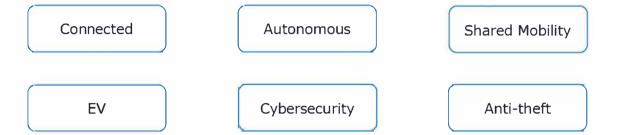


INFOTAINMENT EXPERT UX EVALUATION
Porsche Taycan

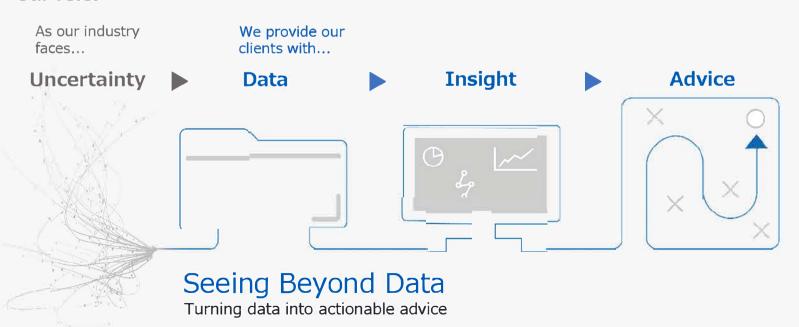
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Introduction

Introduction to this report series



Welcome to the third of SBD's 2020 infotainment expert user experience evaluation reports, part of a collection of twelve evaluations planned to be carried out this year. In these reports we provide an **expert evaluation** of the leading navigation and infotainment systems in the European, US, Chinese and Japanese markets (where applicable).

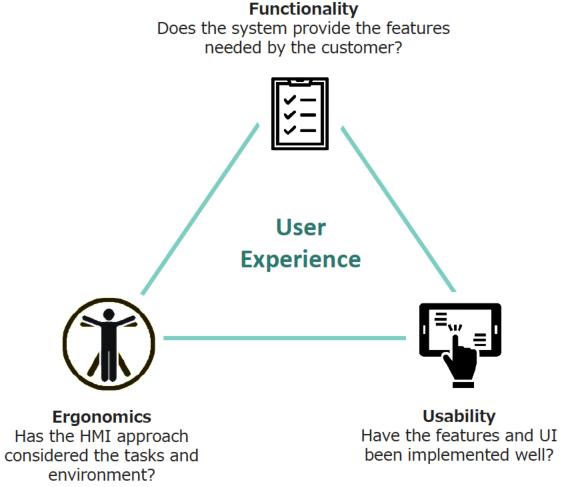
This report series has four main objectives which are aimed at supporting our clients at various stages of the development cycle.

Define areas of concern

Outline best practice

Provide tangible recommendations

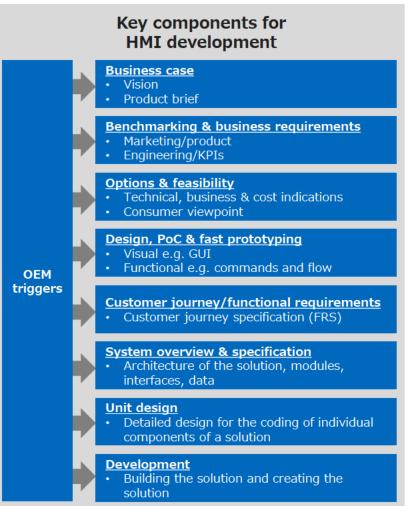
For these studies SBD evaluates the three core components of user experience, functionality, ergonomics and usability, to ensure a fair score can be provided across each system evaluated.



Development cycle and SBD expert test methodology



The methodology used by SBD has been refined over many years and is based on ISO 9241-110 principles. The methodology incorporates objective data results as well as subjective values that are used to derive an overall usability score with reasoning and analysis. SBD follows a modified V cycle approach when considering infotainment solutions with this **expert evaluation** being just one component of the verification and validation area.





SBD support areas for verification & validation Release Testing Smoke test, "happy path" test, typically for updates or maintenance releases **User Acceptance Testing** Testing that the completed and "bug free" solution works for the end user **User Acceptance Testing (check)** FRS document review **Expert review** UX/CX Ergonomics Consumer concept testing Monadic, sequential monadic assessments of concept options Regionalisation check Terminology review Cultural & legislation review Integration Testing Testing of how combined units of a solution cooperate efficiently Unit Testing Source code of each unit tested; each unit behaves as expected System Testing / End-to-End Testing • Testing of a complete system against its system

specifications

Expert testing methodology flow overview



This report takes the form of an expert technical evaluation. Tests focus on the navigation and infotainment systems and do not take into account the wider architecture of the car. This vehicle was **German specification** tested on motorways and urban roads in and around Munich, Germany. **Minor differences might exist for other markets**. Outlined on the next page are all the components of which SBD carried out some form of evaluation. Two SBD usability experts carry out expert evaluations of the system over a three-day duration.











Before vehicle testing

High level feature review to understand what the system may have and make sure no innovative HMI methods or features will be missed in the testing

Static vehicle testing

- First impressions
- Ergonomics
- Onboarding
- Voice
- · Use case/task list testing

Dynamic vehicle testing

- Voice
- Use case/task list testing

Validation & comparison of results

Final scoring of the solution taking into account all testing with results validated against past tests and competitor solutions

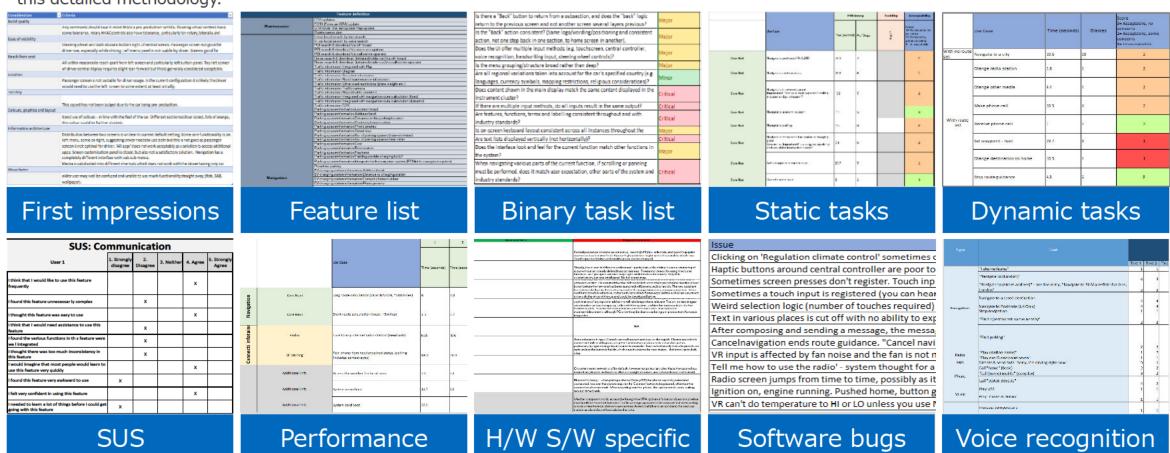
Reporting

Final reporting including the PowerPoint report and Excel raw data scoring document

Methodology



SBD's UX testing methodology covers many different areas and in some cases is a reduced test specification. A prime example of this is the voice recognition testing which can be carried out in much greater depth for bespoke client projects compared to the test specification used for this report series. Outlined below are the major test components for this evaluation series – if required SBD will be happy to take any clients through this detailed methodology.



Please note this evaluation service does not include the following methodologies: smartphone companion app UAT, smartphone mirroring, detailed voice recognition evaluation, ADAS HMI, content benchmark, detailed performance, consumer testing and biometric evaluations.

Planned vehicles to be evaluated this year



SBD has chosen 12 vehicles to evaluate in 2020, divided into three selection categories shown below.

New/Interesting UX; This could be due to never-seen-before features or functionality, or the implementation of a solution that has previously been a challenge or pain-point for end-users.

New Mass Market UX; These are vehicles in segments that are sold in high numbers and are entering a new generation of UI for that vehicle.

