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*Lt Col Benjamin Bennett*

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# Digital Engineering Toolchain

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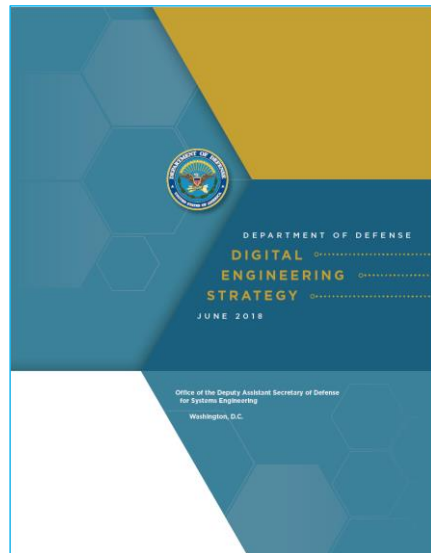
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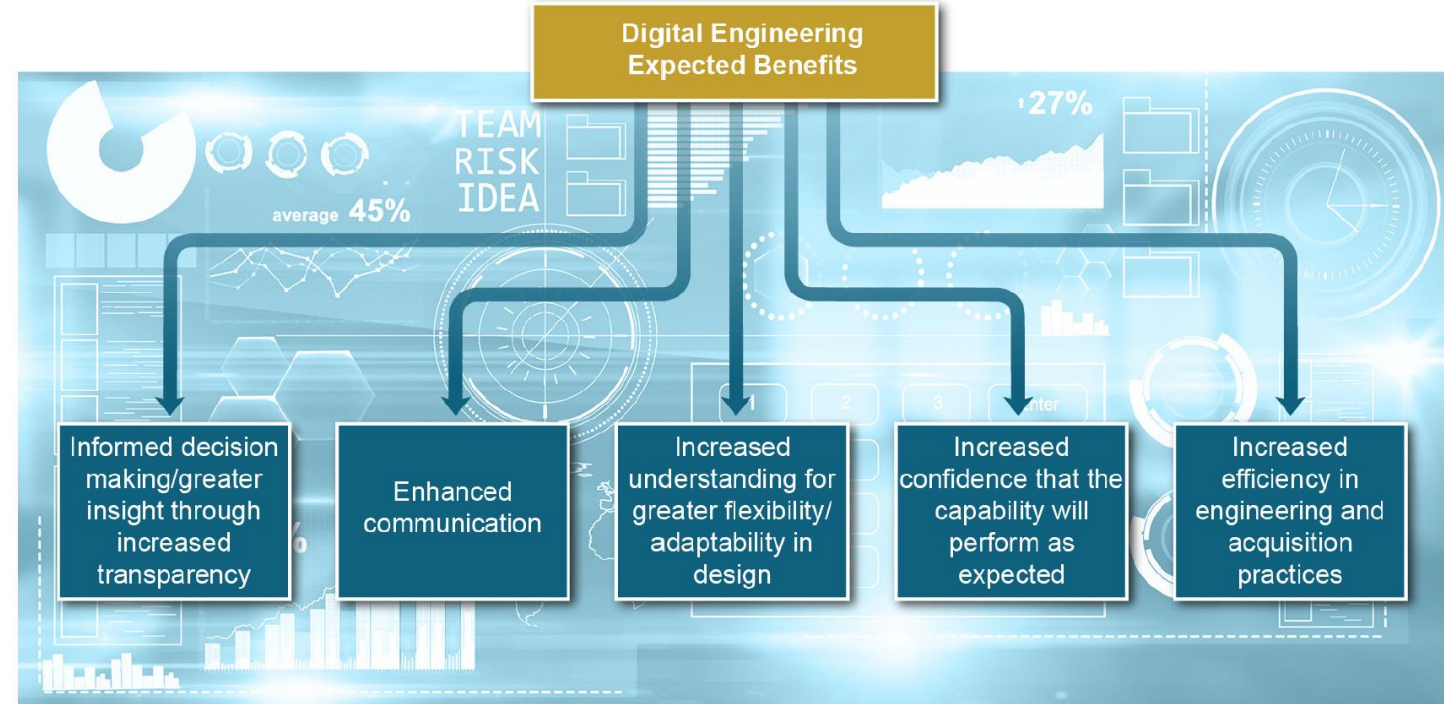
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# Purpose



## OSD Digital Engineering Strategy (June 2018)

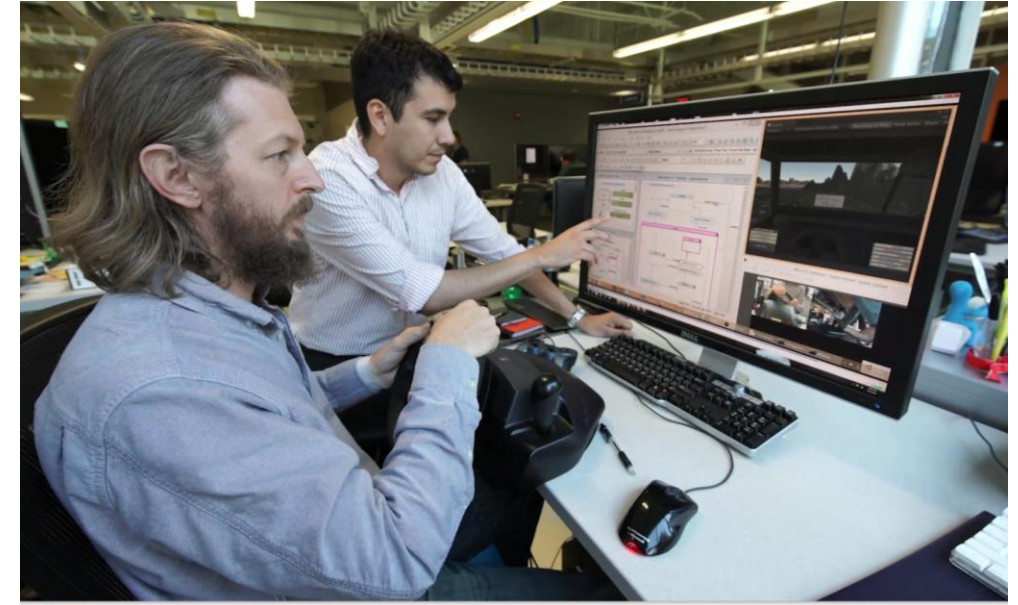


**Sponsors are implementing OSD strategy**  
**MITRE is employing modern DE practices to meet sponsor objectives**



# MITRE Digital Engineering Toolchain Vision

**MITRE employs a digital engineering environment that connects people, processes, tools and data across an end-to-end digital enterprise**

