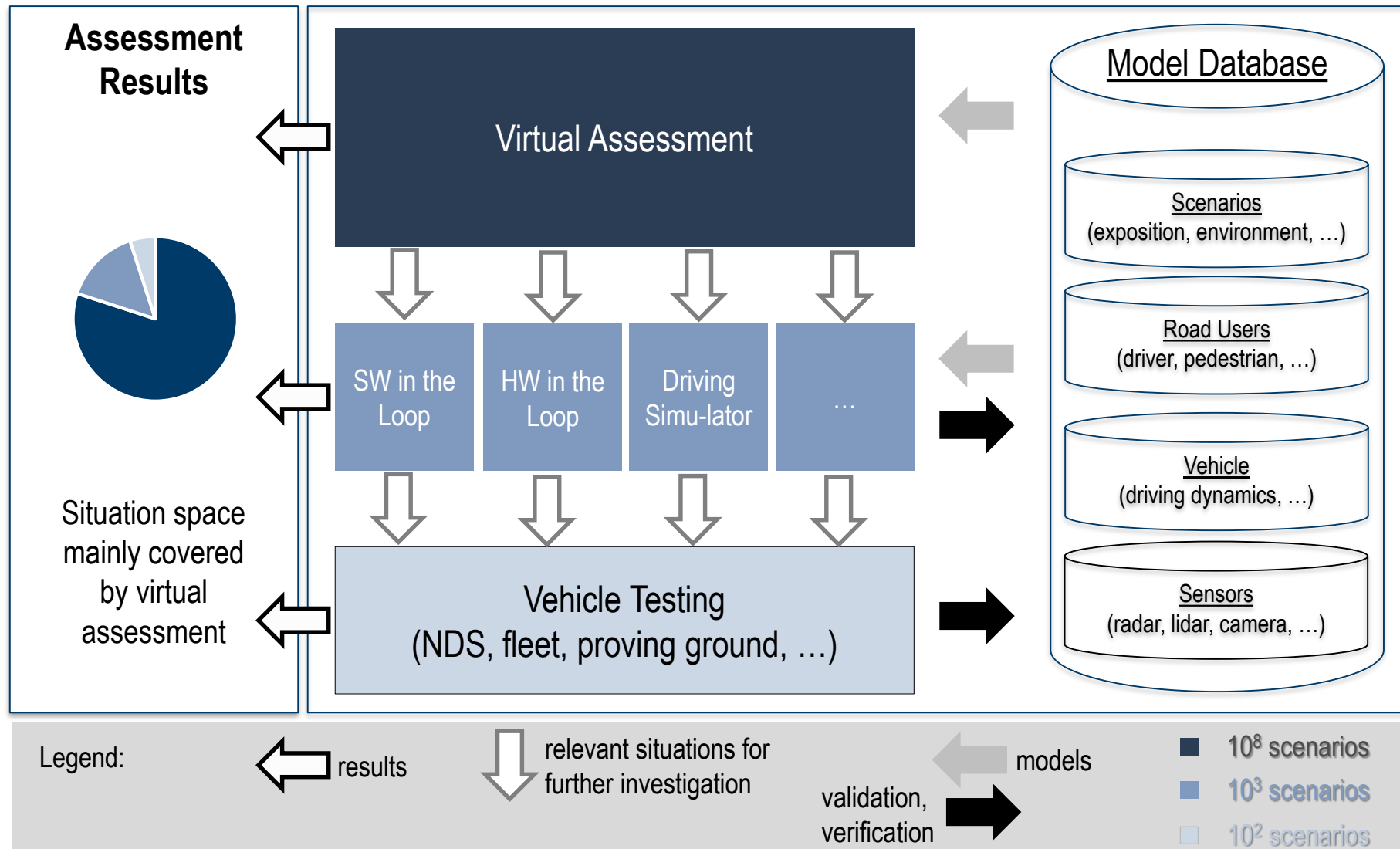
- Software in the loop
- Model in the loop
- Hardware in the loop
- Vehicle in the loop
- Driving simulators

Can Simulation be used in the homologation process?

