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# Key MBSE Enablers with Examples

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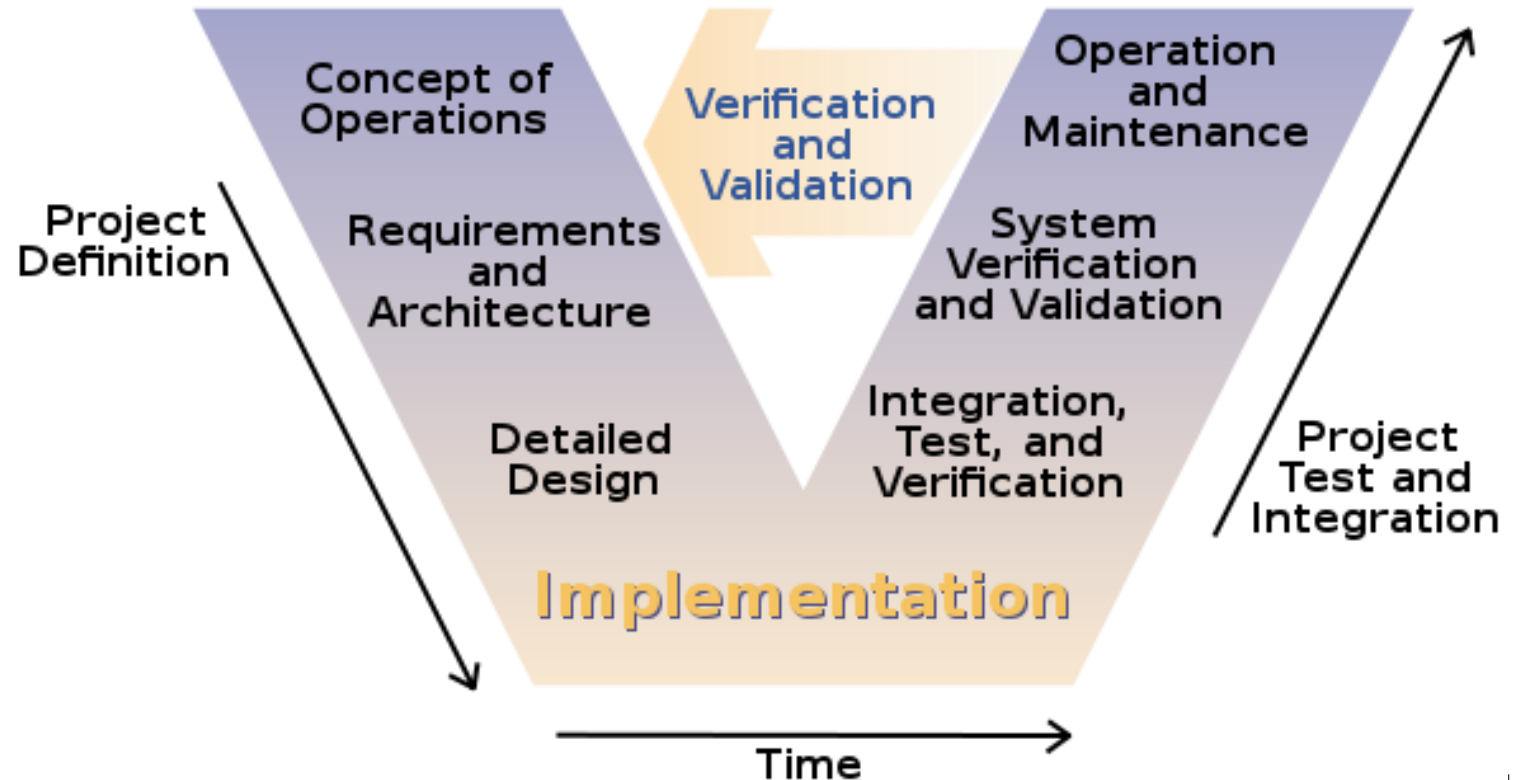
# Agenda

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- Model Based Systems Engineering (MBSE) Description
- MBSE Environment and Enablers
- Example Model Using Enablers

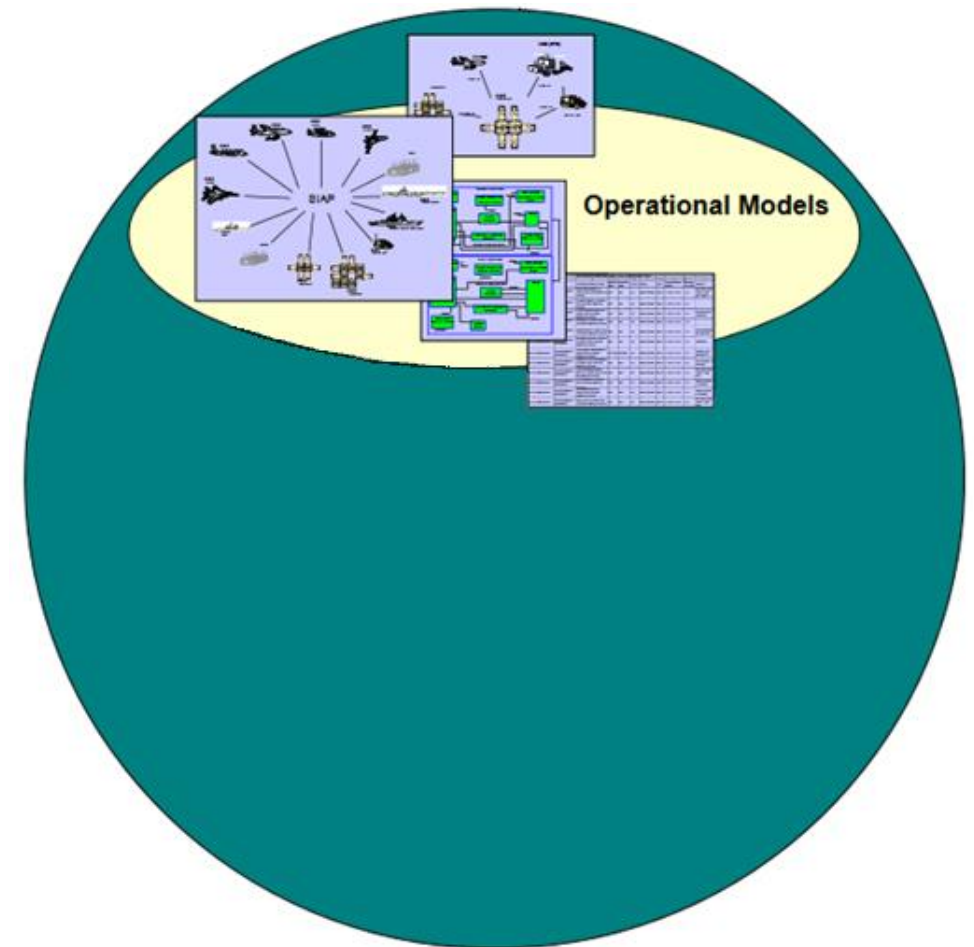
# Systems Engineering

- Traditional requirements-based designs have Undesirable Effects over the product lifecycle:
  - Incorrect
  - Incomplete
  - Uninformed
  - Ambiguous
  - Infeasible
  - Unverifiable



