



Fundamental Nature of Resilience of Engineered Systems

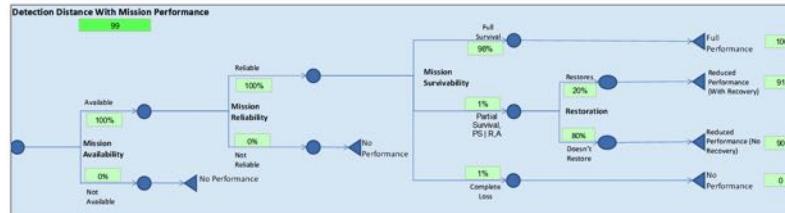
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Defining Resilience

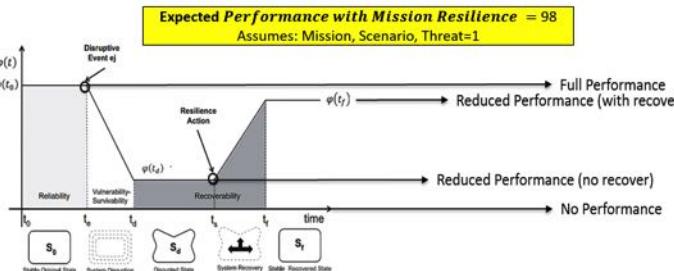
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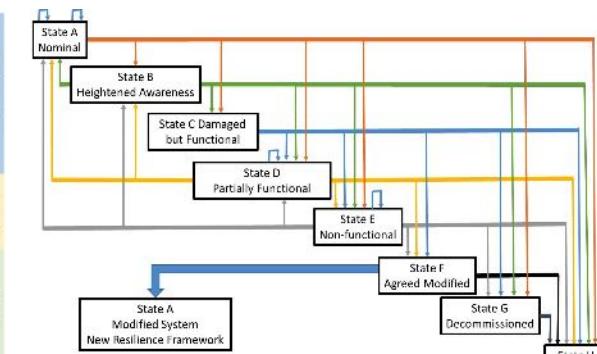
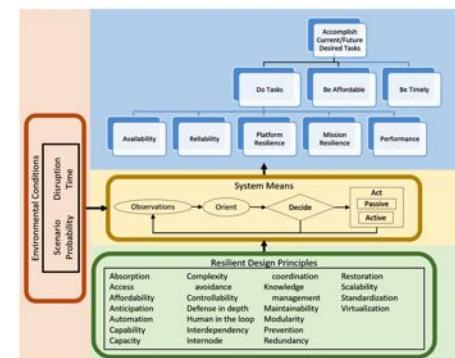
Measuring Resilience Approaches



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Engineering Resilience Frameworks



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What do we need to know?



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Why – Accidents (environment)



Why – Attacks (external)



Why – Failures (internal)

A problem has been detected and Windows has been shut down to prevent damage to your computer.

DRIVER_IRQL_NOT_LESS_OR_EQUAL

If this is the first time you've seen this Stop error screen, restart your computer. If this screen appears again, follow these steps:

Check to make sure any new hardware or software is properly installed. If this is a new installation, ask your hardware or software manufacturer for any Windows updates you might need.

If problems continue, disable or remove any newly installed hardware or software. Disable BIOS memory options such as caching or shadowing. If you need to use Safe Mode to remove or disable components, restart your computer, press F8 to select Advanced Startup Options, and then select Safe Mode.

Technical information:

