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# Vehicle and Systems Simulation and Testing

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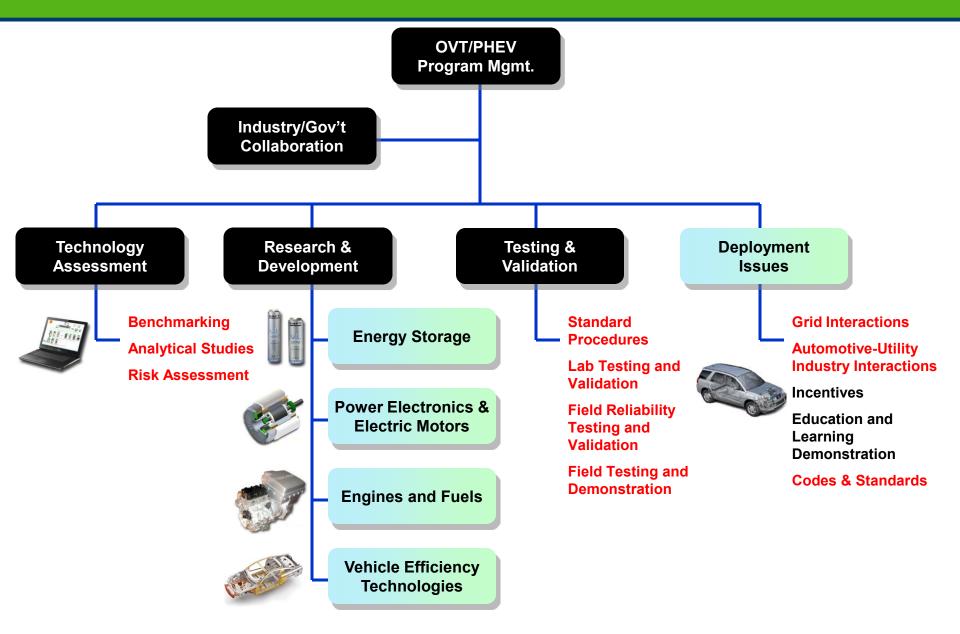




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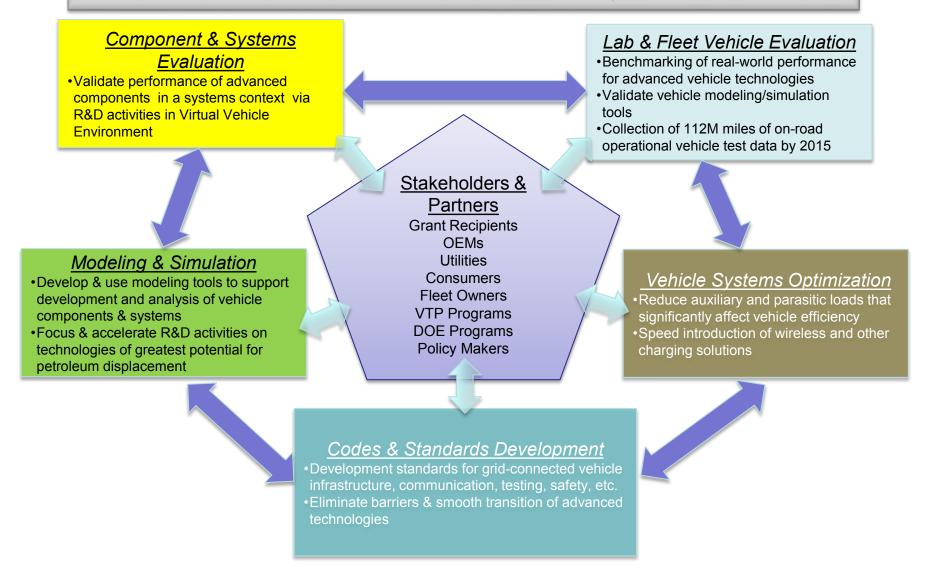
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## **OVT Program Structure**





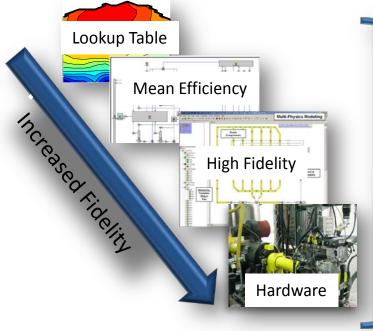
Focus Area activities provide direct and indirect support for evolution of high efficiency vehicles as real world product offerings

