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Part 1: Background / Objective/ Motivation

Background: Emergency response in the oil and gas industry entails the efficient coordination and execution of human and material resources to lessen the effects of a disaster while concurrently protecting both life and critical assets.

Objective: Model, simulate and implement hospital systems interactions in emergency respond scenario in oil and gas industry, using Agent-based modelling and simulation.

Motivation: Challenges in emergency setting, including interaction, lack of real-time data sharing and analysis, and need for patients safety in a complex and dynamic environment, for:

- Enhancement of response coordination in emergency;
- Assessment of impacts of key factors in emergency response.

Part 2: Hypothetical Scenario

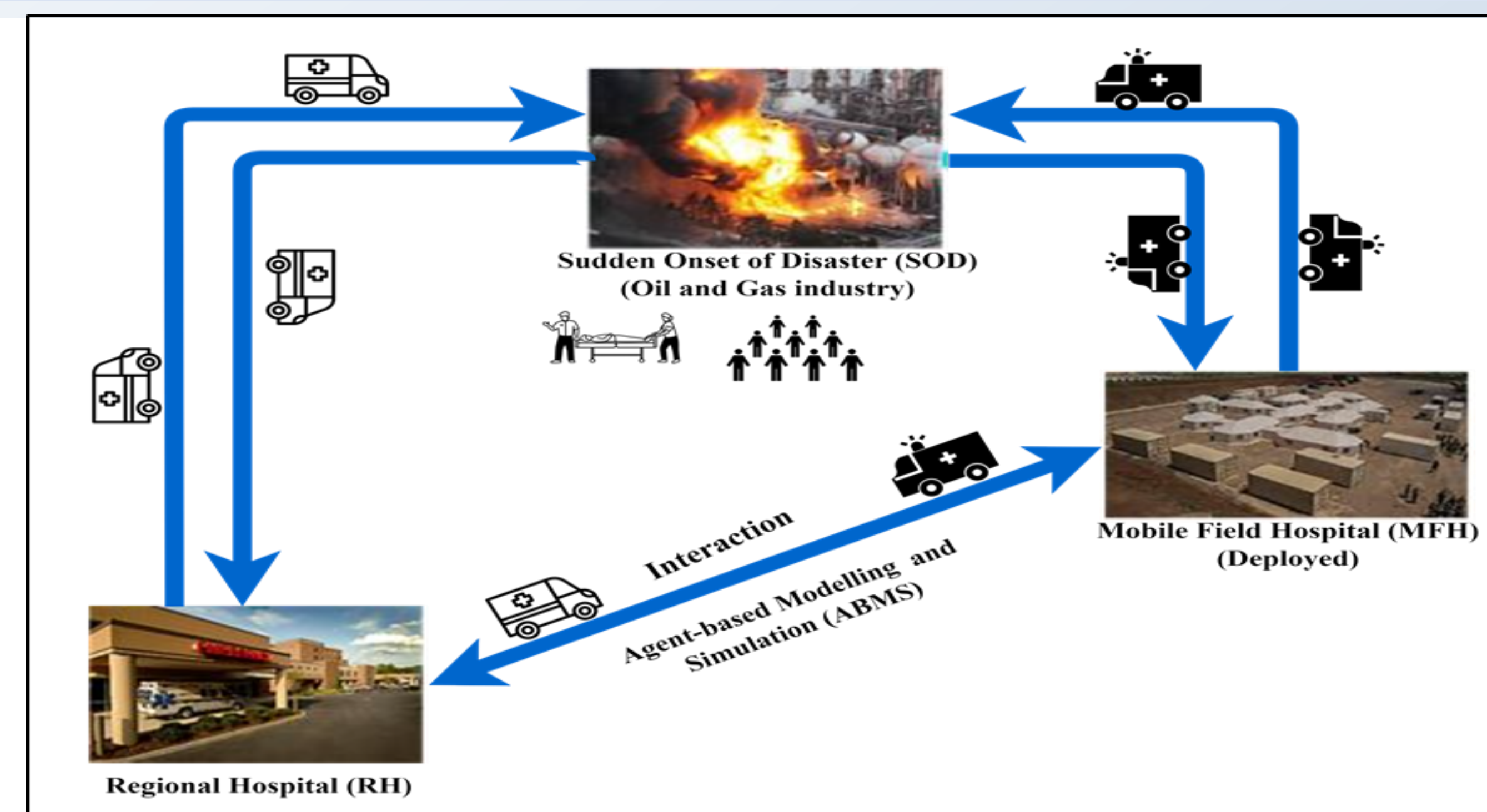


Fig.1: Hypothetical oil and gas industry emergency scenario (Amakama et al,2023)

