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MultiSensor Tracker

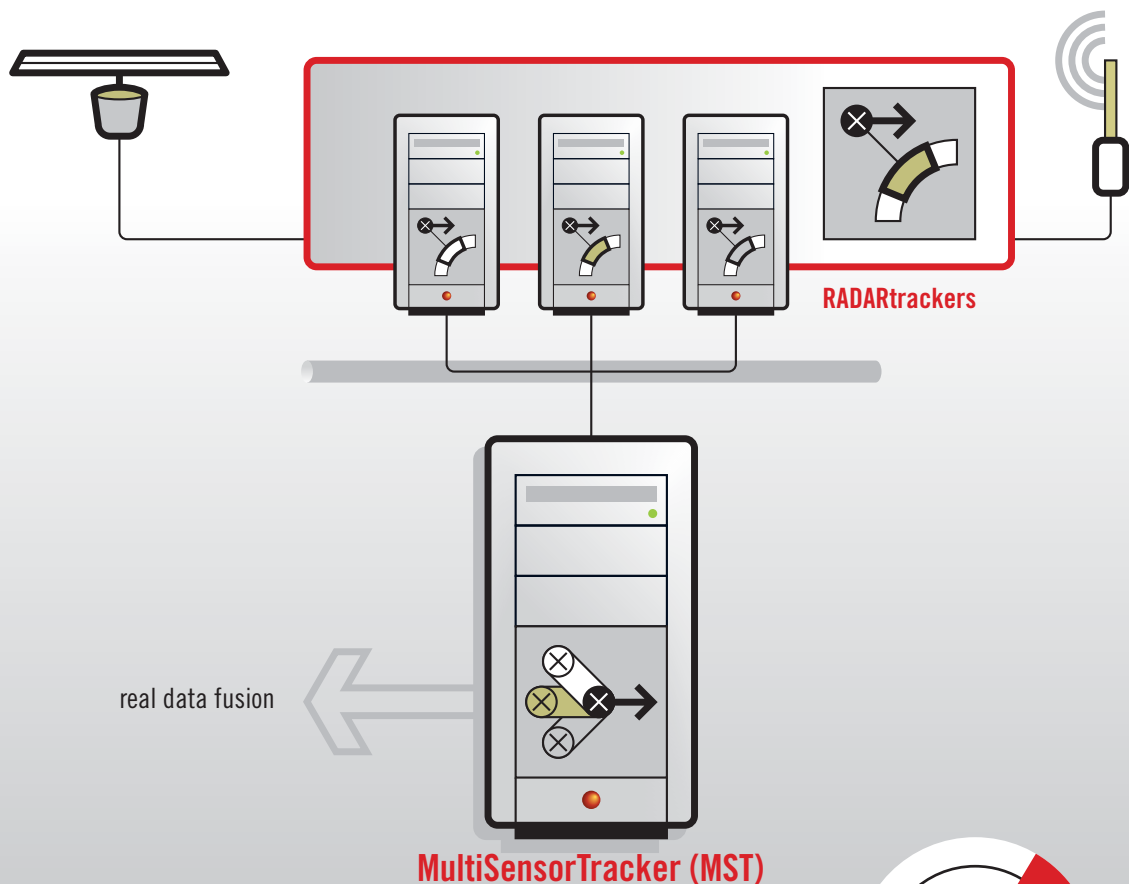
MultiSensorTracker (MST) processes and correlates data provided by different sensor types (e.g. Radar, AIS) in order to produce system tracks that are updated by one or more sensors.

Flexible input filtering assures sensor specific data preprocessing and prevents undesired target merging. The core component of **MST** is a state-of-the-art extended Kalman filter algorithm which provides real sensor fusion and leads to a higher tracking accuracy

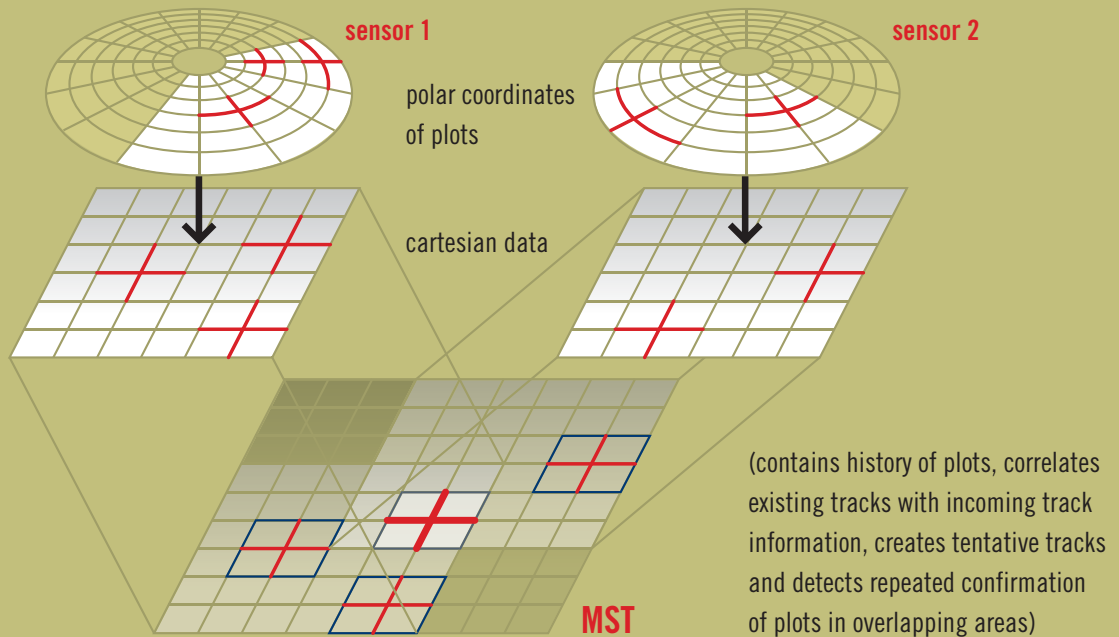
compared to common alpha-beta-trackers. Due to asynchronous data processing chains, **MST** processes all sensor data incoming, even if it is delayed.

Internal model kinematics and observation equations can be easily adapted to domain and sensor specific parameters. Delivering high performance, **MST** has no restriction on number of input sources, and is able to maintain thousands of system tracks thousands of system tracks on standard PC hardware.

Sample configuration of MultiSensorTracker



Functionality of MultiSensorTracker



Highlights

- Plot/track processing from radar and AIS
- Standardized ASTERIX and NMEA interfaces
- Real data fusion (no mosaicking)
- Asynchronous data processing, allowing data fusion of input data with different (and varying) sampling rates
- Flexible special area handling (non automatic acquisition, dead zones, ...)
- Multiple-Hypothesis Tracking
- Multiple Model Support
- CPU input and output load handling
- Modular structure, allowing hierarchical and fully redundant dual chain set-ups
- SNMP interface and CORBA
- Standard PC hardware and standard operating system (MS Windows XP™ and Linux) for maximum system stability and maintainability during long term operation



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