

# U.S. Department of Energy's Vehicle Technologies Program

## Maui Energy Expo - PHEV Operations and Performance

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# AVTA Background and Goals

- **The Advanced Vehicle Testing Activity (AVTA) is part of DOE's Vehicle Technologies Program**
- **The Idaho National Laboratory (INL) and Electric Transportation Engineering Corporation (ETEC) conduct the AVTA. Argonne National Laboratory performs dynamometer testing**
- **The AVTA goals:**
  - **Provide benchmark data to technology modelers, research and development programs, vehicle manufacturers (via VSATT), and target and goal setters**
  - **Assist fleet managers in making informed early adaptor vehicle purchase, deployment and operating decisions**

# AVTA Testing by Technology

- **Plug-in hybrid electric vehicles (PHEV)**
  - 12 models, 187 vehicles, 850,000 fleet test miles
- **Hybrid electric vehicles (HEV)**
  - 17 models, 45 vehicles, 4.5 million test miles
- **Neighborhood electric vehicles**
  - 23 models, 200,000 test miles
- **Hydrogen ICE (internal combustion engine) vehicles**
  - 7 models, 500,000 test miles
- **Full-size battery electric vehicles (BEVs)**
  - 40 EV models, 5+ million test miles
- **Urban electric vehicles**
  - 3 models, 1 million test miles



# 12 PHEVs Models in Testing/Demonstrations

- Hymotion Prius (A123Systems)
- Hymotion Escape (A123Systems)
- Ford E85 Escape (Johnson Controls/Saft)
- EnergyCS Prius, 2 models (Valance and Altair Nano)
- Electrovaya Escape (Electrovaya)
- Hybrids Plus Escape, 2 models (Hybrids Plus and K2 Energy Solutions)
- Hybrids Plus Prius (Hybrids Plus)
- Manzanita Prius (lead acid)
- Manzanita Prius (Thunder Sky)
- Renault Kangoo (Saft NiCad)
- (All batteries are Lithium unless noted)



# PHEV Testing Methods and Objectives

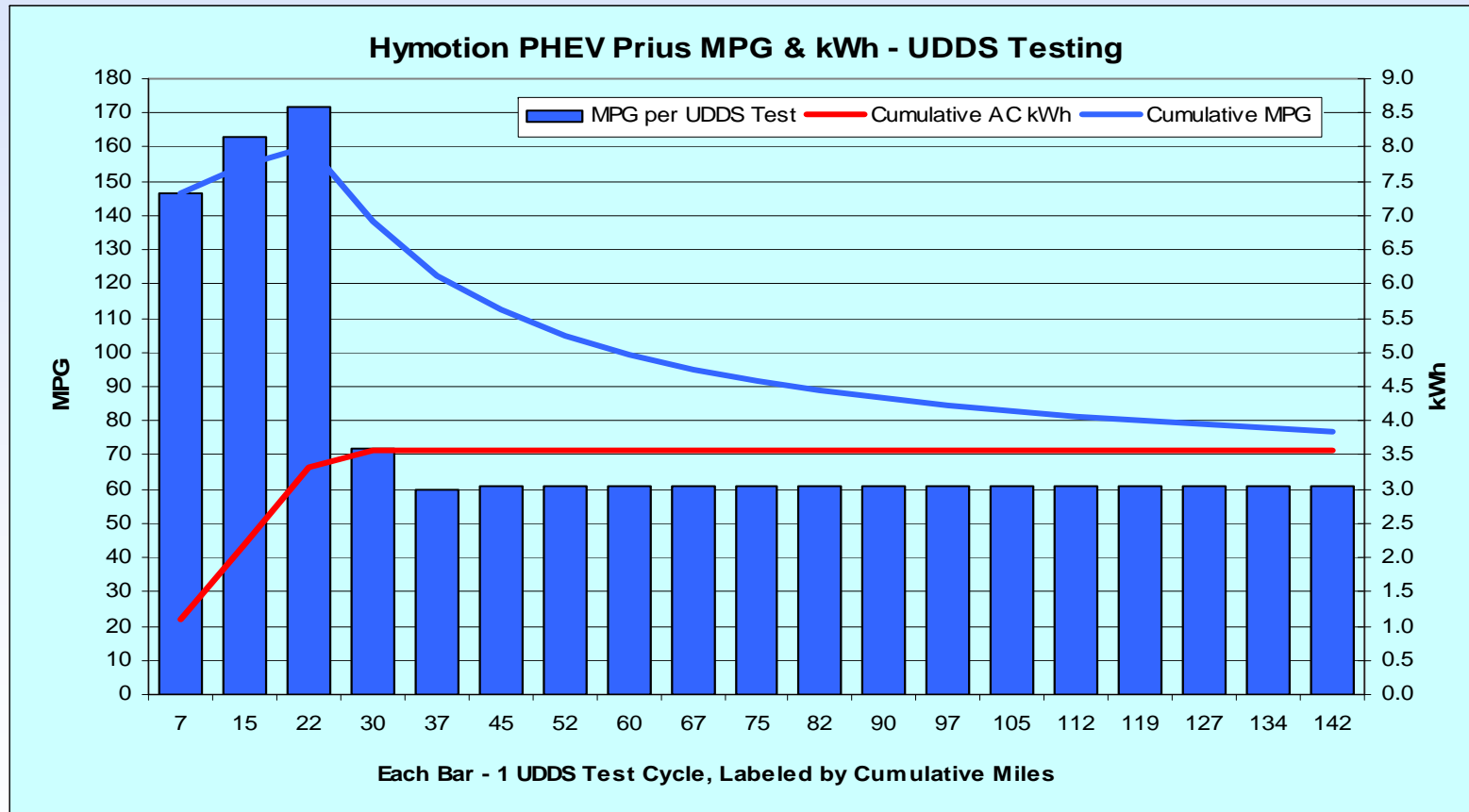
- **Perform independent testing of PHEVs, using:**
  - **Baseline performance testing: closed test tracks and dynamometers**
  - **Accelerated testing: dedicated drivers operating on defined onroad loops**
  - **Fleet testing: everyday unstructured \ non-directed fleet and public use, with onboard data loggers**
  - **Laboratory testing of PHEV batteries**
- **Testing used to document:**
  - **Battery life, charging patterns and profiles**
  - **Vehicle operations, fuel use (electricity and gasoline) and infrastructure requirements**
  - **Driver influences on fuel use**
  - **Individual PHEV models and PHEV concepts**
  - **PHEV life-cycle costs**

# PHEV Operating Modes

- **Charge sustaining (CS) mode**: from start to finish of a single trip, there is no energy available for electric drive propulsion in the PHEV battery. Therefore, the battery state-of-charge (SOC) is sustained
- **Charge depleting (CD) mode** – from start to finish of a single trip, there is energy available for partial or full electric drive propulsion in the PHEV battery. Therefore, the battery SOC is being depleted during the trip
- **Mixed CD/CS mode** – there is energy in the battery pack at the start of a single trip, but the PHEV battery is fully depleted before the trip ends

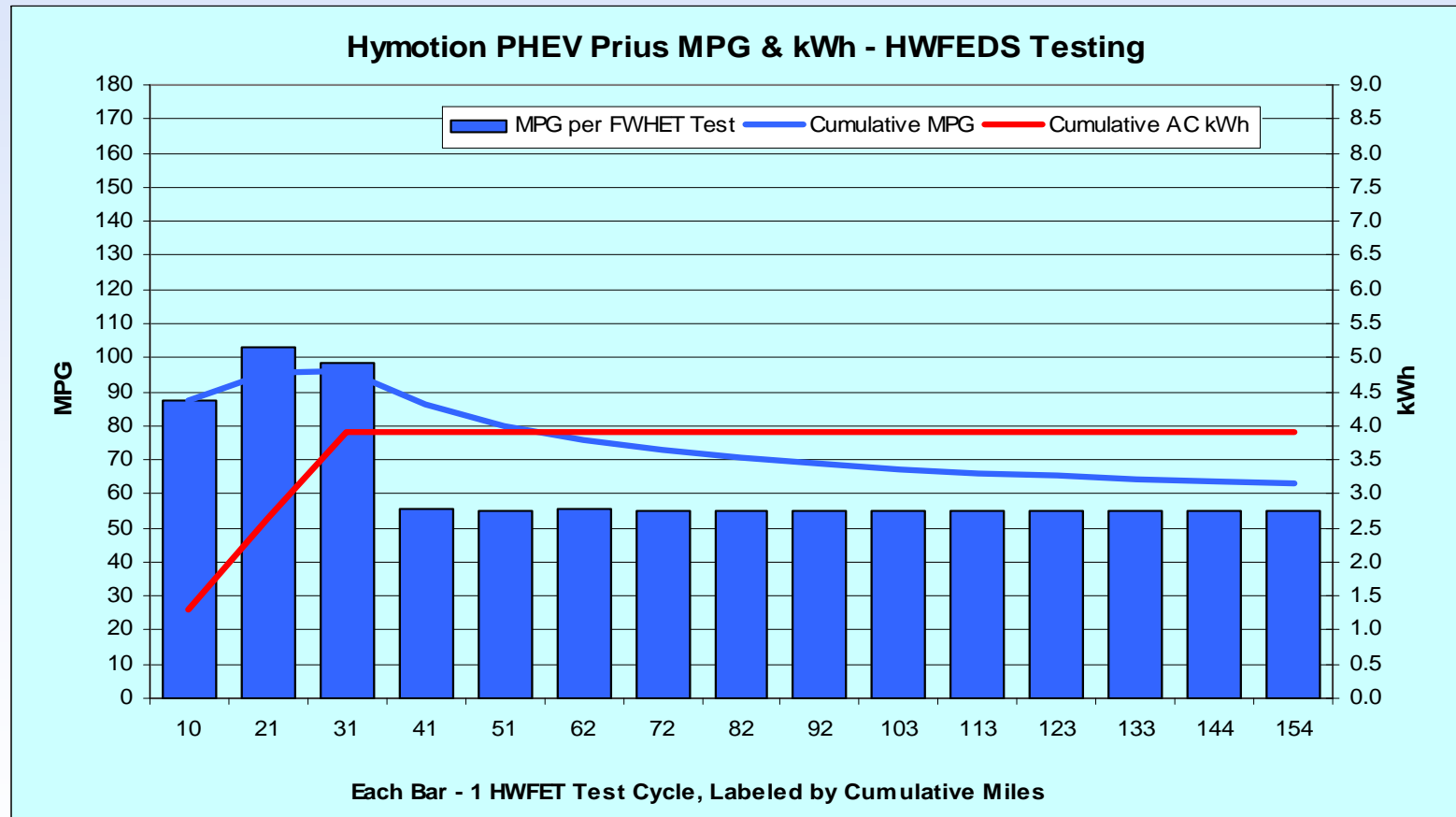
# Hymotion Prius Gen I – UDDS Fuel Use

- 5 kWh A123Systems (Li) and Prius packs (AC kWh)