Part 3: Methodology

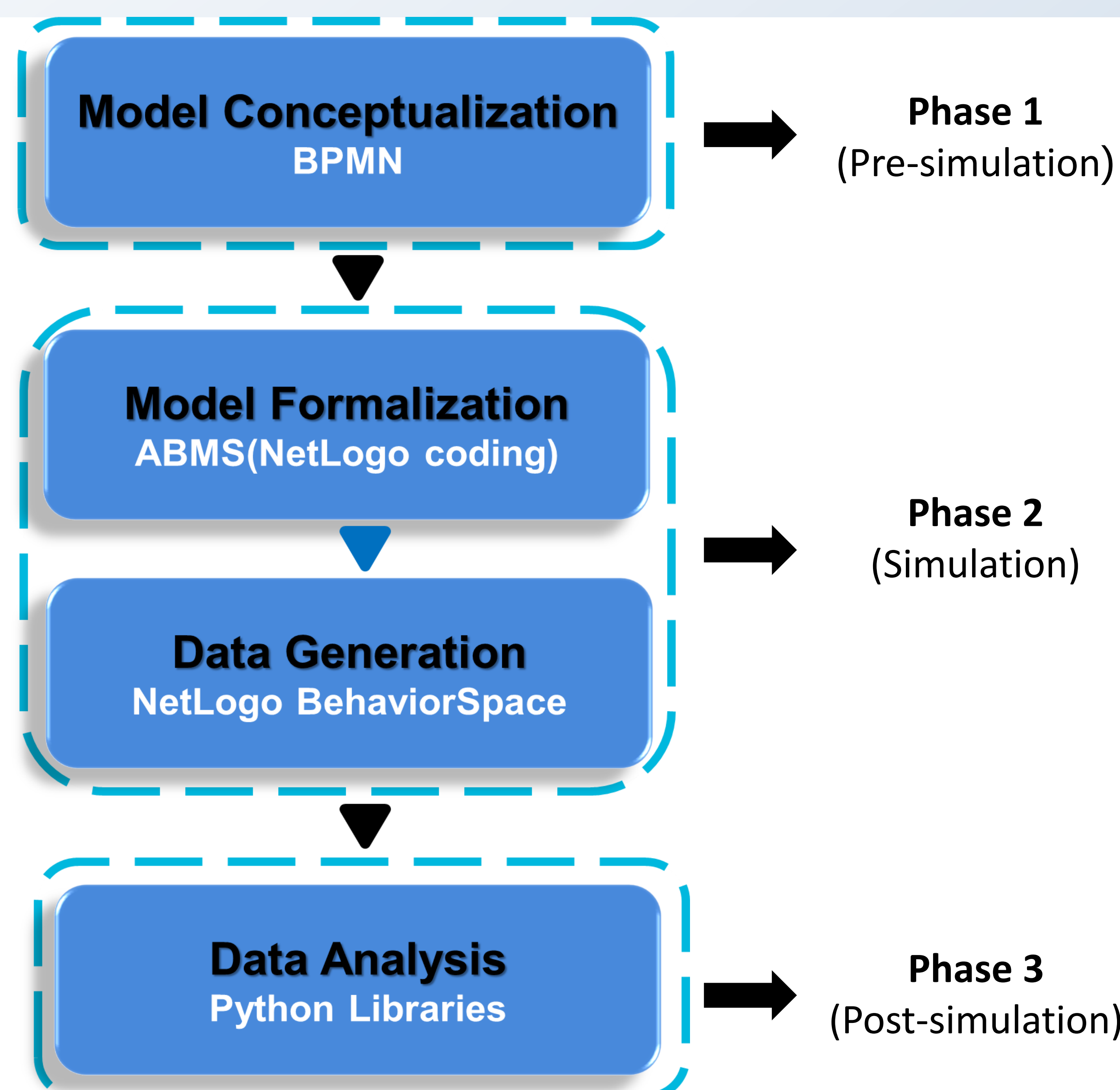


Fig.2: Methodology flow diagram

Part 4: Methodology