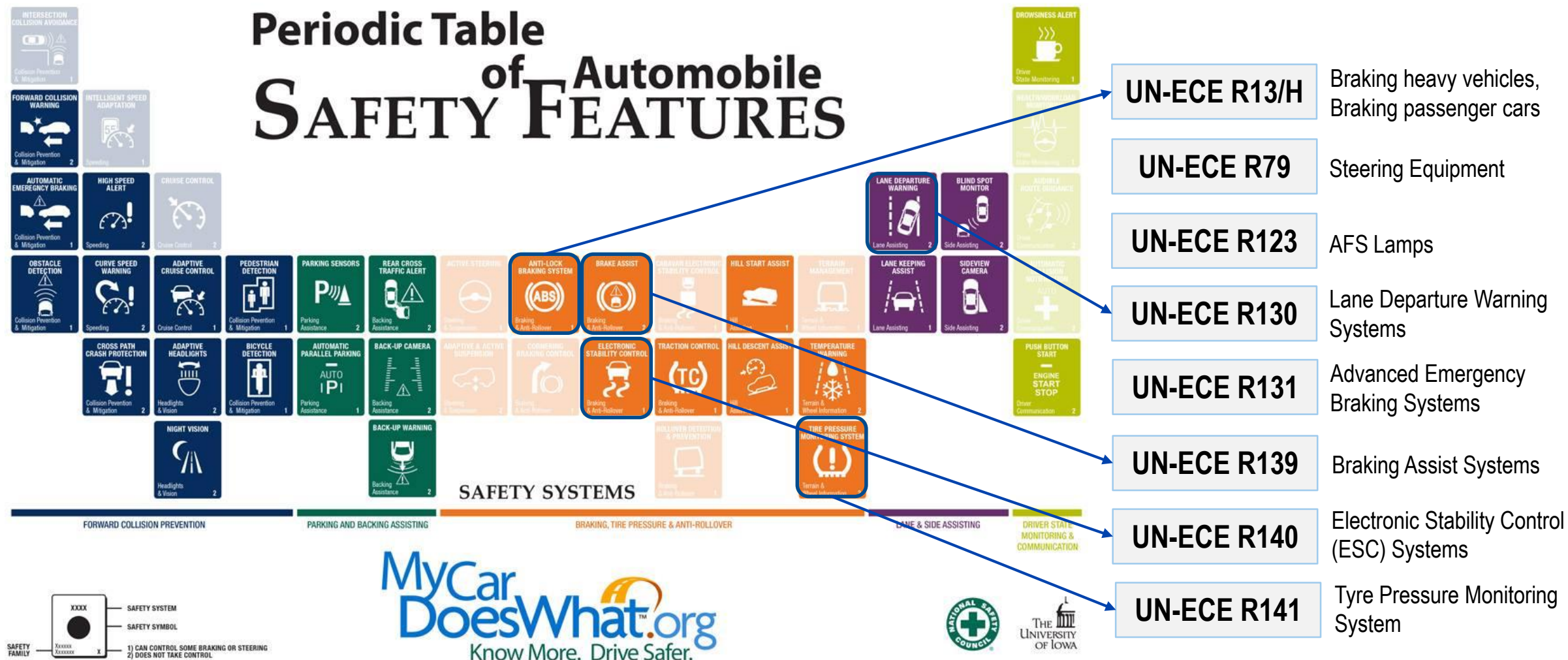
How would an approach look like?

Motivation for simulation (virtual methods) in homologation

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Vehicle variant complexity- Increasing active systems- System complexity | ➡ | <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Huge testing parameter space- not reasonably coverable by physical testing- Limitation of physical testing | ➡ | Highly relevant for ADAS and for automated driving |
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Source: Requirements on tools for assessment and validation of assisted and automated driving systems, Udo Steininger, TÜV SÜD Auto Service, Dr. Hans-Peter Schöner, Daimler, Dr. Mark Schiemetz, BMW



ECE-R 140 allows for simulation methods to support the homologation of electronic stability control systems (ESC)

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Define the vehicle representative of the type to be homologated, and test it under the dynamic maneuvers.

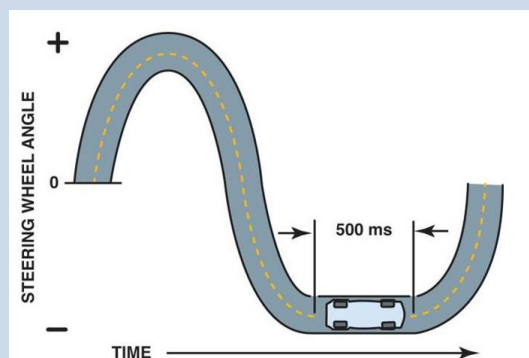
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Generate the vehicle simulation and correlate the obtained data

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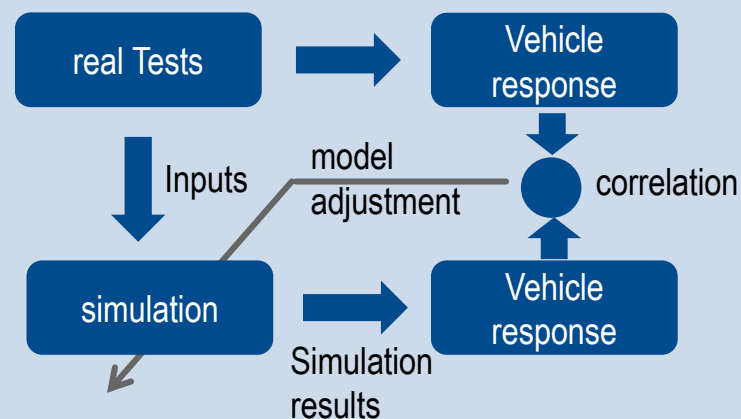
Simulate critical variants

