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16. Abstract

A 56.3 km/h NCAP Frontal Impact Test was conducted on a 2014 Chevrolet Impala 4-door sedan in accordance with the specifications of the Office of Crashworthiness Standards Frontal NCAP Laboratory Test Procedure. This test was conducted to obtain data indicant of FMVSS 208, 212, 219 (partial), 301 and foot well intrusion performance. This test was conducted at the Transportation Research Center Inc. in East Liberty, Ohio on June 17, 2013.

The impact velocity was 56.55 km/h, and the ambient temperature at the barrier face at the time of impact was  $21^{\circ}$  C. The target vehicle post-test maximum crush was 615 millimeters at vehicle centerline. The test vehicle's performance is as follows:

	Driver ATD			Passenger ATD		
Measurement						
Description	Units	Threshold	Result	Units	Threshold	Result
Head Injury Criteria						
$(HIC_{15})$	NA	700	229	NA	700	412
Maximum Chest						
Compression	mm	63	-16.2	mm	52	-9.8
3ms Chest Clip	Gs	60	40.8	Gs	60	39.1
Nij	NA	1	0.233	NA	1	0.363
Neck Tension	Newtons	4170	816.6	Newtons	2620	588.1
Neck Compression	Newtons	4000	-134.0	Newtons	2520	-433.4
Left Femur Force	Newtons	10008	-1200.3	Newtons	6805	-253.5
Right Femur Force	Newtons	10008	-309.1	Newtons	6805	-91.2

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#### 1: PURPOSE AND SUMMARY OF TEST

#### **PURPOSE**

This 56.3 km/h frontal barrier impact test is part of the Vehicle Barrier Impact Testing Program sponsored by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) under Contract No. DTNH22-12-D-00257. The purpose of this test was to obtain vehicle crashworthiness and occupant restraint system performance data for consumer information purposes.

This 56.3 km/h frontal barrier impact test was conducted in accordance with the Office of Crashworthiness Standards Front NCAP Laboratory Test Procedure dated September 2012.

#### **SUMMARY**

A load cell barrier consisting of 36 load cells was impacted by a 2014 Chevrolet Impala 4-door sedan at a velocity of 56.55 km/h. The test was performed at Transportation Research Center, Inc. on June 17, 2013. Pre- and post-test photographs of the vehicle and dummies can be found in Appendix A.

One real-time camera and 16 high-speed cameras were used to document the frontal barrier impact event. Camera locations and other pertinent camera information can be found in this report.

One Part 572E 50<sup>th</sup> percentile male anthropomorphic test device (ATD), was placed in the driver seating position and one Part 572O 5<sup>th</sup> percentile female ATD was placed in the right-front passenger position according to dummy placement instructions specified in the Frontal NCAP Laboratory Test Procedure.

Both ATDs were fully instrumented with head, chest and pelvis tri-axial accelerometers, chest displacement potentiometers, upper neck transducers, right/left femur load cells, and lower leg instrumentation. Seat belt load cells were also on the driver and passenger's lap and shoulder belts to measure dummy torso and pelvic section loading.

The driver (position 1) ATD (Serial No. 37), and the right-front passenger (position 2) ATD (Serial No. 426) were calibrated previous to this test. Certification details, along with instrumentation calibration data, are found in Appendix C of this report.

The 130 channels of data were recorded on an on-board data acquisition system. Appendix B contains the vehicle, load cell barrier and dummy response data traces.

There was 100.0 percent windshield retention and no intrusion into the protected zone of the windshield during the event. There was no Stoddard solvent leakage after the event or during any phase of the static rollover.

The maximum static crush of the vehicle was 615 mm and both the driver and passenger side doors remained closed during the impact event and were operable after the impact.

The driver's visible contact points were as follows: front airbag, headrest, and knee airbag. The passenger's visible contact points were as follows: front airbag, headrest, and knee airbag.

The occupant data is summarized below:

ATD Position	HIC <sub>15</sub>	Nij	Neck Tension (N)	Neck Compression (N)	3 ms Chest Clip (Gs)	Chest Disp. (mm)	Left Femur (N)	Right Femur (N)
Driver (50 <sup>th</sup> Male)	229	0.233	816.6	-134.0	40.8	-16.2	-1200.3	-309.1
Passenger (5 <sup>th</sup>	229	0.233	810.0	-134.0	40.6	-10.2	-1200.3	-309.1
Female)	412	0.363	588.1	-433.4	39.1	-9.8	-253.5	-91.2

## 2: OCCUPANT AND VEHICLE INFORMATION / DATA SHEETS

#### GENERAL TEST AND VEHICLE PARAMETER DATA

Test Vehicle: 2014 Chevrolet Impala 4-door sedan NHTSA No.: M20140100 Test Program: NCAP Frontal Impact Test Date: 06/17/13

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No

No

Yes

Yes

Yes

Yes

#### TEST VEHICLE INFORMATION

NHTSA No.

