

On-road particle and gaseous emissions from a PFI and GDI hybrid electric vehicle (in the winter)

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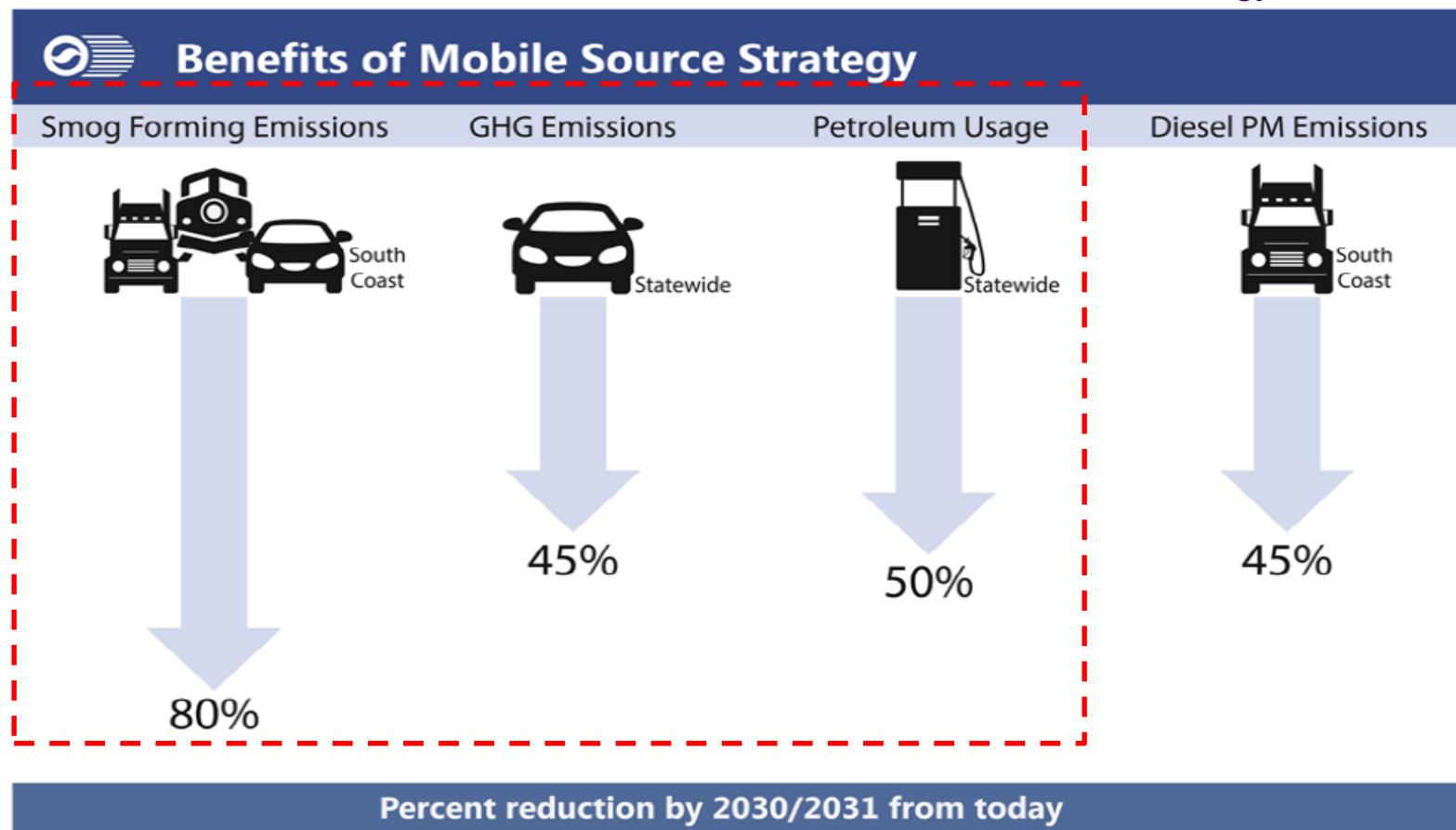
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In 2012, the ARB adopted the Advanced Clean Cars program, which included an increased zero-emissions vehicles (electric vehicles and hydrogen fuel cell vehicle), and hybrid electric vehicles for MY 2018 through 2025

Mobile sources strategy from ARB



Most previous HEV studies were conducted at modest temperatures

Hu et al. 2016

- Two PHEVs (PFI) vs 2015 GDI conventional vehicle on chassis dyno (~20°C)
- PFI has lower emissions of CO₂, PM mass and particle compared to GDI engine
- Cold start particle emissions still represent the majority of particle emissions

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- On-road test under the ambient temperature (~20°C)
- 2013 Toyota Prius PHEV(PFI) vs 2016 Hyundai Sonata PHEV (GDI)
- The GDI engine has higher NOx + HC emissions than that of PFI engine

Holmen et al. 2014

- On-road test under the ambient temperature (summer and winter, 0~35°C)
- 2010 Toyota Camry vs 2010 Camry HEV (GDI)
- Re-ignition HEV of PN >> Stable HEV of PN, Re-ignition high 30-70 nm emissions

Research objectives for tests conducted in cold weather in MN winter (Feb, -3°C ± 3)

- Compare cold weather on-road emissions between PFI engine and GDI engine
- Compare “Cold cold” starts with “re-ignition events” on city and highway drive cycles
- Evaluate the impact of “re-ignition” events on maintaining catalyst temperature



HEVs specifications and instruments

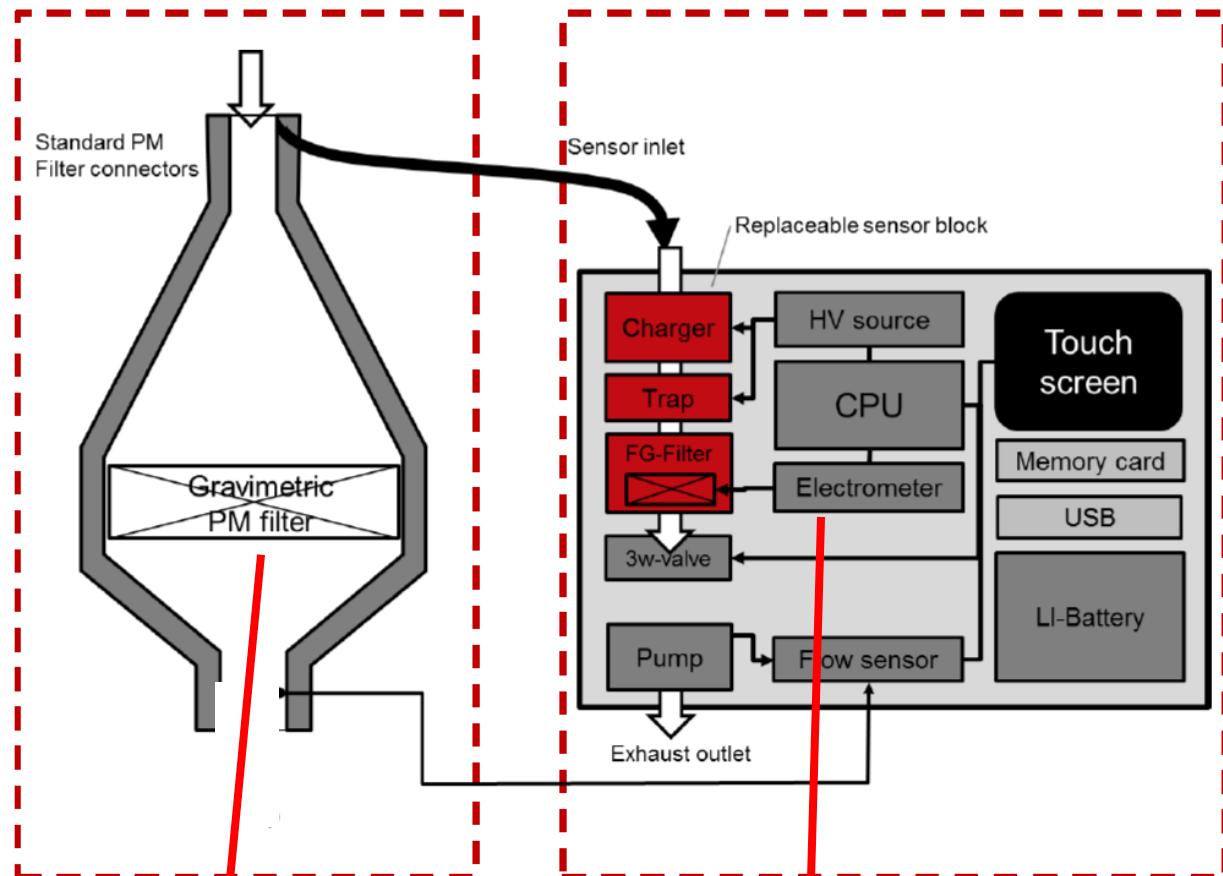
Vehicle specifications (HEVs)

	Toyota Prius	Hyundai Sonata
Year	2016	2015
Engine Type	1.8L, I4, 121 hp	2.4L, I4 199 hp
MPG	54 city, 50 highway	36 city, 40 highway
Electric motor	60 hp	47 hp
Battery output	45kW	47kW
Fuel injection	PFI	GDI
Gasoline engine	71 hp @4800 rpm	159 hp @ 5,500 rpm

Instruments

- **EEPS: dilute particle number-total and size**
- **E-filter – charged particles**
- **Thermal dilutor: total and solid particles**
- **NGK/NTK tailpipe sensor**
 - **NO_x emissions, PN concentration, PM concentration**

Dekati e-filter is a diffusion charger combined with a gravimetric filter



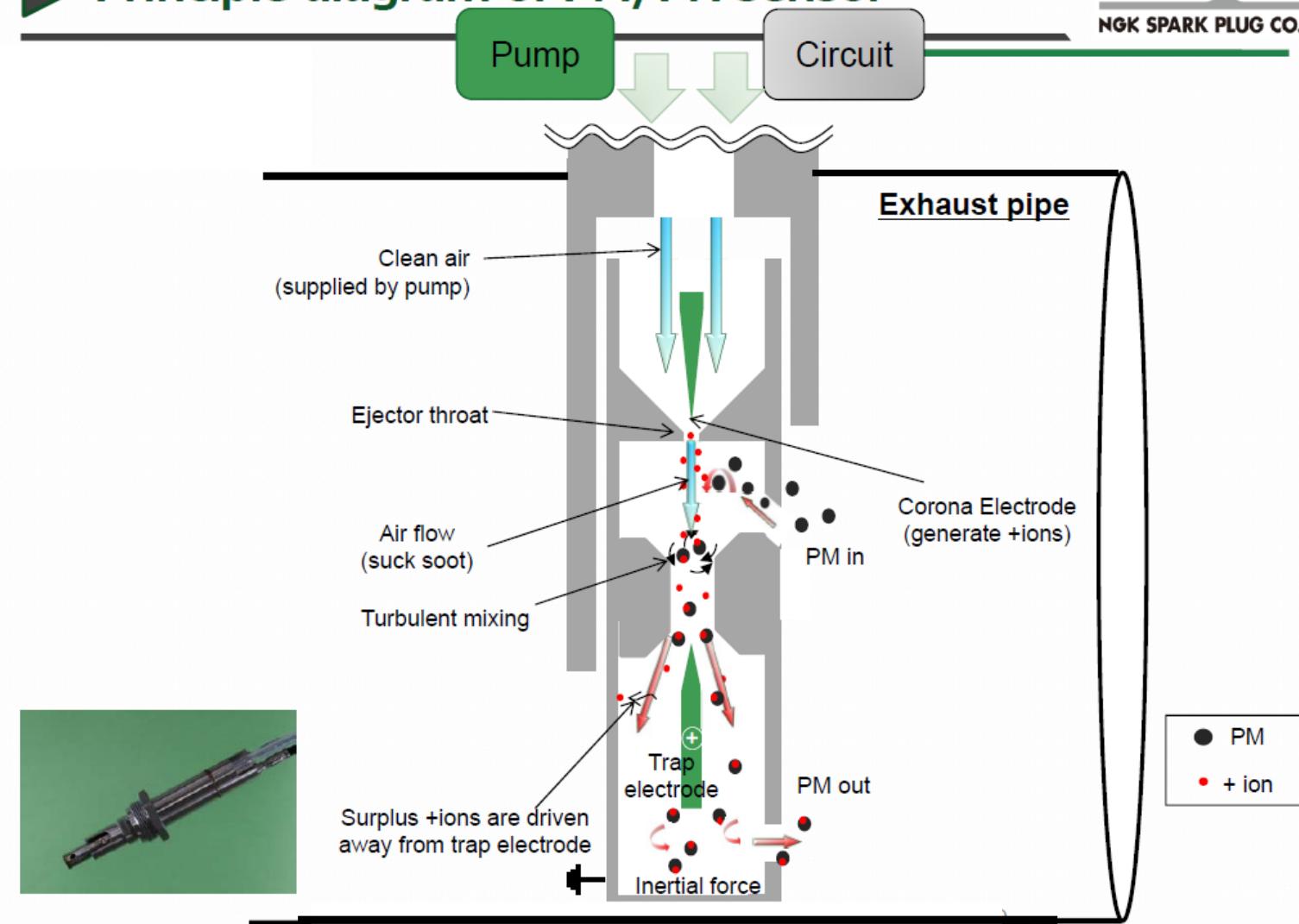
Mass scales with total current

NTK/NGK PM/PN raw tailpipe sensor

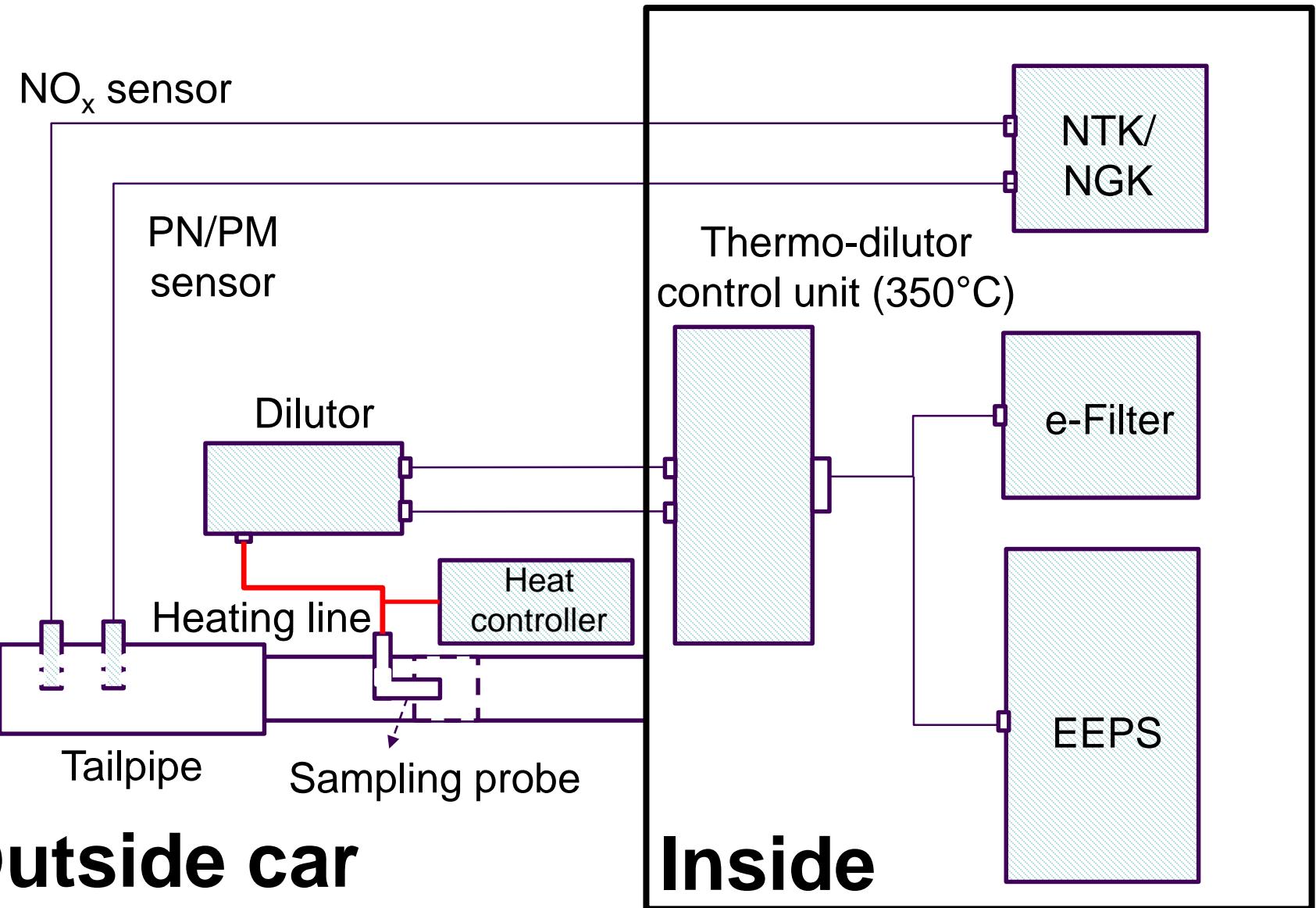


Principle diagram of PM/PN sensor

NGK NTK
SPARK PLUGS TECHNICAL CERAMICS
NGK SPARK PLUG CO., LTD.



