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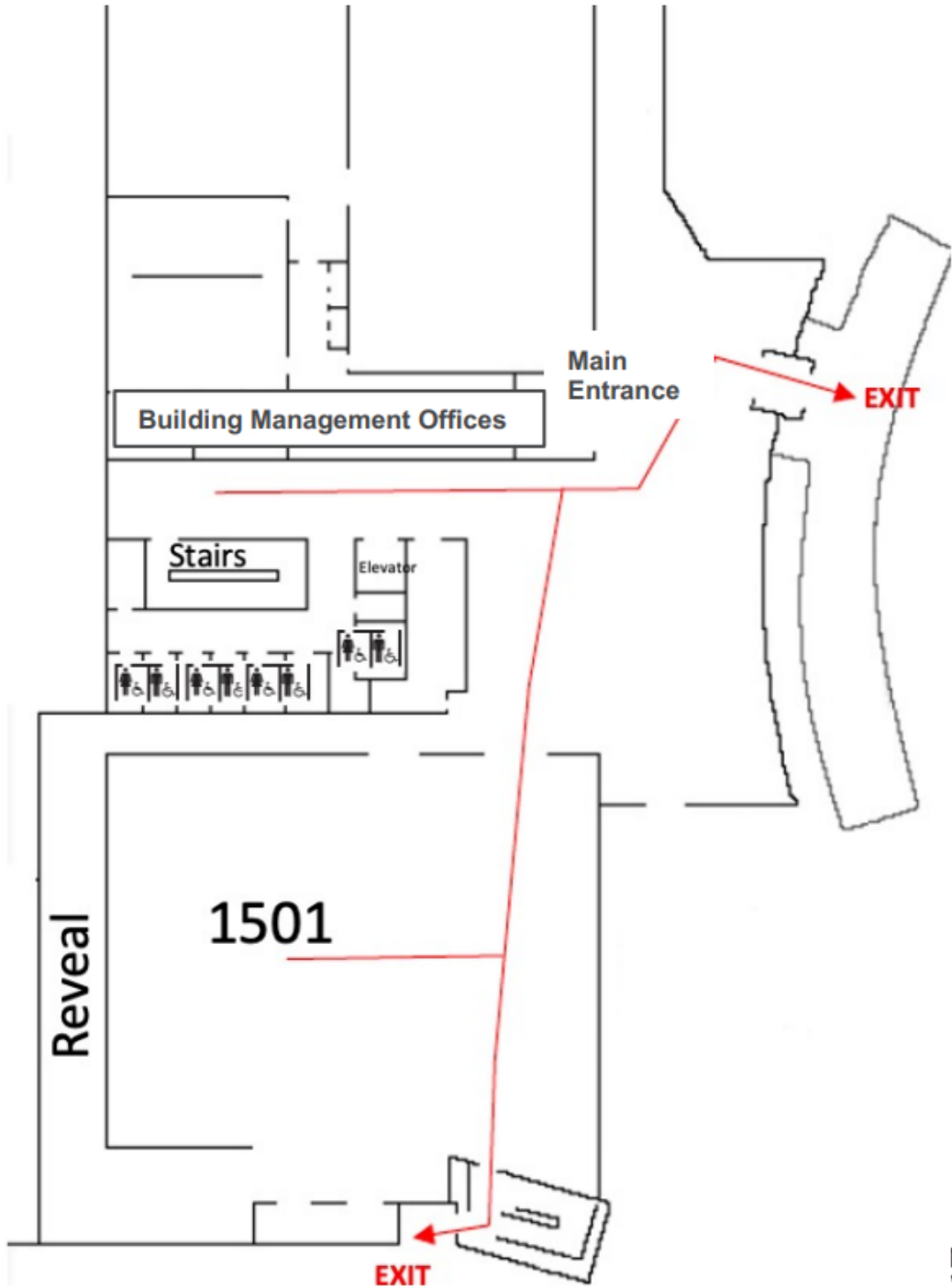
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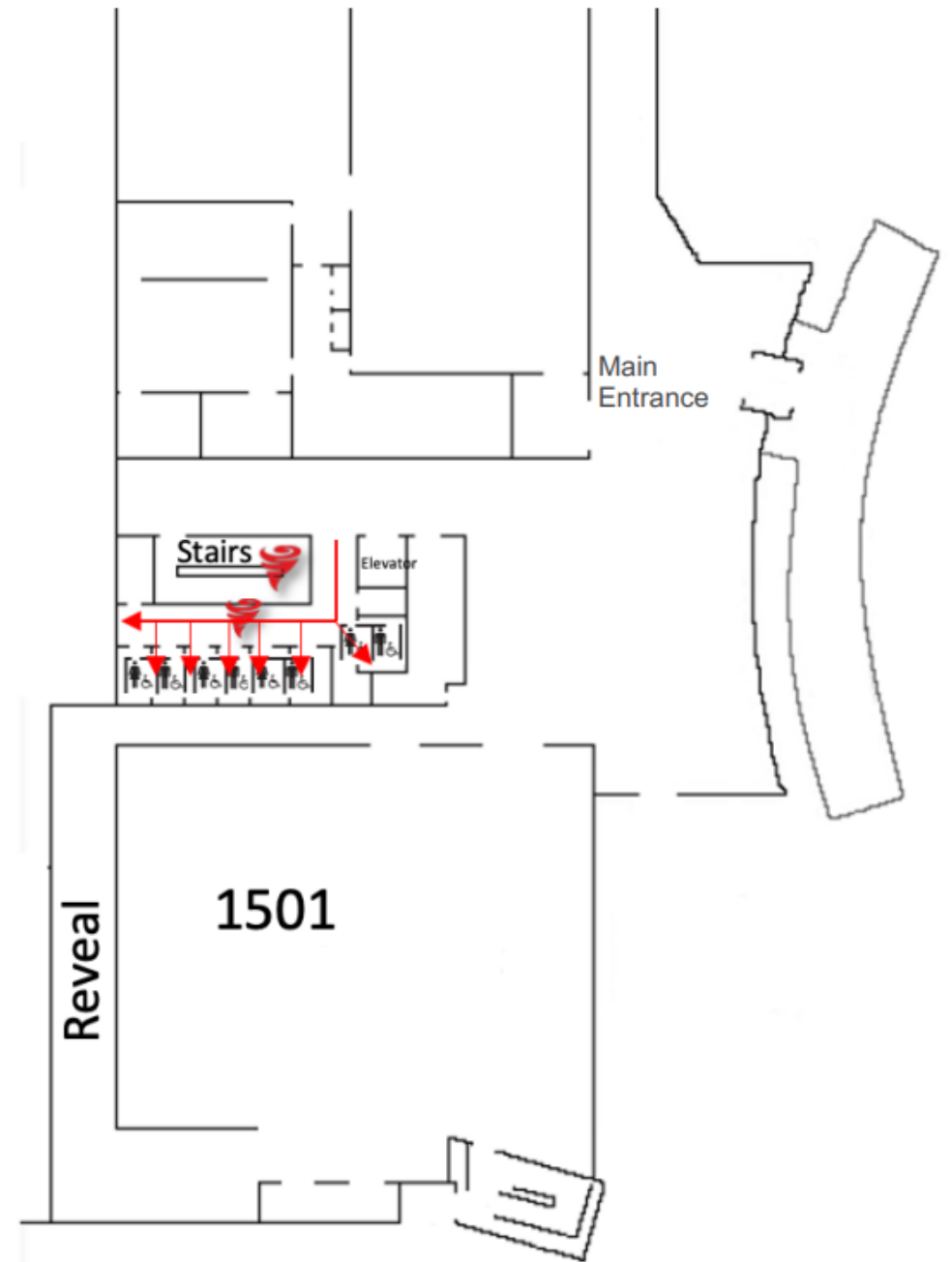
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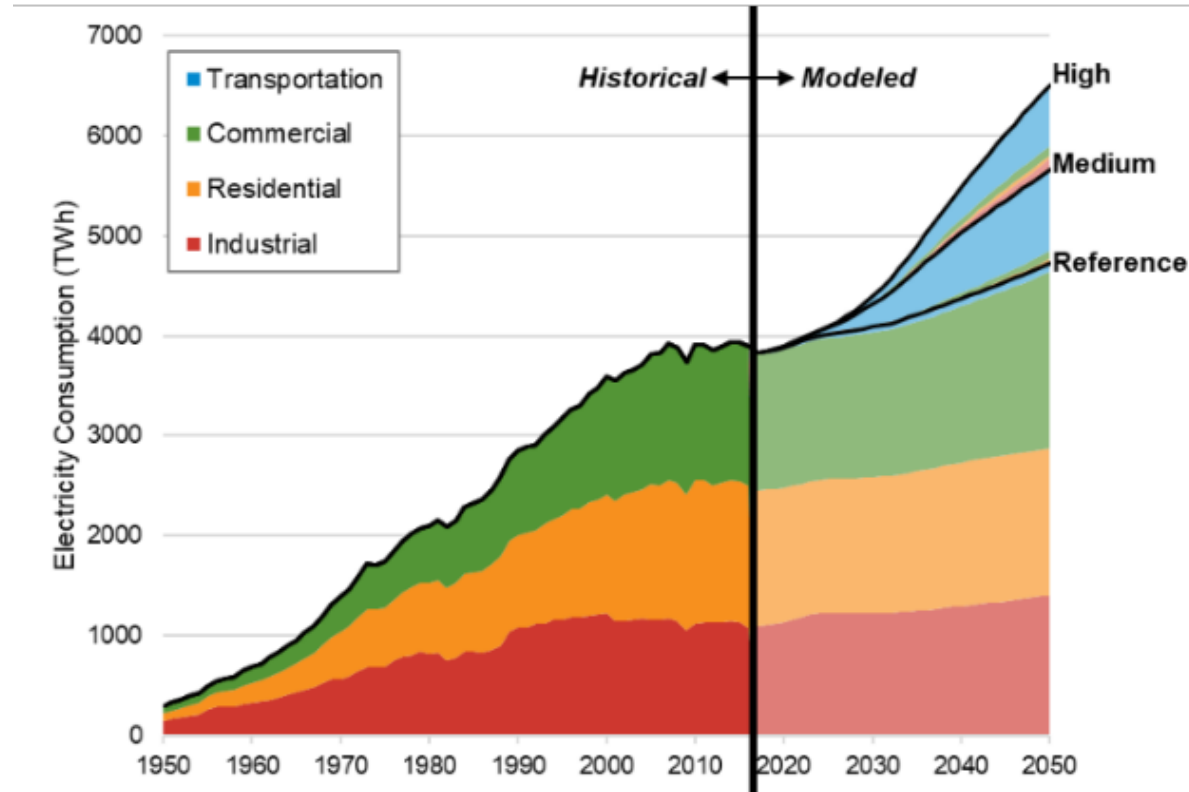
Consortium Overview and Stakeholder Engagement

Andrew Meintz

April 5, 2023



Impact of Transportation Electrification



Historical and Projected annual electricity consumption³

EVs@Scale Consortium RD&D will support electrification by answering:

- How will electricity generation and the transportation sectors work together?
- What research can we do to ensure a safe, smooth, and seamless transition?
- How could a grid-integrated charging network support intermittent generation?

³ Electrification Futures Study: Scenarios of Electric Technology Adoption and Power Consumption for the United States. NREL/TP-6A20-71500

Consortium Objectives

- Develop charging technologies and standards needed to meet U.S. goals of **transitioning to a nationwide fleet of on-road vehicles powered by electricity**, bringing the transportation sector closer to a net-zero-emission future
- Bring together the **national laboratories' hardware and software expertise, capabilities, and facilities** related to EV charging, charge management, grid services, grid integration, and cyber-physical security.
- Enable **highly coordinated, targeted research** to be initiated and successfully conducted that is in step with rapid changes in the EV charging



Installation of smart charging system at NREL's Flatirons Campus (Dennis Schroeder / NREL)

Leadership Council

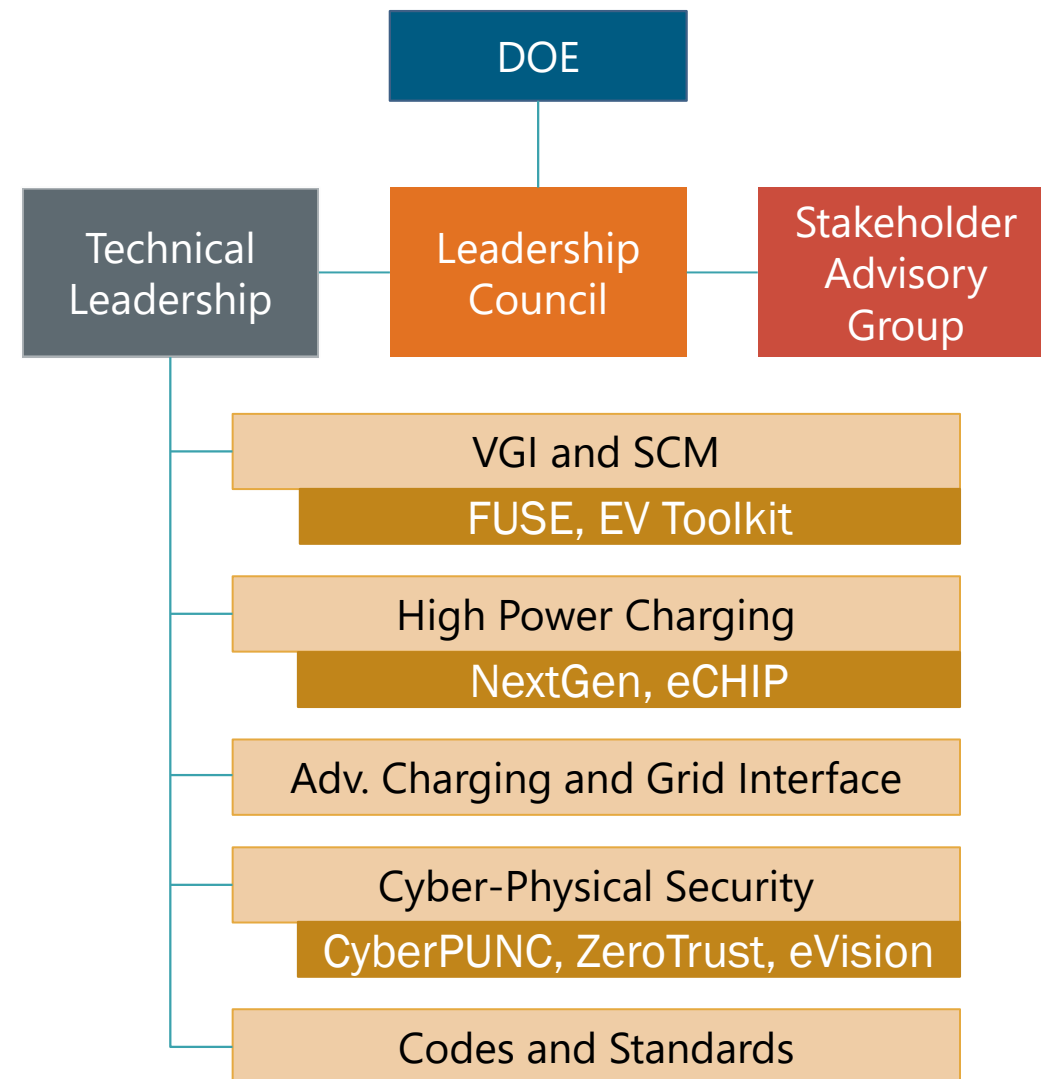
- Andrew Meintz (NREL, chair), Tim Pennington (INL, rotating co-chair), Don Stanton (ORNL), Summer Ferreira (SNL), Lori Ross (PNNL), Dan Dobrzynski (ANL), Bin Wang (LBNL)

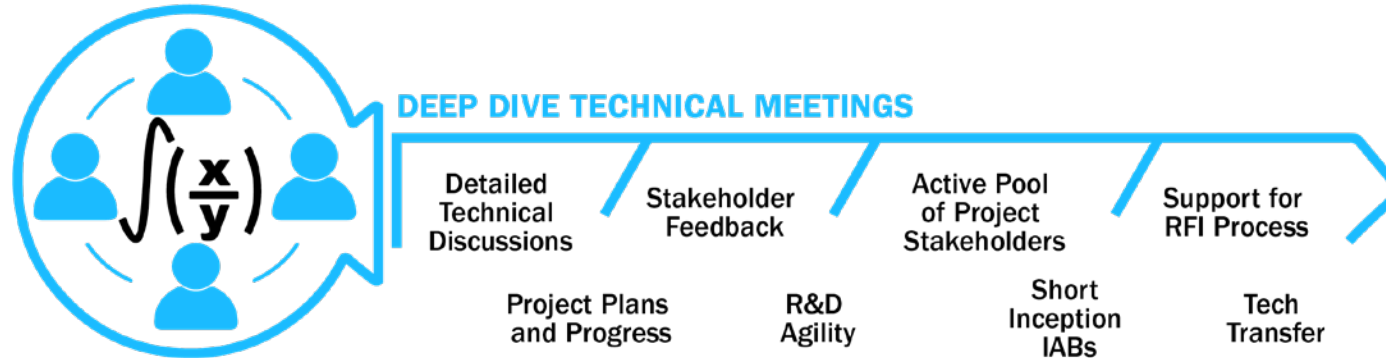
Stakeholder Advisory Group

- Utilities, EVSE & Vehicle OEMs, CNOs, SDOs, Gov't, Infrastructure

Consortium Pillars and Technical Leadership

- Vehicle Grid Integration and Smart Charge Management (VGI/SCM): Jesse Bennett (NREL), Jason Harper (ANL)
- High Power Charging (HPC): John Kisacikoglu (NREL)
- Advanced Charging and Grid Interface Technologies (ACGIT): Madhu Chinthavali (ORNL)
- Cyber-Physical Security (CPS): Richard “Barney” Carlson (INL), Craig Rodine (SNL)
- Codes and Standards (CS): Ted Bohn (ANL)





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Direct interaction for each pillar projects

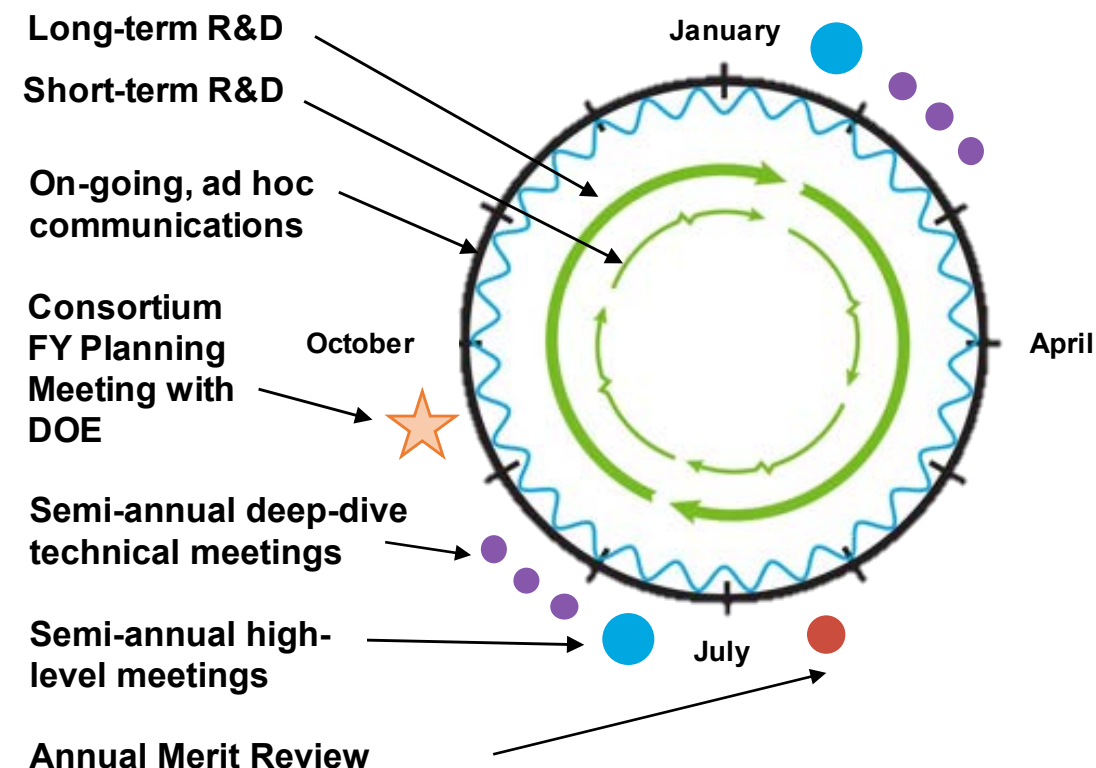
- Utilities, EVSE & Vehicle OEMs, CNOs, SDOs, Gov't, Infrastructure
- Webinars / Project discussions

Semi-annual high-level meetings

- Rotation among labs with discussion on all pillars

Semi-annual deep-dive technical meetings

- VGI/SCM, HPC & WPT, and CPS with C&S incorporated into all meetings



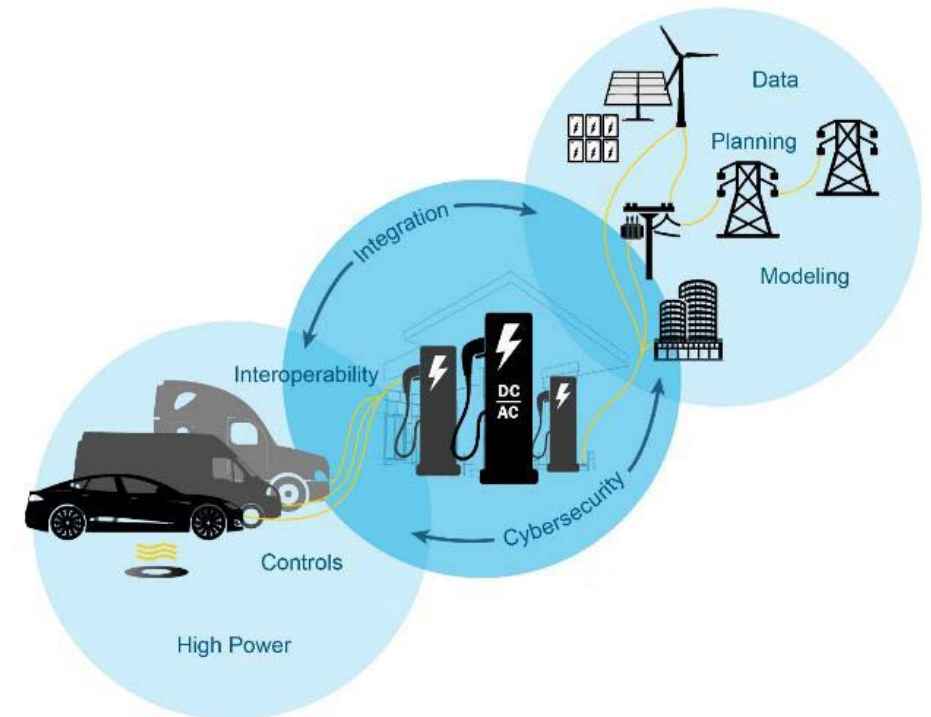
Two semi-annual high-level meetings were held in August 2022 and April 2023 with attendance reaching 100 stakeholders with several attending the follow-on deep dive discussions

We have the following upcoming stakeholder engagement events planned and will send out invites to registrants of this event for the deep-dives next week.

- **Deep Dive Meetings**
 - Cyber-Physical Security Deep-Dive
 - CyberPunc, ZeroTrust, and eVision Projects
 - Tuesday October 10th and Wednesday October 11th
 - SCM&VGI Pillar Deep-Dive
 - FUSE Project
 - Thursday October 26th
 - High-Power Charging Pillar Deep-Dive
 - NextGen Profiles and eCHIP Projects
 - Tuesday November 7th
- **Semi-Annual Meeting**
 - NREL will host in Golden, Colorado
 - February 28th and 29th

The EVs@Scale Lab Consortium will

1. Address challenges, develop solutions, and enabling technologies for transportation electrification ecosystem **through national lab and industry collaboration**
2. Formulate and evaluate EV smart-charging strategies that consider travel patterns, charging needs, and fluctuating power generation loads
3. Overcome barriers to EVs@Scale and provide answers to fundamental questions with activities that
 - Assess potential **grid impacts and grid services**
 - **Develop and evaluate hardware and system** designs for high power and wireless charging systems
 - Create design guidelines and evaluate approaches to **secure charging infrastructure** and the grid
 - Support consensus-based **standards development** through evaluation and industry engagement



The EVs @ Scale Lab Consortium will consider these key components of the transportation electrification ecosystem

We need your input today and tomorrow to tell us where we can improve on delivering these outcomes !

- We are using PolLEEV to ask for your input
 - Pillar Presentations
 - Panel Discussions
 - Roundtable Questions
- Please be thinking during the discussions
 - “Are the principal thrusts proposed within this pillar on target and appropriate for DOE to be pursuing?”
 - “Are there additional barriers / challenges within this pillar that DOE should be addressing?”



JOIN THE MEETING!

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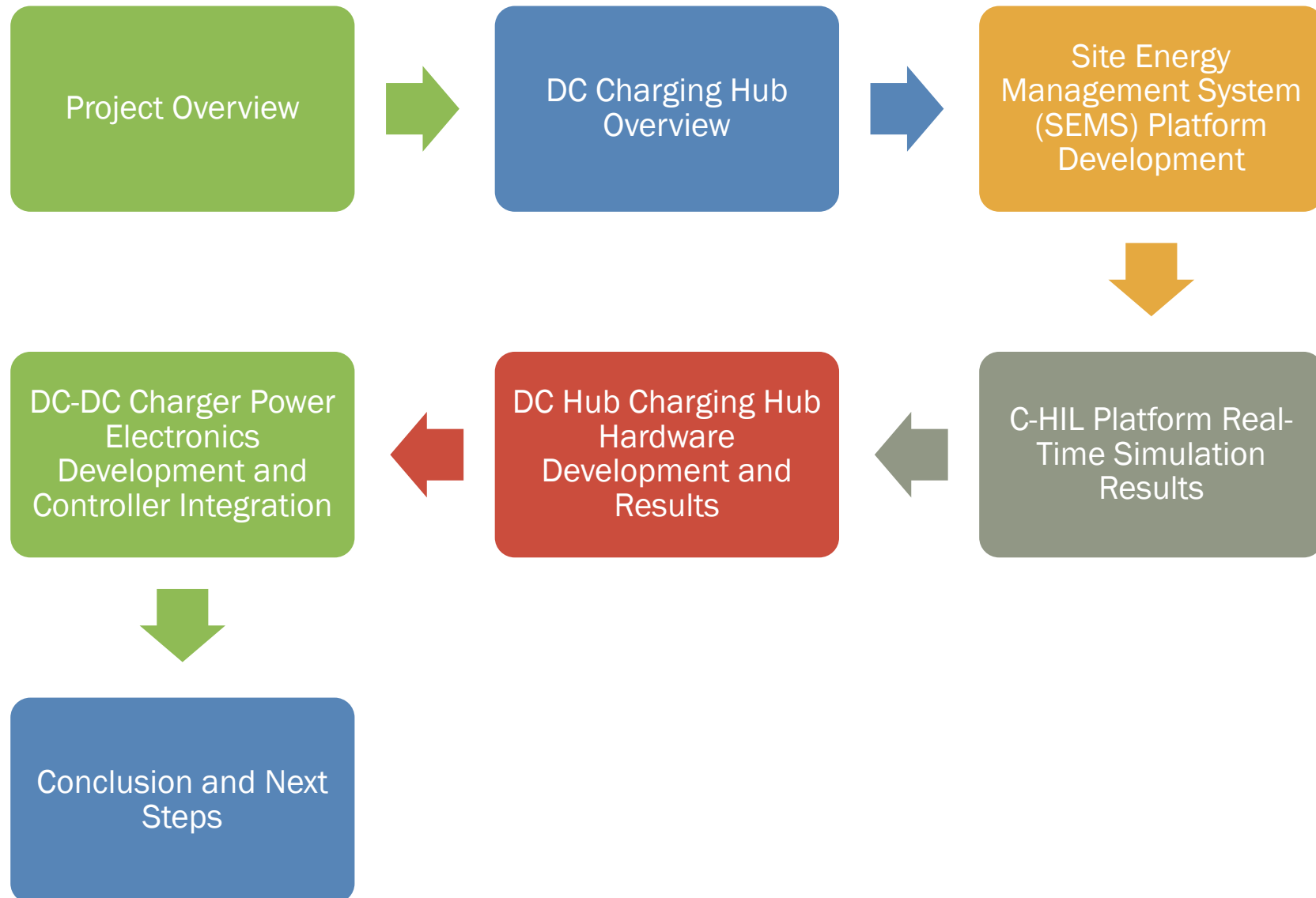


High-Power Electric Vehicle Charging Hub Integration Platform (eCHIP)

John Kisacikoglu, NREL

September 27, 2023

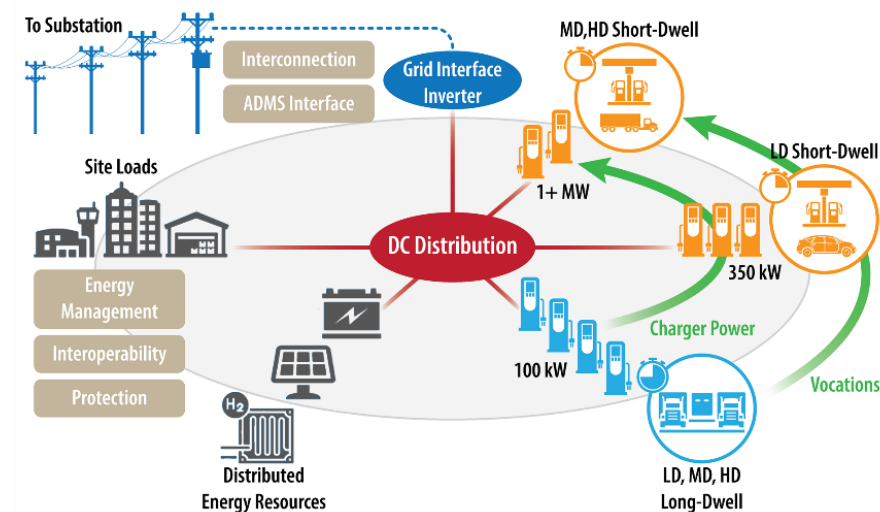
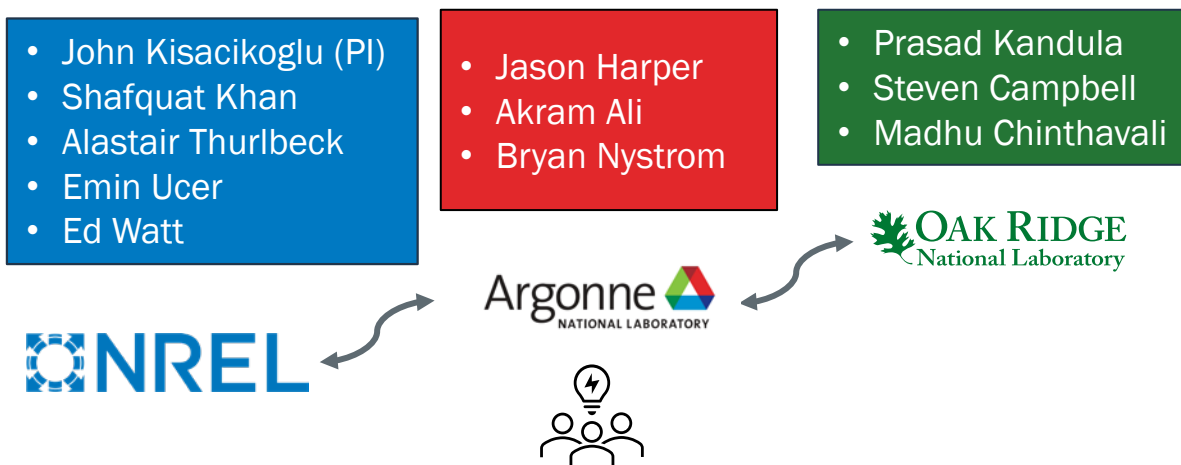




Objective: Develop plug-and-play solution allowing charging site to organically grow with additional chargers and distributed energy resources through predefined compatibility with standards that will ensure interoperability and reduce upfront engineering expense

Outcomes:

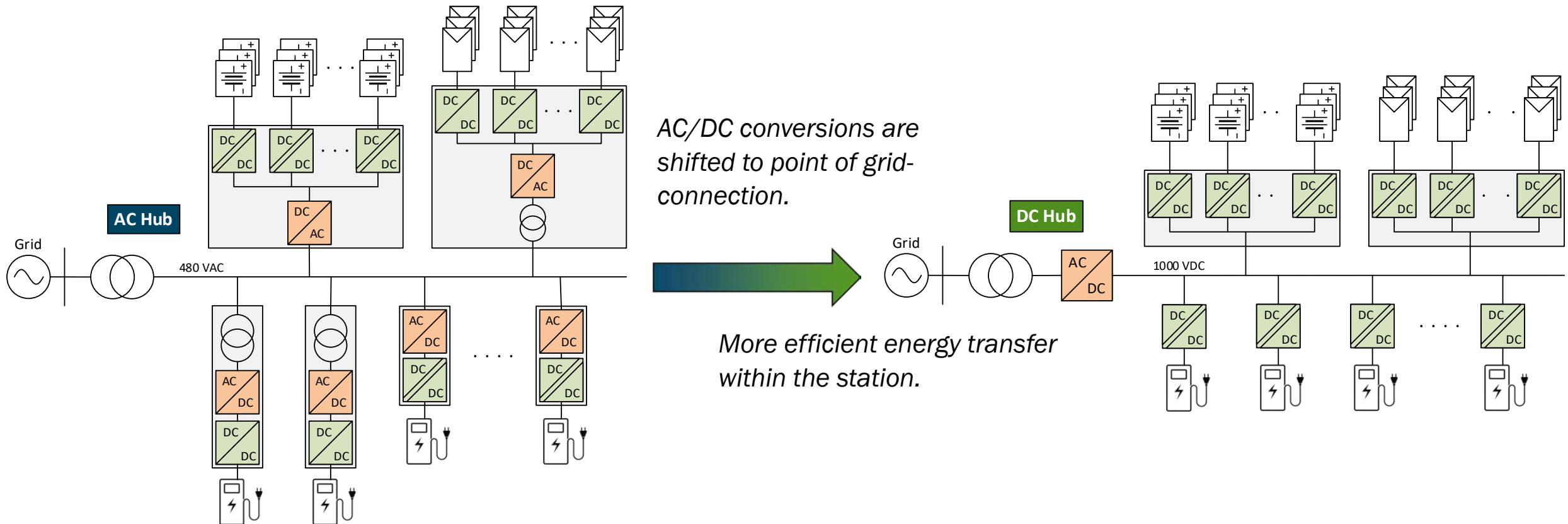
- Develop and demonstrate solutions for efficient, low-cost, and **high-power-density DC/DC** for kW- and MW-scale charging
- **Broadly identify limitations and gaps** in DC distribution and protection systems that allow for modular HPC systems
- Determine interoperable hardware, communication, and control architectures for high-power charging facilities that support **seamless grid integration and resilient operation**



Overview of AC and DC Hub Approaches

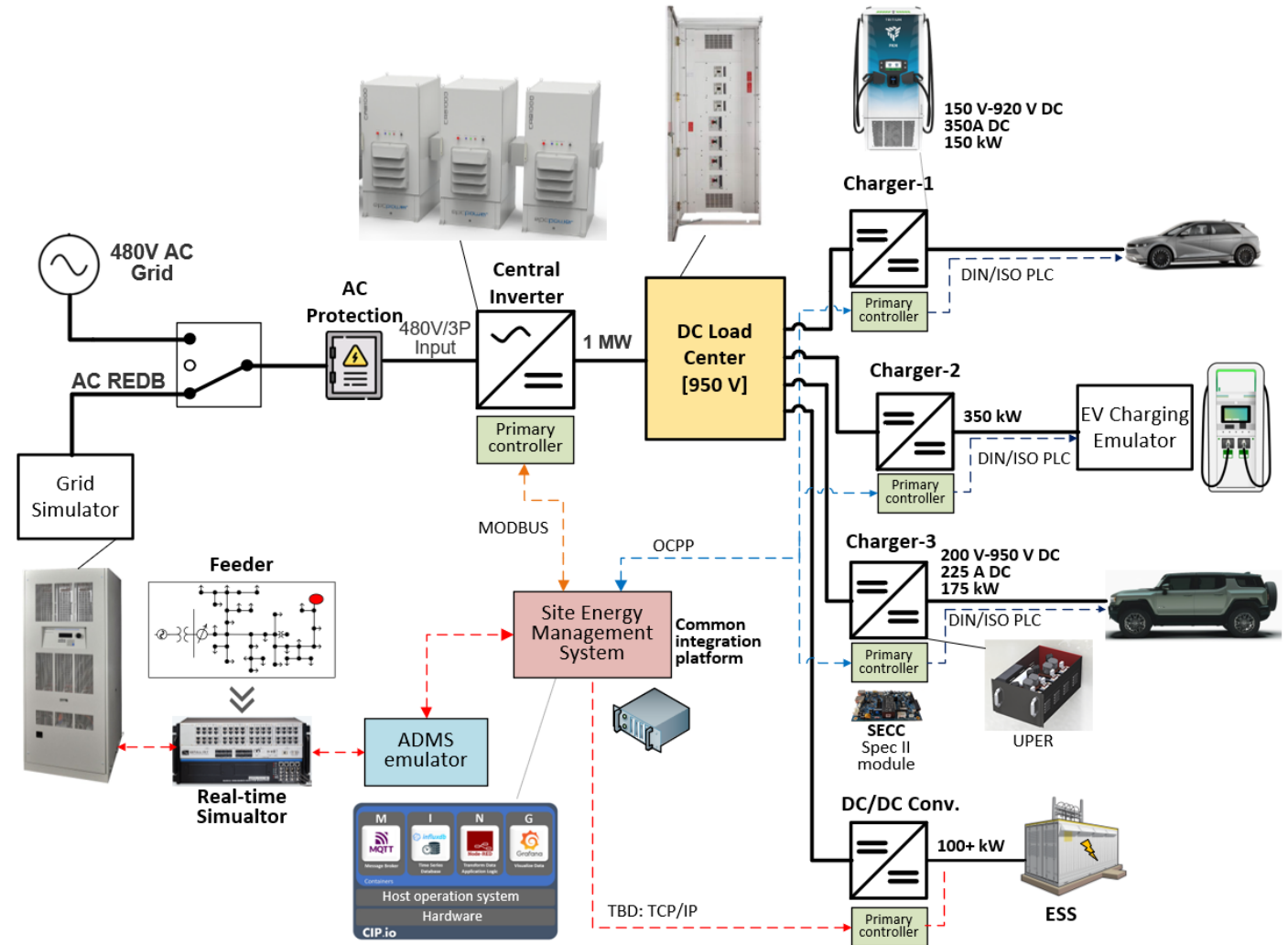
AC Hub: High-power charging station with an AC-coupled architecture

DC Hub: High-power charging station with a DC-coupled architecture



Overview of DC-Hub HPC Station Architecture

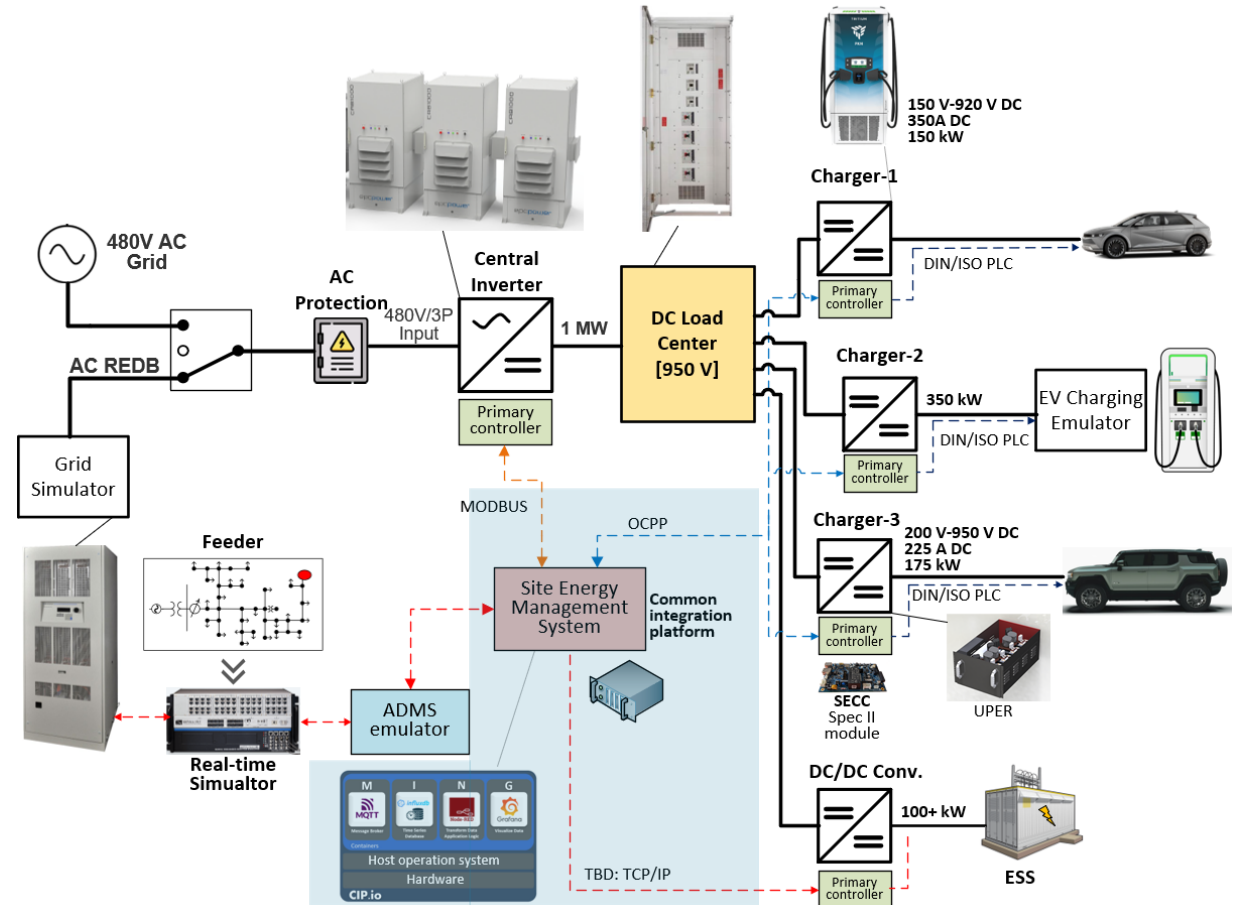
- Representative power and communication architecture for DC-hub chargers
- Three research topics are investigated:
 - Site energy management (SEM)
 - Power architecture development
 - Grid integration



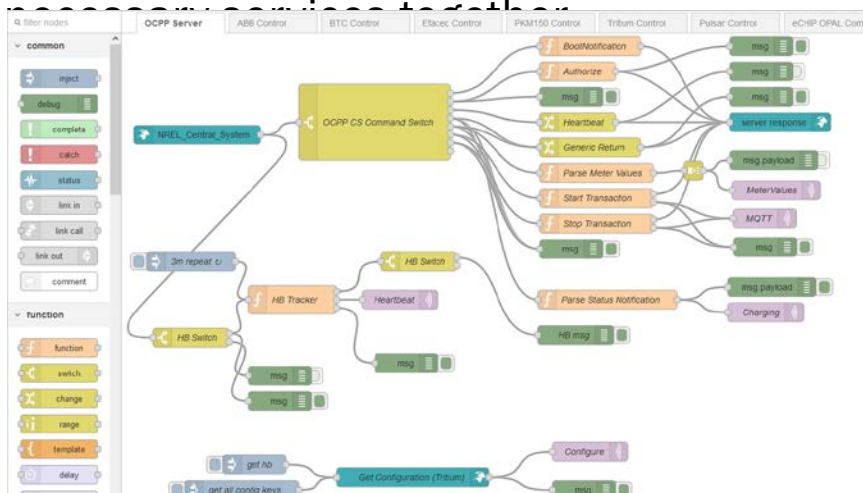
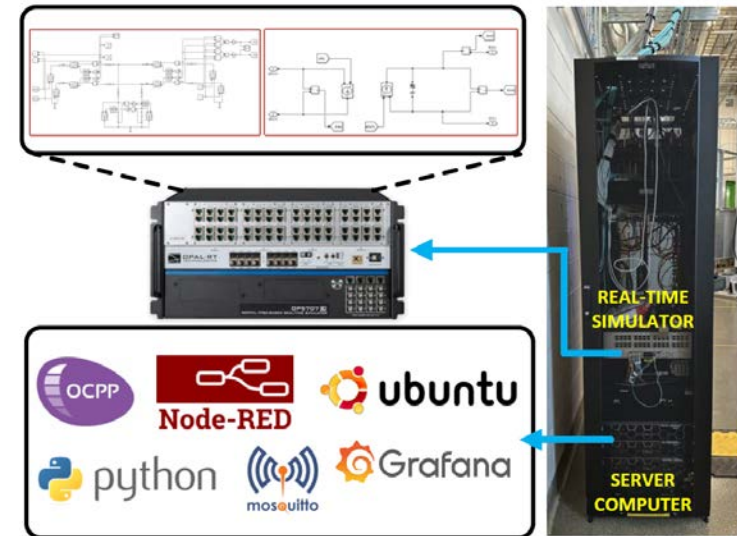
Site Energy Management System (SEMS) Platform Description

Open-source SEMS platform is developed.

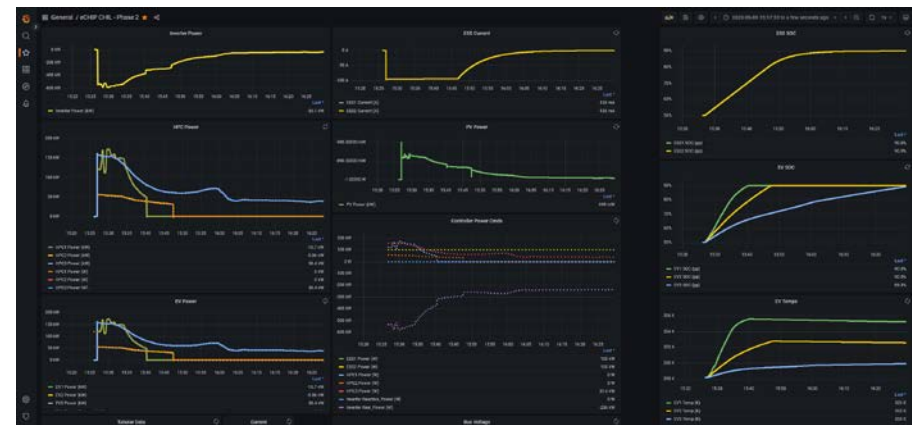
- **Common Integration Platform (CIP.io)**
 - Protocols for communication with EVSEs, DERs, and building systems
 - The CIP.io Platform Leverages the “MING” Stack
 - MQTT: Communication broker to facilitate communication between applications
 - InfluxDB: Time-series database
 - Node-RED: Application logic and bridge between comm. protocols
 - Grafana: Create plots and quickly visualize data
- **Implementation**
 - Implemented data reporting to CIP.io via MQTT on SpEC II
 - Implemented OCPP 1.6-J client on SpEC II
 - Implemented Custom MQTT protocol with SEMS



- Testing and verification of SEMS in both Controller-HIL and Power-HIL setups completed
- Communication between **EVSEs** and **SEMS** performed via **OCPP** and **MQTT**
- **Grafana** and **Influx DB** provide a control and monitoring interface and database system
- **Site-level controller** is implemented in **Python**, providing a flexible software interface that abstracts and eliminates back-end implementation details and connects all the

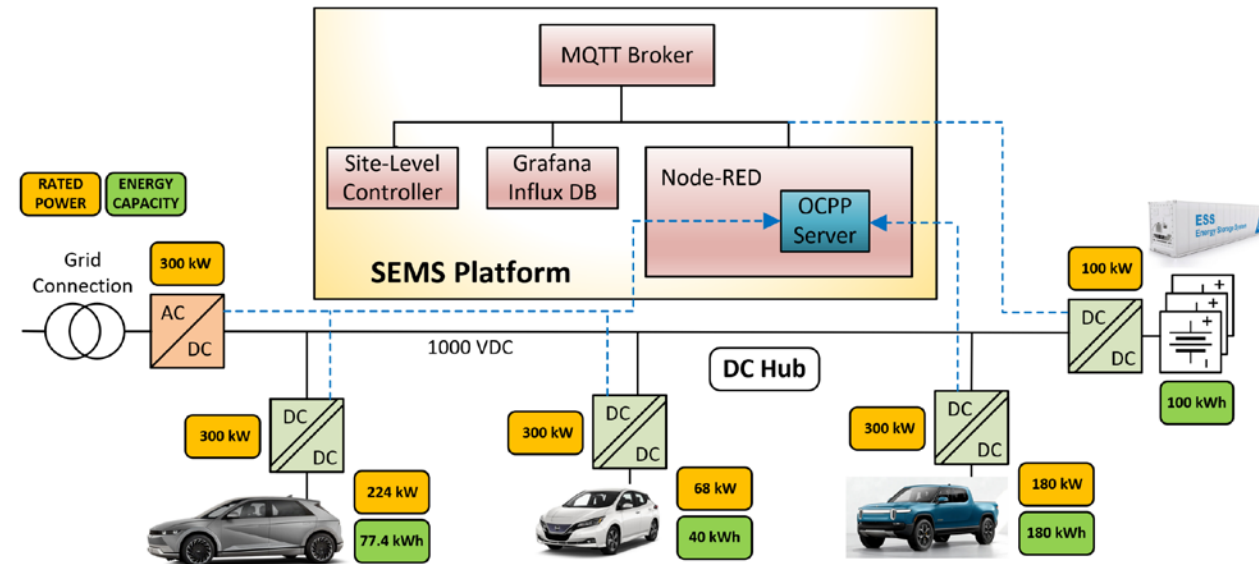


Node-RED Interface



Grafana Dashboard

- Real-time simulation platform
 - to build and scale any DC charging hub architecture,
 - to test and verify communication protocols
 - To demonstrate performance of new site controllers
- SEMS platform developed and tested on a mid-size DC charging hub in real-time
- Next Targets: Hub scaling, SpEC module integration, and site-level controller development

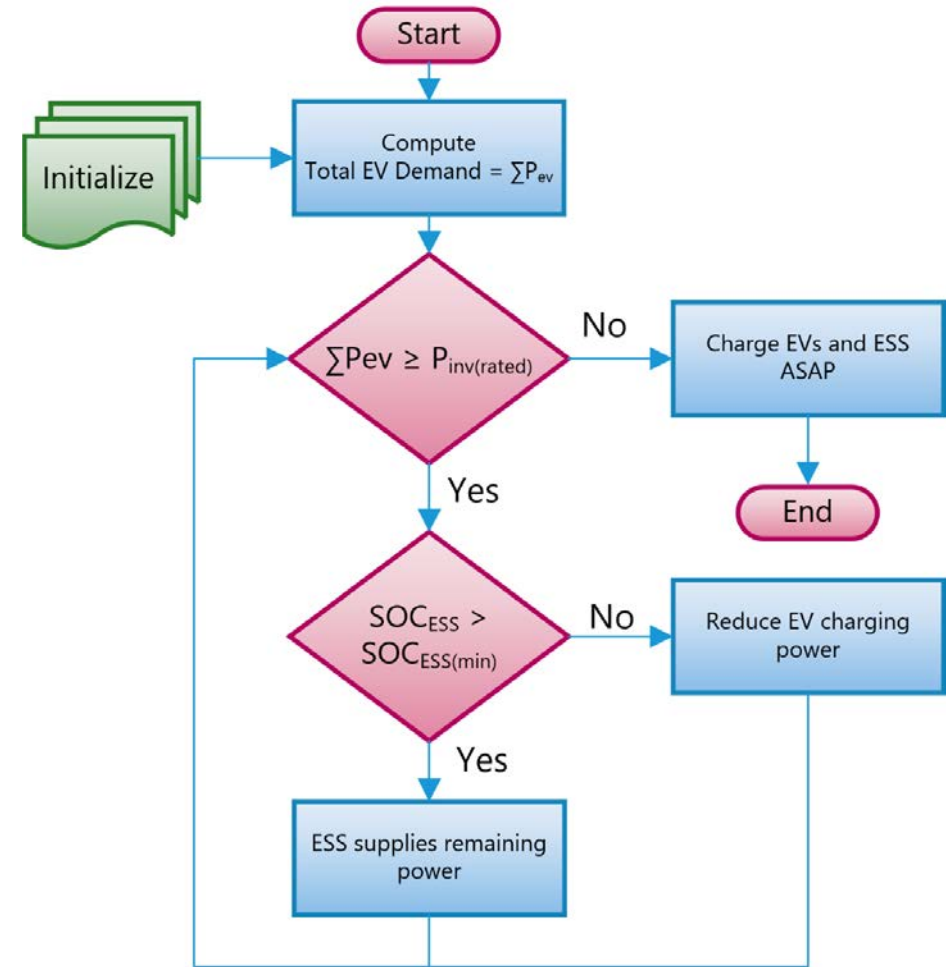


Developed real-time simulation platform using average models for power electronics.

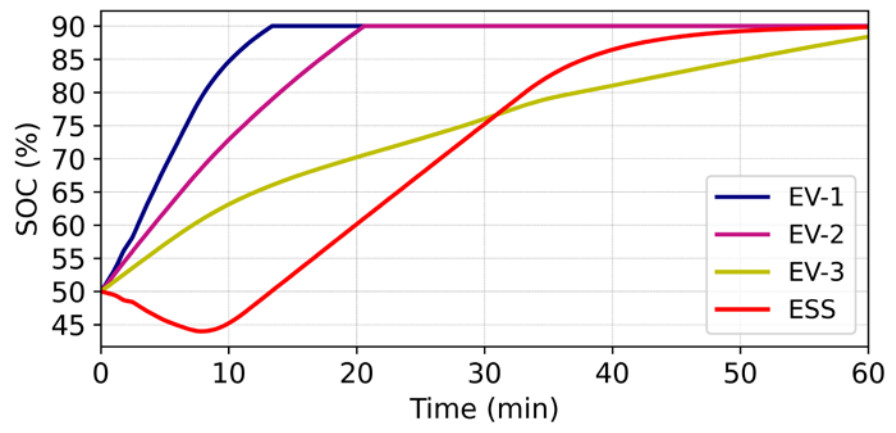
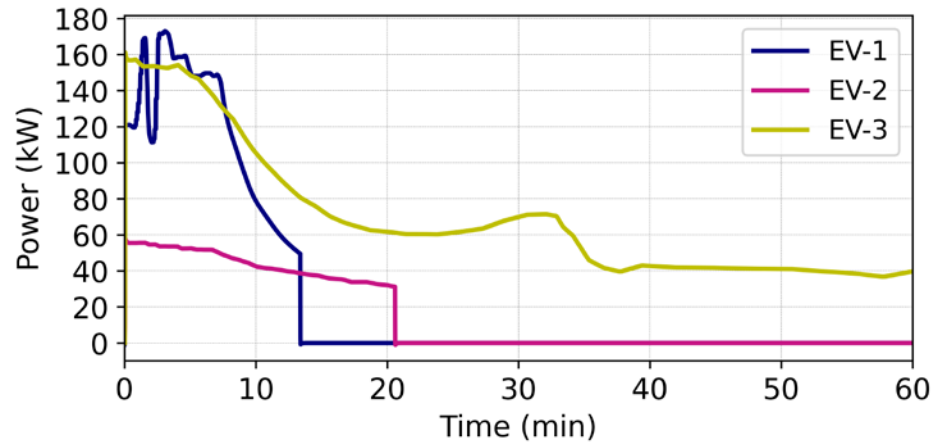
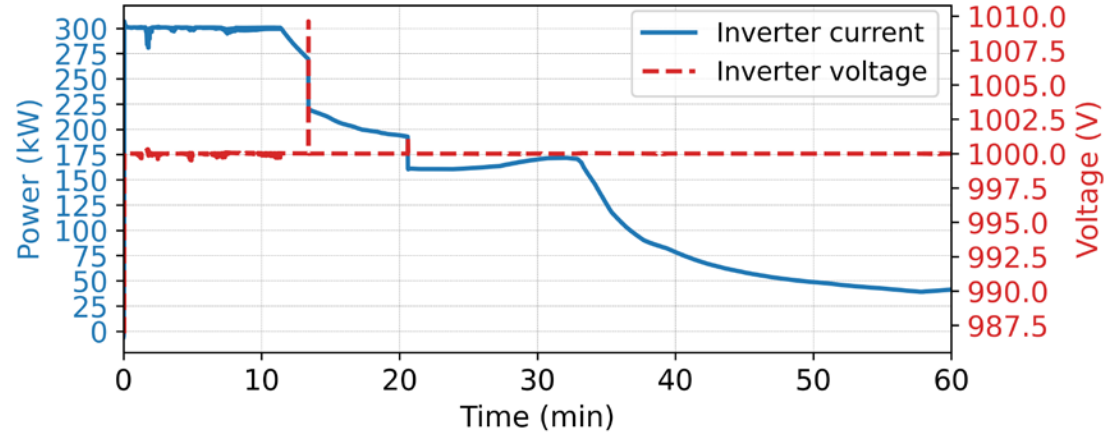
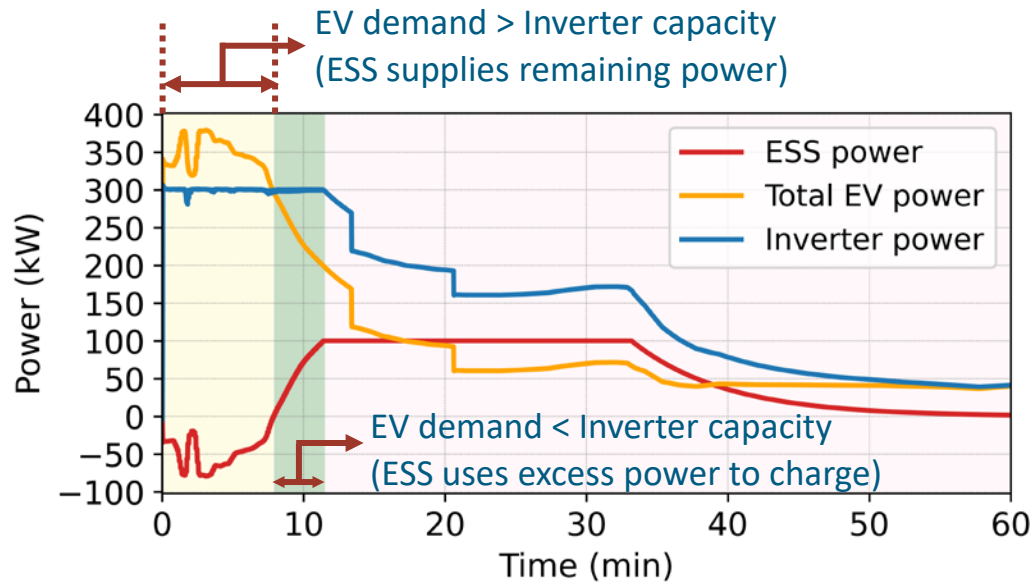
Example of Rule-Based SEMS:

Goal: Charge EV and energy storage system (ESS) as soon as possible without exceeding inverter capacity

- Inverter will supply EV load first
- If inverter supply is not enough, ESS will provide remaining power
- If both inverter and ESS are not sufficient to meet load, then EV charging power will be reduced
- If excess inverter capacity exists, EVs and ESS will be charged as soon as possible.



Preliminary C-HIL Results



[1] E. Ucer, et. al "Controller Hardware-in-the-loop Modeling and Operation of a High-power DC Charging Hub" to be presented at ECCE, Oct. 2023

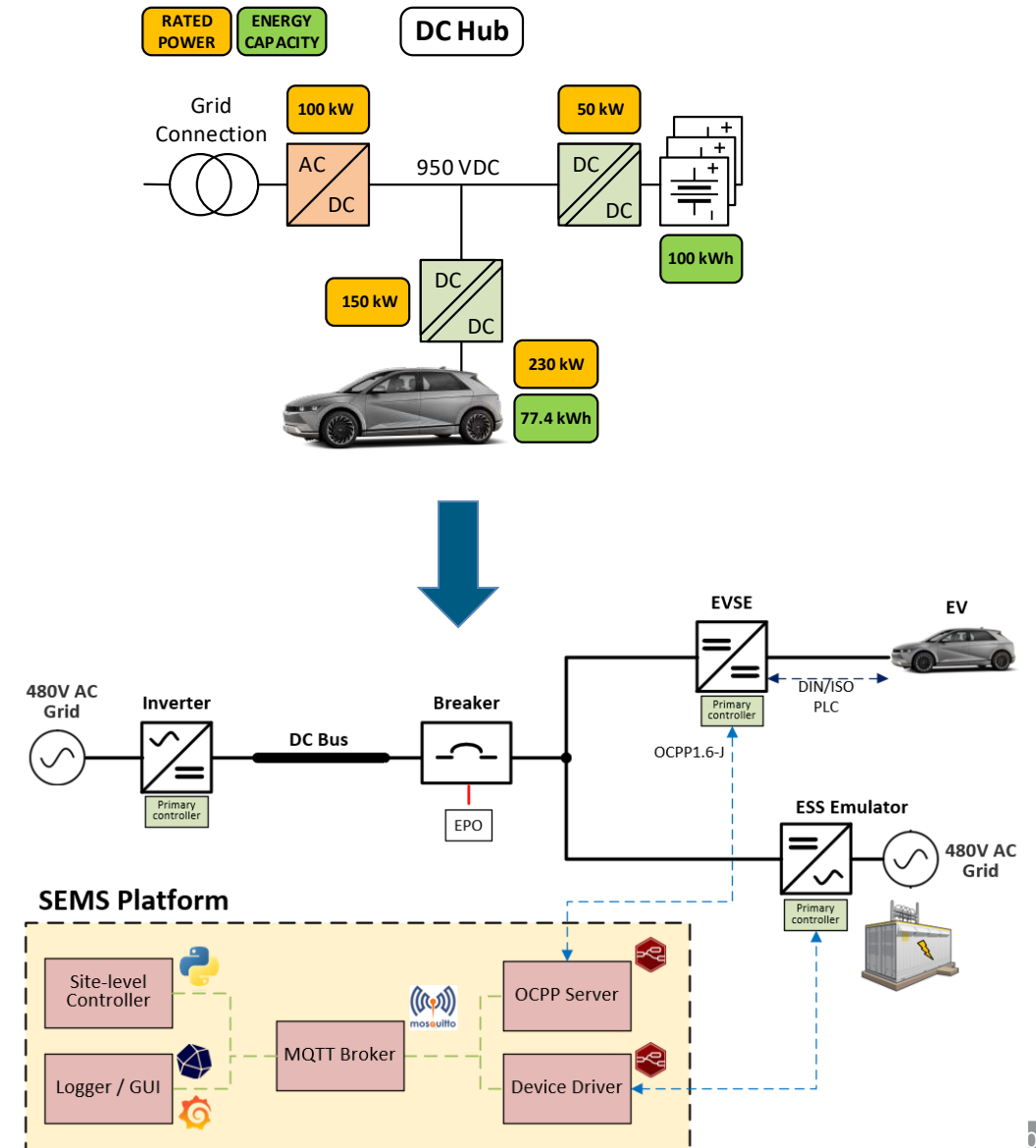
DC Hub Demonstration with Emulated ESS: Setup

Overview

- P-HIL platform demonstrates DC-hub use-case with ESS.
- 150 kW EVSE gets power from inverter derated to 100 kW, and 50 kW emulated ESS.

Use Case Highlights

- Grid-connected inverter is rated for less power than peak charging power.
- ESS discharges to meet peak charging power in combination with inverter.
- SEMS implements dynamic power allocation strategy to prioritize EV charging, while using inverter power to recharge ESS where possible.
- Dynamic power allocation strategy is necessary since knowledge of EV charging demand is currently unavailable (the dynamic current demand is not available through OCPP1.6-J).

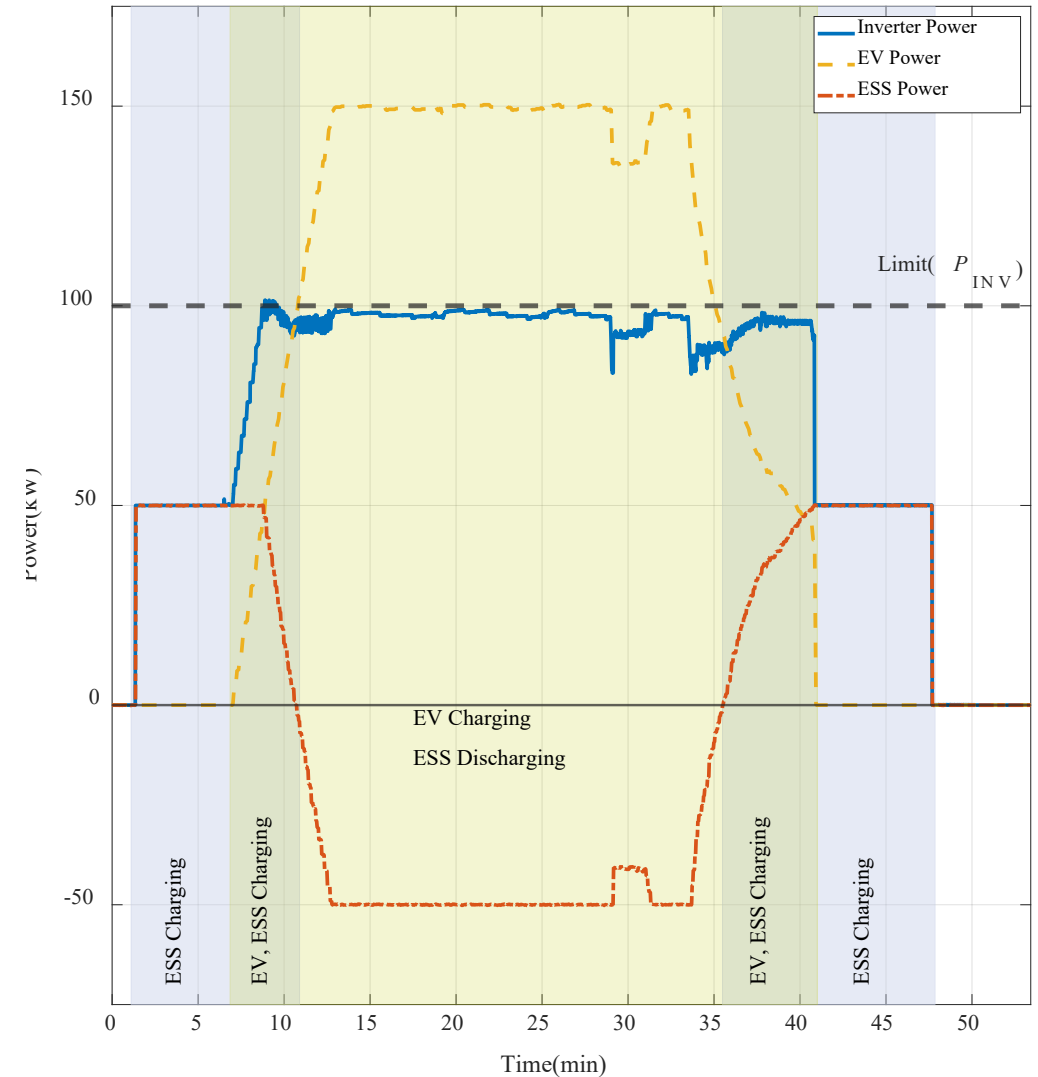


DC Hub Demonstration with Emulated ESS: Results



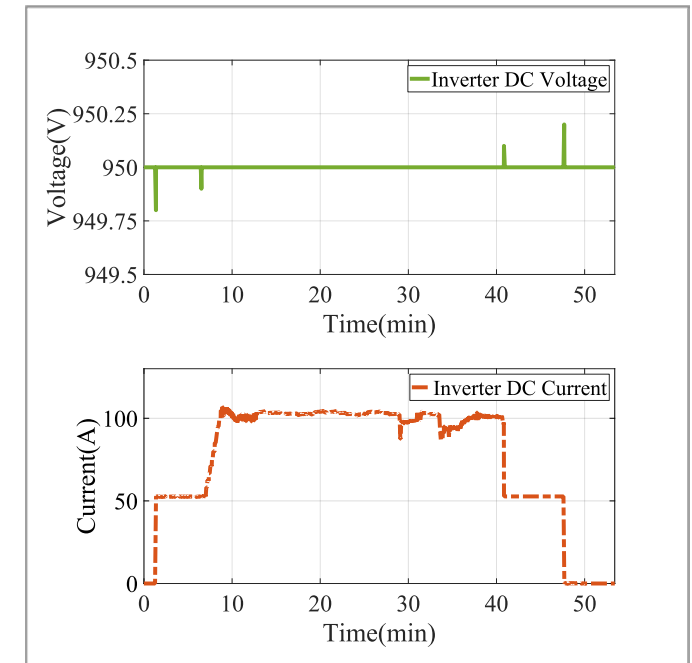
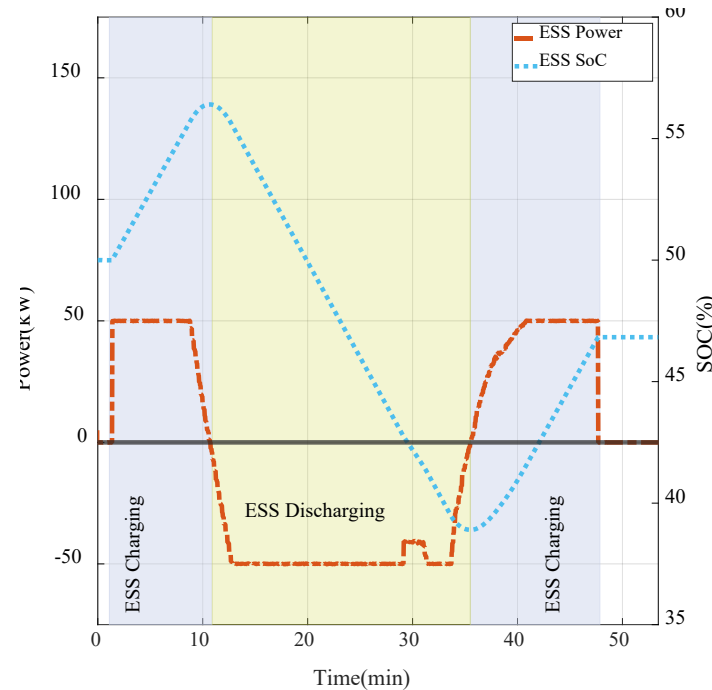
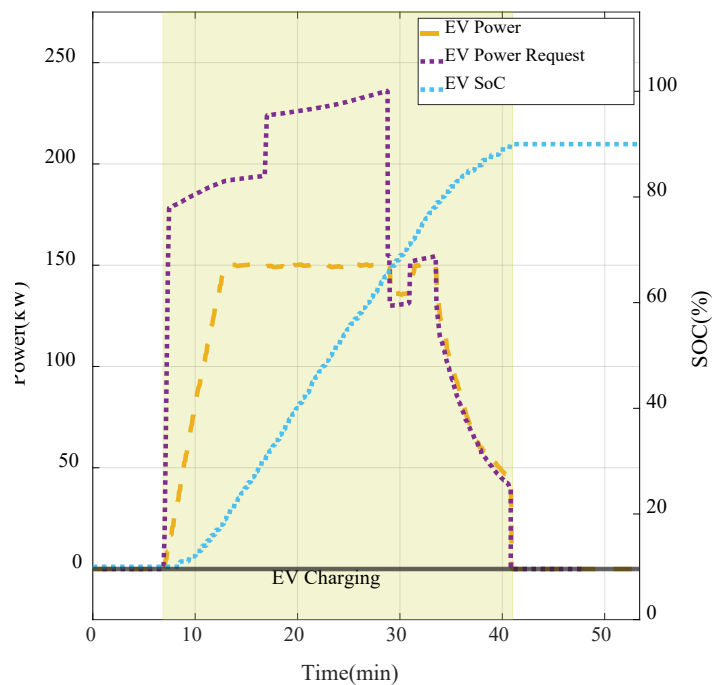
Results Highlights

- Inverter power is derated to 100 kW, while EV charging capped at 150 kW.
- EV charging slowly increased under dynamic power allocation strategy because of lack of EV power request signal.
- ESS provided extra support when needed to supply charging demand.



DC Hub Demonstration with Emulated ESS: Results, Cont'd.

- First plot shows EV's potential charging power. However, actual charging power is limited to what is offered by the EVSE.
- Since this signal is not available to SEMS, dynamic power allocation strategy is used instead.
- While this achieves desired energy management objective, ramp time increases due to need to progressively ramp up charging power under this strategy.
- If EV power request was available to the SEMS, 150 kW could be offered to vehicle in a faster fashion.



Key Takeaways

- Use case demonstrates how more complex SEMS objectives can be achieved despite limited information transfer from EV to SEMS.
- Implementation of newer standards is critical to eliminating slow ramp-up tradeoff and enabling practical realization of more advanced SEMS.
- Implemented SEMS and dynamic power allocation strategy enable the central inverter to be sized smaller than the peak charging power without compromising max charging rates (by leveraging ESS).

Next Steps

- Integration of additional DC hub nodes and increased SEMS complexity.
 - Emulated PV generation
 - Emulated building loads
 - UPER integration and demonstration
 - ORNL designed DC-DC charger
- Development and demonstration of an updated SEMS to support multiple vehicles, PV generation, and building loads.
- Evaluate DC hub response to grid ADMS signal.

