

# Multi Lane Mixed Simulation

## Bug Fix 1

There is a bug that kicks in only when there is an end-of-lane condition triggered during the process of overtaking. Please replace/insert the lines highlighted below.

Class Vehicle method `updateOnly`:

At the very end insert the two highlighted lines

```
# update lane information if necessary
if self.pos >= self.lane.length:
    nextPos = self.pos - self.lane.length
    nextLane = self.lane.next
    self.lane.leave(self)
    if nextLane is None:
        self.rec.record(self, event='end')
        self.running = False
        return False
    else:
        nextLane.enter(self, pos=nextPos)
        if self.oldLane is not None:
            self.oldLane = self.oldLane.next
return True
```

Class Vehicle method `changeLane`

In class Vehicle, method `changeLaneProcess`:

The old code was just `self.lane = newLane`, which is in most cases ok, except when we ran during the overtaking process across an end of lane.

```
## make changeLane robust against interrupt:
def changeLane(self, direction, Δt):

    # smoothly adjust velocity by Δv over the time Δt
    def changeLaneProcess(oldLane, newlane, Δt):
        self.updateOnly()
        self.rec.record(self, 'change '+direction)
        self.oldLane = oldLane
        newLane.enter(self, pos=self.pos)
        self.ddx0 = 1
        self.dddx0 = 0
        yield self.env.timeout(Δt)
        self.updateOnly() ## additional code
        currentLane = self.lane
        self.oldLane.leave(self)
        self.lane = currentLane
        self.oldLane = None
        self.rec.record(self, 'done change '+direction)
        self.updateOnly()
        self.ddx0 = 0
        self.dddx0 = 0
```

At the beginning of the body of `changeLane()`, i.e. just below the above code segment introduce `updateOnly()`

```

# keep record of current lane, as in case of aborting
# the lane change
# when interrupted go back into original lane
self.updateOnly()
oldLane = self.lane
newLane = self.lane.getLane(direction)
self.changingLane = True
try:
    self.processRef = self.env.process(changeLaneProcess(oldLane, newLane, Δt))
    yield self.processRef
    self.processRef = None
except simpy.Interrupt:

```

And then just below that:

```

except simpy.Interrupt:
    # if interrupted go quickly back into old lane
    # but this is not interruptible
    self.updateOnly()
    # self.lane should now be newLane
    # however it is possible that self.lane is already on the
    # next lane segment, in which case newLane and oldLane need to be
    # updated in sync:
    while self.lane != newLane and newLane is not None:
        newLane = newLane.next
        oldLane = oldLane.next
    self.processRef = None
    self.env.process(changeLaneProcess(newLane, oldLane, Δt/4))
    self.changingLane = False

```

## Bug Fix 2

Vehicles go quite aggressively back into the slower lane. This is relaxed, the cars should only switch into the slow lane if there is plenty of room ahead in the slow lane

### Class Vehicle method update()

Class Vehicle at the end of update() replace the highlighted line as indicated:

The old code was just checking that the car in front on the left lane is not too slow. We now request that there is plenty of free head space.

```

## modified code: end overtaking by returning to slow lane
## only if the left lane doesn't end
if self.surround.leftLane is not None and \
    not self.braking and not self.changingLane and \
    not self.surround.leftLane.endOfLane and \
    self.surround.left is None and \
    self.surround.leftFront is None and \
    self.surround.leftBack is None and \
    self.surround.leftLane.laneEnds(self.pos) is None:
if self.traceOvertake:
    print(f"t={self.t0:7,.1f}s Overtaking v{self.id:d} returns to slow lane")
self.setTarget(LANE_CHANGE_TIME, 'slow')
self.interruptProcess()
return True

```