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Current Fiscal Year Status of the Hybrid & Electric Systems R&D at the U.S. – DOE

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- The *EV Everywhere* Grand Challenge
- Program Structure and Budget
- Vehicle & Systems Simulation & Testing (VSST)
- Energy Storage R&D
- Advanced Power Electronics and Electric Machines (APEEM)
- Conclusions

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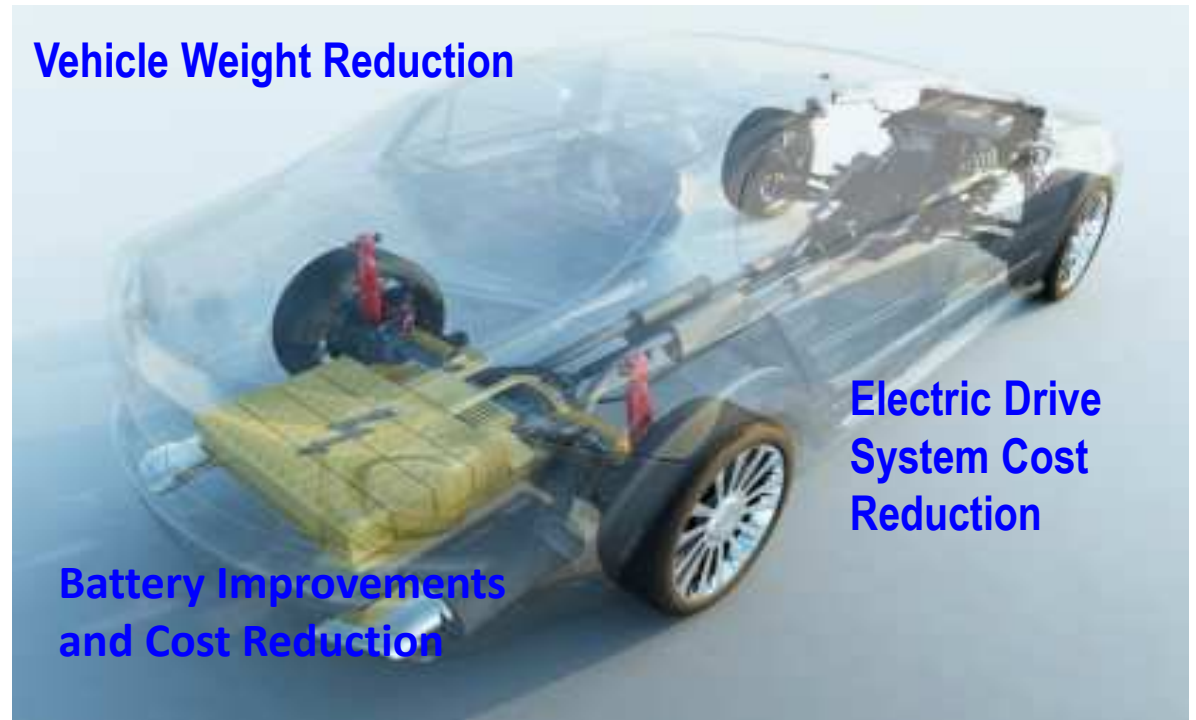
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The *EV Everywhere* Grand Challenge

Enable the U.S. to be the first in the world to produce plug-in electric vehicles that are as affordable as today's gasoline-powered vehicles within the next 10 years.

- **Technology Push (R&D):** targets focus on reducing PEV costs
 - Advanced batteries,
 - electric drive systems,
 - Lighter weight structures,
 - enabling technologies such as advanced climate control.
- **Charging Infrastructure (Enablers):**
Critical issues include codes and standards, siting, grid integration, permitting, and signage.
- **Market Pull (Consumer Acceptance):**
Consumer education and exposure to PEVs, innovative PEV ownership incentives, and leadership by example among public and private fleets.

