

Introduction to ARCADIA/CAPELLA and NASA Systems Engineering handbook: Modeling overview with the HUBBLE Space Telescope

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"The NASA System Engineering (SE) handbook aims to provide general guidance and information on systems engineering, as it should be applied throughout NASA. The handbook introduces 3 common technical processes. One of these, is the System Design Process, describing the stakeholders expectations, requirements definition, logical decomposition and design solution definition. The 4 activities can be supported by a Model-Based Systems Engineering (MBSE) approach. To do so, an appropriate method and tool is necessary as the one provided by the ARChitecture Analysis & Design Integrated Approach. ARCADIA, with its modeler CAPELLA, is a MBSE solution supporting system modeling activities. Based on 4 architectural layers, which are Operational Analysis, System Analysis, Logical and Physical Architecture, it is a structured architecture engineering method for defining and validating multi-domain systems. This talk will present an educational overview of the ARCADIA methodology and System Design Process from the NASA SE, by introducing MBSE artefacts for space system.

The HUBBLE Space Telescope (HST) is a Cassegrain reflector telescope. Orbiting above the earth, HST elaborates a clear view of the universe free from the blurring and absorbing effects of the atmosphere. In order to illustrate the journey throughout CAPELLA, the HST will be introduced, as example, based on public information available. The goal is not to model the entire system as well as not apply all ARCADIA concepts, but just to introduce few diagrams of ARCADIA/CAPELLA

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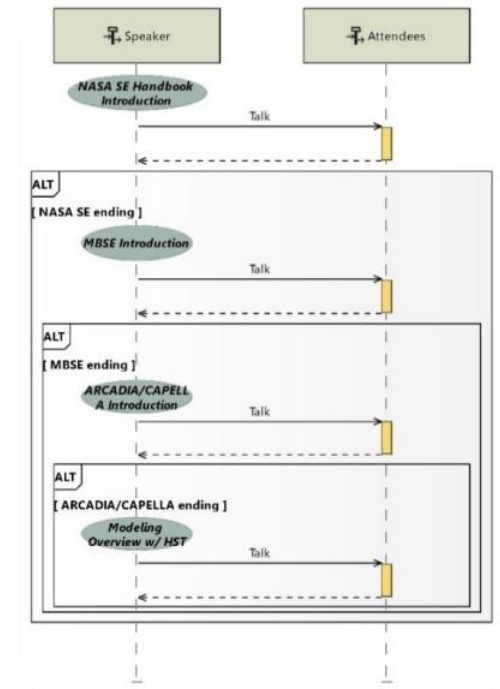
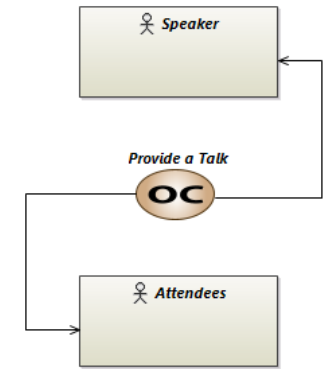
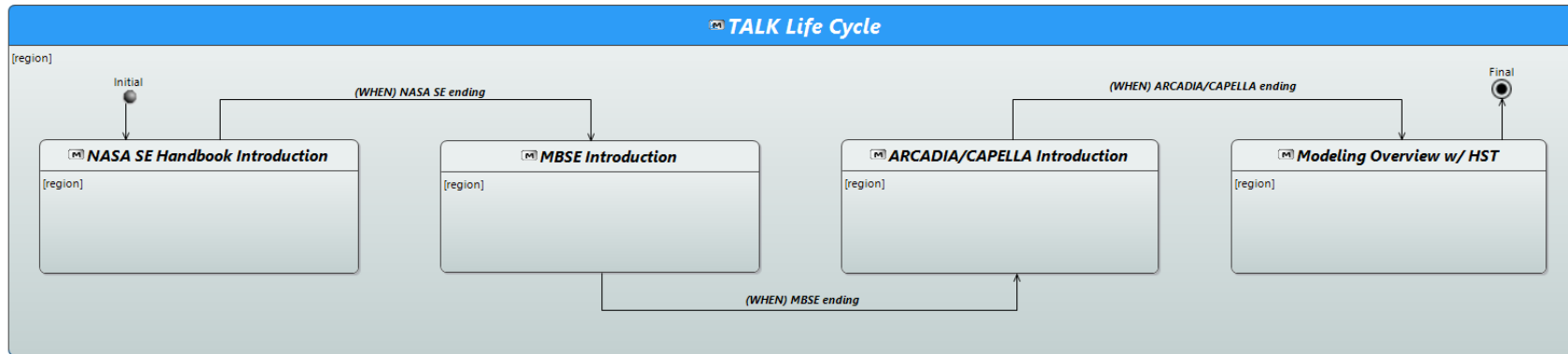
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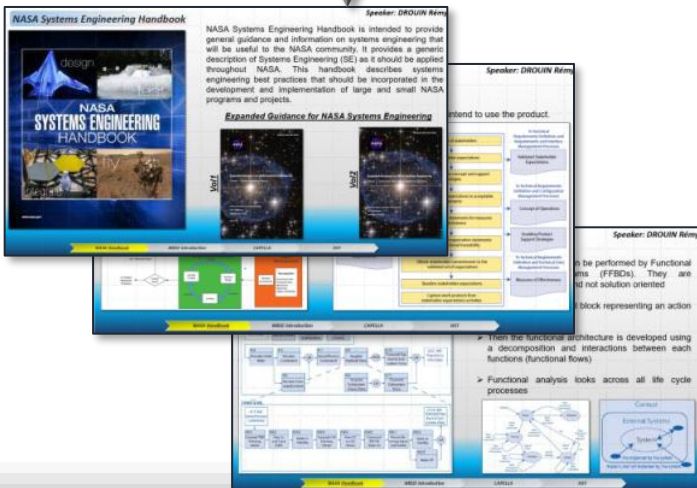
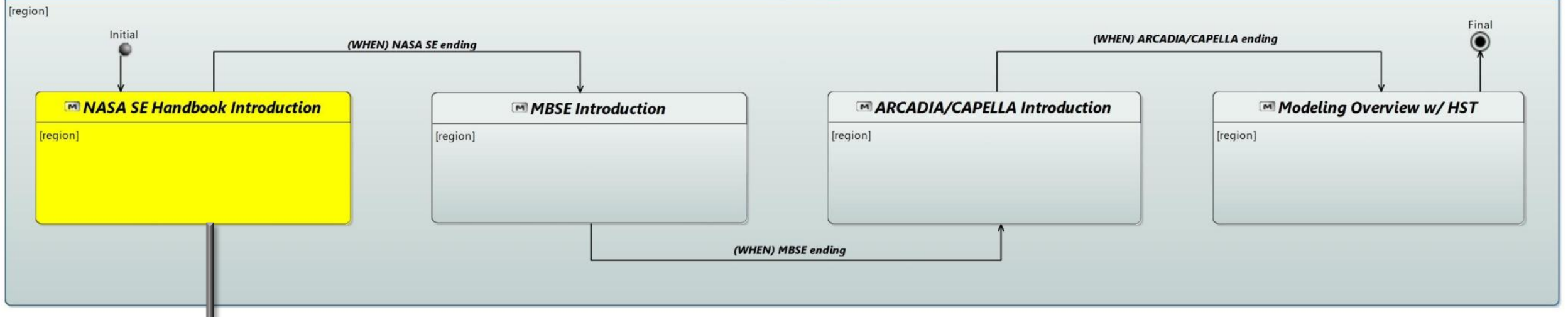
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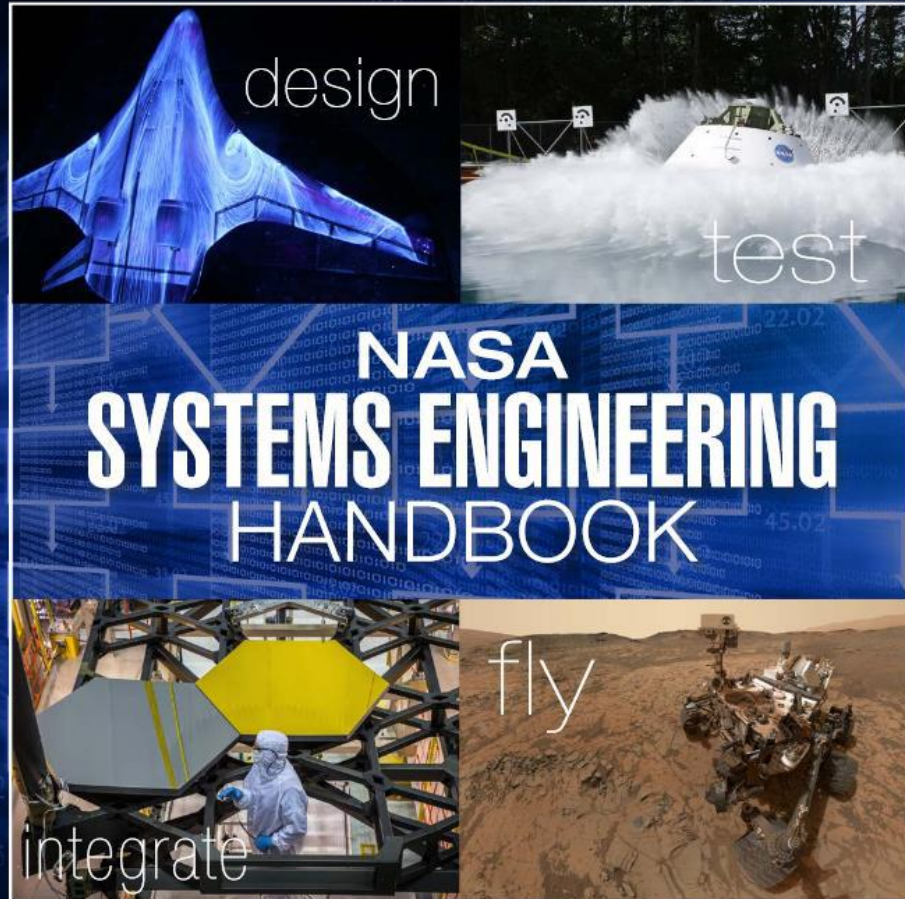
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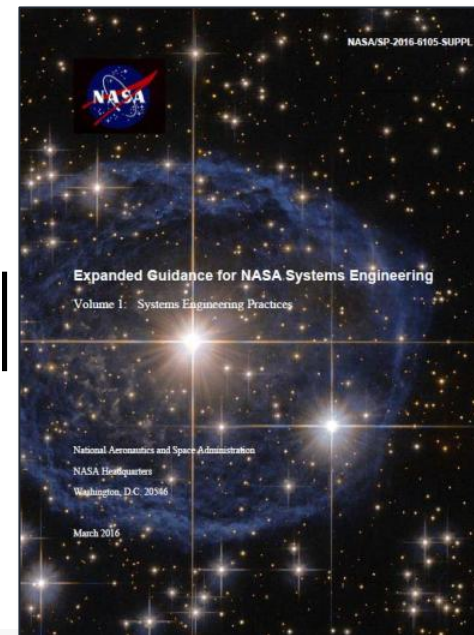


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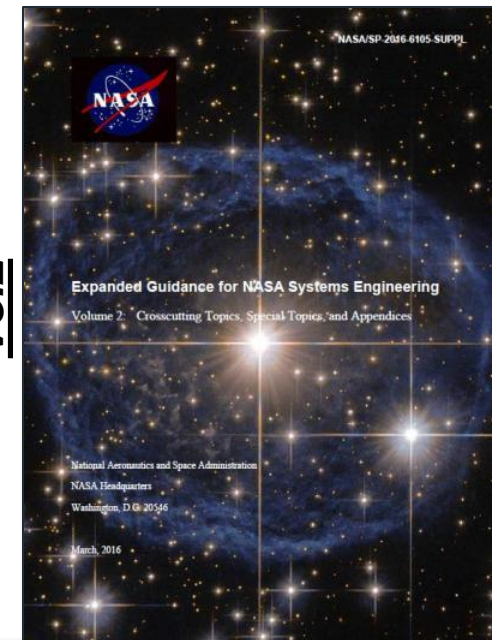
NASA Systems Engineering Handbook is intended to provide general guidance and information on systems engineering that will be useful to the NASA community. It provides a generic description of Systems Engineering (SE) as it should be applied throughout NASA. This handbook describes systems engineering best practices that should be incorporated in the development and implementation of large and small NASA programs and projects.

Expanded Guidance for NASA Systems Engineering

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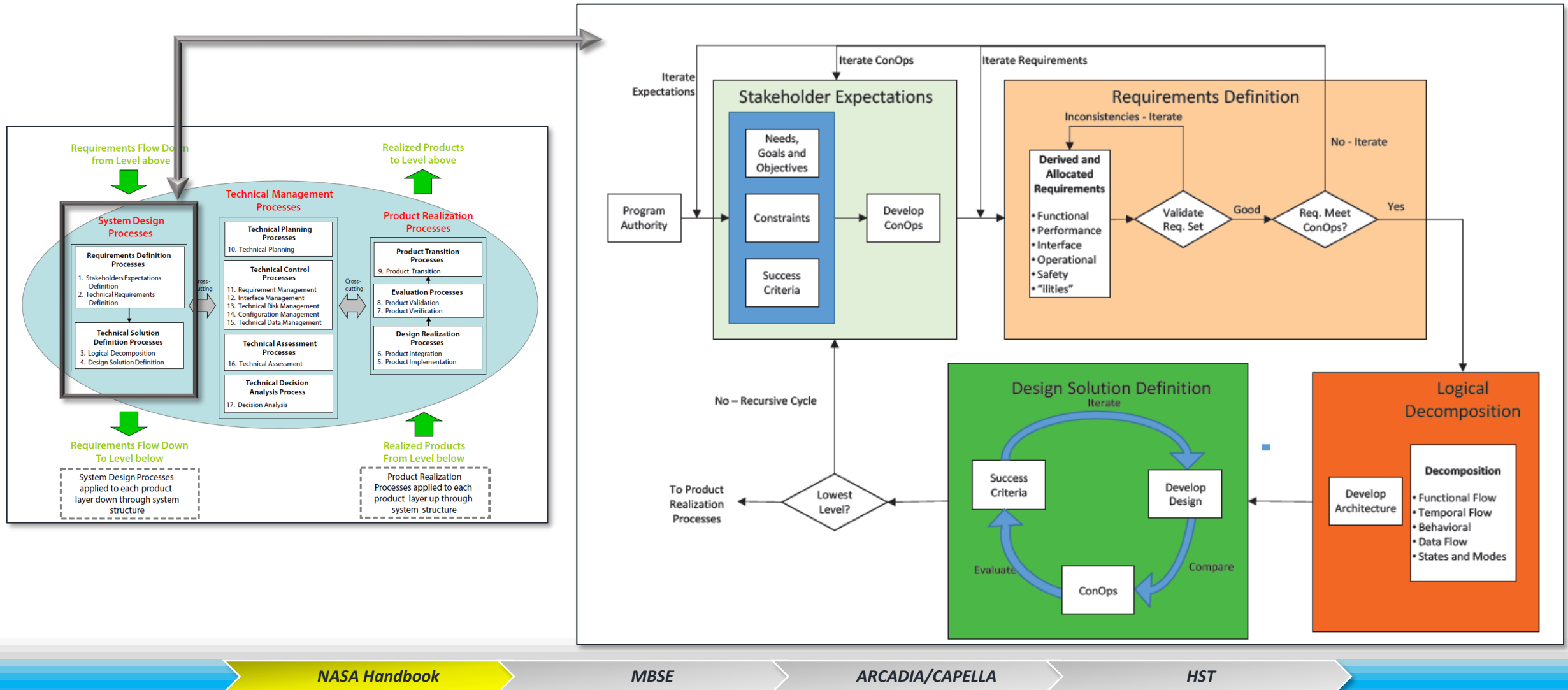


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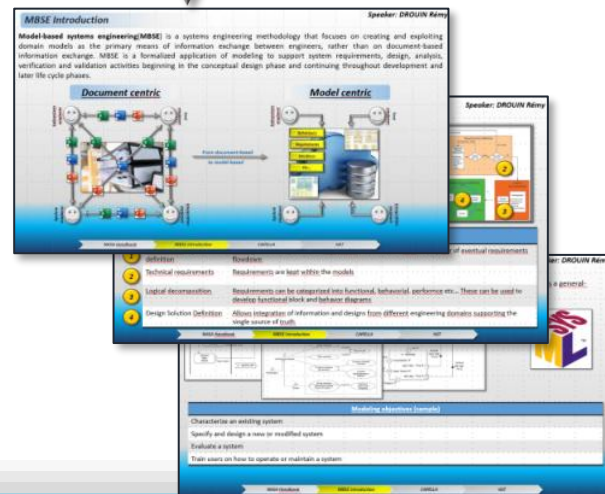
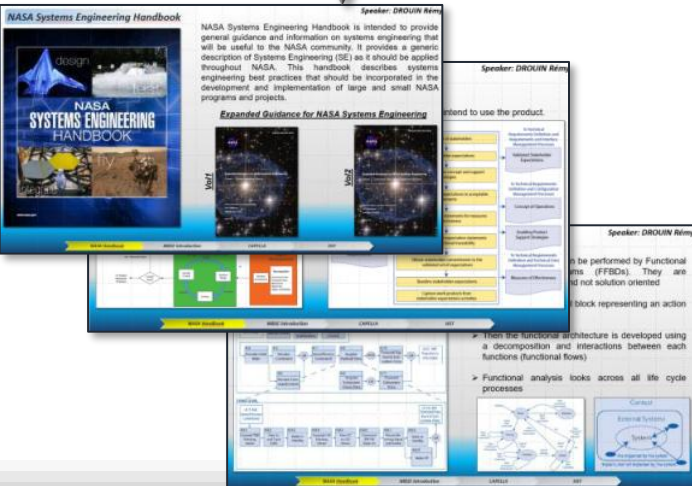
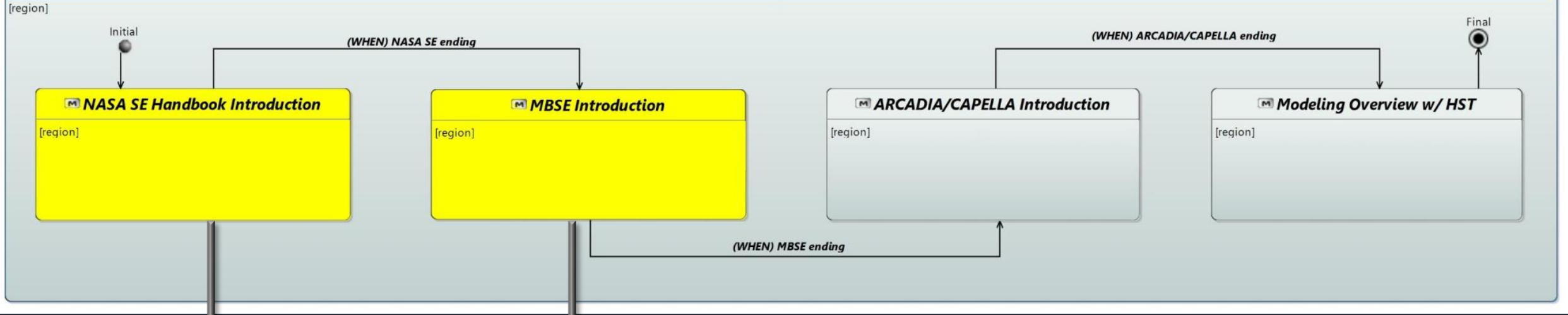
NASA SE Handbook – System Design Process

The four system design processes are used to define and baseline stakeholder expectations, generate and baseline technical requirements, decompose the requirements into logical and behavioral models, and convert the technical requirements into a design solution that will satisfy the baselined stakeholder expectations.