Particle and gas sampling apparatus



Outside car

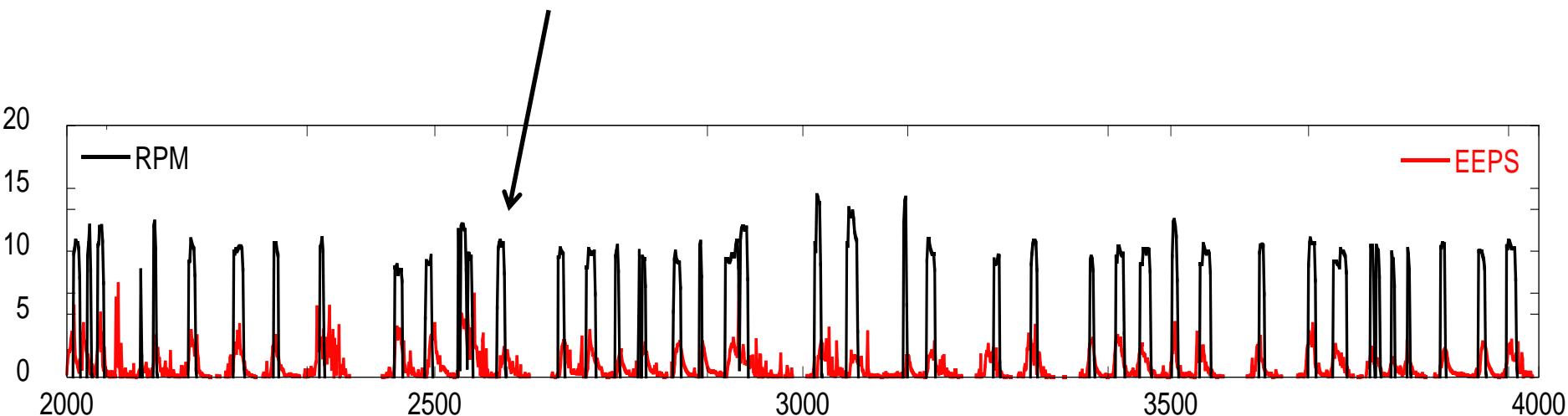
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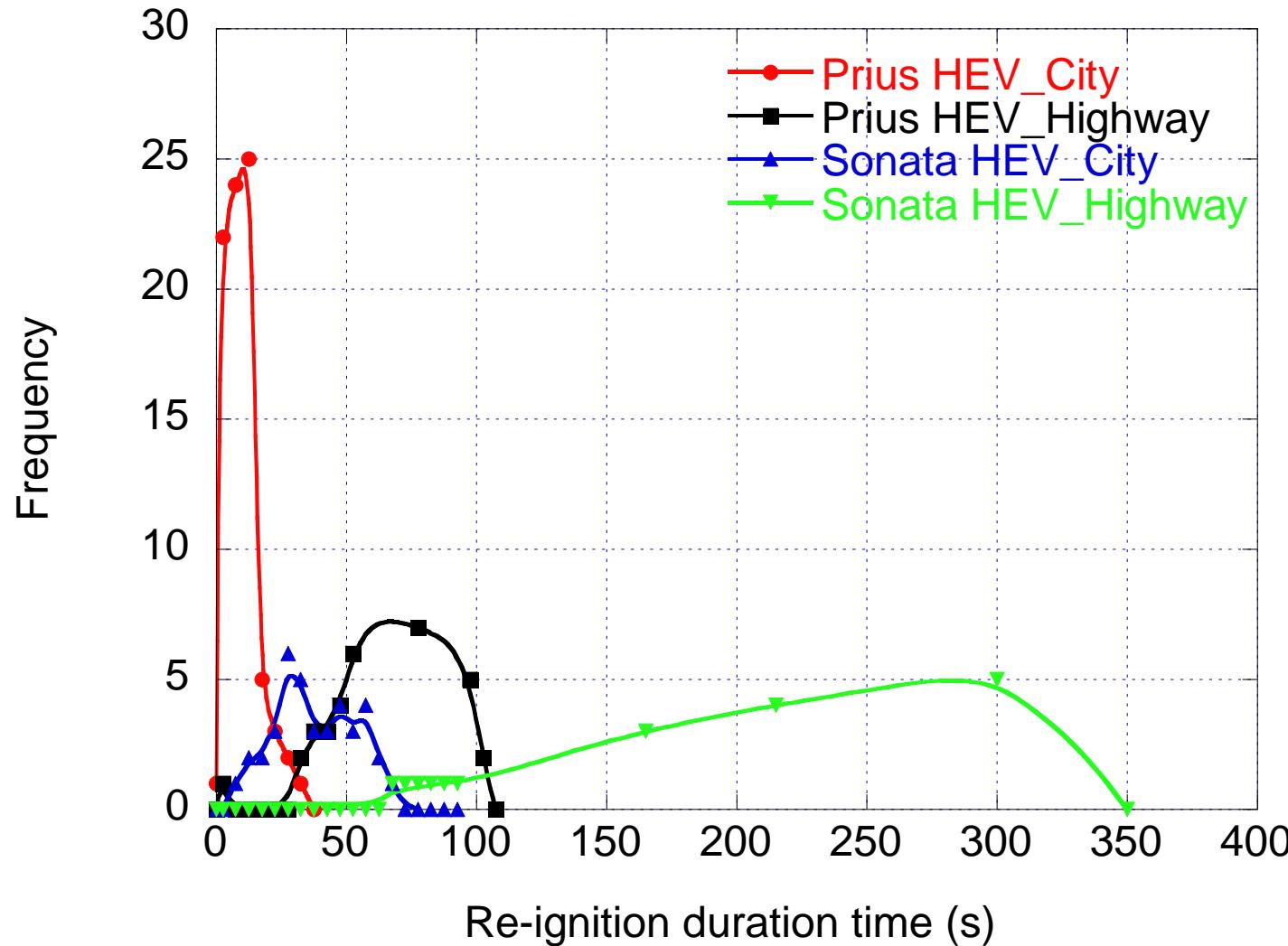
Example time series of driving data

**Multiple days of prescribed city and highway drive cycles
(2 hr / each)**

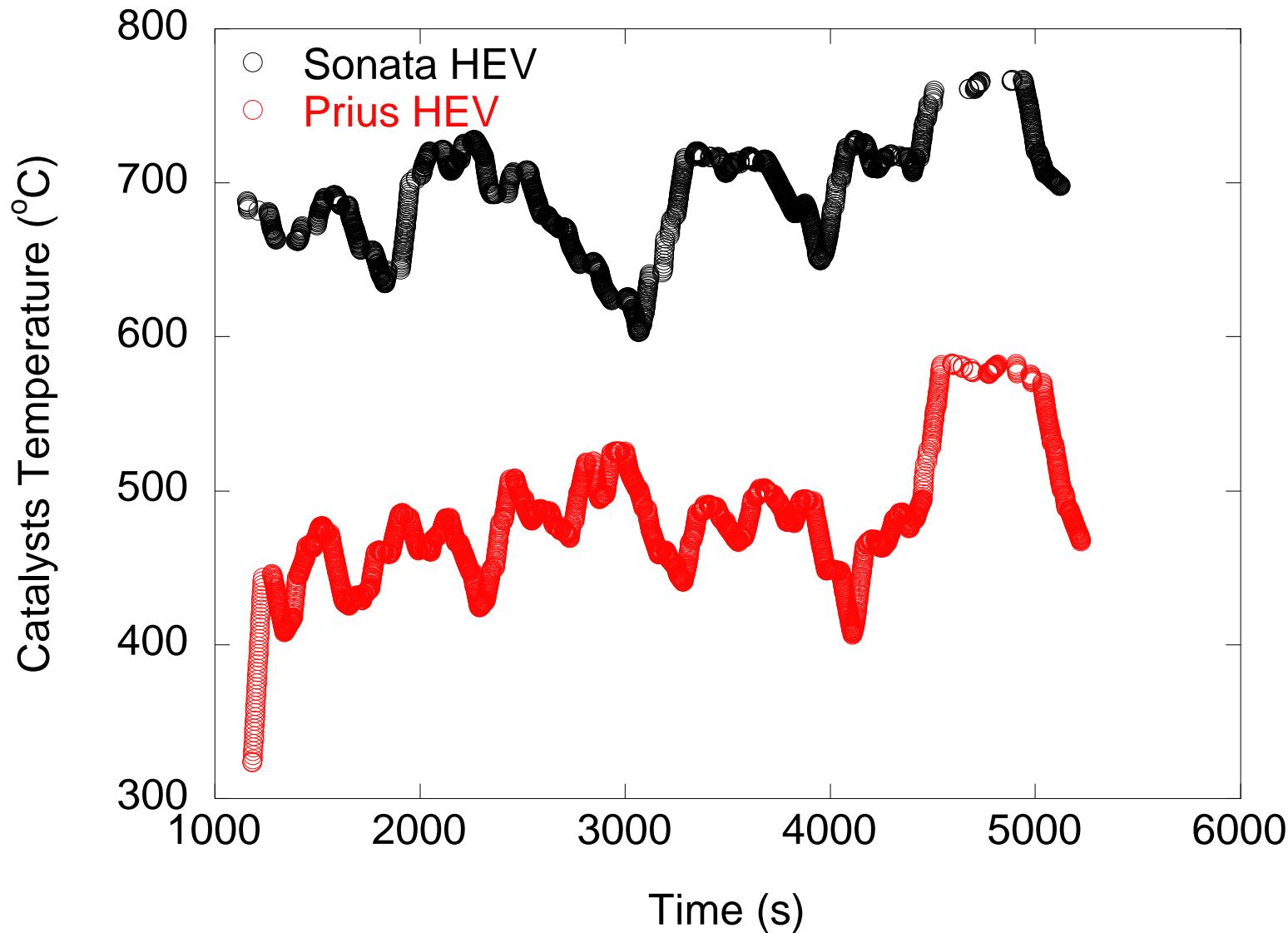
About 1 “re-ignition” event per minute (Prius)



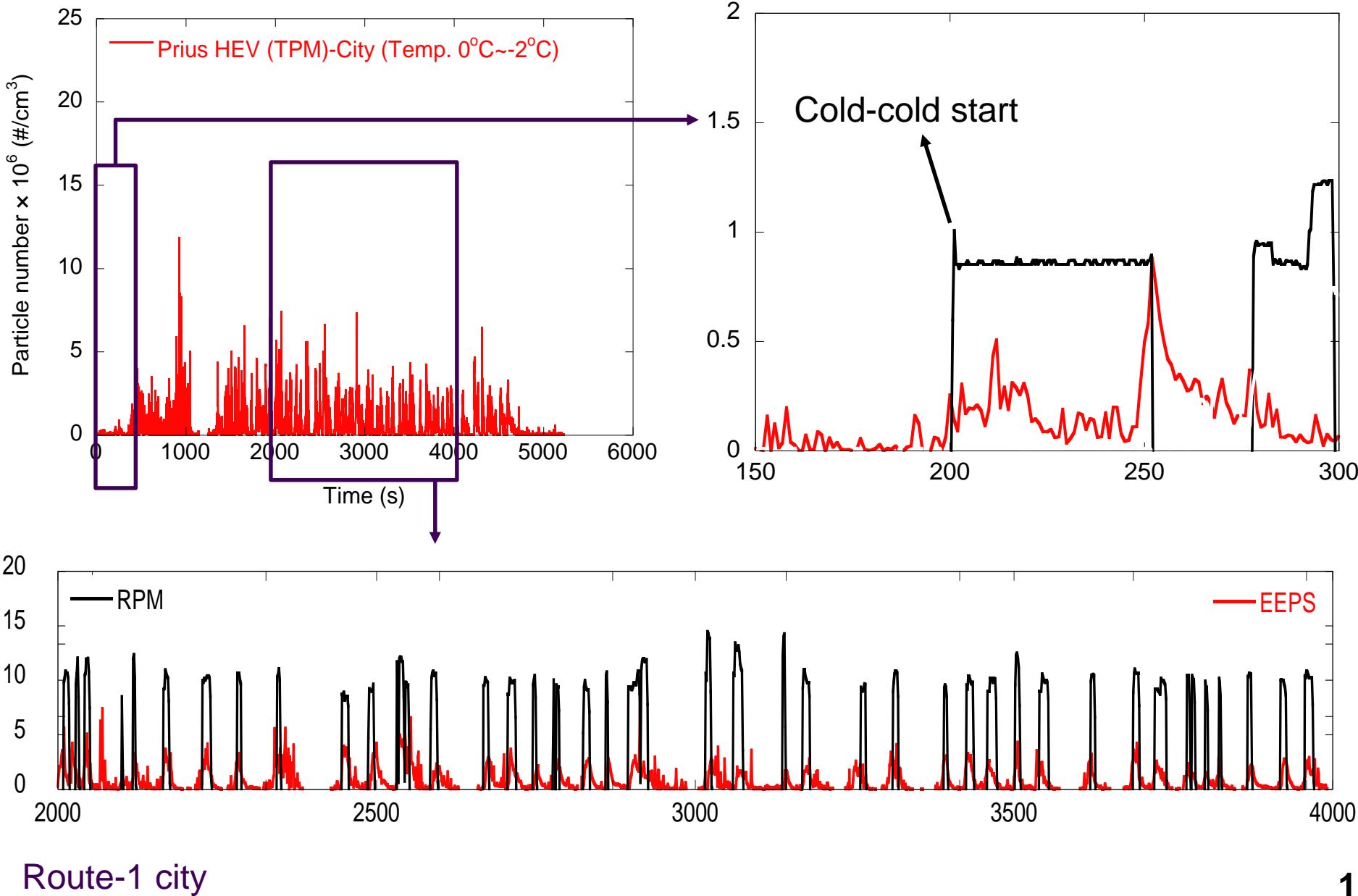
Frequency and duration of re-ignition events for Prius and Sonata were very different



