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Soluciones que aportan los Materiales Compuestos

CALEFACCIÓN EFICIENTE EN VEHÍCULOS ELÉCTRICOS

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Challenge



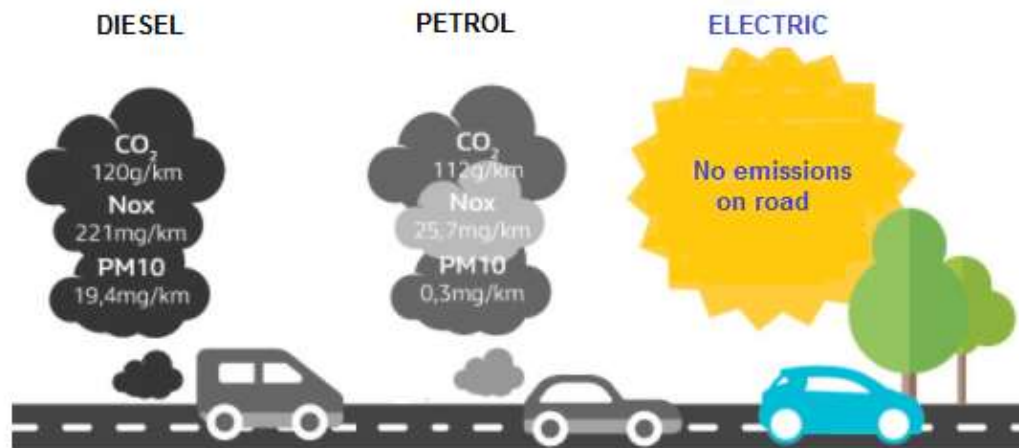
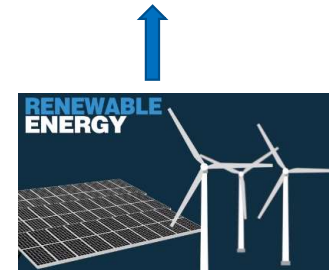
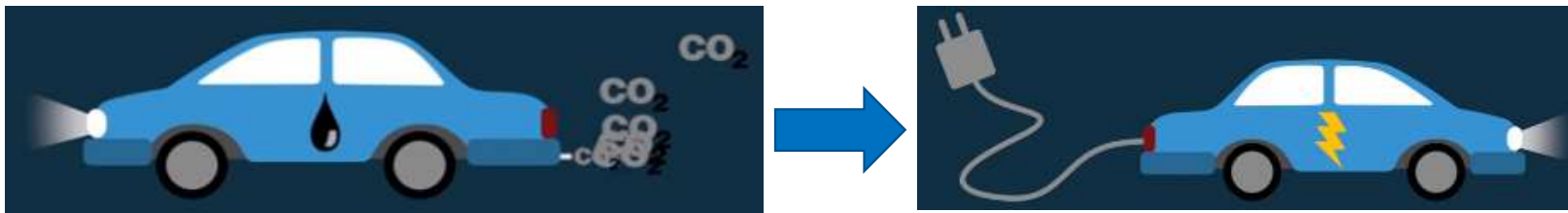




