



**CASPER**

CHILD ADVANCED SAFETY PROJECT FOR EUROPEAN  
ROADS

# **CASPER Status of Activities on Test Procedures**

*COVER Workshop November 29th/30th  
Munich, Germany*



## Agenda



1. Situation at the beginning of CASPER
2. CASPER priorities for impact types
3. Activities for test procedures

## 1. Situation at the Beginning of CASPER



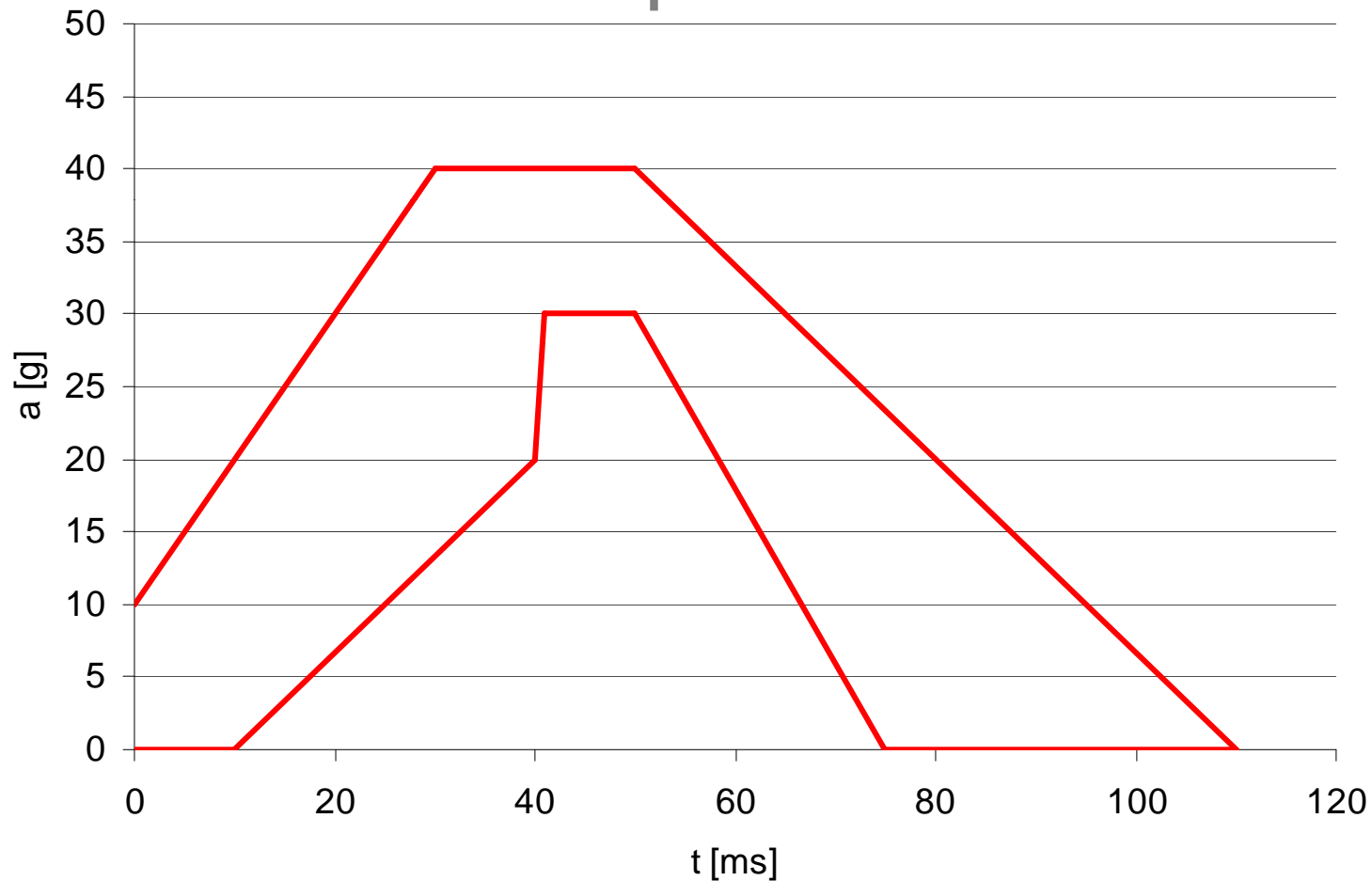
### Results from CREST and CHILD

- Frontal impact test procedure
  - pulse defined based on CREST frontal impact accident reconstruction results
  - pulse confirmed by CHILD reconstruction results
  - test bench design taking into account seat ramps etc.

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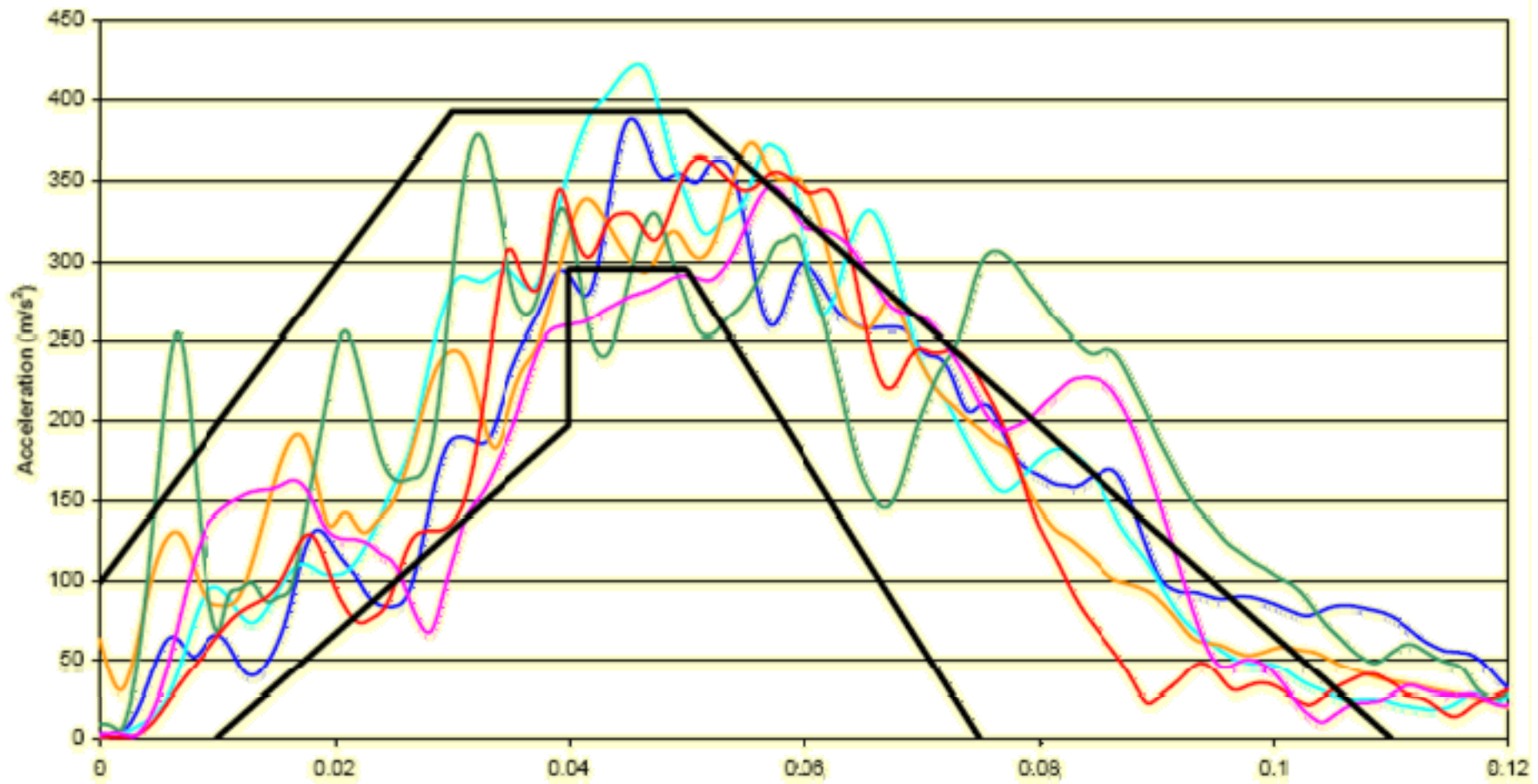
## CREST frontal impact corridor



