

WisDOT Law Enforcement and First Responder Connected and Automated Vehicle (CAV) training for

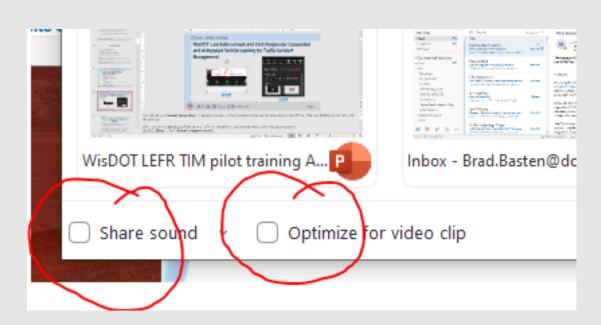
Traffic Incident Management (TIM)

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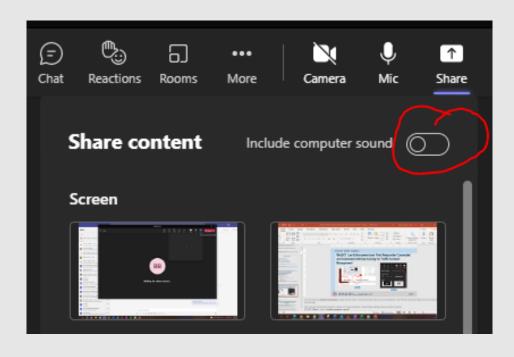
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Introduction

WisDOT Law Enforcement and First Responder Connected and Automated Vehicle training for Traffic Incident Management (TIM)

- WisDOT partners are committed to coordinating and preparing law enforcement and first responders for the safe introduction of CAVs
- Emerging technologies can enhance safety with necessary transportation improvements and proper management of operations
- Contact information is included at the end of the course for questions or comments



Introduction

Training topics

- What is connected and automated vehicle (CAV) technology?
- Why is CAV important for safe roads?
- Which CAV technologies are on Wisconsin roads right now?
- What is the legal status of this technology in Wisconsin?
- What is the future of this technology?
- Who can I contact if I have additional questions?
- Are there additional resources I can read or watch?



Automated Vehicle (AV)

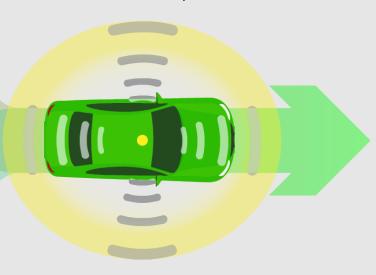
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Connected Vehicle (CV)

Communicates with nearby vehicles and infrastructure



Leverages automated and connected vehicle capabilities























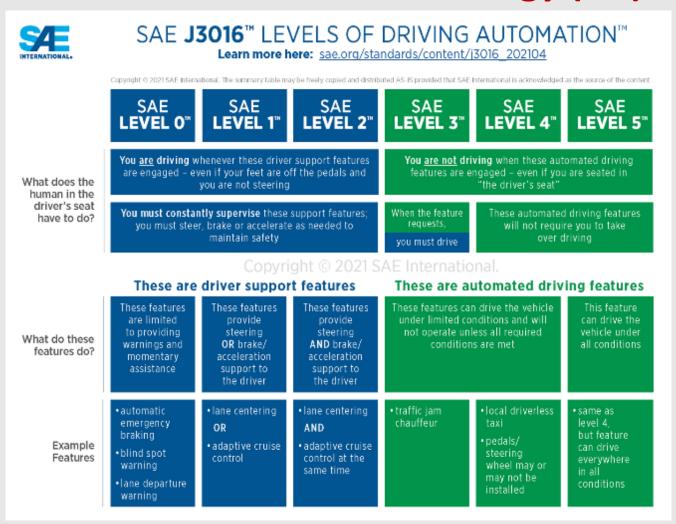
Automated Vehicle (AV) Technology Central Computer **Sensor Fusion** Engine CAMERA GPS LiDAR **RADAR ULTRASONIC SENSORS** Cell/ Satellite Technology

Automated technology

- Automated technology can perform some or all of the driving tasks to varying degrees.
- Helps drivers avoid drifting into adjacent lanes, make unsafe lane changes or can warn of pedestrians or cars when backing up.



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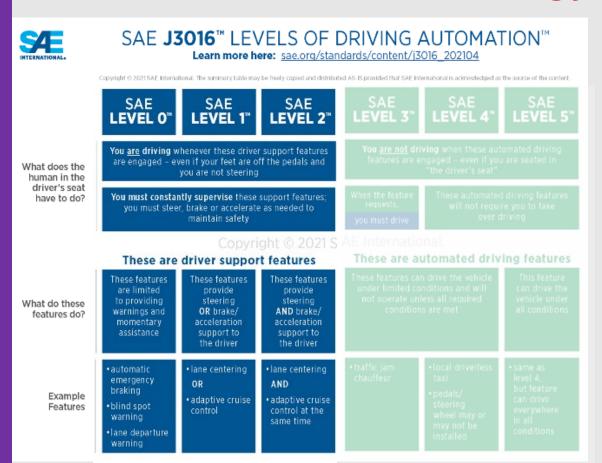








Automated Vehicle Technology (AV) – with a driver



- Vehicles with *level 0* automation include a *warning* system such as blind spot warning or lane departure warning.
- At level 1 automation, vehicles include at least one driver support system such as steering assistance or braking and acceleration assistance.
- Vehicles with *level 2* automation **synchronize** the functionality of steering, braking and acceleration, lane centering and adaptive cruise control.
- **You** are driving.