Sunroof/T-Top

Power Seats

(ADLs)

**Running Boards** 

Tilt Steering Wheel

Anti-Lock Brakes (ABS)

**Automatic Door Locks** 

#### Model Year 2014 Make Chevrolet **Impala** Model 4-Door **Body Style** VIN 1G11Y5SLXEU102075 **Body Color** Silver Odometer Reading (km/mi) 53 mi Engine Displacement (L) 2.5 4 Type/No. Cylinders **Engine Placement** Transverse Transmission Type Automatic Transmission Speeds 6 Overdrive Yes Final Drive FWD Roof Rack No

#### TEST VEHICLE OPTIONS

Traction Control System (TCS)	Yes
Power Steering	Yes
Power Window Auto-Reverse	Yes
Driver Frontal Airbag	Yes
Driver Curtain Airbag	Yes
Driver Head/Torso Airbag	No
Driver Torso Airbag	No
Driver Torso/Pelvis Airbag	Yes
Driver Pelvis Airbag	No
Driver Knee Airbag	Yes
Front Pass. Frontal Airbag	Yes
Front Pass. Curtain Airbag	Yes
Front Pass. Head/Torso Airbag	No
Front Pass. Torso Airbag	No
Front Pass. Torso/Pelvis Airbag	Yes
Front Pass. Pelvis Airbag	No
Front Pass. Knee Airbag	Yes
Driver Pretensioner	Yes
Driver Load Limiter	Yes
Front Pass. Pretensioner	Yes
Front Pass. Load Limiter	Yes
Other	No

Does owner's manual provide instructions to turn off automatic door locks?

No

#### **DATA FROM CERTIFICATION LABEL**

Manufactured by	General Motors LLC
Date of Manufacture	04/13

GVWR (kg)	2103
GAWR Front (kg)	1050
GAWR Rear (kg)	1053

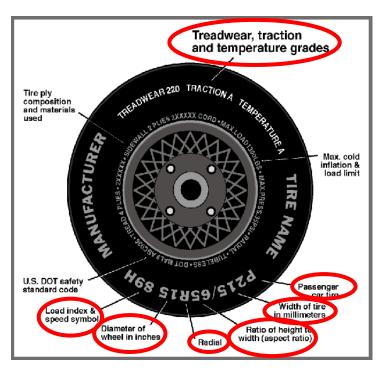
#### VEHICLE SEATING AND WEIGHT CAPACITY

Measured Parameter	Front	Rear	Third	Total
Type of Seats	Bucket	Bench	N/A	
Number of Occupants	2	3	N/A	5
Capacity Wt. (VCW) (kg)				428.0
Cargo Wt. (RCLW) (kg)				87.8

## **DATA SHEET NO. 1 (CONTINUED)**

## GENERAL TEST AND VEHICLE PARAMETER DATA

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## **DATA FROM TIRE PLACARD**

Measured Parameter	Front	Rear
Maximum Tire Pressure (kPa)	300	300
Cold / Test Pressure (kPa)	240	240
Recommended Tire Size	P235/50R18	P235/50R18
Tire Size on Vehicle	P235/50R18	P235/50R18
Tire Manufacturer	Firestone	Firestone
Tire Model	Firehawk GT	Firehawk GT
Treadwear	460	460
Traction Grade	A	A
Temperature Grade	A	A
Tire Plies Sidewall	2	2
Tire Plies Body	5	5
Load Index/Speed Symbol	97H	97H
Tire Material	Poly, Steel, Nylon	Poly, Steel, Nylon
DOT Safety Code Right	8XPM FCH 1213	8XPM FCH 1213
DOT Safety Code Left	8XPM FCH 1213	8XPM FCH 1213

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## GENERAL TEST AND VEHICLE PARAMETER DATA

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#### **TEST VEHICLE WEIGHTS**

	Units	As Deliv	ered (UV	W) (Axle)	As Tes	ted (ATV	V) (Axle)
	Omis	Front	Rear	Total	Front	Rear	Total
Left	kg	488.8	344.8		530.0	419.4	
Right	kg	468.2	337.6		490.4	419.8	
Ratio	%	58.4	41.6		54.9	45.1	
Totals	kg	957.0	682.4	1639.4	1020.4	839.2	1859.6

#### TARGET TEST WEIGHT CALCULATION

Measured Parameter	Units	Value
Total Delivered Weight (UVW)	kg	1639.4
Weight of 1 P572E ATD & 1 P572O ATD	kg	139.3
Rated Cargo/Luggage Weight (RCLW)	kg	87.8
Vehicle Target Weight (TVTW)	kg	1866.5

#### TEST VEHICLE ATTITUDES AND CG

	Units	LF	RF	LR	RR	CG (aft of front axle)
As Delivered	mm	735	737	745	757	1179
As Tested	mm	728	729	724	728	1279
Post Test	mm	741	806	715	710	

## GENERAL TEST VEHICLE DATA

Measurement Description	Units	Value
Test Vehicle Wheel Base	mm	2835
Total Vehicle Length at Left Side	mm	4861
Total Vehicle Length at Centerline	mm	5122
Total Vehicle Length at Right Side	mm	4859
Weight of Ballast in Cargo Area	kg	0.0
Weight of Vehicle Components Removed	kg	3.8
Amount of Stoddard Solvent in Fuel Tank	liters	65.1

## LIST OF COMPONENTS REMOVED TO MEET TEST WEIGHT:

Trunk lid liner and rear taillight.