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## CREST corridor with CHILD data



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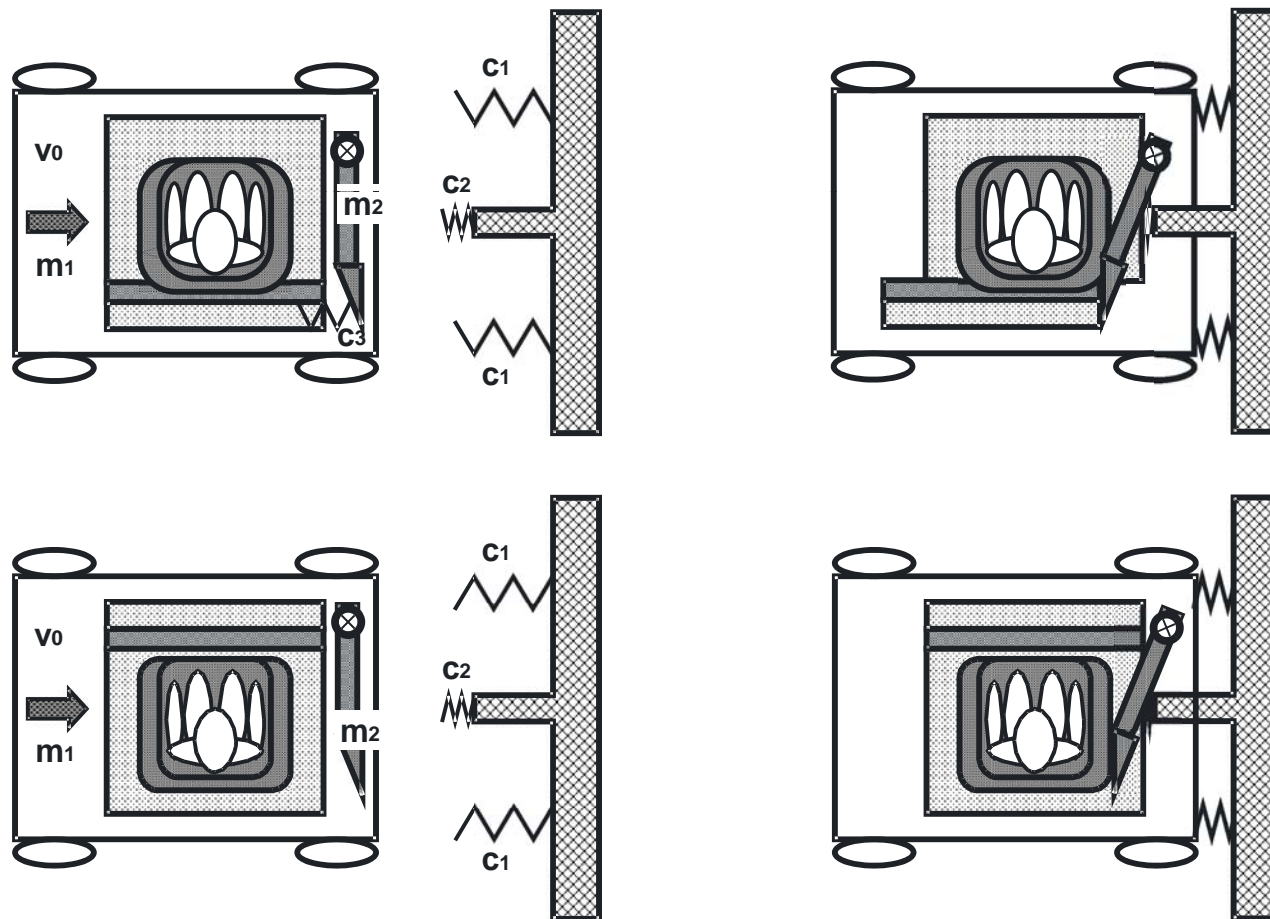


- CHILD proposal side impact procedure
  - Modified NPACS procedure (reduced severity) (note: different to what has presented in CHILD workshop)
    - hinged door procedure
    - worst case scenario