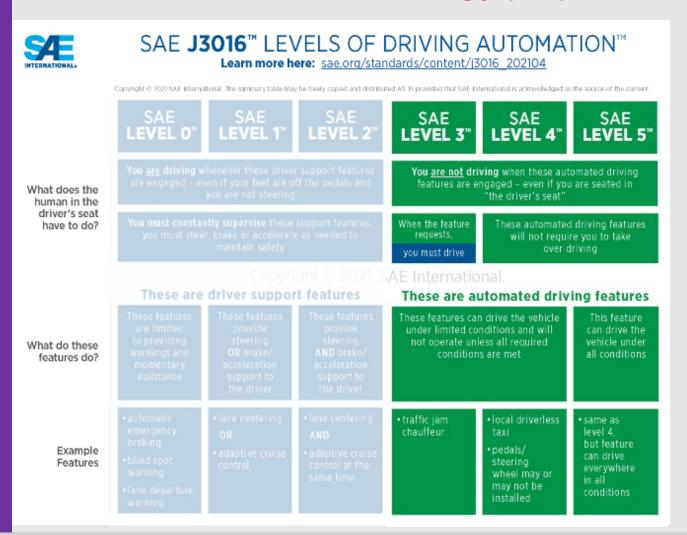








Automated Vehicle Technology (AV) – with a driver, without a driver



- At level 3 the automated features can drive the vehicle however, it requires a person in the driver's seat ready to take over driving if necessary.
- Level 4 vehicles can drive themselves within certain geographic, weather or conditional limits. Sometimes referred to as driverless or self-driving vehicles.
- Level 5 vehicles can drive themselves without any limitations.











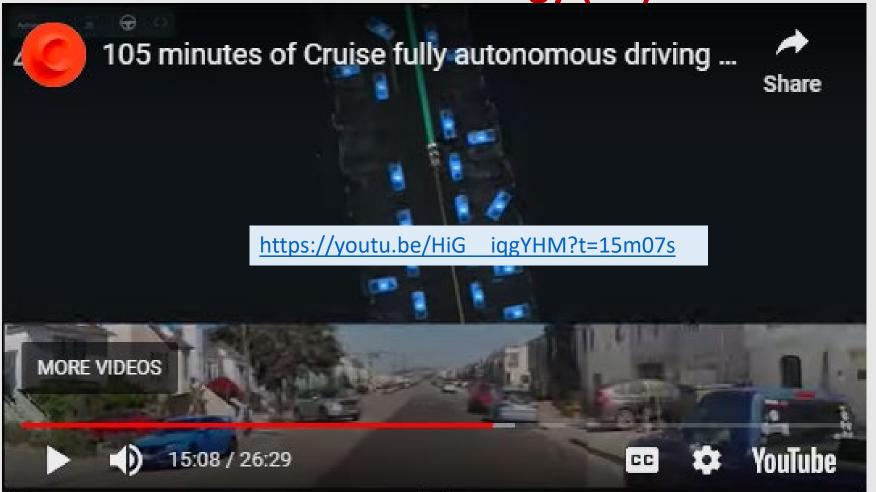








Automated Vehicle Technology (AV) – demonstration



Video of Cruise fully autonomous vehicle driving in San Francisco

- Sensors have 360degree view around vehicle
- Vehicle anticipates the movements of vehicles, pedestrians, bicycles and other obstacles, and adjusts course based on this data.

Source: https://www.youtube.com/user/Cruise/







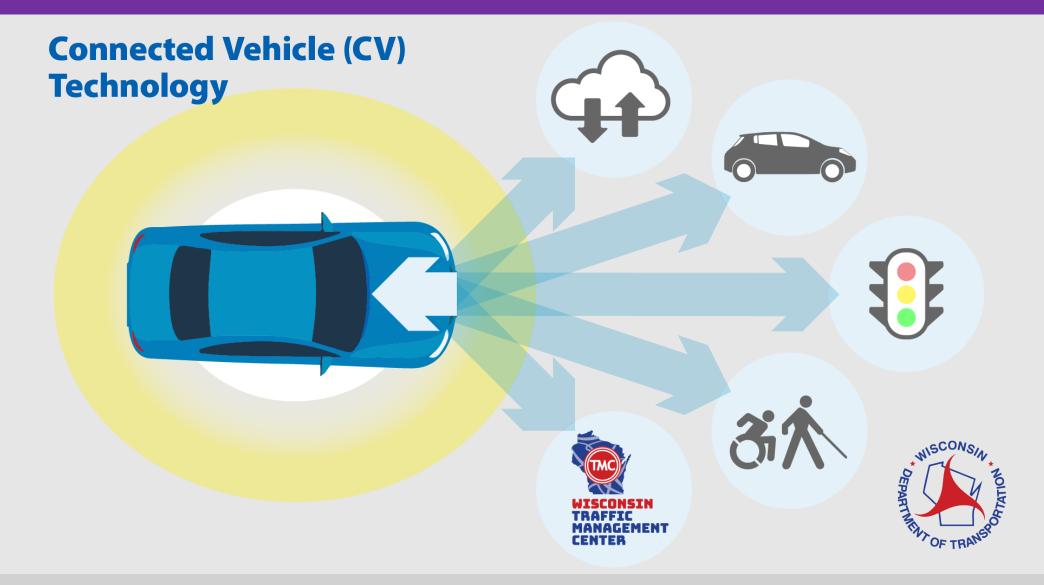
















Connected Vehicle (CV) Technology



Connected vehicles will be able to communicate with, for example;

- other vehicles,
- pedestrians,
- bicyclists and
- intelligent traffic signals
- cloud services







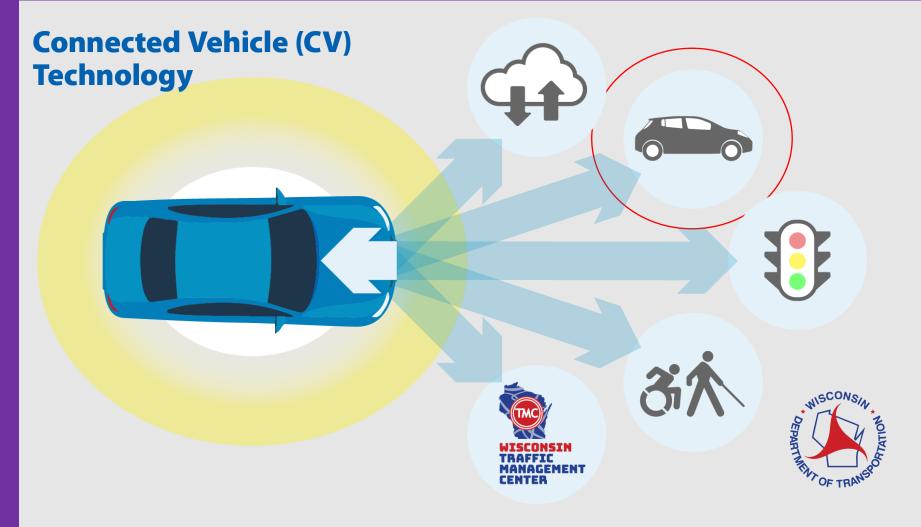












Vehicle to Vehicle (V2V)

- Allows vehicles to communicate with each other using radio or cellular communication.
- Vehicles can exchange critical information such as slippery pavement, emergency vehicle approaching, or emergency braking activation.









