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# AUTOMATED DRIVING WILL INCREASE SAFETY, COMFORT AND EFFICIENCY BOTH FOR THE DRIVER AND THE TRAFFIC SYSTEM.

## IMPROVED TRAFFIC AND DRIVING SAFETY.

Always safe (also without automation by an optimized perception).



## INCREASED DRIVING COMFORT.

Gaining valuable time by delegation.



## IMPROVED DRIVING EFFICIENCY.

Time and fuel savings through optimized driving strategy.



# AUTOMATED DRIVING ENABLES THE DRIVER TO DELEGATE DRIVING TASKS. THE ENVIRONMENT PERCEPTION INCREASES HIS COMPETENCE AND THE ACTIVE SAFETY PROTECTS HIM.

## Delegation

My car drives and parks itself

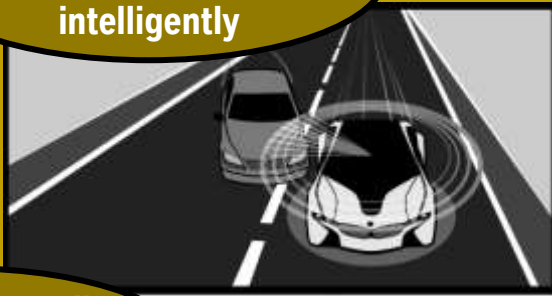


My car drives me when I want it



## Competence

My car has a 360° view and reacts intelligently



My car is my co-pilot and knows more than I



My car protects itself, no more dents and scratches



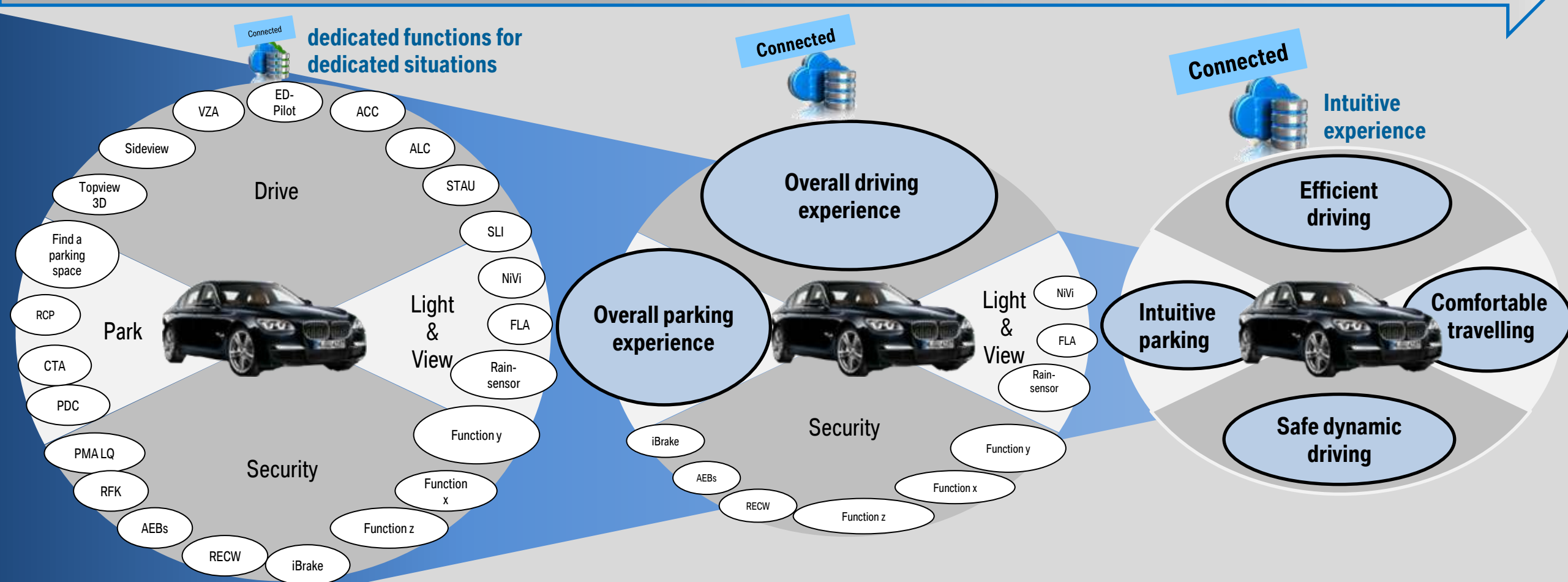
## Protection

My car protects me (and others) and avoids accidents



# AUTOMATED DRIVING IS THE BASIS TO INTEGRATE SINGLE FUNCTIONS TO AN OVERALL EXPERIENCE.

Integration of single functions + Increasing degree of automation + Backend for advanced perspective = Customer oriented use cases

