

Climatic Wind Tunnel (CWT One)

Our advanced CWT One facility enables customers to test their products under a wide range of simulated, repeatable environmental conditions including extreme cold, snow, solar loading and humidity.

The facility features a 4 wheel drive dynamometer and is utilised by a number of international vehicle manufacturers looking to develop their products for all world markets. By reducing the need for seasonal in-territory testing, the facility allows customers to compress their development lead times, helping them to deliver products to market far quicker than their competitors.

Testing capability

Climatic emissions

Cabin comfort

Powertrain cooling

Environmental conditions simulated

-40°C to +55°C

Full solar spectrum simulation

Humidity control

2 or 4 wheel drive chassis dynamometer

Hot road simulation

Snow generation

■ Tailpipe exhaust emissions

Maximum vehicle dimensions:

Vehicle wheelbase:

Gross vehicle weight:

Air speeds:

Air temperature:

Humidity range:

Chassis dynamometer:

Solar simulation:

Data acquisition:

Hot-road simulation:

Minimum speed:

Soak room temp range:

Dimensions:

Circuit type:

Fan type:

Airflow nozzle:

Cooling systems:

Emissions:

Width: 2.7m, Height: 3m, Length: 6.2m

Maximum: 5m, Minimum: 2m

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Primary = 150km/h Secondary = 200km/h

 $Max/min = +55^{\circ}C/-40^{\circ}C$

5% to 95% Relative Humidity

Twin-axle (150kW DC per axle), 1.6m dia. rollers

(FWD/RWD/4WD)

Full spectrum Range: 0.6 to 1.4kW/m²

Target area: 6m x 2m

The system meets SC03 emissions standards

Ipetronik CAN system 160 channels, 20Hz to 5KHz depending on channel type

Underbody heating up to 30°C above chamber

temperature

0km/h (idle/city bypass system operating)

-40°C to +55°C

12.0m x 6.7m

Vertical return, fully enclosed support building

Axial flow, 2.6m diameter 400kW

Primary = 4.0m²; Secondary = 2.5m²

765kW capacity Twin rotary-screw compressors, with heat exchangers

Gasoline, LPG, CNG and gasoline hybrids. All world legislative test cycles and custom drive cycles. Analysis of dilute emissions (HC, CH4, NOx, CO & CO₂). European Type VI cold (-7°C) HC and CO test. US Federal cold (-7°C) CO test. US Federal Supplemental test: US06 and SC03. Hot and cold emissions development testing.

emissions development testing