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Plug-in Hybrid Electric Vehicle Energy Storage System Design

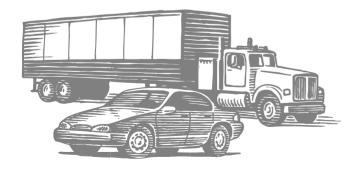
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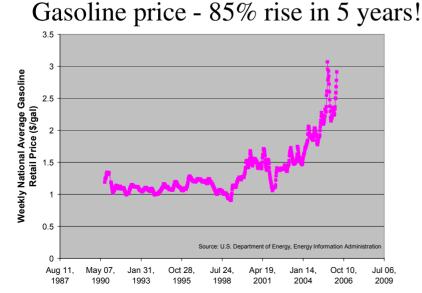
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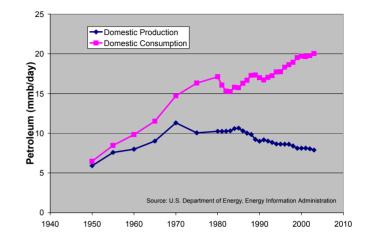


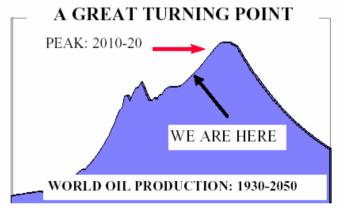
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The Perfect Storm

- Petroleum consumption has steadily increased while domestic production has continued to decline
- World oil production predicted to peak within the next 5-15 years
- Recent increase in gasoline price is indicator of growing tension between supply and demand







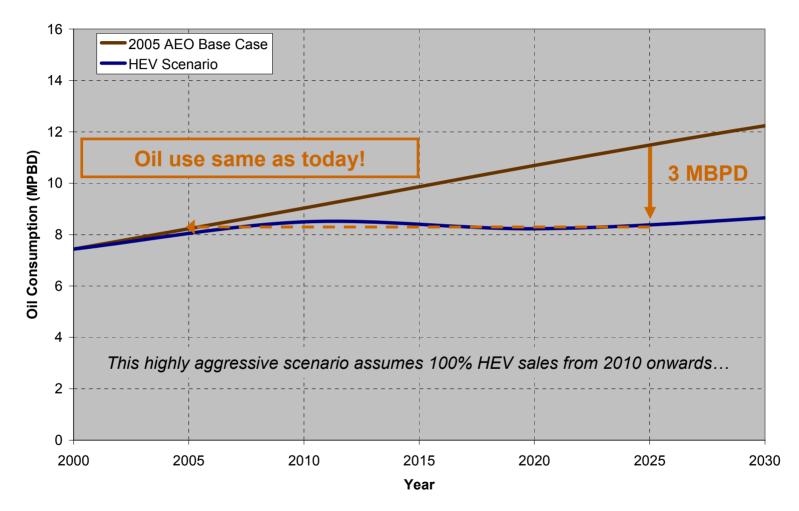
Source: Hubbert Center Newsletter #99/1 R. Udall and S. Andrews

WHAT'S OUR PLAN?