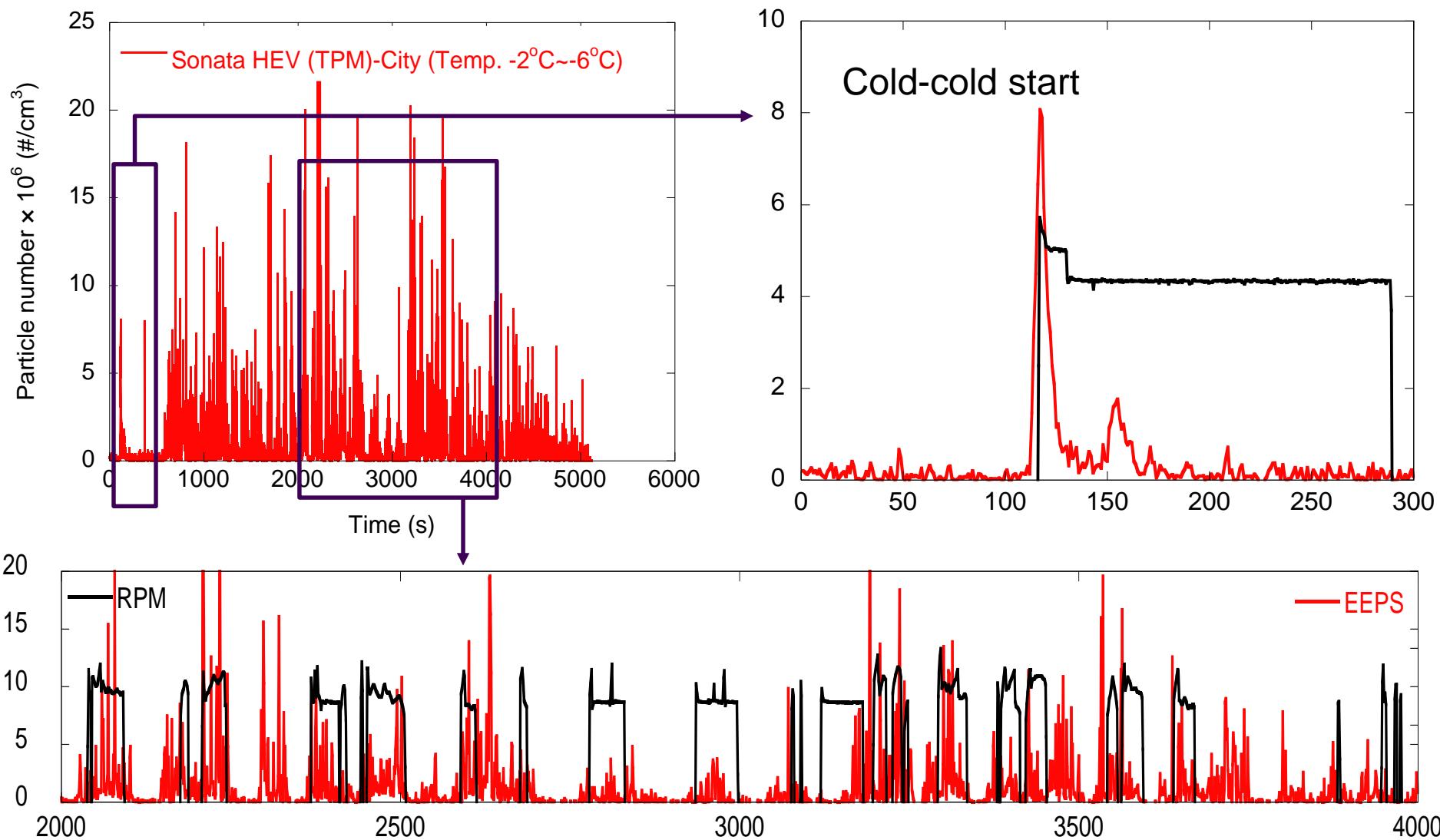
Catalyst temperatures do not drop below the expected light-off temperature



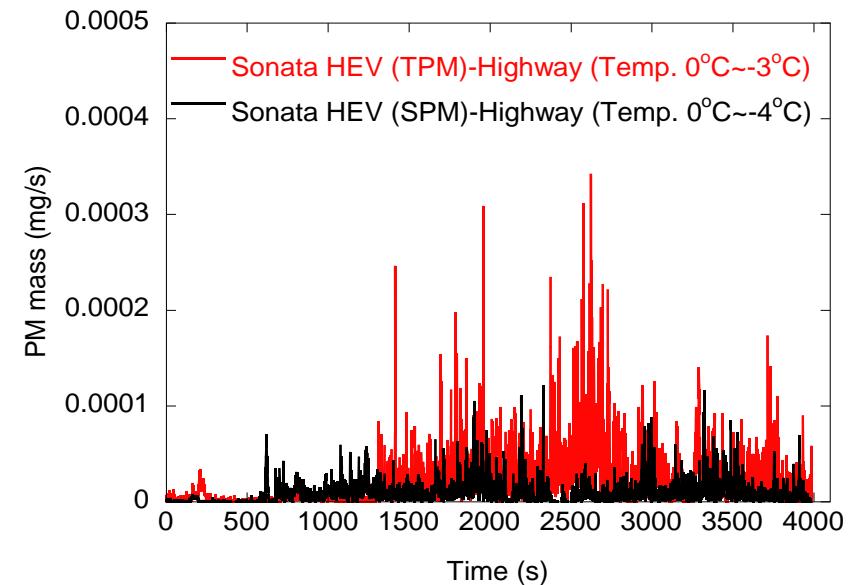
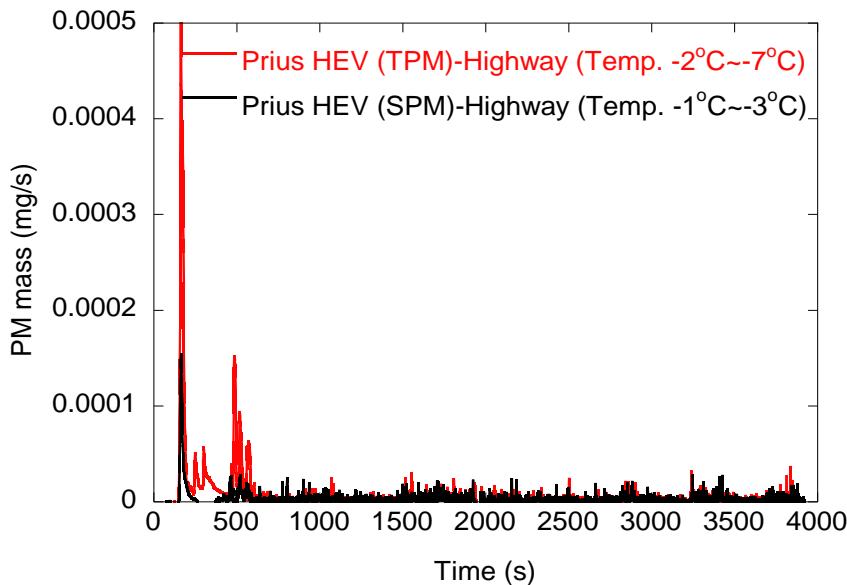
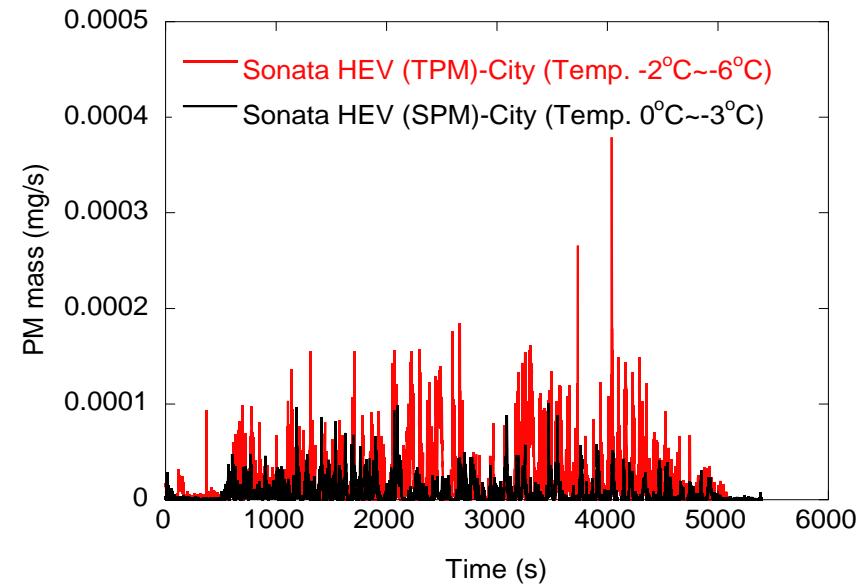
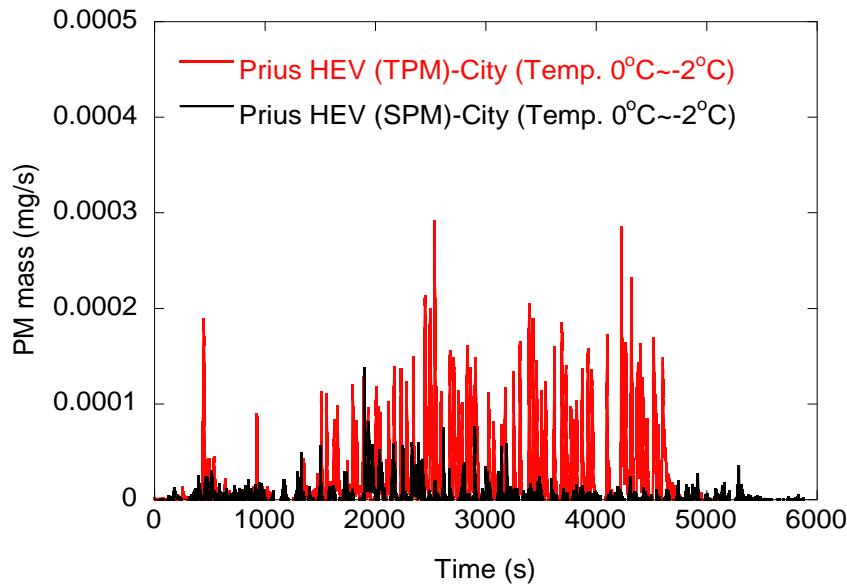
Particle number time series – Prius