China/Japan Market UX; Chinese and Japanese consumers have differing expectations from Western markets, focusing more on bold, interesting user interfaces and an emphasis on Virtual Assistants (China) and detailed provision



Leading Ideal ONE



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Volkswagen ID.3



Porsche Taycan



Genesis GV80



Mustang Mach-E



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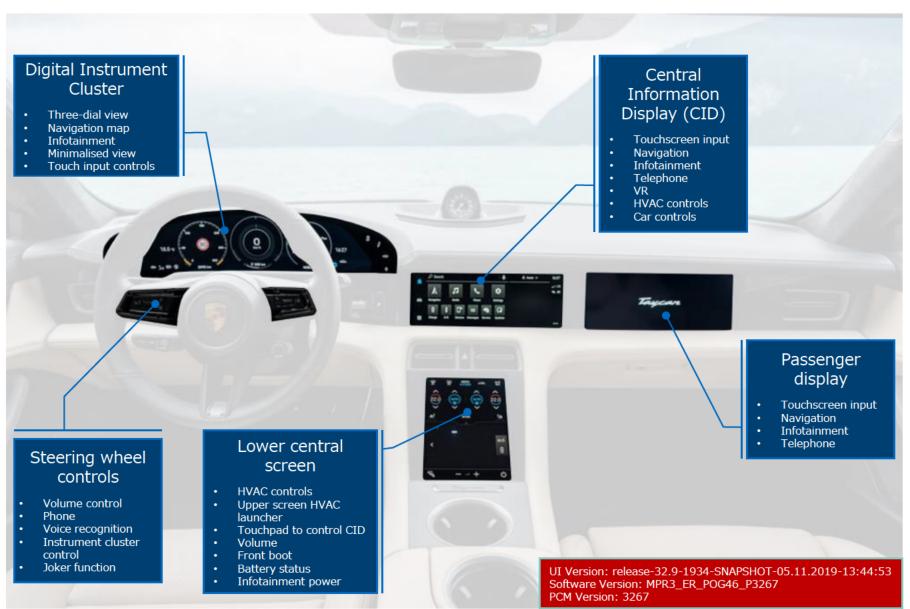
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Cadillac Escalade

System components





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Safety	bCall / Roadside Assistance
	Stolen Vehicle Tracking
Security	Stolen Vehicle Control
	Security Alert and Parental
	Controls Remote Diagnostics
Maintenance	Proactive Alerts
	Map Update
OTA Update	Other Software Updates
	Local and POI Search
	Send Destination to Car
	Route Search & Download
	Traffic Information
	Speed / Red Light Camera Info
Navigation	Parking Space Information
	Fuel Price Information
	Weather Information
	Location Sharing
	Last Mile Guidance
Driving Style	Connected Driving Style Coaching
	Social Networking
	Internet Radio / Music Streaming
	Events
	User Reviews / Reservations
Infotainment	News / Stocks / Sports
motamment	Calendar Integration
	E-Mail Integration
	Web Browser
	In-Vehicle Advertising
	App / Service Store
	Call Centre Concierge / iCall
	Virtual Personal Assistant
	Wi-Fi Hotspot
Convenience	Remote Vehicle Access
and Remote	Vehicle Locator
Services	Remote Climate Conditioning
	Remote Device: Car to Home
	Remote Device: Home to Car
	In-Vehicle Payment
INCLUSION	UBI
Insurance	Observing Obstine Information
EV Specific	Charging Station Information Charging Station Transaction

Subjective viewpoints: SBD tester 1



The Taycan is Porsche's first full EV, and while there's no doubt that Porsche has invested heavily in the drivetrain architecture, it has also rewritten the interior tech and design language. On entering the car, one is struck by the clean lines and immense real estate occupied by the four large LCD screens, the most notable being the curved

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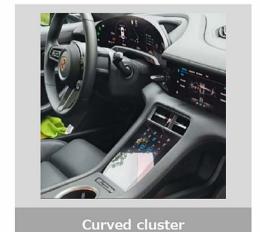
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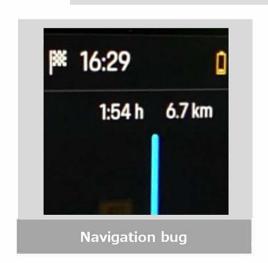
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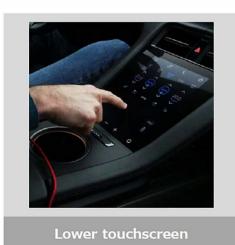
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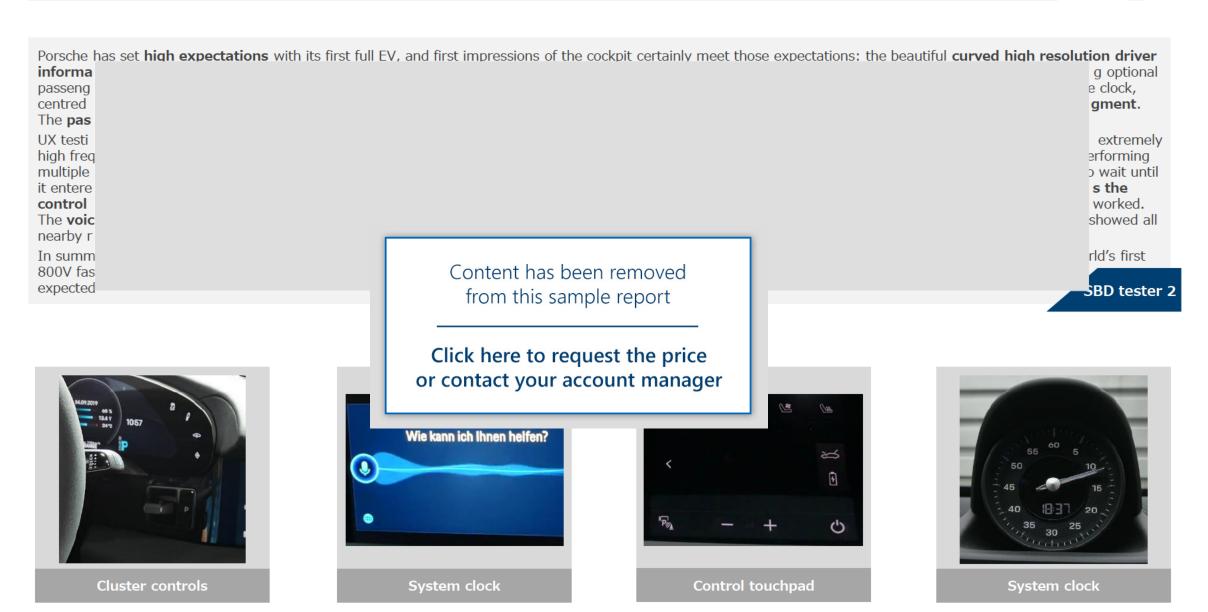






Subjective viewpoints: SBD tester 2







Executive Summary

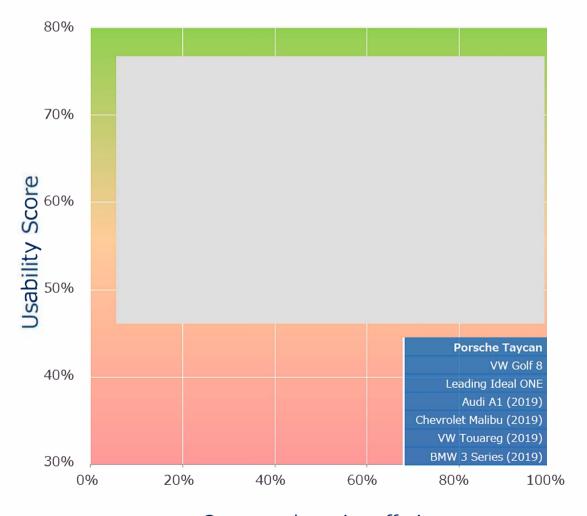
SBD 2020 UX scores



Porsche Taycan usability score

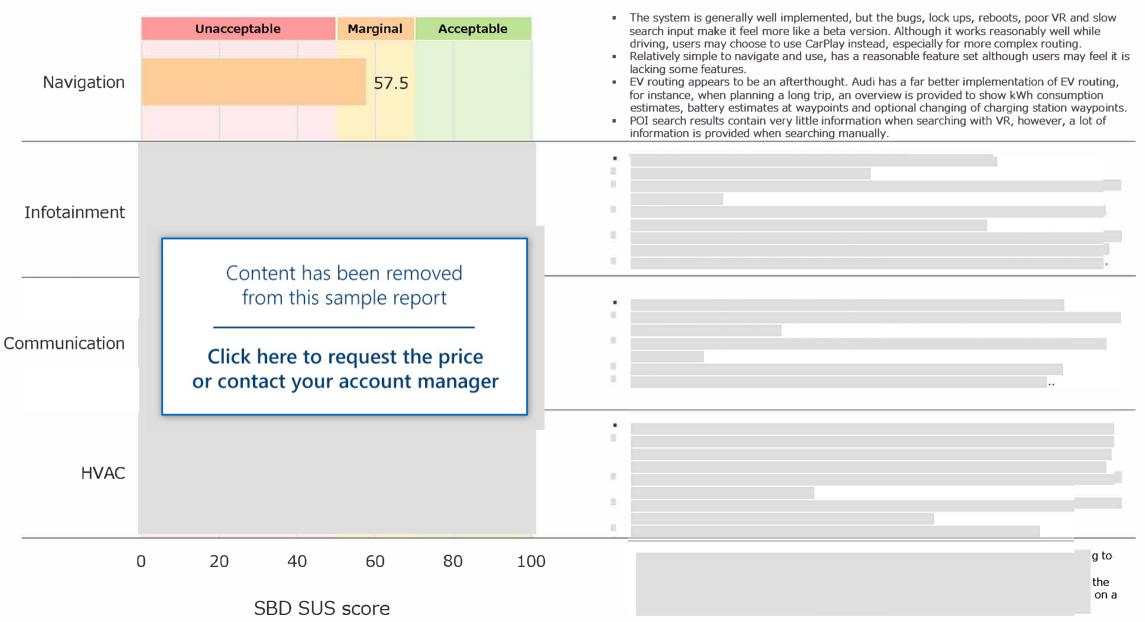
 Design-led approach that attempts to emulate the layout of the original 911 dashboard is mostly successful but the overall usability of the solution suffers because of this





System Usability Score (SUS) by feature grouping





Notable Points – passenger display with large feature set





Passenger display

The Porsche Taycan features an optional passenger display that matches the vehicle's standard-fit 10.9" central display.