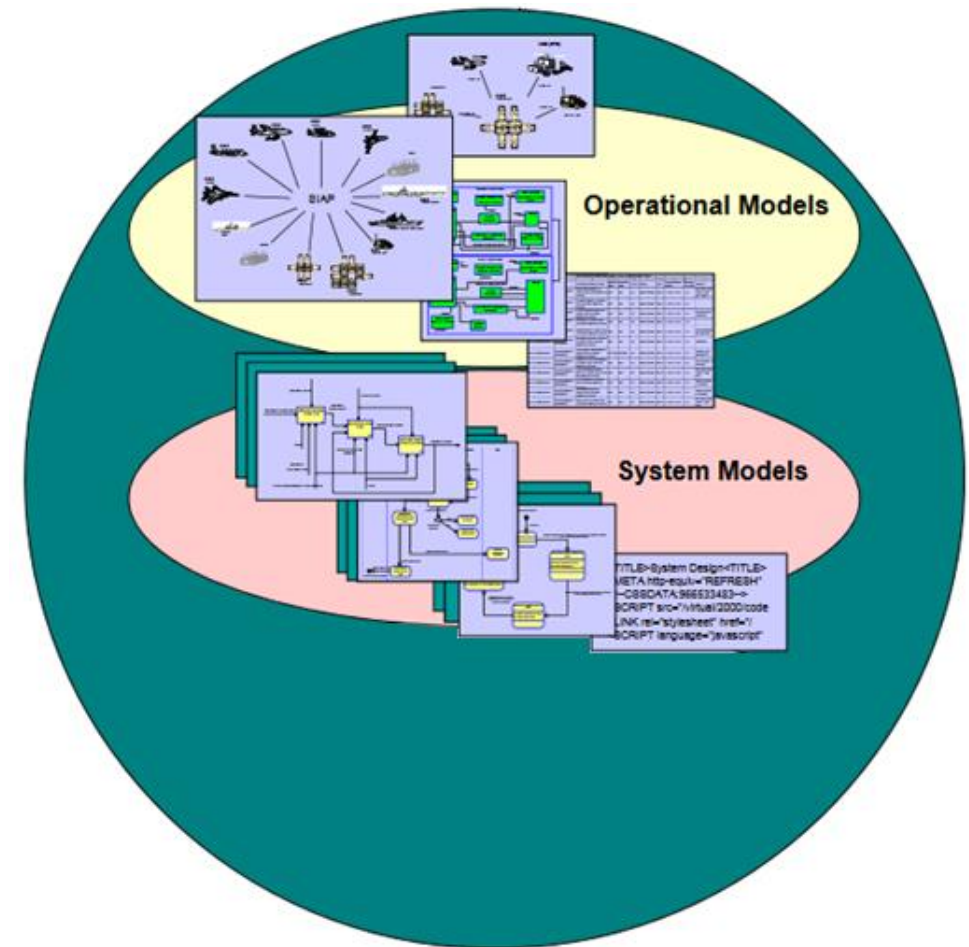
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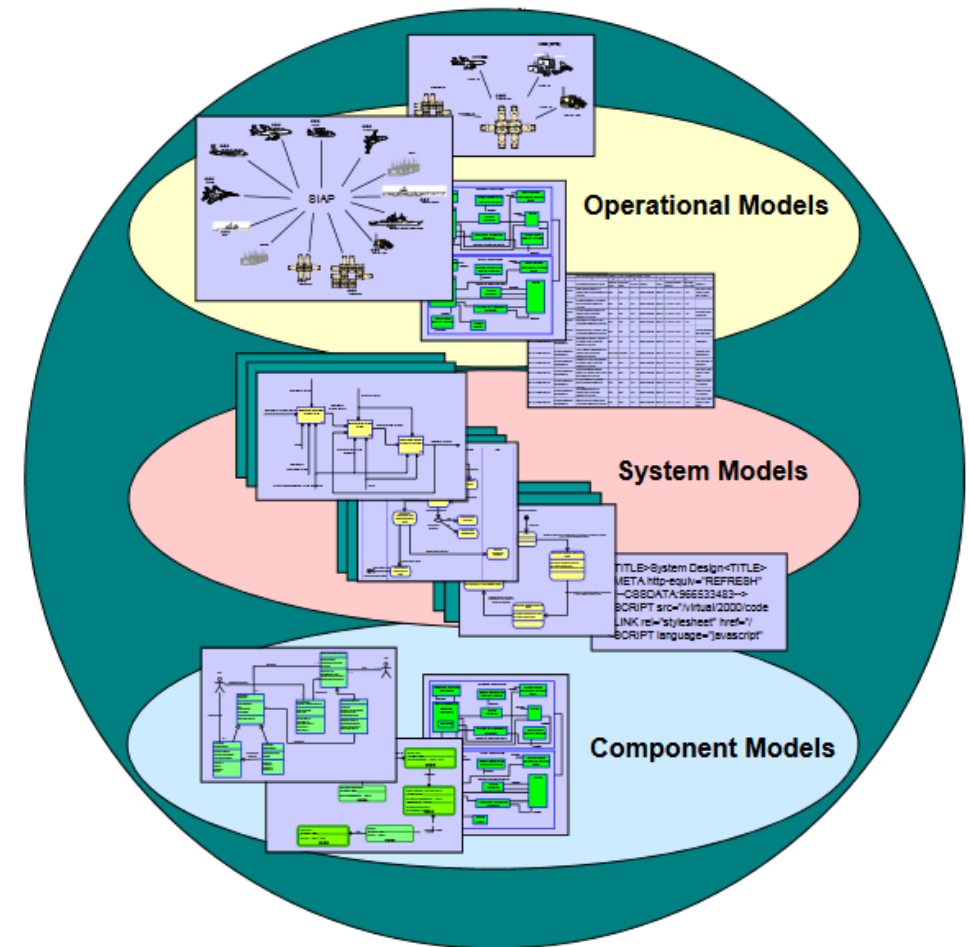
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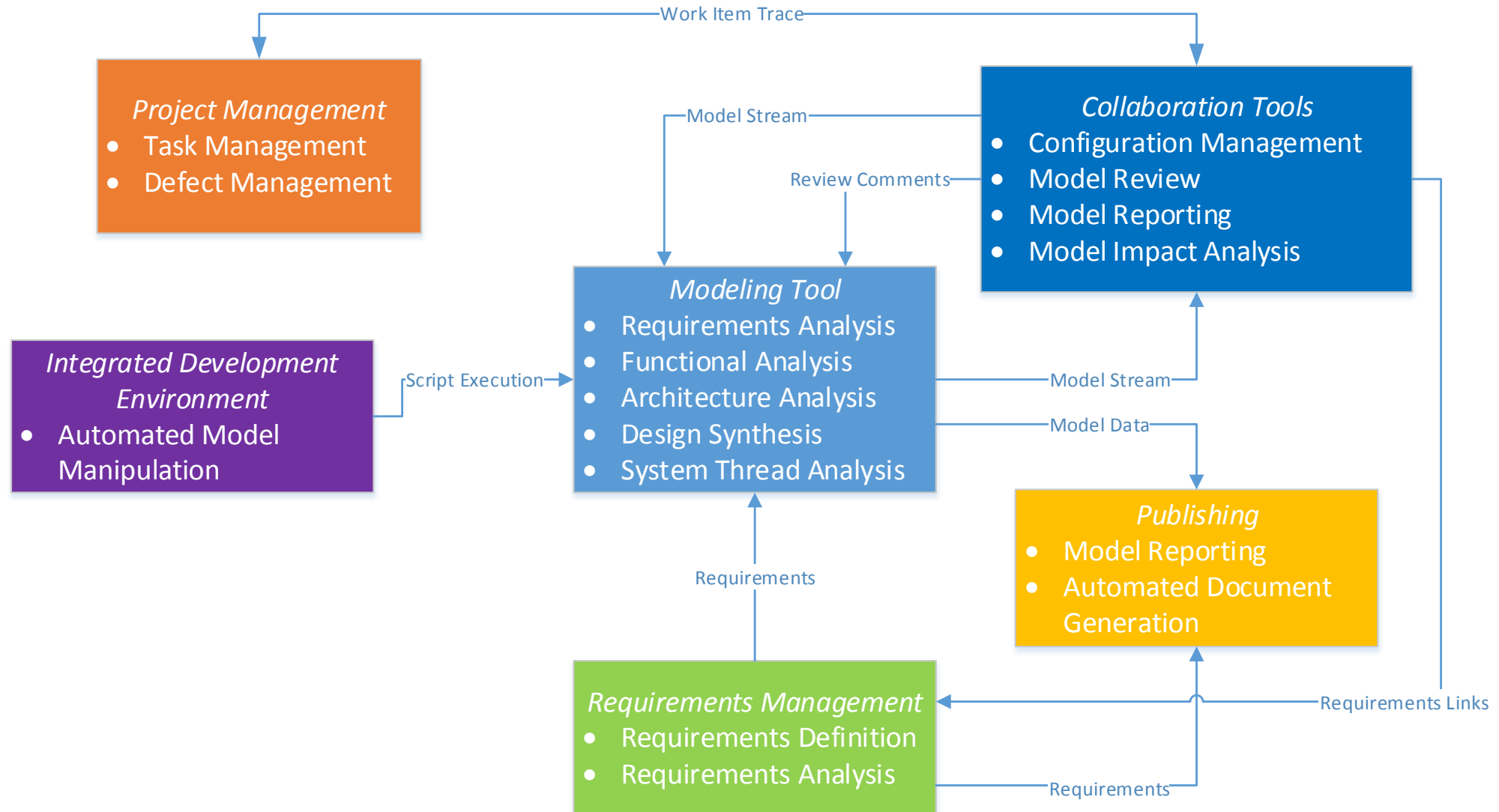