Vehicle Weight Reduction



Electric Drive System Cost Reduction

Battery Improvements and Cost Reduction

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Hybrid and Electric Systems

**Vehicle &
Systems
Simulation &
Testing**

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**Electrochemical
Energy Storage**

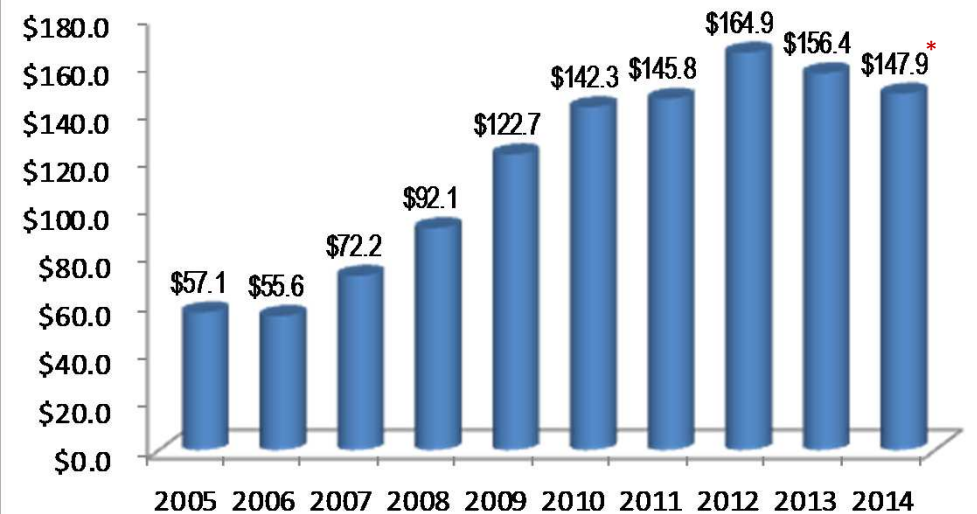
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**Advanced
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Machines**

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Hybrid and Electric Systems R&D Budget

Budget (\$, Million)



*President's Budget Request

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Industry Awards

Develop, Integrate, & Demonstrate Advanced PEV Technologies



Autonomie



Virtual Design

Laboratory and Field Evaluations

Performance benchmarking

Accelerated reliability data

Modeling tool validation

Vehicle Modeling and Simulation

Develop & use modeling tools

Assess technology potential

Component Interactions

Goal setting for R&D

Quantify System Requirements

Codes and Standards

Standards Committee Participation

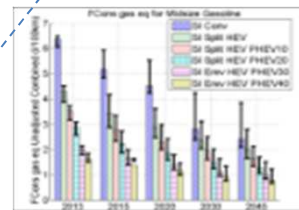
Develop and Validate Technology Development

Vehicle Systems Optimization

Reduce auxiliary and parasitic loads

Enabling Technologies

Accelerate Market Penetration of EVs



Predict Impact



Wireless Power Transfer

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Project Area	Project Group	National Labs						Industry		
		ANL	INL	LLNL	NREL	ORNL	PNNL	Vehicle OEMs	Component OEMs	Regional Government
Industry Awards Technology Development and Demonstration	PHEV Technology Acceleration and Demonstration Activity									
	Transportation Electrification									
	SuperTruck									
	Wireless Charging (Light duty)									
	Zero Emissions Cargo Transport									
	Energy Load Reduction, Advanced HVAC, Cabin Preconditioning									
Laboratory and Field Evaluations	Light Duty									
	Medium/Heavy Duty									
Vehicle Modeling and Simulation	Light Duty									
	Medium/Heavy Duty									
Codes and Standards										
Vehicle Systems Optimization	Aerodynamics									
	Fast & Wireless Charging									
	Friction & Wear									
	Thermal Control									