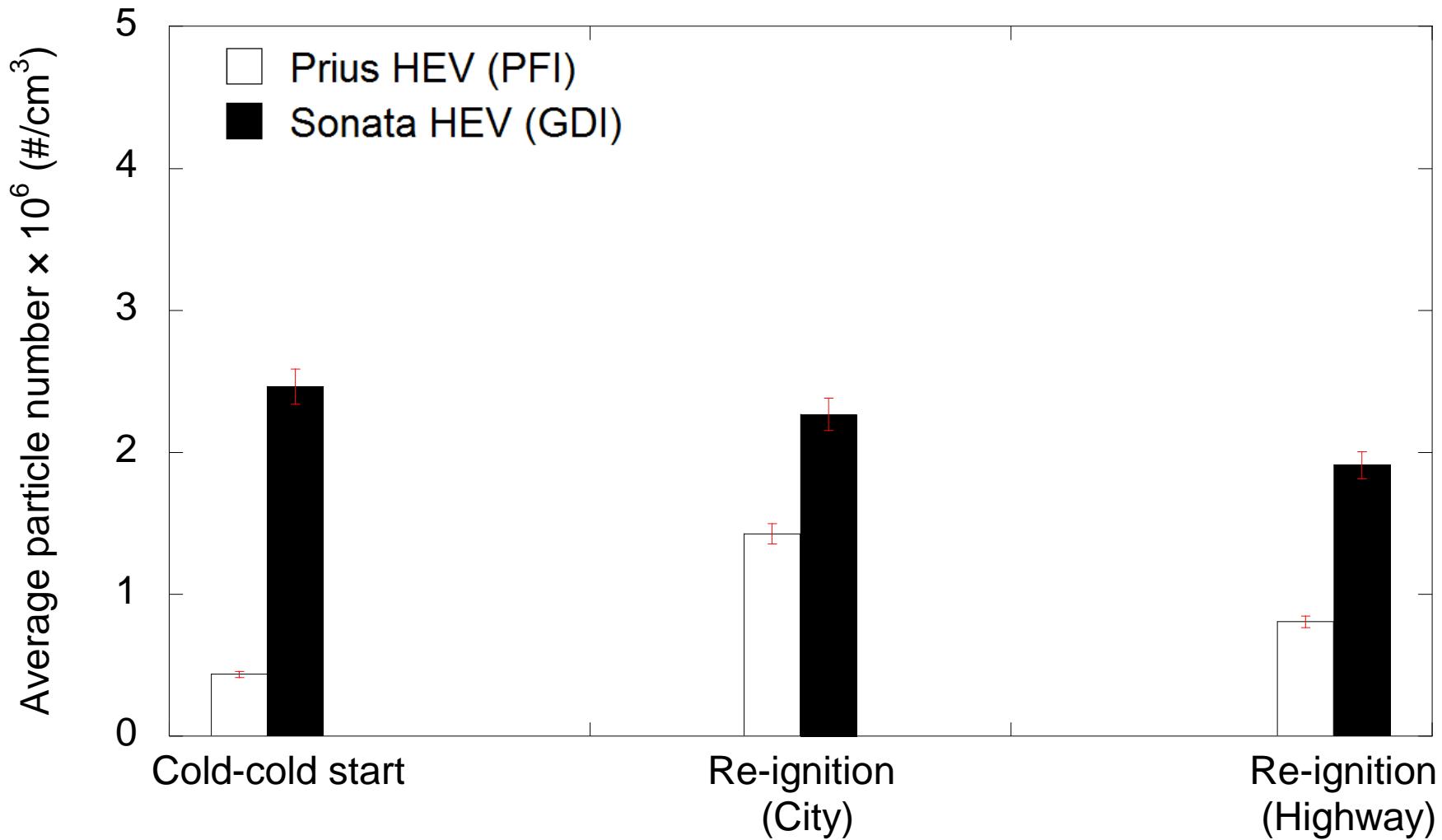
Particle number time series – Sonata



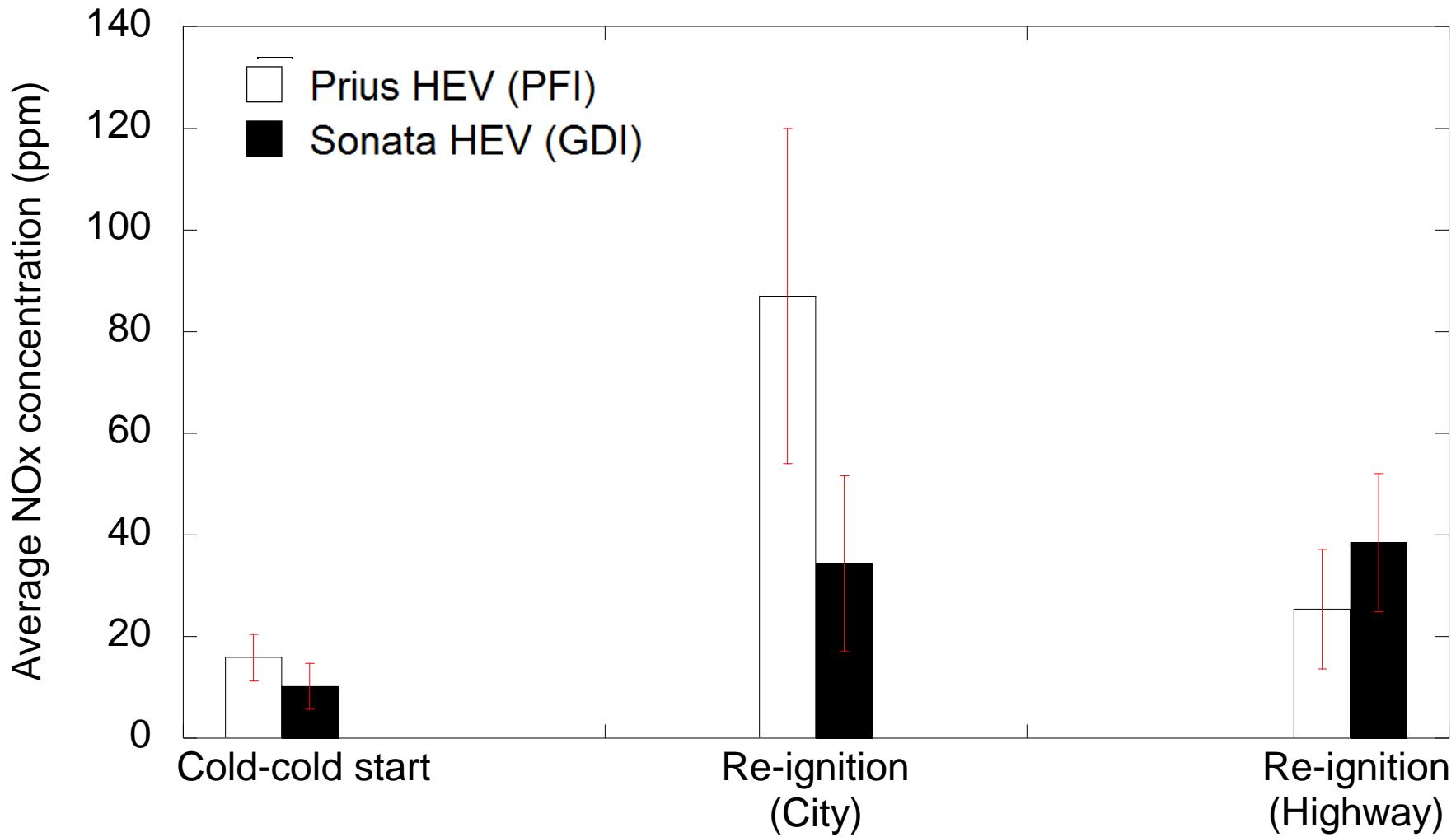
Particle mass time series



Summary of total particle number emissions



Summary of NO_x emissions



Particle instrument correlations (r^2)

Total particles (solid and semi-volatile)

Condition		PN: EEPS vs NTK	PM: EEPS vs NTK	EEPS (PM) vs E-current
City	Prius	0.80	0.46	0.40
	Sonata	0.22	0.14	0.51
Highway	Prius	0.34	0.26	0.65
	Sonata	0.08	0.01	0.31

Only solid particles

Condition		PN – EEPS vs NTK	PM – EEPS vs NTK	PM_EEPS vs E-current
City	Prius	0.77	0.70	0.96
	Sonata	0.38	0.27	0.85
Highway	Prius	0.22	0.22	0.95
	Sonata	0.01	0.05	0.65

Summary – re-ignition events and catalyst temperature

- **City**
 - Prius re-ignition events very short (10 s) and frequent (every ~ 1 min)
 - Sonata re-ignition events are ~ 75 s and less frequent (every ~ 2 min)
- **Highway**
 - Prius re-ignition events are ~ 45 s in duration
 - Sonata re-ignition events are ~ 5 min in duration

For both vehicles, design and prevailing conditions result in catalyst temperatures remaining well above light-off temperatures always

→ re-ignition particle and NO_x emissions are low

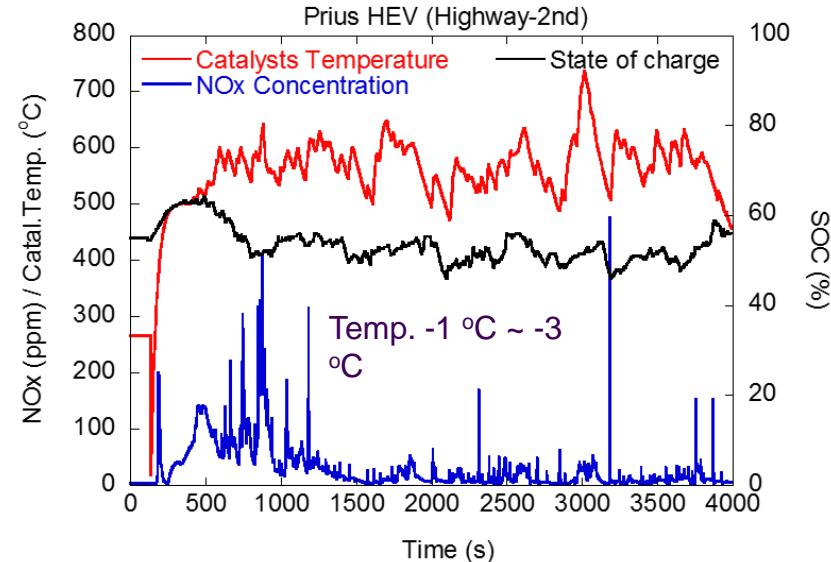
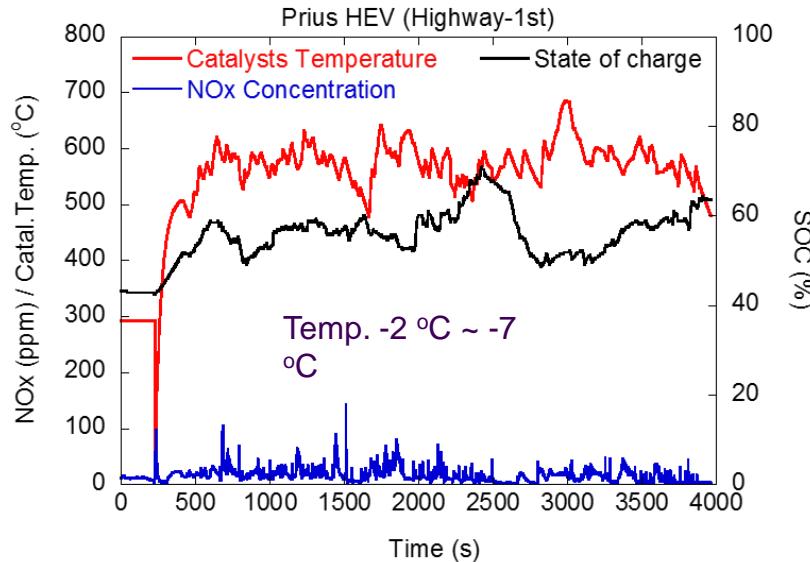
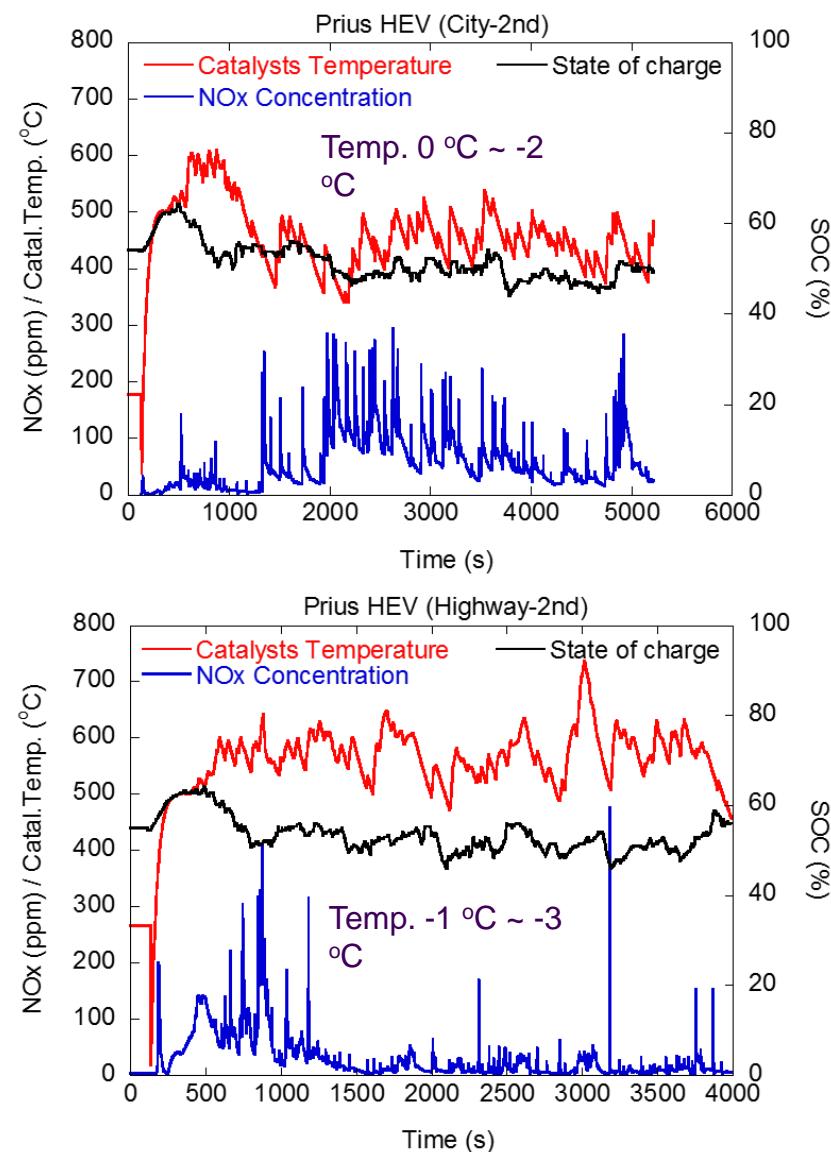
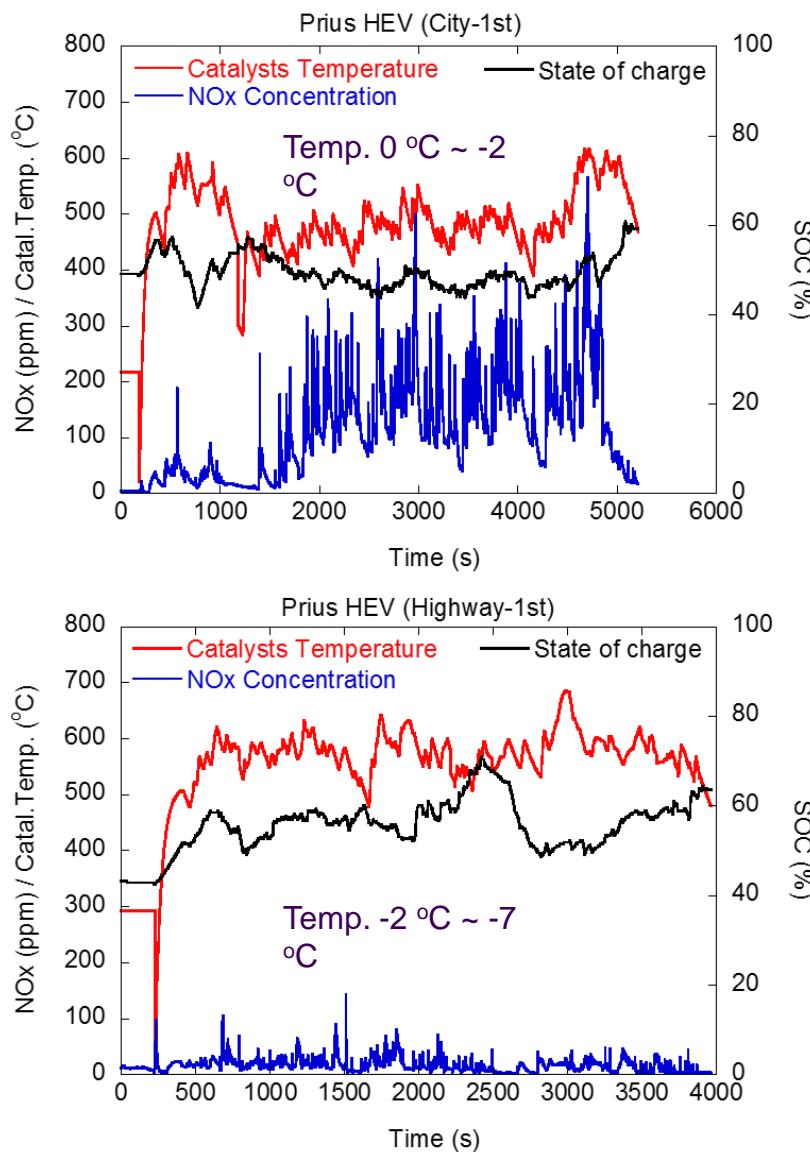
Summary – comparison of emissions and instrument correlations

- Cold cold start emissions
 - NO_x : Sonata ~ Prius
 - PM: Sonata ~ 5 x Prius
- City “re-ignition” emissions
 - NO_x : Sonata ~ 0.5 x Prius
 - PM: Sonata ~ Prius
- Highway “re-ignition” emissions
 - NO_x : Sonata ~ Prius
 - PM: Sonata ~ 2 x Prius
- EEPS number and mass did not correlate with NGK/NTK number and mass, respectively
- EEPS mass correlated very well with E-filter – and I expect even better correlation with $D_p^{1.4}$

