

# FORMULA STUDENT INSPECTION SHEET

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UNIVERSITY:	Metropolis TU
VEHICLE NUMBER:	696
INSPECTION ORDER:	X01
SES PASSED:	✓
IADR PASSED:	✓
-	-
ESF PASSED:	-
TS VOLTAGE:	600 V
BODY PROTECTION R:	15 kΩ

Present the vehicle for inspection in the following order:

- Pre-Inspection  
Accumulator Inspection\* Mon 04:00-05:45  
1. Electrical Inspection\* Mon 06:00-07:30  
Mechanical Inspection\* Mon 08:00-09:15  
Driver Egress Mon 09:30-10:00  
2. Tilt Test\*  
3. Rain Test\*  
4. Brake Test\*

\* the vehicle is marked with a sticker if this part has been passed successfully.

## Used Symbols:

- Information
- ▶ Action
- △ Check in responsibility of the team
- Check
- ◉ Check optional, if inspection at FSCH is passed

## NOTES:

- This form must stay with the vehicle at all times!
- Technical inspection approval voids if inspection sheet is lost.
- If there is a conflict between this form and the rules, the rules prevail.

## PART I: COMMENTS FROM DOCUMENT REVIEW

### ACCUMULATOR

- Accu Ok

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### ELECTRICAL

- ESF to be checked

### MECHANICAL

- Mech Ok

- SES to be checked

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## PART II: PRE-INSPECTION

### TIS STATUS UPDATE

▶ Set online TIS status to *Present*

### TIRES

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 1 <input type="radio"/> <b>DRY TIRES</b> - Make:<br>_____     | 4 <input type="radio"/> <b>RAIN TIRES</b> - Make:<br>_____                                      |
| 2 <input type="radio"/> <b>DRY TIRES</b> - Size:<br>_____     | 5 <input type="radio"/> <b>RAIN TIRES</b> - Size:<br>_____                                      |
| 3 <input type="radio"/> <b>DRY TIRES</b> - Compound:<br>_____ | 6 <input type="radio"/> <b>RAIN TIRES</b> - Compound:<br>_____                                  |
|   | 7 <input type="radio"/> <b>RAIN TIRES</b> - 2,4 mm min. tread depth molded by tire manufacturer |

### DRIVER GEAR & SAFETY

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| 8 <input type="radio"/> <b>FIRE EXTINGUISHERS</b> - Two (2) hand-held, 0.9 kg (2 lb.) minimum, dry chemical (10BC, 1A10BC, 34B, 5A 34B, 20BE or 1A 10BE), with pressure/charge gauge, Aqueous Film Forming Foam (AFFF) fire extinguishers are prohibited, 1 WITH VEHICLE securely installed on push-bar, 1 in paddock. (Must see BOTH at inspection.). | or newer.SFI 31.1/2010, 31.1/2015, 31.1/2020, 41.1/2010, 41.1/2015, 41.1/2020 or newer FIA 8860-2010, FIA 8860-2018, FIA 8859-2015 (with SA 2015), FIA 8858-2010 (with SA(H) 2010) or newer. Closed Face, no Open Face, must have integrated shield (no dirtbike helmets). No camera mounts. |
| 9 <input type="radio"/> <b>UNDERWEAR</b> - Nomex or equivalent, fire resistant underwear (no cotton, no polyester, no bare skin). No holes.  | 14 <input type="radio"/> <b>DRIVER SUITS</b> - Single piece SFI 3.2A/5 (or higher), SFI 3.4/5 (or higher), FIA 8856-2000/2018 (or higher), and LABELED AS SUCH. No holes.  |
| 10 <input type="radio"/> <b>SOCKS</b> - Nomex or equivalent, fire resistant socks (no cotton, no polyester, no bare skin). No holes.   | 15 <input type="radio"/> <b>HAIR COVER</b> - Fire resistant (Nomex or equiv.) balaclava of full helmet skirt REQUIRED FOR ALL DRIVERS. No holes.   |
| 11 <input type="radio"/> <b>GLOVES</b> - Fire resistant material. Leather allowed only over fire resistant material. No holes.   | 16 <input type="radio"/> <b>SHOES</b> - SFI 3.3 or FIA 8856-2000/2018  |
| 12 <input type="radio"/> <b>ARM RESTRAINTS</b> - SFI Standard 3.3 or equivalent.   | 17 <input type="radio"/> <b>SEWING OR STITCHING</b> - Teams must show compliance to T13.3 if driver's clothing is embroidered. Fire resistant material must be used, examples: Carbon X, Indura, Nomex, Polybenzimidazole (PBI) and Proban.  |
| 13 <input type="radio"/> <b>HELMETS</b> - Snell K2010, K2015, K2020, M2010, M2015, M2020, SA2010, SAH2010, SA2015, SA2020, EA2016  |  |

### TIS STATUS UPDATE

▶ Set online TIS status to *Passed* or *Failed*

### NON-COMPLIANCE / COMMENTS

### APPROVAL

Inspector Names	Date, Time	Signatures when passed
1. _____ / _____	_____	_____

## PART III: EGRESS TEST

### DRIVER POSITION

- 18  **ARM RESTRAINTS**- Must be installed so the driver can release them and exit unassisted regardless of vehicle's position.
- 19  **HEAD RESTRAINT**- Near vertical. Max. 25 mm from helmet. Helmet contact point 50 mm min. from any edge.
- 20  **MAIN HOOP & FRONT HOOP HEIGHTS** - Helmet of driver to be 50 mm below line between top of front and main roll hoop AND between top of main hoop to rear attachment point of main hoop bracing.
- 21  **LAP BELT MOUNTING** - Must pass over pelvic area between 45 - 65 deg. to horizontal for upright driver, 60-80 deg. for reclined. The lap belts must not be routed over the sides of the seat.
- 22  **SHOULDER HARNESS MOUNTING** - Angle from shoulder between 10 deg. up and 20 deg. down to horizontal.

### DRIVER EGRESS TEST

- All drivers must be able to exit the vehicle in less than 5s.
- Driver must be seated in ready to race condition.

### EGRESS PROCEDURE

- ▶ Both hands on the steering wheel. (in all possible steering positions)
- ▶ Pressing cockpit-mounted shutdown button.
- The egress time will stop when the driver has both feet on the ground

### DRIVER APPROVAL & RUN DOCUMENTATION

Driver's Name	Wristband ID	Signature Inspector - when passed	Acc	Skid Pad	AutoX	Endurance
1. _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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## PART IV: ACCUMULATOR INSPECTION

The time limit for this part of the inspection is 105 minutes. Continuation of the inspection is possible after requeueing. During technical inspection all work carried out on the accumulator must be approved by a technical inspector.

### TIS STATUS UPDATE

- ▶ Set online TIS status to *Present*

### COMMENTS

- ▶ Check comments from first page

### REQUIRED RESSOURCES

- 23  An ESO must attend.
  - All accumulator containers to be used during the event.
  - Accumulator Container Hand Cart.
  - Charger.
  - Tools needed for (dis-)assembly of Accumulator Container.
  - PDF or print-out of rule questions, if necessary.
  - Pictures of accumulator internals, if necessary.
  - Datasheets for used wiring, insulation materials, and TS components. (printed or properly sorted on one laptop, not on a cell phone)
- Samples of all wire types used inside the accumulator container.
- Samples of all used accumulator container material.
- Fully assembled spare boards of all inaccessible TS boards inside the accumulator
- Laptop and cables to display data of the AMS

### SAFETY BRIEFING

- no jewellery, no rings
- no cell phone
- no batch / no necklace
- no sources of distraction
- do not wear synthetic clothes
- wear safety glasses
- wear safety gloves

### BASIC SET OF HV-PROOF TOOLS

- 24  Insulated cable shear.
- 25  Insulated screw driver.
- 26  Insulated spanners (n/a if no screwed connections in TS).
- 27  Multimeter with protected probe tips
- 28  two 4mm banana plug test leads (1000V CAT III)

### SAFETY EQUIPMENT

- 29  Face shield.
- 30  Safety glasses (minimum three).
- 31  HV insulating gloves (minimum two pairs).
- 32  HV insulating blankets (two) (min  $1 m^2$ ) with label or serial number and datasheet.