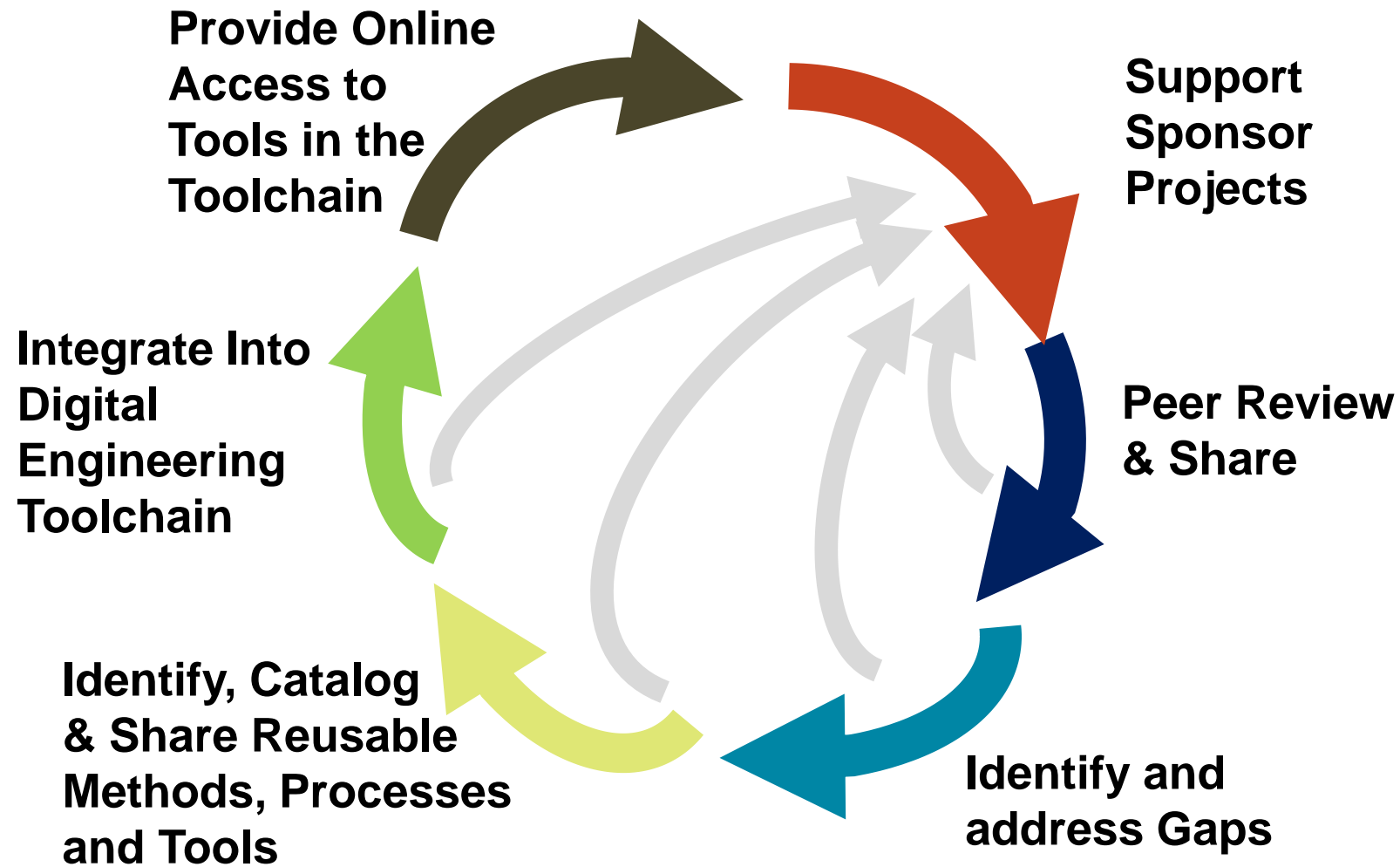


## **Key Assumptions:**

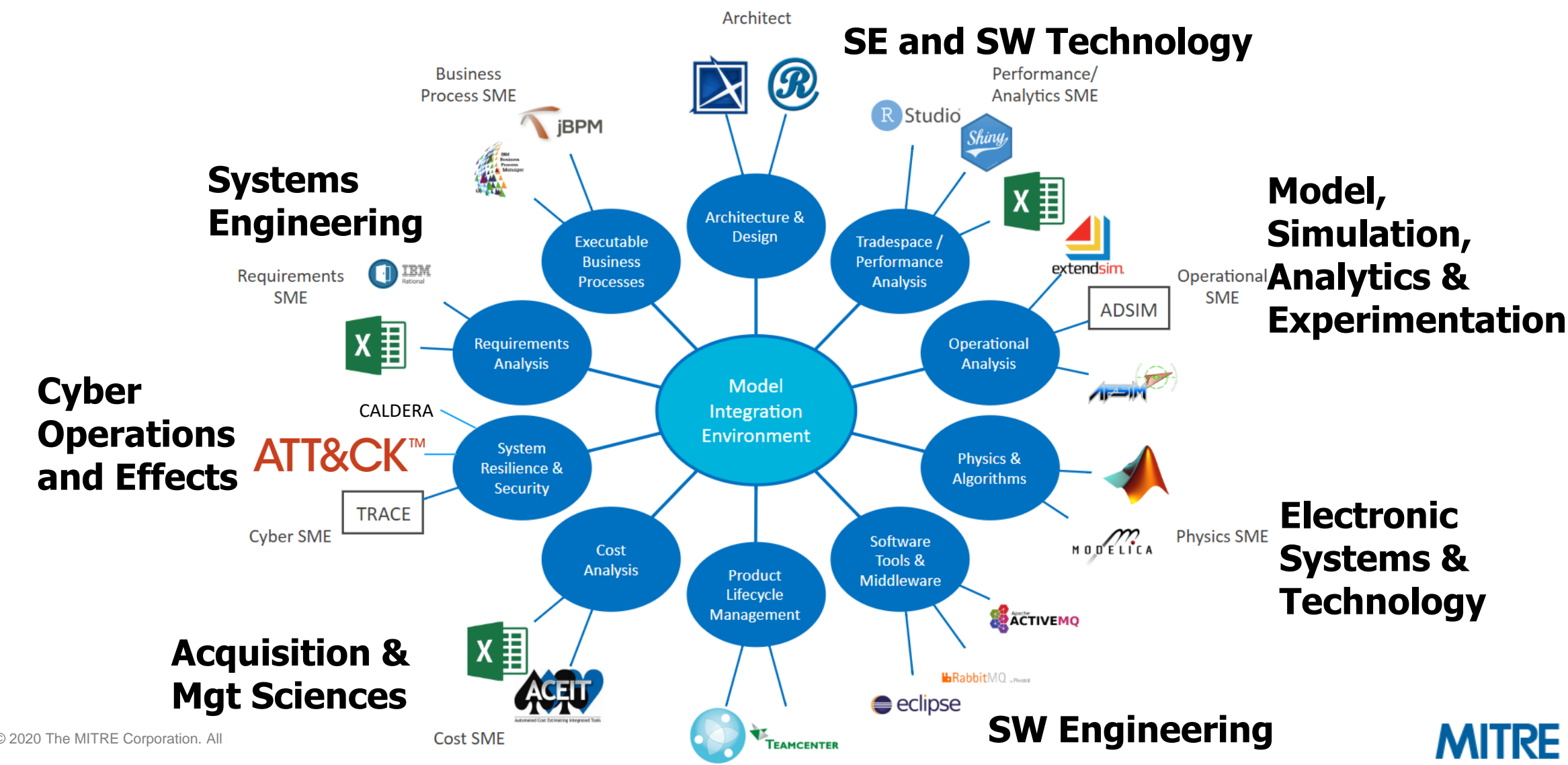
- **Multi-disciplinary teams are required to address sponsor needs**
  - SMEs use specialized tools of their domains
