



Decision Making for Critical Linkages among Infrastructure Networks

University of British Columbia – Infrastructures Interdependencies Simulation (I2Sim) Team



Who we are

- Inter-disciplinary team involving researchers from Electrical, Civil, the Sauder School of Business, Health Sciences, Geography and Computer Science

Our Mandate

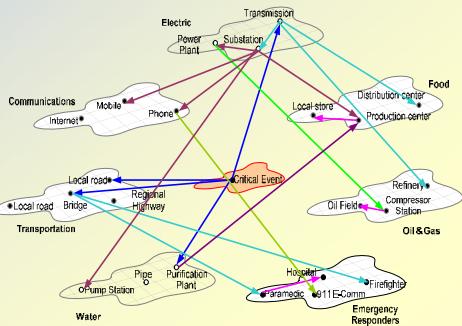
- Develop an interdisciplinary model to simulate the extensive human and multi-infrastructure interdependences that need to be coordinated to cope with large disaster scenarios in order to maximize the survivability of Canadians

Our Sponsors



I2Sim Applications

- EOC Personnel Training
- Simulation Based Learning
- Policy Analysis
- On-Line decision Making Analysis
- Infrastructure Planning



I2Sim Studies Capabilities

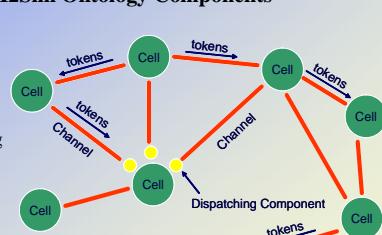
- Assessment of Human-Physical Interdependencies
- Identification of Critical Links
- Dynamic Identification of Islanding Schemes

Advantages of I2Sim

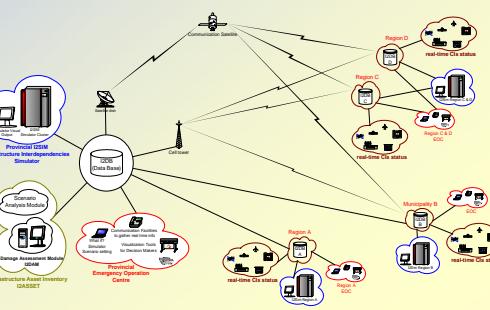
- Integrate Multiple Ontologies
- Highly Scalable
- Holistic Analysis of System Performance

I2Sim Ontology Components

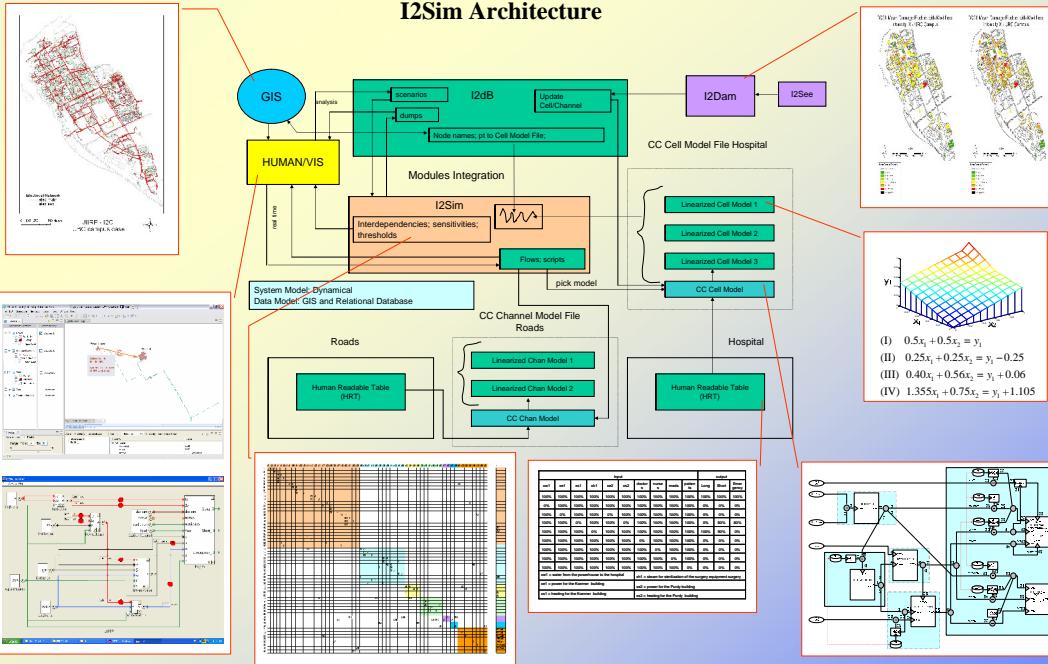
- Cell
- Token
- Channel
- Dispatching
- Nodes



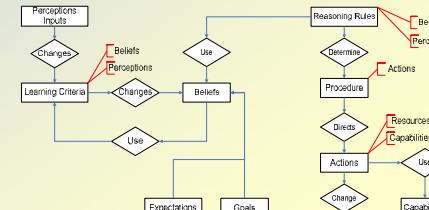
I2Sim Scalability



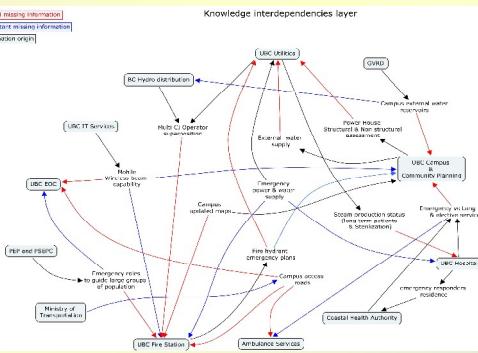
I2Sim Architecture



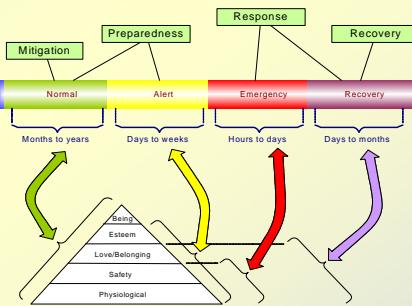
Policy Coordination Simulation



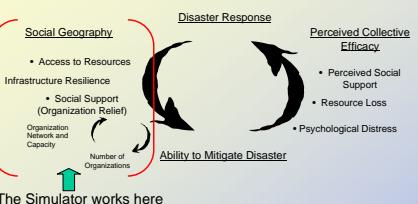
Knowledge Interdependencies Analysis



Dynamic Assessment of Human Needs



Vulnerable Populations Loop



Panic & Affiliation: A Social Attachment Model

- Classic conception: Panic = perceived imminent danger + limited escape options
- Newer conception: location of attachment figures more important than escape options

	Affiliation Present	Affiliation Absent
Threat Low	Increased attachment Low intensity avoidance of threat	
Threat High	Increased attachment Orderly flight/evacuation Occasional panic	Mass panic → toward the familiar, not always away from danger

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