

# Reducing Vehicle Petroleum-based Fuel Consumption: What are our options?

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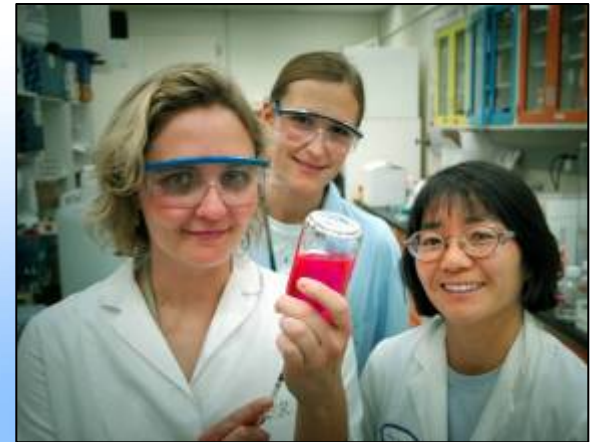
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# Idaho National Laboratory (INL)

- **What is INL?**
  - Laboratory owned by DOE and operated by Battelle Energy Alliance
- **What Does INL Do?**
  - Develop, demonstrate and promote technology solutions to our country's, region's and state's most difficult challenges in:

- ✓ **Nuclear Energy**
- ✓ **National and Homeland Security**
- ✓ **Energy, Environment, and Infrastructure**



# The Role of National Laboratories in Improving Our Energy Future

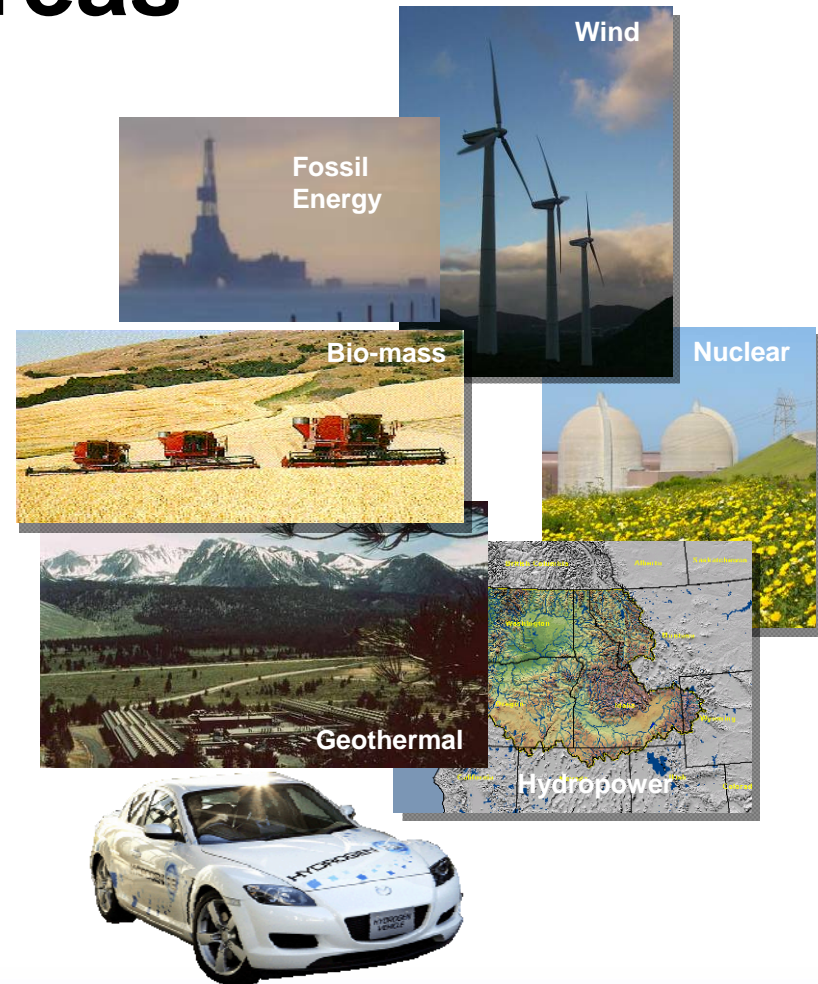


- The DOE systems of laboratories exists to do the work industry and universities *will not, should not, or cannot do.*

***National Laboratories are the “crown jewels” of the nation for development of our nuclear science and technology capabilities; an American competitive advantage and an asset to their communities, states, and region.***

# Energy Research Areas

- Nuclear
- Biomass
- Wind
- Hydro
- Geothermal
- Fossil
- Batteries
- Alternative Energy Vehicles
- Electric Grid Stability/Security



# Advanced Vehicle Testing Activity (AVTA)

- Part of the U.S. Department of Energy's Vehicle Technologies Program
- INL and Electric Transportation Engineering Corporation (ETEC) conduct the AVTA's light-duty vehicle testing, with Argonne National Laboratory performing dynamometer testing

## AVTA Goals

- Determine actual petroleum displacement and overall operating cost of advanced technology vehicles
- Provide benchmark data to industry and government research and development programs
- Assist consumers in making informed vehicle purchase, usage, and operating decisions

# Outline

- **US energy big picture**
- **Survey of vehicle technology**
- **AVTA test activities and results**
- **Trade-offs**
- **Broader picture (beyond technology)**
- **Discussion**

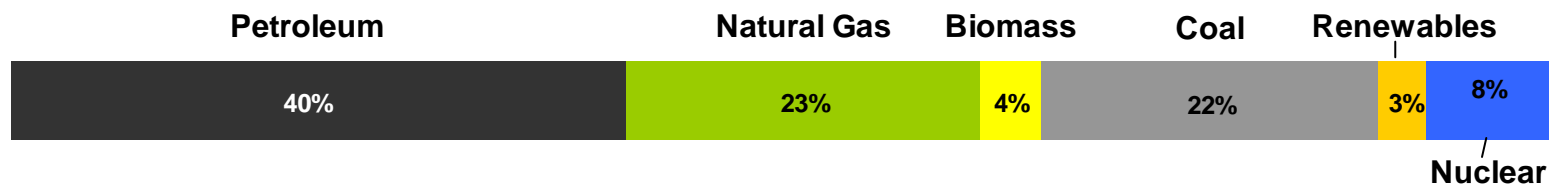


# US Energy Big Picture

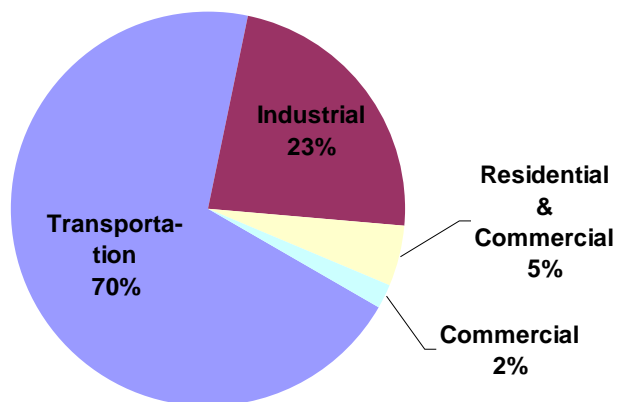
## Areas of concern

- **Energy security**
  - Insufficient domestic supply forces us to import energy (oil)
- **Global climate change**
  - Tailpipe and smoke stack CO<sub>2</sub> emissions
- **Economic stability**
  - Your wallet (energy prices, food prices, other costs)
  - Your job security
  - Not just state of economy today, but worry about future

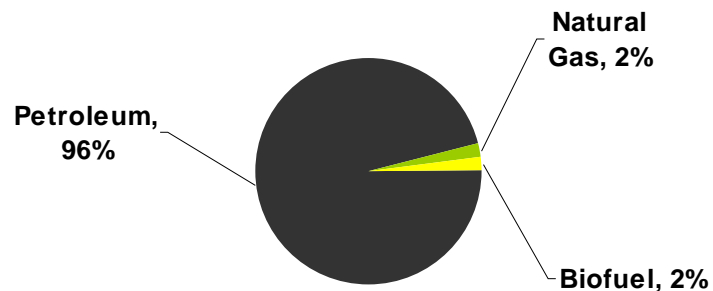
# Sources and Uses of Energy in US



## US Petroleum Usage



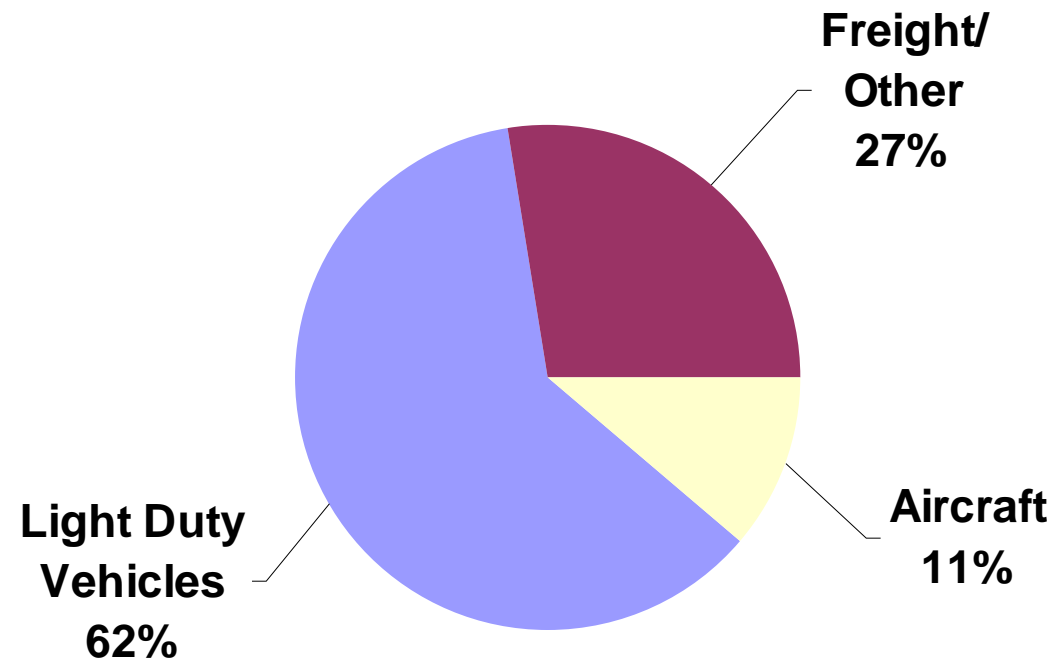
## US Transportation Sector Energy Sources



Source: Energy Information Administration



# US Transportation Energy Usage



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# Reducing Petroleum Consumption of Light Duty Passenger Vehicles

- **Reduce number of vehicles**
  - Find other ways to get around, or share
- **Increase vehicle efficiency**
  - use less to do the same amount of work... or more work!
- **Increase energy diversity**
  - use another fuel source

# Survey of Major Vehicle Technologies

- Internal Combustion
  - Gasoline
  - Diesel
  - “Flex Fuel” gas + ethanol or methanol
  - Natural Gas
  - Biodiesel
  - Hydrogen
- Electric Drive
  - Small “neighborhood” battery electric vehicle (NEV)
  - Hybrid electric vehicle (HEV)
  - Plug-in hybrid electric vehicle (PHEV) or Extended range electric vehicle (EREV)
  - Full size battery electric vehicle (EV)
  - Fuel Cell Vehicle (FCV)

Black = currently on market

Blue = entering market as aftermarket conversions

Red = under development, limited number of vehicles in market

# What is the direction for the future?

- Lots of possibilities, no “silver bullet”
- Complex technological and societal trade-offs with every path
- Consensus is that electrification will play key role in diversifying energy

# AVTA Testing History

- **Plug-in hybrid electric vehicles**
  - 6 models, ~75 vehicles in fleets
- **Hybrid electric vehicles**
  - 14 models, 3.7 million test miles
- **Hydrogen ICE (internal combustion engine) vehicles**
  - 6 models, 400,000 test miles
- **Full-size electric vehicles**
  - 40 EV models, 5+ million test miles
- **Neighborhood electric vehicles**
  - 16 models, 200,000 test miles
- **Urban electric vehicles**
  - 3 models, 1 million test miles



# Hybrid Electric Vehicles (HEV)

- Uses electric motor(s) and battery pack to provide power source in addition to internal combustion engine
- Charges battery pack by capturing energy normally wasted during braking and coasting
- Uses that energy to drive motor(s) for power during acceleration
- Does not plug in to electrical grid for recharging
- Manufacturers can tune to improve fuel efficiency or performance