Sine with Dwell (SwD) maneuver

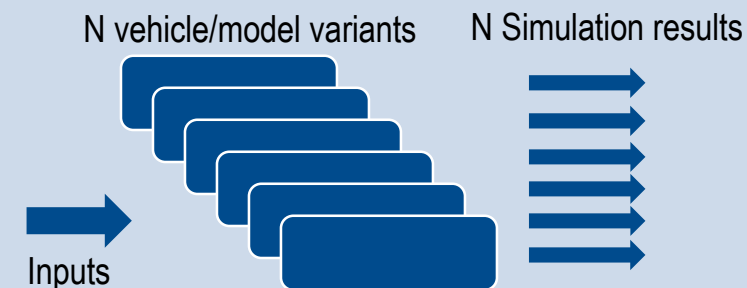


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Approval testing & collecting data

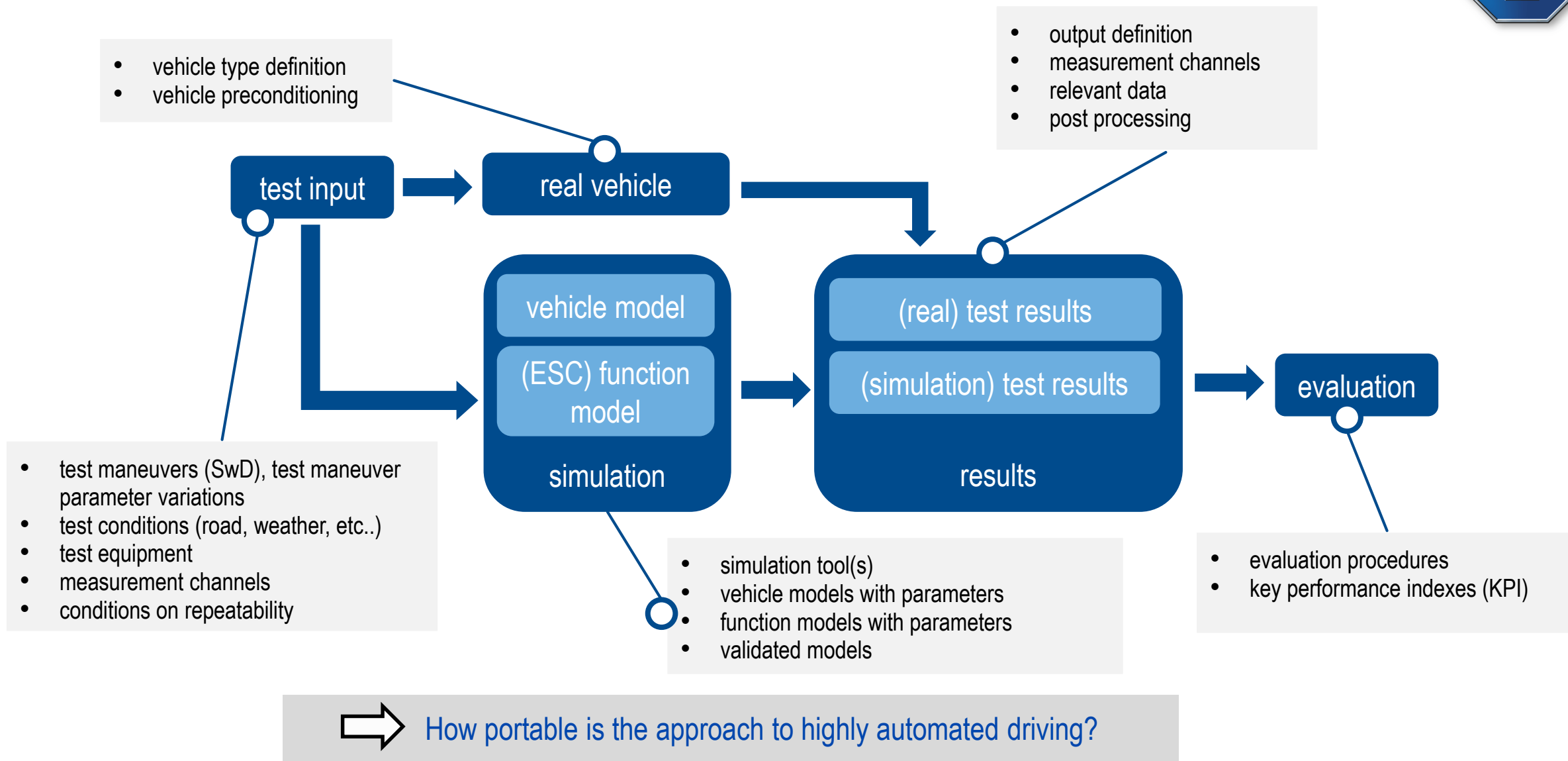


Model validation



Approval & assessment of variants by using validated simulation model

