PHASE 2 HEAVY DUTY VEHICLE GHG STANDARDS AND LIGHT DUTY VEHICLE GHG TRENDS/COMPLIANCE

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Heavy Duty Phase 2

- This spring, EPA and DOT/NHTSA will propose a rule that would establish a phase 2 of the heavy duty GHG and fuel efficiency program
- Builds on Phase 1 structure



Heavy Duty Truck Categories



US Transportation Related GHG Emissions (Tg CO2eq)

- Heavy-duty vehicles responsible for about one fifth of the energy use and GHG emissions from transportation sources
- In terms of energy use, heavy-duty vehicles are also the fastest growing transportation sector in the U.S. and globally



MD/HD Phase 1 – Implementation Highlights

- Phase 1 standards began in 2014, fully phased-in by 2018
 - Manufacturers expected to comply primarily with "off-the-shelf" technologies
 - Cost-effective technologies lead to fuel-savings greater than technology cost
- Phase 1 program for heavy-duty pickups and vans is similar to light-duty program
 - Vehicle certification based on testing complete vehicle
- Phase 1 program for other heavy-duty vehicles include:
 - Engine certification based on EPA's existing criteria pollutant test procedures
 - Computer simulation certification of <u>vehicle</u> performance (without engine, transmission and axle) – instead of actual vehicle testing
- Computer simulation is used to certify heavy-duty vehicle performance
 - HDV size makes complete vehicle testing more difficult and expensive
 - Custom-build aspect of heavy-duty market means thousands of different vehicle configurations – too many to actually test
 - Vehicle simulation brings together the results from a smaller number of vehicle component tests (tires, aerodynamics, etc.)
- Market: 2014 tractor sales up 33%, trailers up 42%, vocational up 10.5% vs 2013 (ACT Research Aug 26, 2014)

- ➢ 530 million barrels less oil
- > 270 MMT lower GHGs
- \$50 billion in fuel savings
- \$49 billion in net benefits



President Obama's 2013 Climate Action Plan and February 2014 Announcement



<u>Climate Action Plan</u>: "During the President's second term, the Administration will once again partner with industry leaders and other key stakeholders to develop post-2018 fuel economy standards for heavy-duty vehicles"

<u>White House Announcement:</u> "This second round of fuel efficiency standards will build on the firstever standards for medium- and heavy-duty vehicles (model years 2014 through 2018), and will reach well into the next decade."

Heavy-duty Phase 2: Objectives Discussed in Phase 1 Rule

- Joint NHTSA/EPA rulemaking process with notice and opportunity for public review and comment.
- Heavy-duty Phase 2 may include:
 - Looking beyond off-the-shelf technology
 - Potential inclusion of trailers
 - Additional and new technologies beyond Phase 1
 - Refined test procedures and updates to the GEM vehicle simulation compliance model—a full vehicle approach that includes engines
 - Full SBREFA panel process to develop solutions for small businesses
 - Updated technology, economic and environmental assessments

Phase 2 – NHTSA/EPA Research

Technology evaluations

- In-house and contractor modeling and testing of fuel-efficiency technologies for medium- and heavy-duty vehicles in the years prior to and in the Phase 2 timeframe
- Evaluating the effectiveness and the costs

Test procedure development, refinement and validation studies

- Evaluating improvements to Phase 1 drive cycles, and additional idle cycle
- Validating new aerodynamic and powertrain test procedure approaches
- Validating a wide range of improvements to Greenhouse Gas Emissions compliance model (GEM) to fully recognize new technologies

NHTSA/EPA Research: Engine Technologies

Advanced Bottoming Cycle Air Handling Improvement **Coolant Pump** Cylinder Deactivation Down-sizing & Boosted vs. NA **Electric Turbo-compounding Engine Down-sizing** Engine Down-speeding (reduced cruise RPM, combined with transmission technology) **Engine Friction Reduction Engine Oil Pump Improvement GDI + Cooled EGR**

Improved Selective Catalytic Reduction (SCR) Conversion, combined with reducing or removing EGR Lean Burn GDI w/ SCR **Lower Friction Engine Oil** Mechanical Turbo-compounding Natural Gas **Reduced After-treatment Backpressure** Stoichiometric Gasoline Direct Injection (GDI) Stop / Start **Turbo Efficiency Improvement** Variable Valve Timing

Technology application varies by vehicle class, vocation, and engine fuel type

Research on Vehicle & Trailer Technologies

A/C Reduced Reheat **Air Compressor Improvements** Automated Manual Transmission Automatic Engine Shutdown Automatic Tire Pressure Control **Battery Auxiliary Power Unit** Cab Insulation to Reduce A/C **Chassis Friction Reduction & Improved Lube Diesel Auxiliary Power Unit Driver Coaching Features Driver Management Features Dual Clutch Transmission** Fan Power Demand Reduction

Fuel Fired Heater Full EV Hybrid Technologies Improved Aerodynamics Improved Transmissions (more gears, higher ratio spread, shift points) Low Rolling Resistance Tires **Manual Transmission** Shore Power **Single Wide Tires** Tractor Axle 6X2 or Clutched 6X4 **Speed** limiters Weight Reduction

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National Academies of Science

- 2010
 - Issued, "Technologies and Approaches to Reducing the Fuel Consumption of Medium- and Heavy-Duty Vehicles"
 - EPA and NHTSA considered this study in support of Phase 1; similar for Phase 2

• 2014

- As required by 2007 Energy Independence and Security Act, NHTSA sponsored a second NAS study for heavy-duty
- Published an interim report in April 2014 to help inform Phase 2 considerations; focused on recommendations that were nearly 100% in-line with EPA and NHTSA staff-level thinking
- Final report expected in 2016 to inform considerations beyond Phase 2

What's Happening in California?

- 2008: ARB adopted mandatory fleet-level requirements for tractors and trailers
 - Based on EPA SmartWay performance
- > 2012: ARB Released 2050 Vision for Clean Air document
 - Calls for significant additional NO_x and CO₂ reductions from heavy-duty sector

> 2013: Adopted EPA GHG Phase 1 Standards

- Board hearing in December 2013
- Similar to ARB's adoption of HD criteria emissions standards
- Also adopting new voluntary Low NOx standards for heavy-duty
- Signaled intent to move beyond Federal Phase 1
- Sunsetted CA fleet-level program for tractors, but not for trailers
- > 2014: ARB is significantly engaged on Phase 2

Light Duty Vehicle GHG Program Compliance

- Highlights from Manufacturer Performance Report for MY 2013, published March 2015
 - For the second consecutive year, the auto industry outperformed the GHG standard by a substantial margin
 - 2. Most manufacturers outperformed their individual 2013 standard
 - 3. All large manufacturers are in compliance with the 2012 and 2013 GHG standards
 - Manufacturers continue to use a wide variety of compliance flexibilities that were designed into the program



LDV Fuel Economy Trends (2014 report)

- Fuel Economy is at a record high: 24.1 mpg for MY 2013
- CO2 is at a record low: 369 g/mile for MY 2013
- Fuel Economy has improved 8 of the last 9 years (25% improvement)





Manufacturers Are Using Multiple Technology Pathways







Consumers have more choices





QUESTIONS