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MOVES2014 update

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Agenda

- ▶ What is MOVES2014?
- What's our process of updating MOVES?
- ▶ What are the major data updates to MOVES2014?
- What's next after MOVES2014?

Updates to MOVES2014

Overview

What is MOVES?

- ▶ <u>Motor Vehicle Emission Simulator</u>
- Estimates emissions & energy use from highway mobile sources
 - Criteria pollutants
 - GHG pollutants
 - > | 80 air toxics
- Accounts for national emission standards, vehicle populations and activity, local rules, fuels and meteorology

MOVES is a Science-Based Policy Tool

- ▶ MOVES serves two broad "required" user groups
 - Internal EPA for regulatory and analytic support
 - State and local governments for SIP and Conformity analysis
 - Used for state implementation plans, transportation conformity determinations, NEPA assessment, EPA regulations, research
- Many researchers and consultants also use MOVES
- CAA requires EPA to review and (if necessary) revise emission factors at least every 3 years
 - Important to balance the needs for model stability for States/regions with incorporating the latest science and regulations

MOVES is a Bottom-Up Emission Model

- Emission rates are tied directly to the physical processes that create those emissions
 - Linked to the activity and technology
 - Running emissions: Based on operating modes through Vehicle Specific Power
 - Start emissions: incorporates technology, soak time/ambient temperature dependence
 - Crankcase emissions: models failures in crankcase ventilation systems, venting of diesel crankcase emissions
 - Evaporative emissions: permeation/vapor venting/leak processes
 - Brake & Tire Wear: physical driven model
 - Auxiliary power unit emissions, extended idle emissions (hotelling), refueling emission processes
- Bottom-up approach enables MOVES to:
 - Evaluate impact of vehicle technologies and fuel properties on emissions
 - Use consistent approach in estimating project-level inventories as well as national-level inventories

Ongoing Process for Updating MOVES

Collect

- MOVES is a data driven model
- Data from EPA test programs, relevant research programs, peer-reviewed literatures
- User concerns, recommendations, suggestions
- Problems, potential errors, inaccuracies

Analyze

- New data, determine appropriateness of inclusion into MOVES
- Confirm issues and/or evaluate recommendations
- Projections of future incorporating the impacts of regulations
- Develop Code
- Prioritize
 - Based upon impact to user, data accuracy, impact on results
- Test Code, Document and Peer Review
- Release
- Validate
- Collect Feedback
- Repeat!

Processes for Peer Review and Receiving Feedback

FACA workgroup

- ▶ EPA presented details of technical updates on six, ½ day meetings
- Reviewers included: Industry Trade Groups, Environmental Groups, Federal/State/Local Government, Research Consortiums, Academia
- Peer-reviewed 8 MOVES technical documents
- Training courses
 - Over 50 trainings to date, with over 1300 attendees
 - Additional hands-on courses and webinars planned for 2014
 - MOVES workshop in 2011, attended by over 230 stakeholders
- MOVES inbox, web pages and Frequently Asked Questions
 - Provided over 2500 responses to user questions
- Support to air quality and transportation agencies

MOVES2010 Validation paved the path to data collection for MOVES2014

- Validation of a model like MOVES is multi-faceted
 - Studies must be scrutinized carefully
- Validation work on MOVES 2010 provided direction for updates
 - Dynamometer test programs (e.g. CRC E55/59)
 - Remote sensing (e.g. Houston Drayage Data)
 - Tunnel & road side studies
 - Air quality modeling and ambient air quality monitoring
 - Fuel consumption surveys
- Showed energy rates, emission rates, fleet and activity generally favorable
- Along with feedback, validation guide and help us to prioritize analysis of new data, development of functional
- 9 improvements

New Test Programs & Data in MOVES2014

Fuel Effects

- EPAct study on Gasoline fuel effects
- Effects of E85 on emissions
- ► EPA In-Use Sulfur Test Program

Evaporative Emissions

- CRC E-77 Ethanol, RVP, leak magnitude
- High Evap Field Study leak frequency
- Running loss vapor leak study
- Multiday Diurnal Testing

PM Emissions

 Kansas City light-duty gasoline study

▶ Temperature Effects

EPA Cold Temperature Study

Heavy Duty

In-Use Compliance Program PEMS data

Population and Activity

- R.L. Polk 2011 Vehicle Population
- ▶ 2011 FHWA VMT
- 2014 AEO Vehicle Sales and VMT Projections
- 2011 National average speed distribution using TomTom GPS data

