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Smaller, Lighter, and Specialized Powered Two-Wheelers (PTWs)

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PTWs: a SMART Choice For Mobility

Responding to the objective of EC White Paper:

- Smaller, PTWs use land more efficiently
 - Optimize existing infrastructures
 - Produce less damages to roads
- Lighter, PTWs are cost efficient
 - Cheaper to produce and operate
 - Fuel efficient
 - Agile in congested areas
- More specialized, PTWs responds to well defined practical mobility needs
 - In the EU 27, over 60% of journeys are for commuting, with an average occupancy rate of 1.1 per vehicle.



Future Trends Will Boost Modal Shift

Main development trends will

- Reduce environmental impact through cleaner PTWs and a higher proportion of ultra low and zero emission vehicles

- Improve Road Safety

- Offer more convenience



Powertrains: from Cleaner Engines...

Optimization of ICEs through

- Sophisticated engine management
- Deployment of low friction techniques
- Downsizing



Honda 125cc scooter engine:
A 25% more fuel efficient



Piaggio 350cc scooter engine
Power output similar to the 460cc engine 30.5 km/l

Powertrains: from Cleaner Engines...

- Development of hybrid propulsion

Key figures

- PTW contribution to CO₂ emissions of transport <2% (LAT 2008)
- PTWs emit 50% less CO₂ than passenger cars (ADEME 2008)



Piaggio hybrid electric scooter
Fuel consumption 60km/l CO₂ emissions 40 g/km

Powertrains: to Zero Emission Engines...

- Deployment of electric propulsion
 - From moped and scooter electric powertrain

Key figures

- L-Cat. eVehicle Market near 15,000 units in 2011



Yamaha electric moped
56 kg 1.4kW 40+ km range



Honda EV-neo scooter
2.8 kW 34 km range



Piaggio Liberty eMail
2.6 kW 60-80 km range

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 - To maxi scooter electric powertrain



BMW eScooter project
Dynamic behaviour of ICE maxi scooter

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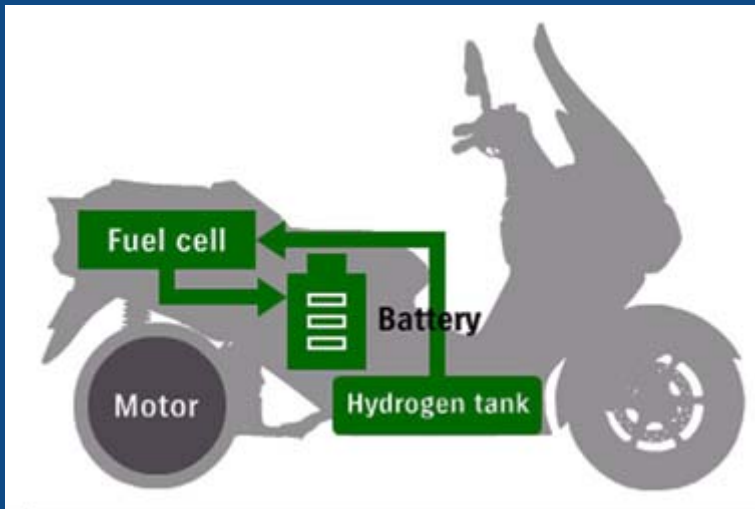
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Powertrains: to zero emission engines...

- Application of fuel cell

Suzuki scooter fuel cell technology concept

Range of 350km comparable to a conventional Burgman scooter



Yamaha concept of Direct Methanol Fuel Cell (DMFC) System
Eliminates the need for a converter and a pressurized (fuel) tank

Safety & Security Systems: Deployment

- Existing systems will be progressively deployed from larger leisure motorcycles towards smaller urban vehicles



SIM Project: Integrated Safety Concept
Piaggio partner of the EU co-funded project



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Safety & Security Systems: Deployment

- New systems will be developed
 - Autonomous
 - Cooperative

BMW Advanced Safety Concept



V2V Use Case demonstrated by Honda



Architecture: enhanced stability & convenience

- From two wheels...
 - Work out centre of gravity on scooters
 - Scooter/motorcycle hybrids with gear automation

Yamaha Tmax
Aluminium frame
Central engine



Honda Integra
Automatic/sequential gear shift



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Architecture: enhanced stability & convenience

- To three wheels...



Piaggio MP3 Yourban



Peugeot HYbrid3 concept
Hybrid



Honda 3RC concept
Electric

Architecture enhanced stability & convenience

- To four wheels...



Yamaha Tesseract concept
Hybrid



Mega City Lithium
Engine 6 kW, 100 km range



Goupil G32
Engine 12 kW, 100 km range



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Future L-category
vehicles will
develop all these
fundamental
intrinsic
advantages

