



# ***ADVANCES IN LIGHT DUTY VEHICLES AND INFRASTRUCTURE***

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# A CONSUMER/ DEALER PERSPECTIVE





**AVAILABILITY OF EVS  
AT HISTORIC LEVEL**

**30 DIFFERENT EVS  
AVAILABLE AT  
DEALERSHIPS TODAY!!**

EVAdoption.Com as of March 31, 2023



# EVS AVAILABLE IN THE PAST.....



1895 Sturgis Morrison



1902 Studebaker Electric



1931 Detroit Electric



1950 Frank Kurtis EV



1978 GM Electro 'Vette



1997 Toyota Rav 4 EV



# **AVAILABILITY OF EVS AT HISTORIC LEVEL**

**Audi Q4 e-tron**

**Audi Q4 e-tron Sportback Quattro**

**BMW i3**

**Cadillac Lyriq**

**Chevrolet Bolt EUV**

**Chevrolet Bolt EV**

**Ford F-150 Lightning**

**Ford Mustang Mach-E**

**Genesis GV 60/70**

**Hyundai Ioniq 5**

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**Hyundai Kona Electric**

**Kia EV6**

**Kia Niro Electric**

**Jaguar I Pace**

**Lexus RZ450e**

**Mazda MX-30 EV**

**Mercedes Benz EQB**

**Mercedes Benz EQE**

**MINI Cooper SE**

**Nissan Ariya**

**Nissan LEAF**

**Nissan LEAF Plus**

**Polestar**

**Porsche Taycan**

**Subaru Solterra**

**Toyota bZ4X**

**Volkswagen ID.4**

**Volvo C40 Recharge**

**Volvo XC40 Recharge**



# DEALERS ARE “ALL IN” FOR EVS

“LOCAL DEALERSHIPS HAVE INVESTED MORE THAN  
\$5 BILLION NATIONWIDE, AND GETTING READY FOR  
EV’S, FROM CHARGING STATIONS TO EQUIPMENT TO TRAINING  
EMPLOYEES AND TECHNICIANS.” -- NADA, JULY 2023

\$ 5,000,000,000

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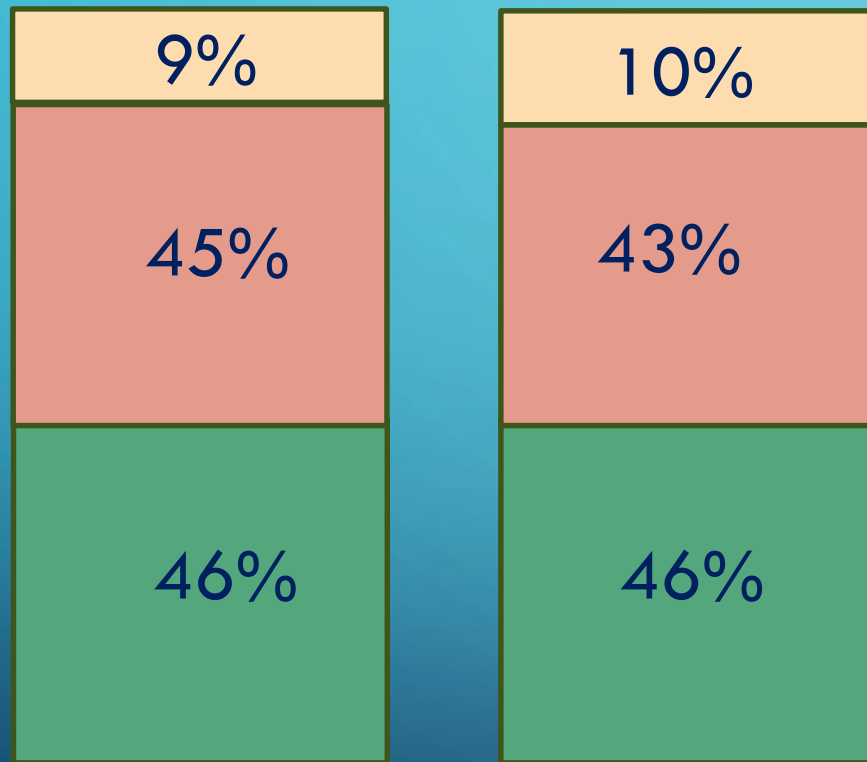


# 82%

OF NEW CAR DEALERS ARE  
REQUIRED BY THEIR OEM TO  
MAKE AN EV INVESTMENT.

