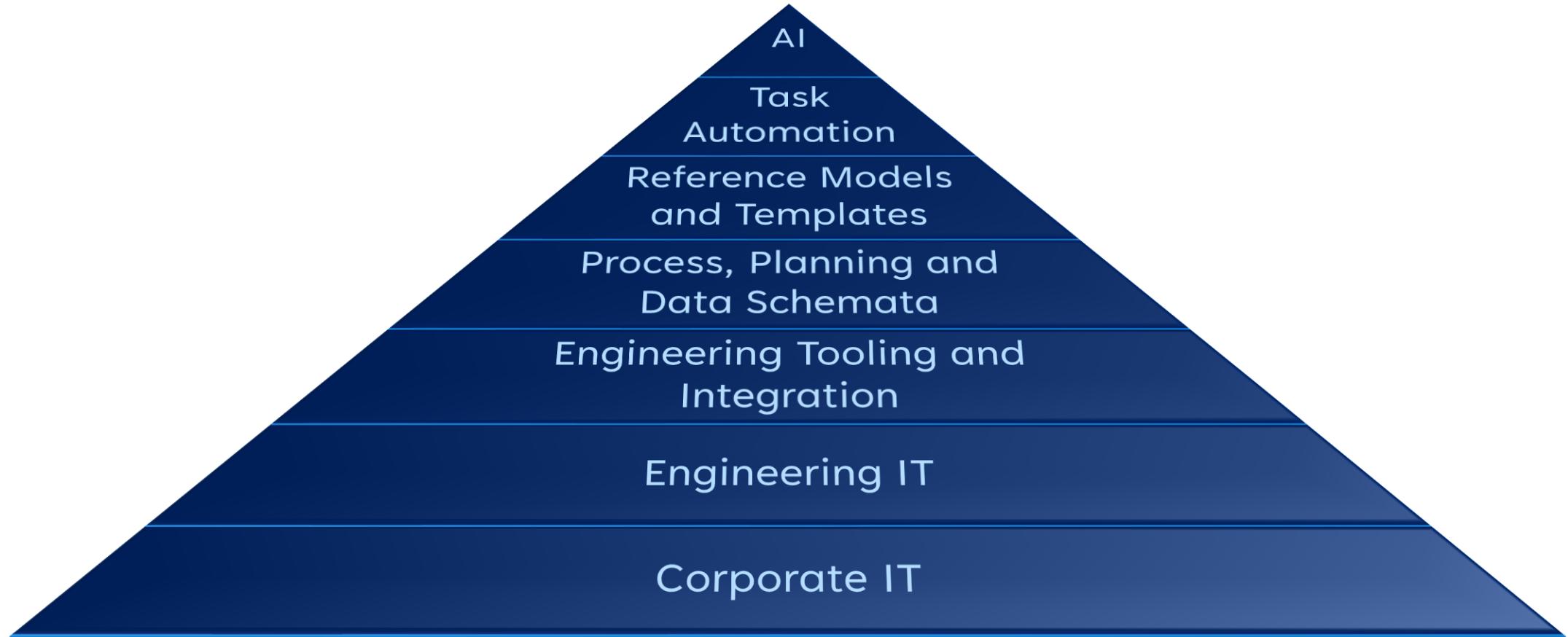


Capella in a Golden Thread Implementation

**Requirements Engineering and
Safety Assurance Network
(RESAN)**

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Digital Pyramid



- RESAN Concept

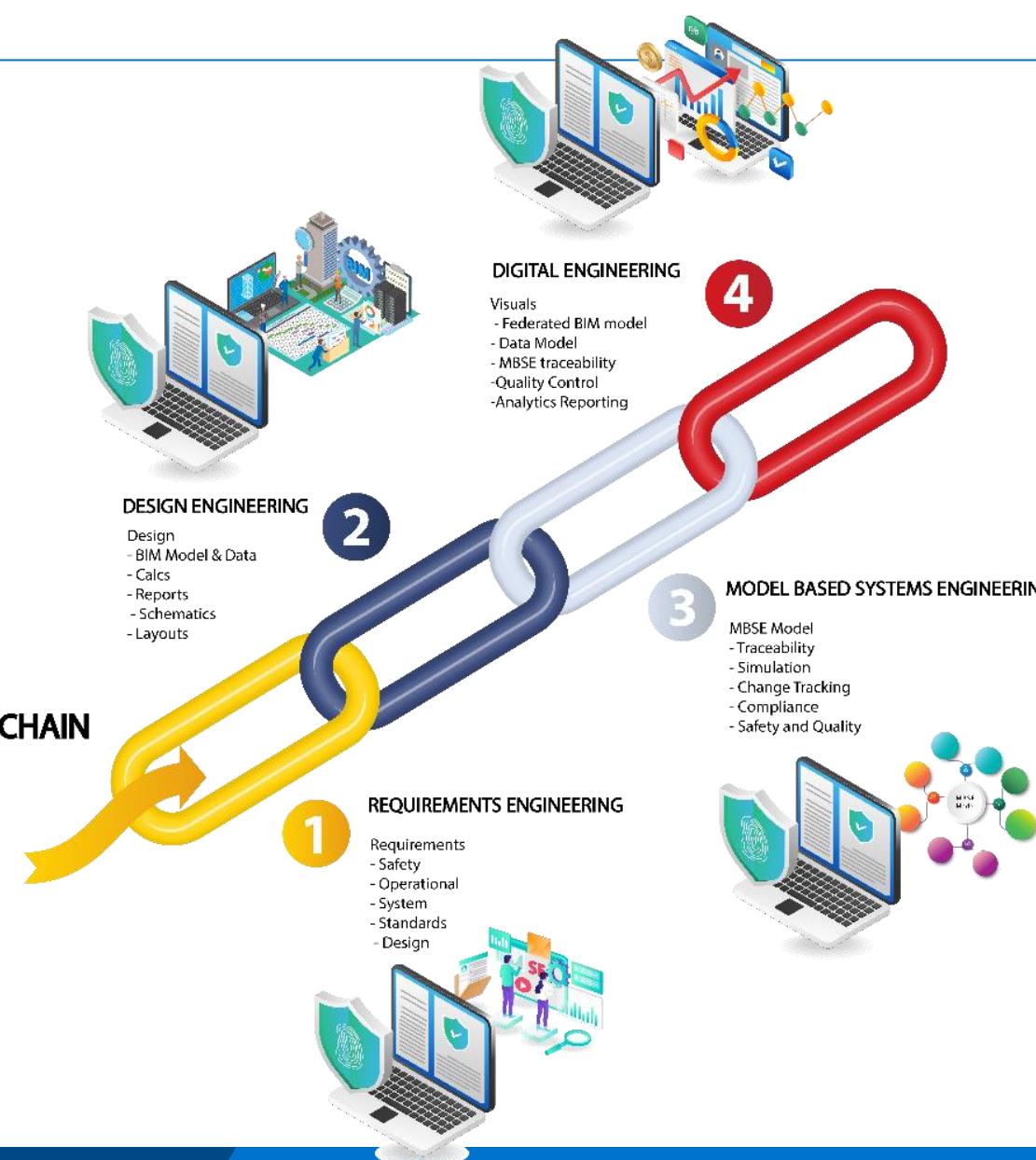
RESAN – Requirements Engineering and Safety Assurance Network.



