Electric Vehicles at Scale (EVs@Scale) Laboratory Consortium

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Overview

Timeline
Start: January 2022
End: January 2027
Percent Complete: ~9%

Budget
Total project funding: $65 M
DOE share: $65 M
Contractor share: $0
FY 2022 Funding: $12.75 M
FY 2023 Funding: $12.75 M

Barriers
• EVs at Scale will require close coupling of the transportation and electricity sectors creating greater interdependencies and potential benefits and risks
• A significant number of EVSEs, many at high power (> 200kW) and clustered at charging facilities are required and will posing unique challenges for control and impacts to the electric grid.
• Holistic approaches across the EV ecosystem are needed for interoperability, communications, controls, advanced high-power charging technologies, codes and standards, cybersecurity, and integration with the grid.

Partners

[Logos of various partners]
Impact

• Transportation is key for America’s economy: annually vehicles transport 18 billion tons of freight\(^1\) and moved people more than 3 trillion vehicle-miles\(^2\)
• Presently, the transportation sector derives < 1% of its energy from electricity but accounts for nearly 30% of primary energy consumption in the U.S.\(^3\)
• Considering a case where adoption of EVs reaches about 2/3 of the light-duty fleet in 2050 would result in 16% of annual electricity consumption.

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, precompetitive research to be initiated and successfully conducted that is in step with rapid changes in the EV charging

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\(^1\) Bureau of Transportation Statistics, DOT, Transportation Statistics Annual Report 2020, Table 4-1. [https://www.bts.gov/tsar](https://www.bts.gov/tsar).


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

• Leadership Council
  – Andrew Meintz (NREL, chair), Keith Hardy (ANL, rotating co-chair), David Smith (ORNL), Summer Ferreira (SNL), Rick Pratt (PNNL), Tim Pennington (INL)

• External Advisory Council
  – 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)
  – Wireless Power Transfer (WPT): Veda Galigekere (ORNL)
  – Codes and Standards (CS): Ted Bohn (ANL)
• **Objective:** Develop an adaptive ecosystem of SCM and VGI strategies and tools relevant to assess and reduce barriers of a wide geographic area 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 and demonstrate VGI approaches to reduce grid impacts for the entirety of the LD, MD, and HD on-road fleet while accounting for vehicle 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 and Collaboration:**
  – NREL, ANL, INL, SNL
  – Utility partners to develop grid models in areas of study
  – Fleet partners to assess SCM operational feasibility
• Task Structure
  – Scoping, requirements, and industry/stakeholder engagement
    • Identify regions of study and demonstration opportunities
  – Assessment of travel, charging energy, and grid impacts
    • EV Adoption, Travel, and Charging Energy
    • Grid Impact Assessment
    • Broadly Assess Gaps in SCM and Refine/Develop Strategies
  – Demonstrate appropriate SCM strategies, systems, and tools to reduce the potential grid impacts of EVs@Scale charging
    • Identify SCM Strategy Implementation and Specify Smart Charging Ecosystem
    • Develop Enabling Technologies
      – OptiQ: Smart Interop AC L2 EVSE
      – EVrest: EV Charge Reservation System

• Deliverables:
  – Identify region(s) of study and necessary partnerships FY22 Q2
  – Acquire travel and grid data, provide implementation needs for existing SCM/VGI FY22 Q3
  – Broadly identify performance limitations/gaps for existing VGI/SCM across regions FY22 Q4
  – Develop LD PEV charging load datasets & verify utility partner grid models FY22 Q4
  – Identify Lab demonstration opportunities & high-capacity grid locations for EVSE FY22 Q4
Objective: Develop a common, DC distribution architecture for high power EV charging sites that enable plug-and-play functionality and scalability for chargers and distributed energy resources (DERs) ensure interoperability and reduce upfront engineering expenses

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

Team and Collaboration:
- NREL, ORNL, ANL
- Utilities, charging equipment providers, charging service providers, fleet operators, and vehicle manufacturer