Fuel Supply

- Refinery batch fuel certification
- Updated AEO fuel distributions projections

MOVES Future Projections

- Retrospective modeling provides solid foundation on which to project future emissions
 - Regulatory Control programs (e.g. OTAQ regs and IM)
 - Deterioration rate (and high emitters/emissions) analysis
- ▶ EPA Regulations implemented in MOVES2014
 - Heavy-Duty Greenhouse Gas (HD GHG) MY 2014-2018
 - Decrease in heavy-duty energy consumption rates
 - Decrease in criteria pollutant emissions as a result of improved aerodynamics and rolling resistance.
 - Increase in criteria emissions from auxiliary power units
 - Light-Duty Greenhouse Gas (LD GHG) MY 2017-2025
 - ▶ Decrease in light duty energy consumption rates
 - ▶ Tier 3 Vehicle Emissions and Fuel Standards Program MY 2017-2025
 - Decrease in light-duty and medium-duty emission rates
 - ▶ Reduction in gasoline sulfur level
 - Significant reductions in vapor venting, permeation and evaporative leakage
 - Renewable Fuel Standard (RFS)
 - Updated mandated ethanol volumes
 - Updated flex-fuel vehicle (FFV) penetrations

MOVES2014 "Functional" Improvements

- Improved integration of MOVES with air quality models
 - ▶ TOG and PM Speciation
 - Improved SMOKE-MOVES
- Fuel Wizard
 - Automatically adjust fuel property changes based on user-made fuel property changes (e.g. ethanol)
- Incorporate NONROAD model into MOVES
- Added Features for local inputs
 - MOVES HPMS vehicle categories aligned with new FHWA definitions
 - Hoteling importer for local users to use own hoteling activity
 - Start importer for local users to import own start activity data
 - Upgraded tool to estimate fleet-wide impacts of retrofit strategies
 - Additional road types to separately account for ramp activity
- GUI improvements
 - Better error checking, reg-class output option, ramp-only/highway-only road type option, removal of leap years

What's Next?

- ▶ MOVES2014 release expected in spring, 2014
- Validation of MOVES2014
- We will be initiating a large new data collection survey
 - Nonroad
 - On-road
 - Fleet and activity
- Collect early feedback from users
- Continually improve model science, functionality, and performance

Technical updates to MOVES2014

Evaporative Emissions Modeling

- Previous modeling tied to certification test procedures, based on data from 1990's:
 - Running Loss vapor lost during vehicle operation
 - ▶ Hot Soak vapor lost while a vehicle cools after engine turn-off
 - ▶ **Diurnal/Cold Soak** vapor lost while parked at ambient temperature
 - ▶ **Refueling Loss** vapor lost and spillage occurring during refueling
- MOVES revised approach based on underlying physical processes, has driven development of new test procedures
 - Permeation migration of HC through materials in fuel system
 - ► Tank Vapor Venting vapor generated in fuel system lost to atmosphere when not contained by evap emission control system
 - Liquid Leaks Liquid fuel leaking from the fuel system, evaporating to atmosphere
 - Refueling Emissions spillage and vapor displacement as a result of refueling

MOVES Vehicle Evap Sources

Vapor Leaks - e.g., gas caps, compromised vent lines, connections, fittings

Vapor Venting Vapor Leaks Charcoal Cap Canister Vapor **Fuel Permeation ORVR** canister controlled **ORVR** drives canister size **Liquid Leaks**

Vapor Venting includes: Running Loss, Hot Soak and Cold Soak (Diurnals)

Vapor is generated by fuel tank heating, due to increasing ambient temps and/or vehicle operation

> **Breakthrough** - canister cannot contain all of the generated vapor; can result in large increase in **HC** emissions Breakthrough happens with higher temperatures, higher RVP, less fuel in tank, and/or > 3 days

Liquid leaks - fuel tank/fuel line holes

Offgassing from polymers

Permeation - emissions through polymer walls, worsened by ethanol and controlled by changing fuel system materials

Refueling -

Except for HDGVs,

Recent Testing Program Objectives

- Develop new test procedures to distinguish the evaporative mechanisms
- What are fuel ethanol and RVP effects?
- What are the effects of leaks in various locations of the vehicle?

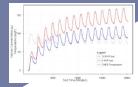


- How often do leaks occur in real world?
- What is the range of magnitude of these leaks?
- Where are they most likely to occur?



High Evap Field Studies

- When do newer technology vehicles experience canister breakthrough?
- What is the backpurge rate over extended parked period?
- How does fuel RVP affect multiday diurnals?