DIGITAL DATA CHAIN

DATA INPUT

- Project inputs
 - Requirements
 - Safety
 - Change
 - Standards
 - Survey

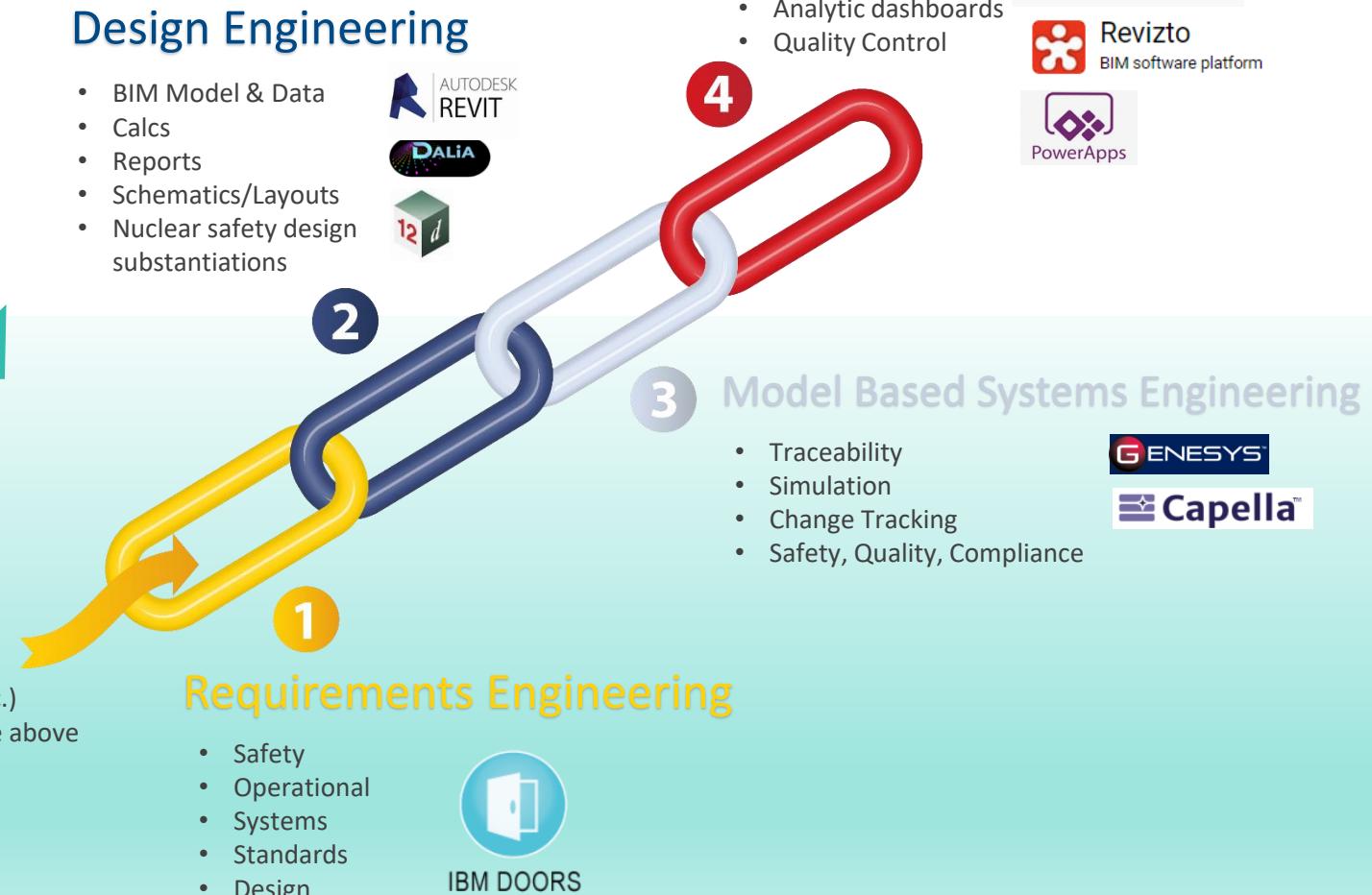


RESAN Visual: Data Integration Model



Data Input

- ASA Functional Requirements
- Derived Safety Case Requirements
- Regulations & Standards
- Site Data (Survey, Geotechnical, etc.)
- ... then with ongoing changes to the above



DIGITAL DATA CHAIN

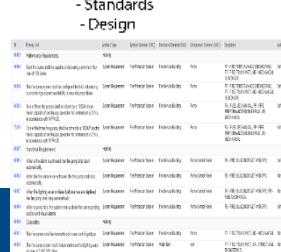
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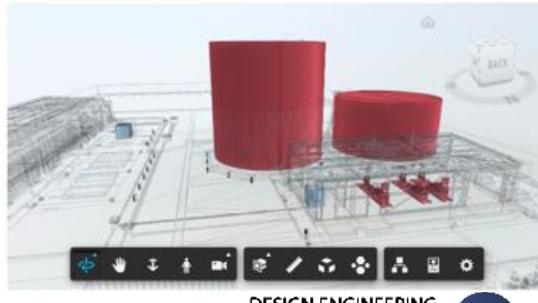
1 REQUIREMENTS ENGINEERING

- Requirements
- Safety
- Operational
- System
- Standards
- Design



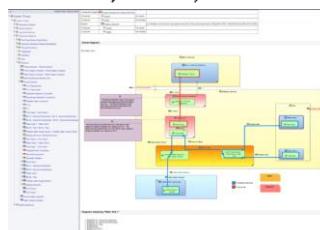
2 DESIGN ENGINEERING

- Design
- BIM Model & Data
- Calcs
- Reports
- Schematics
- Layouts



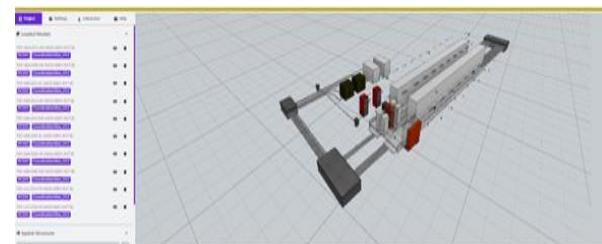
3 MODEL BASED SYSTEMS ENGINEERING

- MBSE Model
- Traceability
- Simulation
- Change Tracking
- Compliance
- Safety and Quality



4 DIGITAL ENGINEERING

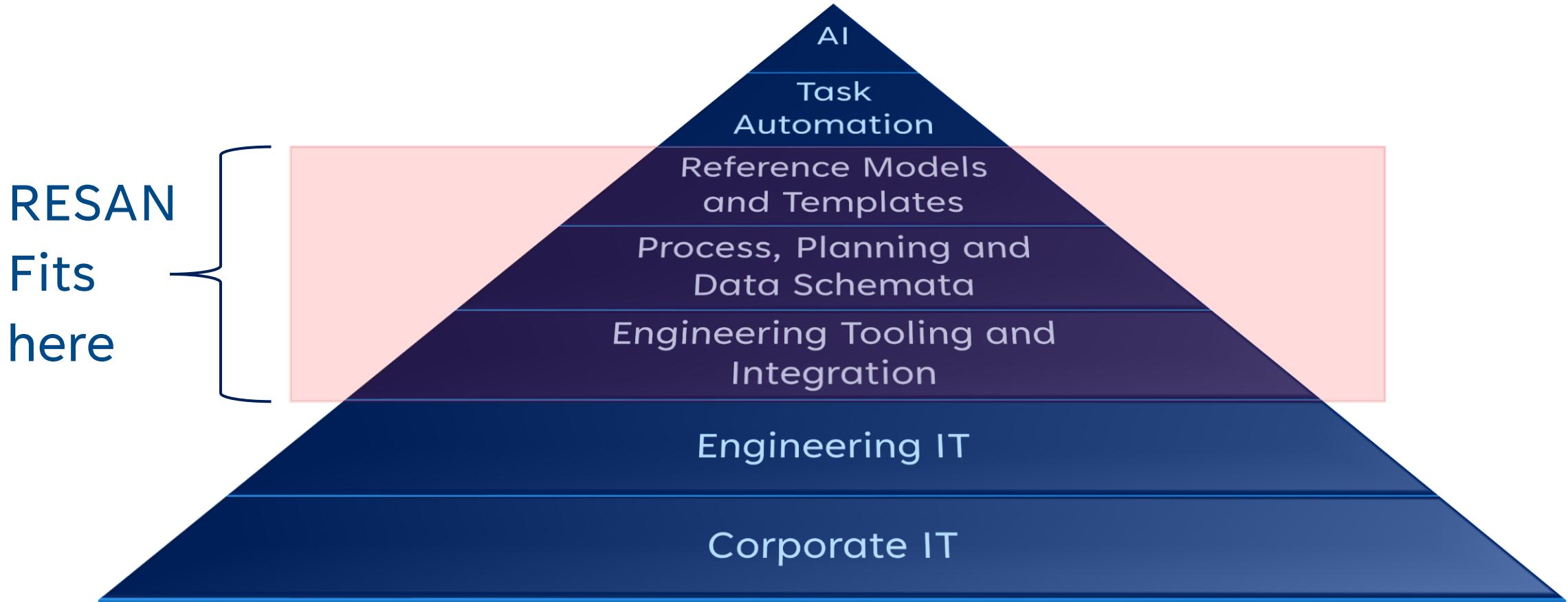
- Visuals
- Federated BIM model
- Data Model
- MBSE traceability
- Quality Control
- Analytics Reporting



