



# Global Emission Scenarios & Future PassCar Powertrain Trends

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# **The Automotive World is Changing**

**Much quicker than we have  
assumed in the past**

**CORONA**

**Acts as fire accelerator for the  
Technology Transformation**

**Financial impacts → OEM change from  
Technology Diversification towards BEV Focus**

# Flashlight on PassCar Global Trends<sup>\*)</sup>



- Clear intent to become environmental leader ("Green Deal", "Fit for 55"), focus on Tank to Wheel CO<sub>2</sub>, e-fuels not focus for PassCar
- Political Dogma to push BEV by CO<sub>2</sub> legislation (-55% by 2030, -100% by 2035)
- Pollutants - EU7: from irrational 1<sup>st</sup>CLOVE proposal towards more realistic approach, but NGO's push for lower limits



- Official focus on electrification, however balancing environmental aspects with economy → both BEV+HEV
- Enormous technology catch-up and targeting technology leadership
- Still various new ICE under development - DHE<sup>\*\*) and DHT<sup>\*\*\*)</sup></sup>
- New push for H<sub>2</sub> ICE



- Environmental policy is completely changing both regarding ICE and electromobility
- From ignoring environmental aspects towards overemphasize BEV
- Political intention towards electromobility to be matched with infrastructure and customer challenges

<sup>\*)</sup> European Perspective, <sup>\*\*)</sup> Dedicated Hybrid Engines, <sup>\*\*\*)</sup> Dedicated Hybrid Transmissions

***Different political priorities – Europe on economically risky path***



# Make Transport Greener (07/2021)

## Current Situation in Europe – **Fit for 55**

More ambitious CO<sub>2</sub> emissions standards for new cars and vans to help grow the number of zero- and low-emission vehicles on European roads.

Binding requirements for the rollout of public charging and hydrogen refuelling stations for cars, vans and trucks.

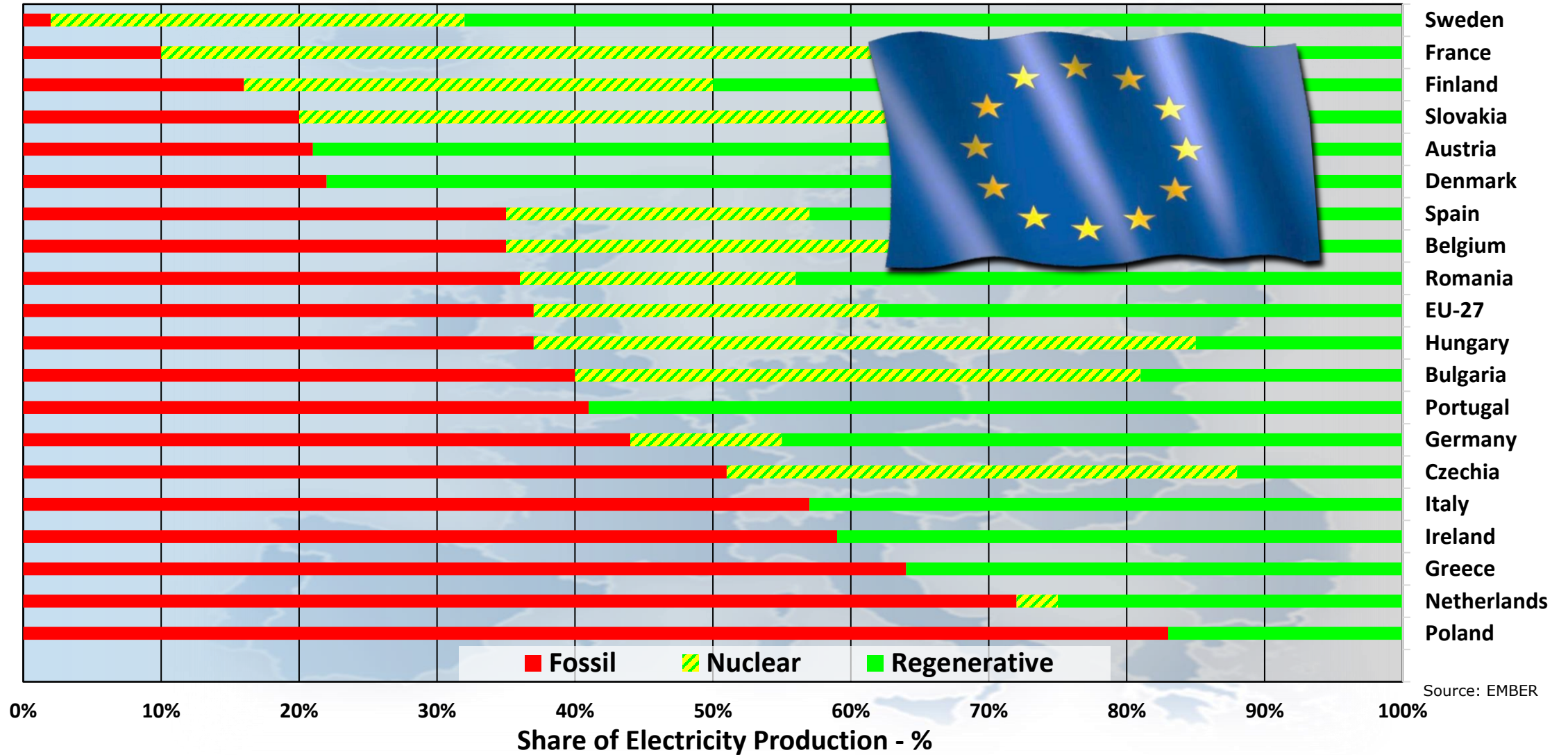


\*according to Commission Impact Assessment of vehicle uptake following the 'Fit for 55' proposals and assuming an average power output of approx. 15 kW per recharging station

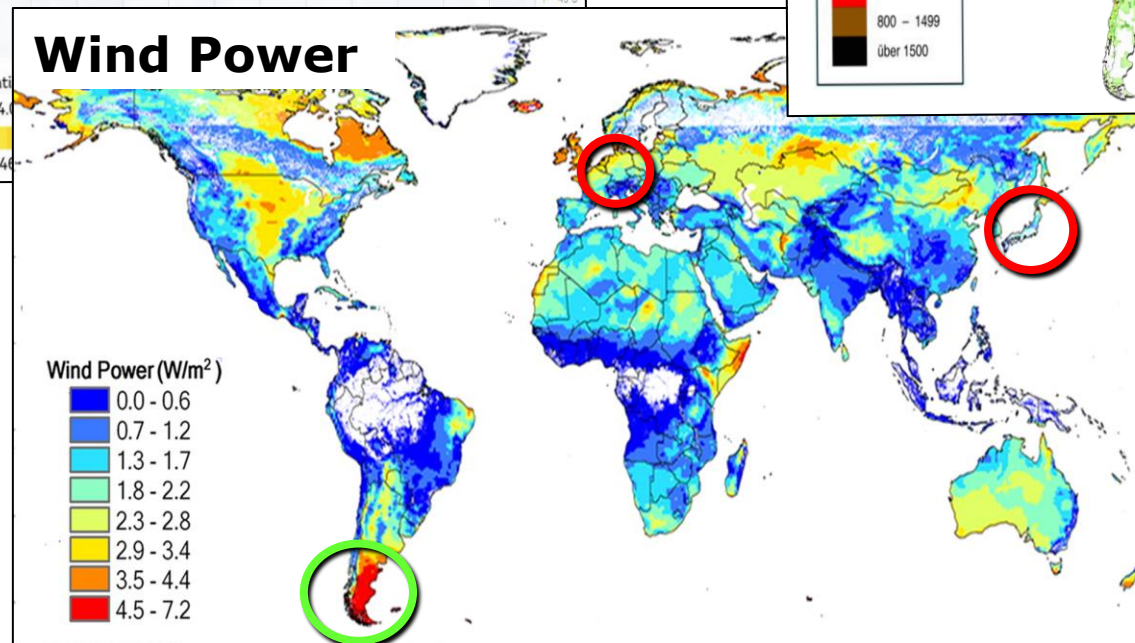
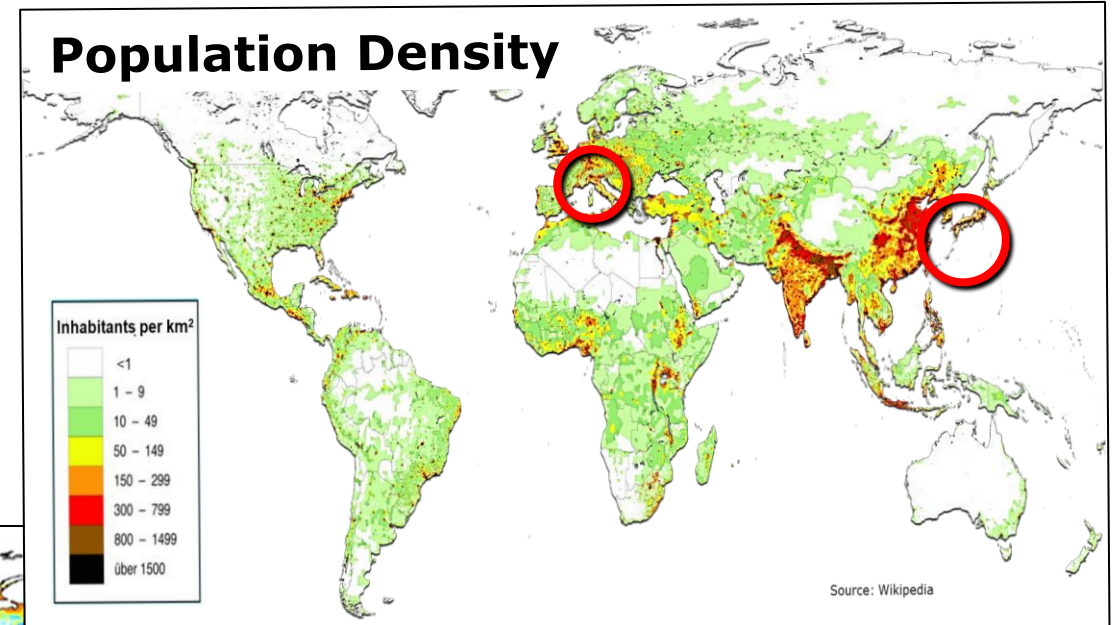
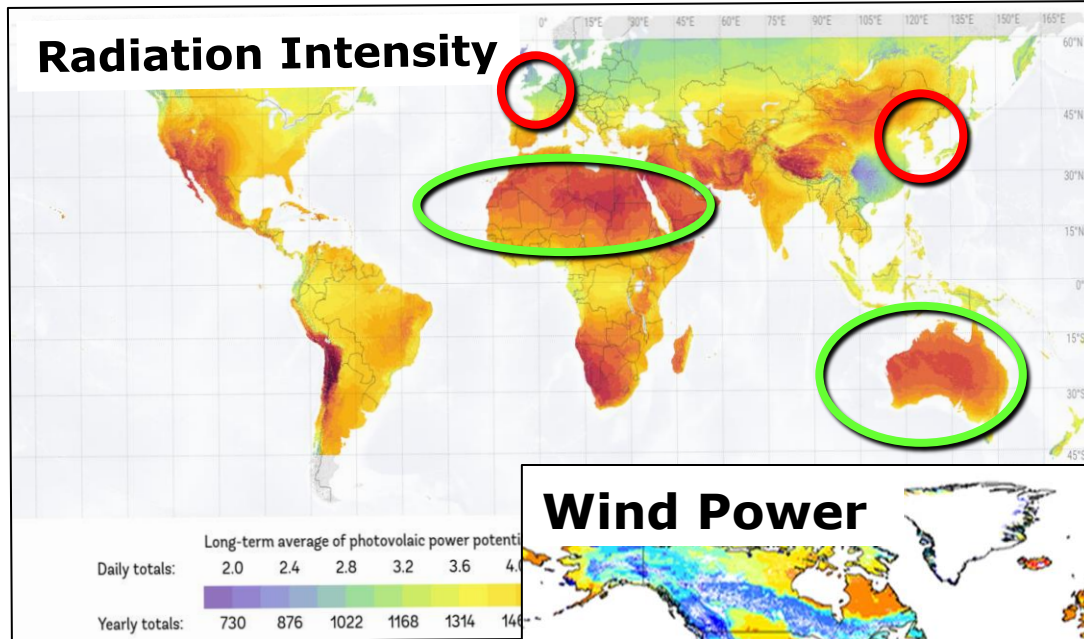
Source: Make Transport Greener Factsheet, European Commission, 14.07.2021



# Primary Energy Scenario EUROPE



# Prerequisites for Efficient Regenerative Energy Production



***Neither Europe nor Japan offer favorable boundaries for regenerative energy production → Import of green energy requires chemical energy carriers***



# **Political Challenge of Synthetic Fuels – EUROPE**

## **Political View**

**Inefficient option to  
elongate ICE life**

**Competing with BEV only  
strategy**

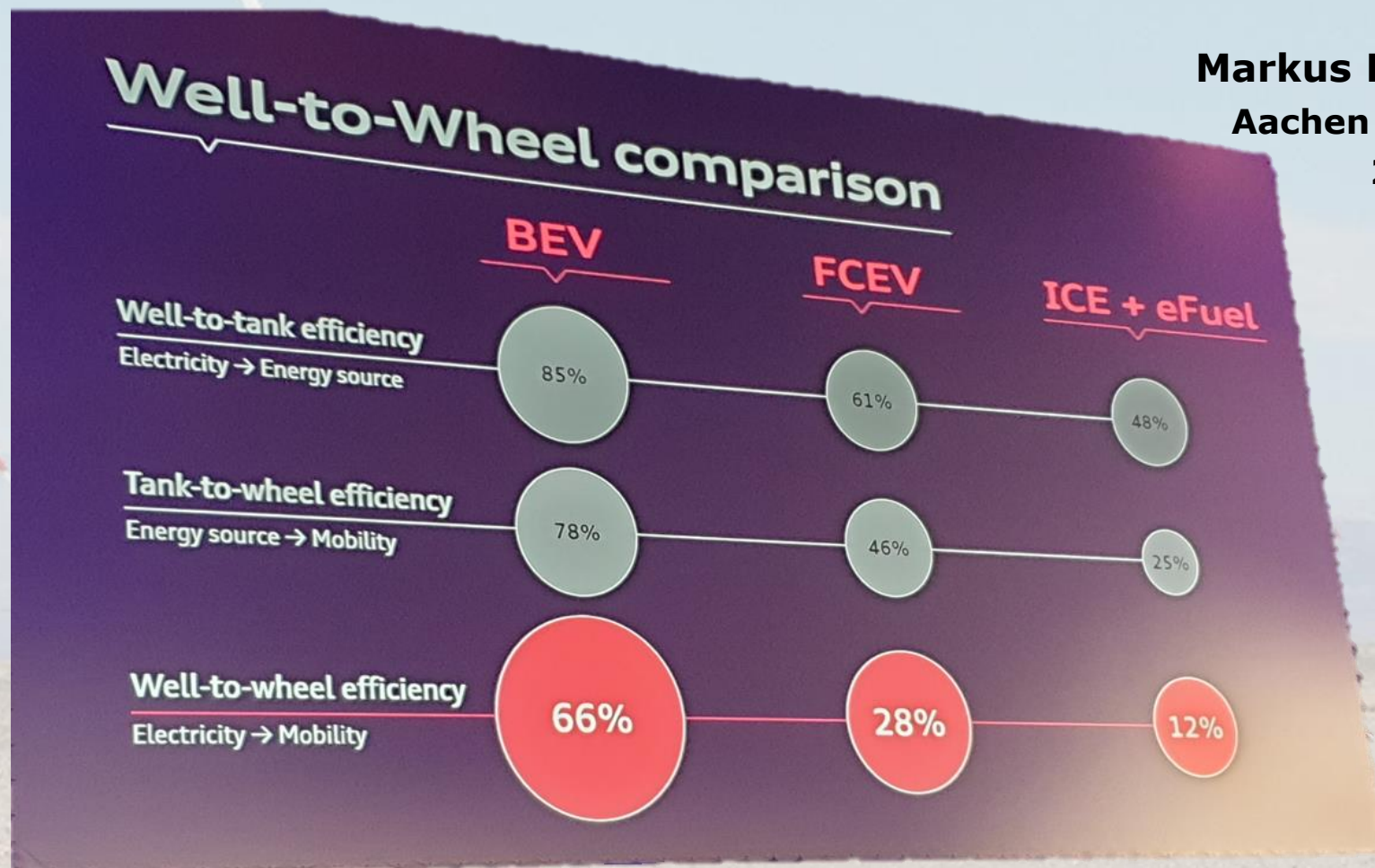
## **Technical Fact**

**Integral Part of Fully  
Regenerative Energy Scenario  
enabling access to renewable  
energy sources  
outside EU and large-scale  
storage of energy**

***Importance of e-Fuels to meet Paris Agreement not recognized neither by  
European, esp. German politics nor by public opinion  
Announcements of ICE-ban compromise investment decisions***

