

## **SIP-adus Workshop 2018**

# **A Traffic-based Method for Safety Impact Assessment of Road Vehicle Automation**

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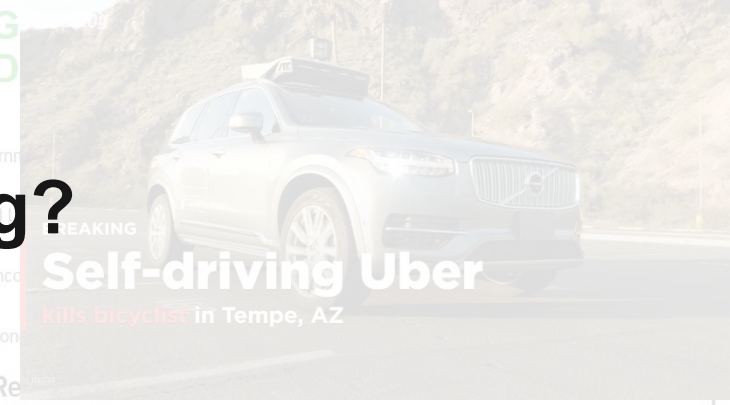
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# How SAFE is Automated Driving?



- ▶ **Research Question**  
What is the safety level of automated driving?

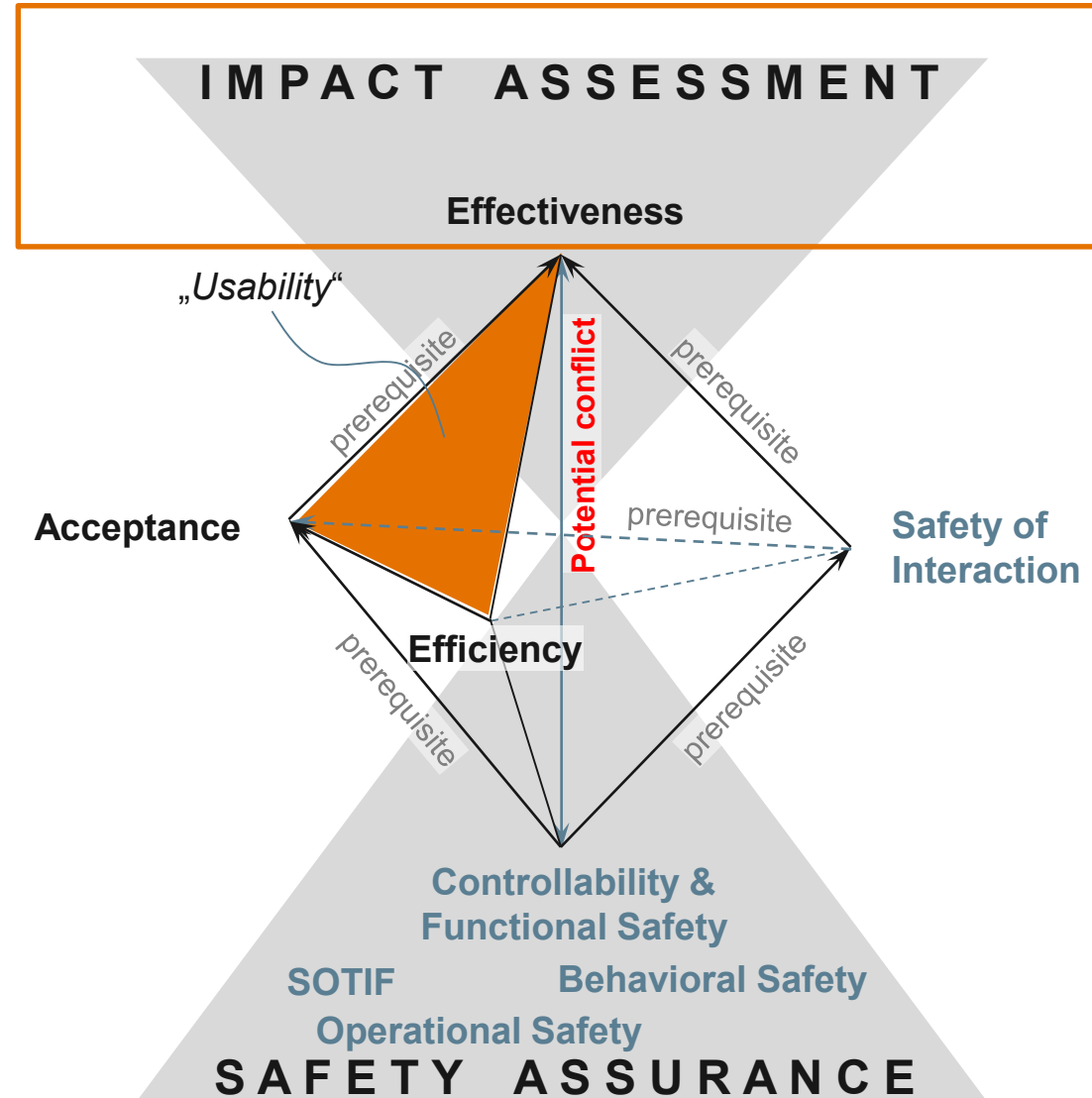
- ▶ **Methodology**  
A Traffic-based Method for Safety Impact Assessment of Road Vehicle Automation

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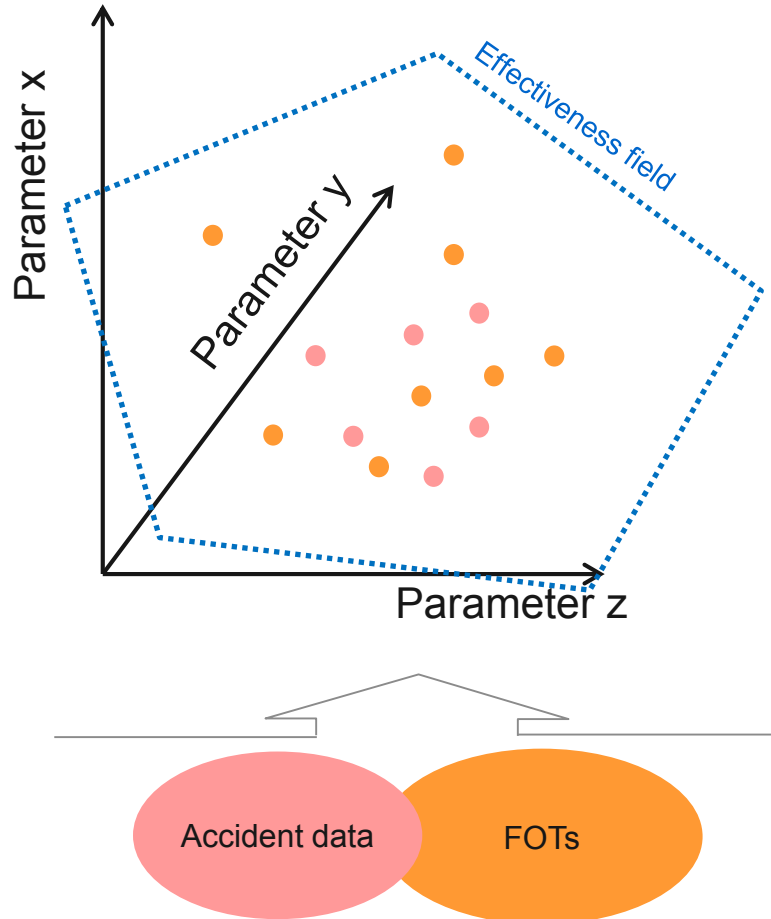
# Evaluation Methodology

