

Functional Safety Concept Lane Assistance

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# Purpose of the Functional Safety Concept

The creation of a functional safety concept is part of the safety process of ISO 26262 for the treatment of potential malfunctions in electrical and electronic systems.

From the safety goals, functional safety requirements are derived on system level and assigned to the higher-level system diagrams.

# Inputs to the Functional Safety Concept

## Safety goals from the Hazard Analysis and Risk Assessment

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| **ID** | **Safety Goal** |
| Safety\_Goal\_01 | The oscillating steering torque from the lane departure warning function shall be limited. |
| Safety\_Goal\_02 | The lane keeping assistance function shall be time limited and the additional steering torque shall end after a given time interval so that the driver cannot misuse the system for autonomous driving. |
| Safety\_Goal\_03 | The lane departure warning function shall not be activated independently if this is not intended by the driver. |
| Safety\_Goal\_04 | The lane keeping assistance function shall deactivate itself and shall warn the driver if it is unable to reliably detect lane and road boundaries. |

## Preliminary Architecture

The following image shows the preliminary architecture, which will be refined within this document:



### Description of architecture elements

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| **Element** | **Description** |
| Camera Sensor | Sensor for the optical detection of the front area of the vehicle, including detectable lane lines. |
| Camera Sensor ECU | Electronic Control Unit responsible for detecting lane lines and determining when the vehicle leaves the lane by mistake. |
| Car Display | Visual display which is, among other functionalities, responsible for displaying warning of lane departures and LKA and LDW activation-status. |
| Car Display ECU | Electronic control unit, which is responsible for creating and providing the data and information that the car display visualizes. |
| Driver Steering Torque Sensor | Sensor responsible for measuring the steering torque provided by the driver. |
| Electronic Power Steering ECU | The electronic control unit is responsible for evaluating the torque provided by the driver and for adding an additional torque based on the torque request of the lane assist system (LKA). Initializes the vibration of the steering wheel when the driver inadvertently drifts away from the center of the lane (LDW). |
| Motor | Mechatronic device which adds extra steering torque directly to the steering wheel. |

# Functional Safety Concept

The functional safety concept consists of:

* Functional safety analysis
* Functional safety requirements
* Functional safety architecture
* Warning and degradation concept

## Functional Safety Analysis

**[Instructions: Fill in the functional safety analysis table below.]**

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| **Malfunction ID** | **Main Function of the Item Related to Safety Goal Violations** | **Guidewords (NO, WRONG, EARLY, LATE, MORE, LESS)** | **Resulting Malfunction** |
| Malfunction\_01 | Lane Departure Warning (LDW) function shall apply an oscillating steering torque to provide the driver a haptic feedback |  |  |
| Malfunction\_02 | Lane Departure Warning (LDW) function shall apply an oscillating steering torque to provide the driver a haptic feedback |  |  |
| Malfunction\_03 | Lane Keeping Assistance (LKA) function shall apply the steering torque when active in order to stay in ego lane |  |  |
| Malfunction\_04 | Lane Departure Warning (LDW) function shall apply an oscillating steering torque to provide the driver a haptic feedback |  |  |
| Malfunction\_05 | Lane Keeping Assistance (LKA) function shall apply the steering torque when active in order to stay in ego lane |  |  |

## Functional Safety Requirements

**[Instructions: Fill in the functional safety requirements for the lane departure warning ]**

Lane Departure Warning (LDW) Requirements:

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **ID** | **Functional Safety Requirement** | **ASIL** | **Fault Tolerant Time Interval** | **Safe State** |
| Functional  Safety  Requirement  01-01 |  |  |  |  |
| Functional  Safety  Requirement  01-02 |  |  |  |  |

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

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| --- | --- | --- |
| **ID** | **Validation Acceptance**  **Criteria and Method** | **Verification Acceptance**  **Criteria and Method** |
| Functional  Safety  Requirement  01-01 |  |  |
| Functional  Safety  Requirement  01-02 |  |  |

**[Instructions: Fill in the functional safety requirements for the lane keeping assistance]**

Lane Keeping Assistance (LKA) Requirements:

|  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **ID** | **Functional Safety Requirement** | **ASIL** | **Fault Tolerant Time Interval** | **Safe State** |
| Functional  Safety  Requirement  02-01 |  |  |  |  |

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

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| **ID** | **Validation Acceptance**  **Criteria and Method** | **Verification Acceptance**  **Criteria and Method** |
| Functional  Safety  Requirement  02-01 |  |  |

## 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 functional safety lesson including all of the ASIL labels.]**

## Allocation of Functional Safety Requirements to Architecture Elements

**[Instructions: Mark which element or elements are responsible for meeting the functional safety requirement. Hint: Only one ECU is responsible for meeting all of the requirements.]**

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| **ID** | **Functional Safety Requirement** | **Electronic Power Steering ECU** | **Camera ECU** | **Car Display ECU** |
| Functional  Safety  Requirement  01-01 |  |  |  |  |
| Functional  Safety  Requirement  01-02 |  |  |  |  |
| Functional  Safety  Requirement  02-01 |  |  |  |  |

## Warning and Degradation Concept

**[Instructions: Fill in the warning and degradation concept.]**

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| **ID** | **Degradation Mode** | **Trigger for Degradation Mode** | **Safe State invoked?** | **Driver Warning** |
| WDC-01 |  |  |  |  |
| WDC-02 |  |  |  |  |

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