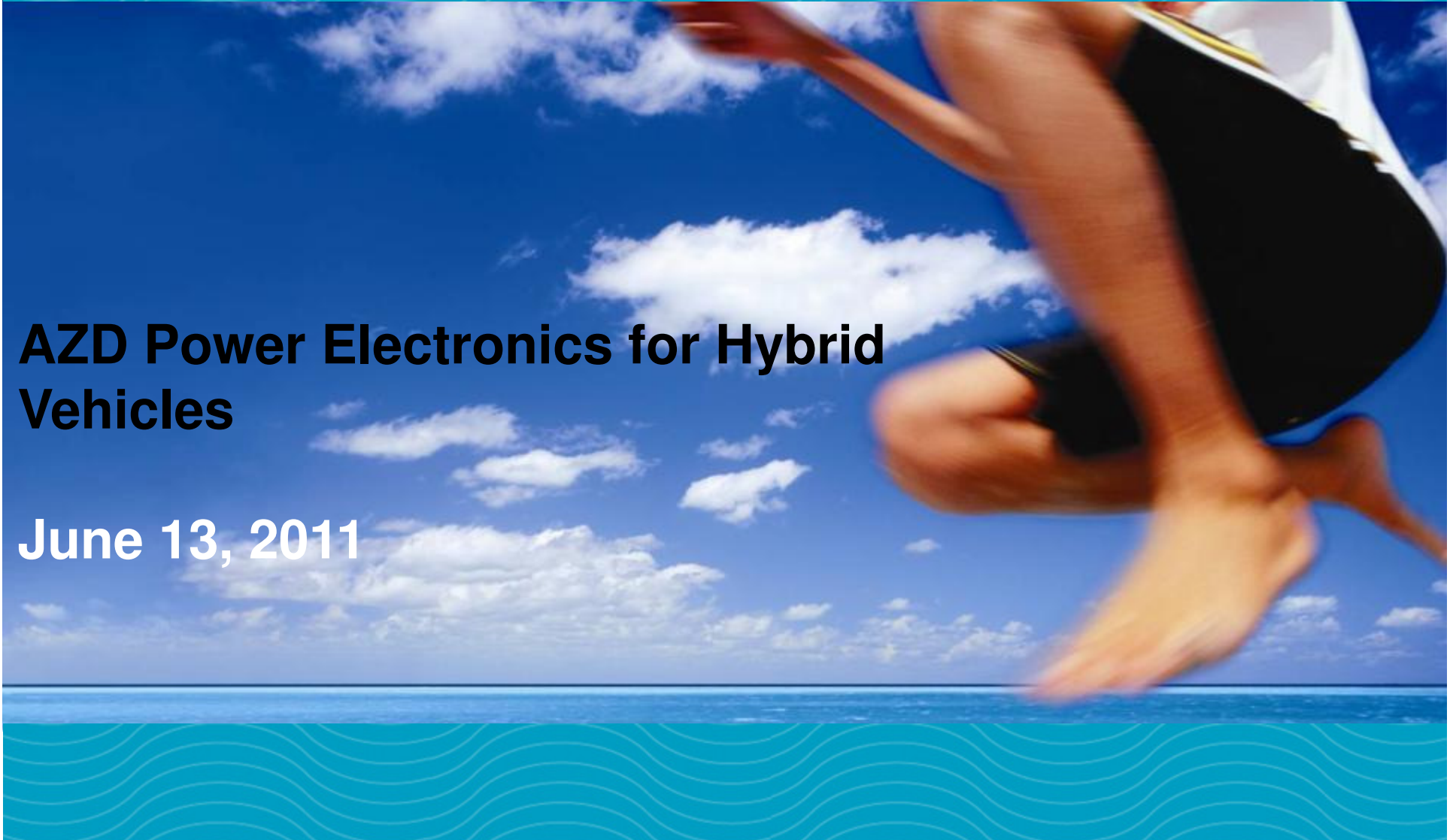




AZD Power Electronics for Hybrid Vehicles

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Who is Azure Dynamics?