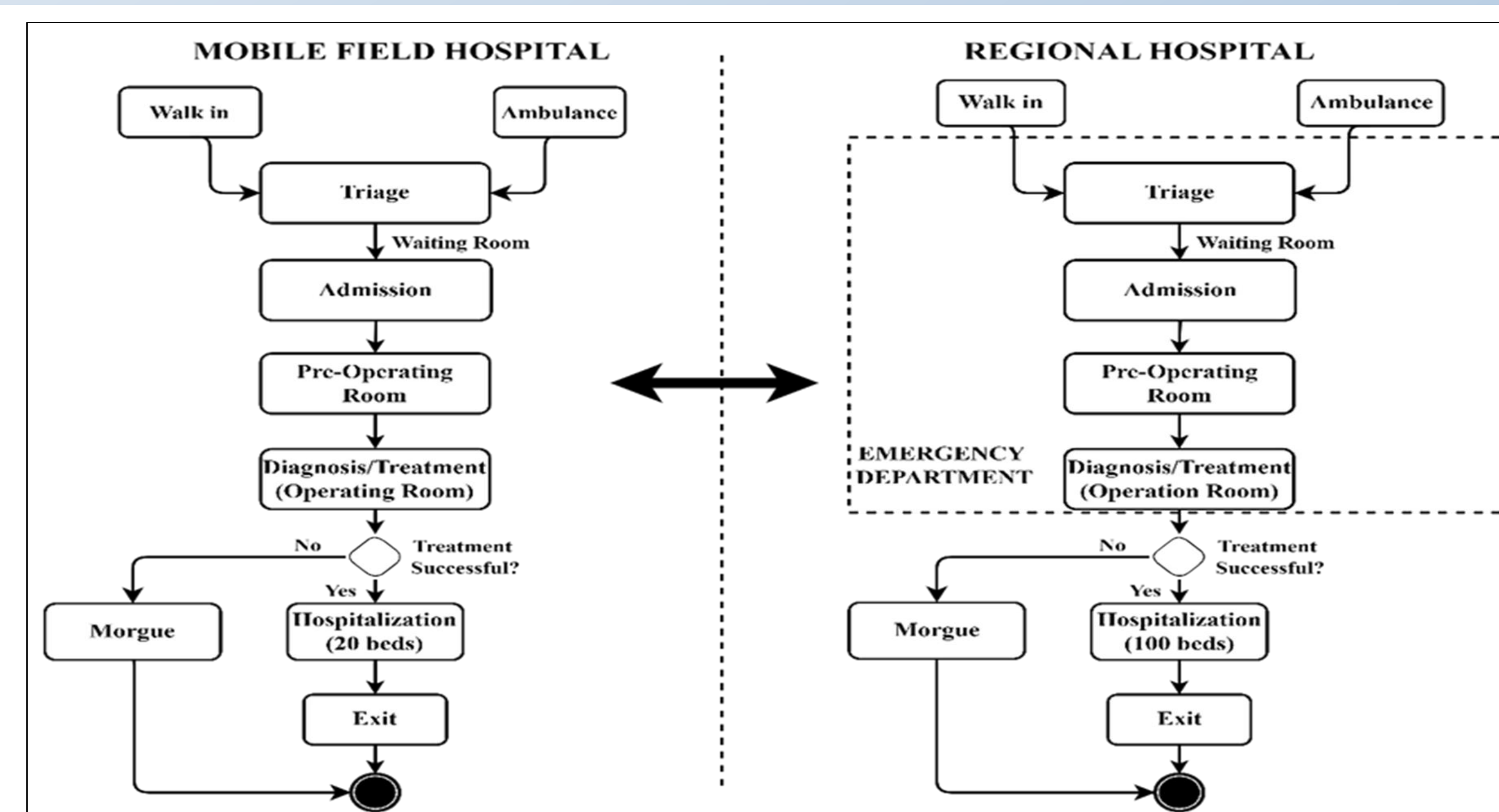


Fig.3: Simplified Interacting Healthcare Systems Conceptualization for Disaster Response (BPMN)

