# Chapter 4

# Methodology

# 4.1 What is a Cruise Control System

A Cruise Control System (CCS) is one of the important systems in vehicles to help drivers control the speed of the vehicle while driving, especially over long distances. In this system, the driver can adjust the speed according to his desire and leave the pressure on the accelerator pedal, and then the system is an alternative to control the required speed without the need to press the accelerator pedal.

in addition to maintaining a constant velocity, this system accelerates or decelerates the vehicle without using the accelerator pedal.



Figure 4.1: Cruise control system in the car

The ways in which the CCS is used vary based on the automobile man-

ufacturer, but they all follow the same basic idea. As shown in the figure above, this system typically includes a number of buttons.

- on/off
  The driver uses it to activate or deactivate the CCS.
- ACC
   It is used to increase vehicle acceleration
- SET
  When you need to maintain the speed, this button is used
- The CCS is immediately terminated in the cruise system if the brake pedal is depressed, therefore if the driver wishes to return to the last set speed, he will utilize this button.
- COAST

  It is used to decelerate the vehicle's speed

# 4.1.1 Automatic vehicle speed control(AVSC) software

A software that simulates the work of the CCS. Since there are issues in implementing the research to the actual cruise system in automobiles, this program will be refactored to be safer utilizing a new agile method proposed the figure 4.2 represents the simulator software's user interface.

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The simulator contains buttons similar to the work of the real system of cruise control in vehicles:

- Arrancar/Apagar
  Simulate engine start and shutdown.
- Acelerar used to boost a speed
- Pisar Freno

When this button is pressed, the brake pedal action is simulated as the speed is slowed down and the speed limit is canceled

- Parar
  It is used to decelerate the speed
- Mantener

  This button set the speed to a specified level.
- Reniciar
  Returns to the previous speed level

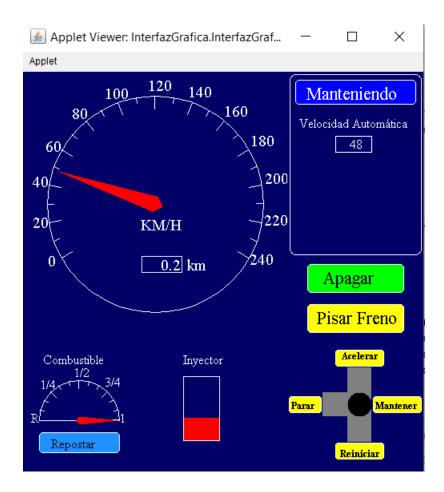


Figure 4.2: AVSC simulator

In addition, the simulator user interface displays the speedometer (gauge), the distance driven in kilometers per hour, the quantity of fuel injection, and the fuel consumption, and when the cruise is set, the selected speed is displayed.

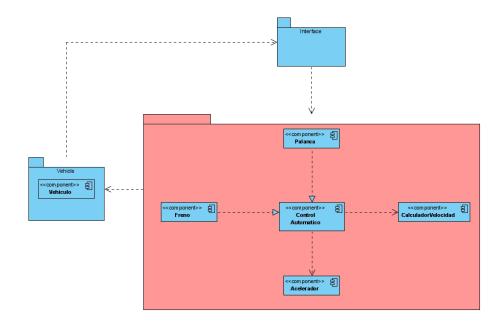


Figure 4.3: Components Diagram for simulator software

The simulator program includes three main packages as shown in the figure 4.3:

# 1. ControlAutomatico manages the automatic vehicle's speed control.

#### 2. InterfazGrafica

responsible for creating the applet that will run the application, is composed of four panels each in charge of a part of the vehicle, the speedometer, the lever, the automatic control panel and the fuel monitor and the injector. In addition, it initializes all the objects to be used in the application

#### $3. \ Simulador Vehiculo$

Responsible for simulating the operation of the vehicle and sending vehicle data to the interface

So because automatic control package is in responsible for controlling the speed, the use case 4.4 demonstrates how it performs.

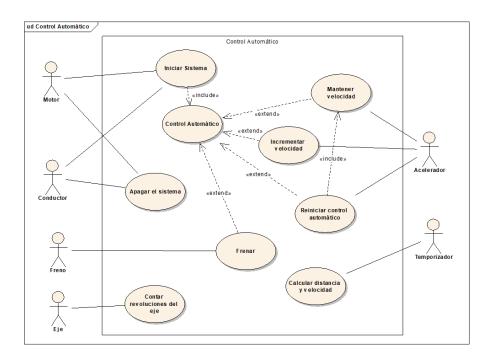


Figure 4.4: Use-case of speed automatic control

# 4.2 A proposed new agile approach for developing safety-critical systems

To develop SCS using an agile methodology, we have proposed a method that is used for the first time to the best of our knowledge, covering different phases of the development life cycle of this type of system, The following figure presents the general structure of the proposed approach.

This approach is divided into four major sections, which are described below:

#### 1. Product backlog

It is the first step in our proposed method because, as in the agile methodologies, the requirements to be developed in it are collected. In this step, we collect the functional and safety requirements but separately from each other. The authors[68, 32] advise to make this separation between requirements, safety requirements are usually clearer and more stable compared to functional requirements change over time. This helps us identify and emphasise safety requirements. The following phase will make more sense of the safety analysis of these requirements.

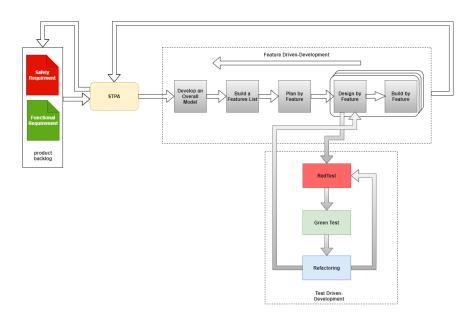


Figure 4.5: A proposed agile method

#### 2. System-Theoretic Process Analysis (STPA)

At this stage, we analyze safety at the system level, which is an important phase in the life cycle of SCS to determine safety requirements. This phase receives system requirements, whether functional or non-functional, and analyzes the relationship between the various components of the system, whether hardware, software, agent, or environment. As a result of the hazard analysis, the product backlog will be provided with more comprehensive and accurate safety requirements. In our research, we preferred to use the (STPA) technology because it is a modern technology, it has been successfully applied in various fields such as automobiles, aviation, and medical systems[74], it gives good results when used in complex systems, and it can be used in various stages of the system development process, either at the beginning or at the end, in addition to using it with agile methodologies successfully as in Safe Scrum[75].

#### 3. Test-Driven Development (TDD)

To boost productivity and enhance the design, we use TDD at this step before proceeding to the FDD's design phase[8, 13, 67]. As a result, it is better to conduct failure tests based on the causal factors that arise as a result of the implementation of STPA. As an outcome, the test-first approach improves the design, and failure in the system is avoided as early as feasible before the developers create the code.

#### 4. Feature-Driven Development (FDD)

This phase is considered the initiation of the development process, during which we picked the FDD methodology as one of the agile approaches, with minor modifications as indicated in the figure 4.5, to address the requirements of developing SCS.

This method is suitable for large and complex systems, which is one of the features of SCS[53, 4]. In addition to the emphasis of this method on the design and building process, we also aim to focus in the development of software and production of a high-quality product[57], accompanied with good documentation.