This display offers almost all of the central display's main features, with certain features unavailable from this display such as HVAC and vehicle settings.

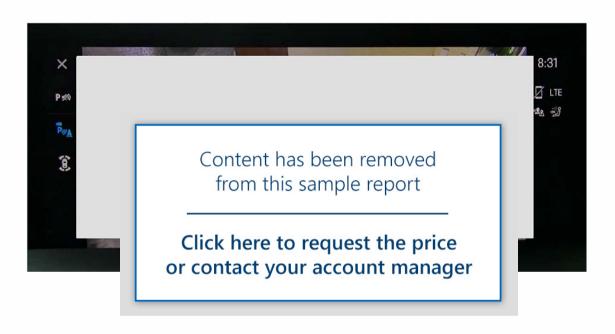
The lockout of these features from the additional display does not cause any perceivable negative experience as they are still accessible (even for the passenger, if required) by using the centre display.

As the passenger display reproduces the main features accessible through the main display (including infotainment, navigation) it doesn't provide a dramatic uplift in usability or general experience for the passenger like it could if passenger-specific entertainment features were included. The only additional feature is the 'Cockpit' app which provides minimal benefit.

Its inclusion however certainly does not provide a net negative experience as its positioning is adequate and provides the passenger their own interface to use while the driver is operating the central display or following route guidance.

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Usability	rating			
VERY POOR	POOR	OK	GOOD	VERY GOOD





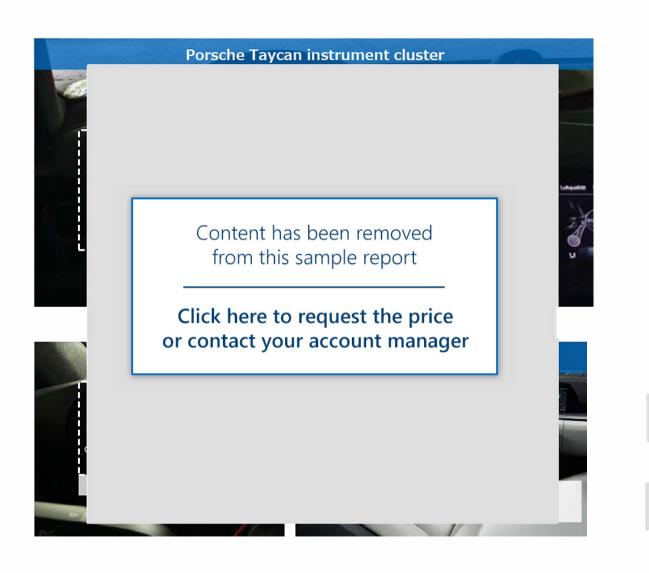


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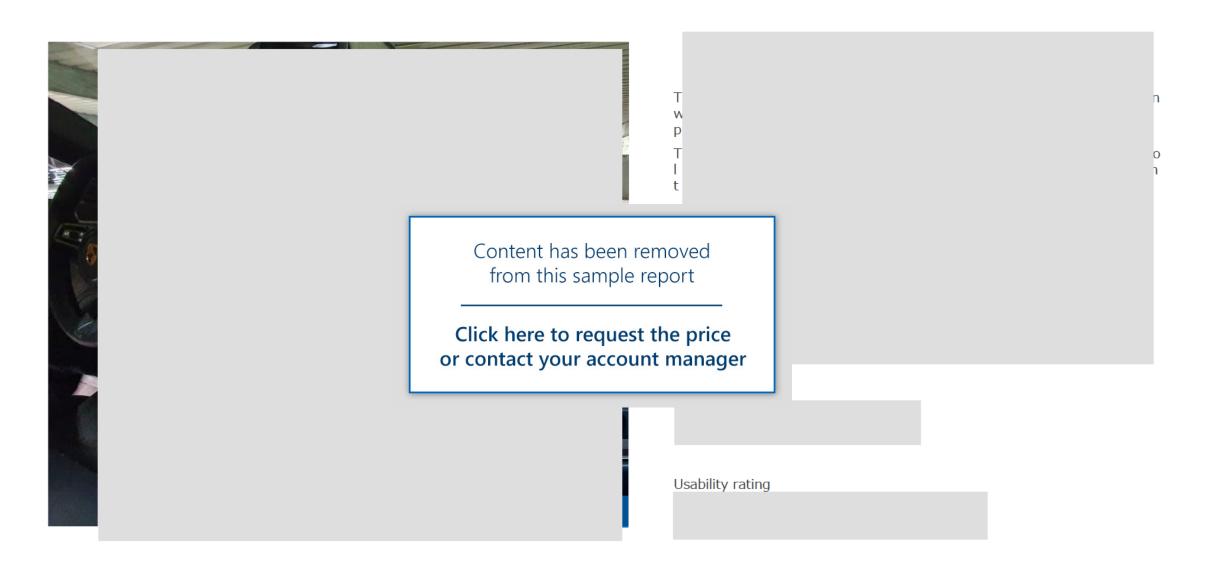
Notable Points -











Key system positive and negative points



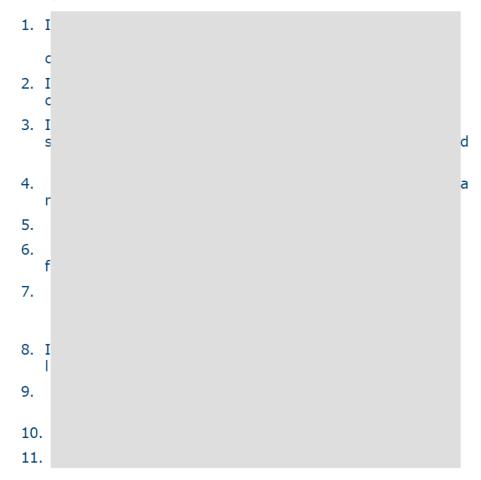


SBD recommendations



Usability testing highlighted some areas that could be improved upon. A number of these concerns could be amended based on the following recommendations.

These recommendations are categorised based on what SBD believes the likely impact on overall UX would be and how easy it could be to implement (based on complexity, cost and time).







Positive Points

Navigation shows good level of POI detail



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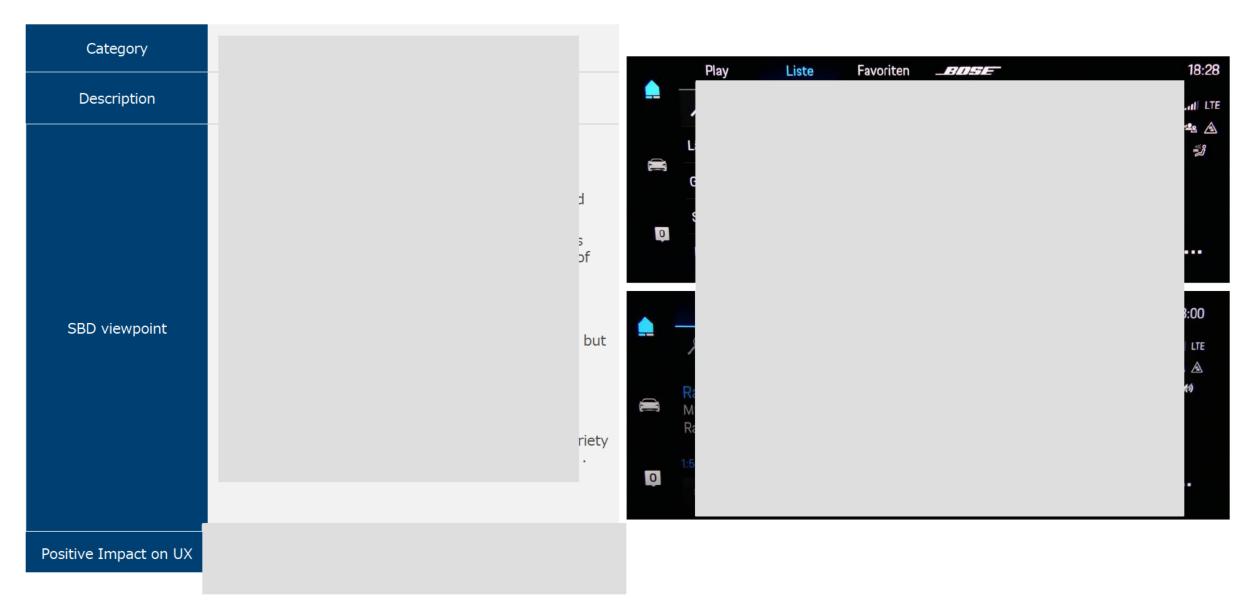