- **Data needs to be exchanged among SMEs' tools repeatedly on a given project**
- **Data needs to be "served up" in a format usable in the SME's environment**



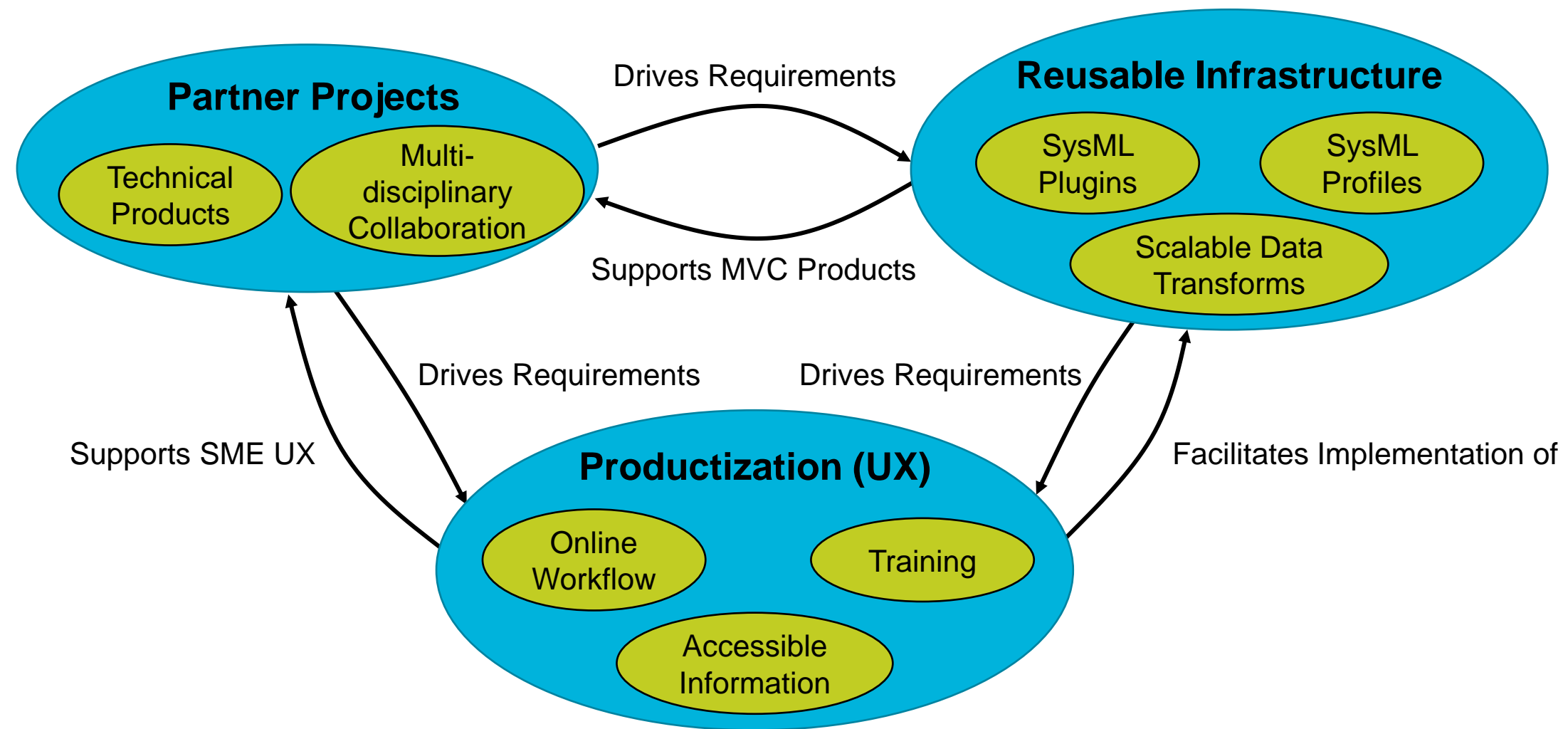
# MITRE Approach To DE Capability Development