### SELF DEVELOPED PCBs

- ▶ Ask for fully assembled spare PCB of self developed PCBs inside accumulator container.
- 33  Sufficient spacing regarding system voltage and implementation.
- 34  Sufficient insulation and temperature rating of coating if used, datasheet available.
- 35  Coating process according to datasheet

### CHARGER ASSEMBLY

- 36  Completely closed. Check opening in HV/TS enclosures, try to reach HV/TS potentials with insulated test probe (100 mm length, 6 mm diameter).
- 37  Interlock integrated.
- 38  TSMP integrated
- 39  Emergency shutdown button integrated.
- 40  Emergency shutdown button  $\geq 24$  mm diameter.
- 41  TS wiring is orange, marked with gauge, temperature rating  $>85^\circ C$  and voltage rating.
- 42  Conductive parts of charging equipment and accumulator are connected to protective earth (PE) while charging. Mind new groundign rules, see EV 3.1
- 43  Switches, plugs and indicators must be labeled.

### DIS-CHARGE CIRCUIT AND BODY PROTECTION RESISTORS

- ▶ Switch off Charger. Measure resistance between TS+ and TS-measuring points.
- 44  Resistance is  $30 k\Omega^1$  + discharge resistor
- 45  Body protection resistor power rating is  $>6.0 W^2$

<sup>1</sup> 2 x Body Protection Resistor (BPR)

<sup>2</sup> sufficient to short circuit TS+ and TS-

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## INSULATION MEASUREMENT TEST

- ▶ Check low resistance connection between LV ground MP and PE/casing
- ▶ Choose test voltage to 500 V.<sup>3</sup>
- ▶ Connect insulation tester to charger TS+ and LV ground.
- ▶ Connect charger (do not activate charger) to accumulator, keep AIRs opened.
- ▶ Measure resistance:  $R_{iso+} =$  k $\Omega$
- 46  Resistance is much higher than 315 k $\Omega$ <sup>4</sup>.
- ▶ Connect insulation tester to TS- and LV ground.
- ▶ Measure resistance:  $R_{iso-} =$  k $\Omega$
- 47  Resistance is much higher than 315 k $\Omega$ <sup>4</sup>.
- 48  Resistances are nearly equal.
- ▶ Open container housing, remove maintenance plugs.
- ▶ Check if no voltage is present.

## ASSEMBLY

- 49  All components and parts of the accumulator container need to be properly fixed.
- 50  All used fasteners must be secured by the use of positive locking except they are non-conductive and non-structural.
- 51  TS potentials are insulated against inner wall of accumulator container if container made from conductive material.
- 52  Tabs of pouch cells must not carry mechanical loads.
- 53  No cells are damaged or can be damaged by the segment structures.
- 54  No soldering in high current path
- 55  Every container contains at least one appropriately sized and rated fuse.
  - ▶ Check datasheet of fuse, main wire and cells and compare to ESF.
- 56  Every container contains at least two appropriately sized and rated isolation relays (current and voltage).
- 57  Isolation relays and fuses are separated from cells by barrier according UL94-V0 or equivalent.
- 58  Pre-charge relay is of mechanical type with appropriate voltage rating.
  - ▶ Check datasheet of pre-charge relay and compare to ESF
- 59  Maintenance plugs are located at both poles of each stack (including first and last stack).
- 60  Maintenance plugs removable without tools.
- 61  Maintenance plugs have positive locking mechanism.
- 62  Maintenance plugs must not be able to unintentionally create circuits or short circuits.
- 63  Stacks separated by Maintenance plugs  $\leq$  120 VDC.
- 64  Stacks separated by Maintenance plugs  $\leq$  6 MJ.
- 65  Stacks are insulated and separated by a fire resistant barrier according to UL94-V0 for min. used thickness or equivalent.
- 66  Holes in container only for wiring harness, ventilation, cooling or fasteners, if mechanical properties are not influenced.
  - ▶ Check opening in TS enclosures, try to reach TS potentials with insulated test probe (100 mm length, 6 mm diameter).
- 67  If fully closed, equalizing valve implemented.
- 68  Spare accumulators of same size, weight and type.

## WIRING

- 69  All TS wires have proper overcurrent protection.
- 70  No other wires than TS wires are orange.
- 71  Securely anchored to withstand at least 200 N, if outside of enclosure.
- 72  Located out of the way of possible snagging or damage.
- 73  TS and LV wires separated (not valid for Interlock).
- 74  Every wire used in the Accumulator container (TS and LV) is rated for  $\geq$  600 V<sup>5</sup>.
- 75  Possible to clearly assign and prove gauge, temperature and voltage rating of TS wires.
- 76  Positive locking mechanism or if no positive locking possible, automotive certified components.
  - ▶ Check if insulated tools needed for the assembly of certified components are available
- 77  Insulation is not only insulating tape or rubber-like paint.

## CELL TEMPERATURE MONITORING DEVICE (CTMD)

- ▶ Install CTMD
- 78  CTMD sensor installed at negative cell tab as defined in the ESF or specified by the technical inspector.
- 79  Cooling at CTMD sensor positions not above-average.
  - ▶ Take a picture and upload it to competition server.

## INDICATOR LIGHT OR VOLTMETER

- 80  Red indicator light or voltmeter installed
- 81  Marked with "Voltage Indicator"
- 82  Visible while opening the battery connector.
- 83  Hard wired electronics, supplied by TS
- ▶ Connect power supply with 60 VDC<sup>6</sup> to accumulator TS connector. Use proper plugs, no measuring probes.
- 84  Indicator light on or voltmeter showing present TS voltage.
- 85  Visible in bright sunlight.

## ACCUMULATOR MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

- 86  A minimum of 30 % of cells are monitored with temperature sensors.
- 87  Every temperature sensor placed on negativ terminal of monitored cell or in <10mm distance on busbar.
  - ▶ Disconnect AMS current sensor connector
- 88  The AMS must open the shutdown circuit within 0.5 s.
  - ▶ Disconnect any other AMS internal connector
- 89  The AMS must open the shutdown circuit within 1 s.
  - ▶ Ask the team to connect their laptop to the AMS.
- ▶ Connect charger to battery/batteries, start charging process.
- 90  Cell voltages can be displayed.
- 91  Cell temperatures can be displayed.
- 92  Plausible accumulator current can be displayed.
  - ▶ Disconnect one SINGLE voltage sense wire, if any wires used.
- 93  The AMS must open the shutdown circuit within 0.5 s.
  - ▶ Disconnect one SINGLE temperature sense wire, if any wires used.
- 94  The AMS must open the shutdown circuit within 1 s.

