PERFORMANCE CHARACTERIZATION

1999 NISSAN ALTRA-EV WITH LITHIUM-ION BATTERY





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PURPOSE

The purpose of SCE's evaluation of electric vehicles (EVs), EV chargers, batteries, and

related items is to support their safe and efficient use and to minimize potential utility system impacts.

The following facts support this purpose:

- As a fleet operator and an electric utility, SCE uses EVs to conduct its business.
- SCE must evaluate EVs, batteries, and charging equipment in order to make informed purchase decisions.
- SCE must determine if there are any safety issues with EV equipment and their usage.
- SCE has a responsibility to educate and advise its customers about the efficient and safe operation of EVs.

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I. ABSTRACT

This report characterizes the performance of the Nissan Altra Electric Vehicle equipped with Lithium-ion (Li-ion) batteries. The tests performed were: weight certification, range, battery capacity, state of charge meter evaluation, sound level, acceleration, maximum speed, braking, and charger performance.

Testing was performed at the Electric Vehicle Technical Center (EV Tech Center), on the Urban and Freeway Pomona Loops, and the Pomona Raceway in Pomona, California. For detailed procedures used for the testing, please refer to the *SCE Electric Vehicle Test Procedure* in Appendix E, page 52.

II. INTRODUCTION

Southern California Edison (SCE), in cooperation with the U. S. Department of Energy (DOE) and as part of the Field Operations Program evaluated the Altra-EV for performance. The Altra is equipped with a Sony Lithium-ion battery, jointly developed by Nissan and Sony. Performance Characterization measures the vehicle's performance in a "real world" setting. Tests in this type of setting will contribute more accurate results on how these vehicles will perform as a fleet and passenger car.



III. MANUFACTURER'S SPECIFICATIONS

Vehicle Make:	Nissan		
Model:	Altra-EV		
Range:	120 miles (LA4 mode Nissan test)		
Maximum Speed:	75 mph		
Motor Type:	Neodymium permanent magnet synchronous DC		
System Power:	62 kW (83 hp)		
Transmission:	Single Speed, front wheel drive		
Battery Type:	Lithium-ion (Li-ion)		
Manufacturer:	Sony		
Weight:	67 lb.		
Capacity:	95 Ampere-hour		
Battery Pack Weight:	804 lb. (Battery pack tray not included)		
Number of Modules:	12		
Nominal Pack Voltage:	345 V		
Curb Weight:	3940 lb.		
GVWR:	4579 lb.		
Payload:	820 lb.		
Dimensions			
Wheelbase:	110.2 in.		
Length:	191.7 in.		
Width:	69.5 in.		
Height:	66.8 in.		
Ground Clearance:	7.5 in.		

IV. DEVIATIONS FROM THE SCE ELECTRIC VEHICLE TEST PROCEDURE

- Battery capacity test was not performed.
- The stand-by energy consumption test with the vehicle off charge was not performed.

V. **RESULTS**

A. Weight Certification

Table 5-1 Certified Weight Results

	Front Axle	Rear Axle	Total Weight
GVWR (lb)	2324	2299	4579
Curb Weight (lb)	2220	1720	3940 ¹
Available Payload (lb)	104	579	639 ²

¹ Certified.

² Specified payload on vehicle door sticker: 820 lb.



Figure 5-1. The Altra-EV uses inductive charging.

B. Range Test

B1. Urban Range Tests

Table 5-2. Urban Range Test Results

Tests	UR1*	UR2*	UR3*	UR4*
Range at Stop Condition (mi.)	121.5	94.7	96.2	73.7
Total Driven (mi.)	121.9	95.3	96.6	74.4

Driving Conditions

Payload (lb.)	180	180	639	639
Avg. Amb. Temp. ⁰F	78.2	78.6	97.4	91.5
Average Speed (mph)	23.6	23.5	25.8	24.8

Recharge

AC kWh recharge ¹	31.05	33.16	25.96	23.15
AC kWh/mi.	0.255	0.348	0.269	0.392

* Average of two tests

¹ From BMI Power Profiler

- **UR1:** Pomona loop range test with minimum payload
- UR2: Pomona loop range test with minimum payload and auxiliary loads
- UR3: Pomona loop range test with maximum payload
- UR4: Pomona loop range test with maximum payload and auxiliary loads

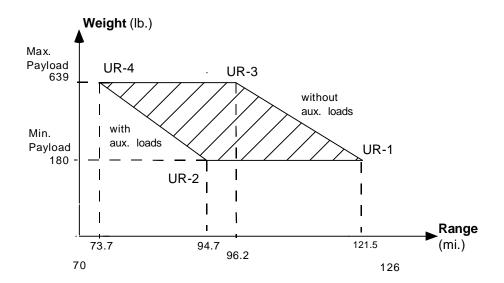


Figure 5-2. Urban Range Envelope.

B2. Freeway Range Tests

Table 5.4 Range Test.

Tests	FW1*	FW2*	FW3*	FW4*
Range at Stop Condition (mi.)	94.4	82.3	82.5	79.8
Total Driven (mi.)	96.55	79.45	83.33	79.95

Driving Conditions

Payload (lb.)	180	180	639	639
Avg. Amb. Temp. °F	70.1	83.1	59.3	84.2
Average Speed (mph)	47.10	42.13	41.67	42.83

Recharge

AC kWh recharge ¹	30.39	31.09	29.61	30.63**
AC kWh/mi.	0.315	0.391	0.355	0.383

*Average of two tests

**Result of one test

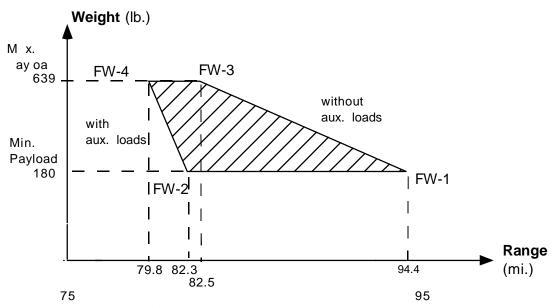
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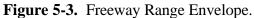
FW1: Freeway loop range test with minimum payload

FW2: Freeway loop range test with minimum payload and auxiliary loads

FW3: Freeway loop range test with maximum payload

FW4: Freeway loop range test with maximum payload and auxiliary loads





C. State of Charge (SOC) Meter Evaluation

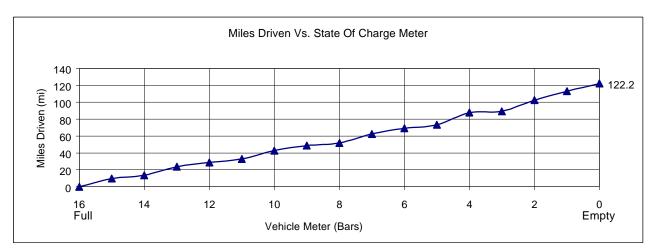


Figure 5-4. State of Charge Meter Evaluation- 6/29/99, UR1.

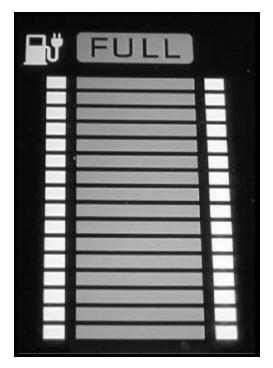


Figure 5-5. Altra-EV state-of-charge gage.

D. Acceleration, Maximum Speed, and Braking Tests.

Performance Testing Data ¹	100% SOC	80% SOC	60% SOC	40% SOC	20% SOC
0 to 30 mph (sec.)	4.91	4.56	4.56	4.52	4.58
30 to 55 mph (sec.)	7.80	8.42	9.01	8.04	8.10
0 to 60 mph (sec.)	15.56	14.28	15.18	14.32	14.74
Max Speed (mph)	75	N/A	N/A	N/A	75
Braking (25-0 mph) (ft.)	N/A	N/A	27.74*	N/A	N/A

Table 5-5. Summary of Acceleration, Maximum Speed, and Braking Tests¹

¹Average values out of two runs (ambient temperature 77-85° F). (180 lb. Payload) * Test was done at 50% SOC

E. Charger Performance / Profile Test

Table 5-6. Charger Profile Data

Note: Refer to Appendix D, page 45 for BMI Power Profiler graphical data.

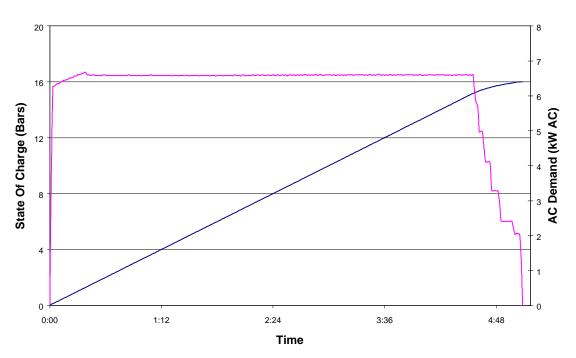
Measured Value ¹	
Voltage	247.3 Vrms
Current	25.69 Arms
Real Power ²	6.473 kW
Reactive Power	618.4 VAR
Apparent Power	6.582 kVA
Total Power Factor	0.99 PF
Displacement Power Factor	0.99 dPF
Voltage THD	1.1%
Current THD	3.2%
Current TDD	3.3%

Total Charging Time ³	4 hours, 47 minutes
Total Energy Consumption	29.07 kWh AC

Data was recorded on the 7/29/99.

¹Values recorded with charger near maximum power on the AC (input) side of the charger (240 V) 2 Maximum recorded instantaneous real power for complete charge was 6.6kW

³ Ambient Temperature: at start =85.0°F, at end=84.0°F, Ave.=84.5°F



State of Charge and AC Demand Vs Time

Figure 5-6. AC charging profile from ABB meter (recorded on 7/7/99 after FW-2).

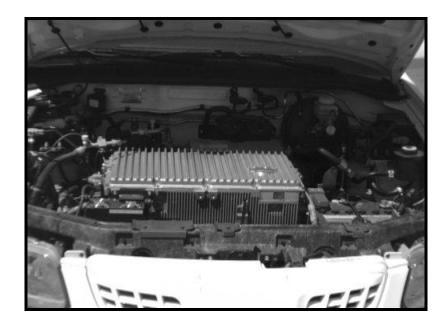


Figure 5-7. Motor controller and other critical electric controls are liquid cooled.

Estimated Driving Range per Charging Time

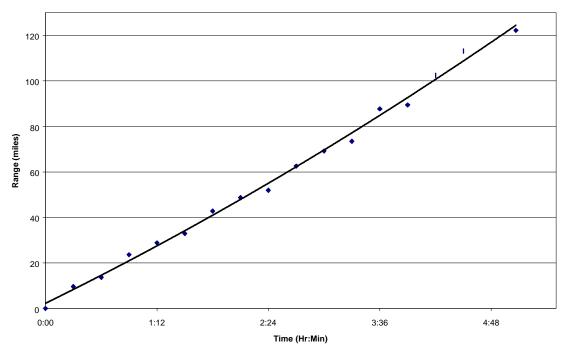


Figure 5-8. Driving Range Returned per Charging Time: 6/29/99, UR1.

F. Sound Level Tests

F1. Freeway Sound Level Test

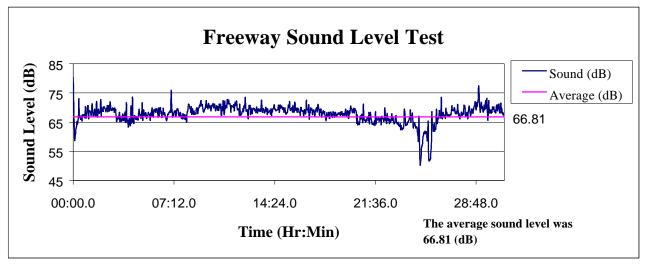


Figure 5-9. Sound intensity in dB recorded during a driving test on the Freeway Loop.



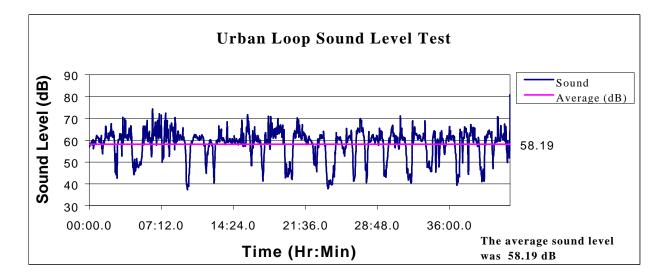


Figure 5-10. Sound intensity in dB recorded during a driving test on the Urban Pomona Loop.



Figure 5-11. Sound level meter positioned to measure sound intensity at ear level.



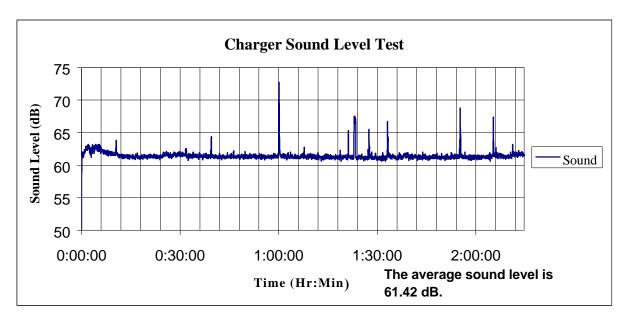


Figure 5-12. Sound intensity recorded during charging. The spikes are ambient noise events.

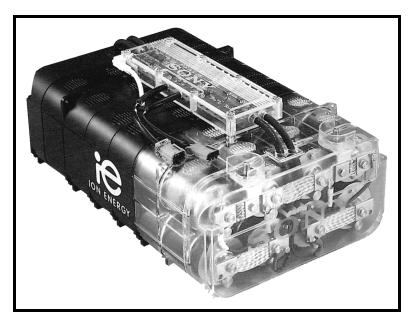


Figure 5-13. Nissan-Sony Lithium-ion battery module.

VI. Discussion

A. Weight Certification

The vehicle was taken to a certified scale to measure the total weight, and the front and rear axle weights (see Table 5-1). The measured total curb weight was 3940 pounds. The manufacturer's gross vehicle weight rating (GVWR) label on the vehicle is 4579 pounds, and the specified payload is 820 pounds. The GVWR minus the total curb weight yielded a payload of 639 pounds, which was the weight used for the maximum payload tests. Table 5-1, page 6, shows an available front axle payload of 104 pounds, and an available rear axle payload of 579 pounds. When the vehicle was loaded to its maximum legal weight (639 pounds), the load was evenly distributed using water dummies and weights (see Figure 6-1).