A 1000 V class 175/350 kW charger and 1500 V class 350 kW charger are being developed.

Multi-Dimensional Improvement v/s SOA

High power Building block

Enable MW+ Charging
350 KW instead of 125-150 kW

Power density

Frequency > 20 kHz, $\eta > 99\%$
Enable two men carry < 80 Lbs.

Higher Working voltages

Distribution DC voltage increased to 2 kV
Vehicle voltage increased to 1500 V

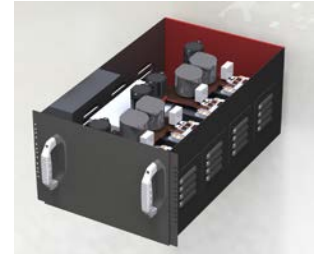
Bidirectional Power (V2X)

Controls to enable
bidirectional power transfer
while maintaining low loss

1700 V, 280 A/560 A, SiC

1000 V class 175 kW/350 kW charger

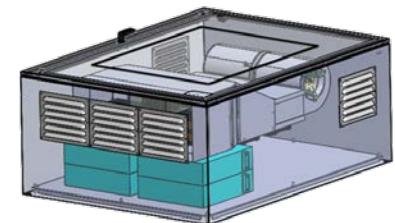
Vin	800-1200 V
Vout	200-950 V
I _{max}	225 A/ 450 A
Eff	>98.5%
Temp	-30°C to 50°C
Comms	CAN
Powerflow	Bidirectional



3300 V, 500 A, SiC

1500 V class 350 kW charger

Vin	1500-2000 V
Vout	500-1500 V
I _{max}	250 A
Eff	>99%
Temp	-30°C to 50°C
Comms	CAN
Powerflow	Bidirectional



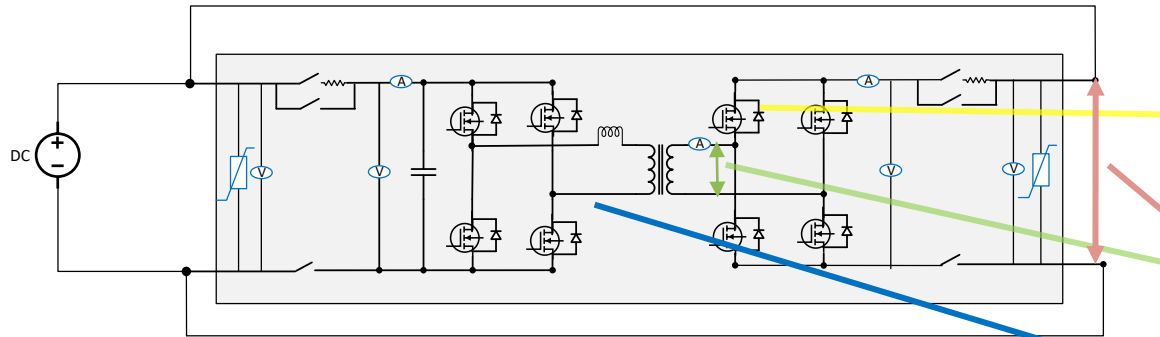
UPER: Universal Power Electronics Regulator

Specifications of charger under development

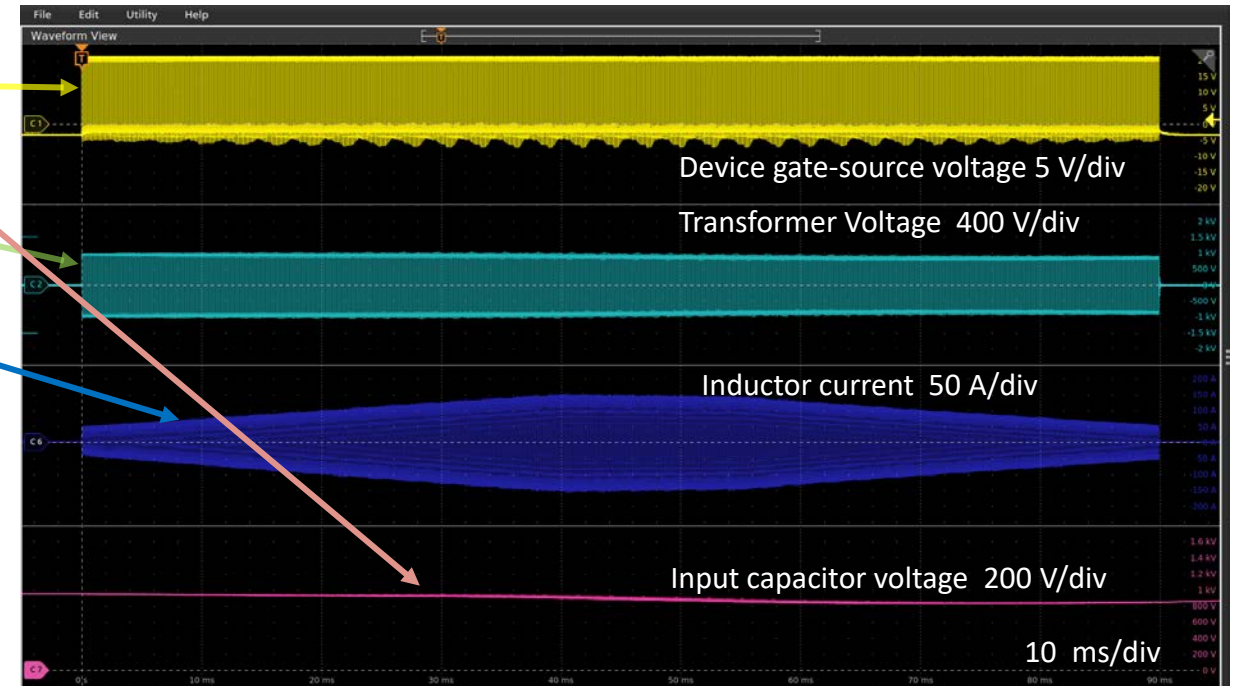
1000V Class Charger Test Results

1000 V, 175 kW Dual-Active-Bridge (DAB) based charger was built and tested.

- Optimal operation of charger over a wide voltage range (250 – 950 V) has been addressed through a combination of innovative modulation techniques and mechanical tap changers
- Improved packaging for ease of power scaling, shipping and handling



Charger Test Results at 950 V and 150 A: ~150 kW

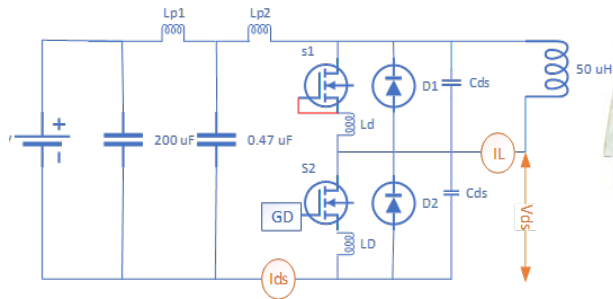


1000 V, 175 kW, 20 kHz DC/DC Charger

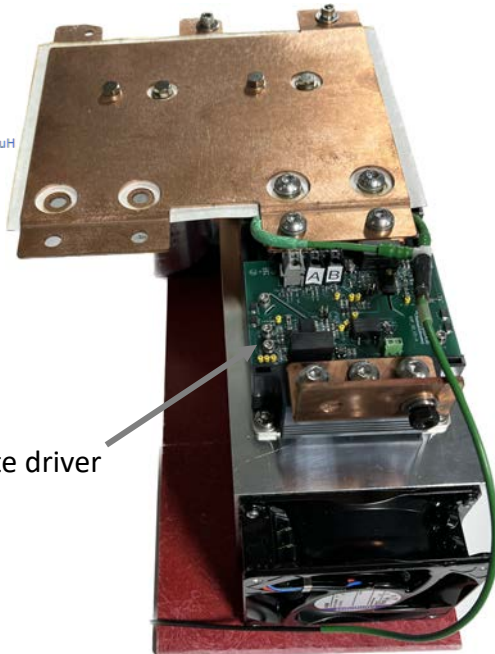
1500V Class Charger Development

- 3.3 kV SiC device (Wolfspeed) has been characterized at 2 kV and 450 A
- Includes verification of custom-built gate driver : 5 kV isolation, 10 A peak current, optical interface
- Next steps include building the complete 2 kV class charger

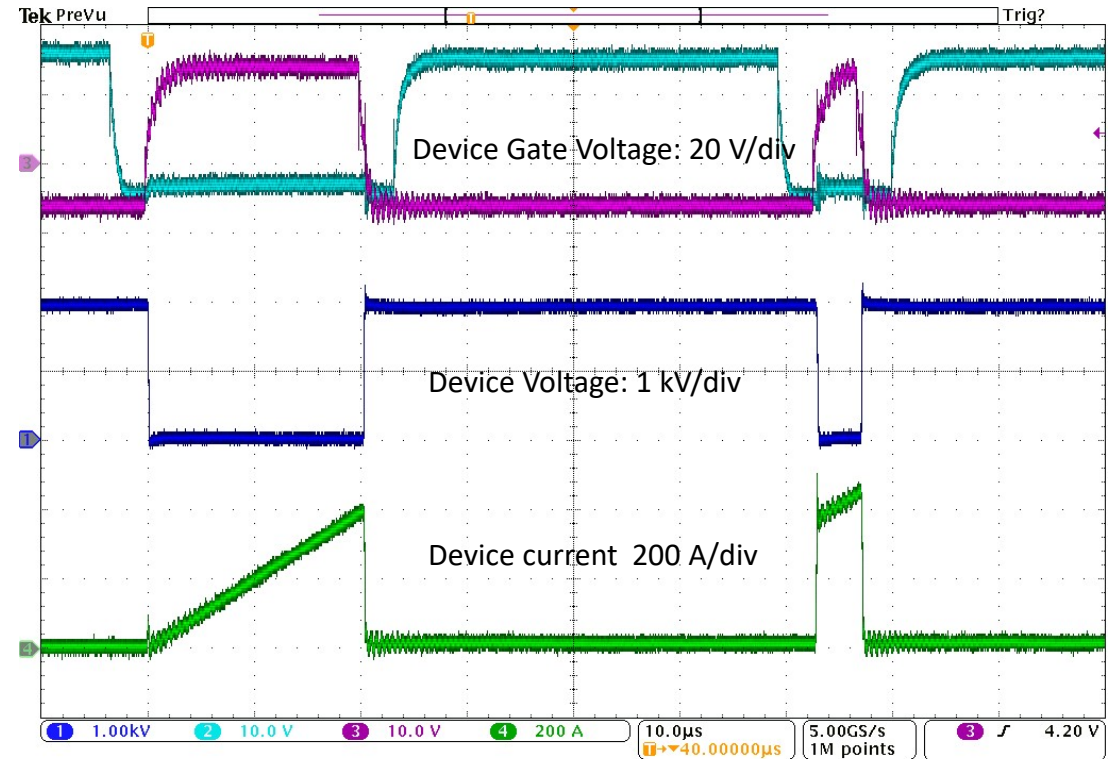
Double Pulse Test Setup



ORNL 3.3 kV SiC Gate driver



Characterization results of 3.3 kV SiC at 2 kV and 450 A



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Spec Module-UPER Integration

- **Implementation and testing**

- Charger application with UPER CAN interface ported over from SpEC I to **SpEC II**
- Implemented **ISO 15118-2** charging and BPT message set on SpEC II
- Successfully performed **DIN 70121** and **ISO 15118-2** BPT sessions on actual EV using SpEC II and UPER Emulator connected to ABC-170

- **Next steps**

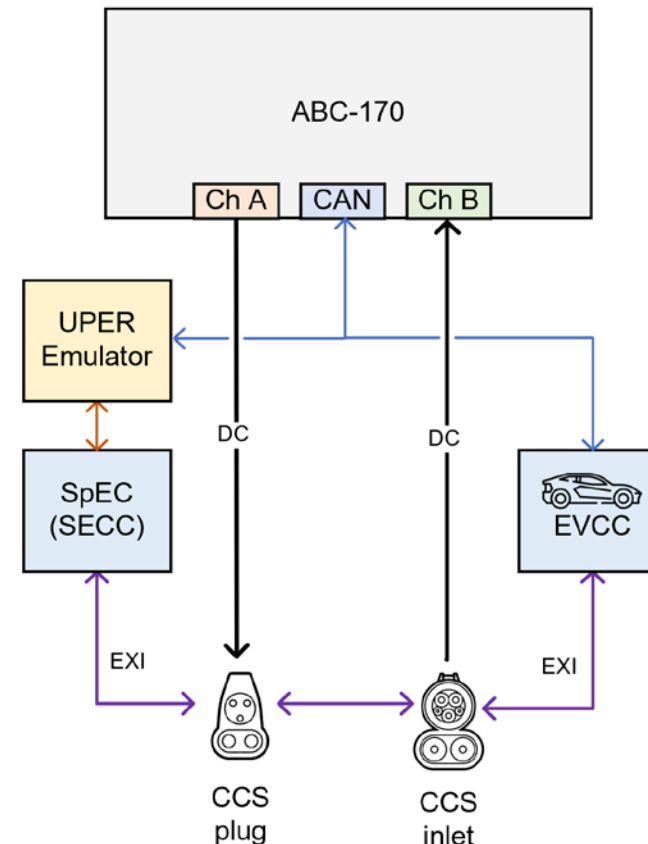
- Test with an **actual** UPER controller at ORNL to verify CAN communication, state machine and power delivery
- Integrate UPER/SpEC charger at NREL
- Demonstrate ISO 15118-2 DC/DC BPT at NREL
- Identify and incorporate message set for COTS DC/DC module for low power tests



SpEC II module (ANL)



UPER Emulator (ANL)



Test Setup

Conclusions and Review

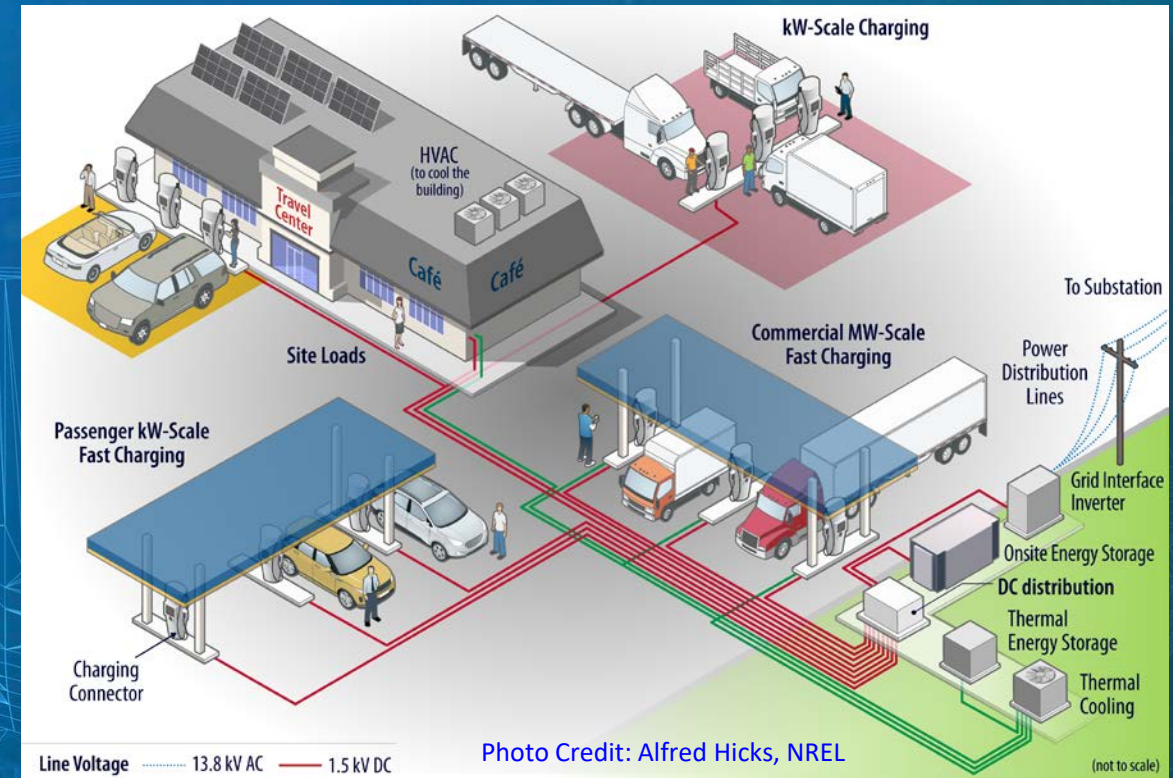
- Open-source SEMS platform development completed
- C-HIL real-time simulation setup with SEMS platform implementation
- DC Hub charging hardware with ESS is tested with SEMS platform charging Hyundai Ioniq-5
- Testing of 175 kW DC-DC converter completed
- Spec II module is tested with UPER emulator

Next steps

- Integration of PV and building loads
- Implementation of distributed SEMS algorithms both C-HIL and P-HIL setup using a scaled-up charger
- Instrumentation of DC Hub with more measurement units
- Spec-II module integration with UPER
- Integration of 1000 V Class UPER Charger with DC Hub

Thank You!
Join us for the
HPC Deep Dive on
Tuesday Nov 7, 2023

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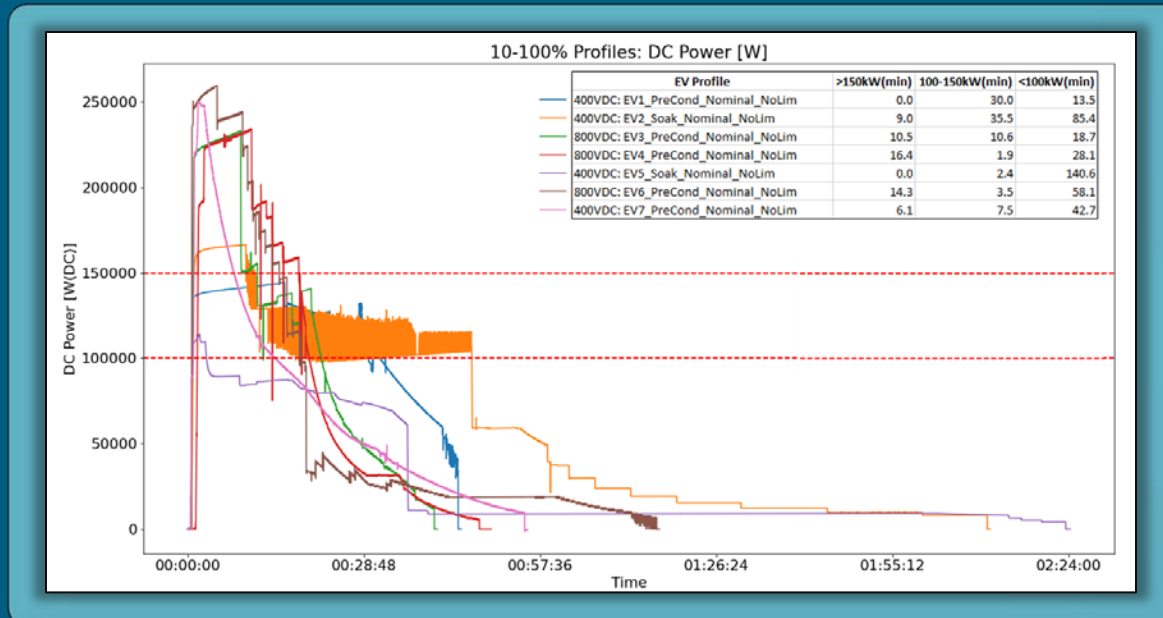
**Semi-Annual Meeting:
Next-Gen Charge Profiles**

Sam Thurston

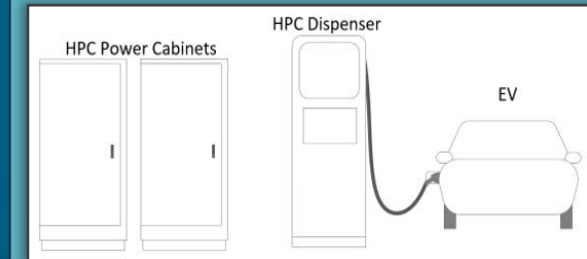
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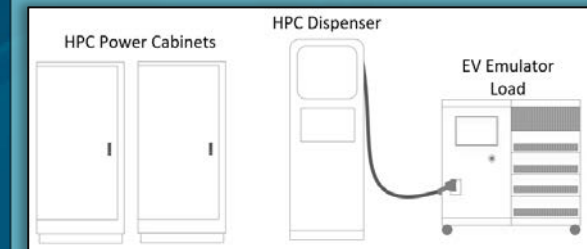
- EVs@Scale > High Power Charging > Next-Gen Profiles
- *“To further understand the most recent technological capabilities of the electric mobility industry related to charging performance.”*
- Many Things to consider when assessing HPC (>200kW):
 - Baseline vs Boundary, Conductive vs Wireless
 - System responses to grid disturbances & charging management.
- 3 categories of HPC under investigation in Next-Gen Profiles:



1. EV Profile Capture



2. EVSE Characterization



3. Fleet Utilization



A wireframe rendering of an electric vehicle, possibly a truck or van, shown in a blue-tinted, digital style. The vehicle is composed of a grid of lines, giving it a transparent, skeletal appearance. It is positioned in the center-right of the frame, facing right. The background is a solid blue color with a subtle pattern of small white dots and faint lines, suggesting a digital or data-driven environment.

EV Profile Capture: *Testing Procedures & Results*

Overview: EV Profile Capture

- EV Assets:
 - Production EVs ~400VDC or ~800VDC HV battery topology
 - OEM rated 150-350kW peak DC charge power
- EVSE Assets:
 - Production DCFCs capable of 1000VDC/500A Max
 - Dual power cabinet, single dispenser topology
 - Handle options: CCS, Tesla, Pantograph, WPT
- Nominal test conditions:
 - 10-100% EV state of charge
 - Nominal (23 °C/75 °F) ambient temperature
 - EV pre-driven for 30-40min
- Off-nominal test conditions:
 - 25-100%, 50-100% EV state of charge
 - Hot (40 °C/100 °F), Cold (-7 °C/20 °F) ambient temperature
 - EV temperature soaked for 4-hours, or pre-driven 30-40min
 - Single power cabinet (EVSE Limited)
 - OCPP curtailed (65A for 2min)

HPC Power Cabinets

HPC Dispenser

EV

Table 2 – EV Profile Capture Boundary Conditions

EV Profile Capture - Boundary Conditions			
Condition Category	Condition Sub-Category	Condition Metric	Tolerance
Vehicle Condition	Starting State of Charge	10%	+/- 2% (Reported Useable*)
		25%	+/- 2% (Reported Useable*)
		50%	+/- 2% (Reported Useable*)
	Battery Temp	Ambient (23C)	+/- 2C
Cooled - Pre-conditioned		Steady State**	
Heated - Pre-driven		Steady State**	
Aligned (< 5% coil length offset)		+/- 2%	
WPT Alignment	X-Direction	10% coil length offset	+/- 2%
		25% coil length offset	+/- 2%
		40% coil length offset	+/- 2%
	Y-Direction	Aligned (< 5% coil length offset)	+/- 2%
		10% coil length offset	+/- 2%
		25% coil length offset	+/- 2%
	Z-Direction	40% coil length offset	+/- 2%
		Unloaded	+/- 50mm from nominal airgap
Temperature	Ambient Temp	Nominal - 23C	+/- 2C
		Hot - 40C	+/- 2C
		Cold - (-)7C	+/- 2C
Charge Management	Smart Charge Request	FALSE	--
	Smart Charge Request Duration	No Limit	--
	Smart Charge Request Scheduling	2 minutes	+/- 1 minute
	Current Request	No Request	--
		2 Minutes after charge session start	+/- 1 minute

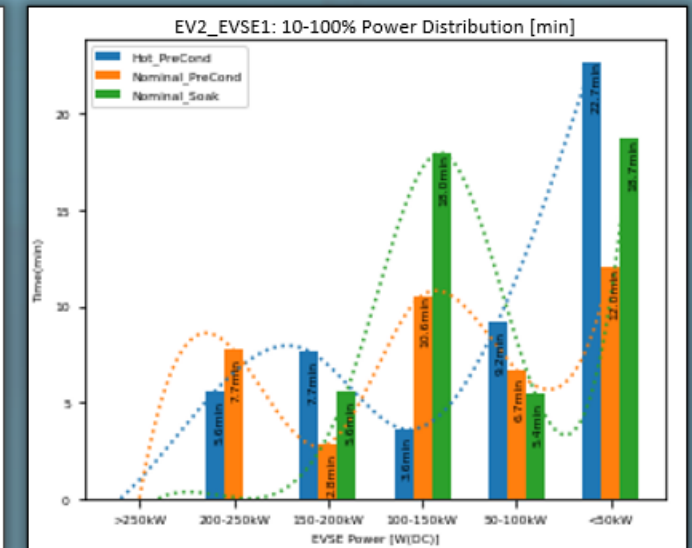
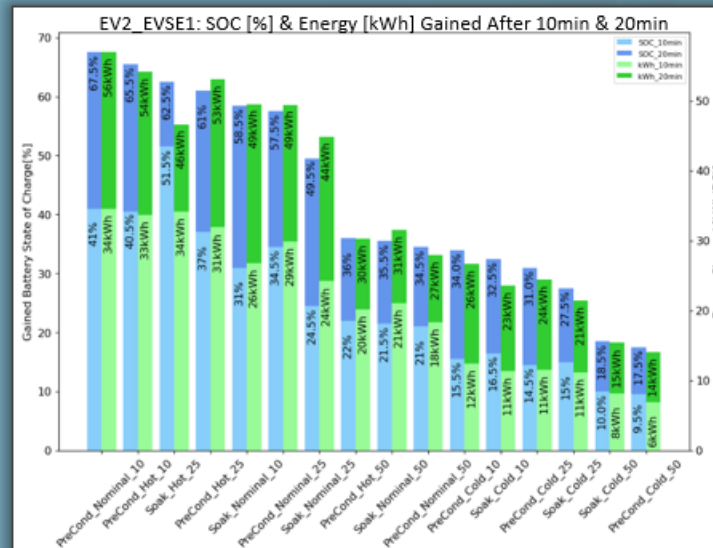
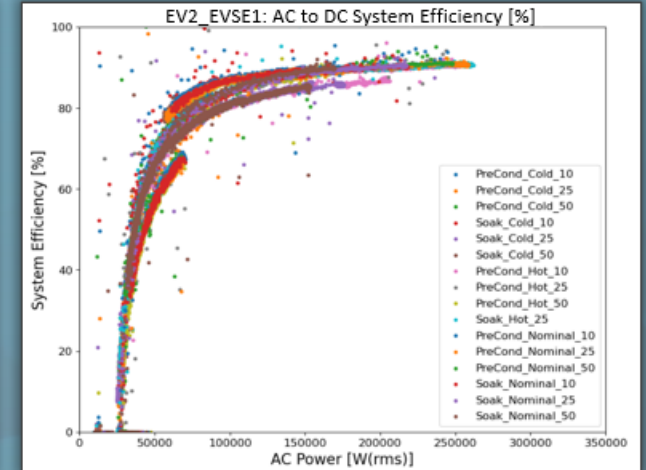
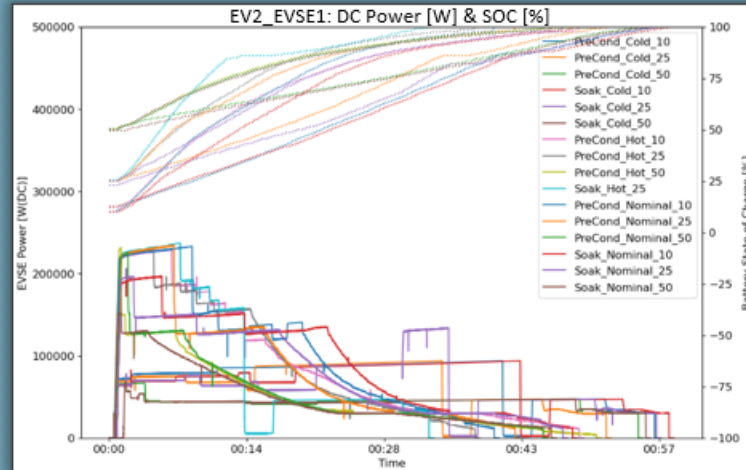
Reported Useable* - State of Charge(SOC) value is based on the reported available SOC to the user; not the absolute SOC of the battery pack.
Steady State** - Battery pack is pre-conditioned (heated or cooled) to a steady temperature; required durations and temperatures vary by EV make/model; HPC EVSE should be soaked at a minimum duration of 4 hours.

■ -Signifies nominal test condition

Findings: Diversity of a Single EV's Charge Profiles

- Goal: To understand how a single EV performs under different boundary conditions
- Findings:
 - Charge profiles are very diverse based on initial conditions of the EV
 - OEM rated “peak performance” is difficult to achieve outside of nominal conditions
 - Even with a Nominal Soak condition, peak power is not always achieved
 - Grid Analysis POV: AC power curves, power distribution, system efficiency, etc.
 - Consumer Analysis POV: SOC gained, energy gained, range gained, etc.
 - Within a single EV lies a very diverse range of plots & charge characteristics.

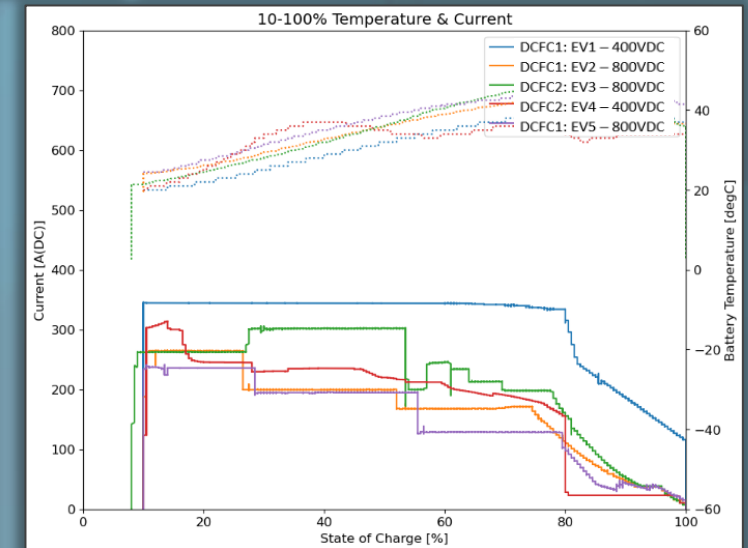
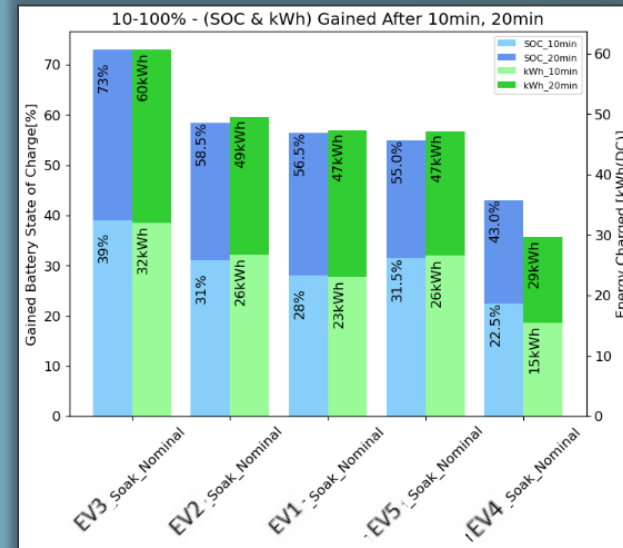
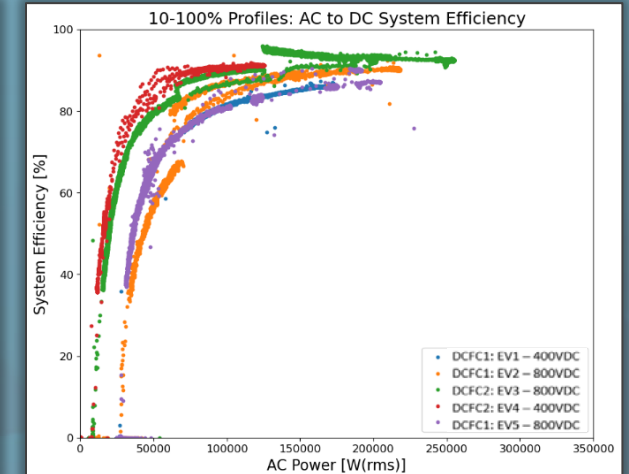
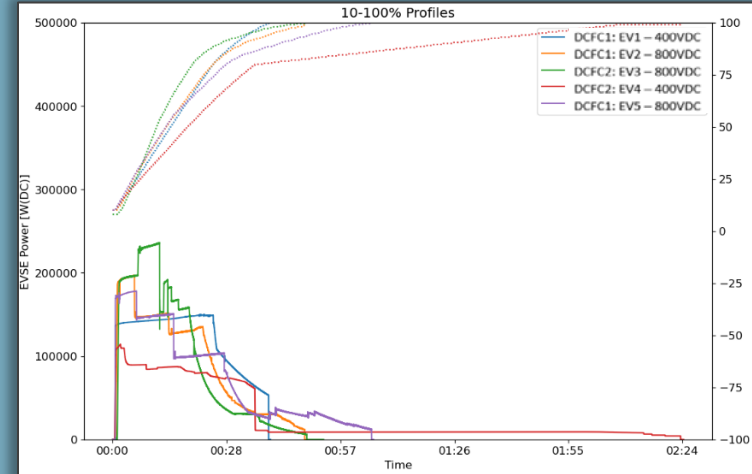
EV Profile Set Analysis



Findings: Different EV Battery Topologies & DCFCs

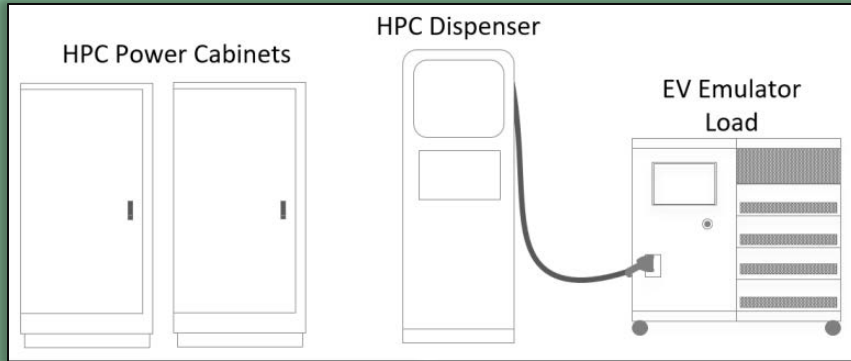
- **Goal:** To understand how different EV topologies & DCFC compete with one another in similar conditions in terms of charge performance
- **Findings:**
 - Double the necessary current for 400VDC battery to match the power output for a 800VDC system
 - DCFC cable limitations (500A max for our dual cabinet setup)
 - SOC gained is not entirely reflective of performance, kWh shows the relative battery pack size being charged
 - System efficiencies of 400VDC & 800VDC vary on different DCFC manufacturers
 - DCFC 1: Red, Green
 - DCFC 2: Blue, Orange, purple

Comparing EV Captures (10-100% Nominal Soak)



A wireframe rendering of an electric vehicle charging station and a car, set against a blue background. The charging station is a large, rectangular structure with a charging cable hanging from it. The car is a compact hatchback, positioned to the left of the charging station. The entire scene is rendered in a light blue wireframe style, giving it a technical and futuristic appearance.

EVSE Characterization: *Testing Procedures & Results*



EVSE Characterization - Boundary Conditions			
Condition Category	Condition Sub-Category	Condition Metric	Tolerance
WPT Alignment	X-Direction	Aligned (-5% coil length offset)	
		10% coil length offset	+/- 2%
		25% coil length offset	+/- 2%
		40% coil length offset	+/- 2%
	Y-Direction	Aligned (-5% coil length offset)	
		10% coil length offset	+/- 2%
25% coil length offset		+/- 2%	
Z-Direction	40% coil length offset	+/- 2%	
	Unloaded	+/- 50mm from nominal airgap	
Temperature	Ambient Temp	Nominal - 23C	+/- 2C*
		Hot - 40C	+/- 2C*
		Cold - (-7)C	+/- 2C*
Grid Condition	Voltage	Nominal - 480VAC	+/- 25VAC
		Swelled - 528VAC (110% nominal)	+/- 25VAC
		Sagged - 432VAC (90% nominal)	+/- 25VAC
	Frequency	No Harmonics	
		5% Voltage distortion	+/- 1%
		Nominal - 60Hz	+/- 2Hz
Charge Management	Smart Charge Request	Increased - 61.2Hz	+/- 2Hz
		Decreased - 58.8Hz	+/- 2Hz
		FALSE	---
Charge Management	Smart Charge Request	TxProfile	---
		TxDefaultProfile	---
		ChargePointMaxProfile	---
	Duration	No Limit	---
		2 Minutes	+/- 1 minute
		Smart Charge Request	No Request
Current or Power Request	Scheduling	1 minute into charge session	---
	No Limit	---	
	65A (total AC input current)	---	
		54kW (AC or DC as implemented by manuf.)	---

EVSE Power Transfer Characterization - Test Conditions			
Test Condition Category	DC Current Test Conditions	DC Voltage Test Conditions	Tolerance
Unplugged	0A		
Plugged in, prior to charge session initialization (no power transfer)	0A		
Steady State power transfer	50A to 500A in 10A increments (up to max power)	300V, 400V, 650V, 750V, 850V	+/-2%
Steady State power transfer	50A to 500A in 10A increments (up to max power)	350V, 700V, 800V, max V	+/-2%
Steady State power transfer	150A, 500A (or full power if 500A is not possible)	400V, 850V	+/-2%
Plugged in, immediately following the end of charge session (no power transfer)	0A		

EV Assets:

- EV Emulator (load bank) 50-1000VDC
- OEM rated between 150-350kW peak DC charge rates

EVSE Assets:

- Production DCFCs, capable up to 1000VDC/500A Max
- Typically, a dual power cabinet/single dispenser topology
- Possible port types are CCS, Tesla, Pantograph, WPT

Nominal test conditions:

- Voltage: 300V, 400V, 650V, 750V, 850V
- Current: 50 to 500A, 10A increments
- Nominal (23°C/75°F) ambient temperature
- Grid supply: 480VAC, 60Hz, no harmonics
- WPT coils aligned

Off-nominal test conditions:

- Hot (40°C/100°F), Cold (-7°C/20°F) ambient temperature
- Grid supply: [538, 432]VAC, [58.8, 61.2]Hz, 5% voltage distortion
- OCPP Curtailed: 65A for 2min via TxProfile, TxDefaultProfile, and ChargePointMaxProfile

Findings: EVSE Nominal & Off-Nominal

Goal: Characterize EVSE performance and operation across a wide range of voltage and current test conditions

Findings:

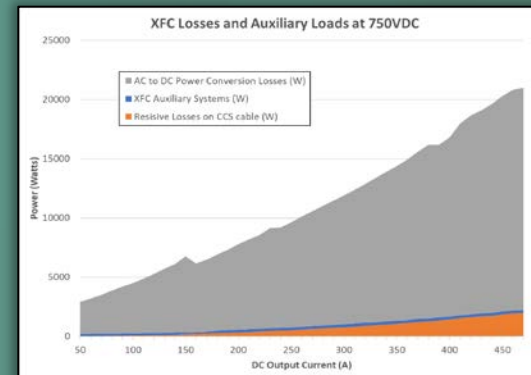
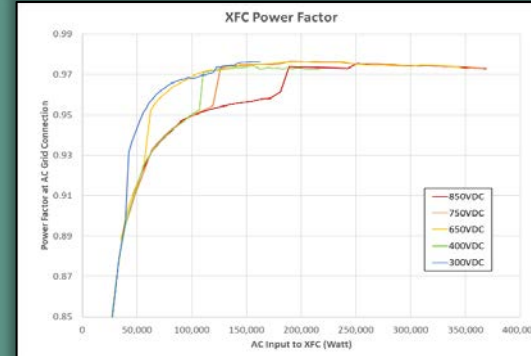
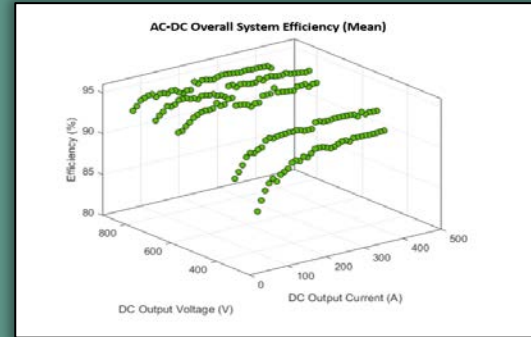
- 300V, 400V, 650V, 750V, 850V @ 10A increments [50, 500]A
- AC to DC Efficiency, Power Quality, Losses all have variation
- Losses due to cable, auxiliary loads, stand-by power

Goal: Characterize EVSE performance during voltage deviation, frequency deviation, and voltage harmonics grid conditions

Findings:

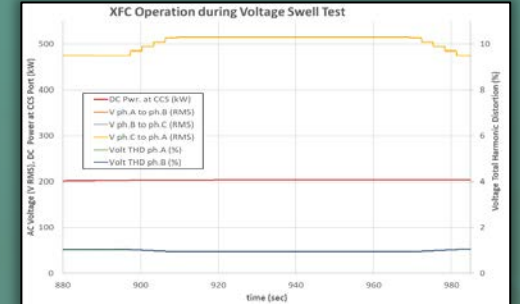
- Voltage Deviation [90, 110]% of nominal (426VAC, 518VAC)
- Frequency Deviation [58.8, 62.1]Hz
- Harmonics Injection 5%
- DC Power transfer continues uninterrupted during all off-nominal, matching expected behavior
- WPT: 94.23% efficiency at 100kW power transfer

EVSE Nominal Conditions

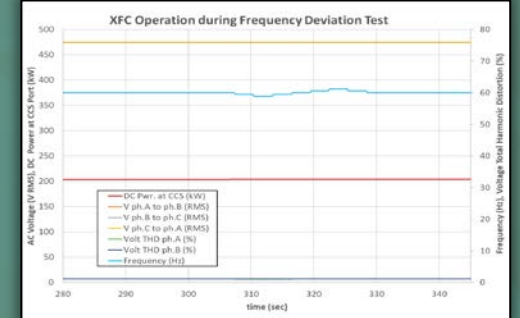


EVSE Off-Nominal Conditions

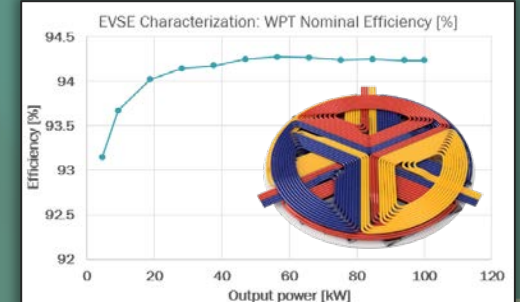
EVSE Voltage Variation Test



EVSE Frequency Variation Test



Wireless Power Transfer



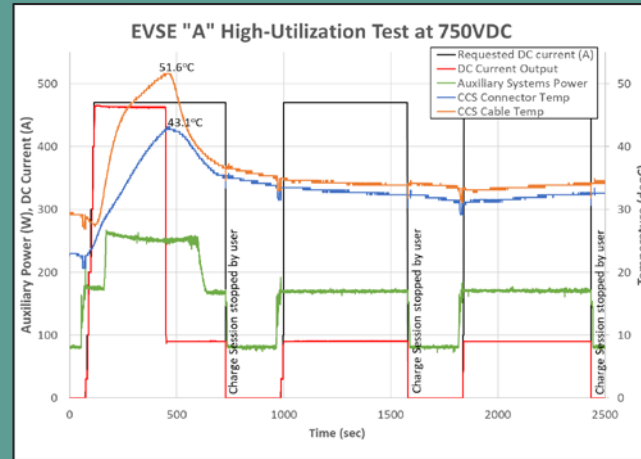
Findings: High Utilization & OCPP Curtailment

EVSE High Utilization Tests

Goal: Determine EVSE performance for consecutive 10min. full power charge sessions

Findings:

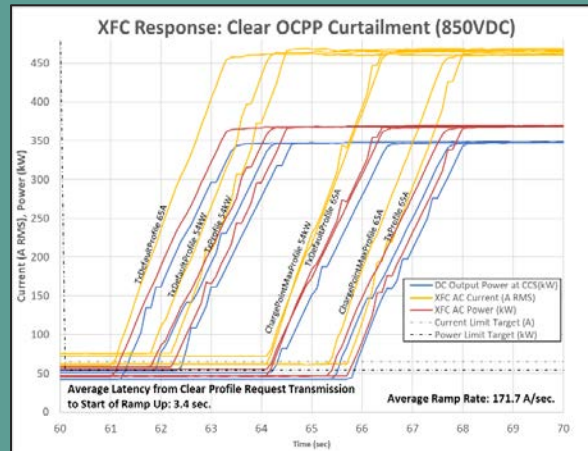
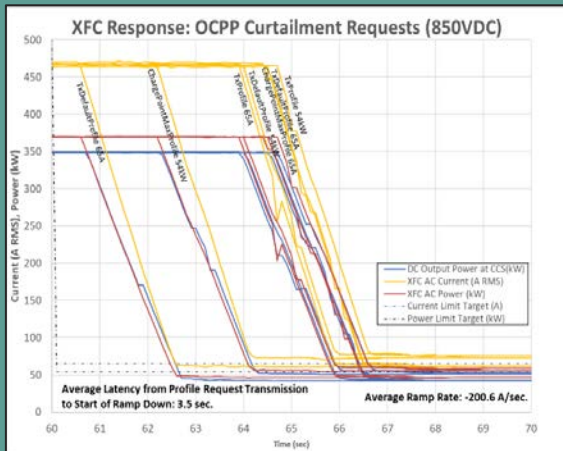
- Three 10-min charge sessions, 4-min rest between
- 500A requested, 465A delivered
- Cable thermal limit exceeded @ 6-min, limited current to 90A until reboot



EVSE Thermal Control Testing Sequence and Test Conditions					
Step #	Duration	Test Condition Category	DC Current Test Conditions	DC Voltage Test Conditions	Tolerance
1	< 2min.	Plug in and start charge session	0A		
2	10 min.	Steady State power transfer (350kW*)	466A*	750V	+/-2%
3	< 5 min.	Stop Charge Session	0A		
4	10 min.	Steady State power transfer (350kW*)	466A*	750V	+/-2%
5	< 5 min.	Stop Charge Session	0A		
6	10 min.	Steady State power transfer (350kW*)	466A*	750V	+/-2%
7	5 min.	Stop Charge Session	0A		

*Operate at highest current possible, at the test voltage specified, up to EVSE full power capability
 *Signifies required tests

EVSE OCPP Curtailment Request & Response



Goal: Characterize EVSE performance, latency, and ramp rates during energy management curtailments

Findings:

- Response latency varies [1, 11] sec
- Average response latency ~3 sec
- Ramp rate depends on power transfer initial & final values
- Ramp up rate [-200, -27] Amps/sec
- Ramp down rate [23, 172] Amps/sec



Fleet Utilization: *Testing Procedures & Results*

Overview: Fleet Utilization

- Assets:
 - EV or EVSE Fleet, Conductive & Non-Conductive
- Types of Data
 - Time series data: Hourly, Daily, Weekly, Monthly, Annually
 - Data Categories: Charge, Route, Temporal Analysis
 - Types of Analysis: Utilization Rates, Avg Start/End SOC, Average Power [kW], Weekday usage rates [%], etc.
 - Heavily reliant on OEM collaboration & access to data
 - Lab developed scripts are highly malleable, able to work with different formats & cadence
 - Gives insight on how EV profiles & EVSE characterization is applicable to a live case study



A wireframe rendering of a truck and a car, overlaid on a blue background with a faint grid pattern. The truck is on the right, and the car is on the left. The text is centered over the truck.

Project Outcomes: *Data Reporting & Distribution*

NGP Annual Reports:

- *High-Level Analysis Report*
- *EV Profile Capture Report*
- *EVSE Characterization Report*
- *Fleet Utilization Report*

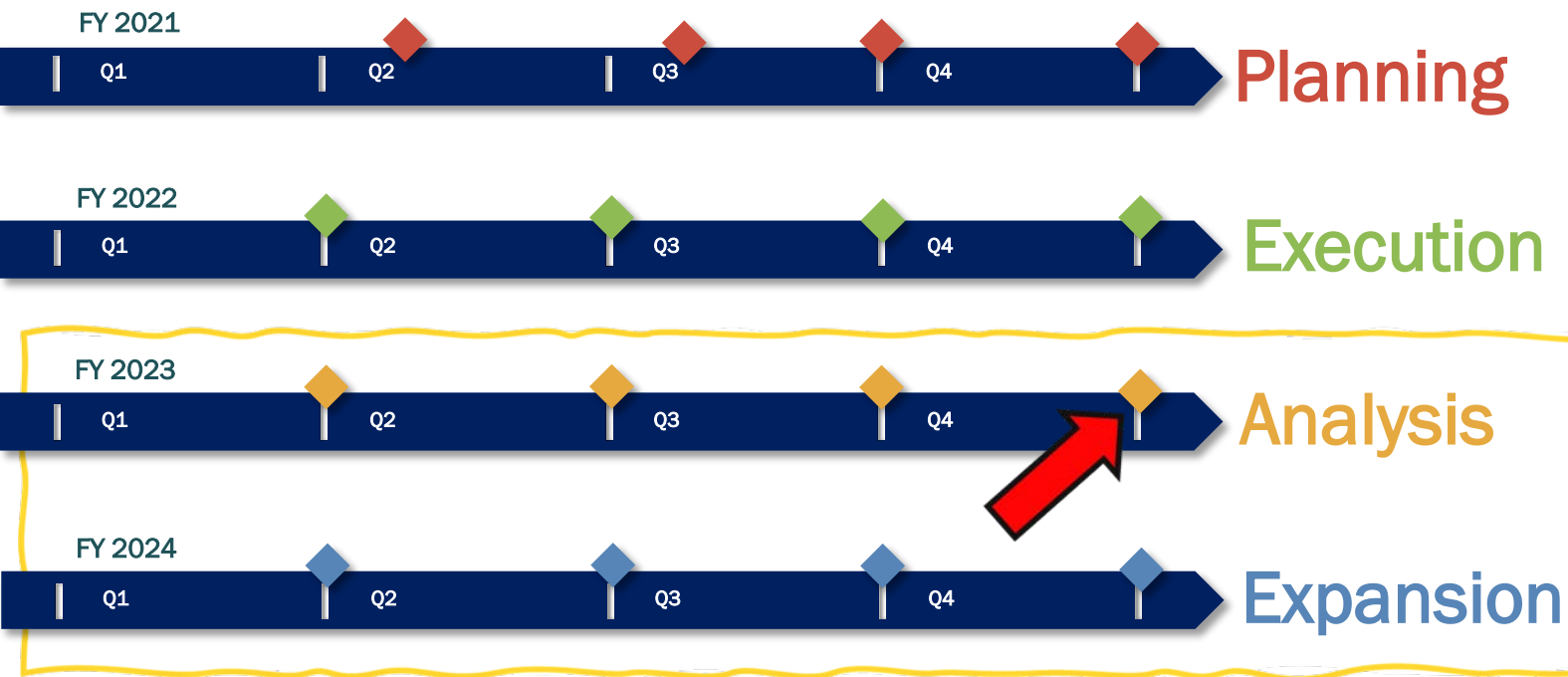
Time Series Data for participating OEMs:

- Full Time-Series with meta-data for sponsored assets
- Anonymized Full Time-Series without meta-data for non-sponsored assets



Charge Session Meta-Data			Time Series Charge Data					
Vehicle Property	EVSE Property	Events	Time (LO HS)		480VAC Cabinet 1 Phase A			
Unique ID	Charger Model	Charge-Event #	Date [YYYY-MM-DD]	Time [hh:mm:ss.0]	Voltage [V[RMS]]	Current [A[RMS]]	Frequency [Hz]	Real Power [W[RMS]]
Vehicle Model	Station or EVSE ID	Station Plug	2023-06-22	00:00:00.100000	275.21	2.87	60.02	3.20
Firmware Version		Odometer Reading	2023-06-22	00:00:00.200000	275.22	2.88	60.02	4.30
		Plug-In Timestamp	2023-06-22	00:00:00.300000	275.20	2.87	60.02	3.50
		Un-Plug Timestamp	2023-06-22	00:00:00.400000	275.15	2.86	60.02	3.90
		Session Cost	2023-06-22	00:00:00.500000	275.16	2.88	60.02	3.90
		Local OCPP Central Service	2023-06-22	00:00:00.600000	275.15	2.88	60.02	3.70
		Curtailed Power [KW]	2023-06-22	00:00:00.700000	275.28	2.87	60.02	3.90
		Curtailed Current [A]	2023-06-22	00:00:00.800000	275.39	2.85	60.02	3.70
		Curtailed Start Time	2023-06-22	00:00:00.900000	275.47	2.86	60.02	3.40
		Curtailed End Time	2023-06-22	00:00:01.000000	275.49	2.87	60.02	3.70
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			2023-06-22	00:00:01.300000	275.46	2.86	60.02	3.90
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Project Timeline



- Completed
- Ongoing
- Future Work

Recently Added

Integrated into
EVs@Scale HPC Pillar

Year 1 Milestones

- Solidify collaborator agreements
- Parameter definitions/draft procedure
- Procedure performance - refinement
- Finalized project procedures

Year 2 Milestones

- Fleet data collection review
- Fleet data collection review
- Capture conductive profile sets
- Complete EVSE characterization
- Capture non-conductive profiles sets

Year 3 Milestones

- Capture conductive profiles sets
- Finalize fleet data collection
- Complete R&D profile EVSE characterization
- Analysis, results, and reporting
- Capture Boost Converter EV Profiles

Year 4 Milestones

- Refine testing procedures
- Acquire new test assets
- Conduct characterizations
- Amend analysis and reports
- Capture NACS/Adapter EV Profiles
- V2X EVSE Characterization

Thank You!



Breaktime!

Presentations resume at...





Cyber-Physical Security Pillar

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Cyber-Physical Security Pillar Overview

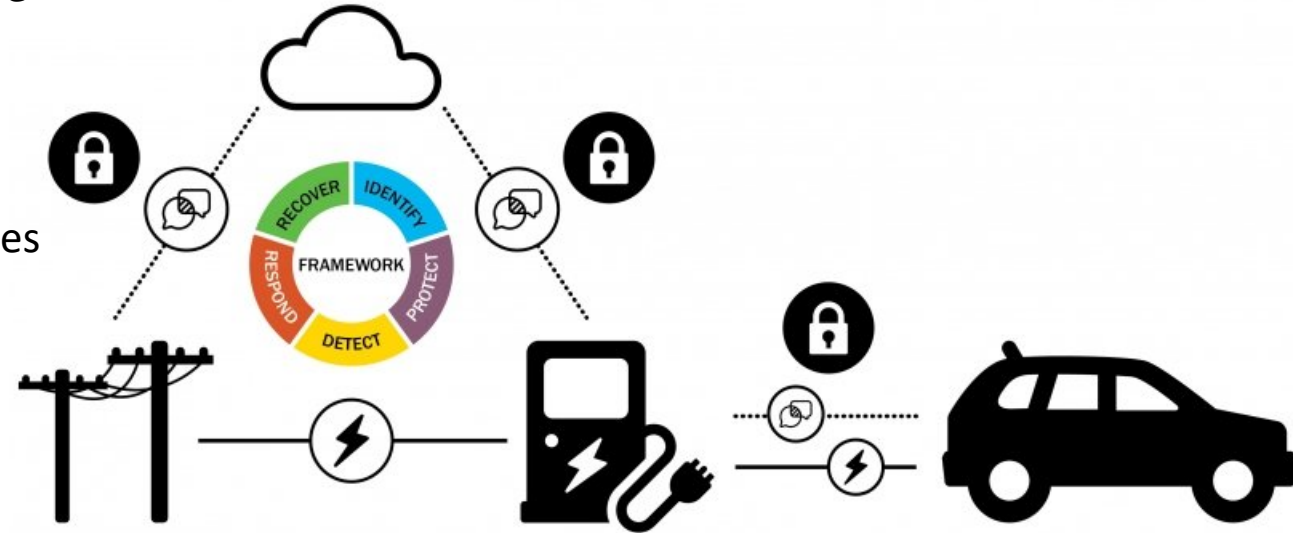
Objective: Contribute to the continuously evolving cyber-physical security methods and solutions needed to ensure EV charging infrastructure safety, reliability, & resiliency

Projects:

- CyberPUNC assessments, mitigation R&D, cyber workforce training
- Zero Trust Architecture for EV charging infrastructure
- eVISION for resilient EV charging infrastructure

Barriers Addressed:

- Rapidly expanding features, standards, & cyber provisions:
- Lack of holistic understanding of EV ecosystem vulnerabilities
- Inconsistent implementation of effective security methods
- Insufficient EV Charging Infra. (EVCI) cyber workforce
- Unknown potential cyber impacts of NACS
- Potential ISO 15118-2 & -20 compatibility vulnerabilities
- Lack of cyber metrics & verification methods for EVCI
- Lack of EV Charging Infra. cyber mitigation tools and solutions
- Previously secured & new vulnerabilities with Quantum computing capabilities
- Poor charging resiliency - lack of resiliency metrics, detection, response, recovery, controls, & evaluation



Join us for the
Cyber-Physical Security Deep-Dive
Oct. 10 & 11 (11:00am – 1:00pm eastern)

Oct.10: [Click here to join the meeting](#)

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CyberPUNC Project

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CyberPUNC Project Tasks Results and Accomplishments:

- Securing EVCI with PKI
- EVCI cybersecurity tools and solutions
- EVCI cyber mitigation solutions & best practices: development & demonstration
- *CyberAUTO* Challenge: Support EV Charging Infrastructure testing and evaluation
- CyberStirke STORMCLOUD training

Upcoming *CyberPUNC* Tasks:

- Cybersecurity Evaluation of EPRI's EVSE Secure Network Interface Card (SNIC)
- Supporting V2G Technical Advisory Board Cybersecurity

*PolI*EV Feedback Questions:

- For collaborative industry feedback

CyberPUNC - Securing EVSE with PKI Integration

Background

- Baseline cybersecurity requirements include ISO 15118-2 and -20 Certificate Profiles
- Research extends prior and upcoming EV charging industry PKI testing events with SAE

Implementing the latest security methods and best practices

Current Focus and Progress

- Using open-source Emulytics (minimega/Phēnix/SCORCH) tools for PKI simulation and testing within NREL Cyber Range
 - Implementing 15118, OCPP, and PKI features required for resilience and robustness
 - Scaling to 1000 endpoints, implementing experiment orchestration
- Drafting a report on research progress of PKI emulation environment and uses

Insights

- Creating a unique scalable, repeatable environment for scenario evaluation including architecture, operations, and governance decisions

Future Directions

- Interface with pilot and production PKI hosts; align with industry and CESER/JO initiatives
- Increase scale to 10K-100K+ endpoints; deploy and test more complex PKI structures
- Fully automated testing of prioritized scenarios (experiments)

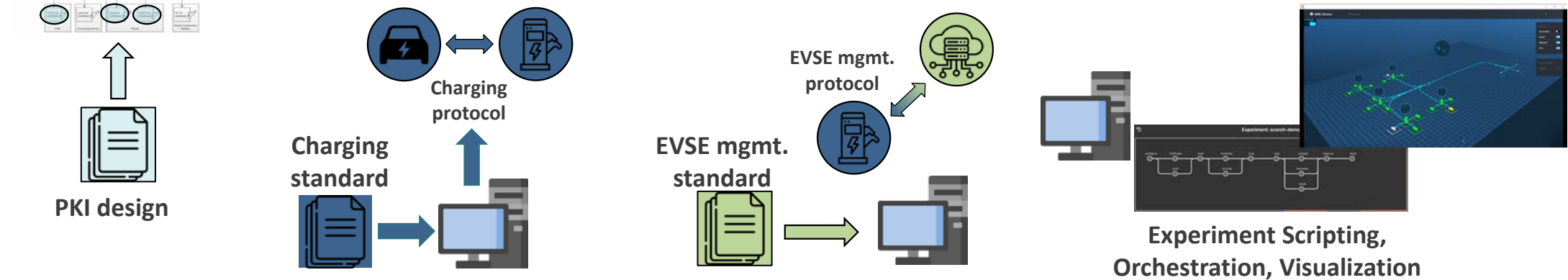
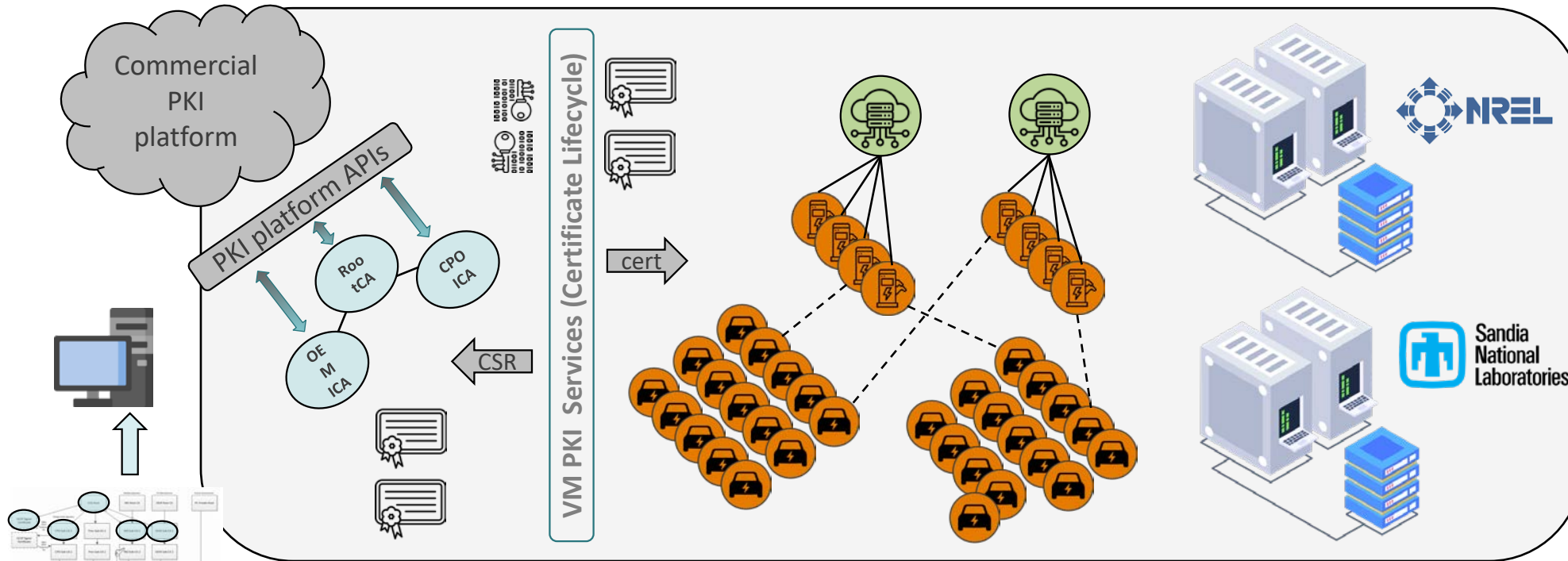
Outreach Completed

- DOE Cyber and Tech Innovation Conf
- Embedded Security in Cars (ESCAR)
- Network and Distributed System Security Symposium (NDSS) 2023 - Vehicle Security



CyberPUNC- Securing EVSE with PKI Integration

EV charging PKI emulation on minimega/Phenix



Background

- Prior national lab work collected insights on subset of industry tools and capabilities
- Opportunity to map tools and capabilities to EVSE security functions and needs

Current Focus and Progress

- Previously constructed a dynamic database (OpenEI platform) for engaging with industry using initial security tool surveys
- Recently drafted EVSE specific cyber assessment question sets that align with DERCF

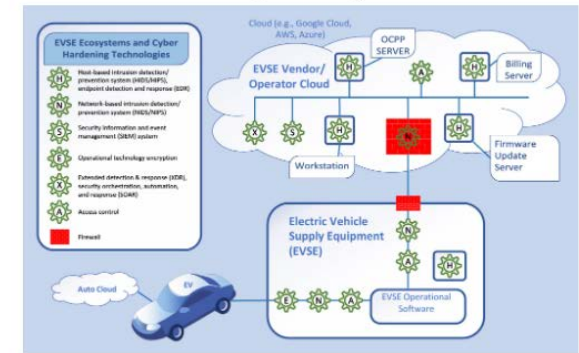
Future Directions

- Complete a cybersecurity assessment catalog of questions and mitigations
- Maintain and update EVSE tools site and industry engagements

Implementing the latest security methods and best practices



Electric Vehicle Charger Security Product Database



Some of the cybersecurity hardening technologies available for EV charging systems include the following:

- HIDS/HIPS (H) - Host Based Intrusion Detection/Prevention System: System monitoring, logging traffic and activity that may be a threat./Host Intrusion Prevention System will be configured to halt suspected malicious activity on the system.
- EDR (H) - Endpoint Detection and Response: System monitoring, identification and response to threats at endpoints.
- NIDS/NIPS (N) - Network Based Intrusion Detection/Prevention System: NIDS listens to the network traffic and controls, logs and alerts.
- SIEM (SI) - Security Information & Events Management System: This system organizes and prioritizes the data being logged in the systems response systems.
- Encryption (E) - Operational Technology Encryption
- XDR/SOAR - Extended Detection & Response/Security Orchestration, Automation & Response: Create a Security Operations Center (SOC) that employs security information and event management (SIEM) and/or security orchestration, automation and response (SOAR) technologies.
- AC (A) - Access Control

Current Work:

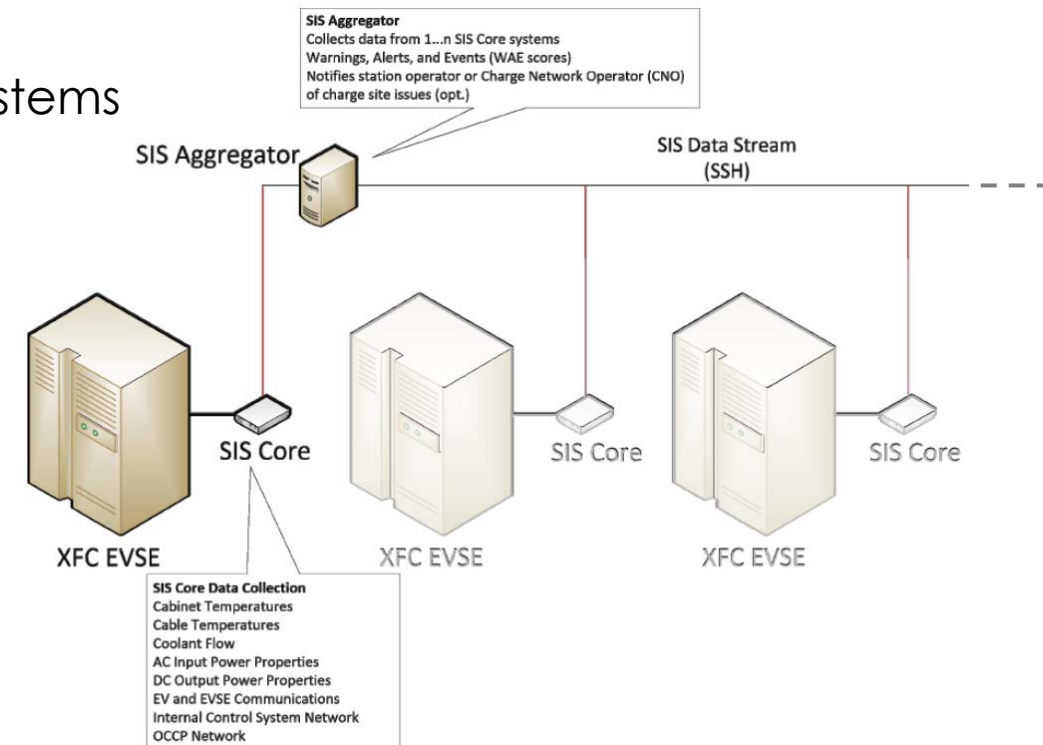
- Compiled list of FedRAMP CSMS applicants from GSA
- Performed open-source analysis of security posture, software/service components, certificate information, and dependencies
- Scanning systems for additional vulnerabilities and data enumeration
- Started creation of threat model and documentation

Accomplishments thru FY23 Q3:

- Create architectural level threat model (vendor agnostic)
- Identify common pitfalls and risks within CSMS deployments
- Create a best practices which highlight industry leaders and mitigates common vulnerabilities seen
- Document our findings and analysis in a technical report

Development & Demonstration of Cyber Best Practices for High-Power Charging Infra.

- Cerberus mitigation solution developed and demonstrated for High-Power DC Charging Infrastructure
 - Detection, response, and recovery from EVCI exploitable vulnerabilities and anomalous events
 - EVSE Internal communication exploitation
 - » Thermal management
 - » Power Electronics control
 - » Data and information transfer amongst sub-systems
 - External communications with
 - » EV
 - » OCPP server
 - Charge site coordination across numerous EVSE
 - Core module integrated into each EVSE
 - Aggregator module coordinates across the site
 - R&D100 award winner 2023



Development & Demonstration of Cyber Best Practices for High-Power Charging Infra.

- Demonstration event, called “EV SALaD”, of Cyber Best Practices highlighted XFC mitigation solution effectiveness
 - Collaborative effort: Idaho, Sandia, and Pacific Northwest National Labs
 - Pre-scripted test effect payloads (exploits) launched with & without cybersecurity best practices enabled to:
 - » Highlight potential impact severity without cybersecurity solutions enabled
 - » Demonstrate cybersecurity best practices effectiveness

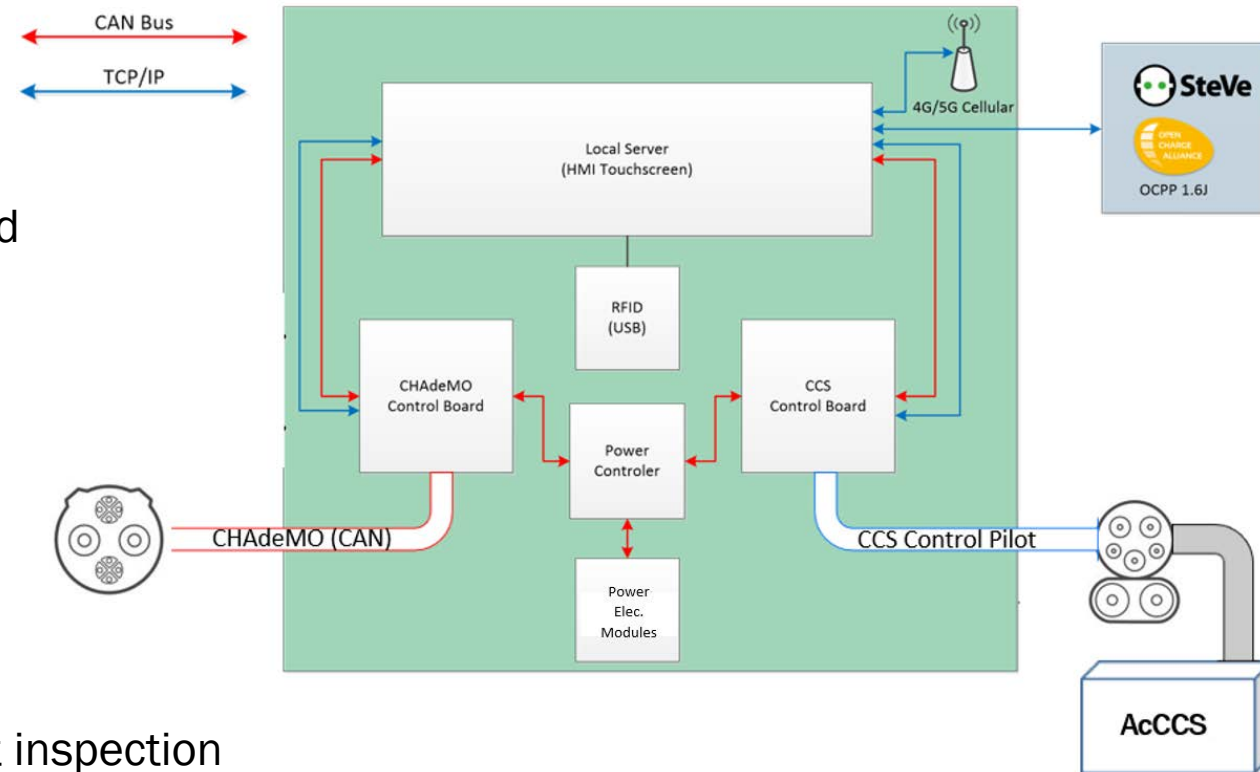
Cybersecurity Recommended Best Practices:

- **EVSE external communications with EV and energy management systems**
 - Zero Trust and Principal of Least Privilege
 - Network Security: Authorization, encryption, authentication, PKI
 - Smart Energy management: OCPP 2.0.1 (or similar) with full TLS
 - Cyber Informed Engineering
- **EVSE internal controls communications**
 - Network segmentation to isolate critical assets: Secure gateway, Firewalls
 - Network Monitoring: Message integrity, deep packet inspection
 - Cyber Informed Engineering
 - Monitor for abnormal or invalid values (i.e. SOC=254%)
 - Thermal management control & feedback based on DC current & CCS temp.
 - Cable contactor XOR control logic (not mutually exclusive)
 - Physical access security preventing communication connection access (JTAG, CAN, USB, Ethernet, etc.)