## Impact Assessment vs. Safety Assurance

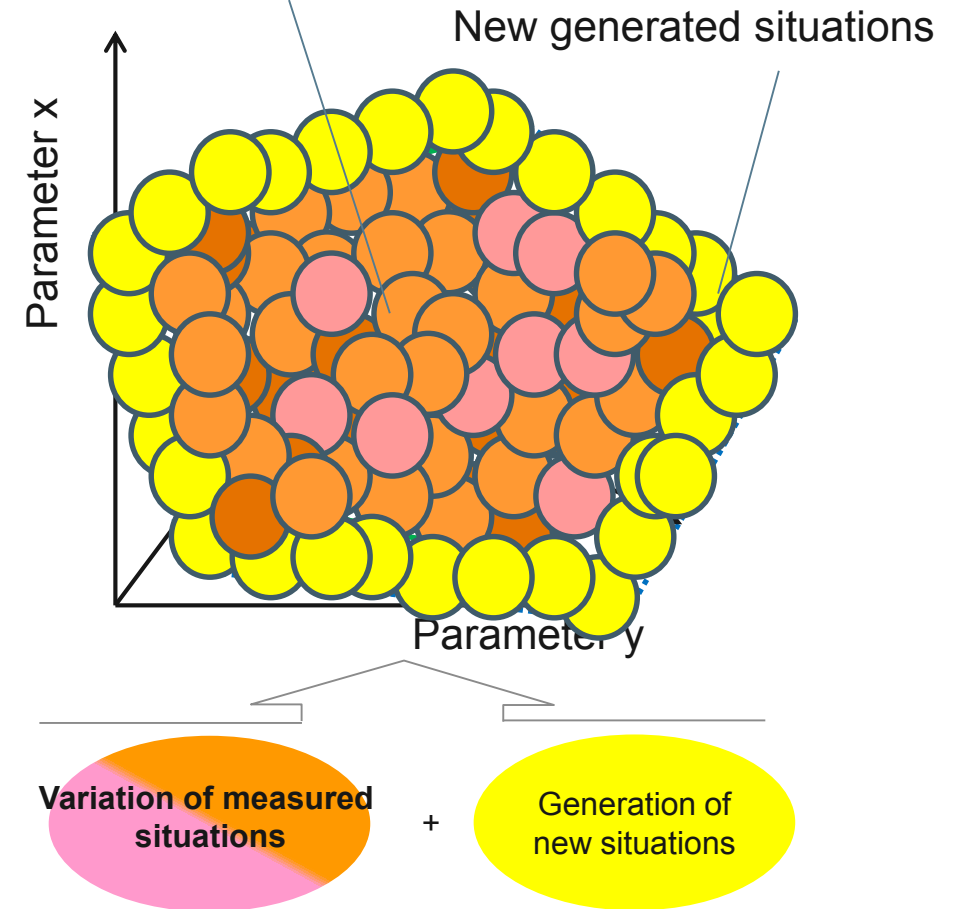


# Analysis of Automated Driving Field Test Data

## Scenario Classification of Real-World Data



Variation of measured situations

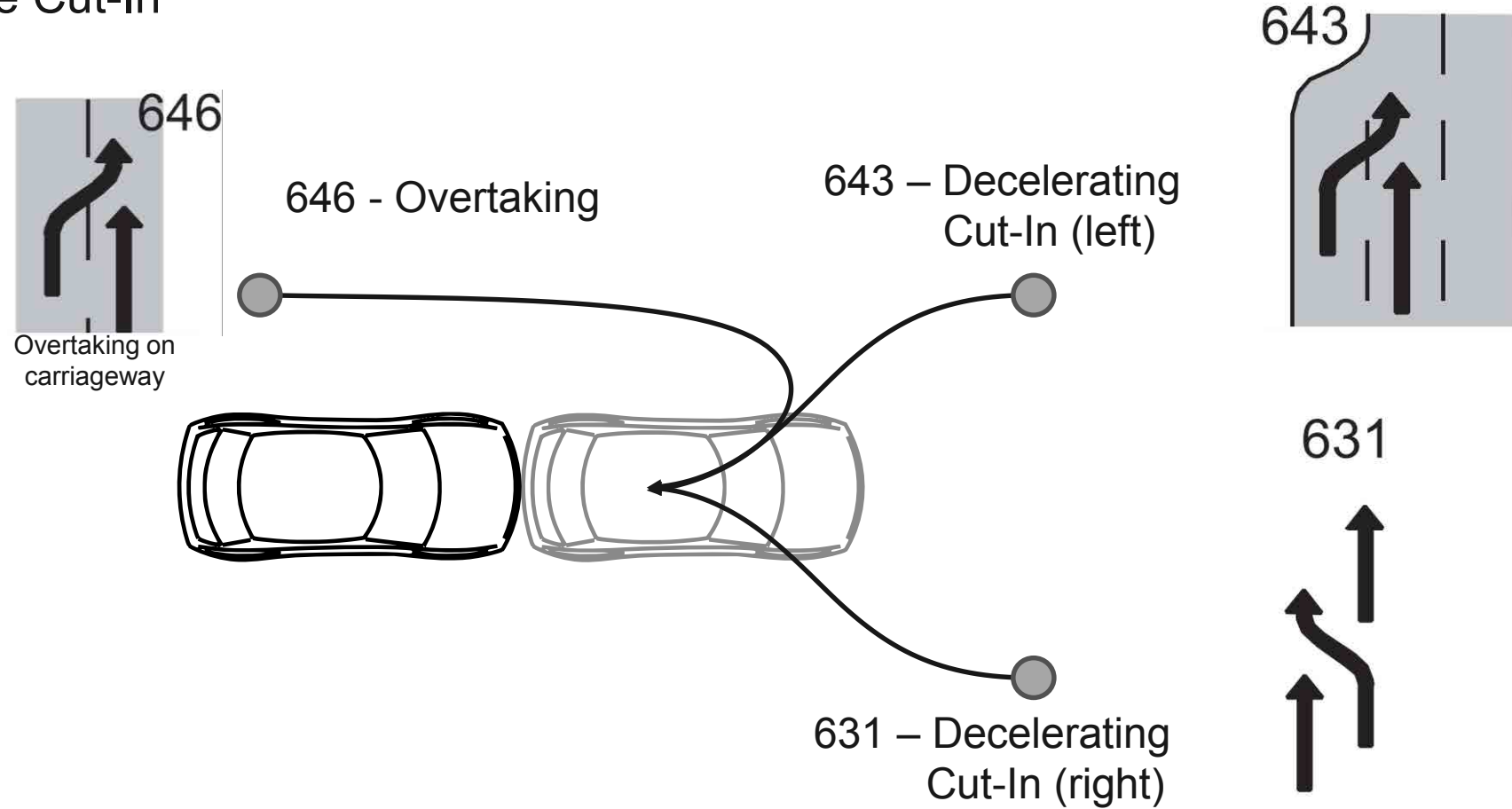


Source: Eckstein, L., Zlocki, A.: Safety Potential of ADAS - Combined Methods for an Effective Evaluation, 23rd ESV 2013, Seoul, 2013

