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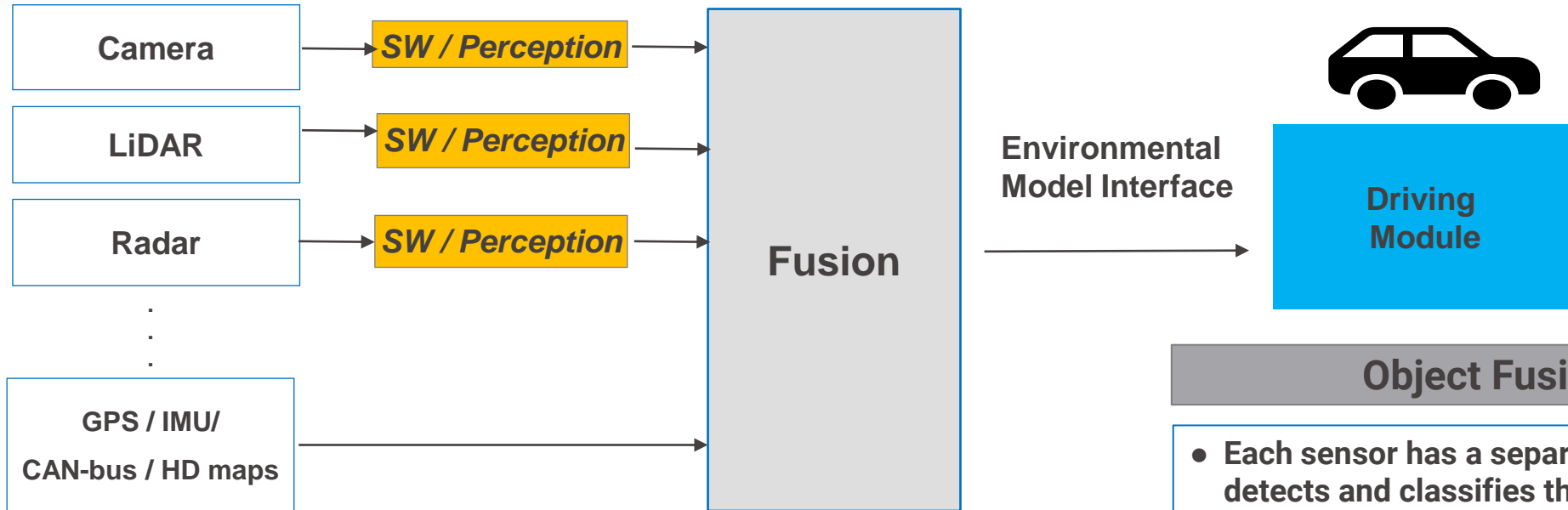


# Raw data fusion vs. Object level fusion



# Two Approaches to Sensor Fusion: *Object Fusion*

## Object Fusion Architecture



## Object Fusion Key Features

- Each sensor has a separate “cognition engine” which detects and classifies the scene.
- The output from each sensor is then integrated, or fused, into a coherent model, called the “environmental model”.

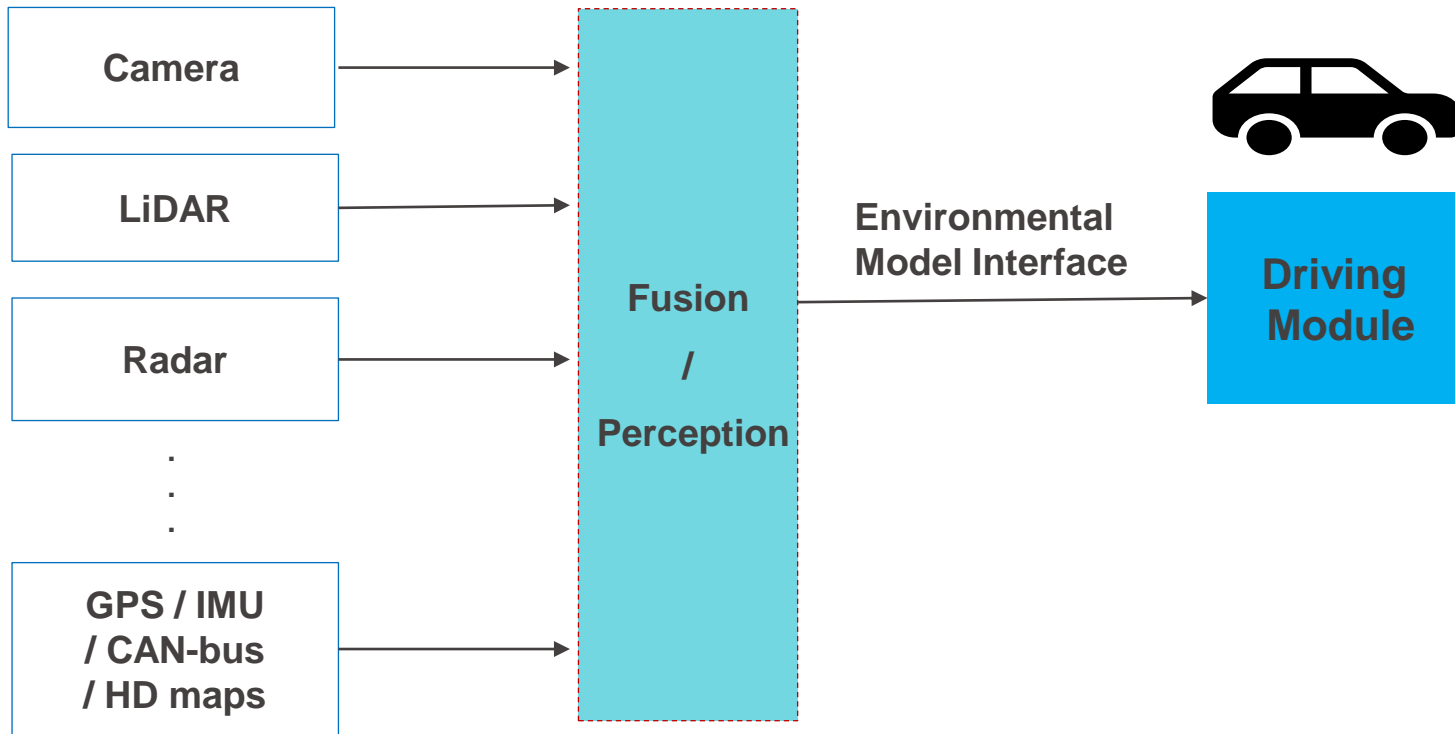
- Performance is not sufficient in terms of safety and driving comfort (too many missed detections and numerous false positives).
- Current cost structure of self-driving car platforms shows that this approach is inadequate for large-scale commercialization.