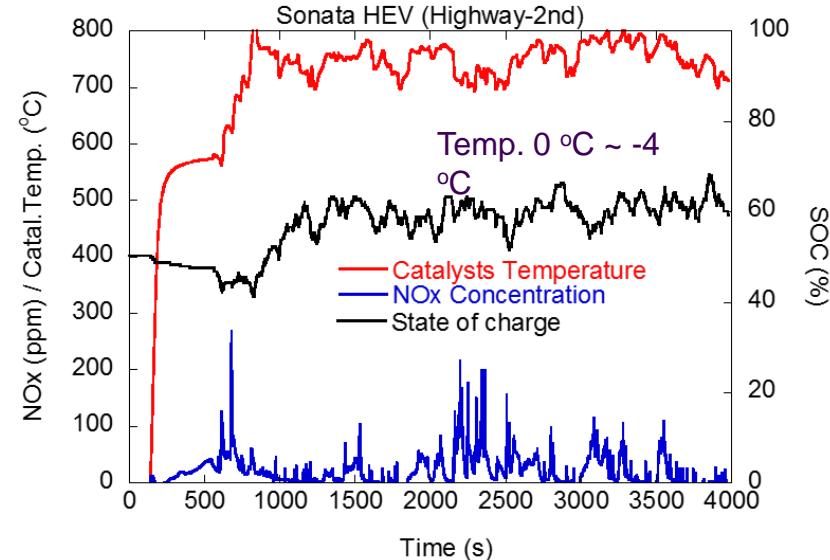
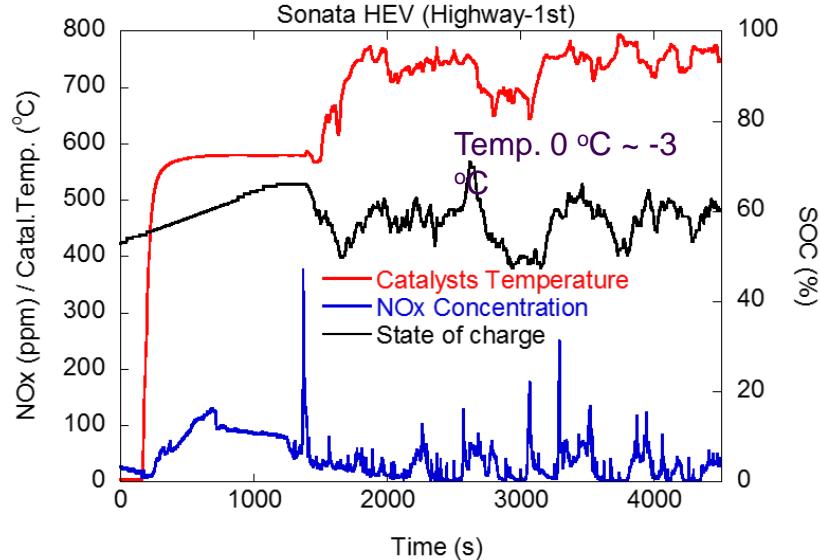
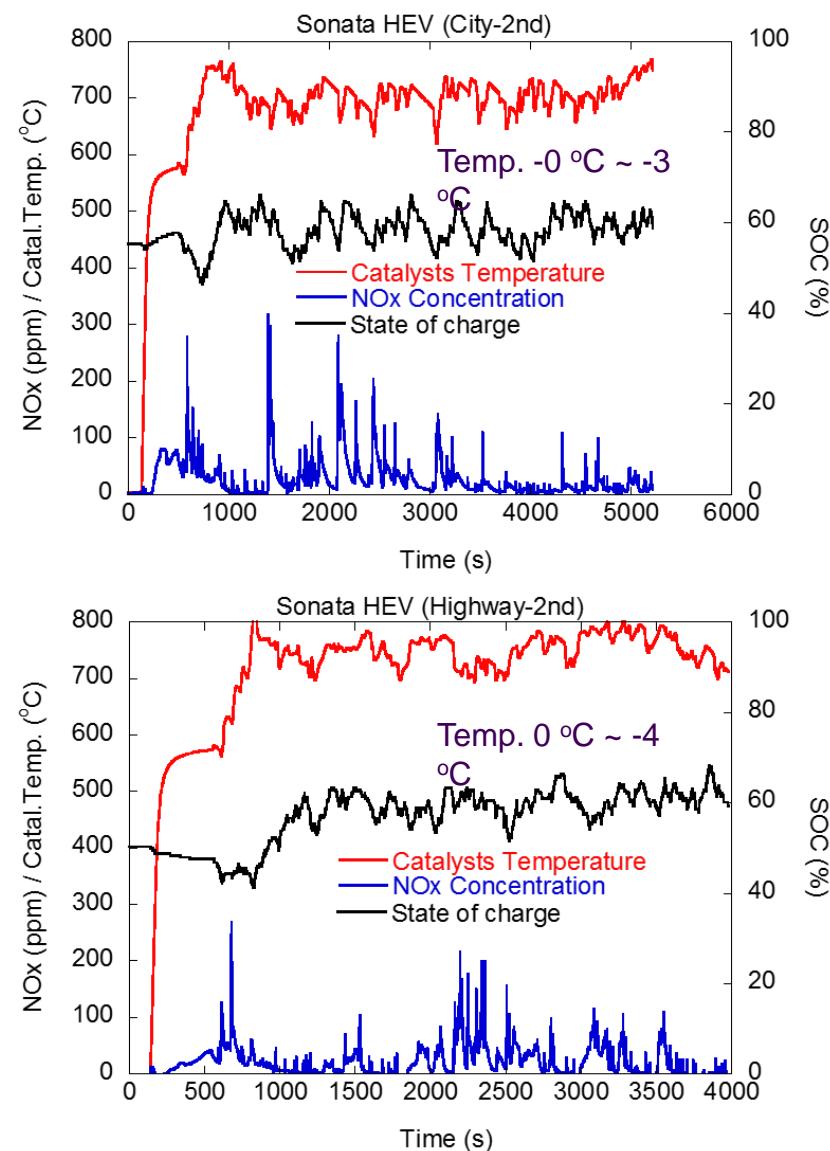
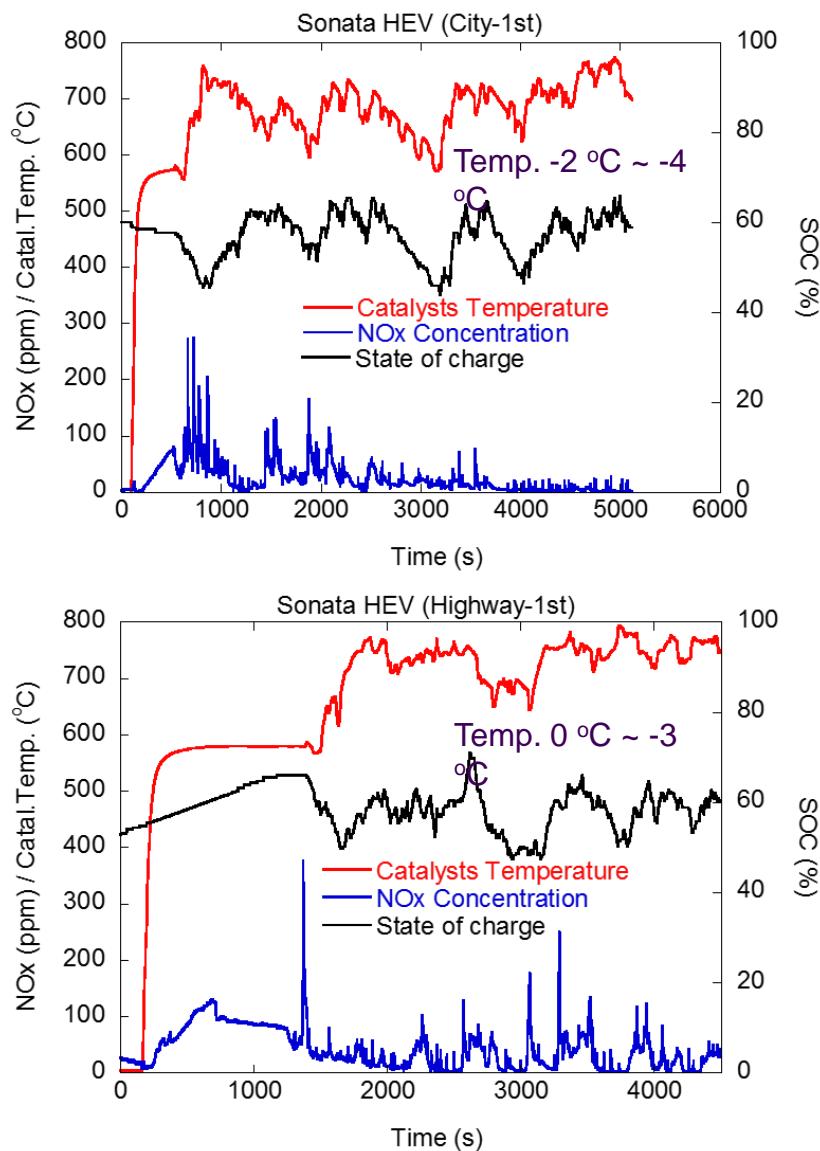
Re-ignition
emissions
generally higher
than cold start

Questions?

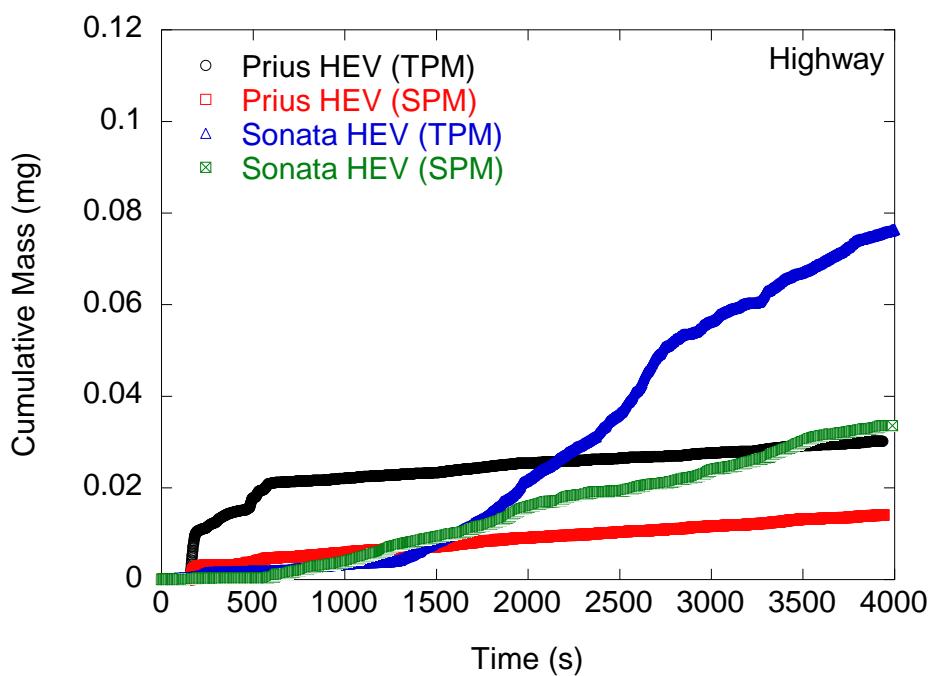
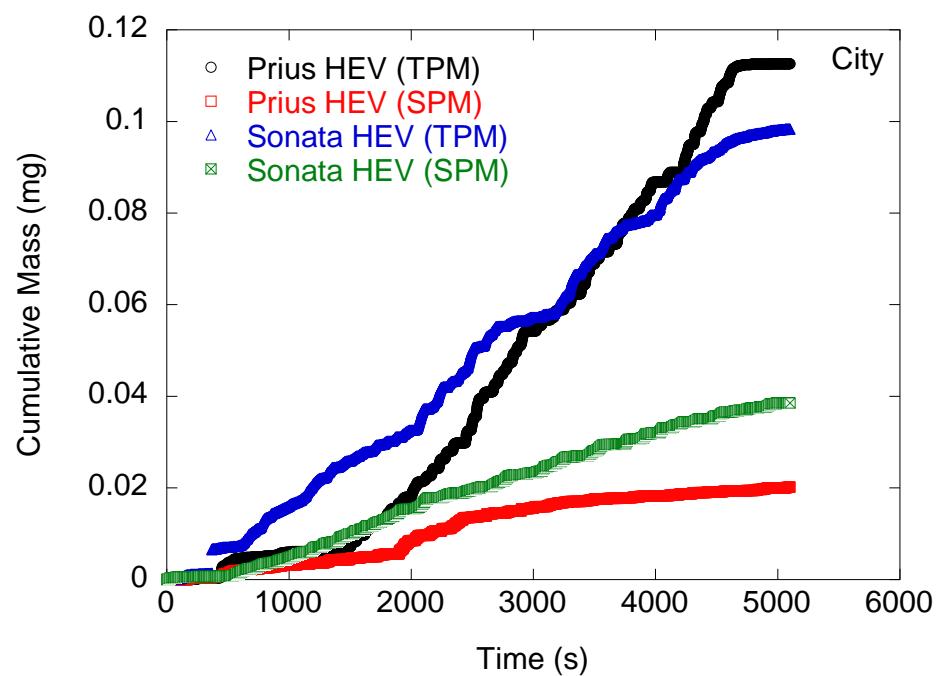
NOx emission from Prius HEV



NOx emission from Sonata HEV



PM cumulative mass



Summary – comparison of emissions

- Prius HEV vs. Sonata HEV NOx emissions
 - 63% of NOx for **Prius > Sonata** when cold-cold start
 - Re-ignition events during city and highway driving
 - :230 % of NOx emissions for **Prius > Sonata** (City)
 - :52 % of NOx emissions for **Sonata>Prius** (Highway)
- Prius HEV vs. Sonata HEV particle number (PN)
 - 300 % of PN for **Sonata > Prius** when cold-cold start
 - Re-ignition events during city and highway driving
 - :53 % of PN emissions for **Sonata > Prius** (City)
 - :140 % of PN emissions for **Sonata>Prius** (Highway)

Specifications of the HEVs

Vehicle specifications (HEVs)

	Toyota Prius	Hyundai Sonata
Year	2016	2015
Engine Type	1.8L Hybrid I4 121hp	2.4L Hybrid I4 199hp 154ft. lbs.
MPG	54 city, 50 highway	36 city, 40 highway
Electric motor	60 hp	47 hp (35kW) @ 1,6303,000 rpm
Motor type/voltage	Nickel-metal hydride /123	Interior-Permanent Magnet Synchronous Motor/270 V
Battery output	45kW	47kW
Battery type/voltage	ZVW50 model (Nickel-Metal hybride battery)/240 V	Lithium polymer battery/270 V
Fuel Injection	PFI	GDI
Gasoline engine	71 lb-ft @4800 rpm	159 hp @ 5,500 rpm
Torque	120.2 lb-ft @ 4000 rmp	154 lb-ft @ 4,500 rpm
Transmission	CVT	6-Speed Shiftable Automatic
Curb Weight	3075 lbs	3,508 lbs

