Driver Model Calibration Research

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Fuzzy Modeling and Inference for Physics-aware Road Vehicle Driver Behavior Model Calibration

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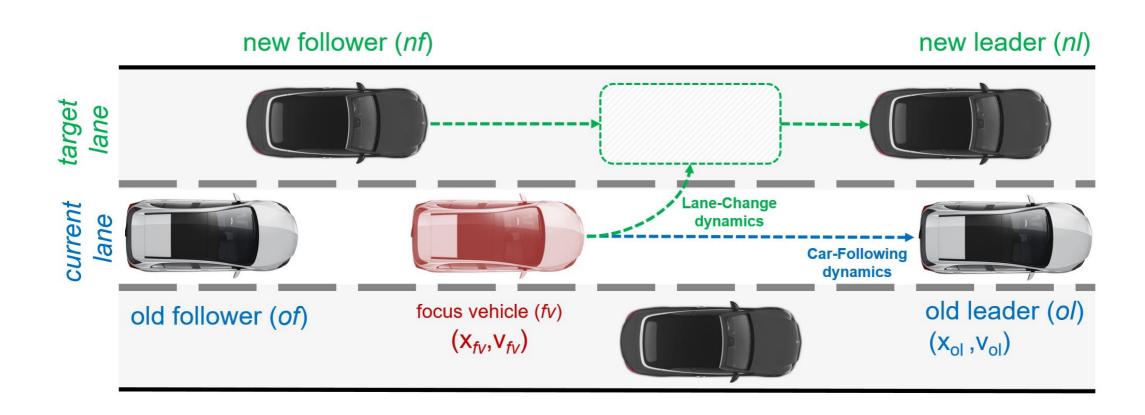
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Outline

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- Alternatives to optimization-based calibration
- Preliminary results
- Conclusions & next steps