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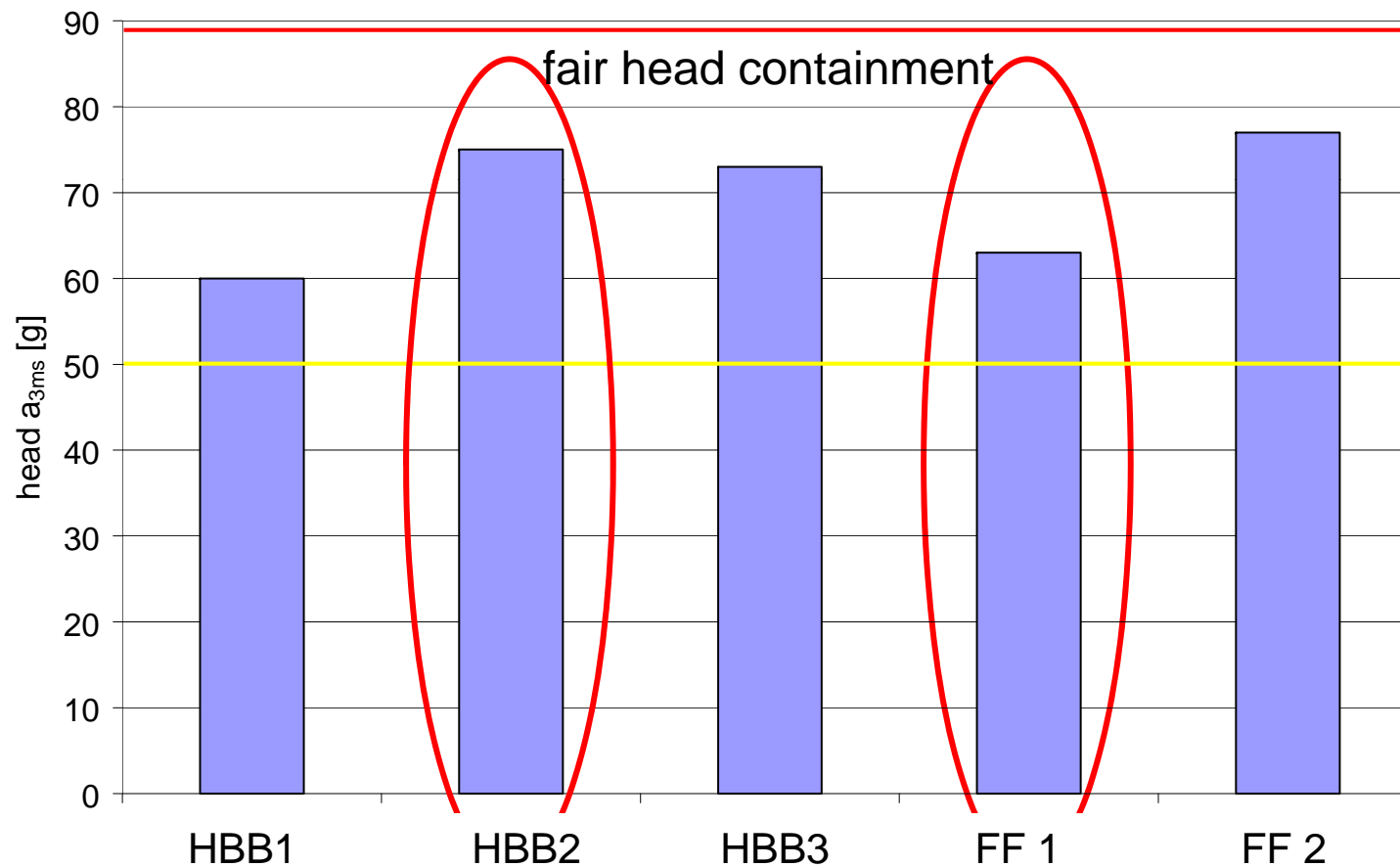
## CHILD proposal side impact procedure



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## CHILD proposal side impact procedure




## 1. Situation at the Beginning of CASPER



### GRSP Informal Group on CRS

- IG CRS started to develop new regulation for homologation of CRS in 2008
  - start with ISOFIX integral harness system

# 1. Situation at the Beginning of CASPER

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- GRSP Informal Group on CRS
- Agenda GRSP IG CRS
    - review frontal impact and rear impact
    - introduction of side impact test procedure
    - introduction of Q dummy family
    - new classification system
    - universal support leg definition
    - ...

## 1. Situation at the Beginning of CASPER



### GRSP Informal Group on CRS

- Lateral impact test procedure
  - review of different protocols
    - ISO / NPACS
    - ADAC
    - NHTSA / TAKATA
    - Australia / New Zealand
  - none of the reviewed test procedure accepted

# 1. Situation at the Beginning of CASPER



## GRSP Informal Group on CRS

- Lateral impact test procedure (2)
  - decision to develop own test procedure taking into account
    - energy management
    - kinematics
  - request to ISO TC22 SC 12 WG1 to support

## 1. Situation at the Beginning of CASPER



### GRSP Informal Group on CRS

- CASPER decided to allocate resources to support GRSP IG CRS
  - CASPER asked GRSP what the most preferred contribution would be
  - answer: validation of lateral impact test procedure

## 2. CASPER Priorities for Impact Types



### Frontal Impact Test Procedure

- Not yet reviewed
- Accident data supports high priority of frontal impact test procedure

## 2. CASPER Priorities for Impact Types



### Lateral Impact Test Procedure

- Accident data supports high priority of lateral impact test procedure
- Injuries are mainly connected with intrusion

## 2. CASPER Priorities for Impact Types



### Rear Impact Test Procedure

- Accident data indicates: rarely fatal and severe injuries even with heavy car deformation
- ECE R44 + Australia/NZ regulation consider rear impact for RF CRS
- CASPER considers existing procedures as sufficient

## 2. CASPER Priorities for Impact Types



### Roll Over Test Procedure

- Accident data: rarely fatal and severe injuries for restrained children
- ECE R44 considers roll over
  - quasi static roll over
  - 360° turn (X and Y)
- CASPER considers proposal for improvement (see next slides)

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#### Roll Over Test Procedure

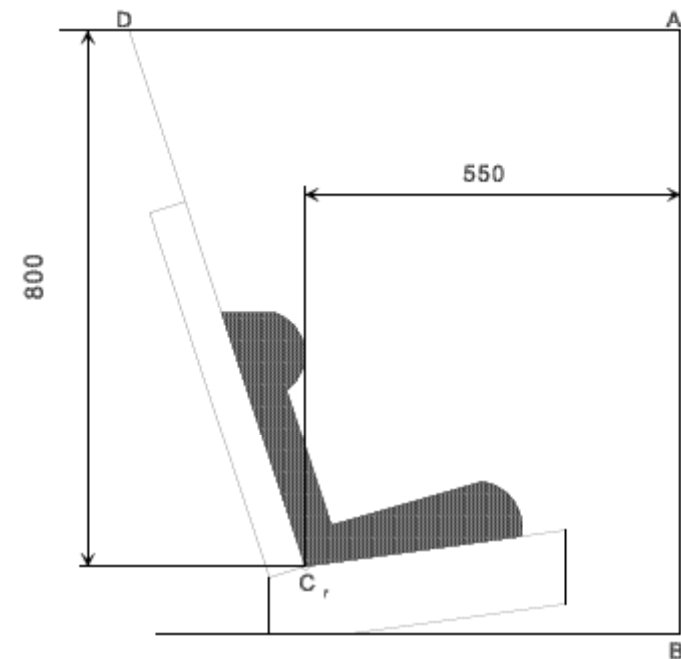
- Current assessment ECE R44
  - relative movement of head in upside down position

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#### Roll Over Test Procedure (2)

- Proposal for improvement ECE R44
  - add absolute limit for head excursion (i.e., plane AD)



