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Letter of support

Volvo Construction Equipment Components AB supports the TATOO (Test And Testability Of distributed real-time systems) project because there is a dire need for methods and tools that facilitate testing and testability measurements of real-time systems.

We also encourage this project because of earlier successful cooperation with IDT.

The reason for the support is the actual need of methods and tools for testing real-time systems, the usual testing methods for sequential programs in not good enough.

A significant part of the development of our products goes into verification, validation, and iterative design refinements. It would be of great use to us, to have test methods, tools, and testability metrics that gives criteria on when to stop testing, and input on how to design for high testability. All with the intent to reduce the verification and validation phase, and of course to enable higher standards of reliability than currently possible.

We would gladly provide industrial experience and real-world applications as input to this project, and want to make use of the results.

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