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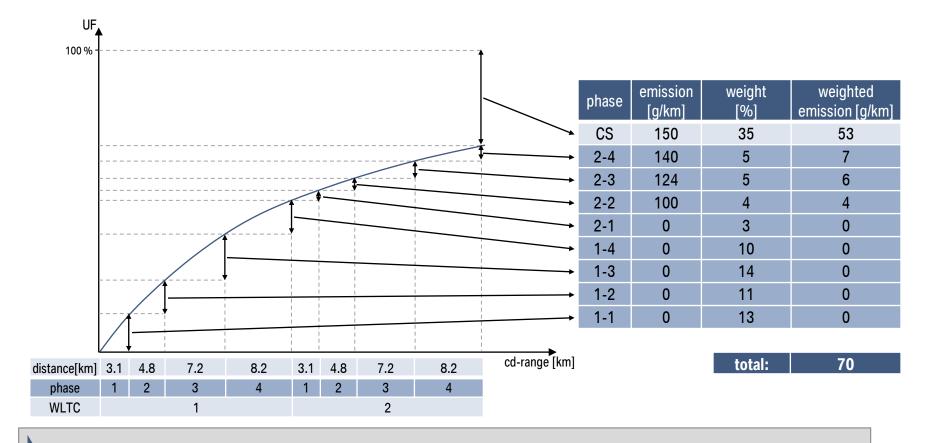








Basics and usage of the Utility Factor in WLTP according to GTR 1A.



A sequential UF weights the CO₂ of each CD-cycle phase with the CO₂ of the CS-cycle.



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Annex 8 - Appendix 5

Utility factor (UF) for OVC-HEVs

- 1. Utility Factor (UF) are ratios based on driver statistics and the ranges achieved in charge-depleting mode and charge-sustaining modes for OVC-HEVs and are used for weighting emissions, CO₂ emissions and fuel consumptions.
- 2. Each Contracting Party may develop its own UFs.



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impact of long distance vehicles

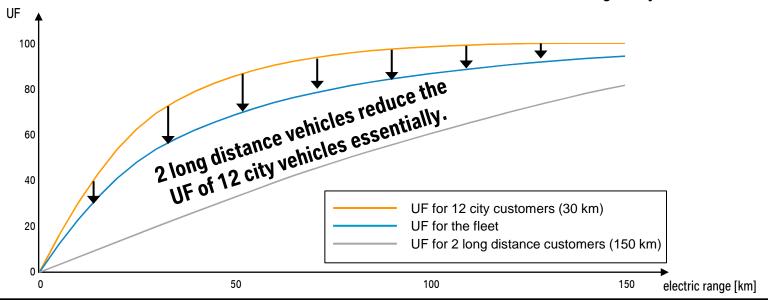




2 customer with average daily traveled miles of 150 km



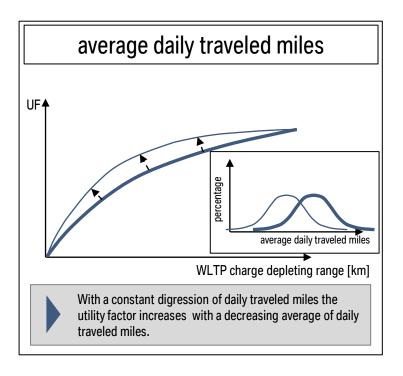
12 customers with average daily traveled miles of 30 km

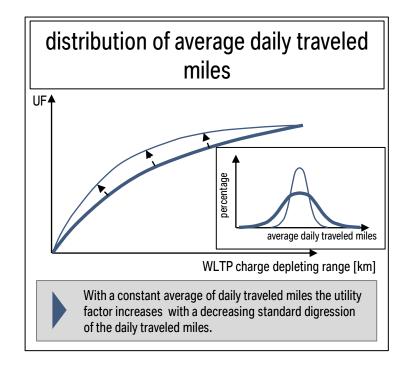




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Main database influences on the utility factor

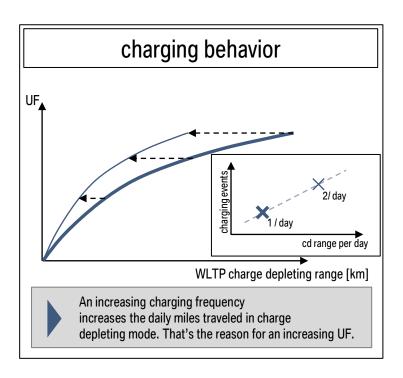






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Main database influences on the utility factor



- Up to now it is not possible to validate the future OVC-HEV customers charging behavior. According to SAE J2841 the assumption of **one charging event per day** (overnight charge) is used for the following analysis.
- Chevrolet Volt data in the EV project currently show a charging frequency 1.4 in US.