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# PHEV Accelerated Testing

- Accelerated testing in Phoenix over 5,440 onroad miles
- GPS units track distance, average and maximum speeds

| Cycle<br>(mi)  | Urban<br>(10 mi) | Highway<br>(10 mi) | Charge<br>(hr) | Reps<br>(N) | Total<br>(mi) | Reps<br>(%) | Miles<br>(%) |
|----------------|------------------|--------------------|----------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|--------------|
| 10             | 1                | 0                  | 4              | 60          | 600           | 37%         | 11%          |
| 20             | 1                | 1                  | 8              | 30          | 600           | 19%         | 11%          |
| 40             | 4                | 0                  | 12             | 15          | 600           | 9%          | 11%          |
| 40             | 2                | 2                  | 12             | 15          | 600           | 9%          | 11%          |
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| 60             | 2                | 4                  | 12             | 10          | 600           | 6%          | 11%          |
| 80             | 2                | 6                  | 12             | 8           | 640           | 5%          | 12%          |
| 100            | 2                | 8                  | 12             | 6           | 600           | 4%          | 11%          |
| 200            | 2                | 18                 | 12             | 3           | 600           | 2%          | 11%          |
| <b>Total</b>   | <b>2,340</b>     | <b>3,100</b>       | <b>1,344</b>   | <b>162</b>  | <b>5,440</b>  |             |              |
| <b>Average</b> | <b>43%</b>       | <b>57%</b>         | <b>8.3</b>     | <b>18</b>   |               |             |              |

# Hymotion Prius Gen I – Accelerated Testing

| Cycle        | Urban       | Highway     | Charge      | Reps       | Total        | Electricity             | Gasoline |             |
|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|------------|--------------|-------------------------|----------|-------------|
| (mi)         | (10 mi)     | (10 mi)     | (hr)        | (N)        | (mi)         | AC kWh                  | Gals     | MPG         |
| 10           | 1           | 0           | 4           | 60         | 600          | 136.33                  | 4.81     | 127.2       |
| 20           | 1           | 1           | 8           | 30         | 600          | 122.02                  | 5.37     | 115.9       |
| 40           | 4           | 0           | 12          | 15         | 600          | 84.10                   | 6.05     | 101.1       |
| 40           | 2           | 2           | 12          | 15         | 600          | 87.22                   | 5.78     | 106.9       |
| 40           | 0           | 4           | 12          | 15         | 600          | 79.82                   | 8.54     | 73.1        |
| 60           | 2           | 4           | 12          | 10         | 600          | 55.33                   | 8.98     | 68.9        |
| 80           | 2           | 6           | 12          | 8          | 640          | 43.99                   | 11.36    | 58.3        |
| 100          | 2           | 8           | 12          | 6          | 600          | 35.98                   | 8.43     | 73.2        |
| 200          | 2           | 18          | 12          | 3          | 600          | 15.0                    | 11.02    | 54.8        |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>2340</b> | <b>3100</b> | <b>1404</b> | <b>167</b> | <b>5,440</b> | <b>Weighted Average</b> |          | <b>79.5</b> |

Each total distance slightly greater than 600 and 640 miles. HEV version = 44 mpg

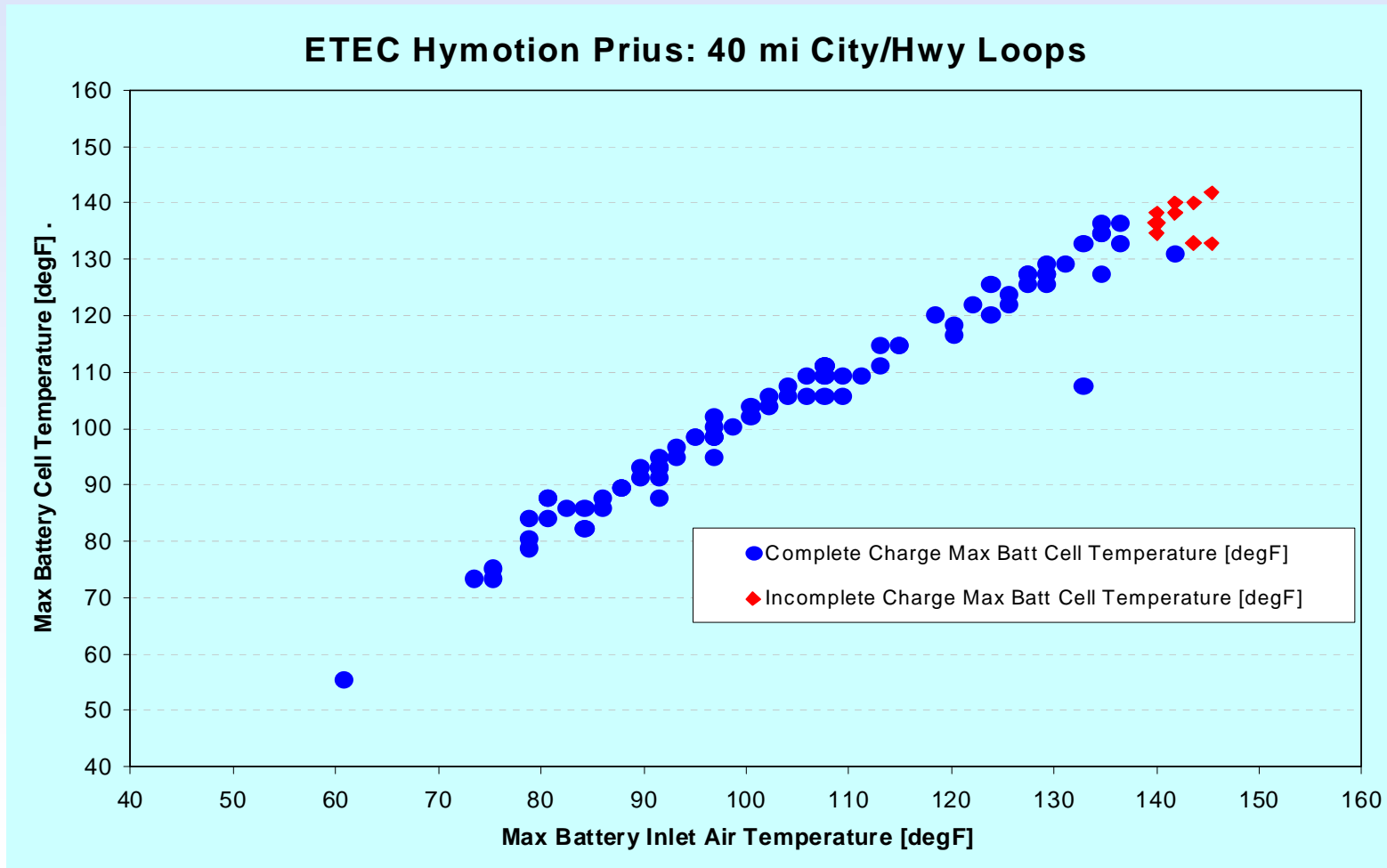
# Hymotion Prius Gen II – Accelerated Testing

| Cycle<br>(mi) | Urban<br>(10 mi) | Highway<br>(10 mi) | Charge<br>(hr) | Reps<br>(N) | Total<br>(mi) | Electricity<br>AC kWh   | Gasoline |       | Recalculated<br>without incomplete<br>charges |
|---------------|------------------|--------------------|----------------|-------------|---------------|-------------------------|----------|-------|-----------------------------------------------|
|               |                  |                    |                |             |               |                         | Gals     | MPG   |                                               |
| 10            | 1                | 0                  | 4              | 60          | 600           | 111.43                  | 5.205    | 117.6 |                                               |
| 20            | 1                | 1                  | 8              | 30          | 600           | 124.50                  | 8.105    | 80.1  |                                               |
| 40            | 4                | 0                  | 12             | 15          | 600           | 71.28                   | 9.8      | 62.1  | 64.2                                          |
| 40            | 4                | 0                  | 12             | 15          | 600           | 44.97                   | 7.2      | 84.2  | 135.6                                         |
| 40            | 2                | 2                  | 12             | 15          | 600           | 64.36                   | 9.70     | 64.3  | 65.5                                          |
| 40            | 2                | 2                  | 12             | 15          | 600           | 75.14                   | 6.20     | 99.8  | 101.7                                         |
| 40            | 2                | 2                  | 12             | 15          | 600           | 70.98                   | 6.83     | 90.6  | 98.9                                          |
| 40            | 0                | 4                  | 12             | 15          | 600           | 75.18                   | 6.10     | 103.3 | 100.0                                         |
| 40            | 0                | 4                  | 12             | 15          | 600           | 63.46                   | 8.88     | 70.8  | 92.4                                          |
| 60            | 2                | 4                  | 12             | 10          | 600           | 33.38                   | 10.54    | 58.8  |                                               |
| 80            | 2                | 6                  | 12             | 8           | 640           | 41.38                   | 10.71    | 61.8  |                                               |
| 100           | 2                | 8                  | 12             | 6           | 600           | 26.48                   | 10.91    | 56.5  |                                               |
| 200           | 2                | 18                 | 12             | 3           | 600           | 16.01                   | 10.41    | 57.7  |                                               |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>2340</b>      | <b>3100</b>        | <b>1404</b>    | <b>167</b>  | <b>7,840</b>  | <b>Weighted Average</b> |          |       |                                               |

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# Hymotion Prius Gen II – Accelerated Testing

- 40 mile city/highway loops – high ambient temperatures results in incomplete charging

