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## Model Documentation Report: Transportation Sector Model of the National Energy Modeling System

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The following table itemizes the variables, data inputs, parameters, and indices employed in each of the Transportation Model's constituent components. These variables are grouped by module, and are identified by the equation number in Appendix B in which they are first encountered. The sources of parameters and data inputs are provided immediately following this table.

LIGHT DUTY VEHICLE MODULE: Fuel Economy Model							
ITEM	CLASS. (Source)	DESCRIPTION	UNITS	SUBROUTINE	EQ #		
ACTUAL\$MKT	Variable	The economic share of technology <i>itc</i> , prior to consideration of engineering or regulatory constraints.	Percent	FEMCALC	10		
ADJFE	Variable	The fuel economy adjustment factor	Percent	FEMCALC	24		
ADJHP	Variable	The fractional change in horsepower from the previous year within a given vehicle class	Percent	FEMCALC	22		
BENCHMPG	Input Data (B)	MPG benchmark factors to ensure congruence with most recent data from NHTSA	_	FEMSIZE	45		
CAFE	Variable	Actual CAFE values by group	Miles per Gallon	CAFECALC	37		
CLASS\$SHARE	Variable	Relative market share for each class. Basis for CAFE calculations	Percent	CAFECALC	36		
СМКЅ	Variable	Class market share, subsequently reassigned to the appropriate vehicle class and group, CLASS\$SHARE <sub>iclinn</sub>	Percent	CMKSCALC	35		
COSTEF\$FUEL	Variable	Cost effectiveness based on fuel savings		FEMCALC	6		
COSTEF\$PERF	Variable	Cost effectiveness based on performance		FEMCALC	7		
DEL\$COSTABS	Variable	Change in cost associated with technology itc	Percent	FEMCALC	4		
DEL\$COSTWGT	Variable	The weight-based change in cost of technology itc	\$ per lb	FEMCALC	4		
DEL\$FE	Variable	The fractional change in fuel economy associated with technology <i>itc</i>	Percent	FEMCALC	3		
DEL\$HP	Variable	The fractional change in horsepower of technology <i>itc</i>	Percent	FEMCALC	5		
DEL\$MKT	Variable	The amount of the superseded technology's market share to be removed	Percent	NOTE\$SUPER	29		
DEL\$WGTABS	Variable	The change in weight associated with technology <i>itc</i>	lbs	FEMCALC	16		
DEL\$WGTWGT	Variable	The fractional change in weight associated with technology <i>itc</i>	Percent	FEMCALC	4		
DELTA\$MKT	Variable	The change in market share for technology <i>itc</i>	Percent	FEMCALC	17		

LIGHT DUTY VEHICLE MODULE: Fuel Economy Model						
ITEM	CLASS. (Source)	DESCRIPTION	UNITS	SUBROUTINE	EQ #	
DIFF\$LN	Variable	The increment from the historical calibrated year of the log of the market share ratio	_	CMKSCALC	32	
DISCOUNT	Parameter (A)	Discount rate used in payback calculation	Percent	FEMCALC	3	
FE	Variable	Fuel economy of technology <i>itc</i> , within seven size classes	Miles per Gallon	FEMCALC	3	
FEMPG	Variable	Average fuel economy by six ORNL size classes	MPG	FEMSIZE	44	
FESIXC	Variable	Fuel economy for cars within six size classes	MPG	FEMSIZE	46	
FESIXT	Variable	Fuel economy for light trucks within six size classes	MPG	FEMSIZE	46	
FUELCOST	Variable	Projected fuel cost	\$ per MMBtu	FEMCALC	1	
FUELSAVE	Variable	The expected present value of fuel savings over the payback period	\$	FEMCALC	3	
HP	Variable	Horsepower	HP	FEMCALC	21	
icl	Index	FEM vehicle size class index (7)	ļ	FEMSIZE	I	
igp	Index	CAFE group index: 1 = domestic car, 2 = import car, 3 = domestic light truck, 4 = import light truck	_	FEMSIZE		
INCOME	Variable	Household income	\$ per year	FEMCALC	22	
ino	Index	The index identifying the technologies in the superseding group		NOTE\$SUPER		
isno	Index	An index indicating the superseded technology	-	NOTE\$SUPER	-	
itc	Index	The index representing the technology under consideration	_	FEMCALC	3	
MANDMKSH	Input Data (A)	Mandatory market share	Percent	FEMCALC	12	
MAP	Input Data (A)	Array of mapping constants, which converts FEM to ORNL size classes	Ι	FEMSIZE	41	
MAPSALE	Variable	Disaggregate vehicle sales	Units	FEMSIZE	41	
MAPSHR	Variable	Sales shares within the disaggregate array	Percent	FEMSIZE	43	
MAX\$SHARE	Input Data (A)	The maximum market share of the group, ino	Percent	NOTE\$SUPER	28	
MKT\$MAX	Input Data (A)	Maximum market share of technology in given class	Percent	NOTE\$SUPER	28	
MKT\$PEN	Variable	Market share of technology in given class and year	Percent	FEMCALC	11	
MMAX	Variable	The maximum market share for technology <i>itc</i> , obtained from MKT\$MAX	Percent	FEMCALC	10	
N	Index	Time period index (1990 = 1)	_	FEMSIZE	_	

LIGHT DUTY VEHICLE MODULE: Fuel Economy Model						
ITEM	CLASS. (Source)	DESCRIPTION	UNITS	SUBROUTINE	EQ #	
num\$sup	Index	The number of technologies in the superseding group	-	NOTE\$SUPER	_	
NVS7SC	Variable	New vehicle sales within the seven FEM size classes	Units	TSIZE	47	
ORNLMPG	Input Data (B)	Most recent (1992) fuel economy data from ORNL	MPG	FEMSIZE	45	
OSC	Index	ORNL size class index (6)	ļ	FEMSIZE		
PAYBACK	Input Data (A)	The user-specified payback period	Years	FEMCALC	3	
PERFFACT	Input Data (A)	Performance factor (multiplier for horsepower adjustment)	-	FEMCALC	22	
PMAX	Parameter (A)	The institutional maximum market share, which models tooling constraints on the part of the manufacturers	Percent	FEMCALC	10	
PRICE	Variable	Vehicle price	\$	FEMCALC	20	
PRICE\$EX	Variable	The expected price of fuel	\$	FEMCALC	2	
PSLOPE	Variable	The fuel cost slope	_	FEMCALC	1	
RATIO\$LN	Variable	Log of the market share ratio of the considered vehicle class	-	CMKSCALC	34	
REGCOST	Variable	A factor representing regulatory pressure to increase fuel economy	\$ per MPG	FEMCALC	6	
REQ\$MKT	Input Data (A)	The total market share of those technologies which are required for the implementation of technology <i>itc</i> , indicating that technology's maximum share	Percent	FEMCALC	13	
SYNR\$DEL	Input Data (A)	The synergistic effect of two technologies on fuel economy	Ι	FEMCALC	16	
TECHCOST	Input Data (A)	The cost of technology <i>itc</i>	\$	FEMCALC	4	
ТОТ\$МКТ	Variable	The total market share of the considered group of technologies	Percent	NOTE\$SUPER	30	
TOTNVS7	Variable	Total new vehicle sales within the six ORNL size classes	Units	FEMSIZE	42	
VAL\$PERF	Input Data (A)	The dollar value of performance of technology <i>itc</i>	\$	FEMCALC	5	
VALUEPERF	Variable	The value associated with an incremental change in performance	\$	FEMCALC	5	
WEIGHT	Variable	The base year vehicle weight, absent the considered technology	lbs	FEMCALC	4	
YEAR	Index	Year index ( $YEAR = N+1$ )	_	FEMSIZE	_	

LIGHT DUTY VEHICLE MODULE: Regional Sales Model						
ITEM	CLASS.	DESCRIPTION	UNITS	SUBROUTINE	EQ #	
AHPCAR	Variable	Average automobile horsepower	HP	TSIZE	55	
AHPTRUCK	Variable	Average light truck horsepower	HP	TSIZE	56	
COMTSHR	Data Input (B)	Fraction of new light trucks dedicated to commercial freight	Percent	TSIZE	48	
COSTMIR	Variable	The cost of driving in region REG	\$ per Mile	TREG	58	
DAF	Paramete r (C)	A demographic adjustment factor, to reflect different age groups' driving patterns	_	TEXOG	61	
FLTCRAT	Paramete r (B)	Fraction of new cars purchased by fleets	Percent	TSIZE	47	
FLTTRAT	Paramete r (B)	Fraction of new light trucks purchased by fleets	Percent	TSIZE	48	
GROUP	Index	Index indicating domestic or imported vehicles	—	TSIZE	_	
HP	Variable	Vehicle horsepower by FEM size class, group	HP	TSIZE	53	
HPCAR	Variable	Average horsepower of new automobiles, by size class SC	HP	TSIZE	53	
HPTRUCK	Variable	Average horsepower of new light trucks, by size class SC	HP	TSIZE	54	
INCOMER	Variable	Regional per capita disposable income	\$	TREG	59	
LTSHRR	Variable	Non-fleet market shares of light trucks, by size class <i>SC</i>	Percent	TSIZE	52	
NCS	Variable	New car sales, by size class and region	Units	TREG	63	
NCSTSCC	Variable	New car sales in the modified six size classes, <i>SC</i>	Units	TSIZE	49	
NLTS	Variable	New light truck sales, by size class and region	Units	TREG	64	
NLTSTSCC	Variable	New light truck sales in six size classes <i>SC</i>	Units	TSIZE	50	
NVS7SC	Variable	New vehicle sales in the original seven FEM size classes	Units	TSIZE	47	
PASSHRR	Variable	Non-fleet market shares of automobiles, by size class SC	Percent	TSIZE	51	

	LIGHT	DUTY VEHICLE MODULE: Reg	gional Sales	Model	
ITEM	CLASS.	DESCRIPTION	UNITS	SUBROUTINE	EQ #
PRFEM	Data Input (D)	Ratio of female to male driving rates	_	TVMT	60
RHO	Paramete r (C)	Lag factor for the VMT difference equation	_	TVMT	60
RSHR	Variable	Regional VMT shares	Percent	TREG	62
SALESHR	Data Input (B)	Fraction of vehicle sales which are domestic/imported	Percent	TSIZE	47
SEDSHR	Variable	Regional share of the consumption of a given fuel in period <i>T</i>	Percent	TREG	57
TMC_POP16	Variable	Total regional population over the age of 16	_	TMAC	61
TMC_POPAFO	Variable	Total population in region REG	_	TMAC	59
TMC_SQDTRU CKS	Variable	Total light truck sales (supplied by the MACRO module)	Units	TMAC	48
TMC_SQTRCA RS	Variable	Total new car sales (supplied by the MACRO module)	Units	TSIZE	47
TMC_YD	Variable	Estimated disposable personal income by region, <i>REG</i>	\$	TMAC	57
VMT16R	Variable	Vehicle-miles traveled per population over 16 years of age	_	TREG	60
VMTEER	Variable	Total VMT in region REG		TREG	61

LIGHT DUTY VEHICLE MODULE: Alternative Fuel Vehicle Model						
ITEM	CLASS.	DESCRIPTION	UNITS	SUBROUTIN E	EQ #	
ACCL	Variable	Acceleration time from 0-30 mph	seconds	TALT2	69	
ACCL1	Variable	Acceleration time from 0-30 mph	seconds	TALT1	73	
APSHR11	Variable	Relative market shares of each aggregate technology	Percent	TALT1	75	
APSHR22	Variable	Relative market shares of each AFV technology	Percent	TALT2	71	
APSHR44	Variable	Absolute market shares of each technology	Percent	TALT1	76	
BETAFA	Parameter (F)	Coefficient associated with fuel availability	_	TALT1 & TALT3	69,73	
BETAFA2	Parameter (F)	Coefficient associated with the square of fuel availability	-	TALT1 & TALT3	69,73	
CALIB	Input data	Calibration factor added to gasoline vehicles to match historical AFV sales in 1998	_	TALT1	73	
CAVL	Input Data (E)	Commercial availability of each AFV technology	_	TALT1 & TALT3	65,74	
DR200	Variable	Dummy variable for gasoline capable vehicle with range greater than 200 miles	0,1	TALT2	69	
DR2001	Variable	Dummy variable for gasoline capable vehicle with range greater than 200 miles	0,1	TALT1	73	
DR250	Variable	Dummy variable for gasoline capable vehicle with range greater than 250 miles	0,1	TALT2	69	
DR2501	Variable	Dummy variable for gasoline capable vehicle with range greater than 250 miles	0,1	TALT1	73	
EVC1	Variable	Exponentiated value of vehicle utility vector	_	TALT1	74	
EVC2	Variable	Exponentiated value of alternative vehicle utility vector	_	TALT2	70	
FAVL	Input Data (E)	Availability of each alternative fuel relative to gasoline	Percent	TALT2	68	
FAVL1	Input Data (E)	Fuel availability for conventional and alternative technologies	Percent	TALT1	73	
FLCOST	Variable	Fuel operating cost	Nominal \$ per Mile	TALT2	67	
FLCOST1	Variable	Fuel operating cost	Nominal \$ per Mile	TALT1	73	
HFUEL	Variable	Dummy variable for home refueling for EV's	0,1	TALT2	69	
HFUEL1	Variable	Dummy variable for home refueling for EV's	0,1	TALT1	73	
IT	Index	Index of the sixteen engine technologies considered by the model	_	TALT1 & TALT2	_	
LUGG	Input Data	Luggage space indexed to gasoline vehicle	0 to 1	TALT2	69	
LUGG1	Input Data	Luggage space indexed to gasoline vehicle	0 to 1	TALT1	73	
MAINT	Input Data	Maintenance cost and battery replacement cost	Nminal \$/yr	TALT2	69	

