MATLAB EXPO 2016

Designing Perception Systems for Autonomous Driving

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How Autonomous Driving Impact our Lives

- Safety
 - Reduce traffic accidents 90%
 - Save 30,000 lives/year (on-par with modern vaccines)
- Redefine logistics substantial fuel savings
 - Reduce cost
 - Environment friendly
- 3. Save us from our daily commutes

Engineers in autonomous driving choose MATLAB and Simulink.



MATLAB and Simulink in Perception Systems for Autonomous Driving

Sensor Design

Signal Processing

Sensor Fusion

Decision Logic









MAGNA POWERTEA

Designing Complex Driver Assistance Logic with

Reza Sahba, MSc Software Enginee Magna Electronics

May 9th, 2013, Plymouth, MI MathWorks Automotive Conference

Delphi

Radar Sensor
Alignment Algorithm
for Automotive Active
Safety System

Continental

Traffic **Sign Recognition** for
Driver Assistance
Systems

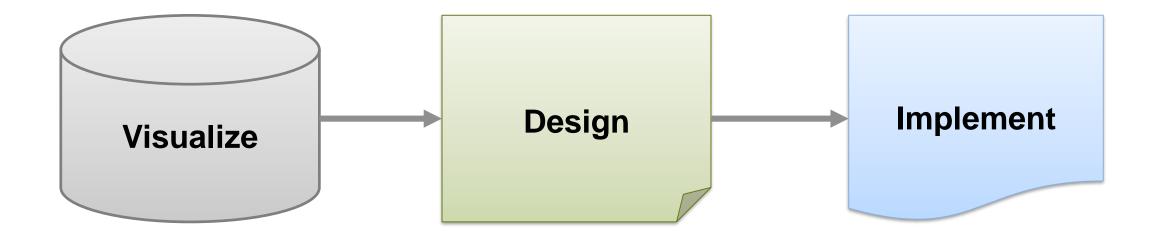
Scania

Model-Based Approach to Resource-Efficient **Object Fusion** for an Autonomous Braking System

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Test Vehicle Equipped with Various Sensors



Velodyne LiDAR HDL-32E

Horizontal FoV: 360°

Vertical FoV: +10..-30°

• Range: 80..100m

• 100 Mbps Ethernet





Point Grey Blackfly

- Stand "ice cube" vision camera
- 800x600, 27FPS
- GigE interface

XSENS MTI-G-700

- Stable and sensitive
- MEMS-based AHRS
- USB interface









Mobileye 560

- FoV: 38°x150m
- CAN interface



Delphi ESR

- 76GHz electronically scanning radar
- Dual FoVs, 90°x60m, 20°x174m
- CAN interface



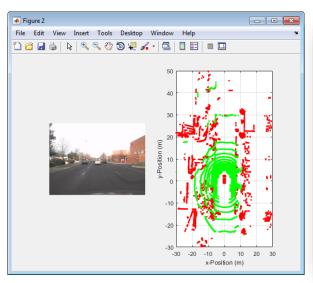
Two Examples for Today

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LiDAR Processing

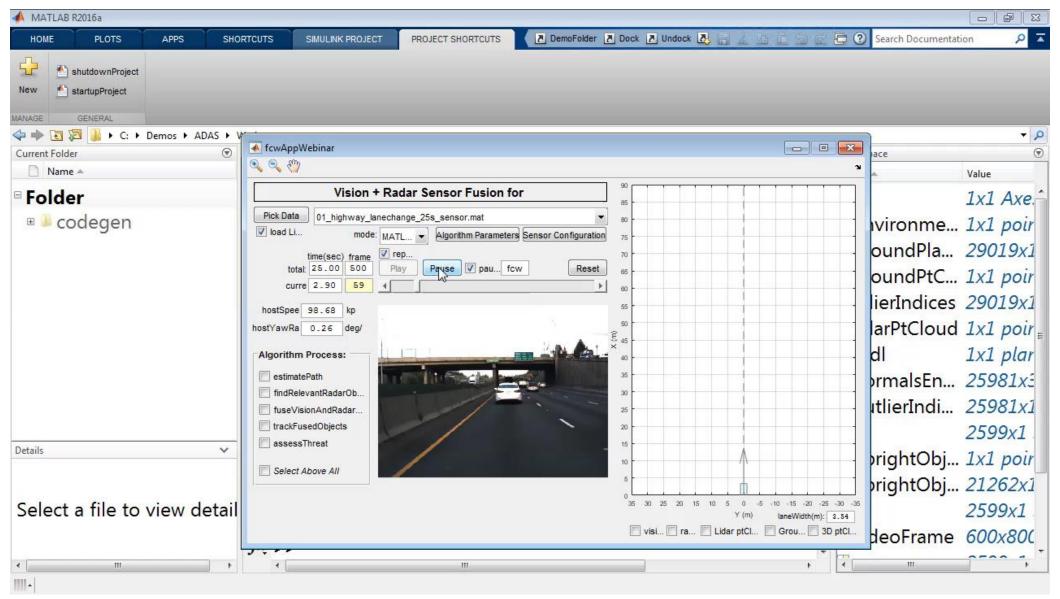


Sensor Fusion (Camera + Radar)