*** STOP: 0x00000001 (0x0000000C, 0x00000002, 0x00000000, 0xF86B5A89)

*** gv3.sys - Address F86B5A89 base at F86B5000, DateStamp 3dd991eb

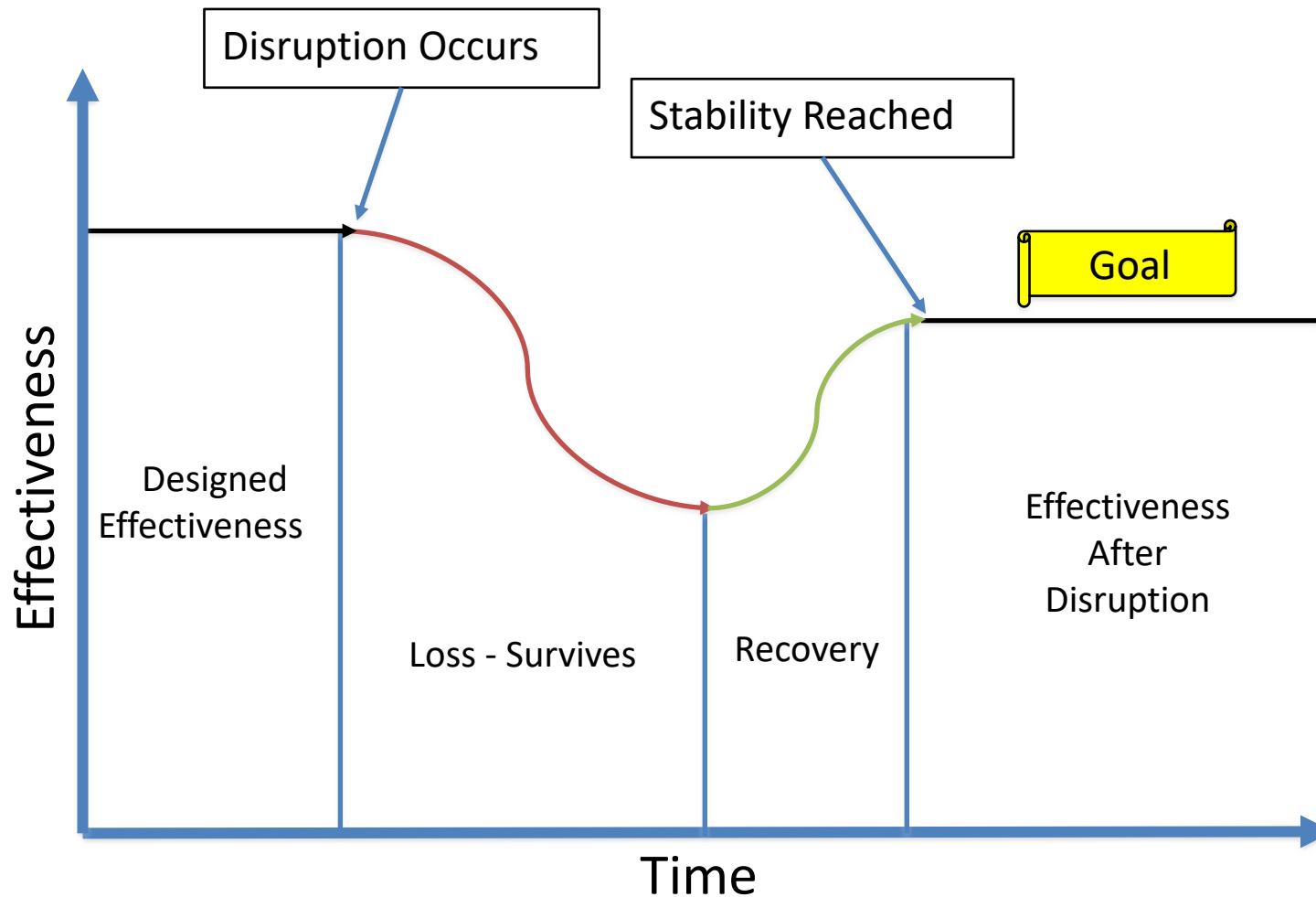
Beginning dump of physical memory

Physical memory dump complete.

Contact your system administrator or technical support group for further assistance.