- > Azure Dynamics is an industry leader in hybrid electric and electric powertrain solutions in the commercial vehicle segment
- > ~ 20 years in this industry
- > Locations in Detroit, Boston, Vancouver & UK (total employees ~ 160)



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Broad Range of Applications



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PHEV Balance Hybrid



- > 14 kWh Li-Ion battery (nominal = 346 V)
 - > Electric drive motor cont. power ~ 50 kW
 - > >20 mile electric range (blended)
 - > Acceleration rates within ~ 10% of stock veh.
 - > Level 1 & 2 Smart charging capability
 - > Charge time (240V) ~ 4 hours
- > **Azure's PHEV product offer the following features:**
 - > Engine Idle Off
 - > Urban Electric drive Performance
 - > Electric launch assist (PHEV and HEV mode)
 - > Regenerative braking
 - > Electric A/C – chassis cab and body
 - > Automatic conventional mode redundancy
 - > Electric power steering and brake assist

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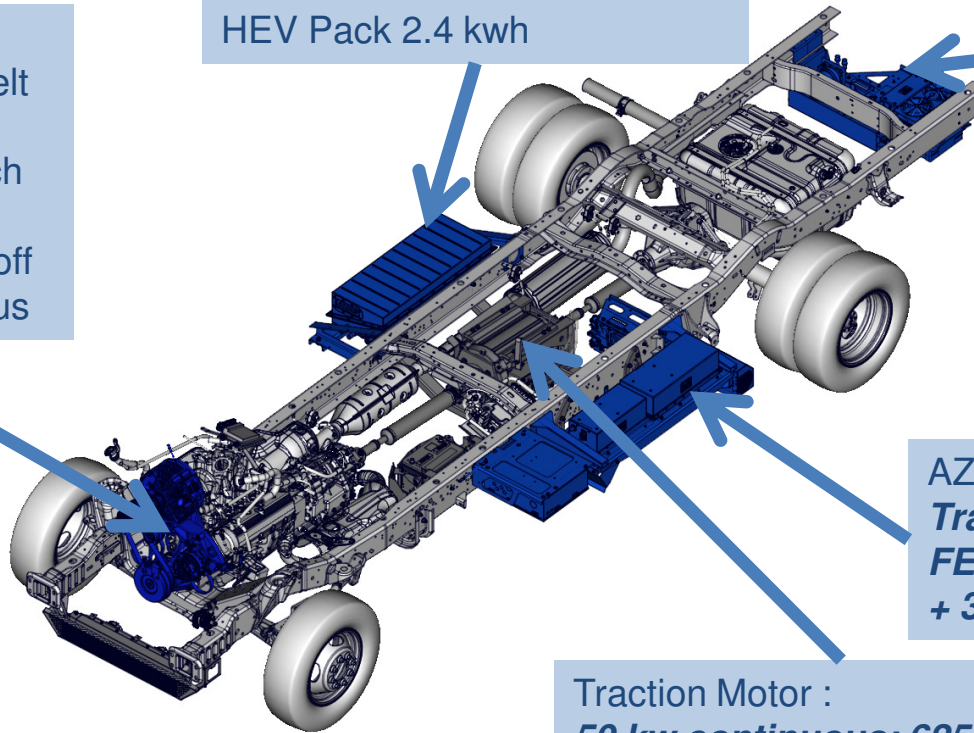
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2011 MY Balance Hybrid Technology

Advancements to AZD
Industry Leading V8 Belt
Starter Generator -
integrated electric Clutch
- motor can spin
auxiliaries with Engine off
- Approx 6 kw continuous

JCS Li Ion PHEV battery Pack
14 kwh
HEV Pack 2.4 kwh

65,000 BTU Electric A/C
compressor – AZD
Force Drive inverter
controlled (for Shuttle
bus)



