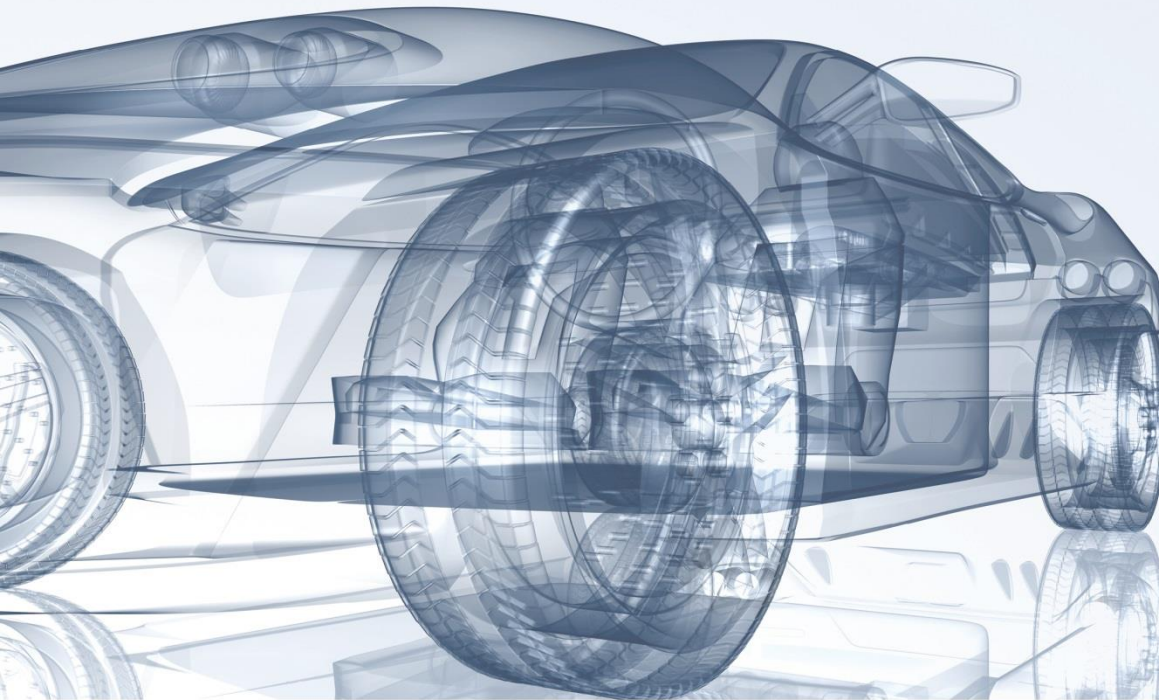


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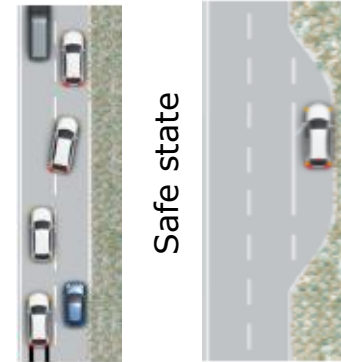
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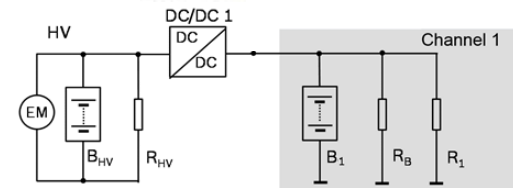
- ▶ Automated driving is coming
- ▶ New requirements on safety related subsystems and components (e.g. braking and steering system):
 - ▶ Today: Driver is fallback in case of failure
 - ▶ Automated driving: *"be capable of restoring the vehicle to a minimal risk condition automatically in case of failure"* (SAE Level 4 and 5) [1]
- ▶ The state of the art power supply system (power net) with one energy source and energy storage cannot fulfill this requirements.
- ▶ New design for a fail-operational power net is required.