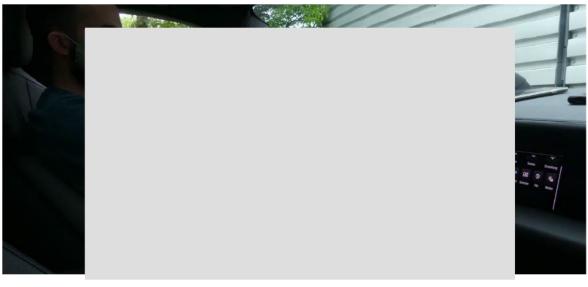




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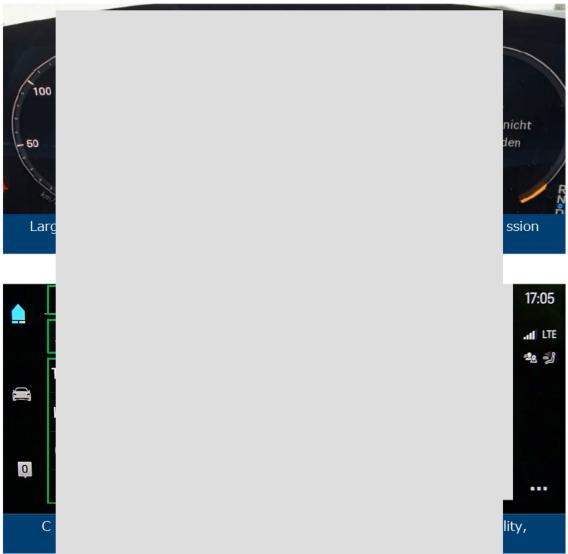






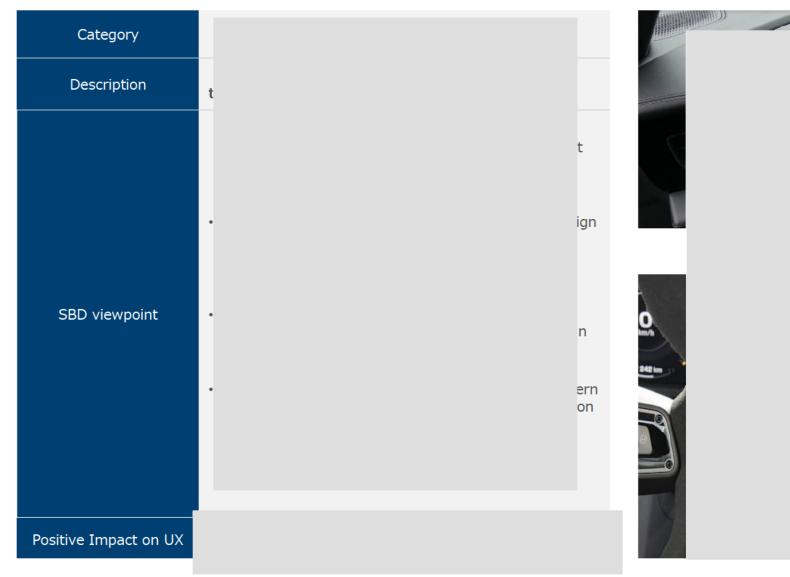


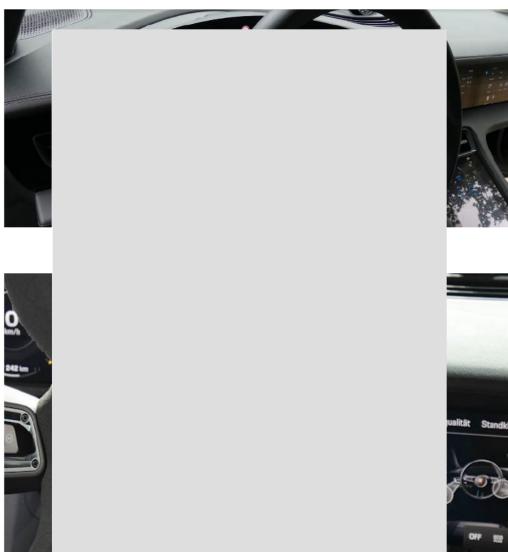












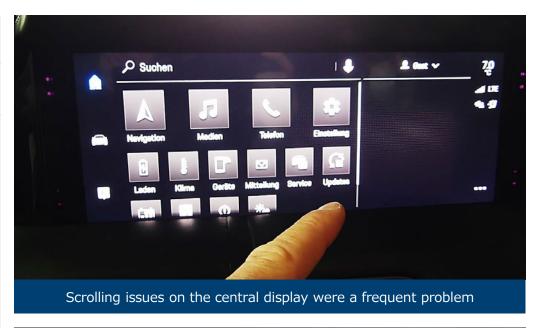


Negative Points

Numerous stability issues throughout



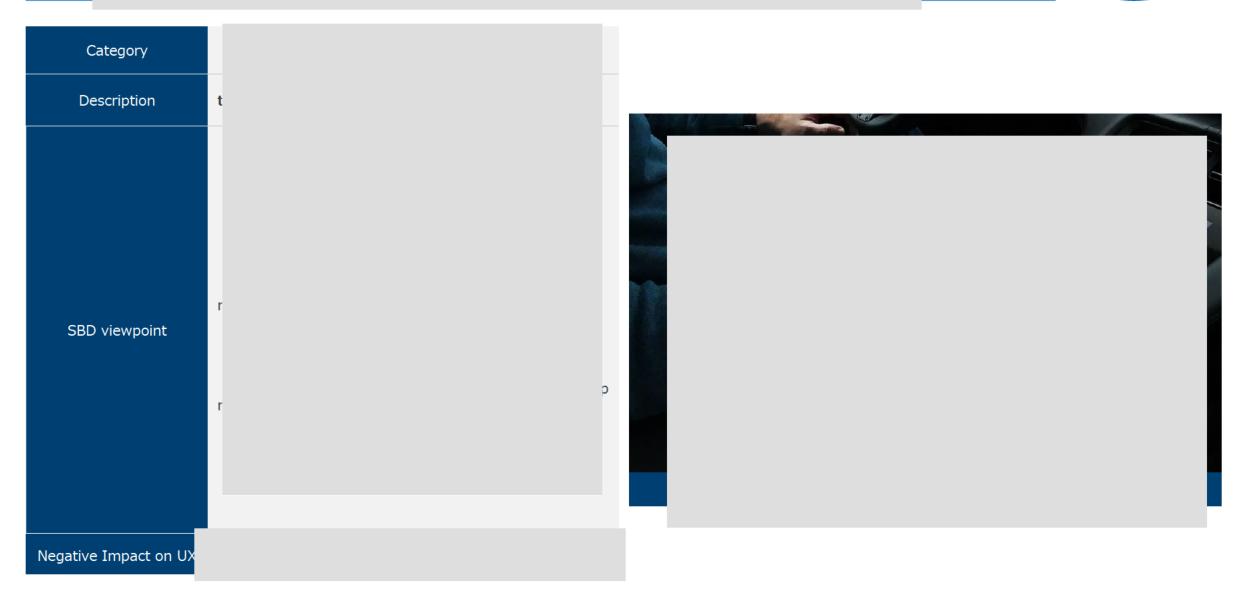
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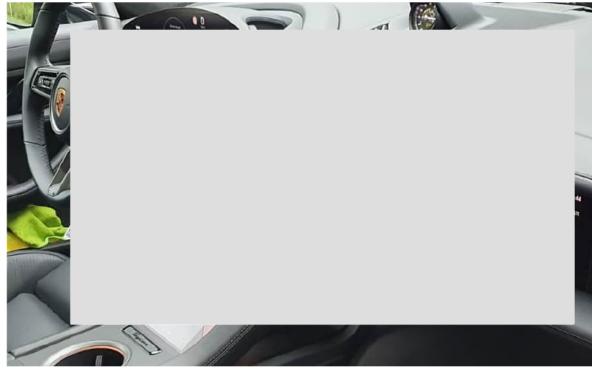
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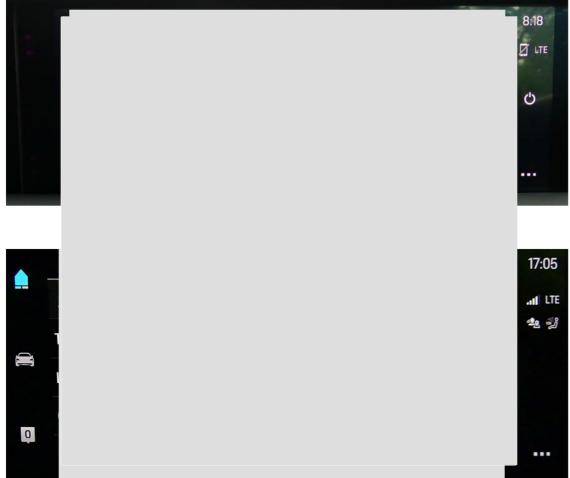




