

2017 NISSAN LEAF

Overview and cost calculation (GPCOG, 3/9/2017)



Range: 107 miles (EPA approved range, the range depends on driving style and outdoor temperature)
 Motor: 80 kW AC synchronous electric motor
 Battery: 30 kWh lithium-ion (Li-ion)
 Overall fuel economy: 106 MPG-e (3.16 mi/kWh)
 Charging time: 25amps/240V - Level II Charger: 4.7 hours, DC Fastcharger: 30 min.
 Warranty: 3 yr/36,000 miles basic, 5 yr/60,000 miles powertrain



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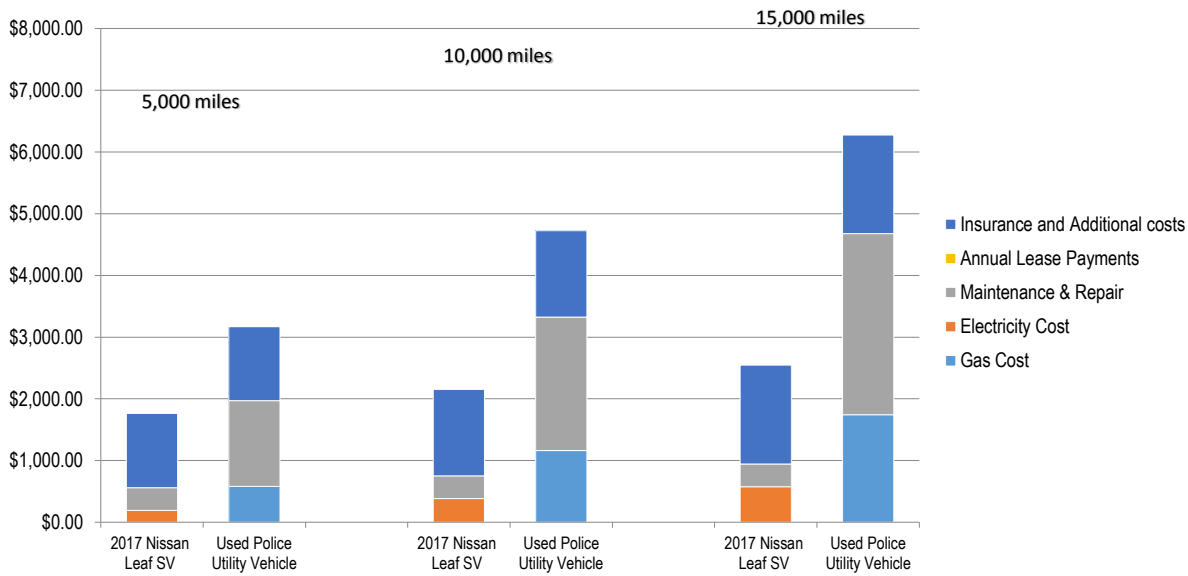
Compared vehicle: Used Police Utility Vehicle: MPG 14/18

Scenario 1		Total Miles Driven annually		A.) 5,000 miles annually		B.) 10,000 miles annually		C.) 15,000 miles annually	
Assumptions:		Vehicle Type	2017 Nissan Leaf SV	Used Police Utility Vehicle	2017 Nissan Leaf SV	Used Police Utility Vehicle	2017 Nissan Leaf SV	Used Police Utility Vehicle	
Gas Cost (\$ per gallon)	\$1.86	Gas Cost	\$0	\$580	\$0	\$1,161	\$0	\$1,741	
Electricity Cost (¢ per kWh)	12.65	Electricity Cost	\$192	\$0	\$383	\$0	\$575	\$0	
Nissan Leaf: 27/33 kWh/100 miles		Maintenance & Repair	\$371	\$1,389	\$371	\$2,163	\$371	\$2,936	
Used Police Vehicle: 14/18 MPG		Annual Lease Payments	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Highway Driving: 50%		Insurance and Additional costs	\$1,200	\$1,200	\$1,400	\$1,400	\$1,600	\$1,600	
City/Urban Driving 50%									
Other trips: No									
		Total Annual Cost	\$1,762	\$3,169	\$2,154	\$4,724	\$2,545	\$6,277	
		Gas used per year (gal)	0	312	0	624	0	936	
		Electricity used per year (kWh)	1514	0	3028	0	4543	0	
		Tailpipe CO2 (in tons)	0	2.7	0	5.4	0	8.1	
		Upstream CO2 (in tons)	0.3	0.7	0.6	1.4	0.9	2.1	
		Total CO2 Emissions (in tons)	0.3	3.4	0.6	6.8	0.9	10.2	
		Equivalent in trees	10	89	20	178	30	267	