Source: Bosch



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Dimensioning of Power Net for Automated Driving Requirements

Legislations and standards:

- ▶ Braking (UN R13-H §5.2.2.8): „... **there shall be at least two completely independent energy reserves, each provided with its own transmission, ...**“[4]
- ▶ Steering (UN R79 §5.3.3.3): “In the event of **a failure of the energy source of the control transmission**, it shall be possible to carry out at least 24 ‘figure of eight’ maneuvers, ...”[6]

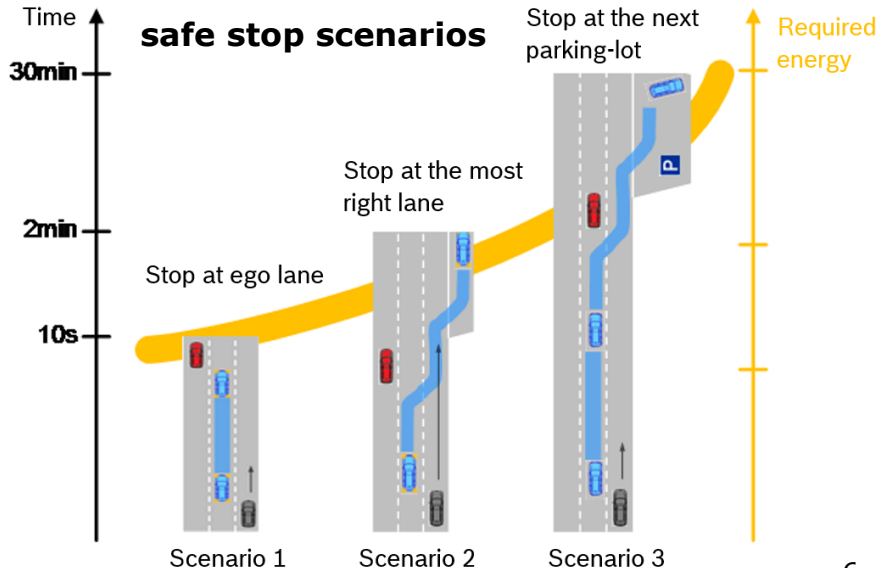
Two energy sources in two independent power supply channels

Requirements of OEMs¹:

- ▶ In case of failure, the vehicle shall be transitioned to a **safe state**.
- ▶ Different requirements on subsystems and components depend on safe stop scenario

Dimensioning of power net is dependent on safe stop scenarios

1: OEM: Original Equipment Manufacturer



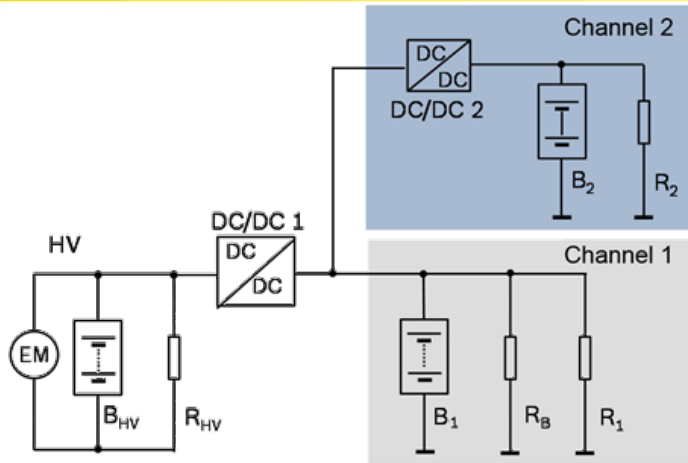
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Dimensioning of Power Net for Automated Driving Topology and Simulation-Based Method



- ▶ Two independent power supply channels
- ▶ Safety related components are divided into two channels (R_1 and R_2)
- ▶ Add-on solution to the state of the art topology
- ▶ Scalable topology

Driving Cycle Simulation

Voltage Stability Simulation

Failure Injection Simulation

By varying: Temperature, basic load, battery capacities and the power of DC/DC converters(HV/12V, 12V/12V)

