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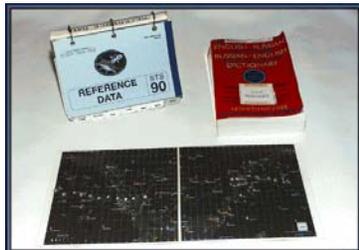
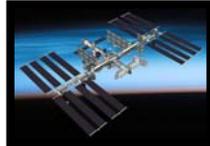
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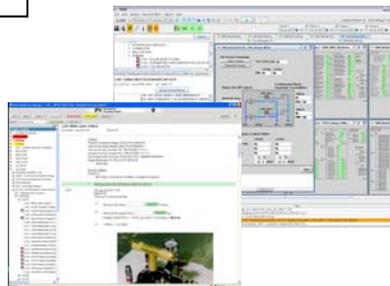
Evolution of Procedures



Apollo & Space Shuttle—Paper

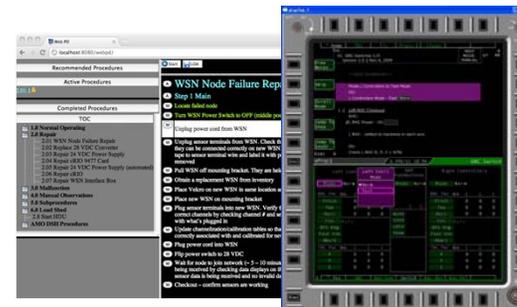


Early ISS—PDF



Current ISS—IPV/XML

- No Automation or Computer Oversight



Orion; Enhanced XML (PRL)

- Computer Oversight
- Automation

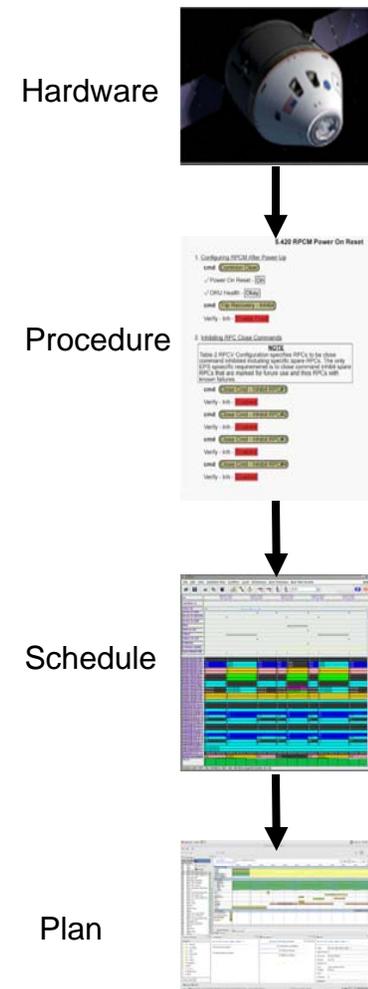


Deep Space Exploration- AR-eProc;

- PRL Extension
- Machine Vision and Marker-less Registration



- Mission Operations: Overview
 - Crew operate equipment using *procedures*
 - Mission Control staff operate equipment remotely using *procedures*
 - Mission Control staff maintain operations *schedules and plans*
 - Staffing, equipment configuration and manifests also require scheduling and planning





- Procedures contain knowledge about how to operate systems to achieve mission goals
- Procedures are the approved means by which a user operates a system
- Users of procedures include crew, flight controllers, instructors, mission designers, payload community, etc.

5.420 RPCM POWER ON RESET

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1. CONFIGURING RPCM AFTER POWER-UP

Reference Table 1 for Element RPCM Architecture

Record Element and RPCM from Table 1

Element = _____

RPCM [X] = _____

PCS

Element: EPS

Element: EPS

sel RPCM [X] where [X] is selected from Table 1

RPCM X

sel Firmware

'Clear Cmds'

cmd Common Clear

vPower On Reset – blank

vORU Health – OK

RPCM X

sel Input Undervoltage

cmd Trip Recovery – Inhibit Arm

cmd Trip Recovery – Inhibit (Verify – Inh)

2. INHIBITING RPC CLOSE COMMANDS

NOTE

Table 2 RPC Configuration specifies RPCs to be close command inhibited including specific spare RPCs. The only EPS specific requirement is to close command inhibit spare RPCs that are marked for future use and those RPCs with known failures.

Refer to Table 2 for RPC Configuration.

Record RPCs which require Close Inhibits from Table 2.

