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# Purpose of the Technical Safety Concept

**[Instructions: Answer what is the purpose of a technical safety concept?]**

**The technical safety concept is derived from the functional safety concept. It is a meta-model element(s) describing the system design from a technical component view. While the functional safety concept defines safety measures, activities and high level solutions, the technical concept defines the safety mechanisms and associated technical safety requirements. Those requirements can be traced to item architecture.**

# Inputs to the Technical Safety Concept

## Functional Safety Requirements

**[Instructions: Provide the functional safety requirements derived in the functional safety concept ]**

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| **ID** | **Functional Safety Requirement** | **ASIL** | **Fault Tolerant Time Interval** | **Safe State** |
| Functional  Safety  Requirement  01-01 | (**LDW**) The lane keeping item shall ensure that the lane departure oscillating torque amplitude is below Max\_Torque\_Amplitude | C | 50 ms | Vibration/oscillating torque amplitude is set to zero. |
| Functional  Safety  Requirement  01-02 | (**LDW**) The lane keeping item shall ensure that the lane departure oscillating torque frequency is below Max\_Torque\_Frequency | C | 50 ms | Vibration/oscillating torque frequency is set to zero |
| Functional  Safety  Requirement  02-01 | (**LKA**) The electronic power steering ECU shall ensure that the LKA torque is applied for only Max\_Duration | C | 500 ms | LKA torque is set to zero. |
| Functional  Safety  Requirement  02-02 | (**LKA**) The electronic power steering ECU shall ensure that the LKA torque is always zero while the vehicle is in reverse (moving backwards) | B | 500 ms | Function deactivated. |

## Refined System Architecture from Functional Safety Concept

**[Instructions: Provide the refined system architecture from the functional safety concept]**



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### Functional overview of architecture elements

**[Instructions: Provide a description for each functional safety element; what is each element's purpose in the lane assistance item? ]**

|  |  |
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| **Element** | **Description** |
| Camera Sensor | Captures image and converts to pixel data sent to Camera Sensor ECU |
| Camera Sensor ECU - Lane Sensing | Processes images from camera sensor to identify lanes in image. Passes lane locations to Torque request generator. |
| Camera Sensor ECU - Torque request generator | Uses lane information from the lane sensing subsystem and deteremines the torque request values to create haptic feedback torque and steering torque to steer the vehicle back to ego center. The torque values are sent to the power steering subsystem. |
| Car Display | Displays a warning or status when it receives car display ECU data. |
| Car Display ECU - Lane Assistance On/Off Status | Uses the LKA and LDW error status from the EPS ECU and sends to the car display the active or inactive status of the Lane Asisstance Function. |
| Car Display ECU - Lane Assistant Active/Inactive | Uses the LKA and LDW error status from the EPS ECU and sends to the car display the active or inactive status of the Lane Asisstance Function. |
| Car Display ECU - Lane Assistance malfunction warning | Sends a malfunction warning to the car display ECU based on the values of the LDW and LKA statuses |
| Driver Steering Torque Sensor | Measures the torque applied by the driver and sends to the driver sterring torque subsystem |
| Electronic Power Steering (EPS) ECU - Driver Steering Torque | Uses data from the driver steering torque sensor and sends the current torque to EPS ECU - Final Torque |
| EPS ECU - Normal Lane Assistance Functionality | Receives the input from Camera Sensor ECU - Torque request generator and calculates a LDW torque request, e.g. vibration torque request, for haptic feedback. |
| EPS ECU - Lane Departure Warning Safety Functionality | Receives a vibration torque request from the Normal Lane Assistance Functionality and check if the requested amplitude and frequency are under limits. If it cannot check the limits or the values are beyond range, a malfunction is generated and sent to the Car Display ECU. |
| EPS ECU - Lane Keeping Assistant Safety Functionality | Receives the current steering torque request from the Normal Lane Assistance Functionality and determines if the request has a duration no longer than max\_duration. If it cannot determine duration, a malfunction message is sent to the Car display ECU |
| EPS ECU - Final Torque | Receives torque requests from Driver Steering Torque, Normal Lane Assistance Functionality , Lane Departure Warning Safety Functionality, Lane Keeping Assistant Safety Functionality and generates the final torque for the motor. Send the torque command to the motor. |
| Motor | Receives commands from the Electronic Power Steering ECU and applies torque to the steering wheel. |

# Technical Safety Concept

## Technical Safety Requirements

**[Instructions: Fill in the technical safety requirements for the lane departure warning first functional safety requirement. We have provided the associated functional safety requirement in the first table below. Hint: The technical safety requirements were discussed in the lesson videos. The architecture allocation column should contain element names such as LDW Safety block, Data Transmission Integrity Check, etc. Allocating the technical safety requirements to the "EPS ECU" does not provide enough detail for a technical safety concept.]**

**Lane Departure Warning (LDW) Requirements:**

Functional Safety Requirement 01-01 with its associated system elements

(derived in the functional safety concept)

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| **ID** | **Functional Safety Requirement** | **Electronic Power Steering ECU** | **Camera ECU** | **Car Display ECU** |
| Functional  Safety  Requirement  01-01 | (**LDW**) The electronic power steering ECU 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:

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| **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 | 50ms | LDW Safety  Functionality | Lane Departure |
| 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 | 50ms | LDW Safety  Functionality | LDW Torque is 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 | 50ms | LDW Safety  Functionality | LDW Torque is zero |
| Technical  Safety  Requirement  04 | The validity and integrity of the  data transmission for  'LDW\_Torque\_Request' signal  shall be ensured. | C | 50ms | Data Transmission Integrity Check | LDW Torque is 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 | At ignition cycle time | Safety Startup | LDW Torque is zero |

