



# Functional Safety in the Entertainment Industry: The new standard EN 17206

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### Background:

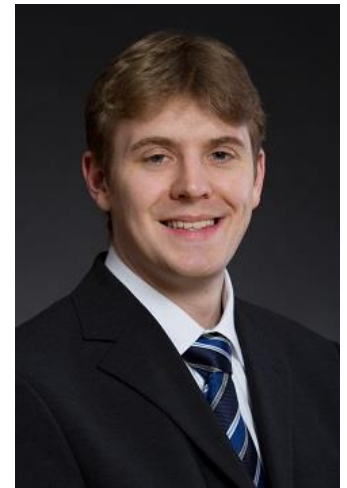
- Over 30 years of experience in testing Lift and Cranes
- 10 years ago, he specialized in entertainment industry installations focusing on the application of control systems
- Member of the German delegation in CEN TC 433 Working Group 1 “Entertainment Technology - Machinery for Stages and other Production Areas - Safety requirements and inspections.”

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Technical Certifier and Manager Safety Components at TÜV SÜD

### Background:

- Experienced assessor, project manager and technical certifier for testing and certification of electrical / electronic components and systems used for functional safety applications in various industries
- Working with TÜV SÜD since over 13 years and managed various international projects as safety expert
- Trainer for functional safety and its industry-specific standards



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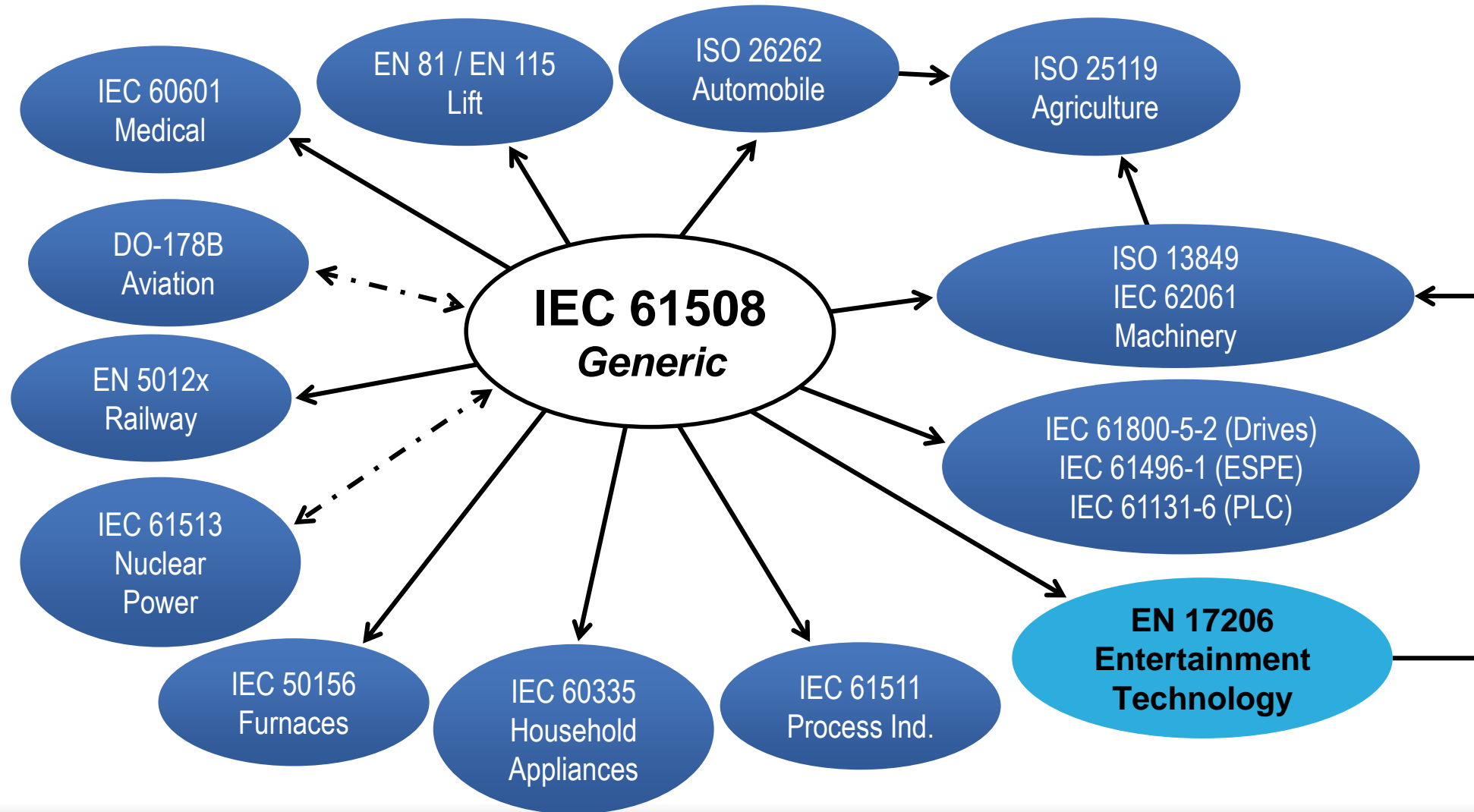
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# Example: Stage accident – Pink concert

Link to Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=82Ht4YaeDMo>



# Links between Functional Safety Standards



# Functional Safety in the Entertainment Industry

DIRECTIVE 2006/42/EC OF THE EUROPEAN  
PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL  
of 17 May 2006  
on machinery, and amending Directive  
95/16/EC (recast)

- Article 1
- Scope

2. The following are excluded from the scope of  
this Directive:

- (j) machinery intended to move performers  
during artistic  
performances;



# Functional Safety in the Entertainment Industry

DGUV Vorschrift 17/18  
Unfallverhütungsvorschrift  
Veranstaltungs- und  
Produktionsstätten für  
szenische Darstellung  
vom 1. April 1998



# New Standard: EN 17206

EUROPEAN STANDARD  
NORME EUROPÉENNE  
EUROPÄISCHE NORM

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**DRAFT prEN 17206**

Entertainment Technology - Lifting and Load-bearing Equipment for Stages and other Production Areas within the Entertainment Industry - Specifications for general requirements (excluding aluminum and steel trusses and towers)





