



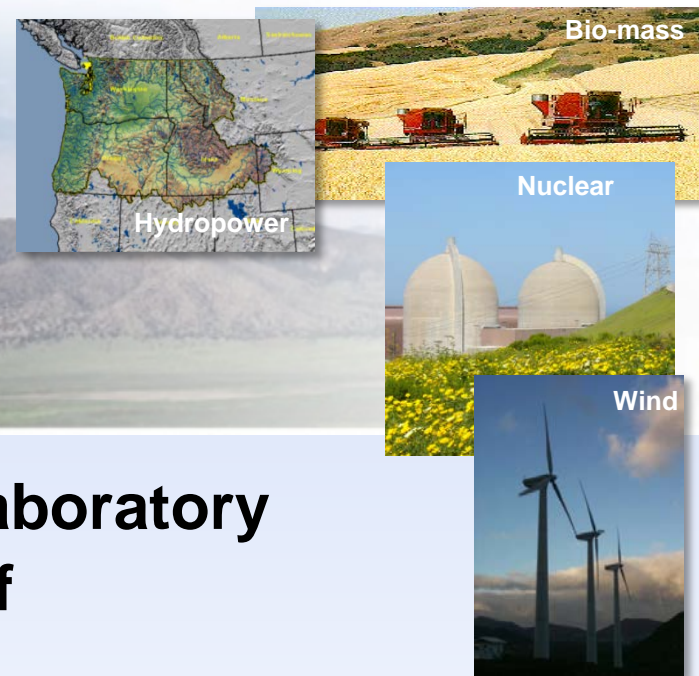
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INL's Plug-in Electric Vehicle Demonstrations and Testing

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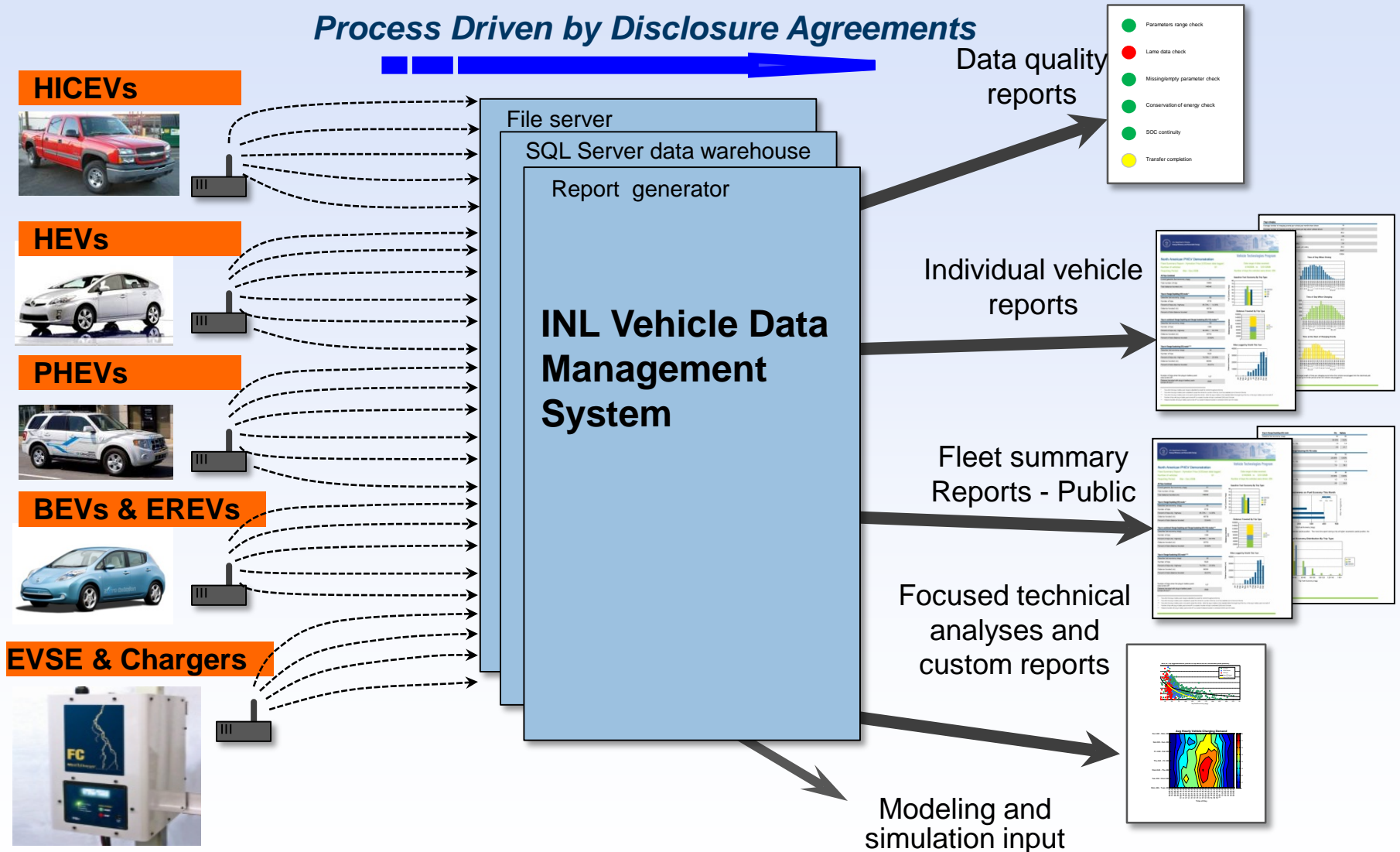
- **U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) laboratory**
- **890 square mile site with 4,000 staff**
- **Support DOE's strategic goal:**
 - **Increase U.S. energy security and reduce the nation's dependence on foreign oil**
- **Multi-program DOE laboratory**
 - **Nuclear Energy**
 - **Fossil, Biomass, Wind,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

Vehicle / Infrastructure Testing Experience

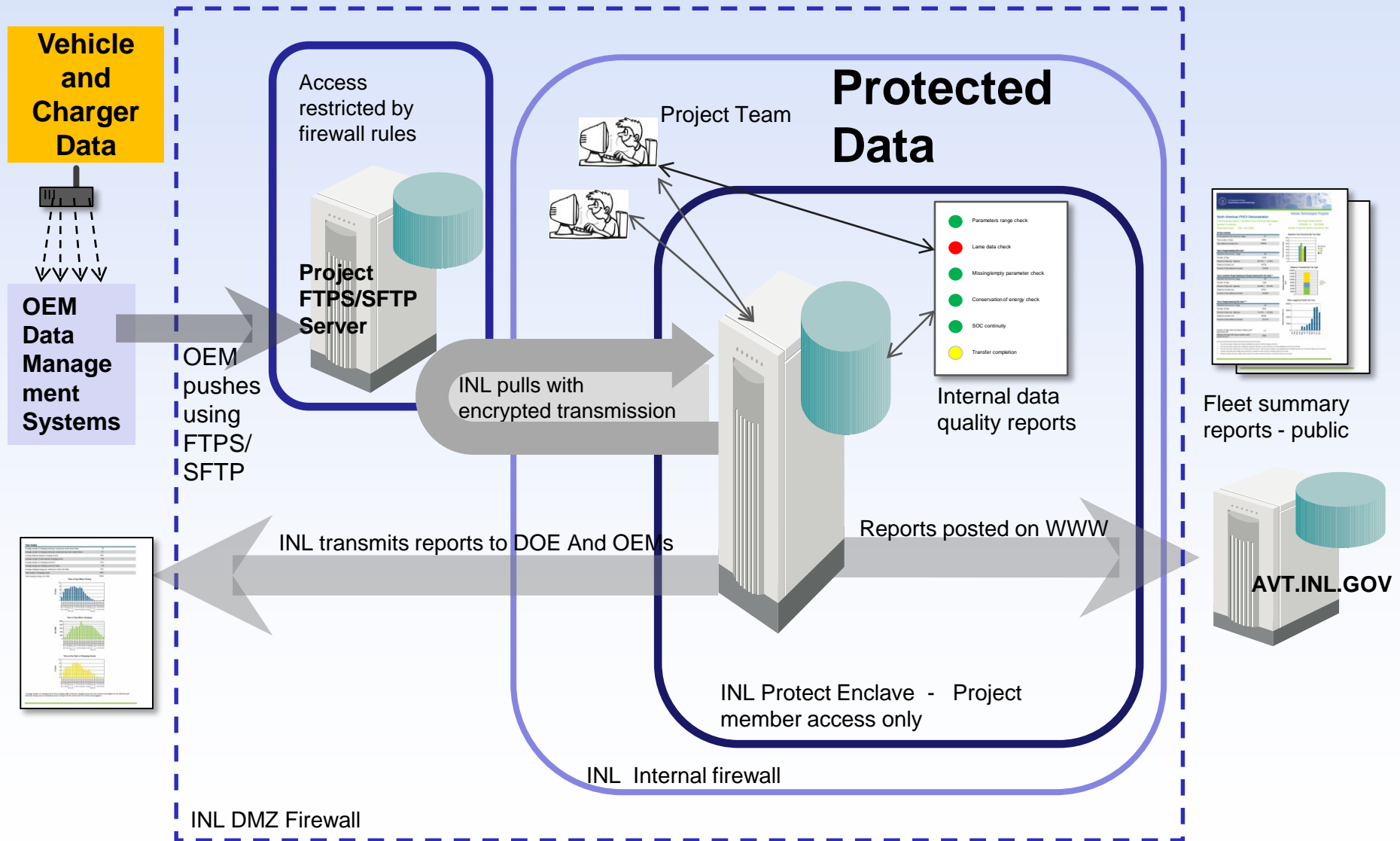
- 122 million test miles accumulated on 11,600 electric drive vehicles and 16,300 EVSE and DCFC
- EV Project: 8,113 Leafs, Volts and Smarts, 12,065 EVSE and DCFC, reporting 3.5 million charge events, 103 million test miles. 1 million miles every 6 days
- Charge Point: 4,253 EVSE reporting 1.5 million charge events
- PHEVs: 15 models, 434 PHEVs, 4 million test miles
- EREVs: 2 model, 156 EREVs, 2.3 million test miles
- HEVs: 24 models, 58 HEVs, 6.4 million test miles
- Micro hybrid (stop/start) vehicles: 3 models, 7 MHVs, 608,000 test miles
- NEVs: 24 models, 372 NEVs, 200,000 test miles
- BEVs: 48 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