# Impact Assessment of Automated Driving

## Driving Scenarios from Accident Type

### Example: Passive Cut-In

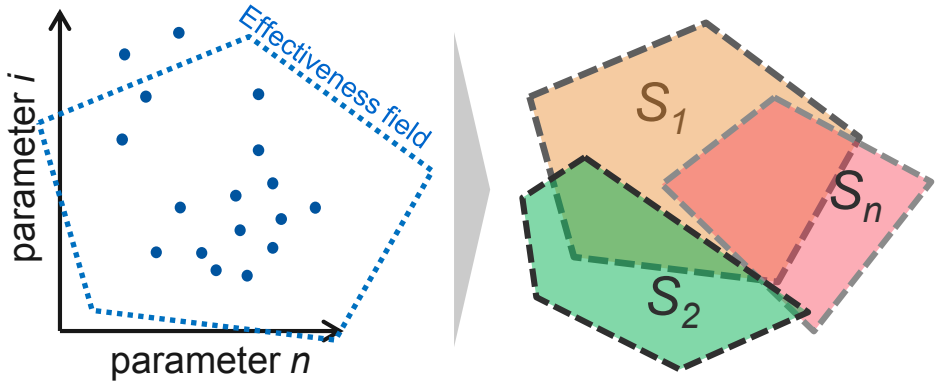




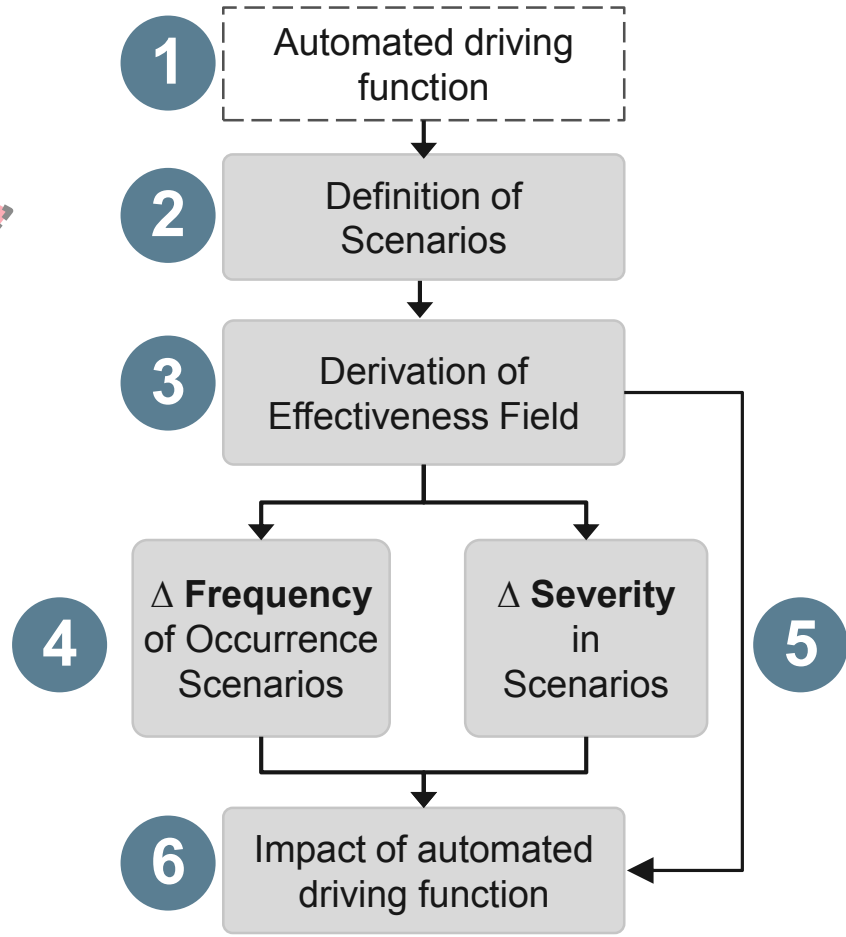
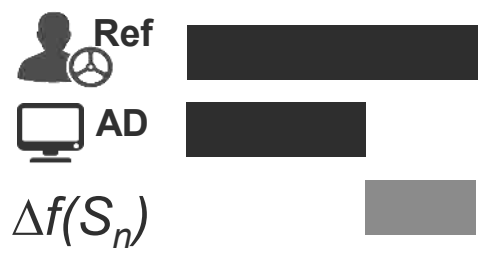
Approach: The **types of driving scenarios**, respectively physical accident constellations, do not change with automated driving.

The **frequency of occurrence** and the **severity** of these driving scenarios may change with automated driving.

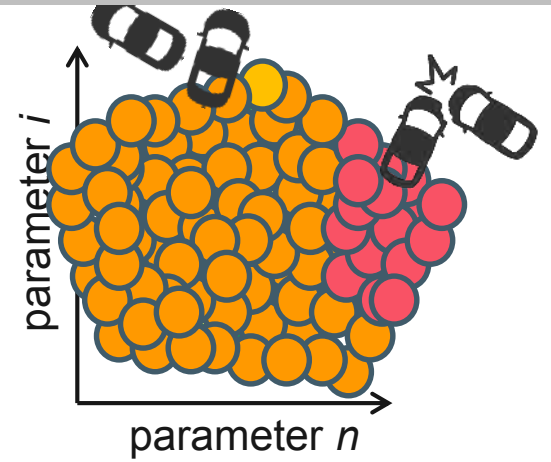
### 3 Driving scenario-based estimation of effectiveness field



### 4 $\Delta$ Frequency of occurrence of driving scenarios



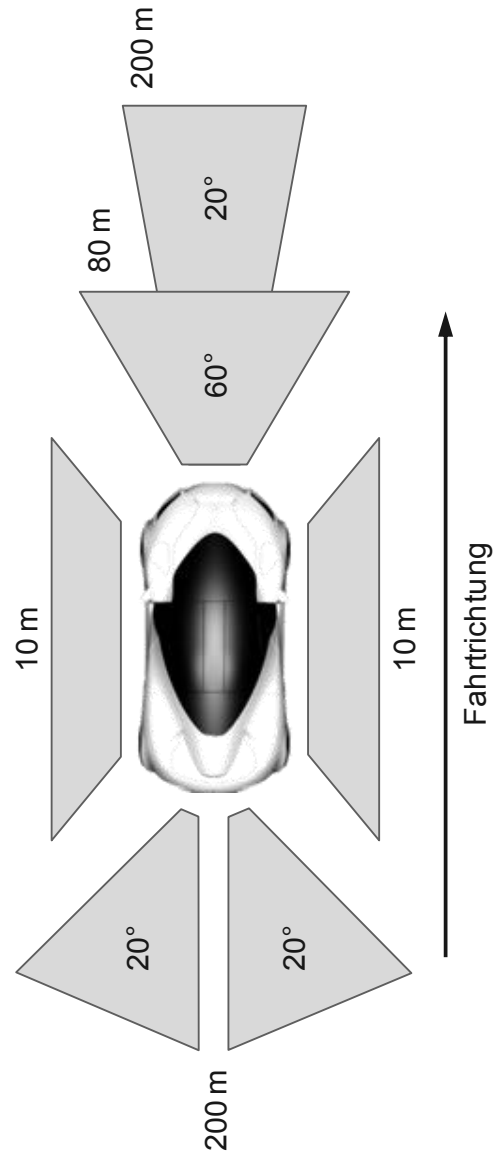
### 5 $\Delta$ Severity in driving scenario



# Impact Assessment of Automated Driving

## 1 Definition of automated driving function and 2 scenarios

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## Motorway-Chauffeur

Automation level (SAE): 3

Operational design domain (ODD):



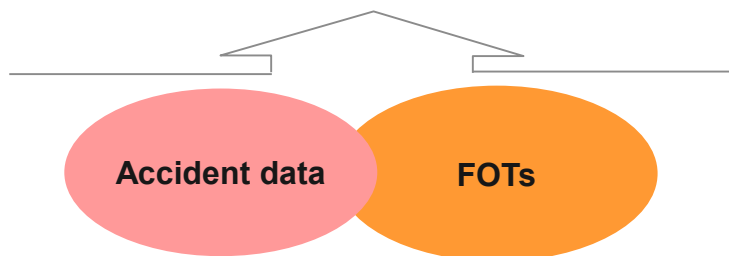
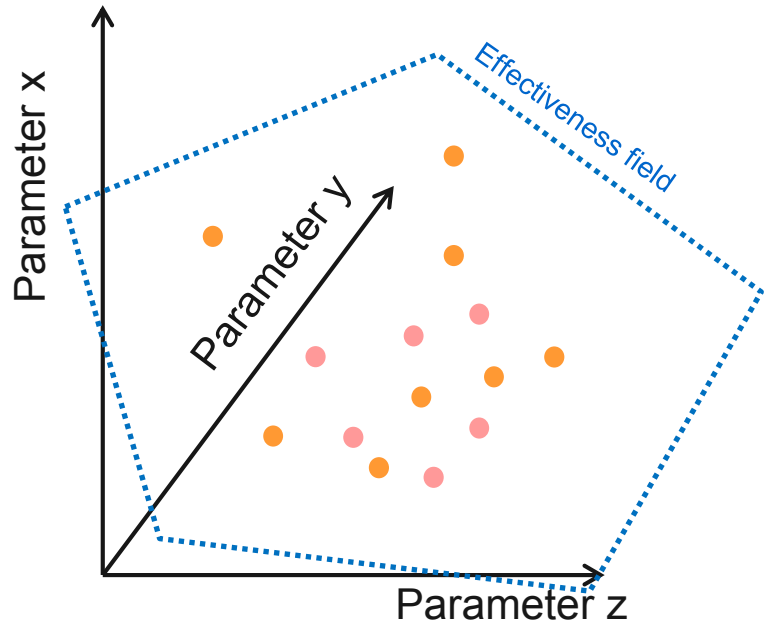
Operation domain:



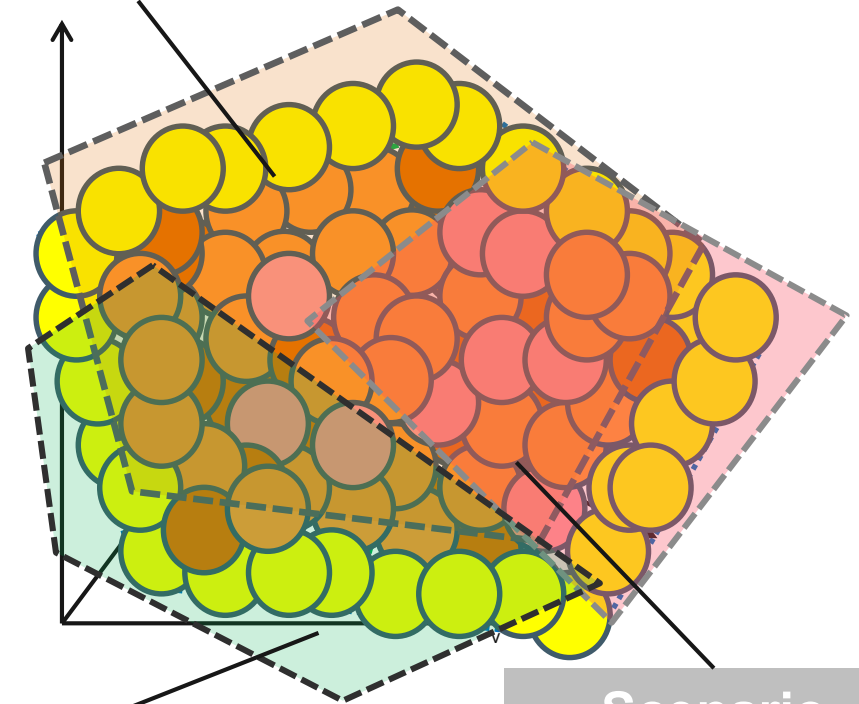
Relevant driving scenarios:

- |                       |                           |                      |                            |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|
| Driving accident      | Approaching static Object | Approaching vehicle  | Traffic Jam                |
| Lane change           | Cut-in                    | Take over            | Approaching lateral Object |
| Crossing intersection | Turn around               | Turn at intersection |                            |