# MITRE Digital Engineering Environment



# Lines of Effort



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# Reusable Infrastructure

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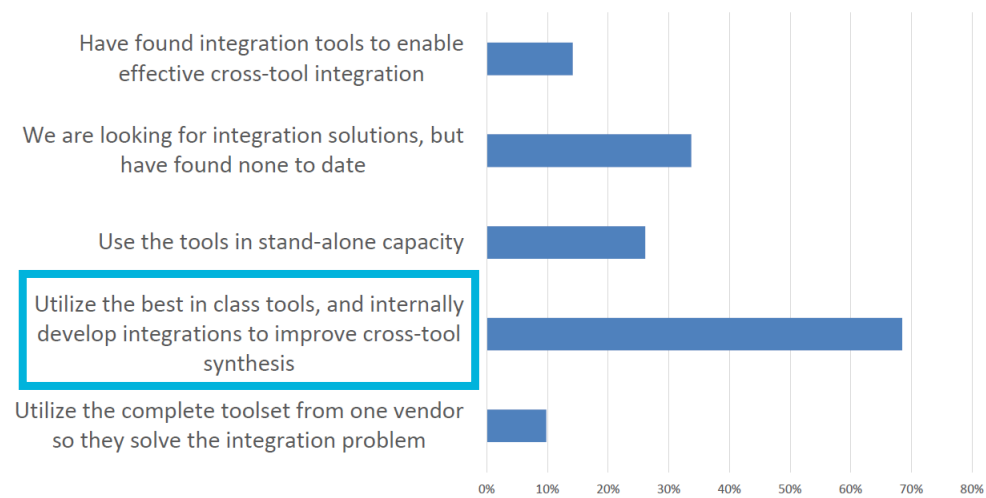
# DE Toolchain Technical Requirements

## The Digital Engineering Toolchain shall...

1. Use data from supported authoring tool(s) via a recognized industry standard
2. Manage links between resources across tools
3. Notify users of changes in data artifacts that are relevant to them
4. Transform model data across domain-specific notations to translate key information
5. Update data via a recognized standard – to be consumed by supported authoring tool(s)
6. Support authoring reports on information to address different stakeholder concerns, organizing them in accessible reporting dashboards
7. Support maintaining a baseline configuration for information (as well as variant configurations)
8. Support analyzing information with reasoners and analysis tools using published query end points and APIs
9. Assign access permissions
10. Use a common terminology standard for tools that are within the same domain
11. Support new tools and new types of tools (Extensibility)
12. Support new versions of tools without requiring changes to DE Toolchain (Maintainability)

# Enabling Technologies for the DE Toolchain

How does your organization address the need to integrate new tools?



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|                        |                                        | Model Management | Source Code Management | Traceability Across Digital Artifacts | Model Transformation | API Accessible | Plug-in Extensibility | Product Life-cycle Management | Application Lifecycle Management | Ontology Development | Host Model in Neutral Format | Visualization of Model | Integrates Rhapsody | Integrates MagicDraw | Acquires information from authoring tools | Curates, integrates, configuration manages | Verifies the consistency of federated information and measures precise differences | Analyzes information, generates reports | Notifies impacted users of engineering changes | Supports design reviews and system forensics |
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| OASIS                  | OSLC                                   |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
| Sodius                 | SECollab                               |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
|                        | MDWorkbench                            |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
|                        | MDAccess                               |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
| NASA JPL - OpenMBEE    | Inter-Op                               |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
|                        | Model Development Kit (MDK)            |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
|                        | Model Management System                |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
| No Magic               | View Editor                            |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
|                        | TeamWork Cloud                         |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
|                        | Cameo Collaborator                     |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
| IBM                    | Rhapsody Model Manager                 |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
|                        | Rational Team Concert                  |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
|                        | Rational Engineering Lifecycle Manager |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
| DARPA                  | STITCHES                               |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
| NASA IPL               | OpenCaesar                             |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
| ModelBus               | ModelBus                               |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
| SKAYL                  | PHENOM                                 |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
| Modelica               | Functional Mock-Up Interface (FMI)     |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
| Maple SOFT             | MAPLE MBSE                             |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
| JAMA Software          | JAMA Connect                           |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
| GIT                    | GITHUB                                 |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
|                        | GITLAB                                 |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
| Atlassian              | JIRA                                   |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
| Microsoft              | Bitbucket                              |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
| The Eclipse Foundation | Team Foundation Server                 |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
| Siemens                | Eclipse IDE                            |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
| Dassault Systemes      | Teamcenter                             |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
| Tom Sawyer             | 3DEXPERIENCE ENOVIA                    |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |
|                        | Perspectives                           |                  |                        |                                       |                      |                |                       |                               |                                  |                      |                              |                        |                     |                      |                                           |                                            |                                                                                    |                                         |                                                |                                              |

No existing technology to rule them all. Approach is to understand the workflow among SMEs and identify the right composition of technologies to facilitate repeated data exchanges among tools.