DC distribution supporting site charging integration with the grid, site loads, and energy resources for high power charging from kW-to MW-scale
• Design and Early-Stage Development Tasks:
  – Scoping Requirements and Industry Stakeholder Engagement
  – DC Distribution and System Architecture
  – Modular DC Universal Power Electronics Regulator (UPER)
  – EV Charging Interface and DC/DC Integration with DC Distribution
  – Station Energy Management and Coordination
  – Grid Interface Inverter and Integration with the Distribution System
  – Charging Facility Evaluation

• Deliverables:
  – Identify common charging hub requirements FY22 Q2
  – Identify inverter for DC distribution system FY22 Q3
  – SpEC integration requirements with DC/DC UPER, DC Distribution and Site Management FY22 Q4
  – Develop UPER bench-level subsystem components and demonstrate functionality FY23 Q1
  – Develop a DC distribution system to demonstrate kW charging at a 1+-MW charging hub with COTS equipment FY23 Q1
Approach – Wireless Power Transfer

Integrating Dynamic Wireless Power Transfer Systems in Roadways

• **Objective:** Develop and validate technologies and solutions to transition high-power dynamic wireless (HPDW) charging of electric vehicles (EVs) from an early-stage proof-of-concept system to a practical roadway-integrated dynamic wireless power transfer (DWPT) system suitable for deployment at-scale.

• **Outcomes:**
  – Solutions to system- and component-level barriers for real-world deployment of HPDW systems.
  – Validated HPDW coil architectures and embedding techniques suitable for different roadways, environmental conditions, use cases, and system life-cycle.
  – Evaluation of comprehensive data from dynamic wireless charging system including
    – Life-cycle and accelerated aging impact on coupler and roadways using heavy-vehicle simulator
    – Real-world data from dynamic charging system installed at ACM
    – Safety and inter-operability

• **Team and Collaboration:**
  – ORNL, INL, NREL
  – Virginia Tech. Transportation Institute, American Center for Mobility, TDOT, MDOT, VDOT, FWHA, OEMs (Stellantis and Hyundai), and Utilities (TVA, DTE).
Approach – Wireless Power Transfer

Integrating Dynamic Wireless Power Transfer Systems in Roadways

• Near Term Tasks:
  – Engage with relevant stakeholders including DOTs, FWHA, and Utilities to gather the requirements and barriers for deployment.
  – Evaluate representative asphalt mixes with different aggregates and compaction levels using the Asphalt Pavement Analyzer (APA).
  – Evaluate structural integrity and performance of roadway embedded HPDWC under accelerated aging tests using Virginia Accelerated Pavement Testing and Heavy Vehicle Simulator.
  – Conduct comprehensive characterization of roadway integrated HPDWC as a function of environmental factors, use cases, and for interoperability.
  – Conduct site and network level planning, optimization, and grid impact analysis
  – Develop EM shielding techniques for HPDWC system suitable for deployment and explore shielding geometry utilization for optimization of power transfer profile.

• Deliverables:
  – Report on evaluation of representative asphalt materials and the mock-ups in asphalt pavement analyzer. FY23 Q1
  – New HPDW ground side units designed with civil engineering inputs from VTTI and developed to meet the deployment challenges. FY23 Q3
  – Report detailing the comprehensive real-world characterization of HPDW system. FY24 Q1
  – Refined EM shielding design suitable for practical installation in real-world conditions. FY23 Q1
  – Evaluation report identifying barriers and impact of DWPT system load on the utility grid. FY23 Q1
Objective: Address challenges and barriers for high-power EV charging infrastructure security that threaten safety, infrastructure and grid operation reliability, and consumer confidence

Outcomes:
- Improvement in the implementation of the latest security methods
- Develop methods to identify, protect, detect, respond, and recover from cybersecurity events
- Identify vulnerabilities in new, emerging features and standards
- Support training for the EV charging infrastructure cybersecurity workforce

Team and Collaboration:
- INL, SNL, NREL, PNNL, ANL, ORNL
- Industry charging infrastructure manufacturers and standards organizations
- Related Project: "EV SALaD" funded by CESER

