NONROAD2005

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NONROAD2005 Training

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Logistics

- → Hours: 1:30 PM 5:00 PM
- → One break
- Please turn off or set pagers and cell phones on vibrate
- → If you need to talk on your cell phone, please leave the room.

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Training Support

- → NONROAD Model Team:
 - Craig Harvey
 - Penny Carey
 - Larry Landman
- And on nonroad NMIM issues:
 - Harvey Michaels
- → Web
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- → Email
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Course Objectives

- → Overview of NONROAD2005
 - versus NMIM and NR2004
- → Running NONROAD from the GUI
- Creating output summaries with the reporting utility
- → Viewing and post-processing raw output
- Modifying inputs
- → Using new features of NONROAD2005
- → Deciding whether to use NONROAD vs NMIM

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Other topics, as time permits:

- → Using Daily Temperature & RVP inputs
- → Getting & using "By-Model-Year" output
- → BATch (multiple) model runs
- → Site-specific inventories
- → Growth and Technology Year inputs
- → Creating your own Access queries

Topics You Care About?

- → What modeling challenges do you face?
- → What is the most creative thing you've done (or tried to do) using NONROAD?
- What would you love to be able to model that you can't?
- → etc.

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Logisitics (cont.)

- → For the hands-on exercises, I'll explain how to do it while I do it, then you do it, asking questions as needed.
 - > So pay attention rather than typing along.
 - Work together you'll learn more.
 - If you finish an exercise, please help others who are having trouble.
 - > Ask questions if you get stuck.

Expected Preparation

- → NONROAD2005 software installed
- → Basic familiarity with the Windows operating system
 - Browsing folder structure with Windows Explorer
- → How to use Notepad or another text editor
- → How to open Excel or other spreadsheet

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Questions

- → Feel free to ask at any time -- if you are confused, so are other people
- → The answer may be
 - I'll cover that later
 - I don't know
 - > I'll provide an answer later by email
 - Out of the scope

Miscellaneous

- → We won't be able to cover everything
- Apologies to the most experienced for going too slowly, and to novices for possibly going too quickly
- → Students are from States, EPA, RPOs, MPOs, cities, consulting firms, industry, etc.
- → I'll be here only through Tuesday morning

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Course Materials

→ Handouts

- These slides
- NONROAD2005 Update Chronology

→ Documentation on install disk or download

- NONROAD2005 User's Guide
- NONROAD Model Technical Reports (NR-001 – NR-015)

What is NONROAD2005

Final version of nonroad equipment inventory model

- Generates inventory estimates for
 - ✓ All off-highway mobile equipment & recreational vehicles
 - ✓ Except locomotive, commercial marine, and aircraft
- Several draft versions issued since 1998, last was 2004
- Changes since NONROAD2004 are in later slide

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NONROAD Model Overview

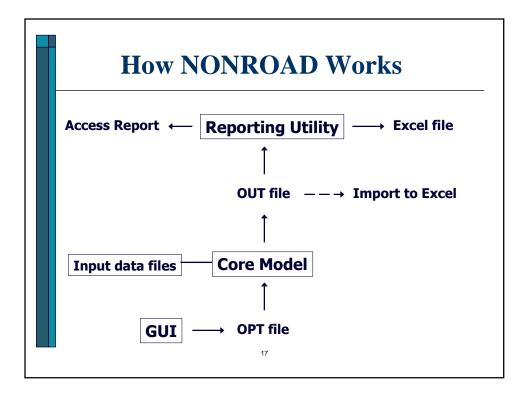
- → Stand Alone (No User Data Necessary)
- Differentiated by Equipment Type and Other Characteristics
- → HC, CO, NO_x, PM, SO₂, CO₂
- → Equip Population & Fuel Consumption

- → Past, Present, and Future Years
 - **1970 2050**
- → Temporal Allocation
 - > Annual, Seasonal, Monthly, Typical Day
- → Geographic Allocation
 - US, State, County

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NONROAD Model Overview

- → Graphical User Interface ("GUI", Visual Basic)
 - Scenario definition
- → Core Model (Fortran)
 - Calculations
 - > Generates raw output (.OUT file)
- → Reporting Utility (Microsoft Access)
 - Output summaries



