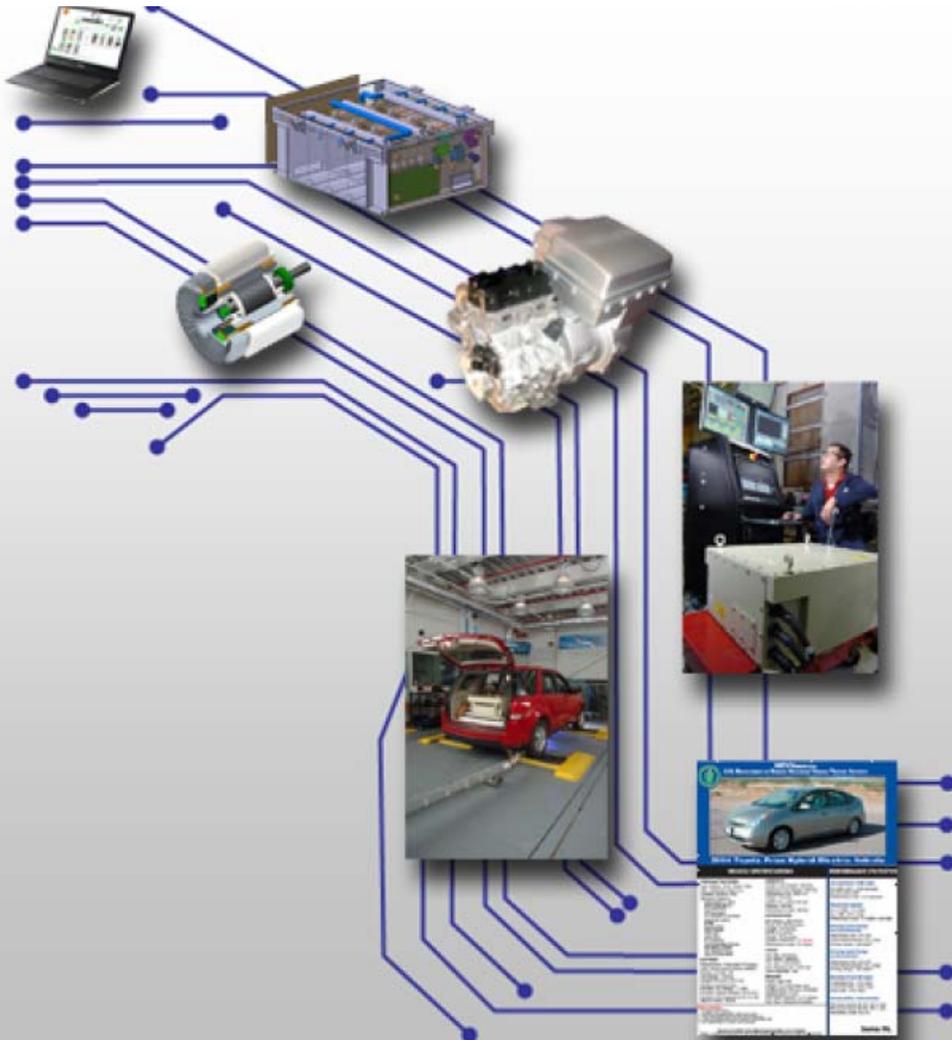




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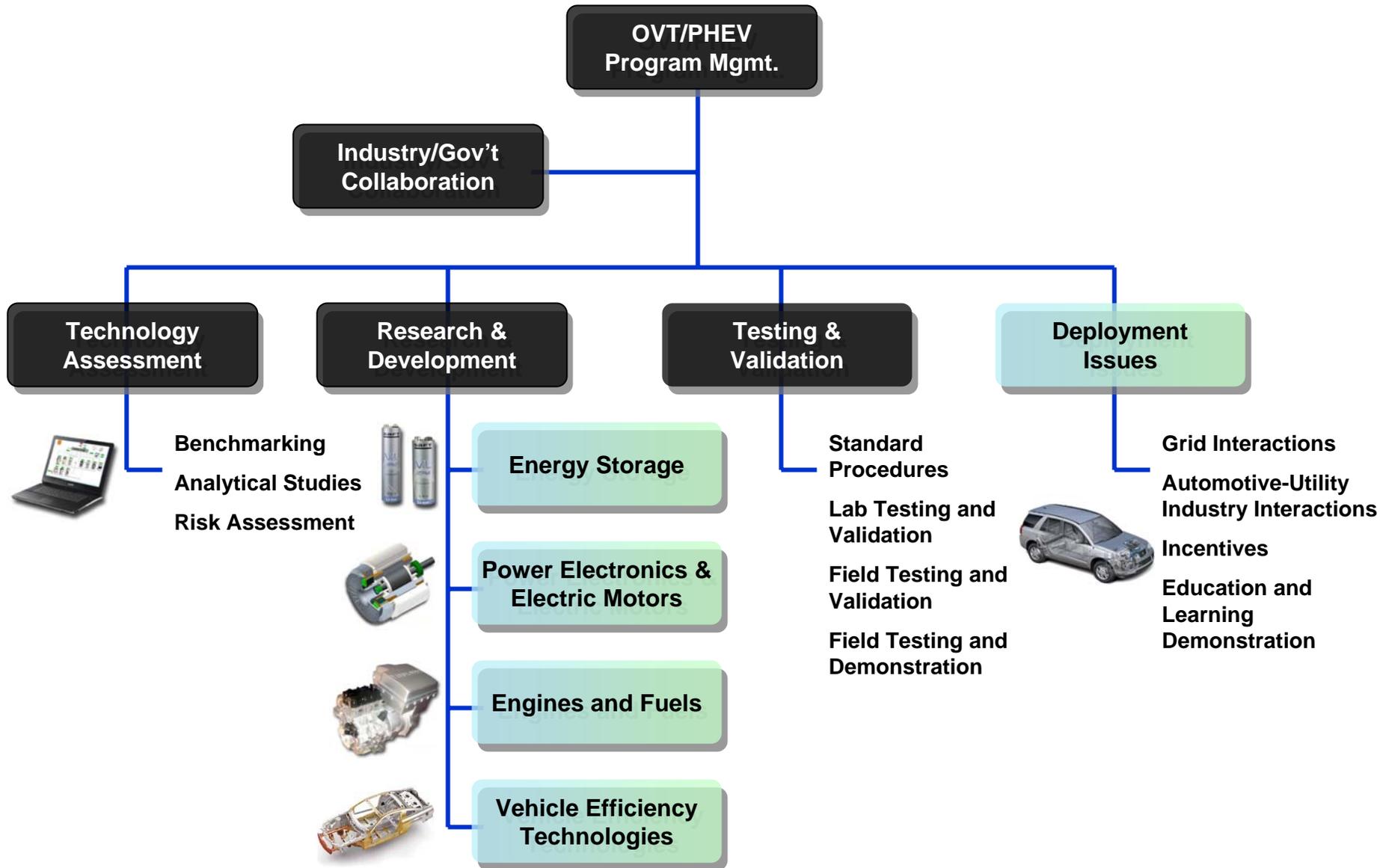
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Vehicle and Systems Simulation and Testing