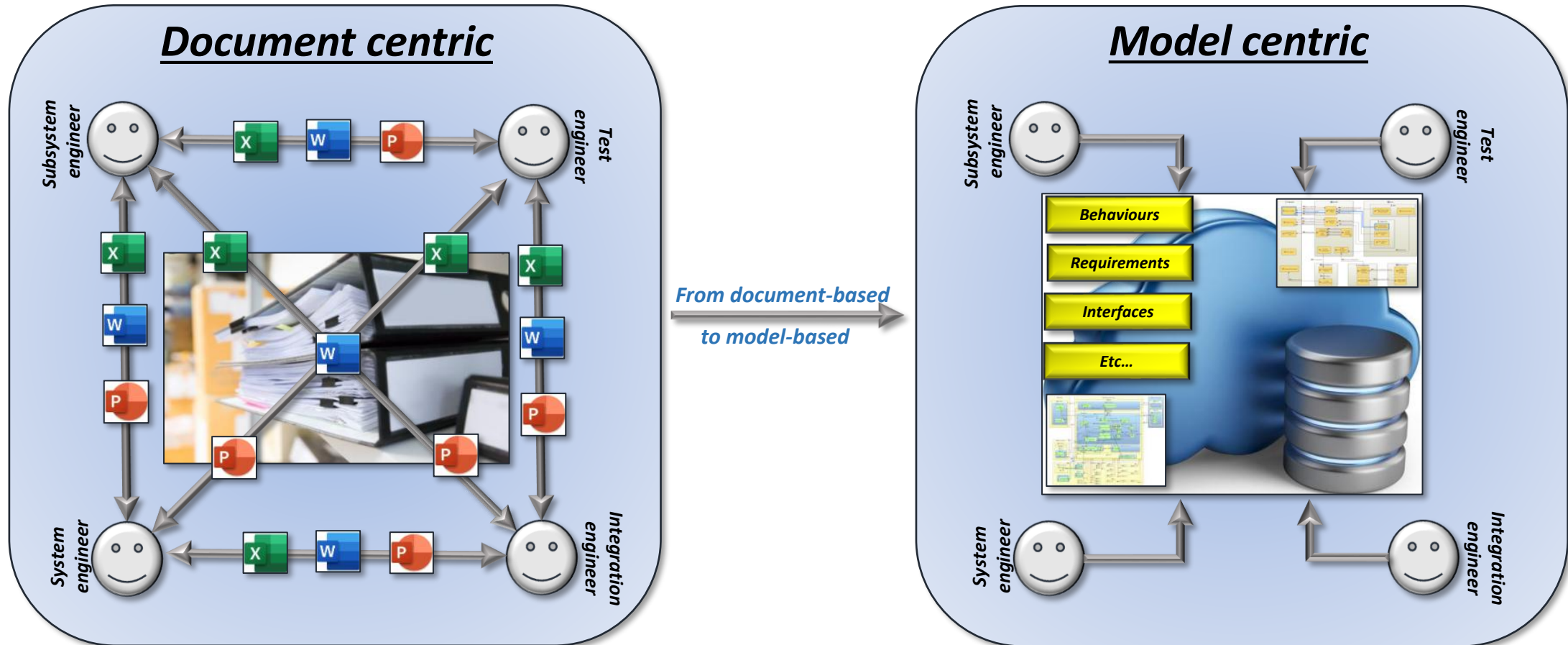
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MBSE Introduction

Model-based systems engineering (MBSE) is a systems engineering methodology that focuses on creating and exploiting domain models as the primary means of information exchange between engineers, rather than on document-based information exchange. MBSE is a formalized application of modeling to support system requirements, design, analysis, verification and validation activities beginning in the conceptual design phase and continuing throughout development and later life cycle phases.



MBSE Benefits

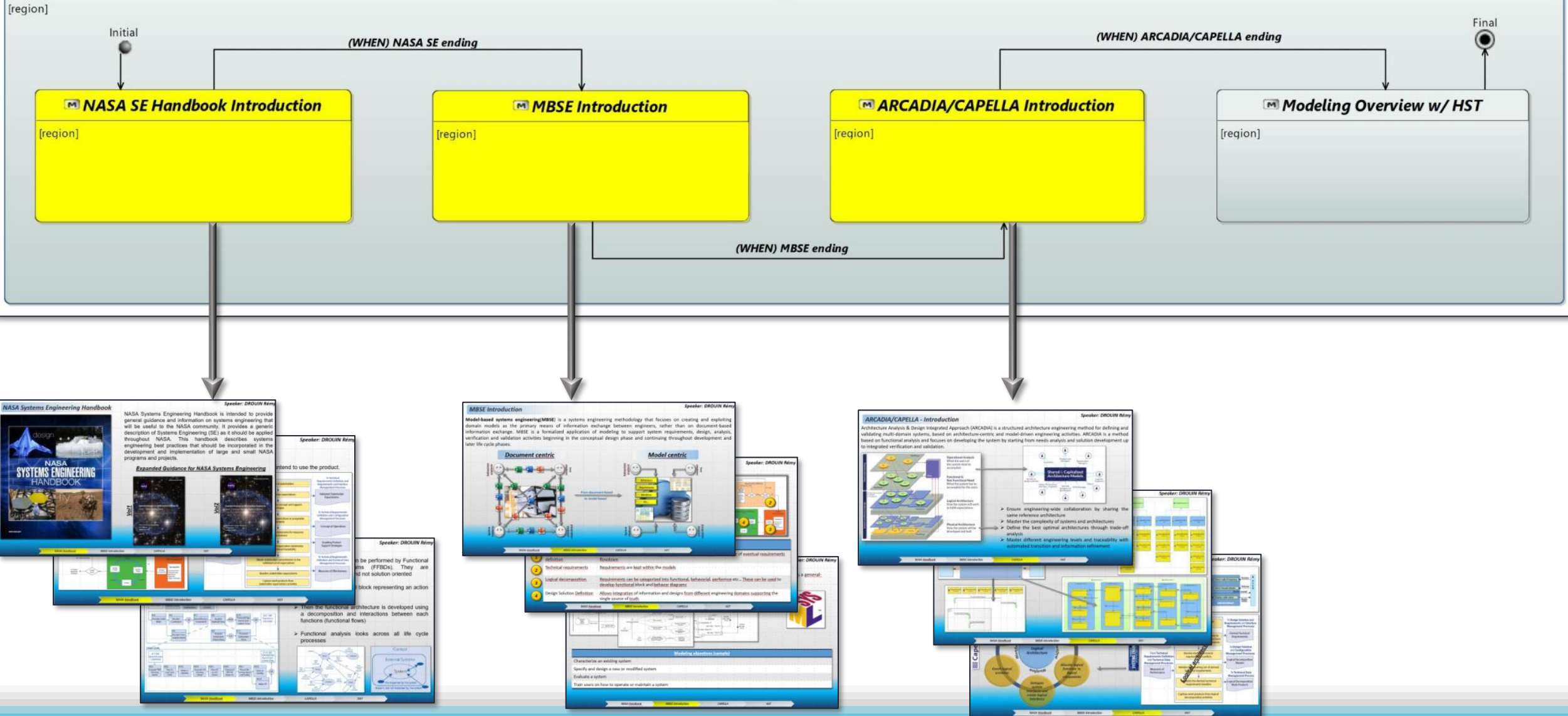
Model-based systems engineering does not affect process but will enable the opportunity for overall better quality, lower cost, and lower risk.

Overall MBSE benefits (sample):
Enhance communication
Reduce development risk
Encourage collaboration
Manage complexity
Automatic document generation
Reuse of existing models in several projects
Better requirements traceability
More stakeholder involvement
Digitalization
Single source of truth

NASA MBSE benefits (sample)
Greater consistency of all products because any single piece of design information can be expressed authoritatively in a single place that can later be referred to by others for decisions, derivations, or formation of artifacts
Better visibility into the salient characteristics of a system because multiple views can be created that succinctly address specific stakeholder concerns
Model-based artifacts can be generated automatically, lowering the effort to keep them up to date with the result that artifacts can always match the best available information
Navigation, traceability, and interrogation of information are facilitated in the model-based approach
Can be less investment lost in erroneous design because sometimes the model reveals a flaw as soon as it is created, enabling correction before downstream work is done, work that would be invalid if the upstream mistake were not corrected immediately

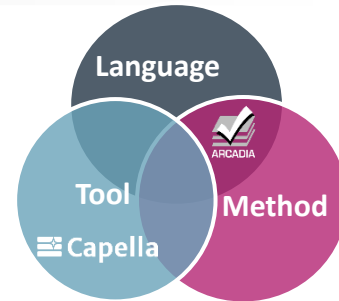
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ARCADIA/CAPELLA



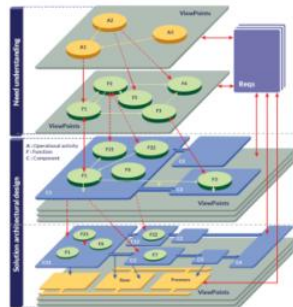
Method



Language



Tool



Operational Analysis

What the users of the system need to accomplish

System Needs Analysis

What the system has to accomplish for the users

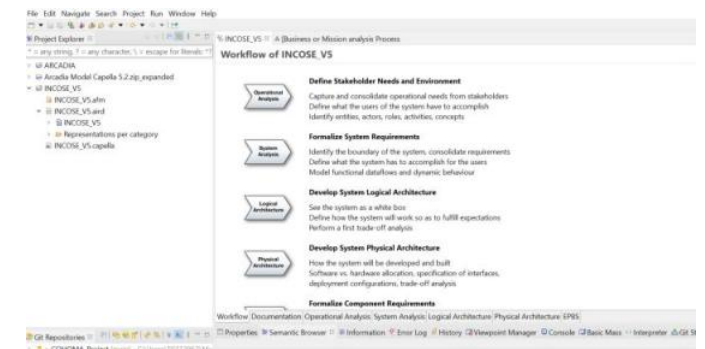
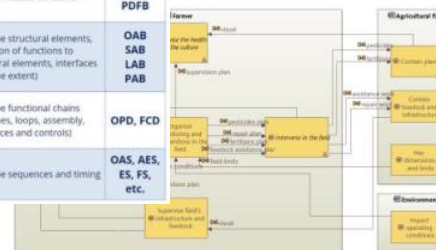
Logical Architecture (conceptual solution)

How the system will work in order to fulfill expectations

Physical Architecture (finalized solution)

How the system be developed and built

Concepts	Diagrams	Purpose	Tags
		Describe capabilities and involvement of actors, entities, system constituents	OCB MCB CR
		Describe functions and their dependencies, describe several levels of nested functions	OAB SDFB LDFB PDFB
		Describe structural elements, allocation of functions to structural elements, interfaces (to some extent)	OAB SAB LAB PAB
		Describe functional chains (branches, loops, assembly, sequences and controls)	OPD, FCD
		Describe sequences and timing	OAS, AES, ES, FS, etc.



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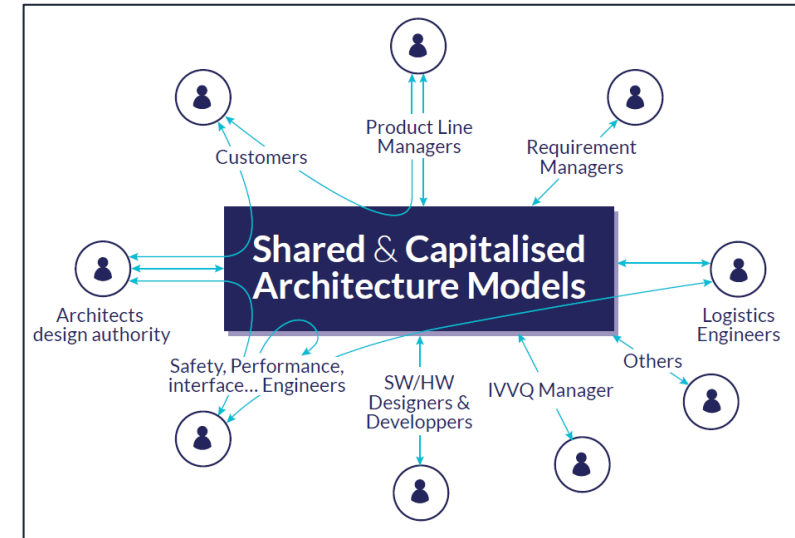
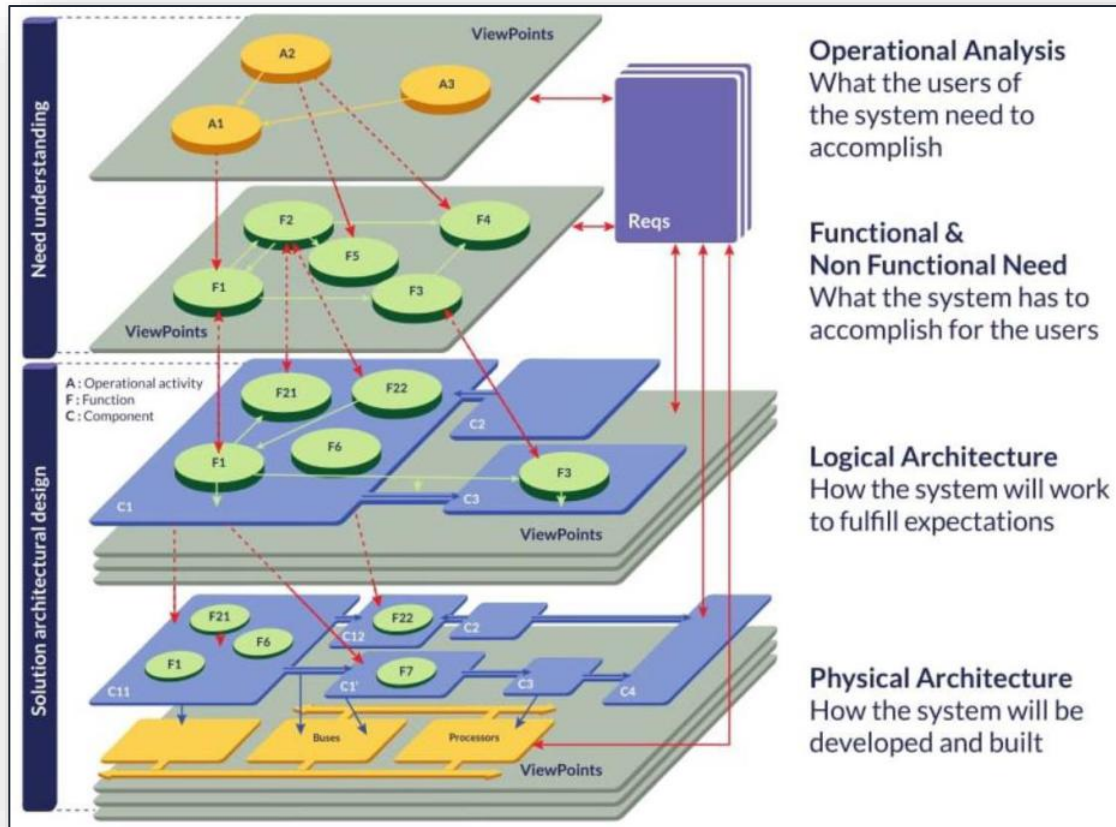
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ARCADIA/CAPELLA

HST

ARCADIA/CAPELLA - Introduction

ARCHitecture **AN**alysis & **DE**sign **IN**tegrated **AP**proach (**ARCADIA**) is a structured architecture engineering method for defining and validating multi-domain systems, based on architecture-centric and model-driven engineering activities. ARCADIA is a method based on functional analysis and focuses on developing the system by starting from needs analysis and solution development up to integrated verification and validation.