]	LIGHT DUT	Y VEHICLE MODULE: Alternat	tive Fuel Veh	nicle Model	
ITEM	CLASS.	DESCRIPTION	UNITS	SUBROUTIN E	EQ #
MAINT1	Input Data	Maintenance cost and battery replacement cost	Nminal \$/yr	TALT1	73
MFUEL	Variable	Dummy variable for multi-fuel capability	0,1	TALT2	69
MFUEL1	Variable	Dummy variable for multi-fuel capability	0,1	TALT1	73
PSPR	Variable	Vehicle price for technology (based on cost)	Nominal \$	TALT2	69
PSPR1	Variable	Vehicle price for technology (based on cost)	Nominal \$	TALT1	73
RFP	Variable	Regional fuel price	Dollars per MMBtu	TALT2	66
RGT250	Variable	Vehicle range in excess of 250 miles	miles	TALT2	69
RGT2501	Variable	Vehicle range in excess of 250 miles	miles	TALT1	73
TPSD	Variable	Top speed of vehicle	mph	TALT2	69
TPSD1	Variable	Top speed of vehicle	mph	TALT1	73
TT50	Input Data (X)	The exogenously specified year in which 50% of the demand for technology <i>IT</i> can be met	Year	TALT2	65
VC1	Variable	Utility vector for conventional and alternative vehicles	_	TALT1	73
VC2	Variable	Utility vector for alternative vehicles	_	TALT2	69
VRNG	Variable	Vehicle range of the dedicated fuel technologies	Miles	TALT2	69
VRNG1	Variable	Vehicle range of the dedicated fuel technologies	Miles	TALT1	73

LIGHT DUTY VEHICLE STOCK MODULE						
ITEM	CLASS.	DESCRIPTION	UNITS	SUBROUTINE	EQ #	
ADJVMTPC	Variable	Demographically-adjusted per capita VMT	Vehicle-miles	TVMT	156	
AMPGC	Variable	The average MPG of cars within the reduced AFV size class	Miles per gallon	TMPGSTK	141	
AMPGT	Variable	The average MPG of trucks within the reduced AFV size class	Miles per gallon	TMPGSTK	141	
ANCMPG	Variable	Average new car MPG	Miles per gallon	TMPGSTK	145	
ANTMPG	Variable	Average new light truck MPG	Miles per gallon	TMPGSTK	145	
APSHRNC	Variable	Absolute market share of new cars, by technology, from the AFV model	Percent	TMPGSTK	145	
APSHRNT	Variable	Absolute market share of new light trucks, by technology, from the AFV model	Percent	TMPGSTK	145	
ASC	Index	The three AFV size classes, onto which the six primary size classes are mapped	_		_	
CCMPGLDV	Variable	New car MPG, by technology IT	MPG	TMPGAG	179	
CMPGSTK	Variable	Automobile stock MPG, by vintage and technology	Miles per gallon	TMPGSTK	147	
CMPGT	Variable	Automobile stock MPG	Miles per gallon	TMPGSTK	147	
COSTMI	Variable	Cost of driving per mile	\$ per mile	TVMT	151	
DAF	Input Data (C)	Demographic adjustment factor	_	TVMT	156	
FLTECHSAL	Variable	Fleet sales by size, technology, and fleet type	Units	TMPGAG	167	
FLTECHSALT	Variable	Vehicle purchases by fleet type and technolgy	Units	TMPGAG	167	
FLTECHSTK	Variable	Total fleet vehicle stock, by technology and fleet type	Units	TMPGAG	169	
FLTMPG	Variable	Fleet vehicle MPG by vehicle type, size class, and technology	MPG	TMPGAG	168	
FLTMPGNEW	Variable	New fleet vehicle MPG, by vehicle type and technology <i>ITECH</i>	MPG	TMPGAG	168	
FLTSTOCK	Variable	New fleet stock, by vehicle type and technology <i>ITECH</i>	Units	TMPGAG	169	
FLTVMT	Variable	Fleet VMT	Vehicle-miles	TVMT	158	
FLVMTSHR	Variable	VMT-weighted shares by size class and technology	Percent	TFREISMOD	162	
FVMTSC	Variable	Freight VMT by size class	Vehicle-miles	TVMT	158	
NCOME	Variable	Per capita disposable personal income	\$	TVMT	152	
<i>'S</i>	Index	Index of size class (1-3)	_	TMPGAG	_	
T	Index	Index of vehicle technology (1-16)		TMPGAG		

LIGHT DUTY VEHICLE STOCK MODULE						
ITEM	CLASS.	DESCRIPTION	UNITS	SUBROUTINE	EQ#	
IT2	Index	Reassigned indices of vehicle technology <i>IT2</i> = 1-16; <i>IT</i> = 16,15,1-14	-	TMPGAG	_	
ITECH	Index	Index of fleet vehicle technologies which correspond to the <i>IT</i> index	-	TMPGAG	_	
ΙΤΥ	Index	Index of fleet type: Business, Government, Utility	-	TMPGAG	_	
LTSTK	Variable	Surviving light truck stock, by technology and vintage	Units	TSMOD	132	
LVMT	Variable	Average light truck VMT, by vintage, from RTECS	Vehicle miles traveled	TEXOG	146	
MPGC	Variable	New car fuel efficiency, by engine technology	Miles per gallon	TMPGSTK	143	
MPGC	Variable	New car MPG, by technology IT	MPG	TMPGAG	170	
MPGFLT	Variable	Stock MPG for all light duty vehicles	Miles per gallon	TMPGSTK	151	
MPGT	Variable	New light truck fuel efficiency, by engine technology	Miles per gallon	TMPGSTK	143,171	
MPGTECH	Variable	Average stock MPG by technology	MPG	TMPGSTK	150	
NCMPG	Variable	New car MPG, from the FEM model	Miles per gallon	TMPGSTK	141	
NCS3A	Variable	New car sales by reduced size class and engine technology: IS = 1, OSC = 1,6; IS = 2, OSC = 2,3; IS = 3, OSC = 4,5	Units	TMPGSTK	137	
NCS3SC	Variable	Total new car sales by reduced size class	Units	TMPGSTK	139	
NCSR	Variable	Regional new car sales by reduced size class	Units	TMPGSTK	138	
NCSTECH	Variable	New car sales, by region, size class, and technology, from the AFV Module	Units	TSMOD	131	
NLT3A	Variable	New light truck sales by reduced size class and technolgy: $IS = 1$ , $OSC = 1,3$ ; $IS = 2$ , $OSC = 2,5$ ; $IS = 3$ , $OSC = 4,6$	Units	TMPGSTK	137	
NLTECH	Variable	New light truck sales, by region, size class, and technology	Units	TSMOD	131	
NLTMPG	Variable	New light truck MPG, from the FEM model	Miles per gallon	TMPGSTK	141	
NLTS3SC	Variable	Total new light truck sales by reduced size class	Units	TMPGSTK	139	
NLTSR	Variable	Regional new light truck sales by reduced size class	Units	TMPGSTK	138	
NNCSCA	Variable	New conventional car sales by six size classes	Units	TMPGSTK	140	
NNLTCA	Variable	New conventional light truck sales by six size classes	Units	TMPGSTK	140	

LIGHT DUTY VEHICLE STOCK MODULE						
ITEM	CLASS.	DESCRIPTION	UNITS	SUBROUTINE	EQ#	
OLDFSTK	Variable	Number of fleet vehicles rolled over into corresponding private categories	Units	TSMOD	134	
PASSTK	Variable	Surviving automobile stock, by technology and vintage	Units	TSMOD	132	
PrFem	Data Input (C)	The ratio of per capita female driving to per capita male driving.	_	TVMT	141	
PVMT	Variable	Average automobile VMT, by vintage, from RTECS	Vehicle miles traveled	TEXOG	146	
RATIO	Variable	Light truck MPG adjustment factor	_	TMPGSTK	142	
RHO	Parameter (C)	Difference equation lag factor, estimated, using the Cochrane-Orcutt iterative procedure, to be 0.72	_	TVMT	153	
SCMPG	Variable	Stock MPG for automibles	Miles per gallon	TMPGSTK	148	
SSURVLT	Input Data (B)	Fraction of a given vintage's light trucks which survive	Percent	TSMOD	133	
SSURVP	Input Data (B)	Fraction of a given vintage's automobiles which survive	Percent	TSMOD	133	
STKCAR	Variable	Total stock of non-fleet automobiles in year T	Units	TSMOD	135	
STKCT	Variable	Stock of non-fleet vehicles, by technology	Units	TMPGAG	158	
STKTR	Variable	Total stock of non-fleet light trucks in year $T$	Units	TSMOD	135	
STMPG	Variable	Stock MPG for light trucks	Miles per gallon	TMPGSTK	148	
STOCKLDV	Variable	Total stock of fleet and non-fleet vehicles, by technology	Units	TMPGAG	172	
TECHNCS	Variable	Non-fleet new car sales, by technology IT	Units	TMPGAG	170	
TECHNCS	Variable	Total new car sales, by technology	Units	TSMOD	131	
TECHNLT	Variable	Total new light truck sales, by technology	Units	TSMOD	131	
TECHNLT	Variable	Non-fleet new light truck sales, by technology IT	Units	TMPGAG	171	
TLDVMPG	Variable	Average fuel economy of light-duty vehicles	MPG	TMPGAG	175	
TMC_POPAFO	Variable	Total population, from MACRO module	Units	TVMT	152	
TMC_SQDTRUCKSL	Variable	Total light truck sales, from MACRO module	Units	TFREISMOD	161	
TMC_YD	Variable	Total disposable personal income, from MACRO module	\$	TVMT	152	
TMPGLDVSTK	Variable	Average MPG by vehicle type VT	MPG	TMPGAG	174	
TMPGT	Variable	Light truck stock MPG	Miles per gallon	TMPGSTK	148	
TOTMICT	Variable	Total miles driven by cars	Miles	TMPGSTK	146	
TOTMITT	Variable	Total miles driven by light trucks	Miles	TMPGSTK	146	

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ITEM	CLASS.	DESCRIPTION	UNITS	SUBROUTINE	EQ#		
TPMGTR	Variable	Price of motor gasoline	\$ per gallon	TVMT	151		
TRFLTMPG	Variable	Average light truck MPG	MPG	TFREISMOD	166		
TRSAL	Variable	Light truck sales for freight	Units	TFREISMOD	161		
TRSALTECH	Variable	Light truck sales by technology	Units	TFREISMOD	162		
TRSTK	Variable	Total light truck stock	Units	TFREISMOD	165		
TRSTKTECH	Variable	Light truck stock by technology	Units	TFREISMOD	163		
TRSTKTOT	Variable	Total light truck stock by technology	Units	TFREISMOD	164		
TSTOCKLDV	Variable	Total stock by vehicle type VT	Units	TMPGAG	173		
TTMPGLDV	Variable	New light truck MPG, by technology IT	MPG	TMPGAG	171		
TTMPGSTK	Variable	Light truck stock MPG, by vintage and technology	Miles per gallon	TMPGSTK	147		
VDF	Input Data (N)	Vehicle fuel efficiency degradation factor	Percent	TMPGSTK	147		
VMTECH	Variable	Personal travel VMT by technology	Vehicle-miles	TVMT	159		
VMTEE	Variable	VMT for personal travel	Vehicle-miles	TVMT	158		
VMTLDV	Variable	Total VMT for light duty vehicles	Vehicle-miles	TVMT	157		
VSPLDV	Variable	The light duty vehicle shares of each of the sixteen vehicle technologies	Percent	TSMOD	136		
VT	Index	Index of vehicle type: $1 = cars$ , $2 = light$ trucks	_	TMPGAG	_		
XLDVMT	Variable	Fractional change of VMT over base year (1990)	Percent	TVMT	160		

LIGHT DUTY VEHICLE FLEET MODULE							
ITEM	CLASS.	DESCRIPTION	UNITS	SUBROUTINE	EQ #		
APSHR55	Variable	Absolute regional market shares of adjusted vehicle sales	Percent	TLEGIS	101		
APSHRFLTB	Variable	Market shares of business fleet by vehicle type and technology	Percent	TLEGIS	106		
APSHRFLTB	Variable	Alternative technology shares for the business fleet	Percent	TLEGIS	84		
APSHRFLTOT	Variable	Aggregate market shares of fleet vehicle technologies	Percent	TLEGIS	105		
APSHRNC	Variable	Market shares of new cars by technology	Percent	TLEGIS	104		
APSHRNT	Variable	Market shares of new light trucks by technology	Percent	TLEGIS	104		
AVSALES	Variable	Regional adjusted vehicle sales by size class	Units	TLEGIS	97		
AVSALEST	Variable	Total regional adjusted vehicle sales by size class	Units	TLEGIS	100		
ELECVSAL	Variable	Regional electric vehicle sales	Units	TLEGIS	92		
ELECVSALSC	Variable	Regional ZEV sales within corresponding regions	Units	TLEGIS	96		
EPACT	Parameter (H)	Legislative mandates for AFV purchases, by fleet type	Percent	TEXOG	81		
FLTALT	Variable	Number of AFV's purchased by each fleet type in a given year	Units	TFLTSTKS	81		
FLTAPSHR1	Input Data (G)	Fraction of each fleets' purchases which are AFV's, from historical data	Percent	TEXOG	81		
FLTCONV	Variable	Fleet purchases of conventional vehicles	Units	TFLTSTKS	82		
FLTCRAT	Input Data (G)	Fraction of total car sales attributed to fleets	Percent	TEXOG	80		
FLTCSHR	Input Data (G)	Fraction of fleet cars purchased by a given fleet type	Percent	TEXOG	80		
FLTECH	Variable	Vehicle purchases by fleet type and technology	Units	TFLTSTKS	85		
FLTECHSAL	Variable	Fleet sales by size, technology, and fleet type	unts	TFLTSTKS	84		
FLTECHSHR	Input Data (G)	Alternative technology shares for the government and utility fleets	Percent	TEXOG	84		
FLTFCLDVBTU	Variable	Fuel consumption by vehicle type and technology	MMBtu	TFLTCONS	117		
FLTFCLDVBTUR	Variable	Regional fuel consumption by fleet vehicles, by technology	MMBtu	TFLTCONS	118		
FLTLDVC	Variable	Fuel consumption by technology, vehicle and fleet type	MMBtu	TFLTCONS	116		
FLTMPG	Variable	New fleet vehicle fuel efficiency, by fleet type and engine technology	Miles per Gallon	TFLTMPG	110		
FLTMPGTOT	Variable	Overall fuel efficiency of new fleet cars and light trucks	MPG	TFLTMPG	112		
FLTSAL	Variable	Sales to fleets by vehicle and fleet type	Units	TFLTSTKS	80		
FLTSLSCA	Variable	Fleet purchases of AFV's, by size class	Units	TFLTSTKS	83		