# Two Approaches to Sensor Fusion: *Raw Sensor Fusion*

## Raw Data Fusion Architecture



## Raw Data Fusion Key Features

- Raw data from sensors is fused together.
  - Detection and classification algorithms then run on the fused model rather than each sensor separately.
  - Functional safety can improve if done properly.
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- Model is richer and more robust with less false positives, as each sensor's advantages complement the other's.
  - Lower cost structure due to a leaner architecture and savings on 3D sensors and on-sensor processors

- Object fusion is limited by the individual sensor's inherent characteristics.
- Data can't be added back once it's been filtered by the individual perception engines.



- Raw data fusion combines the individual sensor's data into a fused, high-resolution RGBD 3D model using patented algorithms.
- Perception can then be accomplished on this high-quality 3D model.





# 3D HD Model



Save as images





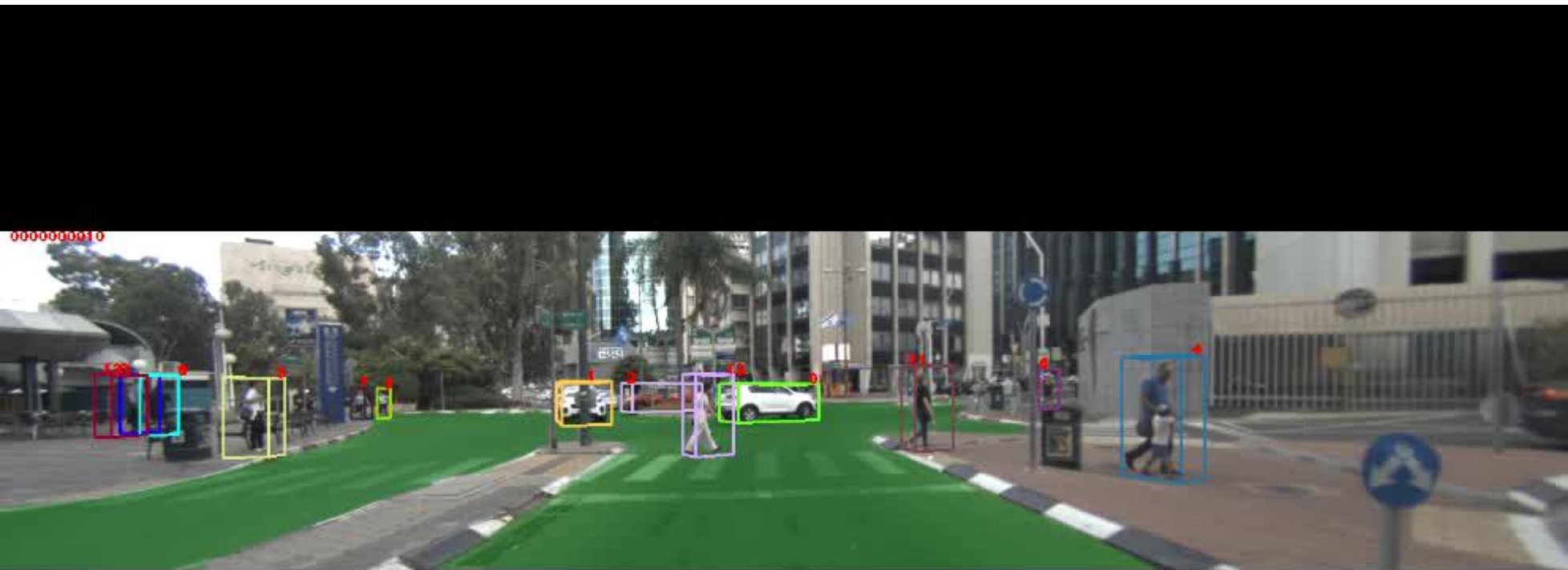


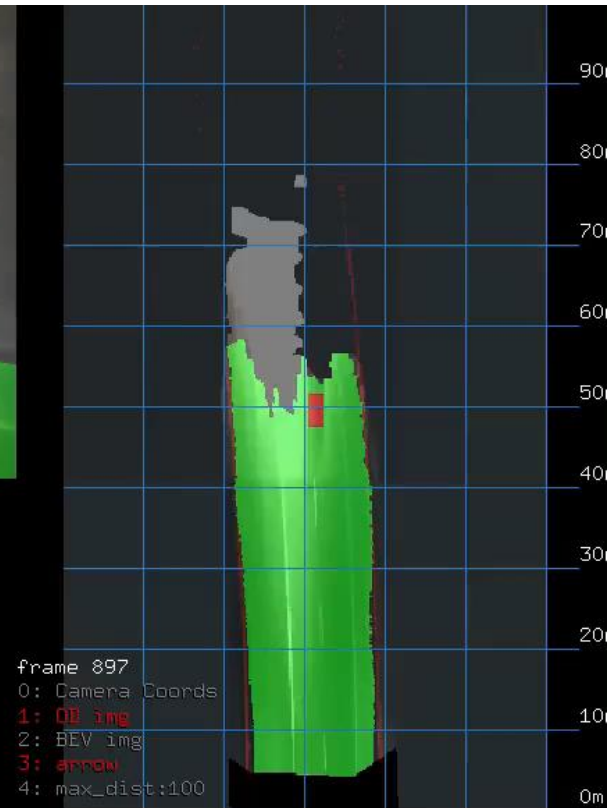
- Polynomial fitting
- Lane line classification: full, dotted, yellow, white, double, etc...
- Bird-eye-view projection



