

Product Development Certification Overview



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Executive Summary



Key Points

- 1. All physical systems can be modeled virtually; physical tests are a subset of virtual tests in an Information Universe
- 2. To preserve Dynamic, Kinematic & Geometric Similarity_{Buckingham IT Theory} between representations, physical tests also need to be executed in a virtual environment
- 3. The manner in which Software Quality may be measured for Defect-Free Confidence utilising Testimation Technology, also applies to physical systems at t = 0 on the 'Design | Installation | Potential-Failure | Failure' (DIPF) Curve_{Resistance-2-Failure}
- 4. Testimation Technology_{Patented} is required to measure $DIPF_{Resistance-2-Failure}$ at t = 0

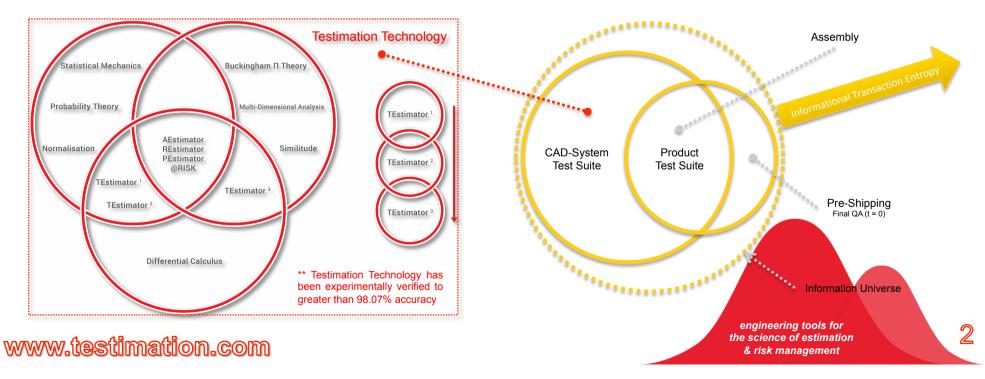


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Principles & Precepts



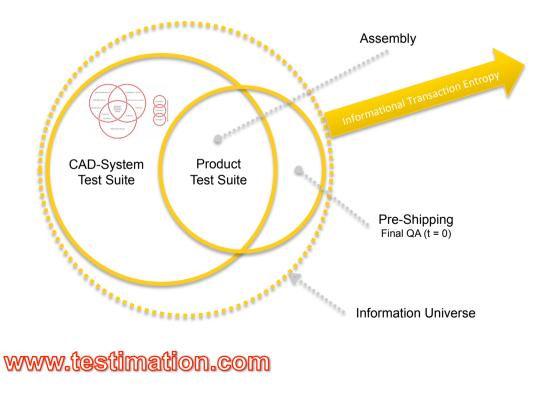
- 1. Testimation Technology predicts & measures Cyber-Risk:
 - · i.e. The risk associated with software failures
 - Cyber-Risk = 1 {Cyber-Confidence}
 - i.e. The Probability of Undiscovered Defects
 - · i.e. The Defects missed by the Test Team
- 2. It achieves this by representing Cyber-Confidence as a Statistical Probability value based upon Factually Executed Tests (FET's):
 - e.g. 120 FET's yields 98.56(%) Cyber-Confidence
 - i.e. FET's are actual results
- 3. All User Interaction with software may be represented by Functional Processes (FP's)
- An FP is a train of Software Function Points (SFP's) facilitating a User Work Instruction
 - e.g. Create User Account, Delete User Account, Print Annual Sales Report etc.
- 4. All machines & systems may be designed & virtually tested within any sufficiently advanced CAD-System
 - · Each governing physical equation within the programming code represents at least one FP
 - i.e. It requires User Interaction at Input (the design) & Output (design acceptability | User Acceptance)
 - e.g. Reaction Forces, Momentum Transfers, Inductance, Capacitance, Magnetic Flux Density etc.
- 5. Apply the principles of Dynamic, Kinematic & Geometric Similarity_{Buckingham II Theory}
 - Whatever works in a virtual environment will work in a physical environment
 - i.e. If the governing physical equations & relationships in the virtual environment are Defect-Free

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Principles & Precepts cont.