Multiday Diurnal Testing

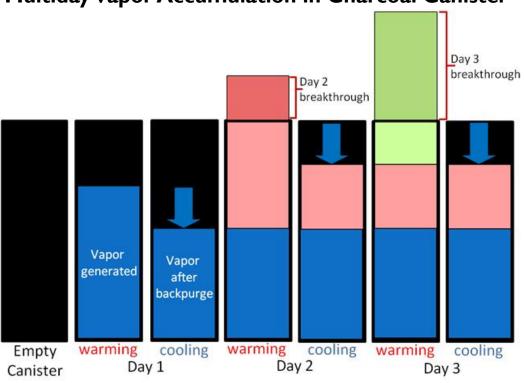
- What are RL emissions for newer technology vehicles?
- What are RL emissions for leaking vehicles?
- What are purge rates for different types of driving and how do they affect leaking vehicles?

Running Loss (RL) Testing

E-77 Test Programs

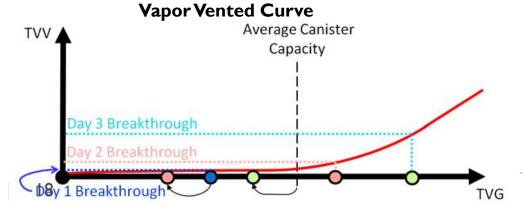
Multi-day Modeling with DELTA

Multiday Vapor Accumulation in Charcoal Canister



Dynamic behavior within a charcoal canister over three days of continuous cold soaking

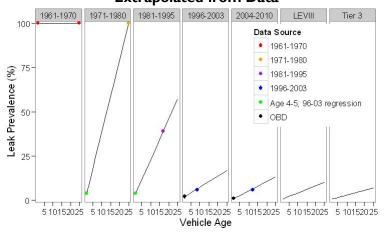
Blue down arrows indicate backpurge

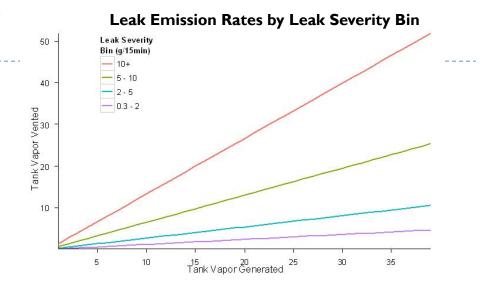


Averaging for fleet of vehicles leads to Vapor Vented Curve in MOVES

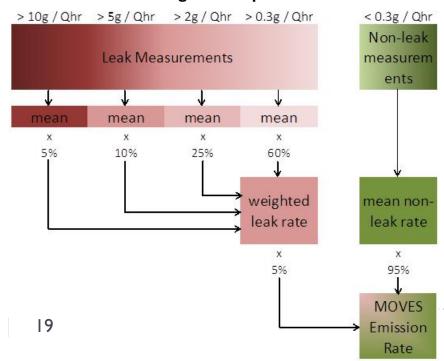
Modeling Leaking Vehicles

Non-IM Vapor Leak Prevalence for Leaks> 0.3 g/15 min Extrapolated from Data





Calculate Weighted Evaporative Emissions

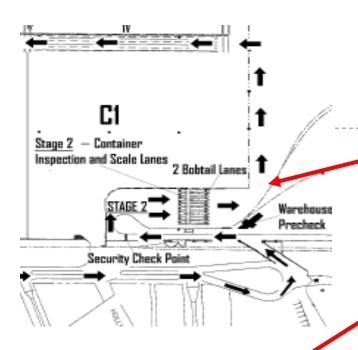


Leak emission rates include: Hot Soak, Cold Soak (Diurnal), Running Loss for leaking vehicles

Non leak rates are weighted with the leaking emission rates for particular model year group and leak severity bin

Heavy-duty Exhaust

- ▶ Two Real-world in-use data sets available for MOVES2014
- Heavy-Duty Diesel In-Use Testing (HDIU)
 - Data collected by manufacturers during normal operation and use
 - ▶ ~5 engines tested per family
 - Within useful life (< 450,000 miles), well-maintained
 - MY: 2005-2010
- Houston Drayage Data
 - Collected emissions and activity data on HD drayage trucks using PEMS and PAMS in 2009-2010
 - Trucks selected for PEMS testing based on remote sensing scores
 - Generally higher mileage (> useful life)