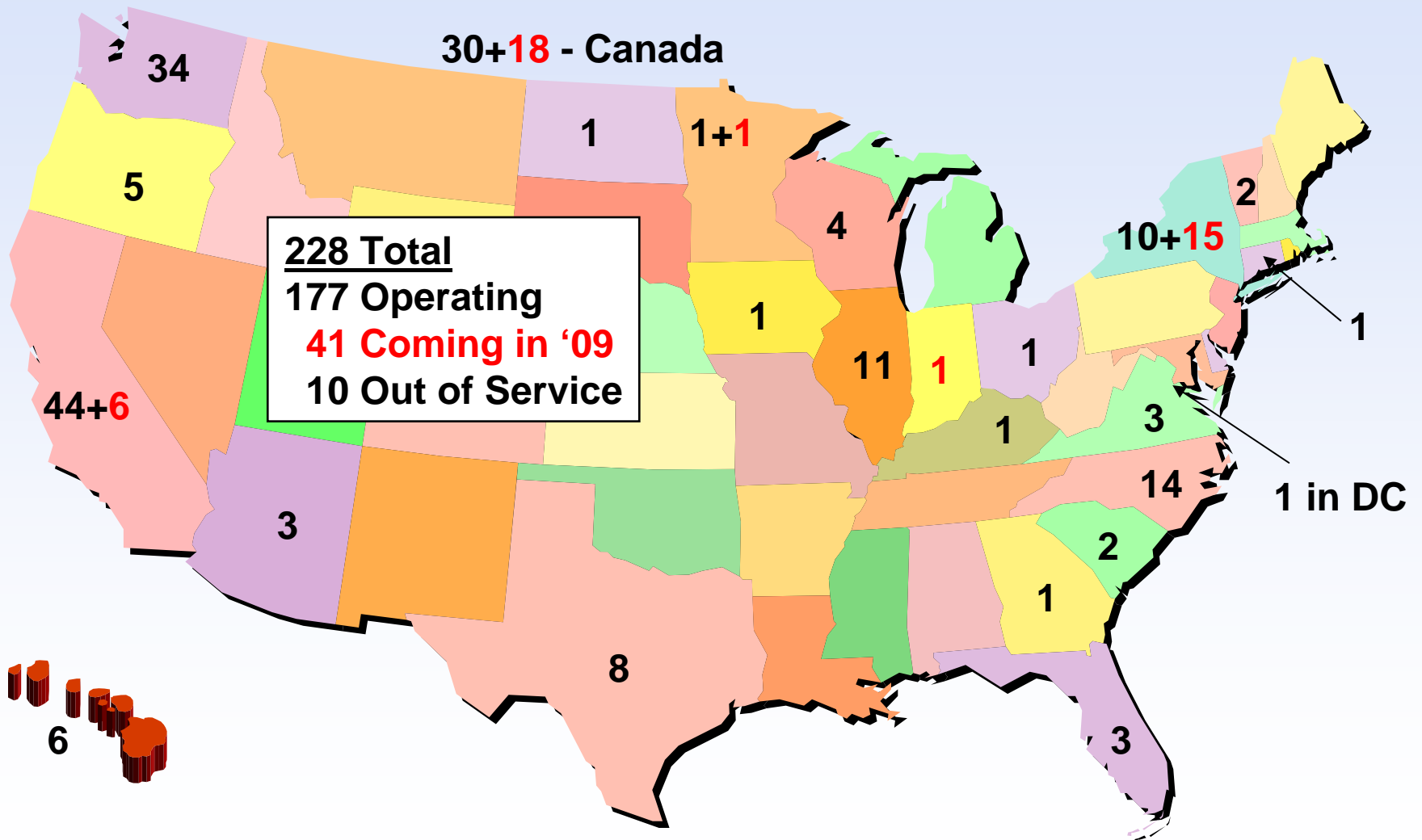


# PHEV Fleet Testing Partners



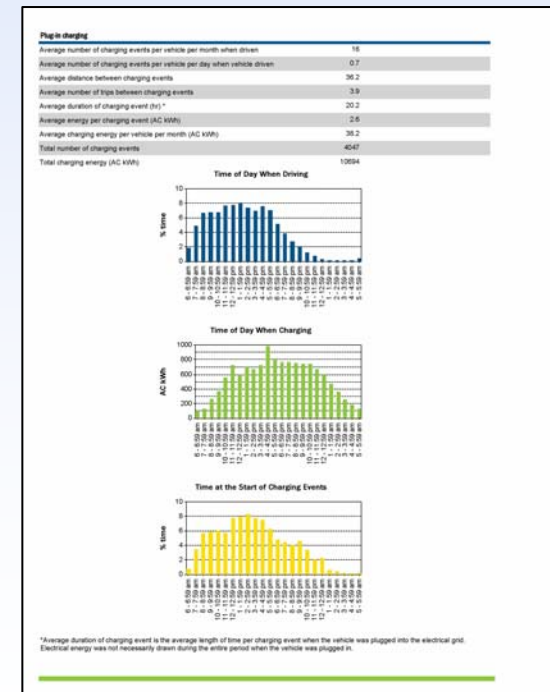
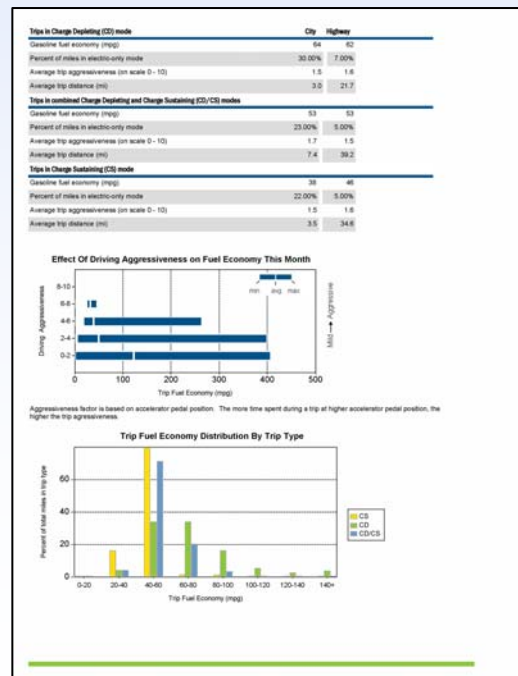
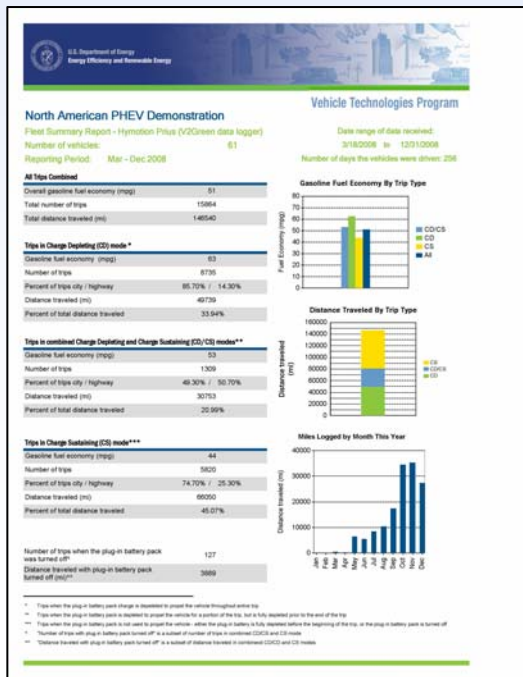
- **75+ testing partners in the U.S. and Canada:**
  - 36 Electric utilities and 2 clean-air agencies
  - 10 City, county and state governments
  - 7 Private companies and advocacy organizations
  - 8 Universities and colleges and 4 Canadian provinces
  - 2 PHEV companies 1 sea port and 1 DOD facility
- **Testing partners include:**
  - A123Systems, EnergyCS, NYSERDA, NRECA, UC Davis, Fairfax County, Google.org, Austin Energy, Central Vt PSC, Duke Energy, Advanced Energy, Progress Energy, SDGE, Basin Electric, Buckeye Power, WI Public Power Inc., Madison GE, SCANA Corp., HCATT, BC Hydro, BC Government, various Washington State groups