# DEALERS ARE PREPARED FOR EVS!

Among New Car and Truck Dealers



Selling

Servicing

Not at All Prepared

Prepared

Very Prepared

90-91%

Dealers  
Prepared for  
EVs

# Fuel Savings and Ownership Efficiency are top reasons for Consumer EV Consideration

## REASONS FOR CONSIDERING AN EV (% mentioned)





## EV CONSIDERATION

% of Consumers Considering a BEV  
within the Next 12 months (New and  
Used)

2022 --- **51%**

vs 38% in 2021

## BARRIERS

**43%**

Too  
Expensive

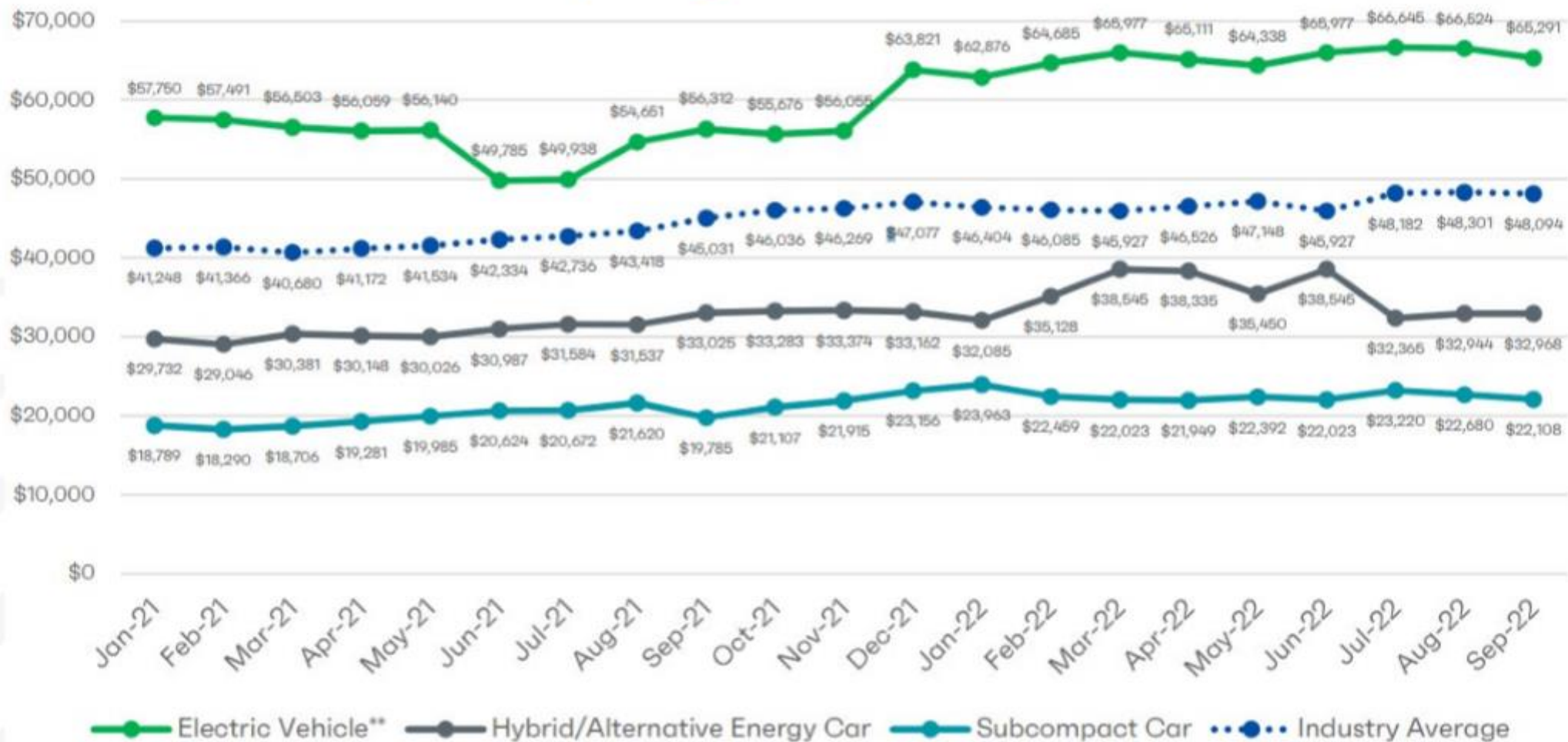
**32%**

Lack of  
Charging  
Stations

**27%**

Replacement  
Cost of  
Battery

# Transaction Prices by Segment



## PRICE OF AN EV IS AN ISSUE!

87%

Open to buying fully  
on line

80%

Will do most or all of  
the purchase online in  
the future

AS OF 12/31/22

**\$61,448**

Average cost  
of EV

**\$45,578**

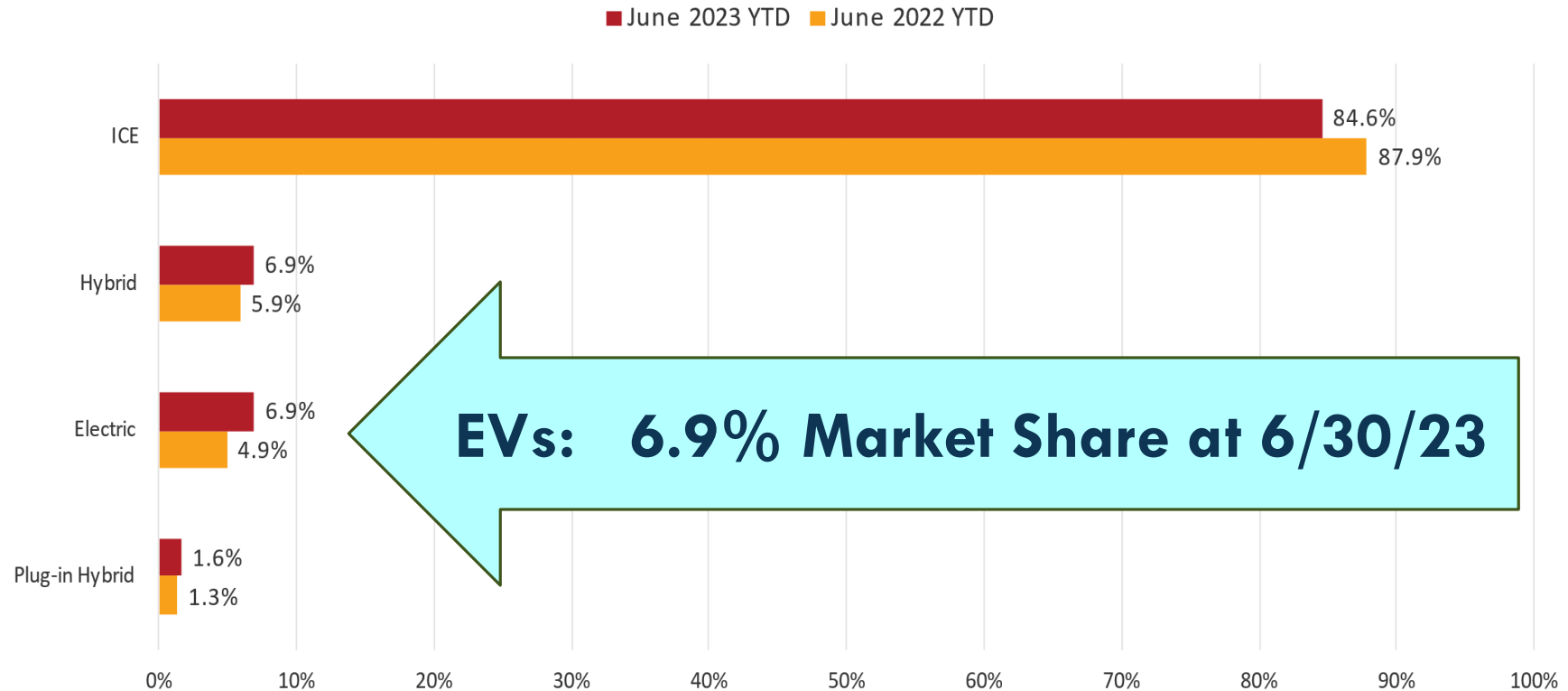
Average cost  
of ICE vehicle

**\$51,990**

Pro Trim F-150  
Lightning  
TODAY!



# Powertrain Market Share – June 2023 YTD



Source: Wards Intelligence

# EVS ARE STACKING UP ON DEALERSHIP LOTS

Days Supply of Inventory on Dealership Lots

## ALL VEHICLES

6/30/23

53 Day Supply

6/30/22

38 Day Supply

## EVs

6/30/23

103 Day Supply

6/30/22

43 Day Supply



**“CAR DEALERS  
DO NOT WANT  
TO SELL EVS!”**





“CAR DEALERS  
DO NOT WANT  
TO SELL EVS!”

**FALSE**



# **Key Takeaways**

**Local dealers are all in on EVs**

**EVs are here to stay!**

**Demand for EVs is slowing**

**EV Prices will come down!**

**Stable Infrastructure is long term key**

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# 2023 - Sustainable Fleet Technology Conference