LIGHT DUTY VEHICLE FLEET MODULE							
ITEM	CLASS.	DESCRIPTION	UNITS	SUBROUTINE	EQ #		
FLTSLSCC	Variable	Fleet purchases of conventional vehicles, by size class	Units	TFLTSTKS	83		
FLTSSHR	Input Data (G)	Percentage of fleet vehicles in each size class, from historical data	Percent	TEXOG	83		
FLTSTKVN	Variable	Fleet stock by fleet type, technology, and vintage	Units	TFLTSTKS	86		
FLTTOTMPG	Variable	Fleet vehicle average fuel efficiency for cars and light trucks	Miles per Gallon	TFLTMPG	115		
FLTTRAT	Input Data (G)	Fraction of total truck sales attributed to fleets	Percent	TEXOG	80		
FLTTSHR	Input Data (G)	Fraction of fleet trucks purchased by a given fleet type	Percent	TEXOG	80		
FLTVMT	Variable	Total VMT driven by fleet vehicles	Vehicle Miles Traveled	TFLTVMTS	108		
FLTVMTECH	Variable	Fleet VMT by technology, vehicle type, and fleet type	Vehicle Miles Traveled	TFLTVMTS	109		
FLTVMTYR	Variable	Annual miles of travel per vehicle, by vehicle and fleet type	Miles	TFLTVMTS	108		
FMSHC	Variable	The market share of fleet cars, from the AFV model	Percent	TFLTMPG	110		
FMSHLT	Variable	The market share of fleet light trucks, from the AFV model	Percent	TFLTMPG	110		
IR	Index	Corresponding regions: $ST = CA$ , MA, NY; $IR = 9,1,2$	_	TLEGIS	I		
IS	Index	Index of size classes: 1 = small, 2 = medium, 3 = large	_	TFLTSTKS	I		
ITECH	Index	Index of engine technologies: $1-5 =$ alternative fuels (neat), $6 =$ gasoline	_	TFLTSTKS	I		
ITF	Index	Index of fleet vehicle technologies, corresponding to $IT = 3,5,7,8,9$	-	TLEGIS	-		
ITY	Index	Index of fleet type: $1 =$ business, $2 =$ government, $3 =$ utility	-	TFLTVMTS	-		
MAXVINT	Index	Maximum <i>IVINT</i> index associated with a given vehicle and fleet type	_	TFLTMPG	I		
MPGFLTSTK	Variable	Fleet MPG by vehicle and fleet type, and technology, across vintages	Miles per Gallon	TFLTMPG	114		
MPGFSTK	Variable	Fleet MPG by vehicle and fleet type, technology, and vintage	Miles per Gallon	TFLTMPG	113		
NAMPG	Variable	New AFV fuel efficiency, from the AFV model	Miles per Gallon	TALT3	110		
NCSTECH	Variable	Regional new car sales by technology, within six size classes: $OSC = 1-6$ ; $IS = 2,1,1,3,3,2$	Units	TLEGIS	107		
NLTECH	Variable	Regional light truck sales by technology, with six size classes: $OSC = 1-6$ ; $IS = 1,2,1,3,2,3$	Units	TLEGIS	107		

LIGHT DUTY VEHICLE FLEET MODULE							
ITEM	CLASS.	DESCRIPTION	UNITS	SUBROUTINE	EQ #		
OLDFSTK	Variable	Old fleet stocks of given types and vintages, transferred to the private sector	Units	TFLTSTKS	87		
QBTU	Input Data (I)	Energy content of the fuel associated with each technology	Btu/Gal	TFLTCONS	117		
RSHR	Variable	Regional VMT shares, from the Regional Sales Module	Percent	TREG	118		
ST	Index	Index of participating state: CA, MA, NY		TLEGIS	_		
STATESHR	Variable	Share of national vehicle sales attributed to a given state	Percent	TLEGIS	94		
SURVFLTT	Input Data (G)	Survival rate of a given vintage	Percent	TFLTSTKS	86		
TFLTECHSTK	Variable	Total stock within each technology and fleet type	Units	TFLTSTKS	88		
TMC_SQDTRUCKSL	Variable	Total light truck sales in a given year	Units	TMAC	80		
TMC_SQTRCARS	Variable	Total automobile sales in a given year	Units	TMAC	80		
TOTFLTSTK	Variable	Total of all surviving fleet vehicles	Units	TFLTSTKS	89		
ULEV	Data Input (J)	State-mandated minimum sales share of ULEV's	Percent	TLEGIS	94		
ULEVST	Variable	State-mandated minimum sales of ULEV's	Units	TLEGIS	94		
VFSTKPF	Variable	Share of fleet stock by vehicle type and technology	Percent	TFLTSTKS	90		
VSALES	Variable	Total disaggregate vehicle sales	Units	TLEGIS	91		
VSALESC16	Variable	Total new car sales by technology: $IS = 1$ , $OSC = 2,3$ ; $IS = 2$ , $OSC = 1,6$ ; $IS = 3$ , $OSC = 4,5$	Units	TLEGIS	103		
VSALEST	Variable	Total regional vehicle sales, by size class	Units	TLEGIS	93		
VSALEST16	Variable	Total new light truck sales by technology: $IS = 1$ , OSC = 1,3; $IS = 2$ , $OSC = 2,5$ ; $IS = 3$ , $OSC = 4,6$	Units	TLEGIS	103		
VT	Index	Index of vehicle type: $1 = cars$ , $2 = light trucks$	_	TFLTSTKS	_		
ZEV	Data Input (J)	State-mandated minimum sales share of ZEV's	Percent	TLEGIS	94		
ZEVST	Variable	State-mandated minimum sales of ZEV's	Units	TLEGIS	94		
ZEVSTSC	Variable	Mandated ZEV sales by size class and state	Units	TLEGIS	95		

	AIR TRAVEL MODULE: Air Travel Demand Model							
ITEM	CLASS.	DESCRIPTION	UNITS	SUBROUTINE	EQ#			
DI	Parameter (O)	Demographic air travel index, reflecting public's propensity to fly	_	TAIRT	239			
EQSM	Input Data (O)	Equivalent seat-miles conversion factor; used to transform freight RTMs to seat-miles	_	TAIRT	242			
LFDOM	Parameter (O)	Load factor, the average fraction of seats which are occupied in domestic travel.	Percent	TAIRT	242			
LFINTER	Parameter (O)	Load factor for international travel.	Percent	TAIRT	242			
PCTINT	Parameter (O)	Proportionality factor relating international to domestic travel levels	_	TAIRT	236			
RPMB	Variable	Revenue passenger miles of domestic travel for business purposes.	Passenger Miles	TAIRT	238			
RPMBPC	Variable	Per capita domestic RPM for business travellers.	Miles per Capita	TAIRT	234			
RPMD	Variable	Total domestic revenue passenger miles.	Passenger Miles	TAIRT	241			
RPMI	Variable	Revenue passenger miles of international travel.	Passenger Miles	TAIRT	240			
RPMIPC	Variable	Per capita international RPM	Miles per Capita	TAIRT	236			
RPMP	Variable	Revenue passenger miles of domestic travel for personal purposes.	Passenger Miles	TAIRT	239			
RPMPPC	Variable	Per capita domestic RPM for personal travel.	Miles per Capita	TAIRT	235			
RTM	Variable	Revenue ton miles of cargo.	Ton Miles	TAIRT	237			
SMDEMD	Variable	Total seat-miles demanded for domestic and international travel	Seat Miles	TAIRT	242			
TPJFTR	Variable	Price of Jet Fuel.	Dollars per Gallon	TMAC	233			
YIELD	Variable	Airline revenue per passenger mile	Dollars per Passenger- Mile	TAIRT	233			

	AIR TRAVEL MODULE: Aircraft Fleet Efficiency Model							
ITEM	CLASS.	DESCRIPTION	UNITS	SUBROUTINE	EQ#			
AGD	Variable	Demand for aviation gasoline, in gallons	Gallons	TAIREFF	261			
AGDBTU	Variable	Aviation gasoline demand, in Btu	Btu	TAIREFF	262			
AIRHRS	Input Data (P)	Average number of airborne hours per aircraft, by type.	Hours per Year	TAIREFF	243			
ASMDEMD	Variable	Demand for available seat-miles, by aircraft type	Seat Miles	TAIREFF	245			
ASMP	Variable	The available seat-miles per plane, by type	Seat Miles	TAIREFF	243			
AVSPD	Input Data (P)	Average flight speed, by type.	Miles per Hour	TAIREFF	243			
BASEAGD	Parameter	Baseline demand for aviation gasoline	Gallons	TAIREFF	261			
BASECONST	Parameter	Baseline constant, used to anchor the technology penetration curve	_	TAIREFF	254			
COSTFX	Parameter	Factor reflecting the magnitude of the difference between the price of jet fuel and the trigger price of the considered technology	_	TAIREFF	253			
DELTA	Parameter	User-specified rate of passenger shifts between aircraft types	Ι	TAIREFF	244			
EFFIMP	Input Data (P)	Fractional improvement associated with a given technology	Percent	TAIREFF	256			
FRACIMP	Variable	Fractional improvement over base year (1990) fuel efficiency, by type	Percent	TAIREFF	257			
GAMMA	Parameter (P)	Baseline adjustment factor	-	TAIREFF	261			
IFX	Index	Index of technology improvements (1-6)	Ι	TAIREFF	I			
IT	Index	Index of aircraft type: 1 = narrow body, 2 = wide body	-	TAIREFF	I			
IVINT	Index	Index of aircraft vintage	_	TAIREFF	-			
IYEAR	Index	Current year	_	TAIREFF	_			
JFBTU	Variable	Jet fuel demand, in Btu	Btu	TAIREFF	262			
JFGAL	Variable	Consumption of jet fuel, in gallons	Gallons	TAIREFF	262			
KAPPA	Parameter (P)	Exogenously-specified decay constant	-	TAIREFF	261			
NEWSMPG	Variable	Average seat-miles per gallon of new aircraft purchases	SMPG	TAIREFF	257			
NPCHSE	Variable	Number of aircraft purchased, by body type.	Aircraft	TAIREFF	248			
NSURV	Variable	Number of surviving aircraft, by body type.	Aircraft	TAIREFF	250			
QAGR	Variable	Regional demand for aviation gasoline	Btu	TAIREFF	263			
QJETR	Variable	Regional demand for jet fuel	Btu	TAIREFF	263			
RHO	Parameter (P)	Average historic rate of growth of fuel efficiency	_	TAIREFF	258			

	AIR TRAVEL MODULE: Aircraft Fleet Efficiency Model							
ITEM	CLASS.	DESCRIPTION	UNITS	SUBROUTINE	EQ #			
SEAT	Input Data (P)	Average number of seats per aircraft, by type.	Seats per Aircraft	TAIREFF	243			
SMFRACN	Variable	Fraction of seat-mile demand on narrow-body planes	Percent	TAIREFF	244			
SMPG	Variable	Average seat miles per gallon for new purchases and surviving fleet, by type.	Seat Miles per Gallon	TAIREFF	258			
SMPGT	Variable	Overall fleet average seat-miles per gallon	SMPG	TAIREFF	259			
SMSURV	Variable	Surviving travel capacity by body type.	Seat Miles	TAIREFF	247			
SSURVPCT	Parameter (P)	Marginal survival rate of planes of a given vintage	Percent	TAIREFF	246			
STKOLD	Variable	Fraction of planes older than one year, by aircraft type	Percent	TAIREFF	251			
SURVK	Parameter (P)	User-specified proportionality constant	-	TAIREFF	246			
SURVPCT	Input Data (P)	Survival rate of planes of a given vintage IVINT	Percent	TAIREFF	246			
T50	Parameter (P)	User-specified vintage at which stock survival is 50%	Years	TAIREFF	246			
TIMECONST	Parameter (P)	User-specified scaling constant, reflecting the importance of the passage of time	_	TAIREFF	252			
TIMEFX	Parameter (P)	Factor reflecting the length of time an aircraft technology improvement has been commercially viable	_	TAIREFF	252			
TOTALFX	Parameter (P)	Overall effect of fuel price and time on implementation of technology <i>IFX</i>	-	TAIREFF	254			
TPJFGAL	Variable	Price of jet fuel	\$ per Gallon	TAIREFF	253			
TPN	Variable	Binary variable (0,1) which tests whether current fuel price exceeds the considered techology's trigger price	_	TAIREFF	253			
TPZ	Variable	Binary variable which tests whether implementation of the considered technology is dependent on fuel price	_	TAIREFF	253			
TRIGPRICE	Parameter (P)	Price of jet fuel above which the considered technology is assumed to be commercially viable	\$ per Gallon	TAIREFF	253			
TYRN	Variable	Binary variable which tests whether current year exceeds the considered technology's year of introduction	_	TAIREFF	253			
XAIREFF	Variable	Fractional change in aircraft fuel efficiency from base year	Percent	TAIREFF	264			