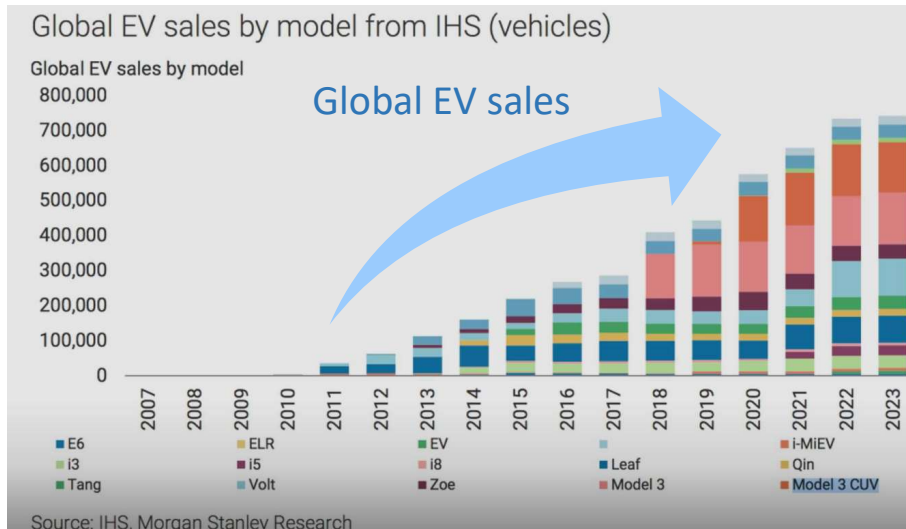
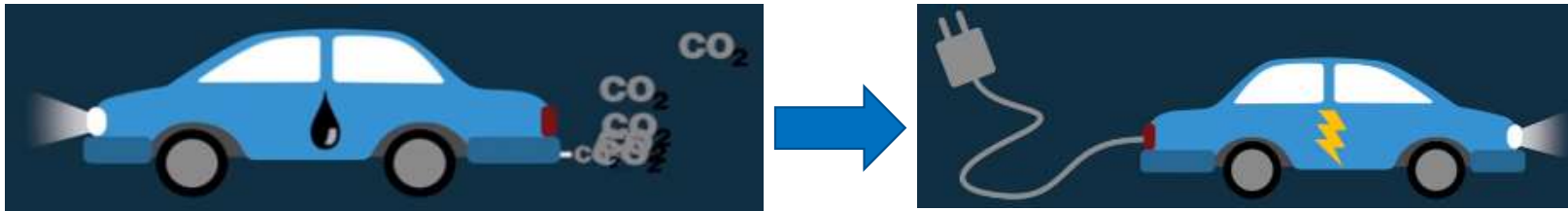
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Challenge



- ✓ Lower Price
- ✓ Improve charging systems
- ✓ Increase distance range

Challenge

Ways of **increasing distance range** of an electric vehicle:

Increase engine efficiency

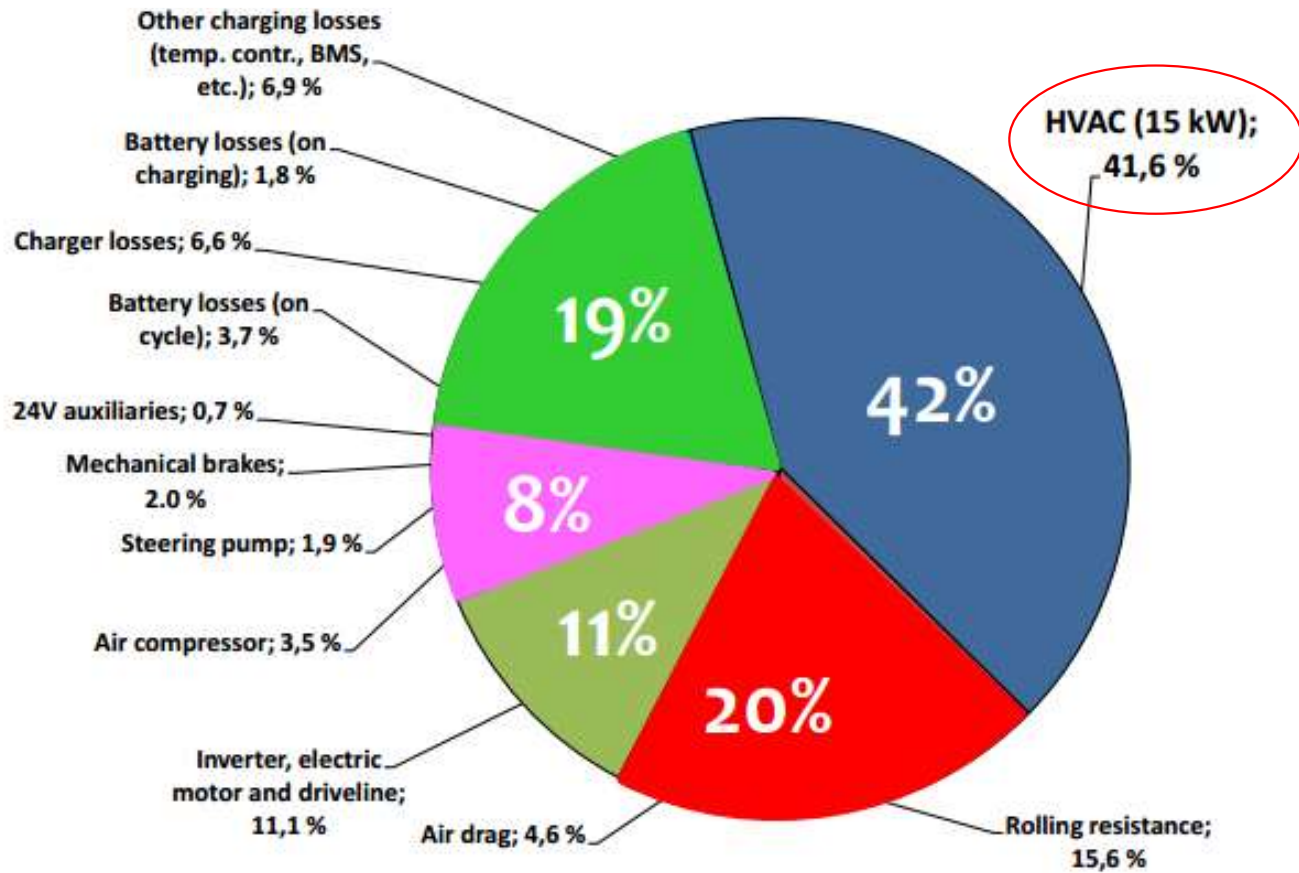
Reduce car weight

Improve battery efficiency

Improve energy consumption

Efficient Design

Challenge



Battery consumption

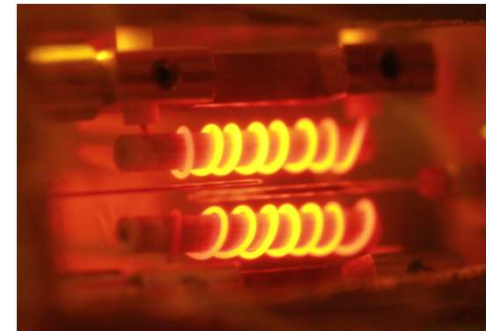
Innovative heating system

30% reduction

Resistive Heating as a possible solution

Concept

- * Develop a plastics capable of behaving like a semiconductor or a metal
- * The conductive polymer heats when an electric current is applied



Objective:

- making the plastic conductive by adding **conductive particles**
- improve **dispersion** on conductive particles to obtain high conductivity and an **homogeneous heating**

Concept

Two systems are developed:

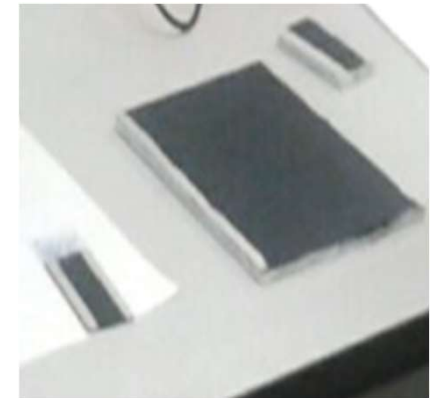
1) **Resistive heating panels:**

- Recyclable
- Fast and cheap production process



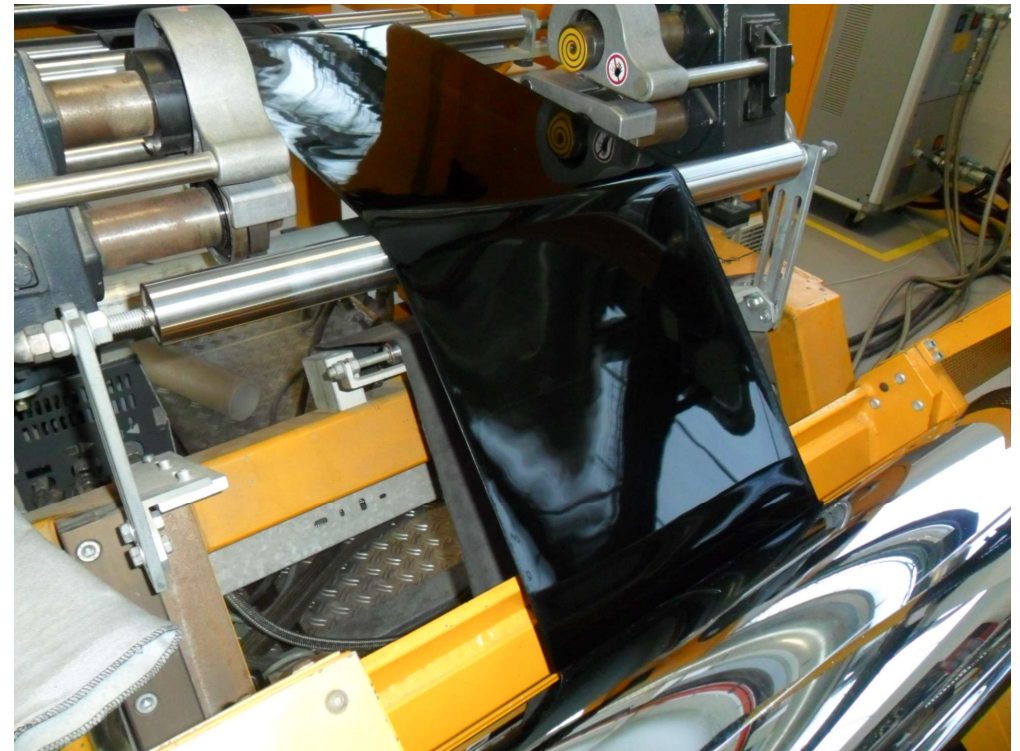
2) **Resistive coatings:**

- Flexibility
- Higher heating capacity



Thermoplastic conductive panels

- Uniform heating
- Upper service temperature of 70°C
- Customizable heating performance
varying plastic formulation, panel
geometry and applied voltage



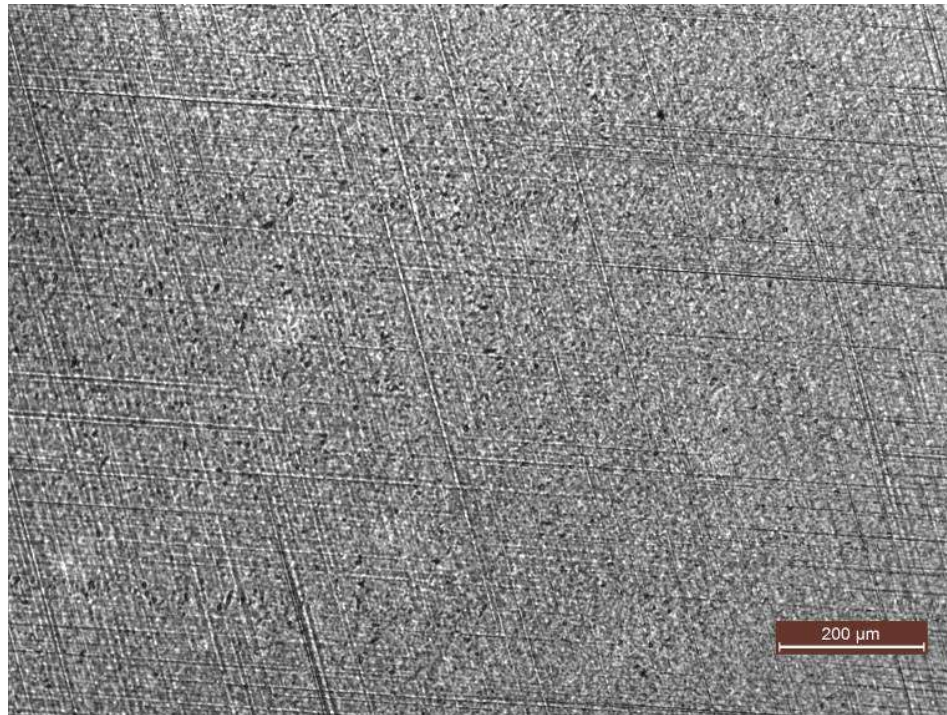
High electrical conductivity extruded sheet

Thermoplastic conductive panels

Why uniform heating?

