Working Together to Accelerate Change: Lower Carbon, Bigger Opportunity

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LowCVP: A unique public-private membership organisation Accelerating the shift to cleaner, low carbon vehicles in the UK





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Transport for London energy saving

























































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Low Carbon Vehicle Partnership

What is LowCVP?



Working closely with Government and leading stakeholders to accelerate the take up of low carbon, low emission vehicles and fuels

Gather multiple stakeholders to address challenges/ common issues Building understanding by developing an evidence base to inform national policy

Influence policy
by creating
initiatives to
stimulate
demand and
supply of low
carbon vehicles

Accelerate the market by producing guidance, sharing best practice











Environment policy: Growing pressure for change



Pressure growing fast in 2019...

- School strikes
- Extinction Rebellion
- IPCC & science reports
 - + media response

The UK political response...

- UK Parliament 'climate emergency' declaration
- Net zero target adopted
- Transport Decarbonisation Plan expected 2020
- CoP26, Glasgow, Nov 2020







Climate crisis: 11.000 scientists warn of

Statement sets out 'vital signs' as indicators of magnitude of the

Most countries' climate plans 'totally inadequate' - experts

'untold suffering'

A man uses a garden hose to try to save his home from wildfire in Granada Hills, California, on 11 October 2

The world's people face "untold suffering due to the climate crisis" unless there are major transformations to global society, according to a stark warning from more than 11,000 scientists.

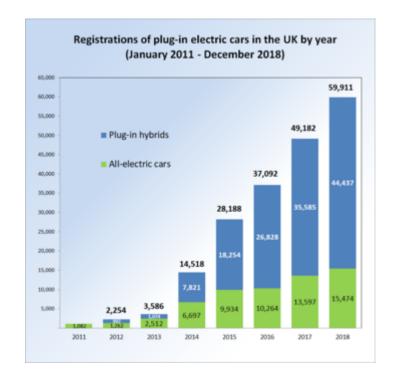




Transport Decarbonisation Plan: What will it mean?



- Net zero decarbonisation of road transport by 2050
 - > Accelerated introduction of electric cars
 - More rapid phase-out of traditional ICE (2040 to 2035 or earlier?)
 - Intensification of focus on long-haul trucks, coaches and 'hard to electrify' applications. (Enhanced batteries? Hydrogen fuel cells?)
 - > Enhanced logistics & vehicle use efficiency
 - Modal shift; fewer private vehicles; more shared journeys
 - > A 'fair' transition? Impacts on low income households



Air quality is also driving change



- Introduction of London ULEZ (April 2019)
- Clean Air Zones:
 - > Leeds
 - Birmingham
 - Bristol
 - Newcastle
 - Manchester
 - Coventry

CAZ plans due: Portsmouth, Leicester, Broxbourne, Bradford, Stoke-on-Trent, Liverpool, Bolsover and Newcastle-under-Lyme







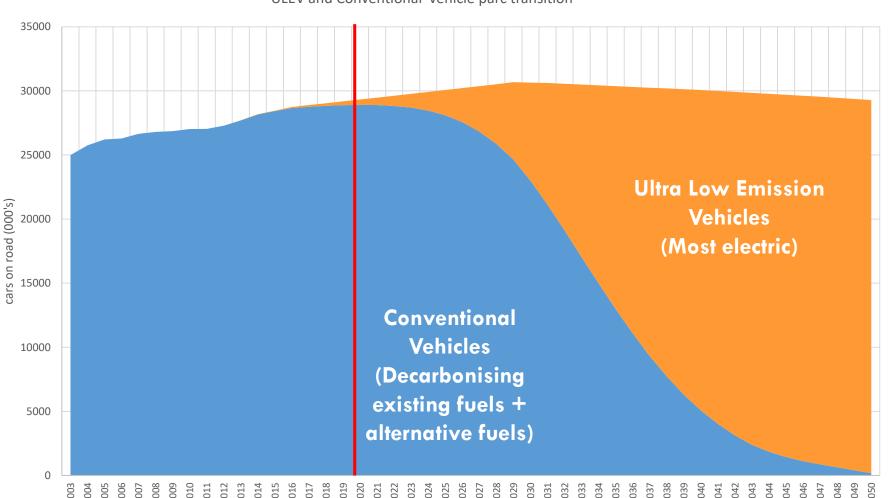






ULEV and conventional vehicle parc transition — indicative trend (LowCVP)

ULEV and Conventional vehicle parc transition



<3% of the new car market is plug-ins ...but likely to accelerate

Over 90% of new cars acquired via financing

Financed vehicles renewed much more quickly

Large proportion of the vehicles on the road are former lease

Barriers to electric vehicle uptake



UK EV public infrastructure network is fragmented – lack of interoperability is a key issue.