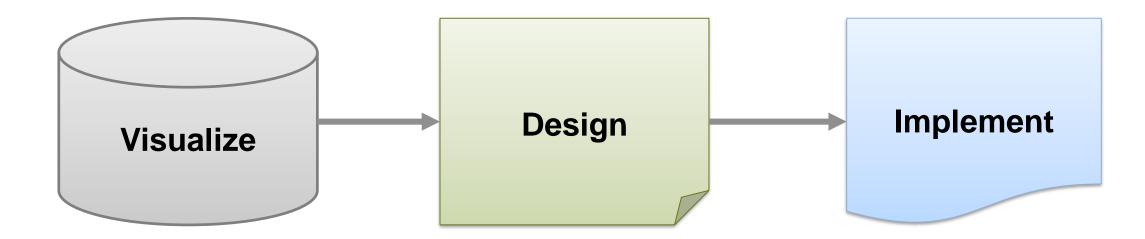
Visualize Data and Gain Insight







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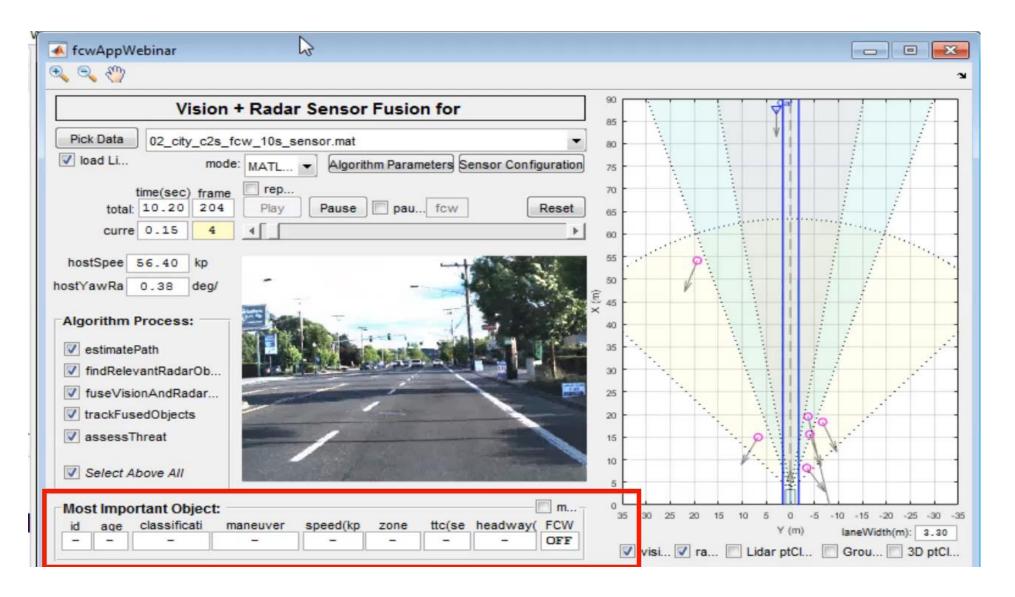


- Visualize sensors
 - Cameras
 - LiDAR
 - Radar
- Create custom apps and visualizations



