Electric-Drive Vehicle Testing at CAERI

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Three-year Plan

- **BEV**
- **Plug-in**
- **REEV**
- **Full Hybrid**
- **Mild Hybrid**

- Three year program in CAERI
- Evaluating the performance of the EV, HEV and PHEV
- Plan to benchmark more than 12 cars in three years
### 2011-2012 works

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Testing Approach

The vehicle testing activity and analysis approach has been defined:
- Advanced instruments and sensors
- Kinds of performances and systems in-situ tests
- Continuous improvement of testing procedures

Common Testing Flow in CAERI
Testing Approach

• Sensors installation diagram for electrical power-flow testing
Testing Approach

- Sensors installation diagram for mechanical power-flow and operating temperature testing
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# Vehicle static tests - HEV

| **External Dimensions** | GB/T 12673 Vehicle Dimensions Measuring method  
SAE J1100-2002 Motor Vehicle Dimensions |
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| **Ergonomics Dimensions** | SAE J833 Human Physical Dimensions  
SAE J826 H-Point Machine and Design Tool Procedures and Specifications |

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**Vehicle Dimensions**

- W101-2
- L

**Mass Parameters**

- A板
- B板
- 防傾装置
- C板
- D板

**Ergonomics Dimensions**

- 中国汽车工程研究院
- China Automotive Engineering Research Institute
Dynamic Performance test
- HEV

- Coast Down Test
  - TYPEV_BZ0004-2012 for coast down test

- Objective:
  - Check testing vehicle state consistency
  - Determine vehicle target coefficient A, B, C and coast down distance
  - Research the influence of vehicle load state on resistance coefficient
Max Acceleration Testing

TYPEV_BZ0005-2012 Hybrid Electric Vehicle Acceleration Test Procedure

**Objective:**

1. Determine 0-100km/h acceleration time under different vehicle condition;
2. Determine 50-120km/h acceleration time under different vehicle condition;
3. Research the influence of SOC, pattern, battery temperature on hybrid electric vehicle acceleration performance;
Dynamic Performance test - HEV

Grade ability Limit Test

**TYPEV_BZ0006-2012 Hybrid Electric Vehicle Grade ability Test Procedure**

**Objective:**
1. Determine max Grade ability under different vehicle condition;
2. Determine Start ability under different vehicle condition;
3. Research the influence of SOC, pattern, battery temperature on hybrid electric vehicle Grade ability performance.
Developing the regenerative braking energy reclaiming ratio test method right now

Objective:
1. Research the contribution rate of the braking energy regeneration to fuel-saving and emissions-reduction
2. Check the energy reclaiming ratio of regenerative braking;
3. Research on the influence of braking cycle, initial speed, accelerator pedal position, brake pedal position to regenerative braking energy reclaiming ratio.
Braking Performance test -HEV

- Type-0 braking Test
  TYPEV_BZ0068-2012 Electric Vehicle
  Type-0 braking Test Procedure

- Objective:
  1. Check the brake basic performance;
  2. Loaded and non-loaded, driving system, test braking distance, brake maximum control force, whether vehicle happens lock when speed is greater than 15 km/h, horizontal pendulum Angle, etc.
Emissions Performance test

-HEV

Emissions Test

**TYPEV_BZ0055-2012** Hybrid Electric Vehicle Consumption and Emissions Test Procedure

**Objective:**

1. Measurement energy consumption, emissions factor (HC, CO and NOx) under US06, UDDS, NEDC, Jan10-15 and so on

2. Linear correction method using a correction coefficient as ECE R101

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K_{fuel} = (n \cdot \sum \Delta E_{storagei} C_i - \sum \Delta E_{storagei} \cdot \sum C_i) / (n \cdot \sum \Delta E_{storagei}^2 - (\sum \Delta E_{storagei})^2)
\]

\[
C_0 = C - K_{fuel} \cdot Q
\]
Facilities
Emission Labs
Range and consuming test-EV

- **Range and Economy Test**
  
  TYPEV_BZ00XX-2012, Battery Electric Vehicle Consumption and Range Test Procedure

- **Objective:**
  1. Research the shortcut testing method of Energy Consumption and Range
  2. Research the influence of environmental temperature on performance
  3. Research the influence of driving cycles (likes NEDC, UDDS and so on) on performance
Range and Economy test-PHEV