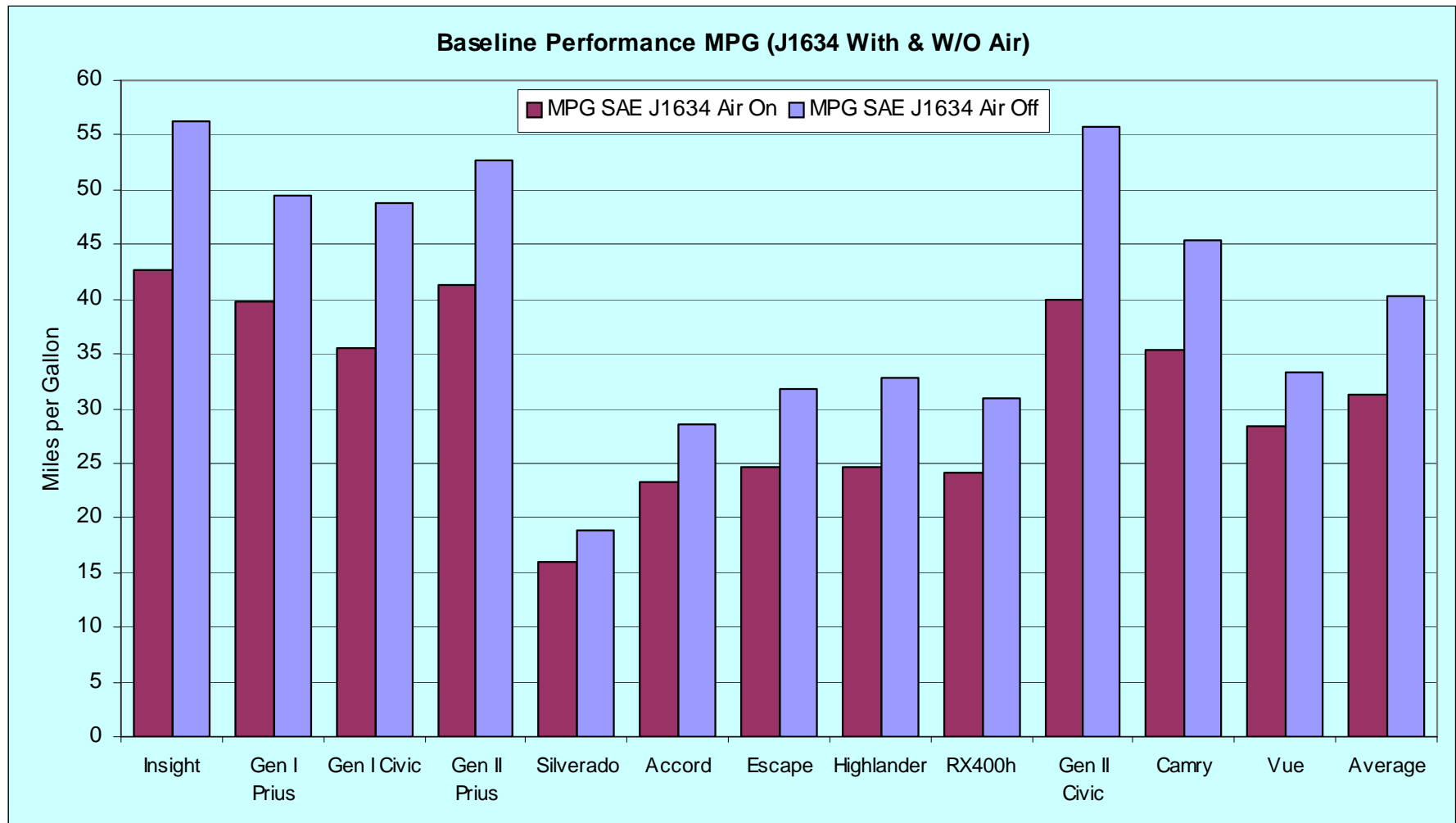


# Hybrid Electric Vehicles (HEVs) in Testing

<b>2001 Honda Insight</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>Completed</b>
<b>2002 Gen I Toyota Prius</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>Completed</b>
<b>2003 Gen I Honda Civic</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>Completed</b>
<b>2004 Chevrolet Silverado (2- &amp; 4-WD)</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>Ongoing</b>
<b>2004 Gen II Toyota Prius</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>Completed</b>
<b>2005 Ford Escape (front &amp; 4-WD)</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>Completed</b>
<b>2005 Honda Accord</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>Completed</b>
<b>2006 Lexus RX 400h (front &amp; 2 AWD)</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>Ongoing</b>
<b>2006 Toyota Highlander (AWD)</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>Ongoing</b>
<b>2006 Gen II Honda Civic</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>Ongoing</b>
<b>2007 Saturn Vue</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>Ongoing</b>
<b>2007 Toyota Camry</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>Ongoing</b>
<b>2008 Nissan Altima</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>Ongoing</b>
<b>2008 GM 2-mode Tahoes</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>Ongoing</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>39 to date</b>	

