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1. Introduction: Introducing end-to-end process monitoring (E2E-PM)

E2E-PM (End-to-end process monitoring): Algorithms with the ability to detect, execute, identify and diagnose faults in order to generate interventions for process recovery.

For example: Along one of Amazon's supply chains, sensors have been installed to ensure that everything is running smoothly. If there's a problem, such as a package that can't be scanned, the system automatically detects it.

- Traditional monitoring methods: Monitor only 1 or 2 aspects
- E2E-PM: Automatically links tasks to initiate recovery actions and prevent failures

⇒ Process monitoring with E2E-PM ensures that interventions are made at the right time to reduce the long-term adverse effects of failures and ensure long-term process optimization.

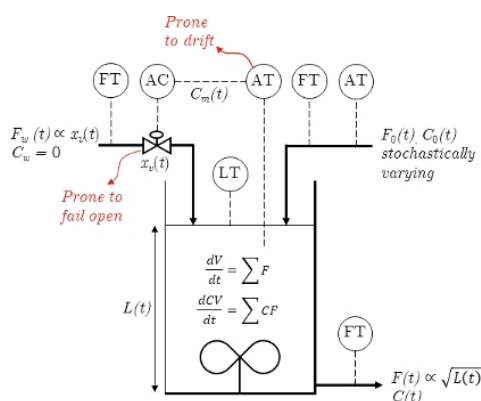
2. E2E-PM Challenges

3 main challenges:

- Difficulty of diagnosis:** In practice, faults are difficult to identify, so intervention is delayed.
- Lack of literature in existing case studies:** Existing case studies provide little information about the interventions available. This makes it difficult to diagnose the exact problem.
- Optimization of performance measurements limited:** It is easier to diagnose certain aspects of the system that are easy to monitor (e.g. fault detection) than other aspects that are necessary to maintain the system's operability, which keeps the whole system functional.

For example: At Amazon, it's easier to diagnose slowness in the production chain rather than the wear and tear of a machine part on the production line

3. Enhancing existing case studies with E2E-PM



Conceptual framework for current case studies: A large water mixing tank is present in a company:

- The tank receives **water** + a **yellow dye** where the flow rate and quantity of dye are constantly changing.
- The aim is to keep the **same amount** of water and colorant regardless of the flow rate.
- A **failure** is always possible: e.g. the sensor measuring the of sugar may no longer display the exact amount

the **Constant monitoring:** Company uses a system known Principal Component Analysis (PCA) is used for detection and has been trained using data from the first seven days.

Interpretation: This example provides a simplified way of showing and understanding the monitoring process for the various components and the relationships between them.

Limitations of case studies: Variability of disturbances

- Importance of designing case studies that reflect the challenges of practical process monitoring
- Simulations in case studies present only two iterative variations where in practice (e.g. in an industry), processes face **multiple possible disturbances** (e.g. fluctuation of demand, production intensity, slowness due to a defective part, shortages in raw material).

Conclusion

- **Quality of process monitoring:** The faster the intervention and diagnosis of faults, the greater the impact on the efficiency of process monitoring. In addition, efficiency will have a positive impact on environmental, safety and financial criteria.
- **Relevance of using E2E-PM solutions:** The E2E-PM framework seeks to improve process monitoring techniques through the use of mechanisms for feasible, rapid, optimal interventions and adapted performance criteria, while taking into account process variability.
- **Interpretation of the case studies:** A plant functions optimally in economic terms when it is able to detect and diagnose faults quickly and efficiently.
- **Possible improvements for future articles:** the main challenge lies in the complexity of the framework in the face of rapid developments and constant variations. Future articles should therefore focus on specific and targeted dimensions of monitoring systems, as well as on the use of reinforcement learning, which could bring new results.