# Efficiency in Applying Renewable Energy - AUDI View

Markus Duesmann  
Aachen Colloquium  
2021-10-05



*This represents a quite common "Political View" on e-fuels in Europe*



# Efficiency in Energy Conversion of Renewable Fuels Germany vs. Chile

**Both countries:**

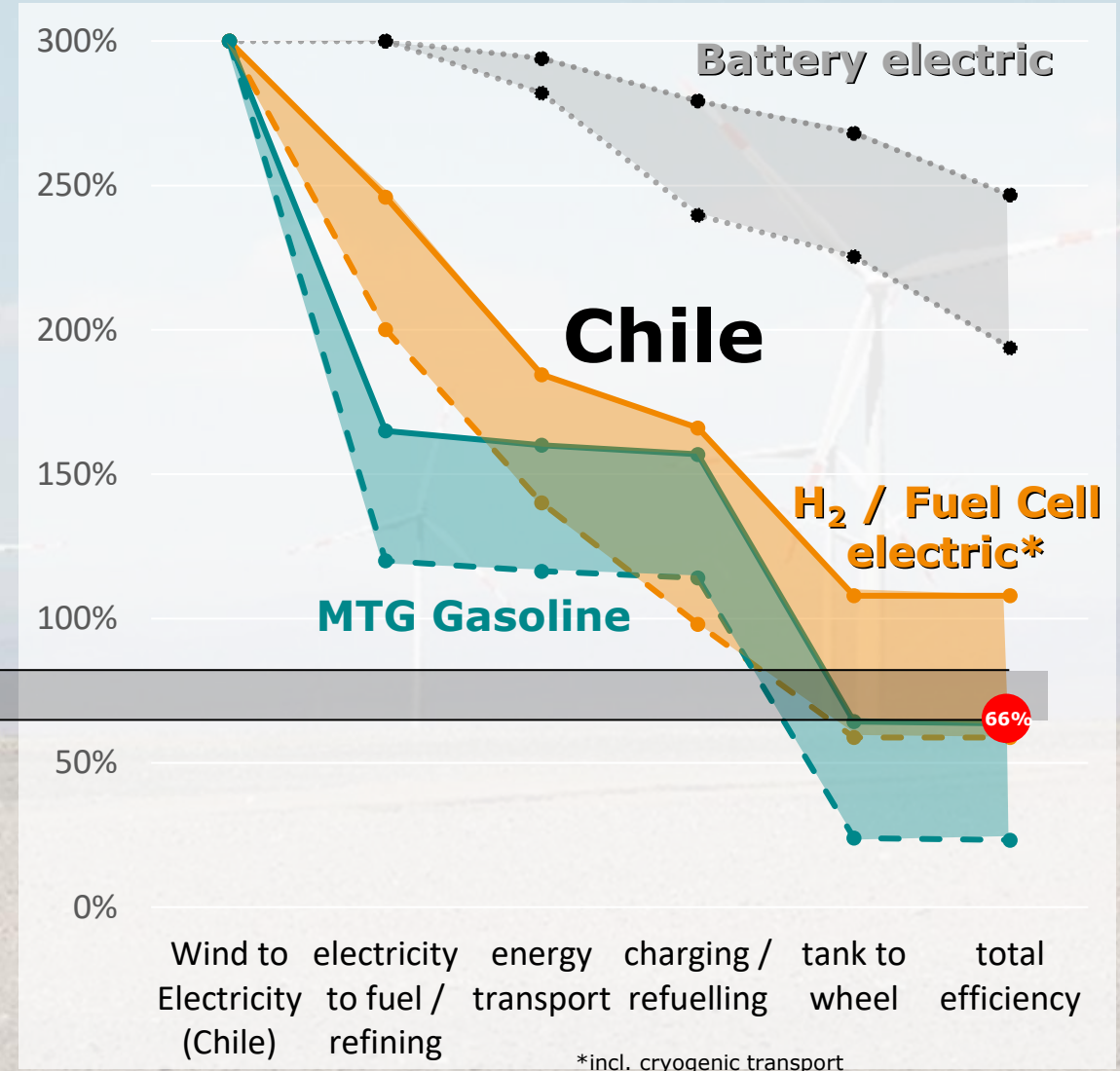
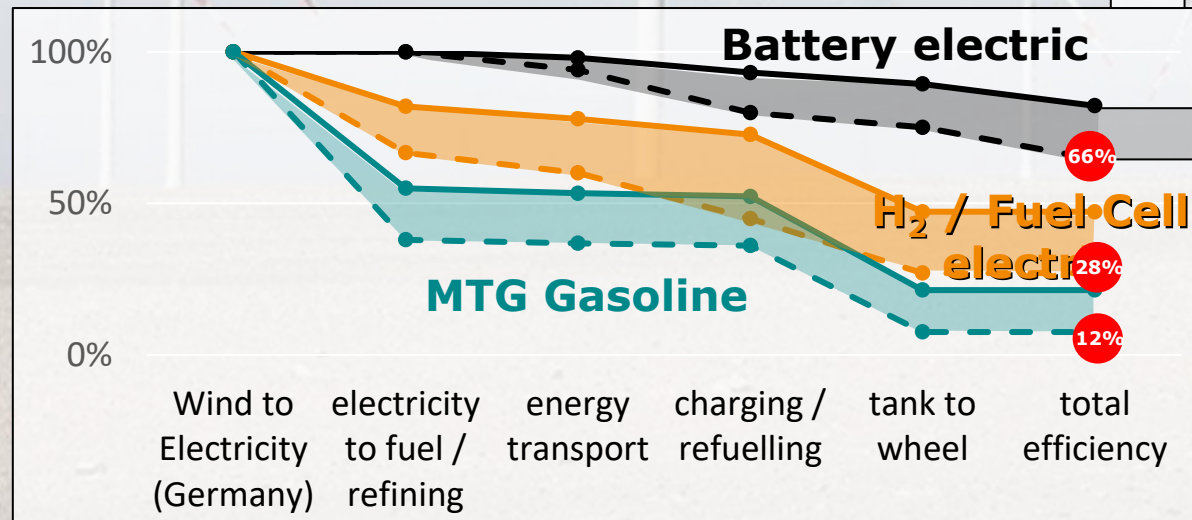
H<sub>2</sub> electrolysis efficiency: 67 – 82%

E-Fuel total process efficiency: 38 – 55%

**Germany**

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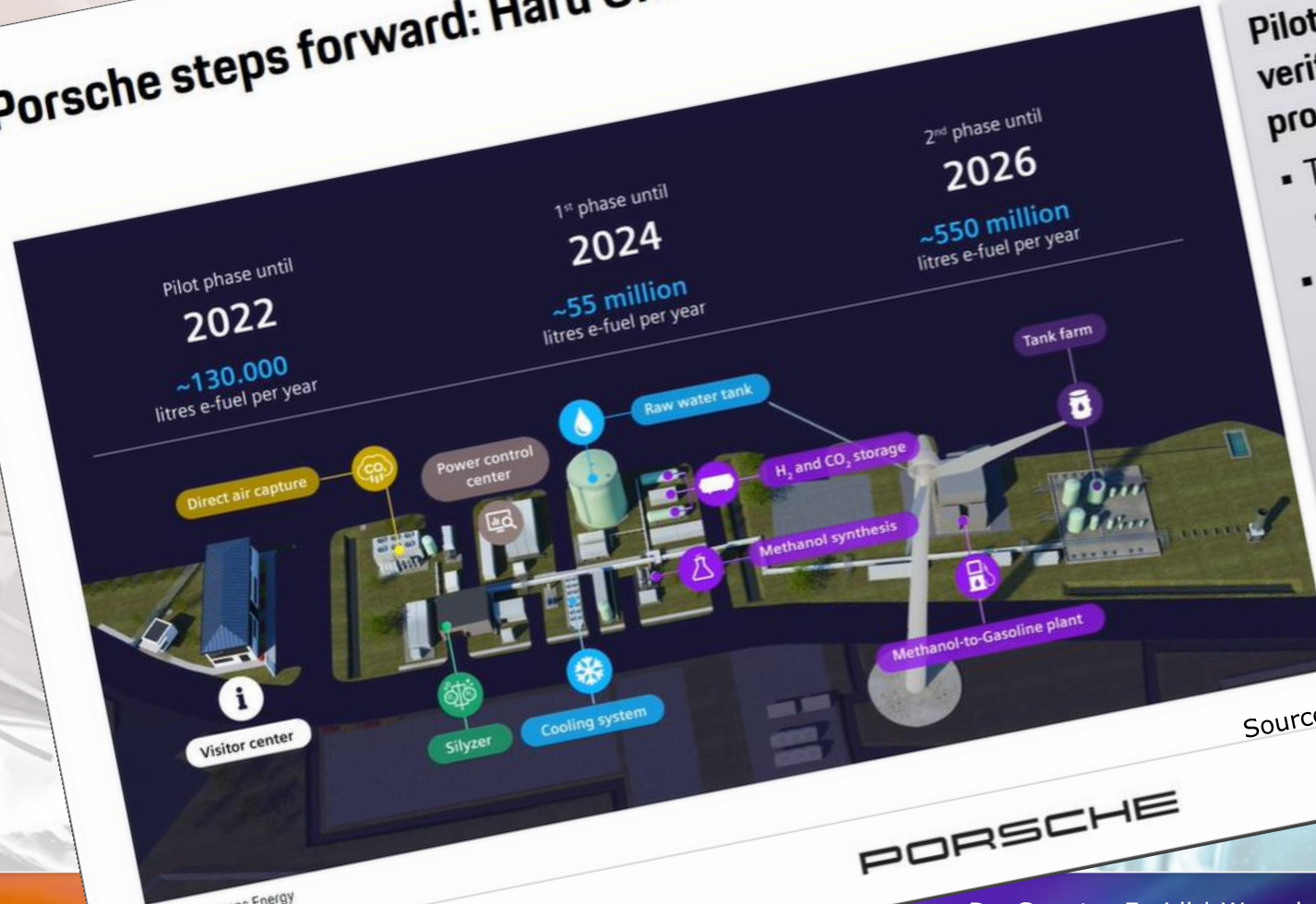
Wind Power



\*incl. cryogenic transport

# First Step towards Synthetic Fuels

## Porsche steps forward: Haru Oni – a Project of HIF (Highly Innovative Fuels)



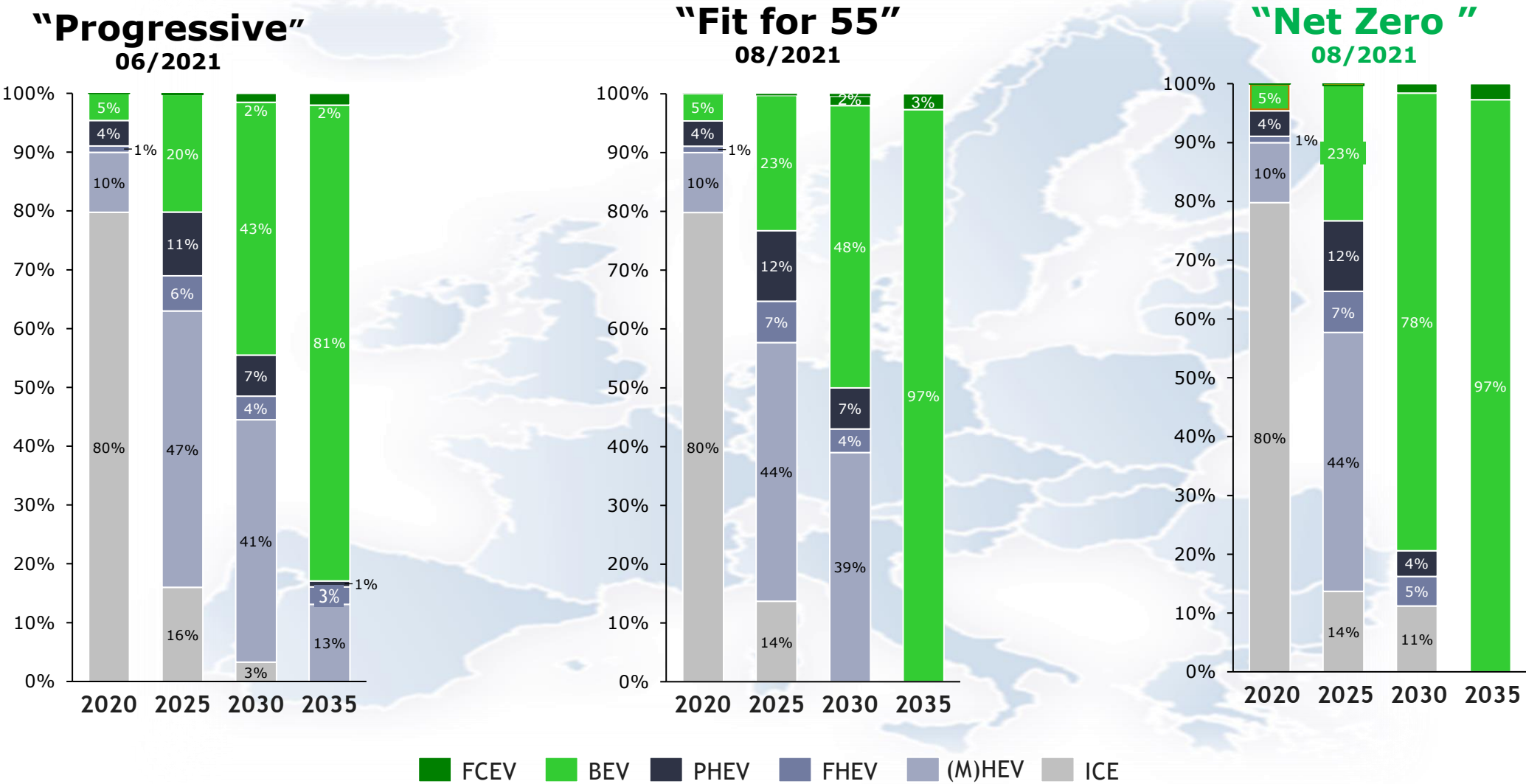
- Pilot plant for technology verification of the interlinked process steps:
- Technology path: from power supply to finished eGasoline.
  - Process steps: Wind power, direct air capture, electrolysis, methanol synthesis, gasoline synthesis.
  - Our Partners:



Source: K.Dums, Stuttgarter Symposium 30.3.2021



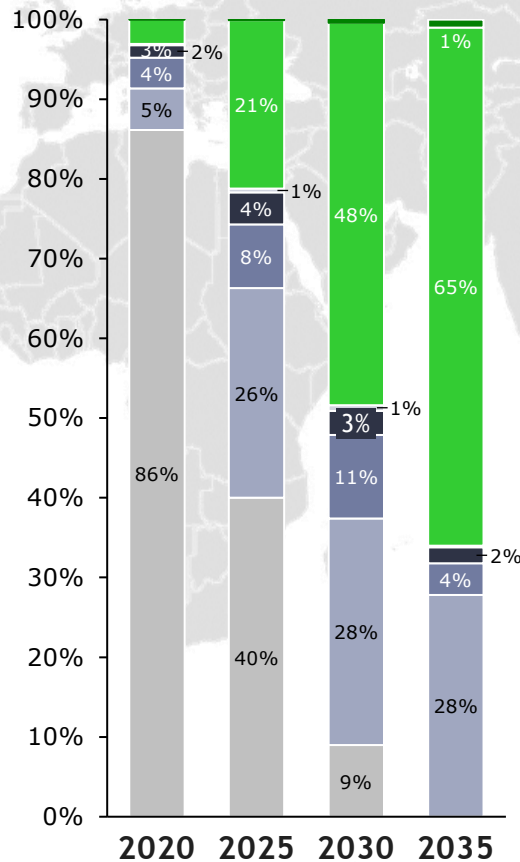
# Technology Outlook EUROPE - Different Scenarios



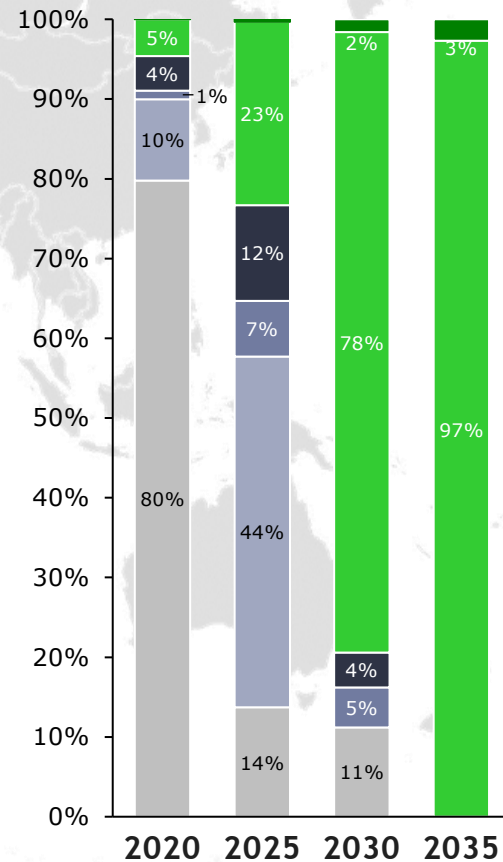
# Net Zero Scenario – Regional Powertrain Split (08/2021)

Getting closer for “Net Zero” in 2050 would entail a steep ramp-up of BEV sales until 2035 – e.g. to close to 97 % in Europe

