

# In-Use Off-road Diesel Vehicle Regulation Workgroup Meeting



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## Outline

- Staff cost estimate
- Staff cost analysis and methodology
- Issues raised
- Construction industry estimate



PM Retrofit System

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## Staff Cost Estimate



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- Total cost of \$3.0 - \$3.4 billion
  - Range based on compliance actions chosen
- Cost-effectiveness
  - \$37 - \$43/lb PM
  - \$2.1 - \$2.5/lb NOx
- Health cost savings
  - \$18 to \$26 billion

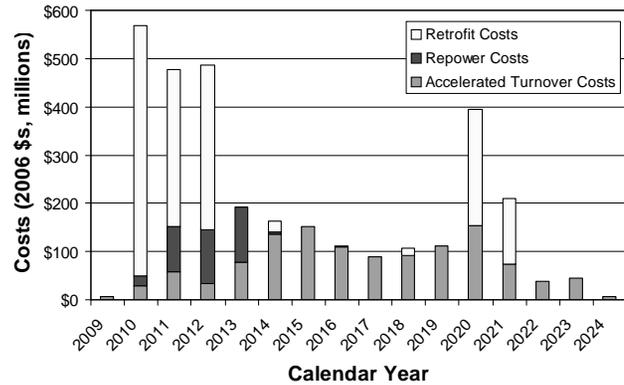


PM retrofit in engine bay

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## Annual Costs



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## Staff Cost Analysis and Methodology



DPF durability demonstration on concrete

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## Modeling Based on Analysis of Individual Fleets

- Modeled actions for each fleet separately
  - Applied BACT until fleet average met
- Evaluated each year from 2009 to 2030
- Modeled actions required by regulation
  - Buy new, buy used, repower, and/or install exhaust retrofits
- Compared to baseline without regulation
- Did not model growth in individual fleet
- Scaled costs for individual fleets to match ARB emissions inventory for each year

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## Individual Fleet Analysis Methodology Overview

- Determined fleet average age
- Estimated age of vehicle normally purchased
- Estimated normal turnover rates for each fleet
  - Based on fleet age
- Order of turnover by relative age
  - Ratio of vehicle age to useful life of the vehicle category

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## 200 Individual Fleets Analyzed

- From individual fleet owners, and industry associations and 2003 TIAX survey
- Total population = 10,152 vehicles
- Total hp = 2,163,669 hp

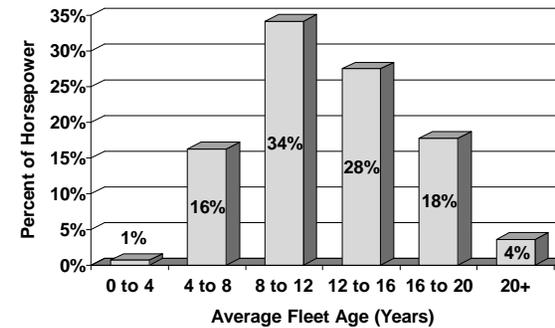


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## Summary Fleet Age Distribution



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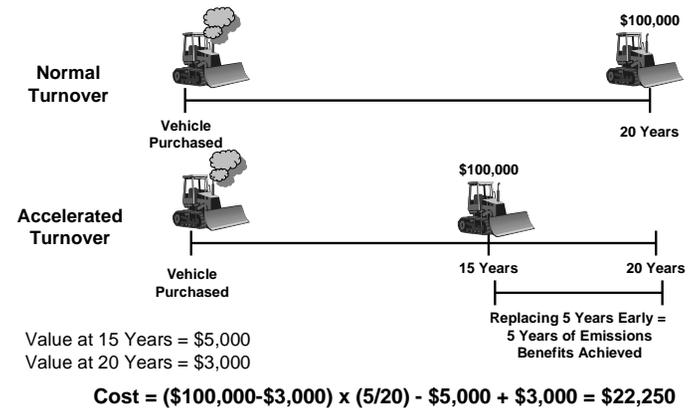
## Age of Replacement Vehicles Modeled

Average Fleet Age	Replacement Age (years)	
	Baseline	Regulation
0 to 8 years	New	New
8 to 12 years	2	1
12 to 16 years	4	2
16 to 20 years	6	3
20 and greater	8	4

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## Accelerated Turnover Cost Example



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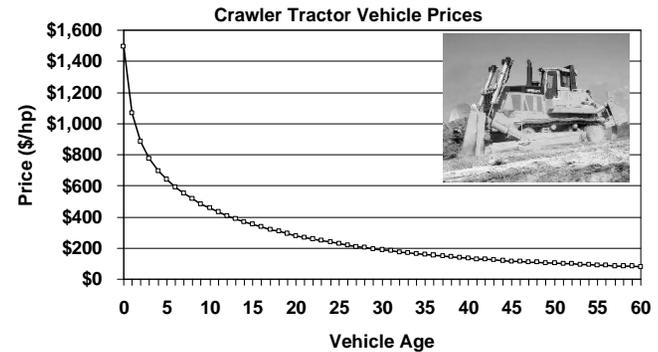
## Accelerated Turnover Costs Data

