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# Scalable and Flexible Software Platform for High-Performance ECUs

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# Agenda

**A**

**New E/E Architectures and  
High-Performance ECUs**

**B**

**Non-Functional Aspects:  
Safety | Security | Cloud**

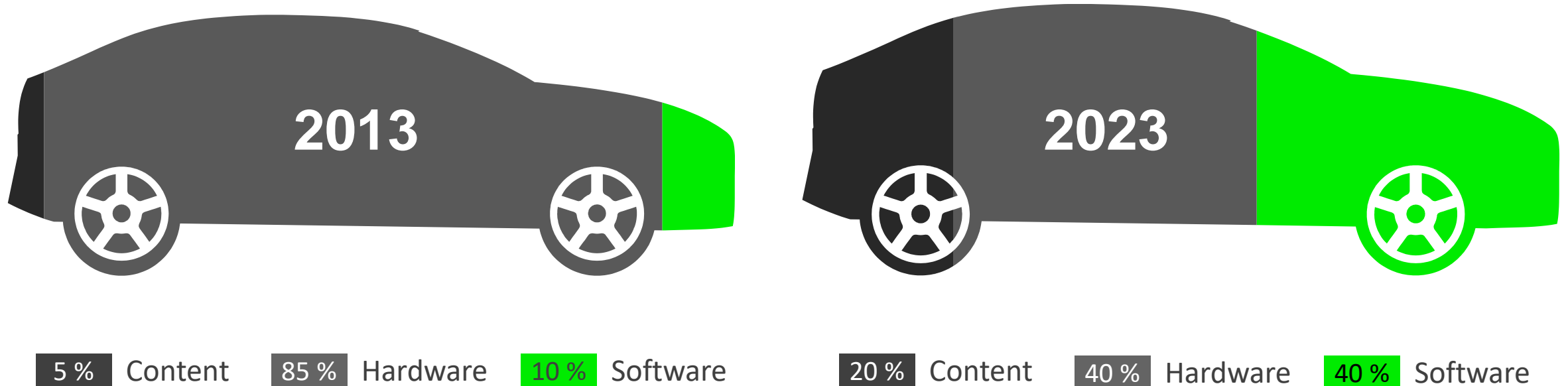
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**Handling Software Development  
Complexity of High-Performance  
ECUs**



# Future Value - Created through Software

Value of a car: yesterday vs. tomorrow



Source: Morgan Stanley Research

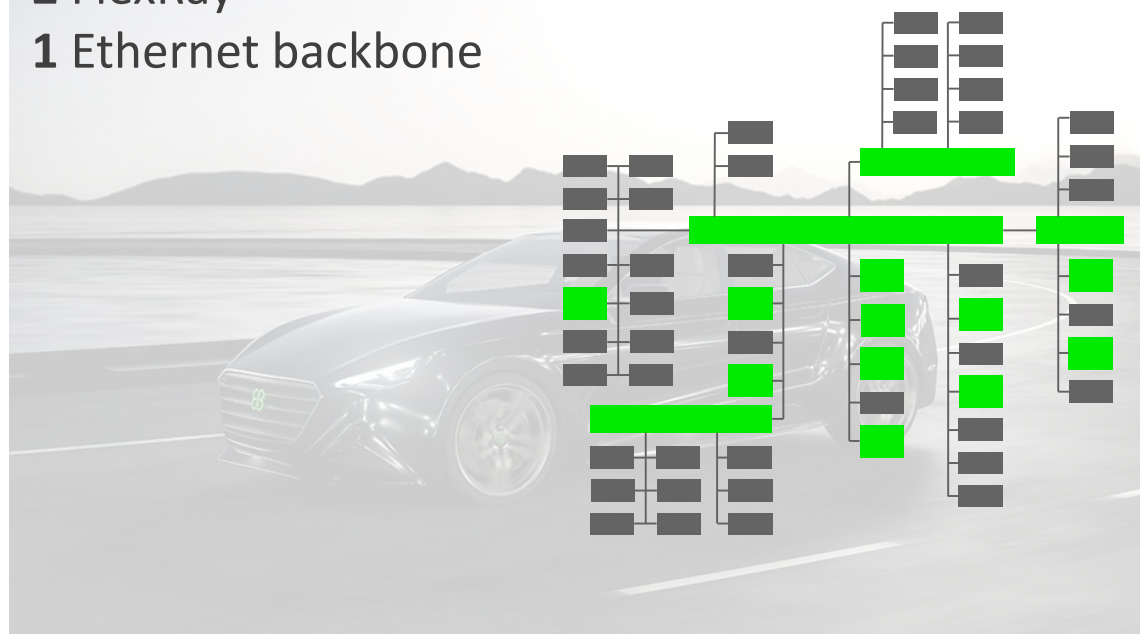
# E/E Architectures with HPC seem Clean and Simple