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# MBSE Environment





# MBSE Impact on Design Methodology

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- **Design Efficiency**
  - Consistent approach to MBSE
  - Stricter Analysis
- **Enhanced Communication and Knowledge Transfer**
  - Ease complexity management and understanding
  - Graphics and flowcharts are less convoluted than requirements specifications
- **Improved Design Quality**
  - In-phase defect detection
  - Defect reduction
  - Configuration Management

# Enablers Supported by MBSE Environment

- **Modeling Enabler/Methodology**

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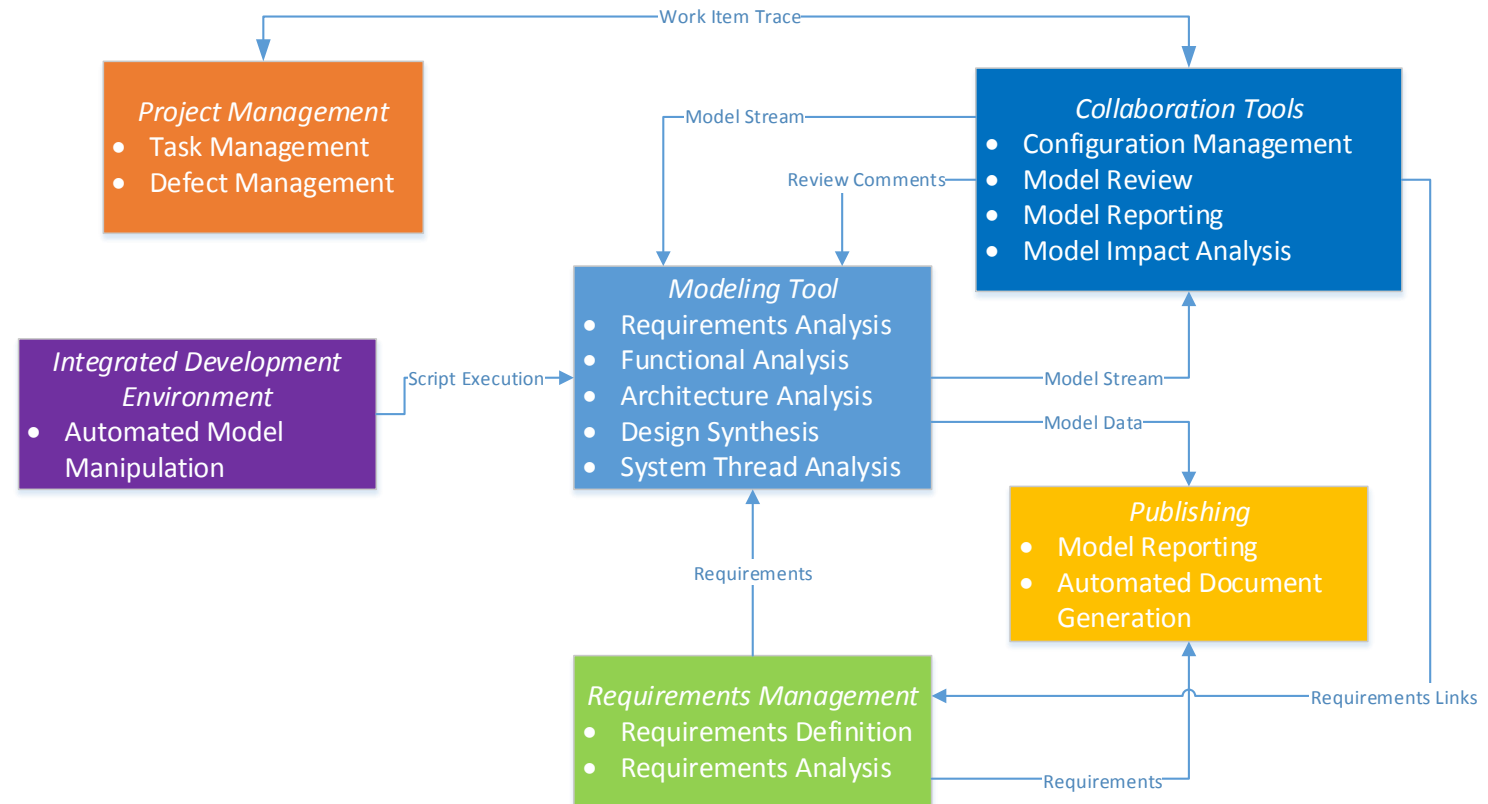
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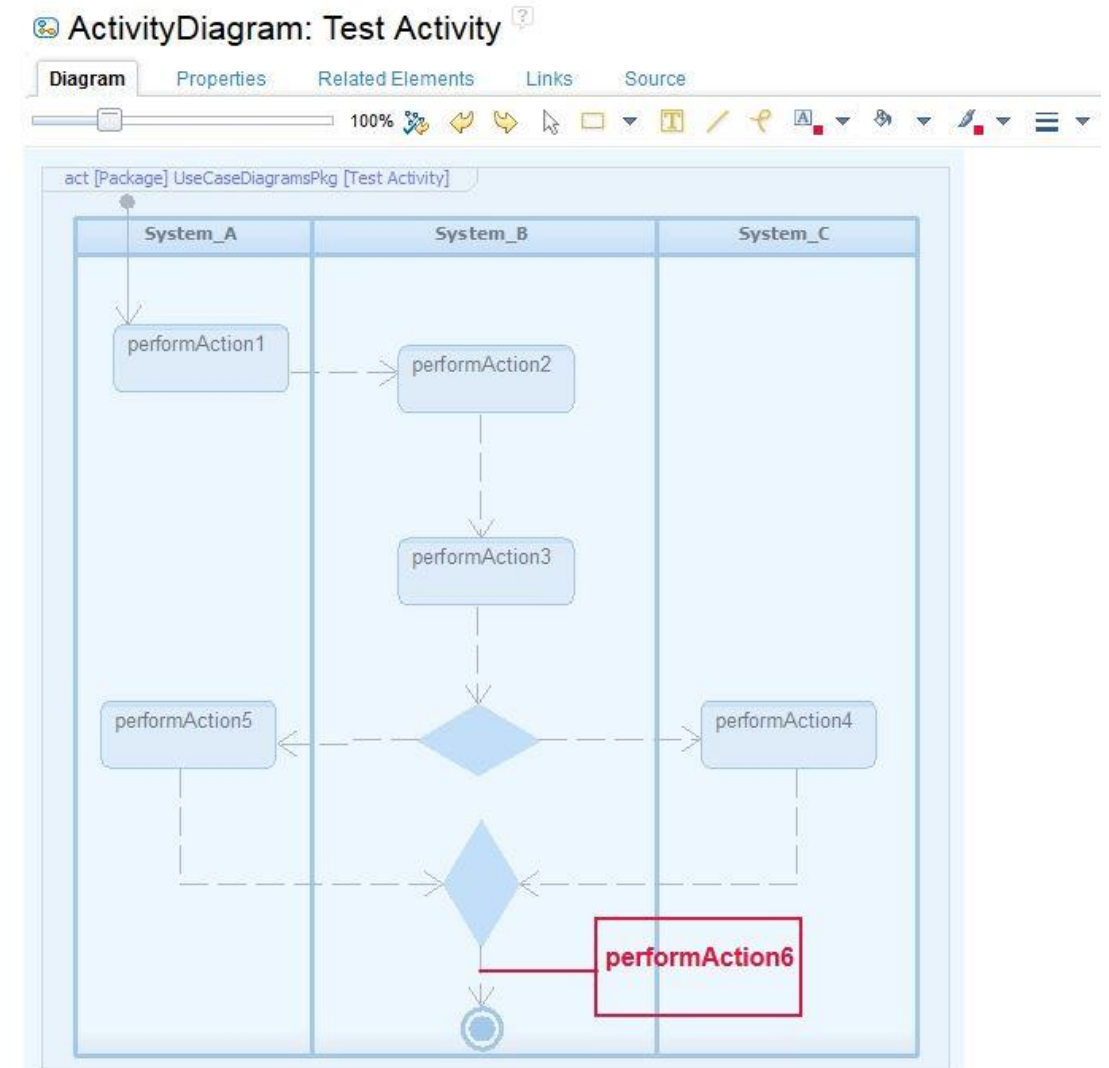
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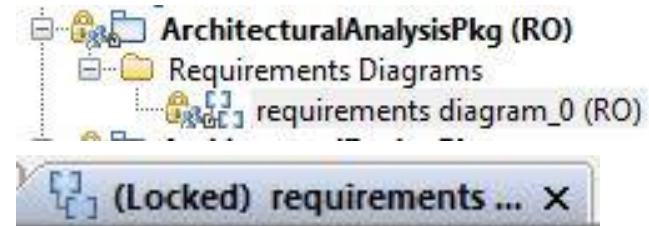
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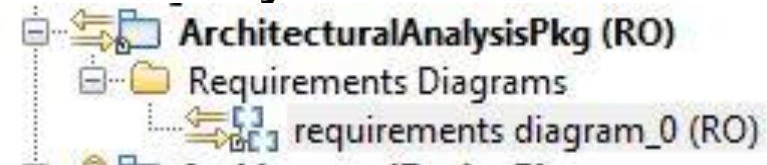
- Element-wise lockout:



- Collaborative Lockout Notifications:



- Out-of-Sync Notifications:



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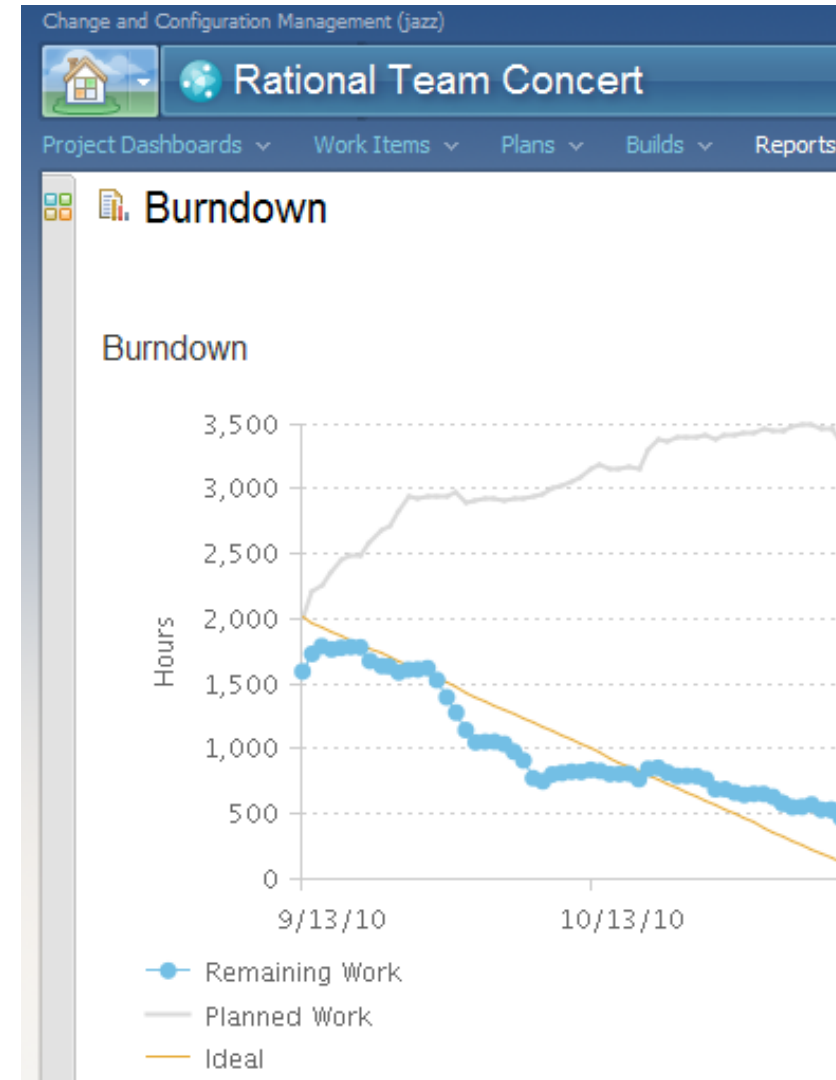


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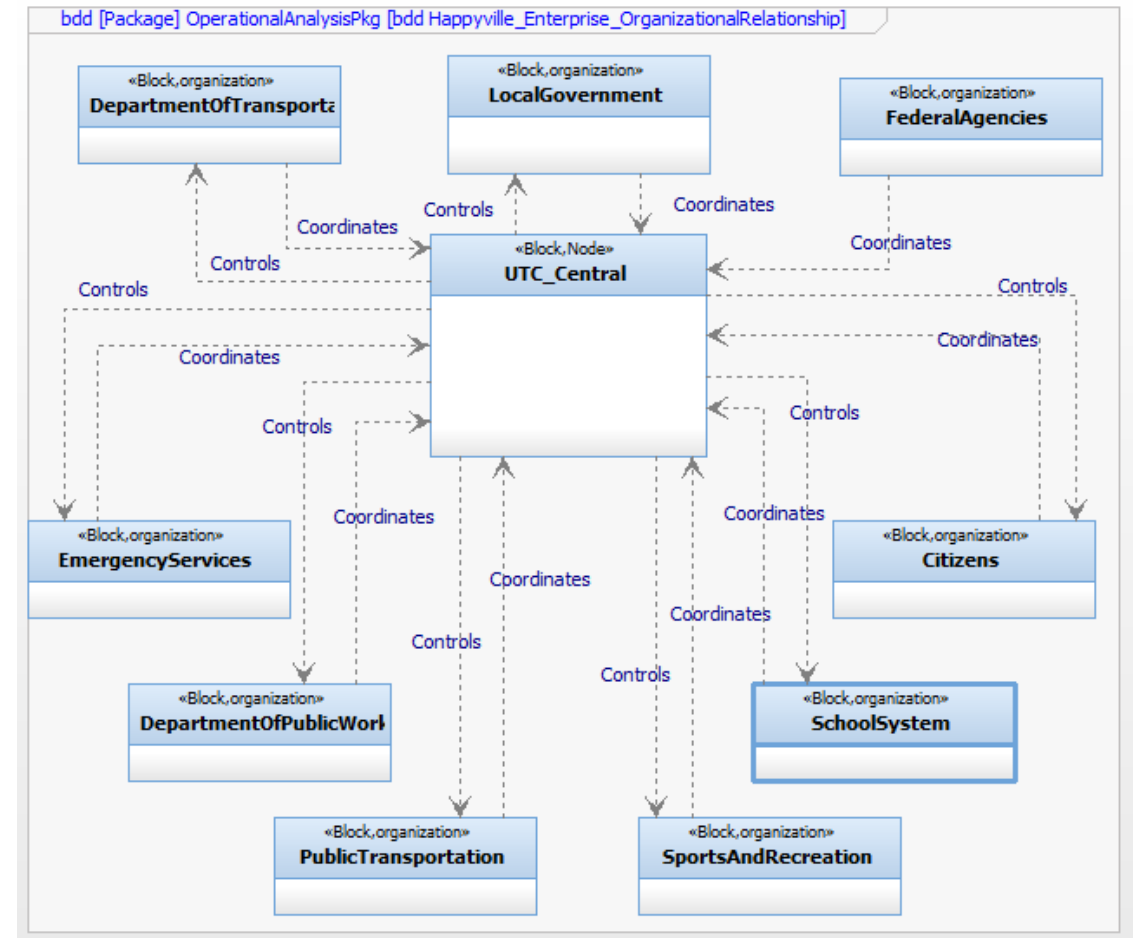
# Example Model Using Enablers