Private buyers need help with domestic charge eqpt.

But NB: 60%+ can charge at home

Higher purchase/lease cost

Lack of public charging infrastructure (Range anxiety)

Residual value?

Second-hand market underdeveloped.

Need for incentives?

Private car buyers may fail to see the whole life cost benefits of electric cars – main focus on purchase/lease cost.

As well as lower fuel costs, there are a range of govt & other financial incentives for EVs but are customers aware?

Electric vehicles – current incentives



Purchase Cost

Plug-in Car Grant for BEVs

Running Cost

- No fuel duty on electricity or hydrogen
- Lower (fuel) electricity cost
- Zero road tax first year
- London Congestion Charge & ULEZ exemption
- Future CAZ and access benefits likely
- Some LAs offer free parking and charging
- Company Car Tax (big savings from Apr 2020)

Regulation

EU Cars and CO₂ regulation (95g/km by 2020/1)

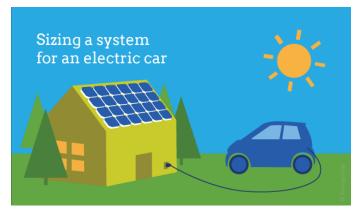


Energy & mobility sectors are merging



A revolution in road transport is coming, creating opportunities and threats for incumbent businesses...

- Home charging to become the norm; car buyers will be looking for suppliers to deliver the vehicle + chargepoint (+ energy?)
- All new home chargers to be 'smart' cost savings for energy system to be passed on to consumers
- Householders may increasingly look at their EV as a part of a domestic energy solution, linked with rooftop PV, ground or air-source heat pumps etc



Picture: Energy Sage (US)



Picture: Chargepoint.com

Electric Vehicle Energy Taskforce's stakeholders







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Collaborate Influence

































































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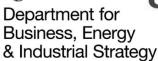
















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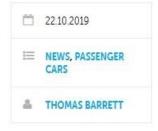




New EV tariffs offer zero (or near zero) fuel cost



SSE Energy launches new 'free electricity' tariff for EV drivers

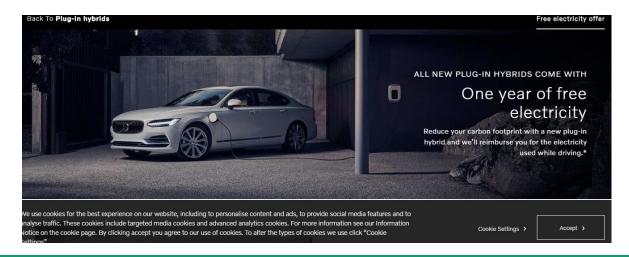


SSE Energy Services has launched a new tariff for electric vehicle (EV) owners, giving them up to 2,000 kWh of free electricity a year when they charge their car overnight at home.

They say people who sign up to the 1 Year Fix and Drive tariff will be able to benefit from 8,000 miles free a year.

Also, when a customer takes out the tariff, all electricity will be matched with 100% renewable electricity. The tariff will be available to both new and existing customers, and will be available with no exit fee.

SSE is the UK's third-largest energy supplier, providing energy to 5.7 million

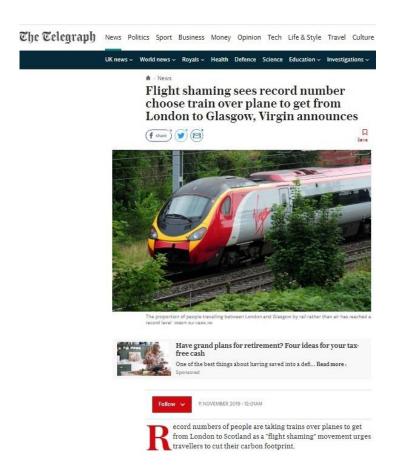


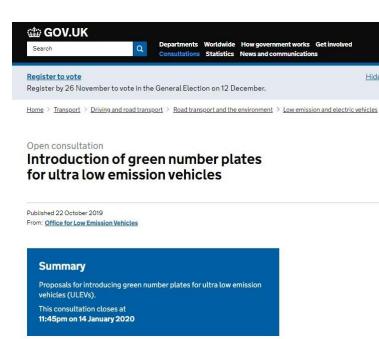


Off-peak EV tariffs offer free – or very cheap – motoring energy costs

Attitudes to motoring may be changing...









Bristol is set to become the UK's first city to ban diesel cars from entering parts of the city centre in a bid to cut air pollution.