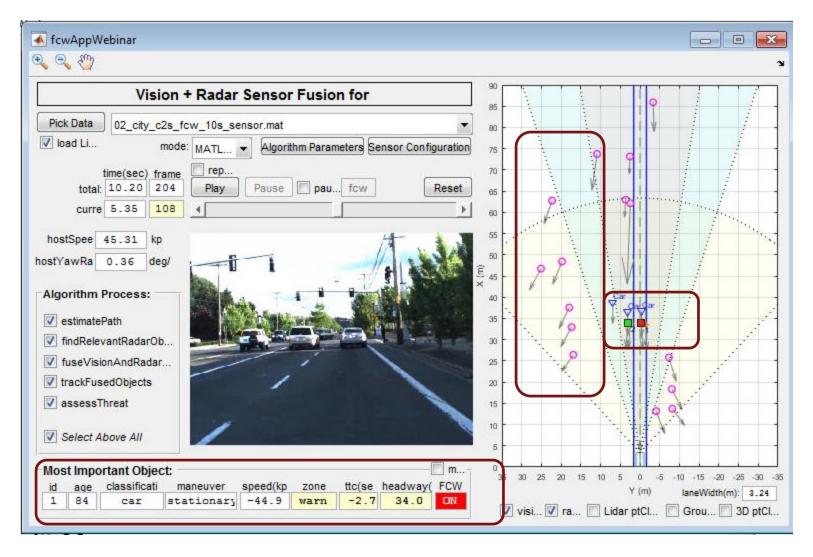
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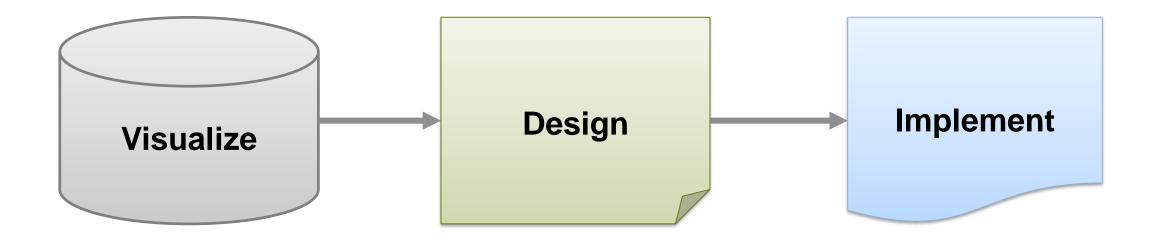
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- 1. Filter false detections from radar
- 2. Sensor fusion and tracking using Kalman filters
- 3. Decision logic



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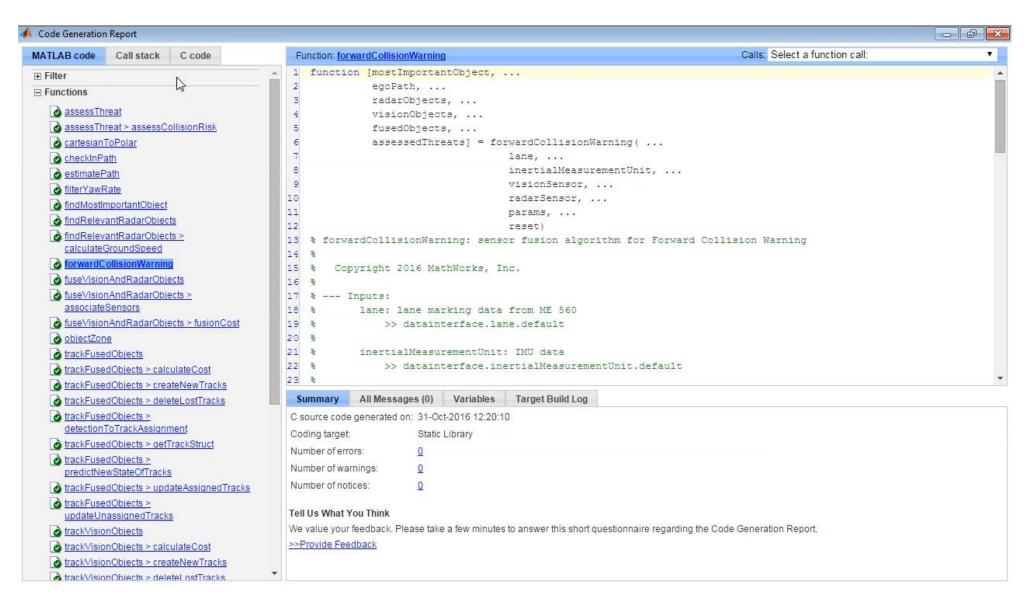


- Algorithms for multiple domains:
 - Computer vision
 - Radar
 - Sensor fusion
- Toolboxes just work