Dimensioning the power net components

- ▶ Electrical characteristics
- ▶ Functional and safety features
- ▶ Life cycle
- ▶ Random hardware failures
- ▶ Failure mode coverage

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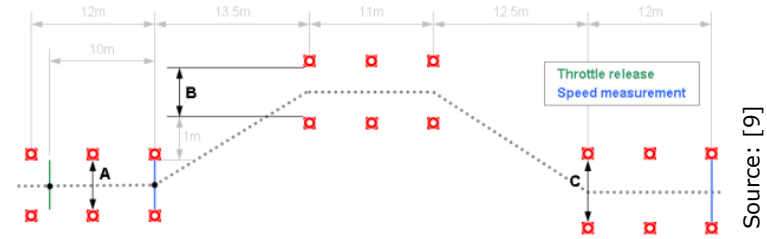
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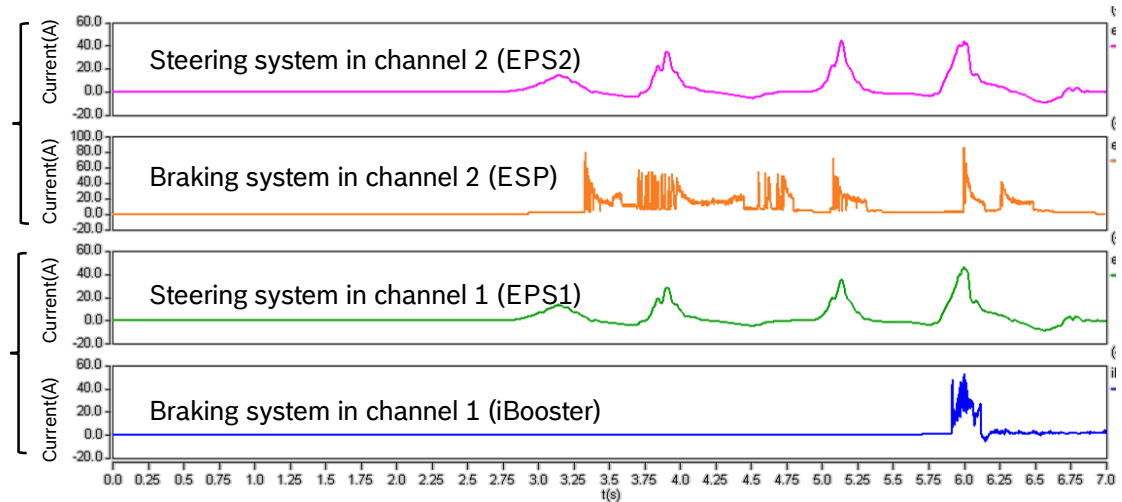
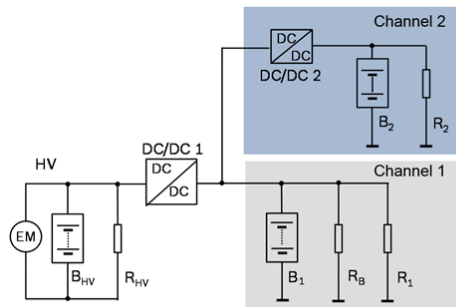
Simulation: Voltage Stability (1/2)

Condition:

- ▶ Critical environment scenario (season, weather, etc.)
- ▶ Highly dynamic driving situation (Worst case: double lane change test ISO 3888-2)



Source: [9]