INL Vehicle/EVSE Data Management Process

Process Driven by Disclosure Agreements



INL Vehicle/EVSE Data Transfer Process

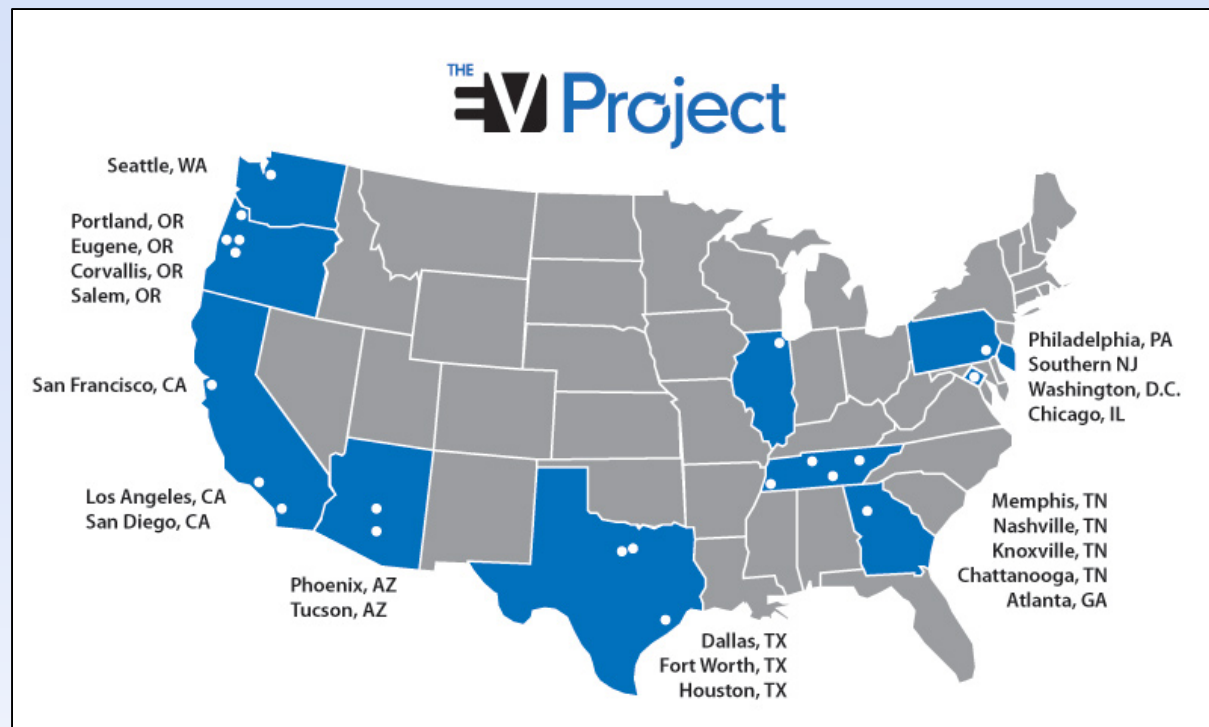


Data Collection, Security and Protection

- 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



EV Project Goal, Locations, Participants, and Reporting



- 50-50 DOE ARRA and ECOtality North America funded
- 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 and government groups
- Required 11,000 data agreements to be signed

