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电动汽车低速提示音

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Foreword

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1 Scope

This Standard specifies requirements and test methods for vehicle speed range, sound level limit, frequency requirements, sound type, and pause switch of acoustic vehicle alerting system of electric vehicles running at low speed (hereinafter referred to as "acoustic-alerting system").

This Standard is applicable to pure electric vehicles of the Category-M1 and N1 categories, hybrid electric vehicles with pure electric driving modes, and fuel cell electric vehicles.

2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

GB 1495, Permissible noise limit emitted by power-driven vehicles

GB/T 3241-2010, Electroacoustics - Octave-band and fractional-octave-band filters

GB/T 3785.1-2010, Electroacoustics - Sound level meters - Part 1: Specifications

GB/T 12534, Motor vehicles - General rules of road test method

GB/T 15173-2010, Electroacoustics - Sound calibrators

GB/T 19596, Terminology of electric vehicles

GB 50800-2012, Technical code for anechoic and semi-anechoic rooms

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions defined in GB/T 19596 as well as the followings apply.

3.1 acoustic vehicle alerting system; AVAS

a system for issuing a prompt sound to effectively transmit information to other road users when the noise value emitted by the vehicle is below a certain value

3.2 acoustic vehicle alerting system of electric vehicle running at low speed
a prompt sound from the vehicle's acoustic-alerting system when the speed of the electric vehicle is lower than a certain value

3.3 acoustic vehicle alerting system pause switch

a device for turning on/off the alerting on an electric vehicle

3.4 frequency shift

the change caused when prompt tone rate of electric vehicle driving at low speed varies as vehicle speed

3.5 front plane of the vehicle

a vertical plane tangent to the front edge of the vehicle

3.6 rear plane of the vehicle

a vertical plane tangent to the trailing edge of the vehicle

3.7 sound pressure level; SPL

the base 10 logarithm of the ratio of the square root sound pressure to the reference sound pressure multiplied by 20

NOTE: Expressed in decibels (dB).

3.8 weighted sound level

sound level measured by a weighted network filter

3.9 total sound level

according to a certain method of weighting, the parameters of the integrated sound strength that are consistent with the characteristics of the human auditory system are finally obtained; the range of sound frequencies covered is 20Hz~20kHz

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