

Informal Document VMAD-03-05
3rd VMAD IWG, July 1-2,2019
Agenda item X.

**Safety Criteria study for
New Assessment/Test Methods
of Automated Driving System
(3rd Report)**

July 1-2, 2019

Transmitted by the expert of Japan

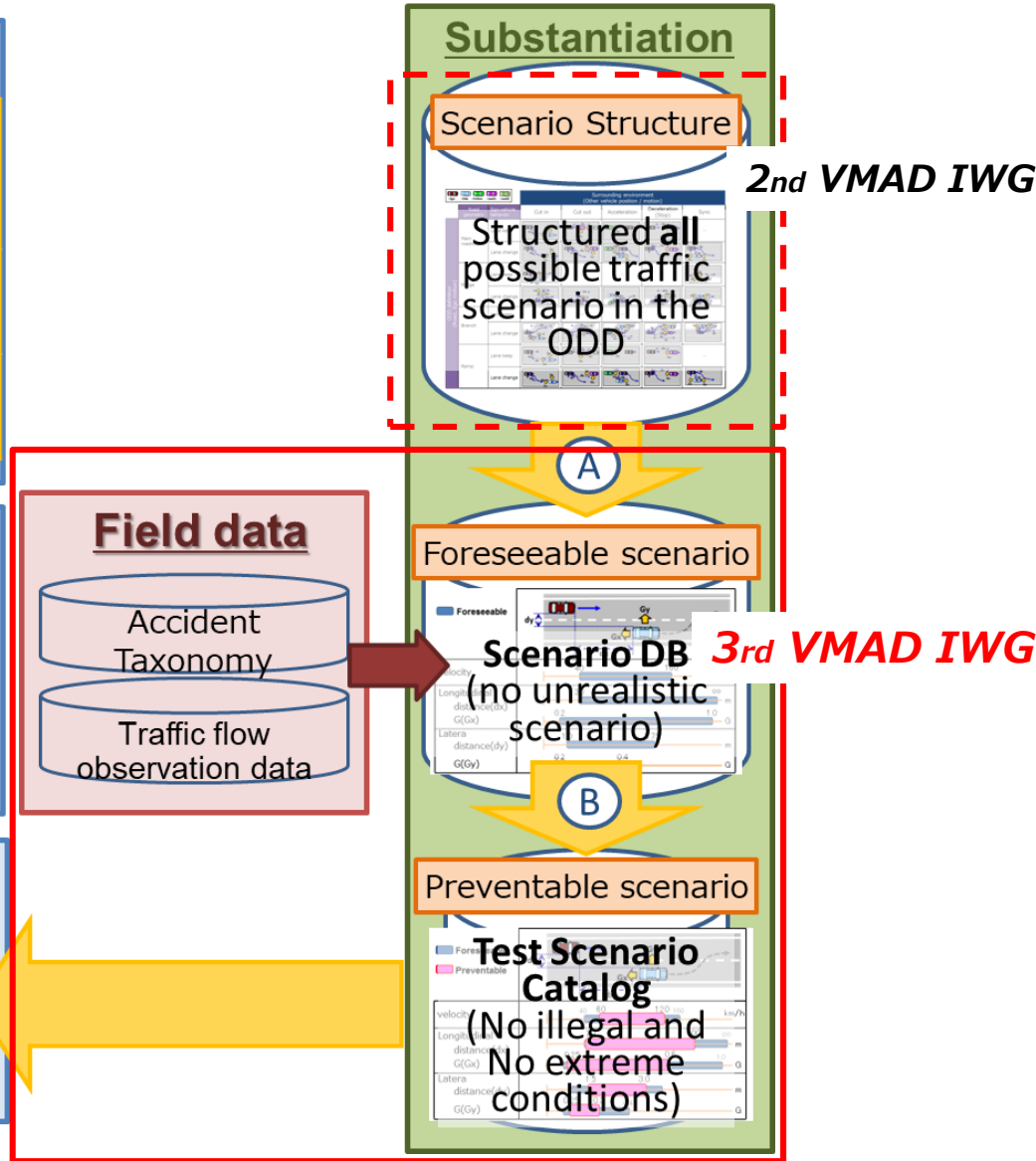
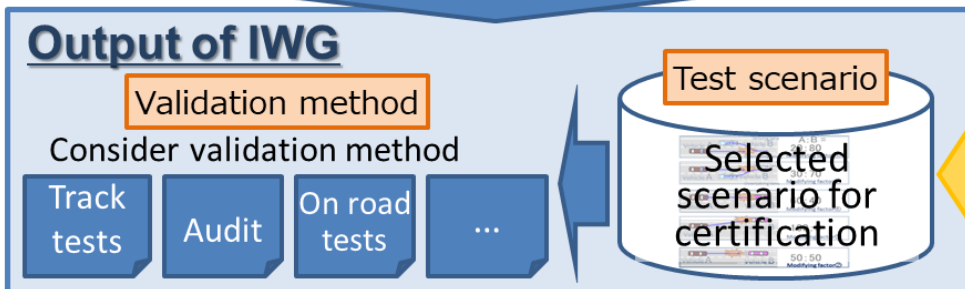
Overall approach

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3. Structure of the translation process with an example

Input from WP29 & GRVA	
Vehicle safety concept	ADS, under their ODD, shall not cause any traffic accidents resulting in injury or death that are rationally foreseeable and preventable
ODD, Applicable system	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ODD: Highway, No snow/Ice, Day/Night • Applicable system: Highway chauffer
Related laws/issues	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Liability, Driver's responsibility • Traffic rule

Discussion points in IWG	
(A)	Foreseeable: empirically predictable scenario w.r.t observed field data
(B)	Preventable: No illegal and No extreme conditions