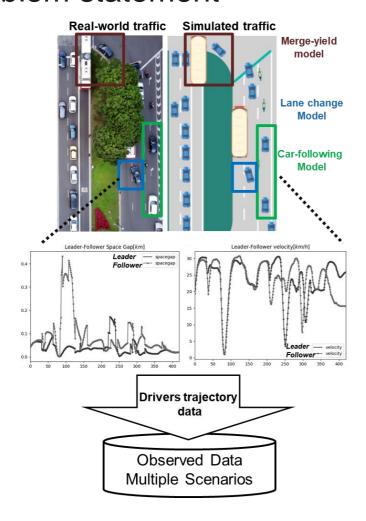
Driver model calibration

Problem analysis

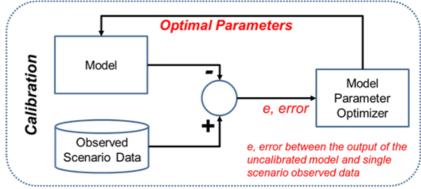


Driver model calibration

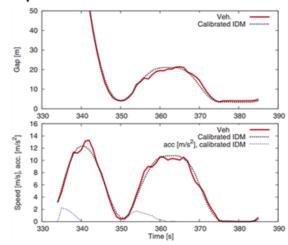
Problem statement

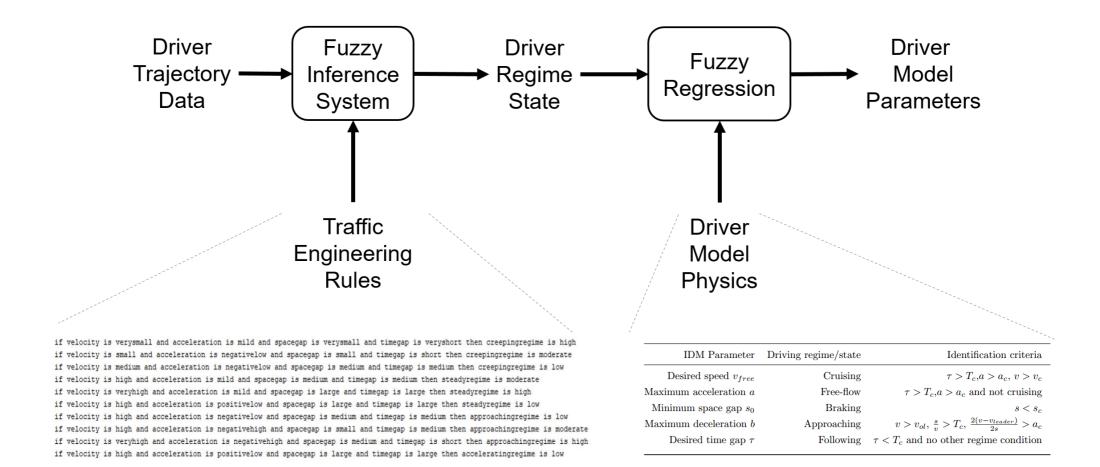


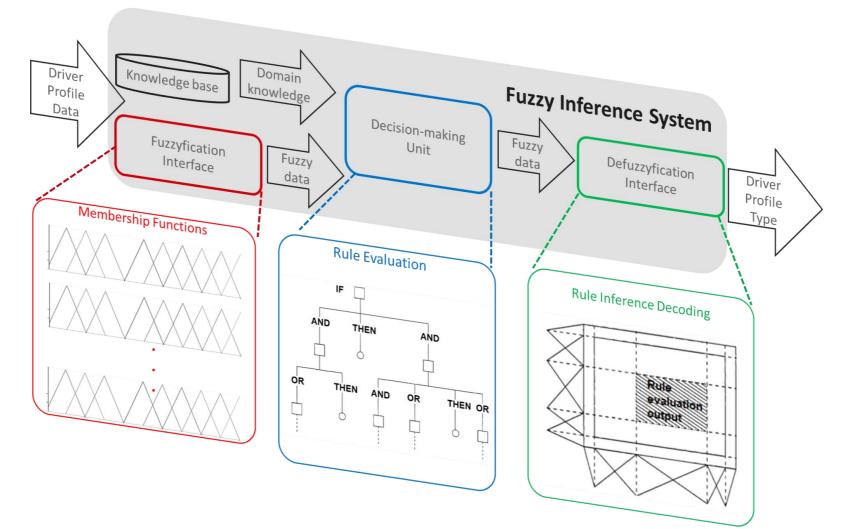
Typical calibration pipeline