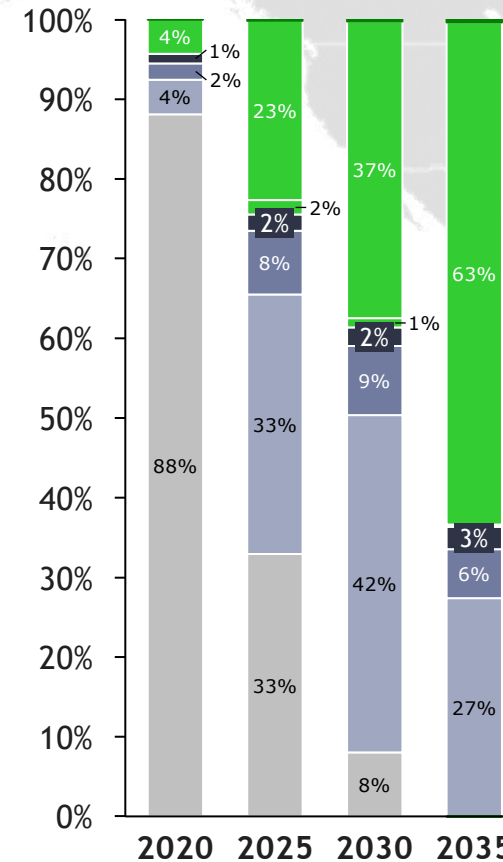
## Global



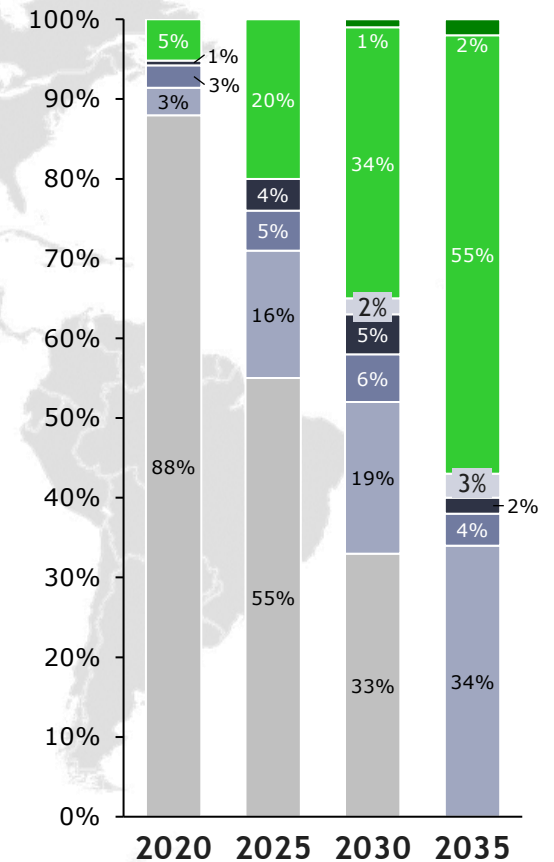
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## China



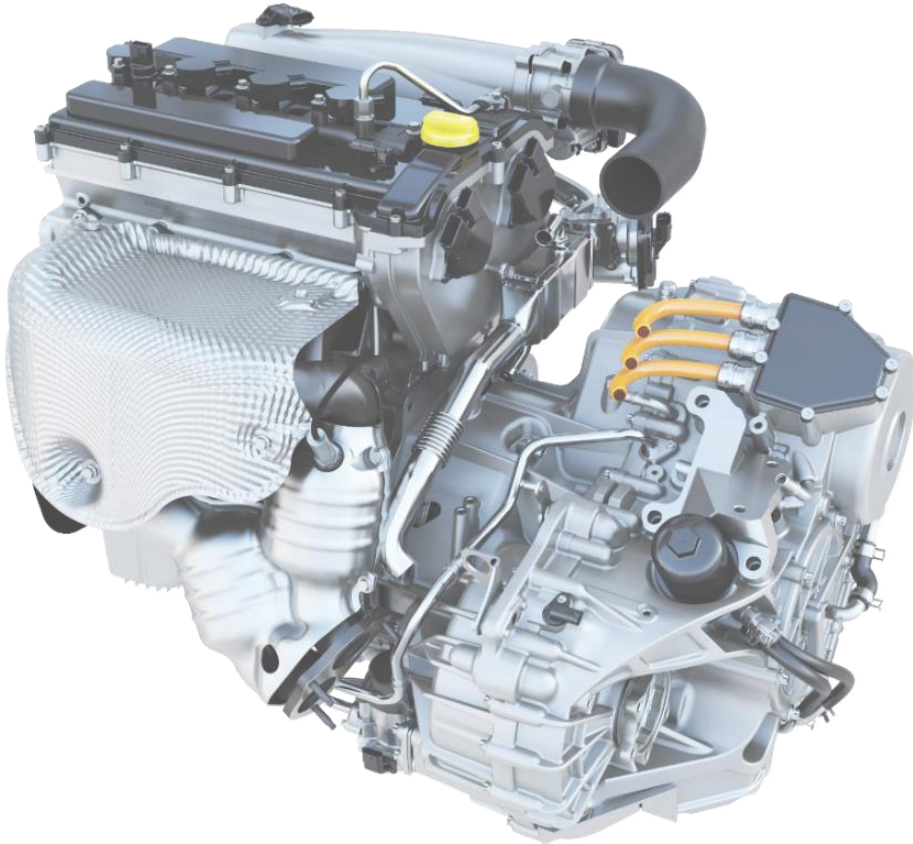
## USA



■ FCEV ■ BEV ■ PHEV ■ FHEV ■ (M)HEV ■ ICE

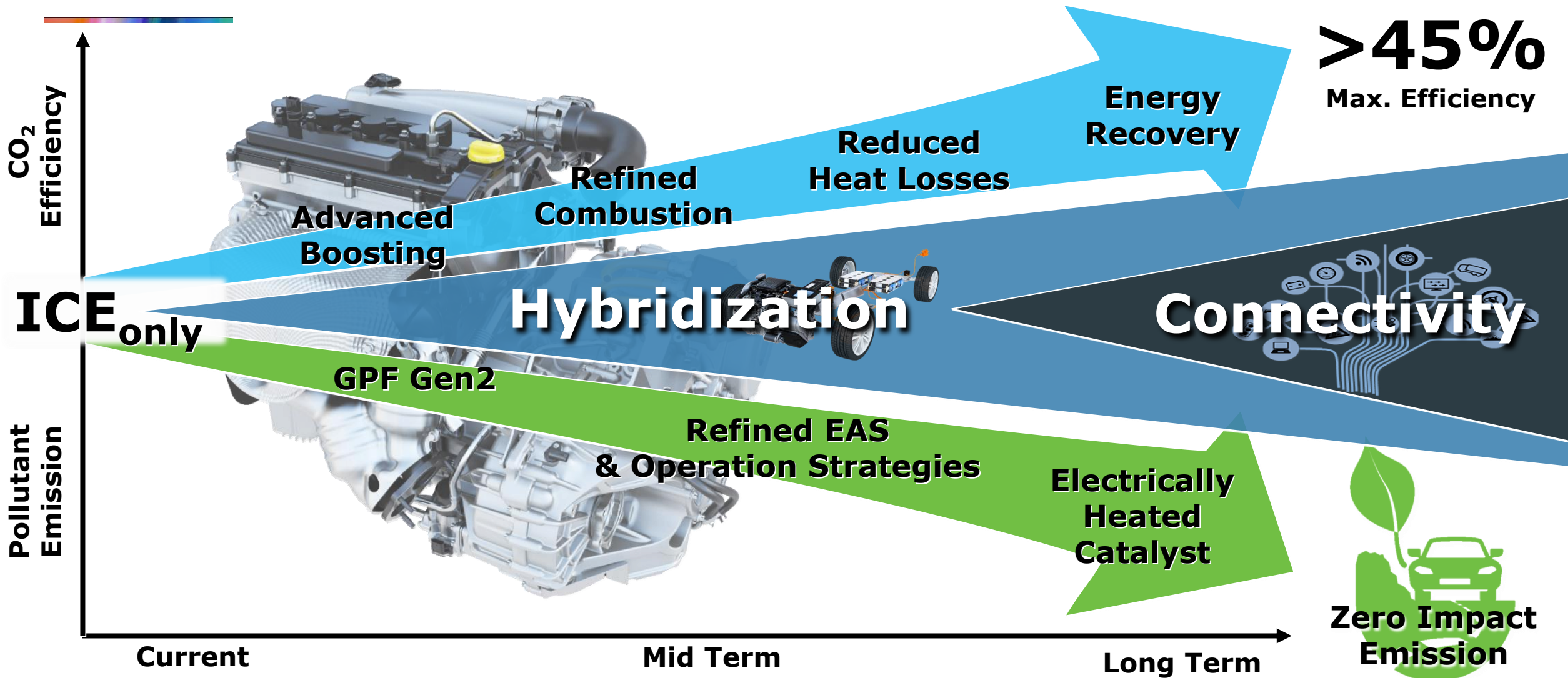


# Technology Options



# ICE / Hybrid

# Transformation of the ICE

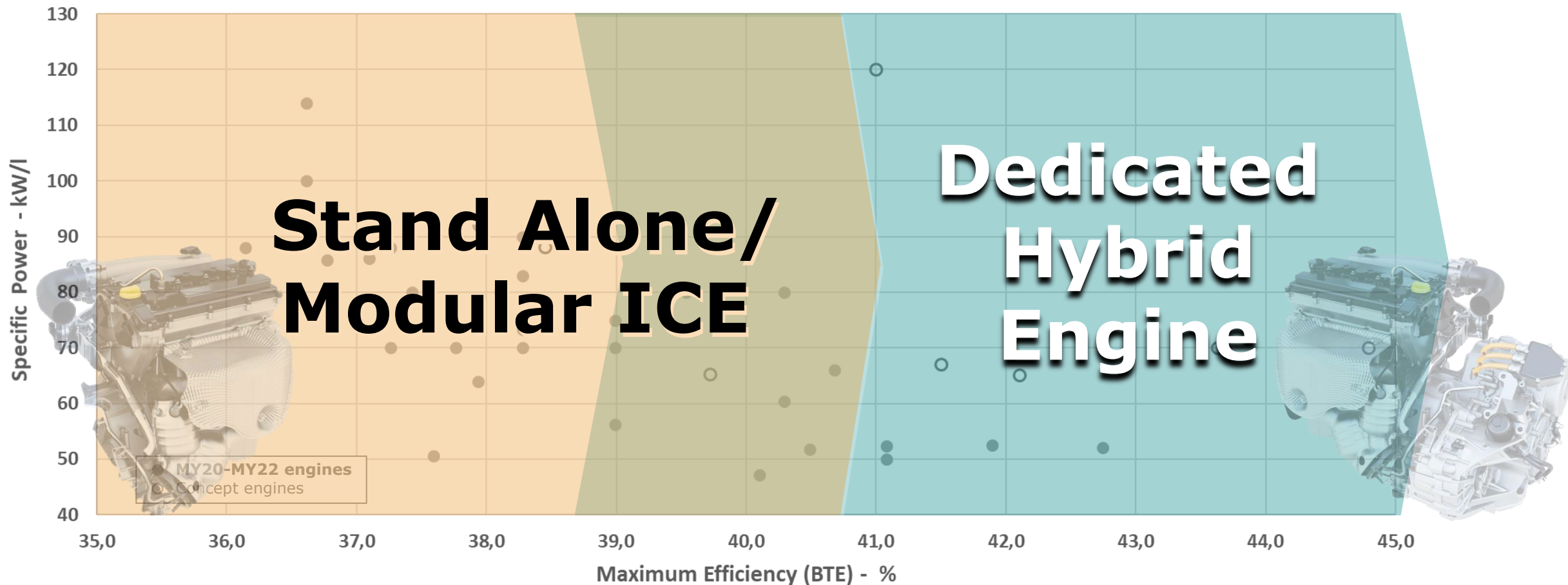




# Gasoline Engine Development Trends

## Performance vs. Efficiency

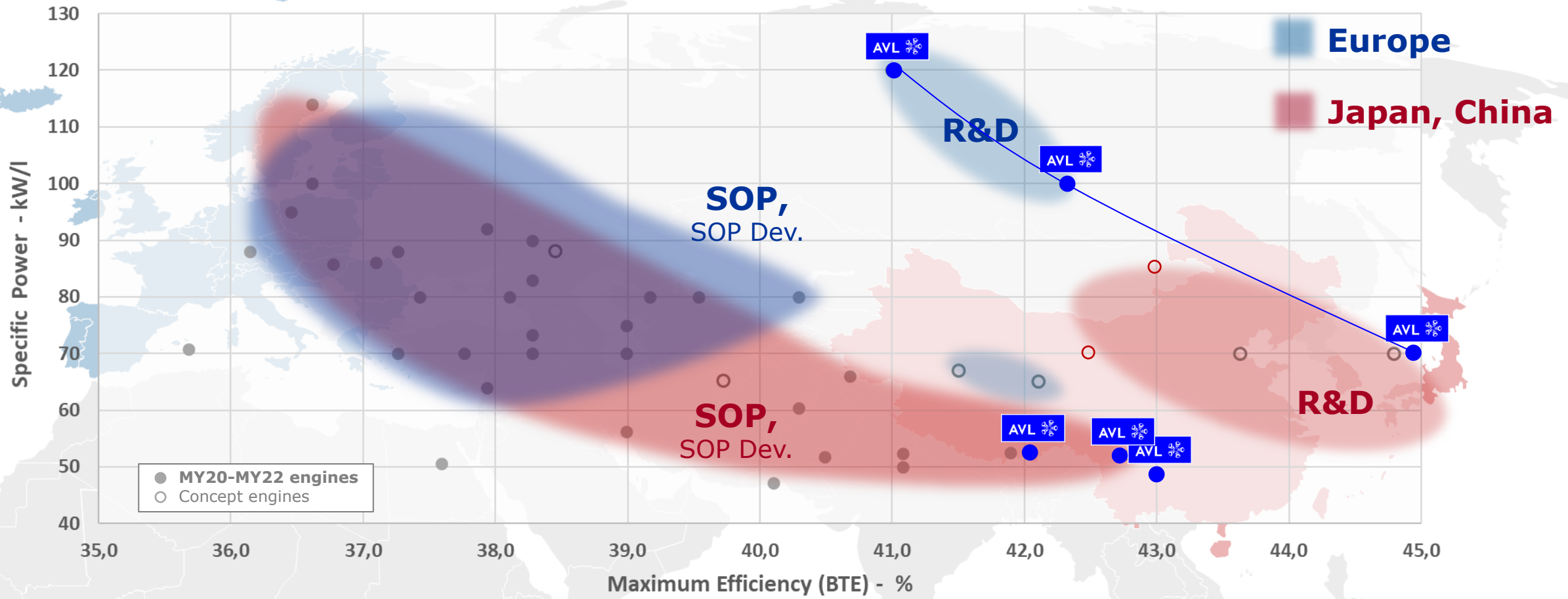
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# Gasoline Engine Development Trends

## EUROPE versus ASIA

Spec. Power versus max. Efficiency



***Europe is applying same base ICE's both for stand alone and with Hybrid, Asia is adding new DHE's***



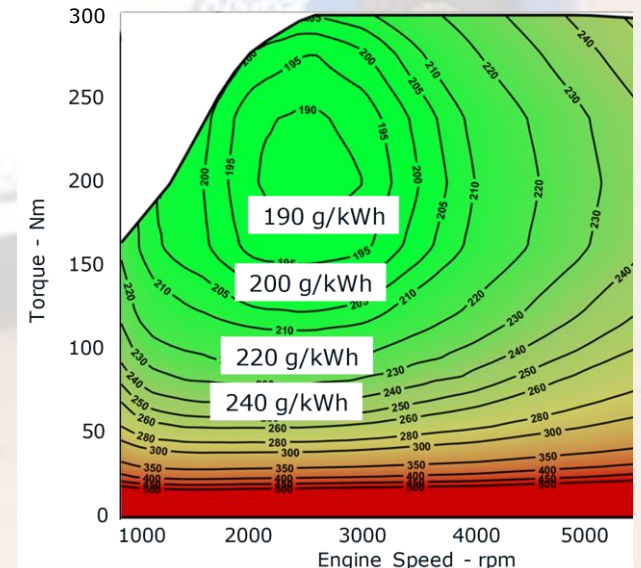
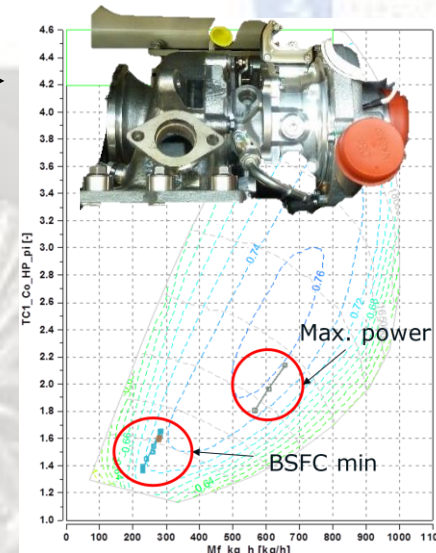
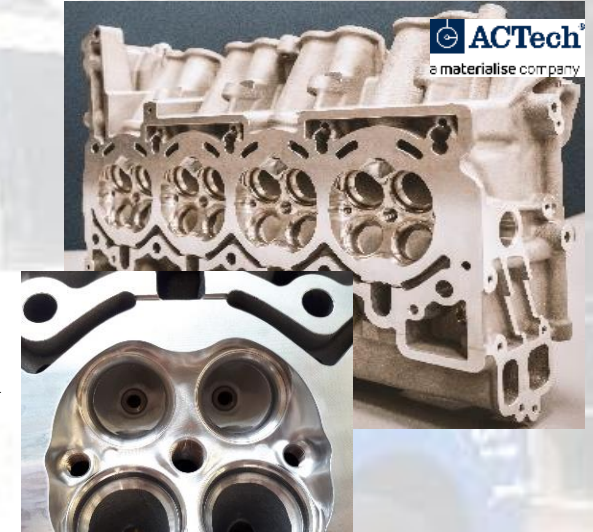
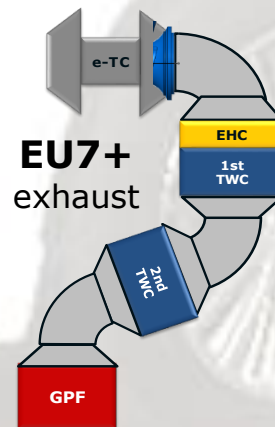
# Series/Parallel PHEV Demo with DHE\*) - 45% Peak Efficiency

