# Light-Duty Vehicle Emission Control Technologies

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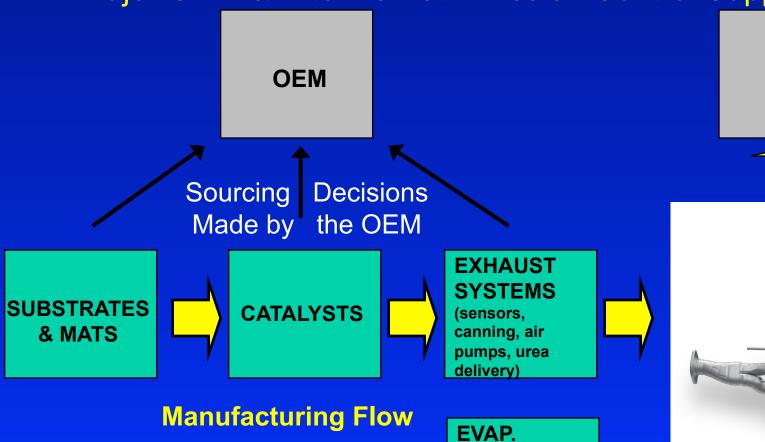


### Light-duty Vehicle Emission Control Technologies Outline

- Gasoline Vehicle Technologies for Tier 2/Tier 3 & LEV II/LEV III
- Light-duty Diesel
   Emission Control Technologies



#### MECA - Industry Technology Voice with North American Regulatory Agencies and Stakeholders; 38 Member Companies Cover Major OEM & Aftermarket Emission Control Suppliers



Emission Control Industry supports > 65,000 jobs in the U.S.; manufacturing facilities also in Mexico

#### EVAP. SYSTEMS

(carbon canisters; purge valves; low permeation materials)



**OEM** 

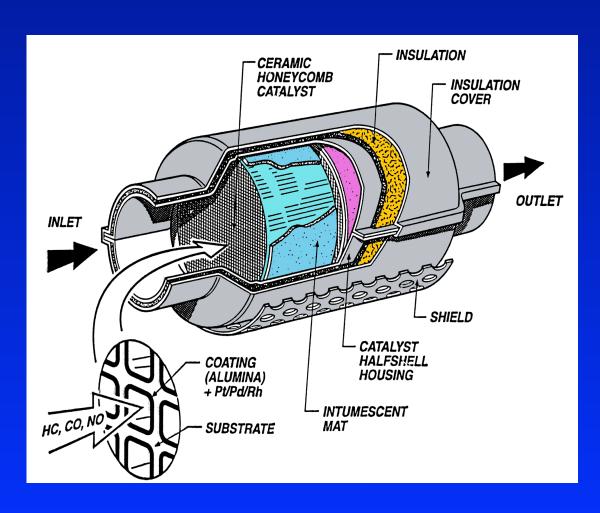


### Mobile Source Emissions Regulations Drive Technology Innovation

- Light-duty: U.S. Tier 2/LEV II moving to Tier 3/LEV III
  - Near Zero gasoline exhaust emissions: advanced TWCs, HC adsorber cats, high cell density substrates, direct ozone reduction catalysts
  - Near Zero gasoline evap. emissions: advanced carbon canisters, low permeation materials, air intake adsorbents
  - Near Zero diesel exhaust emissions: EGR, DPFs, LNT, SCR
- U.S. 2007-2010 Heavy-Duty Highway Diesel
  - DOC, DPFs, SCR, EGR
- U.S. Tier 4 Off-Road Diesel
  - DOC, DPFs, SCR, EGR



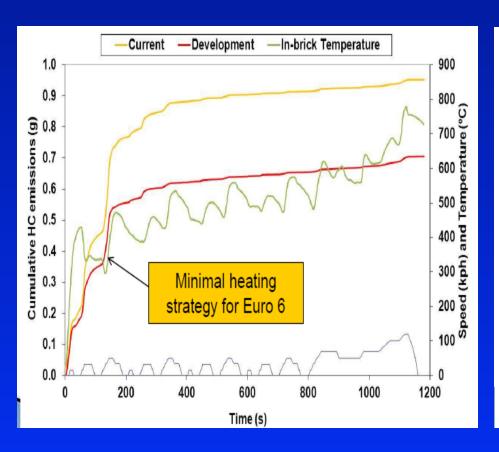
### The Three-way Catalytic Converter: A Familiar Technology Re-Engineered for High Performance

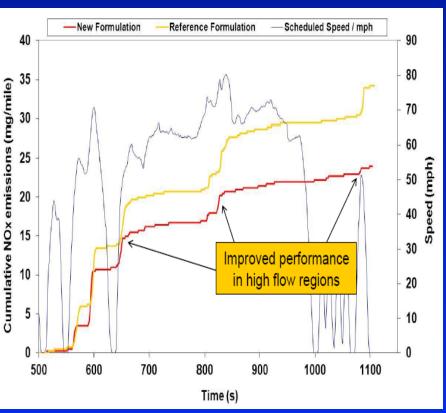


- Provides high efficiency "three-way (HC, CO, NOx)" performance
- High cell density ceramic or metallic substrates
- Advanced materials with high thermal stability
- Layered catalytic architectures to maximize noble metal (Pt, Pd, Rh) effectiveness



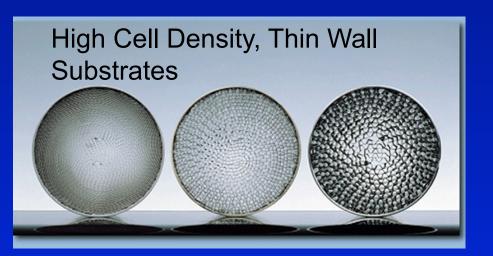
### LEV III/Tier 3 Applications Continue to Emphasize Cold-Start & High Speed NOx Performance







