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Presentation Outline

- **INL and Vehicle Technology Experience and General Data Collection Methods**
- **EV Project results to date (majority of presentation)**
- **ChargePoint results to date**
- **Conductive Charging Infrastructure Testing**
- **Wireless Charging Infrastructure Testing**
- **Other Testing Activities**
- **Summary**
- **Where you can find this presentation**

INL and Vehicle Technology Experience and General Data Collection Methods

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Idaho National Laboratory



- U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) laboratory
- 890 square mile site with 4,000 staff
- Support DOE's strategic goal:
 - Increase U.S. energy security and reduce the nation's dependence on foreign oil
- Multi-program DOE laboratory
 - Nuclear Energy
 - Fossil, Biomass, Wind, Geothermal and Hydropower Energy
 - Advanced Vehicles and Battery Development
 - Homeland Security and Cyber Security

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AVTA Participants

- The Advanced Vehicle Testing Activity (AVTA) is the U.S. Department of Energy, Vehicle Technologies Program's (VTP) singular field, tract, and laboratory based source of testing light-duty whole vehicle systems and subsystems
 - Idaho National Laboratory manages the AVTA for VTP
 - ECotality provides testing support via a competitively bid NETL (National Energy Testing Laboratory) contract
- For the EV Project, ECotality is the project lead and INL provides data collection, analysis and dissemination support
- Test partners include electric utilities, Federal, state and local government agencies, private companies, and individual vehicle owners

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AVTA Goals

- The AVTA goals
 - Petroleum reduction and energy security
 - Benchmark technologies that are developed via DOE research investments
- Provide benchmark data to DOE, National Laboratories (ANL, NREL, ORNL, PNNL), Federal Agencies (DOD, DOI, DOT, EPA, USPS), technology modelers, R&D programs, vehicle manufacturers (via USCAR's VSATT, EESTT, GITT), and target and goal setters
- Assist fleet managers, via Clean Cities, FEMP and industry gatherings, in making informed vehicle and infrastructure deployment and operating decisions

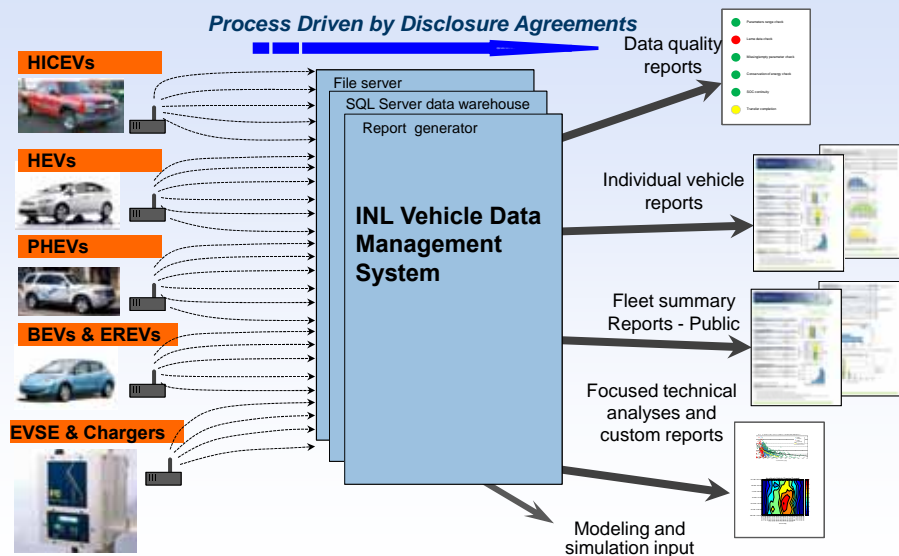
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Vehicle / Infrastructure Testing Experience

- 86 million test miles accumulated on 11,400 electric drive vehicles representing 115 models. 1 million miles / week
- EV Project: 7,885 Leafs, Volts and Smart EVs, 10,757 EVSE and DC Fast Chargers (DCFC), 68 million test miles
- ChargePoint: 3,908 EVSE reporting 761,000 charge events
- PHEVs: 14 models, 430 PHEVs, 4 million test miles
- EREVs: 1 model, 150 EREVs, 900,000 test miles
- HEVs: 21 models, 52 HEVs, 6.2 million test miles
- Micro hybrid (stop/start) vehicles: 3 models, 7 MHVs, 509,000 test miles
- NEVs: 24 models, 372 NEVs, 200,000 test miles
- BEVs: 47 models, 2,000 BEVs, 5 million test miles
- UEVs: 3 models, 460 UEVs, 1 million test miles
- Other testing includes hydrogen ICE vehicle and infrastructure testing

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INL Vehicle/EVSE Data Management Process



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Data Collection, Security and Protection

- All vehicle, EVSE, and PII raw data is legally protected by NDAs (Non Disclosure Agreements) or CRADAs (Cooperative Research and Development Agreements)
 - Limitations on how proprietary and personally identifiable information can be stored and distributed
 - Raw data, in both electronic and printed formats, is not shared with DOE in order to avoid exposure to FOIA
 - Vehicle and EVSE data collection would not occur unless testing partners trust INL would strictly adhere to NDAs and CRADAs
 - Raw data cannot be legally distributed by INL



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EV Project results to date

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EV Project Goal, Locations, Participants, and Reporting



- **Goal:** Build and study mature charging infrastructures and take the lessons learned to support the future streamlined deployment of grid-connected electric drive vehicles
- **ECOtality** is the EV Project lead, with INL, Nissan and Onstar/GM as the prime partners, with more than 40 other partners such as electric utilities
- 40 different EV Project reports are generated quarterly for the general public, DOE, ECOtality, project participants, industry, regulatory organizations, as well as per special requests

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EV Project – EVSE Data Parameters Collected per Charge Event

- Data from ECOtality's Blink & other EVSE networks
- Connect and Disconnect Times
- Start and End Charge Times
- Maximum Instantaneous Peak Power
- Average Power
- Total energy (kWh) per charging event
- Rolling 15 Minute Average Peak Power
- Date/Time Stamp
- Unique ID for Charging Event
- Unique ID Identifying the EVSE
- And other non-dynamic EVSE information (GPS, ID, type, contact info, etc.)



