

AUTO CONNESSE E A GUIDA AUTONOMA: NUOVE SFIDE E D OPPORTUNITÀ PER I SISTEMI DI NAVIGAZIONE

Alessandro NERI^{1,2}

¹Università ROMA TRE, ²RadioLabs



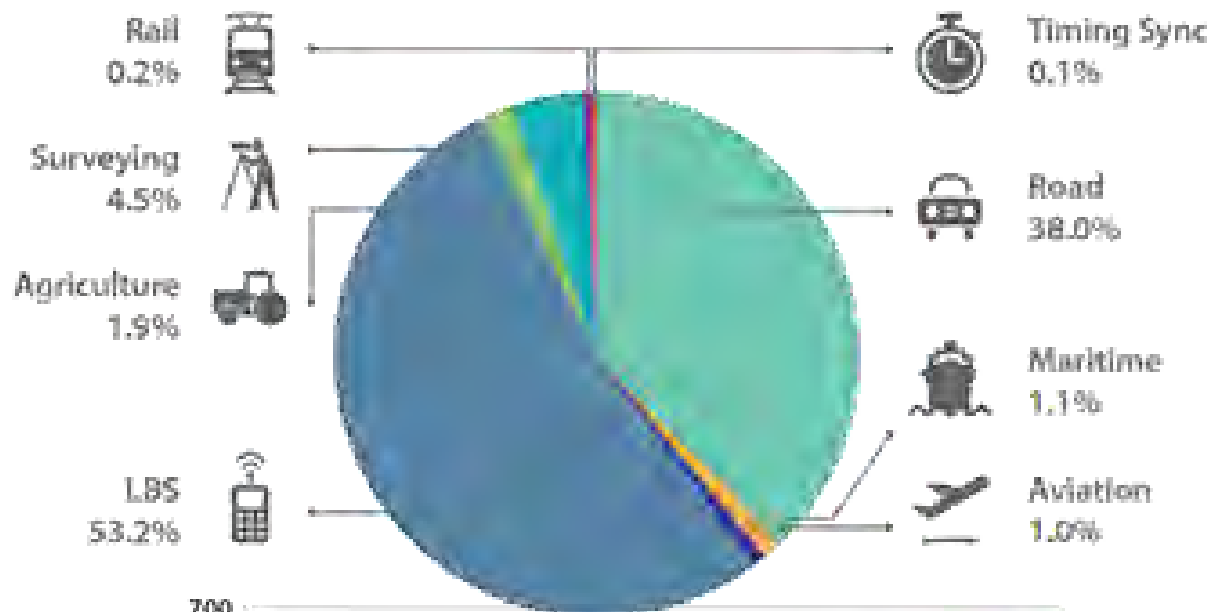


Table of Content



- 1. Market Evolution**
- 2. Requirements Review Automotive**
- 3. Candidate Augmentation Architectures**
- 4. Selected Augmentation Architecture Definition**
- 5. Architectural Blocks Definition**
- 6. Indoor Positioning**
- 7. Conclusions**

The Market



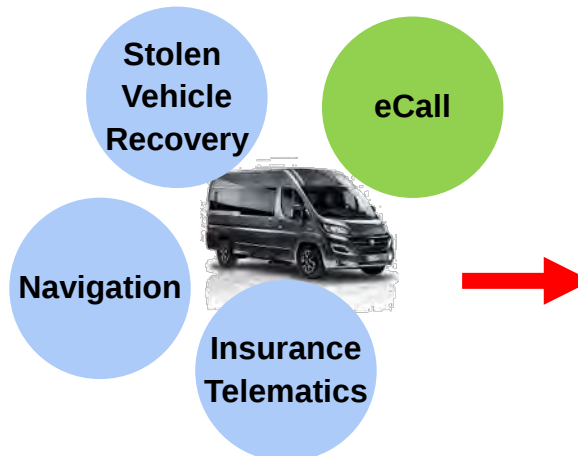
Autonomous driving technology requires position and navigation



NO individual technology can currently meet these requirements anywhere, anytime and under any condition, requirements.

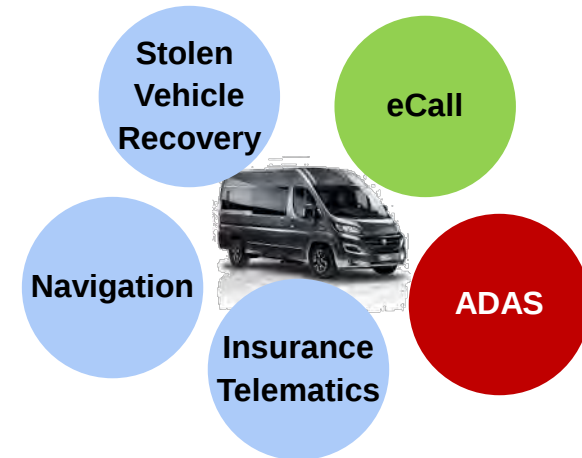
HIGH ACCURACY

HIGH INTEGRITY



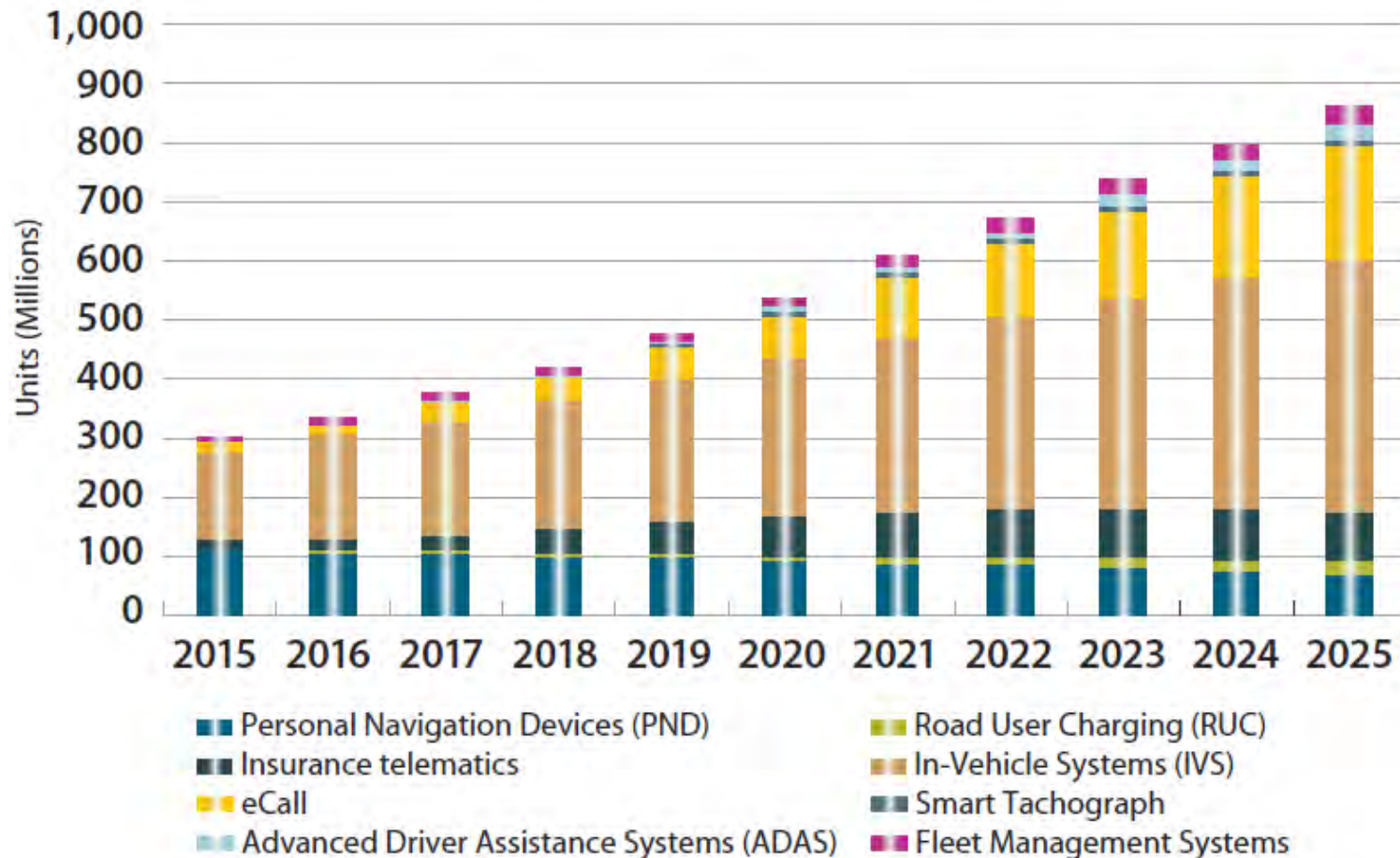
sensor fusion is considered as the go-to-solution for the development of fully autonomous driving technology.

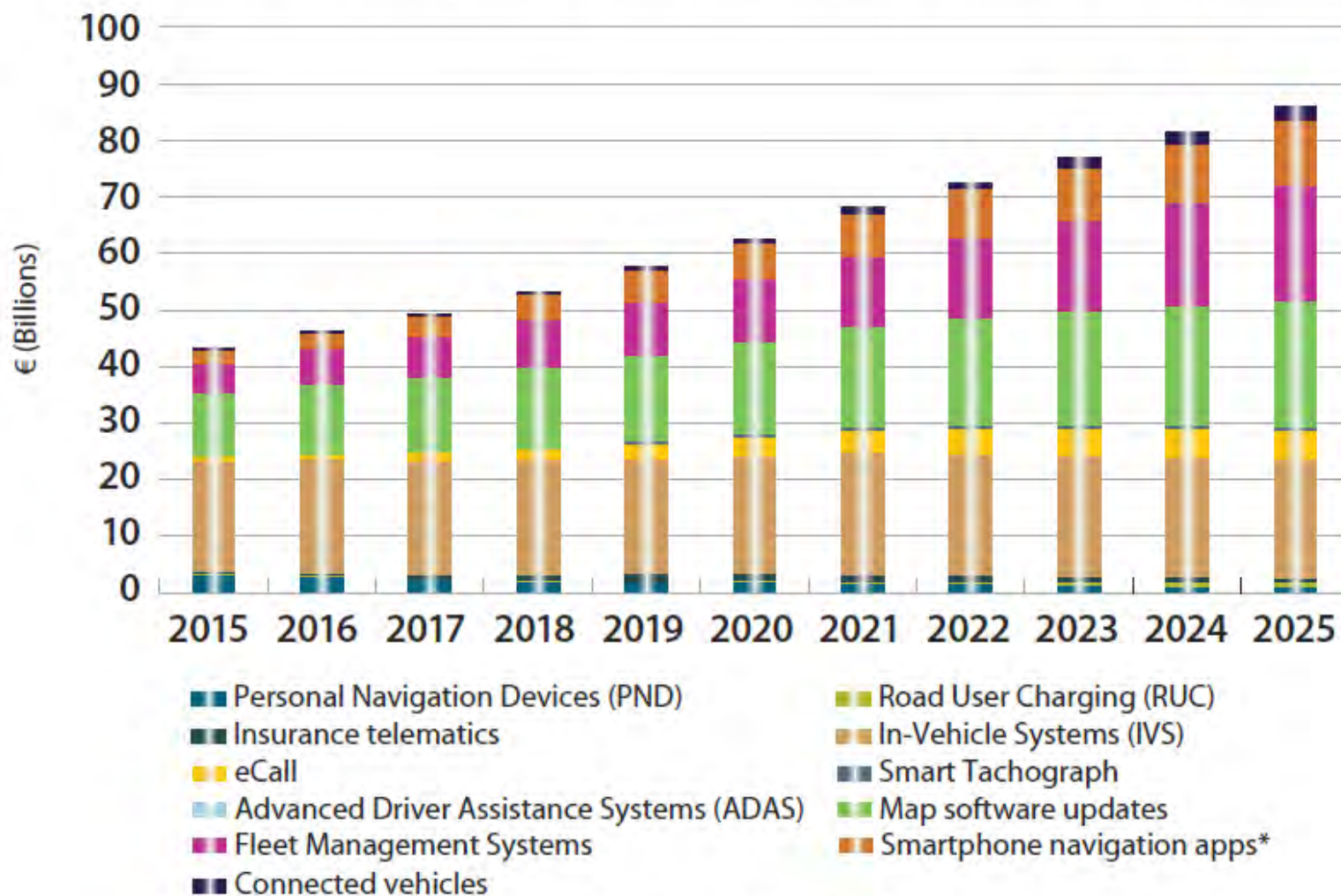
**All Weather Conds.
Safe Driving**



GNSS is an element of a sensor fusion based navigation system that includes LiDARs/Radars, Inertial sensors and cameras.