A large red link connects the four stages of the digital data chain.

The right side of the image shows a detailed screenshot of a Model Based Systems Engineering (MBSE) platform. It displays a 3D model of industrial equipment, a table of component data, and a complex system architecture diagram with many interconnected nodes and flowcharts.

Digital Pyramid



Use Cases

The data that RESAN assembles has a number of key use cases that benefit the client:

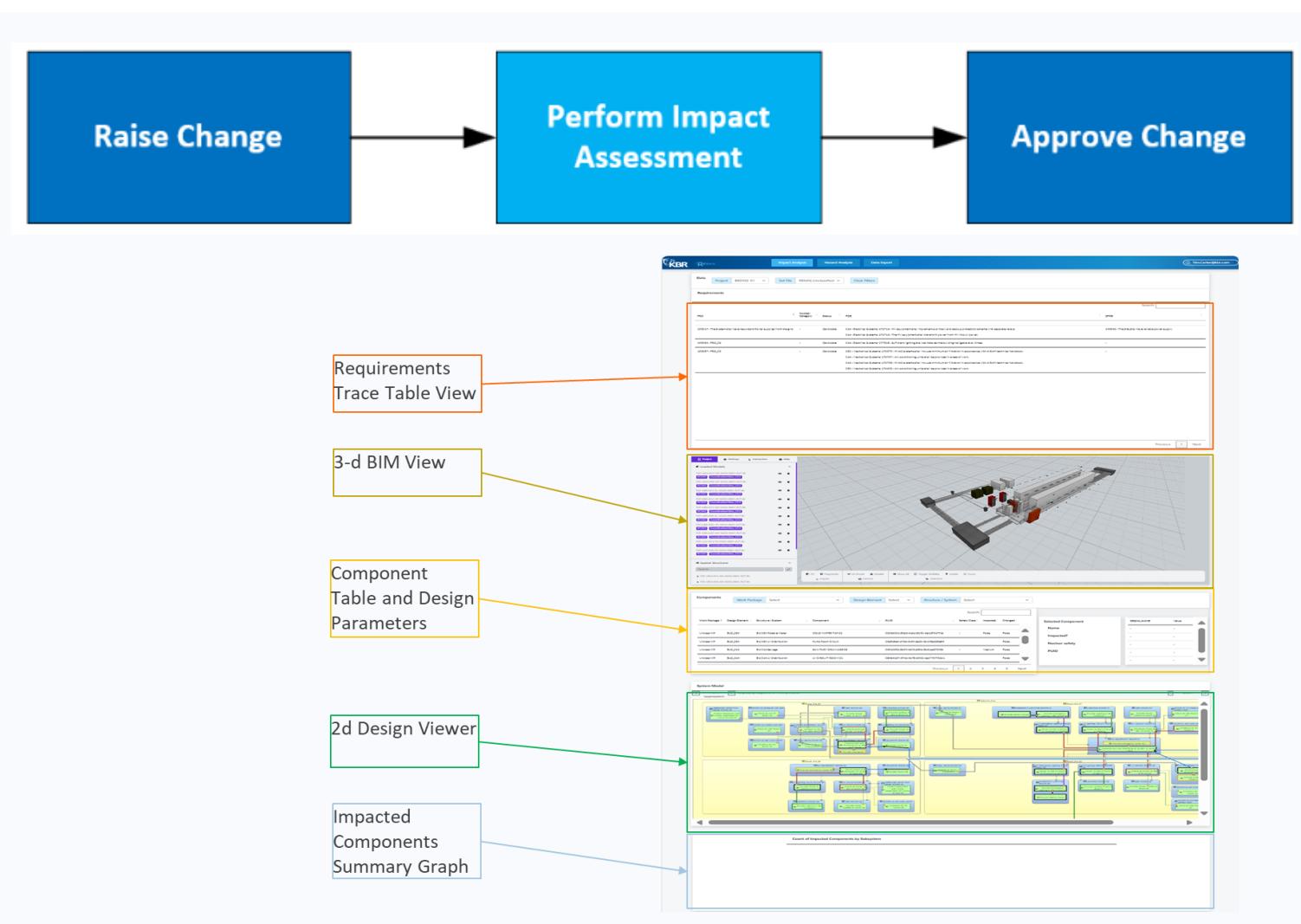
Support the System Engineering Team to show we have met the brief by:

- Requirement impact analysis
 - Digitise and visualise the impact analysis to speed up the process reducing errors and risk
- Construction changes, obsolescence
- Safety case support (inc. HAZOPS)
- Technical specification performance requirements definition support
- Asset Management Information System initialisation
- Requirements Dashboard and traceability viewing

Requirements Impact Analysis

Someone wants to change a requirement; we want to understand what that will impact

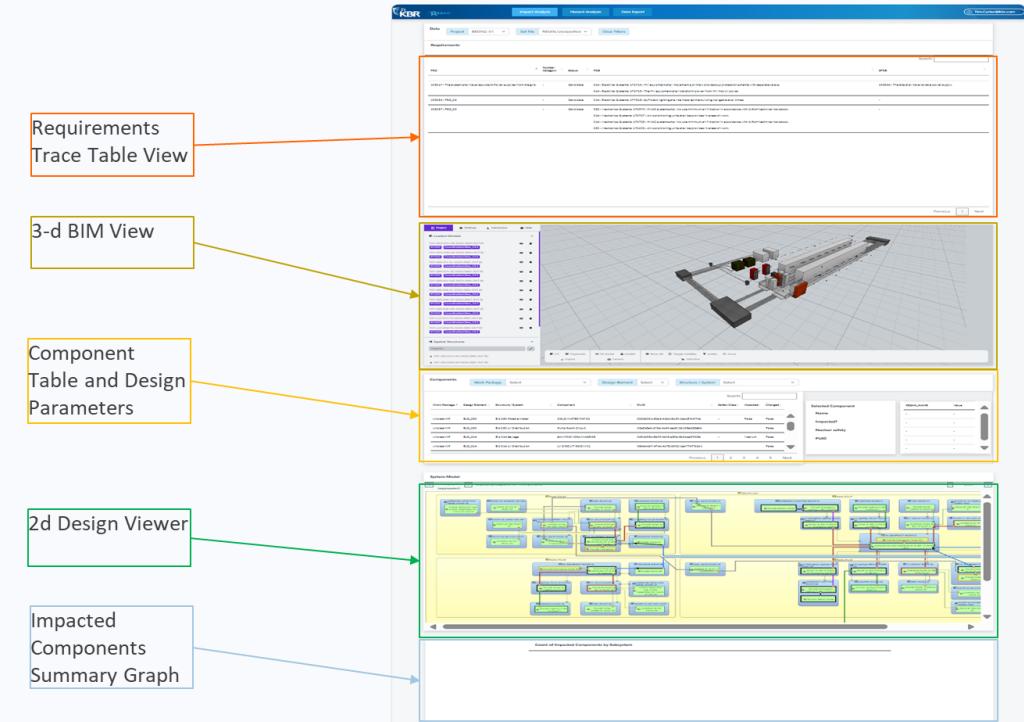
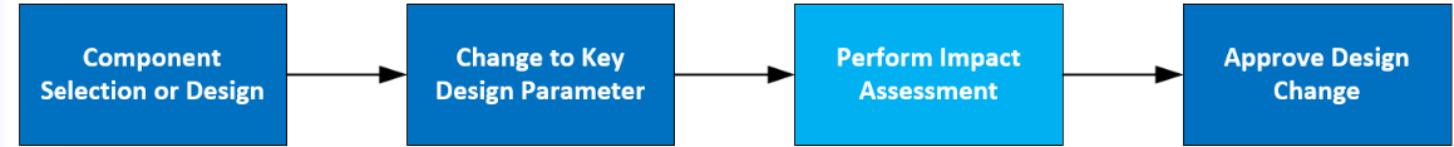
- Select the relevant requirements
- See:
 - Related 3d BIM models
 - Related components and key design parameters
 - Related schematics and system architecture views
 - Summaries of components marked for impact
- Export Data to support impact analysis reports for the Change Control Board