# 4.3 Risk assessment test cases

In this section, we will put the AVSC simulator to the test by introducing several potentially hazardous scenarios that could lead to violating safety requirements. Before we begin the tests, we would like to clarify some of the variables that affect speed control, based on their names in the code, as shown in the table below.

Variable name	Description
MaxInyector	The maximum amount of fuel injec-
	tion is 100, which is also it's a de-
	fault value.
CteACELERACION	represents the ratio at which we
	want to increase the maximum fuel
	input to the motor, and the default
	value is 5.
rozamientoSuelo	Represents the ground resistance to
	wheel rolling and its default value is
	0.05.
rozamientoAire	Represents the air resistance and its
	default value is 0.004318.
velocidad	Represents the current vehicle
	speed.
velocidadAutomatico	Represents the value of the main-
	tained speed.

Table 4.1: Variables that affect vehicle speed

#### 4.3.1 Unsafe acceleration scenario

At first, We made a simple change in the original code so that we could carry out the tests. Results were documented only if entries were within acceptable limits. Then we entered variables and data outside the acceptable range to examine the change in the system's behavior and make sure that unsafe outputs occurred. We assumed the execution time was (10) seconds to check the behavior of the system during this period. Before proceeding with test cases, we will call the classes and methods that are necessary to program test cases and are repeated in most of them, the "Run" method in the four classes (ControlAutomatico, Vehiculo, Acelerador, Calculador Velocidad) is executed before any test, as shown in the figure 4.6.

```
3⊕ import static org.junit.Assert.*;
16
17 public class VehicleTest {
         Vehiculo Vehiculo = new Vehiculo(null);
18
         Acelerador acelerador = new Acelerador(Vehiculo);
CalculadorVelocidad CalculadorVelocidad = new CalculadorVelocidad(Vehiculo);
19
20
21
22
         ControlAutomatico ControlAutomatico = new ControlAutomatico(acelerador,CalculadorVelocidad);
23<sup>©</sup>
24
         @BeforeClass
         public static void setUpBeforeClass() throws Exception {
25
26
27
28<sup>©</sup>
         @Before
         public void setUp() {
29
30
31
32
              Vehiculo.maxInyector=300;
ControlAutomatico.CteACELERACION=10;
               ControlAutomatico.estado=0; // 0 mean Aceleration mode
33
34
35
36
37
               ControlAutomatico.run();
               Vehiculo.run();
```

Figure 4.6: illustrate classes, methods, and variables called in the test case

In this scenario, we will have simulated unintended acceleration during the previously specified period (10s), and the vehicle's acceleration behavior was checked when:

# 1. The maximum fuel injection is more than the specified value.

Test case section	Details
Variables	MaxInyctor = 300
variables	CteACELERACION = 5
Test Description	In this test, we changed the Max value of the in-
	jection ("MaxInyctor") while fixing the amount
	of increase of the injection in a normal value
	("CteACELERACION") to illustrate the impact
	of the maximum injection on the speed, as the
	normal max value of injection is 100.
Test Result	We notice a rapid increase in acceleration in 10
	s., i.e., the speed reaches 170 km / hour in only
	10 s., while in safe mode the speed reached would
	have been 55 Km/h. A margin of error was
	imposed on the test case and, therefore, we as-
	sumed that if there is an increase of up to 2 units
	over the normal limit, we would not consider an
	unsafe state has been reached and safety test has
	failed.

Table 4.2: Details of Test Case 1

Figure 4.7: Running Test Case 1

## 2. Injecting too much fuel in a specified period of time.

Test case section	Details
Variables	MaxInyctor = 100
variables	CteACELERACION = 10
Test Description	In this test, we examine the effect of chang-
	ing the value of the injector ("CteACELERA-
	CION"), whose safe value we know to be 5, and
	in the test we assign the value 10 while keeping
	the value of the max value of the injection in its
	normal position, for the purpose of checking the
	effect.
Test Result	The test failed because the speed exceeded the
	limit set, which is 3 km/h per second, this value
	was obtained in the normal situation, which is 5
	for ("CteACELERACION")

Table 4.3: Details of Test Case 2

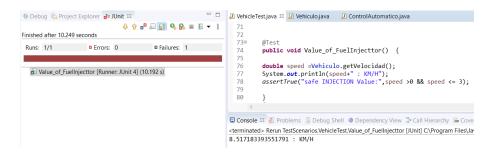


Figure 4.8: Running Test Case 2

## 3. Change in the fuel mixing equation.

Test case section	Details
Variables	MaxInyctor = 100
variables	CteACELERACION = 5
	Inyector * 0.01 To *0.03
Test Description	Changing the value multiplied by the value of
	the injector and its effect on the amount of ac-
	celeration.
Test Result	The test failed because a very high acceleration
	was produced, unintentionally. The test was first
	performed for a normal case and, therefore, a
	speed of 55 km/h. m. was obtained. By chang-
	ing the equation, however, a speed value of 168
	km/h. m was obtained, which was far from the
	speed value of the normal case.

Table 4.4: Details of Test Case 3

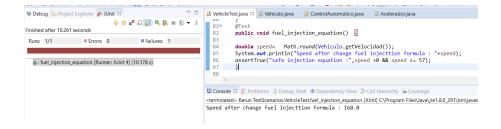


Figure 4.9: Running Test Case 3

4.	Change	$_{ m in}$	ground	friction	and	their	effect	on	acceleration.

Test case section	Details
Variables	MaxInyctor = 100
variables	CteACELERACION = 5
	rozamientoSuelo = 0.002
Test Description	A decrease in the degree of friction with the
	ground leads to an increase in acceleration, ac-
	cording to the formula for calculating the veloc-
	ity.
Test Result	The test failed due to a speed increase of $2 \text{ km/h}$
	from the normal limit

Table 4.5: Details of Test Case 4

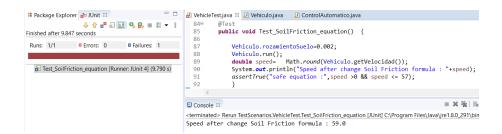


Figure 4.10: Running Test Case 4

## 5. Change in air resistance and their effect on acceleration

Test case section	Details
Variables	MaxInyctor = 100
variables	CteACELERACION = 5
	rozamiento Aire = 0.00008
Test Description	A decrease in the coefficient of friction with the
	air causes an increase in acceleration, according
	to the formula for calculating the vehicle's speed.
Test Result	The test failed due to poor air resistance, result-
	ing in unintended acceleration

Table 4.6: Details of Test Case 5



Figure 4.11: Running Test Case 5

# 6. Check X value of Acceleration(CteACELERACION).

Test case section	Details		
Variables	MaxInyctor = 100		
variables	CteACELERACION = 10		
Test Description	In this test, we examine the effect of chang-		
	ing the value of the injector ("CteACELERA-		
	CION"), whose safe value we know to be 5, and		
	in the test we assign the value 10 while keeping		
	the value of the max value of the injection in its		
	normal position, for the purpose of checking the		
	effect.		
Test Result	Failure of the system behavior occurs when the		
	injector value ("CteACELERACION") is raised		
	to 10, which causes acceleration by two seconds		
	less than allowable limit.		

