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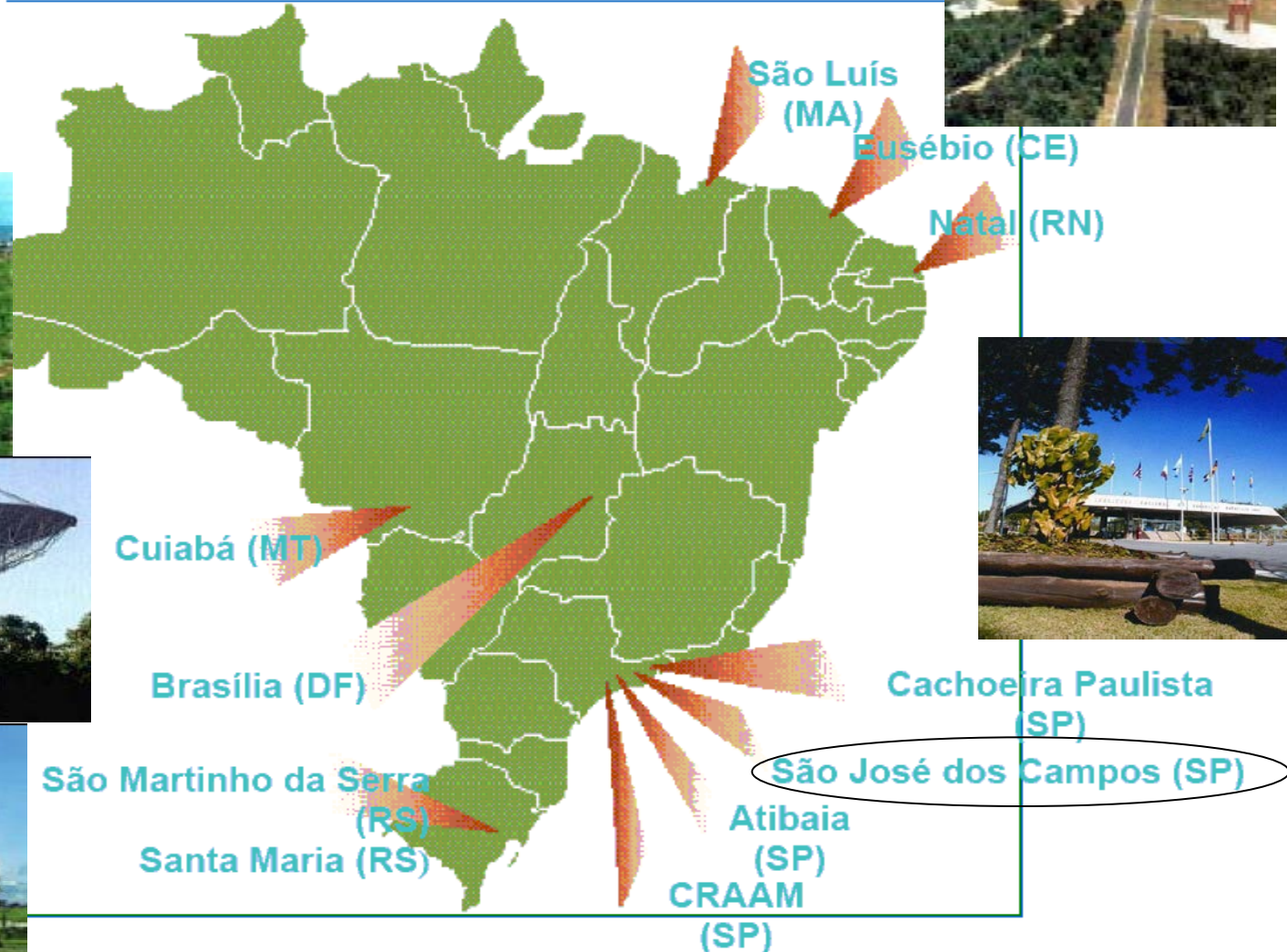
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Analysis of the Simulation Model Platform Adoption in the Context of INPE's Simulators

