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Autonomous Vehicles: Challenges, Opportunities and Future Implications

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Autonomous vehicles use sensors to perceive their environments and take appropriate actions based on these perceptions. Sensors form the core of autonomous vehicles. The types of sensors used in autonomous vehicles are large and vary across different applications of autonomous vehicles and types of autonomous vehicles.

This Special Issue is dedicated to recent advances and future implications in autonomous vehicles sensors technology, like autonomous navigation, communications, multi-sensor data fusion, big data processing for autonomous vehicle navigation, sensors related to science/research, algorithms/technical development, analysis tools, sensors energy efficiency, artificial intelligence and deep learning methods for autonomous vehicle navigation, and synergy with sensors in navigation. Your contributions can address current and emerging research and development issues, approaches, techniques, or applications; community, state, and/or international initiatives; and other topics related to autonomous vehicles sensors.

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