



# Curricular Innovation in MIL, SIL, & HIL

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# Outline

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- ATS Program
- MBSD Lab
- Current Curriculum
- Future Plans
- Questions





# Introduction to Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology



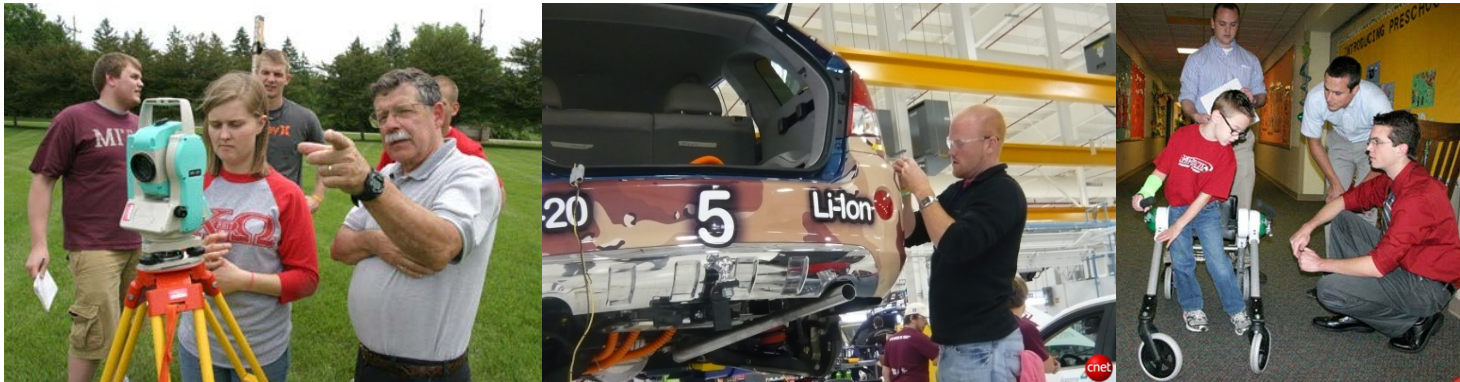
# Our Legacy

- Founded in 1874 by Chauncey Rose
  - Railroad industrialist
  - Needed rail engineers
- The Terre Haute School of Industrial Science
- 1875 - Rose Polytechnic
- 1971 – Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology
- 2000 – U.S. News #1 Ranking



# Mission & Vision

- ***"to provide our students with the world's best undergraduate education in engineering, mathematics and science in an environment of individual attention and support."***

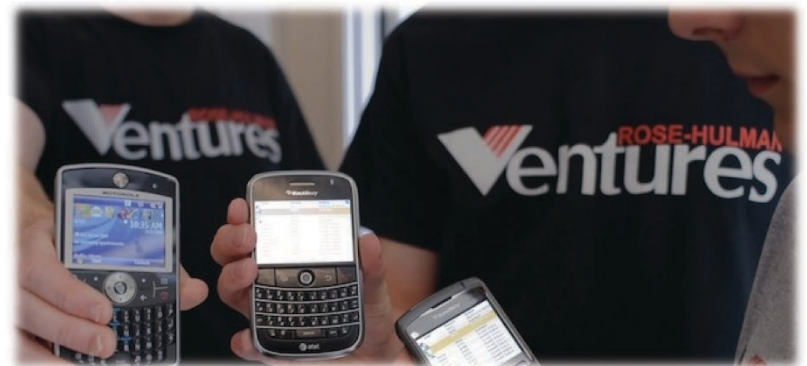


- ***"to be the best in engineering, mathematics and science education, to make an impact upon the world in which we live, and to be a leader in every aspect in the delivery of education and the development of tomorrow's leaders."***



# Academic Themes

- Academic Excellence
- Students Come First
- Faculty Who Teach
- Engaging Culture
- Co-Curricular Activities



# Numbers

- Total Enrollment 1888
- Average Class Size 20
- Academic Majors 16
- Median SAT Score 1320
- Internships 85%
- Placement Rate 96%
- Average Salary \$59,636

10% enter Advanced Transportation Sector



# Advanced Transportation Systems Program



- *To be the world leader in producing undergraduate engineers uniquely qualified to be immediate producers and rapid risers in the Advanced Transportation sector.*



# Why Rose-Hulman?

- Top undergraduate engineering college for 13 years in a row
- Eight of top 10 employers are Advanced Transportation
  - Caterpillar, Chrysler, Cummins, Ford, GM, NAVSEA Crane, Rockwell-Collins, Rolls-Royce
- Rich Indiana automotive heritage
- Indiana encouraging advanced transportation industry



# Student Innovation Center



# Competition Teams

EcoCAR2



Rose Efficient Vehicle



Team Rose Motorsports



Human Powered Vehicle



Design Build Fly



Gran Prix Engineering



- Model-Based System Design (MBSD)
- Electric Machines
- Combustion Science
- Diesel Technology
- Powertrain Design
- Energy Storage
- Materials & Manufacturing