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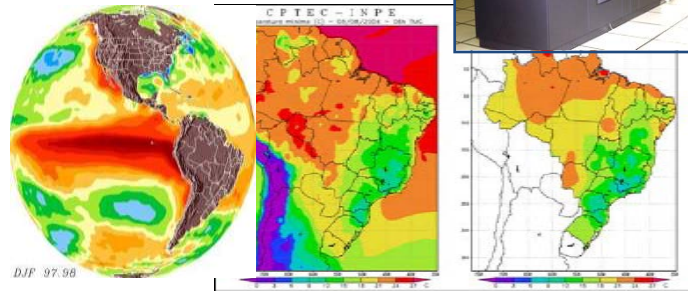


Main areas

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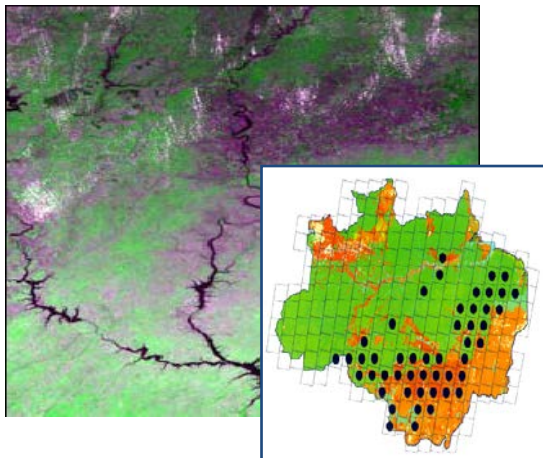
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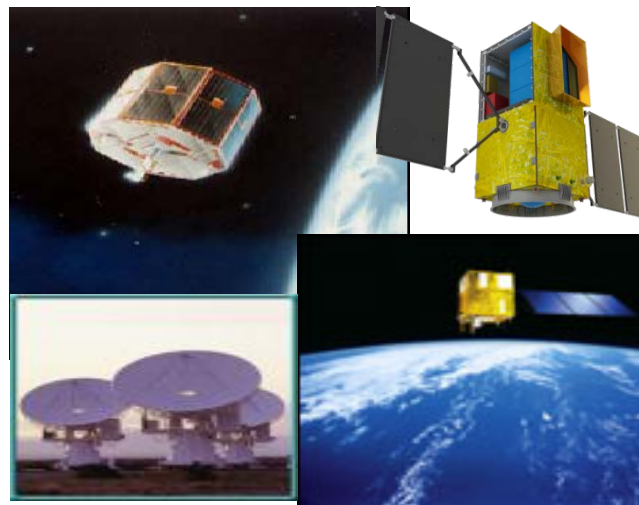
Integration and Test Laboratory



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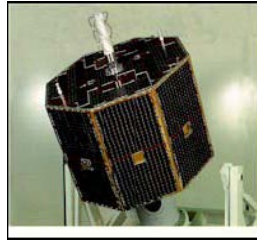
Satellite Control Center



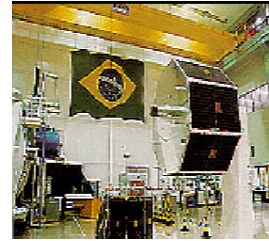
Brazilian Space missions - past

Data Collecting Satellites

Braslian Space Mission with no external cooperation



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Earth Imaging Satellites

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Scientific and technological Satelites