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.)**



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**

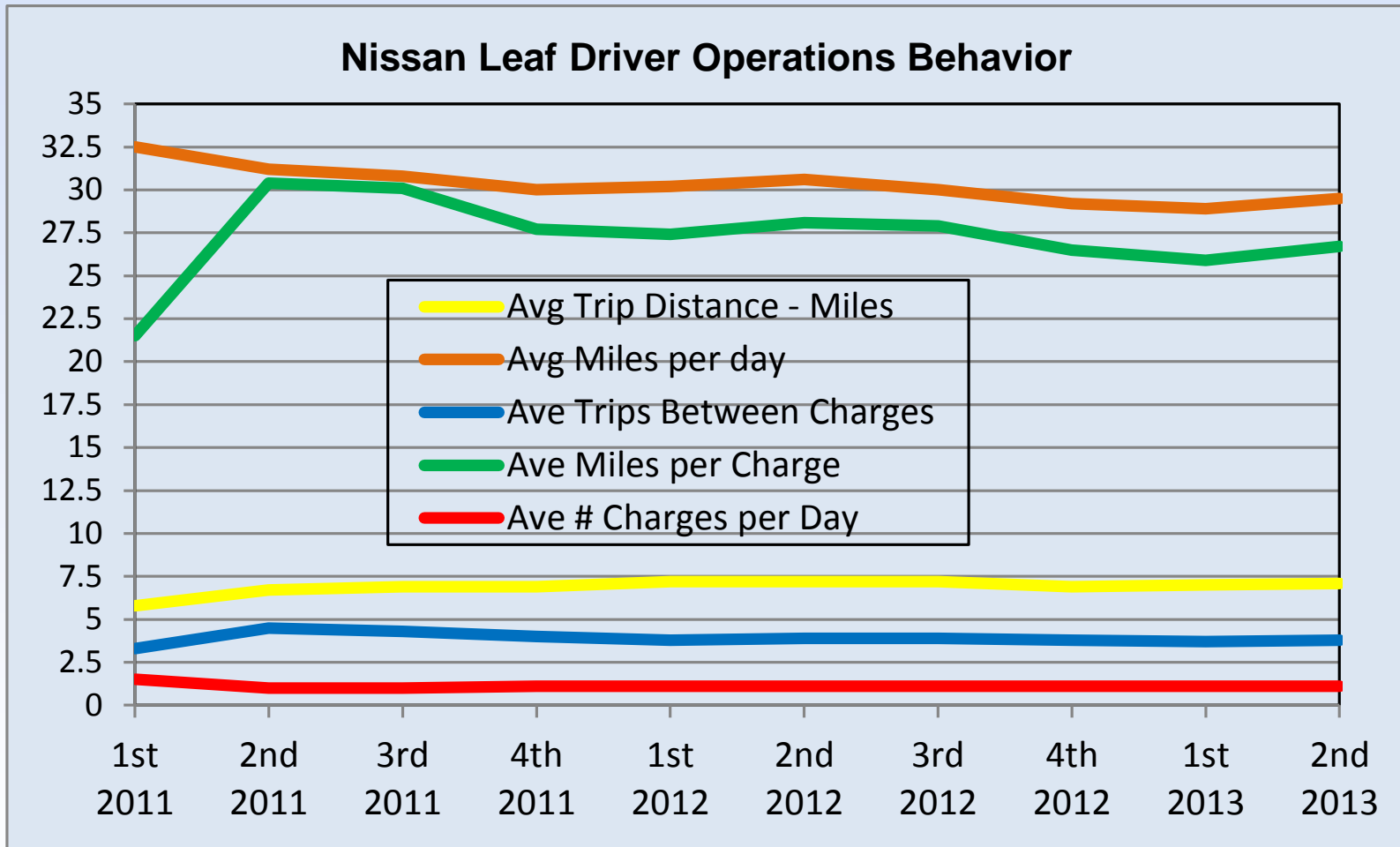
EV Project – National Data

2st quarter 2013 Data Only

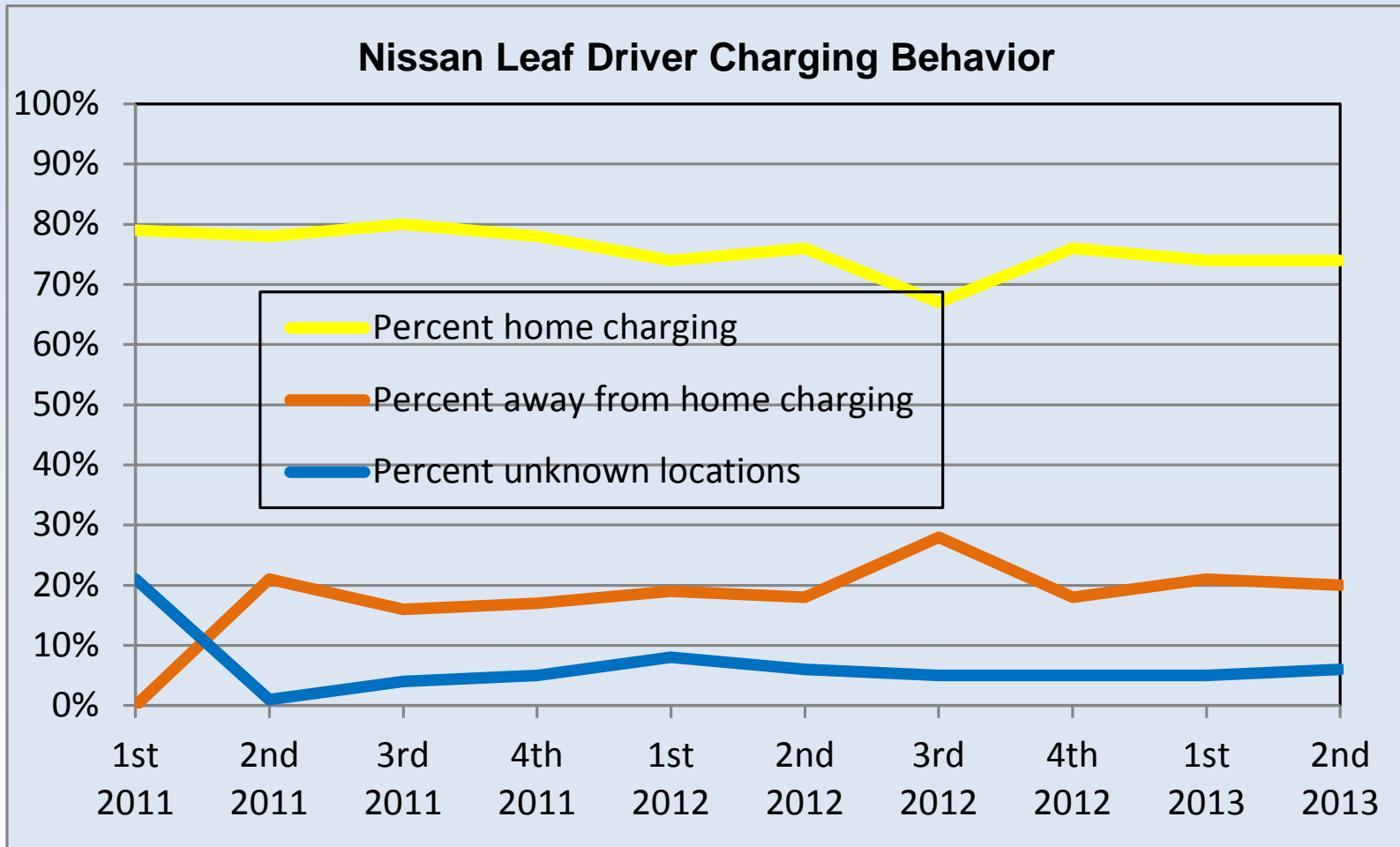
	<u>Leafs</u>	<u>Volts</u>
• Number of vehicles	4,261	1,895
• Number of Trips	1,135,000	676,000
• Distance (million miles)	8.04	5.75
• Average (Ave) trip distance	7.1 mi	8.3 mi
• Ave distance per day	29.5 mi	41.0 mi
• Ave number (#) trips between charging events	3.8	3.3
• Ave distance between charging events	26.7 mi	27.6 mi
• Ave # charging events per day	1.1	1.5