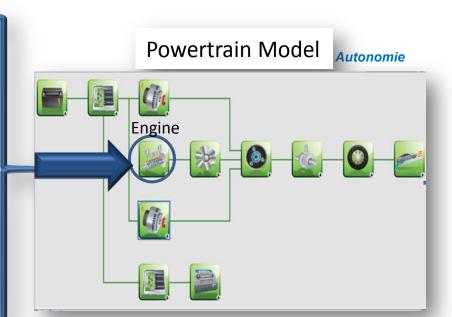


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# **Modeling & Simulation**





- Develop Modeling Tools
  Autonomie
  System Models
- Support GPRA Reporting

#### Vehicle & Component Simulations

- Configurations
- Control Methods
- Requirements
- Sizing
- Interactions



# Hardware in the loop (HIL) and advanced controls simulation speeds development of new solutions.

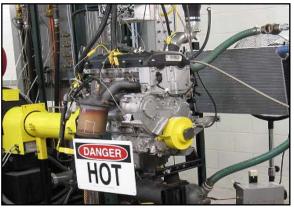
- Electric Drive Advanced Battery Test Mule Development and Utilization
- Improved Cold Temperature Thermal Modeling & Strategy Development
- Meritor Dual Mode Hybrid Powertrain Controls Development (CRADA)



Component and control algorithm tests are developed on the bench

Components are tested in a real-world environment





Vehicle components are operated real-time in an emulated vehicle context



#### Structured, repeatable testing methods and real-world usage

- Advanced Vehicle Testing & Evaluation (AVTE) in-use data collection
- Advanced Powertrain Research Facility (APRF) vehicle test and test development
- Medium duty drive cycle analysis and route optimization
- Truck cab environmental control optimization (Cool cab) and evaluation
- EDV Charging Infrastructure Evaluations

#### ~ 75 Testing partners in the U.S. and Canada,

- Utilities
- State & local governments
- Universities and colleges
- Private companies/advocacy organizations
- Canadian provinces
- U.S. military organizations
- OEMs & conversion companies













### **Codes and Standards**

# Recommended Practices for Plug-in Vehicles, Charging Equipment and Grid Connectivity

#### SAE standards committees participation

**Development and validation of standards** 

**Technology development** 





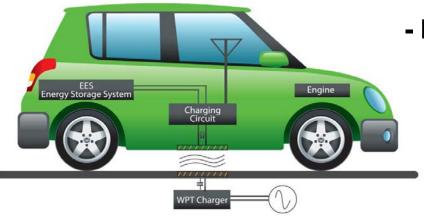
National Recommended Practices for permitting and installation of charging equipment (streamlined/automated process) turned over to Clean Cities.



Vehicle Systems Optimization poses a growing opportunity for directly reducing petroleum consumption.

- -Aerodynamic drag reduction
  - -Friction and wear reduction
- -PACCAR CRADA for nucleate boiling
  - Boundary layer lubrication
- TARDEC/ANL fuel economy demonstrator (FED)
  - Parasitic & auxilary load reduction
    - Wireless EDV Charging
    - Advanced HVAC Systems
      - SuperTruck







(dollars in thousands)	FY 2011 Appropriation	FY 2012 Current Appropriation	FY 2013 Request
Vehicle & Systems Simulation & Testing			
Simulation & Validation	5,260	4,575	5,455
HIL & Component Evaluations	1,950	2,350	2,802
Laboratory & Field Evaluations	11,690	10,475	10,931
Codes & Standards	3,560	2,565	3,058
Vehicle Systems Optimization	2,225	3,820	4,554
PHEV TADA	7,000	0	0
Advanced Vehicle Testing & Evaluation	3,000	4,500	5,000
Super Truck	4,000	7,000	7,000
Wireless Charging	0	4,000	4,000
Zero Emission Cargo Transport	0	5,000	0
High Efficiency HVAC	0	0	10,000
Total, Vehicle Systems	38,685	44,285	52,800



### Recovery Act: Transportation Electrification Initiative

#### Largest US EV & Charger Deployment Ever

- Approximately \$400 million in federal funding to
  - Automotive and Charging Industry
  - Educational Institutions
- Deploys over 13,000 electric-drive vehicles & 22,000 charging stations
- Collect detailed data
- Two EVSE specific projects





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