Design Change Impact Analysis

Someone wants to change a component due to obsolescence, ease of construction, cost, etc... We want to understand if requirements or capability are affected

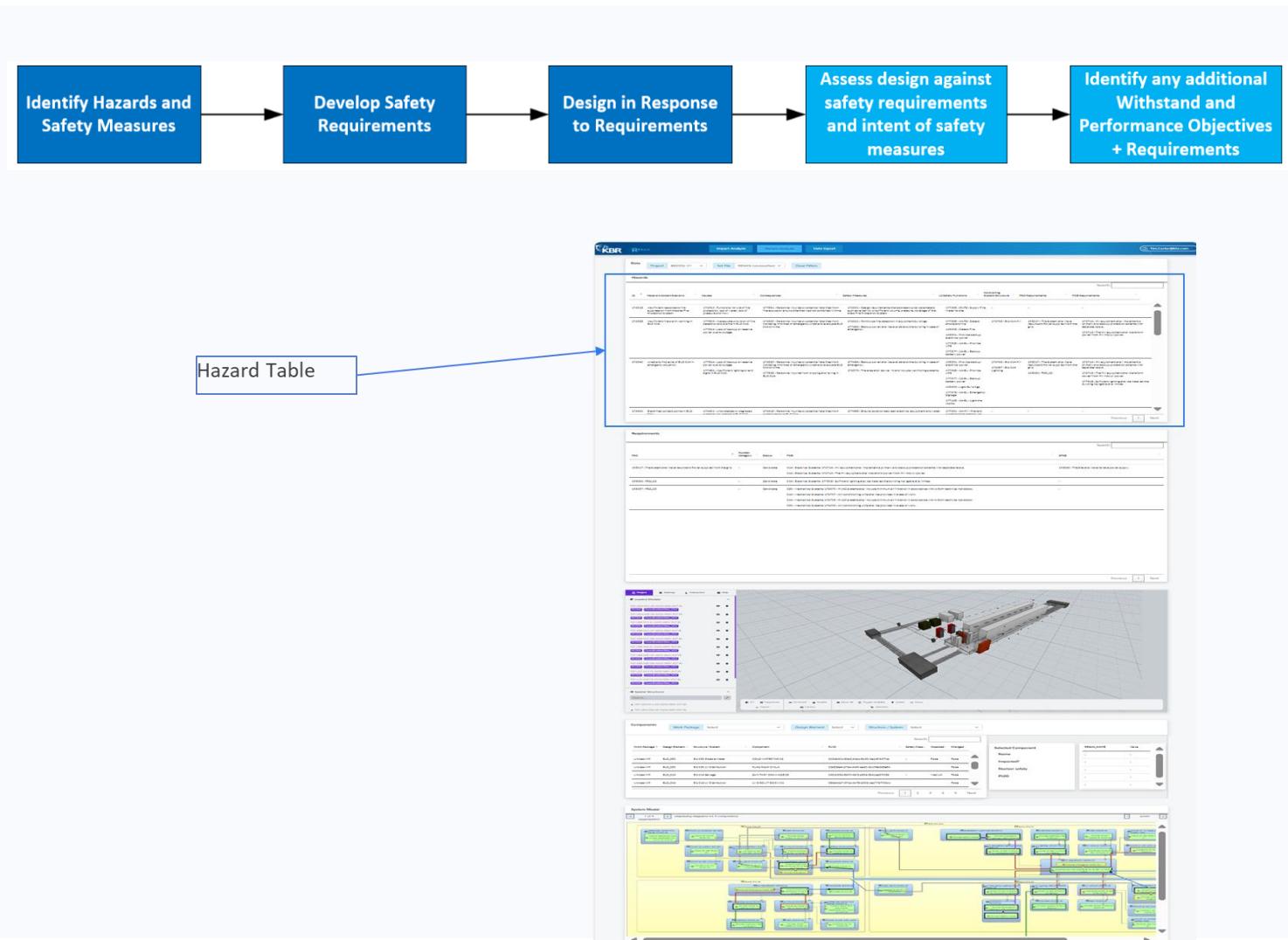
- Select the relevant component
- See:
 - Component key design parameters
 - nearby components in the BIM model
 - Functionally related components in the schematic and Sys. Arch. diagrams
 - Related requirements at all levels, including customer requirements and capability needs
- Export Data to support impact analysis reports for the Change Control Board



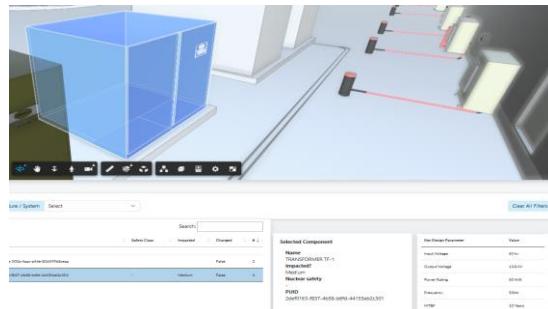
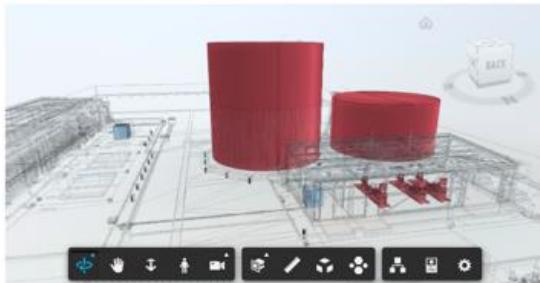
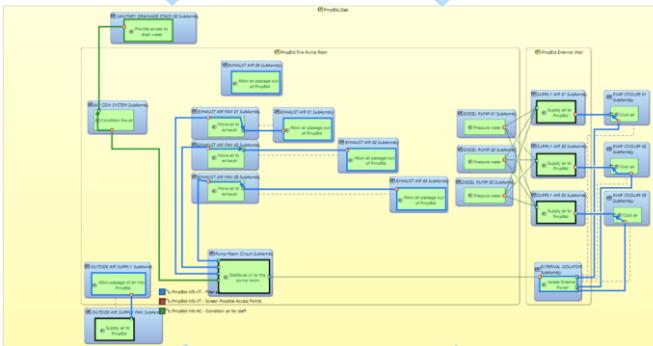
Safety Case/HAZOPS support

