

Safety Plan Lane Assistance

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# Introduction

## Purpose of the Safety Plan

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

The purpose of this safety plan is to provide an overall framework for a the Lane Assistance item, and to assign roles and responsibilities for functional safety for this item.

## Scope of the Project

**[Instructions: Nothing to do here. This is for your information.]**

For the lane assistance project, the following safety lifecycle phases are in scope:

Concept phase

Product Development at the System Level

Product Development at the Software Level

The following phases are out of scope:

Product Development at the Hardware Level

Production and Operation

## Deliverables of the Project

**[Instructions: Nothing to do here. This is for your information.]**

The deliverables of the project are:

Safety Plan

Hazard Analysis and Risk Assessment

Functional Safety Concept

Technical Safety Concept

Software Safety Requirements and Architecture

# Item Definition

We the purpose of this safety plan is to provide an overall framework for the Lane Assistance item, and to assign roles and responsibilities for functional safety.

**[Instructions:**

**REQUIRED**

**Discuss these key points about the system:**

**What is the item in question, and what does the item do?**

**What are its two main functions? How do they work?**

**Which subsystems are responsible for each function?**

**What are the boundaries of the item? What subsystems are inside the item? What elements or subsystems are outside of the item?**

**OPTIONAL**

**Optionally, include information about these points as well. These were not included in the lectures, but you might be able to find this information online:**

* **Operational and Environmental Constraints. This could especially be limited to camera performance; lane lines are difficult to detect in snow, fog, etc**
* **Legal requirements in your country for lane assistance technology**
* **National and International Standards Related to the Item**
* **Records of previously known safety-related incidents or behavioral shortfalls**

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The lane assistance item alerts the driver that the vehicle has accidentally departed its lane, and attempts to steer the vehicle back toward the center of the lane.

The Lane Assistance System will have two functions:

1. Lane departure warning
2. Lane keeping assistance

The lane departure warning function shall apply an oscillating steering torque to provide the driver a haptic feedback.

The lane keeping assistance function shall apply the steering torque when active in order to stay in ego lane.

The camera subsystem, the electronic power steering subsystem, and the car display system are all responsible for each of the functions.



# Goals and Measures

## Goals

**[Instructions:**

**Describe the major goal of this project; what are we trying to accomplish by analyzing the lane assistance functions with ISO 26262?]**

## Measures

**[Instructions:**

**Fill in who will be responsible for each measure or activity. Hint: The lesson on Safety Management Roles and Responsibilities.**

**The options are:**

**All Team Members**

**Safety Manager**

**Project Manager**

**Safety Auditor**

**Safety Assessor**

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| Measures and Activities | Responsibility | Timeline |
| Follow safety processes |  | Constantly |
| Create and sustain a safety culture |  | Constantly |
| Coordinate and document the planned safety activities |  | Constantly |
| Allocate resources with adequate functional safety competency |  | Within 2 weeks of start of project |
| Tailor the safety lifecycle |  | Within 4 weeks of start of project |
| Plan the safety activities of the safety lifecycle |  | Within 4 weeks of start of project |
| Perform regular functional safety audits |  | Once every 2 months |
| Perform functional safety pre-assessment prior to audit by external functional safety assessor |  | 3 months prior to main assessment |
| Perform functional safety assessment |  | Conclusion of functional safety activities |

# Safety Culture

**[Instructions:**

**Describe the characteristics of your company's safety culture. How do these characteristics help maintain your safety culture. Hint: See the lesson about Safety Culture**

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The characteristics of our company’s safety culture are:

* **High priority**: safety has the highest priority among competing constraints like cost and productivity
* **Accountability**: processes ensure accountability such that design decisions are traceable back to the people and teams who made the decisions
* **Rewards**: the organization motivates and supports the achievement of functional safety
* **Penalties**: the organization penalizes shortcuts that jeopardize safety or quality
* **Independence**: teams who design and develop a product should be independent from the teams who audit the work
* **Well defined processes**: company design and management processes should be clearly defined
* **Resources**: projects have necessary resources including people with appropriate skills
* **Diversity**: intellectual diversity is sought after, valued and integrated into processes
* **Communication**: communication channels encourage disclosure of problems

# Safety Lifecycle Tailoring

**[Instructions:**

**Describe which phases of the safety lifecycle are in scope and which are out of scope for this particular project. Hint: See the** [**Intro section**](#_sh22j99mm02k) **of this document**

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Our company has always tracked requirements engineering decisions with physical paper reports. Sometimes it’s not clear who is making design decisions. Our company decides to use requirements engineering software to better track who is responsible for decisions.