- For sale prices collected for 19 equipment categories
- Over 2000 prices collected
- Curve fit by \$/hp and vehicle age to represent typical price

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## Example Vehicle Cost Inputs



Workshop Presentation (ARB, December 2006)

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## Repower Cost

- Average repower cost \$270/hp
  - Tier 0 to Tier 2 or Tier 3
  - From Justice and Associates
- Modeled on engines over 250 hp
  - Only if 10 years before end of useful life
- Not presumed to occur at time of rebuild
- No salvage value attributed to replaced engine
- About 2% of engines estimated to be repowered



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## Estimated PM Retrofit Costs

Engine Size	Total Price
Less than 50 hp	\$8,000
50 to 175 hp	\$12,000
175 to 300 hp	\$18,000
Greater than 300 hp	\$30,000

Represent mix of active and passive systems  
 Technical Support Document, page 164 (April 2007)

### Actual Price Quotes for Huss Active System (spring, '07)

Engine Size	Number of Quotes	Median Price
Less than 50 hp	0	NA
50 to 175 hp	94	\$13,928
175 to 390 hp	15	\$19,512
394 hp	1	\$48,858

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### Other Costs Included

- Increased costs for Tier 4 vehicles
  - Equivalent to price of DPF
- Reduced value of Tier 0 vehicles
- Fuel economy losses
  - 2% loss associated with PM filters
- Filter regeneration and maintenance costs
- Reporting costs

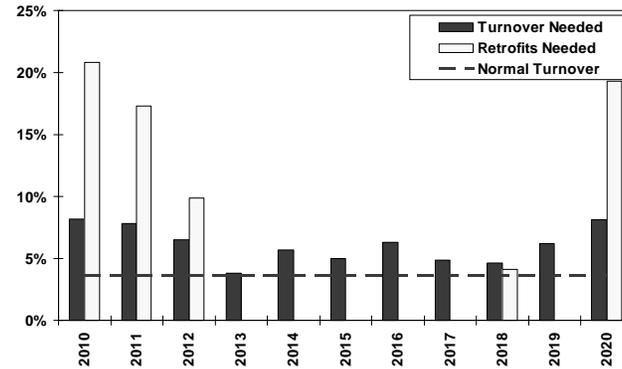


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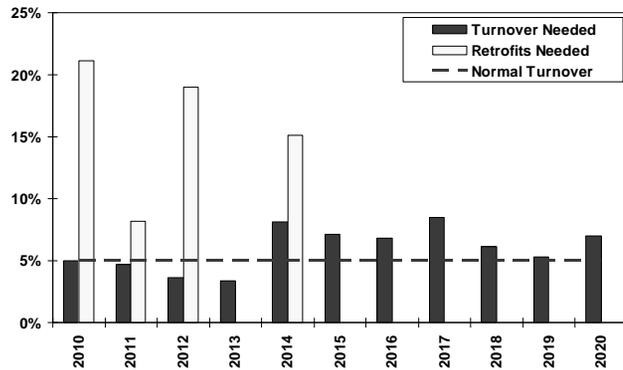
### Compliance Path Example Fleet 1 Average Age 13.4 Years



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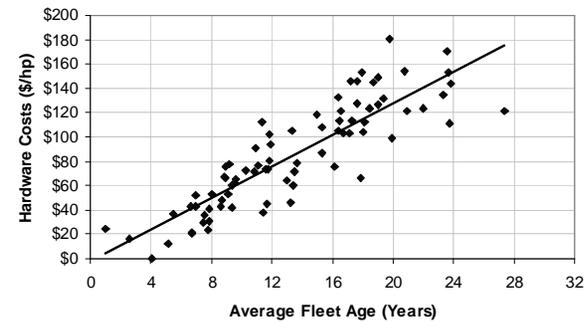
### Compliance Path Example Fleet 2 Average Age 8.9 Years