Location of RSD equipment

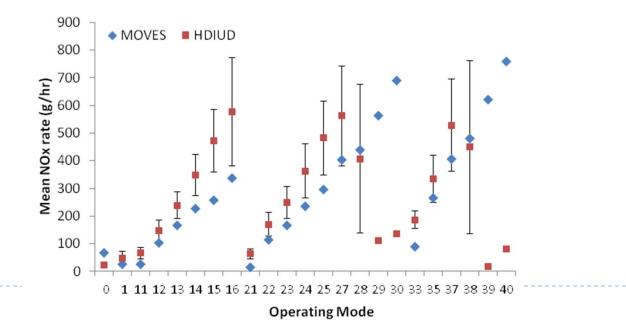
RSD equipment





Heavy-duty Exhaust

- Studies validated current heavy-duty NOx MOVES rates for
 - Pre-2006 model years
- NOx rates updated from HDIU program for
 - MY 2007-2009
 - Indicate larger NOx emissions than MOVES2010



Fuel Effects/Fuel Supply Updates

EPAct Tier 2 Gasoline Model

- 27 fuels tested in 15 Tier 2 vehicles, E85 tested in 4 FFVs
- Impacts of ethanol and other key fuel properties

EPA Sulfur Effects Model

 Impact of ultra-low gasoline sulfur levels on emissions from in-use Tier 2 gasoline vehicles

▶ E85 Fuel effects

Analyzed data from four E85 test programs

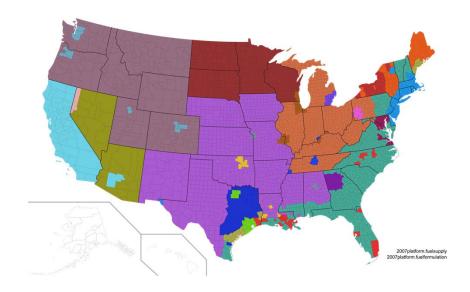
Compressed Natural Gas

Based on literature review of 9 studies

New Fuel Supply

- Based on Regional Fuels
 - Approx. 28,000 batches of CG reported in 2007
 - Reduces Fuels in MOVES from ~300 to ~40
 - More reliable data than fuel surveys at the gas pump
- Contains most current ethanol (E10, E15, E85) and fuel formulation projections based on AEO2014

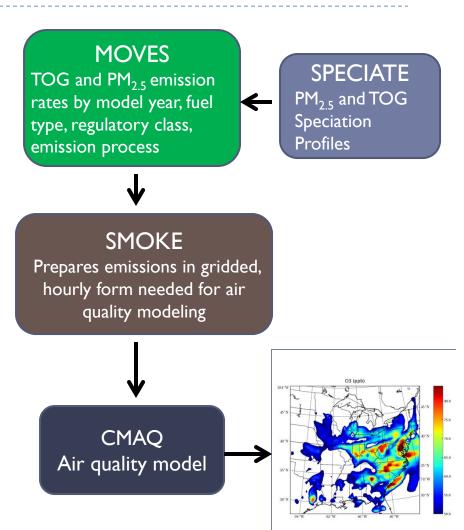
Fuel Supply Regions in MOVES2014



Air Quality Modeling in MOVES2014

MOVES2014

- Incorporates TOG and PM Speciation profiles from EPA SPECIATE database
- ▶ Total Organic Gases (TOG)
 - Produces CB05 air quality model species (Carbon-bond chemical mechanism)
- Particulate Matter
 - Produces 18 PM_{2.5} species needed for CMAQv5 Aerosol Module Version 6 (AE6)
- Allows differentiation in PM and TOG speciation profiles by:
 - ► Technology/Regulatory class
 - □ (e.g. pre-2007/2007+ diesel)
 - Model year
 - Fuel Type
 - Emission process (running, start, extended idle)



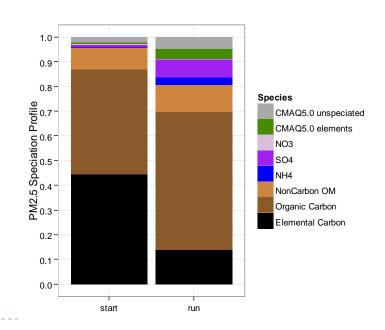
21 Total Organic Gases Profiles in MOVES2014

