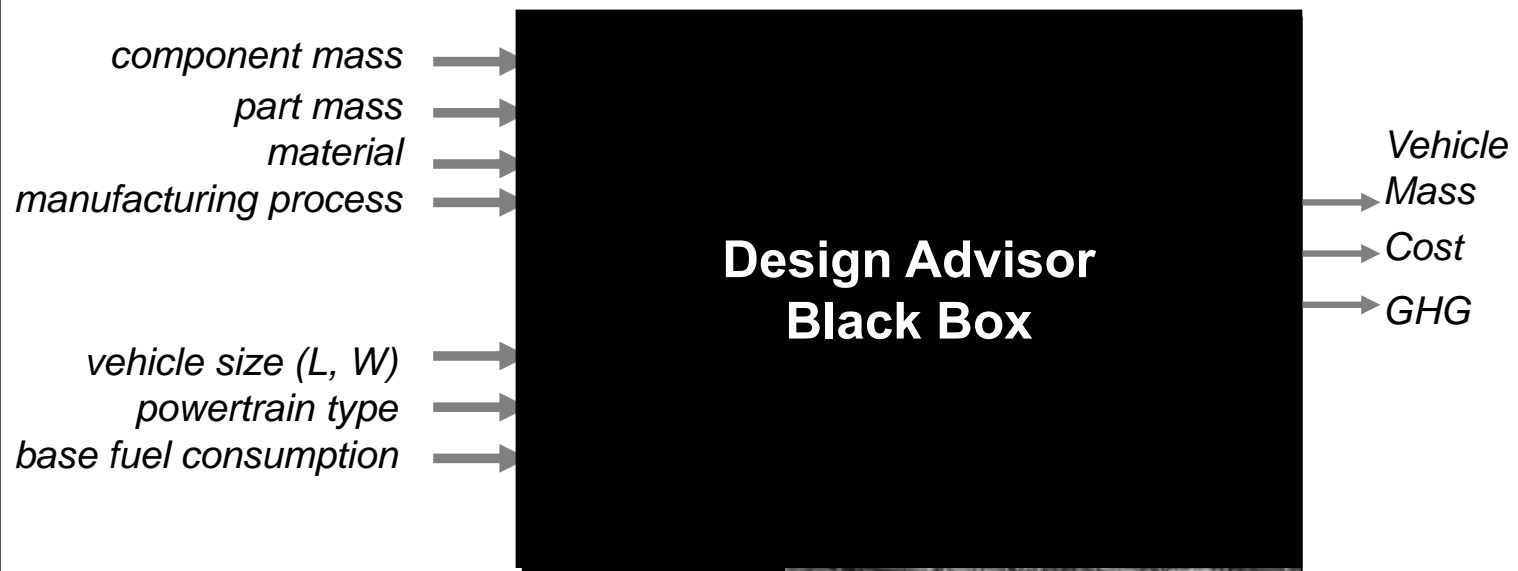




Design Advisor Workshop

Session 2 Mass Estimation Fundamentals

Understanding how it works



Importance of Mass

**Mass is
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determinate of:**



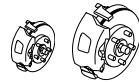
*material
cost*



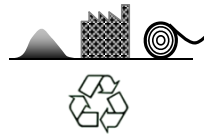
*equipment and
tool cost*



*energy
consumption*



*resizing
subsystems*



*material production
and recycling GHG*

Questions to answer:

What is mass for a typical vehicle given length and width?

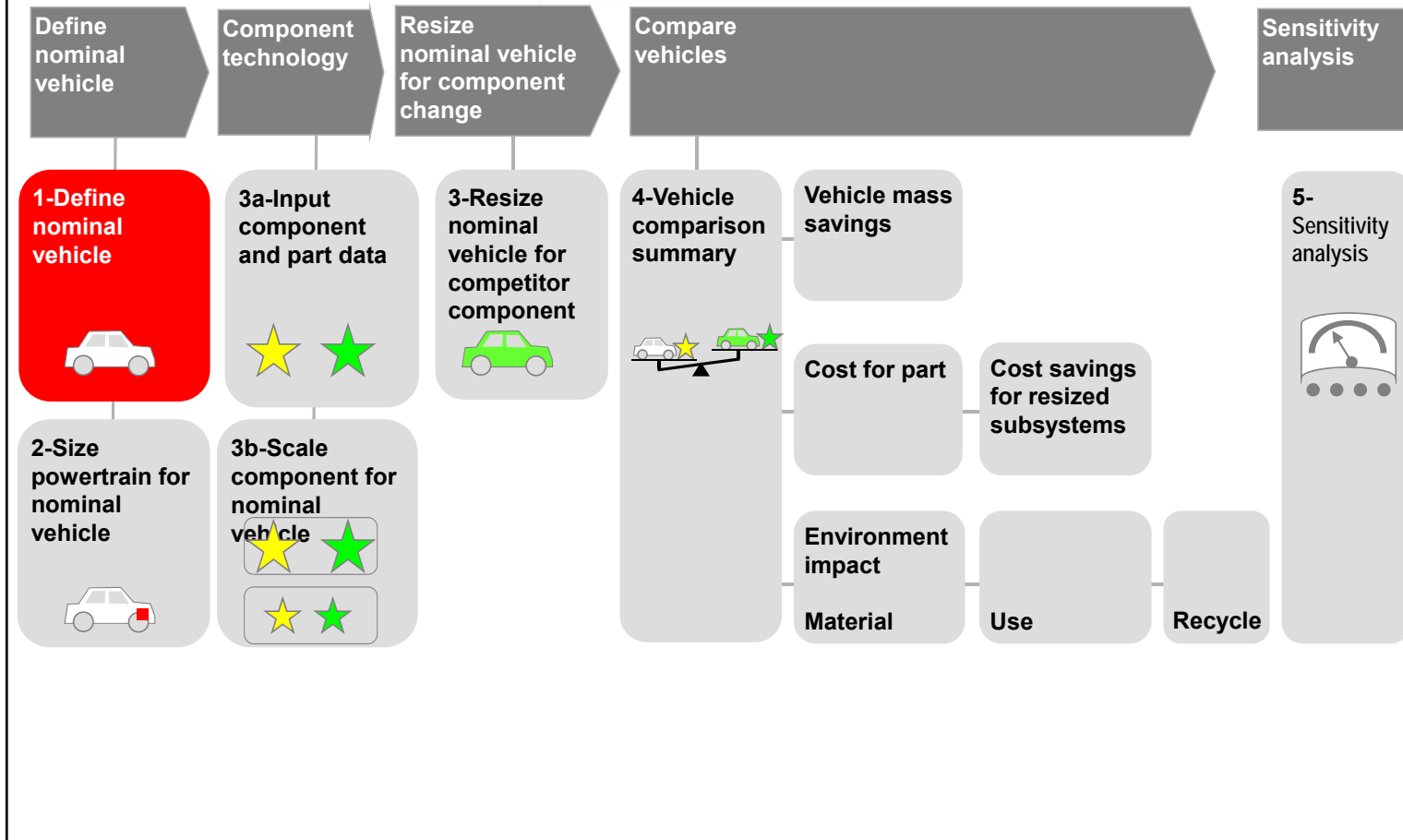
How does powertrain selection influence vehicle mass?

What is mass of materials for vehicle?

How does a change in component mass affect other subsystem's mass?

How can component mass be scaled to 'fit' a vehicle?