- 6. The number of physical tests required for component assembly are a sub-set of the total number of software tests required to validate the behaviour of the CAD-System
 - i.e. Everything that would be verified during the component assembly process also requires validation in the virtual environment
- 7. Suitable CAD-Software is substantially more complex than any physical system
 - e.g. The Functional Processes (FP's) associated with software can adopt a limitless number of integration points (*by design* + *human error*); however, Integration points of physical FP's are dominated by localized influences
 - e.g. an Electron at the periphery of the observable Universe is gravitationally integrated to machinery on Earth, but its influence is negligible; this principle differs substantially compared to software integration points



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Functional Processes



How-2-Count Functional Processes

"Counting Functional Processes (FP's)" is a description of the desired outcome; what we're actually seeking to determine, are the number of Functional Process Pathways (FPP's) through a system. An FPP denotes a route capable of carrying information critical to the Primary Operational Function of a product (*multiplicity is possible*); FPP's transgress the system boundary from input to output. Information input & output can take various forms, so we will limit ourselves to generalised concepts herein. For further information, contact Testimation directly, or review the available literature on our web-site.

Considerations

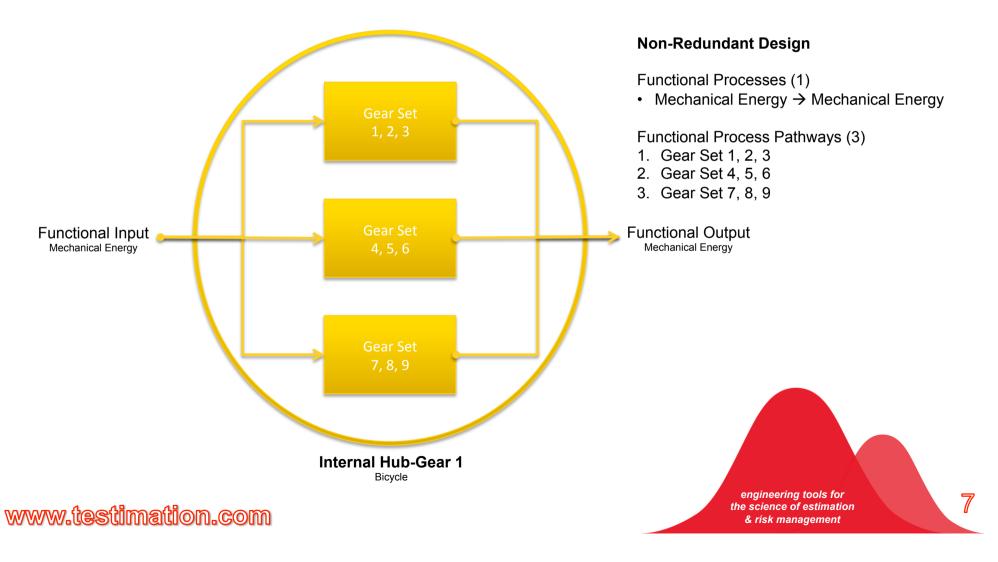
- 1. Define the system boundary
 - Typically drawn by encircling a product or one major sub-component of a broader system
- 2. Ask yourself
 - 1. Where does energy information enter / exit?
 - This does not include Control System information transgressing the system boundary
 - A Control System should be analyzed separately as it represents an information system in its own right
 - 2. How many ways can energy information get to the destination ?
 - If any particular internal component fails, can input information still reach the output ?
 - 3. What are the number of Primary User interactions ?
 - e.g. Mechanical assistance from an electric motor for an E-Bike Rider
 - e.g. The number of User Interface functions on an oscilloscope
 - 4. What are the number of Primary Design Functions (PDF's)?
 - e.g. Electrical to Mechanical Energy Conversion (a fluid pump)
 - 5. What are the Energy Transformations ?
 - e.g. Chemical Energy to Thrust (*aircraft engines*)
 - e.g. Electrical Energy to Mechanical Energy Conversion (an electric motor)

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Functional Processes cont.