Development & Demonstration of Cyber Best Practices for High-Power Charging Infra.

- CyberPUNC identified a new exploitable vulnerability with high-power DC charging infrastructure
 - Access to the XFC internal network via the CCS charge cable Control Pilot wire
 - Accomplished using custom built “AcCCS” module
 - AcCCS establishes a TCP comm. session
 - With comm. established
 - Access to XFC internal network was achieved through the CCS communications control board
 - Network vulnerabilities were identified
 - Access to external systems connected to XFC internal network possible (ex. OCPP server)



Recommended cybersecurity Best Practices

- Network segmentation to isolate critical assets:
 - Secure gateway, Firewalls
- Network Monitoring: Message integrity, deep packet inspection

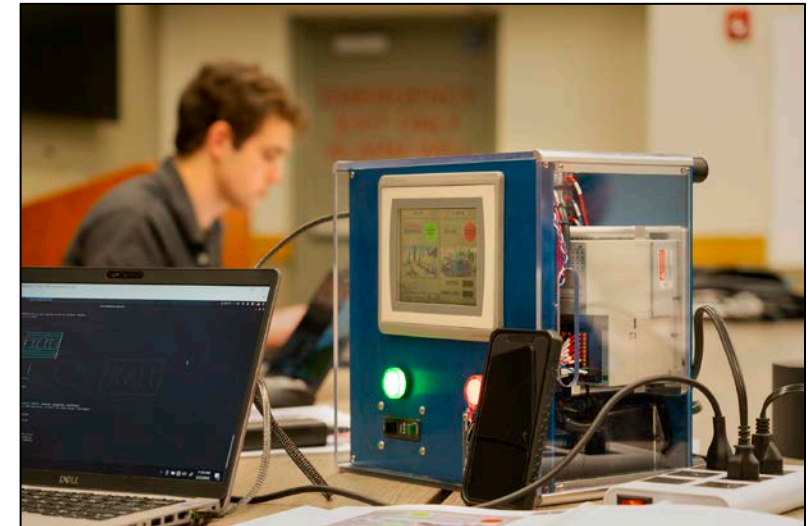
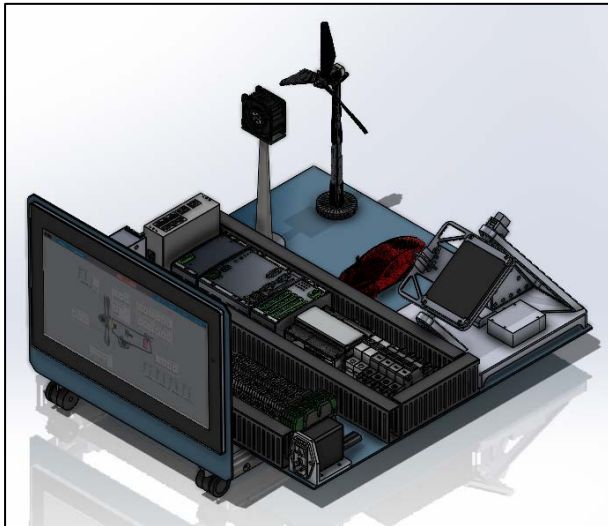
CyberAuto Challenge: Training the Next-Generation of Cyber Workforce

- Annual 1-week long, collegiate event in Mich. focused on automotive cybersecurity
- *CyberAuto 2023*: increased focus on electrified transportation and EV charging infra.
 - Three EVs, DC chargers, and OCPP 1.6J network
 - In-vehicle / in-EVSE evaluations and training: Automotive Ethernet, CAN bus comm., OCPP, ISO 15-118, reverse engineering, Ghidra, attack strategies/methodologies
- Vulnerability assessments:
 - EVSE internal communications network access and port scan through the CCS-1 control pilot
 - Attempted root access of EVSE 64-bit main control board
- **July 2024 *CyberAUTO*: OEMs (EV & EVSE) are encouraged to participate**
Contact: Karl Heimer (karl.heimer.pro@gmail.com)
- **2025 & beyond**: expand into *CyberINFRASTRUCTURE Challenge* focused on EV charging infrastructure (including bi-directional), DER, micro-grids, and the associated communications



CyberStrike STORMCLOUD

- Sandia is working with INL to create CyberStrike STORMCLOUD, a cybersecurity training class which is focused on renewable and distributed systems.
- The team tested the solar version of the material at Secure Renewables in Washington DC earlier this year with good industry feedback.
- Sandia is working on the EVSE version of the lectures and training – crafting specific hands-on trainings for OCPP 1.6, CCS, and EVSE cloud APIs.
- A new promotional video has been created and will be online shortly after DOE CESER approves.

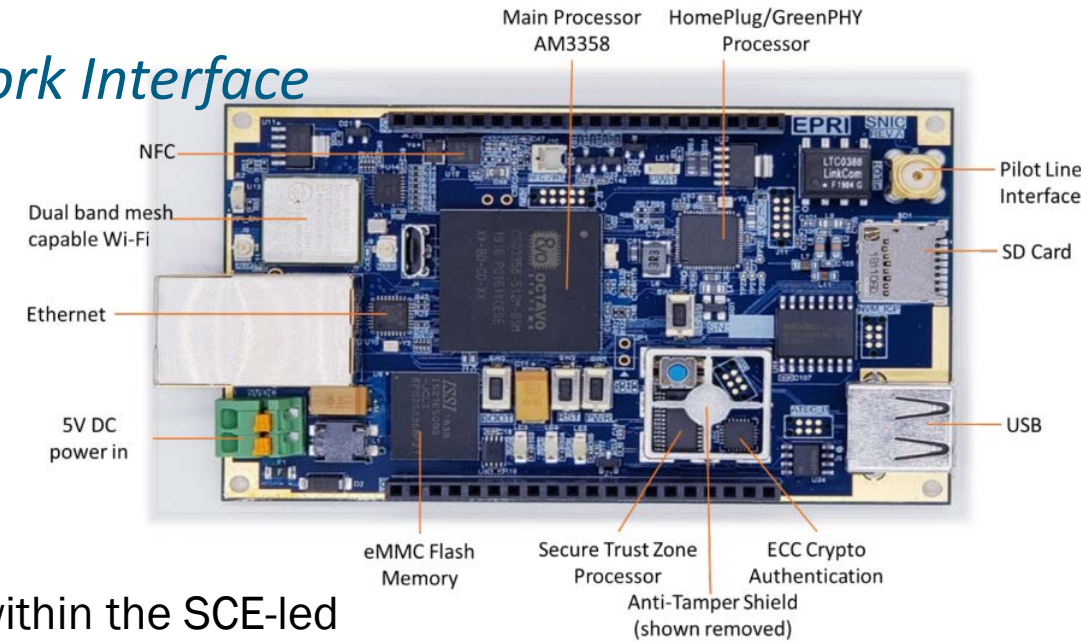


Cybersecurity Evaluation of EPRI's EVSE Secure Network Interface Card (SNIC)

- INL will evaluate the security of this EVSE comm. module
 - Overall design evaluation
 - Hardware security assessment
 - Software / code evaluation

Supporting V2G Tech. Advisory Board Cybersecurity

- INL is contributing to the EPRI-led cybersecurity work group within the SCE-led V2G technical advisory board
 - Determine cybersecurity measures required for countering MitM scenarios for the IEC/ISO 15118 (-2 or -20) originating at the EVSE
 - Identify issues/gaps, create mitigation solutions, present best practice solutions



Review

- Securing EVCI with PKI
- EVCI cybersecurity tools and solutions
- High-power charging infrastructure security mitigation & best practices developed and demonstrated
- Successful 2023 CyberAUTO Challenge included three EVs, DC charging, & OCPP hands-on ‘white-hat’ eval.

Next steps

- Evaluation of a prototype secure EVSE communications module considered for reference architecture
- V2G cybersecurity working group focused on MITM exploits of IEC/ISO 15118 (-2 or -20)

Thank You!



Join us for the
Cyber-Physical Security Deep-Dive
Oct. 10 & 11 (11:00am – 1:00pm eastern)

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or contact Barney Carlson (richard.carlson@inl.gov)





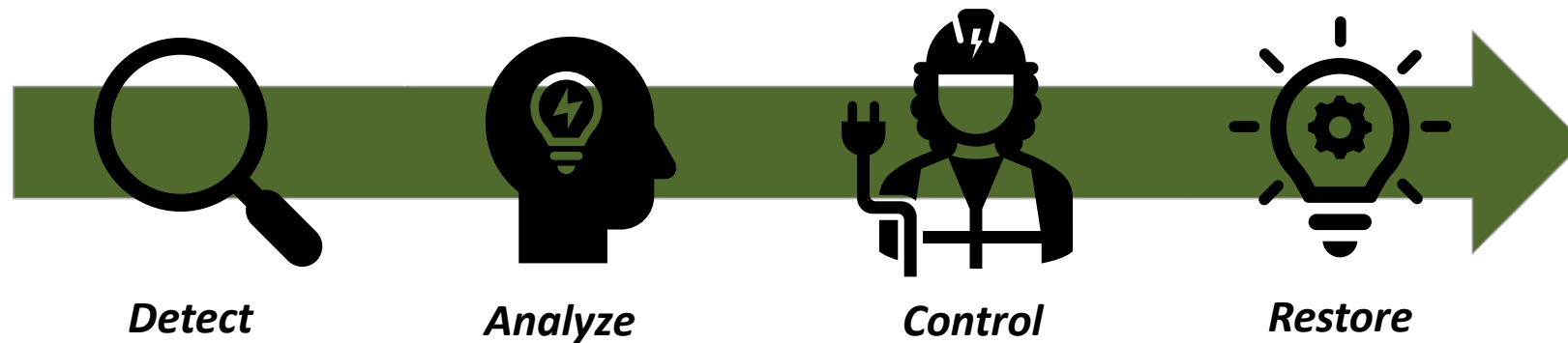
Evision Project Updates September 2023 Stakeholders Meeting

Michael Starke, PhD
Oak Ridge National Laboratory
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Challenges:

- Resilient and Reliable Electric Vehicle Charging Infrastructure is needed to support reduced range anxiety.
- Failing Chargers or non-functional charging infrastructure has become a highly reported topic.

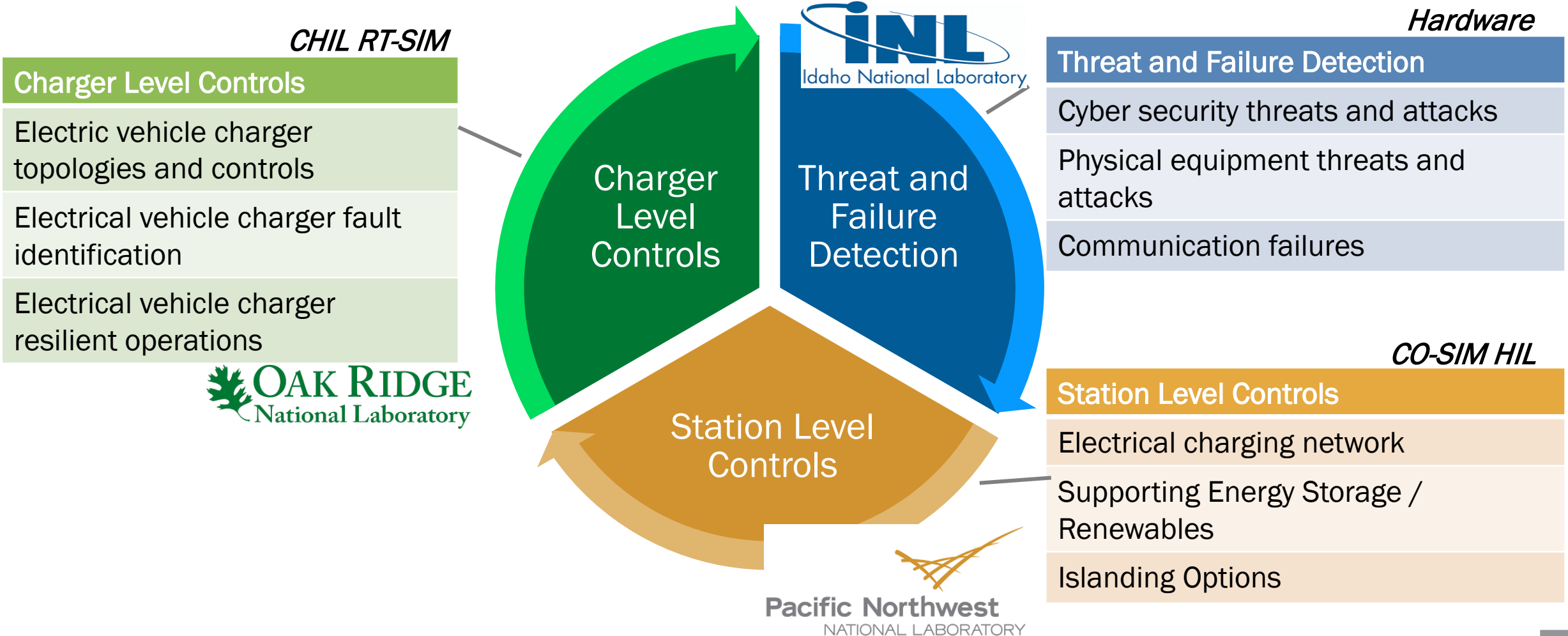


Goal: Improve EV charging resilience

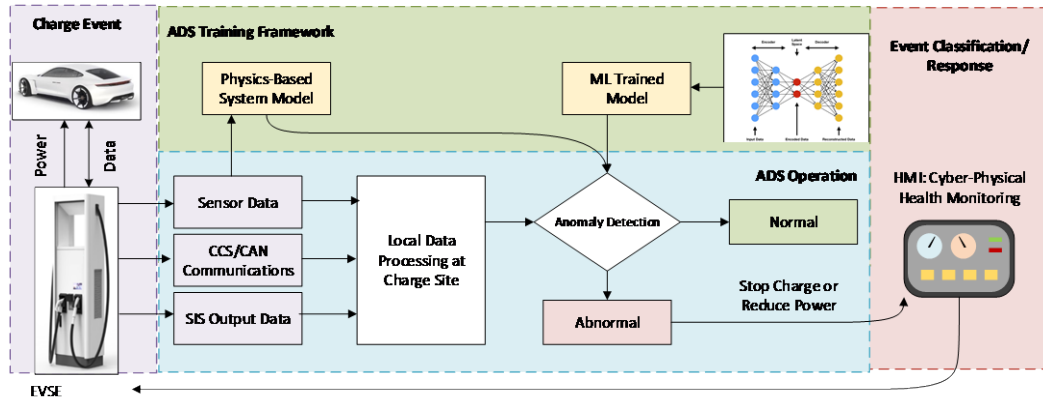
Resilient High Power Charging Facility: The Approach

Overall Approach:

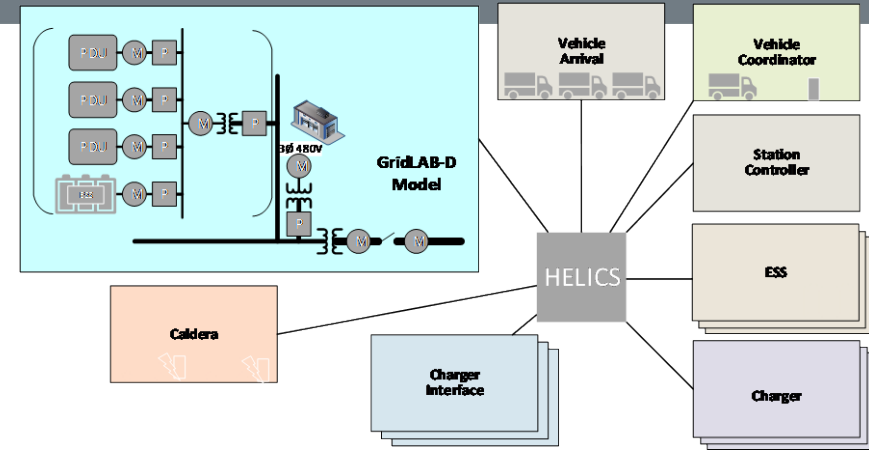
Develop control and anomaly detection techniques to improve the resiliency of the electric grid and charging stations.



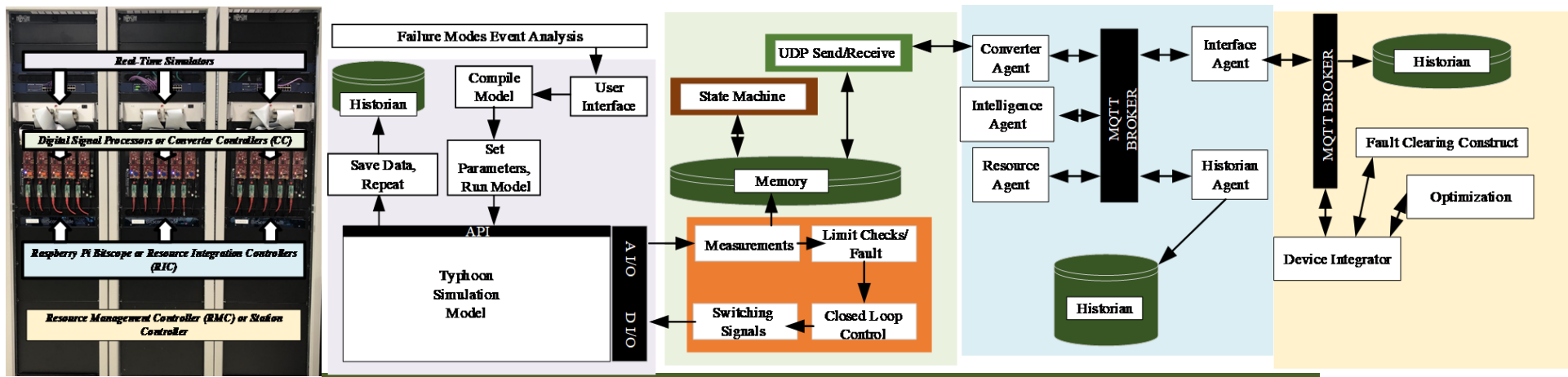
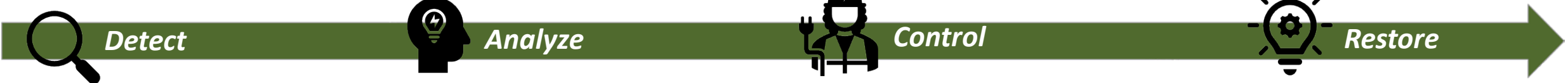
Unique Capabilities Generated by Labs to Support EVision



INL hardware and learning system for detection.



PNNL simulation system large scale modeling



ORNL RT-simulation system for RT evaluation of control solutions

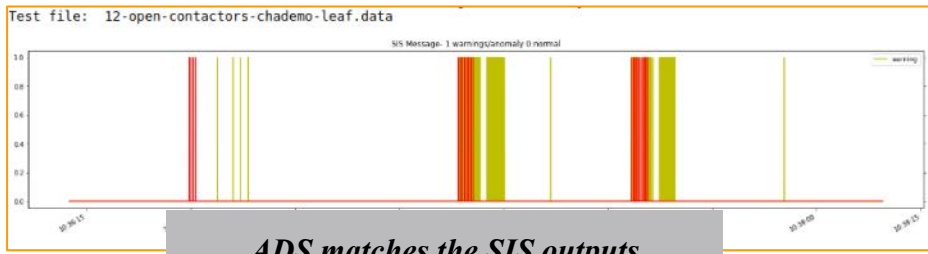
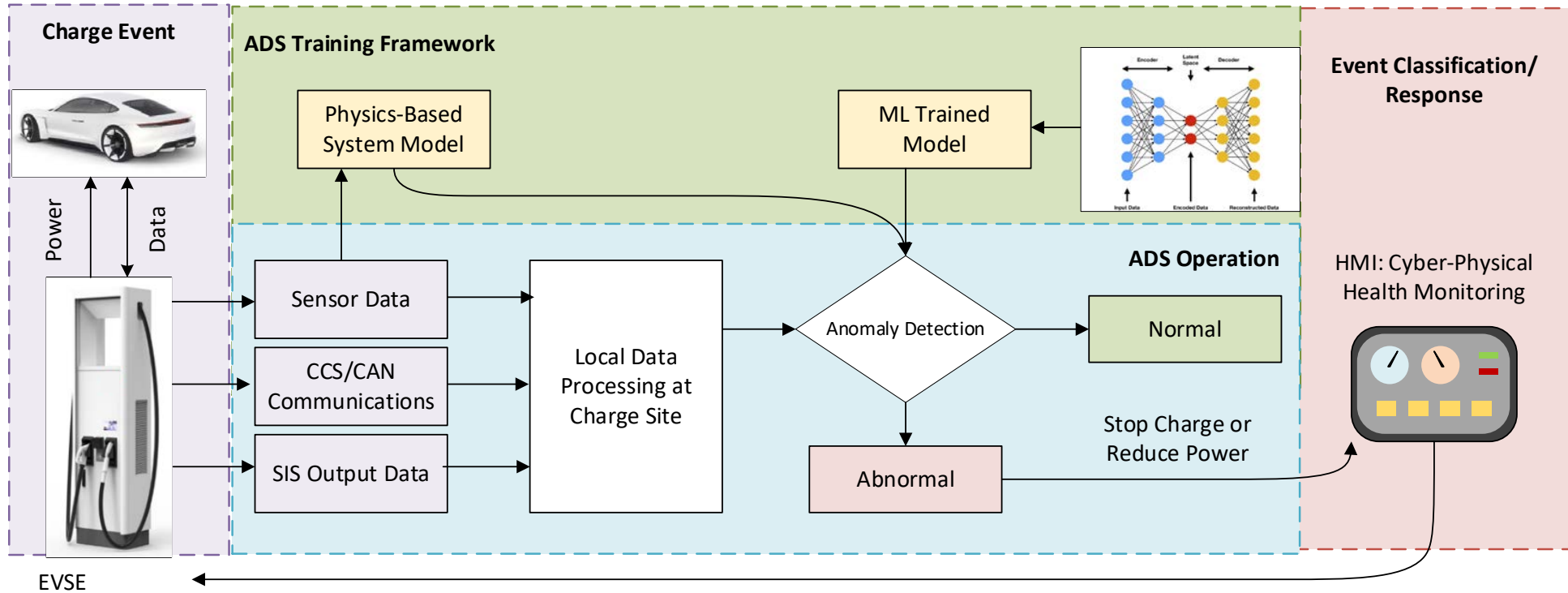
Machine Learning and Physics Based Approaches



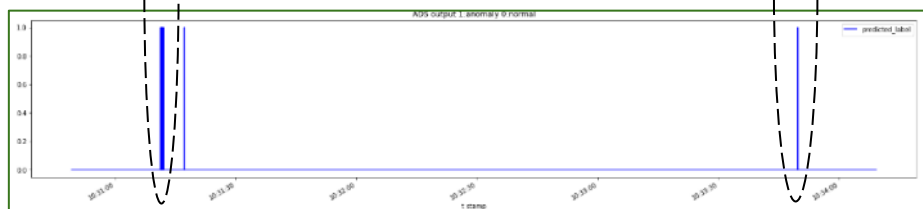
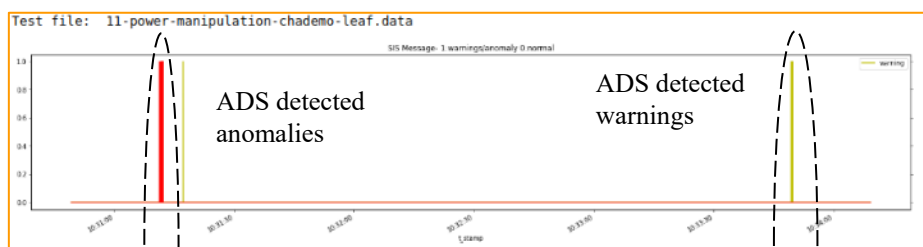
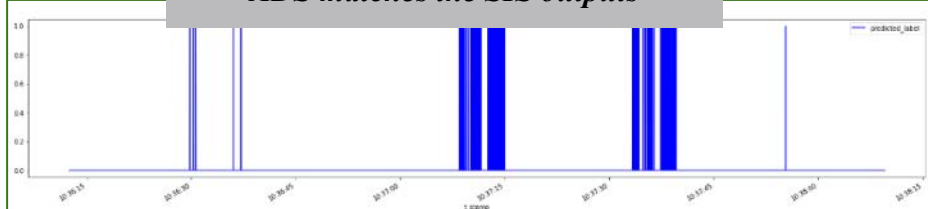
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Analyze



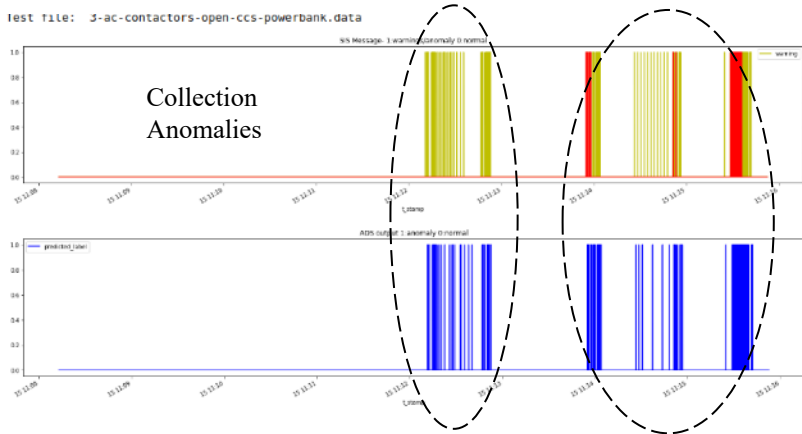
ADS matches the SIS outputs



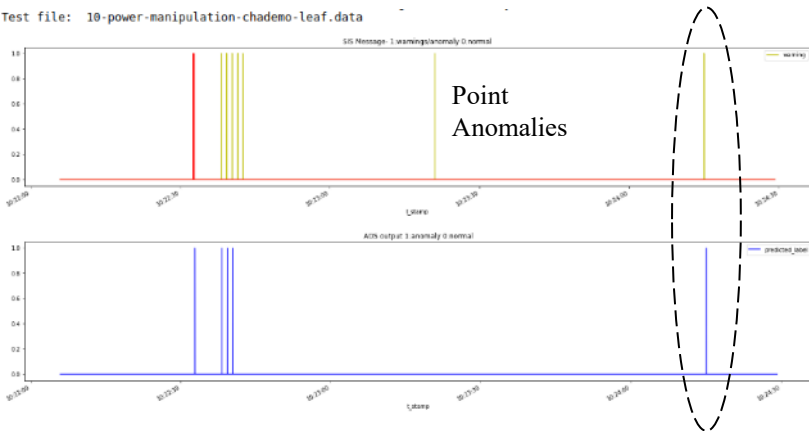
SIS outputs: **red line** represent anomalies (1: anomaly, 0:normal), **yellow line** (1:warning, 0: normal)

ADS output: **blue line** (1: detected anomaly, 0: normal behavior)

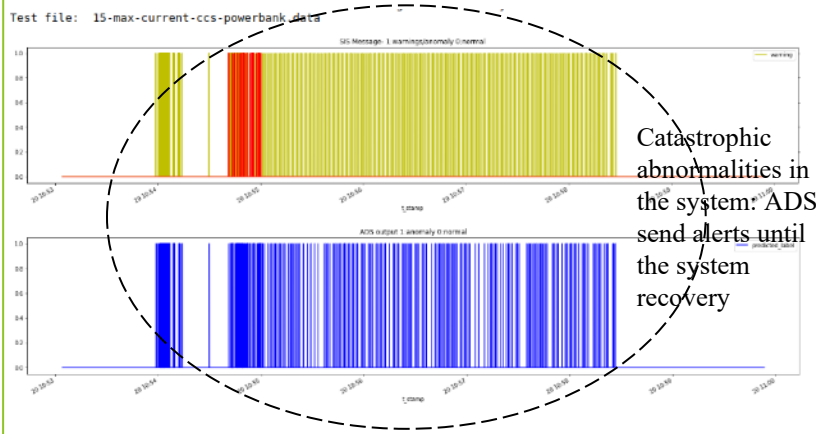
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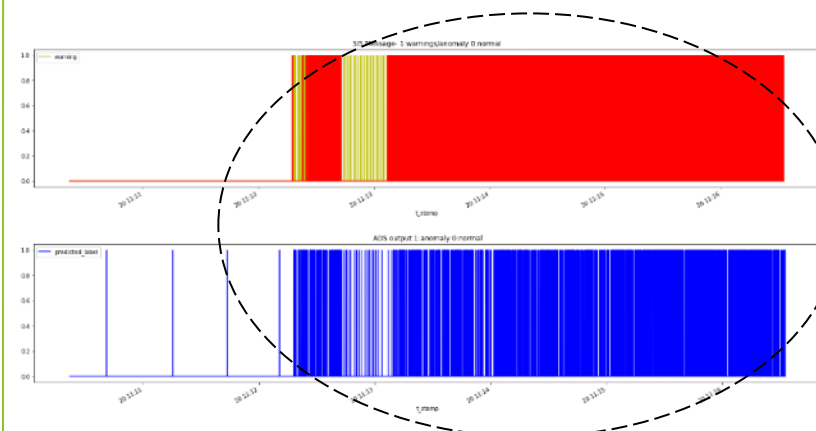
Power Module Manipulation: (files 2, 7, 10, 11) - cyber, malicious



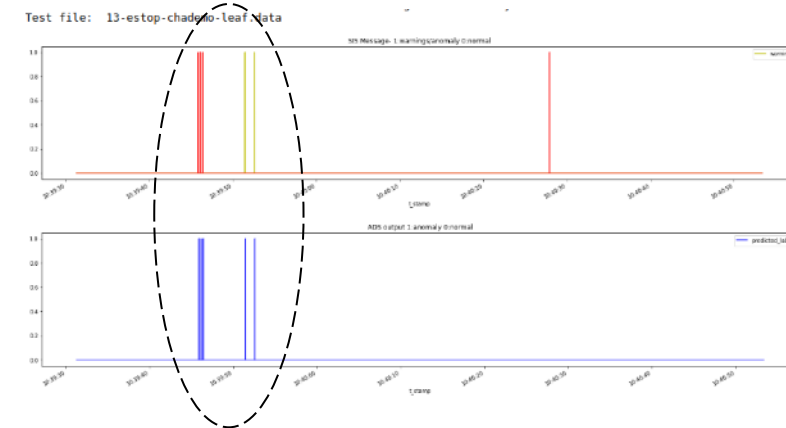
Max Current CCS Blocked Chiller Air Inlet: (files 14, 15, 17) - physical, benign



Max-current-ccs-chiller-disabled-powerban: (file 16) - cyber, malicious



Cyber: e-Stop (files 4, 13) - cyber, malicious



Conclusion:

Initial ADS prototype

- Higher detection rate on anomalies
- Successfully detecting anomalies detected by SIS.

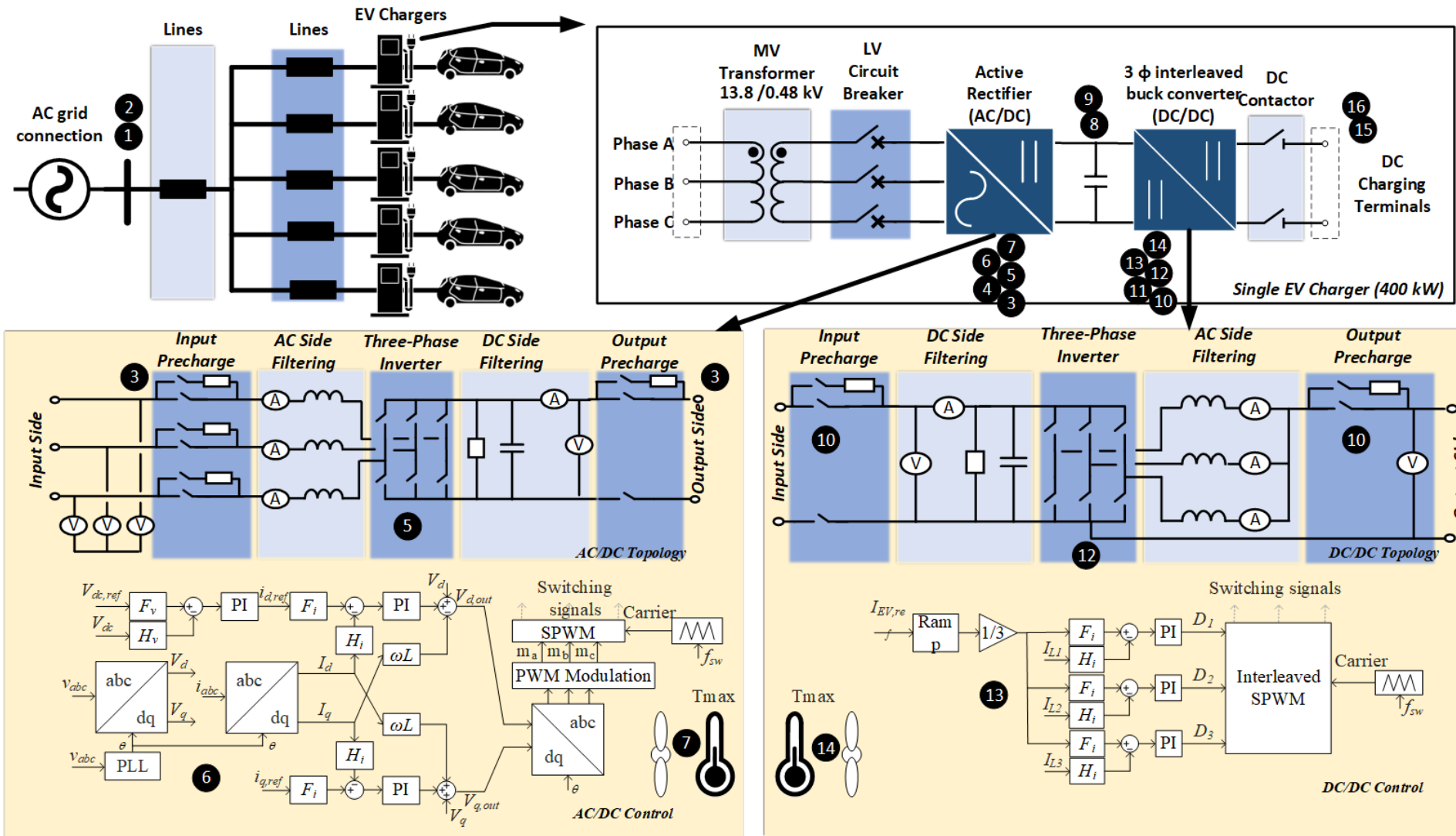
Potential Failure Modes in Charging Eco-System



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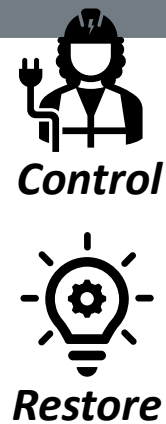


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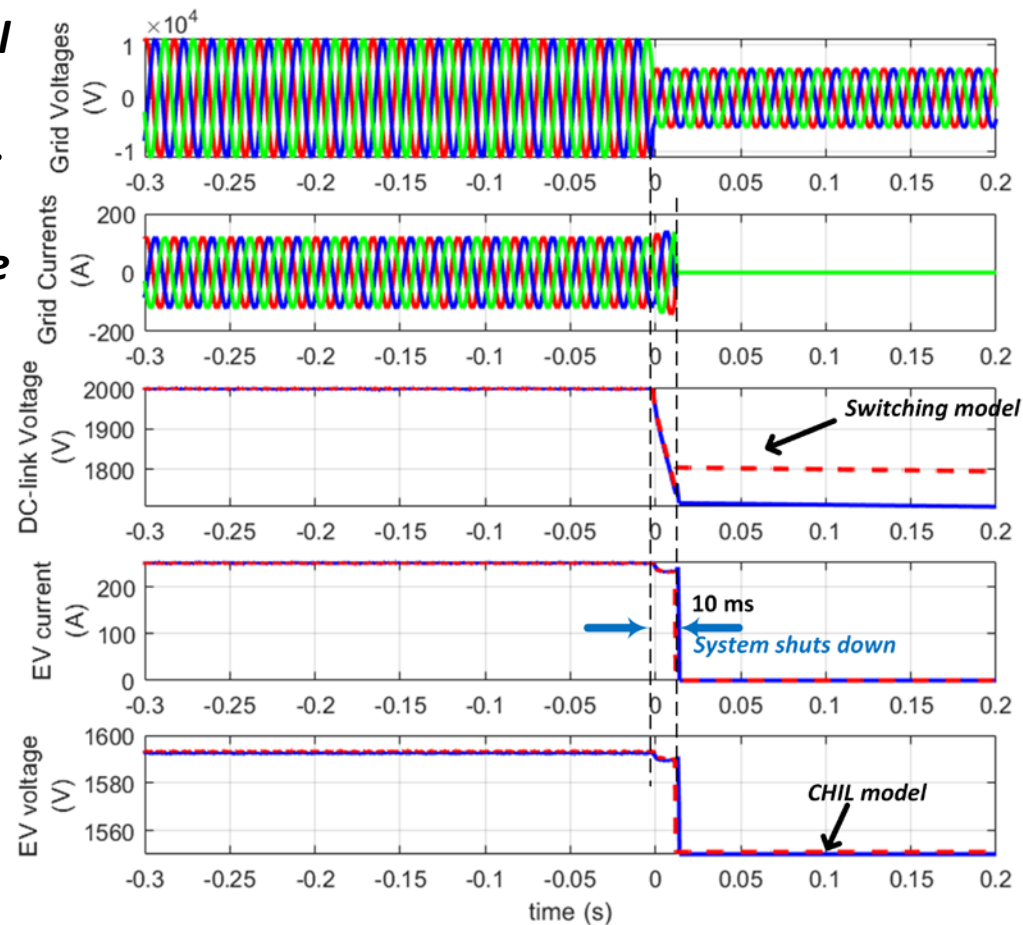


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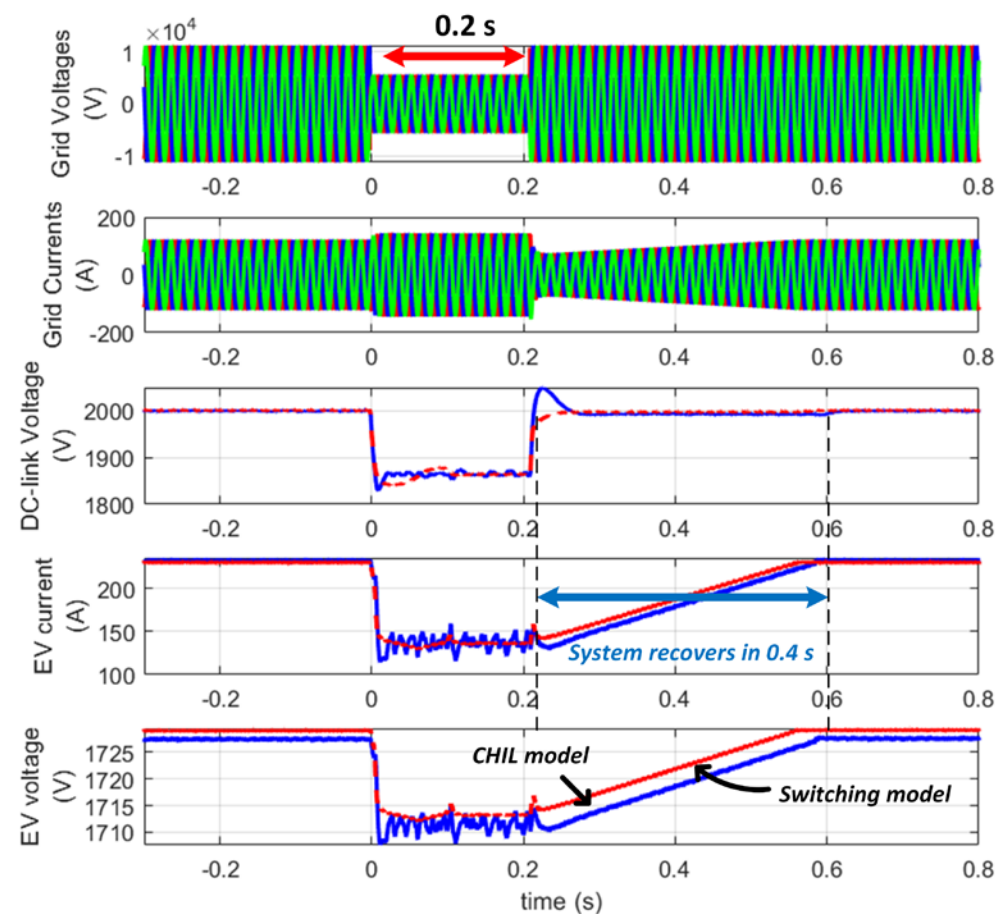
Use Case: DC/DC Converter Ride-through



Traditional Control

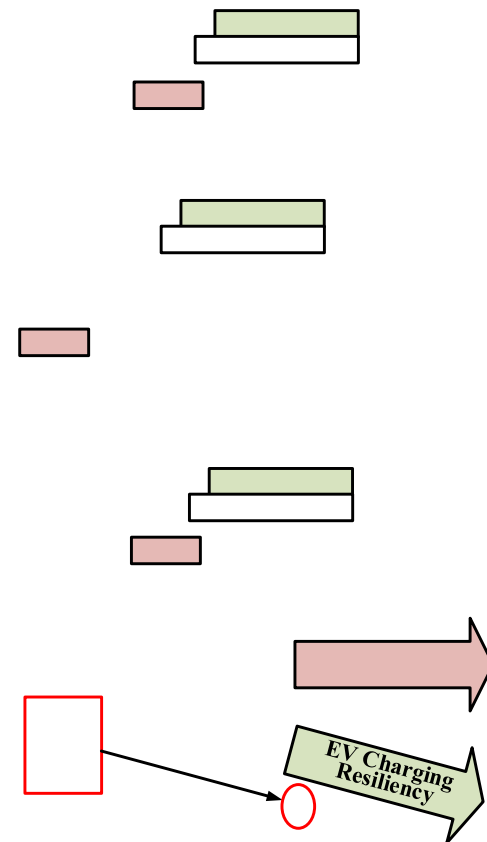
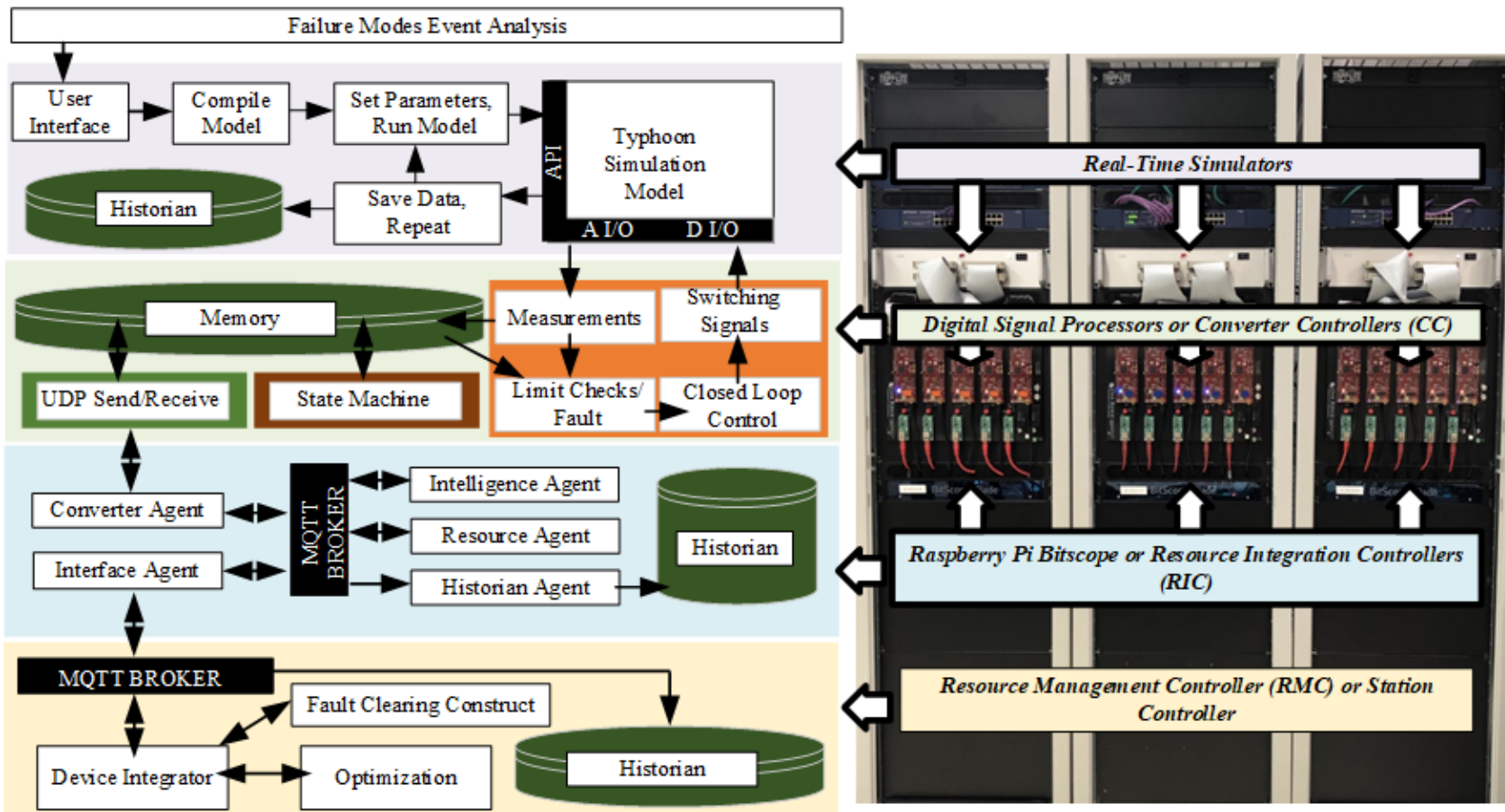


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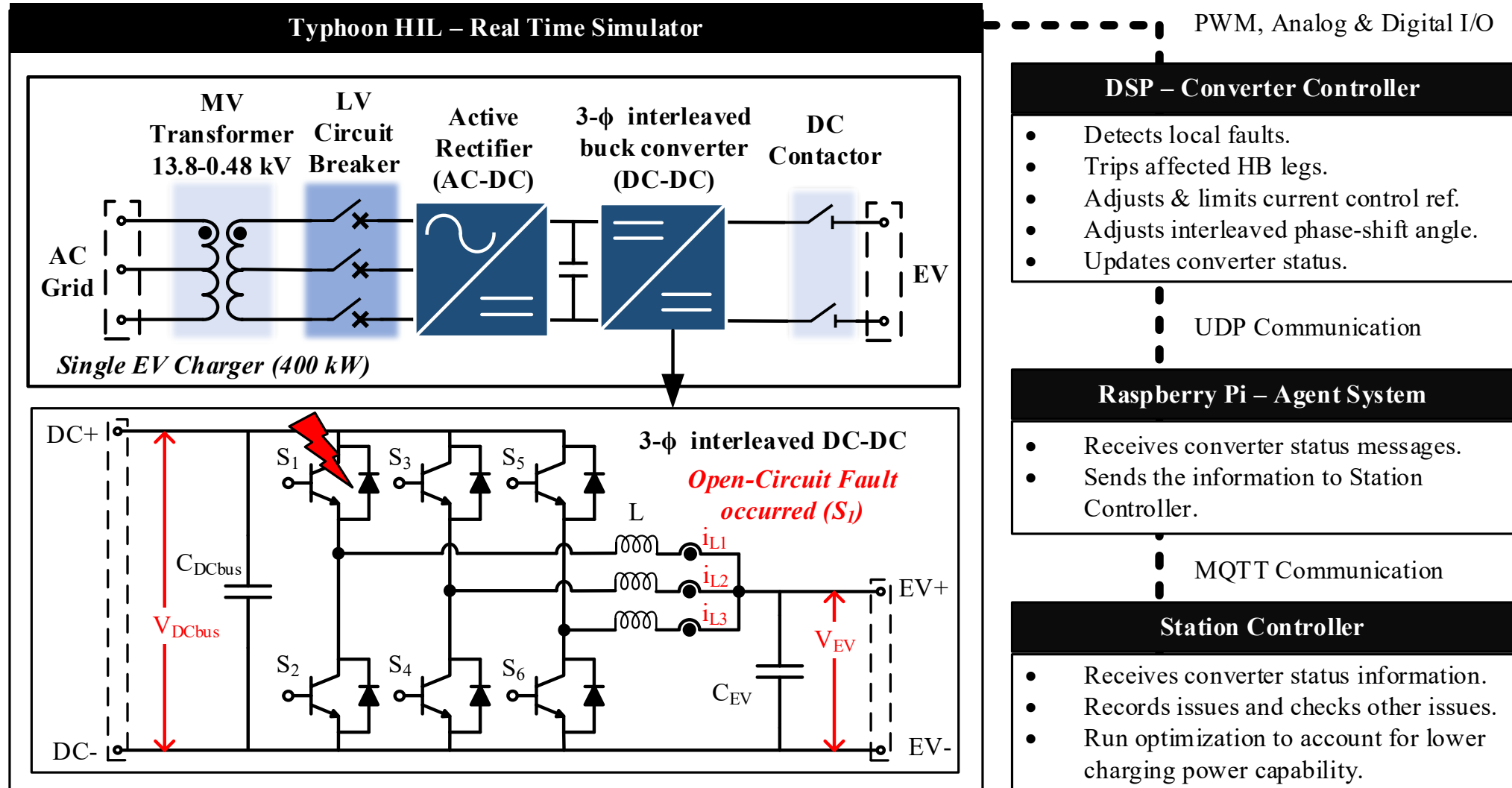
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Automating and Integrating



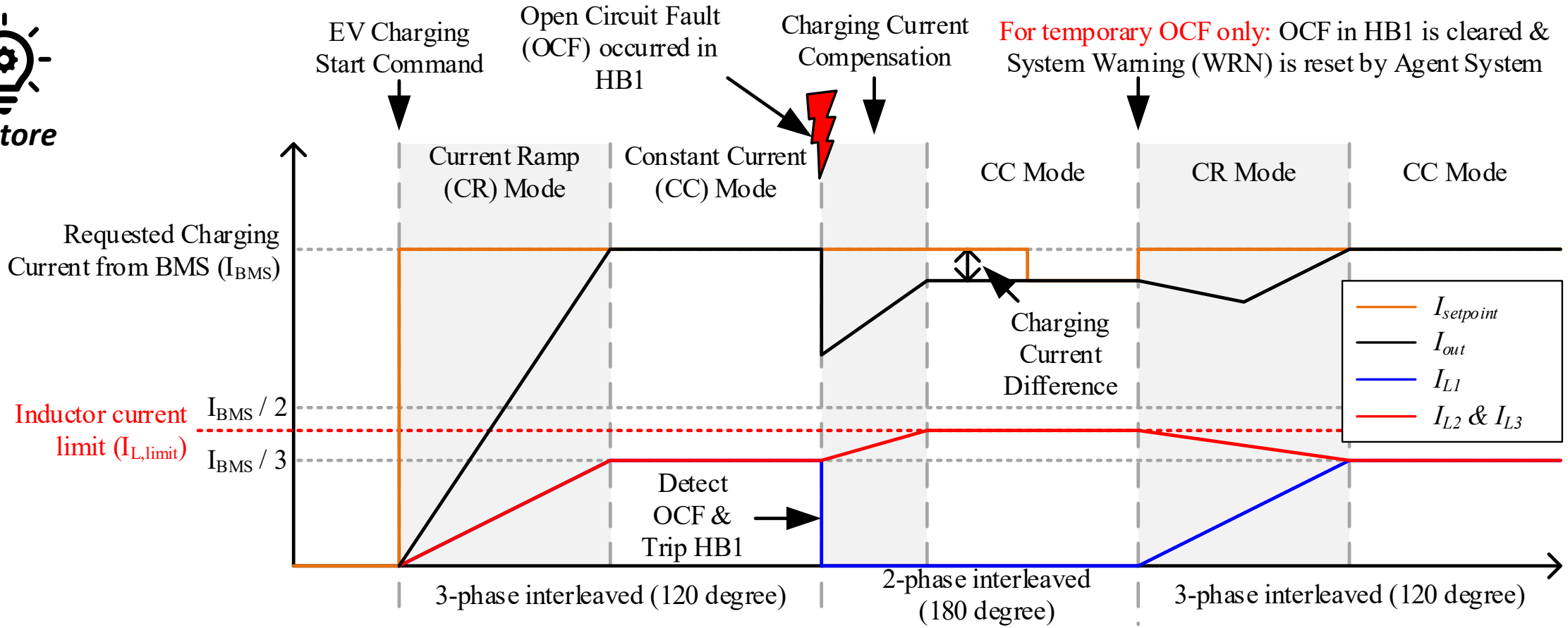
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Use Case: Device Failure Ride Through (DFRT)



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Detection and Control Adjustment



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System Level Responses



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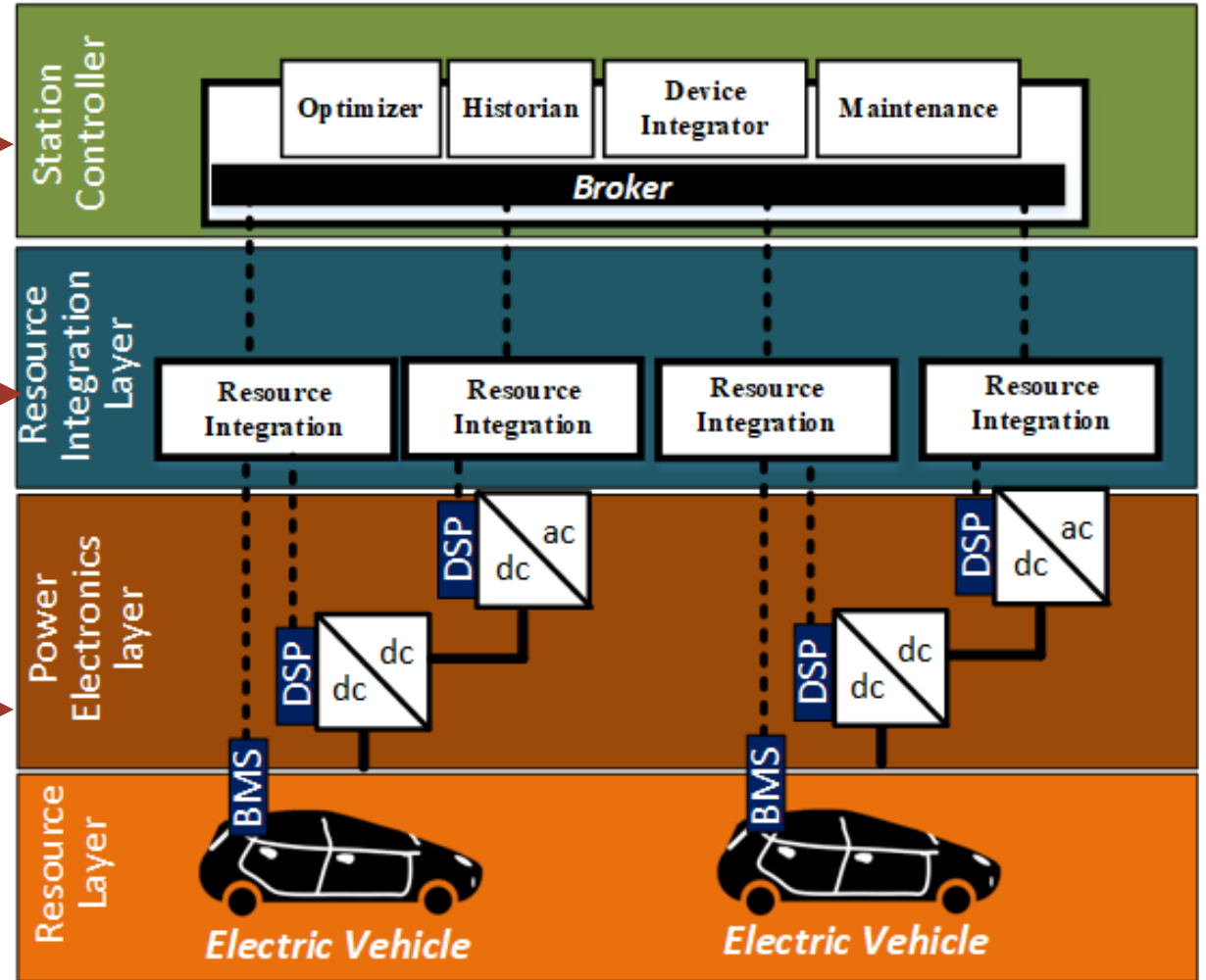


Restore

*Station Level:
Receives Warning and
Includes Updates on
Station Level
Optimization*

*Integration Level:
Receives Warning and
Reduced Capacity
Warning. Reduces
Capacity*

*Converter Level:
Device Fault,
Converter controls enact
immediate change in
operations*



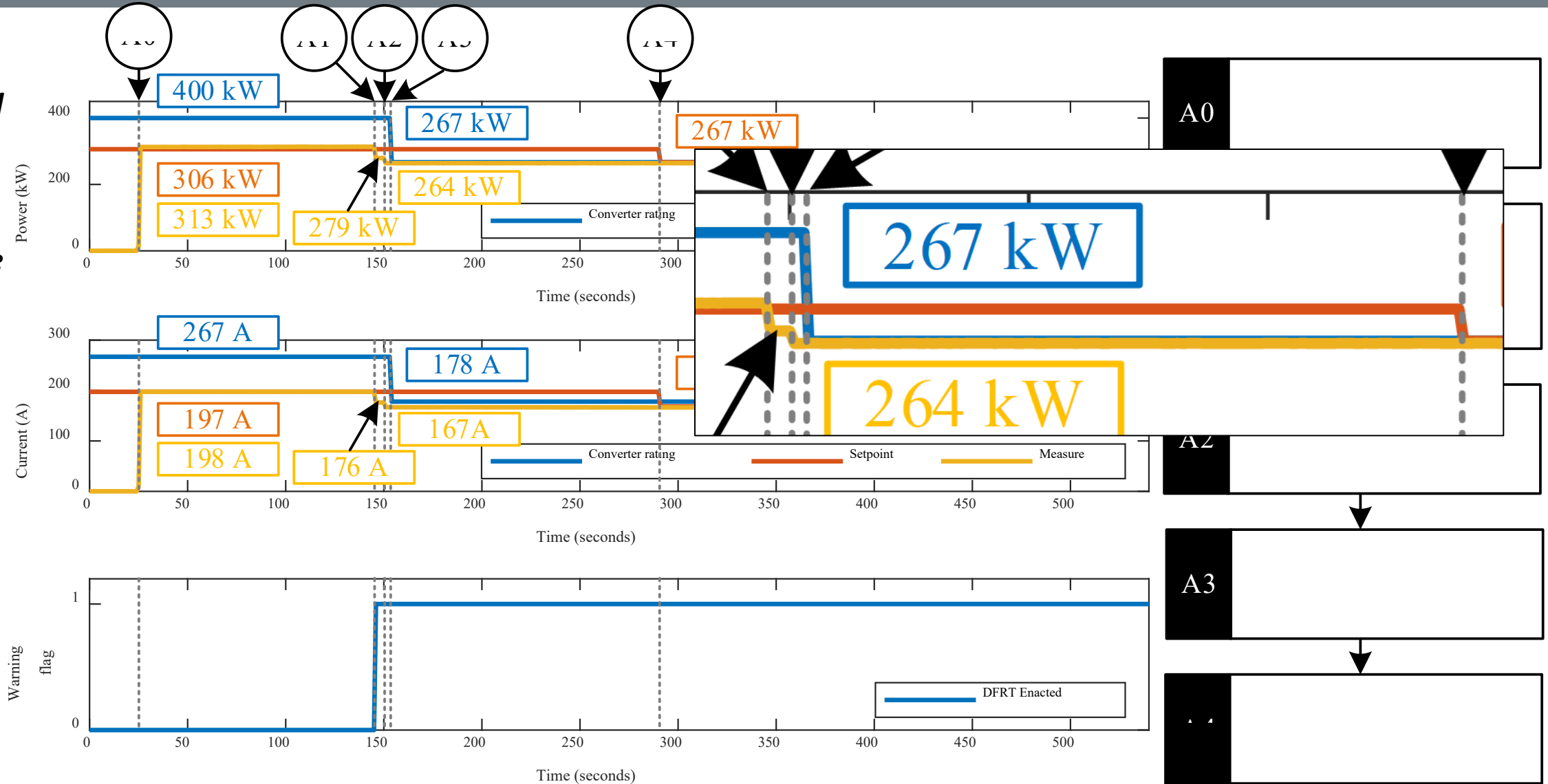
CHIL RT Simulation Results: Optimization



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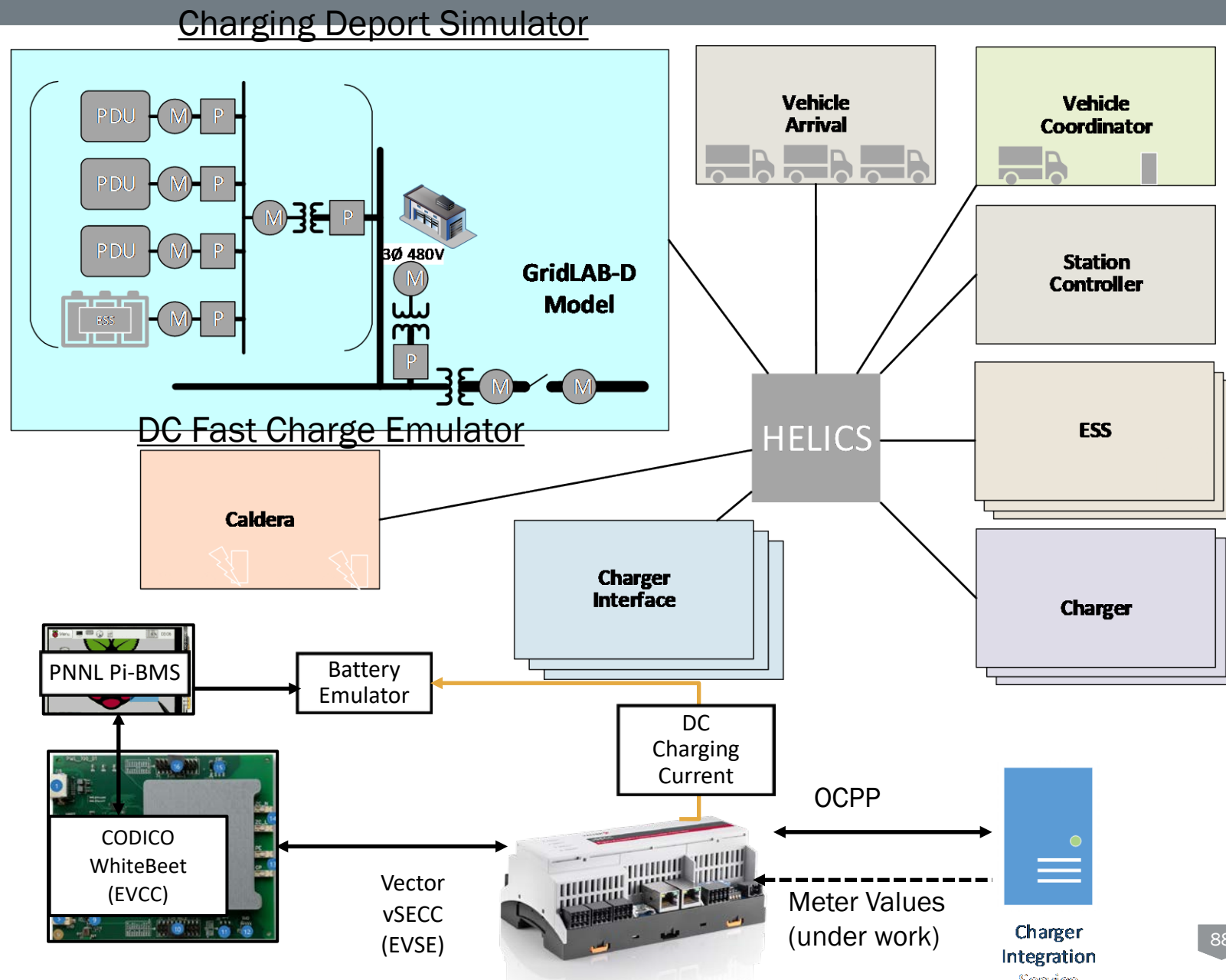


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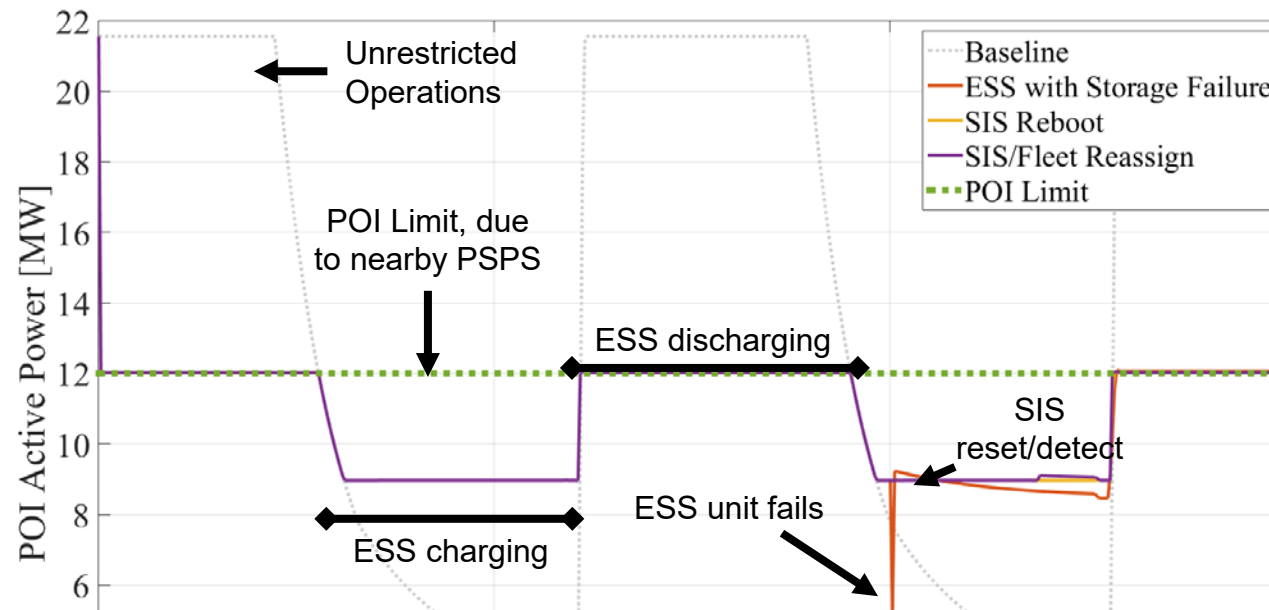


Charger Simulation Integration

- DC Fast Charge Emulator models the essential communications and processes necessary for charging
- Charger Integration Service provides an interface to control and query chargers from the eVISION charging depot simulator
- Service can invoke programs that dispatch a sequence of OCPP requests, and whose logic is based on charger state and response to prior requests



- Grid constrained due to nearby PSPS event (**POI limit**)
- Additional charger port at each bank, held in reserve
- **ESS Unit Fails** – System redispatch to recover
- Charging pedestal fails
 - **SIS detects and reboots**
 - **SIS detects, fleet management redirects vehicles**



	Energy Transferred (MWh) [larger better]	Charging Sessions Completed (count) [larger better]
Baseline No POI Restriction	32.34	198
ESS Failure POI Restriction	31.41	180
Pedestal Failure SIS Reboot	32.32	180
Pedestal Failure SIS Detect/Fleet Redispatch	32.32	179

Charging impacted minimally, due to mix of resilient asset dispatch, fleet dispatch, and anomaly detection.

- **Publications**

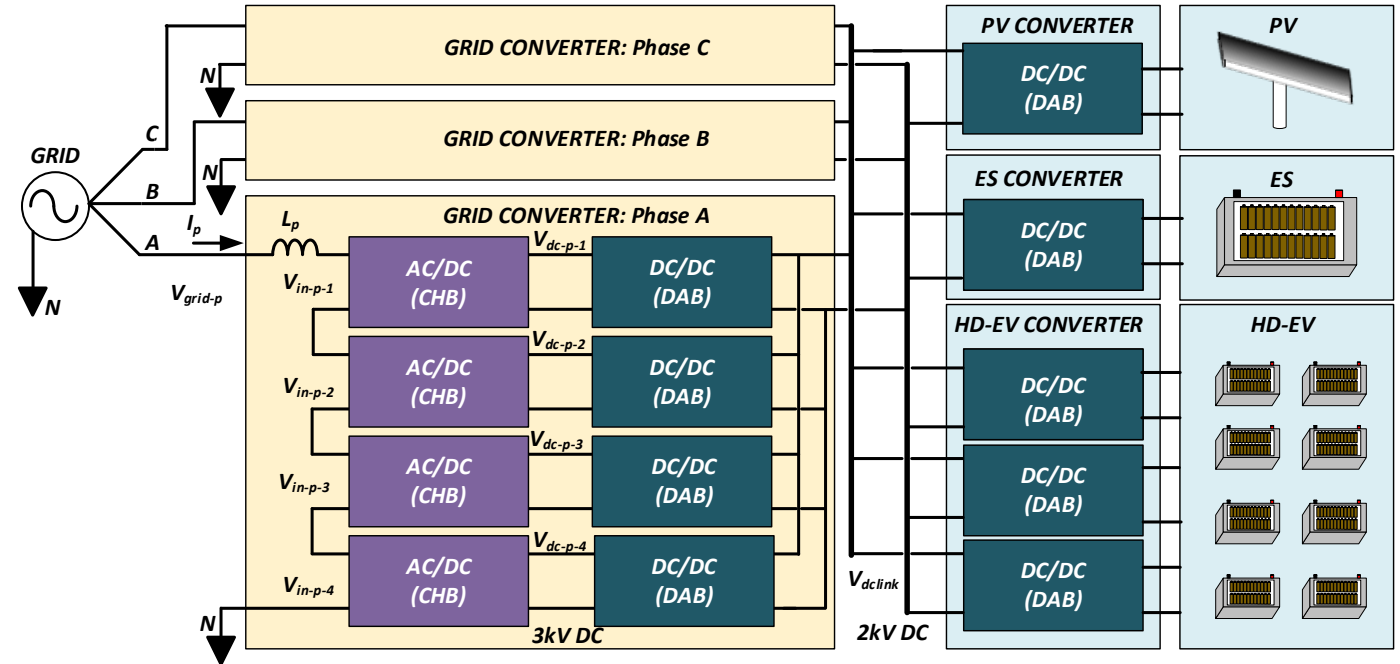
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- **Tools**

- Hardware Platform for Training and Evaluating Machine Learning and Physics Models
- CHIL Automation Tool for Use Case Evaluations (ESA Tool)
- Software & Simulation Platform for Evaluating Larger Use cases.

Going into Future Work (FY24)

- Expanding resiliency focus to megawatt class charging systems.
- Examining architecture to support outage recovery and multi-converter system and fault recovery.
- Characterization of MCS cybersecurity vulnerabilities and loss of resiliency, development of detection methods, and ID of responses & preventions



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R. S. K. Moorthy, M. Starke, B. Dean, A. Adib, S. Campbell and M. Chinthavali, "Megawatt Scale Charging System Architecture," 2022 IEEE Energy Conversion Congress and Exposition (ECCE), 2022, pp. 1-8.

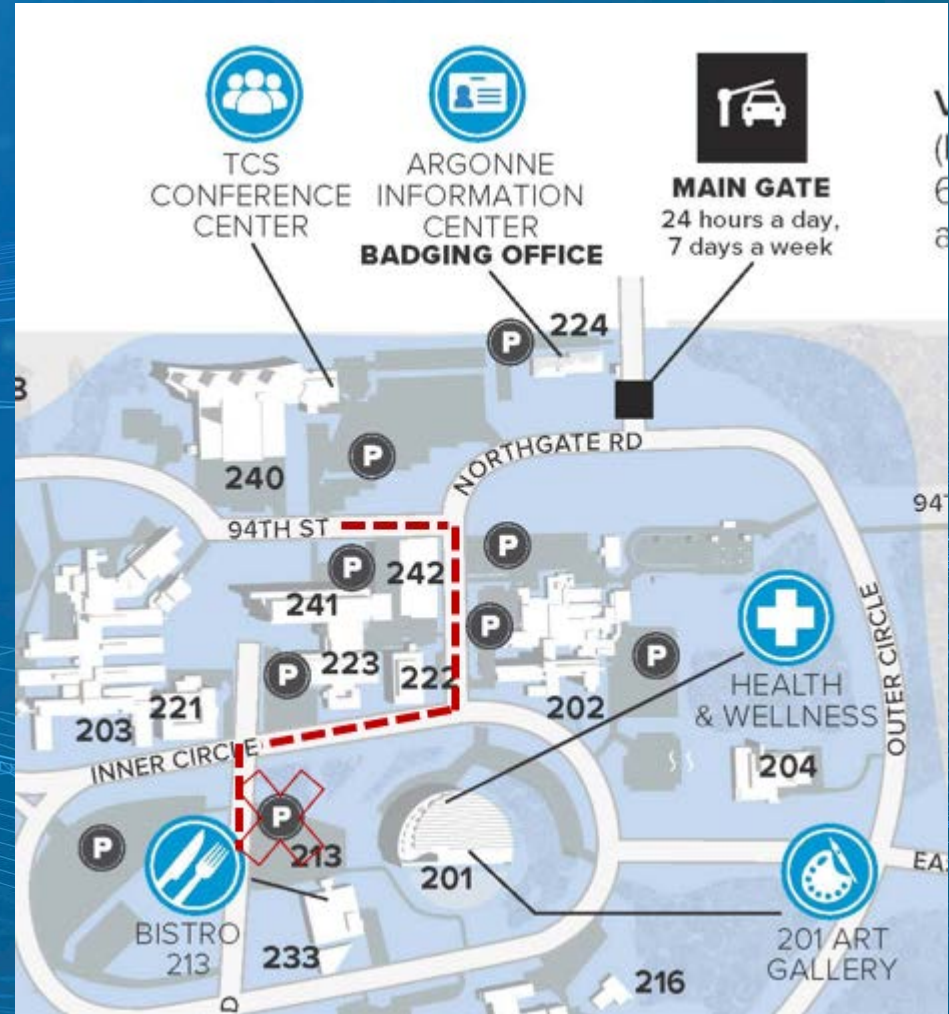
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Lunchtime!