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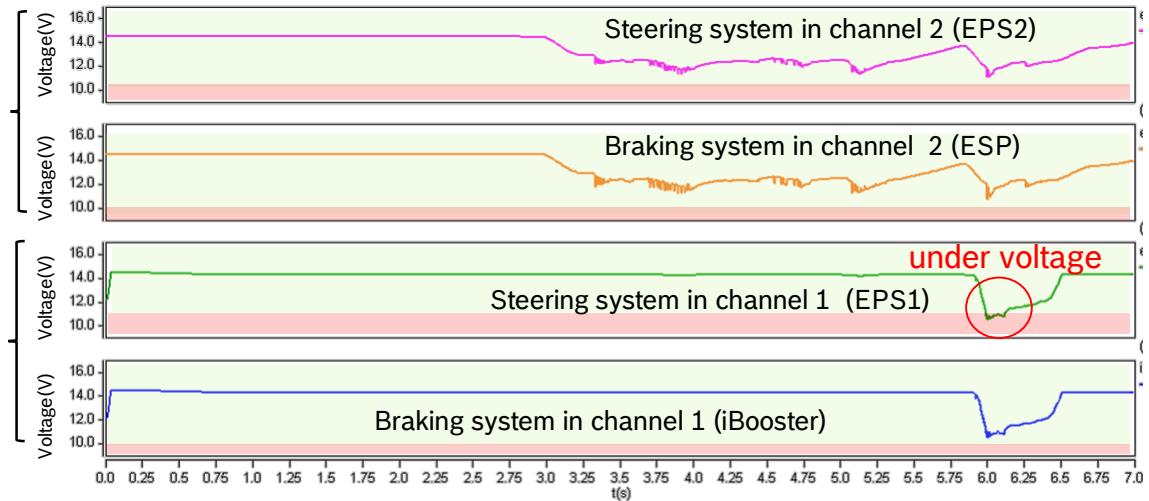
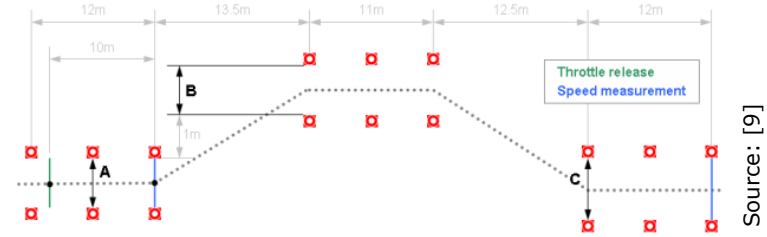
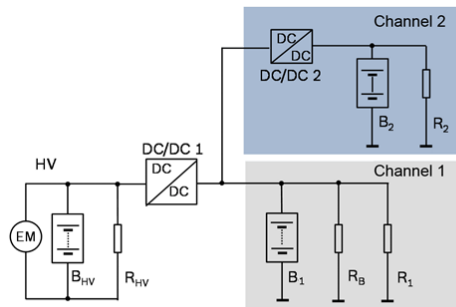
Simulation: Voltage Stability (2/2)

Criteria:

- ▶ Avoid over- & under voltage

Methods:

- ▶ Increase the battery capacity
- ▶ Increase the power of DC/DC converter 1



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Fault Injection Simulation

Goal:

- ▶ Quantitative analysis of power net failure rate
- ▶ Proving that the safety requirements are fulfilled in accordance with ISO26262.

Challenge:

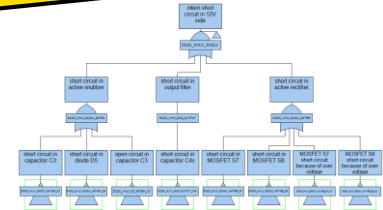
- ▶ A high number of failures in the power net have to be analyzed
- ▶ Dual-point failures have to be evaluated

Method:

- ▶ Step 1: failure analysis at component level
- ▶ Step 2: fault injection simulation of power net system
- ▶ Step 3: failure rate calculation

