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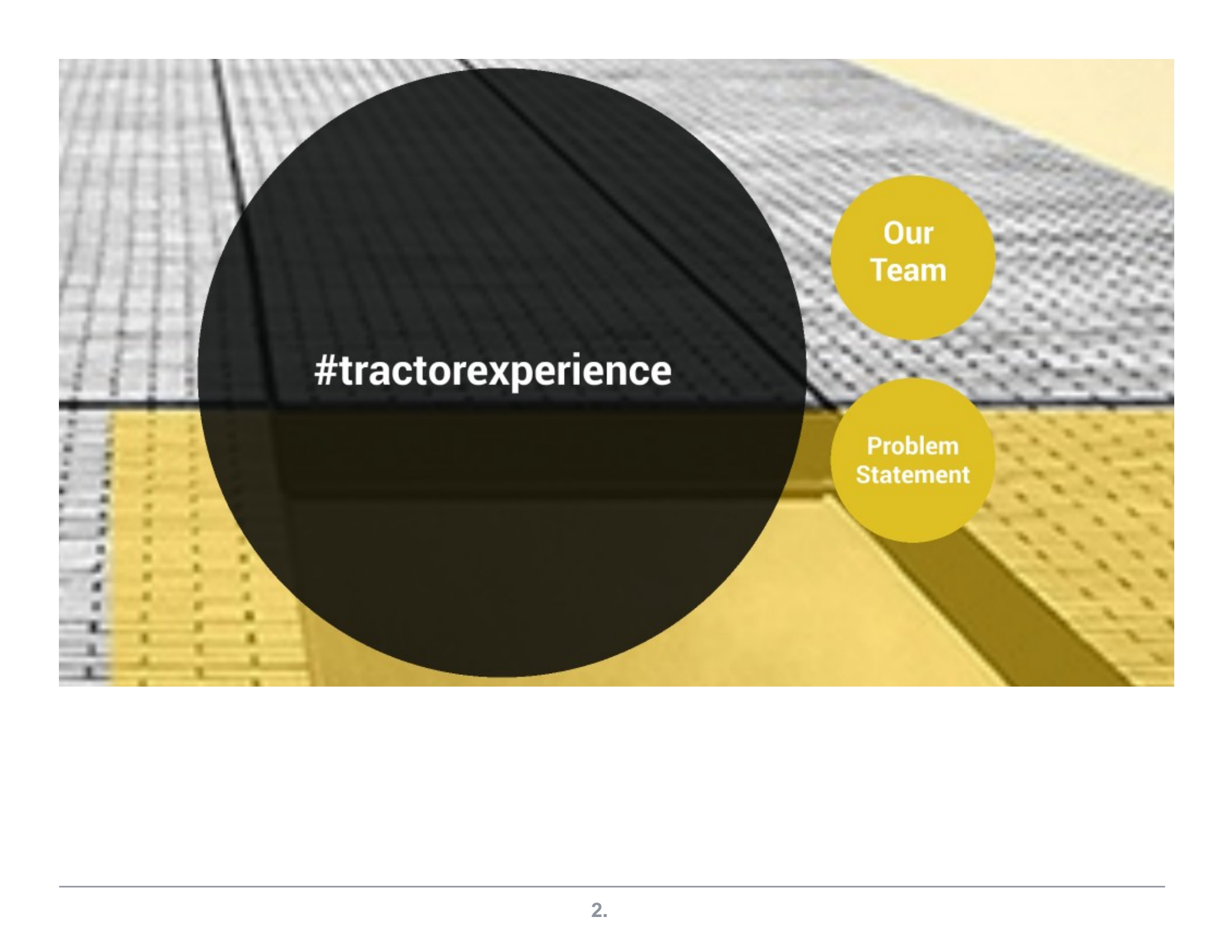
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Team**

**Problem
Statement**



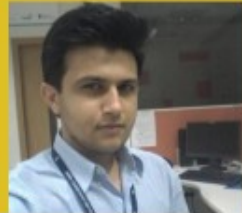
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Problems

- How can we disrupt the UTV market and differentiate from the competition?

- How can we create the safest UTV on the market utilising some cutting-edge technology?

**Prototype
Solution**



SOLUTIONS

- *Better, bigger dashboard*
- *Voice interactive dashboard*
- *Inter-UTV communication*
- *Terrain/Weather Detection*
- *Infrared Sensing*



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RESEARCH

GENERATE

CHOOSE

PROTOTYPE

RESEARCH

Brainstorming sessions conducted to figure out the long term goals, challenges and feasibility options.

**Brains
-torm**

**experi
ence-
map**

After a few
hours of
brainstorming ...

Challenges

- 1) Payload 1000 lbs
- 2) Weather condition
- 3) G-P-S

Commercial
Viability
Convenience
Comfort
Safety

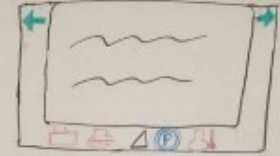
Competitors → 1) John Deere
2) Kubota
[1) Mahindra
2) Polaris]

Goal → 1) Design a dashboard

1) Caterpillar priority

Idea

- 1) Inclination Sensor
- 2) eye-catching dashboard
- 3) Seatbelt indicator
- 4) Screen Readability (kindle like)
(brightest e-paper disp)



