

## WS2 Advanced Hybrid Structural Health Monitoring Advancements



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Advanced Car body shells for railways and light material and  
innovative doors and train modularity

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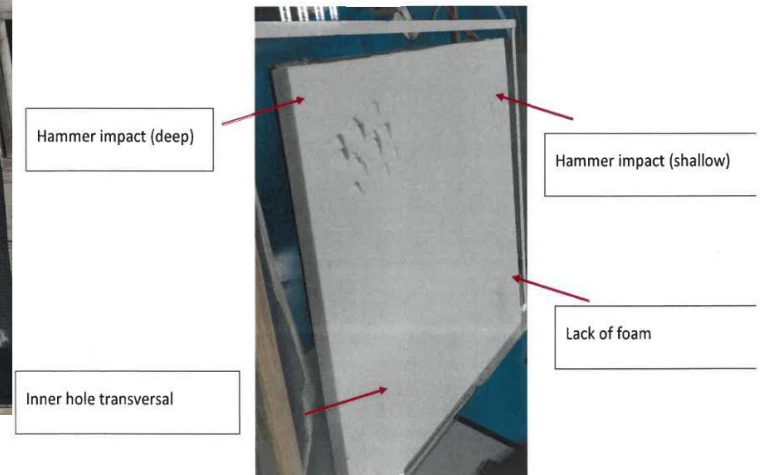
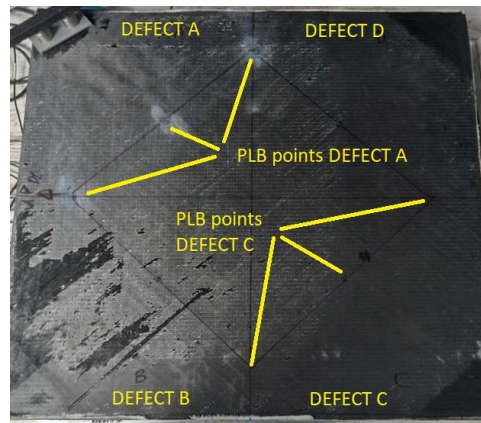
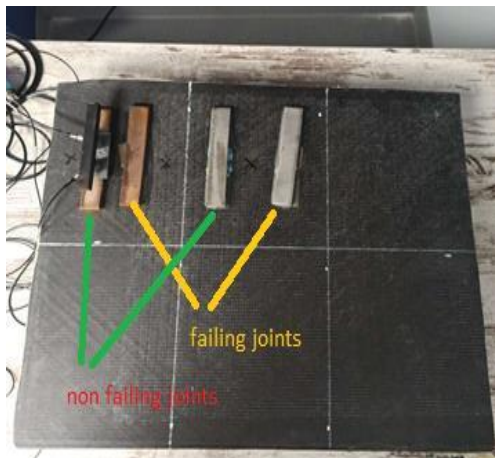
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- The hybrid SHM consists of:
  - **Wireless Acoustic Emission (AE)**, constantly searching in a passive mode ailing Acoustic Events either sourced from car-body's skeleton or from crucial metal-composite joints.
  - **Network of Accelerometers and Gyroscopes**, scattered across car-body, and embedded inside the composite boards or beams able to passively capture failures sourced by failing fractured composite boards or mounting rivets or fractured composite beams.
  - **Fibre Optic Sensor (FOS)**, by using sensitive composite embedded Bragg's sensors to measure composite strains and composite temperature aiding, thereby providing additional features in predictive maintenance.

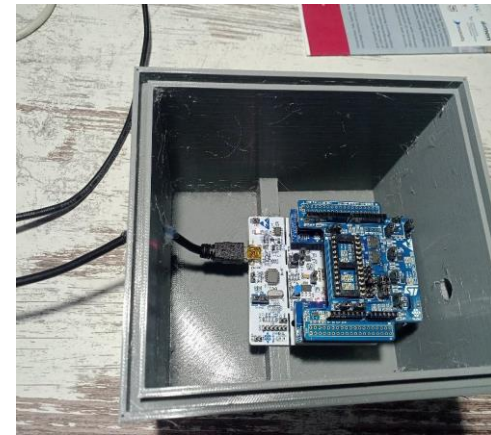
- Easy deployment throughout and across train car-body.
- Sensitivity and wireless connectivity.
- Good robust ML models through 1D or 2D CNN models and usage of LSTM over AE time-series input data.
- Ability for edge inference.