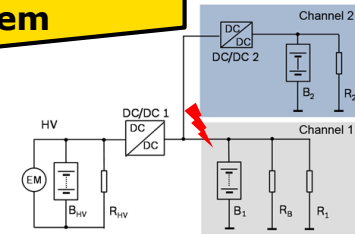
Failure analysis at component level

Reduce the quantity of failure by defining failure classes



Fault injection simulation of power net system

Simulative analysis of system behavior with automated fault injection



Failure rate calculation

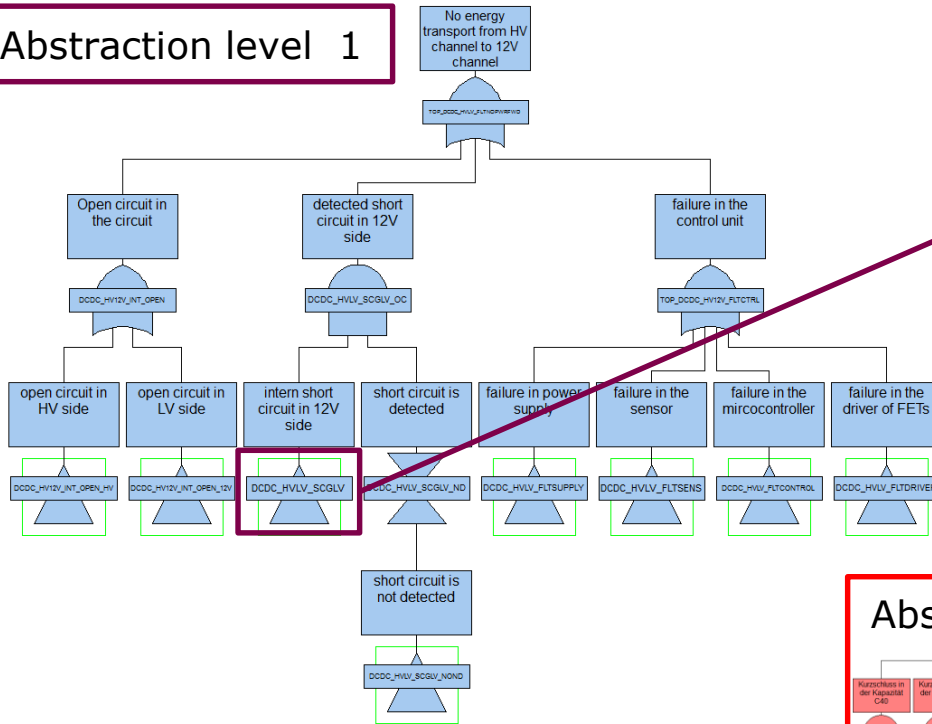
Iterative system design for fulfilling the requirements

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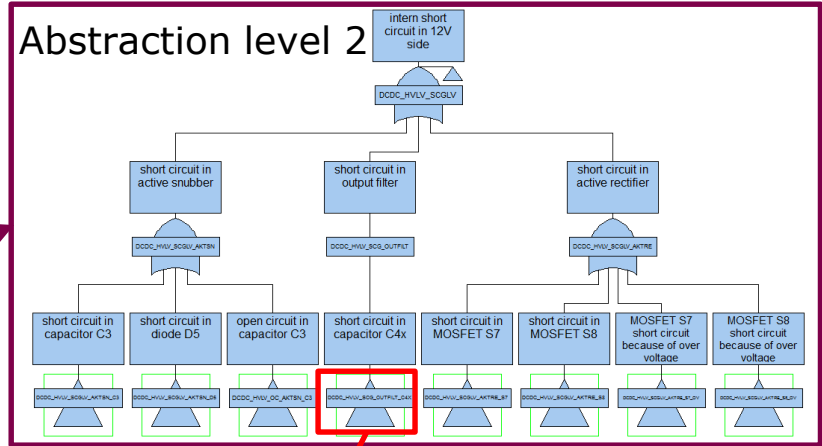
Step 1: failure analysis at component level