Installed base of GNSS devices by type





* Pay-to-download, In app-purchases and ad revenue from navigation apps



New Business Models

- **Pay as you drive**

Driving services costs according to vehicle usage

- **Mobility As A Service**

The most appropriate means of transport, with the best conditions, for the actual needs and mobility conditions, in real time

- **Predictive Maintenance**

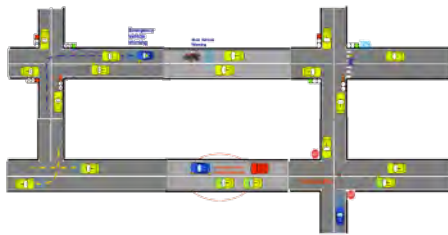
Long term service enable through data captured from sensors and predictive analytics



Autonomous vehicles deployment

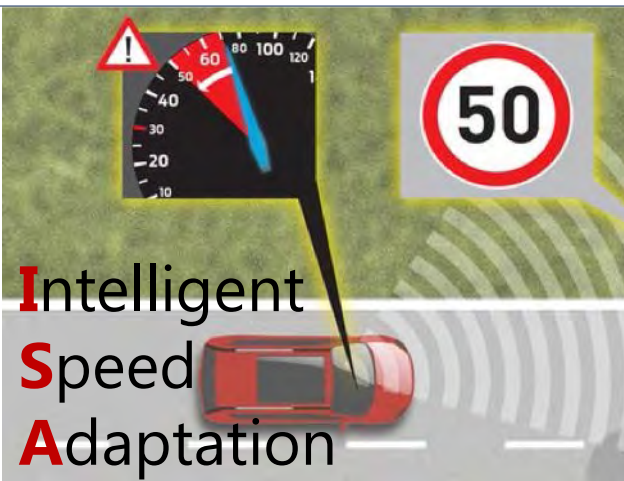
Deployment of autonomous vehicles foresees different scenarios

Scenarios	Conservative	Disruptive
2040s	Conditionally autonomous vehicles will account for 30-35% of new sales.	90% of new sales will be represented by fully autonomous vehicles.
2030s	18 mln sales of semi autonomous vehicles, first use cases of fully autonomous vehicles.	Fully autonomous vehicles sum up to 15% of new sales.
2020s	Large-scale testing of autonomous vehicles on public roads.	Fully autonomous vehicles launched on the market by tech giants and premium OEMs.
2016	Semi-autonomous vehicles tested on private and public roads supported by UNECE updating the 1968 Vienna Convention on Road Traffic.	



**Cooperative
Collision
Avoidance**

**Dynamic
vehicle warning**



**Co-operative
Awareness**

**Traffic
Hazards
Warning**



**High Density
Platooning**



**Road Hazard
Warning**

eCall

**Vulnerable Road
User Discovery**



**Automated
Overtake**



Automotive requirements

Use Case	Note
Cooperative Collision Avoidance	risk situations: • vs. another vehicle, • vs. other dynamic obstacles, • vs. static obstacles
Automated Overtake	It requires cooperation among vehicles on multiple lanes to create the gap in time to avoid collision with an oncoming vehicle
Road Hazard Warning	• Emergency Electronic Break Light • Safety function out of normal condition warning • Roadwork warning • Decentralized floating car data 
Co-operative Awareness	• Emergency vehicle warning • Slow vehicle warning • Motorcycle warning
Traffic hazards warning	• Wrong way driving warning • Stationary vehicle warning • Traffic condition warning • Signal violation warning



Automotive requirements

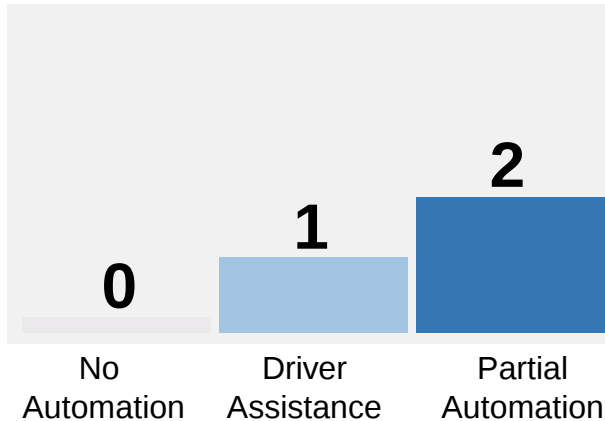
Use Case	Note
Dynamic vehicle warning	Overtaking vehicle warning Lane change assistance Co-operative merging assistance
High Density Platooning	Vehicles will be driving very close to each other
Vulnerable Road User Discovery	VRUs equipped with a GNSS receiver announce their presence by broadcasting their status
ISA - Intelligent Speed Adaptation	The driving speed is monitored and compared with the prevailing speed limit on the road (or the lane) the vehicle is on
eCall	Pan-European eCall generates an automatic 112 emergency call and transmits an MSD containing the absolute position of the damaged vehicle



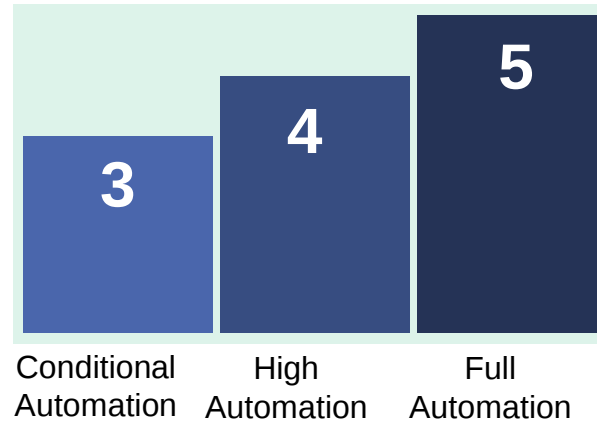
SAFETY CRITICAL Requirements

ELECTRONIC HORIZON

HUMAN DRIVER



Automated Driving System



KPI	Value
Position accuracy	< 30 cm
Trajectory handshake latency	<100 msec
Status message latency	<10 msec
Status message loss rate	< 10 ⁻⁶
Status message rate	> 10 Hz

Vehicles and Road users

- Position, speed
- acceleration
- direction (heading)
- Yaw rate

Static obstacles

- Position

Infrastructure

- **High Accuracy Digital map**

From other sources

- traffic
- weather information



Enabling Technologies

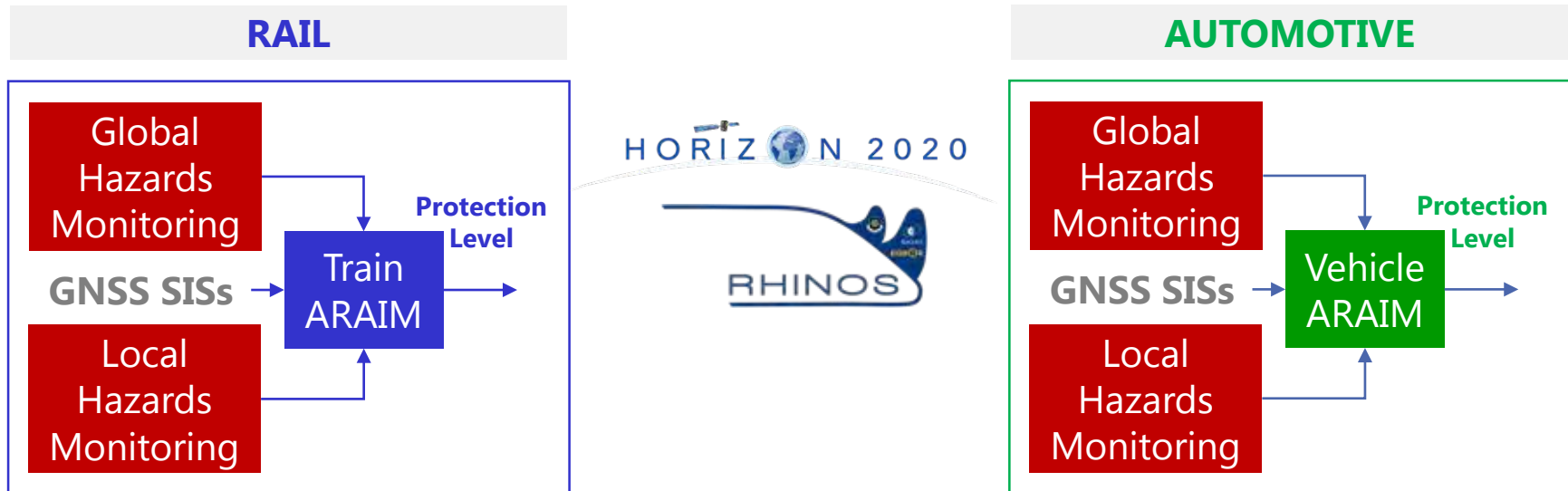
	Application Domain	Accuracy	Integrity
SBAS	Aviation	< 2 m	$10^{-7}/150s$
GBAS/DGNSS	Aviation/Maritime	<16 m	$10^{-7}-10^{-9}/150s$
RTK/NRTK	Surveying	< 5 cm (AF)	n.a
PPP	Surveying, Maritime, Autonomous Driving	10 cm (Float) < 10 cm (AR)	n.a.

- **No single system can currently meet Automotive requirements**

APPROACH

- MULTICONSTELLATION **GPS+GALILEO+ГЛОНАСС+BEIDOU**
- SBAS **EGNOS, WAAS, SDCM**
- Integrity Monitoring and Augmentation Services
 - High Accuracy **RTK, PPP**
 - Multifrequency Rx **E1 E5a E5b, L1 L2C L1C**
- **ARAIM**

1. Based on Road Environment **MODELLING**
2. **Candidate solution(s) Architecture derived from Rail (RHINOS)**
 - Integrity Monitoring and Augmentation System Reference **Architecture**
 - On Board System Reference **Architecture**
 - **Local** hazards detection and effects mitigation,



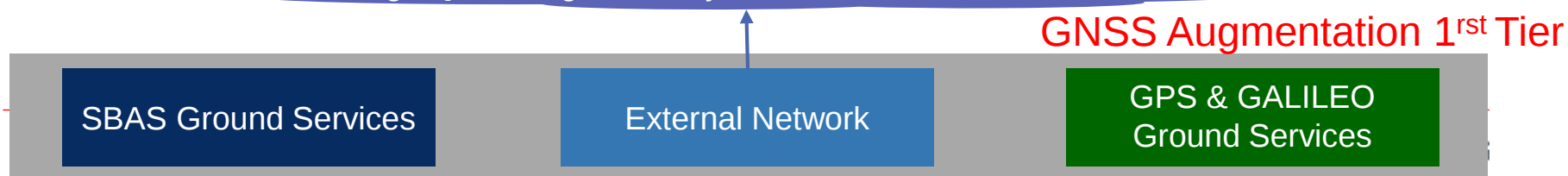
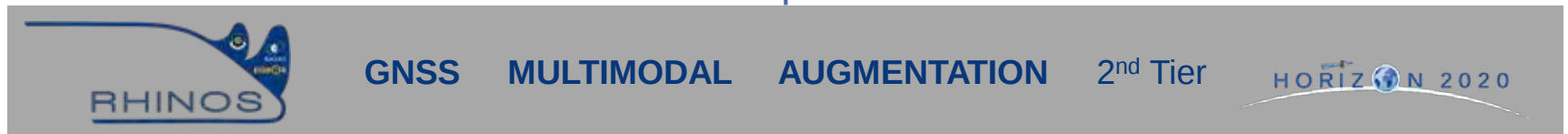
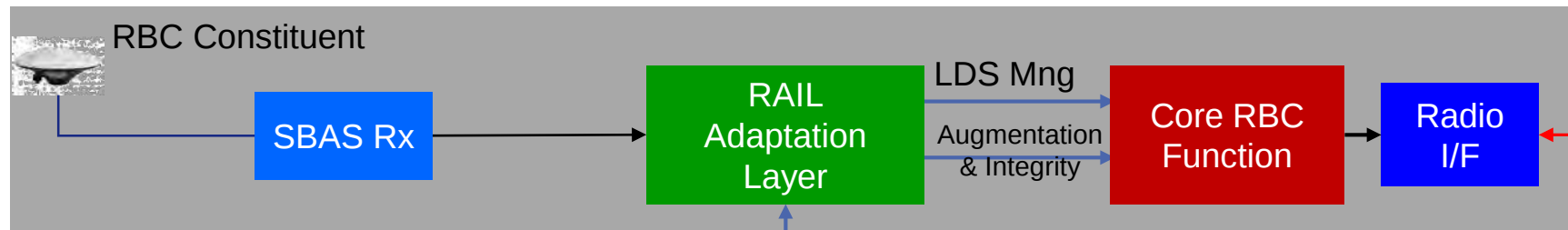
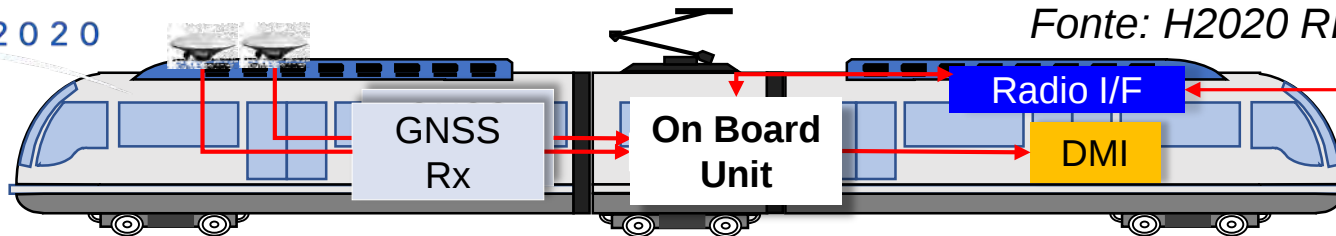