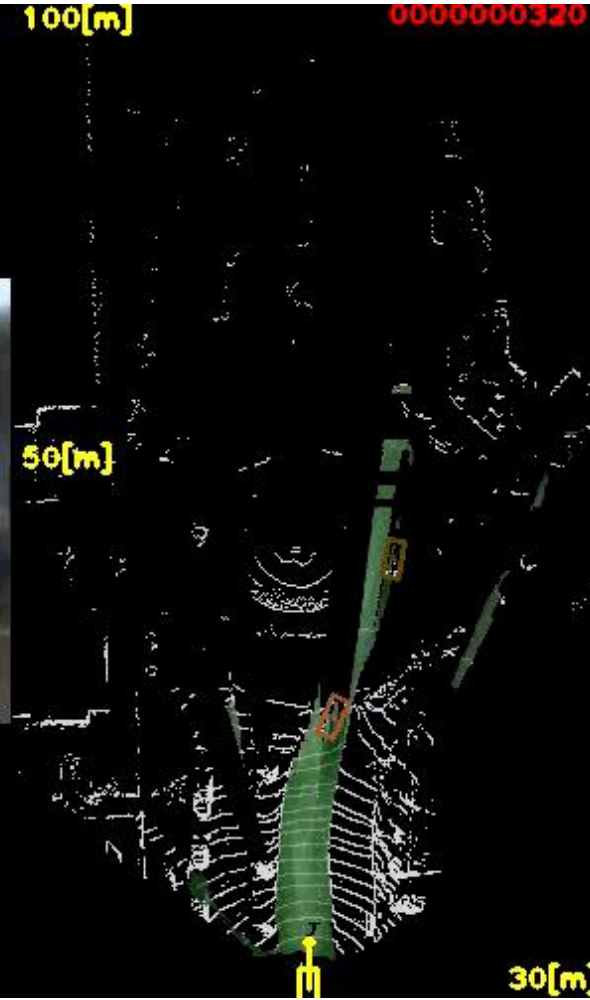
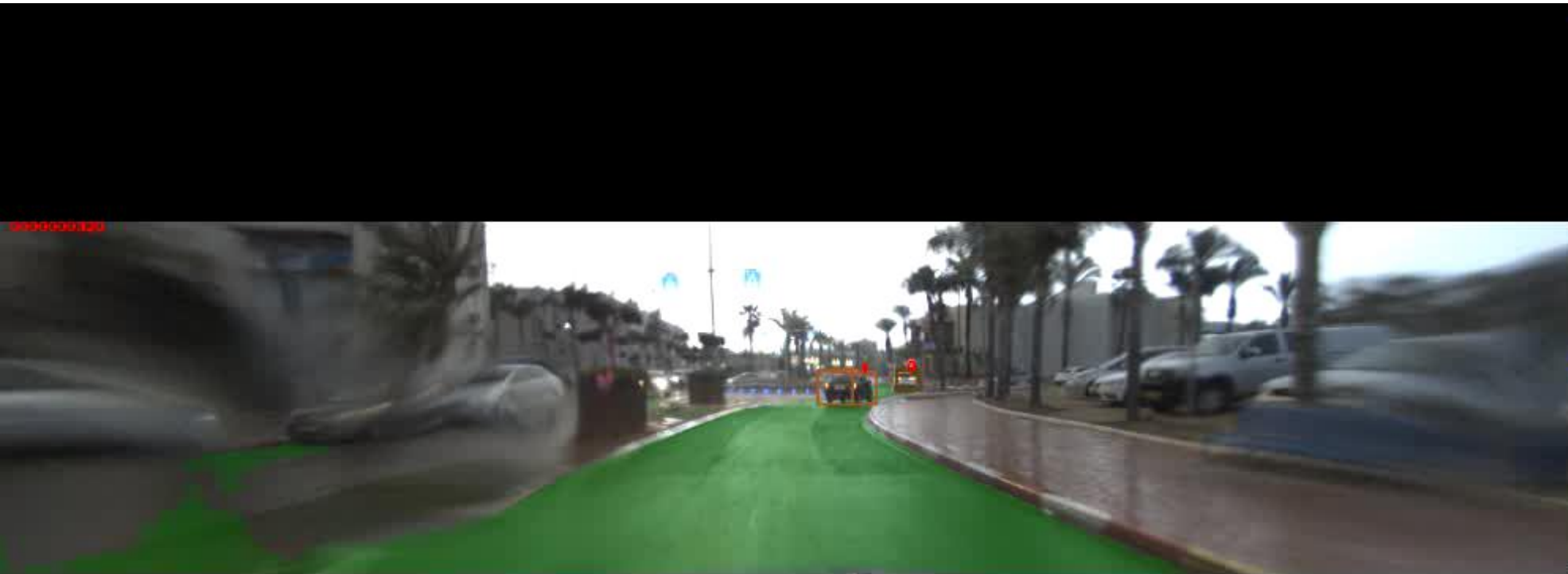
# Supported use cases