Design Advisor Solution Map



Estimating overall vehicle mass

Set Nominal Vehicle

WorldAutoSteel

Select vehicle type: Sedan/Hatchback

Vehicle Size: Overall length (m) 4.700 width (m) 1.800

Number of Passengers 5

Cargo Mass (kg) 100.00

Std. dev. below average curb mass 0

Powertrain type Internal Combustion

Input subsystem material composition for nominal vehicle below

Reset material fractions to defaults

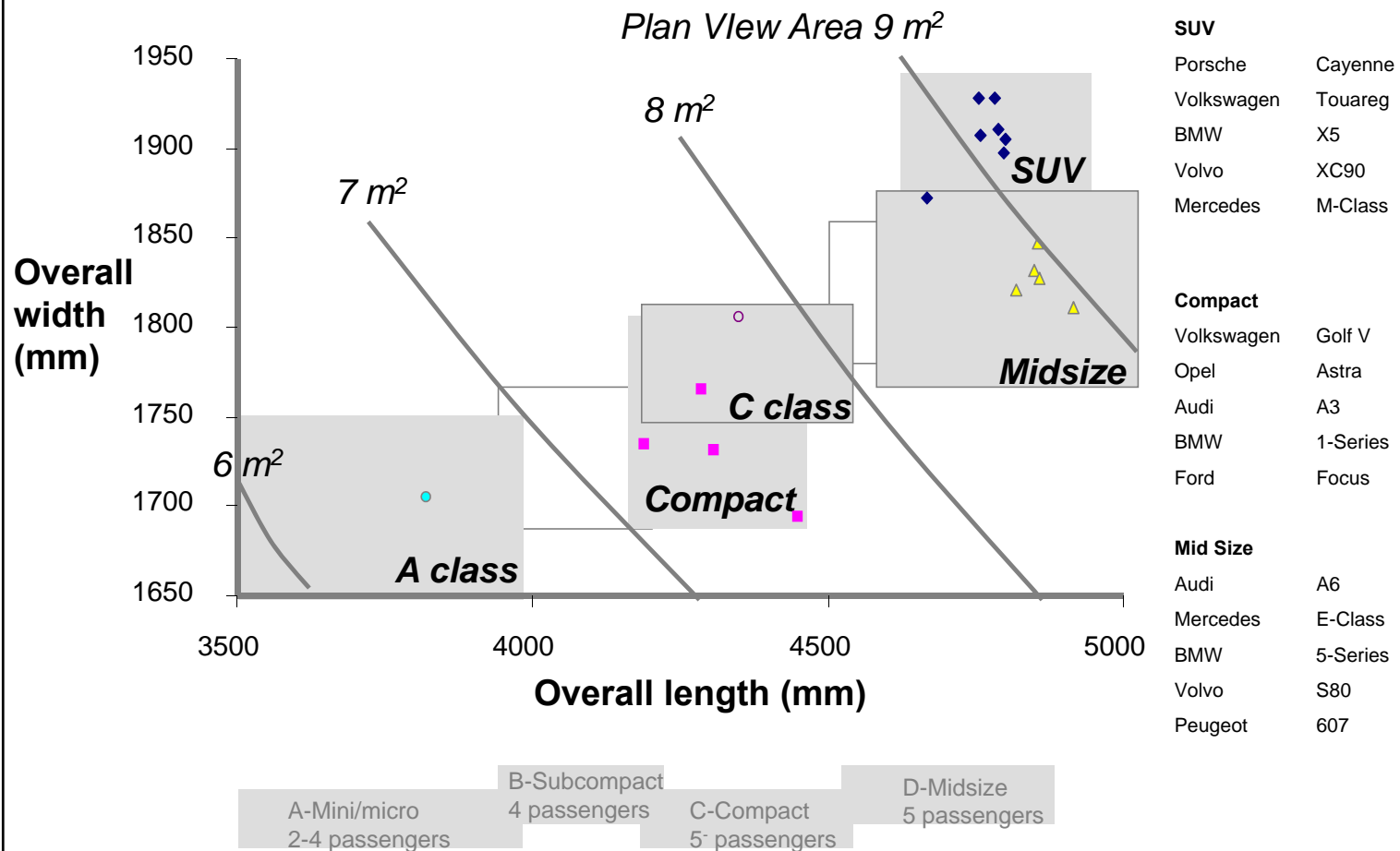
Subsystem	Fraction of Curb Mass	Vehicle type= User Defined	Nominal Vehicle Mass	Material Composition
Body Non-structure	0.204		292.89	
Body Structure	0.227		325.91	
Front Suspension	0.049		70.35	
Rear Suspension	0.044		63.17	
Braking	0.032		45.94	
Powertrain	0.185		265.61	
Fuel & Exhaust	0.040		57.43	
Steering	0.014		20.10	
Tires & Wheels	0.065		93.32	
Electrical	0.046		66.04	
Cooling	0.027		38.77	
Bumpers	0.022		31.66	
Closures	0.045		64.66	
Battery (electric car)	0.000		0.00	
Vehicle Curb Mass (kg)			1435.75	
Passenger mass (kg)			340.19	
Cargo Mass (kg)			100.00	
Gross Vehicle Mass (kg)			1875.94	
Test Weight=Curb+two passengers (Lb)			3465.28	

Hot Stamped Steel	Stainless Steel	Cast Iron	Aluminum Wrought	Aluminum Cast	Copper	Magnesium Cast	Magnesium Wrought	Glass	Plastic	CFRP	GFRP	Rubber
0.15	0.10	0.03	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.20	0.30	0.00	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.60	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
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0.15	0.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.30	0.05	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.75	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.10	0.65	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.00	0.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.40	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.60	0.00	0.00
0.80	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.20	0.00	0.00
0.55	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.20	0.10	0.00	0.00
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
568	214	11	21	0	8.6	140	29	68	66	0	0	86
0.40	0.15	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.10	0.02	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.06
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ferrous Aluminum Magnesium Polymer												

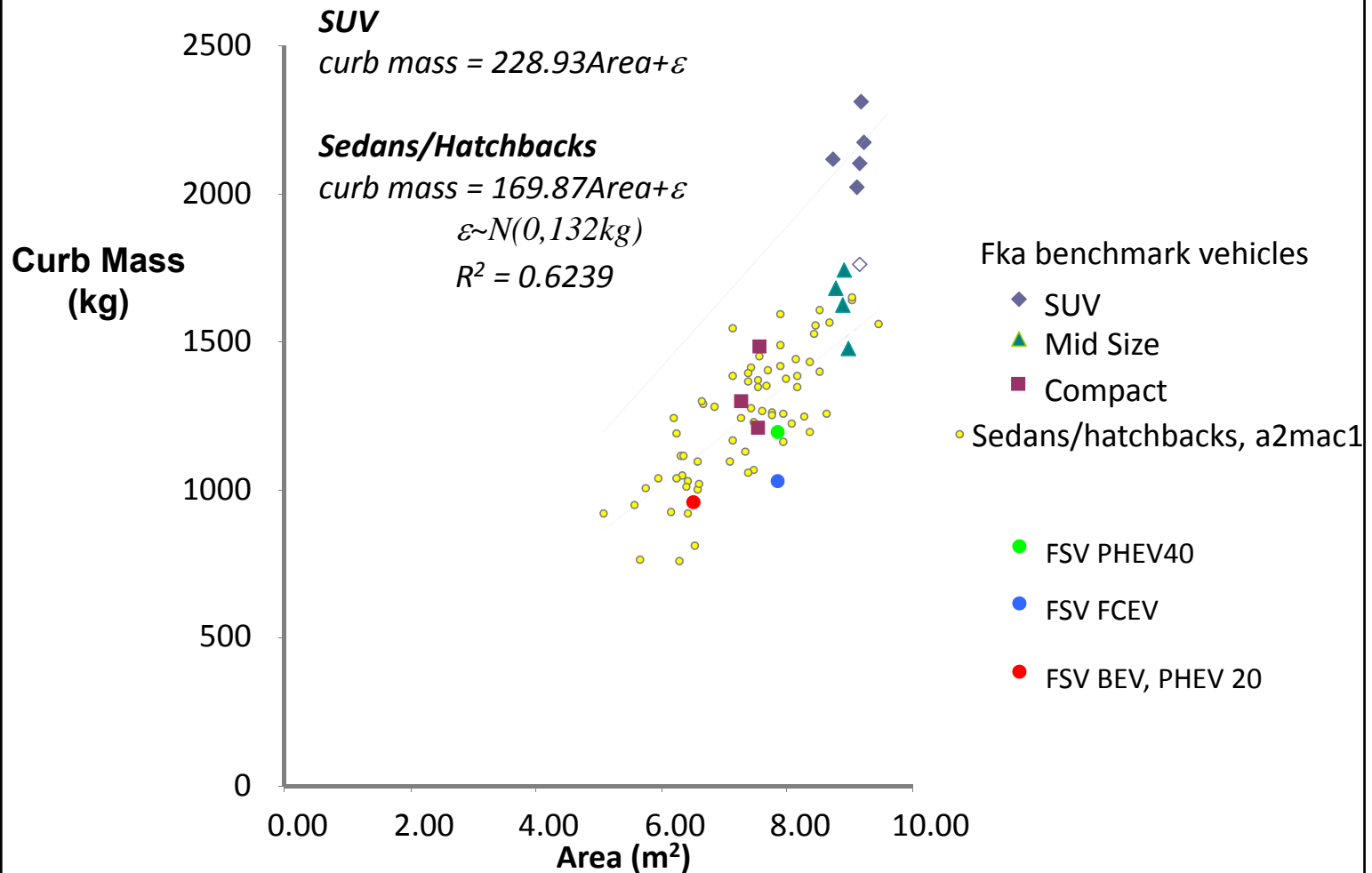
Ferrous	Aluminum	Copper	Magnesium	Glass	Plastic	Other
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How is vehicle curb mass and GVM estimated?