# DE Toolchain Technology Matrix

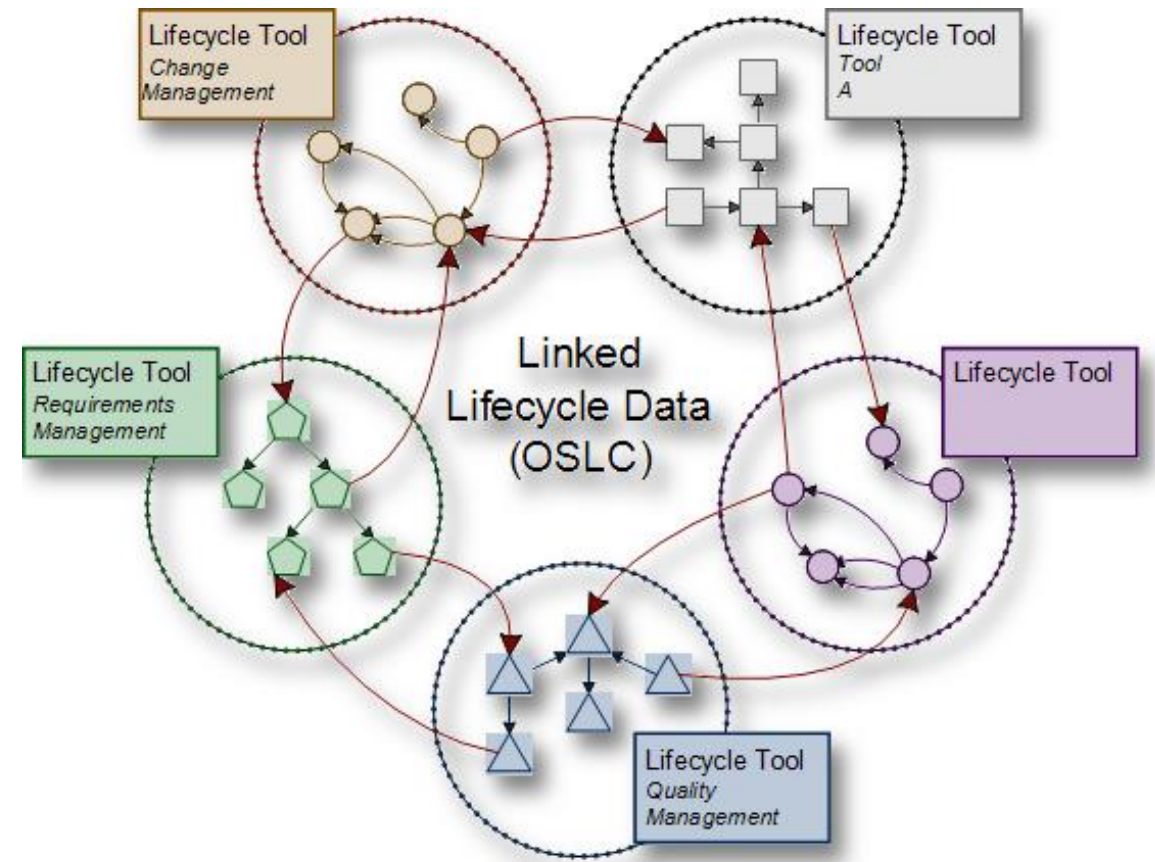
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| ▽      | Does to an Extent      |
| ▼      | Does Really Well       |

|        |             |                        | Use data from supported authoring tools | Manage Links between resources | Update data into supported domains | Transform model data across changes | Support analyzing tool | Maintain baseline information via an API | Assign Access Permissions | Extensibility: new tools and types of tools | Maintainability: new versions of tools | Integrates MagicDraw | Integrates Rhapsody | Integrates MagicDraw |
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| \$     | Commercial  | Intercax               | Synidea                                 | ▽                              | ▽                                  | ▽                                   | ▽                      | ▽                                        | ▽                         | ▽                                           | ▷                                      | ▽                    | ▼                   | ▼                    |
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|        | Open-Source | The Eclipse Foundation | Eclipse Model Framework (EMF)           | ▷                              | ▷                                  | ▷                                   | ▷                      | ▷                                        | ▷                         | ▷                                           | ▷                                      | ▼                    | ▼                   | ▼                    |
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# Open Services for Lifecycle Collaboration (OSLC) – Functional

- OASIS Standard (since 2013)
- Establish links between resources in different lifecycle tools *from within those tools*
- Use resources in one tool to affect resources in another tool (e.g. transformation)
- Add new types of tools (domains)
- Switch versions of tools
- Switch tool used for a domain



# Open Services for Lifecycle Collaboration (OSLC) – Architectural

- Domain defines vocabulary (resources) for each type of tool.
- OSLC Core provides cross-domain services
  - Resource Description Framework (RDF) for syntax:

|                |                  |               |
|----------------|------------------|---------------|
| <u>Subject</u> | <u>Predicate</u> | <u>Object</u> |
| Resource       | Property         | Value         |
| Book           | “author”         | “Bob”         |
  - Tracked Resource Sets (TRS) for event-based
- Linked Data Platform (LDP)
  - HTTP as the application protocol (not tunneled)
  - RESTful services
  - Linking data across tools via URLs
  - No copying of data

|              |              |             |
|--------------|--------------|-------------|
| OSLC Domains | Vocabularies | Constraints |
| RM           | DM CCM QM    | Automation  |

|           |                  |             |
|-----------|------------------|-------------|
| OSLC Core | Resource Preview | Query       |
| Discovery | Delegated UI     | Attachments |

|                        |                         |                |        |
|------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|--------|
| LDP                    | Containers, Accept-Post | Link Relations | Paging |
| Open-World Assumptions | JSON-LD                 | Turtle         | Patch  |

|                |                     |                     |     |        |      |
|----------------|---------------------|---------------------|-----|--------|------|
| HTTP           | POST                | GET                 | PUT | DELETE | REST |
| Authentication | Resource MIME Types | Content Negotiation |     |        |      |

# OSLC and Tool Interoperability

Goal of OSLC is tool interoperability which requires the following:

|      | Interoperability Requirement (IR) | Description                                                                                 | How OSLC Meets Requirement                                                   |
|------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1    | Physical                          | Network connectivity between tools                                                          | TCP/IP                                                                       |
| 2a   | Application – Protocol            | Specification of how data will be transferred over physical connectivity                    | REST (HTTP+URLs)                                                             |
| 2b.1 | Application – Data syntax         | Basic syntax used to represent the data sent via the protocol                               | XML                                                                          |
| 2b.2 | Application – Data structure      | Schema used to define how the data is structured within the syntax                          | RDF                                                                          |
| 2b.3 | Application – Data semantic       | Meaning of all data elements                                                                | OSLC Resource Shapes in OSLC Specifications                                  |
| 3    | Business Process                  | Overall process that tools are used to support (tools can be orchestrated or choreographed) | Delegated User Interfaces and Resource Previews but mostly process-dependent |

*Reference: Mihindukulasooriya, N., Garca-Castro, R., and Esteban-Gutierrez, M.: Linked Data Platform as a novel approach for Enterprise Application Integration. Center for Open Middleware, Ontology Engineering Group (2013)*

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# **Examples of Digital Engineering Workflows on Projects**

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# A Public Sector Program Example: Technology Insertion into a Human-Centric Process