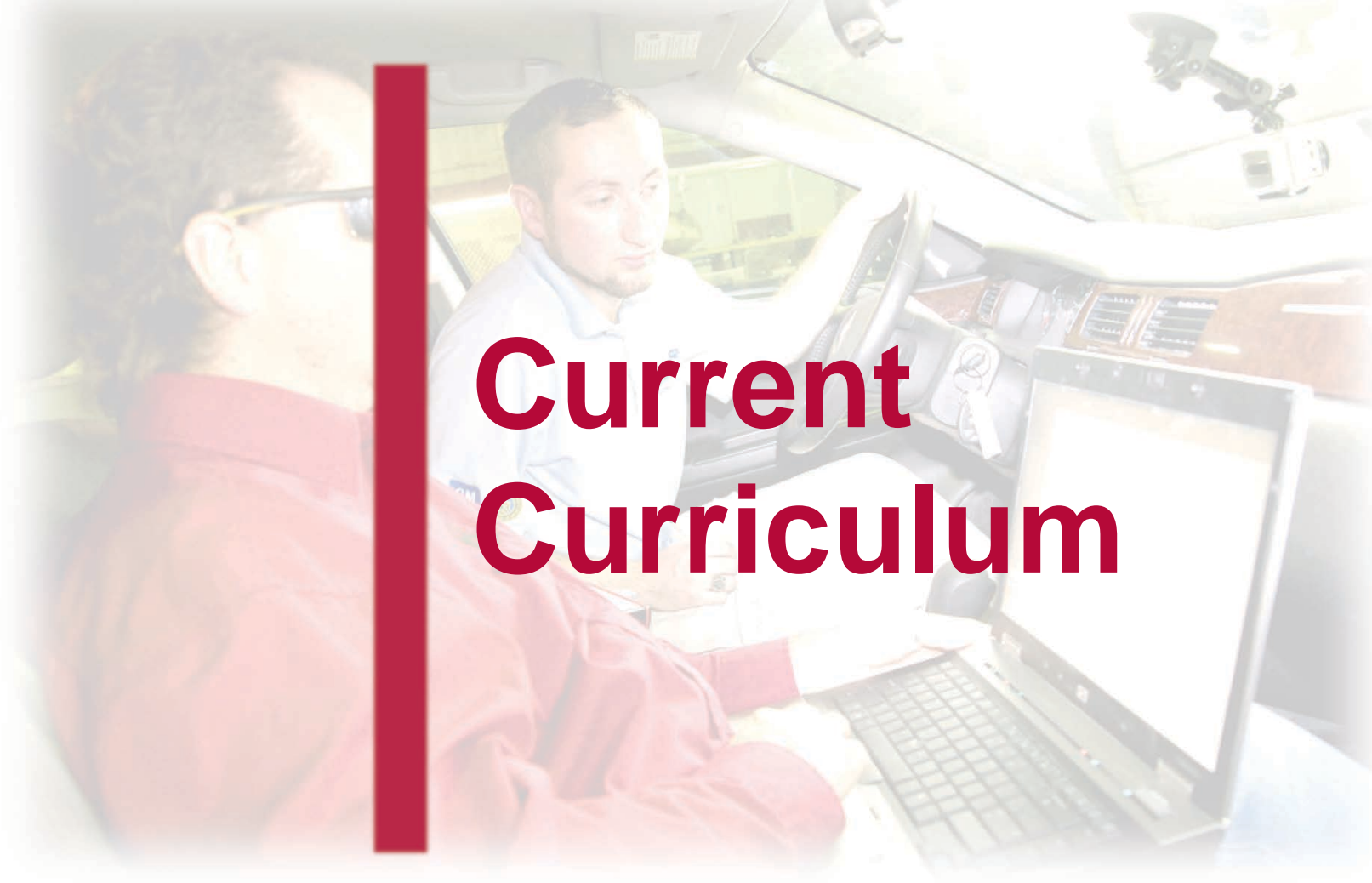


## Model Based System Design Lab



- \$650,000 lab sponsored by The MathWorks, Freescale, and Woodward
- Established in 2007
- Only one in Indiana; one of few in US
- Technical work includes
  - Development of hybrid vehicle plants and controllers
  - Design of engine controller
  - Modeling of pressure drops in transmission
- Arose directly from ChallengeX AVTC





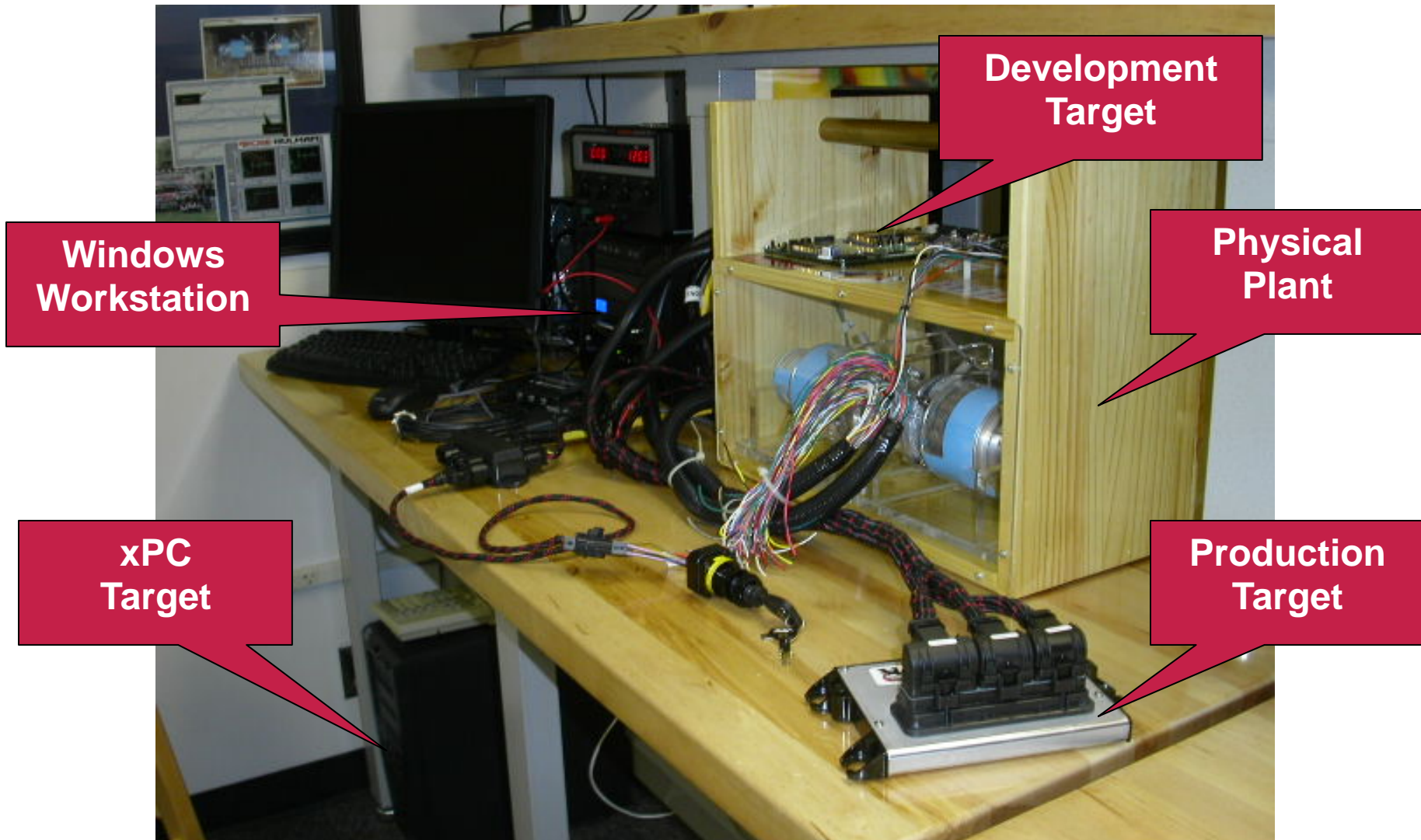
## Current Curriculum



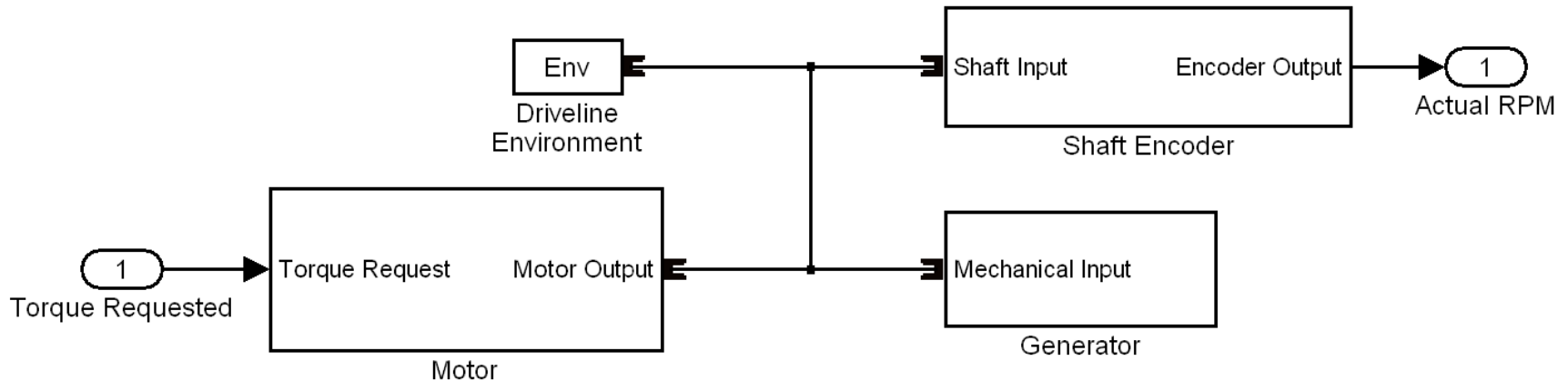
- MBSD of an Electric Genset
  - Use a very simple system
    - Easy to understand components
    - Easy to predict behavior
  - Focus on the MBSD process
    - Start with incredibly simple models
    - Make incremental changes
    - Verify!
  - Experience the MIL/SIL/HIL process



