

# **Piloting Automated Driving**

# L3Pilot Final Event

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### **Piloting Motorway & Traffic Jam Chauffeurs**



With the Motorway Chauffeur the car adapts to various traffic conditions. It follows the lane and adjusts speed considering various factors such as keeping a safe distance to the vehicle in front or following the speed limit. If a preceding slower vehicle is detected the car overtakes automatically as soon as it is safely possible.

#### MOTORWAY CHAUFFEUR

SAE LEVEL O I 2 3 4 5



On motorways and similar roads the car takes over the driving in traffic jam up to 60 km/h. When the detection of slow driving vehicles in front indicates a traffic jam, the function can be activated. In some instances, the car changes the lane to react to a slower vehicle ahead or infrastructural reasons like exit lanes. 🧶 Pilot

TRAFFIC JAM CHAUFFEUR





# Piloting Urban & Parking Chauffeurs



Chauffeur I don't worry anymore about rush hours. the vehicle automatically follows the lane, starts and stops and handles overtaking within cities. When coming to a crossing the car handles right and left turn, recognises on-coming traffic and vulnerable road users such as pedestrians, and selects the correct crossing path, even if no lane marking is present.

#### URBAN CHAUFFEUR

SAE LEVEL 0 1 2 3 4 5



Welcome to the L3Pilot home zone parking.

The Parking Chauffeur allows the user to request their vehicle to complete manoeuvring into and out of garages and driveways. The car learns a fixed trajectory from the entrance of the house to the home garage and vice versa. This automated driving feature relieves the driver from repeating parking manoeuvres. 27/01

PARKING CHAUFFEUR SAE LEVEL 0 1 2 3 4 5







# Pilot across Europe

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| Partner Country Region                   |
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| Volkswagen / DE / Hamburg, Wolfsburg     |
| Aptiv DE, LU, FR cross-border activities |
| AUDI DE Ingolstadt, Neckarsulm           |
| BMW DE Munich                            |
| CRF IT Turin                             |
| FEV DE Aachen, Cologne                   |
| Ford DE, BE, UK cross-border activities  |
| Honda DE Frankfurt am Main               |
| ika / DE / Aachen                        |
| JLR UK Coventry                          |
| STLA FR, DE cross-border activities      |
| Renault FR Paris and other regions       |
| yota BE Brussels                         |
| vo Cars SE Gothenburg                    |
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Automated Driving Functions in demonstrator cars ready for piloting

Piloting methodology for automated driving impacts: safety, technical, user acceptance, environment, traffic efficiency, social, economic, security

Knowledge on what data & information can be obtained piloting under various constraints

Data toolchain data "translation" into the L3Pilot defined Common Data Format and "uploaded" in the L3Pilot Consolidated Database for evaluation

Legal, ethical framework, GDPR analyzed and followed





Automated Driving Functions in demonstrator cars ready for piloting Apr. 2019, Feb. 2021 Piloting execution timing, despite the pandemic situation 70 cars equipped with AD vehicle functions in 14 Pilot Sites in 7 countries 750 test subjects experienced Automated Driving of SAE L3 either as a driver or on the passenger seat 400,000 km driven on motorways half in automated mode, half as baseline 24,000 km driven in urban scenarios 22,200 in automated mode, 1,800 as baseline 3 pilot sites on parking chauffeur, including close distance scenarios





# **Piloting Cars**





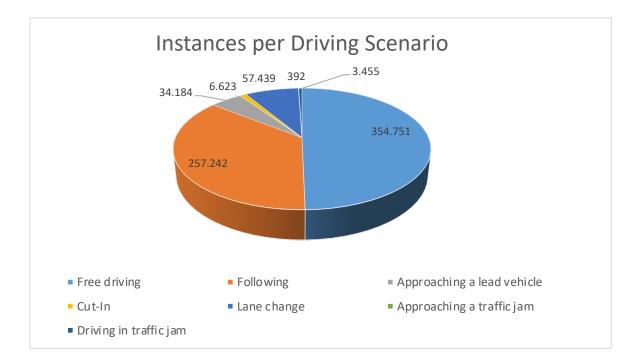


#### Piloting Vehicles' Preparation Challenges

- Prepare and test dozens of prototypes
- Test data acquisition chain and questionnaires
- Propose an "understandable" Taxonomy of AD Functions
- Propose cyber-protection recommendations
- Draft guidelines to applying for AD experiments exemptions in Europe
- Ensure no benchmark between AD functions in the public reports