### Thermal Management Focused on Cold-Start Emission Reductions





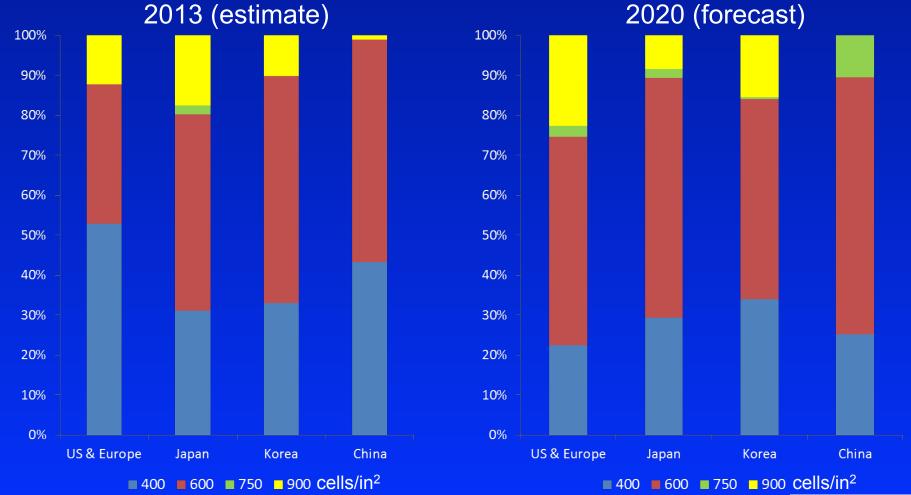






#### Tightening Regulations Require Higher Substrate Cell Density/ Geometric Surface Area; Emerging Markets Moving from Standard Wall to Thin Wall and Ultra-thin Wall Substrates

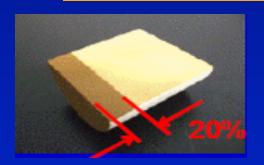
Substrates Used on Gasoline Light-duty Vehicles



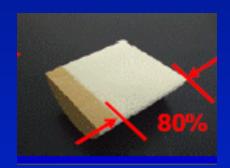
By 2020 400 cpsi substrates primarily used only in underfloor converters that utilize high cell density (≥ 600 cpsi) close-coupled converters



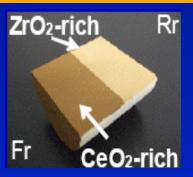
### Gasoline Three-way Catalysts Utilize Advanced Design Architectures to Maximize Performance



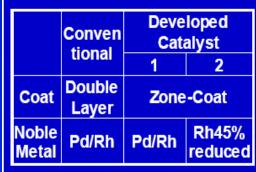
Pd is zoned in the front to give fast HC light-off



Rh is zoned in the back to protect against catalyst poisons

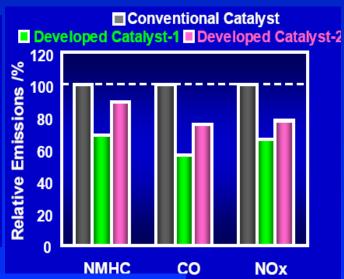


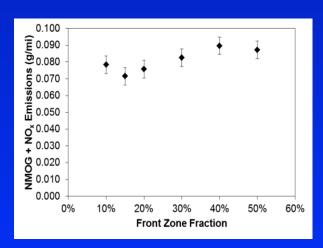
Zoned OSC to give optimum performance



Substrate Volume: 0.9[L]

Aging: Equivalent of 120K miles Vehicle: '05MY ULEV/CAMRY



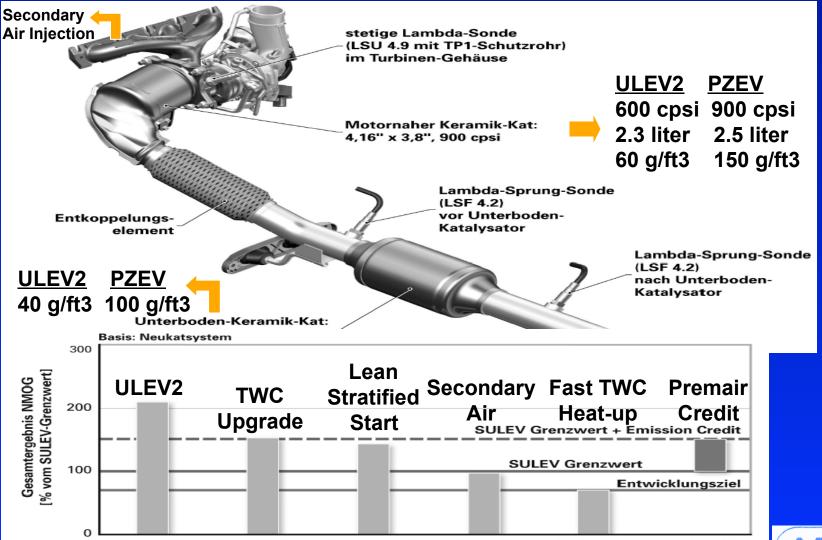


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# PZEV Experience with Turbo-GDI Applications





### Variety of PZEV Strategies in the U.S. Market

Vehicle	А	В	С	D	Е
Engine Displacement	2.0	2.4	2.0	2.4	2.4
PFI or DI	DI	PFI	PFI	DI	PFI
NA or Turbo	Turbo	NA	NA	NA	NA
AIR or non-AIR	AIR	AIR	non-AIR	non-AIR	AIR
Average Ignition					
Setting (°btc)	-20	0	-7	-12	-5
Engine Speed (rpm)	1150	1200	1500-1700	1200-1500	900-1200
Lambda	1.05 (AIR)	>>1 (AIR)	.95-1	.95-1	>>1 (AIR)
Max Cat Temp (°C)	670	1000	500	700	950