RAIL Reference Architecture



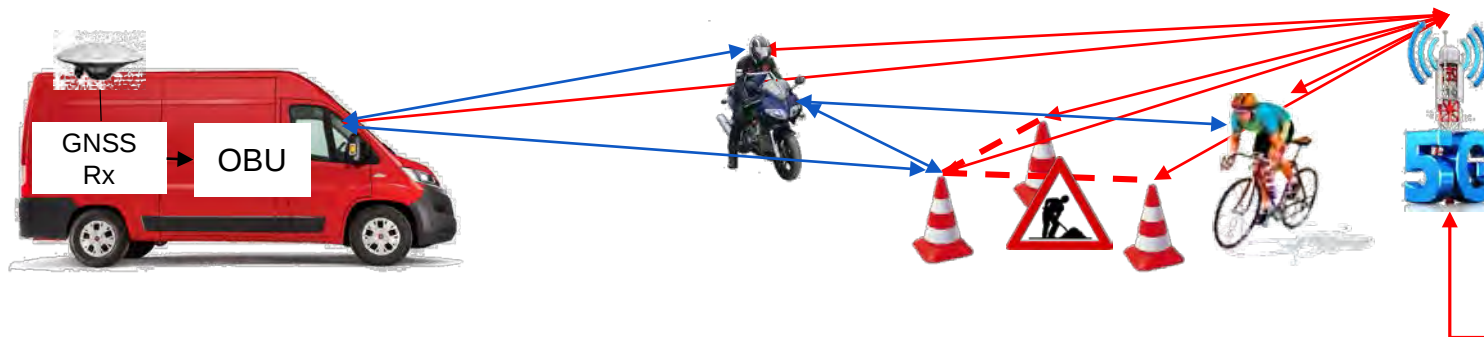
HORIZON 2020

Fonte: H2020 RHINOS Project





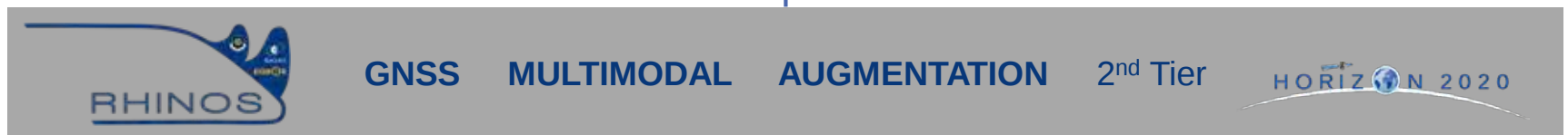
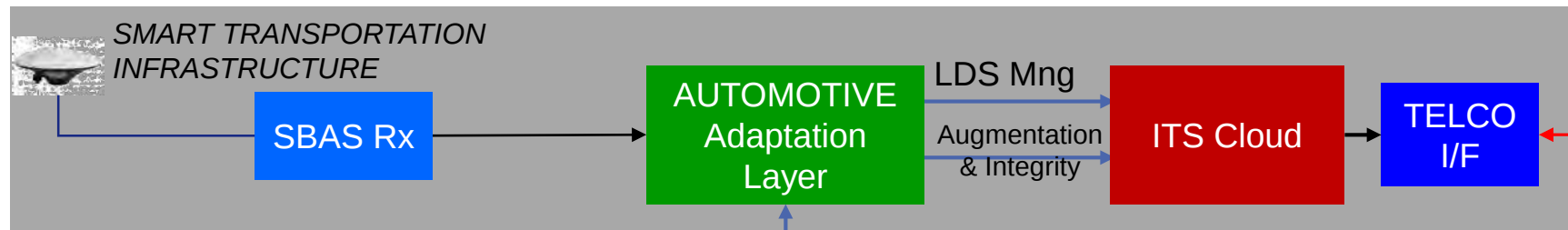
AUTOMOTIVE Reference Architecture



Fonte:



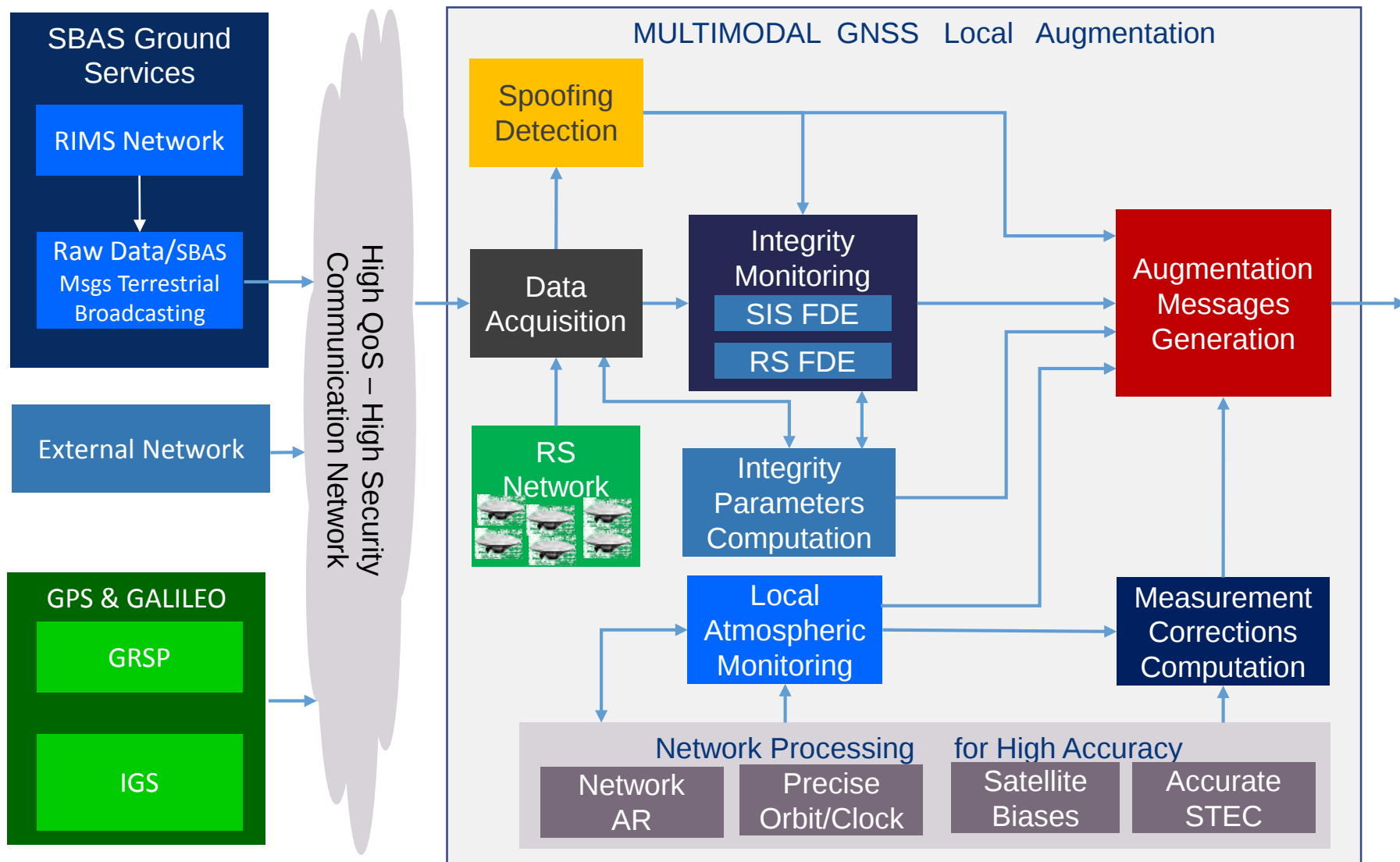
@ ICG '12



GNSS Augmentation 1st Tier



Reference GNSS Local Augmentation Architecture





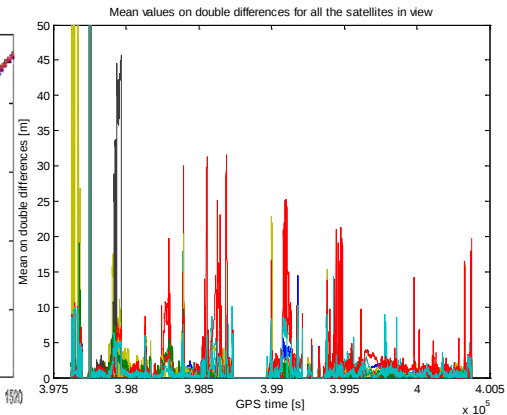
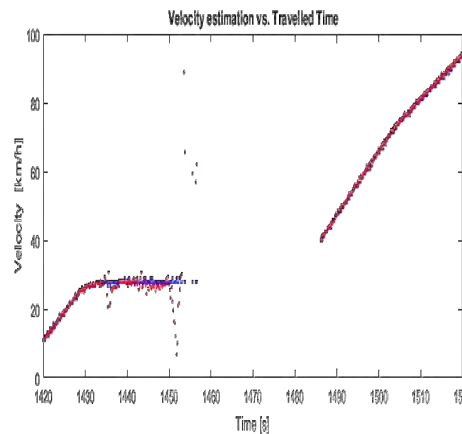
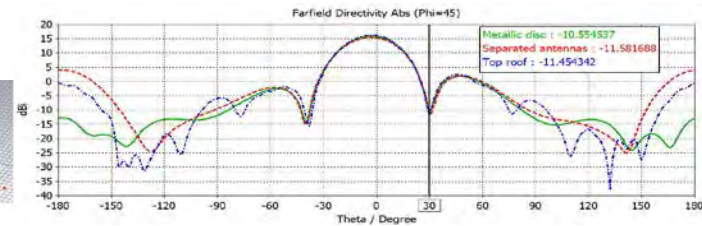
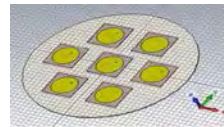
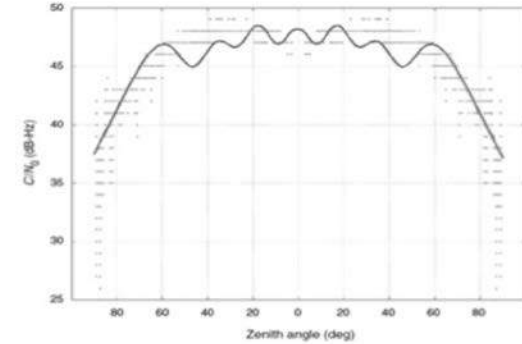
Camera Visible Horizon