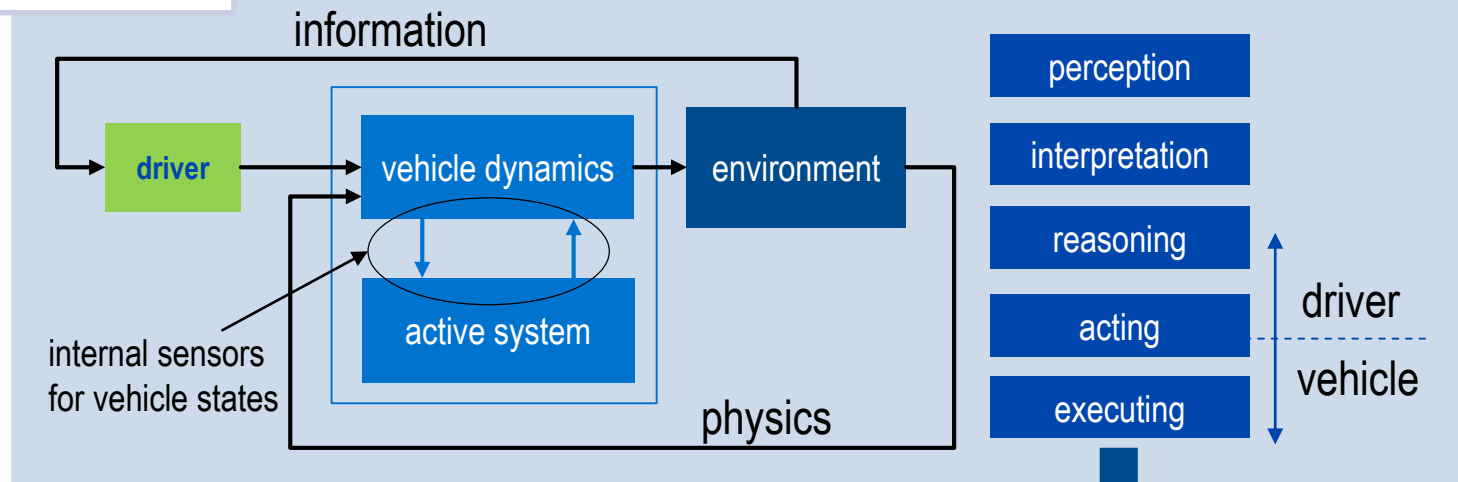
Core Elements of the Simulation Aided ESC Homologation Process



ESC vs. Highly Automated Driving: What Makes the Difference?



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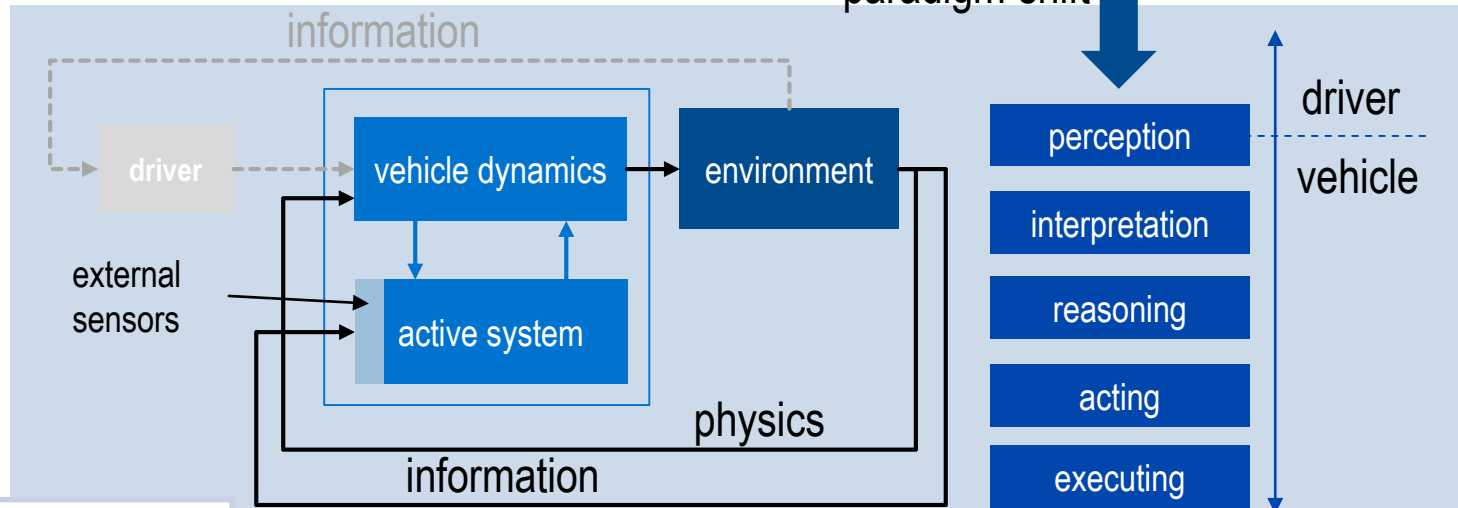