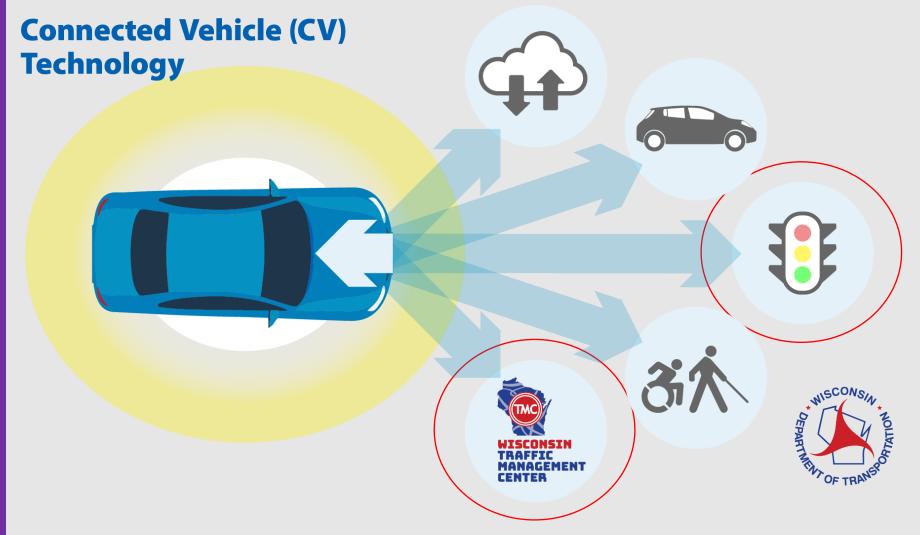












Vehicle to Infrastructure (V2I)

- Allows a vehicle to communicate with the system about what's going on in traffic and get messages about road conditions.
- Alerts vehicles to congestion, crashes or detours.











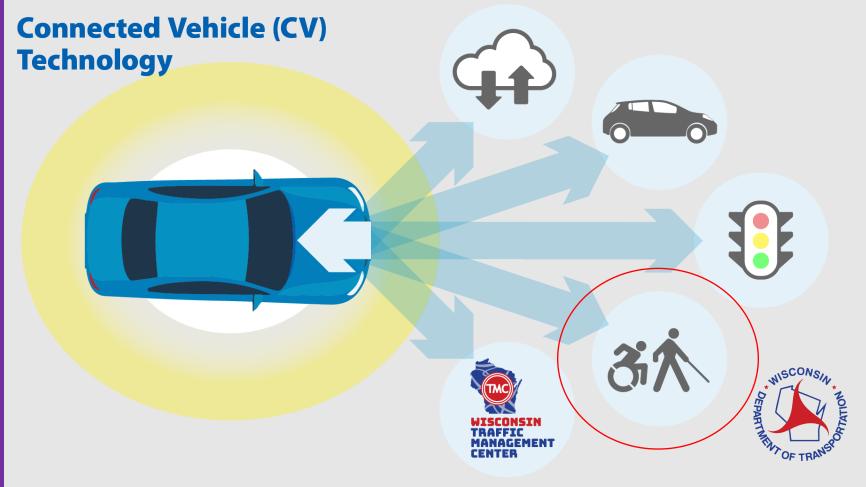












Vehicle to Pedestrian (V2P)

- Alerts vehicle to the presence of a pedestrian and pedestrian to the presence of the vehicle.
- Alerts pedestrian that a car driving too fast is coming into intersection or alerts vehicle of pedestrian in the intersection.







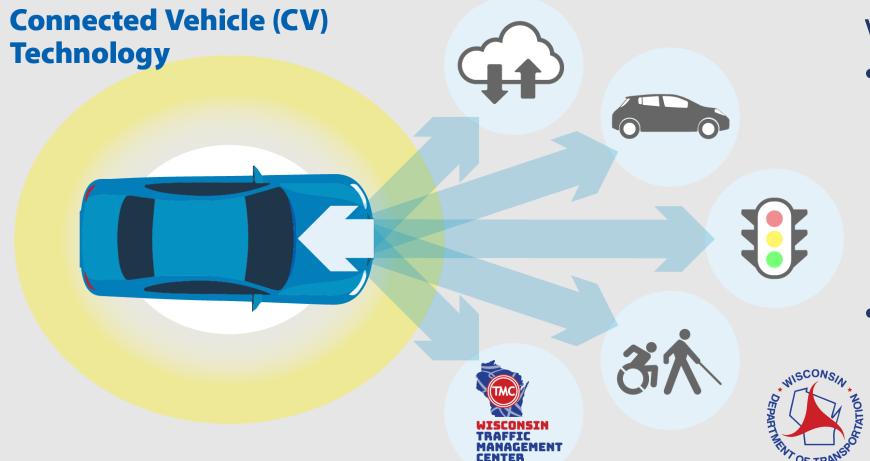












Vehicle to Everything (V2X)

- **Encompasses all** communication modes with dedicated short-range radio (DSRC) or cellular communication to provide a wide range of information.
- Provides updated maps, advance warning of upcoming road hazards, or improvements to vehicle software.



















Platooning



Truck Platooning is a specific vehicle-to-vehicle connected technology which allows vehicles to coordinate braking, acceleration and eventually steering.