- 2,5l I4 TC; up to 70 kW/l
- Cooled coated exhaust manifold
- Compression ratio >16:1; polished piston crown
- New cylinder head with 3 spark concept
- Atkinson cycle
- Cooled LP EGR
- Friction reduction
- E-TC with optimized efficiency
- Engine min. BSFC <190 g/kWh
- HV battery; plug-in capability
- Series / parallel operation
- Zero Impact Emission exhaust system

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Sealing Technologies

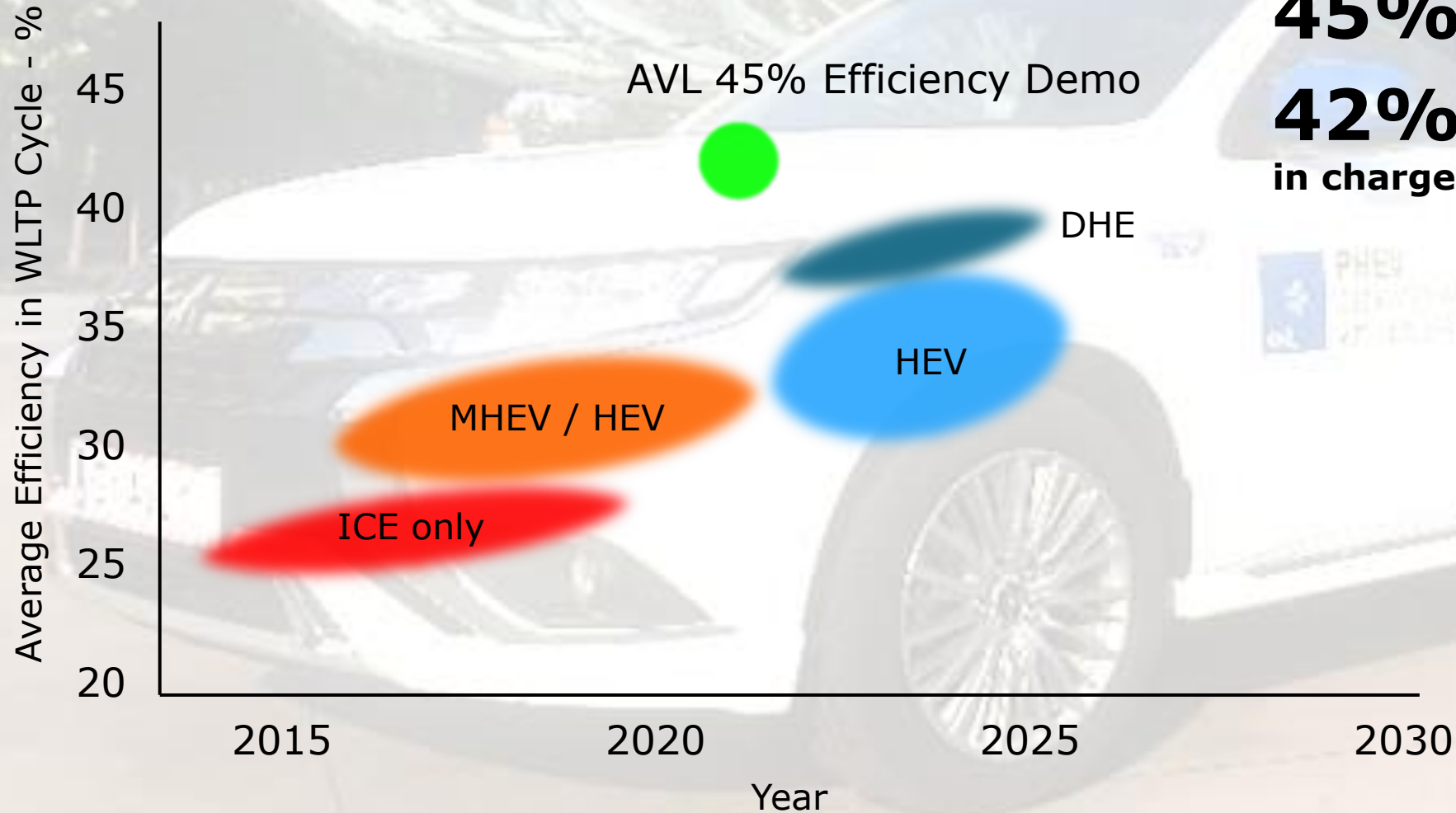


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ADVANCING MOTION



\*) Dedicated Hybrid Engines

# Dedicated Hybrid Engine - Average ICE Efficiency in WLTP



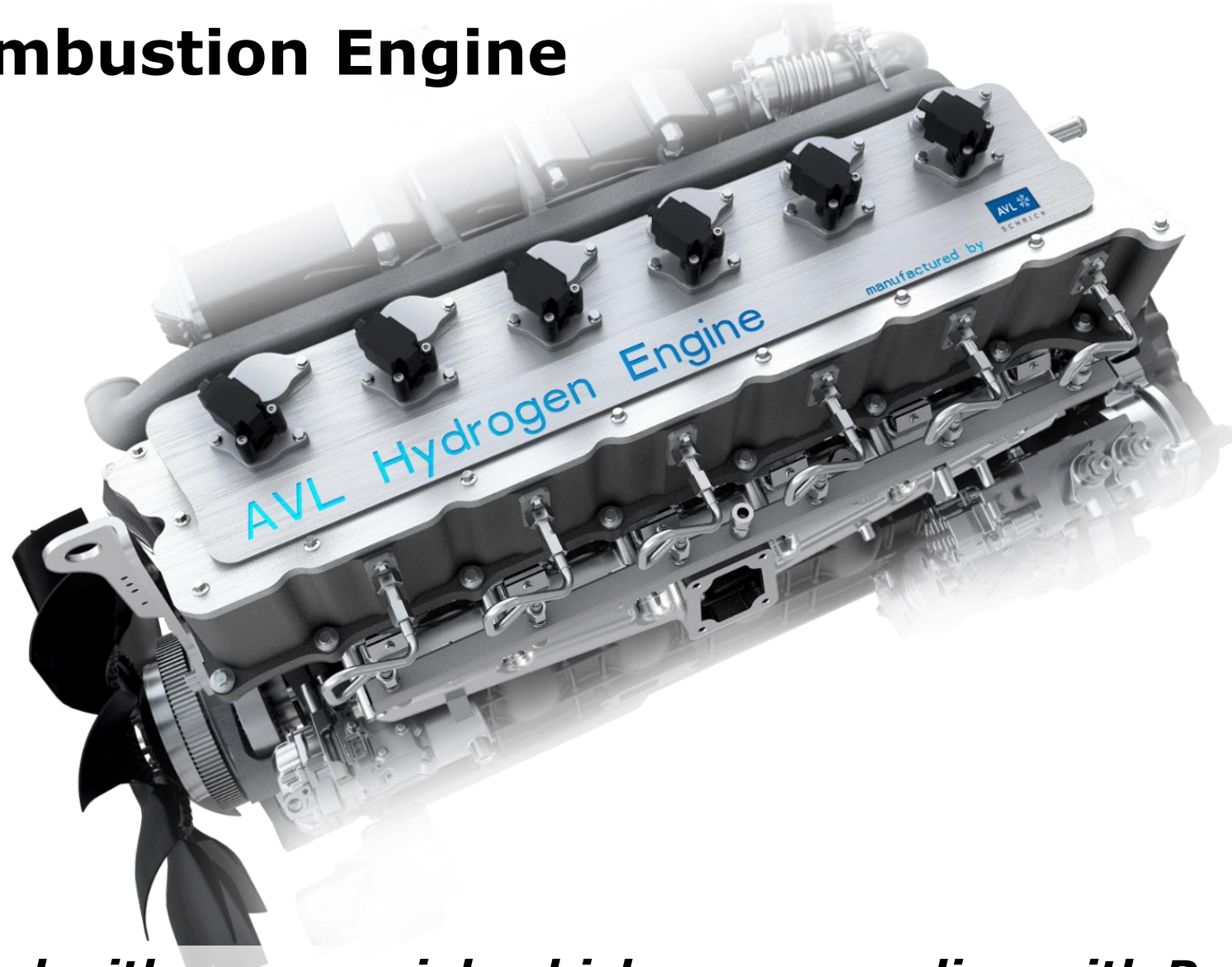
**45%** max. efficiency

**42%** avg. in WLTP  
in charge sustaining mode\*)

\*) recalculated based on validated baseline simulation



# Hydrogen Combustion Engine



***H<sub>2</sub>-ICE has started with commercial vehicles – proceeding with PassCars ?***

# Hydrogen Internal Combustion Engine

Current Global H<sub>2</sub>-ICE activities: OEMs and Suppliers

	US	Europe	India	China	Japan
PC H <sub>2</sub> -ICE	No activities	Growing interest	No activities	Advanced projects	Advanced / Racing projects
Bus & Truck H <sub>2</sub> -ICE	No major H <sub>2</sub> -ICE activities	Global epicenter of H <sub>2</sub> -ICE (11-13l engines) Fleet-CO <sub>2</sub> reduction as driver (-30% in 2030)	First H <sub>2</sub> -ICE activities on OEM side ARAI starting to investigate H <sub>2</sub> -ICE	Growing interest in H <sub>2</sub> -ICE technology Still focus on CH <sub>4</sub> /Methanol	As hydrogen is a major pillar in future energy policy strong interest in H <sub>2</sub> -ICE
NRMM H <sub>2</sub> -ICE	No activities	High interest	No activities	No activities	High interest

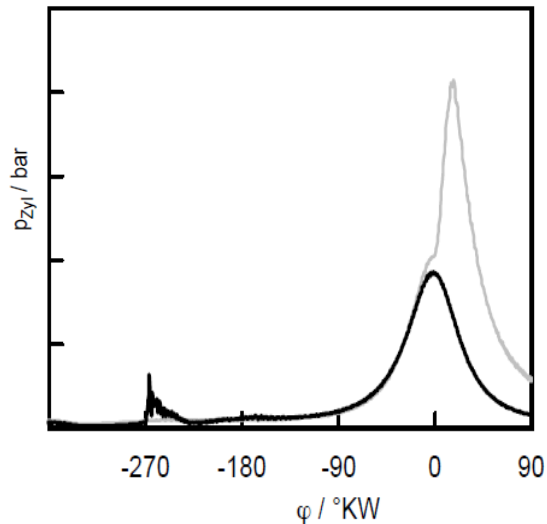
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# Hydrogen Internal Combustion Engine

## H<sub>2</sub> Engine Operation Challenges

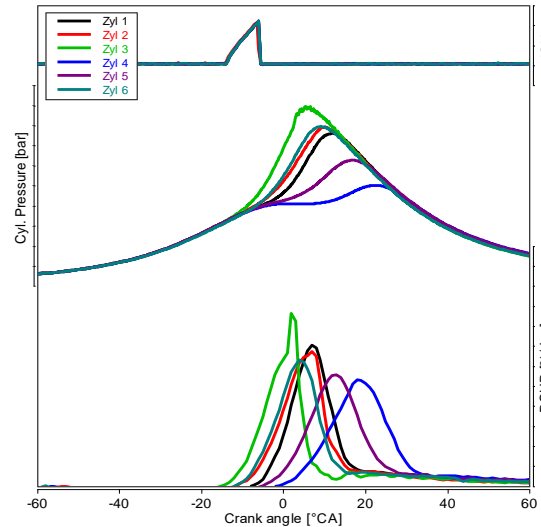
### Backfire



#### Backfire into suction path

- inflammation during suction phase on hot sources
- occurring for PFI concepts

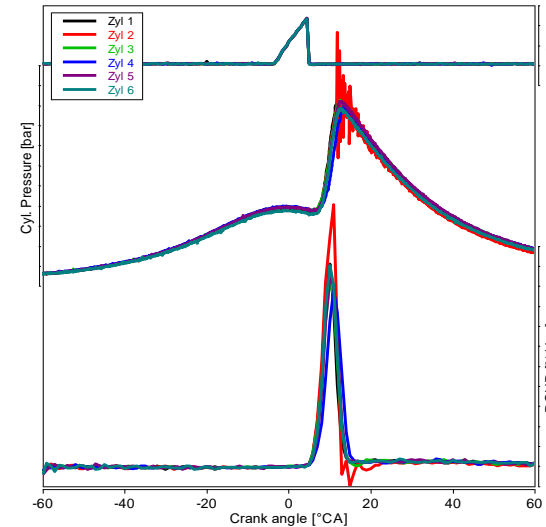
### Pre-Ignition



#### Pre-Ignition

- H<sub>2</sub> molecule highly reactive
- weak ignition sources may serve sufficiently for IRC

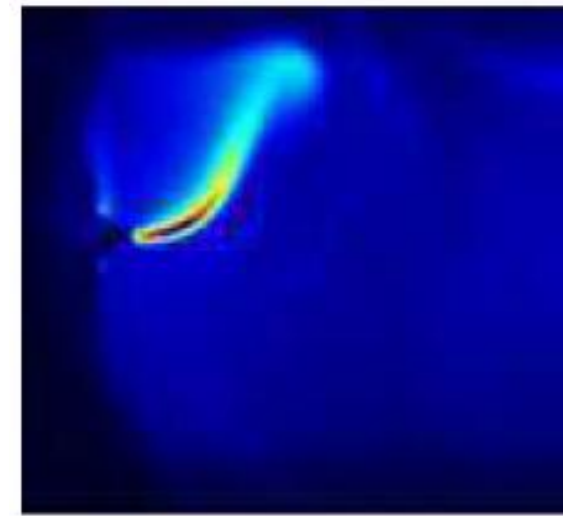
### Knocking



#### Knock

- H<sub>2</sub> molecule highly reactive
- especially prone to knocking in stoichiometric conditions

### DI Injector Leakage



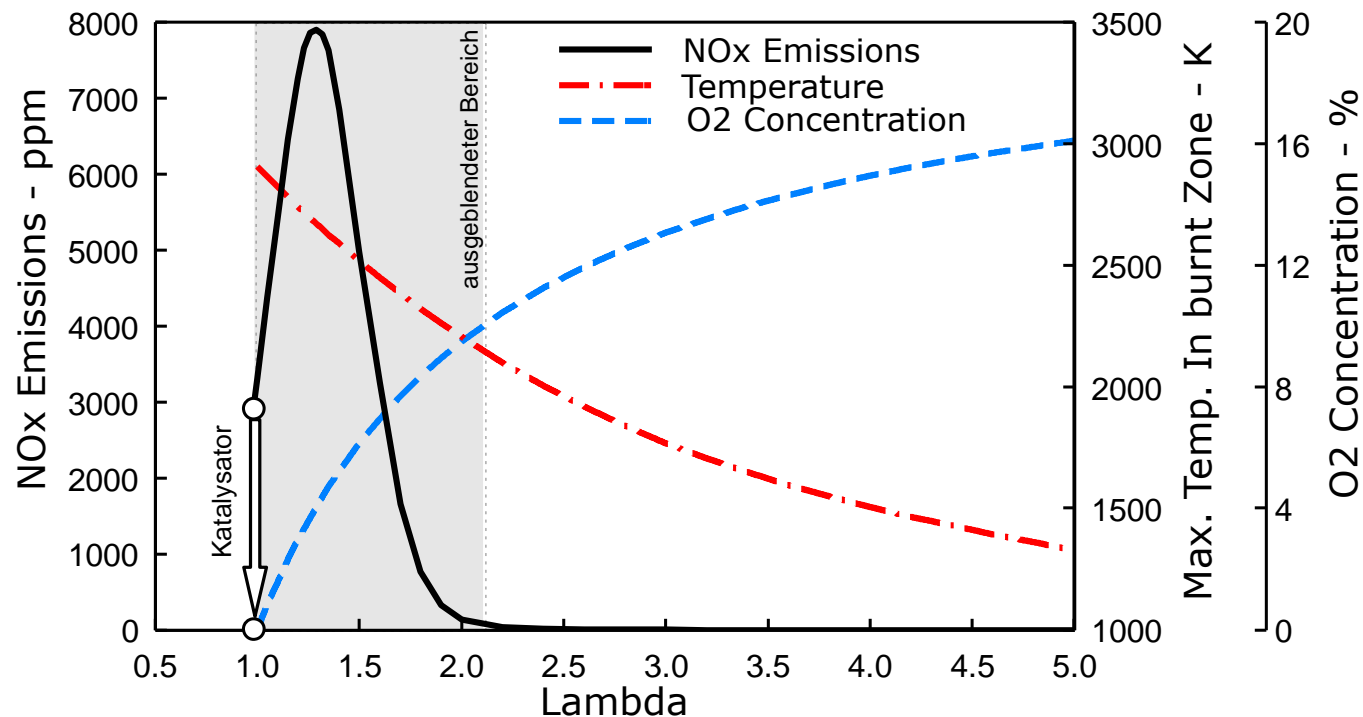
#### Hydrogen DI Injector Leakage

- small H<sub>2</sub> molecule
- no lubrication capability
- issue for DI inj. tightness/lifetime