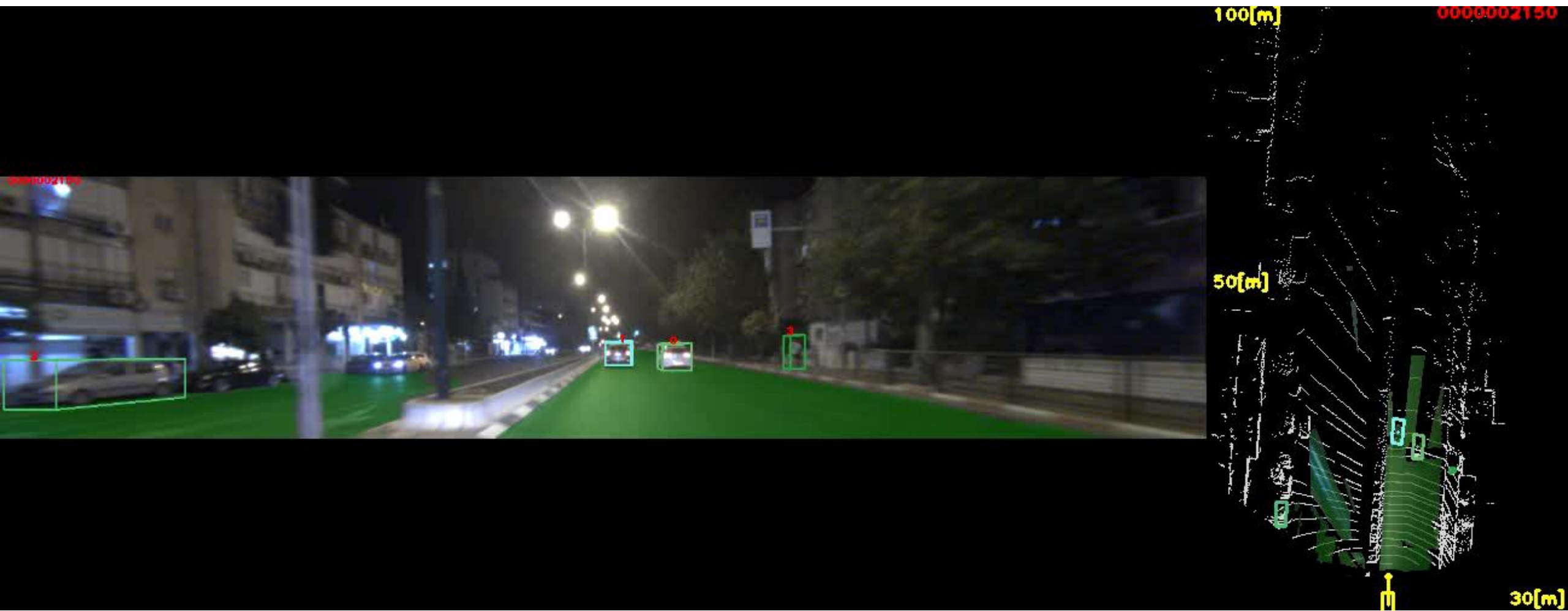










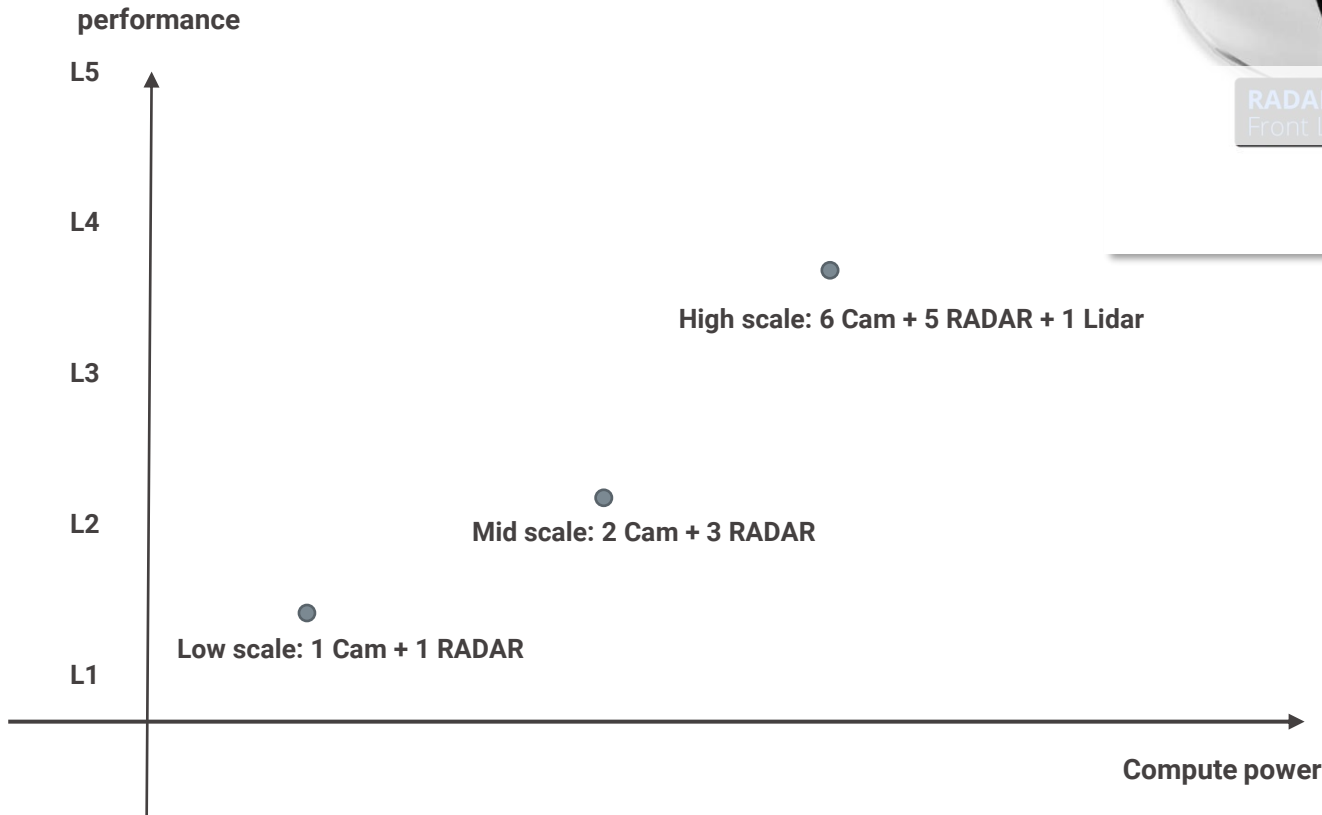
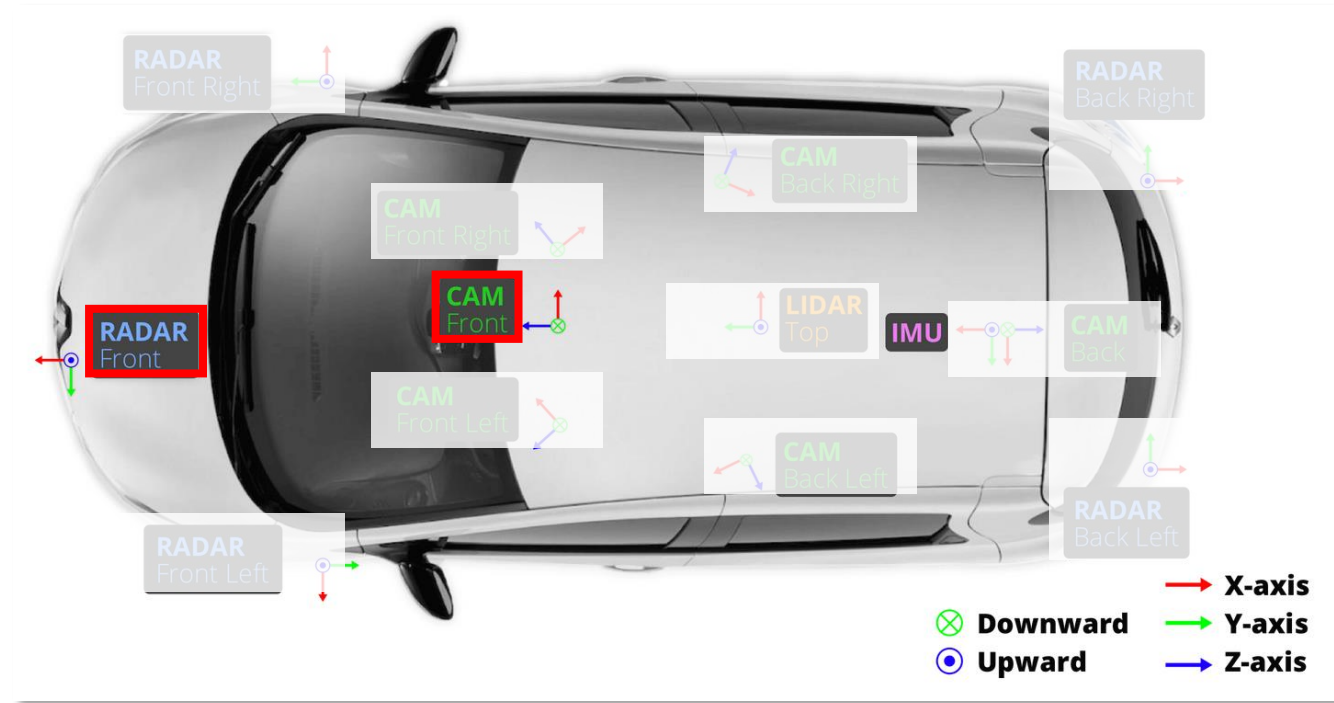