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Zero Trust Approach to Electric Vehicle Charging Infrastructure Security

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September 27th, 2023



Cyber-Physical Security (CPS): Zero Trust Overview

Objective: Develop, demonstrate, and evaluate Zero Trust approaches to bolster EV Infrastructure security by reducing the attack surface.



Outcomes:

- **Design architecture** for incremental deployment and infrastructure integration
- **Prototype architecture** in a testbed
- **Characterize and assess** prototypes to address vulnerabilities
- **Develop blueprint**

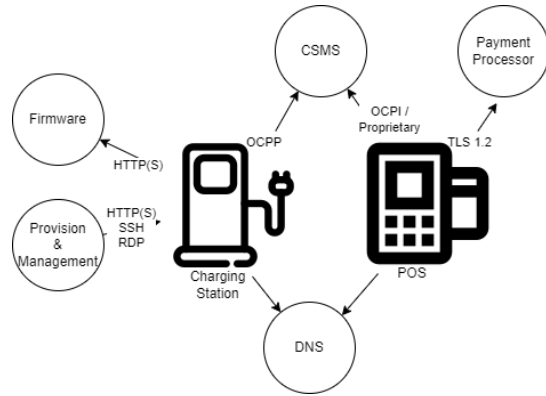
Industry Partners:



Zero Trust architecture implements network security approaches following the tenet “Never trust, verify everything”

- Zero Trust’s goal is to reduce implicit trust
 - Removal of implicit trust limits compromise scope
 - Increases adversary cost to exploit the system
- **Operationally Zero Trust:**
 - Independently considers each access request
 - Uses policy, identity and environment in each access request decision
 - Ensures adherence to “least privilege” and “separation of duties” principles

Zero Trust Project Approach



Define Requirements & Security Objectives

Focus on Charging Station Operator (CSO)

Evaluate & Analysis

Design Architecture

Prototype



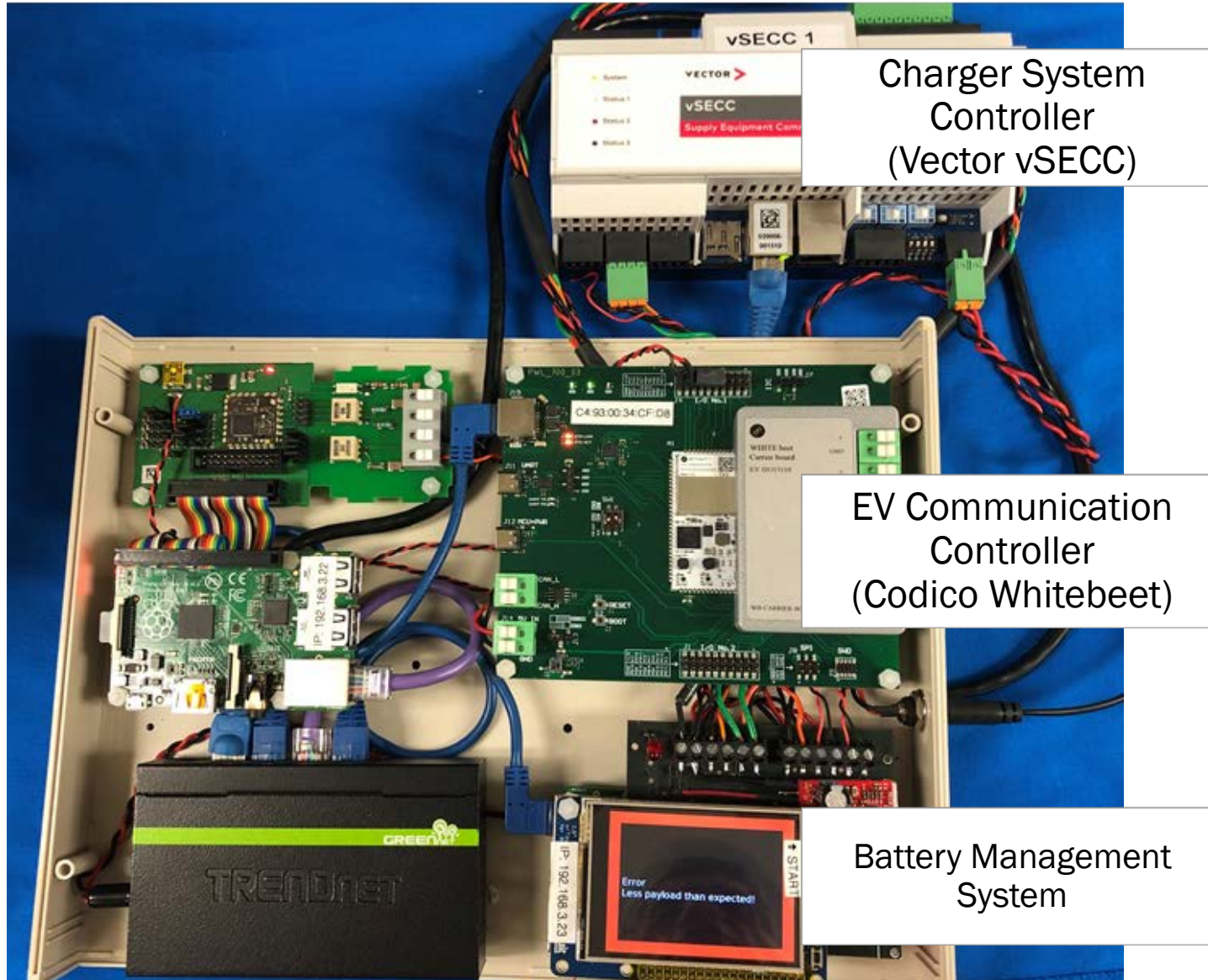
Security Service Edge Gateway



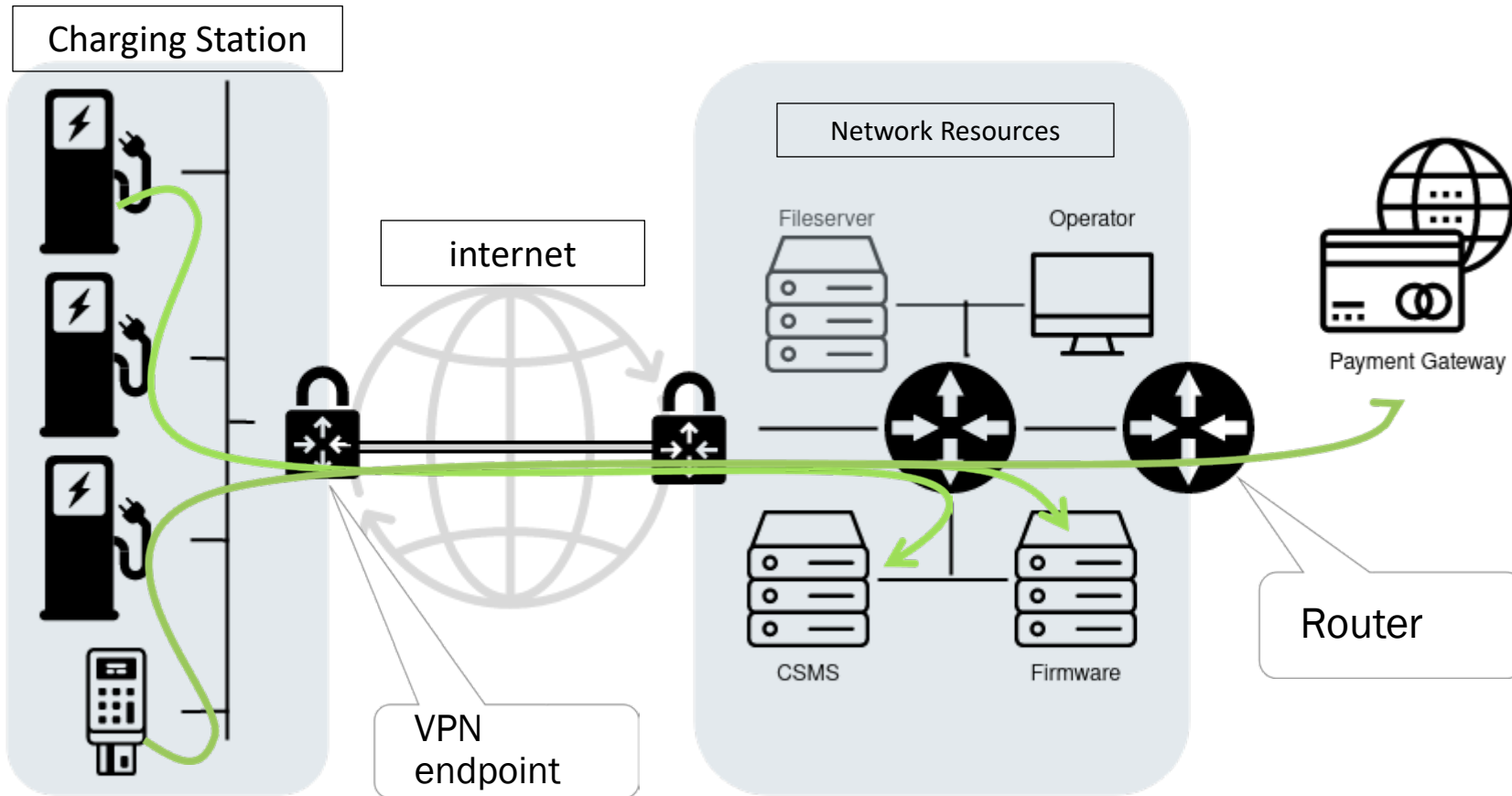
Cisco SDWAN

Charging Station Operator – entity responsible for the operation and maintenance of chargers and supporting equipment and facilities.

Prototype: DC Fast Charge Emulator Design

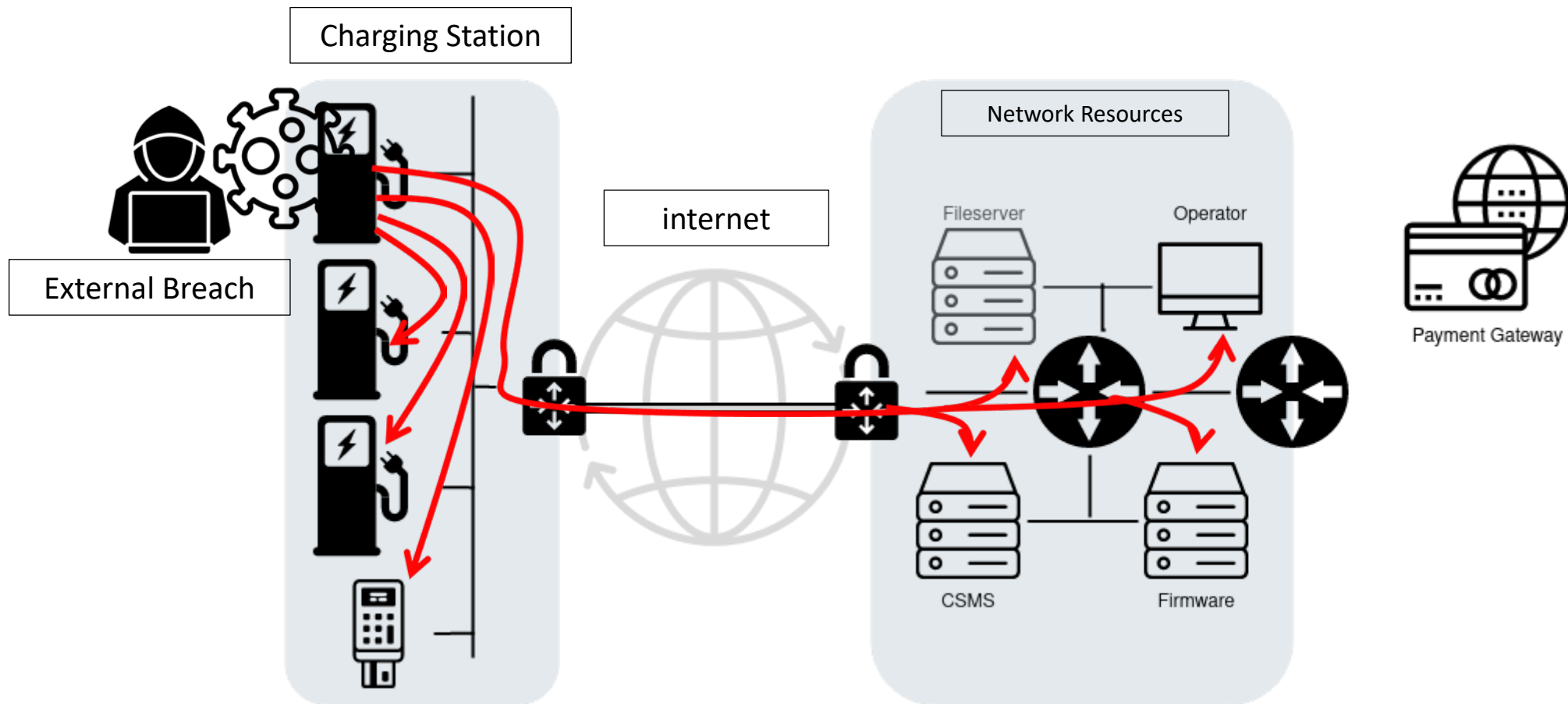


Conventional EV Service Provider + WAN

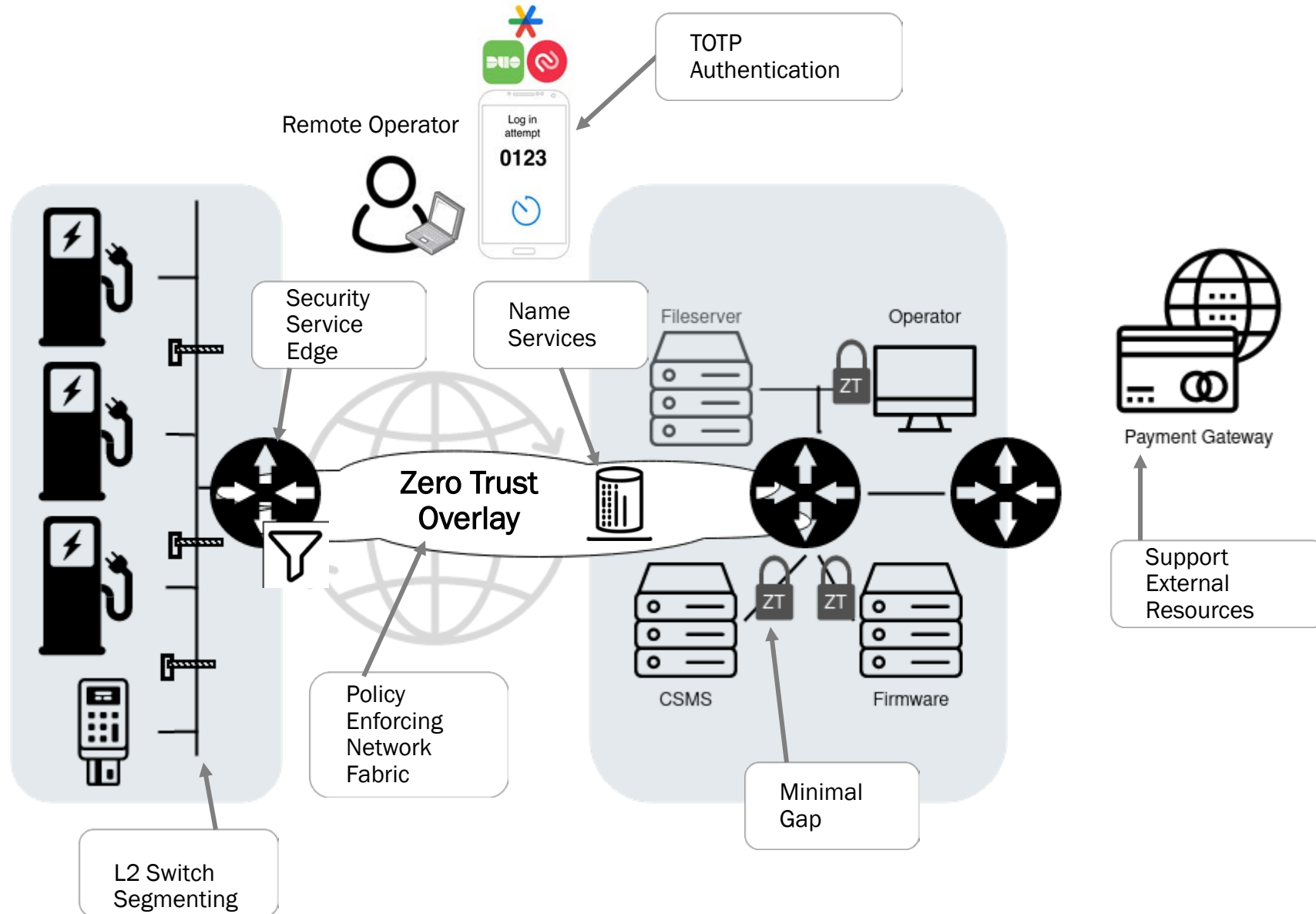


CSMS – Charging Station Management System - software for remote and real time charge point operation control (e.g., OCPP 2.0.1).

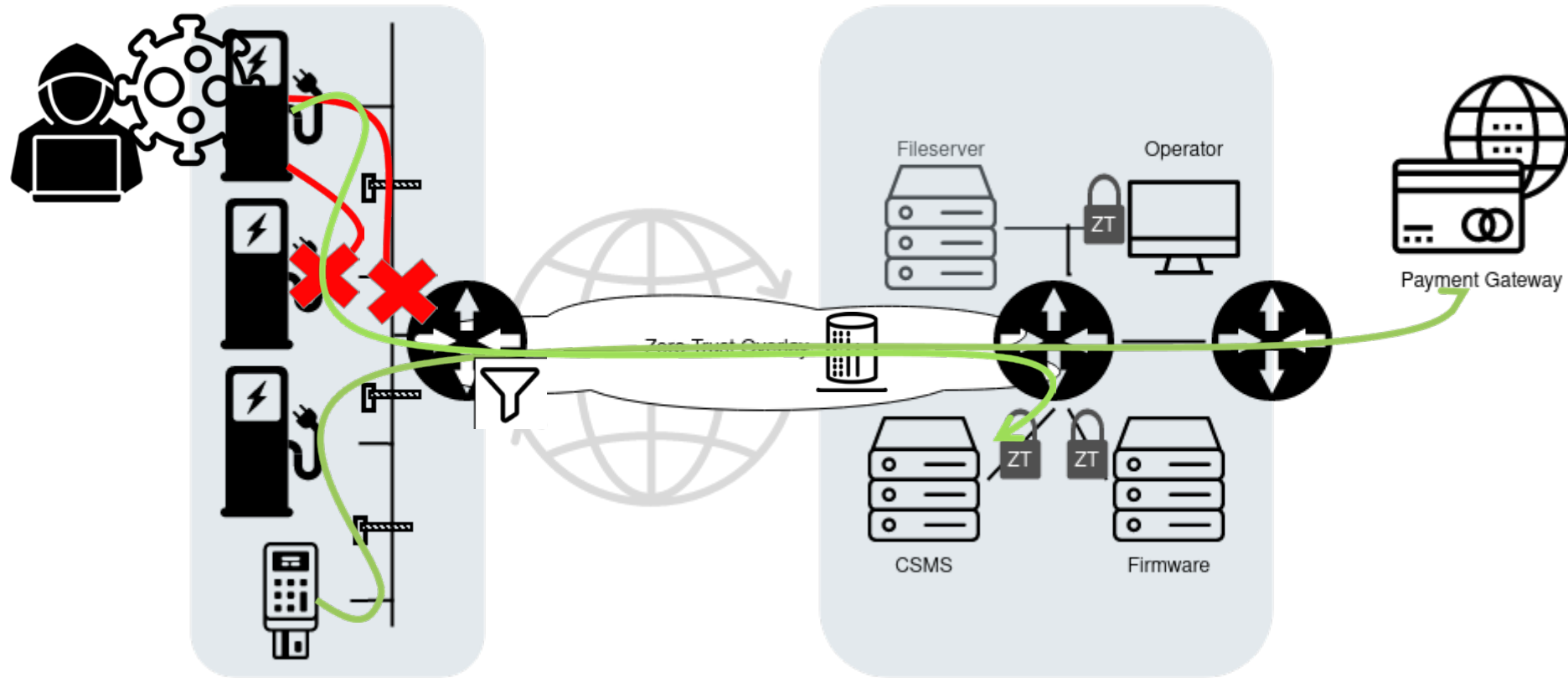
Breach to a Conventional EV Service Provider + WAN



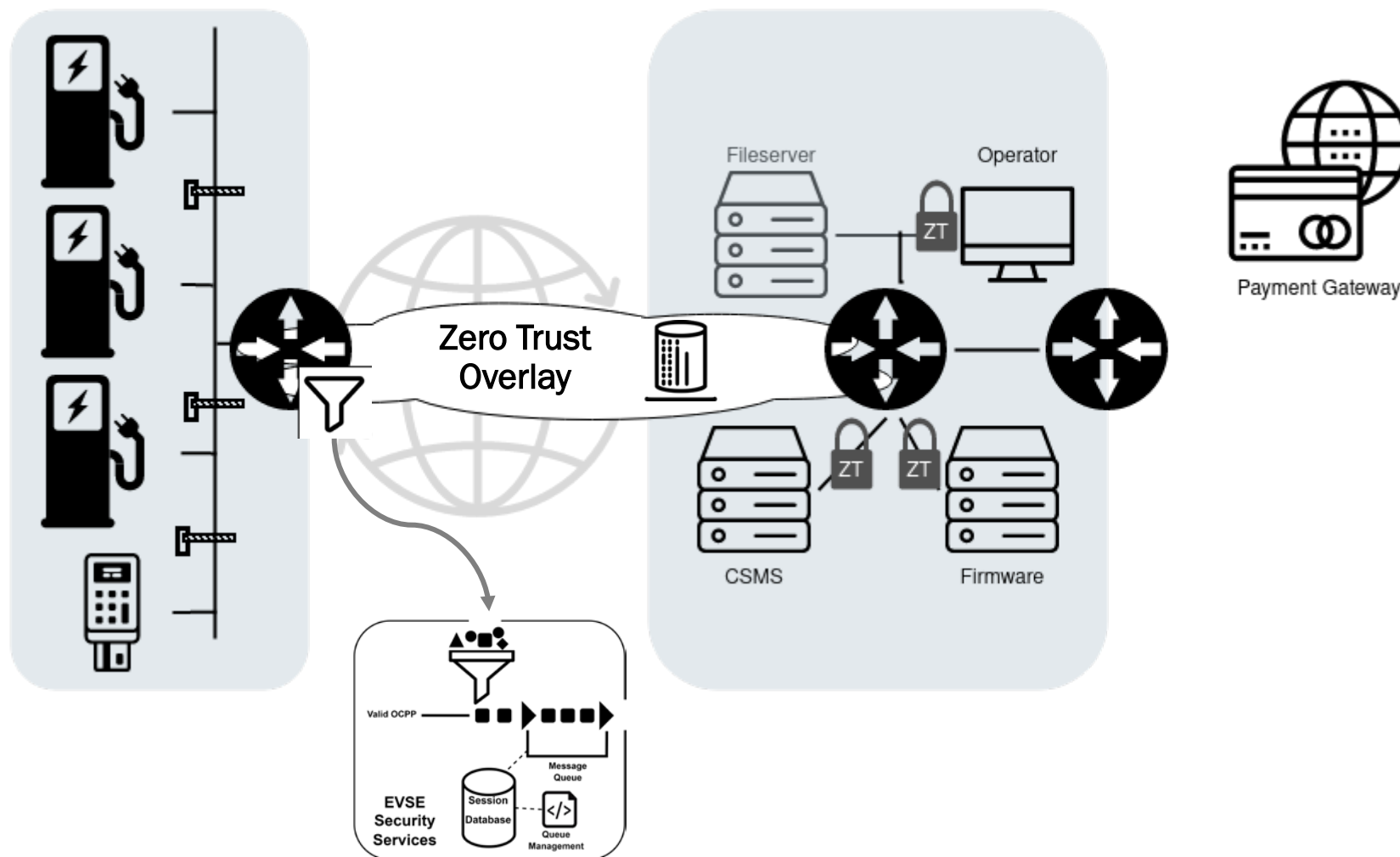
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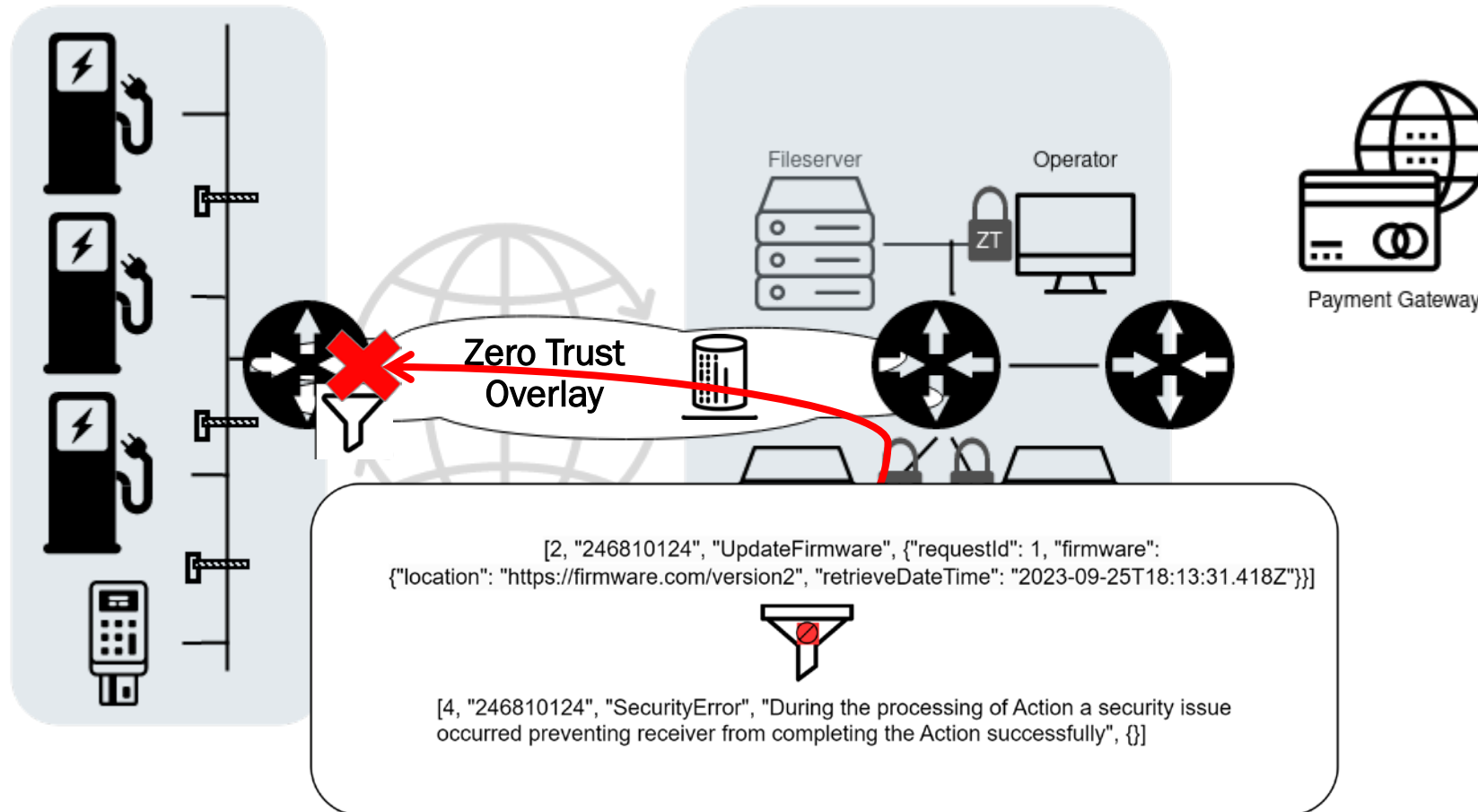
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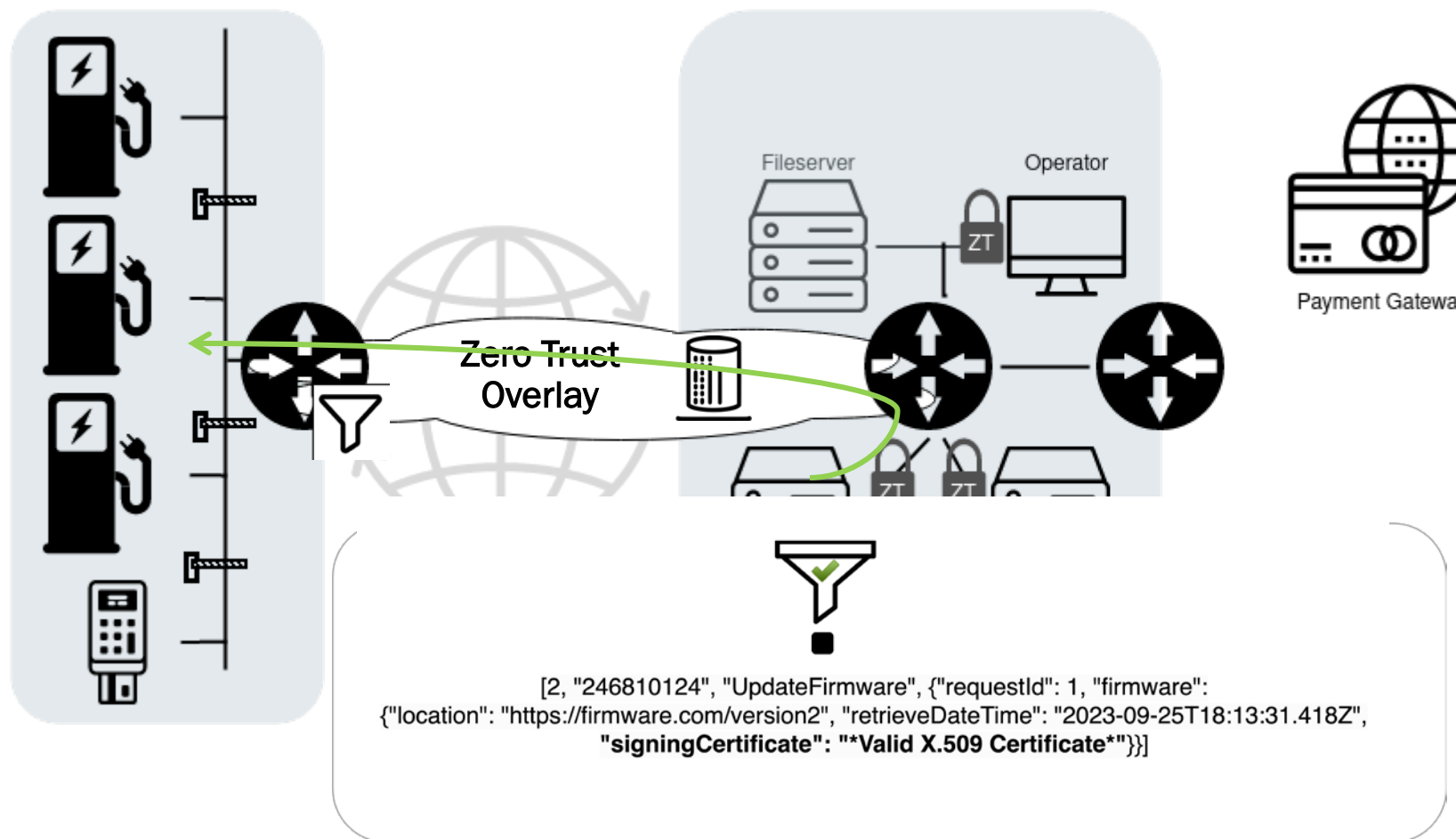
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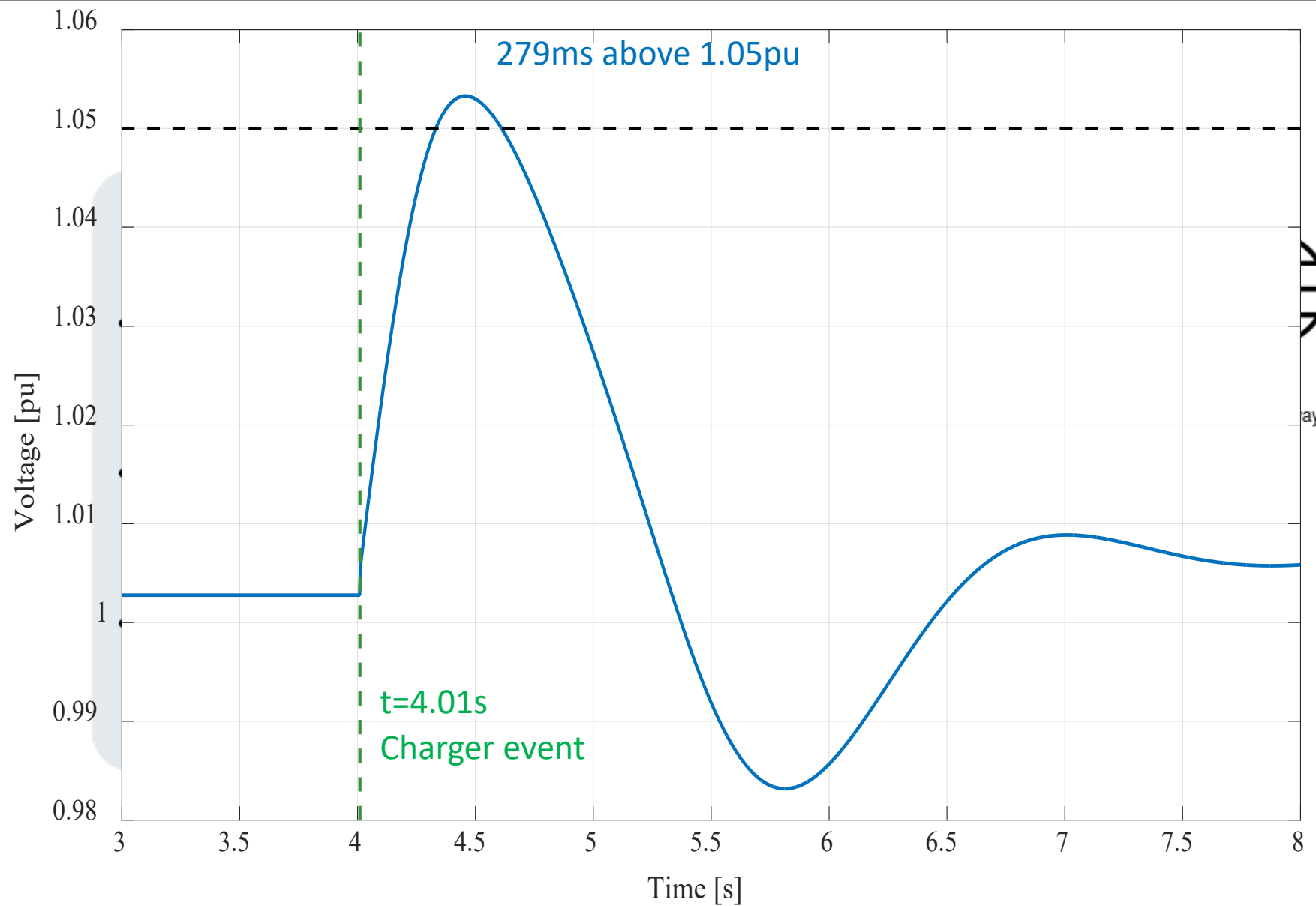
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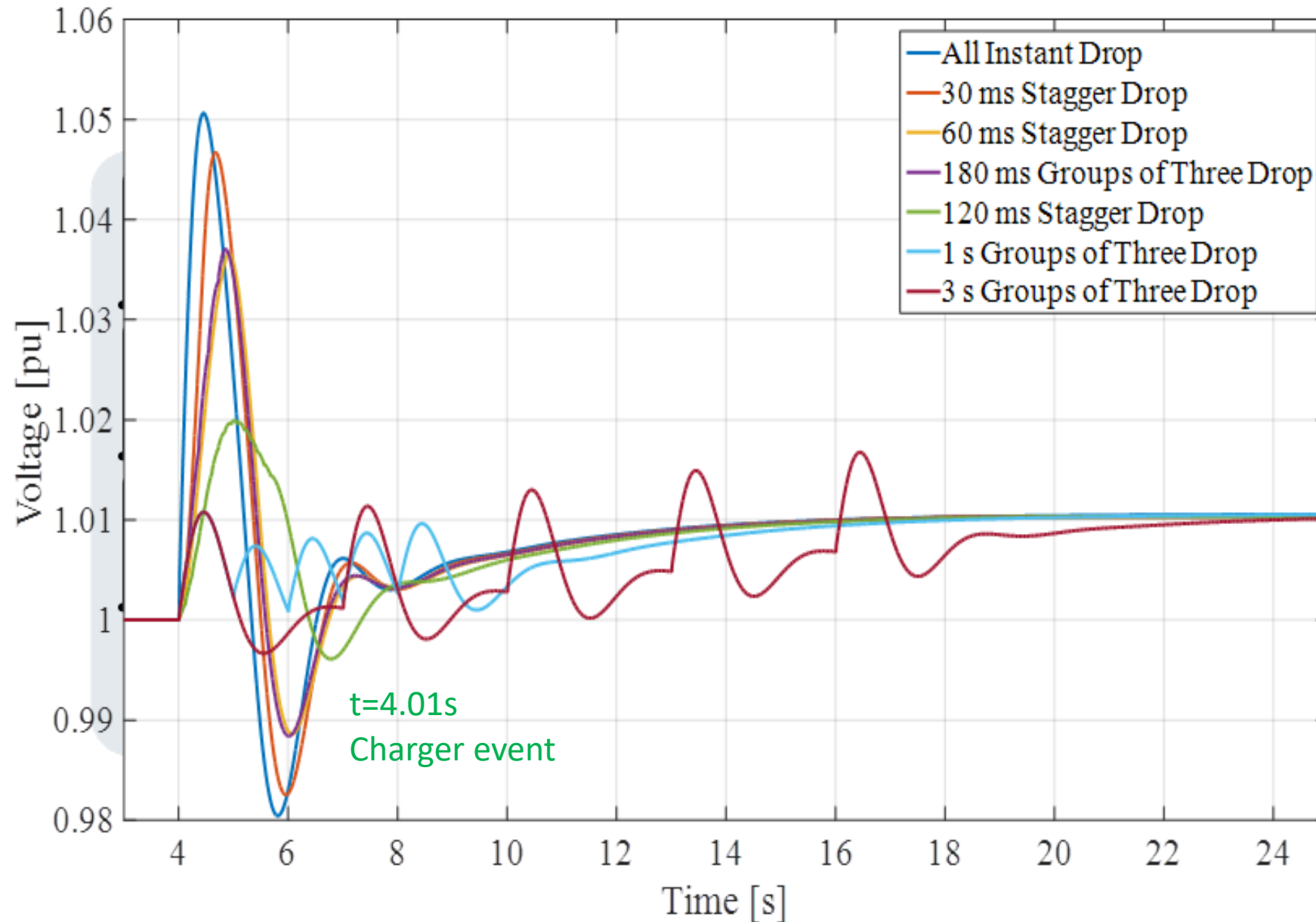
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Zero Trust Conclusion and Next Steps

Review

- Evolving test cases informing Zero Trust architecture design
- Test bed prototyping in AWS, using DC FC Charge Emulator
- Evaluated first prototype in context of a subset of test cases
- Cisco, NetFoundry and Talos relationships and mutual engagement deepening with each meeting
- Spun-off a university Senior Design Team

Next steps

- Continue to evolve the use cases, test cases, and evaluation criteria
- Complete third prototype based on Cisco SDWAN and Duo technology stack
- Engage and build relationships with stakeholders – Identify lab and field deployment partners

Post Quantum Cryptography (PQC) Overview

Objective: Study the impact of PQC and develop guidance for an orderly transition

Motivation:

- A Cryptanalytically-Relevant Quantum Computer (QRQC) will defeat traditional public-key cryptography in tens to hundreds of hours
- PQC transition is non-trivial

Outcomes:

- Identify traditional public-key cryptography applications
- Assess PQC impacts with a test-and-measure approach
- Identify challenges
- Develop guidance for an orderly PQC transition



Project Background

- A QRQC will e
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- PQC are cryptos

- Why start now

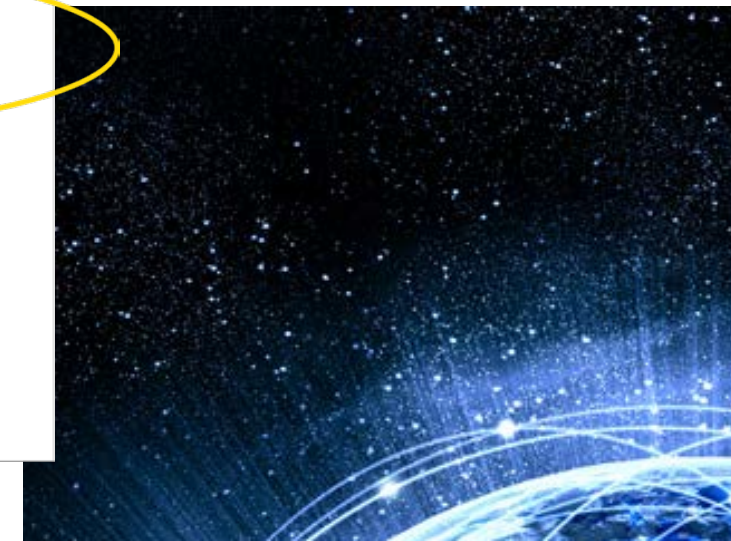
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TIMEFRAME	WHAT ONE MAY EXPECT BASED ON THE EXPERTS' OPINIONS
NEXT 5 YEARS	Most experts (27/40) judged that the threat to current public-key cryptosystems in the next 5 years is "<1% likely". About a quarter of them (9/40) judged it relatively unlikely ("<5% likely"). The rest selected "<30%" (3/40) or "about 50%" (1/40) likely. Overall, <i>there seems to be a non-negligible chance of an impactful surprise within what would certainly be considered a very short-term future.</i>
NEXT 10 YEARS	Moving from the previous timeframe to this timeframe corresponds to the largest average sentiment shift (see Figure 7). Within this timeframe, more than half of the respondents (20/40) judged the event is more than 5% likely, and almost a quarter (9/40) felt it was "about 50%" or ">70%" likely, suggesting <i>there is a significant chance that the quantum threat becomes concrete in this timeframe.</i>
NEXT 15 YEARS	More than half (22/40) of the respondents indicated "about 50%" likely or more likely, among whom 11 indicated a ">70%" likelihood or higher. <i>This time frame appears to be a tipping point, as the number of respondents estimating a likelihood of "about 50%" or larger become the majority.</i>
NEXT 20 YEARS	More than 90% (37/40) of respondents indicated "about 50%" or more likely, with 10/40 pointing to ">95%" or ">99%" likely. This indicates <i>there is a significant tendency toward viewing the realization of the quantum threat as substantially more likely than not within this timeframe.</i>
NEXT 30 YEARS	Thirty-five experts out of 40 indicated that the quantum threat has a likelihood of 70% or more this far into the future, with more than a quarter of the experts (11/40) indicating a likelihood greater than 99%. Thus, <i>there appears to be a relatively low expectation of any fundamental show-stoppers or other reasons that a cryptographically-relevant quantum computer would not be realized in the long run.</i>

Mosca, Michelle and Marco Piana (2022) "Quantum Threat Timeline Report 2022"

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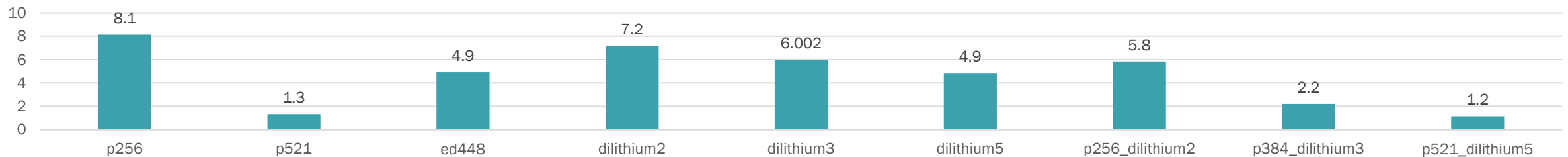
What is being done in this space?

- NIST is completing the process of standardizing Post Quantum Cryptography methods
- IETF actively working on specifying PQC elements for X.509 Certificates and TLS
- NIST releases draft SP 1800-38A “Migration to Post-Quantum Cryptography: Preparation for Considering the Implementation and Adoption of Quantum Safe Cryptography”
- PNNL-34843 “Where Public Key Cryptography is Used in Electric Vehicle Charging” inventories public key cryptography applications in the EV charging infrastructure and protocols

	Traditional			PQC			Hybrid		
	P-256	P-521	ED448	DILITHIUM2	DILITHIUM3	DILITHIUM5	P256+ DILITHIUM2	P-384+ DILITHIUM3	P-521+ DILITHIUM5
Traditional Security	128	256	256	128	192	256	128	192	256
Qubit Security	-	-	-	85	96	128	85	96	128
Security Level	-	-	-	2	3	5	2	3	5

		Traditional			PQC		
		P-256	P-521	Ed448	Dilithium2	Dilithium3	Dilithium5
Size (bytes)	Public Key	64	130	57	1312	1952	2592
	Private Key	32	65	57	2528	4000	4864
	Signature	64	130	114	2420	3293	4595

TLS Handshake (op/s) on Cortex-A8 (32-bit, Linux)



- Dilithium keys and signatures are significantly larger than P-256 (20.50-40.5x and 37.81-71.8x)
- PQC are comparable with P-256, bests P-521 for all but P521+Dilithium5

- Findings & Impacts
 - Dilithium & hybrids compute time & memory working set are larger, but not concerning for small devices
 - For TLS 1.3, cost is paid at connection setup. Once established, low-cost symmetric cryptography is activated (AEAD)
 - Larger data is not concerning for PLC, LTE, or Ethernet, but may delay connection setup, increase messaging latency
 - Messages may span TCP segments
- Preparations
 - Establish a development & testing Dilithium 3 / P-384+Dilithium3 V2G Root
 - Increase capacity of data structures conveying certificates and signatures
 - Also consider more efficient representation
 - EVSEs, CSMS, etc. are issued a certificate for each cryptosystem, chose certificate based on client preference



Zero Trust may speed PQC deployment

- Many Zero Trust strategies make extensive use of public key cryptography
- Zero Trust frameworks are characterized by a degree of crypto-agility, the capacity to switch out algorithms and parameters
- Transition the Zero Trust frameworks earlier, while solving challenges for public-trusted public key infrastructure



Review

- Completed inventory of traditional public-key cryptography applications in EV charging
- On-going resource assessment of compute, memory and storage
- Our testing indicates larger CRYSTALS-Dilithium / CRYSTALS-KYBER resources are of little concern for embedded devices, PLC, LTE
- Our testing indicates CRYSTALS-Dilithium resources are reasonable, especially when compared to P-521, and should be considered to secure EVCI, future 15118 standards

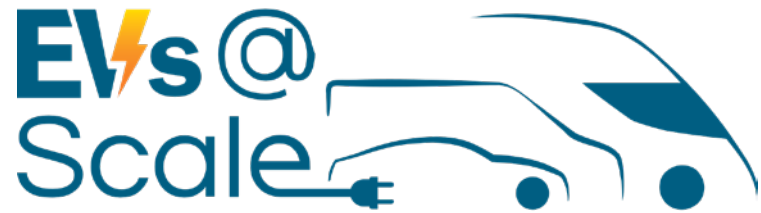
Next steps

- Complete resource assessment
- Report PQC impacts and challenges

Thank You!

Join us for the
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Backup slides with Supporting Data

Public, Private, Signature lengths / Absolute and Relative

	p256		p521		Ed448		Dilithium2		Dilithium5		Dilithium2_p256		Dilithium5_p521	
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Private Key	32	1	65	2.03	57	1.78	2528	79	4864	152	2560	80	4929	154.03
Signature	64	1	130	2.03	114	1.78	2420	37.81	4595	71.80	2484	38.81	4725	73.83

Timings on RPi3 (A53)

		p256	p521	ed448	dilithium2	dilithium3	dilithium5	p256_dilithium2	p384_dilithium3	p521_dilithium5
Absolute Time (op/s)	Time to Create Signature	5765	59.9	456.2	1053.9	682.2	531.5	880.9	120.7	53.4
	Time to Verify Signature	1937	78.6	319.5	3206.6	1936.5	1120.9	1189.7	166.7	72.5
	Time to TLS "Hello"	108.2	5.29	23.077	104.109	74.688	51.619	55.149	9.694	4.307
	Total TLS Handshake Time	10.8	3.669	7.5	9.833	9.309	8.696	8.827	5.061	3.063
Relative Time	Time to Create Signature	1	0.01	0.079	0.183	0.118	0.092	0.153	0.021	0.009
	Time to Verify Signature	1	0.041	0.165	1.655	1	0.579	0.614	0.086	0.037
	Time to TLS "Hello"	1	0.049	0.213	0.962	0.69	0.477	0.509	0.09	0.04
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Timings on ARM Cortex-a8 (32-bit, Linux)

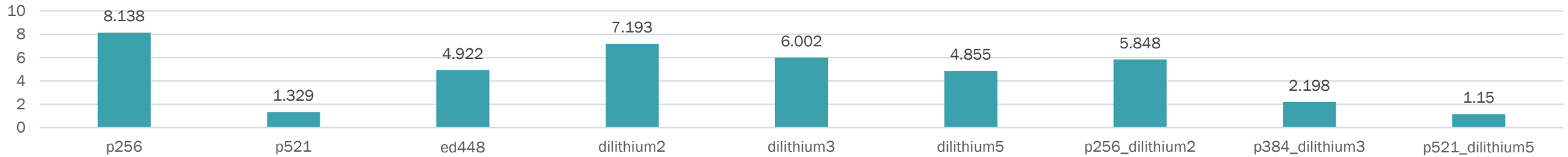
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	Time to TLS "Hello"	29.65	1.506	8.705	19.788	12.816	8.518	12.142	2.73	1.28
	Total TLS Handshake Time	8.138	1.329	4.922	7.193	6.002	4.855	5.848	2.198	1.15
Relative Time	Time to Create Signature	1	0.012	0.179	0.078	0.048	0.035	0.066	0.017	0.009
	Time to Verify Signature	1	0.047	0.209	0.69	0.409	0.234	0.355	0.082	0.038
	Time to TLS "Hello"	1	0.051	0.294	0.667	0.432	0.287	0.41	0.092	0.043
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Transfer Bytes

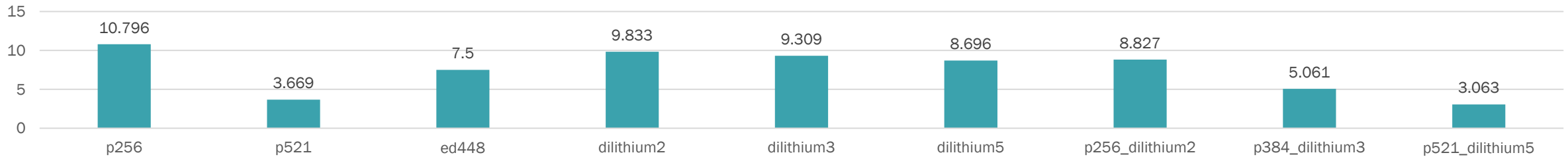
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Comparison: TLS Timing & Transferred Bytes

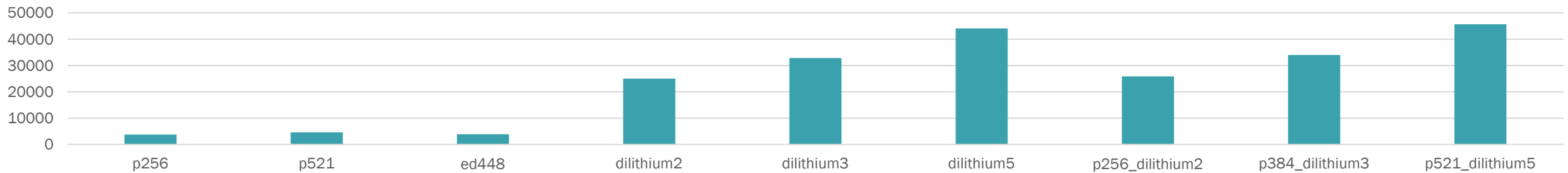
TLS Handshake Timing (op/s) on Cortex-A8



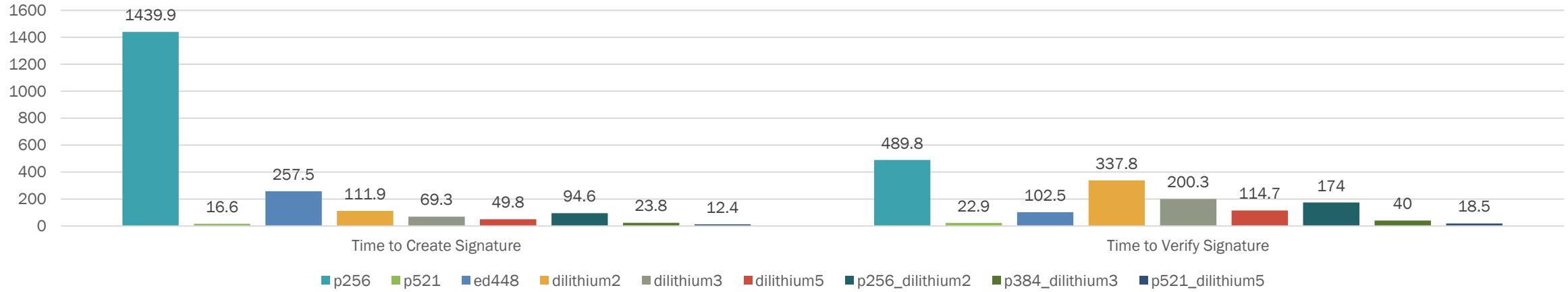
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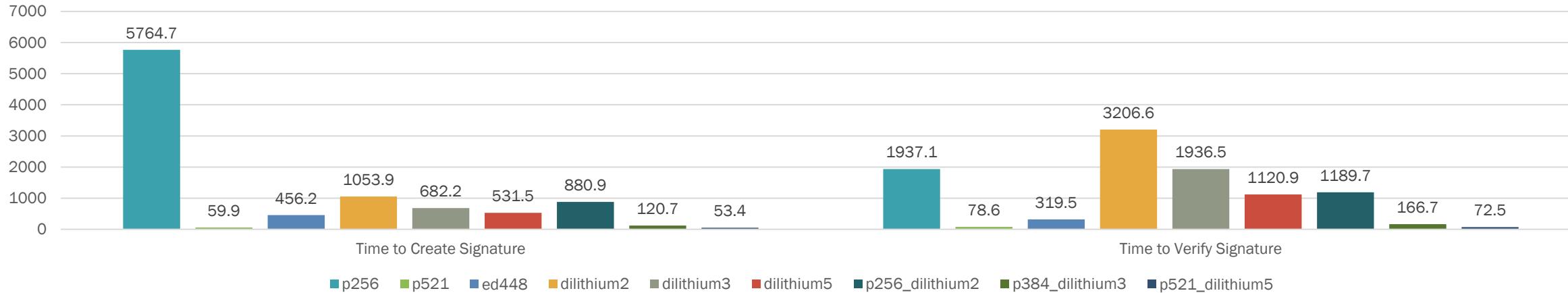
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Signature Timing (op/s) on Beagle Bone



Signature Timing (op/s) on Raspberry Pi 3



PQC Keys and Digital Signatures are Larger

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Flexible charging to **Unify** the grid and transportation Sectors for **EVs at scale (FUSE)**

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September 27, 2023

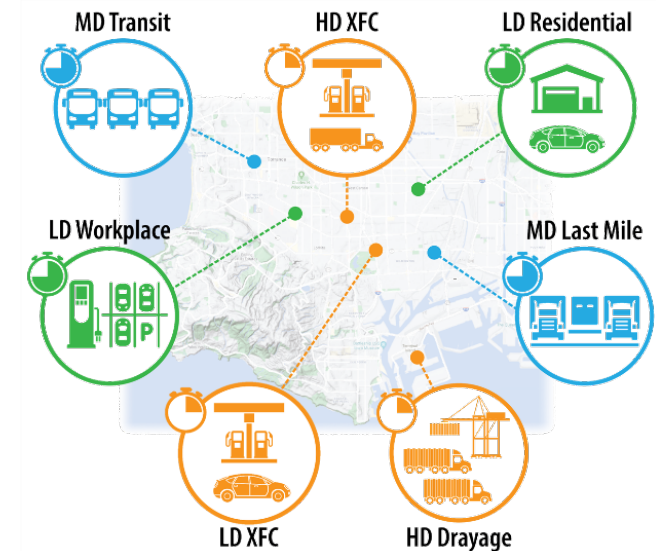


Objective:

- Develop an **adaptive ecosystem of smart charge management (SCM) and vehicle grid integration (VGI) strategies and tools** relevant to assess and reduce barriers to electrification throughout a wide geographic area and across numerous vocations

Outcomes:

- **Broadly identify limitations and gaps** in the existing VGI and SCM strategies to strategically shift PEV charging in time across a wide range of conditions
- **Develop enabling technologies** and demonstrate VGI approaches to reduce grid impacts throughout the entirety of the **LD, MD, and HD on-road electric fleet** while accounting for vehicle operational and energy requirements.
- **Determine SCM and VGI benefits** for consumers and utilities for EVs@Scale across the range of conditions (geographies and seasons) found in the US



Team:

- **National Renewable Energy Laboratory (NREL)**
 - Vehicle Charging, Grid Impact Analysis, SCM/VGI Development and Demonstration
- **Argonne National Laboratory (ANL)**
 - SCM/VGI Development and Demonstration
- **Idaho National Laboratory (INL)**
 - Vehicle Charging Analysis, SCM/VGI Development
- **Sandia National Laboratories (Sandia)**
 - Grid impact Analysis

Industry Partners/Data Sources:

- **Electric Distribution Utilities**
 - **Dominion Energy** (100+ distribution feeder models throughout VA)
- **Vehicle Travel Data**
 - **Wejo** (~400 million LDV trips in VA for Sept. '21 and Feb. '22)
 - **GeoTab** Altitude API Access MD/HD vehicle operations)



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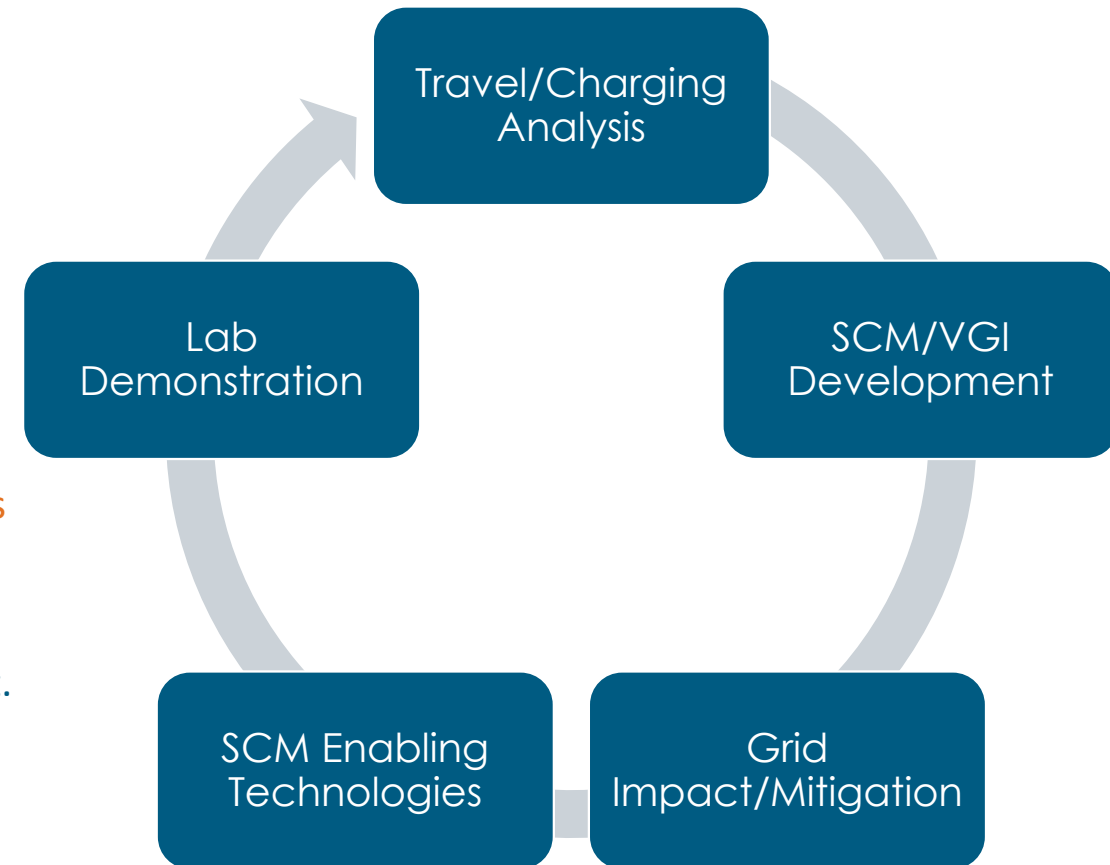
- This project **will analyze and demonstrate SCM and VGI** approaches to reduce grid impacts from EVs@Scale as a result of the charging needs of the LD, MD, and HD on-road electrified fleet.

- **SCM/VGI Analysis**

- Assess the potential charging demand for EVs@Scale and determine the **uncontrolled charging grid impacts**.
- Develop and **analyze the effectiveness of various VGI and SCM** strategies at mitigating the grid impacts of charging EVs@Scale

- **SCM/VGI Demonstration**

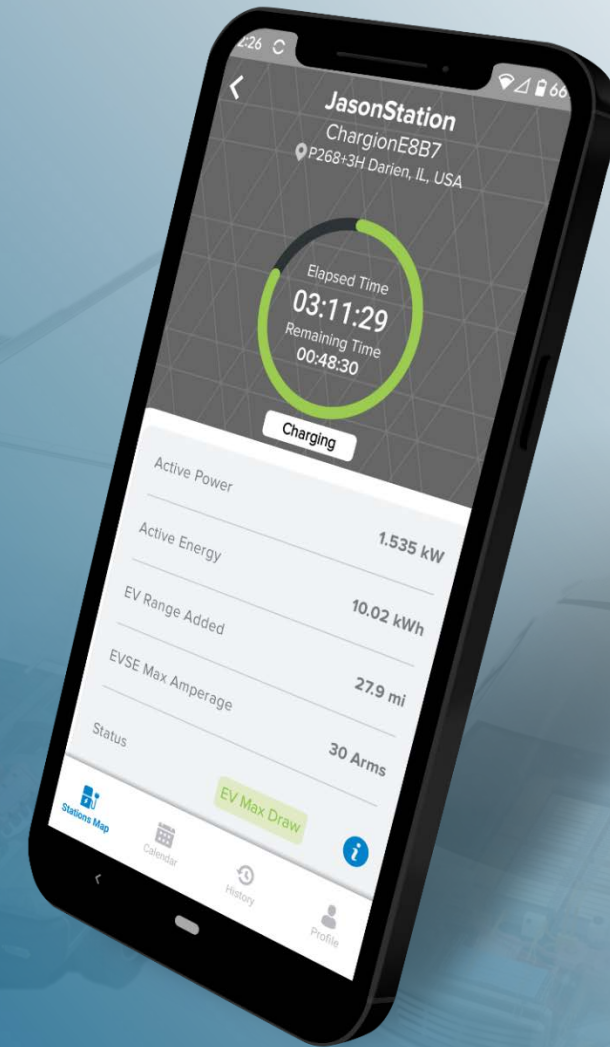
- Expand on existing SCM/VGI strategies to **adapt to the evolving needs EVs@Scale** throughout a wide range of vehicles and vocations.
- **Develop enabling technologies** to demonstrate the potential for new and existing SCM and VGI in a laboratory and real-world environment.
- **Coordinate with Codes and Standards Pillar** to determine the potential of existing technologies and need for future developments.



EVrest: EV Reservation System

ANL Deployment

- EV Charge Reservation Mobile App
 - iOS and Android
- Allows EV Drivers the Ability to Reserve a Specific Port/Station for Future Use
- Integrates with ANL's OCPP CSMS Platform to Enable Future Smart Charging Algorithm
- Development and EV Charging Behavior Research
- Deployed at Smart Energy Plaza for use with Argonne Employees





- Deploys 4 Protocols
 - J1772 (PWM)
 - Tesla SWCAN
 - ISO-15118 (-2, -20 WIP)
 - DIN Spoofing
- Revenue Grade AC Submeter
- OCPP 1.6J to CSMS (2.0.1 WIP)
- Enables Smart Charge Scheduling
- Charge Scheduler Bridge Application developed to Enable non-ISO 15118 vehicles to participate in Charge Scheduling

Available for Licensing: <https://www.anl.gov/partnerships/optiq-a-smart-l2-charge-station>

Charge Scheduler Bridge

What is it and Why is it needed?

Charge Scheduler Bridge

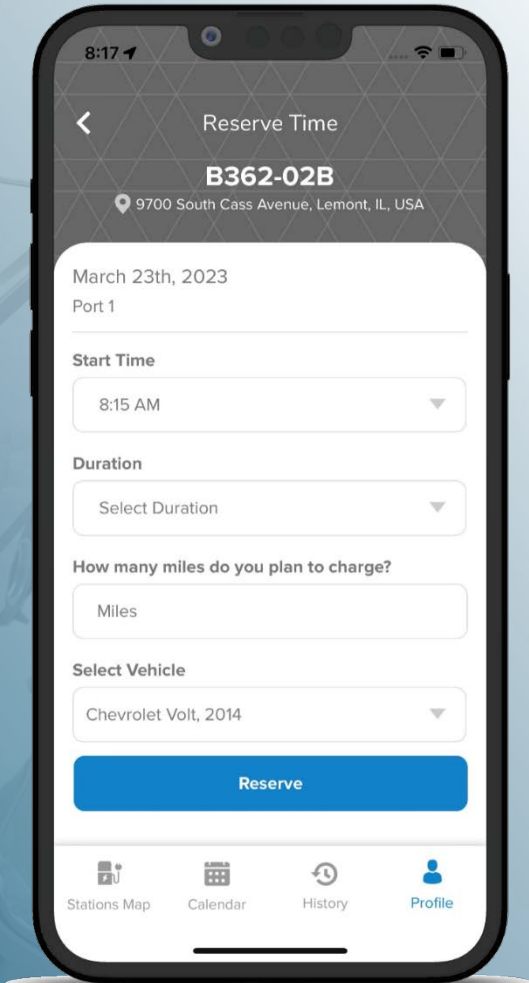
- **Middleware Application that Integrates with EVrest and the ISO 15118 Charge Scheduler to Schedule EV Charging on Behalf of non-ISO 15118 EV/EVSE**
- **Needed to enable optimized charge scheduling for non-ISO 15118 EV/EVSE**

Goal

- **Work with any OCPP 1.6J station (integrated in EVrest)**
- **Work with any AC J1772 EV**

Key Elements of a Charge Schedule:

- Charge Start Time
- Charge End Time
- Requested Energy (kWH)
- Max Rate of Charge (kW)



2021 Porsche Taycan

Scheduler Bridge Demo

11:29

Date: April 12, 2023

Time: 12:30 PM-4:30 PM

Station Type: AC

Port: Port1

Session Duration: 03:55:04

Charge Duration: 03:53:52

Vehicle: Porsche Taycan Turbo 2021

EV Range Ad...: 58.0 mi

Avg. Charging...: 14.88 mph

Total Energy: 26.11 kWh

Avg. Power: 6.7 kW

Stations Map | Calendar | History | Profile

15118 EVSE

Session Status

4/12/2023, 4:30:08 PM **Analog Charging**

EV Charge Parameters

Session ID:	Departure Time Provided	Time Remaining:
EVCC ID:	Max Voltage: 0.00 V	Req. Energy: 0.000 kWh
EV MAC: 00:00:00:00:00:00	Min Current: 0.00 A	Actual Energy: 26.097 kWh
	Max Current: 0.00 A	

Power Profile

Current Charging Schedule | Actual Power

J1772 Status

J1772 State: Plugged C2

OCPP State: Charging

Pilot State: State C2

Prox State: Not Measured

Pilot Voltage: 5.99 V

Pilot Duty Cycle: 53.09 %

Meter

Active Power: 7.358 kW

Line Current: 31.45076848 Arms

Line Voltage: 237.3527706 Vrms

Line Frequency: 60.00960154 Hz

Active Energy: 26.097 kWh

Reactive Power: -965.0071829 VAR

Apparent Power: 7458.362638 VA

Phase Angle: -6.740278445 °

Power Factor: 0.986516261

Control: EVSE ID: OptiQE1BD

Setpoint: Arms

Control: Current

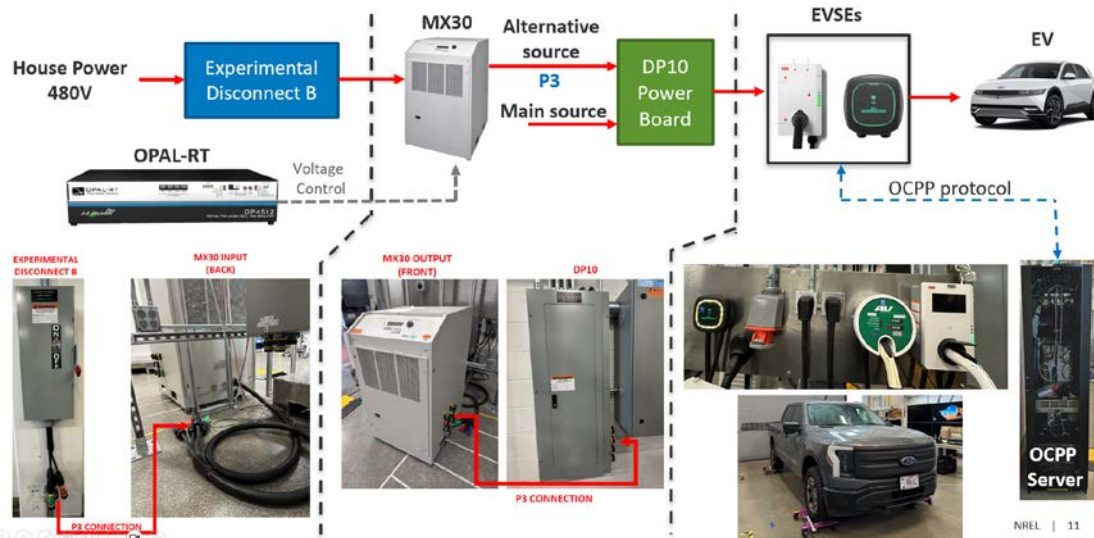
STOP

CLEAR PLOT | CLEAR STATUS

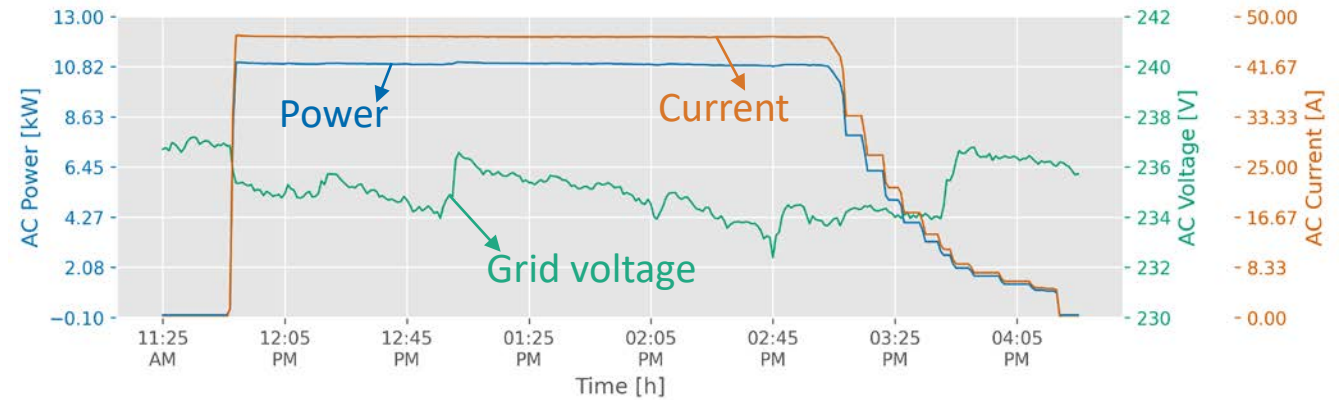
Although Taycan capable of ISO-15118 Charge Scheduling, Charge Scheduler Bridge was utilized to schedule this charge session.