Source: U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal Highway Administration

















Platooning



Platooning

- Platooning is legal in the state of Wisconsin with a driver in the driver's seat of each vehicle
- Platooning vehicles travel very closely together
- Platooning vehicles are not visibly marked
- Platooning vehicles always communicate with each other
- If a car or motorcycle slips between two platooning vehicles, the platooning vehicles adjust their distance until the car or motorcycle moves on.
- Passenger car platooning is also legal in Wisconsin but is not available on production cars at this time

















Automated Vehicle (AV)

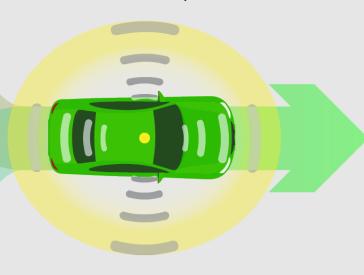
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Connected Automated Vehicle (CAV)

Combines connectivity and automated technologies to assist or replace humans in the task of driving.

























- Chapter 340.01 (41) "operator" means a person who drives or is in actual physical control of a vehicle.
- 343.305 (1)(b) "Drive" means the exercise of physical control over the speed and direction of a motor vehicle while it is in motion.
- 343.305 (1)(c) "Operate" means the physical manipulation or activation of any of the controls of a motor vehicle necessary to put it in motion.

Note: State statute references accurate as of publish date, 11/02/2022



















- A human being must be in actual physical control of a vehicle in order to control the speed and direction of the vehicle while it is in motion.
- Operator or driver is responsible for the appropriate and safe operation of the vehicle while driving the vehicle.
- This includes:
 - the use of any technology with which the vehicle is equipped
 - any malfunction of the vehicle
 - adherence with current state law and the Rules-of-the-Road



















- This analysis will likely not completely cover all future CAV scenarios given gaps in the Wisconsin Statutes relative to this emerging technology.
- Law enforcement contact with drivers will need to be handled on a case-by-case basis unless and until the Wisconsin Statutes are revised to address such technology.

















Platooning

- Chapter 346.14, Distance between vehicles does not apply to an operator of a vehicle in a *platoon* other than the lead vehicle.
- Platoon A group of individual motor vehicles traveling in a unified manner at *electronically* coordinated speeds.

















Automated technology components are present in many vehicles manufactured in the last five years and are on the road right now.













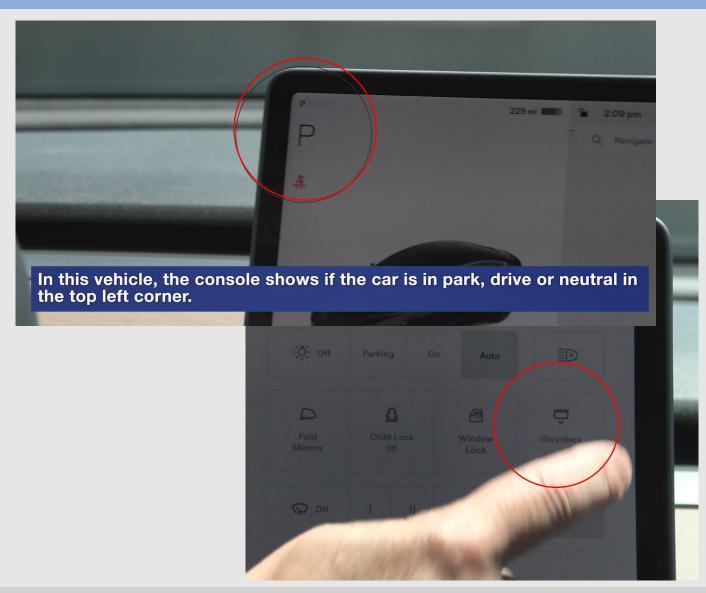






- Your general procedures for stopping a vehicle will not change.
- Chapter 346 refers to driver or operator in all relevant statutes.
- responsible for the appropriate and safe operation of the vehicle while driving it. This includes the use of any technology the vehicle is equipped with, any malfunctions of the vehicle, and adherence with current state law and the Rules-of-the-Road.





- Our general procedures for stopping a vehicle will not change.
- Vehicles may use different methods to be placed into PARK.
- Opening a glove box might also require the use of the touchscreen.









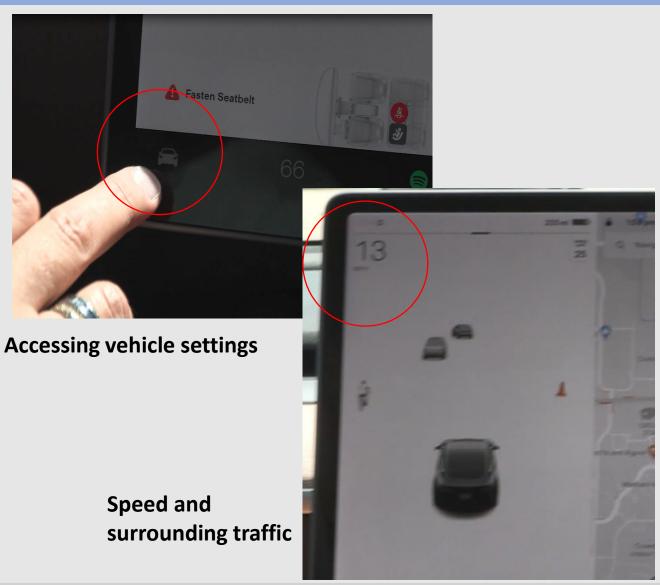












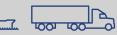
- The vehicle may recognize the driver walking up to the vehicle through a cell phone or keycard, important when securing a vehicle.
- Vehicle speed may be displayed on the touchscreen.
- Sensors can show a wide view around the vehicle even if the driver isn't looking at the side or rear-view mirror. The sensors can distinguish cars, people and traffic lights.















Level 2 (legal in WI) **Automated Driving Assist Systems (ADAS)**

- on the road today

Capabilities

- adaptive cruise control (ACC)
 - keeps a set distance
- acceleration
- braking and emergency braking
- lane keep

Does NOT recognize emergency vehicles by design The driver must watch for emergency vehicles

Examples

Tesla *Autopilot* GM Super Cruise Mercedes Drive Pilot Toyota *Advanced Drive*

Level 4 (not legal in WI without a driver) **Automated Driving Systems (ADS)**

- not on the road in WI currently

Capabilities of Level 2 plus:

- navigation
- lane changing
- stop signs and stop lights
- left and right turns
- pedestrian recognition

Recognizes emergency vehicles by design The vehicle ADS watches and responds to emergency vehicle lights

Examples

Tesla Full Self-Driving beta Waymo *One* - taxi

Cruise (GM) - taxi

Trucking: Waymo Via

Embark Trucking Aurora Innovation Note: Level 4 systems are usually restricted to a digitally mapped geo-fenced area or certain driving conditions like top speed or restricted access highways.