- Range and Economy Test:
  TYPEV_BZ00XX-2012 and ECE R101
  Plug-in Electric Vehicle Energy Consumption and Emissions Test Procedure

- Objective:
  1. Research the appropriate plug-in electric vehicle energy consumption and emission test methods;
  2. Carry out plug-in electric vehicle energy consumption and emission characteristics of research
Facilities
Proving Ground

China Automotive Engineering Research Institute
NVH test – HEV

- **NVH Test**
  
  **TYPEV_BZ0016-2011 Electric Vehicle**

  **NVH Test Procedure at road procedure**

- **Objective:**
  1. Vehicle Idle Interior Noise/Vibration
  2. Vehicle Pass-by Noise
  3. Vehicle Run Up/down Interior Noise
  4. Vehicle Run Up/down Interior Vibration

  - *<GB 1495 Limits and measurement methods for noise emitted by accelerating motor vehicles>*
  - *<GB/T 14365 Acoustics-Measurement of noise emitted by stationary road vehicles>"*
NVH test-EV/HEV

**NVH Test**

Test EV/PHEV NVH characters and develop test method at semi-anechoic room

**Focus:**

1. Compare testing at semi-anechoic room and at testing road, analyze difference and its reason;
2. Consider battery initial SOC, battery temperature, etc;
3. Determine the test conditions and sensors arrangement
Facilities
NVH Labs

• 整车半消声室
(4驱, 2电机, 5.5吨)
Vehicle semi-anechoic chamber
4 WD, 2 motor, 5.5 tons

• 全消声发动机试验室
Full anechoic engine test chamber

• 整车振动实验室
Vehicle Vibration Lab

• 零部件异响室
Parts abnormal sound room

• 部件振动疲劳
Parts vibration fatigue

• 模态试验室
Modal Lab

• 全消/混响室
All consumers / reverberation chamber

• 声品质分析室
Sound Quality Analysis Laboratory
Crash Safety test – EV/PHEV

- **Crash Safety Test**
  
  Battery safety test and evaluation method under crash situation

- **Focus:**
  
  1. Compared with the conventional vehicle, electric car collision safety should be more focus on the battery system requirements
  2. Consider mechanical requirements, electrical requirements, chemical requirements and function requirements, etc;
  3. Consider the battery initial SOC, flip test and the long time stalling test after collision test samples and so on
Facilities
Safety Labs

实车碰撞 5t 120Km/h 25t 80km/h
车车碰撞 5t 80Km/h 25t 50km/h
EMC Test

Performance Levels and Methods of Measurement of Magnetic and Electric Field Strength from EV/HEV Broadband, 9 kHz To 30 MHz

Focus:

1. Confirm the maximum emission surface;
2. Research the influence of the loading on the test results;
3. Compare the statistical value of various electric vehicles electromagnetic field emission and the limit.

<GB/T 18387 Limits and test method of Magnetic and Electric Field Strength from Electric Vehicles, Broadband, 9 kHz To 30 MHz>
Facilities
EMC Labs

10-meter half-wave dark room (9 m diameter, 20-ton turntable, 4 x 100kW dynamometer), three-meter modus and CISPR25 full-wave dark room
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Future Work

- Testing the four EV and HEV in China
- Testing one PHEV in U.S.A. and China with ANL
- Testing other six cars in 2013
- Discussing the testing approach with U.S. partners
- Focus on the designing and controlling thoughts of excellent cars
- Benchmarking the components of the models
Test for next four E-drive cars:

- On-going 2012 In-depth Vehicle Benchmarking:

  - Research testing and evaluation method of Electric-Drive vehicles, including dynamic performance, braking performance, NVH, EMC, Economy, Emissions and so on.
  - Analysis control strategy of vehicles, including Fail-Safe strategy.
  - Component testing, including power system, motor, battery cell, battery system.

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Conclusion

- Evaluation for the consumers and governments
- Procedures and approaches are important to do the thing well
- Harmonize the procedure are necessary between U.S.A and China
- CAERI would like to learn previous experience our U.S.A. partners and contribute to that and test different cars continually
Thanks for your time!