Maximization of the actual Reliability

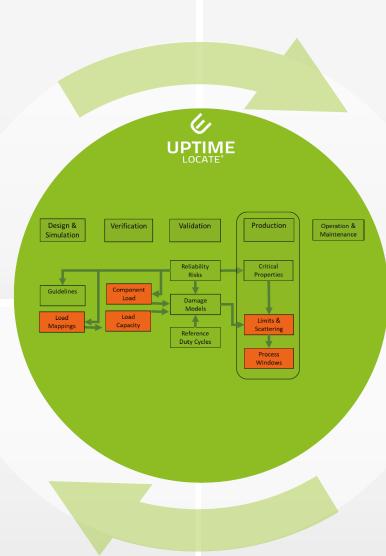


Background

- Validation programs eliminate design related reliability risks
- Field failures often persist due to
 - Unforeseen load conditions
 - Component quality issues
 - Assembly effects
- Elimination of these risks requires contributions from quality and production

Customer benefit

- Usage of of simulation and quality for product reliability
- Efficient effort allocation via focus on actual risks and cost/benefit for mitigation activities
- Maximum achievable product reliability within time and budget



Requirement

- Improve validation by complementary activities for risk mitigation
- Identify synergies between testing and simulation
- Distribute tasks among OEM and suppliers

Solution with Uptime LOCATE

- Comprehensive initial risk assessment
- Reliability risk reduction via
 - synergies from simulation & testing
 - Q-properties, which are critical to reliability
 - required activities from all specialist teams
- The expected reliability as target for the optimization of the validation program