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EV Project – Vehicle Data Parameters Collected per Start/Stop Event

- Data is received via telematics providers from Chevrolet Volts and Nissan Leafs
- Odometer
- Battery state of charge
- Date/Time Stamp
- Vehicle ID
- Event type (key on / key off)
- GPS (longitude and latitude)
- Recorded for each key-on and key-off event



- Additional data is received monthly from Car2go for the Smart EVs

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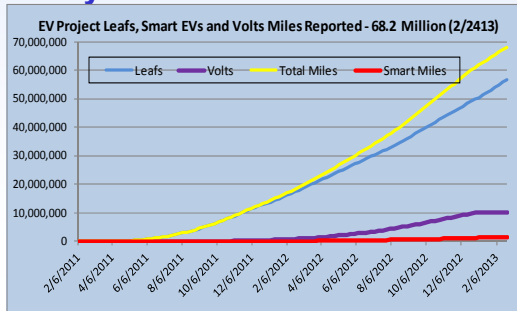
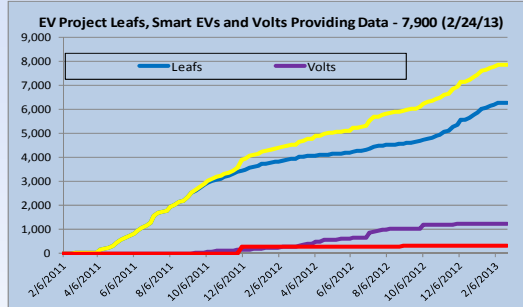
EV Project Data Complexity

- The EV Project has 44 Databases (DB)
 - Nissan Leaf & GM/OnStar Volt
 - ECotality Blink, Aerovironment & EPRI EVSE
 - Admin (look up tables, territories, zips codes, QA parameters, etc.)
 - Each of the above six DBs has three versions (process, stage & production) = 18 DBs
 - Four GIS DBs for the Leafs, Volts, Blink EVSEs, and Base (streets, utility service territory areas, etc.)
 - Above 22 (18 + 4) DBs exist on two systems = 44 DBs
- Hundreds of algorithms and thousands of lines of code are required to generate 56,000 data parameters for populating 120 pages of public quarterly reports
- INL must blend multiple data streams, from multiple sources, all on different delivery schedules
- This is not a flat file, spreadsheet experience and this is NOT a simple task

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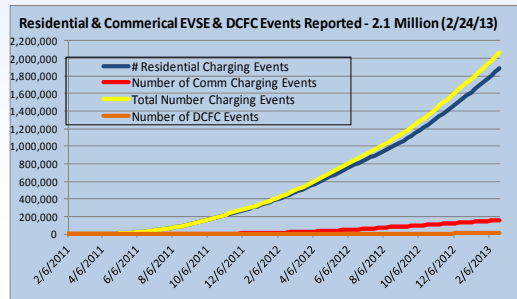
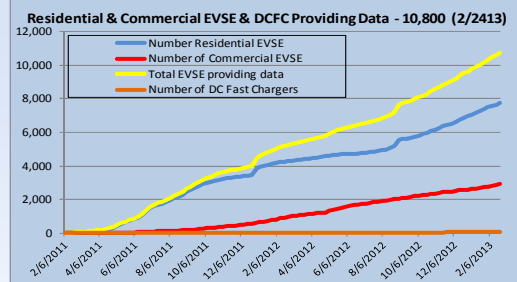
EV Project Vehicles / Miles, 2/24/13

- 7,885 vehicles reporting data
 - 6,300 Leafs. 80%
 - 1,255 Volts. 16%
 - 330 Smart EVs. 4%
- 68.2 million total miles
- 176,000 test miles per day



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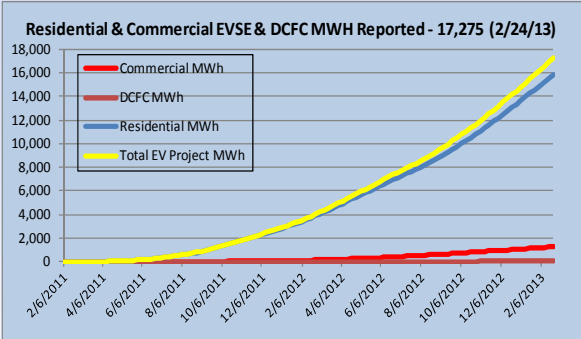
EV Project EVSE Deployed / Use, 2/24/13



- 10,757 total EVSE
 - 7,762 (72%) Residential EVSE
 - 2,923 (27%) non-residential EVSE
 - 72 (1%) DCFC
- 2.1 million charge events
 - 1,884,508 (91%) Residential EVSE
 - 161,183 (8%) non-residential EVSE
 - 16,820 (1%) DCFC

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EV Project Charge Energy (MWh), 2/24/13



- 17,275 AC MWh total electricity charged

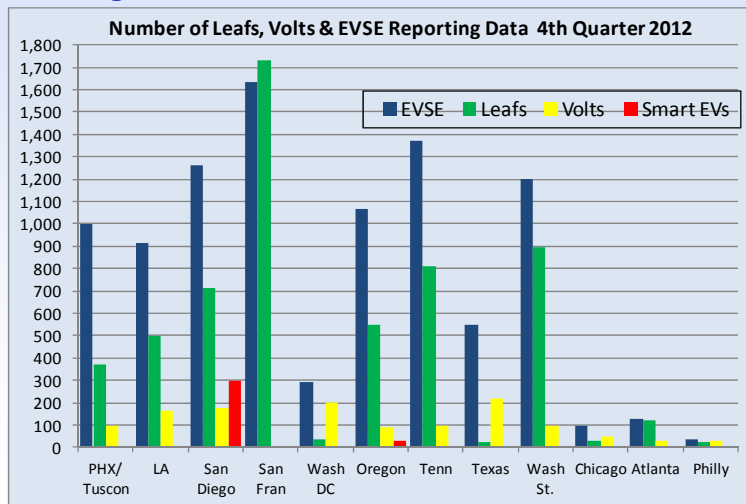
- 15,880 MWh (92%) residential
- 1,275 MWh (7%) non-residential
- 120 MWh (1%) DCFC

- Vehicle efficiency cannot be accurately calculated using total vehicle miles and total energy
 - Non-EV Project vehicles sometimes charge at EV Project EVSE
 - EV Project vehicles may charge at 110V or other 240V non-EV Project EVSE

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EV Project Overview Report 4th Quarter 2012

- San Francisco has 17% of all EVSE 30% of all Leafs
- Washington DC has 16% and Texas has 18% of all Volts