Vehicle parameter variation is sufficient

- principle of homologation remains the same
- new parameter dimensions
- Exploding number of testing parameters and parameter combinations
- Uncertainties increase
- Consequences are more severe

→ Scalable and flexible homologation
→ Simulation aided/supported homologation for HAD functions

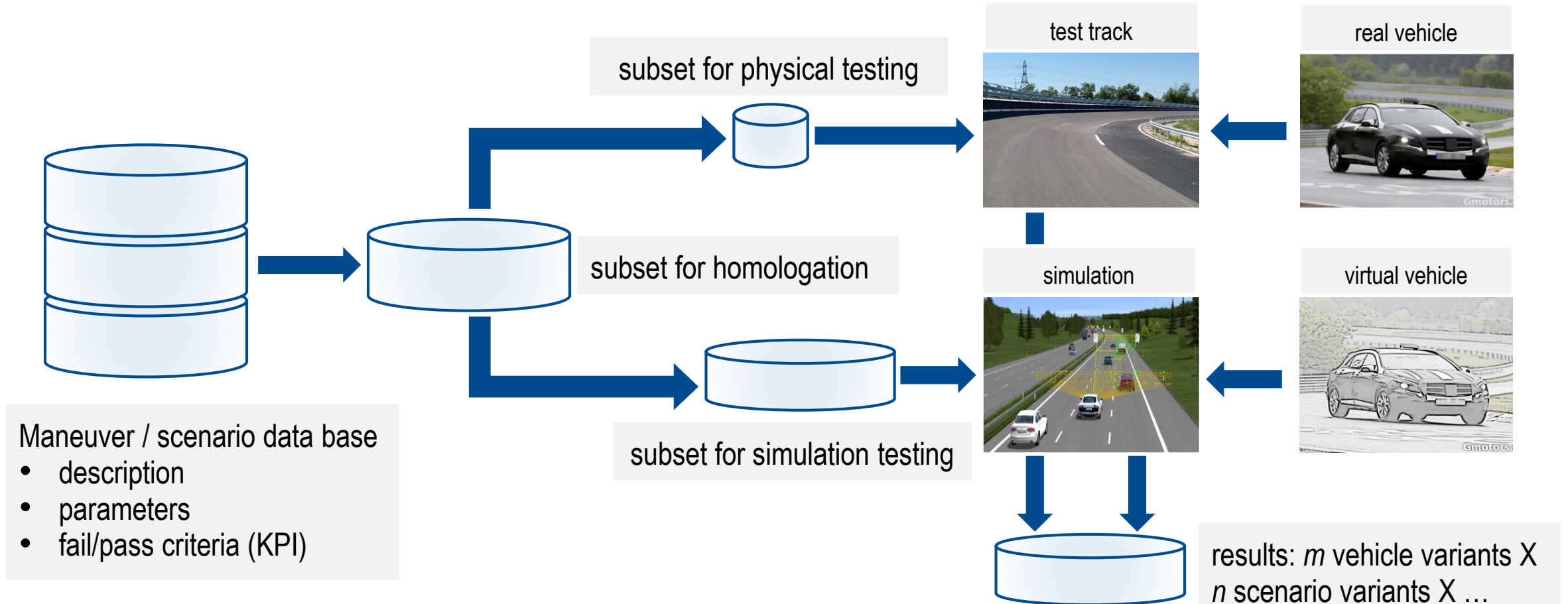
paradigm shift



Vehicle parameter & situation variation are necessary

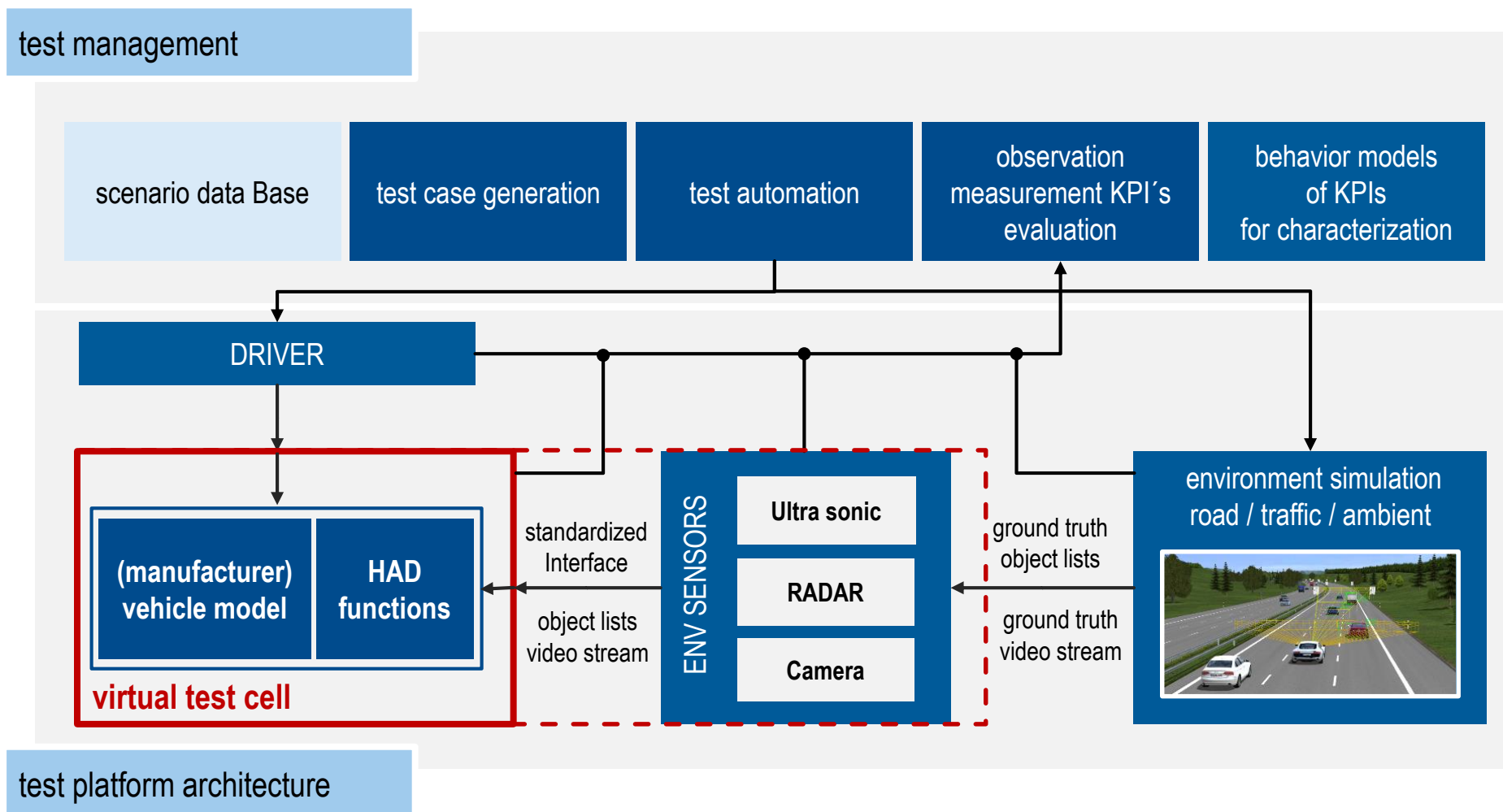
new world

Adopting the Approach of ECE-R140 for Automated Driving



➡ How to bring the virtual vehicle in the virtual test track (simulation)?