Figure 6-1. Water dummies used in load tests.

B. Range Tests

Range Testing was conducted in a manner that was safe and compatible with the flow of traffic. Speeds were never above the posted speed limits, but occasionally there was slower traffic. The state of charge meter on the Nissan Altra-EV has 16 divisions, with each division representing 6.25% of charge available. The vehicle was always driven until the last division turned off and the "EMPTY" light turned on. Once this occurred, the vehicle was usually about 1 to 2 miles from the EV Tech Center. The farthest the vehicle went, while the Empty indicator was on, was less than 5 miles.

During the tests (Freeway and Urban loops), the car handled very well. Acceleration was smooth, and the vehicle never had trouble reaching traffic speed and keeping up with the flow of traffic. Although with maximum payload, the range of the vehicle was reduced to about 80 miles, acceleration performance never decreased. As expected, the braking time and stopping distance seemed to increase slightly with maximum payload. The Altra-EV handled exceptionally well in rain although slight slipping did occur on steep inclines like freeway on-ramps. The vehicle also accelerated well during rainy conditions.



Figure 6-2. Nissan Altra-EV Instrument Panel.

B1. Urban Range Tests

The speed of the vehicle on the Pomona Loop, varied between 30 mph and 50 mph. At least two loops were completed for each drive. Variations in

payload and auxiliary loads (air conditioning and headlights) clearly affected the range of the vehicle, as seen in Table 5-2, page 7. Data from the UR1 and UR2 tests show that with minimum load, and when accessories (Radio, CD, and low beam headlights, A/C) were used, range was reduced by 22%. The data from the maximum load tests on the Pomona loop showed similar results. The Altra's range dropped 23% when the accessories were used with maximum payload. Range between minimum load and maximum load with no accessories (UR1, UR3) dropped by 21%. Comparing UR2 and UR4 yields almost a 22% decrease in range.

Energy consumption for the urban drives ranged from 31.05 kW for the UR1 drives down to 23.15 kW for the UR4 drives. The vehicle was driven down to (as indicated by the charger display) 5% SOC. Ambient temperatures from 78.4 °F to 94.4 °F were experienced throughout the test. The Altra-EV performed well and did not have any problems or unusual events during testing. Coast down braking is automatically controlled and cannot be normally adjusted.

Air conditioning (A/C) was tested during the UR2 and UR4 tests. A thermocouple was inserted in the air vent in the middle of the dashboard. Temperatures were taken at the beginning, ten minutes into the drive, and at the end of the drive. After ten minutes the average temperature indicated was 39° F. This indicated that the air conditioning was functioning properly.

B2. Freeway Range Tests

On the freeway drives, there was little regenerative braking. Minimum payload tests with no auxiliary loads on the freeway produced a range of 94.4 miles. That is a 22% decrease (28 miles) on the freeway compared to driving on the street (UR1). Accessory loads didn't affect the results of the maximum load tests on the freeway. The FW3 achieved a range of 82.5 miles, while the FW4 only had a 3% loss of range with 79.8 miles. The

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Nissan Altra-EV had no handling problems on the freeway. The suspension was very stable and the ride was comfortable and quiet. The Altra-EV has the longest wheelbase of all passenger vehicles tested by SCE.

C. State of Charge Meter Evaluation

The state of charge meter on the Nissan Altra-EV consists of 16 lighted bars. The bars in the middle column are green. This column will either turn on or off depending on whether the car is charging or discharging. The outer column displays white bars and these bars do not turn off. These bars help the driver compare how much energy the car has left. Each of the bars equals about 6.25% of the total user charge. The meter is located on the left-hand side of the instrument panel. When the vehicle is fully charged, a "FULL" indicator will illuminate on top of the scale. The "FULL" indicator will stay lit during the first 1.8 to 2 miles of driving. When 5 to 7% charge is left, the last bar will turn off and an "EMPTY" indicator illuminates. Overall the meter was very helpful, and when the meter does reach empty, the car still has enough charge to go about 5 miles with no loss of performance.

D. Power Meter

The power meter instrument panel (see Figure 6-3) shows the driver the amount of power used at any given time. When the vehicle is turned on, the light bar to the immediate left of the "ON" light will illuminate. When the car is off, the bar next to the "OFF" will turn on. When gradually braking or slowing down, the bar on the left will drop below the "ON" position towards the "OFF", indicating to the driver, that the regenerative braking is being used. The meter is very useful to help drivers conserve energy and achieve optimum range with this vehicle.

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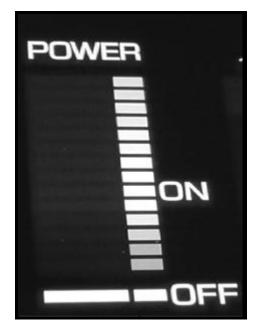


Figure 6-3. Power Meter for the Nissan Altra-EV.

E. Acceleration, Braking, and Maximum Speed Tests

The acceleration and maximum speed tests were conducted at the Pomona racetrack test site. Conditions at the track were warm with a temperature of 82° F and 37.7% humidity. The temperature at the Technical center was about 95° F with 45% humidity. Test data was recorded with a Vericom VC2000PC Performance Computer (see Figure 6.4) that measures acceleration, time, speed, and distance. Runs were made in both directions of the track, and measurements were averaged at 20% intervals of charge (100%, 80%, 60%, 40%, 20%). At 100% and 20%, the Altra-EV reached the top speed of 75 mph. From 0 to 30 mph, the average acceleration was 4.63 sec, with 4.52 sec at 40% charge being the quickest. The average time the Nissan took to get to 60 mph was 14.63 sec, with the fastest time recorded at 14.28 at 80% charge. With a stopwatch, we also tested the vehicle's ability to accelerate from a constant 30 mph to 55mph; the average time was 7.9 sec. The Nissan accelerated smoothly. The braking distance test revealed that it takes an average of 27.74 feet to come to a complete stop from 25mph. While applying the brake, the vehicle did not lean or "pull".



Figure 6-4. VC2000PC Performance Computer.

F. Charger Performance Test

Charging of the Nissan Altra-EV was done with a standard off-board 6.6 kW Magne Charge inductive charger (Figure 5-1). The average charging time from 5% to 100% SOC was about 5 hours. As shown in Table 4-5, the instantaneous peak power recorded was 6.6 kW, with a current of 25.69 A and a voltage of 247.3 V. The power factor was 0.99, the voltage THD was 1.10%, and the current total harmonic distortion was 3.2%. These results indicate that the performance of the charger was good when compared to the Infrastructure Working Council's recommended guidelines (see Appendix E, page 52). The AC Demand vs Time curve (Figure 5-6) shows a charge rate with a steep rise in energy in the beginning and a sharp decline of energy at the end of charging. The indicated State of Charge vs Time curve shows the charge acting in a linear matter. Using range data from a UR1 run and state of charge meter evaluation data, a graph that measures driving range per charging time (see Figure 5-8) was developed. With this graph, one can estimate how much time the car needs to charge in order to achieve a given distance.

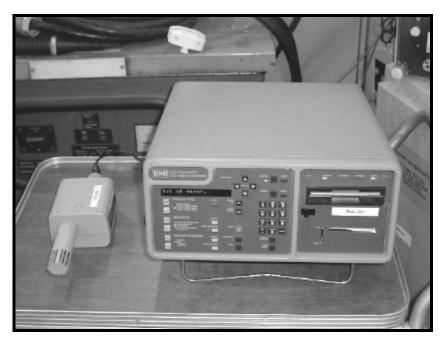


Figure 6-5. BMI Power profiler.

G. Sound Level Tests

Sound level tests were performed using a sound level meter placed on the passenger seat at ear level (see Figure 5-11). The meter was set to record sound intensities from 30 dB to 130dB. The average sound level on the freeway was 66.81 dB, while the urban loop sound level averaged 58.19 dB. Constant wind noise during freeway driving produces much smoother sound levels than those produced in urban driving (see Figure 5-9 and Figure 5-10). Although freeway runs are smoother they also produce a higher intensity, which results in higher sound levels.

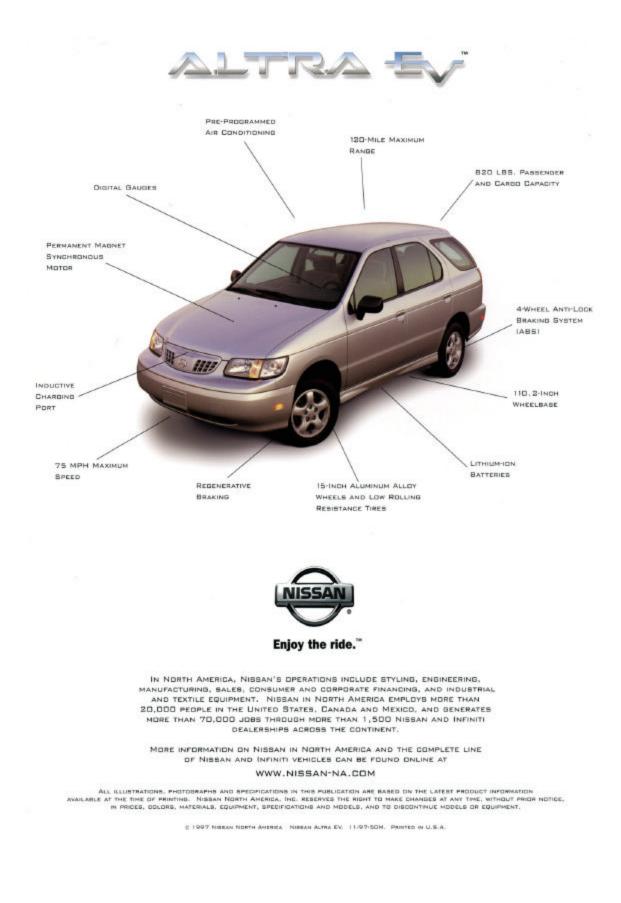
The sound level meter was also used on the charger. The tests revealed that the average sound level was 61.42 dB at 3 feet. On the graph, some spikes can be attributed to outside noise sources (see Figure 5-12).



Figure 6-6. Powerful rear lights makes the Altra very noticeable at night or during the day.

APPENDIX A

VEHICLE MANUFACTURER'S FACT SHEET



Nissan Altra EV

Features and Options

MECHANICAL	
83 horsepower synchronous DC permanent magnet electric motor	S
Electric power steering	S
Independent front strut suspension	S
Rear Multi-Link Beam ^{**} suspension	S
Computer controlled vacuum assisted front brakes with ABS and regenerative braking	S
Computer controlled vacuum assisted rear brakes with ABS	S
12 Lithium-ion battery modules (96 cells)	S
6.6 kW inductive battery charger (220V)	S
Portable 1.1 kW inductive battery charger (110V)	S
Liquid-cooled DC/DC high voltage/low voltage power converter	S
EXTERIOR	
15-inch aluminum alloy wheels	S
5-mph impact front bumper	S
5-mph impact rear bumper	S
Tinted solar glass	S
High-efficiency halogen multi-parabola headlights	S
Rear side privacy glass	S
Dual power adjustable side view mirrors	S
Center high-mounted rear stop lamp	S
Aerodynamic undercarriage cover	S
External inductive charger paddle port	S
INTERIOR/SEATING AND TRIM	R. Status
Front seat captain's chairs	S
Rear seat captain's chairs	S
Adjustable front head rests	S
Fully carpeted floor covering	S
Passenger assist grips	S
Adjustable cargo area utility rails	S
NEAT automatic temperature climate control system	S
Pre-programmable air conditioning system	S
COMFORT, CONVENIENCE AND STORAGE	the should be
Power windows	S
Power door locks	S
Cruise control	S
Variable intermittent windshield wipers	S
Rear window wiper	S
Rear window defrost	S
Center console dual cupholders	S
Rear seat cupholders	S
Locking glove box	S

Nissan Altra EV Features and Options, continued

Interior cabin lighting	S
Driver and passenger vanity mirror	S
Front and rear door map pockets	S
Remote charge lid opener	S
Day/night rear view mirror	S
Keyless entry and information display system with air conditioning controller, state of charge display, charge time status and selective door lock/unlock functions	S
INSTRUMENTATION	「「「「お
Digital speedometer	S
Digital state of charge meter	S
Digital tachometer	S
Digital odometer with dual trip meters	S
Digital quartz clock	S
Digital coolant temperature display	S
Adjustable illumination control	S
Safety warning lights	S
ABS activated display	S
Range display	S
Air bag system warning light	S
Electric power consumption meter	S
Transaxle shift position indicator	S
AUDIO SYSTEMS	1.2
AM/FM/CD, 100-watts with 4 speakers and power and diversity antenna and integrated clock	S
SAFETY AND SECURITY	
Dual supplemental air bags	S
3-point lap and shoulder harness seat belts	S
Child safety door rear door locks	S
Pipe-style steel side-door guard beams	S

S - Standard

APPENDIX B

RANGE TEST DATA SHEETS

Date	Vehicle	VIN last 6	Test	Driver	Data File	/Project		Volts
06/29/1999	24474	21	UR1	Kevin			Start	
Road Cond	Tire Press	Payload					Stop	
Dry	44	180					Net	
			-					
DRIVING	Time	Odom	% SOC	DC Ah	DC kWh	Amb temp	A/C temp	A/C>10 min
Start	8:03	3216.00	100.00%			68.10		
Stop	13:18	3339.00	6.00%			86.00		Min. A/C
Net	5:15	123.00	94.00%			17.90		

State of	of Charge	Notes / Deviations / Traffic / Weather / Performance
Veh meter	Range meter	
16.0	-	Traffic at Alta Cuesta
15.0		
14.0		
13.0		
12.0		
11.0		
10.0		
9.0		
8.0		
7.0		
6.0		
5.0		
4.0		
3.0		
2.0		Made U-turn at Vineyard
1.0		Made circles around the block
0.0		
		Stop Condition
comments.		
	Veh meter 16.0 15.0 14.0 13.0 12.0 11.0 9.0 8.0 7.0 6.0 5.0 4.0 3.0 2.0 1.0 0.0 5.0 4.0 3.0 2.0 1.0 0.0 5.0 4.0 3.0 2.0 1.0 0.0 5.0 4.0 3.0 2.0 1.0 5.0 4.0 5.0 5.0 5.0 5.0 5.0 5.0 5.0 5	15.0 14.0 13.0 12.0 11.0 10.0 9.0 8.0 7.0 6.0 5.0 4.0 3.0 2.0 1.0

