

#space4rail enabled Intelligent Transport Assistance

Train Collision Avoidance and Beyond



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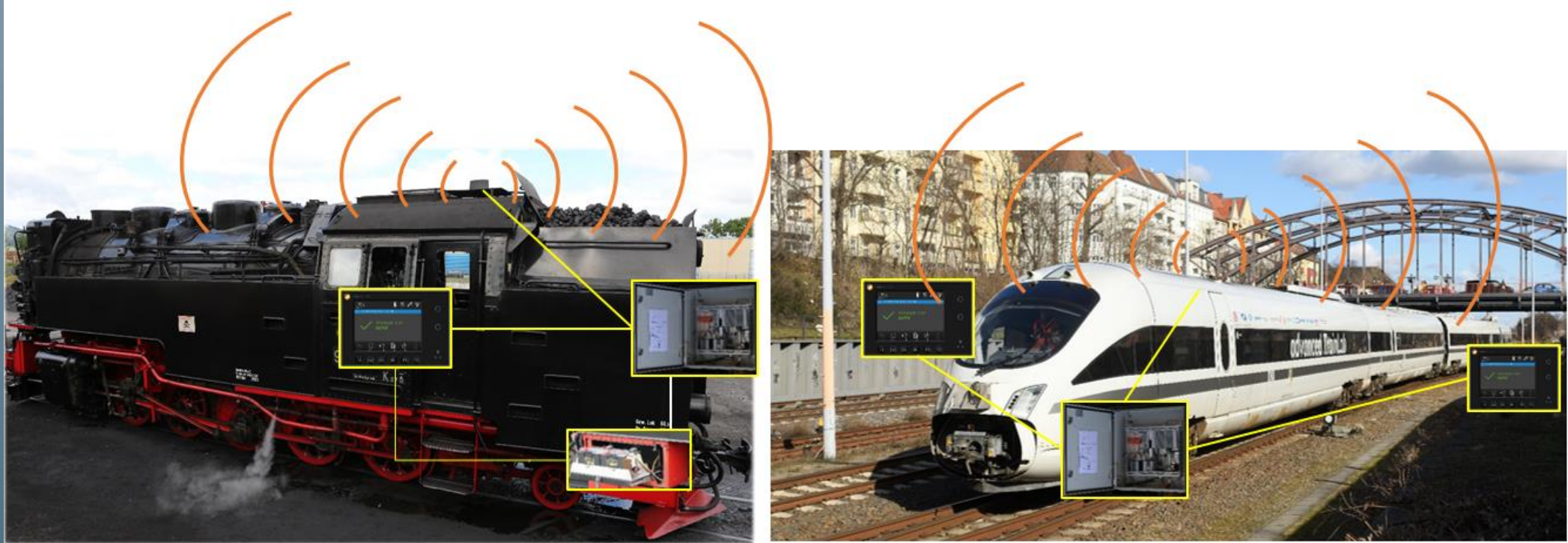
Transfer of a Success Story in Aeronautics



intelligence on wheels



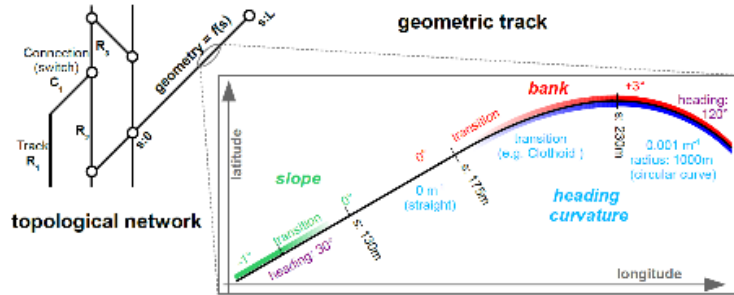
Retrofit Assistance for Trains of any kind and age



Key benefits:

- ✓ One onboard-unit per train and a driver interface. Costs scale only with number of trains, no longer track-km
- ✓ Formally, in most cases as add-on system no SIL2/4-qualification required
- ✓ **Most important: No installation along infrastructure required**

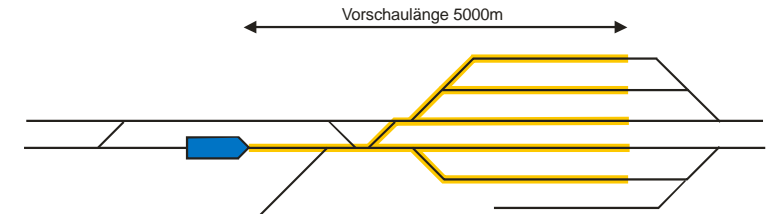
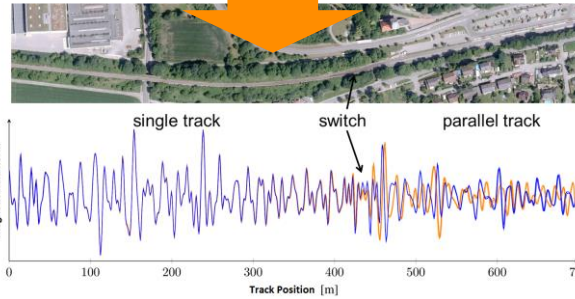
Key technology: Track-Selective Onboard Localization



digital track data (map)



onboard sensors
(Galileo/EGNOS, IMU, Mag, etc.)



train movement model

Solution: Onboard multisensor
train localization
in relation to track



... even inside tunnel!

Breakthrough in Localization within Difficult Railway Environments

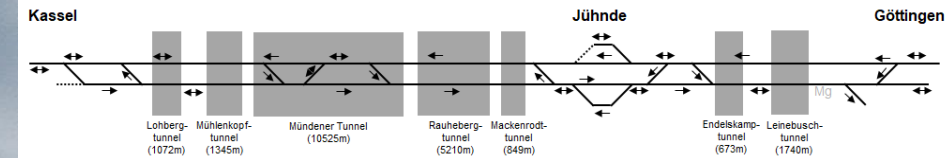


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GNSS: Will not work in deep tunnels as satellites are not received

MAG: Using distortion of the Earth's magnetic field as signatures for positioning

IMU: Becomes less accurate for localization over long distances



Video of changing tracks inside 10.5km tunnel with ICE

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