

World Class Innovation, Research and Education in Sweden

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Outline

• Trends and Challenges

- Swedsoft's Mission
- The Future



More Software

- Larger software systems in end-products as well as in the development environment
- Hardware becomes software
- Products become services
- Affects all industries traditional industries such as automotive becomes "IT-companies"



Growth of embedded software: approx. 10 times in 7 years C. Ebert; C. Jones (2009)



Need for New Competences

Number of employees in software and systems engineering +47% during 2005-2012



Increased unemployment AND Shortage of labor force



*) European Commission survey: "main factor limiting production is shortage of labour force" as a proxy of the vacancyratio.

Source: European Commission

Source: SCB and Stockholm Chamber of Commerce

Increased System Complexity







System of services Cloud

Internet-of-Things and People Across domains

Embedded Systems Cyber-Physical Systems

Computer Program

Hardware Components

Need to consider the design chain from chip to cloud in order to "prove" certain system characteristics such as:

- Resilience
- Efficiency and performance
- Safety and Security





More Complex Organizations



- Cross-functional Team
- Multiple aspects/concerns
- Dynamic structures

- Distributed Teams
- Multiple Cultures

Interconnected Smart Systems

Characteristics of future products

	57%	Intelligence
	57%	Networking
38% Increased function	'n	
30% User-friendliness		
27% Automation		
27% Efficiency		
17% Complexity		
13% Multidisciplinarity		
13% High modularisation		
12% High reliability		
10% High flexibility		
9% Hybrid service packages		
7% Miniaturisation		
7% High standardisation		

Functions

- Artificial Intelligence
- Adaptive / Learning systems
- Handling Big Data

Co-operation

- Man-Machine
- Machine-machine

Mentions/Number of respondents

"Systems Engineering in Industrial Practice" (Paderborn, 2015) Heinz Nixdorf Institute, University of Paderborn, Fraunhofer Institute for Production Technology IPT, UNITY AG

A More Dynamic World

- More companies act globally
 - New players in all industries
 - New threats and opportunities
- Need for faster and more agile companies
 - Continuous renewal
 - Exploit changes instead of handling them
 - Learn from customers and users
 - Embrace innovation as part of everyday life



Rate of change among the 1000 largest American companies, ranked by revenues.

Competitive AND Attractive

Need for **competiveness** in all aspects:

- **Design** Aesthetics, User Experience
- **Quality** Usability, Performance, Reliability,...
- **Speed** Lead time, Time-to-market
- Cost Affordability, Life-cycle Cost

This drives the need for collaboration and thus to be **attractive** for partnership (win-win).

QUALITY



Joseph Juran, 1904-2008

The characteristics of a product or service that bear on its ability to satisfy stated or implied needs; A product or service free of deficiencies.

ASQ, American Society for Quality



WHY IS QUALITY IMPORTANT?

Human safety

• Risk for injuries or death either due to failures

Security

- The protection of personnel and assets from threats.
- Threats are the potential for abuse of protected data, communication channels or devices

Mission Reliability

• Probability of function or mission success

Example of other consequences of poor quality

- Environment Unintended pollution
- Economical Bank services, stock market failures
- Legal Failure leading to breaking export control laws
- Trust Failures leading to mistrust and a weaker brand



The Real Cost of Software Errors (IEEE Security & Privacy Magazine 7.2 (2009): 87–90)

QUALITY ASSURANCE





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Mission Statement

- **Swedsoft** works to strengthen Sweden as an internationally recognized *research* and *innovation* centre regarding software intensive systems and thus contribute to national growth and welfare.
- Made in Sweden Swedish-developed software shall, in the international competition be considered as innovative, of high quality and cost efficient.



Scope / Focus Areas

- Software Systems Engineering
- Computer Science / Software Technology
- Leadership and Organization



Swedsoft Promotes Systems Thinking in Software Development



Swedsoft Promotes Innovation in all Aspects

Product New features, new architectures, e.g. cloud technology

Process New processes and methods, e.g. agile methods

Business Business model innovation, e.g. software as a service, open source

Organization New organizational models, e.g. innovation eco systems

Swedsoft influences Research Strategies and Research Calls



Goals

- Innovations and Swedish industrial competitiveness
 is world class
- Swedish research in Software is highly ranked, quoted and used
- Swedish education in software, from primary to higher university education, and support for lifelong learning, is an international role model

Values

Swedsoft's values, **Bold**, **Inspiring**, **Trustworthy**, mean that:

- We are open to collaborations and to new ideas
- We are actively engaged in Swedsoft's activities
- We deliver results







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The Future – Software Systems

- Design for Safety, Security and Resilience
- Model-based Systems Engineering better than hand coding
- Correct by design and Formal Verification
- Verification of self learning and adaptive (smart) systems
- Automation (Design, Test, Production) in Software Development
- Efficiency and high quality at the same time
- Design, Acquisition and Use of large software systems in the public domain

The Future – Swedsoft

- Continue to contribute to better education (Trippel Helix etc)
- Continue to contribute to integration of immigrants (UDI)
- Initiate project to provide facts and figures about software in Sweden
- Contribute to thriving research and industry clusters in all regions of Sweden (South, West, East, Mid and North)
- Lobbying for Life Long learning and Swedish Research
- Continue with networking activities
- Recruit and involve more members



We need more people to be active in Swedsoft

- Initiate a new projects
- Get engaged in a current projects
- Be a part of the STEW working group
- Host and arrange a Swedsoft event
- Be a promoter of Swedsoft's mission

... or is there something else you want to do?

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