Signal Domain

Correlation Domain

Measurement Domain

Position Domain (ARAIM)

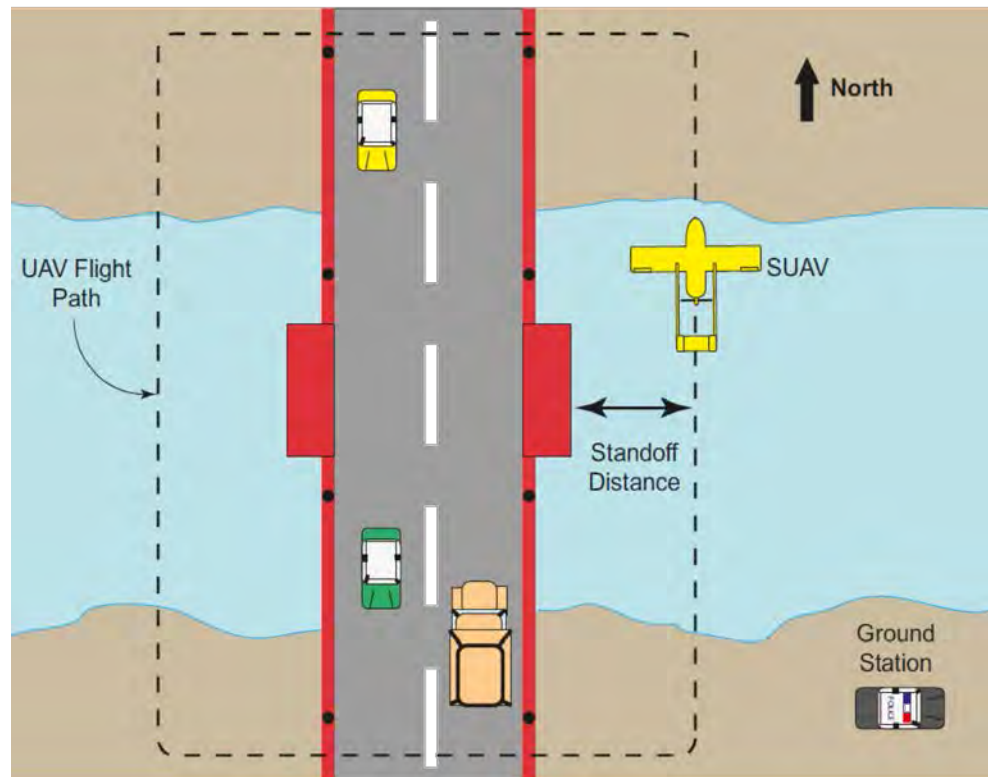


Accurate
Infrastructure DB is a
KEY ELEMENT of RAIL
and ROAD TM

HIGH INTEGRITY
required for safe
survey during
operations

Survey & Continuous
Infrastructure
Monitoring Can Benefit
from **UAV** Technologies

HIGH ACCURACY
required in post
processing

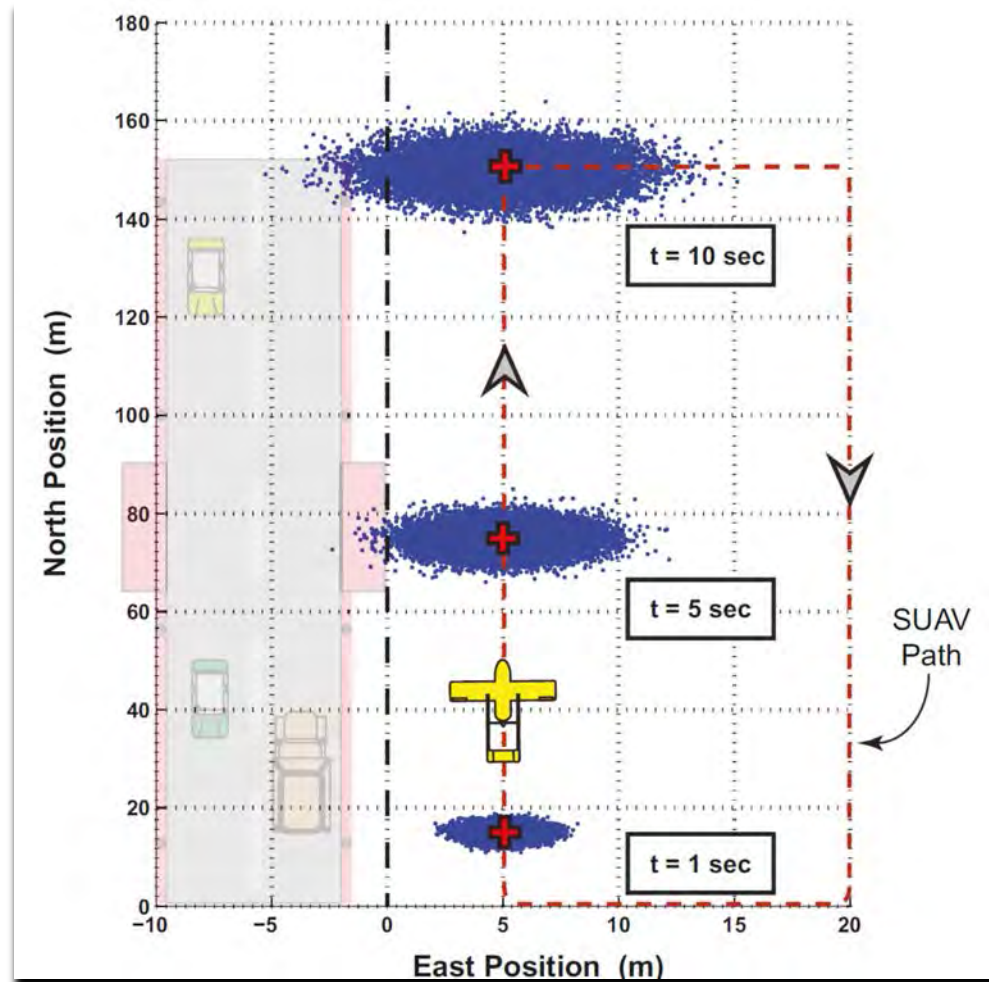


Source: Demoz
Gebre-Egziabher
Zhiqiang Xing,
*Analysis of
Unmanned Aerial
Vehicles Concept of
Operations in ITS
Applications*

Accurate
Infrastructure DB is a
KEY ELEMENT of RAIL
and ROAD TM

HIGH INTEGRITY
required for safe
survey during
operations

Source: Demoz
Gebre-Egziabher
Zhiqiang Xing,
*Analysis of
Unmanned Aerial
Vehicles Concept of
Operations in ITS
Applications*



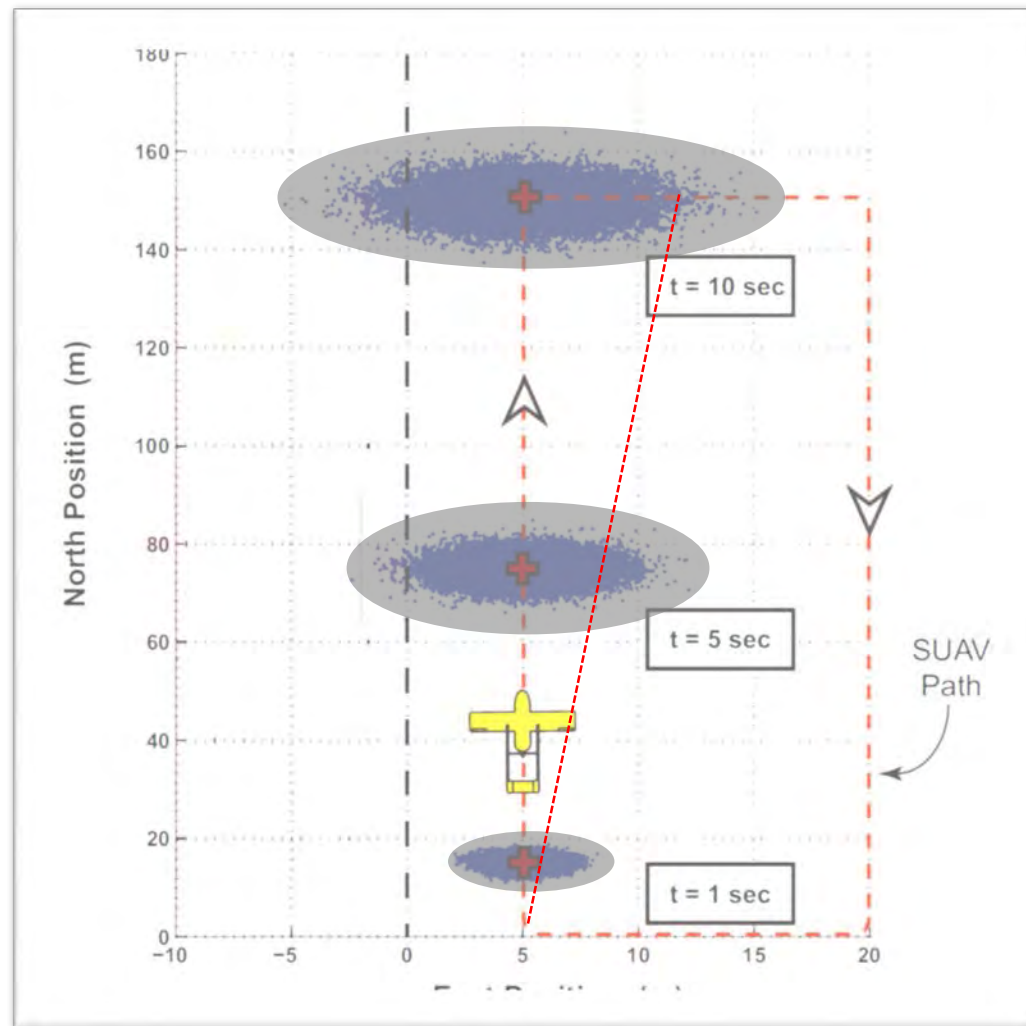
Accurate

Infrastructure DB is a
KEY ELEMENT of RAIL
and ROAD TM

HIGH INTEGRITY

required for safe
survey during
operations

Source: Demoz
Gebre-Egziabher
Zhiqiang Xing,
*Analysis of
Unmanned Aerial
Vehicles Concept of
Operations in ITS
Applications*





MAAST Simulations

**Stanford simulator
adapted to RAIL**

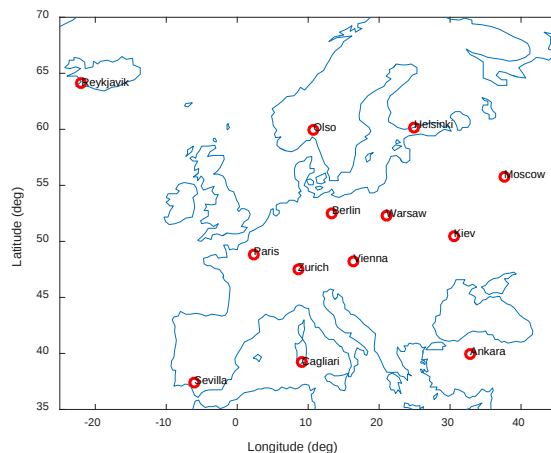


**24 GPS + 24
Galileo satellites**

Source:



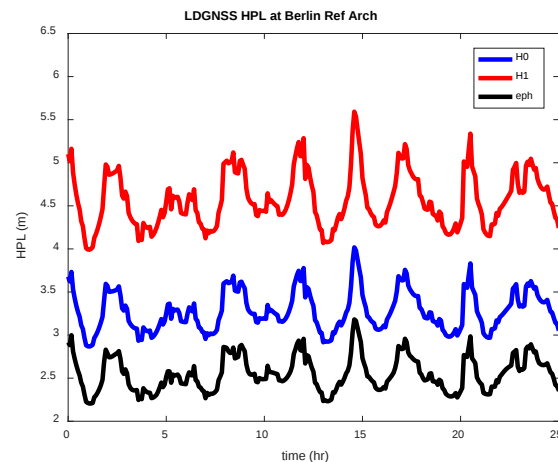
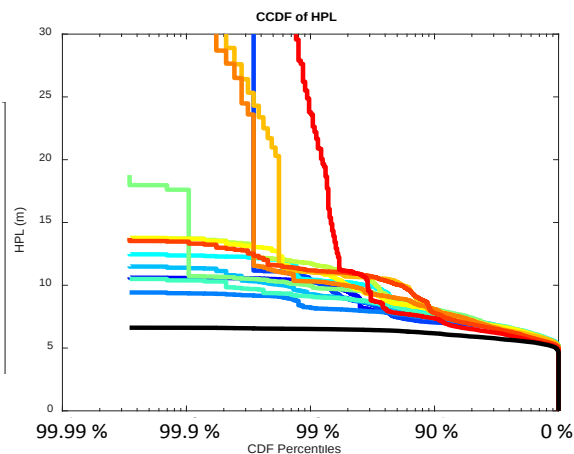
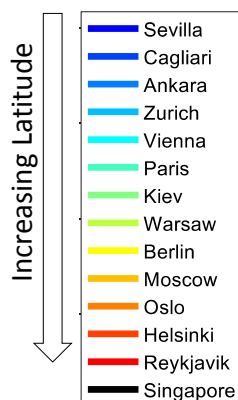
**13 European user
locations**
Singapore (on equator)
added for comparison



- SBAS monitoring reduces ephemeris HPL to insignificance,
- but other LDGNSS HPLs dominate

**L1 C/A and
E1 OS signals
only**

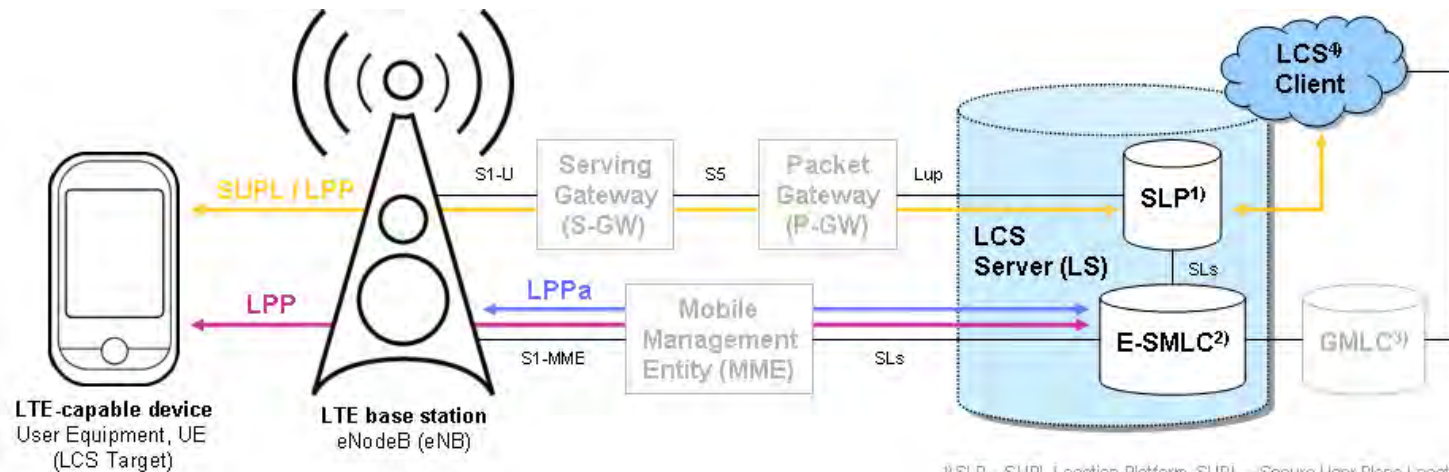
5-min updates
over 1 or 10
days





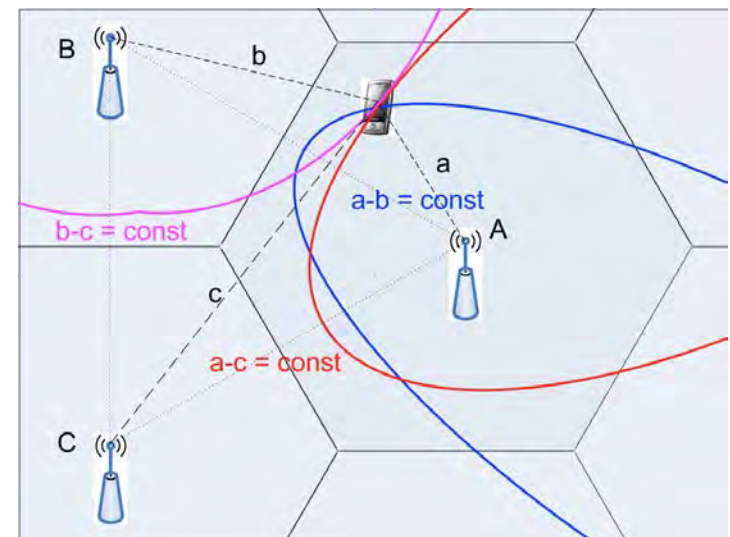
Indoor Positioning





¹⁾ SLP – SUPL Location Platform, SUPL – Secure User Plane Location
²⁾ E-SMLC – Evolved Serving Mobile Location Center
³⁾ GMLC – Gateway Mobile Location Center
⁴⁾ LCS – Location Service
⁵⁾ 3GPP TS 36.455 LTE Positioning Protocol Annex (LPPa)
⁶⁾ 3GPP TS 36.355 LTE Positioning Protocol (LPP)

- In principle the eNodeB synch signals could be used for localization
- Due to the intercell interference, only in a few cases at least 4 different signals useful for localization are available
- Thus, 3GPP introduced the Positioning Reference Signal (PRS) for measuring the Difference of Time of Arrival (DTOA)

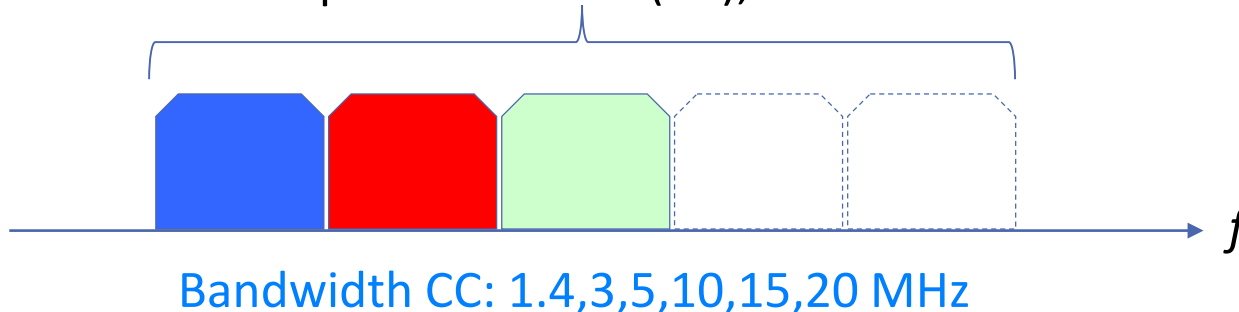




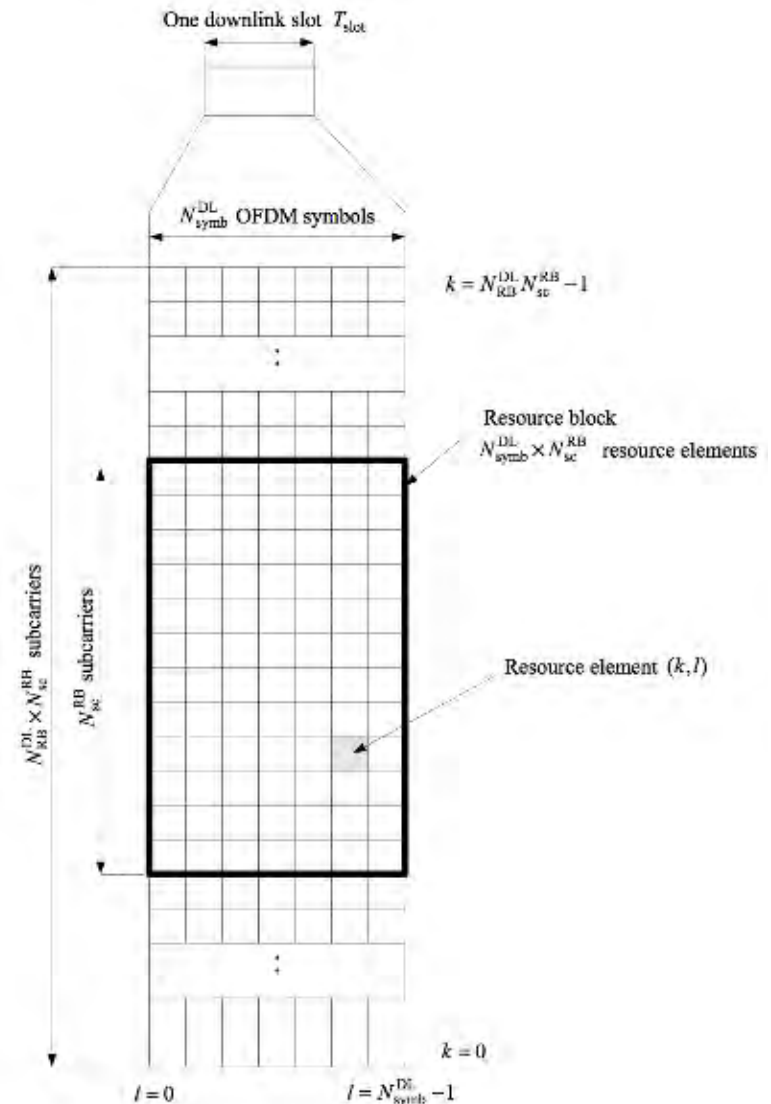
UMTS – LTE Advanced

- Very high bit rate
 - Down Link 3 Gb/s, Up Link: 1.5 Gb/s
- High spectral efficiency
 - 30 bit/(s x Hz)
- Large number of simultaneous users
- Main Functionalities
 - Carrier aggregation
 - Multiple antennas (MIMO)
 - Relay Nodes (RN).

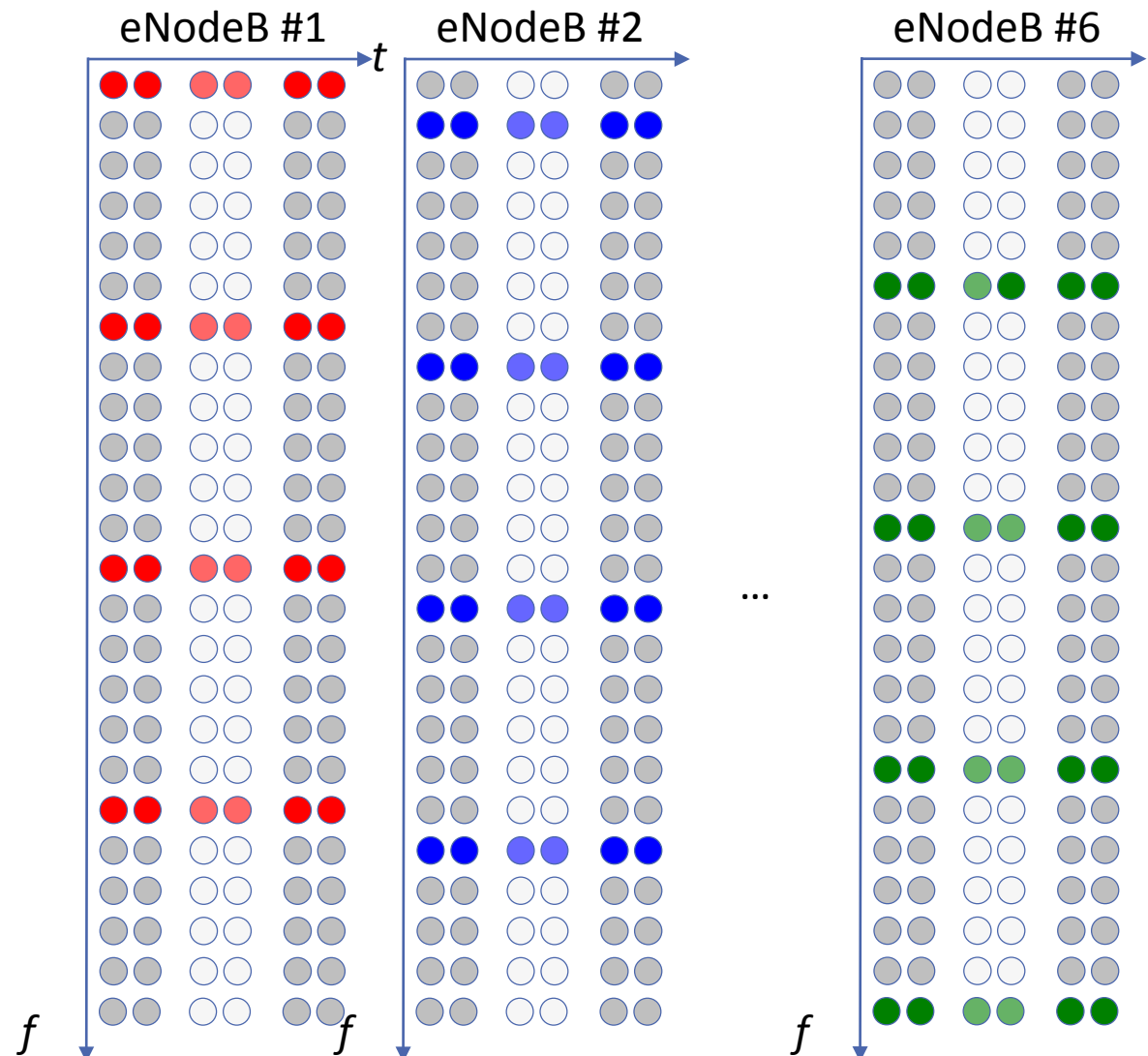
Max 5 Component Carrier (CC), Max 100 MHz