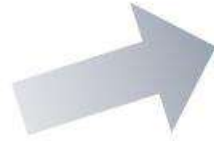


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# THE DUALISM OF AUTOMATION: INCREASE OF COMFORT, SAFETY AND EFFICIENCY VERSUS LOSS OF COMPETENCE?

Manual Driving „only“



Automated Driving



**Comfort,  
Safety,  
Efficiency**  
( & Pleasure)

Manual Driving

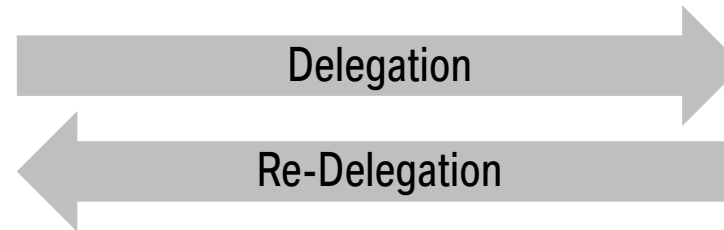
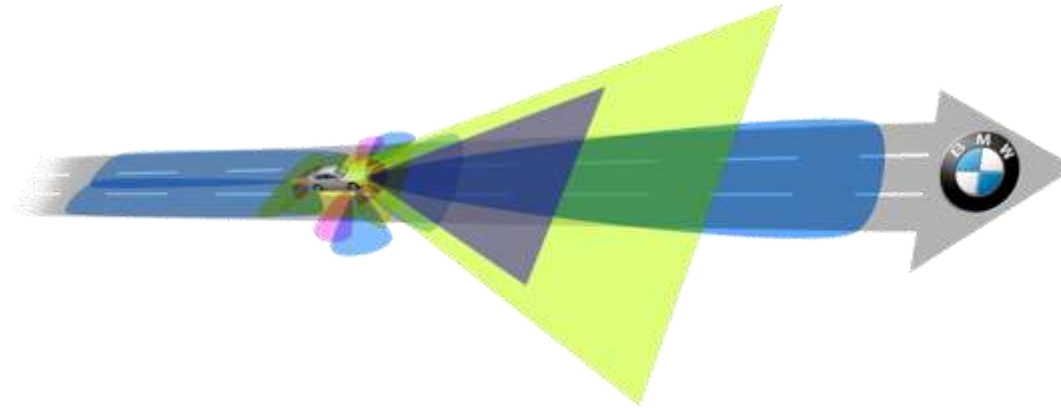


**Joy,  
Competence**  
( & Comfort,  
Safety,  
Efficiency)

# WITH THE AUTOMATION THE CUSTOMER HAS TO DEVELOP AND ACCEPT A NEW ROLE MODEL.



**Self driving:**  
Well experienced.  
Underdemanding in longlasting,  
boring situations.



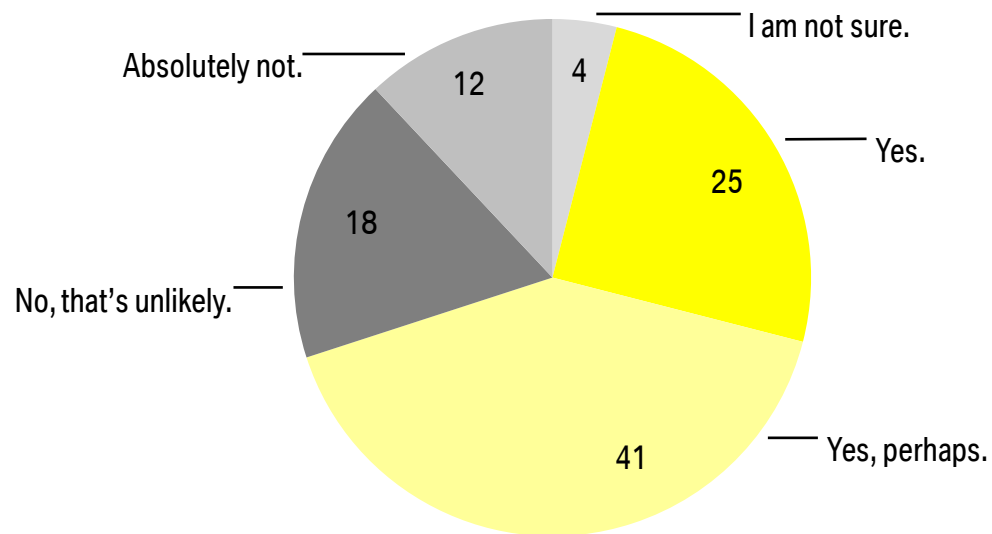
**Automated Driving:**  
New experience of relaxation in  
boring situations.