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EV Project – National Data

4th quarter 2012 Data Only

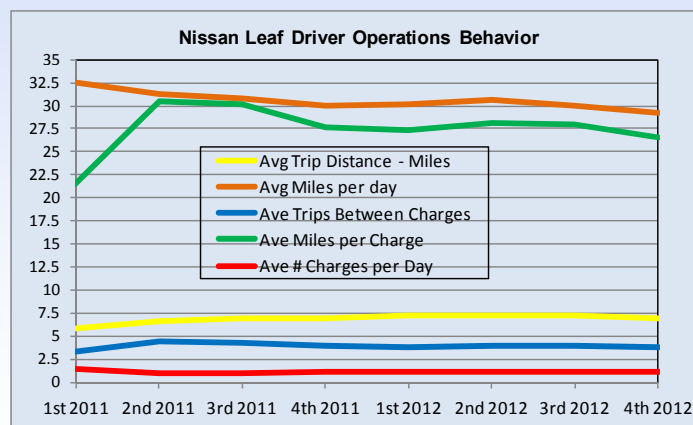
	<u>Leafs</u>	<u>Volts</u>
• Number of vehicles	3,762	1,021
• Number of Trips	969,853	369,118
• Distance (million miles)	6.7	3.0
• Average (Ave) trip distance	6.9 mi	8.1 mi
• Ave distance per day	29.2 mi	40.5 mi
• Ave number (#) trips between charging events	3.8	3.5
• Ave distance between charging events	26.3 mi	28.2 mi
• Ave # charging events per day	1.1	1.4

* Note that per day data is only for days a vehicle is driven

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EV Project – Leaf Operations Trends

- Trending decreases in average miles per day and average miles per charge



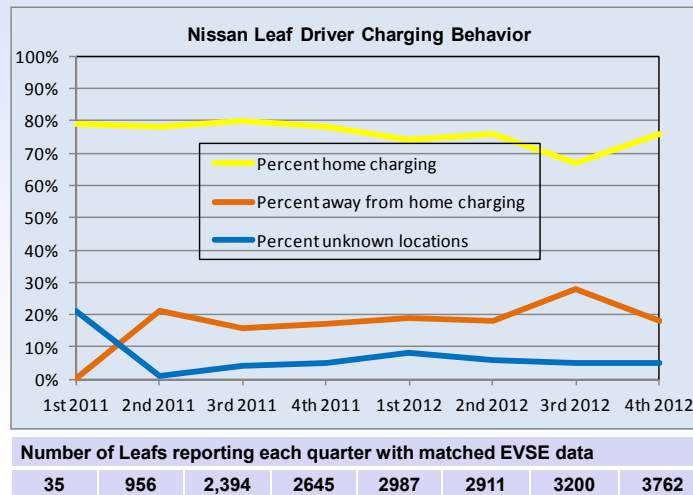
Number of Leafs reporting each quarter with matched EVSE data

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EV Project – Leaf Charging Location Trends

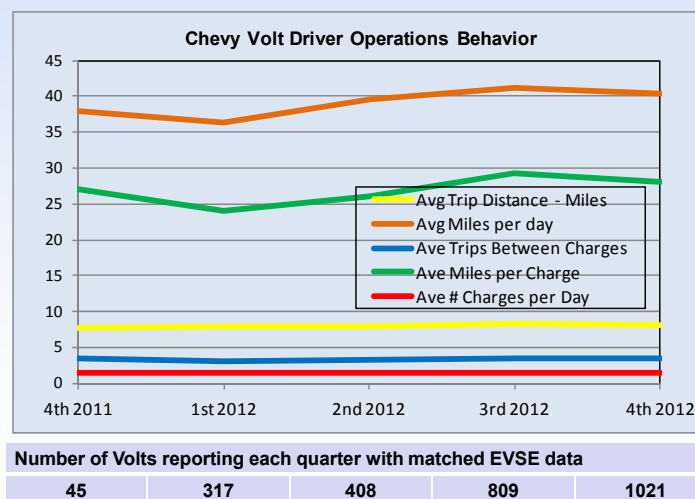
- 13.4% increase in home charging and 36% decrease in non-home charging as a revenue model is introduced
- HOWEVER, one data point does not make a trend.....



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EV Project – Volt Operations Trends

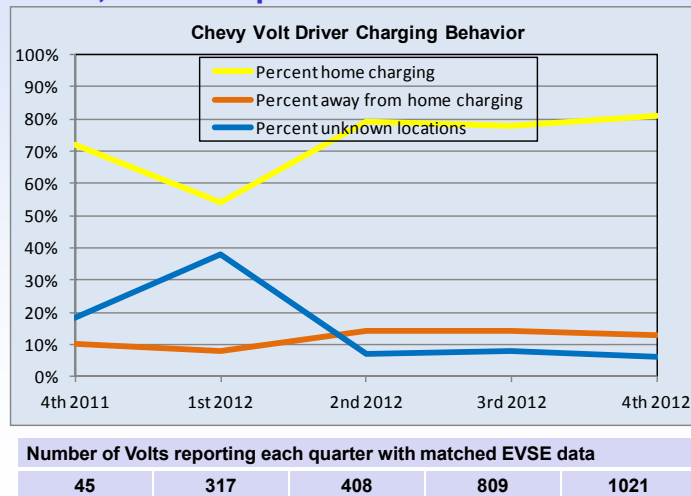
- Quarterly increases in miles per day and miles per charge reversed last quarter



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EV Project – Volt Charging Location Trends

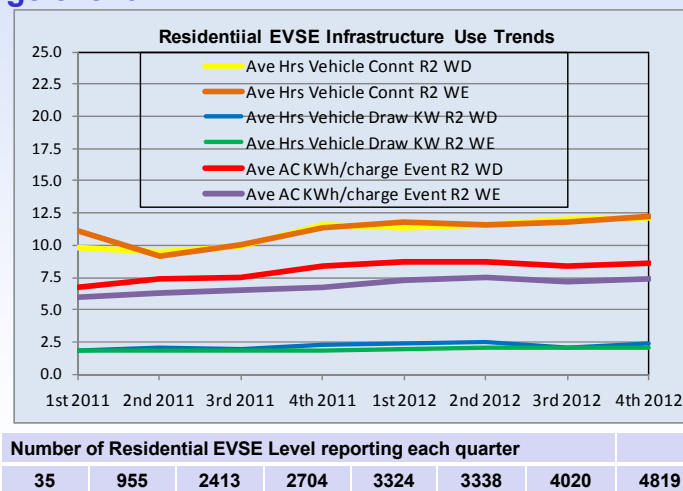
- 4% increase in home charging and 7% decrease in non-home charging as a revenue model is introduced
- AGAIN, one data point does not make a trend.....