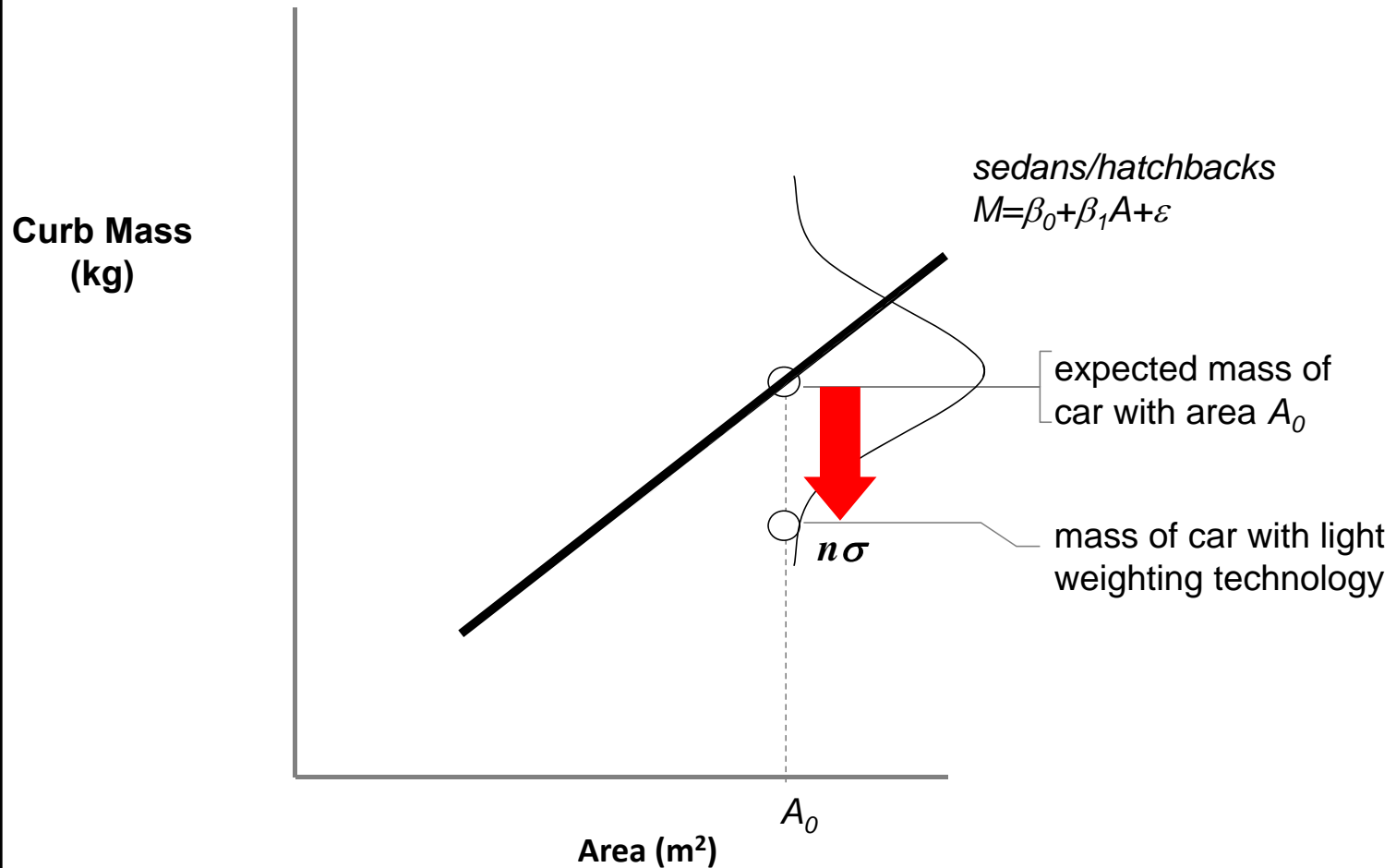
Plan View Area Describes Vehicle Size



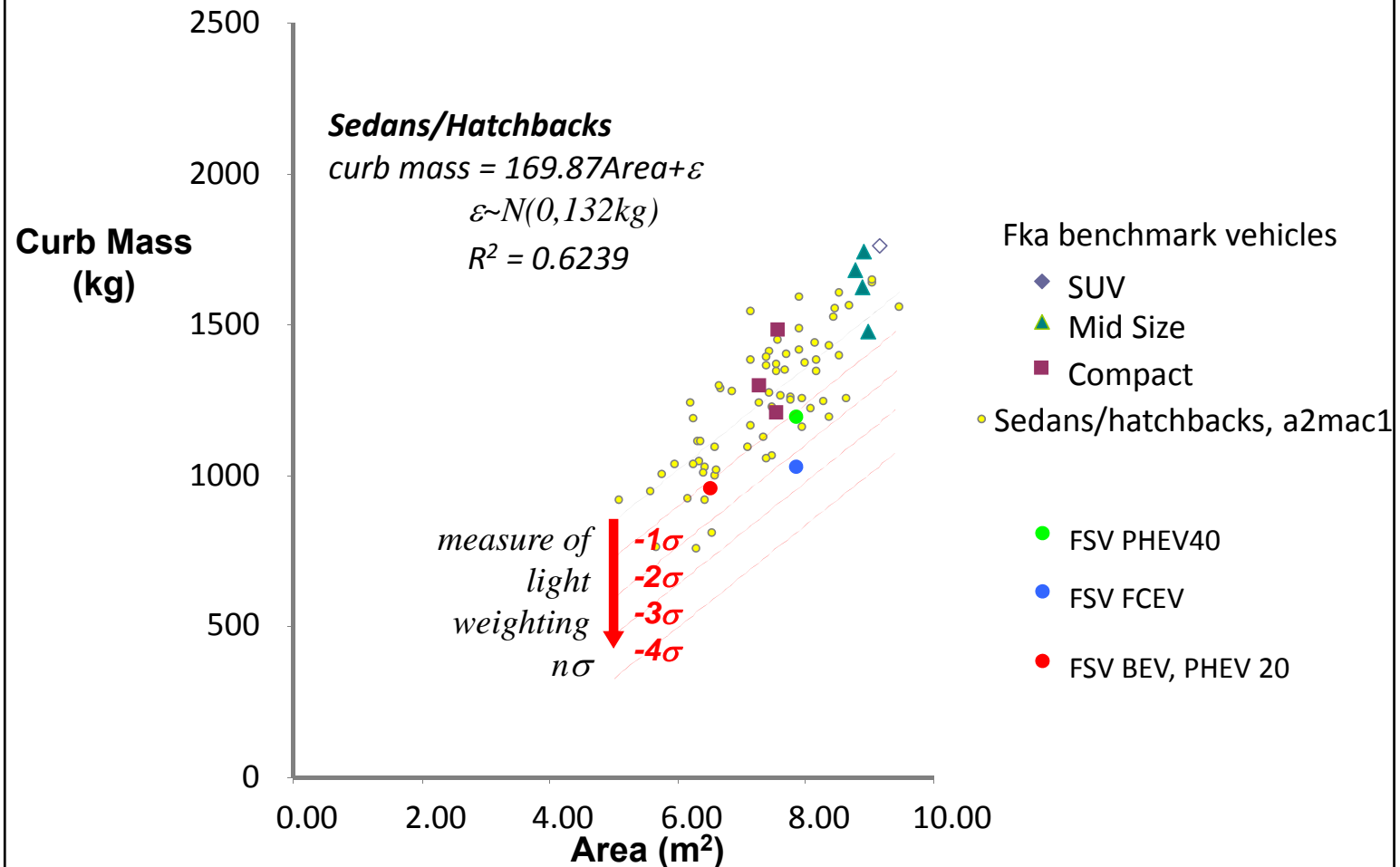
Benchmark Curb Mass Data



Adjusting nominal vehicle mass for technology/timeframe



Curb Mass to plan view area relationship



The math

Curb mass

$$m_{CURB} = \beta_0 + \beta_1 A_{PLAN} + \varepsilon$$

where

m_{CURB} = estimated curb mass (kg) *

A_{PLAN} = Plan view area of vehicle (length x width) (m^2)

β_0, β_1 = coefficients estimated by regression

ε = residual error $N(0, \sigma)$

****base gasoline IC, Sedan/hatchbacks, FWD, BFI***

Mass Estimation: Size and mass comparison



	unit	Toyota iQ
length	mm	2985
width	mm	1552
height	mm	1480
manufacturers mass	kg	885

estimate: 786



	unit	Toyota Yaris
length	mm	3810
width	mm	1694
height	mm	1524
manufacturers mass	kg	1061

1095



	unit	Daimler Smart Fortwo
length	mm	2695
width	mm	1559
height	mm	1542
manufacturer's mass	kg	820

713



	unit	Honda Fit
length	mm	4105
width	mm	1694
height	mm	1524
manufacturers mass	kg	1129

1180



	unit	Suzuki Wagon R
length	mm	3295
width	mm	1395
height	mm	1640
manufacturers mass	kg	855

780



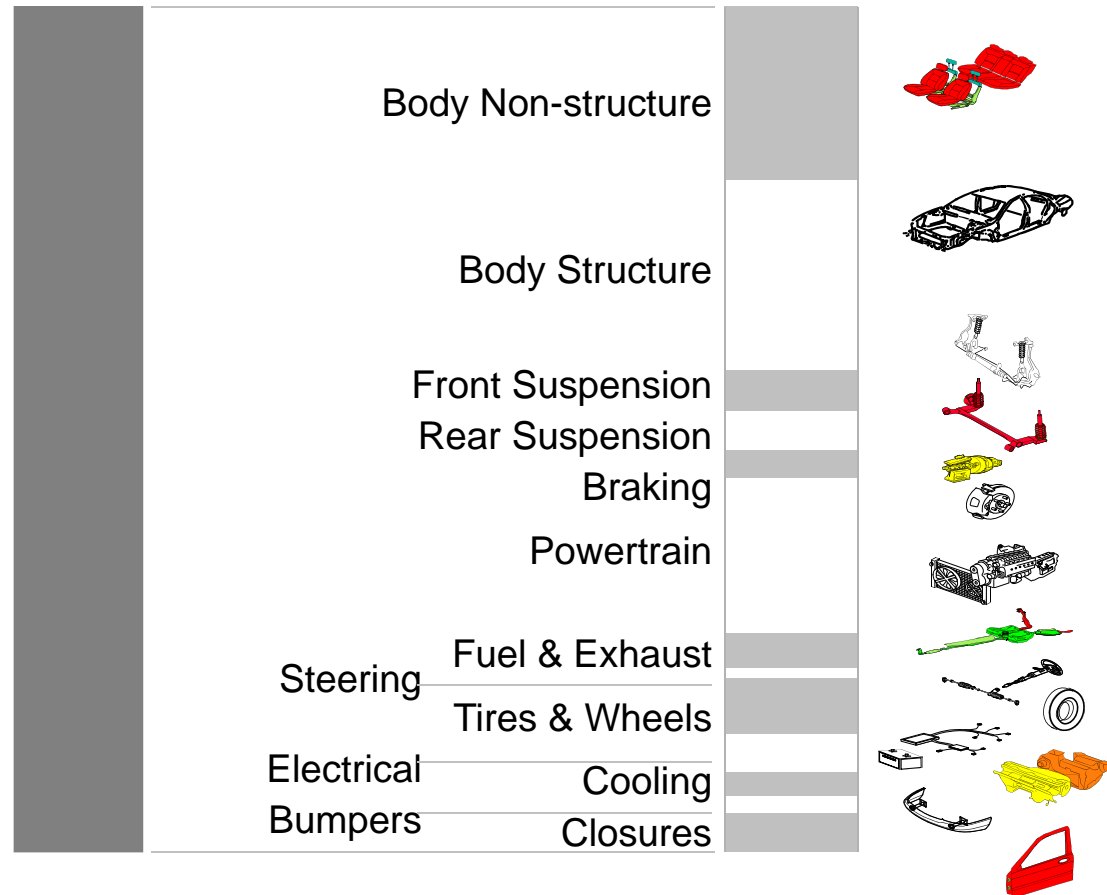
	unit	Suzuki 2008 SX4
length	mm	4135
width	mm	1755
height	mm	1605
manufacturers mass	kg	1271