August 16th, 2023

- **\$35 Billion investment by 2025**
- **50% U.S. BEV sales by 2030**
- **100% carbon neutrality by 2038**
- **5 Battery Gigafactories (2 in North America Kokomo, Windsor)**
- **Battery Partnerships with:**
  - LG Energy
  - Samsung
  - ACC (Automotive Cells Company)
  - Factorial
  - Vulcan Energy Resources



## TAKE CARE OF OUR CUSTOMERS IN A SUSTAINABLE WAY



### EASY

Charging solutions



### SUSTAINABLE

Battery lifecycle



### AVAILABLE

Guarantee supply of EV components  
& raw materials

- 2,600 Dealers in the United States
- 78% Response Rate
- Full Analysis of Dealer Location
  - Utility Service Upgrades
  - Electric Infrastructure Changers
  - Educating Dealership Staff
  - Construction Coordination for Charging Installation
  - Financial Assistance

Seven major global automakers – Stellantis, BMW Group, General Motors, Honda, Hyundai, Kia, Mercedes-Benz Group

- 30,000 high-powered charge points in urban/highway locations
- Charging stations will offer 2 types of connectors:
  - Combined Charging System (CCS)
  - North American Charging Standard (NACS)
- First stations are scheduled to open in the summer of 2024

## PHEV products for MY 2023

- **NEW Dodge Hornet**
- Pacifica PHEV
- Grand Cherokee 4XE
- Wrangler 4XE





## RAM 1500 REV

All-electric 2025 Ram 1500 REV sets new industry benchmark with its powerful combination of range, towing, payload and charge time.



