

Scalable software solutions for driving and parking

Presentation

ADAS software solutions

Overview

Advanced driver
assistance systems



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Requirement



Perception



Sensors



Services



Compute

Entry segment



- Regulations
- Consumer tests (NCAP, ...)
- Driving comfort L1 (ACC, ...)
- Driving comfort L2 with driver-initiated lane changes
- Simple parking use-cases

- Perception (radar and video)
- Fusion

- 1 front video camera
- Up to 4 corner and 1 front radar sensors
- Driver monitoring camera or occupant monitoring camera
- Up to 12 ultrasonic sensors
- Up to 4 surround view cameras

- Vehicle localization:
road hazard warning and road signature behavior
map on road level

- Decentral and central ECU solutions

Mid segment



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- Driving comfort L1
- Driving comfort L2 with hands-free and system-proposed lane changes
- Simple urban driving
- Parking L2 advanced features
- Parking visualization features

- Perception (radar and video)
- Fusion

- 1 front video camera
- 1 optional rear video camera
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- Driver monitoring camera or occupant monitoring camera
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- 4 surround view cameras

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road hazard warning, road signature localization
and behavior map on lane level

- Central ECU solutions

High segment



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- Driving comfort L1
- Driving comfort L2 with hands-free and system-proposed lane changes
- Complex urban parking and driving
- Valet park assist
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- Fusion

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- Optional vehicle localization

- Vehicle localization:
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- Central ECU solutions



Software
stack



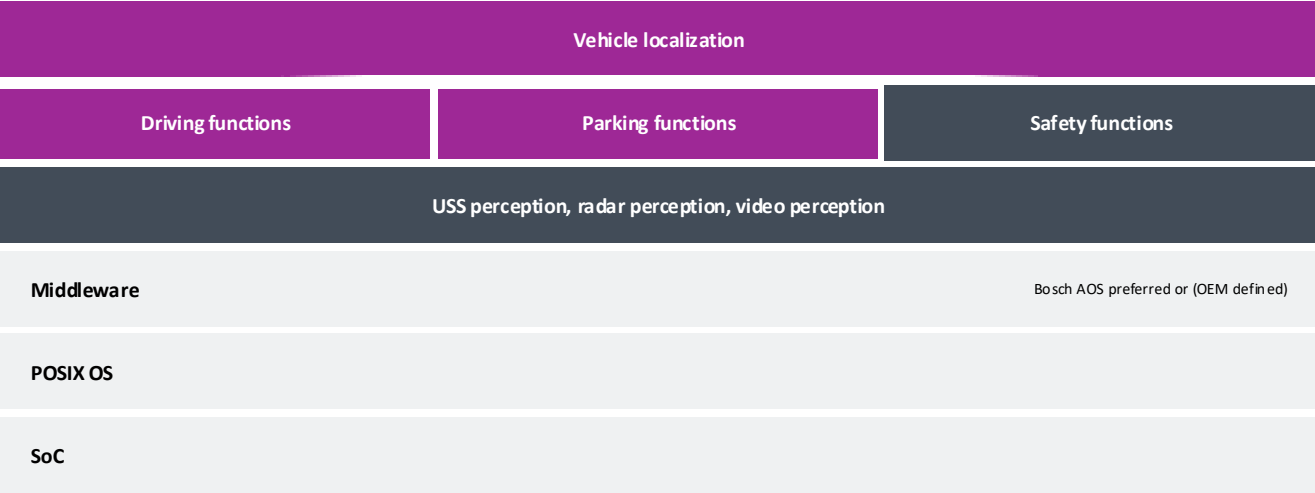
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Portfolio overview

Software stack



Overview

Driving functions

Functions and features



Longitudinal

Adaptive cruise control

- Base
- Stop&go
- Plus

Value-add features

- Braking on standing objects
- Advanced cut in/out prediction
- Red traffic light control

Lateral

Lane centering assist

- Base
- Enhanced
- Plus

Value-add features

- Variable lateral offset
- Roundabout steering assist
- Hands-free

Lane change

Active lane change

- Enhanced
- Plus
- Premium

Value-add features

- Active gap approach
- Hands-free with gaze confirmation

Emergency stop

Emergency stop

- Base
- Enhanced
- Plus

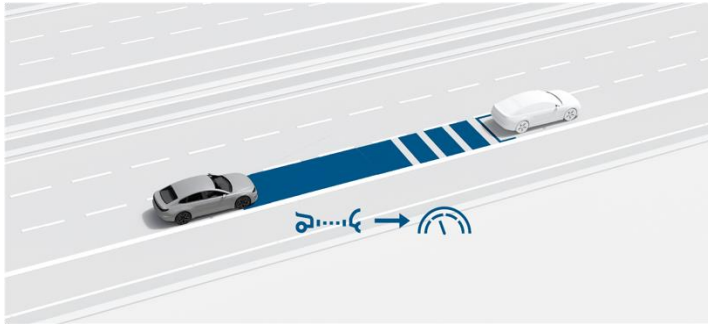
Value-add features

- Stop at outer side of lane
- Park on shoulder



Driving functions

Adaptive cruise control (ACC)



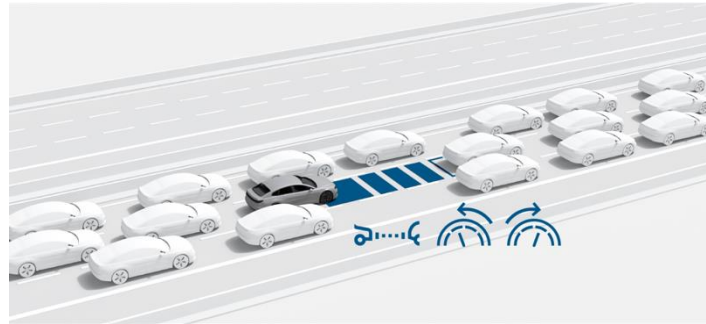
ACC base

Feature description:

- Extends standard cruise control with an automatic adjustment of the speed and distance to preceding vehicles
- Distance to preceding vehicle can be adjusted by driver
- Includes curve speed control

Key benefits:

- Enhanced comfort: relief from adjusting speed & distance to preceding vehicle
- Increased safety: reduces speed before any automatic emergency braking (AEB) feature is triggered



ACC stop & go

Feature description:

- Extends standard ACC base with an automatic adjustment of the speed and distance to the preceding vehicle in stop & go traffic situations

Key benefits:

- Increased comfort: relieve from adjusting speed and distance in dense traffic and stop & go situations such as traffic jams
- Advanced availability: adaptive cruise control can be used within the complete speed range



ACC plus

Feature description:

- Extends ACC stop & go with a predictive, automatic speed adjustment according to actual speed limits and road characteristics

Key benefits:

- Increased comfort: less driver interaction required, more natural driving style
- Increase safety: speed limits are always followed and speeding in curves is avoided
- Supports Euro NCAP: points for (1) automatic ACC set speed adaptation or (2) allowing the driver to change the set speed manually



Adaptive cruise control (ACC): Value-add features



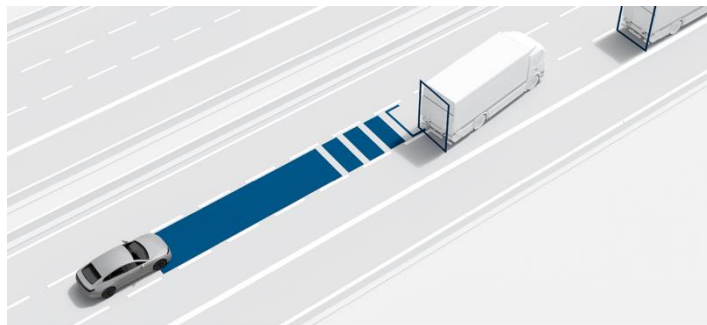
Braking on standing objects

Feature description:

- Decelerates comfortably to standing vehicles in the ego lane
- The feature is continuously extended to higher ego vehicle speeds and supports up to 130 kph

Key benefits:

- Increased safety: reduces ego vehicle speed before AEB features are triggered
- Extended availability: no driver interaction is needed when approaching a standing vehicle



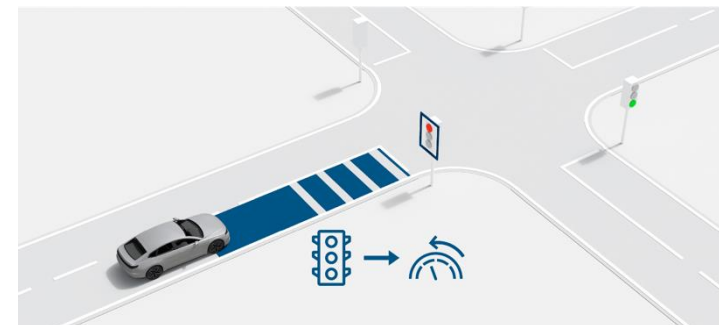
Advanced cut in /out prediction

Feature description:

- Anticipates maneuvers by preceding and neighboring vehicles on multi-lane roads
- Trained neural network identifies lane changes of neighboring vehicles into ego lane proactively and enables a more natural ACC reaction
- Different regional traffic behavior can be trained and reflected in neural network

Key benefits:

- Enhanced comfort: faster reaction of ACC to lane change maneuvers of neighboring or preceding vehicles
- Increased safety: safety distance is achieved sooner when neighboring vehicles change into ego lane



Red traffic light control

Feature description:

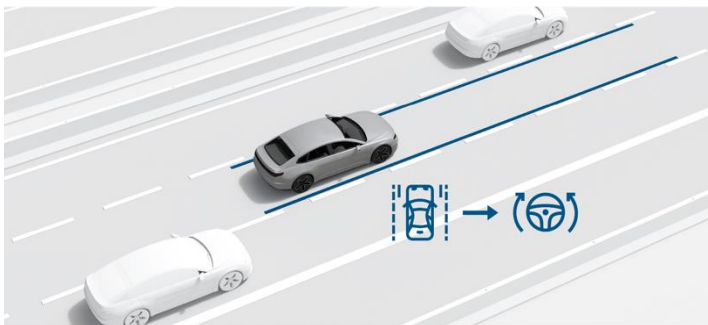
- Red traffic light control decelerates the vehicle and stops when a traffic light turns or is red
- The right traffic light is identified based on turn signal triggered by driver
- The identification of the right traffic light can be enhanced when navigation route information is provided