Table 4.7: Details of Test Case 6

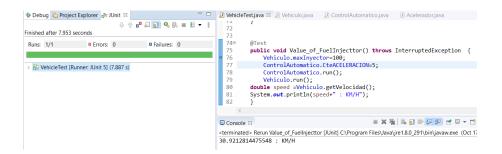


Figure 4.12: Running Test Case 6 in normal state

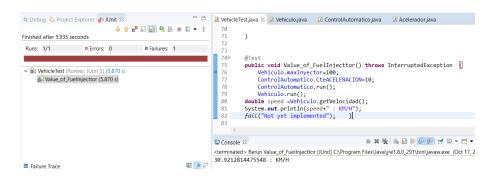


Figure 4.13: Execution of the test case 6 in unsafe state

7. Checking the distance traveled during a given period if we had not set the speed to any specific value.

Test case section	Details
Variables	MaxInyctor = 300
Variables	CteACELERACION = 15
Test Description	Check the distance if the injector value exceeds
	the normal limit.
Test Result	The result of this test is certainly an excessive
	increase in the distance traveled because the ac-
	celeration increases, another reason why this test
	was performed was to make sure that it also af-
	fects other functions of the program.

Table 4.8: Details of Test Case 7

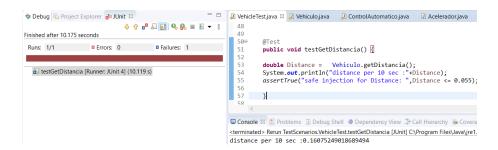


Figure 4.14: Running Test Case 7

#### 8. Check injector value

Test case section	Details
Variables	MaxInyctor = 300
variables	CteACELERACION = 5
Test Description	Checking the current value of the injection after
	10 seconds of execution.
Test Result	The test has failed because the value of the vari-
	able that controls the injection of the vehicle has
	exceeded the safety limit (100), this value being
	the upper limit that must not be exceeded.

Table 4.9: Details of Test Case 8

Figure 4.15: Running Test Case 8

#### 4.3.2 Unsafe deceleration scenario

This scenario is similar to the previous one, but we will examine the factors that affect the speed deceleration, and the system is in acceleration mode. We assume that the speed of the vehicle is  $180~\rm{km/h}$  and tests will be done for a given period of time to show the effect ,

the classes, methods, and variables that were used before each test case was executed for deceleration as in 4.16,

Figure 4.16: illustrate classes, methods, and variables called in the deceleration test scenario

deceleration behavior was checked when:

#### 1. Check the effect of air resistance

Test case section	Details
Variables	MaxInyctor = 100
Variables	velocidad = 120
	rozamiento Aire = 0.009318.
Test Description	To examine the effect of wind resistance when
	calculating the vehicle's speed in 25 s
Test Result	Test failed due to deceleration of more than 3
	km

Table 4.10: air resistance Test case 9

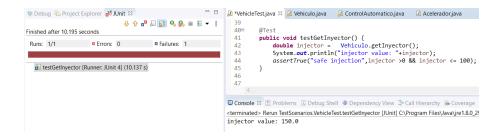


Figure 4.17: Running air resistance Test Case 9

## 2. Check the effect of ground resistance

Test case section	Details
Variables	MaxInyctor = 100
Variables	velocidad = 120
	rozamientoSuelo = 1.005
Test Description	To check the effect of ground resistance on the
	vehicle's forward speed calculation in 25 sec
Test Result	Test failed due to deceleration of more than 3
	km

Table 4.11: Ground resistance Test Case 10

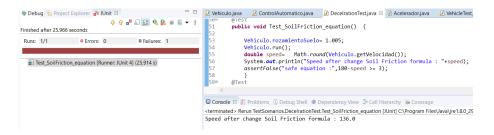


Figure 4.18: Running ground resistance Test Case 10

## 3. Check if the fuel injection value is too low

Test case section	Details		
Variables	MaxInyctor = 100		
Variables	velocidad = 120		
	CteACELERACION = 10		
Test Description	This test is used to test the effect of the injector		
	variable value being greater than required		
	during deceleration, this test used a Ve-		
	hiculo.disminuirInyector(CteACELERACION)		
	a method responsible for the slowdown of speed		
Test Result	The test failed because the difference between		
	the maximum allowable fuel injection value and		
	the current injection value exceeded 5, which is		
	the normal fuel injection value in the program.		

Table 4.12: Fuel injection test case 11 is less than required

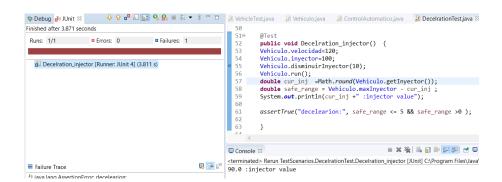


Figure 4.19: Execution of an inadequate fuel injection test case 11.

#### 4.3.3 Unsafe scenario when cruise control

In this section, we'll consider that the system is in cruise control mode and that there has been an unintentional acceleration or deceleration of the vehicle's speed.

#### 1. Unsafe acceleration

Test case section	Details	
Variables	velocidad = 90	
variables	velocidadAutomatico = 60	
Test Description	This test reveals any unintentional acceleration	
	that occurs while using cruise control.	
Test Result	The test case failed because there is a significant	
	difference between the set speed and the vehicle's	
	actual speed.	

Table 4.13: Test case 12 illustrate unintended acceleration during maintained speed  $\,$ 



Figure 4.20: running the test case 12 for unexpected acceleration with the cruise control engaged.

#### 2. Unsafe deceleration

Test case section	Details
Variables	velocidad = 50
variables	velocidadAutomatico = 60
Test Description	This test reveals any unintentional deceleration
	that occurs while using cruise control.
Test Result	The test case failed because there is a significant
	difference between the set speed and the vehicle's
	actual speed.

Table 4.14: Test case 13 illustrates unintended deceleration during maintained speed



Figure 4.21: running the test case 13 for unexpected deceleration with the cruise control engaged.

# 4.4 Implementation of the Proposed Method

In this part, we will implement our method, taking into consideration the ISO-26262 requirements.

#### 4.4.1 Product backlog

In this backlog, we will collect functional requirements and safety requirements independently to simplify the process of tracing safety requirements and conducting a hazard analysis. The requirements will be defined using the Easy Approach to Requirements Syntax (EARS) standard. see[47]For details, The requirements are collected according to what is available or obtained from the customer, and it is not necessary to specify which of the requirements will be worked on in advance or to determine the team that will accomplish them because when applying the section of the FDD there is another backlog responsible for this thing.

#### **Functional Requirements**

The purpose of functional requirements is to identify what tasks must be completed by the system and its behavior in order to correctly perform the specified functions. These requirements are frequently modified by the customer. In the following table 4.15, we will list a few of the system's most important essential needs.