# Unidentified Obstacle Detection

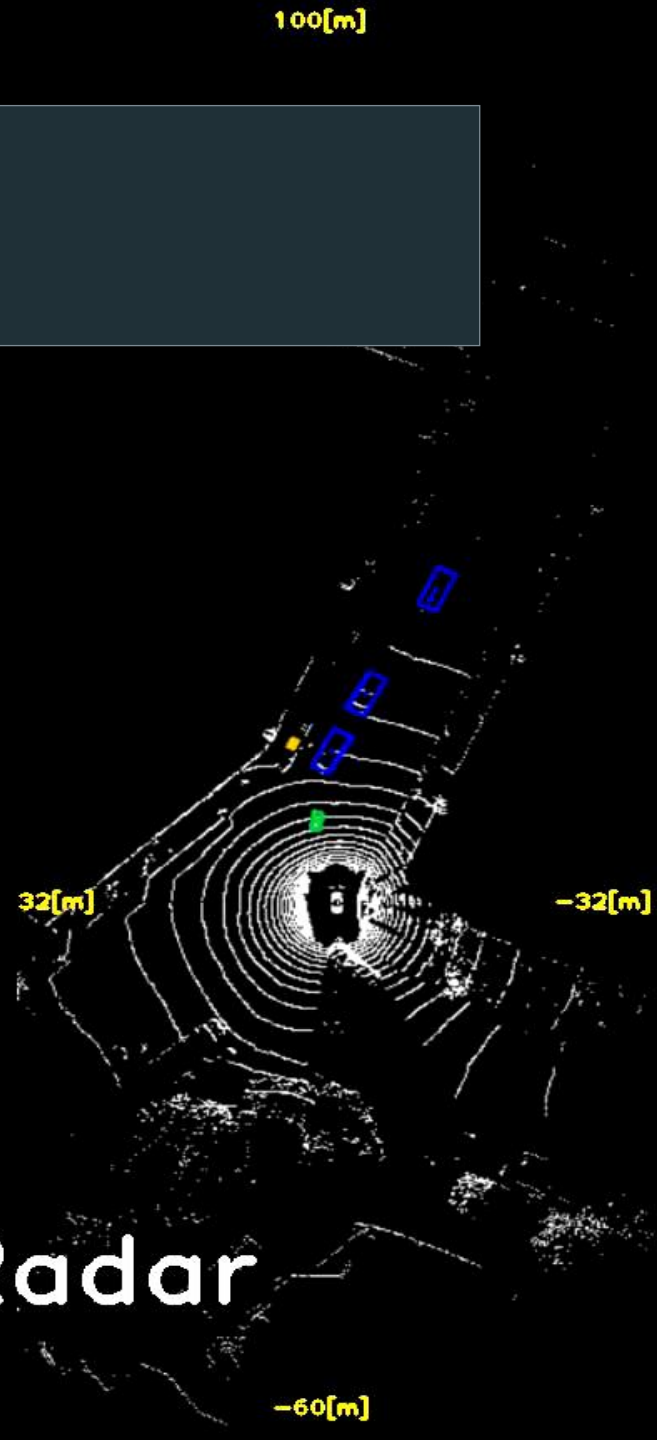
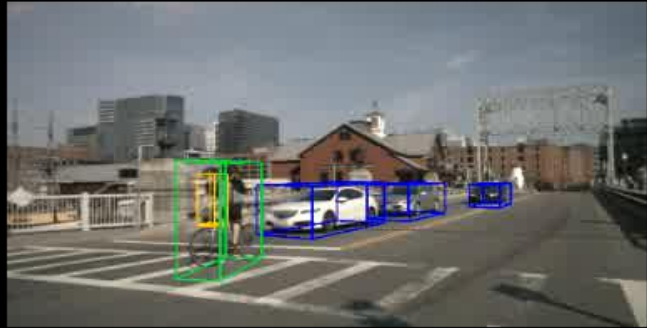




