

News Release

Vehicle Energy Japan's Battery Modules Adopted by Renault "ARKANA" E-TECH HYBRID

Tokyo, October 26, 2022 --- Vehicle Energy Japan Inc. (Representative Director, CEO, President and Chief Executive Officer: Hiroshi Ikeuchi/ Headquarter in Japan, hereinafter referred to as "VE-J")'s lithium-ion battery module has been adopted for the E-TECH HYBRID of "ARKANA". Renault Arkana was launched in Europe on March 10, 2021 by Renault s.a.s. (CEO :Luca de Meo / Headquarter in France) and has been launched in Japan on May 26, 2022.

The "ARKANA" E-TECH HYBRID which has been introduced in Japan on May 26, 2022, equips a full hybrid specification with a 1.6-liter in-line 4-cylinder gasoline engine and high-voltage 250V battery. It is a C segment compact crossover SUV that pursues maximum efficiency through best-in-class response, outstanding fuel economy performance, and quick battery charging during deceleration.

Our battery module used in "ARKANA" is a 250V lithium-ion battery module with a storage capacity 1.2kWh. VE-J has contributed to downsizing E-TECH hybrid system of "ARKANA" of by Our lower resistance technology to suppress heat generation, structure compatible with indirect cooling, and lower height.

Vehicle Energy Japan will strengthen its battery products, such as battery packs and battery modules, to contribute to the widespread use of electric vehicles from automakers, and for environmental conservation.



Renault "ARKANA" E-TECH HYBRID



Lithium-ion battery module

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