# System Validation

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# Outline

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## Course Web Page

`http://www.win.tue.nl/~mousavi/IN4387/`

Check for news, updates, course material and much more!


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# Audience

- Embedded Systems – Master's degree program (year 1) – Compulsory
- Computer Engineering – Master's degree program (year 1) – Elective
- Others?

# Objectives and assessment

## Learning objectives

1. Know the concepts of behavioral specification and equivalence **(Knowledge)**
2. Know the realization of these concepts in mCRL2 **(Knowledge)**
3. Know how to specify logical properties **(Knowledge)**
4. Specify the behavior of embedded systems **(Application)**
5. Experience the design of a provably correct system **(Application)**

## Evaluation method

Items 1-3: Written exams. No material allowed.
Item 4-5: Practical project

# Examination(s)

Theory:

- E1 End of Quarter 1, 8-11-2012, 14:00-17:00
- E2 Resit: End of Quarter 2, 30-01-2013, 14:00-17:00

Do register using Osiris.

Practical project P (compulsory, no pass without the project)

$$M = \frac{Max(E1, E2) + P}{2}$$

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| First deliverable | October 5: Report including requirements, interactions and architecture |
| cond deliverable | October 19: Report (complete structure) |
| Final deliverable | November Report, source files for models, and reflections |

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- Inspired by the packet storage system, by Vanderlande Industries
- 5 controllers for elevators, conveyor belts and racks
- Several requirements: deadlock freedom, avoiding clash, maximum efficiency

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No extra functionality, unless strictly needed.

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Make design decisions, when needed, but keep them:

- consistent,
- motivated, and
- documented.

# Reading material

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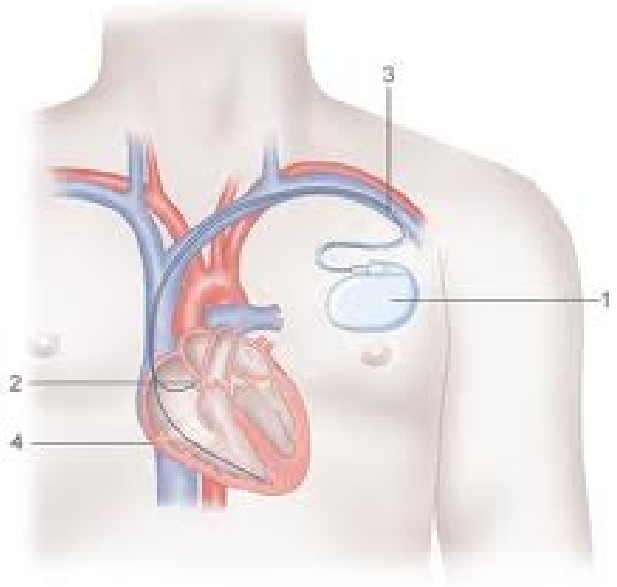
| Course Notes | J.F. Groote and M.R. Mousavi. Modelling and Analysis of Communicating Systems, 2011. (Mandatory, available on the course page.) |
| Slides | Available on-line (after each session) on the course page. |
| Chapters | Chapters 3b-6 of L. Aceto, A. Ingólfsdóttir, K.G. Larsen, and J. Šrba. Reactive Systems: Modelling, Specification and Verification, Cambridge University Press, 2007. (Recommended) |
| Book | W.J. Fokkink, Introduction to Process Algebra (2nd edition), April 2007 (Recommended) |

# Software at Your Heart...

XYZ Medical Inc. said Thursday that it has identified a glitch in software used to program three of its pacemaker models.

XYZ said it has not received any reports of deaths of clinical complications resulting from the glitch, which appears in about 53 out of every 199,100 cases.



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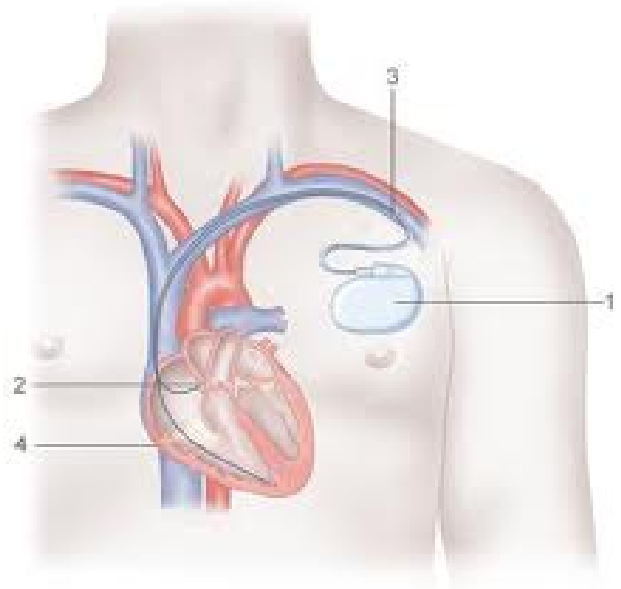
At least 212 deaths from device failure in five different brands of implantable cardioverter-defibrillator (ICD) according to a study reported to the FDA ... .

