Ford Escape Advanced Research Fleet

Number of vehicles:	18	
Reporting period:	March 2012	

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Date range of data received:03/01/2Number of vehicle days driven:331

03/01/2012 to 03/31/2012

Gasoline Fuel Economy By Trip Type



Trips in Charge Depleting (CD) mode³

Gasoline fuel economy (mpg)	53
DC electrical energy consumption (DC Wh/mi) ⁴	159
Number of trips	1,267
Percent of trips city highway	80% 20%
Distance traveled (mi)	7,772
Percent of total distance traveled	39%

Trips in both Charge Depleting & Charge Sustaining (CD/CS) modes⁵

Gasoline fuel economy (mpg)	39
DC electrical energy consumption (DC Wh/mi) ⁶	60
Number of trips	324
Percent of trips city highway	38% 62%
Distance traveled (mi)	8,177
Percent of total distance traveled	41%

Trips in Charge Sustaining (CS) mode⁷

Gasoline fuel economy (mpg)	31
Number of trips	328
Percent of trips city highway	68% 32%
Distance traveled (mi)	4,179
Percent of total distance traveled	21%

Notes: 1 - 7. Please see http://avt.inl.gov/pdf/phev/fordreportnotes.pdf for an explanation of all PHEV Fleet Testing Report notes.

Since these vehicles are flex-fuel capable, some driving events are conducted with E-85, which may decrease fuel economy results

"The Ford Escape Advanced Research Fleet was designed as a demonstration of customer duty cycles related to plug-in electric vehicles. The vehicles used in this demonstration have not been optimized to provide the maximum potential fuel economy."





Distance Traveled By Trip Type



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Trips in Charge Depleting (CD) mode	City	Highway
Gasoline fuel economy (mpg)	45	62
DC electrical energy consumption (DC Wh/mi)	143	172
Percent of miles with internal combustion engine off	30%	14%
Average trip driving intensity (Wh/mi)	296	322
Average trip distance (mi)	3	17
Trips in Charge Depleting and Charge Sustaining (CD/CS) mode		
Gasoline fuel economy (mpg)	48	38
DC electrical energy consumption (DC Wh/mi)	89	55
Percent of miles with internal combustion engine off	30%	8%
Average trip driving intensity (Wh/mi)	273	319
Average trip distance (mi)	9	35
Trips in Charge Sustaining (CS) mode		
Gasoline fuel economy (mpg)	32	31
Percent of miles with internal combustion engine off	25%	4%
Average trip driving intensity (Wh/mi)	278	322
Average trip distance (mi)	3	33









Plug-in charging		
Average number of charging events per vehicle per month when driven	47	
Average number of charging events per vehicle per day when driven	2.6	
Average distance driven between charging events (mi)	23.8	
Average number of trips between charging events	2.3	
Average time plugged in per charging event (hr)	5.6	
Average time charging per charging event (hr)	2.0	
Average energy per charging event (AC kWh)	2.8	
Average charging energy per vehicle per month (AC kWh)	132.3	
Total number of charging events	844	
Total charging energy (AC kWh)	2,382	

Time of Day When Driving



Time of Day When Charging



Time of Day When Plugging In