Scenario  
„Approaching vehicle“

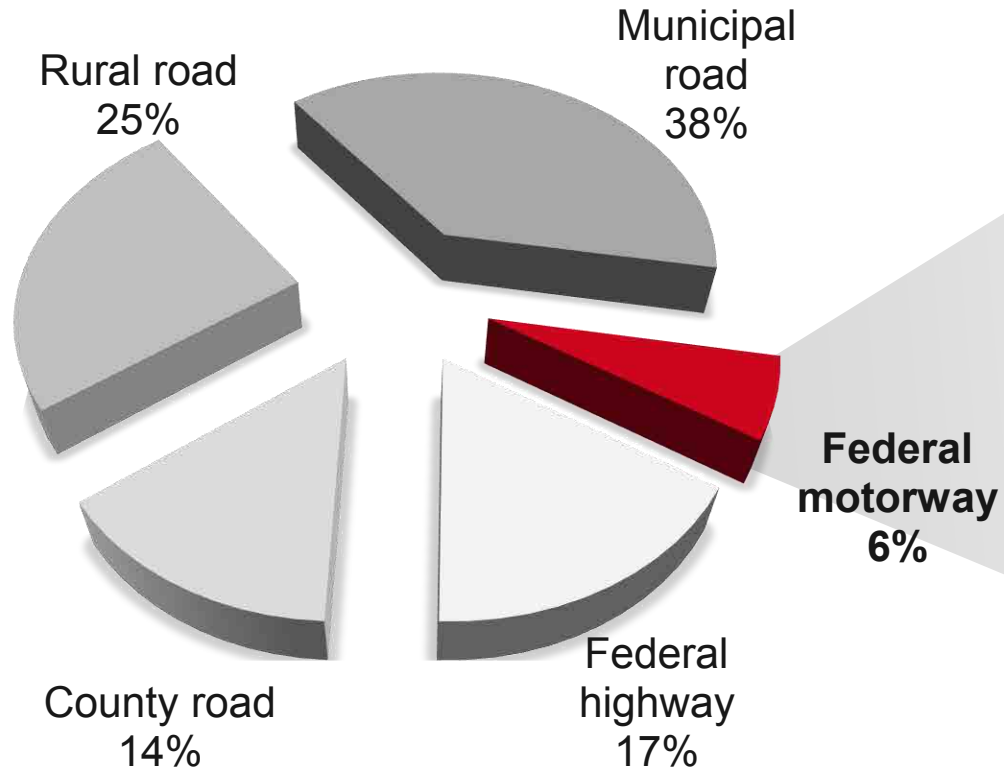


Scenario  
„Cut-in of other vehicle“

Scenario  
„Lane change“

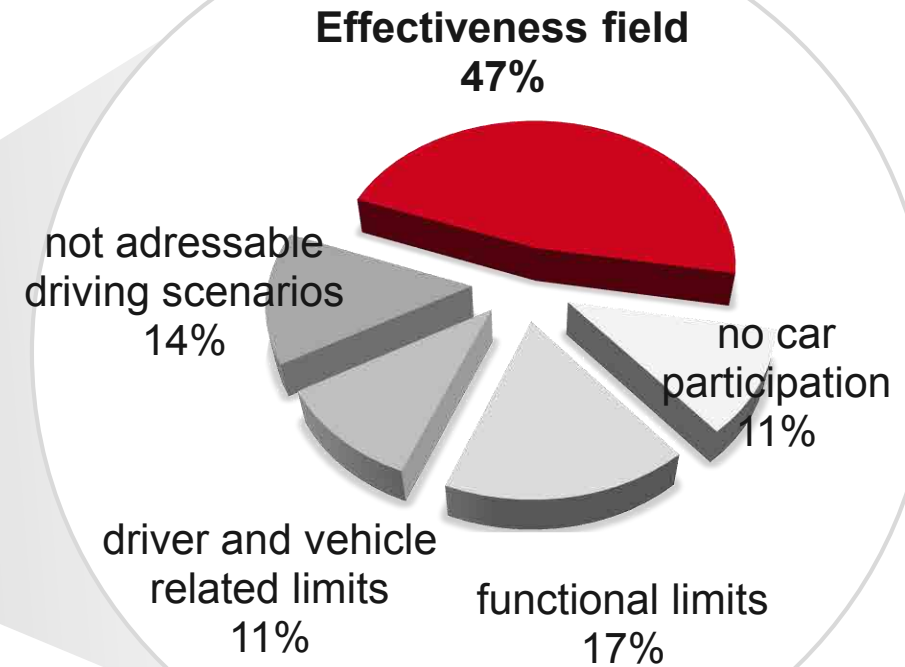
### Accidents in Germany in 2016

308.145 A(P)



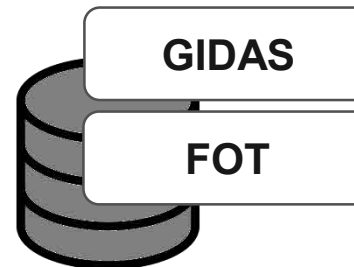
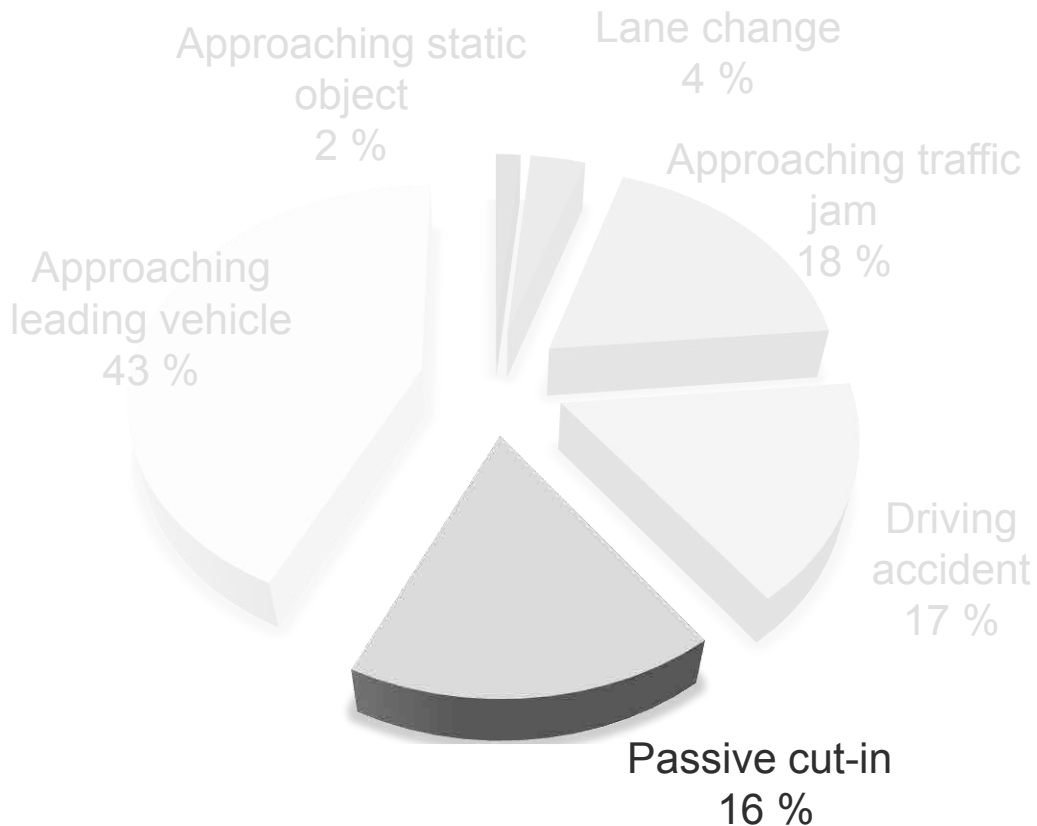
### Accidents in domain „Motorway“

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### Driving scenarios in effectiveness field

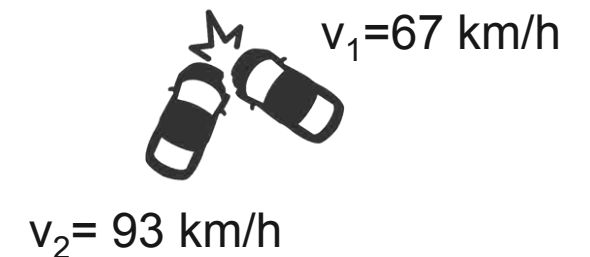
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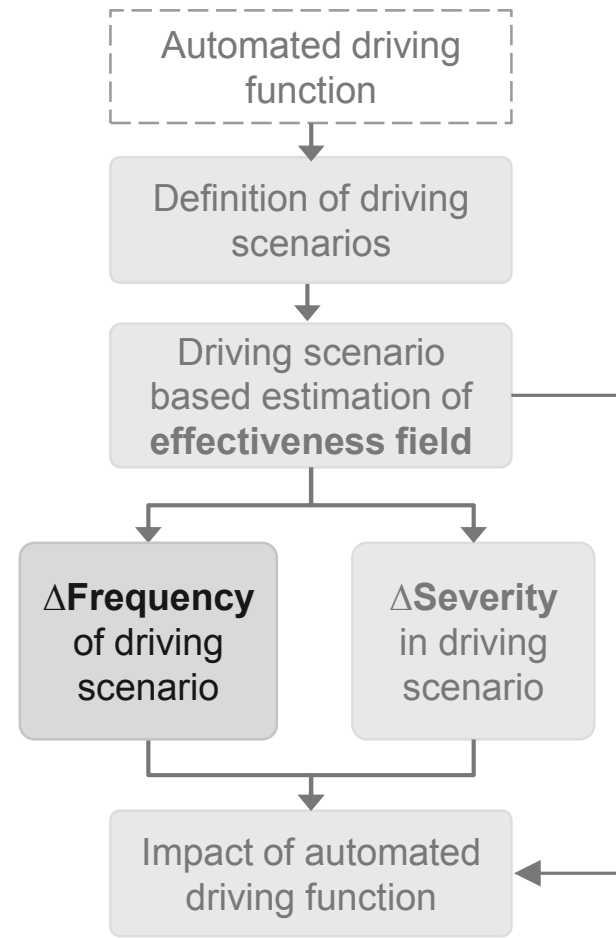
### Number of accidents for scaling-up of effectiveness