We want to investigate if all safety measures related to a hazard have been fully designed or see check for other potential design dependant hazards

- Select the relevant hazard
- See:
 - Related safety requirements
 - Physically and functionally related components through the Schematic/Sys. Arch. design and 3d BIM model
- Export Data to support Verification arguments against the safety requirements
- Export data to initialise Fault/Engineering schedules



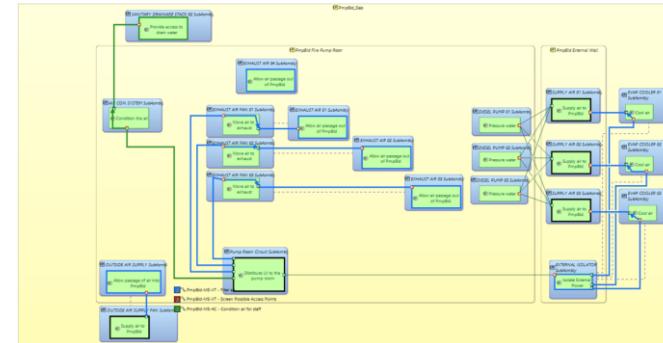
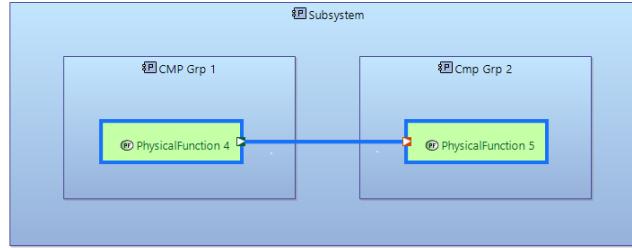
Model Based System Architecting at the centre of the data model



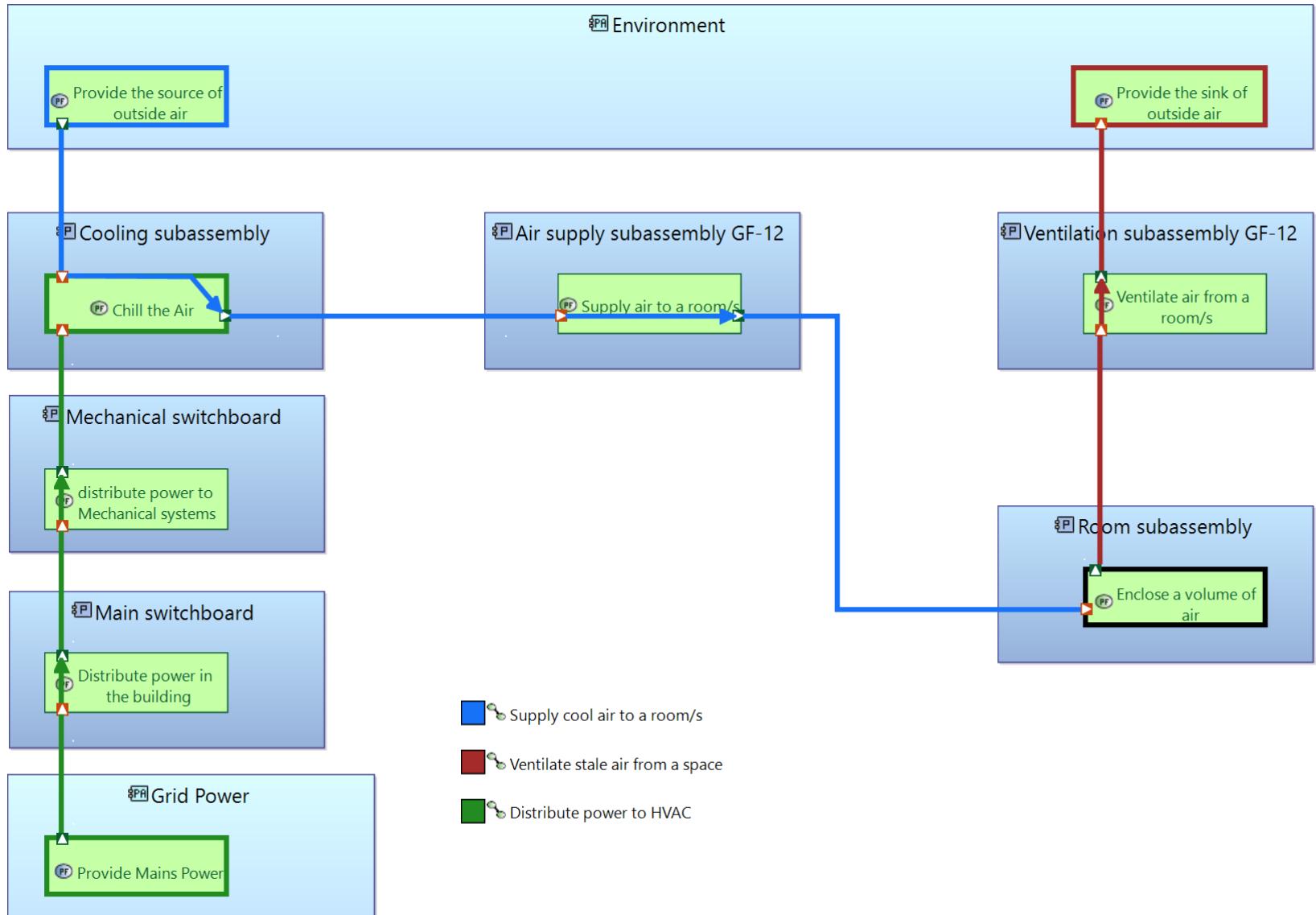
Why Capella and not another tool?