# FIRST STUDIES SHOW THAT HIGHLY AUTOMATED DRIVING WILL BE ACCEPTED BY THE CUSTOMER BUT WE HAVE TO CONVINCE THE SOCIETY, TOO.

**“The industry is developing autonomous vehicles. Could you imagine driving such a car if you were able to intervene in the case of an emergency?”**

Results of a survey of 1,000 customers with a German driver's license:



**>> For two thirds of the drivers an autonomous car would be an option.**

(Source: Ernst & Young GmbH, Study „Autonomous Driving“, 2013, provided by research partner Continental AG)

**The society's hopes and concerns:**



(Source: BMW Group Research and Technology, Online-Media Analysis „Social perception of highly automated driving“)

# THE STEPWISE INCREASE OF AUTOMATION HELPS CUSTOMERS AND SOCIETY TO UNDERSTAND AND TO ACCEPT THE NEW FUNCTIONALITY.

	Level 0	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4	Level 5
	Driver only	Assisted	Partial Automation	Conditional Automation	High Automation	Full Automation
Vehicle guidance	<b>System</b> cannot assume neither longitudinal nor lateral control; control remains with the driver.	<b>System</b> assumes either longitudinal or lateral control	<b>System</b> accomplishes both longitudinal and lateral control			
Monitoring task	Not applicable	<b>Driver</b> must monitor the system at all times. Activities not related to driving are not permitted.	<b>Driver</b> does not have to monitor the system at all times. Activities not related to driving are possible to a limited degree		<b>Driver</b> is not required to monitor the system. Driver may perform activities not related to driving at all times.	No <b>driver</b> required.
Performance limits	Not applicable	<b>System</b> is not capable of recognizing all of its performance limits. This lies in the responsibility of the driver.	Whenever the <b>system</b> recognizes its performance limits, driver will be requested to resume control.	<b>System</b> recognizes its performance limits. Emergency situations can be accomplished by the system, provided that they can be managed similarly by a human driver ...		... during the whole journey
				... during defined use case		
				<b>System</b> is not capable of transferring to the minimum risk condition out of each situation. Therefore it requests the <b>driver</b> to resume vehicle control with sufficient time margin.	<b>System</b> can cope with all situations automatically.	
				... during defined use case	... during the whole journey	
				At the end of the use case the <b>driver</b> is requested to resume vehicle control.		

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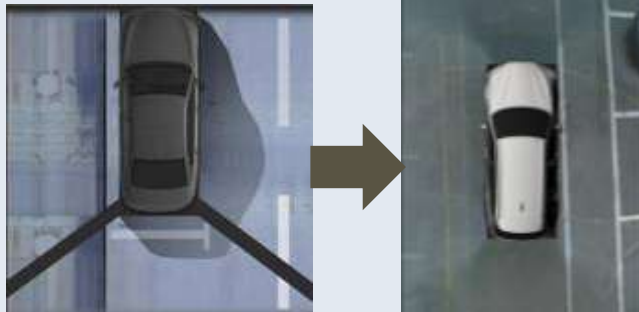
# FIRST FUNCTIONS OF PARTIAL AUTOMATION ARE AVAILABLE. SPECIFIC SEGMENT SOLUTIONS ARE FEASIBLE BY SCALING.