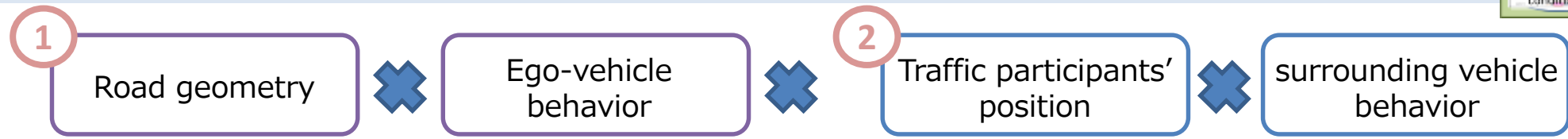


Traffic Scenario Structure

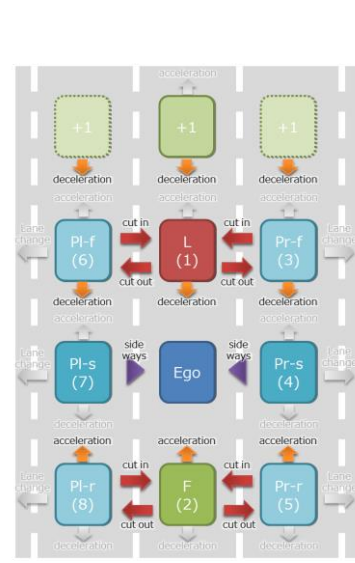
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- 1 Extract the most demanding parameter from real environment data for each road geometry classification based existing laws and regulations.
- 2 Define 8+1 position around ego-vehicle and movement which can invade the ego trajectory. Basically, traffic disturbance scenario can be described with two vehicles

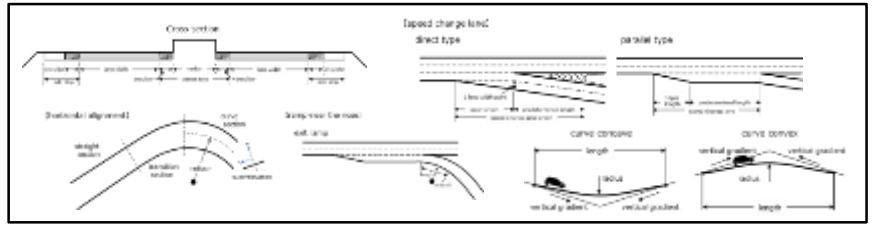


		Ego-vehicle behavior	
		Lane keep	Lane change
Road geometry	Main roadway	Free Driving Following	Lane change Overtaking
	Merge	Merging in front	Merge
	Branch	---	Branch
	Ramp	Free Driving Following	Lane change Overtaking



Road geometry	Ego-vehicle behavior	Surrounding environment (Other vehicle position / motion)				
		Cut in	Cut out	Acceleration	Deceleration (Stop)	Sync
Main roadway	Lane keep					
	Lane change					
Merge	Lane keep					
	Lane change					
Branch	Lane keep					
	Lane change					
Ramp	Lane keep					
	Lane change					

Road Structure Ordinance



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Applicable scenarios to Lane keeping system

Applicable traffic scenarios for Lane Keeping system

Substantiation

Scenario Structure

Structured all possible traffic scenario in the ODD

Foreseeable scenario

Scenario DB (no unrealistic scenario)

Preventable scenario

Test Scenario Catalog (No illegal and No extreme conditions)

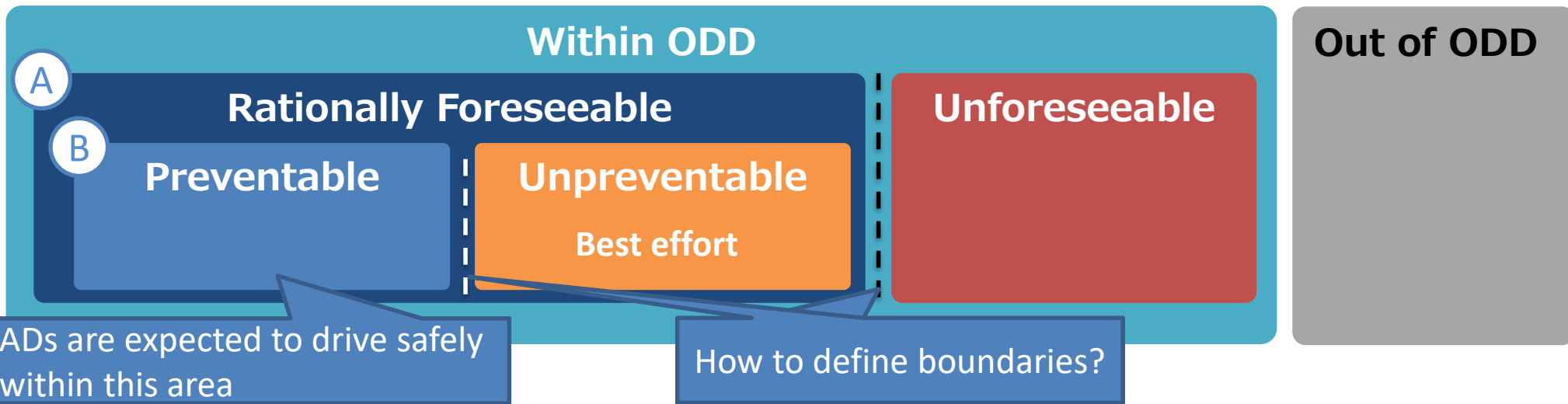
Other Vehicle's maneuver	Traffic Scenario Image Today's scenario	Parameters									
		Initial condition			Vehicle motion						
		Initial Velocity [Vo0]	Initial distance		Lateral motion		Deceleration			Acceleration	
	Longitudinal distance [dx0]	Lateral distance [dy0]	Max Lateral Velocity [Vy_max]	motion timing	Max decel G [Gx_max]	Decel rate [dG/dt]	Decel timing	Max accel G [Gx_max]	Accel rate [dG/dt]		
Cut in		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	-----	-----	-----
Cut out		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	-----	-----	-----
Acceleration		✓	✓	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	✓	✓	✓
Deceleration		✓	✓	-----	-----	✓	✓	✓	-----	-----	-----
Sync.		✓	✓	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----

Schematic structure of the safety requirement

[WP29 Framework Document Draft]



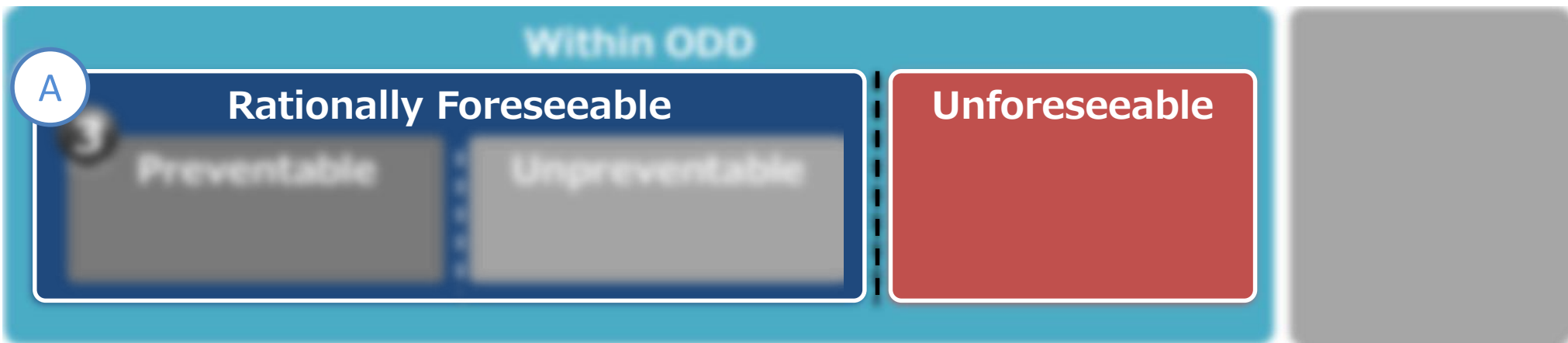
Within ODD, AD shall not cause **(A) rationally foreseeable** and **(B) preventable** accident resulting injury or death