Dimensions in mm

### 3. Activities for Test Procedures



#### Lateral Impact Test Procedure

- GRSP test procedure
  - based on ECE R44 rear impact
  - new frontal impact test bench 90°
  - relative movement between flat door and test bench
  - flat door panel with padding according to ISO proposal

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#### Lateral Impact Test Procedure (2)

- GRSP test procedure (2)
  - initial velocity originally 7 to 7.4 m/s (new proposal 6 to 7.2 m/s)
  - stopping distance originally 300 mm corresponding to 250 mm intrusion (new proposal 250 mm with 200 mm intrusion)

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#### Lateral Impact Test Procedure (3)

- Proposed Criteria

	Q0	Q1	Q1.5	Q3	Q6
HIC	600	600	600	800	800
$a_{3ms}$ head	75g	75g	75g	80g	80g
head contain- ment	Head shall not pass through head containment plane which is positioned in a distance of [55] mm from panel outside				

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#### Lateral Impact Test Procedure (4)

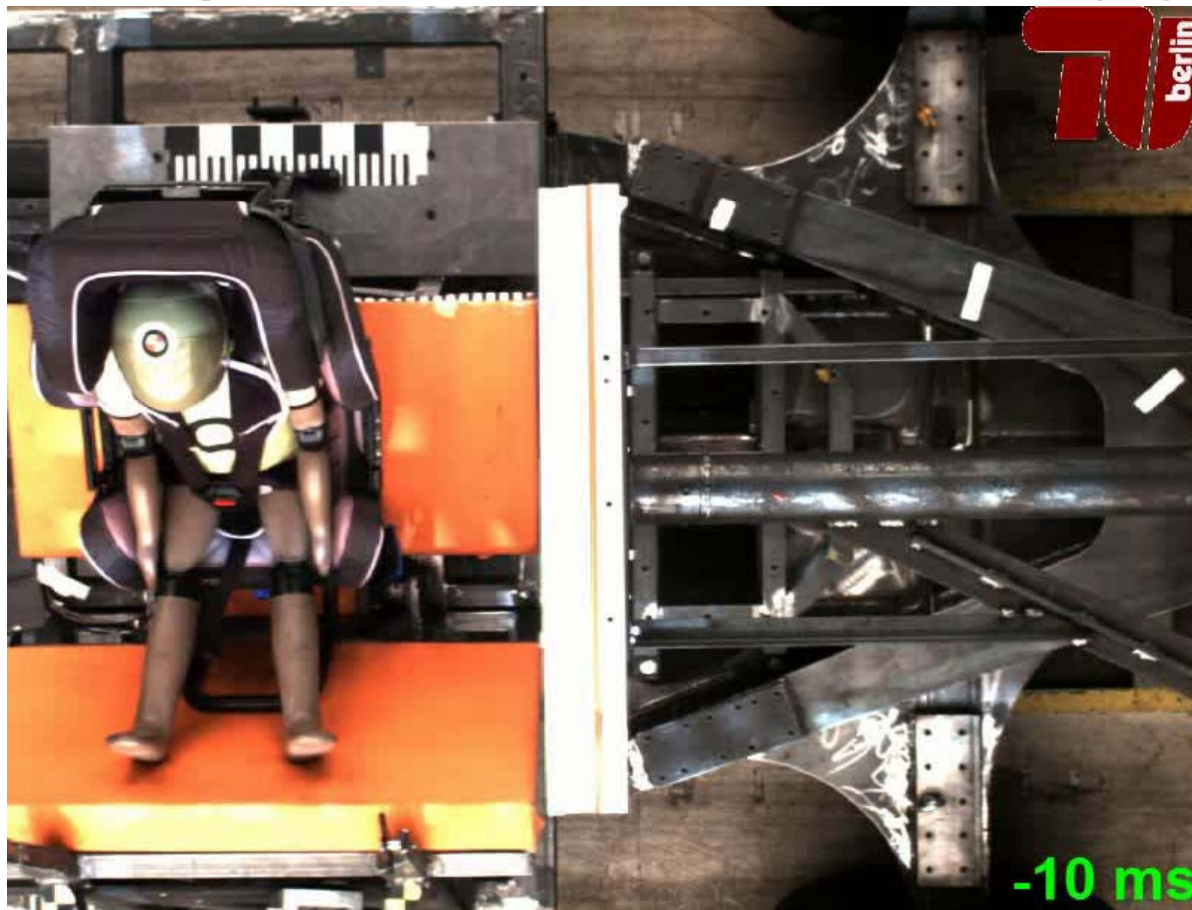


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## Lateral Impact Test Procedure (5)

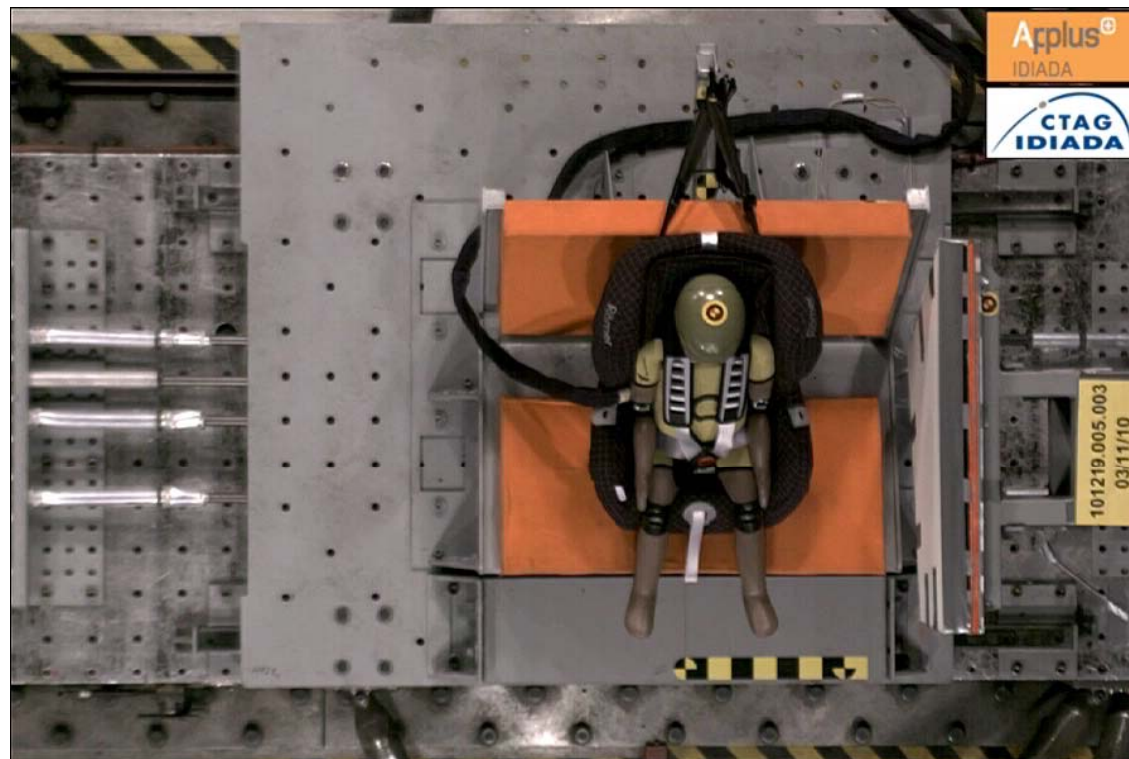


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#### Lateral Impact Test Procedure (6)