# PHEVs and Demonstration Locations



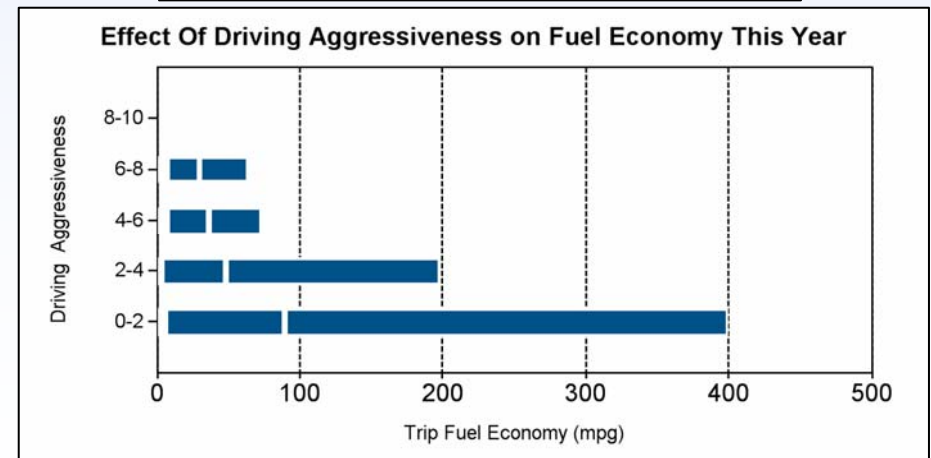
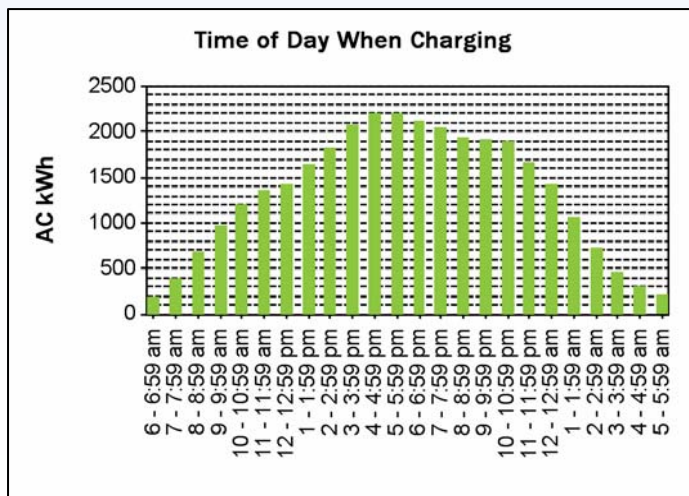
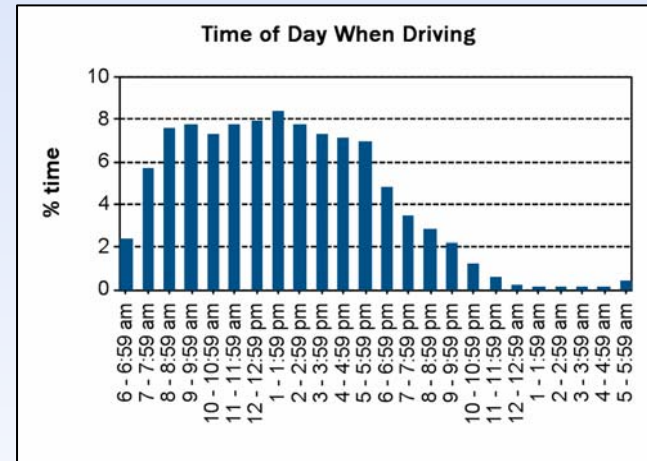
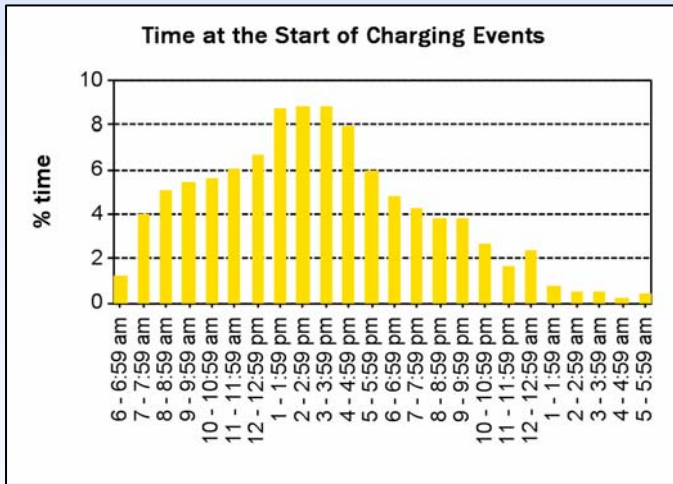
# PHEV Fleet Testing Reports

- Summary reports posted monthly on web
- Individual vehicle reports only go to the respective fleets each month, 1,060+ reports to date (August 1, 2009)
- 153 Hymotion Prius PHEVs, 780,000 miles, 86,000 trips, 20,500 charging events, 47,000 kWh used. V2Green and Kvaser data logger reports



# Hymotion Prius (V2Green Logger) Fleet Tests

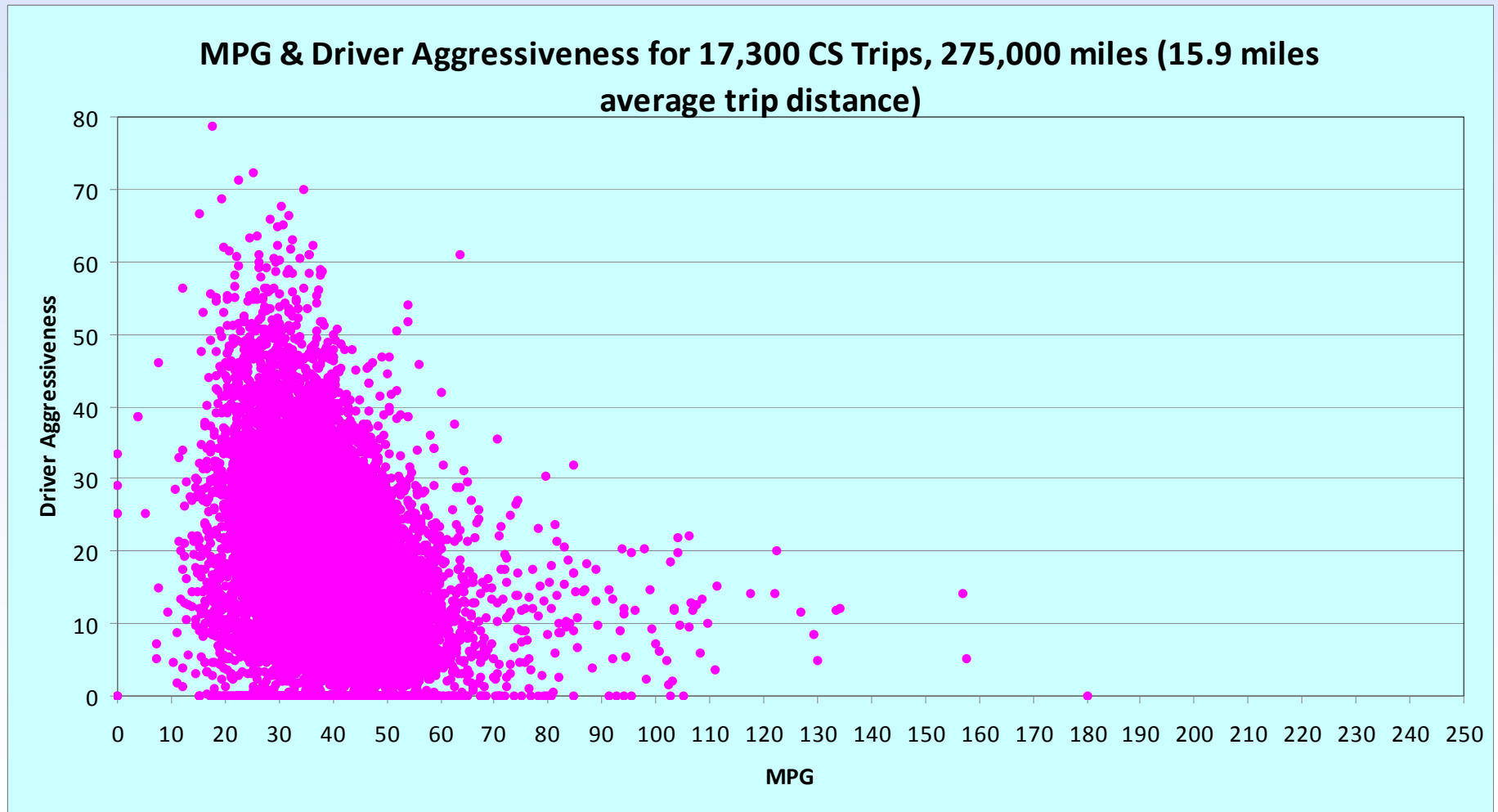
- March 01/08 to July 01/09. 110 PHEVs, 498,000 miles, 54,000 trips, 12,400 charging events and 31,000 kWh used