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

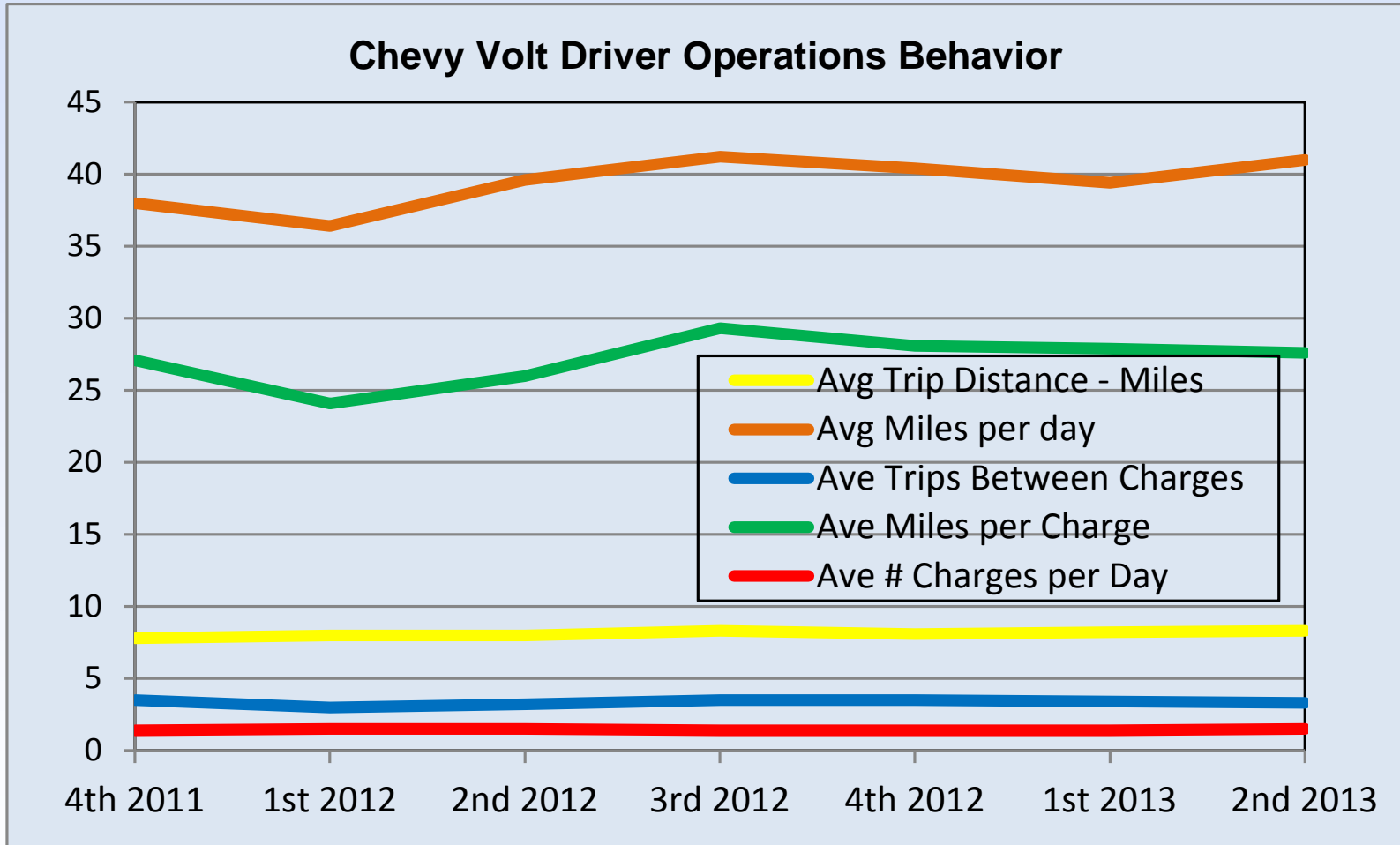
EV Project – Leaf Profiles



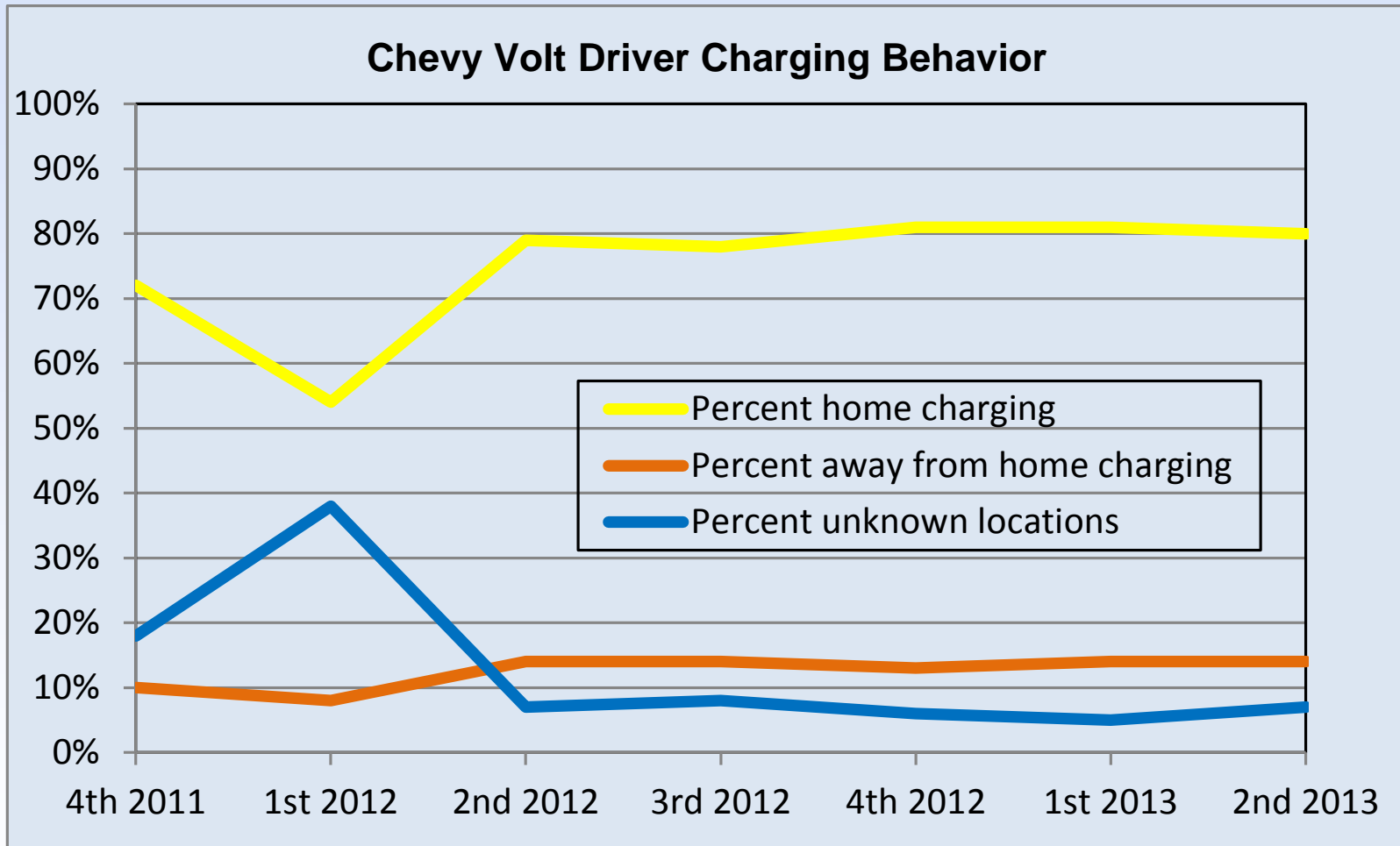
EV Project – Leaf Profiles



EV Project – Volt



EV Project – Volt



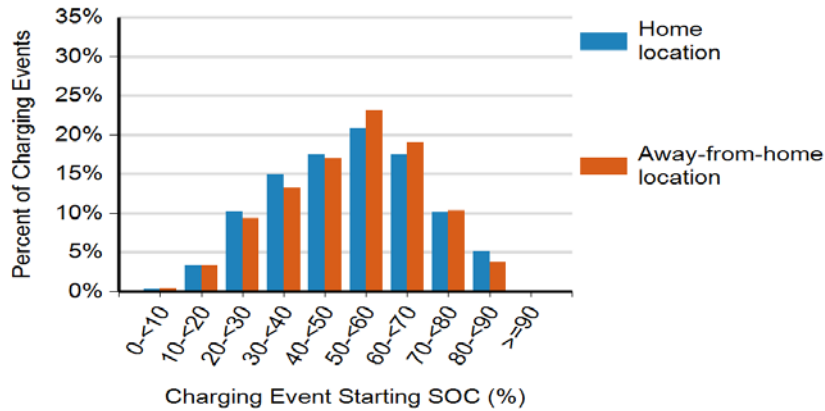
EV Project – Leaf & Volt Charging

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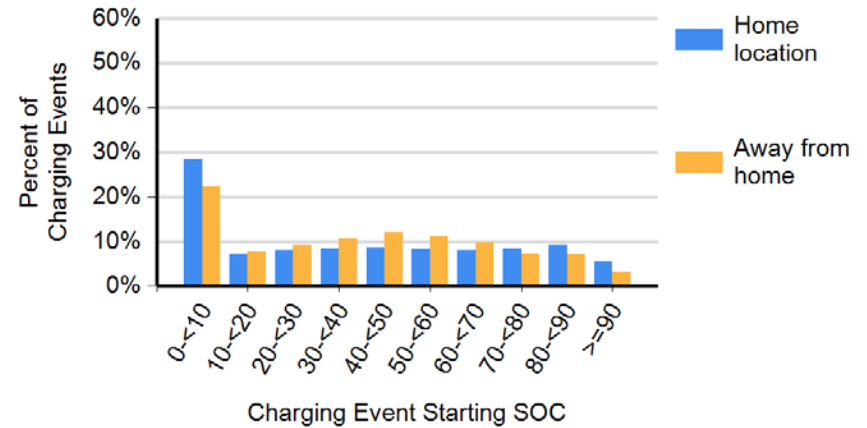
Leafs

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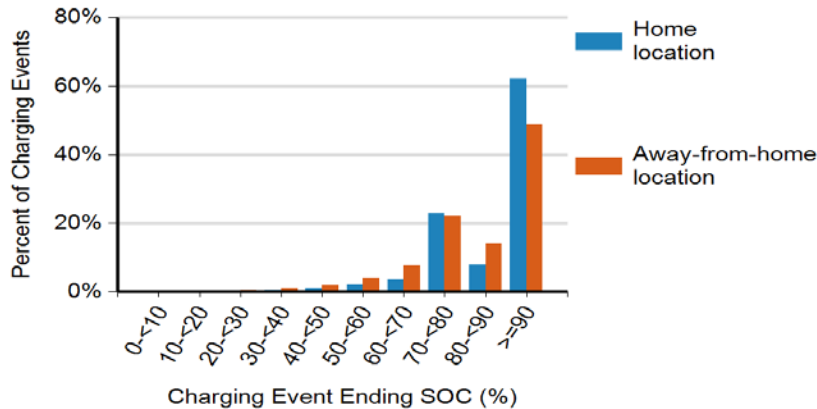
Battery State of Charge (SOC) at the Start of Charging Events