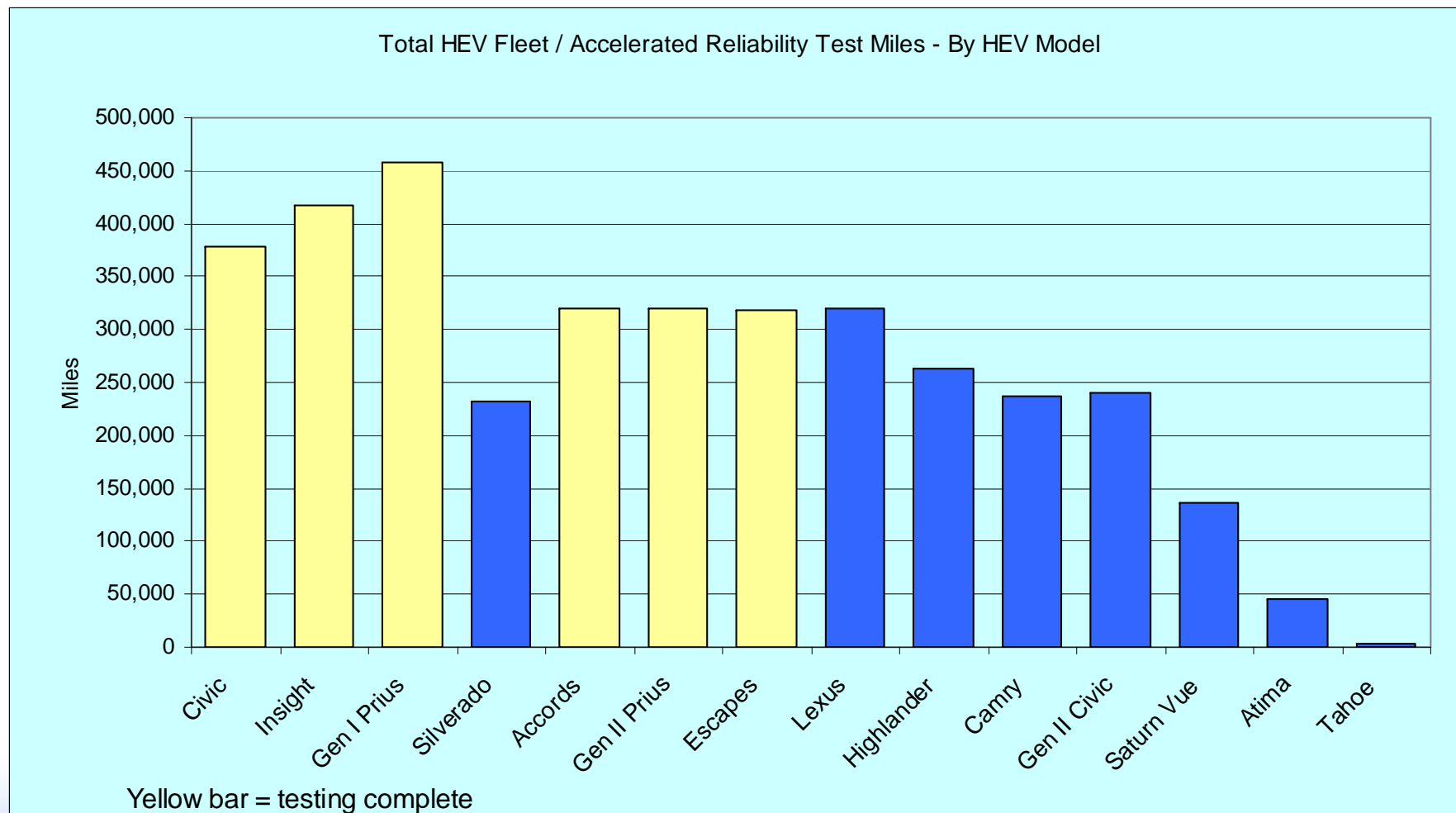


# HEVs Baseline Performance Testing

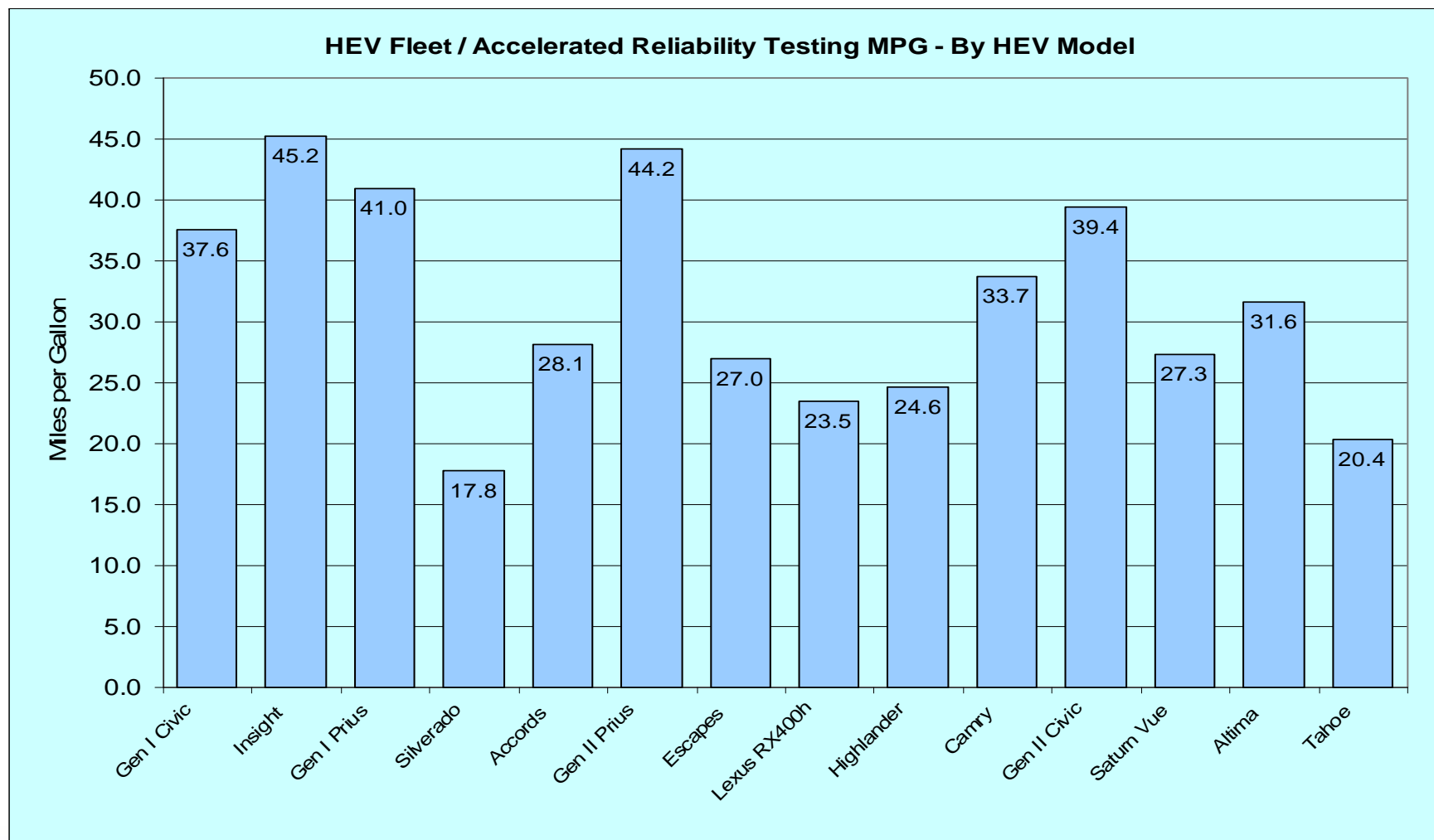


# Onroad Test miles per HEV model

- Minimum 320,000 test miles per HEV model in 36 months



# Onroad Miles per gallon by HEV model



# HEV Maintenance and Repairs

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### **HEV Fleet Testing**

#### **Advanced Vehicle Testing Activities**

#### **Maintenance Sheet for 2006 – Highlander**



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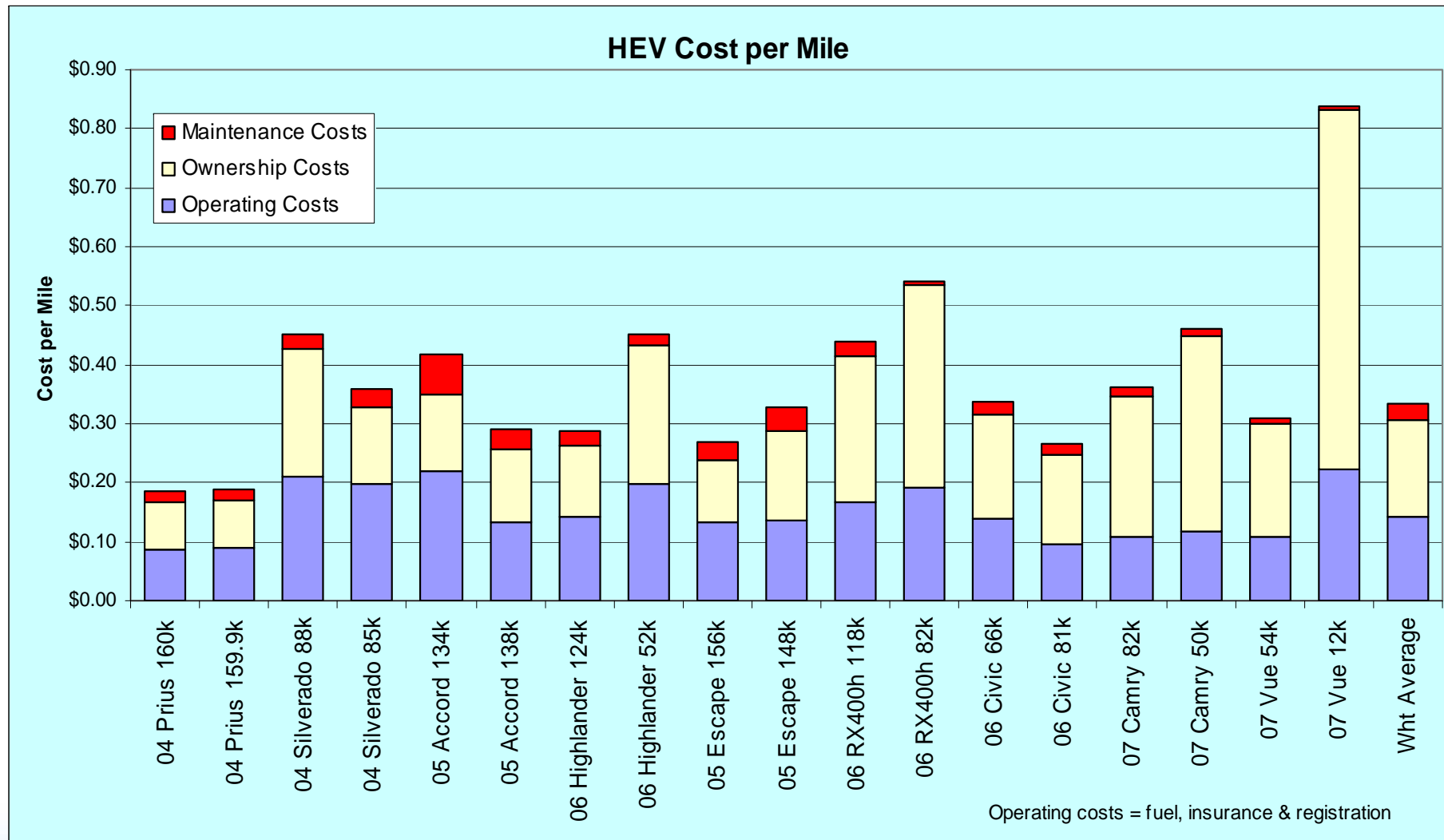
Date	Mileage	Description	Cost
12/14/2005	4,855	Changed oil, rotated tires	\$31.99
1/5/2006	9,952	Changed oil, rotated tires	\$28.04
1/31/2006	15,749	15K service	\$187.05
2/22/2006	20,783	Changed oil, rotated tires	\$28.07
3/15/2006	26,197	Changed oil, rotated tires	\$28.10
4/17/2006	31,578	30K service	\$321.80
4/26/2006	36,682	Changed oil, rotated tires	\$28.99
5/18/2006	42,113	Changed oil, rotated tires	\$28.99
6/9/2006	47,475	15K interval service, 45K preventative maintenance	\$200.67
7/5/2006	53,711	Changed oil	\$38.44
7/26/2006	59,632	60K service	\$346.86
8/21/2006	65,947	Changed oil	\$38.31
9/12/2006	71,030	Changed oil, replaced wiper blades	\$57.20
9/14/2006	71,053	Check engine light on - Code PA93 Inverter cooling system malfunction inverter coolant low	warranty
9/29/2006	73,015	Replaced windshield	\$272.87
10/6/2006	75,949	75K service	\$200.67
12/6/2006	90,270	Changed oil	\$39.60



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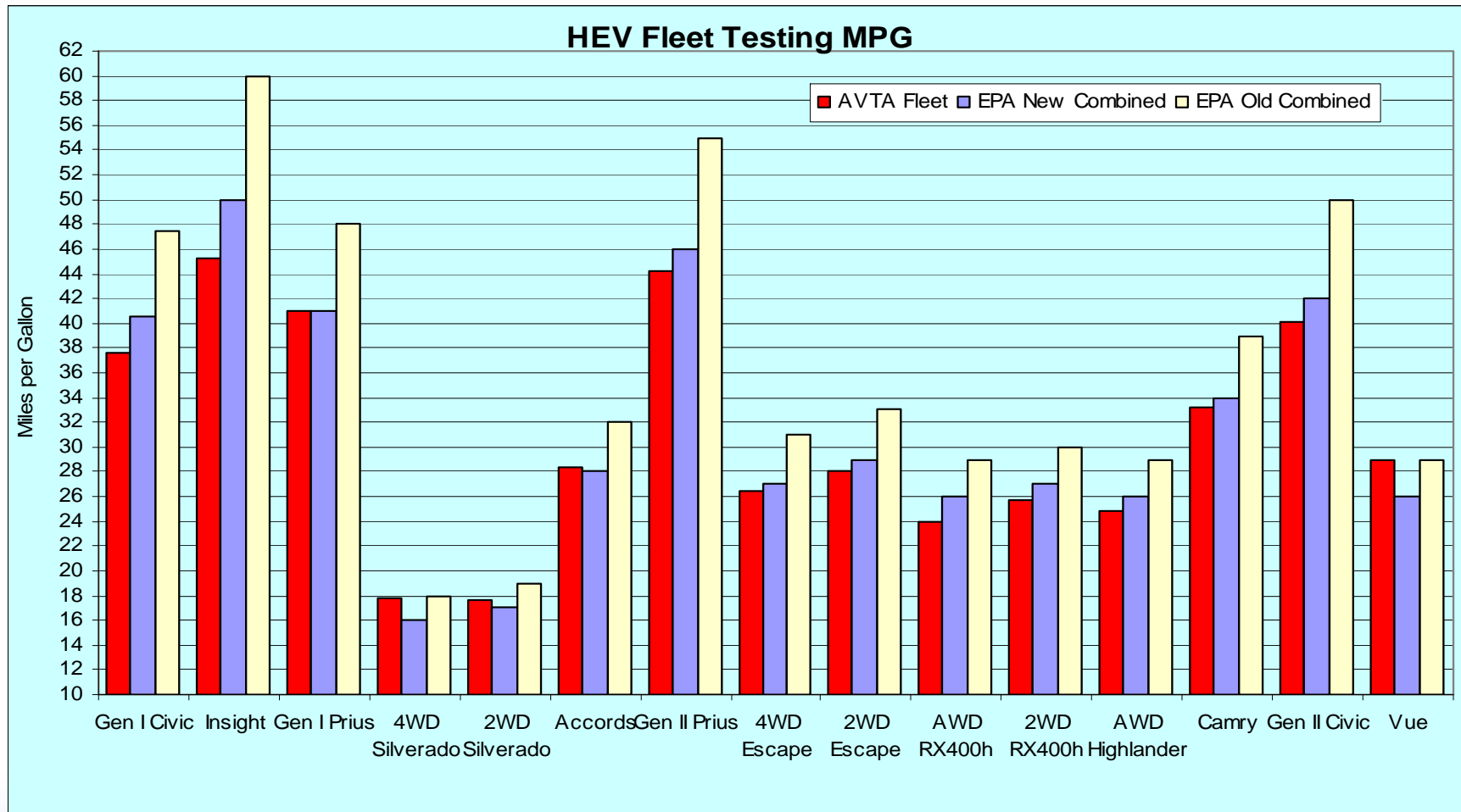


# HEV Life-Cycle Costs per Mile



# HEV Accelerated Testing Results

- AVTA accelerated testing and EPA miles per gallon



# Plug-in Hybrid Electric Vehicles (PHEV)

- Like HEVs, PHEVs use motor(s) and battery pack in addition to IC engine
- Battery pack has much higher energy capacity for greater proportion of electric propulsion
- Vehicle must be plugged in to recharge battery pack; also captures braking energy
- Can plug into standard 110/120 VAC outlet



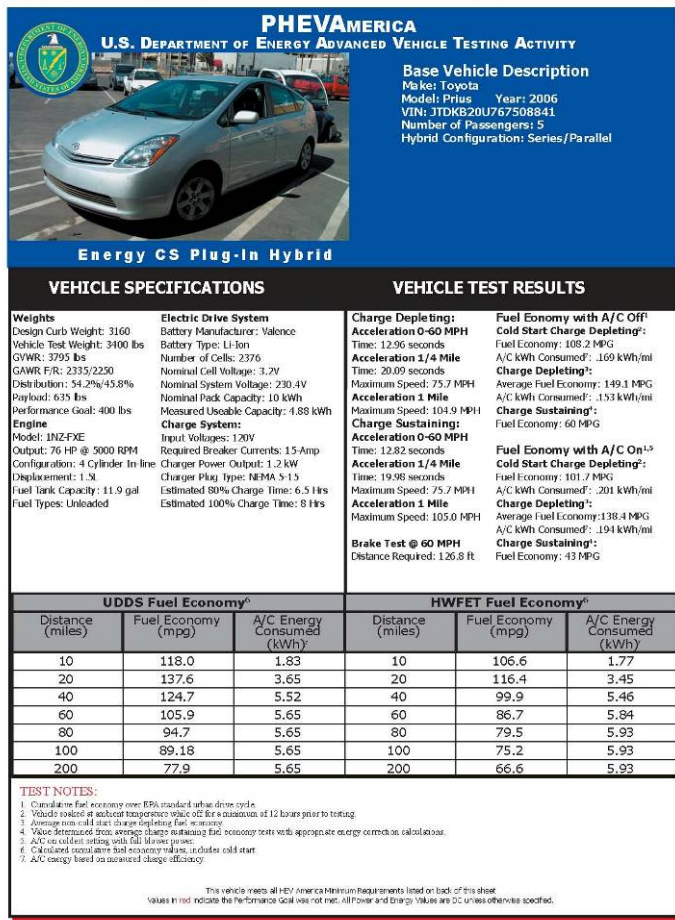
# Plug-in Hybrid Electric Vehicles (PHEV)

- Aftermarket conversion companies installing battery packs in HEVs to convert to PHEVs
- Several auto makers have announced plans to produce PHEVs, including GM, Ford, Chrysler, and Toyota
- Many are promoting PHEVs as “100+ mpg” cars

