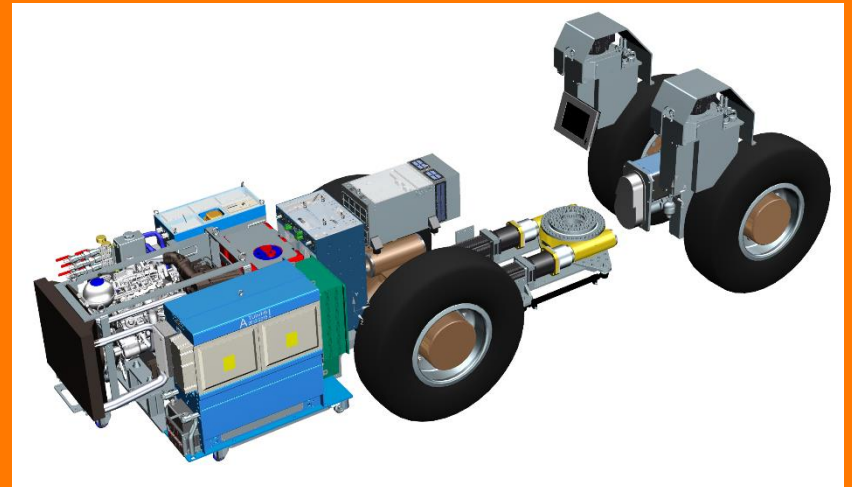




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Full-scale series hybrid mining loader with zonal hydraulics



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Underground mining load haul dumber

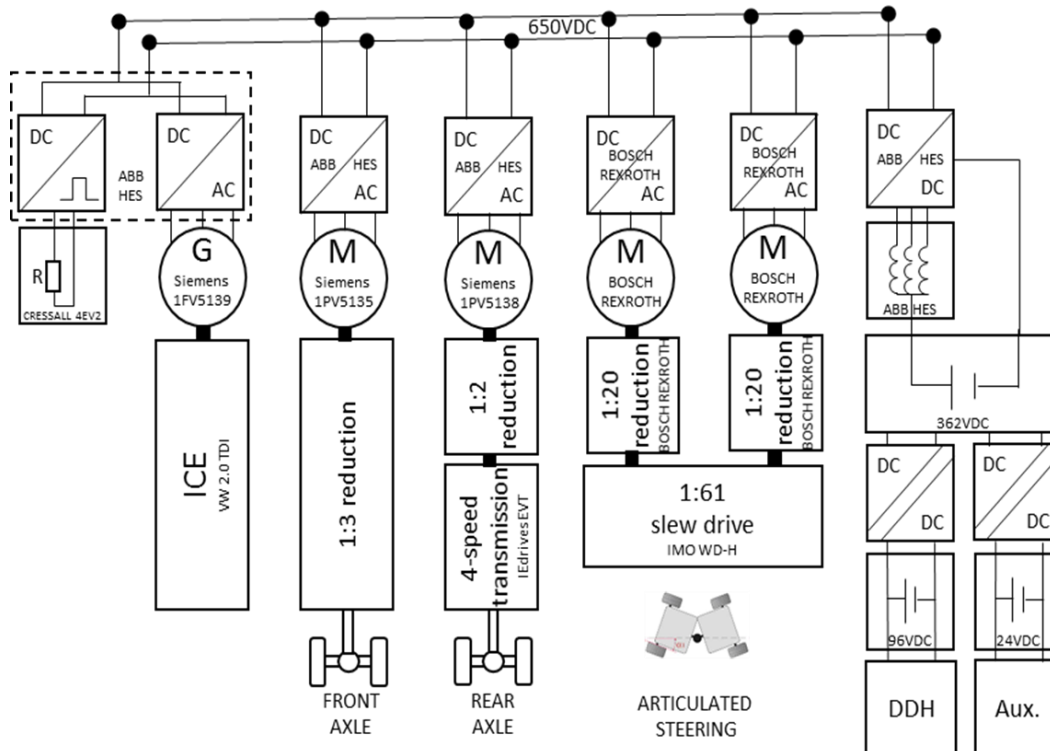
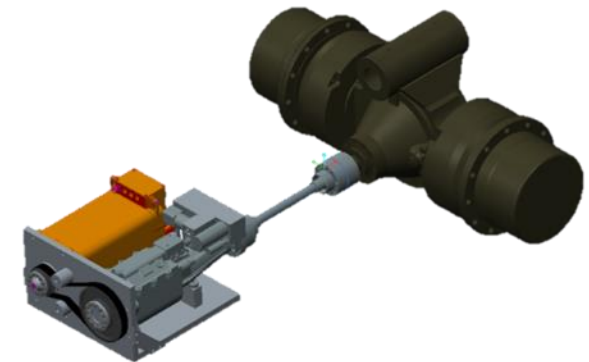
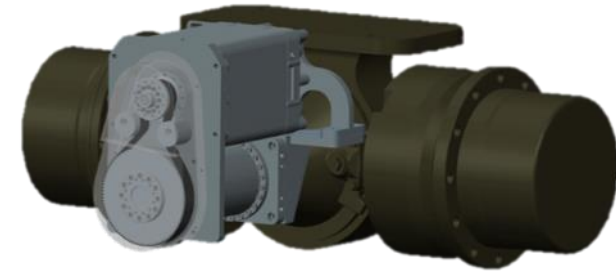
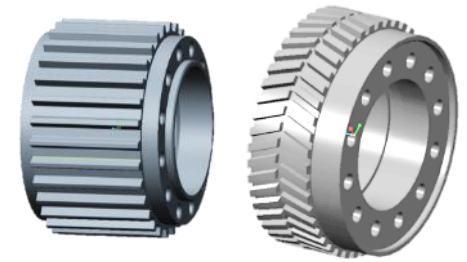
- "Research by engineering" approach
- We will make drivable hybrid loader – the great challenge
- Loader represents surprisingly general machine for Finnish NRMM industry, originally it was
 - Power class 90kW
 - Articulated steering
 - Hydraulic drive in front and rear axles
 - Lifting/lowering of the bucket i.e. big hydraulics
 - Heavy enough
- We had Experience from SPPA 2004-2008 and HybLab 2008*-2012 projects.