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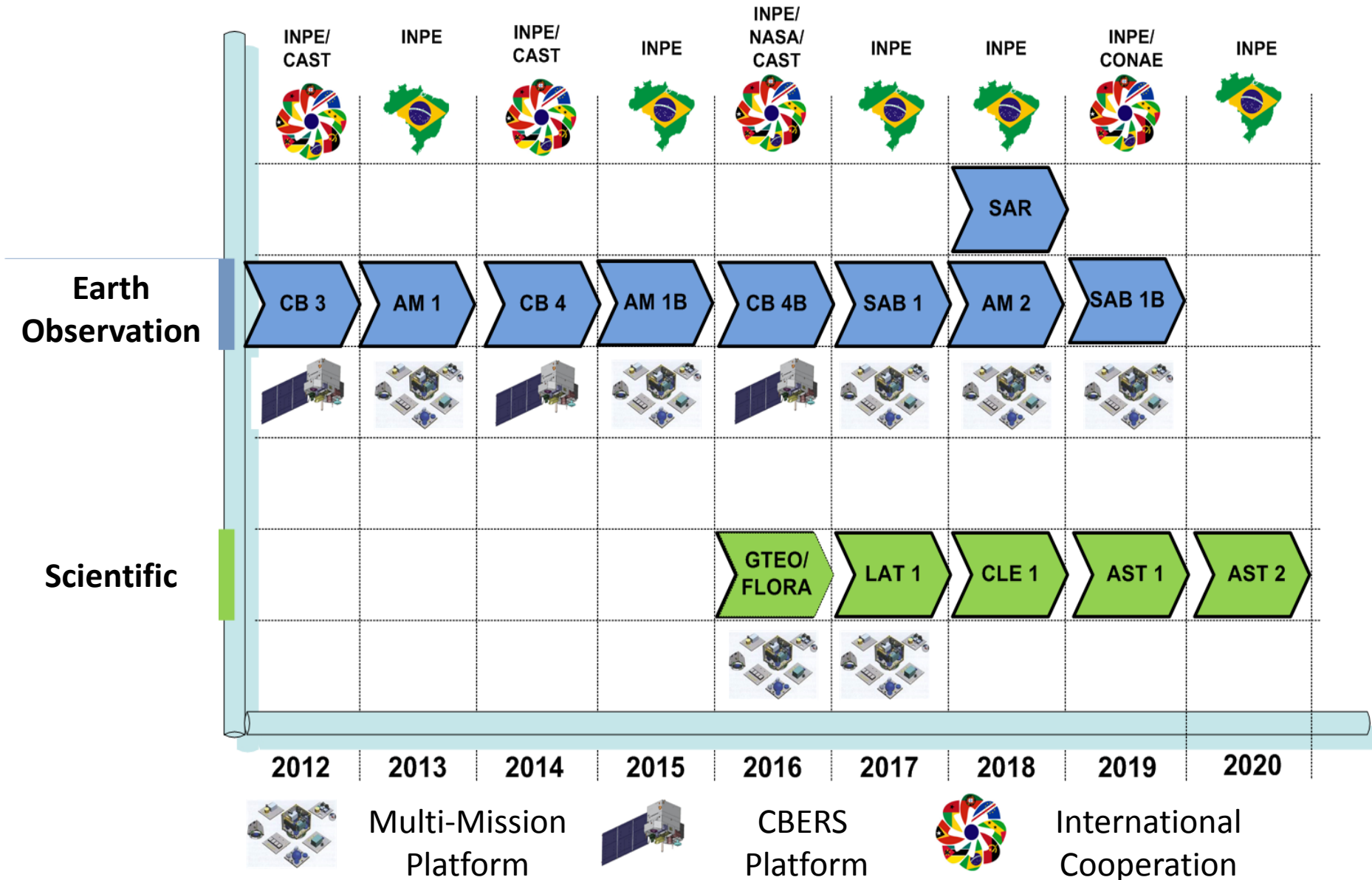