Driving scenario	Accidents
<i>Passive cut-in</i>	1.219

### Situational variables for effect of function by simulation

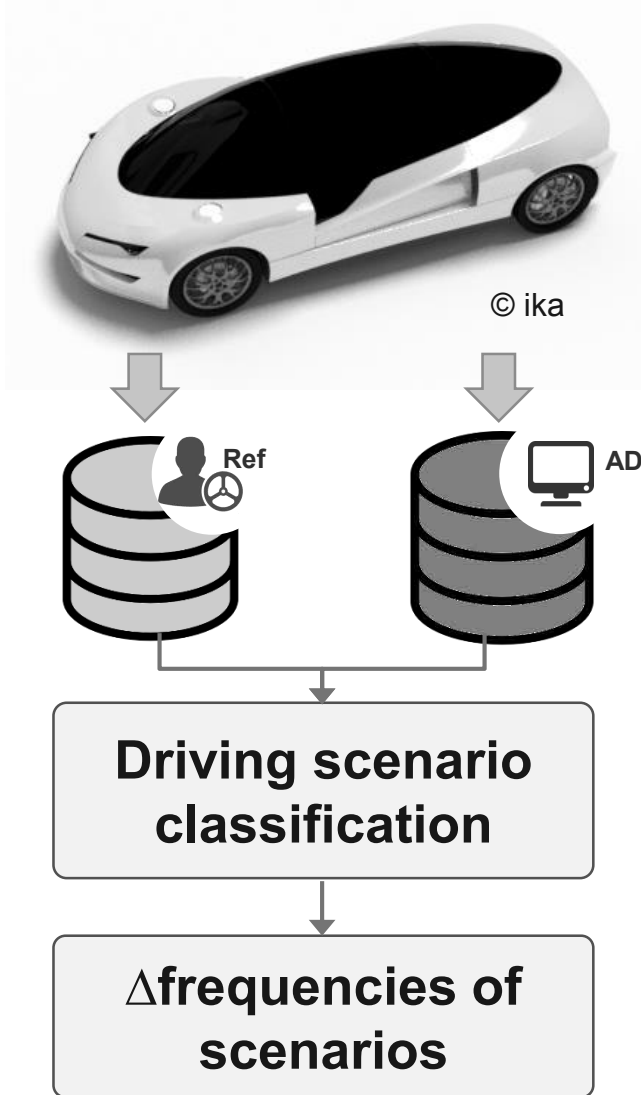


### $\Delta$ Frequencies of driving scenarios



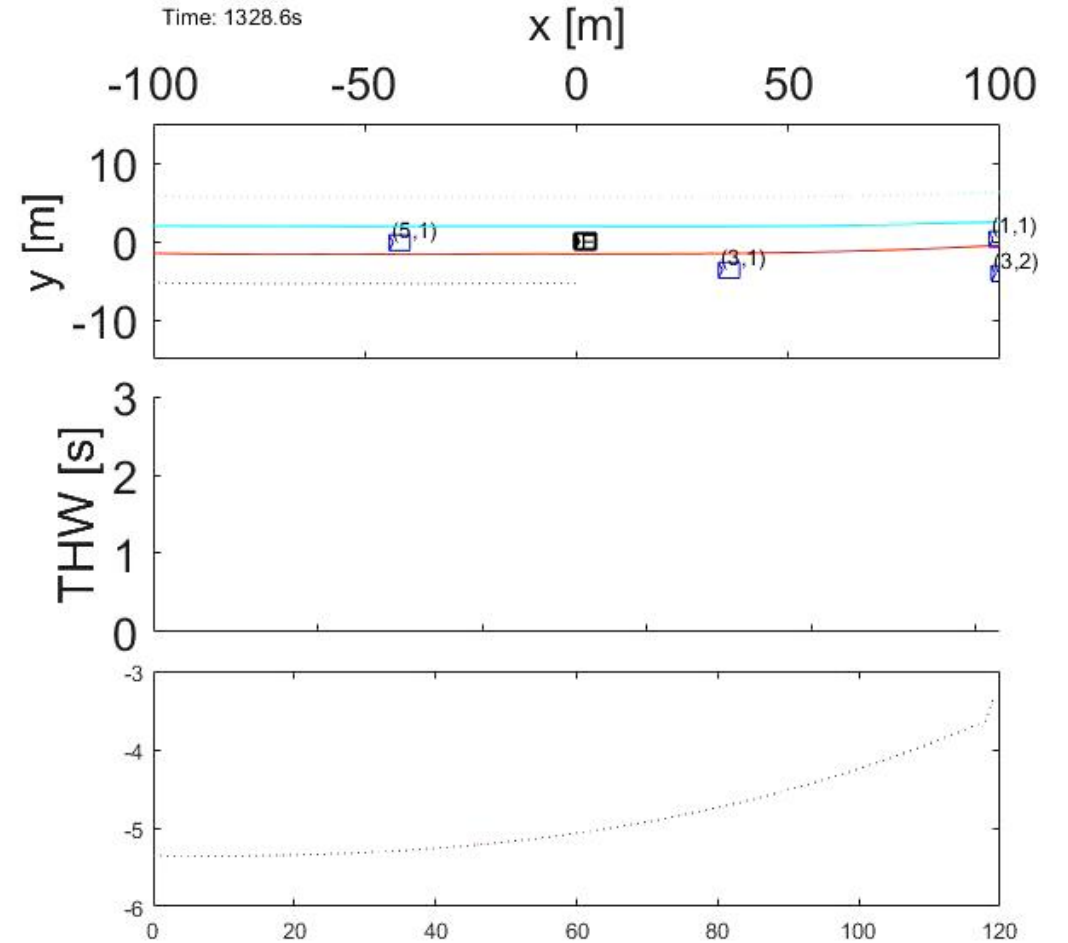
# Identification of $\Delta$ frequencies of driving scenarios

## 4 FOT-data



# Impact Assessment of Automated Driving

## 4 Identification of $\Delta$ Frequency from FOT Data



# Identification of $\Delta$ frequencies of driving scenarios

## 4 Traffic simulation



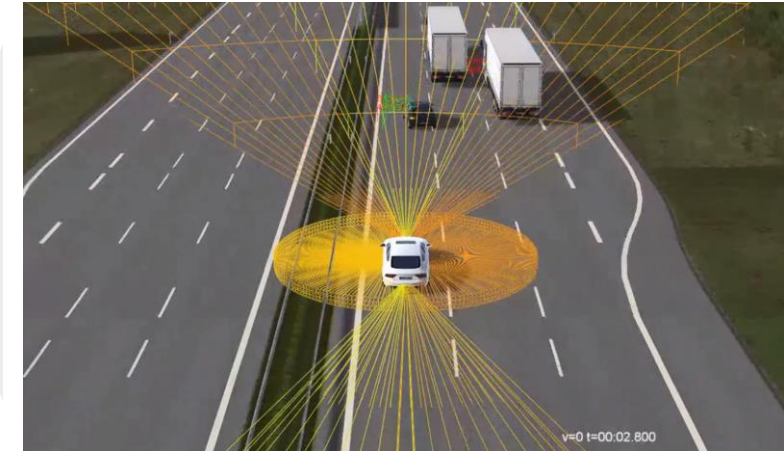
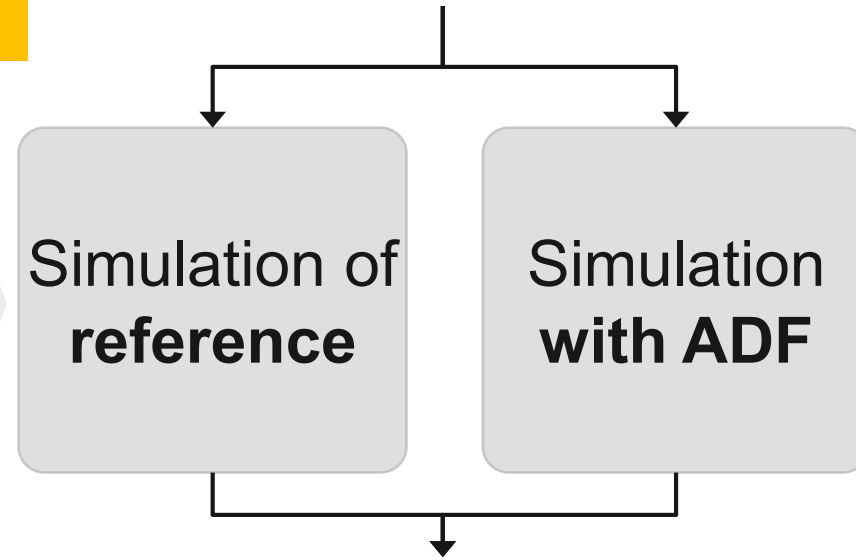
# △ Severity in driving scenarios by re-simulation