1232

Determining mass of subsystems

Curb Mass

$$m_{CURB} = \beta_0 + \beta_1 A_{PLAN}$$



Estimating mass for each subsystem

Set Nominal Vehicle

WorldAutoSteel

Select vehicle type: Sedan/Hatchback

Vehicle Size: Overall length (m) 4.700 width (m) 1.800

Number of Passengers 5

Cargo Mass (kg) 100.00

Std. dev. below average curb mass 0

Powertrain type Internal Combustion

Input subsystem material composition for nominal vehicle below

Reset material fractions to defaults

Vehicle type= User

Nominal Vehicle Mass

Subsystem	Fraction of Curb Mass	User Defined enter mass	Nominal Vehicle Mass
Body Non-structure	0.204		292.89
Body Structure	0.227		325.91
Front Suspension	0.049		70.35
Rear Suspension	0.044		63.17
Braking	0.032		45.94
Powertrain	0.185		265.61
Fuel & Exhaust	0.040		57.43
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Cooling	0.027		38.77
Bumpers	0.022		31.59
Closures	0.045		64.61
Battery (electric car)	0.000		0.00
Vehicle Curb Mass (kg)			1435.75
Passenger mass (kg)			340.19
Cargo Mass (kg)			100.00
Gross Vehicle Mass (kg)			1875.94
Test Weight=Curb+two passengers (Lb)			3465.28

nominal IC gas 1435.7

adjusted for PT 1435.7

Ferrous

Aluminum

Copper

Magnesium

Glass

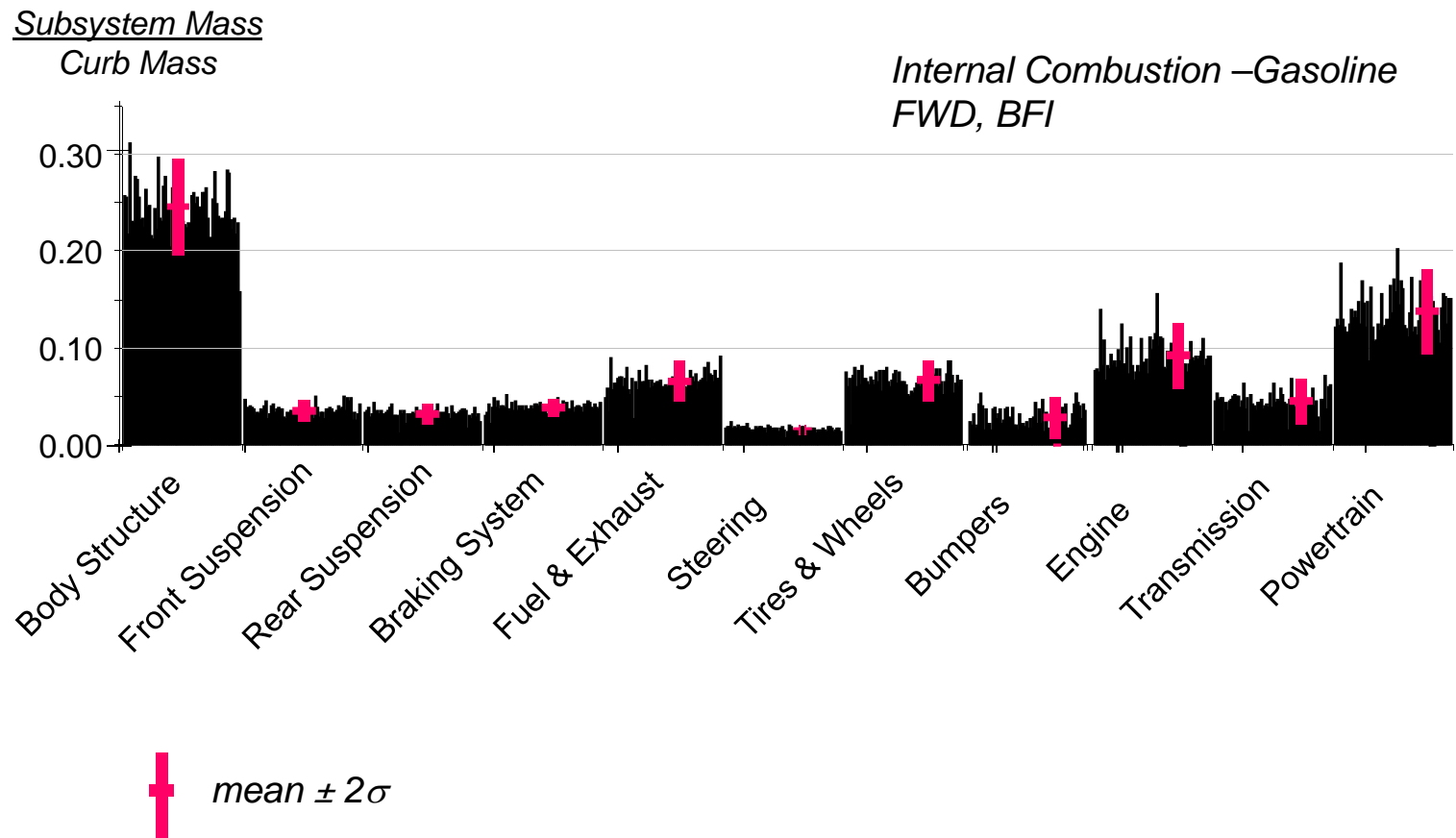
Plastic

Other

How is vehicle subsystem mass estimated?

Hot Stamped Steel	Stainless Steel	Cast Iron	Aluminum Wrought	Aluminum Cast	Copper	Magnesium Cast	Magnesium Wrought	Glass	Plastic	CFRP	GFRP	Rubber
0.15	0.10	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.25	0.35	0.00	0.00	0.00
1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.20	0.30	0.00	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.60	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.15	0.00	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.00	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.80	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.15	0.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.30	0.05	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.05	0.00	0.00
0.75	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.10	0.65	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.00	0.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.40	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.60	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.80	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.55	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.20	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.00
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
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0.40	0.15	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.10	0.02	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00
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ferrous Aluminum Magnesium Polym												

Subsystem mass for 66 Sedans/Hatchbacks



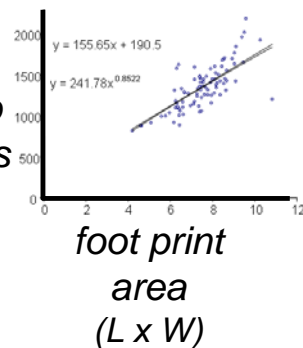
Mass Estimation Conventional TFWD, BFI, gasoline IC

$$(Curb\ mass) = \beta_1 (plan\ view\ area) + \beta_0$$














$$(subsystem\ mass) = \phi_i (curb\ mass)$$

Vehicle
•Length
•Width
•type

curb
mass



curb
mass

0.204	body Non-structure	
0.227	body structure	
0.049	front suspension	
0.044	rear suspension	
0.014	steering	
0.032	braking	
0.185	powertrain	
0.040	fuel/exhaust	
0.065	tires/wheels	
0.046	air conditioning	
0.027	electrical	
0.022	bumpers	
0.045	closures	

The math

Subsystem Mass

$$\bar{\phi} = \begin{bmatrix} \phi_1 \\ \phi_2 \\ \vdots \\ \phi_n \end{bmatrix}$$

$$m_{CURB} \bar{\phi} = \begin{bmatrix} m_1 \\ m_2 \\ \vdots \\ m_n \end{bmatrix}$$

where

ϕ_i = mass fraction relative to curb mass for subsystem i

for the reference vehicle (IC gasoline), $\sum \phi_i = 1$

for other powertrain types, $\sum \phi_i$ may be smaller or larger than one

m_{CURB} = curb mass (kg)

m_i = subsystem mass (kg)

Adjusting subsystem mass for specific powertrain technology

Set Nominal Vehicle

Select vehicle type: Sedan/Hatchback

Vehicle Size: Overall length (m) 4.700 width (m) 1.800

Number of Passengers 5

Cargo Mass (kg) 100.00

Std. dev. below average curb mass 0

Powertrain type: Battery Electric- 155 mile range

WorldAutoSteel

Input subsystem material composition for nominal vehicle below

Reset material fractions to defaults

Subsystem	Fraction of Curb Mass	Vehicle type= User	Nominal Vehicle Mass
Body Non-structure	0.175		251.26
Body Structure	0.207		297.20
Front Suspension	0.039		55.99
Rear Suspension	0.034		48.82
Braking	0.037		53.12
Powertrain	0.109		156.50
Fuel & Exhaust	0.000		0.00
Steering	0.014		20.10
Tires & Wheels	0.055		78.97
Electrical	0.046		66.04
Cooling	0.027		38.77
Bumpers	0.022		31.59
Closures	0.035		50.25
Battery (electric car)	0.221		316.91

How does powertrain selection change subsystem mass?