Part 5: Results

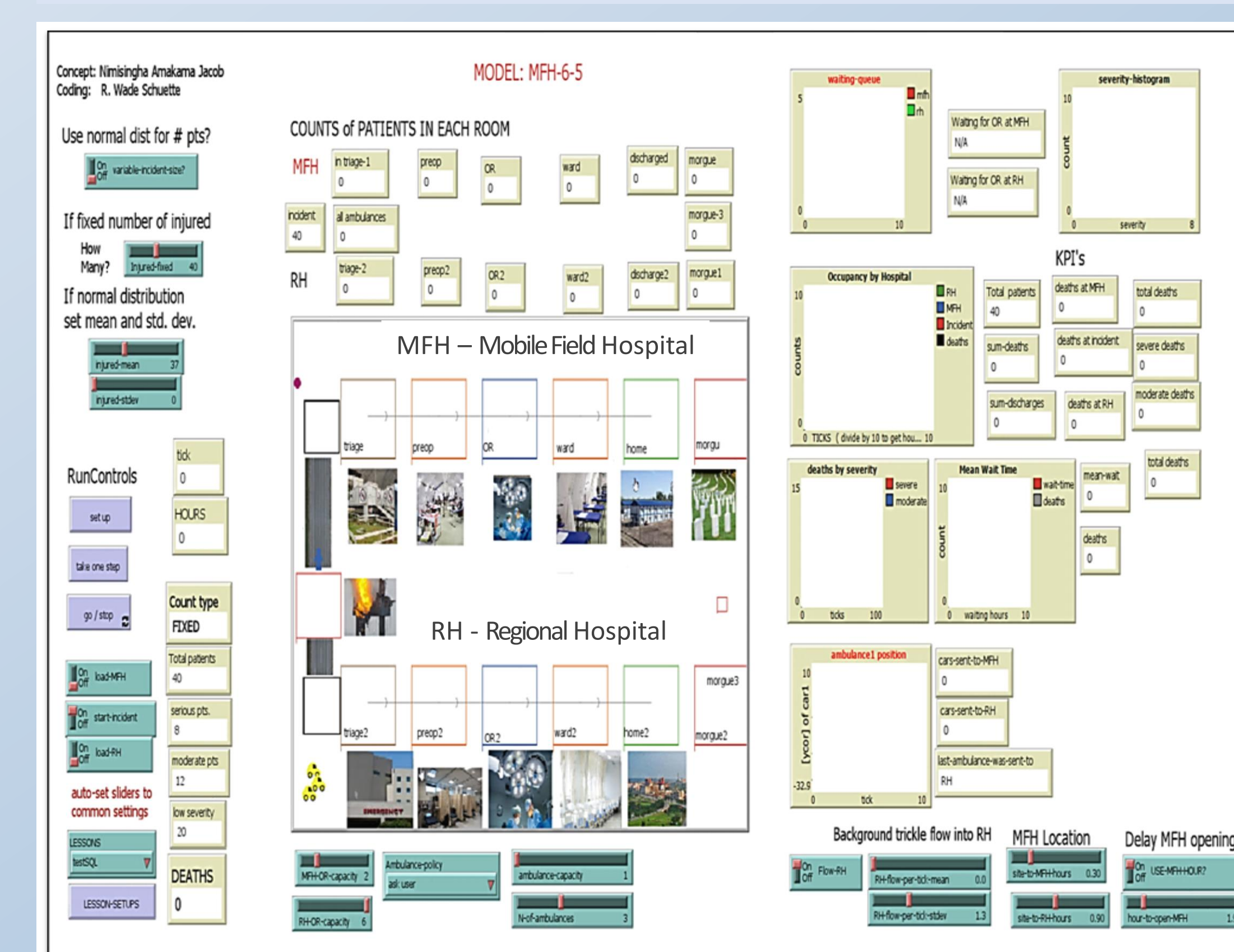


Fig.4: NetLogo (6.3.0) Modelling and Simulation Interface (Amakama et al,2023)