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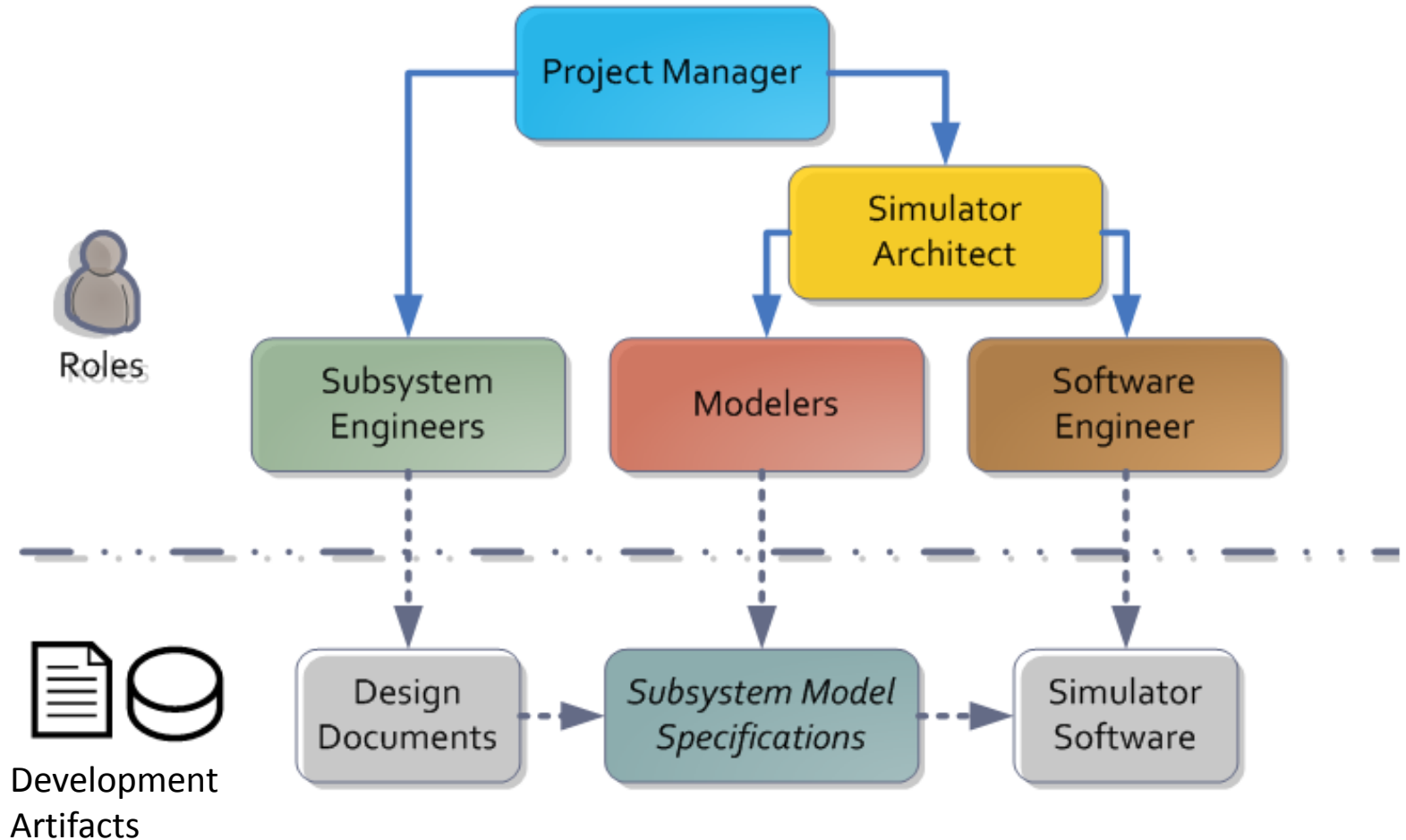
Ongoing satellite simulators