Charger	Ser	ial No.	AC n	AC meter#				
EVC-024	p	029	145	1457422				
CHARGING	Date	Time	AC kWh in	BMI kWh in	DC kWh in	DC Ah in	Amb temp	Volts
Start	06/29/1999	15:36	3088				90.2	
Stop	06/30/1999	8:20	3119.1				69.8	
Net			31.1					

Date	Vehicle	VIN last 6	Test	Driver	Data File	/Project		Volts
06/24/1999	24474	21	UR1	KEVIN	Nissan Altra	Perf. Char.	Start	
Road Cond	Tire Press	Payload					Stop	
Dry	44	180					Net	
			-					
DRIVING	Time	Odom	% SOC	DC Ah	DC kWh	Amb temp	A/C temp	A/C>10 min
Start	8:08	2887.00	100.00%			69.60		
Stop	13:24	3008.00	7.00%			87.00		Min. A/C
Net	5:16	121.00	93.00%			17.40		

Distance	State of	of Charge	Notes / Deviations / Traffic / Weather / Performance
Miles	Veh meter	Range meter	
0	16.0	-	
7.3	15.0		
10.7	14.0		
20.3	13.0		
26.7	12.0		
30.8	11.0		
40.2	10.0		
46.3	9.0		
50.5	8.0		
62.4	7.0		
68.3	6.0		
80.4	5.0		
85.9	4.0		
88.9	3.0		Heavy Traffic (Const)
99.2	2.0		Made U-turn at Vineyard/Holt
111.5	1.0		Loops around the block
120.7	0.0		"EMPTY" light came on
121			Stop Condition
Acces	sories used:	Radio	
Drive / Re	egen setting:	Drive	

Handling/Braking: <u>Good handling. Good Brakes</u> Other comments:

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Charger	Ser	ial No.	AC n	AC meter#				
EVC-024	Р	029	145	1457422				
CHARGING	Date	Time	AC kWh in	BMI kWh in	DC kWh in	DC Ah in	Amb temp	Volts
Start	06/24/1999	13:31	2993					
Stop	06/25/1999	10:33	3024					
Net			31					

Date	Vehicle	VIN last 6	Test	Driver	Data File	Project		Volts
06/30/1999	24474	21	UR2	Kevin			Start	
Road Cond	Tire Press	Payload					Stop	
Dry	44	180					Net	
			•					
DRIVING	Time	Odom	% SOC	DC Ah	DC kWh	Amb temp	A/C temp	A/C>10 min
Start	8:50	3339.00	100.00%			72.70	75.20	41.50
Stop	13:00	3436.00	7.00%			86.00	38.80	Min. A/C
Net	4:10	97.00	93.00%			13.30	36.40	34.30
		01100					00110	0 1100
Distance	State	of Charge		Notes / Devia	tions / Traffi	c / Weather /	Performan	се
Miles		Range meter						
0	16.0							
8.4	15.0							
11	14.0							
19.9	13.0							
24.8	12.0							
29.3	11.0							
33	10.0							
41.3	9.0							
46.3	8.0							
51	7.0							
55.2	6.0							
67.6	5.0							
69.6	4.0							
72.2	3.0							
81.7	2.0		Made U-turr	at San Antor	nio			
85.7	1.0							
96.5	0.0		Made circles	s around the b	olock "Empty L	_ight came or	ו	
97								

Accessories used: radio, low beam, A/C high

Drive / Regen setting: Drive

Vecessories used. <u>radio, tow bearn, A/C nign</u> ve / Regen setting: <u>Drive</u> Handling/Braking: <u>Good handling/Braking</u> Other comments:

Charger	Ser	ial No.	AC n	neter#	BMI #			
EVC-024	P	029	1457422					
CHARGING	Date	Time	AC kWh in	BMI kWh in	DC kWh in	DC Ah in	Amb temp	Volts
Start	06/30/1999	3:04	3119	0			-	
Stop			3153.23					
Net			34.23					
Comments:								

Date	Vehicle	VIN last 6	Test	Driver	Data File	/Project		Volts
06/28/1999	24474	21	UR2	Kevin	Nissan P	erf Char.	Start	
Road Cond	Tire Press	Payload					Stop	
DRY	51	180					Net	
Bitti	01	100					Net	
DRIVING	Time	Odom	% SOC	DC Ah	DC kWh	Amb temp	A/C temp	A/C>10 min
Start	9:30	3122	100%			70.7	64	35.8
Stop	13:30	3216	7%			84.9	40.1	Min. A/C
Net	4:00	94	93%	0	0	77.8	52.05	34
			00/0	Ŭ		1110	02:00	
Distance	State	of Charge		Notes / Devia	tions / Traffi	c / Weather /	Performan	ce
Miles		Range meter				o, mouthor,	- orrormun	
0	16.0							
6.9	15.0							
10.3	14.0							
14.3	13.0							
23.2	12.0							
27.9	11.0							
30.8	10.0							
38.1	9.0							
45.1	8.0							
49	7.0							
52.8	6.0							
62.9	5.0							
68.9	4.0							
<u>70.5</u> 81.3	3.0 2.0		Madallturn	at Grove/Ho	1+			
81.3	2.0			around the bl				
92.9	0.0		Empty light		UUN			
93.6	0.0							
00.0								
Acces	sories used:	radio, low bean	ns, A/C high					
Drive / Re	eaen settina:	Drive						
Hand	ling/Braking:	Good Handling	/Braking					
Othe	r comments:							

Charger	Serial No.		AC n	AC meter#				
EVC-024	p	029	1457422					
CHARGING	Date	Time	AC kWh in	BMI kWh in	DC kWh in	DC Ah in	Amb temp	Volts
Start	06/28/1999	2:33	3056				-	
Stop	06/29/1999	7:57	3088					
Net	1	5:24	32					
Comments:								

Date	Vehicle	VIN last 6	Test	Driver	Data File/Project		Volts
07/12/1999	24474	21	UR3	Chris M	-	Start	
Road Cond	Tire Press	Pavload				Stop	
DRY	44	646				Net	

DRIVING	Time	Odom	% SOC	DC Ah	DC kWh	Amb temp	A/C temp	A/C>10 min
Start	11.00	3877.00	100.00%		_	98.20		
Stop	14.40	3972.00	5.00%			107.80		Min. A/C
Not	3:40	95.00	95.00%			9.60		

Distance	State o	f Charge	Notes / Deviations / Traffic / Weather / Performance
Miles	Veh meter	Range meter	
0	16.0		
9.6	15.0		
12.8	14.0		
20	13.0		Very hot outside (105 °F)
26.8	12.0		
30.9	11.0		
34.1	10.0		
42.1	9.0		
47 4	8.0		
50.9	7.0		
58.8	6.0		
65.6	5.0		
69.1	4.0		
72.9	3.0		
80.6	2.0		(85.7) Made U-turn at Vineyard
88.2	1.0		(90.8) (108 °F) Car Temp Is four down from the lowest red
95	0.0		
95.6			
Acces	sories used:	Radio	

Drive / Regen setting: Drive Handling/Braking: Good handling and brakes Other comments:

Charger		al No.		neter#	BMI#			
EVC-024	145	7422	885	<u>n-117</u>	2		-	
CHARGING	Date	Time	AC kWh in	BMI kWh in	DC kWh in	DC Ah in	Amb temp	Volts
Start	07/12/1999	17:00	72		-	-		
Stop	07/12/1999	21.00						
Net			28.53					

Date	Vehicle	VIN last 6	Test	Driver	Data File	/Project		Volts
07/22/1999	24474	21	UR4	Chris M	Altra Per	f. Char.	Start	
Road Cond	Tire Press	Payload					Stop	
Dry	51	646					Net	
			-			-		
DRIVING	Time	Odom	% SOC	DC Ah	DC kWh	Amb temp	A/C temp	A/C>10 min

DRIVING	Time	Odom	% SOC	DC Ah	DC kWh	Amb temp	A/C temp	A/C>10 min
Start	11:00	4513	100.00%			86.5	86.1	38
Stop	14:00	4587	5.00%			102.1	37.5	Min. A/C
Net	3:00	74	95.00%			15.6	48.6	37.2

/eh meter		
	Range meter	
16.0		(2.7 miles) "FULL" light turned off
15.0		
14.0		Great acceleration
13.0		
12.0		
11.0		
10.0		
9.0		
8.0		
7.0		
6.0		
5.0		
4.0		
3.0		
2.0		(66.2 miles) Left on Fourth to left on grove to right on holt to Tech Center
1.0		
0.0		
	15.0 14.0 13.0 12.0 11.0 9.0 8.0 7.0 6.0 5.0 4.0 3.0 2.0 1.0 0.0	15.0 14.0 13.0 12.0 11.0 10.0 9.0 8.0 7.0 6.0 5.0 4.0 3.0 2.0 1.0

Accessories used: Radio.CD. A/C. Low Beams

Drive / Regen setting: Drive

Handling/Braking: Both handled verv well Other comments:

Charger	Serial No.		AC r	AC meter#				
EVC-024			1457422					
CHARGING	Date	Time	AC kWh in	BMI kWh in	DC kWh in	DC Ah in	Amb temp	Volts
Start							-	
Stop								
Net		3:47	23.4					

Comments: _____

Date	Vehicle	VIN last 6	Test	Driver	Data File	/Braiaat		Volts
07/23/1999	24474	21	UR4	Chris M.	Altra Pe		Start	VOILS
			0114		Allare			
Road Cond	Tire Press						Stop	
Dry	51	646	L				Net	
DRIVING	Time	Odom	% SOC	DC Ah	DC kWh	Amb temp	A/C temp	A/C>10 min
Start	10:30	4587	100.00%	DC AII	DC KWII	78.4	77.5	40.1
Stop	13:30	4662	7.00%			93	41.4	Min. A/C
Net	3:00	75	93.00%			14.6	36.1	38.5
Distance		of Charge		Notes / Devia	tions / Traffic	: / Weather /	Performan	се
Miles	Veh meter	Range meter						
0	16.0		"FULL" Ligh	t turned off at	2.1 miles			
5.4	15.0							
9.5	14.0							
11.8	13.0							
18.5	12.0							
23.5	11.0							
28.6	10.0							
30.5	9.0							
34	8.0							
40.9	7.0							
47.6	6.0							
49.5	5.0							
53.9	4.0							
61.5	3.0							
65.7	2.0				Indian Hill Blv			
69.6	1.0				ight on holt an	d went back	to the Tech	Center and
74.3	0.0		drove aroun	d the block tw	vice.			
74.7								

Accessories used: Radio, A/C, Low Beams

Drive / Regen setting: Drive

Handling/Braking: Handled very well

Other comments:

Charger	Ser	ial No.	AC n	neter#	BMI #			
EVC-024	F	P029	145	7422				
CHARGING	Date	Time	AC kWh in	BMI kWh in	DC kWh in	DC Ah in	Amb temp	Volts
Start								
Stop								
Net		3:43	22.9083					
Comments:								

Date	Vehicle	VIN last 6	Test	Driver	Data File	/Project		Volts
07/01/1999	24474	21	FW1	Chris M	Altra Per	f. Char.	Start	
Road Cond	Tire Press	Payload					Stop	
Dry	51	180					Net	
DRIVING	Time	Odom	% SOC	DC Ah	DC kWh	Amb temp	A/C temp	A/C>10 mi
Start	8:25	3436	100.00%			67.6		
Stop	10:35	3532	5.00%			73.4		Min. A/C
Net	2:10	96	95.00%			5.8		
Distance	State o	of Charge		Notes / Devia	tions / Traffie	: / Weather /	Performan	ce
Miles		Range meter						
0	16.0							
9.2	15.0							
15.1	14.0							
20.2	13.0							
25.1	12.0							
29.2	11.0							
35.1	10.0							
39	9.0							
44.5	8.0							
54.3	7.0							
59.1	6.0							
64.3	5.0							
71.5	4.0							
74.2	3.0							
81.2	2.0		Made U-turn					
86.2	1.0		Made U-turr					
95.7	0.0			lill (90.4 miles	3)			
96.3			3 loops arou	ind the block				
Acces	sories used:	radio/CD	1					
	egen setting:							
	ling/Braking:							
	r comments:							
21110								

Charger	Serial No.		AC meter#		BMI#			
EVC-024	P029		1457422					
CHARGING	Date	Time	AC kWh in	BMI kWh in	DC kWh in	DC Ah in	Amb temp	Volts
Start	07/01/1999	10:40	3150					
Stop	07/02/1999	8:05	3181					
Net			31					
Comments:								

Date	Vehicle	VIN last 6	Test	Driver	Data File	Data File/Project		Volts
07/02/1999	24474	21	FW1	Kevin C	Altra Perf. Char.		Start	
Road Cond	Tire Press	Payload					Stop	
Dry	44	180	Ī				Net	
			-					
DRIVING	Time	Odom	% SOC	DC Ah	DC kWh	Amb temp	A/C temp	A/C>10 mir
Start	8:27	3532.00	100.00%			66.50		
Stop	10:24	3629.00	5.00%			72.70		Min. A/C
Net	1:57	97.00	95.00%			69.60		
Distance	State of Charge		Notes / Deviations / Traffic / Weather / Per					се
Miles	Veh meter	Range meter						
0	16.0							
7.9	15.0							
13.5	14.0							
19.5	13.0							
25	12.0							
30.1	11.0							
36.1	10.0							
39.9	9.0							
46.1	8.0							
53.1	7.0							
58.3	6.0							
62.7	5.0							
71.6	4.0							
75.1	3.0							
80.4	2.0		(83.0 miles)	U-turn at Vin	eyard while go	oing east		
87.4	1.0		(91.1 miles)	U-turn at To	wne While goi	ng west		
93.1	0.0		Exit Monte \	/ist Ave "EMF	TY" light cam	e on		
96.8			Stop Conditi	on				
	sories used: egen setting:		•					
Hand	ling/Braking:							

Other comments:

Charger	Serial No.		AC meter#		BMI #			
EVC-024	Р	029	1457422					
CHARGING	Date	Time	AC kWh in	BMI kWh in	DC kWh in	DC Ah in	Amb temp	Volts
Start	07/02/1999	10:30	3181					
Stop	07/02/1999	16:33						
Net		6:03	29.793					

