

How to get more out of your existing resources

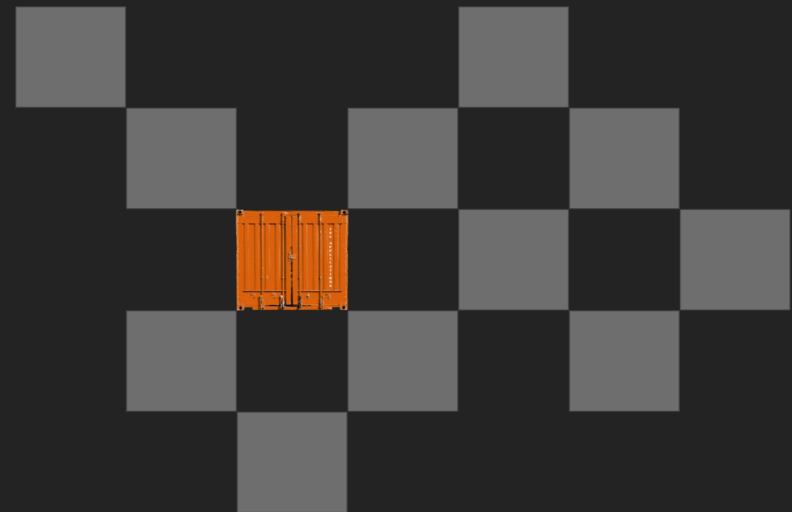


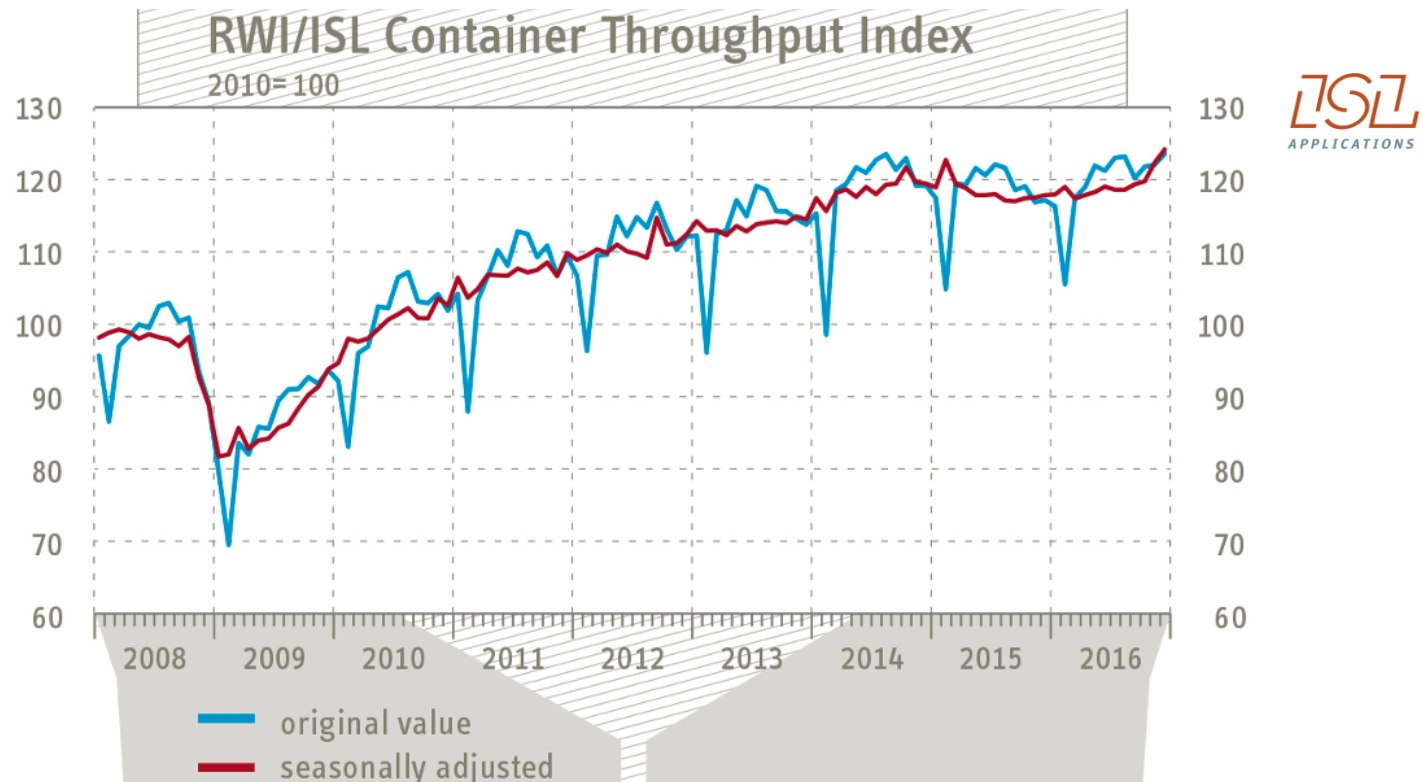
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During December 2016, The Container Throughput Index reached a new all-time-high of 124.3 points. The previous record was observed in Feb. 2015 (122.8 points). The fourth consecutive increase of the index indicates that the world trade has gained momentum noticeably at the end of 2016.