Source: National Institute of Standards Cyber Security Framework ver. 1.1
Approach – Cyber-Physical Security

Cybersecurity Pillar Unified National Lab Collaboration (Cyber PUNC)

• Near-Term Tasks:
  – Conduct detailed PKI vulnerability and risk assessments with the SAE PKI working group
  – Develop a EVSE Network Operator Risk Management Framework Tool
  – Capture threat intelligence & adversary attack tactics using EVSE honeypots & canaries
  – Conduct lab evaluations of “Plug & Charge” security for ISO 15118 infrastructure
  – Training for the CyberAuto Challenge and EVSE network cyber defenders
  – Zero Trust technologies assessment criteria development

• Deliverables:
  – Penetration test report provided to vendors, DOE VTO, and the SAE PKI working group FY22 Q3
  – Publish a website listing cybersecurity products applicable for EVSE devices and networks FY22 Q4
  – Provide anonymized results of the canary prototype with DOE in coordination with the EVSE network operator. Publish findings if possible due to sensitivity. FY22 Q4
  – Support the 2022 CyberAuto Challenge tutorial session and 24 hr. hands-on event FY22 Q4
  – Create a prototype EVSE CyberStrike training module FY23 Q4
  – Provide pen testing results of the “Plug & Charge” capable assets with industry FY23 Q4
• **Objective:** Address challenges and barriers for high-power EV charging standards by identifying and filling gaps in charging equipment as well as grid impacts, interoperability, and safety topics.

• **Outcomes:**
  – Facilitate creation and improvement of codes and standards enabling ‘EVs at scale’ charging
  – Engage with industry stakeholders to create a consensus-based EV standards roadmap
  – Create interoperability guidelines and criteria to evaluate standards compliance/implementation
  – Supply validation test data with industry partners to support standards refinement

• **Team and Collaboration:**
  – ANL, INL, NREL, ORNL, PNNL
  – Industry charging stakeholders
  – Subcontractor subject matter experts (ANSI, University of Delaware, Rema, BTCPower)
  – Standards organizations (SAE, IEC, ISO, IEEE, ANSI), Code panels (NCWM, UL, NFPA)

**Approach – Codes & Standards**

Facilitate Identifying and Addressing Gaps in EV Charging Standards

DC distribution supporting site charging integration with the grid, site loads, and energy resources for high power charging from kW- to MW-scale

Source: CharIN E.V.
Near-Term Tasks:
- Support SWIFTCHARGE wireless charging consortium as alternative to SAE J2954 WPT
- Support SAE J2954(/1, /2) high power and dynamic wireless power transfer standards group
- Launch SAE J3271 Megawatt Charging System standard; 5 subtopics from connectors to communication to cooling to V2G uses cases w/DER to Interoperability testing procedures
- Leverage work on SAE J3271 into IEEE P2030.13 grid/DER aspects of EVs at Scale, DCaaS
- Continue testing of CharIN MCS V3.2 coupler components; develop master test article
- Initiate a review and update of ANSI EVSP EV standards roadmap for 2022 standards gaps

Deliverables:
- Report on MCS/J3271 physical layer communication robustness. FY22 Q3
- Report on MCS connector thermal and mechanical interface evaluation. FY22 Q2
- Report on SAE J3271 connection detection implementation and testing. FY22 Q4
- Demonstrate a DC as Service distribution to multiple dispensers via cable duct. FY22 Q4
- 2022 version of ANSI EV Standards Roadmap document based on 2013 version. FY23 Q1
- Demonstrate two charging system architectures in HIL simulation. FY23 Q4
• Transition of prior efforts:
  – SmartVGI (ELT 201) – Enabling technologies and containerized energy management system will be incorporated into demonstrations activities
  – RECHARGE (ELT 202) – Grid analysis framework (EVI-Pro and Caldera) and Smart charging control strategies will be carried into analysis activities
  – DirectXFC (ELT 257) – Smart routing and station control approaches will be incorporated into new en route analysis activities