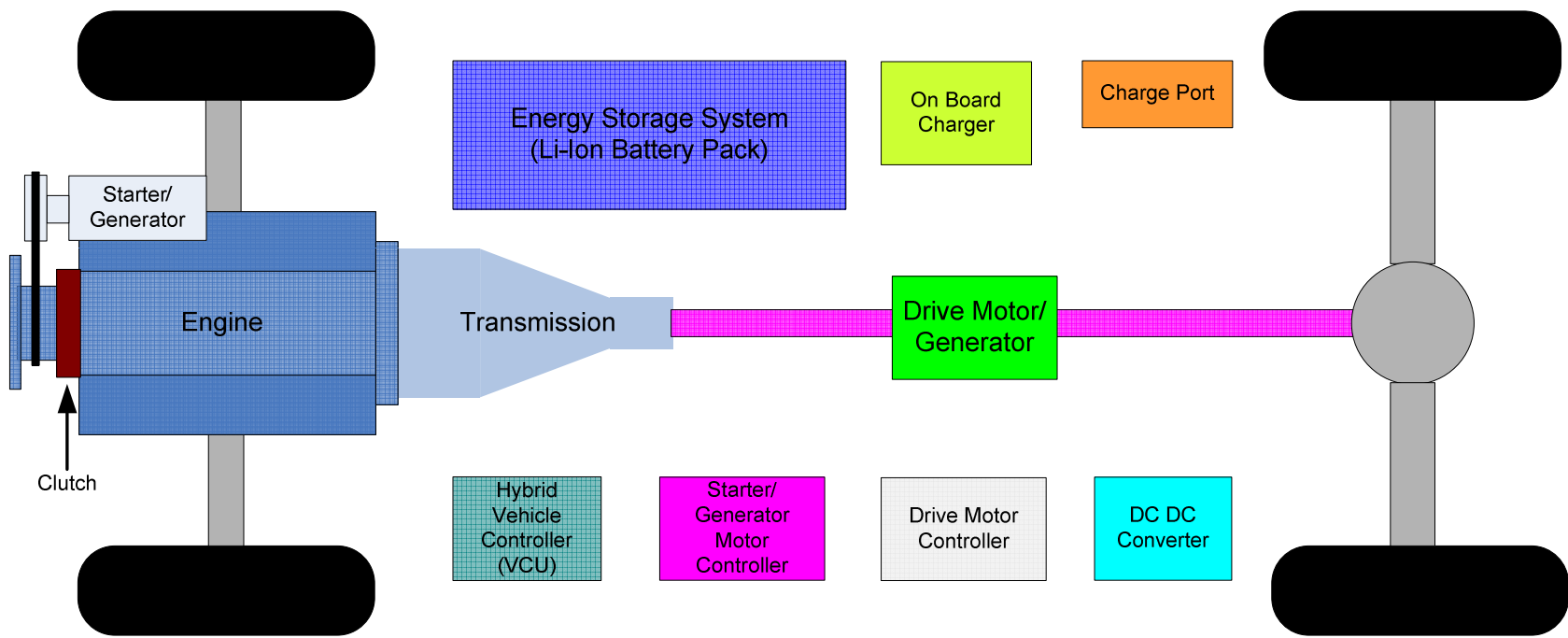
AZD Force Drive inverters:
Traction – (600 amp)
FEAD – (400 amp)
+ 3.3 kw charger

Traction Motor :
**50 kw continuous; 625 nm
peak torque**

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PHEV Balance



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Transit Connect Electric

transit connect electric

Driving a world of difference in a light-duty electric vehicle.



- > 28 kWh Li-Ion battery (nominal = 346 V)
- > Electric drive motor cont. power ~ 57 kW
- > 80 mile electric range UDDS
- > Level 1 & 2 Smart charging capability
- > Charge time (240V/30A) ~ 8 hours