- Down link Channels
 - Physical Downlink Shared Channel, PDSCH
 - Physical Broadcast Channel, PBCH
 - Physical Multicast Channel, PMCH
 - Physical Control Format Indicator Channel, PCFICH
 - Physical Downlink Control Channel, PDCCH
 - Physical Hybrid ARQ Indicator Channel, PHICH
 - Enhanced Physical Downlink Control Channel, EPDCCH

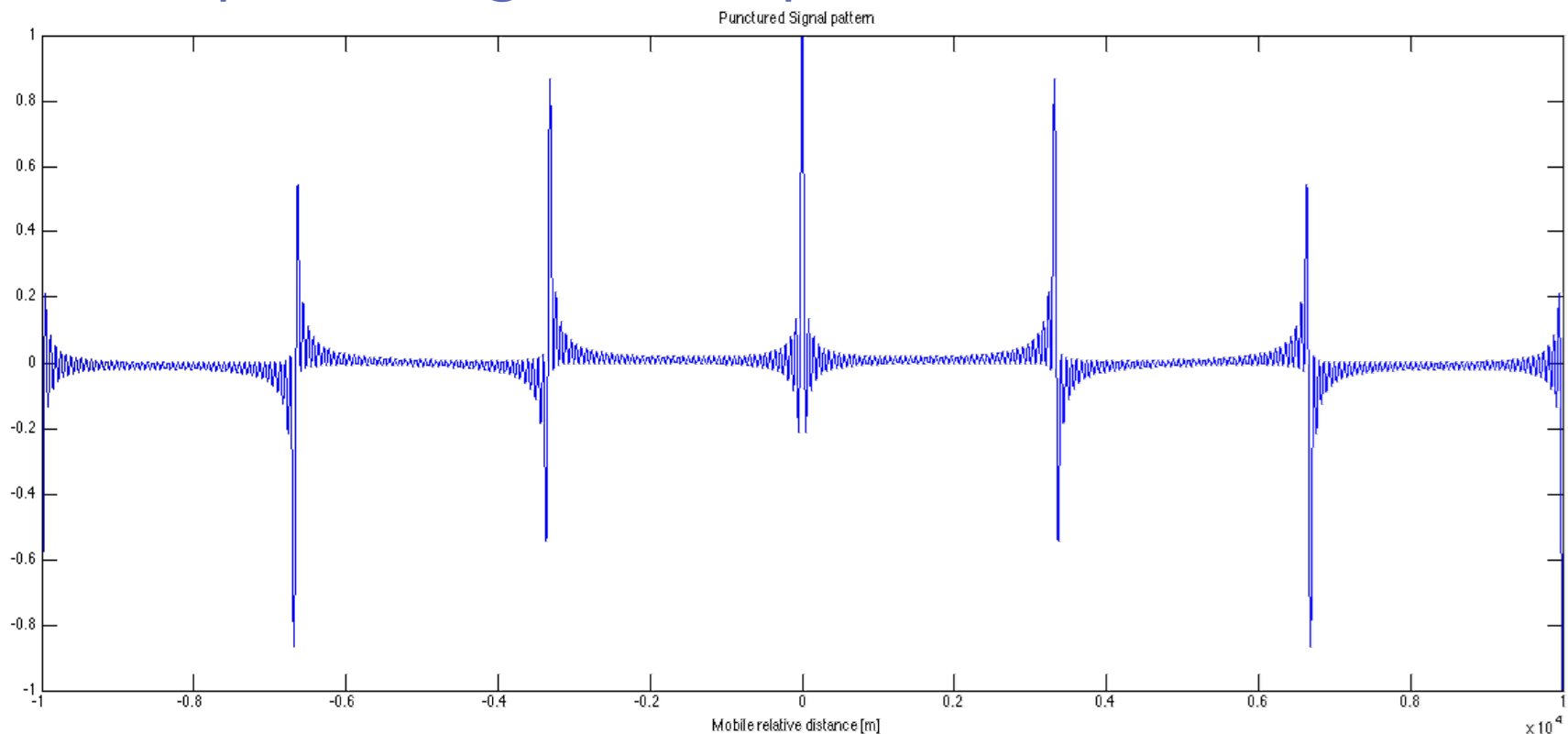


- To allow joint transmission from several eNodeB (up to 6), each node employs only an interlaced subset of the OFDM subcarriers,
- The other eNBs apply radio silence.



Outdoor: weakness

- Short ambiguity distance due to puncturing
- LOS required
- Multipath mitigation required



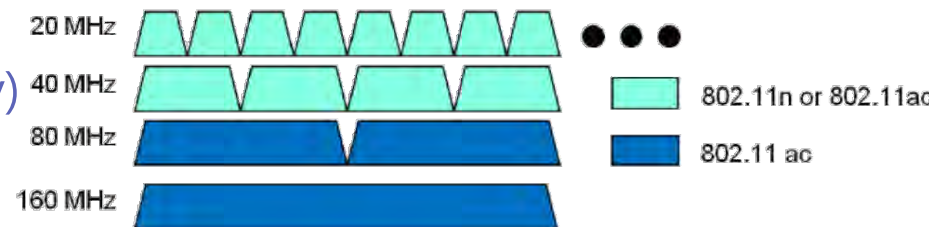
IEEE 802.11

- IEEE 802.11ac and IEEE 802.11ad adopt a Physical Layer based on WideBand OFDM

IEEE 802.11ac



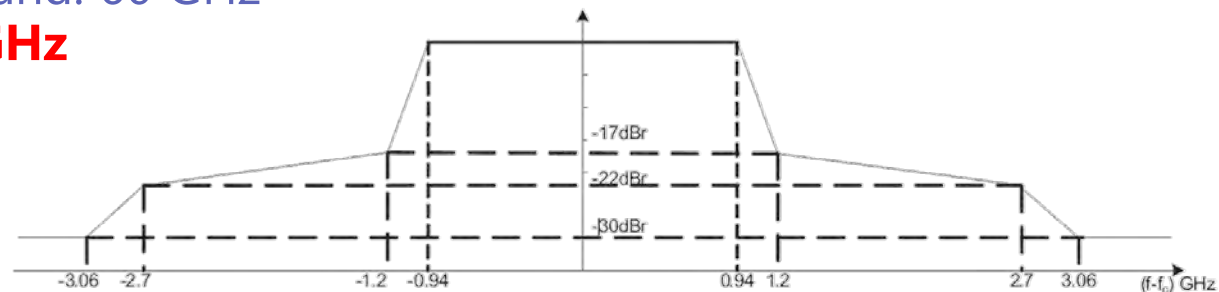
- Carrier frequency band: 5 GHz
- Bandwidth: 80 MHz (mandatory)
160 MHz (optional)



IEEE 802.11ad



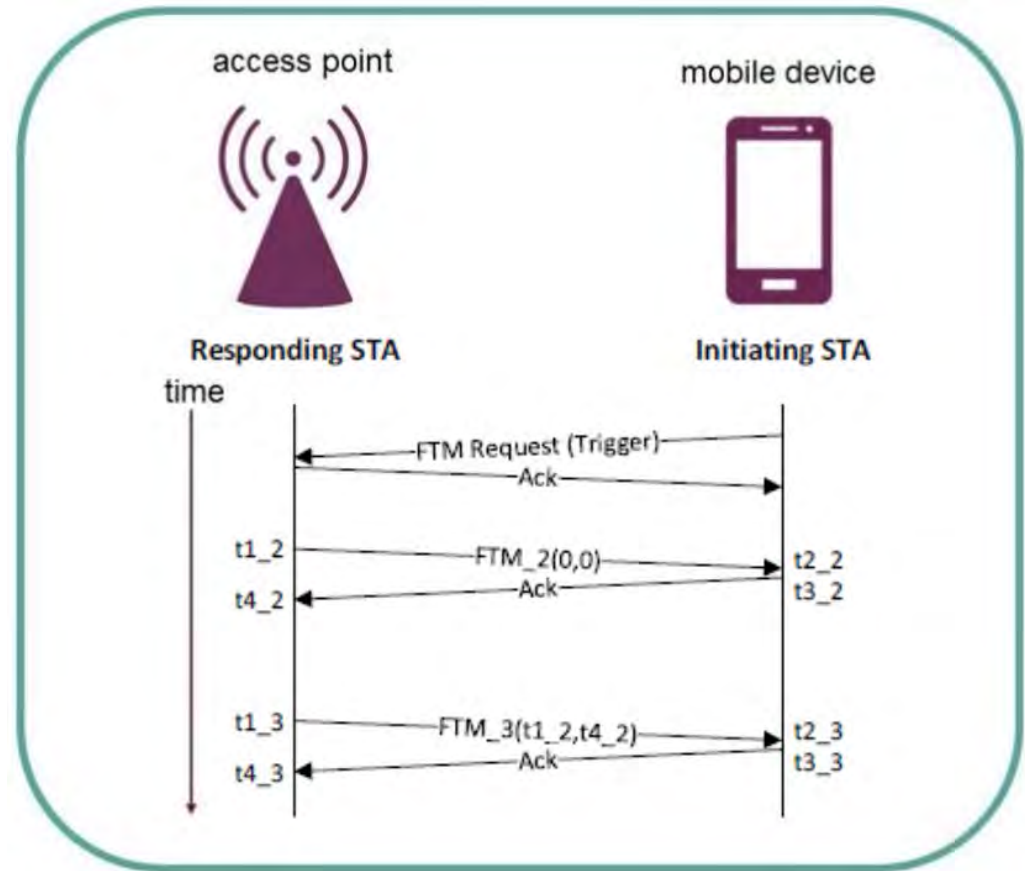
- Carrier frequency band: 60 GHz
- Bandwidth: **2.16 GHz**