**80-100 ECUs**

**6 CAN-Bus**

**2 FlexRay**

**1 Ethernet backbone**



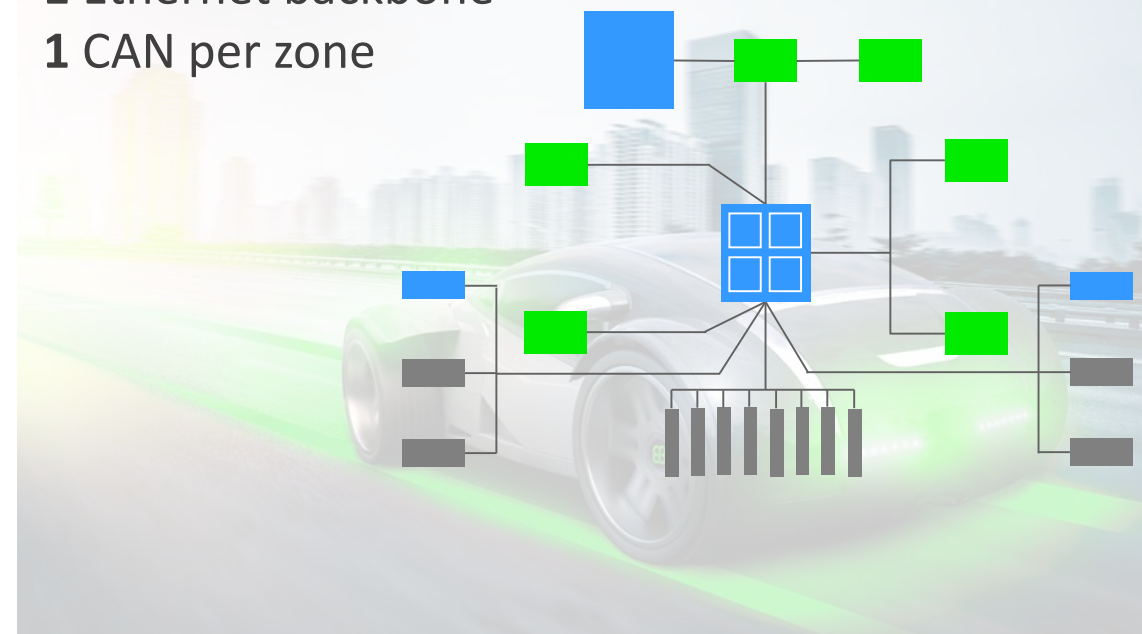
Classic ECU

**4 High-performance ECUs**

**60 Sensor/Actuator ECUs**

**1 Ethernet backbone**

**1 CAN per zone**

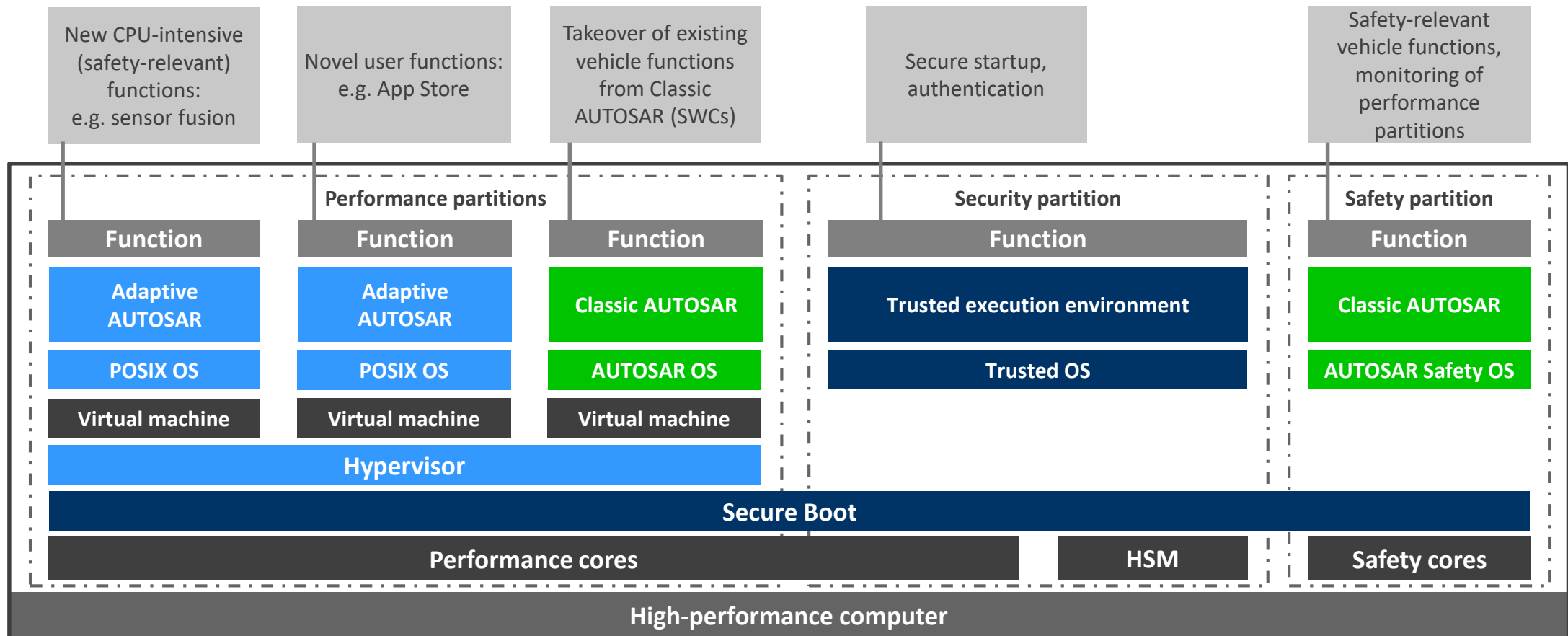


Sensor/Actuator

High-performance controller

# Possible HPC Architecture for SOP in 2019

## Infrastructure software (Operating