Component failure class: no energy transport from HV channel to 12V channel

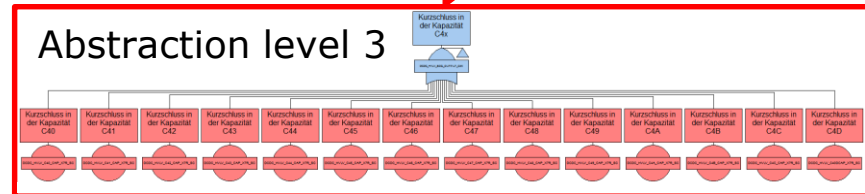
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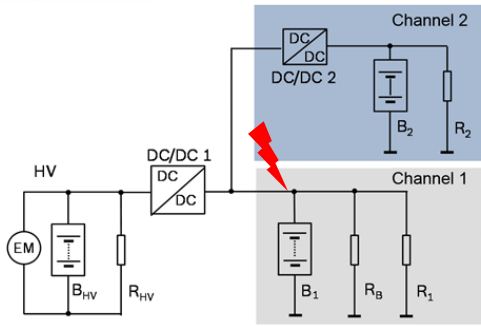


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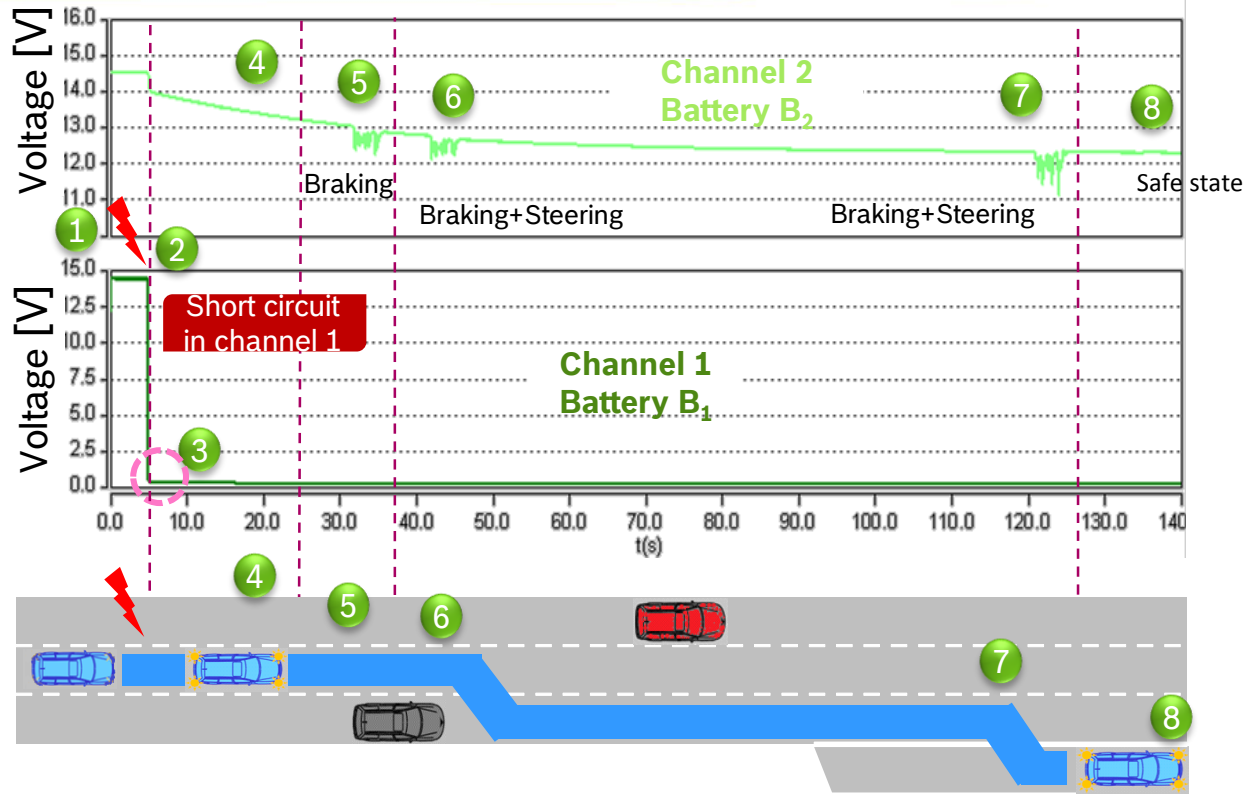


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Step 2: fault injection simulation of power net system