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- Initiated data collection on thousands of vehicles and EVSEs deployed through Transportation Electrification:
 - 4.6 million LDV PHEV/EV charge events on 16,000 EVSE used 36,260 MWh
 - 181,477 LDV PHEV/EV miles and 9,586 charging events documented per day
 - 574,435 Medium Duty EV Truck miles documented for 339 vehicles in commercial service
- Total Advanced Vehicle Testing Activity (AVTA) Experience:
 - Shifted focus from HEV to PHEV/EV
 - 120 million electric drive vehicle test miles accumulated on 11,600 Light Duty vehicles representing 122 different models to date
 - 5.1 million test miles accumulated on 198 different MD/HD vehicles since 2002
 - Testing under varied and extreme thermal conditions
 - Evaluated 15 EVSE and DCFC hardware units, and 1 wireless charging system
 - Multiple NDAs and CRADAs protect manufacturers' technologies and PII
- Deployed commercialized version of Autonomie vehicle modeling & simulation platform
 - Developed through CRADA between Argonne National Lab and General Motors
 - Distributed through LMS



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Significant battery advancements are needed to enable a large market penetration of PEVs.



2012 Battery Technology

\$600/kWh, 100 Wh/kg, 200 Wh/l, 400 W/kg

Lithium-ion batteries in today's electric drive vehicles use a combination of positive active materials based on nickel, manganese, or iron; matched with a carbon or graphite negative electrode.

4X Cost Reduction

2X Size Reduction

>2X Weight Reduction



2022 Battery Technology

\$125/kWh, 250 Wh/kg, 400 Wh/l, 2,000 W/kg

New concepts in lithium-ion technologies have the potential to more than double the performance and significantly reduce the cost. Beyond lithium-ion technologies (lithium metal, lithium sulfur, and lithium air) may also meet the challenge.

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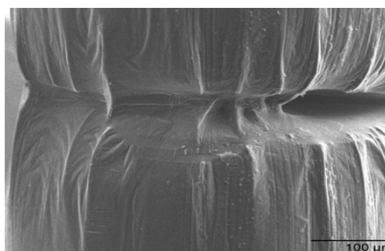
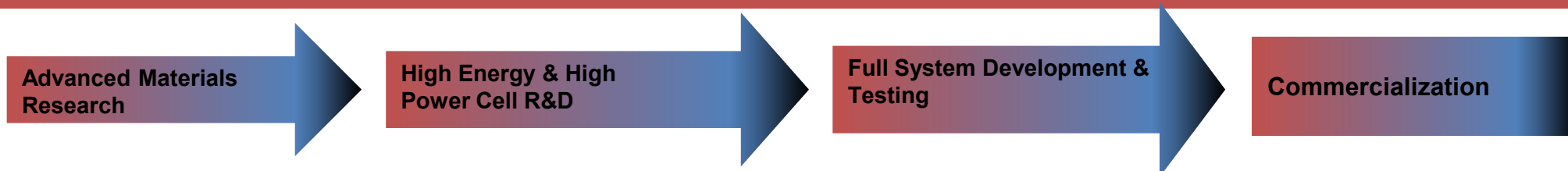


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The energy storage effort is engaged in a wide range of topics, from fundamental materials work through battery development and testing



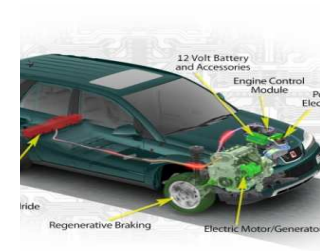
- High energy cathodes
- Alloy, Lithium anodes
- High voltage electrolytes
- Beyond Li-ion couples



- High rate electrodes
- High energy couples
- Fabrication of high energy cells
- Ultracapacitor carbons



- Hybrid Electric Vehicle (HEV) systems
- 10- and 40-mile Plug-in HEV systems
- Advanced lead acid
- Electric vehicle batteries