system and middleware)





# Communication in a Service-Oriented Architecture

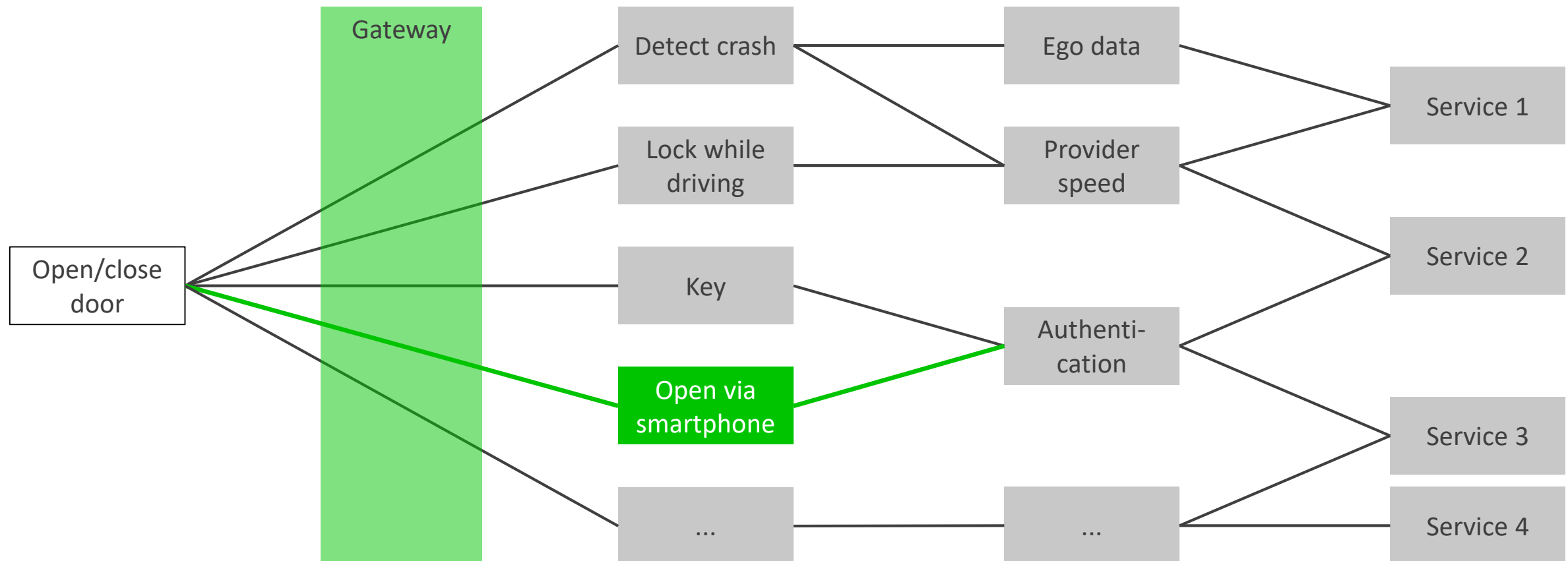
## Public speech



## Bulletin board

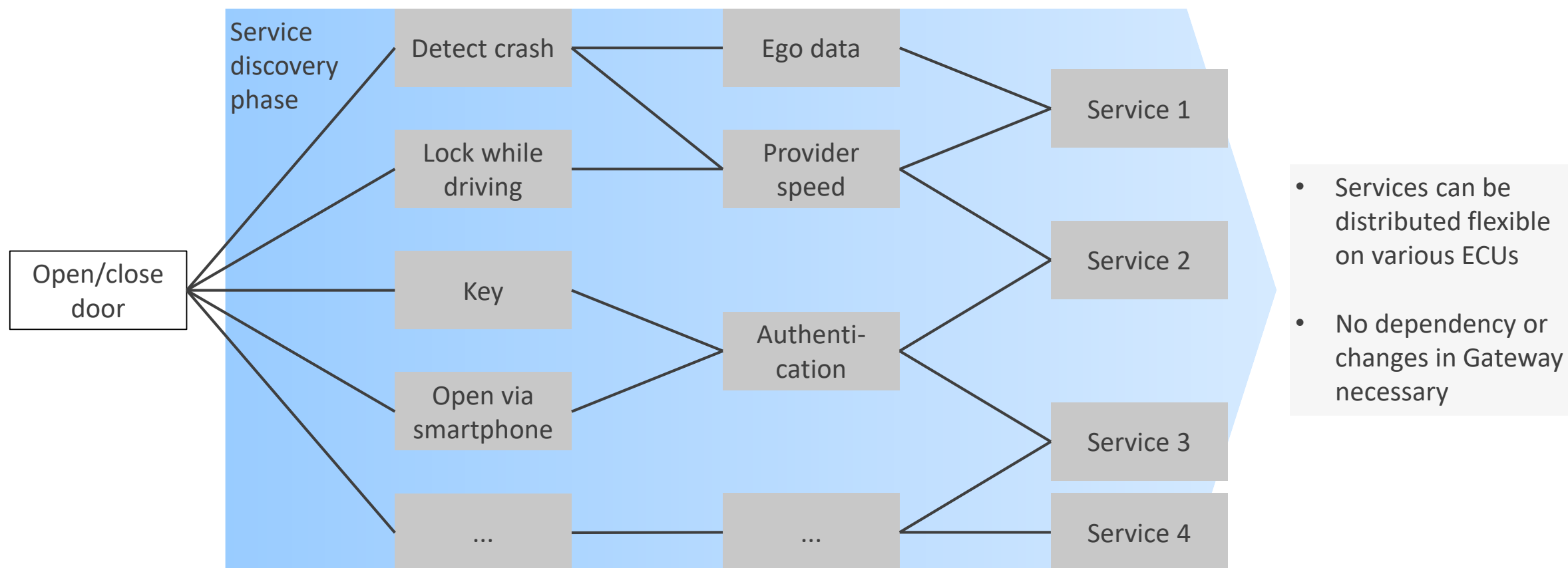


# New Services Require Changes to Gateway



Service and communication to be adapted

# Service Discovery Phase to Find and Match Services



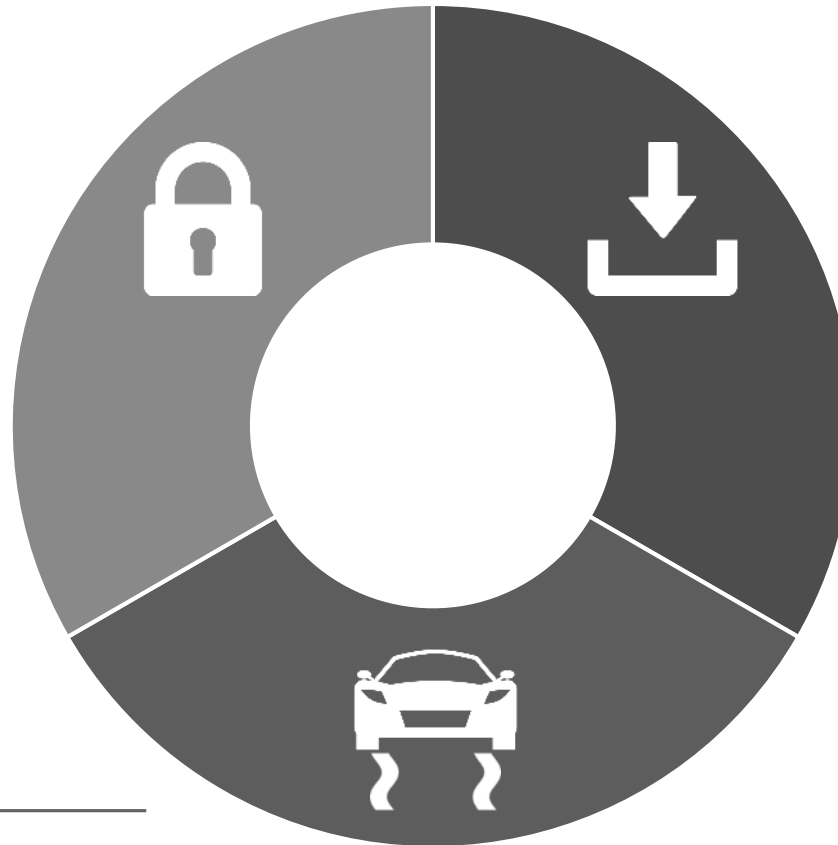