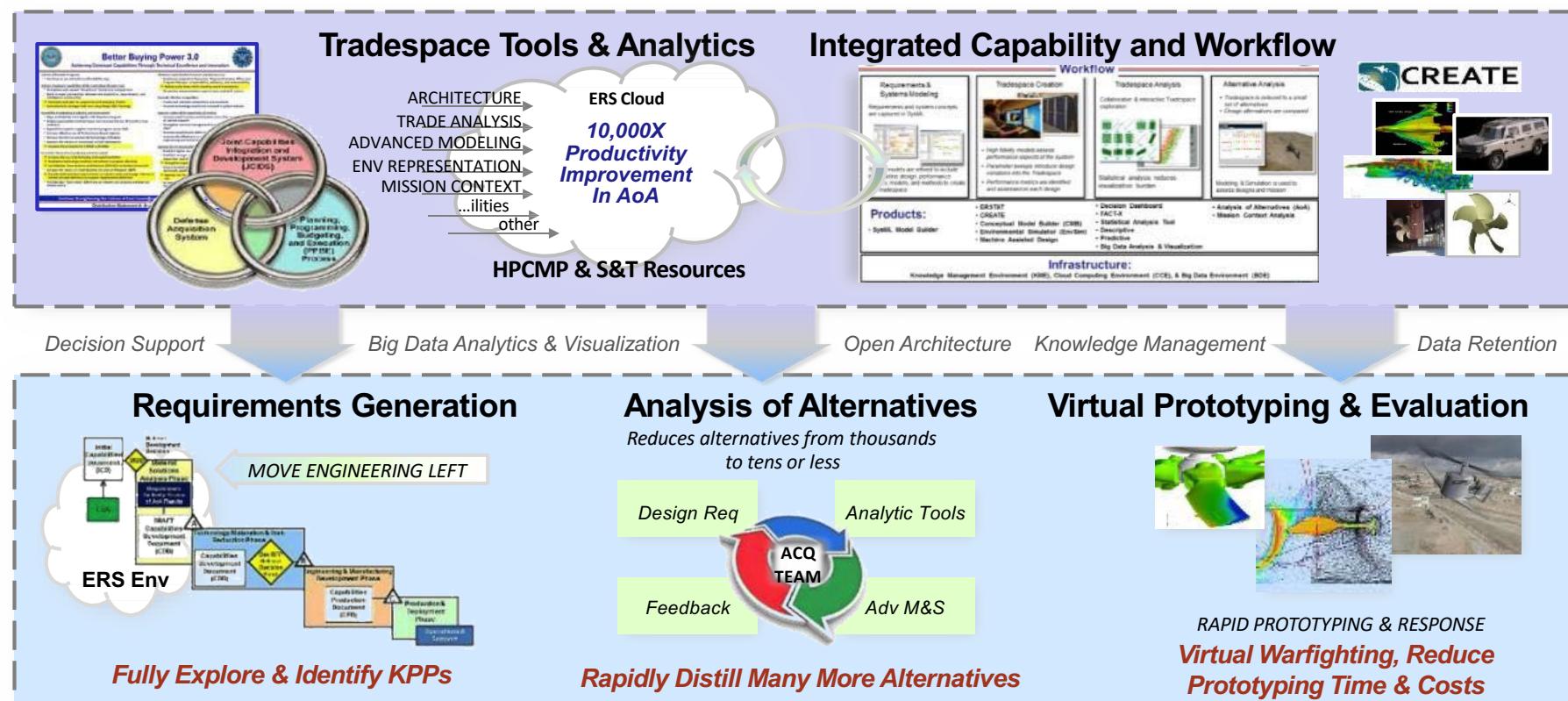
Why: System Goal



Need systems that are engineered to maintain some level of effectiveness when disruption(s) occur

Engineered Resilient Systems

ERS is a Department of Defense (DoD) program focusing on the effective and efficient design and development of resilient complex engineered systems.



Engineered System

- Engineered System - “*An open, concrete system of technical or socio-technical elements which is the focus of a SE life cycle . Its characteristics include being created by and for people, having a purpose and satisfying key stakeholders' value propositions when considered as part of a broader system context.*” [1]

Means to enable user **capability** that provides **value** to stakeholder

Capability & Value

- Capability
 - What actions and/or combinations of actions system needs to perform
 - Driven by requirements that must be verifiable
- Measure of effectiveness (MOE)
 - How well system performs its role
 - Enables capability which system is intended to provide
- Measure of performance (MOP)
 - Materiality of things that comprises the system
 - Quantities achieved in different dimensions

Proposed system design needs to be capable of providing the measures of performance which have been determined as necessary to enable the desired system effect assessed by a measure of effectiveness.

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[2] E. Specking, M. Cilli, G. Parnell, Z. Wade, C. Cottam, C. Small, and P. E., “Tech Report: Graphical Representation of Resilient Engineered Systems,” 2017.

Resilience and Ilities

Survivability

RELIABILITY



- “ilities”
 - *The developmental, operational, and support requirements a program must address (named because they typically end in “ility”—availability, maintainability, vulnerability, reliability, supportability, etc.)¹*
 - fields that contribute to the improvement of systems through the specialized analysis and design knowledge related to their particular area of concern
 - Differ from resilience in that they may utilize the same principles but have different goals
 - Provide knowledge that informs knowledge of specific aspects which contribute to resilience

Resilience is concerned with use of all available knowledge to achieve desired system response under challenge

Resilience is focused on capability

AVAILABILITY

Maintainability

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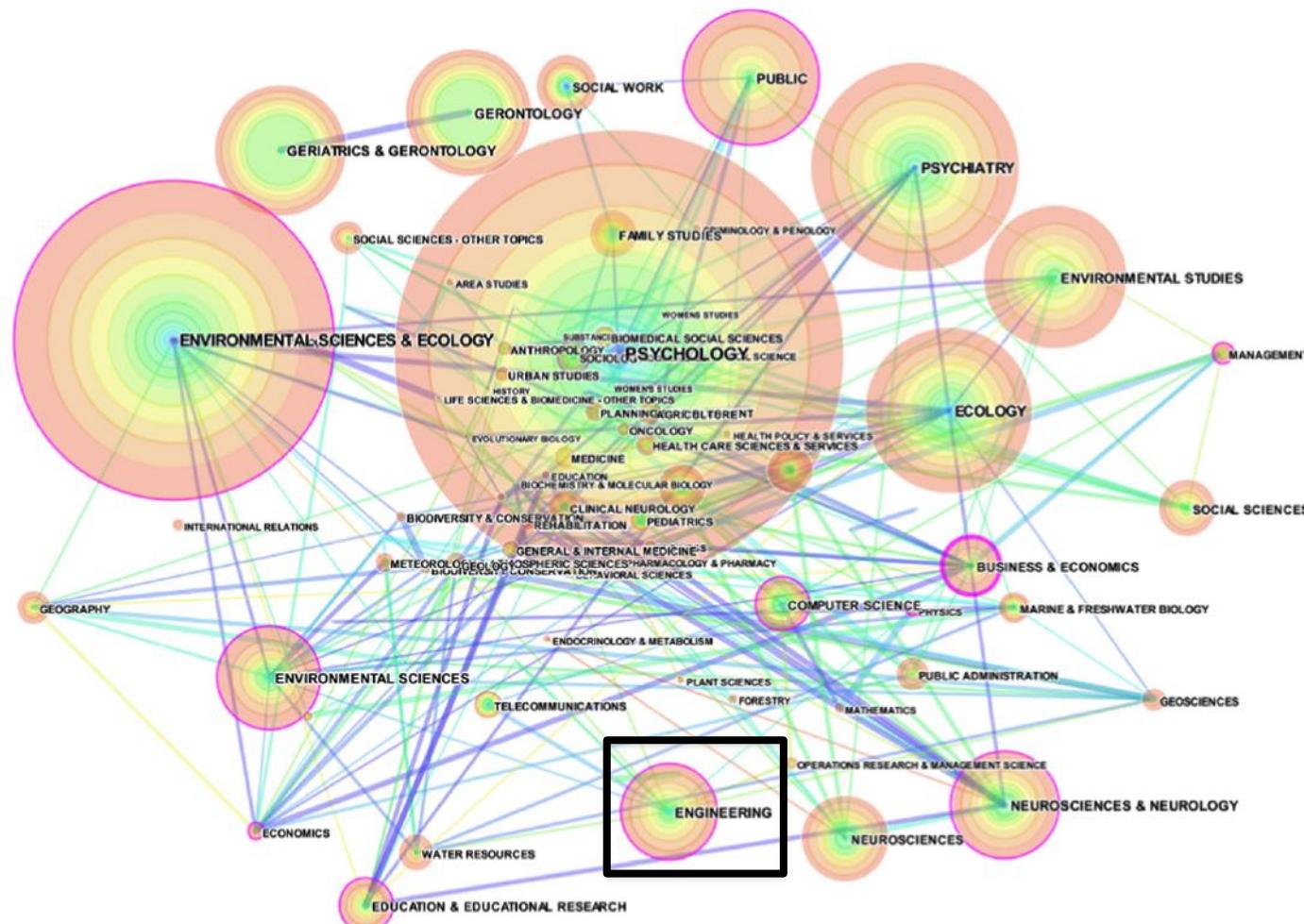
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Resilience Research