Functional Re-	Description	
quirements No		
FR-1	FR-1.1 When <pre> <pre> the <accelerator> the</accelerator></pre></pre>	
T 10-1	vehicle shall be <a href="have an acceleration">have an acceleration</a>	
	FR-1.2 While <acceleration> the accelerator</acceleration>	
	shall < keep the acceleration > until the mode	
	is changed by the driver	
	FR-1.3 The <accelerator>shall <stop acceler-<="" td=""></stop></accelerator>	
	ating> when the brakes are applied>	
FR-2	FR-2.1 The <maintainer> shall <keep speed<="" td="" the=""></keep></maintainer>	
T 11-2	>at the same average	
	FR-2.2 When <maintainer is="" pressed="">, the</maintainer>	
	<pre><current speed=""> shall be saved</current></pre>	
	FR-2.3 The <maintainer>shall <stop keep<="" td=""></stop></maintainer>	
	cruising> when the  brakes> are applied	
FR-3	FR-3.1 The <resume> shall <return>to last</return></resume>	
1.11-9	saved speed	
	FR-3.3 when The <accelerator pressed=""> the</accelerator>	
	<resume>shall <canceling></canceling></resume>	

Table 4.15: Functional Requirements table

#### Safety Requirements

Generally, safety goals are more constant, although the specifications of these requirements might be challenging. According to ISO-26262, technical safety requirements, the system design architecture, and the hardware-software interface (HSI) should be addressed as prerequisites, As a result, the method of safety analysis (STPA) will assist us in identifying these requirements, and as depicted in the figure 4.5, In the following table, we specify the initial safety goals and relate the most relevant safety requirements with safety objectives to facilitate comprehension and make it simpler to trace and verify compliance with the requirements.

Safety Goals	How to achieve the safety goal
SG-1 Ensure that there is no	Monitor the system in case of unintended
unintended acceleration or de-	acceleration or deceleration.
celeration	
	maintain the safe speed cruising
	notify the driver when fault occurs

Table 4.16: Safety Goal table

Safety Require-	description
ments (SR) for	
SG1	
SR1	The <actuator> shall <run> from one program</run></actuator>
SR2	The <actuator> signal shall have a<range< td=""></range<></actuator>
	check>
SR3	while a <signal delayed=""> shall <send>error</send></signal>
	code
SR4	The <speed> value shall <send> from one pro-</send></speed>
	gram
SR5	while a <speed value=""> &lt; delayed&gt; shall <send< td=""></send<></speed>
	>error code
SR6	The <current speed=""> value shall have a <com-< td=""></com-<></current>
	pared> with a set speed
SR7	While the <current speed=""> is <delayed>, an</delayed></current>
	error signal should be <sent></sent>

Table 4.17: safety requirments table

#### **ASIL** Determination

According to the ISO-26262 standard, risks are classified into four categories, beginning with the lowest degree of risk (A) and progressing to the highest degree (D) Hazards that are identified as QM do not dictate any safety requirements". There are three specific variables to consider when determining the classification for the safety goal and safety requirements, namely:

- Severity: Indicates the level of survival in the event of a system failure. It is classified into four levels:
  - 1. S0: no injury.
  - 2. S1: mild and moderate injuries .
  - 3. S2: severe and potentially fatal injuries, with a good chance of survival
  - 4. S3:life-threatening injuries with a low chance of survival, as well as fatal injuries .
- Exposure: It reflects the probability that a hazard will occur.
  - 1. E0: It is extremely unlikely to occur.
  - 2. E1: Very little chance to occur.
  - 3. E2: Low probability.
  - 4. E3: Medium probability.

- 5. E 4: High probability.
- Controllability: The ability to avoid risk by controlling failure, whether through human intervention or system control.
  - 1. C0: controllable in general.
  - 2. C1: simply controllable.
  - 3. C2: normally controllable.
  - 4. C3: Uncontrollable.

The table below demonstrates how to determine the ASIL level in accordance with ISO 26262.

Severity class	Probability	Controllability class		
	class	C1	C2	C3
S1	E1	QM	QM	QM
	E2	QM	QM	QM
	<b>E</b> 3	QM	QM	Α
	E4	QM	Α	В
<b>\$</b> 2	E1	QM	QM	QM
	E2	QM	QM	Α
	E3	QM	Α	В
	E4	Α	В	С
<b>S</b> 3	E1	QM	QM	Α
	E2	QM	Α	В
	<b>E</b> 3	Α	В	С
	E4	В	С	D

Figure 4.22: ASIL determination table [51]

Referring to the previous table, we will determine the level of ASIL for each of the safety goal and safety requirements.

Safety Goals No	Severity	Exposure	Controllability	ASIL
SG-1	S2	E3	C3	ASIL B

Table 4.18: Safety goal ASIL determination

Safety requirments No	Exposure	Sever	Controlability	ASIL
SR1	E2	S1	C1	QM
SR2	E3	S2	C1	A
SR3	E3	S2	C3	В
SR4	E2	S1	C1	QM
SR5	E3	S2	C3	В
SR6	E4	S2	C2	В
SR7	E3	S2	C3	В

Table 4.19: Safety requirments ASIL determenation

# 4.5 Implementation of STPA

To initiate the analysis process utilizing STPA technology, with a general description of the system and an understanding of the components and their interactions, including agents. The system is typically described by displaying documents or explanations by specialists, resulting in the creation of a control structure diagram that simulates how the control of system components performs, The following figure shows a simplified diagram of the control structure of the cruise system

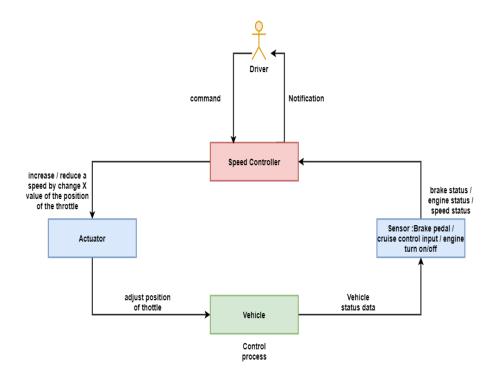


Figure 4.23: ccs control structure diagram

In this control structure, to comprehend how to control the speed, the driver sends commands to set the speed, the cruise control unit sends the appropriate signal to the actuator, who adjusts its position based on the inputs to it, the vehicle control unit handles the changes and sends the updated data to the speed control unit to check if the current speed equal to desired speed, and then notifies the driver of the current state.

# 4.5.1 Determine unsafe control action(UCA) and associated reasons.

In this section, we identify the actions that could lead to the hazards and the accidents that result from these actions.

#### Control actions

Referring to the figure 4.23, we will determine which control action (CA) lead to the risks:

CA1:Sending an X-value signal to the actuator from the automatic speed control unit

CA2:Send the amount of current speed

CA3:Compared the actual speed to the desired speed

#### Possible accidents as a result of unsafe actions

AC1:vehicle can collide with a vehicle in front of it, a barrier or even a pedestrian.

AC2: The possibility of colliding with another car from behind

#### Hazards predicted as a result of control actions

H1:Unintended acceleration of the vehicle when the speed is set, will lead to AC1.