(A) Foreseeable: It is important to cover the events occurring in the actual traffic society.
=>Specify the foreseeable range based on the actual traffic data in line with the scenario structure.

(B) Preventable: Socially acceptable criteria for AD needs to be defined through further discussion

Ⓐ Foreseeable



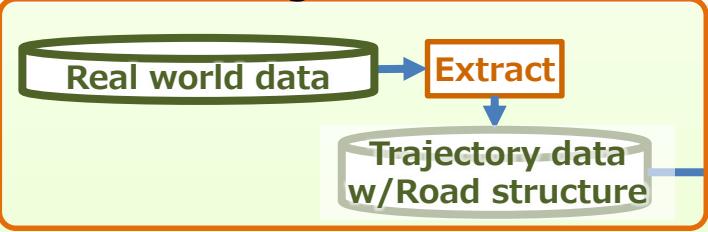
Derivation Process of Foreseeable Scenario

out of ODD



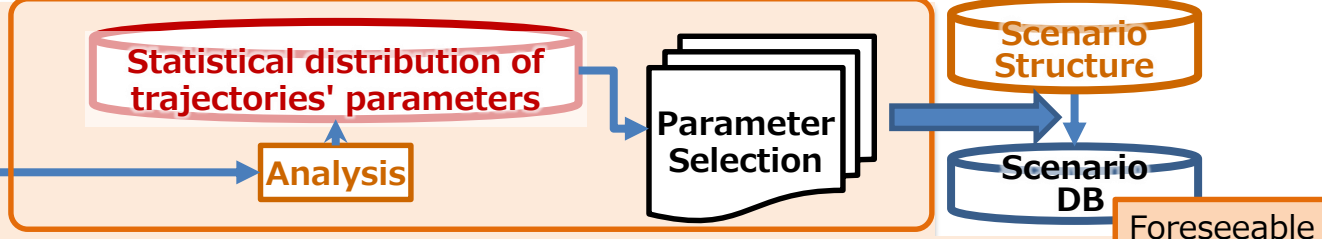
- ✓ Collect and analyze the traffic flow data including near miss which represents the actual traffic environment.
- ✓ Based on the statistical analysis, the parameter range which covers not only **a) the measured data** but also **b) the reasonably foreseeable future events** is defined.

Driving Database

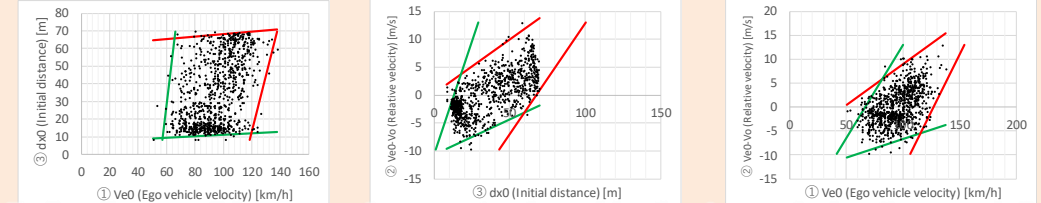
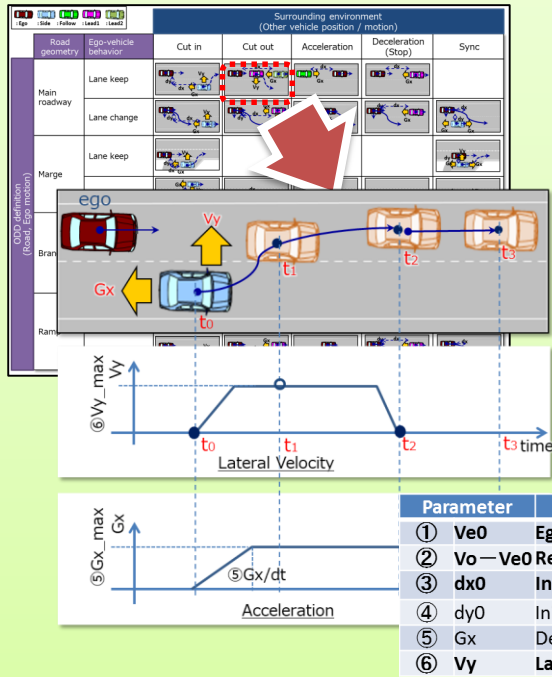


- Classify and accumulate the trajectory data for each scenario
- Define the critical parameter and model the scenario

Parametric data

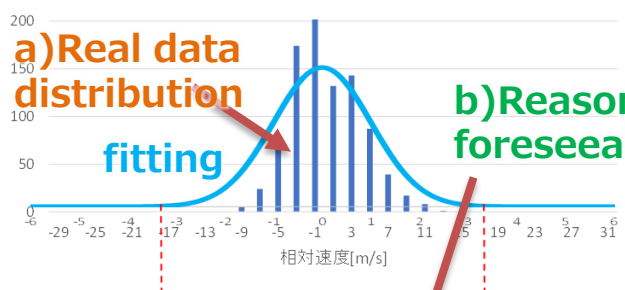


- Extract the applicable data from the trajectory data
- Analyze the data and correlation, and define the parameter range



Define the possible range of parameters' combination by analyzing the correlation (e.g.: ego-vehicle velocity x intravehicular distance-x relative velocity)