# Introductory Course



- Develop simple, first order component models

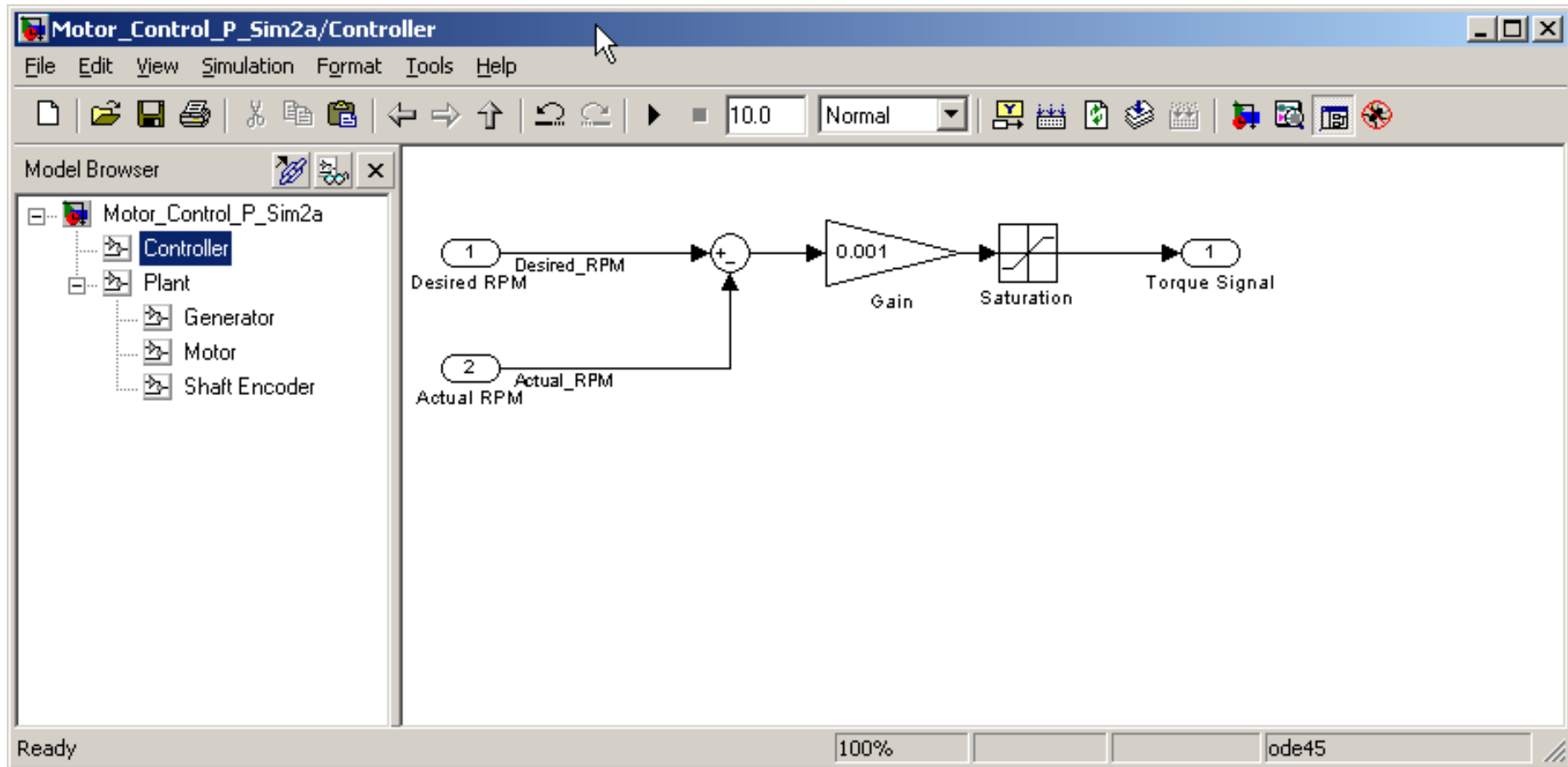


- Assemble into a system



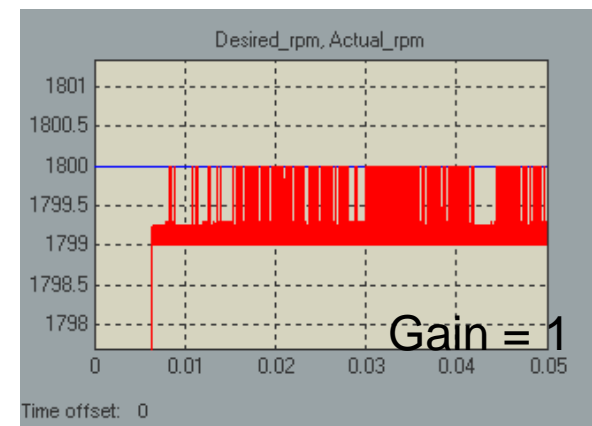
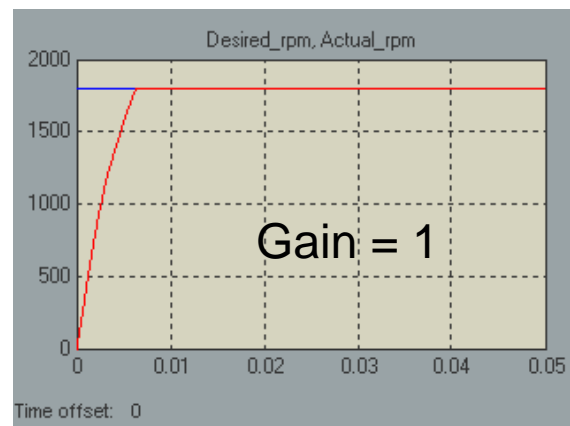
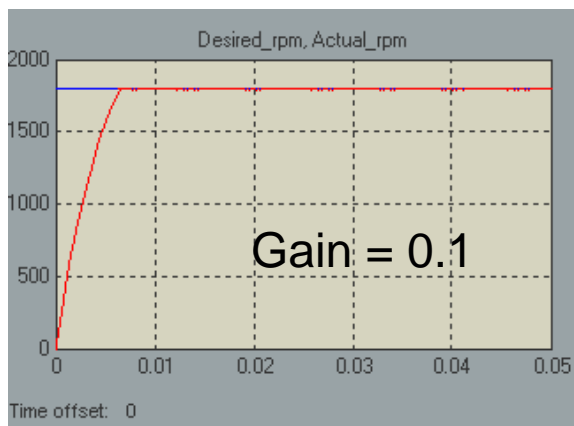
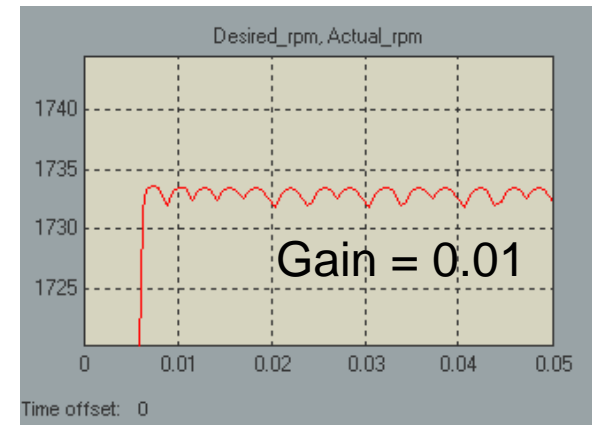