Spacecraft Dynamics Simulator to the AMAZONIA-1
Satellite

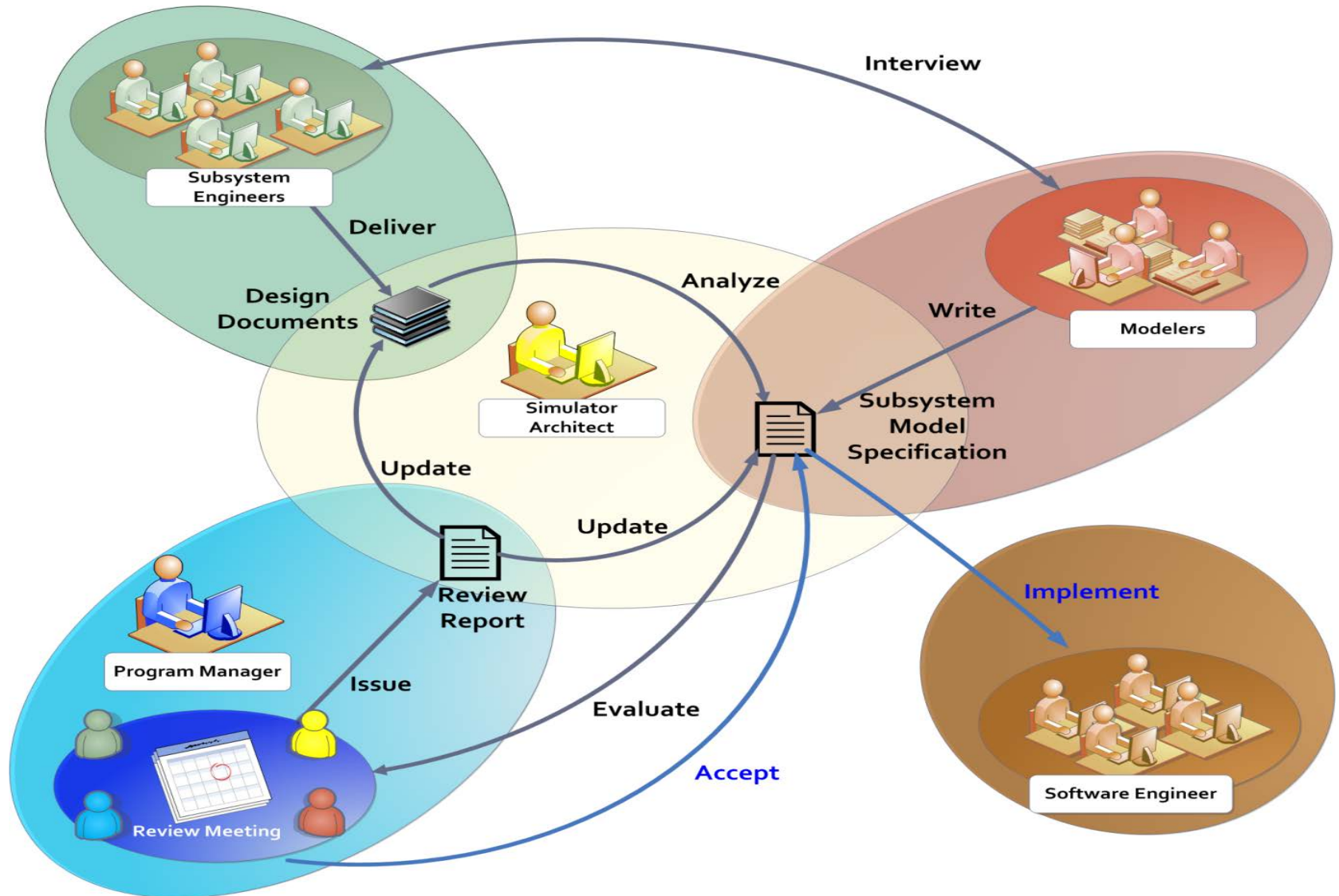
Advanced Inertial Systems (SIA) Simulator