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Available Databases for Europe

In addition to WLTP database (EU-only), the FIAT ECODRIVE database was analysed.

WLTP database

- 158 of 158 vehicles
- individual daily traveled miles: 58 km
- fleet daily traveled miles: 49 km
- milage: ~0,38 Mio. km
- driving days: 7811

- exclude N1- class vehicles (not representative for OVH-HEV customers – to be confirmed by COM)
- delete drives with implausible dates
- recalculation of driving days

- 132 of 158 vehicles
- individual daily traveled miles: 46 km
- fleet daily traveled miles: 47 km
- milage: ~0,34 Mio. km
- driving days: 7343

FIAT ECODRIVE database

- 1275 of 1275 vehicles
- individual daily traveled miles: 40 km
- fleet daily traveled miles: 37 km
- milage: ~1,8 Mio. km
- driving days: 49043

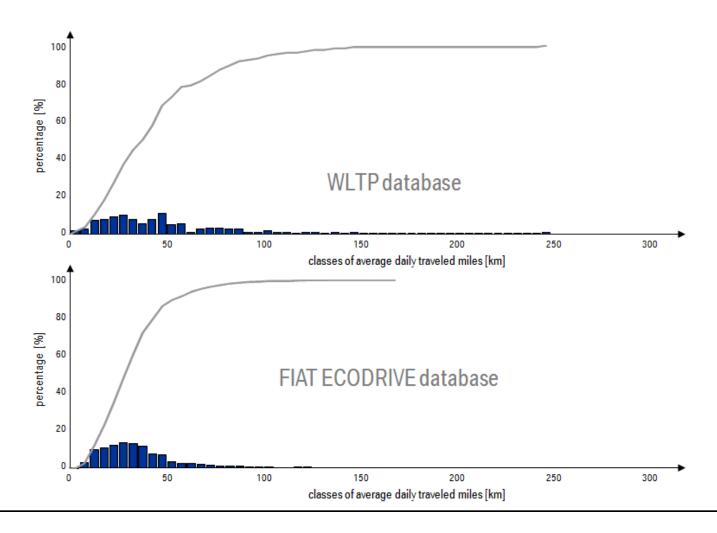
- · delete drives with implausible dates
- recalculation of driving days

- 1275 of 1275 vehicles
- individual daily traveled miles: 39 km
- fleet daily traveled miles: 36 km
- milage: ~1,8 Mio. km
- driving days: 49769



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Distribution of daily traveled miles (European Data)





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Different kinds of Utility Factors according to SAE J2841

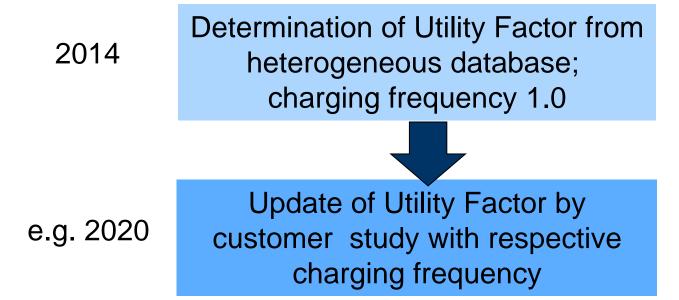
database		max. assumed electric range of	calculation]
		the vehicle (40 km)		In	Individual UF		Fleet UF	
vehicle	daily miles traveled	elec. range	cs range	IUF_	j	IUF	FUF	
	50	40	10					
1	30	30	0	83%	,_	63%	56%	
gasoline	60	40	20		0			
	35	35	0					
2 diesel	80	40	40	43%				
	90	40	50		,			
	80	40	40		0			
	120	40	80					
		First a distance weighted Inforeach vehicle is calculated						
		+		_	The ratio of the totalized electric ranges the totalized daily miles traveled.			
		The arithmetic average that includes all vehicles IUF _i ends up in the IUF.			↓ ·			
		+		_	No arithmetic average means, that high da			
		Each vehicle IUF _i has the same weight.			traveled distances have a higher weight.			

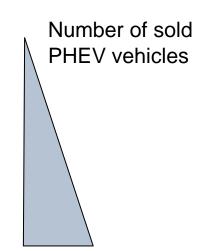
- The Fleet UF can only be used if the database represents a vehicle fleet of customers of plug-in hybrid vehicles.
- If the database consists of conventional vehicles of various kind, the Individual UF method should be applied.