## 5 Simulation framework

► Human driver performance models from driving simulator study/FOT for reference



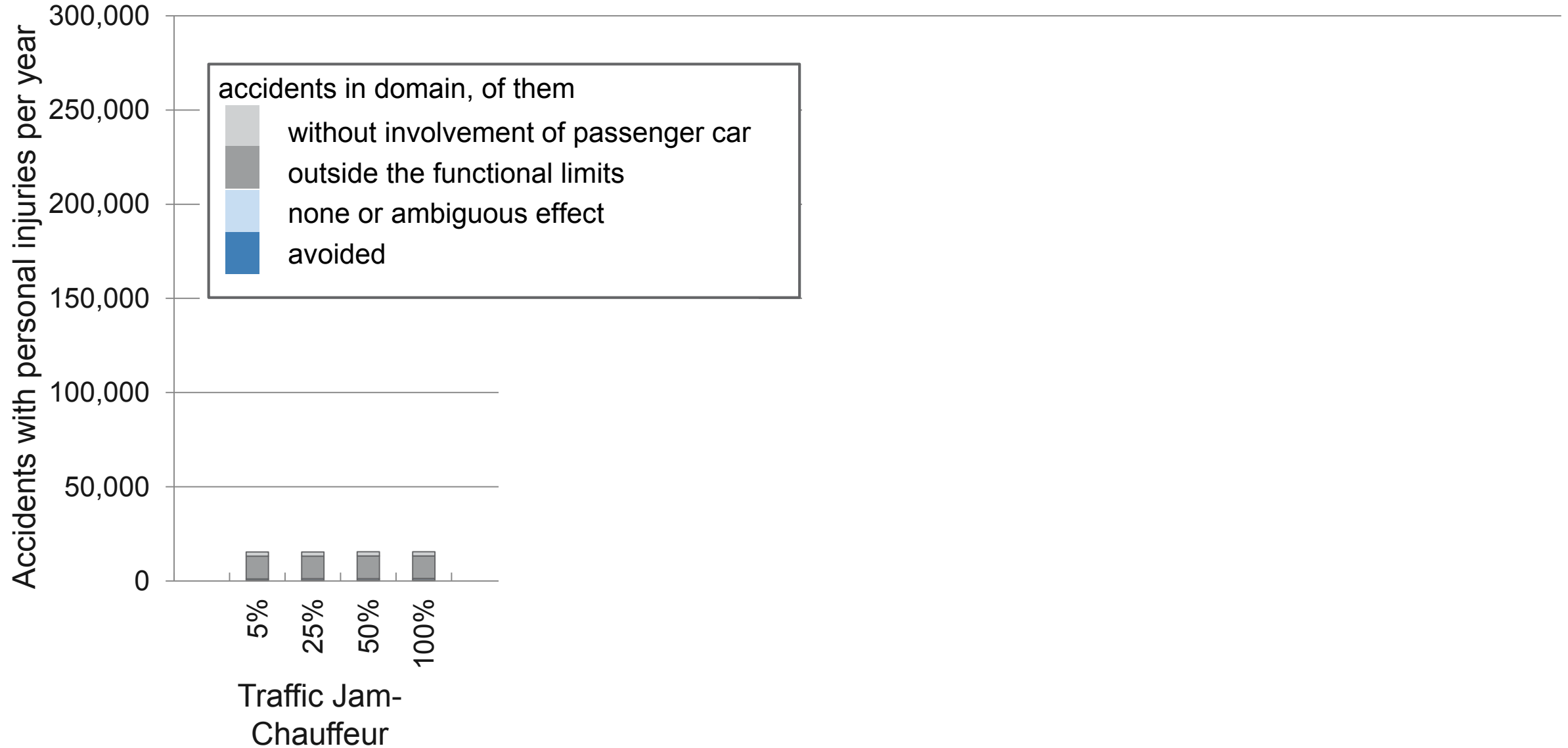
Driving scenario „passive cut-in“

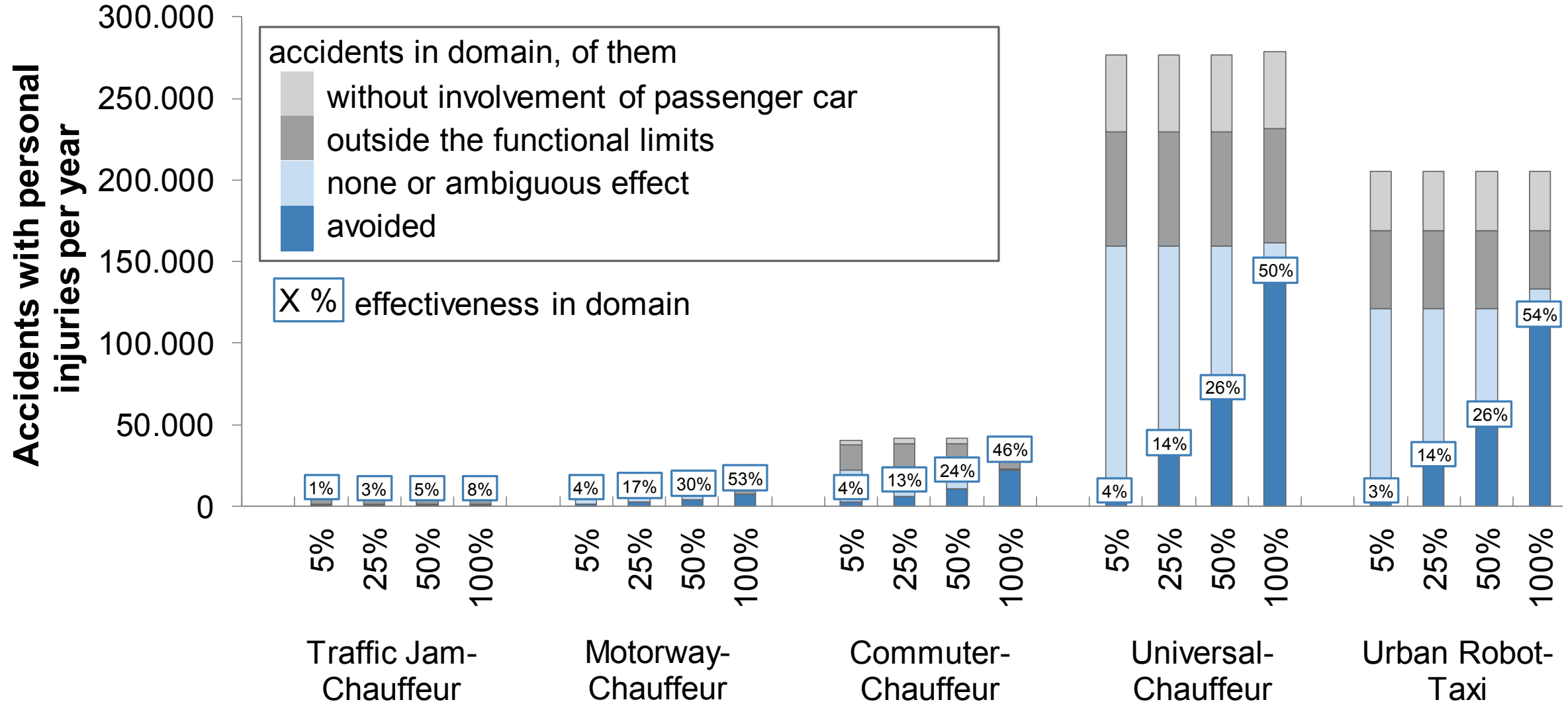


△ Severity







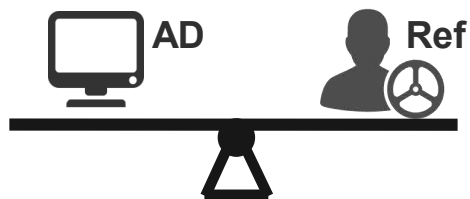




- Motorway-Chauffeur can **reduce 30 % of all accidents on German motorways** at a market **penetration of 50 %**. This equals **2 % of all accidents on German roads**.



- The Urban Robot-Taxi can **avoid 26 % of all accidents with personal injury within city-limits** at a market **penetration of 50 %**. This equals **17 % of all accidents on German roads**.



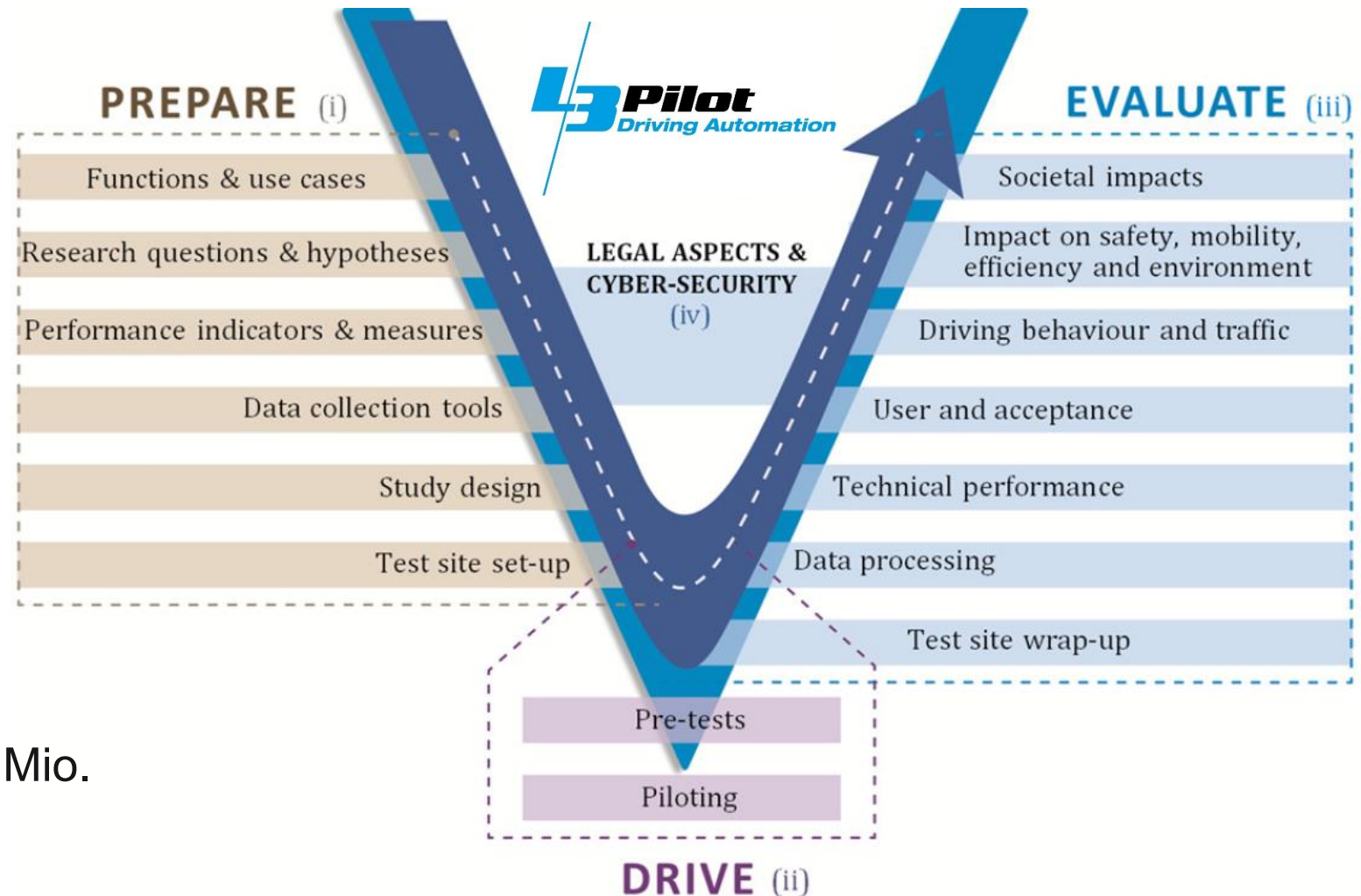
- However, there will be accidents remaining that automated vehicles cannot avoid (due to weather conditions or physics). **But we can show that a human cannot avoid these accidents either.**