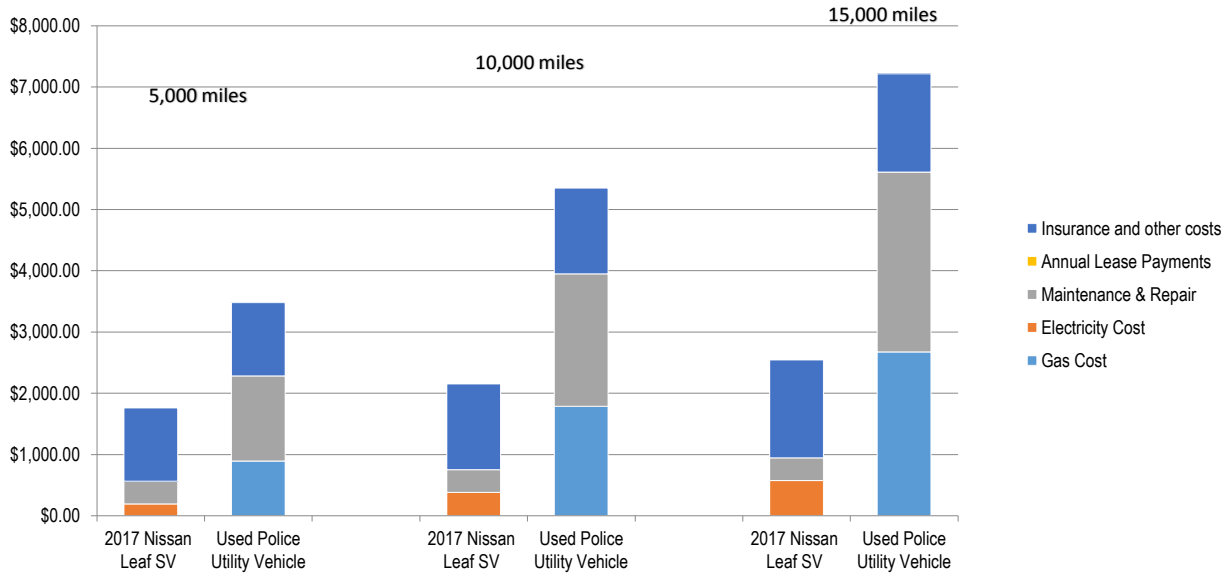
Scenario 2		Total Miles Driven annually		A.) 5,000 miles annually		B.) 10,000 miles annually		C.) 15,000 miles annually	
Assumptions:		Vehicle Type	2017 Nissan Leaf SV	Used Police Utility Vehicle	2017 Nissan Leaf SV	Used Police Utility Vehicle	2017 Nissan Leaf SV	Used Police Utility Vehicle	
Gas Cost (\$ per gallon)	\$2.86	Gas Cost	\$0	\$892	\$0	\$1,785	\$0	\$2,677	
Electricity Cost (¢ per kWh)	12.65	Electricity Cost	\$192	\$0	\$383	\$0	\$575	\$0	
Nissan Leaf: 27/33 kWh/100 miles		Maintenance & Repair	\$371	\$1,389	\$371	\$2,163	\$371	\$2,936	
Used Police Vehicle: 14/18 MPG		Annual Lease Payments	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Highway Driving: 50%		Insurance and other costs	\$1,200	\$1,200	\$1,400	\$1,400	\$1,600	\$1,600	
City/Urban Driving 50%									
Other trips: No									
		Total Annual Cost	\$1,762	\$3,481	\$2,154	\$5,348	\$2,545	\$7,213	
		Gas used per year (gal)	0	312	0	624	0	936	
		Electricity used per year (kWh)	1514	0	3028	0	4543	0	
		Tailpipe CO2 (in tons)	0	2.7	0	5.4	0	8.1	
		Upstream CO2 (in tons)	0.3	0.7	0.6	1.4	0.9	2.1	
		Total CO2 Emissions (in tons)	0.3	3.4	0.6	6.8	0.9	10.2	
		Equivalent in trees	10	89	20	178	30	267	

Scenario 3		Total Miles Driven annually		A.) 5,000 miles annually		B.) 10,000 miles annually		C.) 15,000 miles annually	
Assumptions:		Vehicle Type	2017 Nissan Leaf SV	Used Police Utility Vehicle	2017 Nissan Leaf SV	Used Police Utility Vehicle	2017 Nissan Leaf SV	Used Police Utility Vehicle	
Gas Cost (\$ per gallon)	\$3.50	Gas Cost	\$0	\$1,092	\$0	\$2,184	\$0	\$3,276	
Electricity Cost (¢ per kWh)	12.65	Electricity Cost	\$192	\$0	\$383	\$0	\$575	\$0	
Nissan Leaf: 27/33 kWh/100 miles		Maintenance & Repair	\$371	\$1,389	\$371	\$2,163	\$371	\$2,936	
Used Police Vehicle: 14/18 MPG		Annual Lease Payments	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Highway Driving: 50%		Insurance and other costs	\$1,200	\$1,200	\$1,400	\$1,400	\$1,600	\$1,600	
City/Urban Driving 50%									
Other trips: No									
		Total Annual Cost	\$1,762	\$3,681	\$2,154	\$5,747	\$2,545	\$7,812	
		Gas used per year (gal)	0	312	0	624	0	936	
		Electricity used per year (kWh)	1514	0	3028	0	4543	0	
		Tailpipe CO2 (in tons)	0	2.7	0	5.4	0	8.1	
		Upstream CO2 (in tons)	0.3	0.7	0.6	1.4	0.9	2.1	
		Total CO2 Emissions (in tons)	0.3	3.4	0.6	6.8	0.9	10.2	
		Equivalent in trees	10	89	20	178	30	267	