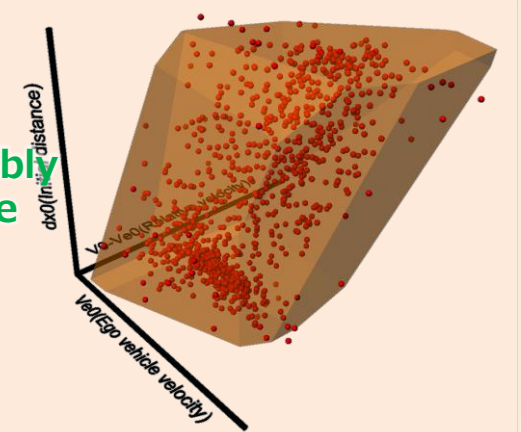
Using the statistical analysis, Define the range including the foreseeable events



a) Real data distribution
b) Reasonably foreseeable

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Parameter Selection

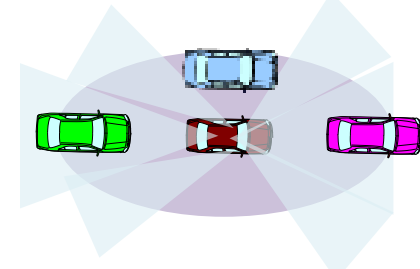


Traffic data collection in Japan

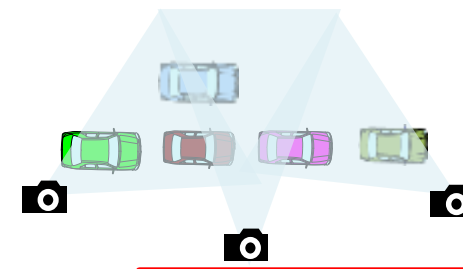


- ✓ actual traffic data collection by third party.
- ✓ In order to effectively establish the holistic coverage of traffic monitoring data, the fixed camera is utilized in specific area like ramp, merge, and exit.

Measurement vehicles



Fixed camera



Data Source	TUAT* Driving Recorder Data (~2018~)	JAMA Driving Recorder Data (2008)	Driving Database (2017)	On road Recognition Database (2017)	Measurement Vehicle Data Correction (2018~)	Fixed Location Camera (2018~)
Parameter available (Camera/Lidar) Video only Triangle visible X Not recorded						
Logging Vehicles	-	60 vehicles	30 vehicles	6 vehicles	3 vehicles	3 cameras / each location
Driver	Taxi driver	Ordinal driver	Ordinal driver	Staff	Staff	-

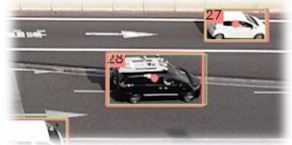
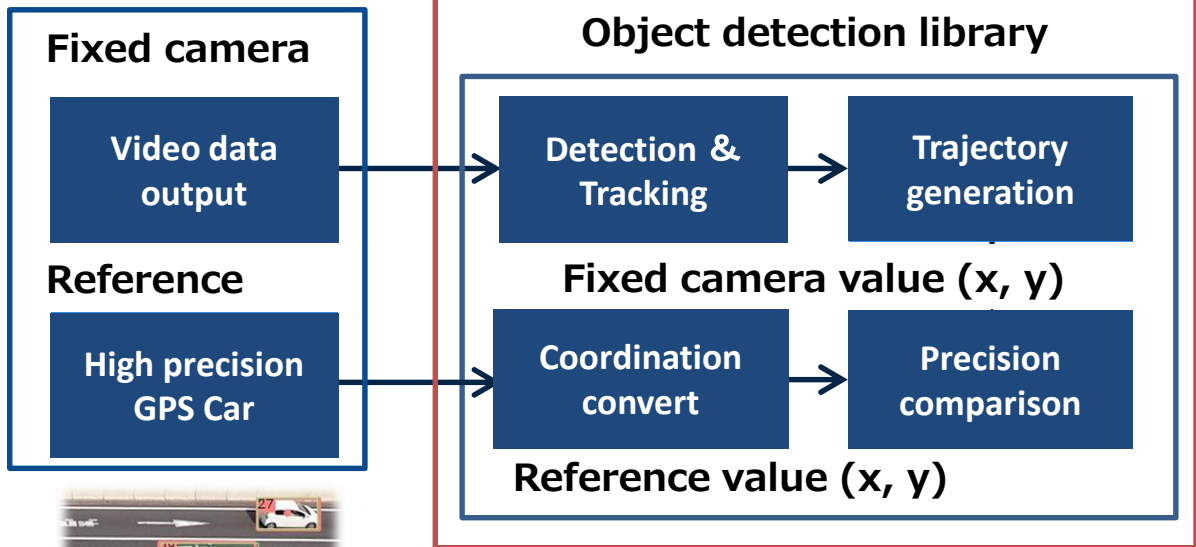
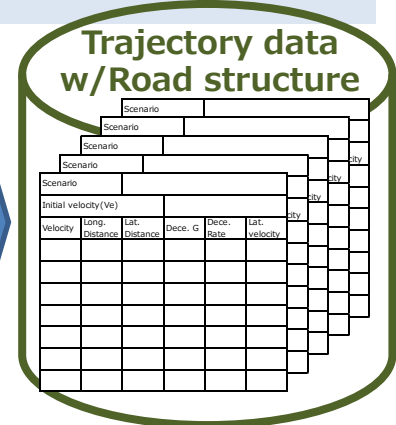
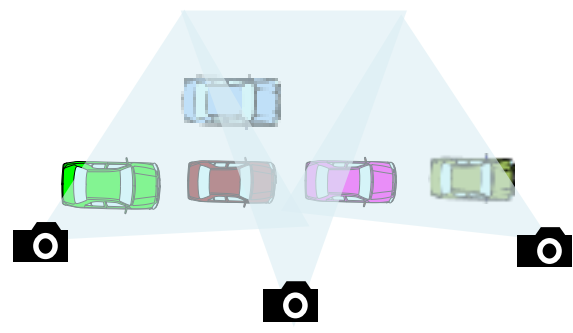
※TUAT: Tokyo University of Agriculture and Technology

Ongoing data collection

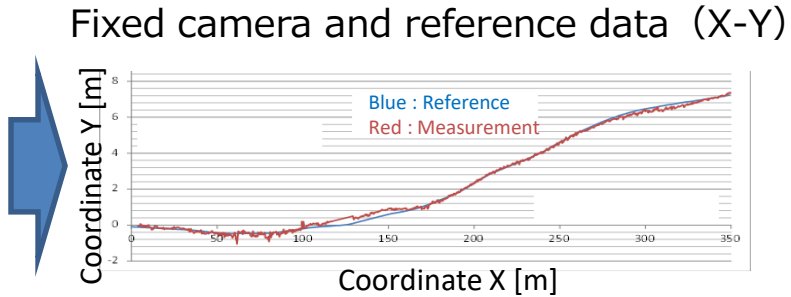
Traffic data accuracy evaluation



✓ Generate the trajectory data from the traffic flow monitoring data and classify it according to the scenario structure.