H2:Unintended deceleration of the vehicle when the speed is set, will lead to AC2

Unsafe Control Action(UCA)					
control ac-	provided	not provided	Provided	provided	
tion			too(early/late)	too(long/soon)	
CA1	UCA1:not re-	UCA2: required	UCA3: too late	UCA4: too long	
	quired providing,	not providing,	lead to H2   too	lead to H1 Espe-	
	lead to H1.	lead to H2.	early:N/A	cially if signal it is	
				out of range	
CA2	UCA5:not re-	UCA6: required	UCA7: too late	UCA8: too long	
	quired providing,	not providing,	lead to H2   too	lead to H1 espe-	
	lead to H1 or H2	lead to H2	early:N/A	cially if a value it	
				is out of range	
CA3	UCA9:Available	UCA10: required	UCA11: too late	UCA12: too	
	but there is a	not providing,	lead to H2 , H1	long:N/A	
	big difference be-	lead to H1,H2	Depending on the	stooped to soon	
	tween the current	Depending on the	current speed	could lead to	
	speed and the	current speed	too early :N/A	H1,H2	
	desired speed,				
	will lead to H1 or				
	H2				

Table 4.20: STPA first step

# 4.5.2 Occasional factors

The technique in the next step evaluates the possible reasons and related causal scenario, as illustrated in table 4.21:

UCA No	crucial factors (CF)
UCA1	CF1 Send a signal to the same Actuator from another
	program
UCA2	CF2 Send a value equal to zero, or well below the range
UCA3	CF3 A hardware malfunction occurs in the signal
	transmission
UCA4	CF4 The signal is out of range
UCA5	CF5 sending data from another program
UCA6	CF6 data equal to 0 or not readable
UCA7	CF7 A hardware malfunction occurs in the signal
	transmission
UCA8	CF8 data out of range
UCA9	CF9 The influence of external factors that lead to
	significant acceleration or deceleration (resistance of
	ground or air, malfunction outside the speed control
	unit)
UCA10	CF10 A hardware issue with the data transfer or a
	significant delay transfer current speed
UCA11	CF11 significant delay transfer current speed
UCA12	CF12 significant delay transfer current speed

Table 4.21: STPA second step

# Constraints of safety

It is considered the last step of the STPA technology, in which we define the constraints that avoid or mitigate unsafe control actions from occurring and from which we can derive the safety requirements, The safety constraints in the table 4.22 will be considered for transformation into safety requirements in Section 4.4.1.

crucial factors NO	Safety constraints
CF1	Sending the control signal must be from one pro-
	gram
CF2	The signal range must be checked
CF3	monitor the timing of sending the signal
CF4	check signal range
CF5	The data must be sent from one program
CF6	check information range
CF7	monitor the timing of sending the signal
CF8	check information range
CF9	Monitor current speed with required speed every
	specified time period
CF10	Monitor data over time
CF11	Monitor data over time
CF12	Monitor data over time

Table 4.22: safety constraints for UCA

# 4.6 Application of the FDD

In this part, we will implement the FDD method, taking into account the outputs of the previous stages. We will use the ETVX(Entry,Tasks,Verification,Exit) template to formalize and clarify the implementation of tasks.

Section	Description	
Entry	A quick description of the procedure and a	
	list of requirements that must be satisfied	
	before the phase can begin.	
Tasks	A task list must be performed as part of	
	this procedure	
Verification	The method used to verify the outputs and	
	whether the criteria have been achieved.	
Exit	The outputs obtained	

Table 4.23: ETVX template

# 4.6.1 Develop an overall model

Section	Description
Entry	The inputs for this stage will be the requirements in the product backlog. It is acceptable to follow the same traditional steps to build the overall model. However, it is preferable that the requirements be subjected to a safety analysis to help us determine more accurate safety requirements so that the work team takes these requirements into account while developing the overall models. The constraints imposed by ISO 26262 must be taken into account. Those responsible for this step are domain experts, chief programmers, and chief architects.
Tasks	arcintects.
	1. Reviewing the proposed system.
	2. Separate the system into domains.
	3. Mapping each domain in accordance with the proposed safety requirements.
	4. Safety requirements are subject to ISO 26262 regulations.
	5. To create a simplified model for each domain.
	6. Then assemble these subsections into an overall model.
Verification	Verify that the model complies with safety requirements and ISO 26262 regulations.
Exit	
	1. Overall model.
	2. Basic class diagram.
	3. Notes on why the current overall model was chosen.

Table 4.24: First phase template

When reviewing how the cruise control system works, we can divide the system into two main domains. The first domain is where the actuator

controls the vehicle speed 4.24, and the second domain is where the value of the current speed is sent to the automatic speed control unit4.25, where it is compared to the speed at which the acceleration is required to be set.

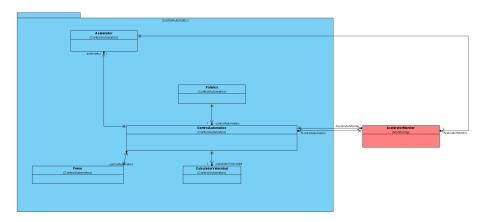


Figure 4.24: monitor acceleration domain

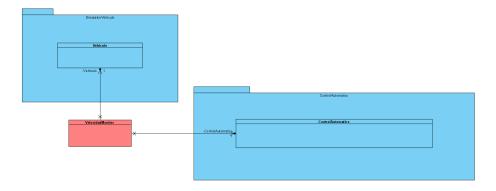


Figure 4.25: speed monitor domain

In this simplified class diagrams, we have added the components for monitoring the signal that may be out of the safe range, and these components are highlighted in red to distinguish them from the functional components, The safety requirements that we have obtained are in compliance with ISO 26262-6 7.4.12 safety mechanisms recommendations through error detection and error handling. The next step is to unify the previous two domains into a single, comprehensive model 4.26.

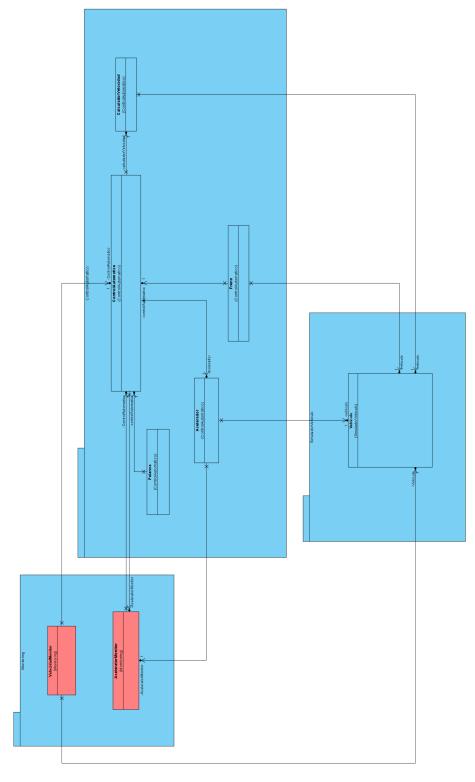


Figure 4.26: overall modeling

The previous model represents the general outline of the system, and we note that the software components responsible for safety are isolated and do not interfere with the work of the functional system; this is what is recommended in ISO 26262; To verify that the model meets safety requirements, Table 4.25 illustrates the matter. through this overall model, the features will be derived.

Safety re-	model validation notes			
quirements				
No				
SR1	According to the model, "Acelerador" will be only re-			
	sponsible for the actuator			
SR2	acelerator Monitor has a range check			
SR3	acelerator Monitor has a range check and sends an			
	error code if there is a signal delayed			
SR4	According to the model, "Vehiculo" will be only re-			
	sponsible for sending speed value			
SR5	According to the model, "VelocidiadMonitor" will			
	check the range and send an error code if there is a			
	delayed signal.			
SR6	According to the model, "VelocidiadMonitor" will			
	compare a current speed with a maintained speed.			
SR7	According to the model, "VelocidiadMonitor" will			
	compare a current speed with a maintained speed and			
	send an error code if there is a delayed signal.			