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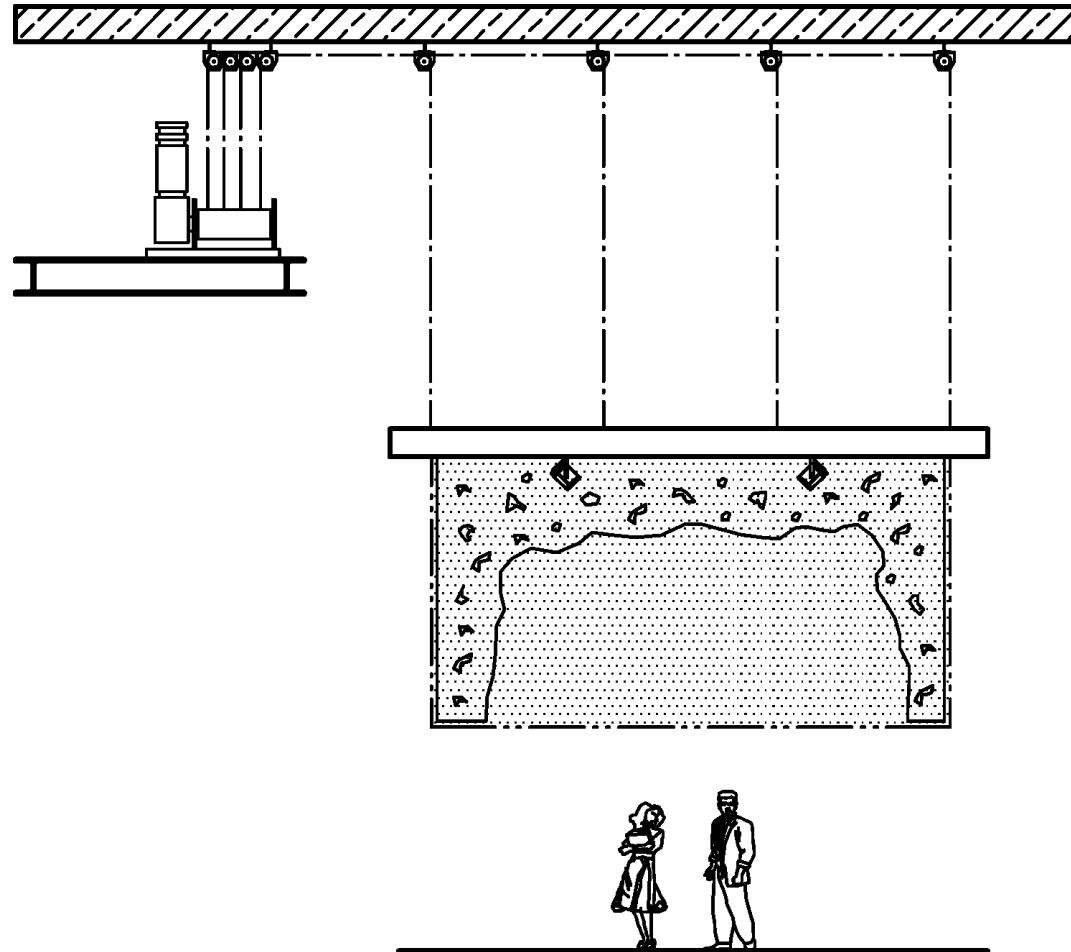
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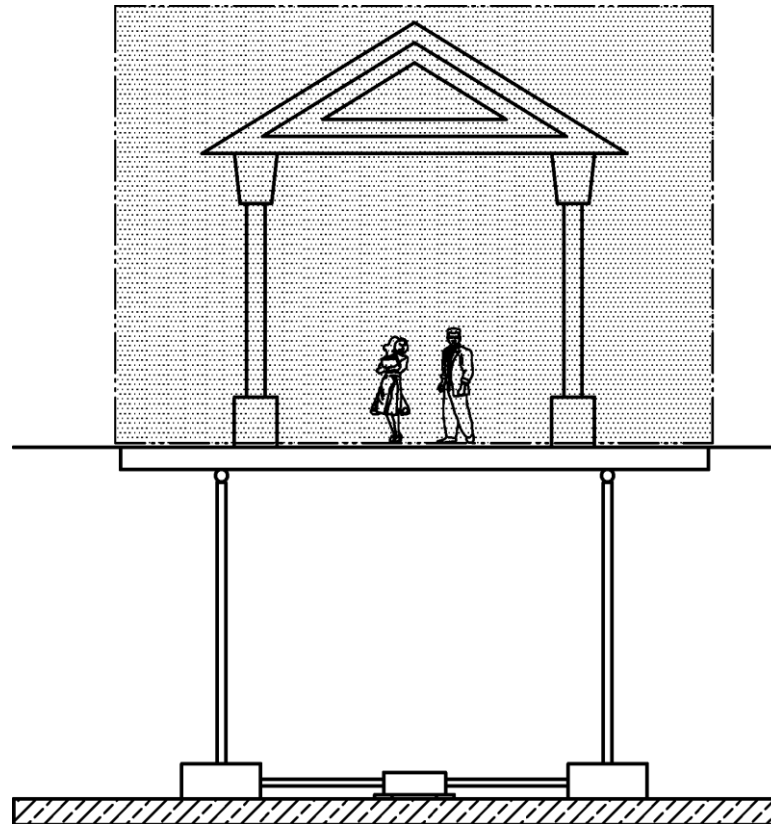
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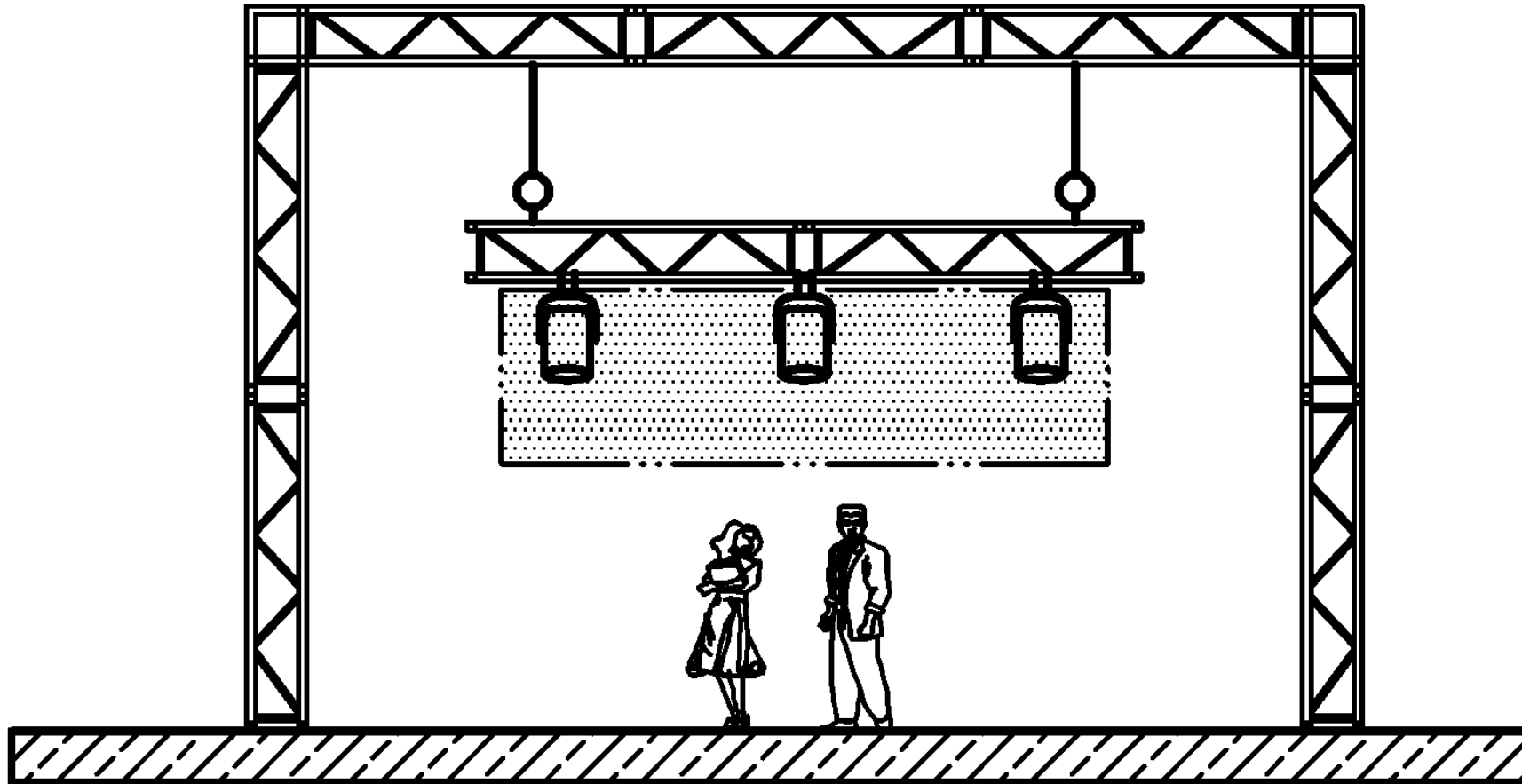
# Safety Functions: Upper machinery



