

## CVT control software testing

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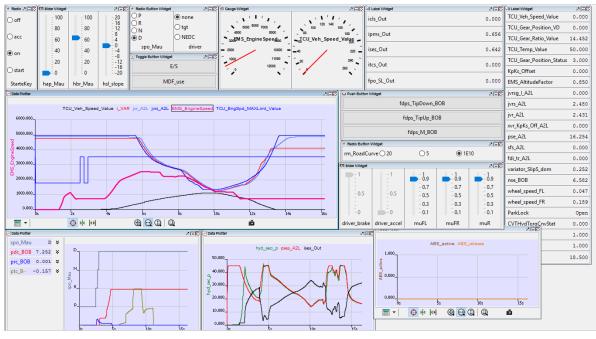
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## **Motivation**

## **Motivation and objectives**



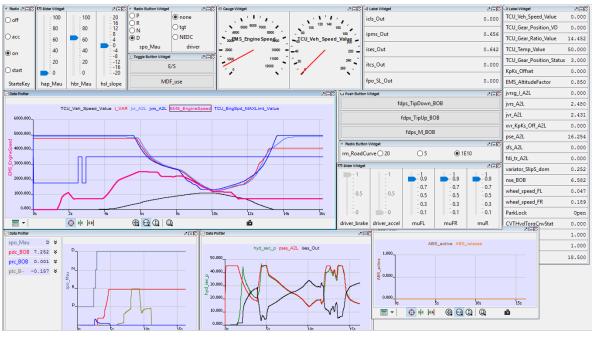
## Develop and test TCU control software

