

4th International VDI Conference

Connected Off-Highway Machines

Connectivity and the Future of Autonomous Mobile Machines May 14 - 15, 2019, Dusseldorf, Germany



- The Benefits and Challenges of Connectivity for the Off-Highway Industry
- New Business Models for Connected Mobile Machines
- Facing Challenges of Machine Coordination
- Out-of-the-Box: Where are the Automotive and Aerospace Industries heading?
- + Workshop on Cyber Security
- + Panel Discussion on AI
- + World Cafés

Meet international Experts from:







































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Keynote:

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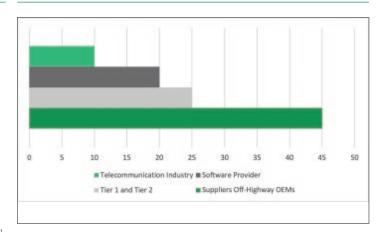
Michael Gomes, Vice President, Topcon Agriculture, USA

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Dipl.-Ing. (FH) Martin Frank, Research Engineer, Specialist Intelligent Machines, Volvo Construction Equipment GmbH, Germany

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Expected Participants according to Industries



About us



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Reasons to attend

Meet international experts from the off-highway industry
Learn about the latest automation trends and developments
Hear about best practice examples from end-users
Network with peers from different off-highway areas
Benefit from case studies and practical insights
Prepare for the Digital Transformation
Discuss the impact of connectivity on your industry

08:30 Registration & welcome coffee

10:00 Chair's welcome and opening address

I. New Business Models

10:15 New Business Models and Revenue Potential through connected Off-Highway Vehicles



- Vehicle generated data: A new mega market
- New business models to monetize vehicle data
- Increased revenue and reduced costs through data created by off-highway

Kai Hessenmüller, Product Manager, SAP Leonardo, IoT Moving Assets, SAP SE, Germany

10:45 The Farm of the Future – An End-user's perspective on Connectivity

- Precision farming and soil scanning in praxis
- Internet of things sensors
- Yield mapping for yield potential
- Generating data from your vehicles

Jacob van den Borne, CEO, van den borne aardappelen, The Netherlands

Value of Connectivity for improving your Business - A practical **Experience Report**

- Operating efficiently with connected machines
- Connectivity for additional customer value
- Using your connectivity Targeted marketing and product development Dr. Marius Basting, Digital & Technology Manager Europe, Caterpillar S.A.R.L., Switzerland

II. Connectivity - Solutions & Use Cases

Digital Platforms for Connected Machines

- Platform to provide collaboration between digital systems
- Third party enablement that drives innovation
- Importance of standards to scale connectivity integrations

Randall Kasparbauer, Engineering Manager, Intelligent Solutions Group, John Deere, USA

12:15



13:45 Mobile Mapping and accurate Positioning Solutions for connected Machines

- The importance of UAV and mobile mapping systems
- Efficiency through accurate 3D Planning
- Centimetric level positioning of autonomous vehicle via global GNSS correction service
- · Learning from the past Use cases

Yann Roussel, BM for OEM GNSS & Mobile Mapping Europe, Topcon, France

14:15 Connectivty in Construction and Mining Equipment: Experience and **Use Cases**

- How OEMs can build a successful IoT ecosystem
- Big data: Threats and opportunities
- Standardization of equipment data
- Connecting your machines on site and in quarries: Use cases and lessons learned

Enrico Borella, Product Manager Telematics, Komatsu Europe, Belgium

14:45 Panel Discussion on Artificial Intelligence – Where are we headed? Experts from the automotive, agriculture, construction & mining industry discuss what AI means for the industries and what the future could look like

15:15



Networking & coffee break

III. The Value of Data & ML in a changing Economy

15:45 From Potato shed to Potato Cloud

- Data sharing agriculture as a key for further growth
- Cloud based IOT & connectivity solutions for data gathering in real-time
- Data exchange standardization
- New business models and the future of data sharing

Dr. Ir. Koen Uyttenhove, IOT Manager, AVR, Belgium

16:15 Processes are only half the Battle - Organizational and Technical **Challenges of Security Engineering**

- Security engineering process overview
- Practical examples of organizational and technical security pitfalls
- Experiences with mitigation strategies for the pitfalls
- Security aspects of working with external security service providers

Dr.-Ing. Jens Köhler, R&D Manager Cyber Security, ITK Engineering, Germany

16:45 Vehicle Diagnostis and Prognostics

- Construction of physical models for prognostics and diagnostics
- Enhancing the base model with machine learning
- Balancing the model building with the ability to scale across component variations

Outof-the-Industry

Kjeld Jespersen, Director Connected Vehicles, Honeywell, Switzerland

17:15 End of conference day one



Get Together

At the end of the first conference day we kindly invite you to use the relaxed and informal atmosphere for in-depth conversations with other participants and speakers.