[Killed by Code, 2010]



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1.5 Mil.USD


6 Mil. USD

## Why Formal?

- Mathematics: source of precision in all engineering disciplines

## Why Models?

- Common practice in all mature engineering disciplines
  (imagine building the Empire State or a Boeing 747 without a model)
- Provides the basis for calculation, reasoning, sanity- and consistency-check
- Closes the gap between phases: software development as model transformation

## Why Verification?

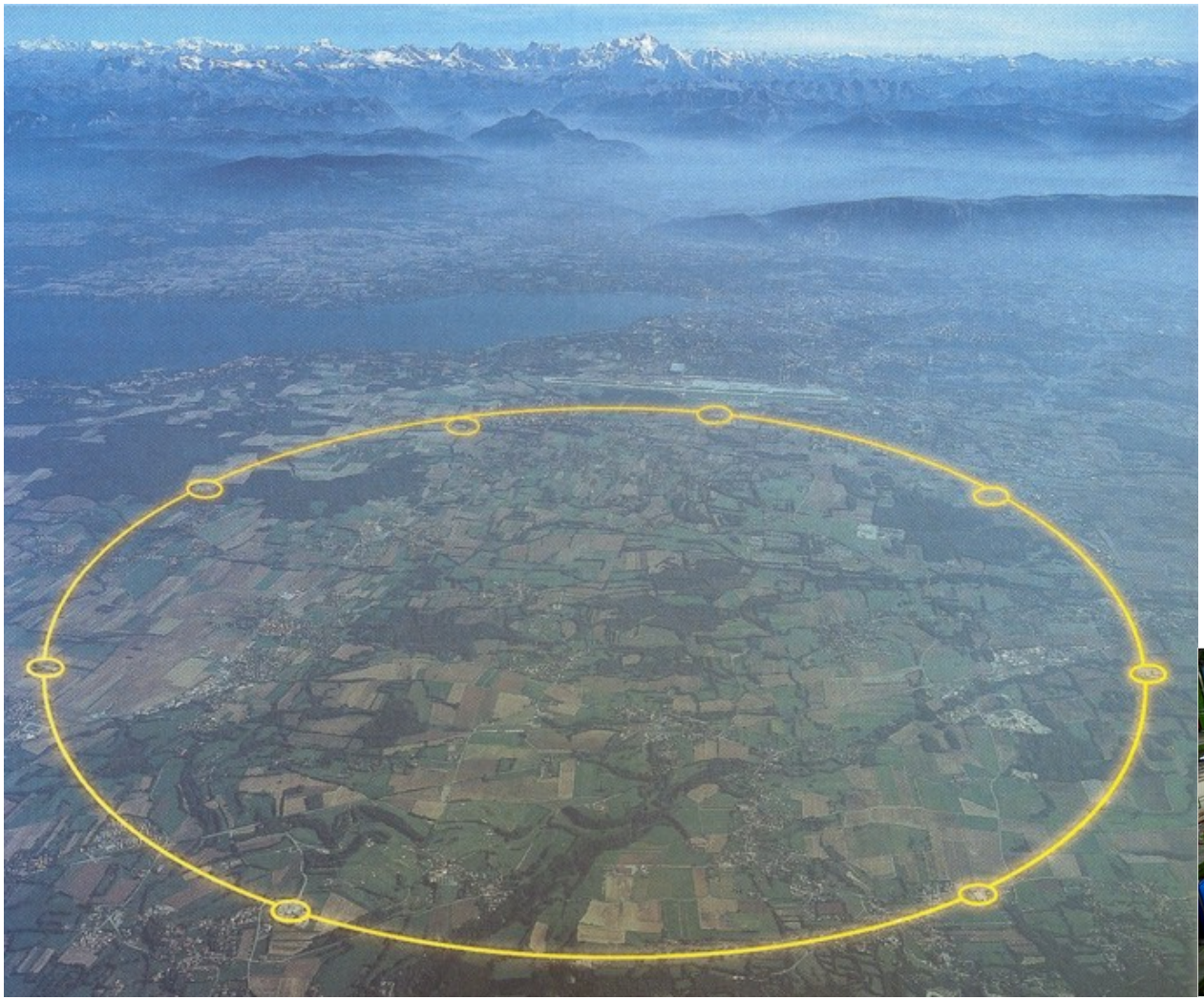
- Can be used for several purposes: e.g., code generation, testing and verification
- Verification provides a precise proof of correctness
- Your verification results are as good as your models