| SPECIATE Profile ID | Description | Fuel | Affected Vehicles | MOVES ProcessID |
|------------------------|--------------------------|------------------|--|--------------------|
| 8766 | E0 evap permeation | E0 | All | 11 |
| 8769 | E10 evap permeation | E10 | All | 11 |
| 8770 | E15 evap permeation | E15 | All | 11 |
| 8753 | E0 Evap | E0 | All | 12,13,19 |
| 8754 | E10 Evap | E10 | All | 12,13,19 |
| 8872 | E15 Evap | E15 | All | 12,13,19 |
| 4547 | Diesel Headspace | Diesel | All | 12,13,19,11,18,19 |
| 8934 | E85 Evap | E85 | All | 12,13,19,11,18,19 |
| 8775 | 2007+ MY HDD exhaust | Diesel | 2007+ | 1,2,15,16,17,90 |
| 8774 | Pre-2007 MY HDD exhaust, | Diesel | Pre-2007 and all auxiliary power units | 1,2,15,16,17,90,91 |
| 8750a | Pre-Tier 2 E0 exhaust | E0 | Pre-Tier 2 | 1,2,15,16,17,90 |
| 8756 | Tier 2 E0 Exhaust | E0 | Tier 2 | 1,2,15,16,17,90 |
| 8757 | Tier 2 E10 Exhaust | E10 | Tier 2 | 1,2,15,16,17,90 |
| 8758 | Tier 2 E15 Exhaust | E15 | Tier 2 | 1,2,15,16,17,90 |
| 8752 | Pre-Tier 2 E85 exhaust | E85 | Pre-Tier 2 | 1,2,15,16,17,90 |
| 8855 | Tier 2 E85 Exhaust | E85 | Tier 2 | 1,2,15,16,17,90 |
| 8751a | Pre-Tier 2 E10 exhaust | RFG, E10, E15 | Pre-Tier 2 | 1,2,15,16,17,90 |
| 8869 | E0 Headspace | E0 | All | 18 |
| 8870 | E10 Headspace | E10 | All | 18 |
| 8871 | E15 Headspace | E15 | All | 18 |
| 1001 | CNG Exhaust | CNG | All | 1,2,15,16,17,90 |

7 PM_{2.5} Profiles in MOVES 2014

- HD Vehicle Chassis Dyno Testing for Emissions Inventory (CRC E-55/E59)
 - Conducted 2001-2005
 - 9 trucks tested for speciation of 75 total vehicles
 - In-use vehicles ranging from 1985 to 2004 model year
 - Separate Profiles developed for idle and transient cycles
- Phase I of the HEI & CRC Advanced Collaborative Emissions Study
 - 2007+ Technology
 - Four 2007 heavy-duty diesel engines
 - Includes exhaust and crankcase speciation measurements
 - Source of updated 2007+ Diesel crankcase emission factors
- CNG Transit Bus Emissions measured at the California Air Resources Board
 - CNG New Flyer bus with 2000 MY Detroit Diesel Series 50g Engine w/ & w/o oxidation catalyst
 - Also source for TOG speciation and PAHs in MOVES for CNG

- Kansas City Light-duty Gasoline Vehicle Study (CRC E-69)
 - Conducted in Summer/Winter of 2004-2005
 - 99 vehicles tested for speciation of total 496 tested vehicles
 - In-use vehicles ranging from 1976 to 2004 model year
 - Separate profiles developed for start and running (see below)



MOVES2014 Data & Analysis Summary

Emissions

- Contains major emission updates regarding:
 - Gasoline fuel effects
 - Evaporative emissions
 - ▶ PM and TOG Speciation
 - Heavy-duty diesel emissions
 - Alternative fuels (E85, CNG, light-duty diesel)

Population, Activity, and Fuels

- Updates reflect current estimates and projections on:
 - Vehicle sales
 - Vehicle miles traveled (VMT)
 - Operating characteristics (Average speed, and driving cycles)
 - Fuel supply

Questions?

Extra Slides

MOVES Documentation

▶ Technical Reports:

- Evaporative Emissions
- Fuel Effects
- Toxic Emission Rates
- TOG and PM Speciation
- Heavy-duty Vehicle Emission Rates
- Light-duty Vehicle Emission Rates
- ▶ Temperature, Humidity, Air Conditioning and I/M Effects
- Brake and Tire Wear
- Vehicle Population and Activity
- Energy and Greenhouse Gas Emissions
- Fuel Supply
- MOVES2014 Validation Report