High quality vehicle model Realistic simulation

Interaction road - vehicle - hydraulics - TCU

Cover large number of test cases

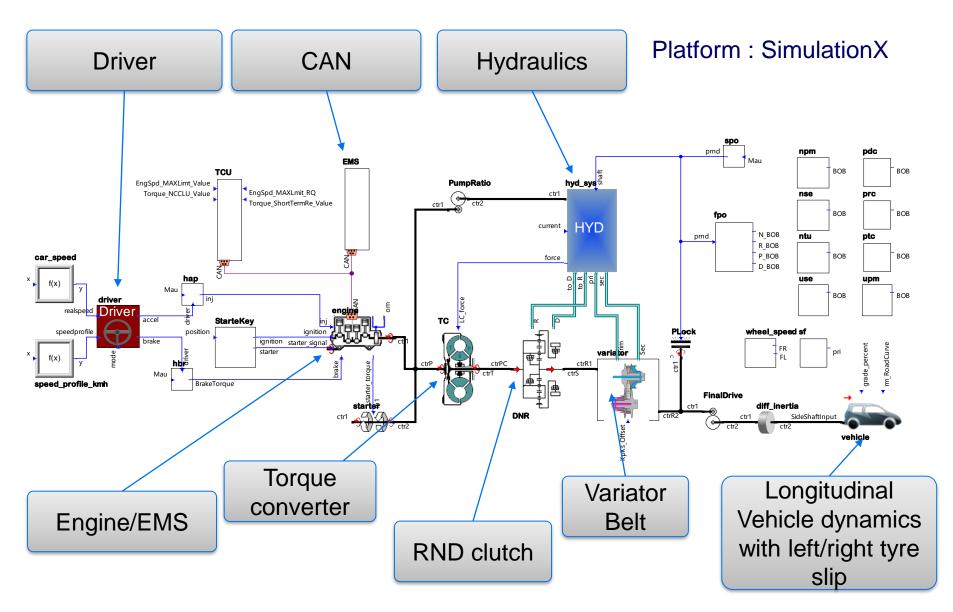




## Vehicle plant model

#### Vehicle model overview

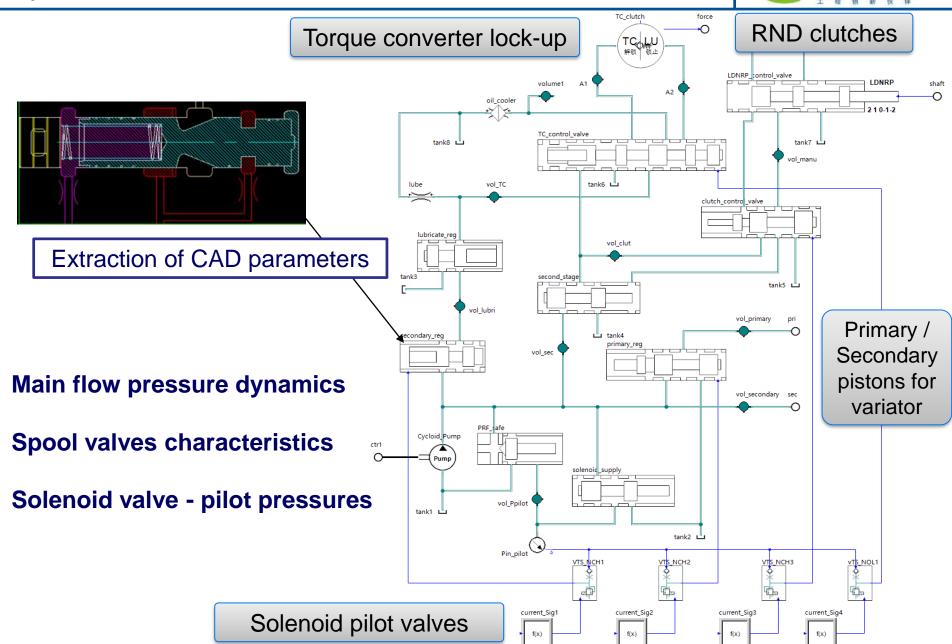




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## Hydraulic module

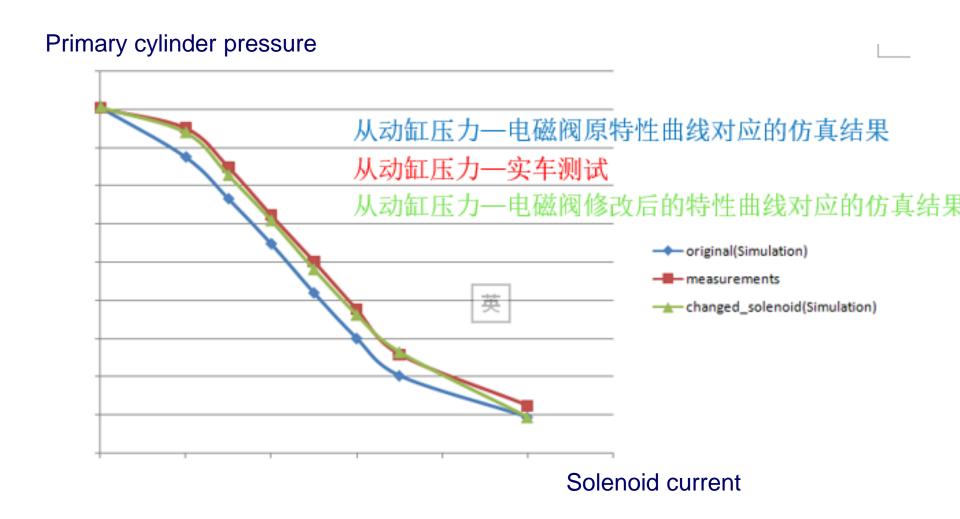




## Hydraulic Unit tests and validation



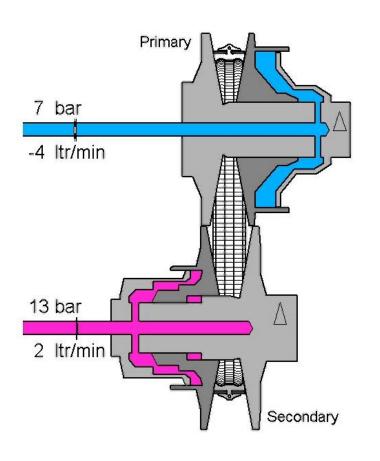
Adjustment of solenoid characteristics



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## Variator belt model concept





Variator ratio change by controlling primary/secondary pressure

$$\frac{di}{dt} = K_i n_{pri} (F_{pri} - F_{pri}^*)$$
Actual force

steady-state force required

$$P_{\sec mx} = \frac{T_{pri}\beta\cos\alpha}{2\mu_{\sec}R_{pri}A_{\sec}}$$

Max torque limit depends on pressure!