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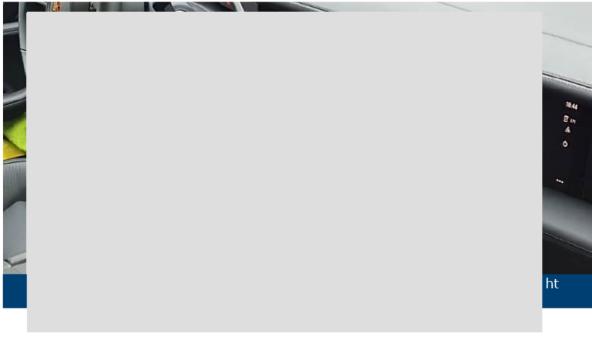








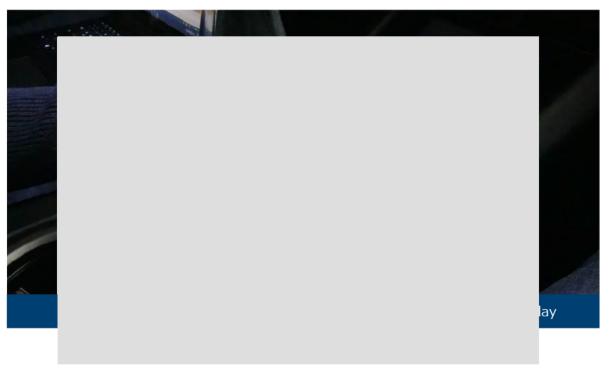




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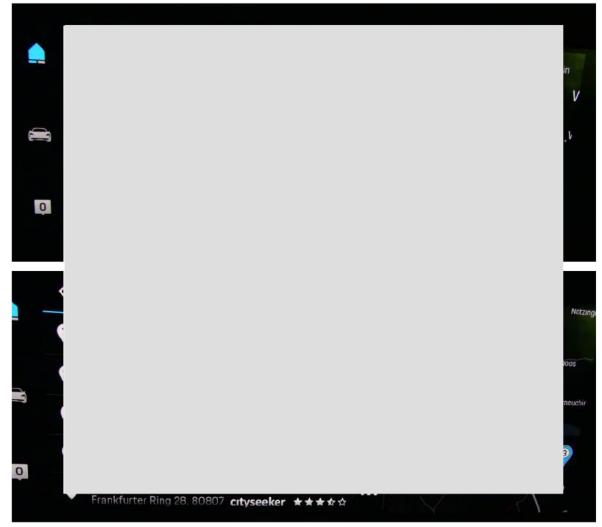


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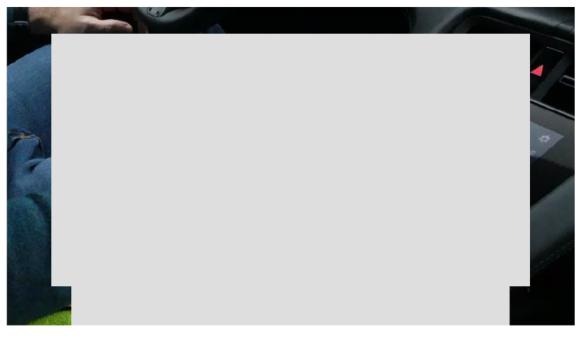


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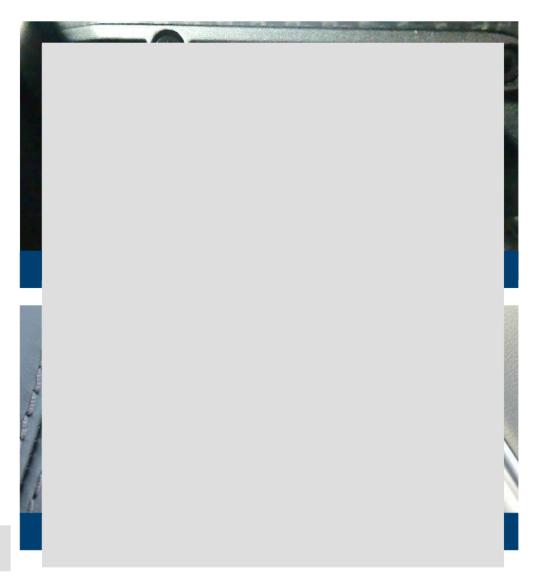
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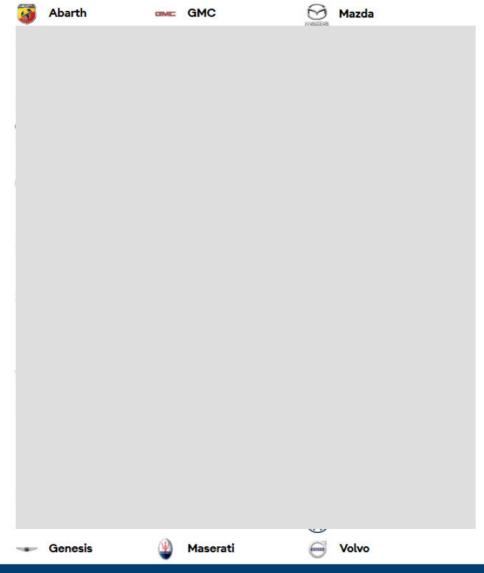










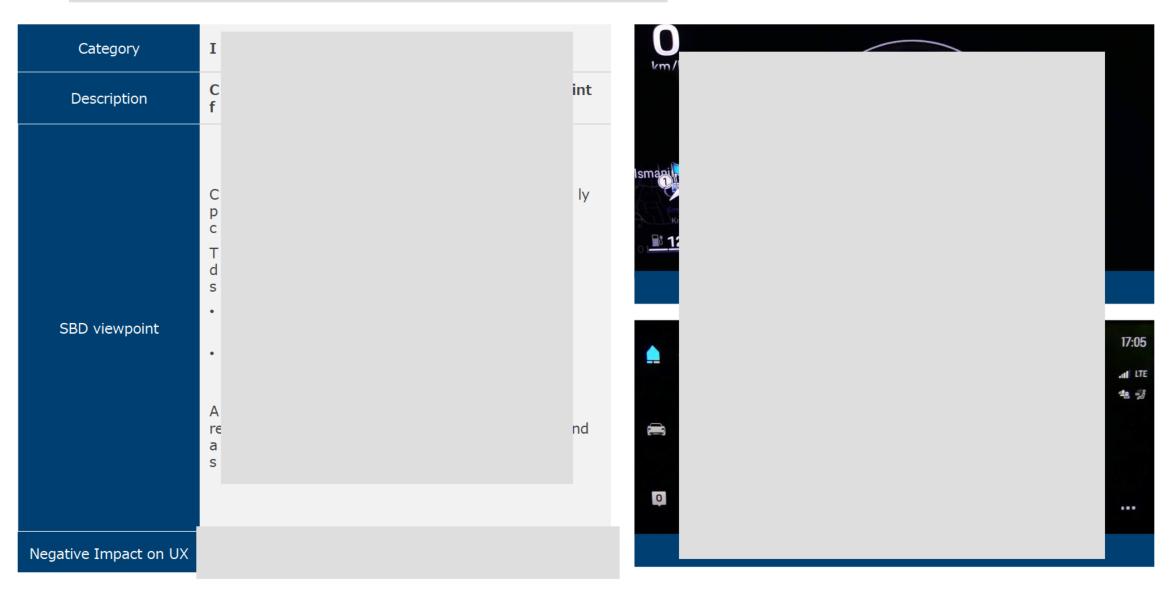


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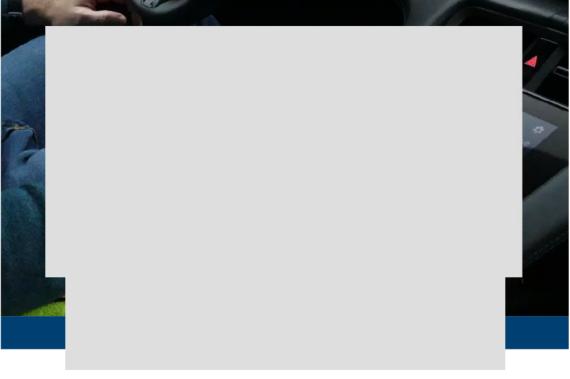


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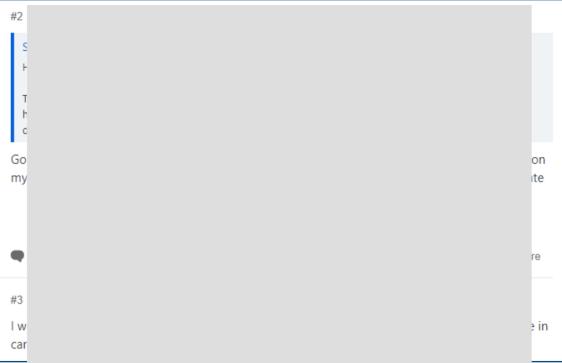


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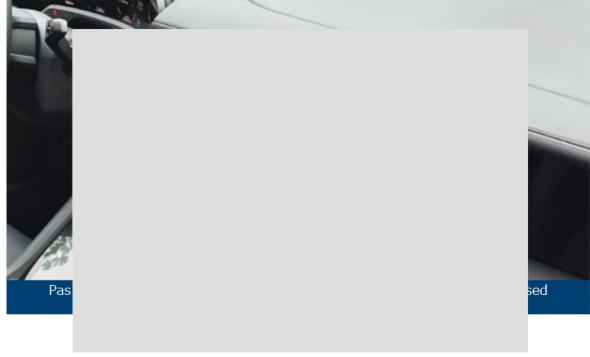








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Voice Recognition

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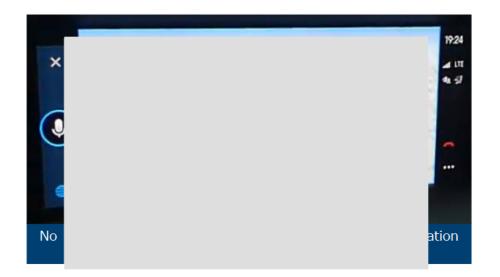
inputs in a more colloquial speech style.

