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Report:

- 1. Abstract: Wonton Zhou
- 2. Introduction: Wonton Zhou, Ziheng Yang
- 3. Derivation Process: Wonton Zhou
- 4. Conceptual Architecture: Runze Lin, Haoyun Yang(graph)
- 5. Subsystem: Wonton Zhou, Runze Lin, Junyu Yan
- 6. Use case: Runfeng Qian
- 7. Concurrency: Runze Lin
- 8. Graph: Runfeng Qian
- 9. Development view: Runze Lin
- 10. System evolution: Ziheng Yang
- 11. Glossary: Wonton Zhou, Runfeng Qian, Runze Lin
- 12. Conclusion, lesson learned: Wonton Zhou
- 13. Proof read and mistake checking: Runfeng Qian, Runze Lin
- 14. Website modification: Ziheng Yang, Junyu Yan

Intro

- autonomous driving vehicle
- Baidu Apollo program
- revolutionary open source software platform

Sub-Systems

- Map Engine
- Localization
- Perception
- Prediction
- Planning
- Control
- HMI

Map Engine

- obtain all kinds of Map data
- information about road conditions

Localization

This module provides localization services.

- The RTK (Real Time Kinematic) based method which incorporates GPS and IMU (Inertial Measurement Unit) information
- The multi-sensor fusion method which incorporates GPS, IMU, and LiDAR information.

Perception

- multiple cameras, radars (front and rear) and LiDARs
- location, velocity and orientation of obstacles on the road

Prediction

- study and predict the behavior of all the obstacles detected by the perception module
- Input:
- Obstacles information
- > Localization information
- Planning trajectory of the previous computing cycle from the planning module
- Output: Obstacles annotated with predicted trajectories and their priorities.

Planning

- Plotting a feasible space-time trajectory for autonomous driving vehicles
- Input: Localization, Perception, Prediction, HD Map (in modules/map/data), routing, task_manager.
- Output: A collision-free and comfortable trajectory for control module to execute.

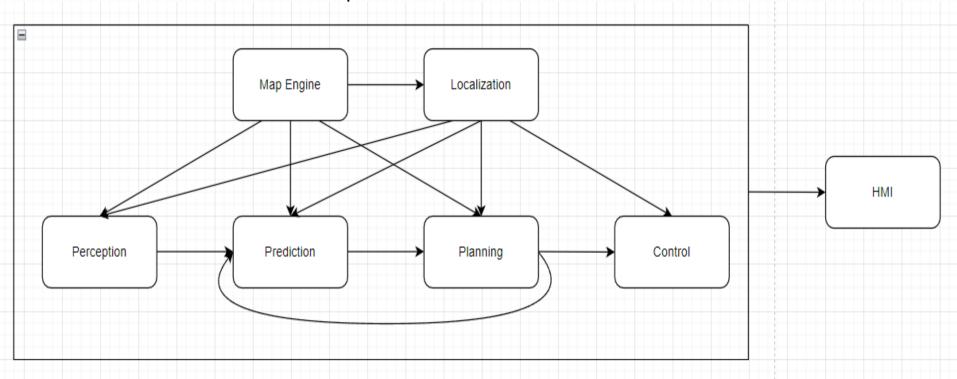
Control

- generate a comfortable driving experience.
- Input:
- Planning trajectory
- > Car status
- Localization
- Output: Control commands to the chassis.

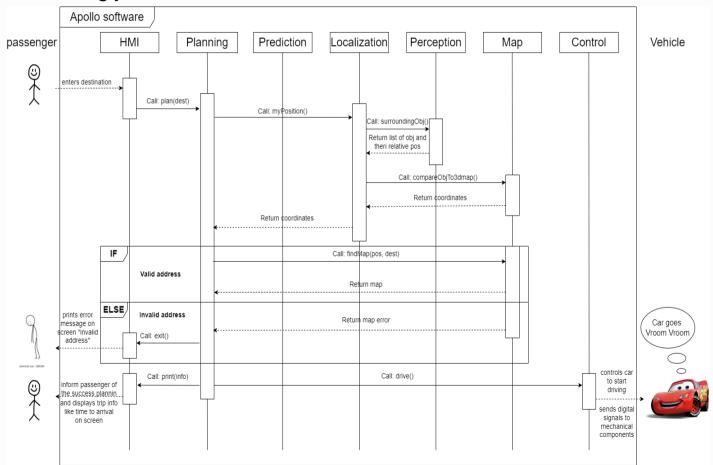
HMI

- Human-computer interaction interface
- Visualize vehicle driving status, test modules, provide debugging tools, and facilitate realtime driver control of vehicle movement

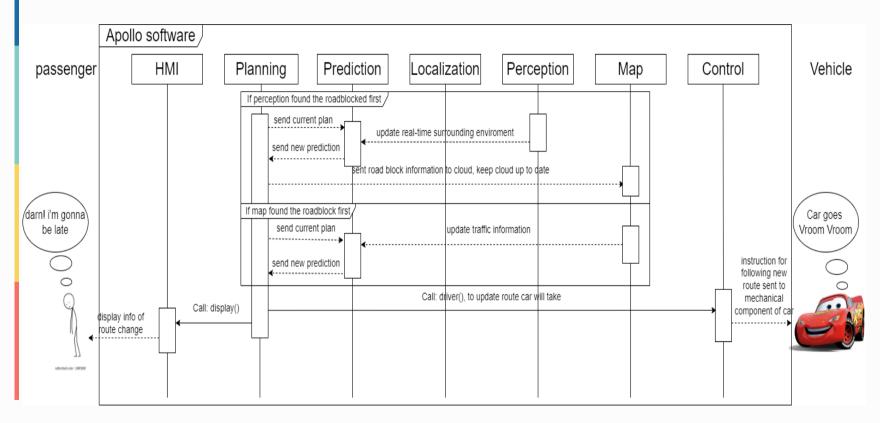
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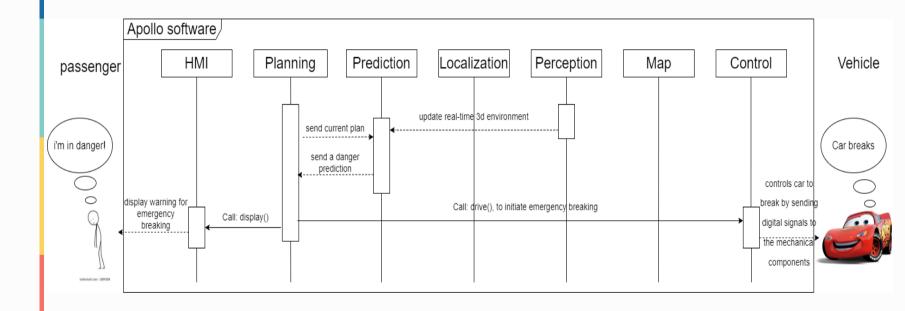
Use Case 1: User enters desired destination, Apollo program plans route accordingly.



Use Case 2: Apollo system encountered a closed road, proceed to recalculate route.



Use Case 3: Apollo system encounters human activity on road ahead, takes precaution to ensure safety.



Concurrency & Conclusion