RWI/ISL Container Throughput index

- ***81 ports worldwide***
- ***~ 60 % of worlds throughput***
- ***available 3 weeks in new month www.isl.org → news***

Decision type grid

	Operational	Tactical/Managerial	Strategic
Structured			
Semi-structured			
Unstructured			

Decreasing structure of details
Increasing level of flexibility to change

More than 25 Years Simulation Experience



1989 1991 1993 1995 1998 2000 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 2011 2013 2015 2017



Products rebranding:
CAPS
SCUSY
ViTO



CHESScon

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Optimisation and Simulation – References (selected)



ASEAN Terminals, Philippines

Bromma, Singapore

Centerm Terminal, Vancouver, Canada

CSX, Jacksonville, USA

DP World, Australia

EUROGATE, Germany

HHLA, Hamburg, Germany

HPA Hamburg Port Authority, Germany

HIT, Hong Kong

JadeWeserPort, Germany

Cargotec / Kalmar Industries, Finland

CMSA ICTSI, Manzanillo, Mexico

MCT, Gioia Tauro, Italy

MTL, Hong Kong

Noell Crane Systems, Germany

NTB, Bremerhaven, Germany

Port of Tacoma, USA

ORTEK International Ltd., Singapore

PSA International, Singapore

Red Sea Gateway Terminal, Jeddah, KSA

SPIA ICTSI, Columbia

Tata Consultancy Services, India

TecPlata ICTSI, Buenos Aires, Argentina

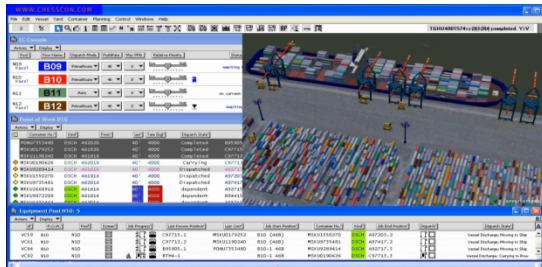
Terminal Investment Ltd, Netherlands

TotalSoftBank, Korea

TPT, South Africa

Warsteiner Brewery, Germany

How to improve terminal's efficiency



TOS
Control system



Process automation



Equipment

The first ALV of KMI

**Terminal
efficiency**

Terminal staff



Terminal's productivity is driven by

- The equipment
- The control system (TOS)
- The processes

Terminal Automation (processes as well as equipment) prepares for optimised operation, but more than ever very skilled control staff is required.

The last sentence within the Singapore Maritime Gallery (opened 09/2012):

„ It is man making the difference“

Vessel simulator

- train your control staff (as shipping lines do)

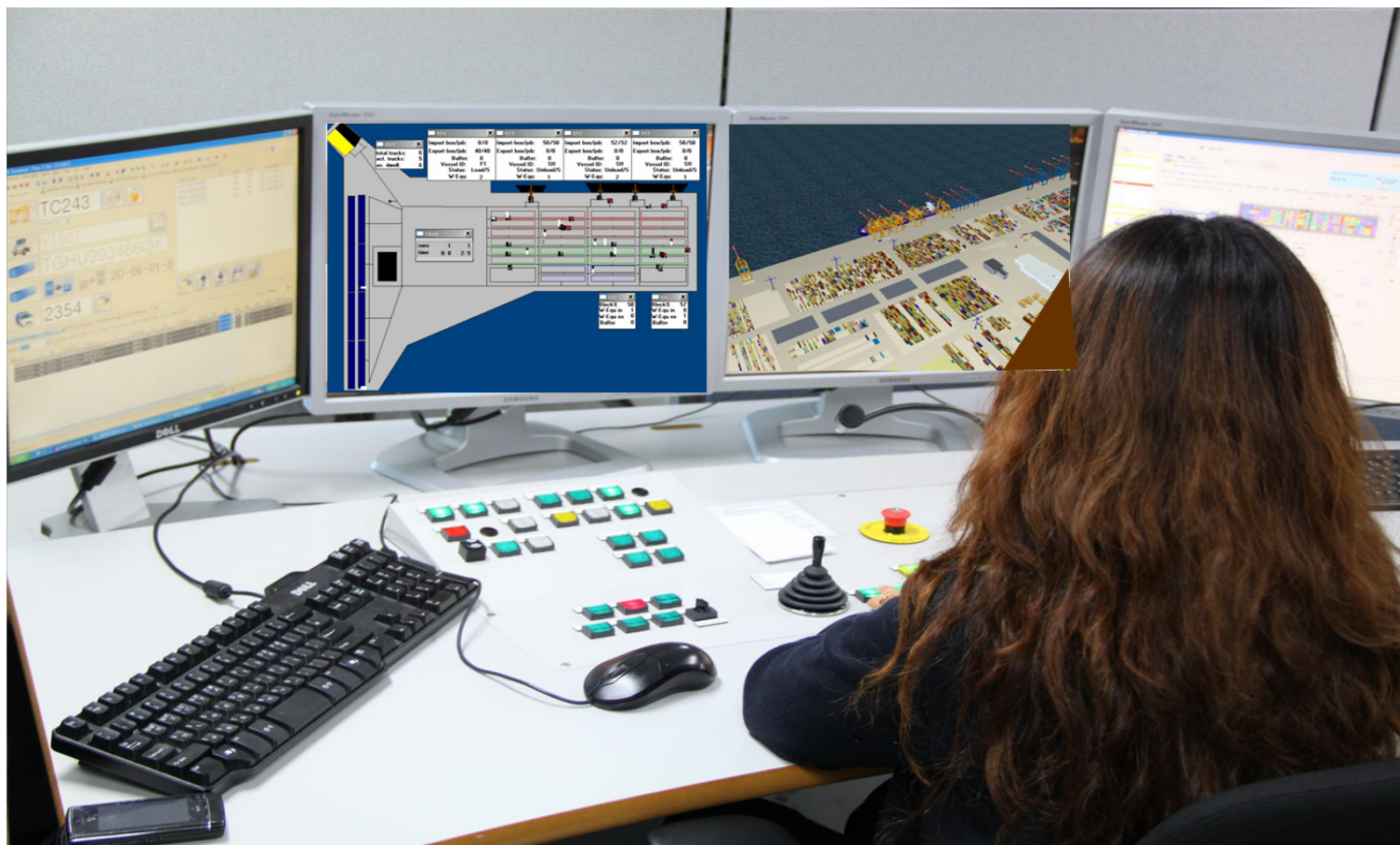


Crane simulator

- train your control terminal staff (as you do with crane drivers)