Material	Stainless Steel	Cast Iron	Aluminum Wrought	Aluminum Cast	Copper	Magnesium Cast	Magnesium Wrought	Glass	Plastic	CFRP	GFRP	Rubber
Body Non-structure	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.25	0.35	0.00	0.00	0.00
Body Structure	0.20	0.30	0.00	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.05
Front Suspension	0.60	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.05
Rear Suspension	0.00	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.05
Braking	0.15	0.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00
Powertrain	0.75	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Fuel & Exhaust	0.10	0.65	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.05
Steering	0.00	0.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.50
Tires & Wheels	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Electrical	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Cooling	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Bumpers	0.80	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.20	0.00	0.00
Closures	0.55	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.20	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.05
Battery (electric car)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Subsystem	Vehicle Curb Mass (kg)	nominal IC gas 1435.7	adjusted for PT 1465.5
Vehicle Curb Mass (kg)	1465.51		
Passenger mass (kg)	340.19		
Cargo Mass (kg)	100.00		
Gross Vehicle Mass (kg)	1905.71		
Test Weight=Curb+two passengers (Lb)	3530.90		

Legend:

- Ferrous
- Aluminum
- Copper
- Magnesium
- Glass
- Plastic
- Other

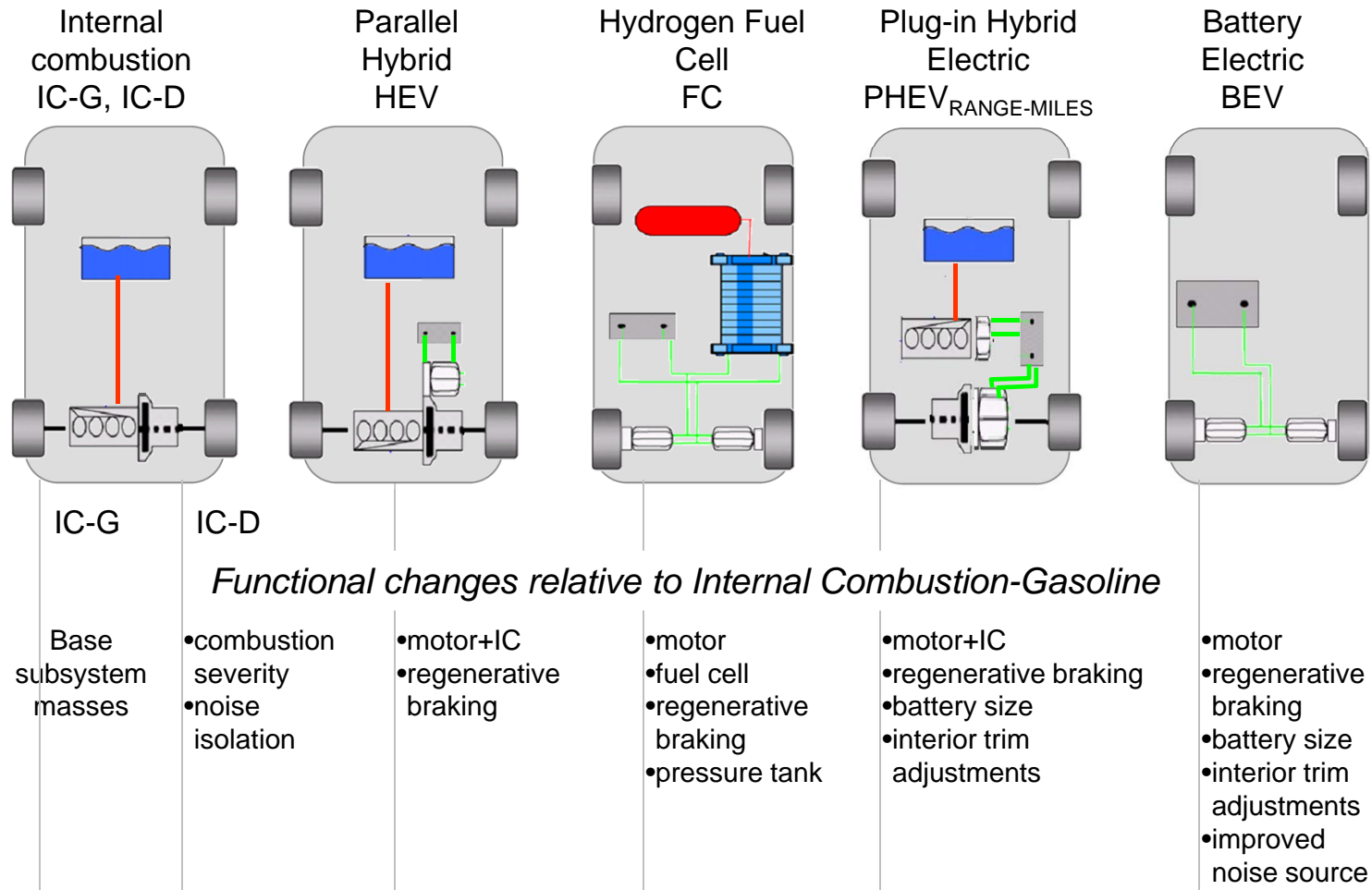
totals for groups-mass kg

454	153	8.8	17	0	0	103	23	47	66	0	0	73	130	0	0	48
0.31	0.11	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.07	0.02	0.03	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.05	0.09	0.00	0.00	0.03

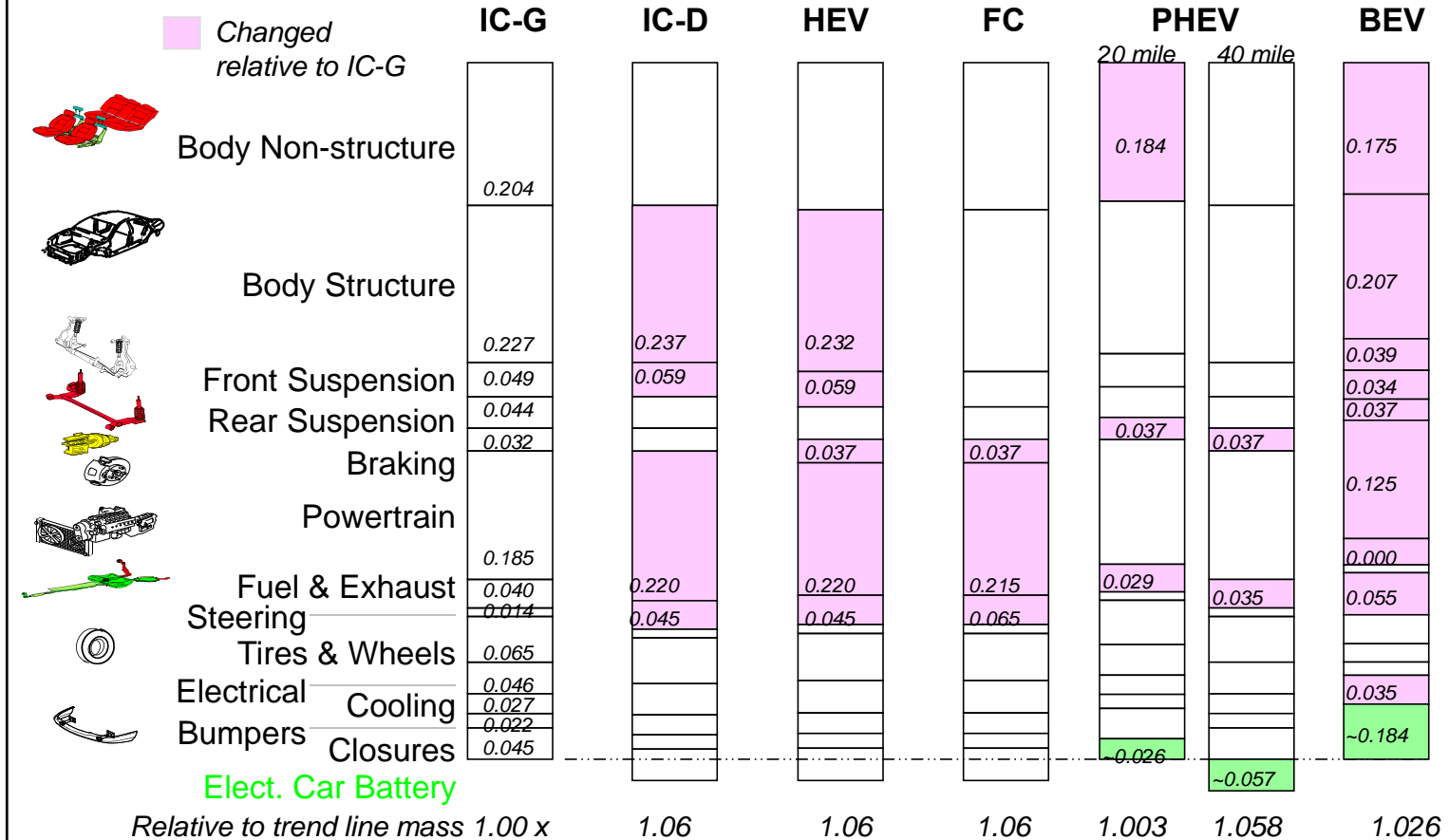
totals for groups-fraction

0.51	0.05	0.00	0.12
ferrous	Aluminum	Magnesium	Polymer

Subsystem Changes for Powertrain Technology



Mass Estimation Other powertrain types



Battery Sizing



Nissan Leaf Battery Module

Power required

$$P_{BATTERY} = 0.0623 A_F \cdot R \cdot M_{CURB}$$

$P_{BATTERY}$ = required battery power (Wh)