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## TARGET VEHICLE STRUCTURAL MEASUREMENT

	Elements	Pre-Test (mm)
1	Total Length	5122
2	Total Width	1860
3	Bumper Top Height	543
4	Bumper Bottom Height	466
5	Longitudinal Member Top Height	581
6	Distance Between Longitudinal Members	950
7	Longitudinal Member Width	80
8	Engine Top Height	910
9	Engine Bottom Height	295
10	Engine and Gearbox Width	740
11	Front Bumper-Engine Distance	685
12	Front Shock Absorber Fixing Height	945
13	Bonnet Leading Edge Height	832
14	Front Shock Absorber Fixing Width	1190
15	Front Bumper – Front Axle Distance	1015
16	Front Axle – A-Pillar Distance	525
17	A-Pillar – B-Pillar Distance	1080
18	B-Pillar – Rear Axle Distance	1240
19	B-Pillar – C-Pillar Distance	973
20	Roof Sill Bottom Height	1343
21	Roof Sill Top Height	1414
22	Floor Sill Bottom Height	348
23	Floor Sill Top Height	435

## SEAT ADJUSTMENT, FUEL SYSTEM AND STEERING WHEEL DATA

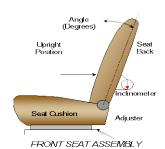
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Test Program: NCAP Frontal Impact

#### NORMAL DESIGN RIDING POSITION

For adjustable driver and passenger seat back. Please describe how to position the inclinometer to measure the seat back angle. Include description of the location of the adjustment latch detent, if applicable.

	Degree
<b>Driver Seat back angle:</b>	15.9
Passenger Seat back angle:	16.9



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#### SEAT FORE/AFT POSITIONS

Describe the method used of determining seat for/aft positions.

Driver: Mid position, Positioned according to Form 1

Passenger: Full forward, Positioned according to Form 1

	Total Fore/Aft Travel	Placed in Position No.
<b>Driver Seat</b>	306	153 mm rearward
Passenger Seat	244	0 (Full Forward)

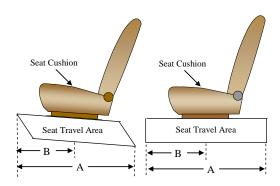
#### SEAT BELT UPPER ANCHORAGE

Describe the method of positioning seat belt upper anchorages.

Driver: Mid position, Positioned according to Form 1

Passenger: Full forward, Positioned according to Form 1

	Total No. of Positions	Placed in Position No.
<b>Driver Seat</b>	5	0 Uppermost
Passenger Seat	5	0 Uppermost



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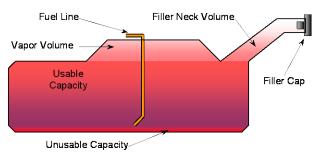
## SEAT ADJUSTMENT, FUEL SYSTEM AND STEERING WHEEL DATA

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#### FUEL TANK CAPACITY

	Liters
Usable Capacity of "Standard Tank"	70.0
Usable Capacity of "Optional Tank"	N/A
92%-94% of Usable Capacity	64.4 - 65.8
Actual Amount of Solvent Used	65.1
1/3 of Usable Capacity	23.4

The vehicle is equipped with an electric fuel pump. If ignition key is at "ON" position and engine is not running, the fuel pump operates for 2 seconds. If the engine is running, then the fuel pump will run continuously.

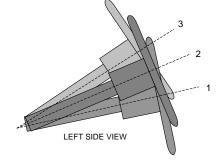


VEHICLE FUEL TANK ASSEMBLY

#### STEERING COLUMN ADJUSTMENT

Steering wheel and column adjustments are made so that the steering wheel hub is at the geometric center of the locus it describes when moved through its full range of motion. An aluminum plate is placed across the rim of the steering wheel, an inclinometer is placed on the plate and the angle is measured.

#### STEERING COLUMN POSITIONS

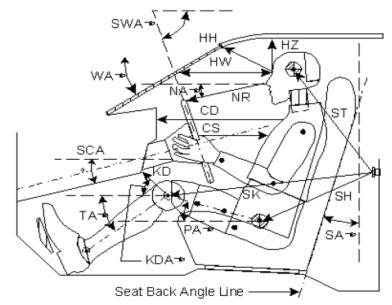


STEERING COLUMN ASSEMBLY

	Degrees	Fore/Aft Position (mm)
Lowermost Position No. 1	21.1	26
<b>Geometric Center Position No. 2</b>	23.3	26
<b>Uppermost Position No. 3</b>	25.6	26
<b>Telescoping Steering Wheel Travel</b>	N/A	52
Test Position	23.3	26

## DUMMY LONGITUDINAL CLEARANCE DIMENSIONS

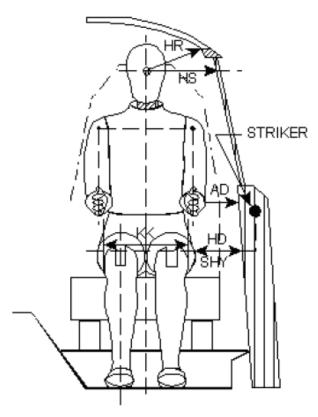
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		Dı	river	Pass	senger
Code	Measurement Description	Length (mm)	Angle (°)	Length (mm)	Angle (°)
WAo	Windshield Angle		28.7		
SWA°	Steering Wheel Angle		66.7		
SCAº	Steering Column Angle		23.3		
SAº	Seat Back Angle (on headrest post)		15.9		16.9
HZ	Head to Roof (Z)	245	90.0	276	90.0
HH	Head to Header	323	25.4	373	40.0
$\mathbf{H}\mathbf{W}$	Head to Windshield	750	0	762	0
NR	Nose to Rim	432	1.5		
CD	Chest to Dash	568		473	
CS	Chest to Steering Hub	388	0		
RA	Rim to Abdomen	254	0		
KDL	Left Knee to Dash	232	31.0	163	33.0
KDR	Right Knee to Dash	198	33.0	171	32.6
PAº	Pelvic Angle		24.1		20.4
TAº	Tibia Angle		32.5		48.1
SK	Striker to Knee	553	8.5	629	6.6
ST	Striker to Head	438	-84.1	425	-73.2
SH	Striker to H-Point	281	56.8	339	30.4