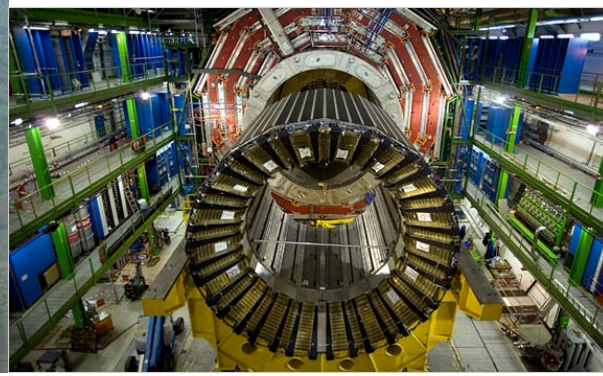
# Subject Matter

- Application,
- Tools, and
- Theory of

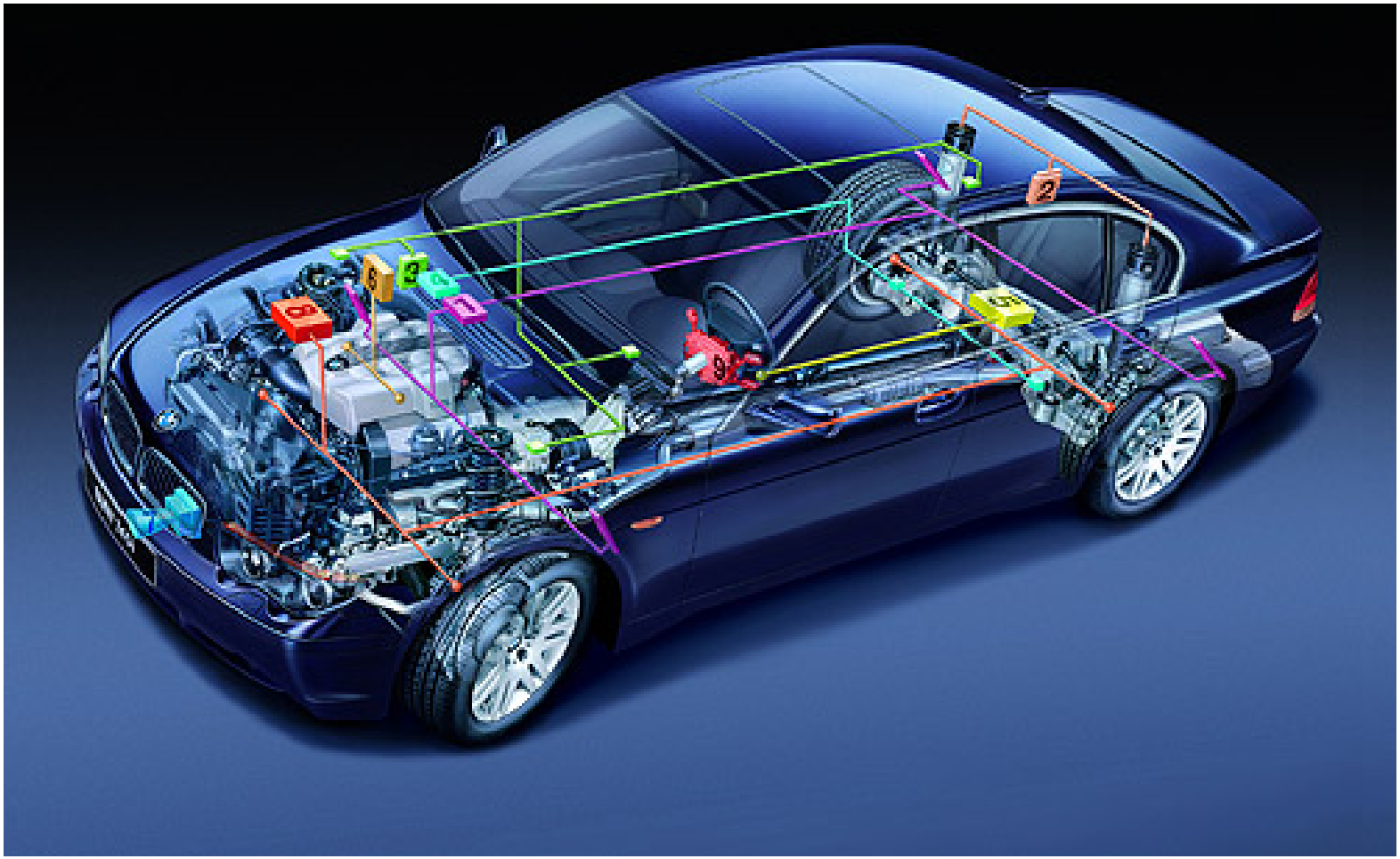
proving system correctness with respect to abstract properties.