Capella has 3 key advantages

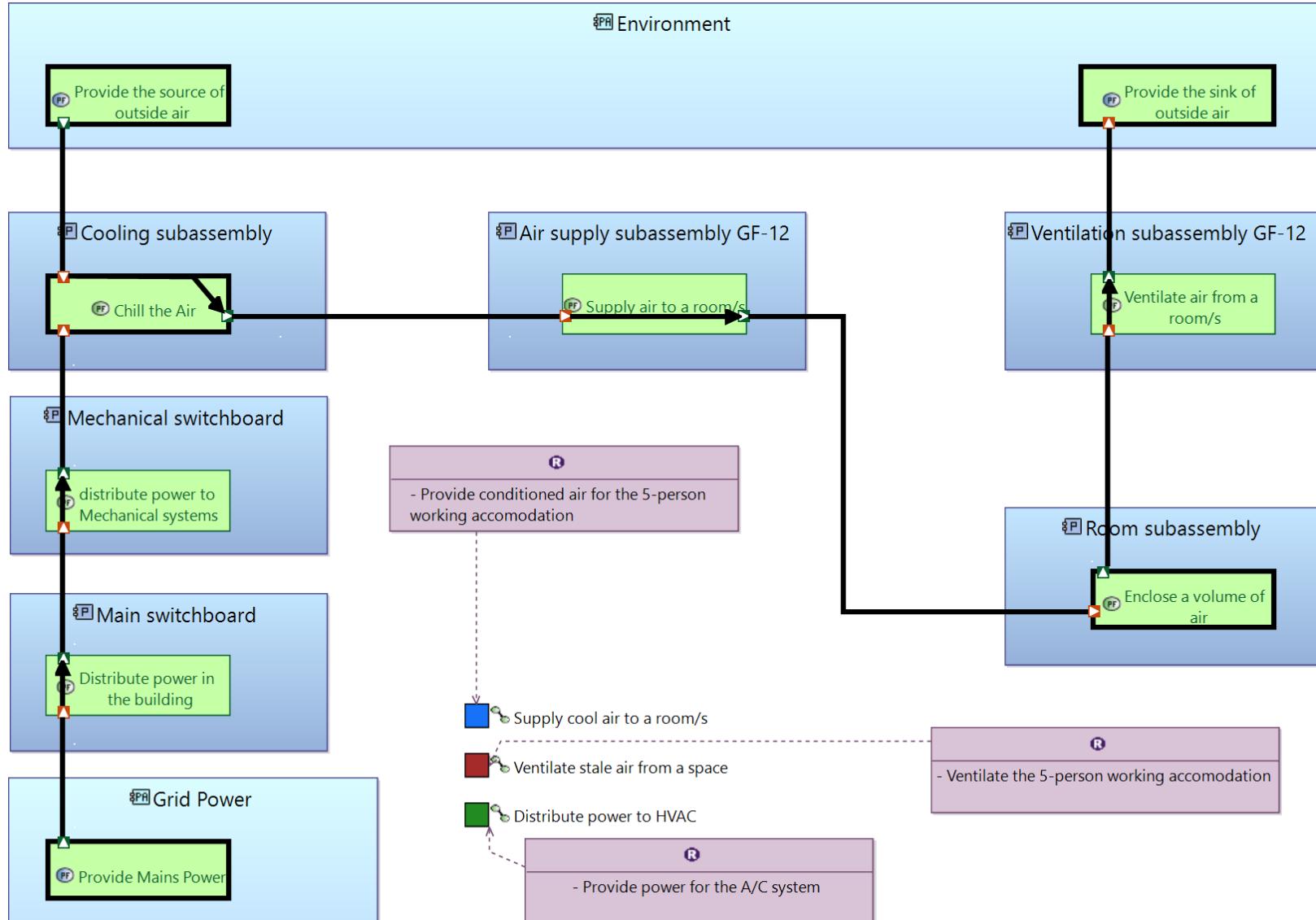
- The Functional Chain modelling paradigm is ideal suited to showing how subassemblies work together
- The Python For Capella Interface is Ideal for complex interactions with the MBSE tools data imports and exports
- The REC/RPL paradigm works very well with repetitive system architectures in Infrastructure projects



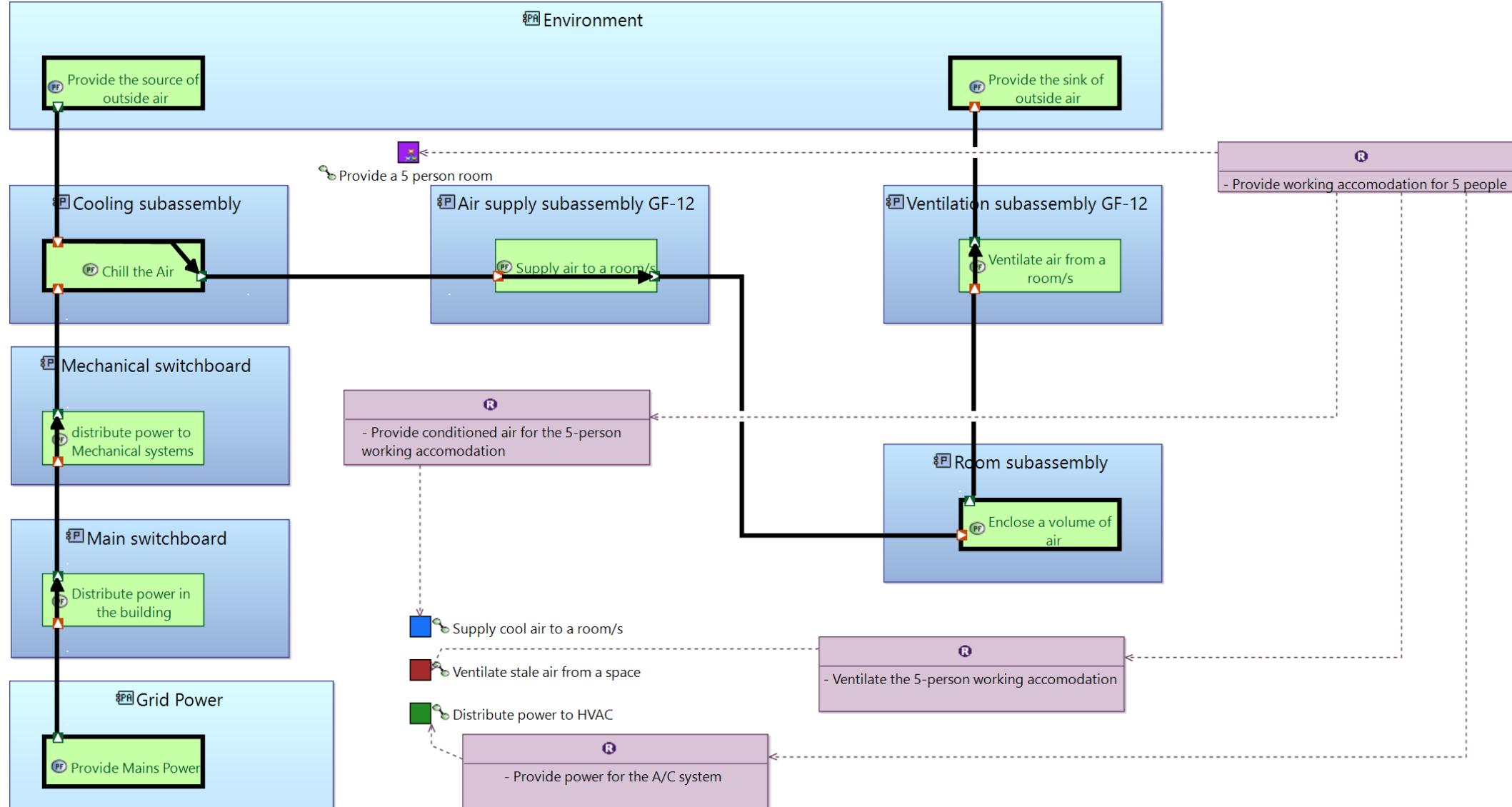
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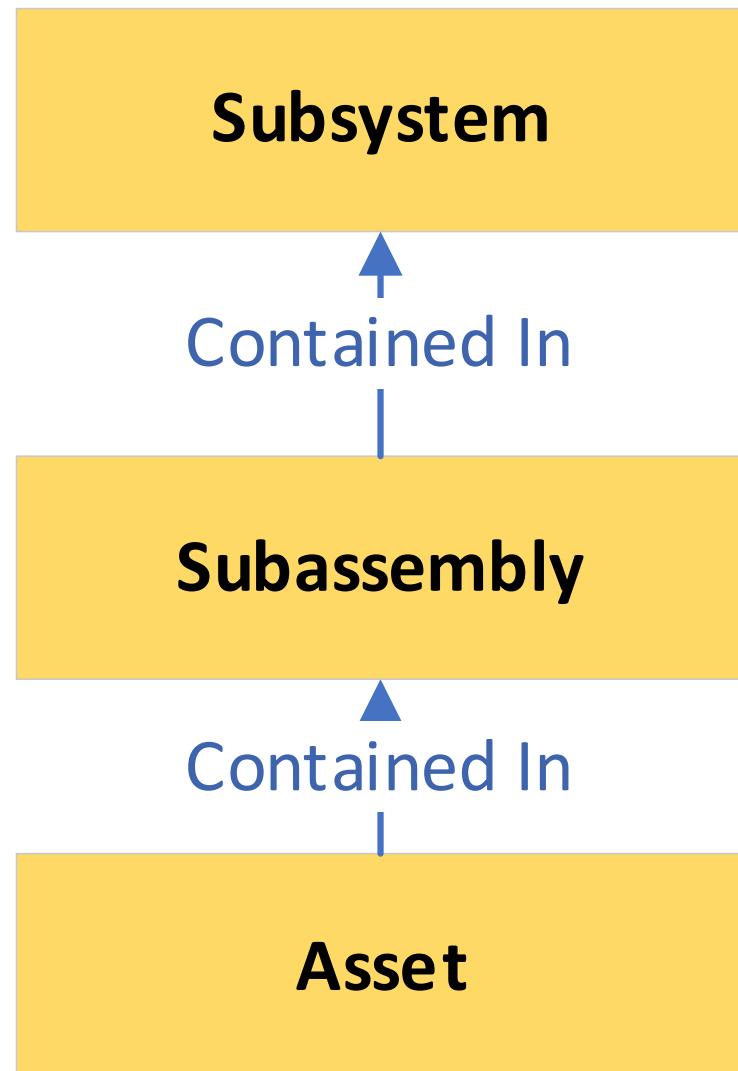