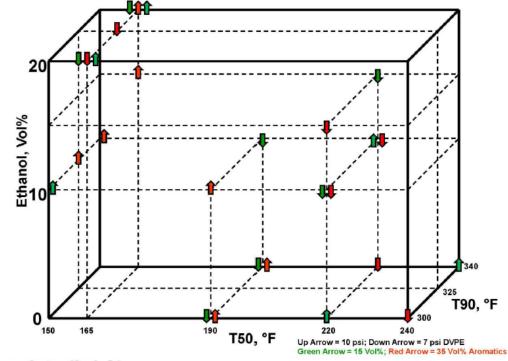
Fuel Effects Effect Models- EPAct

- Energy Policy Act of 2005 ("EPAct") directed EPA to produce an updated emissions model reflecting fuel property effects
- Phase 3 Main fuel matrix (EPA/DOE/CRC)
 - > 27 fuels tested in 15 Tier 2 vehicles, E85 tested in 4 FFVs
 - ▶ LA92 test cycle at 75F
 - ▶ Two replicates of each fuel/vehicle combination = ~60 tests/veh
 - Testing completed in mid-2010
- EPAct Models in MOVES
 - Fuel 5 properties, including interactions
 - ▶ Ethanol, Aromatics, RVP, T50, T90
 - Impacts emissions of 10 pollutants
 - 4 directly modeled:
 - □ THC, CO, NOx, PM
 - Toxic/THC ratios modeled:
 - ☐ Benzene, Ethanol, 1,3-Butadiene, Formaldehyde, Acetaldehyde, Acrolein

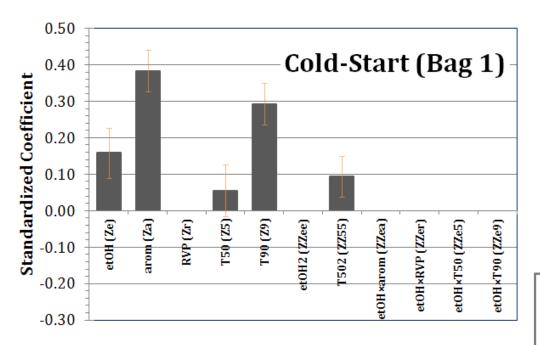
EPAct Fuel Matrix Summary

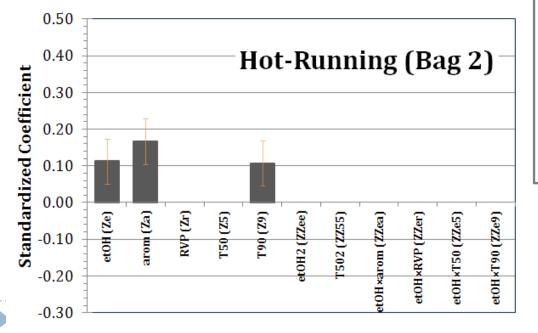
| Fuel No. | T ₅₀ , °F | T ₉₀ , °F | EtOH, % | DVPE, psi | Aro, % |
|----------|----------------------|----------------------|---------|-----------|--------|
| 1 | 150 | 300 | 10 | 10 | 15 |
| 2 | 240 | 340 | 0 | 10 | 15 |
| 3 | 220 | 300 | 10 | 7 | 15 |
| 4 | 220 | 340 | 10 | 10 | 15 |
| 5 | 240 | 300 | 0 | 7 | 35 |
| 6 | 190 | 340 | 10 | 7 | 15 |
| 7 | 190 | 300 | 0 | 7 | 15 |
| 8 | 220 | 300 | 0 | 10 | 15 |
| 9 | 190 | 340 | 0 | 10 | 35 |
| 10 | 220 | 340 | 10 | 7 | 35 |
| 11 | 190 | 300 | 10 | 10 | 35 |
| 12 | 150 | 340 | 10 | 10 | 35 |
| 13 | 220 | 340 | 0 | 7 | 35 |
| 14 | 190 | 340 | 0 | 7 | 15 |
| 15 | 190 | 300 | 0 | 10 | 35 |
| 16 | 220 | 300 | 10 | 7 | 35 |
| 20 | 165 | 300 | 20 | 7 | 15 |
| 21 | 165 | 300 | 20 | 7 | 35 |
| 22 | 165 | 300 | 20 | 10 | 15 |
| 23 | 165 | 340 | 20 | 7 | 15 |
| 24 | 165 | 340 | 20 | 10 | 15 |
| 25 | 165 | 340 | 20 | 10 | 35 |
| 26 | 165 | 340 | 15 | 10 | 35 |
| 27 | 220 | 340 | 15 | 7 | 15 |
| 28 | 220 | 300 | 15 | 7 | 35 |
| 30 | 150 | 325 | 10 | 10 | 35 |
| 31 | 165 | 325 | 20 | 7 | 35 |

| ETOH | T50 ² |
|------------|----------------------------------|
| ARO T50 | ETOH ² ETOH*ARO |
| T90 RVP | ETOH*T50 ETOH*T90 ETOH*RVP |



Courtesy of Douglas R. Lawson





Example of EPAct model coefficients:

PM

Aromatics and T90 are the primary drivers,

For both starts and running

Heavy components in the fuel contribute to PM

Fuel Effects Model –Sulfur Updates

▶ EPA Sulfur Effects Study

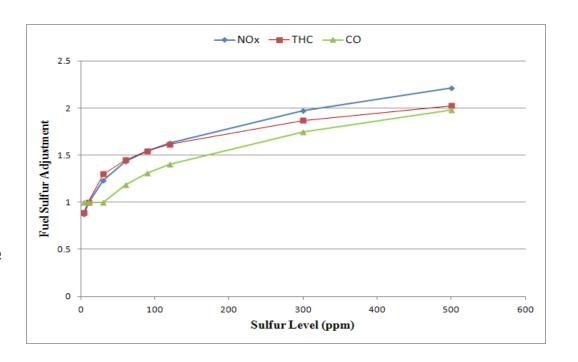
- 93 vehicles recruited from owners in SE Michigan
- MY 2007-2009 passenger cars and light trucks with 20,000 to 40,000 odometer miles
- Measured effect of high sulfur fuel (28 ppm) and low sulfur fuel (5 ppm) on emissions

Reversible sulfur effects

- Sulfur poisoning is occurring in the in-use Tier 2 fleet and has a measurable effect on emissions
- Effectiveness of clean-out procedure is limited when operating on higher sulfur fuel

Overall sulfur benefits

Reducing the fuel sulfur levels from 28 to 5 ppm expected to achieve significant reductions in emissions from in-use Tier 2 vehicles



E85 Fuel Effects

- ▶ E85 fuel effects derived from paired analysis of E10 and E85
 - THC, CH4, NMHC, VOC, CO, NOx, PM,
 - ► HAPs (e.g. ethanol, benzene, acetaldehyde)
- Analyzed data from four test programs
 - Energy Policy Act (EPAct) Test Program
 - Conducted by EPA in partnership with DOE(NREL) and CRC
 - NREL E40 Program
 - ▶ Conducted by National Renewable Energy Laboratory (NREL)
 - CRC E-80 Project
 - Conducted by the Coordinating Research Council
 - PM Speciation Program
 - Coordinated test program between EPA/OAR/OTAQ (Ann Arbor) and EPA/ORD/NRMRL (Research Triangle Park)

| | EPA ct | NREL E40 | CRC E80 | PM Speciation |
|------------------|---------------|----------|-----------------|---------------|
| Num. of vehicles | 3 | 9 | 7 | 2 |
| Replicates | 2 | 2-3 | I | 2 |
| Test Cycle | LA92 | LA92 | FTP, US06, LA92 | LA92 |

CNG Emissions

- CNG Transit Bus Emission added to MOVES2014
- Based on literature review of 9 studies
- Includes all MOVES pollutants:
 - THC, VOC, Methane, Energy, CO, NOx, PM, air toxics (e.g. formaldehyde)

| Paper/Article | Lead Research Unit | Driving Cycle(s) | Number of Unique Measurements |
|----------------|---|------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Melendez 2005 | National Renewable Energy Laboratory (NREL) | WMATA | 7 |
| Clark 1999 | West Virginia University (WVU) | CBD | 7 |
| Ayala 2002 | California Air Resources Board (CARB) | CBD, NYB, S55, UDDS | 8 |
| Ayala 2003 | CARB | CBD, SS55 | 12 |
| Lanni 2003 | New York Department of Environmental Conservation | CBD, NYB | 6 |
| McCormick 1999 | Colorado School of Mines | CBD, UDDS | 8 |
| LaTavec 2002 | ARCO (a BP Company) | CBD | 2 |
| McKain 2000 | WVU | CBD, NYB | 6 |
| Clark 1997 | WVU | CBD | 10 |
| TOTAL | | | 66 |

Fuel Supply Updates

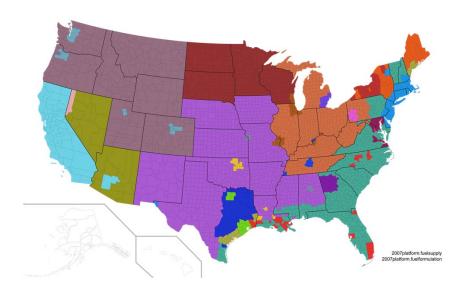
Data sets:

- Certification data: batch-by-batch refinery gate reports on fuel properties
 - Approx. 28,000 batches of CG reported in 2007
- Reformulated gasoline fuel (RFG) certification database
- Hart Study: Ethanol penetration by state 2006-2009
- AEO Month-to-Month penetrations projected to 2020

Regional Fuels MOVES

- Reduces Fuels in MOVES from ~300 to ~40
- More reliable data than fuel surveys at the gas pump
- Contains most current ethanol (E10, E15, E85) and fuel formulation projections based on AEO2014