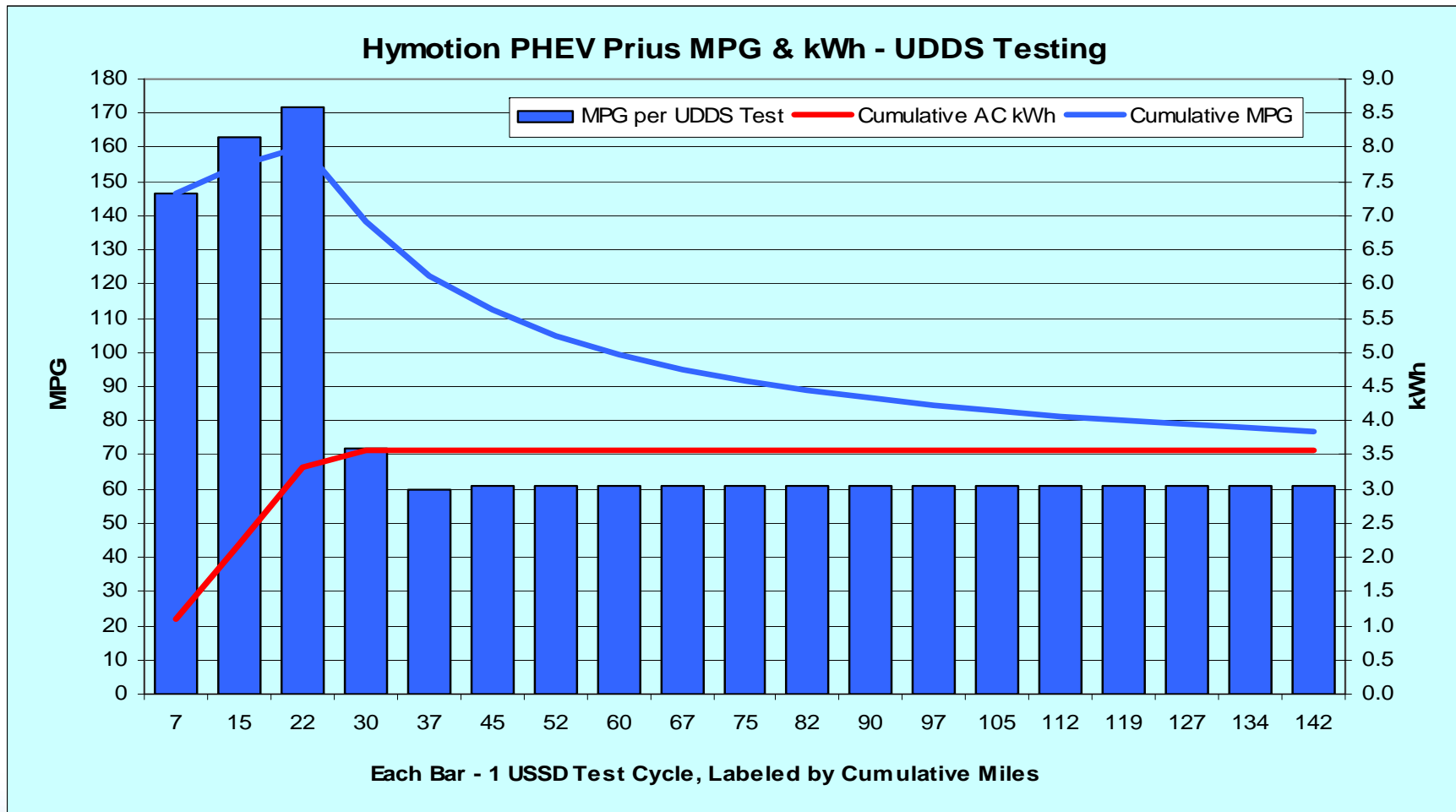


# PHEV Baseline Performance Testing

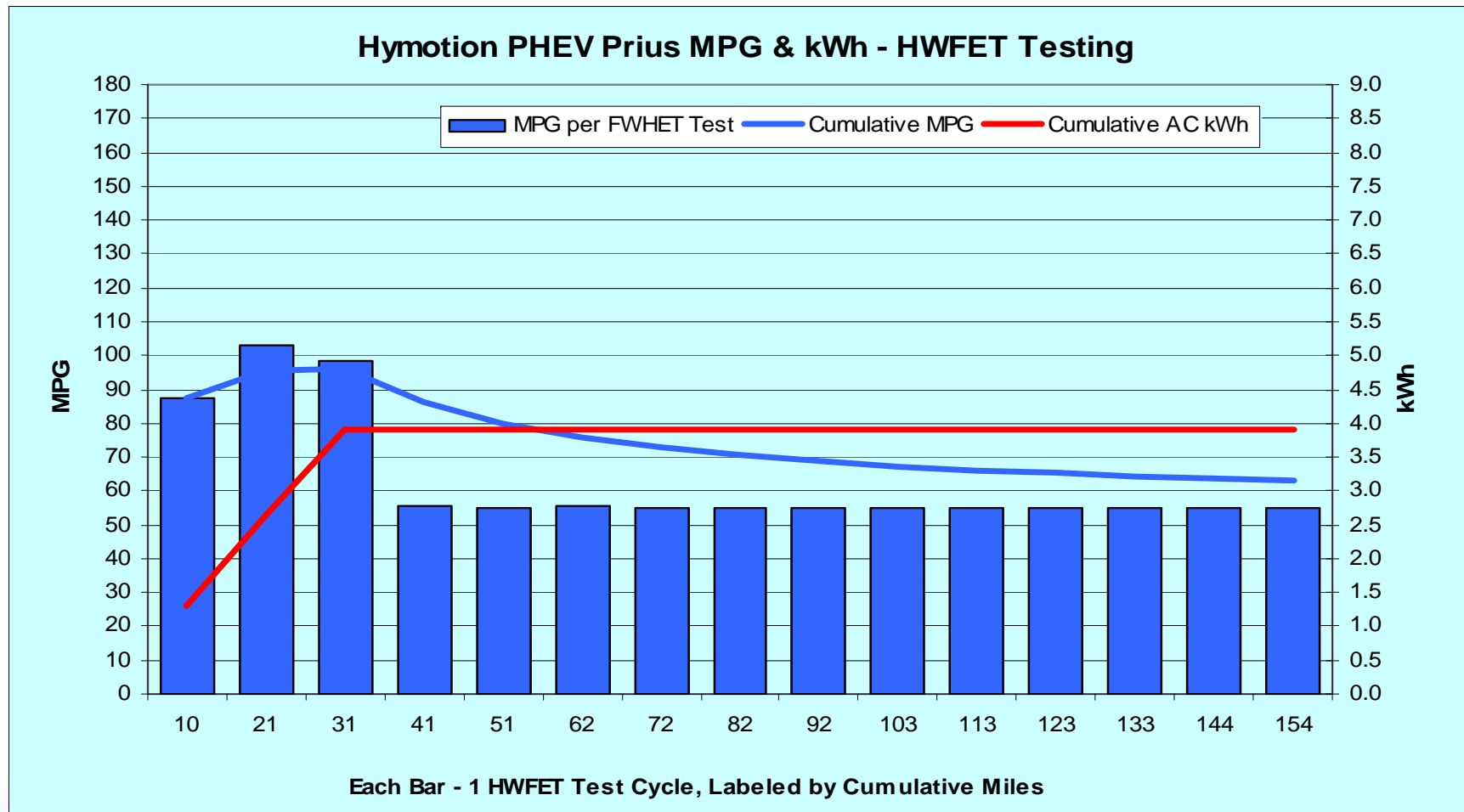
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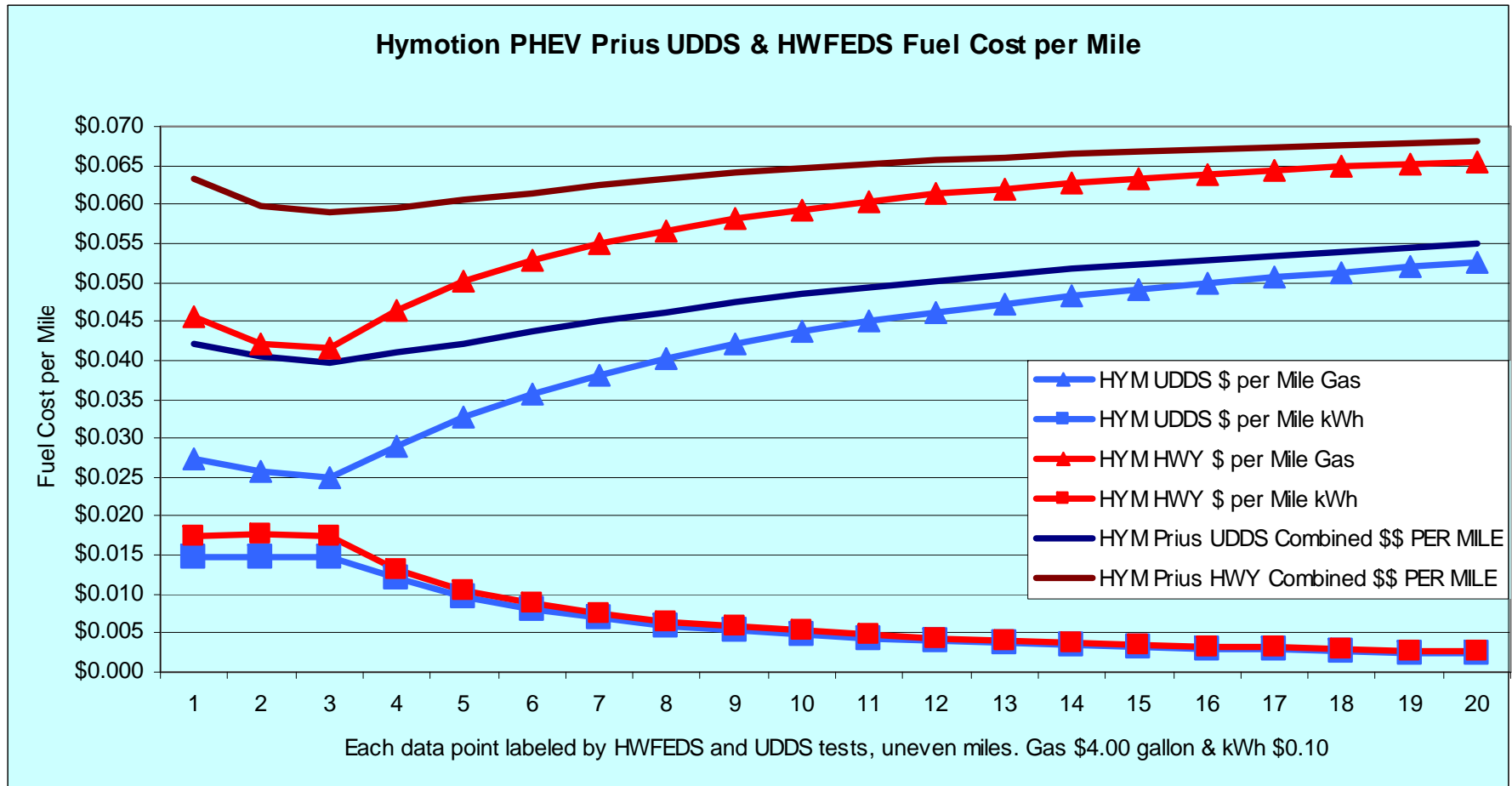
# Toyota Prius with Hymotion PHEV conversion – EPA City Test



# Toyota Prius with Hymotion PHEV conversion – EPA Highway Test



# Hymotion Prius – Fuel Costs

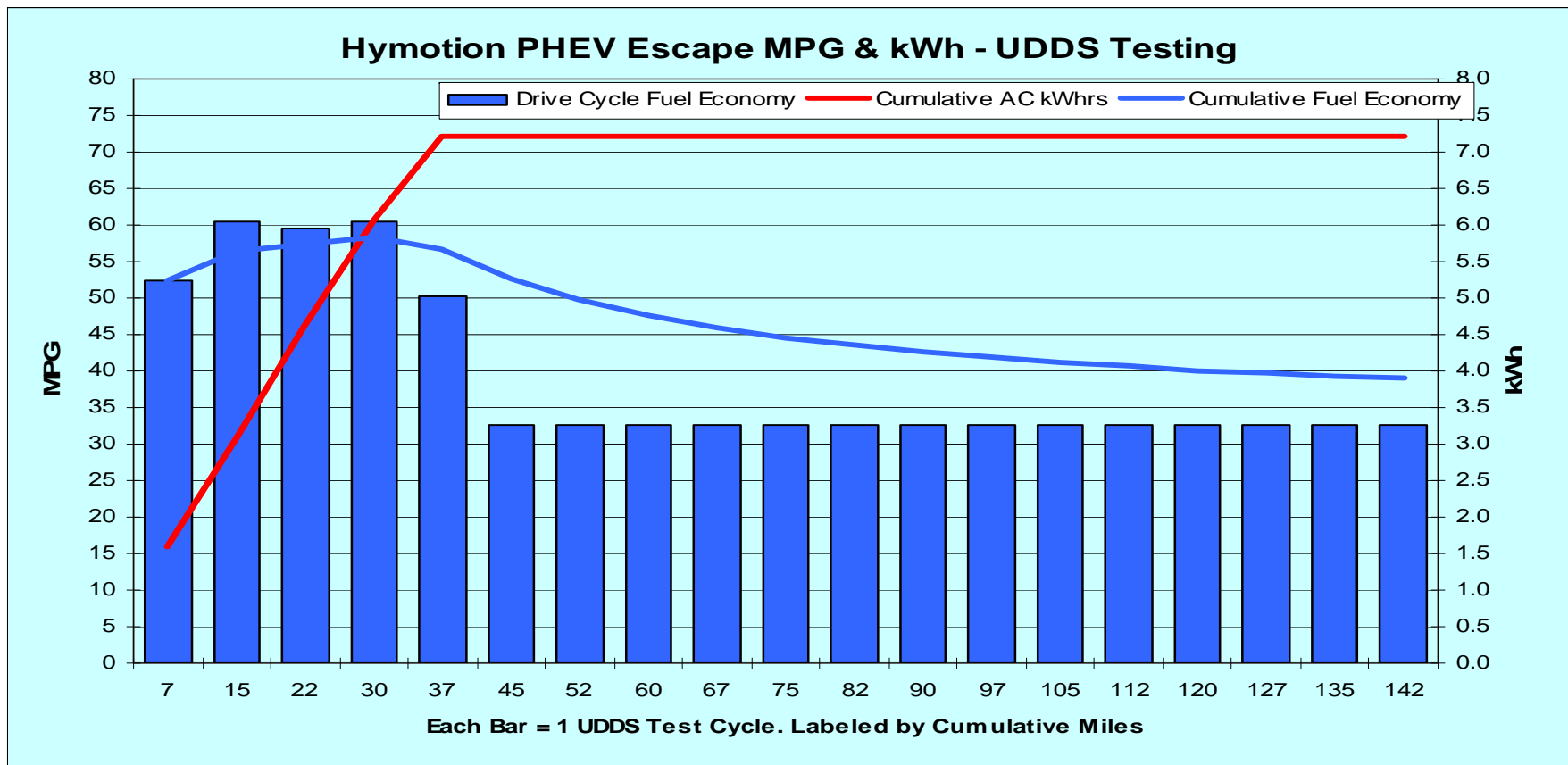


# Hymotion Prius – On-road Accelerated Testing

Cycle	Urban	Highway	Charge	Reps	Total	Electricity	Gasoline	
(mi)	(10 mi)	(10 mi)	(hr)	(N)	(mi)	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
Total	2540	3100	1404	167	5,440	Weighted Average		79.5