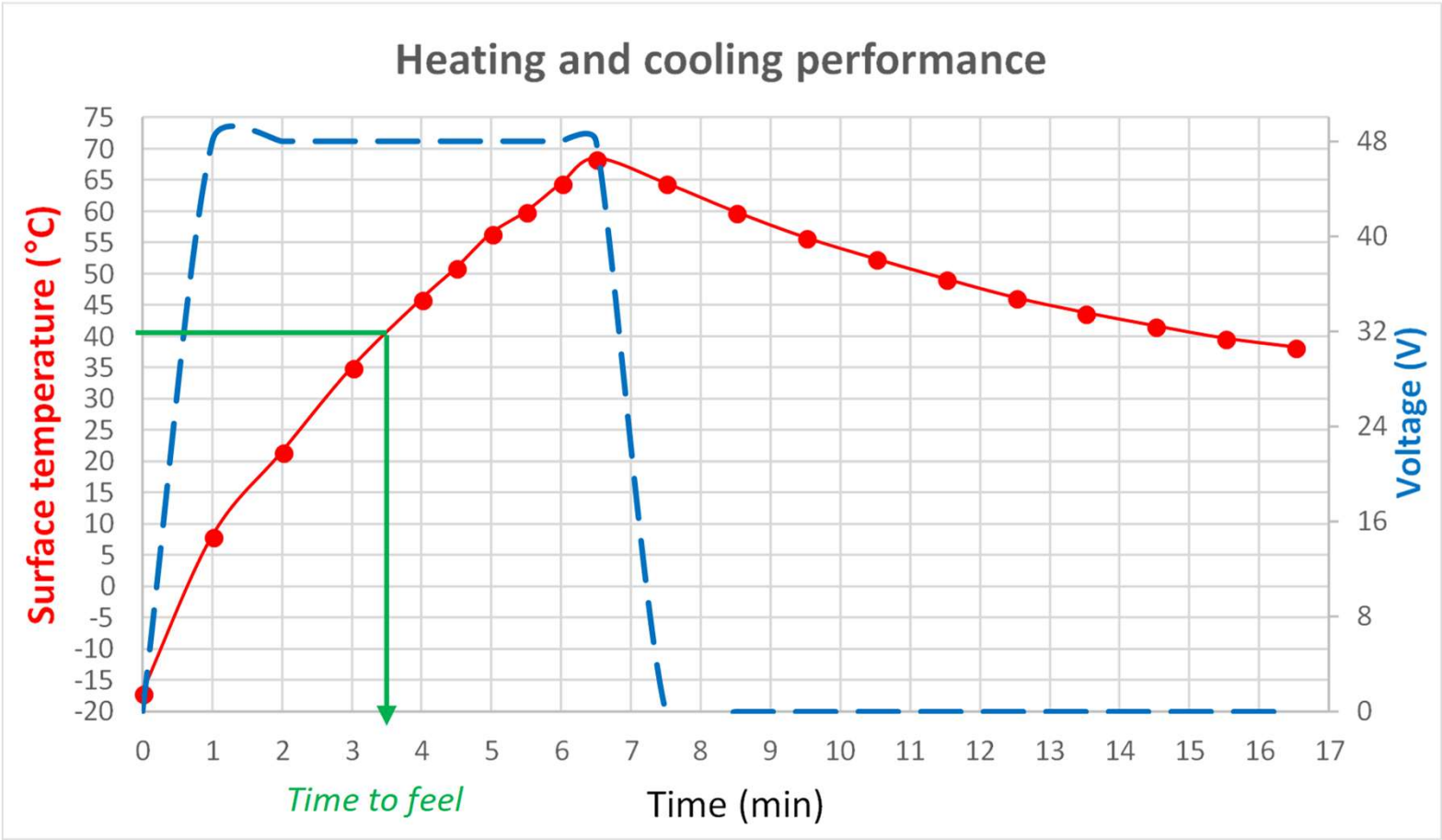


*Optimized nanoparticles dispersion
via melt compounding*



Thermoplastic conductive panels

Patent pending



Thermoplastic conductive panels

	Panel geometry	Maximum Voltage (48V)
		Fast heating
Maximum Power (W)	(350 x 250 x 2) mm	120*
	(15 x 15 x 1) mm	20