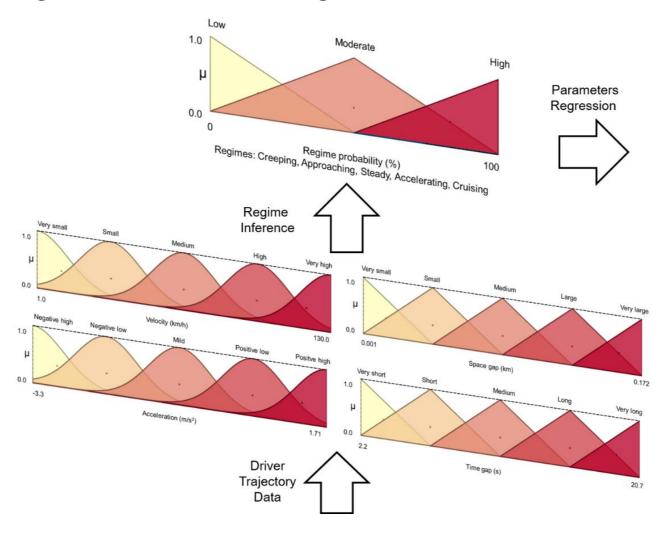


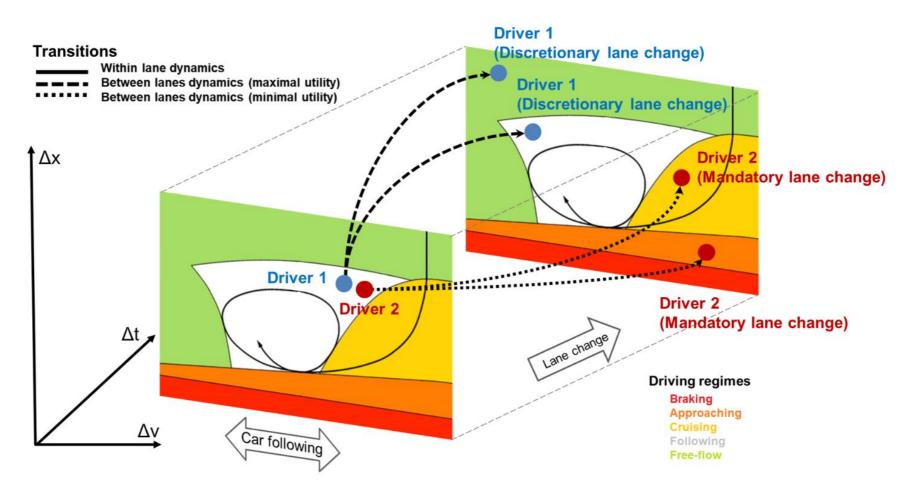
Example calibrated parameters

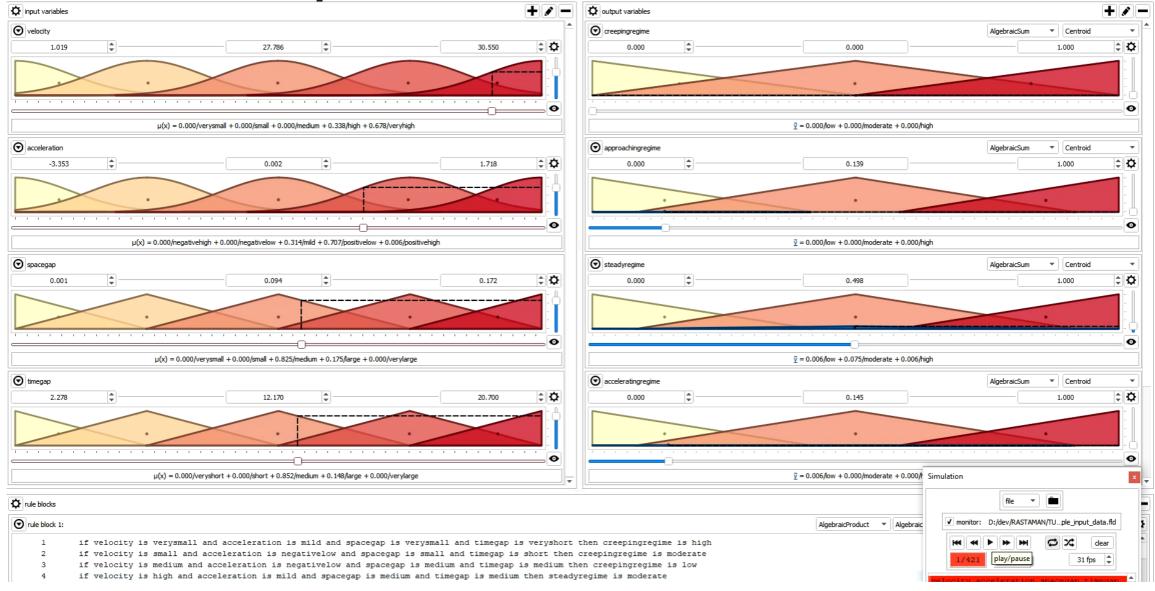










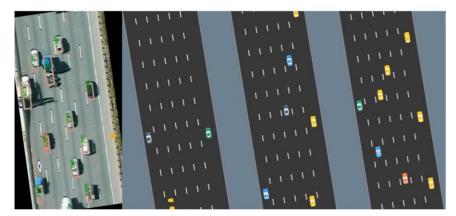


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Qualitative realism

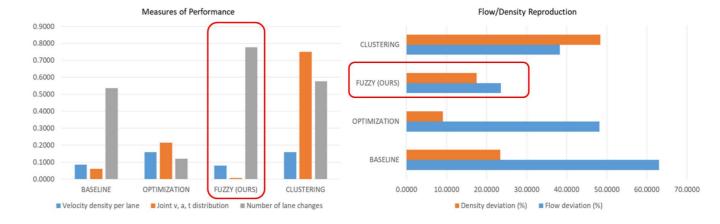
Tested and evaluated on NGSIM (I80)

