



## BENCHMARK DEPOSITORY OF 2NDLIFE PRONE LIB & ACCEPTANCE CRITERIA AND GUIDELINES

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# Watt4Ever SRL



- Management of end-oflife EV batteries
- Building of new battery stationary systems

Founded in 2020 #Team: 10 Based in: Belgium Offices: Beringen and Brussels

#### Team



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# **Dismantling Challenges**



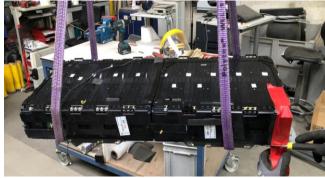
#### 4-3. Remove Module (2)



















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## PARAMETER IDENTIFICATION

#### Table 1. 1<sup>st</sup> life identification section

Туре	Make	Model	Model Year
PHEV	FORD	KUGA	2019
BEV	PORSCHE	TAYCAN	2020

#### Table 2. Pack Level section

Physical properties				Nameplate specifications					
Weight	Length	Width	Height	Nominal voltage	Nominal energy content	Nominal capacity	Cooling Type	# <u>modules</u>	Module configuration
530	2830	1772	127	375	80	15	Liquid	30	15s2p
213	1200	1723	143	350	14	3	Forced Air	7	7s1p

#### Table 3. Module level section

Physical properties								<u>tro mechanical</u> prop	tro mechanical properties		
Weight	Length	Width	Height	# cells	Cell config.	Casing	CMU	Communication protocol	Busbar connector		
12	35	15	11	12	12s1p	Open top	External multi module	CAN	M6		
13	39	15	11	444	6s2p	Alu jacket	Internal	CAN	M6		



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#### Table 4. Module level section

Nameplate specifications							
Nominal voltage	Nominal energy	Nominal capacity	Cooling type				
44	2.05	108	Heatsink				
22	2.86	240	Heatsink				

#### Table 5. Cell level section

Physical properties						Chemical p	properties	
Weight	Length	Width	Height	Cell shape	Diameter	Cathode	Anode	Ratio
914	30	80	123	Prismatic	-	External multi module	CAN	-

#### Table 6. Cell level section

Nameplate specifications						
Nominal voltage Nominal capacity						
3.75	21					

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# **CRITERIA SELECTION**

Criteria for LV 48V system

- Casing- Open top or Alu Jacket
- **Size**: 350\*150\*120 mm ± 100 mm on all axis
- CMU: External multimodule, external single module or internal and all can be reused if OEM CMU unit communications gateway is possible.
- Cell amount: 3s-12s
- Voltage: 10V-30V
- Chemistry: NMC or LFP.





#### Criteria for HV system

- **Size**: >350\*150\*120 mm ± 100 mm on all axis
- Cell amount: 12s-30s
- Voltage: 40V-100V





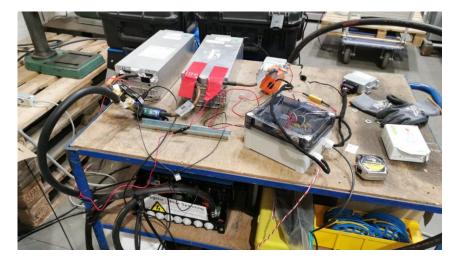


# **Testing and Evaluation Challenges**



LG CHEM 12kWh/36S/150V 70KG . How to test it? Voltage check, resistance check? Custom CMU needed, OEM CMU is locked Then HV Cycler needed to cycle.

Reuse-HV or LV systems if manual reconfiguration can be done...



