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# Purpose of the Technical Safety Concept

The purpose of a technical safety concept is to:

- Define technical safety requirements
- Allocate these requirements to the system architecture

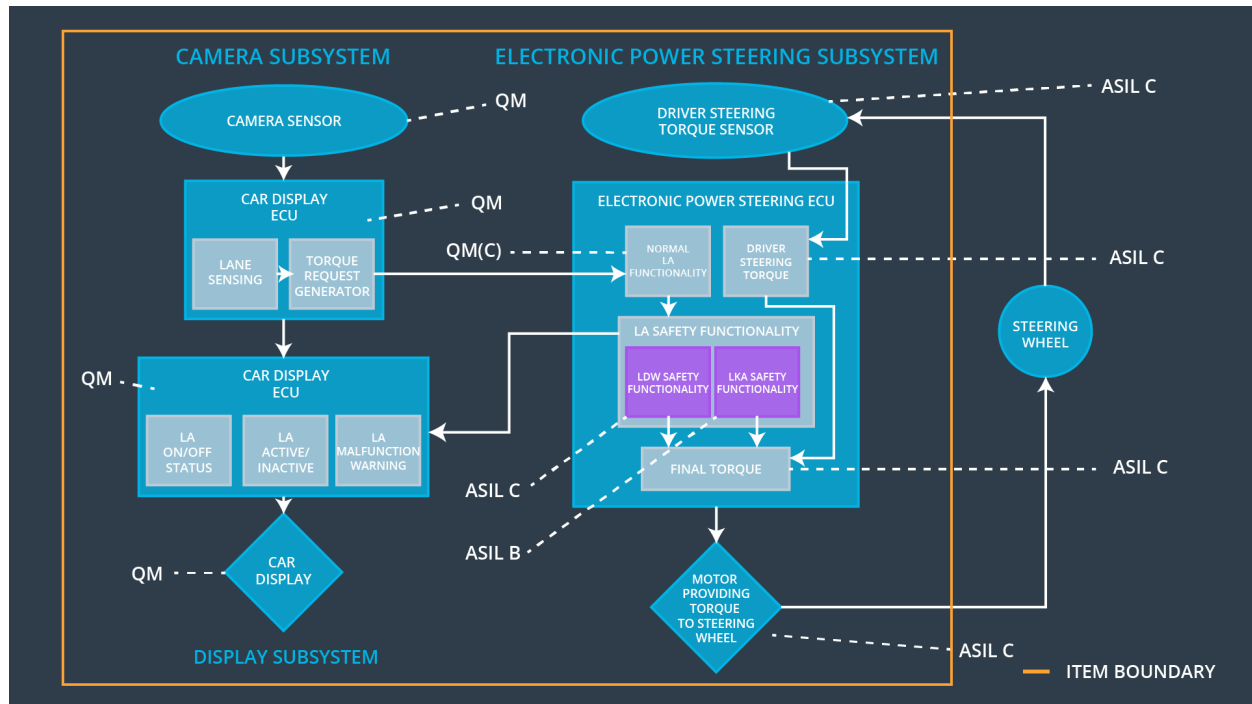
These steps are in essence the same as for the functional safety concept. However the functional safety concept defines requirements on a system and sub-system level. Whereas the technical safety concept is more concrete and will define and allocate requirements at sensor, control unit and actuator level and define the requirements on the interactions between them.

# Inputs to the Technical Safety Concept

## Functional Safety Requirements

| ID   | Functional Safety Requirement  | A<br>S<br>I<br>L | Fault<br>Tolerant<br>Time<br>Interval | Safe State                        |
|--|--|------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Functional<br>Safety<br>Requirement<br>01-01 | The lane keeping item shall ensure that the lane departure oscillating torque amplitude is below mas_torque_amplitude.                 | C                | 50 [ms]                               | Lane assistant system turned off. |
| Functional<br>Safety<br>Requirement<br>01-02 | The lane keeping item shall ensure that the lane departure oscillating torque frequency is below max_torque_frequency.                 | C                | 50 [ms]                               | Lane assistant system turned off. |
| Functional<br>Safety<br>Requirement<br>02-01 | The electronic power steering ECU shall ensure that the lane keeping assistance torque is applied for only Max_Duration.               | B                | 500 [ms]                              | Lane assistant system turned off. |
| Functional<br>Safety<br>Requirement<br>02-02 | The system shall only be active when the torque exerted by the driver is properly detected by the power steering system torque sensor. | D                | 50 [ms]                               | Lane assistant system turned off. |