Engineering resilience is not new, but hasn't been researched as much as other fields.

Time Dimension of Resilience



After each mission the system has the potential to adapt to new threats or be modified to accommodate new functions and/or new missions.

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Decision Makers

System
Engineers

Project
Managers

Designers

System Operators



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Resilience: Design Concepts

Absorption

Absorption
Active damage suppression
Containment
Context spanning
Damage resistant design
Damage tolerant design
Degrade gracefully
Elasticity
Fault tolerance
Hardening
Limit Degradation
Localized capacity
Margin
Resistance
Security
Strength
Tolerance

Access

Component location
Physical accessibility

Affordability

Lifecycle Cost commensurate with perceived value
Within available budgetary constraints

Automation

Automated function
Automated reasoning
techniques for executing
courses of action
Autonomous reprogramming
Autonomy
Machine Intelligence

Anticipation

Agility
Anticipation
Condition monitoring
Detection
Drift correction
Fail-safe
Feedback loops
Hidden interaction avoidance
Independent Review
Threat warning

Capability

Capability
Features

Capacity

Capacity
Expandability

Complexity Avoidance

Complexity avoidance
Reduced Complexity

Controllability

Controllability
Cyber controllable components
Maneuverability
Reduce variability

Defense in Depth

Defense in depth
Layered defense

Human in the Loop

Human in control
Human in the loop
Human monitoring
Human systems integration
Neutral state

Interdependency

Cohesion
Comprehensiveness of scope
Harmonization of purposes
Holism
Interdependency
Unification

Internode Coordination

Informed operator
Intent awareness
Internode impediment
Internode Interaction
Interoperability
Knowledge between nodes

Knowledge Management

Embedded training and testing
Intellectual ability
Knowledge management

Redundancy

Component redundancy
Diversity
Functional redundancy
Heterogeneity
Physical redundancy
Redundancy
Replication

Maintainability

Expendables
Reparability

Modularity

Loose coupling
Modification
Platform reconfigurable
Modularity

Restoration

Restoration
Restructuring

Scalability

Scalability

Standardization

Architectural patterns
Component elimination
Product line architectures
Standardization

Virtualization

Cloud computing
Virtualization

Resilience Principles-Means-Ends Diagram links resilience principles to performance measures