Table 4.25: Verification of overall model

# 4.6.2 Build a Features list

Section	Description			
Entry	an Overall Model			
Tasks	A group of Chief Programmers typically forms a team			
	to analyze the functional decomposition of the domain			
	based on the partitioning previously done by Domain			
	Experts. The team divides the domain into several			
	major areas, which are then divided into smaller sets			
	of activities. Each activity is further divided into indi-			
	vidual features. This process results in a hierarchical			
	list of features, Emphasis will be placed on areas of con-			
	cern in the domain of safety.			
Verification	The team evaluates the list of features that has been			
	produced, either internally or through external assess-			
	ment, considering the approval of the domain expert			
	on these list of features.			
Exit	The team generates a list of features organized into			
	categories, beginning with major feature sets (areas)			
	and proceeding to feature sets (activities) and individ-			
	ual features within those activities			

Table 4.26: second phase template

Feature	Major Fea-	Feature set	Feature Name
No	ture set		
F-1	Monitoring	Acceleration monitoring	Check the safe range of
			acceleration
F-2	Monitoring	Acceleration monitoring	Sending an error code to the speed control unit in case of failure
F-3	Monitoring	velocity monitoring	Compare current speed with the set speed value
F-4	Monitoring	velocity monitoring	Sending an error code to the speed control unit in case of failure

Table 4.27: features List table

# 4.6.3 Plan by Feature

Section	Description
Entry	The features list
Tasks	
	1. The project planning group includes the Project Manager, the Development Manager, and the Chief Programmers.
	2. Task the Chief Programmers with specific feature sets.
	3. Assign developers to specific classes.
Verification	The Project Manager, Development Manager, and Chief Programmers can assess the progress and effectiveness of the project through their active participation in the planning process. By engaging and using their expertise, these individuals can conduct a self-assessment and make informed decisions.
Exit	<ol> <li>The chief programmers are responsible for specific feature sets.</li> <li>List of class owners (developers).</li> </ol>
	3. A schedule indicating the target completion dates for major features (by month and year), feature sets (by month and year), and features (by week).

Table 4.28: third phase template

Monitoring as (Major Feature)					
Feature No	Feature set	Feature name	from date	to date	class name / de- veloper
F-1	Acceleration Monitoring	Check the safe range of accelera- tion	1/7	7/7	AceleratorMonitor / Zain
F-2	Acceleration Monitoring	Sending an error code to the speed control unit in case of failure	8/7	9/7	AceleratorMonitor / Zain
F-3	Velocity Monitoring	Compare current speed with the set speed value	10/7	17/7	VelocidadMonitor /Zain
F-4	Velocity Monitoring	Sending an error code to the speed control unit in case of failure	18/7	25/7	VelocidadMonitor /Zain

Table 4.29: timetable of the plan by feature

#### 4.6.4 Design by Feature

In the design stage, we must take into account the safety goal that must be achieved. From the above safety requirements, the following GSN diagram 4.27 facilitates an understanding of how to achieve that. In this phase, the Chief Programmer is in charge of organizing the development of features by selecting them from a group of assigned features and dividing them into smaller groups. They also assemble teams of developers to work on specific features, and the teams create in-depth diagrams for the chosen features. The chief programmer then reviews and updates the object model based on the diagrams, and the developers create class and method summaries. A verification of the design is also conducted.

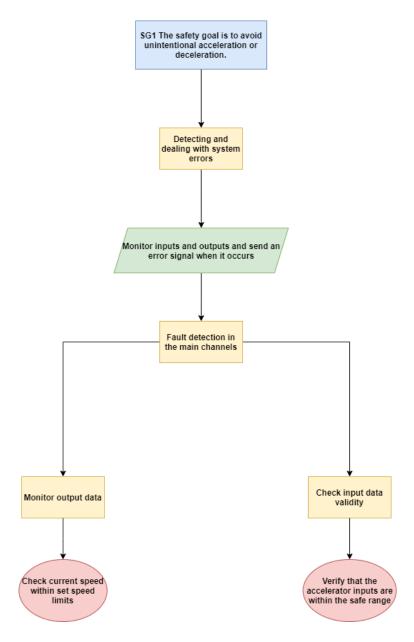


Figure 4.27: GSN diagram of safety goal

Section	Description
Entry	The FDD phase three has been successfully finished
	by the planning team.
Tasks	
	1. create sequence diagrams for features.
	2. create a design according to ISO 26262-6 7.4.3 recommendation.
	3. update an overall model
Verification	Verify the design according to ISO 26262-6 7.4.14
Exit	
	1. sequence diagrams .
	2. Alternative design according to safety and ISO 26262 requirements.
	3. An updated overall object model with classes, methods.

Table 4.30: design phase template

Table 4.29 will be employed to generate a sequence diagram for each feature:

• The following sequence diagram shows how to monitor unintended acceleration for feature (F-1).

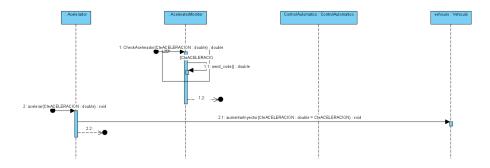


Figure 4.28: sequence diagram of acceleration monitoring

• The following sequence diagram illustrates the classes and methods responsible for comparing the current speed with the specified speed for feature F-3.

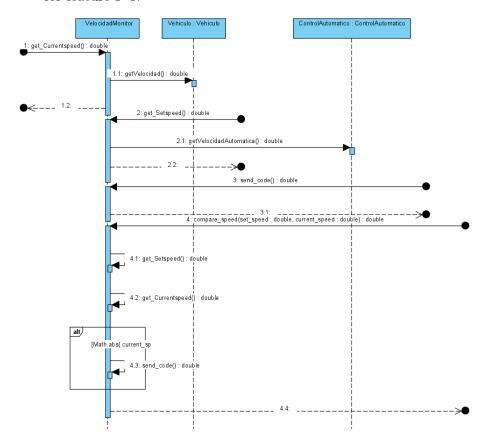


Figure 4.29: sequence diagram of monitoring current speed with set one

• The interface that will be utilized to create loose coupling will be used to deliver error codes to the automatic control unit, as illustrated by the sequence diagram for features F-2 and F-4 below.

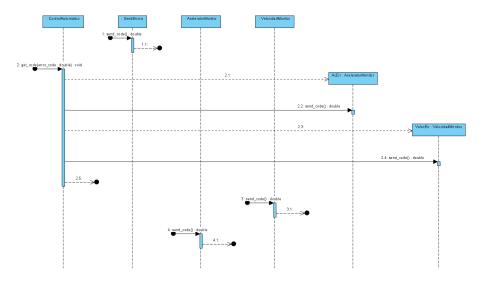


Figure 4.30: sequence diagram of sending errors code

According to ISO 26262 standards, software architecture design is subject to general principles based on ASIL classification, as shown in the table below, (+) indicates that it is recommended; (++) that it is highly recommended.