Input Options

- Evaluation Year
- Temporal Period (Year, Season, Month, Weekday, Weekend day)
- Geographic Area (National, State, County)
- > Equipment Types (by fuel type, Hp, SCC)
- > Fuel Characteristics (RVP, sulfur, oxygen)
- > Temperature (min, max, avg)

> Output Options

- > From Core Model
 - ✓ ASCII File (.OUT comma separated text)
- From Reporting Utility (Access not required)
 - ✓ Pre-formatted MS Access Reports
 - ✓ Access database tables (NIF 3)
 - ✓ Excel Spreadsheet

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NONROAD Model Overview

→ Pre-Formatted Inventory Reports

- Tons by County
- > Tons by Source Category
- > Tons by Equipment type & SCC
- > Tons By Horsepower range

Emission Factor Reports

- > Grams per Day by SCC (& Hp)
- Grams per Operating Hour by SCC (& Hp)
- Grams per Hp-Hour by SCC (& Hp), exhaust only

Exhaust Emissions Calculation

 $I = EF \cdot DF \cdot Act \cdot LF \cdot RP \cdot Pop$

I = Exhaust Emissions Inventory (ton/year)

EF = Emission Factor (g/hp-hr)

DF = Deterioration Factor

Act = Activity (hours/year)

LF = Load Factor

RP = average rated power (hp)

Pop = Equipment population (units)

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NONROAD versus NMIM

What NMIM does that NONROAD does not:

- Multiple county-specific temperature & fuel properties in a single run
- Full fleet-specific retrofit modeling
- > Ammonia (NH₃) and Toxics (HAPS)
- Distributed processing (multiple computers)
- National county-level inventories for the National Emission Inventory (NEI) and AQ modeling

NONROAD versus **NMIM**

What NONROAD does that NMIM does not:

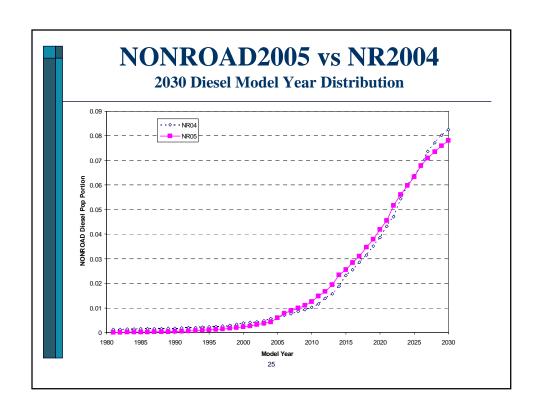
- Equipment population & fuel consumption output*
- Detailed output by specific evap pollutant*
- Seasonal, annual, or typical day outputs
 (but you can post-process to get most of these)
- Inventory years prior to 1999
- Daily temperature inputs.
 - * (unless run NMIM from DOS and ask for OUT file)

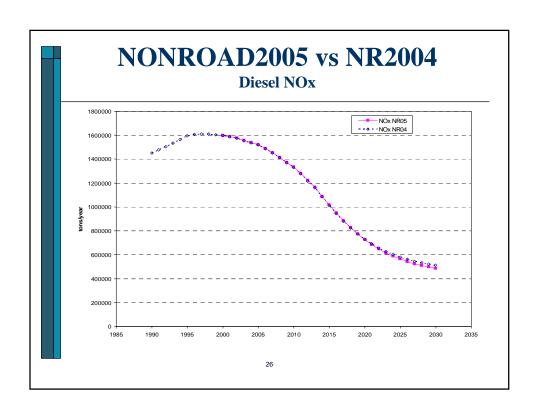
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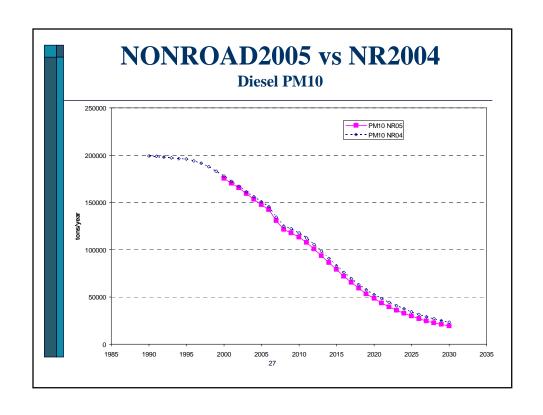
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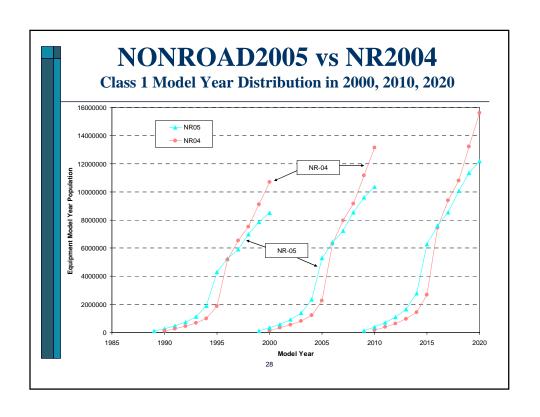
→ Changes from NONROAD2004