	FREIGHT TRANSPORT MODULE							
ITEM	CLASS.	DESCRIPTION	UNITS	SUBROUTINE	EQ #			
ANNVMTBASE	Input Data (B)	Base year average annual VMT per vehicle.	_	TRANFRT	199			
ANNVMT	Variable	Average annual VMT per vehicle.	Vehicle miles	TRANFRT	199			
AVGPRC	Variable	Average price of fuel over three years period	\$	TRANFRT	176			
COALT	Variable	Ton miles of travel of coal production	Ton-miles	TRAIL	216			
COALD	Variable	Distance of coal travel by region	Miles	TRAIL	216			
COALP	Variable	Production of coal by region east/west	Ton	TRAIL	216			
COEFAFV	Parameter	Endogenously determined logistic market penetration curve parameter	-	TRANFRT	186			
COEFFAC	Parameter	Endogenously determined logistic decay curve parameter	_	TRANFRT	201			
COEFT	Parameter	Endogenously determined logistic market penetration curve parameter	_	TRANFRT	178			
FACTR	Function	Freight Adjustment Coefficient—relates growth in value added in industry I to growth in freight transportation	Percent	TRANFRT	201			
FCOST	Variable	Fuel cost of driving a truck	Dollars per mile	TRANFRT	184			
FERAIL	Input Data (B)	Rail fuel efficiency	Miles per gallon	TRAIL	220			
FESHIP	Input Data (B)	Domestic freighter fuel efficiency	_	TSHIP	226			
FSHR	Variable	Actual market share of fuel technology	Percent	TRANFRT	189			
FUEL	Variable	Total truck fuel consumption by sector, size class, vintage, fuel, and fleet	Gallons of gasoline eq	TRANFRT	212			
GROSST	Variable	Value of gross trade (imports + exports)	\$	TSHIP	229			
HTRATE	Input Data (I)	Heat content of fuel used by each technology	MMBtu per gallon	TRANFRT	213			
IFUEL	Index	Index of fuel type	_	TRANFRT	_			
INITYR	Variable	Year in which technology TECH enters market	YEAR	TRANFRT	177			
ISC	Index	Index of truck size class (1-3)	_	TRANFRT	_			
ISEC	Index	Place holder for industry group		TFREI				
ISFD	Variable	International freighter energy demand, by fuel	MMbtu	TSHIP	230			
ISFDT	Variable	Total international shipping energy demand	MMBtu	TSHIP	229			
ITECH	Index	Index of engine technology (1-5)	_	TRANFRT				
MIDYR	Variable	Endogenously determined logistic market penetration curve parameter	Year	TRANFRT	178			

	FREIGHT TRANSPORT MODULE							
ITEM	CLASS.	DESCRIPTION	UNITS	SUBROUTINE	EQ #			
MPATH	Variable	Share of diesel in conventional truck sales	Percent	TRANFRT	187			
MPG	Variable	Truck fuel efficiency by class, vintage, and fuel type	Mile per gallon	TRANFRT	183			
MPGDEGFAC	Variable	Fuel economy degradation factor	Percent	TRANFRT	211			
MPGEFF	Variable	Total effect of all fuel-saving technologies on new truck economy	Percent	TRANFRT	182			
MYRAFV	Parameter	Logistic market penetration curve parameter representing halfway point to maximum market penetration	_	TRANFRT	186			
OUTPUT	Variable	Value of output of each industry in base year dollars.	Dollars	TFREI	202			
PREFF	Variable	Effect of fuel price on market penetration rates for six fuel-saving technologies	Percent	TRANFRT	179			
PVMT	Variable	Perceived total VMT demand for trucks	Vehicle miles	TRANFRT	207			
PVMTBASE	Variable	Baseline for Perceived demand for freight VMT to be calculated	Vehicle miles	TRANFRT	204			
PVMTDMD	Variable	Perceived demand for freight VMT	Vehicle miles	TRANFRT	205			
PVMTGROWTH	Variable	Perceived growth rate for demand for freight VMT	Percent	TRANFRT	203			
PVMTUNMET	Variable	Difference between perceived and actual demand for freight VMT	Vehicle miles	TRANFRT	206			
PVN	Variable	Annual VMT per vehicle	Vehicle miles	TRANFRT	208			
RCOST	Variable	Fuel cost per mile of diesel relative to LPG and CNG	Percent	TRANFRT	185			
RTMT	Variable	Total rail freight traffic, by industry	Ton Miles	TRAIL	217			
RTMTT	Variable	Total rail ton-miles traveled	Ton Miles	TRAIL	219			
SEDSHR	Parameter (K)	Regional shares of shipping fuel demand	Percent	TFREI	228			
SFD	Variable	Domestic freighter energy demand, by fuel	MMBtu	TSHIP	227			
SFDBENCH	Parameter (I)	Benchmark factor to ensure congruence with 1990 data	_	TSHIP	226			
SFDT	Variable	Domestic freighter energy demand	MMBtu	TSHIP	226			
SFSHARE	Parameter (B)	Domestic shipping fuel allocation factor	_	TSHIP	227			
STMT	Variable	Total waterborne freight traffic, by industry	Ton Miles	TSHIP	224			
STMTT	Variable	Total ship ton-miles traveled	Ton Miles	TSHIP	225			
TECH	Variable	Fuel-saving technology	Percent	TRANFRT	180			
TECHSHR	Variable	Market share of fuel-saving technology	Percent	TRANFRT	180			
TQISHIPR	Variable	Total regional energy demand by international freighters	MMBtu	TSHIP	231			

	FREIGHT TRANSPORT MODULE							
ITEM	CLASS.	DESCRIPTION	UNITS	SUBROUTINE	EQ #			
TQRAIL	Variable	Total demand for each fuel by rail freight sector in year <i>T</i>	MMBtu	TRAIL	221			
TQRAILR	Variable	Total regional rail fuel consumption for each technology	MMBtu	TRAIL	222			
TQRAILT	Variable	Total energy consumption by freight trains in year T	MMBtu	TRAIL	220			
TQSHIPR	Variable	Total regional energy demand by domestic freighters, by fuel type	MMBtu	TSHIP	228			
TRF1	Variable	Number of trucks transferred from fleet to non-fleet, if no restrictions are placed on the transfer of alternative-fuel trucks	Number of trucks	TRANFRT	193			
TRF2	Variable	Number of trucks transferred from fleet to non-fleet, if the fuel mix of fleet transfer is exactly the same as the fuel mix of new non- fleet purchases	Number of trucks	TRANFRT	194			
TRF	Variable	Total number of trucks transferred from fleet to non-fleet	Number of trucks	TRANFRT	195			
TRFSHR	Variable	Share of fleet transfers which goes to each sector	Percent	TRANFRT	196			
TRILL	Variable	Truck fuel consumption by secotr, size class, fuel type, and fleet	MMBTu	TRANFRT	213			
TRKSTK	Variable	Number of trucks by sector, size class, vintage, fuel type, and fleet	Number of trucks	TRANFRT	197			
TSIC	Variable	Value of output of industry <i>I</i> , in base year (1990) dollars	\$	TRAIL	217			
VMT	Variable	Actual VMT by trucks	Vehicle miles	TRANFRT	210			
VMTDMD	Variable	Actual VMT demand	Vehicle miles	TRANFRT	202			
VMTOLD	Variable	VMT that is meet by existing truck stock	Vehicle miles	TRANFRT	200			
VMTTREND	Variable	VMT index growth per truck	Percent	TRANFRT	198			
XRAIL	Variable	Growth in rail travel from base year	Percent	TRAIL	223			
XRAILEFF	Variable	Growth in rail efficiency from base year	Percent	TRAIL	223			
XSHIP	Variable	Growth in ship travel from base year	Percent	TSHIP	232			
XSHIPEFF	Variable	Growth in ship efficiency from base year	Percent	TSHIP	232			

MISCELLANEOUS ENERGY DEMAND MODULE								
ITEM	CLASS.	DESCRIPTION	UNITS	SUBROUTINE	EQ #			
BETALUB	Parameter (K)	Coefficient of proportionality, relating highway travel to lubricant demand	_	TMISC	276			
BETAMS	Parameter (B)	Coefficient of proportionality, relating mass transit to LDV travel	-	TMISC	268			
BETAREC	Parameter (B)	Coefficient of proportionality relating income to fuel demand for boats	_	TMISC	272			
FLTVMT	Variable	Total fleet vehicle VMT, from the Fleet Module	Vehicle Miles	TFLTVMTS	275			
FMPG	Variable	Fuel efficiency for mass transit vehicles, by vehicle type, from the Freight Module	Miles per gallon	TFREI	269			
FMPG89	Data Input (B)	Base-year fuel efficiency for mass transit vehicles, by vehicle type, from the Freight Module	Miles per gallon	TEXOG	269			
FTVMT	Variable	Total freight truck VMT, from the Freight Module	Vehicle Miles	TMISC	274			
FVMTSC	Variable	Freight truck VMT, by size class		TMISC	274			
HYWAY	Variable	Total highway VMT	Vehicle Miles	TMISC	275			
IF	Index	Index of fuel type: 1=Distillate, 2=Naphtha, 3=Residual, 4=Kerosene	_	TMISC	-			
IM	Index	Index of transportation mode: 1 = LDV's, 2-4 = Buses, 5-7 = Rail	_	TMISC	_			
IM	Index	Index of transportation mode: 1 = LDV's, 2-4 = Buses, 5-7 = Rail		TMISC	_			
LUBFD	Variable	Total demand for lubricants in year T	MMBtu	TMISC	276			
MFD	Variable	Total military consumption of each fuel in year T	MMBtu	TMISC	266			
MILTARGR	Variable	The growth in the military budget from the previous year	Percent	TMISC	265			
MILTRSHR	Input Data (L)	Regional consumption shares, from 1991 data, held constant	Percent	TMISC	267			
QLUBR	Variable	Regional demand for lubricants in year T	MMBtu	TMISC	277			
QMILTR	Variable	Regional military fuel consumption, by fuel type	MMBtu	TMISC	267			
QMODR	Variable	Regional consumption of fuel, by mode	MMBtu	TMISC	271			
QRECR	Variable	Regional fuel consumption by recreational boats in year T	MMBtu	TMISC	273			
RECFD	Variable	National recreational boat gasoline consumption in year T	MMBtu	TMISC	272			
TMC_GFML87	Variable	Total defense budget in year T, from the macro economic segment of NEMS	\$	TMAC	265			
TMC_POPAFO	Variable	Regional population forecasts, from the Macro Module	People	TMAC	271			
TMC_YD	Variable	Total disposable personal income, from the Macro Module	\$	TMAC	272			

	MISCELLANEOUS ENERGY DEMAND MODULE								
ITEM	CLASS.	DESCRIPTION	UNITS	SUBROUTINE	EQ #				
TMEFF89	Input Data (B)	Base-year Btu per vehicle-mile, by mass transit mode	Btu per vehicle mile	TMISC	269				
TMEFFL	Variable	Btu per passenger-mile, by mass transit mode	Btu per passenger mile	TMISC	269				
TMFD	Variable	Total mass-transit fuel consumption by mode	Gallons	TMISC	270				
TMOD	Variable	Passenger-miles traveled, by mode	Passenger miles	TMISC	268				
TMLOAD89	Data Input (B)	Average passengers per vehicle, by mode, held constant at 1989 values (1=LDV's)	Units	TMISC	268				
TYPE	Index	Vehicle type, from the Freight Module: 1 = Mid-size trucks, 2 = Rail	_	TFREI	269				
VMTEE	Variable	LDV vehicle-miles traveled, from the VMT module	Vehicle miles	TVMT	268				

TRANSPORTATION EMISSIONS MODULE					
ITEM	CLASS	DESCRIPTION	UNITS	SUBROUTI NE	EQ #
EFACT	Parameter (M)	Emissions factor relating measures of travel to pollutant emissions	-	TEMISS	278
EMISS	Variable	Regional emissions of a given pollutant, by mode of travel	Tons per year	TEMISS	278
IE	Index	Index of pollutants: $1 = SO_x$ , $2 = NO_x$ , $3 = C$ , $4 = CO_2$ , $5 = CO$ , $6 = VOC$	_	TEMISS	278
IM	Index	Index of travel mode: references individual vehicle types used in the preceding modules	_	TEMISS	278
IR	Index	Index identifying census region	_	TEMISS	278
U	Variable	Measure of travel demand, by mode: units in VMT for highway travel, gallons of fuel consumption for other modes	-	TEMISS	278

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CLASS	DEFINITION	EXAMPLE MODEL		
AUTOMOBILES (Domestic and Import)				
Minicompact	Interior passenger volume < 79 ft <sup>3</sup>	Geo Metro, Toyota Paseo (no domestic cars)		
Subcompact	Passenger volume between 79 ft <sup>3</sup> and 89 ft <sup>3</sup>	Nissan Sentra, Honda Civic, GM Saturn, Ford Escort		
Sports	Two door high performance cars costing less than \$25,000	VW Corrado, Honda Prelude, Chevy Camaro, Ford Mustang		
Compact	Passenger volume between 89 and 95 ft <sup>3</sup>	Honda Accord, Toyota Camry, Ford Tempo, Pontiac Grand Am		
Intermediate	Passenger volume between 96 and 105 ft <sup>3</sup>	Nissan Maxima, Ford Taurus, Chevy Lumina		
Large	Passenger volume >105 ft <sup>3</sup>	Ford Crown Victoria, Pontiac Bonneville (no imports)		
Luxury	Cars over \$25,000	Lincoln Continental, Cadillac, all Mercedes, Lexus LS400		
	LIGHT TRUCKS (Domestic and Import)			
Compact Pickup	Trucks with inertia weight between 2750 and 4000 lbs.	All import trucks, Ford Ranger, GM S-10/15		
Compact Van	Vans with inertia weight between 3000 and 4250 lbs.	All import vans, Plymouth, Voyager, Ford Aerostar		
Compact Utility	Utility vehicles with inertia weight between 3000 and 4250 lbs.	Nissan Pathfinder, Toyota SR-5, Ford Bronco II, Jeep Cherokee		
Standard Pickup	Trucks with inertia weight over 4000 lbs.	GM C-10, Ford F-150 (no imports)		
Standard Van	Vans with inertia weight over 4250 lbs.	GM C15 van, Ford E-150 (no imports)		
Standard Utility	Utility vehicles with inertia weight over 4250 lbs.	Toyota Land Cruiser, GM Suburban, Ford Blazer		
Mini-truck	Utility/trucks below 2750 lbs. inertia weight	Suzuki Samurai (no domestics)		