Data processing



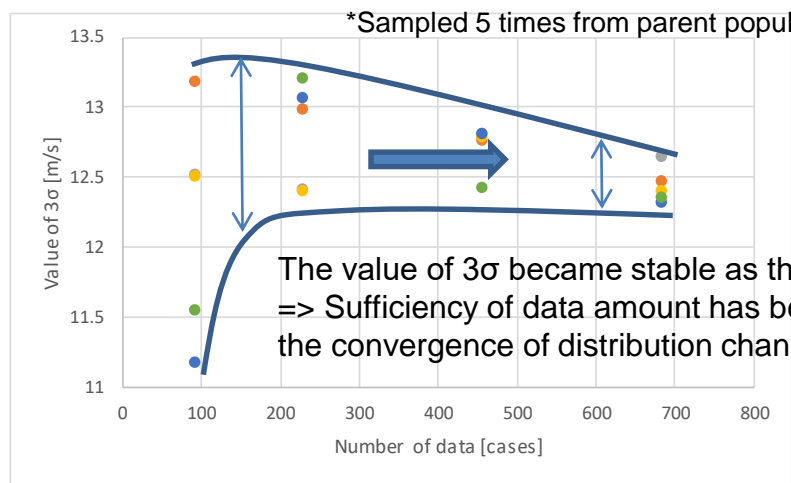
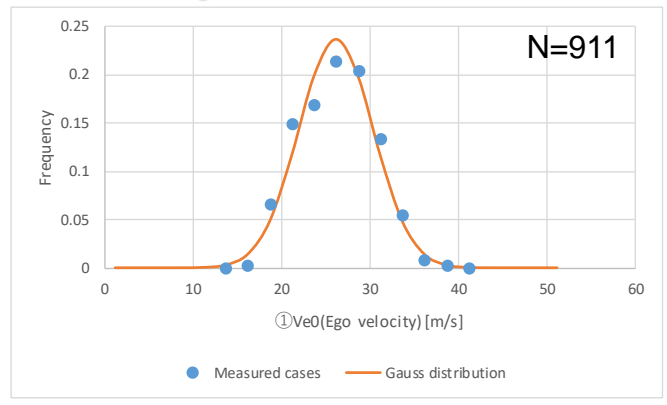
[Accuracy verification]
Sufficient accuracy of the data has been ensured by using the reference vehicle.

Parameter Range Derivation



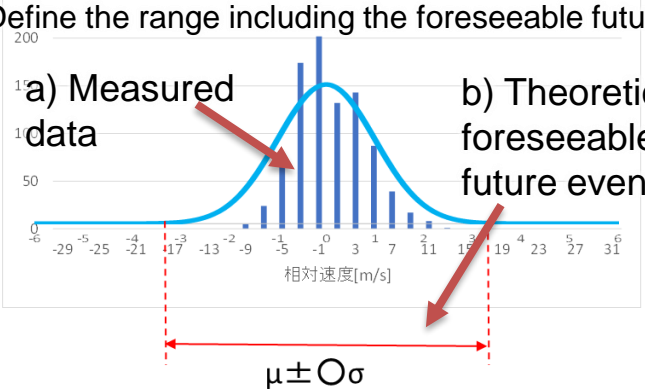
Statistically analyze the actual data to derive the parameter range. While ensuring the **a) sufficiency of data amount**, derive the appropriate parameter range by **b) extrapolating the non-measured events** and **c) eliminating the inconceivable events**.

a) Sufficiency of data amount



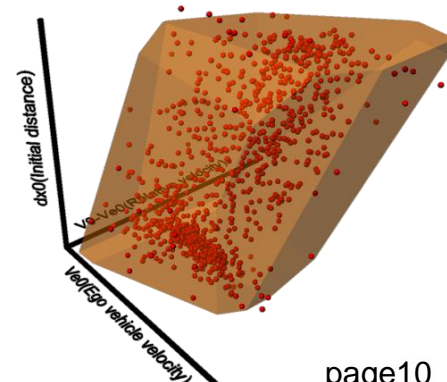
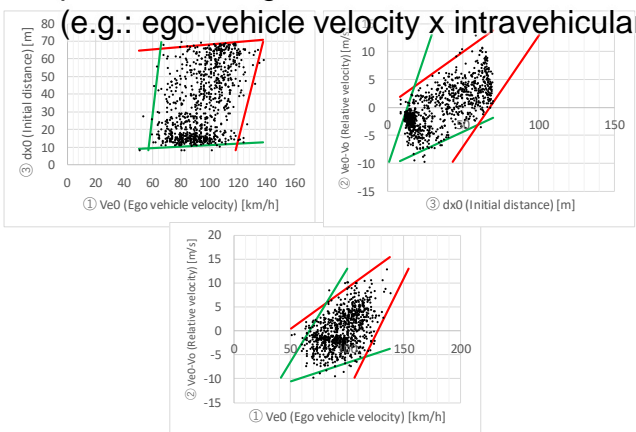
b) Extrapolation of non-measured events

Using the statistical analysis, define the reasonable parameter range => Define the range including the foreseeable future events