OCPP Performance Testing and SCM Demonstrations

Experimental Testbed



Some initial charging test results (F150 65%-100%)



EVSEs

Completion of installation: 8/2/2023

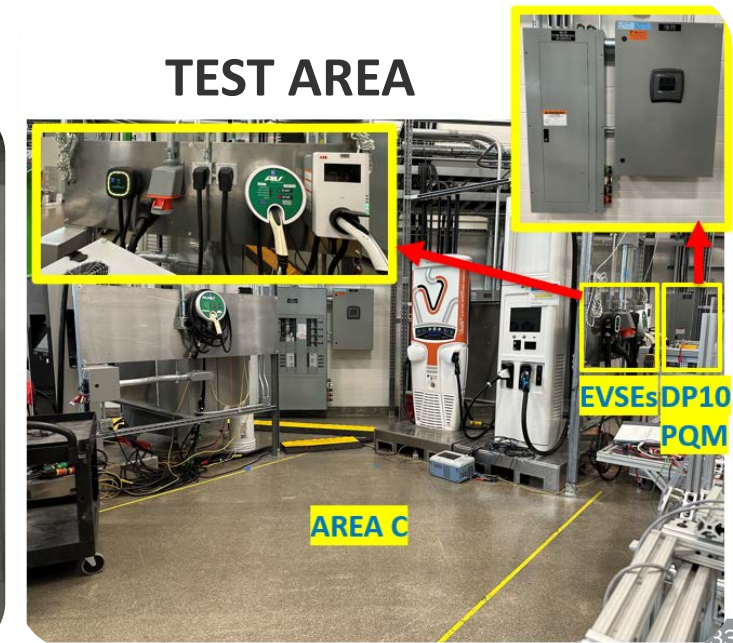
Testing began: 8/11/2023

OCPP Performance testing plans

- Response time measurements
- Accuracy, precision and frequency characterization
- EVSE and EV response to grid-related events
- Testing and verification of SCM capabilities

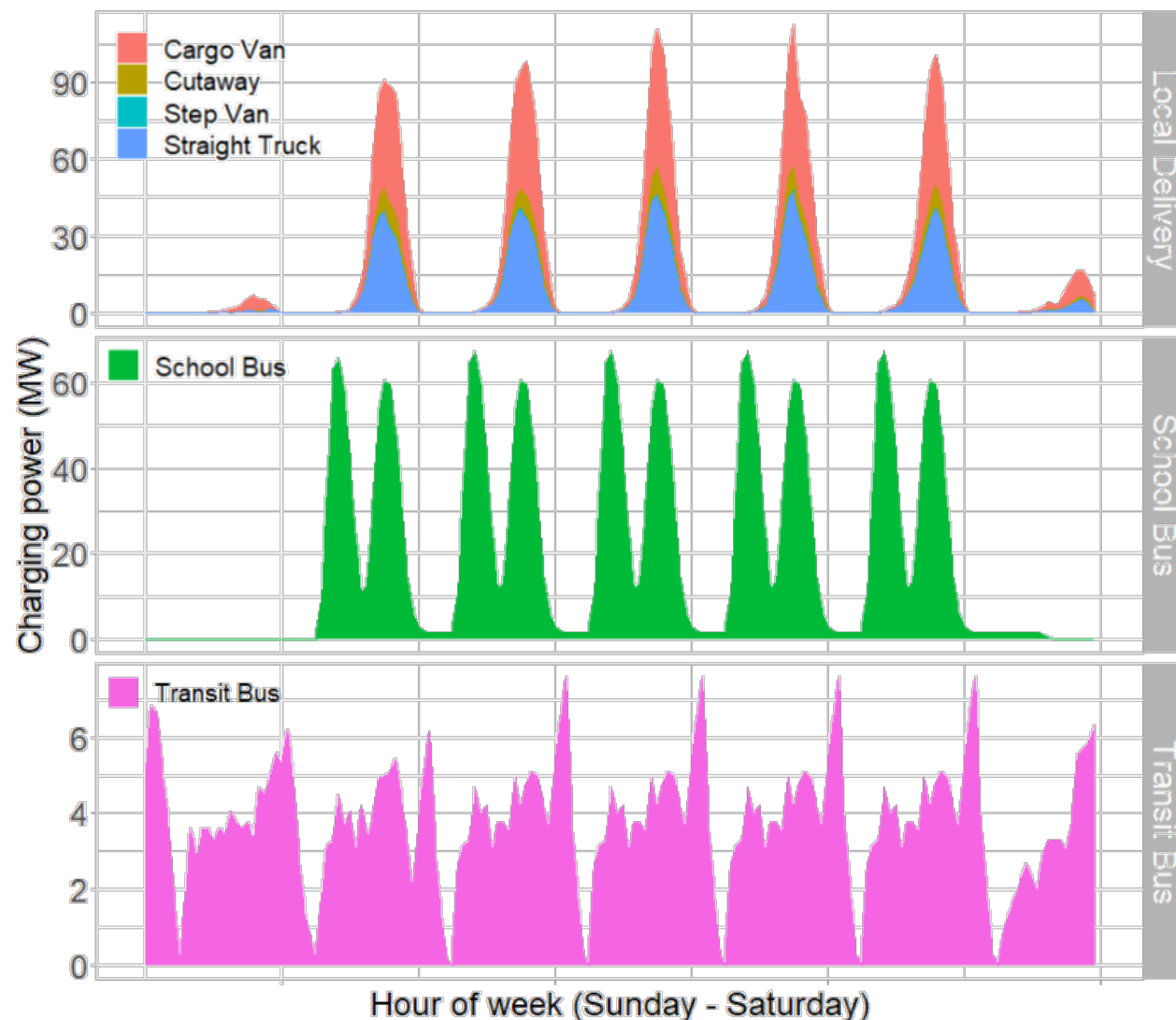


TEST AREA



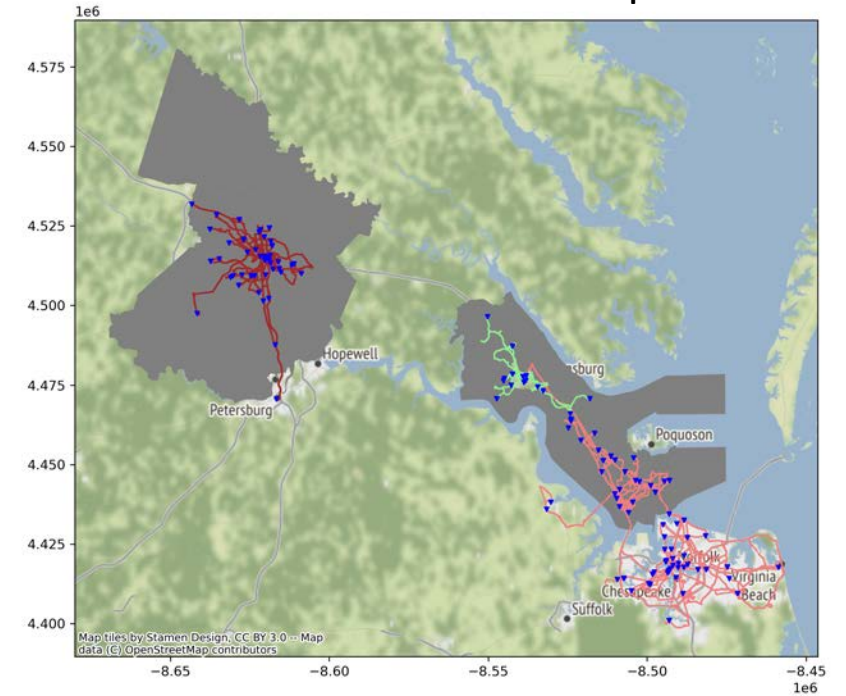
- **Long-dwell**, domicile-centric vocations were prioritized for the first set of M/HDV analyses
- Weekly synthetic charging itineraries for **Newport News & Richmond** were created and delivered to grid modeling team:
 - Local delivery vehicles (Class 2b-6) using Geotab Altitude API data
 - School buses using FleetDNA data
 - Transit buses using General Transit Feed Specification (GTFS) data
- The next stage of analysis will shift focus to **regional freight** (including drayage trucks) and **long-haul freight**

Weekly load profiles for initial M/HDV vocations

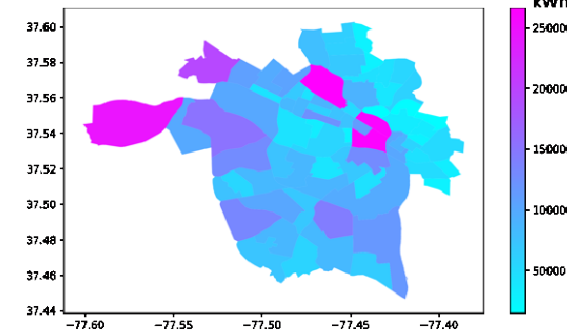


- **Light Duty Vehicle (LDV) analysis refinements:**
 - Generated results for February 2022
 - Refined assignment of vehicles to parcels, and of [home charging accessibility](#), to ensure consistency across September and February
 - Augmented charging events data to include full activity charging and trips (discharging) and lat-long coordinates
 - Investigated the probability of [concurrent charging events](#) at shared sites
 - Facilitating use of passenger EV charging data sets (shared with NREL grid team and INL charging analysis team)
- **Publication and presentations:**
 - Presented FUSE LDV analysis at the 2023 DICE conference
 - Drafted a conference paper for 2023 ECCE conference and will present the FUSE LDV analysis in October
 - Drafted a journal paper that is being reviewed by [Transportation Research Part D](#)
 - Planning to draft a journal paper focused on first three Medium/Heavy Duty Vehicle vocations (long dwell)

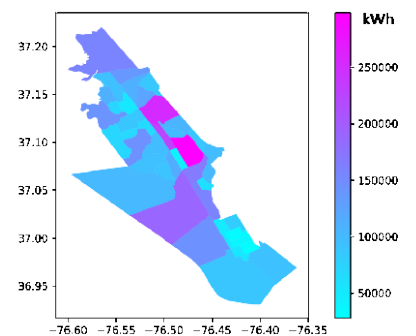
GTFS Data for Richmond & Newport News



Richmond (City) 1-Wk Charging Demands



Newport News (City) 1-Wk Charging Demands



Mid-route charging analysis

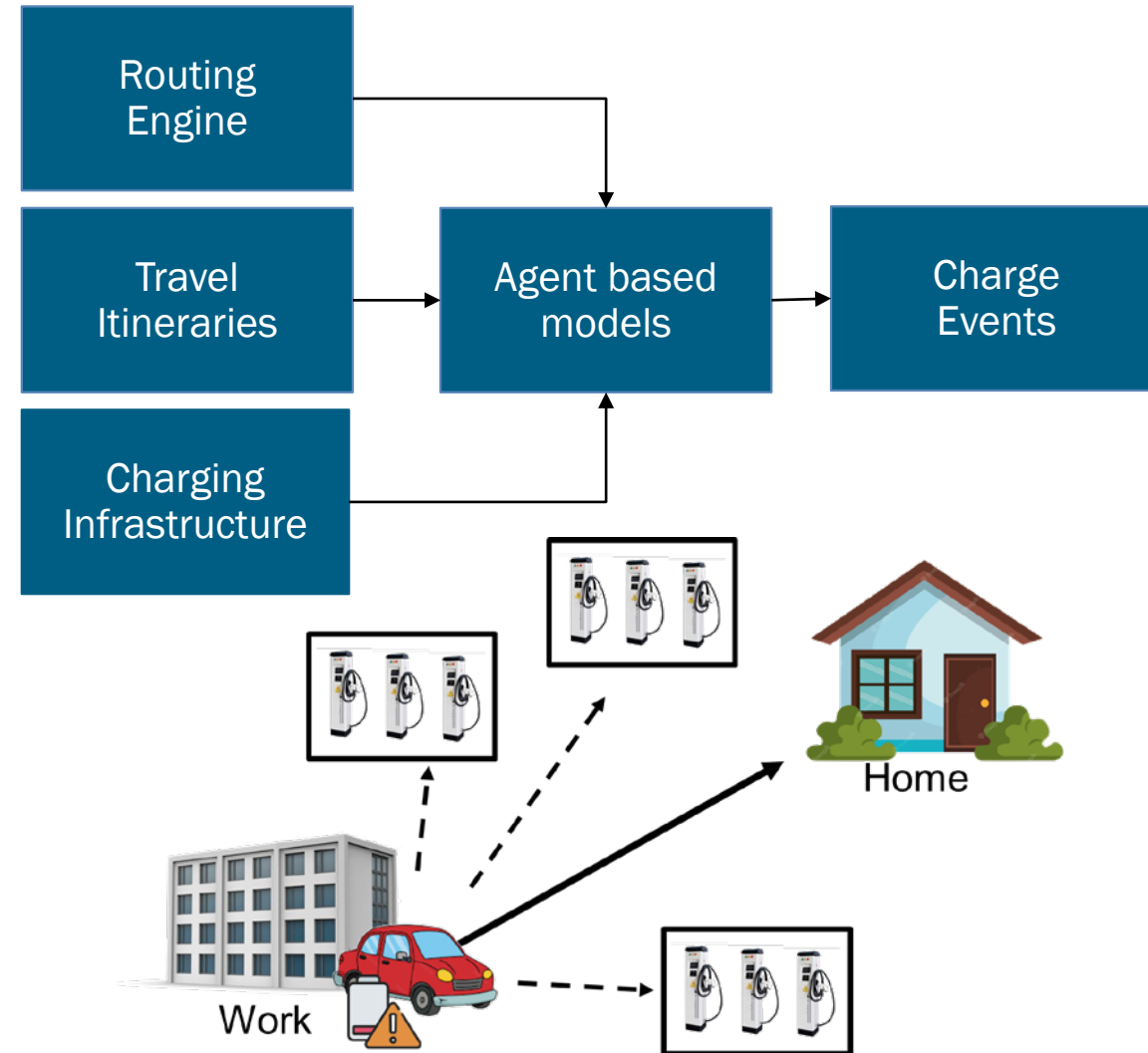
Steps completed:

- Developed an agent-based EV charge event modelling platform – Caldera Charging Decision Model (CDM).
- Ran preliminary simulations modelling **mid-route charging** with itineraries from Richmond and Newport News.

Next steps:

- Fine tune and improve the agent based simulations in Virginia.
- Develop **XFC price incentive SCM** with Stationary Energy Storage (SES) for temporal and spatial XFC controls.

Caldera CDM block diagram

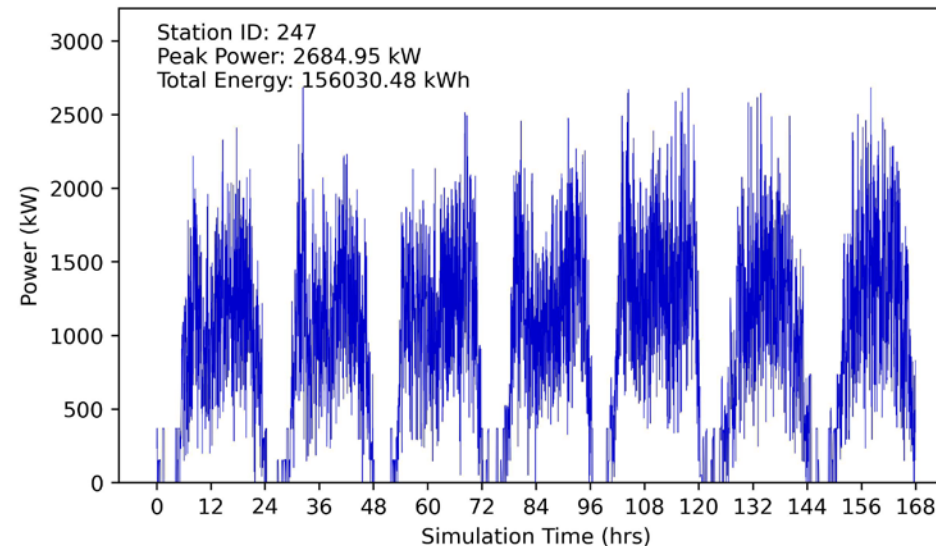


EV dynamically seeking mid-route XFC charging on way from work to home.

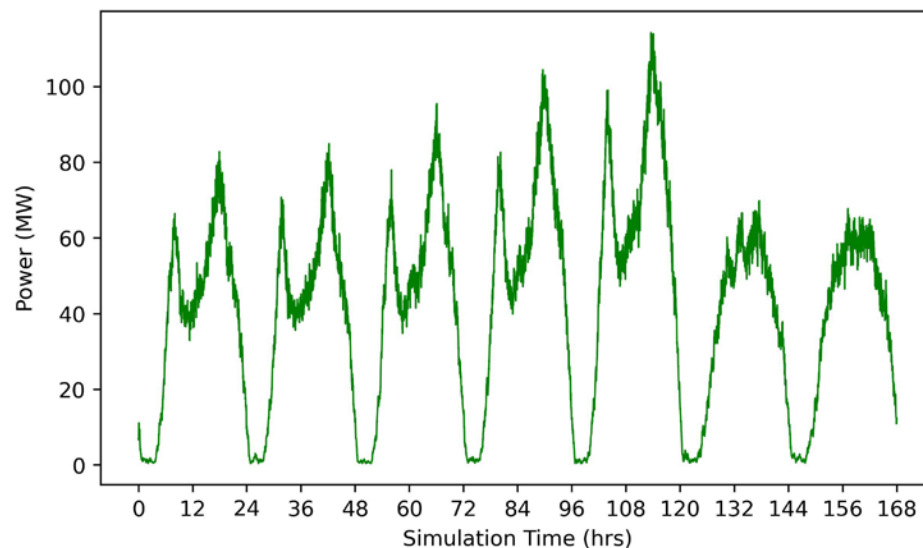
Mid-route charging preliminary results

- **Location:** Richmond, VA and Newport News, VA
- **Number of Cars:** 500,000
- **Number of charging stations:** 131, each with eight 350kW chargers
- 50% charging needs covered with public XFC
- Uncontrolled charging (drive up to the station without reservation)

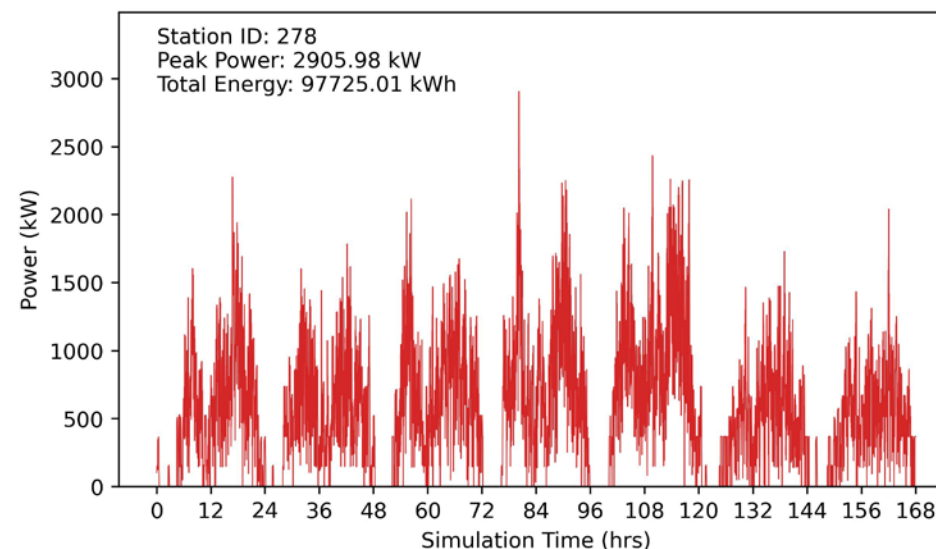
XFC Station with Max Energy (1 week)



Aggregate XFC Power Profile (1 week)

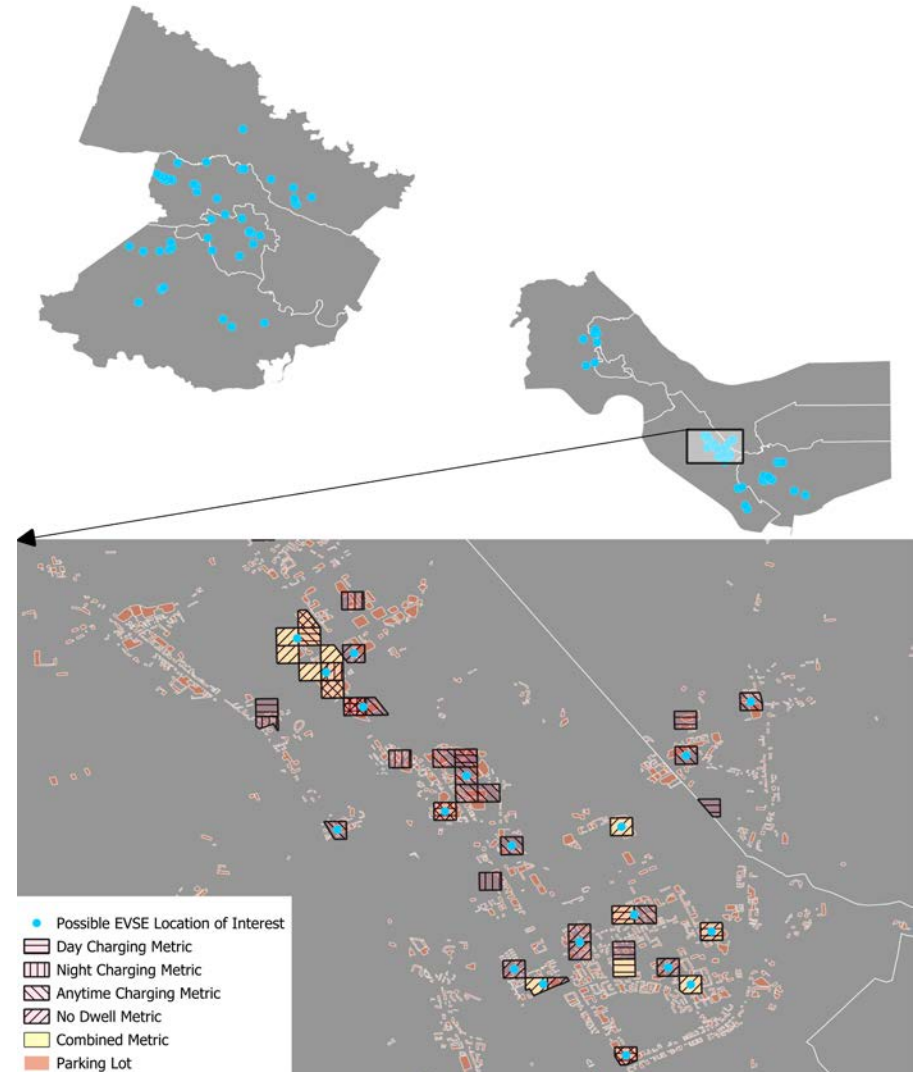


XFC Station with Max Power (1 week)



- **EV public charging feeder prioritization**

- Assume public charging primarily used by those **without access to home charging** or who need to charge quickly (**en route charging**)
 - This population may otherwise be slow to adopt due to limited extant EVSE
 - EVSE availability may be critical to mass adoption
- Looked at:
 - Dwell times and locations at different times of day
 - Multi-unit housing proportion
 - Renter population and car ownership
 - Available parking and parking lots
 - Location of other points of interest
- Determine areas with **relatively high demand for public charging** and ensure feeder selection covers those areas



- EV charging if home charging not available

- At the workplace (L2)
- At locations close to home, overnight or after work (L2)
- En-route when necessary (L3)

- What influences charging decisions

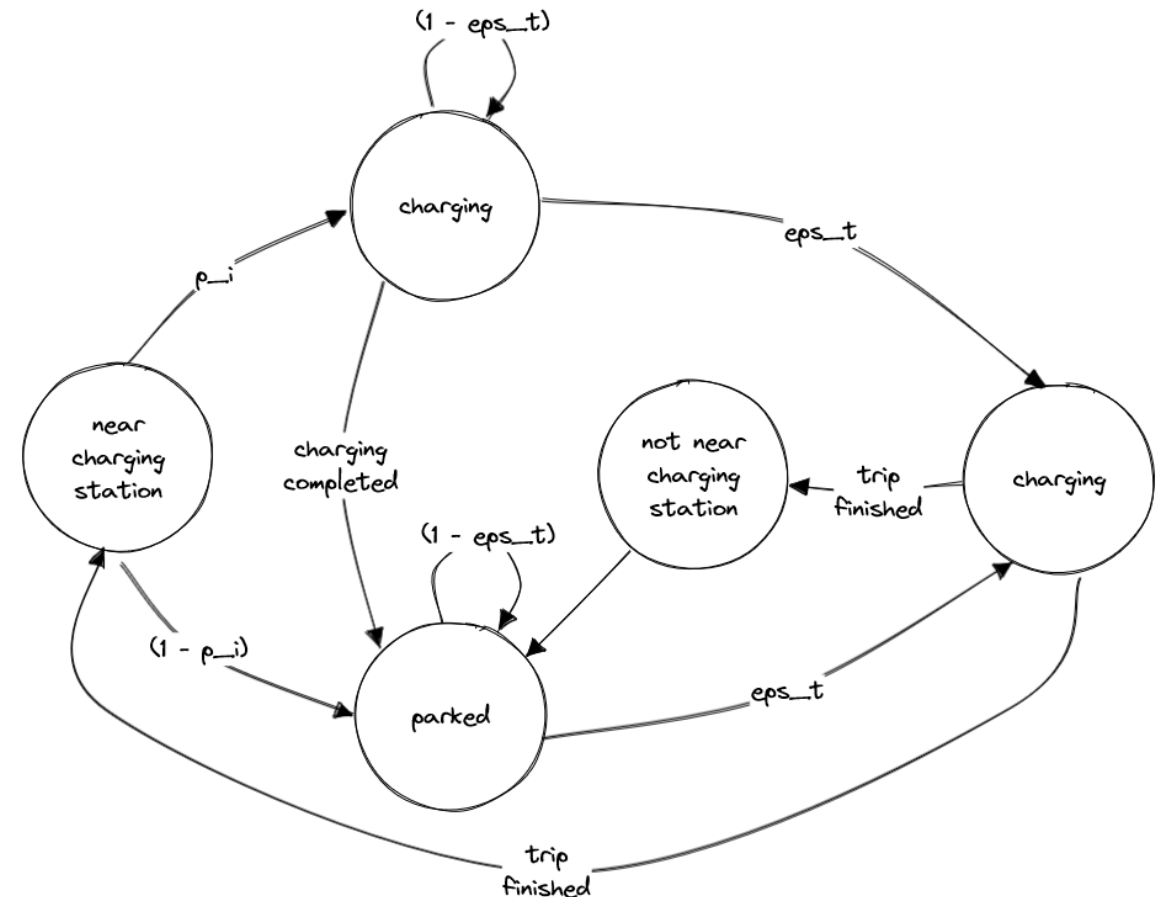
- Sufficient charge to reach destination(s)
- Range anxiety
- Charging/electricity prices
- Congestion on route
- Time of day
- Availability of charging at destination

- Modeling techniques

- Adapt Markov model:

Z. Fotouhi, M. R. Hashemi, H. Narimani, and I. S. Bayram, "A General Model for EV Drivers' Charging Behavior," IEEE Trans. Veh. Technol., vol. 68, no. 8, pp. 7368–7382, Aug. 2019, doi: 10.1109/TVT.2019.2923260.

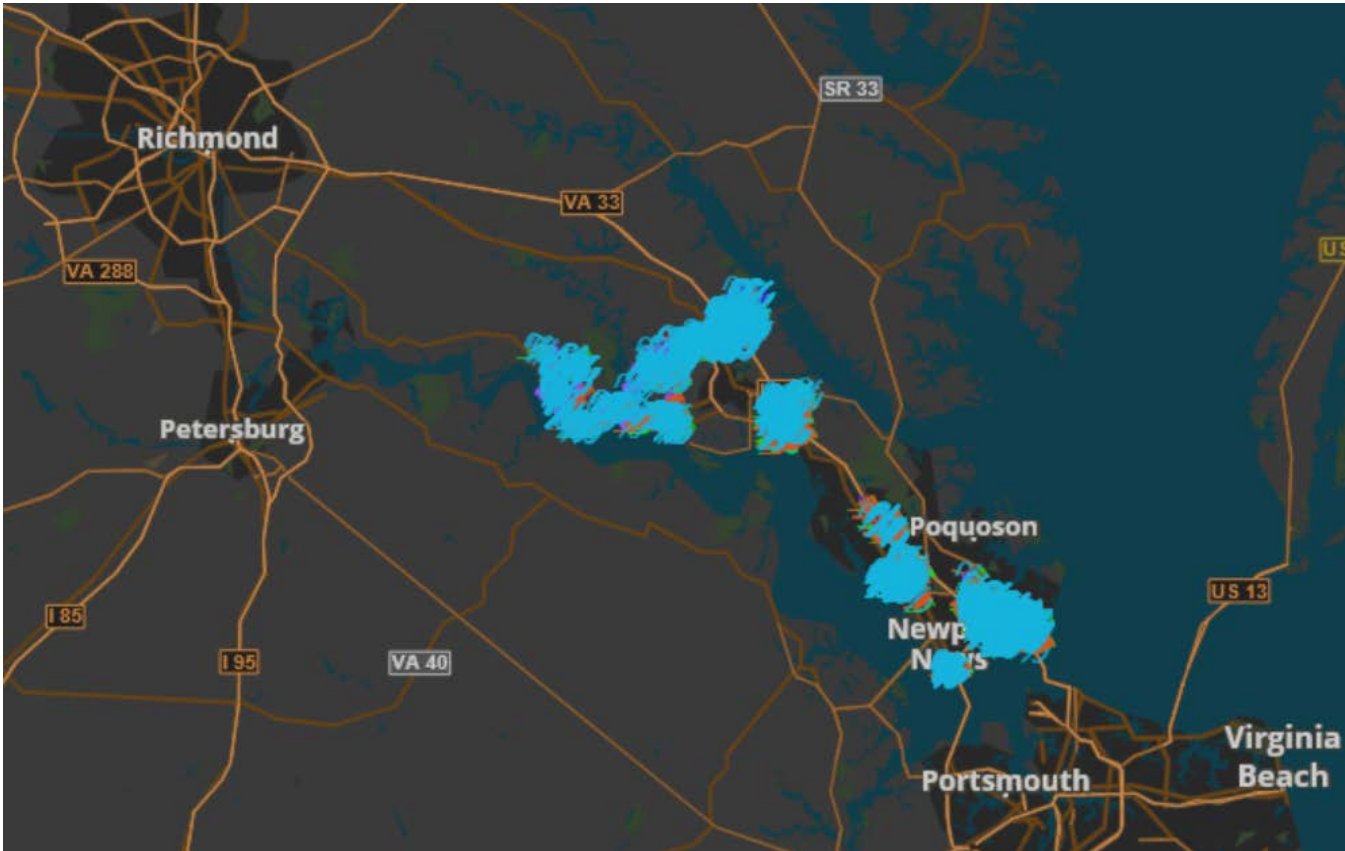
- Adjust SoC probability assumptions
- Adjust charging decision factors



- **Varying model parameters**
 - Range anxiety + charging decisions may be dependent on (imperfect) knowledge of local charging stations and therefore spatially dependent
- **Charging decision uncertainties**
 - Relative importance of co-location of charging and desirable activities?
 - Behavior effects of TOU / price surges at charging stations not well-studied in practice
 - Charging stations' pricing models may not be easy to compare
- **Effects of charging on distribution infrastructure**
 - Spatial availability of electrical capacity for charging may affect nearby business development
- **Modeling growth of EVs**
 - Spatial and built environment differences in adoption



Photo by [Michael Fousert](#) at [Unsplash](#)



- Received 29 distribution feeders throughout Newport News
 - Williamsburg (10), and Peninsula (19)
- Additional 31 distribution feeders throughout Richmond under review
- Final set of 40 feeders will reflect MHDV needs

Factors considered for the final selection of feeders

- Concentrated amount of charging,
- High number of DERs
- Proximity to important infrastructure
- High-traffic areas
- Wide spread for the peak loads, rates, PEVs, and population

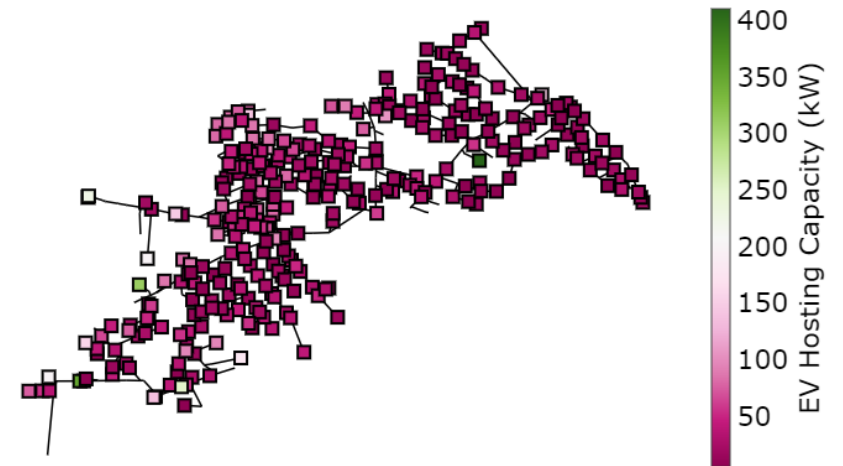
Assess grid capacity to support additional EV charging loads

Nodal Hosting capacity is assessed and determined by

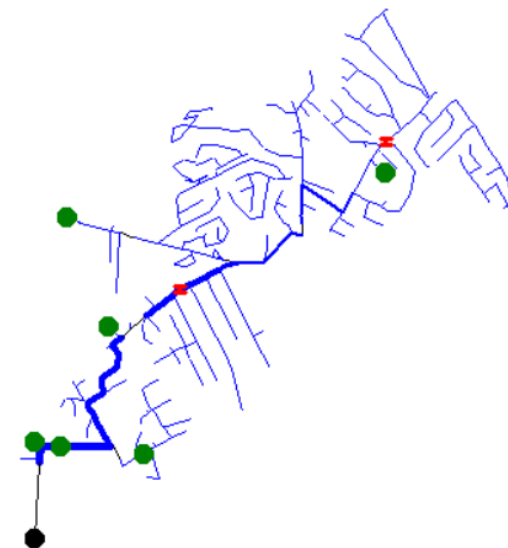
- Thermal violations
 - Typically due to [transformer or conductor capacity](#)
 - Violations occur beyond 100% rated capacity
- Voltage violations
 - Service voltage is outside desired range
 - Violations occur below 0.95 p.u. or above 1.05 p.u.

Next Steps

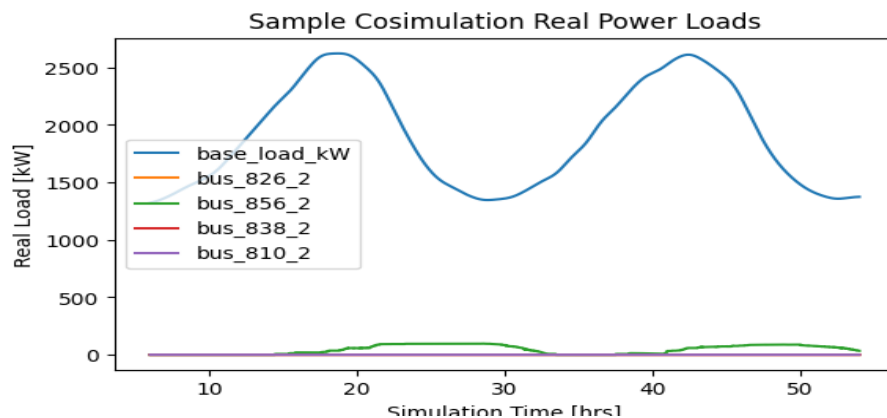
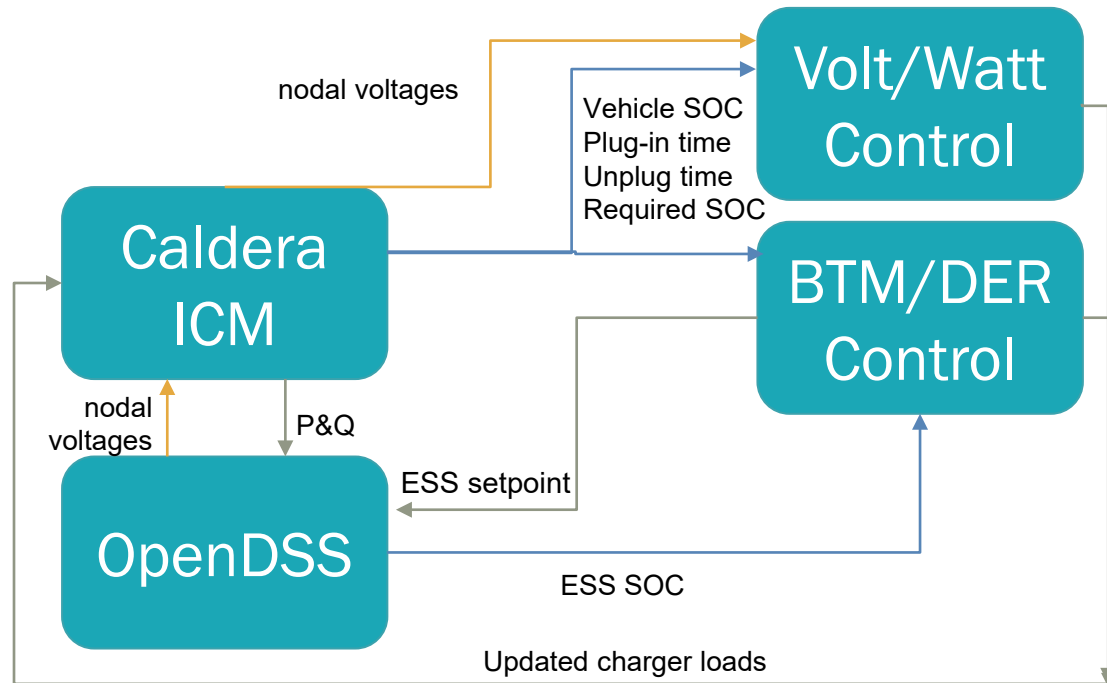
- EV Charging Co-Simulation
 - [Uncontrolled and controlled charging simulations](#)
 - Assessment of thermal and voltage violations with and without SCM solutions



EV Hosting capacity range between 5 kW to 400 kW



Nodes with comparatively higher hosting capacity



Steps Completed

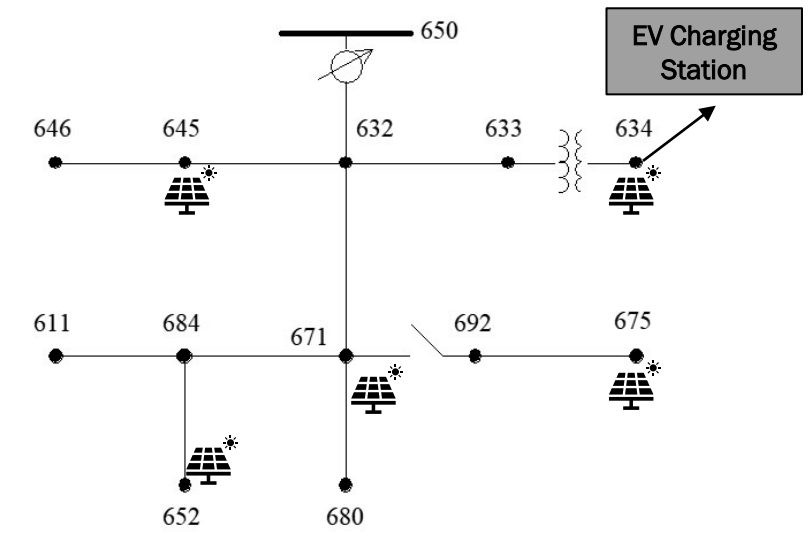
- Co-Simulation Connections Established
 - Multi-day co-simulation tested
 - 1, 5, and 15-minute timesteps used for different blocks
- Script for format conversion of travel data to compatible Caldera input format created

Next steps

- Integrate Real OpenDSS feeders
- Integrate updated travel events
- Tune BTM/DER Control
- Scale cosimulation to support full Dominion territory analyzed

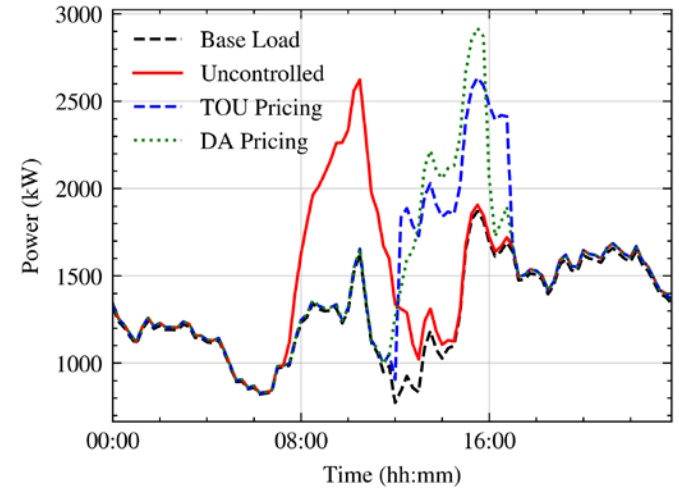
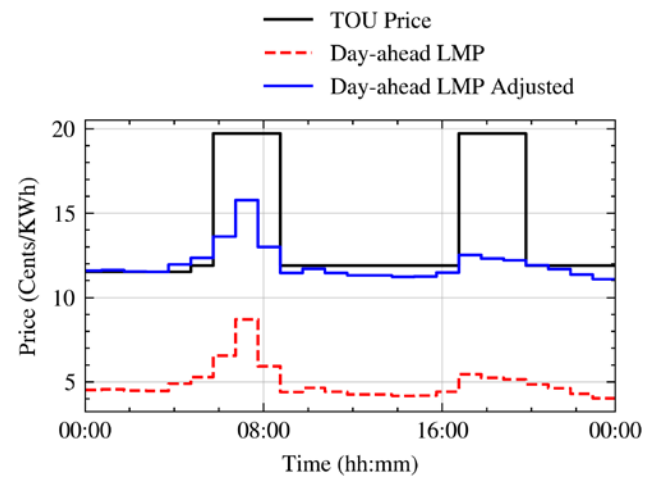
Day-Ahead Pricing based SCM

- **SCM objective:** Meet the energy needs of EVs prior departure and minimize the total charging cost under the time-of-use (TOU) and Day-ahead Pricing scheme.
- The day-ahead pricing signal is updated daily to **more accurately reflect short-term power supply** and demand conditions compared to the seasonal variated time-of-use (TOU) scheme. The fleet and charging station operator can utilize this price variation to decrease operational costs.
- The day-ahead price is determined by the day-ahead LMP of PJM. The value is adjusted to be equal to the average values of TOU. The customers are billed on the **real-time hourly LMP price**, not the day-ahead market price.

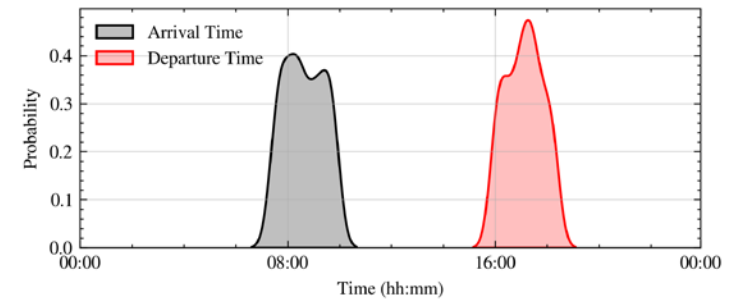


Case setup:

- 100 EVs with different arrival and departure time.
- Each EV has a random initial SOC (20%-60%).
- EV battery size: 60 KWh.
- Maximum charging power: 9.6 KW.
- Total PV installment capacity: 1000 KW.



TOU (Uncontrolled)	TOU (Smart Charging)	Day-ahead LMP	Real-time LMP
480.59\$	432.37\$	409.86\$	390.96\$



Steps Completed:

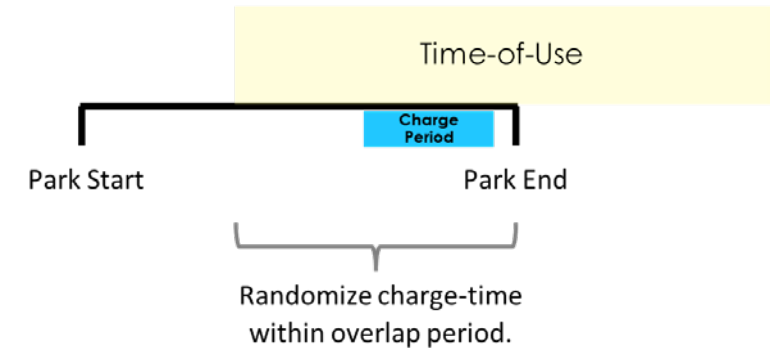
- Implemented the [solar-based renewable following](#) controls in Caldera Grid co-simulation environment.
- Modeled the controls on LD Home, Work and Destination charging in El Paso Electric service territory and Vermont state.

Next Steps:

- Implement a [wind-based renewable following](#) control in Caldera Grid co-sim environment.
- Develop vocation-specific control strategy for MD/HD short dwell vocations.
- Study region-specific scenarios with vocation-specific control strategies.

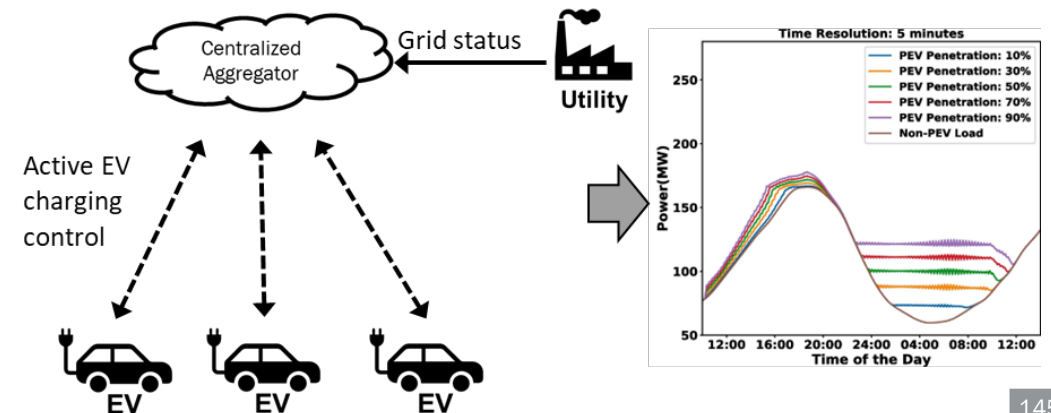
Solar TOU-Random:

EVs prefer to randomly distribute charging in the TOU window during solar duration.



Solar Centralized Aggregator:

Centralized strategy shifts EV charging based on grid conditions and solar objectives within vehicle dwell to minimize feeder peak



Broad regional analysis

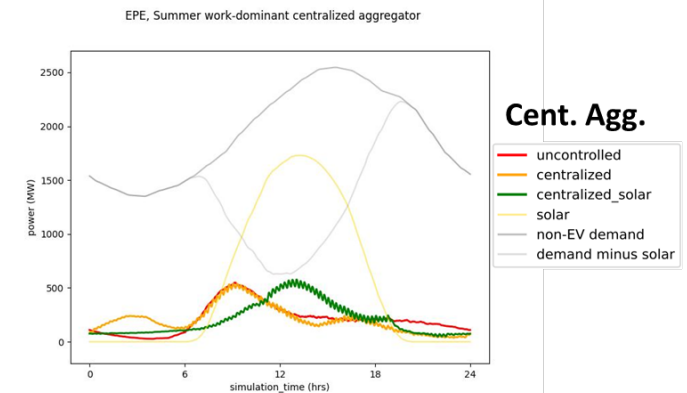
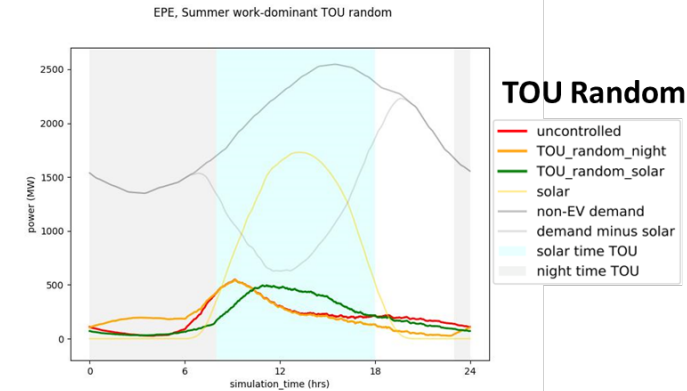
Analyze EV charging across a range of geographic and seasonal conditions.

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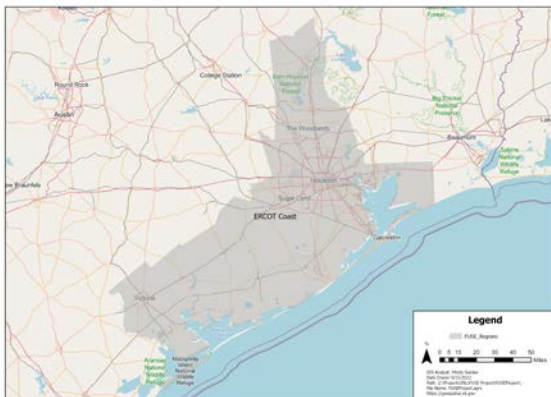
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- Evaluated solar following SCM controls in [El Paso](#) and [Vermont](#).

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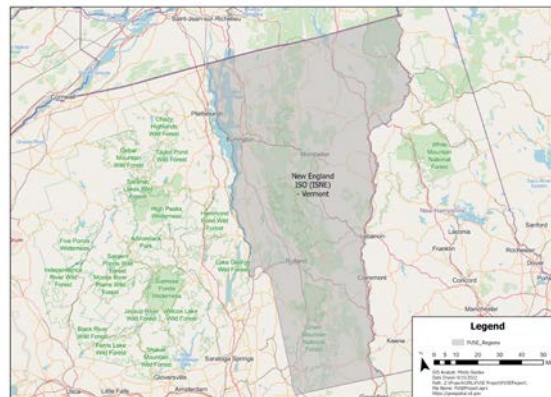
- [EV charging analysis in other regions](#) with renewable mix characteristics and transportation mix characteristics.
- Extend solar following control to include wind.
- Evaluate vocation specific SCM controls across different scenarios.



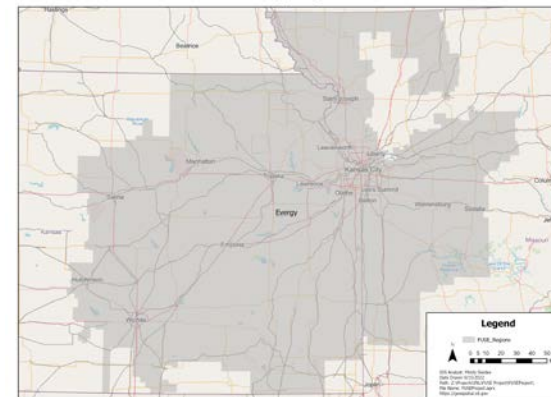
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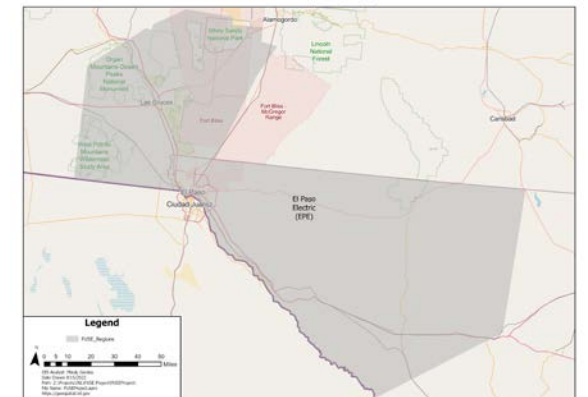
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Energy Region



El Paso Electric (EPE) Region





Thank You

Join us for the
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Thursday October 26th
Additional Details to Follow



Breaktime!

Panel presentations resume at...



LION ELECTRIC

What is V2G?



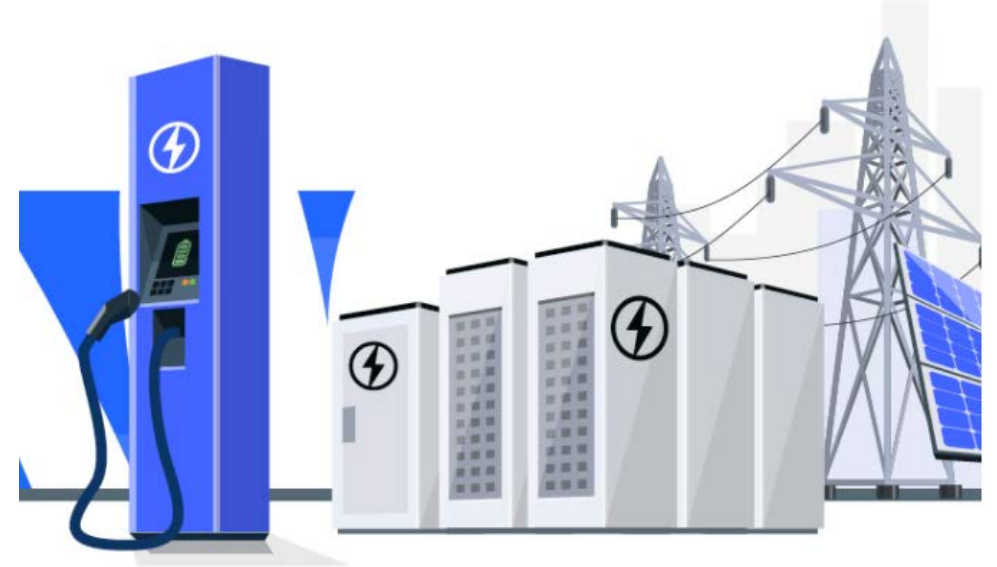
AC PROPULSION
ELECTRIC VEHICLE TECHNOLOGIES



What is V2G?



- Vehicle-to-grid (V2G/V2X) is smart, bidirectional charging technology that draws unused power from the electric vehicle back onto the power grids.
- Provides vehicle owners with a source of revenue from the energy being sold back to the grid.
- To enable V2G, charging stations must be equipped with software that communicates to the central grid to perform demand response.
- Bidirectional charging enables the battery capacity of the EV to be used 10x more efficiently than unidirectional smart charging.



What is V2G?



Advantages

- ✓ Expands capacity for renewable energy storage and provides demand response and grid services
- ✓ Reduces costs and price volatility through energy arbitrage and frequency response
- ✓ Eases strain on the energy grid by making the power distribution more efficient
- ✓ Provides reliable power source during times of peak demand & extreme weather

Challenges

- ✓ Grid not designed for bidirectional power flow, will need to adopt communication standards, grid interconnection standards etc.
- ✓ Limited to DC chargers, no inverter for AC at this point in time
- ✓ No consistent set of regulations for vehicle-grid integration

V2G at Lion Energy



- Currently, Lion is running 4 V2G projects, with 3 in the United States (Florida, California and New York) and 1 in Canada (PEI)
- The primary bus model used for V2G deployment is the LionC (avg 44 KW discharge), but can be used with any of our models.
- We work with established market players that provide chargers and V2G software, who boast known and reputable brands with sufficient experience and knowledge



Past pilot projects in the U.S.



White Plains New York

- Partnership between White Plains School District in New York state, Lion, Nuuve and National Express
- Project spanned from 2018 to 2021 to test the functionality of V2G in providing peak shavings to grid (demand response)
- Tested the charging and discharging of 5 Lion school buses
- Con Edison successfully transmitted energy from the electric school buses in White Plains back into the grid & distributed to customers

Current pilot projects in the U.S.



Cajon Valley Union School District

- 5-year collaboration between SDG&E, the Cajon Valley Union School District (CVUSD), Nuuve
- 8 school buses that connect to 60KW bidirectional DC fast chargers
- Reduce costs due to cheaper rate of electricity vs fuel as well as lower maintenance
- Participating in California's SDG&E's Emergency Load Reduction Program (ELRP) which generates revenue of up to \$2/kWh

Florida Power & Light

- 10-year collaboration between the City of West Palm Beach Parks & Recreation Department and Florida Power & Light
- 5 school buses that connect to 60 KW bidirectional DC fast chargers
- FPL will own and maintain the charging stations and batteries, while the city will own the buses

Current pilot project in Canada



North Rustico, Prince Edward Island

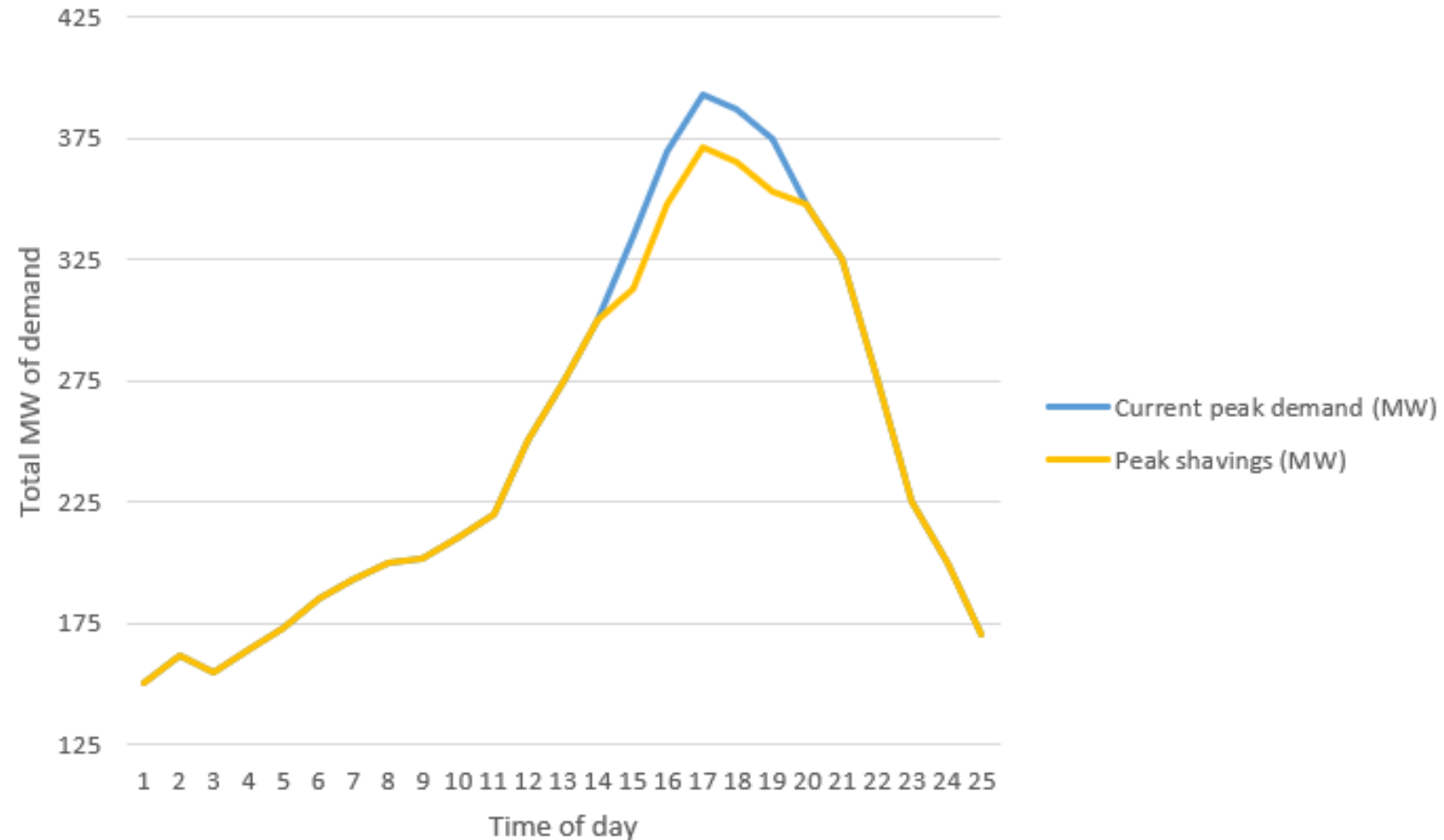
- First project in Canada to test electric school buses as mobile emergency batteries
- Province has total of 82 LionC electric buses which can be used as emergency energy source for community disaster relief
- Buses will store renewable energy from P.E.I.'s wind and solar generation resources during periods of low demand (i.e. overnight)
- Project will contribute significantly to P.E.I.'s target of achieving net zero by 2040

P.E.I. potential V2G demand curve



Note that the current generation of the LionC can output 44kW onto the grid. However, newer iterations will have higher outputs. This graph represents the potential demand curve with the utilization of V2G for 500 LionC buses.

Potential Demand Curve with 500 buses



The
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move

VGI approaches: *cater for client*

Harald W. Scholz and Federico Ferretti
European Commission - Joint Research Centre

EVs@Scale Semiannual Meeting, Sept 27th, 2023

JRC sites

Headquarters in **Brussels**
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- Belgium (Geel)
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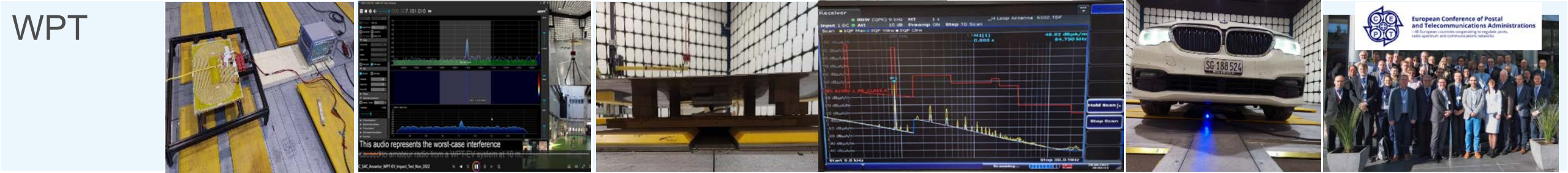


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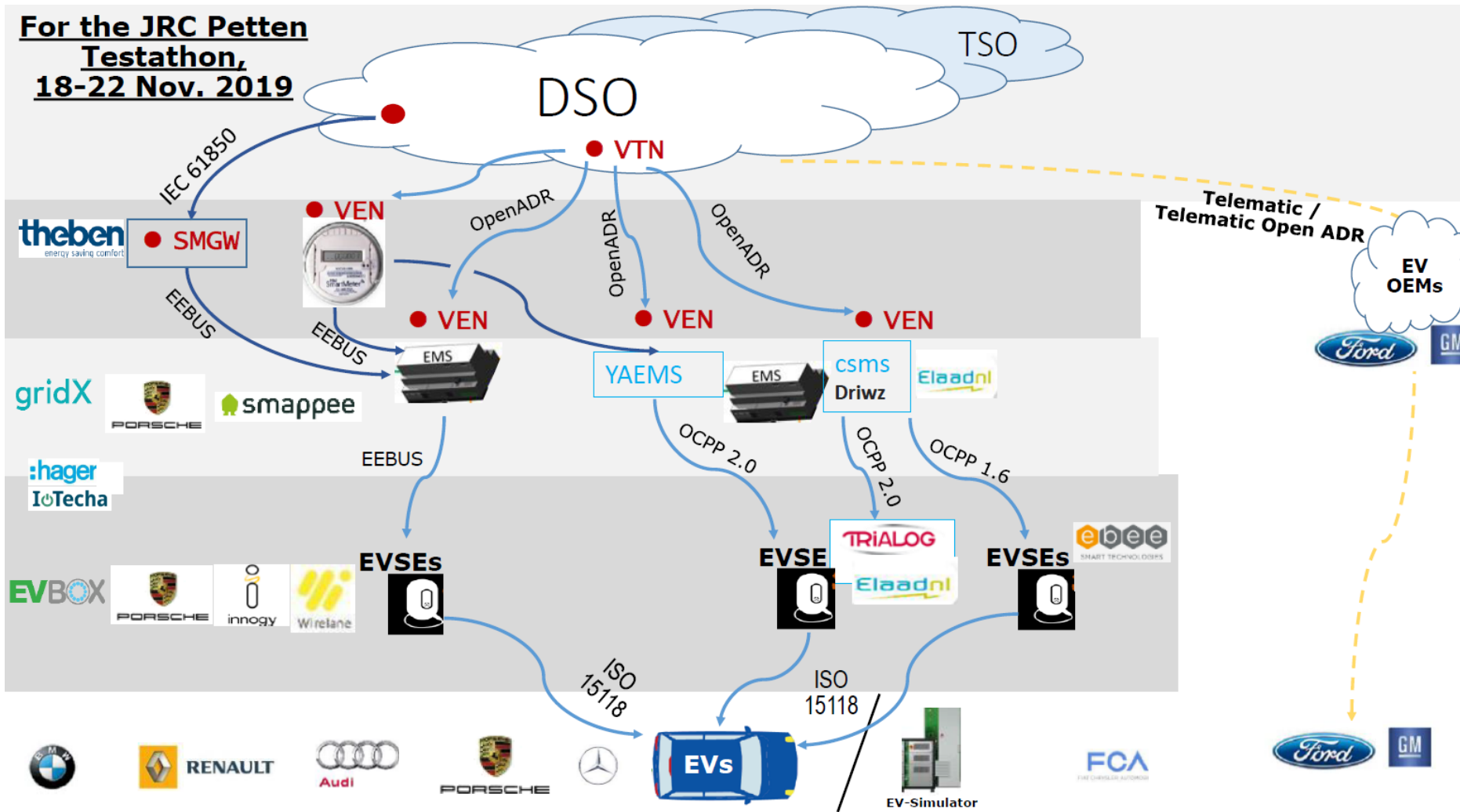
European Interoperability Centre for EVs, Smart Grids and Smart Homes

We test & study: On	InterOp & Protocols	Cold / Warm Tests -30°C...+50°C	Energy Efficiency (converters / EVs)	EMC: radiated emiss. conducted emiss. Immunity	Smart Charging & VGI	Workplace Charging behavioral items
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EVSEs to Grid						
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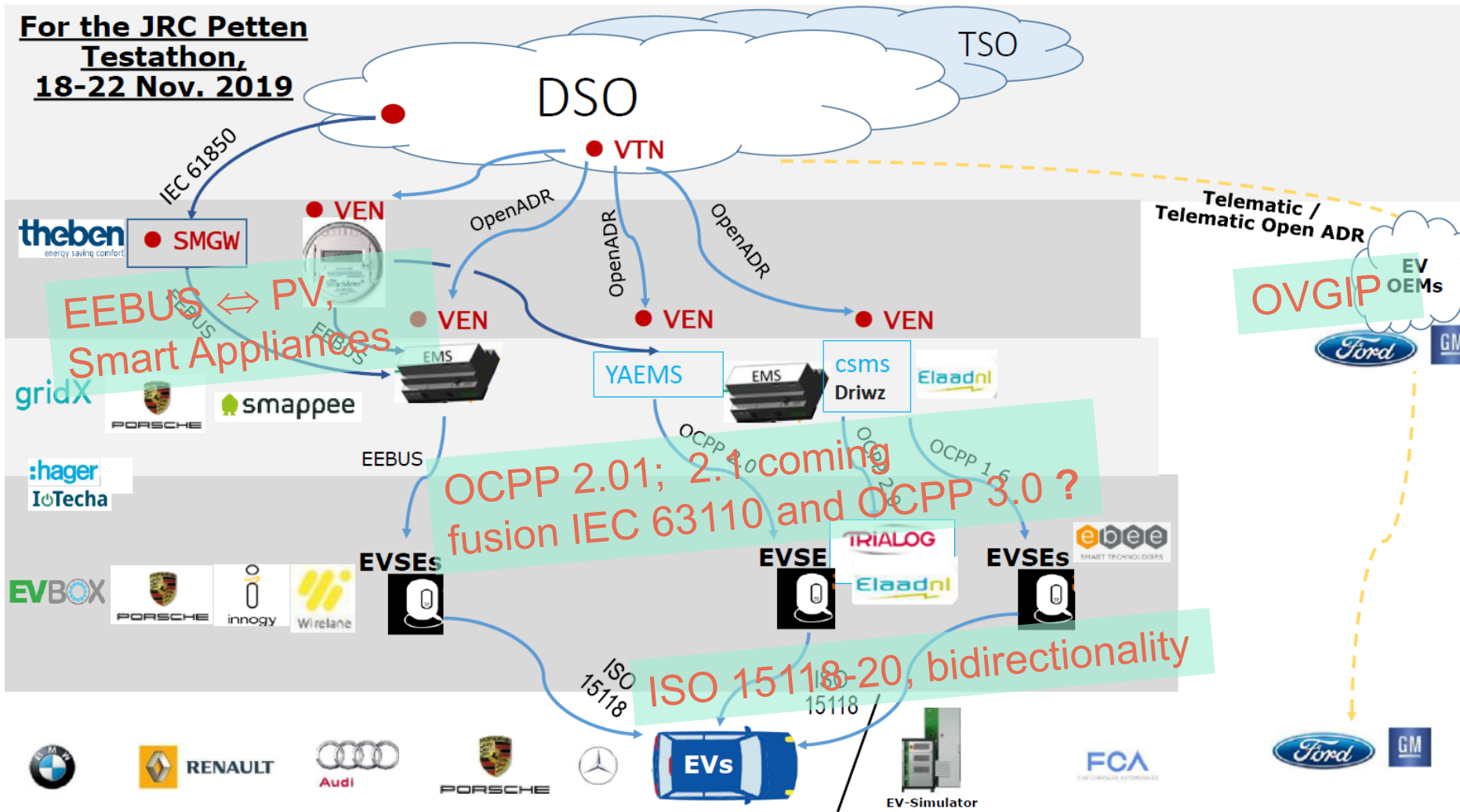
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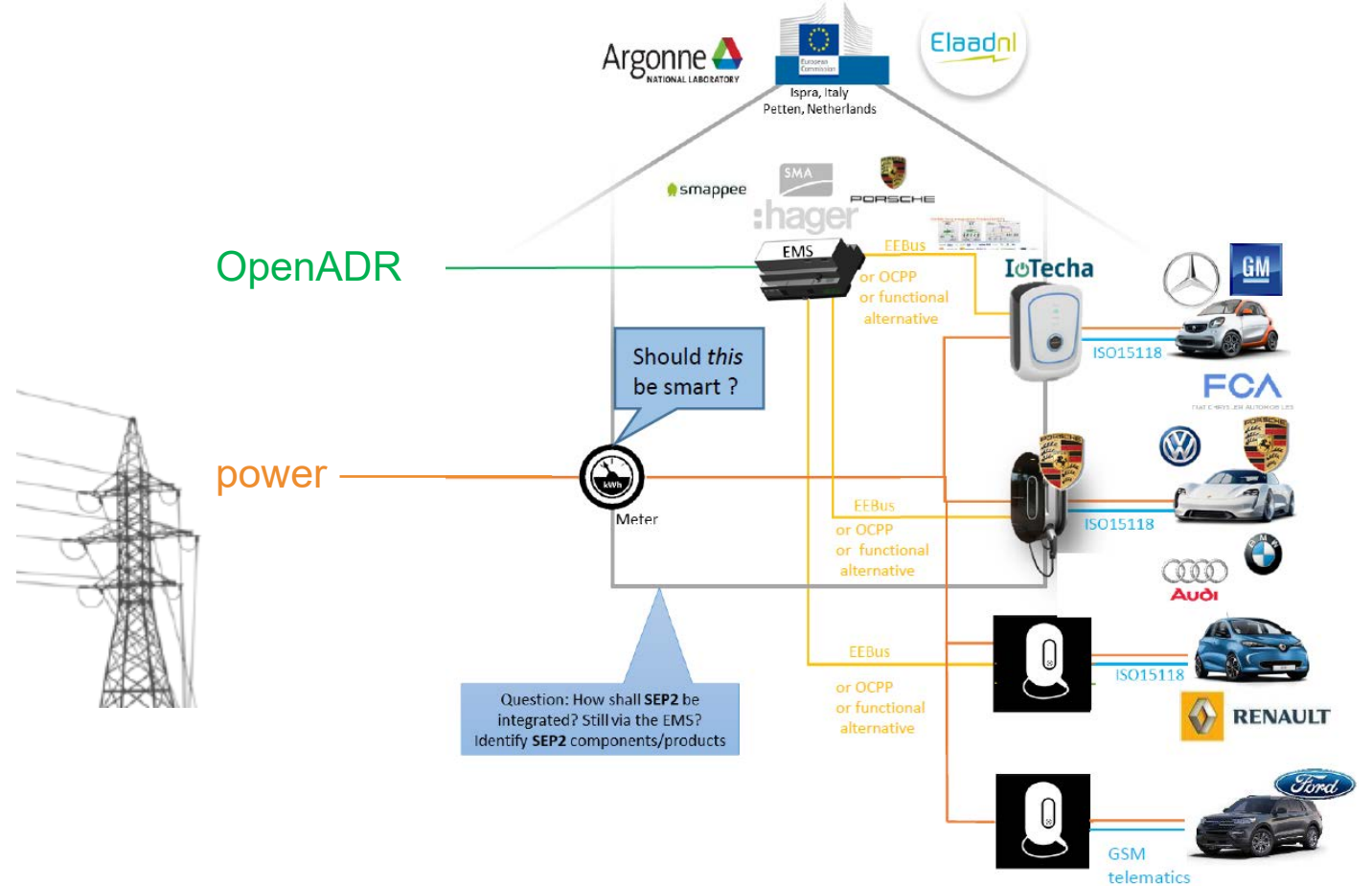