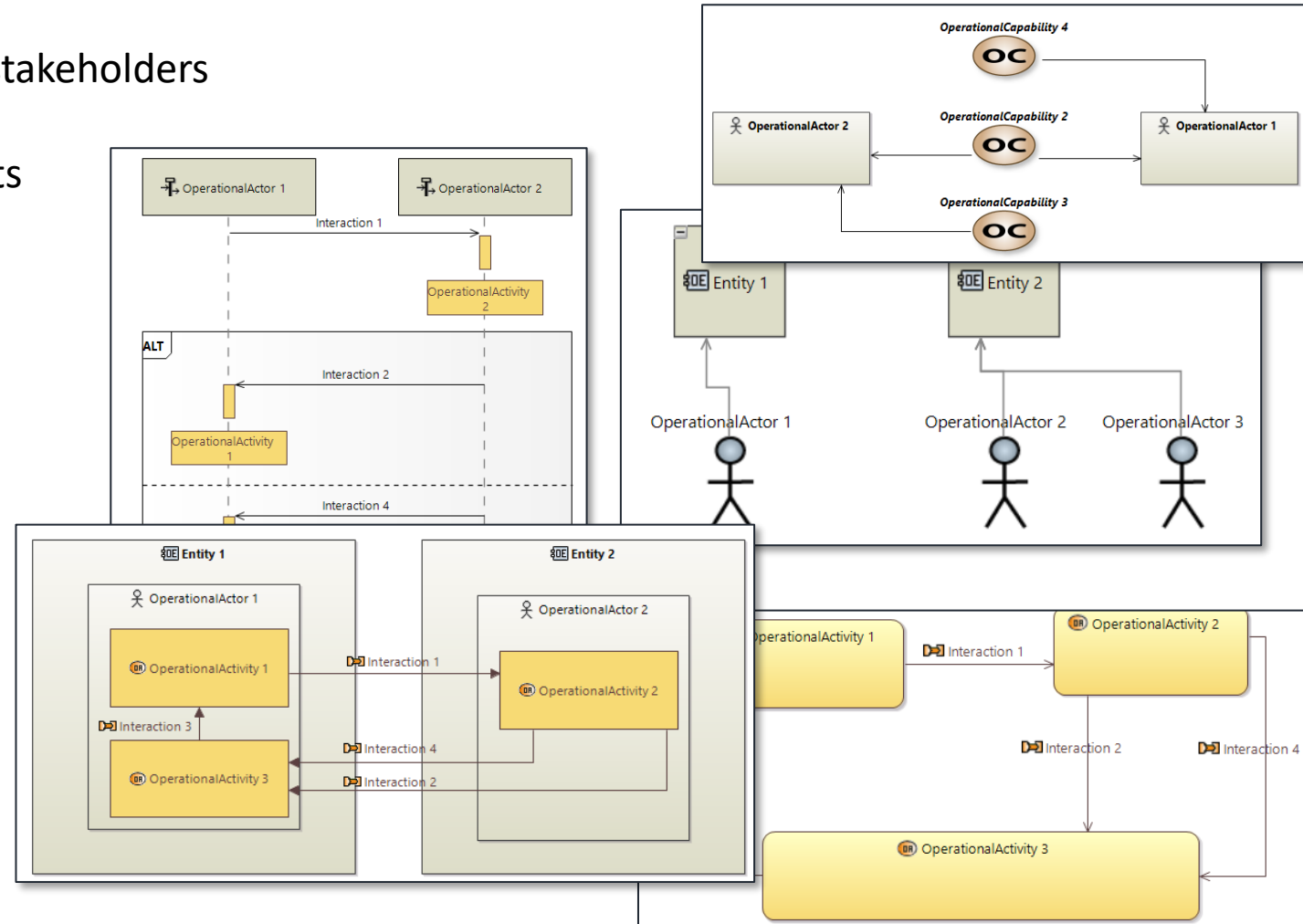
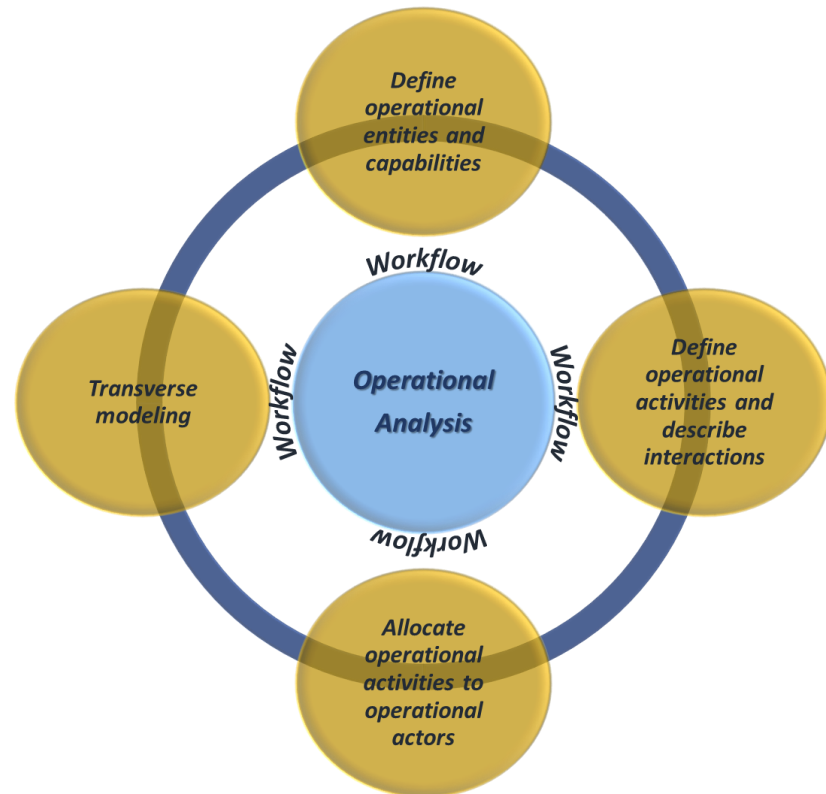
- Understand the real needs and context
- Define and share the solution among stakeholders
- Secure Sub-System/SW/HW engineering, prepare subcontracting
- Early evaluate and justify architectural design
- Prepare and master Verification & Validation

ARCADIA/CAPELLA - Operational Analysis

The OA perspective focuses on analyzing the customer needs and goals, expected missions and activities, far beyond system requirement

Define Stakeholder needs and environment

- Capture and consolidate operational needs from stakeholders
- Define what the users have to accomplish
- Identify entity, actors, roles, activities and concepts

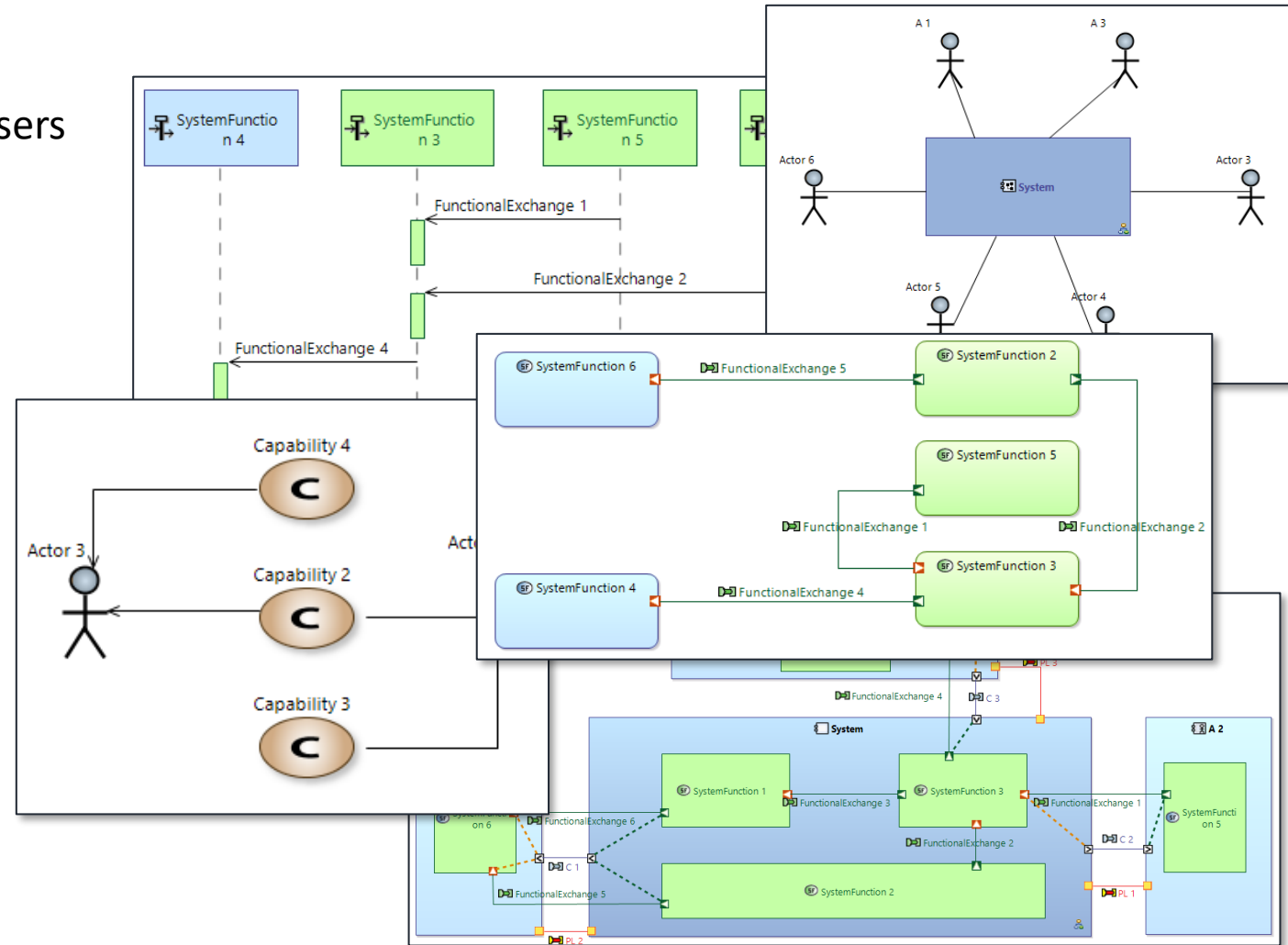
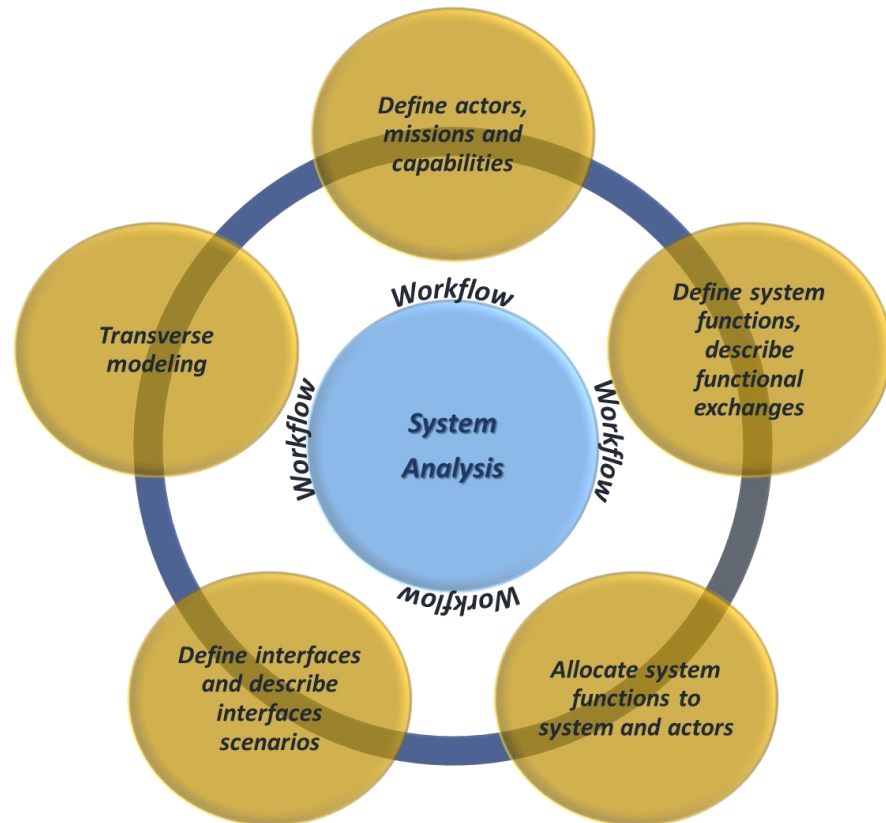


ARCADIA/CAPELLA - System Analysis

The SA perspective focuses on the **system itself**, in order to define **how it can satisfy the former operational need**

Formalize system requirements

- Identify the boundary of the system
- Define what the system has to accomplish for the users
- Model functional dataflows and dynamic behaviour

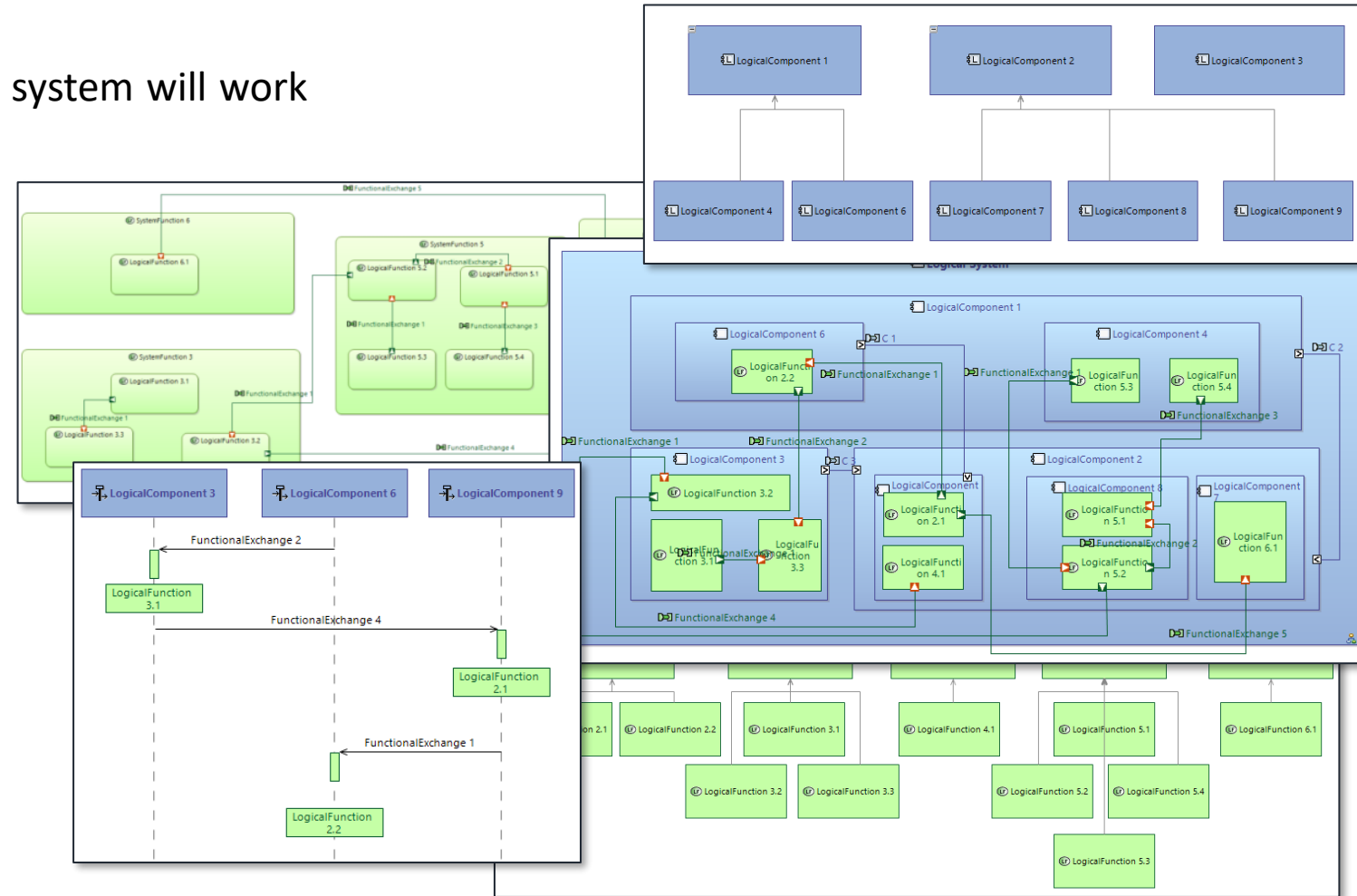
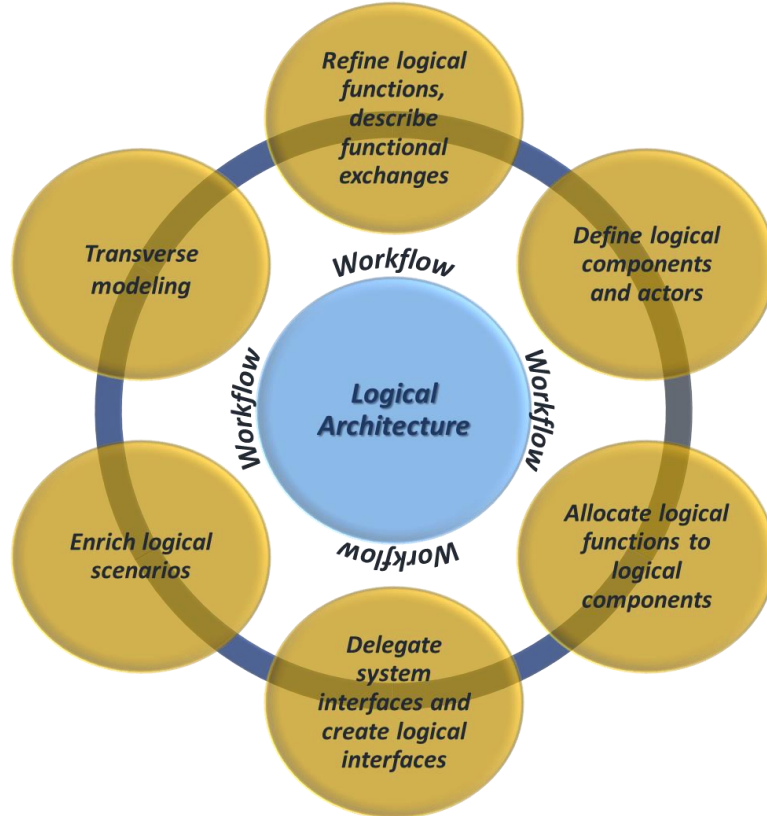


ARCADIA/CAPELLA - Logical Architecture

This LA perspective aims at building a **coarse-grained component breakdown of the system** carrying most important engineering decisions

Develop Logical architecture

- See the system as a white box define how the system will work so as to fulfill expectations
- Perform a trade-off analysis