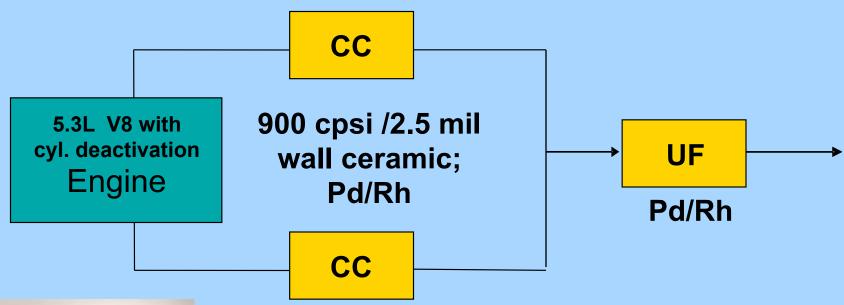
Vehicle	Positives	Negatives
Α	PZEV turbo, low startup engine speed, more accurate fuel control	High system cost/complexity
В	Extremely fast catalyst light-off, low startup engine speed, less calibration time	Cost of AIR, excess fuel used in start-up
С	Lowest system cost	High engine speed in first idle
D	Split injections enable fast lightoff w/o AIR	Additional calibration effort
E	Extremely fast catalyst light-off, low startup engine speed, less calibration time	Cost of AIR, excess fuel used in start-up

Ref.: SAE 2012-01-1245



### 2011 5.3 L Chevy Silverado Full Size Pick-up: 150K mi Aged Advanced TWC System ➡Tier 3 Bin 30

FTP Emissions with 9 ppm S E10: 18 mg/mi NMOG+NOx with 29 ppm S E10: 29 mg/mi NMOG+NOx

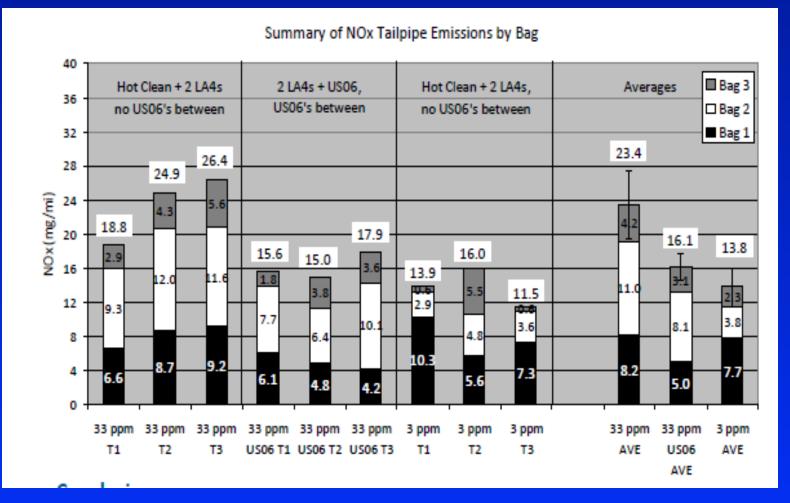




TWC System Bench Aged to 150K miles; Total TWC Catalyst Volume: 1.90 L (0.36 SVR) Pd/Rh = 16/1; 125 g/cu.ft. (8.4 g PGM total)

#### Gasoline Sulfur Degrades Catalyst Performance: **Example Chevy Malibu PZEV Application**

2.4 liter, 4 cyl.: CC+UF **TWCs** Ref.: SAE 2011-01-0300



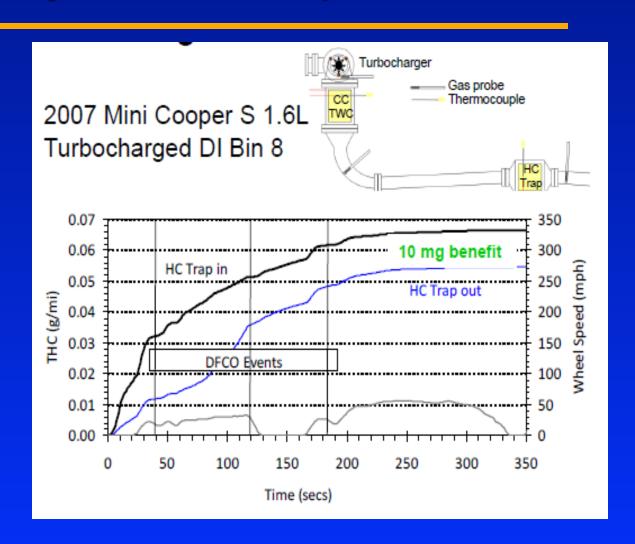
600 C with FTP; during US06; NOx "creep"

UF never above UF at 700-750 C NO NOx "creep" NO NOx "creep" with 3 ppm S



### Additional Cold-Start HC Control Available From Hydrocarbon Traps

- Limited SULEV/PZEV HC trap applications to date
- Development work continuing with focus on durability/cost
- Example: HC trap
   PGM loading of only
   26 g/ft<sup>3</sup>

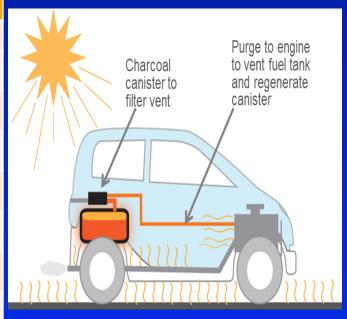


Reference: SAE 2013-01-1297



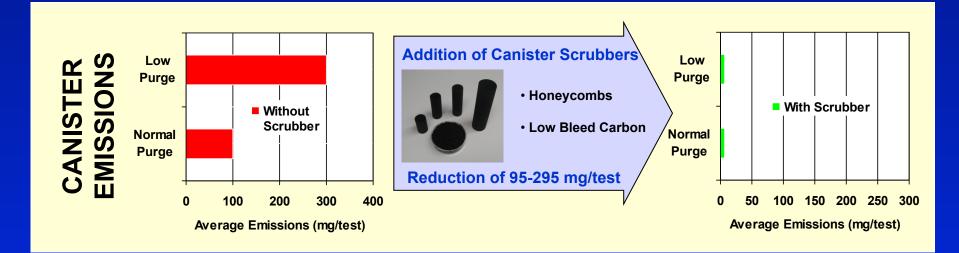
### U.S. Evaporative Emission Standards Provide Comprehensive VOC Controls for Gasoline Vehicles