Oil Use Reduction with HEVs

Light Duty Fleet Oil Use - Impact of HEVs on Consumption

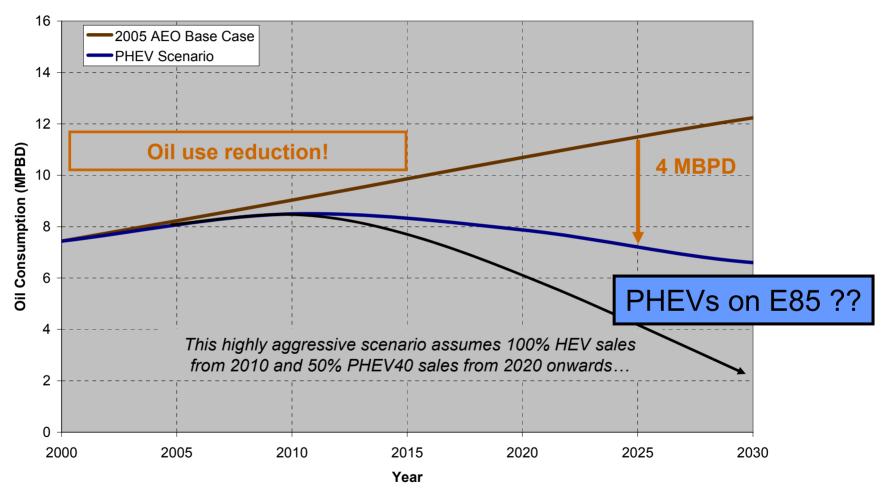


HEVs unable to reduce consumption below today's consumption level

Produced using VISION model, MBPD = million barrels per day

Oil Use Reduction with PHEVs

Light Duty Fleet Oil Use - Impact of PHEVs on Consumption



PHEVs reduce oil consumption with a transition to electricity

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Recent PHEV Prototypes



EnergyCS Plug-In Prius



HyMotion Escape PHEV



DaimlerChrysler Sprinter PHEV



Renault Kangoo Elect'road



AC Propulsion Jetta PHEV



Esoro AG H301



AFS Trinity Extreme Hybrid™



PHEV Batteries



Johnson Controls / SAFT



Cobasys





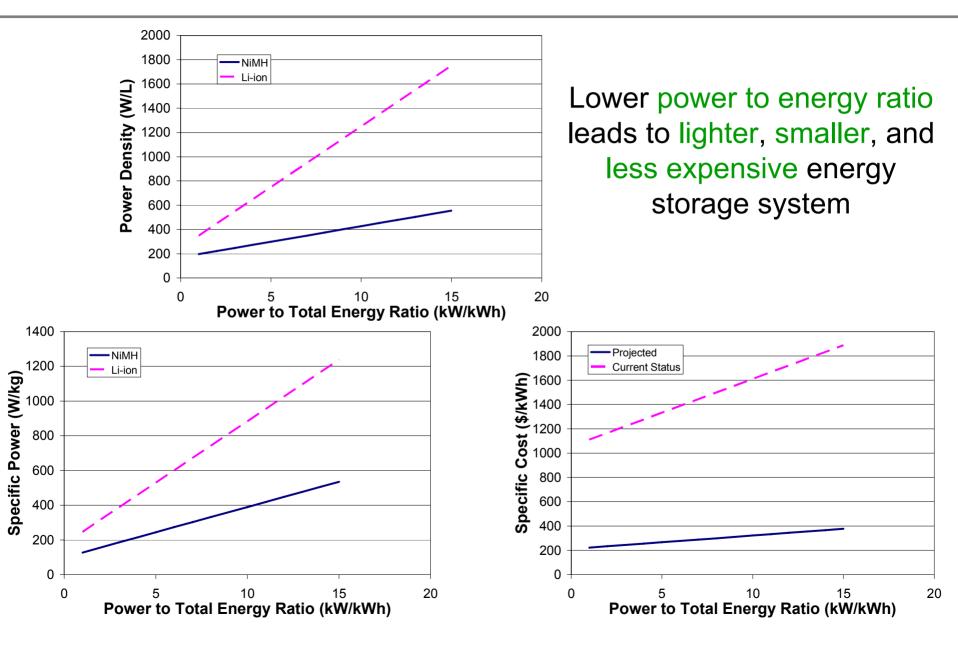
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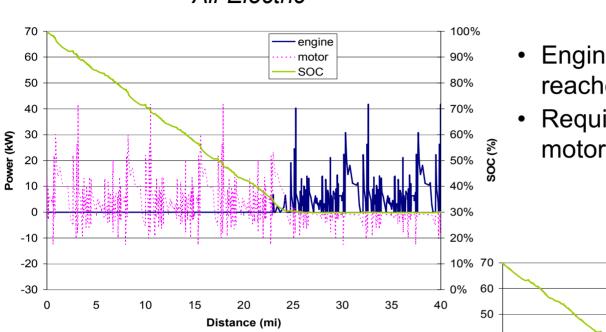
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Battery Characteristics