#### Real-time simulation



Adjustment of hydraulic volumes and mechanical stiffness

Fixed-step solver – 0.5 ms

~80 ODE state variables

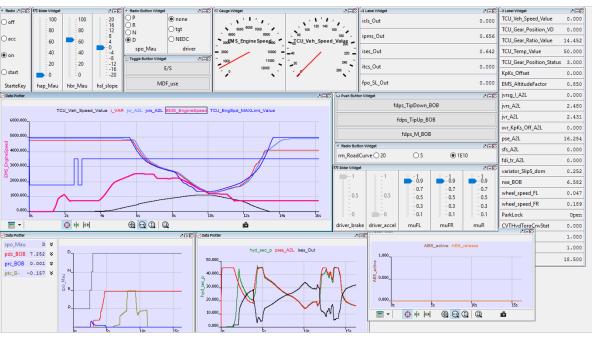
~200 inputs/outputs variables (CAN, sensors, actuators)

Code generation from SimulationX to FMU cosimulation

**Execution in QTronic Silver** 

Simulated time: 98.38s; Actual time spent computing: 18.62s; Speedup factor: 5.28

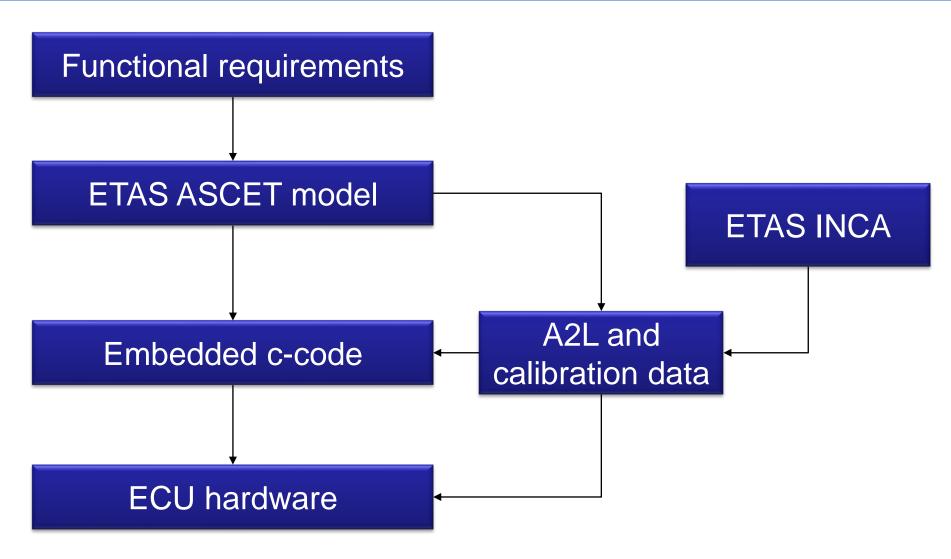




## **TCU** embedded software

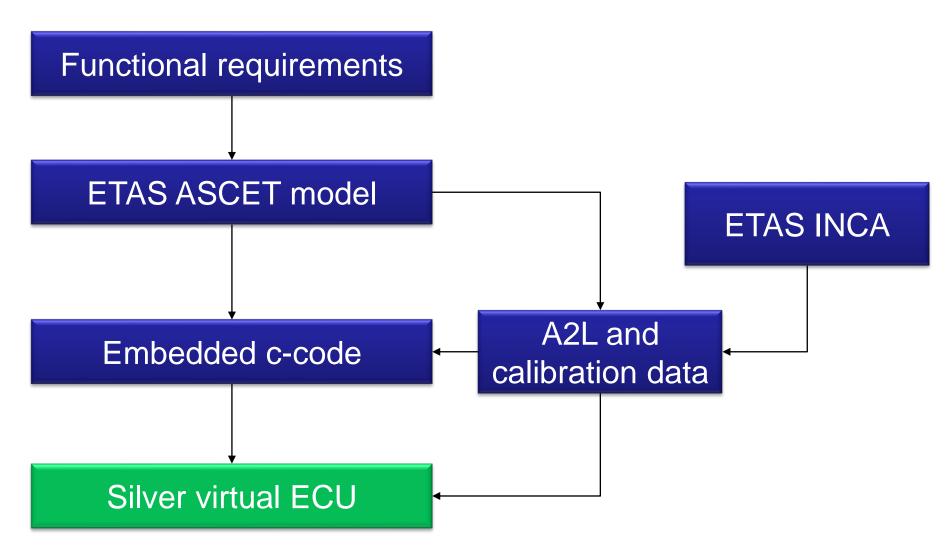
## TCU software generation process





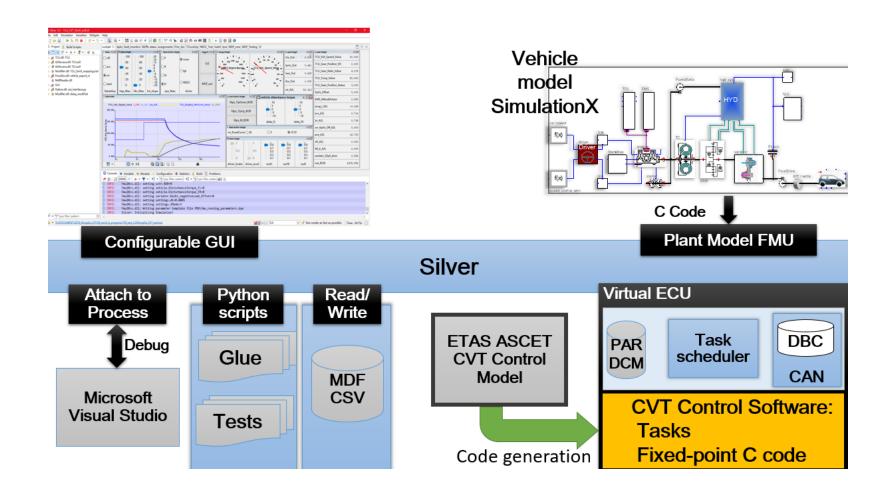