# Hydrogen Internal Combustion Engine

## H<sub>2</sub> Engine Emission Behavior – Concept Idea with TWC only

- Example: Emission behavior of a H<sub>2</sub> ICE with external mixture formation
- No carbon based emissions except for lube oil origins (detection level)
- Noteworthy NO<sub>x</sub> emissions at  $1.0 \leq \lambda \leq 2.1$  → operation strategy that avoids this area



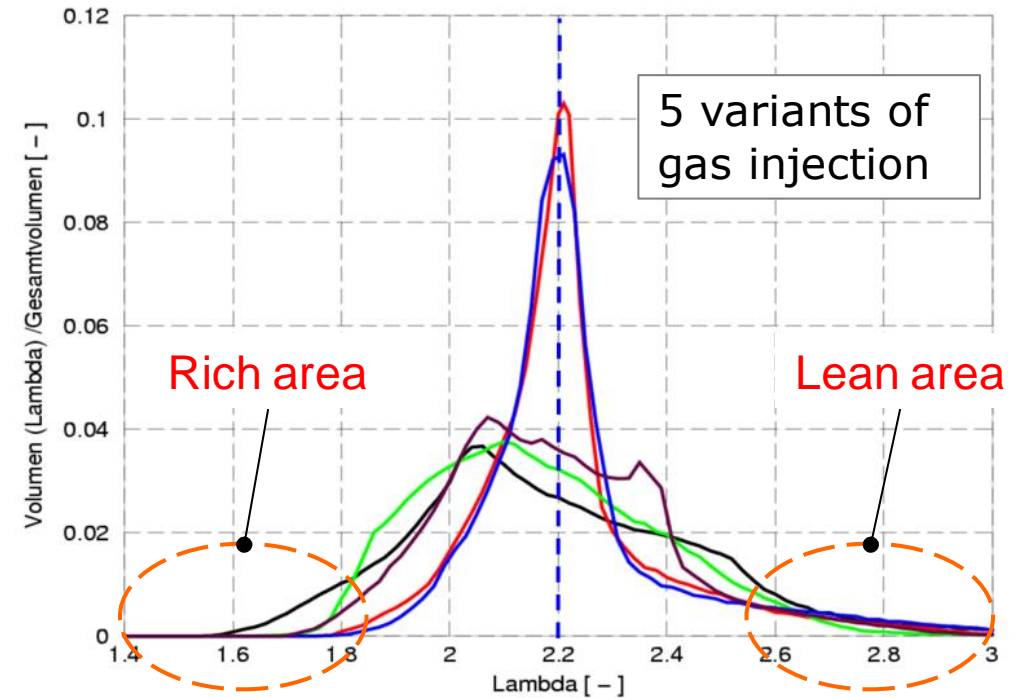
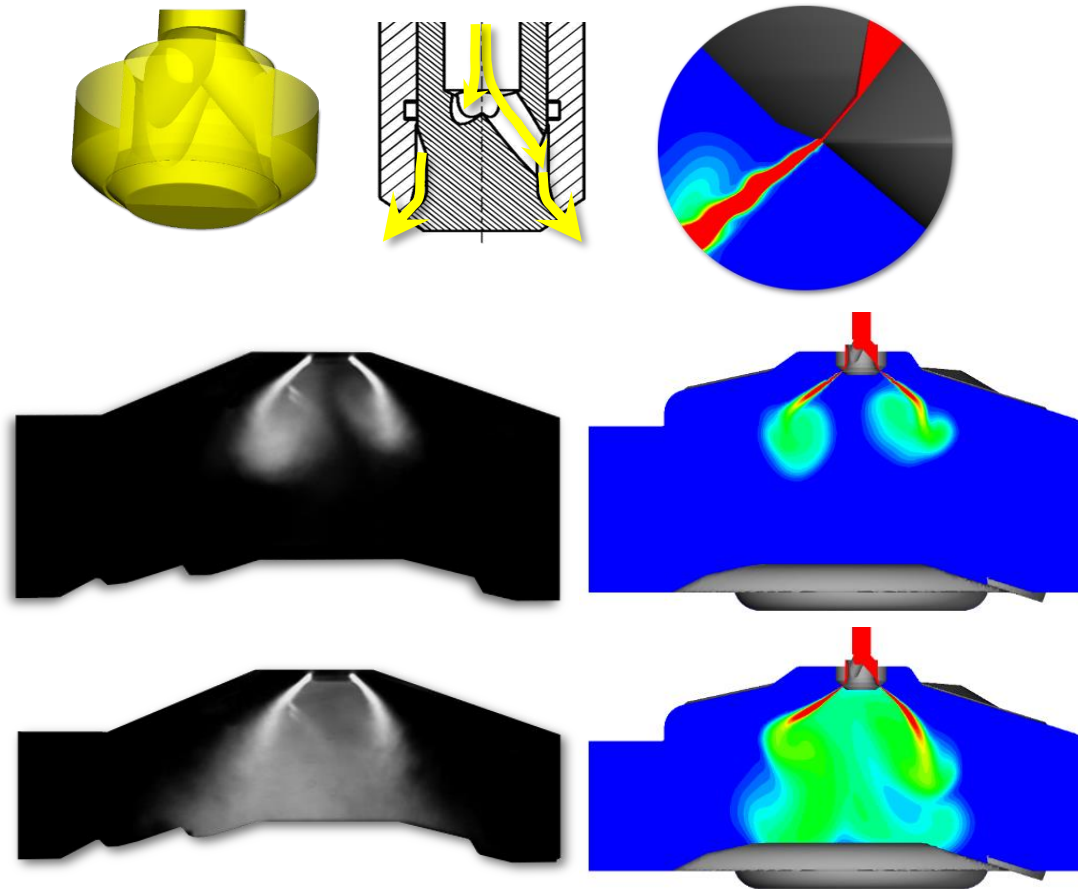
- ➔ Lean operation at part load (no NO<sub>x</sub>-formation with lambda > 2)
- ➔ Switching to lambda = 1.0 at higher loads (conventional TWC after-treatment possible)
- ➔ could help avoid additional NO<sub>x</sub> after-treatment
- ➔ Potential to meet SULEV emission standard

Source: Eichseder, H.; Klell, M.: „Wasserstoff in der Fahrzeugtechnik – Erzeugung, Speicherung, Anwendung“, ISBN 978-3-8348-0478-5, Vieweg+Teubner, 2008



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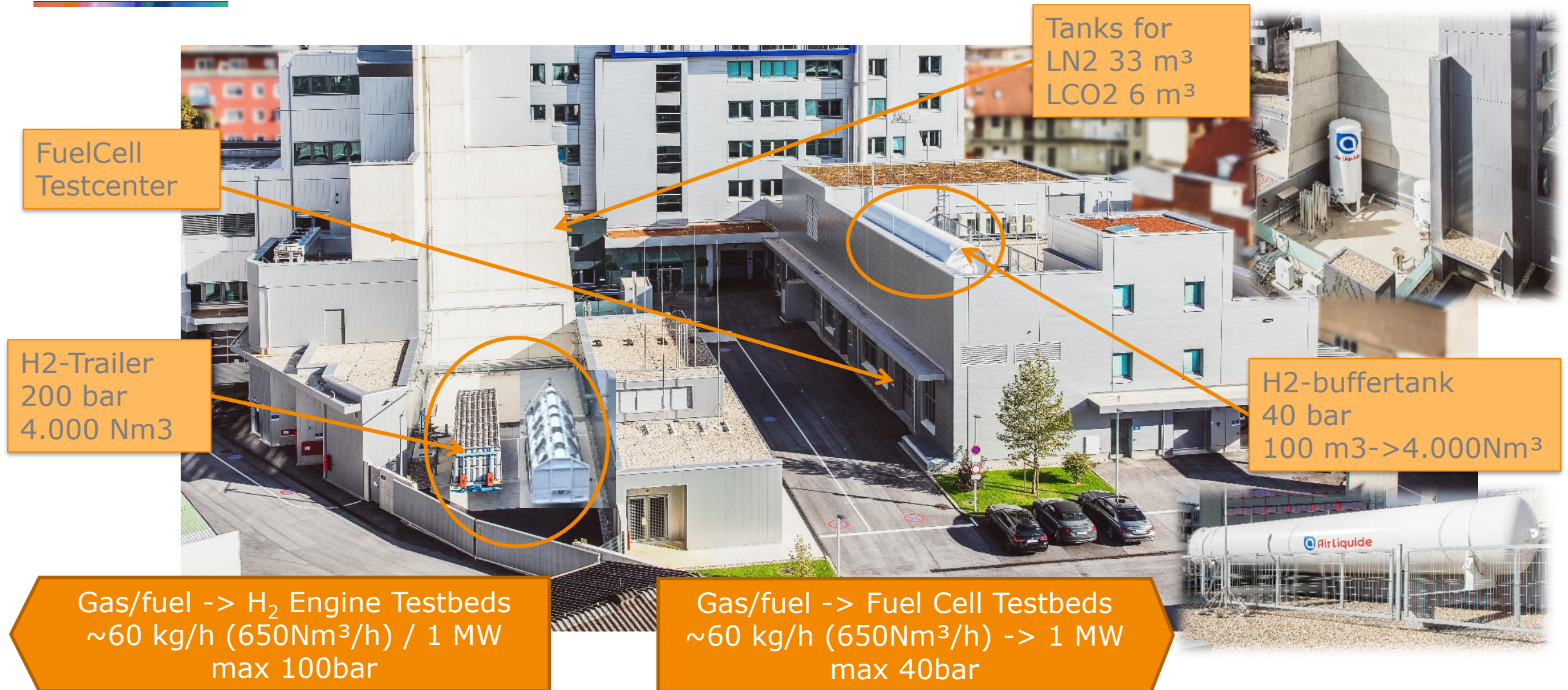
Example: CFD Simulation of Mixture Preparation with H<sub>2</sub> DI



**H<sub>2</sub> DI: Mixture preparation is key to low NO<sub>x</sub>/efficient comb.**

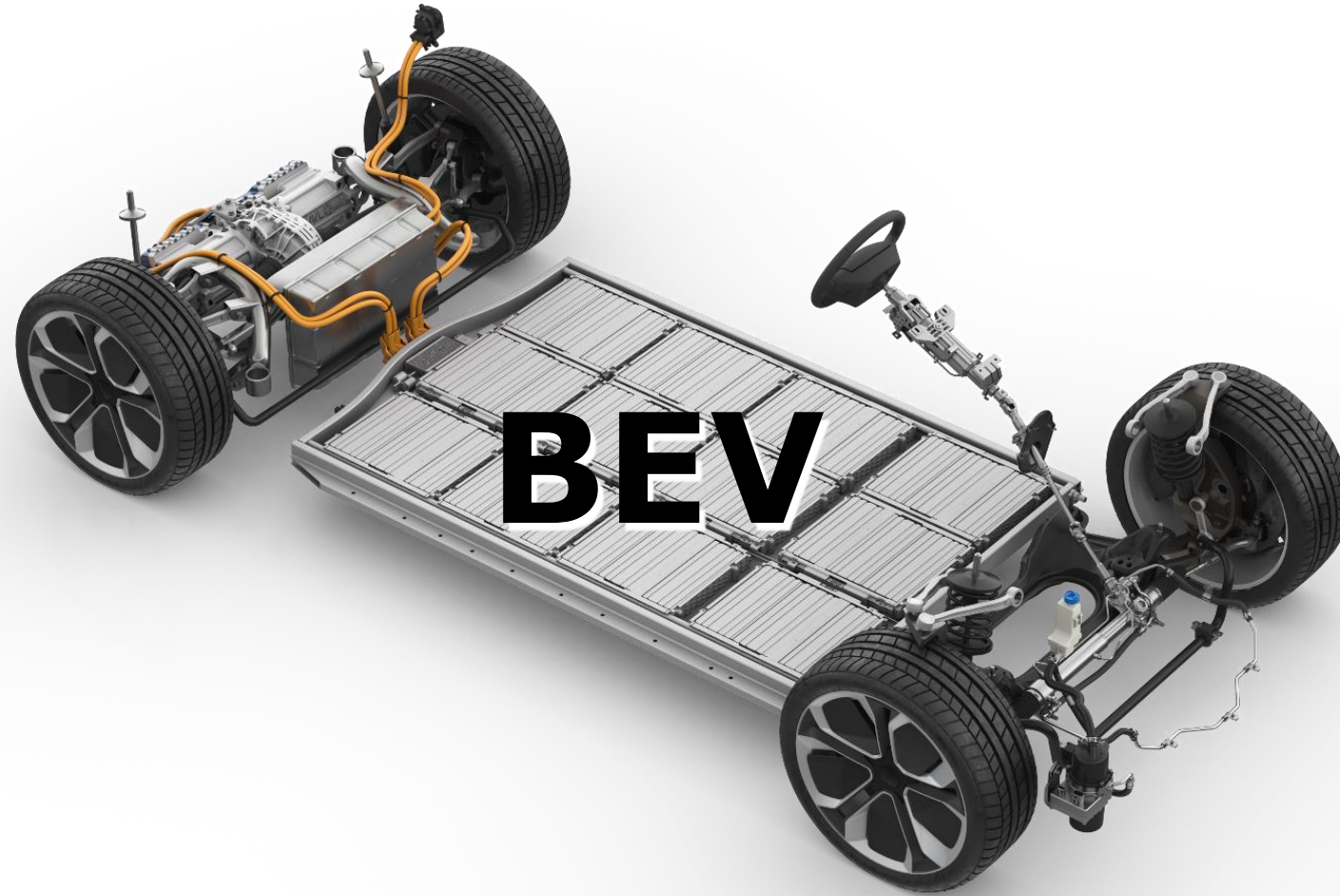
- Gas Jet Formation
- Multiple Gas Jet Interaction
- Interaction Gas Jet(s) vs. Air Charge Motion
- Interaction Gas Jet(s) vs. Surrounding Walls
- CFD Setup & Verification

# Hydrogen Center Graz





# Technology Options





# eCarTec Award 2012:

Bavarian State Award for Electric Mobility



**AWARD  
WINNER**



**Winner in the category “Drive Technology, System Electrics, Testing Systems”: Coupe 800 – AVL Software and Functions GmbH**

Press Release eCarTec, Munich in October 2012



***AVL pioneering 800V since 2011 – 1<sup>st</sup> award already 2012***

# Innovative Efficiency Improvement of Electric Vehicle



2021 Advanced  
AVL R&D

## Integrated Dual SiC-Inverter

w/ common DC-Link & interleaving

Performance

Compact



## 800 V technology

for high performance, fast charging

Performance

Efficiency

Compact

## Dual motor & dual transmission

enables torque vectoring

Performance

## 30.000 rpm direct oil cooled E-Motor

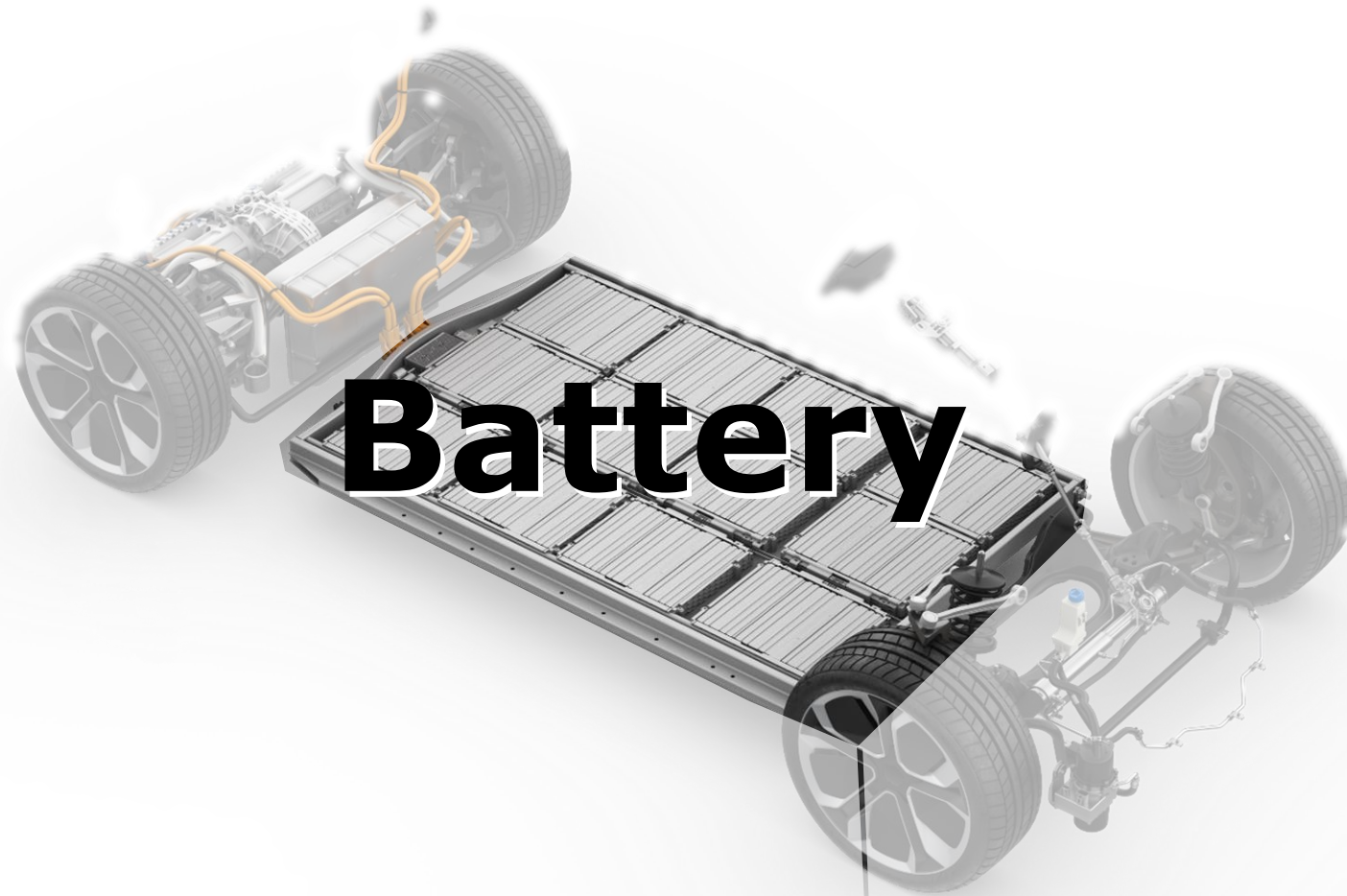
provides reduced weight, volume & high cont. power