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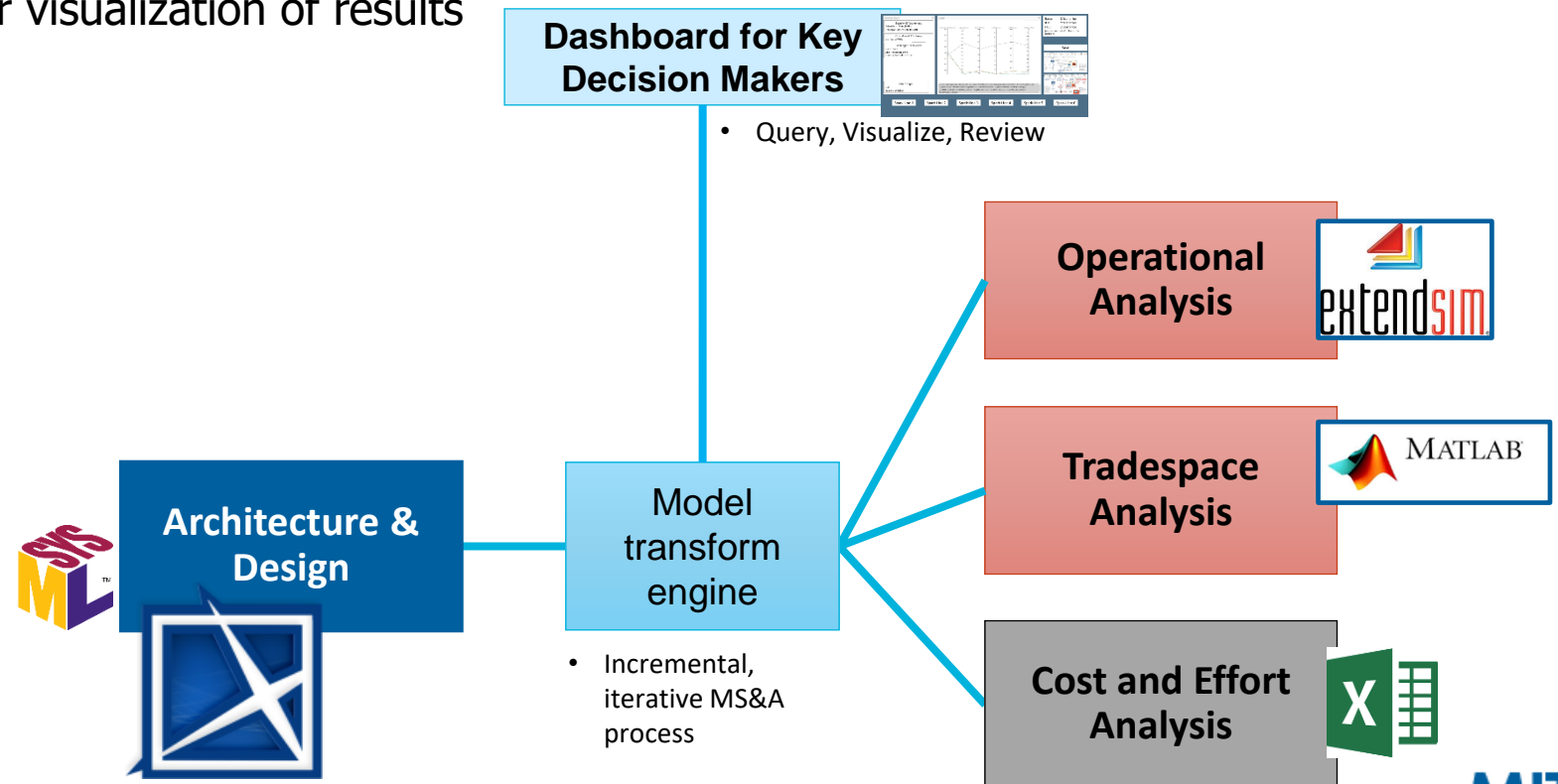
## Goals:

- **Build a framework for reasoning about technology insertion into an architecture supporting a human-centric process.**
- **Understand the impact of technology choices and process design on customer experience.**
- **Key measures of effectiveness include queue lengths and wait times.**

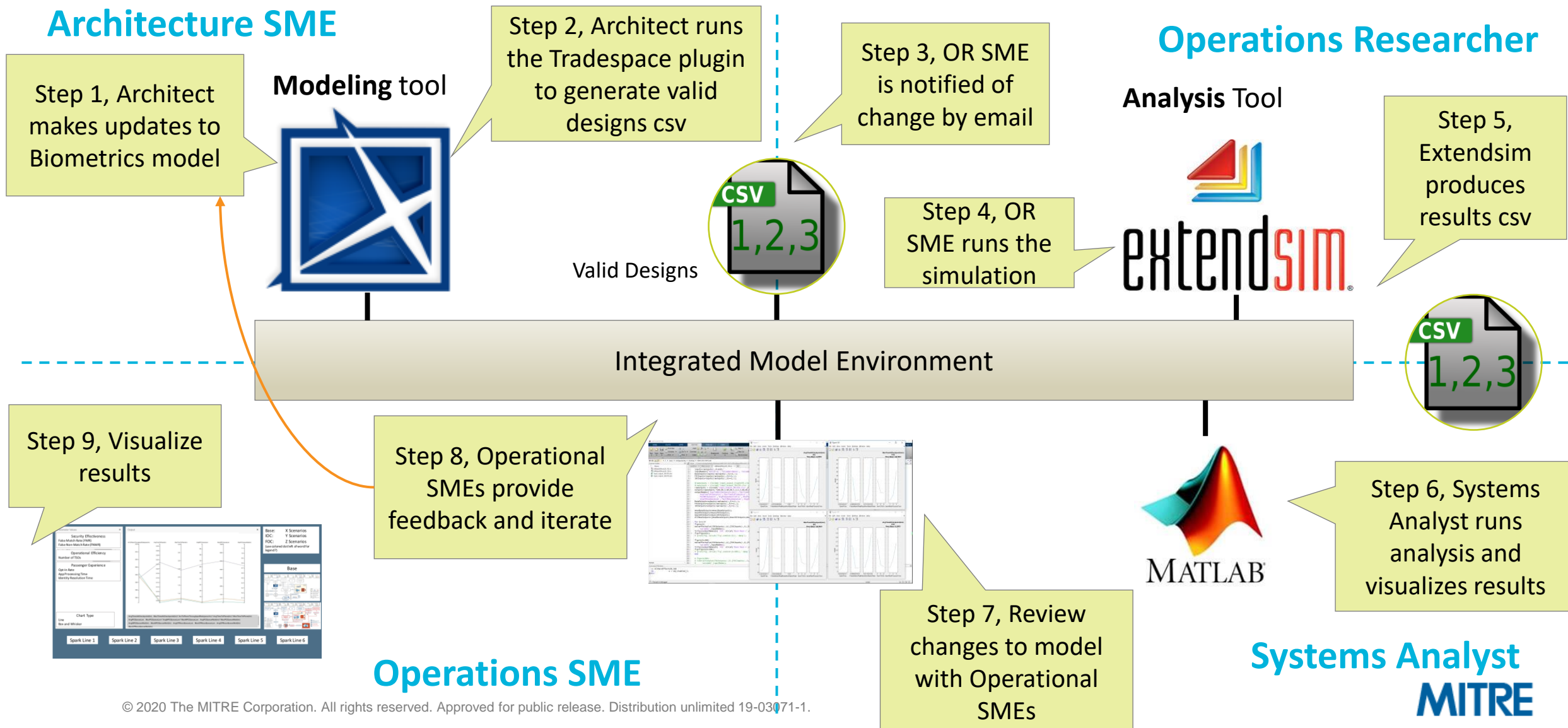
# A Public Sector Program Example: Multi-Disciplinary Digital Engineering Environment