- One SW architecture HW independent
- One training set format
- Unified network infrastructure
- Single verification process
- Supporting Multiple ECUs and sensors



1 Cam + 1 RADAR



Only with Front Camera and Radar

## 6 Camera + 5 radars

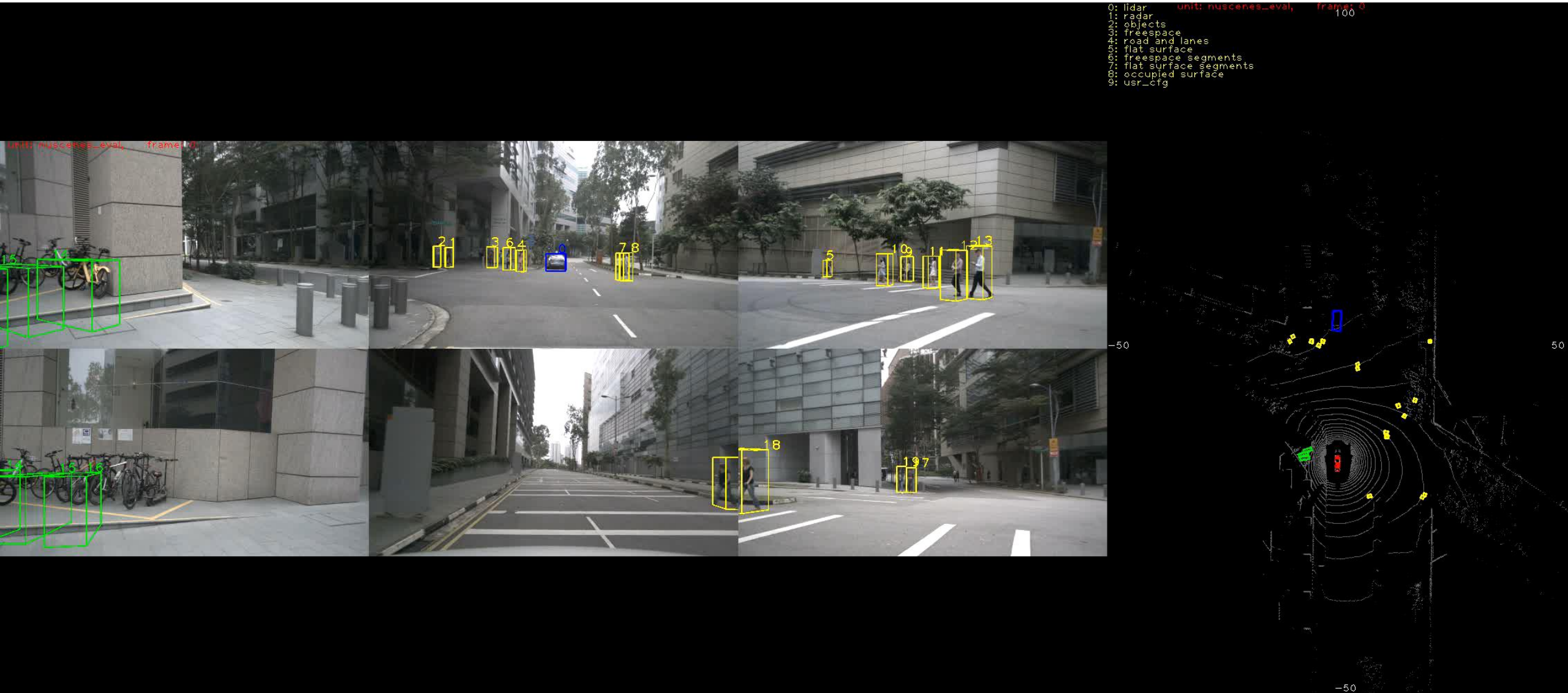


- LiDAR free perception SW
- Detection, classification, tracking
- 3D bounding boxes
- Position, orientation, velocity
- Multiple sensor support
- Real-time