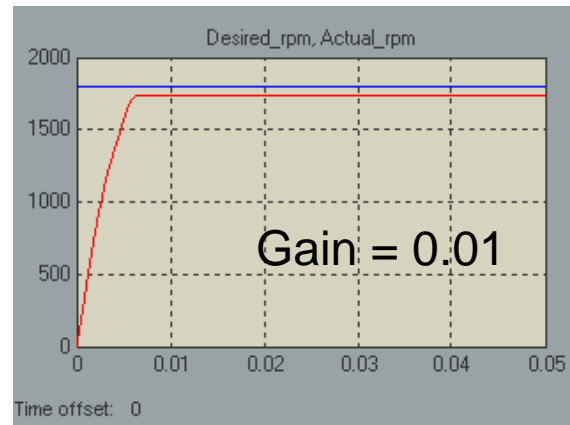
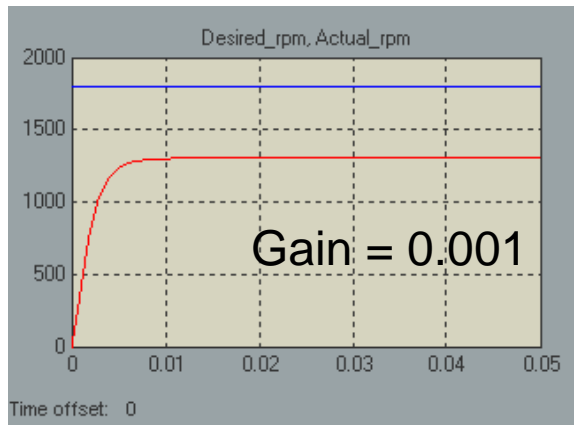
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- Develop a proportional controller



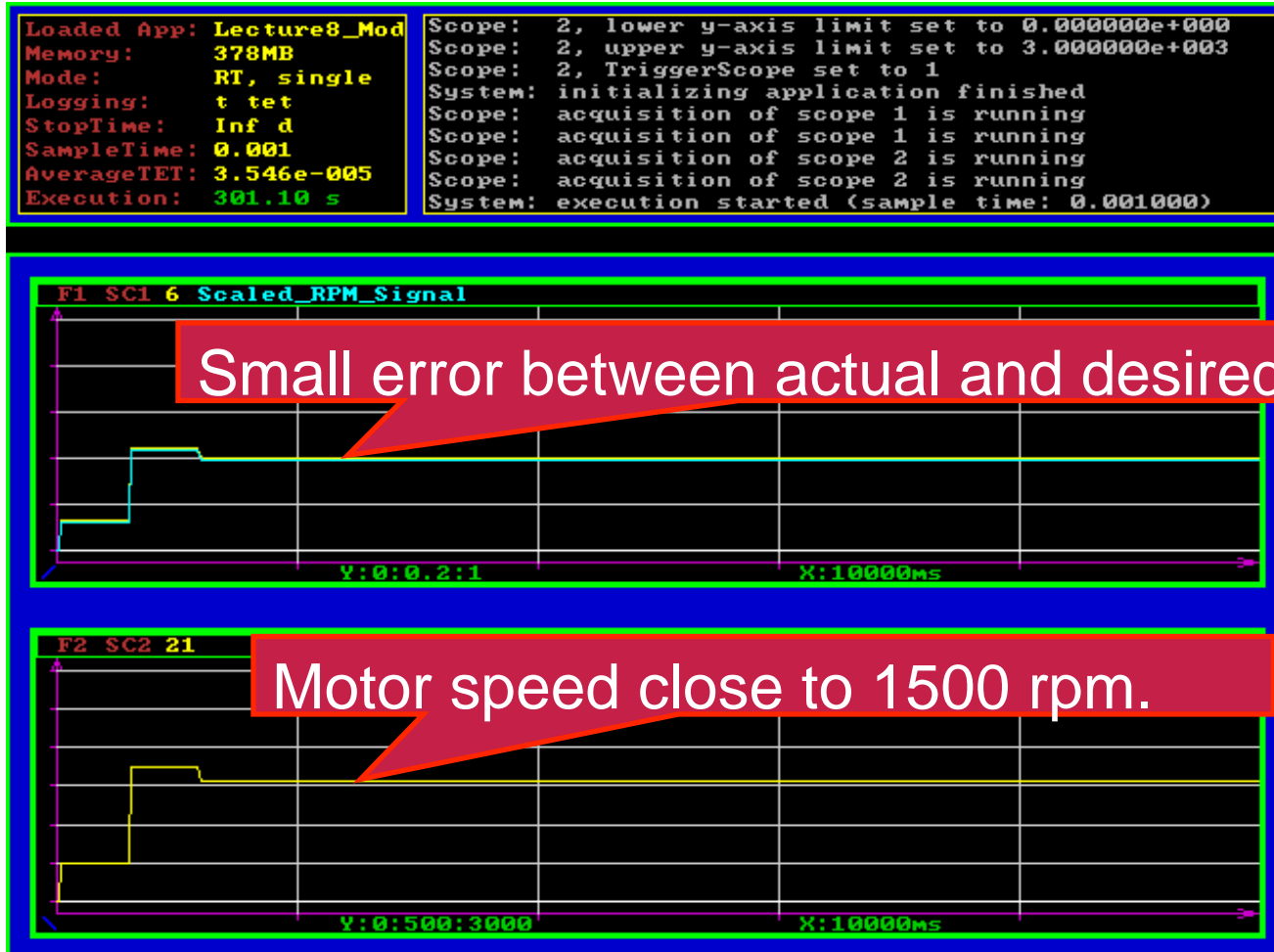
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- Investigate in software



