



Technical Safety Concept Lane Assistance

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Purpose of the Technical Safety Concept

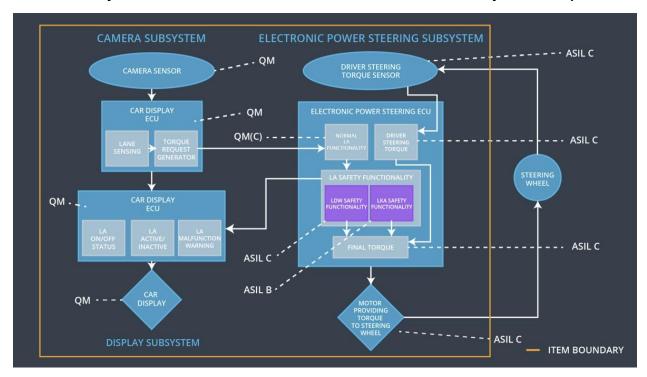
The main purpose of Technical Safety is to identify new requirements and allocate them to the system for lowering risk. In the Technical safety concept, we think of sensors, control units and actuators. In contrast to Functional Safety requirements, which deals with requirements from a perspective of higher level, the Technical safety requirements are general hardware and software requirements but still without getting into specific details.

Inputs to the Technical Safety Concept

Functional Safety Requirements

ID	Functional Safety Requirement	A S I L	Fault Tolerant Time Interval	Safe State
Functional Safety Requirement 01-01	The lane keeping item shall ensure that the lane departure oscillating torque amplitude is below Max_Torque_Amplitude	С	50 mS	Lane Assistance is not activated
Functional Safety Requirement 01-02	The lane keeping item shall ensure that the lane departure oscillati9ng torque frequency ids below Max_Torque_Frequency	С	50 mS	Lane Assistance is not activated
Functional Safety Requirement 02-01	The electronic power steering ECU shall ensure that the lane keeping assistance torque is applied for only Max_Duration	В	500 mS	Lane Assistance System is deactivated

Refined System Architecture from Functional Safety Concept



Functional overview of architecture elements

Element	Description
Camera Sensor	It takes visual feedback for the lane detection. It captures images and feeds the images to the Camera Sensor ECU
Camera Sensor ECU - Lane Sensing	It analyses the camera images using computer vision or some other techniques. It determines whether the car is going out of the lane.
Camera Sensor ECU - Torque request generator	Generates a torque request to the power steering ECU
Car Display	It displays whether the lane keeping and departure assistance system is on/off. So, basically it is a visual feedback for the driver.

Car Display ECU - Lane Assistance On/Off Status	Receives a signal from the power steering ECU to determine the status of the Lane Assistance System whether it is on/off.
Car Display ECU - Lane Assistant Active/Inactive	Receives a signal from the power steering ECU to determine the status of the Lane Assistance System whether it is active/inactive and sends the signal to display
Car Display ECU - Lane Assistance malfunction warning	Receives a signal from the power steering ECU to determine whether there is a malfunction in the Lane Assistance System
Driver Steering Torque Sensor	Detects the amount of torque provided on the steering
Electronic Power Steering (EPS) ECU - Driver Steering Torque	Processes the data coming from the Driver Steering Torque Sensor
EPS ECU - Normal Lane Assistance Functionality	Receives torque request from Camera sensor ECU
EPS ECU - Lane Departure Warning Safety Functionality	Ensures that the vibrational torque and frequency during lane departure is below the Maximum Torque and Maximum Frequency respectively
EPS ECU - Lane Keeping Assistant Safety Functionality	Ensures that the Lane Keeping Assistance Function is not active more than Max_duration time.
EPS ECU - Final Torque	Combines the torque from the Lane Keeping Assistance and Lane Departure system and sends it to motor
Motor	Receives the torque signal from the EPS ECU and rotates the steering wheel accordingly

Technical Safety Concept

Technical Safety Requirements

Lane Departure Warning (LDW) Requirements:

Functional Safety Requirement 01-01 with its associated system elements

(derived in the functional safety concept)

ID	Functional Safety Requirement	Electronic Power Steering ECU	Camera ECU	Car Display ECU
Functional Safety Requirement 01-01	The lane keeping item shall ensure that the lane departure oscillating torque amplitude is below Max_Torque_Amplitude	X		

Technical Safety Requirements related to Functional Safety Requirement 01-01 are:

ID	Technical Safety Requirement	A S I L	Fault Tolerant Time Interval	Architecture Allocation	Safe State
Technical Safety Requirem ent 01	The LDW safety component shall ensure that the amplitude of the 'LDW_Torque_Request' sent to the 'Final electronic power steering Torque' component is below 'Max_Torque_Amplitude.	С	50 ms	LDW Safety	LDW torque request amplitude is set to zero
Technical Safety Requirem ent 02	As soon as the LDW function deactivates the LDW feature, the 'LDW Safety' software block shall send a signal to the car display ECU to turn on a warning light.	С	50 ms	LDW Safety	LDW torque request amplitude is set to zero
Technical Safety Requirem ent 03	As soon as a failure is detected by the LDW function, it shall deactivate the LDW feature and the 'LDW_Torque_Request' shall be set to zero.	С	50 ms	LDW Safety	LDW torque request amplitude is set to zero
Technical Safety Requirem ent 04	The validity and integrity of the data transmission for 'LDW_Torque_Request' signal shall be ensured.	С	50 ms	Data Transmission Integrity Check	N/A
Technical Safety	Memory test shall be conducted at start-up of the EPS ECU to	Α	Ignition Cycle	Memory Test	LDW torque request