Late-2024 Launch Timing.



# 2025 RAM 1500 REV

AVAILABLE Q4, 2024



## Performance Key Features:

- Standard 350- mile range
- 500-Mile Range with optional battery
- Available home energy charging
- Up to 14,000 lbs Towing
- Up to 2,700 lbs Payload
- 15.0 cu-ft of Frunk Volume
- 654 Horsepower
- 620 lb-ft Torque
- 4.4s 0-60 MPH

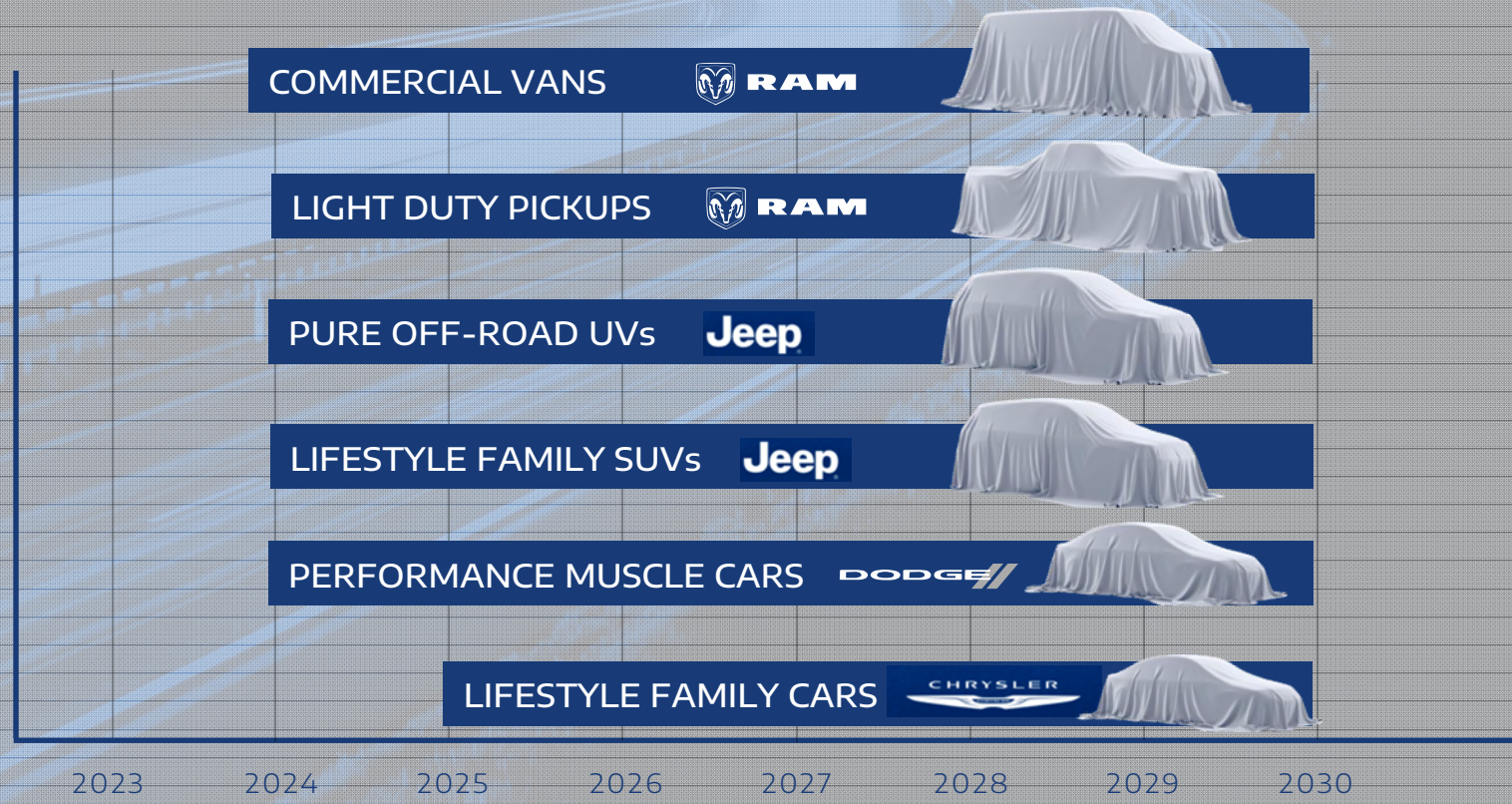


Driver's side charge port with LED illumination

Can add up to a targeted 110 miles of range in approximately 10 minutes with 800-volt DC fast charging at up to 350 kW.



ON TRACK WITH BEV ROLLOUTS IN THE U.S.