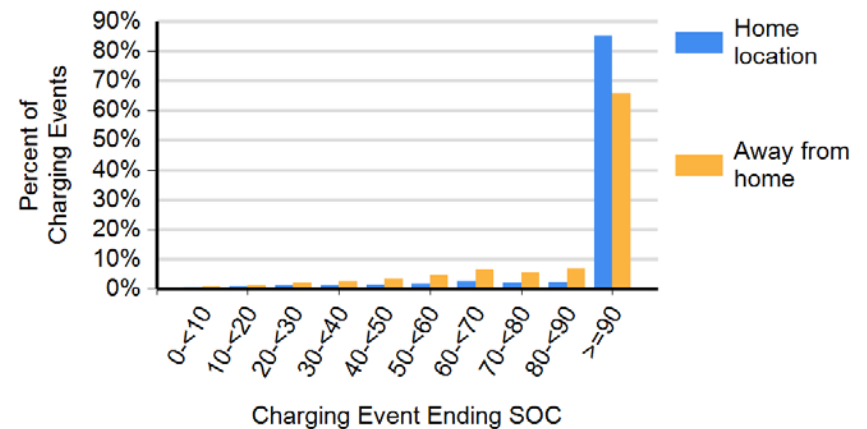
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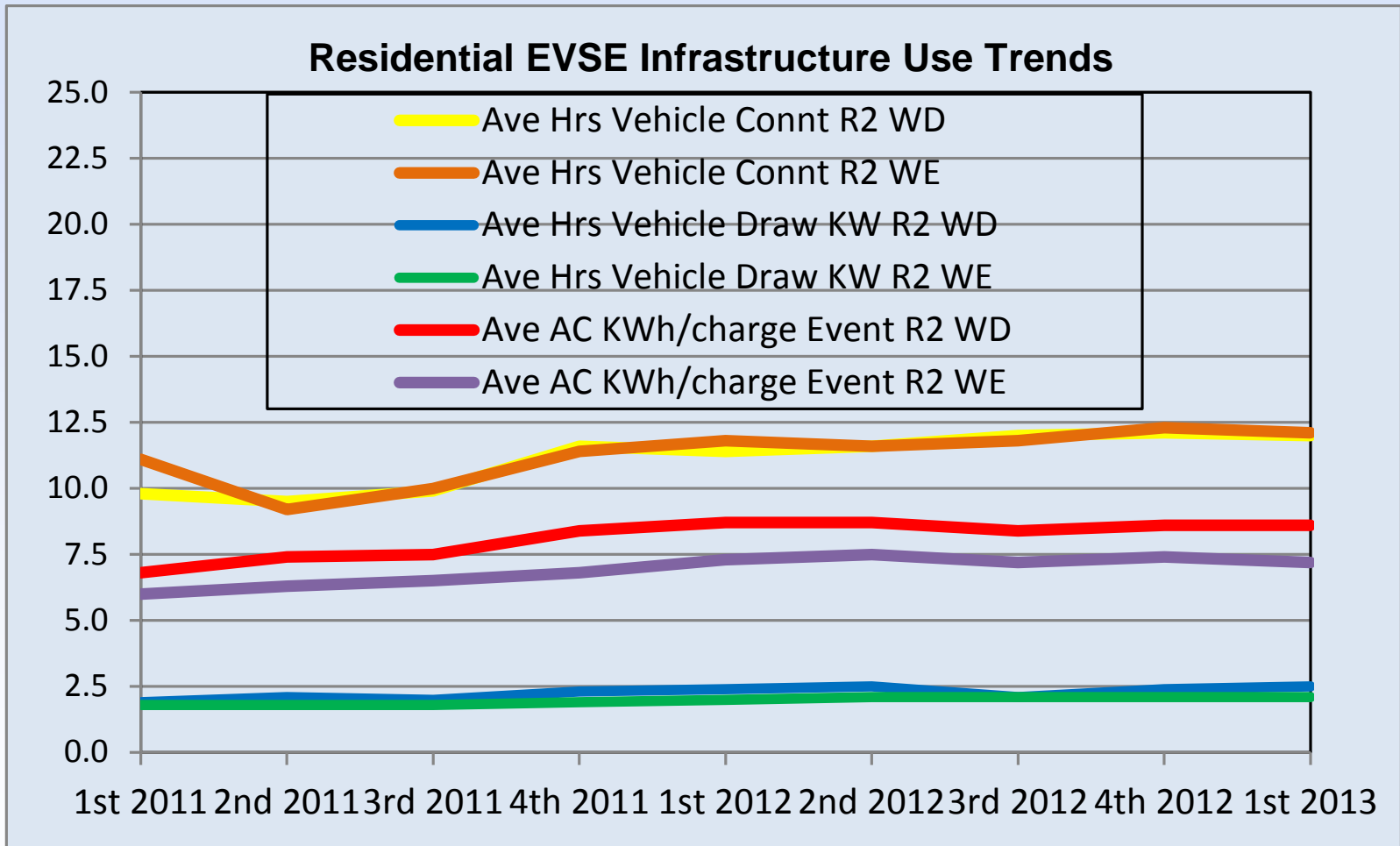
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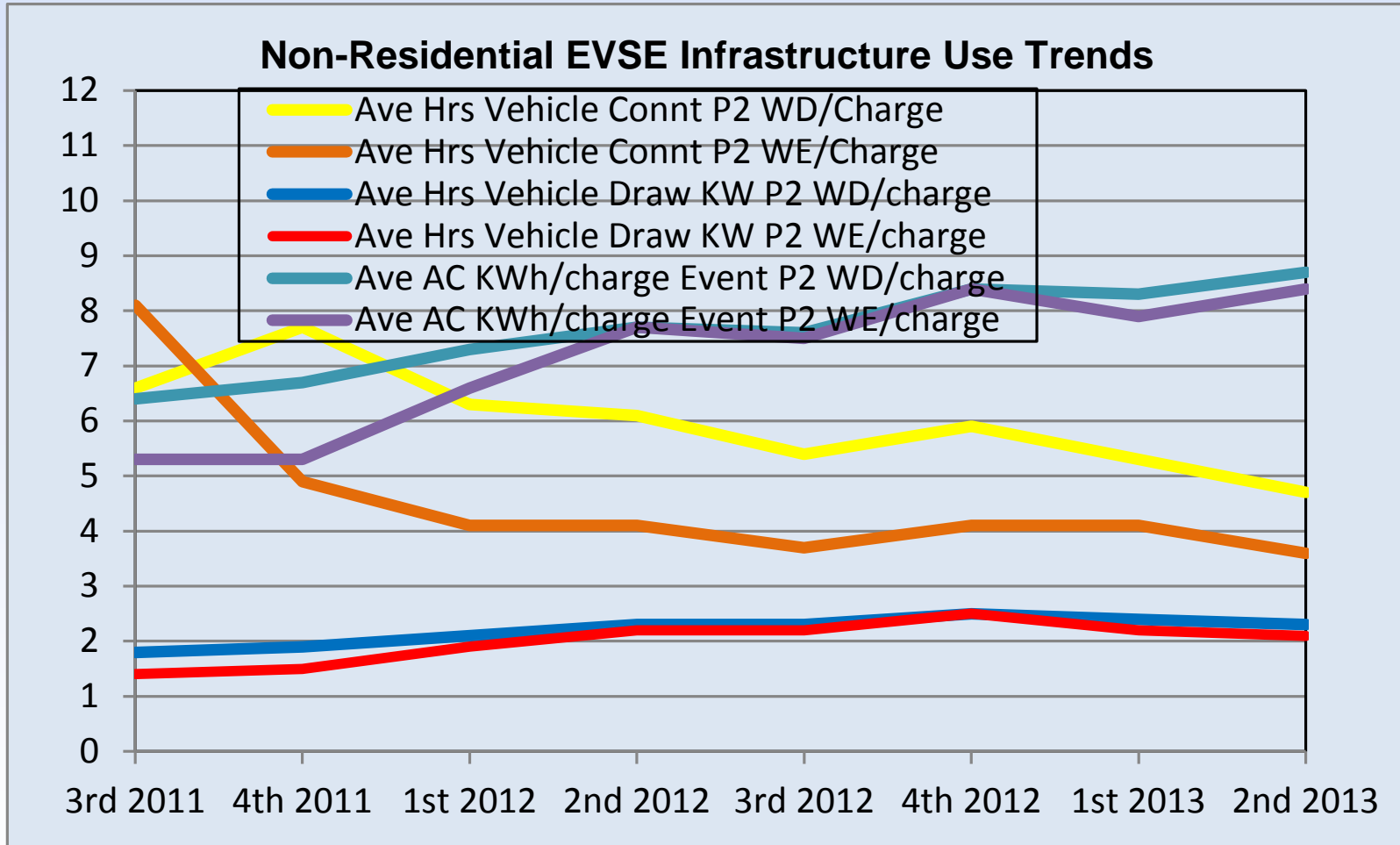
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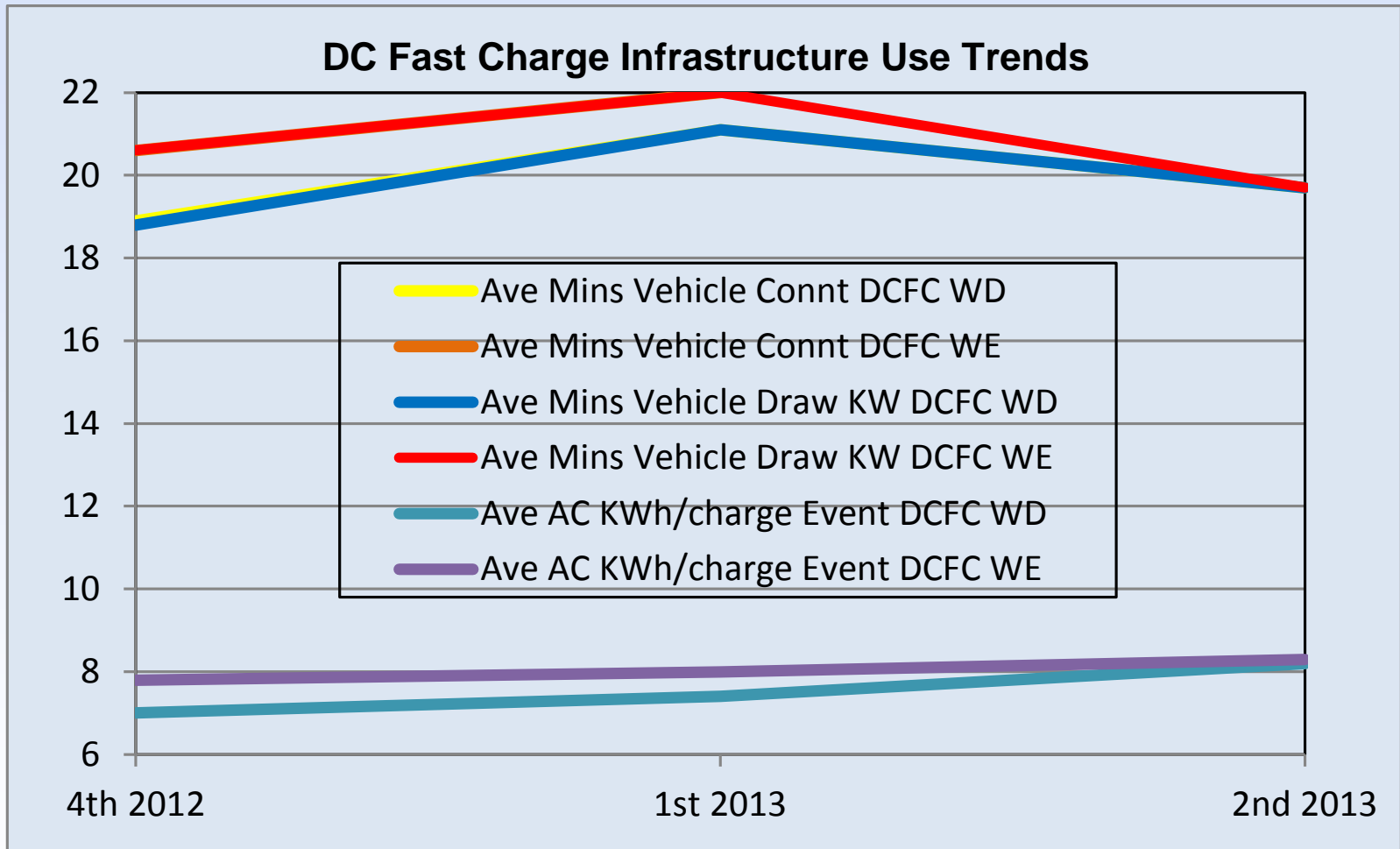
EV Project – Residential EVSE Use