Date	Vehicle	VIN last 6	Test	Driver	Data File/Project			Volts
07/07/1999	24474	21	FW2	Sanchez	Altra Per	f. Char.	Start	
Road Cond	Tire Press	Payload					Stop	
Dry	50	160					Net	
					-			
DRIVING	Time	Odom	% SOC	DC Ah	DC kWh	Amb temp	A/C temp	A/C>10 min
Start	13:00	3629	100.00%			87.3	72.3	40.5
Stop	14:50	3711	3.00%			89.2	41.7	Min. A/C
Net	1:50	82	97.00%			1.9	30.6	39.6

Distance	State of	of Charge	Notes / Deviations / Traffic / Weather / Performance
Miles		Range meter	
0	16.0	-	
5.2	15.0		
11.9	14.0		
16.3	13.0		
21.1	12.0		Heavy Traffic from the 57 to Monte Vista
25	11.0		
28.5	10.0		
32.2	9.0		
37.9	8.0		
43.4	7.0		
49.6	6.0		
55	5.0		Heavy traffic from " " " "
61.5	4.0		
64.3	3.0		
68.1	2.0		
73.1	1.0		
77.9	0.0		
81.3			End Drive

Accessories used: Radio, Low beams, A/C

Drive / Regen setting: Standard Regen

Handling/Braking: Other comments:

Charger	Serial No.		AC n	AC meter#				
EVC-024			1223620		2			
CHARGING	Date	Time	AC kWh in	BMI kWh in	DC kWh in	DC Ah in	Amb temp	Volts
Start	07/07/1999	15:00	5221				-	
Stop	07/07/1999	19:00	5252.64					
Net		4:00	31.64					
Comments:								

Date	Vehicle	VIN last 6	Test	Driver	Data File/Project			Volts
07/08/1999	24474	21	FW2	Sanchez			Start	
Road Cond	Tire Press	Payload					Stop	
Dry	50	160					Net	
DRIVING	Time	Odom	% SOC	DC Ah	DC kWh	Amb temp	A/C temp	A/C>10 min
Start	13:50	3711	100.00%			79	61.9	
Stop	16:15	3800	3.00%			77	44.6	Min. A/C
Net	2:25	89	97.00%			2	17.3	37.2

Miles		of Charge	Notes / Deviations / Traffic / Weather / Performance
	ven meter	Range meter	
0	16.0		
6.1	15.0		
11.9	14.0		
17.1	13.0		Traffic slowed to 45mph & to Indian Hill Blvd
21.8	12.0		
26.3	11.0		
31.4	10.0		
35.9	9.0		
39.5	8.0		
46.4	7.0		
53.6	6.0		
57.7	5.0		Traffic slowed to 25mph 57 to Monte Vista
64.4	4.0		
65.9	3.0		
	2.0		
75.3	1.0		
86.8	0.0		Empty
89.7	0.0		
Acces	sories used:	A/C. lights, rad	0
	egen setting:		

Handling/Braking:

Other comments:

Charger	Ser	ial No.	AC n	AC meter#				
EVC-024	Р	029	122	1223620				
CHARGING	Date	Time	AC kWh in	BMI kWh in	DC kWh in	DC Ah in	Amb temp	Volts
Start	07/08/1999	16:15	5253	0			-	
Stop	07/08/1999	19:15	5283.55					
Net			30.55					
Comments:								

Date	Vehicle	VIN last 6	Test	Driver	Data File/Project			Volts
07/20/1999	24474	21	FW3	Chris M	Altra Perf. Char.		Start	
Road Cond	Tire Press	Payload					Stop	
Drv	44	646					Net	
•			-					
DRIVING	Time	Odom	% SOC	DC Ah	DC kWh	Amb temp	A/C temp	A/C>10 min
Start	10:00	4378.00	100.00%			94.40	-	
Stop	12:00	4462.00	7.00%			102.70		Min. A/C
Net	2:00	84.00	93.00%			98.55		

Distance	State of	of Charge	Notes / Deviations / Traffic / Weather / Performance
Miles	Veh meter	Range meter	
0	16.0	-	(2.1 miles) Full Indicator turned off
7.1	15.0		
13.3	14.0		
18.5	13.0		
23	12.0		
27.2	11.0		
32.1	10.0		
36.2	9.0		
39.2	8.0		
46.8	7.0		
53.6	6.0		
60	5.0		
65.8	4.0		
68.8	3.0		
75.1	2.0		
78.3	1.0		Got off mountain (79.1 miles) to 10 west to Indian Hill to Tech Center
82.1	0.0		
84.2			Stop condition

Accessories used: Radio

Drive / Regen setting: <u>Drive</u> Handling/Braking: <u>Both did very well</u>

Other comments: <u>I was very impressed with the way the vehicle performed today. I reached the empty light</u> over 2 miles away from the Tech Center! The battery capacity on this vehicle

		is verv well ma	ade.					
Charger	Serial No.		AC n	AC meter#				
EVC-024			1457422					
CHARGING	Date	Time	AC kWh in	BMI kWh in	DC kWh in	DC Ah in	Amb temp	Volts
Start		14:33					•	
Stop		19:29						
Net		4:56	30.1476					

Date	Vehicle	VIN last 6	Test	Driver	Data File/Project			Volts
07/27/1999	24474	21	FW3	Chris M.	Altra Per	f. Char.	Start	
Road Cond	Tire Press	Payload					Stop	
Dry	51	640					Net	
DRIVING	Time	Odom	% SOC	DC Ah	DC kWh	Amb temp	A/C temp	A/C>10 min
Start	10:45	4662	100.00%			79.5	N/A	N/A
Stop	12:45	4745	4.00%			94.1	N/A	Min. A/C
Net	2:00	83	96.00%			86.8	N/A	N/A

Distance	State of	of Charge	Notes / Deviations / Traffic / Weather / Performance
Miles	Veh meter	Range meter	
0	16.0	-	(2.4 miles) "FULL" light turned off
5.8	15.0		
12.3	14.0		13.7 traffic on the 15 South
17.5	13.0		
19.6	12.0		
54.4	11.0		
29.8	10.0		
35.3	9.0		
36.7	8.0		
40.3	7.0		
49.4	6.0		
55.4	5.0		
60.1	4.0		
64.8	3.0		
69	2.0		(73.7 miles) Got off indian Hill and drove around the tech center for two
71.6	1.0		miles.
82	0.0		"EMPTY" light turned on
82.4	0.0		Stop condition
L			
Acces	sories used:	Radio, CD	

Drive / Regen setting: Drive

Handling/Braking: Handled and braked really well

Other comments: Very comfortable and has great stereo system

Charger	Serial No.		AC meter#		BMI #			
EVC-024								
CHARGING	Date	Time	AC kWh in	BMI kWh in	DC kWh in	DC Ah in	Amb temp	Volts
Start								
Stop								
Net		4:47	29.067					
Comments:								

Date	Vehicle	VIN last 6	Test	Driver	Data File	Project		Volts
07/16/1999	24474	21	FW4	Chris M	Altra Per	rf. Char.	Start	
Road Cond	Tire Press	Payload					Stop	
Dry	51	640					Net	
-								
DRIVING	Time	Odom	% SOC	DC Ah	DC kWh	Amb temp	A/C temp	A/C>10 min
Start	10:00	4151	100.00%			83.1 F	82.9 F	40.1 F
Stop	11:45	4231	7.00%			85.6 F	60.3 F	Min. A/C
Net	1:45	80	93.00%	0	0	2.5 F	22.6 F	38.7 F

Distance	State of	of Charge	Notes / Deviations / Traffic / Weather / Performance
Miles	Veh meter	Range meter	
0	16.0	-	"FULL" light turned off (2.0 miles)
5.8	15.0		
11.2	14.0		15 south (12.2 miles)
17.3	13.0		60 west (15.3 miles)
22.3	12.0		
27.3	11.0		10 west (34.3 miles)
31.6	10.0		
35.1	9.0		
39.4	8.0		
44.3	7.0		
50.6	6.0		15 south (49.2 miles)
55.3	5.0		
60.6	4.0		
64.1	3.0		
68.7	2.0		57 south (68.5 miles)
73.5	1.0		10 east (70.2 miles)
80	0.0		
80.1			Last .5 miles was spent on holt and price.
Acces	eories used.	Radio, Low bea	

Accessories used: <u>Radio. Low beams.AC</u>

Drive / Regen setting: Drive setting Handling/Braking: Very well handling and braking.

Other comments:

Charger	Ser	ial No.	AC n	neter#	BMI #			
CHARGING	Date	Time	AC kWh in	BMI kWh in	DC kWh in	DC Ah in	Amb temp	Volts
Start	07/16/99	16:22						
Stop		21:17						
Net		4:55	30.6306	0	0	0	F	0
Comments:								

Date	Vehicle	VIN last 6	Test	Driver	Data File	/Project		Volts
07/15/1999	24474	21	FW4	Chris M	Altra Pe	erf Char	Start	
Road Cond	Tire Press	Payload					Stop	
Dry	51	640					Net	
DRIVING	Time	Odom	% SOC	DC Ah	DC kWh	Amb temp	A/C temp	A/C>10 min
Start	10:30	4298	100.00%			81.3 F	80.1 F	39.7 F
Stop	12:30	4378	6.00%			86.9 F	38.8 F	Min. A/C
Net	2:00	80	94.00%	0	0	5.6 F	41.3 F	38. F
	2.00	00	94 00%	0	0	56F	/13 E	20 E

Distance	State of	of Charge	Notes / Deviations / Traffic / Weather / Performance
Miles	Veh meter	Range meter	
0	16.0		(1.8 miles) "Full" light turned off
5.5	15.0		
10.5	14.0		
16.4	13.0		
21.3	12.0		
26.2	11.0		
31.3	10.0		
36.1	9.0		
38.1	8.0		
44.6	7.0		
50.4	6.0		
56.9	5.0		
61.6	4.0		
66.5	3.0		
69.9	2.0		
74.3	1.0		(76.0 miles) Got off 10 to Indian Hill Blvd
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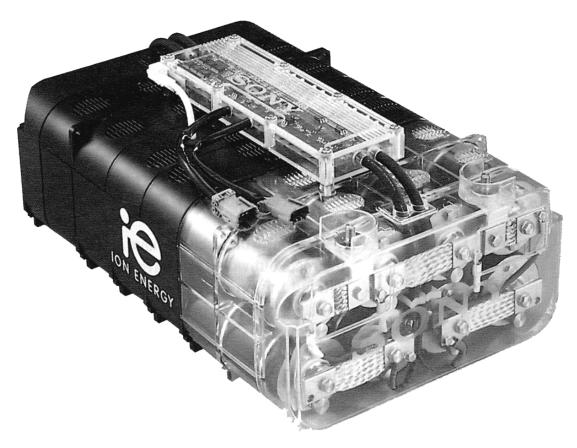
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Start							-	
Stop								
Net		0:00	0	0	0	0	. F	0
Comments:								

APPENDIX C

BATTERY MANUFACTURER'S FACT SHEETS



SONY LITHIUM-ION BATTERY MODULE

SPECIFICATIONS¹

Dimensions (mm)	290 X 150 X 440
Weight	30 kg
Construction	Spiral Wound Plate
Capacity	94 Ah
Voltage	28.8 Volts
Energy Density	90 Wh/kg
Power Density	300 W/kg
Maximum Voltage	33.6 Volts
Minimum Voltage	20 Volts

¹ Source: *Development of the Nissan Altra-EV*, K. Suzuki et. al., 12/97. 44

APPENDIX D

CHARGER PROFILE GRAPHICAL DATA

Snapshots at Full Power

PHASE A	POWER SPECTR	UM 10	:39:16 AM
Power:		5.808 k	ω
Fundam	ental freg:	60.0 Hz	
HARM	POWER	HARM	POWER
- U3579113579135791357913579135791357913579	+5.806 kW +0.34 W -0.72 W -0.12 W -0.01 W		
ODD	0.92 W	EVEN	0.00 W
THP:	0.92 W		

 POWER FACTOR SNAPSHOT
 10:38:46 AM

 Phase A-N:
 5.808 kW

 Phase A-N:
 5.836 kVA

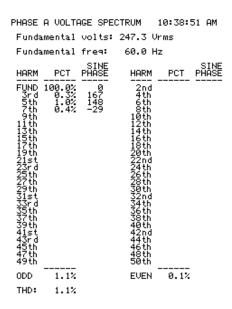
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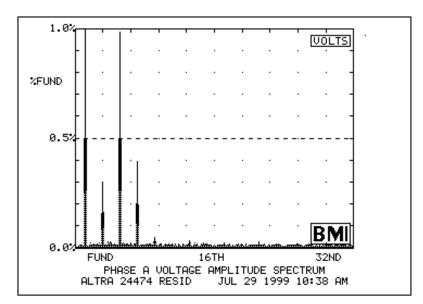
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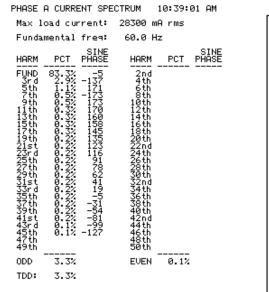
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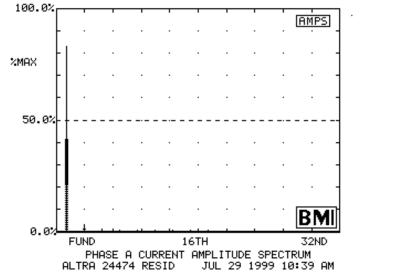
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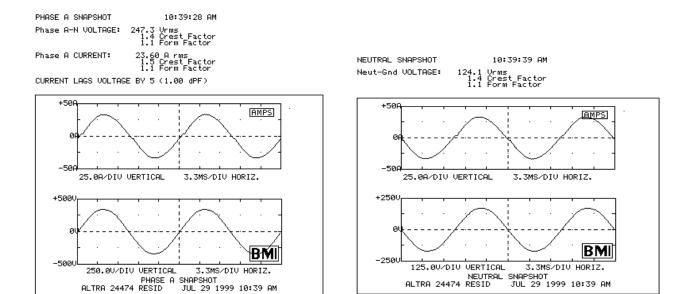
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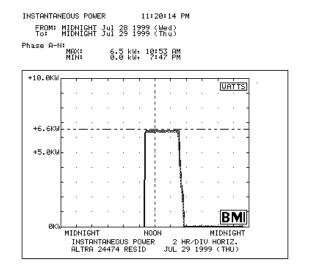