<sup>3</sup>  $U_{max} \leq 250 V_{DC}$      $U_{max} > 250 V_{DC}$   
 $U_{Test} = 250 V_{DC}$      $U_{Test} = 500 V_{DC}$

<sup>4</sup> Minimal Resistance =  $500 \Omega/V \cdot U_{max} + BPR$

<sup>5</sup> max. TS voltage

<sup>6</sup> 60 V or half the nominal tractive system voltage, whichever is lower

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## CHARGER SHUTDOWN CIRCUIT

- 95  IMD is integrated into the charging system
  - ▶ Connect charger to battery/batteries, start charging process
- 96  Voltage indicator shows that HV is present
  - ▶ Press shutdown button
- 97  AIRs open
- 98  Voltage indicator shows voltage <60 V
  - ▶ Start charging, unplug TS accumulator connector
- 99  AIRs open.
- 100  Charger disabled, no voltage at charger connector

## INSULATION MONITORING DEVICE

- 101  One IMD ground line is connected to the accumulator container and one ground line is connected to the charger casing by a separate wired connection
  - ▶  $R_{T_{est}} = 120 \text{ k}\Omega^7$
  - ▶ Activate charger output, connect  $R_{T_{est}}$  between TS+ and LV GND.
- 102  Shutdown circuits opens within 30 s.
- 103  TS voltage decreases below 60 VDC within 5 s after shutdown
- 104  Reactivation of charger output is not possible.
  - ▶ Push the reset button, if any.
- 105  Reactivation of charger output is not possible.
  - ▶ Remove  $R_{T_{est}}$ . Wait 40 s until IMD resets status output.
- 106  Reactivation of charger output is not possible.
  - ▶ Activate TS, connect  $R_{T_{est}}$  between TS- and LV GND.
- 107  Shutdown circuits opens within 30 s.

## ACCUMULATOR CONTAINER

- ▶ Team must show approved SES for accumulator container.
- ▶ Team must show SES test samples for accumulator container if alternative materials are used.
- 108  Accumulator container manufactured according to SES.
- 109  Internal vertical walls have to be rigidly fastened to the container. Minimum 75% of the height of the external walls. Divide the accumulator in sections of max. 12 kg.
- 110  Cells securely fastened towards all 3 directions.
- 111  All parts carrying cells and loads: UL94-V0 certified materials.
- 112  External openings not pointing towards driver or hand cart operator.
- 113  Vehicle number, university name and ESO phone number(s) written on a high contrast background.
- 114   $\Delta$  Roman Sans-Serif characters of at least 20 mm high are used.
- 115  Warning stickers with side length of  $\geq 100$  mm and text "Always Energized" and "High Voltage" (if TS >60 V) installed. (triangle with black lightning bolt on yellow background)
- 116  Check if all parts and the cover/lid of the housing are rigidly fastened.

## HAND CART

- 117  Hand cart present with four wheels. Max. dimensions 1200 mm x 800 mm.
- 118  Hand cart has always on type brake system.
- 119  The accumulator must be mechanically fixed to the handcart while on the handcart.
- 120  The accumulator must be protected from vibrations and shocks.
- 121  Firewall (same width as hand cart, from lowest point to 30 cm above TSAC/handle) must protect operator.
- 122  Label according to EV5.3.8 still visible while on handcart.

## WEIGHING OF ACCUMULATOR

- ▶ Weight of each used accumulator:

## SEALING OF COMPONENTS

- ▶ After all tests have been passed successfully seal the inspected TS housings:
- 123  Accumulator container(s) including spares
- 124  Charger
- 125  Additional Part:
- 126  Additional Part:

## TIS STATUS UPDATE

- ▶ Set online TIS status to *Passed* or *Failed*

<sup>7</sup> $R_{T_{est}} = (\text{max. TS voltage} \cdot 250 \text{ Ohm/V}) \cdot \text{BPR}$

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## NON-COMPLIANCE / COMMENTS

## APPROVAL

	Inspector Names	Date, Time	Signatures when passed
1.	_____ / _____	_____	_____
2.	_____ / _____	_____	_____

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## PART V: ELECTRICAL INSPECTION

The time limit for this part of the inspection is 90 minutes. Continuation of the inspection is possible after requeueing. During technical inspection all work carried out on the vehicle must be approved by a technical inspector.

### TIS STATUS UPDATE

- ▶ Set online TIS status to *Present*

### COMMENTS

- ▶ Check comments from first page

### REQUIRED RESSOURCES

- 127  An ESO must attend
  - LV battery or cell datasheet
  - For self-developed LV battery packs: an opened battery pack, laptop, and cables to display data of the AMS
  - Laptop and cables to display data of the TS accumulator AMS
  - Datasheets for used wiring, insulation materials, and TS components. (printed or properly sorted on one laptop, not on a cell phone)
  - At least all non-passed parts of the ESF. (printed or properly sorted on one laptop, not on a cell phone)
- Samples of all wire types used for the tractive system
- Fully assembled spare boards of all inaccessible TS boards outside the accumulator
- The connector to safely close the SDC while the HVD is removed
- The connector to safely supply the TS using shrouded receptacles when the TS accumulator is unconnected
- Photographs of all inaccessible TS connections

### LV BATTERY

- 128  Voltage  $\leq 60$  VDC
- 129  Rigid and sturdy casing
- 130  Only for wet-cell batteries: IPX7 rated and acid resistant casing if inside cockpit
- 131  Behind Firewall
- 132  Short circuit protection (e.g. fused)
- 133  Grounded to the chassis
- 134  Proper insulation of internal electrical connections
- 135  Proper mounting of cells
- 136  Complete battery pack inside rollover protection envelope
- Following checks only for Li-Ion batteries other than  $\text{LiFePO}_4$ :
  - 137  UL94-V0 for min. used thickness or equivalent casing
  - 138  Overcurrent protection that trips below max. discharge current
  - 139  Overtemperature protection of at least 30 % of the cells (max.  $60^\circ\text{C}$  or datasheet, whichever is lower)
  - 140  Voltage protection of all cells
  - 141  Signal failures electrically disconnect the LV battery (SCS)
    - ▶ Ask the team to connect their laptop to the AMS
  - 142  Cell voltages can be displayed
  - 143  Cell temperatures can be displayed

### SELF DEVELOPED PCBS

- ▶ Ask for fully assembled spare PCB of self-developed PCBs
- 144  Sufficient spacing regarding system voltage and implementation
- 145  Sufficient insulation and temperature rating of coating if used, datasheet available
- 146  Coating process according to datasheet
- 147   $\Delta$  The 1 min AC RMS isolation voltage is  $\geq 3 \times$  max. TS voltage
- 148  BSPD PCB(s) is standalone with only minimum interface
- 149  BSPD PCB(s) are directly supplied from the LVMS

### MASTER SWITCHES

- 150  TSMS & LVMS installed easily accessible on the right side of the vehicle and located next to each other
- 151   $\Delta$  All master switches are located above 80% of shoulder height of Percy
- 152  Rigidly mounted and no need to be removed during maintenance
- 153  Rotary type with removable handle
- 154   $\Delta$  Handle length  $\geq 50$  mm
- 155  "ON" position in horizontal
- 156  "ON" and "OFF" positions marked
- 157  TSMS with locking mechanism for "OFF" position
- 158  LVMS marked with "LV" and a symbol showing a red spark in a white-edged blue triangle
- 159  LVMS mounted on a red circular area on high contrast background
- 160   $\Delta$  Circular area diameter  $\geq 50$  mm
- 161  TSMS marked with "TS" and triangle with black lightning bolt on yellow background
- 162  TSMS mounted on an orange circular area on high contrast background
- 163   $\Delta$  Circular area diameter  $\geq 50$  mm