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EV Project – Residential EVSE L2 Use Trends

- Continued overall quarterly increases in time vehicles connected, drawing power and AC KWh transferred per charge event

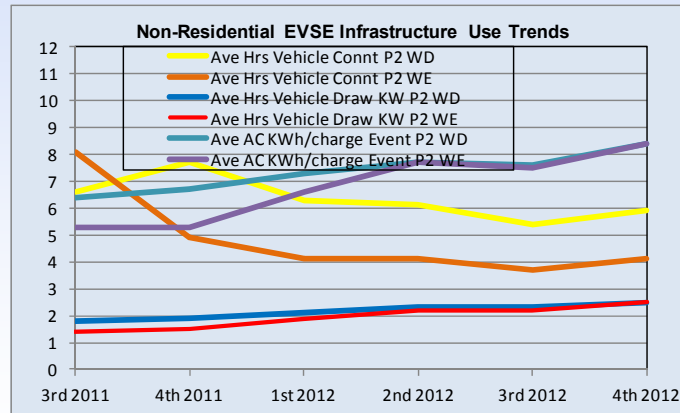


Residential EVSE Level 2 = R2, Weekend = WE, Weekday = WD

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EV Project – Public EVSE L2 Use Trends

- Increases in kWh per charge and time energy is drawn
- Average time vehicles connected appears to be rising this past quarter reversing previous trends



Number of Public EVSE Level reporting each quarter

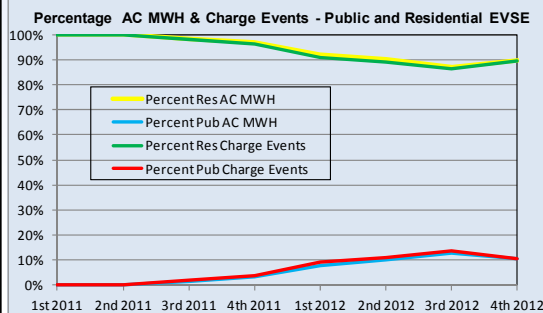
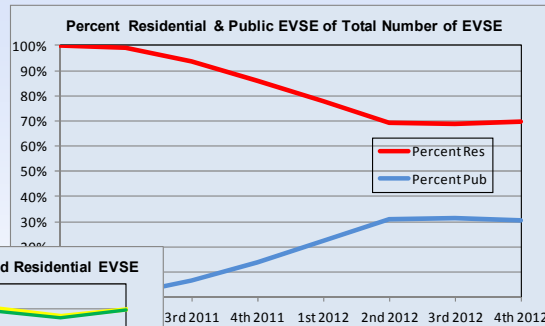
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Public EVSE Level 2 = P2, Weekend = WE, Weekday = WD

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EV Project – EVSE Infra. Summary Report

- Percent of public L2 EVSE deployed was about 30% of all L2 EVSE 4th quarter 2012



- As measured by kWh use and number of charge events, revenue model may be decreasing known public L2 EVSE use

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EV Project Public L2 EVSE Usage 4th 1/4 2012

- Public charging contribution of Car Sharing Fleet is significant in San Diego

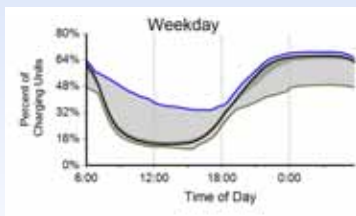
All territories				
Vehicles Charged	Car sharing fleet	Nissan Leaf	Chevrolet Volt	Unknown
Percent of charging events	25%	21%	5%	49%
Percent of kWh consumed	38%	17%	3%	41%
San Diego				
Vehicles Charged	300 Car2Go fleet	Nissan Leaf	Chevrolet Volt	Unknown
Percent of charging events	59%	16%	2%	23%
Percent of kWh consumed	72%	11%	1%	16%
Oregon (Car2Go in Portland)				
Vehicles Charged	30 Car2Go fleet	Nissan Leaf	Chevrolet Volt	Unknown
Percent of charging events	5%	29%	4%	61%
Percent of kWh consumed	11%	27%	4%	58%

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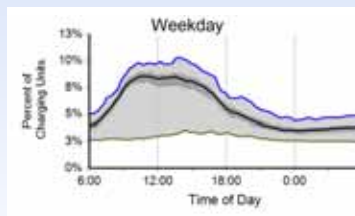
EV Project – EVSE Infra. Summary Report

- National Residential and Public Level 2 Weekday EVSE 4th Quarter 2012
- Residential and public connect time and energy use are fairly opposite profiles. Note different scales

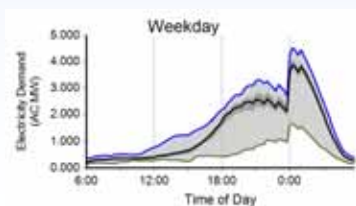
National Residential Connect Time



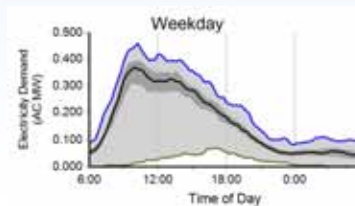
National Public Connect Time



National Residential Demand



National Public Demand

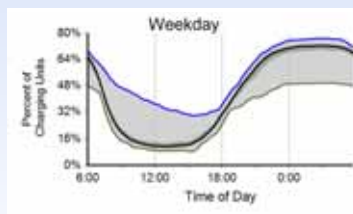


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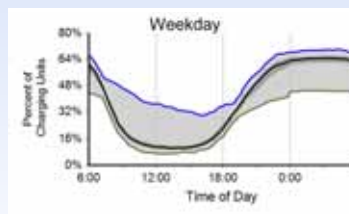
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- Residential Level 2 Weekday EVSE 4th Quarter 2012
- San Diego and San Francisco, with residential L2 TOU rates, are similar to national and other regional EVSE connect profiles