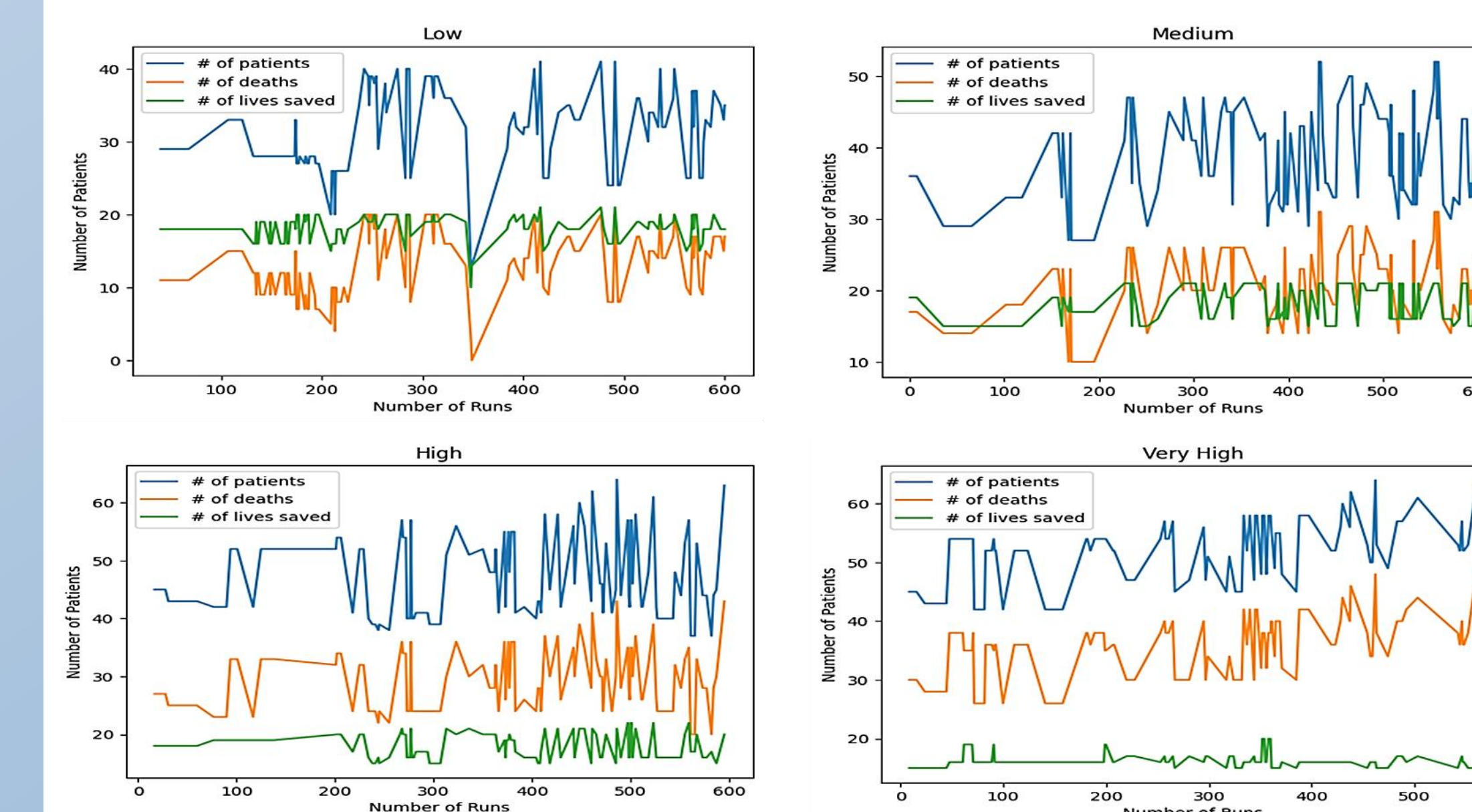


Fig.5: Effects of patient distribution and wait time on mortality outcomes

- Longer wait times and patient distribution results in increased mortality rates

Part 6: Conclusion

- The Modelling and Simulation study indicates a significant relationship between patient distribution, mean wait times and patient mortality outcomes The findings highlights the need for improvement of industrial safety and healthcare processes to reduce mortality outcomes in emergency settings.

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