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* Concept phase
* Product Development at the System Level
* Product Development at the Software Level

The following phases are out of scope:

* Product Development at the Hardware Level
* Production and Operation

# Roles

**[Instructions:**

**This section is here for your reference. You do not need to do anything here. It is provided to help with filling out the development interface agreement section.**

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| Role | Org |
| Functional Safety Manager- Item Level | OEM |
| Functional Safety Engineer- Item Level | OEM |
| Project Manager - Item Level | OEM |
| Functional Safety Manager- Component Level | Tier-1 |
| Functional Safety Engineer- Component Level | Tier-1 |
| Functional Safety Auditor | OEM or external |
| Functional Safety Assessor | OEM or external |

# Development Interface Agreement

**[Instructions:**

**Assume in this project that you work for the tier-1 organization as described in the above roles table. You are taking on the role of both the functional safety manager and functional safety engineer.**

**Please answer the following questions:**

1. **What is the purpose of a development interface agreement?**

A DIA (development interface agreement) defines the roles and responsibilities between companies involved in developing a product. All involved parties need to agree on the contents of the DIA before the project begins.

The DIA also specifies what evidence and work products each party will provide to prove that work was done according to the agreement.

The ultimate goal is to ensure that all parties are developing safe vehicles in compliance with ISO 26262.

Here are major sections of a DIA:

* Appointment of customer and supplier safety managers
* Joint tailoring of the safety lifecycle
* Activities and processes to be performed by the customer; activities and processes to be performed by the supplier
* Information and work products to be exchanged
* Parties or persons responsible for each activity in design and production
* Any supporting processes or tools to ensure compatibility between customer and supplier technologies

1. **What will be the responsibilities of your company versus the responsibilities of the OEM? Hint: In this project, the OEM is supplying a functioning lane assistance system. Your company needs to analyze and modify the various sub-systems from a functional safety viewpoint.**

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As my roles for the tier1-organization are “functional safety manager” and “functional safety engineer”, the responsibilities of my company are:

Safety Manager

* Planning, coordinating and documenting of the development phase of the safety lifecycle
* Tailors the safety lifecycle
* Maintains the safety plan
* Monitors progress against the safety plan
* Performs pre-audits before the safety auditor

Safety Engineer

* Product development
* Integration
* Testing at the hardware, software and system levels

# Confirmation Measures

**[Instructions:**

**Please answer the following questions:**

1. **What is the main purpose of confirmation measures?**
2. **What is a confirmation review?**
3. **What is a functional safety audit?**
4. **What is a functional safety assessment?**

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1. The main purposes of confirmation measures are:
   1. That a functional safety project conforms to ISO 26262, and
   2. That the project really does make the vehicle safer.
2. A confirmation review ensures that the project complies with ISO 26262. As the product is designed and developed, an independent person would review the work to make sure ISO 26262 is being followed.
3. A functional safety audit is checking to make sure that the actual implementation of the project conforms to the safety plan.
4. A functional safety assessment confirms that plans, designs and developed products actually achieve functional safety.

A safety plan could have other sections that we are not including here. For example, a safety plan would probably contain a complete project schedule.

There might also be a "Supporting Process Management" section that would cover "Part 8: Supporting Processes" of the ISO 26262 functional safety standard. This would include descriptions of how the company handles requirements management, change management, configuration management, documentation management, and software tool usage and confidence.

Similarly, a confirmation measures section would go into more detail about how each confirmation will be carried out.