- Feasibility (acceleration sled)



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#### Lateral Impact Test Procedure (7)

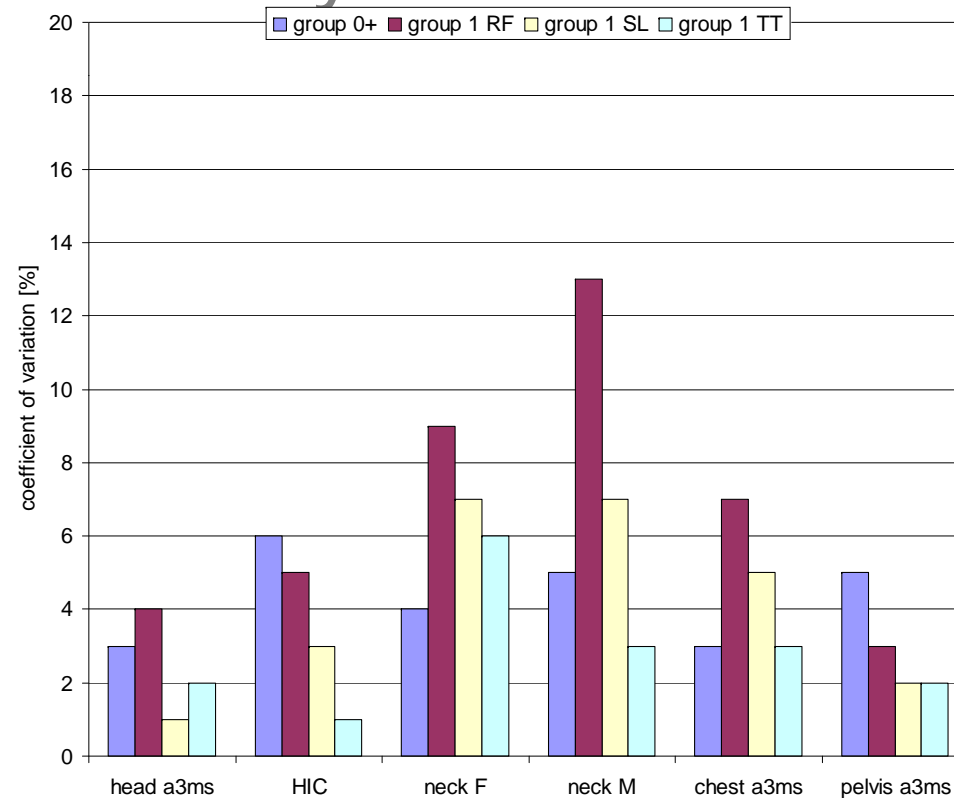
- Check of repeatability and reproducibility
  - cooperation with
    - Britax
    - Dorel
    - CSI and TNO planned

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## Lateral Impact Test Procedure (8)

- Repeatability



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#### Lateral Impact Test Procedure (9)

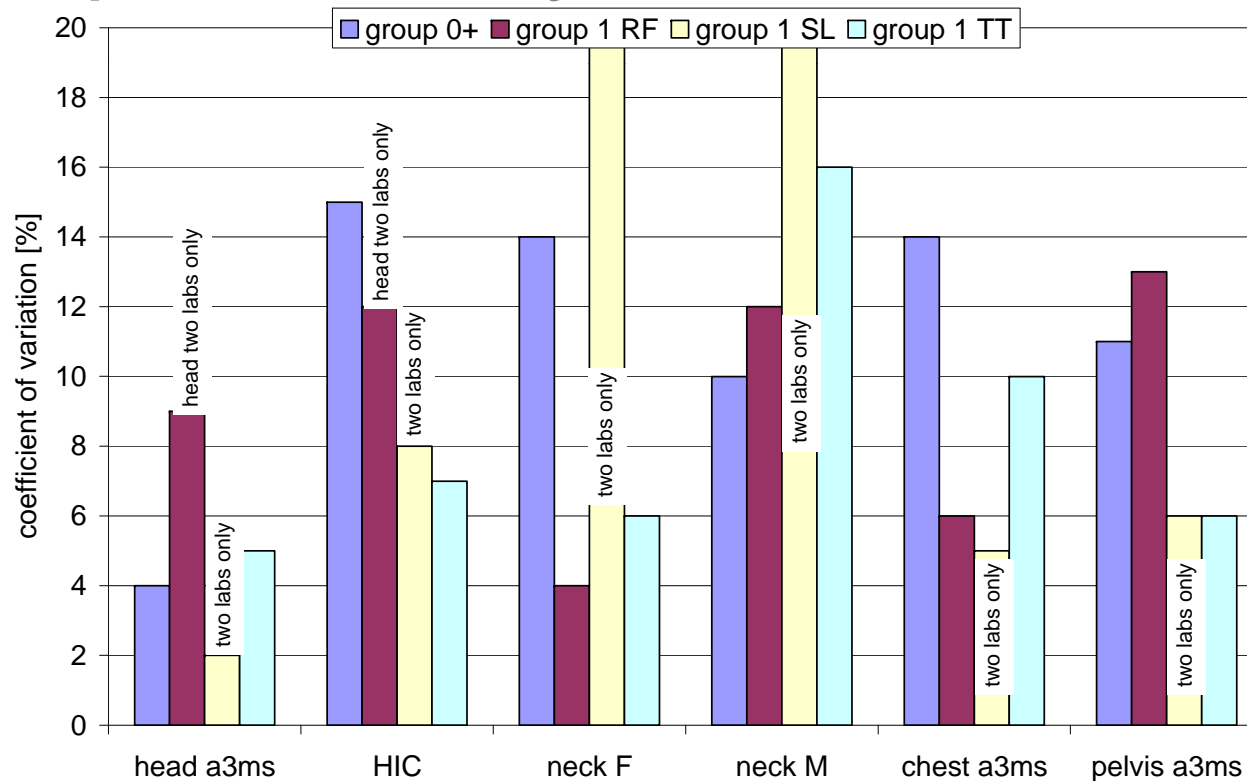
- Reproducibility
  - Tests conducted at
    - Britax (PU tubes)
    - Dorel (hydraulic brake)
    - IDIADA (acceleration sled)
    - TUB (bar brake)