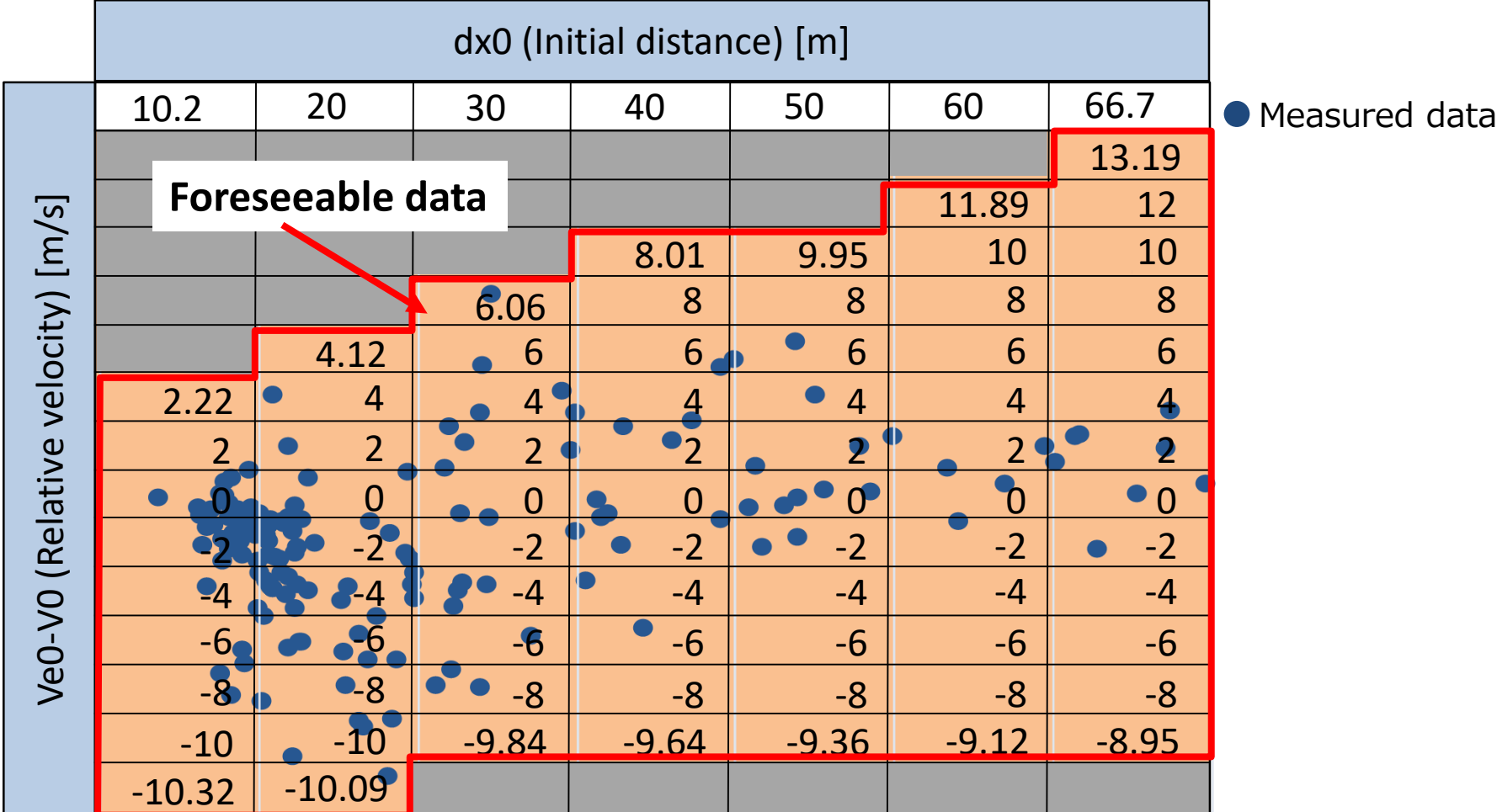
c) Elimination of inconceivable events

Analyze the correlation between parameters and define the possible parameter range (e.g.: ego-vehicle velocity x intravehicular distance x relative velocity)



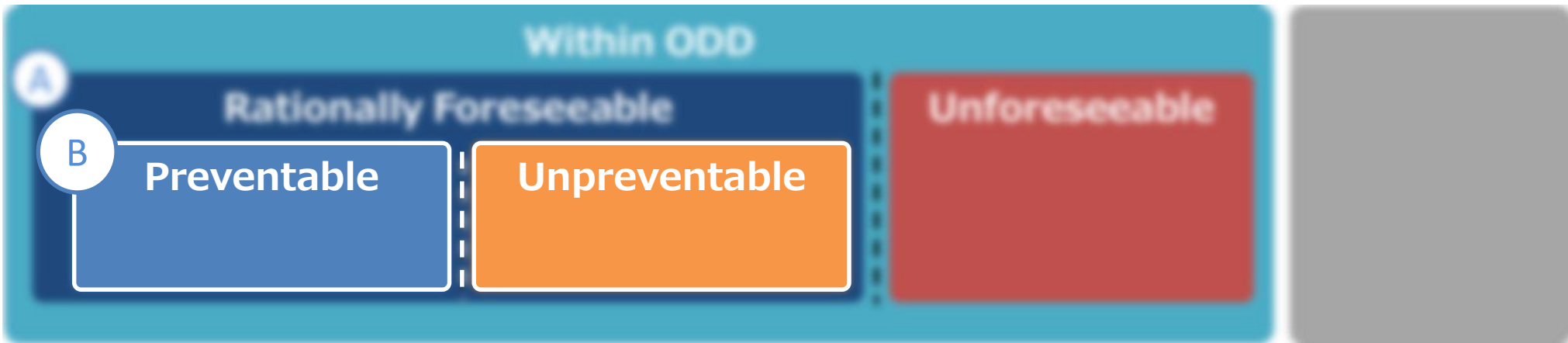
Correlation of Field data and Foreseeable data

Precondition data : $V_{e0}=80\text{kph}$, $V_y=1.72\text{m/s}$

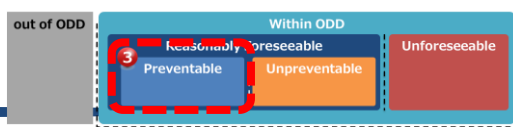


⇒ Not only the observed data but also the data that may theoretically occur in the future is covered.

Ⓑ Preventable



Precondition of Case study



In order to verify crush avoidance performance, Ego vehicle's driving model is necessary. Parameters of expert driver model and AD vehicle model are set as examples.