**1\$ fuel → 2\$ fresh air
down the mine today,
tomorrow it will be 3\$...*



Sub system highlights

Expect life time 10 000h	Front axle	Rear axle
Gearing	3:1	2:1
Continous power / moment	67kW / 160Nm	85kW / 220Nm
Max power / moment	150kW / 430Nm	150kW / 530Nm
Speed range	+/-10 000 rpm	+/-10 000 rpm
Belt drive components	Gates, direct teeth	Goodyear, V-shape



Electromechanical actuation: Motivation

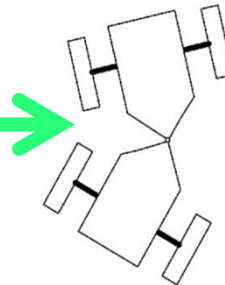
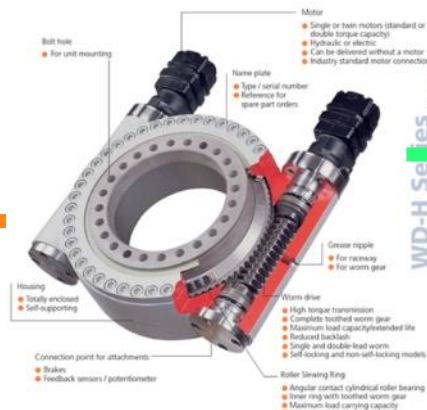
Conventional solutions done by 1-2 hydraulic cylinders

EM-actuator brings along new opportunities for controllability & accuracy & sensitivity adaptation

- ✓ Soft and slow movements vs. very fast and sharp performance if needed
- ✓ Self straightening can be implemented
- ✓ Steering degrees can be adapted by driving speed, direction and bucket position / load

New possibilities to layout

Does not continuous demand hydraulic flow i.e. for full electrical machines



Direct driven hydraulics (zonal hydraulics)