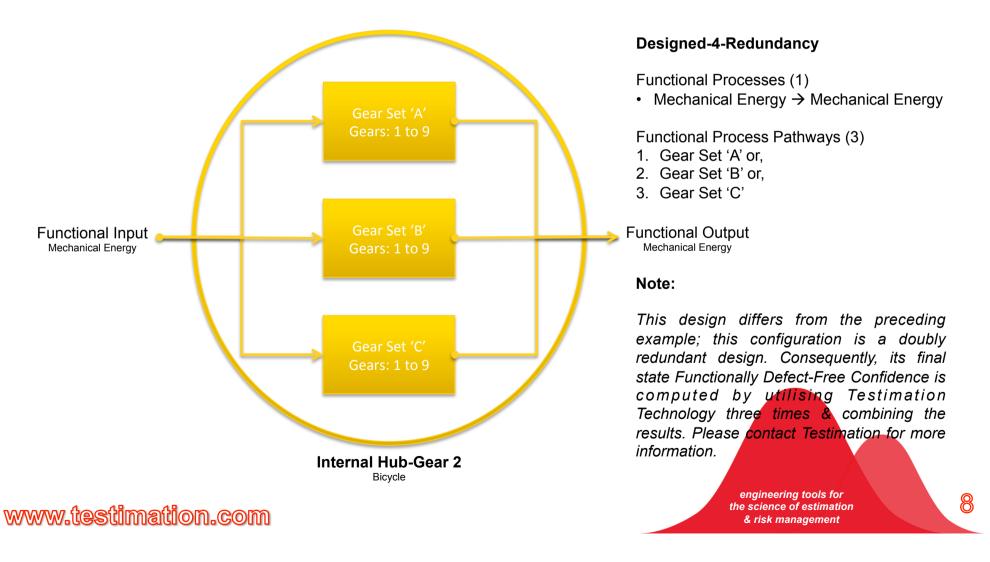
How-2-Count Functional Process Pathways (conceptual only)



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Functional Processes cont.

How-2-Count Functional Process Pathways (conceptual only)





Functional Processes cont.

Table of Functional Processes (conceptual only)

System or Major Sub-Component	Primary Function/s	Primary Functional Processes (FP's)	FPP's
Aircraft Control System	Multiple	Electrical Energy → Mechanical Energy (<i>multiple</i>)	TBD
Aircraft Engine	Thrust	Chemical Energy \rightarrow Thrust	TBD
Aircraft Fuselage	Resist Stress	Mechanical Forces $ ightarrow$ Stored Stress Energy	TBD
Aircraft Wing	Generate Lift	Chemical Energy \rightarrow Lift	TBD
Bicycle Frame	Resist Stress	Mechanical Forces $ ightarrow$ Stored Stress Energy	1
Electric Motor	Rotation	Electrical Energy $ ightarrow$ Mechanical Energy	1
Heat Exchanger	Thermal Transfer	Thermal Energy \rightarrow Thermal Displacement	1
Washing Machine	Rotation	Electrical Energy $ ightarrow$ Mechanical Energy	1
Washing Machine / Dryer Combo.	Rotation, Thermal Transfer	See Above	2

** IMPORTANT: hereon, we only consider / discuss a single Functional Process system (FP = 1

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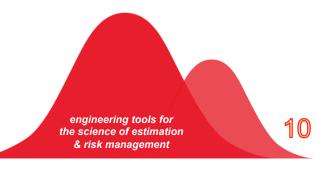


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 Table of Generalised Theoretical Examples (conceptual only)

