

***Support for the Electro-Mobility Declaration and Call to Action***  
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Electric Vehicle Initiative (EVI)

**Geographical coverage:** Canada, China, Denmark, France, Germany, India, Italy, Japan, Korea, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, United Kingdom, United States

**Summary:** EVI is a multi-government policy forum established in the framework of the Clean Energy Ministerial and dedicated to accelerating the introduction and adoption of electric vehicles worldwide. In particular, EVI seeks to facilitate the global deployment of 20 million electric vehicles, including plug-in hybrid electric vehicles and fuel cell vehicles, by 2020. EVI will enable progress toward this goal by: (1) encouraging the development of national deployment goals; (2) collecting and disseminating information on best practices and policies allowing to achieve those goals, and encouraging their adoption; (3) involving cities to share experiences and lessons learned from early electric vehicle deployment in urban areas and regions; (4) sharing information on public investment in RD&D programs to ensure that the most crucial global gaps in vehicle technology development are being addressed; and (5) engaging private-sector stakeholders to better align expectations, discuss the respective roles of industry and government, and focus on the benefits of continued investment in electric vehicle technology innovation and electric vehicle procurement for fleets.

**Time-frame:** Since 2010 (EVI establishment)

**Reporting:** Progress towards the EVI goal will be monitored by regular updates of the Global EV Outlook publication, a collective undertaking of EVI member governments gathering primary data and information on the deployment of electric vehicles, electric vehicle supply equipment, the progress in cost reduction and energy density of batteries and the level of investment on research, development and demonstration.

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