### MEASURING POINTS

- 164  Two TS measuring points on exclusive orange background
- 165  A black LV ground measuring point installed
- 166  Next to the master switches
- 167  4 mm shrouded banana jacks
- 168  Non conductive cover
- 169  Cover removable without tools
- 170  Correctly marked ("TS+", "TS-", "GND")



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## TS SHUTDOWN DEVICES

- 171  Two shutdown buttons installed next to the main hoop, right and left on the vehicle at approx. height of the driver's head. Push-Pull or Push-Rotate-Pull functionality
- 172  Marked with red sparked sticker
- 173  Diameter >39 mm
- 174  One cockpit shutdown button installed. Push-Pull or Push-Rotate-Pull functionality
- 175  Marked with red sparked sticker
- 176  Easy actuation by the driver
- 177  Diameter  $\geq 24$  mm
- 178  Inertia switch rigidly mounted to the chassis and can be de-mounted for functionality test
- Check interlocks on ...
- 179  TS accumulator container(s)
- 180  Inverters
- 181  HVD
- 182  Power distribution boxes
- 183  Data Logger box
  - Outboard wheel motors ...
- 184  ... have a dedicated interlock wire routed along the TS wiring, must act before the TS wiring or its clamping fails
- 185  ... have a dedicated interlock wire routed along a suspension member, must act if the suspension fails
- 186  ... interlock(s) can be opened for demonstration

## COCKPIT INDICATORS

- AMS indicator light ...
- 187  ... is inside the cockpit and marked with "AMS"
- 188  ... is illuminated red and visible in bright sunlight, even from outside
- 189  ... is visible for the driver
  - IMD indicator light ...
- 190  ... is inside the cockpit and marked with "IMD"
- 191  ... is red and visible in bright sunlight, even from outside
- 192  ... is visible for the driver
  - TS off indicator light ...
- 193  ... is inside the cockpit and marked with "TS off"
- 194  ... is green and visible in bright sunlight
- 195  ... is visible for the driver

## TS VOLTAGE

- Measure voltage at TS measuring points
- 196  Equal or less than 60 VDC

## TS WIRING

- 197  All TS wiring and components have to be in the envelope and behind the impact structures
- 198  TS connectors outside of enclosures cannot be physically connected other than the design intent configuration
- 199  TS wires of outboard wheel motors must not be able to reach the cockpit opening in case of a wire break. The wiring outside of the impact structure is the shortest possible distance.
- 200  All TS wires and connectors have proper overcurrent protection
- 201  TS wiring channels are orange
- 202  No other wires than TS wires are orange
- 203  TS wiring outside electrical enclosures in separate non-conductive conduit or orange shielded cable
- 204  Securely anchored to withstand at least 200 N, if outside of enclosure
- 205  Located out of the way of possible snagging or damage
- 206  Shielded against rotating/moving parts
- 207  No wire lower than the chassis
- 208  TS and LV wires separated (n/a for interlock)
- 209  Possible to clearly assign and prove gauge, temperature, and voltage rating of TS wires
- 210  Suitable temperature rating for used position
- 211  Positive locking mechanism on every screwed connection. (Photographs for all inaccessible TS connections)
- 212  TSMPs: positive locking mechanism on every connection. (Photographs for all inaccessible TS connections)
- 213  Insulation is not insulating tape or rubber-like paint

## DATA LOGGER

- 214  Data logger is fully enclosed in a housing
- 215  Data logger is rigidly mounted
- 216  Only the two preapplied 3M™ Dual Lock™ strips on the bottom side of the data logger are used
- 217  All energy from accumulator flows through the data logger

## TRACTIVE SYSTEM PROTECTIONS

- Check openings in TS enclosures, try to reach TS potentials with insulated test probe (100 mm length, 6 mm diameter)
- 218  Not possible to reach any TS potentials
- 219  TS components and containers protected from moisture

## HV WARNING STICKERS

- Check for warning stickers on TS containing enclosures. (triangle with a black lightning bolt on yellow background)
- 220  Inverter(s)
- 221  Motor(s)
- 222  Power Distribution box(es)
- 223  Energy meter box
- 224  Other TS containing enclosures

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## HIGH VOLTAGE DISCONNECT

- 225  Clearly marked with "HVD"
- 226  Distance to ground greater than 350 mm
- 227  Inside roll-over protected envelope
- 228  Easily visible while standing behind the vehicle
- 229  No remote actuation (e.g. through wires)
- 230  Integrated interlock
  - ▶ Stand next to the vehicle, remove HVD
- 231  Removed within 10 s without tools
- 232  TS protection still given (insulated test probe). If a dummy connector is used, it must be stored at the push bar.

## TRACTIVE SYSTEM ACTIVE LIGHT

- 233  Max. 75 mm below the highest point of the main hoop and within the roll-over protected envelope (including mounting) from TSAL (1.6 m eye height)
- 234  Full illuminated surface visible by a person standing 3 m away
- 235   $\leq 10^\circ$  blocked by main hoop

## FIREWALLS

- Separates any point of the driver (less than 100 mm above the bottom of the helmet of the tallest driver) from any TS component (including TS wiring) ...
- 236  ... behind the driver's back
- 237  ... at the sides of the driver
- 238  ... at the front of the vehicle
- 239  First layer, facing TS must be made of Aluminum with a thickness of at least 0.5 mm
- 240  Second layer, facing driver must be made of electrically insulated material (no CFRP)
- 241  Material meets UL94-V0 for min. used thickness or equivalent
- 242  TSAC cooling duct openings do not point towards the driver, although if behind a firewall

## ACCELERATOR PEDAL POSITION SENSOR (APPS)

- 243  Returns to the original position if not actuated
- 244  At least two sensors with different transfer functions, each having a positive slope sense with either different gradients and/or offsets to the other(s) are installed. (For digital sensors, a checksum is necessary)
- 245  Sensors do not share supply or signal lines
- 246  Sensors are protected from being mechanically overstressed (positive stop of the pedal)
- 247  Minimum two springs installed to return pedal
- 248  Each spring still returns pedal with the second one disconnected (springs in the torque encoders not counted)

## BRAKE LIGHT

- 249  Only one brake light in red color
- 250  Located on vehicle centerline, height between wheel centerline and drivers shoulder
- 251  Round, triangle, or rectangular on black background
- 252   $15 \text{ cm}^2$  minimum illuminated area *OR* LED strips with a total length greater than 150 mm with elements <20 mm apart

## ACCUMULATOR MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

- ▶ Disconnect TS accumulator
- ▶ Ask the team to connect their laptop to the AMS
- 253  AMS indicator light is illuminated red
- 254  AMS data can be displayed