# Safety Functions: Lower machinery



# Safety Functions: Rock´n roll



# Safety Functions: EN 17206

**UC1** No-one in hazard zone during motion, SD Load, Speed < 0.2m/s,



**UC6** Moving person(s) suspended, multiple axis,



# Safety Functions: EN 17206

<b>Upper machinery recommended safety functions and measures (prEN 17206)</b>						
<b>Safety Function</b>	<b>UC1</b>	<b>UC2</b>	<b>UC3</b>	<b>UC4</b>	<b>UC5</b>	<b>UC6</b>
Emergency Stop – category 0 or 1	HR	HR	HR (Cat 1)	HR (Cat 1)	HR (Cat 1)	HR (Cat 1)
Stop on “Deadman” Release – category 0, 1 or 2	HR	HR	HR	HR	HR	HR
Protection against position deviation			HR	HR	HR	HR

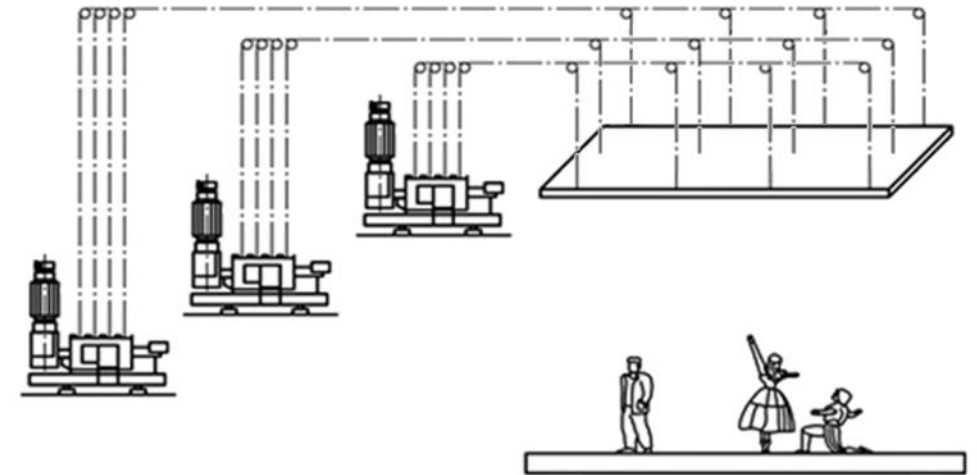
# Example from the entertainment industry

## Risk assessment

During a lifting operation is a failure in one of the hoists. The operator might have limited visibility. The control system shall stop motion of any machine in the group once the synchronisation tolerances are exceeded.

## Requirement

**Protection against loss of group synchronisation** safety function would prevent this event from happening.



# Example from the entertainment industry: Safety functions

- Protection against speed deviation
- Protection against over-speed
- Protection against overload
- Protection against underload / slack situation
- Protection against unplanned load change
- Protection against loss of group synchronisation
- Limitation of Travel
- Protection against improper winding
- Protection against crushing / shearing
- Automatic protection against brake failure
- Protection against power source failures
- Protection against collisions with other machines



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# Risk Graph

## Severity (S)

This unwanted occurrence would take place above the stage surface, and in the event of failure, serious injuries to one or more persons, or even death to a person could be expected.