Pilot Preparation

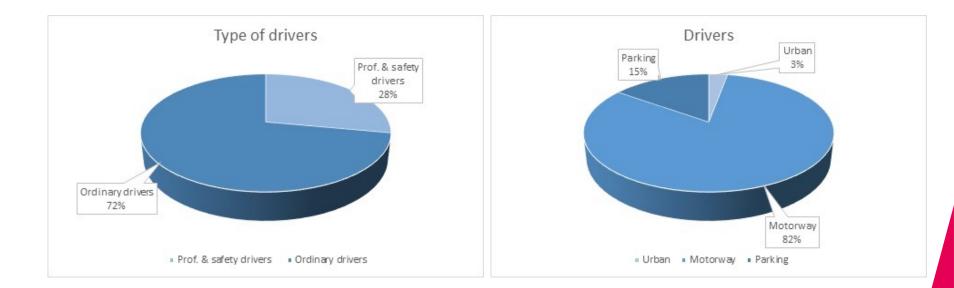
# **Piloting Driving Instances**







# **Piloting Driving Subjects**

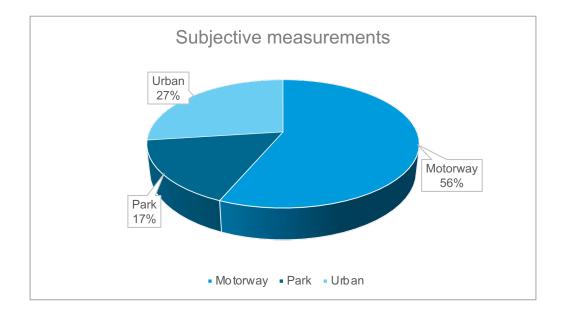






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# Piloting Subjective Measurements per Scenario







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**COLLECTION** of objective and subjective data on driving vehicle automation

**CREATION** of the Consolidated Database to manage Pilots' data set

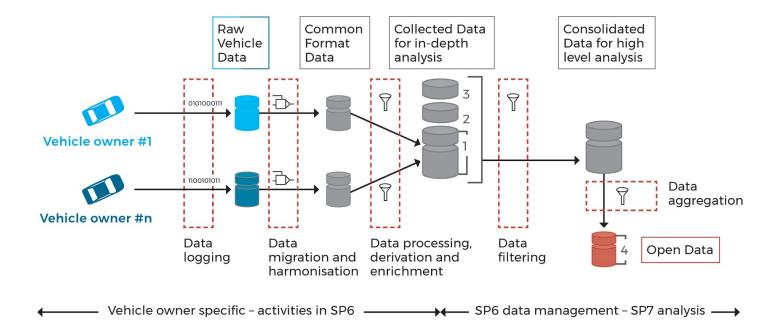
**TRANSLATION** of Pilots' raw data in the L3Pilot Common Data Format

UPLOAD of Pilots' data in the Consolidated Database together with evaluation experts





### **Piloting Consolidated Database**







Parking Chauffeur is the most mature, challenge is the calculation of SLAM techniques in complex close-distance scenarios

Traffic Jam Chauffeur challenge is the calculation of a collision-free and lawful lane change maneuver at 50-60 km/h in dense traffic

Motorway Chauffeur major challenges are severe weather conditions; adverse weather, toll gates, construction zones are not yet included in the operational design domains

Urban Chauffeur is the most challenging, for the variety of traffic situations and obstructions, challenges are the prediction of the trajectory of pedestrians and other vulnerable road users







## **Piloting Lesson Learnt**

Collaboration Tool & Harmonised Methodology required for Pilots planning

Consolidated Database & Common Data Format for Pilots to manage own data and for evaluation experts

Drivers are newcomers to vehicle automation, professional driver safety courses are recommended

Legal framework of permission to test in different countries shall be harmonised









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