LowCVP car buyer research



Examining the importance of fuel and ownership costs during the car buying process

Study objectives

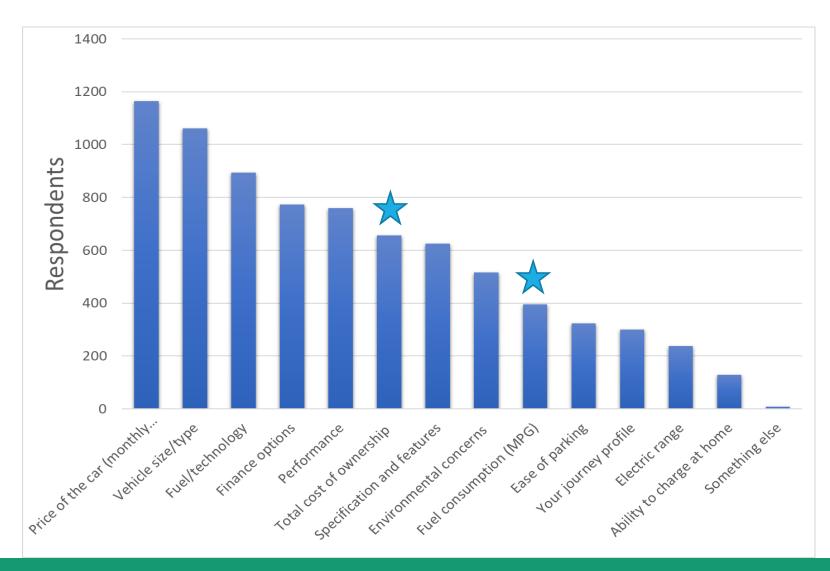
- To identify what financial information consumers find most important
- To identify consumer preference for presentation of financial information, in particular fuel and other ownership costs
- To investigate what incentives consumers would favour with regards to purchasing an electric car

<u>Part 1:</u> Car buyer survey 2000 consumers <u>Part 2:</u> Focus group of 10 consumers

Questions prepared by LowCVP with input from FLA. Input and support from: Energy Saving Trust, PSA Groupe and EV fleet consultancy CleanCar.

What did, or will you, think about when researching your next car?



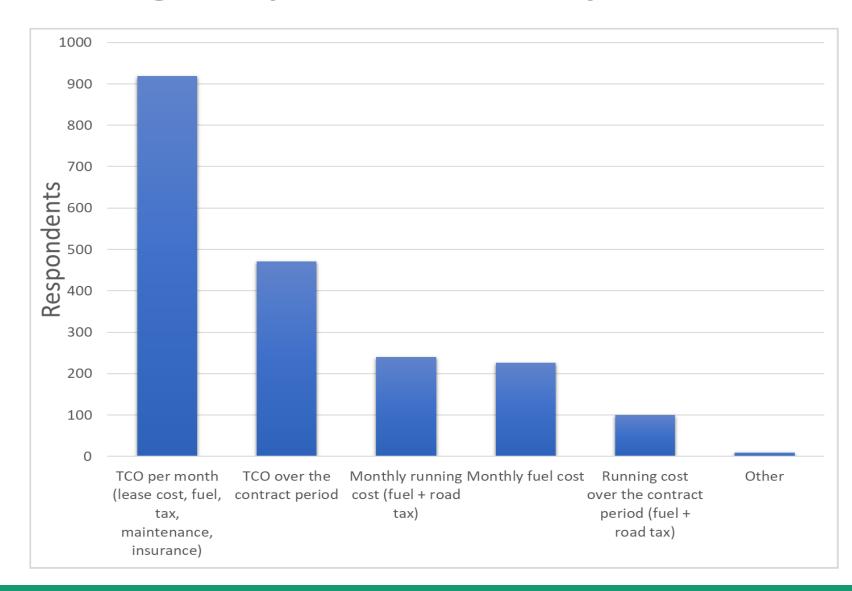


Price considered the most important factor

Presenting fuel & wider ownership costs can help demonstrate affordability especially with regards to lending.

If car retailers provided additional cost information which of the following would you find most useful to your decision making?





TCO/month is perceived as the most useful metric to present in consumer information.

Consumers could benefit from having more detailed motoring cost information to aid decision making.