**[Instructions: Fill in the technical safety requirements for the lane departure warning second functional safety requirement. We have provided the associated functional safety requirement in the table below. Hint:. Most of the technical safety requirements will be the same. At least one technical safety requirement will have to be slightly modified because we are talking about frequency instead of amplitude. These requirements were not given in the lessons]**

Functional Safety Requirement 01-2 with its associated system elements

(derived in the functional safety concept)

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| **ID** | **Functional Safety Requirement** | **Electronic Power Steering ECU** | **Camera ECU** | **Car Display ECU** |
| Functional  Safety  Requirement  01-02 | The electronic power steering ECU 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:

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| **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 | 50ms | LDW Safety  Functionality |  |
| 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 | 50ms | LDW Safety  Functionality |  |
| 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 | 50ms | LDW Safety  Functionality |  |
| Technical  Safety  Requirement  04 | The validity and integrity of the  data transmission for  'LDW\_Torque\_Request' signal  shall be ensured. | C | 50ms | Data  Transmission  integrity check |  |
| Technical  Safety  Requirement  05 | Memory test shall be conducted at start up of the EPS ECU to  check for any faults in memory. | A | At Ignition  cycle  time | Safety startup |  |

**Lane Departure Warning (LDW) Verification and Validation Acceptance Criteria:**

**[OPTIONAL: For each technical safety requirement, identify both the verification and validation acceptance criteria. “Validation” asks whether or not you chose the appropriate parameters. “Verification” involves testing to make sure the vehicle behaves as expected when the parameter value is crossed. There is not necessarily one right answer. Look at your verification and validation acceptance criteria from the functional safety concept for inspiration.]**

**Lane Keeping Assistance (LKA) Requirements:**

**[Instructions: Fill in the technical safety requirements for the lane keeping assistance functional safety requirement 02-01. We have provided the associated functional safety requirement in the table below. Hint:. You can reuse the technical safety requirements from functional safety requirement 01-01. But you need to change the language because we are now looking at a different system. The ASIL and Fault Tolerant Time Interval are different as well.]**

Functional Safety Requirement 02-1 with its associated system elements

(derived in the functional safety concept)

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| **ID** | **Functional Safety Requirement** | **Electronic Power Steering ECU** | **Camera ECU** | **Car Display ECU** |
| Functional  Safety  Requirement  02-01 | The electronic power steering ECU shall ensure that the LKA torque is applied for only for Max\_Duration | X |  |  |

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

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| **ID** | **Technical Safety Requirement** | **ASIL** | **Fault Tolerant Time Interval** | **Allocation to Architecture** | **Safe State** |
| Technical  Safety  Requirement  01 | The LKA safety component shall  ensure that the frequency of the  'LKA\_Torque\_Request' sent to the  'Final electronic power steering  Torque' component is below  'Max\_Duration’. | B | 500ms | LKA Safety  Functionality | Off |
| Technical  Safety  Requirement  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 | B | 500ms | LKA Safety  Functionality | Off |
| Technical  Safety  Requirement  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. | B | 500ms | LKA Safety  Functionality | Off |
| Technical  Safety  Requirement  04 | The validity and integrity of the  data transmission for  'LKA\_Torque\_Request' signal  shall be ensured. | B | 500ms | Data  Transmission  Integrity check | Off |
| Technical  Safety  Requirement  05 | Memory test shall be conducted at start up of the EPS ECU to  check for any faults in memory. | A | At Ignition  cycle  time | Safety startup | Off |

**Lane Keeping Assistance (LKA) Verification and Validation Acceptance Criteria:**

**[OPTIONAL: For each technical safety requirement, identify both the verification and validation acceptance criteria. “Validation” asks whether or not you chose the appropriate parameters. “Verification” involves testing to make sure the vehicle behaves as expected when the parameter value is crossed. There is not necessarily one right answer. Look at your verification and validation acceptance criteria from the functional safety concept for inspiration.]**

## Refinement of the System Architecture

**[Instructions: Include the refined system architecture. Hint: The refined system architecture should include the system architecture from the end of the technical safety lesson, including all of the ASIL labels.]**

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## Allocation of Technical Safety Requirements to Architecture Elements

**[Instructions: We already included the allocation as part of the technical requirement tables. Here you can state that for this particular item, all technical safety requirements are allocated to the Electronic Power Steering ECU]**

Lane Assistance system has all the requirements allocated to LDW and LKA Safety

Functionality, and is allocated to the Electronic Power Steering ECU at the highest level.

## Warning and Degradation Concept

**[Instructions: We've already identified that for any system malfunction, the lane assistance functions will be turned off and the driver will receive a warning light indication. The technical safety requirements have not changed how functionality will be degraded or what the warning will be.**

**So in this case, the warning and degradation concept is the same for the technical safety requirements as for the functional safety requirements. You can copy the functional safety warning and degradation concept here.**

**Oftentimes, a technical safety analysis will lead to a more detailed warning and degradation concept. ]**

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| **ID** | **Degradation Mode** | **Trigger for Degradation Mode** | **Safe State invoked?** | **Driver Warning** |
| WDC-01 | Off | If LDW Torque oscillation amplitude exceeds Max\_Torque\_Amplitude OR Torque oscillation frequency exceeds Max\_Torque\_Frequency | Yes | Warning light on the Car Display |
| WDC-02 | Off | If LKA torque applied for the duration longer than the Max\_Duration | Yes | Warning light on the Car Display |
| WDC-03 | Off | If vehicle transmission set to reverse, then Reverse\_Mode\_Torque is TRUE | Yes | Warning light on the Car Display |