## **DUMMY LATERAL CLEARANCE DIMENSIONS**

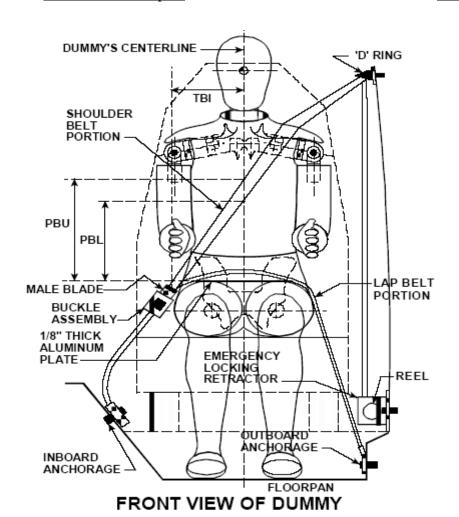
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Code	Measurement Description	Driver	Passenger
AD	Arm to Door	144	104
HD	H-Point to Door	159	170
HR	Head to Side Header	244	265
HS	Head to Side Window	378	380
KK	Knee to Knee	318	170
SHY	Striker to H-Point (Y Direction)	243	268
AA	Ankle to Ankle	300	155

## SEAT BELT POSITIONING DATA

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#### SEAT BELT POSITIONING MEASUREMENTS

Measurement Description	Units	Driver	Passenger
<b>PBU</b> – Top surface of reference to belt upper edge	mm	327	262
PBL – Top surface of reference to belt lower edge	mm	235	168

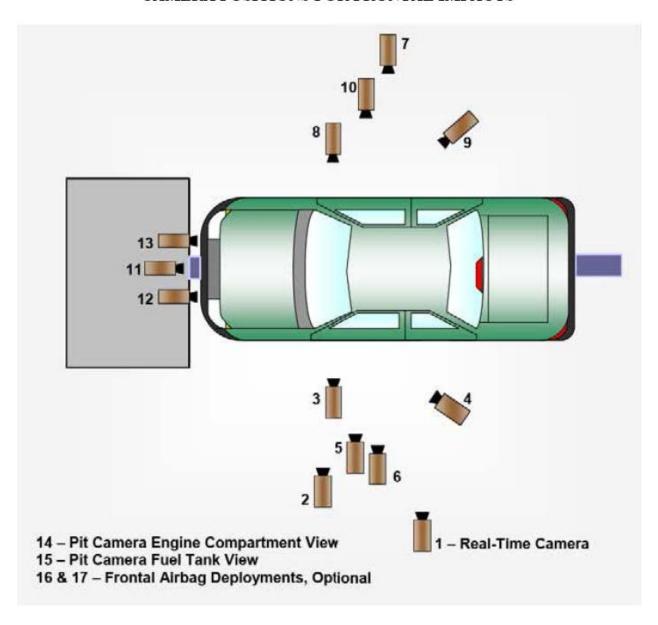
## **BELT LENGTH DATA**

Measurement Description	Units	Driver	Passenger
Shoulder belt length as measured on ATD	mm	800	866
Lap belt length as measured on ATD	mm	374	403
Remainder of belt on reel	mm	1196	1176
Total belt length for continuous webbing systems	mm	2370	2445

## HIGH SPEED CAMERA LOCATIONS AND DATA

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## CAMERA POSITIONS FOR FRONTAL IMPACTS



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## HIGH SPEED CAMERA LOCATIONS AND DATA

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## **CAMERA LOCATIONS**

Ma	No. Camera View		Location (mm)			Frame
NO.	No. Calliela view	X	Y	Z	(mm)	Speed (fps)
1	Real-Time Left Overall	-1358	-6260	-1092	Zoom	30
2	Driver Close-Up	-1060	-6422	-1290	50	1000
3	Left Front Half	-885	-4991	-1164	25	1000
4	Left Angle	-4069	-2781	-1682	25	1000
5	Steering Column - Top	-1951	-6101	-2091	25	1000
6	Steering Column – Bottom	-2163	-5270	-1151	25	1000
7	Right Overall	-2553	5802	-1150	16	1000
8	Passenger Close-Up	-1194	4125	-1302	50	1000
9	Right Front Half	-3961	2386	-1647	25	1000
10	Right Angle	-766	4926	-1146	25	1000
11	Windshield	-102	0	-2561	8.5	1000
12	Driver Windshield	-120	-636	-2594	16	1000
13	Passenger Windshield	-102	625	-2596	16	1000
14	Pit Front	-2069	0	2961	16	1000
15	Pit Rear	-3200	0	2932	8.5	1000
16	Onboard Driver Airbag (Optional)	N/A	N/A	N/A	8.5	1000
17	Onboard Passenger Airbag (Optional)	N/A	N/A	N/A	8.5	1000

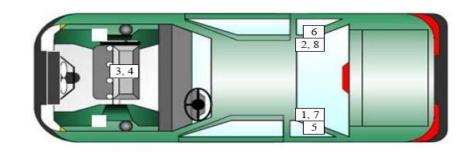
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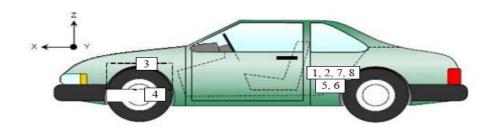
+Y - right of monorail center