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## GROUNDING CHECKS

- EV 3.1 has been fully revised. Each TS enclosure must either contain a  $\geq 0.5$  mm properly grounded conductive layer or all materials must be electrically isolating for each own. Conductive seat, driver harness, and firewall mountings, as well as TS firewalls and conductive parts protruding through TS enclosures, must be properly grounded. A conductive part having  $\leq 300$  m $\Omega$  measured at 1 A and being able to continuously carry  $\geq 10\%$  of the TS main fuse to LVS ground is properly grounded. Other conductive parts within 100 mm of any TS component must be  $\leq 100$   $\Omega$  to LVS ground.
- It is possible to join two TS enclosures one following EV 3.1.1 point 1 and the other one following EV 3.1.1 point 2 if each individual TS enclosure is fully closed.
- ▶ Check for each TS enclosure ...
- 255 ○ ... all materials used to build a TS enclosure separately have a resistance  $\geq 2$  M $\Omega$  @ 500 V  $\Rightarrow$  fully isolated TS enclose, no grounded layer needed
- 256 ○ ... expect e.g. screws, (shielded) connectors, backing plates isolating materials used  $\Rightarrow$  fully isolated TS enclose, no grounded layer needed but protruding elements must be properly grounded
- 257 ○ ... at least one material has  $< 2$  M $\Omega$   $\Rightarrow$   $\geq 0.5$  mm thick solid grounded layer made of aluminium or better required and properly grounded
- 258 ○ ... a  $\geq 0.9$  mm thick steel layer might be used for TSAC as the grounded layer
  - ▶ Measure resistance of conductive parts to LVS ground next to TSMPs (max. 300 m $\Omega$  @ 1 A) ...
- 259 ○ ... main hoop
- 260 ○ ... seat mounting points
- 261 ○ ... driver harness mounting points
- 262 ○ ... firewall mounting points, also if not protruding through the firewall
- 263 ○ ... TS firewall
- 264 ○ ... TS accumulator container
- 265 ○ ... TS enclosures if applicable
- 266 ○ ... TS enclosure protruding parts if applicable
- 267 ○ ... parts protruding through TS enclosures
- 268 ○ Each grounding is able to carry  $\geq 10\%$  of TS main fuse
  - ▶ Measure resistance of conductive parts to LVS ground (max. 100  $\Omega$  @ 0 A) ...
- 269 ○ ... carbon fiber part within 10 cm around TS part
- 270 ○ ... suspension front left or right if applicable
- 271 ○ ... suspension rear left or right if applicable

## DIS-CHARGE CIRCUIT AND BODY PROTECTION RESISTORS

- ▶ Switch off LV. Measure resistance between TS+ and TS- measuring points
- 272 ○ Resistance is 30 k $\Omega$ <sup>8</sup> + discharge resistor
- 273 ○ Body protection resistor power rating is  $> 6.0$  W<sup>9</sup>
- 274 ○ Dis-charge power rating is sufficient for continuous dis-charge

## INSULATION MEASUREMENT TEST

- ▶ Choose test voltage to 500 V.<sup>10</sup>
- ▶ Connect insulation tester to TS+ and LVMP
- ▶ Measure resistance:  $R_{iso+} =$  k $\Omega$
- 275 ○ Resistance is much higher than 315 k $\Omega$ <sup>11</sup>
- ▶ Connect insulation tester to TS- and LVMP
- ▶ Measure resistance:  $R_{iso-} =$  k $\Omega$
- 276 ○ Resistance is much higher than 315 k $\Omega$ <sup>11</sup>
- 277 ○ Resistances are nearly equal

<sup>8</sup> 2 x Body Protection Resistor (BPR)

<sup>9</sup> sufficient to short circuit TS+ and TS-

<sup>10</sup>  $U_{max} \leq 250 V_{DC}$      $U_{max} > 250 V_{DC}$   
 $U_{Test} = 250 V_{DC}$      $U_{Test} = 500 V_{DC}$

<sup>11</sup> Minimal Resistance =  $500 \Omega/V \cdot U_{max} + BPR$

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## !! TEST AT HIGH VOLTAGE !!

### TRACTIVE SYSTEM POWER-UP

- ▶ All driven wheels are off the ground, driven wheels removed
- ▶ Connect multimeter between TS+ and TS-
- ▶ Switch on TSMS with LVMS deactivated
- 278  Voltage at TS measurement points less or equal 60 VDC
  - ▶ Switch on LVMS with TSMS deactivated
- 279  IMD and AMS and TS Cockpit indicator light illuminate for 1 s to 3 s for visible check
- 280  Voltage at TS measurement points less or equal 60 VDC
  - ▶ Switch on TSMS and all shutdown buttons
  - ▶ Reset any IMD or AMS errors
- 281  TS still deactivated
  - ▶ Activate TS, measure TS voltage during TS power-up. Use the team's multimeter and test leads. Set multimeter into manual range
- 282  System is precharged before second AIR closes
  - ▶ Switch off TSMS
- 283  TS voltage decreases below 60 VDC within 5 s
  - ▶ Try to power-up TS with switched off TSMS
- 284  TS still deactivated
  - ▶ Switch on TSMS
- 285  TS still deactivated

### TRACTIVE SYSTEM SHUTDOWN

- ▶ Connect multimeter between TS+ and TS-
- ▶ For each of the following switches, deactivation leads to TS shutdown, the voltage decreases below 60 VDC within 5 s
- 286  LVMS
- 287  Shutdown button left
- 288  Shutdown button right
- 289  Cockpit shutdown button
- 290  Inertia switch
- 291  Break-over-travel-switch
  - ▶ Show schematic of TS with all interlocks (ESF)
- 292  Interlocks

### TRACTIVE SYSTEM ACTIVE LIGHT

- ▶ Activate LVS
- 293  TSAL and Cockpit Indicator (CI) is green only
  - ▶ Activate TS
- 294  TSAL flashes red with freq 2 Hz - 5 Hz, and CI is off
- 295  TSAL is clearly visible (horizontal position, entire illuminated surface)
  - ▶ Deactivate TS, disconnect TSAC state detection circuitry connector if applicable<sup>12</sup>, activate LVS and TS
- 296  TSAL flashes red and CI is off
  - ▶ Deactivate TS, reconnect TSAC state detection, connect power supply >60 VDC<sup>13</sup> to TS<sup>14</sup>, activate LVS
- 297  TSAL is both green and red flashing simultaneously and CI is on
  - ▶ Disconnect power supply, remove HVD, override HVD interlock (!! cover TS potentials !!), activate LVS and TS
- 298  TSAL and CI is off

### INSULATION MONITORING DEVICE

- 299  One IMD ground line is connected to the accumulator container<sup>15</sup> and one ground line is connected to the main hoop by a separate wired connection
  - ▶  $R_{Test} = 135 \text{ k}\Omega$ <sup>16</sup>
  - ▶ Activate TS, connect  $R_{Test}$  between TS+ and LV GND
- 300  Shutdown circuits opens within 30 s
- 301  IMD indicator light illuminates
- 302  TS voltage decreases below 60 VDC within 5 s after shutdown circuit opens
  - ▶ Try to activate the TS by the required additional action (EV5.11.2)
- 303  Reactivation of TS is not possible
  - ▶ Push the reset button which is not accessible to the driver, if any and/or restart LVMS
- 304  Reactivation of TS is not possible
  - ▶ Remove  $R_{Test}$ . Wait for 40 s until IMD resets status output
- 305  Reactivation of TS is not possible
  - ▶ Push all reset buttons in the cockpit, if any
- 306  Reactivation of TS is not possible
  - ▶ Push the IMD reset button which is not accessible to the driver, if any
- 307  Reactivation of TS is possible
  - ▶ Push *and hold* the reset button which is not accessible to the driver, if any. Connect  $R_{Test}$  between TS- and LV GND
- 308  Shutdown circuits opens within 30 s
- 309  IMD indicator light illuminates

<sup>12</sup>Skip test if disconnecting the connector also opens the interlock and/or stops LVMS supply