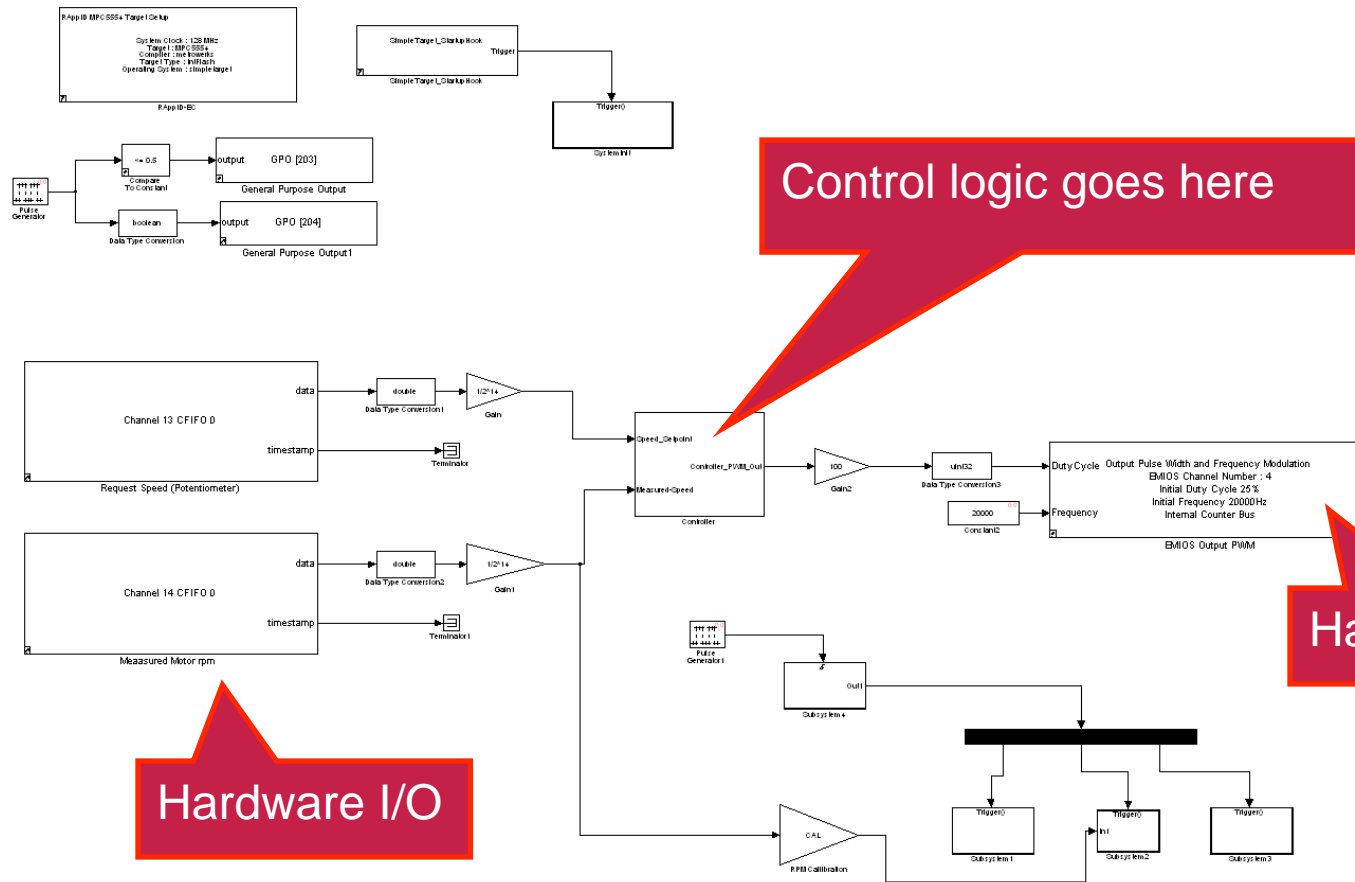
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- Real Time Target via XPC



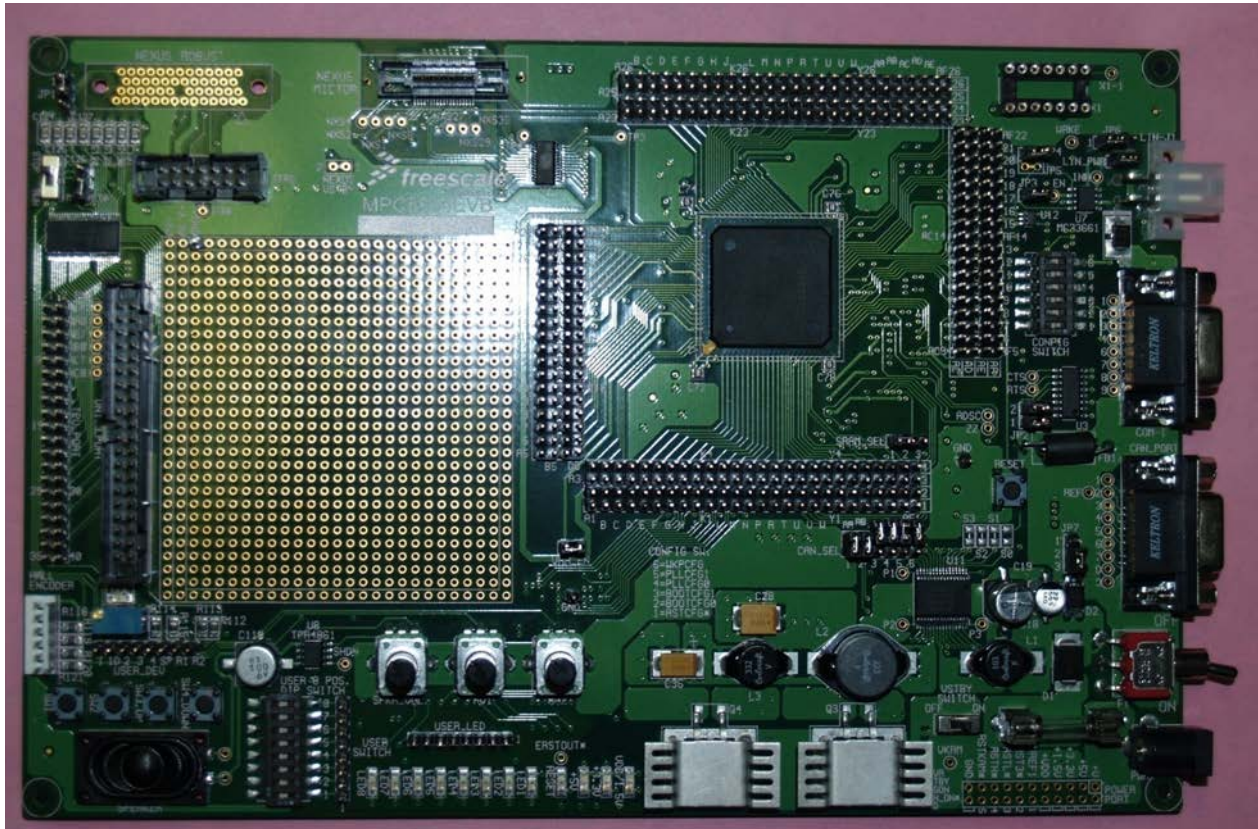
# Introductory Course

- Embed the control code in a wrapper



# Introductory Course

- Download to the MPC5554 EVB



- Auto Code Generation!