Operational Satellite Simulator for the
3&4 China-Brazil Earth Resources Satellite (SIMC3)

SIMC3 SIMULATOR DEVELOPMENT ORGANIZATION CHART

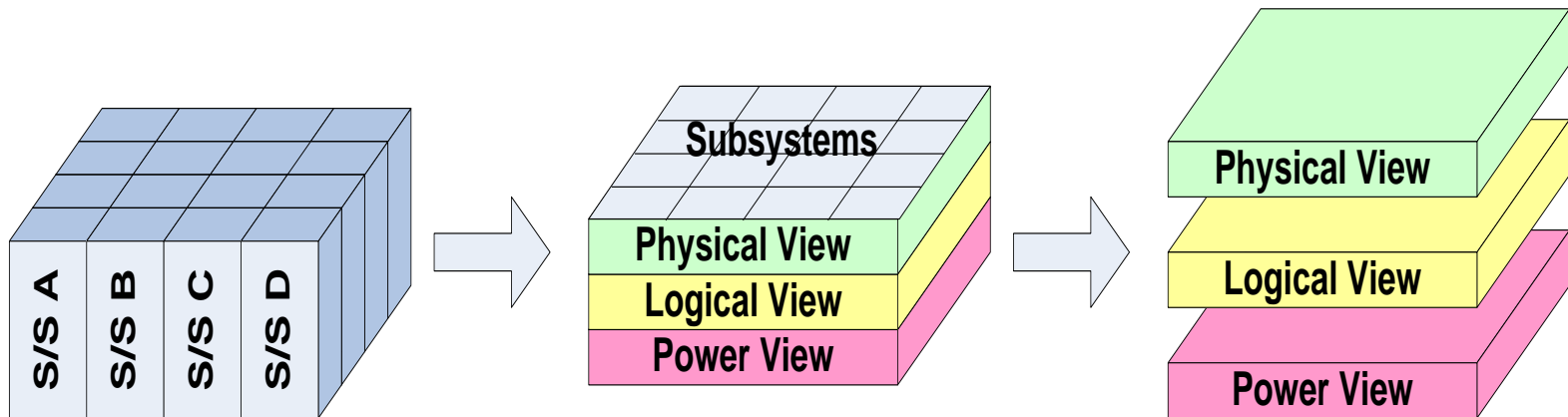


SIMC3 Development Workflow

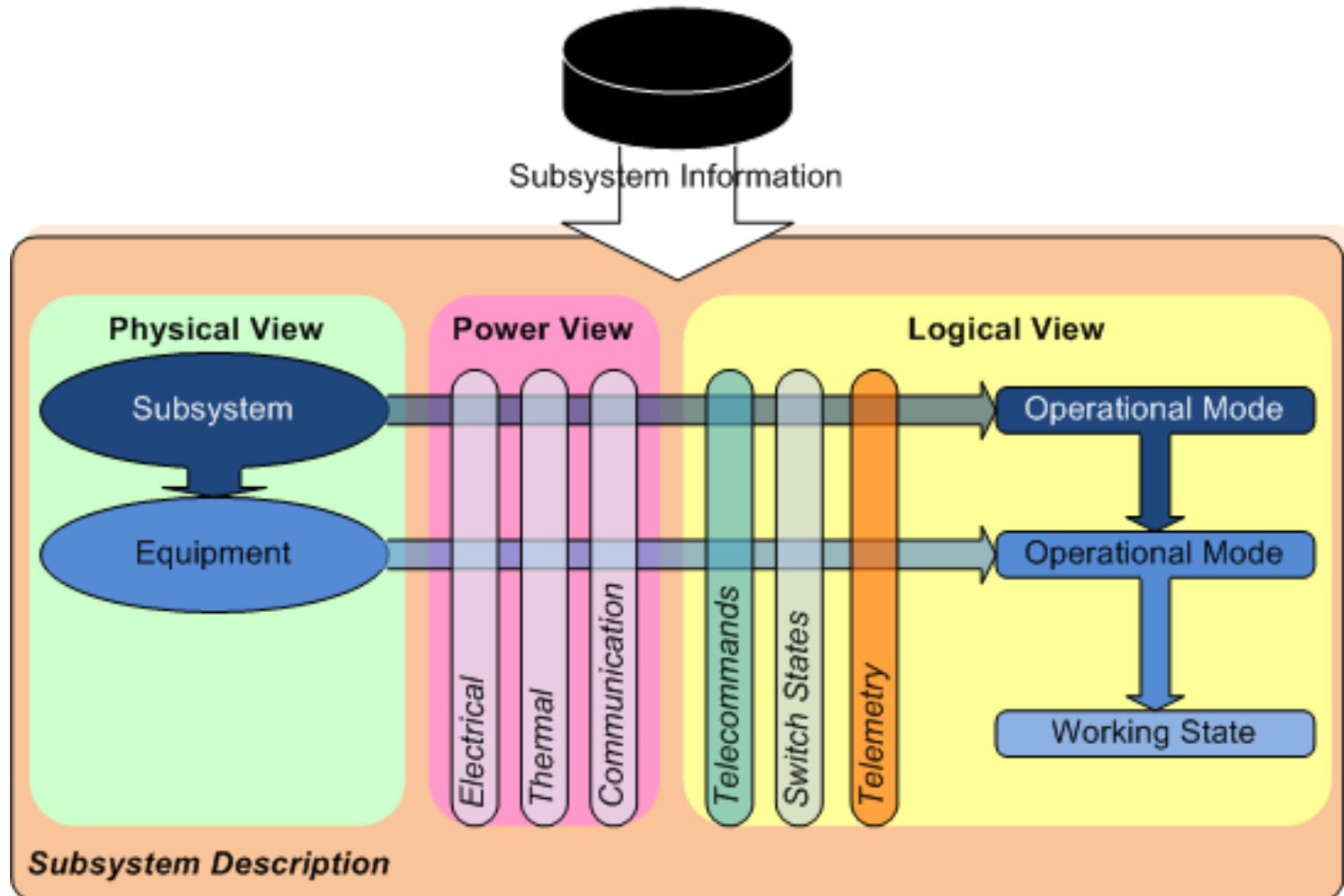


Generic solution to document the Satellite Behavior:

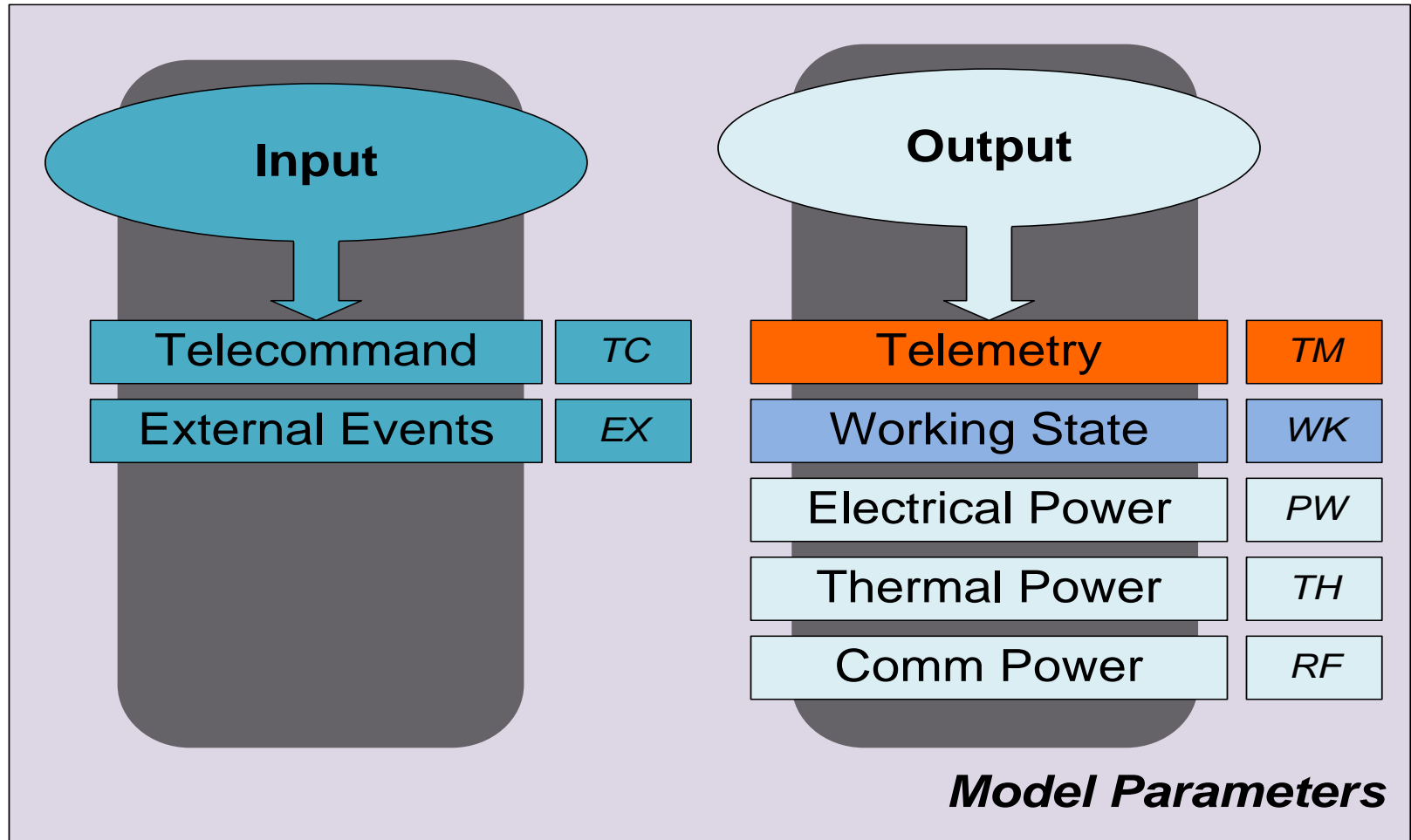
to breakdown the complexity into
Subsystems and Views



