

Sustainable Mobility Solutions

Identity and purpose

Sustainable Mobility Solutions (SMS) is the innovation arm of SAE International. Its mission is to ***identify, incubate, develop and deliver*** initiatives that lead to net zero transportation.

Approach

We use tools new and familiar to SAE: technical frameworks, workforce development, convening, data analysis.

Areas of focus

- Reliability of electric vehicle charging
- Workforce development
- Sustainable engineering design
- Battery Lifecycle



Electric Vehicle Charging Data Performance & Reporting



An All-Inclusive, Technical Review of Electric Vehicle Charging Data Performance, Data Reporting, and Reliability

- A new model for technical knowledge creation and data reporting that will revolutionize standards development
- How Electric Vehicle Supply Equipment (EVSE), like other network connected devices, manage and report their performance to deliver reliable levels of customer service
- The structure, volume, and quality of data regarding EV charging system performance
- Reference system architecture that frames this report's analysis, which identifies the essential devices, platforms, and data flows within EV charging systems that support performance
- The Charging System Performance Reporting (CSPR) interface, a conceptual model that is meant to organize and facilitate the collection, processing, encoding, storage, and reporting of system performance data

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AE J3271, Megawatt Charging Systems for Electric Vehicles

J3271 focuses on the system level of DC high power charging; up to 500v/3000A; this work area/standard does not include AC charging.

This DC charging system is targeted at larger battery pack vehicles that require higher charging rates to complete the charging process in reasonable time. Commercial vehicles typically have shorter dwell time to charge than others.

Related DC conductive/WPT SAE standards for equivalent charging include:

SAE J3105(1,2,3) mechanized systems (on route, sequenced depot settings)

SAE J1772-CCS cord connected, multi-port stations, w/cord handling systems

SAE J3068 208v/277/480vac cord connected; DC charging (w-w/o DC pins)

SAE J2954/2 commercial vehicle WPT (power range WPT5-8; 60kW-590kW)

AE J3271, Scope

This document describes the megawatt-level DC charging system requirements for couplers/inlets, cables, cooling, communication and interoperability.

The intended application is for commercial vehicles with larger battery packs requiring higher charging rates for moderate dwell time.

A simplified analog safety signaling approach is used for connection-detection to guarantee de-energized state for unmated couplers with superimposed high-speed data for EVSE-EV charging control and other value added services.

Developing Battery Charging and V2G Infrastructure

Hybrid EV Committee → 21 WIPs

- J2836/2: Use Cases for Communication between Plug-in Vehicles and Off-Board DC Charger
- J2847/3: Communication for Plug-in Vehicles as a Distributed Energy Source
- J2894/1: Power Quality Requirements for Plug-In Electric Vehicle Chargers

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Electric Vehicle Charging Data: Performance and Reporting. A technical framework for identifying, organizing and codifying EV charging performance. Developed with leading vehicle manufacturers, charge providers, government agencies. Now the basis of a National Charging Experience Consortium sponsored by U.S. national labs.

Training and certification in key topics of sustainable transportation with Dekra.

- a. Introduction to the Electric Vehicle Infrastructure: Standards and Regulations
- b. Cybersecurity for EV Charging
- c. Introduction to DC Fast Charging

Electric Vehicle Supply Equipment (EVSE) Certification. A national certification for charging station field technicians and service providers. Developed in cooperation with ChargerHelp!

The Battery Academy with EIT InnoEnergy. A comprehensive curriculum for engineers and students in battery development. 22 courses, 86 modules, 100 hours of learning.

Sustainable Engineering Design and Practice. A framework for guiding engineers in various transportation industry roles in designing products for re-use and second life. Assembled in cooperation with leading manufacturers and suppliers.

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