#### Virtual TCU with Silver



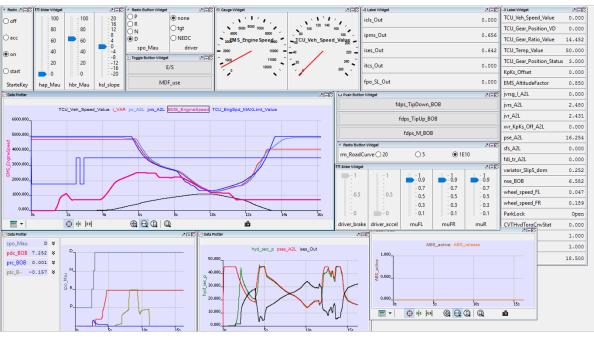


## Virtual TCU platform









#### Validation of vehicle simulation

#### Test cases for simulation validation



#### ~20 test drive cases to test various model characteristics:

```
10% pedal acceleration – coasting 30% pedal acceleration – coasting
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Lever position changes: N-R-N-D-N-R-P-R-N...

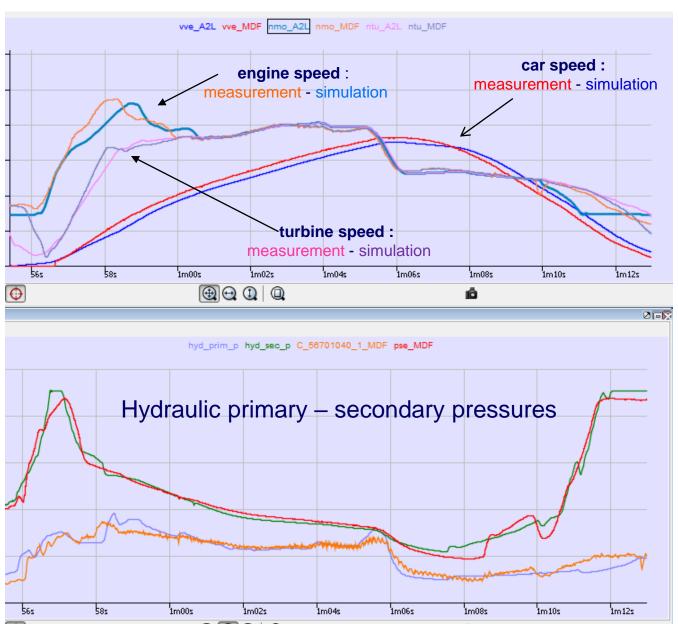
Heavy braking with ABS

Tip-in, Tip-off

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## Example of test drive validation





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# TCU embedded software testing