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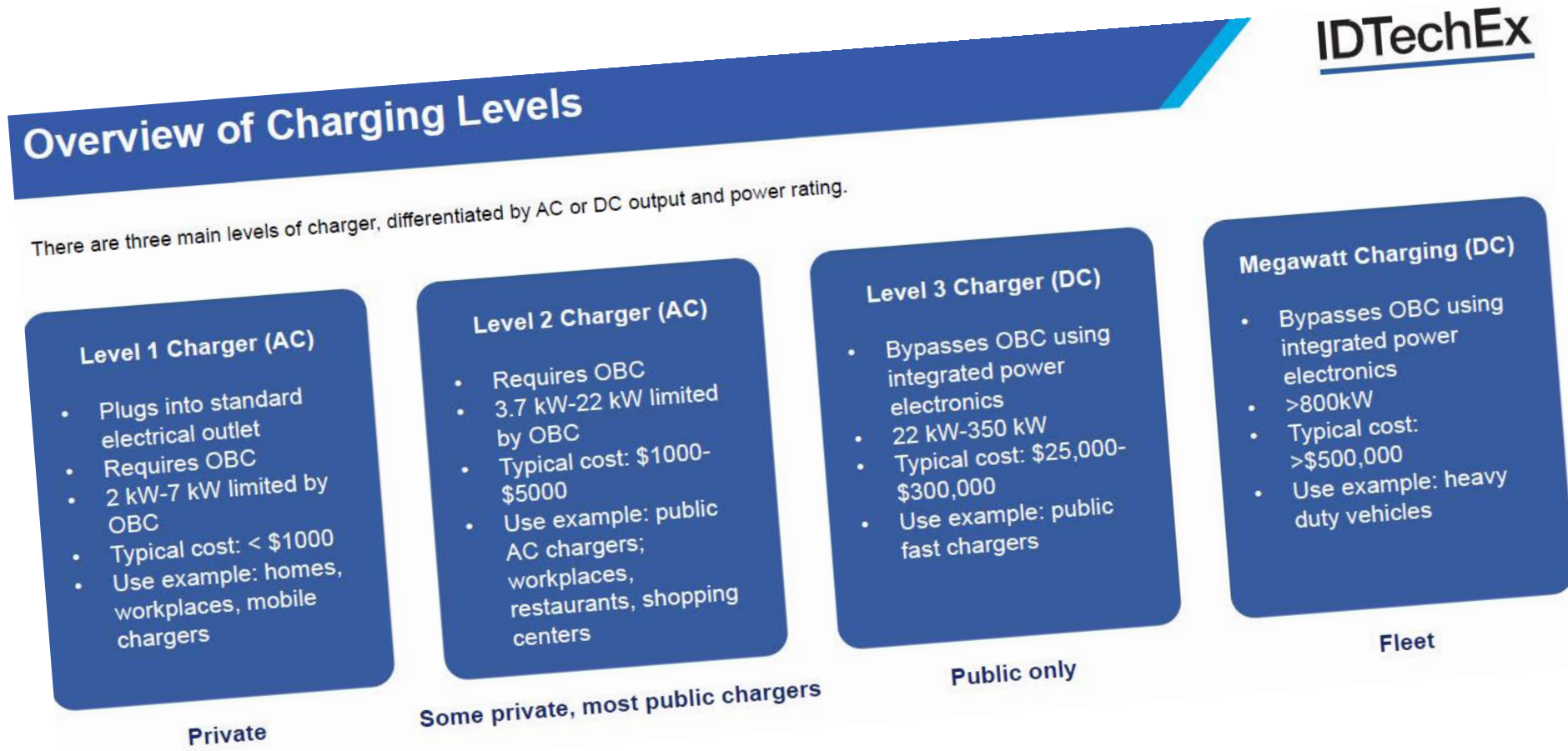
Every commercial interest group develops further its own idea

Maybe we shall have no time for the perfect system



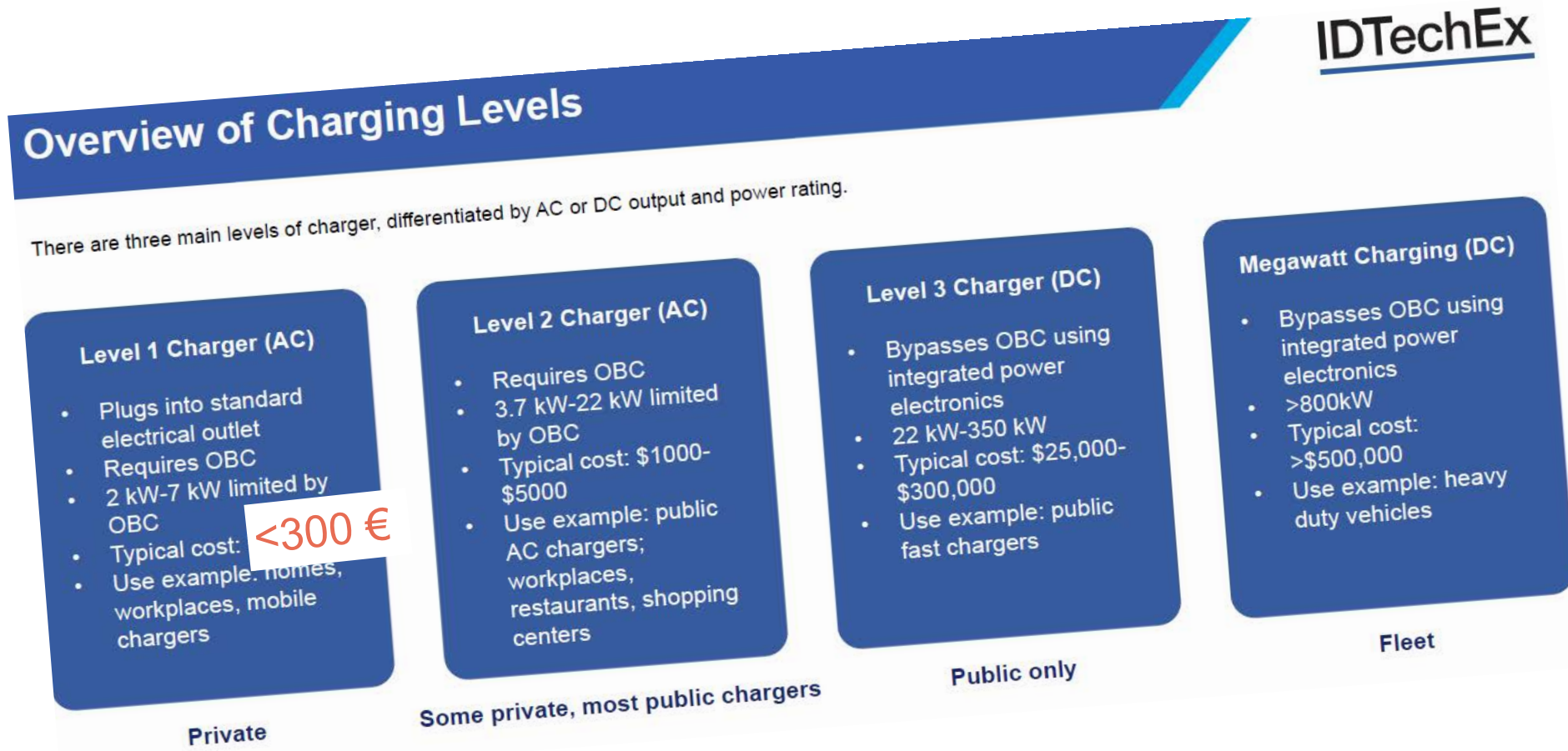
DSM will generate gains where people charge for hours

(Smart) DC is still *same factor* more expensive than AC



low up-front cost AC-EVSEs *will* remain important

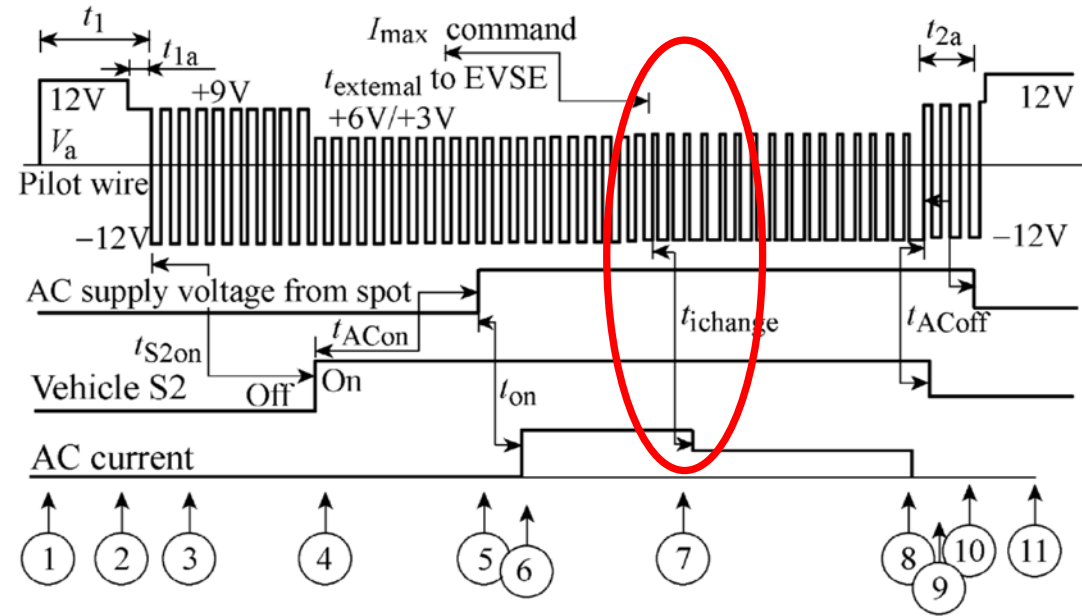
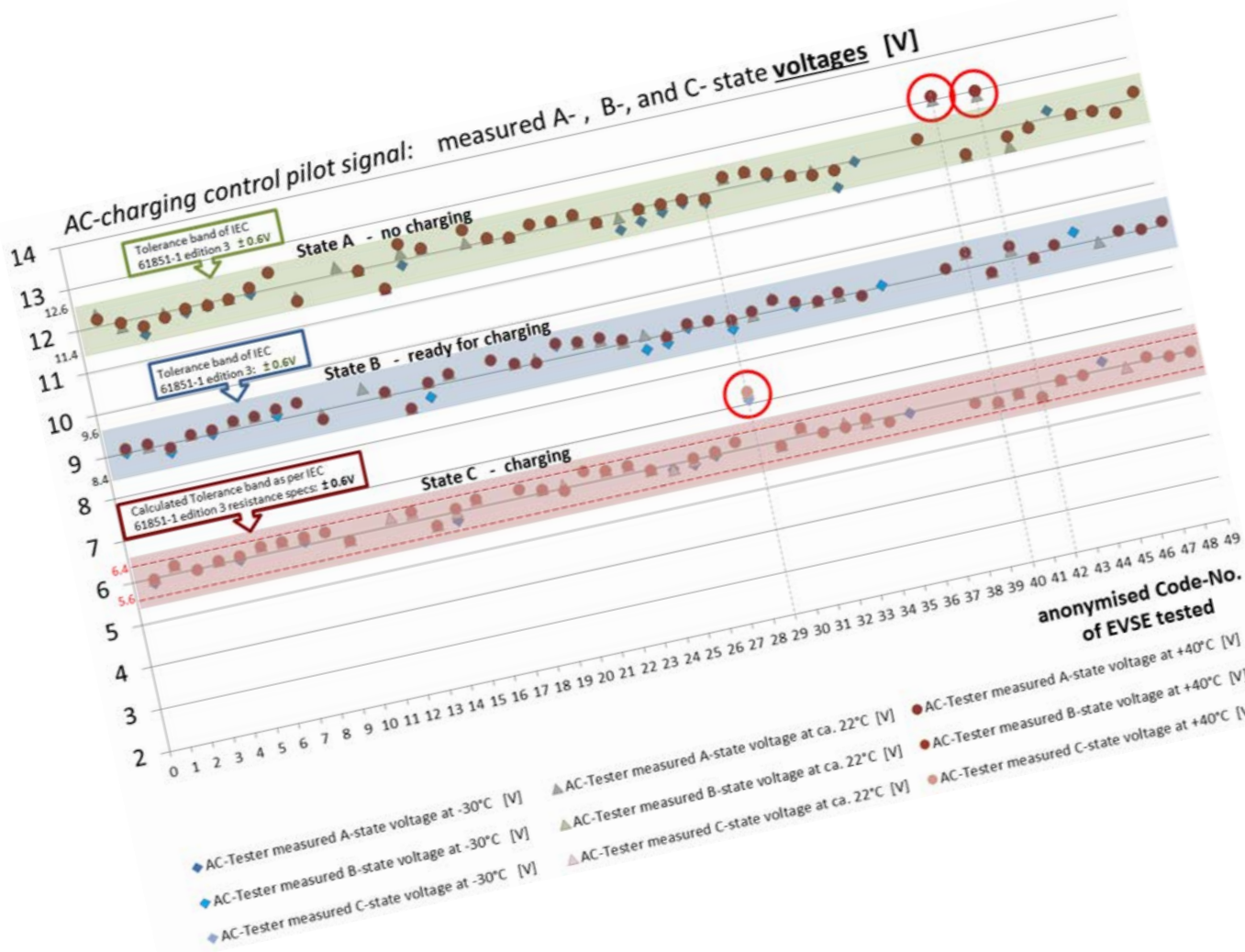
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In our early interop work on AC...

... we were told to not worry about **EV onboard charger “reaction patterns”**

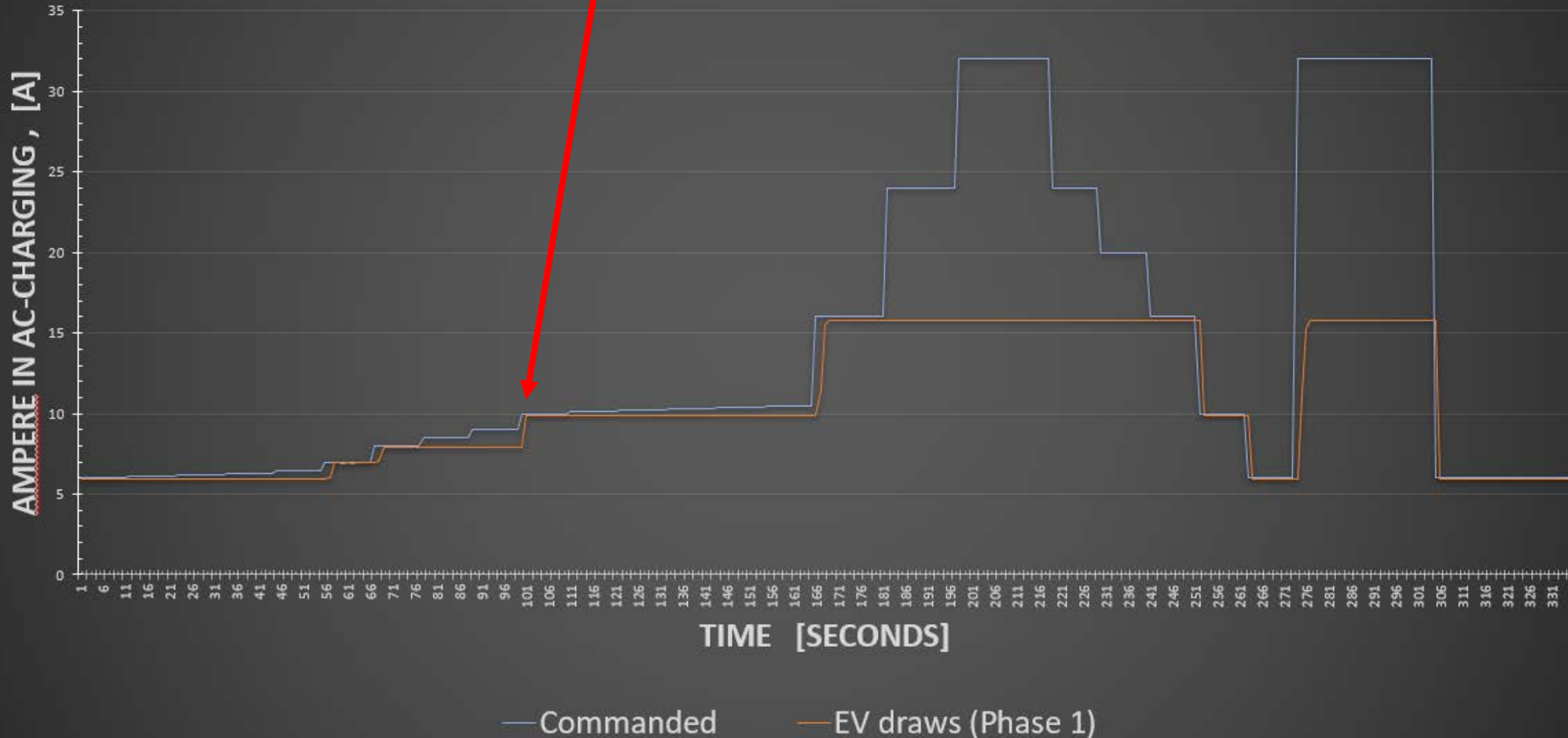


(b) Timing sequence

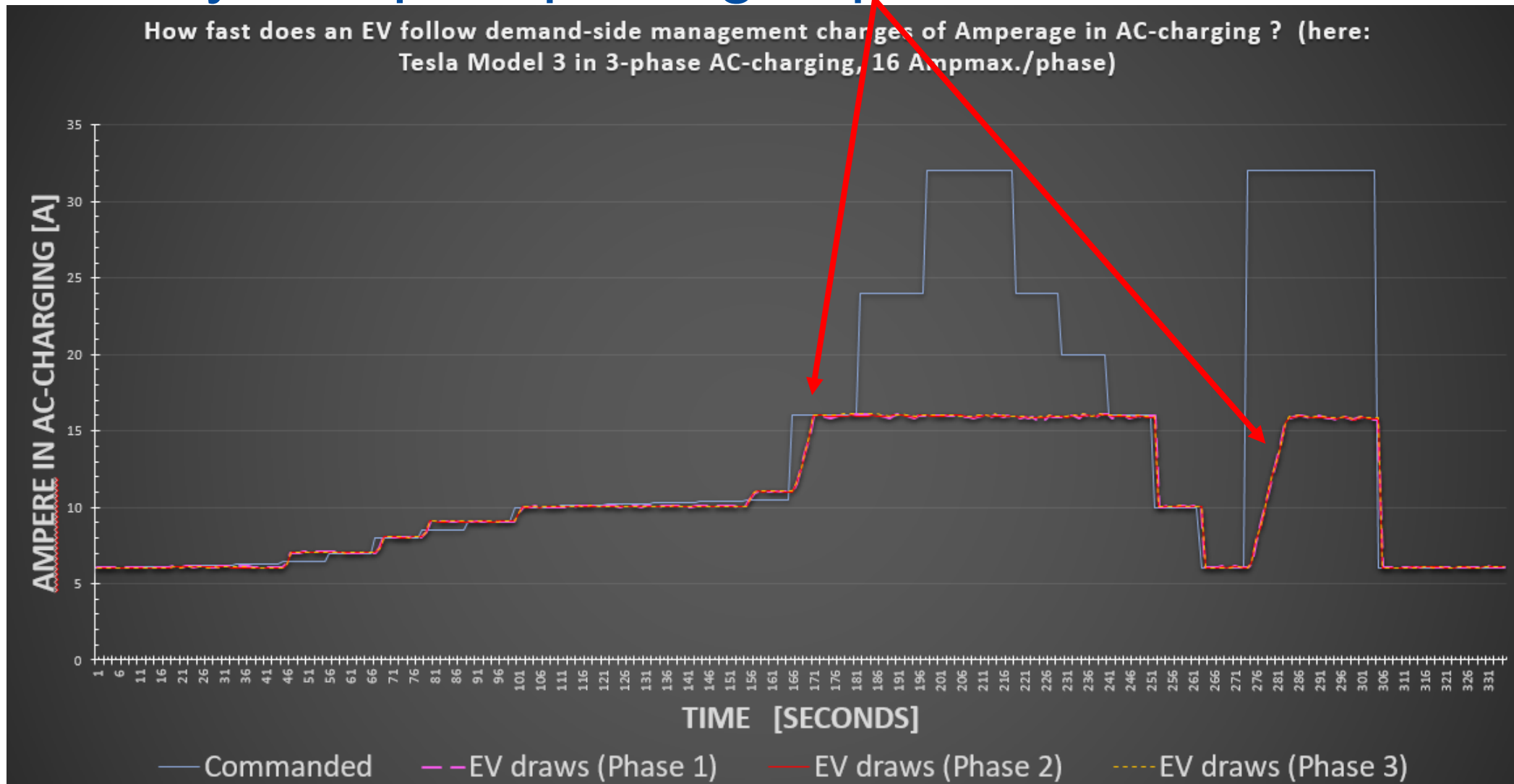
Fig.3 Control function of EVSE at different conditions^[16]

namely: Amp-step fixing, up-/down-slew rates, max Amp

How fast does an EV follow demand-side management changes of Amperage in AC-charging ? (here: VW eUp in monophase AC-charging, 16 Amp_{max}/phase)

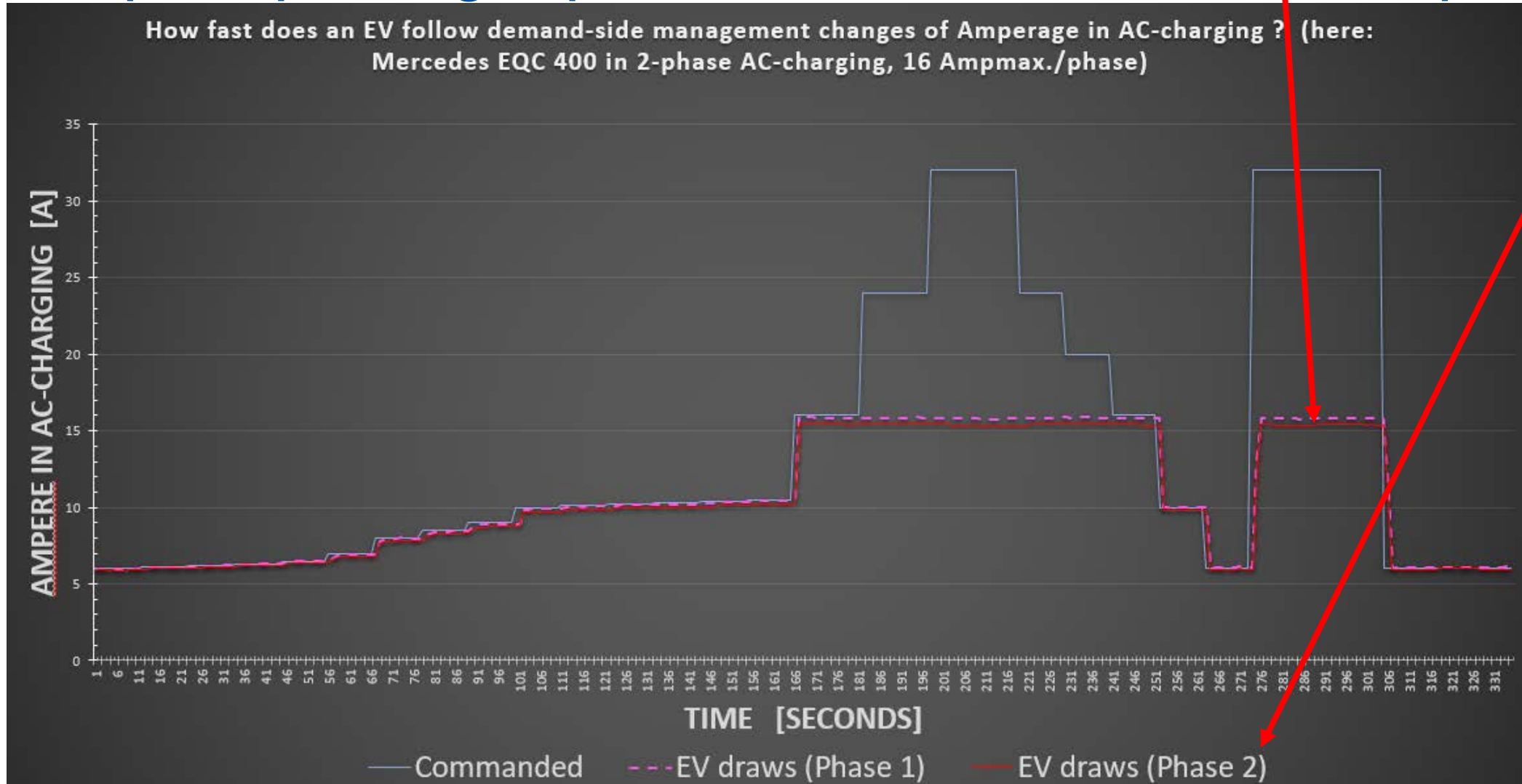


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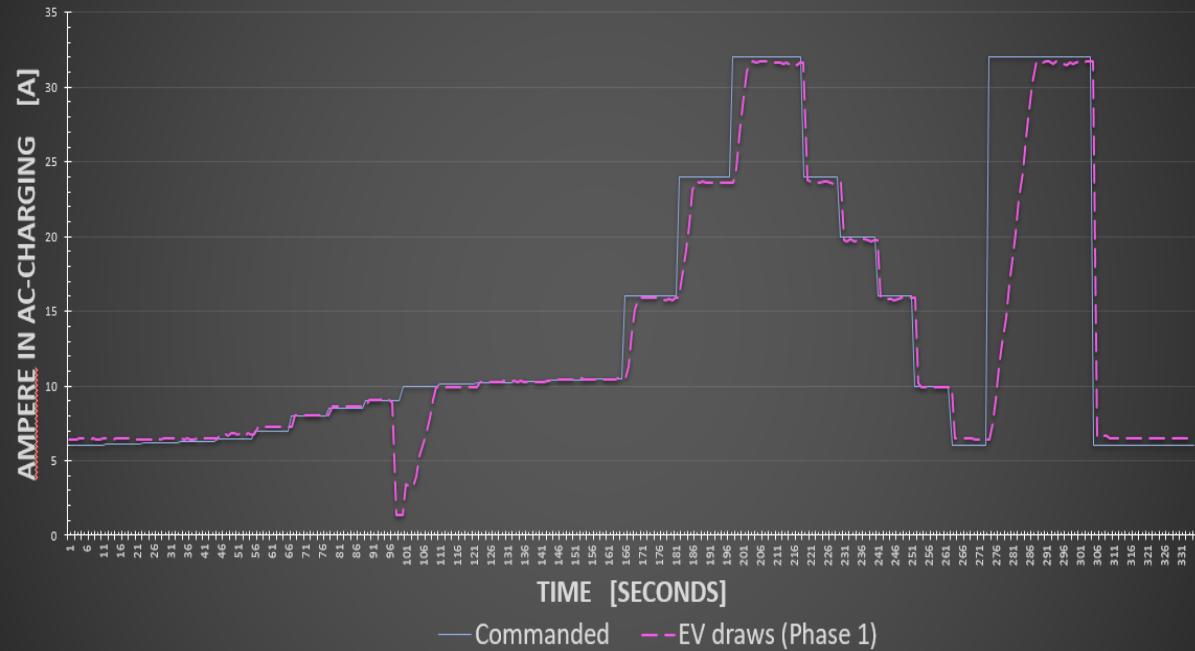
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Amp-step fixing, up-/down-slew rates, max Amp, # phases

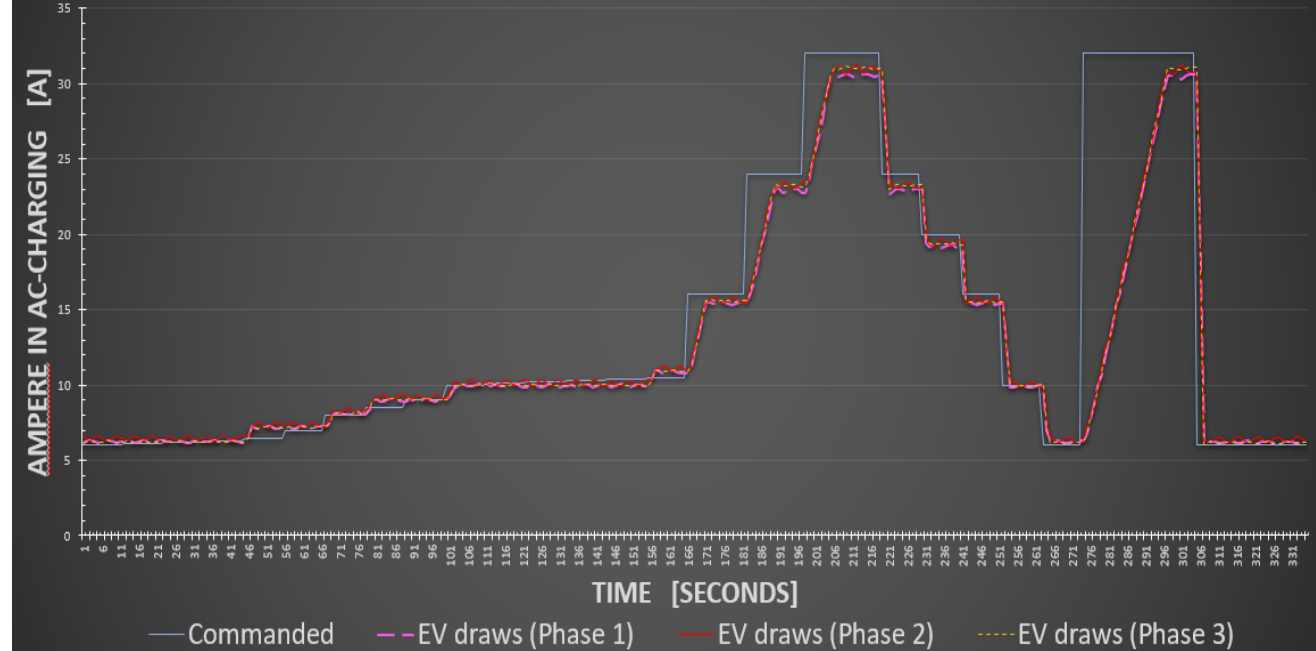


We spooled through *many* different EV-types... and found:

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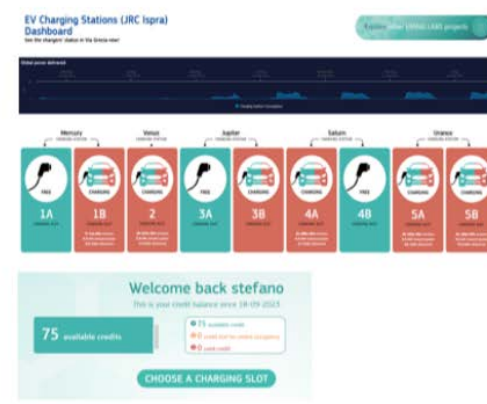
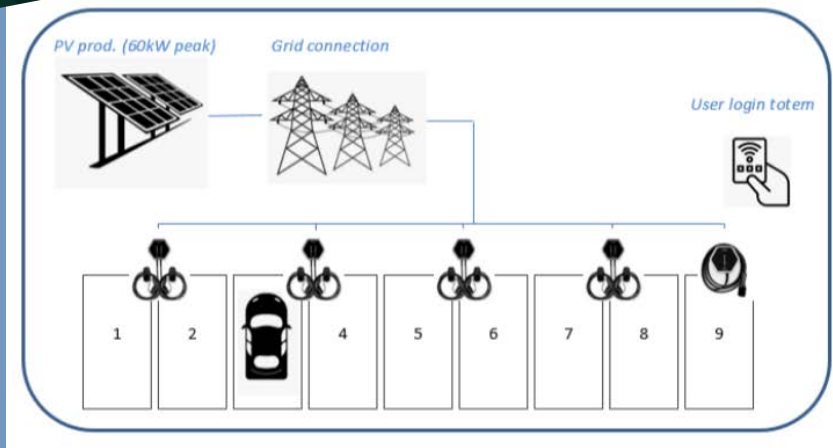
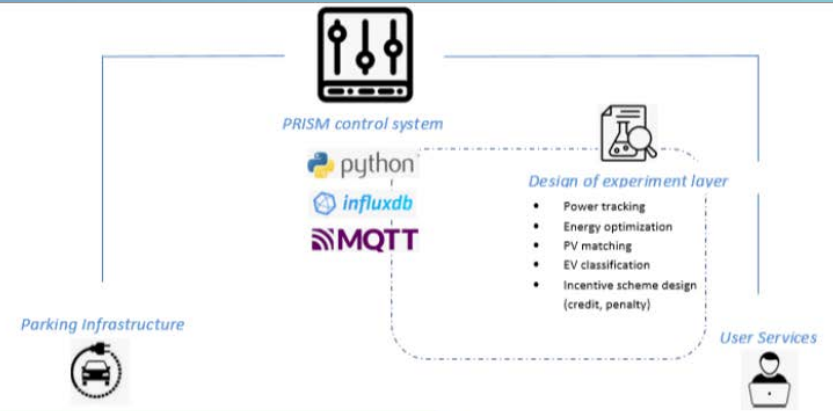


How fast does an EV follow demand-side management changes of Amperage in AC-charging ? (here: Van Prototype in 3-phase AC-charging, 32 Amp_{max}/phase)



⇒ an EV gives its **finger-print** at any variable AC-charge

In JRC, at our small AC staff charge-park...



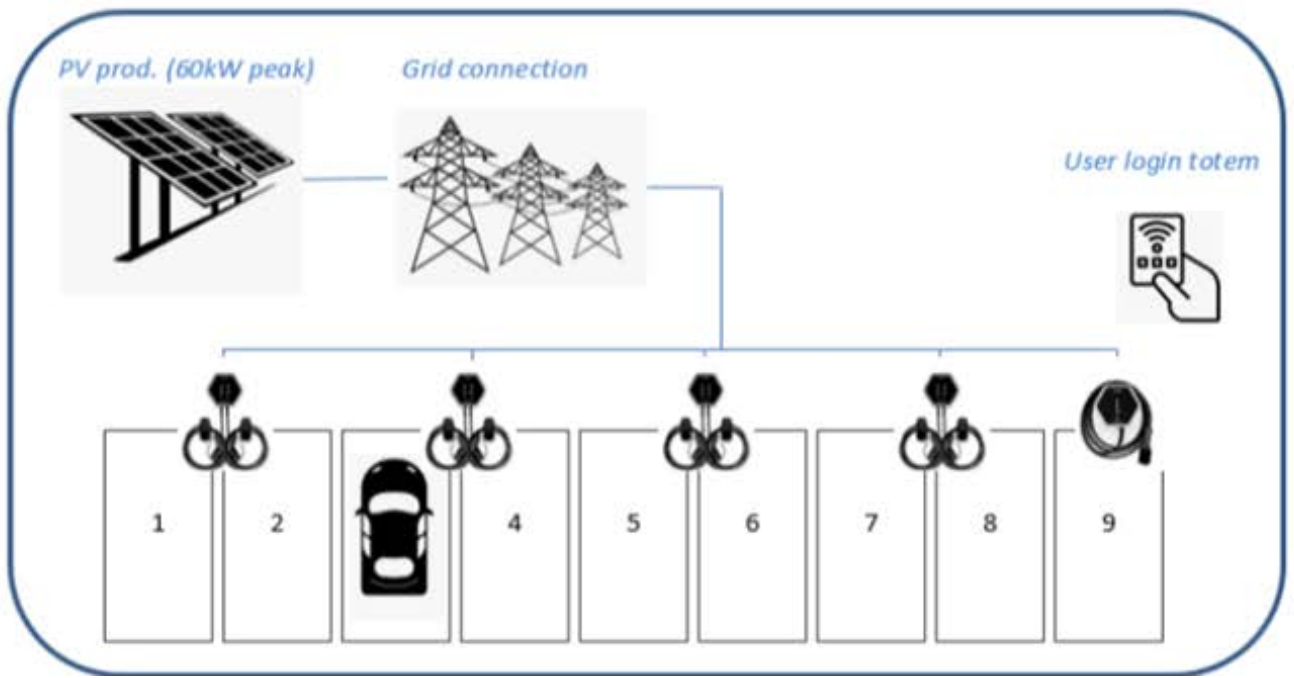
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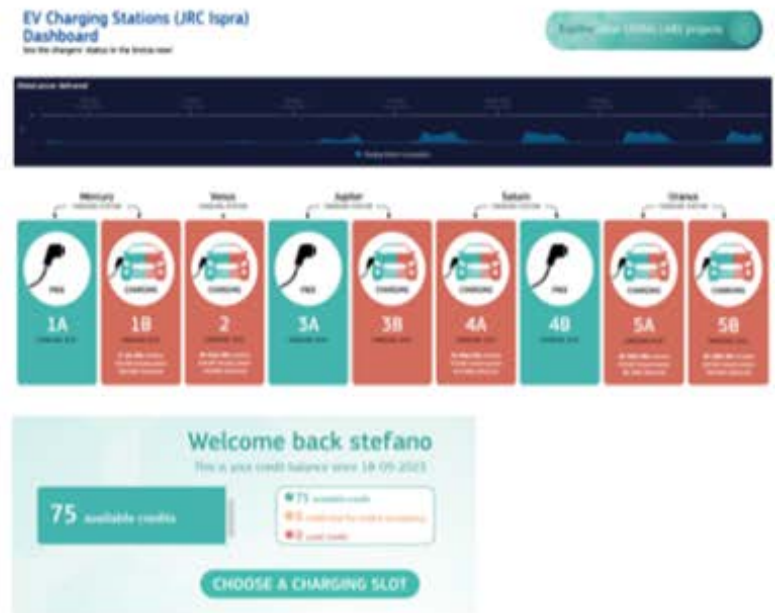
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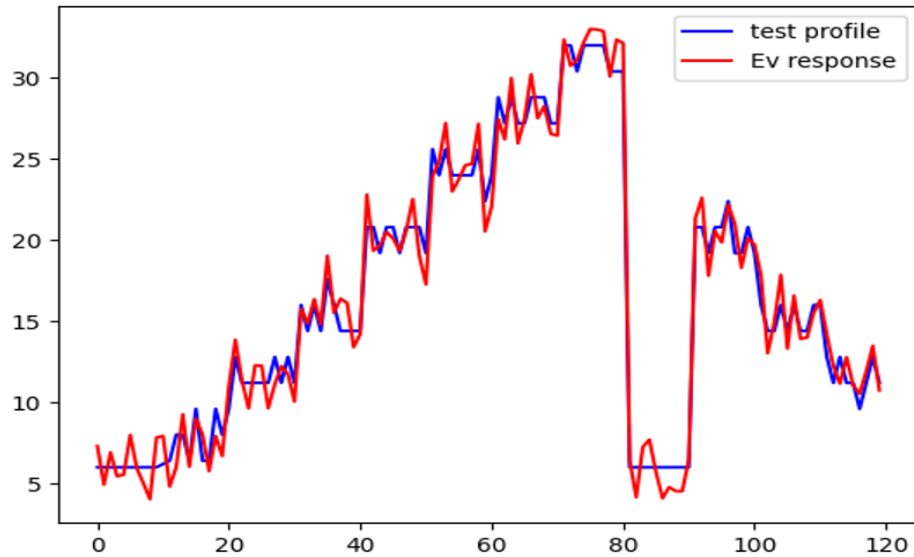
Parking Infrastructure



Experimental strands:
 total / single power tracking
 energy optimization
 PV matching
 EV identification
 Incentive Scheme try-outs
 (credits, penalties...)



Method for EV-type identification without HLC



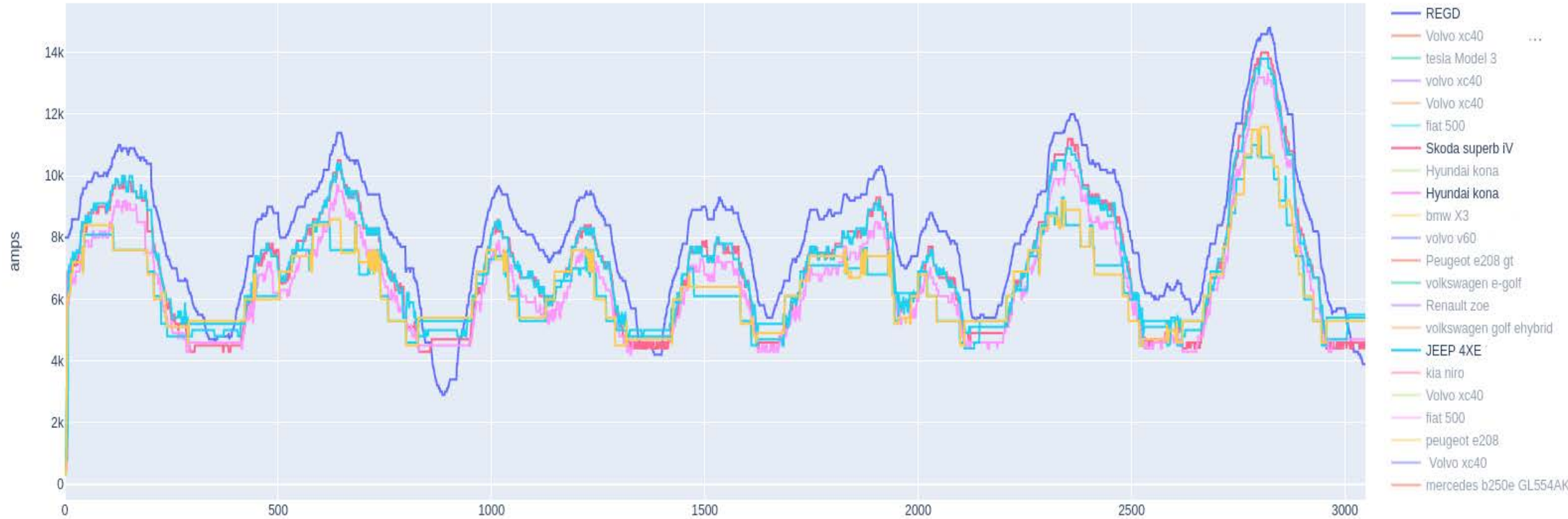
At the charge park, there is only monophase (7.2kW max) available currently. **We apply a test profile of 120 sec at the beginning of every new charging process.**

due to the RFID login, **we** could retrieve, which type of registered car is actually charging.

But we want to find an ***anonymised*** method, applicable at any mall, hospital or other public access place.

Our final goal is clustering & curbing EVs AC-charging to typical utility balancing and freq-stabilization load-profiles, like the REG D curve

(for *really* doing so, our charge park would need to be bigger)

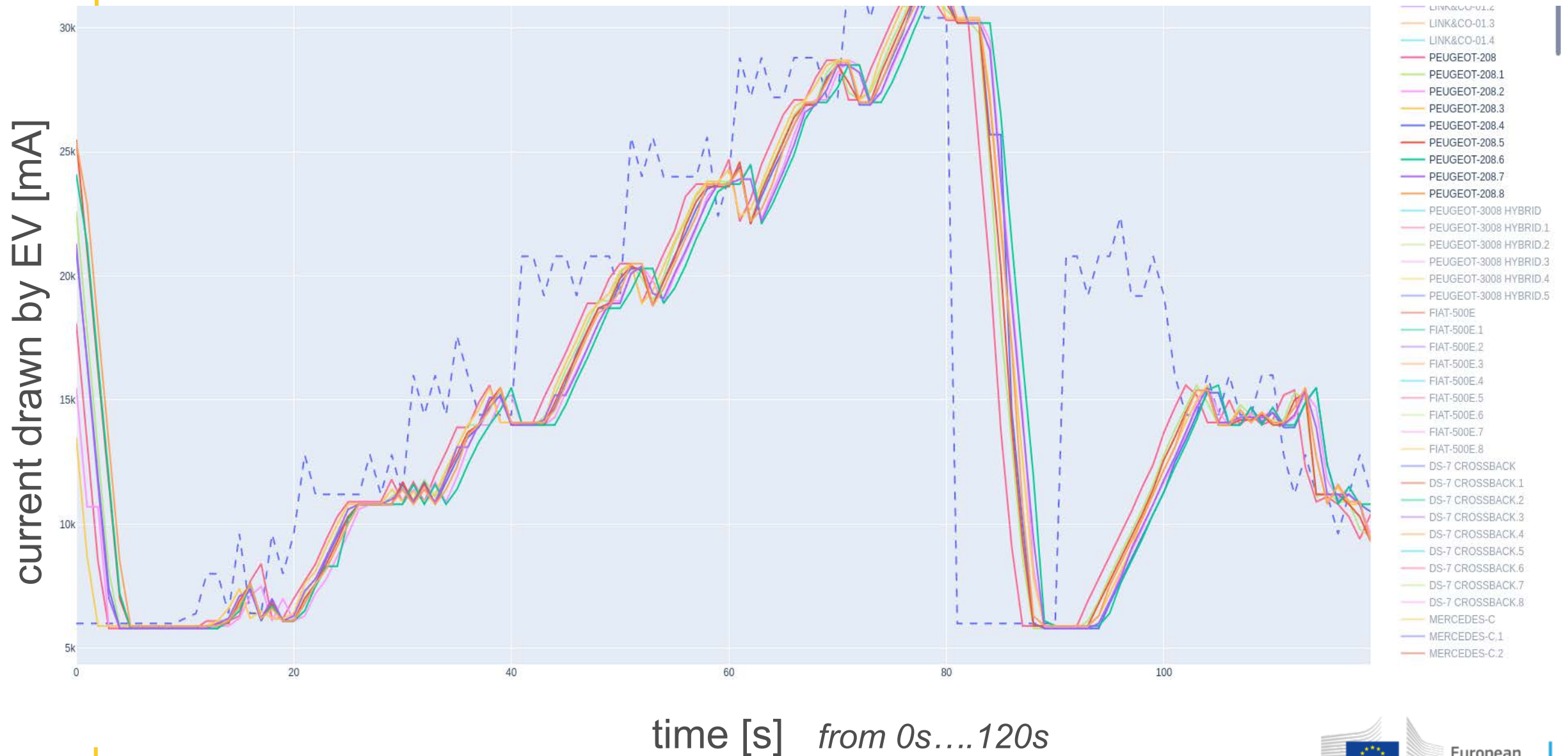


We let **AI** automatically recognise each EV-types “slew and amperage limitation profile”

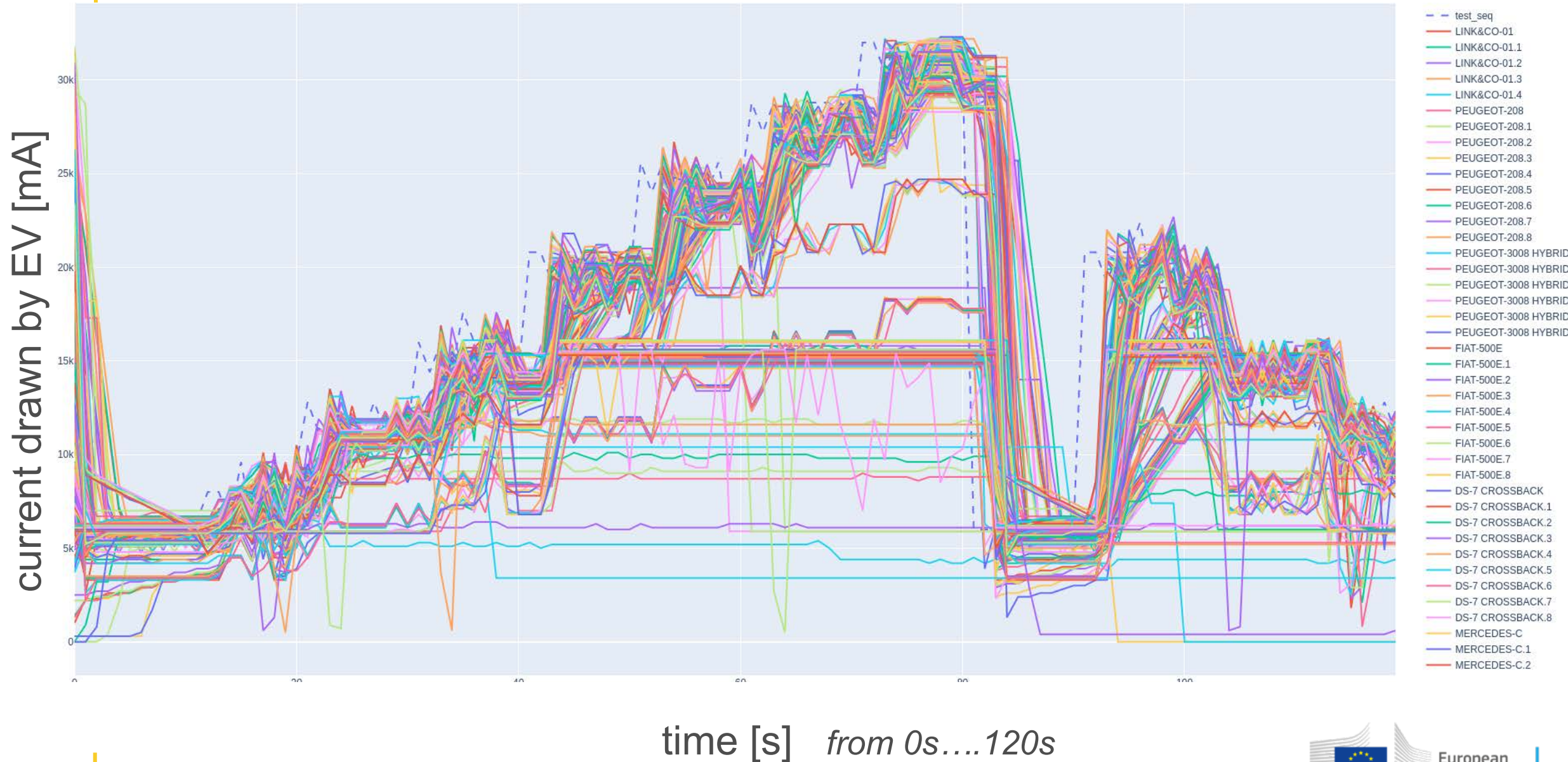
Modelling specifics:

- We sampled 70 EVs (52 different types) 10 times each, leading to a training set of 700. This is divided into 80% **training** and 20% **testing**.
- The machine learning algorithm used is based on a *Random Forest* with 200 estimators, and fed with 200 best features (using Python library *tsfresh* and *Kbest*).
- For informatinal details, pls contact Federico.Ferretti@ec.europa.eu

Harvested fingerprints (1): 6 EVs of the same type



Harvested fingerprints (2): the messy lot... is readable



Results

- We trained an AI system to predict the EV –marks and –models **only** from the EV-drawn current patterns over time. First, we got only 63% recognition rate.

- **By re-iterative learning, we increased it to 78%, with 52 different EV types using the facility at JRC Ispra**

+ Options

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- **One needs to train with more than one car per type**

Conclusions from 2 min “finger-printing”:

- *An AC Plaza can distill from its “momentary client cohort” not yet SoC, but EV-types and thus individual power-envelope metrics*
- *At minimum added hardware cost, 1..3 phase AC-charging could be roughly DS-managed, in a fair and anonymous way*
- *This could support to follow flexibility curves especially in big multi-hour work- and home-charging cohorts*

Thank you and keep in touch: Harald.Scholz@ec.europa.eu






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Electric Cooperatives

Smart Charging Management

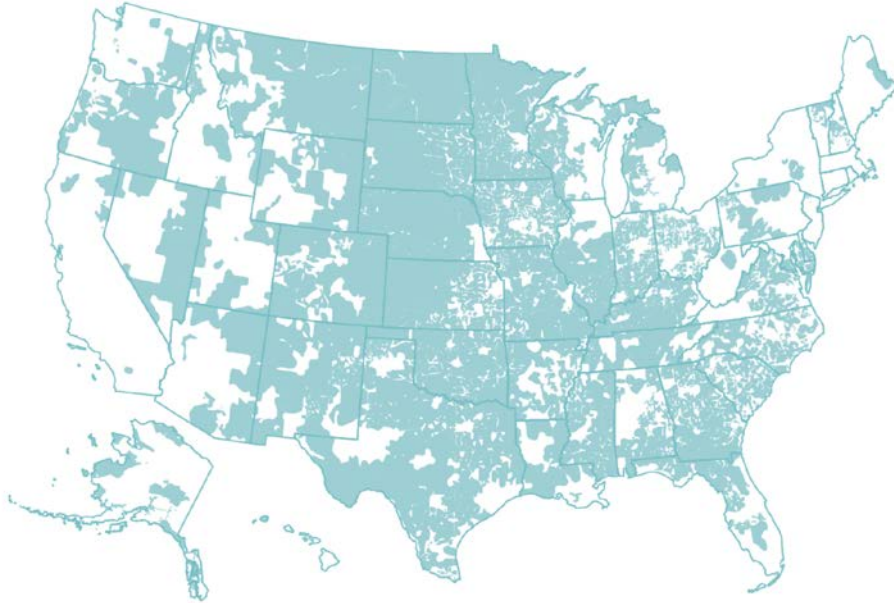
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Business & Technology Strategies

National Rural Electric Cooperative Association

November 8,
2023

Cooperatives power 56% of the nation's landmass

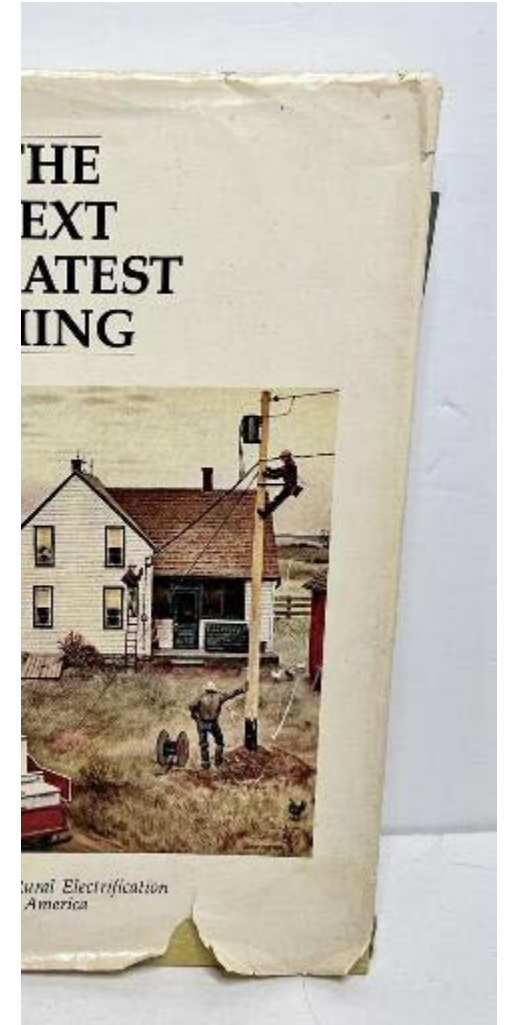


- Co-ops serve **42 million** people, including **92%** of persistent poverty counties.
- Co-ops power over **21.5 million** businesses, homes, schools and farms in 48 states.
- Co-ops returned more than **\$1.4 billion** in capital credits to their consumer-members in 2021.
- **832 distribution cooperatives** are the foundation of the electric cooperative network. They were built by and serve co-op members in the community with the delivery of electricity and other services.
- **63 generation & transmission cooperatives** provide wholesale power to distribution co-ops through their own electric generation facilities or by purchasing power on behalf of the distribution members.

Electric Co-ops Are Innovation Hubs

Co-ops are meeting tomorrow's energy needs by investing in the future of their communities.

- **Broadband:** More than 250 co-ops deployed or are planning to deploy broadband service to their members, giving them access to telehealth services, online learning, remote work and new possibilities for local businesses.
- **Smart Meters:** Electric cooperatives lead the industry in smart meter deployment, with a 81% use of AMI meters, compared to 67% for the rest of the industry.
- **Energy Storage:** Cooperatives have developed more than 75 energy storage projects, ranging from residential batteries to large utility-scale projects paired with renewable generation. Storage is an important element of microgrids, including on military installations.
- **Carbon Capture:** Electric cooperatives are partners in innovative carbon capture technology research projects.



Mission: The Cooperative Approach to Vehicle Electrification (CAVE) is a network of electric cooperatives that have implemented or are planning to implement a variety of electric transportation programs.

Goals:

Focus on charging infrastructure in rural and low-income communities.

Create education-based programs to inform consumers, dealers and policy makers on the value of electric transportation.

Explore options for fleets, transit bus, school bus and medium/heavy duty truck adoption and charging solutions.

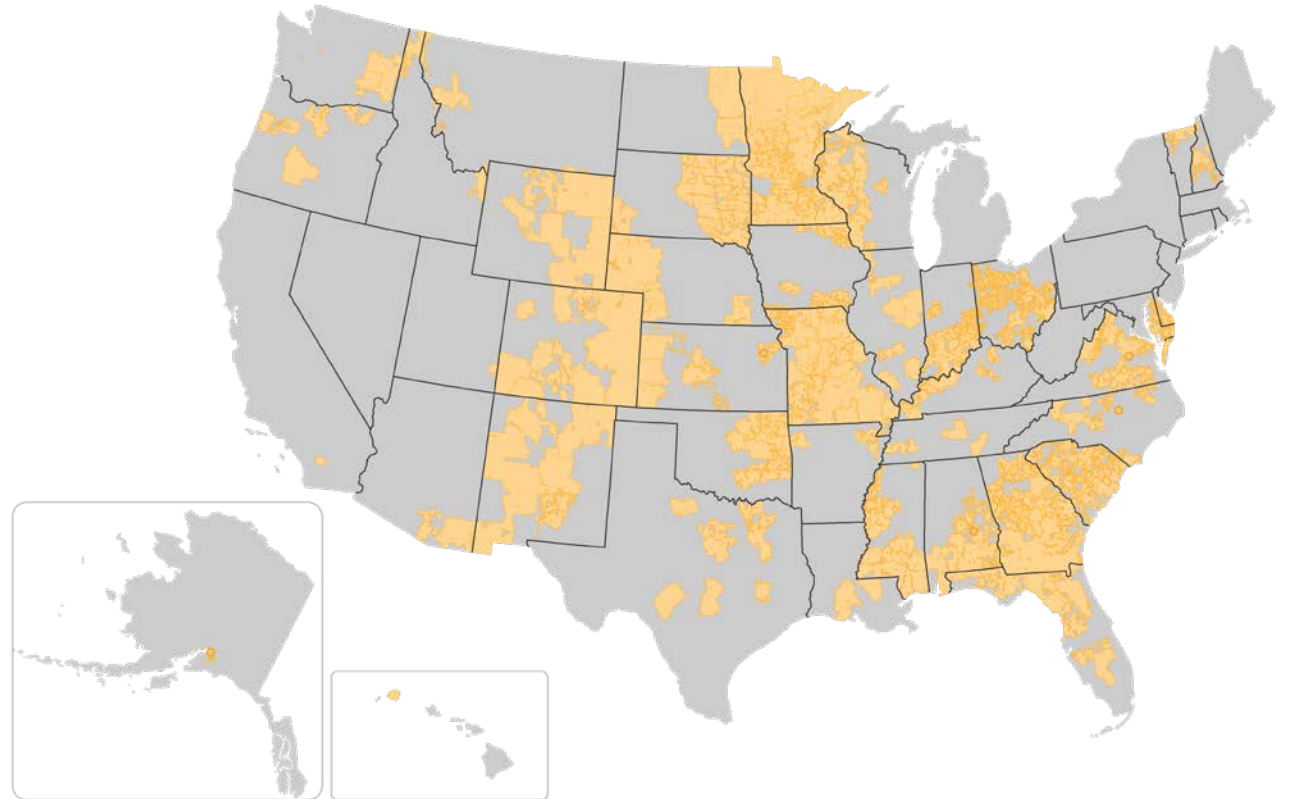
Demonstrate unique programs that utilize technologies to improve grid reliability.

NRECA Responsibilities

- Leverage engagement with funding entities to showcase electric cooperative commitment to transportation electrification.
- Advocate co-op projects with funding sources.
- Keep co-op participants up to date on the latest EV-related funding opportunities.

Participating Co-op Responsibilities

- Identify key contact for this effort at their cooperative.
- Share EV plans with NRECA staff as appropriate.
- Receive messages related to funding opportunities.
- Participate in calls with funders as needed.



Service Territories of CAVE participants as of April 2023



Reliability & Affordability



Increased electricity sales and decreased emissions



Grid Upgrades



How to manage charging behaviors



How to track adoption



Clustering



How to educate car buyers and car dealers



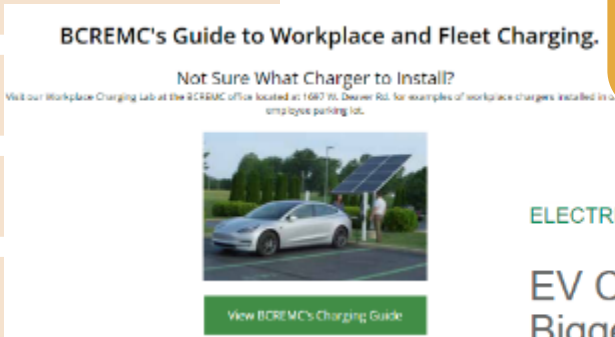
How can utility use EVs as assets



Interconnection Processes

Addressing common misconceptions about EVs

- Range anxiety
- Charging time and infrastructure availability



ELECTRIC VEHICLES

EV Consumer Study: Lack of Public Chargers Is Biggest Obstacle

A shortage of public chargers remains the biggest issue holding Americans back from buying EVs, according to a new study by J.D. Power. Learn more about the research and get the co-op perspective.

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Rural challenges in building out capacity for EV charging

- Planning for the load – where/when/how much
- Minimum requirement of 600 kW capacity per NEVI site
- Grid side investments needed

Rural America's role in the electric transportation transition will be critical to national goals.

Increased Electricity Demand:

- The transition to electric vehicles will significantly increase electricity demand, especially during peak charging periods. Utilities will need to anticipate and plan for this increased load to ensure grid reliability and avoid overloading.



Grid Management and Resilience:

- With the influx of EVs, utilities must develop grid management strategies to balance electricity supply and demand, implement demand response programs, and enhance grid resilience to withstand potential strain or disruptions caused by increased EV charging needs.



Grid Infrastructure Upgrades:

- Utilities may be required to perform grid infrastructure upgrades to support the growing EV market. This includes expanding high-voltage transmission lines, upgrading distribution systems, and implementing smart grid technologies to manage charging demand effectively.





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SCM/VGI Panel Discussion

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September 27, 2023





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- **Grid Benefits/Program Development**

- What are the primary grid challenges that require SCM/VGI solutions?
 - Distribution equipment limitations, substation/subtransmission capacity, generation/emissions considerations...
- What are the key barriers to developing SCM/VGI programs?
 - Customer participation, systems development, quantifying benefits, operations/maintenance...

- **Integrating with Fleet/Vehicle Operations**

- What are some of the biggest challenges to integrate SCM/VGI into fleet operations?
 - fleet/SCM systems integration, detailing dwell period/energy needs, driver inputs, operations variability, system reliability...
- What are the most common “drivers” for adoption of SCM/VGI?
 - What are desired benefits to delay/modify EV charging sessions

- **Deployment/Enabling Technologies**

- What elements essential to SCM/VGI need further development/demonstration?
 - EV/EVSE communication, communicating grid needs/signals, driver/operations inputs, others...
- How do we quantify the value of SCM/VGI with new or existing metrics?
 - Mitigated upgrades, emissions reductions, system reliability, EV/driver reliability...

Time for Tours!

Reminder that we start at 8:15am tomorrow.





High-Power Charging Pillar: eCHIP High-Power Electric Vehicle Charging Hub Integration Platform

Lion Electric Bus V2G Demonstration
Building 362 Hi-Bay

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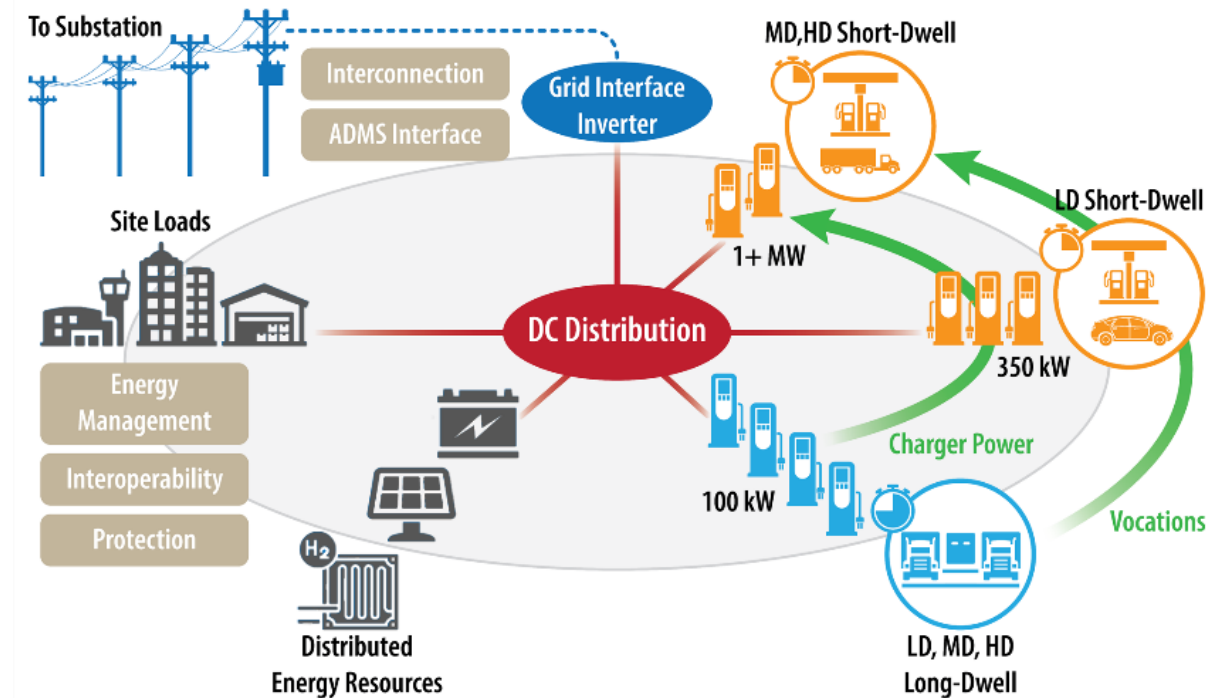


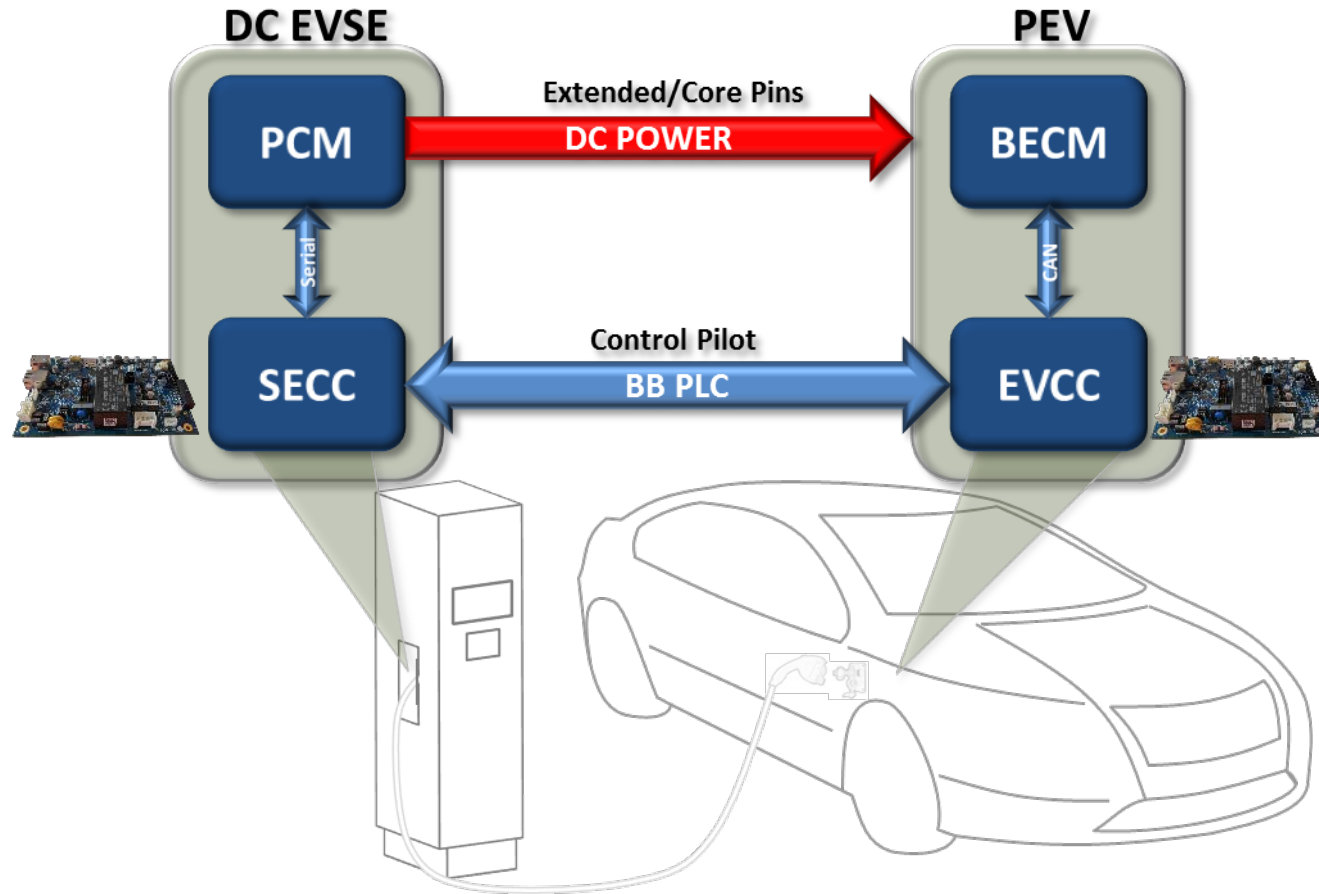
Objective:

Develop a plug-and-play solution allows a charging site to organically grow with additional chargers and distributed energy resources (DERs) through predefined compatibility with standards that will ensure interoperability and reduce upfront engineering expense

Outcomes:

- **Broadly identify limitations and gaps** in DC distribution and protection systems that would allow for modular high-power charging systems
- Develop and demonstrate solutions for efficient, low-cost, and **high-power-density DC/DC** for kW- and MW-scale charging
- Determine interoperable hardware, communication, and control architectures for high-power charging facilities that support **seamless grid integration and resilient operation**





- The SpEC module developed by ANL is a smart plugin EV communication **controller**
- Enables DC fast charging communication between an EV and the charger
- Implements **high-level communication** required for *fast DC charging* based on DIN SPEC 70121 and ISO 15118 standard
- The SpEC module will translate the XML/EXI **messages** to and from the EV, as well as accept **commands** from the SEM system
- Custom C/C++ firmware
- Currently licensed to industry as an SECC

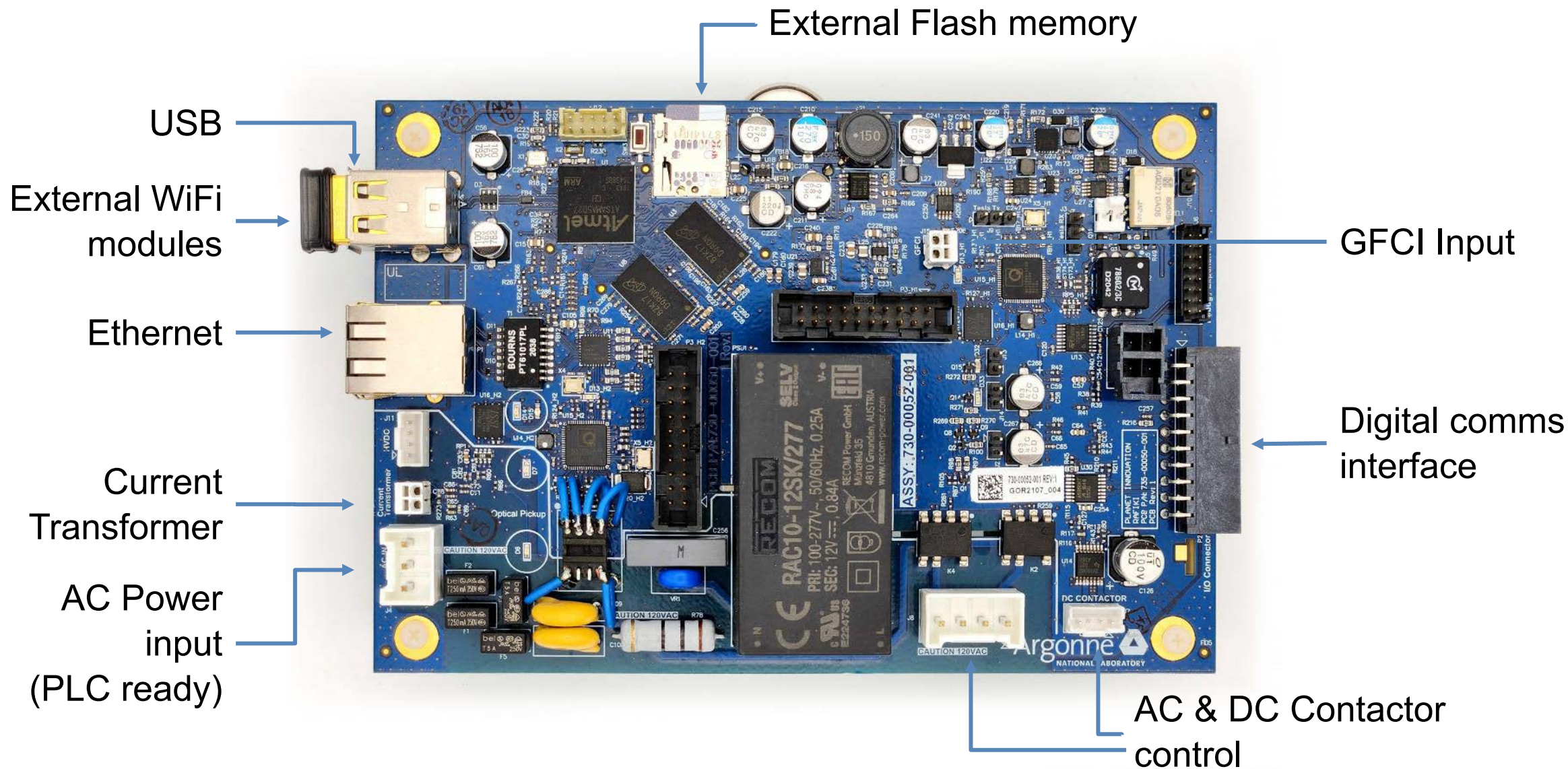


SpEC module (Gen I)



SpEC Module – Gen II

ANL

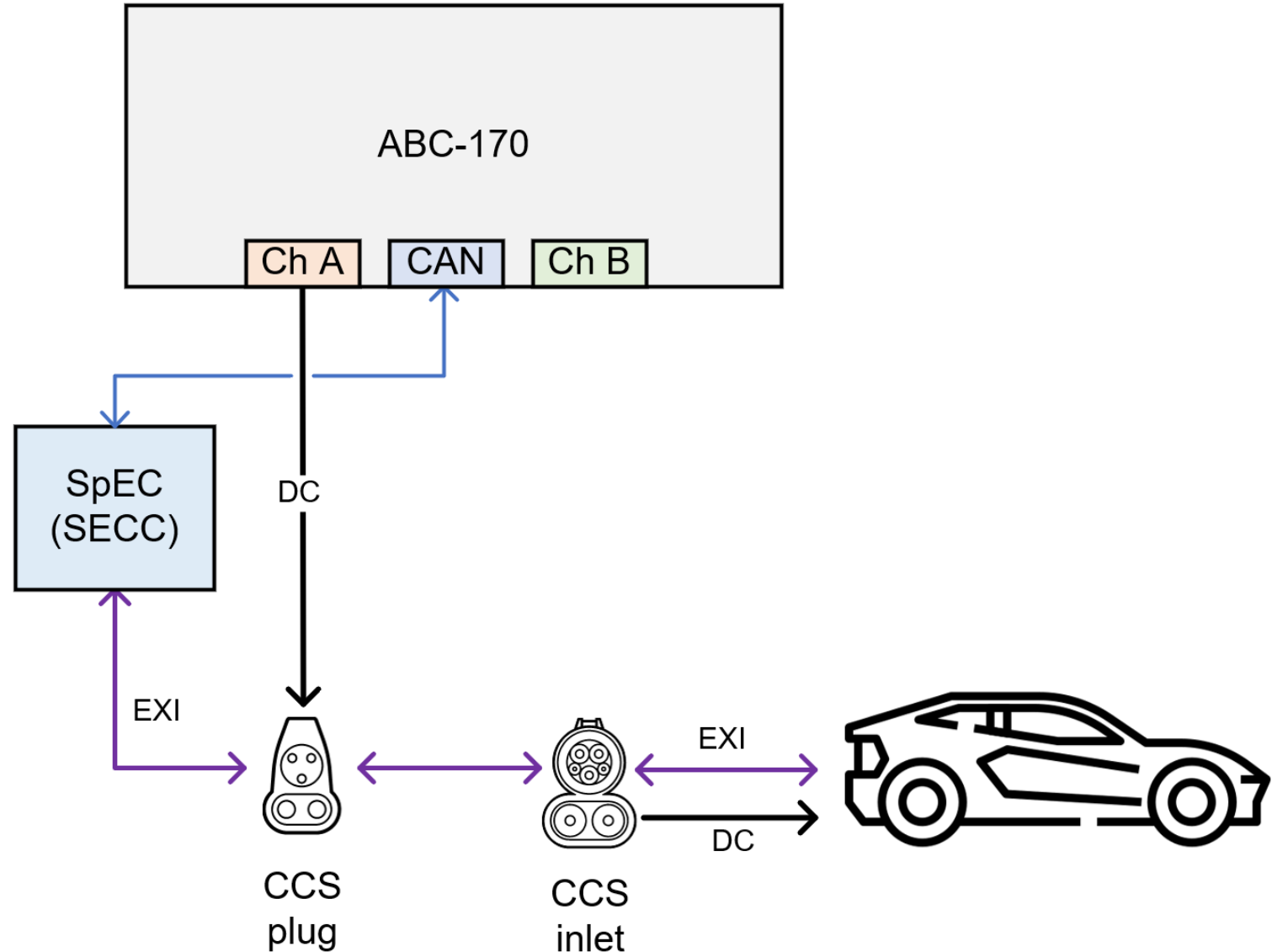


Test Setup

Actual EV



	Channel A
Max Voltage	450V
Min Voltage	0V
Max Charge Current	150 A
Max Discharge Current	-150A
Max Charge Power	48 kW
Max Discharge Power	-48 kW



Lion Electric Bus

All-Electric Type C School Bus

Technical Specifications*

WEIGHT & DIMENSIONS

Vehicle length	473 in.
Vehicle widths	96 – 102 in.
Vehicle height	122 in.
Wheelbases	278 in.
Gross vehicle weight rating (GVWR)	Up to 31,000 lb
Capacity	Up to 77 passengers

ELECTRIC POWERTRAIN

Top speed	60 mph
Maximum power	250 kW • 335 Hp
Maximum torque	2,500 Nm • 1,800 ft-lb
Ranges	Up to 155 miles**
Battery capacities	126 – 168 kWh
Motor and inverter	SUMO MD • Dana TM4
Transmission	Direct drive No transmission
Charging types	CCS Combo
Level II - Charging Time	
19.2 kW	6.5 – 11 hours
Level III - Charging Time	
24 kW	5 – 9 hours
50 kW	2.5 – 4.25 hours



CHASSIS

Front Axle	Up to 10,000 lb
Rear Axle	Up to 21,000 lb
Suspension	
Standard	Spring suspension
Optional	Rear air ride
Braking	
Standard	Hydraulic disc brakes
Optional	Air brakes

* SPECIFICATIONS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE.