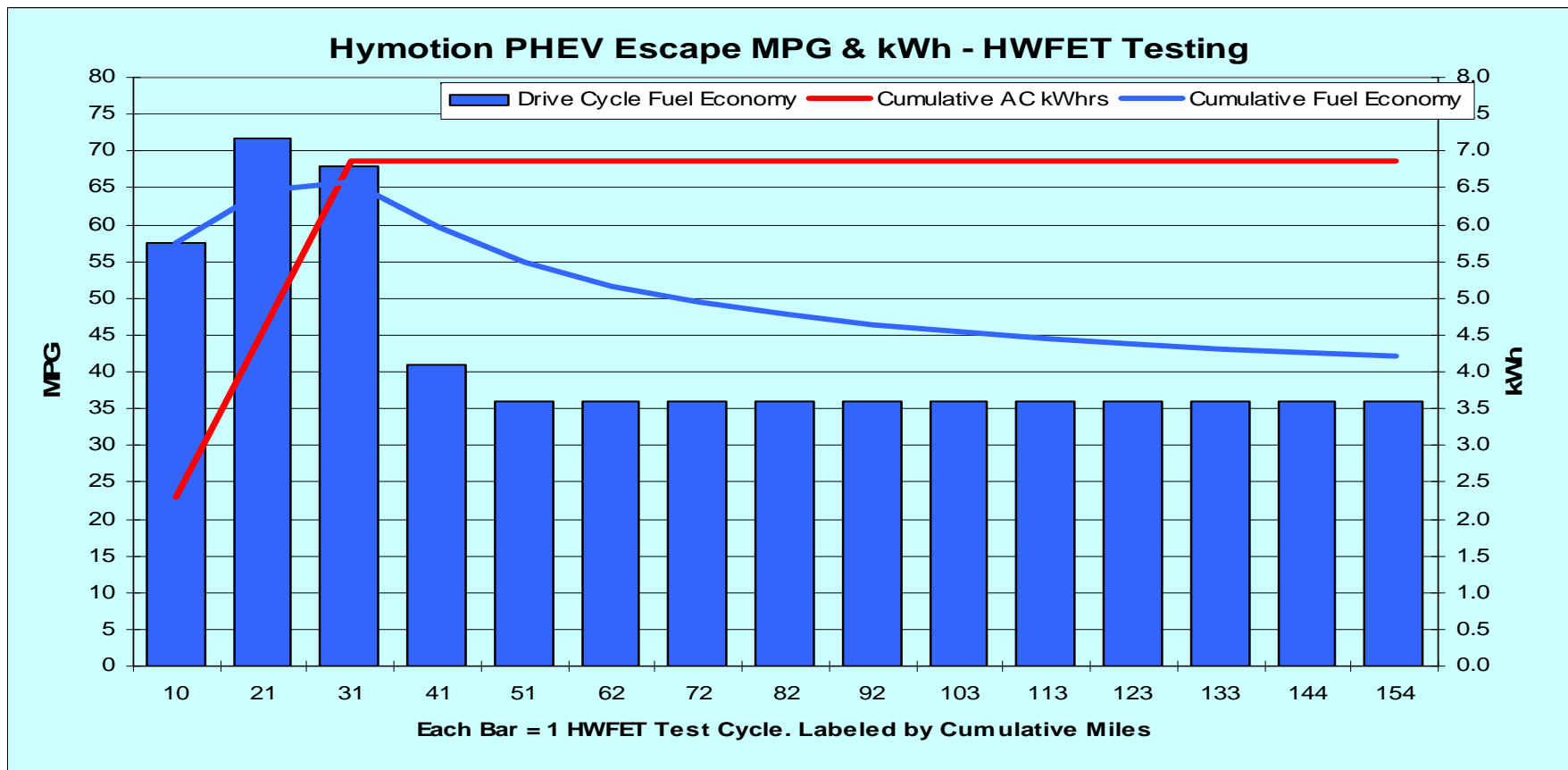
Each total distance slightly greater than 600  
and 640 miles. HEV version = 44 mpg

# Ford Hybrid Escape with Hymotion PHEV conversion – EPA City Test





# Ford Hybrid Escape with Hymotion PHEV conversion – EPA Hwy Test

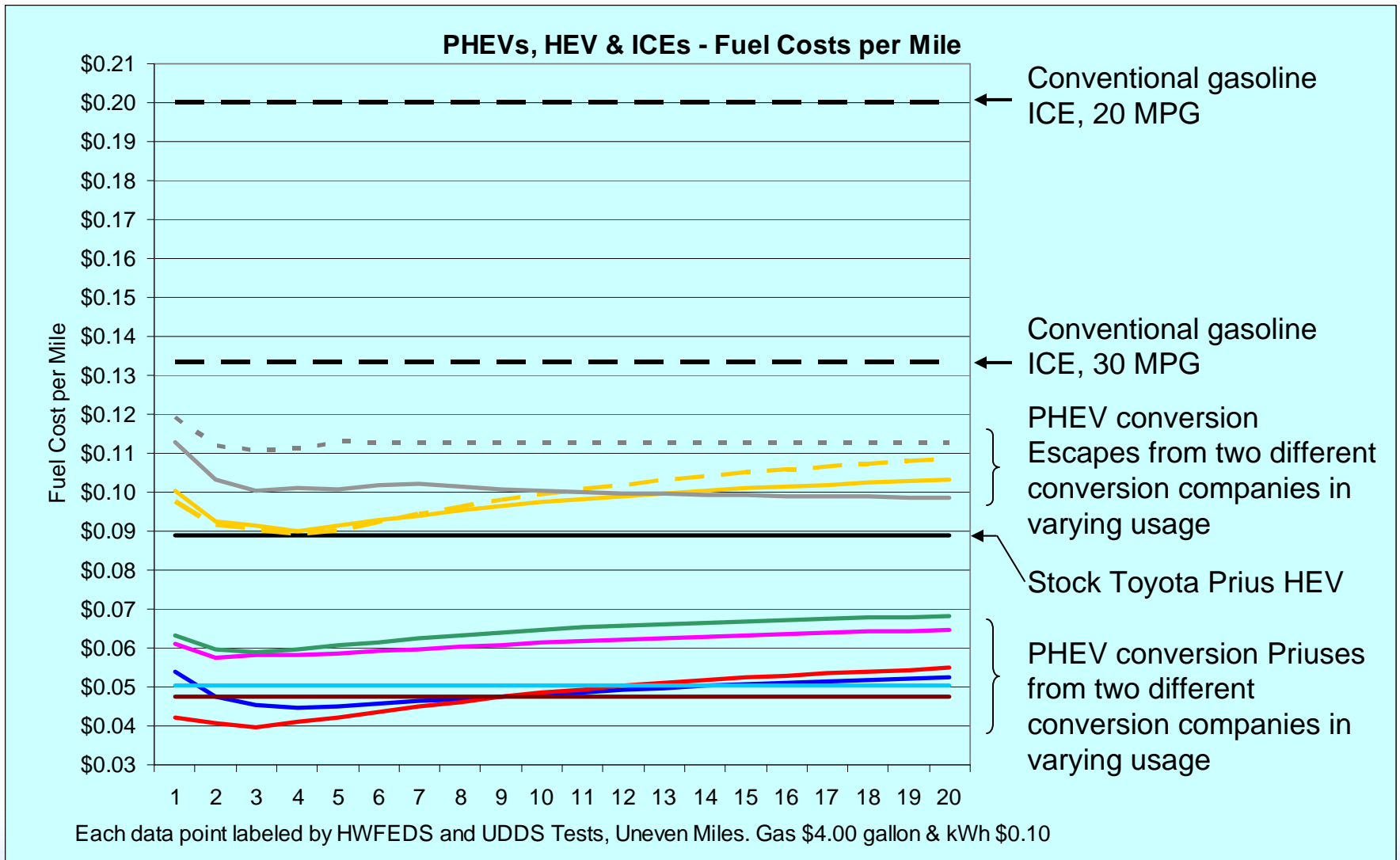


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(mi)	(10 mi)	(10 mi)	(hr)	(N)	(mi)	kWh	Gals	MPG
10	1	0	4	60	600			
20	1	1	8	30	600			
40	4	0	12	15	600			
40	2	2	12	15	600	Ongoing		
40	0	4	12	15	600	114.14	11.92	51.5
60	2	4	12	10	600	97.18	13.70	45.3
80	2	6	12	8	640	77.69	16.05	41.3
100	2	8	12	6	600	58.64	15.69	39.8
200	2	18	12	3	600			
Total	2340	3100	1344	162	5440	Weighted Average		

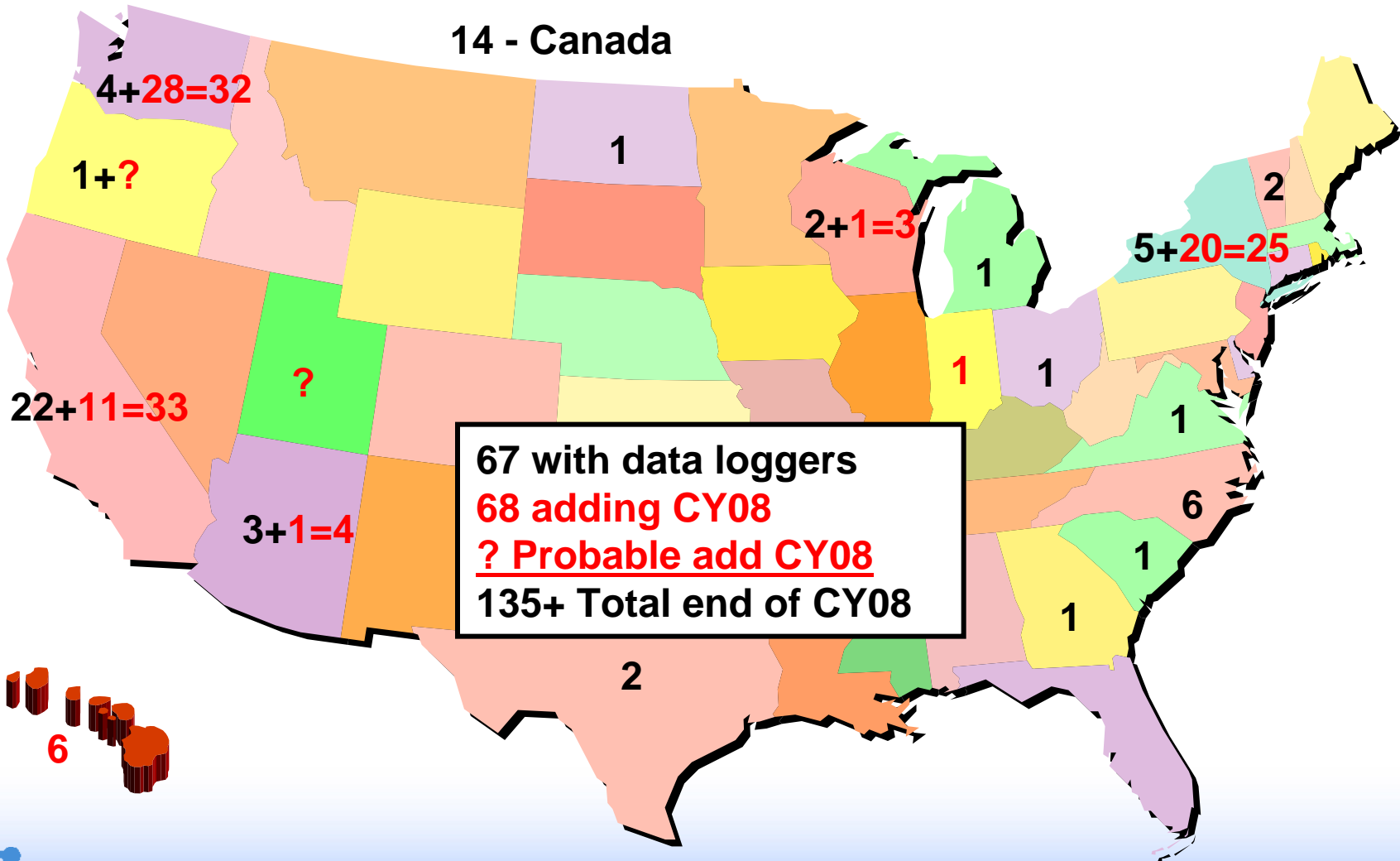
Each total distance slightly greater than 600 miles. HEV version = 27 mpg

# Comparing Fuel Cost



# PHEV Demonstration Fleet

## Current and Future Vehicle Locations



## 26 Hymotion Prius - January thru May 2008

- Below averages do NOT tell the whole PHEV energy-use potential – see following May-only slides

Charge / Operating Mode	Number of Trips	Distance Traveled (Miles)	Miles per Gallon
Charge Depleting (CD)	3,073	14,820	59
Mixed CD / CS	404	11,121	49
Charge Sustaining (CS)	1,358	16,059	40
All trips combined	4,835	42,000	48