Key benefits:

- Enhanced comfort: automatically stops at traffic lights without driver intervention
- Increased safety: supports in awareness and reaction to traffic lights

Driving functions

Lane centering assist (LCA)



LCA base

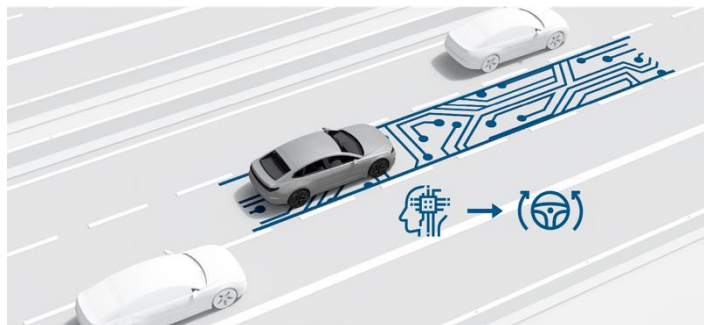
Feature description:

- Continuously supports the driver by keeping the vehicle centered in its lane
- Can be activated when clear lane markings are present
- The driver can intervene at any time seamlessly via the steering wheel

Key benefits:

- Increased comfort: actively keeps vehicle in its lane
- Enhanced safety: prevents drifting outside of lane
- Supports achievement of up to 5 stars in Euro NCAP
- Availability: above 90 % on highways and 80 % on all roads*

*Based on Bosch reference route



LCA enhanced

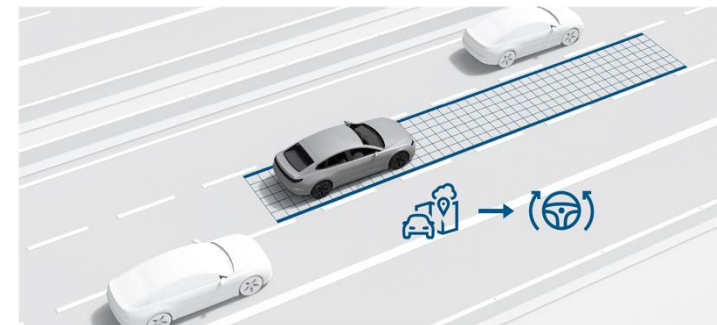
Feature description:

- Keeps the vehicle centered in its lane when line markings are not perfectly visible or only partly present
- Higher availability and natural driving position through a model trained with field data

Key benefits:

- Increased comfort: extended foresight and more natural steering behavior through real-life training
- Enhanced safety: offers support when limited guidance is available for driver
- Availability: above 98 % on highways and 93 % on all roads*

*Based on Bosch reference route



LCA plus

Feature description:

- Keeps the vehicle centered in lane for nearly any driving situation, lane marking visibility and presence
- The vehicle position is determined via video or radar sensor data and a constantly updated localization map layer
- The lateral position is determined with a map-based planning layer which is created with field data from other vehicles

Key benefits:

- Increased comfort: natural and precise positioning of vehicle in driving lane
- Enhanced safety: offers support when limited guidance or visibility is available for driver
- Availability: 97 % overall, 99 % highway*

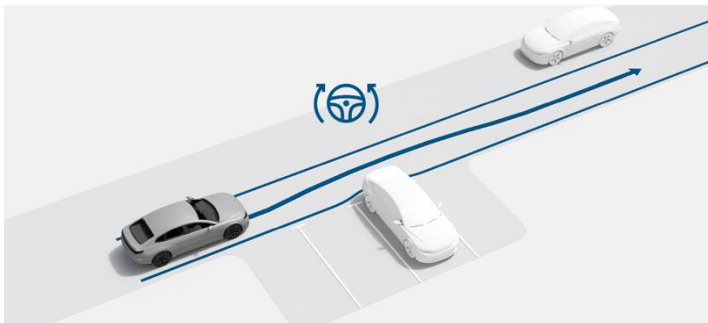
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Lane centering assist (LCA): Value-add features



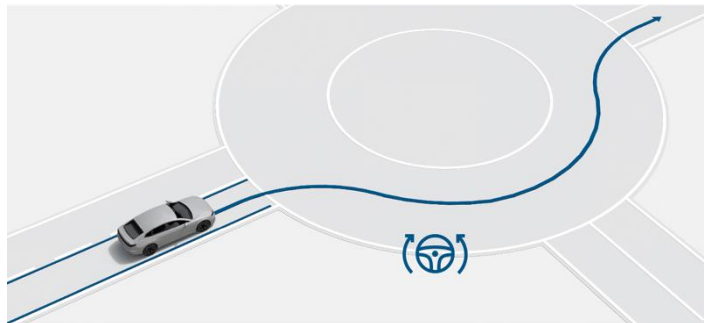
LCA variable lateral offset

Feature description:

- Multi-lane roads: continuously monitors lateral position of neighboring vehicles and adjusts the ego vehicle position within its lane to ensure a safe distance
- Urban driving: handles static objects reaching into driving lane and increases safety distance towards dynamic objects in front of vehicle close to ego vehicle lane

Key benefits:

- Increased safety: reduces risk of side collisions on multi-lane roads and in urban areas
- Extended comfort: more natural and foresighted lane centering by incorporating other traffic participants



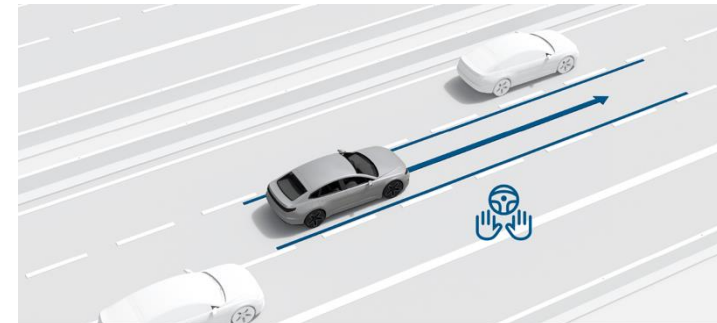
LCA roundabout steering assist

Feature description:

- Provides support in roundabouts by using data-driven models trained with real-life data
- The vehicle is automatically steered into the roundabout and follows it until the driver actively steers towards the exit

Key benefits:

- Extended availability: lane centering assistance in roundabouts
- Increased comfort: support in unaccustomed driving situations



LCA hands-free

Feature description:

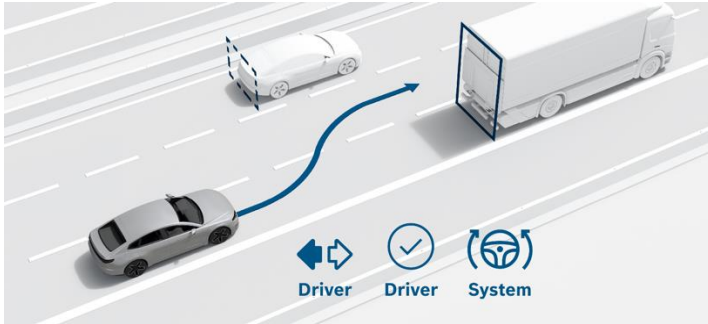
- Allows the driver to keep hands off the steering wheel if pre-defined conditions are met
- Independent monitoring module assesses all relevant conditions simultaneously to ensure a safe operation of L2 hands-free driving
- Available on motorways with physical separation of driving directions and access limited to passenger cars, trucks and motorcycles
- Supported driving speed up to 138 kph (85 mph)

Key benefits:

- Increased comfort: allows drivers to take their hands off the steering wheel and focus on monitoring the drive
- Increased safety: uses additional monitoring systems for activation of hands-free driving

Driving functions

Active lane change (ALC)



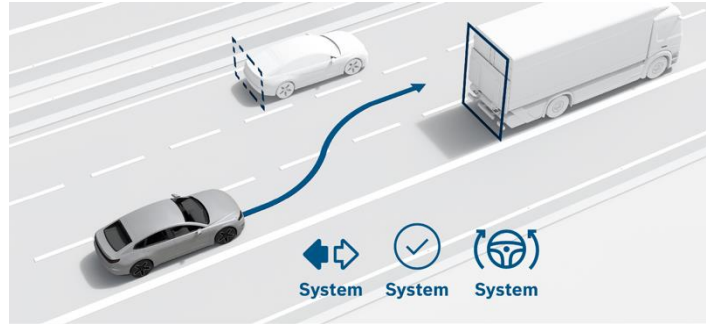
ALC enhanced

Feature description:

- Assists the driver in conducting an actively triggered lane change on multi-lane roads
- Verifies sufficient vacancy in neighboring target lane to conduct lane change
- Accelerates or decelerates during lane change to reach ideal speed for target lane sooner

Key benefits:

- Increased comfort: supports driver in conducting lane changes and ensuring target lane vacancy
- Enhanced safety: additional monitoring of neighboring lanes to ensure safe lane change



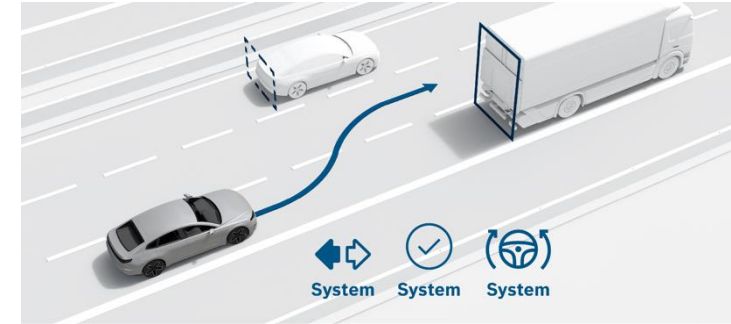
ALC plus

Feature description:

- Proposes lane change to the driver according to traffic situation and navigation route information
- Driver can confirm via turn signal or gaze into the side mirror
- System fully performs lane change after driver conformation

Key benefits:

- Increased comfort: constantly monitors overall traffic situation and automatically proposes a lane change
- Added safety: system waits for driver confirmation before performing a lane change
- Enhanced support: proactively proposes lane change when required by navigation route



ALC premium

Feature description:

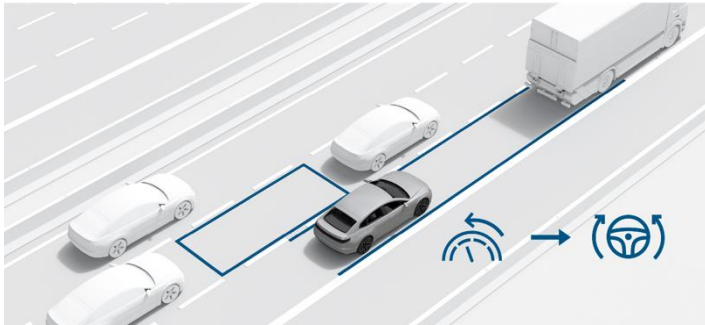
- System automatically initiates and conducts lane change according to traffic situation
- No driver confirmation necessary
- Optional notification in advance to allow driver cancellation

Key benefits:

- Enhanced comfort: comprehensive lane change functionality relieves the driver on multi-lane roads



Active lane change (ALC): Value-add features



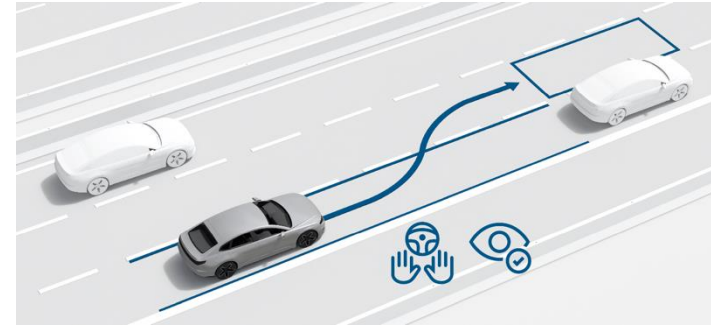
Active gap approach

Feature description:

- Prepares system-initiated lane change with an optimal positioning of the ego vehicle according to the target lane traffic
- Positions vehicle next to an insufficient gap and monitors widening of gap and supports zipper rule at merging sections

Key benefits:

- Assist the driver in heavy and stressful traffic situations when a lane change is planned by the system



Hands-free with gaze confirmation

Feature description:

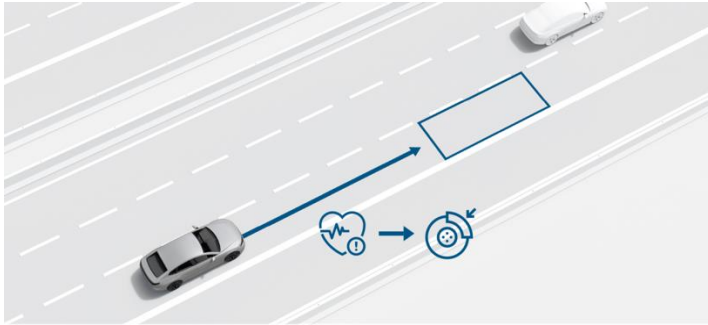
- Completes hands-free driving with lane changes
- Extended safety concept covers driver controllability
- Recommended in combination with lane change proposal and gaze confirmation for full hands-free driver experience

Key benefits:

- Increased comfort: fulfills driver's expectations of a fully hands-free experience on multi-lane roads

Driving functions

Emergency stop (EST)



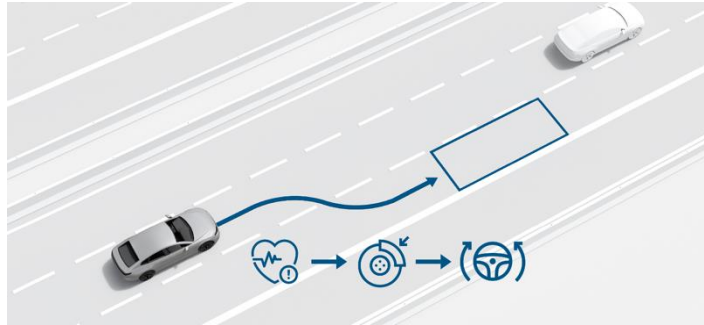
EST base

Feature description:

- Brings the vehicle to a full stop in its current lane if the driver is unable to control his car (e.g. due to a health issue)
- Driver monitoring or driver state system detects unconscious driver and activates feature
- Driver reactivation phase with warning cascade (audio, haptic, brake jerks) is followed by deceleration up to standstill

Key benefits:

- Increased safety: reduces accident risk by reacting to an unconscious driver with a stop within its own lane



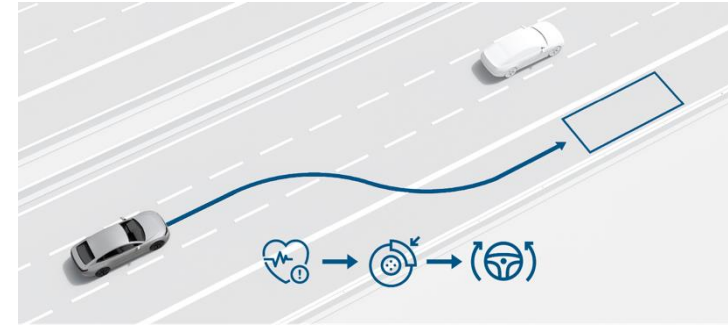
EST enhanced

Feature description:

- Brings the vehicle to a full stop on the slowest lane if the driver is unable to control his car
- During the maneuver, the vehicle can conduct lane changes to the far-right lane (Active lane change feature required)
- Risk optimized parking position can be achieved via additional value-add features

Key benefits:

- Increased safety: reduces accident risk by reacting to unconscious driver behavior with a full stop including lane changes to the slowest lane (right or left depending on target region)



EST plus

Feature description:

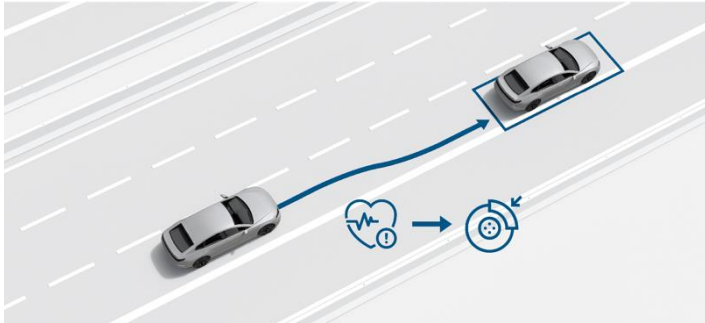
- Brings the vehicle to a full stop on the emergency shoulder if the driver is unable to control his car
- During the maneuver the vehicle can conduct lane changes up to the emergency hard shoulder (Active lane change feature required)

Key benefits:

- Increased safety: reduce accident risk by reacting to unconscious driver behavior with a full autonomous lane change and stop on shoulder



Emergency stop (EST): Value-add features



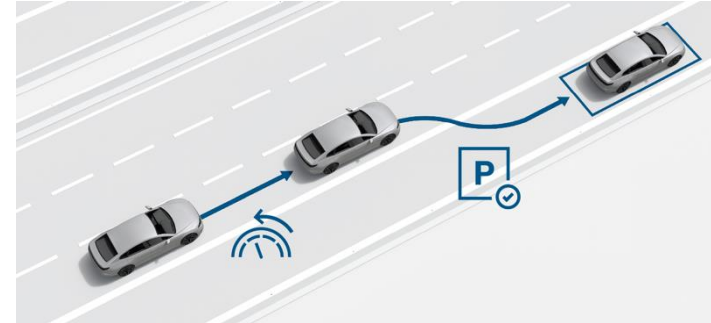
Stop at outer side of lane

Feature description:

- Brings ego vehicle to a full stop at the outer side of the lane
- Ego vehicle is steered towards one side of the ego lane before stopping
- If the vehicle is on one of the middle lanes, no offset is applied

Key benefits:

- Increased safety: reduces accident risk by increasing the safety distance to other road users



Park on shoulder

Feature description:

- Maneuvers the vehicle onto the emergency shoulder after slowing down to parking speed on the slowest lane
- Park on shoulder maneuver is performed by the parking system, its sensors and capabilities (i.e. speed)
- Can be combined with Emergency stop base and enhanced

Key benefits:

- Increased safety: reduce risk of collisions with following traffic by maneuvering the vehicle onto the emergency shoulder
- Reduced cost: implement feature by using the parking system

Parking functions

Overview



Features and functions

Pallet garage assist with maneuvering (JP and CN) Automated parking	Narrow parking with garage use case Automated parking	Automated park assist with short duration Automated parking	Video perception with early detection Advanced video perception
Map localization including visualization Trained and valet parking	Homezone park assist Gen 2 Trained and valet parking	MVP valet park assist Early parking lot detection (CNN based) with seamless transition from offering to park-in Trained and valet parking	Virtual surround view Enhanced visualization
Maneuver steering support Maneuver support	Transparent trailer view Trailer	Anywhere parking trailer Trailer	Remote parking Park anywhere with android based advanced SVS on your mobile phone Automated parking

Addressed UX targets

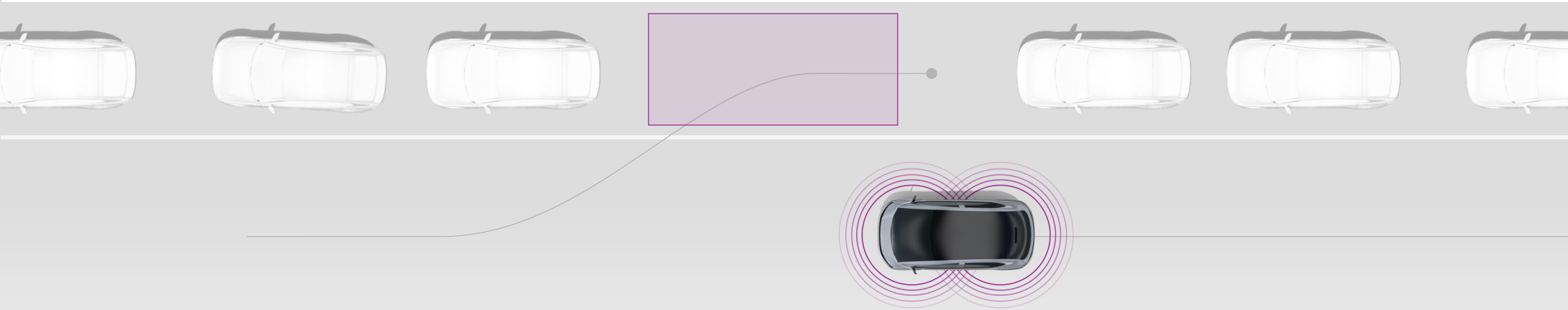
- The system shall be **available** in cases where the driver feels uncomfortable!
- The system shall be quicker than the driver and do parking in outstanding **duration**!
- The driver shall be **aware** of the personal benefit of automated parking!
- The driver shall be excited to use the system and feel safe!