### Table A-2. Light Duty Vehicle Market Classes

Old Market Share	New PMAX (Automobiles)	New PMAX (Light Trucks)
< 1%	1%	1%
1.1-2%	2%	2%
2.1-3%	5%	5%
3.1-6%	12%	10%
6.1-10%	28%	22%
10.1-12%	32%	26%
12.1-14%	36%	30%
14.1-17%	41%	35%
17.1-20%	47%	40%
20.1-24%	53%	47%
24.1-27%	56%	50%
27.1-31%	60%	54%
31.1-35%	64%	58%
35.1-40%	68%	62%
40.1-45%	73%	67%
45.1-53%	78%	73%
53.1-62%	83%	79%
62.1-73%	88%	85%
73.1-85%	94%	92%
85.1-100%	100%	100%

### Table A-3. Maximum Light Duty Vehicle Market Penetration Parameters

Year	DI	PCTINT
1979	0.974	0.27
1980	0.976	0.32
1981	0.978	0.30
1982	0.980	0.28
1983	0.982	0.27
1984	0.985	0.28
1985	0.988	0.28
1985	0.991	0.28
1980	0.994	0.23
1987	0.994	0.28
1989	0.998	0.33
1990	1.000	0.35
1991	1.003	0.38
1992	1.004	0.40
1993	1.005	0.41
1994	1.007	0.42
1995	1.008	0.43
1996	1.007	0.44
1997	1.007	0.45
1998	1.006	0.46
1999	1.006	0.46
2000	1.005	0.47
2001	1.003	0.47
2002	1.001	0.48
2003	0.998	0.48
2004	0.996	0.48
2005	0.994	0.48
2006	0.992	0.49
2007	0.989	0.49
2008	0.987	0.49
2009	0.985	0.49
2010	0.983	0.49
2011	0.980	0.49
2012	0.978	0.49
2013	0.975	0.50
2014	0.972	0.50
2015	0.970	0.50
2016	0.967	0.50
2017	0.965	0.50
2018	0.962	0.50
2019	0.960	0.50
2020	0.957	0.50
2021	0.956	0.50
2022	0.954	0.50
2023	0.952	0.50
2024	0.951	0.50
2025	0.949	0.50
2026	0.948	0.50
2027	0.946	0.50
2028	0.944	0.50
2029	0.943	0.50
2020	0.941	0.50

Table A-4. Aircraft Fleet Efficiency Model Adjustment Factors

	Intro. Year	Jet Fuel Price <sup>1</sup>	SMPG Gain Over 1990's	
Proposed Technology		('87 \$/Gal)	Narrow Body	Wide Body
ENGINES:				
Ultra-high Bypass	1995	\$0.56	10%	10%
Propfan	2000	\$1.36	23%	0%
AERODYNAMICS:				
Hybrid Laminar Flow	2020	\$1.53	15%	15%
Advanced Aerodynamics	2000	\$1.70	18%	18%
OTHER:				
Weight Reducing Materials	2000		15%	15%
Thermodynamics	2010	\$1.22	20%	20%

### Table A-5. List of Expected Aircraft Technology Improvements

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> These figures represent the minimum jet fuel prices (1987 \$) at which the corresponding technologies are assumed to become cost-effective.

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#### Introduction

This appendix provides a detailed mathematical description of the transportation model. Equations are presented in the order in which they are encountered in the code, identified by subroutine and model component. The equations follow the logic of the FORTRAN source code very closely to facilitate an understanding of the code and its structure. In several instances, a variable name will appear on both sides of an equation. This is a FORTRAN programming device that allows a previous calculation to be updated (for example, multiplied by a factor) and re-stored under the same variable name.

In the interest of clarity, initialization statements, variable name reassignments, and error-trapping tests are omitted, except where such descriptions are essential to an understanding of the process. Representative equations are also employed in those instances where the model specifies numerous, but essentially identical, calculations (most notably in the emissions component).

#### LIGHT DUTY VEHICLE MODULE

#### FUEL ECONOMY MODEL

Subroutine FEMCALC

1) Calculate the fuel cost slope, used to linearly extrapolate expected fuel cost over the desired payback period:

$$PSLOPE = \frac{MAX (0, FUELCOST_{YEAR-3} - FUELCOST_{YEAR-5})}{2}$$
(B-1)

where:

PSLOPE = The fuel cost slope FUELCOST = The cost of fuel in the specified prior years

2) Calculate the expected fuel price in year i (where i goes from 1 to PAYBACK):

$$PRICE\$EX_{i} = PSLOPE*(i+2) + FUELCOST_{YEAR-3}$$
(B-2)

where:

PRICE\$EX<sub>i</sub> = The expected price of fuel

3) Calculate the expected present value of fuel savings over the payback period:

$$FUELSAVE_{itc} = \sum_{i=1}^{PAYBACK} VMT_i * \left( \frac{1}{FE_{YEAR-1}} - \frac{1}{(1 + DEL\$FE_{itc} * FE_{YEAR-1})} \right)$$

$$* PRICE\$EX_i * (1 + DISCOUNT)^{-i}$$
(B-3)

where:

*itc* = The index representing the technology under consideration
 FE = The fuel economy of technology *itc* DEL\$FE = The fractional change in fuel economy associated with technology *itc* PAYBACK = The user-specified payback period

DISCOUNT = The user-specified discount rate

4) Calculate the cost of technology *itc*:

$$TECHCOST_{itc} = DEL COSTABS_{itc} + [DEL COSTWGT_{itc} * (SIGN * DEL WGTWGT_{itc}) * WEIGHT_{baseyear}]$$
(B-4)

where:

DEL\$COSTABS = The fixed dollar cost of technology itc SIGN = +1 if del\$wgtwgt is greater than or equal to 0; -1 if del\$wgtwgt is less than 0 DEL\$COSTWGT = The weight-based change in cost (\$/lb) DEL\$WGTWGT = The fractional change in weight associated with technology itc WEIGHT = The original vehicle weight

5) Calculate the perceived value of performance associated with technology *itc*:

$$VAL\$PERF_{itc} = VALUEPERF_{itc} * \frac{INCOME_{YEAR}}{INCOME_{YEAR-1}} * \frac{FE_{YEAR-1} * (1 + DEL\$FE_{itc})}{FE_{YEAR-1}}$$

$$* \frac{FUELCOST_{YEAR-1}}{PRICE\$EX_1} * DEL\$HP_{itc}$$
(B-5)

where:

VAL\$PERF = The dollar value of performance of technology *itc*VALUEPERF = The value associated with an incremental change in performance
DEL\$HP = The fractional change in horsepower of technology *itc*PRICE\$EX = The expected price of fuel
FUELCOST = The actual price of fuel (in the previous year)

#### 6) Calculate the cost effectiveness of technology *itc*:

$$COSTEF\$FUEL_{itc} = \frac{FUELSAVE_{itc} - TECHCOST_{itc} + (REGCOST * FE_{YEAR-1} * DEL\$FE_{itc})}{ABS(TECHCOST_{itc})}$$
(B-6)

$$COSTEF\$PERF_{itc} = \frac{VAL\$PERF_{itc} - TECHCOST_{itc}}{ABS (TECHCOST_{itc})}$$
(B-7)

$$MKT\$FUEL_{itc} = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-2 \times COSTEF\$FUEL_{itc}}}$$
(B-8)

$$MKT\$PERF_{itc} = \frac{1}{1 + a^{-2 * COSTEF\$PERF_{itc}}}$$
(B-9)

where:

COSTEF\$FUEL = A unitless measure of cost effectiveness based on fuel savings COSTEF\$PERF = A unitless measure of cost effectiveness based on performance REGCOST = A factor representing regulatory pressure to increase fuel economy TECHCOST = The cost of the considered technology VAL\$PERF = The performance value associated with technology *itc* 

7) Calculate the preliminary economic market share of technology *itc*:

$$ACTUAL\$MKT_{itc} = MMAX_{itc} * PMAX_{itc}$$

$$* MIN(1.0, (MKT\$FUEL_{itc} + MKT\$PERF_{itc}))$$
(B-10)

where:

ACTUAL\$MKT =	The economic share, prior to consideration of engineering or regulatory constraints. The
	subsequent adjusted value is stored in the variable MKT\$PEN.
MMAX =	The maximum market share for technology itc, obtained from MKT\$MAX
PMAX =	The institutional maximum market share, which models tooling constraints on the part of the
	manufacturers, and is set in the subroutine FUNCMAX.

8) Ensure that existing technologies maintain market share in the absence of competing technologies:

$$ACTUAL MKT_{itc} = MAX (MKT PEN_{YEAR-1}, ACTUAL MKT_{itc})$$
 (B-11)

where:

MKT $PEN_{Year-1}$  = The previous year's market share of technology *itc* 

9) Apply mandatory constraints:

$$ACTUAL MKT_{itc} = MAX (ACTUAL MKT_{itc}, MANDMKSH_{itc})$$
 (B-12)

where:

MANDMKSH = The minimum market share of technology *itc* required by legislative mandate.

10) Apply required engineering constraints (following a call to the subsequent subroutine NOTE\$SUPER):

a) Sum the market shares of the required technologies (*req*):

$$REQ\$MKT = MIN\left(\sum_{req} ACTUAL\$MKT_{req}, 1.0\right)$$
(B-13)

where:

- REQ\$MKT = The total market share of those technologies which are required for the implementation of technology *itc*, indicating that technology's maximum share
- b) Compare REQ\$MKT to the market share of technology referred to by the engineering note, ACTUAL\$MKT<sub>ite</sub>, selecting the smaller share:

$$ACTUAL\$MKT_{itc} = MIN \left( ACTUAL\$MKT_{itc} , REQ\$MKT \right)$$
(B-14)

11) Assign the preliminary market share value to the permanent variable:

$$MKT$$
  $PEN_{icl.igp.itc.vear} = ACTUAL$   $MKT_{itc}$  (B-15)

where:

MKTPEN = The market penetration of technology *itc* by vehicle group *igp* and vechilce class *icl* 

12) Apply synergistic engineering constraints to those technologies whose combination provide non-additive benifits to fuel economy:

$$FE_{YEAR} = FE_{YEAR} + (MKT\$PEN_{itc1,YEAR} - MKT\$PEN_{itc1,YEAR-1})$$

$$* (MKT\$PEN_{itc2,YEAR} - MKT\$PEN_{itc2,YEAR-1}) * SYNR\$DEL_{itc1,itc2}$$
(B-16)

where:

itc1 = First synergistic technology itc2 = Second synergistic technology SYNR\$DEL = The synergistic effect of the two technologies on fuel economy

#### 13) Calculate the change in market share for a given technology:

$$DELTA\$MKT_{itc} = MKT\$PEN_{itc,YEAR} - MKT\$PEN_{itc,YEAR-1}$$
(B-17)

where:

DELTA $MKT_{itc}$  = The change in market share for technology *itc* 

### 14) Calculate current fuel economy for the considered vehicle class:

$$FE_{YEAR} = FE_{YEAR} + \sum_{itc=1}^{NUMTECH} FE_{YEAR-1} * DELTA\$MKT_{itc} * DEL\$FE_{itc}$$
(B-18)

where:

DEL\$FEitc = The fractional change in fuel economy attributed to technology itc

### 15) Calculate average vehicle weight for the considered class:

$$WEIGHT_{YEAR} = WEIGHT_{YEAR} + \sum_{itc=1}^{NUMTECH} DELTA MKT_{itc} * [DEL WGTABS_{itc} + (WEIGHT_{BASEYR} * DEL WGTWGT_{itc})]$$
(B-19)

where:

DEL\$WGTABS = The change in weight (lbs) associated with technology *itc* DEL\$WGTWGT = The fractional change in vehicle weight due to technology *itc* WEIGHT<sub>BASEYEAR</sub> = The base year vehicle weight, absent the considered technology 16) Calculate the average vehicle price for the considered class:

$$PRICE_{YEAR} = PRICE_{YEAR} + \sum_{itc=1}^{NUMTECH} DELTA MKT_{itc} * [DEL COSTABS_{itc} + DEL COSTWGT_{itc} * (-1) * DEL WGTWGT_{itc} * WEIGHT_{BASEYR}]$$
(B-20)

where:

DEL\$COSTABS = The cost of technology *itc* DEL\$COSTWGT = The weight-based change in cost of technology *itc* (\$/lb)

### 17) Calculate horsepower, assuming a constant weight to horsepower ratio:

$$HP_{YEAR} = HP_{BASEYR} * \frac{WEIGHT_{YEAR}}{WEIGHT_{BASEYR}}$$
(B-21)

where:

HP  $_{\text{BASEYEAR}}$  = The base year average horsepower for the considered vehicle class

### 18) Calculate the horsepower adjustment factor:

$$ADJHP = PERFFACT * \left[ \left( \frac{INCOME_{YEAR}}{INCOME_{YEAR-1}} \right)^{0.9} * \left( \frac{PRICE_{YEAR-1}}{PRICE_{YEAR}} \right)^{0.9} * \left( \frac{FE_{YEAR}}{FE_{YEAR-1}} \right)^{0.2} \\ * \left( \frac{FUELCOST_{YEAR-1}}{FUELCOST_{YEAR}} \right)^{0.2} - 1 \right]$$
(B-22)

where:

ADJHP = The fractional change in horspower from the previous year within a given vehicle class INCOME = Household income

PRICE = Vehicle price

FE = Vehicle fuel economy

FUELCOST = Fuel price

# 19) Calculate current year horsepower, summing incremental changes from the initial year:

$$HP_{YEAR} = HP_{YEAR} * \left( 1 + \sum_{1990}^{YEAR} ADJHP \right)$$
(B-23)

20) Calculate fractional change in fuel economy due to horsepower change:

$$ADJFE = -0.22 * ADJHP - 0.560 * ADJHP^{2}$$
;  $ADJHP \ge 0$   
 $ADJFE = -0.22 * ADJHP + 0.560 * ADJHP^{2}$ ;  $ADJHP < 0$  (B-24)

where:

ADJFE = The fuel economy adjustment factor

21) Calculate the adjusted fuel economy:

$$FE = FE * (1 + ADJFE)$$
(B-25)

22) Calculate the vehicle price, adjusted for the change in performance:

$$PRICE = PRICE + ADJHP * VALUEPERF$$
(B-26)

## FUEL ECONOMY MODEL

Subroutine NOTE\$SUPER

This subroutine is called from subroutine FEMCALC in order to check whether new technologies have superseded older ones. Affected technologies are grouped in a hierarchy, and market shares are adjusted so that the sum does not exceed the maximum market penetration of the group.