U.S. BEV PORTFOLIO 25+ VEHICLES BY 2030



# Unlock your Power Potential

An EV Fast Charging + Energy Storage Company

Prepared For:

**Sustainable Fleet Technology  
Conference & Expo 2023**

Prepared By:

**Brian Bradford**

**Chief Commercial Officer**





Jule is the leader in grid optimized EV fast charging

Our battery integrated chargers can amplify grid power from as little as 30 kW to 150 kW

#### Products + Services

Electric Vehicle Fast-Charging  
Fleet + Transit Fast-Charging  
Battery Energy Storage



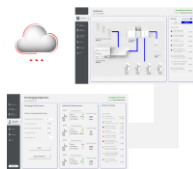
#### jule | Chargers

- Up to 300 kW Charging Speed
- Fast charging independent of grid connection
- Lower OpEx



#### jule | Hub

- Mitigate Demand Charges
- Energy Arbitrage
- Integration with onsite solar or wind



#### jule | Link

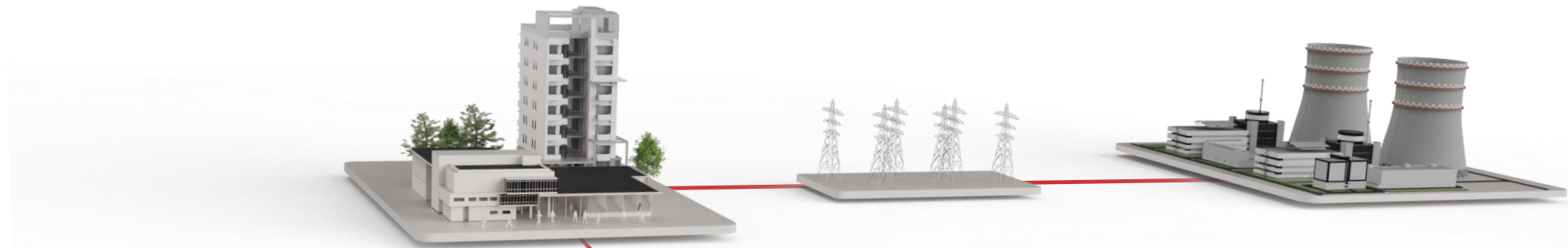
- Monitor asset usage, diagnostics, and performance
- Data collection and analytics provides repository of data to optimize operations



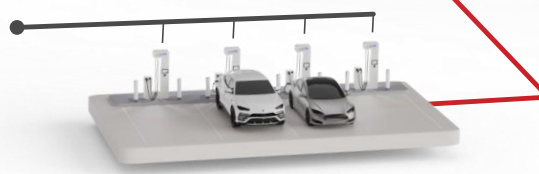
#### CURRENT DEPLOYMENTS

Manufacturing: Canada (current), USA (future)  
Deployments: USA & Canada

# EV Charging is Grid Constrained




Charging an EV at the same rate as refueling a gas-powered vehicle requires 5MW of power




01

## Transition to EV Charging

Seamless EV adoption requires infrastructure to support “gas station” mentality



1 DC Charger  
=



125 Residential Homes

02

## Insufficient Infrastructure

The grid will need timely and costly upgrades to support the power requirements of fast charging

E.g. Installing a 300 kW Charger cost between **\$162,586** USD in infrastructure upgrades<sup>1</sup> and can cause up to a **12-month** delay<sup>2</sup>

03

## Demand Charges

Customers are penalized with ongoing demand charges to request high power for EV charging