IV. The Future of Autonomous Mobile Machinery

09:00 Mine of the Future - The Benefits of Autonomous Vehicles for Value Creation

- Concept and challenges of using autonomous ground vehicles for heavy load transportation in an Aluminium plant
- The AGV guiding technology and targeted final solution
- The key axis to implement a 4.0 roadmap

Stéphane Prodent, Manager Automation & Advanced Technologies Area, Rio Tinto, France

09:30 Edge Computing For Artificial Intelligence

- Challenges of edge inference
- Techniques for optimization of neural networks
- Survey of processing hardware for edge inference
- Applications for autonomous vehicles

Josh Gelinske, Director Al Systems, Appareo Systems LLC, USA

10:00 Concept of a semi-automated Excavator

- The necessity of modifying the current machine concept
- Analyzing the dynamic behavior of the hydraulic system
- Implementation of automated motion control for the excavator
- Realizing load mass and load position estimation
- The importance of connectivity for coordinating IT systems

Stéphane Walter, Group Leader, Liebherr Colmar, France &

Prof. Dr. Oliver Sawodny, Institute for System Dynamics, University Stuttgart, Germany

10:30 Networking & coffee break

Autonomous Machine Software Architecture 11:00

- Machine interface and sensor interface
- Autonomous layer architecture options
- Safety in automation

Chris Woodard, Software Business Development Manager &

Elza Marisa Paiva de Figueiredo, Autonomous Systems Manager, both: Danfoss Power Solutions Europe, USA

11:30 Status of Research & Development on autonomous agricultural Machines in Japan

- The benefits of automation for farmers
- An automation level regulated by the Japanese government and its use case
- Lessons learned and use cases of Kubota

Nobushige Ichikawa, General Manager of Farm Machinery Engineering Europe Dept., Kubota Corporation, Japan

12:00



13:00 World Cafés

From elephants to ants - Can automation be an enabler for new machine concepts? - Uwe Müller, Chief Project Manager, Volvo Construction Equipment How can Al improve mobile robotics? - Sabri Bayoudh, CTO, Arcure Embedded and Cyber Security: What are challenges and drivers in your business? - Roland Marx, CC Embedded Security, OSB AG

Preventive maintenance through smart components - Quo vadis? - Michael Christian Lorenz, Business Development Digital Solutions, Continental Reifen Deutschland GmbH

FutureSite test center - Towards interconnected autonomous mobile machinery - Prof. Dr. Georg Jacobs, Head of Institute for Machine Elements and System Engineering, RWTH Aachen University and further experts!



14:30 Networking & coffee break

V. Realizing Opportunities of Machine Coordination

Moving forward to fully connected, autonomous Road Construction

- Connecting machines in swarm/autonomy applications
- Utilizing new communication and positioning technologies
- Development of high performance electronics with gateway functionality Stefan A. Lang, Head of System-Technology; co-authors: K. Niestroj, System-Technology, all: Sensor-Technik Wiedemann GmbH, Dr. P. Decker, Software and Control Systems, BOMAG GmbH, Germany

15:30 Cooperating Autonomous Randem Rollers exploiting AMMCOA

- Cooperation of the autonomous BOMAG tandem rollers BW154 and BW174 of the AMMCOA project within road construction scenarios
- Behavior-based control for distributed task assignment using the REACTION architecture and iB2C
- Tests on the virtual B10 highway simulated in the Unreal Engine
- Off-road collaboration with the real rollers on the off-road test environment 7AK

Patrick Wolf, Research Assistant Robotics Research Lab; co-authors: Thorsten Ropertz, Robotics Research Lab, Prof. Dr. Karsten Berns, Robotics Research Lab, all: TU Kaiserslautern, Dr. Peter Decker, Bomag GmbH, Germany

Closing remarks 16:00

16:15 End of conference

International VDI Workshop

Cyber Security for Off-Highway Vehicles

Workshop Chair:

Dipl.-Phys. Roland Marx, Head of Competence Center, Embedded Security, OSB AG, Germany

Date and Venue:

May 13, 2019

Crowne Plaza Hotel, Dusseldorf, Germany

Time:

10:00 - 16:00

Content

Introducing security mechanisms into an existing ecosystem and product lifecycle may be both – complicated and dangerous.