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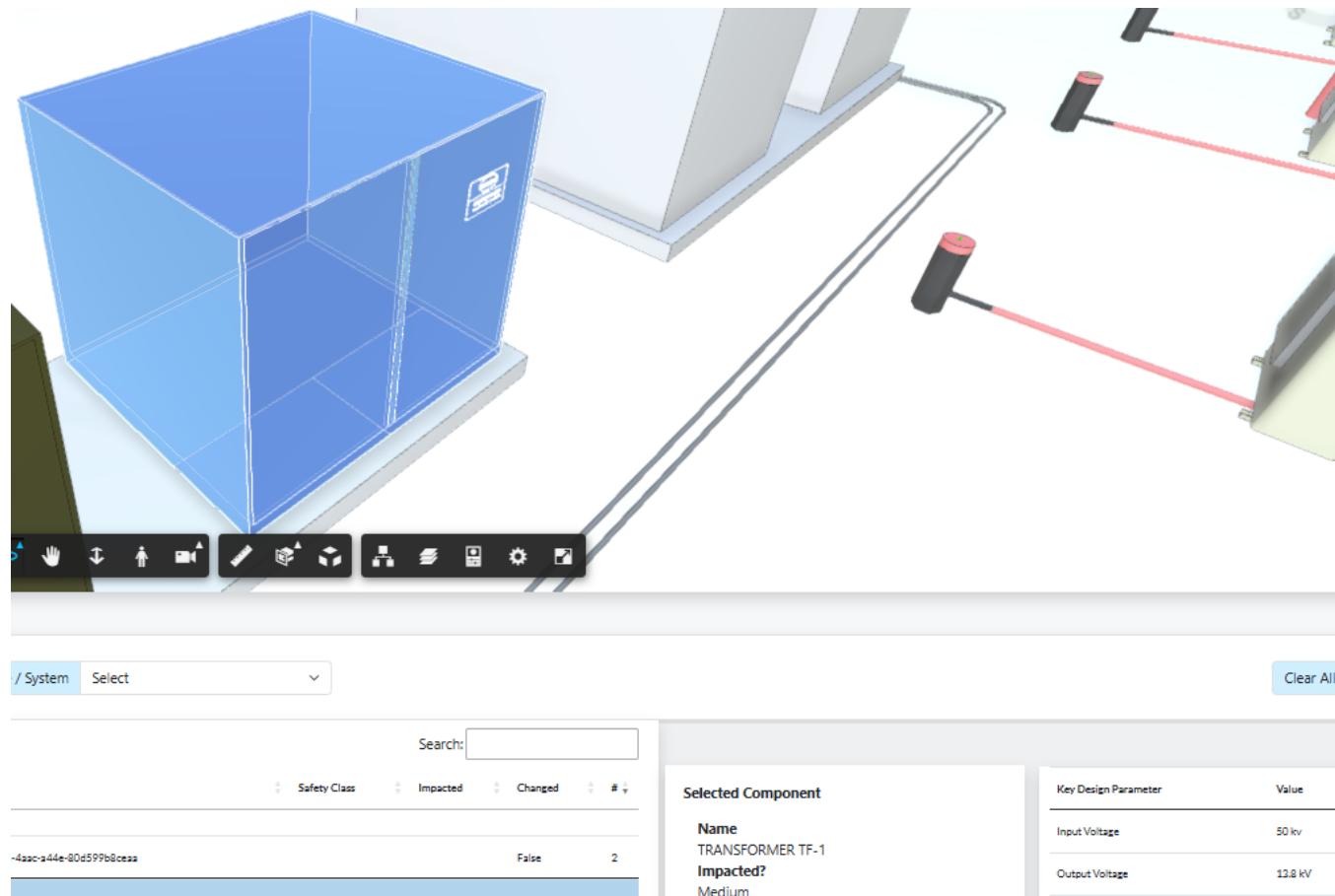
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- ✓ HVAC
 - ✓ Ventilation subassembly GF-12
 - ↳ [Component Functional Allocation] to Ventilate air from a room/s
 - Air Terminal
 - Ventilation Duct
 - Fan
 - ✓ Air supply subassembly GF-12
 - ↳ [Component Functional Allocation] to Supply air to a room/s
 - A/C to Air Handling Unit Duct
 - Air Handling Unit
 - AHU to Room Duct
 - Air Terminal



