

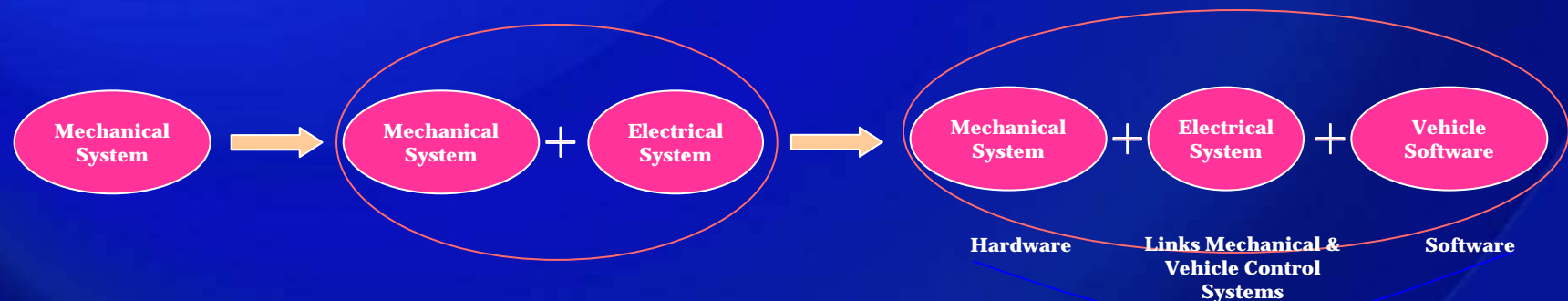
- OEM View
 - Industry Drivers
 - A Dilemma
 - Needs
 - Data Integration

Industry Drivers

- **Vehicle Complexity**
 - LOC
 - System Dynamics / Interaction of Control Systems
 - Multi function ECUs
- **Changing role of the Vehicle**
 - Personalized to the Individual Customer
 - Internalized Health, Diagnosis, Warning, and Repair
 - Integration to the pervasive computing eco-system
- **Emerging / Future Vehicle Technologies**
 - Drive by Wire
 - Crash Avoidance
 - Multi and Concurrent Occupant Interactions
 - Adaptable Configurations
- **Competitive Differentiation through Vehicle Electronics and Software**

Industry Drivers

- Quality and reduced cycle times
- Changing character of the vehicle from a mechanical system to a software controlled system



- Competition

- *Requirements/Specification Management*
 - Manage discrete requirement changes and trace to delivered product(s)
 - Relate requirements within and across specifications
- *Adapt Model Based Systems Engineering Practices*
- *Verification and Validation Efficiencies*
 - Verify software function/behavior to specification
 - Quickly and completely test software functionality (positive testing)
 - Implement consistent test vectors across MIL, SIL, TCIL, and Product
 - Guard against emergence of hidden bugs (negative testing)
- *Supplier Management*
 - Ability to establish a collaborative environment supporting
 - Requirements exchange
 - Product delivery, evaluation, and acceptance

Needs

- *Technology Management*
 - Smoothly manage upgrades in technology so that product development processes are not interrupted
 - Manage integration of new technology into the vehicle
 - Adapt new software tools
- *Security Management*
 - To apply well defined In-Vehicle authentication and authorization controls
- *Globalization*
 - Manage deployment for global operations
 - Distribution/Access Management
- *Product Maturation*
 - Capture the history of the product from inception to product
 - Traceability
 - Change control management
- *Release and Support Management*
 - Ensure software version compatibility for in-field upgrades

Data Integration

Interoperability strategy for internal and external systems. The interoperability strategy knits together systems allowing seamless access and exchange of data and information



We are a start-up company specializing in solutions for managing the development and testing of embedded control systems.