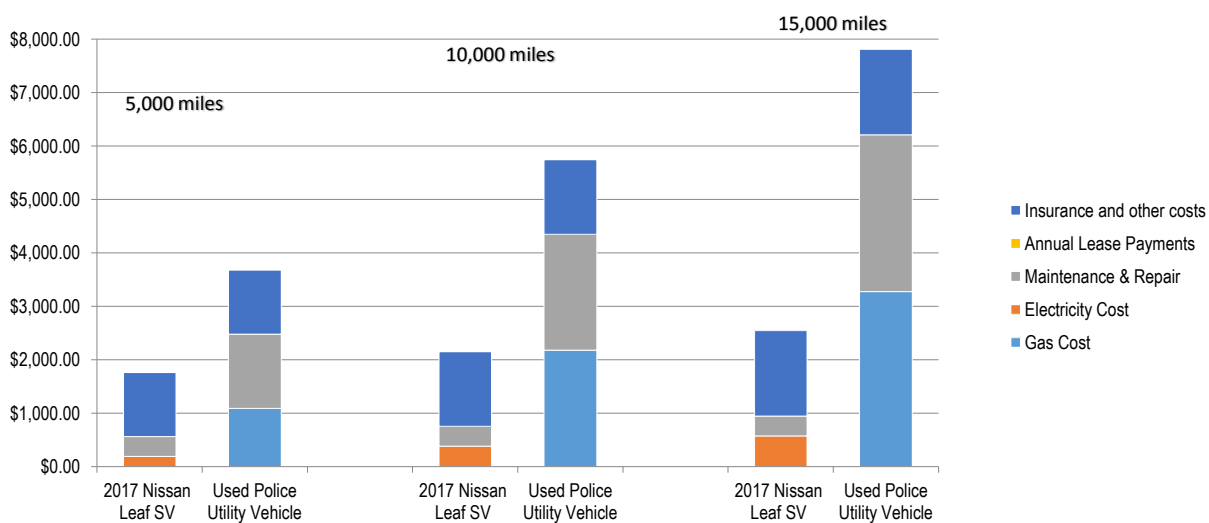
Scenario 1 - Total Annual Cost



Scenario 2 - Total Annual Cost



Scenario 3 - Total Annual Cost



Predicted reliability - NISSAN LEAF

Initial Quality - Overall	●●●○○ 3
Overall Quality - Mechanical	●●●○○ 3
Powertrain Quality - Mechanical	●●●●● 5
Features and Accessories - Mechanical	●●●●○ 3.5
Body & Interior Quality - Mechanical	●●●○○ 2.5
Overall Quality - Design	●●●○○ 3
Features and Accessories - Design	●●●○○ 3
Powertrain Quality - Design	●●●●● 4.5
Body & Interior - Design	●●●○○ 2.5

Ratings are based on J.D. Power's Initial Quality Study for the 2017 Nissan Leaf.

Conclusion:

The New England electricity grid is one of the cleanest in the country which is making Maine and New England one of the best regions to drive an EV from a clean fuel perspective. Leasing 2017 Nissan Leaf SV brings significant environmental benefits compared to a used conventional gas vehicle. In some cases it is also more economically viable. The total annual CO₂ emissions for Nissan Leaf are on average 8 - 9 times lower than those produced by the compared conventional gas vehicle. The main limitation for Nissan Leaf is its range. This vehicle is suitable for multiple short distance trips.

Additional Information & Notes:

- Estimates for maintenance costs are based on engine type, class of car and driving habits.
- Cost equivalent MPG converts electrical energy usage of EVs to its equivalent in gasoline based on cost.
- Tailpipe CO₂ includes emissions for gasoline calculated at 8.8 kg CO₂/gal.
- Upstream CO₂ for gasoline is calculated at 2.21 kg CO₂/gal
- CO₂ absorption is assumed as 38.6 kg per tree
- Source of data : U.S. Department of Energy - Vehicle Cost Calculator, <http://www.afdc.energy.gov/calculator/> and Befrugal <https://www.befrugal.com/tools/electric-car-calculator/>