# Additional Non-Functional Requirements Arise

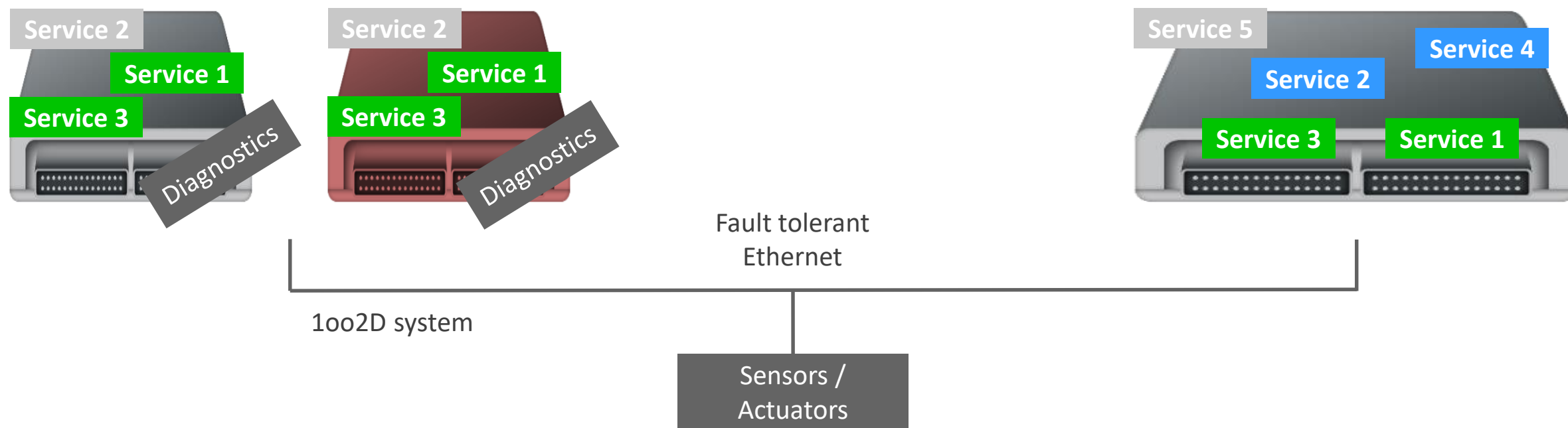
Security

Cloud connectivity

Functional safety



# Reconfiguration of Services



## Requirements for reconfiguration

Req. 1: Services can be dynamically relocated

Req. 2: Sensor/actuators are redundant or accessible via network as a service

disabled

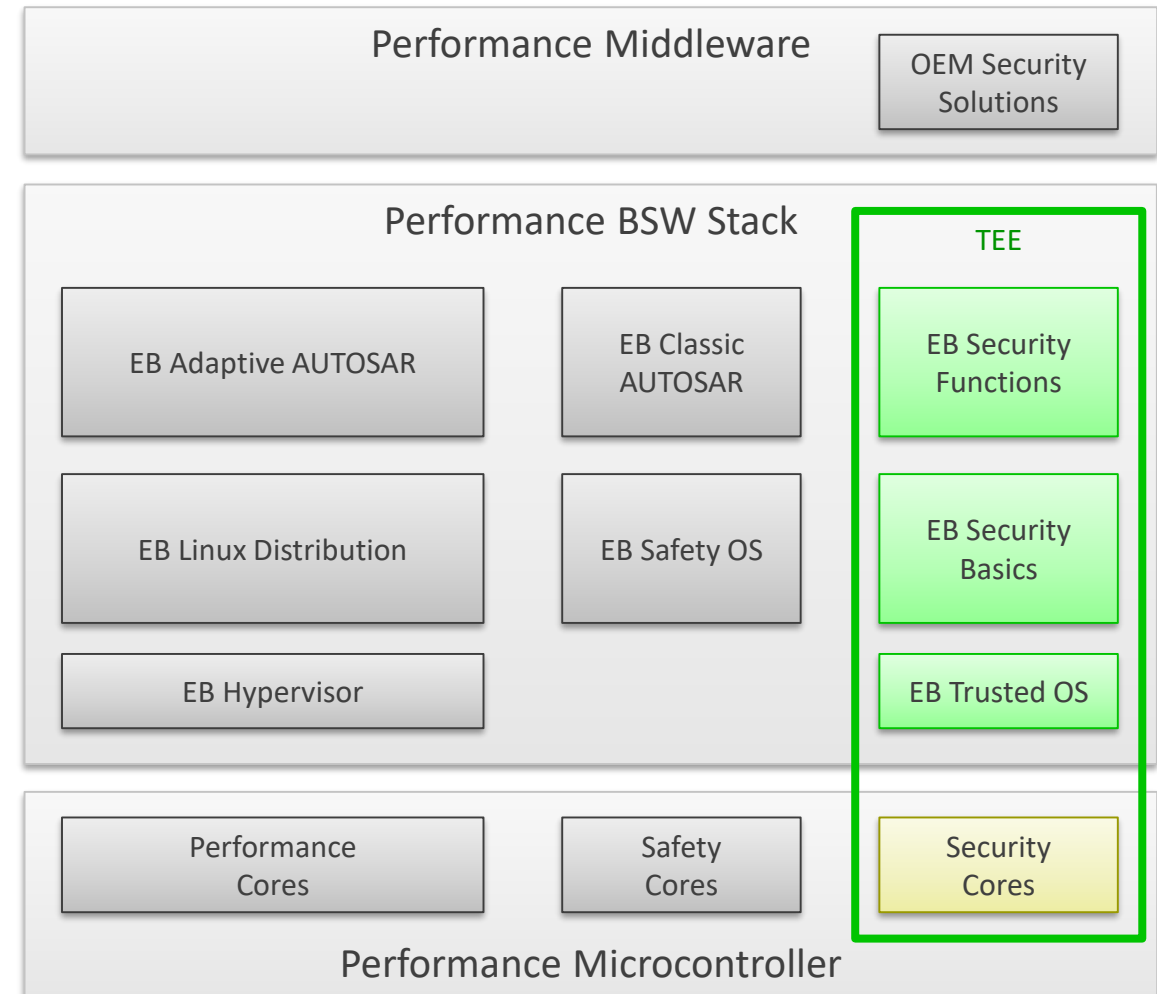
critical

non-critical

