## Reliability analysis and lifetime estimation of energy storage systems with converters (finished May 2013)

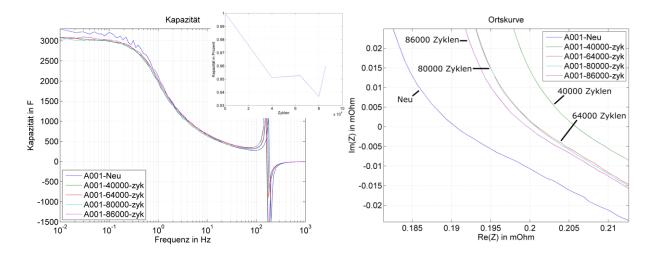
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- 1) Investigations on reliability and lifetime of double layer capacitors (supercaps, ultracaps) as short-term energy storage device
- 2) Reliability analysis and lifetime estimation of converters with discrete power semiconductors based on thermo mechanical simulations



Characterization of supercaps by impedance spectroscopy at different number of load cycles