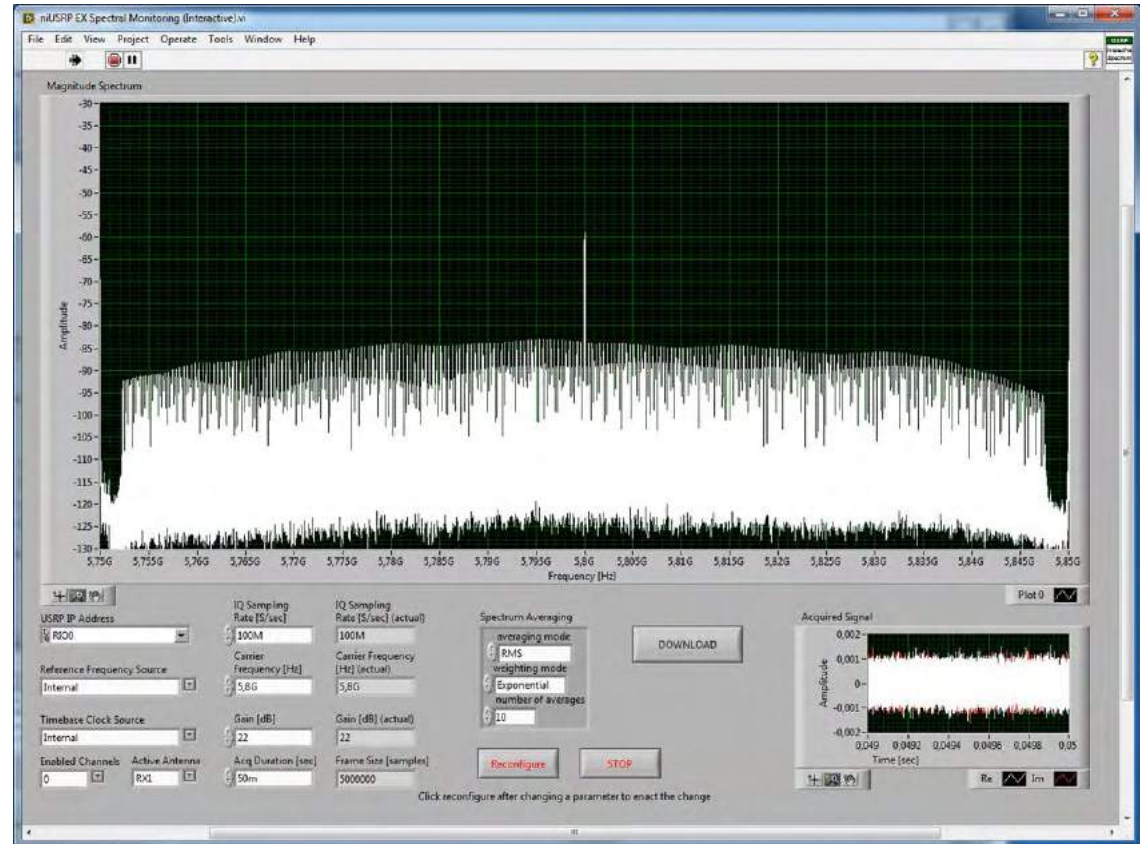
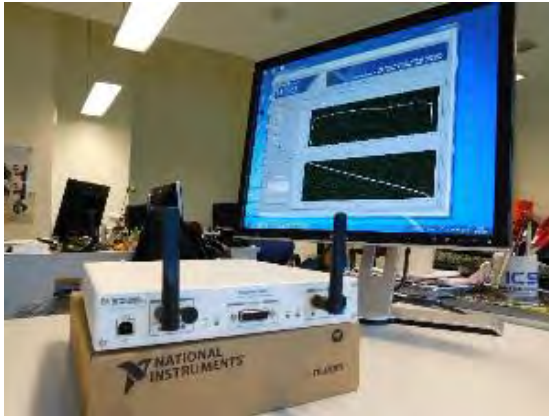
The Fine Timing Measurement has been introduced in the 802.11ad standard with the purpose to measure the **time of arrival between any two Wi-Fi stations**

Taking into accounts all the factors that can influence the measure, the **Wi-Fi alliance declares an overall location accuracy of about 1m**

Measuring the distance of a beacon at a time has a drawback...