# PARKING SYSTEM ARE FURTHER DEVELOPED TO AN INTUITIVE OVERALL EXPERIENCE.



**Parking maneuver assistant with longitudinal and lateral guidance**



**Surround View from four cameras**

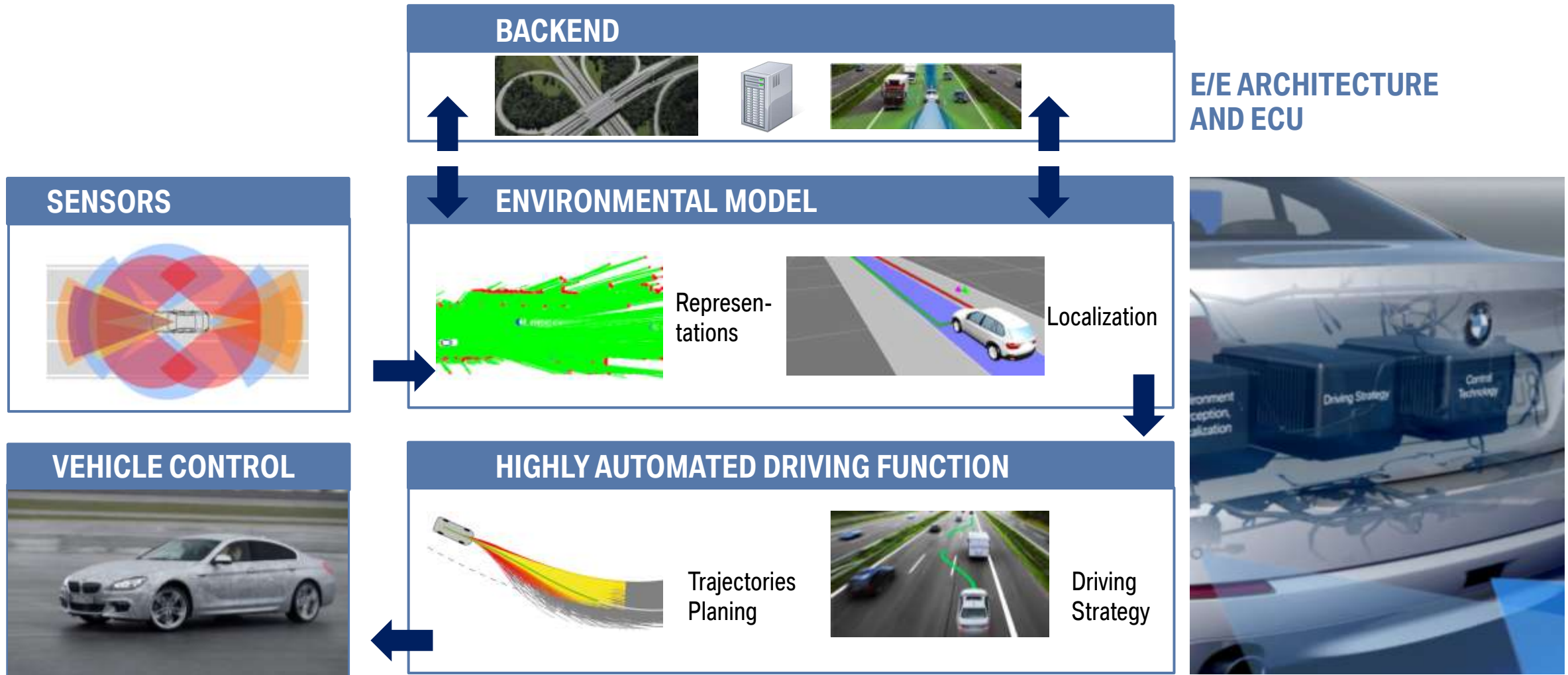


**Panorama sideview with front camera**

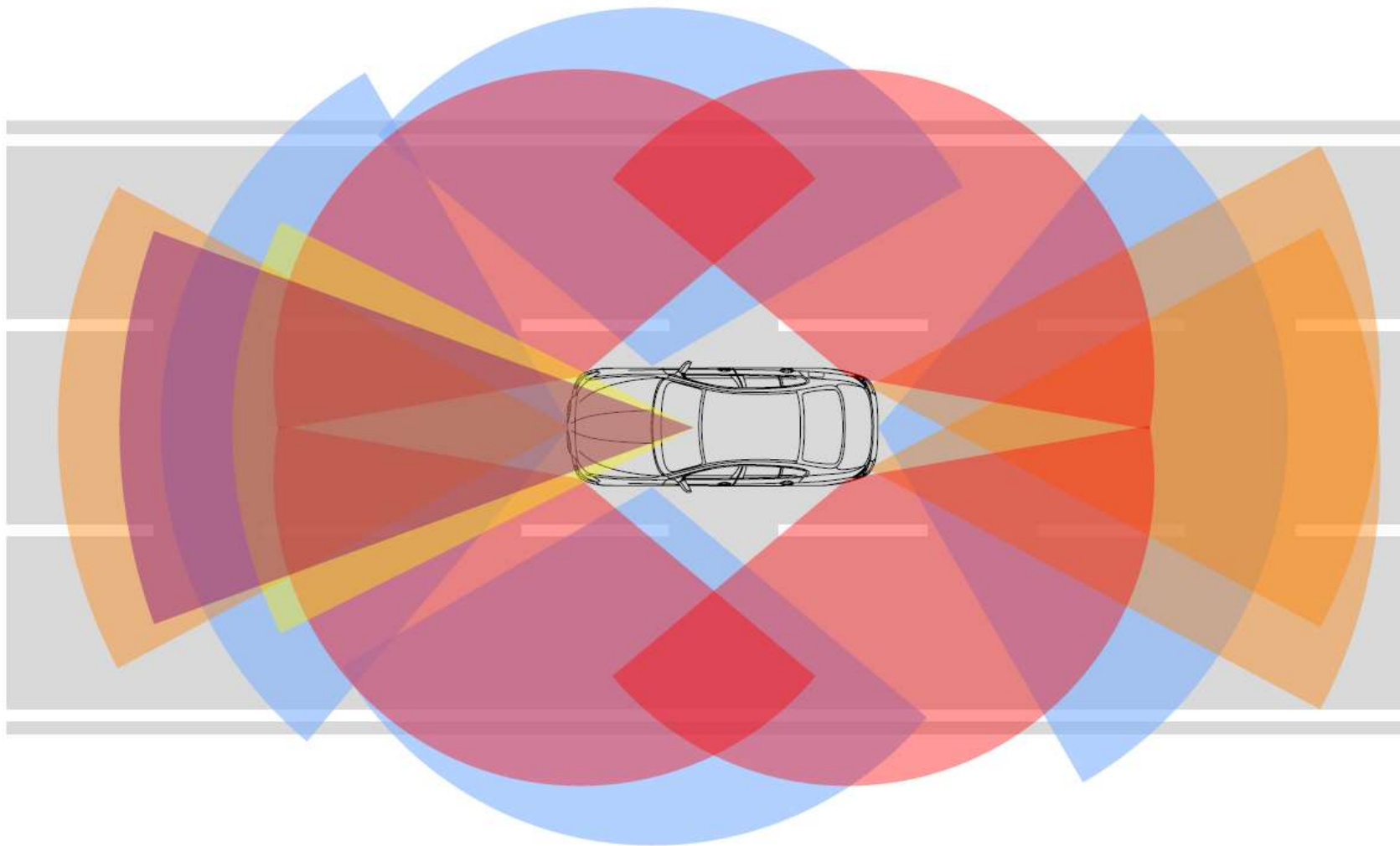
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# MASTERING THE BASIC TECHNOLOGIES IS THE FIRST STEP FOR HIGHLY AUTOMATED DRIVING.