Avoidance performance

Perception

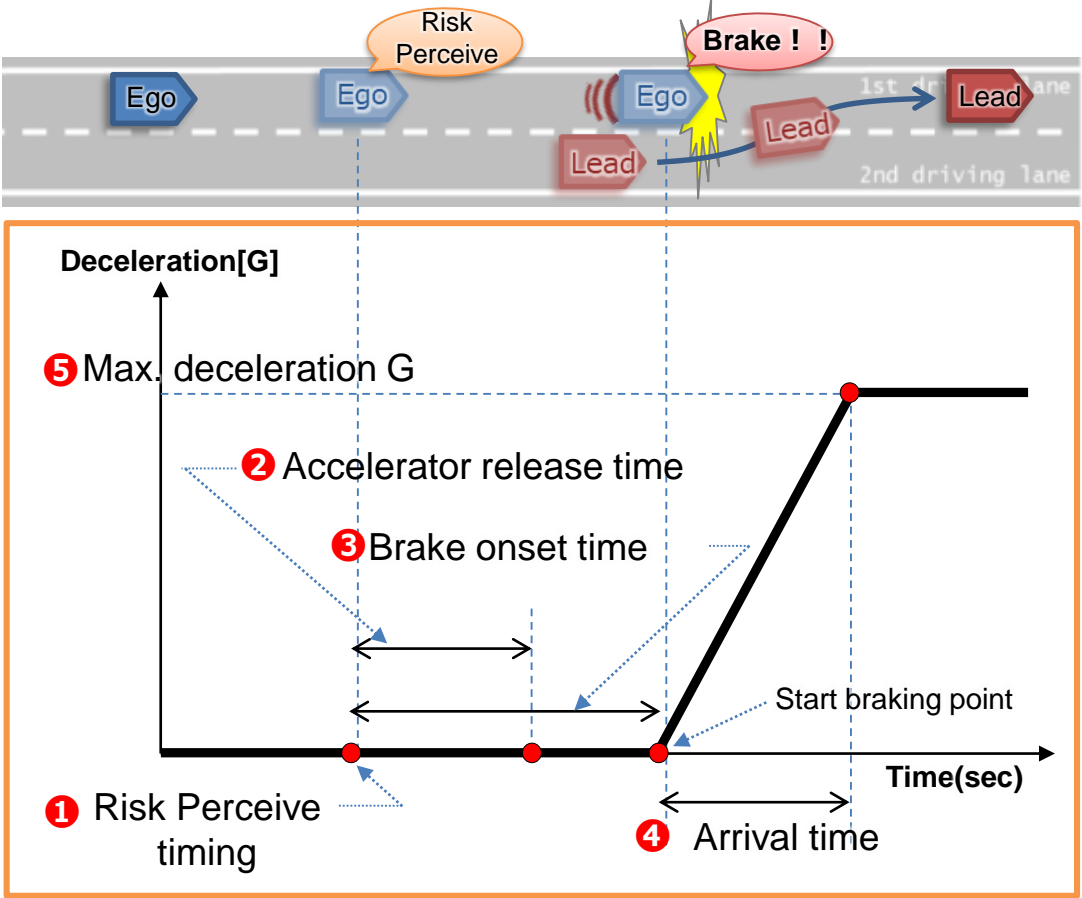
- 1 Perception timing of accident/near miss

Judgment [time from perception to action (start braking)]

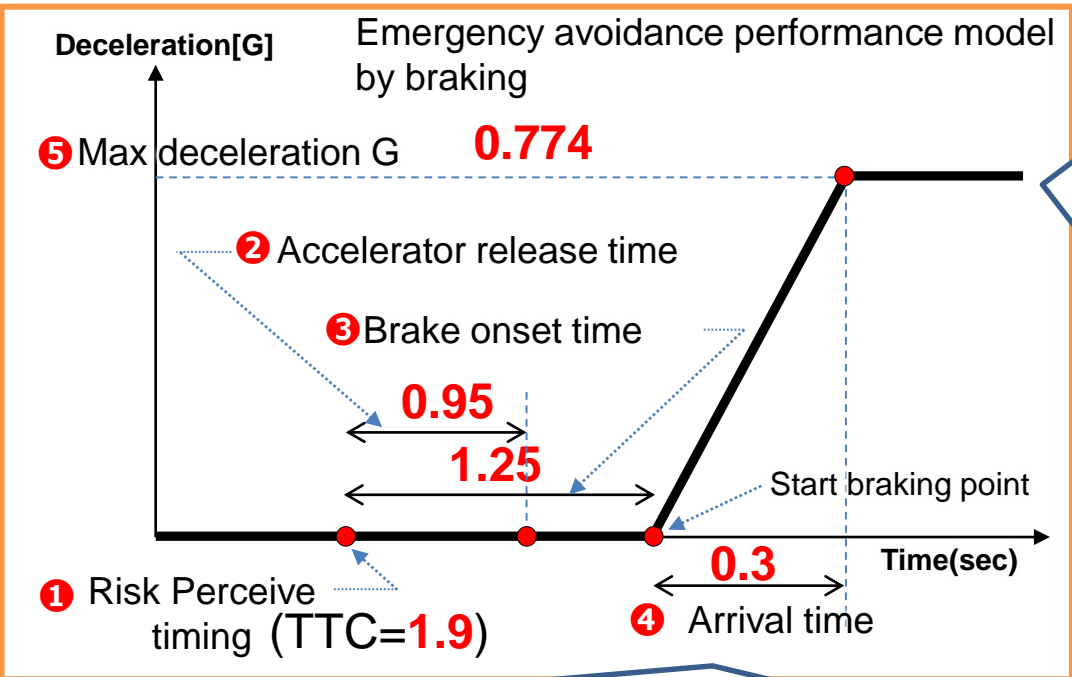
- 2 Accelerator release time
- 3 Brake onset time

Action (time to reach target control amount)

- 4 Time to reach max. deceleration G
- 5 Max. deceleration G



Parameters of expert driver model



5 A study example of emergency braking characteristics of driving trainees in Japan

- General driver : 0.689G
- **Driving trainees*** : **0.774G**

*Driving trainees: Trainees of Japan Safe Driving Center (JSDC) Central Training Academy for Safe Driving

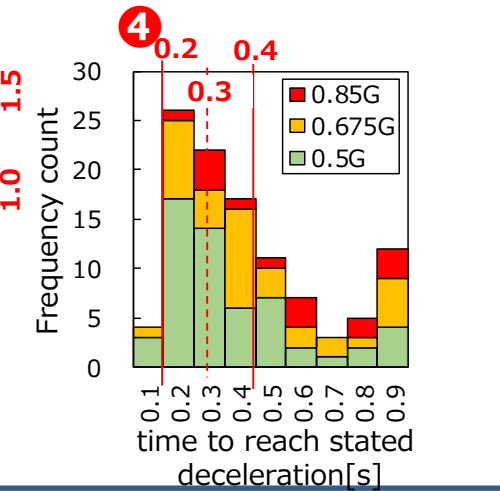
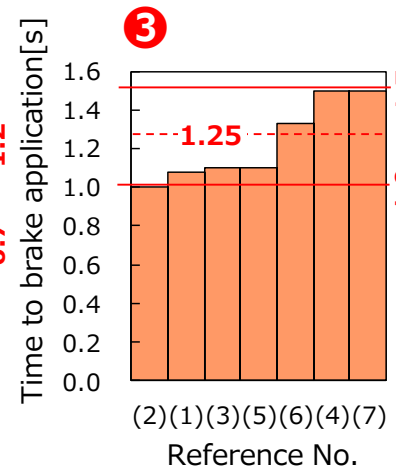
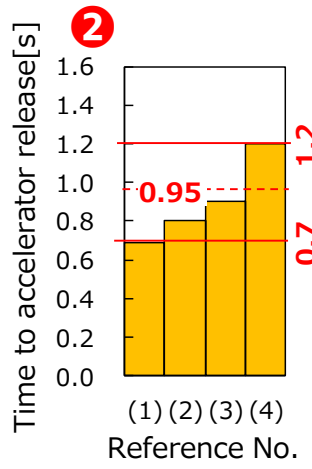
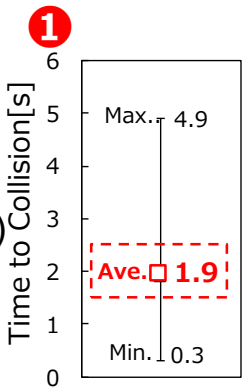
The difference in distribution of the trainees and the regular drivers average deceleration values