+Z – into ground

## VEHICLE ACCELEROMETER DATA

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## VEHICLE ACCELEROMETER PRE-TEST LOCATIONS

No. Camera View	Location (mm)			
NO.	Camera view		Y	Z
1	Left Rear Accelerometer – X Direction	2134	-350	-465
2	Right Rear Accelerometer – X Direction	2134	335	-460
3	Engine Top X	4085	-40	-781
4	Engine Bottom X	4267	120	-168
5	Left Rear Accelerometer – Z Direction	2134	-350	-465
6	Right Rear Accelerometer – Z Direction	2134	335	-460

Reference Points: X - Rear Surface of Vehicle (+ forward)

Y – Vehicle Centerline (+ to right)

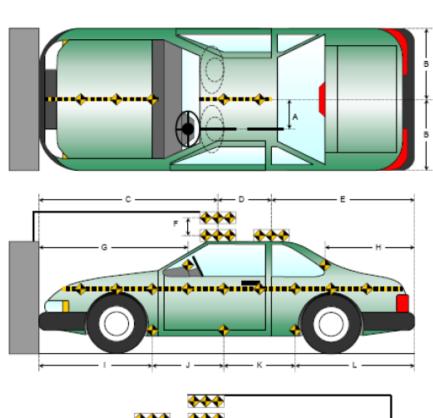
Z – Ground Plane (+ up)

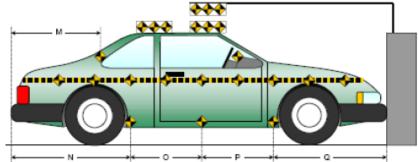
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Item	Value
A	380
В	930
C	2771
D	610
Е	2124
F	238
G	1819
Н	1652
I	1468
J	960
K	972
L	1722
M	1652
N	1724
О	970
P	962
Q	1466







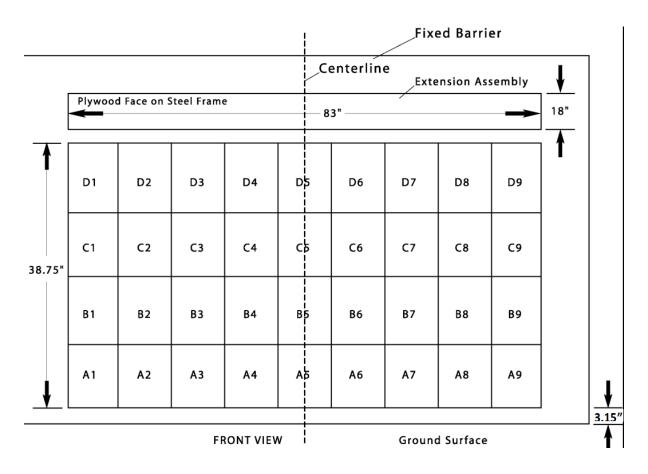
## LOAD CELL LOCATIONS ON FIXED BARRIER

Test Vehicle: 2014 Chevrolet Impala 4-door sedan

NHTSA No.: <u>M20140100</u>

Test Program: NCAP Frontal Impact

Test Date: 06/17/13



## TEST VEHICLE SUMMARY OF RESULTS

Test Vehicle:2014 Chevrolet Impala 4-door sedanNHTSA No.:M20140100Test Program:NCAP Frontal ImpactTest Date:06/17/13

## **INSTRUMENTATION**

Instrumentation	Number of Channels Collected
Driver Dummy Accelerometers	42
Passenger Dummy Accelerometers	42
Vehicle Structure Accelerometers	8
Total	92

## **CAMERA COVERAGE**

Type of Camera	Number Used in this Test		
High-Speed Vehicle Onboard	2		
High-Speed Offboard	14		
Real-Time Panning	2		
Total	18		

## POST-TEST OBSERVATIONS

Test Vehicle:2014 Chevrolet Impala 4-door sedanNHTSA No.:M20140100Test Program:NCAP Frontal ImpactTest Date:06/17/13

## TEST DUMMY INFORMATION AND CONTACT LOCATIONS

Description	Driver	Passenger
Dummy Type / Serial No.	Hybrid III 50th/037	Hybrid III 5th/ 426
Head Contact	Front Airbag, headrest	Front Airbag, headrest
Upper Torso Contact	Front Airbag	Front Airbag
Lower Torso Contact	None	None
Left Knee Contact	Knee Airbag	Knee Airbag
Right Knee Contact	Knee Airbag	Knee Airbag

#### DOOR OPENING AND SEAT TRACK INFORMATION

Description	Front	Rear
Locked/Unlocked Doors	Unlocked	Unlocked
Front Door Opening	Closed and operational	Closed and operational
Rear Door Opening	Closed and operational	Closed and operational
Seat Track Shift (mm)	None	None
Seat Back Failure	None	None

#### POST-TEST STRUCTURAL OBSERVATIONS

Critical Areas of Performance	Observations and Conclusions			
Windshield Damage	Cracked			
Window Damage	None			
Other Notable Effects	Hood support damaged windshield			