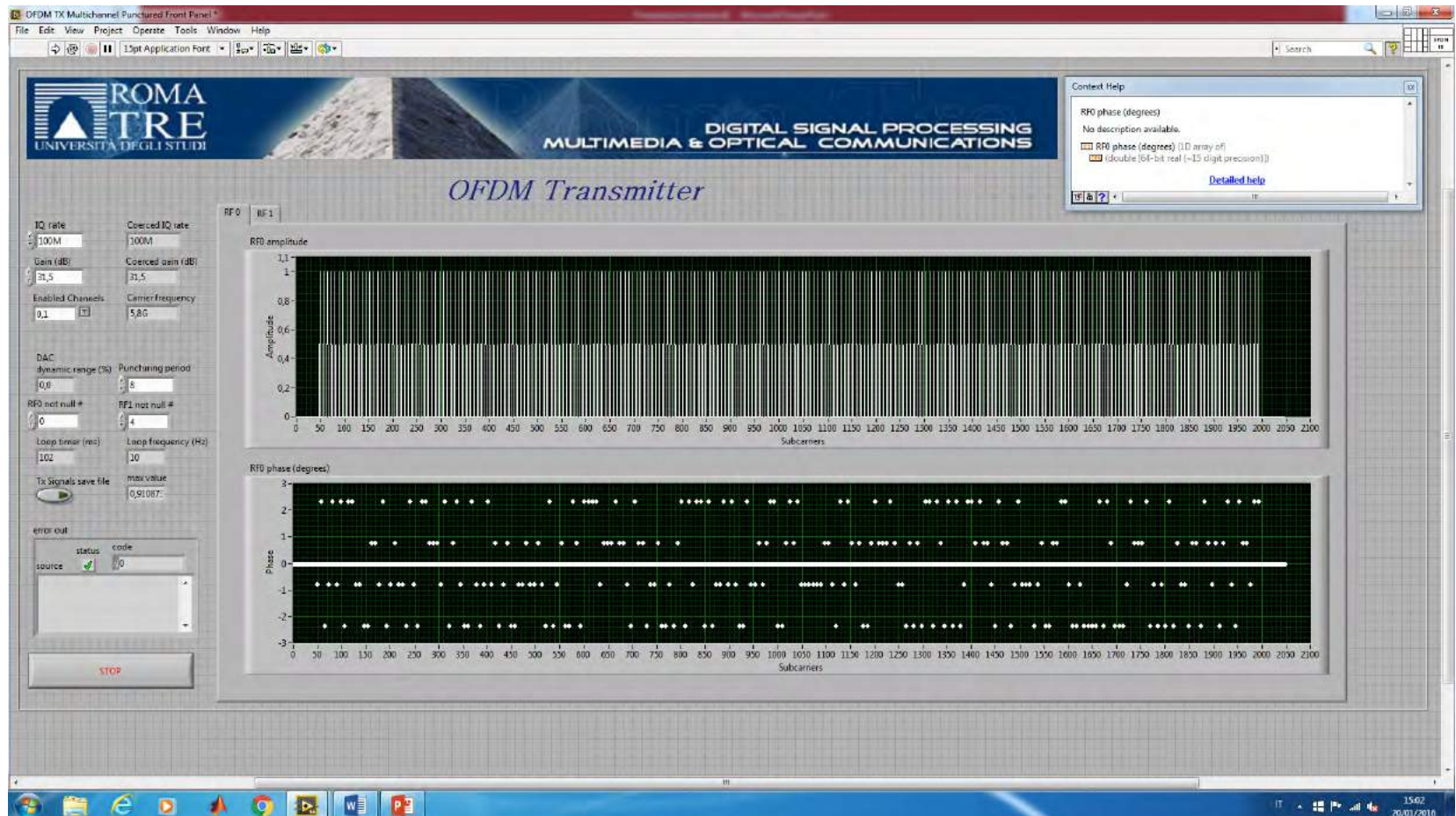


$$t_{TOA} = \frac{(t_{2_2} - t_{1_2}) + (t_{4_2} - t_{3_2})}{2}$$



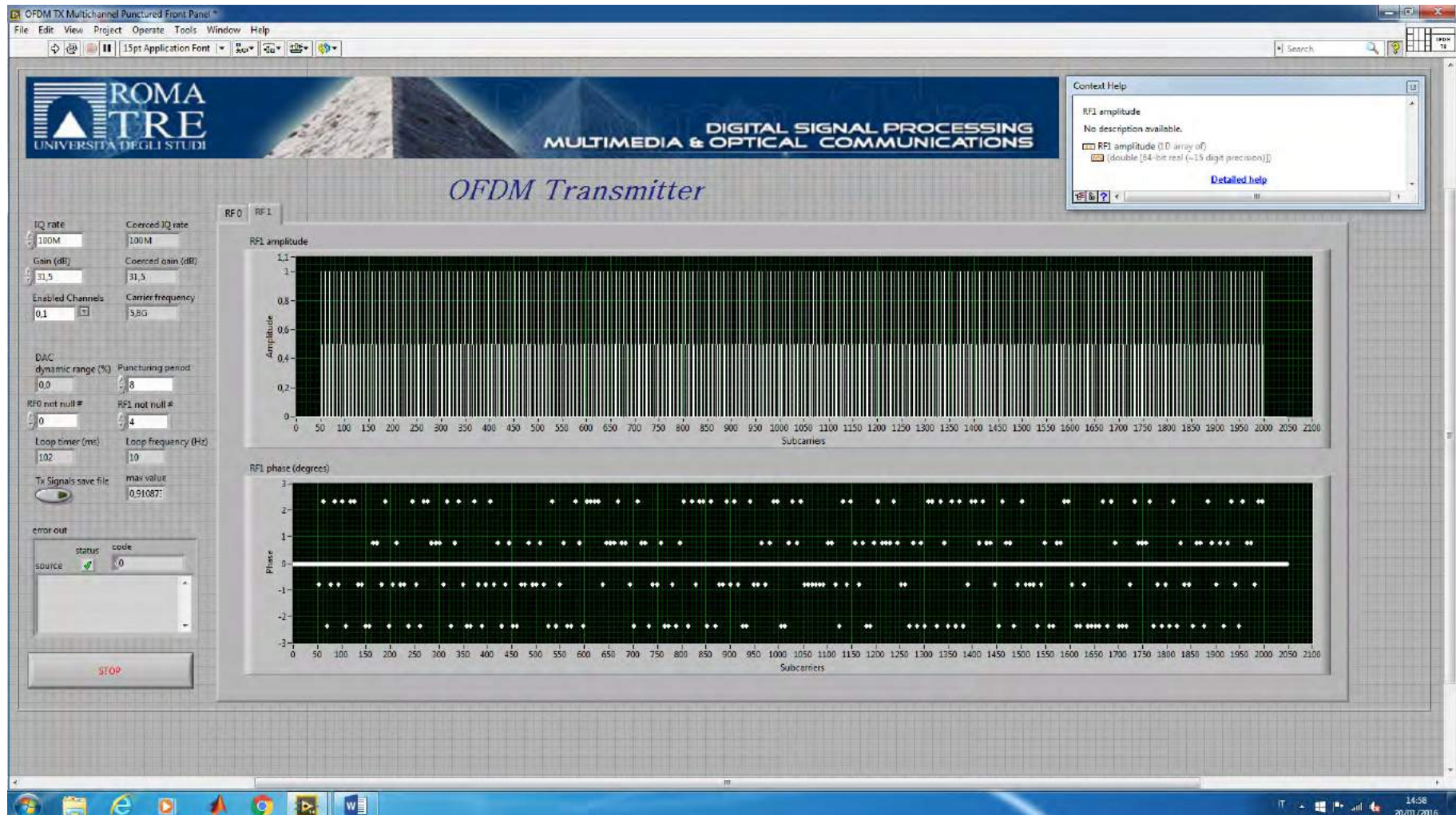
Trasmitter 1

- Signal Bandwidth: 100 MHz
- # of carriers= 2048

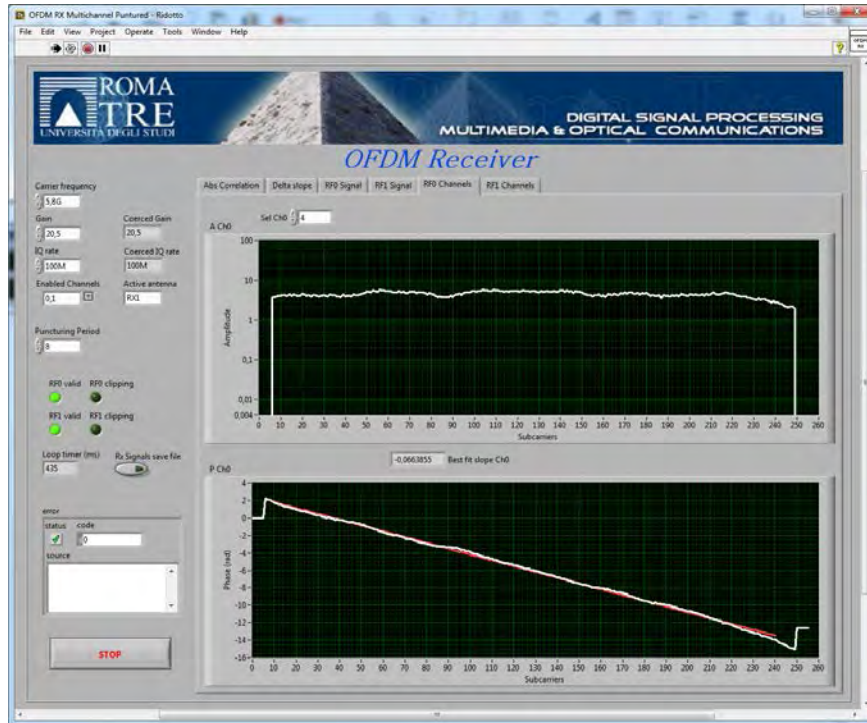


Transmitter 2

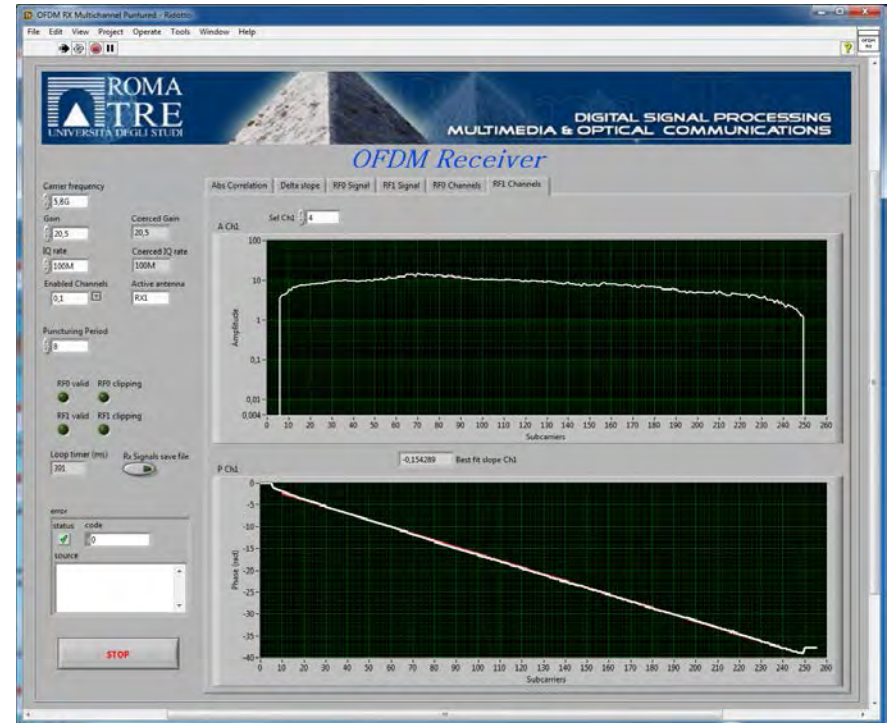
- Signal Bandwidth: 100 MHz
- # of carriers= 2048



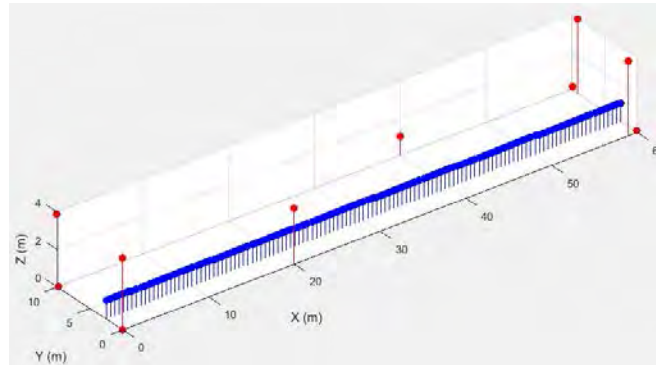
Rx #0



Rx #1



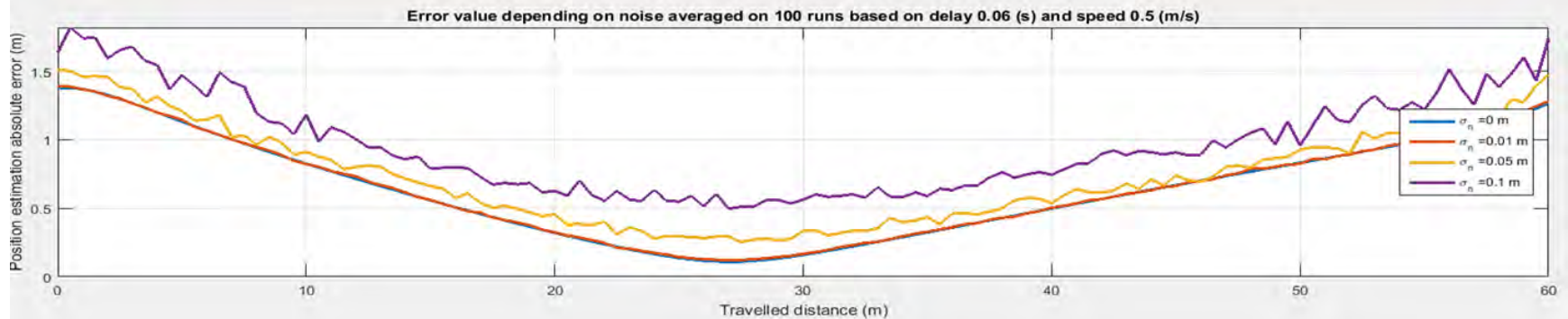
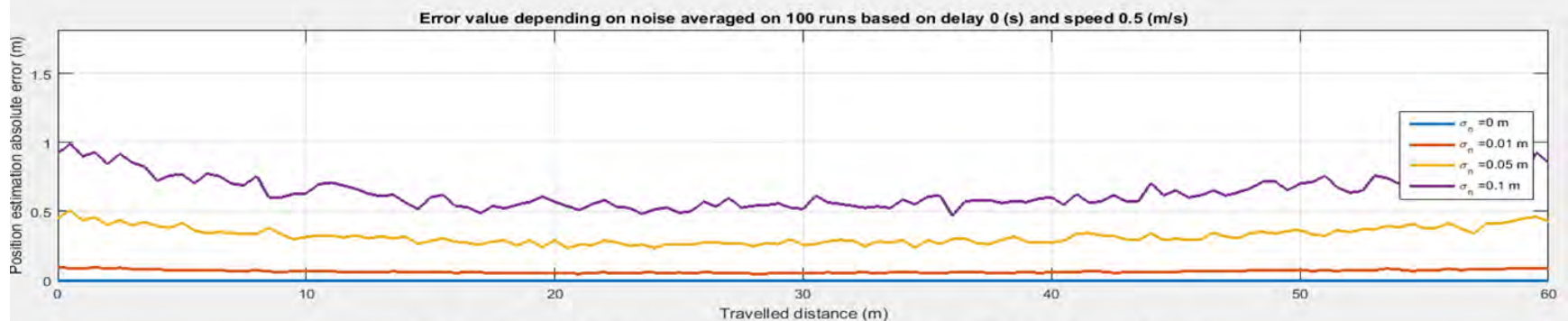
Simulator Scenario: Tunnel

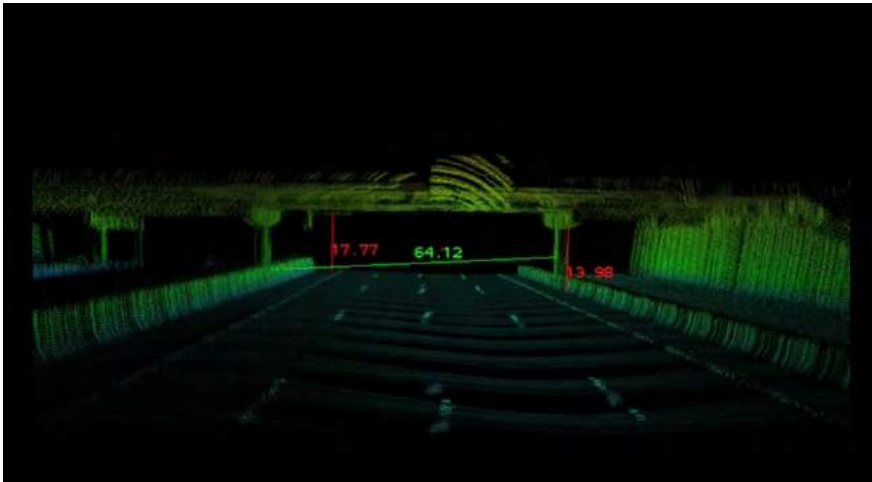


Length: 60m

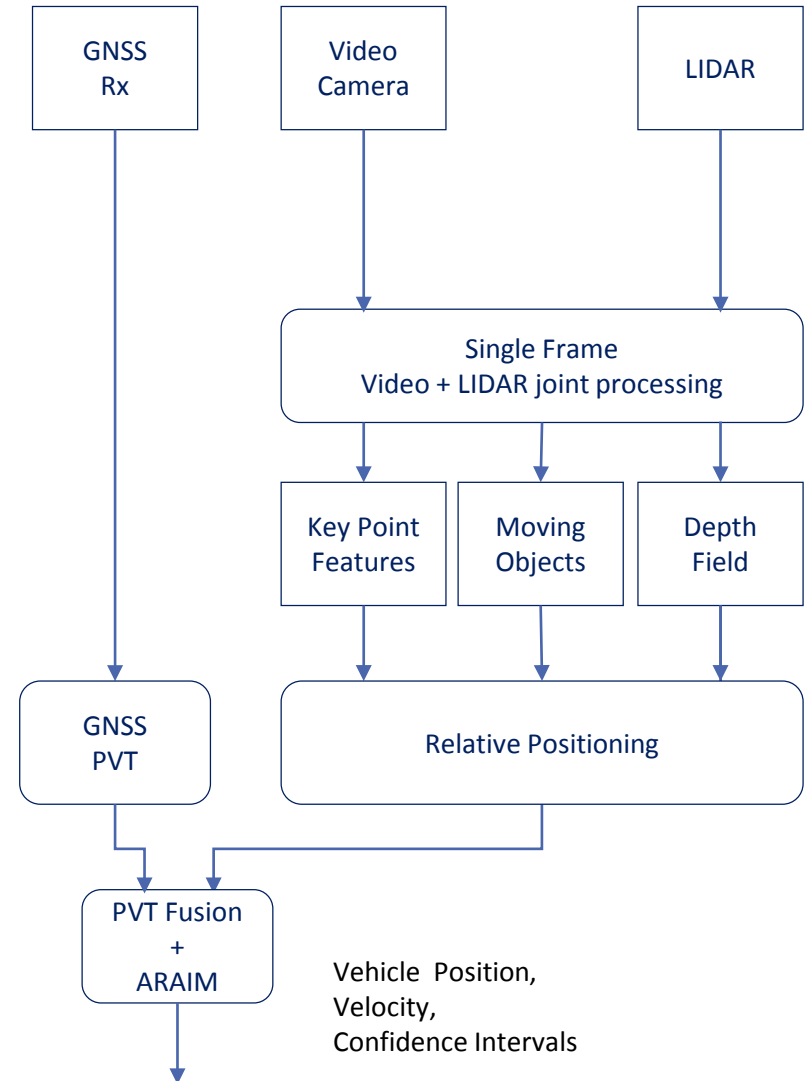
Width: 10m

Height: 4m





- A Lidar is a remote sensing system that allows to measure the distance to a target by illuminating that target with a pulsed laser light and measuring the reflected pulse with a sensor.
- A Lidar is generally based on some key components: a laser, a scanner, and a receiver.



Conclusion

1

SBAS and **LDGNSS** mitigate satellite and atmospheric anomalies

2

HPLs are mostly **driven** by **ARAIM**

3

Multipath and Presence of trees as the most impacting **Fault Source**

6

Multi-Frequency SIS integrity **monitoring** (including phase and doppler) supporting **RTK & PPP** is **required**

5

OBU multipath mitigation is **key** to making ARAIM monitoring practical

4

RTK provides good results for Start of Mission operations

7

Exploitation of **GALILEO SIS** characteristics can **boost** High **Accuracy** Location Services

8

SHARING of a unified **multimodal** Overlay Network for Location Services for Rail, Automotive, UAV is **FEASIBLE**

Thank you for your attention

