# UK testing ecosystem for connected and autonomous vehicles - response form

The call for evidence is available at:
[www.gov.uk/government/consultations/driverless-vehicle-testing-facilities-call-for-evidence](https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/driverless-vehicle-testing-facilities-call-for-evidence)

The closing date for responses is **31 July 2016**.

Please return completed forms to:

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## Questions

Name:
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Question 1

**Are the proposed characteristics of an ambitious testing ecosystem correct? Where are the errors, gaps, and opportunities? (see section 4.2)**

Comments: Click here to enter text.

Questions 2

Do you support a flagship testing facility?

**A** [ ]  Yes [ ]  No [ ]  Not sure

Comments: Click here to enter text.

Question 2a

If yes, what should it look like and what should it do?

Comments: Click here to enter text.

Question 2b

**Where should it be?**

Comments: Click here to enter text.

Question 2c(i)

**How fast could this facility be delivered?**

Comments: Click here to enter text.

Question 2c(ii)

**How could it be delivered in stages to ensure impact in the short term?**

Comments: Click here to enter text.

Question 2d

**What would it cost (who should pay for it and how)?**

Comments: Click here to enter text.

Question 2e

**What additionality to the existing offer would it provide, and how would it fit into the existing CAV testing ecosystem?**

**Comments:** Click here to enter text.

Question 2f

**What role could central government play? (This call for evidence does not create an expectation of new funding)**

**Comments:** Click here to enter text.

Question 2g

**Do you wish to express an early interest in being a partner in its funding and delivery?**

[ ] Yes [ ] No

Comments: Click here to enter text.

***Question 2h***

If you are not in support of a flagship test facility please explain why you not support this concept?

**Comments:** Click here to enter text.

***Question 2i***

Do you have any alternative suggestions as to how to deliver the need that such a test bed might fulfil?

**Comments:** Click here to enter text.

**Question 3**

How have other countries responded to similar challenges and priorities? Are there any lessons to be learned and applied in the UK?

**Comments:** Click here to enter text.

Question 4

**We are currently exploring options for communications activities to increase awareness and understanding of the benefits of Connected and Autonomous Vehicle technologies. What support do you think government should offer in helping to raise awareness and communicate the benefits of these technologies?**

**Comments:** Click here to enter text.

Thank you for taking the time to let us have your views. We do not intend to acknowledge receipt of individual responses unless you tick the box below.

Please acknowledge this reply [ ]