Novel Power Pack
for Electrification of
NRMM applications

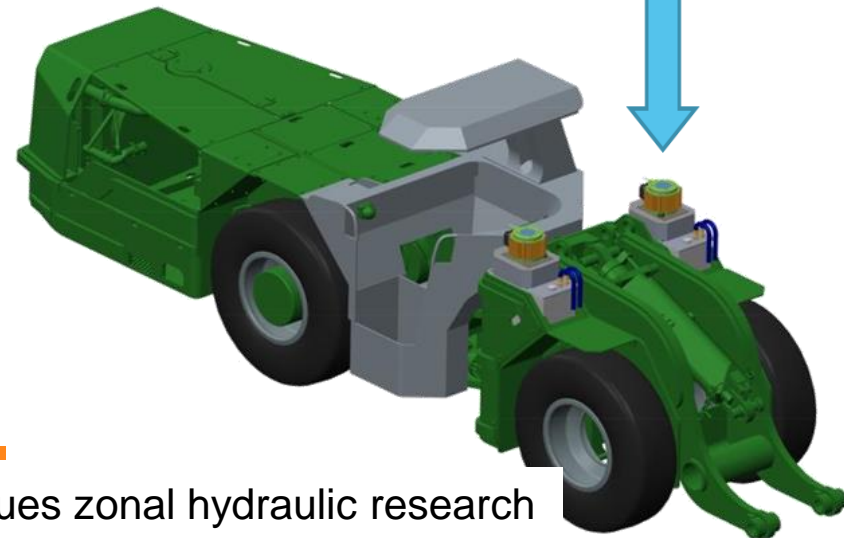
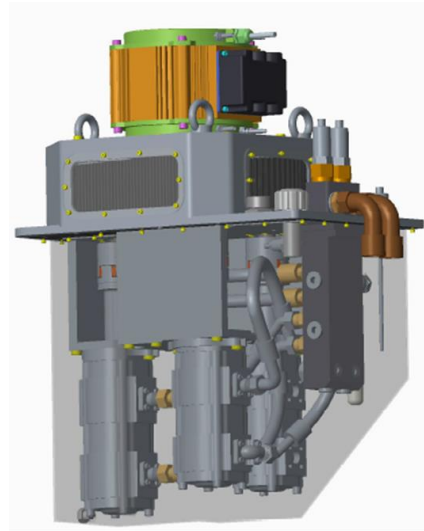
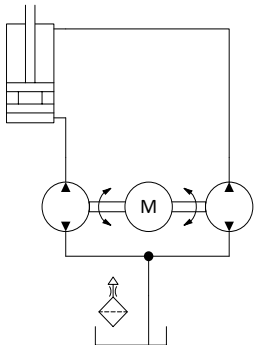
Reliable

Robust

Efficient

Tankless

Sensorless



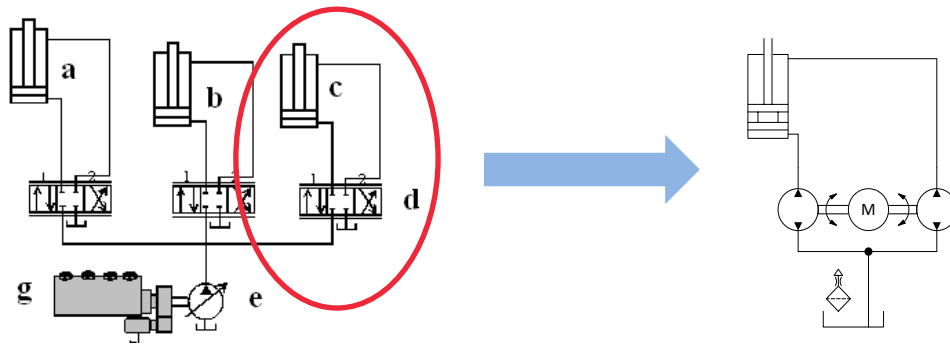
Some highlights related of the subject

- Electrification of Agricultural Machines, M.Sc.-thesis Otto Tammisto, 2014
- The hybridization of powertrains in the mobile heavy machinery industry and changes in industry architecture, M.Sc.-thesis Ilkka Kaikkonen, 2012
- Yearly updated i.e. 4 times during the project Road Map of electrification of non-road mobile machinery with VTT and LUT
- LUT simulation work – dimensioning of the components and possibility to use professional driver or customer before physical prototype

Summary and future opportunities

What new businesses are arising from this research?

- ✓ Automation and remote control of machines will become much more common. Electromechanical steering is one technology to enable no-driver-on-board or even robotized non-road-mobile-machines
- ✓ New business models and rent/leasing are all hungry for information. Electric solutions will bring more intelligence on board



Concept of zonal hydraulics (direct driven hydraulics)

Summary and future opportunities

Key findings of the research

- ✓ Electromechanical movements – control is a challenge but it brings benefits
- ✓ Get yourself familiarized with modern belt drives
- ✓ Hydraulic is developing all the time – good engineering is valued here. When you need a huge cooler ask yourself why...
- ✓ Direct driven hydraulic or zonal hydraulic – what ever we call it now will come.

Exploiting this research for business

- ✓ Less waste heat (cooling and exhaust) for under ground & indoor operations, also lower fuel consumption
- ✓ Tier V will come 2019/2020 = down size your diesel and improve the performance at the same time by hybridization