## Refined System Architecture from Functional Safety Concept



## Functional overview of architecture elements

| Element  | Description   |
|--|---|
| Camera Sensor  | Provides the camera images for analyses by the camera sensor ECU.   |
| Camera Sensor ECU - Lane Sensing                             | Processes the images from the camera sensor in order to determine the position of the vehicle w.r.t. the lane lines.  |
| Camera Sensor ECU - Torque request generator                 | Using the information from the Lane sensing, actuation requests might be sent to the power steering system when the vehicle leaves the lane unintendedly.   |
| Car Display  | Indicate information and warnings/errors to the driver.   |
| Car Display ECU - Lane Assistance On/Off Status              | Processes and stores the requests by the system to turn the light on that the system is turned on.  |
| Car Display ECU - Lane Assistant Active/Inactive             | Processes and stores the requests by the system to turn the light on that the system is active.   |
| Car Display ECU - Lane Assistance malfunction warning        | Processes and stores the requests by the system to turn the light on that the system has malfunctioned.   |
| Driver Steering Torque Sensor                                | Detects the torque already exerted on the steering wheel by the driver.   |
| Electronic Power Steering (EPS) ECU - Driver Steering Torque | Processes and stores the torque exerted on the steering wheel by the driver, in order to calculate the additional torque which has to be applied by the system in order to match the required torque from the torque request generator. |
| EPS ECU - Normal Lane Assistance Functionality               | Processes and stores the torque requests by the camera ECU for further processing in the EPS ECU.   |
| EPS ECU - Lane Departure Warning Safety Functionality        | A functionality to ensure that the torque amplitude is below max_torque_amplitude and the torque frequency is below max_torque_frequency, before further processing in the EPS ECU.   |

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|---|---|
| EPS ECU - Lane Keeping Assistant Safety Functionality | Functionality to ensure that the active time of the lane keeping assistance remains below the max_duration time.    |
| EPS ECU - Final Torque                                | Generates the final additional torque request which has to be supplied by the system and sends it to the EPS motor. |
| Motor   | Applies the torque requested from the EPS ECU to the steering wheel.  |

# 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  | ASIL | Fault Tolerant Time Interval | Architecture Allocation | Safe State                       |
|---------------------------------|---|------|------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Technical Safety Requirement 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. | C    | 50 [ms]                      | LDW safety              | LDW sets torque request 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.                     | C    | 50 [ms]                      | LDW safety              | LDW sets torque request to zero. |



|                                 |  |   |                |                                   |                                  |
|---------------------------------|--|---|----------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Technical Safety Requirement 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. | C | 50 [ms]        | LDW safety                        | LDW sets torque request to zero. |
| Technical Safety Requirement 04 | The validity and integrity of the data transmission for 'LDW_Torque_Request' signal shall be ensured.  | C | 50 [ms]        | LDW safety                        | LDW sets torque request to zero. |
| 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 | Data transmission integrity check | LDW sets torque request to zero. |

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  | ASIL | 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. | C    | 50 [ms]                      | LDW safety              | LDW sets torque request 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. | C | 50 [ms]        | LDW safety                        | LDW sets torque request to zero. |
| Technical Safety Requirement 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.                    | C | 50 [ms]        | LDW safety                        | LDW sets torque request to zero. |
| Technical Safety Requirement 04 | The validity and integrity of the data transmission for 'LDW_Torque_Request' signal shall be ensured.   | C | 50 [ms]        | LDW safety                        | LDW sets torque request to zero. |
| 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 | Data transmission integrity check | LDW sets torque request to zero. |