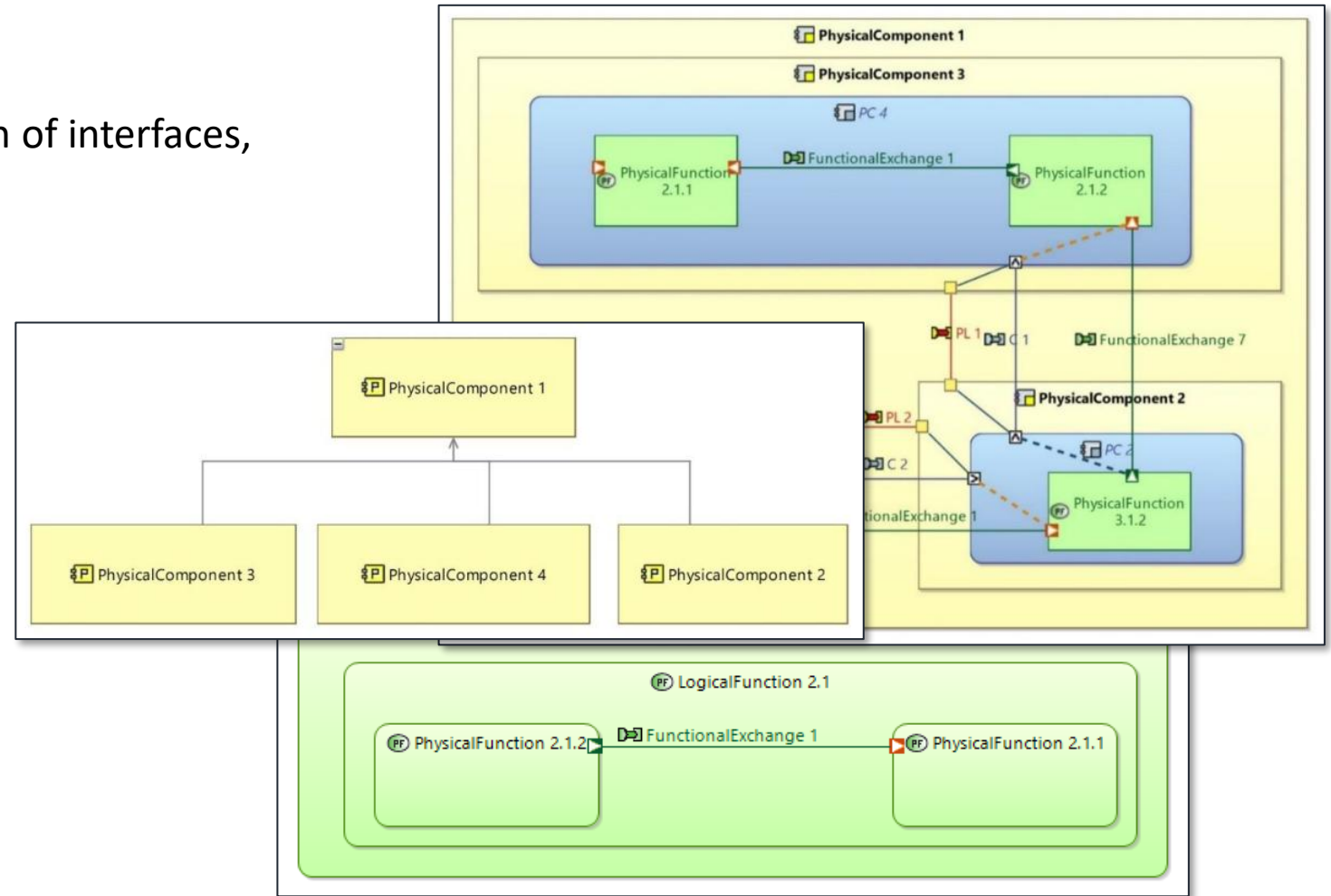
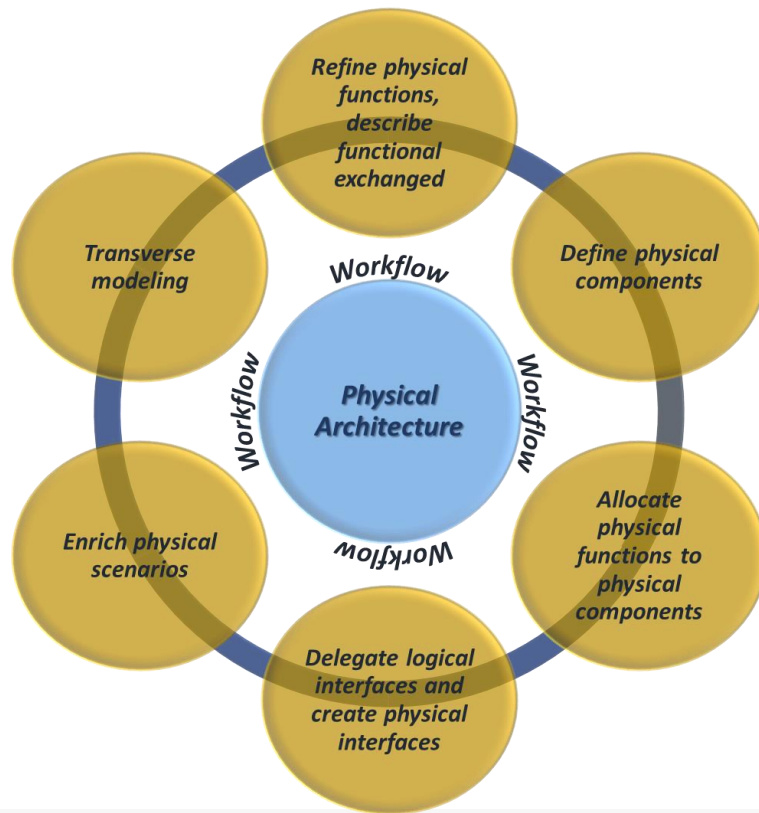


ARCADIA/CAPELLA - Physical Architecture

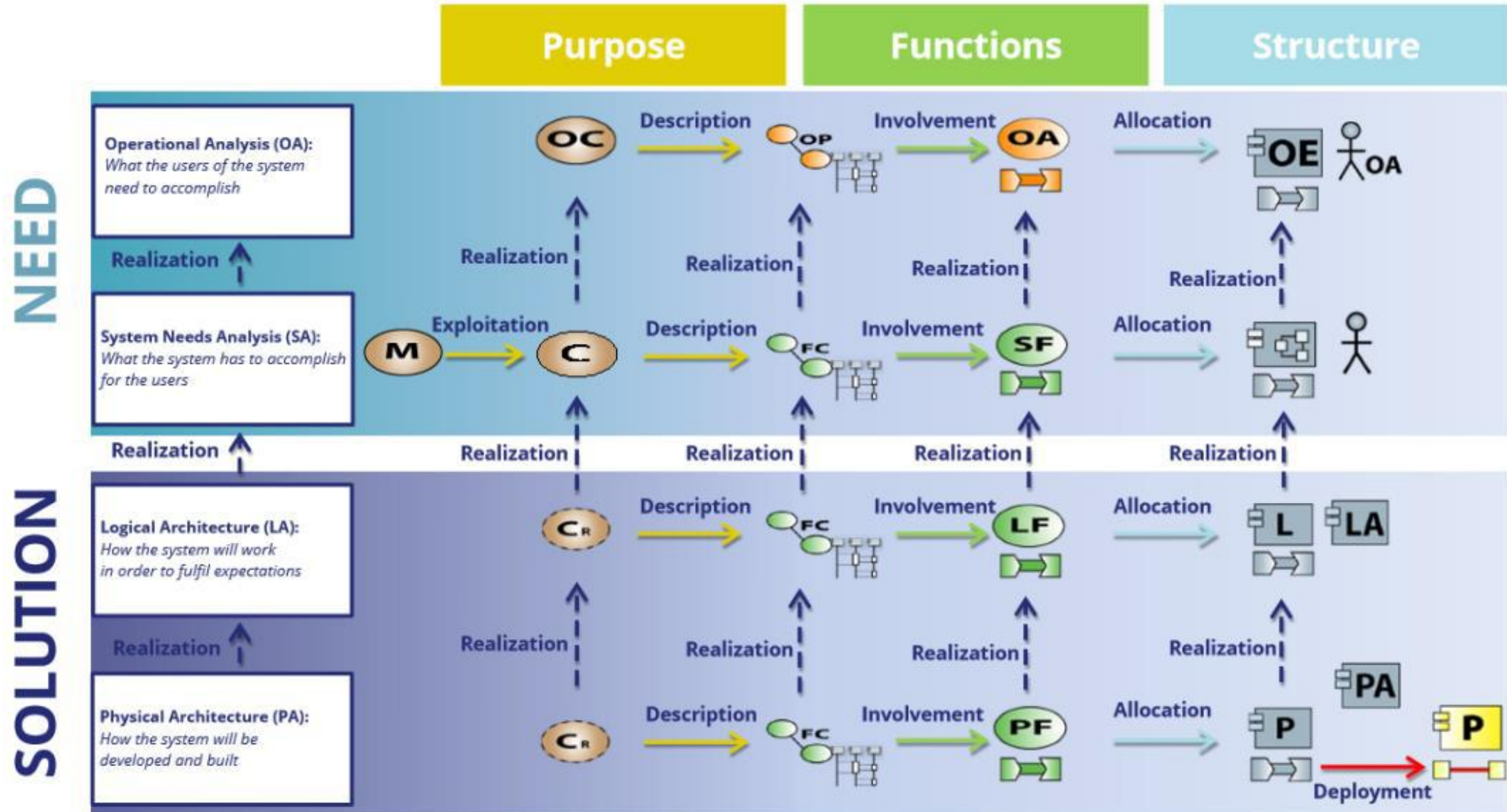
The PA perspective has the same intent as the logical architecture building, except that it defines the “final” architecture of the system at this level of engineering.

Develop Physical architecture

- How the system will be developed and built
- Software vs. hardware allocation, specification of interfaces,
- deployment configurations, trade-off analysis

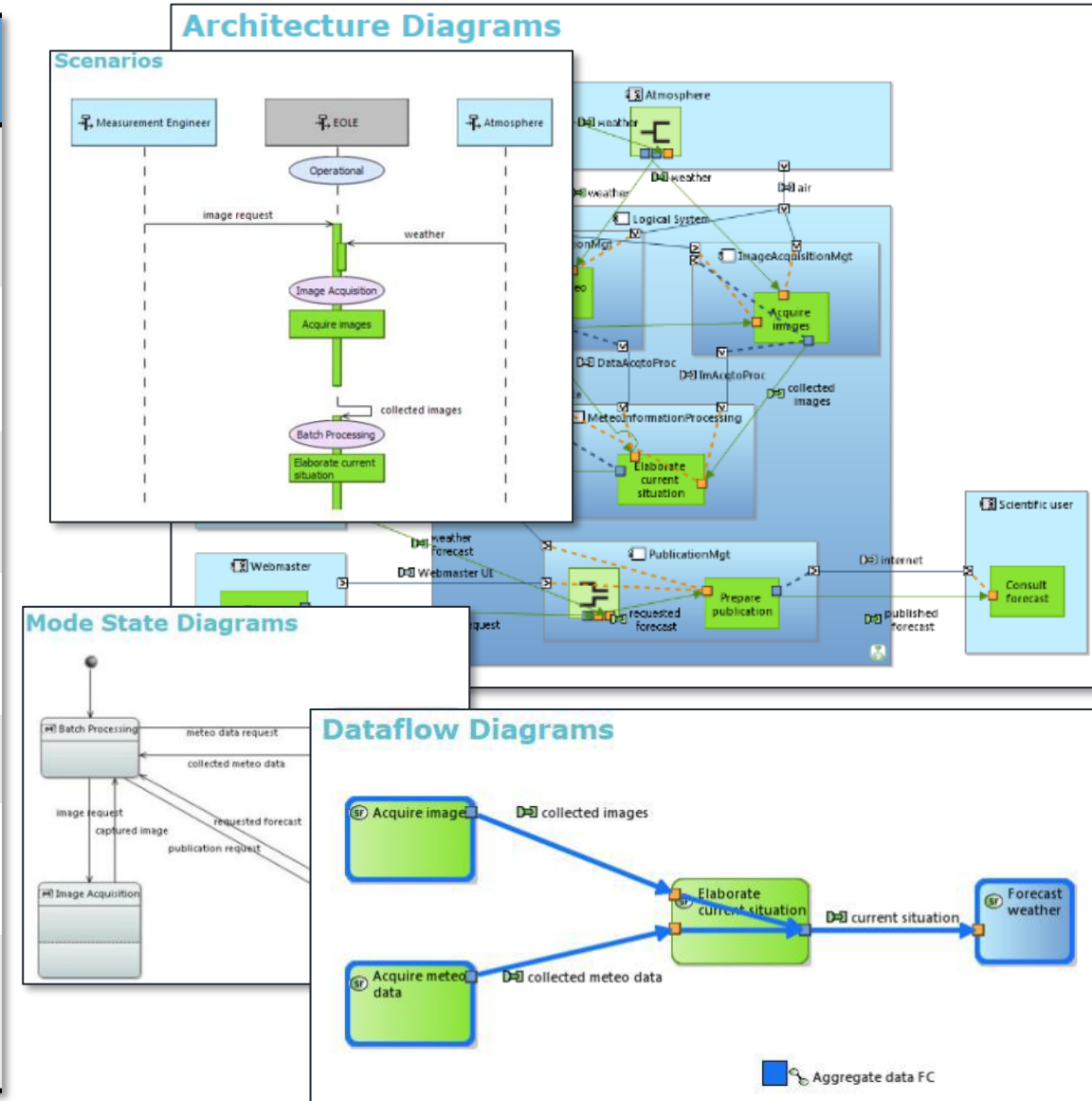


ARCADIA/CAPELLA - Concepts

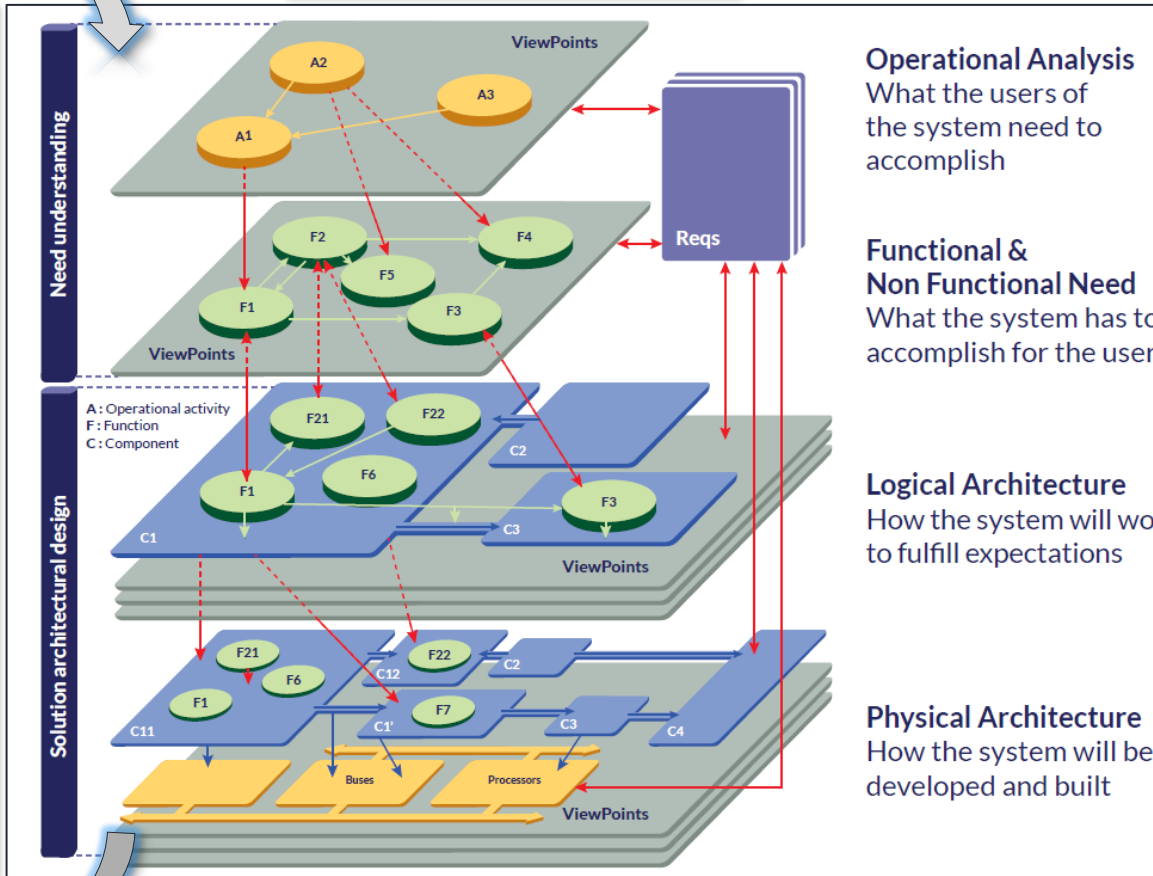
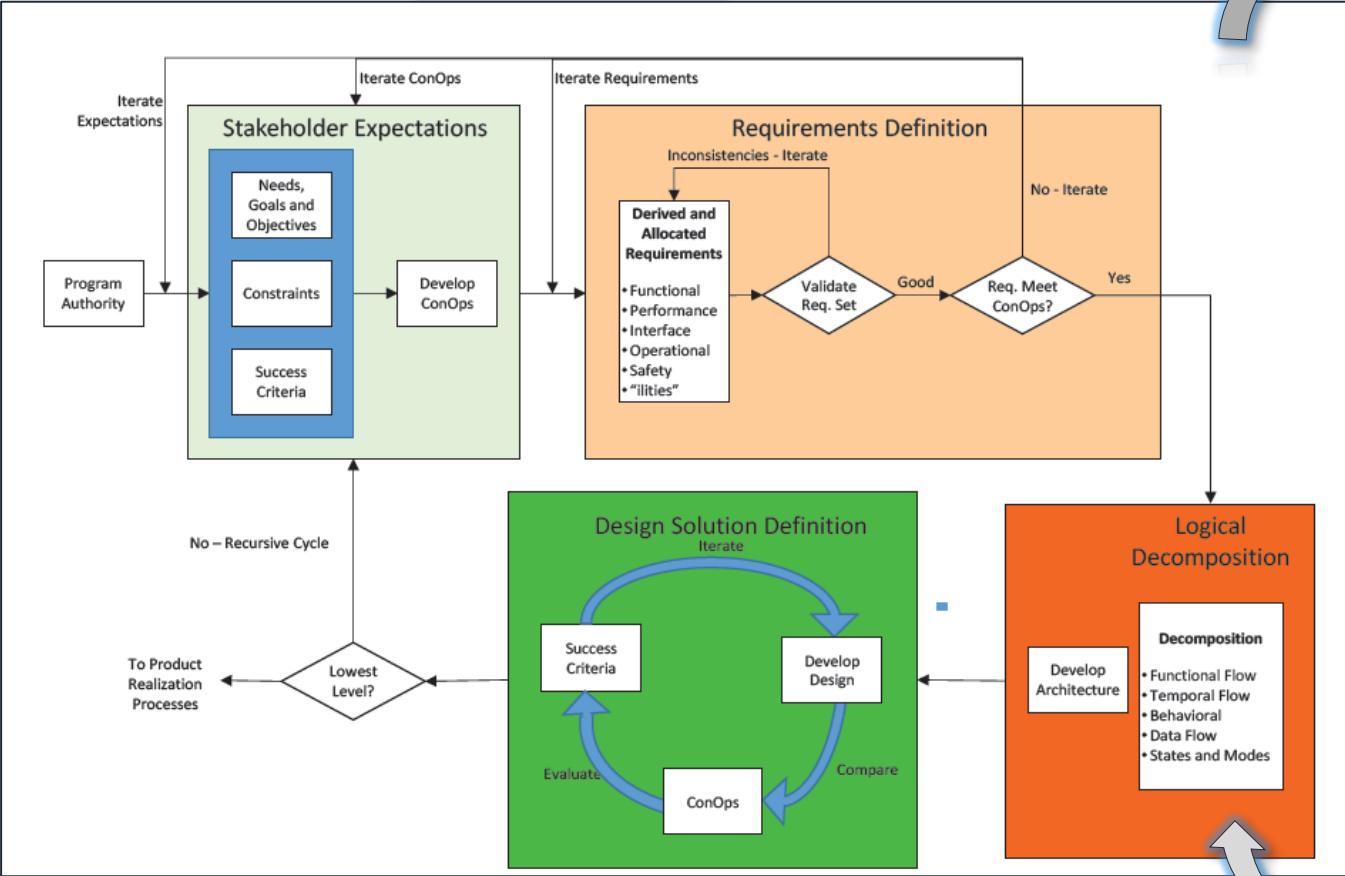


ARCADIA/CAPELLA - Diagram description

Diagram	Description
Breakdown diagram	Stakeholders/Functions/Components decomposition through graphical tree
Capability diagram	Equivalent to a use-case diagram, used to organize the functional analysis
Dataflow diagram	Provide informations exchanged between functions
Architecture diagram	Described the assembly of components or functions and interfaces
Scenario	Provdes dynamic behavior between functions
Mode&State	Provide the working type of function or actor or system.
Class diagram	Often, data-class diagram compress of exchange items or data parameters utilized in a system