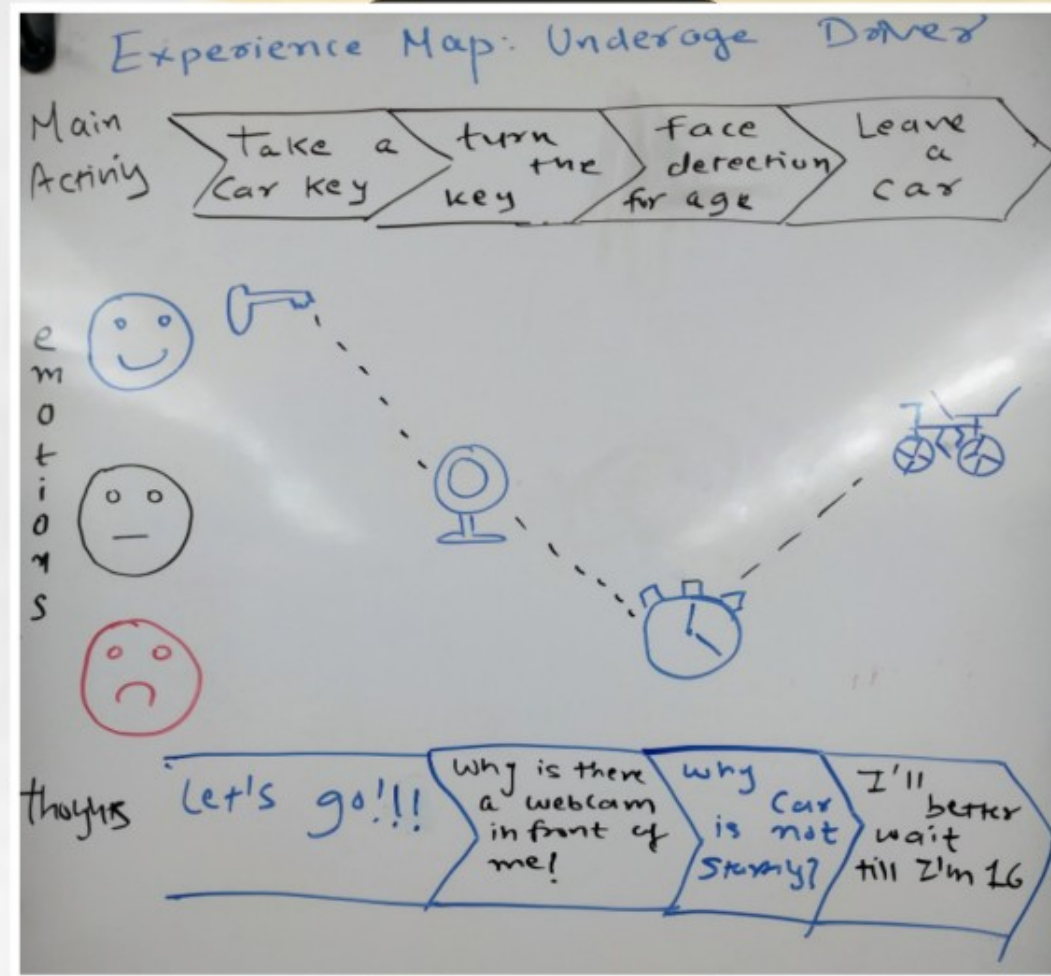
Cons:

- 1) not intuitive to use
- 2) cluttered display
- 3) button-screen ratio

1) Separate panel
for power,
temp

We have (mph? kmph?) we need

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|-----------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1) Ground speed | 1) Coloured = Indicators |
| 2) Engine Speed (RPM) | 2) GPS indicator |
| 3) Hours | 3) kindle reader screen |
| 4) Odometer | 4) Slope indicator |
| 5) Engine temp | 5) better Screen-button ratio |
| 6) Fuel Level | |
| 7) Advanced Display | |
| 8) Battery | |



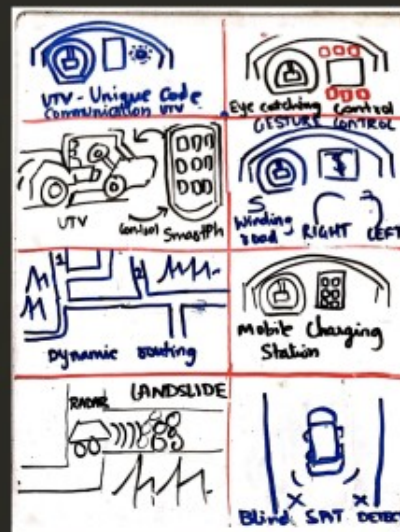
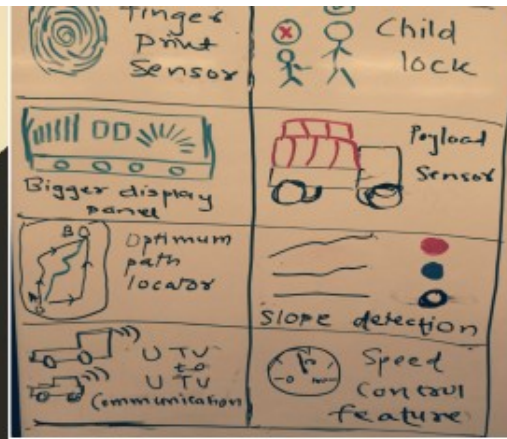
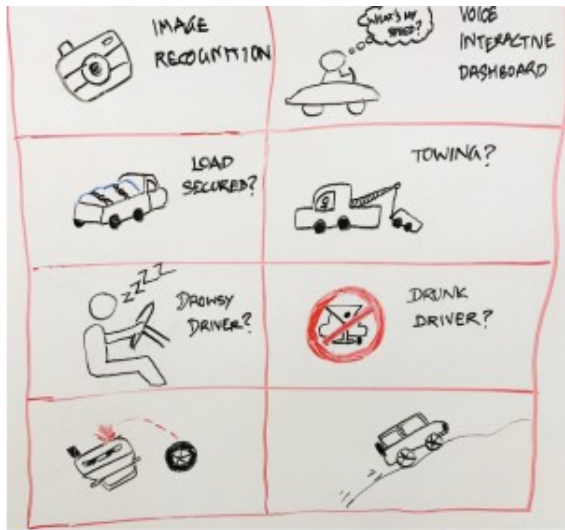