Learning from others

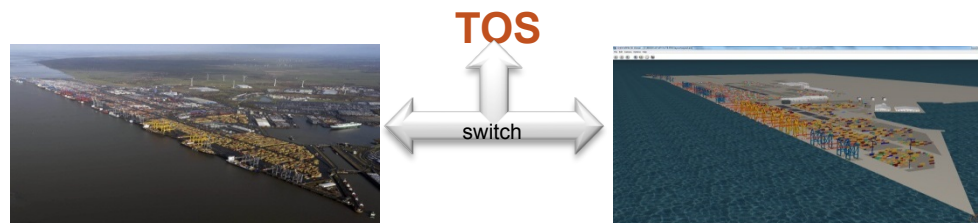


The main mission of CHESSCON VIRTUAL TERMINAL

what you can do with CHESSCON

Emulation:

- use your Terminal Operation System (TOS)
- use your software interfaces
- but use a **Virtual Container Terminal**



Benefits:

- no impact on the real environment
- training under laboratory conditions
- self-learning available
- fine-tune the TOS parameters
- re-run bad shifts

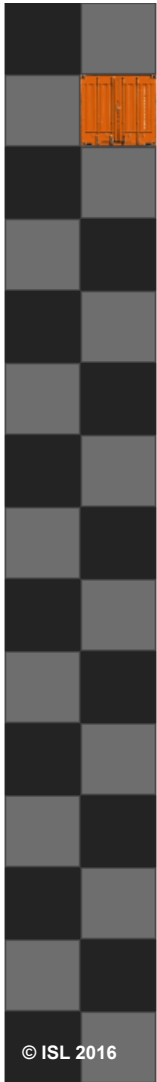
The screenshot displays the SPARCS 3.7.24.1 - Kassl software interface. The top half features a 3D simulation of a port yard with numerous colorful containers stacked in rows, cranes, and a ship at the dock. A large yellow speech bubble is overlaid on the simulation, containing the text 'Benefits:' followed by a bulleted list of five advantages. The bottom half of the interface shows a detailed task list for 'Equipment Pool QC06: 6' and 'Point of Work Q06'. The task list includes columns for Handler id, Icon Only, Screen, Dispatch State, and Move D. The Point of Work Q06 section includes columns for Sequence, Container No., Type, Current Position, Handler id, and Dispatch State. The interface also includes a menu bar (File, Edit, Vessel, Yard, Container, Planning, Control, Windows, Help) and a toolbar with various icons.

Handler id*	Icon Only*	Screen*	Dispatch State*	Move D
121			Carrying a container; Waiting at Row	1321+
122			Go to crane; Waiting at Ship	1321+
124			Go to crane; Waiting at Ship	1321+
125			Go to crane; Waiting at Ship	1321+
C06				

Sequence*	Container No.*	Type*	Current Position*	Handler id*	Dispatch State*
1	GATU8091789	45G1	*TR-121*	121/R33	In Progress
2	GATU8588121	45G0	CANX020*0361490	124	Go to Crane
3	FSCU6472343	45G1	CANX020*0361290	125	Go to Crane
4	HLXU6350672	45G1	CANX020*0361090	122	Go to Crane
5	HLXU6273703	45G1	CANX020*0361688		(not evaluated)
6	CPSU6439396	45G1	CANX020*0361488		(not evaluated)

This is state of the art (at least at Greenfields)

→ But what are the next steps?



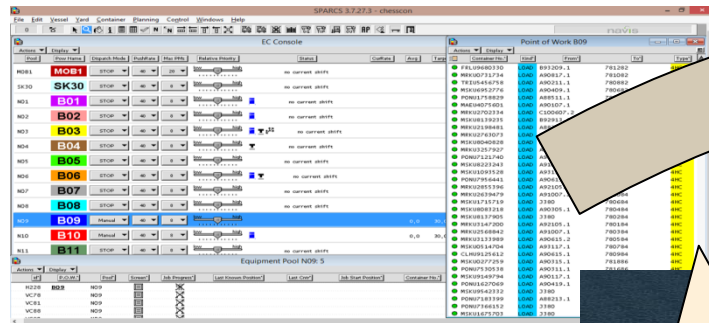
Re-running real scenarios !

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1 step:
Backup the real shift scenario