Performance

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# Technology Options



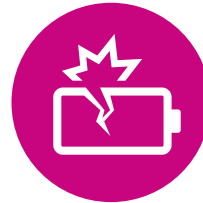


# Battery Future Challenges



## Range & Performance

Performance @ charging & driving  
High installed energy &  
reduced weight



## Safety

No safety concerns for any  
electric vehicles



## Cost Optimization

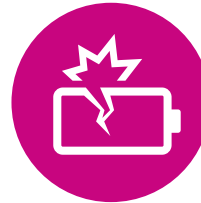
Product Costs  
Time2Market  
Lifecycle

# Battery Solutions



## Range & Performance

Cell2Pack & Cell2Chassis  
Optimization of Thermal System



## Safety

Thermal Runaway Analysis to  
achieve "no thermal propagation"



## Cost Optimization

Derivative Development Process  
AVL battery innovation center:  
Combination of functional and  
process development



# Cell 2 Pack Concept BYD Han vs. Tesla

	Cell	Module	Pack	Chassis
  Model 3 75 LR 2017	 21700 (Cyl.) <b>NCA/G</b> 242 Wh/kg, 683 Wh/L	 1150 cells <b>4 modules</b> 203 Wh/kg, <b>453 Wh/L</b>	 160 Wh/kg 230 Wh/L <b>Grav. C/P 64%</b> <b>Volum. C/P 34%</b> 79,2 kWh	 <b>Dedicated Platform</b>
  Han 82kWh, 2020	 Prismatic "Blade" <b>LFP/G</b> 165 Wh/kg, 448 Wh/L	 No module	 140 Wh/kg 237 Wh/L <b>Grav. C/P 85%</b> <b>Volum. C/P 53%</b> 82 kWh	 <b>Dedicated Platform</b>

**C/P...Gravimetric ratio:** Weight of cells/Weight of pack (in %); **Pictures:** AVL Series Battery Benchmark, [www.tesla.com](http://www.tesla.com), [www.electrive.net](http://www.electrive.net)

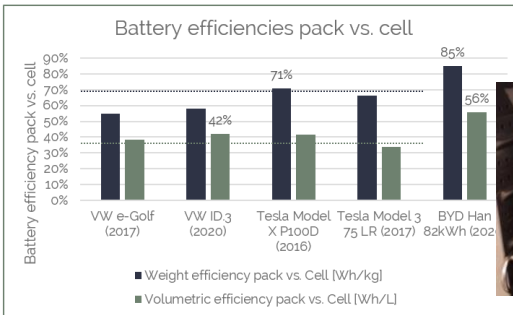


# Optimization of Volumetric and Gravimetric System Efficiency



## Technical Advantages

## AVL Activities



- Simplifying battery pack by reduction of "overhead" in battery system to **maximize gravimetric and volumetric energy density**
- **Reduction of battery system costs**

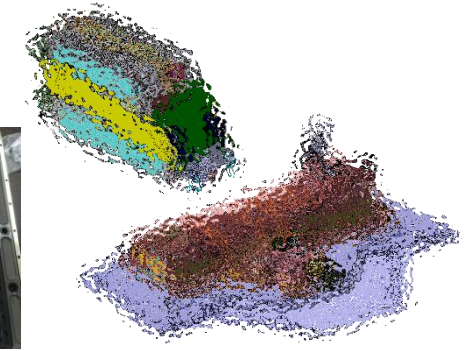
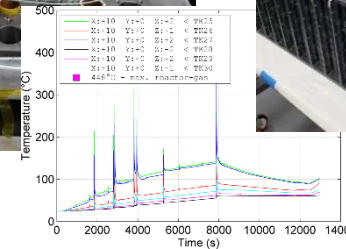
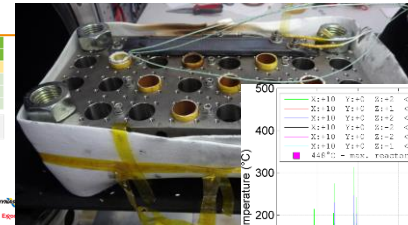
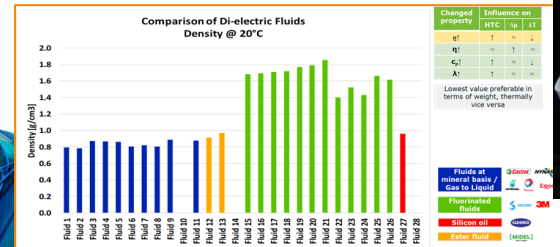
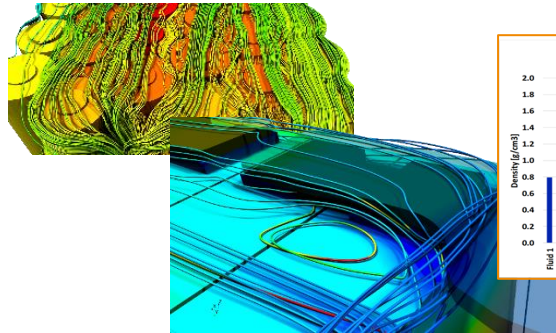
- Cell characterization including **swelling & breathing measurement** to derive validated **swelling & breathing simulation** model characteristics
- **Design solutions for optimized cell integration** and combined approach of battery **system development & vehicle integration**
- **Concept and series development** of cell2pack battery systems

- **Development cell2pack battery** incl. built for **demonstrator** vehicle (cyl. cell)
- **Concept development** including design & simulation study (prism. And pouch cell) – **212Wh/kg 76,7% Grav. ratio**
- **Benchmark Program** of BYD Han battery system at AVL China



# Battery Cell Immersion Cooling

## Technical Advantages

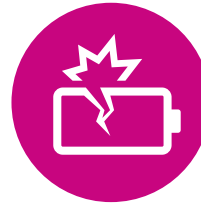


- **Direct heat removal** on **cells** and **contactors / busbars** (lower thermal resistance between cells and coolant)
- Possibility to run **higher C-rates** (e.g. in fast charge)
- **Increased safety** in comparison to water/glycol cooling

**Design, development, optimization and validation of high-performance battery systems** with immersion cooling incl. proposal for sub-components (cooperation with cooling media supplier) – for **all three cell formats**

- **SOP dev' and small series production** of HEV sports-car project (cyl. cells)
- **Battery development and built** of 3 **BEV-demonstrator**
- **Concept projects** with OEMs and Tiers (cyl., pouch and prism. type cells)

# Battery Solutions



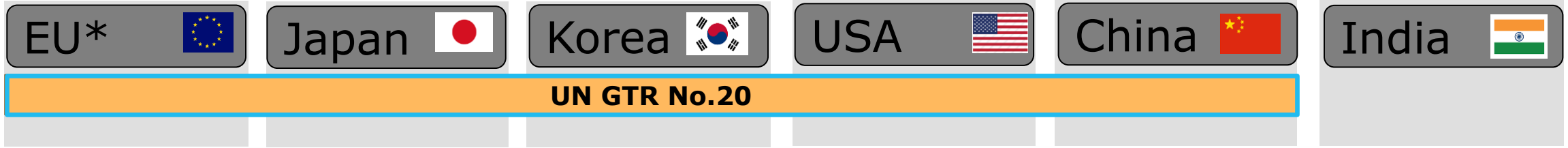
## Safety

Thermal Runaway Analysis to achieve "no thermal propagation"





# Thermal Runaway, New Regulation



The new **GTR20 regulation** requests a period of 5 minutes between the warning of thermal runaway and the safe escape of passengers





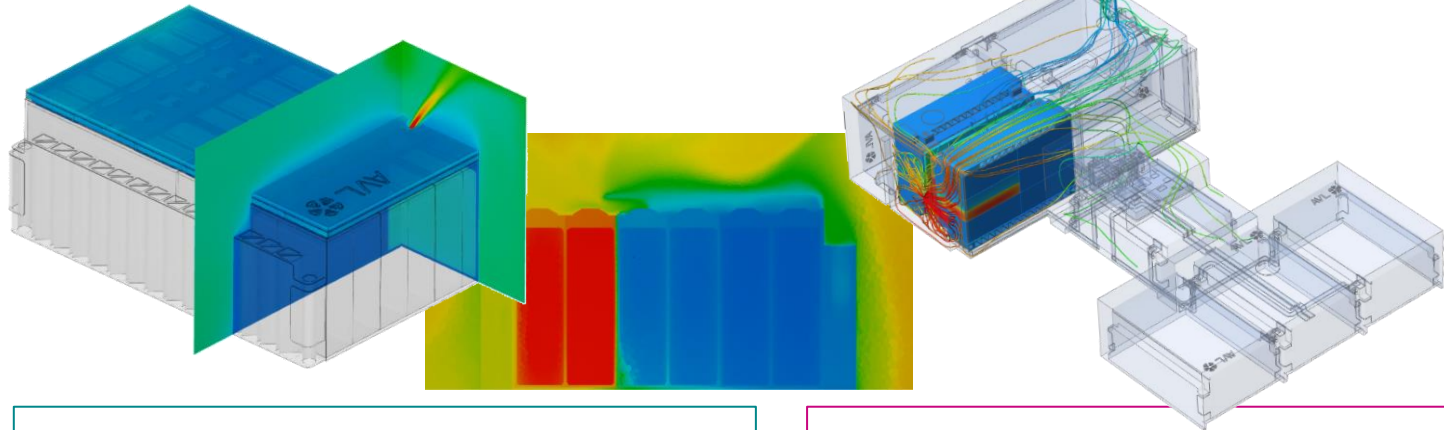
# Managing Thermal Runaway

## Technical Requirements



- **Thermal Propagation** requirement in GTR or GB
- Ensuring safe escape time for passenger
- Expensive tests with limited possible insight for design optimization

## AVL Activities



- Simulation methodology** using cell test results for module and pack simulation
- Prediction of propagation time and risk assessment of
- Fire / ignition / explosion
  - Arc formation

- **Design optimization** to delay propagation to over 20mins up to **"no thermal runaway"**
- Simulation correlation with test results for **root cause** analysis of propagation test

# Battery Solutions



## Cost Optimization

Derivative Development Process

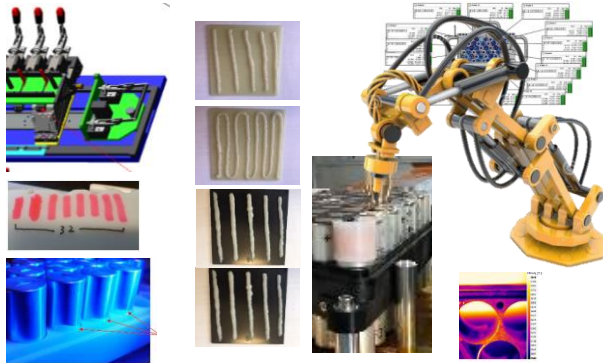
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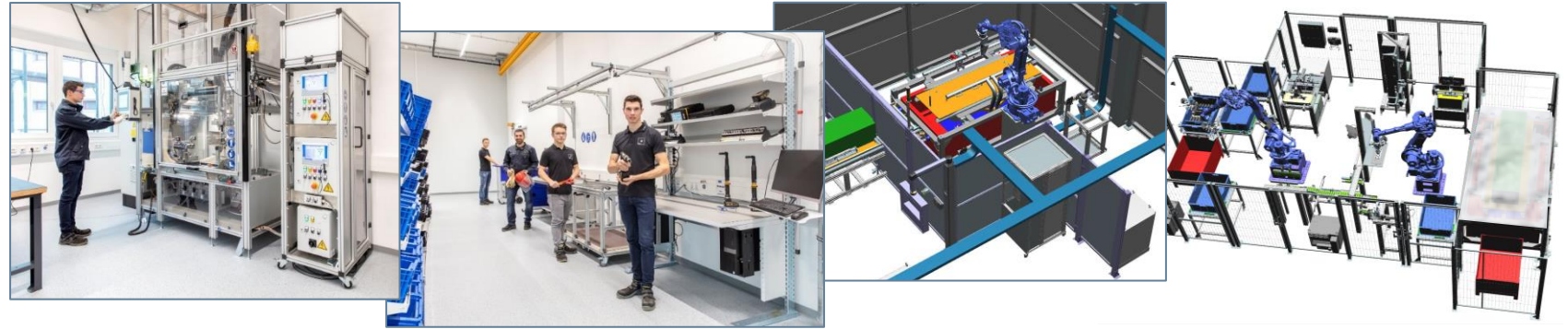
# Combination of Battery Function and Process Development



## Technical Advantages



## AVL Activities: AVL Battery Innovation Center (SOO Q2/21)



- Considering multiple **manufacturing variables** to achieve **competitive product attributes** under **time-to-market** requirements
- **Design for Manufacturing** and development of **innovative production processes** to further reduce product costs

- Full functional understanding of **special characteristics** and their transfer to **controlled processes** for modules & packs
- **Process readiness** in sync with **product readiness** with AVL **design for assembly** and **design to cost** activities
- Highly flexible assembly of battery prototypes & pilot production within a **fully industrialized environment**
- Including **robot stations** for: **Cell stacking, gluing & welding**