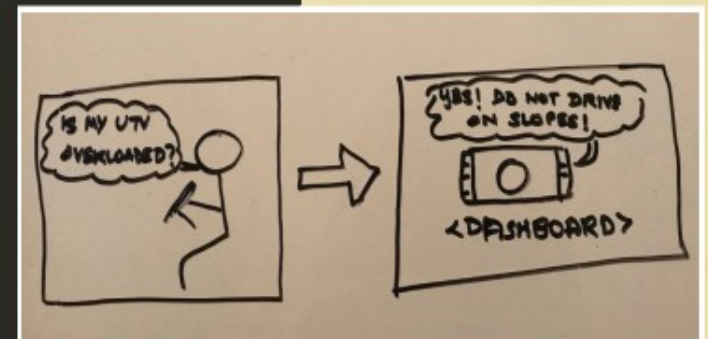
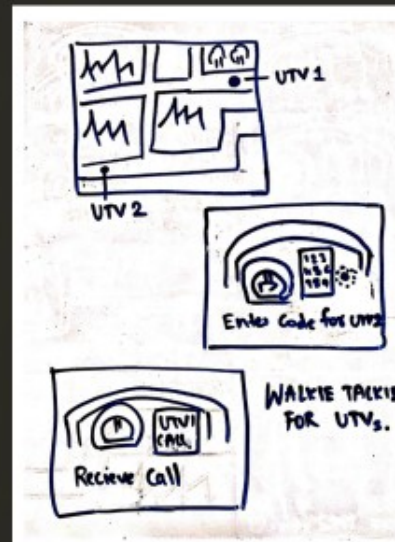
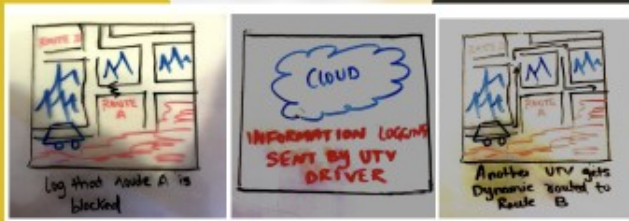
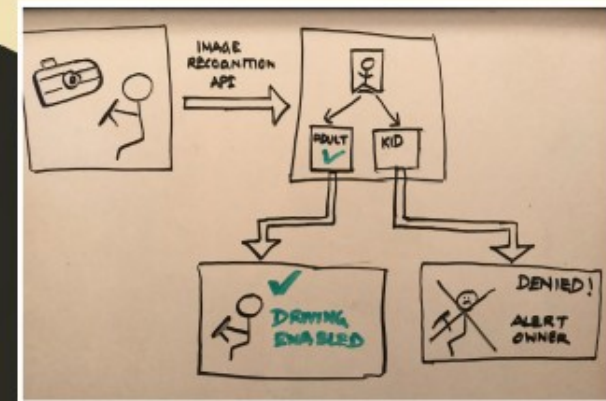
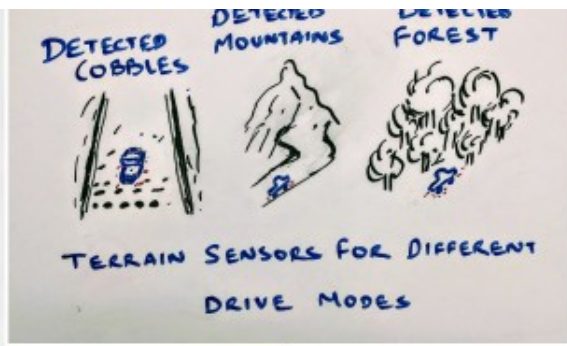
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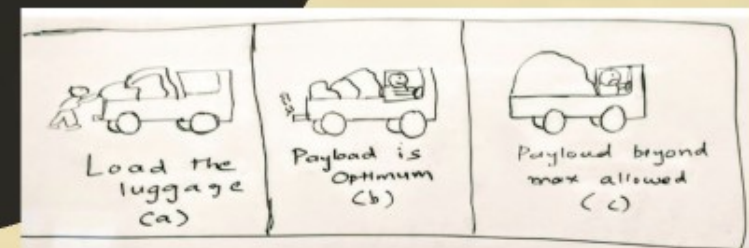
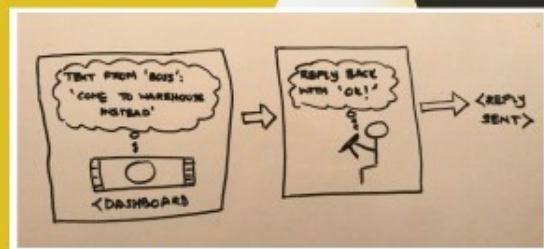
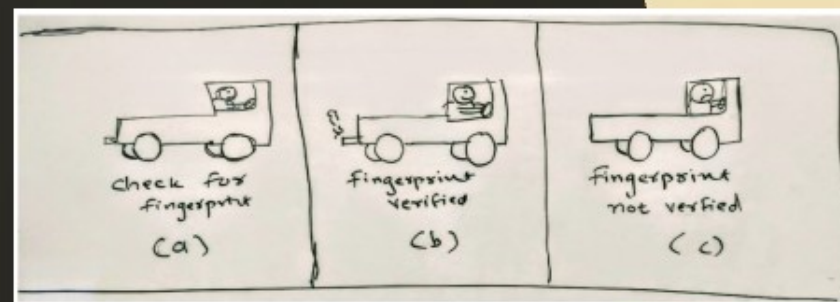
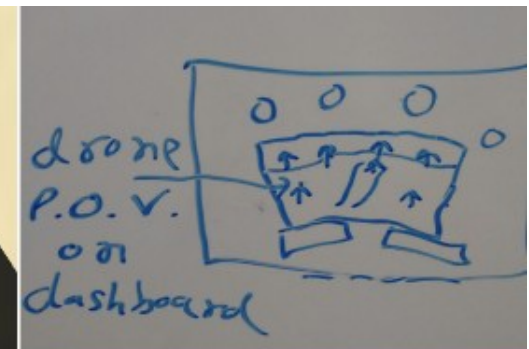
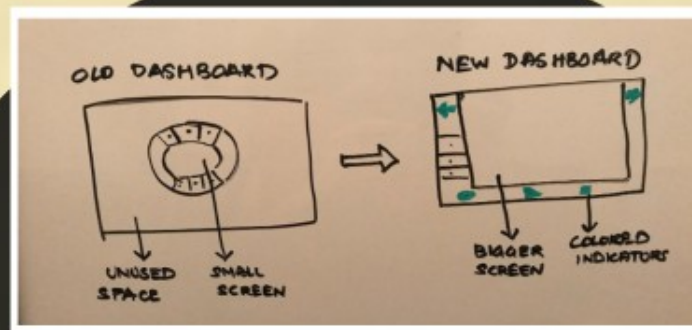
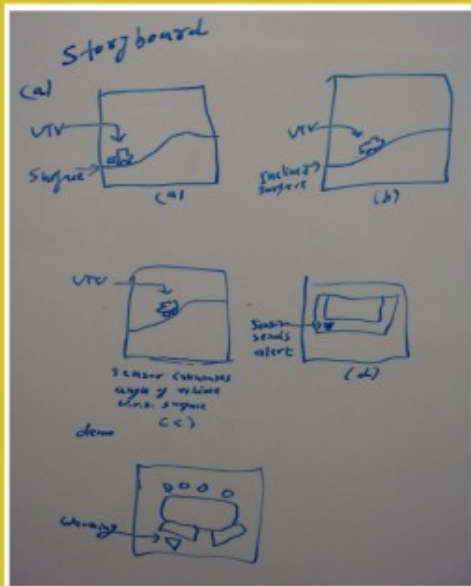
**Crazy
8s**