• Analysis Regions
  – Project team has completed its effort to identify a detailed region of study and broad regions of study.
  – The necessary partnerships have been completed and the team is proceeding with travel and grid data acquisition
Technical Accomplishments

High Power Charging

• Transition of prior efforts:
  – 1+MW Charging (ELT 204) – Power conversion architecture analysis and site-level control approaches have been incorporated into the charging hub requirements
  – SmartVGI (ELT 201) – Enabling technologies for EV-EVSE communication and containerized energy management system will be incorporated into demonstrations activities

• Initial requirements for the DC hub activity, universal DC/DC converter design, and grid integration approach have been identified toward development of the kW-Scale demonstration
Technical Accomplishments

Cyber-Physical Security Pillar

• Transition efforts
  – Consequence-Driven Cybersecurity (ELT 199) – Identified impacts and evaluation approaches have been incorporated into evaluation and analysis activities
  – Securing Vehicle Charging Infrastructure (ELT 198) – Threat modelling and red team efforts have been incorporated into evaluation and analysis activities
  – Kick-off of related EV SALaD project

• Secure EV Charging Evaluation
  – NREL hosted EV industry leaders on April 4-7 to evaluate progress on the development of more cybersecure connections between electric vehicles and charging infrastructure.
  – This effort is a precursor activity to the EVs@Scale deliverable for an adversarial evaluation report for the Cyber-Physical Security pillar milestone

Successful demonstration of an encrypted charging session between electric vehicles, charger, and charging infrastructure. (Photo by Bryan Bechtold / NREL)
Technical Accomplishments

• Transition of prior efforts:
  – 1+MW Charging (ELT 204)
    • Charging connector evaluation
    • Monthly MW+ Industry Engagement meeting
• Kick-off and leadership of the SAE J3271 Megawatt Charging System (MCS) standardization effort
• Support of the IEEE 2030.13
• MCS Thermal Evaluation
  – NREL, in partnership with California Energy Commission and CharIN E.V., is hosting an event
  – 4 industry participants to evaluate performance at 350, 1000, and 3000A
  – Early learning effort on reference device in support of IEC Technical Specification 63379

Researcher captures thermal image of an MCS charging system during evaluation at the MCS 2nd Event in Fall of 2021. (Photo by Dennis Schroeder, NREL)
Responses to Previous Year Reviewers’ Comments

• This is the first year that the project has been reviewed
Collaboration and Coordination

Consortium Approach with Multiple Industry Partners

- Consortium Laboratories
  - ANL, INL, NREL, ORNL, PNNL, SNL
- External Advisory Council
  - Utilities, EVSE & Vehicle OEMs, CNOs, SDOs, Gov’t, Infrastructure
- Direct interaction for each pillar projects
  - Utilities, EVSE & Vehicle OEMs, CNOs, SDOs, Gov’t, Infrastructure
  - Webinars / Project discussions
- Bi-annual high-level meetings
- Bi-annual deep-dive technical meetings
  - VGI/SCM, HPC & WPT, and CPS with CS incorporated into all meetings
Remaining Challenges and Barriers

• **VGI/SCM:**
  – EV adoption will expand rapidly though grid planning for this new load, and SCM strategies that account for vocational needs and differences are lacking
  – There is a lack of enabling technologies for smart charging in a utility environment.

• **High Power Charging:**
  – Validation of megawatt-scale charging facilities for charging up to 1+ MW with medium voltage interconnection is needed to demonstrate enabling technologies
  – Efficient, low-cost, and high-power-density DC/DC for 1+MW charging are limited

• **Wireless Power Transfer:**
  – Durability of ground side charging systems in full-scale asphalt surfaces is unknown
  – Validation of high-power dynamic wireless systems real-world conditions are limited

• **Cyber Security:**
  – Industry implementation and utilization of latest security methods is not consistent
  – Lack of methods to identify, protect, detect, respond, and recover from cyber events
  – Limited training for the EV charging infrastructure cybersecurity workforce