# Technology Options

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# Charging

# What should charging be?



**Swiss Knife  
of Charging**

**SIMPLE**



**QUICK (5 min)**

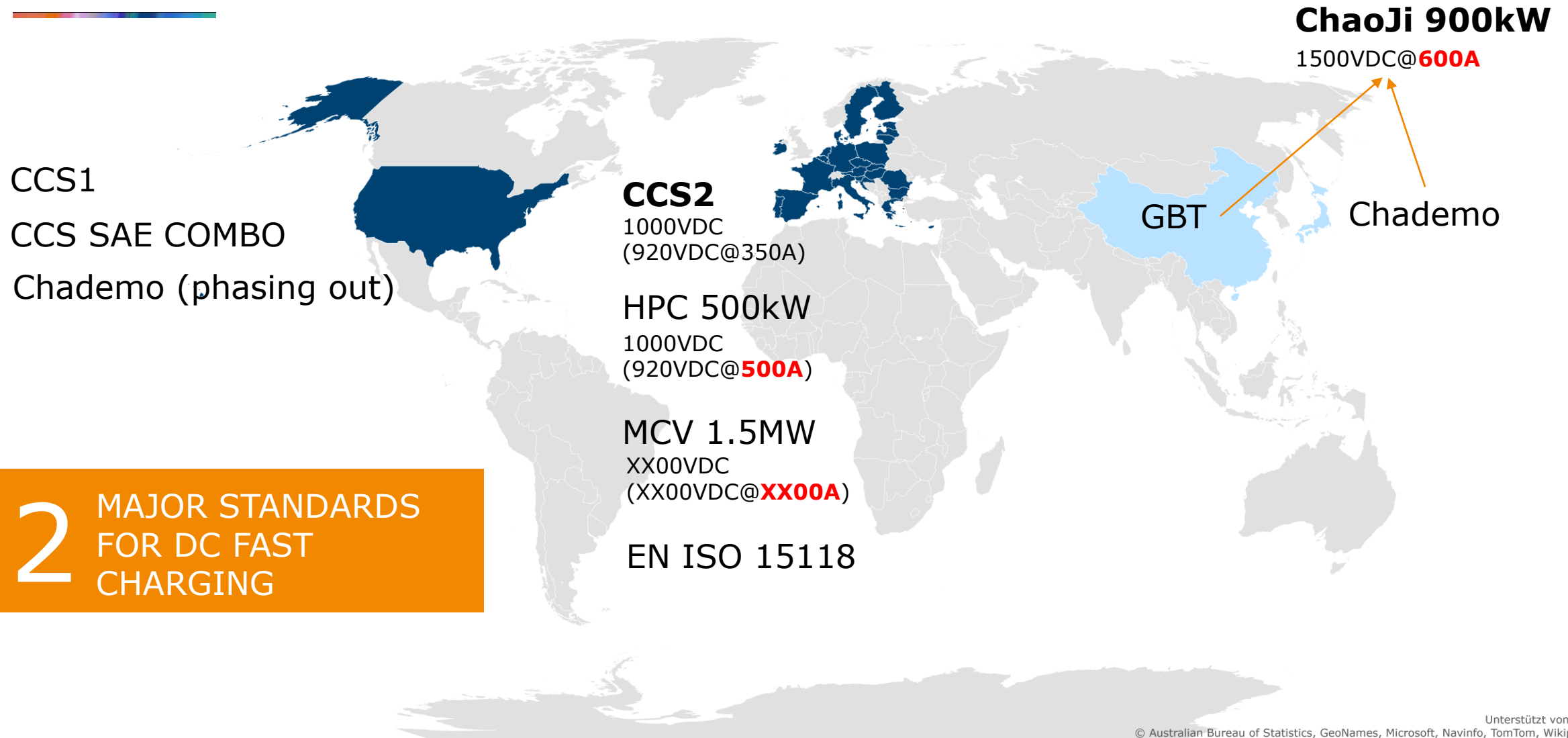


**Convenient**

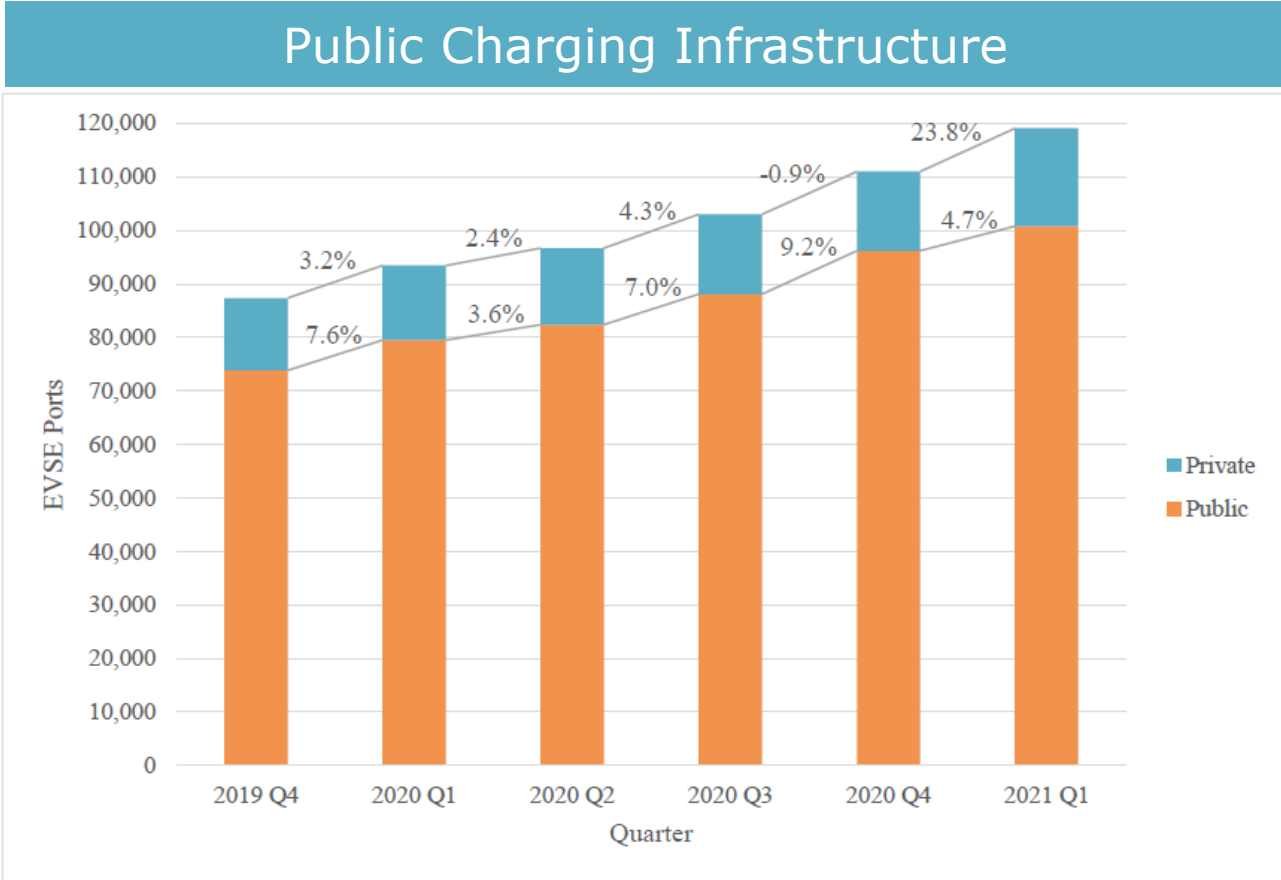
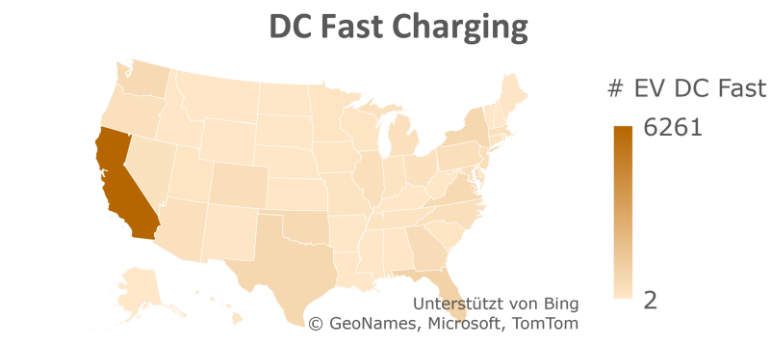
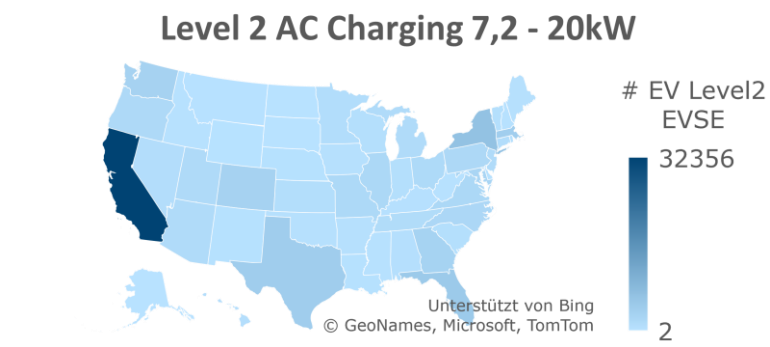
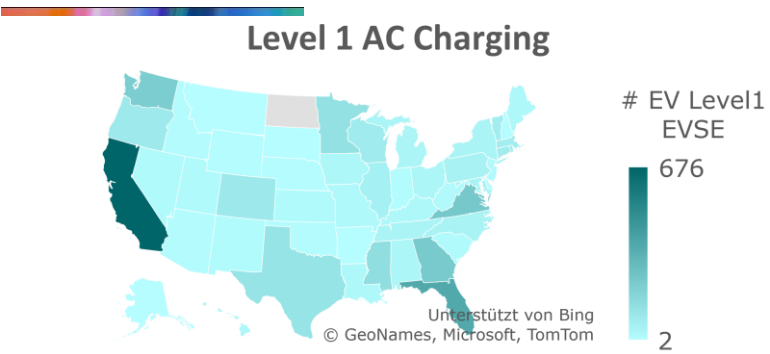
**Focus: Smart | Quick | Robust**



# Charging Standards



# Charging Trend – US Station Locator



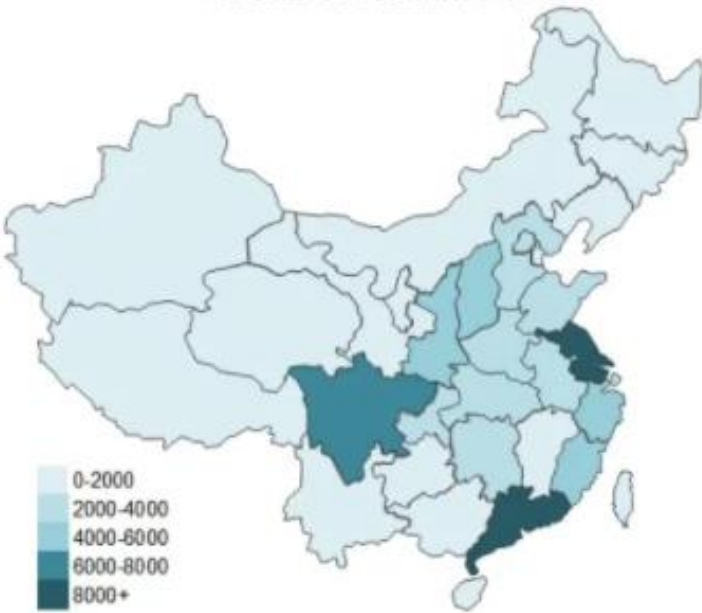
“Private” charging infrastructure for fleet purposes

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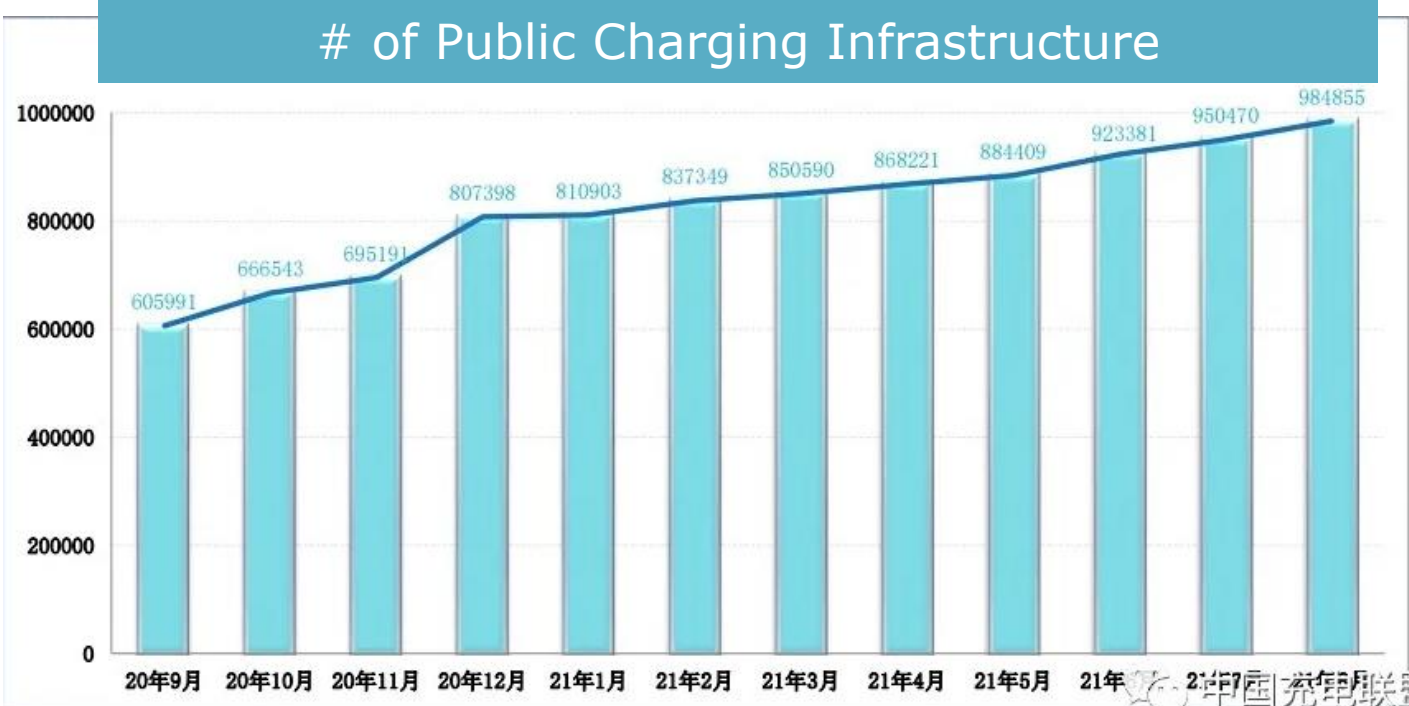
# Charging Trend – CN

## China Electric Vehicle Charging Infrastructure Promotion Alliance

Public Charging Heat Map 08/21



# of Charging Stations 2.015.000

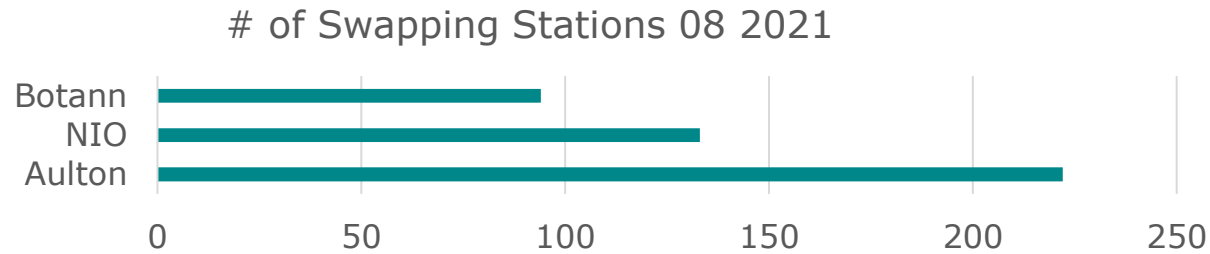


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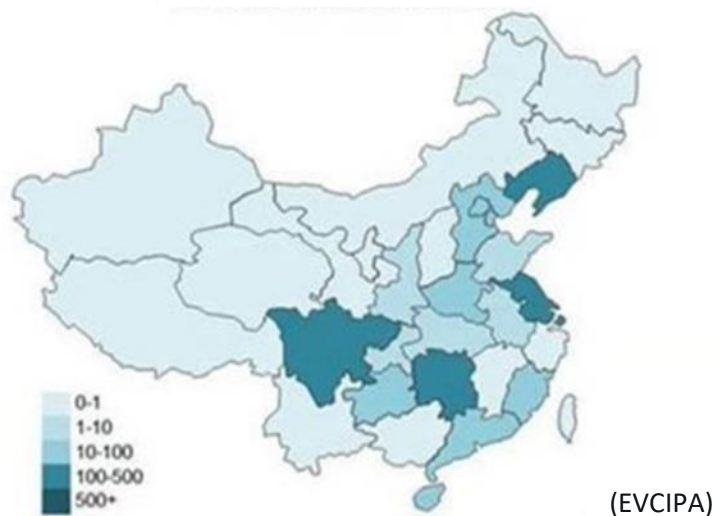
# Charging Trend – CN

## Battery Swapping Stations

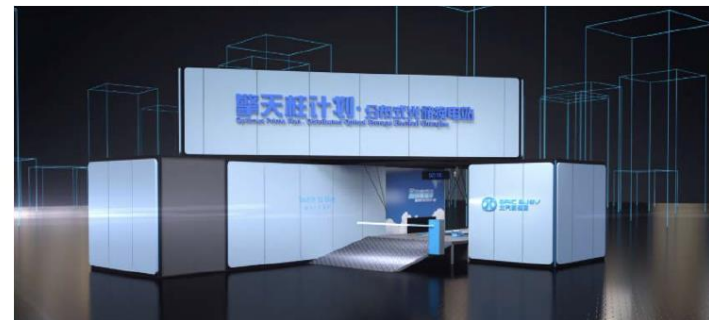


By 2020, NIO had established 178 battery-swap stations across the country in 64 different cities in the eastern part of China. The stations cover two major highways between Beijing-Guangzhou and Beijing-Shanghai. Their plan is to reach 500 battery-swap stations by the end of 2021.

By June 2020, NIO had completed more than **700,000 battery swaps**.



(EVCIPA)



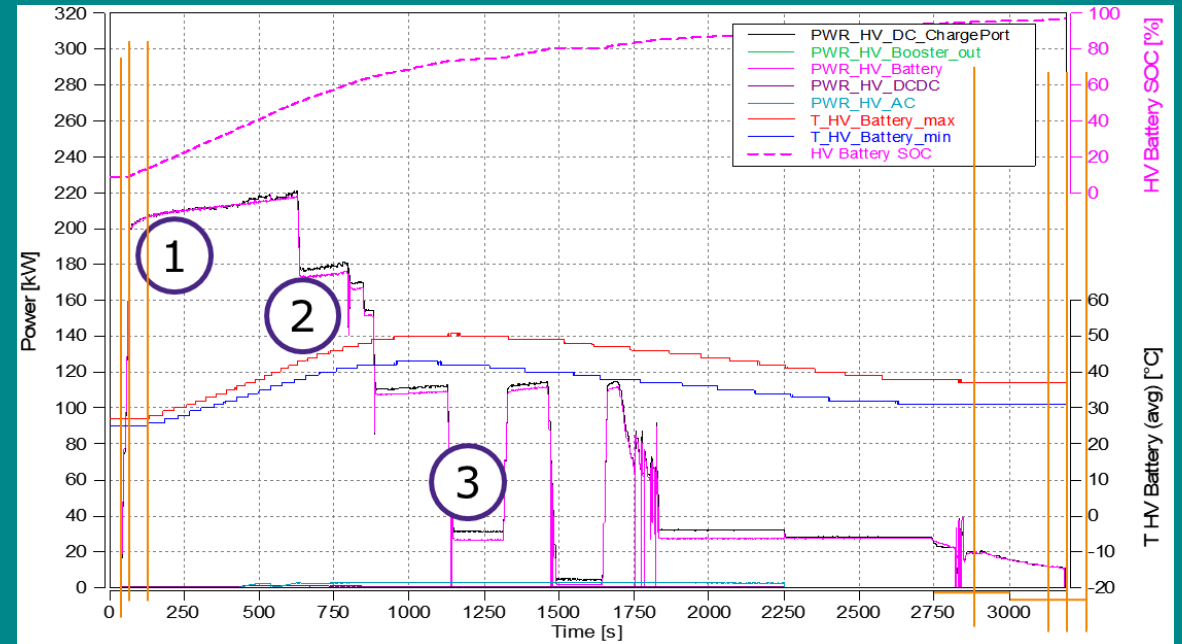
Link: <https://www.bjev.com.cn/html/charge-transfer.html>

BAIC/BIEV plan to invest more than 10 billion yuan (**\$1.4 billion**) to build **3,000** battery-swap stations capable of serving 500,000 electric vehicles by the end of **2022**



On February 2 2021, Geely completed and put into service its first 10 smart battery-swap stations in the Chongqing Expressway Service area. Each new energy vehicle requires just **60 seconds** to complete battery-swapping. Geely is planning to build 35 battery-swap stations in Chongqing alone, rapidly **expanding** by an additional **100 in 2021** and **200 in 2023**.