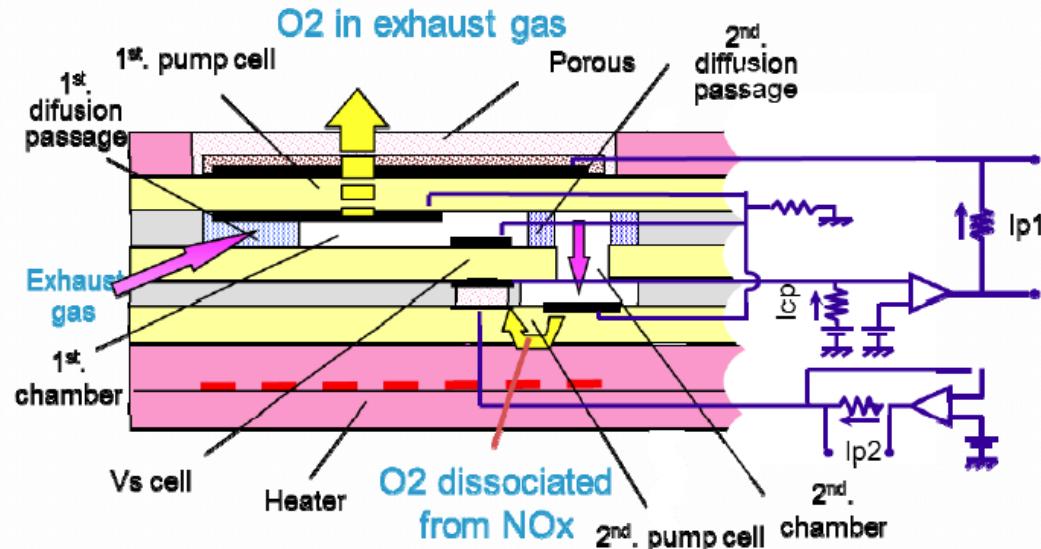
NTK/NGK_NOx sensor



► Principle diagram of NOx sensor

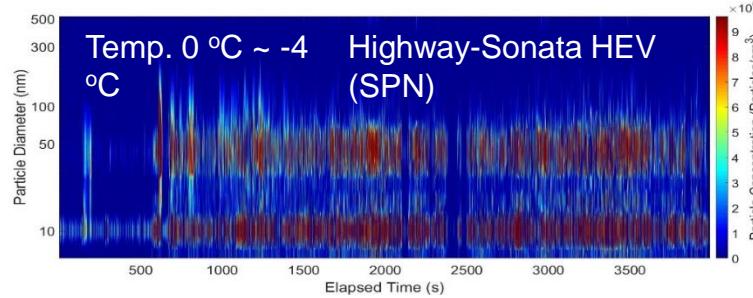
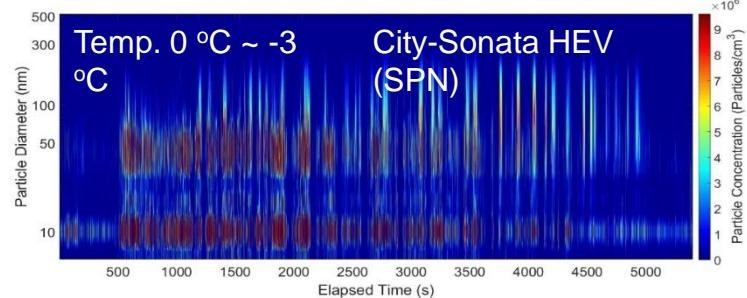
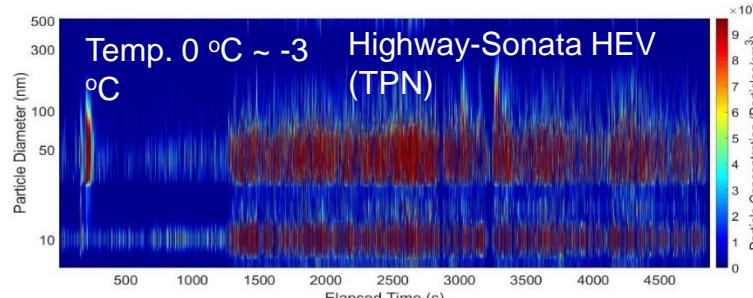
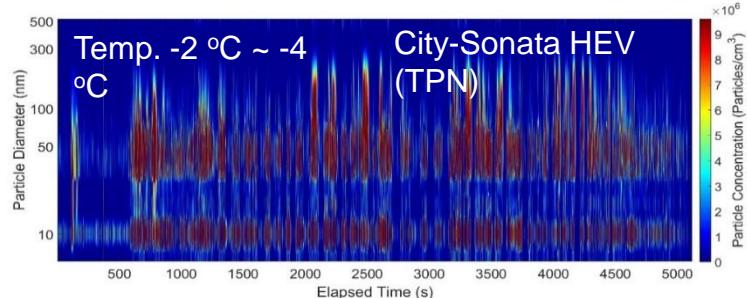
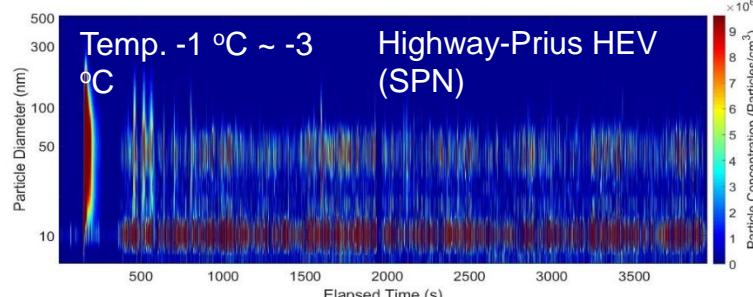
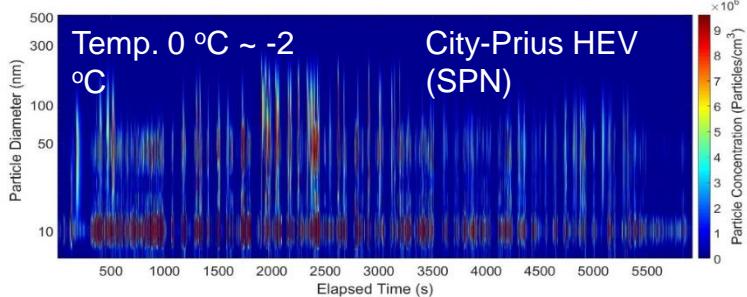
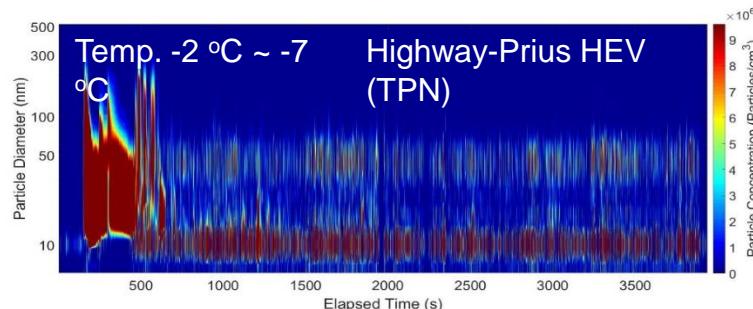
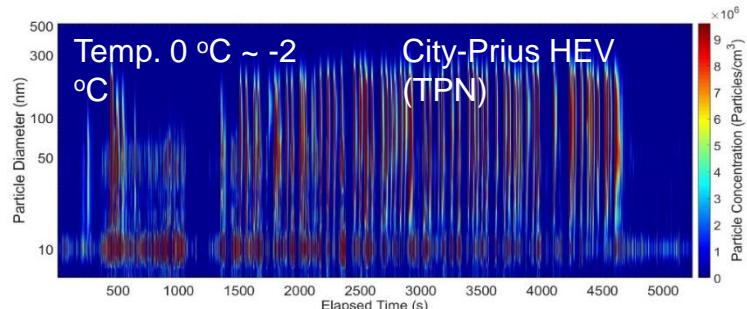
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Principle of NTK NOx Sensor

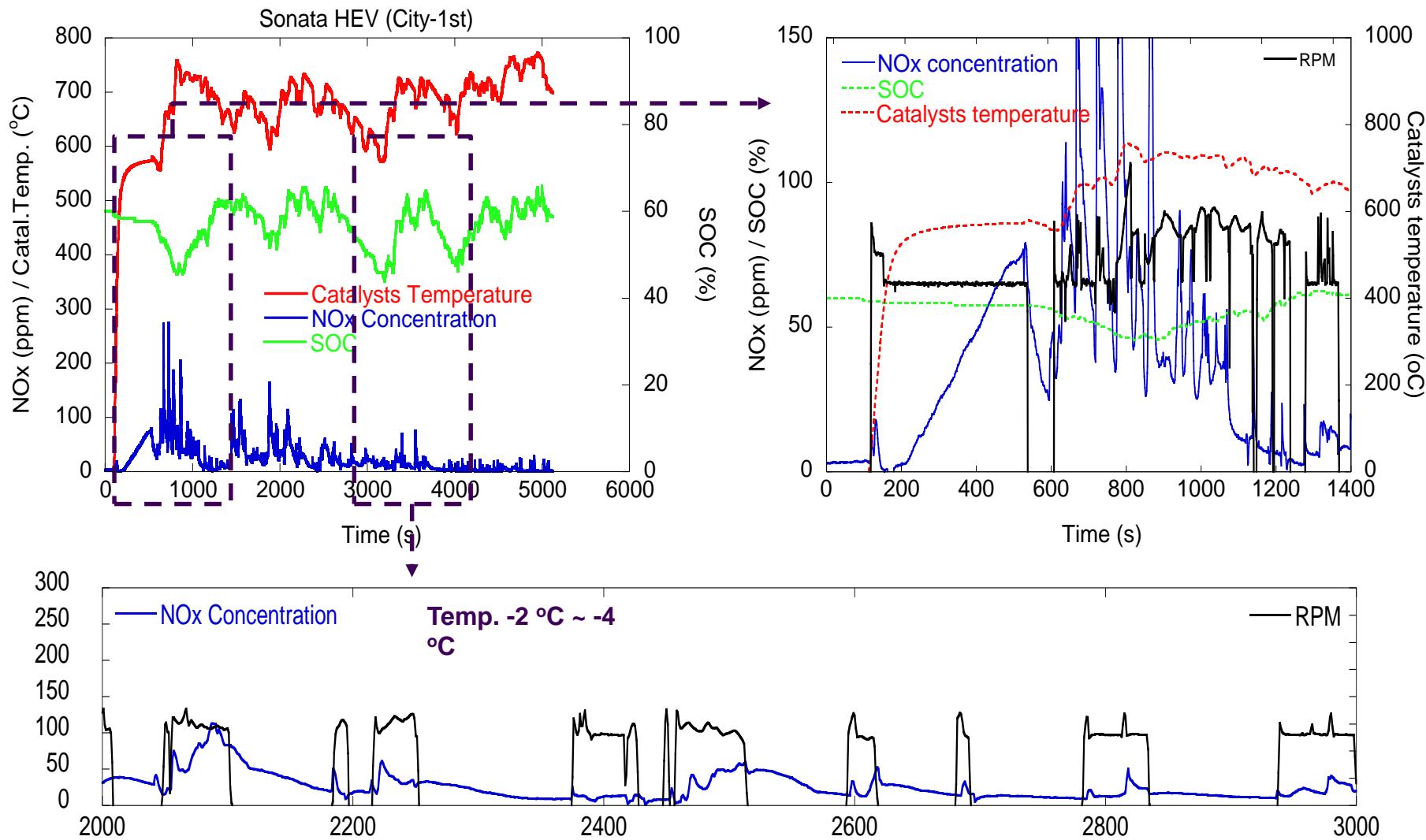


NTK NOx sensor can measure
 O_2 and NO_x at the same moment.

Particle number-Contour



NOx vs RPM_Sonata HEV



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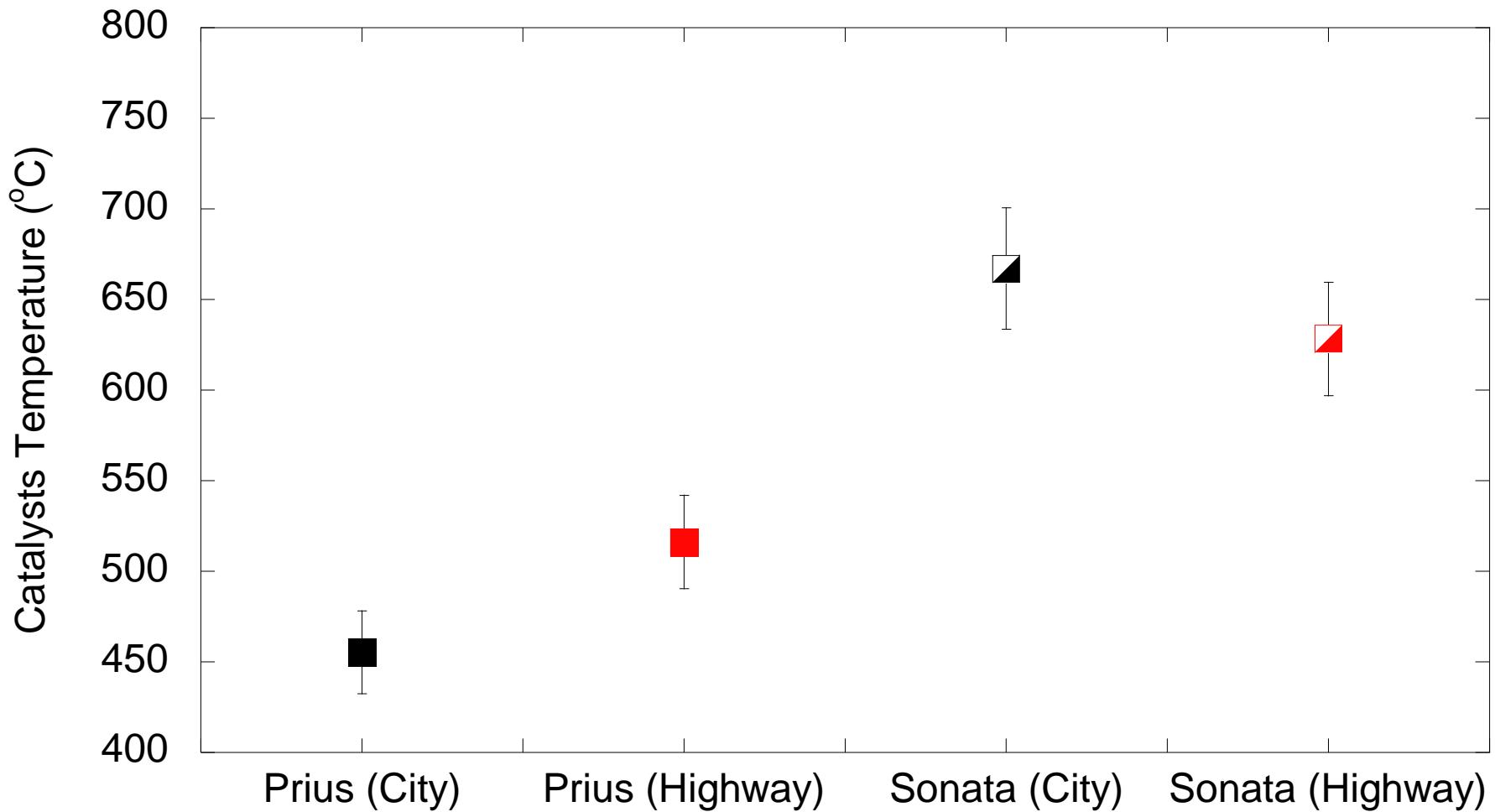
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Non-ignition events during RPM=0