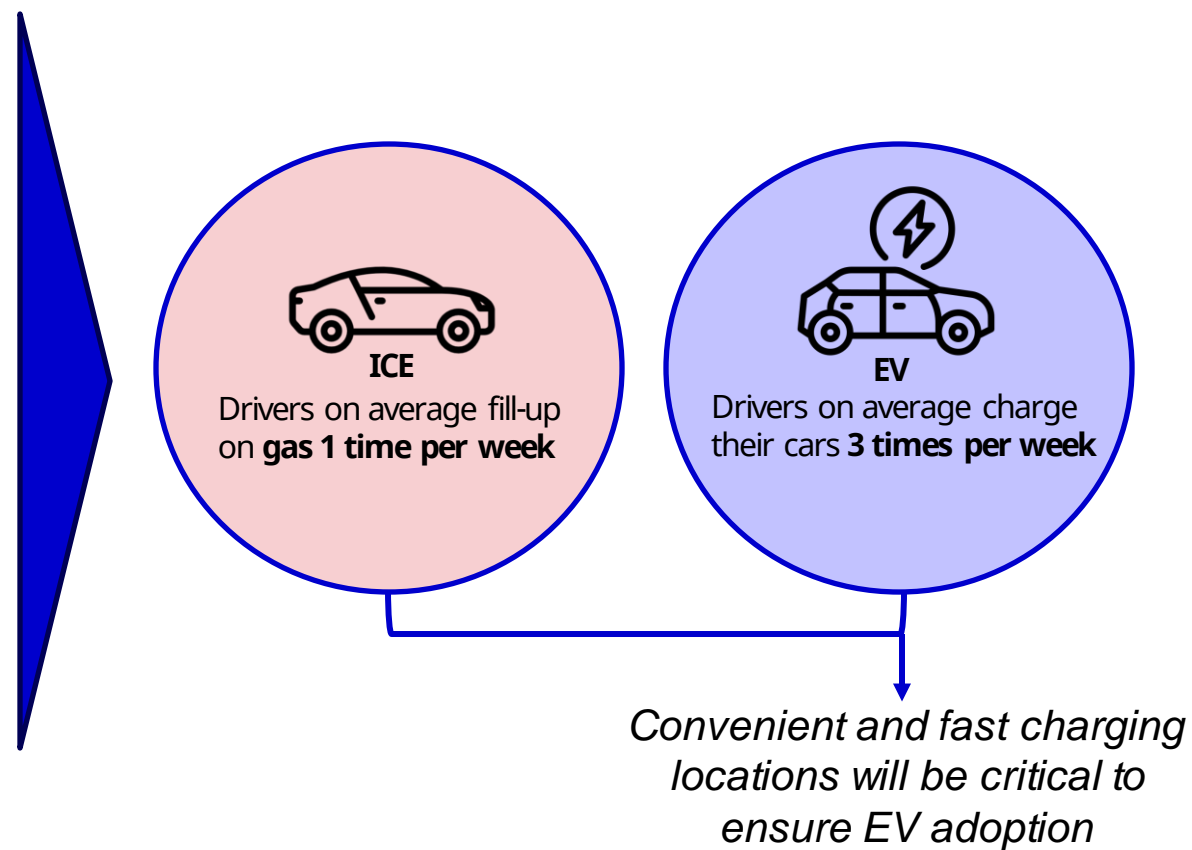
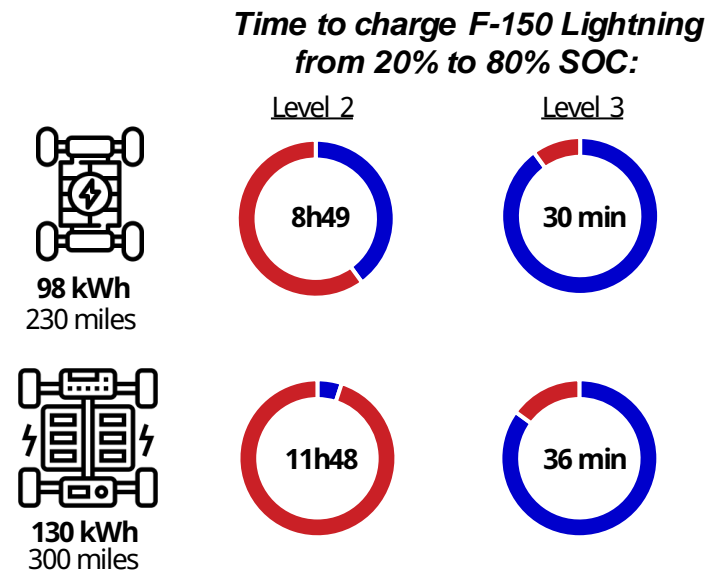
E.g. Customer must pay an additional **\$23/kW** USD per month<sup>3</sup>

(1) National Electric Vehicle Infrastructure Formula Program Annual Report: Plan Year 2022-2023 (driveelectric.gov)  
 (2) The costs and challenges of installing corridor DC Fast Chargers in California – ScienceDirect  
 (3) PG&E Demand Charges

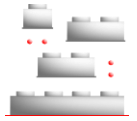


# EV Range Has Improved & Behavior is Shifting

With EV battery capacity demanding more and more power as they are catching up to its ICE alternatives, the need for level 3 infrastructure is ever more critical. This is further emphasized with driver charging behaviors resembling that of phone charging more and more



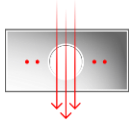
# Battery Systems Optimize the Grid Challenge



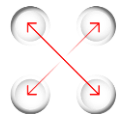
Reduced deployment time & utility connection costs