Objectives:

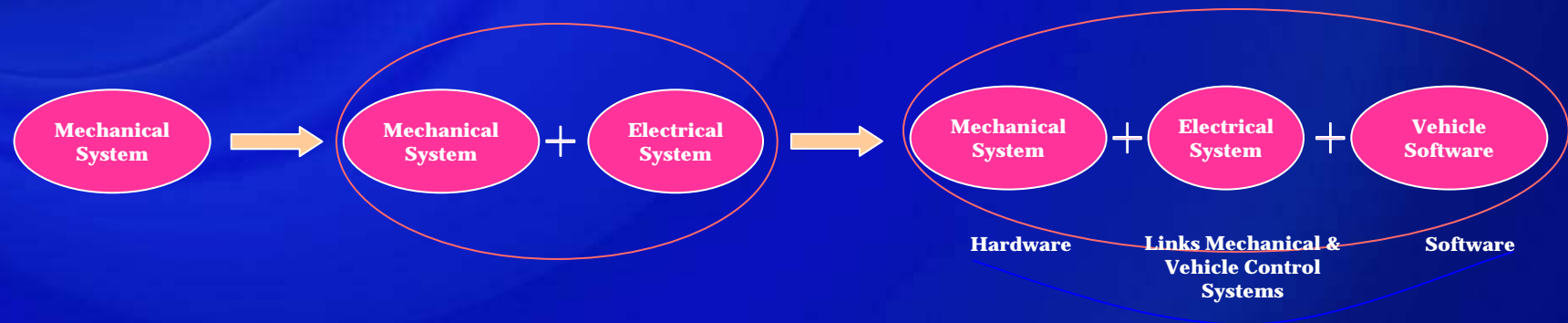
- **Integrate best-of-breed technical tools into an automated, database-driven solution.**
- **Integrate with corporate PDM/PLM systems.**
- **Provide consulting on testing of open/closed-loop real-time systems.**

Topics

- Observations
- Solutions(?)
- ECSW Development Process
 - Virtual testing
- Data Synergy
- Conclusions

Observations

- Vehicle is a software system



- Complexity, complexity, complexity
- Low level and high level systems all competing to control the same resources
- Protect for bizarre/unexpected behavior (Thunderbird, Taurus examples)

Observations

- Need to make validation more efficient
 - Too time consuming
 - Initiated late in process
 - Costly (use of hardware, prototypes, etc.)
- Ensure robust, error free(?) software delivery within current/future timing constraints
- Key engineering areas of concern
 - Requirements/Specification Management
 - Model Based Design Engineering
 - Validation Processes
 - In Production Support

➤ Process Enhancement

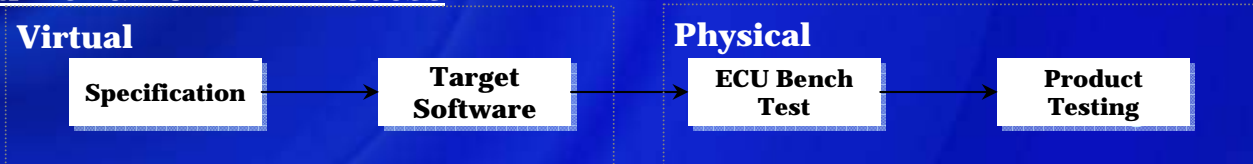
- Apply Virtual Testing
- Data driven validation – test assembly, configuration
- Re-use test vectors/procedures across MIL, SIL, HIL

➤ Data Synergy

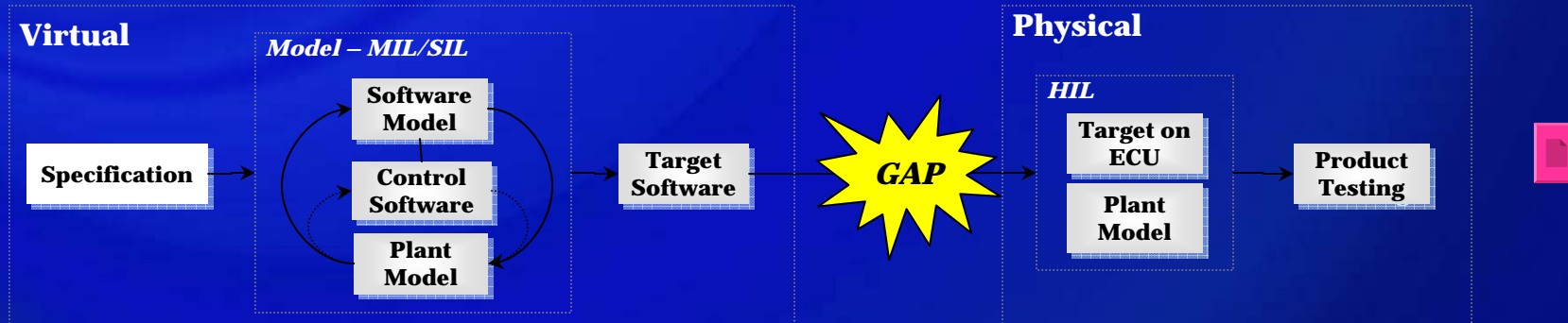
- Re-evaluate what it means to capture and use data throughout the process