Parking functions



Understanding user experience for parking



Awareness

"I didn't even know I have this kind of parking feature!"

"I don't know how to activate this feature!"

Availability

"The feature is not showing the parking spot I like to park!"

Execution

"It takes too long to get parked."

"I'm not able to get things out of the car comfortable."

Holistic experience

"I feel unsafe, because I don't know what is happening"

"I don't use IPA due to bad experiences in the past."

Regular executed studies worldwide (EU, NA, CN, JP,...) with ~ 500 participants



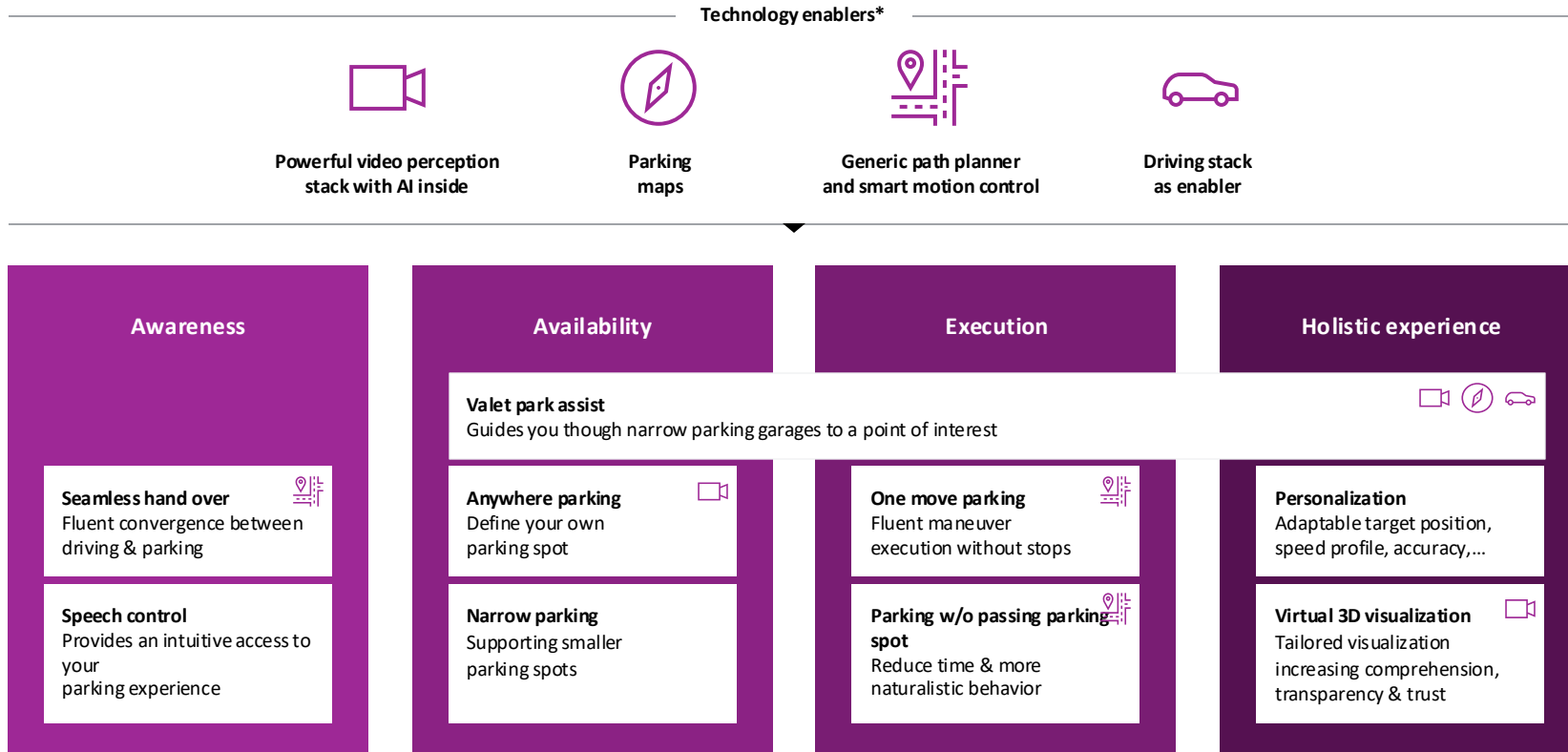
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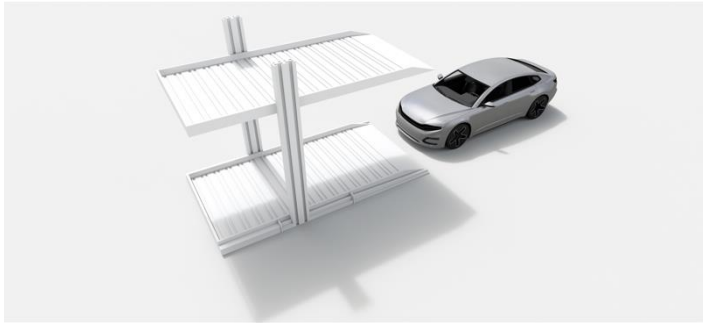
Shaping best in class user experience for parking



*assuming higher computing power and SoC architectures

Parking functions

Pallet garage assist



Detection and visualization

Feature description

- Detect pallet garage with classic CV algo and then activate specific visualizations to support the driver
- Near range camera system 2 based vehicle

Customer benefits

- Bosch is working on solutions for complex and regional parking use cases
- Detection and visualization is the first level of driver support



With automated maneuvering

Feature description

- Detect pallet with ML based algo (instead of classic CV in demo before) and add automated maneuvering
- Near range camera system 2 based vehicle + external hardware for ML based approach

Customer benefits

- Compare CV based and ML based detection solutions
- Show automated maneuvering as prototype and use it for further focused analysis

Parking functions

Narrow parking



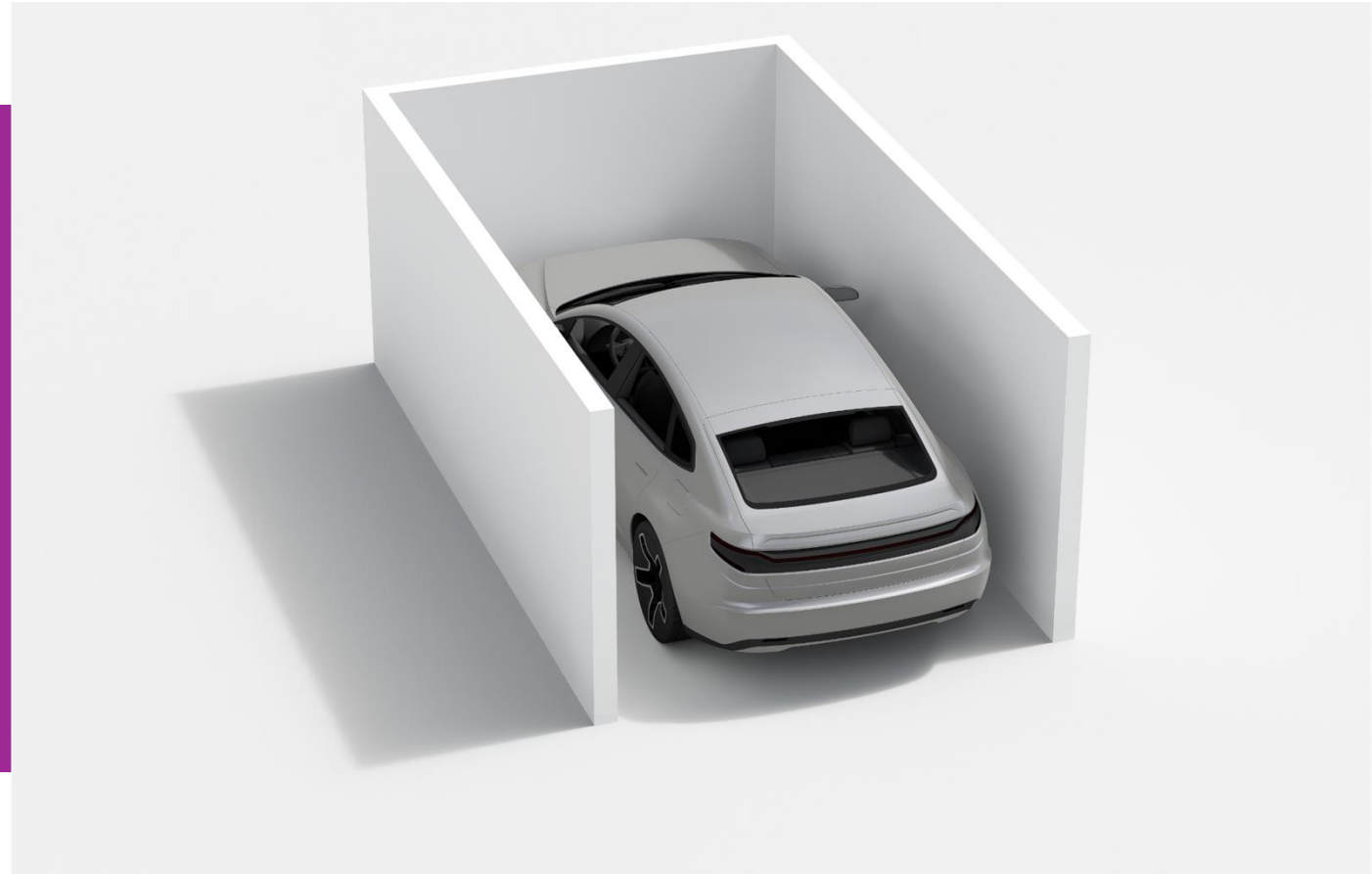
Development of new concept in OneParking architecture how to handle narrow spaces

