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Service Bulletin

## PRELIMINARY INFORMATION

Subject: Battery Test Cold Cranking Amperage (CCA) for Original Equipment Batteries and Testing Tips

Models: 2012-2014 GM Cars and Trucks

Correct battery cold cranking amperage (CCA) ratings and type are critical for proper test results when using the EL-50313. Access to the battery specification label which contains the CCA rating and type may be difficult without component removal. Refer to the table below for the original equipment ratings used to set up a proper battery test and PDI charge.

**Note:** When setting up a battery for testing, it is required to select "Out Of Vehicle" or a warranty code will not be generated. The battery must be disconnected from the vehicle and the test equipment connected directly to the battery posts. There is no need to remove the battery from the vehicle.

Note: The following battery ratings are for original equipment (OEM) only. Service batteries may have different ratings.

Vehicle	Engine	MY 12 CCA Rating	MY 13 CCA Rating	MY 14 CCA Rating	Battery Type			
Passenger Car								
ATS	All Engines	-	700	700	AGM			
ATS w/Start Stop	L4/Gas	-	-	730	AGM			
Camaro	All Engines	720	720	720	Flooded			
Corvette	All Engines	590	590	615	Flooded			
Cruze	L4/Gas	525	525	525	Flooded			
	L4/Diesel	-	-	730	AGM			
CTS	All Engines	660	660	660	Flooded			
CTS Sedan (New Model)	All Engines	-	-	730	AGM			
ELR	L4/Gas	-	-	600	AGM			
Impala	V6/Gas	600	600	615	Flooded			
Impala (New Model)	L4/Gas & V6/Gas	-	-	615	Flooded			
	L4/BAS+	-	-	525	Flooded			

LaCrosse	L4/BAS+	525	525	525	Flooded		
	V6/Gas	615	615	615	Flooded		
Malibu	All Engines	590	525	525	Flooded		
Malibu w/Start Stop	L4/Gas	-	-	850/155 Aux	AGM		
Orlando	L4/Gas	525	525	525	Flooded		
Regal	L4/BAS+	525	525	525	Flooded		
	L4/Gas	615	615	615	Flooded		
Sonic	L4/Gas	525	525	525	Flooded		
Spark	L4/Gas	-	375	375	Flooded		
Spark EV		-	-	520	AGM		
SS	V8/Gas	-	-	700	AGM		
Verano	All Engines	615	615	615	Flooded		
Volt	L4/Gas	600	600	600	AGM		
XTS	V6/Gas	-	660	660	Flooded		
Pick-up							
Colorado/Canyon	All Engines	590	-	-	Flooded		
Silverado/Sierra LD/HD	V8/Diesel	730	730	730	Flooded		
	V8/Gas	615	615	720	Flooded		
	V6/Gas	730	730	730	Flooded		
suv							
Avalanche	All Engines	615	615	615	Flooded		
Captiva Sport	L4/Gas	615	615	615	Flooded		
	V6/Gas	660	660	660	Flooded		
Enclave/Traverse/Acadia	V6/Gas	660	660	660	Flooded		
Encore/Trax	L4/Gas	-	525	525	Flooded		
Equinox/Terrain	L4/Gas	525	525	525	Flooded		
	V6/Gas	660	660	660	Flooded		

Escalade/Tahoe/Suburban/Yu kon	All Engines	660	660	660	Flooded		
SRX	V6/Gas	660	660	660	Flooded		
Van							
Express/Savana	V8/Diesel	770	770	770	Flooded		
	V8/Gas	600	600	600	Flooded		
Police Package							
Caprice	V6/Gas	700	700	700	AGM		
Impala	V6/Gas	720	720	720	Flooded		
Tahoe	V6/Gas	660	660	660	Flooded		

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