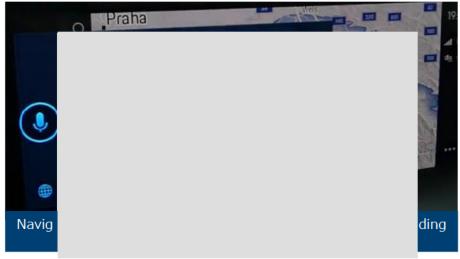
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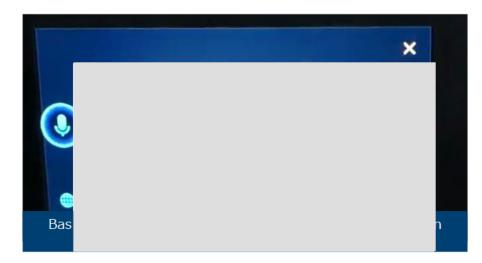
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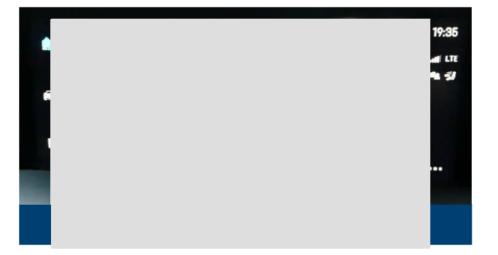


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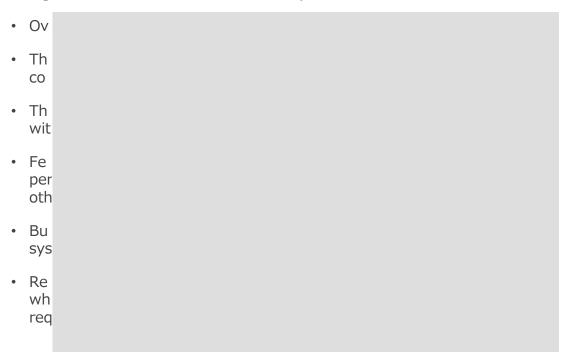




Evaluation results



Below are the key highlights and comparisons observed from voice recognition evaluation of the Porsche Taycan:







System Components

Overall system appearance



Cockpit clutter						
 Overall SBD viewpoint The fundamental approach of the Taycan's cockpit is design-based, resulting in a minimalistic and highly aesthetic dashboard that harks back to older Porsche models. On the dashboard itself there are only two hardware buttons, giving an extremely low level of clutter. Although this does sometimes come at a cost to functionality, the clutter score in isolation is Very Good. 						
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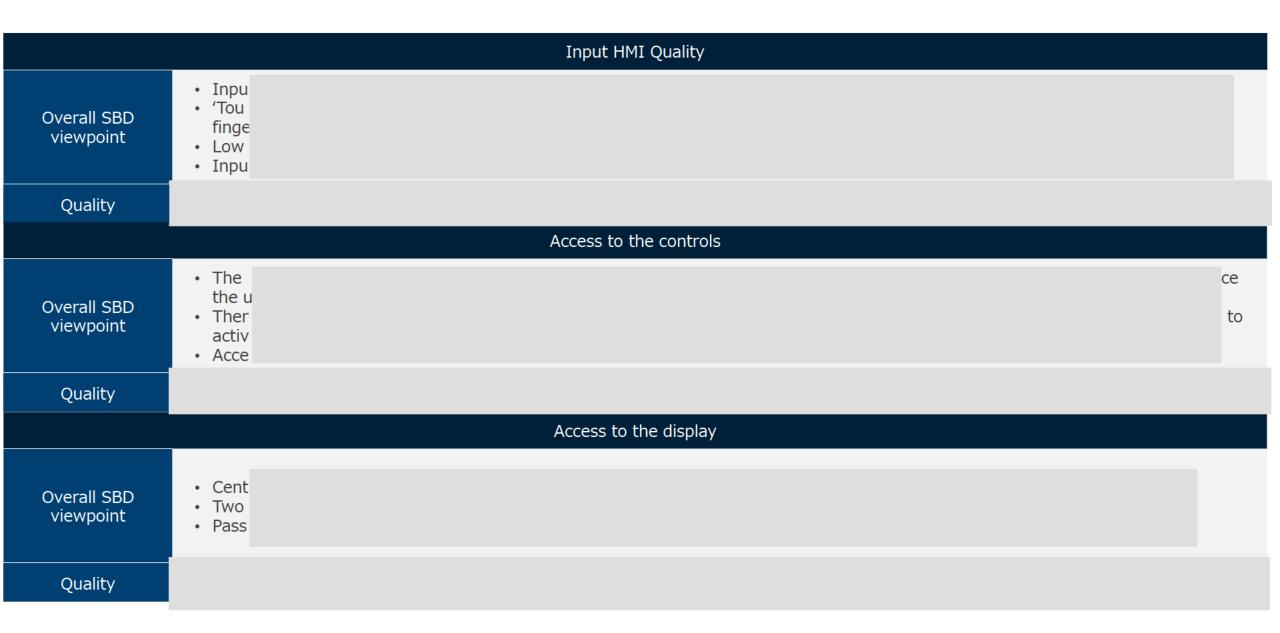
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Components: Passenger display



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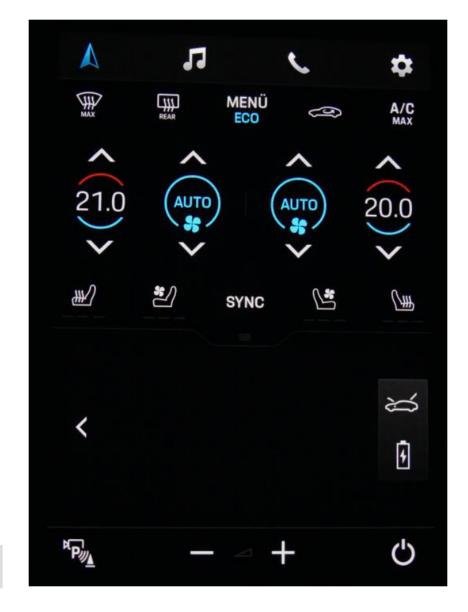
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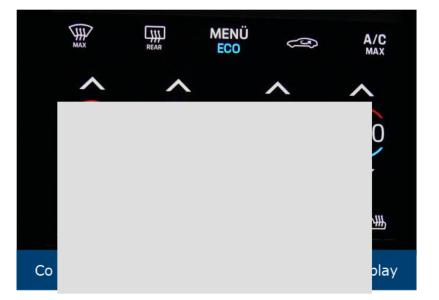
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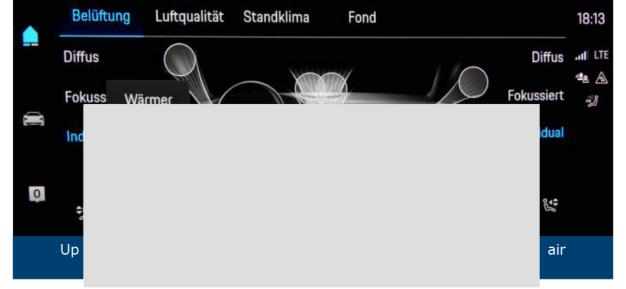


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Components: Instrument cluster