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Analysis & Model Validation

- Policy
- Vehicle Design
 - Configurations
 - Control
 - Component requirements
 - Reference
- Vehicle Definition
 - Technology
- Verification
- PSAT



Validation in Vehicle Testing

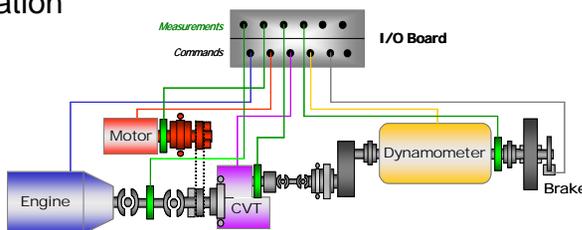
- Advanced Vehicle Testing Activity
- Dynamometer Laboratory Testing
- On-Road Vehicle Performance Evaluation
- PHEV Technology Acceleration & and Deployment Activity)
- Fleet Data Collection
- Model Validation



R&D

Development and Validation in Emulated Vehicles

- Hardware-In-the-Loop (HIL) & PSAT-PRO[®]
- HIL System Integration
- Technology Validation





Technology Assessment and Planning

Hybrid vehicle with 40 mi (64 km) electric range to substantially displace petroleum in urban driving



Analysis

- Various configurations, electric ranges and control strategies
 - Component requirements
 - National benefits and impacts

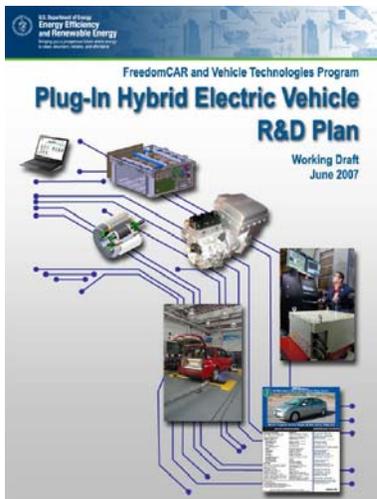
Testing

R&D Plan

Solicitation

- Vehicle demonstration

- Lithium-ion batteries
- PHEV conversions
- Standard procedures



- Analysis
- Development
- System integration
- Testing & validation
- Commercialization





- Ties all of the hardware R&D together
- System-level simulations help specify the necessary performance characteristics of the hardware and predict the overall vehicle performance for a given configuration.
- Both simulation and testing activities can be used to evaluate the development and progress of individual components, and predict how well they will integrate with other components being developed.
- Tests and simulations also evaluate how well the program is approaching its whole-vehicle goals, and provide the technical inputs to models of future economic benefits.



Heavy Vehicle Systems Simulation and Validation

- PSAT modeling, component validation and benchmarking of emerging component and vehicle level technologies



Aerodynamic Drag Reduction

- CFD tools/simulation model development and assessment with wind tunnel testing and fleet demonstrations of drag reduction devices

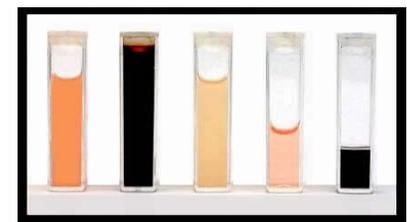
Friction and Wear Reduction

- Systems approach examining development and interaction of materials, lubricants and components focusing on boundary regime



Thermal Control

- Nanofluids and nucleated boiling analyses to optimize radiator performance, size, and pumping losses





(dollars in thousands)	FY 2007 Current Appropriation	FY 2008 Current Appropriation	FY 2009 Request
Hybrid Electric Systems			
Vehicle & Systems Simulation & Testing	0	28,201	21,126
Technology Validation	0	0	14,789
Energy Storage R&D	0	48,236	49,457
Adv. PEEM R&D	0	15,462	15,604
SBIR/STTR	0	2,236	2,385
Total, Hybrid Electric Systems	0	94,135	103,361
Vehicle Systems			
Heavy Vehicle Systems R&D	5,951	0	0
Ancillary Systems	293	0	0
Simulation & Validation	6,762	0	0
Total, Vehicle Systems	13,006	0	0
Hybrid & Electric Propulsion			
Energy Storage	40,912	0	0
Adv. Power Electronics	13,699	0	0
Subsystem Integration & Development	4,629	0	0
Total, Hybrid & Electric Propulsion	59,240	0	0



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