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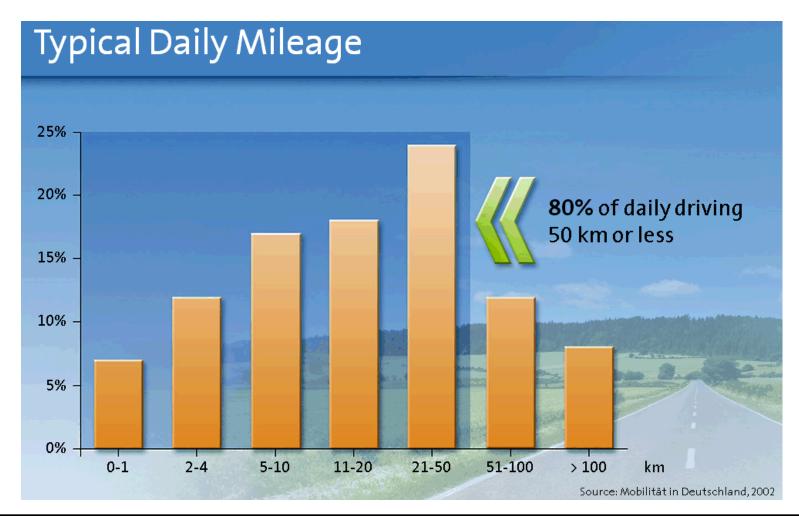
2 Step Approach for Europe:





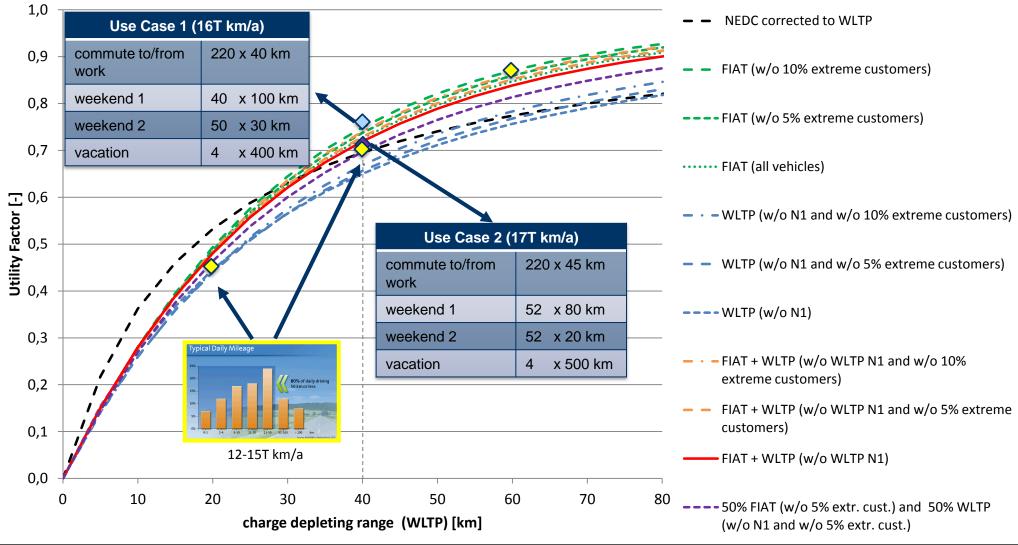


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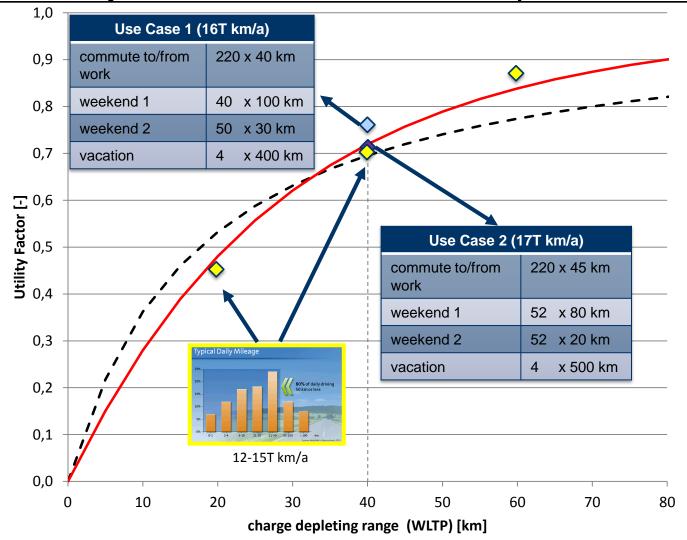


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NEDC corrected to WLTP

FIAT + WLTP (w/o WLTP N1)

EU-WLTP (1712/2013):

Fiat+WLTP Curve

suggested as new UF Factor Curve for Europe



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WLTP phase 1B Utility Factor Recommendations

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- Each contracting party shall develop its own Utility Factor based on regional driving data.
- Method for the determination of Utility Factor (based on SAE J2841) could be specified in GTR 1B, depending on the available data base.
- In case data for OVC HEV customers exist, ACEA E-Lab proposes to include the recharging behavior in the methodology to determine the Utility Factor function by considering recharging at non operation times.
- ACEA E-Lab proposes to investigate real world statistical driving and recharging behavior data for OVC HEV.



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