RPCM [X] = _____

Close – Inhibit RPC [Y] = _____

Element: EPS

Element: EPS



- Need support for automating procedure execution
 - Commands and telemetry
 - Safety conditions/context
 - Explicit control structures
- Don't want to lose human readability
 - Capturing “look-and-feel” of current procedures
 - Presentation of procedure content in a human-friendly way
- Improve quality of execution
 - Improved ease of use
 - Reduction of human error
 - Improved situational awareness
- Interleave human actions with spacecraft scripts
- Use Procedure Representation Language
 - Capture and formalized the above stated requirements
 - Started from NASA ODF standards and construct support automation

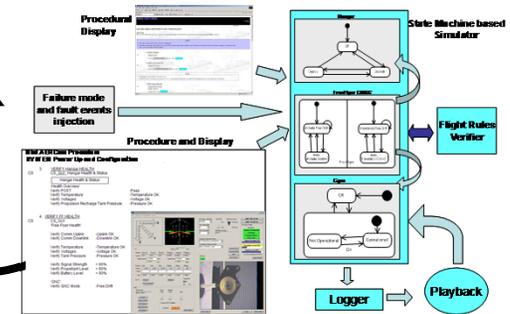
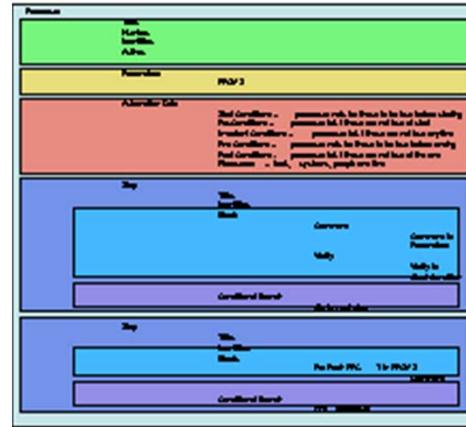


Uses of PRL

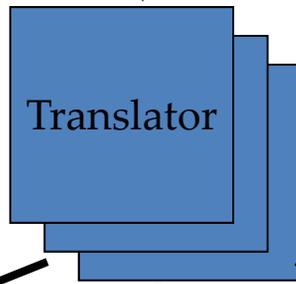
Procedure Representation Language (PRL) file



Procedure Authoring Tool (PAT)



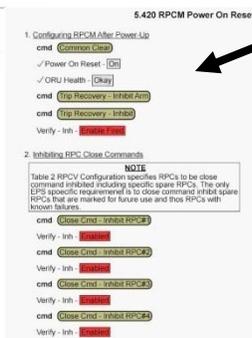
Procedure Verification Tools



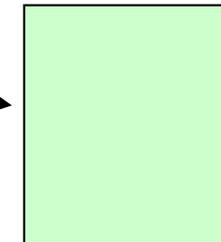
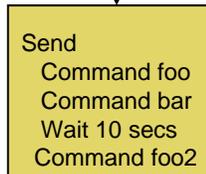
Paper Procedure



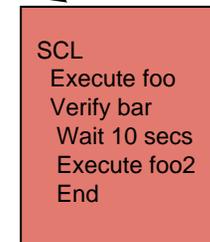
Procedure Displays



Ground Control Tools (e.g., Thin Layer)



Orion eProc (RPL XML)