Ultra-fast charge in 15 minutes



Reduced operating costs



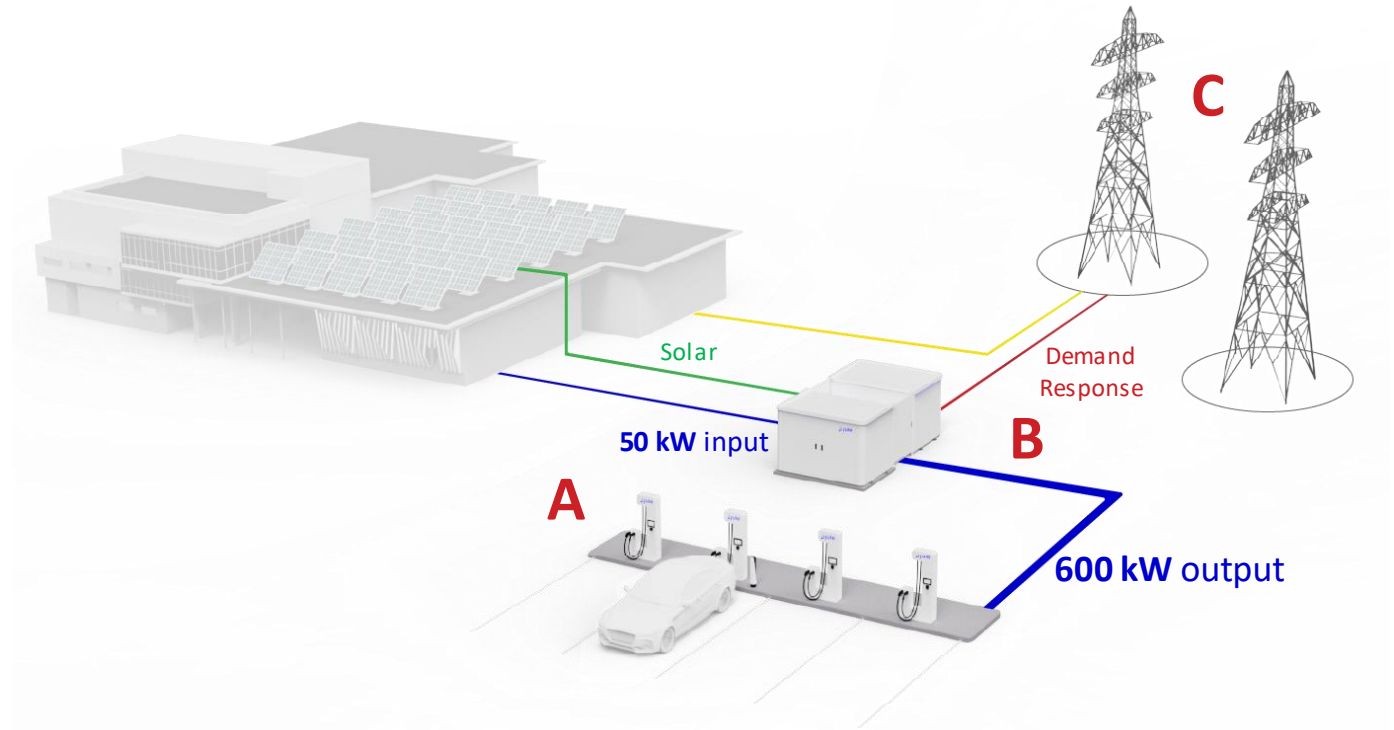
Connection in highly congested areas



Multi-car simultaneous charging



Next-gen ready



## A DCFC Chargers

Allows customer to fully charge any vehicle

## B Battery Hub

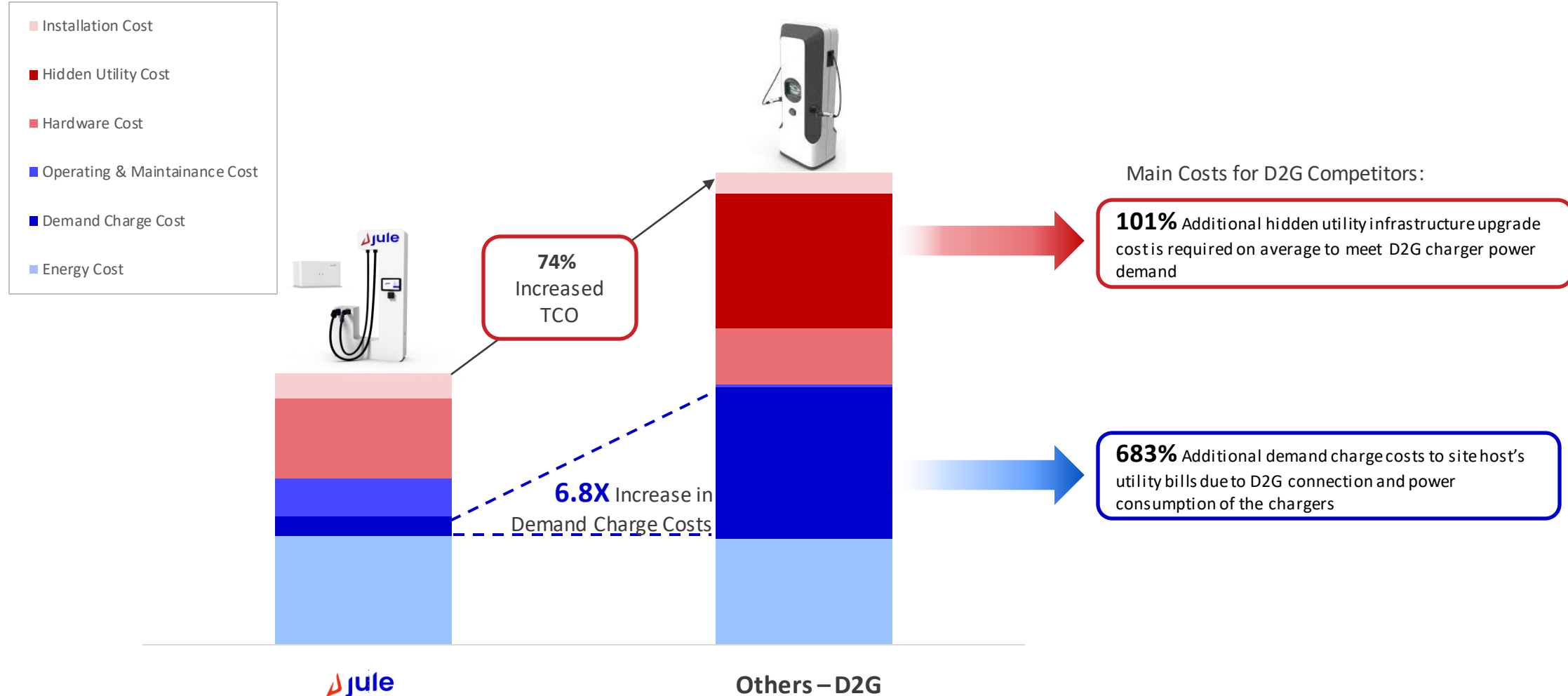
Storage system amplifies power and avoids demand charges