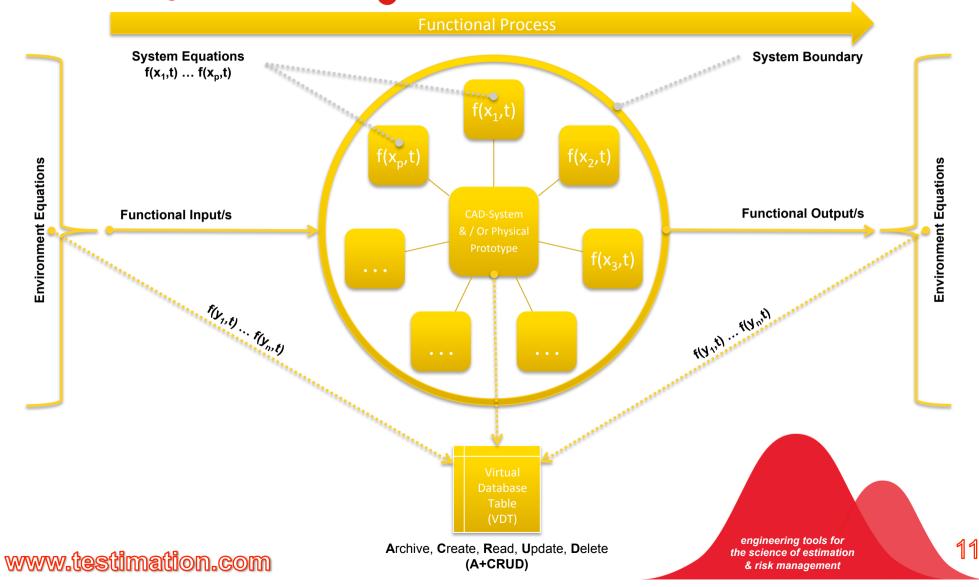
Simple Electric Motor		Internal Hub-Gear (Bicycle)		Jet Engine					
FP Pathways	QA Tests	Defect-Free Confidence	FP Pathways	QA Tests	Defect-Free Confidence	FP Pathways	QA Tests	Defect-Free Confidence	
FPP	QA	99.9892488823271 %	З×FPP	QA	97.4652681322532 %	20×FPP	QA	61.3523769228767 %	
	2×QA	99.9999956795369 %		2×QA	99.8434597741997 %		2×QA	77.9328638080153 %	
	3×QA	99.9999999980297 %		3×QA	99.9892488823271 %		3×QA	86.6385597462284 %	
	4×QA	99.9999999999999991 %		4×QA	99.9992255783569 %		4×QA	91.6735483336450 %	
	5×QA	> 99.999999999999999 %		5×QA	99.9999426696856 %		5×QA	94.7192488583886 %	
	6×QA	> 99.999999999999999 %		6×QA	99.9999956795369 %		6×QA	96.6105146475311 %	
'FPP' = Number of Functional Process Pathways 'QA' = Number of Quality Assurance Tests									

Values shown are for demonstration purposes only



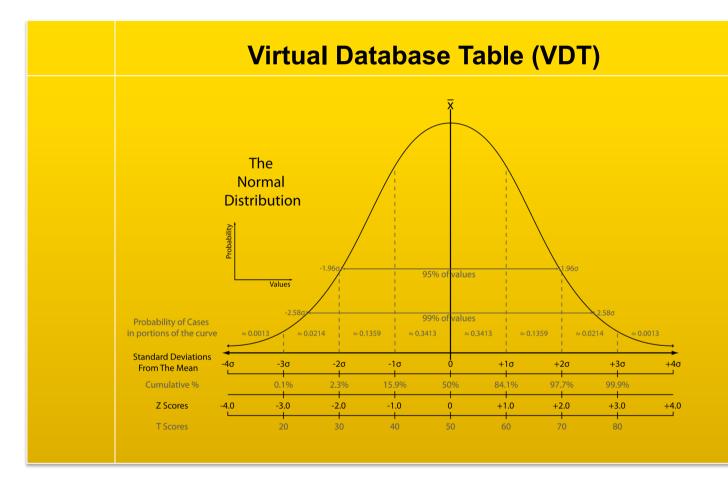
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Big Data