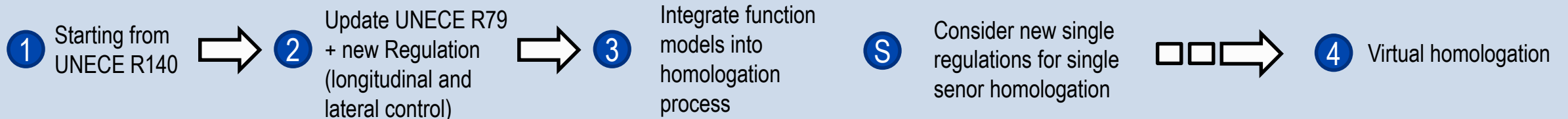
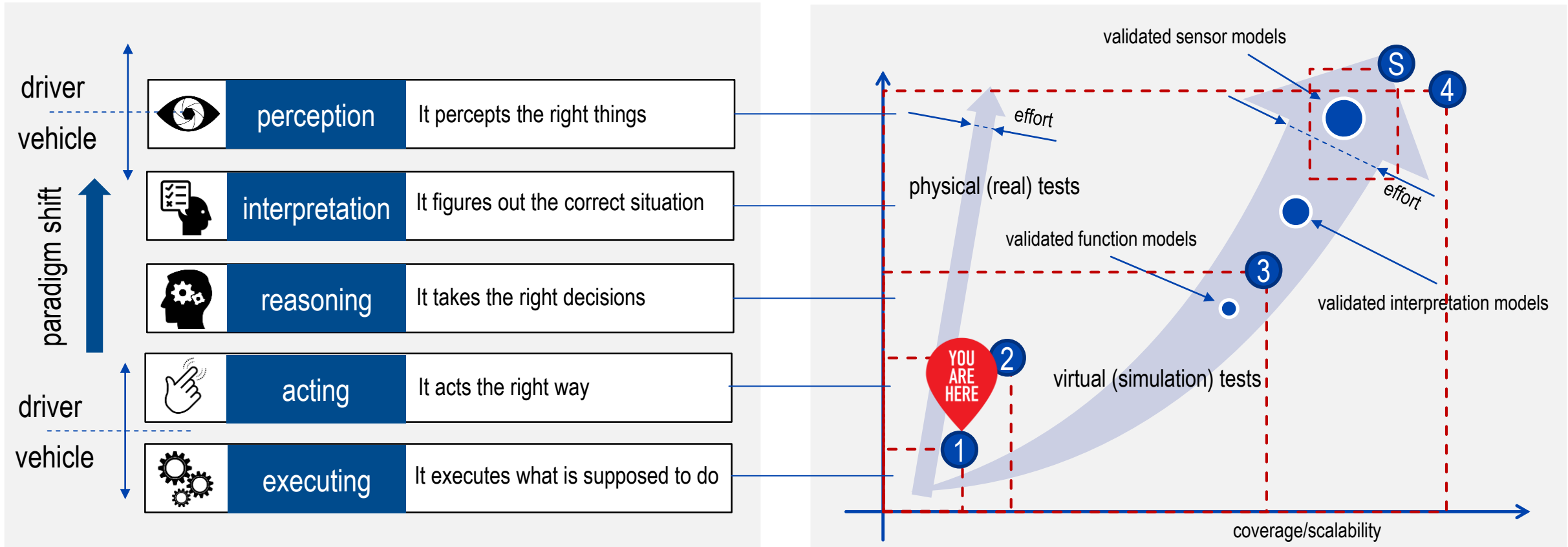
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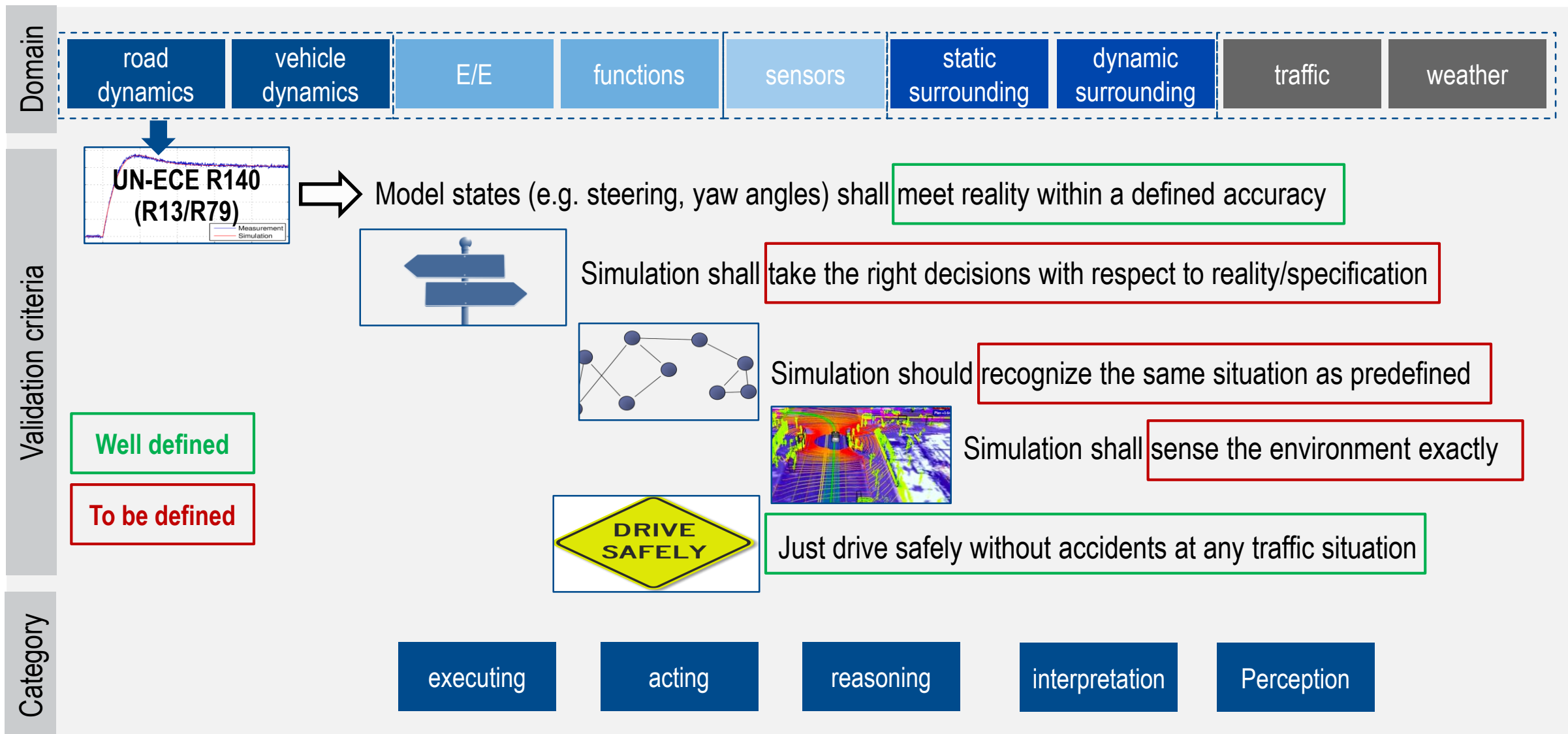
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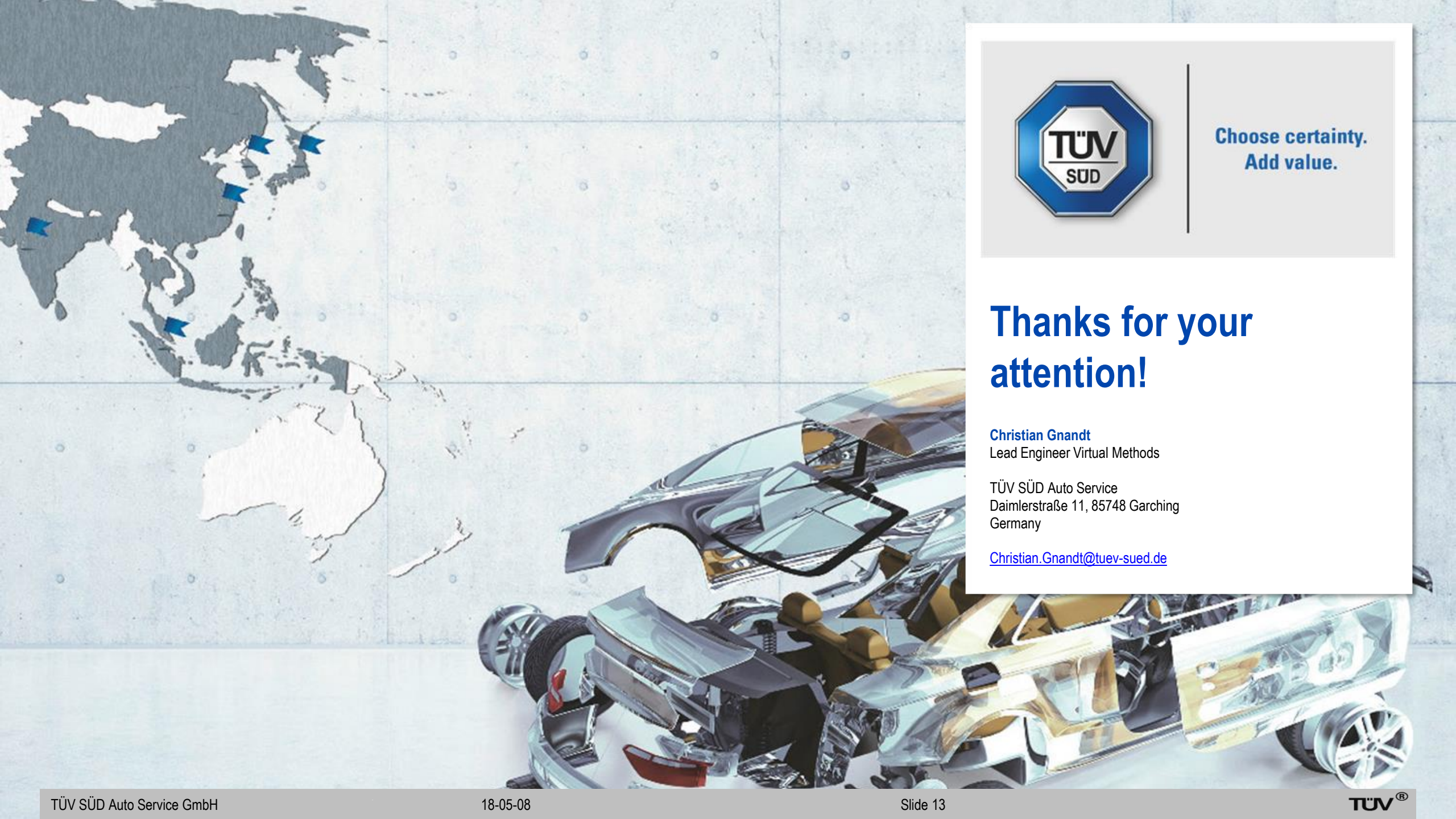


Homologation is about (concept/functionality/principle) verification, but witch kind?



Model Validation: A Mandatory Step towards Virtual Homologation





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Thanks for your attention!

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