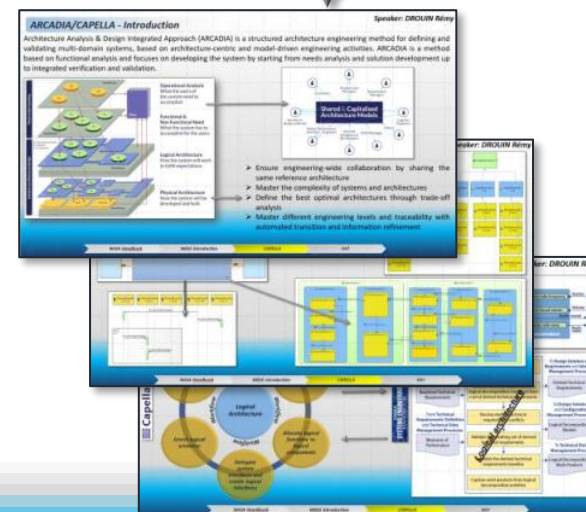
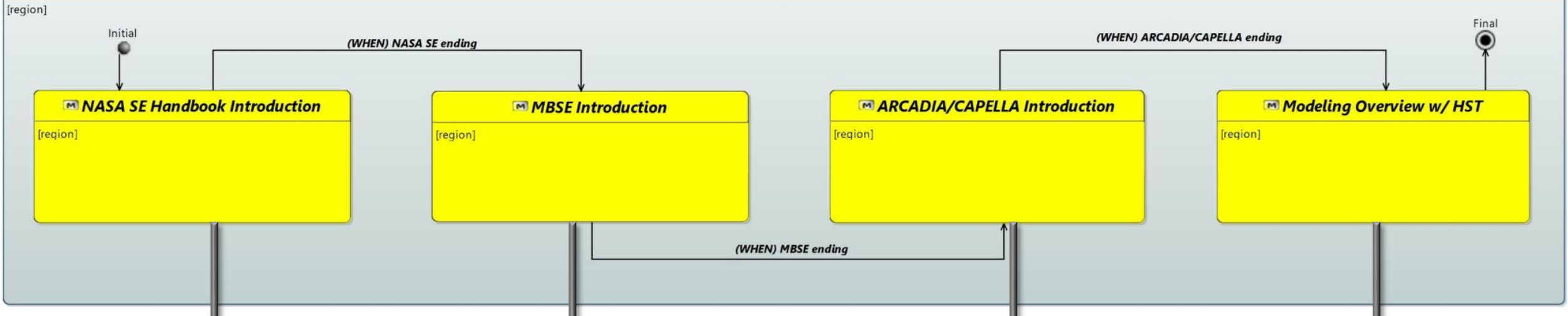


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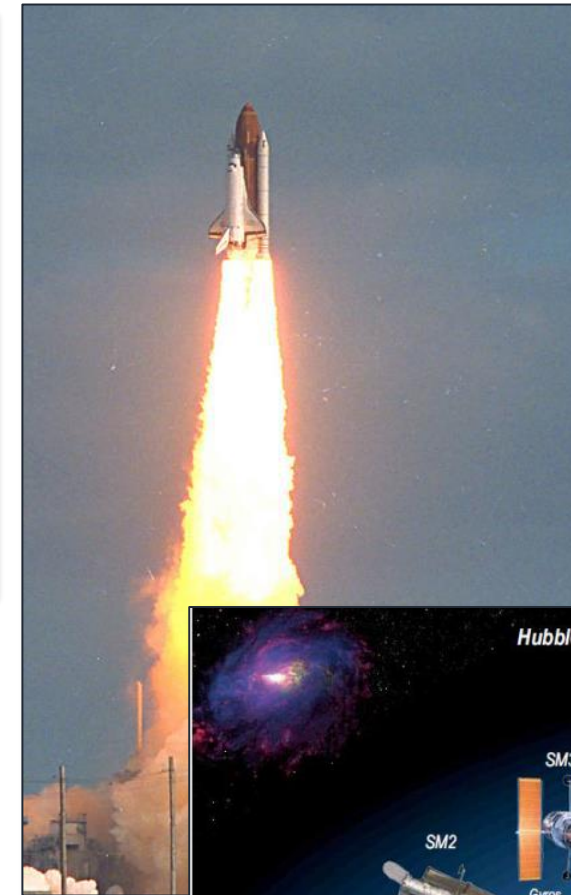
« All models are wrong, but some are useful » George E.P.Box (British statistician)

Hubble is a Cassegrain reflector telescope. Light from celestial objects travels down a tube, is collected by a bowl-like, inwardly curved primary mirror and reflected toward a smaller, dome-shaped, outwardly curved secondary mirror. The secondary mirror bounces the light back to the primary mirror and through a hole in its center. The light is focused on a small area called the focal plane, where it is picked up by its various science instruments.



Orbiting high above the Earth, the Hubble Space Telescope has a clear view of the universe free from the blurring and absorbing effects of the atmosphere. In addition to observing visible and near-infrared light, Hubble detects ultraviolet light, which is absorbed by the atmosphere and visible only from space. The telescope has beamed hundreds of thousands of celestial images back to Earth during its time in space.

HUBBLE Space Telescope facts



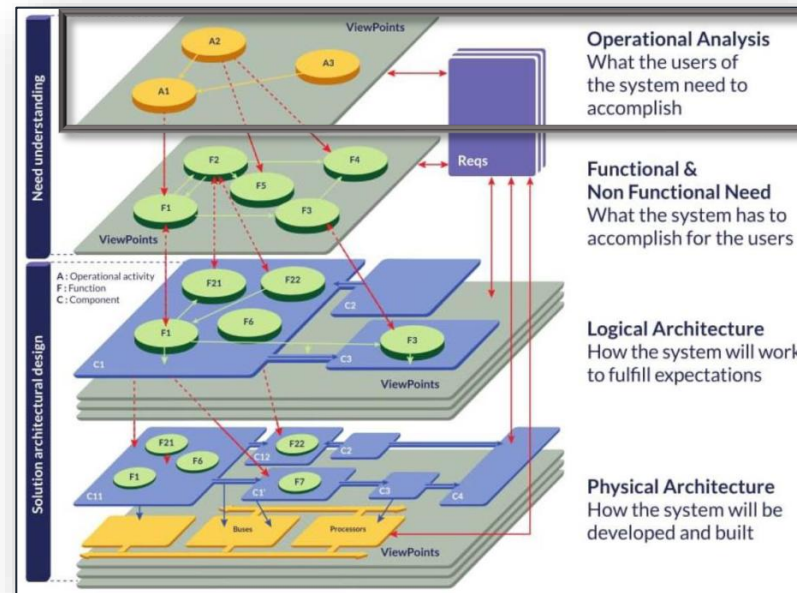
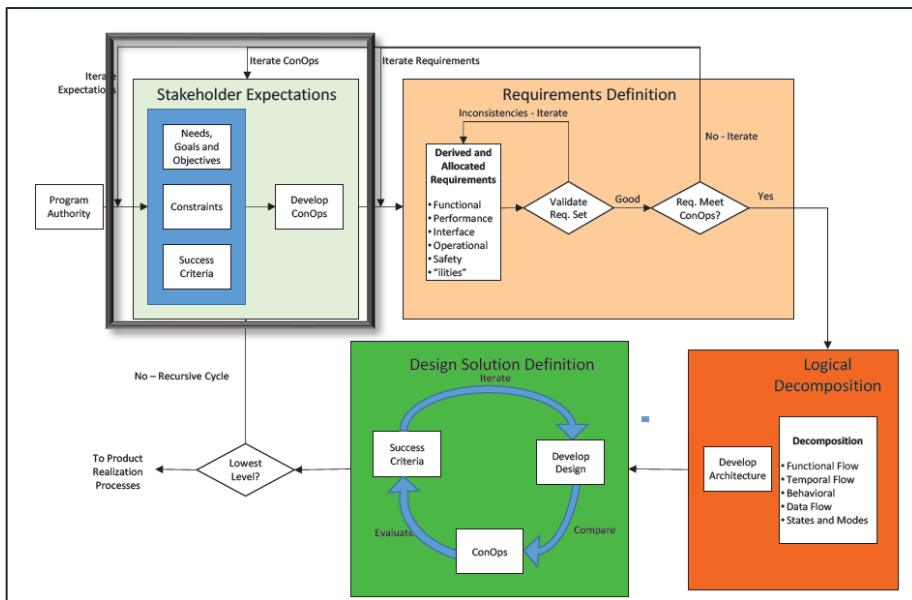
- **Launched:** April 24, 1990
- **Deployed:** April 25, 1990. First Image – May 20, 1990
- **Servicing missions:** 4 (SM1 – SM4)
- **Launch vehicle:** Space Shuttle Discovery (STS-31)
- **Launch site:** Kennedy Space Center, Florida
- **Location:** Orbiting 340 miles (540 kilometers) above the Earth
- **Orbital Period:** Approximately 95 minutes to complete one orbit around Earth
- **Speed:** About 17,000 mph (27,300 kph)
- **Wavelength coverage:** Sensitivity to light: Ultraviolet through Infrared (115-1700nm)



Operational Analysis

Requirements definition process Technical solution definition process

Need understanding Solution architectural design



Operational Analysis

Purpose

Run peer review science program selection



Advance the state-of-the-art astronomical research, archives and tools for scientific discovery



Helps turn great science ideas into great science



Help humanity to explore the universe



Manage daily operation support



Manage daily mission operation



Behind Hubble's captivating images and groundbreaking science is a team of people who control the telescope, ensure its health and safety, and innovate ways to keep it at top performance more than three decades after its launch. This group of engineers, scientists, and operators at NASA's Goddard Space Flight Center work together to monitor Hubble as it travels around Earth, point the telescope at cosmic targets, and solve any problems that arise. They perform their work in specialized facilities that provide the tools and equipment needed to operate this great observatory and continue its legacy of success.



HUBBLE SPACE TELESCOPE (HST) LAUNCHED APRIL 24, 1990

We are the science operations center for the Hubble Space Telescope. Our work includes running the lifecycle of a scientific proposal for Hubble observations, which we have been doing since its launch in 1990. We help turn great science ideas into great science, highlight the results, and distribute the data acquired for others to use. Our work includes running the peer-reviewed science program selection, planning and scheduling of the telescope, characterizing the performance of the instruments, maintaining and enhancing the archive of data, and making the data freely available to the world.



Help humanity to explore the universe



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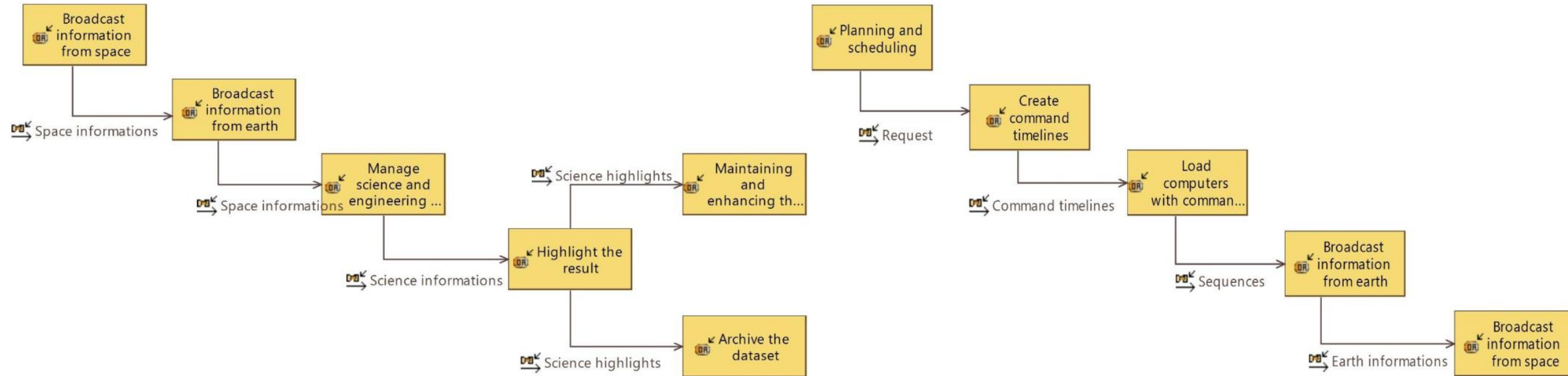
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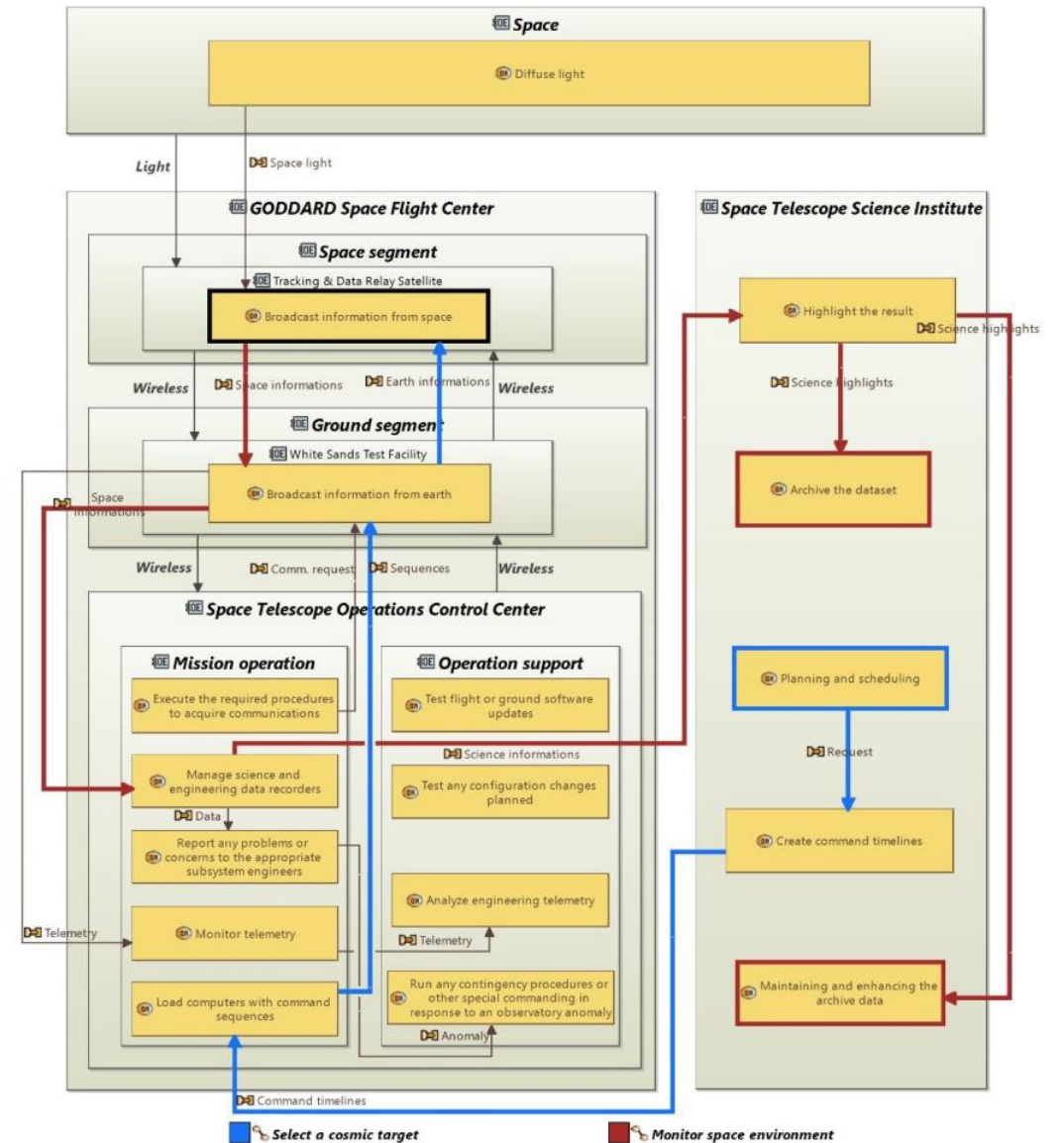
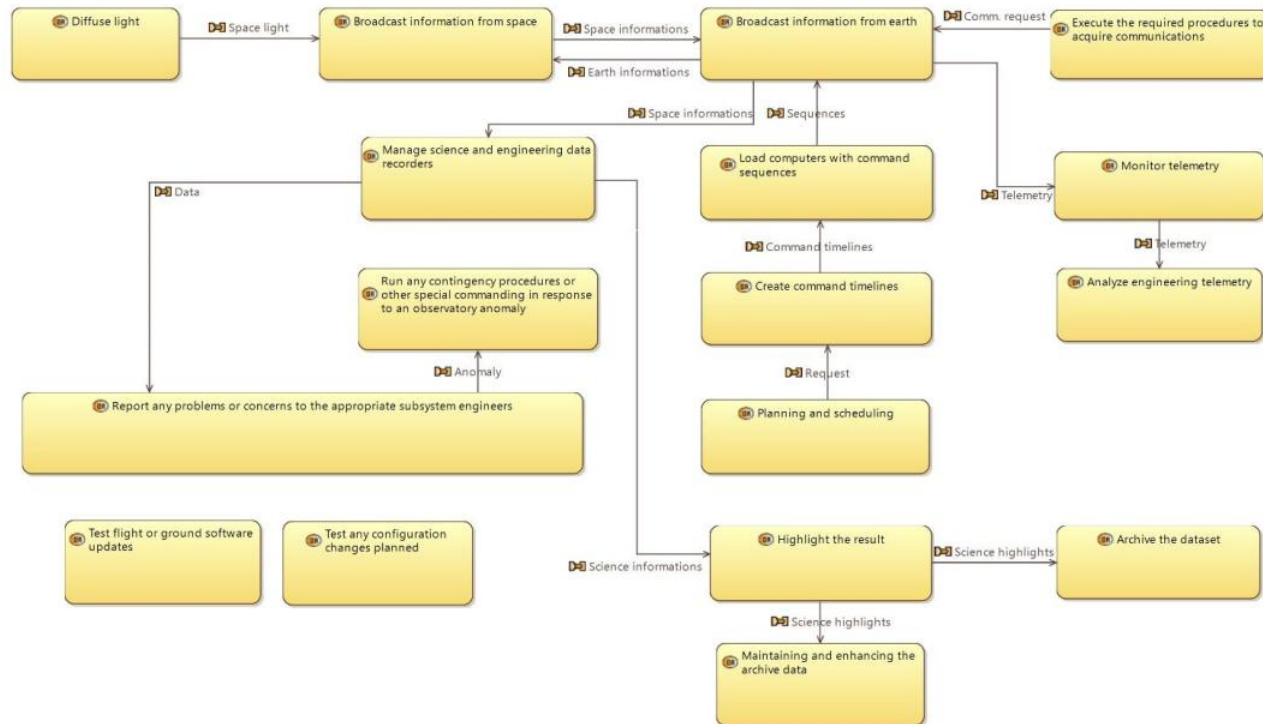
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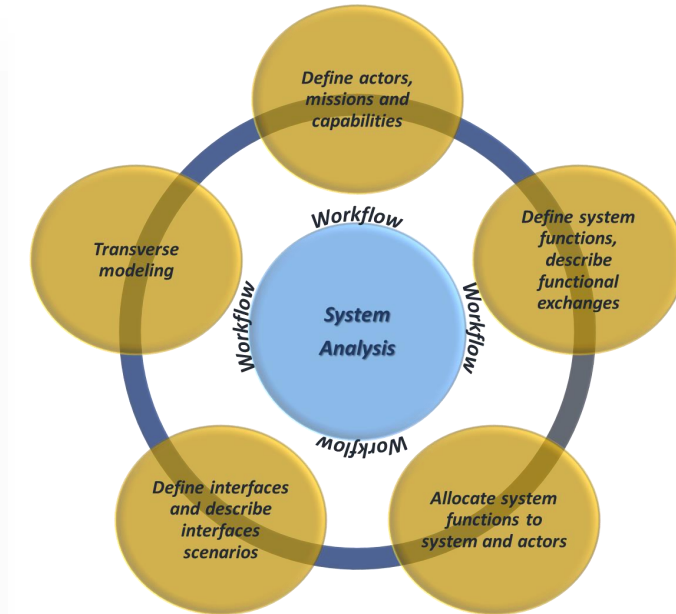
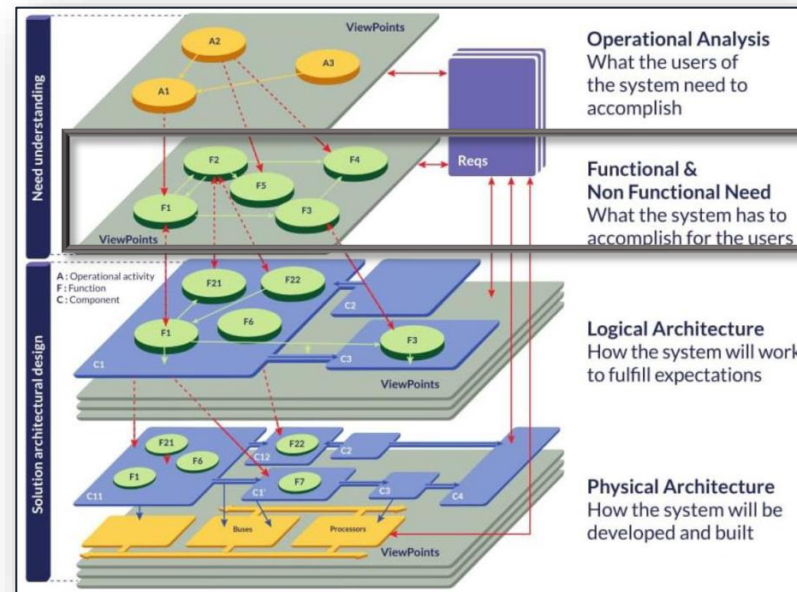
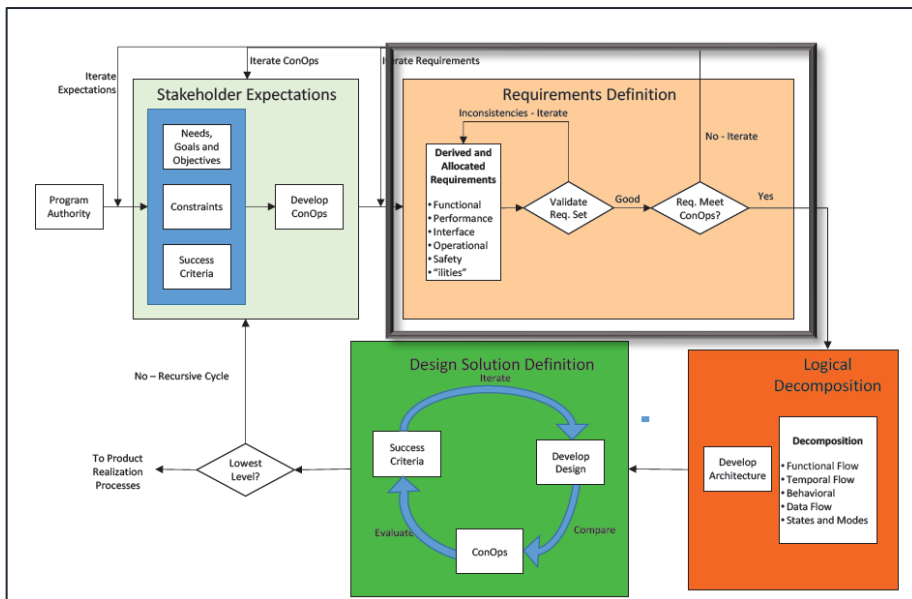