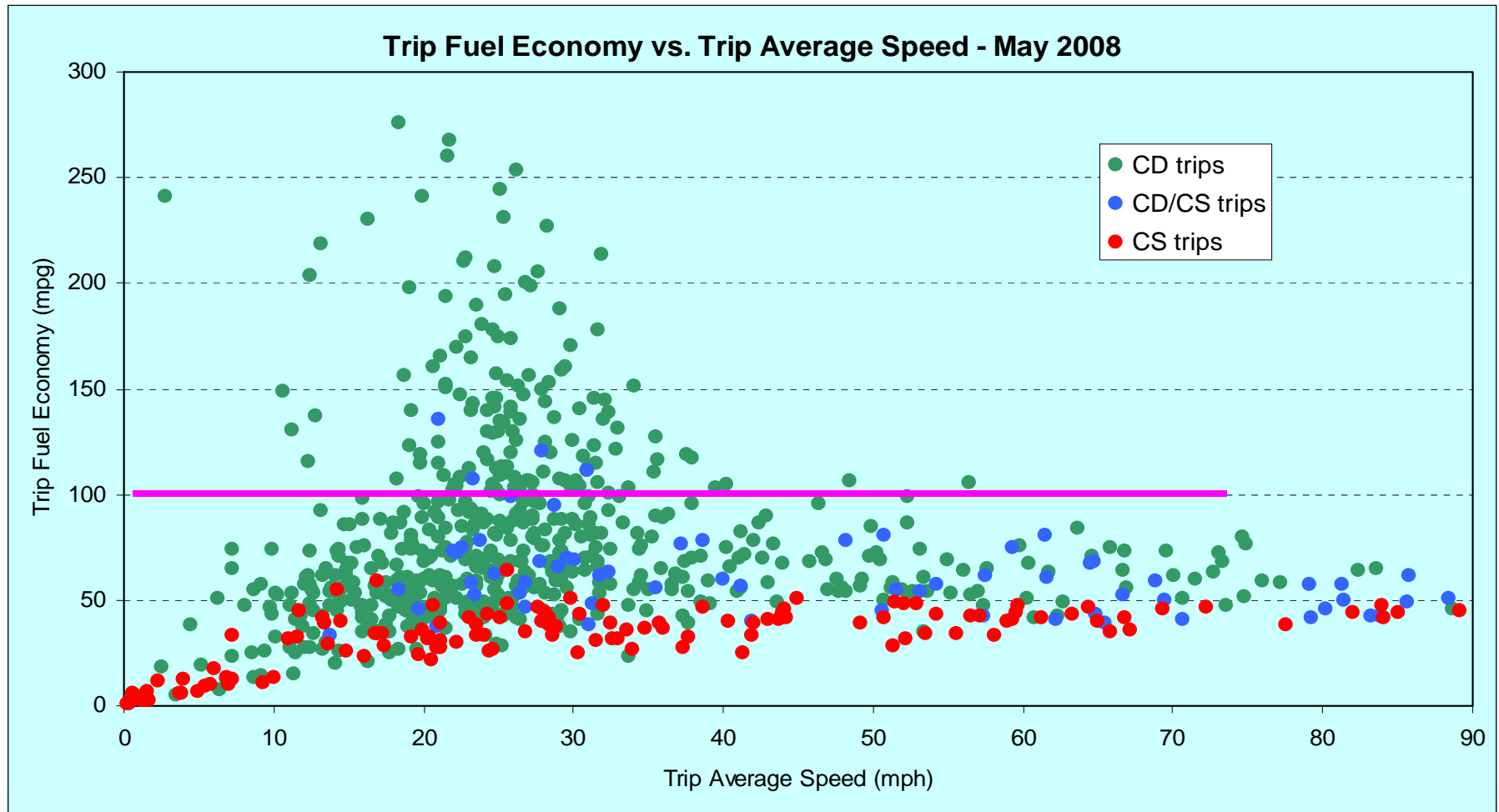


# 13 Hymotion Prius in May 2008 - MPG

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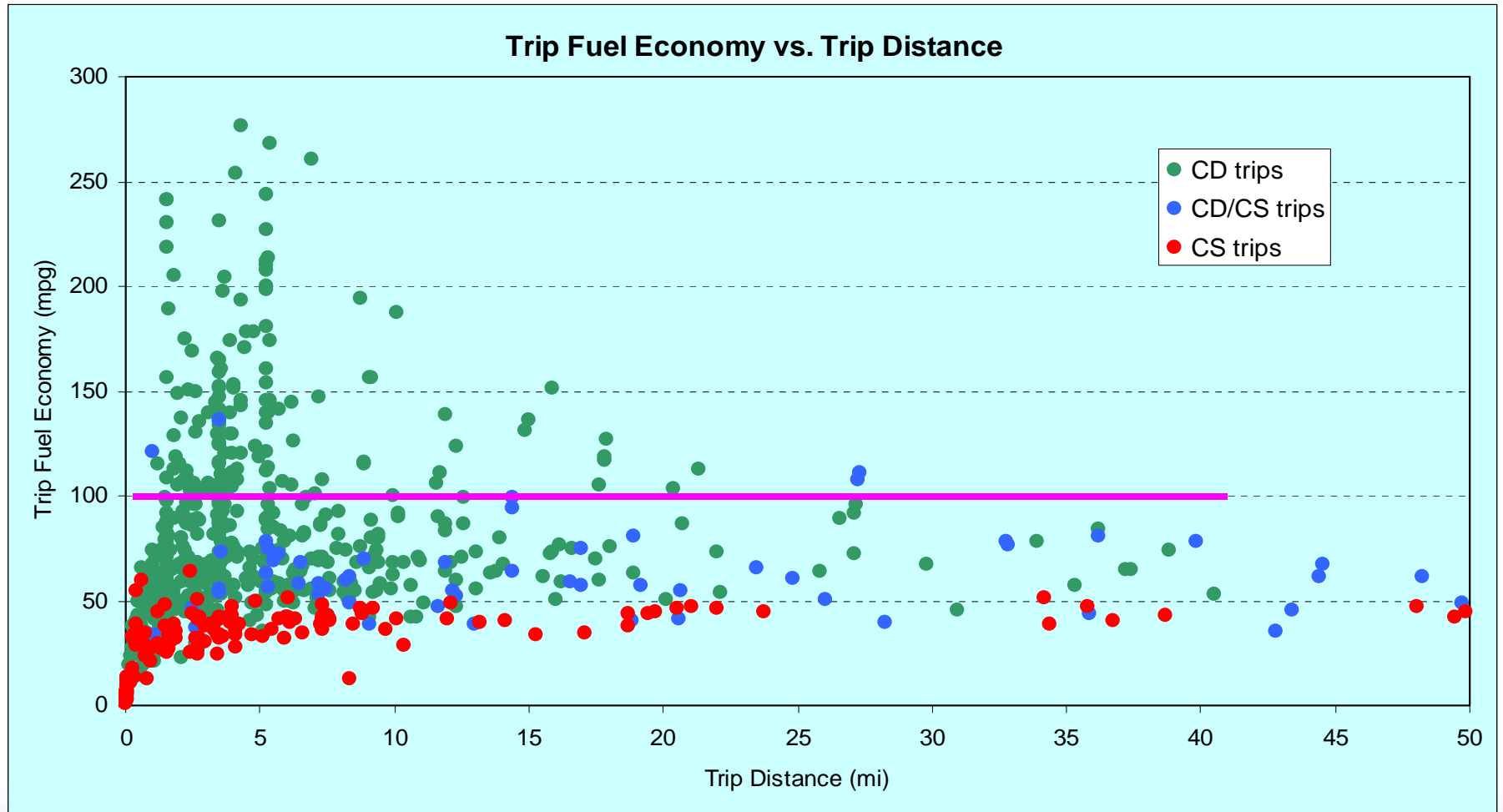
Charge / Operating Mode	Number of Trips	Total Distance (Miles)	Average Trip Distance (miles)	MPG	DC kWh per Mile
Charge Depleting (CD)	575	3,040	5.3	72.0	0.138
Mixed CD / CS	67	1,840	27.5	52.1	0.050
Charge Sustaining (CS)	133	1,411	10.6	40.2	
Electric vehicle only (EV)	137	127	0.9		0.236
Total	912	6,417	7.0		
CD, CS, CD/CS results (excludes EV results)	775	6,291	8.1	55.9	

# 13 Hymotion Prius MPG Vs. Speed

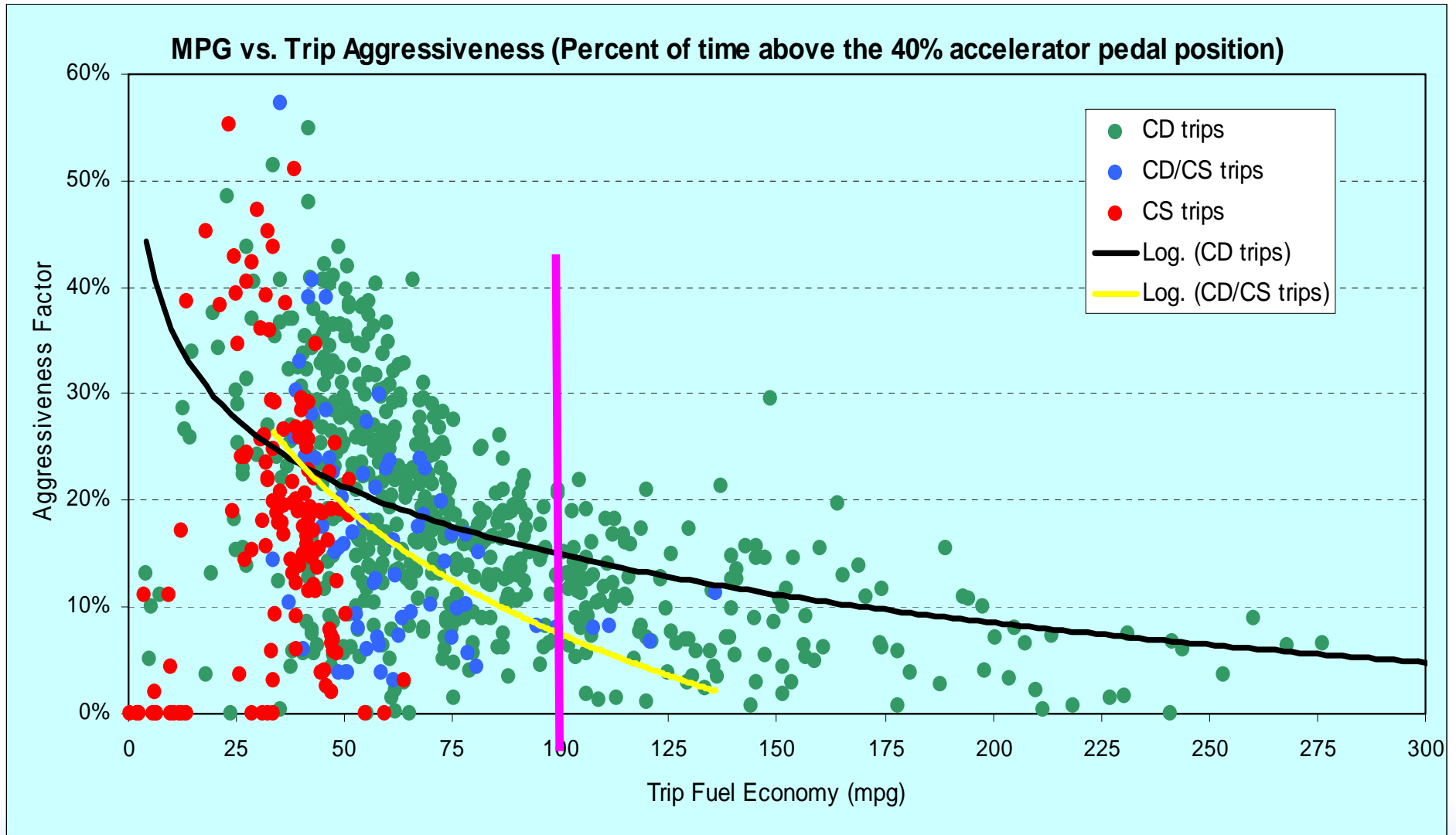




# 13 Hymotion Prius MPG Vs. Distance



# 13 Hymotion Prius and Aggressive Driving



# PHEV Charging Infrastructure

- National Electric Code requires
  - Dedicated branch circuit
  - GFCI (ground fault circuit interrupt)
  - “EV” extension cord
  - Unique connector “plug”



# Neighborhood Electric Vehicles (NEV)

- A NEV is technically defined as a “Low Speed Vehicle” (LSV) by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration’s Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard No. 500.
- Per FMVSS No. 500, a LSV means a vehicle:
  - that is 4-wheeled
  - with a top attainable speed in 1 mile of more than 20 mph and not more than 25 mph on a paved level surface
  - with a Gross Vehicle Weight Rating of less than 2,500 pounds.



# NEVAmerica Testing

- **CARB requires all Neighborhood Electric Vehicles (NEVs) be tested by the AVTA**
- **5 NEVs completing testing in 2008:**
  - **2 Miles Automotive: sedan & pickup**
  - **1 Zen sedan**
  - **2 GEMs: 6 passenger sedan & extended range pickup**
- **14 NEVs previously tested:**
  - **8 Gems (Global Electric Motors)**
  - **2 Th!nk Neighbors**
  - **2 Frazier Nashes**
  - **2 ParCars**



# Neighborhood Electric Vehicles (NEV)

- These and other test results at <http://avt.inl.gov>



**2007 Global Electric Motorcars e6**

**NEVAMERICA**  
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY ADVANCED VEHICLE TESTING ACTIVITY

**PERFORMANCE STATISTICS**

Acceleration (0-20 mph) @ 332 lbs Payload  
At 100% SOC: 5.8 seconds  
At 50% SOC: 6.1 seconds  
Performance Goal: 6.0 seconds

Maximum Speed @ 170 lbs Payload (FMVSS 49 CFR 571.500 SS.a)  
At 100%: 24.9 mph  
Performance goal: < 25 mph

Maximum Speed @ 332 lbs Payload  
At 100% SOC: Top Speed: 24.8 mph  
At 50% SOC: Top Speed: 24.7 mph

Maximum Speed Range<sup>1</sup>  
Range: 40.4 miles  
Energy Used: 6.85 kWh  
Average Power: 4.17 kW  
Efficiency: 199.6 Wh-DC/mile  
Specific Energy: 24.67 Wh/kg  
Performance goal > 25 miles

Braking From 20 mph  
Controlled Dry: 19.2 feet

Gradeability (Calculated)  
Maximum Speed @ 3%: 20.5 mph  
Maximum Speed @ 6%: 18.2 mph  
Maximum Grade: 34.0 %

Charging Efficiency:  
Efficiency: 268.1 Wh-Ah/mi  
Energy Cost: @ \$0.10/kWh: \$0.026/mi

Level 1 Charger  
Max Ground Current: <0.01 mA  
Max Battery Leakage: <0.01 MIU  
Max DC Charge Current: 12.2 A  
Max AC Charge Current: 9.05 A  
Peak AC Demand: 1.15 kW  
Time to Recharge:  
To 80%: 7.4 Hours  
To 100%: 9.6 Hours  
To Complete: 14.7 Hours  
Performance Goal: 100% SOC within 12 hours

Level 3 Charger<sup>3</sup>  
Max Ground Current: <0.01 mA  
Max Battery Leakage: <0.01 MIU  
Max DC Charge Current: 103.2 A  
Max AC Charge Current: 36.4 A  
Peak Demand: 11.83 kW  
Time to Recharge:  
To Complete<sup>4</sup>: 1.3 Hours, 80% of Ah<sup>5</sup> Discharged

**VEHICLE SPECIFICATIONS**

Base Vehicle: 2007 Global Electric Motorcars e6 6-Passenger  
VIN: SAC5AG67427FD42864  
Seattbelt Positions: Six  
Standard Features:  
Front Wheel Drive  
Front Disc and Rear Drum Brakes  
Regenerative Braking With Coast Down  
Three-Point Safety Belts  
Speedometer  
Odometer  
State-Of-Charge Meter  
Back-up Alarm  
On Board Battery Charger

**BATTERY**  
Manufacturer: East Penn Deka  
Type: 60V/50 Gel Lead Acid  
Number of Modules: 9  
Weight of Modules: 30.8 kg  
Weight of Pack(s): 277.6 kg  
Pack(s) Location: Under Middle and Rear Seats


**TIRES**  
Tire Mfg: Nankang  
Tire Model: Sceptor  
Tire Size: P165/70R13 80T  
Tire Pressure: 32 psi  
Spare Installed: No

**WEIGHTS**  
Design Curb Weight: 1560 lb  
Delivered Curb Weight: 1878 lb  
Distribution F/R: 49/54 %  
GVWR: 2090 lb  
GAWR F/R: 1380/1820 lb  
Payload: 1122 lb<sup>2</sup>  
Performance Goal: 400 lb

**DIMENSIONS**  
Wheelbase: 133.0 inches  
Track F/R: 45.5/45.5 inches  
Length: 162.0 inches  
Width: 55.0 inches  
Height: 71.0 inches  
Ground Clearance: 7.0 inches  
Performance Goal: 5.0 inches

**CHARGER**  
Level 1:  
Location: On-board  
Type: Conductive  
Input Voltages: 115/230 VAC  
Level 3:  
Location: Off-board  
Type: Conductive  
Input Voltages: 208 VAC 3-Phase  
240 VAC 1-Phase

**TEST NOTES:**  
1. Vehicle tested with 100% SOC and was operated at maximum allowable speed until 20 mph could no longer be maintained.  
2. At delivered payload was 1122 lbs.  
3. Level 3 charging was completed using 208 VAC 3-Phase rapid voltage.  
4. Hours were calculated at time that charger indicated completion.  
5. This vehicle meets all NEVAMERICA Minimum Requirements listed on back.  
Values in red indicate the Performance Goal was not met. - All Power and Energy values are DC unless otherwise specified.