# Applications: CERN Hadron Collider



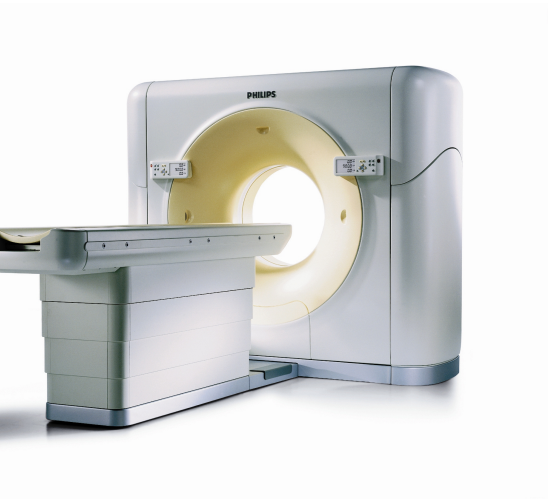


# Applications: FlexRay Protocol

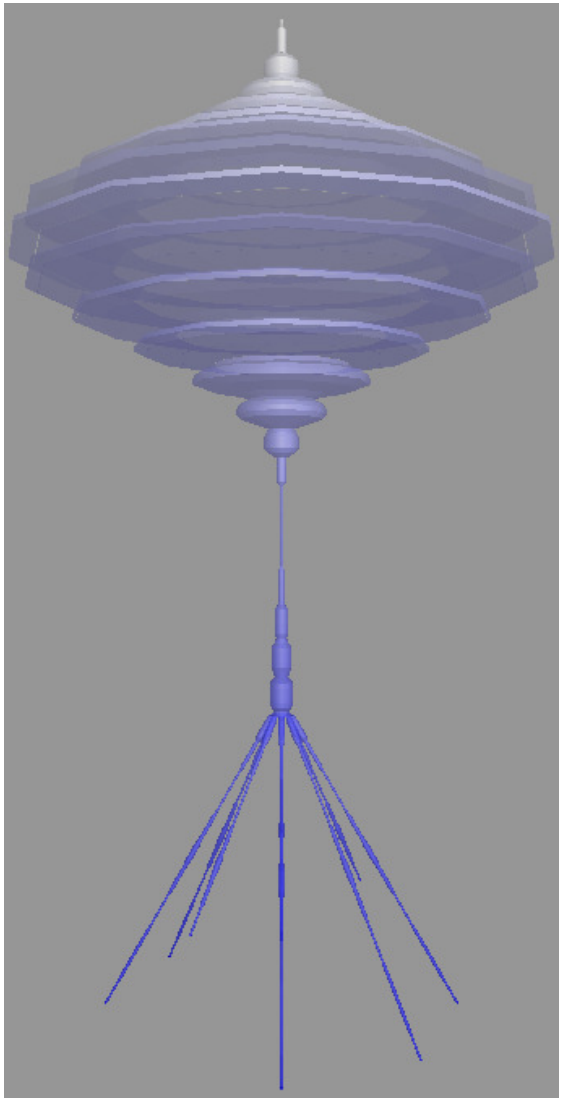


# Applications: ASML Wafer Stepper

# Applications: Many Others




# Tool: mCRL2



See: `http://www.mcrl2.org/`

# General Outline

## Plan

September 4 Introduction, Behavioral Equivalences

September 12 Behavioral Equivalences

September 19 Abstract Data Types

September 26 Sequential Processes: Theory

October 3 Sequential Processes: Reasoning and Examples

October 10 Parallel Processes: Theory

October 17 Parallel Processes: Reasoning and Examples

October 24 Modal mu-Calculus

# Thank you very much.

Questions?