**Sketches
1**

**Sketches
2**







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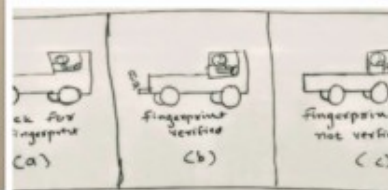
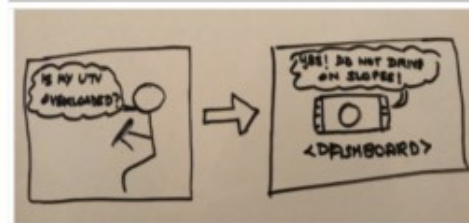
From a plethora of ideas (some possibly crazy), some of the most valuable ideas were merged to enhance the safety of the UTVs.

Initial
Story
Board

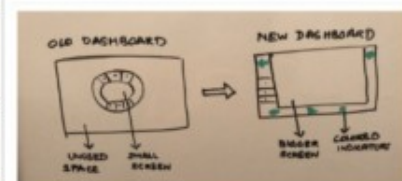
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Final
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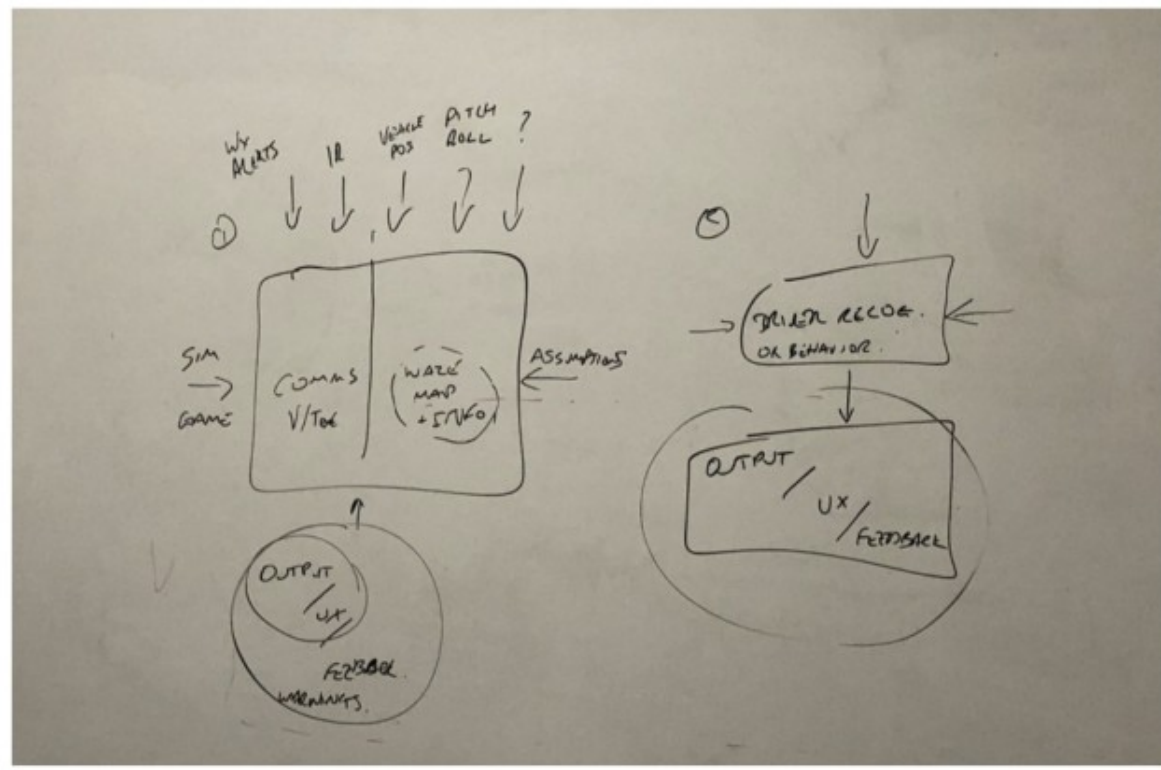
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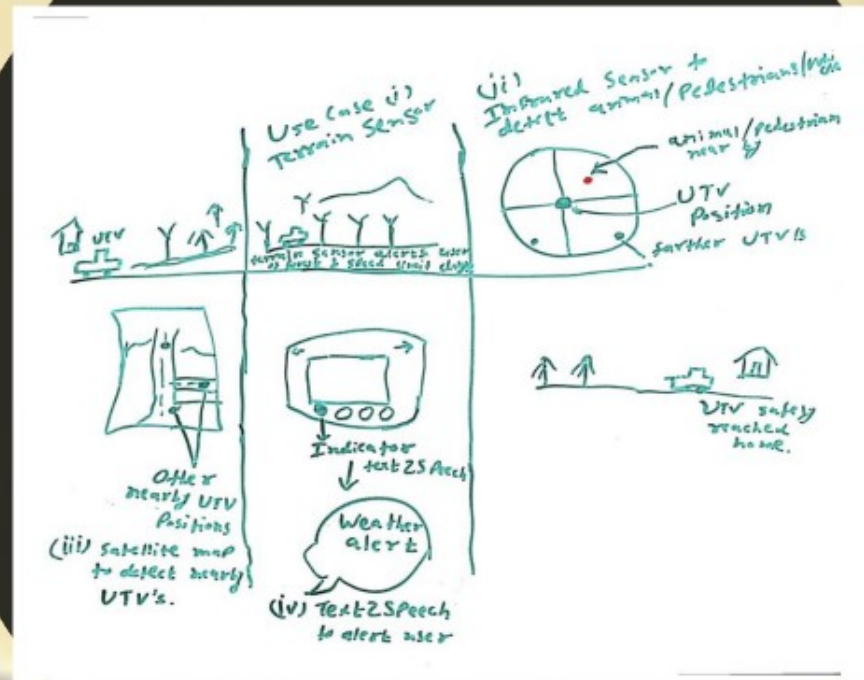
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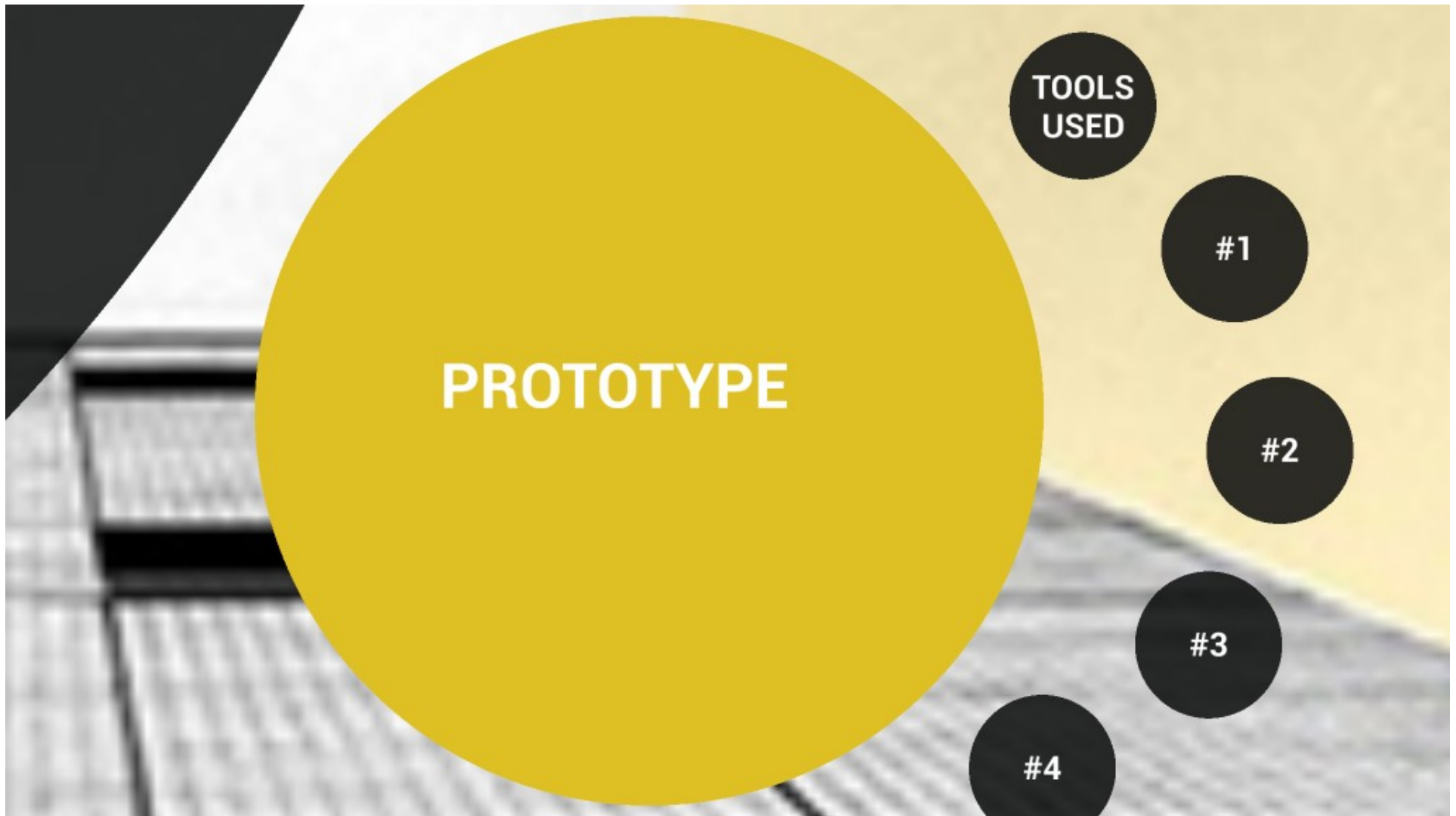