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System Analysis

Requirements definition process Technical solution definition process

Need understanding Solution architectural design

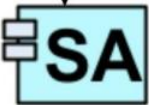


System Analysis

Purpose

Provide space imagery solution

Provide image of space environment without atmospheric constraints



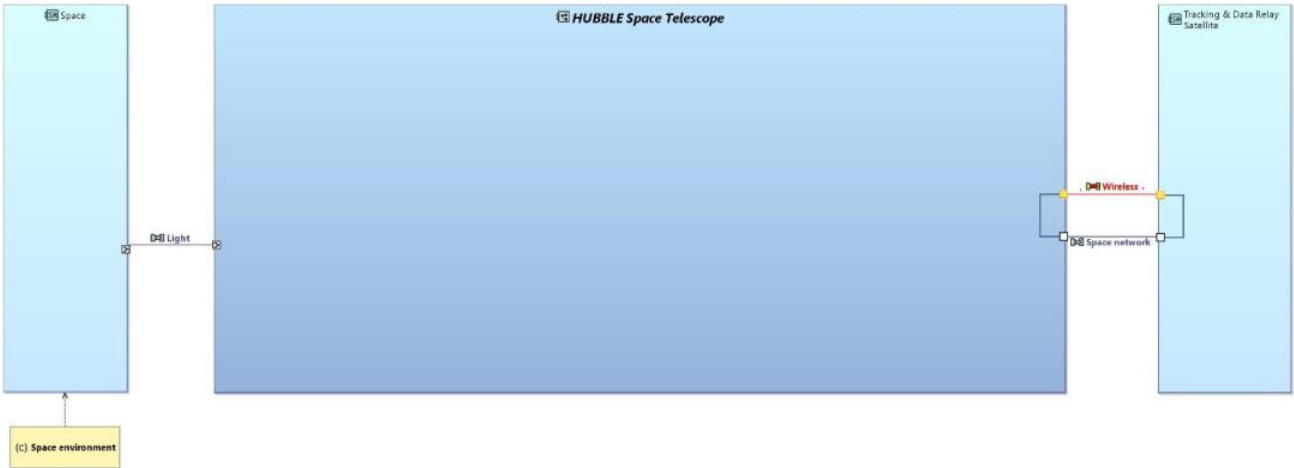
Tracking & Data Relay Satellite



Space



Structure



(Capability) Provide image of space environment without atmospheric constraints

Referencing Elements

- Exploiting Missions
 - Provide space imagery solution
- Realizing Capability Realizations
 - Provide image of space environment without atmospheric constraints

Current Element

- Provide image of space environment without atmospheric constraints
 - Owned Functional Chains
 - Images Sharing
 - Star Pointing
 - Scenarios
 - [ES] [FS] Images Sharing (ES)
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 - All Related Diagrams
 - [MCB] Capabilities
 - [SDFB] Provide image of space environment without atmospheric constraints

Referenced Elements

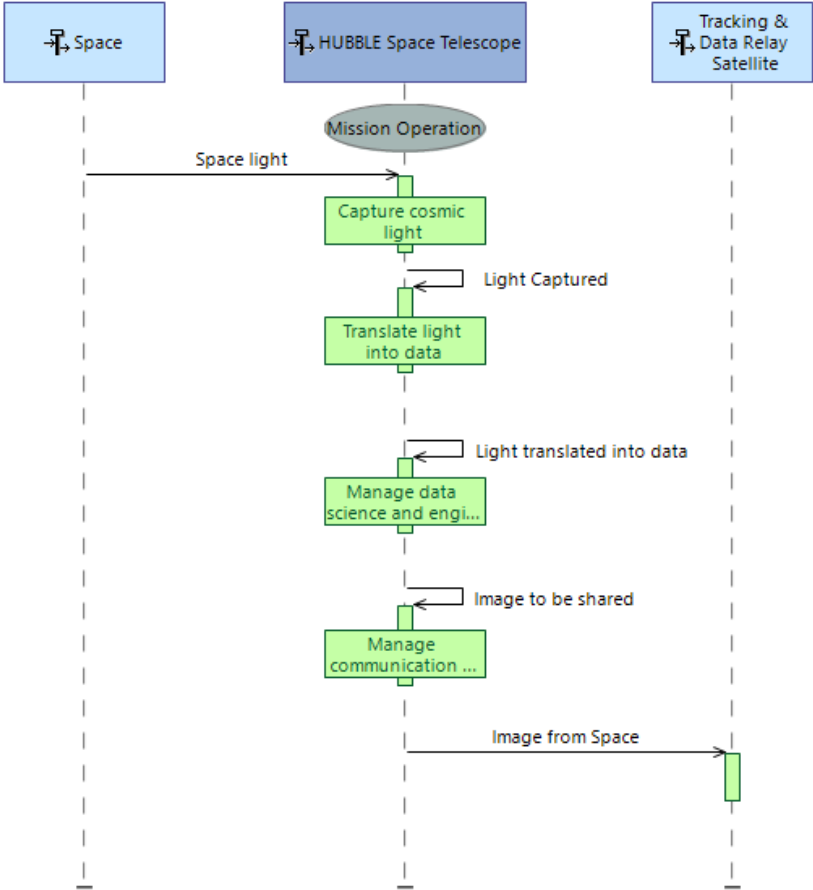
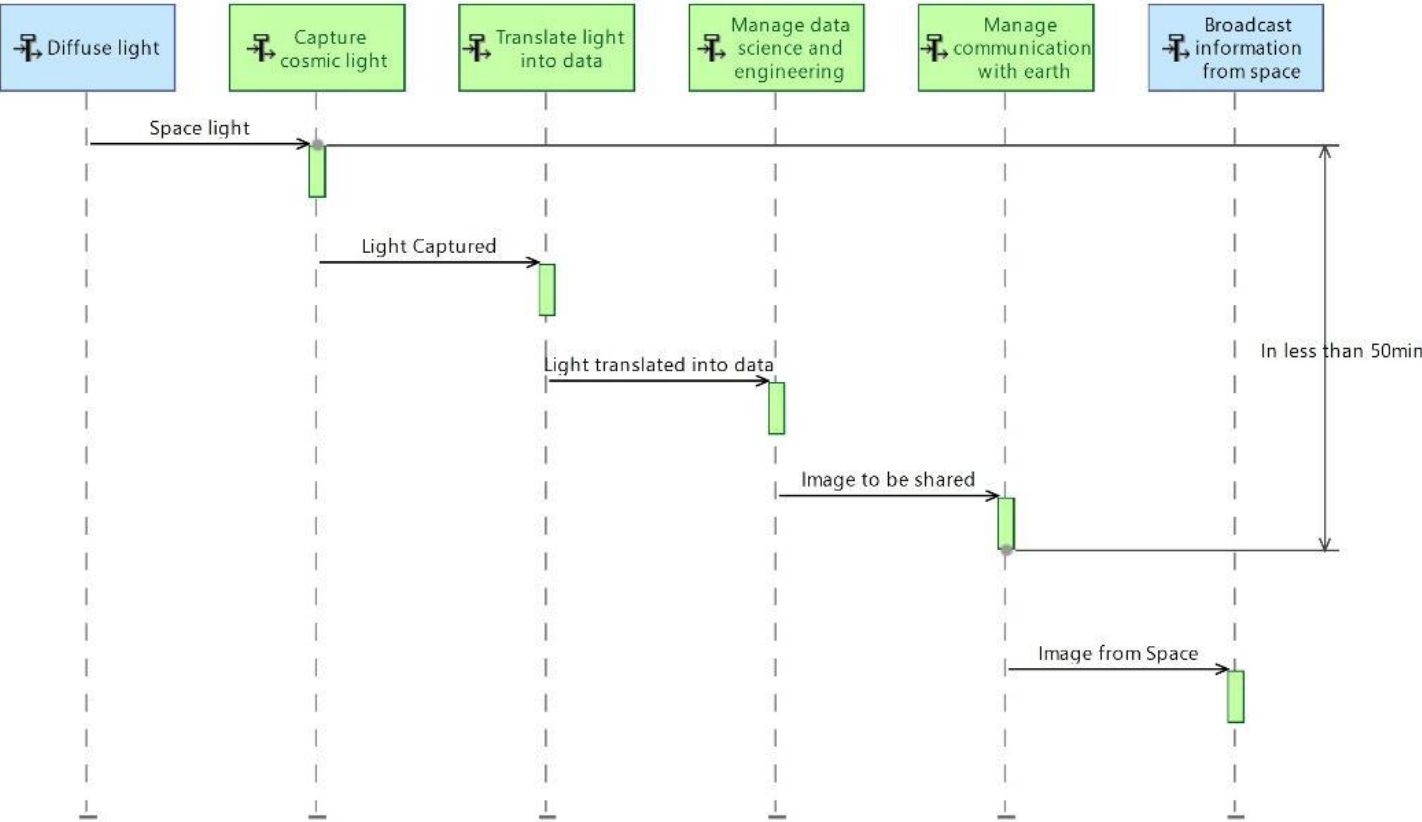
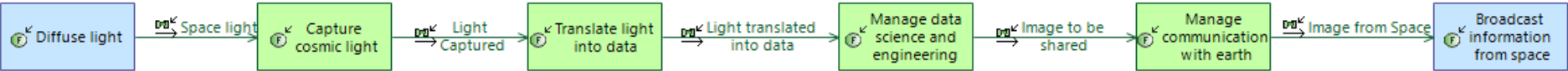
- Active In Modes
 - Mission Operation
- Involved Components
 - HUBBLE Space Telescope
 - Space
 - Tracking & Data Relay Satellite
- Involved Functional Chains
 - Images Sharing
 - Star Pointing
- Involved System Functions
 - Broadcast information from space
 - Capture cosmic light
 - Control pointing
 - Diffuse light
 - Manage communication with earth
 - Manage data science and engineering
 - Root System Function
 - Translate light into data
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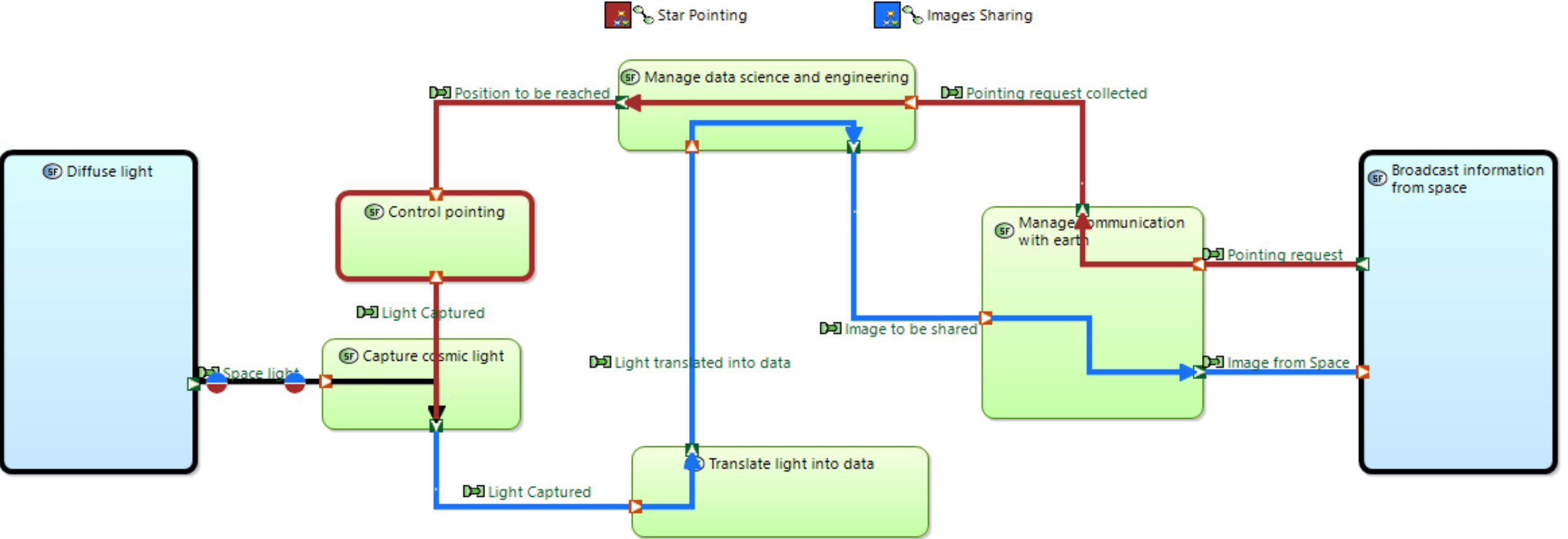
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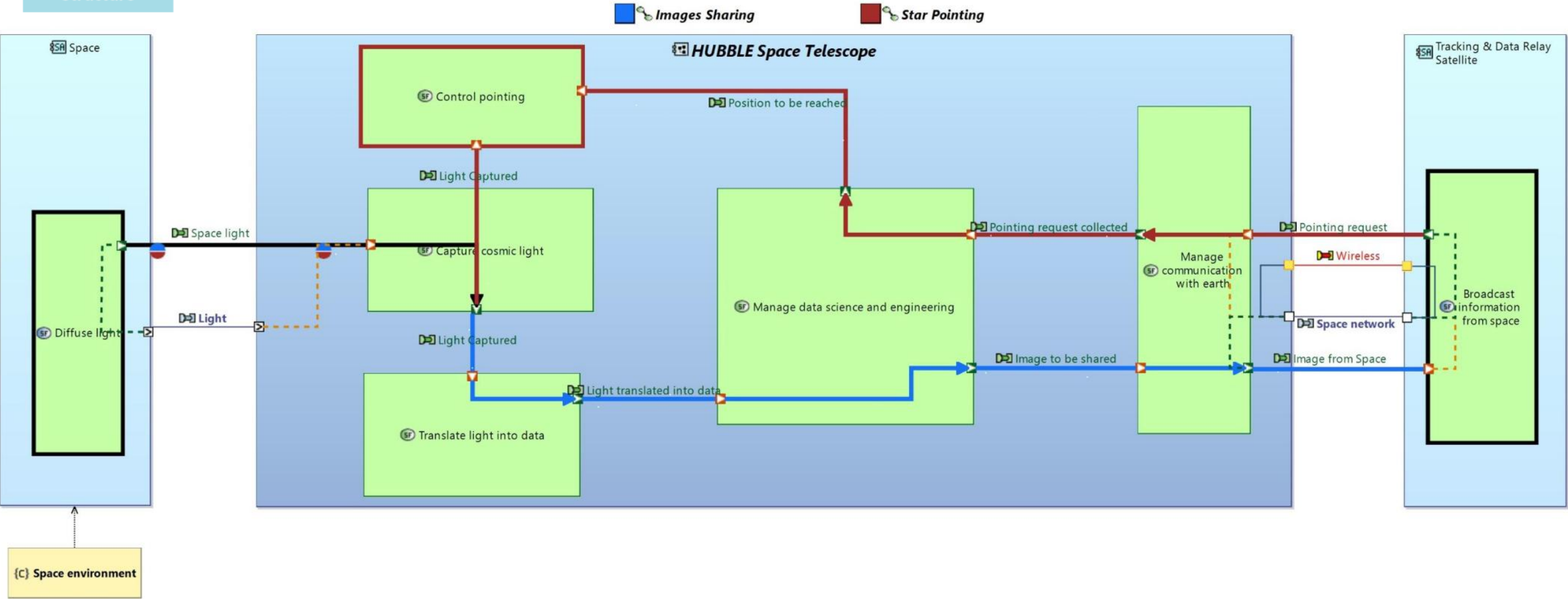
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System Analysis