<sup>13</sup> $V_{AC}$  equal  $42.5 V_{DC}$  when the signal is sinusoidal

<sup>14</sup>Do not use measuring points. The team needs to provide a method of connection that

uses the same receptacles as used for TSMP

<sup>15</sup>or the IMD's enclosure

<sup>16</sup> $R_{Test} = (\text{max. TS voltage} \cdot 250 \text{ Ohm/V}) - \text{BPR}$

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## READY TO DRIVE ACTIVATION SEQUENCE

- ▶ Activate TS, press torque pedal
- ▶ Disconnect the brake sensor
- 310  No turning of motors
- ▶ Let the team set the vehicle to ready-to-drive mode
- 313  No ready-to-drive mode possible
- ▶ Pressing brake pedal WHILE activating is necessary
- 314  Ready to drive sound duration is 1 s to 3 s continuously
- ▶ Repeat the activation sequence, but push the brake pedal only once before finally pushing the activation button
- 315  Ready to drive sound is min 80 dBA (2 m around the vehicle)
- 316  Ready to drive sound is easily recognizable and no animal sound or song part
- 312  No ready-to-drive mode possible

## APPS AND BSPD

- ▶ Set vehicle to ready to drive state
- ▶ Disconnect  $\geq 50\%$  of APPS
- ▶ be used), press brake representing hard braking ( $>0.5$  s)
- 317  Motors do not turn
- ▶ Disconnect all APPS
- 319  TS shuts down
- ▶ Reactivate TS. Disconnect the current sensor, press brake representing hard braking ( $>0.5$  s)
- 318  Motors do not turn
- 320  TS shuts down
- ▶ Team simulates 5 kW power (complete BSPD circuitry must be used)
- 321  Reactivation of TS is only possible after 10 s without implausibility

## SEALING OF COMPONENTS

- ▶ After all tests have been passed successfully seal the inspected TS housings:
- 325  TSAL circuitry housing
- 326  BSPD casing /BSPD calibration
- 322  Motor Controller housing
- 327  Additional Part:
- 323  Energy Meter housing
- 328  Additional Part:
- 324  IMD housing

## DATA LOGGER

- 329  Check data logger functionality and connectivity

## TIS STATUS UPDATE

- ▶ Set online TIS status to *Passed* or *Failed*

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## PART VI: MECHANICAL INSPECTION

The time limit for this part of the inspection is 75 minutes. Continuation of the inspection is possible after requeueing. During technical inspection all work carried out on the vehicle must be approved by a technical inspector.

### TIS STATUS UPDATE

- ▶ Set online TIS status to *Present*

### COMMENTS

- ▶ Check comments from first page

### VEHICLE WITH TALLEST DRIVER READY TO RACE

- 330 ○ **PUSH BAR (red color)** - Securely attached to vehicle, detachable, push & pull function for 2 people. University must be written on. Two pair of HV gloves in protecting case and Multimeter must be installed. The inspection sheet must always stay with the push bar.
- 331 △ **CAMERAS** - Must be secured by two points, see T13.5. No cameras mounted to helmet.
- 332 ○ **VISIBILITY** - Minimum of 100 deg. field either side. Head rotation allowed or mirrors. If mirrors, must be firmly installed and adjusted
- 333 △ **VEHICLE CONTROLS** - All controls, including shifter, must be inside cockpit. No arms or elbows outside the SIS plane.
- 334 ○ **DRIVER FLUID PROTECTION** - A firewall (or rigidly mounted cover plate for cooling systems using plain water (except wheel motors and their cooling hoses)) must extend sufficiently far upwards and/or rearwards such that any point, less than 100 mm above the bottom of the helmet of the tallest driver, is not in direct line of sight with any of the following parts: cooling system and low voltage battery.
- 335 ○ **ROLL BAR PADDING** - Roll bar or bracing that could be hit by driver's helmet must be covered with 12 mm thick, SFI spec 45.1 or FIA 8857-2001 padding.
- 336 △ **OTHER SIDE TUBES** - Design prevents driver's neck hitting bracing or other side tubes
- 337 ○ **HEAD RESTRAINT**- Near vertical. Must take 890 N load.
- 40 mm thick, SFI 45.2 standard. Max. 25 mm from helmet. Helmet contact point 50 mm min. from any edge. May be changed for different drivers. Minimum 150x150 mm.
- 338 ○ **DRIVER RESTRAINT HARNESS** - SFI 16.1, SFI 16.5, SFI 16.6, FIA 8853/2016. 6- or 7-point system – Two-piece lap belt (min. width 50 mm), two shoulder straps (min. width 75 mm) and two leg or anti-submarine straps (min. width 50 mm). (7-point system must have three anti-submarine straps). Must be securely attached to prim. structure (25.4 x 2.4 mm or equal.)
- 339 ○ **LAP BELT MOUNTING** - Pivoting mounting with eye bolts or shoulder bolts attached securely to Primary Structure. Min. tab thickness 1.6 mm. Attachment brackets to the monocoque must be steel, see T5.3.2.
- 340 ○ **SHOULDER HARNESS MOUNTING** - Mounting points 180 - 230 mm apart (measured center to center). Angle from shoulder between 10 deg. up and 20 deg. down to horizontal. Attach to Primary Structure - 25.4 x 2.4 mm or 25.0 x 2.5 mm steel tube min. NOT to put bending loads into Main Hoop Bracing without extra bracing. Additional braces if not straight to main hoop. Cannot pass through a firewall. Attachment brackets to the monocoque must be steel.
- 341 △ **SUSPENSION** - Fully operational with dampers front and rear; 50 mm minimum wheel travel (minimum jounce of 25 mm) with driver in vehicle.

### VEHICLE WITHOUT DRIVER

- 342 △ **TECH STICKER SPACE** - 45 mm x 175 mm on centerline of front of vehicle in front of the cockpit opening
- 343 △ **SCHOOL NAME & OTHER DECALS** - School Name, or recognized initials - min. 50 mm tall (all letters). on both sides in Roman letters. Must be clearly visible.
- 344 △ **VEHICLE NUMBERS** - On front & both sides of vehicle, minimum 150 mm tall, 20 mm stroke & spacing, 25 mm min. between number and background edge, Black on White, White on Black only, specified background shapes. Must be clearly visible, font: Roman Sans-Serif characters.
- 345 △ **BODYWORK EDGES** - edges that could contact a pedestrian must have a minimum radius of 1.0 mm (safety requirement)
- 346 △ **BODY & STYLING** - Open wheeled, open cockpit, formula style body. Vertical keepout zones 75 mm in front and behind tires (no aero exceptions), tires unobstructed from sides.
- 347 ○ **BODYWORK** - Min. 38 mm radius on nose. No large openings in bodywork into driver compartment in front of or alongside driver, (except cockpit opening).
- 348 ○ **AERODYNAMIC DEVICES** - Securely mounted. The deflection may not exceed 10 mm when a force of 200 N is applied over a surface of 225 cm<sup>2</sup> and not more than 25 mm when a point force of 50 N is applied.
- 349 △ **AERODYNAMICS** - ALL aerodynamic devices maximum 250 mm rearward of rear tires, maximum 700 mm forward of front tires. Devices lower than 500 mm from the ground rearward of the front axle must be no wider than vertical plane from the outside of the front and rear tires. Devices higher than 500 mm behind the front axle must not be wider than the inside of the rear tires.
- 350 △ **AERO VERTICAL HEIGHT** - Devices forward of a vertical plane through the rearmost portion of the front face of the driver head restraint support, excluding any padding, set to its most rearward position, must be lower than 500 mm from the ground. Rear device max 1.2 m above ground (incl. end plates); Front device max 250 mm above ground outside of the inside plane of the front tires inside this plane max 500 mm.
- 351 ○ **EDGES/RADII** - Edges that could contact a pedestrian must have a minimum radius of: horizontal leading edges min 5 mm; vertical forward facing edges min 3 mm. All other edges must have a minimum radius of 1.0 mm
- 352 △ **SEAT** - Insulated against heat conduction, convection and radiation. Lowest point no lower than top of of the upper surface of the lowest SIS member OR must have longitudinal, 25.4 x 1.65 mm steel tube underneath.
- 353 ○ **COCKPIT OPENING** - Fig. 11 (left) template passes down from above cockpit to below the upper side impact member. Steering wheel, seat & padding can be removed. No removing of firewall.
- 354 ○ **COCKPIT INTERNAL CROSS SECTION** - Fig. 11 (right) template passes from the cockpit opening to 100 mm rear of rearmost pedal contact area (in most forward position). Steering wheel and paddings can be removed (without tools).
- 355 △ **STEERING WHEEL** - Continuous perimeter, near round (no concave sections) with driver operable quick disconnect. 250 mm max from front hoop.
- 356 ○ **ROTATING PARTS** - Finger guards are required to cover any parts (e.g. fans) that spin while the vehicle is stationary. No holes >12 mm dia.