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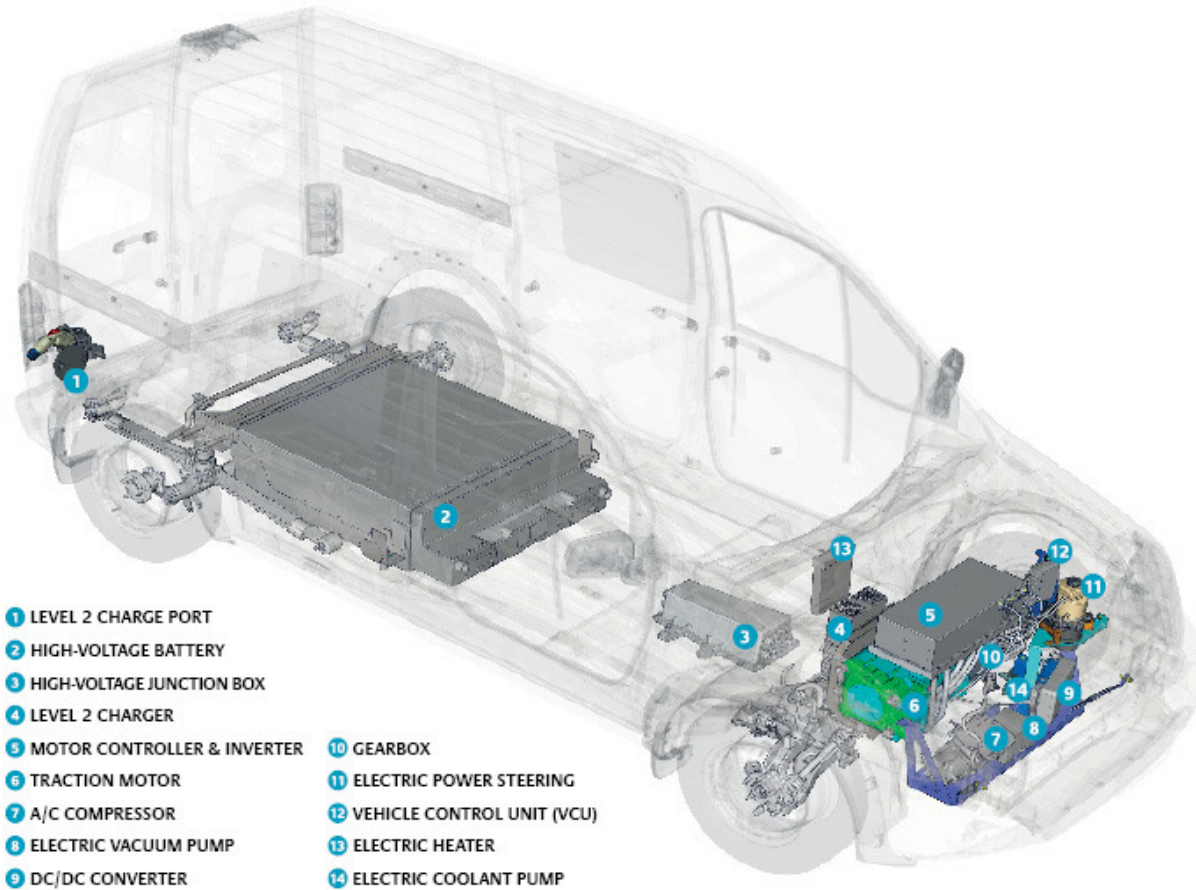
The 2010 Ford Transit Connect—North American Truck of the Year.

Azure Dynamics Corporation (AZD) and Ford Motor Company have joined in a collaborative effort to deliver the Transit Connect Electric for the North American market.

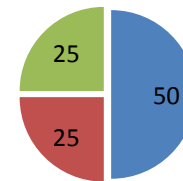
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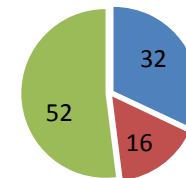
Lessons Learned – Ideal Platform for an EV



UDDS Energy Distribution



US06 Energy Distribution



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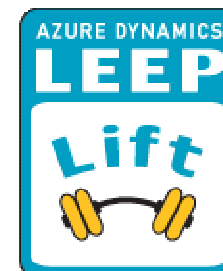
LEEP Lift

System Benefits are:

- > Significant fuel and emissions savings
- > Anti-idle compliance
- > Engine-off boom operation
- > Engine-off 12V DC Supply
- > Reduced overall engine maintenance
- > Excellent fault tolerance
- > No-little impact to normal packaging space
- > Modest impact on payload