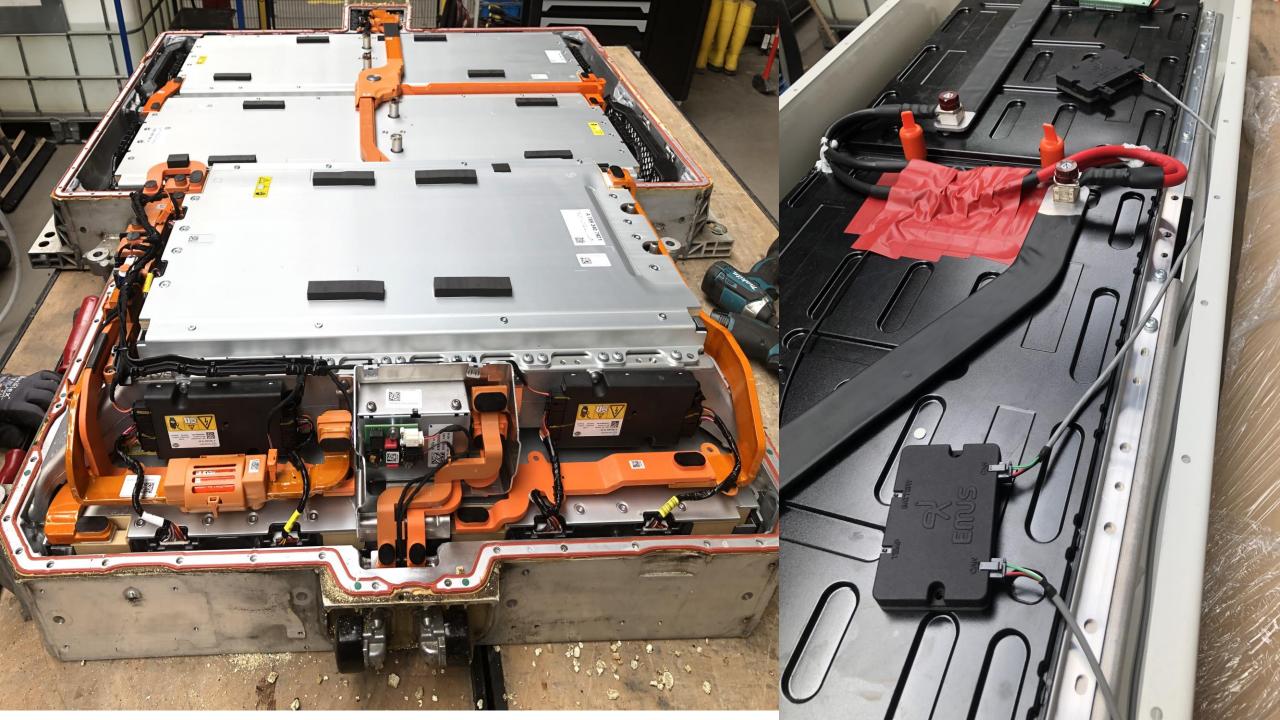
LG CHEM 2.86 kWh/6S/24V 12KG . Voltage check, resistance check?

Internal CMU, OEM BMS is locked 3rd part BMS needed, build a system around it and cycle with LV inverter

Reuse- HV or LV systems







# Watt4Ever Systems

Battery modules coming from reused EV batteries + Battery Energy Storage Solutions for businesses (BESS)

- EV battery modules → stationary, e-mobility
- Plug & play stationary BESS's → balance the
  electricity system, store (cheap) energy to consume
  when prices are higher, avoid consumption peaks,
  or provide backup energy in case of blackout.









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## CONTINUITY OF WORK

Partners have used different data sources to put in necessary makes, models and parameters on different level, thus, there is a lack of data consistency as some of the parameters are left blank, project partners agree to do their best to acquire information to fill the missing information. Database is kept updated till 2025.

## CONCLUSIONS

Based on the DB, a Benchmark depository was obtained, giving an overview of the most relevant parameters for 2<sup>nd</sup> Life. The most important parameters as module size, capacity, cell amount, CMU and power terminals were selected. Researched have tried to gather as much data as possible, but for some entries in the Module and Cell parameter level no publicly available information was found to fill. Yet database provides insights on Pack – Module - Cell level sizing, capacities and chemistries for dismantling optimization, while also providing necessary information for second life integration.







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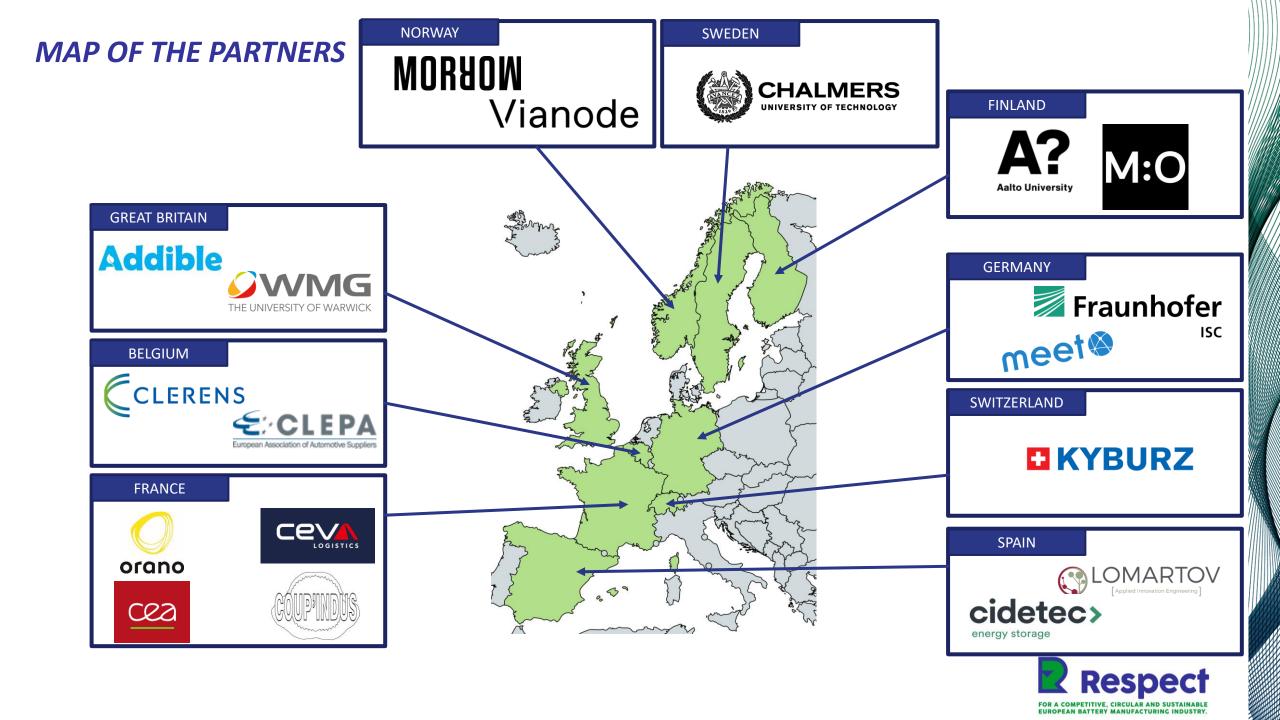