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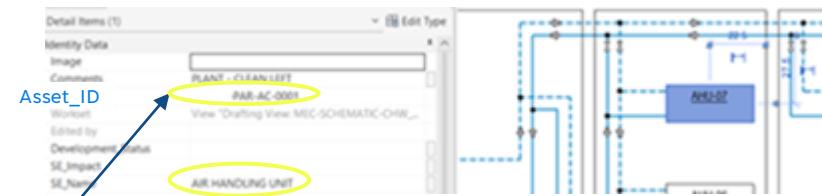


- Asset
- Parameter [Param]
- TRANSFORMER TF-1
 - RESAN_Domain.RESAN_Data
 - PUID = <undefined>
 - SE_RESAN_1_Name = Input Voltage
 - SE_RESAN_1_Value = 50 kv
 - SE_RESAN_2_Name = Output Voltage
 - SE_RESAN_2_Value = 13.8 KV
 - SE_RESAN_3_Name = Power Rating
 - SE_RESAN_3_Value = 50 kVA
 - SE_RESAN_4_Name = Frequency
 - SE_RESAN_4_Value = 50Hz
 - SE_RESAN_5_Name = MTBF
 - SE_RESAN_5_Value = 10 Years

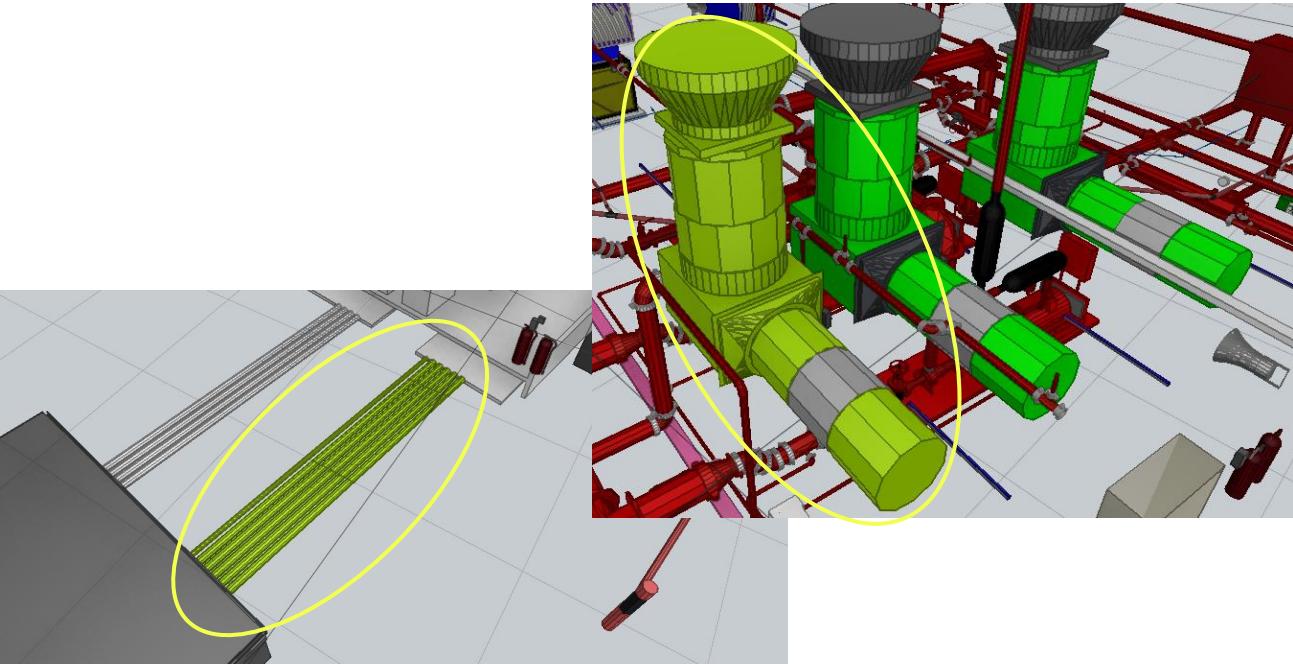
Key Design Parameters captured in the 3-d Models and 2-s schematics

Annotation	
EQUIPMENT	
AREA-SBS-XX-NNNN(A)	eg. AET-CP-0001
Where:	
AREA	Area number
SBS	System breakdown structure
XX	Equipment type (per Equipment tab)
NNNN	Unique number
[A]	Duty/Standby/Assist Equipment

Component Type	Key Design Parameter 1	Key Design Parameter 2	Key Design Parameter 3	Key Design Parameter 4	Key Design Parameter 5
AIC Controller - UV	Low Low Alarm Set Point	Low Alarm Set Point	High Alarm Set Point	Reliability	Oil free (Inhalable)
Air Compressor	Volume Flowrate	Flow Point	Reliability	Design Pressure	
Actuator - Positioner	Normal Operating Range	High Alarm Set Point	Normal Alarm Set point	Reliability	
AI/TT Sensor - Reliability	Normal Operating Range	High Alarm Set Point	High High Alarm Set point	Reliability	
Burner	Capacity	Earthquake Rating	High High Alarm Set point	Reliability	
Cooling Filter	Capacity	Design Pressure Drop	Operating temperature	Changerd Frequency	
Fan	Capacity	Design Flowrate	Design Pressure Drop	Operating temperature	Mechanical construction
Exhaustor	Capacity	Power	Evaporation Rate	High High Alarm Set point	
FIT Flow Meter	Reliability	Flow Point	High Alarm Set Point	Reliability	
FIT Flow Meter - Remote	Low Low Alarm Set Point	Low Alarm Set Point	High Alarm Set Point	Reliability	
FSW Sensor - Flow Switch	Nominal Bore Pipe Diameter	Material	Schedule Thickness	Humidity/Humidity	
HEPA Filter	Filteration Efficiency	Design Pressure Drop	Design Pressure Drop	Changerd Frequency	
Housing	Design Pressure Drop	Design Pressure Drop	Design Pressure Drop	Acuity Limit (kg)	
Indoor Exchange Media	Change Volume	Design Bed Fluid	Resin Material	Changerd Frequency	
LIT Sensor - Level	High Alarm Set Point	High Alarm Set Point	High Alarm Set Point	Reliability	
LIT Sensor - Level Switch	Low Alarm Set Point	High Alarm Set Point	High Alarm Set Point	Reliability	
LSM Sensor - Level	High Alarm Set Point	Reliability	High Alarm Set Point	Reliability	
Motor	Max RPM	Max RPM	Max Operating Temperature	Shaft Torque	Design Speed
Motor - V-Axis	Motor Rating	Reliability	Shaft Torque	Shaft Torque	
PI Sensor - Differential Pressure	High Alarm Set Point	High Alarm Set Point	High Alarm Set Point	Reliability	
PI Sensor - Pressure	High Alarm Set Point	High Alarm Set Point	High Alarm Set Point	Reliability	
PIT Sensor - Pressure	Low Alarm Set Point	High Alarm Set Point	High Alarm Set Point	Reliability	
Programmable Logic Controller	HTBF (Mean Time Between Failures)	Operating Temperature	Power	Reliability	
Sampling Tool	Sampling Type (Solenoid/PD)	Design Pressure	Design Head	Reliability (per year of operation)	Mechanical Seal
SCADA	HTBF (Mean Time Between Failures)	Operating Temperature	Power		
Switch - Flow	High Alarm Set Point	Reliability			
Switch - Head	Low Alarm Set Point	Reliability			
Tank	Working Volume	Total Capacity	Material	Thickness	
III Sensor - UV	High Alarm Set Point	High High Alarm Set point	Max Intensity (UVW/cm²)	Reliability	
AIR HANDLING UNIT	Value - Ball	Design Pressure	Reliability	Actions Per Year	Operating/temperature
Value - Ball	Value Diavtive	Design Pressure	Reliability (per year)	Design Differential Pressure	
Value - Non-Return	Value Diavtive	Design Pressure	Reliability	Reliability	
Value - Return	Value Diavtive	Design Pressure	Reliability	Release Capacity	
Vessel	Capacity	Design Pressure	Design Temperature		



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RESAN ties each link of the digital chain together

Connected Digital Thread

Linked BIM & Schematic Design

Change & Impact Detection

Key Asset Data

Traced Requirements & Hazards

Dependency Detection

Complete Digital Thread

DIGITAL GOLDEN THREAD

The image displays a 3D building model with various components like tanks and pipes. Below it is a screenshot of the RESAN software interface showing a table of components and their details. At the bottom, there's a conceptual diagram of a 'DIGITAL GOLDEN THREAD' formed by four interlocking links, each representing a different engineering discipline: REQUIREMENTS ENGINEERING, DESIGN ENGINEERING, MBSE, and DIGITAL ENGINEERING.

Work Package	Design Element	Structure / System	Components	PUID	Safety Class	Impacted	Changed
Unclass WP	SubStn	SubStn HV	SubStn HV	422e6bf3-e6ac-4d95-b2f9-6cb1228729ff	False	25	
Unclass WP	SubStn	SubStn HV	HV EQUIPMENT ROOM 02 SubAssembly	79ab0095-2a79-4666-98d6-4590ae11587	False	5	
Unclass WP	SubStn	SubStn HV	HV EQUIPMENT ROOM 01 SubAssembly	8312542b-92fb-4910-934b-ac7397728579	False	5	
Unclass WP	SubStn	SubStn HV	HV EQUIPMENT ROOM 02	2061b536-4ebc-4324-0e0b-ba31d4ae9628	Medium	False	1

DIGITAL DATA CHAIN



Now a slower time look at the interface

Lessons – Successes + Opportunities

- **Organisational / Planning**
 - Designers contribute effectively when future value is clearly communicated.
 - Early budgeting and planning are essential for successful delivery of new initiatives. RESAN is no different.
 - Maintaining consistent communication supports alignment and progress.
- **Technical**
 - An agreed Ontology including the SBS and naming convention is a must have
 - RESAN is adaptable to what is important
- **Value**
 - The customer was excited by the through life support use cases
 - The engineering team members had views on what is important based on their roles
 - It is difficult, but not impossible to show value early
 - A focus on requirements early helps
 - A focus on subsystems architectures soon after is an opportunity
 - The later in the lifecycle, the more traceability there is and therefore the value it shows

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