System Means

Measures

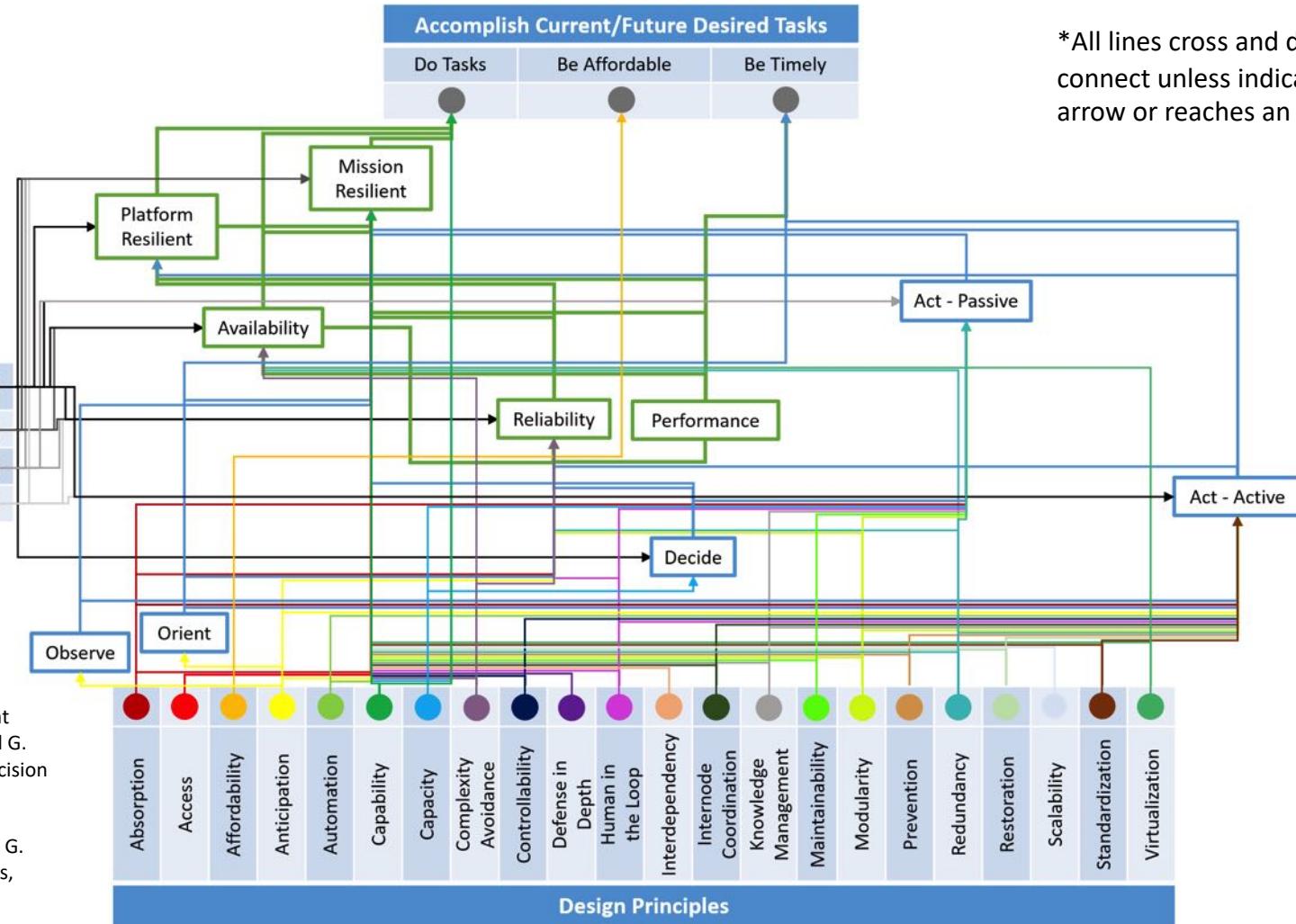
Conditions

Disruption

Probability

Scenario

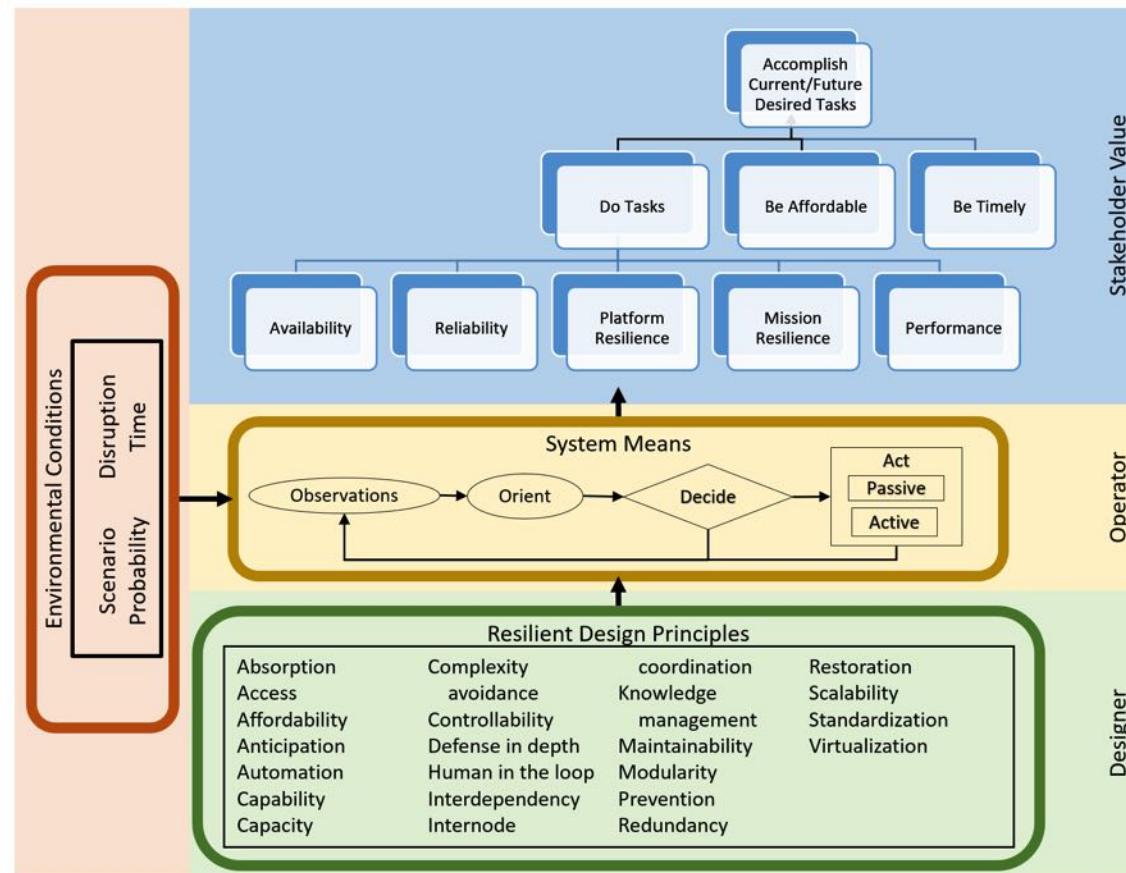
Time



Developed from Assessment Flow Diagram in M. Cilli and G. Parnell, "Understanding Decision Management," **Trade-off Analytics: Creating and Evaluating the Tradespace**, G. Parnell, Editor, Wiley & Sons, 2017