EV Project – Non Residential L2 EVSE Use

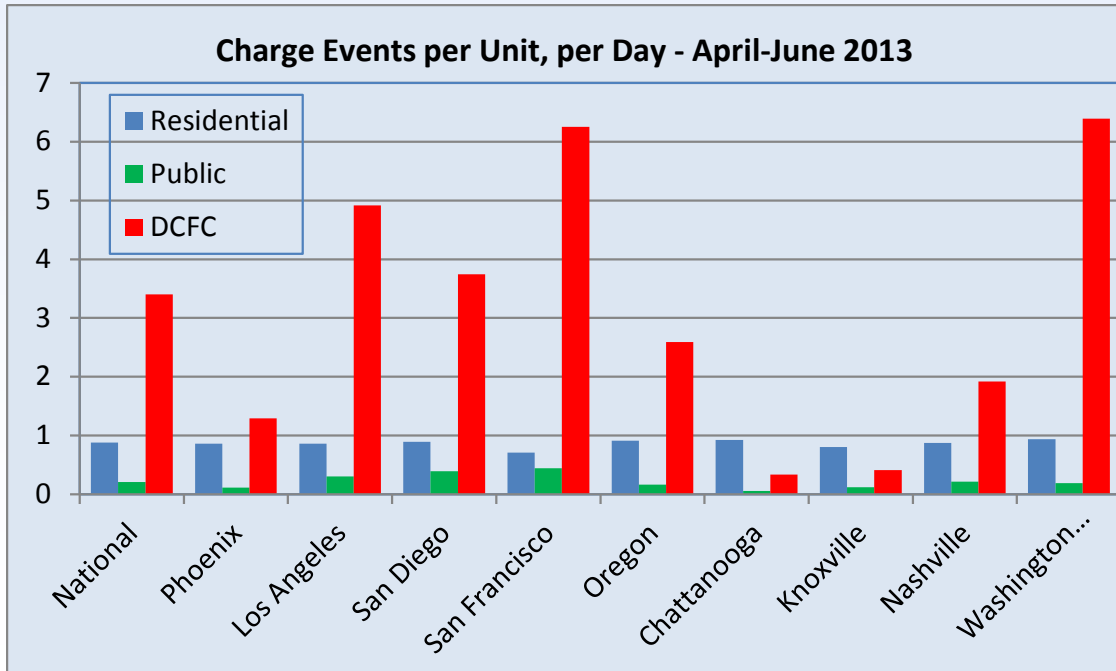
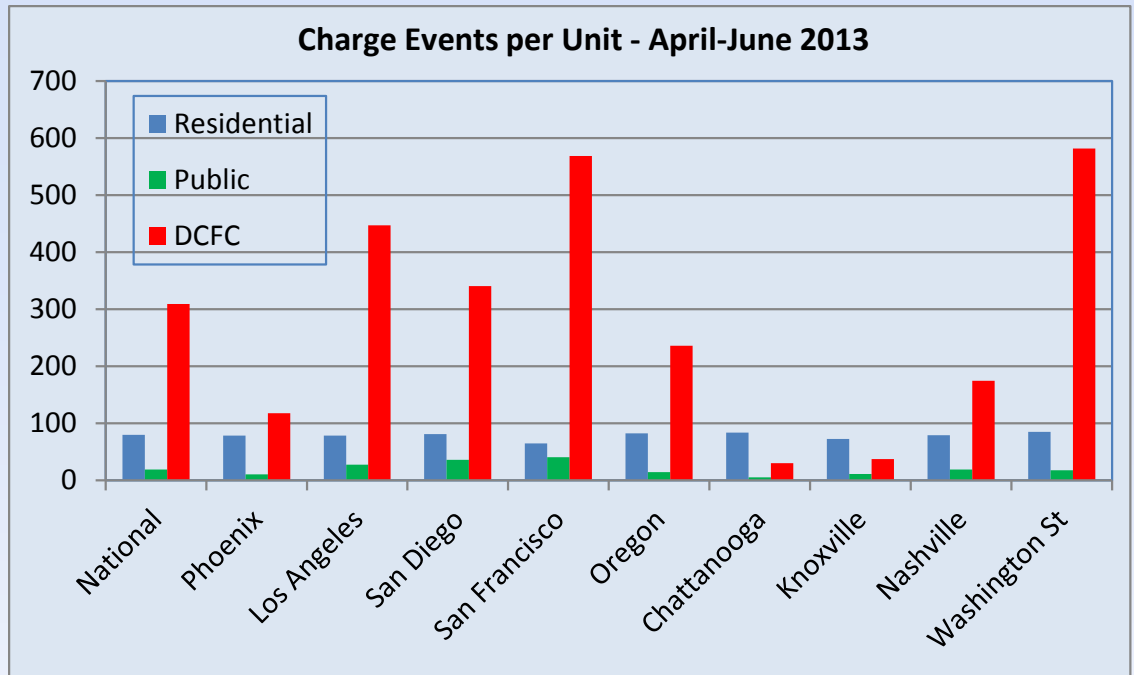