Merged Ideas

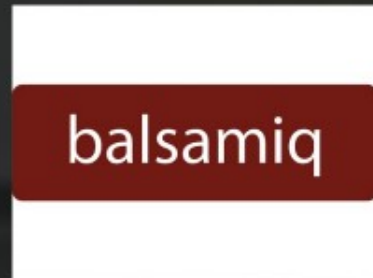


Chosen Merged Idea





TOOLS USED



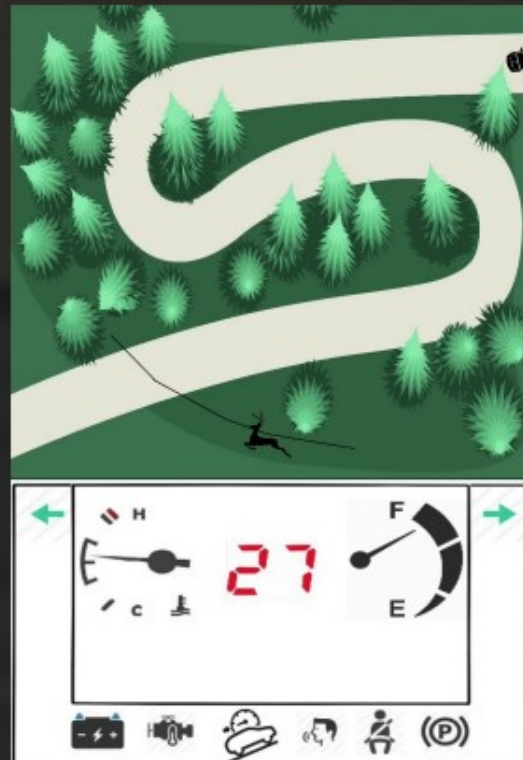
Terrain Sensing

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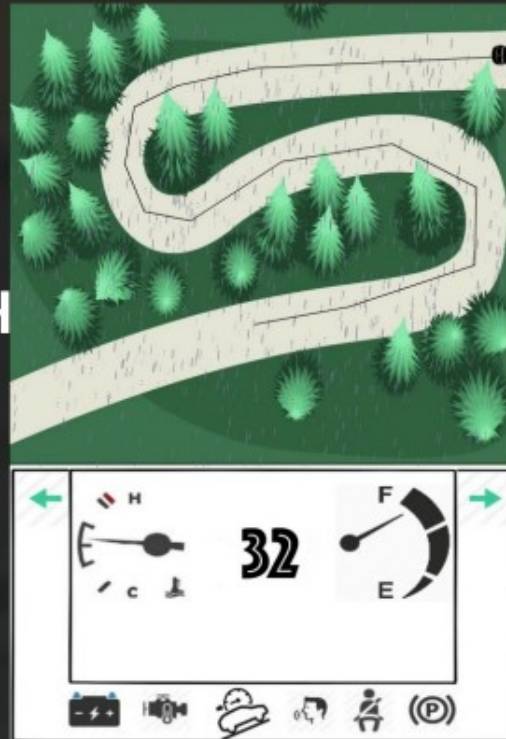
*Obstacle
detection*