## Test requirements



Usual test drive cases NEDC, 100km/h acceleration...

Calibration parameters
Software functions activation/deactivation

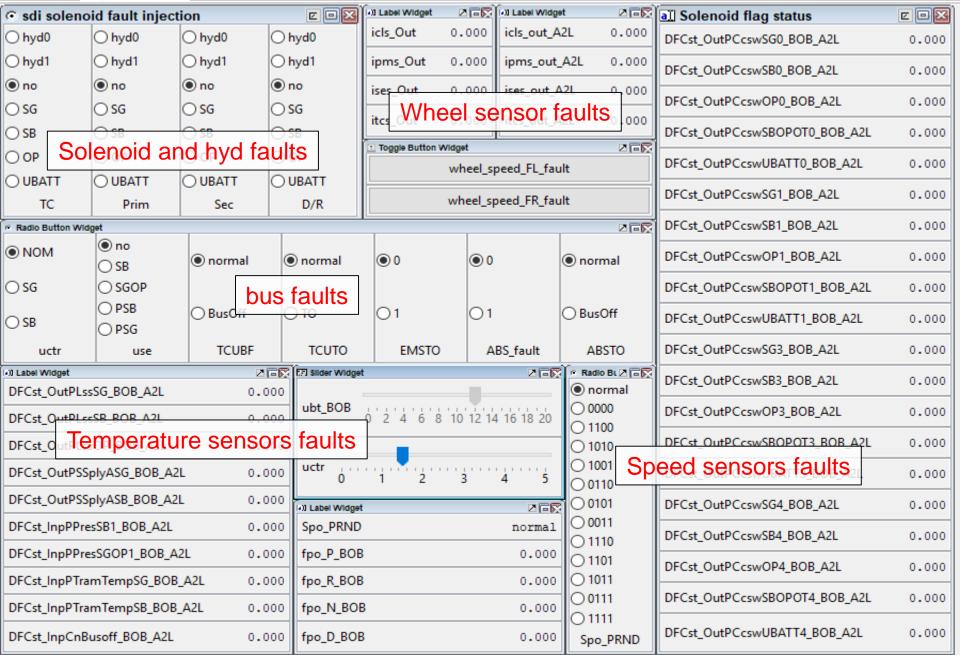
Various environment conditions:

- slope, snow/water...

Fault monitoring and reaction

#### Fault insertion

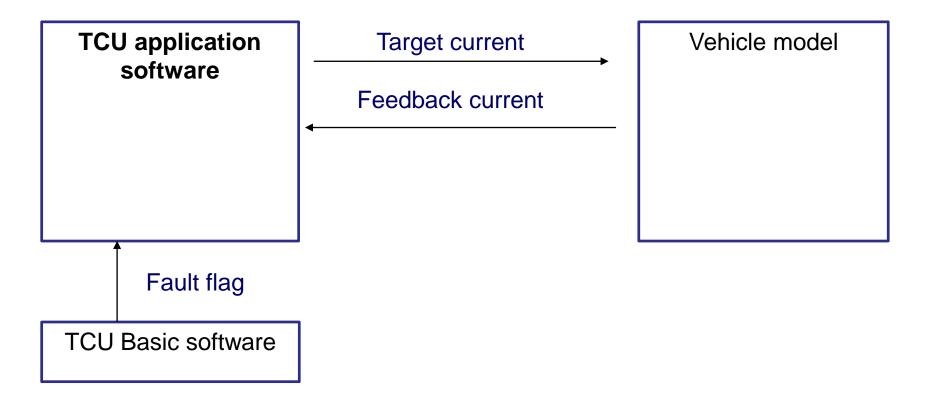




#### Fault insertion – how it works



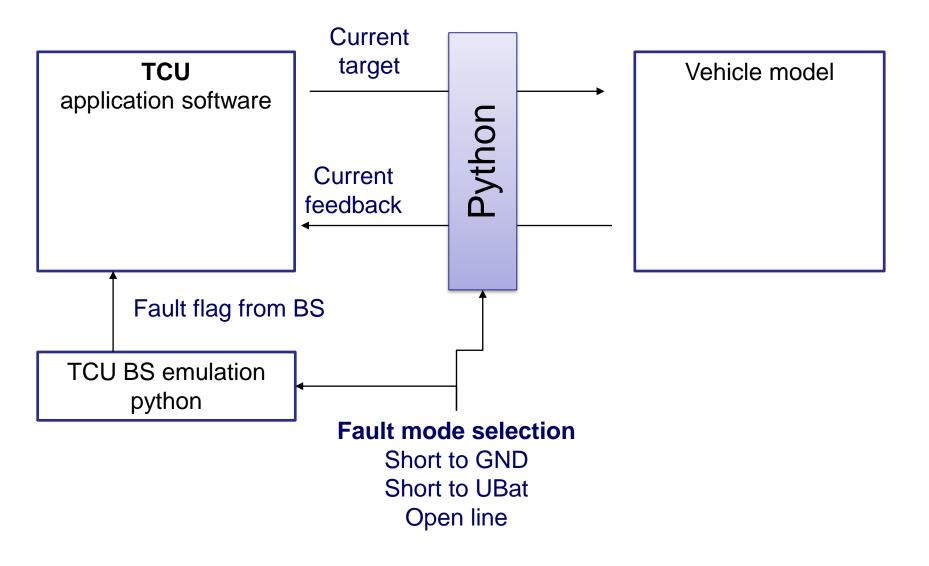
#### Example on solenoid valve fault



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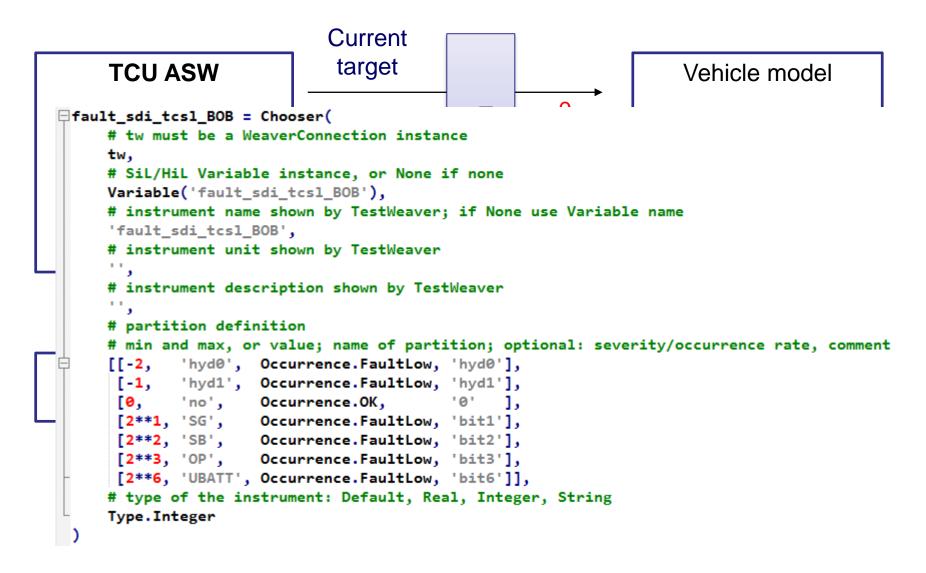
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#### **Use of QTronic TestWeaver**