Reference: Makisita et al.(2001)

Evaluation data of attentive drivers

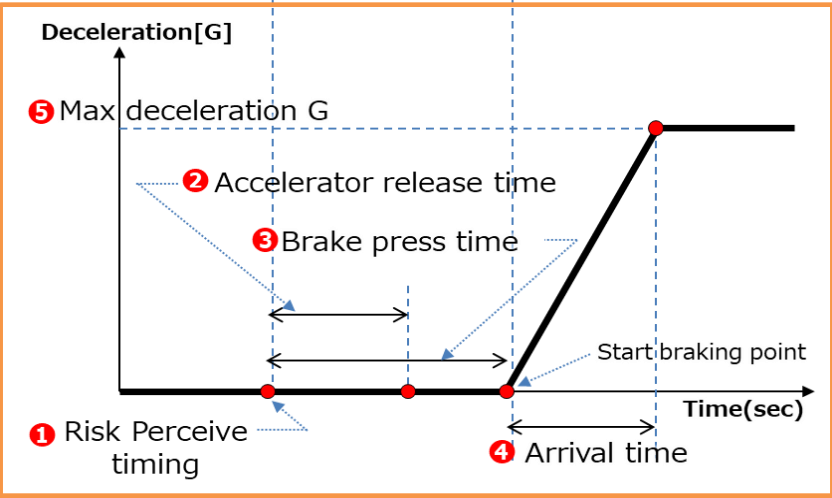
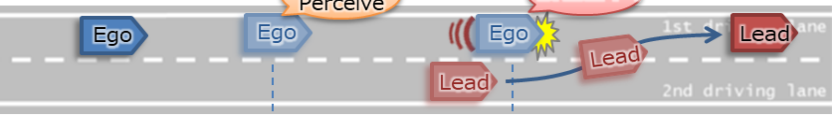
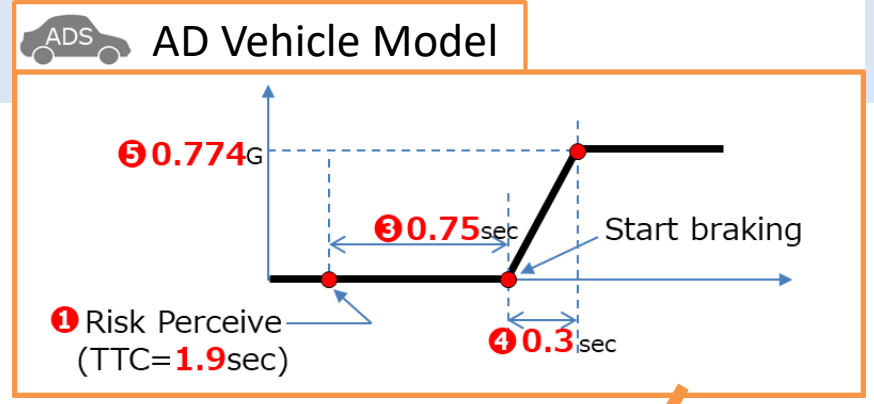
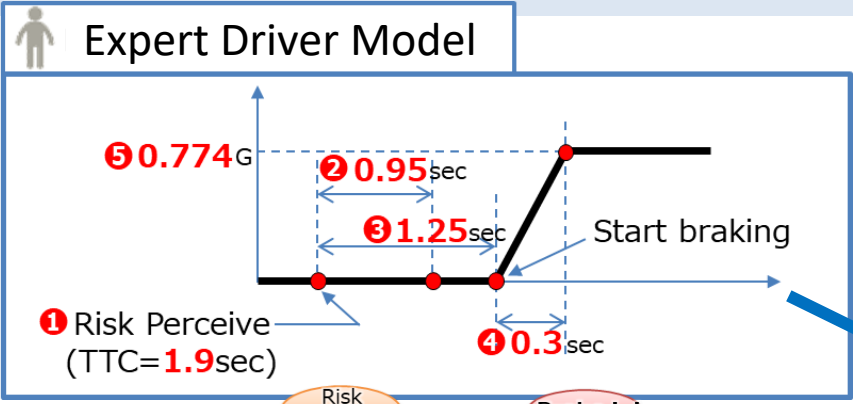
Evaluation subjects:
Average age (35yrs, 18-68 yrs)
66 Males and 43 Females

Reference: Development of an FCW Algorithm Evaluation Methodology With Evaluation of Three Alert Algorithms (NHTSA June2009)



Virtual test result

Through the virtual test by using the performance of the expert driver, the preventable level could be determined. Then, using this, the test scenario catalog database will be created.



Result (Ve0=80kph, Vy=1.72m/s)

dx0(Initial Distance) [m]

	10.2	20	30	40	50	60	66.7
							x ✓ 13.19
						x ✓ 11.89	x ✓ 12
				x ✓ 8.01	x ✓ 9.95	x ✓ 10	x ✓ 10
			✓ 6.06	x ✓ 8	x ✓ 8	x ✓ 8	x ✓ 8
		✓ 4.12	✓ 6	✓ 6	✓ 6	✓ 6	✓ 6
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✓	10.32	✓ 10.09					

✓ : Success (non-crash), x : Fail (Crash)

Summary

- The process to define criteria which is possibly applicable for certification by using a concrete case was shown



Need to discuss

- 1) Definition of “rationally Foreseeable and Preventable” criteria
- 2) Qualified real world driving data

To Consider

- common understanding of the socially acceptable criteria
- issues if each country uses this process to derivate the criteria

End