## Frequency and/or exposure to hazard (F)

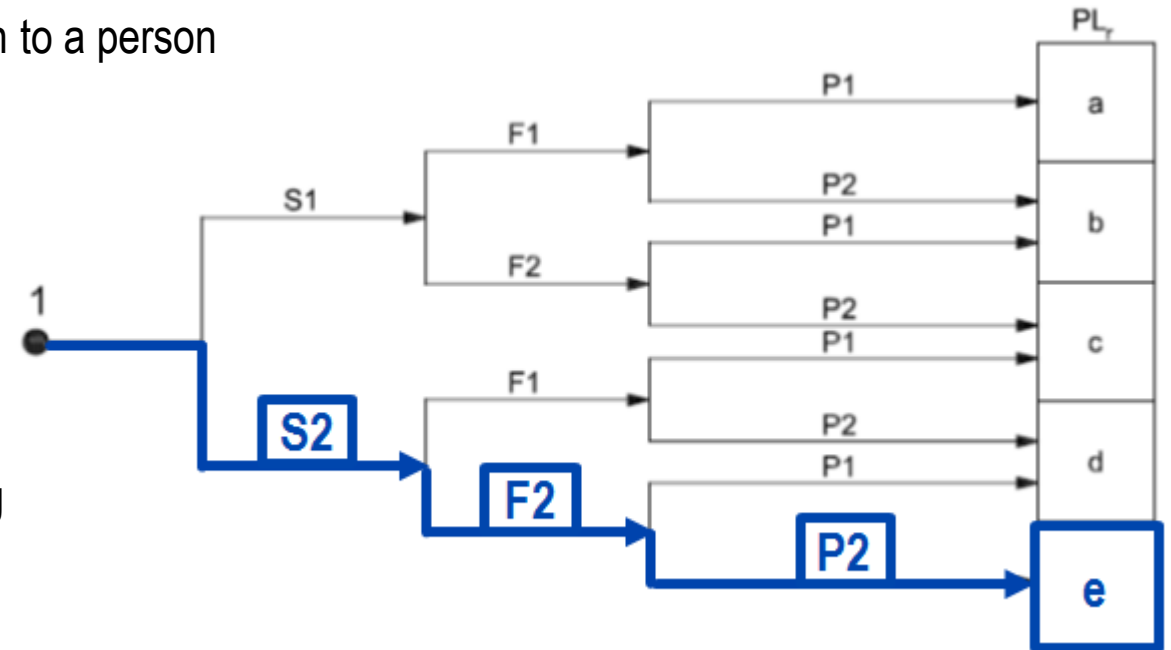
On the stage, people are often in the danger zone.

## Possibility of avoiding hazard or limiting harm (P)

This hazard can only be avoided when the operator reacts (e.g. operator initiates an emergency stop), although the period during which this is possible is indefinable.

## Risk parameter selections lead to a

- required Performance Level (PL) of e according to EN ISO 13849-1 or
- required Safety Integrity Level (SIL) of 3 according to EN 62061



lead to **PL e** or **SIL 3**

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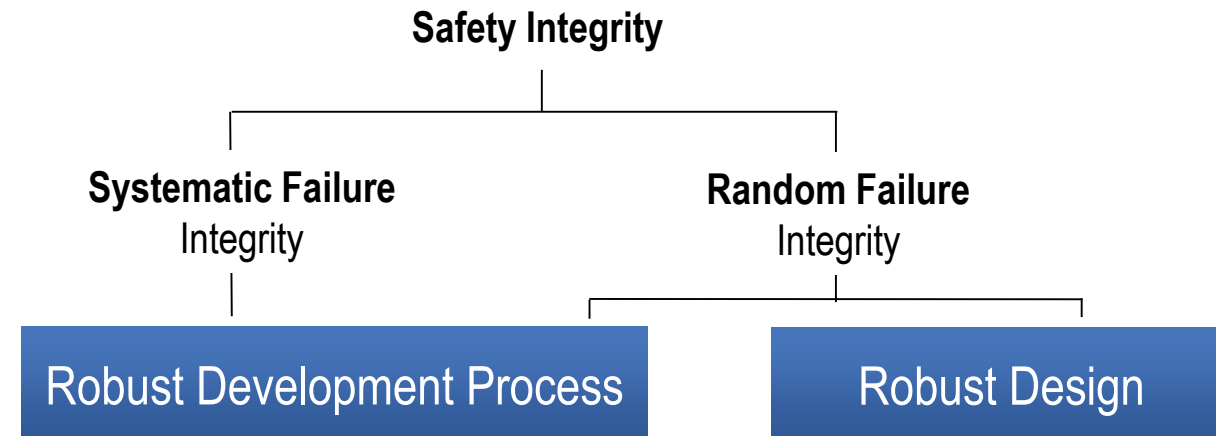
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# Safety Integrity