Note: Information may cease to be accurate due to future technological advances or legal changes.







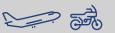














The driver is responsible for the appropriate and safe operation of the vehicle.

This driver was cited for inattentive driving.

In Wisconsin, there must be a licensed driver behind the wheel and in control of the vehicle.

Source: WISN-TV Milwaukee, All Rights Reserved























Automated vehicles can:

- recognize emergency vehicles and pull over to yield as they pass
- recognize they are the subject of a traffic stop and pull over to a safe location

If the vehicle is open, the officer can communicate with the vehicle's remote support team through internal microphones.

Or, the manufacturer's remote support team phone number can be found on visor card – provided.

In Wisconsin there must be a licensed driver behind the wheel and in control of the vehicle.



















Platooning

- Commercial Motor Vehicle driver must hold a valid commercial driver license.
- If any commercial motor vehicle in a platoon violates rules of the road, you would stop the vehicle as usual.
- If you stop a vehicle following too closely, you can ask the driver if the vehicle is part of a platoon.
- When in doubt, remember that all vehicles must follow rules of the road











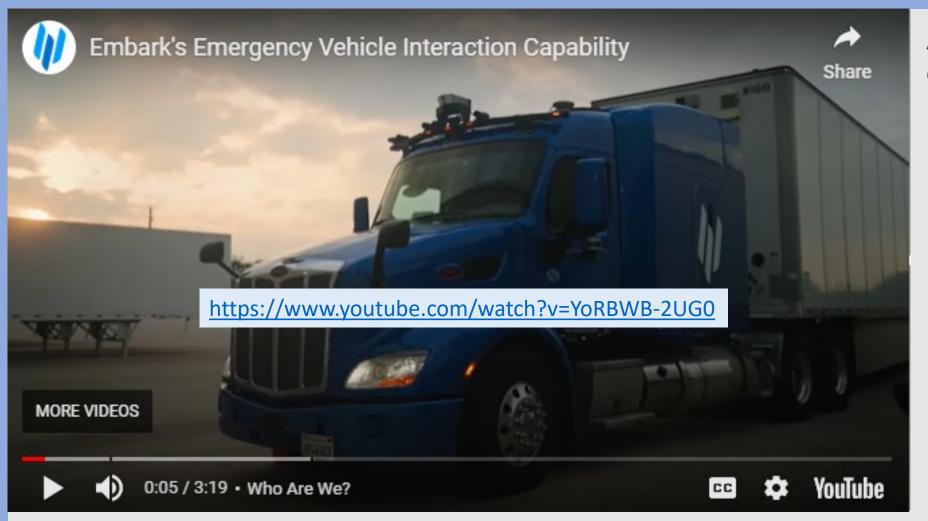












AV commercial motor carriers

- Bill of Lading permits and certifications may be accessible by external lock-boxes on cabs.
- Manufacturer's operations support phone numbers may be listed on the outside of truck cabs.

Source: Embark Trucks, Embark - YouTube

















What we don't know...the technology and legal framework continue to advance

- How to track automated driving assist system (ADAS) features or automated driving systems(ADS) in Vehicle Identification Numbers
- How to record automated driving features on crash report formatted fields
- Comprehensive chart showing how to disengage ADS on every car model
- How to verify ADS was on during a crash vs ADS turned over control to driver
- Level 3: reasonable time needed to turn over driving functions from ADS to driver
- How to identify platooning trucks while in motion
- How to direct a driverless car with hand signals or verbal commands during traffic control



First Responder scenarios and process

- AVs will respond to emergency lights and sirens.
- AVs WILL NOT respond to hand gestures, flagmen signs, impromptu detour signs, audible commands (at this time).
- AVs **WILL** respond to large objects or persons placed in their path.

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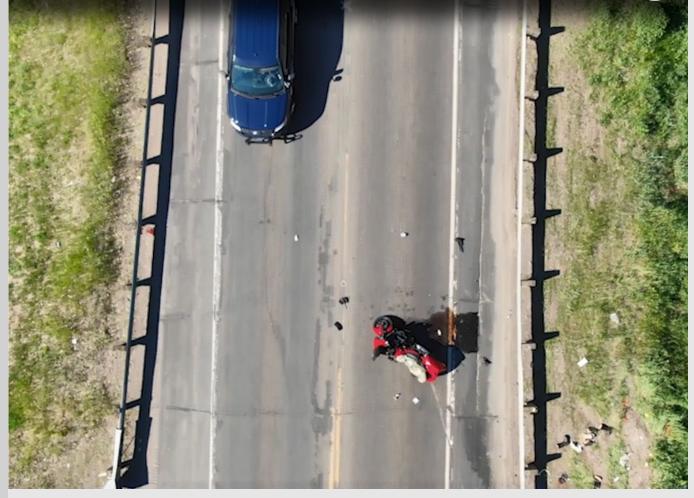








Law Enforcement Fire and Emergency Towing Services



In Wisconsin there must be a licensed driver behind the wheel and in control of the vehicle.

- What would you do if you encountered a driverless vehicle that has crashed?
- If air bag is deployed or a door is open, vehicle will not move.
 Note: most driverless taxis can automatically close their doors.
- Contact the vehicle manufacturer using the dedicated toll-free telephone number.
- Manufacturer will assist in securing the vehicle.
- Manufacturer telephone numbers are included in handouts.

















Visor card of AV manufacturers

manufacturers below to secure the vehicle. Hybrid and electric vehicles may manufacturers below to secure the vehicle. powertrain is energized. Lack of engine noise does not mean the vehicle is off.

