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Systems Engineering for Prototyping Modular Construction Systems Checklist

Checklist for Modelling Systems	Location of files
For your system in development do you have:	
☐ Hierarchy of components (breakdown structure)	
☐ Possible interdependencies (direct, common mode failures)	
☐ Emergent dynamics and behaviours	
☐ Boundaries of the system	
☐ Boundaries of the model – do they match system boundaries?	
☐ How are you modelling the system?	
☐ Design Structure Matrix	
☐ Model-Based System Engineering	
☐ Control Theory	
☐ Systems Dynamics Model	
☐ Petri Net	
☐ Stakeholder Influence map	

Checklist for Systems Issues	Location of files
Have you thought about the following emergent systems properties:	
☐ Safety	
☐ Resilience/Antifragility	
☐ Security	
☐ Manufacturing constraints	
☐ Assembly constraints	
☐ Environmental impact	
☐ Carbon/Pollution	
□ Quality	
☐ Human factors	
☐ Lifecycle/Maintainability (through-life?)	
☐ Training needs	
☐ Affordability/Cost Effectiveness	
☐ Reliability of supply	
☐ Value engineering	
☐ Integrated logistics	
☐ Electro-magnetic compatibility	

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