1) Calculate aggregate market share of superseding technologies:

$$TOT\$MKT = \sum_{ino=1}^{num\$sup} ACTUAL\$MKT_{ino}$$
(B-27)

where:

TOT\$MKT = The total market share of the considered group of technologies *ino* = The index identifying the technologies in the superseding group *num*\$*sup* = The number of technologies in the superseding group

2) Establish the maximum market share for the group:

MAX\$SHARE = MAX (MKT\$ $MAX_{ino})$ 

where:

MKT\$MAX = The maximum market share for the considered technology, exogenously set MAX\$SHARE = The maximum market share of the group, *ino* 

3) If the aggregate market share (TOT\$MKT) is greater than the maximum share (MAX\$SHARE), reduce the market shares of those technologies which are lower in the hierarchy:

a) Calculate the reduction in market share of a superseded technology, ensuring that the decrement does not exceed that technology's total share:

$$DEL\$MKT = MIN((TOT\$MKT - MAX\$SHARE), ACTUAL\$MKT_{isno})$$
 (B-29)

where:

DEL\$MKT = The amount of the superseded technology's market share to be removed *isno* = An index indicating the superseded technology

b) Adjust total market share to reflect this decrement

$$TOT\$MKT = TOT\$MKT - DEL\$MKT$$
(B-30)

c) Adjust the market share of the superseded technology to reflect the decrement

$$ACTUAL MKT_{isno} = ACTUAL MKT_{isno} - DEL MKT$$
 (B-31)

These values are returned to the preceding subroutine.

# FUEL ECONOMY MODEL

Subroutine CMKSCALC

- 1) Calculate incremental change in class market share ratio:
  - a) For all vehicles except luxury cars:

$$DIFF\$LN = A * \ln\left(\frac{YEAR}{CLYEAR}\right) + B * \ln\left(\frac{FUELCOST_{YEAR}}{FUELCOST_{CLYEAR}}\right) + C * \ln\left(\frac{INCOME_{YEAR} - \$13,000}{INCOME_{CLYEAR} - \$13,000}\right)$$
(B-32)

DIFF\$LN = The increment from the base year (clyear) of the log of the market share ratio CLYEAR= historical year in which routines are calibrated to

b) For luxury cars:

$$DIFF\$LN = A * \ln\left(\frac{YEAR}{CLYEAR}\right) + B * \ln\left(\frac{FUELCOST_{YEAR}}{FUELCOST_{CLYEAR}}\right) + C * \ln\left(\frac{INCOME_{YEAR}}{INCOME_{CLYEAR}}\right)$$
(B-33)

2) Solve for the log-share ratio:

$$RATIO$LN = DIFF$LN + \ln \left( \frac{CLASS$SHARE_{1990}}{1 - CLASS$SHARE_{1990}} \right)$$
(B-34)

where:

RATIO\$LN = Log of the market share ratio of the considered vehicle class

## 3) Solve for the class market share:

$$CMKS = \frac{EXP (RATIO\$LN)}{1 + EXP (RATIO\$LN)}$$
(B-35)

where:

CMKS = Class market share, subsequently reassigned to the appropriate vehicle class and group, CLASS\$SHARE<sub>icl,igp</sub>

4) Normalize so that shares total 100% within each CAFE group:

$$CLASS\$SHARE_{icl,igp,YEAR} = \frac{CLASS\$SHARE_{icl,igp,YEAR}}{\sum_{icl=1}^{7} CLASS\$SHARE_{icl,igp,YEAR}}$$
(B-36)

### FUEL ECONOMY MODEL

Subroutine CAFECALC

### 1) Calculate the Corporate Average Fuel Economy for each of the four CAFE groups:

$$CAFE_{icl,igp,YEAR} = \frac{\sum_{icl=1}^{7} CLASS SHARE_{icl,igp,YEAR}}{\sum_{icl=1}^{7} \frac{CLASS SHARE_{icl,igp,YEAR}}{FE_{icl,igp,YEAR}}}$$
(B-37)

where:

icl = FEM vehicle size class index (7)

*igp* = CAFE group index: 1 = domestic car, 2 = import car, 3 = domestic light truck, 4 = import light truck

## **REGIONAL SALES MODEL**

## Subroutine FEMSIZE

This subroutine maps vehicle sales and fuel economy generated for the seven size classes considered in the Fuel Economy Model (FEM) into the six vehicle size classes used in subsequent sectors.

1) Determine the number of Light Truck sales which are classified as LDT's:

$$T\_LDT\_MAC_{N} = MC\_SQDTRUCKS_{N} * LT10K$$

$$* [(LT2A4 * LT2A4LDV) + (LTOSU * LTOSULDV)]$$
(B-38)

where:

T\_LDT\_MAC = Total LDT's (under 8,500 pounds), as estimated by the Macro Module MC\_SQDTRUCKS = Total Light Truck sales (under 14,000 pounds), from Macro

LT10K = Fraction of these trucks under 10,000 pounds LT2A4 = Fraction of light trucks with a 2-axle, 4-tire configuration LT2A4LDV = Fraction of these trucks less than 8,500 pounds LTOSU = Fraction of light trucks with other axle configurations LTOSULDV = Fraction of these trucks less than 8,500 pounds

2) Calculate total LDV sales:

$$T_LDV_MAC_N = MC_SQTRCARS_N + T_LDT_MAC_N$$
(B-39)

where:

T\_LDV\_MAC = Total car and adjusted light truck sales MC-SQTRCARS = Total car sales, from the Macro Module

3) Allocate LDV sales between cars and light trucks:

$$TMC\_SQTRCARS_{N} = T\_LDV\_MAC_{N} * (1 - CARLTSHR)$$
  
and (B-40)  
$$TMC\_SQDTRUCKS_{N} = T\_LDV\_MAC_{N} * CARLTSHR$$

where:

TMC\_SQTRCARS = Total sales of new cars

TMC\_SQDTRUCKS = Total sales of new light trucks

CARLTSHR = Allocation factor representing LDT fraction of LDV sales (Appendix F, Attachment 8)

4) Map vehicle sales from seven size classes to six:

$$MAPSALE_{igp,icl,osc,N} = NVS7SC_{igp,icl,N} * MAP_{igp,icl,osc}$$
 (B-41)

where:

MAPSALE = Disaggregate vehicle sales

NVS7SC = New vehicle sales within the seven FEM size classes, calculated in subroutine TSIZE

MAP = Array of mapping constants, which converts FEM to EPA size classes

osc = EPA size class index (6)

N = Time period index (1990 = 1)

5) Sum across sales within each size class:

$$TOTNVS7 = \sum_{icl=1}^{7} MAPSALE_{igp,icl,osc,N}$$
(B-42)

TOTNVS7 = Total new vehicle sales within the six EPA size classes

6) Create a mapping share:

$$MAPSHR_{igp,icl,osc,N} = \frac{MAPSALE_{igp,icl,osc,N}}{TOTNVS7_{igp,osc,N}}$$
(B-43)

where:

MAPSHR = Sales shares within the disaggregate array

7) Multiply MPG by mapped sales share:

$$FEMPG_{igp,osc,N} = \sum_{icl=1}^{7} FE_{icl,igp,YEAR} * MAPSHR_{igp,icl,osc,N}$$
(B-44)

where:

FEMPG = Average fuel economy by six EPA size classes FE = Average fuel economy by seven FEM size classes YEAR = Year index (YEAR = N+1)

8) Create benchmark factors for each CAFE group *igp*, held constant after 1992:

$$BENCHMPG_{igp,osc} = \frac{ORNLMPG_{igp,osc}}{FEMPG_{igp,osc,N=3}}$$
(B-45)

where:

BENCHMPG = MPG benchmark factors to ensure congruence with most recent data from NHTSA ORNLMPG = Most recent (1996) fuel economy data from NHTSA

9) Apply the benchmark factor to each size class, combining domestic and imported vehicles:

$$FESIXC_{osc,N} = \sum_{igp=1}^{2} FEMPG_{igp,osc,N} * BENCHMPG_{igp,osc} * ORNLSHR_{igp,osc}$$

$$(B-46)$$

$$FESIXT_{osc,N} = \sum_{igm=3}^{4} FEMPG_{igp,osc,N} * BENCHMPG_{igp,osc,} * ORNLSHR_{igp,osc}$$

FESIXC = Fuel economy for cars within six size classes FESIXT = Fuel economy for light trucks within six size classes

## **REGIONAL SALES MODEL**

## Subroutine TSIZE

1) Estimate non-fleet, non-commercial sales of cars and light-trucks within each of the seven size classes considered by FEM (subsequently passed to subroutine FEMSIZE):

a) For cars, 
$$igp = 1,2$$
:  
 $NVS7SC_{igp,icl,N} = CLASS\$SHARE_{icl,igp,YEAR} * TMC\_SQTRCARS_N$   
 $* (1 - FLTCRAT_{1990}) * SALESHR_{igp,N}$ 
(B-47)

where:

NVS7SC = New vehicle sales in the original seven FEM size classes, by CAFE group *igp* TMC\_SQTRCARS = Total new car sales (supplied by the MACRO module) CLASS\$SHARE = The market share for each automobile class, from FEM FLTCRAT = Fraction of new cars purchased by fleets SALESHR = Fraction of vehicle sales which are domestic/imported

b) For light trucks, igp = 3,4:

$$NVS7SC_{igp,icl,N} = CLASS$SHARE_{icl,igp,YEAR} * TMC_SQDTRUCKS_{N}$$

$$* (1 - (FLTTRAT_{1990} + COMTSHR)) * SALESHR_{igp,N}$$
(B-48)

where:

TMC\_SQDTRUCKS = Total new light truck sales (from the MACRO module) FLTTRAT = Fraction of new light trucks purchased by fleets COMTSHR = Fraction of new light trucks dedicated to commercial freight

- 2) Redistribute car and truck sales among six size classes, combining import and domestic:
  - a) For cars:

$$NCSTSCC_{osc,N} = \sum_{igp=1}^{2} \sum_{icl=1}^{7} \left( NVS7SC_{igp,icl,N} \right) * MAP_{igp,icl,osc}$$
(B-49)

NCSTSCC = Total new car sales by size class *osc* 

MAP = Array of constants which map sales from seven to six size classes

b) For light trucks:

$$NLTSTSCC_{osc,N} = \sum_{igp=3}^{4} \sum_{icl=1}^{7} (NVS7SC_{igp,icl,N}) * MAP_{igp,icl,osc}$$
(B-50)

where:

NLTSTSCC = Total new light truck sales by size class osc

3) Calculate the market shares of cars and light trucks by size class:

$$PASSHRR_{osc,N} = \frac{NCSTSCC_{osc,N}}{\sum_{osc = 1}^{6} NCSTSCC_{osc,N}}$$
(B-51)

and:

$$LTSHRR_{osc,N} = \frac{NLTSTSCC_{osc,N}}{\sum_{osc = 1}^{6} NLTSTSCC_{osc,N}}$$
(B-52)

where:

PASSHRR = Non-fleet market shares of automobiles, by size class *osc* NLTSHRR = Non-fleet market shares of light trucks, by size class *osc* 

4) Reassign horsepower estimates to six size classes:

$$HPCAR_{osc,N} = \sum_{igp=1}^{2} \sum_{icl=1}^{7} (HP_{icl,igp,YEAR}) * SALESHR_{igp} * MAP_{igp,icl,osc}$$
(B-53)

and:

$$HPTRUCK_{osc,N} = \sum_{igp=3}^{4} \sum_{icl=1}^{7} (HP_{icl,igp,YEAR}) * SALESHR_{igp} * MAP_{igp,icl,osc}$$
(B-54)

where:

HPCAR = Average horsepower of automobiles, by size class *osc* HPTRUCK = Average horsepower of light trucks, by size class *osc* HP = Vehicle horsepower by FEM size class *icl* and CAFE group *igp* SALESHR = Domestic vs. import market share for automobiles and light trucks, from ORNL

5) Calculate average horsepower of cars and light trucks, by size class *osc*:

$$AHPCAR_{N} = \sum_{osc = 1}^{6} HPCAR_{osc,N} * PASSHRR_{osc,N}$$
(B-55)

and:

$$AHPTRUCK_{N} = \sum_{osc = 1}^{6} HPTRUCK_{osc,N} * LTSHRR_{osc,N}$$
(B-56)

where:

AHPCAR = Average automobile horsepower AHPTRUCK = Average light truck horsepower

**REGIONAL SALES MODEL** 

Subroutine TREG

$$SEDSHR_{FUEL,REG,T} = \frac{SEDSHR_{FUEL,REG,T-1} * \left(\frac{TMC\_YD_{REG,T}}{TMC\_YD_{REG,T-1}}\right)}{\sum_{REG=1}^{9} SEDSHR_{FUEL,REG,T-1} * \left(\frac{TMC\_YD_{REG,T}}{TMC\_YD_{REG,T-1}}\right)}$$
(B-57)

Energy Information Administration NEMS Transportation Demand Model Documentation Report 1) Calculate regional shares of fuel demand, and normalize:

where:

SEDSHR = Regional share of the consumption of a given fuel in period *T* TMC\_YD = Estimated disposable personal income by region, *REG* (9) *FUEL* = Index of fuel type (11)

2) Calculate regional cost of driving per mile:

$$COSTMIR_{REG,T} = 0.1251 * \left(\frac{TPMGTR_{REG,T}}{MPGFLT_{T-1}}\right)$$
(B-58)

where:

COSTMIR = The cost per mile of driving in region *REG*, in \$/mile TPMGTR = The regional price of motor gasoline, in \$/MMBTU MPGFLT = The previous year's stock MPG for non-fleet vehicles .1251 = A conversion factor for gasoline, in MMBTU/gal

### 3) Calculate regional income:

$$INCOMER_{REG,T} = \left(\frac{TMC\_YD_{REG,T}}{TMC\_POPAFO_{REG,T}}\right)$$
(B-59)

where:

INCOMER = Regional per capita disposable income TMC\_POPAFO = Total population in region *REG* 

4) Estimate regional driving demand:

$$VMT16R_{REG,T} = \rho VMT16R_{REG,T-1} + \beta_0 (1 - \rho) + \beta_1 \left( COSTMIR_{REG,T} - \rho COSTMIR_{REG,T-1} \right) + \beta_2 \left( INCOMER_{REG,T} - \rho INCOMER_{REG,T-1} \right) + \beta_3 \left( PRFEM_T - \rho PRFEM_{T-1} \right)$$
(B-60)

and:

$$VMTEER_{REG,T} = VMT16R_{REG,T} * TMC_POP16_{REG,T} * DAF_T$$
 (B-61)

VMT16R = Vehicle-miles traveled per population over 16 years of age

PRFEM = Ratio of female to male driving rates

 $\rho = Lag$  factor for the difference equation

VMTEER = Total VMT in region *REG* 

TMC\_POP16 = Total regional population over the age of 16

DAF = A demographic adjustment factor, to reflect different age groups' driving patterns

5) Calculate regional VMT shares (RSHR):

$$RSHR_{REG,T} = \frac{VMTEER_{REG,T}}{\sum_{REG=1}^{9} VMTEER_{REG,T}}$$
(B-62)

6) Divide non-fleet car and light truck sales according to regional VMT shares:

$$NCS_{REG,SC,T} = NCSTSCC_{SC,T} * RSHR_{REG,T}$$
 (B-63)

and:

$$NLTS_{REG,SC,T} = NLTSTSCC_{SC,T} * RSHR_{REG,T}$$
 (B-64)

where:

NCS = New car sales, by size class *SC* and region *REG* NLTS = New light truck sales, by size class and region

### ALTERNATIVE FUEL VEHICLE MODEL

Subroutine TALT2

1) Calculate commercial availability by technology:

$$CAVL_{IT,N} = \left[1 + EXP\left(\frac{TT50_{IT} - YEAR}{2}\right)\right]^{-1}$$
(B-65)

CAVL = The fraction of market demand of a given technology which is commercially available IT = Index of the sixteen engine technologies considered by the model

TT50 =The exogenously specified year in which 50% of the demand for technology IT can be met

2) Calculate the weighted average fuel price for each technology (equation below is for multi-fuel capable vehicles), by region, and convert to nominal dollars:

$$FPRICE_{IT,IR,N} = \frac{(RFP_{FUEL,IR,N} + RFP_{FUEL+1,IR,N})}{2} \cdot \frac{5.253 \ MBTU}{42 \ GALLONS} \cdot TMCPGDP (B-66)$$

where:

FPRICE = Weighted average fuel price, in nominal cents/gallon gasoline equivalent, for each technology *IT* RFP = Price of each fuel used by the corresponding technology

TMCPGDP=Implicit GDP price deflator (used to convert \$1990 to nominal dollars)

## 3) Calculate AFV operating cost, by region:

$$FLCOST_{IT,ISC,IR,N} = \frac{FPRICE_{IT,IR,N} * 100}{MPG_{ISC,IT,N}}$$
(B-67)

where:

FLCOST = Regional vehicle operating cost, in nominal \$/mile

7) Calculate utility among AFV's (IT = 1-13):

$$FAVL_{AFVTECH,REG} = MAX (FAVL_{FUEL,REG})$$
(B-68)

8) Calculate the logit function inputs from the attributes and coefficients, by region.

$$VC2_{AFVTECH,REG} = EXP [X_1 PSPR_{AFVTECH} + X_2 FLCOST_{AFVTECH,REG} + X_3 VRNG_{AFVTECH} + X_2 FLCOST_{AFVTECH,REG} + X_3 VRNG_{AFVTECH} + X_4 TPSD_{AFVTECH} + X_5 ACCL_{AFVTECH} + X_6 DR250_{AFVTECH} + X_7 DR200_{AFVTECH,REG} + X_8 MFUEL_{AFVTECH} + X_7 DR200_{AFVTECH,REG} + X_9 HFUEL_{AFVTECH} + X_{10} MAINT_{AFVTECH} + X_{11} LUGG_{AFVTECH} + X_{14} RGT250_{AFVTECH} + X_{10} MAINT_{AFVTECH} + \beta_{FA} FAVL_{AFVTECH} F \beta_{FA2} FAVL_{AFVTECHREG} ]$$
(B-69)

VC2 = Consumer utility associated with valuation of VC2 equation PSPR = Price of each AFV technology in nominal \$ FLCOST = Fuel operating costs for each AFV technology in nominal \$ VRNG = Vehicle range of the considered technology TPSD = Top speed in mph ACCL = Acceleration from 0-30 mph in seconds DR250 =Dummy variable for gasoline capable vehice with range >250 miles DR200 =Dummy variable for gasoline capable vehicle with range >250 miles MFUEL = Dummy variable for multi-fuel vehicles HFUEL = Dummy variable for home refueling for EV's MAINT = Maintenance and battery replacement costs in nominal \$ LUGG = Luggage space indexed to gasoline in in^3 RGT250 = Gasoline capable vehicle with range in excess of 250 miles FAVL= Fuel availability indexed to gasoline fuel availabity by census division FAVL^2= Fuel availability squared term

It is important to note that each coefficient varies by size class across both cars and light trucks. For more detail see Volume II appendix F.

9) Exponentiate utility vector, and adjust by commercial availability factor:

$$EVC2_{IT,IS,IR,N} = EXP\left[VC2_{IT,IS,IR,N}\right] * CAVL_{IT,N}$$
(B-70)

where:

EVC2 = Exponentiated value of AFV utility vector

9) Calculate AFV market shares, by region:

$$APSHR22_{IS,IR,IT,N} = \frac{EVC2_{IT,IS,IR,N}}{\sum_{IT=7}^{10} EVC2_{IT,IS,IR,N}}$$
(B-71)

APSHR22 = Relative market shares within AFV group

## ALTERNATIVE FUEL VEHICLE MODEL

Subroutine TALT1

1) Calculate weighted average characteristics of alternative vehicles, and reconfigure technology indices to reflect the compression of eleven alternative technologies into one prototype:

$$\Psi_{IS,IT,IR,N} = \sum_{IT=1}^{13} \Psi_{IS,IT,IR,N} \cdot APSHR22_{IS,IR,IT,N}$$
(B-72)

where:

$$\Psi$$
 = PSPR, FLCOST, VRNG, TPSD, ACCL, DR250, DR200, MFUEL, HFUEL, MAINT, LUGG, RGT250, FAVL, and FAVL<sup>2</sup>.

- 2) Calculate utility for all vehicles (IT = 1-3):
- 15) Calculate the logit function inputs from the attributes and coefficients, by region.

$$VCI_{AFVTECH,REG} = EXP [X_1 PSPRI_{AFVTECH} + X_2 FLCOSTI_{AFVTECH,REG} + X_3 VRNGI_{AFVTECH} + X_2 FLCOSTI_{AFVTECH,REG} + X_3 VRNGI_{AFVTECH} + X_4 TPSDI_{AFVTECH} + X_5 ACCLI_{AFVTECH} + X_6 DR250I_{AFVTECH} + X_7 DR200I_{AFVTECH,REG} + X_8 MFUELI_{AFVTECH} + X_7 DR200I_{AFVTECH,REG} + X_9 HFUELI_{AFVTECH} + X_{10} MAINTI_{AFVTECH}$$

$$+ X_{11} LUGGI_{AFVTECH} + X_{14} RGT250I_{AFVTECH} + X_{10} MAINTI_{AFVTECH} + \beta_{FA} FAVLI_{AFVTECH} + \beta_{FA2} FAVLI_{AFVTECH,REG}^{2} + CALIB ]$$

$$(B-73)$$

where:

VC1 = Consumer utility associated with valuation of VC1 equation

PSPR1 = Price of each AFV technology in nominal \$ FLCOST1 = Fuel operating costs for each AFV technology in nominal \$ VRNG1 = Vehicle range of the considered technology TPSD1 = Top speed in mph ACCL1 = Acceleration from 0-30 mph in seconds DR2501 =Dummy variable for gasoline capable vehice with range >250 miles DR2001 =Dummy variable for gasoline capable vehicle with range >250 miles MFUEL1 = Dummy variable for multi-fuel vehicles HFUEL1 = Dummy variable for home refueling for EV's MAINT1 = Maintenance and battery replacement costs in nominal \$ LUGG1 = Luggage space indexed to gasoline in in^3 RGT2501 = Gasoline capable vehicle with range in excess of 250 miles FAVL1= Fuel availability indexed to gasoline fuel availabity by census division FAVL1^2= Fuel availability squared term CALIB = Calibration term used to match historical AFV sales in 1998

It is important to note that each coefficient varies by size class across both cars and light trucks. For more detail see Volume II appendix F.

3) Exponentiate utility vector, and adjust by commercial availability factor:

$$EVC1_{IT,IS,IR,N} = EXP\left[VC1_{IT,IS,IR,N}\right] * CAVL_{IT,N}$$
(B-74)

where:

EVC1 = Exponentiated value of vehicle utility vector

## 4) Calculate vehicle market shares, by region:

$$APSHR11_{IS,IR,IT,N} = \frac{EVC1_{IT,IS,IR,N}}{\sum_{IT=1}^{3} EVC1_{IT,IS,IR,N}}$$
(B-75)

where:

APSHR11 = Relative market shares of conventional and alternative vehicles

5) Expand market share estimates to generate absolute market shares for each of the sixteen conventional and alternative technologies:

a) For conventional vehicles (IT = 16,15):

$$APSHR44_{IS,IR,IT,N} = APSHR11_{IS,IR,IT,N}$$
(B-76)

where:

APSHR44 = Absolute market share of technology IT

b) For alternative vehicles (IT = 1-13; ITI = 3):

$$APSHR44_{ISIRITIN} = APSHR11_{ISIRITIN} \cdot APSHR22_{ISIRITIN}$$
(B-77)

## ALTERNATIVE FUEL VEHICLE MODEL

Subroutine TCONS

The alternative-fuel vehicle model has a fuel switching algorithm for alcohol flexible fuel vehicles and gaseous bi-fuel vehicles, which simulates the percentage of VMT or the proportion of travel in which the vehicle is using the alternative-fuel (AF) as compared to gasoline. All four of the AFV's which can use any combination of AF and gasoline, will use the AF the following percentage of the time:

$$PRIRATIO = \frac{TPAF^{GAMMAP}}{(TPAF^{GAMMAP} + TPMGTR^{GAMMAP})}$$
(B-78)

where:

PRIRATIO = Ratio of AF fuel price to combined fuel price of AF and gasoline TPAF = Fuel price of AF in \$87/mmbtu TPMGTR= Gasoline fuel price in \$87/mmbtu GAMMAP = Coefficient for price sensitivity

PRIRATIO will equal fifty percent when the alternative-fuel price is equal to the gasoline price, and therefore ranges between zero (or actually 1/TPMGTR) while assumptoting toward a value of one. If PRIRATIO is greater than fifty percent then it is reset at a value of fifty percent. This fifty percent is assumed to represent the upper bound on the use of AF when the fuel prices are equal.

$$PCTAF = FLOOR + (BETAP \cdot PRIRATIO)$$
 (B-79)

PCTAF = Percentage of VMT while consuming AF FLOOR = The assumed minimum level of AF use BETAP = Coefficient that determines the fuel price sensitivity of fuel use

Multiplication of BETAP and PRIRATIO determines the maximum level that PCTAF can attain.