Principles		ASIL			
		В	С	D	
"Appropriate hierarchical structure of the software components"	++	++	++	++	
"Restricted size and complexity of software components"	++	++	++	++	
"Restricted size of interfaces"	+	+	+	++	
"Strong cohesion within each software component"	+	++	++	++	
"Loose coupling between software components"	+	++	++	++	
"Appropriate scheduling properties "	++	++	++	++	
"Restricted use of interrupts"	+	+	+	++	
"Appropriate spatial isolation of the software components"		+	+	++	
"Appropriate management of shared resources "	++	++	++	++	

Table 4.31: Software architectural design principles according to iso 26262-6 [2]

Usually, the system is divided into subsystems that perform a specific function or achieve a safety goal in accordance with ISO 26262. The safety requirements and objectives of these systems are classified according to ASIL. From the preceding, the part related to system monitoring and error detection has been classified as ASIL B, based on the safety goal and its primary function. From here, we will apply design principles according to their classification, as well as how to verify it.

To understand how the design will be, below is a description of the contents of the table 4.31.

- "Hierarchical structure of software components"

  The objective is attained by partitioning the large design blocks into smaller units. This is done by proceeding from System Level Software Elements to software components, and then to Software Sub-Components.
- "Restricted size and complexity of software components"
   The software component should be chosen based on its unique characteristics and functionalities.
- "Restricted size of interfaces"

  Restrict the amount of data transmitted between software components.
- "Strong cohesion within each software component"

  Based on the functionality that will be used, the software component with high cohesion is selected.
- "Loose coupling between software components"
   A system with loose coupling has components that can function independently of each other, and can be replaced or modified without affecting the overall system, Interfaces can be utilized to implement this.
- "Appropriate scheduling " consideration of the sequence of data transfer between software components.
- "Restricted use of interrupts"

  Using interrupt-based processing can cause the program to constantly switch to a different mode and thus affect execution scheduling.
- "Appropriate spatial isolation of the software components"
   Isolate software components in a separate memory that cannot be modified by other components.

• "Appropriate management of shared resources"

Manage access to resources and ensure no conflict between components to obtain resources.

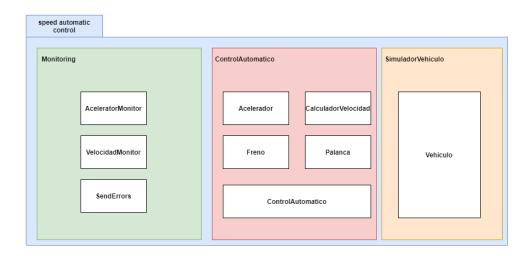


Figure 4.31: Basic hierarchical structure

Adhering to the design principles mentioned in table 4.31 will provide quality assurance and avoid potential failures in the system being developed. Therefore, building a software architectural design on a hierarchical structure based on the previous design principles enables us to comprehend how to code and how software components interact with one another. Each component of the system must be responsible for a specific function. one, as in the following figure 4.31, where the components that perform the monitoring function are grouped together, and thus we achieve strong cohesion among the components and reduce the unwanted complexity and interference. At the same time, a trade-off should be taken into account between increasing the complexity of the system and reducing the dependence between the components. Furthermore, isolating the components from one another makes it easier to manage shared resources while also reducing the use of interrupts and interest in special scheduling. By implementing a specific function for each component in the simulation environment, there is no possibility to physically isolate the components or use interrupts as in embedded systems, but threads are used to make the main components. It operates independently and has its own, albeit limited, memory. Figure 4.32 shows how each component contains its own sub-components that are isolated from each other as much as possible.

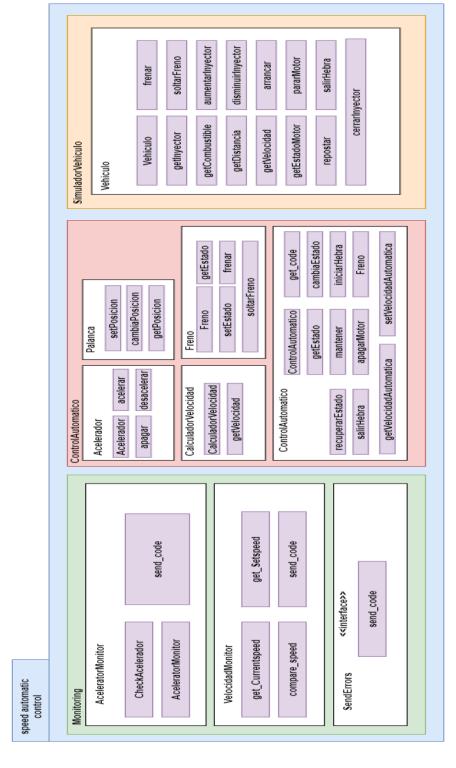


Figure 4.32: hierarchical of software components

To validate the design, ISO 26262 introduced several methods, as displayed in the table 4.32. The selection of the method is based on its capability to verify the identified safety requirements and its compatibility with the software's target environment. The "inspection of the design" method is suitable to validate our design by ensuring that the system complies with predefined safety requirements and that there are no outstanding safety requirements that have not been fulfilled.

Methods		ASIL			
Wethods	A	В	С	D	
"Walk-through of the design"	++	+	О	О	
"Inspection of the design"	+	++	++	++	
"Simulation of dynamic behaviour of the design "		+	+	++	
"Prototype generation"	О	О	+	++	
"Formal verification"	О	О	+	+	
"Control flow analysis"	+	+	++	++	
"Data flow analysis "	+	+	++	++	
" Scheduling analysis"	+	+	++	++	

Table 4.32: Verification methods for software architectural designs according to iso 26262-6 [2]

We can trace the features and verify that they were achieved in a simple manner using the table below.

Feature No	component name	check status
F-1	aceleratorMonitor	checked
F-2	sendcode interface	checked
F-3	VelocidadMonitor	checked
F-4	sendcode interface	checked

Table 4.33: Design checklist

Through the design requirements, an interface (send error) that was not present in the overall model has been added, and for this, the overall model will be updated as shown in figure 4.33 with the details of the classes and methods used.

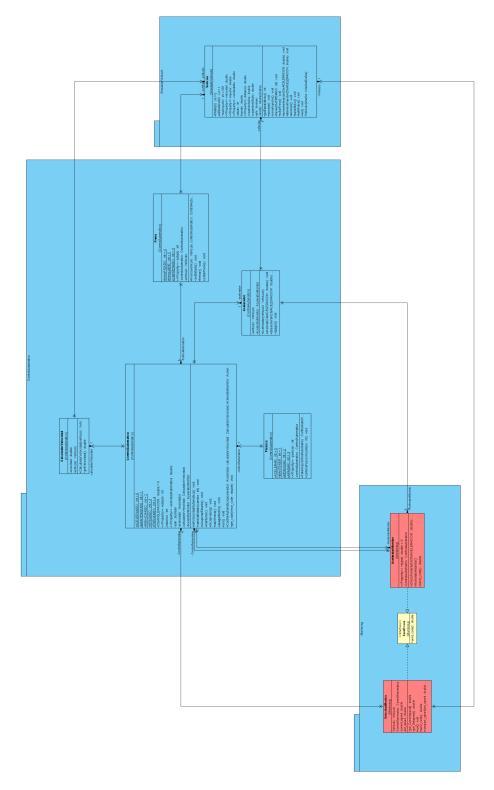


Figure 4.33: updated overall model

## 4.6.5 TDD

Applying this section to the components that have been added, the purpose of this is to avoid errors that face the design before the code is actually written. In the next stage, simplified tests will be written for the monitoring components.