# TEE (Trusted Execution Environment)

## Security Stack for Performance Controllers

- Customizable implementations on security cores are the trust anchor in ECUs.
- Root of trust in hardware Trusted Platform Module
- Provides a generic security interface on top of security cores with API for Adaptive Applications
- Security basic software to enable security solutions
  - Enables secure boot, secure updates, secure debug, secure logging and secure storage.



# Software Platforms for HPC: what lies ahead of us?

## 1

### Incremental Development

- Feature-based approach
- Flexible handling of changes

## 2

### Test and Validation

- Analysis tools
- Validation processes

## 3

### Management of Software Variants

- Reduction of software variants
- Total cost of ownership view



# Agile and Lean Methods to Address Complexity and Change

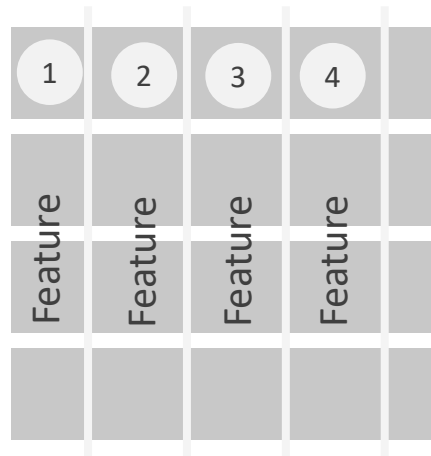
## Sequential development

Software architecture often created in layers with long turnaround cycles



## Incremental development

Focus on delivering features in short cycles



## Agile and lean elements are already used today

- Continuous Integration, Continuous Delivery
- Test automation
- Daily (stand-up) meetings