Fuel Supply Regions in MOVES2014



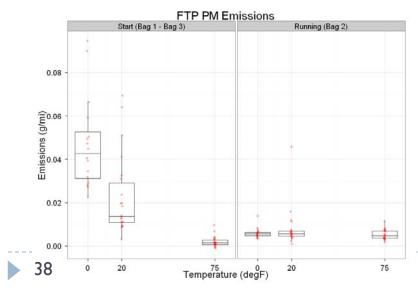
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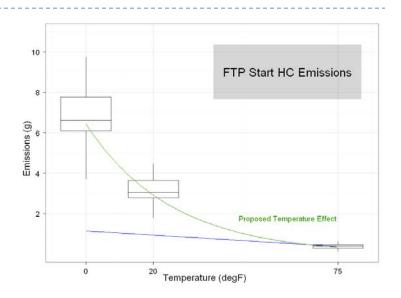
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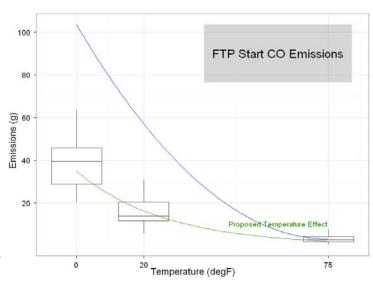
- 8 port-fuel injected (PFI) vehicles (MY 2010, Tier 2, and Cold Temperature MSAT-2 compliant)
- 2 GDI vehicles (2006, and 2010) vehicles
- Tested at 0, 20, and 75 Fincreased temperature effect for HC

MOVE2014 Updates

Updated HC, CO, and PM temperature effects from test programs for modern vehicles

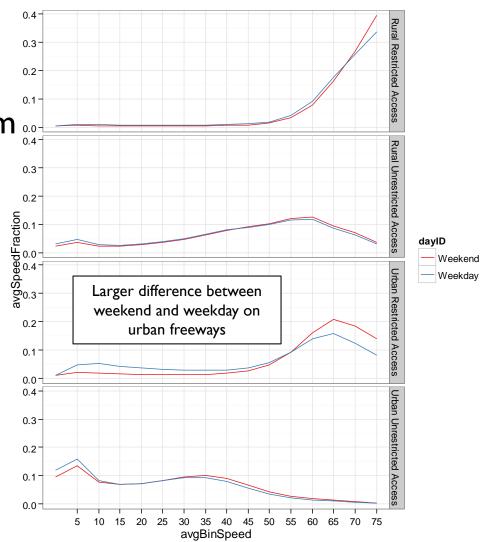






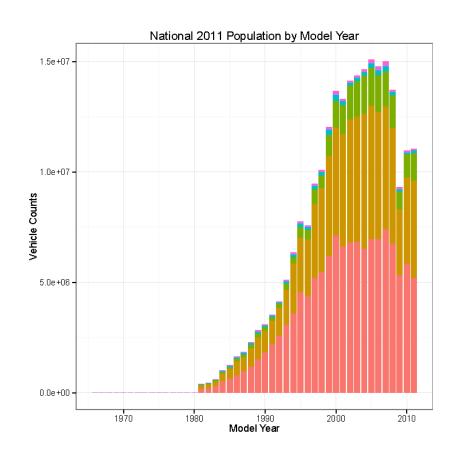
Population and Activity Updates

- Average Speed Update
- EPA purchased summary information from TomTom GPS users within the US
- 2011 National average speed distribution by:
 - road type
 - hour of the day
 - day of the week



Population and Activity Updates

- New 2011 Base Year Vehicle Population
- Based on vehicle registration and usage survey data
 - R.L. Polk and Co.
 - VIUS (Vehicle Inventory and Use Survey)
- ▶ 2000-2011 Populations
 - Based on historic FHWA vehicle populations
- Future population and age distributions
 - Based on AEO 2014 sales projections, and historical scrappage estimates



MOVES2014 – Other Data Updates

Emission Rates

- Updated light-duty diesel emission rates
- Updated toxic emission rates (metals, PAHs, dioxins, brake and tire wear)
- Updated crankcase emission factors based on the ACES Heavy-duty engine test program
- Updated PM crankcase speciation
- Updated sulfate emission rates for diesel and gasoline
- Updated CO2 equivalent factors

Population and Activity Data

- State supplied data from the 2011 National Emission Inventory
- Updated VMT, vehicle sales for calendars years 2000 through 2011
- VMT growth rates updated for future years
- New heavy-duty drive cycles
- Seasonal VMT motorcycle usage
- New operating mode distribution for on/off freeway ramps
- New hourly temperature and RH data (2001-2011) by county