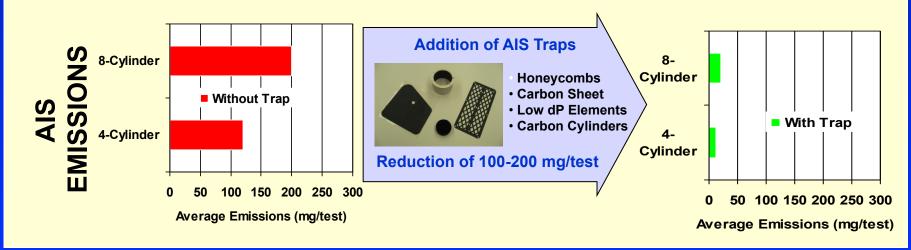
Standard	US ≤ 1995 and Euro Evap. Stds.	US ≥ 1996-2004
ORVR		✓
24-hr Diurnal	✓	
48-hr Diurnal		✓
72-hr Diurnal		✓
Evap Standard = 2 g/day	✓	
Evap Standard < 0.5-1.2 g/day		✓
Hot Soak	✓	✓
Running Loss		✓
In-use standards and monitoring		✓
OBD		✓



Since 1996, the US progressively added ORVR, extended diurnals, short drive cycles, running loss, low certification and in-use emissions standards, and OBD to improve air quality.

### Carbon Technologies to Achieve PZEV/LEV III Evaporative Requirements





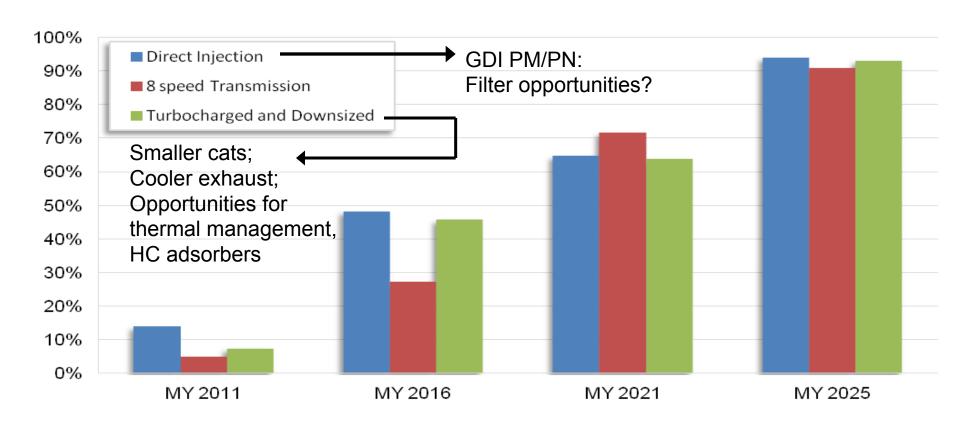


# Combustion Efficiency Technologies and Gasoline Particulate Filters

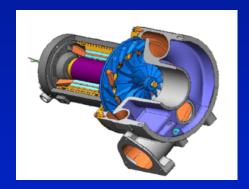


# GHG Compliance Creates Emission Control Opportunities

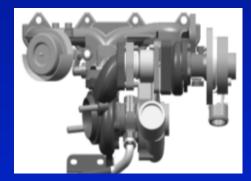
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### **Engine Downsizing Driving Turbo Advances**



Turbo compounding



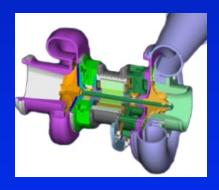
Regulated 2-Stage



Regulated 3-Turbocharger System



Stamped turbo housing



Electric turbocharging



Water-cooled Turbocharger



#### Lower Engine Out Emissions must Include GHGs

Decoupling the CO<sub>2</sub> – NOx Relationship

Low and high pressure EGR



LP EGR Valve



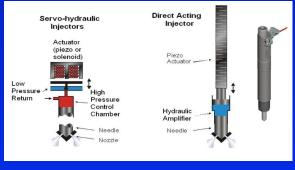


HP EGR Valve

**EGR Cooler** 



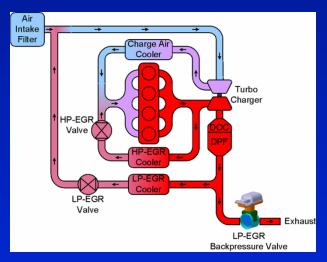
Thermoelectric Generators

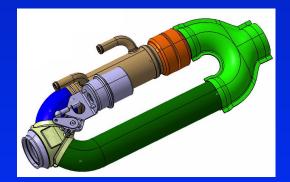


Piezo Injectors



Corona Ignition





**Exhaust Heat Recuperators** 



### **GPF Vehicle Durability Run Completed**

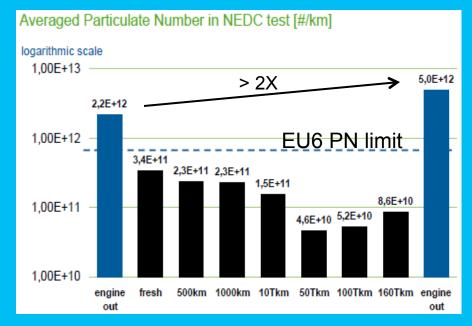
2.0 L Audi TFSI CC TWC (stock) + UF TWC GPF

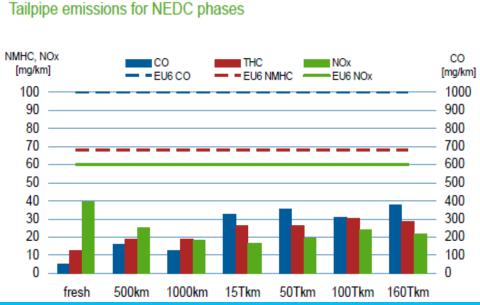
Stock Catalyst
CC: TWC 1.24L 80

80g/ft<sup>3</sup>



Test Converter Layout
CC TWC + UF converter
CC: TWC 1.24L 64g/ft³
UF: GPF 1.68L 10g/ft³