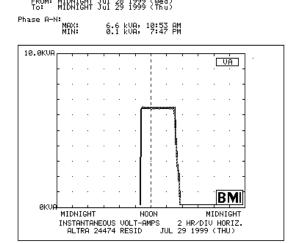






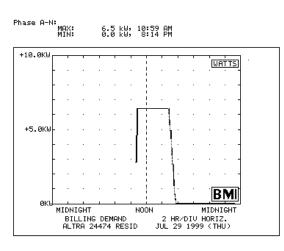
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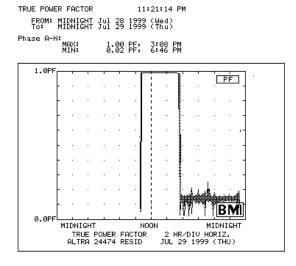


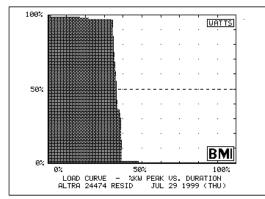


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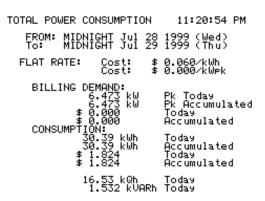
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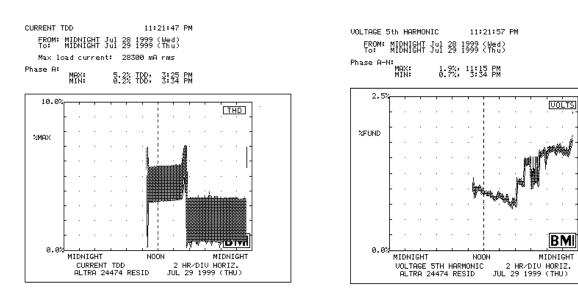


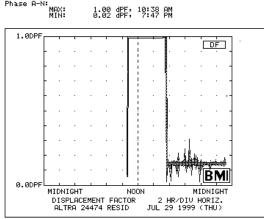


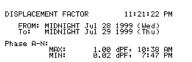


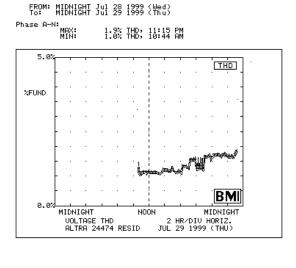






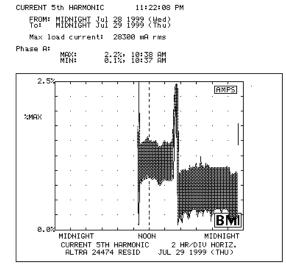


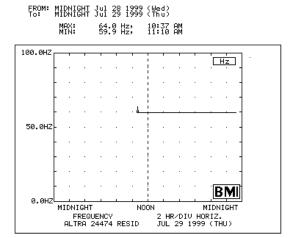




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FREQUENCY

APPENDIX E

SCE ELECTRIC VEHICLE TEST PROCEDURE

ELECTRIC VEHICLE TEST PROCEDURE





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I. INTRODUCTION

Since this test procedure was originally written in 1995, the type of electric vehicle (EV) tested at the Electric Vehicle Technical Center (EV Tech Center) in Pomona, California has changed dramatically. Instead of prototypes and small-scale production models, most vehicles tested are now production vehicles from major manufacturers, and most are very refined, with acceleration and braking characteristics close to that of gasoline-powered vehicles.

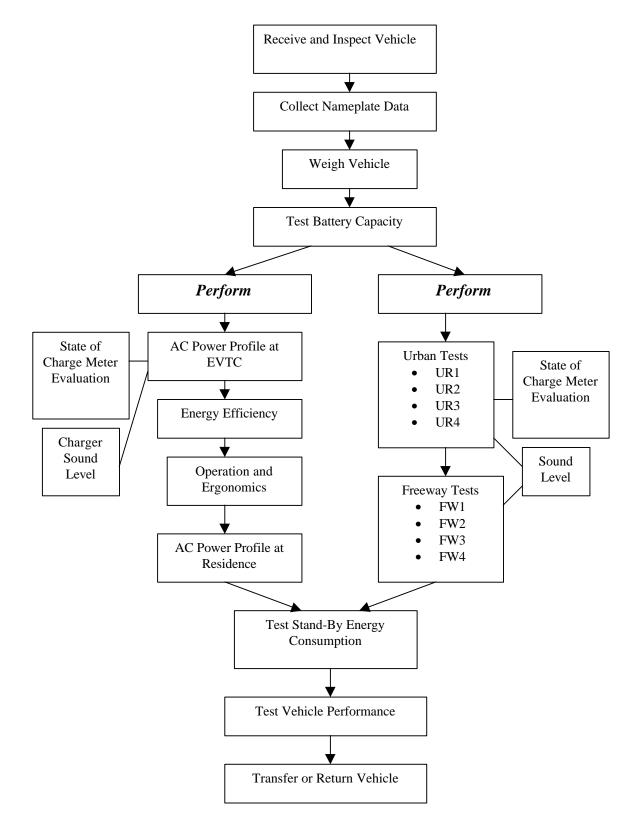
At first, weight certification was mainly a safety issue, as converted vehicles sometimes exceeded their original gross vehicle weight rating (GVWR). With current production vehicles the total vehicle weight is usually well within the specified gross vehicle weight rating, and the issue is a more practical one – related to passenger and cargo capacity.

Range tests under different vehicle conditions no longer always have predictable results. Automatic climate controls limit air conditioner power on cool days, thus conserving battery energy and increasing range. The battery pack and the output side of the charger may no longer be readily accessible; some manufacturers may not allow access. Therefore, not all of the following charger and battery test procedures or efficiency measurements can be performed on all vehicles.

Since chargers are associated with each electric vehicle, the EV evaluation must include testing of the charger. As the use of EVs and their associated chargers increase, the potential for local demand and power quality problems increases. The combined impact of many chargers on the whole of the electric utility system could be detrimental. In order to plan properly, and to encourage manufacturers to build satisfactory chargers, the individual contribution of each type of charger must be determined through testing.

This publication describes testing methods and evaluation criteria used by the Electric Transportation Division of Southern California Edison to evaluate electric vehicles and chargers. These procedures are followed for each EV test unless otherwise noted in the test report. The document is divided into four main parts: Test Plan, Test Instrumentation, Test Procedure, and Appendices. The Test Plan gives an outline of tests performed and the reasons or justification for the procedures. The Test Instrumentation section is a listing of the required equipment for each procedure. The Test Procedure section gives detailed instructions on how to perform the tests. The Appendices include maps, data sheets, and diagrams.

The EV Tech Center maintains a network database (called "Project Manager") for test reports, results, and standard forms. The intent is to allow EV Tech Center personnel access to all current and past projects and test data in the interest of sharing information. As data is gathered during a test, it is entered in the database on the standard forms mentioned in the test procedure.



SCE EV TEST PROCEDURE FLOW DIAGRAM

II. TEST PLAN

A. NAMEPLATE DATA COLLECTION

Record all applicable nameplate data, serial numbers, and ratings for all tested components. This data is important to record in order to keep track of the version of the software and hardware of the vehicle, since this technology can change rapidly.

B. WEIGHT DOCUMENTATION

At a certified scale, measure the weight of the vehicle. The curb weight is subtracted from the GVWR to determine the available payload.

C. BATTERY CAPACITY TEST

The battery capacity test should be performed before the range tests to determine the pack's health. Follow the USABC (United States Advanced Battery Consortium) procedure for constant current discharge tests. Use the ABC-150 battery tester to discharge the EV's battery pack at a constant current until a manufacturer recommended cutoff voltage is reached. At a starting battery temperature of $23^{\circ} \pm 2^{\circ}$ C, perform groups of three constant current discharge cycles at each of C₃/3, C₂/2, C₁/1, and C₃/3 Amperes. Repeat until the C₃/3 capacity is stable with three consecutive discharges within 2%. Construct a Peukert Curve, which shows the effect of discharge rate on capacity and can be used to determine the battery capacity at a specific rate.

D. RANGE TESTS

Repeat the tests until the range result is within 5.0% of the previous result. Report the average of the final two tests.

1. UR1 - Urban Range Test at Minimum Payload (driver and test equipment only).

Drive the EV on the "Urban Pomona Loop" without using auxiliary loads. Record data to determine distance per charge, AC kWh/mile, and DC kWh/mile. The "Urban Pomona Loop" is a local street route of about 20 miles with approximately 50 stop signs and traffic lights. Refer to the Appendix, p.21, for a map and elevation profile.

2. UR2 - Urban Range Test at Minimum Payload with Auxiliary Loads. Repeat the above test with the vehicle's auxiliary loads on (air conditioning, lights, and radio). Record air conditioning vent temperature and cabin temperature continuously.

- **3.** UR3 Urban Range Test at Maximum Payload (GVWR) Urban Pomona Loop range test with auxiliary loads off and with the vehicle loaded to its maximum legal weight limit.
- **4.** UR4 Urban Range Test at Maximum Payload (GVWR) With Auxiliary Loads Repeat the above test with auxiliary loads on. Record air conditioning vent temperature and cabin temperature continuously.
- 5. FW1 Freeway Range Tests at Minimum Payload Drive the EV on the "Freeway Pomona Loop" without using auxiliary loads. Record data to determine distance per charge, AC kWh/mile, and DC kWh/mile. The Freeway Pomona Loop is a loop on four local freeways of approximately 37 miles (one transition requires one-half mile on access roads). Refer to the Appendix, p.21, for a map and elevation profile.
- 6. FW2 Freeway Range Test at Minimum Payload with Auxiliary Loads Repeat the above test with the vehicle's auxiliary loads on. Record air conditioning vent temperature and cabin temperature continuously.
- FW3 Freeway Range Test at Maximum Payload (GVWR) Pomona Freeway Loop range test with auxiliary loads off and with the vehicle loaded to its maximum legal weight limit.
- **8. FW4** Freeway Range Test at Maximum Payload (GVWR) With Auxiliary Loads Repeat the above test with the vehicle's auxiliary loads on. Record air conditioning vent temperature and cabin temperature continuously.

E. SOUND LEVEL TEST

The interior cabin sound level will be measured for one urban and one freeway loop. A recorded plot from the meter and an average sound level will be reported.

F. STATE OF CHARGE METER EVALUATION

1. Driving

While performing the Urban Range Tests, record data to produce a distance traveled vs. state-of-charge graph.

2. Charging

While charging, record data to produce a state of charge vs. time graph. Plot with the charging profile to associate indicated state of charge with energy delivered.

G. PERFORMANCE TESTS

The acceleration tests are designed to measure peak power capability of the vehicle and battery pack on the test track. Use the accelerometer performance computer to measure the time, speed, and acceleration. The tests will be performed in the sequence and number described in the test procedure in order to minimize heating effects on the traction battery. The vehicle will be driven gently between tests to discharge.

1. Acceleration

Accelerate the EV from a stop to over 60 mph at maximum power. Repeat this procedure two times in opposite directions (to average the effects of wind and grade) at the following traction battery states-of-charge: 100%, 80%, 60%, 40%, and 20%, as measured by the EV's state of charge gage. Read the data from the computer to obtain the time for 0-30 mph and 0-60 mph.

2. Maximum Speed

Continue to accelerate the EV from the 60 mph test until the maximum speed is reached. Conduct twice in opposite directions at both 100% and 20% SOC.

3. Acceleration - 30 to 55 mph

Accelerate the EV from a steady 30 mph to 55 mph at maximum power. Perform this procedure twice in opposite directions at the following approximate traction battery states-of-charge: 100%, 80%, 60%, 40%, and 20% (after the above tests).

4. Braking

Brake the vehicle from a steady 25 mph without skidding the tires. Repeat this procedure four times in opposite directions. Use the performance computer to determine braking distance. This test will be performed between 50% and 60% SOC.

H. CHARGER PERFORMANCE/CHARGING PROFILE TEST

1. AC Input Data

Use the BMI Power Profiler to record the following on the AC (input) side of the charger for the duration of the charge at the EV Tech Center:

- Real, reactive, and apparent power
- Energy consumption
- True and displacement power factors
- Voltage and current total harmonic distortion
- Current total demand distortion
- Voltage, current, and frequency
- Ambient temperature and humidity

2. Charging Profile

Use the ABB Recording kWh Meter recording at one-minute intervals to collect AC demand and energy data.

3. Charging at a Residential Setting

While standard power quality measurements are made at SCE's EV Tech Center, it is useful to know what the effects of the charger are in a "real world" setting, as the type of service can affect results. In order to observe the power quality of the charger through a typical residential service; charge the vehicle at a designated residence. Use the BMI Power Profiler to record energy and power quality characteristics. Use the portable ABB Recording kWh Meter to collect AC demand and energy data.

4. Charger Energy Efficiency

If the output side of the charger is accessible, use the SmartGuard Control Center to record Voltage, current, power, and energy data. Use the results to determine the charger energy efficiency.

5. Audible Noise Levels

Use a sound level meter to measure charger noise intensity at maximum power from a distance of one meter.

6. Operation and Ergonomics

Observe these aspects of the charger's operation:

- Charging algorithm
- Battery monitoring
- End point determination
- Protective features

Examine the user's interface with the charger:

- Switches, indicators, displays
- Dimensions, weight
- Connector types
- Ease of use

I. STAND-BY ENERGY CONSUMPTION TESTS ("HOTEL" LOADS)

1. Vehicle on Charger

After recharging the battery pack to 100% SOC, record the amount of AC kWh drawn by the charger and the DC kWh being delivered to the batteries for a 24 hour period.

2. Vehicle off Charger

After completing the preceding test, disconnect AC Power supply from the charger and record the amount of DC kWh consumed by the vehicle for a 24-hour period.

J. TRANSFER THE VEHICLE

Once the vehicle has undergone a full performance test, it must be transferred to the Transportation Services Department in order to place it in its intended service. If the vehicle is on loan it must be returned to the owning organization.