## Technical Approach:

- Capture tradespace parameterization in architecture model
- Generate run matrix for operational simulation from SysML model
- Use MATLAB for preliminary data exploration and analysis
- Built interactive dashboard for visualization of results



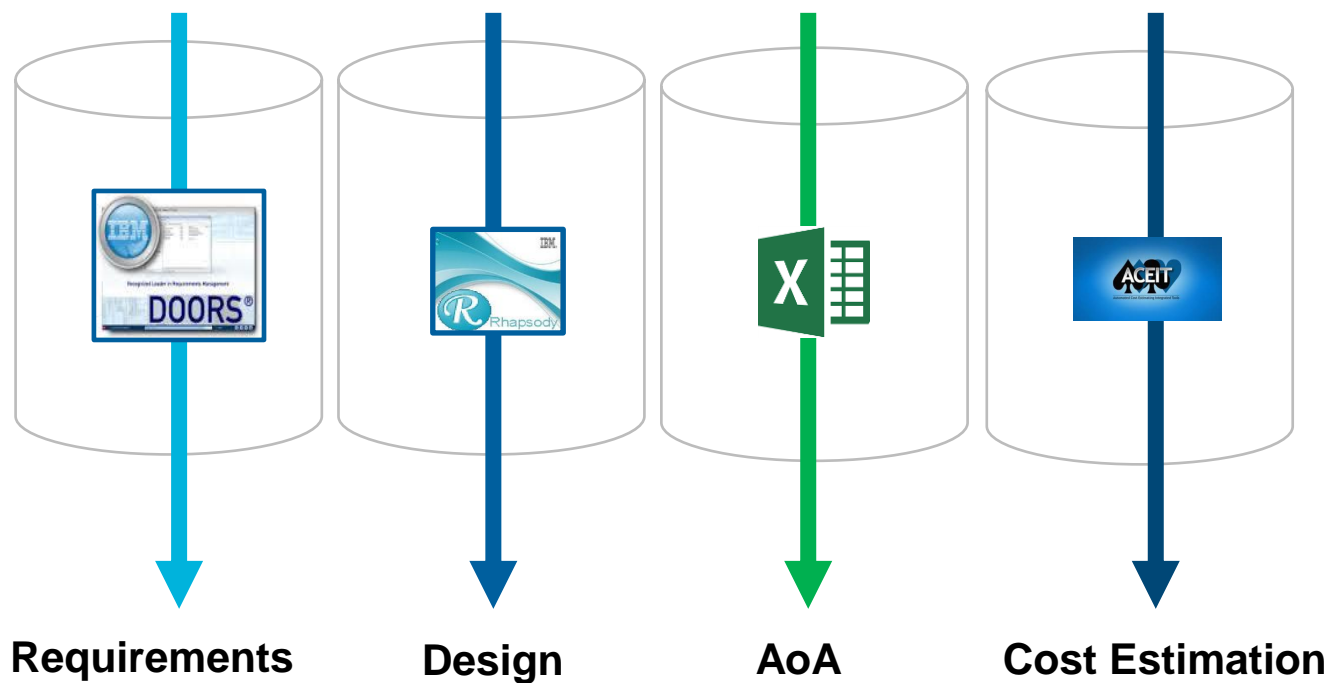
# Architecture - Operational Analysis Workflow