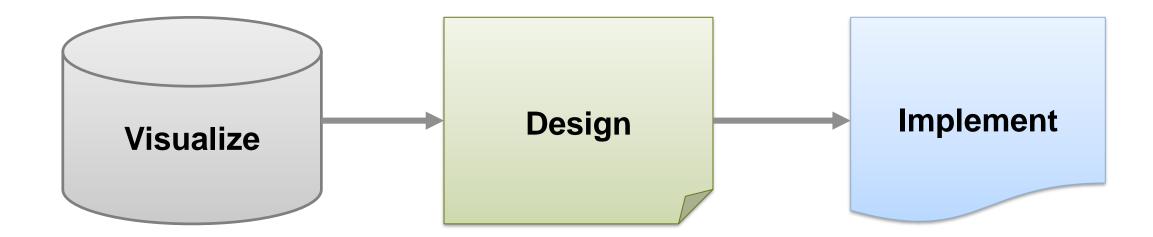
Implement Algorithms in C Code







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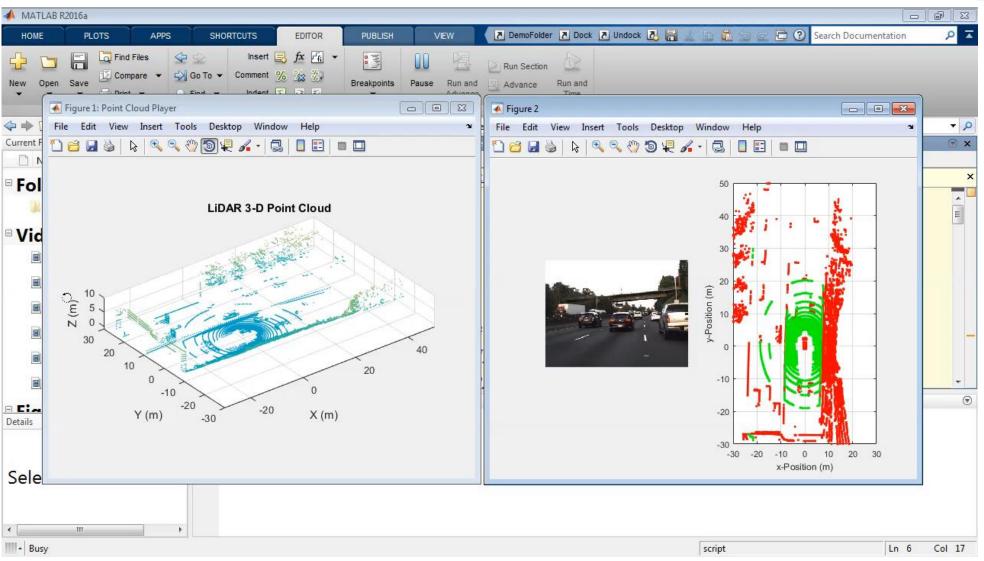


Faster iteration by generating C code



Design LiDAR Processing for Autonomous Driving

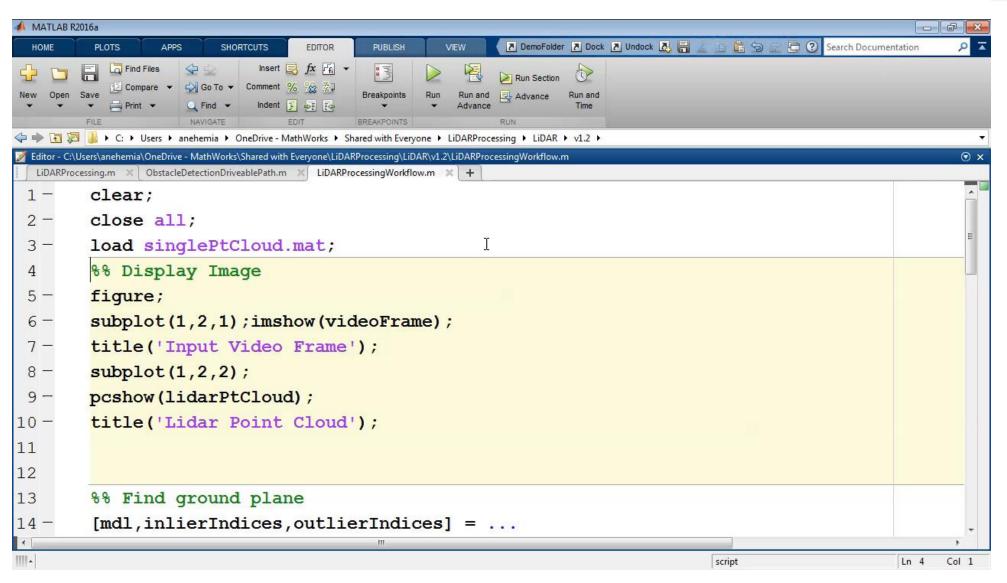






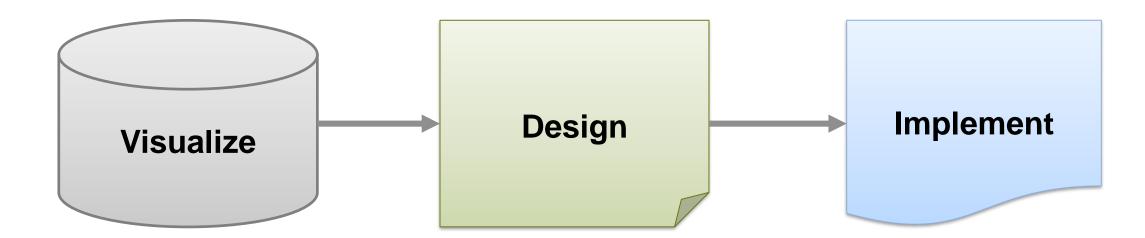
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 - Deep learning
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See the demos in person at our booth