III. TEST INSTRUMENTATION

A. WEIGHT DOCUMENTATION

1. Certified Weight Scale

B. RANGE TESTS

- 1. EV odometer
- 2. Thermometer
- 3. Temperature loggers (2)
- 4. SmartGuard Control Center
- 4. Laptop computer
- 5. BMI Power Profiler

C. BATTERY CAPACITY TEST

- 1. Aerovironment ABC-150 Battery Cycler
- 2. SmartGuard Control Center
- 3. Digital multimeter
- 4. Thermometer

D. SOUND LEVEL TEST

- 1. Sound level meter
- 2. Laptop computer (optional)

E. STATE OF CHARGE METER EVALUATION

- 1. EV odometer
- 2. EV state-of-charge meter
- 3. Stopwatch

F. PERFORMANCE TESTS

- 1. Acceleration Tests
 - a. EV speedometer
 - b. Stopwatch
 - c. EV state-of-charge meter
 - d. Vericom VC2000PC Performance Computer
- 2. Maximum Speed
 - a. EV speedometer

- 3. Braking
 - a. EV speedometer
 - b. Vericom VC2000PC Performance Computer

G. CHARGER PERFORMANCE/CHARGING PROFILE TEST

- 1. BMI Power Profiler 3030A
- 2. ABB Recording kWh Meter
- 3. Laptop computer
- 4. SmartGuard Control Center
- 5. EV state-of-charge meter
- 6. Stopwatch
- 7. Decibel Meter

H. STAND-BY ENERGY CONSUMPTION TESTS (HOTEL LOADS)

- 1. Vehicle on charger:
 - a. BMI Power Profiler
 - b. SmartGuard Control Center
- 2. Vehicle off charger: SmartGuard Control Center

IV. TEST PROCEDURE

A. NAMEPLATE DATA COLLECTION

Record all applicable nameplate data, serial numbers, and ratings for all tested components and test equipment on the Equipment and Nameplate Data Sheet (EVTC-040) (see page 34). On the vehicle, readily available data should be recorded for the controller, motor, charger, traction battery, tires, payload, etc.

B. WEIGHT DOCUMENTATION

Take the EV to a certified scale and measure the curb weight of the vehicle, as well as the weight on each axle. Enter the data on the Weight Certification form available on "Project Manager".

C. BATTERY CAPACITY TEST

Before attempting the battery capacity test, obtain documents containing specifications and recommended values and procedures from the battery manufacturer. The specifications should include a range for which the specified capacity is acceptable so that the health of the battery can be determined.

Data Acquisition Equipment

If possible, and permissible with the manufacturer, configure the vehicle with the SmartGuard Control Center (SGCS) system to record current and voltage information from the battery pack. Using piercing voltage probes and a current transformer probe on the high voltage cables on the output side of the battery pack, connect to the SGCS. If access to the battery pack is possible, configure each module with a Smart Guard unit. Connect the SGCS to the ABC-150.

Fully charge the battery pack with the vehicle's charging system (or use the battery manufacturer's charge algorithm). Take the pack off charge at least 30 minutes before beginning the discharge test. Connect the ABC-150 battery tester to the main battery pack. Record on the Vehicle Battery Capacity Test form (EVTC-060) (see page 36) the initial open circuit pack voltage, pack average temperature and ambient temperature with the SGCS. The pack average temperature can be obtained with the vehicle's diagnostic tool or with thermocouples placed on modules at various pack locations.

Use the ABC-150 battery tester to discharge the EV's battery pack at a constant current until a manufacturer recommended cutoff voltage is reached. Record the following data at 10 second intervals: pack current, pack voltage, Ah, kWh, module Voltage, module temperature.

At a starting battery temperature of $23^{\circ} \pm 2^{\circ}$ C, perform groups of three constant current discharge cycles at each of C₃/3, C₂/2, C₁/1, and C₃/3 Amperes. At the end of each test, record the following data: open circuit pack voltage (at least 30 minutes after the end of discharge), ambient temperature, average pack temperature, the Voltage difference at the stop condition, the lowest module at the stop condition, DC Ah out, and DC kWh out. Repeat until the C₃/3 capacity is stable with three consecutive discharges within 2%.

Charge the vehicle with the vehicle's charger, and record the AC kWh input to the charger and the DC kWh used to return the pack to a fully charged state. Divide the DC kWh returned by the DC kWh out to determine the percent overcharge.

Construct a Peukert Curve – a plot of the logarithm of the discharge rate versus the logarithm of the discharge time to a specified end-of-discharge voltage (Figure 3-1). The curve shows the effect of discharge rate on capacity and can be used to determine the battery capacity at a specific rate.

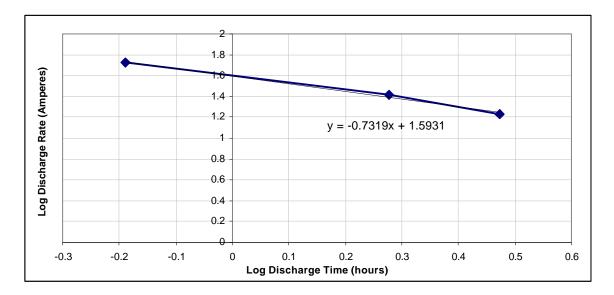


Figure 3-1. Sample Peukert Curve.

D. RANGE TESTS

Vehicle Preparation/Inspection

All new vehicles should first be inspected using the New Vehicle Turnkey Inspection form available from Transportation Services Department (TSD), Pomona. The New Vehicle Turnkey inspection is typically conducted by TSD. All other tested vehicles should be subjected to the functional testing on that form. Inflate tires to the maximum pressure indicated on the tire sidewall. Check the pressure at least once per week. Check the vehicle fluid levels once per week.

Data Acquisition Equipment

If possible, and permissible with the manufacturer, configure the vehicle with the SmartGuard Control Center (SGCS) system to record current and voltage information from the battery pack. Using piercing voltage probes and a current transformer probe on the high voltage cables on the output side of the battery pack, connect to the SGCS. Connect the SGCS to a laptop computer to record data at 30 second intervals during driving.

Stop Conditions

The maximum useable range of the EV is determined by vehicle gage indications specified by the manufacturer, or if no instructions are specified, by diminished vehicle performance such that the EV is no longer capable of operating with the flow of traffic. Typically, a vehicle will have two warning lights near the end of the vehicle's range. The first is usually a cautionary light at roughly 20% SOC. This light is usually a reminder to the driver that he should notice that the state of charge is low. The second warning usually comes on at about 10% to 15% SOC, and is an indication to charge immediately. The EV Tech Center usually uses this second warning signal, as recommended by the manufacturer, to stop the range test, so that there is no chance to harm the traction battery by overdischarge. At this point, the driver should be within a mile or two of the EV Tech Center, and he will drive it in slowly and conservatively. If the vehicle is five miles or more from the EV Tech Center, the driver will have it towed in.

1. Urban Range Tests:

Record the pack voltage, odometer reading and ambient temperature on the Pomona Driving Test Data sheet (EVTC-010) (see page 31). Drive the EV on the Urban Pomona Loop in a manner that is compatible with the safe flow of traffic. Record the following data on the EVTC-010 form at five-mile intervals (or at intervals determined by the vehicle's state of charge meter, if it has sufficient graduations to correspond to about five miles driving between marks): state of charge meter reading, pack voltage, DC kWh, and odometer mileage.

Near the end of the drive, if needed to manage the range, it is permissible to reverse direction after completing a partial loop, or to shorten the loop by using a parallel street; record this deviation (and all other deviations from the Pomona Loop) on the EVTC-010. Record the distance traveled (to the tenth of a mile) at the stop condition and at the end of the drive.

Upon returning to the EV Tech Center, record the end of test data (odometer, state of charge, ambient temperature, DC kWh, and pack voltage after 30 minutes).

Connect the BMI Power Profiler to the AC supply side, and collect data necessary for the *Charger Performance Test* (see p. 16) after the first and second UR-1 tests. For the remaining tests, after completion of charging, record the AC kWh data from the BMI Power Profiler, and the DC data, if applicable, from the SmartGuard system.

Conduct this procedure in the following four vehicle test configurations:

- **UR-1** Minimum payload (driver only) with no auxiliary loads.
- **UR-2** Minimum payload (driver only) with the following auxiliary loads on: air conditioning set on high, fan high, low beam headlights, and radio. Use thermocouple temperature loggers to continuously record the temperature of the air-conditioned outlet air from the center cabin vent and the cabin ambient temperature at mid-cabin chest level.
- **UR-3** Repeat the UR-1 test at the vehicle's maximum legal weight limit (without exceeding the gross axle weight ratings).
- **UR-4** Repeat the UR-2 test at the vehicle's maximum legal weight limit (without exceeding the gross axle weight ratings).

Repeat the tests until the range result is within 5.0% of the previous result. Report the average of the final two tests.

2. Freeway Range Tests:

Record the pack voltage, odometer reading, and ambient temperature. Drive the EV (with windows closed) on the Freeway Pomona Loop in a manner that is compatible with the safe flow of traffic. Maintain speed on the freeway as close to 65 mph as possible; drive conservatively on the transitions. Record the following data on the EVTC-010 form at five-mile intervals (or at intervals determined by the vehicle's state of charge meter, if it has sufficient graduations to correspond to about five miles driving between marks): state of charge meter reading, pack voltage, DC kWh, and odometer mileage. Note the current being delivered by the battery pack at a constant 65 mph on the 10 Freeway between Haven Street and Milliken Avenue.

Near the end of the drive, if needed to manage the range, it is permissible to reverse direction after completing a partial loop; record this deviation (and all other deviations from the Freeway Loop) on the EVTC-010. Leave the freeway loop only at Towne Avenue or Indian Hill Boulevard, if on the 10 Freeway, or Reservoir Street if on the 60 Freeway to minimize city driving. Record the distance traveled (to the tenth of a mile) at the stop condition and at the end of the drive.

Upon returning to the EV Tech Center, record the end of test data (odometer, state of charge, ambient temperature, DC kWh, and pack voltage after 30 minutes).

Connect the BMI Power Profiler to the AC supply side to record energy data. After completion of charging, read the AC kWh data from the BMI Power Profiler, and the DC data from the SmartGuard Control Center system.

Conduct this procedure in the following four vehicle test configurations:

- **FW-1** Minimum payload (driver only) with no auxiliary loads.
- **FW-2** Minimum payload (driver only) with the following auxiliary loads on: air conditioning set on high, fan high, low beam headlights, and radio. Use thermocouple temperature loggers to continuously record the temperature of the air-conditioned outlet air from the center cabin vent and the cabin ambient temperature at mid-cabin chest level.
- **FW-3** Repeat the FW-1 test at the vehicle's maximum legal weight limit (without exceeding the gross axle weight ratings).
- **FW-4** Repeat the FW-2 test at the vehicle's maximum legal weight limit (without exceeding the gross axle weight ratings).

Repeat the tests until the range result is within 5.0% of the previous result. Report the average of the final two tests.

AC kWh per mile efficiency

To determine the AC kWh per mile efficiency, recharge the pack fully and use the BMI Power Profiler to record the energy consumption in AC kWh; this number divided by the number of total miles driven, will yield an approximate figure for AC kWh per mile efficiency.

Range Envelope

Once all the data for the range tests have been gathered, a "Range Envelope" can be created for the vehicle for both urban and freeway driving (Figure 3-2). To construct the envelope, use the range in miles recorded at the stop condition; this is a more consistent value than the total miles driven (which may vary based on the distance the driver is from the EV Tech Center when the stop condition is reached) and can be more easily used by others to estimate range. Typically, the longest range will be achieved when the vehicle is tested at minimum payload with no auxiliary loads, and conversely, the shortest range will be achieved with a fully loaded vehicle with all auxiliary loads turned on. Plotting these data should yield a chart similar to the one shown in Figure 3-2.

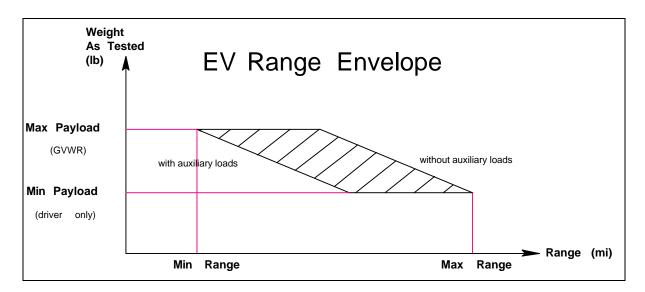


Figure 3-2. Range Envelope.

Air Conditioning Performance

Plot the two curves: air conditioning vent temperature versus time and cabin temperature versus time on the same graph.

E. SOUND LEVEL TEST

Position the sound level meter in the vehicle cabin at ear level on the passenger seat. Record the sound level for both one urban and one freeway loop. The windows will be rolled up and all interior accessories will be off. Any external noises from sources other than the test vehicle loud enough to register on the meter will be noted and reported on the Sound Level Test Data Sheet (EVTC-050) (see page 35). Report the average sound level and present the plot of the recorded data in the Performance Characterization report.

F. STATE OF CHARGE METER EVALUATION

1. Driving

While running the Urban Range Tests, record on the EVTC-010 the distance traveled using the EV's odometer at intervals corresponding to the EV's state-of-charge meter (such as 3/4, 1/2, 1/4 and "empty"). If the vehicle has only an energy meter, record data at five-mile intervals. At the end of the trip, record the total number of miles driven. In an ideal case, the maximum range would be reached at the time that the state of charge meter indicates "empty". An ideal state-of-charge meter would yield the following chart for an 80-mile maximum range vehicle:

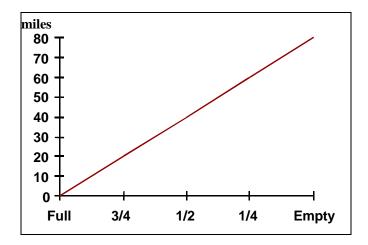


Figure 3-3. State of Charge Meter Evaluation.

2. Charging

During charging record on the EVTC-010 the state of charge reading on the EV's state-of-charge meter at fifteen-minute intervals. Use this data to create an indicated state of charge versus time graph, and plot with the charging profile and calculated state of charge plot. This plot will assist the user in estimating the state of charge after a certain amount of time and the energy needed to reach that state.

3. Driving Range per Charging Time

Use the results from (1) and (2) to estimate the vehicle range per charging time under UR1 conditions. Use the UR1 average range and state of charge data, to create a set of data points that show miles driven versus indicated state of charge. Subtract the range at each point from the maximum range at the stop condition to obtain a set of points giving the range available at each state of charge point. Use the results giving state of charge versus charging time from (2) to create a plot giving driving range available per charging time (Figure 3-4).

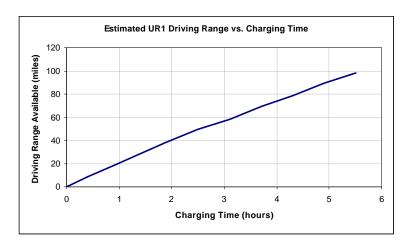


Figure 3-4. Sample plot of estimated range versus charging time.