*40W/h to keep temp at 25°C

Thermoplastic conductive panels

Heating homogeneity



Prototypes

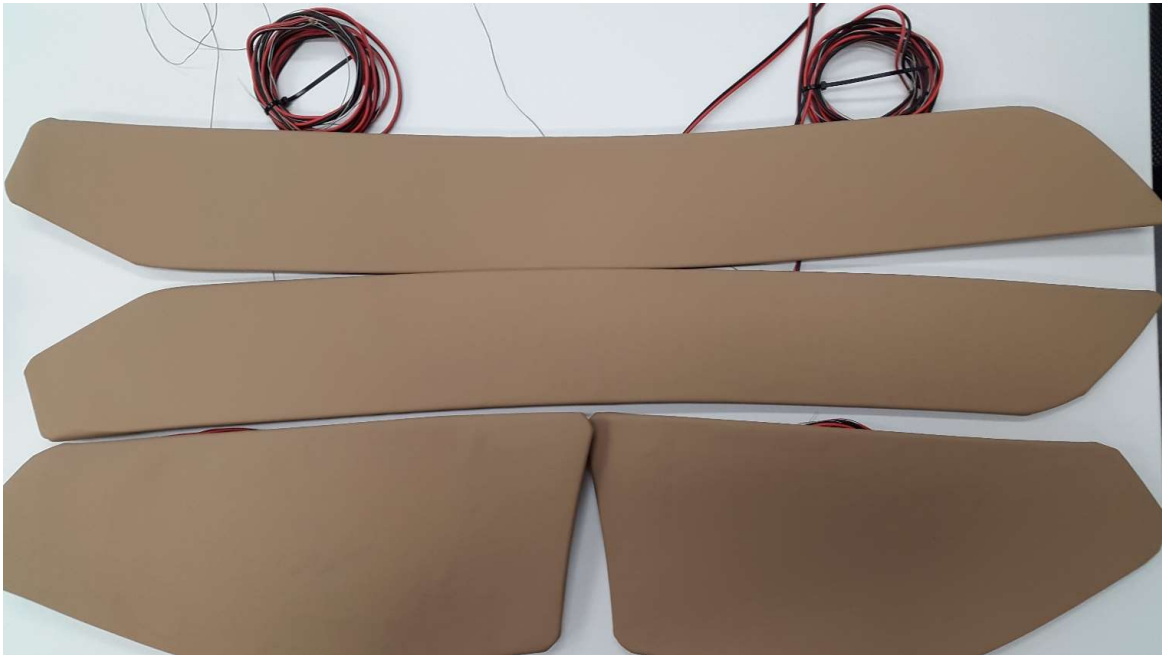
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Heating coatings

- Alkè design:
 - Roof heating panels of 250x200mm (visible)
 - Floor heating panels of 250x200mm (hidden)



Total power consumption of currently developed Joule heating systems is:

Heating Element	Power [Watts]
Door panels (4 rigid heating sheets)	126,3
Heating Floor (3 sections)	151,5
Heating Roof (2 sections)	90,4
Arm Rest	99,3
Frontal Panel	153
Heated Fresh Air	150
Total	770,5

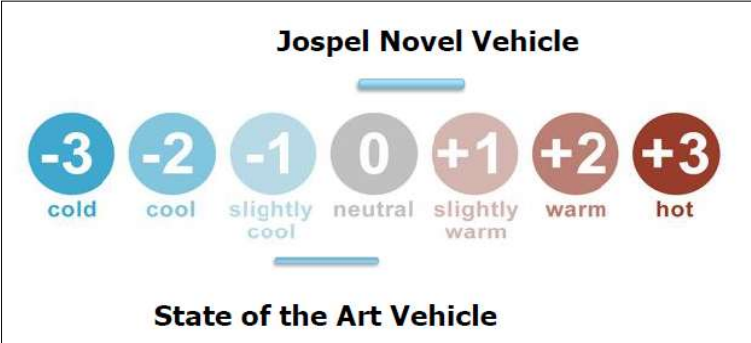
	State of Art (W)	JOSPEL (W)
Power consumption	1150	770,5

30% energy consumption

Thermal comfort evaluation:



Climatic chamber to evaluate thermal comfort



Conclusions

- A novel and innovative heating system based on Joule effect has been developed.
- Thermoplastic heating panels and thermoset coatings fulfil automotive requirements and can be applied in different vehicle surfaces.
- Important reduction of energy consumption of HVAC systems (in comparison with current PTC heaters) has been achieved.
- Improved thermal comfort



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