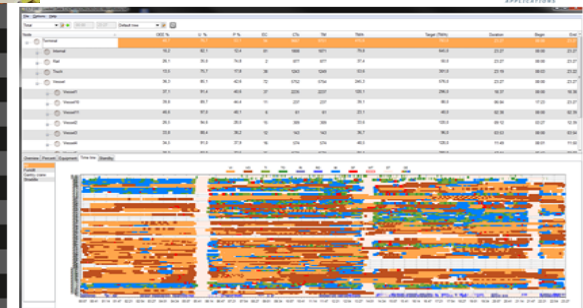
CHESSCON Shift Preview



2nd step:
Import planning state
automatically



sample of based data



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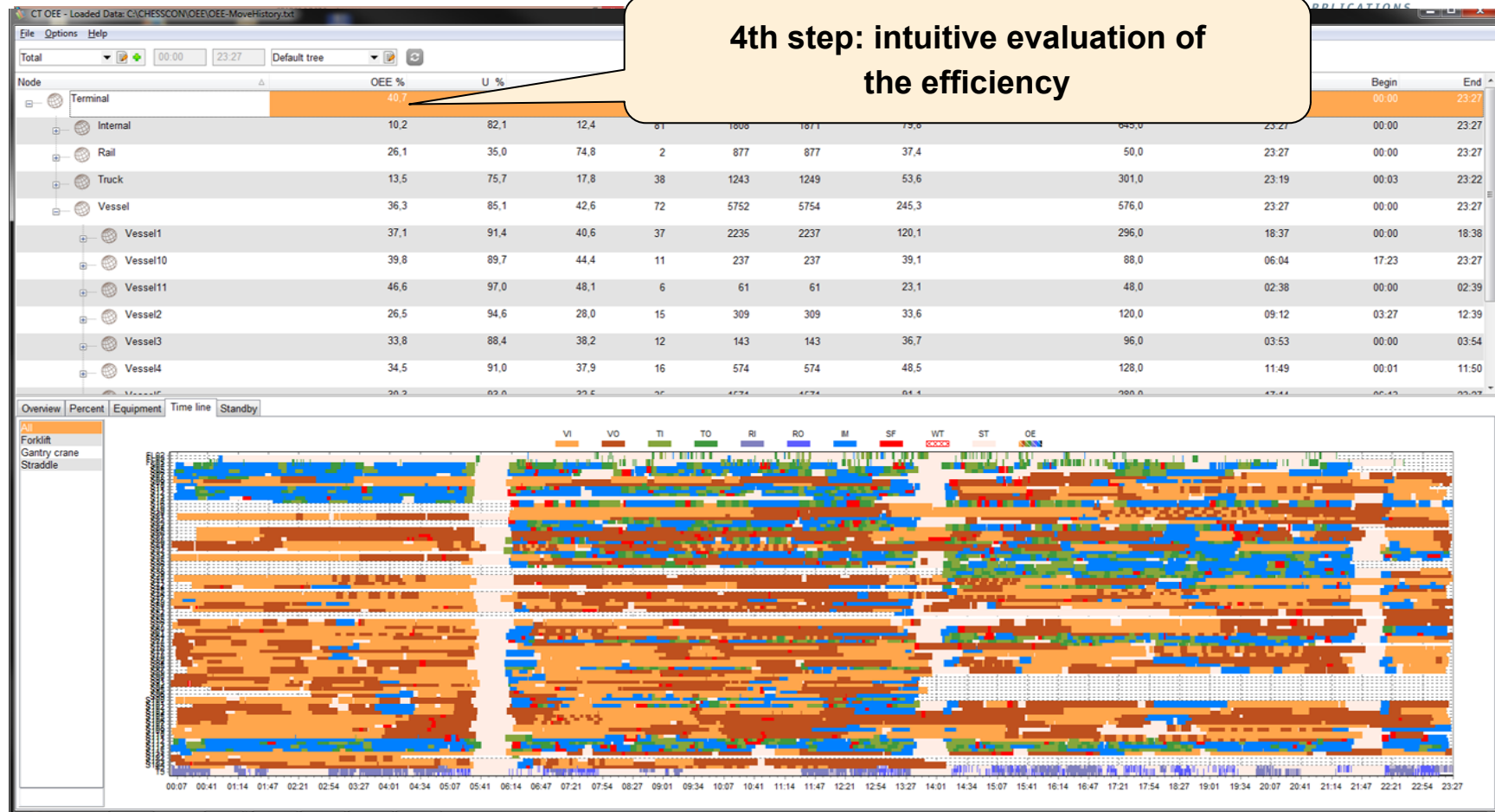
**3rd step:
fast simulation of the shift**

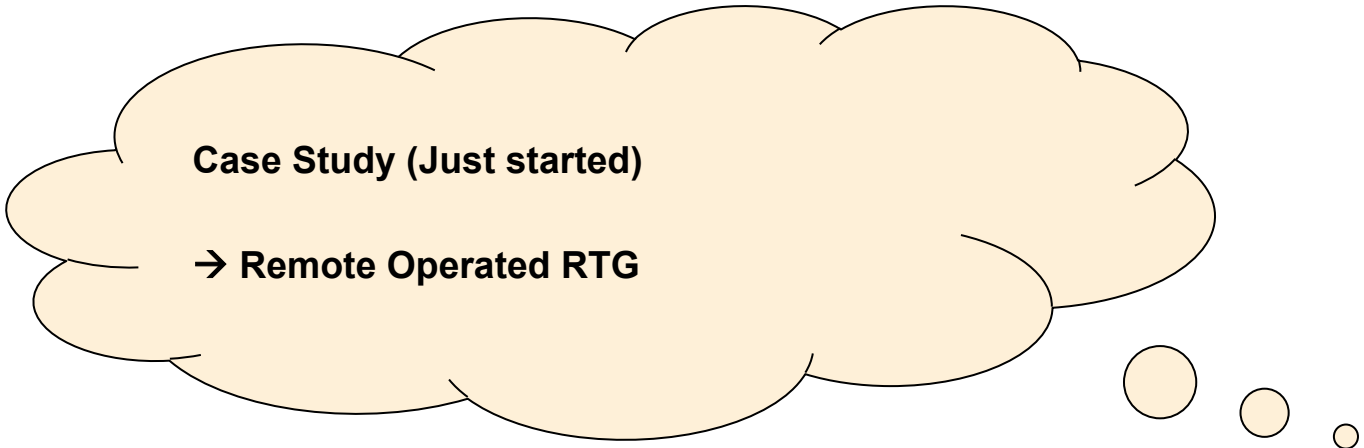


CHESSCON Shift Preview



4th step: intuitive evaluation of the efficiency



A large, light orange thought bubble with a black outline, containing text. To its right are three smaller circles of the same color and outline, arranged in a descending line.

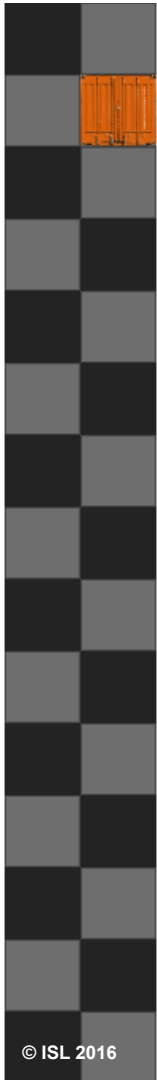
Case Study (Just started)

→ Remote Operated RTG



Test site with 15 RTG available (manned)