Feature description

- Show special handling of narrow areas and how this differs from environment handling of usual areas
- Prove of the new concepts for narrow areas especially garages

Customer benefits

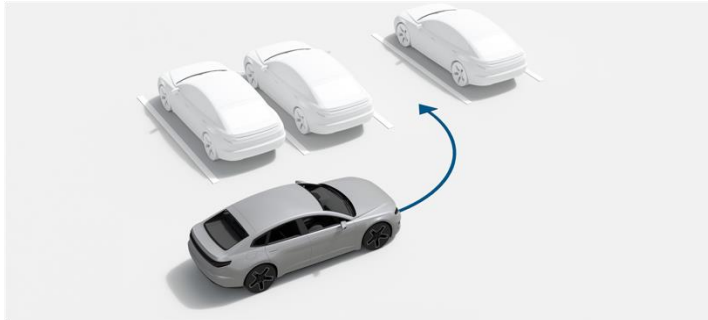
- By detection and special handling of narrow situations they can be managed without negative effects on other usual situations





Parking functions

Automated park assist (APA)



APA USS only on POSIX with generic path planner

Feature description

- APA based on new OneParking architecture and algorithms running in vehicle
- Basic use cases to prove new concepts like the generic path planner

Customer benefits

- Show APA running on POSIX system
- Show a parking function using algorithms that have not been available on previous generations



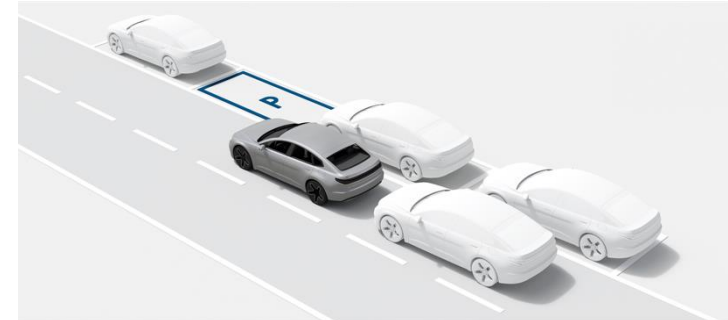
APA fusion based on POSIX and new use cases

Feature description

- Run APA in fused system (Ultrasonic sensors + video perception input) and use new video perception algorithms in APA e.g. video-based park space detection, CNN based, early detection
- Show new APA use cases e.g. parking into last slot before wall

Customer benefits

- Show performance of new video perception algos
- Show capability of generic path planner
- Show portability of parking functions to different SoCs



APA with short duration

Feature description

- Main complaint related to APA in old generations was “maneuvers taking too long”
- Show new implementations that cope with this complaint by improving absolute parking duration (time from activation till finish) and also felt duration (driver feeling)

Customer benefits

- Function execution focused on improved UX

Parking functions

Video perception with early detection



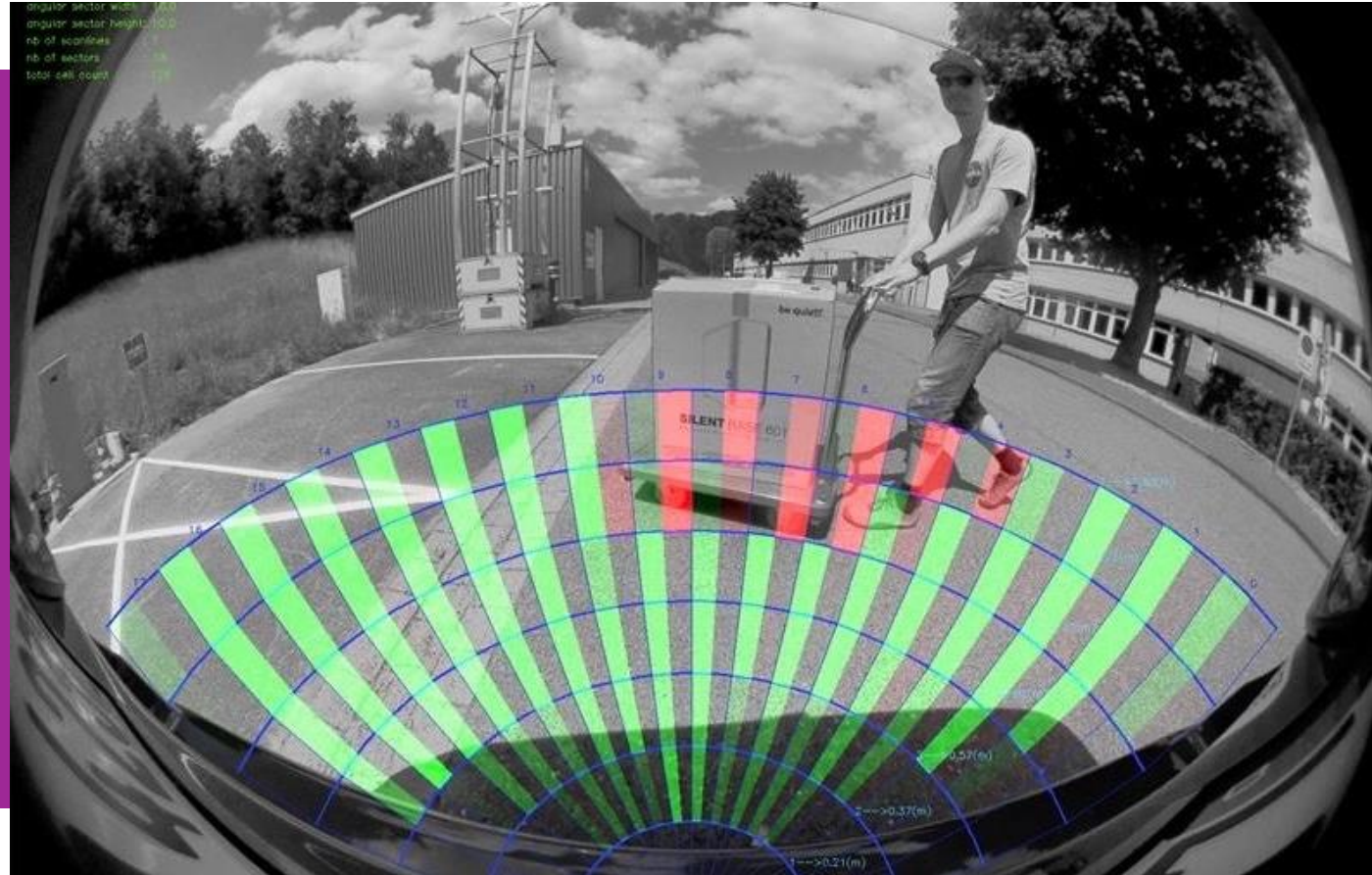
Computer vision algorithms as an enabler for advanced parking functions and visualization

Feature description

- PF-Demo of video perception S1/S2 in vehicle with visualization
- Video perception features: Semantic segmentation, StixelNet, freespace, parking spot detection, vehicle detection, pedestrian detection, blockage

Key benefits

- Reliable and early detection of objects and parking slots
- Enables natural way of parking (front-in approach)



Parking functions

Map localization



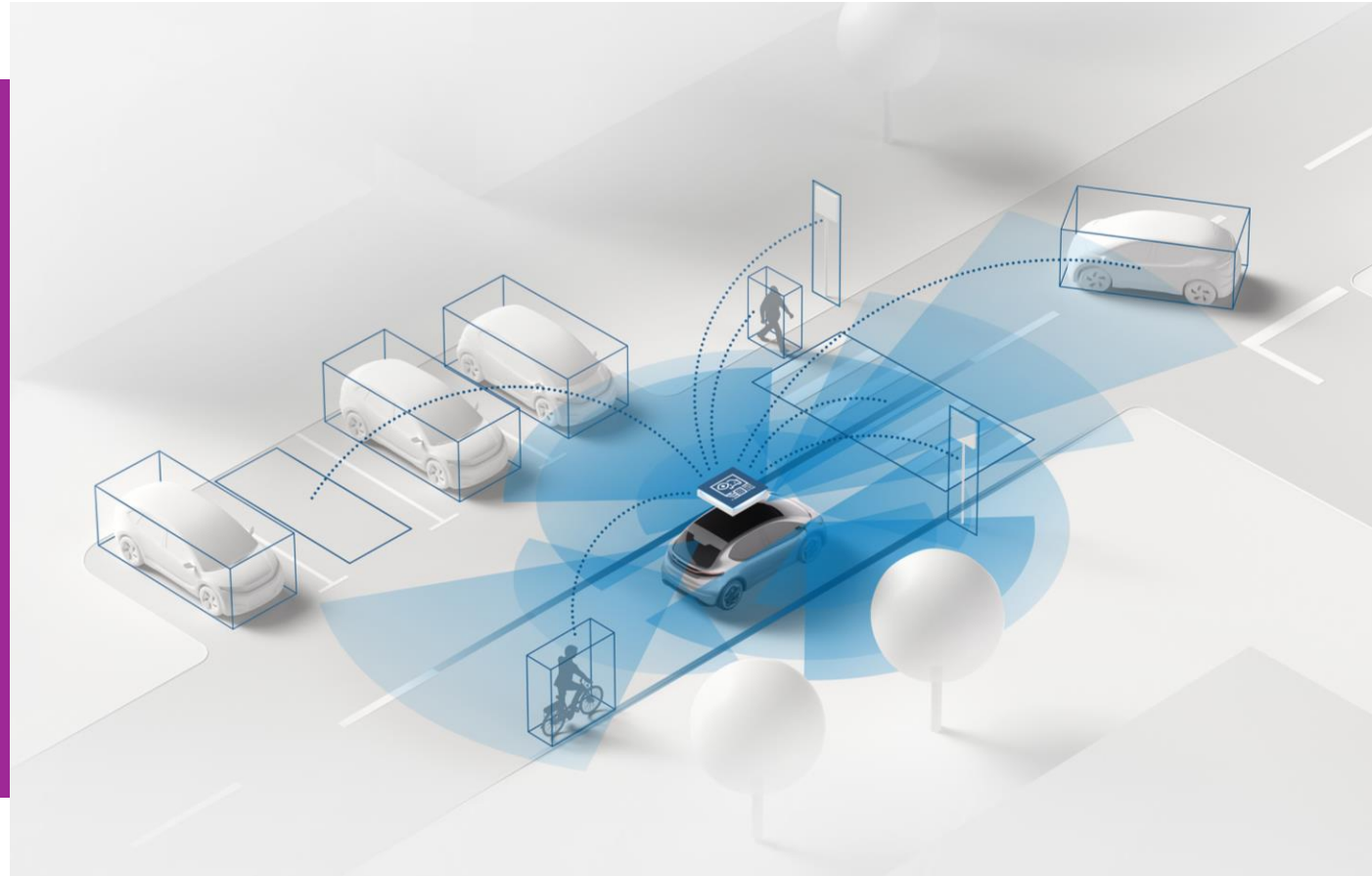
Advanced mapping and localization as an enabler for advanced parking functions