Subsystem Description Elements



Model Parameters Elements



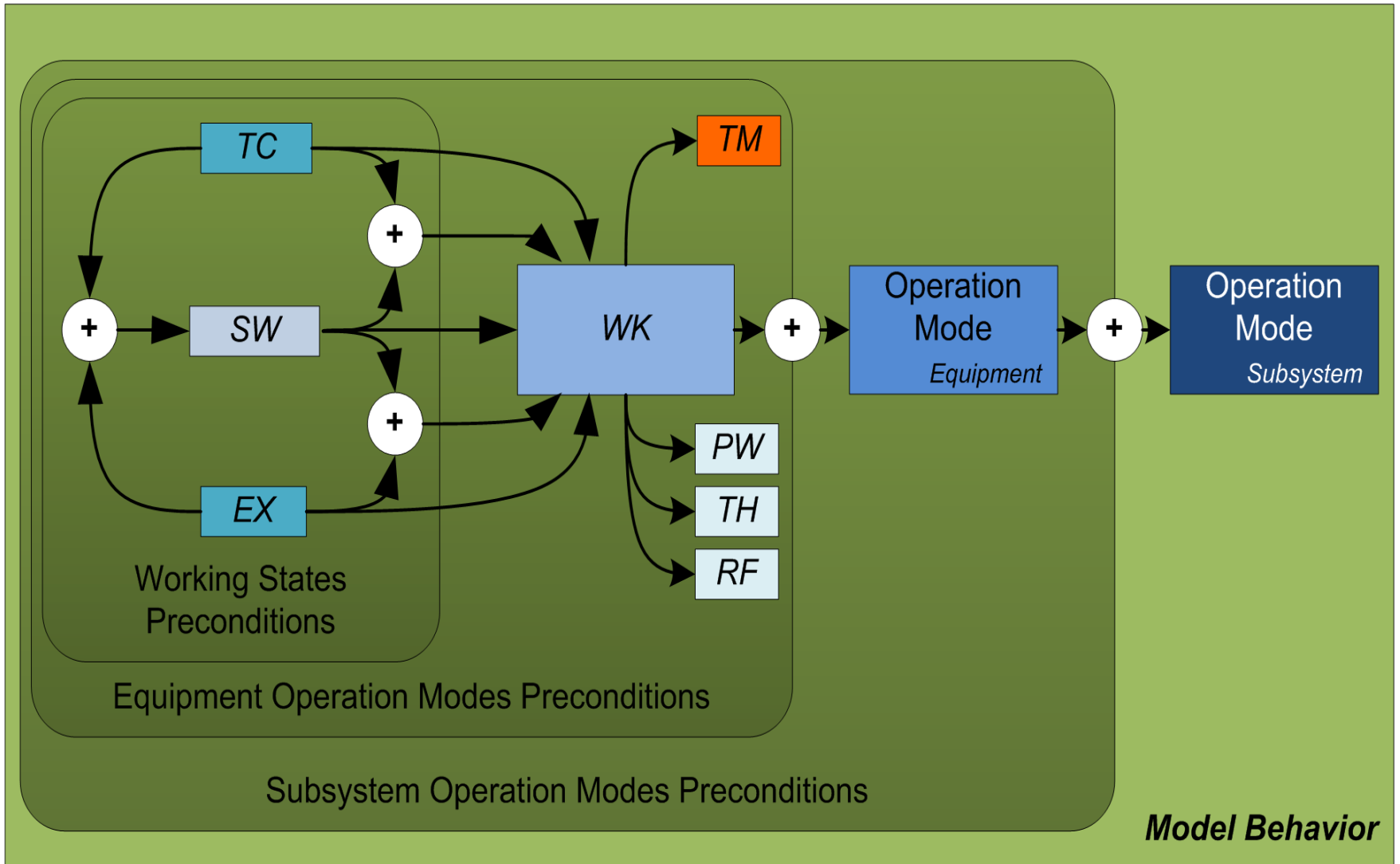
Model Behavior Rule Representation

Preconditions			Effects		
Param A	Param B	Param C	Param X	Param Y	Param Z
a1	b1	c1	x1	y1	z1
a2		> c2	x2	y2	z2
<= a3	b2	-	x3	-	Z+C

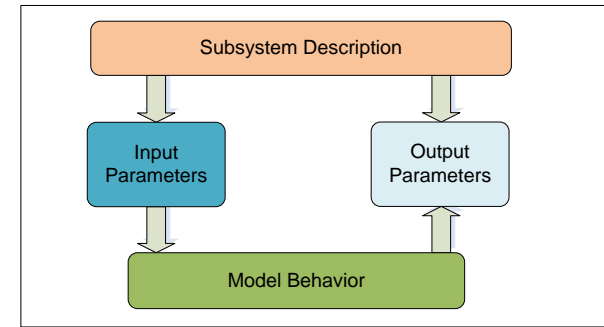
Equivalent to:

**if (A == a1 and B == b1 and C == c1)
then (X = x1, Y = y1, Z = z1)**

Elements of the Model Behavior



Conclusion



- difficulty to achieve a consensus was mainly due to the different skills, backgrounds and cultures of the people involved. Unsuccessful attempt:
 - 1st - algorithmic pseudo-codes
 - 2nd - set of tables derived from the operational database
- A solid culture was established inside the institution concerning the models writing