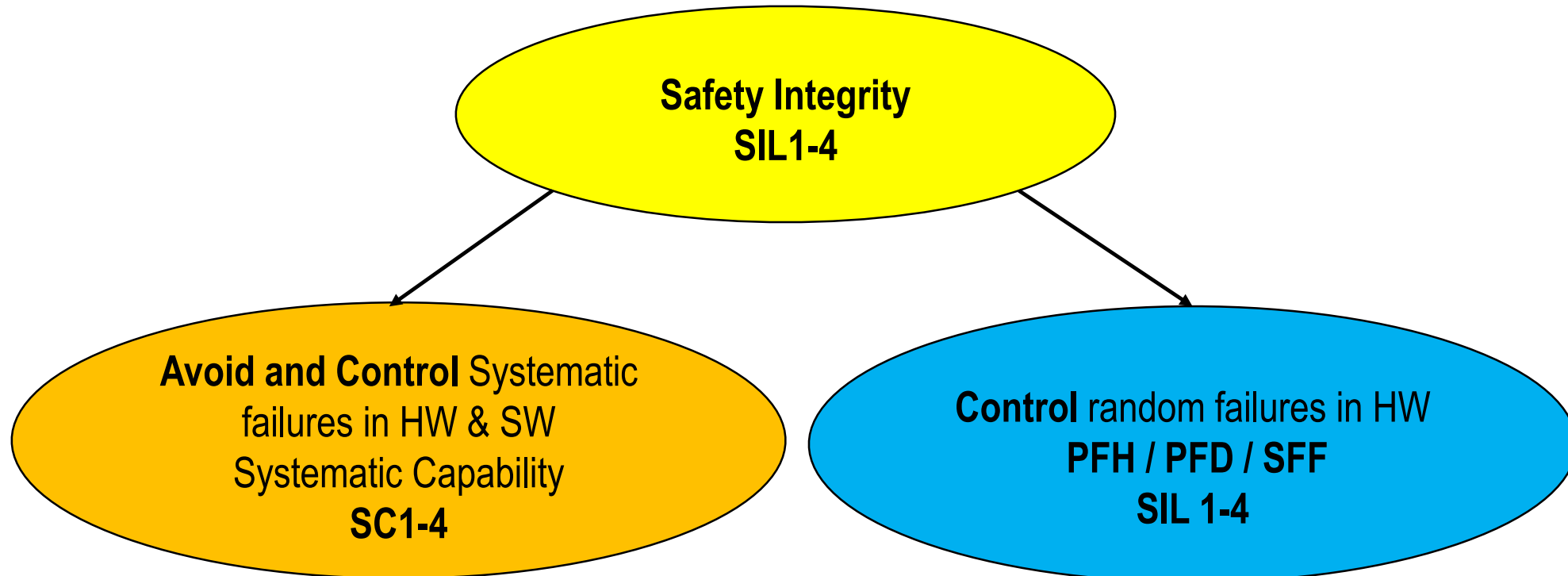
**EN 17206:2018 - For functional safety related topics the standards EN 61508, EN 62061 or EN ISO 13849-1 have to be used...**

A system meets its Performance Level or Safety Integrity Target when it ...

- is sufficiently free from systematic failures in hard and software,
- meets all safety requirements in the event of random hardware failures,
- has a specified reaction on random faults and
- executes safety function under specified environmental conditions, e.g.
  - EMC
  - Temperature, Humidity
  - Vibration, Shock
  - Chemical influences
  - Water, Dust
  - Operation



# Safety Integrity



# Systematic Failure - Programming error

## Mariner 1: 22th of July 1962, Cape Canaveral/Florida

- Intended to fly to Venus
- Not controllable due to software malfunction
- Deviation of the planned flight path
- Self-destructing 290 seconds after launch

### REASON

**DO 5 K = 1.3**

...

**5 CONTINUE**

(non-declared variable)



**DO 5 K = 1,3**

...

**5 CONTINUE**

(loop)

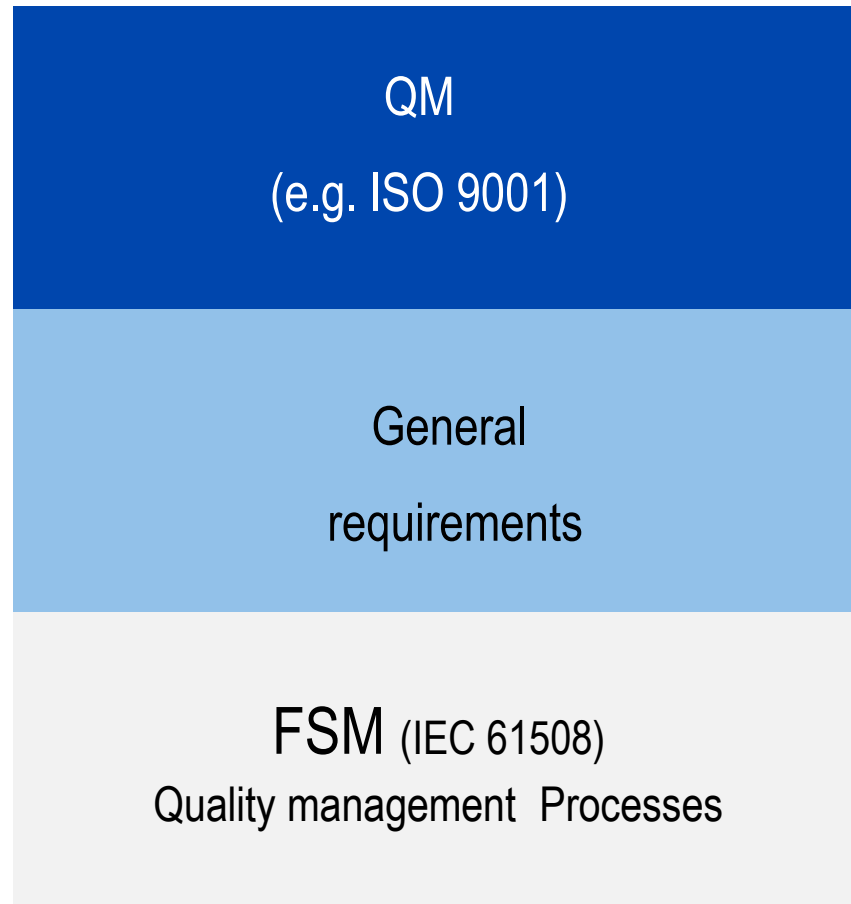
**Point instead of comma in Fortran Code**



Source: Wikipedia

# Functional Safety Management

High contribution to the overall risk of a safety-critical system rests upon systematic failures, which are not identified, not thoroughly analysed and measures not sufficiently evaluated



## General requirements (Organisational Level)

e.g. leadership, continual improvement, factual approach to decision making, etc.

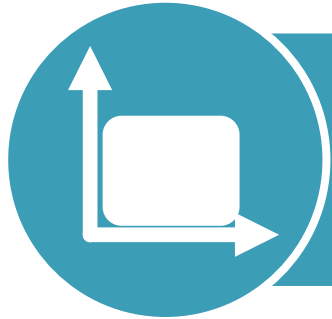
## General requirements (Department Level)

e.g. personnel training, internal audits, document management, maintenance, corrective actions, etc.

## Specific Safety Assurance Requirements (Project Level)

Defined in a Safety Plan incl. hazard and safety analysis, risk control, V&V, test strategy, etc.