Diagram shows how complex resilience is and the confusion in literature.

Resilient Engineered System Principles-Means-Ends Diagram

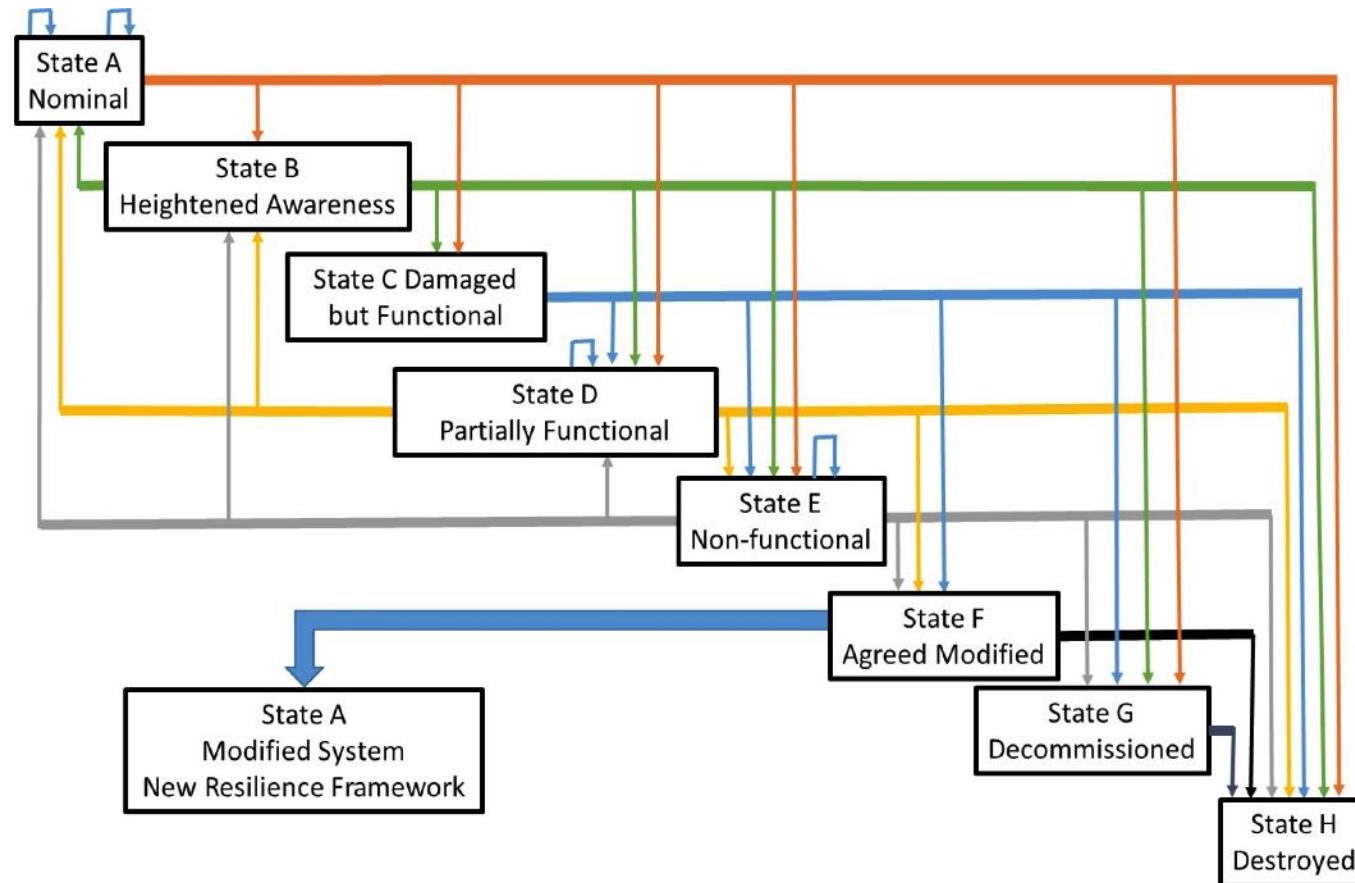


Resilience “ends” created through combination of “means” and “principles” depending upon system, mission(s), scenario(s), project time frame, and budget.