- 1 Failure free
- 2 Failure injected
- 3 Failure diagnostic
- 4 Driver take over?
- 5 6 7 Safe stop maneuver
- 8 Safe state

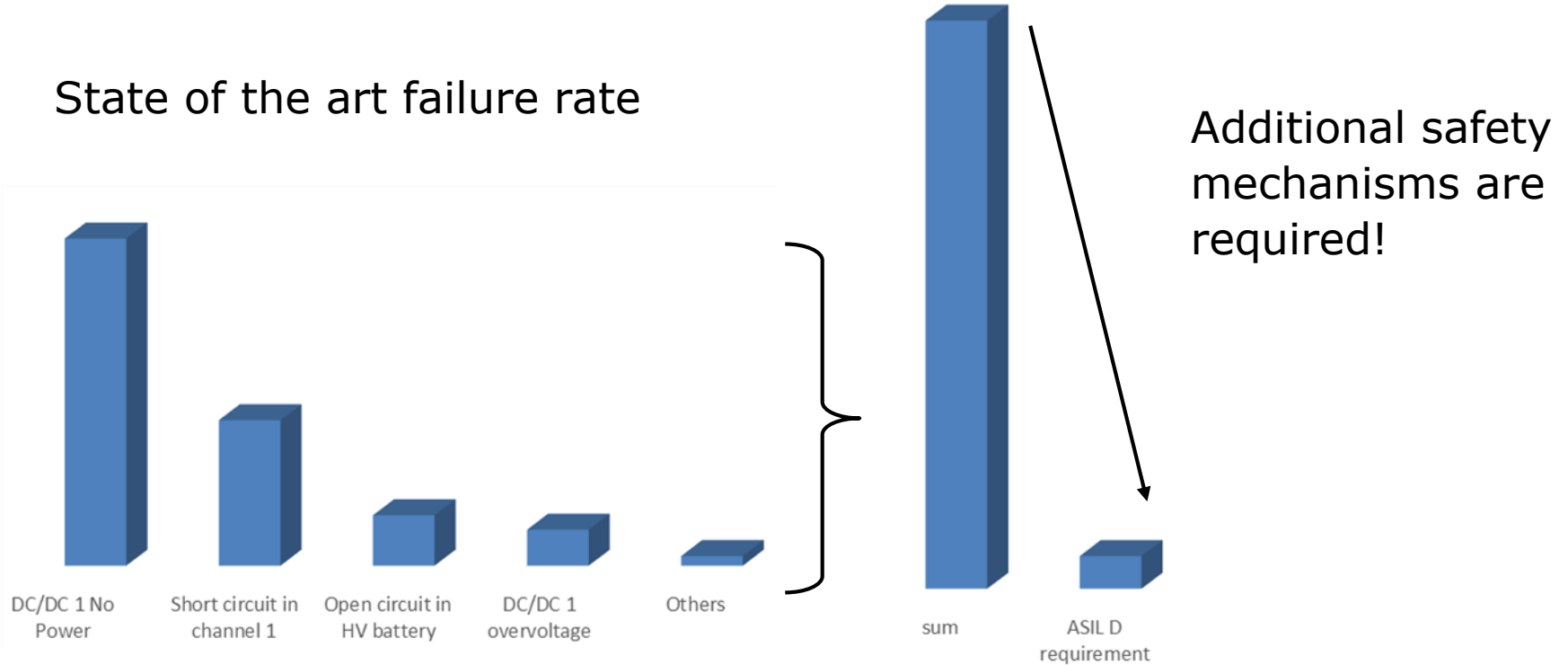


Safe state

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Step 3: failure rate calculation

State of the art failure rate



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- ▶ A new power net topology fulfilling the new functional and safety requirements for automated driving was presented
- ▶ A simulation-based method for dimensioning the power net components was developed. It consists of
 - ▶ Driving cycle simulation
 - ▶ Voltage stability simulation
 - ▶ Fault injection simulation and failure rate calculation
- ▶ New functional and safety requirements for power net components are derived

Thank you for your attention!

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