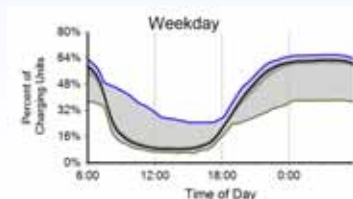
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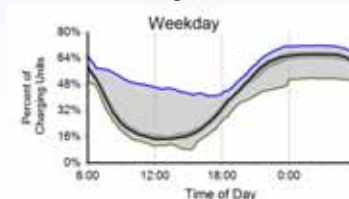
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San Francisco



Washington State

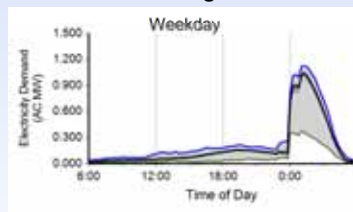


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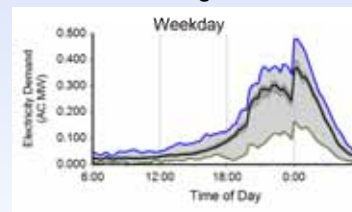
EV Project – EVSE Infra. Summary Report

- Residential Level 2 Weekday EVSE 4th Quarter 2012
- TOU kWh rates in San Diego and San Francisco clearly impact when vehicle charging start times are set

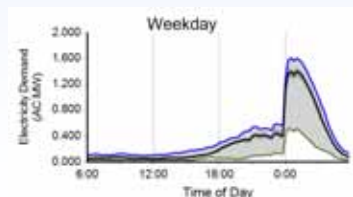
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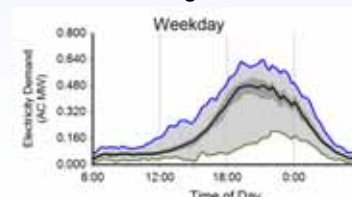
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San Francisco



Washington State



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EV Project – EVSE Infra. Summary Report

4th quarter 2012

National.

• Ave hours V connected R2 WD	12.1 hours
• Ave hours V connected R2 WE	12.2 hours
• Ave hours V drawing power R2 WD	2.4 hours
• Ave hours V drawing power R2 WE	2.1 hours
• Ave AC kWh/charge event R2 WD	8.6 AC kWh
• Ave AC kWh/charge event R2 WE	7.4 AC kWh
• Ave hours V connected P2 WD	5.9 hours
• Ave hours V connected P2 WE	4.1 hours
• Ave hours V drawing power P2 WD	2.5 hours
• Ave hours V drawing power P2 WE	2.5 hours
• Ave AC kWh/charge event P2 WD	8.4 AC kWh
• Ave AC kWh/charge event P2 WE	6.4 AC kWh

- R: residential, P: public, WD: weekday, WE: weekend, 2: Level 2 EVSE, and V: vehicle

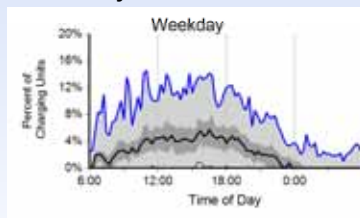
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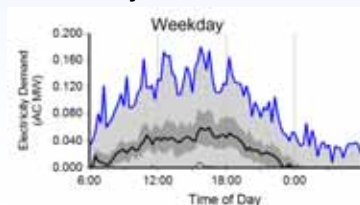
- DC Fast Chargers Weekday 4th Quarter 2012

- 54 DCFC, 6,089 charge events and 58 AC MWh

Weekday Connected Profile



Weekday Demand Profile



- 1.9 average charge events per day per DCFC
- Leafs 43% charge events and 45% energy
- Unknowns are other charge events and energy
- 19.3 minutes average time connected
- 19.3 minutes average time drawing energy
- 7.2 kWh average energy consumed per charge

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L2 Access Fees Structure

- 4th Quarter is first widespread implementation of simple and low cost access fees
- **Blink member**
 - Affiliate credit card with free Blink RFID “In Card”
 - Level 2 access fee of \$1.00 per hour of connect time
- **Guest - No Blink RFID “In Card” required**
 - Guest Code using quick reservation code or website
 - Level 2 access fee of \$2.00 per hour of connect time
- **Future pricing**
 - Pricing to reflect regional electricity rates
 - Cover electricity costs in all cases



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DC Fast Charge (DCFC) Fees Structure

- **Encourage DCFC use with initial free charging**
- **Implement DCFC access fees by region in 1st Quarter 2013 with beta testing currently underway**
- **Initial fee structure simple and low cost**
 - Accommodate varying vehicle charge rates
 - Accommodate select limitation of charging output power
- **Blink member**
 - \$25 per month unlimited use or \$5.00 per session
- **Guest**
 - \$8.00 per session



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Residential Lessons Learned

- Permit timeliness has not been a problem
- Majority are over-the-counter
- Permit fees vary significantly- \$7.50 to \$500.00

Region	Count of Permits	Average Permit Fee	Minimum Permit Fee	Maximum Permit Fee
Arizona	66	\$96.11	\$26.25	\$280.80
Los Angeles	109	\$83.99	\$45.70	\$218.76
San Diego	496	\$213.30	\$12.00	\$409.23
San Francisco	401	\$147.57	\$29.00	\$500.00
Tennessee	322	\$47.15	\$7.50	\$108.00
Oregon	316	\$40.98	\$12.84	\$355.04
Washington	497	\$78.27	\$27.70	\$317.25

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Residential Lessons Learned

- Average residential installation cost ≈\$1,375
- Individual installations vary widely
- Some user bias to lower costs

Markets In Ascending Order Of Residential Installation Cost	Number of Installations	Average Installation Cost	Variation From Project Average
Tennessee (entire State)	542	\$ 1,113.07	-19.0%
Arizona (Phoenix & Tucson)	357	\$ 1,148.88	-16.4%
Washington DC	3	\$ 1,197.44	-12.9%
Oregon (Portland, Eugene, Corvallis & Salem)	465	\$ 1,229.06	-10.6%
Washington (Seattle & Olympia)	730	\$ 1,289.56	-6.2%
Maryland	39	\$ 1,311.75	-4.5%
Washington	80	\$ 1,321.36	-3.8%
Virginia	38	\$ 1,341.01	-2.4%
San Francisco	1254	\$ 1,386.13	0.9%
Texas (metro Houston & Dallas)	128	\$ 1,422.77	3.5%
San Diego	726	\$ 1,593.91	16.0%
Los Angeles	415	\$ 1,794.64	30.6%

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Commercial Lessons Learned

- **ADA significantly drives cost**
 - Accessible charger
 - Van accessible parking
 - Accessible electric and passage routes to facility
- **Permit fees and delays can be significant**
 - Load studies
 - Zoning reviews