## **Acceleration Monitor**

Acceleration monitoring will be done by checking the safe range of the inputs, in general. To implement TDD, the test is written before writing the code by creating a "Rangecheck" function, the following tables show test cases for the method we want to code later.

Input	Actual output	Expected output	Test Result
3.14	invalid	valid	fail
-1	valid	invalid	fail
10	valid	invalid	fail

Table 4.34: check range red test

Figure 4.34: red test Running check range test case

Input	Actual output	Expected output	Test Result
3.14	valid	valid	pass
-1	invalid	invalid	pass
10	invalid	invalid	pass

Table 4.35: check range green test

Figure 4.35: Running check range green test

## **Speed Monitoring**

In the cruise control system, it is critical to monitor whether the current speed is equal to the speed set by the driver. A function that compares the current speed to the set speed will be tested with a margin of error of 10 as a safe difference between the two speeds. Before writing the main code for this method, a test case will be written, indicating that this method performs a function, comparing the two speeds without going into more complex details, such as how to read the speeds or make them run on a separate thread because these details will be in the function's main code.

Input (current speed,	Actual output	Expected	Test Result
set speed)		output	
(85,70)	invalid	invalid	pass
(70,70)	valid	valid	pass
(58,70)	valid	invalid	fail

Table 4.36: Monitroring speed red test

Figure 4.36: Running monitoring speed test case

There is a failure in the test that was executed, and in the event of deceleration at the current speed, the function does not detect the error, and therefore a refactor will be made for the method in order for the test to pass. Errors that appear before the start of writing the actual code will be discovered before starting the next step, and this will reduce the effort and time on the work team.

Input (current speed,	Actual output	Expected	Test Result
set speed)		output	
(85,70)	invalid	invalid	pass
(70,70)	valid	valid	pass
(58,70)	invalid	invalid	pass

Table 4.37: Monitoring speed green test

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# Debug | Project Explorer # Servers | Full Init | Servers | Poped Compare | Pop
```

Figure 4.37: Running monitoring speed test case after refactoring

## 4.6.6 Build by Feature

Section	Description
Entry	phase 4 design by feature completed, with design inspected list.
Tasks	
	1. Class owners implement the requirements of the features that were previously defined, particularly the safety requirements.
	2. Each class owner will test the code to verify if it fits the feature requirements; these tests are often defined and detailed by the chief programmer.
	3. Inspection of the code, whether before or after testing or even during coding, is one of the chief programmer's tasks, and he or she must make a decision on it.
	4. After testing and code inspection are complete, the build of the class is released.
Verification	
	1. code inspection and unit test.
	2. unit design code inspection according to ISO 26262-6 8.4.
	3. Methods for verifying software units according to ISO 26262-6 9.4.2.
Exit	The completion of each feature and the classes associated with it after its promotion to the build via the completion of the inspection and testing on the code marks the end of this process.

Table 4.38: build by feature phase template

In addition to the requirements of the identified features, ISO 26262-6 specifies a number of principles that must be followed during implementation to avoid failure, and these principles must be available when the code inspection is performed.

Principles		ASIL			
		В	С	D	
"One entry and one exit point in sub-	++	++	++	++	
programmes and functions"					
"No dynamic objects or variables, or else online	+	++	++	++	
test during their creation"					
"Initialization of variables "	++	++	++	++	
"No multiple use of variable names"		++	++	++	
"Avoid global variables or else justify their us-		+	++	++	
age"					
"Restricted use of pointers"		++	++	++	
"No implicit type conversions"		++	++	++	
" No hidden data flow or control flow"	+	++	++	++	
" No unconditional jumps"	++	++	++	++	
" No recursions"	+	+	++	++	

Table 4.39: Design and implementation principles for a software unit in accordance with ISO 26262-6 [2]

As stated in the table below, ISO 26262 specifies different methods for testing software units, and we can use one or more of them. The fault-tolerance method is suitable for ensuring that the software unit detects an error.

Methods		ASIL			
		В	С	D	
"Walk-through"	++	+	О	О	
"Pair-programming"	+	+	+	+	
"Inspection"	+	++	++	++	
"Semi-formal verification"	+	+	++	++	
"Formal verification"	0	О	+	+	
"Control flow analysis"	+	+	++	++	
"Data flow analysis"	+	+	++	++	
"Static code analysis"	++	++	++	++	
" Static analyses based on abstract interpreta-		+	+	+	
tion"					
"Requirements-based test"	++	++	++	++	
"Interface test"	++	++	++	++	
"Fault injection test"		+	+	++	
"Resource usage evaluation"		+	+	++	
"Back-to-back comparison test between model	+	+	++	++	
and code, if applicable"					

Table 4.40: Methods for verifying software units in accordance with ISO 26262-6 [2]

Now we are testing implemented units that fulfil the features requirements :

• Accelerator monitor: The main idea of this function is to monitor the accelerator outputs to check if they are within the safe range, which is (0, 5), and if they are outside this range, an error code will be sent to the automatic speed control unit. We assumed that the error code that is sent is 1002 because there are no standardized fault codes among vehicle manufacturers.

Input	Actual output	Expected output	Test Result
3.14	0	0	pass
-1	1002	1002	pass
10	1002	1002	pass

Table 4.41: Accelerator monitoring test case 1

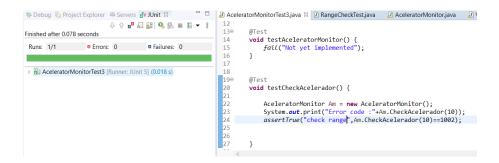


Figure 4.38: Running Accelerator monitoring test

• velocity monitor: In this software unit, the cruise control system will be monitored when the cruise is set, and whether the current speed is not accelerating or decelerating by 10 from the set speed. In case of an error, an error code will be sent to the automatic control unit.

Input (current speed,	Actual output	Expected	Test Result
set speed)		output	
(81,70)	1000	1000	pass
(70,70)	0	0	pass
(58,70)	1000	1000	pass

Table 4.42: Velocity Monitoring test case 2

Figure 4.39: Running Velocity monitoring test

Backward tracing will be used in this phase The purpose of backward traceability is to ensure that all parts of the software development process are linked and traceable, including testing and maintenance, Each feature is upgraded to build after testing, code inspection, and client acceptance.

Feature No	Requirement Descrip-	Implementation Com-	Test	Test
	tion	ponent	Case	Re-
			Iden-	sults
			tifier	
F-1	Monitor the output of	aceleratorMonitor.java	Test	pass
	the accelerator in case		case 1	
	the output is outside the			
	safe range			
F-2	Send error code 1002 to	SendErrors.java	Test	pass
	the automatic control in		case 1	
	case detect error			
F-3	Make a comparison of	VelocidadMonitor.java	Test	pass
	the current speed of the		case 2	
	vehicle with the speed			
	set by the driver, and			
	if the difference is more			
	than 10 km/h, an error			
	code is sent to the con-			
	trol unit.			
F-4	Send error code 1000 to	SendErrors.java	Test	pass
	the automatic control in		case 2	
	case detect error			

Table 4.43: Tracing backward features