Feature description

- Single-source mapping of public underground garage + generic localizer for home zone

Key benefits

- Crowd-sourced mapping (based on fleet data) to continuously enable availability and accuracy of advanced functions
- Enables long distance cruise, generic path planning for e.g. object evasion during maneuver
- Enables seamless transition between cruise and parking maneuver



Parking functions

Homezone park assist generation 2



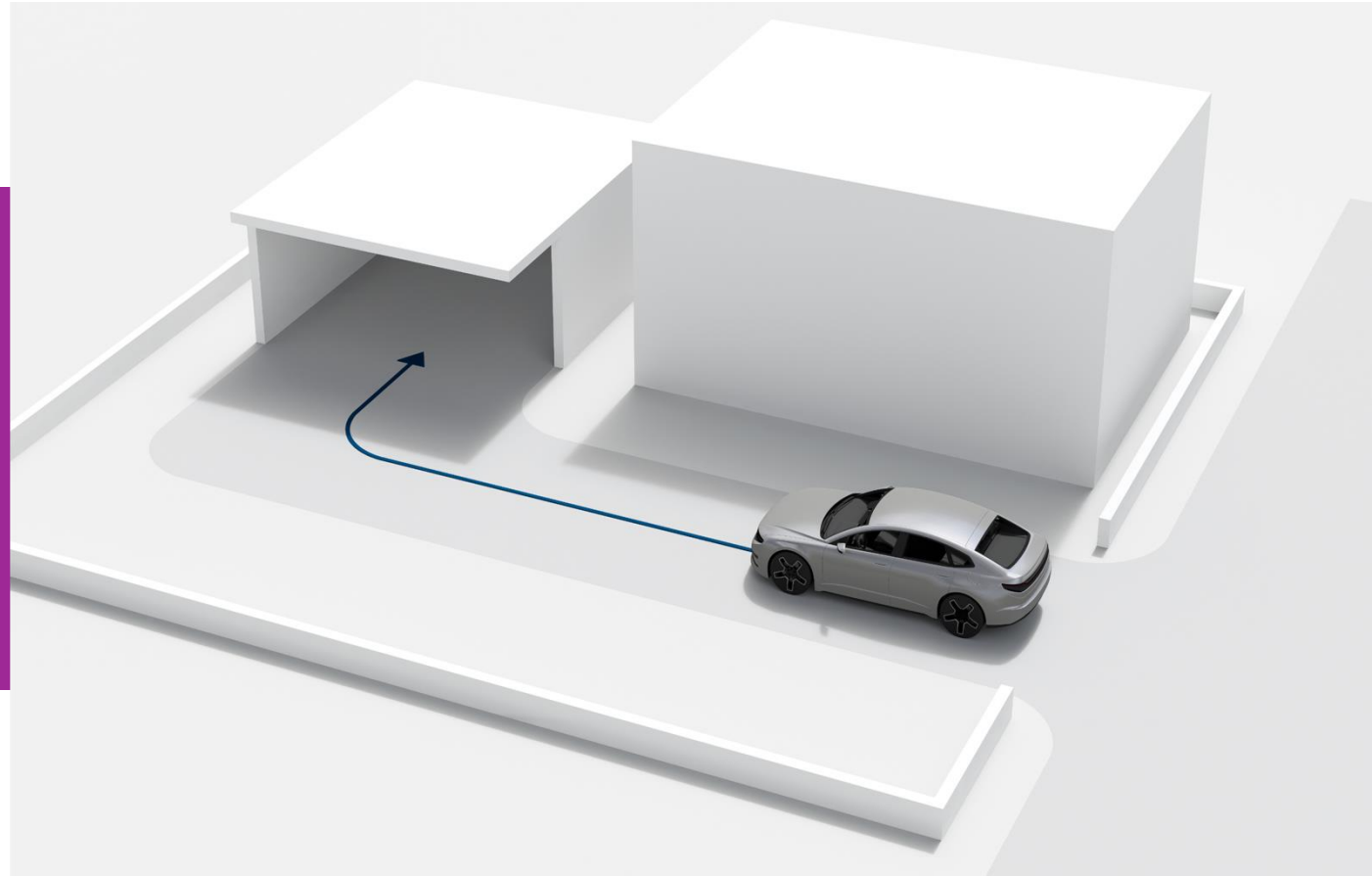
A trained trajectory is stored and replayed

Feature description

- Parking space search while driving on trajectory using advance mapping and localization

Customer benefits

- Training of trajectory without driver interaction
- Up to 10 kph guidance speed



Parking functions

MVP valet park assist



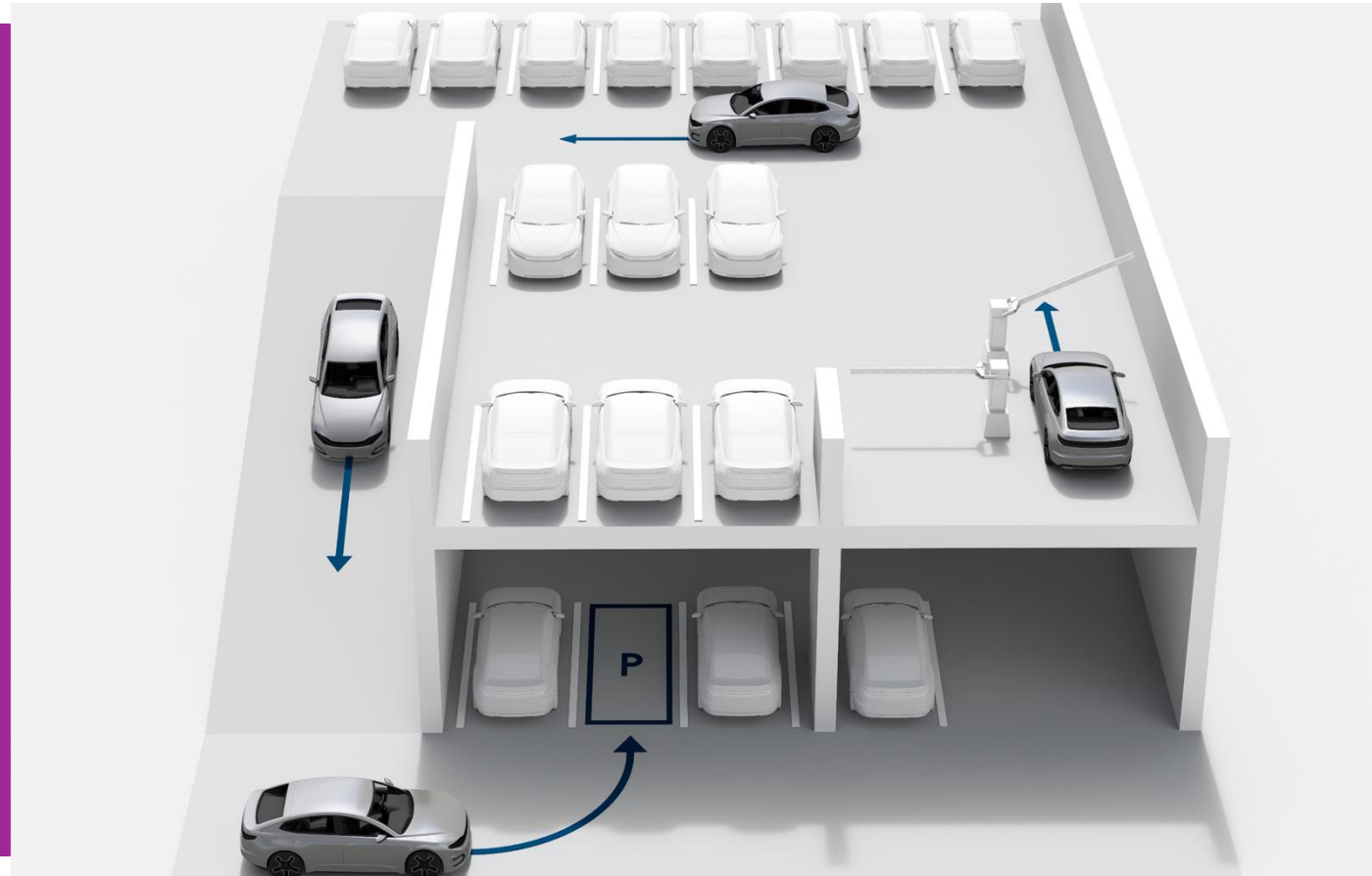
Parking assistance on large facilities

Feature description

- Experience a parking system that is specifically designed for human-like parking on large parking lots (malls, airport parkings, ...) as one building block of a valet park assist
- Combine high availability and flexibility automated park assist, intelligent slot preselection and seamless handover to a fully new experience for parking on large parking facilities

Customer benefits

- Hand over seamlessly from manual driving to automated guidance while driving at any time the driver prefers
- Park with a minimum of user interaction
- No need to stop, no need to pass by the parking lot
- Intelligent parking space preselection
- Visual guidance before steering is released



Parking functions

Virtual surround view



Showing a virtual surrounding with maneuver relevant objects

Feature description

- Rendering of virtual environment containing recognized objects

Customer benefits

- Gives orientation and trust while maneuvering by depicting the perception of the system
- End customer fascination
- Makes parking easier by giving an overview of the surroundings