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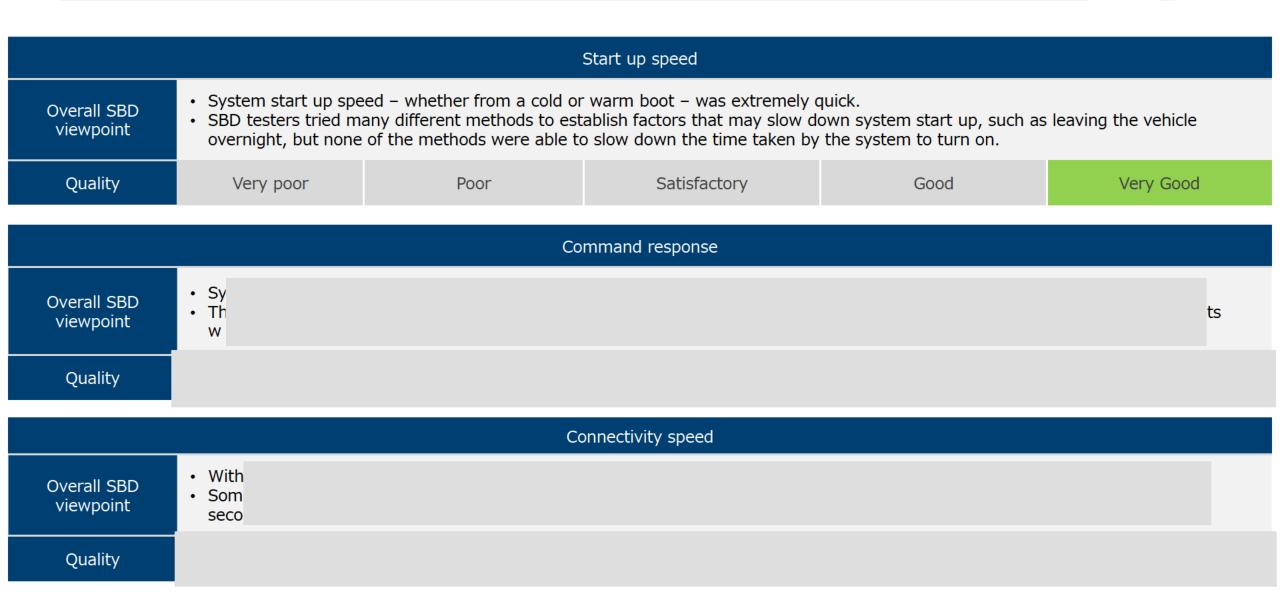




System Performance

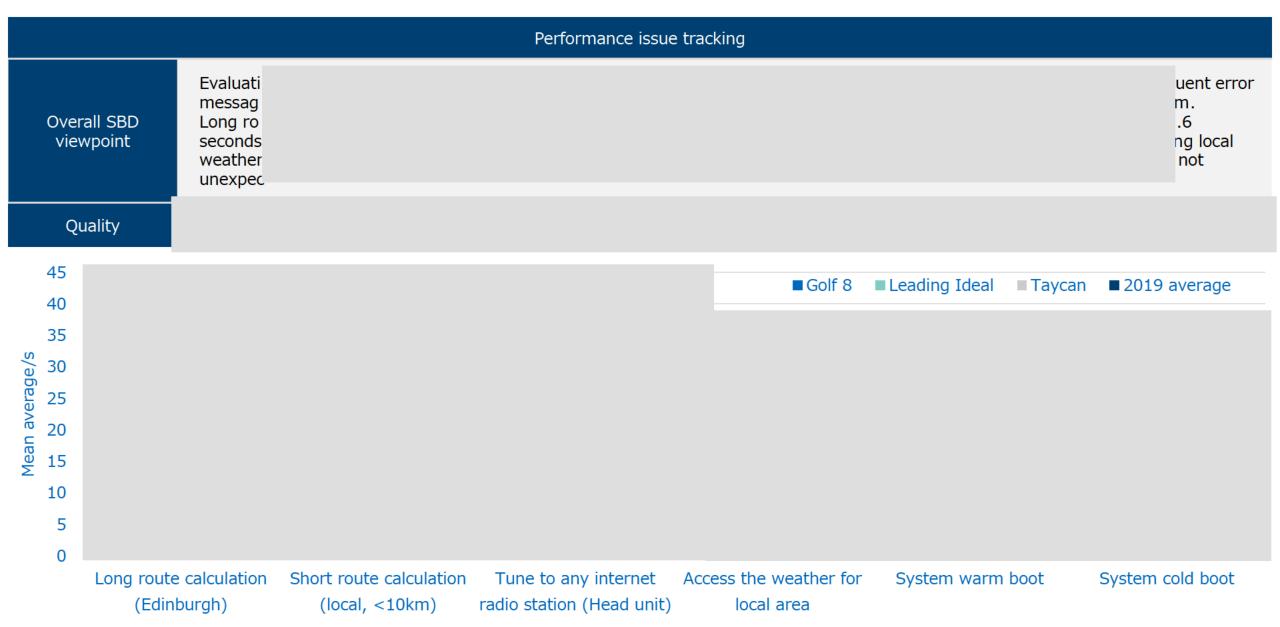
Performance Testing





Performance Testing







Overall SBD viewpoint

What is an otherwise well executed and generally pleasing system is dragged down from scoring among leaders due to the frequency of major and critical bugs encountered during testing, some causing the system to crash. These issues would be hard to accept even from a start-up manufacturer, but from an established OEM such as Porsche, delivering a system that could be categorised as a beta version at best, is unacceptable.

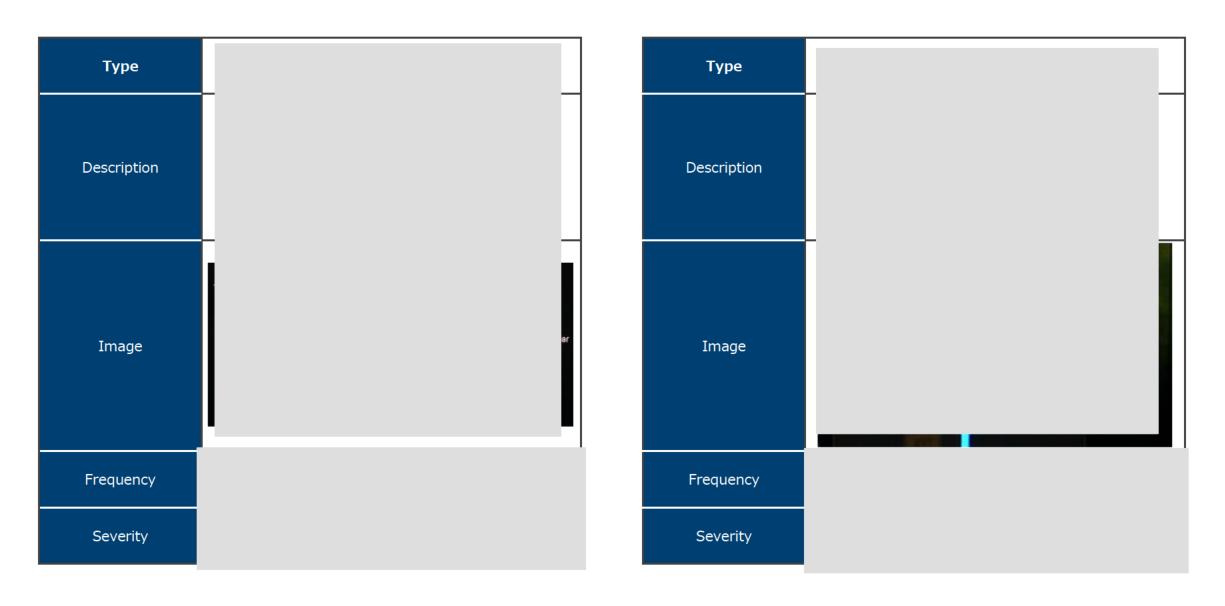
Туре	Description	Pic. ref. number	Frequency	Severity
System	Central display lost scroll functionality for several hours	1	High	Critical
System	Keyboard exhibits significant lag during password and email entry	2	High	Critical