### Lane Keeping Assistance (LKA) Requirements:

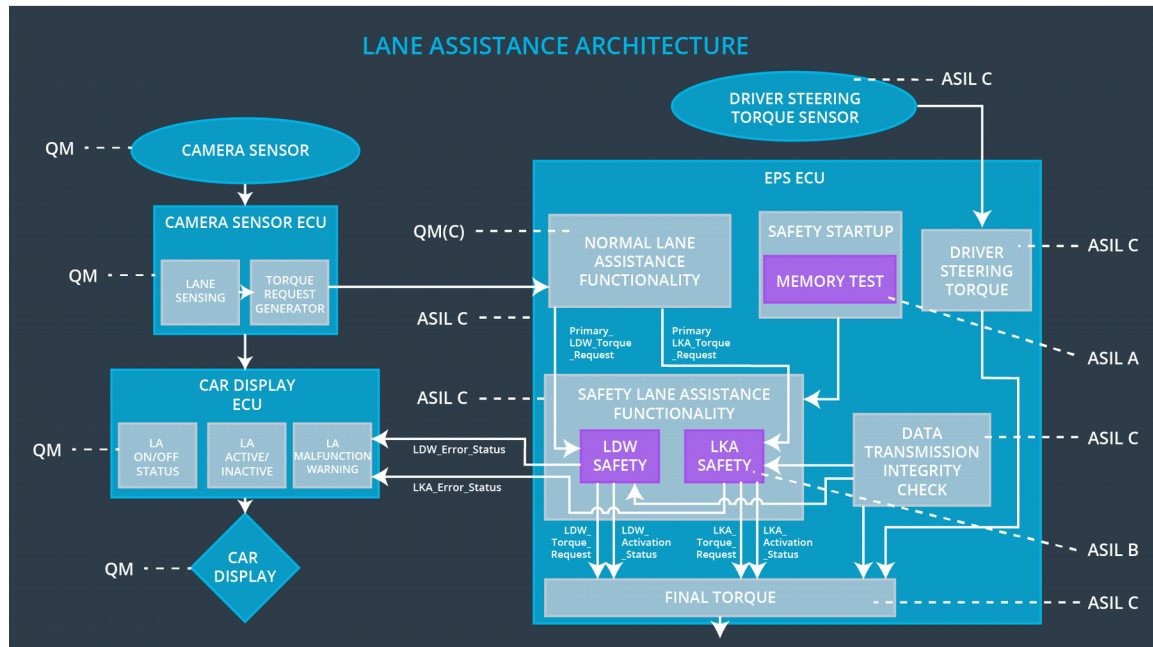
Functional Safety Requirement 02-1 with its associated system elements  
(derived in the functional safety concept)

| 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 | X                             |            |                 |

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

| ID                                       | Technical Safety Requirement   | A<br>S<br>I<br>L | Fault<br>Tolerant<br>Time<br>Interval | Allocation to<br>Architecture           | Safe State                       |
|--|--|------------------|---------------------------------------|---|----------------------------------|
| Technical<br>Safety<br>Requirement<br>01 | The Lane Keeping Assistant (LKA) safety component shall ensure that the 'LDW_Torque_Request' sent to the 'Final electronic power steering Torque' for no more than max_duration. | B                | 500 [ms]                              | LKA safety                              | LKA sets torque request to zero. |
| Technical<br>Safety<br>Requirement<br>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.                  | B                | 500 [ms]                              | LKA safety                              | LKA sets torque request to zero. |
| Technical<br>Safety<br>Requirement<br>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.                                     | B                | 500 [ms]                              | LKA safety                              | LKA sets torque request to zero. |
| Technical<br>Safety<br>Requirement<br>04 | The validity and integrity of the data transmission for 'LDW_Torque_Request' signal shall be ensured.  | B                | 500 [ms]                              | LKA safety                              | LKA sets torque request to zero. |
| Technical<br>Safety<br>Requirement<br>05 | Memory test shall be conducted at start up of the EPS ECU to check for any faults in memory.   | A                | Ignition<br>cycle                     | Data<br>transmission<br>integrity check | LKA sets torque request to zero. |

## Refinement of the System Architecture



## Allocation of Technical Safety Requirements to Architecture Elements

For this item, the lane assistant item, all the above mentioned safety requirements are allocated to the electronic power steering ECU, as specified in the functional safety requirements above.

## Warning and Degradation Concept

| ID     | Degradation Mode                  | Trigger for Degradation Mode  | Safe State invoked? | Driver Warning   |
|--------|-----------------------------------|---|---------------------|--|
| WDC-01 | Lane assistant system turned off. | Malfunction_01,<br>Malfunction_02,<br>Malfunction_03,<br>Malfunction_04 | Yes                 | A lane assistant system malfunction light on the dashboard |