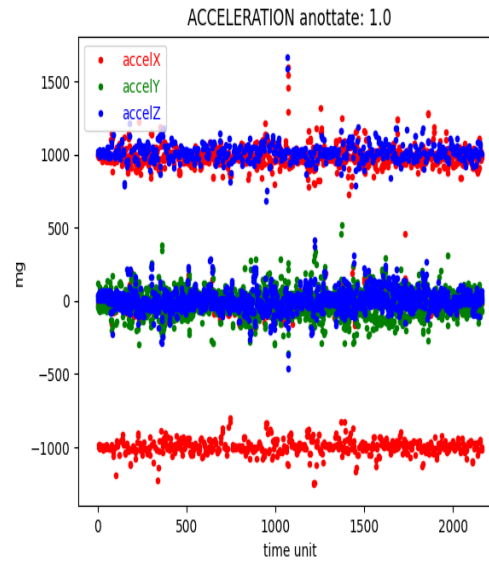
# WS2: AE experimentation description



- Easy deploy, low cost, low consumption.
- Embedded inside composites
- Wireless connectivity
- LSTM training with data as time-series or segmentation of input data into data image 1D frame for 1D CNN model learning. Usage of PCA and ICA.



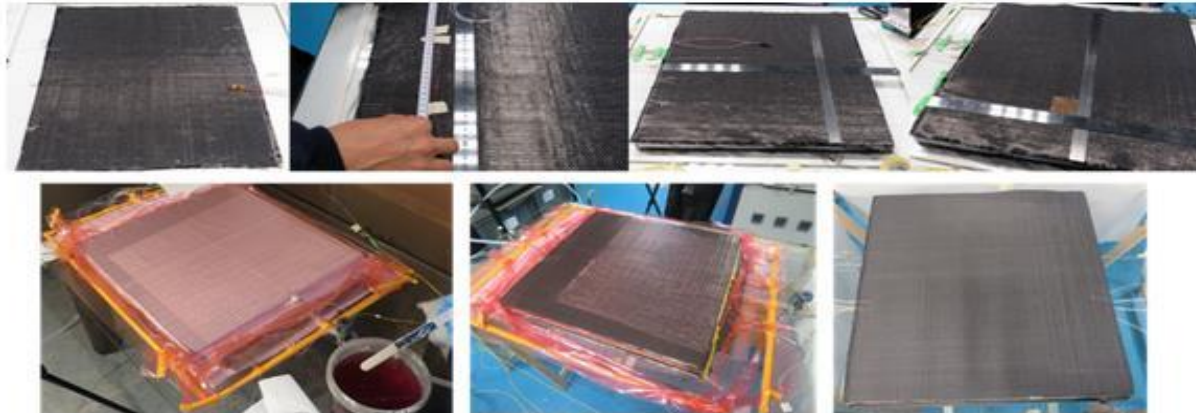
# WS2: Accelerometer experimentation description



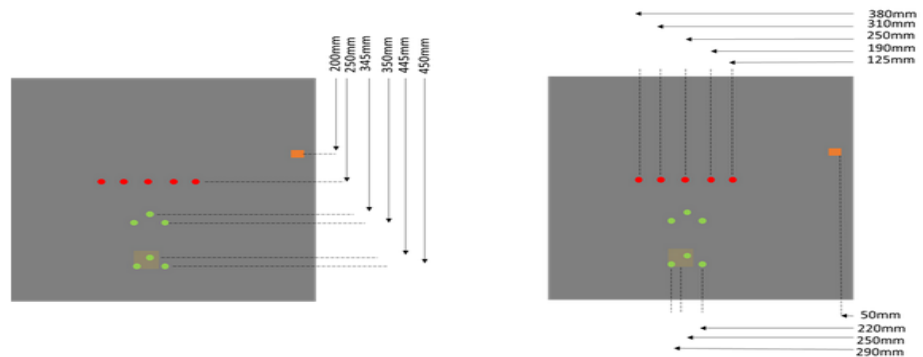
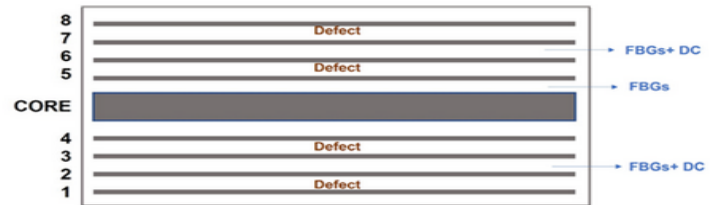
- Sensitive over composite internal residual stresses
- Sensitive in measuring composite temperature
- Embedded inside the composite
- LSTM ML model most suitable.
- Edge Inference.



# WS2: FOS experimentation description



- Defect
- DC sensor
- Strain FBG sensor
- Temp. FBG sensor





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