Security engineering should start as early as possible to reduce risks and save costs. To be aware of what OEMs/TIERs might consider for future developments, as well as current products, we designed this workshop with a special focus on the Off-Highway industry.

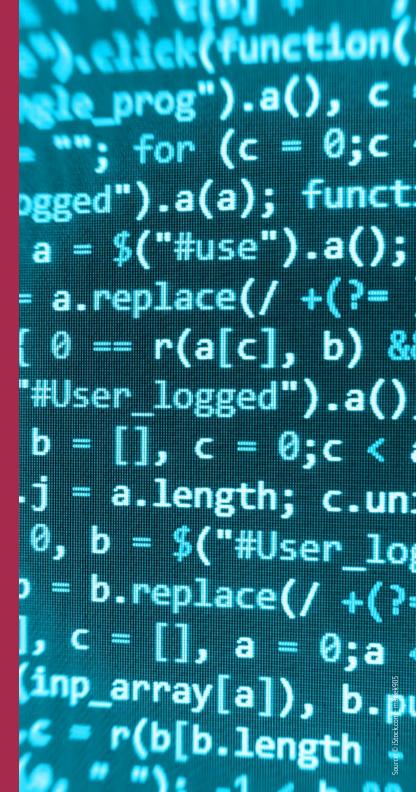
It will give you an intuition for the broad spectrum of embedded and cybersecurity topics that (will) concern modern Off-Highway Machines, agricultural vehicles as well as IoT devices.

To get a better understanding, we start by virtually designing a secured agricultural grade ECU for onboard communication with a remote link for data transmission and Software Over-The-Air capabilities. We will also cover the most critical part - non-functional prerequisites like secure key storage and the management of keys and X.509 certificates within a PKI (Private Key Infrastructure). With this knowledge we will derive necessary changes to manufacturing processes and will have a guided discussion about several actual topics of interest.

This workshop shall also be a forum for discussing lessons learned, benefits and risks, as well as identifying organizational hurdles and branch specific challenges.

Agenda

- Introduction to cyber security for off-highway and agricultural vehicles intuition
- Understanding security aspects Virtual design of an OTA capable ECU
- Real life example: Small OEM and security requirements tractor implement management – Securing automation in agriculture
- Guided introduction and discussion on security related topics of interest (such as "Vehicles 2 X - Requirements to join the 'Network'" and "GDPR in Vehicles – Privacy, Authenticity & Security" or "ISO 21434 – Road Vehicles / Cybersecurity Engineering")



International VDI Conference Year

Electrified Off-Highway Machines

Date and venue:

May 14-15, 2019 Dusseldorf, German

Renowned speakers will discuss the following topics:

- Developments in Powertrain Electrification
- Approach & Solution in Design and Development
- Emission Regulation and Treatment Technology
- Battery Technology for Off-Highway Applications
- Case Studies in Off-Highway Electrification
- + Workshop on Engine & Aftertreatment Enhancement
- + Panel Discussion on Battery and Fuel Cell Technology

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3rd International VDI Conference Year

Smart Farming

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May 14-15, 2019 Dusseldorf, Germany

Renowned speakers will discuss the following topics:

- Internet of AgriThings: Case Studies Is the WWW the solution?
- Paving the Way to Smart Farming in real Practice
- Enabling Technologies and Solutions for Digital Farming
- Farming as a service New Business Models
- Artificial Intelligence in Agriculture From Assistive Technologies to Autonomy
- Data-driven Value How to get the most out of Farming Data
- Start-Ups: Transforming the Agriculture Sector

+ Interactive Round Table Discussions

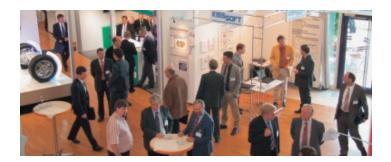
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