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Commercial Lessons Learned

- **Commercial permits range \$14 to \$821**

Region	Count of Permits	Average Permit Fee	Minimum Permit Fee	Maximum Permit Fee
Arizona	72	\$228	\$35	\$542
Los Angeles	17	\$195	\$67	\$650
San Diego	17	\$361	\$44	\$821
Texas	47	\$150	\$37	\$775
Tennessee	159	\$71	\$19	\$216
Oregon	102	\$112	\$14	\$291
Washington	33	\$189	\$57	\$590



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Commercial Lessons Learned

- Demand and energy costs are significant for some utilities
 - 25¢/kWh
 - \$25/kW
- Some utilities offer commercial rates without demand charges
- Others incorporate 20 kW to 50 kW demand thresholds
- Nissan Leaf is demand charge free in some electric utility service territories

No Demand Charges - Nissan Leaf	
CA	Pacific Gas & Electric City of Palo Alto Alameda Municipal Power Silicon Valley Power
AZ	Tucson Electric Power
OR	Eugene Water & Electric Board Lane Electric Co-op
TN	Middle Tennessee Electric Duck River Electric Harriman Utility Board Athens Utility Board Cookeville Electric Department Cleveland Utilities Nashville Electric Service EPB Chattanooga Lenoir City Utility Board Volunteer Electric Cooperative Murfreesboro Electric Sequachee Valley Electric Cooperative Knoxville Utility Board Maryville Fort Loudoun Electric Memphis Light Gas and Water Division

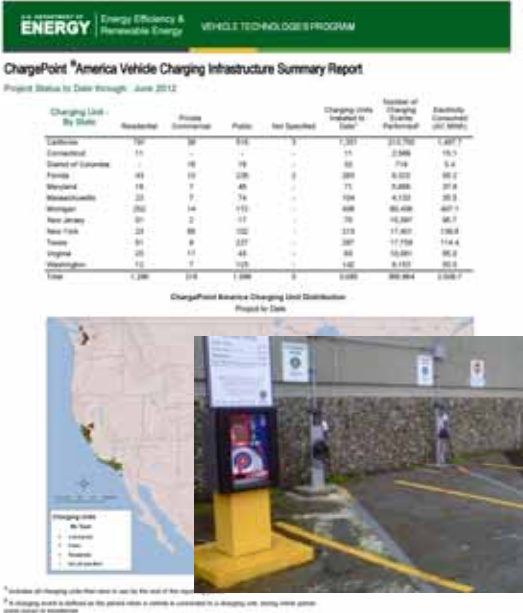
Commercial Lessons Learned

- Especially in California, recurring Nissan Leaf DC fast charge demand charges are significant in many utility service territories

Utility Demand Charges - Nissan Leaf		Cost/mo.
CA	Glendale Water and Power	\$ 16.00
	Hercules Municipal Utility:	\$ 377.00
	Los Angeles Department of Water and Power	\$ 700.00
	Burbank Water and Power	\$ 1,052.00
	San Diego Gas and Electric	\$ 1,061.00
	Southern California Edison	\$ 1,460.00
AZ	TRICO Electric Cooperative	\$ 180.00
	The Salt River Project	\$ 210.50
	Arizona Public Service	\$ 483.75
OR	Pacificorp	\$ 213.00
WA	Seattle City Light	\$ 61.00

ChargePoint results to date

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ChargePoint America Vehicle Charging Infrastructure Summary Report
Project Status to Date through June 2012

Charging Unit By State	Residential	Private Commercial	Public	Not Specified	Charging units installed to date	Number of ChargePoint Stations (by network)	Electricity consumed (kWh, MWh)
California	150	50	515	3	718	213,760	1,487.7
Connecticut	11	-	-	-	11	2,596	15.3
District of Columbia	1	10	19	-	30	719	5.4
Florida	43	10	220	8	281	9,233	65.2
Maryland	18	7	45	-	71	5,486	37.8
Massachusetts	23	7	74	-	104	4,132	30.3
Michigan	262	14	111	-	487	82,456	497.1
New Jersey	31	2	17	-	50	10,587	80.7
New York	23	88	122	-	233	17,407	136.8
Texas	51	6	237	-	294	17,758	114.4
Virginia	25	11	45	-	81	10,581	80.8
Washington	12	7	115	-	134	9,153	60.3
Total	1,286	219	1,099	8	3,612	389,954	2,558.7

ChargePoint America Charging Unit Distribution
Project to Date

* Excludes all charging units that were in use for the rest of the report.
** A charging unit is defined as the point where a vehicle is connected to a charging unit, using either power cord or power cable.

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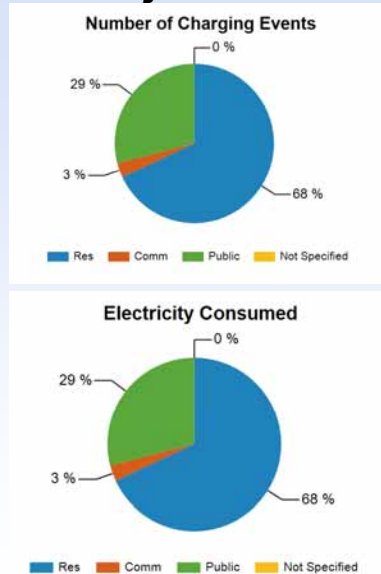
ChargePoint America ARRA Project

- Conducted by Coulomb
- Project to Dec. 2012
- **3,908 EVSE installed and reporting data**
 - 1,763 Residential
 - 193 Private / commercial
 - 1,940 Public
 - 12 unknown
- 760,995 charge events
- 5,359 AC MWh

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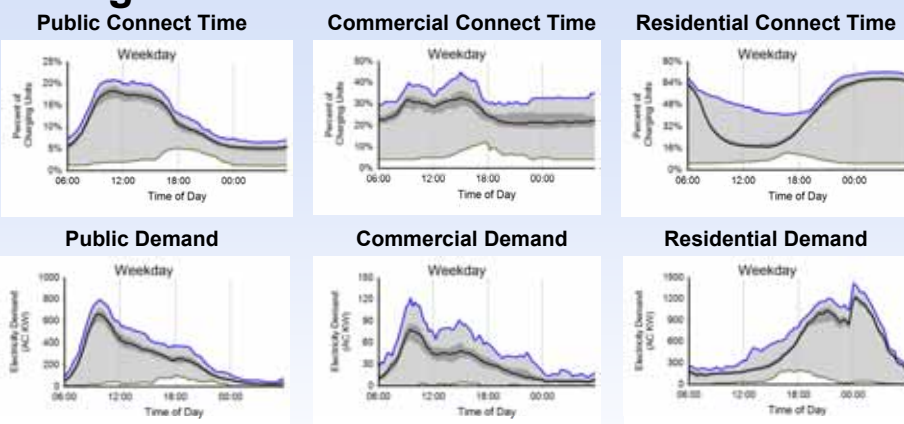
ChargePoint America ARRA Project