Lab and University Focus

Industry Focus

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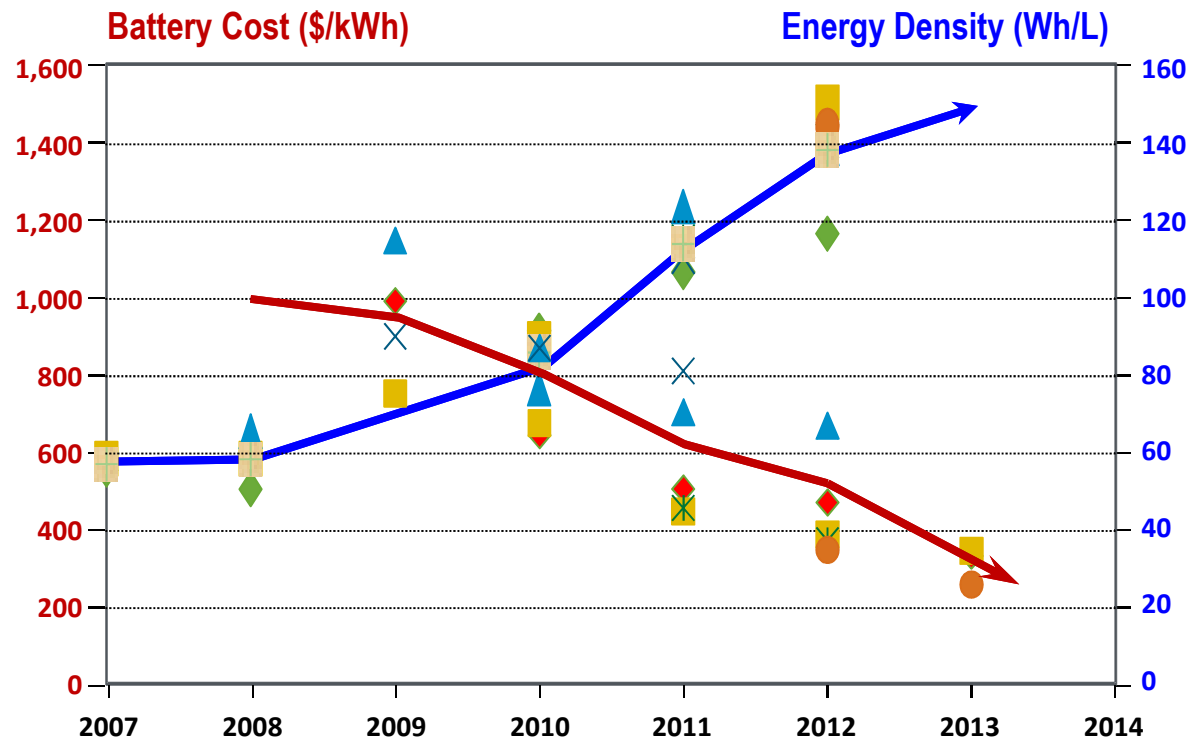


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Energy Storage R&D: Battery Cost Reduction & Energy Density

- Current cost estimates average less than **\$325/kWh** (useable)
- Manufacturer estimates with USABC's battery cost model
 - Engineered prototype cells and modules that meet DOE/USABC system performance targets.
 - Production of 100,000 batteries per year.
 - Validated using established test procedures.
 - Strong correlation with ANL BatPac model projection



- These battery development projects focus on advance cathodes, processing improvements, cell design and pack optimization. Standard electrolyte & graphite anode were used.
- The NREL Clean Energy Manufacturing Initiative (CEMI) Analysis focused on similar battery technology.