**→ How many drivers will be needed by an
Remote Operation of the RTG**



Case Study - Remote Operated RTG



Base Scenario: Re-run the real shift

- 13 RTG have been in operation during the shift → at least 13 RTG drivers

1. Scenario: Remote operated, semi-automated RTG

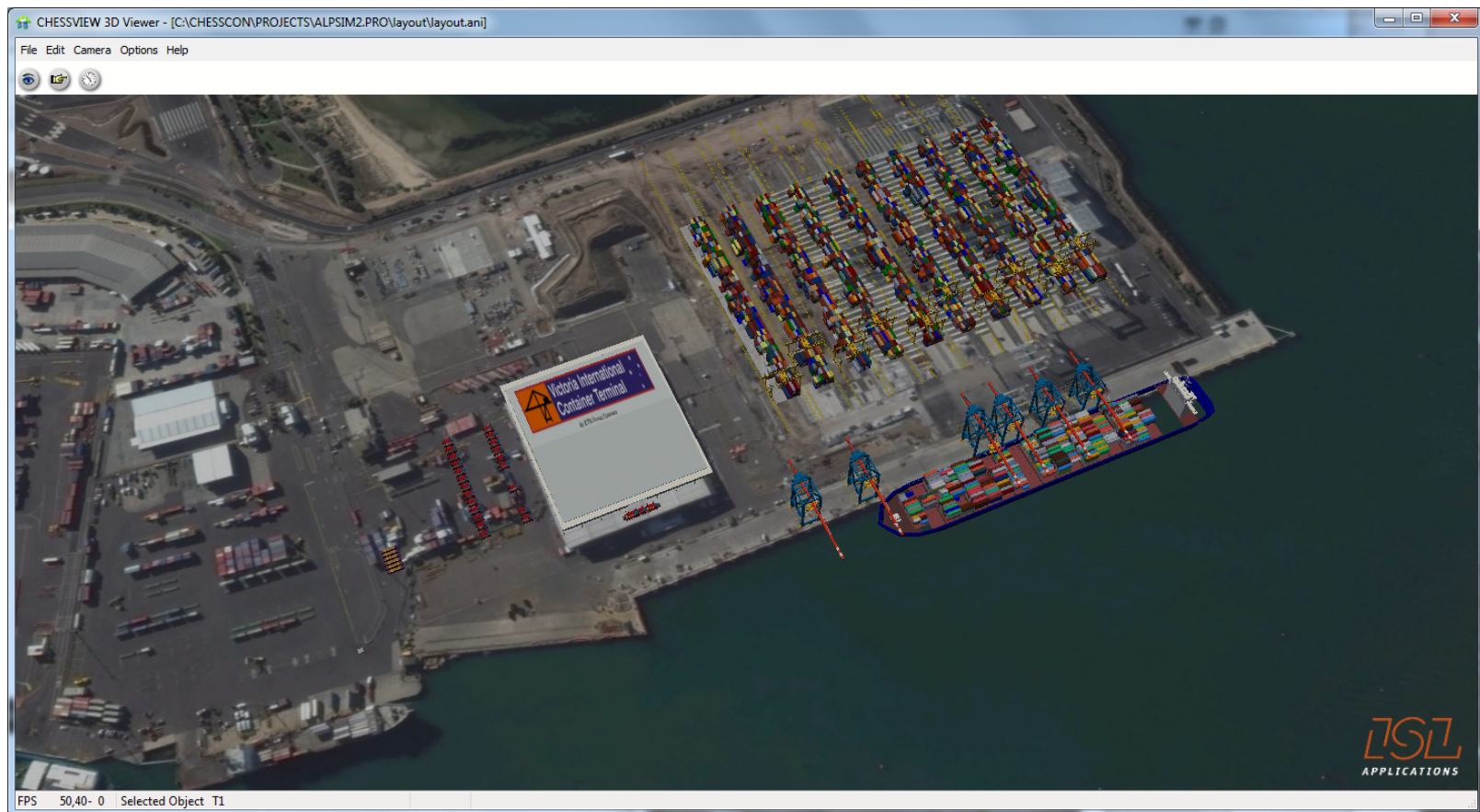
- Automated operation within the block
- Remote operated handshake for the truck operation
- Delay time for activating the Remote Operator some 10-20 sec. per move
- Max. 6 remote operators are required (max 6 requests in parallel) → 6 RTG drivers

More scenarios to come:

- use standard RTG instead of semi-automated ones
- High workload RTG (discharge/load operation) may get dedicated drivers (no remote control)
- ...