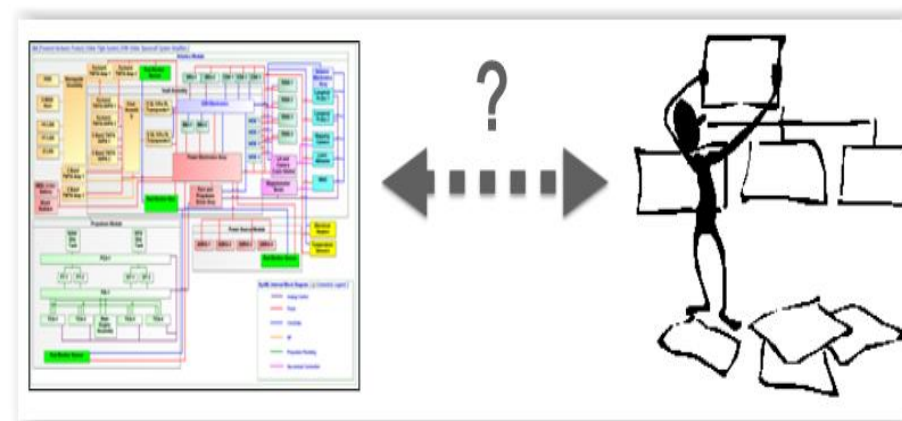


# A DoD Program Example: Eliminate Stovepipes

- **Development Stovepipes**



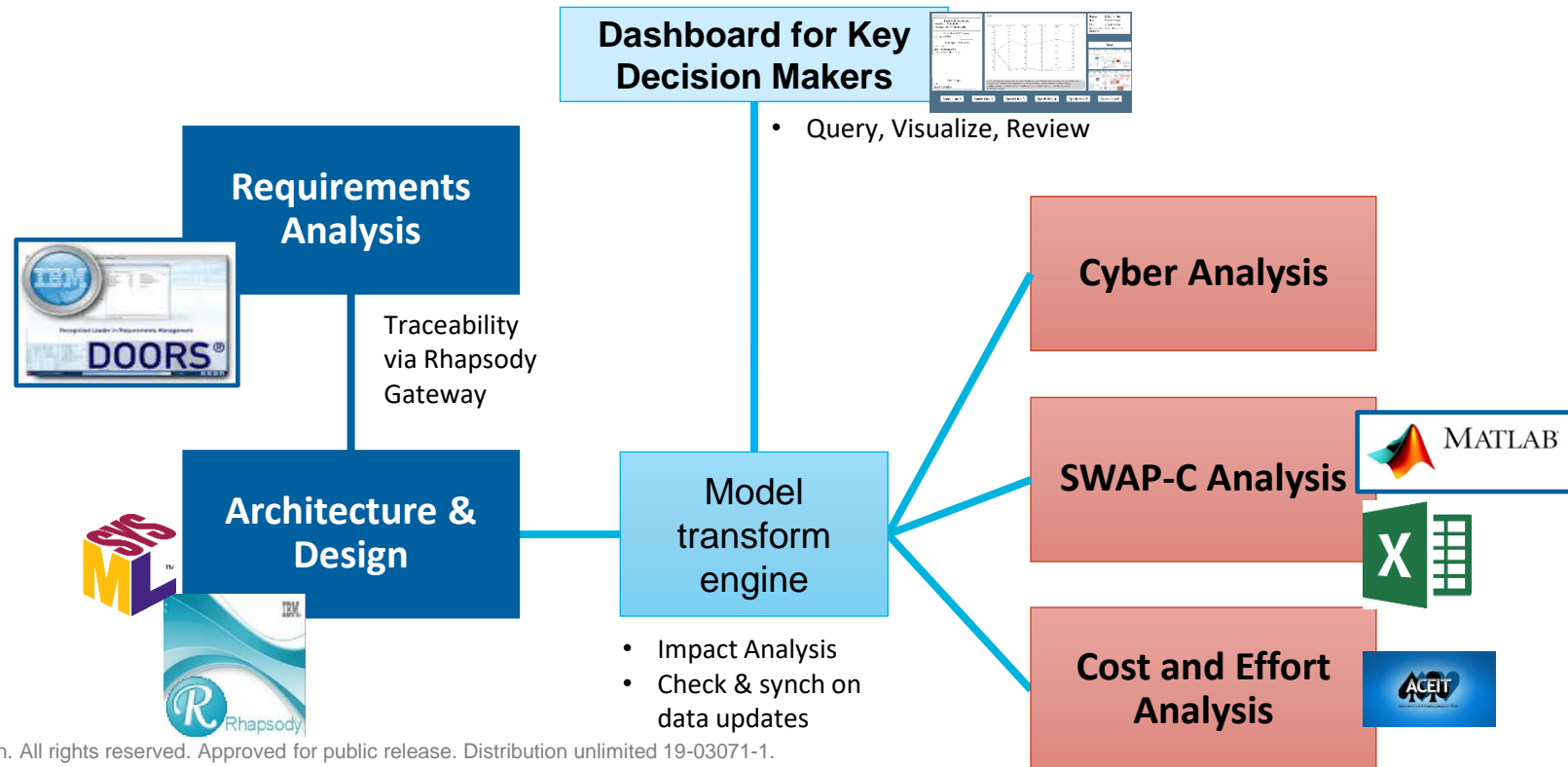
- **Programmatic and Technical sides not connected**



# A DoD Program Example: Multi-Disciplinary Digital Engineering Environment

## Technical Approach:

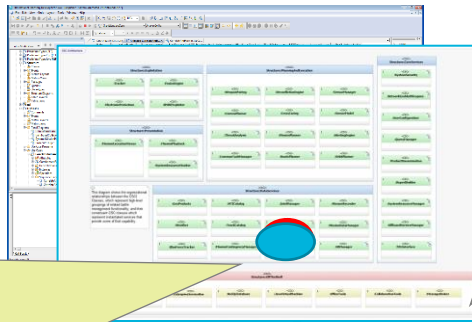
- Link Architecture & Design to other relevant disciplines (Cyber, SWAP-C, Cost) via a scalable model transform
- Perform synchronization of data based on user notifications
- Perform Impact Analysis; Query and Review without having to open an Authoring tool



# Architecture - Cost Analysis Workflow

## Authoring Tool

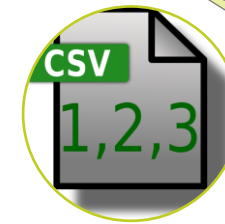
Step 1, Architect makes updates... OR identifies a GRA component to analyze



Step 2, Architect saves a new model baseline

Step 2.1, WBS updated via a model transform

Work Breakdown Structure (WBS)



Step 3, Cost SME is notified of change

Integrated Model Environment



Architecture SME

Step 6, Architect is notified of updated cost estimate and accepts change to model



Cost SME



Step 5, Cost SME saves a new baseline

Step 4, Cost SME updates the analysis



Analysis Tool

# Lessons Learned

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- **No existing tool addresses all DE integration and interoperability challenges**
  - Commercial/open source tools provide indicators on where industry is going
- **Need to utilize existing standards as much as possible**
  - Custom solutions are often difficult to deploy and productize in sponsor environments
- **DE adoption will only be possible if users can work in their disciplinary tools**
  - Need to integrate existing engineering workflows and make it easier for users to do their day-to-day job
- **DE is challenging to implement technically and programmatically**
  - Incremental use case driven progress can help with technical scalability and required stakeholder buy-in