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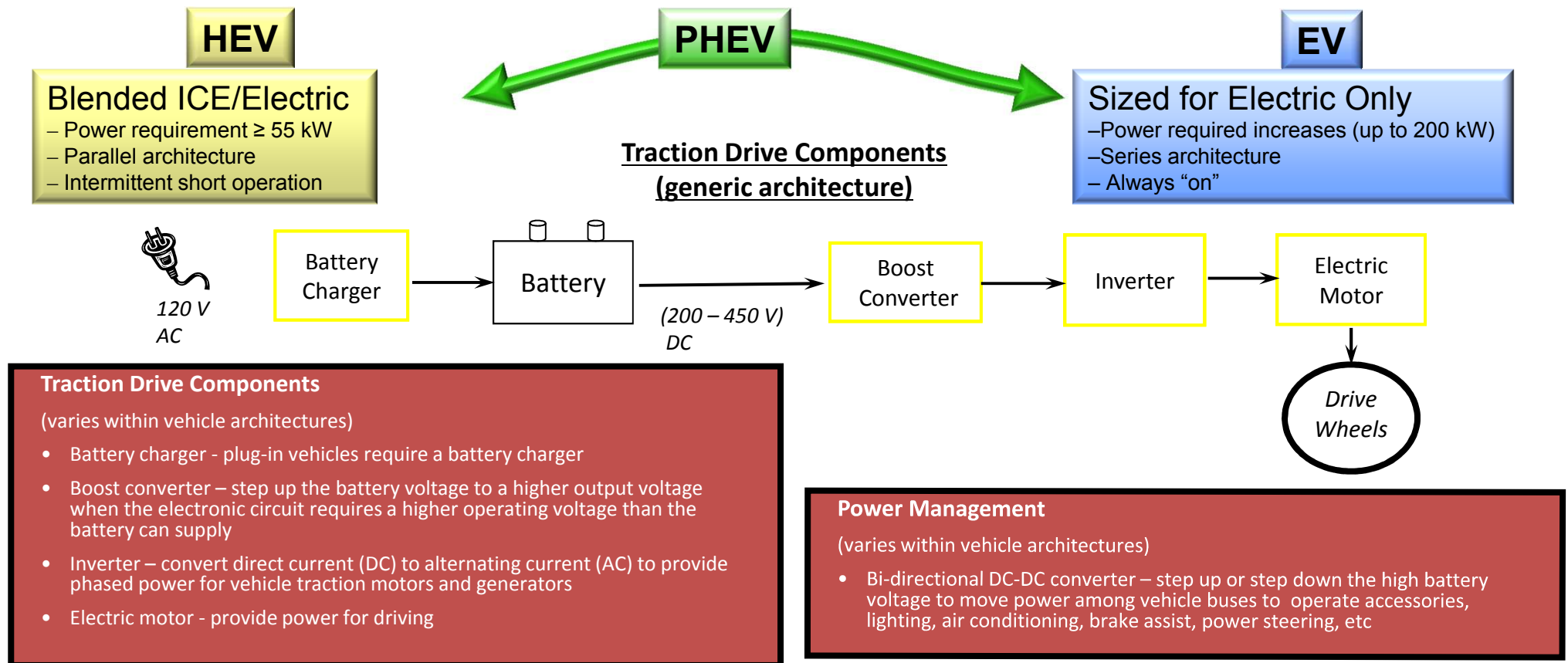


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Covers a range of vehicle electrification applications



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- Completed analysis of non-RE motor design.
- Magnetic finite element analysis demonstrates a feasible architecture to enable the use of non-RE magnets.
- Motor build to demonstrate feasibility.



UQM Motor Package



GE imagination at work

- Evaluated multiple motor topologies – down-selected 3.
- Identified scalable manufacturing methods for advanced materials.



GE Soft Magnetic Laminates



- Completed assessments of 3 inverter types.
- Developed understanding of cost reduction attributed to technology improvements and commonality of design.



Module Testing at GM

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- VTO's hybrid electric systems team works with industry, universities, and national laboratories to develop advanced transportation technologies – including hybrid drive technologies, advanced energy storage, power electronics and motors, and vehicle systems simulation & testing.
- VTO works in partnership with the U.S. automakers through the United States Council for Automotive Research (USCAR) partnership, funding high-reward/high-risk research.
- Considerable progress was made and work continues with industrial, government, and scientific partners to overcome the remaining challenges to commercialization.

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