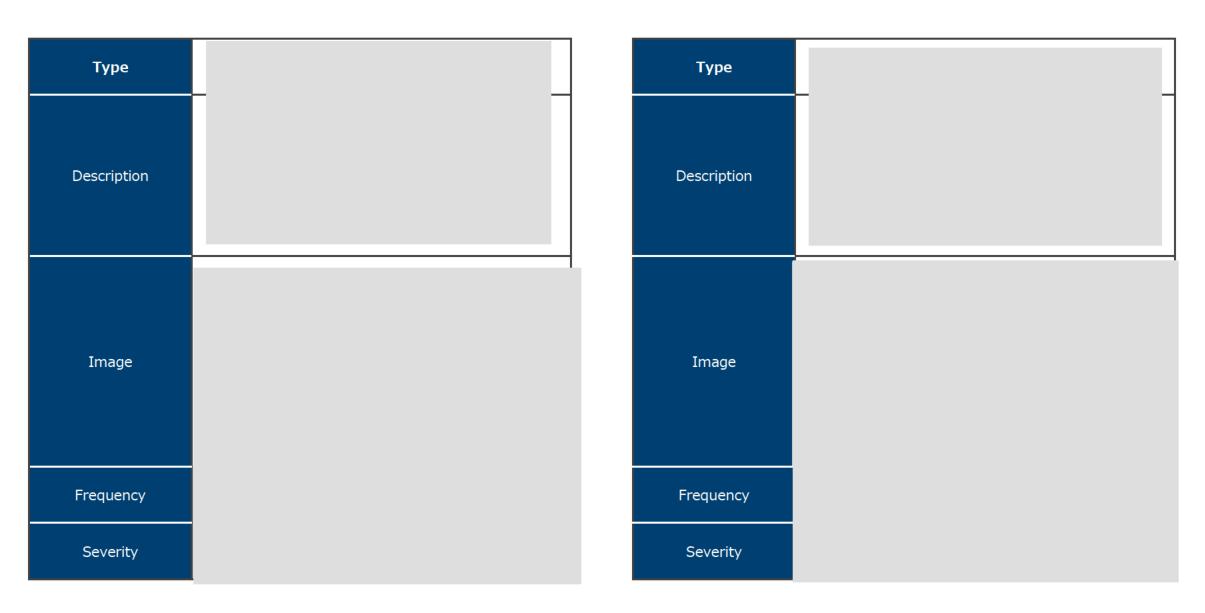
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Туре	System			
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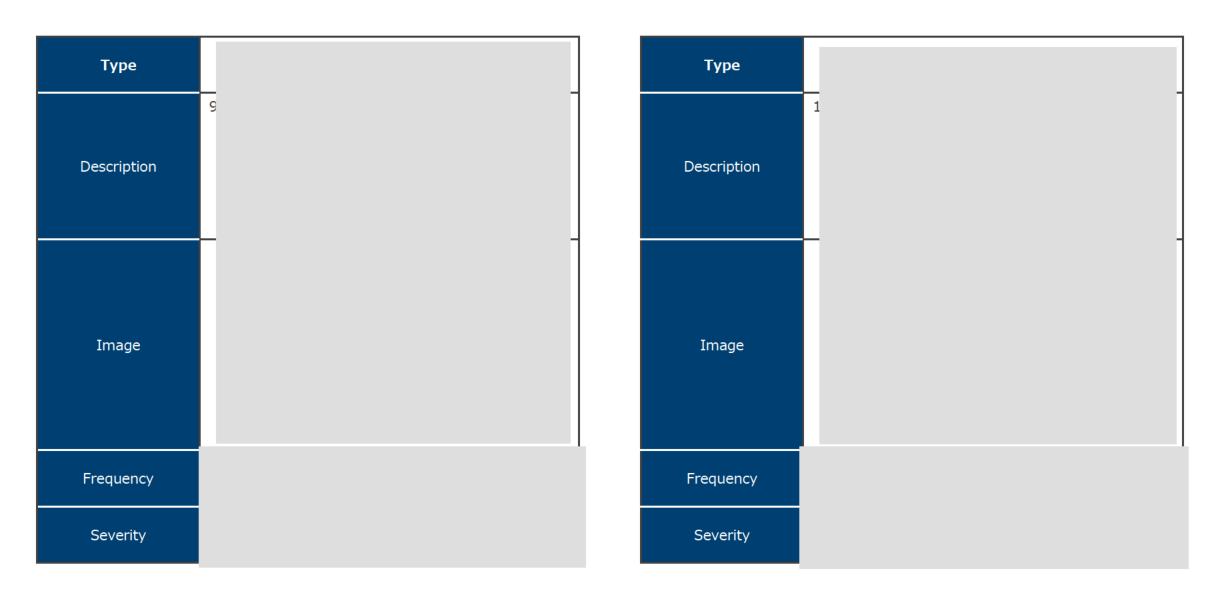




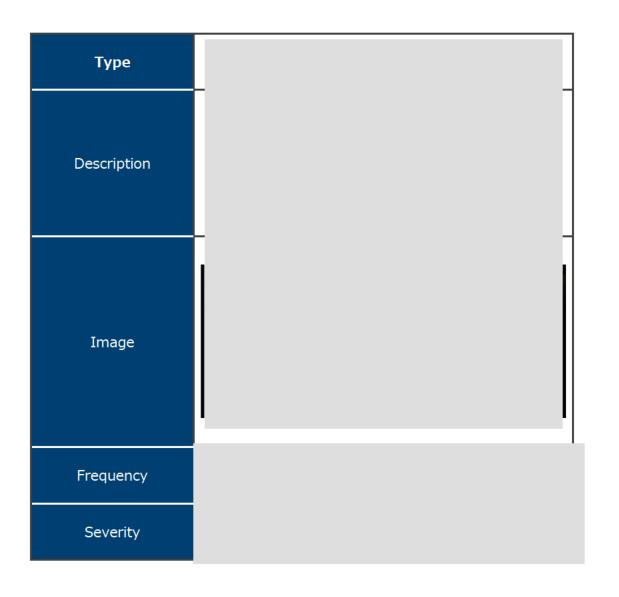


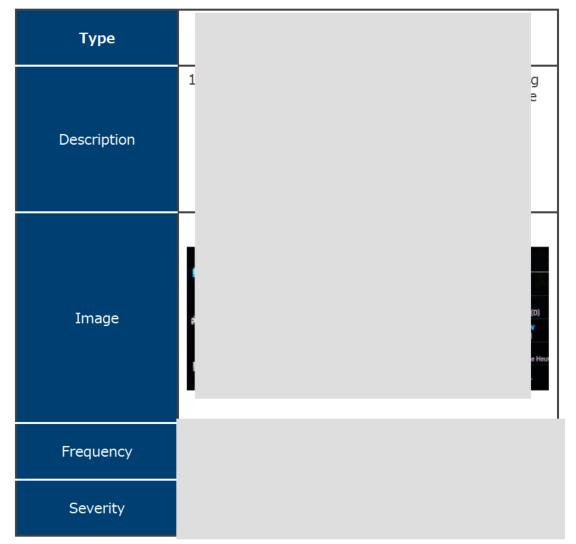
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Ergonomics

Methodology



Why does SBD perform this evaluation?

As a part of the UX scoring, SBD has always considered the placement and accessibility of the vehicle's IVI HMI in calculating the final UX score for the infotainment solution. SBD has now extended that consideration to other parts of the vehicle cockpit to offer enhanced insight to the overall user experience. Only the IVI HMI remains a component for the infotainment UX score found in the executive summary of this report.

Type of evaluation

This ergonomic evaluation takes the form of an expert technical analysis of the condition of the vehicle's hardware, rated by the expected level of customer satisfaction for users in the 5th to the 95th percentile.

Components carried out for evaluation

Tests focus on the ergonomic performance of the vehicle hardware and do not take into account the user experience of these components. This vehicle was **German specification**. **Minor differences might exist for other markets, if relevant**. Outlined on the next two pages are all the components of which SBD carried out testing during the evaluation.

Evaluation process flow

Two SBD usability experts carry out expert evaluations of the system over the greater 3 day duration. This includes static and dynamic testing. Example use cases carried out are as follows:

- Unlock the doors
- Open the boot
- Operate the door handle/release mechanism
- Move the seat to a comfortable position

Traditional SBD classification	Unacceptable				Accept	able, some co	ncerns	Acceptable				
New Ergonomics Rating System	Condition is not marketable				Condition <u>is</u> marketable							
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		
	An unacceptable level of complaints are expected from customers				"normal" custo specialist 5 is the minim	e expected from omers with zero knowledge um to accept to oduction.	complaints expected, mainly from		No complaints. The product is considered excellent			

Evaluation results



Criteria					Rating		Reasoning	
			6	7	8	9	10	
 Walking up to the car 	1.1 Unlocking the	1.1.1 Unlock the doors			*			Automatic unlock on approachButton is easy to locateThe buttons wobble noisily when operated
	car	1.1.2 Open the boot			*			Easy to see button (so $+1$), but must stoop down to press it (so -1)
	1.2 Opening the door	1.2.1 Operating the door handle/release mechanism						
		1.2.2 Opening the front door						
		1.2.3 Opening the rear door						
2. Getting into the car	2.1 Front door access	2.1.1 Front door aperture						
		2.1.2 Driver-specific access						
		2.1.3 Closing the door						
	2.2 Rear door access	2.2.1 Rear door aperture						
3. Achieving comfort in the seat	3.2 Adjusting the seating position	3.1.1 Reaching the adjustment controls						
		3.1.2 Moving the seat to a comfortable position						
		3.1.3 Adjusting the steering wheel						
3. Act		3.1.4 Adjusting the mirrors or Camera Monitoring System						

Evaluation results - Continued



Criteria					Rating		Reasoning	
			6	7	8	9	10	Reasoning
4. Static condition		4.1.1 Comfort and body movement in the seat			*			
	4.1 Static use, comfort and movement	4.1.2 Small item storage						real own
		4.1.3 Roof console controls - map lamps, hazard lights, SOS call						or
	4.2 Starting the car	4.2.1 Using the seatbelt						
		4.2.2 Starting the engine						bit pard.
5. Driving condition	5.1 Driving comfort and movement	5.1.1 Comfort and body movement in the seat						
		5.1.2 Roof console controls - map lamps, hazard lights, SOS call						
	5.2 Steering wheel operation	5.2.1 Using steering wheel controls						ith
		5.2.2 Stalk controls						hy g
	5.3 Dynamic use of infotainment	5.3.1 Displays and Touch Displays]
		5.3.2 Touchpads						
		5.3.3 Rotary controllers						
		5.3.4 Buttons						
	5.4 Parking the	5.4.1 Using the park brake						е
	car	5.4.2 Exiting the car						ing

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