# 360 Perception

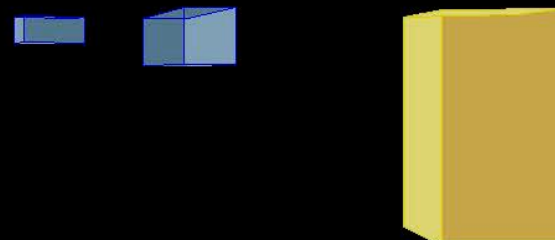
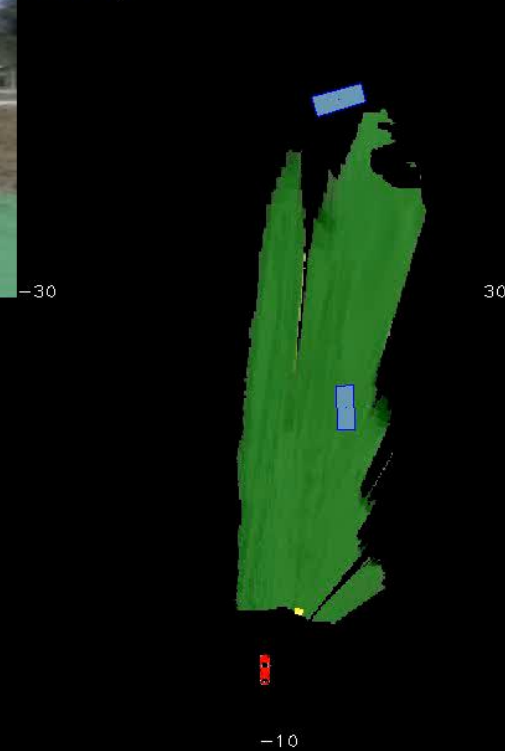
6 Cameras 5 radars 1 Lidar



unit: lidar\_front\_cam, frame: 0



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0: lidar      unit: lidar_front_cam, frame: 0
1: radar      unit: lidar_front_cam, frame: 0
2: objects
3: freespace
4: road and lanes
5: flat surface
6: freespace segments
7: flat surface segments
8: occupied surface
9: usr_cfg
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- Object detection, classification, and tracking
- Off-road drivable area detection

- “Non-standard” sensor configuration
- Optimization for construction, agriculture, and mining environments

## Various use cases

L4-L5  
Mobility

Off-Road  
Construction  
Agriculture  
mining

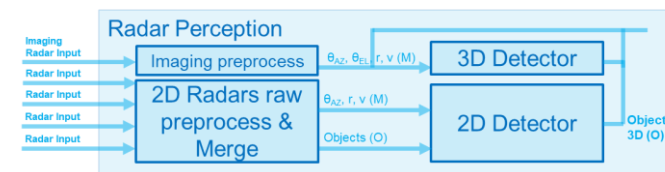
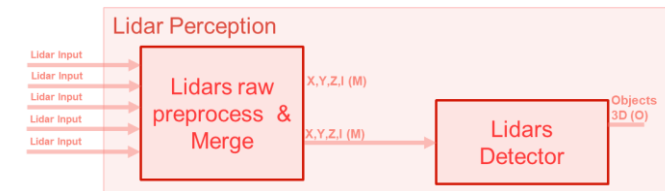
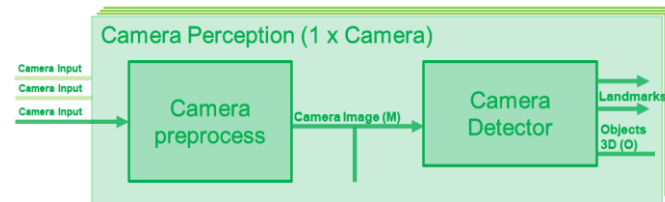


L2 ADAS

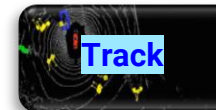
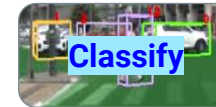
L3 AD



## Different sensor sets



## Building blocks



## Supporting all ADAS active safety systems

Speed Assist Systems  
(ACC)

Lane Support System  
(LKA)

AEB

Parking assistance




# Benchmarks and KPIs



# Public dataset results: Nuscenes

## 3D detections

### Camera, LiDAR, radar

|   | Method     |         |                      |          |               | Metrics |          |              |            |            |              |       |          |   |
|---|------------|---------|----------------------|----------|---------------|---------|----------|--------------|------------|------------|--------------|-------|----------|---|
|   | Date       | Name    | Modalities           | Map data | External data | mAP     | mATE (m) | mASE (1-IOU) | mAOE (rad) | mAVE (m/s) | mAAE (1-acc) | NDS   | FPS (Hz) | Stats   |
| > | 2020-05-26 | LRCF360 | Camera, Lidar, Radar | no       | no            | 0.541   | 0.350    | 0.261        | 0.543      | 0.394      | 0.133        | 0.603 | n/a      |  |


Top 3 real-time

highest mAP of comparable entries

Out of ~40 summations

Nuscenes dataset  
6 Cameras, 5 radars, 1LiDAR

### Camera, radar

|   | Method     |        |               |          |               | Metrics |          |              |            |            |              |       |          |   |
|---|------------|--------|---------------|----------|---------------|---------|----------|--------------|------------|------------|--------------|-------|----------|---|
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| > | 2020-05-17 | RCF360 | Camera, Radar | no       | no            | 0.330   | 0.547    | 0.271        | 0.582      | 0.449      | 0.130        | 0.467 | n/a      |  |