- Functions
- Structure



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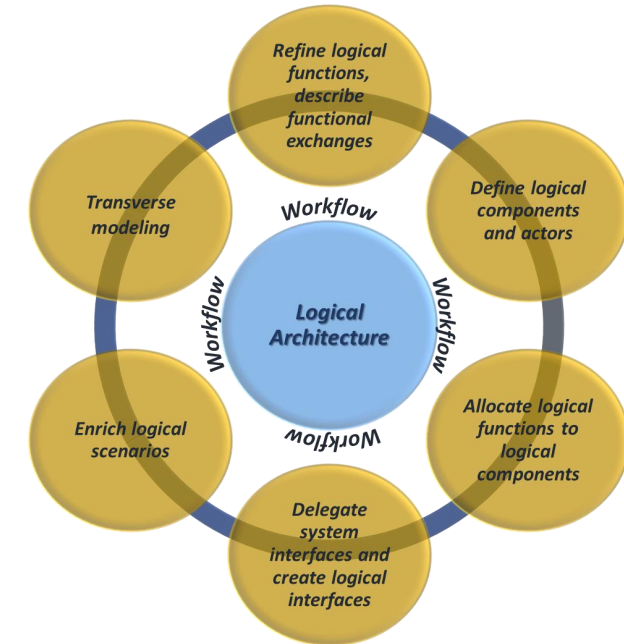
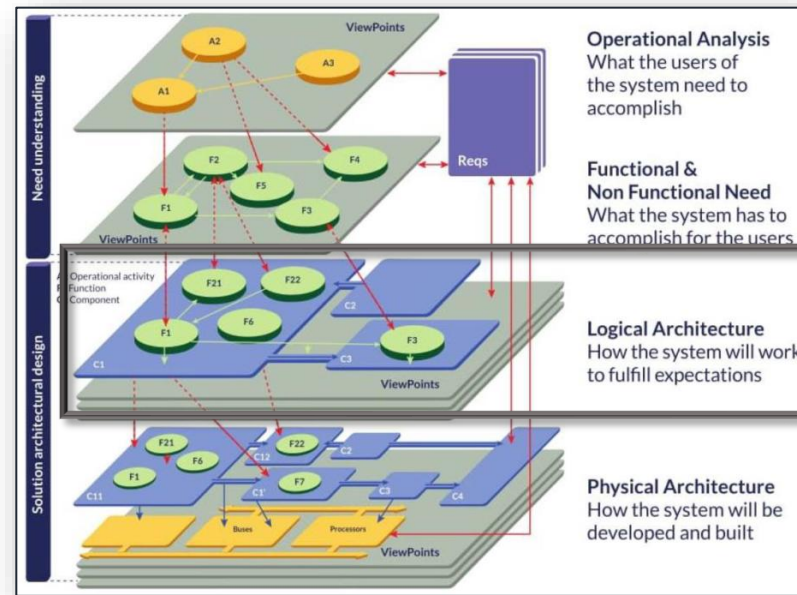
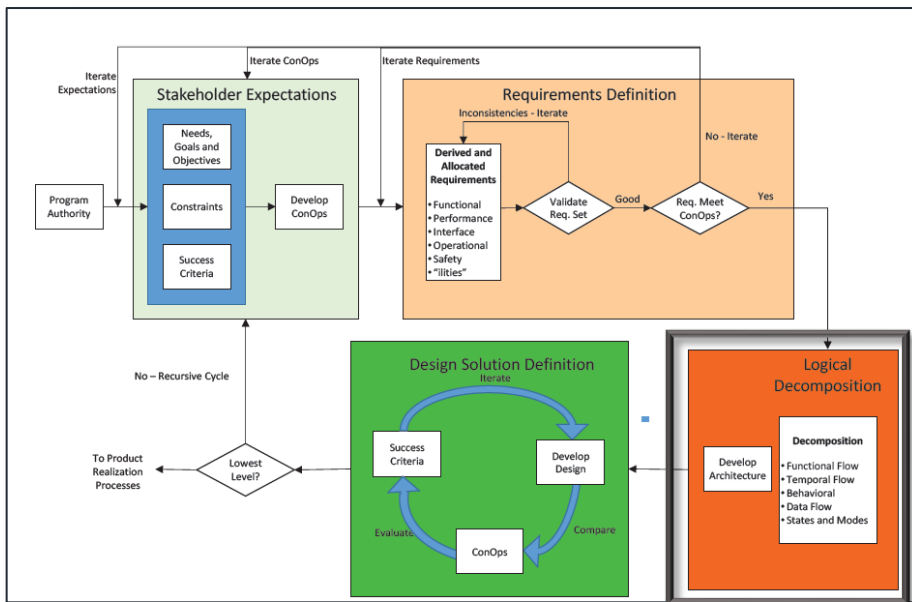
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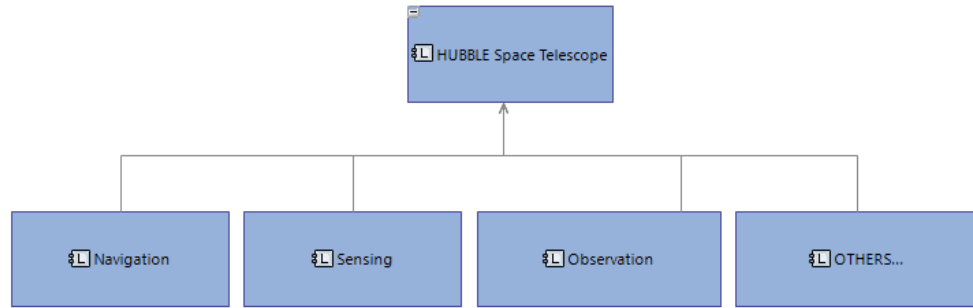
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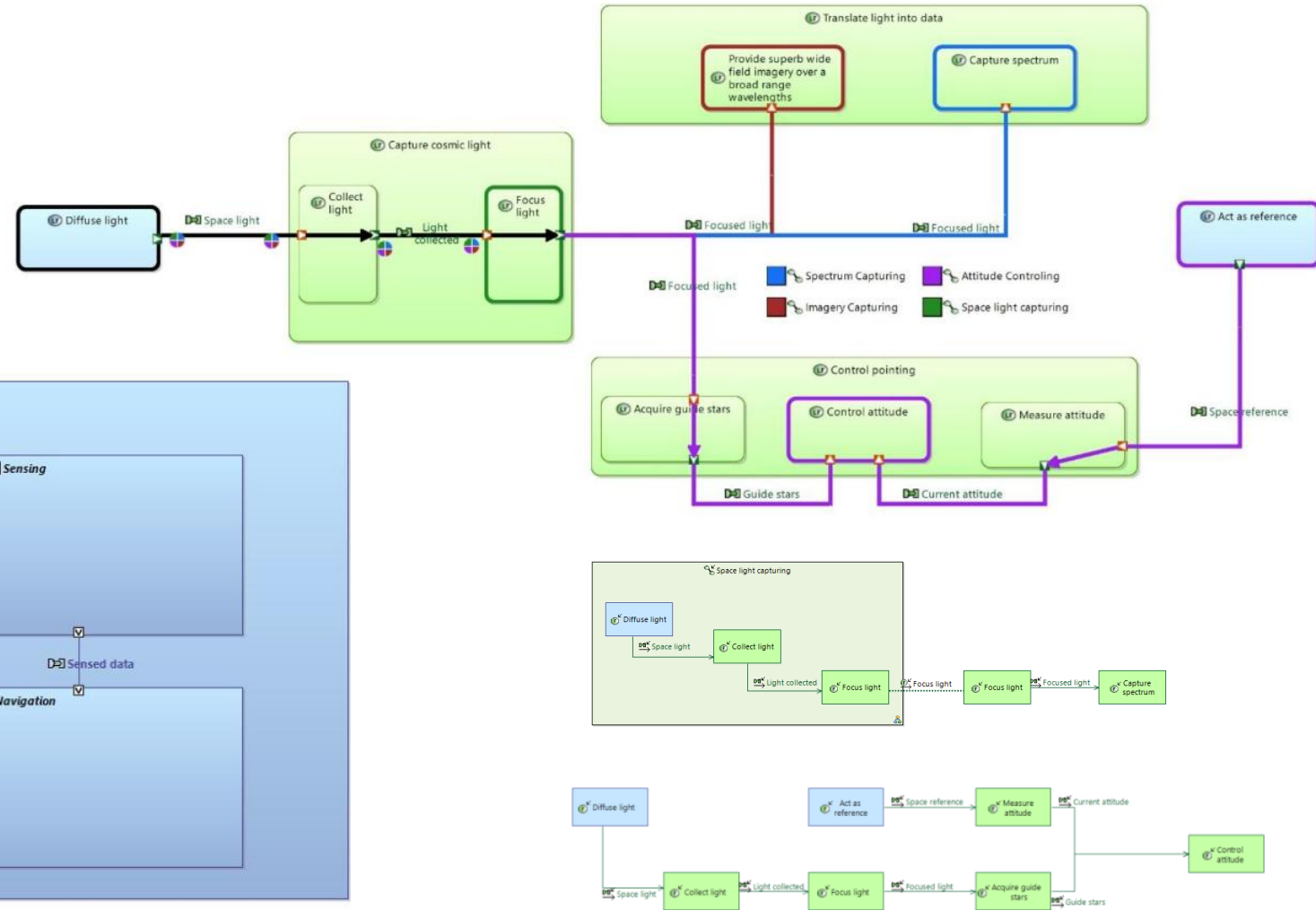
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Logical Architecture



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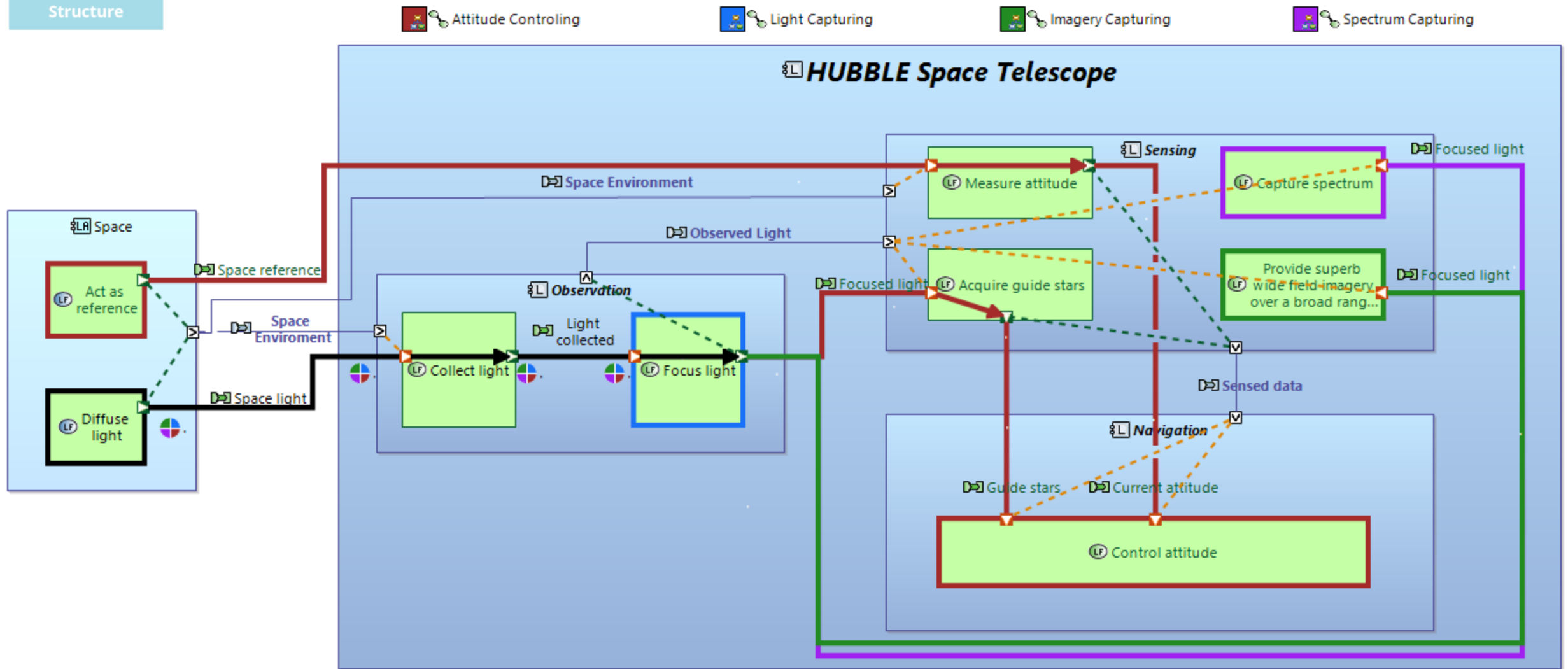


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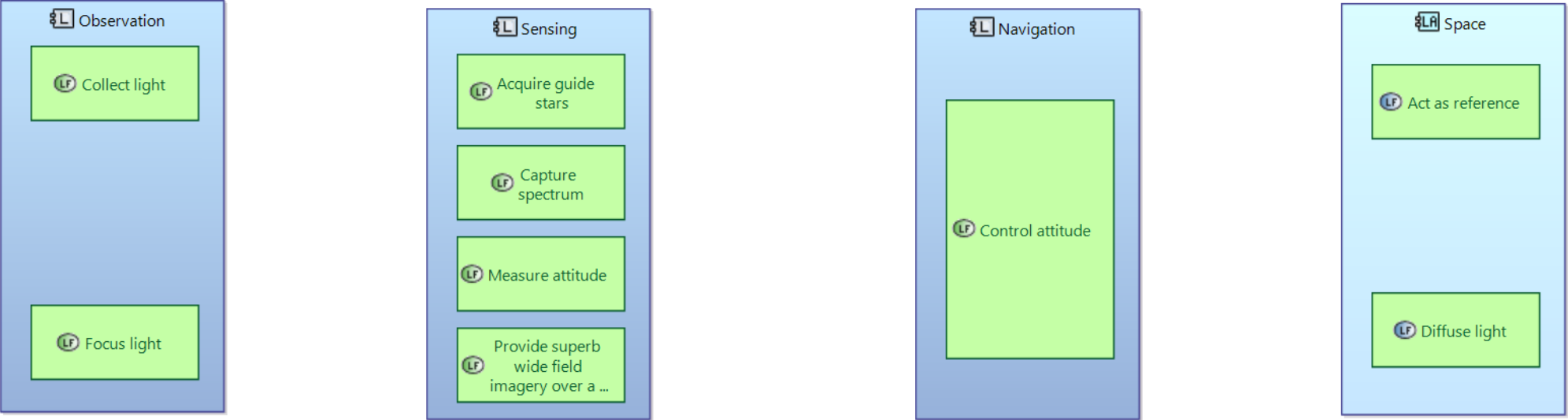


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Logical Architecture

Functions

Structure



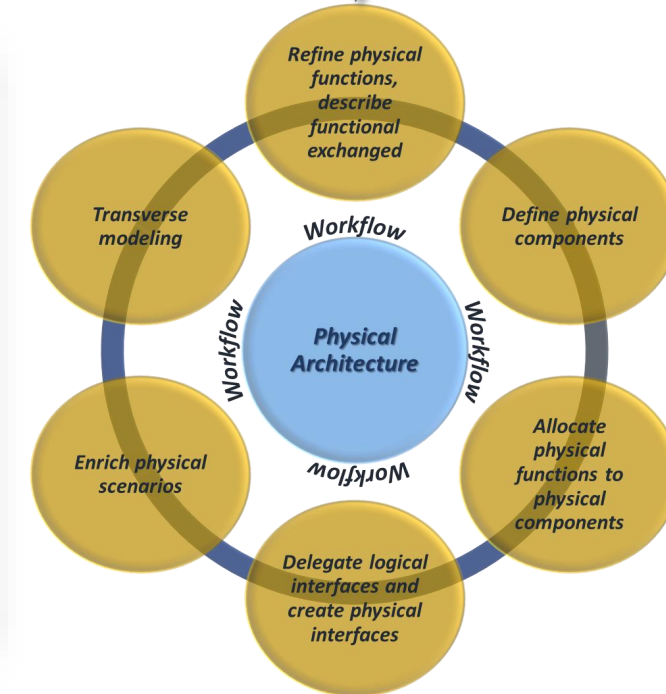
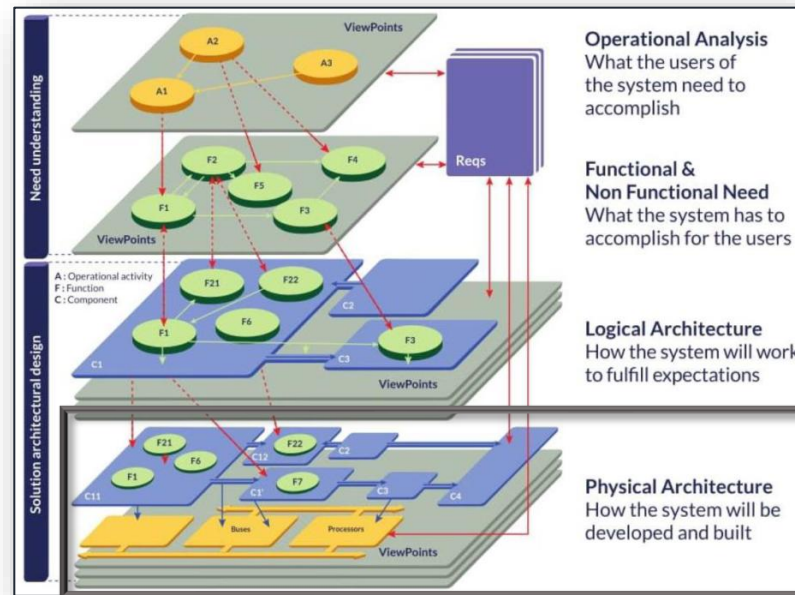
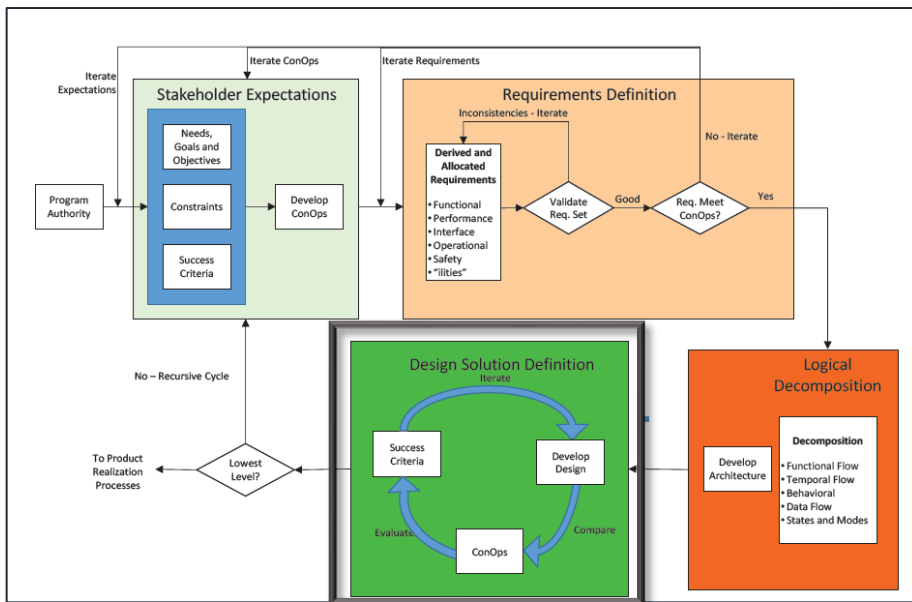
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Physical Architecture