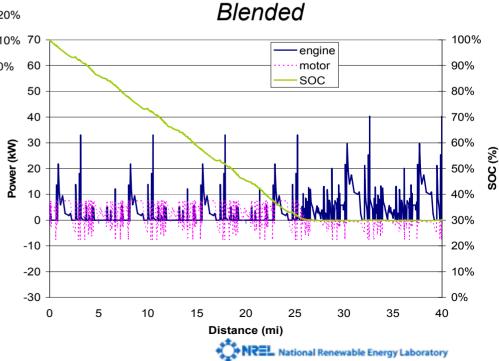
All-Electric vs Blended Strategy



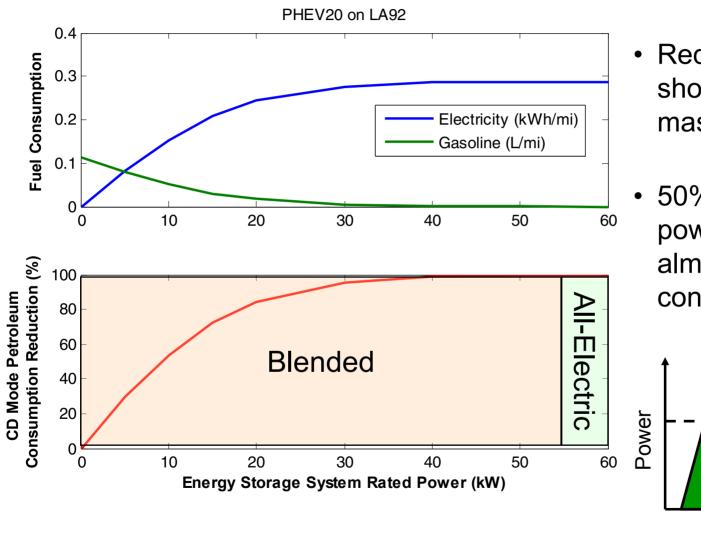
All-Electric

- Engine turns on when power exceeds battery power capability
- Engine only provides load that exceeds battery power capability

- Engine turns on when battery reaches low state of charge
- Requires high power battery and motor



Blended vs. AER Consumption Tradeoff



- Reducing ESS power should reduce cost, mass, volume
- 50% reduction in power still provides almost all of the fuel consumption benefit

Engine

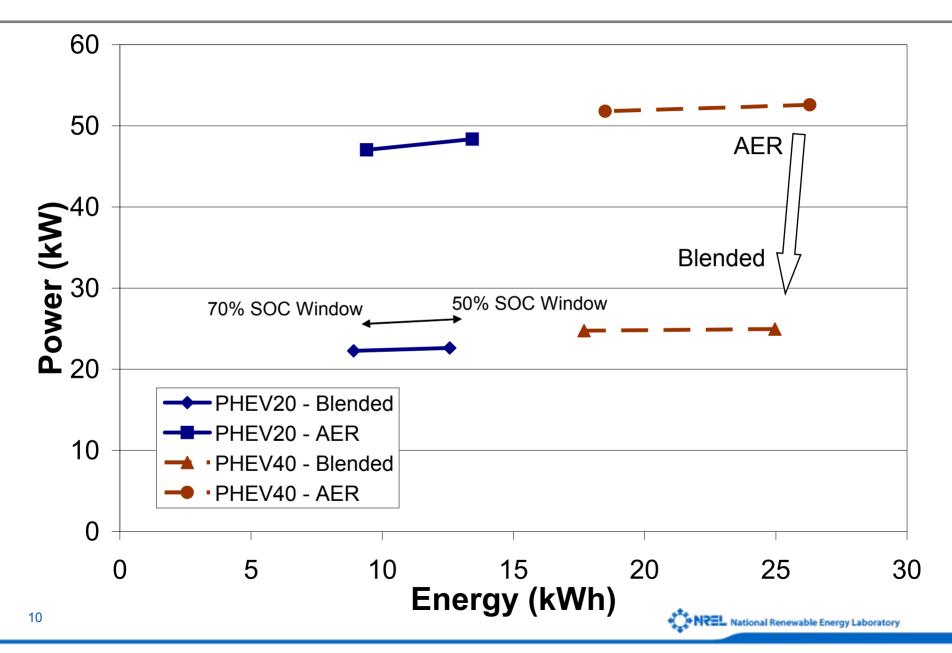
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Battery Limit