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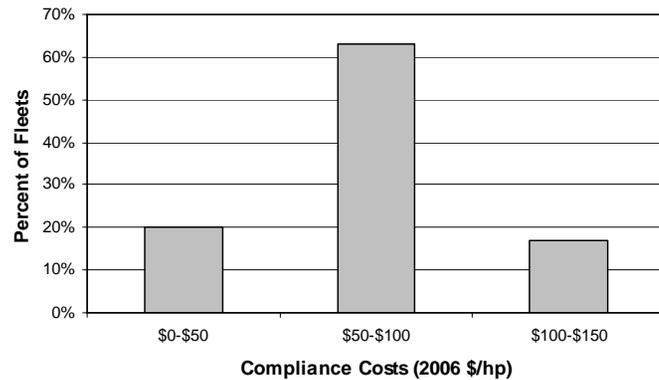
### Compliance Costs by Fleet Age for Medium and Large Fleets



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## Total Fleet Compliance Costs Vary



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## Issues Raised by Stakeholders and Staff Response



Fuel Burner PM Retrofit System

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## Issue Raised by Stakeholders

- Vehicle inventory underestimated
- Baseline/normal turnover rate too high
- Results skewed by public fleet data
- Cost estimates sensitive to input assumptions
- Insufficient number of used vehicles available
- Impact on jobs underestimated
- Industry published estimate much higher

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## Inventory Update Process

- ARB held 6 workgroup meetings with stakeholders to gather input and data
  - From December, 2004 through July, 2006
- In July 2006, the inventory was updated based on:
  - MacKay & Co. Construction Universe Study (2003)
  - TIAX Public Fleet Survey (2003)
  - Yengst equipment analysis reports (2005)
  - ARB Off-road Equipment Survey (2005)
  - ARB Off-road Mini Survey (2006)
  - Input from stakeholders
- OFFROAD2007 Model incorporated this updated diesel inventory in November 2006

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## Normal Fleet Turnover Rate

- Statewide average vehicle attrition rate from ARB inventory about 5% per year
- Industry used 3% per year referencing US EPA
- EPA NONROAD model show 7% per year attrition rate

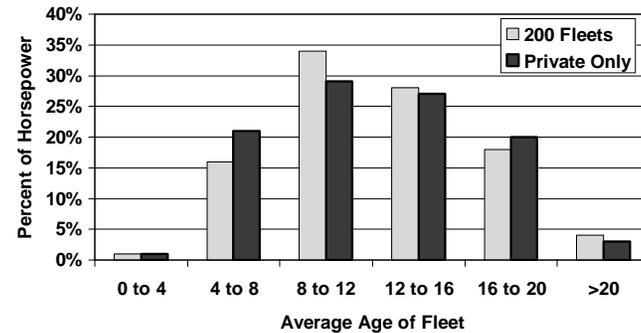


PM Retrofit Systems at LAX

USEPA NONROAD Model

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## Public Fleets Did Not Skew Age Distribution (77% of horsepower from private fleets)



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## Sensitivity Analysis of ARB Model

Factor Evaluated for Sensitivity	Potential Change (billions)
Tier 0 completely devalued	+ \$0.4
Double PM retrofit costs for high hp	+ \$0.2
Wide utilization of early credit	- \$0.2
Public fleets excluded	No Change
Increase new vehicle prices 60%	+ \$0.1
More small fleet and fewer large	- \$0.02
Repair savings from newer vehicles	Under review

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## Availability of Used Vehicles

- At most increase in demand for used vehicles is 5400 per year (2010 to 2015)
- Over 80,000 vehicles for sale in one day on two websites
  - Ritchie Brothers, 2007
  - Machinery Trader, 2007
- Over 30,000 were 2003 model year or newer (likely Tier 2 or better).

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## Impact on Jobs

- ARB staff used peer-reviewed UC Berkeley model EDRAM
  - Model also used by California Energy Commission and Department of Finance
- Estimated jobs lost throughout entire statewide economy
- Would reduce California employment by approximately 1,000 jobs (< 0.01% of total jobs)

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## Construction Industry Estimate



PM filter on small engine skid steer

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## Staff Comments on \$13 Billion Industry Cost Estimate

- Incorrectly assumed all fleets must do maximum turnover and retrofitting every year
- Only modeled purchase of new (no used) vehicles
- Applied inflated PM retrofit costs to small vehicles
- Arbitrarily assumed PM retrofits would not be used on engines greater than 150 hp
- Inappropriately turned over engines to reduce PM
  - Regulation would not require any action to reduce PM if VDEC not available

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## Cost Impact in Industry Model

Assumptions Made in Industry Analysis	Effect in Industry Model
Vehicle attrition rate for oldest vehicle category applied to all vehicles	\$2.3 billion
Assumed no fleets would meet the fleet averages (always maximum turnover and PM retrofits)	\$1.5 billion
New vehicle prices assumed to be 60% higher	\$4.3 billion
Assumed engine turnover to reduce PM rather than use exhaust retrofits (engines >150 hp)	Not quantified
Assumed purchasing of only new vehicles rather than a mix of new and used	Not quantified
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$8.1 Billion</b>

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