EV SNAPSHOT

EV = Electric Vehicle

PHEV = Plug-in Hybrid Electric Vehicle

Chevrolet Spark EV Specs

- Horsepower = 140
- Torque = 327 lbs-ft
- 0-60 MPH = 7.9 sec.
- Battery Size = 21 kWh
- MPGe = 119
- EPA range = 82 miles
- Time to recharge (0-100%)
 - 120v = 20 hrs
 - 240v = 7 hrs (Many EVs have 2x faster charge rates.)

EVs, PHEVs and traditional hybrids get better mileage in town

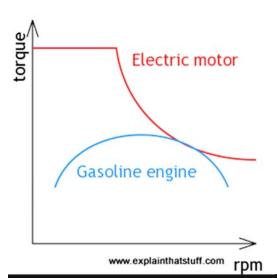
- Regenerative Braking
- No idling
- No shifting gears

Most Common Concerns

- Limited range
- Long recharge times
- Battery life
- Higher cost
- · Are they really cleaner?

Addressing Concerns

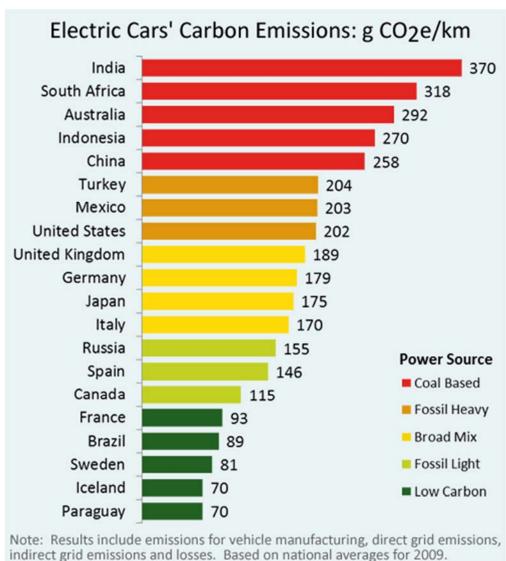
- More practical in multi-vehicle households.
- PHEVs blend gas & EV benefits.
- Charging rarely starts at 0%.
- An 80-90% charge is significantly shorter than a full charge (charge rate slows).
- Charging while sleeping is effective.
- Long warranties on battery / motor (i.e. 8/yr 100,000 mile)
- Large Federal and State tax incentives.
- See life cycle emission graph on back.



Pros:

- Responsive Performance
- \$1.12 per gallon equivalent
- Zero tailpipe emissions
- Quiet
- Low maintenance (i.e. no oil changes)
- No transmission

Performance



indirect grid emissions and losses. Based on national averages for 2009.

Sources: DEFRA, GHG protocol, IEA, EPA, GREET, LCA literature

Gasoline powered vehicles average 300 g CO₂e/km