Parking functions

Maneuver steering support

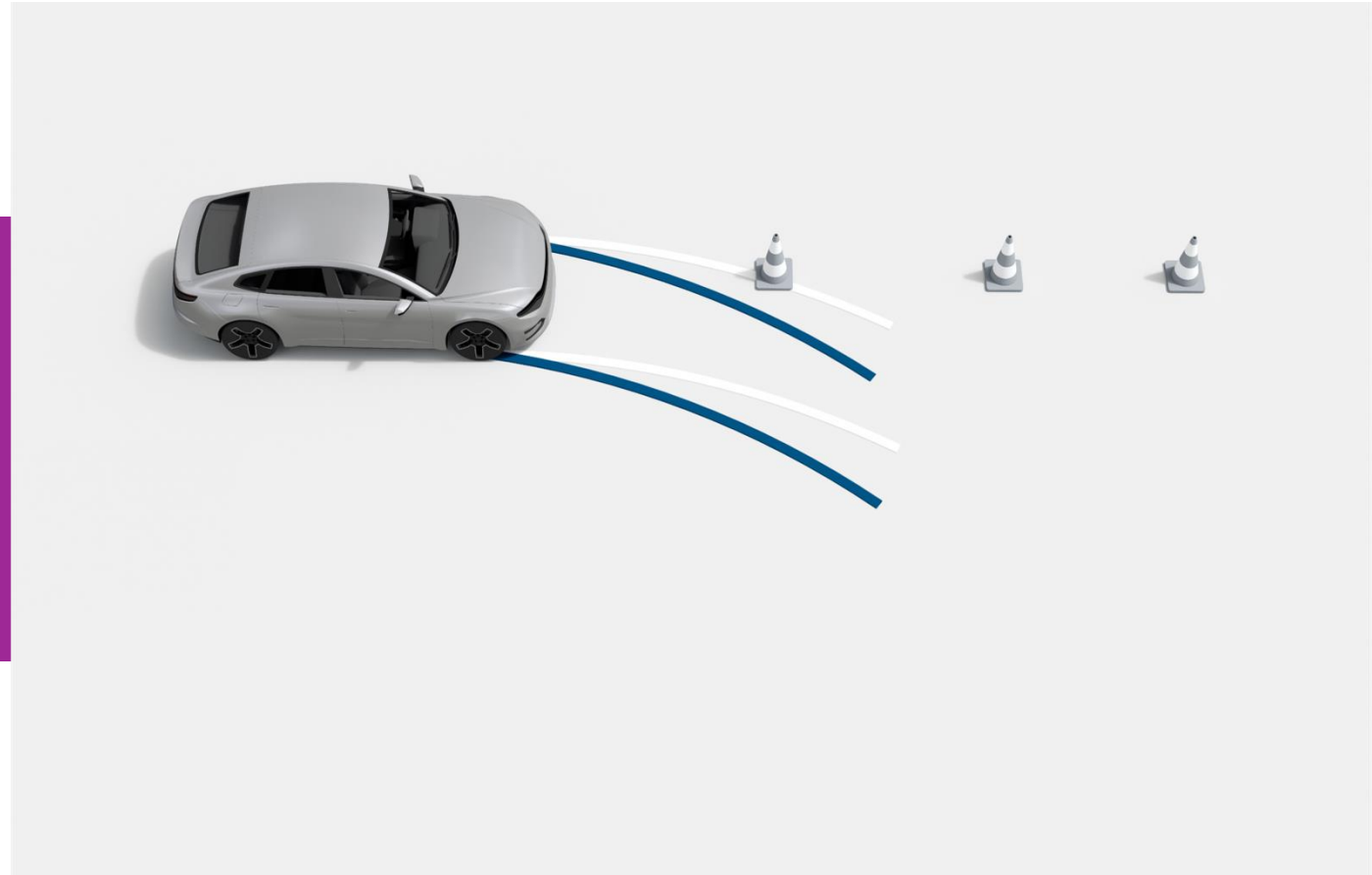


Feature description

- Haptic steering interventions to avoid front, rear and side collisions and assist with steering in narrow forward and backward maneuver situation

Customer benefits

- Helps to avoid vehicle damages while maneuvering
- Stress relief by assisting the driver in low-speed maneuvers in tight parking spaces or narrow lanes/alleys



Parking functions

Remote park assist

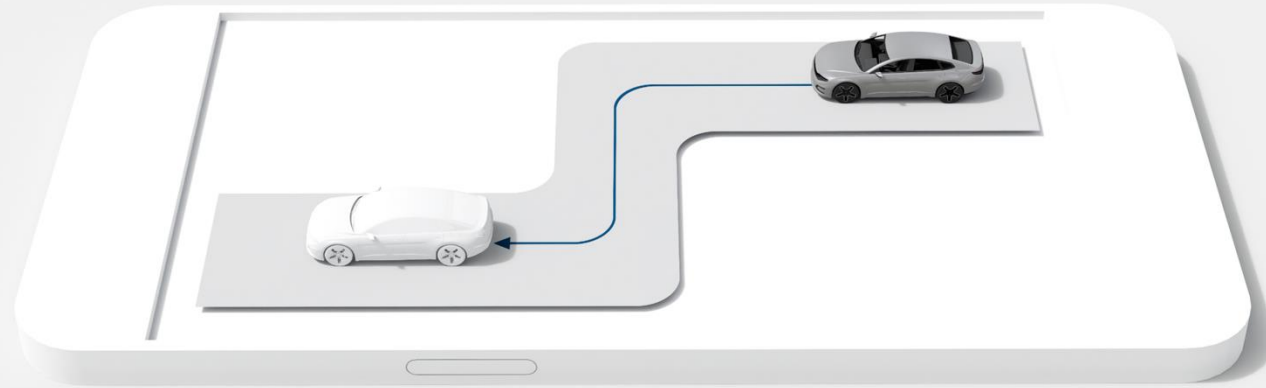


Feature description

- Remote control parking via mobile device within a 6 m range
- Seamless park-in and park-out functionality
- Convenient maneuvering in narrow spaces

Customer benefits

- Effortless parking and unparking in tight spots
- Reduced stress and time spent searching for parking
- Enhanced comfort for entering and leaving the car



Parking functions

Anywhere parking trailer

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Feature description

- Makes trailer's walls "disappear" in a console display

Customer benefits

- See "through" the obstructed view of a towed trailer
- Aids in maneuvering and reversing with augmented rear visualization



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Parking functions

Transparent trailer view

Advanced driver
assistance systems



Feature description

- Allows a driver to freely select a target parking spot based on the top view to automatically park a trailer

Customer benefits

- Makes parking a trailer less stressful
- Does not require driving past a spot
- Intuitive display for position and adjustment



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Vehicle localization

Absolute and relative positioning

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Vehicle localization



Satellite based
Absolute positioning

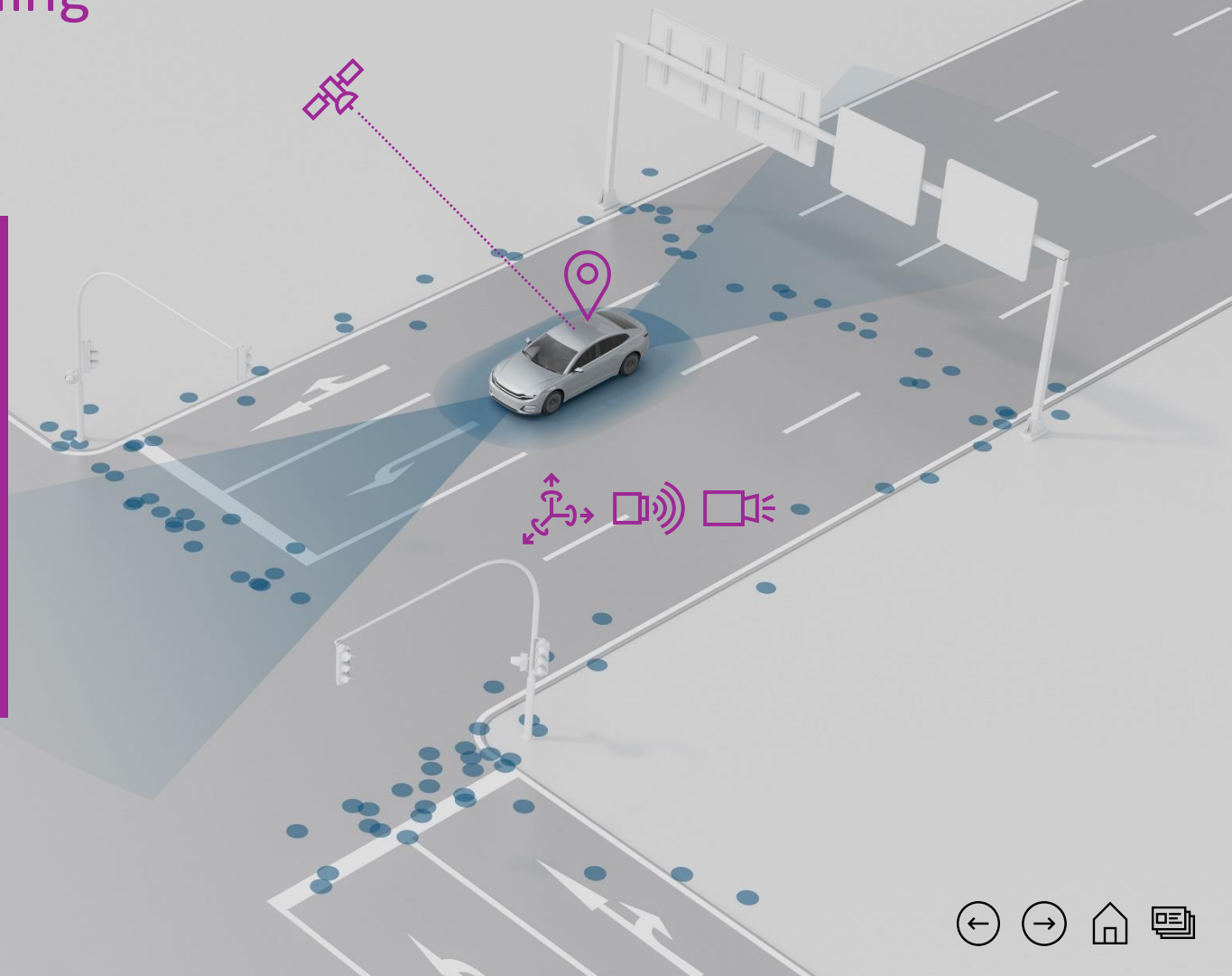
Feature based
Relative positioning



Vehicle
localization system

Road signature
Connected map services

Inertial
measurement unit



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Vehicle localization

Why choose Bosch vehicle localization system



Modularity

Runs on OEM- specified interfaces and supports centralized and decentralized vehicle architectures