• **Codes & Standards:**
  – Standards don’t exist for MCS charging connectors, chargers, and site equipment such as DC distribution and protection, as well as grid interconnection
Proposed Future Research

• **VGI/SCM:** Develop a focused regional travel and grid model through utility partnership, a broad regional analysis on charging impacts and demonstrate smart charging control

• **High Power Charging:** Identify common charging hub requirements for DC distribution and develop an integrated DC-DC for charging evaluation

• **Wireless Power Transfer:** Evaluate a representative asphalt materials and design considerations for embedded ground side transmitters

• **Cyber Security:** Identify vulnerabilities for proposed public key infrastructure approaches, develop a website with tools for EVSE security, and support cyber workforce development for charging infrastructure.

• **Codes & Standards:** Support MCS/J3271 connector thermal, mechanical interface and physical layer communications evaluation

Any proposed future work is subject to change based on funding levels
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 at Scale and provide answers to fundamental questions with activates 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
Electrified Vehicle Test Procedure Development

EVs @ Scale: Codes & Standards
Related Project Review
ELECTRIFIED VEHICLES TEST PROCEDURE DEVELOPMENT (ANL)

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ELECTRIFIED VEHICLES TEST PROCEDURE DEVELOPMENT (ANL)

Timeline
Start date: 6/1/2020
End date: 5/31/2022
98% percent complete

Budget
- Total $400k (DOE)
- FY 2020: $225k
- FY 2021: $175k (carried into 2022)

Barriers and Technical Targets
1. Reducing test burden for electrified vehicles to reduces costs and accelerate progress
2. Further optimization of fuel efficiency and CO2
3. Accurate comparisons among electrified vehicles vs conventional vehicles

Partners
- Argonne National Laboratory
- SAE Standards Committees
  - All major OEMs
- EPA
- California ARB
- ISO/TC 22/SC 37 Electrically propelled vehicles
- UNECE Electric Vehicle and the Environment International Workgroup
RELEVANCE
Test Procedures are Critical to DOE Mission

Impact
- All performance/economy claims come from a test, test must provide true results
- Reduced test burden will accelerate technology deployment
- Increased fuel economy for hybrids expected. Test allows OEMs to use more aggressive controls to save fuel.

The SUCCESS of this R&D

All Claims come from a TEST

Technology Claims
- MPG
- Range
- CO2

Analysts
Media
Consumers

Over Predict
- Technology promises too much
- Experience not matching expectations
- Attention not warranted
- Funds are misdirected
- “Poisoned Well” (diesel in USA ’80s)

True Representation

Under Predict
- Technology underrated
- Attention not given
- No adoption, benefits not predicted
- Missed opportunity of benefits

Depends on how it’s tested here
APPROACH

Take Leadership in Test Procedure Development by Harnessing 26 Years in xEV Testing Research Experience

• Serve as doc Sponsor&Chair:
  • SAE J1711 (HEV/PHEV Economy/Emissions Test)
  • SAE J2908 (HEV/PHEV/BEV Power Test)

• Use over 20 years of HEV/PHEV/BEV testing data
• Relate experiences, challenges, results
• Pull together a consensus of industry / government
• Balance the needs of the OEMs with the objectives of regulators and DOE
TECHNICAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND PROGRESS

SAE J1711: HEV/PHEV Fuel Economy Test (EPA/CARB uses for MPG)

**Improvements**

- **Simplicity**: Voltage calculation easier to implement than old method
- **CO2**: Includes method for correcting CO2 based on fuel.
- **Accuracy**: better accuracy specs, especially for HEVs (net current is close to zero!)