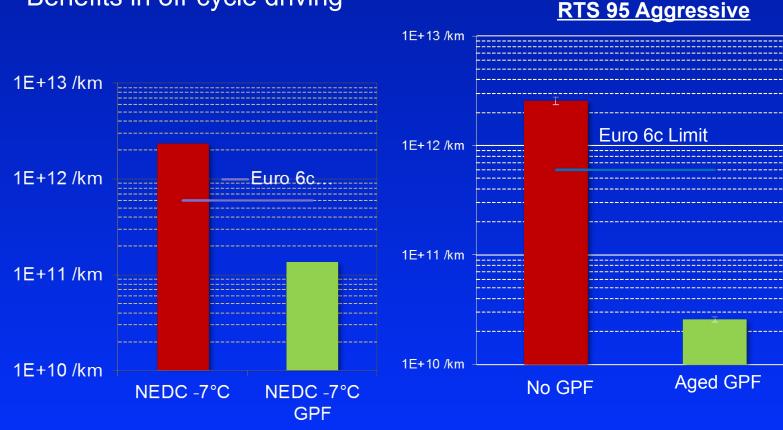






#### Gasoline Particulate Filters Commercialized in Europe

- Mercedes S500 is first GPF introduction
- Durability has been demonstrated
- Benefits in off-cycle driving

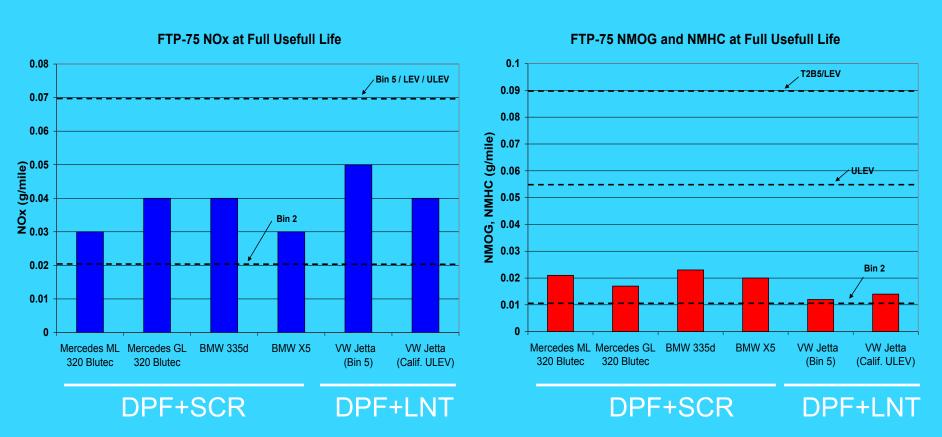




### Light-duty Diesel Emisson Control Technologies



### First Wave LEV II/Tier 2 Light-Duty Clean Diesels FTP Emissions: 30 to 50 mg/mi NOx; 12 to 23 mg/mi NMHC



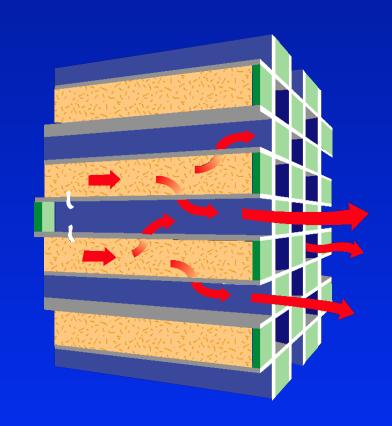
Current best in class: 50 mg/mi NMHC+NOx (compare to 30 mg/mi NMHC+NOx for Bin 2 or SULEV)

**CARB** certification data



### Diesel Particulate Filters (DPFs) Provide High PM/PN Removal Efficiency

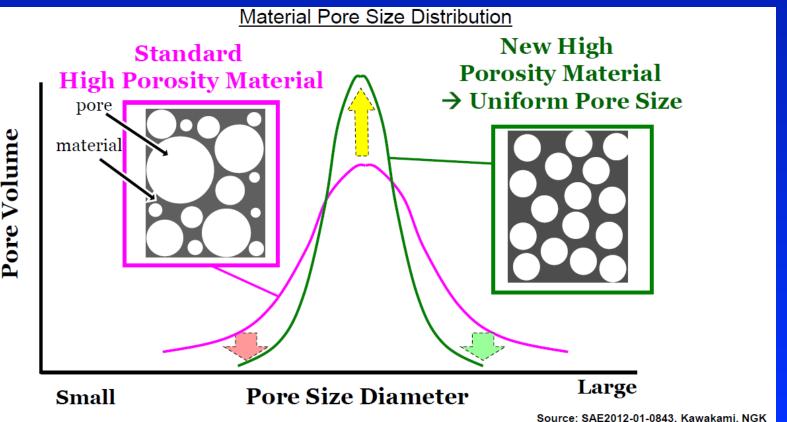
- Wall flow ceramic filter element with high capture efficiency for particulates over a broad size range (cordierite or SiC filter elements)
- Captured soot needs to be burned off (regenerated) to manage backpressure on engine
- Commercialized on light-duty diesels in Europe in 2000, on US LDD starting in 2006; standard on US 2007+ trucks/buses, on 2013+ Euro VI trucks/buses 10s of millions in-use worldwide
- Capture ultrafines and inorganicbased particles associated with engine wear, lubricant consumption: regular maintenance required (filter cleaning)





#### **DPF Optimization Focused on Backpressure and Cold Start**

- DPF designs with higher porosity, smaller, uniform sized pores
- Reduces backpressure
- Facilitates SCR catalyst coating on DPF
- Earlier ammonia injection and light-off