Tesla

877-798-3752

Roadside Assistance. Please provide:

- Vehicle Identification Number
- Exact location
- Nature of Problem

Cruise

888-662-7103

The Cruise critical response line is staffed by an escalation team that is ready to response non-emergency events and inquiries. Please provide:

- Reason for call
- Vehicle name (located at the front hood, rear hatch, right and left rear quarter r
- Geographic location information

Waymo Chrysler Pacifica or Jaguar I-PACE

877-503-0840

Toll-free 24-hour telephone hotline dedicated to police, fire departments, and other Communicate directly with Waymo's specialists at any time during vehicle testing ar

What would you do if you encountered a semi-automated or **driverless vehicle?** e.g., a driver sleeping behind the wheel

- Automated vehicles in motion will respond to a car slowing down in front of them.
- If an AV doesn't stop, standard procedures can be used to stop the vehicle.

When stopped –

- An open door will keep the AV system disabled. Note: most driverless taxis can automatically close their doors.
- Officer or officer's dispatch center can contact the manufacturer directly.
- The manufacturer can assist in assessing the situation, virtually access the vehicle, place the vehicle in park, or power down the vehicle.





















First Responder scenarios and process

- Some cars can be unlocked or activated by the presence of the owner's cell phone (or other authorized driver like a family member) or key card in the vicinity of the vehicle.
- An AV will not move if the air bags are deployed, or a door is left open. Note: most driverless taxis can automatically close their doors.



















Cruise HELP button

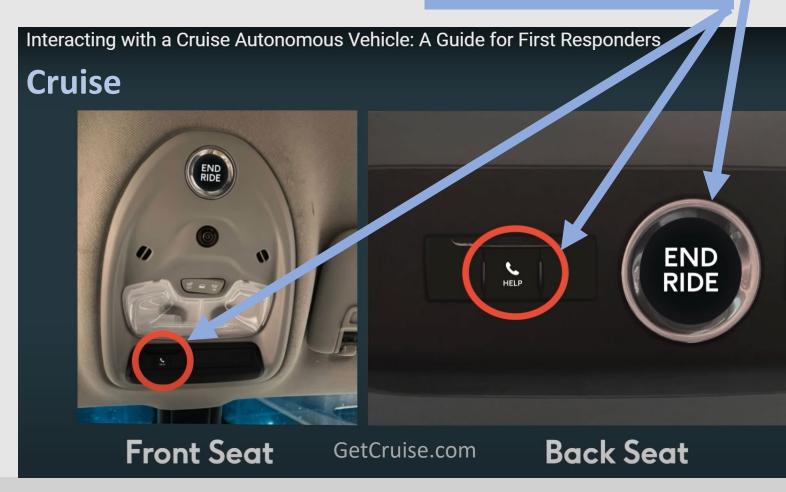
Tells the car to pull over and stop

Disengaging an AV

If you have access to the interior of a functioning vehicle-

 Buttons inside GM Cruise and Waymo One vehicles can provide assistance from the remote support team.

Use the interior "HELP" button or the manufacture phone numbers provided with this course.



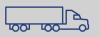














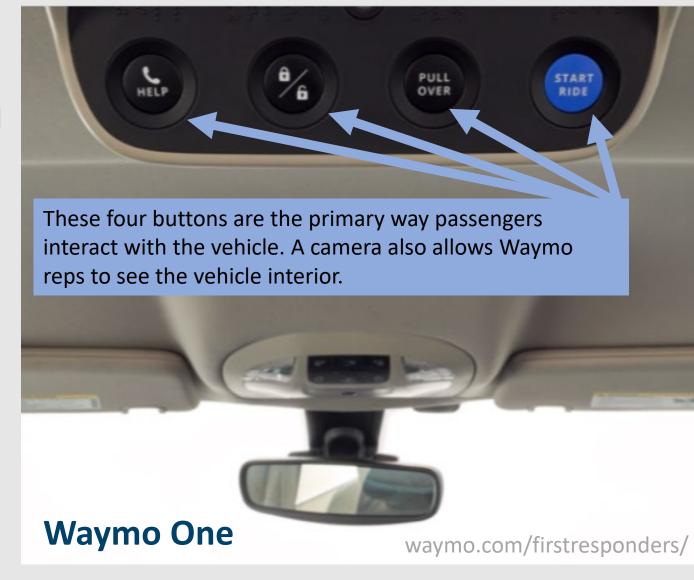




Disengaging an AV

The manufacturer can help with:

- determining if the vehicle is in manual or AV mode,
- unlocking,
- placing in park or
- Can send an on-site support team for assistance.













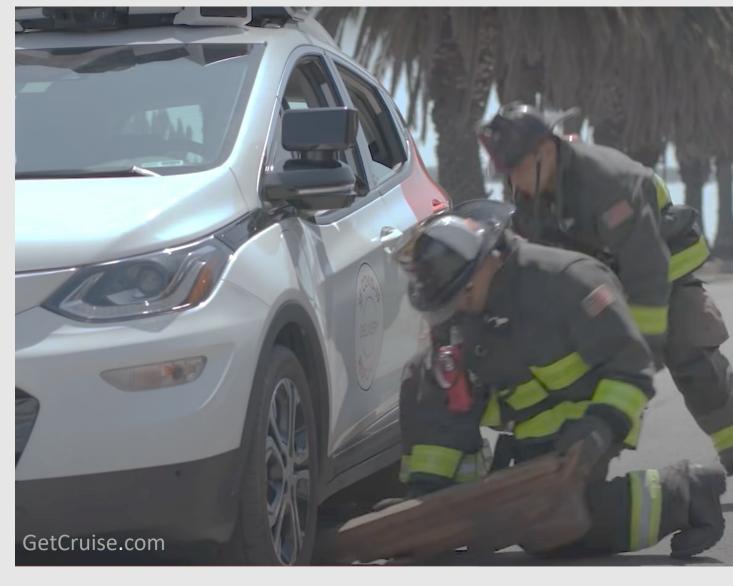






When in doubt of the power or activation status of vehicle-

 Chock & Block the vehicle front and back before performing any emergency procedures.



















First Responder scenarios and process

• Once taken out of AV mode, all vehicles can be handled as any normal base model platform: e.g., Chrysler Pacifica hybrid, Jaguar I-Pace, GM Bolt, Tesla.