→ Results will be published soon

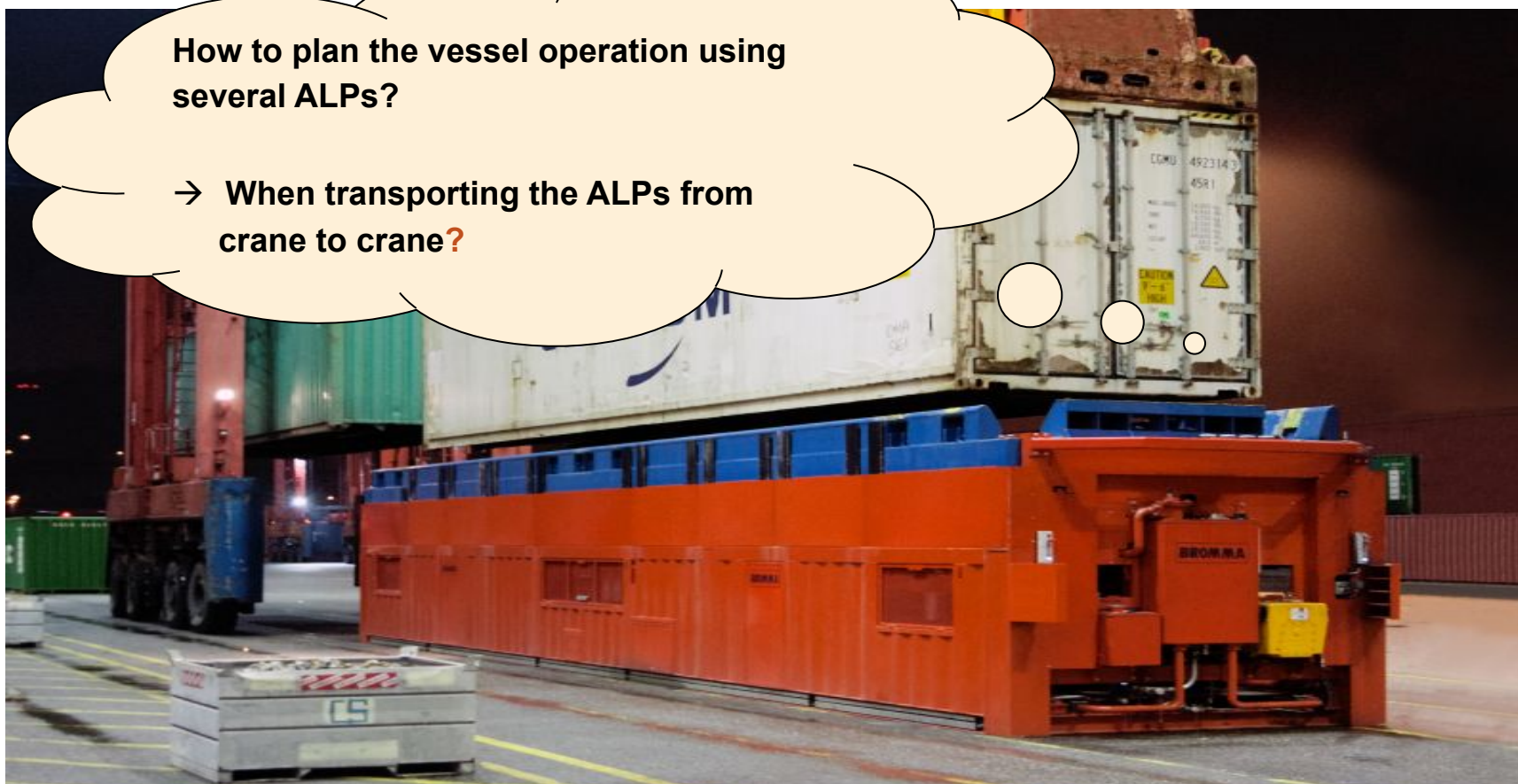
Case Study - ALP at Melbourne terminal



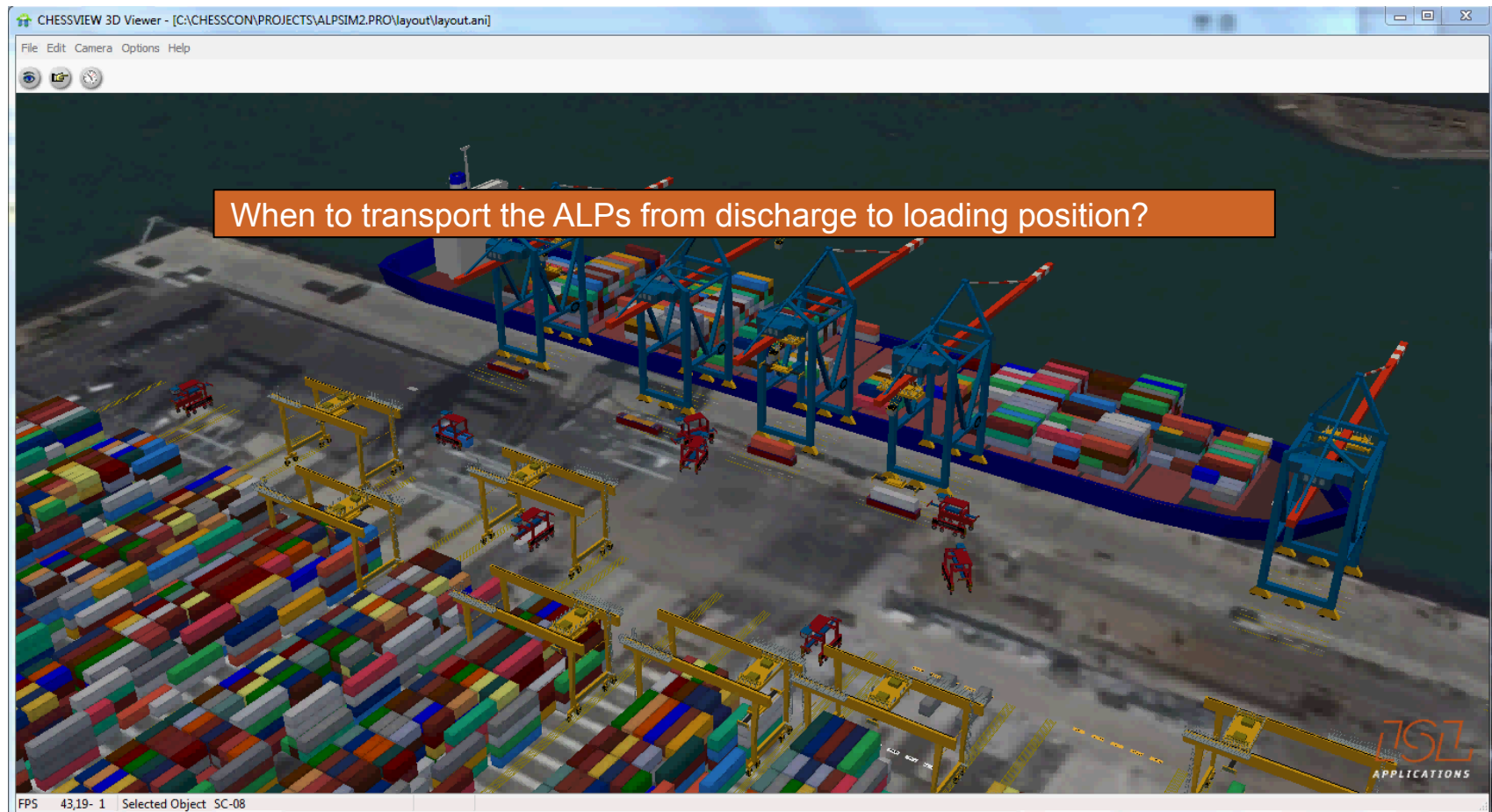
Bromma's ALP

How to plan the vessel operation using several ALPs?

→ When transporting the ALPs from crane to crane?



ALP emulator



AOS calculating the utilisations



< Detail lashing platform

Logged in as user.

ALP 1

VESSEL NAME: ILS009

CRANE NAME:

DISCHARGING_DECK

Activate Transport Mode

5 %

FUEL

2.6 V

BATTERY

Logged in as user.