Battery

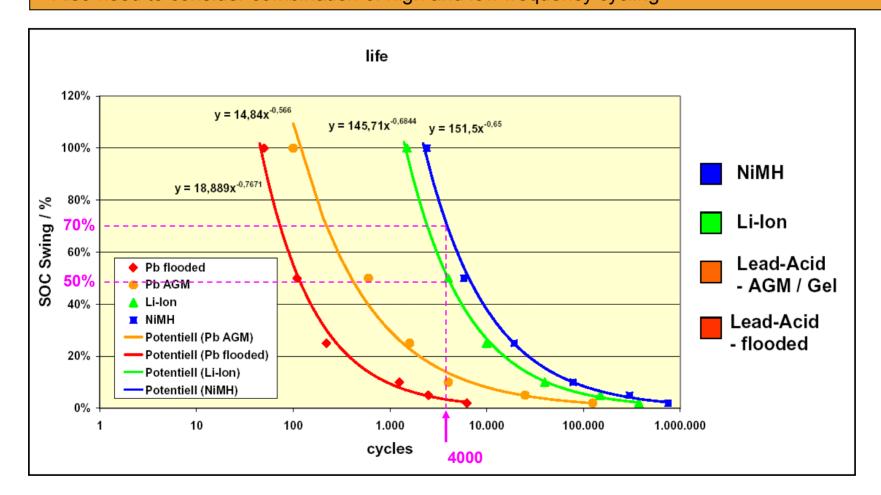
* CD = Charge Depleting

PHEV Battery Sizing Alternatives



Battery Life

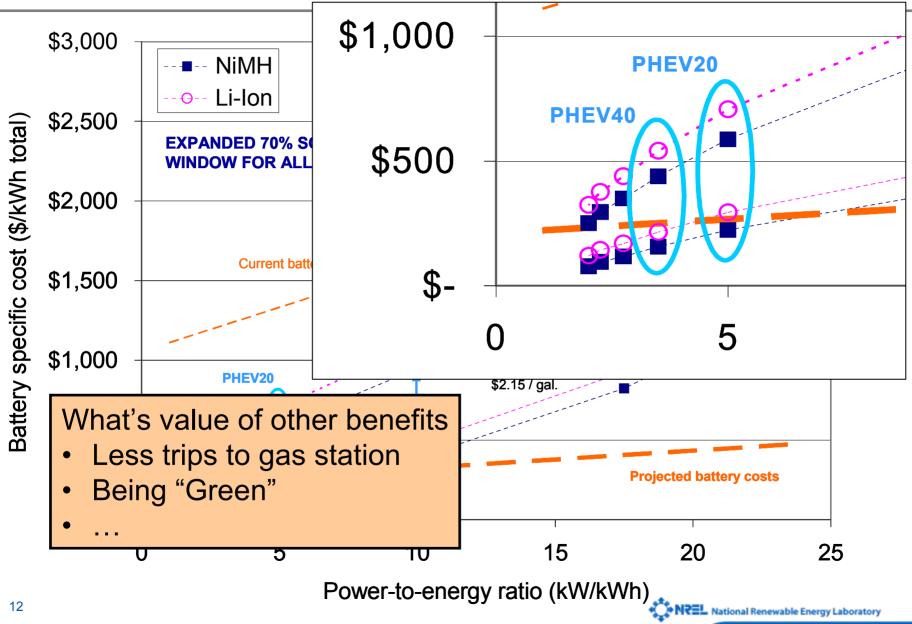
PHEV battery likely to deep-cycle each day driven: 15 yrs equates to 4000-5000 deep cycles
Also need to consider combination of high and low frequency cycling



Data presented by Christian Rosenkranz (Johnson Controls) at EVS 20



PHEV Battery Cost Requirements for 5 Year Payback



Conclusions

- Plug-in hybrid technology can reduce petroleum consumption beyond that of HEV technology
- The study highlighted some of the PHEV design options and associated tradeoffs
 - Expansion of the energy storage system usable state of charge window while maintaining life will be critical for reducing system cost and volume
 - A blended operating strategy as opposed to an all electric range focused strategy may provide some benefit in reducing cost and volume while maintaining consumption benefits
- The key remaining barriers to commercial PHEVs are battery life, packaging and cost