Links resilience design principles to performance measures.



State Machine Model of Resilience



Demonstrates the variety of events and event types that could happen during a mission and the life of a system.

Highlights how to respond based upon how the disruption effects the system.

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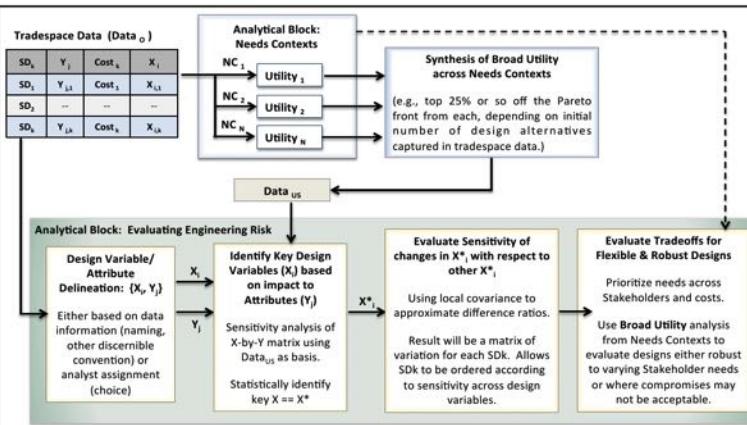
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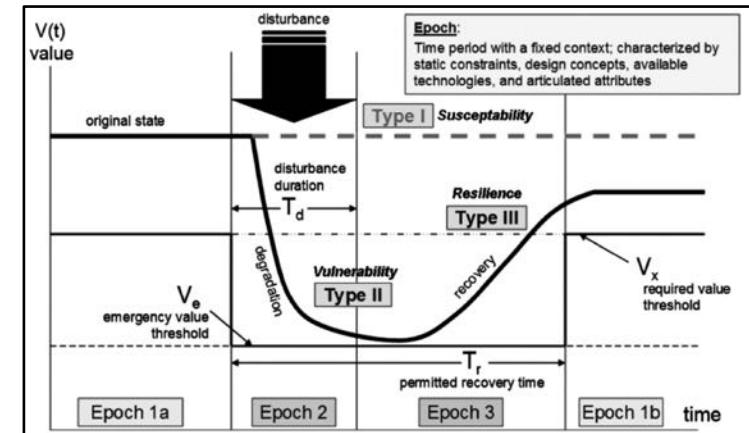
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Sitterle et al. Integrated Tradeoff Workflow^[1]

$$R = \int_{t_0}^{t_1} [100 - Q(t)] dt$$

Equation 1 Bruneau et al. Seismic Resilience^[3]



Ross et al. Survivability Illustration^[2]

Many ways, but lack of standardized method

Examples: MCDA, fuzzy logic, stochastic modeling, modeling and simulation, and optimization techniques

