Powertrain trends in electric trucks

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Abstract:

Regulations demanding reduction of CO_2 and other greenhouse gas emissions are being implemented worldwide and they are the main driver for electrification in transportation. This presentation focuses on the trends of electric powertrain for trucks, their configuration in the vehicle, their limitations and optimization potential.

Curriculum Vitae:



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