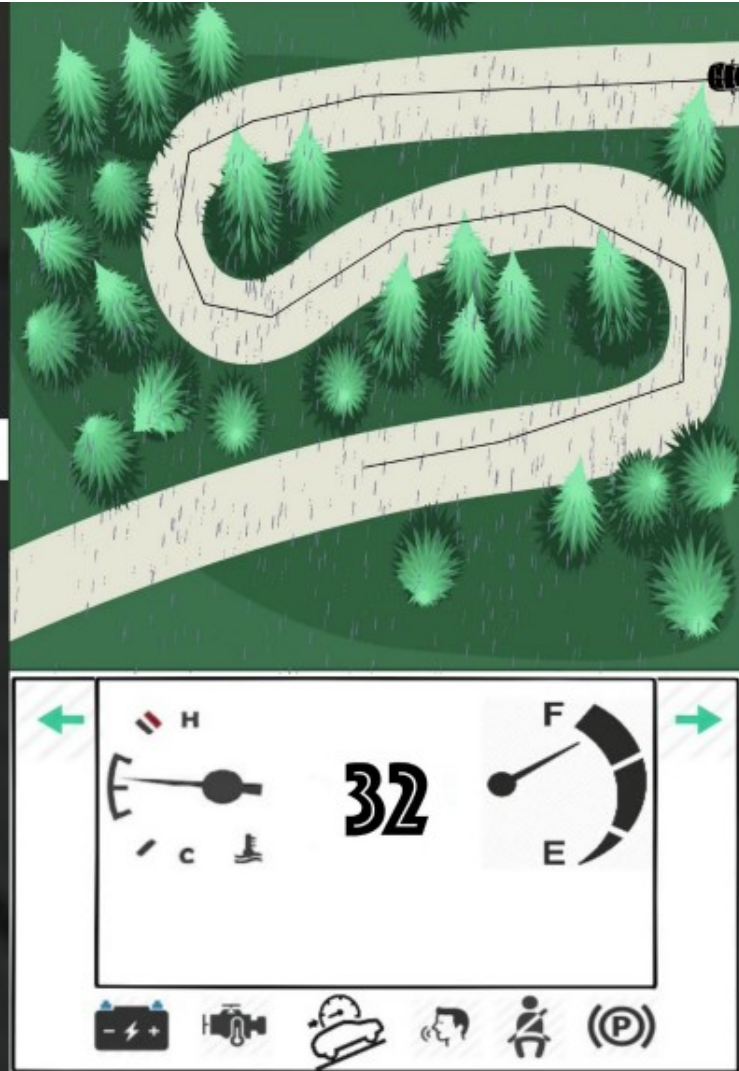


Weather
Sensing

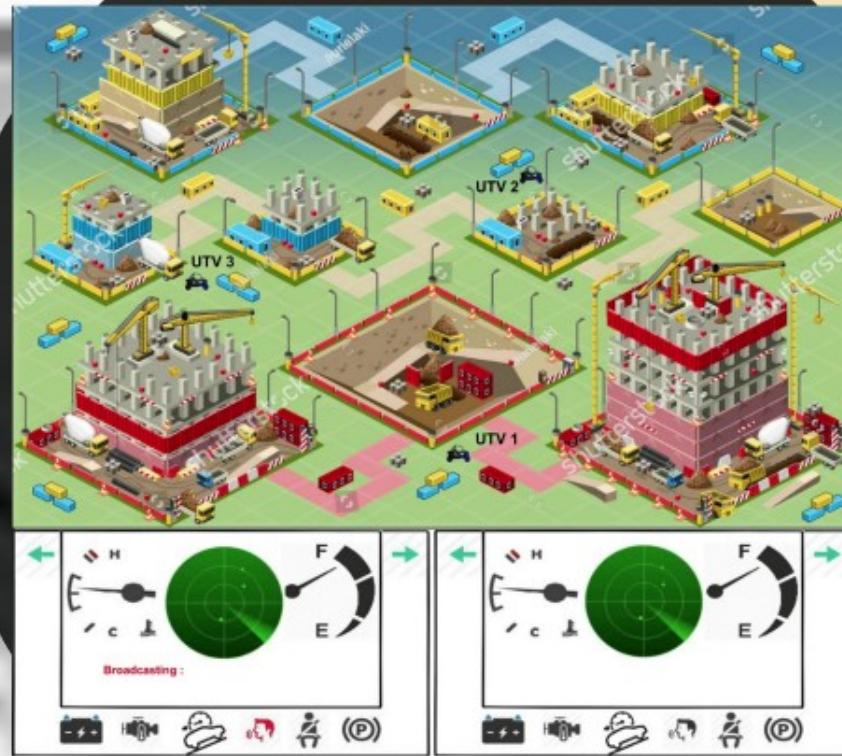
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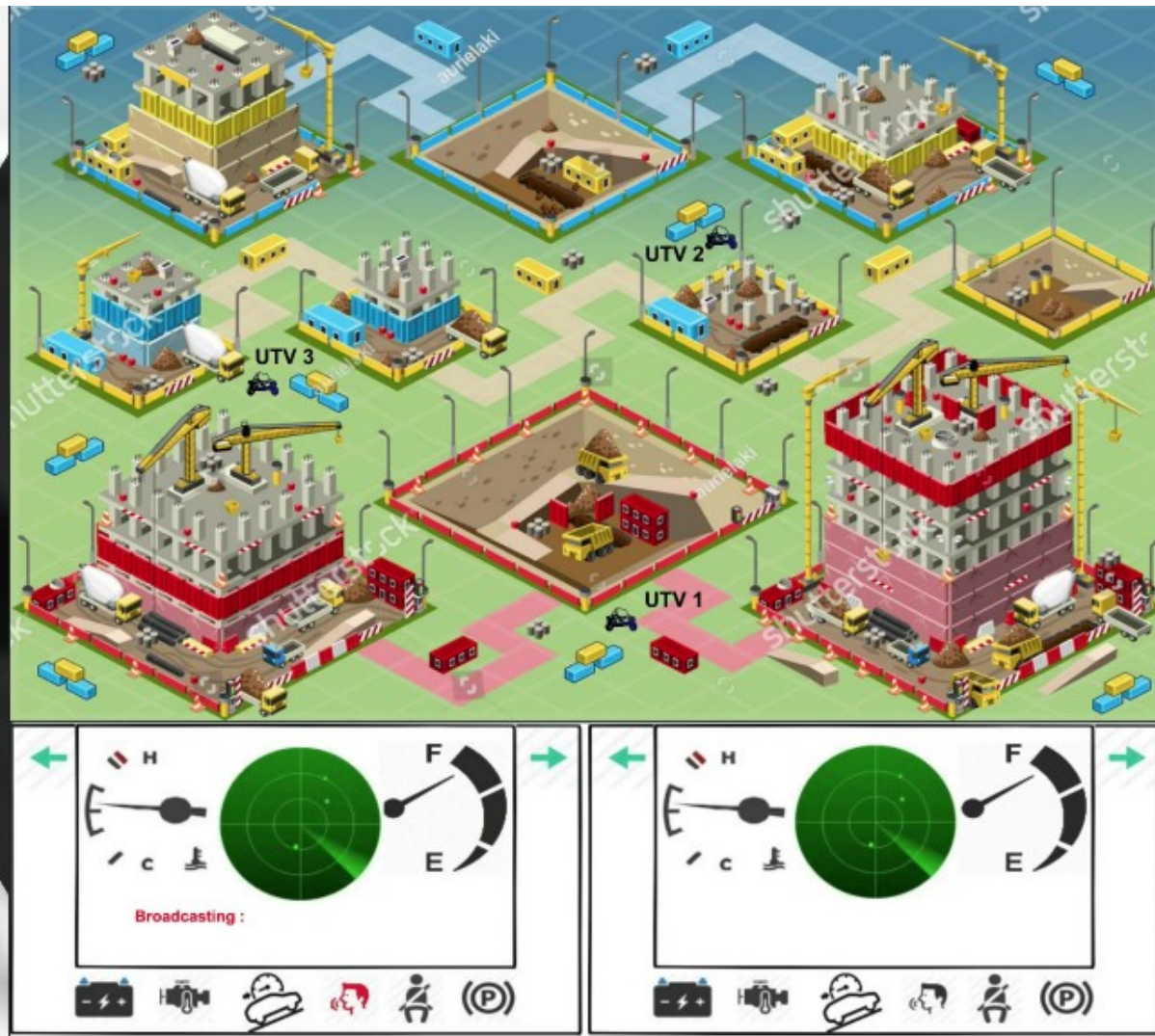