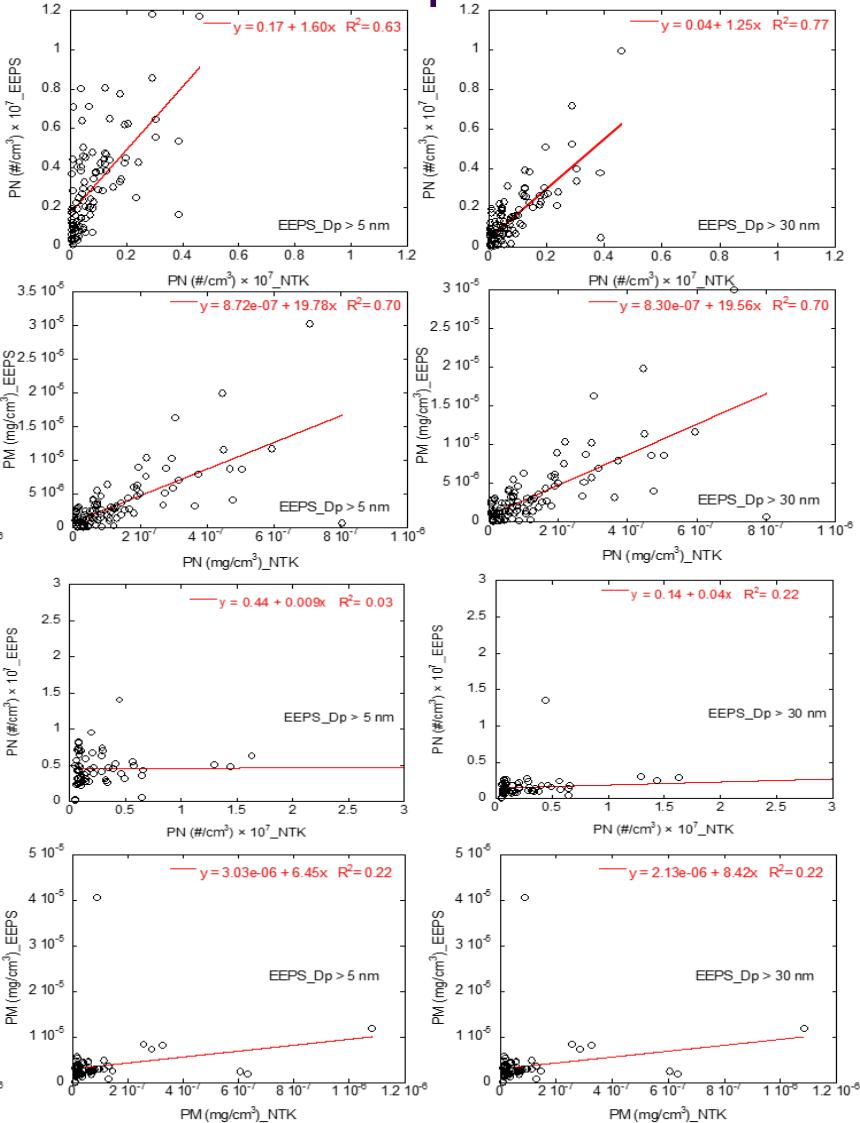
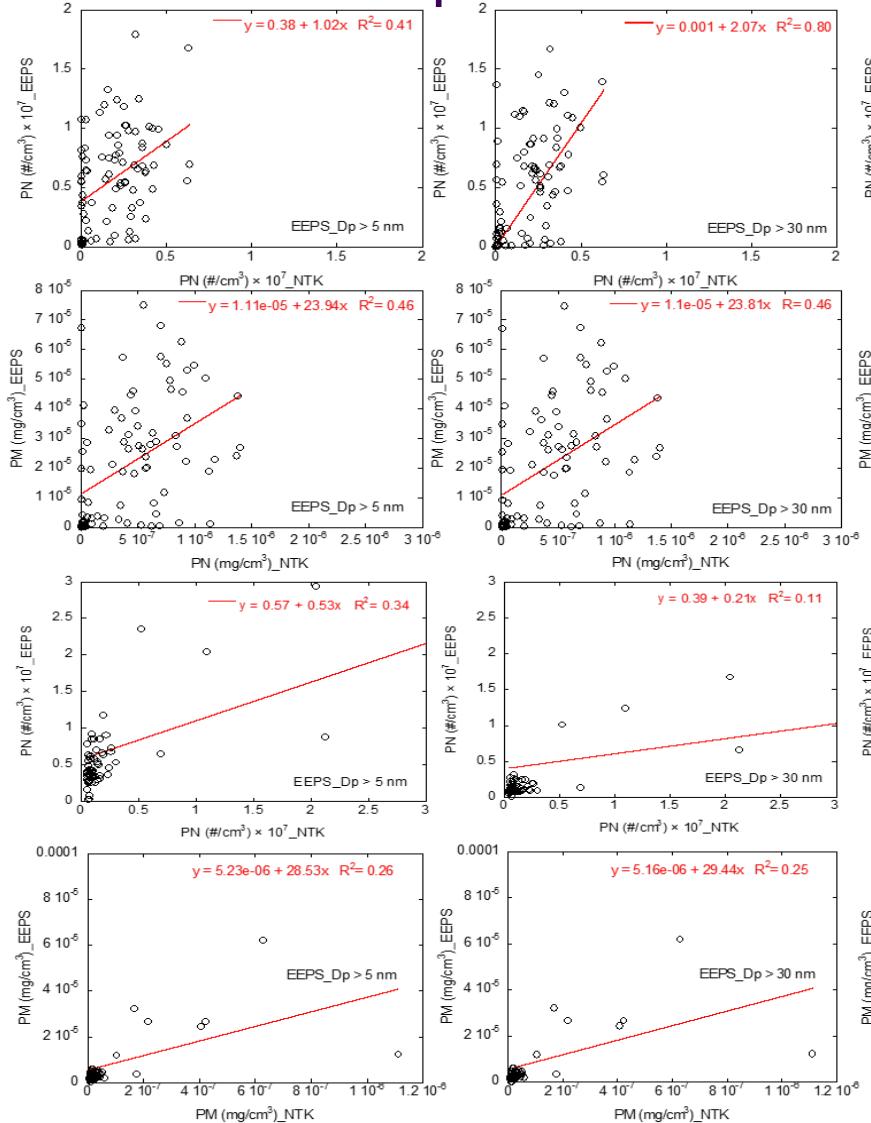


Example linear correlations between EEPS and NTK

City

Total particle

Solid particle

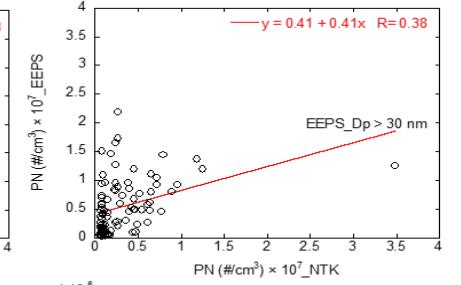
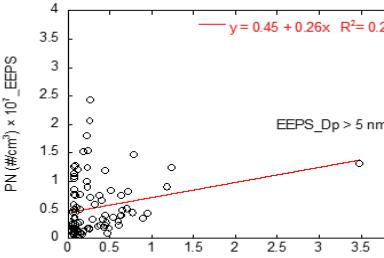
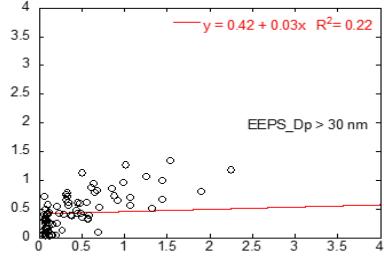
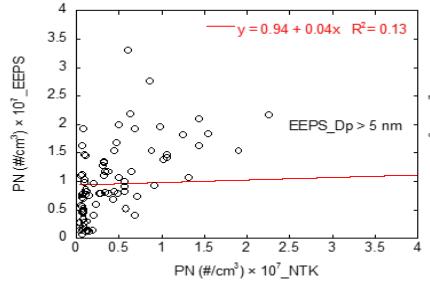


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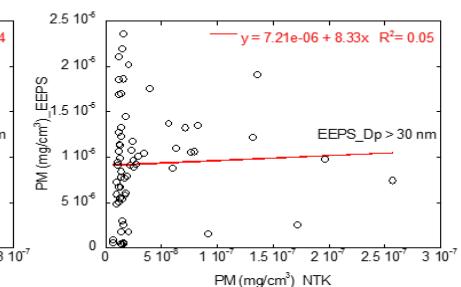
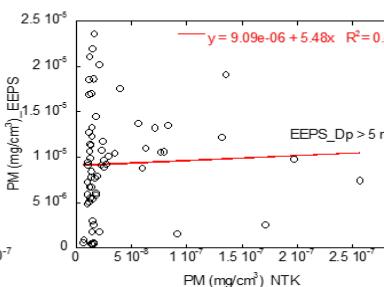
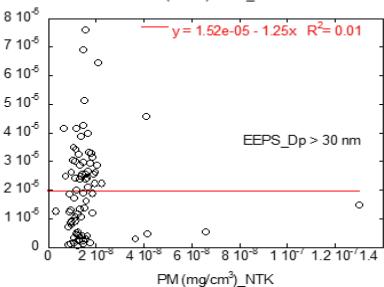
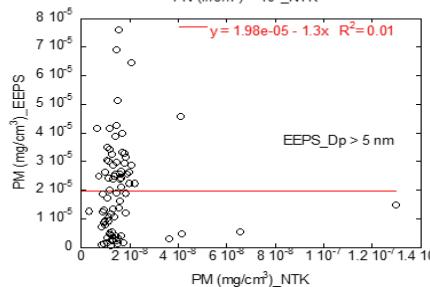
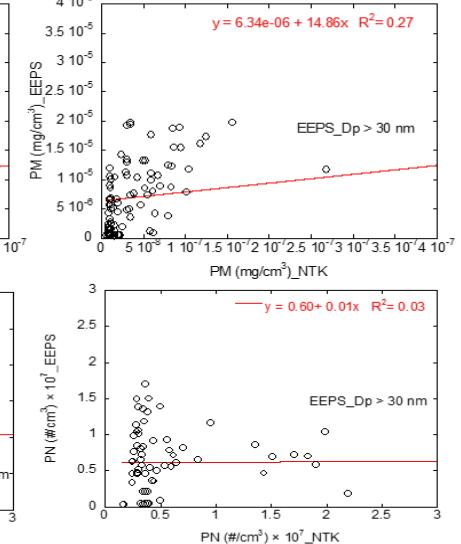
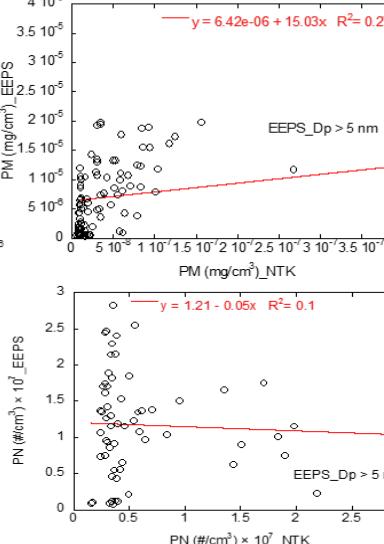
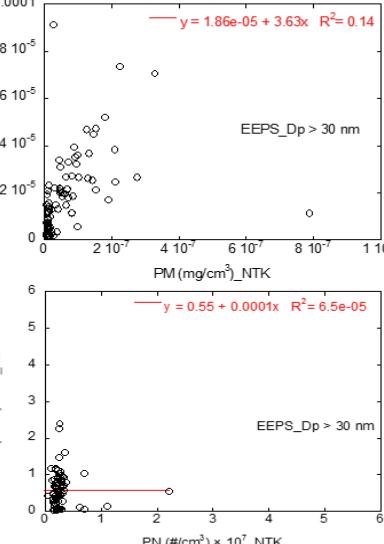
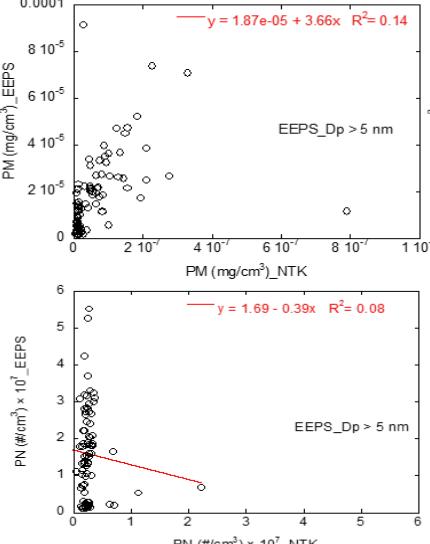
Linear correlation between EEPS and NTK for Sonata

City

Total particle



Highway

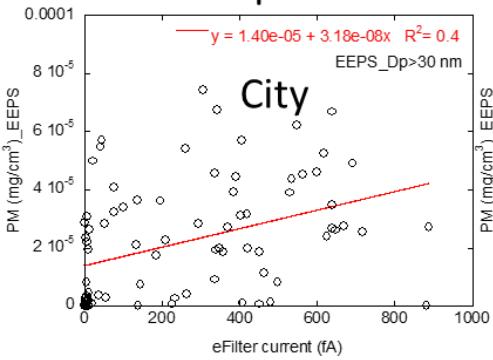


Solid particle

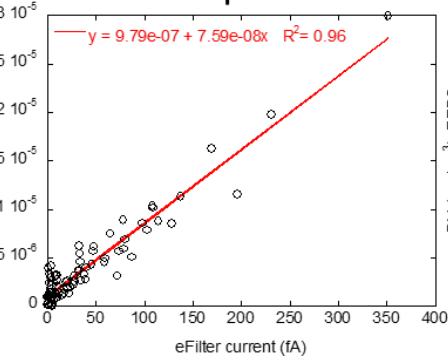
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Prius HEV

Total particle

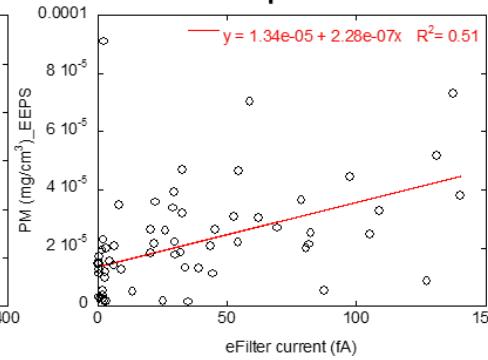


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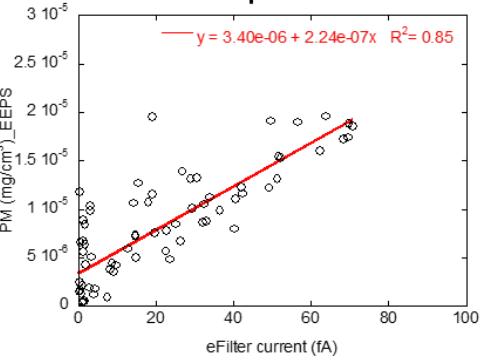


Sonata HEV

Total particle

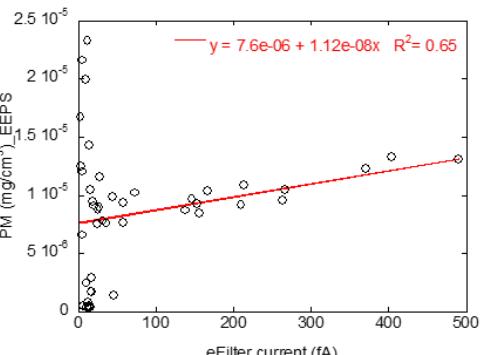
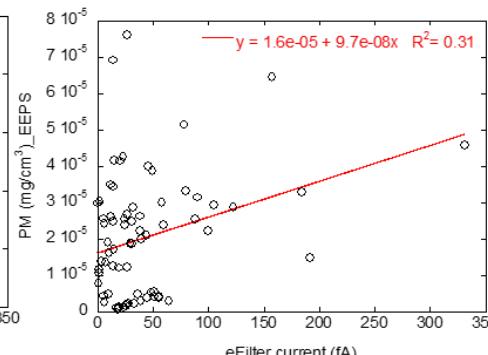
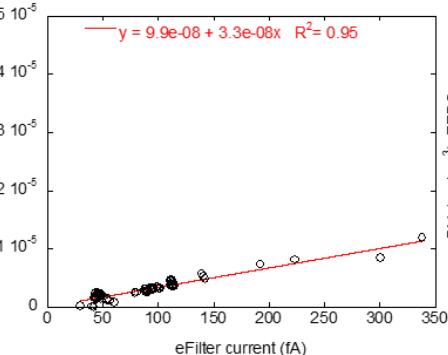
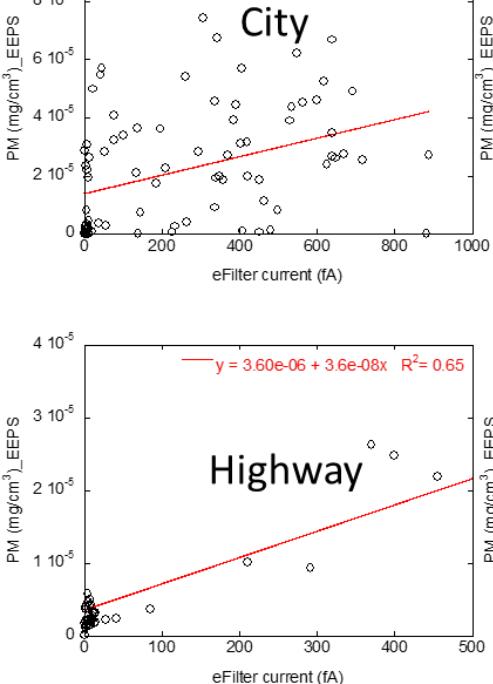


