



Apex.AI Chosen as Strategic Middleware Software Partner for HL Klemove's Next-Generation ADAS Controllers

Palo Alto, California, January 27, 2026, Apex.AI, a leading provider of safety-certified, production-grade software for mobility and automation systems, today announced that it has been selected by **HL Klemove (HKL)** as its middleware software partner for HKL's next-generation Advanced Driver Assistance Systems (ADAS) controllers, with production intent.

The collaboration supports HKL's newly awarded production programs for **Highway Assistance** and **Parking Assistance** applications and is expected to span a multi-year deployment. Under the planned program, Apex.AI will provide a safety-certified middleware platform, along with integration and deployment support, to enable scalable, production-ready ADAS systems aligned with OEM requirements.

HKL selected Apex.AI to jointly accelerate its ADAS roadmap and support the delivery of a robust, production-intent software foundation for its next-generation controllers.

"This collaboration reflects a shared commitment to bringing safety-certified, production-quality software into real-world ADAS programs," said *Jan Becker, CEO* at Apex.AI. "HL Klemove is building a future-proof ADAS platform, and we are proud to support their next-generation controllers and systems with middleware designed for long-term scalability, safety, and performance."

"Apex.AI was selected for its production-grade middleware capabilities and its focus on safety-certified software," said *Kim DooKyum, Director of the Platform R&D Center* at HL Klemove. "Their platform aligns well with our next-generation ADAS architecture and our goals for scalable deployment across future vehicle programs."

"This selection underscores Apex.AI's growing role as a trusted middleware partner for production ADAS and automated driving programs," *Jan Becker* added. "As the industry moves from advanced prototypes to scaled deployment, production-grade software becomes a critical differentiator."



About Apex.AI

Apex.AI develops safety-certified, production-grade software for mobility and automation systems. Its middleware and software development solutions are designed to meet the rigorous requirements of automotive, industrial, and defense applications, enabling companies to deploy complex software systems at scale with confidence.

About HL Klemove

HL Klemove is a leading global autonomous driving solution provider with over 2,700 patents and a proven track record. The company started anew by merging of two companies; ADAS business unit that spun off from HL Mando (KS 204320), a global automotive parts company, and Mando-Hella Electronics, a leader in automotive electronic-parts technology. HL Klemove offers end-to-end solutions for L2+/L3 autonomous driving, including sensors, high-performance computers (HPCs), software, and chassis electronic control units. The company serves over 50 customers, including major OEMs as well as EV and autonomous driving start-ups worldwide. HL Klemove currently operates 4 manufacturing facilities located in Songdo (Korea), Suzhou (China), Chennai (India) and Mexico (Saltillo). The company also maintains R&D centers in Pangyo (Korea), Bengaluru (India), Suzhou (China) and Silicon Valley (US). HL Klemove promises a safe and comfortable driving experience to its customers with its advanced sensors and SW algorithms, backed by its strong electronic product capabilities. For more information, visit www.hlklemove.com