# READY FOR THE MARKET MEANS THE AVAILABILITY OF A HIGH-QUALITY, DIVERSE AND AFFORDABLE SENSOR-SETUP.

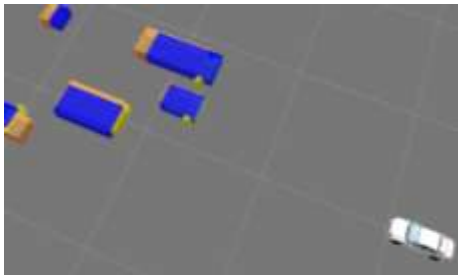


-  Long-Range Radar
-  4-Layers Laserscanner
-  Long-Range Camera (Mono)
-  Stereo Camera
-  Short-Range Radar



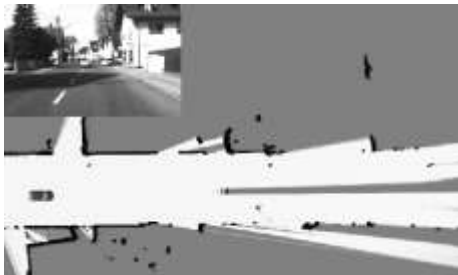
# FUSION AND SITUATION INTERPRETATION IN THE ENVIRONMENTAL MODEL REQUIRES HIGH-COMPUTING PERFORMANCE.