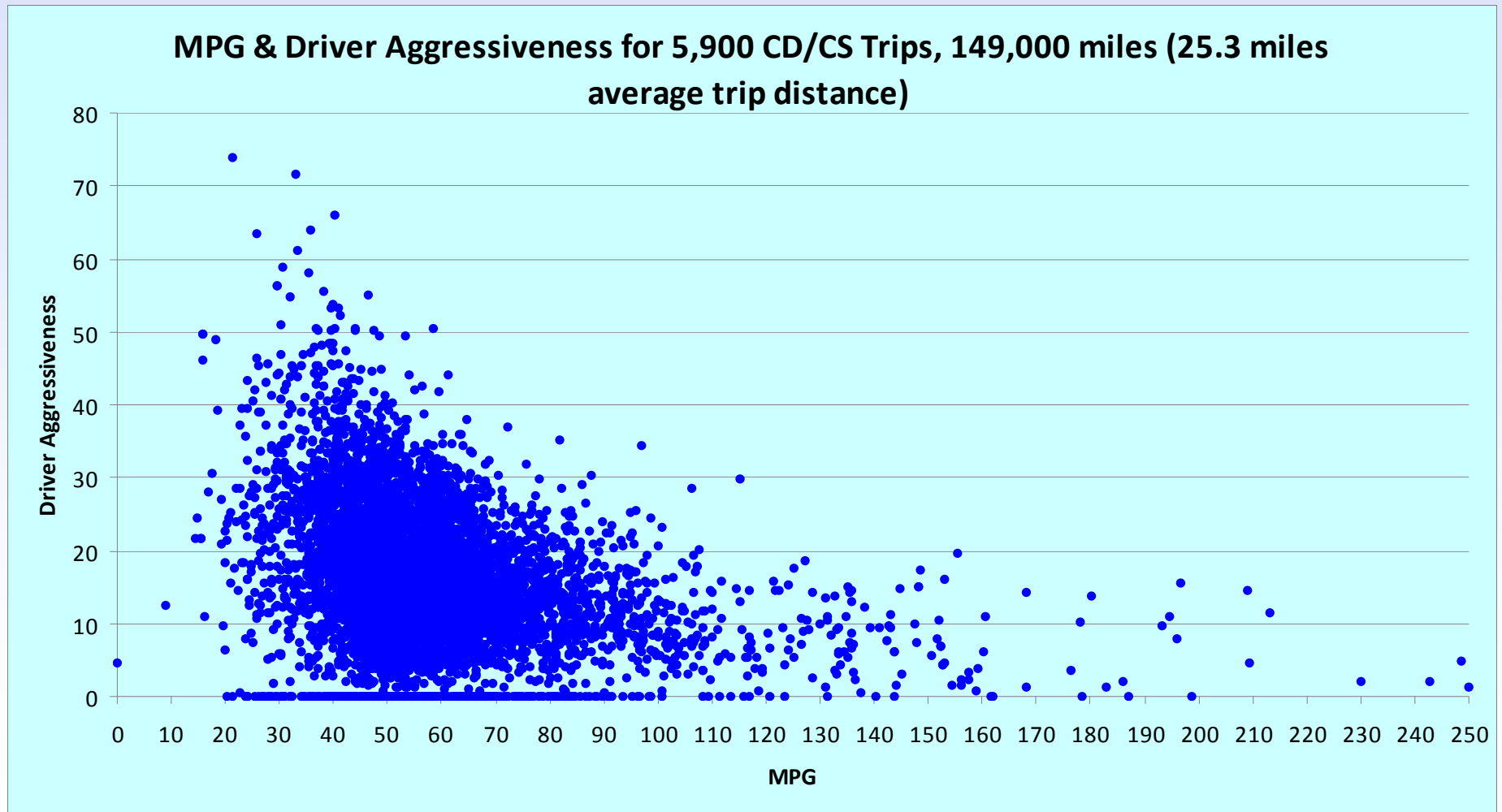
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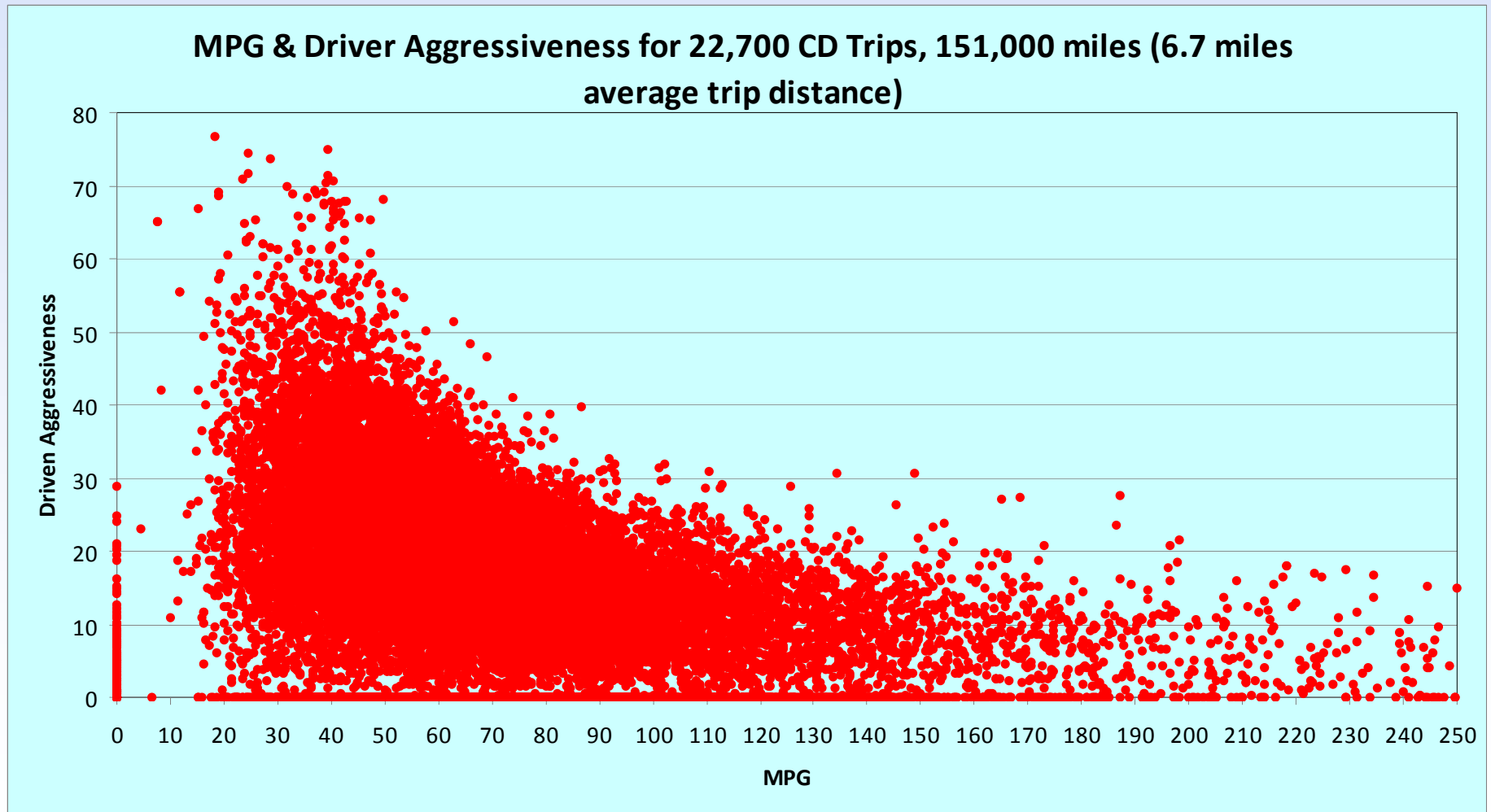
# Hymotion Prius PHEVs – CS/CD Mixed Trips

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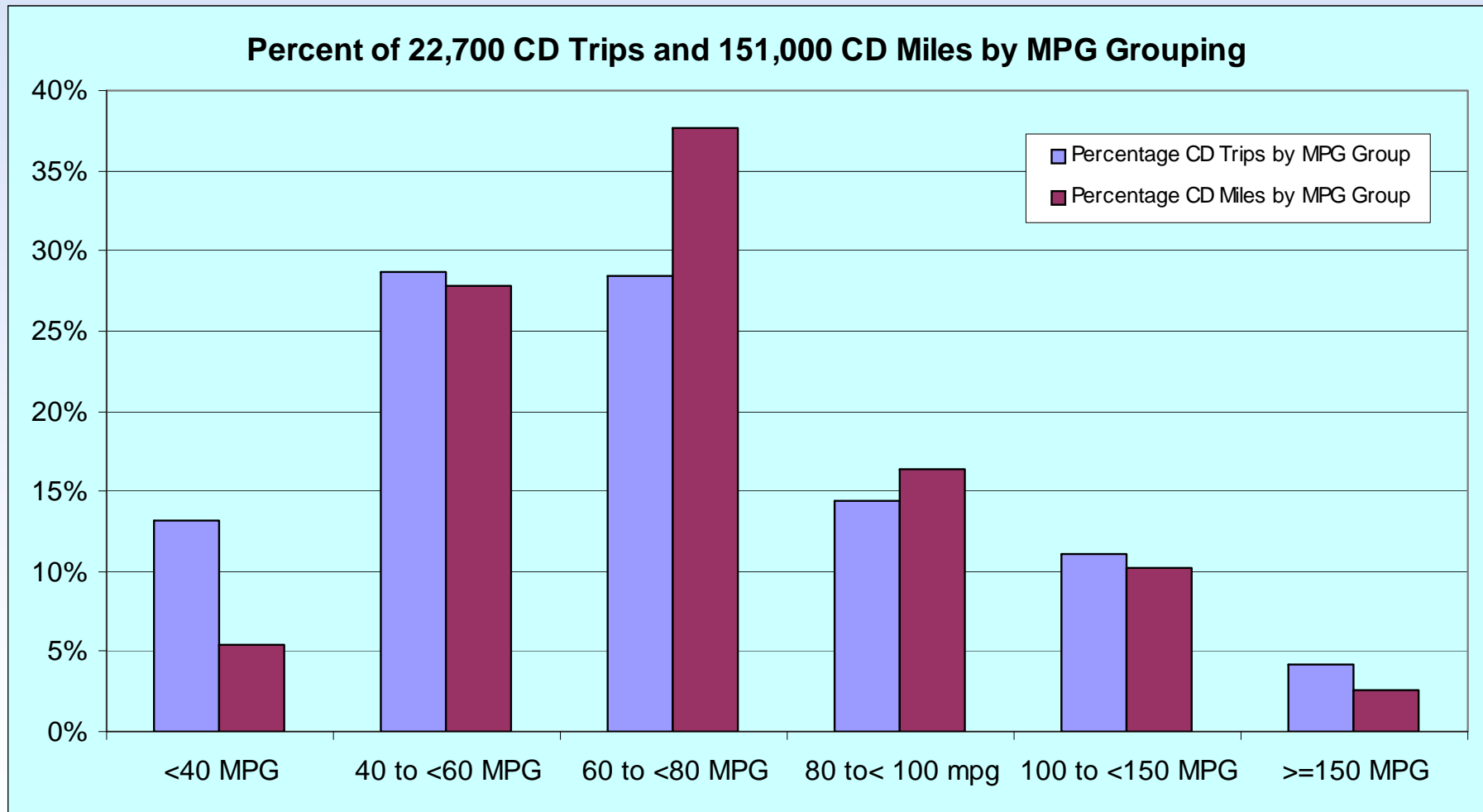