Information from all sources are written to the VDT via five (5) Functional Actions termed **A+CRUD**:

- 1. Archive
- 2. Create
- 3. Read
- 4. Update
- 5. Delete

Therefore, as the system boundary around a product expands to infinite radius, all information written to the VDT becomes Normally Distributed.

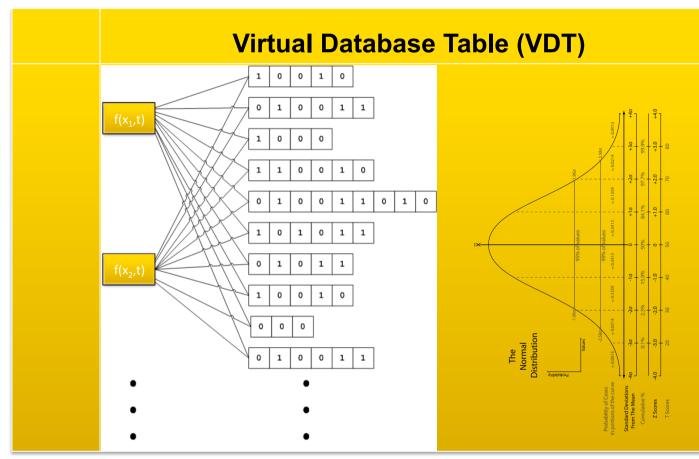
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Big Data cont.



Normally Distributed data refers to the populated fields within each record on the VDT, which has undergone **A+CRUD** Functional Action:

- 1. Archive
- 2. Create
- 3. Read
- 4. Update
- 5. Delete

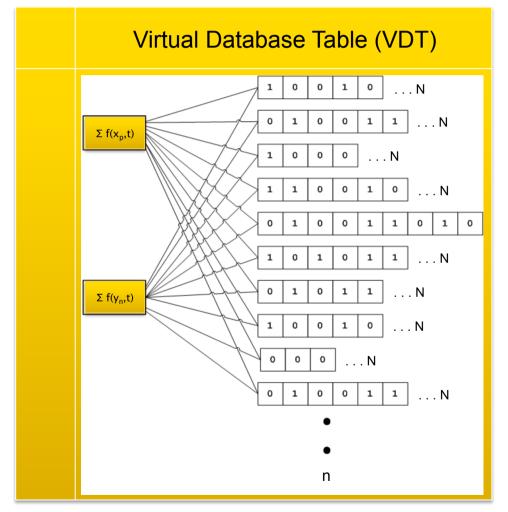
Again: as the system boundary around a product expands to infinite radius, all of the information written to the VDT becomes Normally Distributed.

All equations { $f(x_1,t), f(x_2,t) \dots f(x_n,t)$ } are laced together in the time domain

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Big Data cont.

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The VDT is an 'n × N' Matrix such that:

- 1. 'n' tends to infinity: 'n' $\rightarrow \infty$
 - This is the number of physical equations describing the Information Universe
- 2. 'N' >> 1
 - 1. It is an unknown finite value
 - 2. It denotes the number of measurable physical properties within the Information Universe
 - 1. e.g. mass, length, charge, inductance, capacitance, reactance, momentum etc.
 - 2. e.g. N = 3 {mass + length + charge}

As product system equations interact with the Information Universe, data is being written to the VDT; records &/or fields may (*or may not*) undergo **A+CRUD** Functional Action (FA) continuously over the time domain.