- Oct - Dec 2012 data
- 3,541 units
- Percent time vehicle connected
 - Residential 47%
 - Private/com 24%
 - Public 9%
- Percent time drawing power
 - Residential 9%
 - Private/com 5%
 - Public 4%
- EVSE data only



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ChargePoint America: Oct – Dec. 2012



- Public is open access. Commercial are limited access
- Public and commercial reflect at work charging
- Residential reflects end of day return-to-home charging
- Note difference in scales

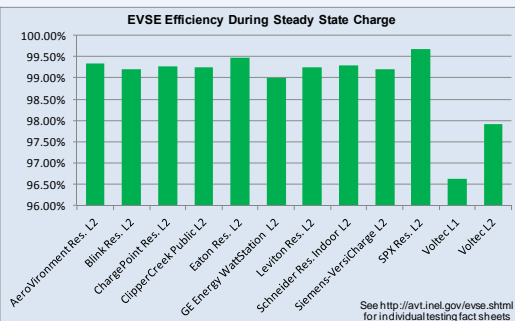
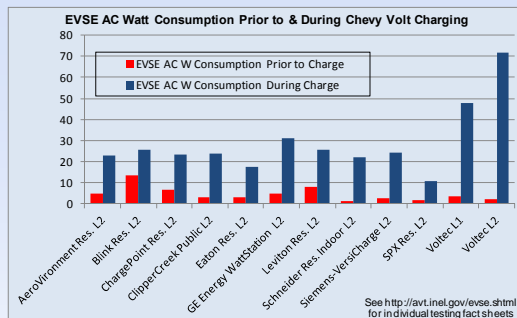
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Conductive Charging Infrastructure Testing

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EVSE Testing

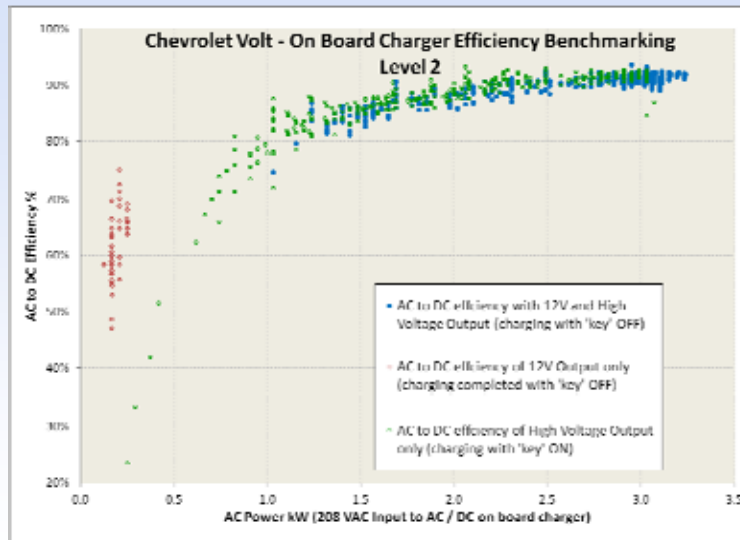
- AC energy consumption at rest and during Volt Charging benchmarked
- Steady state charge efficiency benchmarked



- Most EVSE consume 13 W or less at rest. Higher watt use tied to more EVSE features
- Most EVSE under 30 W during charge
- Most EVSE 99+% efficient during steady state charge of a Volt

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Conductive System Benchmarking

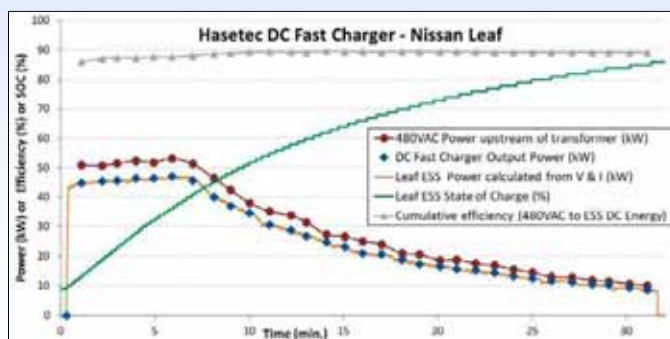


Entire report can be found at: <http://avt.inel.gov/pdf/phev/EfficiencyResultsChevroletVoltOnBoardCharger.pdf>

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Hasetec DC Fast Charging Nissan Leaf

- 53.1 AC kW peak grid power
- 47.1 DC kW peak charge power to Leaf energy storage system (ESS)
- 15.0 Grid AC kWh and 13.3 DC kWh delivered to Leaf ESS
- 88.7% Overall charge efficiency (480VAC to ESS DC)



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DOE Office of Electricity Delivery and Energy Reliability – FOA 554 Smart EVSE Support

- OE selected four awardees
 - Delta Products Corporation
 - Eaton Corporation
 - General Electric Corporation
 - Siemens Corporation (Corporate Research & Technology)
- Two of four NDAs signed and getting close on the others
- INL will conduct “normal” Level 2 conductive EVSE testing as well as communications testing
- INL will also conduct cyber security testing of the deliverables and control/communications systems
- INL is currently conducting cyber security testing of a fifth Level 2 EVSE as part of another project

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Wireless Charging Infrastructure Testing