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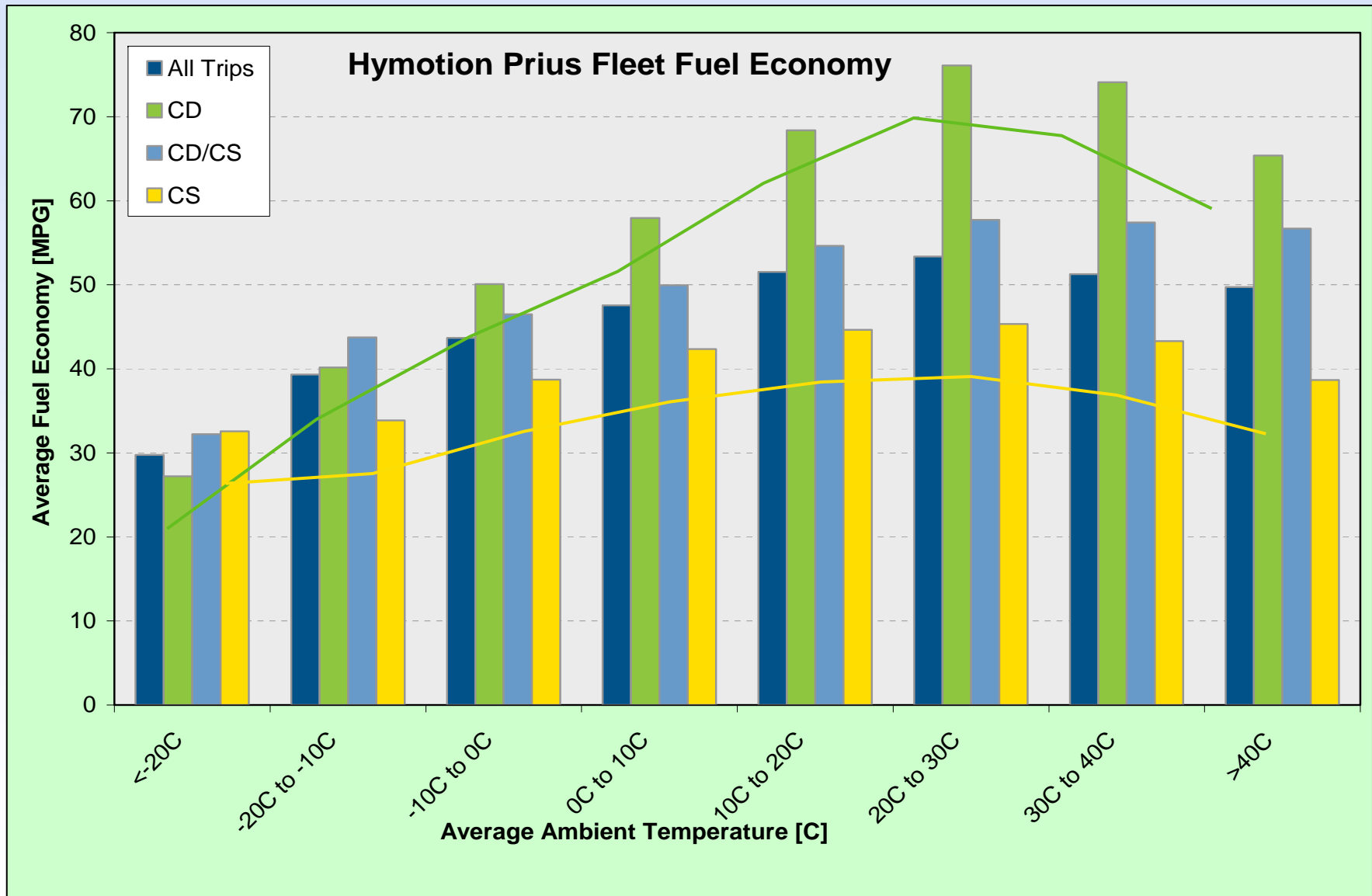
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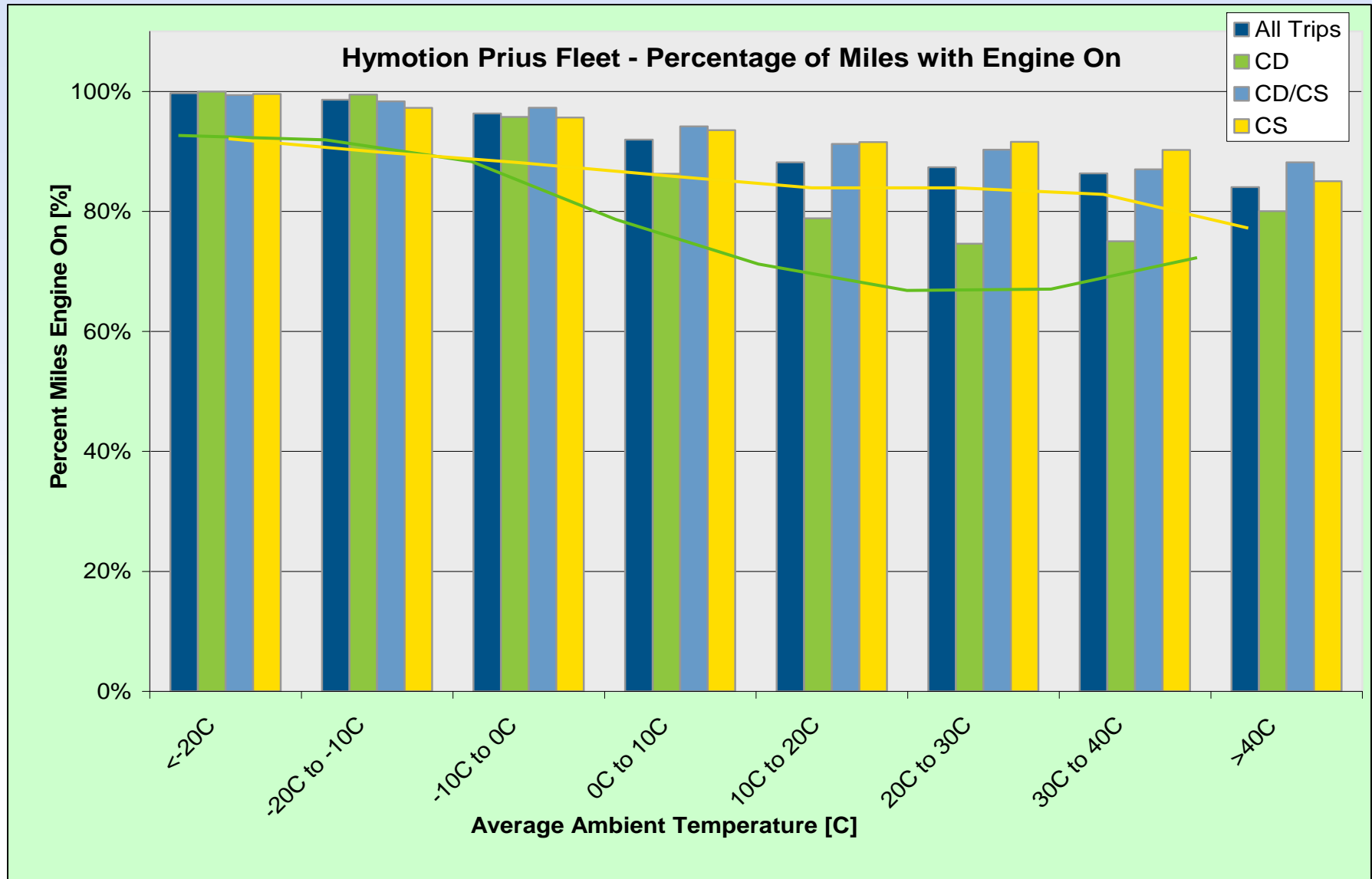
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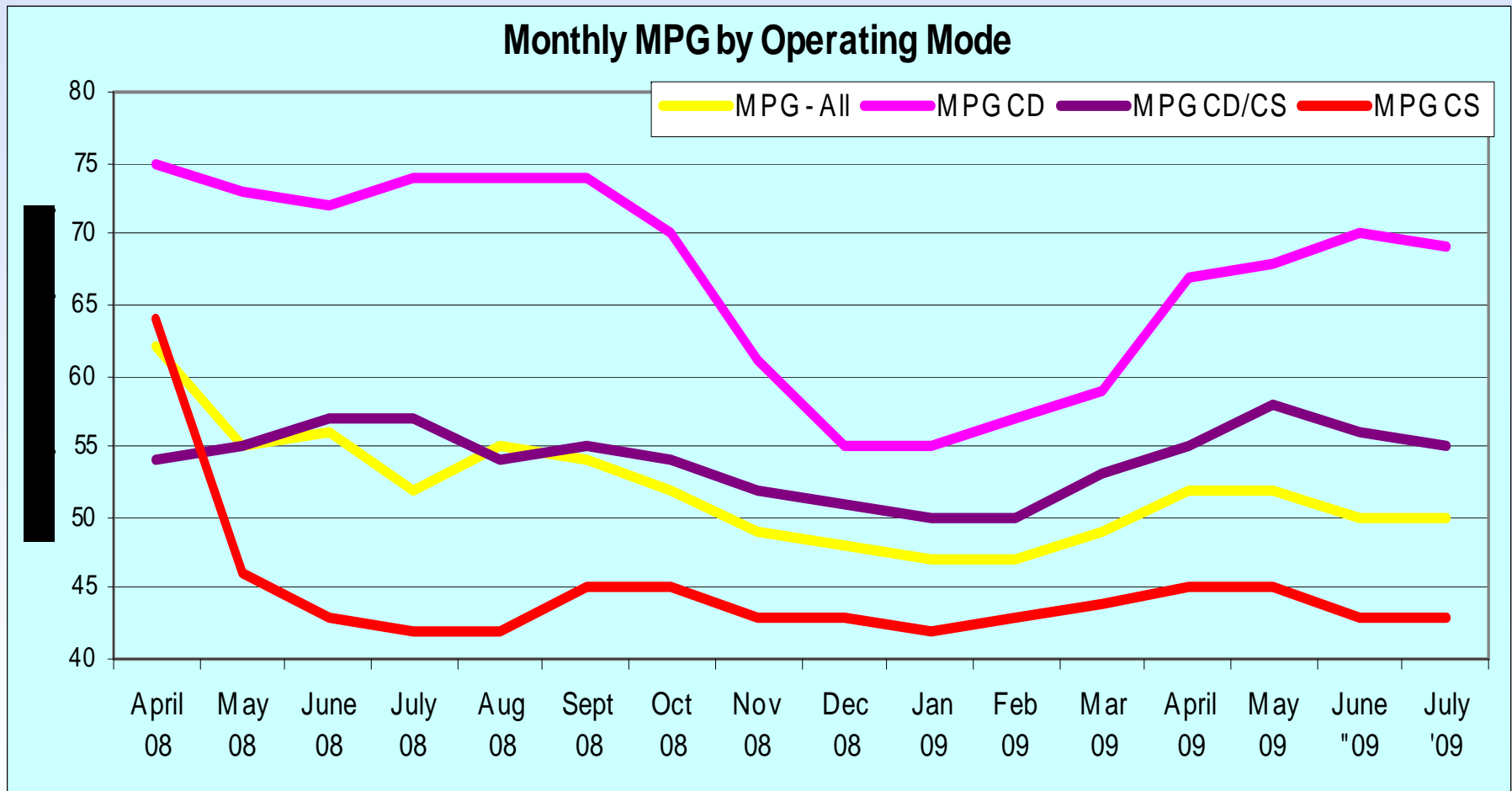
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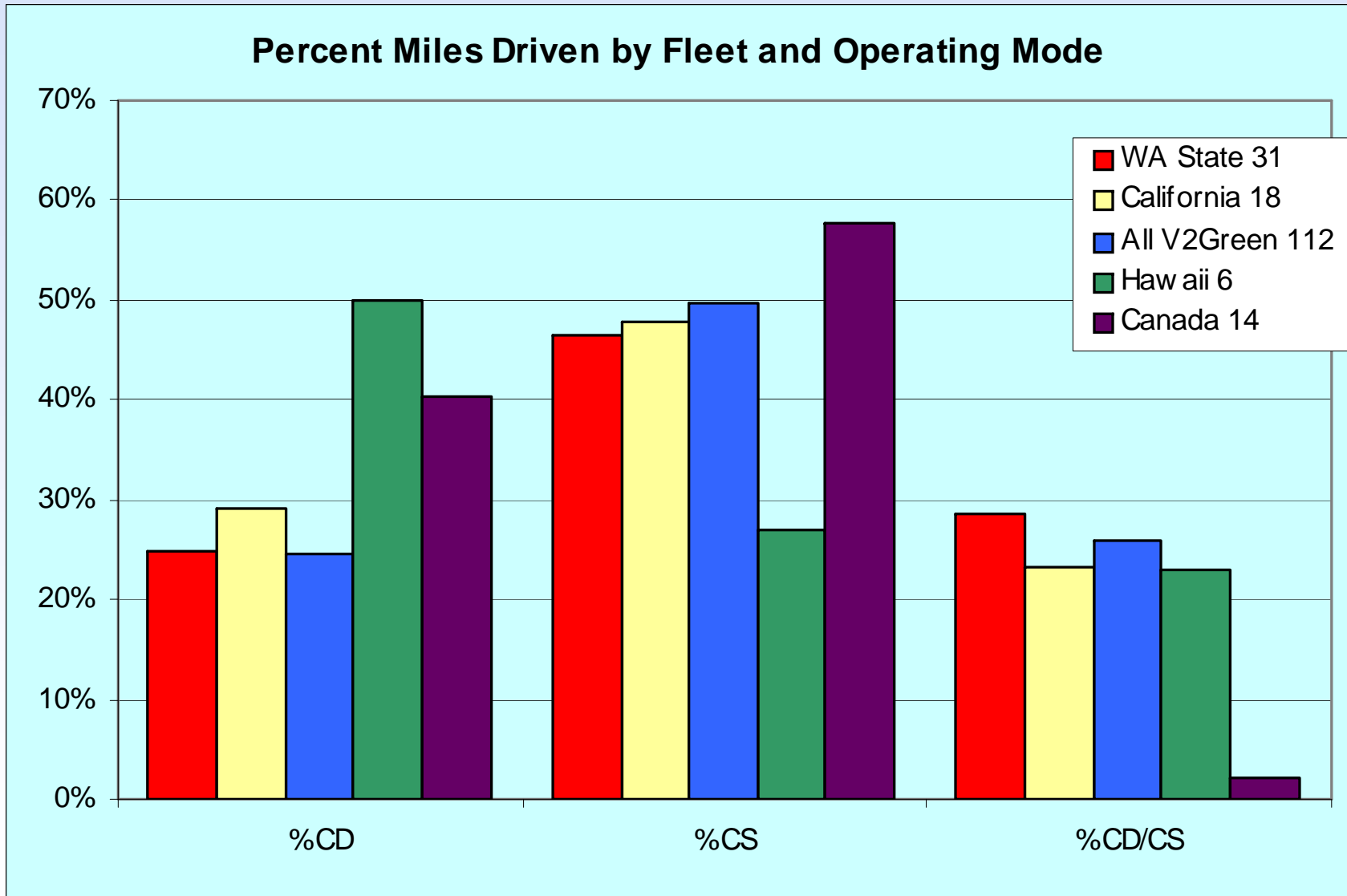
# Engine Operations by Ambient Temperatures



