



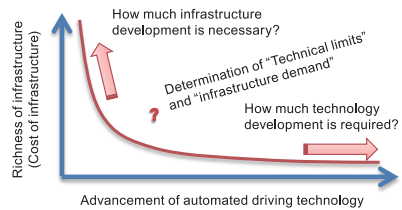
Research on recognition technologies necessary for automated driving (levels 3 and 4)

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Objective

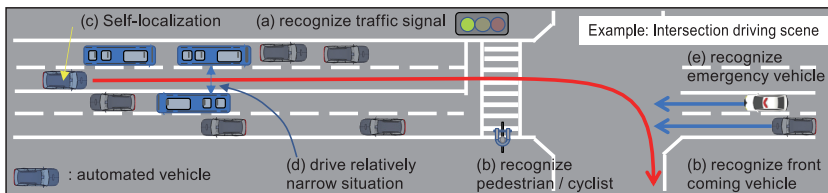
FOT project of Automated Driving system under Real city environment based on Academic Researcher's Neutral knowledge

- ❑ Level 4-equivalent autonomous driving in urban areas
 - It is necessary to have advanced perception and decision-making systems run by onboard AI, as well as infrastructure such as road facilities and communication facilities to support it
- ❑ State-of-the-art autonomous vehicle technology
 - Competition area in the industry
 - Knowledge of academia is essential
- ❑ Determination of technical and infrastructure demand



Project Summary

Determine installation and maintenance demand for infrastructure-supported sensors during automated driving through real vehicle experiments and utilization of realistic simulator



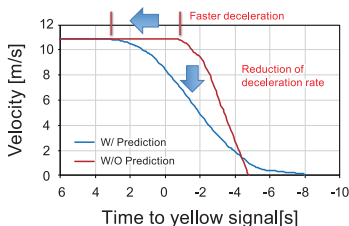
- Development of traffic light recognition
 - The recognition rate of 99% was achieved.

Scenes where recognition is difficult were confirmed in public road driving tests

- ◆ Occlusion, Night, Sunshine, Background assimilation



- Evaluating the effectiveness of V2I/N2N
 - Reduction of deceleration in the dilemma zone using remaining signal time.



- Verification of simulators and scenarios in cooperation with SAKURA/DIVP
 - Recreating scenes that make recognition difficult using DIVP simulator.

Traffic light recognition in rainy conditions

- ◆ Real-world environment
 - No effect due to rainfall of a few mm/h under the experimental condition
- ◆ Simulation environment
 - Confirmation of poor recognition due to raindrops



Example of simulation image in rainy condition

- Demonstration experiment at Tokyo waterfront area and Kanazawa-city

Public road testing at Tokyo waterfront

- ◆ Number of driving days: 182 days
- ◆ Total mileage of autonomous driving: 3,212.8km (As of the record from FY2019 to 2021)



Public road demonstration at Tokyo waterfront area