**2008 ZENN Motor Company 2-passenger**

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At 100%: 25.0 mph  
Performance goal < 25 mph

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At 100% SOC: Top Speed: 25.0 mph  
At 50% SOC: Top Speed: 25.0 mph

Maximum Speed Range<sup>1</sup>  
Range: 64.8 miles  
Energy Used: 6.38 kWh  
Average Power: 2.38 kW  
Efficiency: 98.76 Wh-DC/mile  
Specific Energy: 33.2 Wh/kg

Braking From 20 mph  
Controlled Dry: 20.0 feet

Gradeability (Calculated)  
Maximum Speed @ 3%: 24.7 mph  
Maximum Speed @ 6%: 23.4 mph  
Maximum Grade: 23 %

Charging Efficiency:  
Efficiency: 139.3 Wh-Ah/mi  
Energy Cost: @ \$0.10/kWh: \$0.013/mi

Level 1 Charger  
Max Ground Current: <0.01 mA  
Max Battery Leakage: <0.01 MIU  
Max DC Charge Current: 12.6 A  
Max AC Charge Current: 1.51 kW  
Time to Recharge:  
To 80%: 6.7 Hours  
To 100%: 9.4 Hours  
To Complete: 14.2 Hours  
Performance Goal: 100% SOC within 12 hours

**VEHICLE SPECIFICATIONS**

Base Vehicle: 2008 Zenn Cars Zenn 2-Passenger  
VIN: ZFHAS15A08S001001  
Seattbelt Positions: Two  
Standard Features:  
Front Wheel Drive  
Front Disc and Rear Disc Brakes  
Regenerative Braking With Coast Down and Over Speed  
Three-Point Safety Belts  
Speedometer  
Odometer  
State-Of-Charge Meter  
Back-up Alarm  
On Board Battery Charger

**BATTERY**  
Manufacturer: Discover  
Type: EV31A-A Sealed Lead Acid  
Number of Modules: 6  
Weight of Modules: 32 kg  
Weight of Pack(s): 162 kg  
Pack(s) Location: Under Rear Floor and Front Hood  
Nominal Module Voltage: 12V  
Nominal System Voltage: 72V  
Nominal Capacity (C/1): 63 Ah

**TIRES**  
Tire Mfg: Kleber  
Tire Model: Viaxer  
Tire Size: P145/70R13 71T  
Tire Pressure: 30 psi  
Spare Installed: No

**WEIGHTS**  
Design Curb Weight: 1200 lb  
Delivered Curb Weight: 1404 lb  
Distribution F/R: 53/47 %  
GVWR: 1807 lb  
GAWR F/R: 815/992 lb  
Payload: 403 lb<sup>2</sup>  
Performance Goal: 400 lb

**DIMENSIONS**  
Wheelbase: 81.8 inches  
Track F/R: 55.5/55.5 inches  
Length: 120.8 inches  
Width: 58.0 inches  
Height: 55.9 inches  
Ground Clearance: 7.25 inches  
Performance Goal: 5.0 inches

**CHARGER**  
Level 1:  
Location: On-board  
Type: Conductive  
Input Voltages: 115/230 VAC

**TEST NOTES:**  
1. Vehicle was operated at maximum allowable speed until 20 mph could no longer be maintained.  
2. At delivered payload was 403 lbs.  
3. Hours were calculated at time that charger indicated completion.  
4. This vehicle meets all NEVAMERICA Minimum Requirements listed on back.  
Values in red indicate the Performance Goal was not met. - All Power and Energy values are DC unless otherwise specified.

# Neighborhood Electric Vehicles (NEV)

## Basic results for some vehicles tested

Make/Model	Max Range (mi)	Max Speed (mph)	Recharge time (hrs)
2008 Zenn 2 passenger	65	25	9 - 14
2007 GEM 6 passenger	40	25	9 - 14
2007 GEM Long bed	50	25	10 - 14
2005 GEM 4 passenger	41	24	7
2005 GEM 2 passenger	44	23	7
2005 GEM Long bed	41	23	7
2005 GEM Short bed	37	24	6
2002 Th!nk Neighbor 2 Passenger	39	24	8
2002 Th!nk Neighbor 4 Passenger	33	23	8
2001 Frazer-Nash Car	31	25	1
2001 Frazer-Nash Truck	33	25	1

# **Hydrogen and Compressed Natural Gas (CNG) Internal Combustion Engine Vehicle Testing**



# 15% HCNG Dodge Van Emissions Testing

- 5.2 L CNG V8 (no modifications) with 71,000 HCNG test miles - no problems - 15.5 miles/GGE

**Percentage change in 15% HCNG emissions compared to 100% CNG emissions**

<b>Total hydrocarbons</b>	<b>-34.7%</b>
<b>Carbon monoxide</b>	<b>-55.4%</b>
<b>Oxides of nitrogen</b>	<b>+92.1%</b>
<b>Carbon dioxide</b>	<b>-11.3%</b>



# 30% HCNG F150 Testing

- 5.4 L V8 CNG base engine – added supercharger, ignition modifications & exhaust gas recirculator
- Fleet testing HCNG miles: 17.3 miles/GGE

Fuel Blend	0 to 60 mph (secs.)	Miles/GGE	Range (miles)
CNG	10.10	23.3	122
15% HCNG	10.97	22.6	110
30% HCNG	12.68	23.5	102



# 30% HCNG F150 Emissions Testing

Fuel Type	Percentage Change in Emissions Testing					
	NMHC	CH <sub>4</sub>	HC	CO	NO <sub>x</sub>	CO <sub>2</sub>
Gasoline	Base	Base	Base	Base	Base	Base
CNG	-80	+967	+35	-63	-34	-24
15% HCNG	-78	+1000	+40	-70	-26	-27
30% HCNG	-89	+1050	+37	-73	-25	-28

NMHC=Non-Methane Hydrocarbons

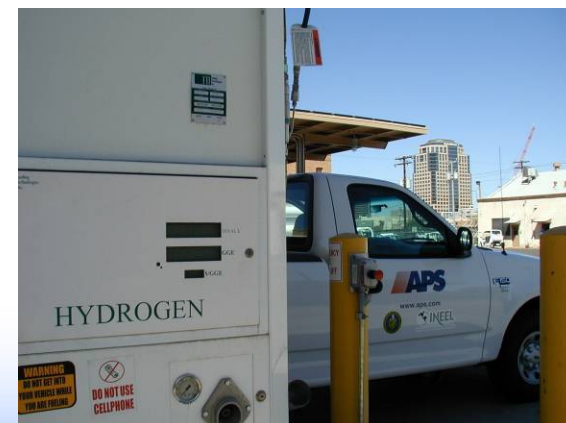
HC=Total Hydrocarbons

NO<sub>x</sub>=Oxides of Nitrogen

CH<sub>4</sub>=Methane

CO=Carbon Monoxide

CO<sub>2</sub>=Carbon Dioxide



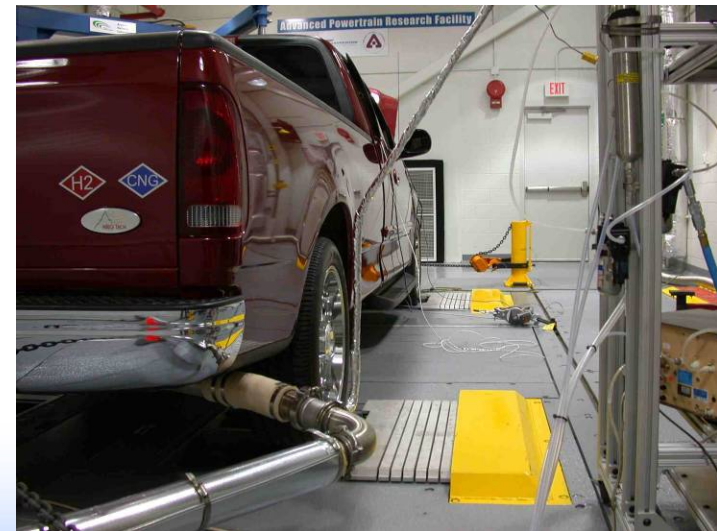
# 50% HCNG F150 Emissions Testing

- **Modifications**
  - SVO heads, exhaust intercooler & supercharger
  - Exhaust gas recirculator & ignition modification
  - Equipped with 3 Quantum hydrogen 3,600 psi tanks with 9 kg total storage

**Percent reduction in emissions (HCNG versus gasoline-fueled F-150)**

HC	CO	NO <sub>x</sub>	CO <sub>2</sub>
-3.5%	-43.3%	-97.0%	-16.7%

HC = total hydrocarbons  
CO = carbon monoxide  
CO<sub>2</sub> = carbon dioxide  
NO<sub>x</sub> = oxides of nitrogen



## 5.4L 16-valve 100% Hydrogen ICE Vehicle

- 5.4L V-8, 100% hydrogen 16-valve Ford/ETEC pickup
- 5 speed transmission, supercharged (3 psi), lean-burn
- Onboard hydrogen storage 3 Dynetek tanks @ 3,000 psi, 6.5 kg, aluminum vessel & fiberglass wrap
- SAE J1634 fuel economy (AC on): 14.5 miles/GGE
- SAE J1634 fuel economy (AC off): 18.0 miles/GGE
- Fleet testing – 18.5 miles per GGE (120 miles range)





## 5.4L 32-valve 100% Hydrogen ICE Vehicle

- 5.4L V-8, 100% hydrogen 32-valve Ford/ETEC pickup
- 12 pounds supercharger boost, with hardened valves & seats, and forged pistons with 11.5:1 compression
- 13.0 miles per GGE in fleet testing
- Onboard hydrogen storage 3 Dynetek tanks @ 5,000 psi, 15.3 kg (200-mile range)



# 6L V-8 100% Hydrogen ICE Vehicle

- Base vehicle: Chevrolet 1500HD crew cab (4 door) with 6L V8 CNG engine, converted by ETEC/Roush to 100% hydrogen
- 10.5 kg 100% hydrogen storage onboard @ 5,000 psi
- 200 Horsepower & 260 lb-ft torque
- 14 city & 20 highway miles per GGE - range of 140 to 200 miles
- Eight vehicles in fleet testing in Vancouver B.C.