#### **VEHICLE REBOUND FROM BARRIER**

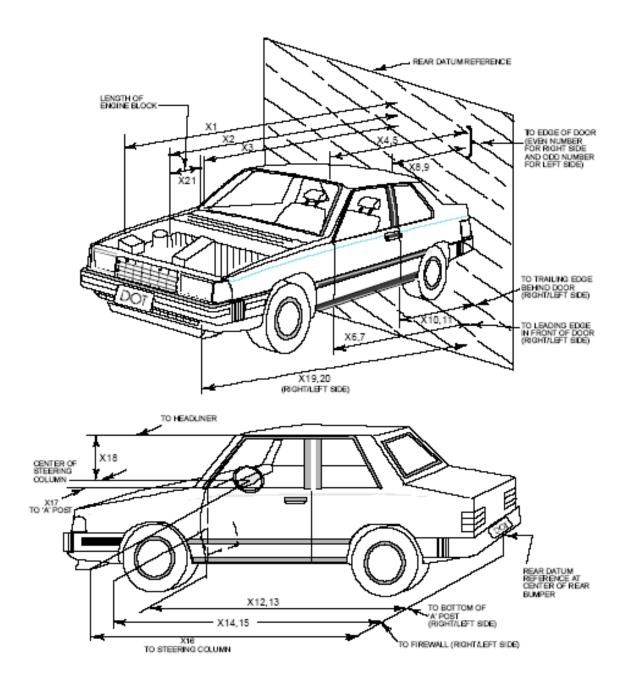
Measured Parameter	Units	Value
Left Side	mm	1134
Center	mm	1021
Right Side	mm	1229
Average	mm	795

#### SUPPLEMENTAL RESTRAINT SYSTEM INFORMATION

Restraint Type	Driver (O	ccupant 1)	Passenger (Occupant 2)		
Restraint Type	Installed	Deployed	Installed	Deployed	
Front Airbag	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Side Curtain Airbag	Yes	No	Yes	No	
Torso/Pelvis Airbag	Yes	No	Yes	No	
Knee Airbag	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Seat Belt Pretensioner	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Seat Belt Load Limiter	Yes	N/A	Yes	N/A	
Other	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	

## **VEHICLE PROFILE MEASUREMENTS**

Test Vehicle: 2014 Chevrolet Impala 4-door sedan NHTSA No.: M20140100 Test Program: NCAP Frontal Impact Test Date: 06/17/13



# DATA SHEET NO. 12 (CONTINUED) VEHICLE PROFILE MEASUREMENTS

Test Vehicle:2014 Chevrolet Impala 4-door sedanNHTSA No.:M20140100Test Program:NCAP Frontal ImpactTest Date:06/17/13

No.	Measurement Description	Pre-Test	Post-Test	Difference
1	Total Length of Vehicle at Centerline	5122	4507	615
2	Rear Surface of Vehicle (RSOV) to Front of Engine	4435	4259	176
3	RSOV to Firewall	3994	3952	42
4	RSOV to Upper Leading Edge of Right Door	3589	3578	11
5	RSOV to Upper Leading Edge of Left Door	3600	3575	25
6	RSOV to Lower Leading Edge of Right Door	3550	3547	3
7	RSOV to Lower Leading Edge of Left Door	3555	3559	-4
8	RSOV to Upper Trailing Edge of Right Door	2512	2502	10
9	RSOV to Upper Trailing Edge of Left Door	2521	2497	24
10	RSOV to Lower Trailing Edge of Right Door	2529	2534	-5
11	RSOV to Lower Trailing Edge of Left Door	2535	2538	-3
12	RSOV to Bottom of "A" Post-of Right Side	3576	3553	23
13	RSOV to Bottom of "A" Post-of Left Side	3576	3552	24
14	RSOV to Firewall, Right Side	3985	3957	28
15	RSOV to Firewall, Left Side	3985	3957	28
16	RSOV to Steering Column	3134	3222	-88
17	Center of Steering Column to "A" Post	321	345	-24
18	Center of Steering Column to Headliner	402	375	27
19	RSOV to Right Side of Front Bumper	4859	4484	375
20	RSOV to Left Side of Front Bumper	4861	4482	379
21	Length of Engine Block	500	500	0
RD	RSOV to Right Side of Dash Panel	3401	3377	24
CD	RSOV to Center of Dash Panel	3370	3352	18
LD	RSOV to Left Side of Dash Panel	3414	3387	27

All Dimensions in mm

#### ACCIDENT INVESTIGATION DIVISION DATA

Test Vehicle: 2014 Chevrolet Impala 4-door sedan NHTSA No.: M20140100 Test Program: NCAP Frontal Impact Test Date: 06/17/13

### **VEHICLE INFORMATION**

VIN: 1G11Y5SLXEU102075 Wheelbase: 2835

Vehicle Size Category: Large Cars

Test Weight (kg): 1859.6

#### **ACCELEROMETER DATA**

Accelerometer Locations: As listed on Page 15 of this report.

Cal. Procedure/Interval: TRC procedure / 6 month interval

Integration Algorithm: Trapezoidal

Linearity: > 99%

Impact Velocity (km/h): 56.55 Velocity Change (km/h): 65.0 Time of Separation (ms): 127.2

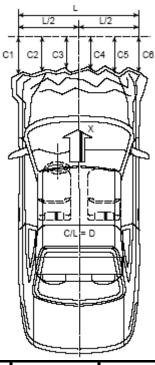
#### **CRUSH PROFILE**

Collision Deformation Classification: <u>12FDEW2</u>

Midpoint of Damage: <u>Centerline</u>

Damage Region Length (mm): 615

Impact Mode: Frontal



No.	Measurement Description	Units	<b>Pre-Test</b>	Post-Test	Difference
C1	Crush zone 1 at left side	mm	4861	4482	379
<b>C2</b>	Crush zone 1 at left side	mm	5022	4532	490
C3	Crush zone 1 at left side	mm	5095	4532	563
<b>C4</b>	Crush zone 1 at right side	mm	5095	4532	563
C5	Crush zone 1 at right side	mm	5022	4535	487
<b>C6</b>	Crush zone 1 at right side	mm	4859	4484	375
L	C1 to C6	mm	1524	1524	0