EV Project – DCFC Use



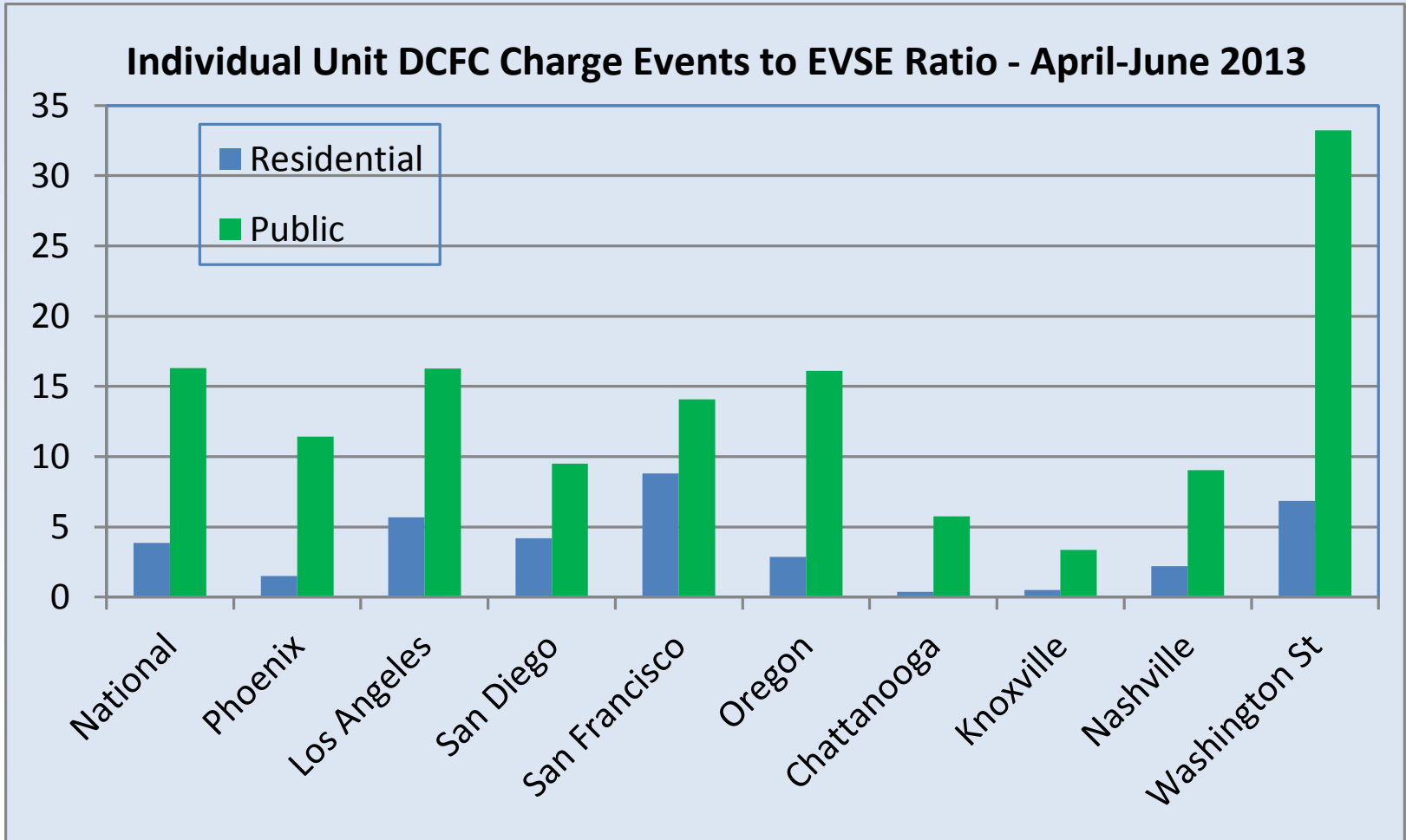
EV Project – Infrastructure use

- Per unit use, 2nd quarter 2013 reports



EV Project

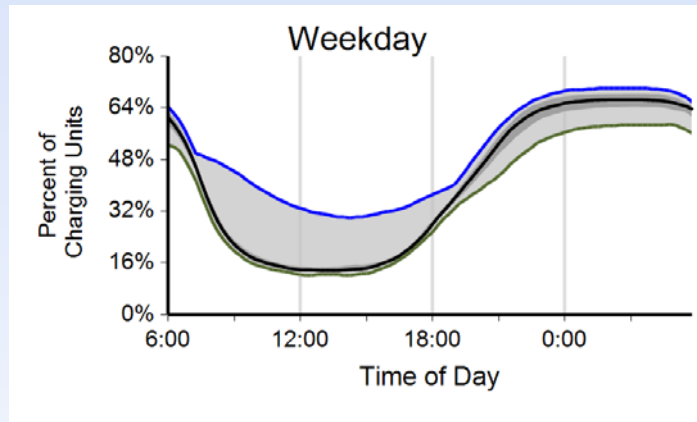
- Per unit use, 2nd quarter 2013 reports
- DCFC use per unit compared to residential and public access Level 2 EVSE



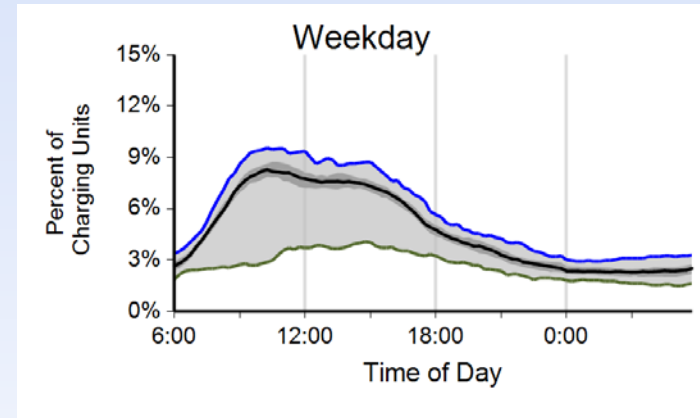
Residential & Public Level 2 EVSE Use

- Weekday EVSE 2nd Quarter 2013. Residential and public connect time and energy use are fairly opposite profiles.

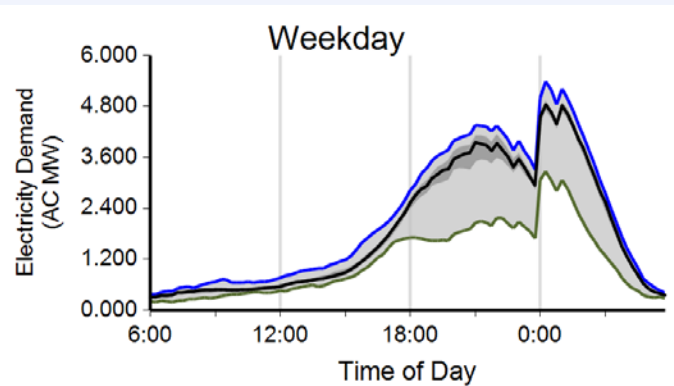
National Residential Connect Time



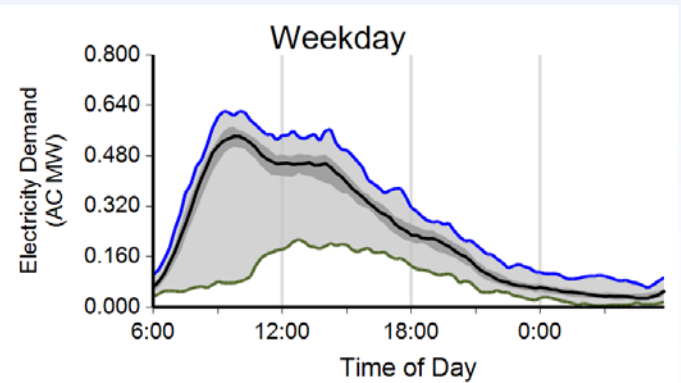
National Public Connect Time



National Residential Demand



National Public Demand

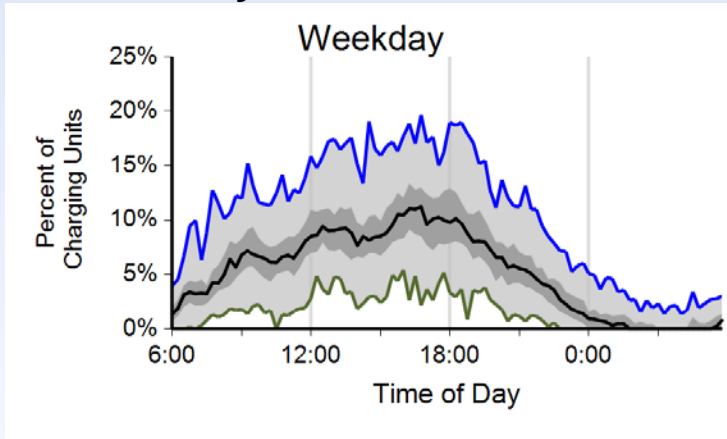


Legend: 91 day reporting period. Data is max (blue line), mean (black line) and minimum (green line), for the reporting period. Dark gray shaded is plus and minus 25% quartile. Same legend all demand and connect time graphs

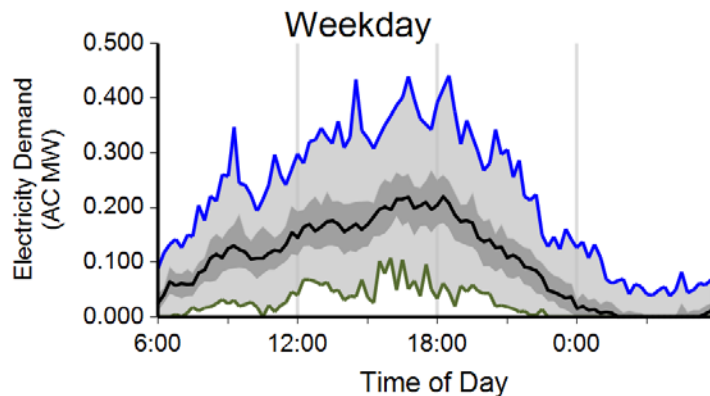
EVSE DCFC Use

- DC Fast Chargers Weekday 2st Quarter 2013
- 87 DCFC, 27,000 charge events and 223 AC MWh

Weekday Connected Profile



Weekday Demand Profile

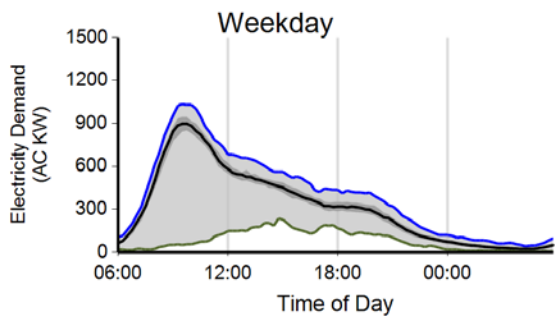


- EV Project Leafs 25% charge events and 24% energy used
- Unknowns are Non EV Project vehicles
- 3.8 average charge events per day per DCFC
- 19.5 minutes average time connected
- 19.5 minutes average time drawing energy
- 8.3 kWh average energy consumed per charge