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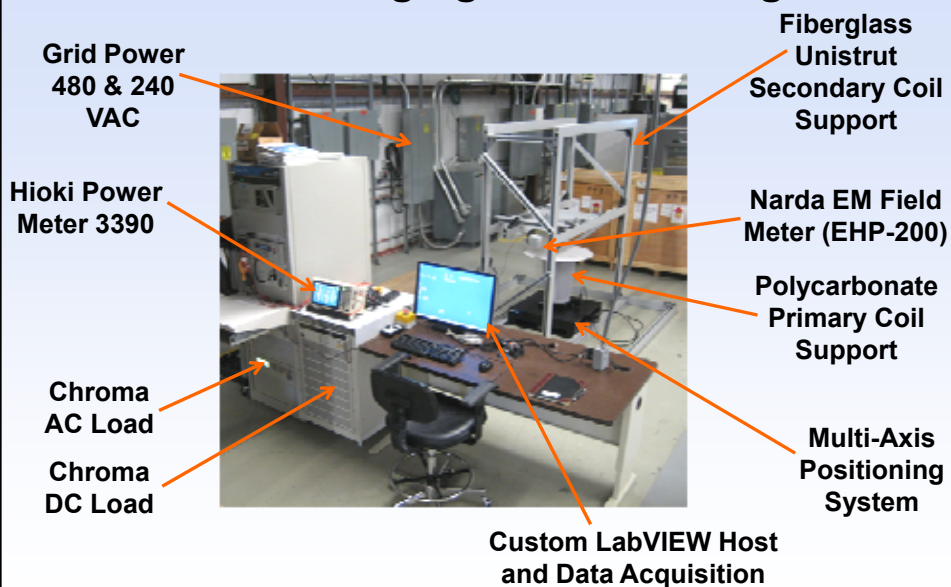
INL Wireless Interoperability Test Bed

- INL is a giant wireless test bed for both laboratory and vehicle testing
 - $<-30^{\circ}\text{C}$ (winter) and $>40^{\circ}\text{C}$ (summer)
 - 100 miles of high speed primary and secondary roads
 - 800 square miles of no measureable background noise
 - 80,000 square foot vehicle support facility
 - Multiple anechoic test chambers
 - 625 battery test channels
- Power, EM Field, and Misalignment impacts
- NDA signed and first two wireless systems will be delivered late this month
- Discussing another system for late April/May
- Developing NDAs other wireless providers
- Supports SAE J2954 committee and UL work and refinement of testing procedures



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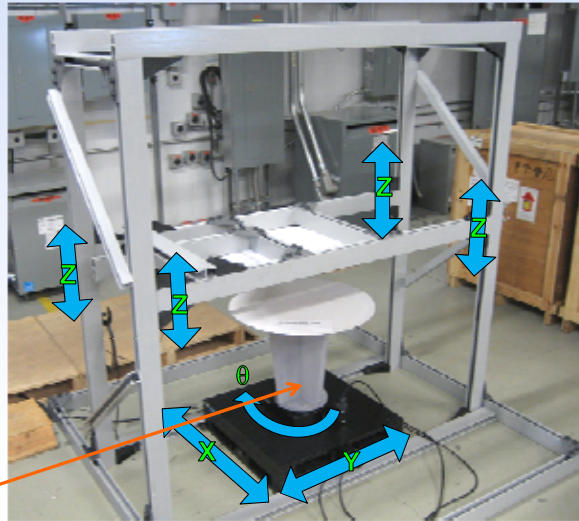
INL Wireless Charging Bench Testing



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INL Wireless Charger Coil Positioning

- Primary Coil position controlled
- Secondary Coil held in fixed position
- Multi-axis control via LabVIEW software (X, Y, θ)
- Manual positioning in Z direction and Tilt from unequal Z positioning
- NARDA EHP-200a mounted on rail



Polycarbonate
Primary Coil
Support

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FOA 667 Wireless Charging Test Support

- In three Phases, test deliverables from FOA 667 awardees:
 - Oak Ridge National Laboratory (EvaTran, Clemson University ICAR, General Motors and Toyota)
 - Hyundai America Technical Center Inc. (Mojo Mobility)
- Phase I - Awardees develop production-feasible wireless charging system
 - INL Tests Performed at End of Phase (1 year)
 - Efficiency Test > 85% ?
 - Power Test > 3.3 kW ?
 - Gap Spacing and Alignment Flexibility ?
 - Electric Field Emissions
 - Magnetic Field Emissions
 - Object Detection
 - Power Factor
 - GO / NO GO to Phase II decision

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FOA 667 Wireless Charging Support – cont'd

- **Phase II - Awardees Integrate system into production-intent vehicle**
 - **INL Tests Performed at End of Phase (another 1 year)**
 - **Same tests as Phase I**
 - **And, Vehicle Range (UDDS)**
 - **PHEV & EREV: > 10 miles**
 - **EV: > 80 miles**
 - **Compare performance with J1772 Conductive Charge System**
 - **GO/ NO-GO to Phase III?**

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FOA 667 Wireless Charging Support – cont'd

- **Phase III - Awardees demonstrate 5 vehicles with 5 charging stations**
- **Awardees provide one vehicle and charging station to DOE within 3 months**
 - **INL performs evaluations for 3 months**
 - **Same as Phase II, plus fleet operations:**
 - **Operational Safety**
 - **Convenience**
 - **Reliability**
 - **Flexibility**
- **Awardees provide regular transfer of raw data to INL from the other four vehicles**

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Other Testing Activities

Summary

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Additional Testing

- Initiated field and lab DC Fast Charge and Level 2 charging study of impacts on battery life in 6 Nissan Leafs
 - Two vehicles driven on road and L2 charged
 - Two driven identical routes DCFC charged
 - One L2 and 1 DCFC in battery lab
 - At 10k miles each vehicle similar minimal capacity fade
- INL conducting with the NFPA and US DOT, PEV traction battery fire demonstrations and suppression project
- INL initiated ~400 New York EVSE data collection with NYSERDA, NYPA, Port Authority of NY/NJ, and Energetics
- 30 EVSE and 10 vehicle conductive interoperability testing conducted with SAE
- Initiated data collection project for six Nissan Leafs in New York City taxi fleet. NDAs being signed and INL will receive data from 6 Level 2 EVSE & 3 DCFCs, vehicles and NYC Taxi & Limousine Commission



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Summary

- EV Project vehicles connected much longer than needed to recharge - opportunities to shift charging times
- Significant residential Level 2 EV Project charging occurs off-peak with charges starting at midnight. TOU rates indicate consumers are price sensitive
- Revenue models for public charging are currently being introduced – long term impacts?
- Only about 60% of EV Project data collected to date
- DCFC charge events have significant demand impacts and this creates electric utility policy decisions
- How, where, when we measure EVSE and vehicle system charging efficiencies results in significantly different results
- First independent testing of wireless systems will validate SAE testing procedures
- If I only had another 30 minutes I could have 100 slides....

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