G. **PERFORMANCE TESTS**

These tests will be performed with minimum payload at the Los Angeles County Fairplex drag strip in Pomona. Tires should be at maximum pressure. Record the starting and ending data on the EVTC-030 form (see page 33): odometer, ambient temperature, relative humidity, date, time, pack voltage. Note the maximum current and maximum power observed during acceleration.

1. Acceleration

Use the Vericom VC2000PC Performance Computer to measure the performance of the vehicle. Accelerate the EV from stop to over 60 mph at maximum power, and then stop. Record the time expired for 0 to 30 mph and from 0 to 60 mph on the EVTC-030 form. Repeat this procedure twice in opposite directions (to average the effects of wind and grade) at the following traction battery states-of-charge: 100%, 80%, 60%, 40%, and 20%, as measured by the EV's state of charge gage. Report the average of the readings at each state of charge level.

2. Maximum Speed

Continue to accelerate the EV from the 60 mph test until the maximum speed is reached. Conduct this procedure twice in opposite directions at both 100% and 20% SOC. Report the average of these readings. If unable to reach the maximum speed before the end of the track, note the highest speed achieved.

3. Acceleration - 30 to 55 mph

Accelerate the EV from a steady 30 mph to 55 mph at maximum power and use a stopwatch record the time expired. Repeat this procedure twice in opposite directions at the following approximate traction battery states-of-charge: 100%, 80%, 60%, 40%, and 20% (after the above tests), as measured by the EV's state-of-charge gage. Report the average of each pair of readings.

4. Braking

Drive the EV to a speed of 25 mph, and apply the brakes hard enough to bring the vehicle to a quick stop without skidding the tires. Use the Vericom VC2000PC Performance Computer to measure the braking distance. Make four runs in opposite directions, and report the average of these readings.

H. CHARGER PERFORMANCE/CHARGING PROFILE TEST

Enter results on form EVTC-020 (see page 32).

1. AC Input Data

After the first UR-1 range test, use the BMI Power Profiler to record the following on the AC (input) side of the charger for the duration of the charge at the EV Tech Center:

- Real, reactive, and apparent power
- Energy consumption
- True and displacement power factors

- Voltage and current total harmonic distortion
- Voltage, current, and frequency
- Ambient temperature and humidity

Monitor the vehicle's state of charge meter as specified for the State of Charge Meter Evaluation.

After completion of the charge note the maximum current reported by the BMI. After the second UR-1 test, set up the BMI Power Profiler to record current total demand distortion instead of harmonic distortion. Charge the vehicle and record a snapshot at maximum, intermediate and minimum power. Record data for the duration of the charge at the EV Tech Center.

2. Charging Profile

After the first UR-1 test use the ABB Recording kWh Meter recording at oneminute intervals to collect AC demand and energy data. Read the meter and determine the total charging time.

3. Charger Energy Efficiency

Use the SmartGuard Control Center as described in Range Tests to record voltage and current data on the output side of the charger. Use the results to determine the charger energy efficiency.

4. Data Analysis/Reports

Using the ABB Meter data and a spreadsheet program, plot the power versus time curve. Plot the instantaneous indicated state of charge on the same graph. Use the charger efficiency and energy data to plot calculated state of charge on the same graph (Figure 3-5).

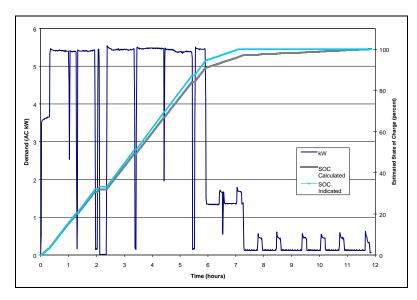


Figure 3-5. Sample AC charging profile plots.

From the BMI and SmartGuard data collected, calculate the energy efficiency for the battery/charger/vehicle system by dividing the total DC kWh delivered to the battery pack by the total AC kWh delivered to the charger. Divide the DC kW curve recorded with the SmartGuard by the AC kW curve recorded with the ABB meter to produce a power conversion efficiency curve.

Using instantaneous data captured with the SmartGuard, determine the ripple factor by dividing the AC RMS current flowing through the battery pack by the average current flowing through the pack.

Determine the overcharge factor by dividing the number of DC kWh (or Ah) returned to the battery pack during recharge by the number of DC kWh (or Ah) delivered from the battery pack during discharge.

By observing the DC current and voltage profiles obtained with the SmartGuard, determine the end of charge conditions.

Divide the current short circuit duty for the charging circuit (see page 29 for a line diagram) by the maximum load current. Use the result to apply IEEE 519-1992, *IEEE Recommended Practices and Requirements for Harmonic Control in Electric Power Systems*. Apply the recommendations from the National Electric Vehicle Infrastructure Working Council (October 1997) shown in Table 3-1.

	Level 1	Level 2
	Charging	Charging
Total Power Factor (minimum)	95%	95%
Power Conversion Efficiency (minimum)	85%	85%
Total Harmonic Current Distortion (max.)	20%	20%
Inrush Current (maximum)	28 A	56 A

Table 3-1. EPRI IWC EV Charging Standards.

5. Audible Noise Levels

Charge the vehicle in a quiet room or chamber. Use a sound level meter to record (on the EVTC-050 form) the charger noise intensity from a distance of one meter from the charger. Present the plot of the recorded data and the average sound level in the Performance Characterization report.

6. Operation and Ergonomics Evaluations

Observe the operation of the charger, and use the collected data, along with information from the manufacturer to determine:

- Charging algorithm (constant current/voltage steps, etc.) determined by viewing the charging profile.
- Battery monitoring method from the manufacturer.

- End point determination (time, gas emission, voltage change, etc.) from the manufacturer.
- Protective features (battery protection, GFCI, etc.)

Examine and record (objectively and subjectively) on form EVTC-020 the user's interface with the charger and any electric vehicle supply equipment (EVSE):

- Switches, indicators, displays
- Dimensions, weight
- Connector types, compatibility
- Ease of use

7. Charging at a Residential Setting

Take the vehicle to a designated residence and charge from the stop condition state of charge (see page 12) to 100% SOC (see page 29 for a line diagram of the designated residence). Use the BMI Power Profiler to record energy and power quality characteristics. Use the portable ABB Recording kWh Meter recording at one-minute intervals to collect AC demand and energy data. Construct a charging profile, as described in task 2 (page 16).

I. STAND-BY ENERGY CONSUMPTION TESTS ("HOTEL" LOADS)

1. Vehicle on Charger

After completing the *Charger Performance Test*, leave the BMI Power Profiler and SmartGuard Control Center connected to the vehicle and install the most sensitive current probes (5A) available for the BMI. For a 24-hour period, record the amount of AC kWh drawn by the charger and the amount of DC kWh delivered by the charger to the battery pack.

2. Vehicle off Charger

After completing the preceding test, disconnect the AC power supply from the charger and continue to record data on the DC side. This data will show how much energy is consumed by the vehicle's stand-by systems, such as thermal management system on high temperature batteries.

J. TRANSFER THE VEHICLE

Return control of the vehicle to Transportation Services Department if an SCE vehicle, or to its owning organization if on loan.

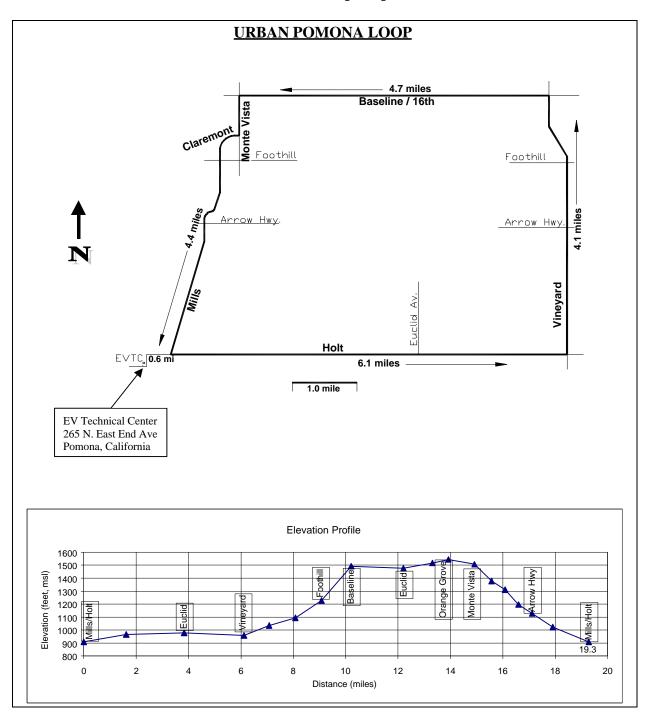
APPENDICES

EV Performance Characterization Testing Schedule

1.	Nomenclature Data Collection	$\frac{\text{Duration (days)}}{\frac{1}{2}}$
1.	Nomenciature Data Conection	*/2
2.	Weight Documentation	1/2
	- Curb (Front, Rear, Total)	
	- GVWR (Front, Rear, Total)	
3.	Battery Capacity Test	4
4.	Urban Range Tests	8
	- Distance per charge	
	- AC kWh/mile	
	- DC kWh/mile	
-		0
5.	Freeway Range Tests	8
	- Distance per charge	
	 AC kWh/mile DC kWh/mile 	
	- DC kwh/mne	
6.	Sound Level Tests	3*
7.	State-of-Charge Meter Evaluation (Dynamic/Static)	2*
8.	Acceleration / Maximum Speed / Braking Tests	1
9.	Stand-by Energy Consumption Tests ("Hotel" Loads)	2
10.	Charger Performance/Charging Profile Test	3
Minin	num total days needed for full testing: 27	

* The data gathered for these tests are recorded at the same time that other tests are in progress.

Pomona Loop Map



Urban Pomona Loop - Tabulated Data

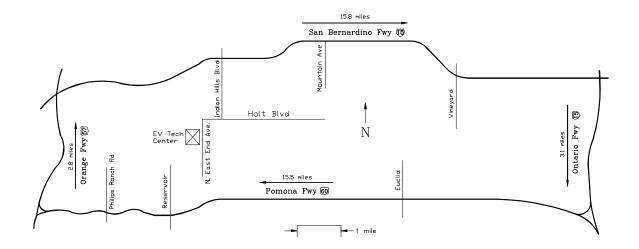
Stop No.	Distance from	Туре	Distance from	Comments
	Start (miles)		Previous stop	
0	0.00	light	0.00	East End & Holt
1	0.10	light	0.10	
2	0.15	light	0.05	Mills & Holt
3	0.80	light	0.65	
4	1.30	light	0.50	
5	1.80	light	0.50	
6	2.30	light	0.50	
7	2.90	light	0.60	
8	3.50	light	0.60	
9	3.70	light	0.20	
10	4.00	light	0.30	
11	4.01	light	0.01	
12	4.30	light	0.29	
13	4.60	light	0.30	
14	4.80	light	0.20	
15	4.82	light	0.02	
16	5.30	light	0.48	
17	6.30	light	1.00	Vineyard & Holt
18	6.66	light	0.36	
19	6.70	light	0.04	
20	6.80	light	0.10	
21	6.90	light	0.10	
22	7.30	light	0.40	
23	7.80	light	0.50	
24	8.30	light	0.50	
25	8.60	light	0.30	
26	8.80	light	0.20	
27	9.30	light	0.50	
28	9.50	light	0.20	
29	9.60	light	0.10	
30	9.70	light	0.10	
31	10.40	light	0.70	Vineyard & Baseline
32	10.70	light	0.30	
33	10.90	light	0.20	
34	11.60	light	0.70	
35	11.90	light	0.30	
36	12.30	light	0.40	
37	12.50	light	0.20	
38	12.70	light	0.20	
39	13.00	light	0.30	
40	13.60	light	0.60	
41	14.10	light	0.50	
42	15.20	light	1.10	Baseline & Padua
43	16.30	light	1.10	
44	16.80	light	0.50	
45	17.10	sign	0.30	
46	17.40	light	0.30	
47	17.60	sign	0.20	

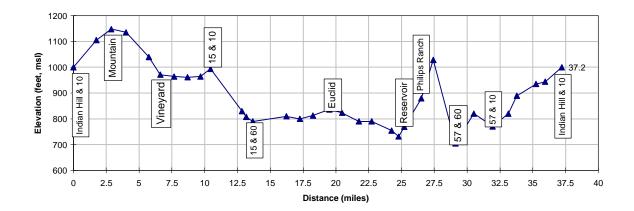
48	18.60	light	1.00	
49	18.70	sign	0.10	
50	19.00	sign	0.30	
51	19.30	light	0.30	
52	19.50	light	0.20	Holt & Mills
53	19.60	light	0.10	
54	19.80	light	0.20	Holt & East End