Options

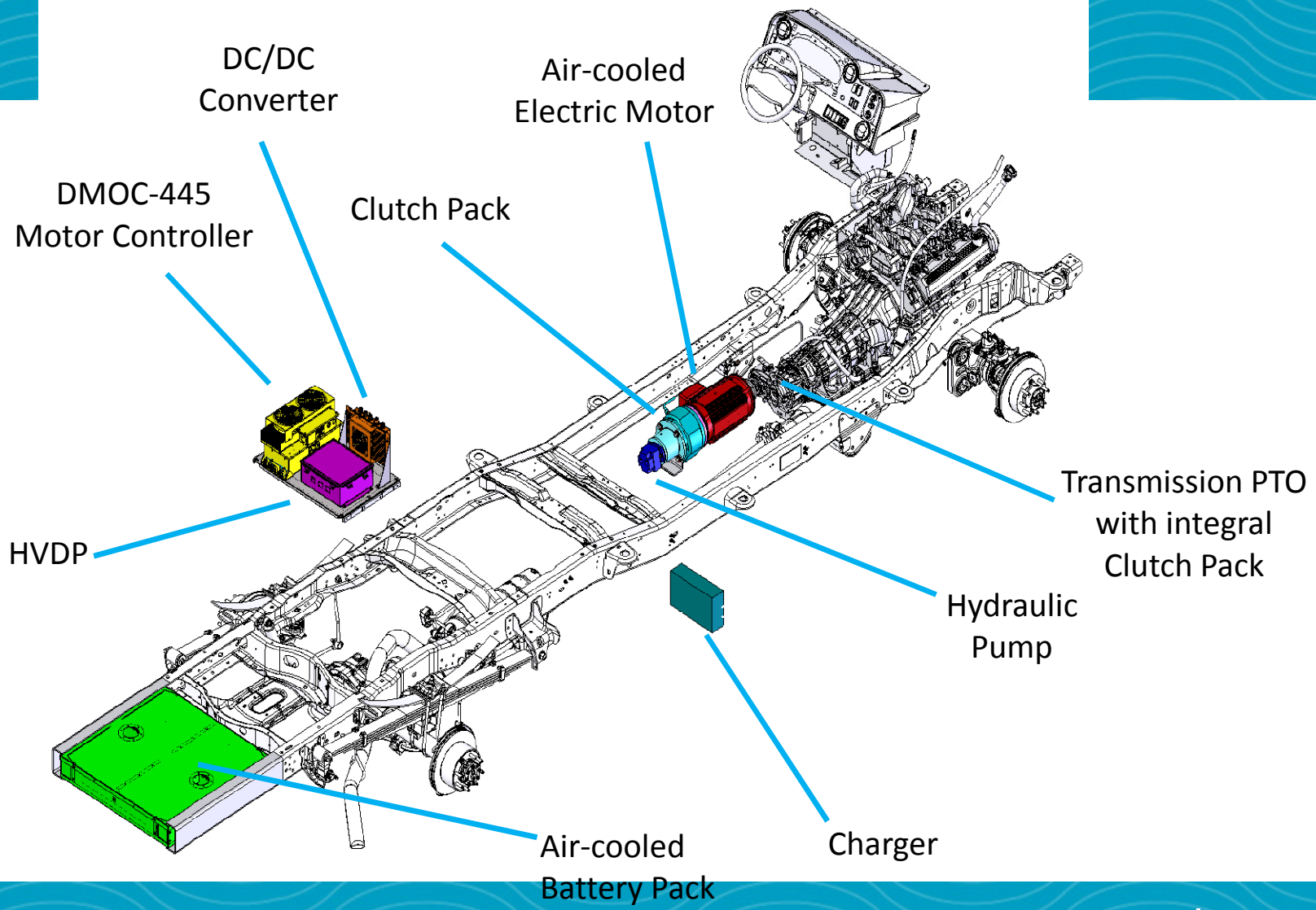
- > Plug-in recharging capable
- > 2 kVA 115 VAC export Power
- > 750 Watt 12V Blocks of power



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LEEP Lift System Implementation