## REPRESENTATION



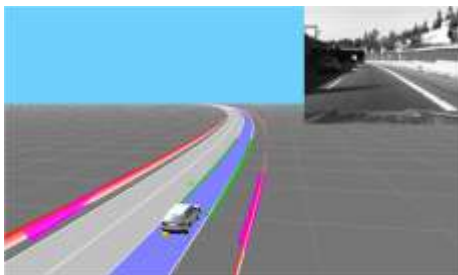
### Model based objects

- Detection and fusion of dynamic objects
- Estimation of velocity and acceleration
- Object classification
- Advanced cognitive prediction



### Occupancy maps / free space

- Model-free environmental representations
- Static obstacles
- Extraction of free space / road boundary



### Road model

- Precise road geometry and road network
- Lane markings, road boundaries...
- Identification of possible routes

## LOCALIZATION

### Fusion of local and global positioning

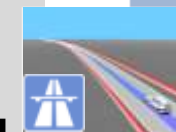
#### Sensor road model



Lane detection



Landmark detection



Multilane, high-precision digital map with landmarks

#### Global location determination



GPS



Odometry



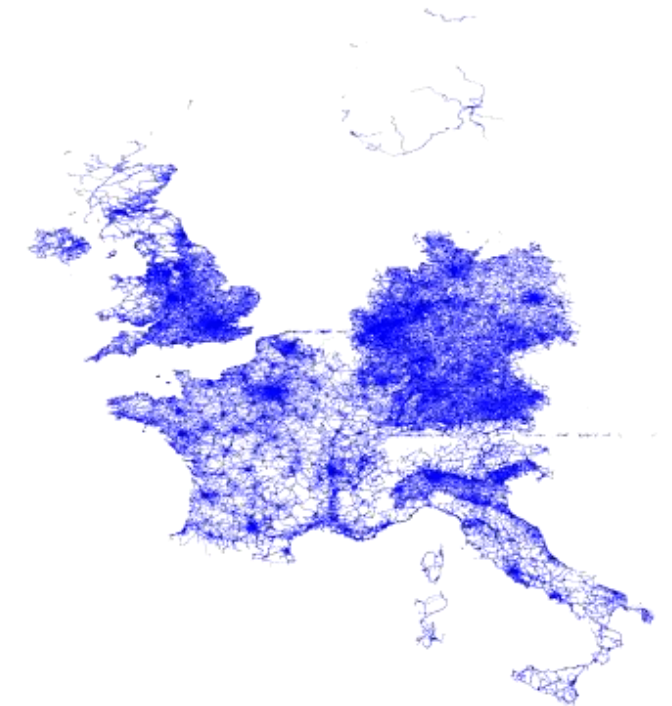
cm-accurate, redundant and highly available localization on the motorway

# THE BACKEND IS AN ESSENTIAL PART OF OUR ARCHITECTURE.



Coverage of selected countries of 100,000 selected BMW ConnectedDrive vehicles:

Roads passed by 1 - 3 vehicles within 10 days

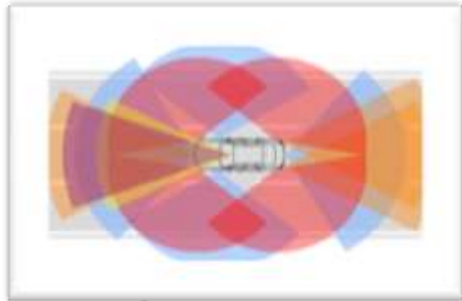


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# STARTING FROM 2020 FIRST HIGHLY AUTOMATED DRIVING FUNCTIONS COULD BE OFFERED TO OUR CUSTOMERS.

Development of an electronic co-pilot system with the international automotive supplier Continental.



2013

2014

Limited field test of highly automated driving functions in Germany and Europe (BMW Group & Continental).



2015

2016

Quantified benefits through large scale field operational test of highly automated driving functions (OEMs/suppliers).



2017

2018

Global rollout of highly automated driving functions.



2019

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**THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR ATTENTION.**