# Introductory Course

- Investigate the physical system
- Perform verification and validation
- Generate data corrected models

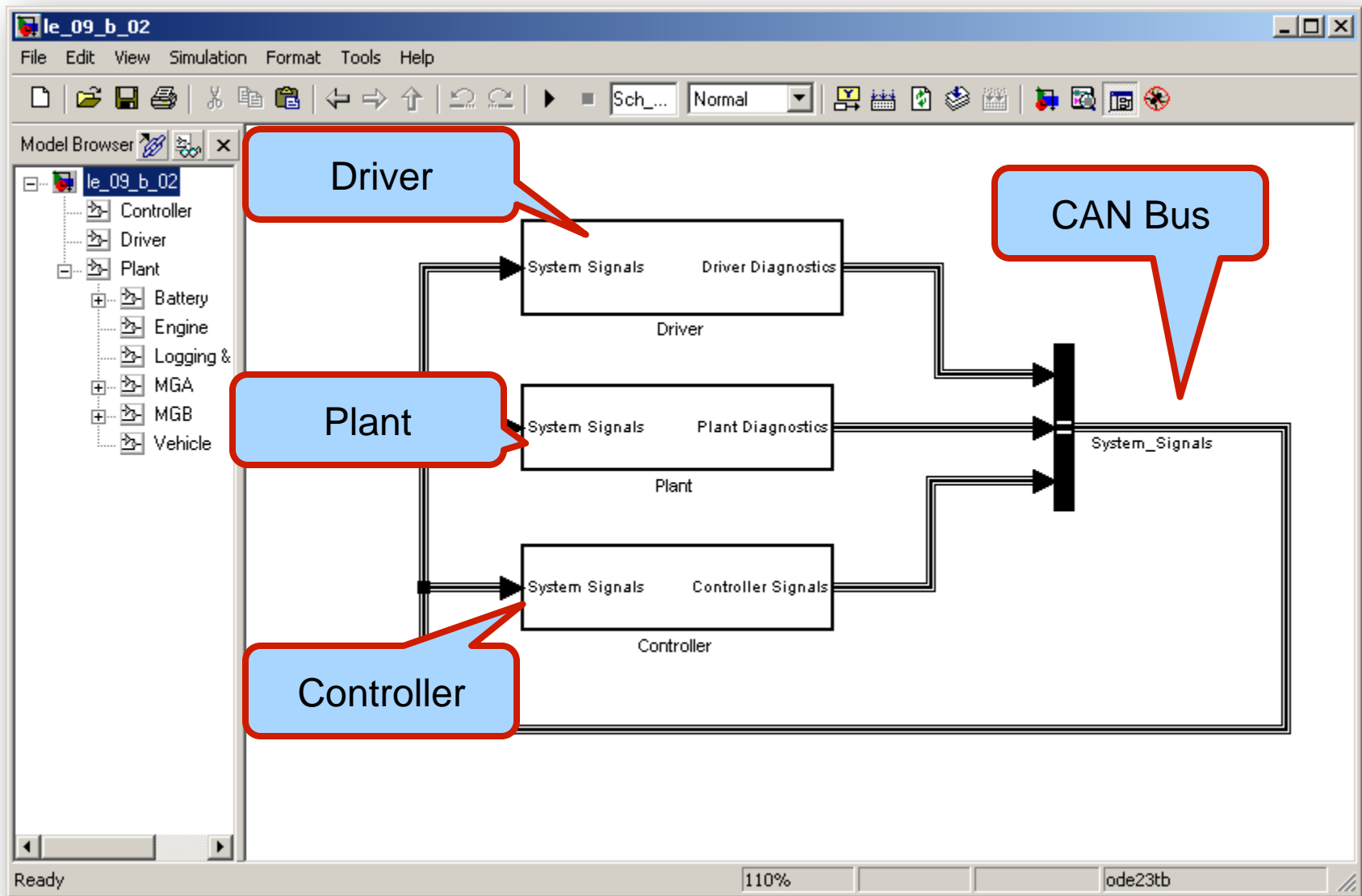
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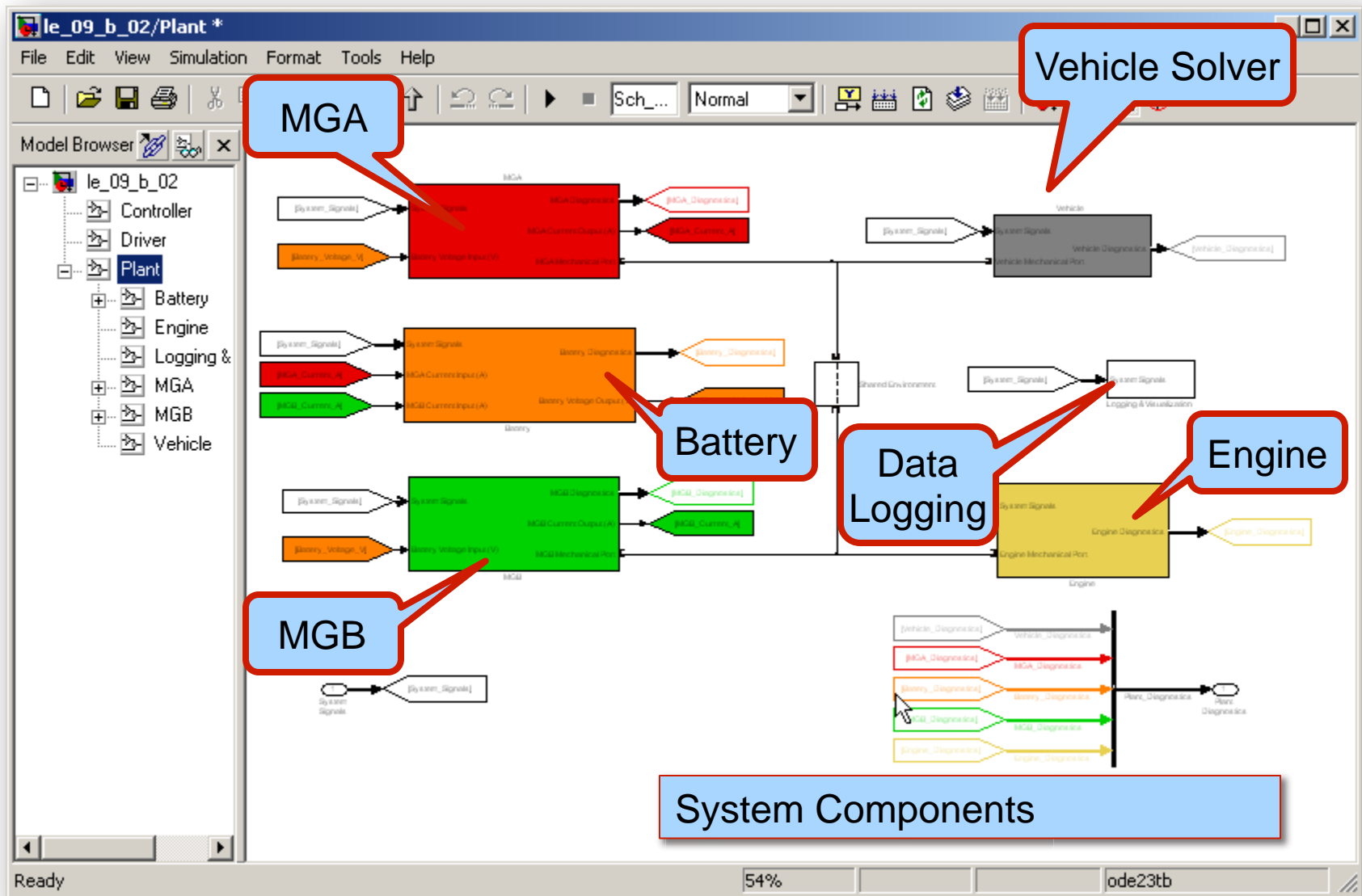
- MBSD of a Series Electric Vehicle
  - Uses a complicated system
    - Lots of components
    - Complex control strategy
  - Focuses on model development
    - Apply MBSD approach to develop medium fidelity models
    - Incrementally build the controller
  - Introduces CAN communication between controller and plant.