### **RESPECT NUMBERS AND FIGURES**

European Climate, Infrastructure and Environment Executive Agency Project number: 101069865







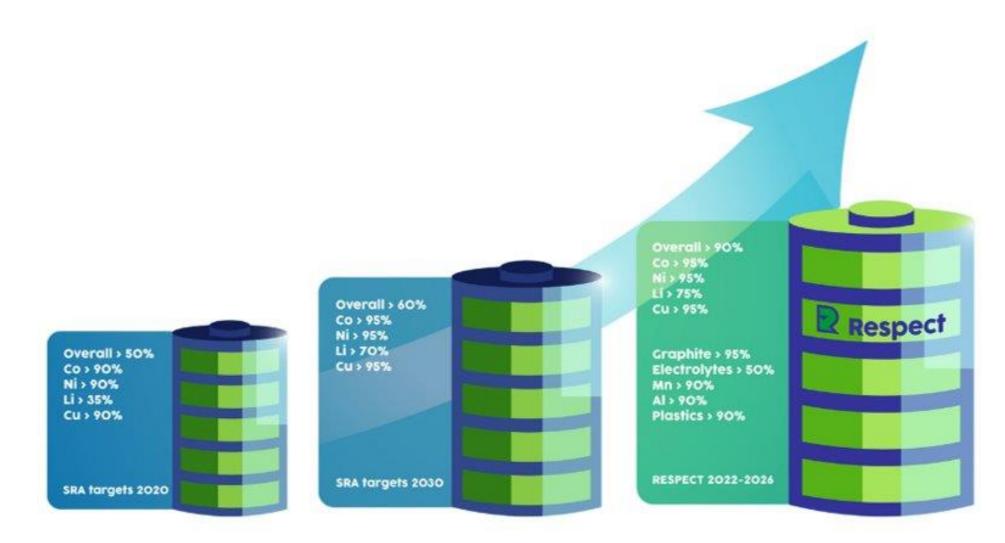
### **RESPECT OVERVIEW**

RESPECT's aim is to achieve efficient, sustainable, innovative and safe battery recycling processes in the EU encompassing new processes capable of achieving > 90% wt recovery rate/efficiency and supporting Li-ion battery manufacturing in Europe.



#### **RESPECT OVERVIEW**

#### **KPI Recycling efficiency Li-ion batteries**





## Some Innovative points of the RESPECT project

	Work package		Main innovative points				
1	Battery supply and deactivation	Treatment of modules with variable charge	Treatment of damaged modules	No thermal treatement or inert gas	Reusable reagents for discharge		
2	Pre treatment for material concentration	Battery cutting and electrodes air ejection	Extraction of casing without mixing	Concentrated active mass purified from graphite	All materials are recoverable		
4-	Direct recycling and active material synthesis	Cathode recovery without destruction	Less reagents needs	Less effluents quantity	Less steps to obtain CAM		
					<b>R</b> espect		

FOR A COMPETITIVE, CIRCULAR AND SUSTAINABLE EUROPEAN BATTERY MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY. The RESPECT consortium partners appreciate the collaboration with the EU-funded projects under the Cluster Hub!

## **Potential Topics for Collaboration:**

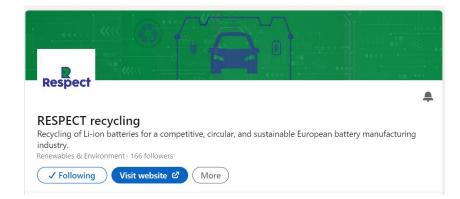
- Battery Passport
- Logistic aspects and transportation
- A Separation and treatment for graphite and other battery materials
- C Life cycle sustainability assessment of End of Life (EoL)
- batteries





## Social Media of the RESPECT project

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