ECSW Development Process

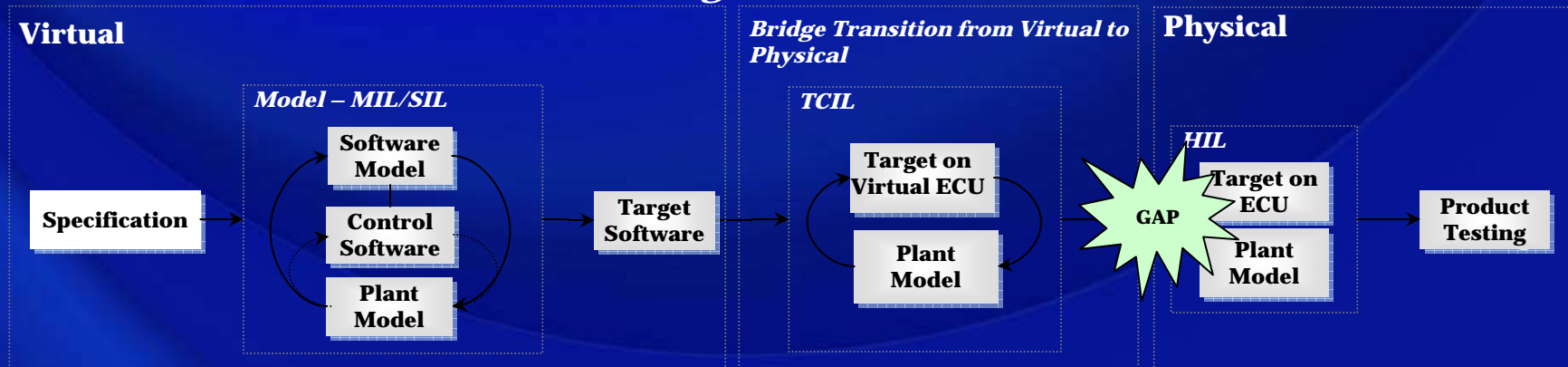
Current/Former Process



Evolving Process using MIL, SIL, HIL Capabilities



Process Enhancement with Virtual Testing



Data Synergy

Product Development V

Data Synergy Through the Product Conquer

Engaging Process

Data Separation

Requirements

Modeling

Validation

Conclusions

- A solution should span the process and bridge the virtual to physical gap
- Need to efficiently iterate test cycles in order to confirm software behavior
 - Positive Testing and Negative Testing
 - Guard against future emergence of hidden software bugs
- Ensure data transition consistency and re-use as the control system morphs from a set of requirements, to a set of models, to real hardware and software
- Broaden testing scope to include interactive and investigative analysis of alternative architectural designs

Virtual vs. Physical



Virtual

- **Advantages**
 - Lower Cost
 - Time, easily supports changes
 - Code generation?
- **Disadvantages**
 - It still is a model
 - Variability
 - Time to build model
 - Need plant and function models

Physical

- **Advantages**
 - It's the real thing, target code, target hardware
- **Disadvantages**
 - Higher Cost
 - Validation operation
 - Need prototype products
 - (De)Instrument
 - Calibration & Maintenance
 - Scheduling
 - People
 - Environment
 - Testing completeness (positive / negative testing)