MAGAZIN 1/2: 81

MAGAZIN 3/4: 11 MAGAZIN 5/6: 11

MAGAZIN 7/8: 81

1

81

11

3

5

11

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7

1

2

1

3/5

3/5

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8



TYPE 3



TYPE 2



TYPE 3

ERROR TABLE

Severity	Error Description	Manipulator	State
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TWIST LOCKS PER MAGAZINE

1

RAIL	TWL-TYPE	VESSEL	AMOUNT
1	3		10
2	3		10
3	2		10
4	3		10
5	3		10
6	2		1
7	3		10
8	3		10
9	3		10
10	3		10
11	3		1
12	3		0
13	3		0
14	3		0

ALP 3

DISCHARGING_HOLD

ILS009

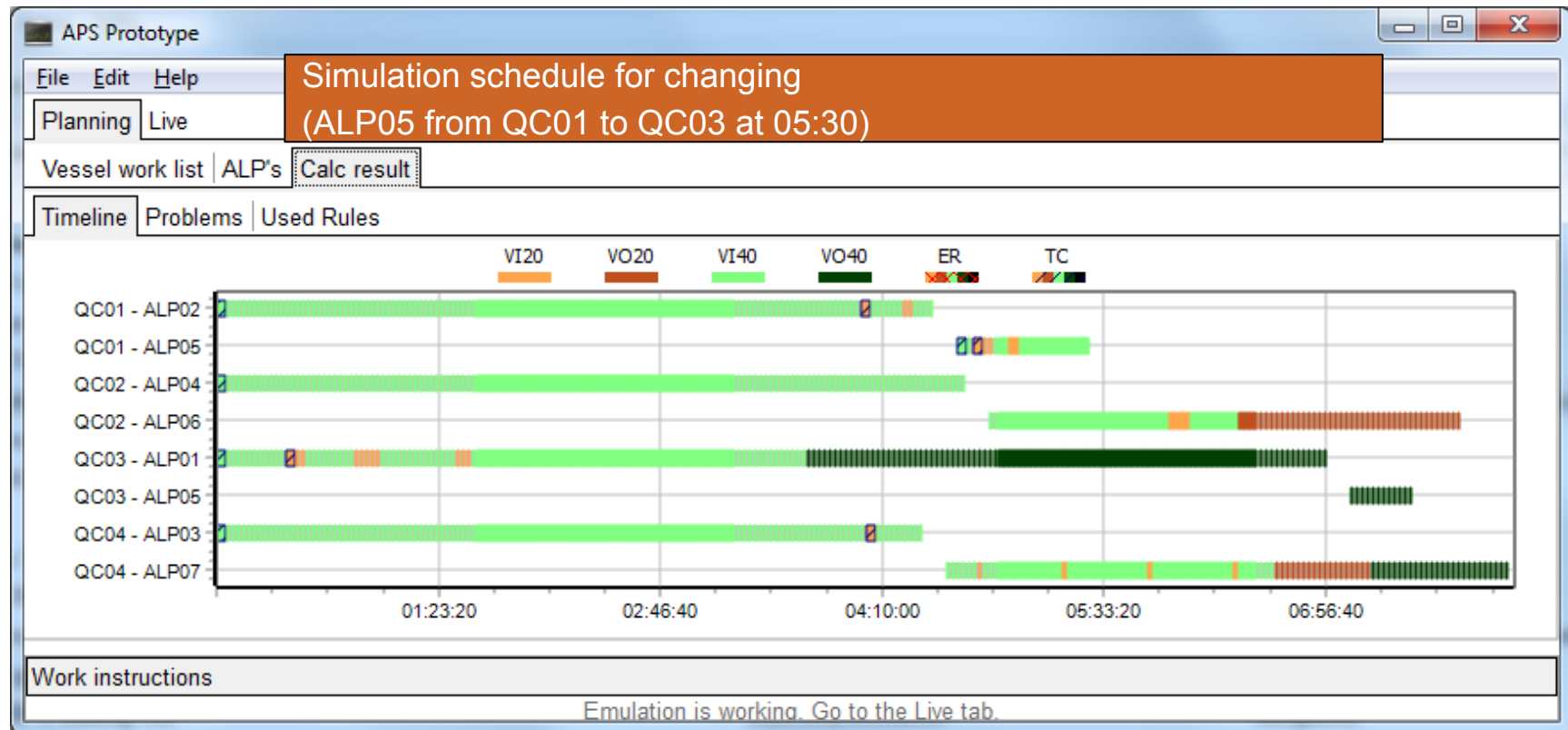
/2	3/4	5/6	7/8	BATTERY
14	0	0	94	
3	3	3	3	FUEL

ALP 6

OFFLINE

/2	3/4	5/6	7/8	BATTERY
1	-1	-1	-1	
1	-1	-1	-1	FUEL

AOS forecasting the operation



Cites from NTB – North Sea Terminal Bremerhaven



a joint venture of APM Terminals and the Eurogate group

- **CHESSCON Shift Preview** was developed out of our demands for a fast simulation of the current state of shift planning.
- Together we (NTB) and ISL Applications GmbH defined a module, which is based on operational as well as IT expertise.
- The result is easy to use and supports short term optimisation of the day-to-day shift planning.

