# Fluid and Mechatronic Systems, Flumes activities in MODPROD

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# Flumes Research Areas

Aircraft Systems

Aircraft design

**Onboard systems** 

Subscale flight testing

Fluid Power

Hydraulic system and component design

Mobile systems

Measurement and control systems

Noise and vibrations

Modelling and simulation Mechatronics Design

Systems Engineering

Design analysis and optimisation



# Energy Efficient Transmissions for Construction Machinery

- •Flumes/VCE project
- Hydromechanical transmission
- Hardware-in-the-Loop testbench







#### Simulation Aided Control Design for a Displacement Actuator





L. Viktor Larsson

# Hydraulic Pump Simulation: Digital pump with 10 pistons





### Linear Incremental Hydraulic Actuator







RQ2[I, III]



#### Digital Hydraulics with UFSC, Brazil











# Introducing digital hydraulics with more similar size piston areas



 $A_{\rm D} = 10.1 \; (x 10^{-4} \; [m^2])$ 



#### Hydraulic Power Management, UFSC

The **simplify circuit** of an aircraft is represented below. The main idea of this work is to propose **new solutions to increase the efficiency on the aircraft based on hydraulic pumps**.

The solutions is based in the operation of the hydraulic pumps in the **region of maximum efficiency**.



**HYDRAULICS & PNEUMATICS** 

# Conceptual Aircraft Design (Saab)

#### SIZING AND AERODYNAMICS

#### Matlab

- Tango Aircraft sizing
- Tornado- Aerodynamics



Modelica (Dymola)

CATIA

RAPID





#### Hopsan





#### Subscale Flight Testing in Aircraft Conceptual Design





#### Subscale Flight Testing in Aircraft Conceptual Design





# HOPSAN

- Bidirectional delay-lines (TLM)
- Open source that can be downloaded from http://www.iei.liu.se/flumes/system-simulation/hopsanng





## System simulation

- Distributed models, no centralized solvers
- Parallelization of simulation models for multi-core processors
- Hardware in the loop simulation
- FMU support
- Using bilateral delay line (transmission line modelling, TLM) for model partitioning

$$p_{1}, q_{1} \xrightarrow{T, C} p_{2}, q_{2}$$

$$p_{1}(t) = p_{2}(t - T) + \frac{T}{C} [q_{1}(t) + q_{2}(t - T)]$$

$$p_{2}(t) = p_{1}(t - T) + \frac{T}{C} [q_{2}(t) + q_{1}(t - T)]$$



# Hopsan Development

- Software for system simulation. Hydraulic, mechanical, electrical, control systems, thermal, etc.
- Work on first Hopsan (in Fortran) began in late 1970s at Linköping University
- Used by industry and for research
- Development of new version called Hopsan NG (in C++) began in 2009
- Longest running simulation software with continous development *in the world* (?)



#### Atlas Copco: Rock drill Simulation and Optimization using the HOPSAN simulation package

Atlas Copco has 45% of the world market in rock drill systems system rock drill equipment rock - drillbit stress waves feed force system





damping



## **Mission Controller**





### **Mission Simulation Results**



# Model Based Systems Engineering

- Closing the design loop with modelling and analysis, e.g. through model execution (simulation).
- Simulation model is used as the basis for design optimization and for design analytics



# **Extended System Simulation**

- Connectivity, co-simulation, multi-core, FMU etc.
- Simulation based optimization
- Design analytics
  - I.e. sensitivity analysis, correlation analysis, robustness, complexity metrics, etc.
  - Methods for experimental validation
- Parametrization for design.

– Analytic parametrization, and reduction

• Test case modelling



## **Extended System Simulation**



## Simulation-Based Optimization Framework for Series Hydraulic Hybrid Vehicles (SHHV)





#### Methods for Automating Model Validation





### **Research and Product Developement**



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