Better than all camera-only

Better than many LiDAR

Nuscenes dataset  
6 Cameras, 5 radars

## 2.1.1. VayaVision's Object 2D - AP results

Average Precision

|                | 0 - 50[m] | 50 - 80[m] | 80 - 150[m] | 0 - 150[m] |
|----------------|-----------|------------|-------------|------------|
| Car            | 0.92      | 0.68       | 0.58        | 0.9        |
| Truck          | 0.89      | 0.53       | 0.26        | 0.78       |
| Bus            | 0.8       | 0.7        | 0.43        | 0.83       |
| Pedestrian     | 0.78      | 0.16       | 0.02        | 0.68       |
| Person sitting | 0.67      | 0.02       | 0           | 0.57       |
| Cyclist        | 0.79      | 0.19       | 0.04        | 0.53       |
| Biker          | 0.81      | 0.39       | 0.16        | 0.73       |
| Human          | 0.78      | 0.17       | 0.02        | 0.68       |
| Vehicle        | 0.91      | 0.66       | 0.53        | 0.89       |

## 2.1.2. VayaVision's Object 2D Det on Tracker

### 2.1.2.1. Tracking

Recall

|                | 0 - 50[m] | 50 - 80[m] | 80 - 150[m] | 0 - 150[m] |
|----------------|-----------|------------|-------------|------------|
| Car            | 95.45     | 85.9       | 49.89       | 84.81      |
| Truck          | 87.64     | 78.98      | 48.65       | 72.78      |
| Bus            | 87.63     | 89.51      | 67.77       | 84.95      |
| Pedestrian     | 78.12     | 24.49      | 5.71        | 64.63      |
| Person sitting | 68.52     | 7.14       | 0           | 55.53      |
| Cyclist        | 86.26     | 10         | 4.42        | 53.67      |
| Biker          | 81.23     | 52         | 14.84       | 69.66      |
| Human          | 78.19     | 25.32      | 6.01        | 64.62      |
| Vehicle        | 94.58     | 85.47      | 50.23       | 83.81      |

Precision

|                | 0 - 50[m] | 50 - 80[m] | 80 - 150[m] | 0 - 150[m] |
|----------------|-----------|------------|-------------|------------|
| Car            | 97.16     | 90.04      | 87.36       | 94.29      |
| Truck          | 94.83     | 96.44      | 97.59       | 95.8       |
| Bus            | 99.54     | 99.64      | 92.96       | 98.71      |
| Pedestrian     | 88.2      | 55.74      | 43.43       | 84.91      |
| Person sitting | 86.01     | 100        | nan         | 86.12      |
| Cyclist        | 93.33     | 75         | 100         | 93.14      |
| Biker          | 83.9      | 80         | 47.92       | 82.01      |
| Human          | 88.05     | 57.09      | 44.54       | 84.86      |
| Vehicle        | 97.11     | 90.73      | 88.85       | 94.56      |

FA Rate

|                | 0 - 50[m] | 50 - 80[m] | 80 - 150[m] | 0 - 150[m] |
|----------------|-----------|------------|-------------|------------|
| Car            | 0.0839    | 0.1108     | 0.0687      | 0.2634     |
| Truck          | 0.0107    | 0.0029     | 0.002       | 0.0156     |
| Bus            | 0.0006    | 0.0001     | 0.0017      | 0.0025     |
| Pedestrian     | 0.3696    | 0.1257     | 0.0274      | 0.5227     |
| Person sitting | 0.0042    | 0          | 0           | 0.0042     |
| Cyclist        | 0.0016    | 0.0001     | 0           | 0.0017     |
| Biker          | 0.0199    | 0.0032     | 0.0031      | 0.0261     |
| Human          | 0.3952    | 0.129      | 0.0305      | 0.5547     |
| Vehicle        | 0.0952    | 0.1138     | 0.0724      | 0.2815     |

# VayaVision Evaluation Report

VayaVision



Version : Branch - develop

Date : 16-08-20

## 1. External DataSet

### 1.1. nuScenes

#### 1.1.1. nuScenes Object 3D Detection and Tracking Challenge

Total GT Frames: 799

Total GT Objects: 2991

##### 1.1.1.1. Detection

nuScenes Full Results

|                | AP   | ATE  | ASE  | AOE  | AVE  | AAE | GT   |
|----------------|------|------|------|------|------|-----|------|
| Car            | 0.54 | 0.33 | 0.18 | 0.44 | 1.92 | 0   | 1176 |
| Truck          | 0.21 | 0.47 | 0.23 | 0.18 | 0.42 | 0   | 341  |
| Bus            | 0.42 | 0.39 | 0.16 | 0.86 | 1.64 | 0   | 138  |
| Pedestrian     | 0.64 | 0.14 | 0.33 | 1.21 | 0.59 | 0   | 852  |
| Person sitting | 0.16 | 0.43 | 0.42 | 1.54 | 0.16 | 0   | 128  |
| Cyclist        | 0.64 | 0.43 | 0.32 | 0.38 | 3.99 | 0   | 39   |
| Biker          | 0.4  | 0.46 | 0.26 | 0.13 | 3.28 | 0   | 16   |
| Misc           | 0.14 | 0.24 | 0.35 | 1.09 | 0.08 | 0   | 301  |
| Human          | 0.58 | 0.16 | 0.33 | 1.16 | 0.76 | 0   | 1035 |



# Run time analysis

| Setup    |           | Run Time [ms] |
|----------|-----------|---------------|
| # radars | # cameras |               |
| 5        | 1         | 46.5          |
| 5        | 2         | 55.1          |
| 5        | 3         | 64.7          |
| 5        | 4         | 74.2          |
| 5        | 5         | 84.2          |
| 5        | 6         | 93.5          |

Nvidia 2080ti 16TOPS

half precision

img size: 800x288

BEV grid size: 512x512

X range: +- 51.2 [m]

Y range: +- 51.2 [m]

BEV res: 0.2 [m]

Platform agnostic, examples:

- Nvidia Xavier at 20 TOPS, 40W
- Renesas at 60 TOPS, 30W (available 2022)

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