## Scaling agile methods for large projects

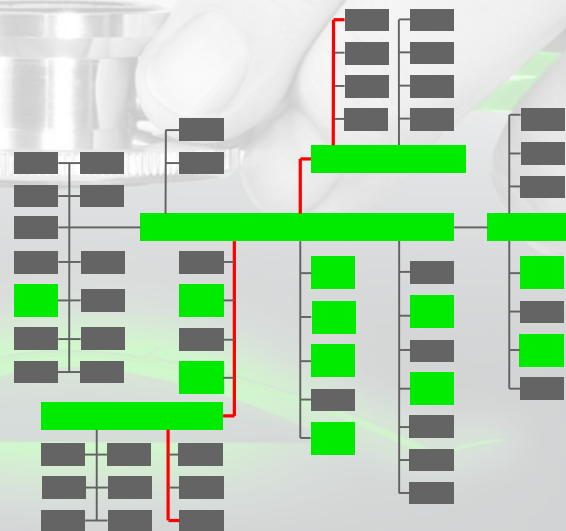
	Scrum-of-Scrum (SoS)	Scaled Agile Framework (SAFe)	Large Scale Scrum (LeSS)	Scaled Professional Scrum
Scale	Small	Med - Large	Enterprise	Small
Focal point	Team/structure Inter-team dependencies	Org. descaling, team/structure Agile thinking, PO scale via "areas"	Team/structure Customizable but prescriptive framework	Scrum concepts and mindset at scale



# Right Tools to Analyze HPCs?

- Model-based testing
- Communication protocol tests
- Restbus simulation
- Hardware-in-the-loop tests

» **Wide range of established tools and processes**

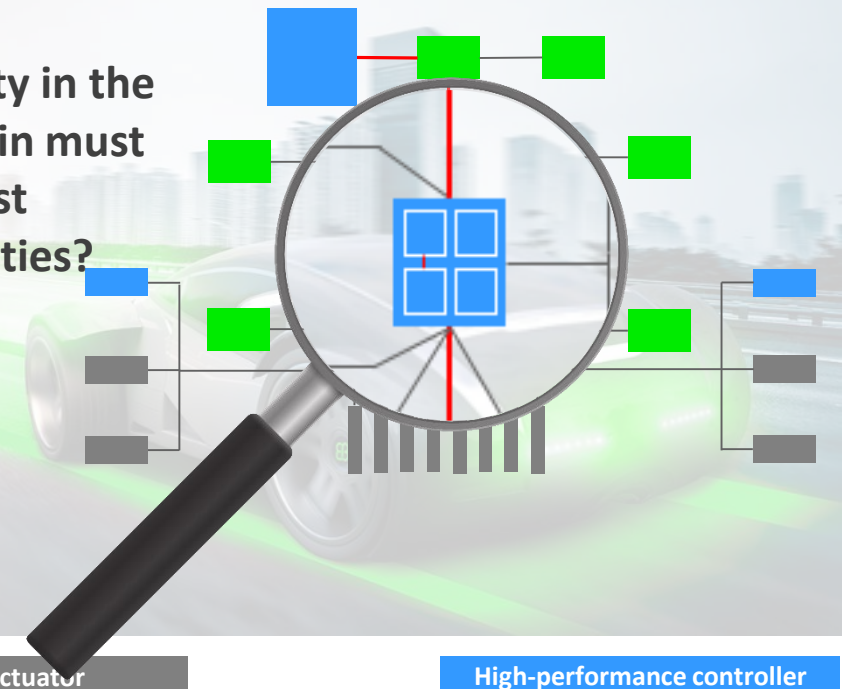


Classic ECU

Performance/Safety ECU

Only few hardware-in-the-loop solutions in the market

» **Which party in the supply chain must and can test functionalities?**



Sensor/Actuator

High-performance controller

# Amount of Hardware Variants Increases Software Costs

## Variation of hardware requirements for HPC

### Processor variants

- 2 Micro processors
- 1 Micro controller, 1 micro processor
- 1 Micro controller, 1 micro processor, 1 GPU
- 1 Micro controller, 2 GPUs

### Performance

- 10k ... >100k DMIPS

### Network

- 1-16 CAN buses
- 8/24 LIN buses
- 0-8 FlexRay buses
- 1 ... 7/11/20 Ethernet ports



# Successful Introduction of Software Platforms for HPC Needs...

- 1** | **New methods** e.g. incremental development to cope with complexity and changes
- 2** | **Aligned tools to analyze and validate** software and behavior of HPC
- 3** | **Active management and reduction of software variants and total cost of ownership view** on software





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# Thank you.

# Questions?

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