Key enabler

Technology for assisted and automated driving applications under all driving conditions, increasing availability and robustness of ADAS functions



High precision

Localization enables accurate and reliable positioning of the vehicle (typ. ≤ 10 cm), lane-level positioning



Tried and tested

Long-term expertise in GNSS, IMUs, and localization systems to support OEM system specifications and lead integration and release

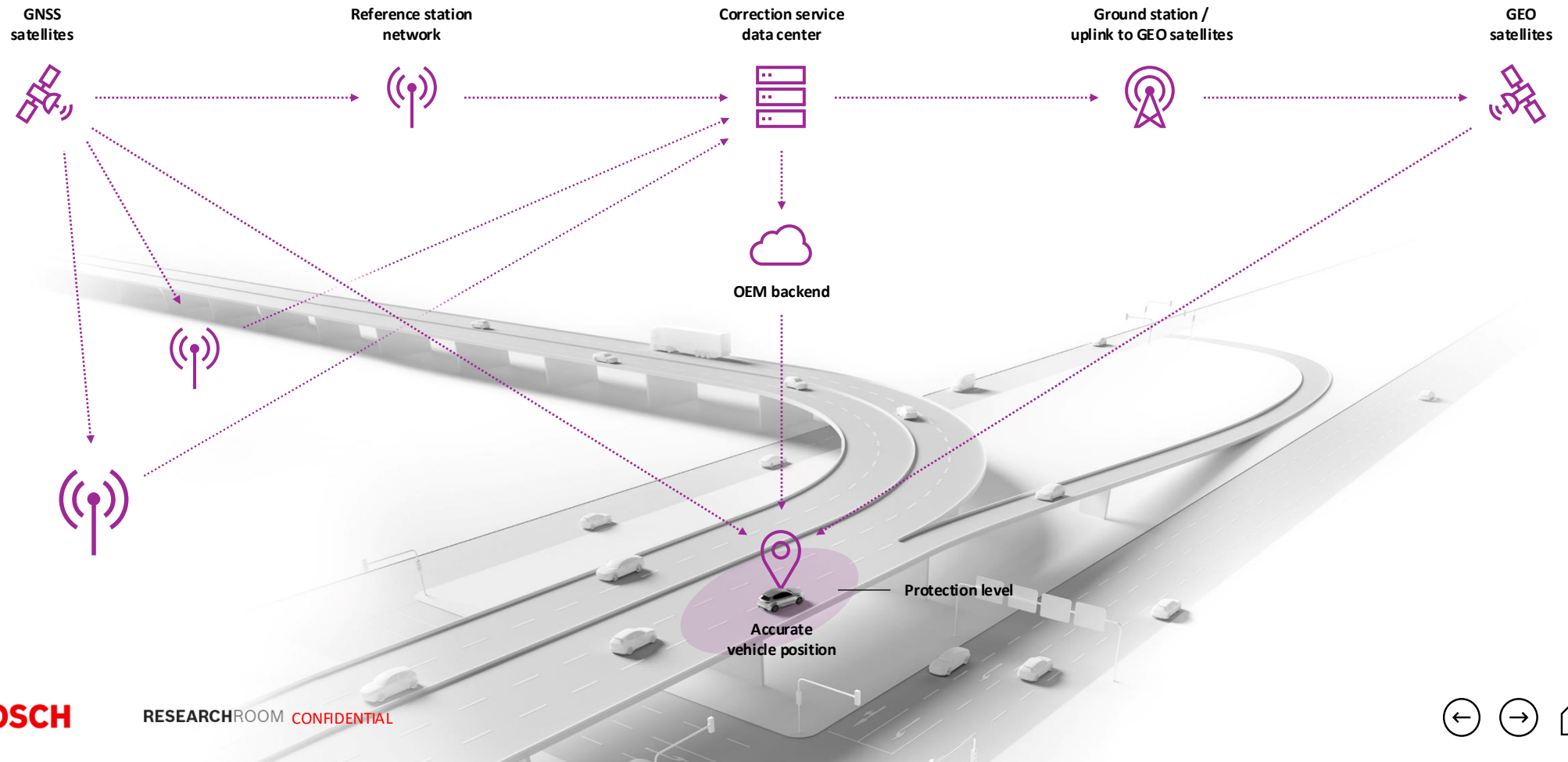


Worldwide

Worldwide coverage of compatible safe correction service

Vehicle localization

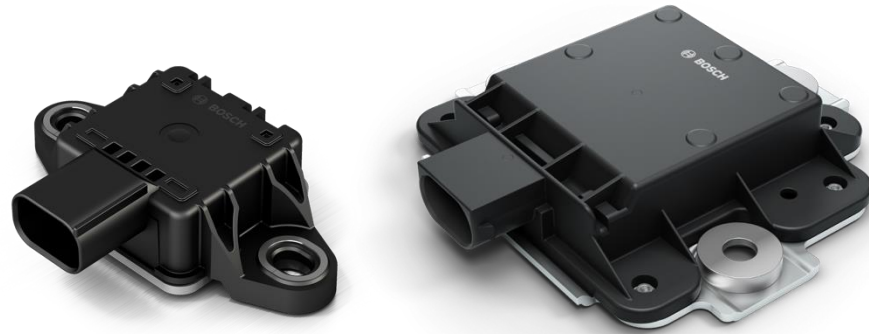
Vehicle localization system



Vehicle localization

Why choose Bosch inertial measurement unit

Advanced driver
assistance systems



Market leader

in high-performance inertial
sensors for ADAS and
vehicle motion applications



End-to-end development

with in-house MEMS
technology, design,
production & testing

>30

Years

of IMU-development expertise



Turnkey solution

Bosch offering all-in-one solution
by ensuring customer specified
calibration, validation and release



High scalability

Our concept offers broad range
of safety and performance levels
for optimal customer fit



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Vehicle localization

Why choose Bosch connected map services

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years of system
and sensor expertise



Robust and lane-accurate
localization to the centimeter
in all weather conditions



Event and priority
triggered map updates
from daily up to weekly



Open cross-OEM ecosystem
without lock-ins



Combined radar
and video mapping –
a Bosch USP

>2 billion

kilometers harvested
since January 2021



Map service coverage
beyond highways on the
five highest road classes

Vehicle localization

Connected map services



Localization map

Landmarks for high precise vehicle localization

Behavior map

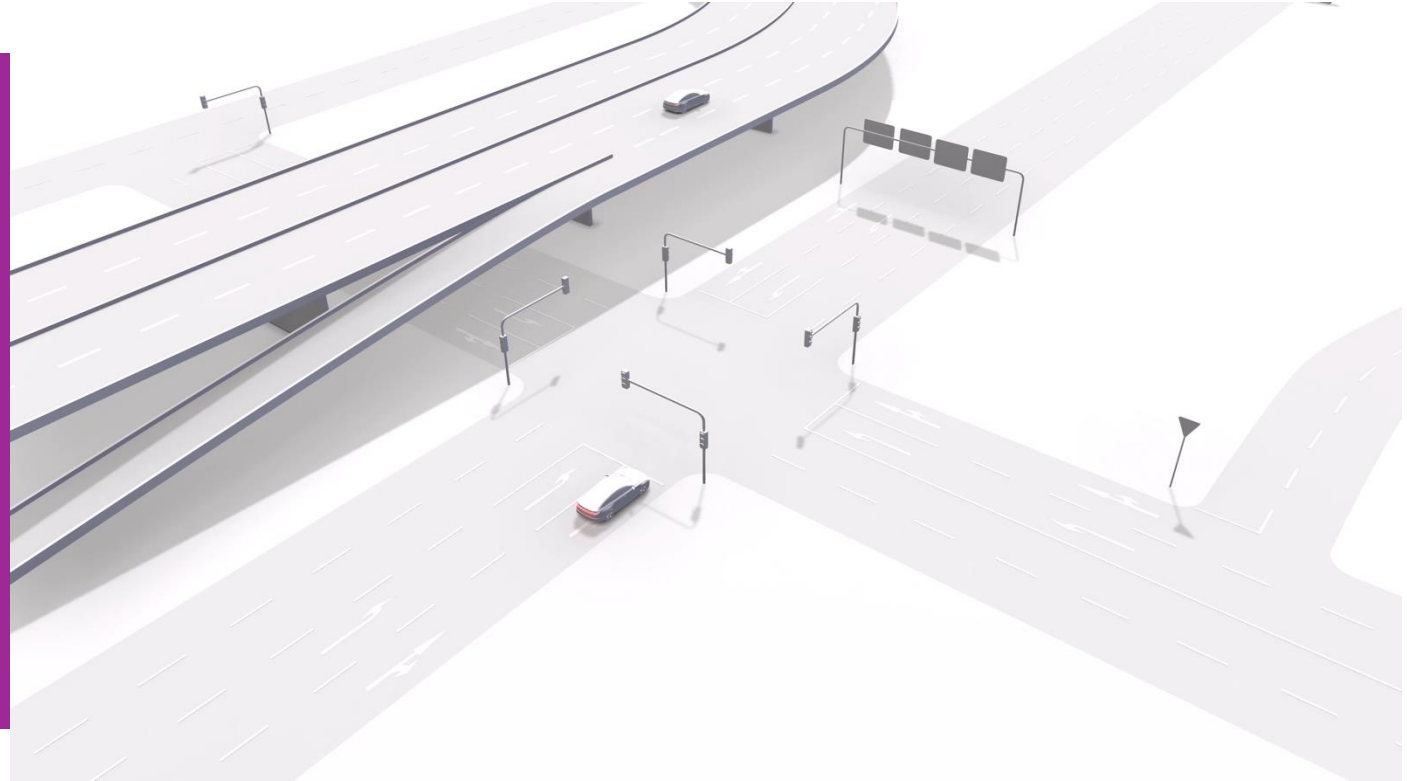
Swarm trajectories, optimal driving speed and more

Planning map

Road lane geometry and semantic information like traffic signs

Road hazard

- Events like **wrong-way drivers**
- Dangerous **road conditions**





Let's take driver assistance to the next level.

Let's move #LikeABosch