#### **SCR Applications Moving from Stationary to Mobile Sources: Urea Infrastructure Expanding**



Tier 4 Off-Road **Engines** 



2010+ **Heavy Duty Vehicles** 



**Waste Incineration** 



**Diesel Passenger Cars** 



**Power Plants** 

SCR **Products** 



**Stationary** 

**Engines** 



**Gas Turbines** 

**Marine Engines** 



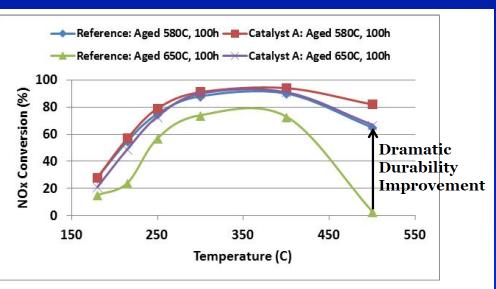


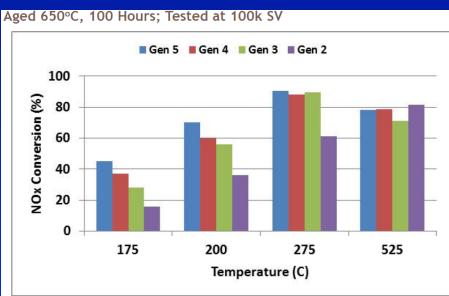
Tier 4 Locomotive **Engines** 





#### **SCR Catalysts Continue to Improve**



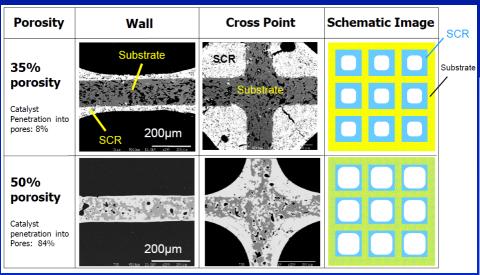


V-SCR with Excellent Durability

Cu-SCR Demonstrate Better Low Temperature Conversion

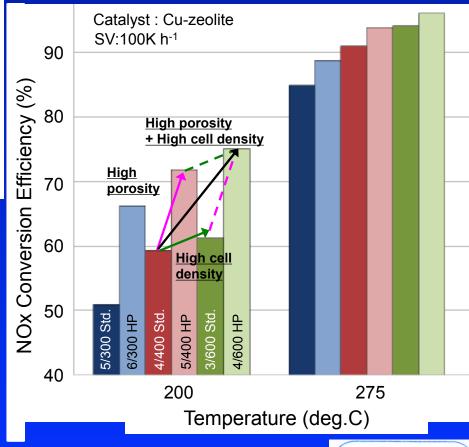


#### Substrates Optimized for Catalyst Loading, Backpressure and Thermal Mass



#### CTI 2012 NOx Reduction

- High porosity incorporates catalyst into cell wall
- Lower backpressure for efficiency
- High cell density, thin wall designs improve conversion
- Fast heat-up and earlier urea injection
- Higher conversion or reduced catalyst volume

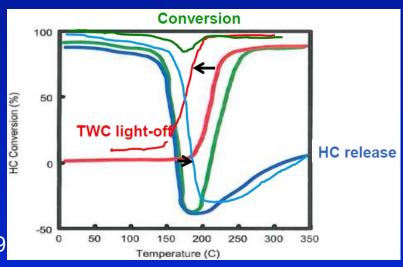


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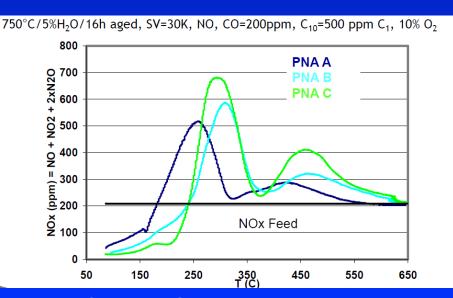


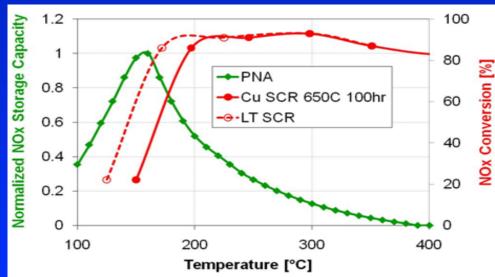
### Multifunction Low Temperature Catalysts

- PNA combines trapping with low temperature conversion
- HC trap + TWC
- NOx trap + DOC
- Desorption after catalyst becomes active.



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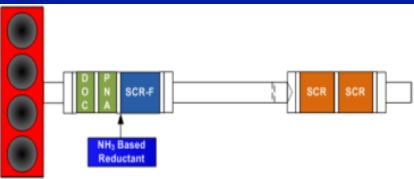






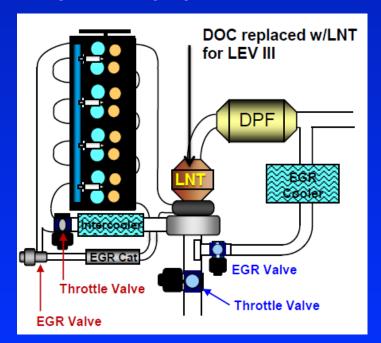
# Advanced Emission System Integration Reaching SULEV NOx Levels

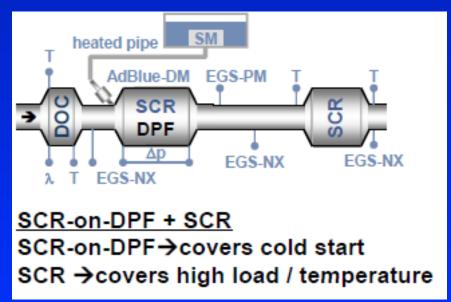






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### Clean Diesel Vehicles Include Sophisticated Sensors and Diagnostics