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- Rationale for Urban Traffic Control (UTC) System as an Example:
  - Notional example of a highly-variable complex system
  - Multiple levels of decomposition
  - Sharable across-company and externally without divulging customer or company information
- UTC System Customer Needs:
  - Maintain Traffic Flow
  - Public Transportation Priority
  - Timely Response to Incidents
  - Maintain Pedestrian Well-Being
  - Control Center Design Constraints
  - System Maintenance and Fault Detection
  - Interface Requirements

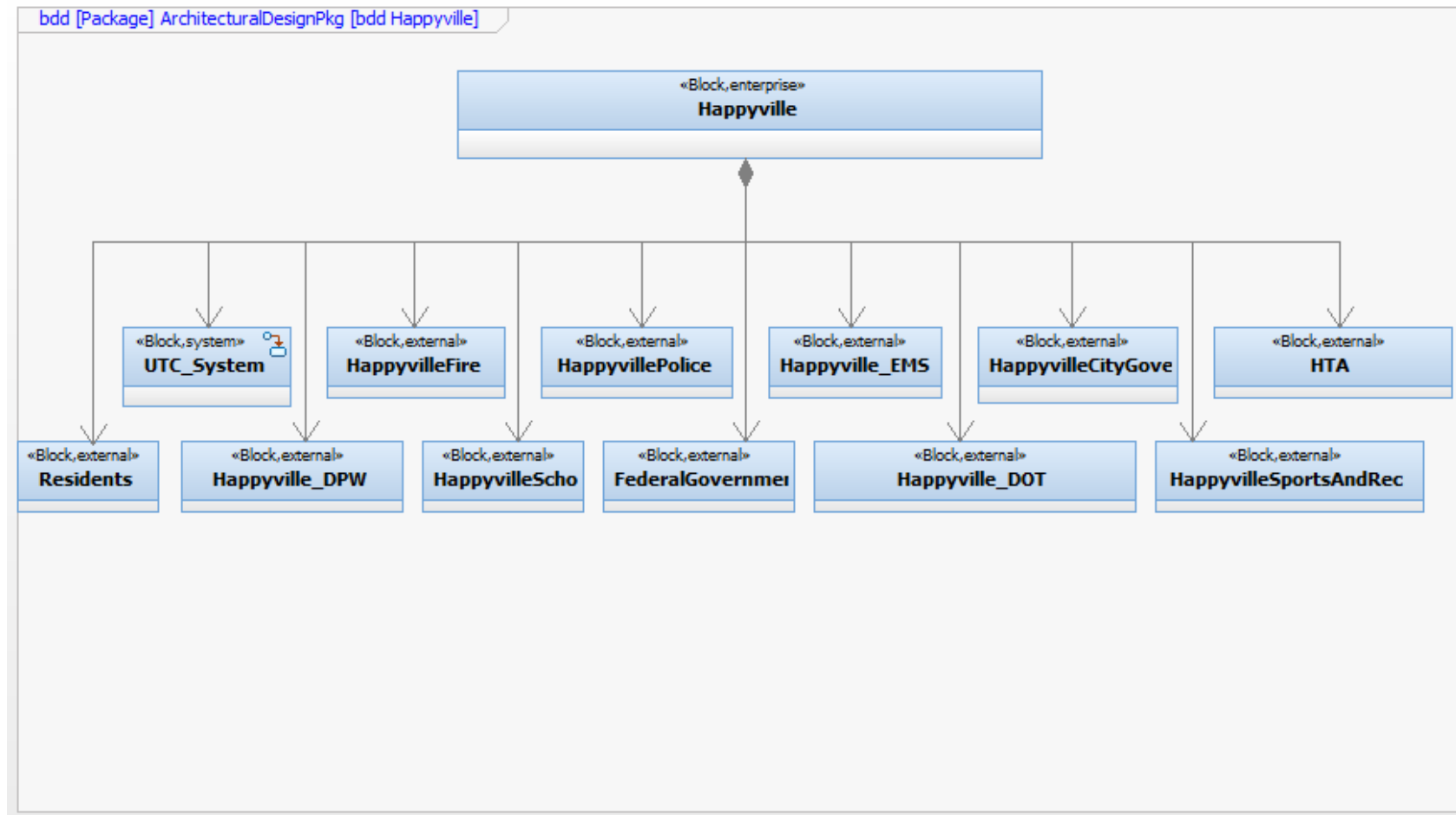
# UTC System Operational Block Diagram

- Operational Block Definition Diagram: high level graphical overview of the operational concept
- Identifies the other organizations and systems in the system under design's operational environment
- Describes the relationships between the system under design and the identified organizations and systems



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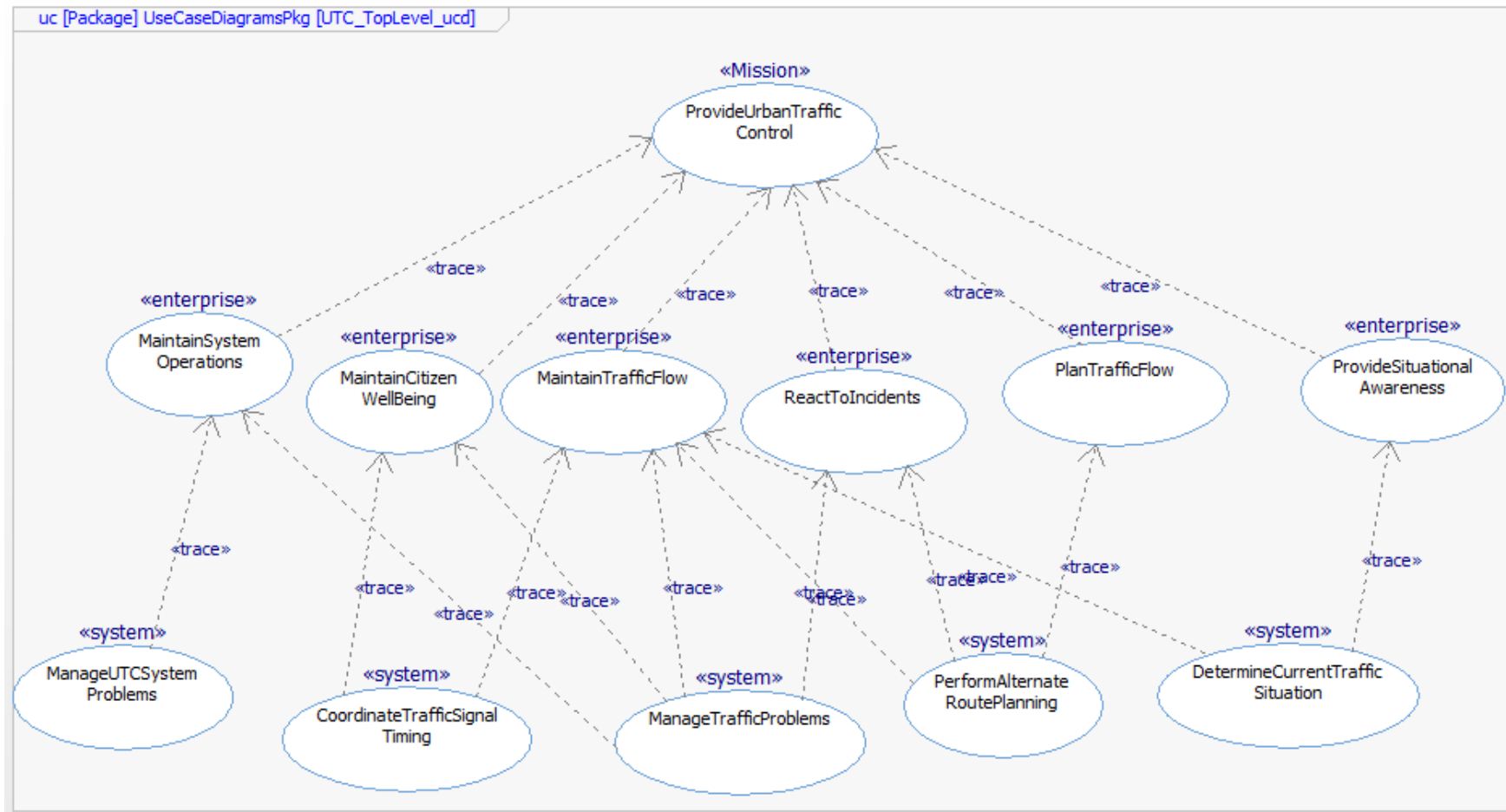
- Block Definition Diagram: A representation of the structure elements and their relationships.