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## Lateral Impact Test Procedure (10)

- Reproducibility



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#### Lateral Impact Test Procedure (11)

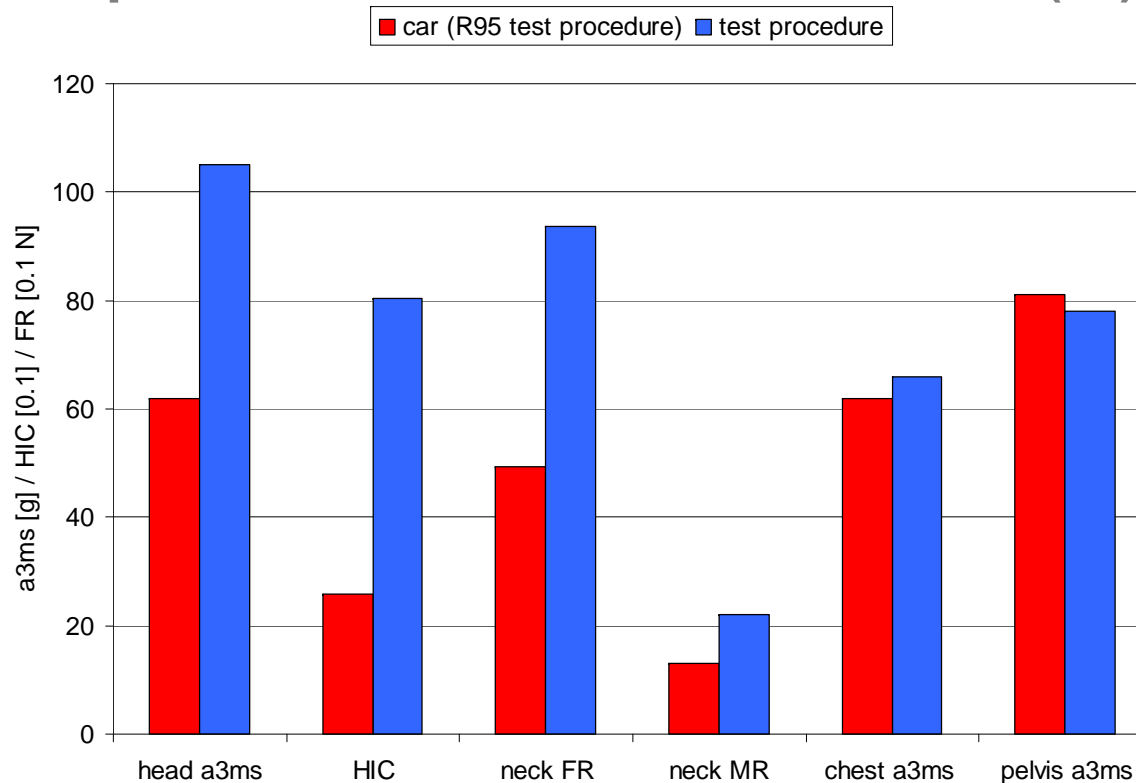
- Comparison with car tests (1)
  - TUB conducted Euro NCAP like test with car of early 2000
    - group I FF in front at struck side with ISOFIX
    - group 0+ in rear at struck side with SL

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## Lateral Impact Test Procedure (12)

- Comparison with car tests (2)



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#### Lateral Impact Test Procedure (13)

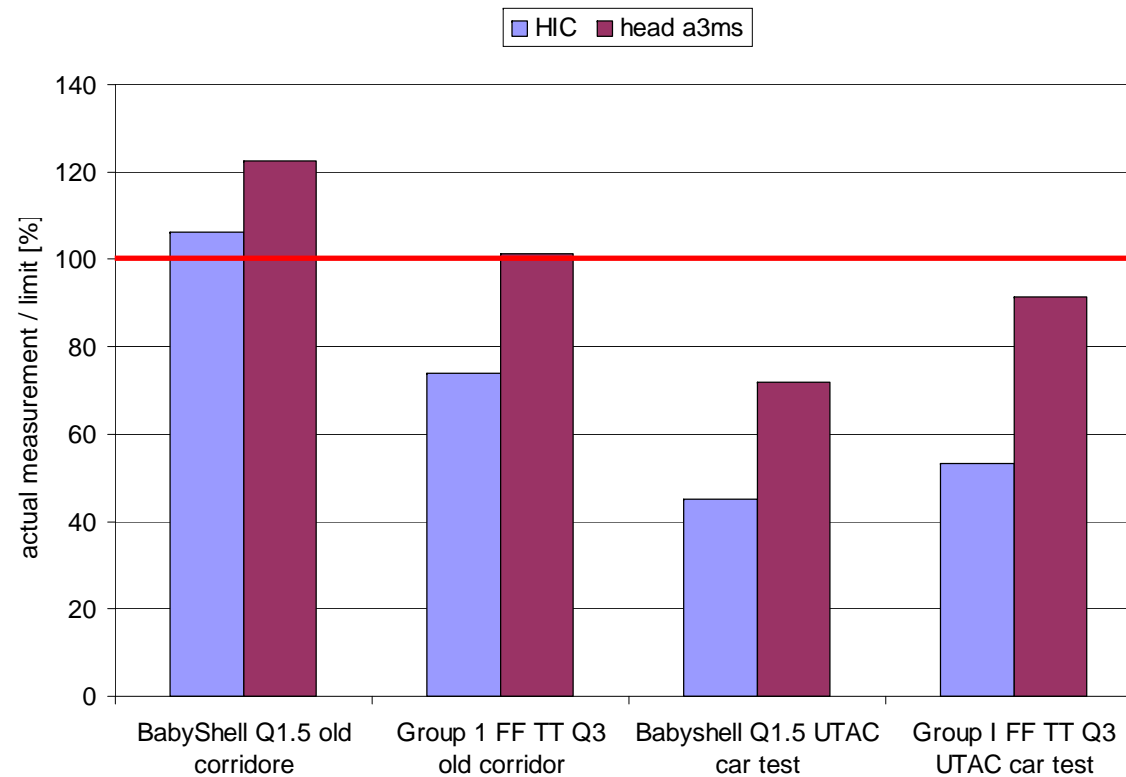
- Comparison with FST (3)
  - LAB and UTAC conducted side impact tests with recent car with ISOFIX
    - AEMDB
    - group I FF in front at struck side with ISOFIX and TT
    - group 0+ in rear at struck side with SL
    - tests with and w/o side airbag

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## Lateral Impact Test Procedure (14)

- Comparison with FST (4)



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#### Lateral Impact Test Procedure (15)