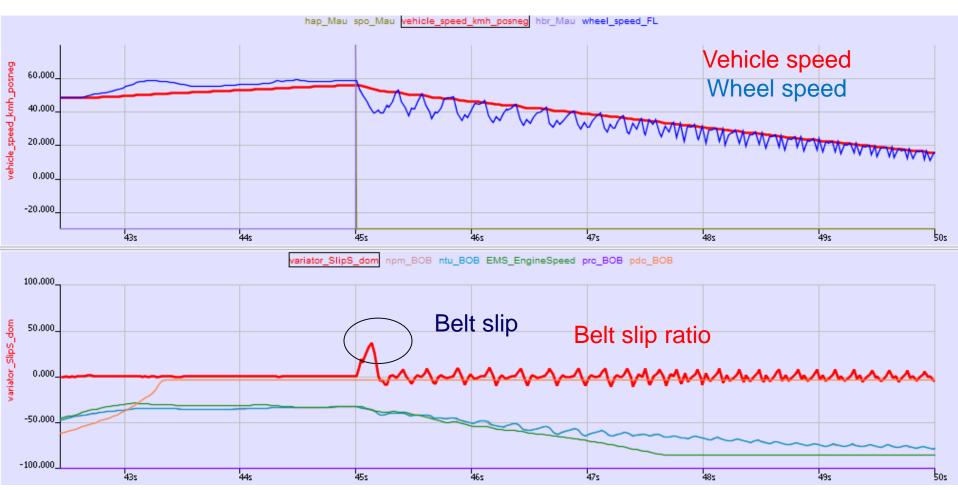


- Formal requirements monitoring
- Hand written test scripts
- Automatic test cases generation
- Automatic test report generation

## ABS simulation example



Clutch locked + Strong braking → Wheel block → **strong engine deceleration**→ Transmission torque exceeded → **belt Slip!** 

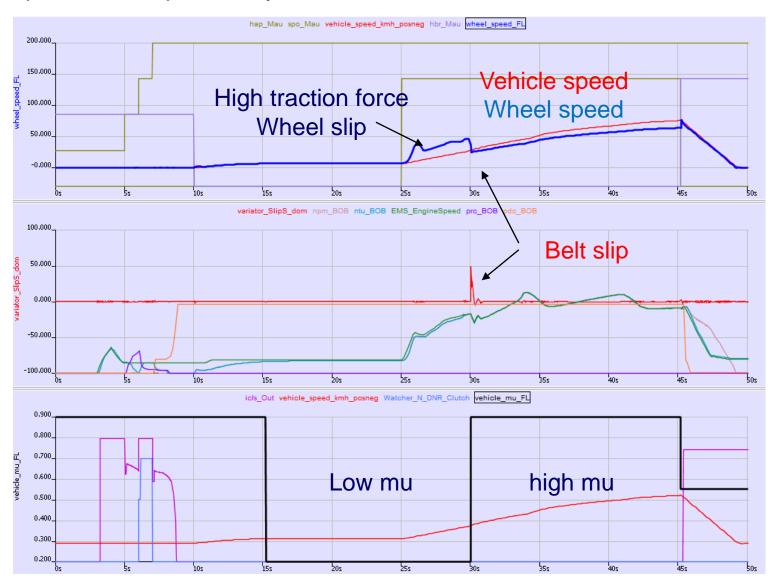


→ Belt slips are reported automatically in TestWeaver reports

## Test case generation



QTronic TestWeaver automatically generates drive sequences Example of Belt Slip found by TestWeaver



## Code coverage with CTC++



#### MC/DC coverage