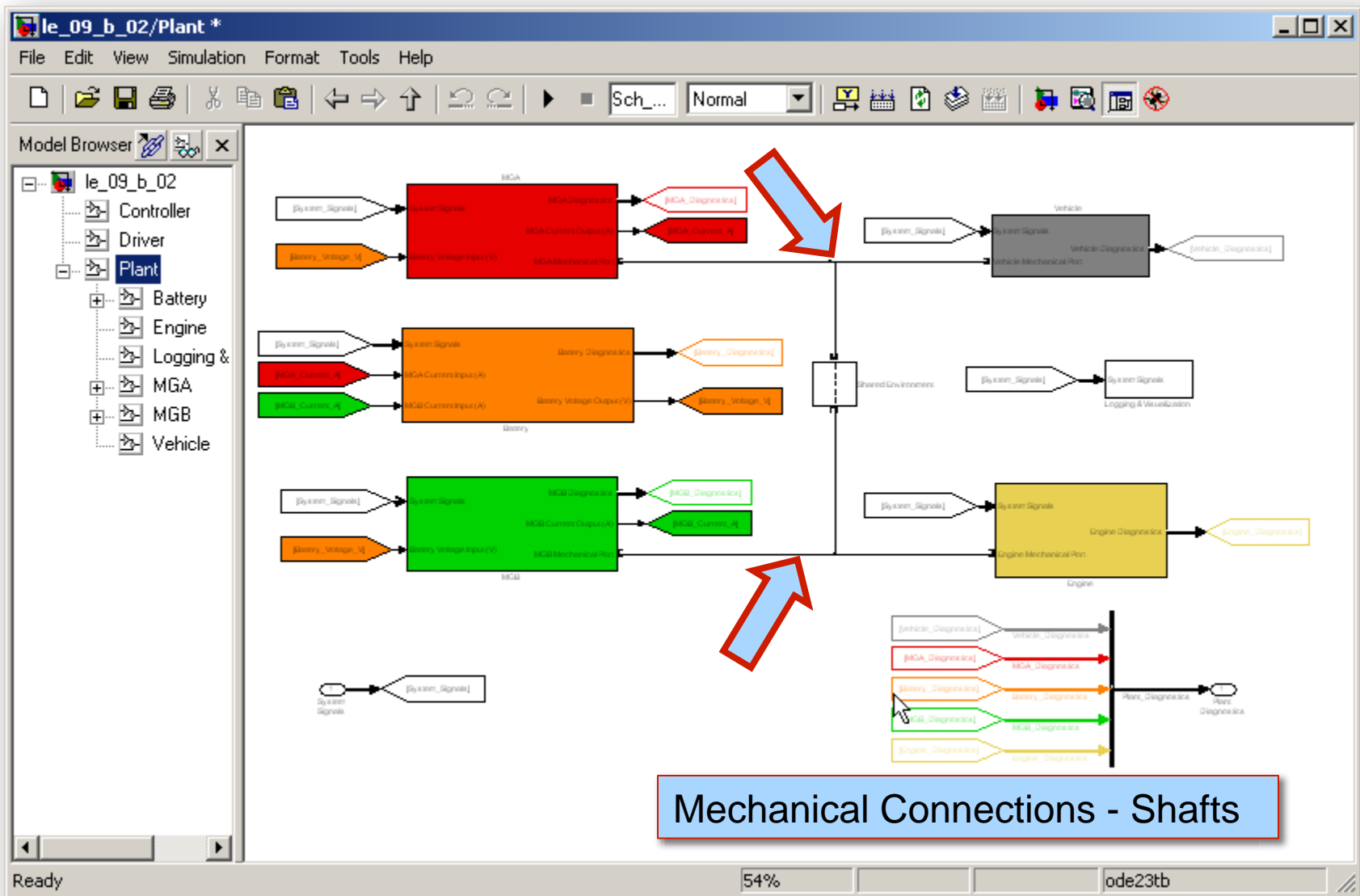
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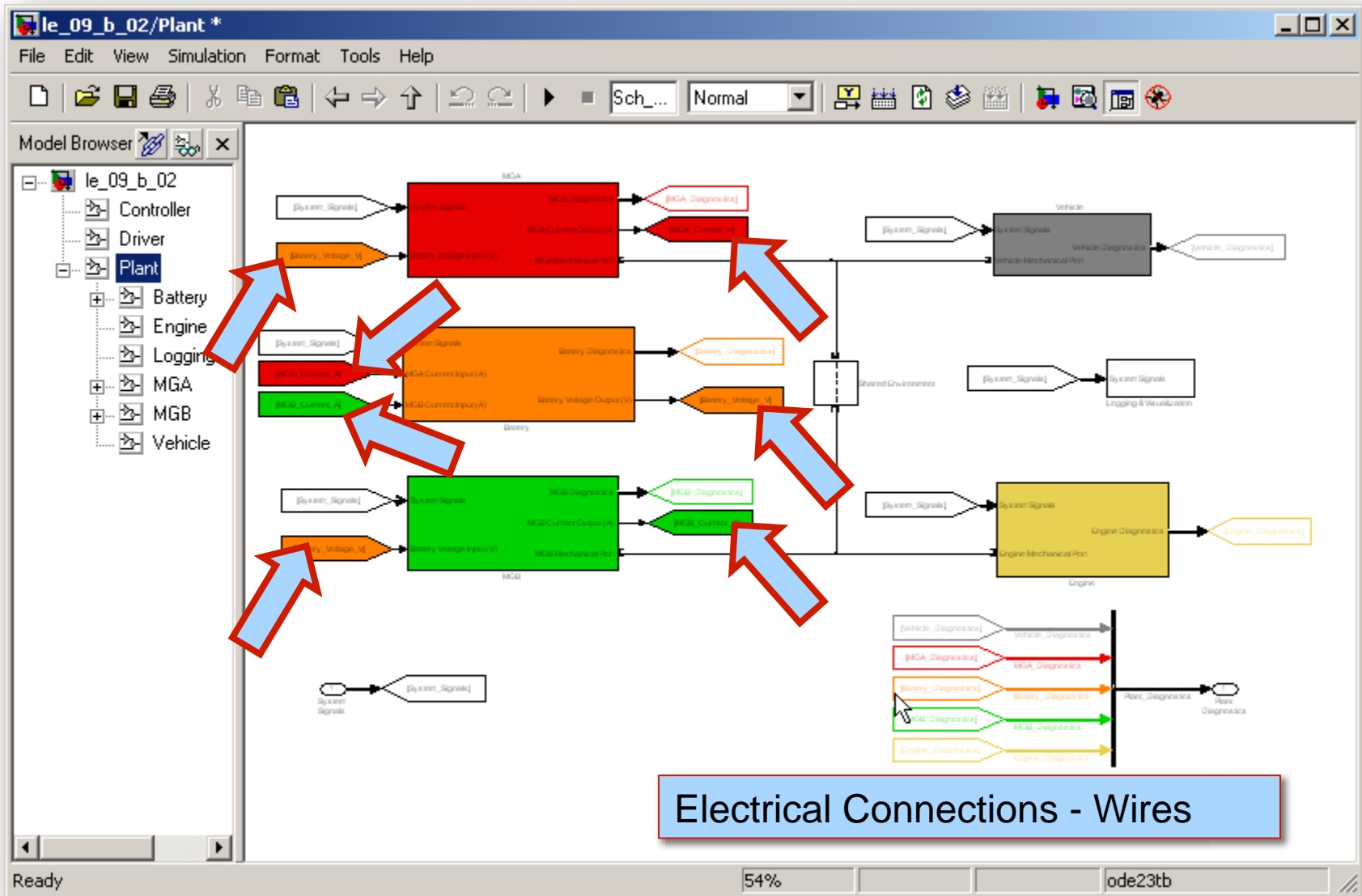