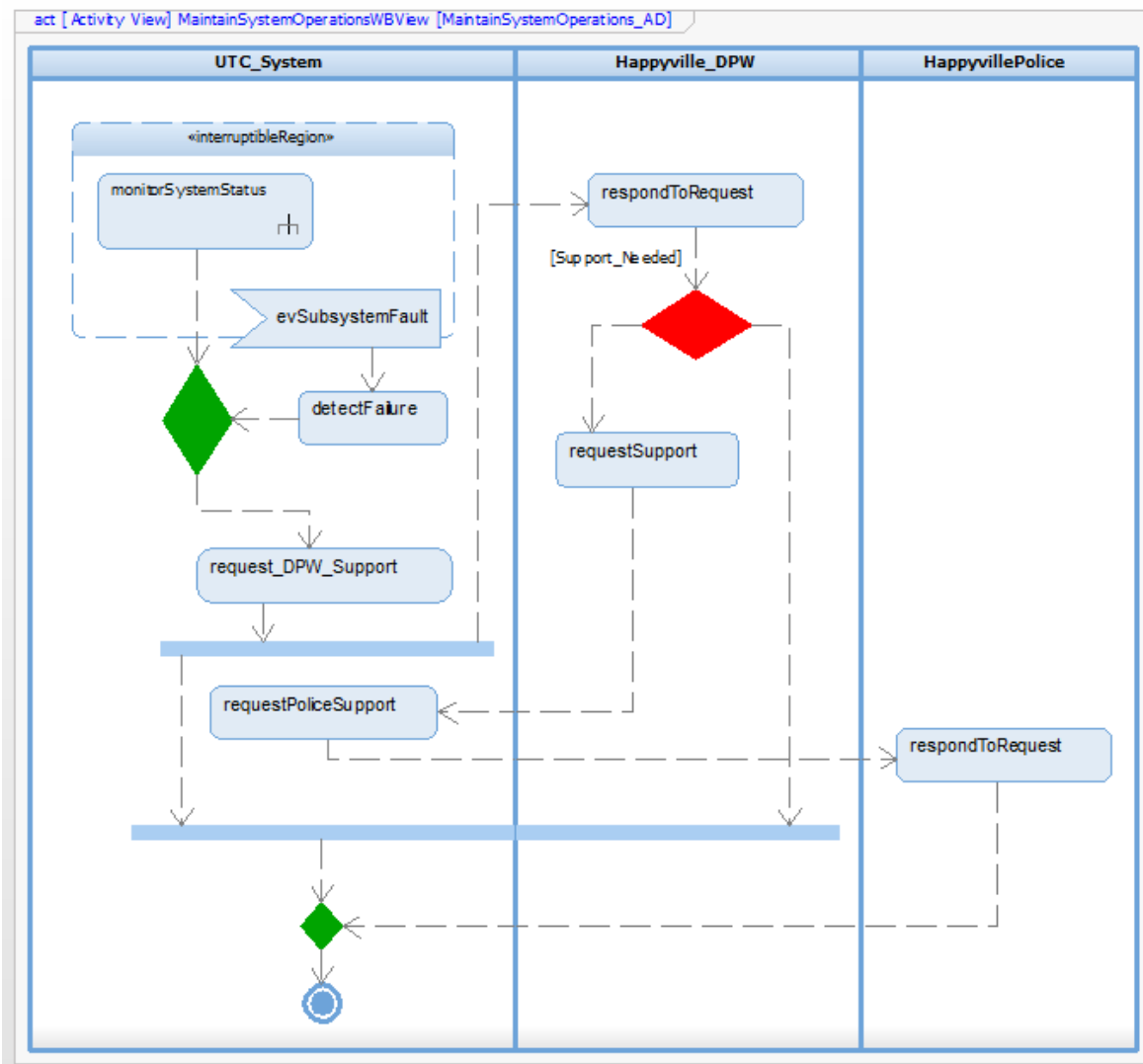
# UTC System Use Case Diagram

- Use Case Diagram: Define the main functions that the system must perform. Used to develop the operational threads.