# Piloting Automated Driving on European Roads

## L3Pilot – Real World Data for Impact Assessment

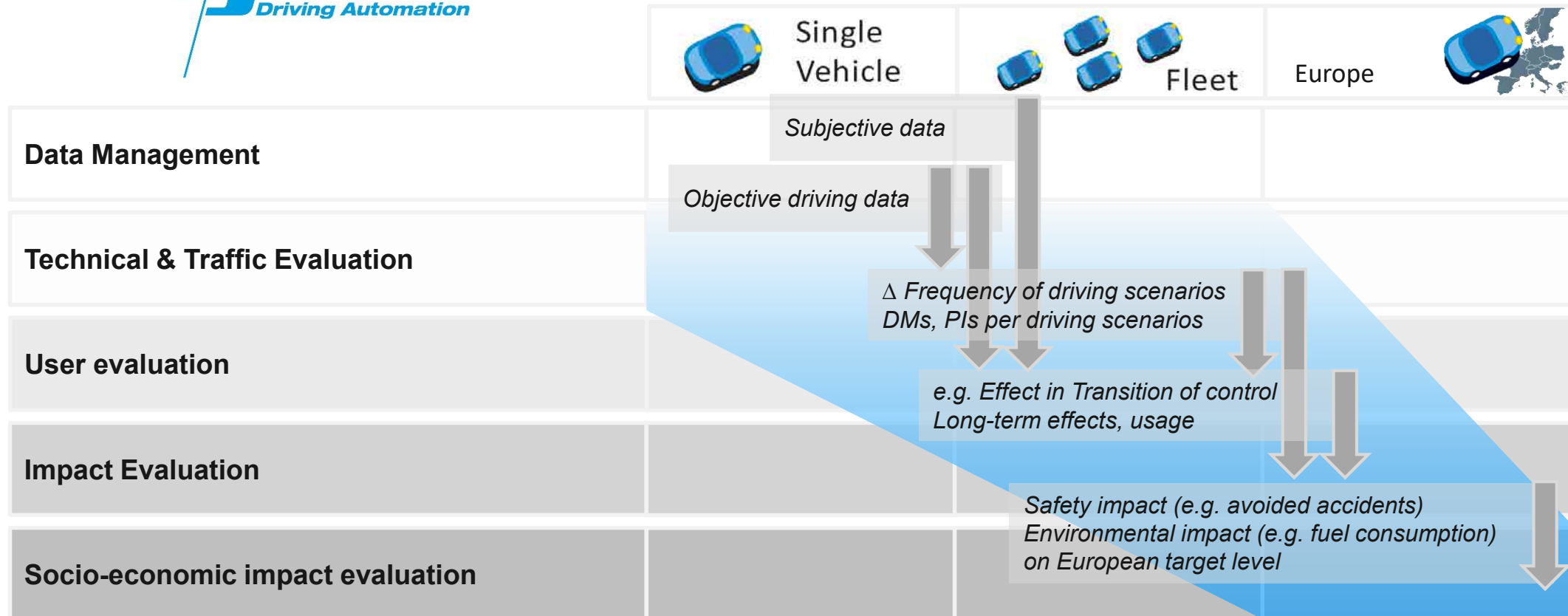


- Large-scale Level 3 piloting
- 1,000 test drivers, 100 vehicles in 11 European countries
- EC funded in Horizon 2020
- 34 partner
- Budget: 68 € Mio., Funding: 36 € Mio.
- Website: <http://www.l3pilot.eu>



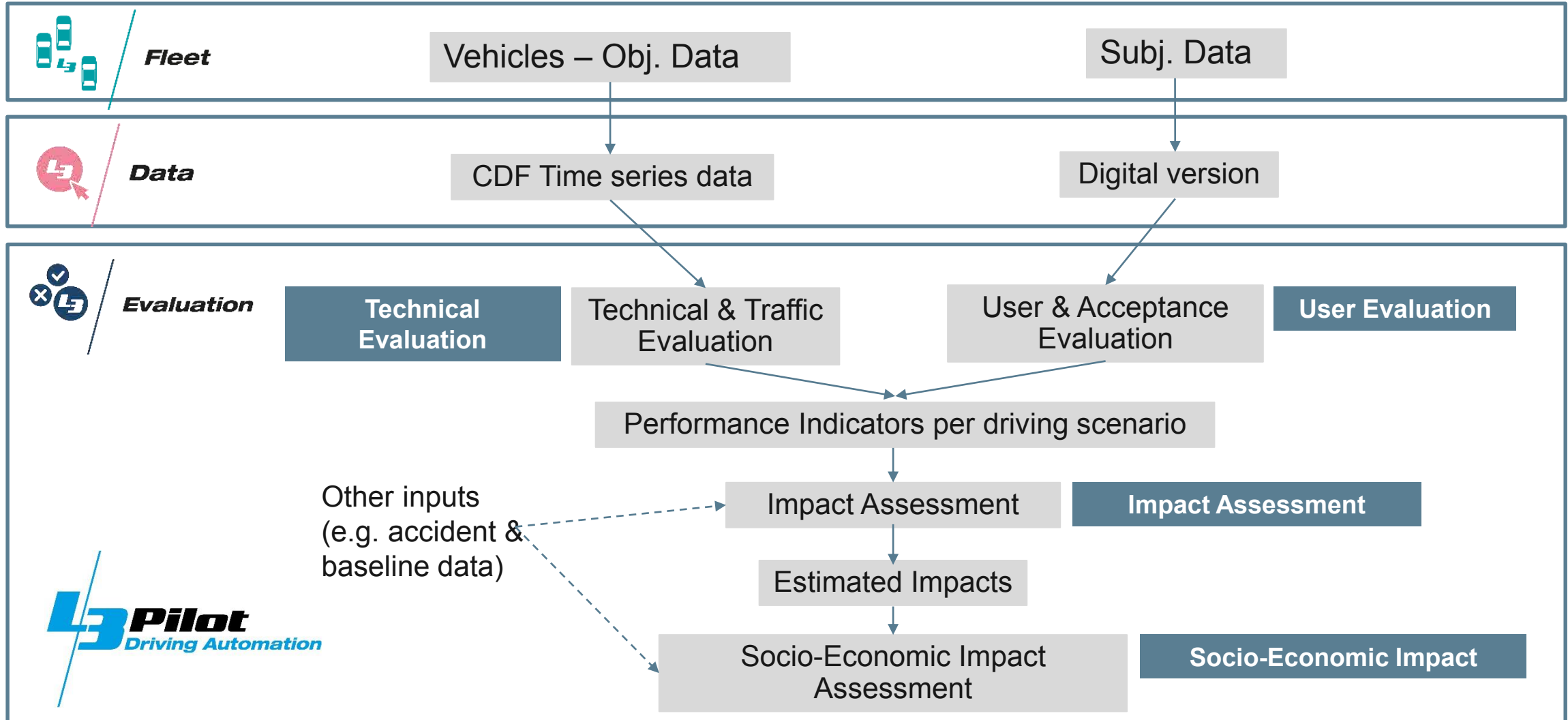
# L3Pilot

## Evaluation Levels



# L3Pilot

## Evaluation Workflow



# Summary

- Prospective safety **impact assessment** for automated driving requires new methodologies
- Automated driving provides many challenges with regards to impact assessment since **limited real world data is available yet** and many new aspects (e.g. user-interaction) needs to be taken into account
- Safety impact assessment shows **positive results** with different automation function
- Current research in L3Pilot start **data collection for safety impact assessment**
- Safety Impact Assessment in L3Pilot will provide results based on **data from vehicles combined with simulation** for the first time



# THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION!

## QUESTIONS?

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