 Connected and Automated *Vehicle (CAV) handout* guide or CAV Visor Card contain links to detailed manufacturers resources, including electric vehicle considerations for leading model vehicles.













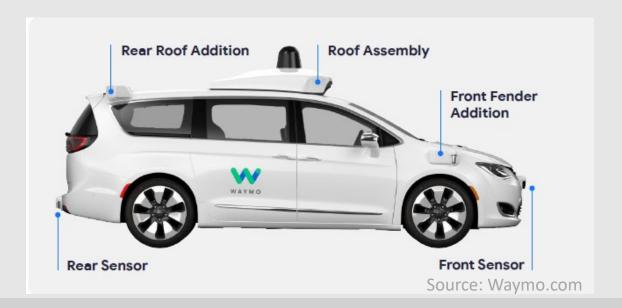


Vehicle Identification

How to identify an automated vehicle or semi-automated vehicle?

There is no one standard way to identify any of these classes of vehicles.

• Automated driving options are not coded in the VIN. See Cars.com article for list of available features by model.





















Vehicle Identification

Many, but not all electric, hybrid-electric or gas vehicles have some automated capabilities.

Q: How to identify an electric vehicle or hybrid-electric vehicle?

A: There is no one standard way to identify any of these classes of vehicles.

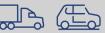
• For EVs and hybrid identification and handling for fire and towing issues Contact ESA at 1-855-ESA SAFE, 24hrs













TIM LE&FR services

Development of Agency Expertise is Essential

- The time is now to start developing a heightened level of awareness/expertise for your organization.
- Attend WisDOT Regional TIME meetings (Spring & Fall) for CAV updates
- Review the Wisconsin Responder Newsletter provided by the WisDOT TIME Program on a quarterly basis for CAV updates
- Some organizations & auto manufacturers offer training for first responders, such as, EVsafe.org, energysecurityagency.com and the Tesla Owners Club Wisconsin.

In Wisconsin there must be a licensed driver behind the wheel and in control of the vehicle.

















Adoption

- Automated Driver Assist Systems (ADAS) are rapidly being purchased
- In 2020 50% of newly registered vehicles had level 1 automation
- Another 26% had level 2 driver assist technology installed at purchase

Source: Autonomous Travel - Rhode Island Rhode Island Department of Transportation (ri.gov)







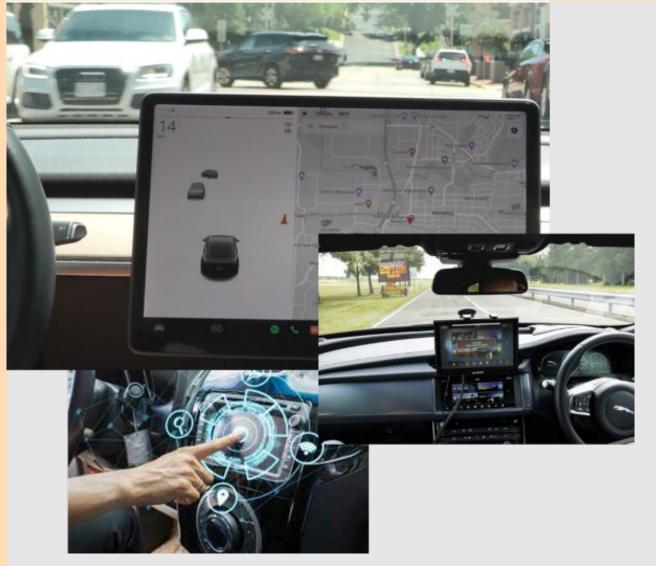












Adoption

- 94% have heard of automated vehicles
- 90% own a vehicle with driving assistance technology such as cruise control, blind spot detection and warning, and lane departure avoidance
- Nearly 80% would like more driving assistance technologies with their next car purchase
- UW-Eau Claire 2019 transit study https://www.eauclairewi.gov/home/showpubl isheddocument/29466/637025945634070000

















Autonomous testing and driverless taxis – where legal in other states



More than 65 companies are testing various components of AV technologies in the US.

 Automated taxis have driven more than 20 million miles in testing with safety drivers, and companies like Waymo and GM Cruise have logged 25,000 miles in California and 65,000 miles in Arizona with no driver in the vehicle.



Nuro is an operational driverless delivery vehicle.

















AV trucking

 Gatik driverless trucks are delivering goods 24/7 on pre-defined, short-haul routes across a network of 34 Sam's Club stores in the Dallas-Fort Worth metroplex.





North Houston Interstate 45 driverless trucking corridor

These vehicle tests all rely on a safety driver at this time.

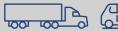






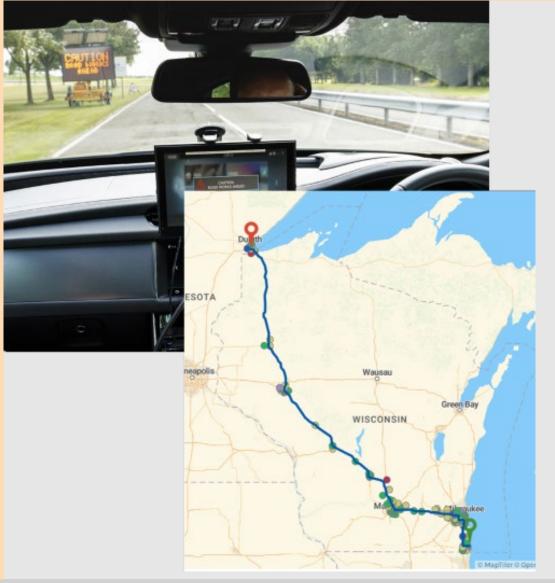












Connected Technology

- Smart Corridors allow vehicles to interface with intelligent traffic signals (ITS) at intersections these are under test in some national research projects including one research project in Wisconsin.
- Connected infrastructure could interface with vehicles, as well as bicycles and pedestrians, to provide warnings about red lights or roadside hazards
- Information can be displayed on dynamic message signs
- I-94 North-South corridor in the Milwaukee area has been equipped with microwave nodes and fiber optics for future connected vehicles