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Inter UTV communication







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Interviews

- *Lab: Grad Common Space, Hunt Library*
- *5 interviewers*
- *5 participants*

RESULTS

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- *Experience with UTV?*
 - *No.*
- *Usability and usefulness of the new dashboard?*
 - *Majority found it intuitive and useful. One person felt there was too much information displayed.*
- *Feature Ratings:*
 - *InterUTV communication: 4.0*
 - *Terrain Detection: 4.2*
 - *Infrared sensing: 3.6*
 - *Voice-interactive Dashboard: 4.6*



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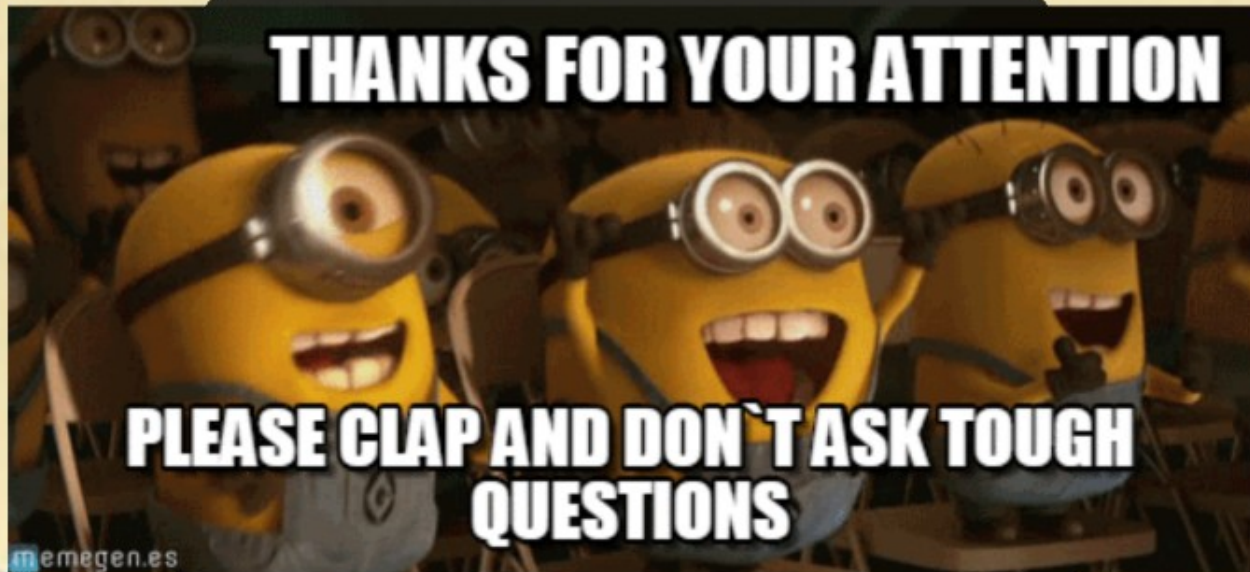
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