# Hydrogen and CNG Infrastructure

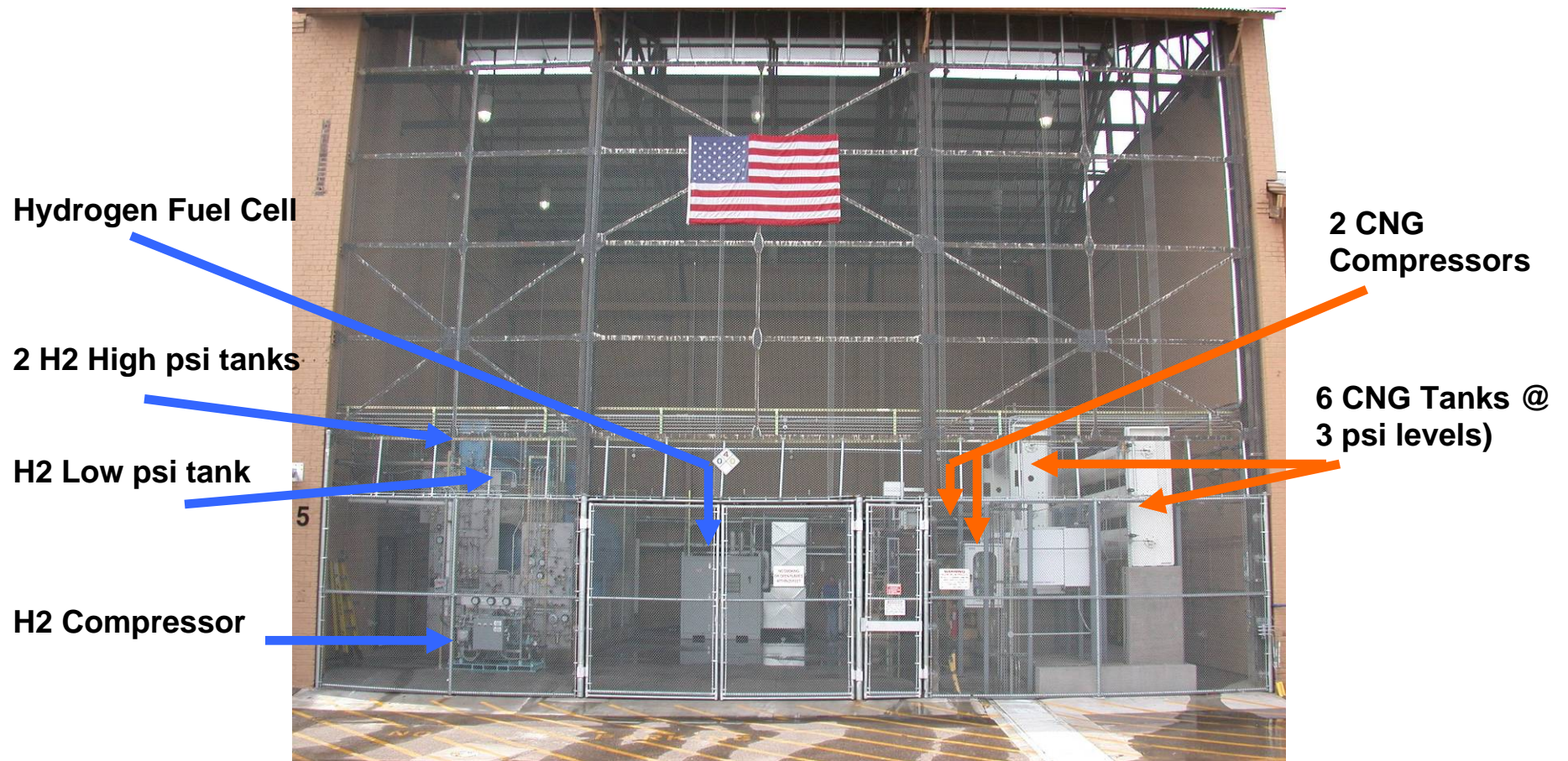


# APS Alternative Fuel (Hydrogen) Pilot Plant

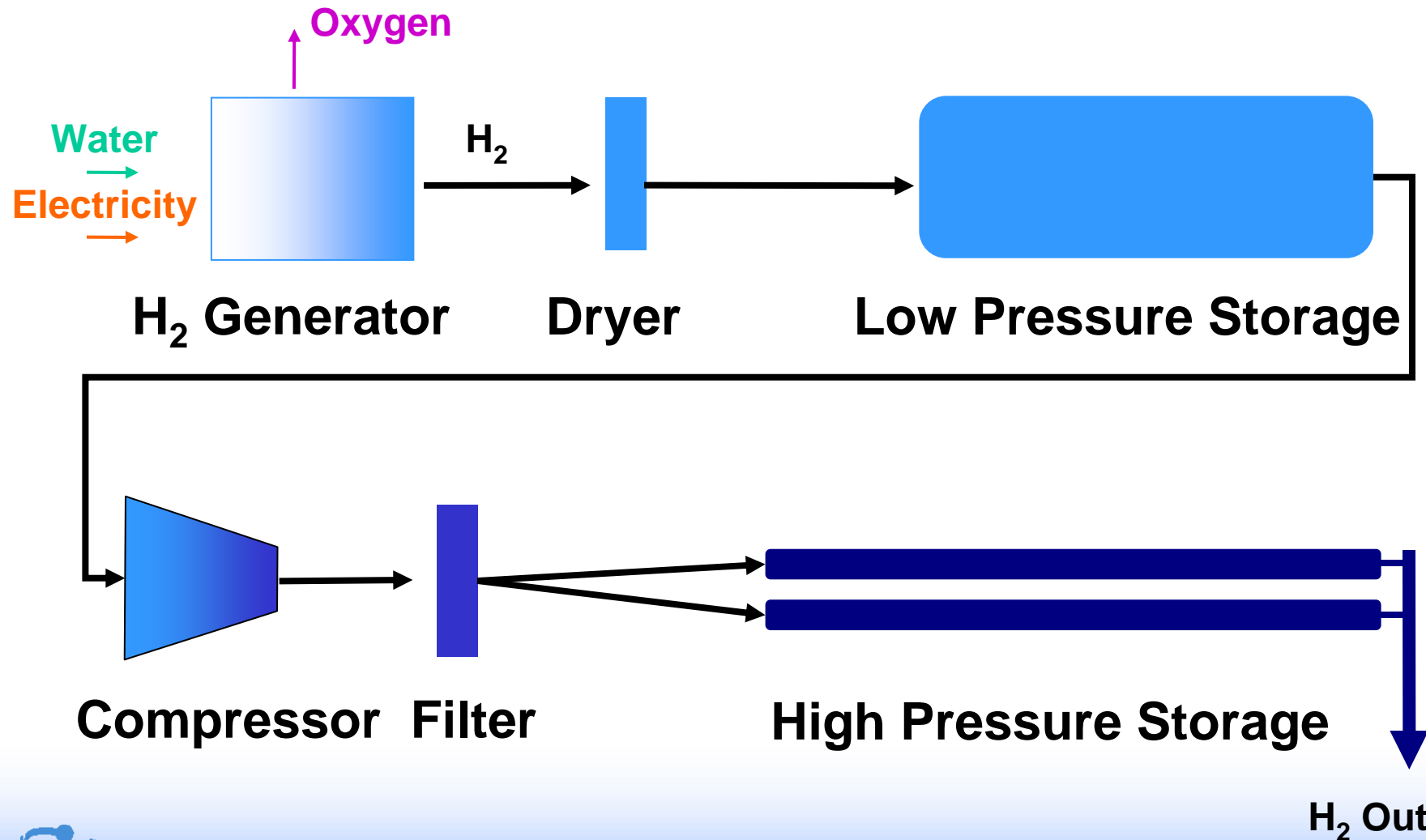
- Partners - Arizona Public Service (APS), Electric Transportation Applications (ETA), INL, & DOE
- First & longest operating hydrogen station in the U.S. – since June 2002
- Hydrogen produced onsite by electrolysis
- Hydrogen & CNG fueling



# Pilot Plant - Layout



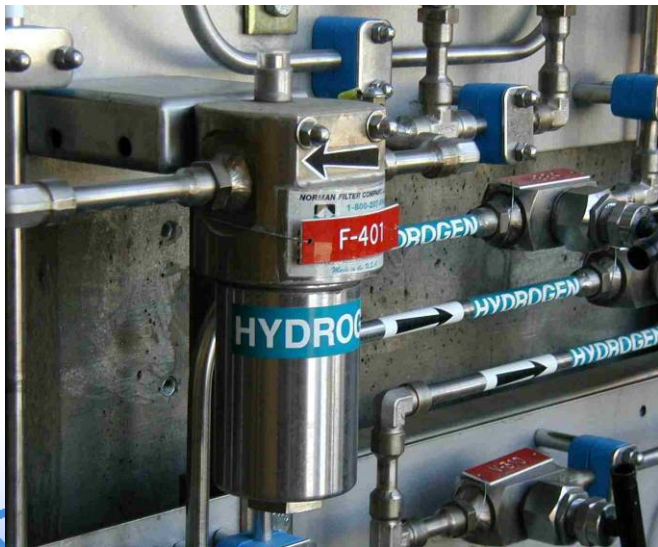
# Pilot Plant - Hydrogen Subsystems





# Pilot Plant – Hydrogen Subsystems cont'd

- Proton Energy Systems' HOGEN PEM stationary fuel cell operating in reverse
- Hydrogen Lectrodryer
- Hydrogen compressor
- Norman hydrogen filters
- Hydrogen - 99.9997% purity

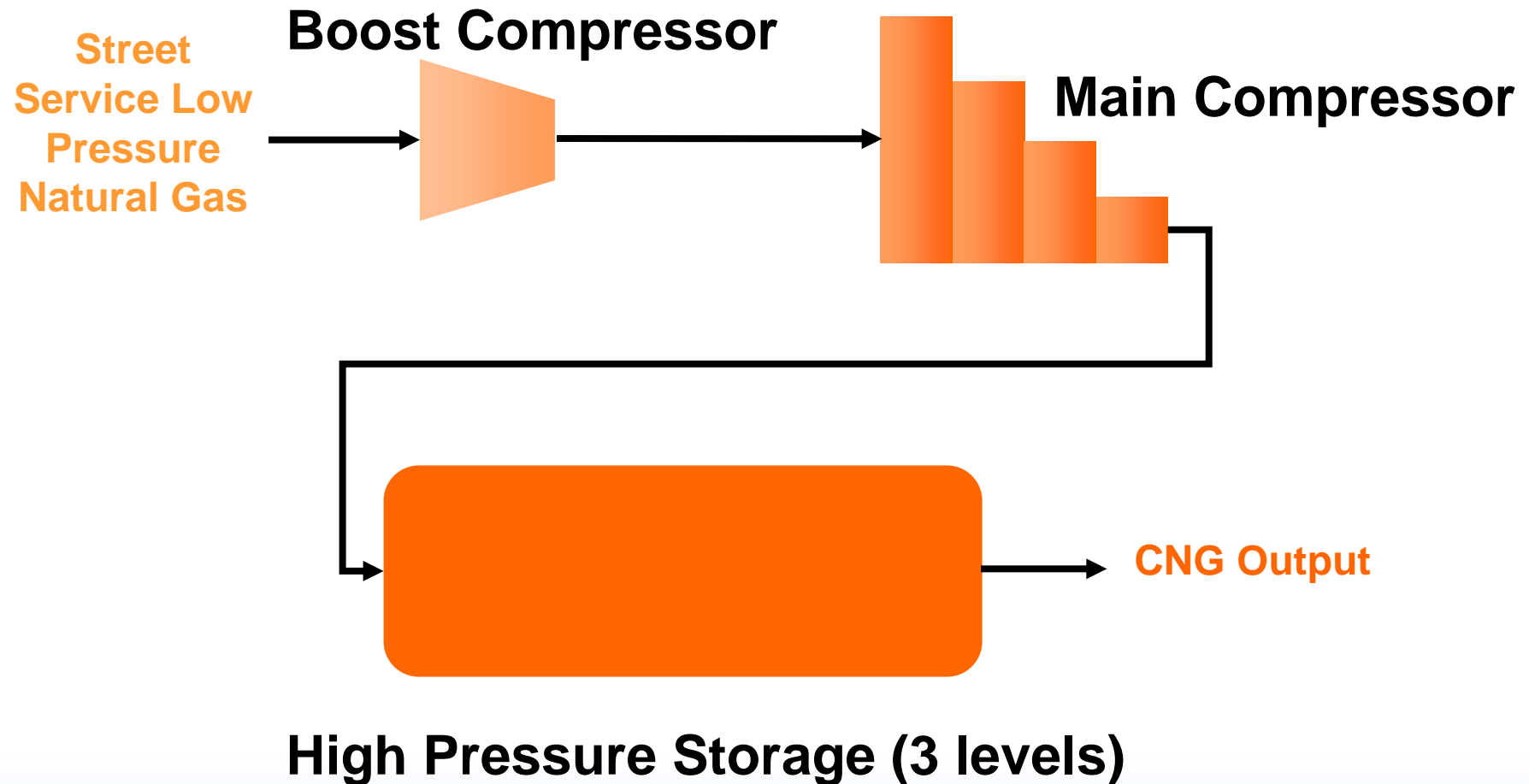


# Pilot Plant - Hydrogen Subsystems cont'd

- Low pressure hydrogen storage (lower tank)
  - 8,955 SCF @ 150 psi
- High pressure hydrogen storage (upper 2 tanks)
  - 17,386 SCF @ 6,000 psi (total both tanks)



# Pilot Plant - CNG Subsystems



# Pilot Plant - CNG Subsystems cont'd

- **CNG Boost Compressor**
  - 300 scfm @ 60 psi
- **CNG Main Compressor**
  - 350 scfm @ 5,000 psi
- **CNG Storage/Pressure – 6 tanks**
  - 3 Low: 11,079 scf @ 3,600 psi
  - 2 Medium: 5,711 scf @ 4,500 psi
  - 1 High: 5,711 scf @ 5,000 psi





# Pilot Plant - Fueling Dispensers

- 100% H<sub>2</sub>, 100% CNG, blends of HCNG
- Includes metering & electronic billing interface
- Fully permitted for motor fuel dispensing
- Public access





# Trade-offs

- **Vehicle**
  - **Cost**
  - **Performance** (acceleration, range, fuel efficiency, etc)
  - **Robustness** (performance and reliability under all conditions)
    - cold and hot temps is big challenge!
  - **Safety**
- **Refueling / recharging Infrastructure**
  - **Cost**
  - **Availability**
- **Unintended consequences -- “Robbing Peter to pay Paul”**
  - **Overall economic impact**
  - **Trading one dependence for another**

# Broader picture

- **Efficiency improvements possible without new technology!**
- **Market trend shifting**
  - **Smaller vehicles**
  - **Right size vehicle for purpose (we still need trucks)**
- **Automakers will improve conventional vehicles**
  - **Reduce weight**
  - **Improve engine, driveline efficiency**
  - **Improve aerodynamics (function over form?)**

# Broader picture

- Best MPG is “n/a”
  - Public transit, bicycle, ride sharing



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# Discussion points

- What can small cities do?
  - Incentive ideas
    - Preferential parking
  - Example cities
  - Encourage market / public
  - Prepare for infrastructure
  - Encourage green buildings
  - Encourage green business
- Do you know where your power comes from?
- Do you know what you pay in gas? Electricity?
- Where can you plug in?