Requirem ent 05	check for any faults in memory.				amplitude is set to zero
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Functional Safety Requirement 01-2 with its associated system elements (derived in the functional safety concept)

ID	Functional Safety Requirement	Electronic Power Steering ECU	Camera ECU	Car Display ECU
Functional Safety Requirement 01-02	The lane keeping item shall ensure that the lane departure oscillating torque frequency is below Max_Torque_Frequency	X		

Technical Safety Requirements related to Functional Safety Requirement 01-02 are:

ID	Technical Safety Requirement	A S I L	Fault Tolerant Time Interval	Architecture Allocation	Safe State
Technical Safety Requirement 01	The LDW safety component shall ensure that the frequency of the 'LDW_Torque_Request' sent to the 'Final electronic power steering Torque' component is below 'Max_Torque_Frequency+	С	50 ms	LDW Safety	LDW torque request amplitud e is set to zero
Technical Safety Requirement 02	As soon as the LDW function deactivates the LDW feature, the 'LDW Safety' software block shall send a signal to the car display ECU to turn on a warning light.	С	50 ms	LDW Safety	LDW torque request amplitud e is set to zero
Technical Safety	As soon as a failure is detected by the LDW function, it shall deactivate	С	50 ms	LDW Safety	LDW torque

Requirement 03	the LDW feature and the 'LDW_Torque_Request' shall be set to zero.				request amplitud e is set to zero
Technical Safety Requirement 04	The validity and integrity of the data transmission for 'LDW_Torque_Request' signal shall be ensured.	С	50 ms	Data Transmission Integrity Check	N/A
Technical Safety Requirement 05	Memory test shall be conducted at start-up of the EPS ECU to check for any faults in memory.	A	Ignition Cycle	Memory Test	LDW torque request amplitud e is set to zero

Lane Keeping Assistance (LKA) Requirements:

Functional Safety Requirement 02-1 with its associated system elements (derived in the functional safety concept)

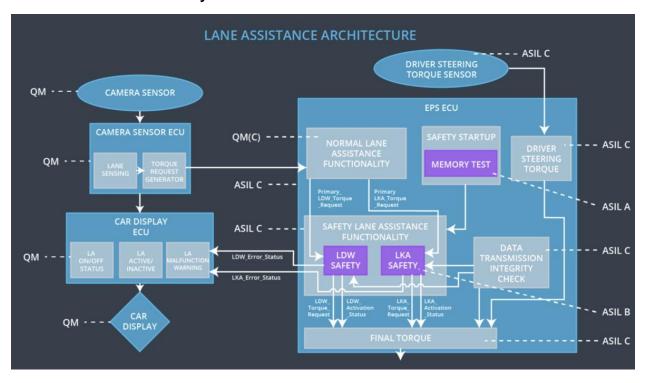
ID	Functional Safety Requirement	Electronic Power Steering ECU	Camera ECU	Car Display ECU
Functional Safety Requirement 02-01	The lane keeping item shall ensure that the lane keeping assistance torque is applied for only Max_Duration	Х		

Technical Safety Requirements related to Functional Safety Requirement 02-01 are:

ID	Technical Safety Requirement	A S I L	Fault Tolerant Time Interval	Allocation to Architecture	Safe State
Technical Safety Requireme nt 01	The LKA system shall ensure that the duration of LKA_Torque_Request sent to the final electronic power steering torque is below the Max_Duration.	В	500 ms	LKA safety	LKA torque request is set to zero

Technical Safety Requireme nt 02	As soon as the LKA function deactivates the LKA feature, the 'LKA Safety' software block shall send a signal to the car display ECU to turn on a warning light.	В	500 ms	LKA safety	LKA torque request is set to zero
Technical Safety Requireme nt 03	As soon as a failure is detected by the LKA function, it shall deactivate the LKA feature and the 'LKA_Torque_Request' shall be set to zero.	В	500 ms	LKA safety	LKA torque request is set to zero
Technical Safety Requireme nt 04	The validity and integrity of the data transmission for 'LKA_Torque_Request' signal shall be ensured.	В	500 ms	Data Transmission Integrity Check	N/A
Technical Safety Requireme nt 05	Memory test shall be conducted at start-up of the EPS ECU to check for any faults in memory.	A	Ignition Cycle	Memory Test	LKA torque request is set to zero

Refinement of the System Architecture



Allocation of Technical Safety Requirements to Architecture Elements

All technical safety requirements are allocated to the Electronic Power Steering ECU. For more details on the allocation of the EPS ECU, check the tables above.

Warning and Degradation Concept

The warning and degradation concept for Technical Safety is the same as the Functional Safety requirements. The Warning and Degradation concept for the Lane Departure and Lane Assistance System are given in the below table:

ID	Degradation Mode	Trigger for Degradation Mode	Safe State invoked?	Driver Warning
WDC-01	Turn off the functionality	The malfunction of steering wheel vibrating too high or with more frequency	Yes	Display will show the warning light on
WDC-02	Turn off the functionality	The malfunction of lane keeping assistance applied for long duration	Yes	Display will show the warning on