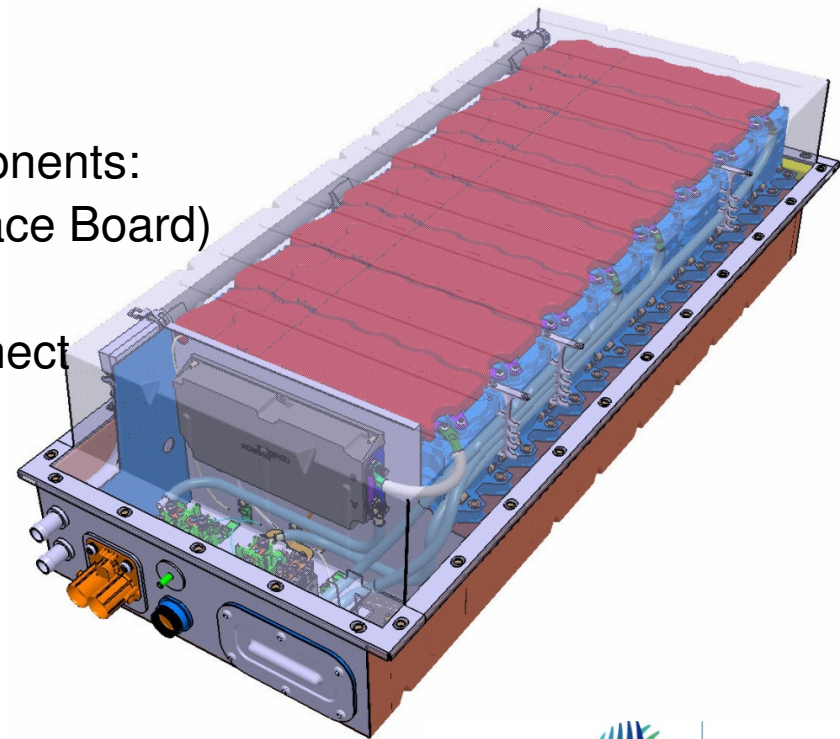


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PHEV Balance Hybrid Pack

- Liquid Cooled, 14 kWh system
- 346 V nominal
- 96 x VL41M cells
- Unique housing utilizing carry-over components:
 - Core Electronics (BMU, CSC and Trace Board)
 - EM12B Module; Coolant Manifolds
 - HV / LV Connectors; Service Disconnect
 - Contactors; Pre-charge Resistor

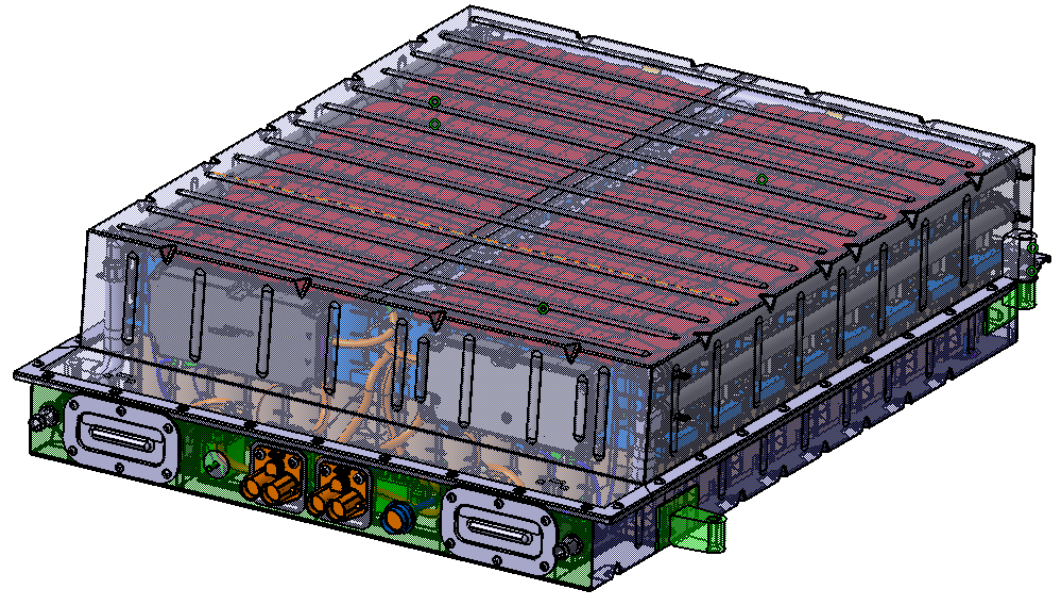


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Transit Connect Electric Pack

- Liquid Cooled, 28 kWh system
- 192 x VL41M cells
- 2 parallel strings of 96 cells
- 346 V nominal
- Unique housing utilizing carry-over components:
 - Core Electronics (BMU, CSC and Trace Board)
 - EM12B Module; Coolant Manifolds
 - HV / LV Connectors; Service Disconnect
 - Contactors; Pre-charge Resistor
- **DESIGN LIFE – 10 Years; 120,000 Miles**



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Controls



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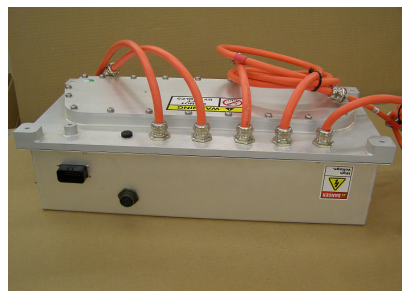
Flagship Components

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Our components are based on over 15 years of development and field experience

- > Digital Motor Controllers (DMOC)
 - > Ground-up design
 - > Three power levels (120 kVA, 80 kVA, 20 kVA)
 - > All digital field oriented control
 - > Space-vector PWM
 - > Thermal management (air and liquid cooled)
 - > Over and under-voltage protection
 - > Three level over-current protection

- > DC-DC Converters
 - > Voltage source and battery charging
 - > Isolated power transfer



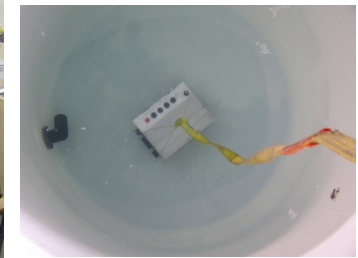
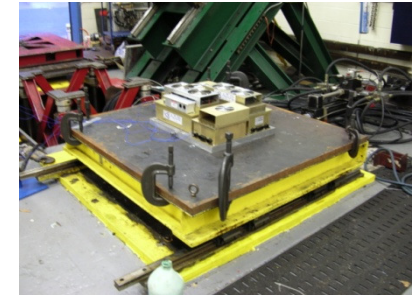
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Power Electronics

Our latest generation components are designed to meet the stringent requirements of commercial fleets.