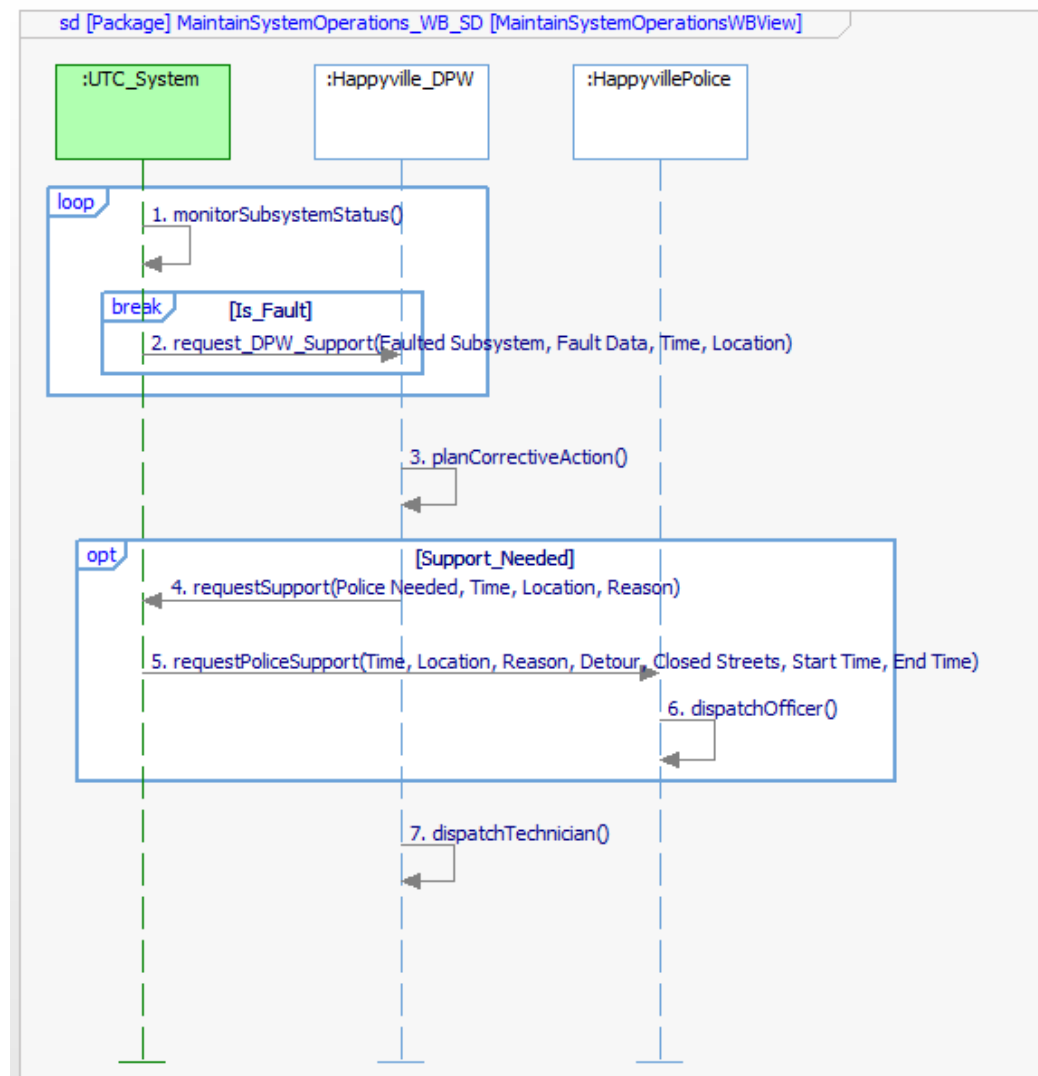
# UTC System Activity Diagram

- Activity Diagram: Represents a specific system behavior or set of system behaviors. Similar to a flow chart, can depict the interactions between various external actors, or elements within the system
- Describes flow-based behavior



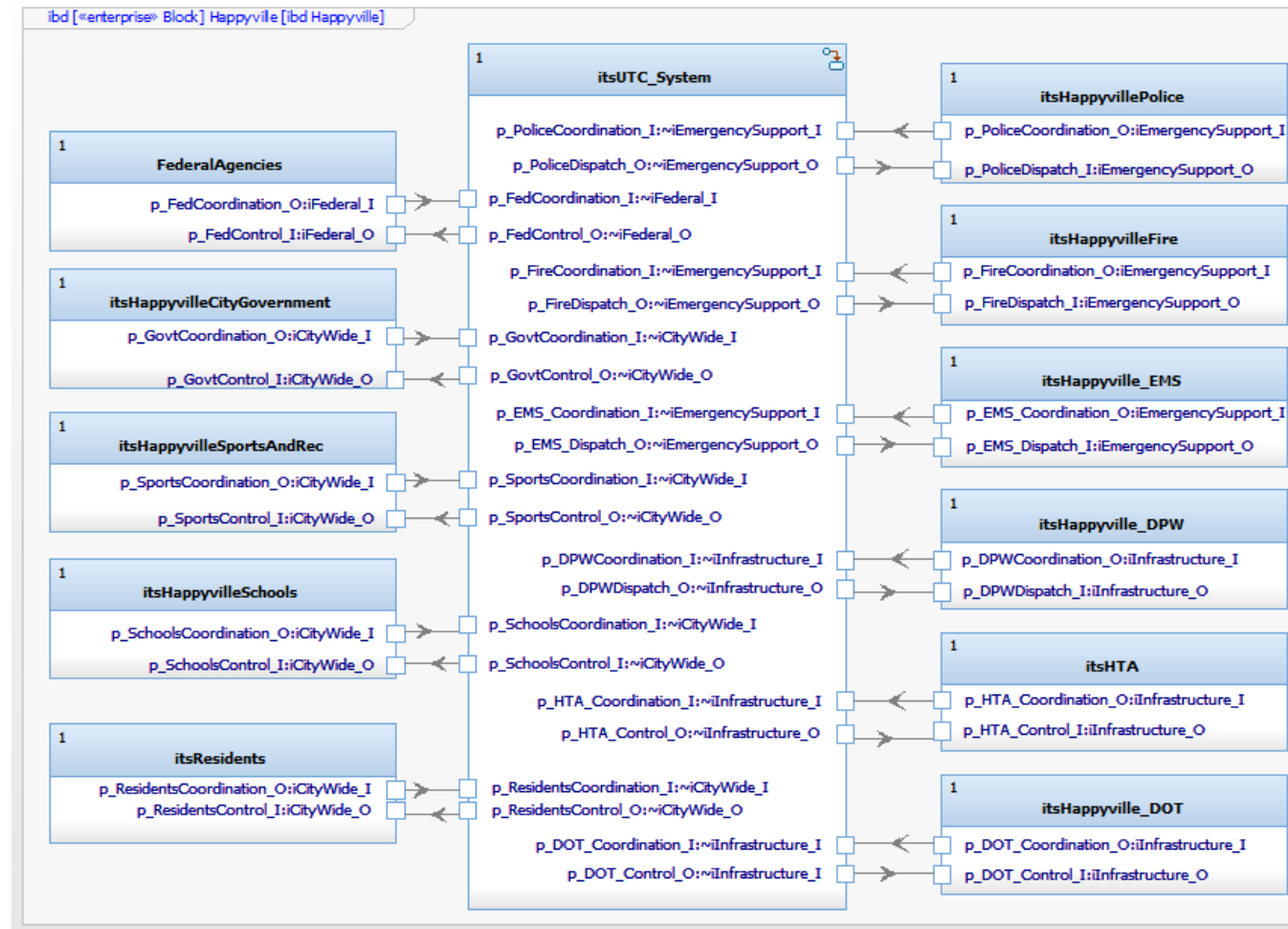
# UTC System Sequence Diagram

- Sequence Diagram: Represents message exchanges between systems, subsystems, or components.
- Describes message-based behavior