Example (*only*)

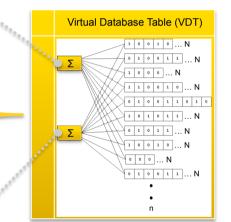
- Possible FA's executed via ' $\Sigma f(x_p,t)$ ' &/or ' $\Sigma f(y_n,t)$ ' upon entries to the VDT are:
 - **1.** Archive = Standby
 - 2. Create = Commencing Operation
 - **3. R**ead = System Feedback
 - 4. Update = Increased Current Draw
 - 5. Delete = Ceasing Operation

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Spaghetti

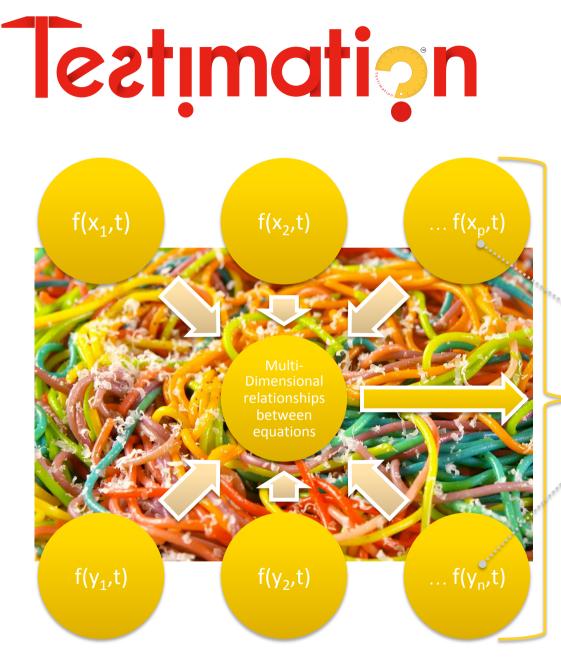
Equations can be laced together via the time domain (*parametrically*), but we may not understand the lacing between independent variables. For example, the relationship between ' x_1 ' & ' x_2 ' may be unknown. We can circumvent this impasse by assuming random lacing & inflating the system boundary to infinity. Hence, the information from a fully integrated Super-System is Normally Distributed due to its record population tending to infinity.