- > Life: 20,000 hours
- > EMC:
 - > EU specifications 2004/104/EC
 - > Ford ES-XW7T-1A278-AC
 - > GM3097
- > IP65/IP67
- > Chemical: SAE J1455
- > Vibration: ISO 16750-3

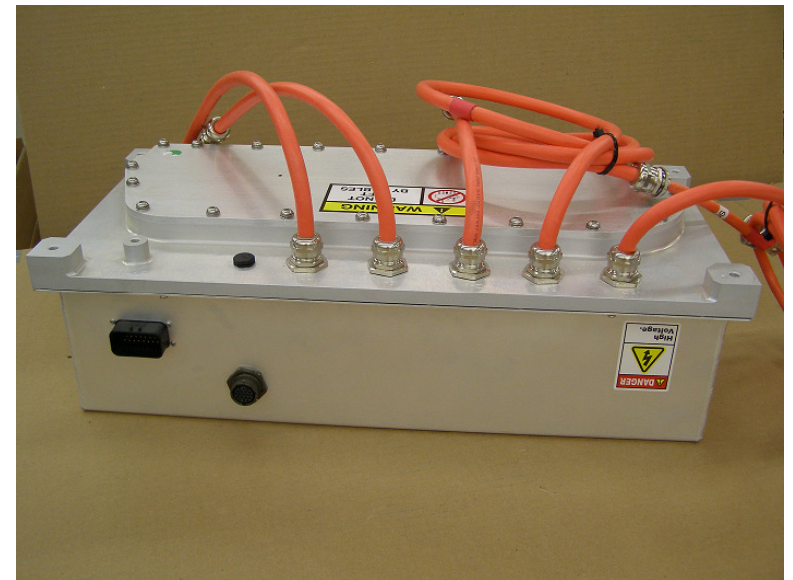


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Gen-II Characteristics

- > Max AC current: 420 Arms
- > Max DC voltage: 400 VDC
- > Coolant: 55C @ 10l/min
- > Weight: 21 kg
- > Volume: 25 L
- > AC Motor Control Algorithms
- > Derivability Algorithms
- > CAN Interface
- > UDS for Diagnostics



DMOC645-LC

Gen-III Drive Characteristics

- > Nominal peak power: 150 kW
- > Max voltage (non-operating): 550 V – up from 450V
- > Max operating voltage: 450V – up from 400 V
- > Max output current: 420 Arms - unchanged
- > Rated current: 200 Arms, at 10I, 65C coolant – up from 55C
- > Weight: 15 kg – down from 21 kg (DOE: 12 kW/kg)
- > Volume: 10 L – down from 25 L (DOE: 12 kW/L)
- > Cost: 40% reduction
- > ISO 26262 compliant (Functional Safety)
- > Complete Ford EMC compliance

V2G Considerations

- > V2G components must be robust to meet on vehicle environmental; EMC; Safety; performance requirements
- > P/HEV and EV's are already cost challenged – V2G must provide economic return
- > What is the best way to integrate – standalone or with drive inverter & motor? Some level of integration is preferred for lower cost, weight and robustness
- > What is the new design life requirements for all affected components – already a 20,000 hr requirement without considering V2G?
- > Vehicle availability for EV's – when to charge/discharge?
- > Standardized communications and smart grid readiness
- > How will battery life be affected?

Lessons Learned – Opportunities to Support Wider EV Adoption

EV range and infrastructure continue to limit widespread adoption

- > There is no single answer => focus on all of the following areas will improve EV adoption:
 - > Battery advancements
 - > Vehicle and electric drive efficiency gains
 - > Fast charging infrastructure -> mitigate need of on-board energy
 - > V2G and Smart charging -> improve Cost of ownership
 - > Range extender and PHEV options



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Q & A

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