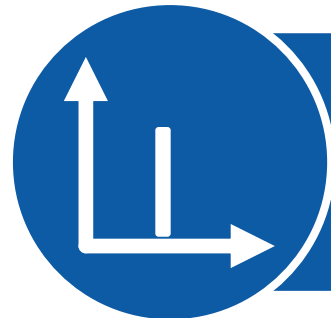
# Random Faults



**Permanent hardware faults**



**Intermittent hardware faults**



**Transient hardware faults**



# Transient Hardware Faults

## Transient Hardware Faults

- Mainly caused by energetic particles colliding with sensitive regions of a semiconductor leading to logic errors by changing stored information in e.g. SRAM, DRAM, microprocessors, and FPGA
- Major concern due to decreasing manufacturing size of semiconductors and resulting reduction in critical charge of logic circuits

## Soft Error

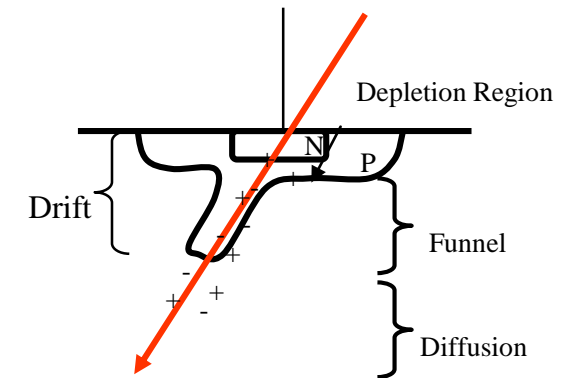
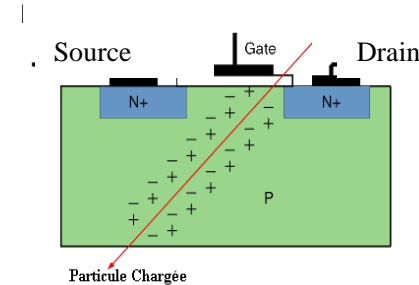
- Storage element (memory cell, latch, or register) state change
- No permanent hardware damage

## Example

- Single Event Upsets (SEU) induced by the strike of a single energetic particle in a semiconductor

## Effect

- A single strike can leave an ionized track with free electrons and holes
- Near a p-n junction electron hole pairs may not recombine back to a normal state
- Electrons\holes can be attracted to a higher\lower voltage causing the change of state of a storage element



# Probability of failure – PFD, PFH

**Safety integrity levels – target failure measures for a safety function operating in low demand mode of operation**

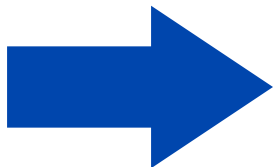
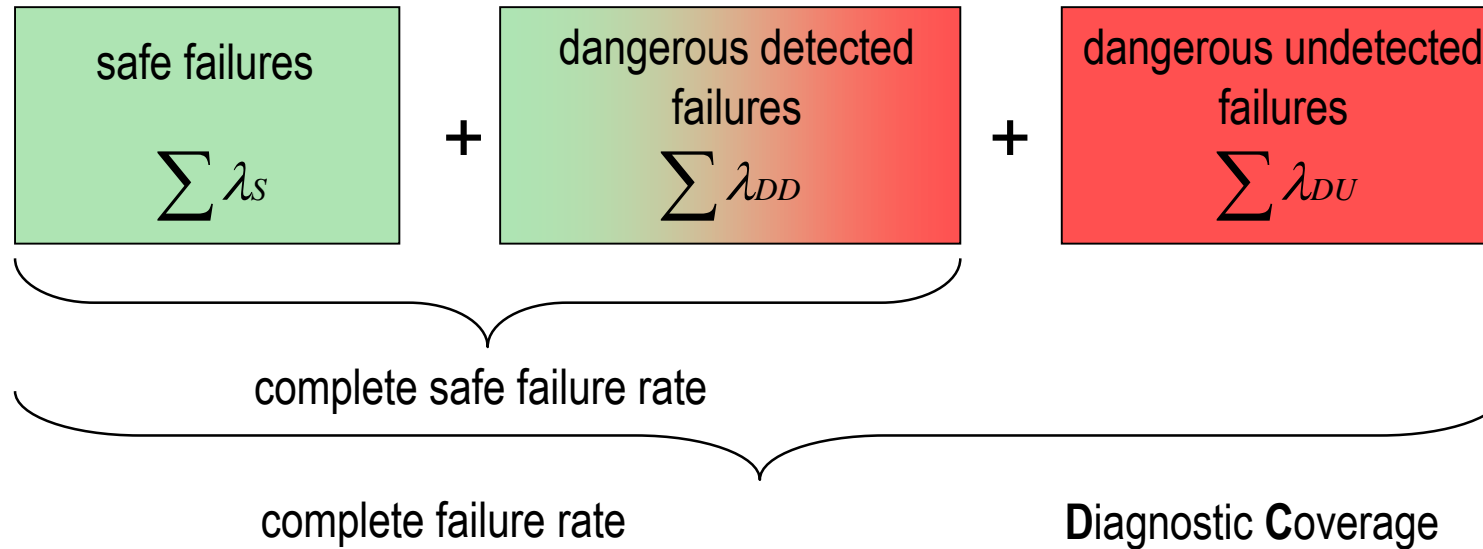
Safety integrity level (SIL)	Average probability of a dangerous failure on demand of the safety function (PFD <sub>avg</sub> )
4	$\geq 10^{-5}$ to $< 10^{-4}$
3	$\geq 10^{-4}$ to $< 10^{-3}$
2	$\geq 10^{-3}$ to $< 10^{-2}$
1	$\geq 10^{-2}$ to $< 10^{-1}$

**Safety integrity levels – target failure measures for a safety function operating in high demand mode of operation or continuous mode of operation**

Safety integrity level (SIL)	Average frequency of a dangerous failure of the safety function [h <sup>-1</sup> ] (PFH)
4	$\geq 10^{-9}$ to $< 10^{-8}$
3	$\geq 10^{-8}$ to $< 10^{-7}$
2	$\geq 10^{-7}$ to $< 10^{-6}$
1	$\geq 10^{-6}$ to $< 10^{-5}$