**SMART NOx Sensor** 



**Urea Quality Sensor** 



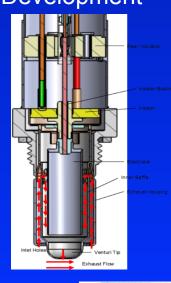
**Ammonia Sensor** 



Rapid Response Temperature Sensors



Soot Sensors in Development



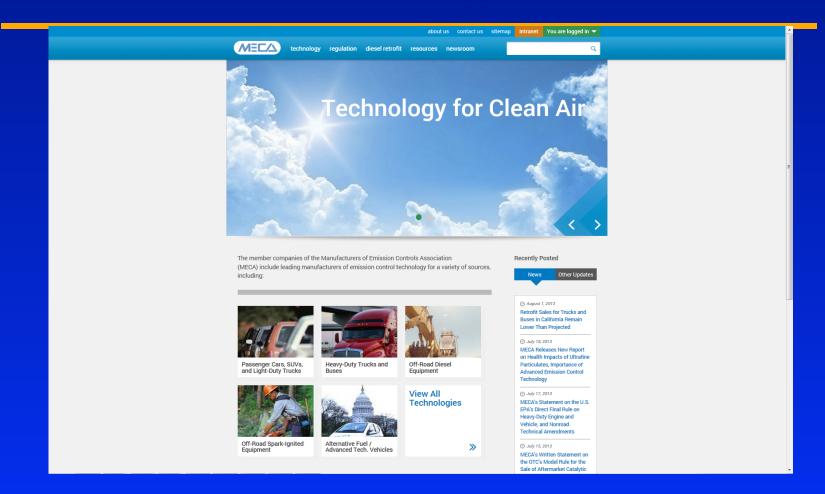


### **Summary**

- Health impacts of ozone, PM and climate change will continue to drive regulatory groups to revisit the need to achieve even more emission reductions from mobile sources
- U.S. light-duty emission standards are the world's benchmark – drive emission control technology innovation
- Developing world quickly moving to catch-up on clean vehicle technologies but introduction of clean fuels will dictate the pace of change
- Future powertrains will need to compete on both emissions and climate change performance



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- Emission control technology white papers and fact sheets
- Public testimony
- Regulatory information

- Retrofit technology descriptions
- Contacts for retrofit suppliers
- Case study reports



### Back-up Slides



# Combined NMOG+NOx Standard Provides Additional Flexibility

#### PZEV Vehicle Evaluations

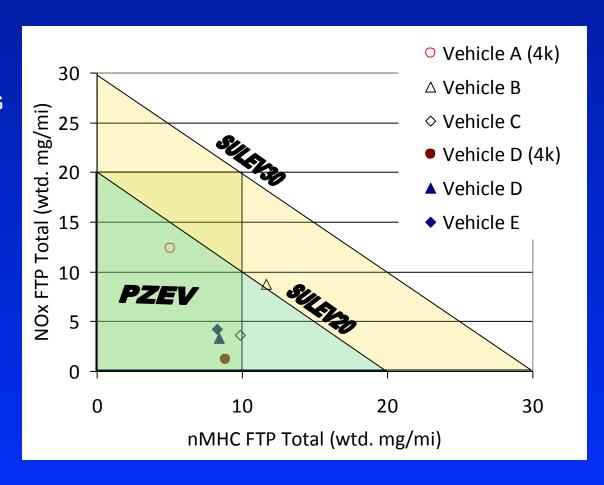
- 4/5 vehicles struggle with the 10 mg NMOG standard
- Vehicle A(4K) is most comfortable

#### • SULEV20

3 of the 5 vehicles get relief from the 10 mg
 NMOG standard

#### SULEV30

- No problem with current 4 cylinder PZEV vehicles
- Opportunities to thrift catalysts

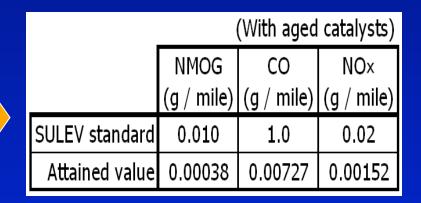


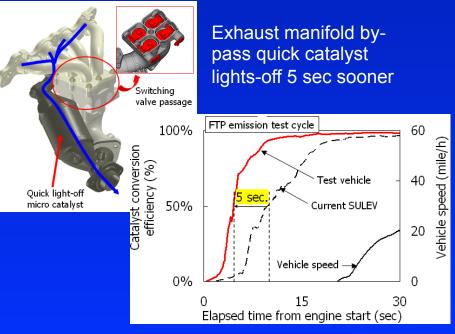
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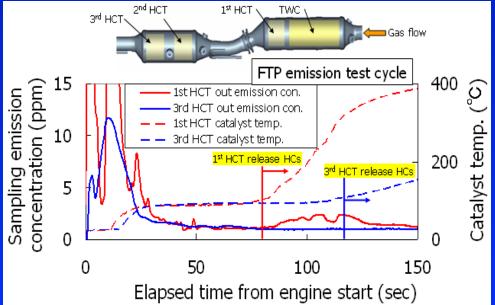


### 1/10 SULEV Achieved on Gasoline Vehicle with Advanced Engine and Emission Controls

	Outline of the Measures
(1) Reduction of Engine-out Emissions	· Keep lean A/F at engine startup · Promote in-cylinder oxidation
(2) High Exhaust Gas Temperature	Retarded ignition combustion at engine startup
(3) Quick Light-off Close-coupled Catalyst	<ul> <li>Minimize the heat loss of exhaust gas</li> <li>Suppression of thermal degradation</li> </ul>
(4) High Conversion Efficiency Underfloor Catalyst	· Control the temperature of underfloor catalysts





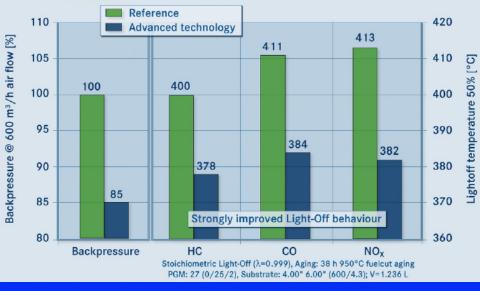


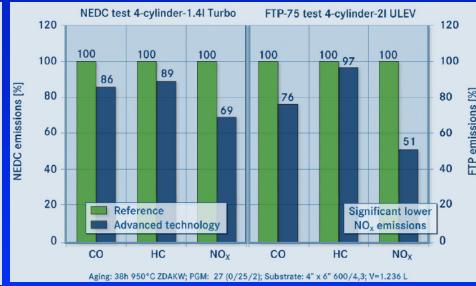


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## HEV and PHEV Vehicles Require Unique Catalyst Systems