# Monthly Fleet Testing MPG Results

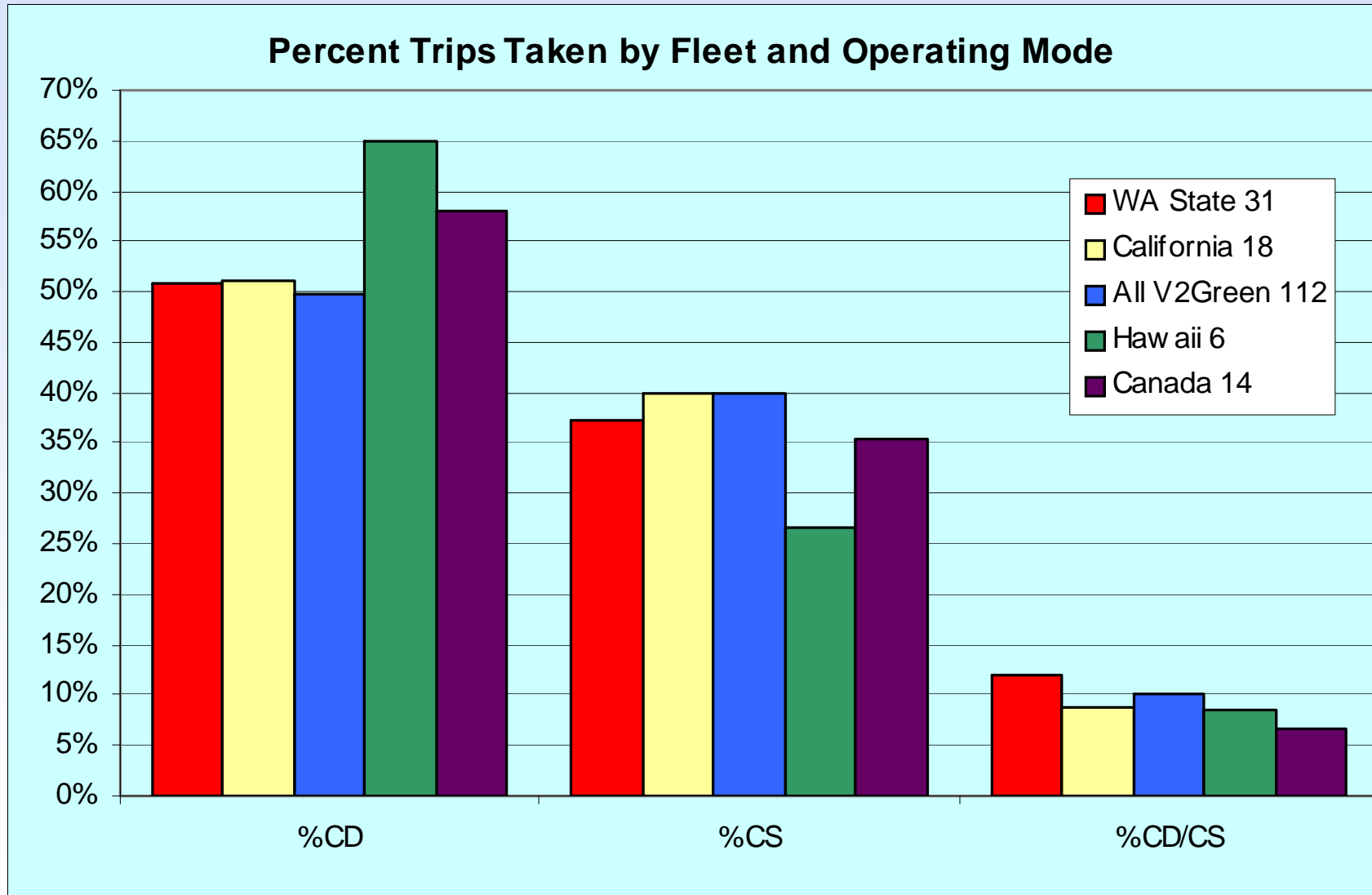


# Testing Results by Fleet

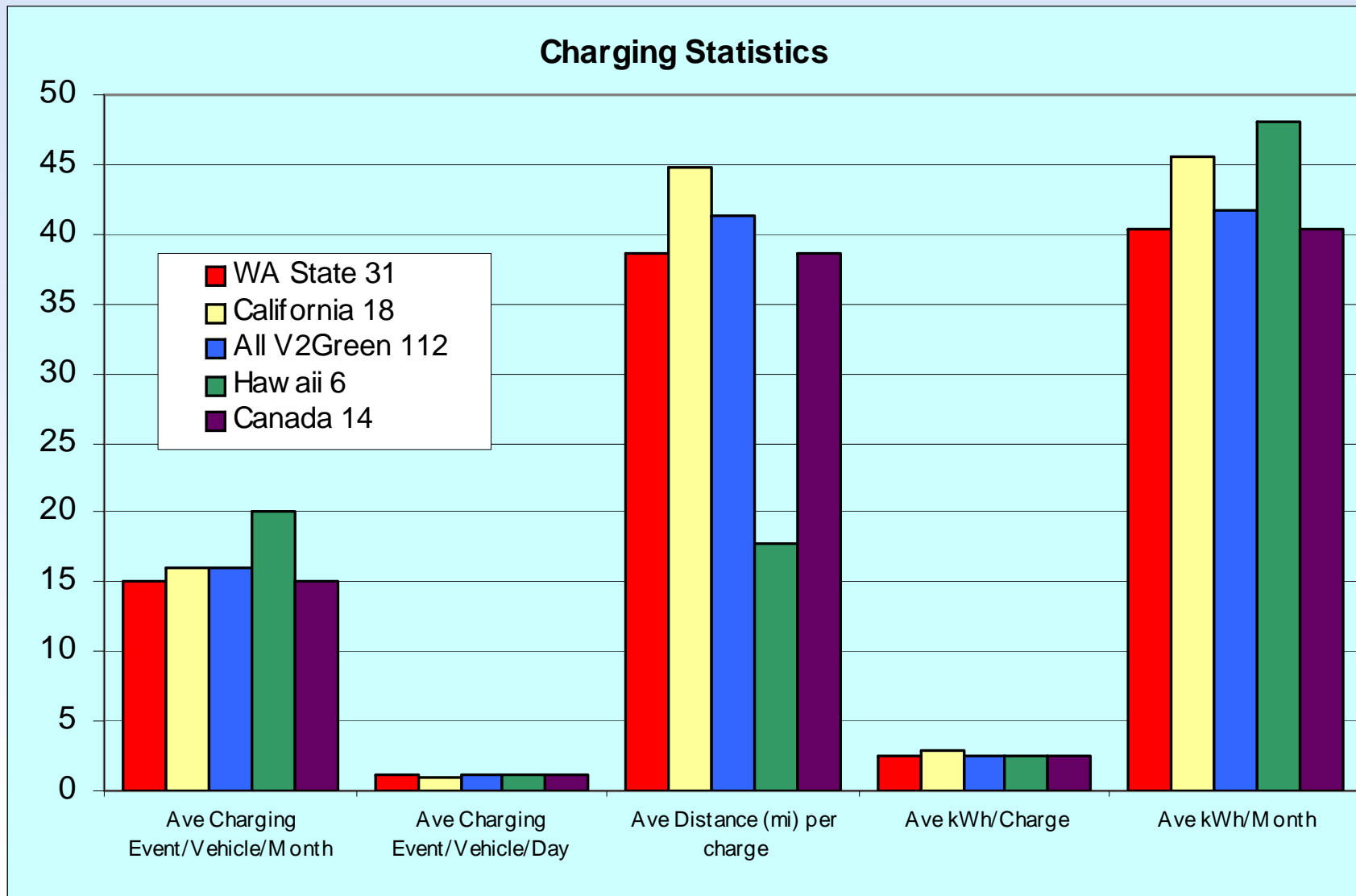




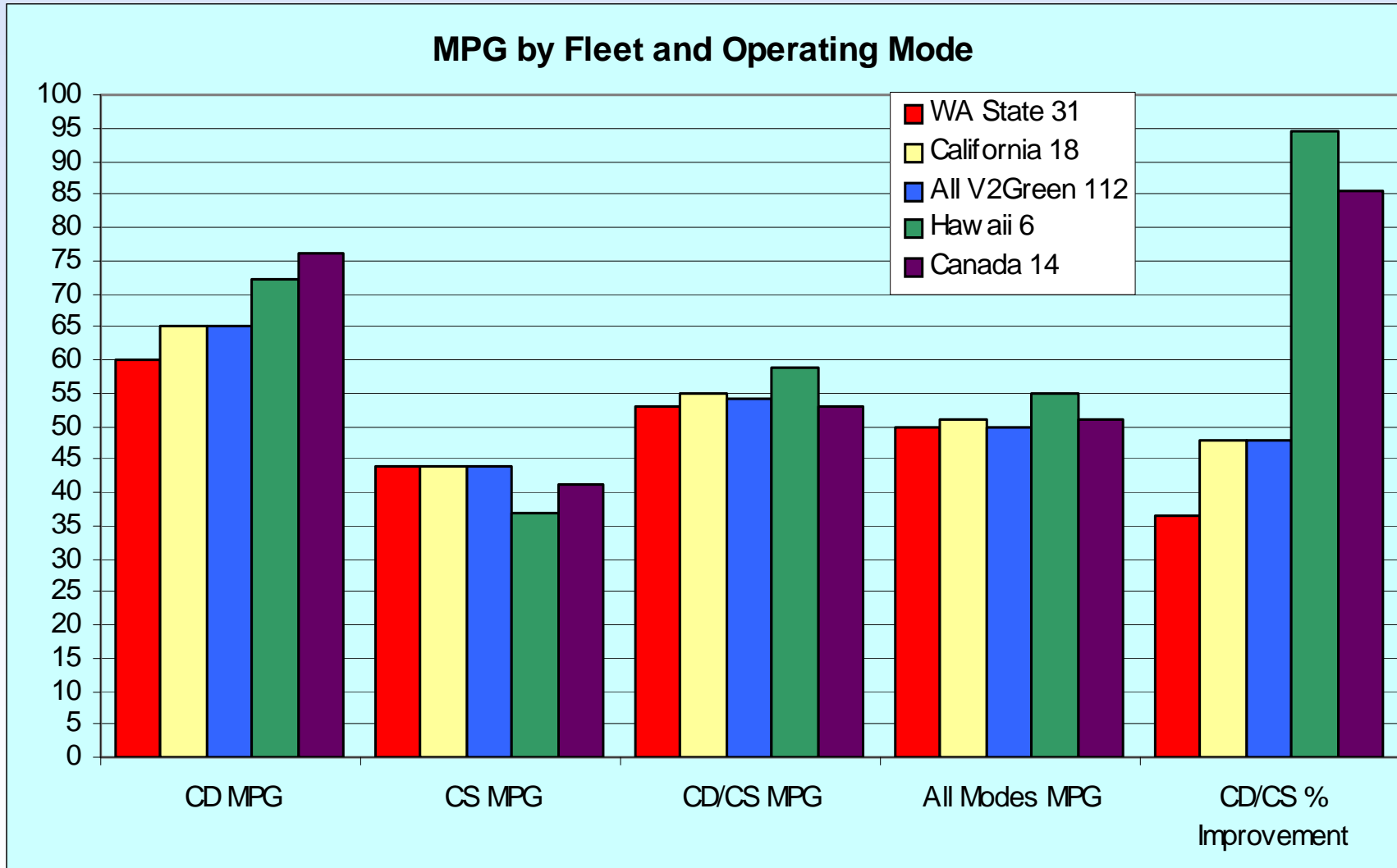
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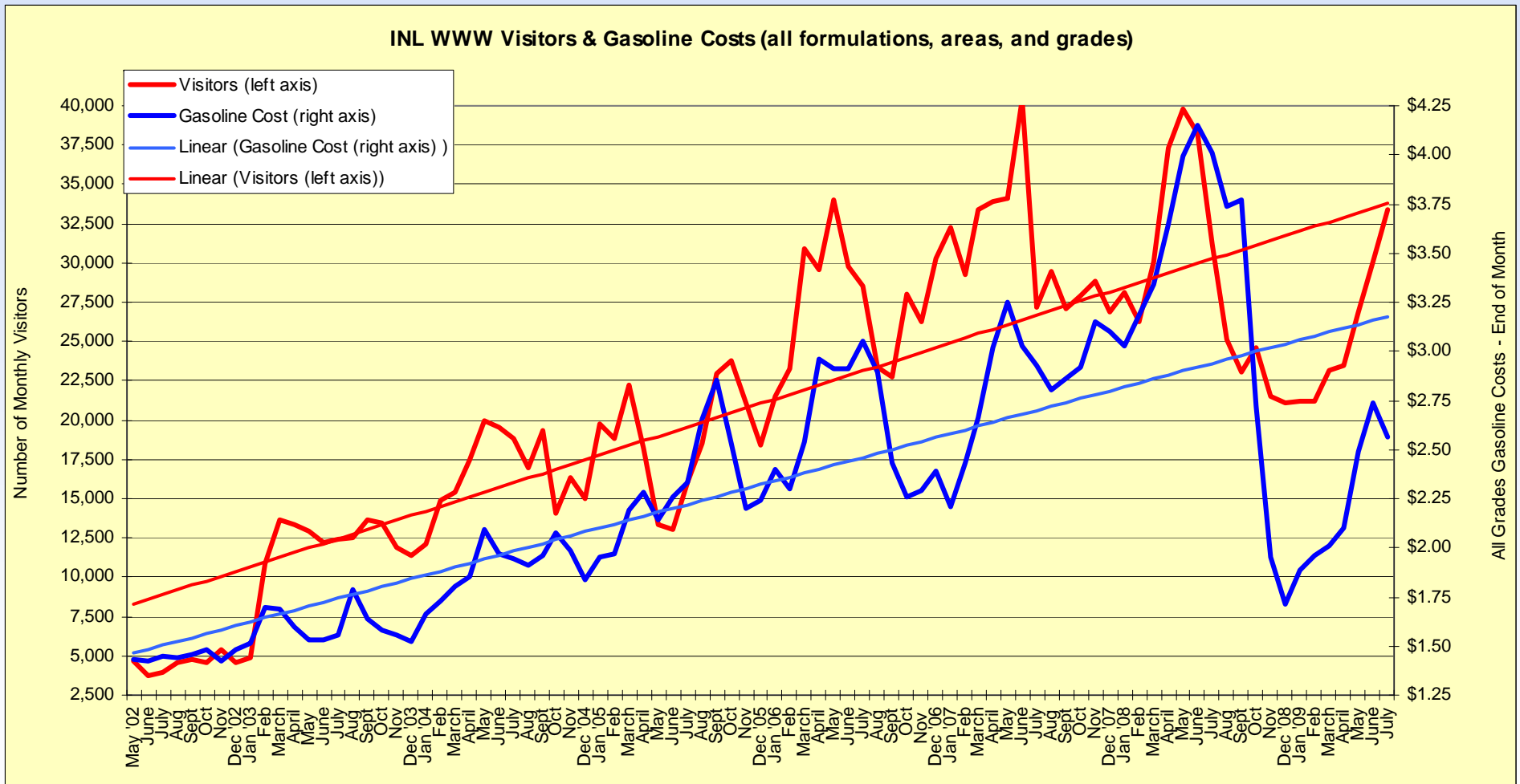


# PHEV Charging Infrastructure Cost Report

- Analyzes PHEV infrastructure requirements in single and multi-family residential, and commercial facilities as well as driving trends. No site specific costs
- Charging infrastructure equipment/administrative costs:
  - Levels 1 (120V, 15 or 20 amp) and 2 residential
  - Levels 1 and 2 (208/240V ~40 amp) apartment complex
  - Level 2 commercial facility
- Battery sizes & charge times for various PHEV platforms
- Power electronics & battery costs for PHEV platforms

| Level 1 Residential                                                    | Labor        | Material     | Permits     | Total        |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| EVSE (charge cord)                                                     | --           | \$250        | --          | \$250        |
| Residential circuit installation (20A branch circuit, 120 VAC/1-Phase) | \$300        | \$131        | \$85        | \$516        |
| Administration costs                                                   | \$60         | \$43         | \$9         | \$112        |
| <b>Total Level 1 Cost</b>                                              | <b>\$360</b> | <b>\$424</b> | <b>\$94</b> | <b>\$878</b> |

# AVTA Webpage Use and Gasoline Costs



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## Additional Information

**<http://avt.inl.gov>**

**or**

**<http://www1.eere.energy.gov/vehiclesandfuels/avta/>**

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