## VEHICLE INTRUSION MEASUREMENTS

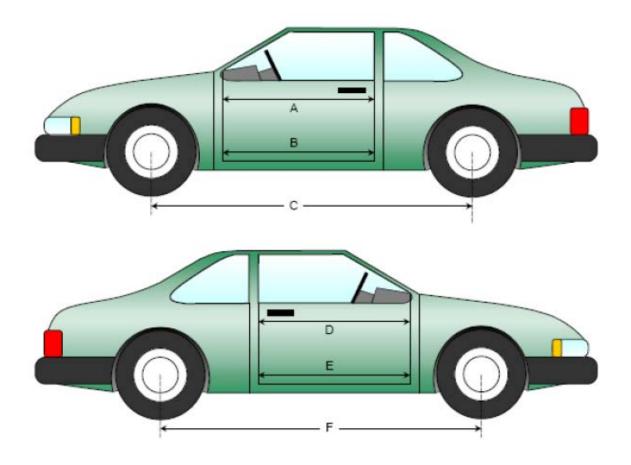
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## DOOR OPENING WIDTH

No.	Description	Units	Pre-Test	Post-Test	Difference
A	Left Side Upper	mm	1015	1015	0
В	Left Side Lower	mm	865	865	0
C	Right Side Upper	mm	1015	1015	0
D	Right Side Lower	mm	865	865	0

## WHEELBASE MEASUREMENTS

No.	Description	Units	Pre-Test	Post-Test	Difference
С	Left Side Wheelbase	mm	2835	2780	55
F	Right Side Wheelbase	mm	2835	2775	60



## **DATA SHEET NO. 14 (CONTINUED)**

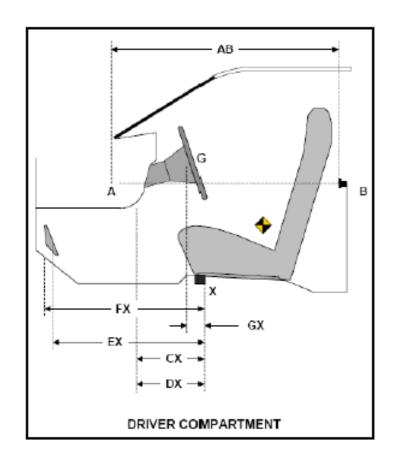
## VEHICLE INTRUSION MEASUREMENTS

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## DRIVER COMPARTMENT INTRUSION

Item	Description		Pre-Test	Post-Test	Difference
AB	Door Opening (Inside Window Jam)	mm	1005	1005	0
CX	Left Knee Bolster to X	mm	345	320	25
DX	Right Knee Bolster to X	mm	333	315	18
EX	Brake Pedal to X	mm	604	642	-38
FX	Foot Rest to X	mm	657	645	12
GX	Center of Steering Column Wheel Hub to X	mm	90	142	-52

X = Front of Seat Track (Stationary)



## SUMMARY OF FMVSS 212, 219 (PARTIAL), AND 301 DATA

Test Vehicle: 2014 Chevrolet Impala 4-door sedan NHTSA No.: M20140100
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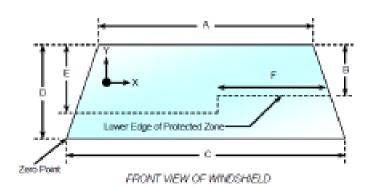
Please provide windshield mounting details.

The standard requires that the post-test retention measurement be a minimum of 75% of the pre-test total periphery measurement for vehicle not equipped with occupant passive restraint and 50% for each side of the windshield for vehicle which are equipped with occupant passive restraints. Temperature of windshield molding during test:

### WINDSHIELD PERIPHERY MEASUREMENTS

Measurement	Pre-Test (mm)	Post-Test (mm)	% Retention
Left Side	2125	2125	100
Right Side	2140	2140	100
Total	4265	4265	100

Item	Units	Value
A	mm	1228
В	mm	477
С	mm	1540
D	mm	766
E	mm	490
F	mm	125



## AREAS OF PROTECTED ZONE FAILURES

A. Provide coordinates of the area that the protected zone was penetrated more than .25 inches by a vehicle component other than one that is normally in contact with the windshield.

B. The inner surface of the windshield was penetrated by the hood support beneath the protected zone.

X	Y
NA	NA

X	Y
1185	90
NA	NA
NA	NA
NA	NA

## **DATA SHEET NO. 15 (CONTINUED)**

## SUMMARY OF FMVSS 212, 219 (PARTIAL), AND 301 DATA

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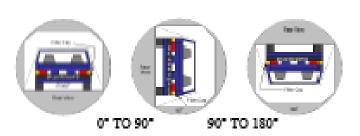
## FMVSS 301 FUEL SYSTEM INTEGRTY POST IMPACT DATA

Temp	erature at Time of Impact:	Test Time:	
Stodd	ard Solvent Spillage Measurements		
A	From impact until vehicle motion ceases: (maximum allowable – 1 oz.)	0	_ OZ.
В	For the 5-minute period after motion ceases: (maximum allowable – 5 oz.)	0	_ OZ.
C	For the following 25 minutes: (maximum allowable – 1 oz./minutes)	0	_ OZ.
D	Spillage: 0		

## FMVSS 301 STATIC ROLLOVER RESULTS

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- 1. The specified fixture rollover rate for each 90° of rotation is 50 to 180 seconds.
- 2. The position hold time at each position is 300 seconds (minimum).
- 3. Details of Stoddard Solvent spillage:









180° TO 270°

270° TO 360°

## SOLVENT COLLECTION TIME TABLE IN SECONDS

Test Phase	<b>Rotation Time</b>	Hold Time	Total Time
0° to 90°	90	300	390
90° to 180°	90	300	780
180° to 270°	90	300	1170
270° to 360°	90	300	1560

#### **FMVSS 301 SPILLAGE TABLE**

Test Phase	First 5 Minutes	Sixth Minute	<b>Seventh Minute</b>	<b>Eighth Minute</b>
0° to 90°	0	0	0	0
90° to 180°	0	0	0	0
180° to 270°	0	0	0	0
270° to 360°	0	0	0	0

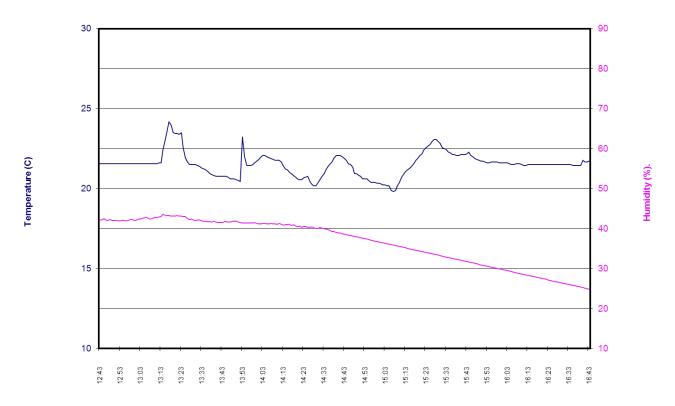
#### SOLVENT SPILLAGE LOCATION TABLE

Test Phase	Spillage Location			
0° to 90°	None			
90° to 180°	None			
180° to 270°	None			
270° to 360°	None			

## **DUMMY/VEHICLE TEMPERATURE STABILIZATION**

Test Vehicle:2014 Chevrolet Impala 4-door sedanNHTSA No.:M20140100Test Program:NCAP Frontal ImpactTest Date:06/17/13

#### Frontal NCAP 130617: Test Time 16:43



Time of Sample

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The following additional dummy and vehicle response data can be found in the R & D section of the NHTSA website at: <a href="www.nhtsa.dot.gov">www.nhtsa.dot.gov</a>.

Driver Head Acceleration X Redundant Driver Head Acceleration Y Redundant Driver Head Acceleration Z Redundant Driver Upper Neck Force Y Driver Upper Neck Moment X

Driver Upper Neck Moment Z

Driver Chest X Acceleration Redundant

Driver Chest Y Acceleration Redundant

Driver Chest Z Acceleration Redundant

Driver Pelvis X

Driver Pelvis Y

Driver Pelvis Z

Driver Left Upper Tibia Moment X

Driver Left Upper Tibia Moment Y

Driver Left Upper Tibia Force Z

Driver Left Lower Tibia Moment X

Driver Left Lower Tibia Moment Y

Driver Left Lower Tibia Force Z

Driver Right Upper Tibia Moment X

Driver Right Upper Tibia Moment Y

Driver Right Upper Tibia Force Z

Driver Right Lower Tibia Moment X

Driver Right Lower Tibia Moment Y

Driver Right Lower Tibia Force Z

Driver Left Foot Fore Z

Driver Left Foot Aft X

Driver Left Foot Aft Z

Driver Right Foot Fore Z

Driver Right Foot Aft X

Driver Right Foot Aft Z

Driver Shoulder Belt Force

Driver Lap Belt Force

Passenger Head Acceleration X Redundant

Passenger Head Acceleration Y Redundant

Passenger Head Acceleration Z Redundant

Passenger Upper Neck Force Y

Passenger Upper Neck Moment X

Passenger Upper Neck Moment Z

Passenger Chest X Acceleration Redundant

Passenger Chest Y Acceleration Redundant

Passenger Chest Z Acceleration Redundant

Passenger Pelvis X

Passenger Pelvis Y

Passenger Pelvis Z

Passenger Left Upper Tibia Moment X

Passenger Left Upper Tibia Moment Y

Passenger Left Upper Tibia Force Z

Passenger Left Lower Tibia Moment X

Passenger Left Lower Tibia Moment Y

Passenger Left Lower Tibia Force Z

Passenger Right Upper Tibia Moment X

Passenger Right Upper Tibia Moment Y

Passenger Right Upper Tibia Force Z

Passenger Right Lower Tibia Moment X

Passenger Right Lower Tibia Moment Y

Passenger Right Lower Tibia Force Z

Passenger Left Foot Fore Z

Passenger Left Foot Aft X

Passenger Left Foot Aft Z

Passenger Right Foot Fore Z

Passenger Right Foot Aft X

Passenger Right Foot Aft Z

Passenger Shoulder Belt Force

Passenger Lap Belt Force

Left Rear Seat Crossmember X

Left Rear Seat Crossmember Z

Right Rear Seat Crossmember X

Right Rear Seat Crossmember Z

Left Rear Seat Crossmember X Redundant

Right Rear Seat Crossmember X Redundant

Vehicle Engine Top X

Vehicle Engine Bottom X

**BARRIER LOAD A1** 

BARRIER LOAD A2

**BARRIER LOAD A3** 

BARRIER LOAD A4

BARRIER LOAD A5

BARRIER LOAD A6

**BARRIER LOAD A7** 

**BARRIER LOAD A8** 

BARRIER LOAD A9

**BARRIER LOAD B1** 

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# APPENDIX C DUMMY CALIBRATION AND PERFORMANCE VERIFICATION