A_F = vehicle frontal area (m^2)

R = range with fully charged battery (km)

M_{CURB} = vehicle curb mass (kg)

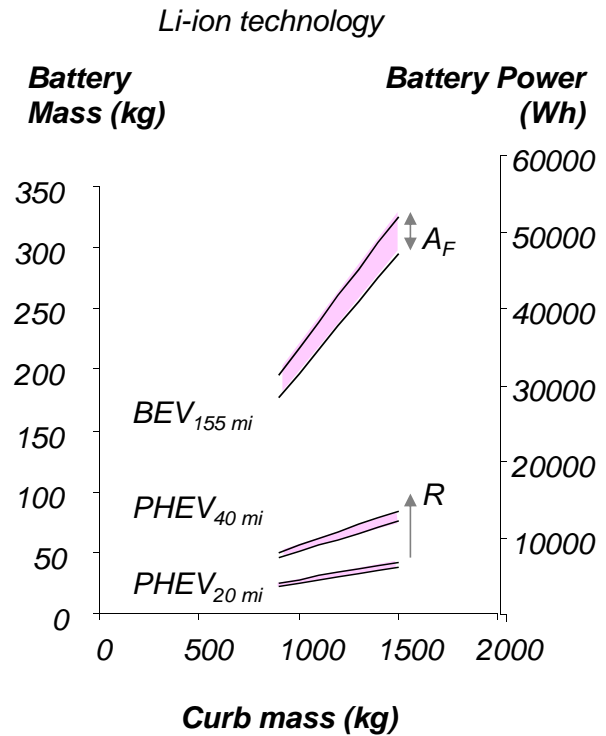
Battery Mass

$$m_{BATTERY} = \frac{P_{BATTERY}}{e_{DENSITY}}$$

$m_{BATTERY}$ = battery mass (kg)

$e_{DENSITY}$ = battery energy density (Wh/kg)

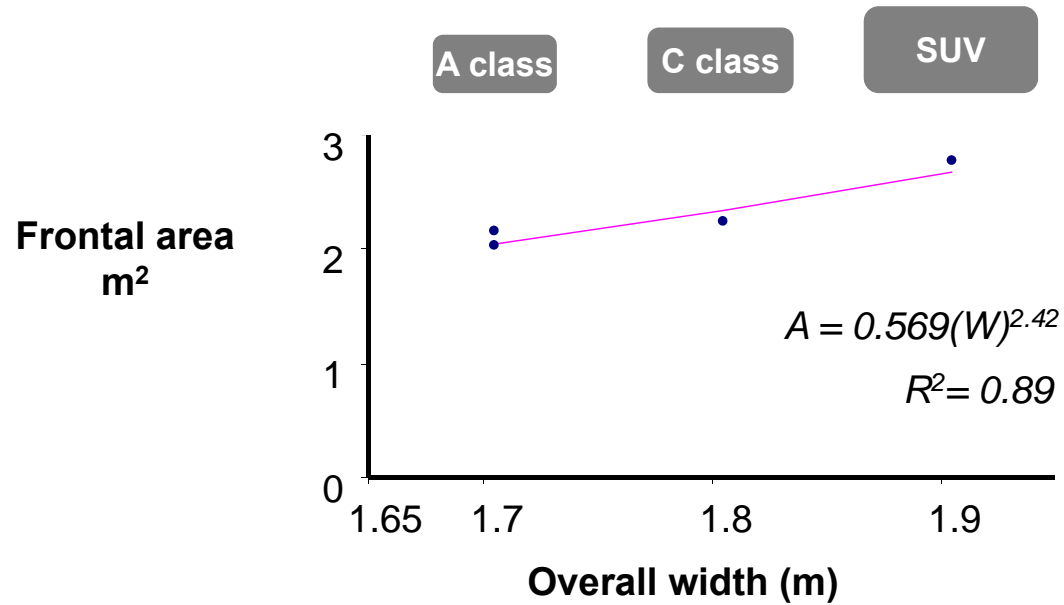
for Li-ion technology, $e_{DENSITY} = 155 \text{ Wh/kg}$



	Battery mass
BEV	20-22 % curb
PHEV ₄₀	5.1-5.6 %
PHEV ₂₀	2.5-2.8 %
	$2.03 \text{ m}^2 < A_F < 2.24 \text{ m}^2$

User Guide for Version 3 of the WorldAutoSteel Energy and GHG Model, Roland Geyer, WorldAutoSteel, 1/6/2011, page 24.

Frontal Area (battery sizing)



Mass Estimation Other powertrain types

Compact

$w=1731\text{ mm}$, $L=4308\text{ mm}$,

$A=7.46\text{ m}^2$

IC-G	1260 kg
IC-D	1350
HEV	1335
FCV	1335

Midsize

1827×4859

$A=8.88\text{ m}^2$

1640
1740
1752
1752

SUV

1907×4758

$A=9.14\text{ m}^2$

2195
2320
2345
2345

fka simulations

A class

1705×3820

$A=6.51\text{ m}^2$

PHEV ₂₀	1107
PHEV ₄₀	1268
BEV ₁₅₅	1097

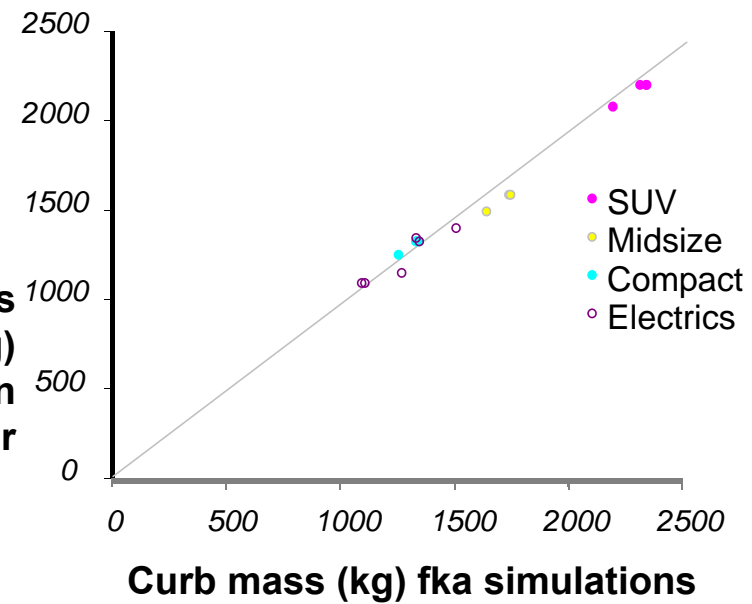
C class

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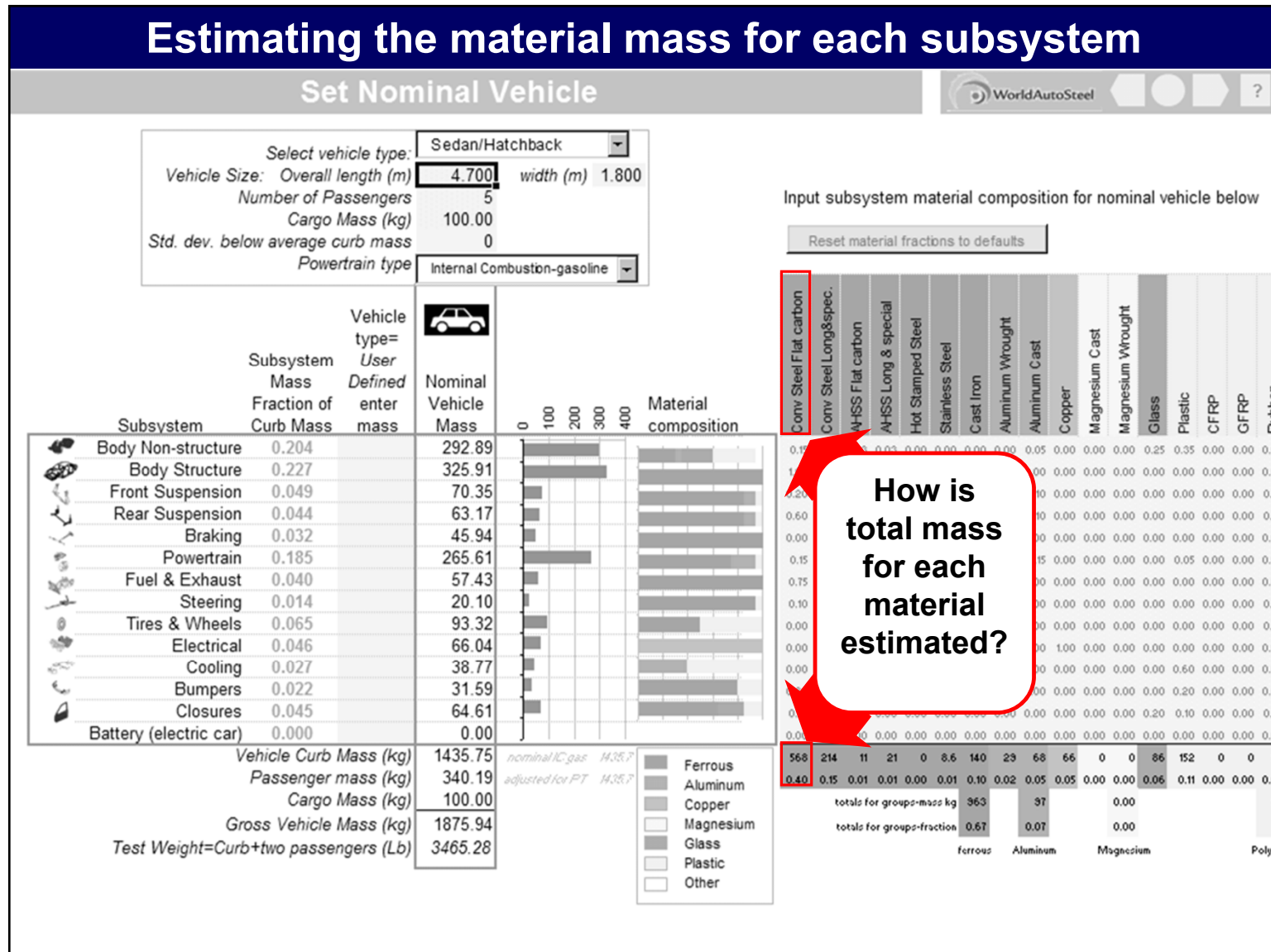
$A=7.85\text{ m}^2$

