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# Electric Vehicle Test Procedure Kick-Off Discussion

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#### **Study Group Agenda**

- General Discussion
- Call for Volunteers
- Test Procedure for EV Specifics
- Charging Options and Considerations
- How to Compare to Gas/Diesel
- Closing



- Existing procedures
- SAE J1711 for Hybrid EVs
- Dyno test measuring Fuel Economy / Emissions





- Existing procedures
- SAE J1634 for Battery EVs
- EPA follows procedure to measure energy consumption and range testing (MPG equivalency)



Figure 1. Chassis dyno with EV under test,



#### **S.11 EV Testing Procedure- Nomenclature**

- Measurement
- Battery Ampere-Hour Capacity
- Discharge Energy
- DC Discharge Amp-Hours
- Power Outlet Voltage
- AC Recharge Energy
- DC Recharge Amp-Hours

Unit

DC Amp Hours DC Watt Hours DC Amp Hours

AC Volts (RMS)

AC Watts Hours

DC Amp Hours

• Electrical measurements made for EV MPG equivalency by US EPA

- Topics for Consideration
- How to measure battery regen from;
- Braking
- Solar panels
- Coasting downhill with speed control



- Topics for Consideration
- Accessory motors must be operated the same for both vehicles
- A/C motor
- Power steering motor (driver affects)
- Water pump load
- Electric heater load





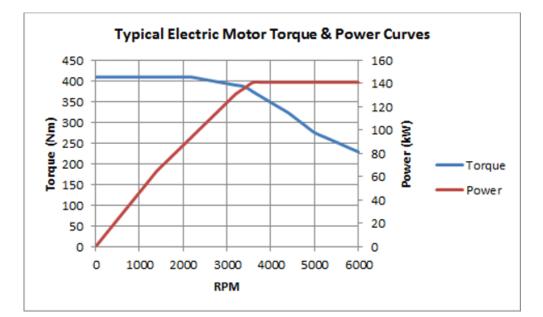
- Topics for Consideration
- Battery charge level at SOT, how to measure
- Test route- Brake application affects re-gen
- Re-Gen capability on one vehicle may be much more efficient than other vehicle.



- Topics for Consideration
- Battery condition throughout test.
- Degradation begins at first charge
- Degradation is affected by use / abuse
- Degradation is affected by time



- Topics for Consideration
- What portions of previous fuel economy procedures apply equally to EVs and Hybrids
- Tires
- Weather
- Drive cycle
- Driver skill





- Topics for Consideration
- Are battery differences enough to show one vehicle is more efficient?
- Same with drive motors?
- The GRID...?



- We are at phase 1 of this new and exciting S.11 procedure
- Please sign up to be a part of the development



Open discussion on this RP Development

#### Questions? Comments?



Closing Comments

# Thank you!!!!

- Please sign volunteer sheet for this update. These are <u>your</u> procedures and <u>your</u> participation is always welcome!
- Email- Brian.Wilson@SwRI.org



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