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## REMOVE BODY PANELS

- 357 ○ **JACKS** - Up to two devices that lift up all driven wheels min. 100 mm above the ground. In lifted position it is safe to enter and exit the vehicle and the devices must not extend out of the footprint of the four tires. University name must be written on. Vehicle pickup points must be indicated by orange triangles.
- 358 ○ **DRIVER'S LEG PROTECTION** - Covers inside of cockpit over any sharp edges or moving suspension / steering components.
- 359 ○ **DRIVER'S FOOT PROTECTION** - Feet must be rearward of the Front Bulkhead. The Front Bulkhead, together with the AIP, must cover the driver's feet in front view. No part of shoes or legs above or outside the Primary Structure (25x1.2 or equivalent) in side or front views when touching the pedals.
- 360 ○ **PERCY** - Helmet of 95th percentile male (PERCY) to be 50 mm below the lines between top of front and main roll hoops and between top of main hoop to rear attachment point of main hoop bracing. Center of bottom circle placed minimum 915 mm from pedals.
- 361 ○ **BRAKES** - Dual hydraulic system & reservoirs, operating on all four wheels, (one brake on limited slip differential is OK). System must be protected by structure or shields from drivetrain failure or minor collisions. No plastic brake lines. No brake-by-wire. No parts below chassis in side view. Brake pedal capable of 2000 N, no failures if official exerts max force (seated normally in vehicle).
- 362 △ **BRAKE OVER TRAVEL SWITCH** - In the event of a failure in one or both of the brake circuits the brake pedal over travel will result in the shutdown circuit being opened.
- 363 ○ **TUBING & MATERIALS** - Team must show an APPROVED SES. No Magnesium tubes in primary structure.
- 364 ○ **MONOCOQUE** - Must see laminate test specimen. Steel backing plates ( $\geq 2$  mm thick) with perimeter near circular or oval used at attachment points (must be fully supported).
- 365 ○ **BOLTED JOINTS** in primary structure - Distance hole centerline to the nearest free edge  $> 1.5 \times$  hole diameter. According to SES if two panels are bolted together.
- 366 ○ **HARNESS ATTACHMENTS** for shoulder harness, lap belt and anti-submarine belt according to SES calculation, simulation and/or physical test.
- 367 ○ **MAIN HOOP** - MUST BE STEEL. Check dimension as shown in approved SES. Must be made of one piece and extend to lowest frame member. Above Major Structure, must be within 10 deg. of vertical plane. Smooth bends without wrinkles.
- 368 ○ **MAIN HOOP BRACING** - MUST BE STEEL. One straight brace on each side. Dimension as shown in the approved SES. Attached within 160 mm from the top. Min. 30 deg. included angle with hoop. If main hoop is not vertical, bracing must not be on same side of the vertical plane as the main hoop. No bends. No rod-ends. Proper design for removable braces (capping etc.) on BOTH ENDS. Must take load back to bottom of main hoop and node of upper side impact tube through proper triangulated structure. (25.4 x 1.2 mm or equivalent)
- 369 ○ **FRONT HOOP** - Must be closed section metal tube. Can be multi-piece with gussets or additional attachments to the monocoque. Must extend down to lowest frame member. No lower than top of steering wheel. Max. 20 deg. to vertical. Check dimension as shown in approved SES.
- 370 ○ **FRONT HOOP BRACING** - Two straight forward facing braces, 25.4 x 1.65 mm or 25.0 x 1.75 mm or 25.4 x 1.6 mm wall steel or equivalent, attached within 50 mm of top. Extra rearward bracing required if Front Hoop leans backwards more than 10 deg.
- 371 ○ **SIDE IMPACT PROTECTION** - Min. of 2 tubes + diagonal must connect the main and front hoops in straight line. Upper tube between 240 - 320 mm above lowest inside chassis point between FH and MH. Dimension as shown in approved SES.
- 372 ○ **FRONT IMPACT PROTECTION** - Team must show an APPROVED IAD and test piece, which both must reflect status on the car. IMPACT ATTENUATOR forward of bulkhead, 200 mm long x 200 mm wide x 100 mm high, these minimum volume dimensions cannot not be more than 350 mm above ground (can be measured with driver seated). IA must be securely fastened directly to AIP capable of taking transverse & vertical loads (no tape, etc.). Non-crushable objects forward of bulkhead must have been evaluated in IAD. No wing supports through the IA. Standard IA: Requires diagonal or X-brace if FBH dimensions larger than 400 mm width and/or 350 mm height.
- 373 ○ **ANTI INTRUSION PLATE** - A 1.5 mm solid steel or 4.0 mm solid aluminium sheet. Standard: attachment must be welded (full perimeter, size: min. to centerlines) or min. 8 screws M8 Grade 8.8 (critical fasteners T10) (size: min. outside dimensions). Non-standard: Must follow T3.16.6. CFRP plate is accepted if SES/IAD approved.
- 374 ○ **FRONT BULKHEAD SUPPORT** - Support back to front roll hoop; 3 tubes per side, all 25mm x 1.5mm wall steel tube or equiv. 1 bottom; 1 top within 50 mm of top of bulkhead, and connecting within 100 mm above and 50 mm below upper SIS tube; 1 or more node-to-node diagonal to completely triangulate connections to upper and lower SIS tubes.
- 375 ○ **INSPECTION HOLES** - 4.5 mm inspection holes required in non-critical areas of front & main hoops. Inspectors may ask for holes in other tube(s).
- 376 ○ **WHEELS** - 203.2 mm (8") min. diam. No Aluminium or hollow wheel bolts. Single retaining nut must incorporate a device to retain the nut. Aluminum wheel nuts must be hard anodized.
- 377 ○ **FIREWALL** - Fire resistant material; must separate driver compartment from cooling, oil system & LV battery. Pass-throughs OK with grommets. Multiple panels OK if gaps sealed. No gaps at sides or bottom. Must be rigidly mounted to the chassis. Material must meet UL94-V0, FAR25 or equivalent. On tractive side min. 0.5 mm aluminium plate grounded, on the driver side a rigid insulating layer (no CFRP) UL94-V0 or equivalent should be installed that can withstand a 250 N 4 mm screwdriver penetrating test.