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1512
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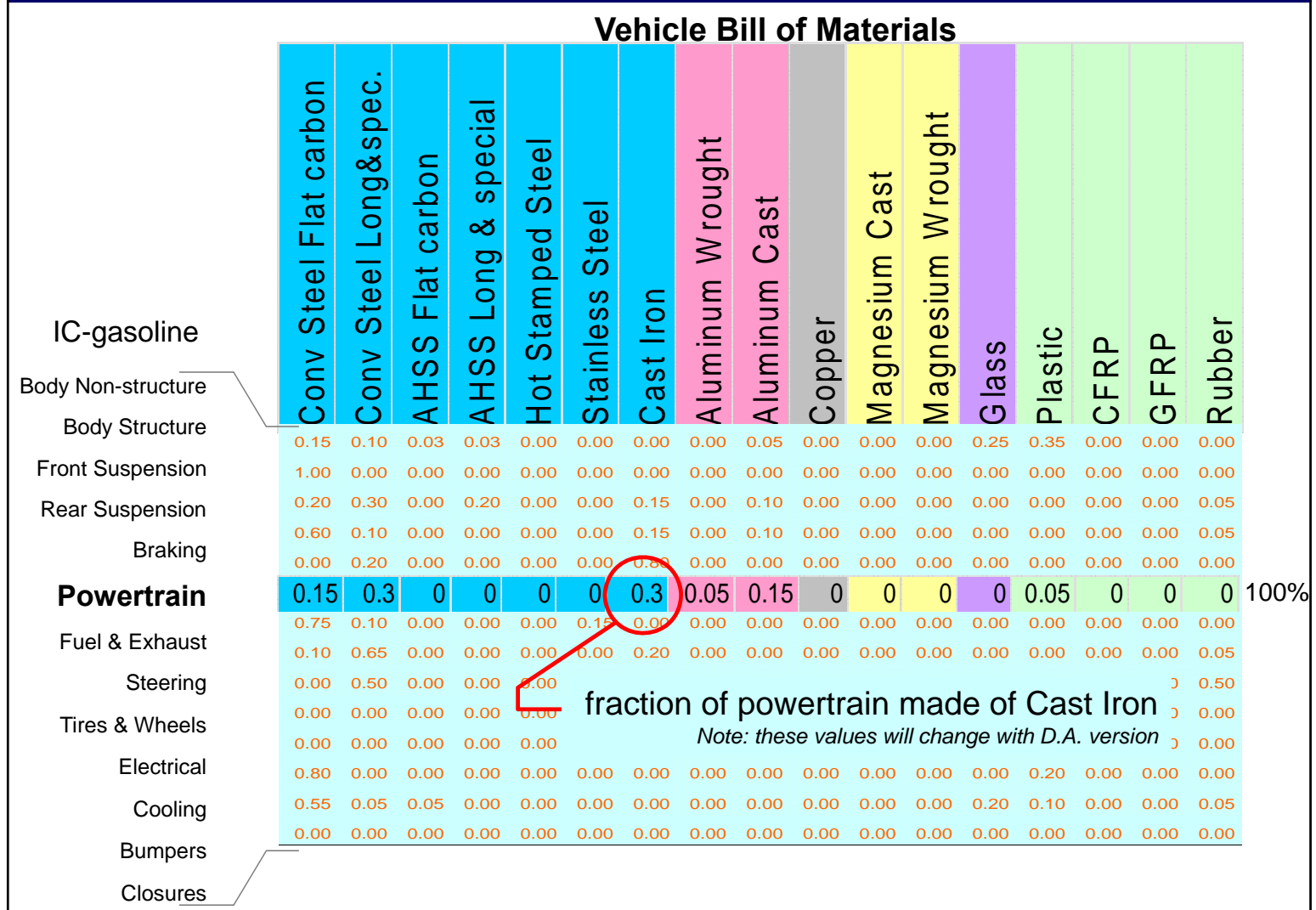
**Curb mass
(kg)
Design
Advisor**

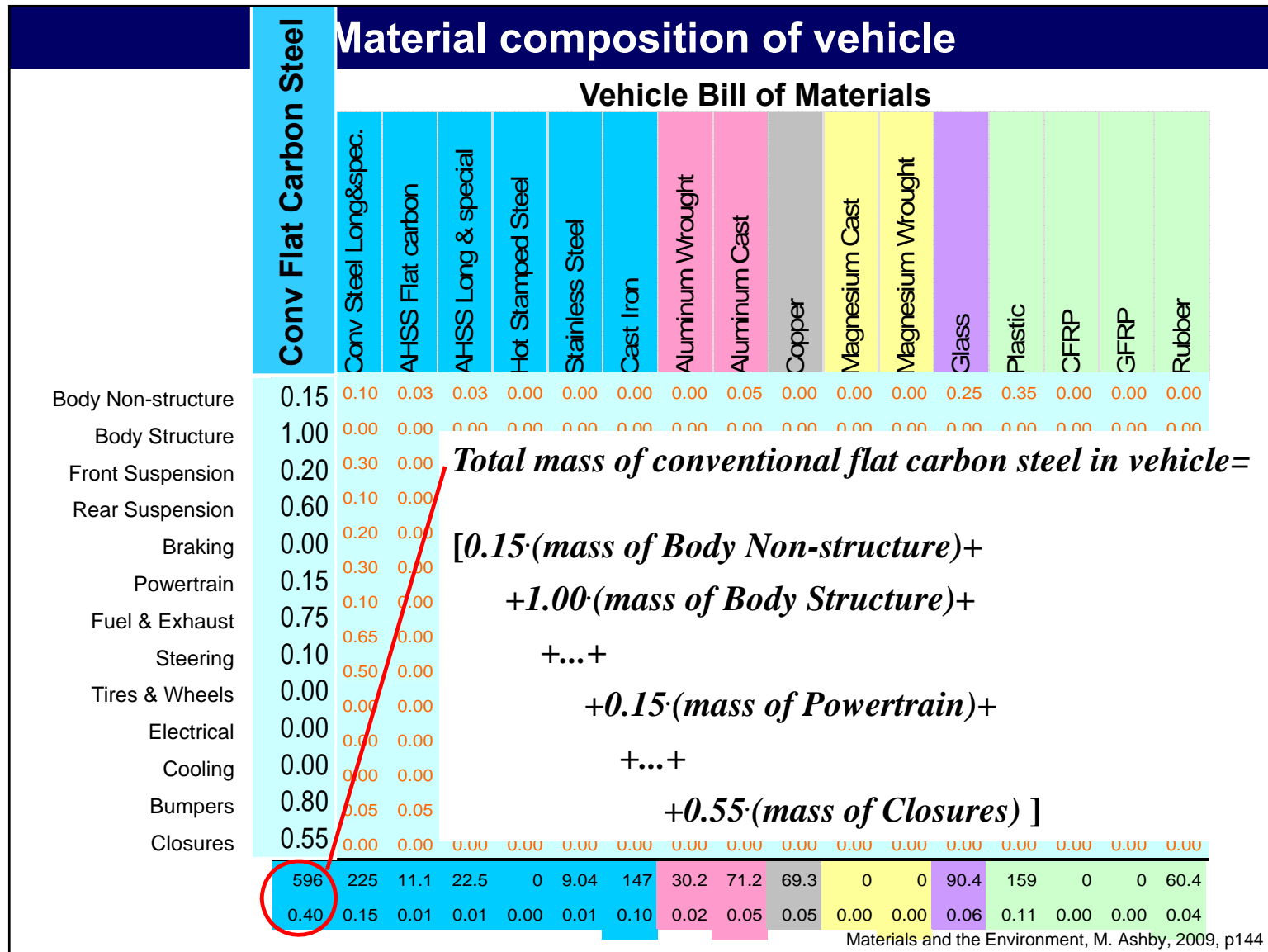


Estimating the material mass for each subsystem



Material composition of vehicle





Material composition of vehicle

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Other	0.02		other metals 0.27
Rubber	0.05		other non metallics 0.128
Plastic	0.11		0.09
Glass	0.06		0.013
Copper	0.020		0.013
Aluminum Cast	0.08	0.10	0.085
Aluminum Wrought	0.03	total Al	
Cast Iron	0.06	0.63	0.655
Stainless Steel	0.01	total Fe	
Hot Stamped	0.01		
AHSS Long & special	0.03		0.128
AHSS Flat	0.13		0.04
Conv Steel Long&spec.	0.15		0.16
Conv Steel Flat	0.24		0.25