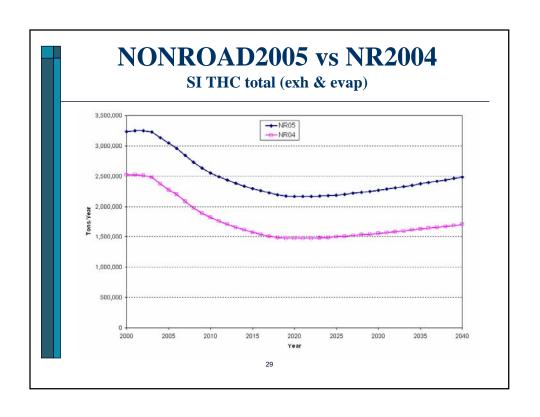
- Added evap categories: tank permeation, hose permeation, running loss, and hot soak
- Enhanced output: Load Factor & Avg Hp
- Revised diurnal methodology and estimates
- Includes Rec/Large SI rule evap controls
- Updated scrappage/age distribution
- Updated state and county allocations
- Daily inputs for temp and RVP at national/state level
- Adds Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands
- Added report options (especially Emission Factors)
- Added diesel retrofit modeling capability

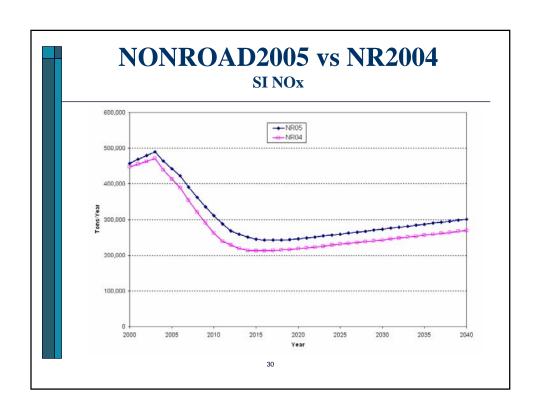












Future Changes

- → Update per future rulemakings (e.g., likely small gasoline engines and recreational marine, final rule in 2007?)
- → Transition to MOVES (draft in 2007/2008?)

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Questions?

... on what NONROAD2005 is, or changes since NONROAD2004 ?

Hands-on Exercises

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Configuring NONROAD

→ Relevant files & directory structure:

- > nr-gui.ini
- template.opt (note use of relative file paths)

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c:\nonroad
\data
\activity
\allocate
\daily
\detfac
\emsfac
\retrofit
\season
\tech
\outputs
\reports
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Exercise 1: Use GUI to Run NONROAD with default data

- → Open GUI (nrgui.exe)
- → Save as... nrtest1.opt (suggest in outputs folder)
- → Scenario => Options, Period, Region, Sources (make any desired changes)
- → Model => Run with nrtest1.opt

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Post-run checks

- → If DOS window is still open, look at it for errors and warnings.
- → Open MSG file to check for errors and warnings
- Can open OUT file in text editor to check for desired counties, SCCs, pollutants