# Charging Benchmark



**Taycan: 18km/min**  
**IONIQ 5: 20km/min**

Better driving efficiency enables better km/min value for the consumer.

→ **Charging time - km /min will become the “magic number”**

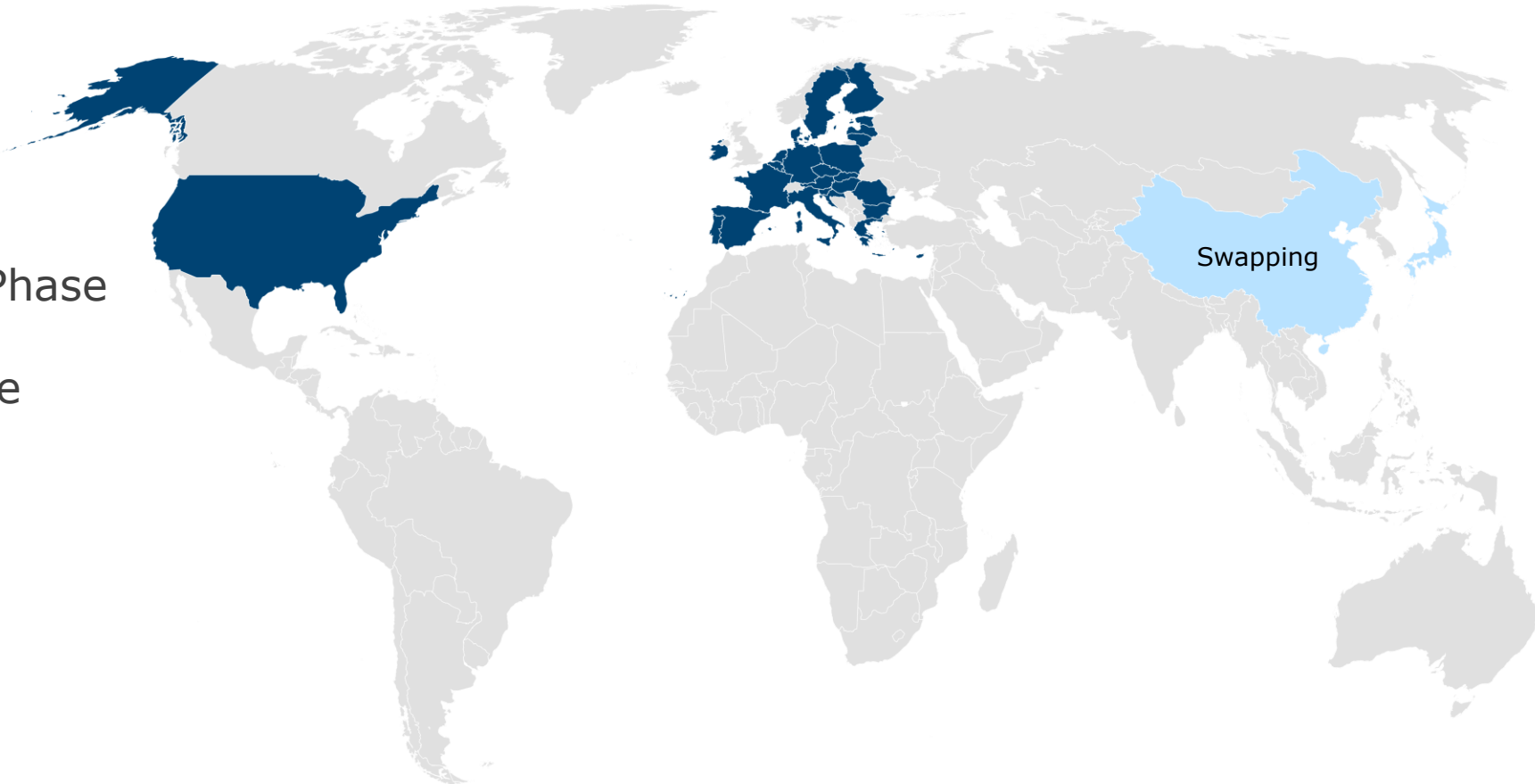
# Charging Trend Summary

## AC Charging

- 6-7kW Single Phase
- 22kW 3 Phase
- 20kW DC-Home

## DC Charging

- 920VDC
- 500A



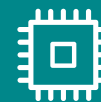
**MAXIMIZE km/min**



Wide Range  
Voltage



Driving  
Efficiency



Predictive  
Energy  
Management

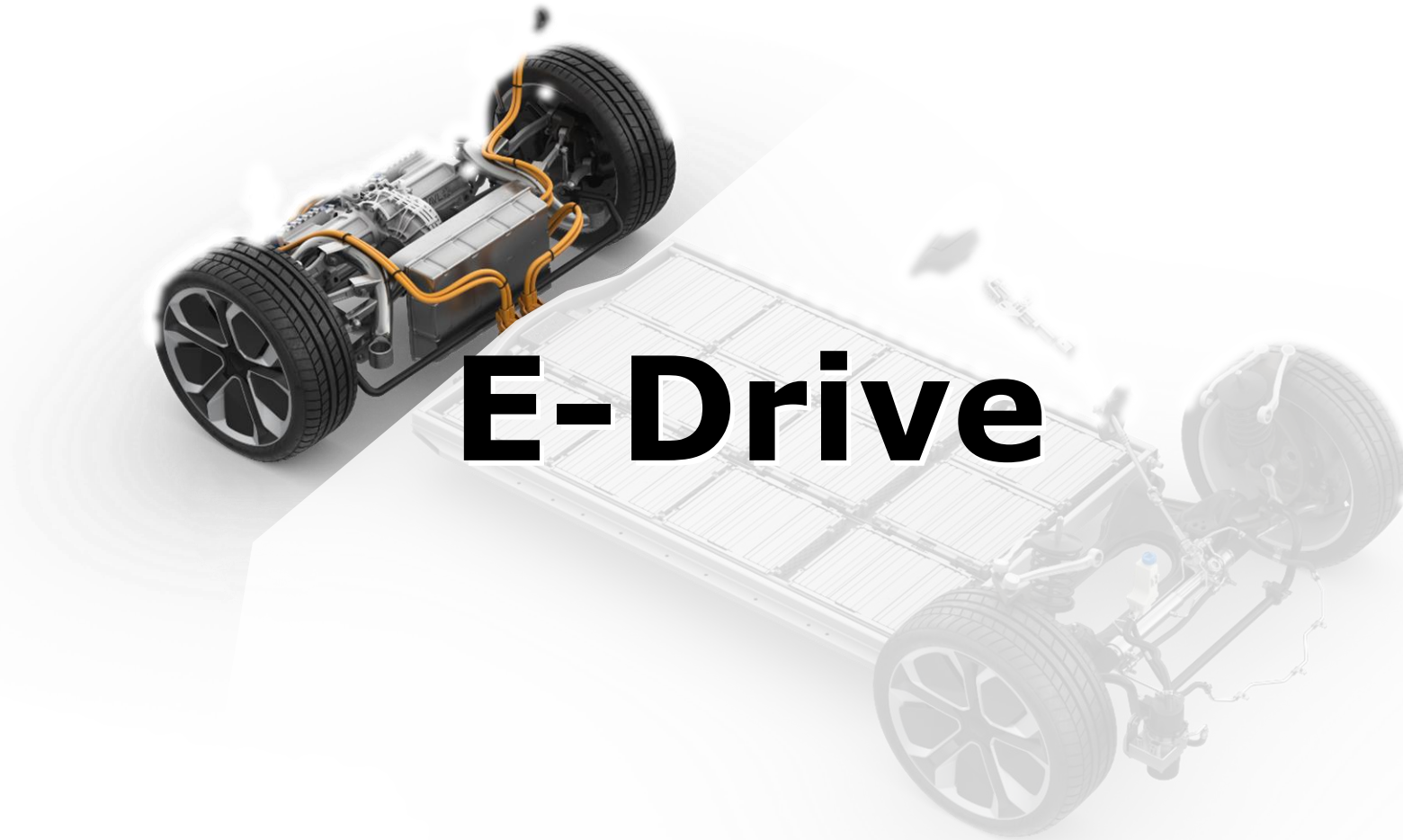


Charging  
Speed



# Technology Options

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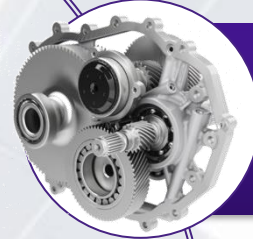
# Electric Drive Unit Technology Trends

Common trends

Integrated  
e-drives

Cooling  
technology

Speed  
increase



## Transmission

Smart  
integration

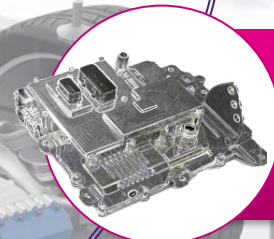
Lubrication  
& Cooling



## E-Motor

Winding  
technology

Less rare  
earth  
materials



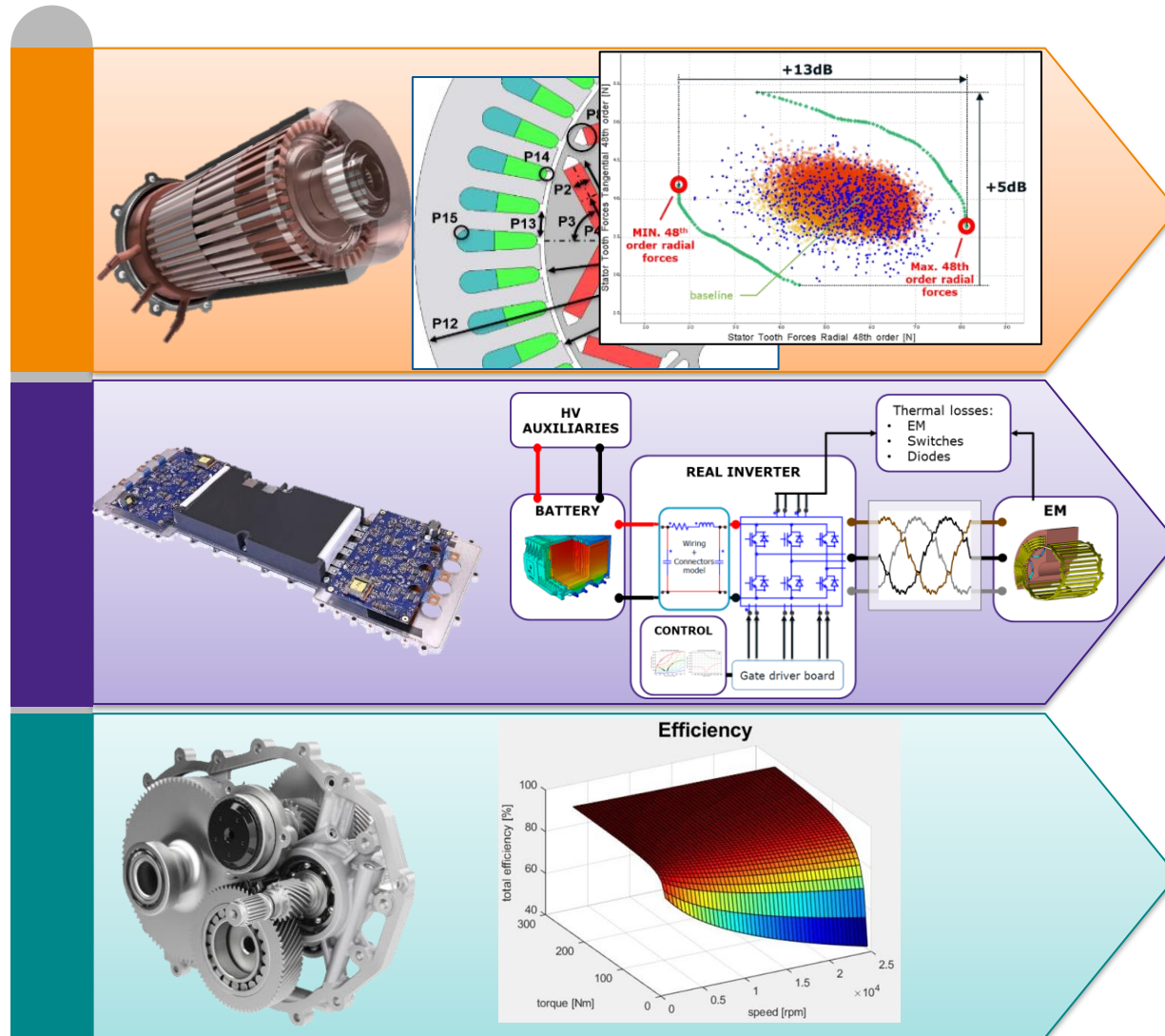
## Inverter

New semi-  
conductors  
SiC/GaN

EMC

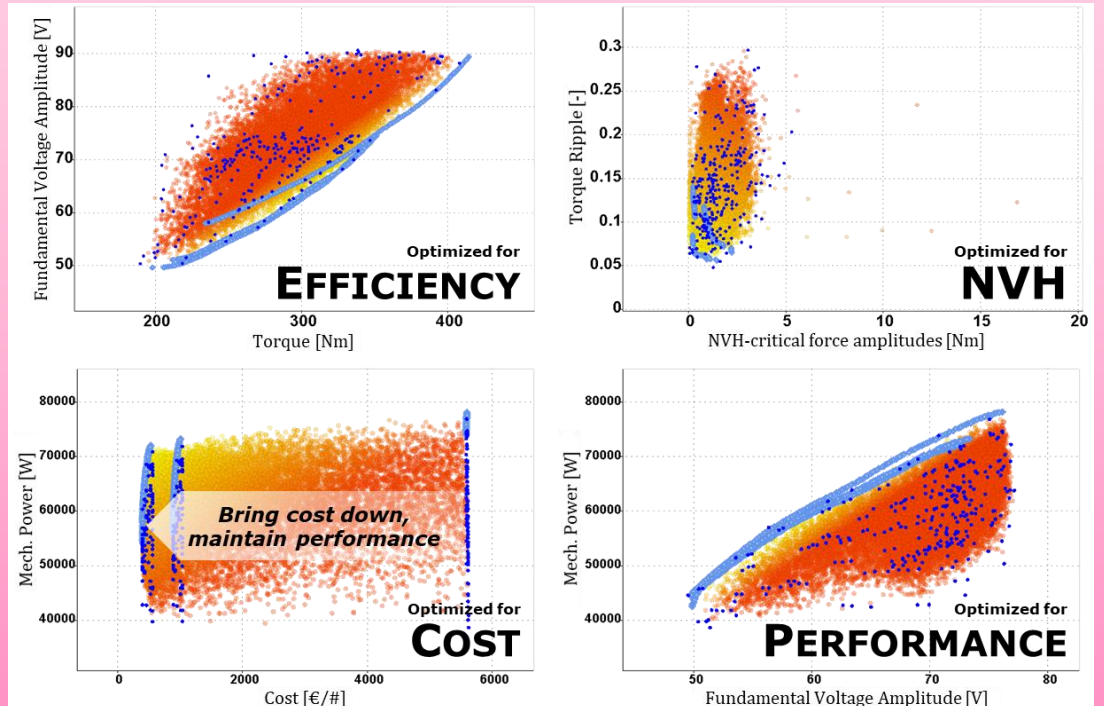
# EDU Efficiency Development

## Multi Domain & Multi Objective Optimization



### E-Axle System Optimization/Calibration

EDU optimization by combining all three individual development processes into one big multi domain & multi objective optimization





# How to Tackle Today's E-Drive Challenges

E-drive technology is driven by:



**COST**



**PERFORMANCE**



**SIZE & WEIGHT**



**EFFICIENCY**

**AVL's response:**

## **New semiconductors**

for **compact design, superior performance & efficiency**

## **High-speed e-motor**

as enabler for **lower cost & higher power density**

## **High integration**

allowing **compact design, robustness & further cost reduction**

## **Direct oil-cooled e-motor**

for **optimized continuous high power** at compact design

## **EMC simulation & optimization**

ensures **reliability, cost & weight optimized designs**

## **Holistic software approach**

by **processes & methods** to ensure **safe & secure turnkey solutions**

# How to Tackle Today's E-Drive Challenges



## Shaping the Electrification Transformation Across All Applications



# How to Tackle Today's E-Drive Challenges

**Design  
to  
Function**

**Design  
to  
Cost**

**Design  
to  
CO<sub>2</sub>**



# Thank you



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