** Based on 65% GVWR, on a Rowan University Composite School Bus Cycle.



Thank You



TRANSPORTATION AND POWER SYSTEMS

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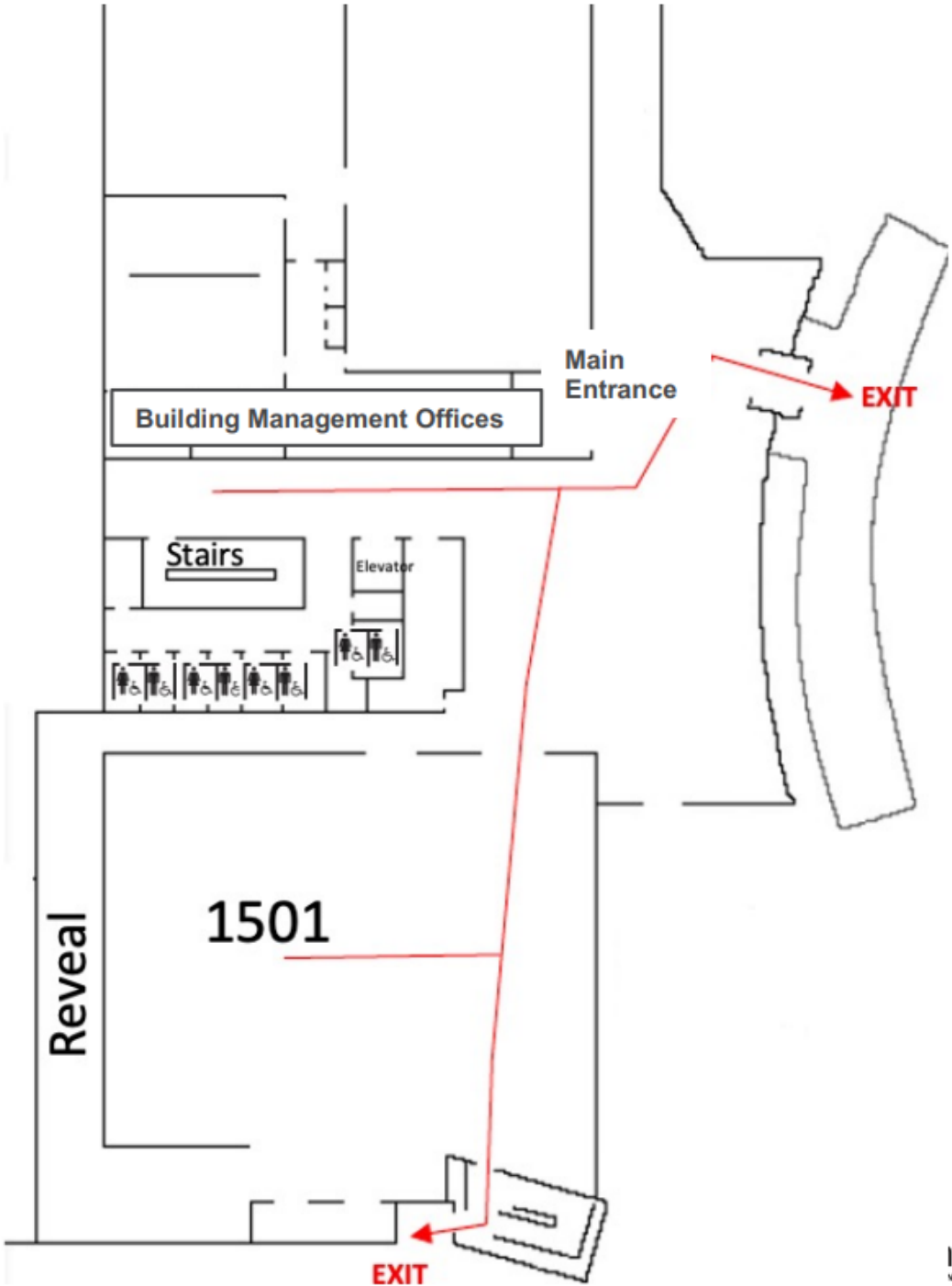
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PHONE AND FOLLOW OPERATOR INSTRUCTIONS

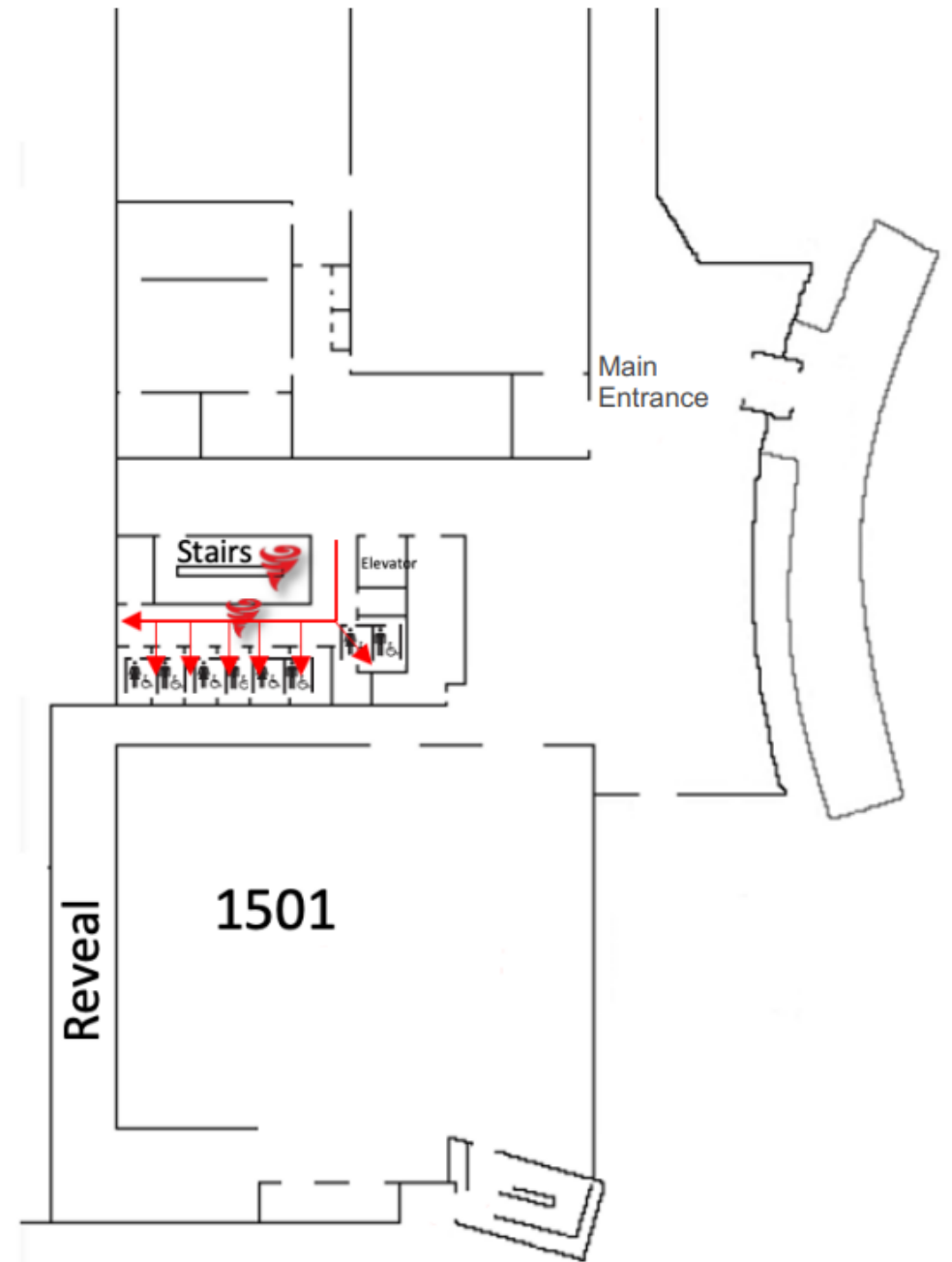
ROOM 1501 EMERGENCY EVACUATION ROUTE

In case of evacuation emergencies follow the exit signs



EMERGENCY SHELTER LOCATIONS

In case of severe weather relocate to shelter areas; central stair well, the first floor restrooms and adjacent hallway





Advanced Charging and Grid Interface
Technologies Pillar

September 2023 Stakeholders Meeting

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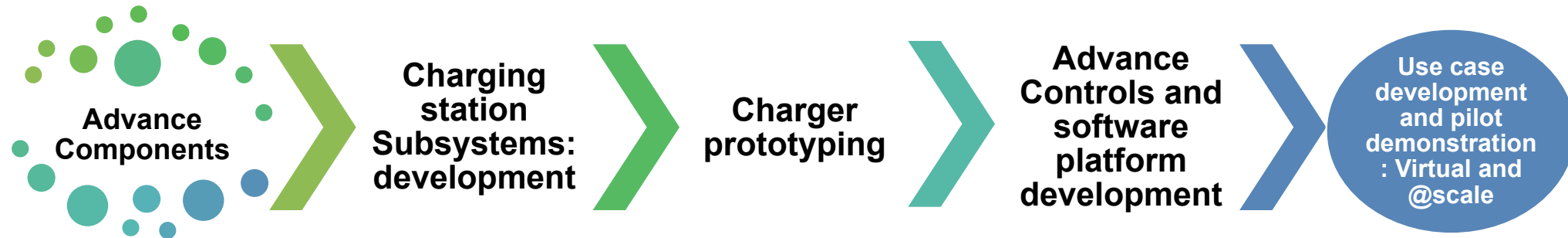
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Advanced Charging and Grid Interface Technologies

Address System Integration Challenges

Vision : Advancing EV station and charger controls, communications, protection, and architectures through developing technology prototypes



Charging Equipment Technologies

- *Grid interface with advance component technologies and controls for novel charging functionality*
- *High power charging equipment prototyping for heavy-duty vehicle and similar applications such as aircraft*

Charging Station Infrastructure

- *Design and develop station architectures*
- *Novel communication and control station level strategies.*

Grid Resource Integration

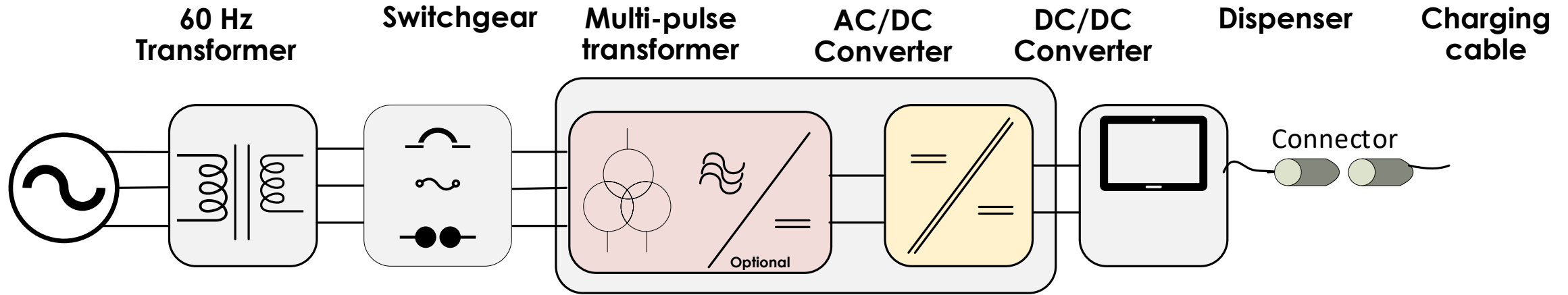
- *Energy storage, photovoltaic, and other technology integration*
- *EV substation design and development for future large scale multi-vehicle stations*

Vehicle and Charging System Interface Technologies

- *Interface protection, safety and interoperability*
- *Flexible, modular, multiport Interface configurations for LD, MD, HD, off-road, and e-VTOL applications*

Synergistic cross cutting technology opportunities with other programs - OE, GMLC

Gaps in EV charger Implementation



- Lack of standardized high-power building blocks to achieve high charging powers
- Limited to 950 V-Improved density reduces foot-print and simplifies installation
- Lack of direct MV grid connected converters to improve power density and handle high powers

- Lack of isolated DC/DC converters in the market is a major constraint for charging system implementation
- Lack of fast DC protection hardware and coordination algorithms
- Coordination of multiple DC/DC converters

- A test system to evaluate multiple charger performance – emulator
- Protection schemes for grounding, fast acting devices
- Hybrid interface options for new non-commercial vehicles (ex. eVTOLs)

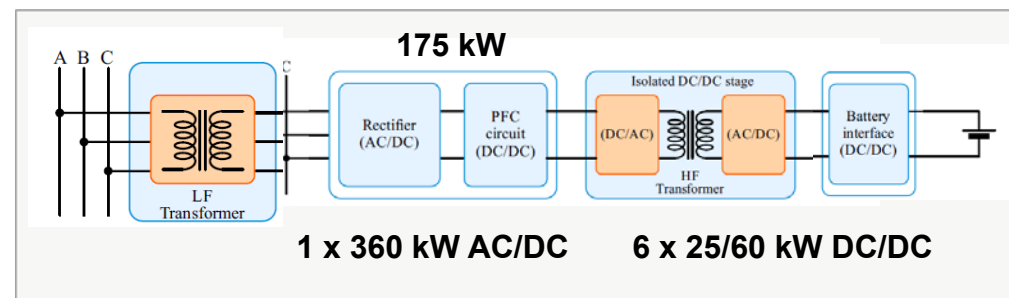
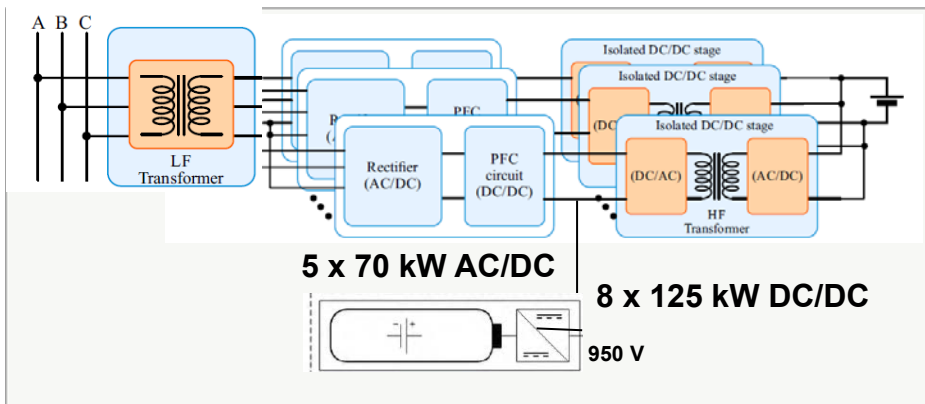
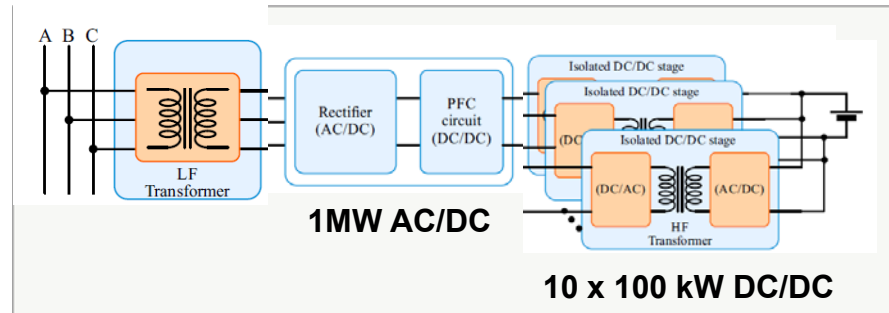
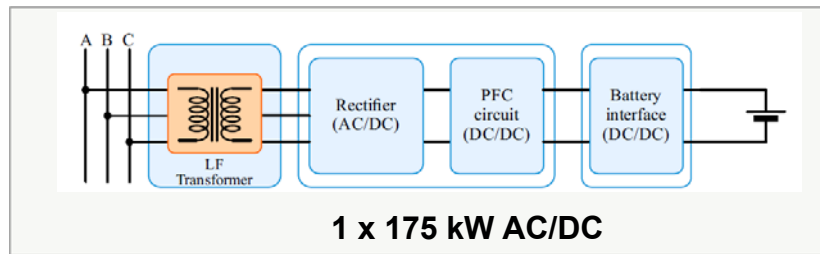
- Mix of air cooled and liquid cooled thermal management systems

Gaps in EV charger Power Conversion stage :

Vendor	Voltage class	Bi-directionality	HF Isolation	Power rating Block/full unit	Efficiency	Power density	Thermal Management
A	500 V DC	Claim- Not implemented	Yes	125/375 kW DC-DC 70 kW AC-DC			liquid
B	950 V DC	None	Yes	60/360 kW DC-DC	98% (AC-DC) 98.5% (DC-DC)	92"x24"x40" (AC-DC) 79"x 22.5"x15.5" (DC-DC)	Air Cooled
C	920 V DC	None	No	175 kW/350 kW	94% (Grid - Car)	46"x 30"x 30"	Air Cooled
D	920 V DC	None	Yes	100 kW/1 MW	94% (Grid - Car)		Air cooled

	AC-DC	DC-DC (unidirectional)	DC-DC (Bidirectional)
480 V class	2-level, 3-level NPC, 3-level ANPC, Current source	LLC, Phase shifted full bridge	CLLC, DAB
13 kV class	MMC, CHB-DAB, CHB-Resonant		DAB

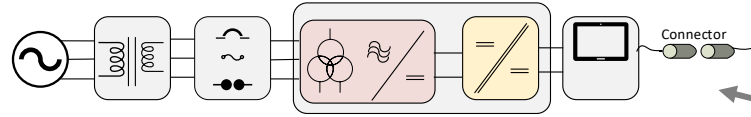
Topologies/ power block ratings are not standard



Potential Target: Metrics of isolated DC/DC chargers

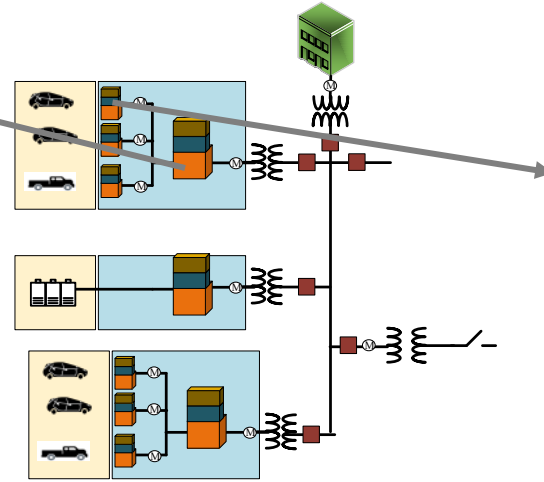
- Voltage : up to 1500 V
- Power: > 100 kVA
- Isolation: > 4 kV
- Efficiency: > 99%
- > 2 W/cm³ water cooled
- > 0.7 W/cm³ air cooled

Gaps in Charging Infrastructure and Resource Integration- Commercial Charging Infrastructure

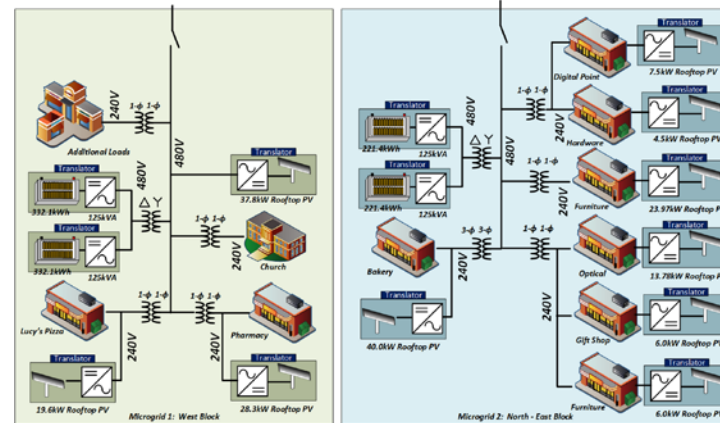


- Unidirectional converter systems: designed to serve EV as a load
- Application of V2G : Requires advance controls beyond setpoint control methods, EVs treated as DER for V2G
- Autonomous controls for charger, Power quality issues
- Resource Integration and management: building loads not integrated yet. All treated as separate loads
- O&M costs:
- Multi vendor product integration needs standardization
- Diagnostics and Prognostics: reduce BOS systems costs

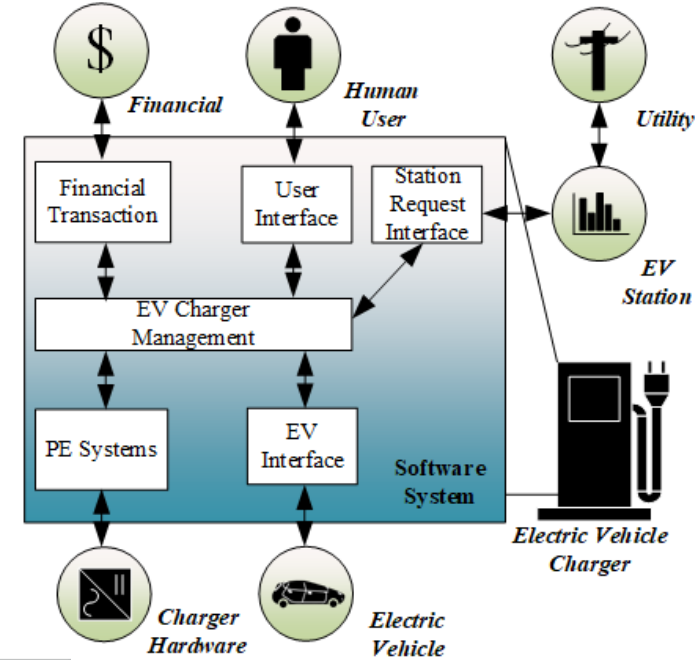
BTM solutions



Single Owner Commercial Entity



Multiple Owner Commercial Entities

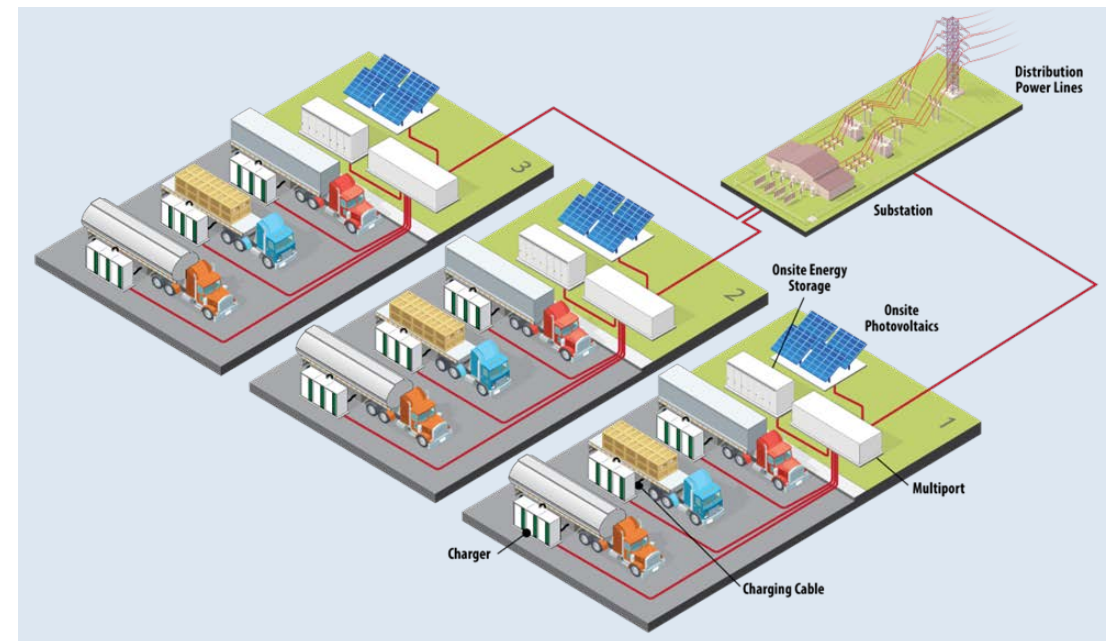
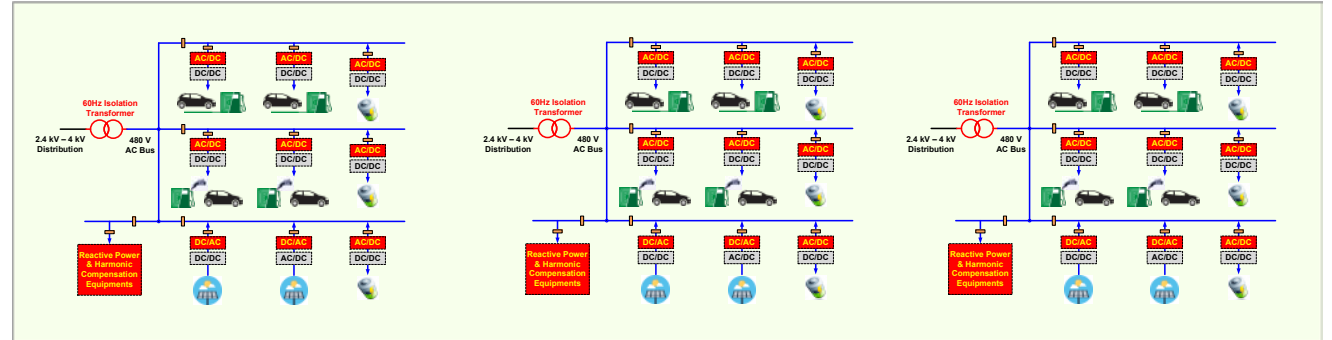


Ownership model: Utility+ Business Owner/Owners

- EVSE ownership
- Infrastructure planning and installation
- Operation and maintenance: software and hardware

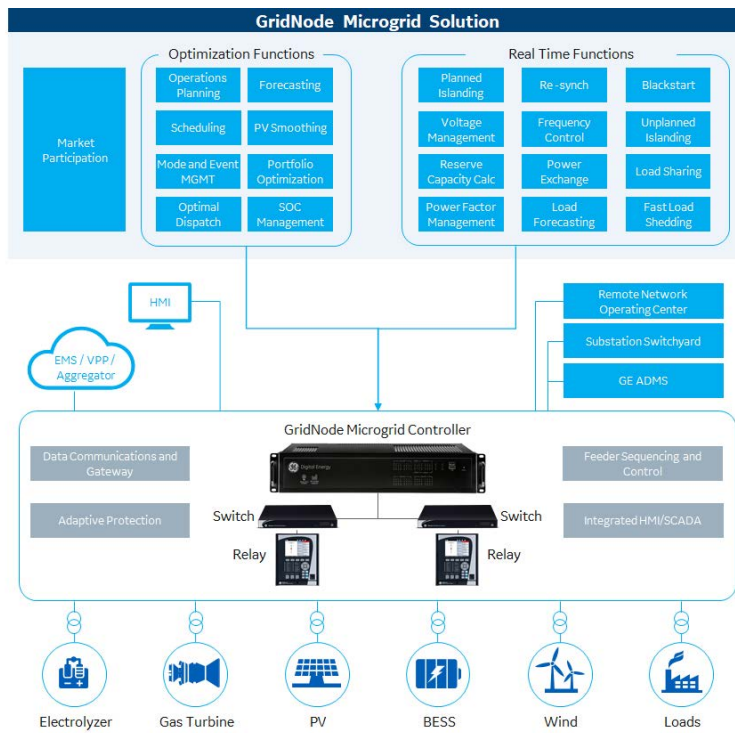
Gaps in Charging Infrastructure and Resource Integration: Large Scale Charging Infrastructure

- Distribution, sub-transmission and transmission scale charging stations
 - need the substations to be designed for bi-directional functionality
 - Need to address power quality issues
 - Leverage DER based substation design guidelines?
- Large scale charger stations lack
 - standardized architectures to support Resource Integration into EV Charging Stations and understanding Implications
 - Utilization of the EV stations for grid services- under different load scenarios
 - Interoperable, plug and play system integration control platforms: Multiple vendors platforms focus on chargers
 - Protection Coordination



Gaps in Charging Infrastructure and Resource Integration: Large Scale Charging Infrastructure

- Charging stations operated as a microgrid leverage the microgrid controllers and their functions for grid services:
 - Networked/coordinated station segments for BTM and distribution scale not explored yet.
 - Optimization limited to energy management : lack of operation-based controls for station
- Ownership models? UTILITIES? LARGE COMMERCIAL entities, Public charging infrastructure?**
 - Control boundaries and data boundaries needed to meet requirements for different functions of the charging station
 - Different Ownership Models (Data Sharing)
 - Different Owner Objectives (Optimizations and Use Cases)
 - Different Service Offerings (Control Functionality)

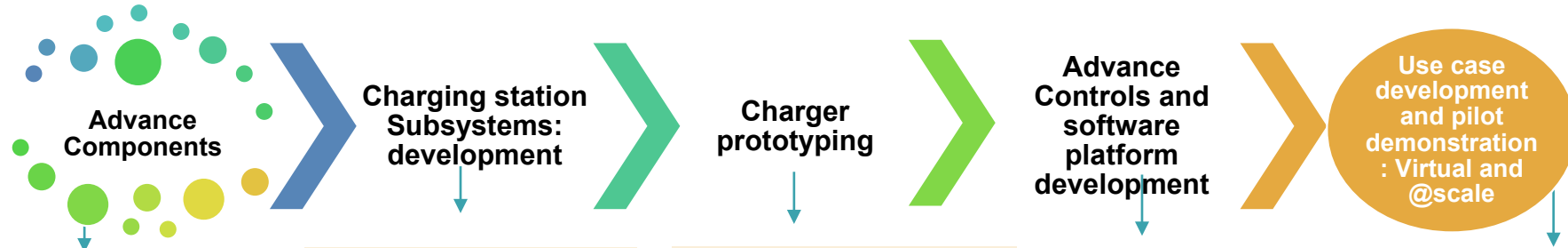


Microgrid Functions	Necessary Data
Energy Management (Forecasting and Demand Management)	electrical model, resource information* value functions and signals weather data
Voltage and Frequency Control	electrical model, resource information*
Islanding/Resynchronization/Black Start	electrical model, PCC information* resource information*
Ancillary Service Provider (frequency regulation, reserve, volt/var)	electrical model, PCC information* resource information*
Power Quality Management	electrical model, resource information*
Protection Coordination	PCC information* Protection device information*

Information includes*:

- mode options/settings
- system ratings
- measurements/state
- cost factors

Technical Approach



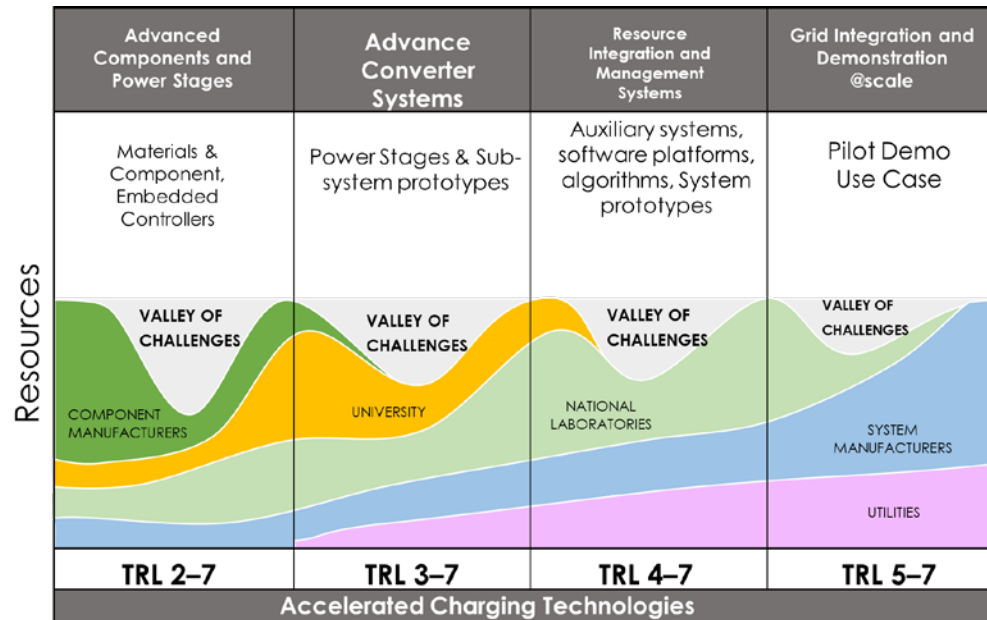
- Identification of gaps in components : semiconductors, breakers, aux power systems
- Establish testing practices and protocols
- **Evaluating early-stage reliability of the subsystem components**
- Advanced magnetics with high insulation and low PD (partial discharge) while maintaining compact size/weight that will ensure reliable component life

- **Library of power stages:** Standardization techniques to achieve Plug-n-play
- **Communication and data interfaces for in-situ monitoring**
- **Diagnostics and Prognostics**

- **Novel topologies** that can achieve efficiency improvements, cost reduction or/and control simplifications
- Converter control architecture to handle multiple modules

- **Software architecture** and platforms for resource integration
- Real time management of resources beyond the chargers
- Multiple control schemes for multiple grid services for autonomous or coordinate secondary control

- **Use cases** for charging stations-large scale applications
- Real time, CHIL test beds for use case validation for future charging station architectures
- Evaluation of novel station architectures using @scale test beds



EV Charger Development: Accomplishments

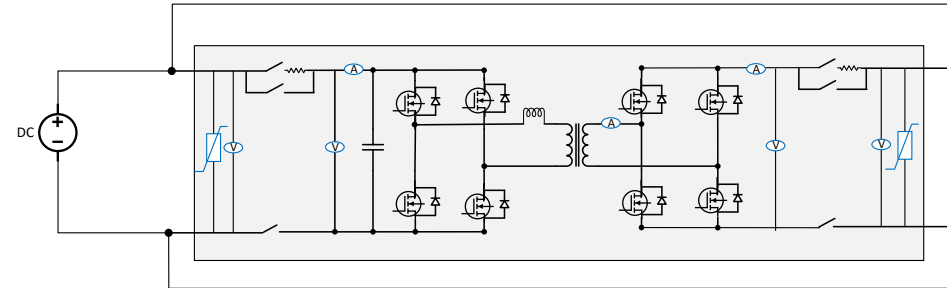
1700 V, 280 A/560 A, SiC

1000 V class 175 kW/350 kW charger	
Vin	800-1200 V (TBD)
Vout	200-950 V
I _{max}	225 A/ 450 A
Eff	>98.5%
Temp	-30°C to 50°C
Comms	CAN
Power flow	Bidirectional

1000 V, 175 kW, 20 kHz DC/DC Converter Prototype
Evaluated up to 150kW



Schematic of Converter test setup

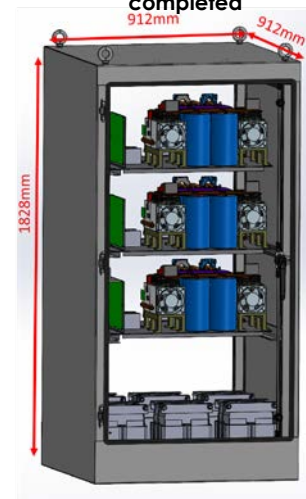


Results at 950 V and 100 A: ~100 kW

3300 V, 500 A SiC

2000 V class 350 kW charger	
Vin	1500-2000 V (TBD)
Vout	500-1500 V
I _{max}	250 A
Eff	>99%
Temp	-30°C to 50°C
Comms	CAN
Power flow	Bidirectional

MV DC/DC Converter design completed
Component design, built and evaluation completed

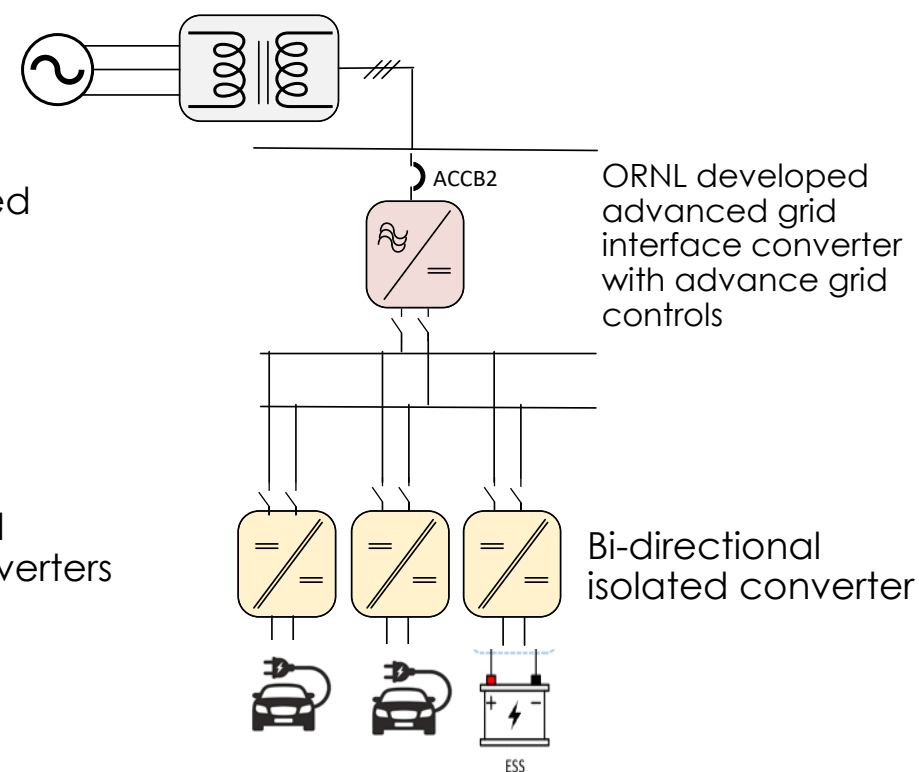
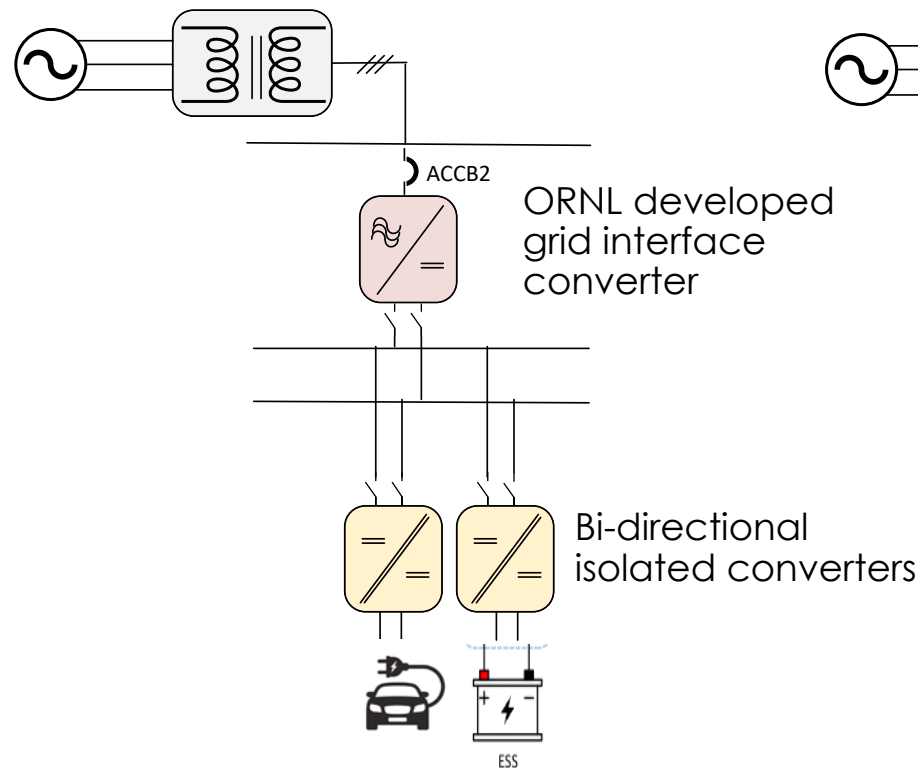
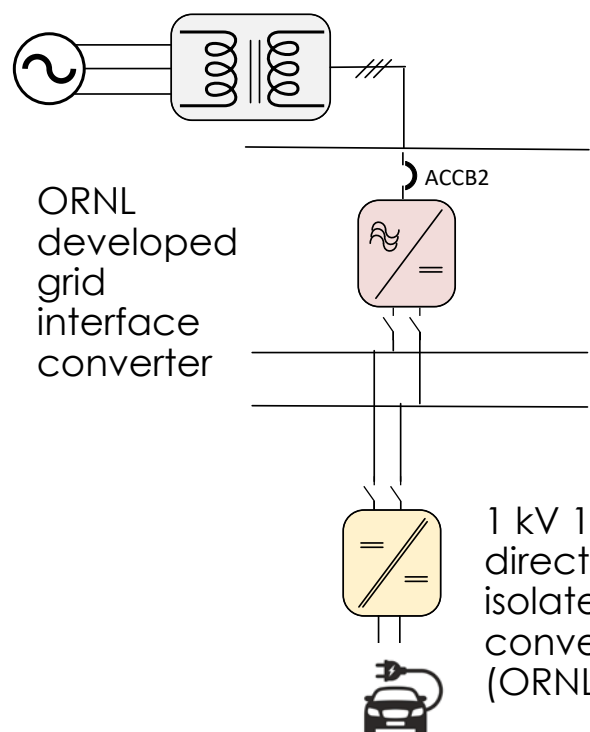


Pillar Portfolio : Multi port Advanced Charging and grid interface demonstration at ORNL

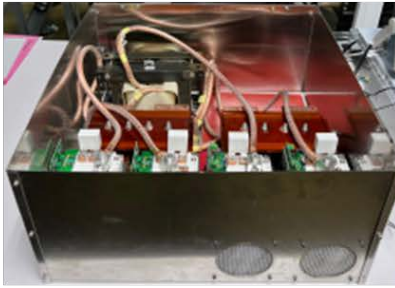
Phase 1: Demonstrate complete integrated charger (Grid to vehicle) with Advance Grid Controls : **Grid Forming Charger**

Phase 2: Demonstrate energy storage and charger integration and energy management: **Modular systems and Resource Integration with open source software**

Phase 3: Demonstrate Multiple chargers and advanced grid converter capabilities: **Station control platforms with resource optimization**



Pillar Portfolio: Hardware Prototypes- 480 V , 1 kV Final Demonstration



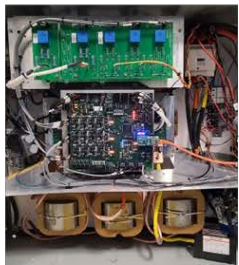
ORNL Developed 175 kW DC-DC fast charger 1 KV



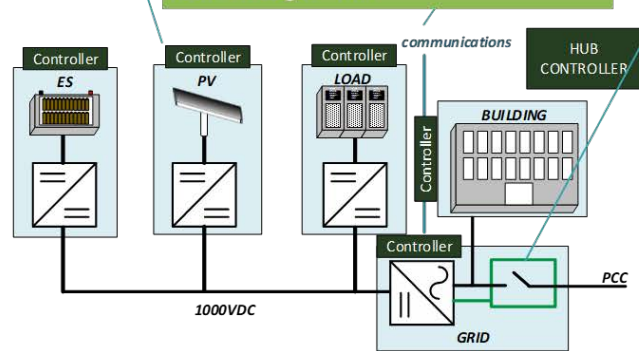
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Semikron Developed 250 kW DC-AC

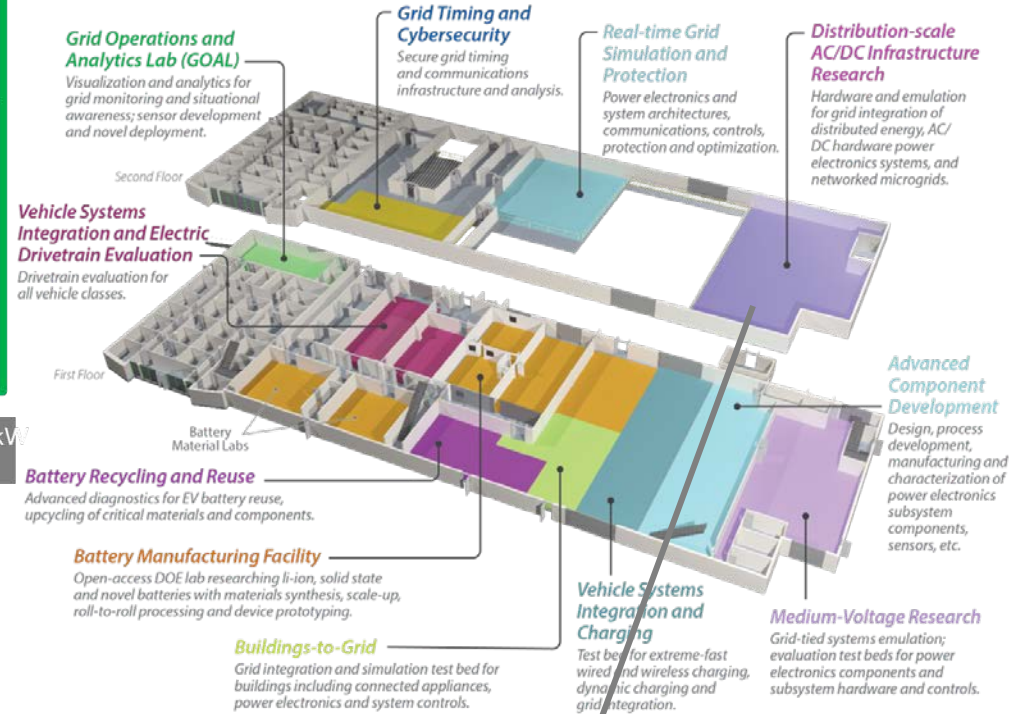


ORNL Developed 100 kW Inverter

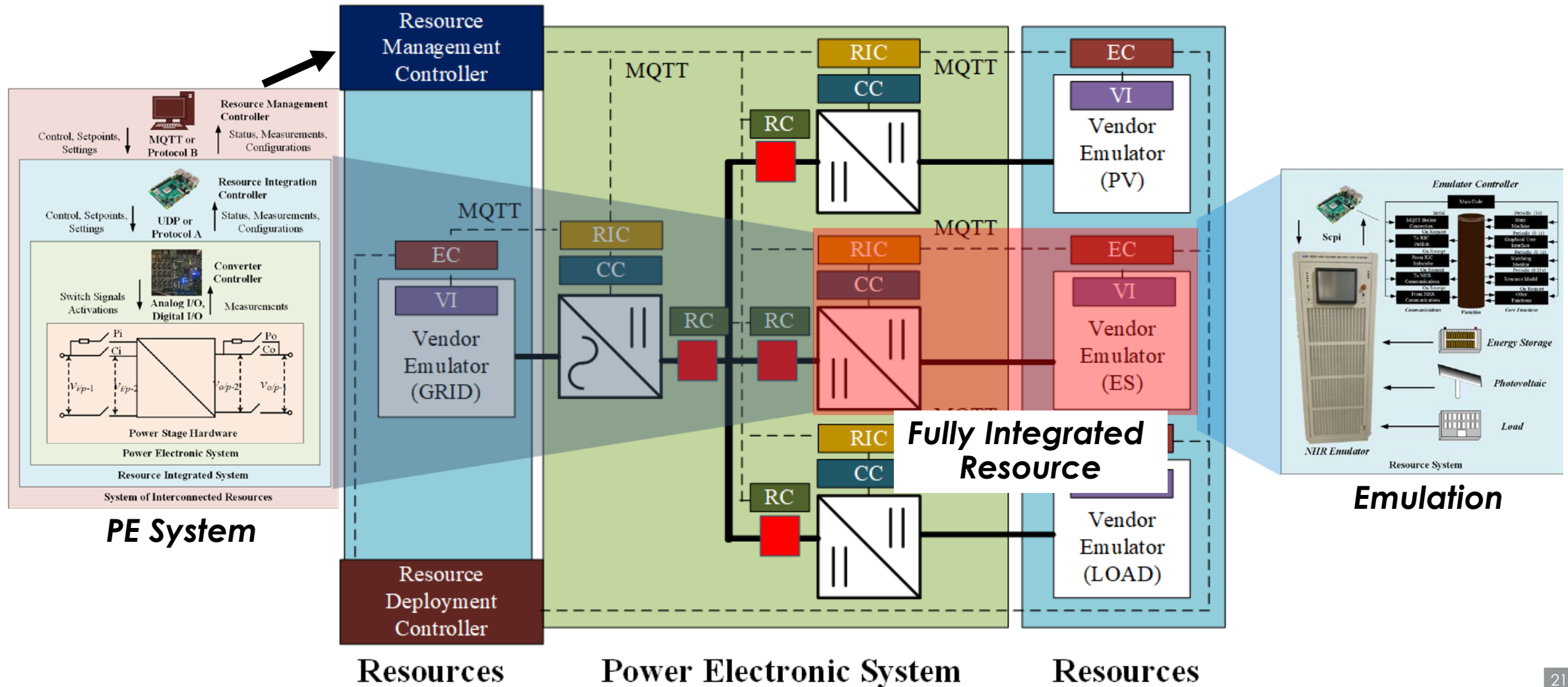


Hybrid AC-DC 9 Nodes test Bed DER, Energy storage, EV Charging, Commercial Buildings R&D

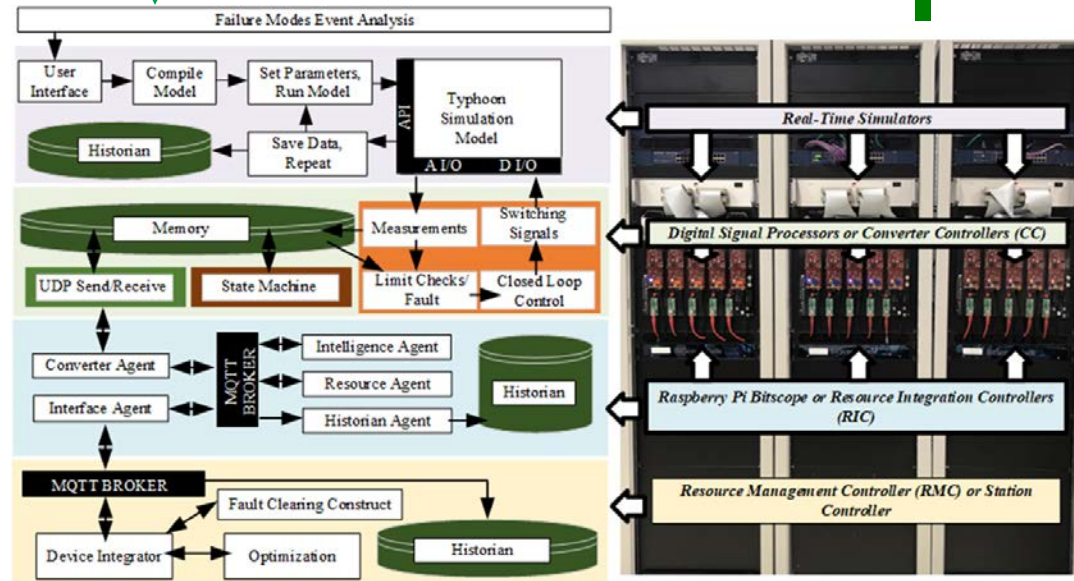
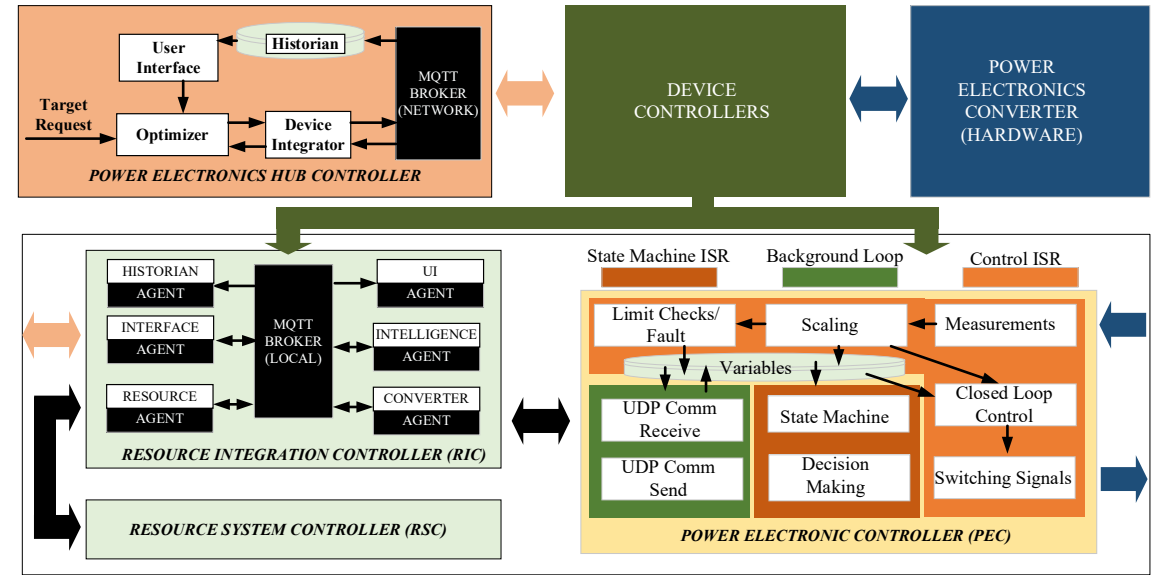
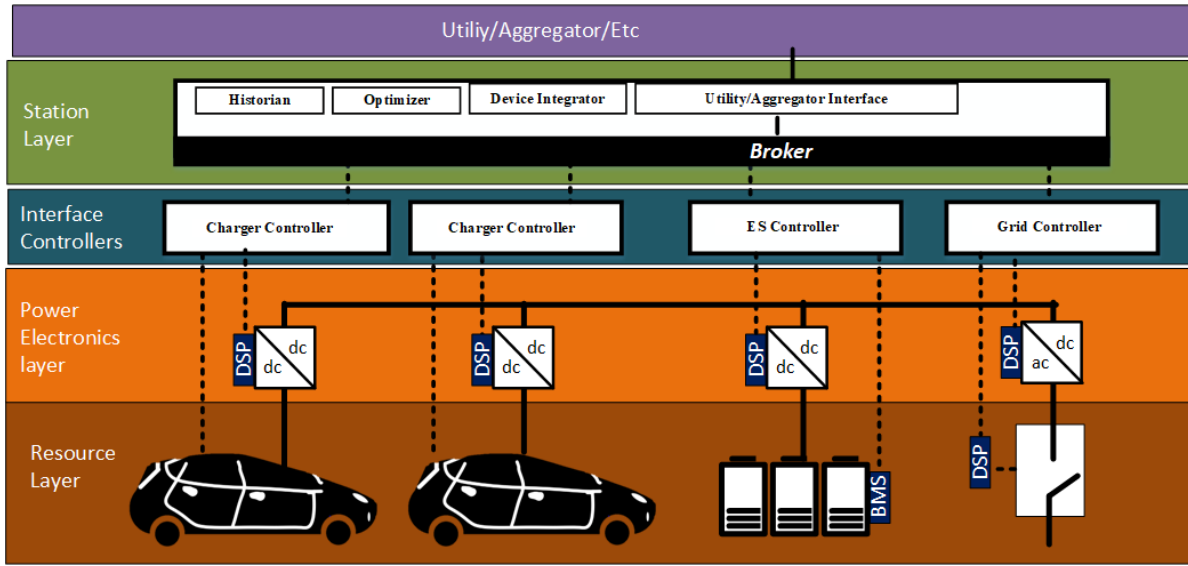
Grid Research Integration & Deployment Center (GRID-C) @ORNL



Leverage the multiport system demonstrated at ORNL under the previous GMLC project (Software, hardware, test bed at GRIDC-C)



Pillar Portfolio: Plug and Play Architecture Future EV Station with novel hardware and software with comms and controls

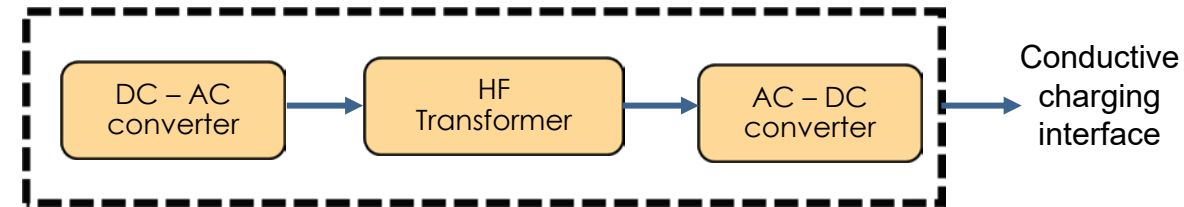


Objective: To develop and validate a universal power electronics architecture with high-frequency AC link to enable interoperability and increased utilization of grid and vehicle interface technology with optimized footprint and cost

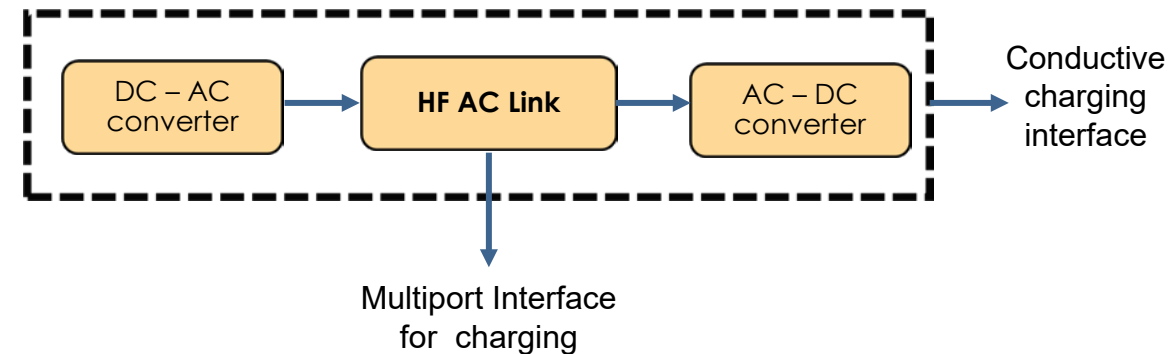
DC/HFAC/DC (flexible multiport dc-ac-dc converter) converter

- **Interoperable:** can supply high power conductive or inductive charge dispensers (at similar or different output voltages)
- **Increased utilization:** increase utilization of charger and throughput of vehicles served
- **Flexible:** can modulate voltage and power at individual charge dispensers
- **Compact:** optimally shared PE architecture with HF AC link
- **Increased efficiency:** with HF AC distribution
- **Reliability:** increased reliability with modular restructuring of architecture

Conventional DC-DC Converter



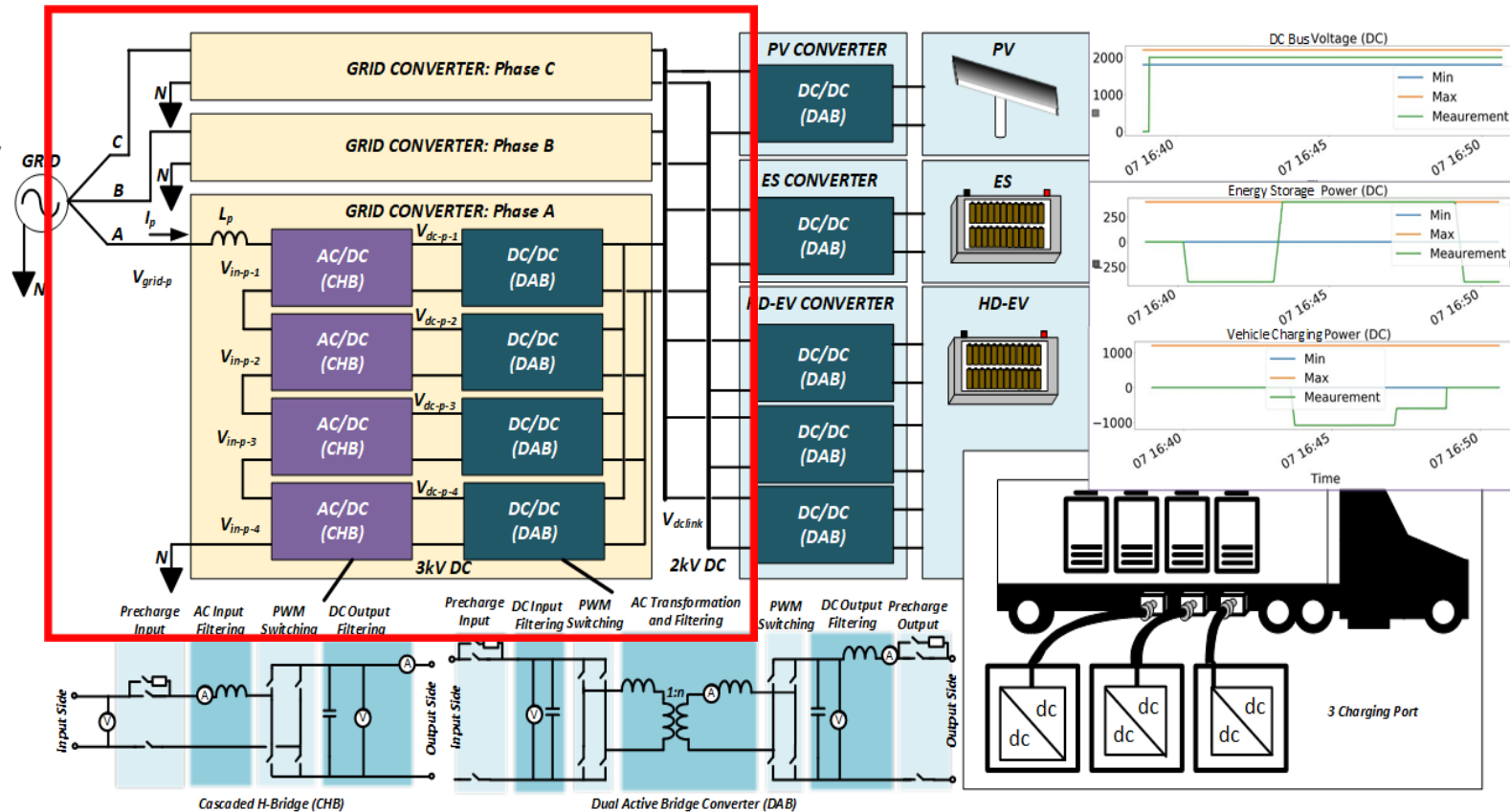
Proposed DC-AC-DC Converter



Pillar Portfolio : Medium Voltage Charging Technologies

- Leverage GMLC Multi Lab(13.75 M- 3 yr – FY24-FY26) and VTO funded 1+MW charger project
- Integration with direct MV DC/AC converter to increase power density
- Controls to integrate multiple resources

Up to 13.8 kV (MVAC)



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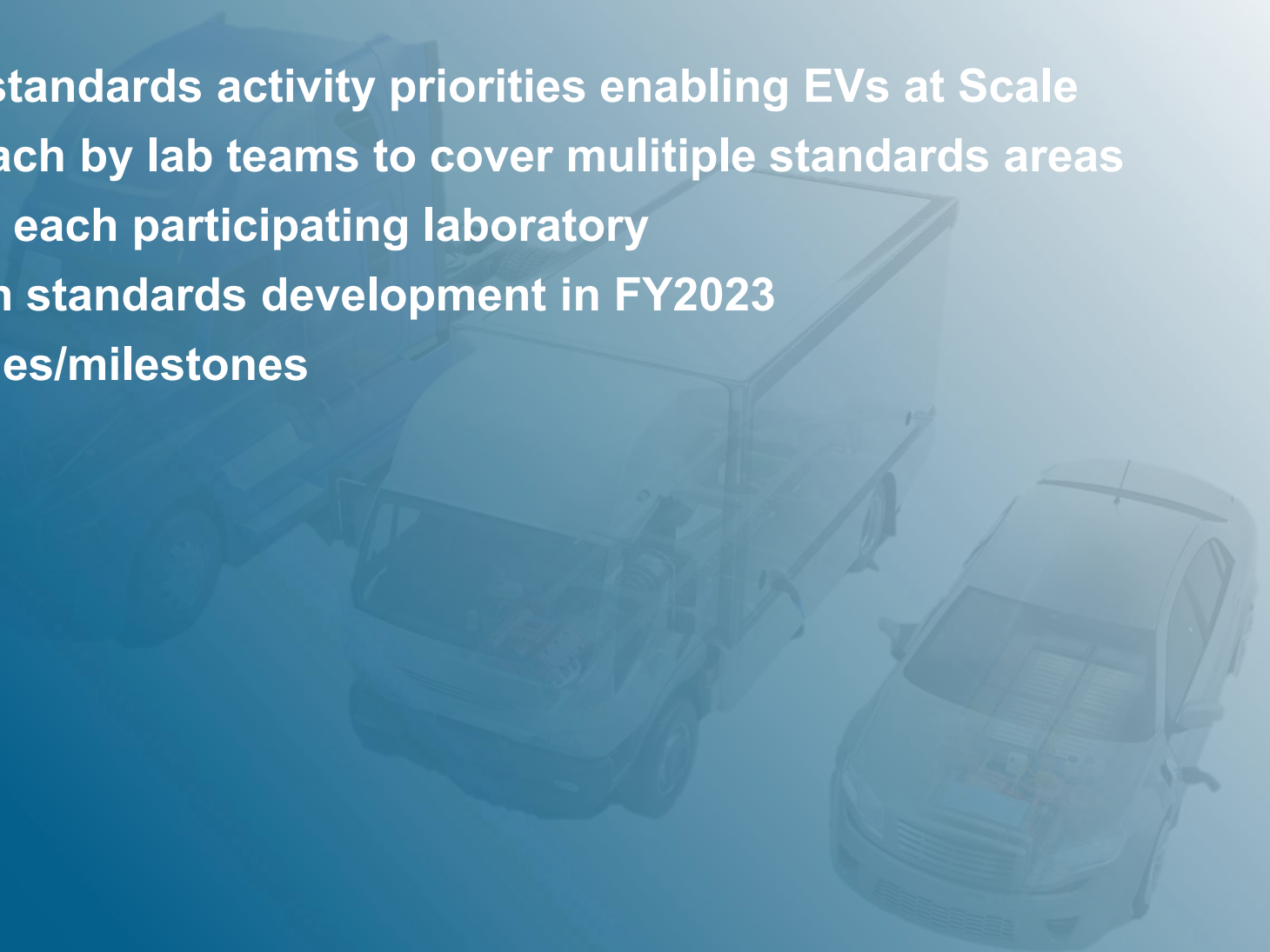
Codes and Standards Support

Theodore Bohn
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September 28th, 2023



- **Initiative Overview**
- **Identification of codes and standards activity priorities enabling EVs at Scale**
- **‘Divide and Conquer’ approach by lab teams to cover multiple standards areas**
- **Standards areas covered by each participating laboratory**
- **Focus areas and progress in standards development in FY2023**
- **Summary of FY23 deliverables/milestones**
- **Conclusion and Next Steps**



Objective: Codes & standards support priorities focus on development of the most critical standards for EVs at Scale, i.e., high power DC charging, storage (microgrid, DERMS) integrated with DC charging, vehicle-grid integration, high power scalable/interoperable wireless charging, vehicle-oriented system standards and energy services to support transparent optimized costs/delivery.