Exercise 2: Use Reporting Utility to Generate Reports

- → From GUI select Model => Reports
- → In Reporting Utility select
 - Data => Re-attach tables (only needed after install)
 - Data => Import data
 - Give brief description such as location, year, & scenario designation (e.g., "Base")
- → Select Reports => Emission Totals by SCC
 - Select Run, Pollutants, Fuel, HC & PM types
 - Run
 - File => Export to Excel

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Exercise 3: Postprocessing with Excel

- → Open Excel (or other spreadsheet software)
- → Select File => Open...
 - c:\nonroad\outputs\nrtest1.out
 - > Delimited: comma (only)
- Scroll to bottom and add a Totals line
 - = sum() select lastcell up to firstcell.

Exercise 4: Export to NIF3

- → In Reporting Utility...
- → Select Data => Export NIF File
- → Choose available simulation to export
- → Fill in contact info and any notes (See sample on next slide)
- → Click Export button

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Exercise 4: Export to NIF3

- → Save as niftest1.mdb (Access MDB file)
- > Click Open button, which saves the file
- Double-click on niftest1.mdb, which should open MS-Access
- Look at database tables

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Exercise 5: Modify Input Data

→ Inputs you might modify

- Equipment population (*.pop)
- Activity (activity.dat)
- Geographic allocation (*.alo)
- Temporal allocation (season.dat)
- Growth at state level (*.grw)

→ We recommend not changing

- Emission Factors (*.emf)
- Deterioration Factors (*.det)
- Useful life and scrappage (*.pop)

Exercise 5: Modify Input Data

Working with ASCII data files

- Use Text Editor (e.g., Notepad) not word processor
- Must be in proper space-delimited vertical columns
- If display font option, use Courier or Courier New
- No word wrap
- Use spaces not tabs
- > Refer to column descriptions near top of each file
- Actual data is inside "packets" /POPULATION/

... data ... /END/

Anything outside of packet is just a comment

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Exercise 5: Modify Input Data

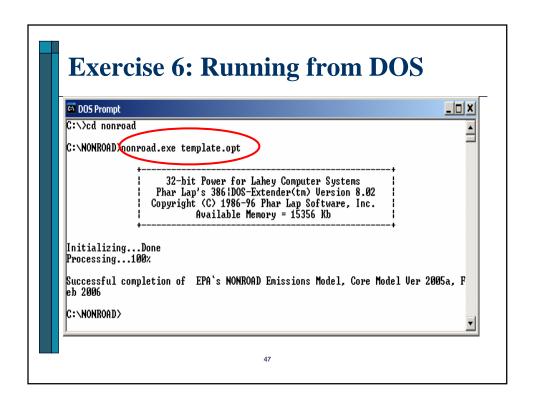
Saving from Excel spreadsheet

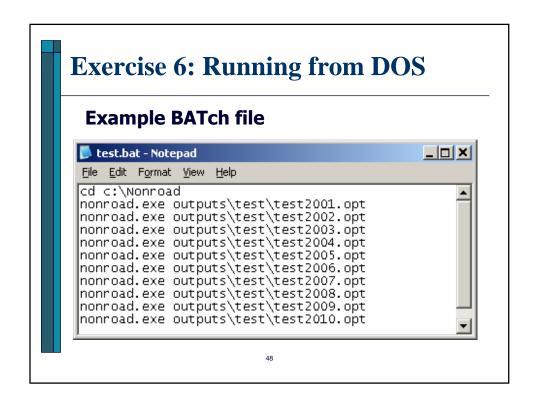
- Save As... Formatted Text (Space delimited)(*.prn)
- Column widths & font sizes must be set to yield text in correct columns
- Setting this up can be tedious trial & error
- Can request sample XLS files from EPA
- No guarantee that settings will work right on different systems, due to effects of:
 - ✓ Desktop display settings
 - ✓ Fonts
 - ✓ Print driver
 - ✓ etc.

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Exercise 6: Running from DOS

- Why run from the Command line? (DOS window)
 - Run BATch file (multiple model runs)
 - Can send screen output to a file c:\nonroad>nonroad.exe template.opt >outputs\screenout.txt
 - Verify that core model works if having problems running from GUI





Ongoing Support

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- → Email
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