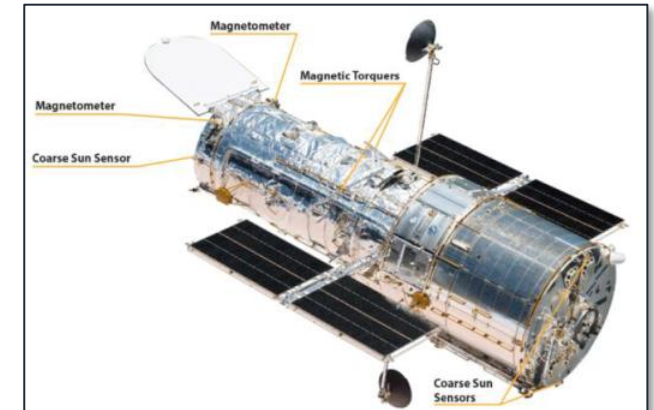
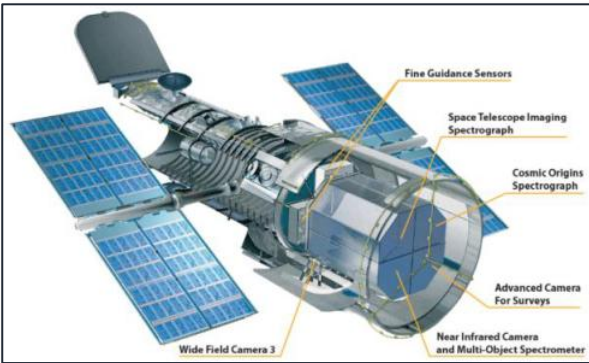
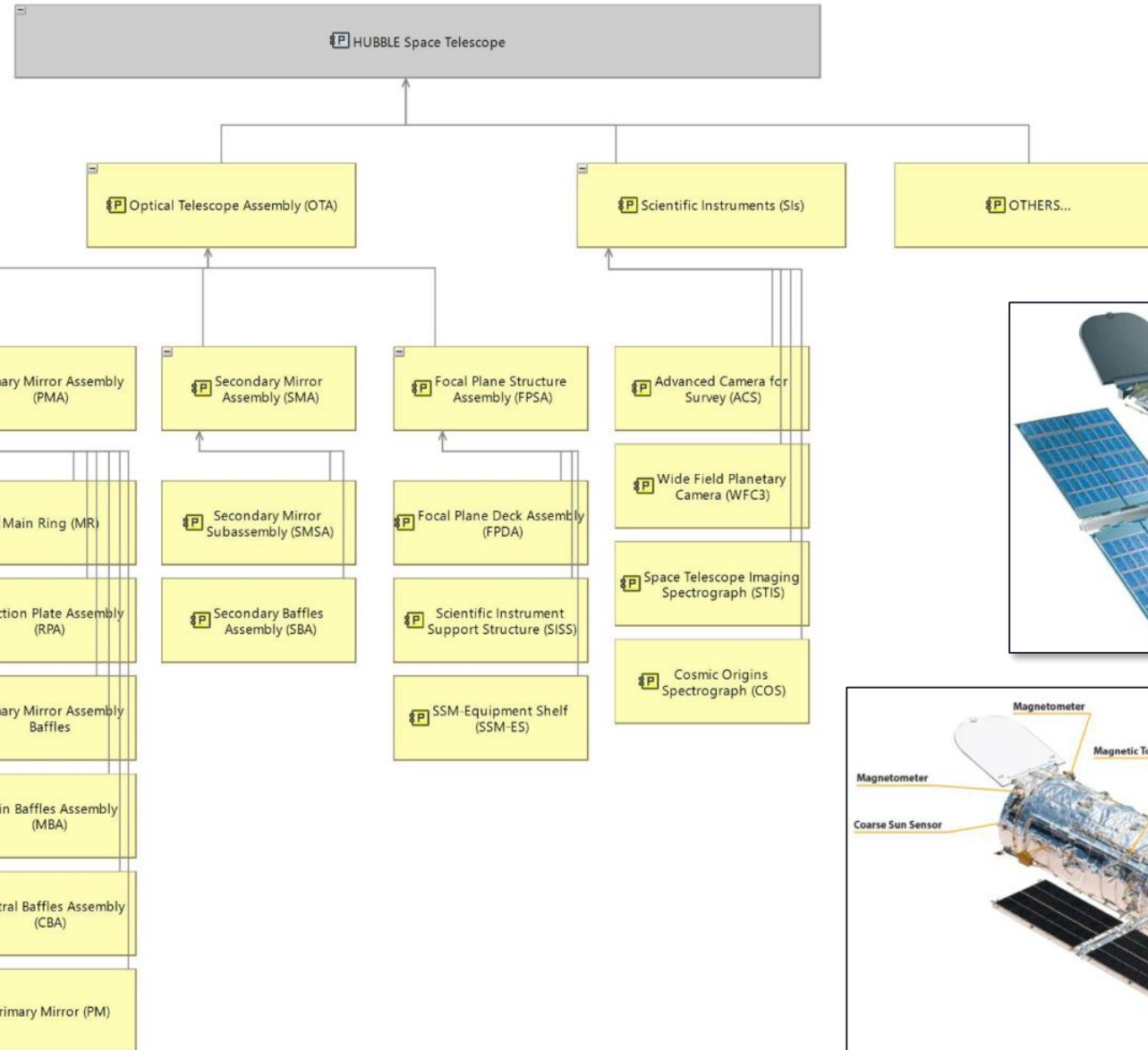
Requirements definition process Technical solution definition process

Need understanding Solution architectural design



Physical Architecture

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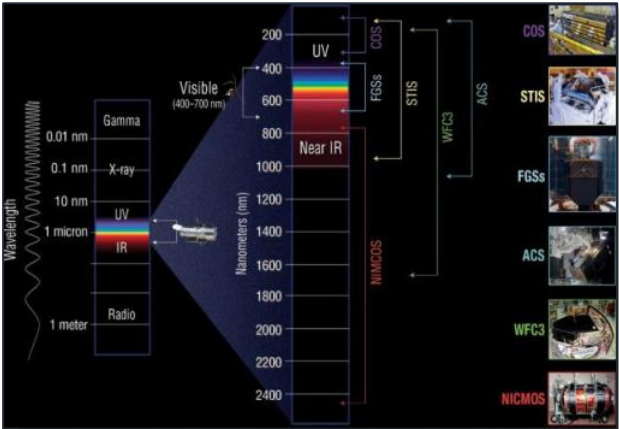
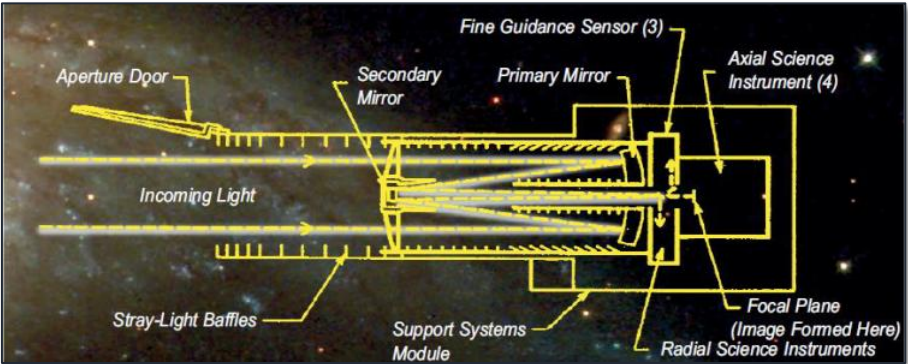
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Functions

Structure



Secondary Mirror Assembly (SMA)

Light concentrator

Focus light

Primary Mirror Assembly (PMA)

Light collector

Collect light

Focal Plane Structure Assembly (FPSA)

Focal plane

Cosmic Origins Spectrograph (COS)

Ultra Violet sensor

Provide ultra violet spectrum

Advanced Camera for Survey (ACS)

Wide Field Imagery sensor#1

Provide wide field imagery in visible wavelengths

Space Telescope Imaging Spectrograph (STIS)

Spectrograph Imagery sensor

Obtain high resolution spectra of resolved objects

Wide Field Planetary Camera (WFC3)

Wide Field Imagery sensor#2

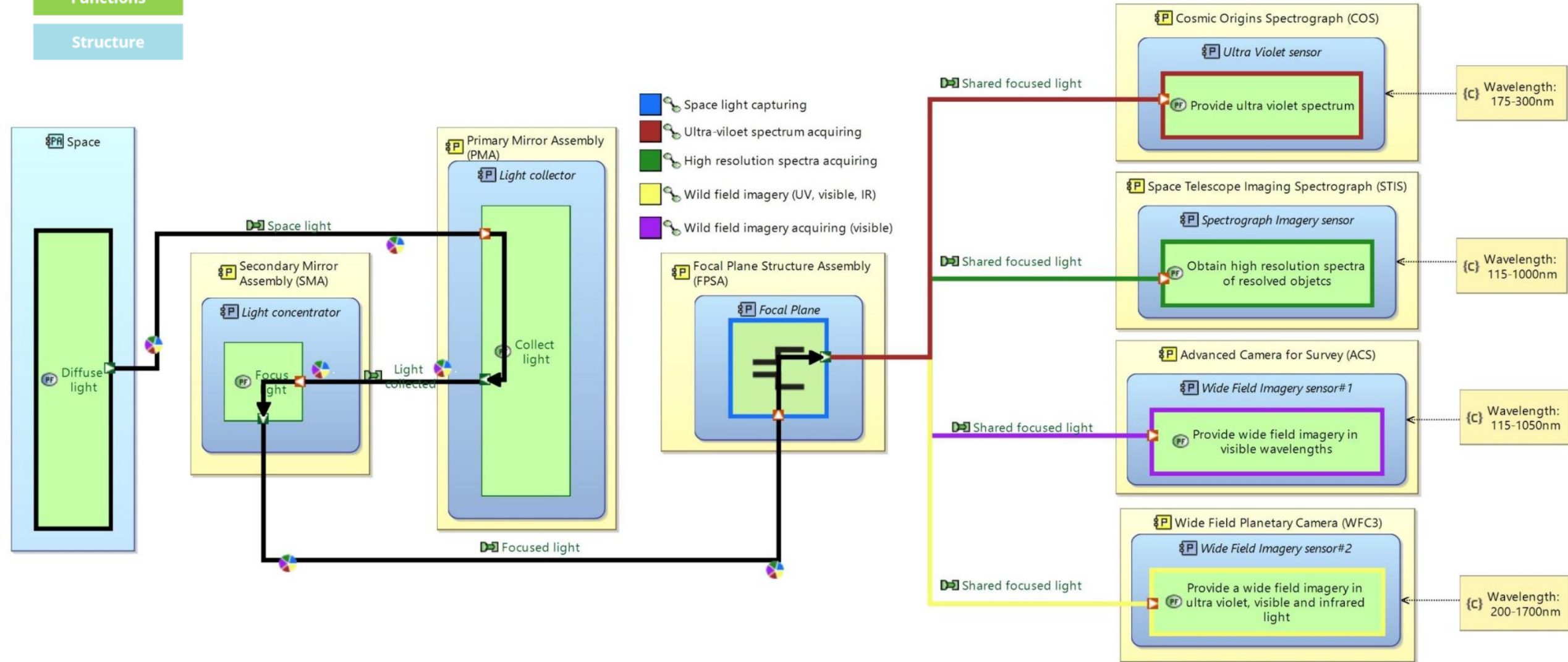
Provide a wide field imagery in ultra violet, visible and infrared light

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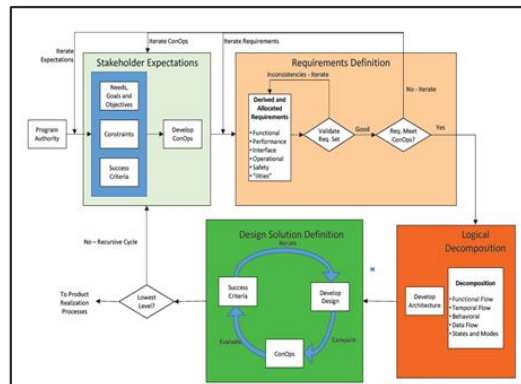
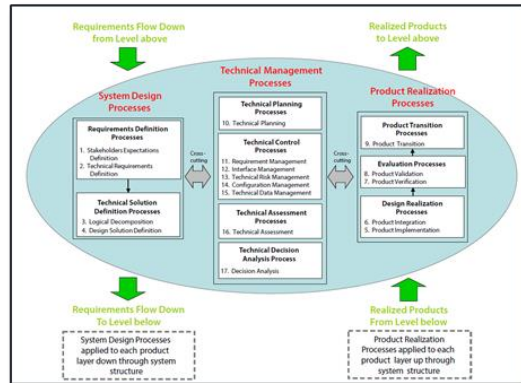
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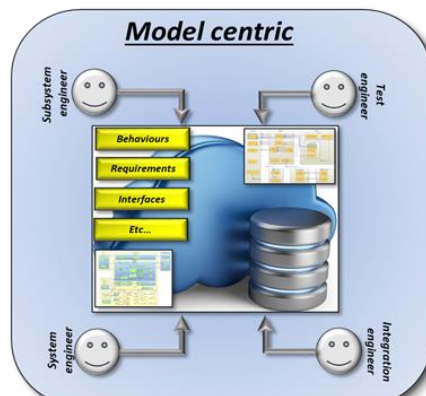
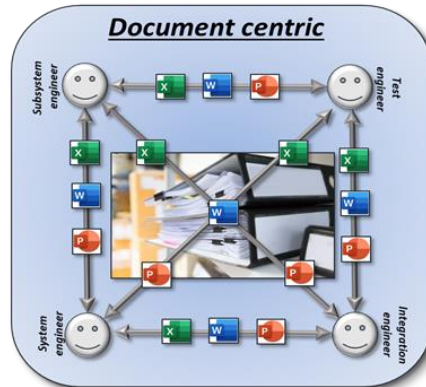
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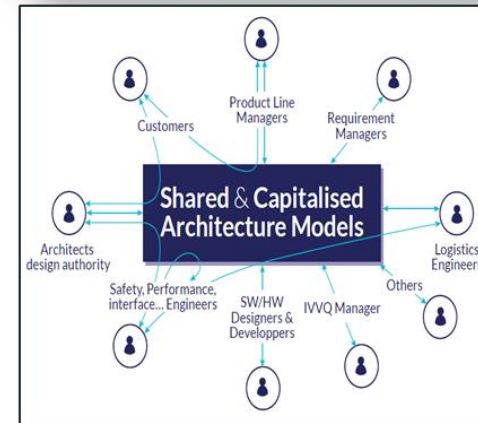
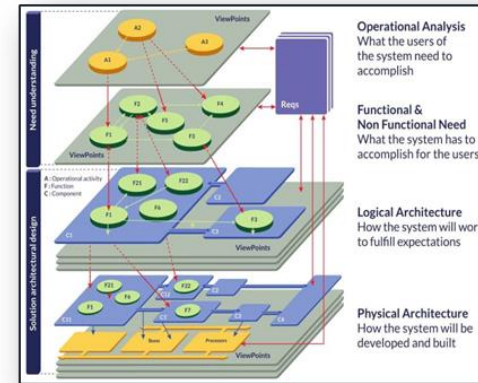
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Mode-Based Systems Engineering



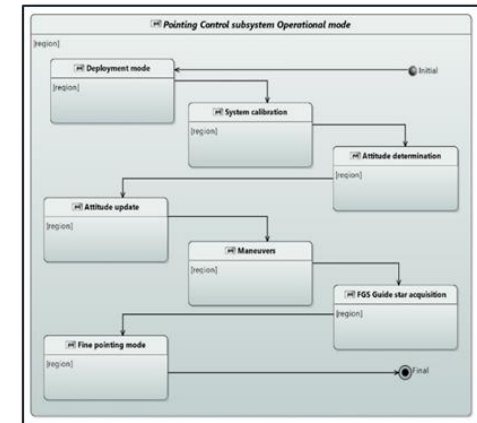
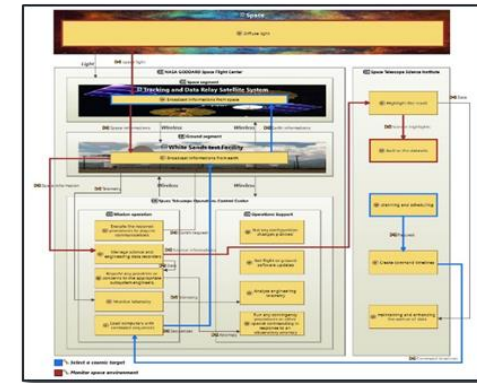
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Application



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