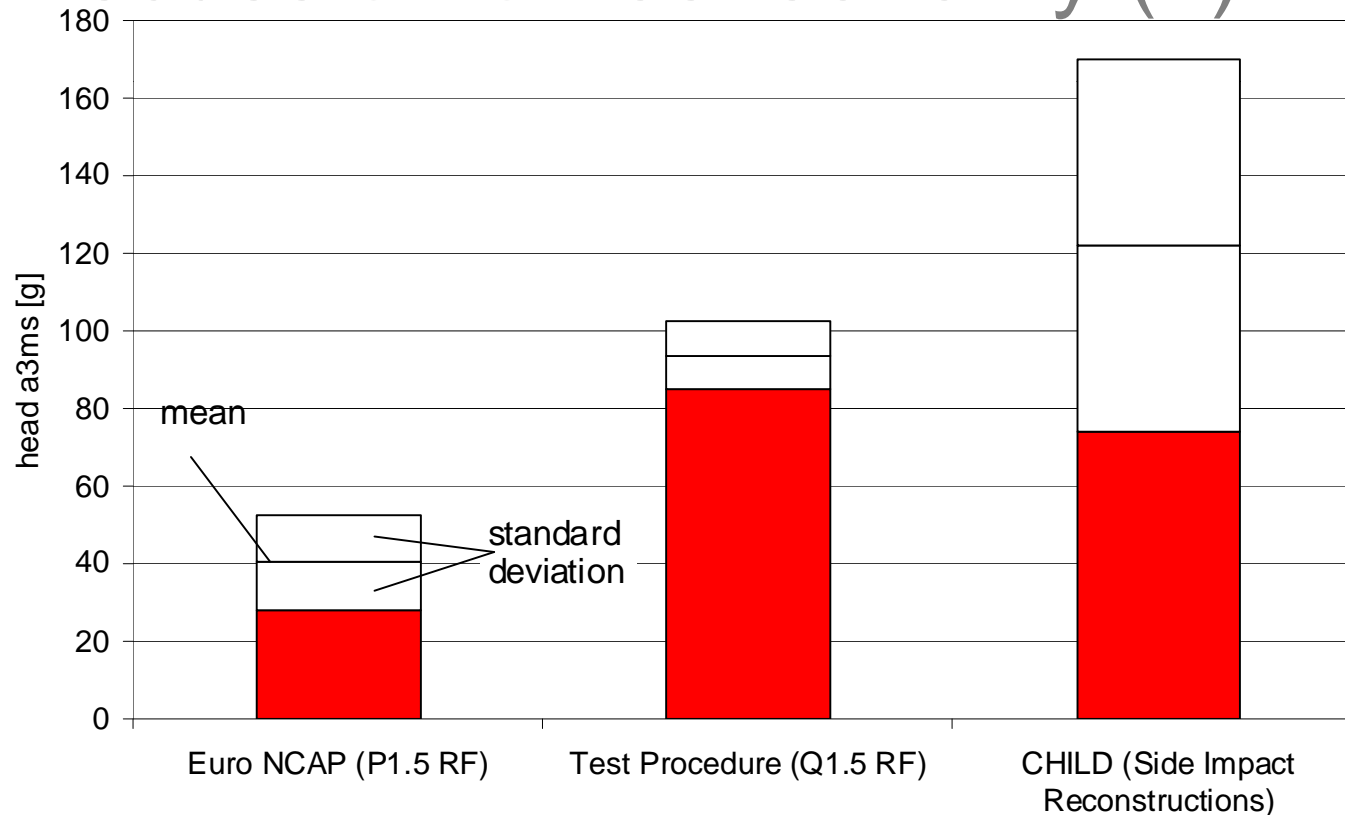
- Discussion of test severity (1)
  - Compared to car tests the severity of the procedure seems to be too high
  - CRS optimisations at TUB to fulfill requirements of test procedure resulted in worse dummy loads in car-to-car tests
  - Experience show more challenging dummy readings in smaller dummies

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## Lateral Impact Test Procedure (16)

- Discussion of test severity (2)



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#### Lateral Impact Test Procedure (17)

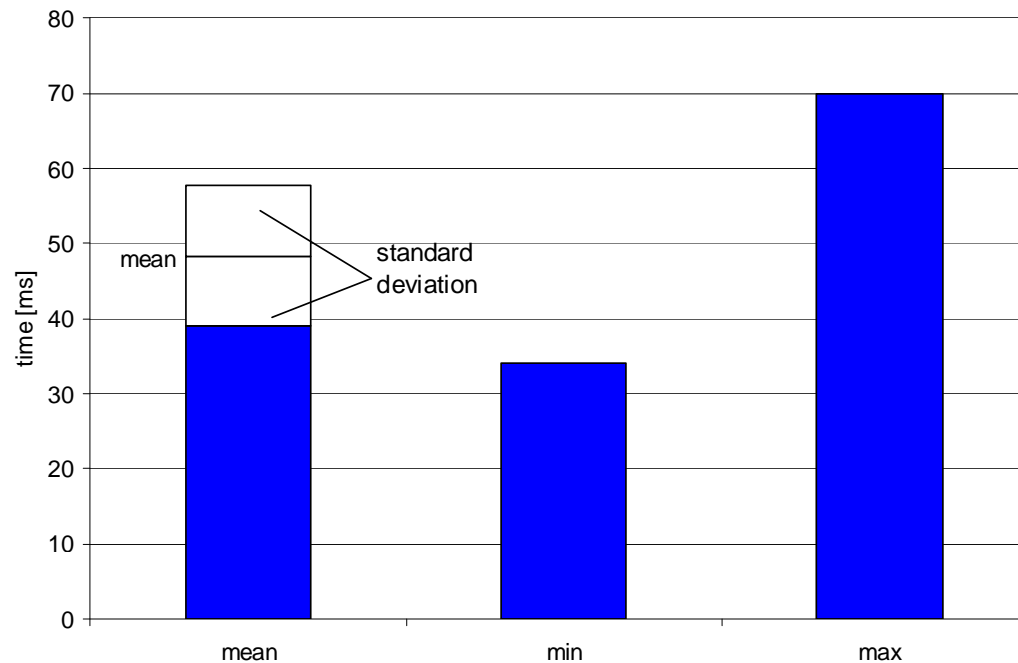
- Discussion of test severity (3)
  - corridors for the test procedure were based on findings presented in ISO PAS 13396
  - timing issues have not been considered

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#### Lateral Impact Test Procedure (18)

- Discussion of test severity (4)
  - time of head acceleration max. (FST)