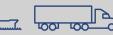








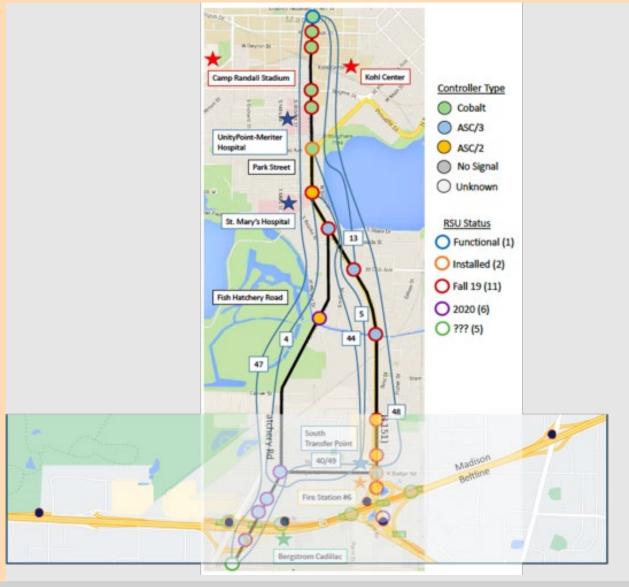












Pilot infrastructure testing

- Wisconsin's first connected corridor in Madison created by UW-Madison TOPS Lab, city of Madison, and TAPCO
- Radios allow the roadside units to "talk" to vehicles as they move through the corridor.
- System transmits basic safety messages about traffic
- System sends support messages such as a map of the intersection to connected vehicles
- Beltline (US 12, 14, 18 and US 151) connection is testing the handoff of information from city system to state highway system



















Work zones and pavement

- 6-inch-high contrast pavement lane markings improve functionality of automated sensors
- ConnectedTech iPin or iCones can transmit the location of work zones to approaching traffic
- Smart arrowboards can be updated in real-time

These products are being tested or installed in limited areas of WI





















Work zones

- Autonomous truck mounted crash attenuator (ATMA) follows behind highway maintenance vehicles and absorbs impact of crash if vehicle accidentally enters work zone
- ATMA removes the driver from a hazardous situation
- ATMA are not currently being tested or operated in WI



















Racine "Badger"

Law Enforcement and First Responders Automated Vehicle **Demonstration, September 2022**

- WisDOT sponsored training event with UW-TOPS lab and the Racine Badge shuttle was held at Gateway Technical College, Racine, WI
- UW TOPS Lab review and demonstration for LE&FRs discussion
 - Review CAV training information with actual vehicle
 - Discussion and demonstration of the vehicle and operations
 - Safety driver roles and responsibilities
 - Towing procedures
 - Racine Badger contact information
 - Demonstration rides











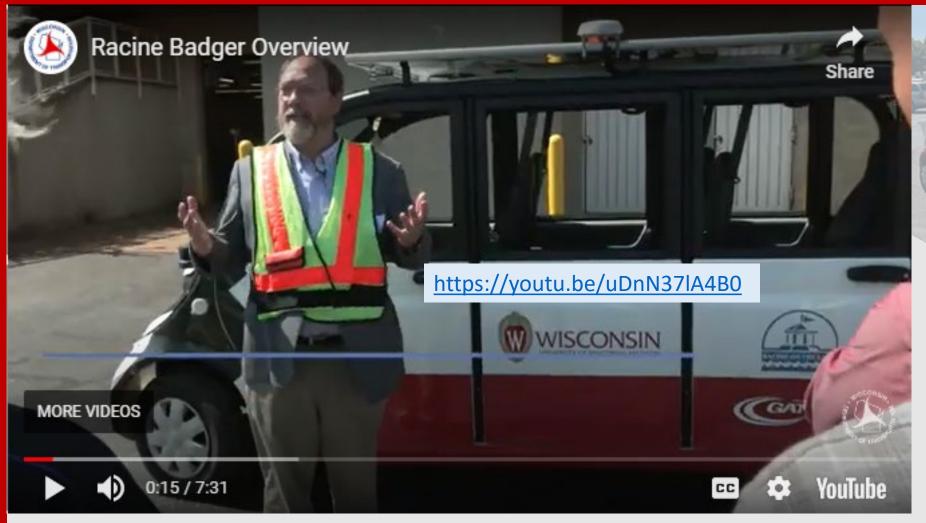








Racine "Badger"



Badger demonstration video topics:

- Operations with safety driver
- Sensor functions
- Towing procedures
- **Battery** information
- Research at UW-TOPS Lab and GTC.









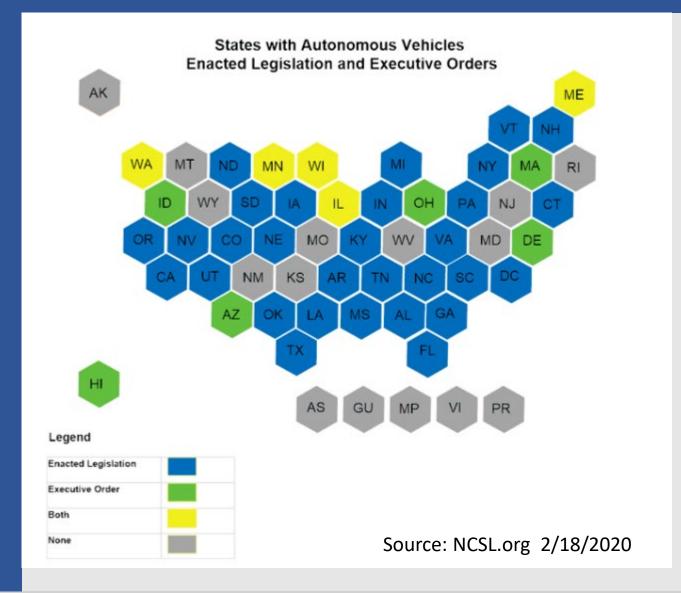








State Actions



Legislation

- 41 states have some kind of legislation or executive orders in place related to automated, self-driving, driverless or autonomous vehicles.
- We expect legislative or regulation changes at the national and state level in the future.





State Actions



Collaboration

Wisconsin Department of Transportation, along with partners in industry, academia and local government, is focusing on the needs of law enforcement and first responders.

























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