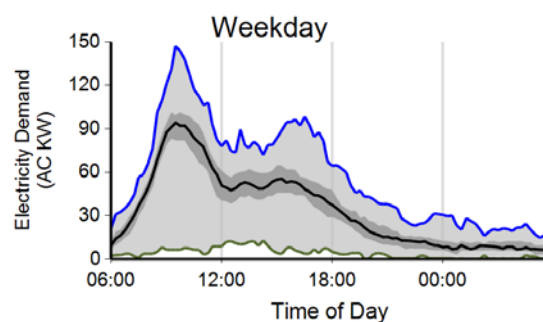
ChargePoint Infrastructure Reporting

- **4,200 ChargePoint EVSE demonstration**
 - Demonstrates residential, private commercial and public grid use
 - Supports what kind of and where grid infrastructure should be placed
 - Document regional grid-use variations

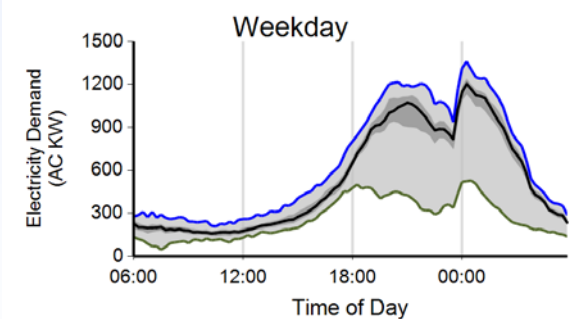
Public Demand



Commercial Demand

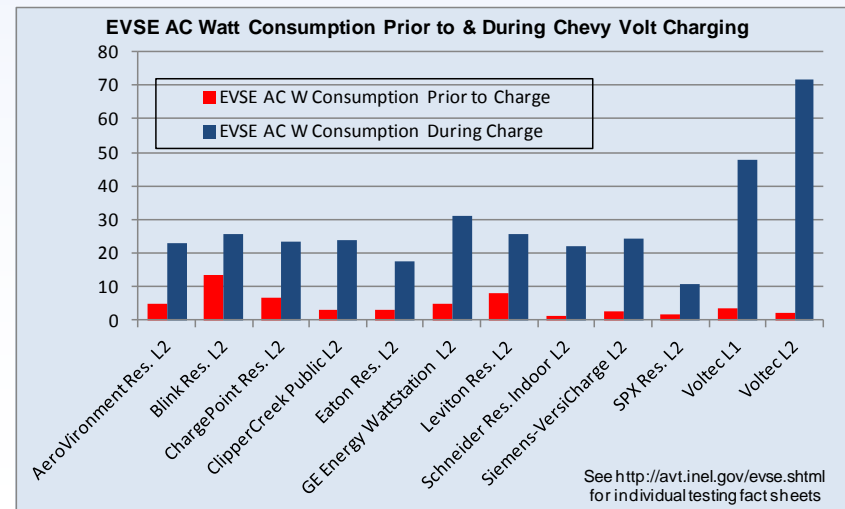


Residential Demand



Conductive EVSE & DCFC Testing

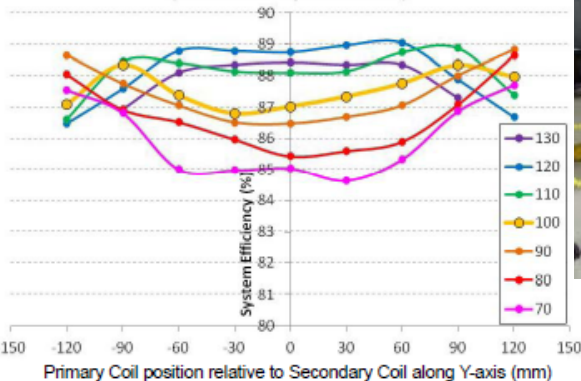
- Tested and reported 13 Levels 1 & 2 EVSE, and DC Fast Chargers (DCFC), with additional units in the test queue
 - Benchmarks grid-to-vehicle and grid-to-battery efficiencies, standby power requirements, power quality feedbacks
- Developing with SAE multi EVSE, DCFC and PEV compatibility testing regime
 - Reduces SAE J1772 and DCFC incompatibility problems



Wireless Power Transfer (WPT) Activities

- Testing lab and vehicle based WPT systems
 - Efficiency, EMF and safety testing
- NDA's being signed with additional WPT companies
- Supporting SAE's development of WPT test procedures
 - Benchmark grid-to-vehicle and grid-to-vehicle wireless efficiencies, standby power requirements, power quality, FCC compliance, and safety
 - Supports SAE's development testing procedures
 - Independent assessments of alternative charging technology

Impact of Coil Gap (mm) on System Efficiency (3.3 kW Output Power)



ENERGY Energy Efficiency & Performance Group VEHICLE TECHNOLOGIES PROGRAM

PLUGLESS™ Level 2 EV Charging System (3.3 kW) by Evotran Group Inc.

Results from Full System Testing in a Laboratory environment

Description / Specifications:

- System Input Voltage (operating Voltage): 208 to 240 VAC
- Circuit Breaker Rating: 30 A
- Nominal gap between coils: 100 mm
- Rated maximum power output: 3300 W (3.3 kW)

Parking Pad (Primary Coil system):

- Shape: Approximately Circular
- Size: 500 dia. x 100 mm high

Vehicle Adapter (Secondary Coil system):

- Shape: Rectangular
- Size: 450 long x 525 wide x 80 mm high

Measured System Parameters during Laboratory Testing:

Input Power Measurements (at 3.3 kW output, 100mm gap)

- Input Voltage: 200 VAC
- Input Current RMS: 25 Arms RMS
- Power Factor: 0.85
- Voltage Total Harmonic Distortion (THD): 4.5 %
- Current Total Harmonic Distortion (THD): 11.2 %

Wireless Power Transfer Operation:

- Operating Frequency (MHz): 275 MHz

DC Output Measurements (at 3.3 kW output, 100mm gap):

- Output Voltage: 224 VDC
- Output Current: 25.4 Arms
- Voltage Ripple Factor: 0.75 %

Operating Temperatures at 3.3 kW output:

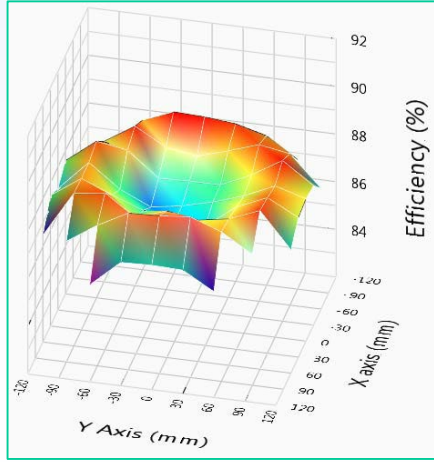
- Parking Pad: Max observed surface temperature: 51 °C
- Vehicle Adapter: Max observed surface temperature: 47 °C

Laboratory Test Measurement Coordinate System:

Manufacturer's location: http://www.pluglesspower.com/wp-content/uploads/2013/06/Plugless_Specs.pdf

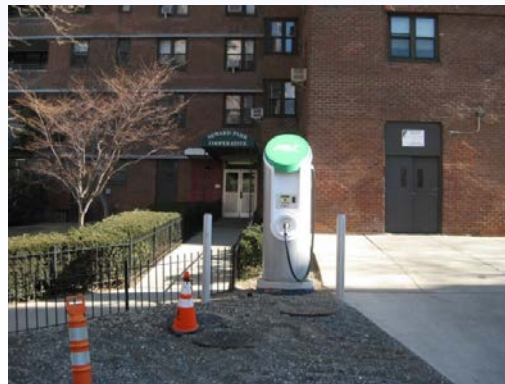
Test coordinate system origin: Center of the secondary coil at the bottom surface of the receiver

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Other Grid Infrastructure Activities

- **EVSE Grid Study for DOE Office of Electricity**
 - Time of use rate impacts on pricing elasticity
- **Cyber security testing of 5 Level 2 EVSE**
 - Examines vulnerabilities from EVSE to back office operations, and potentially connected utilities
- **New York City electric taxi and infrastructure study**
 - For the NYC Taxi and Limousine Commission and DOE, document BEV taxi travel and EVSE and DCFC grid use in highly congested environment
 - Supports inner city EVSE and DCFC planning



Other Grid Infrastructure Activities – cont'd

- **Nissan Leaf DCFC Testing**
 - Grid and battery impacts from DCFC charging
 - Probable secondary use distributed storage study
- **Battery Mule Testing of advanced batteries**
 - Traction battery testing will provide secondary use battery for distributed energy study
- **Chevy Volt and other OEM demonstrations**
 - Demonstrates BEV, PHEV and EREV grid use
- **Grid Interaction Technical Team**
 - Project(s) selection and execution as team member



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