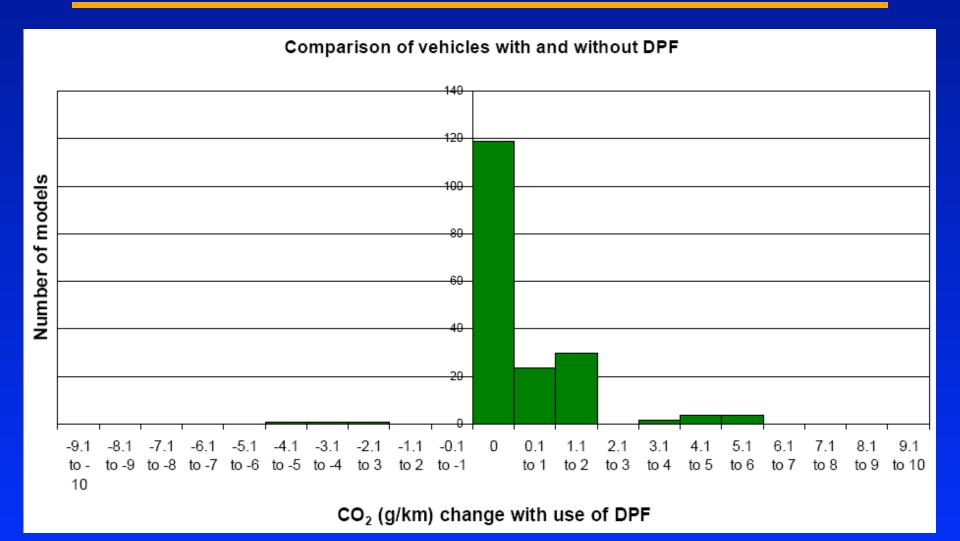
- Emission peaks during engine restart
- Cool-down of exhaust system during pure electric drive
- Battery SOC (45-60%) impacts engine operation and temperature
- Catalysts must demonstrate rapid, low temperature light-off and low backpressure.





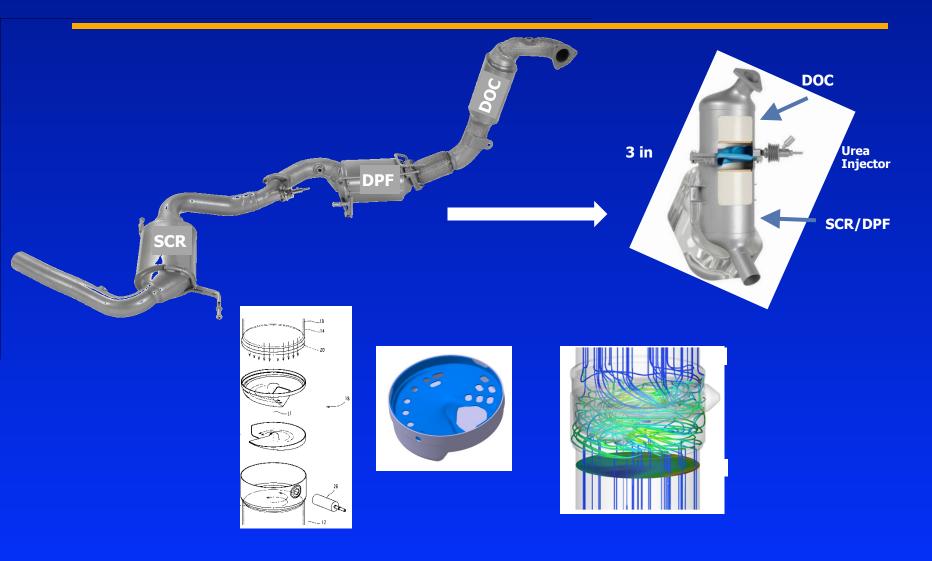


# DPFs Generally Have Small Impact on Fuel Consumption (0.6% ave. increase in CO<sub>2</sub> for 184 recent Euro models available with or without DPF)





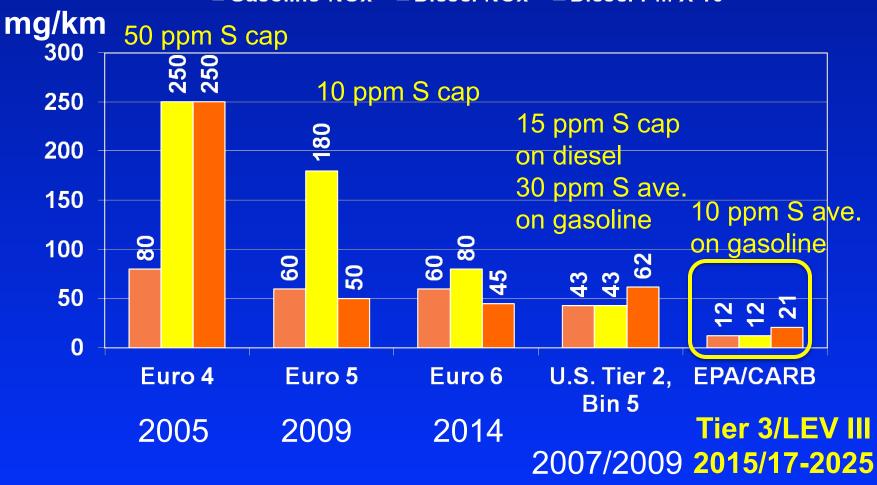
### Advanced Diesel Systems Packaging Reduce Cold-Start Emissions





### U.S. vs. Euro Light-Duty Vehicle Emission Standards

Note: U.S. Tier 2, Bin 5 is equivalent to CARB LEV II - LEV Gasoline NOx Diesel NOx Diesel PM X 10



Euro 5+ (2011) and 6 include 6 X 10<sup>11</sup>/km diesel particle number limit; Euro 6c includes PN limit for GDI