```
fve StandStill F01 15_STANDSTILL_IMPL_p01_15_StandStill
              362
                       = jvr F01 15 STANDSTILL IMPL p01_15 StandStill >= _jvru_StandStill_buff
              363
                       && jvrs F01 15 STANDSTILL IMPL p01 15 StandStill >= jvru StandStill buff
              364
                       && vve F01 15 STANDSTILL IMPL p01 15 StandStill < vveu StandStill C
              365
                       && hap F01 15 STANDSTILL IMPL p01 15 StandStill < hapu StandStill C
              366
                       && npm F01 15 STANDSTILL IMPL p01 15 StandStill < npmu StandStill C && fbp StandStill
              367
123000 137137
123000
              367
                     1: T && T && T && T && T && T
          0 367
                     2: T && T && T && T && F
             367
                     3: T && T && T && T && F &&
        3772 367
                    4: T & & T & & T & & F & & & & &
       59469 367
                     5: Taa Taa Faa aa aa
         115
              367
                     6: T && F && && && &&
                     7: F && && && && &&
       73781
              367
```

## Conclusion



#### Realistic simulation – complex scenarios



#### **Vehicle model + TCU + calibration :**

validated simulation, reproduce very well the actual execution of TCU in the real vehicle

Fault insertion and validation of TCU fault management

Automatic **generation** and **evaluation** of test cases TestWeaver + requirements modeling

Very efficient support for TCU development and testing!

# 謝謝! Thank you!