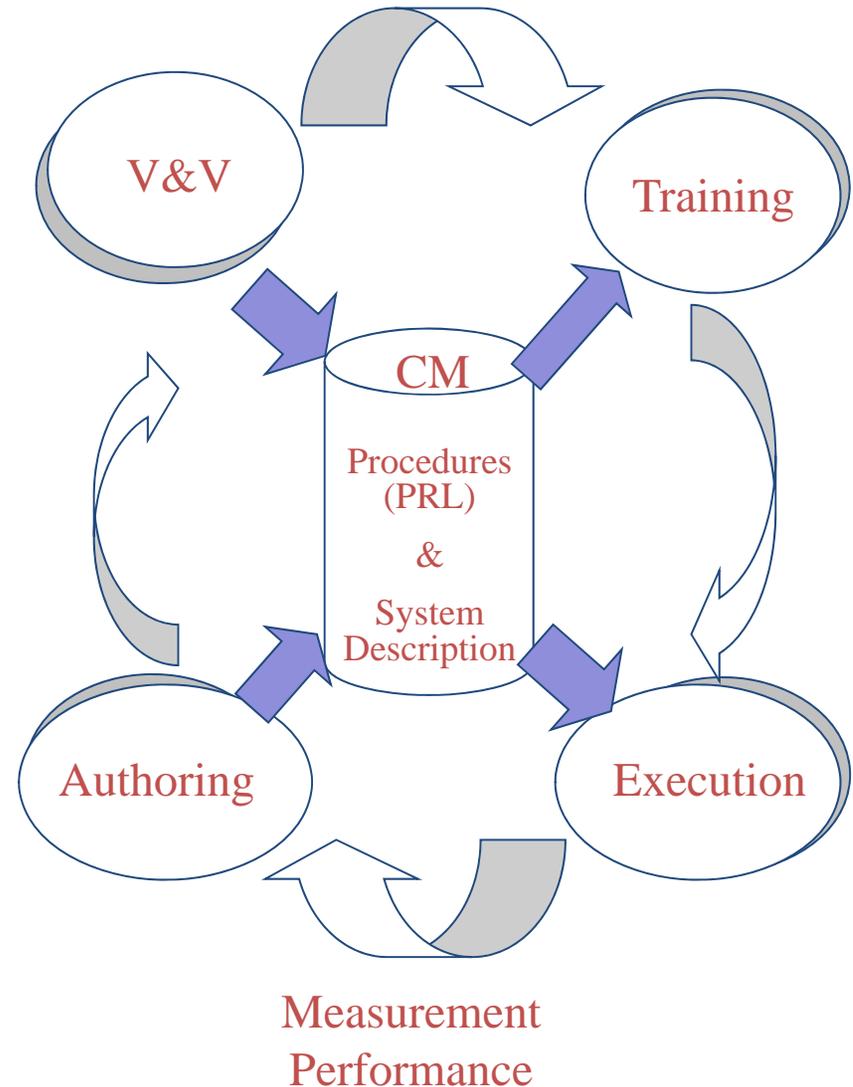


Automated Scripts (e.g., SCL)



Procedure Lifecycle Development

- **Procedure Authoring Tool (PAT)**
 - Procedure authors currently use IPV (Licensed software & not easy to use)
 - Need an easy-to-use authoring environment
 - Need an easy method to add telemetry & commands
- **Procedure verification & validation (PV)**
 - Procedure verifiers are human intensive
 - Need for desktop verification tools to catch simple mistakes
- **Procedure Library Admin. (PLA)**
 - Configuration control works reasonably well today
 - Need to be integrated with Procedure Repository and Procedure approval system
- **Procedure Viewer/Executor (PVE)**
 - Integration with crew time and Caution & Warning system
 - Need to view/execute/track anywhere and any configuration (stationary, mobile, hand-free. Etc.)
- **Procedure training**
 - Integration with Workflow CR and procedure verification and validation
 - Measure and track performance





- Procedure language describes how to operate any system. They do not describe the system itself
- System representation needs to define
 - Telemetry
 - Commands and command parameters
 - System hierarchy and classes
 - e.g., commanding the Orion Display Pages
- Must be available during procedure editing, validation and execution
- We selected XML Telemetry & Command Exchange (XTCE) -- an industry and NASA standard



Procedure Authoring Tool

The screenshot displays the PrIDE software interface. The main window is titled '2.3 Turn on Lighting' and shows an objective and a list of instructions. The 'Objective' section contains the text 'Add Lists Here.' Below it, under '1. Lighting 1', there are four instructions, each with a checkbox and a light icon:

- [RIU1] LIGHTING_LIGHT1_ACTUATOR equal LIGHT_OFF_STATE
- Light 1 - On
- [RIU1] LIGHTING_LIGHT1_ACTUATOR equal LIGHT_ON_STATE
- [RIU1] LIGHTING_LIGHT2_ACTUATOR equal LIGHT_OFF_STATE
- Light 2 - On
- [RIU1] LIGHTING_LIGHT2_ACTUATOR equal LIGHT_ON_STATE

The 'Properties' window at the bottom shows the following table:

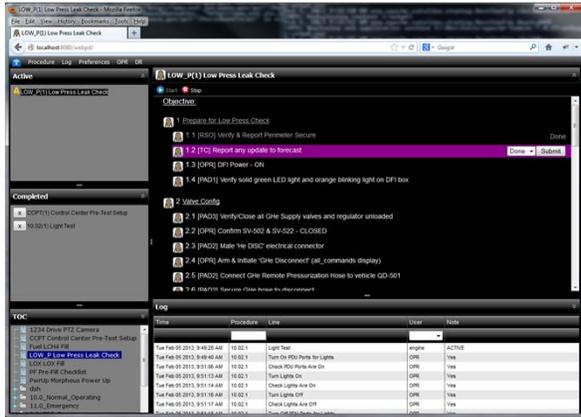
Property	Value
1. Required	
Command Id	\$system_id(CORE.LIGHTING.RIU1.LIGHT.11)
Parameter List	...
[0] arg1	LIGHT1
[1] arg2	ON
2. Optional/Recommended	
Comment	
Extra Space Above	false
3. Left Margin Entries	
Crew Members (label)	
Duration (label)	
Location (label)	
4. Advanced	