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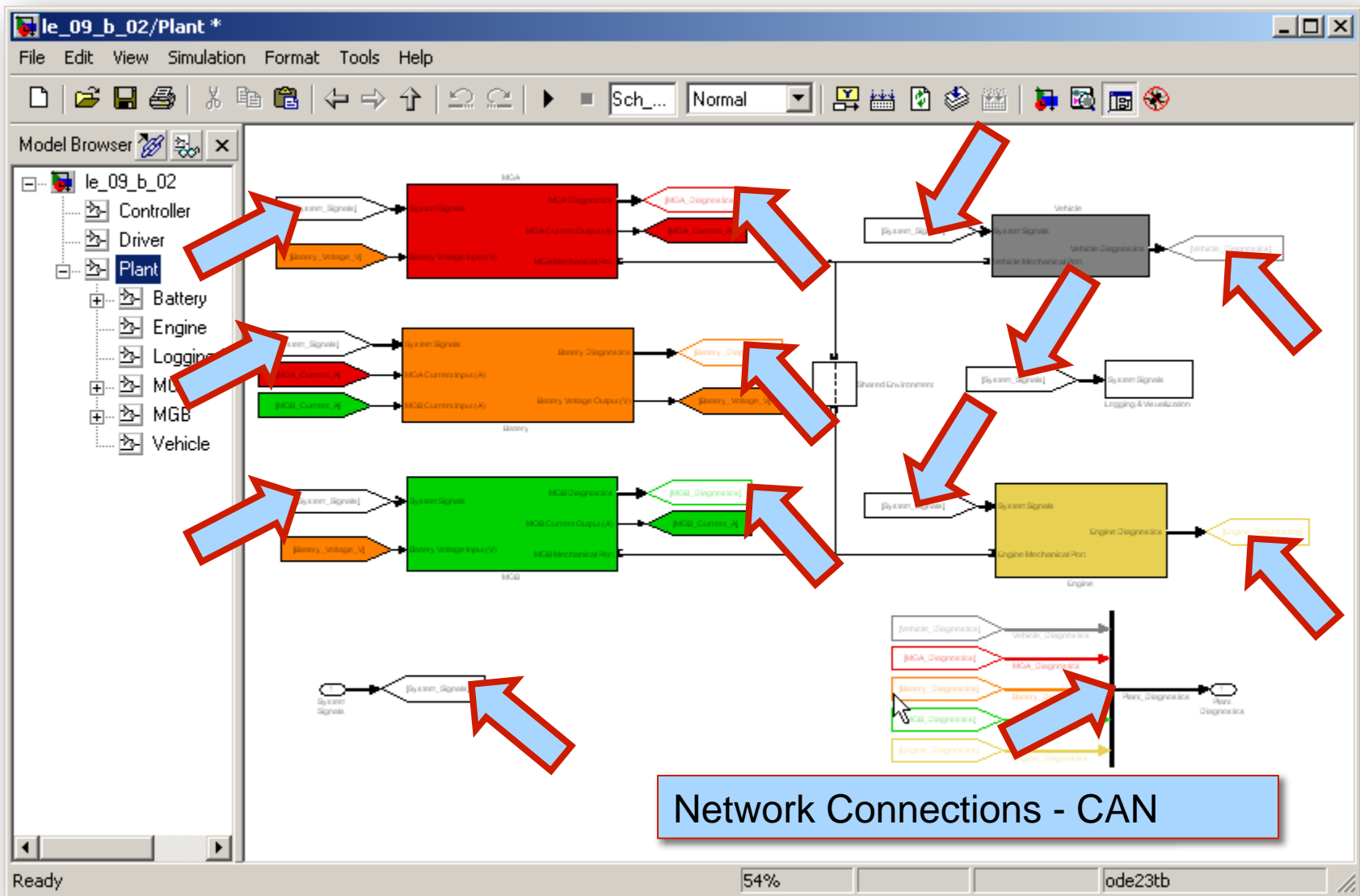


Mechanical Connections - Shafts

# Advanced Course



# Advanced Course



- Develop and refine component models
  - Constants
  - Steady state experimental data
- Develop and refine battery charging logic
  - Bang Bang controller
  - Maintain SOC between preset limits
    - Constant engine RPM (single FB loop)
    - Constant charging current (Dual FB loop)
- Implement shifting logic
  - PRD



- Woodward controller
  - Plant runs on a National Instruments target
  - Controller runs on a Woodward MotoHawk target
  - Communicate via CAN
- Students build a board with
  - “gas” pot
  - “brake” pot
  - PRD buttons
- HIL testing commences



- Development procedure used in
  - ChallengeX
  - EcoCAR
  - EcoCAR2
- Nearly all logic/CAN errors can be eliminated
- Limitations of controller are exposed
- Controller goes directly into vehicle

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# Future Plans



- Develop multiple fidelity component models
  - Engine
  - Torque convertor
  - Gearbox
  - Motor
  - Battery
  - Tire
- Utilize a systems engineering approach



# Vehicle System Modeling

- “Simple” vehicle modeling
  - Electric vehicle
  - Traditional Automobile
- “Complex” vehicle modeling
  - Series Electric Vehicle
  - Parallel Hybrid Vehicle
  - Powersplit Hybrid Vehicle



- Over various drive cycles, estimate
  - Energy consumption (WtW)
  - Emissions production (WtW)
  - Vehicle range
- Investigate control strategies to improve performance
- Compare architectures



- Traditional microcontroller courses have been heavy on C programming
- Why not leverage MBSD and autocode generation to open microcontrollers to the masses?
- 10 labs will be developed to use an industry standard microcontroller target in these simple and fun MBSD exercises



# Strategic Partners



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