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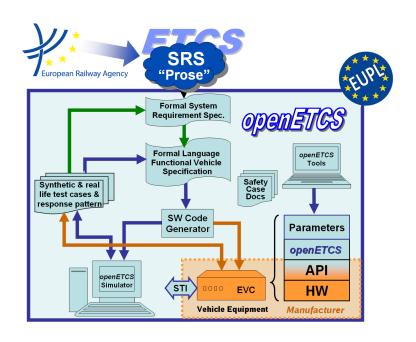
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**Abstract:** The Assessment Report describes the Assessmentresults in the frame of V&V activities in the openETCS ? project. According to the CENELEC EN50128:2011 ? standard, the assessment is a "Process of analysis to determine whether software, which may include process, documentation, system, subsystem hardware and/or software components, meets the specified requirements and to form a judgment as to whether the software is fit for its intended purpose."

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### 1 Information about the Contract

## 1.1 Customer\ Organization\ Authority

The customer of the assessment is the OpenETCS project represented by the project leader:

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#### 1.3 About the contract

The openETCS organization consists of the openETCS consortium? as being initiated by the ITEA2 labelled project?.

The Assessment is performed on the generic, vendor independent openETCS Software. Normally an Assessment for SW and SW development process is done after getting an order from a specific manufacturer\Producer, in this case the customer of the Assessment is the openETCS Consortium itself.

The Safety Integrity Level of the developed SW is SIL4 and therefore an expert assessment is to be prepared in accordance with EN 50128:2011 for SIL 4.

Frédérique Vallée (All4tec) and Norbert Schäfer (AEbt) have been tasked with the independent expert assessment of the software and of the software development process of the openETCS.

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## 2 General

## 2.1 Glossary\List of Abbreviations

ETCS European Train Control System
 ERA European Railway Agency
 EVC European Vital Computer
 FMEA Failure Mode Effect Analysis
 SIL Safety Integrity Level
 SRS System Requirement Specification

**V&V** Verification & Validation

**Table 1. Assessment Glossary** 

## 2.2 Referenced standards, guidelines and directives

• References from the openETCS template

Document	Date
EN 50128 Railway applications - Communications, signaling and	2011
processing systems - Software for railway control and protection	
systems	

**Table 2. Referenced Documents** 

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#### 3 Introduction

#### 3.1 Initial situation

The openETCS project has the goal to develop a semi-formal followed by a strictly formal OBU model realizing functionalities of the UNISIG SRS-SUBSET-026, baseline 3, required for running on the ETCS level 2 of the Utrecht-Amsterdam track. The purpose of this formal model is to increase and spread consistent understanding of the subset, where it can be used as an artifact for testing, analyzing, verification and validation and also for further development purposes by industrial actors. This shall be achieved within a framework that is based on an open source concept. The ETCS On Board Unit EVC software model depicted in Figure 1 will be the focus of the software assessment according to the EN 50128:2011.

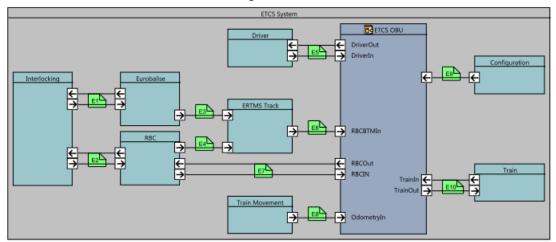


Figure 1: Top level architecture view of the ETCS OBU

#### 3.2 Scope of the assessment

The scope of the assessment will cover three main categories of the openETCS software development. These are:

- Project and Software Quality assurance
- Verification & Validation and
- Safety

### 3.3 Contents of the assessment and issues of concern

The purpose of this assessment is to answer the following questions relating to software development:

- 1. What measures have been taken to satisfy EN 50128?
- 2. Are the measures taken for satisfying EN 50128 SIL 4 sufficient?
- 3. Does the agile development methodology applied in this project affect these measures taken for satisfying EN 50128?

### 3.4 Assessment conditions and exceptions

It should be noted:

- The ETCS OBU software model has been developed with the closed source SCADE Suite of the company ESTEREL Technology and the code generated is SIL4 certified. Hence only the deliverables of the openETCS Tool chain will have the scope of the assessment.
- HW-Integration is out of the scope of the assessment

#### 3.5 Documents for the software life cycle and software creation

The following documents, which describe the software creation process, have been made available to the expert assessors.

Figure 1. Mapping of openETCS Documents to the CENELEC Lifecycle