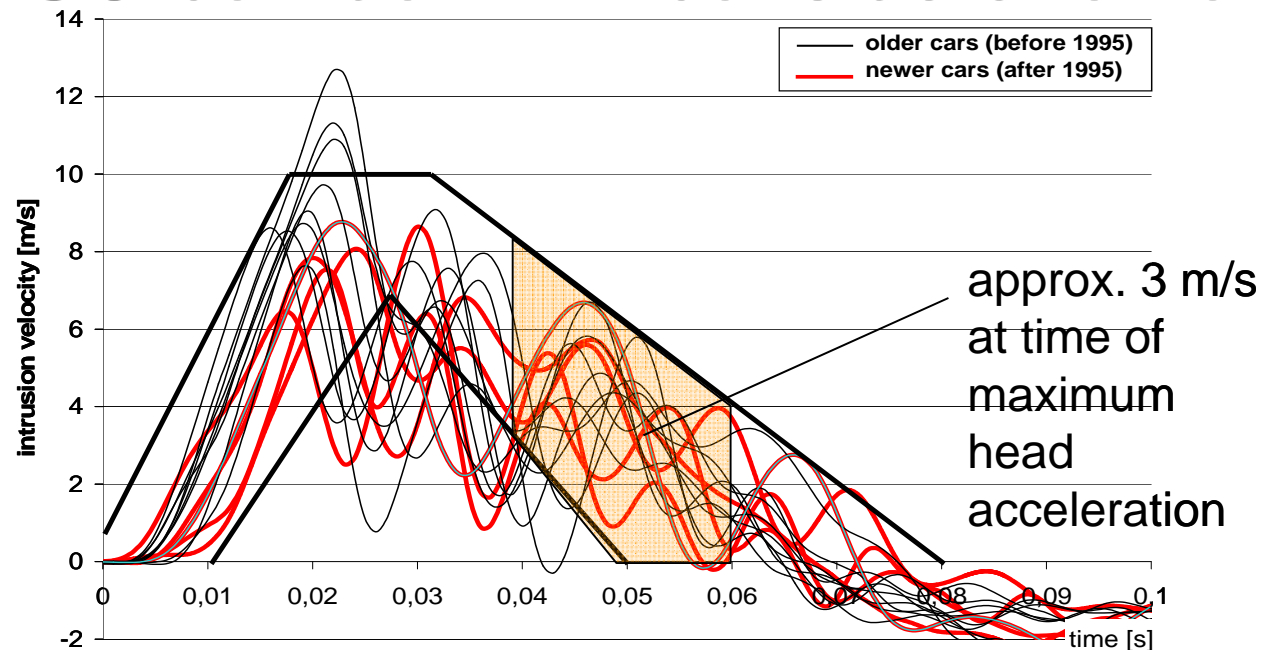


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## Lateral Impact Test Procedure (19)

- Discussion of test severity (5)
  - ISO corridor with consideration of timing

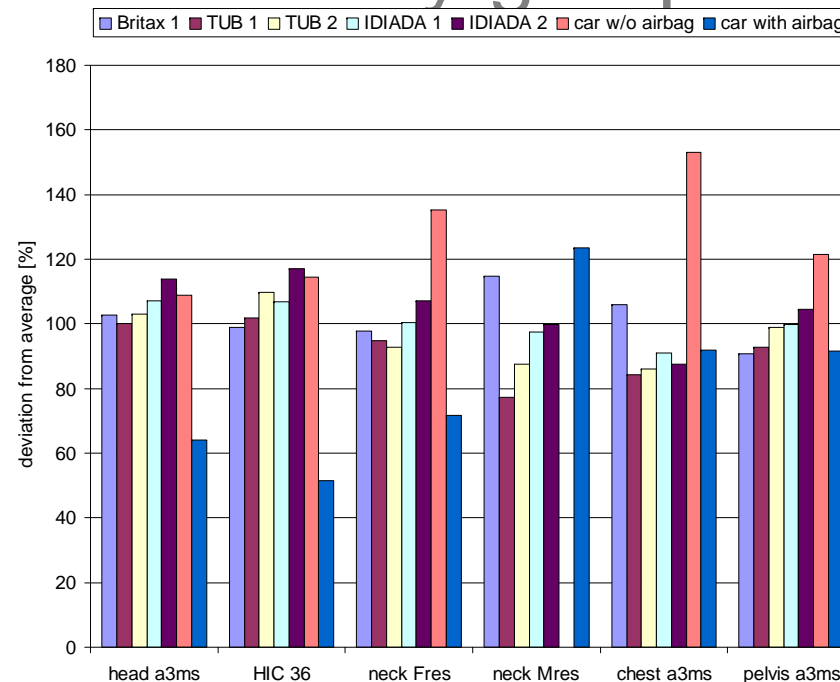


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## Lateral Impact Test Procedure (20)

- Discussion of test severity (6)
  - new test severity group 1 FF TT

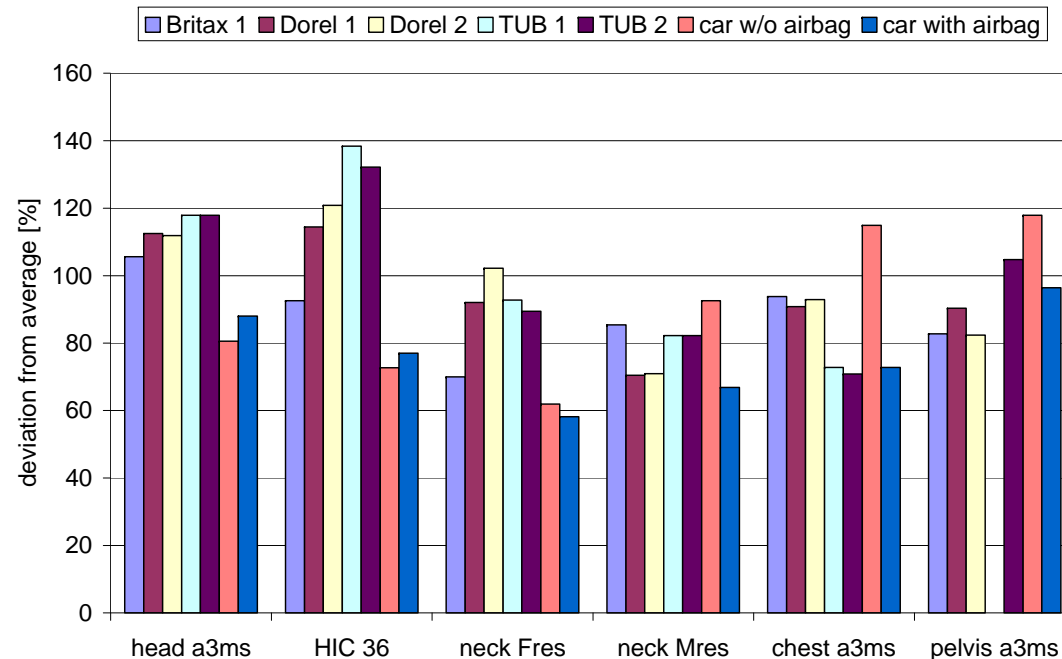


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## Lateral Impact Test Procedure (21)

- Discussion of test severity (7)
  - new test severity group 0+ SL





# Questions?

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