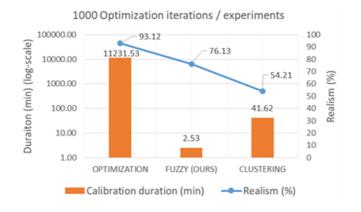


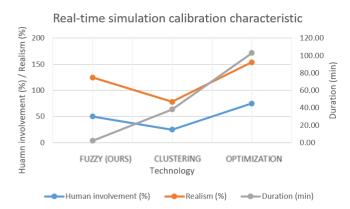
Ground truth No calibration Opt. calib. Fuzzy calib.

		Driver model calibration approach		
Metric	Baseline	Optimization	Fuzzy(ours)	Clustering
Velocity-density characteristic, M_1	0.085	0.159	0.080	0.158
Joint velocity-acceleration-headway distribution, M_2	0.061	0.214	0.006	0.751
Number of lane changes, M_3	0.536	0.120	0.777	0.576
Flow percent deviation, M_4	0.637	0.481	0.235	0.382
Density percent deviation, M_5	0.233	0.090	0.175	0.483

Quantitative realism





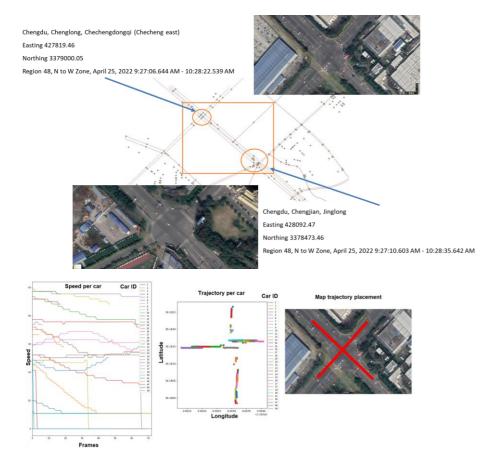


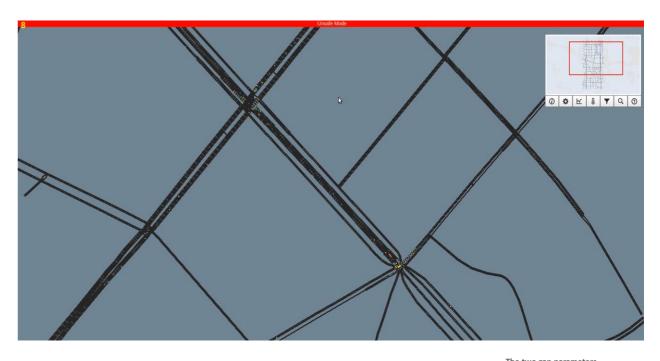
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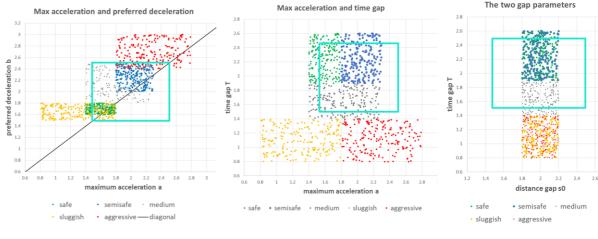
Preliminary results

Qualitative realism

Tested and evaluate on Chinese Drivers







Conclusions & next steps

- Driver model calibration can go beyond optimizationbased methods and follow plausible configurations.
- Expert knowledge is very important to assess calibration outcomes (micro-/macro-quantities).
- Opening the way to **online calibration/re-calibration** without time-consuming **optimization** and a plausible trade-off in accuracy.
- Fusing physics, expert knowledge, machine learning in and end-to-end system.