**Novel “SOC Corrections” for all results**

- Better accuracy
- OEMs can actually get higher fuel economy, more optimization

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![](image.png)

- **Zone where accuracy is important for HEVs**
- **Proposed J1711**
  - Old spec
  - New spec
- **Current Measurement (A)**
  - J1711 new vs J1711 old vs J1694 vs Hioki [f.s.=200, max=90]

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*Task 6:*

- **Raw Result:** Currently accepted if within 1% window
- **SOC Corrected Result:** More valid tests, more accurate results

*Data: Argonne National Laboratory*
TECHNICAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND PROGRESS

SAE J2908: HEV/PHEV/BEV Rated System Power Determination

Intent to be adopted industry-wide

Maximum e-tron HP achieved via peak performance of the electric motor(s) at peak battery power pursuant to SAE J2908 in “S” driving program. Max HP and torque only available under certain limited conditions, including but not limited to, battery temperature and state of charge. Your results will vary. See Owner’s Manual for further details and limitations.

This update provides framework for an "Upstream" power rating:

- Compatible with existing wheel/axle test
- Harmonized with ISO and UN GTR
- Provides flexibility for markets with no compelled regulatory requirement
- Provides basis for rating claims

From: https://media.audiusa.com/en-us/releases/499

Section 7: WHEEL POWER TEST (WPT) PROCEDURE

Section 8: RATED SYSTEM POWER

Section 9: POST PROCESSING TIME-SERIES DATA TO DETERMINE POWER RATINGS

Maximum 2-sec window average
COLLABORATIONS AND COORDINATION

In addition to SAE activities:

- Direct, working-level relationships with EPA and CARB since the 1990s
- Direct relationships with OEMS (Ford, GM, FCA, Tesla, among many others)
- Subject Matter Expert on ISO (relating to both power test and HEV/PHEV economy test)
- Member of UN EVE IWG (relating to power test)

PROPOSED FUTURE WORK

- Validation testing to ensure adoption by EPA and CARB
- Find a way to update PHEV “Utility Factor”
  - Look at fast charging impact for PHEVs
- Ensure emerging technologies are properly addressed by test procedures
  - How CAVs and electrification are linked
  - Solar panels on electrified vehicles
  - Dynamic charging of electric vehicles
Technical Back-up Slides
Communication and control pathways that could be deployed as the population of electric vehicles increases and the business models for recharging mature. Additional pathways are possible, but these are adequate to illustrate connectivity and communication required for Smart Charge Management. Note that this representation shows two primary pathways either through an electric vehicle supply equipment (EVSE) or Telematics based solutions.
The project has demonstrated SCM utilizing the EV-EVSE-workplace EMS communication and control pathway with an open access smart charging ecosystem as well as the enabling technologies:

- Open-source Common Integration Platform (CIP.io)
- EVSE Communication (SPECMODULE)
- Smart Charge adapted and mobile app
## RECHARGE Project (ELT 202):
### Smart Charge Control Strategies

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1+MW Charging Project (ELT 204):
Task 1 / 2 / 3 – PE Topology Review, Simulation, and Selection

- Detailed MV Architecture investigation
  - Detailed loss values including passives, protection, and interconnects
  - Translation to thermal management requirements
  - Final device selection
- MV Gate Drive Test Hardware
  - MV Si/SiC Device level testing providing detailed PE model input
- Thermal Management
  - Strategy, sizing, and ancillary impact
- Cabinet level AC Grid Connection and Protection
- Cabinet level DC interconnects (DER/Load)
- DC interface to Charge connector

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**PE Models**
(Switches, Passives, etc.)
Reviewer-Only Slides
Publications and Presentations

• None
Certainly, each of the individual pillar efforts have numerous critical assumptions and issues to address; however, at a consortium level the following are considered.

- The electric vehicle and charging infrastructure industries are accelerating their activities. This speed requires quick action from the DOE and National Labs to ensure our efforts remain relevant. The Consortium plans to address this issues through:
  - Frequent structured interaction with industry stakeholders (bi-annual meetings, webinars, and deep-dives)
  - Participation in standards development and evaluation events
  - Technology demonstrations with industry participation

- The Consortium is structured with 5 technical pillars (VGI/SCM, HPC, WPT, CPS, and Codes & Standards) though technology in this space are highly coupled. The Consortium has addressed this by identifying a technical leadership group which constitutes the PIs in each pillar which will participate in each others update activities to foster communication across the activities