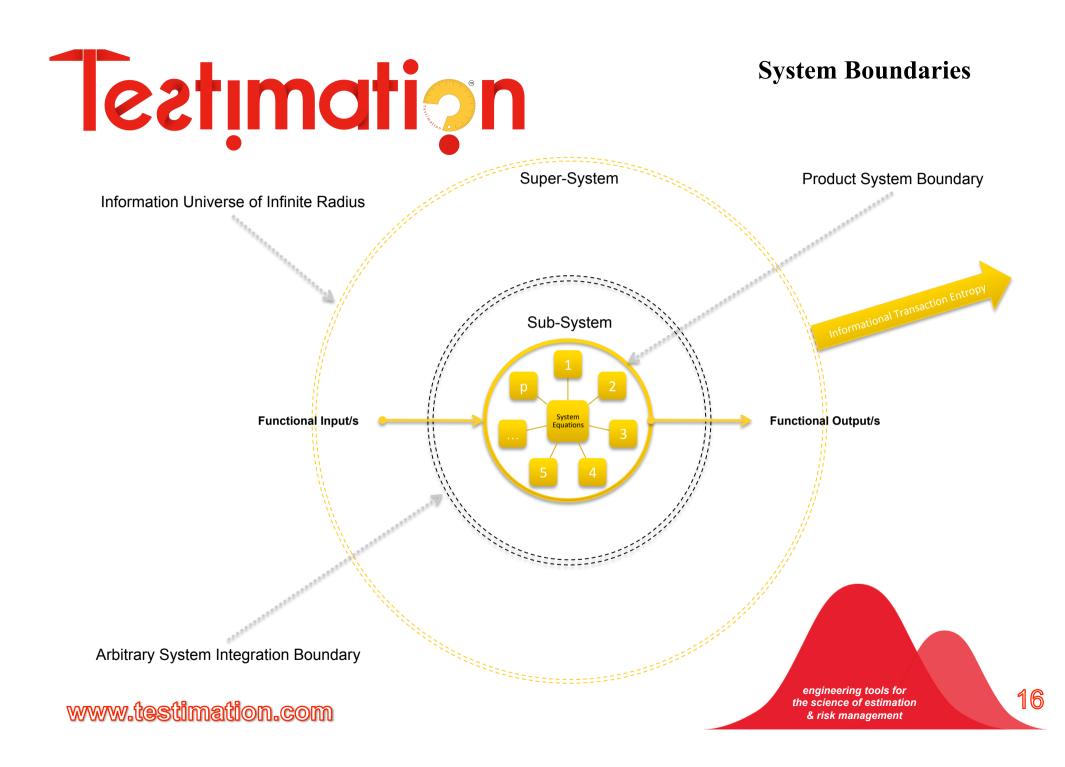


Transactional info. from 'p & n' equations populate destination records &/or fields; v i a $\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{C} \mathbf{R} \mathbf{U} \mathbf{D}$ Functional Action.

The Functional Processes (FP's) associated with a product, represent a random sample from an infinite population of FP's in a Super-System. Hence, a local product system boundary denotes a random sample taken from within a Super-System boundary of infinite radius.

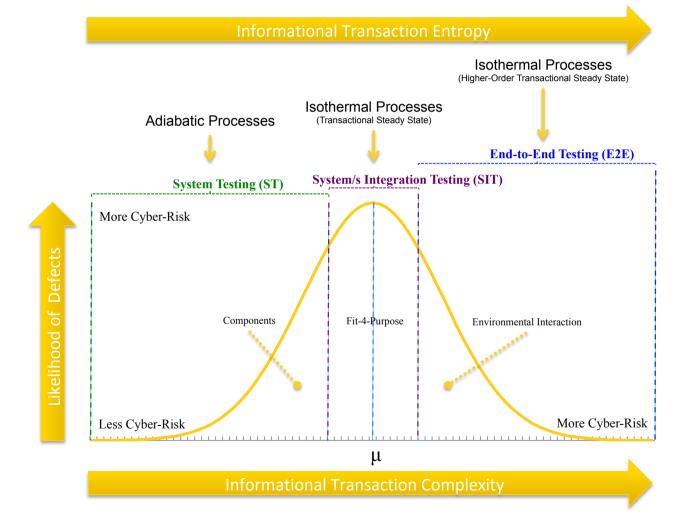
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Informational Transactions

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Testing a product (*by definition*) occupies the SIT Phase because information crosses the System Boundary via the Functional Processes designed into the product.

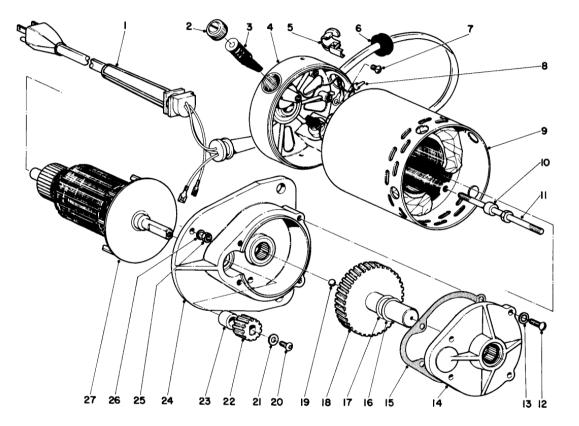
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- The mean number of populated fields per record
- 2. ST
 - The phase where we'll find mostly Component (fundamental) defects
- 3. SIT
- The phase where we'll find mostly Fit-4-Purpose (critical) defects
- 4. E2E
 - The phase where we'll find mostly Environmental Interaction (unusual) defects



Sample Calculation

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Dilemma 1

- An electric motor is to be assembled according to the drawing (*left*):
 - What will be its Functionally Defect-Free Confidence 'F_c' at completion ?