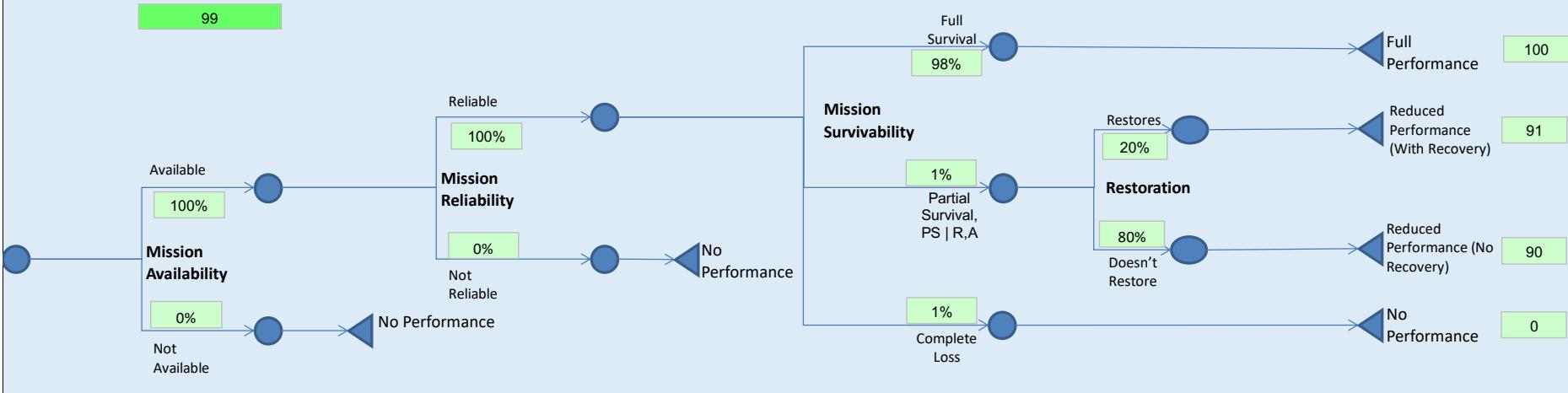
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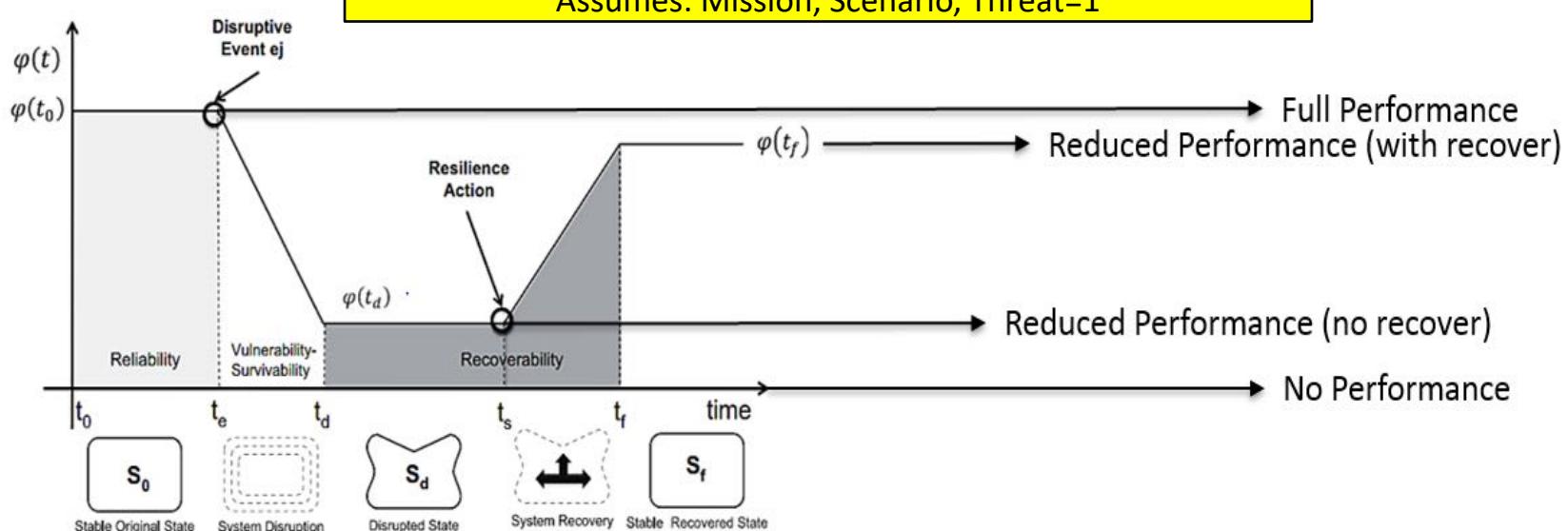
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Incorporate Resilience in all appropriate Key Performance Parameters (KPPs)

Detection Distance With Mission Performance



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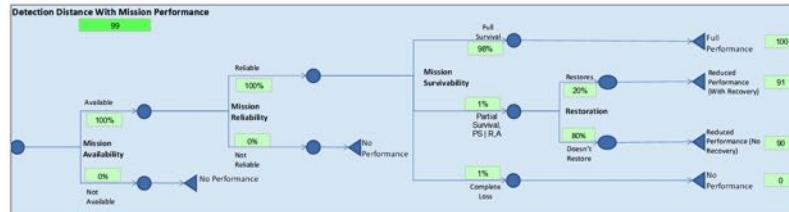
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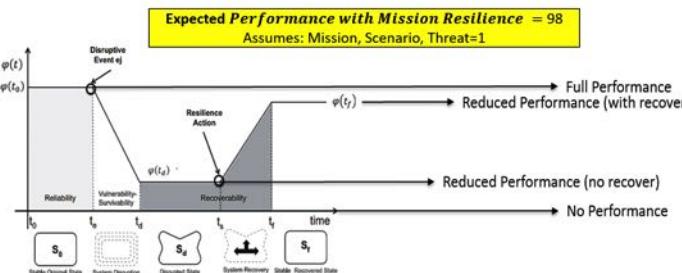
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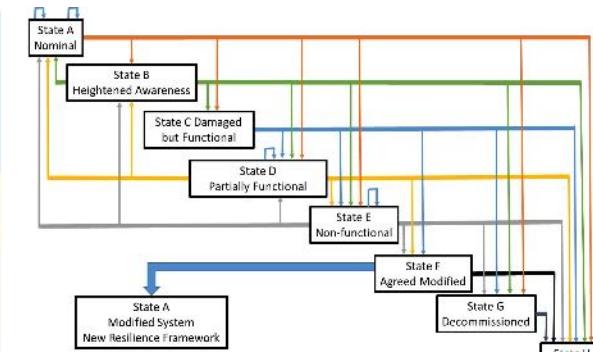
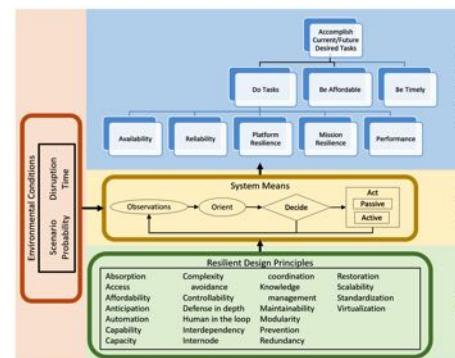
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