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Freeway Loop Map

FREEWAY POMONA LOOP





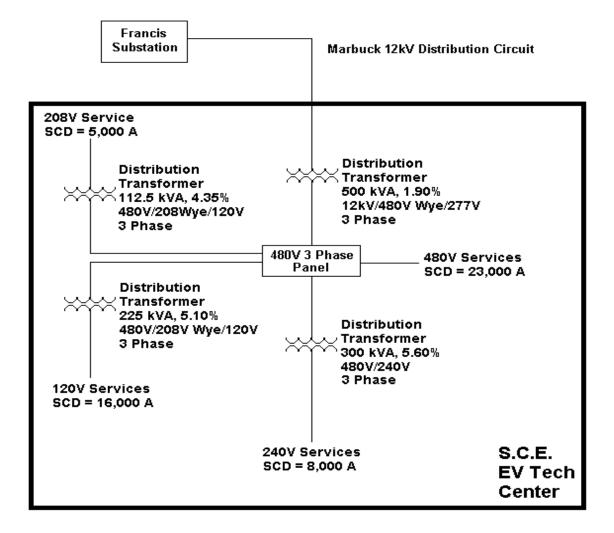
EVTC Equipment

EVTC Number	Manufacturer	Model	Description	Quantity
ABB-001	ABB	A1T-L	PORTABLE KWH METER	4
ACD-001	Various	PC140HS	DC/AC INVERTER	5
AMC-001	FLUKE	33	TRUE RMS CLAMP AMMETER	3
AVI-001	AEROVIRONMENT	ABC-150	ADVANCED BATTERY CYCLER	2
BCH-001	PHILLIPS	PM8906/003	NICD 4C 6V CHARGER	1
BMI-001	BMI	3030A	POWER PROFILER	2
CHG-001	Various	Various	PORTABLE BATTERY CHARGER	3
CHG-002	LA MARCHE	A70B-45-108LBD1	NICD BATTERY CHARGER	1
CMA-001	Various	Various	CAMERA DIGITAL/35 mm	4
CMP-001	Various	Various	DESKTOP COMPUTER	18
CPB-001	BMI	A-115	CURRENT PROBE 60A	3
CPB-004	BMI	A-116	CURRENT PROBE 600A	6
CPB-010	BMI	A-120	CURRENT PROBE 3000A	3
CPB-013	BMI	A-705	CURRENT PROBE 5A	1
CPB-014	FLUKE	80I-1000S	600A AC DMM PROBE	3
CPB-017	FLUKE	80I-500S	500A AC SCOPE PROBE	3
DAP-001	FLUKE	Y8100	DC/AC CURRENT PROBE	3
DAP-004	FLUKE	801-1010	DC/AC CURRENT PROBE	1
DAP-005	TEKTRONIX	AM503B	AC/DC CURRENT PROBE SYSTEM	1
DAP-006	TEKTRONIX	A6303	AC/DC HIGH CURRENT PROBE	1
DAP-007	FLUKE	80I-110S	100A AC/DC PROBE	2
DAQ-001	HEWLETT PACKARD	3497A	DATA ACQUISITION UNIT	1
DAQ-002	HEWLETT PACKARD	3421A	DATA AQUISITION CONTROL UNIT	6
DAQ-008	FLUKE	DAC	DATA AQUISITION CONTROL UNIT	2
DAQ-010	HEWLETT PACKARD	3498A	DATA AQUISITION UNIT	1
DAT-001	OMEGA	HH-F10	AIR SPEED INDICATOR	1
DAT-002	CHRYSLER CORP	SCAN TOOL	EPIC DIAGNOSTIC TOOL	2
DAT-004	HEWLETT PACKARD	Z1090A	GM TECH 2	1
DCG-001	PROPEL	ABT85-220	BATTERY DISCHARGER	1
DCG-002	PROPEL	ABT100-350	BATTERY DISCHARGER	1
DPM-001	YOKOGAWA	2533E43	DIGITAL POWER METER	1
DPS-001	ICC	ICC-21000005-12	DC POWER SUPPLY 13V	2
DPS-002	STANCOR	W120DUJ50-1	DC POWER SUPPLY 12V	1
DPS-004	HEWLETT PACKARD	6479C	DC POWER SUPPLY	1
DPS-005	HEWLETT PACKARD	6448B	DC POWER SUPPLY	1
DVM-001	HEWLETT PACKARD	3456A	DIGITIAL VOLTMETER	1
DYN-001	VERICOM	VC2000PC	PERFORMANCE COMPUTER	1
EDE-001	BERNOULLI	ED	EXTERNAL DRIVE	1
EMT-001	CRUISING EQUIPMENT	RS-2323	E-METER	3
ENV-001	ASSOCIATED ENV.SYS.	ZFK-5116	ENVIRONMENTAL ENCLOSURE UNIT	3
EVC-001	MAGNECHARGE	FM 100	INDUCTIVE CHARGER	3
EVC-004	MAGNECHARGE	WM 200	INDUCTIVE CHARGER	3
EVC-020	MAGNECHARGE	FM 200	INDUCTIVE CHARGER	13
EVC-042	MAGNECHARGE	P200	1.2 KW INDUCTIVE CHARGER	2
EVC-007	EVI	ICS-200	CONDUCTIVE EVSE	10
EVC-014	EVI	MCS 100-3	CONDUCTIVE EVSE (EVI-100) AVCON	2
EVC-017	SCI	GEN1	CONDUCTIVE EVSE/ODU	2
EVC-019	SCI	GEN 2	CONDUCTIVE EVSE/AVCON	7
FGE-001	SHIMPO	MF	FORCE GAUGE	1
GPB-001	HEWLETT PACKARD	GPIB-422CT	GPIB CONTROLLER	1
IST-001	BK PRECISION	1604A	ISOLATION TRANSFORMER	1
ITR-001	NEWPORT	OS520	INFRARED THERMOMETER	1
ITR-002	BMI	A-003	TEMPERATURE SENSOR	1
LPC-001	Various	Various	COMPUTER LAPTOP	9
LPP-001	TOSHIBA	PA2711U	DOCKING PORT	2

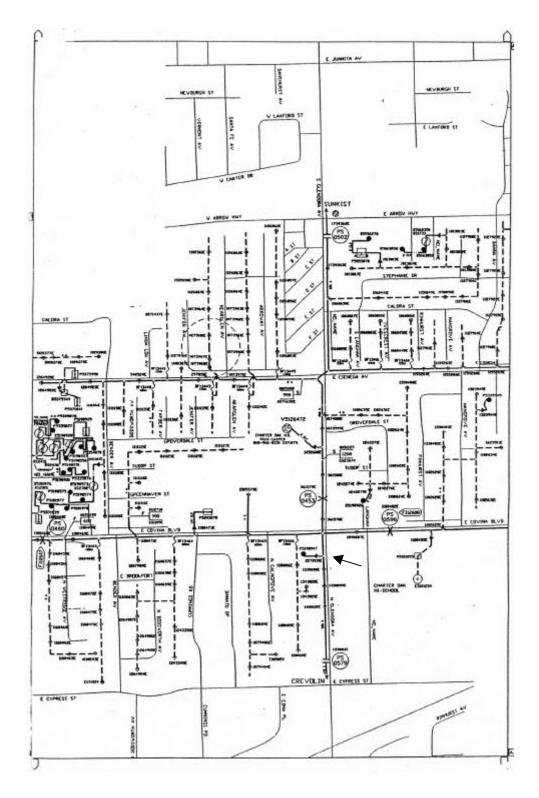
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MMR-001	Various	Various	DIGITAL MULTIMETER	1
MMR-012	HEWLETT PACKARD	34401 A	MULTIMETER	
MMW-001	ROLATAPE	MEASUMASTERMM30	MEASURING WHEEL	
MPG-001	HEWLETT PACKARD	6942A	MULTIPROGRAMMER	
NVK-001	NORVIK TRACTION INC.	BC-500-4	MINIT CHARGER	
OHM-001	MEGGER	210200	OHM METER	
OPB-001	U.S. MICROTEL	PM-500	OPTICAL PROBE	
OSC-001	HEWLETT PACKARD	54600B	OSCILLOSCOPE	
OSC-002	YOKOGAWA	701810-1D	DL708 DIGITAL SCOPE	
OSC-003	YOKOGAWA	OR3412/PM-M	OSC. RECORDER H.A.	
OVP-001	3M	9700 9000AJJ	OVERHEAD PROJECTOR	
PHA-001	FLUKE	41	POWER HARMONICS ANALYZER	
PHA-003.4	FLUKE	43	POWER HARMONICS ANALYZER	
PHA-002	BMI	155	HARMONICS METER	
PRI-001	EXTECH	480300	PHASE ROTATION TESTER	
PRT-001	HEWLETT PACKARD	C3167A	LASERJET 5SI/MX PRINTER	
PRT-002	HEWLETT PACKARD	C2001A	LASERJET 4M PRINTER	
PRT-003	HEWLETT PACKARD	C4530A	2000C COLOR PRINTER	
PSY-001	WAYNE-KERR	LS30-10	POWER SUPPLY	
SCL-001	METTLER	FEHD-R	DIGITAL SCALE	
SCR-001	FLUKE	97	SCOPEMETER	
SGM-001	KEM	DA-110	DENSITY/SPECIFIC GRAVITY METER	
SGN-001	WAVETEK	191	SIGNAL GENERATOR	
SMR-001	EXTECH INSTRUMENTS	407762	SOUND LEVEL METER	
STW-001	Various	Various	STOPWATCH	
THR-001	OMEGA	PTH-1X	TEMP/HUMIDITY METER	
THR-002	Various	Various	THERMOCOUPLE THERMOMETER	
THR-004	SEALED UNIT PARTS	PT-100	DIGITAL THERMOMETER	
THR-006	RADIO SHACK	63-867A	DIGITAL TEMP/HUMIDITY METER	
WHR-001	CRUISING EQUIPMENT	KWH METER	KILOWATT-HOUR METER	
YOK-001	YOKOGAWA	AR1100A	ANALYZING RECORDER	
ZIP-001	IOMEGA	Z100PS	ZIP HARDWARE	

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EV Tech Center Line Diagram



Residence Line Diagram



EVTC-010 Driving Test Data Sheet

		PO	MONA DI	RIVING TE	ST DATA			
Date	Vehicle	VIN last 6	Test	Driver	Data File/Pro	ject		Volts
							Start	
Road Cond	Tire Press	Payload					Stop	
							Net	
Driving	Time	Odom	% SOC	DC Ah	DC kWh	Amb temp	A/C temp	A/C>10 min
Start Stop								Min. A/C
Net								IVIIII. A/C
Distance	State	of Charge		/ Deviations	/ Traffic / Wea	ather / Perfor	mance	
Miles	Veh meter	Range meter						
Accessories u	sed:							
Drive / Regen								
Handling/Brak								
Other comme	<u>nts:</u>							
Charger	Serial No.		AC meter#		BMI #			
Charging	Date	Time	AC kWh in	BMI kWh in	DC kWh in	DC Ah in	Amb temp	Volts
Start								
Stop Net								
Comments:				<u> </u>				
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Technician:	Date:	
Location:	Phone:	
Charger Information		
Manufacturer:		
Supply Side Voltage Rating:		
After Completion of Recharging Cycle		
Time of Day:		
Final Pack Voltage:		
AC kWh Used:	DC kWh Delivered:	
System Energy Efficiency:		
Amp-hours to battery:		
Overcharge Factor:		
DC Output Ripple Voltage:	Ripple Frequency:	
Charger Operation Information/Evaluat	ion	
Exterior Dimensions:		
Charging Profile Type:		
End Point Determination Method:		
Battery Monitoring Method:		
Programmable Charging Profiles:		
Connector Type(s): Safety Features / Protection Devices:		
Agency/Industry Approvals:		
Installation Techniques/Requirements:		
Appropriate for Interior and/or Exterior Use		
User Interface (Switches, Indicators, Displa		
Ease of Use:	-	
Current & Future Cost:		
Warranty:		
Reliability History / Manufacturer Reputation) n'	
Maintenance Schedule:		
Accompanying Supplies:		
Manufacturer Support:		
Other Notes:		

EVTC-030 Performance Testing Data Sheet

	ACCELERA	TION, MAX	IMUM SPE	ED, AND BR	AKING TES	TS				
		,		Start	Stop					
Vehicle No	:		Time:							
Location:			Temp.:							
Date:			Odometer:							
Accelerati	<u>on (100% So</u>					1				
	0-30 mph	0-60 mph	Direction	Max. Speed	30-55 mph					
1										
2										
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	0-30 mph	0-60 mph	Direction	30-55 mph						
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3										
4				I						
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			D					Total		
	0-30 mph	0-60 mph	Direction	30-55 mph		⊦eet	inches	feet	Direction	
1					-					1
2					J					2
3										3
4				I						4 5
Average	(100) 00	0)								
Accelerati	on (40% SO		Discution		1					6
	0-30 mph	0-60 mph	Direction	30-55 mph						7
1					-					8 9
2					J					9 10
3								A	и	10
				I				Average	п	
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VEHICLE	-	
Manufacturer:	VIN:	
Model:	Model Year:	Date of Manufacture:
GVWR: Front	AWR:	Rear AWR:
Motor Manufacturer:		Motor Type:
Motor Rating/Speed:		
Version/Serial No.:		
EPA Label Fuel Economy:		
Controller Version/Serial No.:		
Battery Pack Type/Version/Serial	No.:	
Tire Manufacturer:	1	Model:
Tire Size:	Maximu	Im Pressure:
Maximum Tire Load:	- Treadw	ear Rating:
CHARGER	-	5
	Manufacturer:	
Model:	Serial Number	
Charger Type/Version:	-	
EVSE Manufacturer:		
EVSE Model/Version:		Serial Number:
EVSE Software Version:		
TEST EQUIPMENT		
	Number:	
ABB kWh Meter Serial Number:		
Thermometer EVTC Number:		
Optical Meter Probe EVTC Numb	er:	
Laptop Computer EVTC Number:		
Desktop Computer EVTC Numbe	r:	
Stopwatch EVTC Number:		
Digital multimeter EVTC Number:		
ADC 4EO EV/TC Number		
Smart Guard Interface Serial Nun	nber:	
Sound Level Meter EVTC Numbe	r:	
Measuring Wheel EVTC Number:		
WEIGHT CERTIFICATION		
Scale Location and Proprietor:		
Examiner:		Date:
Notes:		

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EVTC-050 Sound Level Meter Data Sheet

n Driving Sound Level Test	Sound Level Range(dBs)):
Date:		Start
Project:	Recording Time:	Otart
Technician:	Recording Time.	
Veh. No.:	Put a check mark on the	sottings sold
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Project:	Recording Time:	
Technician:		
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Location:		A
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End odo:		
Trip:		Fast
	Response:	
Comments:		
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Date: Project:	Recording Time:	
Date: Project: Technician:		
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Project:		Test File:	
Date(s):		Technician:	
Vehicle Number:		Battery Nos .:	
BATTERY SPECIFIC	ATIONS	-	
Manufacturer:Model:			
Date of Manufacture:	No	minal Voltage:	
	Voltage Range:		
	e:Temp. Range:		
BATTERY PACK			
Number of Modules:	Nominal Voltage:		
Configuration:			
Location for Test:			
TEST EQUIPMENT			
Discharge Unit:	Serial No		
Charging Unit:	Serial No		
Data Acquisition Equipment:			
Other Equipment:			
<u>RESULTS</u>			
	TEST 1	TEST 2	TEST 3
DATE			
DISCHARGE (A)			
STOP CONDITION			
START TIME			
STOP TIME			
TOTAL TIME			
START TEMP.			
STOP TEMP.			
START O.C. VOLTS			
STOP O.C. VOLTS			
ΔV at STOP			
Ah OUT			
kWh OUT			
LOWEST MODULE			
DATA FILE			
RECHARGE TYPE			
Ah RETURNED			
kWh RETURNED			
DATA FILE			
NOTES:			

EVTC-060 Vehicle Battery Constant Current Discharge Capacity Test Data Sheet