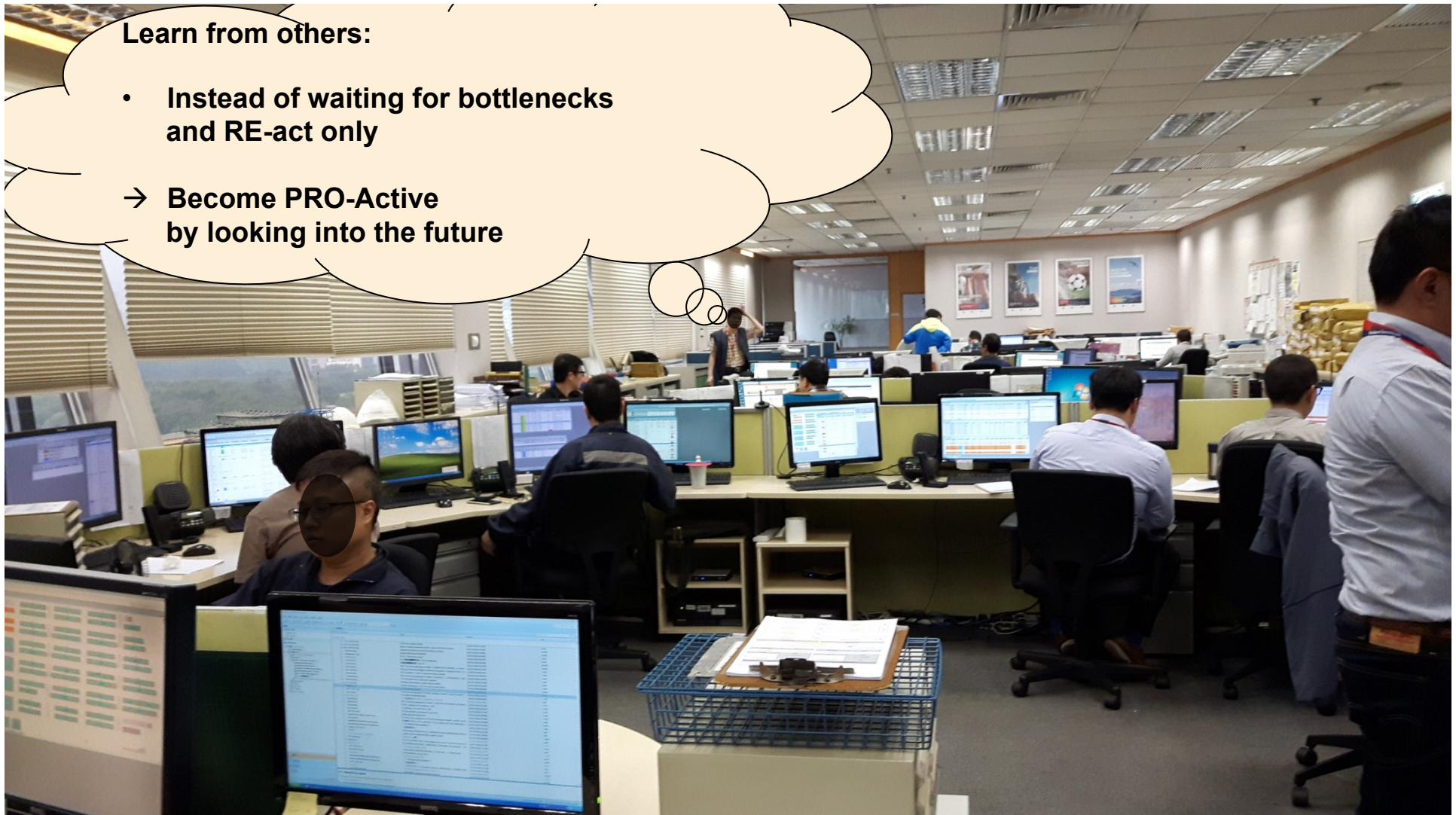
Why Shift Preview ?

→ Terminals,
which today are not in the position to analyse their operation predictively,
are living yesterday

Marc Dieterich, Operations Manager at NTB

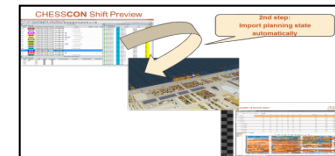
Learn from others:

- **Instead of waiting for bottlenecks and RE-act only**
- **Become PRO-Active by looking into the future**



Conclusion

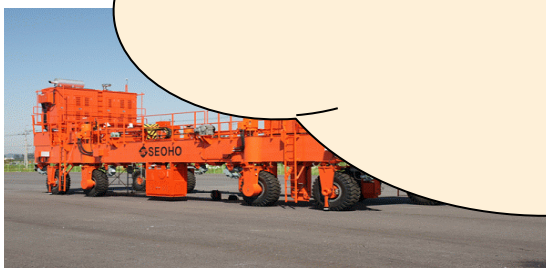
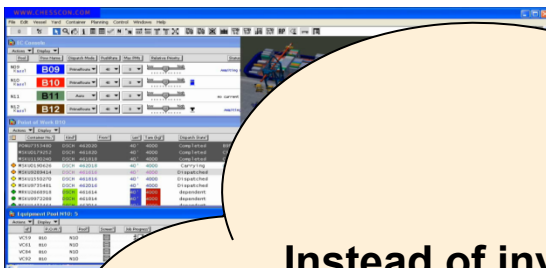
- Train your staff with Virtual Terminals
- Fine-tune your Terminal Operating System
- Look into the future operation



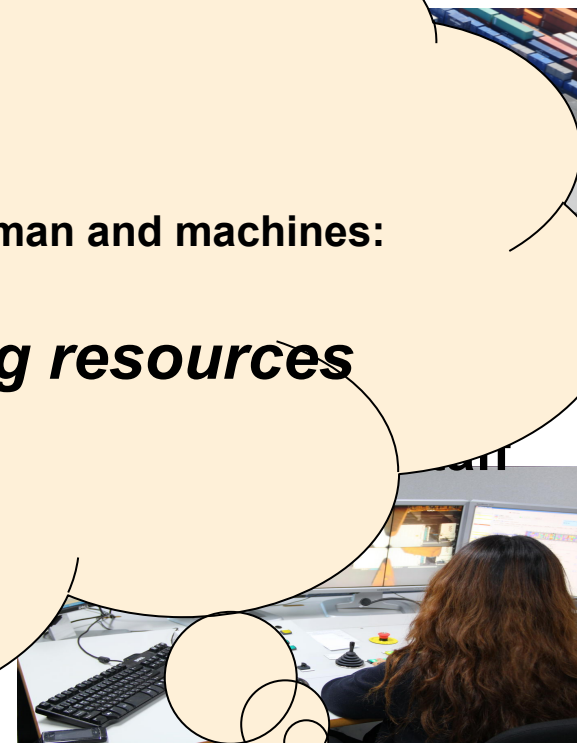
How to improve terminal's efficiency

Instead of investing in more and more man and machines:

Get more out of your existing resources



The first ALV of KMI



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I'm looking forward to the following discussion!

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