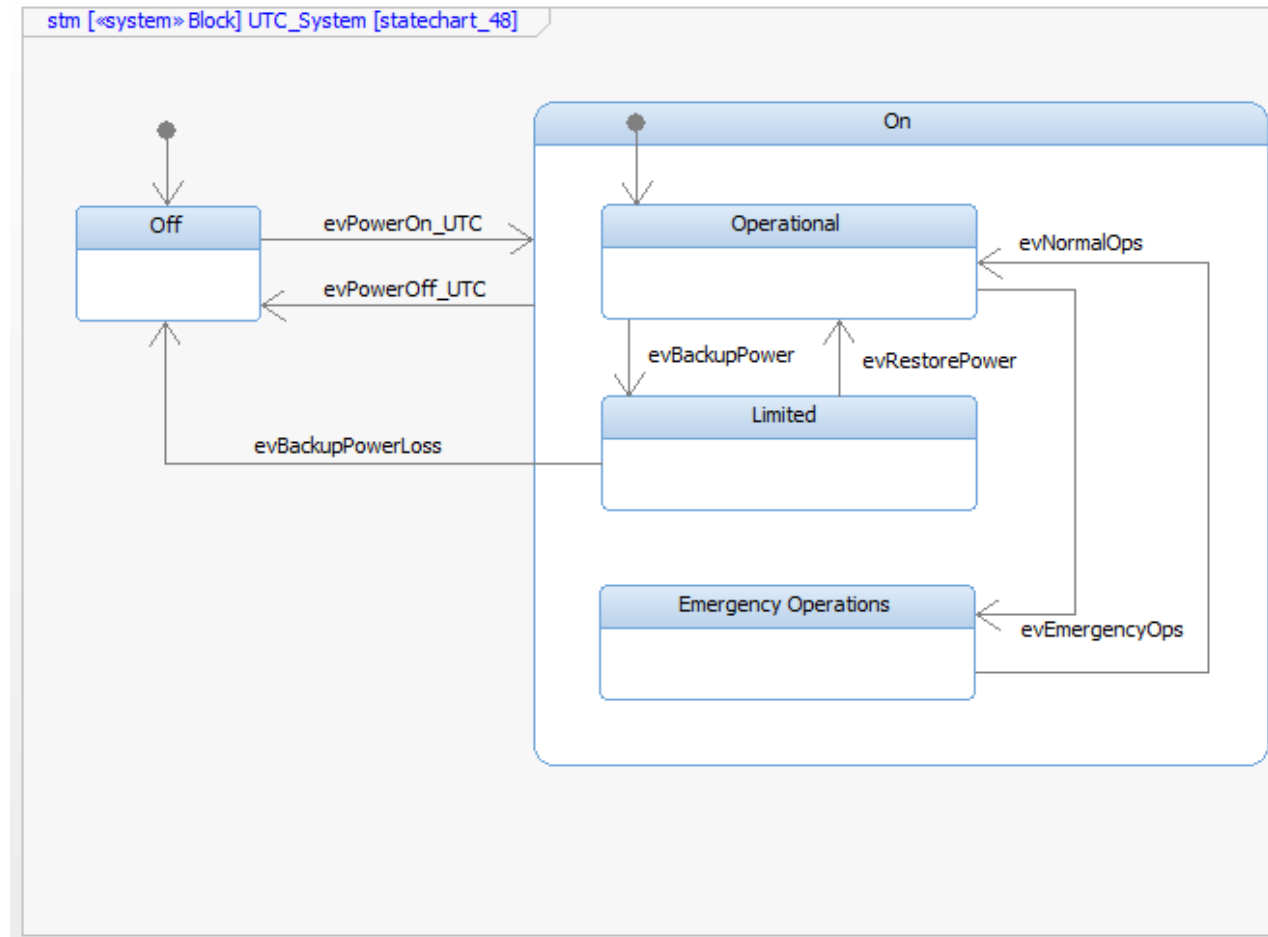
# UTC System Internal Block Diagram

- Internal Block Diagram: Represents the interconnection and interfaces between the internal parts of a block (enterprise, system, or subsystem)



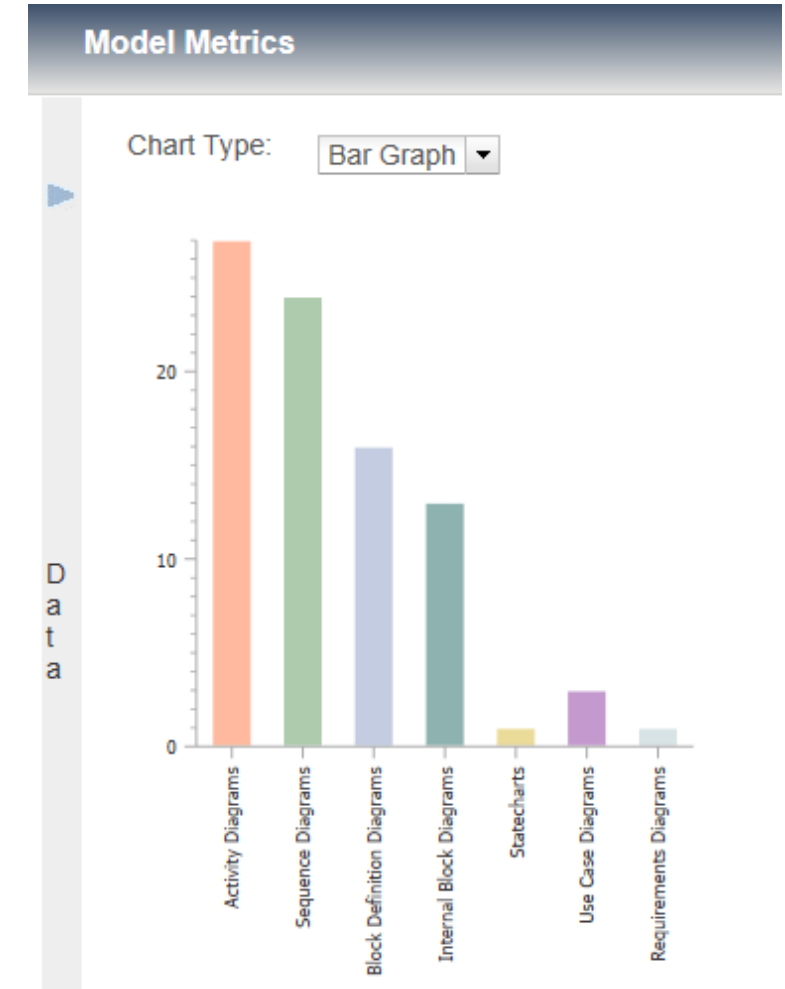
# UTC System State Machine Diagram

- State Machine Diagram: Defines the states and modes of the system, and depicts the transitions from one state to another.
- Describes event-based behavior



# UTC System Metrics

Metric Type	Count	Description
<b>Diagrams/Views (Total)</b>	85	Total number of diagrams in model
Activity Diagrams	27	Total number of activity diagrams
Sequence Diagrams	24	Total number of sequence diagrams
Block Definition Diagrams	16	Total number of block definition diagrams
Internal Block Diagrams	13	Total number of internal block diagrams
State Charts	1	Total number of state charts
Use Case Diagrams	3	Total number of use case diagrams
Requirements Diagrams	1	Total number of requirements diagrams
<b>Structural Elements</b>	51	Includes blocks for Enterprise, Systems, Subsystems, Nodes, Organizations
<b>Interface Items</b>	142	Includes send event actions, exchanged messages, interfaces, interface blocks
<b>Functional Elements</b>	46	Includes use cases (threads), activities and call behaviors
<b>People Elements</b>	20	Enterprise Actors
<b>Time-Related Events</b>	485	Includes transitions, events, flows, interaction occurrences, sequences, and states
<b>Satisfied Requirements</b>	29	Number of requirements traced to an element
<b>Unsatisfied Requirements</b>	27	Number of requirements not traced to an element
<b>Percent of Requirements Linked</b>	52%	Percentage of total requirements traced to a model element
<b>Percent Under Configuration Control</b>	100%	Model is configure controlled in RDM with the candidate as the only approver



# UTC System Requirements Compliance

- Model Elements are linked to requirements within Rhapsody, and satisfaction tables can be output to help determine model completeness:

Requirement ID	Specification	Satisfying Element
UTC_46	The UTC System shall have an Operational State.	Operational
UTC_51	The UTC System shall avoid large fluctuations in traffic control behavior due to temporary traffic pattern changes.	changeSignal, detectCongestion, evDetectCongestion, commandSignalChange, detectCongestion, executeSignalChange
UTC_53	The UTC System shall provide a limited sub-set of capabilities when faced with a disaster scenario.	Limited, Emergency Operations
UTC_54	The UTC System shall be able to transition to Emergency Operations within 1 hour of a State of Emergency Declaration.	evEmergencyOps, Emergency Operations
UTC_56	The UTC system shall provide priority to public transportation without increasing traffic congestion.	commandSignalChange, executeSignalChange, changeSignal, detectBus, evDetectBus
UTC_58	<p>The UTC system shall detect all traffic incidents within 1 minute of occurrence to include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Multiple Vehicle Collisions</li> <li>Single Vehicle Collisions with stationary objects (light posts, buildings, etc.)</li> <li>Single Vehicle Collisions with pedestrians, bicyclists and/or animals</li> <li>Debris in the roadway.</li> </ul>	assessSensorData, senseEnvironment, detectIncident, determineIncidentType, evDetectIncident

# Summary

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- Facilitating transition to Model Based Systems Engineering
- Enhanced communication and knowledge transfer
- Reduced lifecycle cost through improved design quality
- MBSE and SysML to model complex systems
- Potential re-use



**Questions?**

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# Backup

# MBSE Environment Tooling