## C Electrical Grid

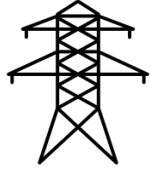
Jule's system provides grid resilience and prevents the need for infrastructure upgrades

# 10 Year Total Cost of Ownership

While traditional Direct To Grid (D2G) DC fast charging providers appear cheaper due to their lower hardware costs. Over their 10-year lifespan they end up being **74% more expensive** due to hidden utility costs incurred as a byproduct of their installation



# In Summary



**The electrical grid  
needs batteries to  
meet EV charging  
demand**



**Regulatory bodies  
need to take  
battery systems  
into consideration**



**Fast charging  
infrastructure is  
critical to the  
success of EV  
adoption**

# APPENDIX





# Level 3 Charging is Imperative for EV Refueling

## Level 2 Charger



### Charging Time

Full charge in typically 4-5 hours



### Use Case

Used in locations such as multifamily communities, housing, and office buildings. Drivers charge their EVs while relaxing at home or working during the day



### Level 2 Limitations

- Designed for residential areas
- Designed to be used over multiple hours
- Not ideal for urban settings

## Level 3 (DCFC) Charger



### Charging Time

Full charge in approximately 15-30 minutes



### Use Case

Used along busy transportation corridors and by drivers who are on the go and looking to get back on the road as quickly as possible



### Level 3 Benefits

- Designed for quick “top ups” comparable to conventional gas stations
- Ideal for high density areas
- Ideal for highway corridors and interstates for long travel



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**WE ARE MORE  
THAN EV CHARGING.**

# Atom Power's Integrated Offering

## Hardware & On-Premise Assets

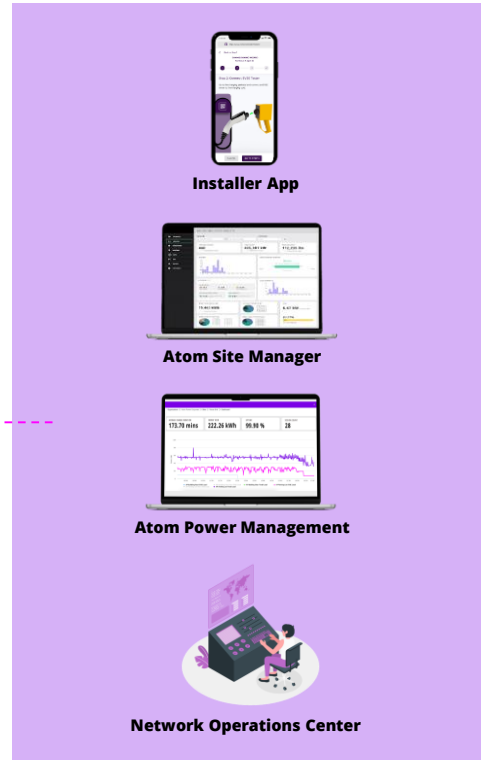


## ATOM CLOUD

(Enterprise Power & Asset Management)

**UNLOCKS A NEW LEVEL OF  
CONTROL, VISIBILITY, &  
PERFORMANCE.**

## Integrated Services



# Navigating the Transition to Electric Fleets

01

## Deploying charging infrastructure

- Charging mix
- Future scale

02

## Managing charging infrastructure

- Real-time visibility
- Energy management

03

## Ensuring chargers work

- Reliability
- Customer service



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## EV Charging Platform Offering



RELIABLE



SCALABLE



SECURE



AFFORDABLE

Delivered with **100% Customer Presence.**

**LET'S GET TO WORK.**

**ATOM<sup>®</sup>**