Outcomes:

- Establish and complete draft of SAE J3271 Megawatt Charging System (MCS), AIR7357 TIRs
- Create work group to develop EV Standards Roadmap based on 2012 ANSI EVSP roadmap
- Develop and demonstrate a reference DC as a Service (IEEE P2030.13) implementation with off-the-shelf hardware and Open API Energy Services Interface (ESI) implementation
- Complete a study w/summary reports in support of identified high importance standards
- Active participation in SDO standards meetings/committees to close gaps in EVs@S standards



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Filter Criteria: The group of lab team members proposed areas **most** relevant to EVs at Scale

Priority Areas:

- EVs at Scale standards support focus is mostly on scaling charging capabilities. I.e. how to serve more vehicles in more locations without exceeding resource limits, for a spectrum of vehicle sizes/classes (from light to medium to heavy duty; commercial and passenger cars)
Charging rates from 30A to 3000A for conductive/wireless methods, AC or DC, μ grid, etc
- Electric power delivery oriented standards areas; V2G, local DER, integrated storage, system controls including the Energy Services Interface method of bi-directional information exchange leading to contract based optimization of resources, DC as a Service, communication protocols
- Vehicle Oriented **System Standards** (including non-road, electric aircraft) that include on-vehicle systems (power take-off, refrigeration units, battery management, battery safety, etc.),
- High Power Scalable/Interoperable Wireless Charging (SAE, J2954-1/2/3) (up to 1MW)

5 Lab Teams in FY2023 Covering 'Top 10' Standards Areas:

National Lab participants each proposed support/development within the 'top ten' areas for EVs@S

General Standards task areas (shorthand summary)

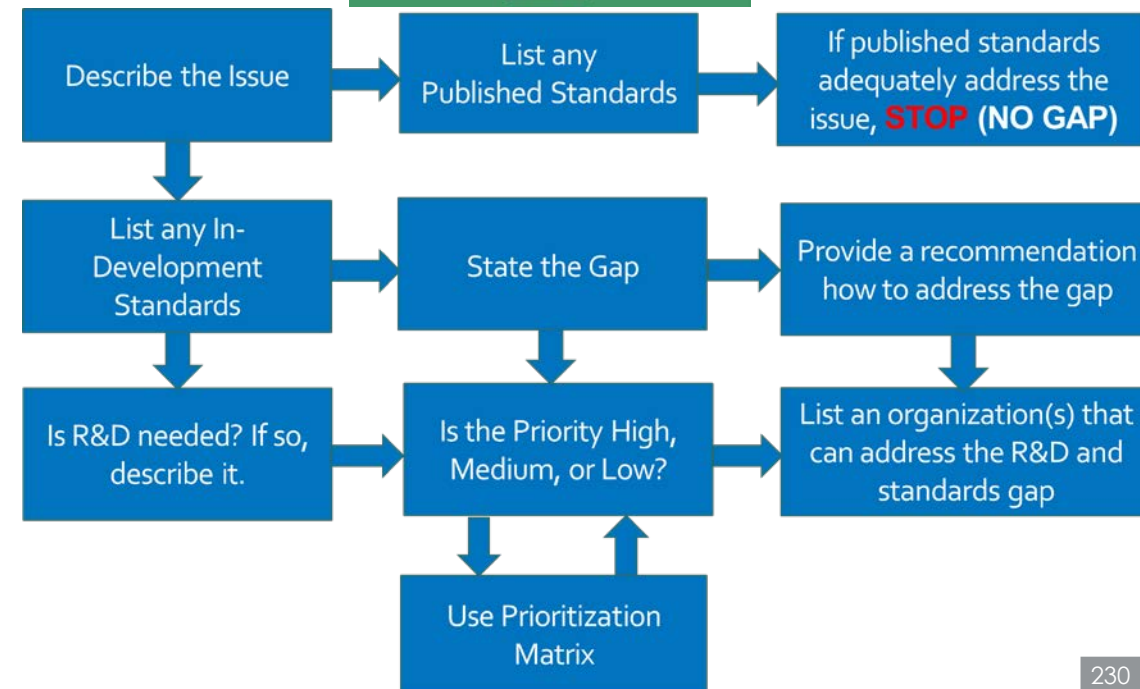
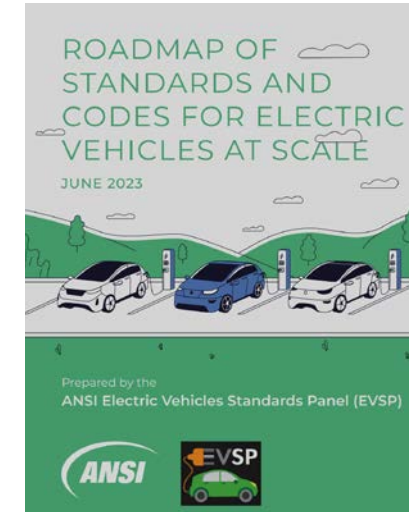
- **NREL** focus on MCS coupler testing, system architectures/impacts study, P2030.13
- **ORNL** focused on wireless (WPT) topics
- **INL** on WPT, P2030.13 (grid side of charging)
- **PNNL** on EVSP roadmap, heavy vehicle charging stds, P2030.13
- **ANL** on 'umbrella' (chair of multiple stds groups) coverage of ongoing W&M stds, ANSI meter stds, IEEE P2030 series (.5, .11, .13, etc), MCS 'everything', emphasis on communication and reliability, (summary chart of active EV charging/safety standards; testing/date in support of standards)

Status excerpts on active standards committees support by topic 4E resources, via labs/contractors

- **EVSP EV Standards Roadmap**; Year of effort/work groups, published June 2023; FY24 quarterly update maintenance
- **IEEE P2030.13 DCaaS Functional Specification for charging system feed**; published/for sale; version 2 proposed
- **SAE J3400 NACS**; Committee launched August 2023 with first TIR draft in 28 day comment September 2023
- **MW Level stds (J3271, AIR7357, IEC80005-4, xMCS/mining)**; J3271 TIR-v1 released, xMCS(40MW) weekly meetings
- **Energy Services Exchange (ESX) implementation**; subset of P2030.13, demonstration April 2023, possible new std.
- **Weights and Measures**; Meter drift study, GUI for off-the-shelf HB44 test tool; HB105 transfer standard guide
- **'Other' SAE/IEEE standards on interoperability, reliability, safety, recycling, etc**: moving forward/expanding scope
- **Mike Duoba EV Variability study/project(s)** rolled into EVs@S C&S in FY23 {SAE J1634, J1711, J2908, etc}
- **Wireless Power Stds**; J2954/1 light duty published; J2954/2 Heavy Duty TIR released, J2954/3 dynamic charging work group launched

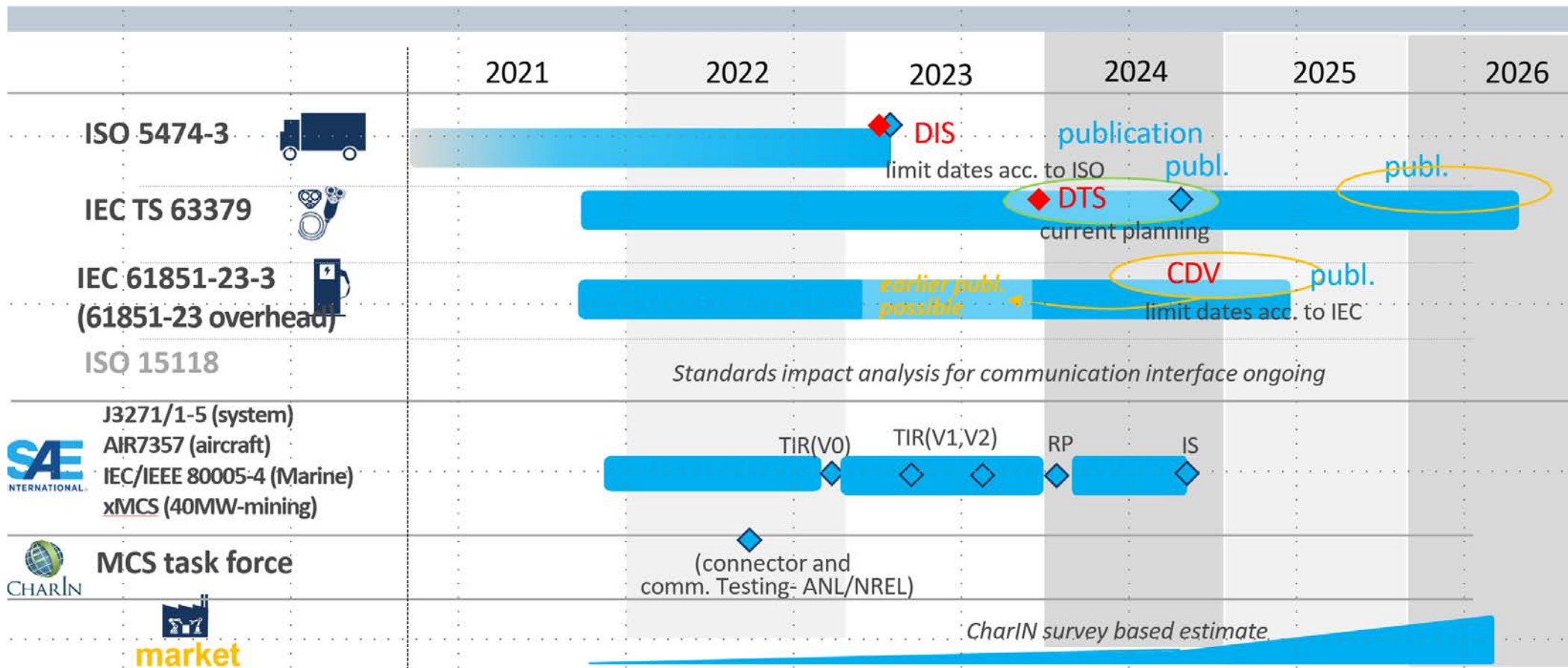
Roadmap Published, Quarterly Updates Planned

- Identifies issues as well as standards, codes, and regulations that exist or are in development to address those issues
- Identifies “gaps” & recommends development of new or revised standards, conformance and training programs, where needed
- A “gap” means no published standard, code, regulation, or conformance program exists
- Focus is U.S. market with international harmonization issues emphasized in key areas
- **50 stakeholder input meetings in 2022/2023**
- Final report published June 2023
<https://www.ansi.org/standards-coordination/collaboratives-activities/electric-vehicles>



Harmonization of High Power Charging SDO Committees/Standards

Working together as a global team: National Lab participants in these and other standards areas need to have consensus between overlapping standards. There is not one 'global' Standards Defining Organization' so all the SDOs have to 'play nice' and create compatible/harmonized standards as a foundation for global interoperability.



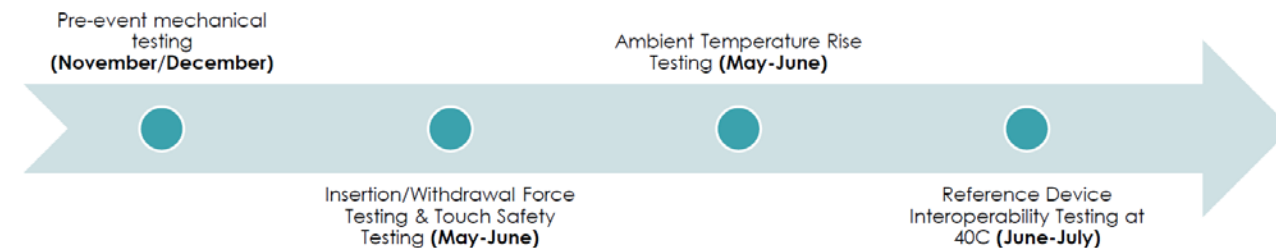


4th NREL MCS Evaluation Event: Fall '22 – Summer '23

Additional evaluations as the design is refined are under consideration:

- Functional evaluation at room temperature for 350 A to 3000 A using the passive- and active-cooled systems
- Quantifying connector insertion force between dissimilar manufacturers and wear-out mechanisms such as insertion cycles, vibration, mechanical shock.
- Electrical resistance trends between dissimilar manufacturers under temperature, mechanical loading (forces in x, y, z directions or torque applied to connector and/or cable, wear-out mechanisms (insertion cycles)
- Reference device development for certification to support IEC TS 63379 standards development

- **November – Early December**
 - Insertion force evaluation for pre-check of component designs prior to tooled-part development
- **Late May – Mid June**
 - Perform ambient-temperature testing
 - Ambient-temperature, round-robin 350A, 1000A, 3000A temperature rise tests
 - Perform mechanical testing
 - Insertion/withdrawal testing, touch-safety finger testing
- **Late June**
 - Modify test bench and move to thermal chamber for reference device testing
- **Late June – Early July**
 - Reference device testing (1500A, 3000A)



- **SAE J3271 Coupler manufacturers (8), ~UL2251 certification**
Amphenol, Cavotec, Evalucon, Huber+Suhner, Phoenix Contact, Rema, Staubli, T.E.

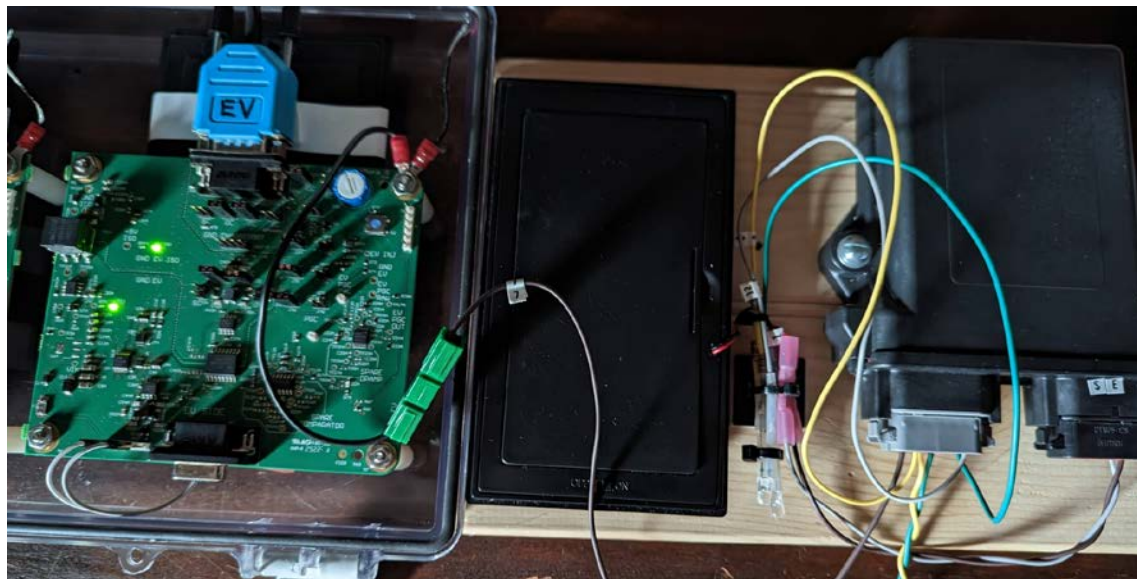
~14-18 companies MW MCS EVSEs in development/pilot projects

- ABB, Alpitronic, Atlis, BTCP, Cavotec, (CAT), Charge America, DesignWerk, Heliox, Hitachi Energy, Imagen Energy, Power Electronics SA, Tritium

- Dual output J3400/J3271 NACS-MCS demonstration w/200A-1500A cables
Platform for open source communication controllers and interoperability testing.



- **PLC communication work has ceased** after IEC61851-23-3 ballot eliminated all but 10BaseT1S physical layer
- 3000A Noise immunity testing at BTCP on production grade MCS EVSEs completed
- SAE J3271 communication controller reference design w/ Univ. of Delaware completed
- Balanced Differential CAN module; 10BaseT1s options being developed
- FY24 goal to publish on reference circuit board and software on GITHUB
- Ethernet over CAN mapping/kernel (TCP/IP), J1939 mapping of ISO15118-20 functions; 'sharing' message set
- Investigating coexistence of CAN and 10BaseT1S transceivers on same twisted pair communication lines



C&S Support Activity Collaborators:

Industry charging stakeholders (manufacturers, operators, planners, researchers, existing projects w/liaison interactions- RHETTA, eTRUC, etc)

Subcontractor subject matter experts (ANSI, University of Delaware, Rema, BTCPower, EVOKE)

Standards organizations (SAE, IEC, ISO, IEEE, ANSI), Code panels (NCWM, UL, NFPA)



NIST SP 2022 special publication guide for developing a transfer standard procedure on HB105-10 (Traceability for EVSE field testing tools) Set for 500A/1000vdc today; 3000A/1500v next; 50ppm 'transfer standard'
ANSI C12.32 DC meter standard; **ANSI C12.33** new transducer standard



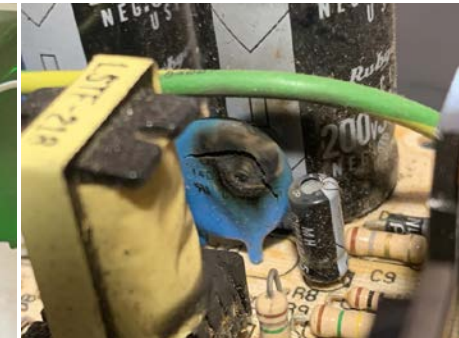
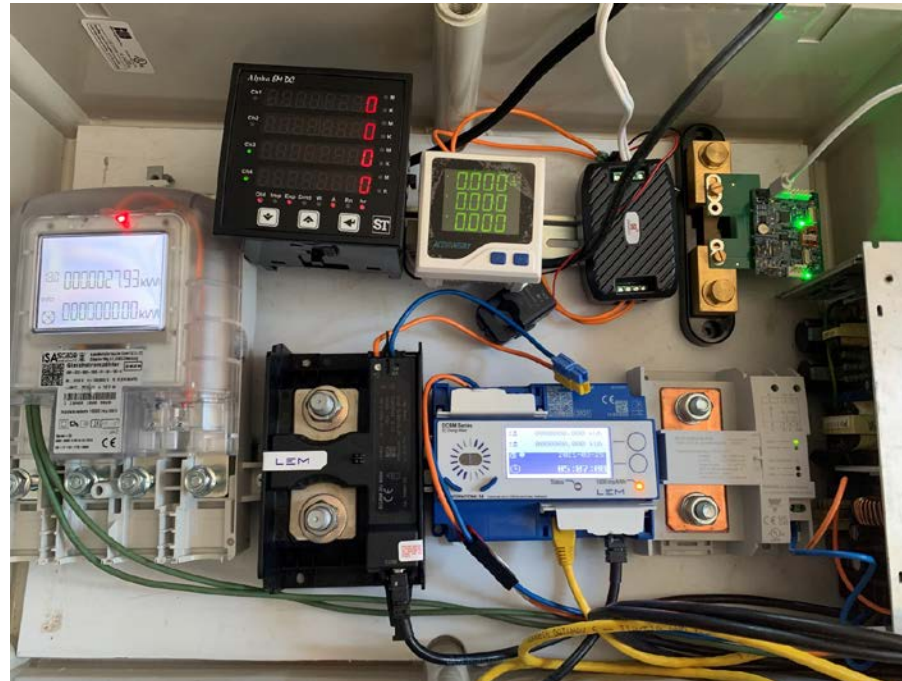
ARPAe collaboration w/Imagen Energy on 250kW blocks for on DCaaS distribution of MCS ready systems; Shoals example Skid mounted switch gear, storage, power converters (example)

- Experiment plan drafted and peer reviewed with EVSE/W&M stakeholders
- Set up test equipment/software, test article meters, identify field test EVSEs
Pass-through CCS cable, three parallel reference meters- average reference data
- Powered up seven bench meters for 12 month duration, test monthly (30A/300A)
- AC EVSE test load (30A for all) to nine EVSEs at locations that are used publicly/daily, in seasonal temperature conditions; tested monthly (two tests each)
- Drive Tesla Model 3 (as controlled 60-300A load) to nine DC EVSE locations. Tested monthly (two tests each); compared to transaction receipt data
- **25 total test articles(7+9+9)**; two tests on each per month (600 tests total in 12 months), three redundant reference meters yields 1800 measurement points
- **Expect to see ~100ppm variability and drift (if any) below 0.5% over 10 years**
- Report released at 6 month and 12 month test results; extended past 12 months?



- 7 Sample meters mounted on DIN rail in a NEMA4 chassis, continuously powered, accumulating run time; Ethernet and serial output to a laptop for monthly samples
- Single/common voltage reference connected to all DC meters
- SB350 connector on current source/reference for each meter/sensor (one at a time)
- AC Meters tested using Transdata 2300 AC meter calibrator (208vac/30A)
- Reference meters and resolution vs sample size .1Wh of 1kWhr=0.001%, 100ppm
- Evaluate but not test outlier EUMD4 AC meter with ~61,000 running hours (7+ years)

- AccuEnergy AcuDC 243
- Carlo Gavazzi DCT1
- Isabellenhuette IEM DCC
- LEM DCBM
- Rish Alpha DC
- Evoke/ANL EUMD6m
- Peacefair AC (\$15 Amazon example)
- (EUMD4 AC meter)- MTBF example

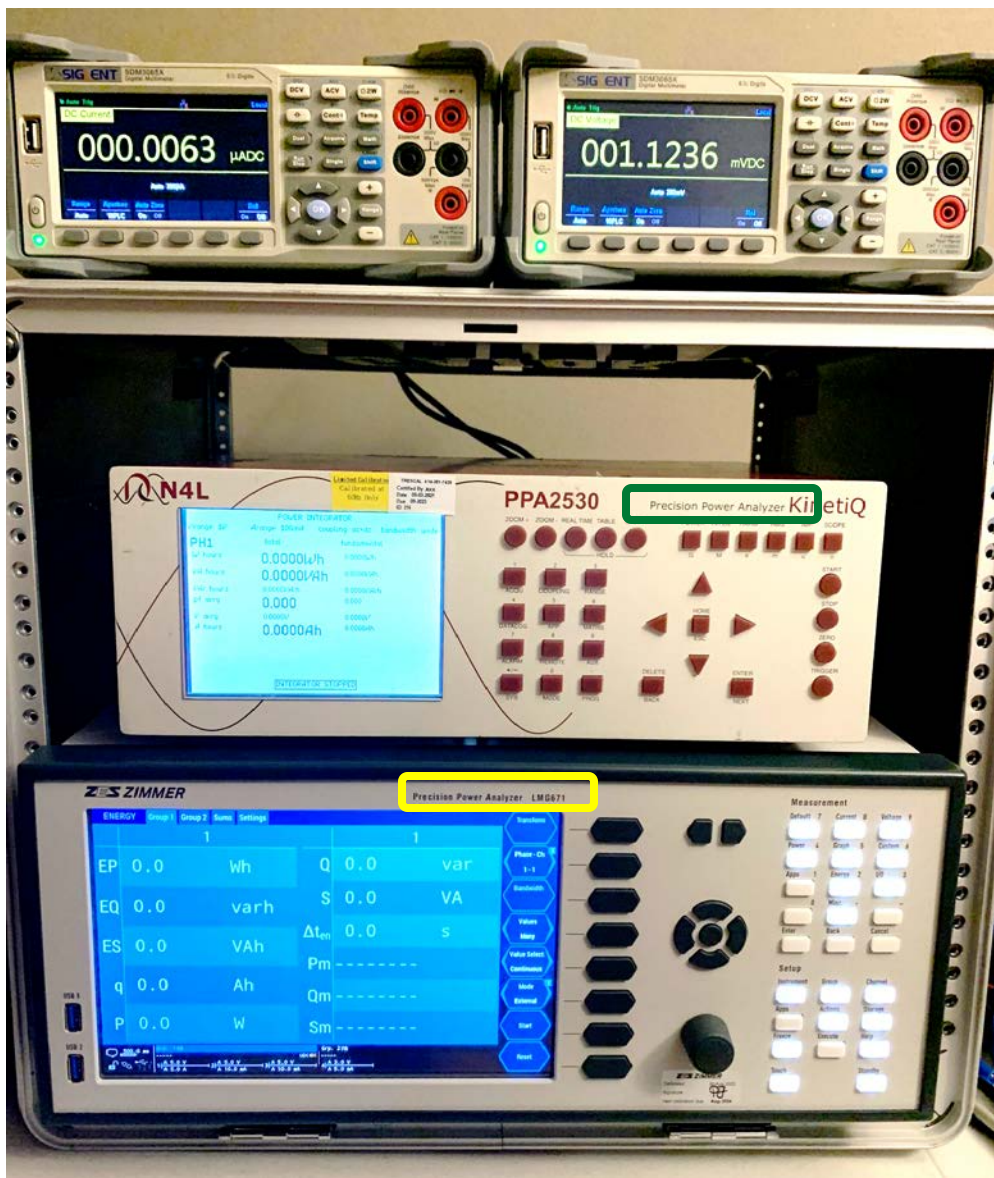


(24v Logic power supply already failed- MTBF?)

9x AC, 9x DC EVSE Test Articles (some replicates), All Madison WI Area

Item	Max amps	Brand	Model#(s)	CPO Network
1	30A AC	Blink/LiteOn	IQ200	Blink
2	30A AC	Blink/Semaconnect	Model 780	Blink
3	30A AC	BTCPower	L2P-30-240-15	AmpControl
4	30A AC	ChargePoint	CT4000	Chargepoint
5	30A AC	ChargePoint(2)	CT4000	Chargepoint
6	48A AC	Emporia	EMEVSE1UL	Emporia Cloud App
7	40A AC	EnelX	JuiceBox Pro40	Enel
8	48A AC	Siemens	Versicharge 8EM1310	Shell Recharge
9	48A AC	Tesla	Gen 3 Wallbox	Tesla 4 Business site host

Item	PWR	Max amps	Brand	Model#(s)	CPO Network
1	25kW	65A	Delta	EVDE25E4DUM	Ampcontrol
2	20kW	60A	ABB	Terra Wallbox	? (non-network)
3	50kW	125A	ABB	Terra54	Chargepoint?
4	60kW	200A	Blink/Tellus	Tellus	Blink
5	350kW	350A	BTCPower	HPCD1-350-02-003	Shell Recharge
6	62.5kW	200A	ChargePoint	Express 250	Chargepoint
7	350kW	350A	Signet	DP350K-DCM	Electrify America
8	250kW	630A	Tesla	SuperCharger V3	Tesla App.
9	120kW	300A	Tesla	SuperCharger V2	Tesla App.



- Using a single reference meter has the risk of drift of the reference that may appear as error on all test article accuracy/difference of measurements
- Stating the obvious, concurrence of measurements requires an odd number of reference meters for a majority.
- The three measurement systems shown here, with associated (20ppm, 0.0002%) precision current sensors, are used in this study. All are NIST traceable/annual calibration certified accuracy.
- 6.5 digit/~20ppm DMM with Labview GUI
- 5 digit/0.025% KinetiQ PPA2530 analyzer
- 5 digit/ 0.015% ZES Zimmer NLG671 analyzer

Milestones (shorthand)

- Report on conceptual/functional requirements for P2030.13 w/simulations
- MCS physical layer communication robustness test plan; test results (J3271/2)
- ANSI EVSP standards roadmap, completed and published
- IEEE P2030.13-J3271/4 based 'PowerBroker' Energy Services Exchange (ESX) implementation as an Application Programming Interface (API) (phase 1) complete

Deliverables (shorthand)

- Quarterly/annual progress reports
- MCS coupler thermal-mechanical testing results report
- (critical input to...) first peer review draft of SAE J3271 (part 1-5) MCS TIR
- (critical input to...) first peer review draft of IEEE P2030.13 Functional specs
- Monthly MW+ Charging industry engagement webinar based forum for input

Review

- Initiative Overview
- Standards Support Priority Selection Methodology
- Significant areas of standards development activities
- Implementation/validation of technology-requirements as part of standards

Next steps

- Continued monthly MW+ Charging Industry Engagement interactions/feedback
- Continued weekly SAE J3271(AIR7357) meetings toward TIR v2 goal in December 2023
- Continued monthly standards work group participation; drafting standards, etc
- Progress toward milestones are studies supporting WPT and P2030.13 standards
- Engagement in Interoperability (Testival) events in 2023 Lincoln Electric hosted- Cleveland OH, Nov 2023
- Codes and Standards Deep Dive web based meeting **tentatively October**
Contact: Tbohn@anl.gov, Codes and Standards Pillar Lead

Breaktime!

Panel Presentations resume at...



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Public Charging Challenges for Medium & Heavy-Duty Vehicles

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Public Charging Challenges for MD & HD Vehicles

Interoperability & Reliability

Automotive Shift to NACS

Public Charger Parking

Interoperability: Background

Why is EV charging so painful for the customer?

- *Incomplete standard* → parameters are left open to interpretation by the OEM (Example: restarting a DC charge session is supported by the standard, but the methods to do so are undefined)
- *Lack of commercial vehicle focus* → DIN/ISO standards are primarily for on-the-go, public charging of passenger vehicles. Commercial vehicles are using these standards for DC overnight, unattended charging
- *Unreliable hardware* → liquid cooled cables, exposure to the elements (example – charge plug water ingress), network/payment dependency, and customer misuse all contribute to failed or derated charge sessions
- *Ever-evolving landscape* → constant OTA updates for vehicle and charger invalidate previous confidence in compatibility

PRESS RELEASE

Growing Electric Vehicle Market Threatens to Short-Circuit Public Charging Experience, J.D. Power Finds

Tesla Destination, Tesla Supercharger Stations Rank Highest in Respective Segments

17 August 2022

Public Charging Reliability < 80%

Abstract

In order to achieve a rapid transition to electric vehicle driving, a highly reliable and easy to use charging infrastructure is critical to building confidence as consumers shift from using familiar gas vehicles to unfamiliar electric vehicles (EV). This study evaluated the functionality of the charging system for 657 EVSE (electric vehicle service equipment) CCS connectors (combined charging system) on all 181 open, public DCFC (direct current fast chargers) charging stations in the Greater Bay Area. An EVSE was evaluated as functional if it charged an EV for 2 minutes or was charging an EV at the time the station was evaluated. Overall, 72.5% of the 657 EVSEs were functional. The cable was too short to reach the EV inlet for 4.9% of the EVSEs. Causes of 22.7% of EVSEs that were non-functioning were unresponsive or unavailable screens, payment system failures, charge initiation failures, network failures, or broken connectors. A random evaluation of 10% of the EVSEs, approximately 8 days after the first evaluation, demonstrated no overall change in functionality. This level of functionality appears to conflict with the 95 to 98% uptime reported by the EV service providers (EVSPs) who operate the EV charging stations. The findings suggest a need for shared, precise definitions of and calculations for reliability, uptime, downtime, and excluded time, as applied to open public DCFCs, with verification by third-party evaluation.

<https://arxiv.org/ftp/arxiv/papers/2203/2203.16372.pdf>

Table 2. Functional states of 657 CCS DCFC EVSEs.

	N	%
Functioning		
Charged for 2 minutes	375	57.1%
Occupied by EV and charging	101	15.4%
Total	476	72.5%
Not Functioning		
Connector broken	6	0.9%
Blank or non-responsive screen	23	3.5%
Error message on screen ¹	24	3.7%
Connection error ²	7	1.1%
Payment system failure ³	47	7.2%
Charge initiation failure ⁴	42	6.4%
Total	149	22.7%
Station Design Failure		
Cable would not reach ⁵	32	4.9%

¹ Charger error, unavailable, under maintenance, etc.

² Connection, network, communication error, etc.

³ 12 of these were evaluated with 2 credit cards but not an app or membership card

⁴ Short session failure

⁵ At 3 EVSEs the space was too small to safely back into

Interoperability: Combinations and Permutations

- Customer expectation is that everything should just work
- There are dozens of Electric Vehicle Supply Equipment (EVSE) hardware suppliers
- Every supplier has multiple EVSE models
- There are many Vehicle Suppliers (OEMs)
- Interoperability can be affected by:
 - Vehicle hardware or software changes
 - Charger hardware or software changes
 - Cloud software changes for either vehicle or charger
- ‘Suppliers’ X ‘OEMs’ X ‘Models’ X ‘HW iterations’ X ‘SW iterations’ =
1,000s of combinations that may or may not work

OEMs + EVSE Suppliers: Improving Interoperability

CharIN test events help everyone



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Move to NACS

Confirmed:

- Ford
- GM
- Fisker
- Honda
- Mercedes
- Rivian
- Volvo
- Polestar
- Nissan
- Jaguar

Considering:

- Kia (800 volt)
- Hyundai (800 volt)
- VW



Quickly

FLO Stations to Offer North American Charging Standard (NACS); Supports Broader Use



NEWS PROVIDED BY
FLO
08 Jun, 2023, 20:37 ET



AUBURN HILLS, Mich., June 8, 2023 /PRNewswire/ - FLO Chief Product Officer Nathan Yang issued the following statement in response to the announcement that multiple automakers will adopt the North America Charging Standard (NACS):

Blink, Kempower, Chargepoint to Integrate Tesla NACS Connectors

By Sarah Lee-Jones · 3 mins ago



The Tesla North American Charging Standard (NACS) continues to see more dominoes fall in its favor. First it was Ford, then GM, and now more third-party charger networks have announced they will integrate the Tesla connector into their chargers.

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ABB E-mobility has been driving progress for over a decade as a world leader in the e-mobility industry. We will continue to lead by adding the North American Charging Standard (NACS) as an option for our products. Open standards and interoperability are foundational elements of a robust and scalable e-mobility economy. We will continue our commitment to global and regional standards (CCS, MCS, CHAdeMO, GB/T), and collaboration with our partners and the rest of our industry to deliver charging solutions that accelerate the electrification of transportation for all.

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ABB E-MOBILITY UPDATE

ABB E-mobility is adding the North American Charging Standard (NACS) as an option for our products



NACS Now Eligible

Government now including Tesla chargers in federal funding for public chargers.

REUTERS

White House welcomes Tesla to take advantage of federal dollars for chargers



connected Tesla to its efforts
to spend up to \$7.5 billion

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Jarrett Renshaw and Abhirup Roy

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Time Will Tell

Will fleets with light duty NACS vehicles demand medium and heavy duty NACS vehicles?



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Parking Challenges: No Room for Commercial Vehicles



Multiple parking spaces need to be occupied or vehicle / trailer combination sticks out into the aisle

Parking Fix: Pull Throughs



Gas stations figured this out 100 years ago



Looks like a gas station

Parking Fix: Pull Throughs



DTNA Charging Island

Parking Fix: Setbacks from Curbs



Tesla Seeing the Need

Final Thoughts

We need to fix interoperability – FAST

Either make a strong case for CCS or switch to NACS

‘Push for pull throughs’

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CPOs, Charging, and Standards

Peter Thompson, Director of Standards

September 28, 2023

Talking points

- + Who here likes standards? We do, and we don't.
 - We like them because when companies conform, things just work. **And it only requests a single implementation, which saves on resources and maintenance.**
 - We don't like them because they are complex, **strict, flexible**, and difficult to read, so people frequently get things wrong, **don't align the business requirements and process, or have no clue how to implement them.**
 - » Explain why standards are so complex.
 - » Explain how we embrace worldwide standards (cost and complexity reduction)
- + How do we get things to just work?
 - Testing. Lots of testing – with test equipment and OEMs, **on a peer-to-peer basis or at Festivals.**
 - » Explain why you can't test just once and be done – no Golden Test Device, for example.
 - » Explain the difference between conformance and interoperability.
- + Interoperability is more important than conformance
 - Without interoperability, not everyone can charge, thus holding back the industry
 - **Interoperability is also more than just implementing the standards syntax correctly. Governance and guidance on use-cases/scenarios is just as important to understand what is addressed**
 - » **Car crash example – OEM knows car has crashed, it must remove certificate from use, etc.**
 - Talk about the move to NACS due to systems not working properly (no mention of maintenance)

Who likes standards? Me, sort of.

+ I do because

- When products fully conform, things just work.
- This typically only requests a single implementation, which saves on resources and maintenance.
- No special one-offs for “difficult” companies.

+ I don't because standards

- Are complex, strict, flexible, and difficult to read - so people frequently get things wrong,
- Often don't align the business requirements and process,
- Frequently, developers have no clue how to implement them.

So - a Love-hate relationship. How to fix this?

+ Testing. Lots of testing.

- With test equipment (as many different brands as possible)
- With lots of different product - on a peer-to-peer basis or at Festivals.
- You have to do this a LOT – not just once.
 - » There is no Golden Test Device.
 - » Everyone does things differently.
 - » Options are rarely part of initial conformance testing.
 - » New features come up all the time (Plug-n-Charge is just one example).

Interoperability vs Conformance

- + In my opinion, Interoperability is more important than conformance
 - Without interoperability, not everyone can charge (this is a Bad Thing™).
 - Due to the difficulties in reading the standard, there will always be product that does not conform
 - » This happens a lot. Especially with EVs that are already in the market now.
 - » Once a EV is in the market, the odds of a software update are slim.
 - Interoperability for EV charging is all about getting power flow between EV and charger.
 - » Pragmatism is required to get this flow to happen
 - » If someone gets something wrong that is not critical – keep moving forward.
 - » If communication times-out – wait a bit longer.
 - » If parameters change when they shouldn't – relax and use the new parameter.

Interoperability is more than Conformance

- + Interoperability is also more than just implementing the standards syntax correctly. Governance and guidance on use-cases/scenarios is just as important to understand what is addressed.
 - For example, if certificates are installed in an EV, and that EV gets totalled, that certificate needs to be removed from general use (PKI ecosystem).
 - In case the grid is having frequency problems, there needs to be a way for the charger and EV to cooperate and either reduce load or provide power to the grid.

Conclusion

- + EV charging does not occur in a vacuum – lots of odd things happen.
- + In order for the power to flow, pragmatism and thoroughly tested equipment is required.

Thank You

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**Managing EV Charging Within
A Local Distribution Area With
OpenADR 3.0**

EVs@Scale Lab Consortium Semi-Annual Stakeholder Meeting

**@ Argonne National Laboratory
September 28, 2023**

Raymond Kaiser
CIO



The Reality – Fast Load Growth

The clustering of EV charging will significantly increase local loads

- Airports, seaports, other transportation hubs
- Older Commercial & Industrial Areas
- Multifamily
- Upscale Neighborhoods





The Challenge – Local Capacity

Utilities will be hard-pressed to add capacity in the short term.

Seasonal and daily peak capacity challenges on certain feeders and circuits can delay interconnecting new capacity.

EV charging deployments will be delayed and/or utilities will face capital-intensive upgrades of substations, feeders and transformers.

The Solution – Local Managed Charging

- Manage EV chargers to grid topology by load or congestion zone
- Standardize information exchanges - resource availability, next day/same day forecast, resource commitment, Proof of service delivery (M&V)
- Know the location and capacity on the distribution grid
- Make resource availability visible in real time
- Coordinate EV charging schedules
- OpenAPIs based on OpenADR 3.0 and OCPP 1.6/2.x



SERVICES



Energy Market Price Response



Peak Capacity Management



Spinning Reserve/Ramping



Meet Obligation to supply capacity in a wholesale Energy Market



Frequency Regulation



Fast Frequency Response / Artificial Inertia



Distribution Voltage Management



SERVICE REQUEST

- ENERGY
- POWER

- Active
- Reactive

a common vocabulary
and
well-defined
information exchange messages
for energy services.



INFORMATION EXCHANGE

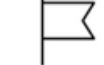


Service Requester

who



Service Provider



Service Location

where



Event Signal Type

how



Requested Service Type

what



Quantity

how
much



Cost



Response Time



Recurring Type

when



Start Time
End Time

OpenADR 3.0 – a new syntax : APIs & JSON

OpenADR REST Demand Response API

1.0.0 OAS3

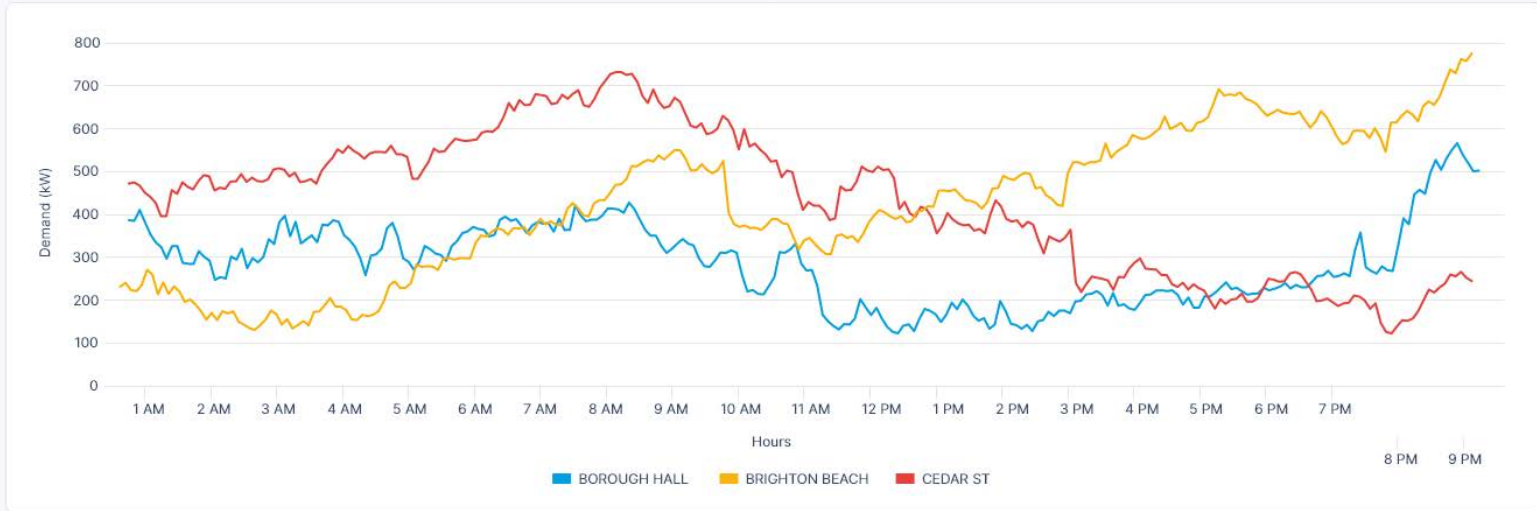
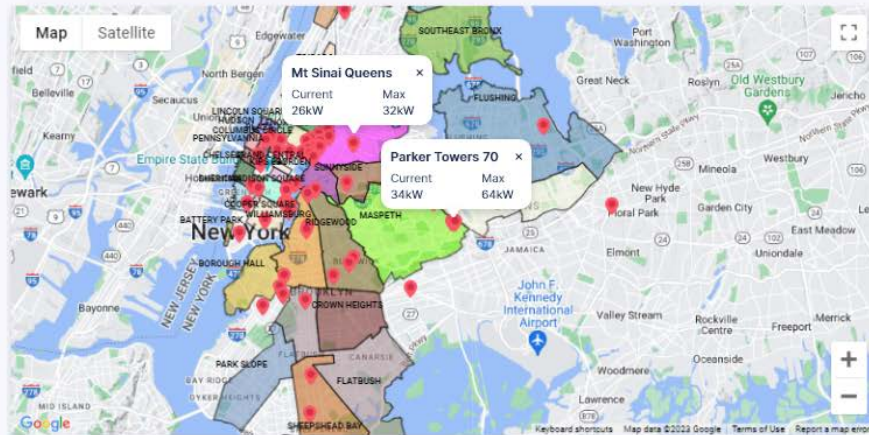
The OpenADR REST API supports energy retailer to energy customer Demand Response programs. The API includes the following capabilities and operations:

Manage programs:

- Create/Update/Delete a program

- API based – more developer friendly; easier to integrate into other apps
- JSON & Web sockets – Less verbose; lower latency; supports real time operations
- More scalable & flexible

Con Ed service territory		
	Current Total Load 3,184 kW	Max Total Load 6,386 kW
Coordination Node	Current Load (kW)	Max Load (kW)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BOROUGH HALL	231 kW	246 kW
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BRIGHTON BEACH	20 kW	53 kW
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CEDAR ST	23 kW	246 kW
<input type="checkbox"/> COOPER SQUARE	326 kW	719 kW
<input type="checkbox"/> CROWN HEIGHTS	13 kW	27 kW
<input type="checkbox"/> ELMSFORD NO 2	31 kW	306 kW
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Demonstration at Scale

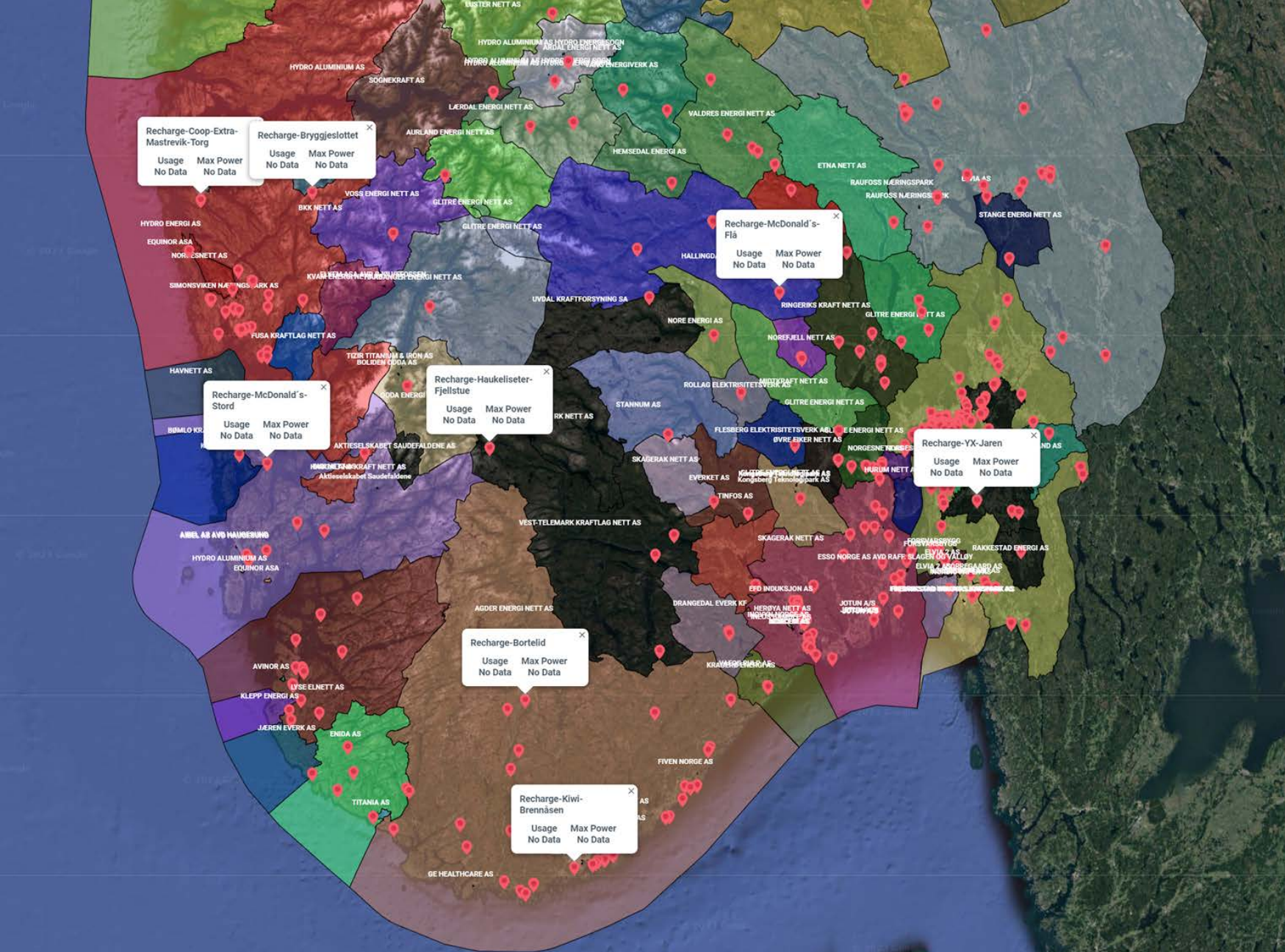
New York City

- 1,200+ EVSEs
- 8+ MW Max Power
- Aggregate load in 82 Load Zones every 15 min
- Based on OpenADR 3.0

Demonstration at Scale Norway



- Over 5,700 DCFCs
- 100+ electric service areas



EVoKE ANL ESX Road Map

Phase 1 (Complete)



- Grid Operator (GO)
- Charge Network Operator (CNO)
- DER Service Provider (DSP)

Phase 2 (Just Launched)

- Charge Station Operator (CSO)
- Fleet Operator

Phase 3.1 (Proposed)

- EV Driver
- Charge Station Operator (CSO)

Phase 3.2 (Proposed)

- Grid Operator (GO)
- DER Service Provider (DSP)



- Coordination Architecture
- Map DER resources to distribution topology (load zones)
- Standardized Reporting (payloads)

Load Management

- Sets site limit (max power)
- Schedule TOU targets
- Set DR response targets

Notifications & Price Offers

- Opt in/Opt out

UI/UX to define load shift, shed and shape program requirements and automated requests



OpenADR 3.0

OCPP 2.01

OCPI

OpenADR 3.0



EV Charging & The Grid

01

EV Growth

New demand can increase faster than the local utility infrastructure.

02

Shift to renewables – greater supply variability.

03

Managed charging can meet the challenge.

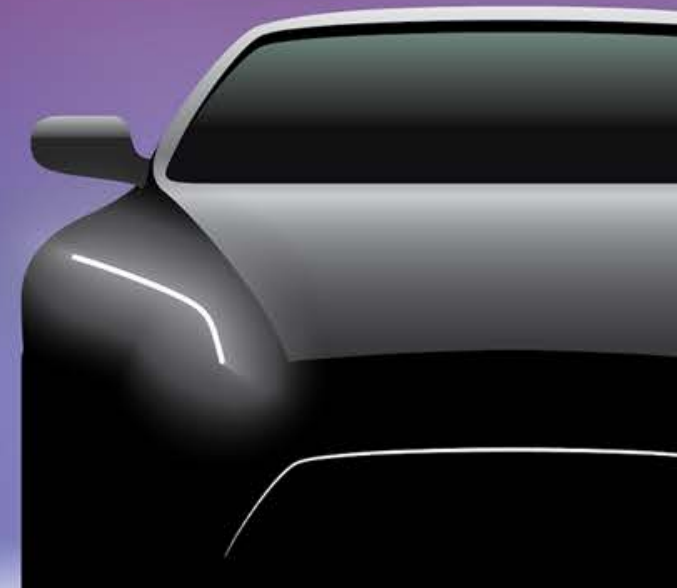
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Generate additional revenue for charge station operators.

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Shift to EV Managed Charging

2021 SEPA whitepaper EV
Managed Charging
Framework



An EV Managed Charging Framework: Simplifying Managed Charging with Energy Service Contracts

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ENERGY SERVICE INTERFACE TASK FORCE



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Raymond Kaiser, co-chair, EVOKE Systems



- **What DER resources are Available?**
- **Where?**
- **When?**

Standard information exchange based on OpenADR semantics


Who

-  Service requester
-  Service provider

Where

-  Location



How

-  Event or price signal



What

-  Requested service

How Much

-  Quantity
-  Cost

When

-  Start time/Duration
-  Response time

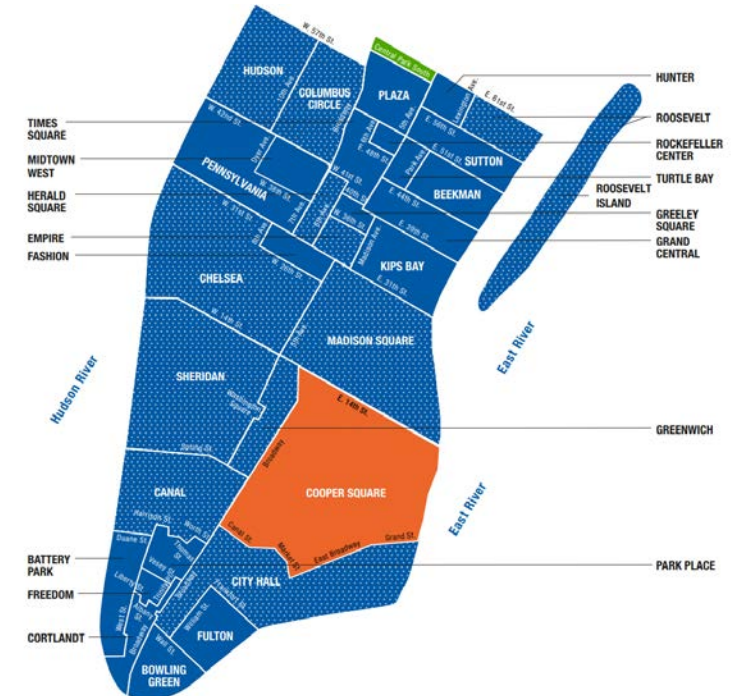
ESX overview

ESX enables grid operators, DER service providers Charge Network and Charge Station Operators to dial down demand within a distribution zone via an open API.

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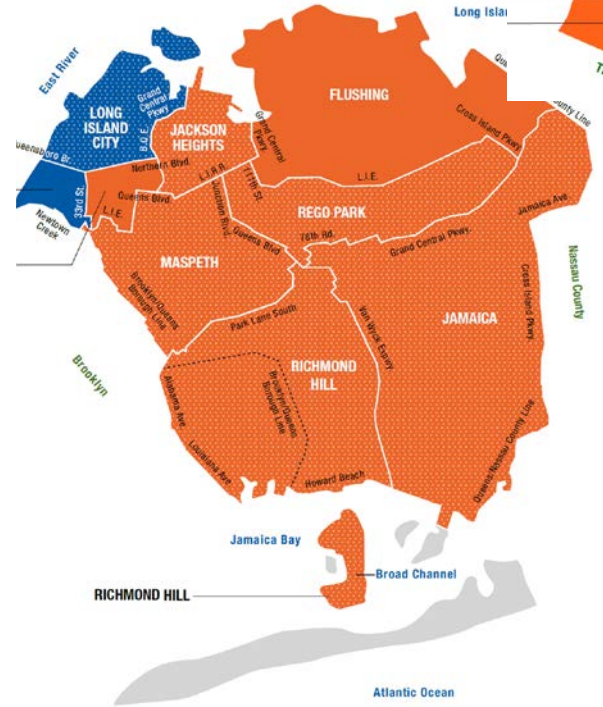
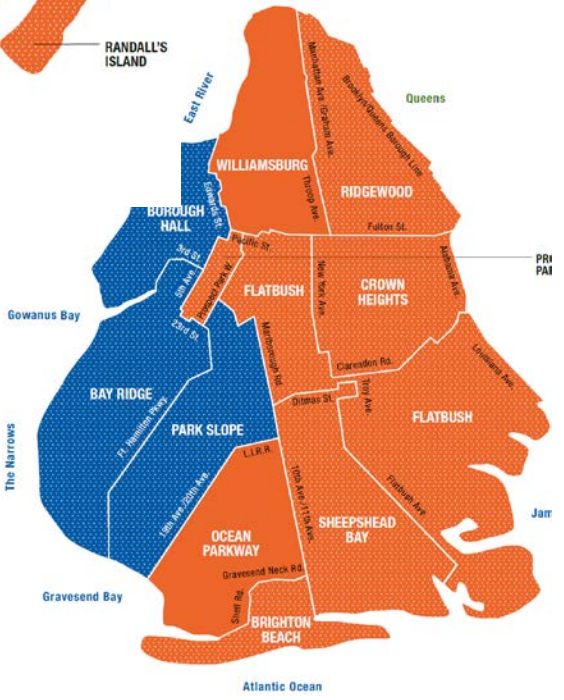
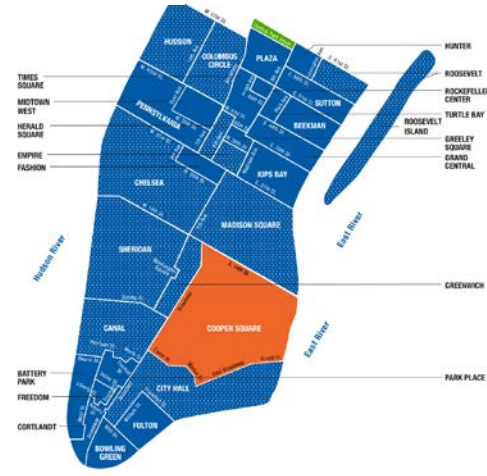
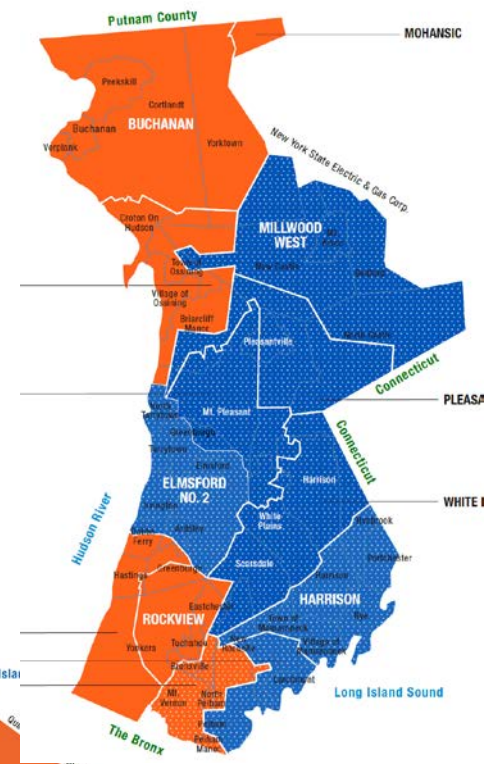
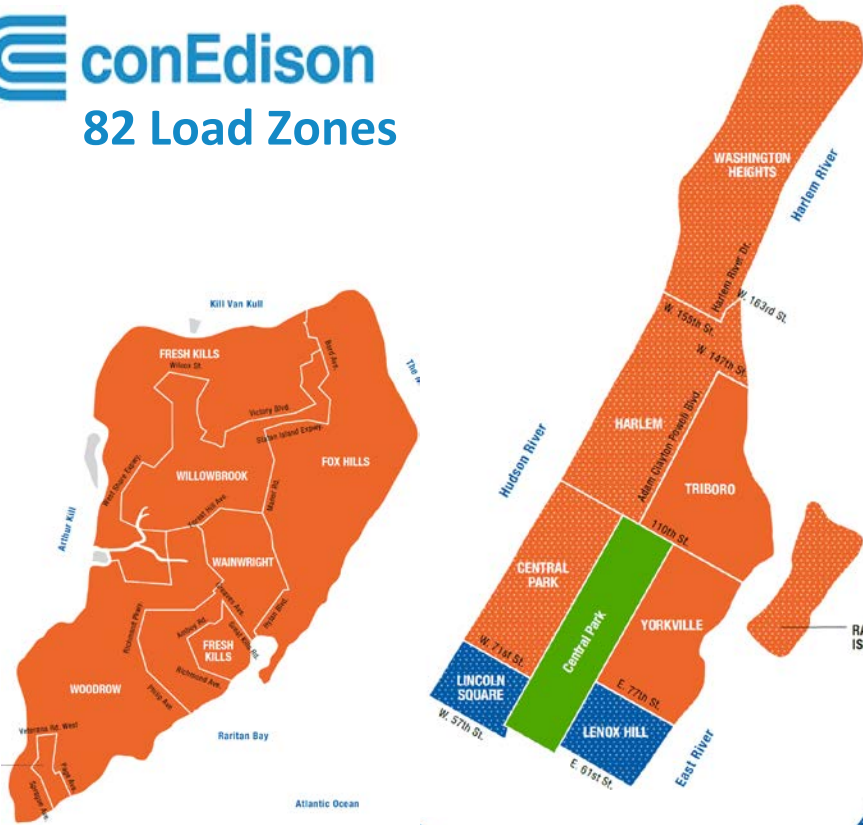
- A hosted energy services exchange
- A public set of open APIs
- Standardized report types, in the form of energy service contracts, to provide:
 - real time EV charging load
 - short-term (next day/same day) forecast
 - resource availability
 - resource commitment
 - proof-of-service delivery

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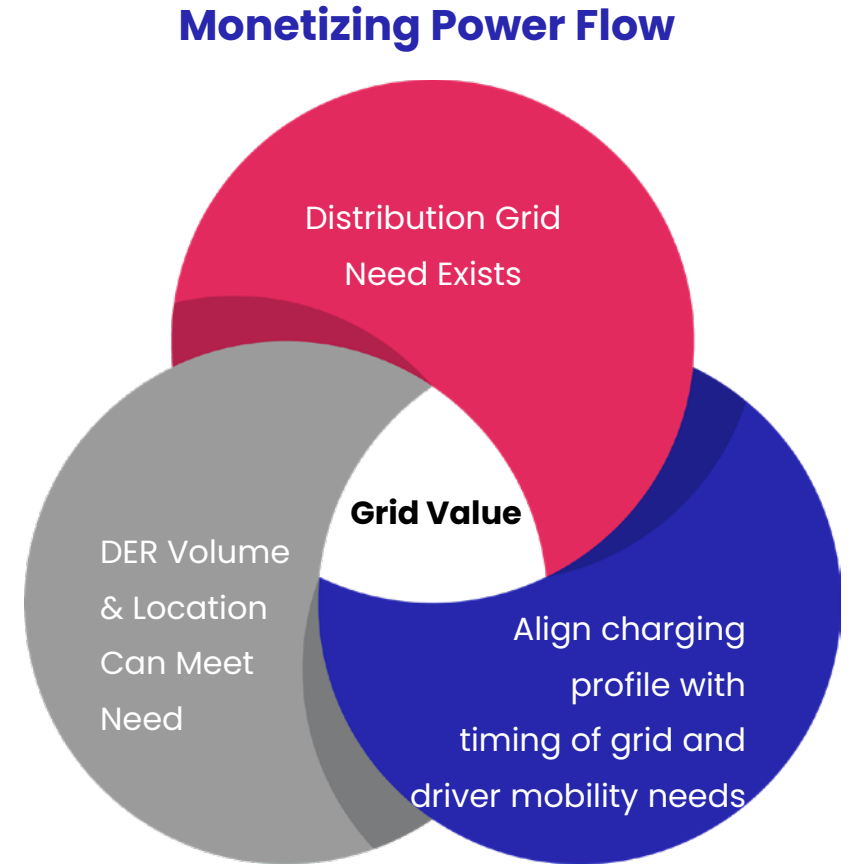
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82 Load Zones



Accelerate the standardization of real time DER interoperability at the distribution level

Increase EV charging hosting capacity, reduce congestion, & enhance demand response



Contract Info Elements

contract no <contractUuid>

contract agreement <contractURL>

parties

buyer <energyRequestor> <partyUUID>

seller <energyProvider> <partyUUID>

location

<parentNodeID> <coordination area> <childNodeID>

service

quantitykind <qtyType> enum ActiveEnergy, ActivePower, ReactivePower

unit <kwh, kw, kvar)

quantity <value>

time stamp

startTime <dateTime> can be next day, same day, or now

duration <hr:min:sec>

forecast <capacity> <uncertainty> <timeHorizon>
<interval>

interval <15 min, < 5min < 1min, <1sec

ramp time <15 min, < 5min < 1min, <1sec

financial terms

USD <currencyType>

\$ <currencySymbol>

price <pricePerUnit>

price <priceType> enum – event signal, firm, forecast,

expiration date <priceExpirationDate>

total <totalPrice>

delivery terms

as-needed

price or event signal <enum> 1-4 or pricePerUnit

commitment <eventResponse> enum



Energy Services Contract

Contract Info

Contract Type

Forecast

Contract Number

|

Contract Agreement URL

energy
service
contract



Parties

Requestor

Provider

Location

Coordination Node ID

Service

Energy

Active (P)

Unit

kWh

Quantity

Date Time

Start Time

Duration

Interval

Terms

Signal Type

Event

Event

Event 1

Expiration Date

Total

Cancel

Save

GO/DSP

- Set TOU rates
- Set Smart Charging rates
- DR – request next day/same day load shed/shift

CNO/CSO

- Set site limit (max power)
- Schedule TOU and Smart Charging targets
- Set DR response targets
- Send charge limit, TOU, & DR notifications & offers

Driver

TOU & DR offers

- set & forget
- opt out if needed
- one time offers

Decarbonization of Transportation @Scale

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What's missing in
this picture?



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What's your recipe for program success?

5 Part Answer



Business Models

Stakeholder alignment
Multi-stream ecosystems
Durable, Scalable, Sustainable



Real Estate (Location x 5)

Portfolio support use cases
Private, shared or hybrid facilities?
Entitlements, right of ways



Capital, Carbon & Operating Budgets

Strategy
Feasibility -> Design certainty
TCO Inflection points?



Calendar Realities

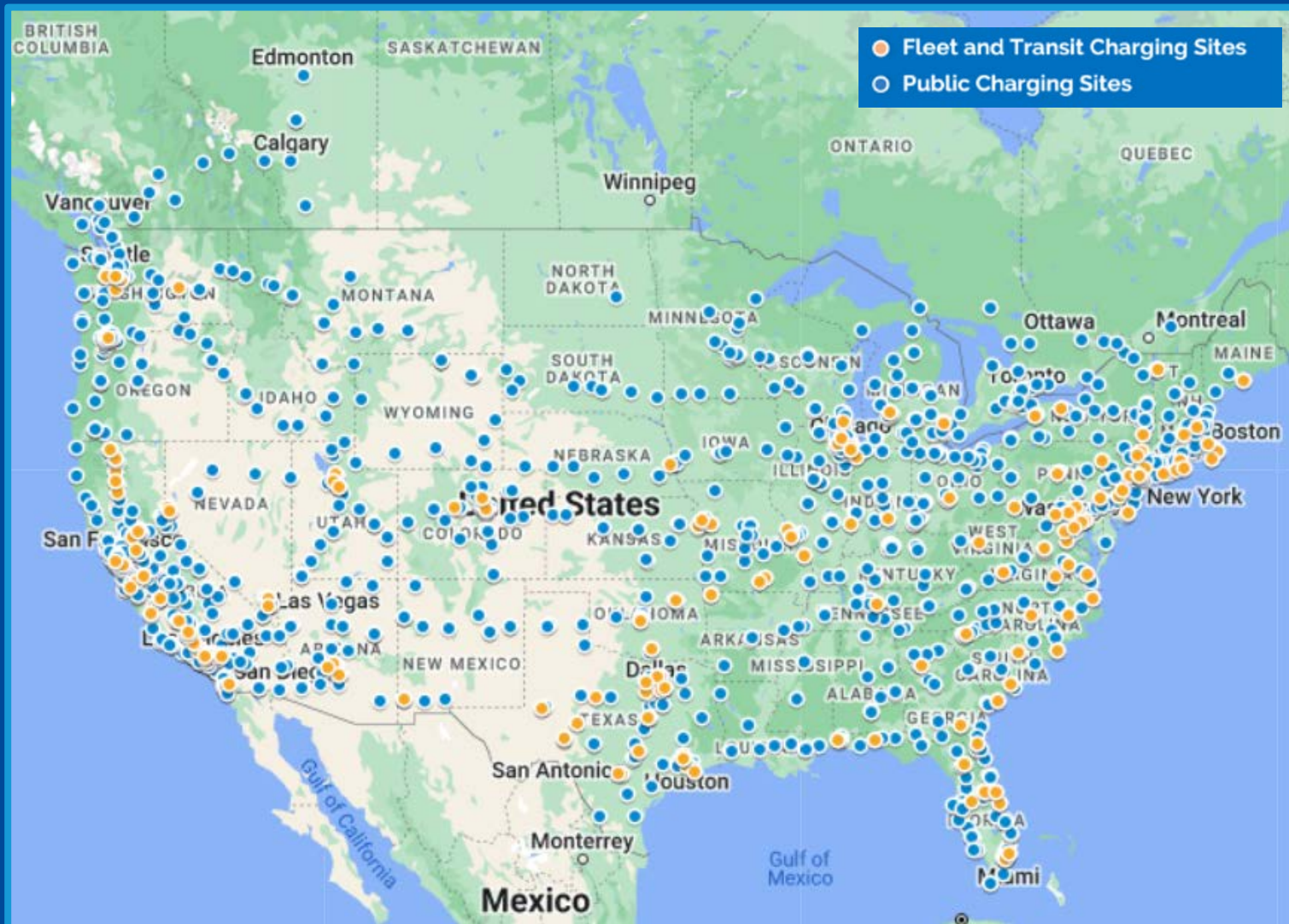
Supply Chain
Energy Supply
Approvals & Permitting
Integration with Fleet Operations



Technology & Infrastructure Deployment Alignment

Vehicle Production
Efficiency, Physics, Centralized,
Distributed & Resilient

Electric Vehicle Charging Infrastructure Experience



30,134
Dispensers




49 States
and Canada,
Germany,
United Kingdom,
Spain & the
Netherlands

2,266
Sites

2 GW
EV Charging
power engaged

326 MW
Fleet charging
engaged

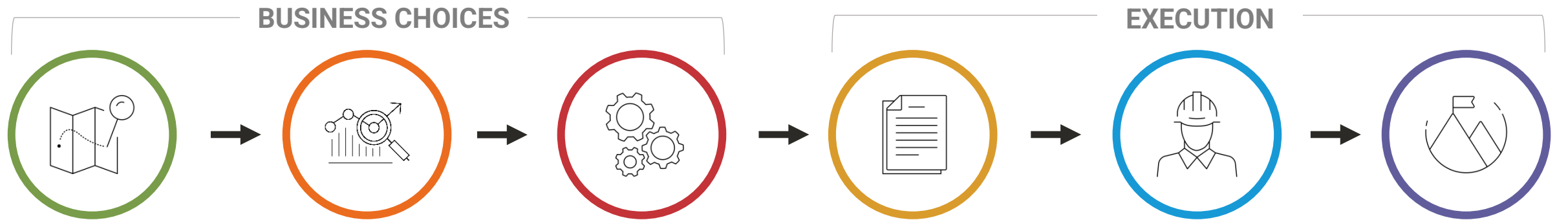
Grid Connection, Supply Chain, Non-Wires Options, Carbon Intensity: Numerous site and regional variables impact infrastructure investment requirements and scale up roadmap

SAMPLE FLEET	CAPACITY REQ'D	GRID UPGRADE	EXAMPLE TIMELINE REQUIRED
 <p>20 overnight charging medium-duty delivery trucks</p>	1MW Charging Site	Service Transformer	~3 - 6 MONTHS
 <p>500 overnight charging light-duty delivery vans</p>	5MW Charging Site	Feeder Upgrade	12 - 26 MONTHS
 <p>200 daytime fast charging heavy-duty trucks</p>	20MW Charging Site	Substation Upgrade	24 - 48 MONTHS OR MORE



Infrastructure Development Lifecycle

Portfolio Development & Program Architecture Drive Success



Strategy

- Market view
- Customer markets & buying proposition
- Competitive model
- Provider landscape
- Economic model
- Financial targets
- Competitive strategy

Go-to-Market Deployment

- Customer value proposition
- Target customer segments
- Deal strategy for new customers

Prelim. Feasibility & Design

- Detailed site assessment
- Grid capacity check & load letter submission
- Customer transportation operations survey
- Go/No-Go decision on site

Detailed Engineering

- Engineering designs
- Zoning, permitting & approval
- Utility interconnection
- Procurement & purchasing
- Inventory Control
- Qualify and manage subcontractors

Construction & Commissioning

- Mobilization
- Site kick-off
- Site prep/civil works
- Skid installation
- Electrical
- Mechanical
- Communications

Operation & Maintenance

- Site turn-over
- Testing and training
- Startup and commissioning
- Energy optimization
- Alarms and monitoring
- Infrastructure management

Daimler & Portland General Electric Electric Island

Black & Veatch designed and built a first-of-a-kind public charging site for medium- and heavy-duty vehicles near Portland, Oregon.

- Up to 4.5 MW utility capacity
- Charging for 9 vehicles
- Flexible pre-cast trenching system for easy equipment swap
- Plans for more chargers, on-site energy storage, solar power generation, and a product and technology showcase building



Sysco Corporation

Electric Fleet Charging with Onsite Power

One of the largest fleet charging sites, the site supports Sysco's pledge to reduce carbon emissions across its global distribution operations.

The charging depot has:

- 40 battery electric truck chargers
- 1.5 MW of solar generation
- Battery Energy Storage System
- Microgrid
- Onsite generation to power charging and reduce grid load

An extension of an Owner's Engineer package, BV provided:

- Engineering Coordination
- Procurement of Photovoltaic and Balance of Plant Equipment
- Construction Subcontracts Support
- Construction Execution
- Project Management



Schneider National Inc.

Electric Truck Charging Depot

Schneider, a global logistics company, built a truck charging depot to support their electric fleet as part of their initiative to operate more sustainably.

The depot, located in South El Monte, California:

- Powers Schneider's fleet of 92 eCascadia battery electric trucks
- Features 16 350 kW dual-corded dispensers that will charge 32 trucks simultaneously, reaching 80% charge within 90 minutes
- Will help Schneider meet their sustainability goals to slash 7.5% carbon emissions per mile by 2025, and 60% per mile by 2035

Black & Veatch Scope Included:

- Charging feasibility
- Energy planning
- Fleet operation program requirements
- Engineering, Procurement & Construction



Schneider National – Intermodal Facility, El Monte, CA



Joint Electric Truck Scaling Initiative (<https://www.jetsiprject.com/>)
Power: 4.2 Megawatts, 36 Charging Cords, 92 Class 8 Tractors



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