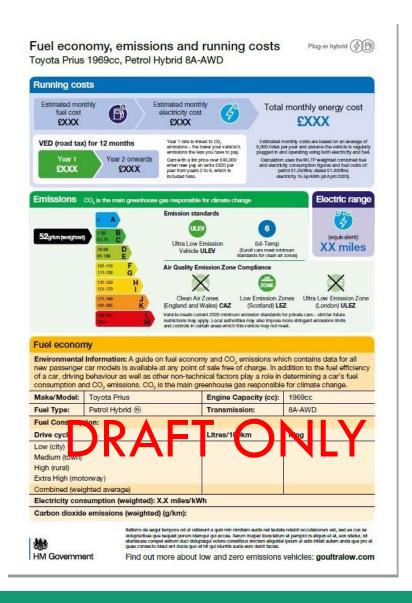
Lease costs higher but costs inc fuel are lower...



| | QUOTE COMPARISON ONE | | QUOTE COMPARISON TWO | |
|--|----------------------------|---|----------------------------|--|
| | VW e-Golf 5dr Hatchback | VW Golf 1.5 TSI EVO 130 Match 5dr Hatchback | VW e-Golf 5dr Hatchback | VW Golf S 1.6 Td 115PS 5 speed 5dr Hatchback |
| Monthly personal lease price (inc VAT) | £299.94 | £249.54 | £407.82 | £385.28 |
| Initial rental | £899.82 | £748.62 | £1,223.46 | £1,155.85 |
| Contract length (months) | 36 | 36 | 36 | 36 |
| Annual mileage | 10,000 | 10,000 | 10,000 | 10,000 |
| Annual energy cost for 12k miles, VCA | £399.00 | | £399.00 | |
| Annual energy cost - 10k miles, VCA | £332.49 | | £332.49 | |
| Monthly energy cost - 10k miles, VCA | £27.71 | | £27.71 | |
| WLTP combined MPG (min-max) | | 47.9 - 50.4 | | 54.3 - 56.5 |
| WLTP combined MPG Average | | 49.1 | | 55.4 |
| Annual fuel costs - 10k miles. Petrol @ 126.8 ltr / 576.43 gallon. Diesel @ 131.52 ltr / 597.89 gallon | | £1,173.99 | | £1,079.22 |
| Monthly fuel costs - 10k miles | | £97.83 | | £89.94 |
| TOTAL MONTHLY COSTS (lease and energy) | £327.65 | £347.37 | £435.53 | £475.22 |
| | -£19.73 | | -£39.69 | |

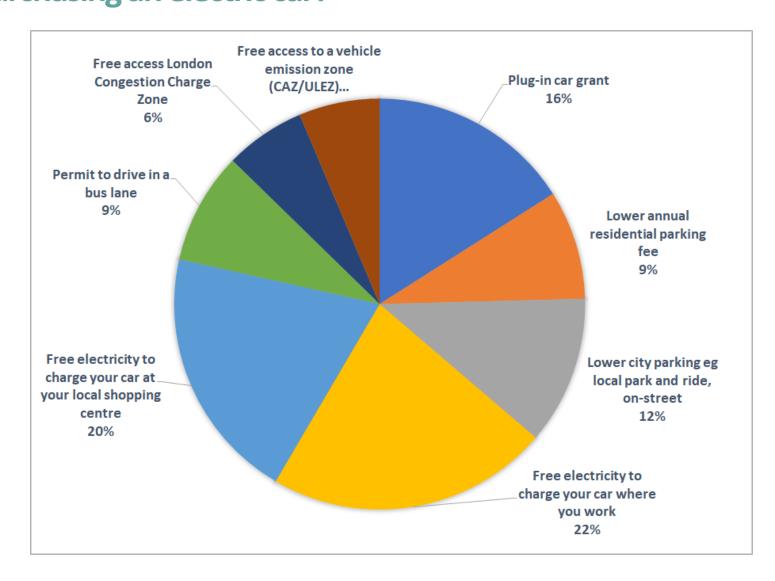
New fuel economy label will highlight fuel costs





Which of the following incentives could encourage you to consider purchasing an electric car?





Local incentives and regulations could be a significant factor in the vehicle purchase/lease decision...

CAZ- Clean Air Zone
ULEZ — Ultra Low Emission Zone

Summary – get ready for the EV transition...





- Pressure on policy makers for strong, urgent action
- Climate Change (Net Zero) and Air Quality key drivers
- Plan for transport decarbonisation is coming soon
- Electricity & mobility sectors merging = opp's & threats
- ☐ Fuel & other ownership costs need more prominence
- Local factors a growing factor in vehicle choice







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The finance & leasing sector can play a key role in the transition!

LowCVP members can...





Access relevant resources, publications and reports

Low Emission Bus Guide, Transport Energy Task Force, Good Practice Guides, Transport and Infrastructure Roadmaps, E10 Deployment Recommendations...



Build and develop your professional network within the low carbon/emission community

Innovation, Buses, Passenger Cars, Fuels and Commercial Vehicles working groups.



Participate in high profile members-only events and conferences

Parliamentary Reception, Annual Conference, Low Carbon Champions Awards.



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