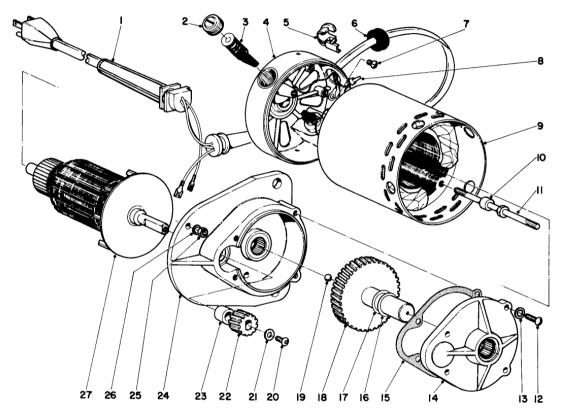
Solution

- 1. Define (*imagine*) a system boundary around the assembled state of the electric motor.
- 2. Identify the number Functional Processes (FP's) transacting information across the system boundary. In this example, only one FP exists:
 - Electrical Energy → Mechanical Energy
 - 1. In = Electrical Energy
 - 2. Out = Mechanical Energy
- 3. Assume that the operation of each component, is governed by at least one relevant system equation; 27 in this example.
- 4. Determine (*acquire / obtain*) the total number of Quality Assurance (QA) Tests performed on all components; assume 108 Tests for this example.
- 5. Compute (F_c) utilising Testimation Technology:
 - In this example: F_c = 97.98(%)

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Sample Calculation cont.

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Dilemma 2

- An electric motor has been assembled according to the drawing (*left*):
 - What will be its Functionally Defect-Free Confidence 'F_c' when shipped to the customer ?

Solution

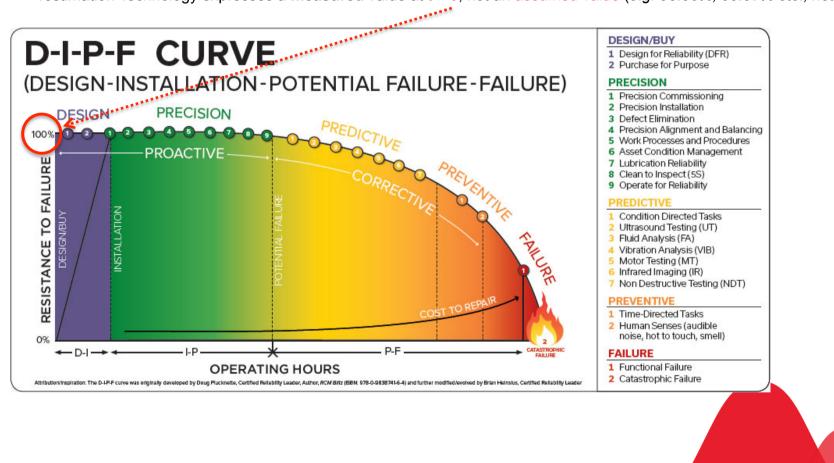
- 1. Determine (*acquire / obtain*) the number of additional QA Tests which have been executed between assembly & shipping; 12 in this example.
- 2. Calculate the total number of QA Tests executed by the time of shipping (QA_{TOT}) ; in this example:
 - QA_{TOT} = 108 + 12 = 120
- 3. Compute 'F_C' utilising Testimation Technology:
 - In this example: **F**_c = 98.56(%)



Resistance-2-Failure (R2F)



• Testimation Technology expresses a measured value at t = 0, not an assumed value (e.g. 98.56%, 99.97% etc., not 100%)



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Outcome

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Resistance to Failure Measure @Assembly

Testimation Technolog e.g. 108 Tests = 97.98 Resistance to Failure Measured @Shipping Testimation Technology Product Certification Testimation e.g. 98.56 %



Sample Format