# Safe Failure Fraction (SFF) and DC

**Safe Failure Fraction** =  
the relation of safe resp. detected failures to all failures



$$SFF = \frac{\sum \lambda_s + \sum \lambda_{DD}}{\sum \lambda_s + \sum \lambda_{DD} + \sum \lambda_{DU}}$$

$$DC = \frac{\sum \lambda_{DD}}{\sum \lambda_{Dtotal}}$$

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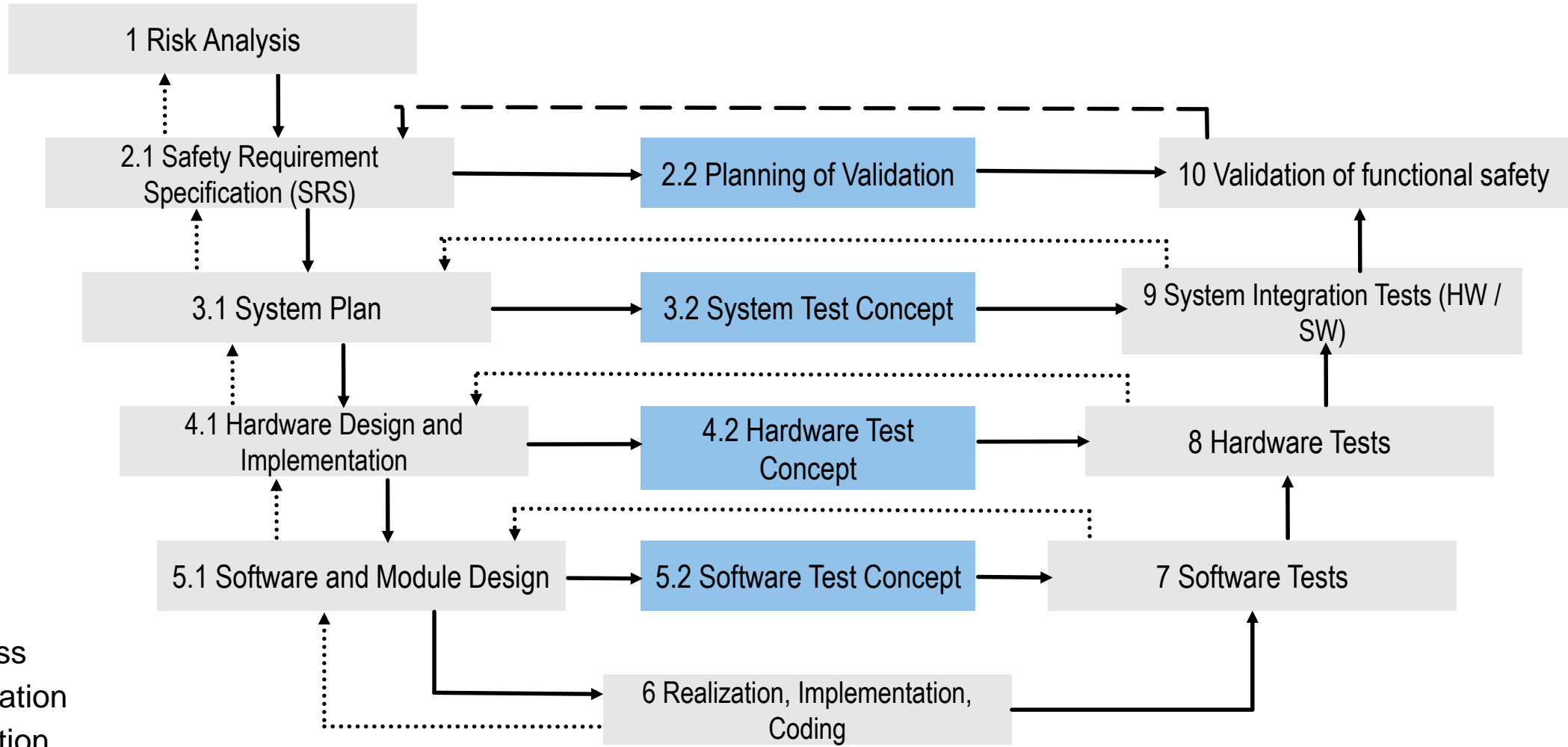
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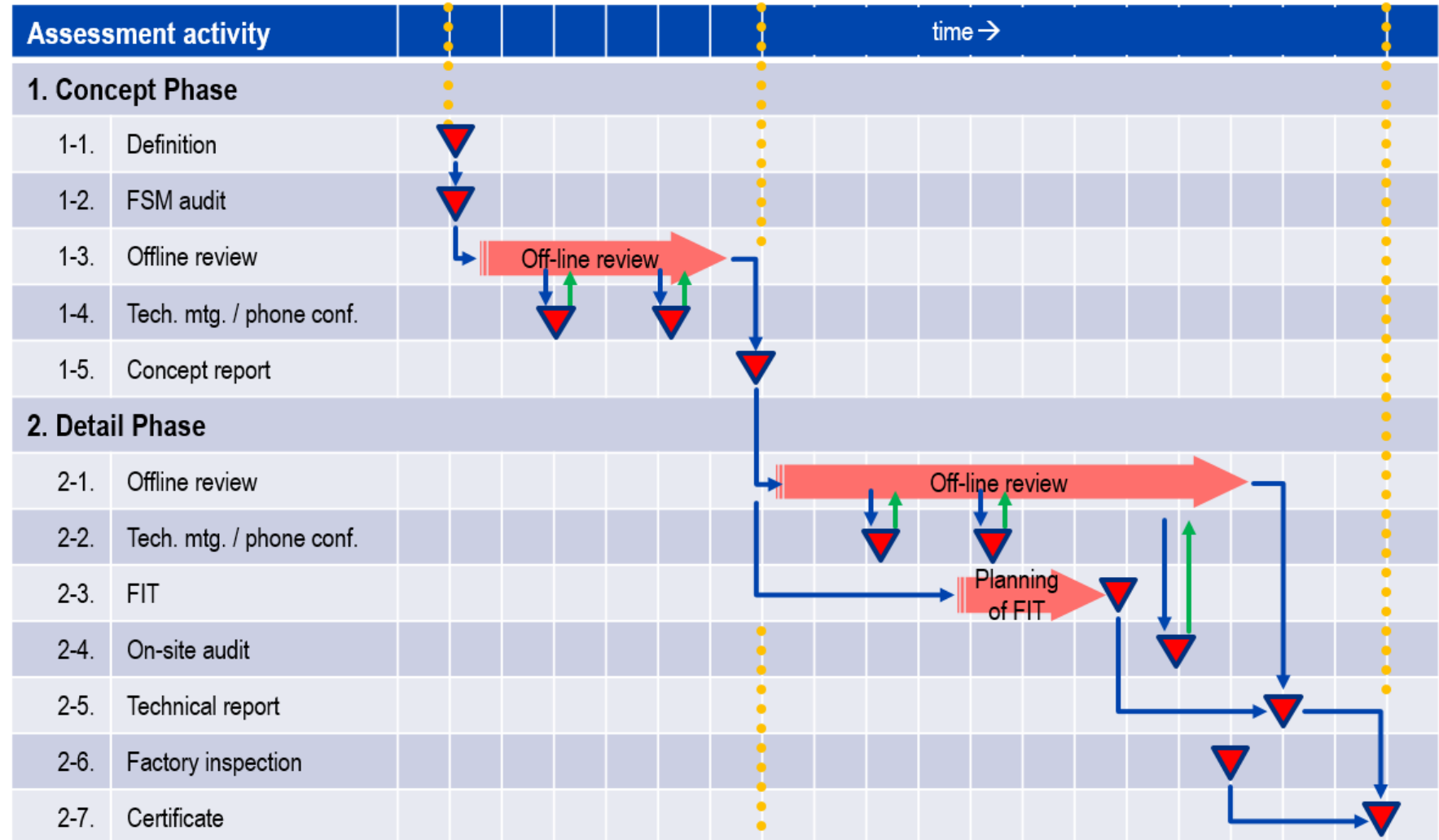
Phase	Document
2.1 Safety requirement specification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ SRS</li> </ul>
2.2 Planning of validation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Validation plan, safety plan</li> </ul>
3.1 System plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ System-Specification and system architecture (hard- and software)</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ System-FMEA and block diagrams</li> </ul>
3.2 System test concept	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ System test plan</li> </ul>
4.1 Hardware design and implementation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Hardware description and schematics, part lists, layouts and information on the components and materials used</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Component FMEA (FMEDA)</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ MTTFd/DC/CC calculation according to ISO 13849-1</li> </ul>
4.2 Hardware test concept	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ SFF/PFH/PFD calculation according to IEC 61508-2</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Hardware test plan</li> </ul>