## VEHICLE LIFTED AND WHEELS REMOVED

- 378 ○ **SUSPENSION PICK-UP POINTS** - Inspected thoroughly for integrity.
- 379 ○ **FASTENERS** - Steering, braking, harness and suspension systems must use SAE Grade 5 or Metric Grade M8.8 or higher specs (AN/MS) with visible positive locking mechanisms, no Loctite or lock washers. Minimum of 2 exposed threads with locking nuts. Rod ends in single shear are captured by a washer larger than the ball diameter. Adjustable tie-rod ends must have jam nuts to prevent loosening. No Nylon lock nuts for Brake calipers or Brake discs. No button head cap, pan head or round head screws in critical locations, e.g. cage structure or harness mount. Primary structure  $e/D > 1.5$ .
- 380 ○ **STEERING** - All steerable wheels must have positive stops placed on the rack to prevent linkage lock up or tires from contacting any part of the vehicle. 7 degrees max. free play at the steering wheel. NO STEER-BY-WIRE on front wheels. Rear wheel steering, max. 6 deg. and mechanical stops installed. Bonded joints in accordance with T3.2.8.
- 381 △ **FLOOR CLOSEOUT PANEL** - Required from foot area to firewall; solid, non-brittle material; multiple panels are OK if gaps less than 3 mm.
- 382 ○ **GAS CYLINDERS LOCATION** - Axis not pointed at driver, within the rollover protection envelope (see FIGURE 3), insulated from any heat source, must be shielded from the driver. The shields must be steel or aluminum with a minimum thickness of 1 mm.
- 383 ○ **GAS CYLINDERS** - Proprietary manufacture & labeled, Non-flammable gas, regulator on tank, securely mounted, appro-

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- ropriate lines & fittings. Positively retained, i.e. no tie-wraps. Maximum of 10 bar allowed, except cylinders/tanks with directly mounted pressure regulator (-> 10 bar).
- 384 ○ **SCATTERSHIELDS INCL. MOUNTING** - Required for clutches, chains, belts, etc. No holes. 6 mm diam. Grade 8.8 minimum. End parallel to lowest part of the sprocket/pulley in front and rear.
  - 385 △ **SCATTERSHIELD MATERIALS** - For chains, 2 mm min. thick solid STEEL, 3 x chain width. For belts, 3 mm min. thick Al 6061-T6, 3 x belt width. Finger guards: cover all drivetrain parts that spin while vehicle is stationary. No holes >12 mm dia.
  - 386 ○ **LV BATTERY** - Attached securely to frame or chassis.
  - 387 ○ **HIGH PRESS HYDRAULICS** - Pumps and lines must have 1 mm steel or aluminium shields protecting driver and workers.
  - 388 △ **COOLANT** - 100% water. NO ADDITIVES WHATSOEVER or oil for electric motors.
  - 389 ○ **CATCH TANKS** - Any coolant overflow or lube system vents must have separate catch tanks. 0.9 l minimum each, 100 deg. C material, behind firewall, below shoulder level. 3 mm min. dia. vent away from driver down to the bottom level of frame. Cooling systems using plain water, unless sealed, require 100 ml catch tanks.
  - 390 △ **FLUID LEAKS** - Oil, grease, coolant, Brake fluid -> none permitted
  - 391 ○ **BELLYPANS** - In total minimum of two venting holes of at least 25 mm diameter in the lowest part of the structure to prevent accumulation of liquids. One in each enclosed chassis structure. Additional holes are required when multiple local lowest parts exist in the structure.
  - 392 ○ **ACCUMULATOR CONTAINER POSITION** - All accumulator containers must lie within the primary structure of the frame lower than the top of the SIS. All accumulator containers must be protected from side or rear impact collisions. If an accumulator container or parts of it are mounted outside of the primary structure (EV.3.5.1, EV 3.5.3) an additional impact structure according to T3.2 must be built to protect the accumulator.
  - 393 ○ **ACCUMULATOR CONTAINER ATTACHMENT** - Accumulator container must be attached to the primary structure with fasteners min. Grade 8.8. Fasteners have to follow T10. Mounting as designed in SES. Brackets 1.6 mm steel or 4 mm aluminium with gussets to withstand bending loads. Monocoque needs 2 mm steel backing plates with perimeter near circular or oval. Equivalent attachment may be according to SES.
  - 394 ○ **POSITION OF TRACTIVE SYSTEM PARTS** - All parts belonging to the tractive system must be located within the rollover protection envelope, excluding outboard motors.
  - 395 ○ **PROTECTION OF TRACTIVE SYSTEM PARTS** - If tractive system parts are mounted in a position where damage could occur from a rear or side impact (below 350 mm from the ground), they have to be protected by a fully triangulated structure with tubes of a minimum outer diameter of 25.4 mm and a minimum wall thickness of 1.25 mm or equivalent.
  - 396 ○ **MOTOR CASING** - Min. 2 mm Aluminium 6061-T6. May be split into two equal sections. If motor casing is rotating around the stator or is perforated an additional 1 mm Aluminium 6061-T6 scatter shield around the motor should be installed.

## TIS STATUS UPDATE

► Set online TIS status to *Passed* or *Failed*

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## PART VII: TILT TEST

### TIS STATUS UPDATE

▶ Set online TIS status to *Present*

### COMMENTS

▶ Check comments from first page

### TILT TEST

397  **FLUID LEAKAGE** - No fluid spill permitted when vehicle is tilted to 60 degrees in the direction most likely to create spillage. Tanks must be filled to scribe line.

398  **VEHICLE STABILITY** - All wheels in contact with tilt table when tilted to 60 degrees to the horizontal.

399  **GROUND CLEARANCE** - At least 30 mm min. with driver.

### TIS STATUS UPDATE

▶ Set online TIS status to *Passed* or *Failed*

### NON-COMPLIANCE / COMMENTS

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## PART VIII: RAIN TEST

### TIS STATUS UPDATE

- ▶ Set online TIS status to *Present*

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### RAIN TEST

- ▶ Apply seal sticker to all additional sealing material, that can be removed (e.g. tape, as not mentioned in IN1.5.1).
- ▶ The vehicle is lifted off the ground. Tractive system has to be active (TSAL ON)
- 400  Tractive system voltage is present at TSMPs
  - ▶ **RAIN PROOF** - No driver is allowed to sit in the vehicle during the test. Water like rain will be sprayed at the vehicle for 120 sec. Another 120 sec. of waiting without water spary.
- 401  The Insulation Monitoring Device does not react and not shut down the tractive system.
  - ▶ Connect  $R_{Test}$  between any TSMP and LVS GND.
- 402  Shutdown circuits opens within 30 s.

### TIS STATUS UPDATE

- ▶ Set online TIS status to *Passed* or *Failed*

### NON-COMPLIANCE / COMMENTS

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## PART IX: BRAKE TEST

### TIS STATUS UPDATE

- ▶ Set online TIS status to *Present*

### COMMENTS

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### BRAKE TEST

- 403  **BRAKING PERFORMANCE** - Must lock all four wheels and stop the vehicle in a straight line at the end of an acceleration run specified by the officials without electrical braking from motors. The tractive system has to be shut down by the driver before braking. The Tractive System Active Light has to be Green during breaking or shortly after the vehicle stopped (may take up to 5 sec. after shut down).
- 404  **BRAKE LIGHT** - has to be clearly visible even in bright sunlight.

### TIS STATUS UPDATE

- ▶ Set online TIS status to *Passed* or *Failed*

### NON-COMPLIANCE / COMMENTS

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