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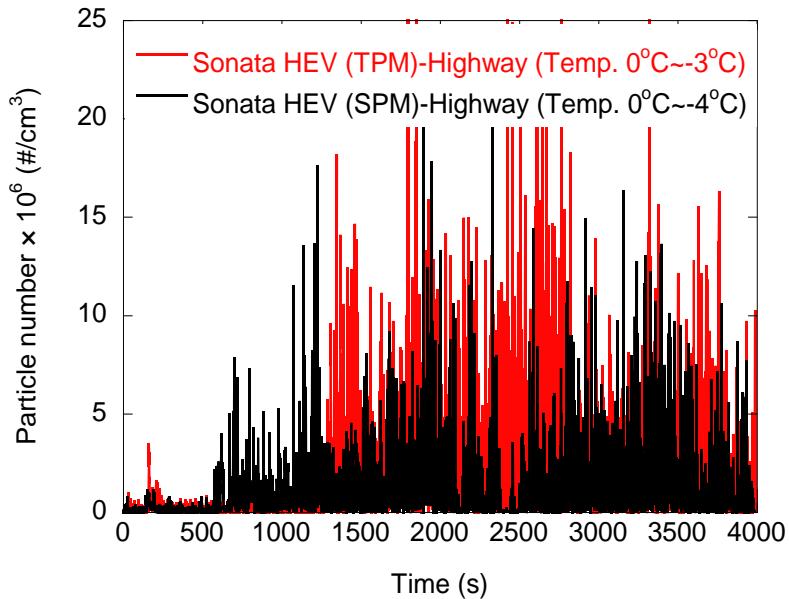
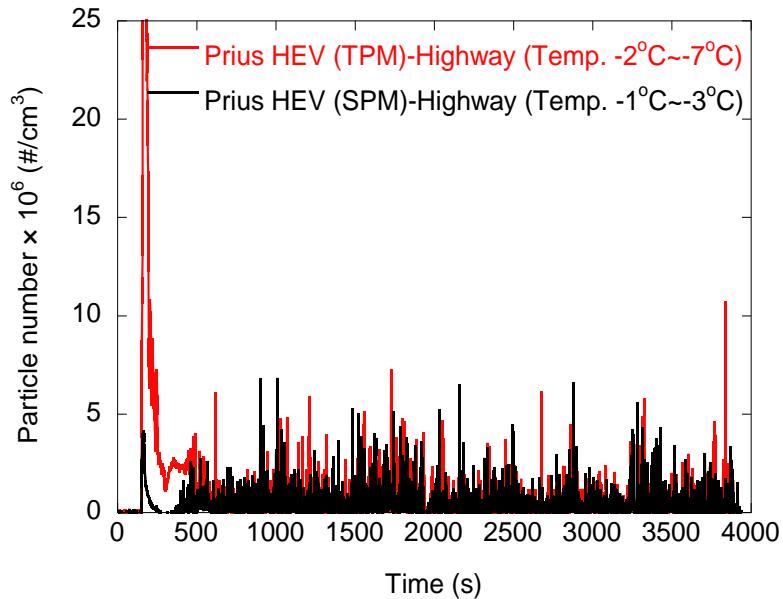
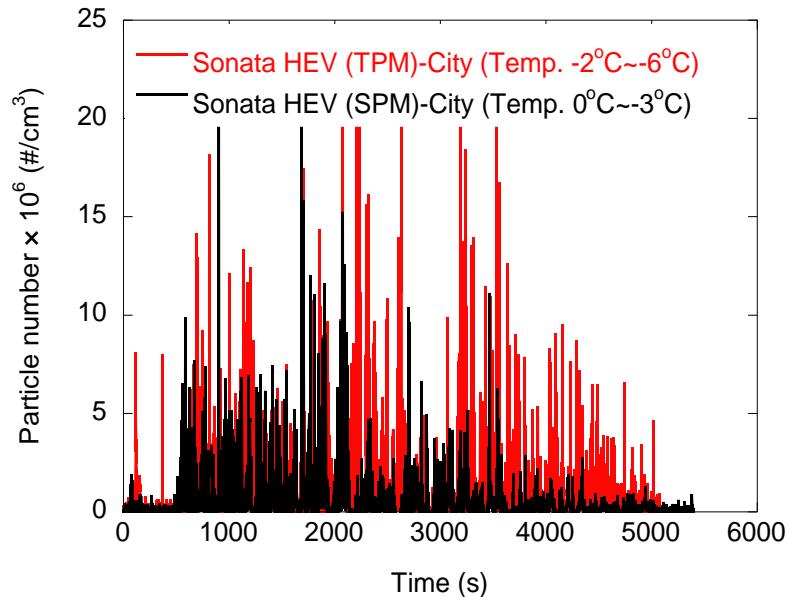
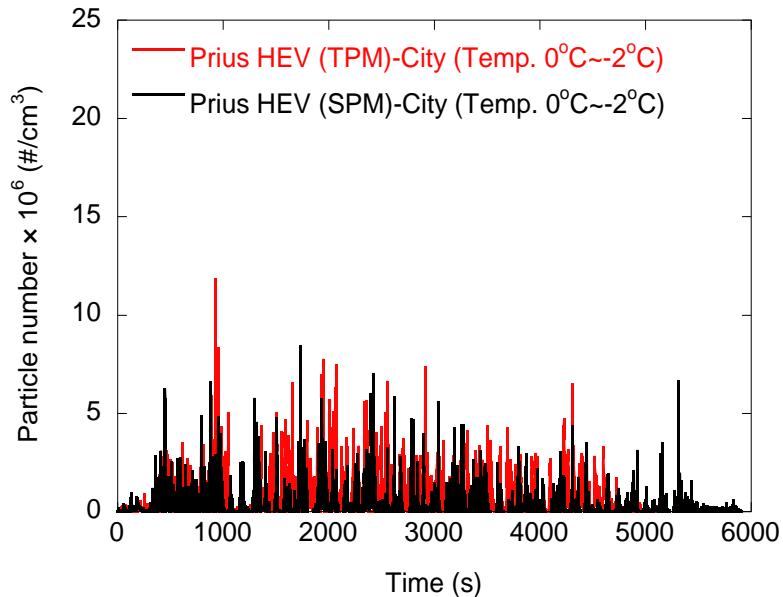


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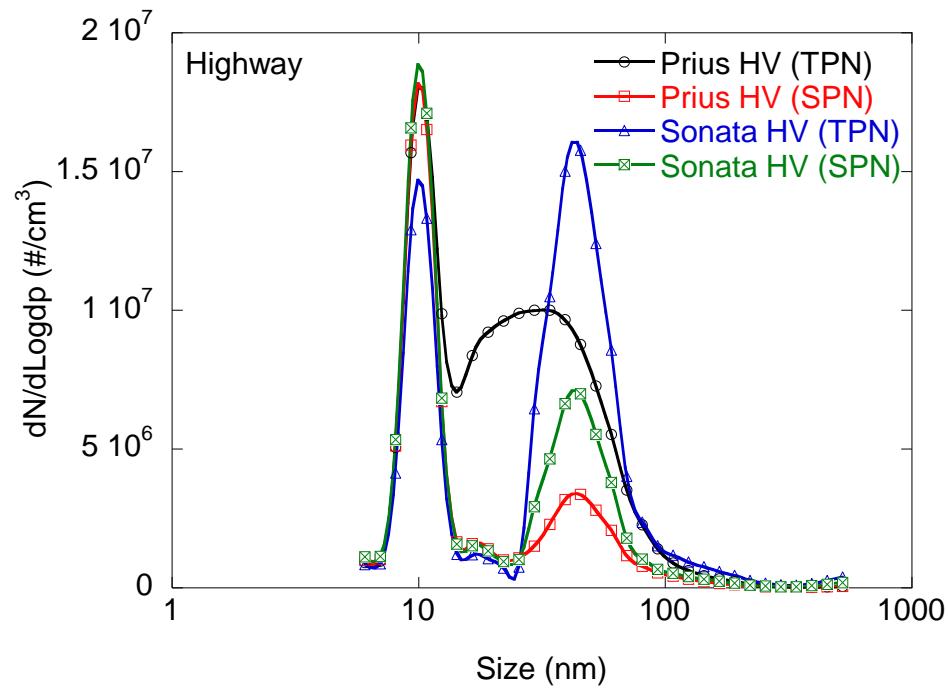
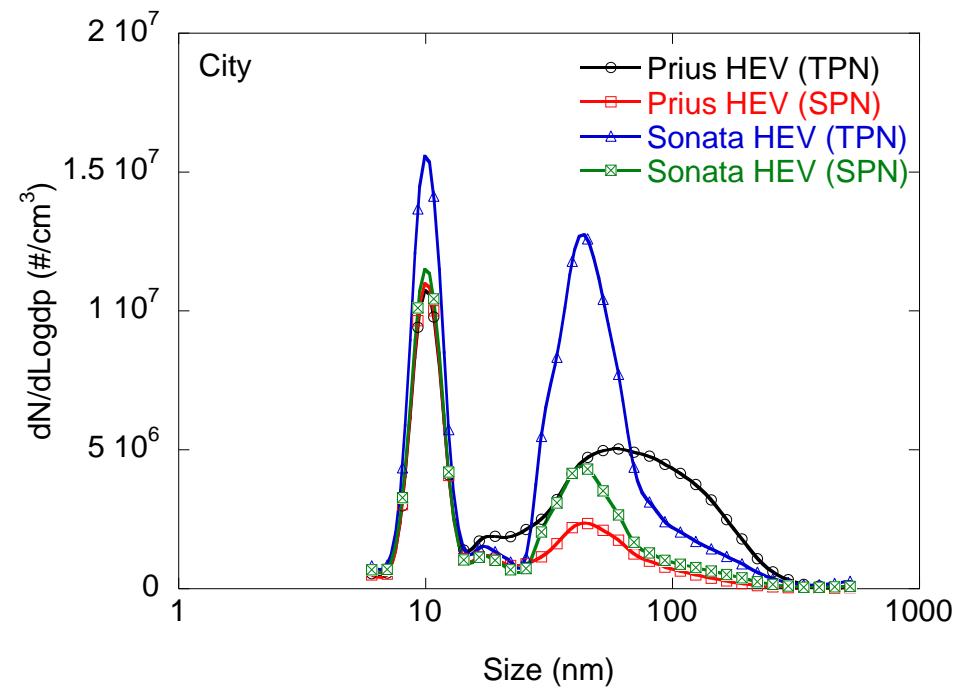
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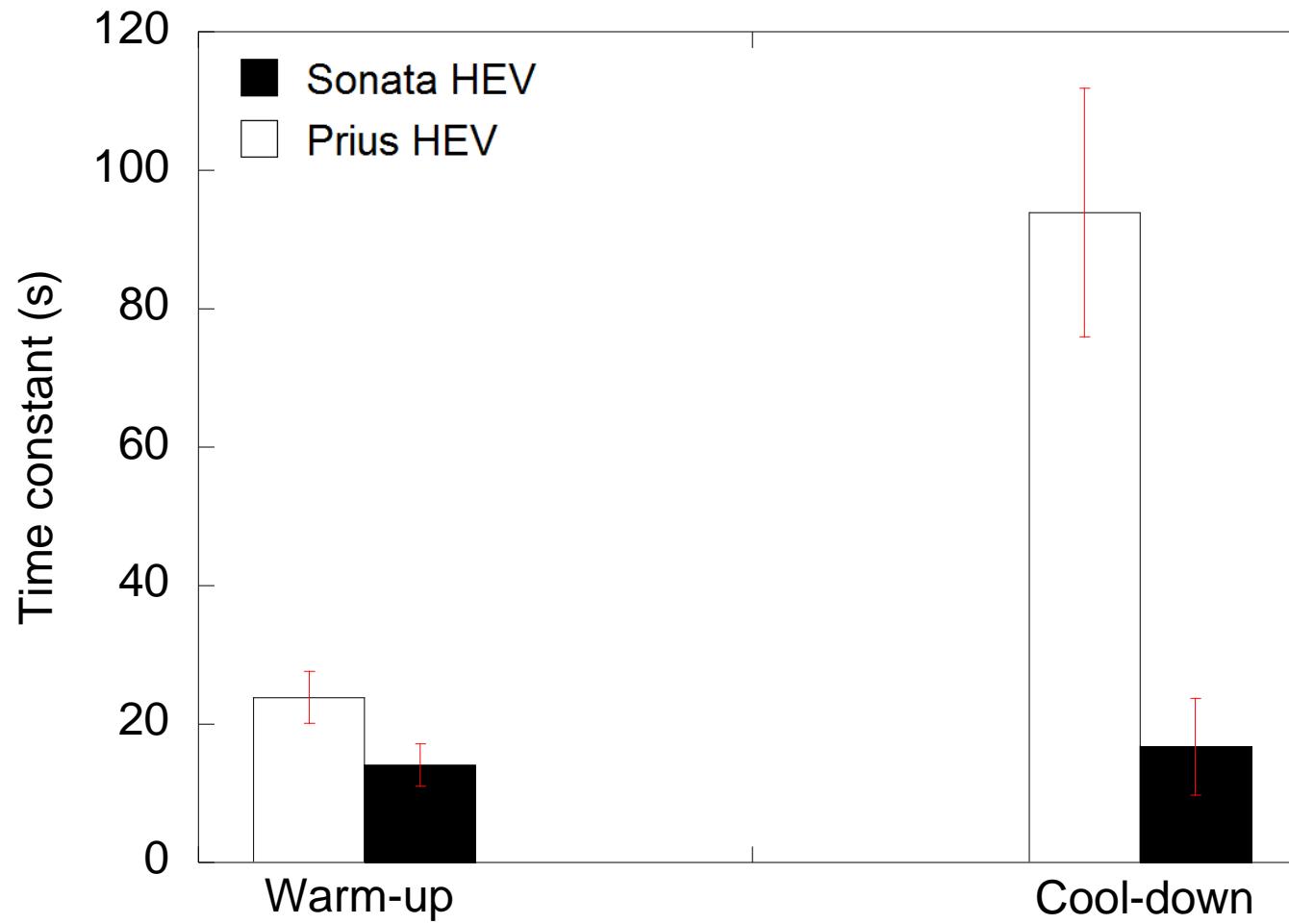
PM number (EEPS)



Particle size distribution



Time constant for cool down and warm-up



Introduction

What is the Advanced Clean Cars program?

In 2012, the California Air Resources Board (ARB) adopted the Advanced Clean Cars (ACC) program, a comprehensive set of standards for new vehicles in California through model year 2025. This historic program, developed in coordination with the United States (U.S.) Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA), combined the control of smog-causing (criteria) pollutants and greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions into a single coordinated set of requirements for model years 2015 through 2025 and assured the development of environmentally superior passenger cars and other vehicles that will continue to deliver the performance, utility, and safety vehicle owners have come to expect all while saving the consumer money through significant fuel savings. The components of the ACC program are the Low-Emission Vehicle III (LEV III) regulations that reduce criteria pollutants and GHG emissions from light- and medium-duty vehicles and the zero-emission vehicle (ZEV) regulation, which requires manufacturers to produce an increasing number of pure ZEVs (meaning battery electric and fuel cell electric vehicles) and plug-in hybrid electric vehicles (PHEV) in the 2018 through 2025 model years. When fully implemented, new vehicles are expected to emit 34 percent fewer GHG emissions and 75 percent fewer smog-forming emissions than today's vehicles.

Vehicles and transportation fuels are the dominant sources of carbon emissions in California. ACC is an integral part of California's ambitious long-term requirements to reduce the State's impact on climate change and improve ambient air quality. The vehicle programs are a critical