# Certification: Necessary documentation from the manufacturer (2/2)

Phase	Document
5.1 Software design	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Software architecture and design specification (structured or semi-formal) (according to IEC 61508-3)</li> <li>▪ Documentation of the software tool qualification</li> <li>▪ Coding standards</li> <li>▪ Software criticality analyse</li> </ul>
5.2 Software test concept	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Software test plan</li> </ul>
6 Realization: implementation / coding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ graphical explanation, source code</li> </ul>
7 Software test: verification of all SW requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Documentation of test results</li> </ul>

# Assessment approach of functional safety products

- Functional Safety Certification of products is a **development accompanying** task
- Duration (0,5 – 4 years) and timing heavily depends on each specific project





# Certificate

- Independent third party assessment
- No evaluation by the end user necessary
- Conformity to the relevant standards, i.e. proof that development and planning have been performed according to the state of the art
- Supervision of the production
- Comparability between products

- Describes the product
- States the achieved Safety Integrity Level / Performance Level
- States specified environmental conditions

TÜV SÜD issued  
**574,000<sup>(\*)</sup>**  
 CERTIFICATES

\*As of 2017-12-31 ^Based on clients' locations (Figures have been rounded off.)

**CERTIFICATE**  
 No. Z10 12 01 5356  
 Holder of Certificate

Factory(ies): 53567, 73847  
 Certification Mark:

Product: Safety Related Programmable Electronic System  
 Model(s): SIPLUS extreme S7 Distributed Safety  
 Parameters: Logic solver: 1oo1D with coded processing and comparison by safety-related output modules  
 Fieldbus: 1oo1 PROFIsafe  
 I/O modules: 1oo2D with normally energized outputs

The report below and the user documentation in the currently valid revision are mandatory part of this certificate. The product complies with the following listed safety requirements only if the specifications documented in the currently valid revision of this report are met.

Tested according to:  
 IEC 61508-1:1998; up to SIL 3  
 IEC 61508-2:2000; up to SIL 3  
 IEC 61508-3:1998; up to SIL 3  
 ISO 13849-1:2008; up to PL e, Cat. 4  
 IEC 61511:2003  
 IEC 62061:2005  
 IEC 60721-3-3:1994; Classes 3B2, 3C4, 3S4  
 DIN EN 50155:2008; Cat. 1 Cl. A, B

The product was tested on a voluntary basis and complies with the essential requirements. The certification mark shown above can be affixed on the product. It is not permitted to alter the certification mark in any way. In addition the certification holder must not transfer the certificate to third parties. See also notes overleaf.

Test report no.: SF84100C  
 Date, 2012-02-01  
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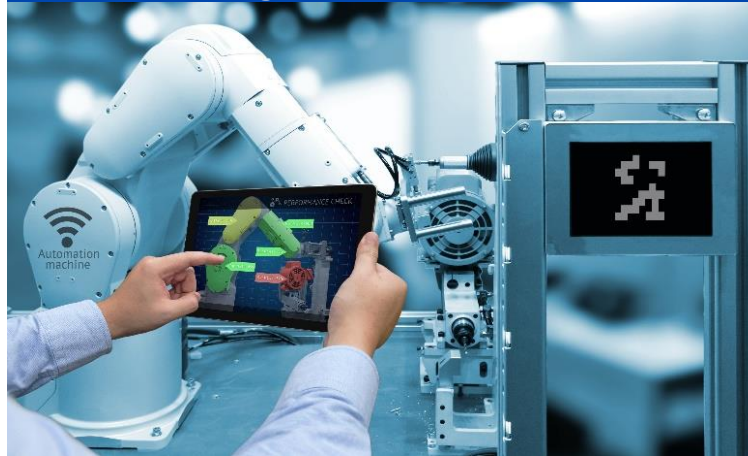
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