Aluminum in 2012 North American Light Vehicles
Executive Summary, September 7, 2011, Ducker Worldwide

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The math

Vehicle Bill of Material and material mass

$$\bar{\alpha} = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_{11} & \alpha_{12} & \dots \\ \alpha_{21} & \dots & \dots \\ \dots & \dots & \alpha_{ij} \end{bmatrix}$$

where

α_{ij} = fraction of subsystem i composed of material j

Note that rows will sum to 1

$$\bar{m} = \begin{bmatrix} m_1 \\ \dots \\ m_i \end{bmatrix}$$

where

m_i = mass of subsystem i

Total mass of material j in vehicle

$$\bar{m} = \begin{bmatrix} m_1 \\ \dots \\ m_j \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} m_1 & \dots & m_i \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_{11} & \alpha_{12} & \dots \\ \alpha_{21} & \dots & \dots \\ \dots & \dots & \alpha_{ij} \end{bmatrix} = (\bar{m})^T (\bar{\alpha})$$

where

m_j = total mass of material j in vehicle

Case Study 1b Effect of vehicle size and powertrain selection on vehicle mass

Vehicle Parameters



2009
Toyota Venza
Cross over
5 passenger
100 kg cargo
OAL=4.8 m
OAW=1.9 m

I C-G

*Assessment of Mass Reduction
Opportunities for a 2017 – 2020
Model Year Vehicle Program,
Lotus Engineering*



2011
Honda Accord
Sedan/Hatchback
5 passenger
100 kg cargo
OAL=4.938 m
OAW=1.831 m

I C-G I C-D BEV

*Mass Reduction for Light-Duty
Vehicles for Model years 2017-
2025, Singh, H.*

Purpose: To see how vehicle size and powertrain selection will change vehicle curb mass and subsystem masses

Go to **Solution Map** and select **Define Nominal Vehicle**

1. Change vehicle dimensions to Toyota with IC-G

Note: Toyota Venza is a cross-over vehicle which is slightly heavier than a Sedan/hatchback due to towing requirements. Account for this by increasing estimated mass by one standard deviation above a nominal Sedan/hatchback

2a. Change vehicle dimensions to Honda (make use to set standard deviations back to zero)

2b. Change powertrain type

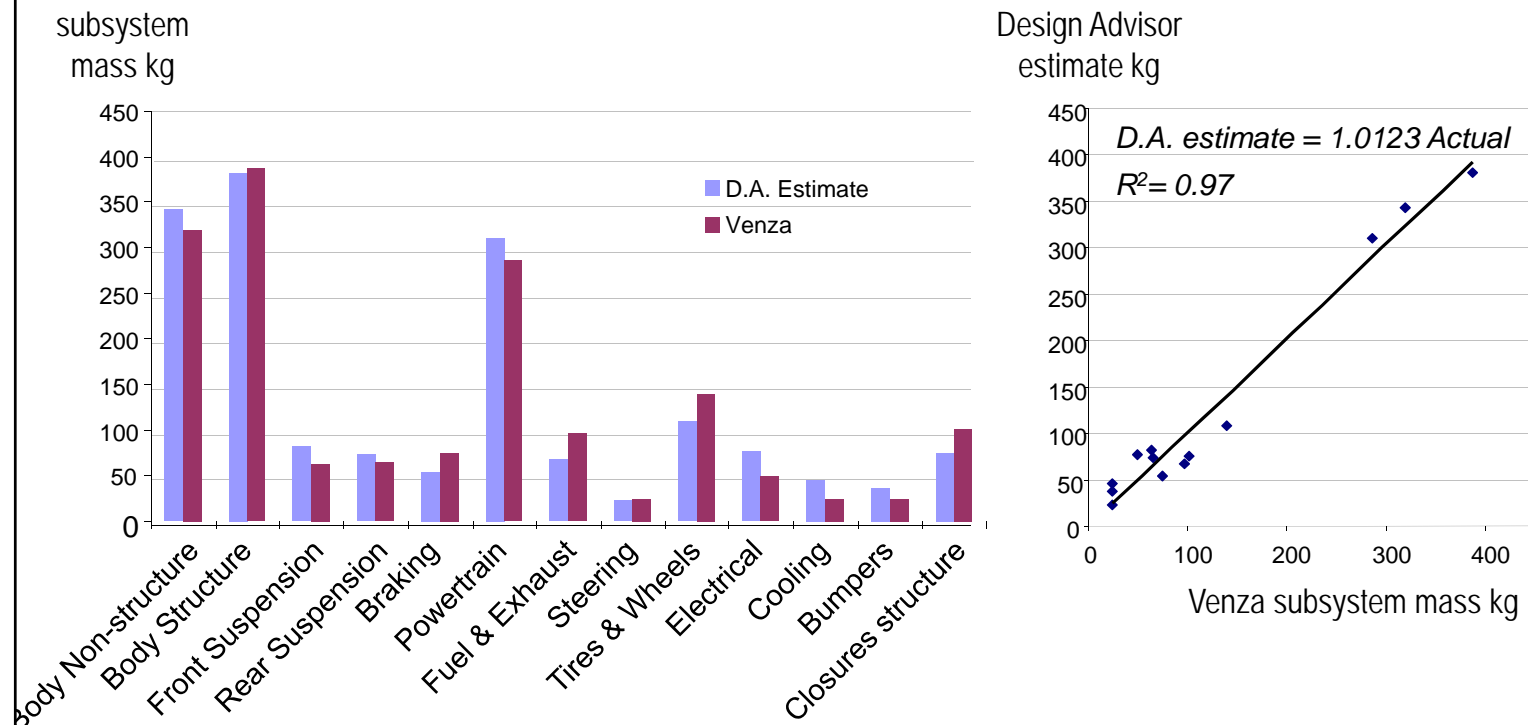
Vehicle	Powertrain type	Curb Mass	Powertrain mass	Body Structure mass	Ferrous content %/ (kg)
Toyota	IC-G	1679.76	310.76	381.3	62.7 / 1053
Honda	IC-G	1534.43	283.87	348.32	62.7 / 962
Honda	IC-D	1626.50	337.57	363.66	63.3 / 1030
Honda	BEV	1575.03	167.25	317.63	47.7 / 751

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Toyota Venza Mass Comparison

$$\text{CurbMass} : \frac{\text{Estimated}}{\text{Actual}} = \frac{1680\text{kg}}{1700\text{kg}} = 0.99$$

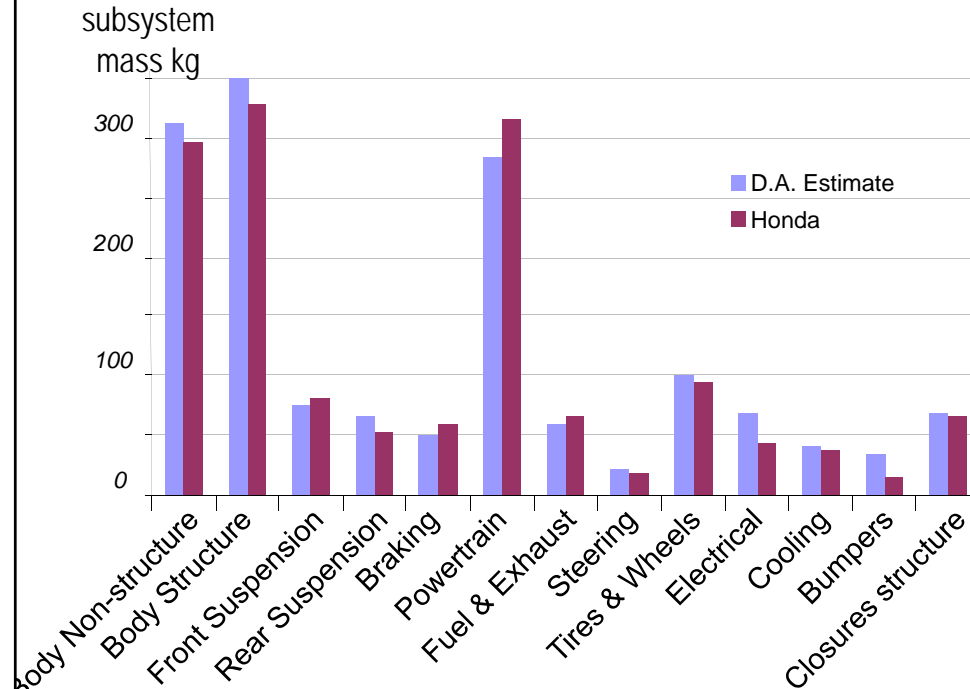


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Honda Accord Mass Comparison

$$\text{CurbMass} : \frac{\text{Estimated}}{\text{Actual}} = \frac{1534\text{kg}}{1480\text{kg}} = 1.036$$



Design Advisor
estimate kg