The 'System Representation Loader' window on the right shows a tree view of system components:

- HDU
 - AIRLOCK
 - COMMS
 - ECLSS
 - HUMFAC
 - TCS
 - CORE
 - AVIONICS
 - CTRL1
 - CTRL2
 - RIU1
 - RIU2
 - RIU3
 - RIU4
 - COMMS
 - CRIO
 - ECLSS
 - FOOD
 - GEOLAB
 - HUMFAC
 - LIGHTING
 - MEDOPS
 - POWER
 - TCS
 - STRUCT
 - HYGIENE
 - XHAB
 - DSH
 - EXTERN



Procedure Viewer & Executor



WebPD – Focus on C&W Integration



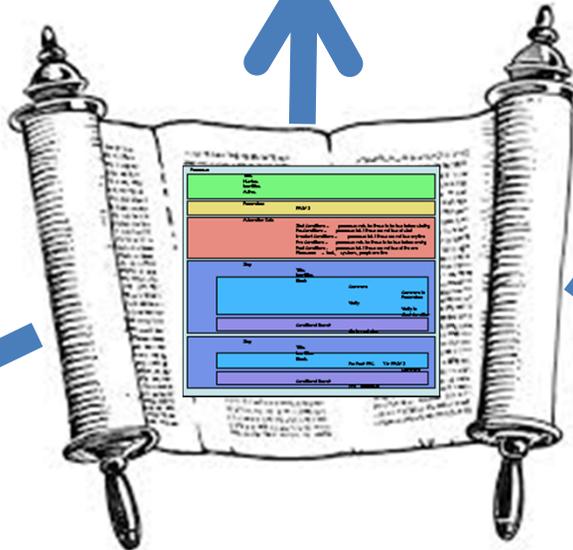
PRIDE View – focus on Procedure performance tracking



Orion eProc-Flight Deck – focus on Edge Keys Display & Keyboard-less interaction



Google Glass – Focus on Mobility & mobile interactions



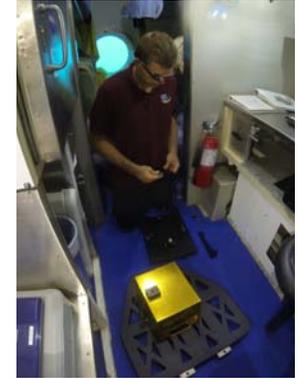
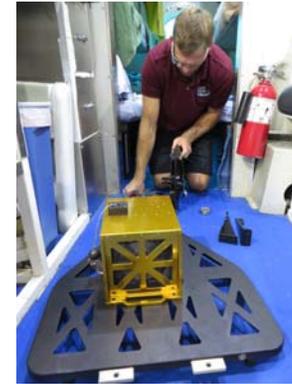
AR-eProc– Focus on mixed reality interaction

Capture Rich Procedure Content Once and Use It Everywhere!!



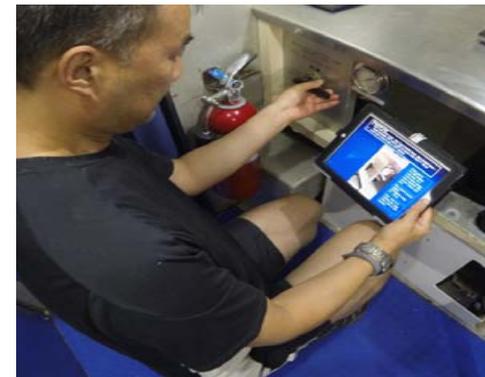
Miniature Exercise Device (MED):

- a. Equipment Assembly Task
- b. Equipment Dis-Assembly Task



Just-in-time (JIT) training of a Sani-tank purge

After the task was completed using the Google Glass – the same JITT material was viewed on an iPad





Augmented Reality Training Assistance



**AR ARED – Augmented reality
 Advanced Resistive Exercise
 Device Cylinder Evac. Procedure**



**AR DSH Locator - Deep Space
 Hab augmented reality assets
 monitoring**



**The AR-eProc
 Vision**



**AR Ultrasound -
 Autonomous
 guidance**



**AR TOCA - Augmented reality
 Total Organic Carbon Analyzer
 Buffer Change Out Procedure**



**Autonomous
 Operation**