



# Low temp type approval approach

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# Type approval approach for the low temp testing

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# Scope

## Low temp type approval testing

<i>Powertrain</i>	<i>Pollutant emissions</i>	<i>CO<sub>2</sub> emissions</i>	<i>Electric Consumption</i>	<i>Electric range</i>
<b>ICE</b>	Yes	Yes	N/A	N/A
<b>NOVC-HEV</b>	Yes	Yes	N/A	N/A
<b>OVC-HEV</b>	Yes	Yes	Yes (2) <del>X</del>	AER, EAER
<b>PEV</b>	N/A	N/A	Yes (2) <del>X</del>	PER, PERcity(?)
<b>FCHV</b>	N/A	N/A	Exempt from initial phase	

# Family principle

- Low-T family = PEMS family\*
- A PEMS test family shall comprise finished vehicles with similar emission characteristics
- The technical criteria are similar to the IP family, except:
  - **Engine volume (22%, 32% of  $V_{eng\_max}$ )**
  - **Type of gearbox (MT, AT)**

\*=RDE family in EU; for PEV <TBD>

# Family principle

- At least one vehicle per PEMS family shall be tested in low-T test
- A 'parent' vehicle is selected as worst-case representative of the family

# Type approval approach ICE and NOVC-HEV

- Pollutant emissions measured on the parent vehicle of a PEMS family (belonging to IP family 'X'), according to Low-T procedure, 1 test to cover
  - **JPN: WLTC 3 phase**
  - **EU: WLTC 4 phase**
- CO2 emissions measured from the Low-T test
  - ~~**Determine Low-T ratio for CO2 (JPN & EU)**~~

$$\text{CO}_2 (\text{Type6/Type1}) = \text{CO}_2 \text{ lowT}^*)$$

~~\*)  $V_{\text{parent}}$  from interpolation line of  $IP_x$ , alternatively  $\text{CO}_2 V_{\text{high}}$  from  $IP_x$~~

- ~~Threshold approach(?) or ratio reporting~~

# Type approval approach

## OVC-HEV

- Pollutant emissions & CO<sub>2</sub> emissions measured on  $V_{high}$  according to Low-T procedure
  - **Pollutant & CO<sub>2</sub> Charge Depleting emissions from Low-T test (obtain CO<sub>2</sub> lowT-CD), 2 tests\***
    - JPN: WLTC 3 phase
    - EU: WLTC 4 phase
  - **Pollutant & CO<sub>2</sub> Charge Sustaining emissions from Low-T test (obtain CO<sub>2</sub> lowT-CS), 1 test\***
    - WLTC 4 phase
  - **CO<sub>2</sub> UF-weighted emissions from Low-T test (calculate CO<sub>2</sub> lowT-WLTP)**
    - JPN: WLTC 3 phase
    - EU: WLTC 4 phase

\*'Aux on': heating @21°C, lights, features needed to comply with defrost/demist reqs)

# Type approval approach OVC-HEV

- ~~• Determine Low-T ratio for CO<sub>2</sub> weighted emissions (JPN & EU)~~

$$\text{CO}_2 (\text{Type6/Type1}) = \frac{\text{CO}_2 (\text{weighted\_lowT*})}{\text{CO}_2 (*)}$$

~~\*) This is from IP<sub>x</sub>~~

- ~~• Threshold approach(?) or ratio reporting~~



# Type approval approach OVC-HEV

- Measure Electric Consumption\*
- Determine Low-T ratio for All Electric Range and Equivalent Electric Range\*

JPN: WLTC 3 phase (2 tests)

EU: WLTC 4 phase (2 tests)

$$\text{AER (EAER) (Type6/Type1)} = \frac{\text{AER (EAER)}_{\text{lowT*}}}{\text{AER (EAER)}_{*})}$$

\*)  $V_{\text{high}}$  from  $IP_x$

- ~~Threshold approach or Ratio reporting~~

\*'Aux on': heating @21°C, lights, features needed to comply with defrost/demist reqs)

# Type approval approach PEV

## EU base scenario for the Low Temperature test

### Initial driving

The customer arrives home at 18:00 hours; ambient temperature is -7°C.

The car is driven at -7°C after having been parked at work place/shopping mall etc. at -7°C or indoor.

SOC of the battery not defined

### Soaking/ charging

The PEV is connected to an electric charger, typically a home charging device.

*Optionally: if there is price differentiation in grid electricity, the charging is delayed until [23:00 h.]*

The vehicle is charged overnight, ambient temperature is -7°C. Charging power as defined GTR 15

*Optionally: if there is a possibility to use grid power for battery heating while charging, this is switched ON*

### Driving conditions and auxiliary systems setting

The customer starts the vehicle at 7:00h and drives off (cold start, ambient temperature is -7°C).

Full charged battery assumed despite the car might have been at cold for many hours.

Auxiliaries (with the recommendations of the auxiliaries sub-group):

- Heating ON at least 21°C pointed to the front window (windshield), allow to draw in outside air. To define setting of the heating system (manual operation, automatic mode, air mass flow rate [kg/h, max etc.], flow direction etc.) within/with the support of the auxiliaries sub-group.
- If there is a windows defrost mode: Defrost ON (for 10 minutes)
- Fan speed: at start full off or lowest setting, at second idle (around 125 s) set fan to maximum. To be defined.
- Lights are switched ON
- All other auxiliaries are switched OFF

The car is parked at work place/ shopping mall etc. at -7°C or indoor.

### Some inputs to be measured during the test (to be defined)

- REESS Temperature at the start of the test to be specified; large impact on UBE at cold temperature
- Measured the energy consumption from the auxiliaries system? *scaling factor needed for high capacity heater installed on vehicles for Northern countries?*
- additional energy consumption for heating the battery
- Measuring the EC per phase; the phase specific values might be used for calculating  $PER_{city}$
- ...

### Accuracy:

To revise the Table of accuracy of the instruments and measurement sensors at cold (Table A8/1 Annex 8 GTR 15)

Driving range ratio: setting a minimum requirement or reporting for customer information

$$PER_{Ratio} = \frac{PER_{-7^{\circ}C Vehicle H}}{PER_{23^{\circ}C Vehicle H}}$$

*Inconsistent soak times or time between unplugging the vehicle and starting the test could result in undesirable variability in pre-test battery pack temperatures, potentially impacting test results (SAE J1634).*