# LIGHT DUTY VEHICLE FLEET MODULE

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Subroutine TFLTSTKS

1) Calculate fleet acquisitions of cars and light trucks:

$$FLTSAL_{VT=1,ITY,T} = FLTCRAT * SQTRCARS_T * FLTCSHR_{ITY}$$
  
and: (B-80)

 $FLTSAL_{VT=2 \ ITYT} = FLTTRAT * SQDTRUCKSL_T * FLTTSHR_{ITY}$ 

where:

FLTSAL = Sales to fleets by vehicle and fleet type
FLTCRAT = Fraction of total car sales attributed to fleets
FLTTRAT = Fraction of total truck sales attributed to fleets
SQTRCARS = Total automobile sales in a given year
SQTRUCKSL = Total light truck sales in a given year
FLTCSHR = Fraction of fleet cars purchased by a given fleet type
FLTTSHR = Fraction of fleet trucks purchased by a given fleet type
VT = Index of vehicle type: 1 = cars, 2 = light trucks
ITY = Index of fleet type: 1 = business, 2 = government, 3 = utility

2) Determine total alternative fuel fleet vehicle sales, using either the market-driven or legislatively mandated values :

$$FLTALT_{VT,ITY,T} = MAX \left[ \left( FLTSAL_{VT,ITY,T} * FLTAPSHRI_{ITY} \right), EPACT_{VT,ITY,T} \right]$$
(B-81)

where:

FLTALT = Number of AFV's purchased by each fleet type in a given year FLTAPSHR1 = Fraction of each fleets' purchases which are AFV's, from historical data EPACT = Legislative mandates for AFV purchases, by fleet type

3) Calculate the difference between total sales and AFV sales (representing conventional sales):

$$FLTCONV_{VT,ITY,T} = FLTSAL_{VT,ITY,T} - FLTALT_{VT,ITY,T}$$
 (B-82)

where:

FLTCONV = Fleet purchases of conventional vehicles

Energy Information Administration NEMS Transportation Demand Model Documentation Report 4) Distribute fleet purchases among three size classes:

$$FLTSLSCA_{VT,ITY,IS,T} = FLTALT_{VT,ITY,T} * FLTSSHR_{VT,ITY,IS}$$
  
and: (B-83)  
$$FLTSLSCC_{VT,ITY,IS,T} = FLTCONV_{VT,ITY,T} * FLTSSHR_{VT,ITY,IS}$$

where:

FLTSLSCA = Fleet purchases of AFV's, by size class
FLTSLSCC = Fleet purchases of conventional vehicles, by size class
FLTSSHR = Percentage of fleet vehicles in each size class, from historical data *IS* = Index of size classes: 1 = small, 2 = medium, 3 = large

5) Disaggregate AFV sales by engine technology:

$$FLTECHSAL_{VT,ITY=1,IS,ITECH,T} = FLTSLSCA_{VT,ITY=1,IS,T} * APSHRFLTB_{VT,ITECH,ITY=1,T}$$

$$FLTECHSAL_{VT,ITY\neq1,IS,ITECH,T} = FLTSLSCA_{VT,ITY\neq1,IS,T} * FLTECHSHR_{ITECH,ITY,T}$$
and:
$$FLTECHSAL_{VT,ITY,IS,ITECH=6,T} = FLTSLSCC_{VT,ITY,IS,T}$$
(B-84)

where:

FLTECHSAL = Fleet sales by size, technology, and fleet type
APSHRFLTB = Alternative technology shares for the business fleet
FLTECHSHR = Alternative technology shares for the government and utility fleets *ITECH* = Index of engine technologies: 1-5 = alternative fuels (neat), 6 = gasoline

## 6) Sum sales across size classes:

$$FLTECH_{VT,ITY,ITECH,T} = \sum_{IS=1}^{3} FLTECHSAL_{VT,ITY,IS,ITECH,T}$$
(B-85)

where:

FLTECH = Vehicle purchases by fleet type and technology

7) Calculate survival of older vehicles, and modify vintage array:

$$FLTSTKVN_{VT,ITY,ITECH,IVIN,T} = FLTSTKVN_{VT,ITY,ITECH,IVIN-1,T-1} * SURVFLTT_{VT,IVIN-1}$$
  
and: (B-86)  
$$FLTSTKVN_{VT,ITY,ITECH,IVIN=1,T} = FLTECH_{VT,ITY,ITECH,T}$$

where:

FLTSTKVN = Fleet stock by fleet type, technology, and vintage SURVFLTT = Survival rate of a given vintage

8) Assign fleet vehicles of retirement vintage to another variable, prior to removal from the fleet:

 $OLDFSTK_{VT,ITY,ITECH,RVINT,T} = FLTSTKVN_{VT,ITY,ITECH,RVINT,T}$  (B-87)

where:

OLDFSTK = Old fleet stocks of given types and vintages, transferred to the private sector RVINT = Retirement vintage of fleet vehicles: If VT = 1, ITY = 1,2,3, RVINT = 5,6,7; If VT = 2, ITY = 1,2,3, RVINT = 6,7,6

9) Calculate total surviving vehicles, by vehicle, fleet type, and engine technology:

$$TFLTECHSTK_{VT,ITY,ITECH,T} = \sum_{IVIN = 1}^{6} FLTSTKVN_{VT,ITY,ITECH,IVIN,T}$$
(B-88)

where:

TFLTECHSTK = Total stock within each technology and fleet type

## 10) Calculate grand total of surviving vehicles:

$$TOTFLTSTK_{T} = \sum_{VT=1}^{2} \sum_{ITY=1}^{3} \sum_{ITECH=1}^{6} TFLTECHSTK_{VT,ITY,ITECH,T}$$
(B-89)

where:

11) Calculate percentage of fleet stock represented by each of the vehicle, fleet types, and engine technologies:

$$VFSTKPF_{VT,ITY,ITECH,T} = \frac{TFLTECHSTK_{VT,ITY,ITECH,T}}{TOTFLTSTK_{T}}$$
(B-90)

where:

VFSTKPF = Share of fleet stock by vehicle type and technology

## LIGHT DUTY VEHICLE FLEET MODULE

Subroutine TLEGIS

This subroutine adjusts vehicle sales and market shares to reflect California's legislative mandates on sales of zero-emission vehicles (ZEV's) and ultra-low emission vehicles (ULEV's), which have also been tentatively adopted by New York and Massachusetts.

1) Calculate regional vehicle sales, by technology, within three size classes:

$$VSALES_{IS,IR,IT,N} = \sum_{OSC} APSHR44_{IS,IR,IT,N} * (NCS_{IR,OSC,N} + NLTS_{IR,OSC,N})$$
(B-91)

where:

VSALES = Total disaggregate vehicle sales APSHR44 = Absolute market share of new vehicles, by region, size, and technology IS = Index of reduced size class (1-3) OSC = Index of original size class (1-6) NCS = Regional new car sales within corresponding size classes OSC: IS = 1, OSC = 2,3; IS = 2, OSC = 1,6; IS = 3, OSC = 4,5 NLTS = Regional new light truck sales within corresponding size classes OSCIS = 1, OSC = 1,2; IS = 2, OSC = 3,4; IS = 3, OSC = 5,6

2) Calculate total regional sales of electric and electric hybrid vehicles:

$$ELECVSAL_{IR,N} = \sum_{IS=1}^{3} \sum_{IT=7}^{10} VSALES_{IS,IR,IT,N}$$
(B-92)

ELECVSAL = Regional electric vehicle sales

3) Calculate total vehicle sales across all technologies:

$$VSALEST_{IS,IR,N} = \sum_{IT=1}^{16} VSALES_{IS,IR,IT,N}$$
(B-93)

where:

VSALEST = Total regional vehicle sales, by size class

4) Calculate mandated sales of ZEV's and ULEV's by participating state:

$$ZEVST_{ST,N} = (TMC\_SQTRCARS_N * STATESHR_{ST,VT=1,N} + TMC\_SQDTRUCKSL_N * STATESHR_{ST,VT=2,N}) * ZEV_N$$
  
and (B-94)  
$$ULEVST_{ST,N} = (TMC\_SQTRCARS_N * STATESHR_{ST,VT=1,N} + TMC\_SQDTRUCKSL_N * STATESHR_{ST,VT=2,N}) * ULEV_N$$

where:

ZEVST = State-mandated minimum sales of ZEV's ULEVST = State-mandated minimum sales of ULEV's TMC\_SQTRCARS = Total car sales, from the MACRO module TMC\_SQDTRUCKSL = Total light truck sales, from the MACRO module STATESHR = Share of national vehicle sales attributed to a given state ZEV = State-mandated minimum sales share of ZEV's ULEV = State-mandated minimum sales share of ULEV's

ST = Index of participating state: CA, MA, NY

VT = Index of vehicle type: 1 = cars, 2 = light trucks

- 5) If mandated sales exceed actual sales, then adjust actual sales as follows:
  - a) Evenly distribute mandated sales among three size classes:

$$ZEVSTSC_{ST,IS,N} = \frac{ZEVST_{ST,N}}{3}$$
 (B-95)

ZEVSTSC = Mandated ZEV sales by size class and state

b) Evenly distribute actual electric vehicle sales among three size classes:

$$ELECVSALSC_{IR,IS,N} = \frac{ELECVSAL_{IR,N}}{3}$$
 (B-96)

where:

ELECVSALSC = Regional ZEV sales within corresponding regions

IR = Corresponding regions: ST = CA, MA, NY; IR = 9,1,2

c) Calculate mandated ZEV sales by EV technology (IT = 7-10):

$$AVSALES_{IS,IR,IT,N} = ZEVSTSC_{ST,IS,N} * APSHR33_{IS,IR,IT,N}$$
 (B-97)

where:

AVSALES = Regional adjusted vehicle sales by size class APSHR33 = Relative market shares of electric vehicle technologies

d) Reduce sales of gasoline vehicles (IT = 16) to compensate for increased ZEV sales in the affected regions (IR = 1,2,9):

$$AVSALES_{IS,IR,IT=16,N} = VSALES_{IS,IR,IT=16,N} - (ZEVSTSC_{ST,IS,N} - ELECVSALSC_{IR,IS,N})$$
(B-98)

6) Reassign vehicle sales in unaffected regions ( $IR \neq 1,2,9$ ):

$$AVSALES_{IS,IR,IT,N} = VSALES_{IS,IR,IT,N}$$
 (B-99)

7) Sum adjusted vehicle sales across technologies:

$$AVSALEST_{IS,IR,N} = \sum_{IT=1}^{16} AVSALES_{IS,IR,IT,N}$$
 (B-100)

AVSALEST = Total regional adjusted vehicle sales by size class

8) Calculate new absolute market shares for each vehicle technology:

$$APSHR55_{IS,IR,IT,N} = \frac{AVSALES_{IS,IR,IT,N}}{AVSALEST_{IS,IR,N}}$$
(B-101)

where:

APSHR55 = Absolute regional market shares of adjusted vehicle sales

9) Reset conventional vehicle market shares so that diesel represents 2.5% of conventional vehicle sales:

$$APSHR55_{IS,IR,IT=15,N} = \sum_{IT=15}^{16} APSHR55_{IS,IR,IT,N} * 0.025$$
  
and (B-102)  
$$APSHR55_{IS,IR,IT=16,N} = \sum_{IT=15}^{16} APSHR55_{IS,IR,IT,N} * 0.975$$

10) Calculate new fleet market shares for use with business fleets:

a) Calculate total vehicle sales by technology:

$$VSALESC16_{IT,N} = \sum_{IR=1}^{9} \sum_{IS=1}^{3} APSHR55_{IS,IR,IT,N} * \left(\sum_{OSC} NCS_{IR,OSC,N}\right)$$
  
and (B-103)

$$VSALEST16_{IT,N} = \sum_{IR=1}^{9} \sum_{IS=1}^{3} APSHR55_{IS,IR,IT,N} * \left(\sum_{OSC} NLTS_{IR,OSC,N}\right)$$

VSALESC16 = Total new car sales by technology:  

$$IS = 1, OSC = 2,3; IS = 2, OSC = 1,6; IS = 3, OSC = 4,5$$
  
VSALEST16 = Total new light truck sales by technology  
 $IS = 1, OSC = 1,3; IS = 2, OSC = 2,5; IS = 3, OSC = 4,6$ 

b) Calculate market shares by technology:

$$APSHRNC_{IT,N} = \frac{VSALESC16_{IT,N}}{\sum_{IT=1}^{16} VSALESC16_{IT,N}}$$
  
and (B-104)

$$APSHRNT_{IT,N} = \frac{VSALEST16_{IT,N}}{\sum_{IT=1}^{16} VSALEST16_{IT,N}}$$

where:

APSHRNC = Market shares of new cars by technology APSHRNT = Market shares of new light trucks by technology

c) Sum market shares for affected fleet technologies:

$$APSHRFLTOT_{VT=1,N} = \sum_{ITF} APSHRNC_{ITF,N}$$

and

$$APSHRFLTOT_{VT=2,N} = \sum_{ITF} APSHRNT_{ITF,N}$$

where:

APSHRFLTOT = Aggregate market shares of fleet vehicle technologies

VT = Index of vehicle type: 1 = cars; 2 = light trucks ITF = Index of fleet vehicle technologies, corresponding to IT = 3,5,7,8,9

### d) Normalize business fleet market shares:

$$APSHRFLTB_{VT=1,ITF,N} = \frac{APSHRNC_{IT,N}}{APSHRFLTOT_{VT=1,N}}$$

and

(B-106)

$$APSHRFLTB_{VT=2,ITF,N} = \frac{APSHRNT_{IT,N}}{APSHRFLTOT_{VT=2,N}}$$

where:

APSHRFLTB = Market shares of business fleet by vehicle type and technology

11) Reset new car and light truck sales using market shares, mapped from three to six size classes:

$$NCSTECH_{IR,OSC,IT,N} = NCS_{IR,OSC,N} * APSHR55_{IS,IR,IT,N}$$
  
and (B-107)  
$$NLTECH_{IR,OSC,IT,N} = NLTS_{IR,OSC,N} * APSHR55_{IS,IR,IT,N}$$

where:

NCSTECH = Regional new car sales by technology, within six size classes: OSC = 1-6; IS = 2,1,1,3,3,2NLTECH = Regional light truck sales by technology, with six size classes: OSC = 1-6; IS = 1,2,1,3,2,3

### LIGHT DUTY VEHICLE FLEET MODULE

Subroutine TFLTVMTS

This subroutine calculates VMT for fleets.

1) Use historical data on fleet vehicle travel to estimate total fleet VMT:

$$FLTVMT_{T} = \sum_{VT=1}^{2} \sum_{ITY=1}^{3} \sum_{ITECH=1}^{6} \left( TFLTECHSTK_{VT,ITY,ITECH,T} * FLTVMTYR_{VT,ITY,T} \right)$$
(B-108)

FLTVMT = Total VMT driven by fleet vehicles
FLTVMTYR = Annual miles of travel per vehicle, by vehicle and fleet type
VT = Index of vehicle type: 1 = cars, 2 = light trucks *ITY* = Index of fleet type: Business, Government, Utility *ITECH* = Index of fleet engine technology, corresponding to *IT* = 3,5,9,7,8

2) Disaggregate total VMT by vehicle type and technology:

$$FLVMTECH_{VTITYITECHT} = FLVMT_T * VFSTKPF_{VTITYITECHT}$$
 (B-109)

where:

FLTVMTECH = Fleet VMT by technology, vehicle type, and fleet type VFSTKPF = Share of fleet stock by vehicle type and technology

#### LIGHT DUTY VEHICLE FLEET MODULE

This subroutine calculates fuel efficiency for the fleet stock

1) Calculate the average efficiencies of the five non-gasoline technologies (ITECH = 1-5):

$$FLTMPG_{VT=1,ITY,ITECH} = \left[\sum_{IS=1}^{3} \frac{FMSHC_{ITY,ITECH,IS}}{NAMPG_{IT,IS}}\right]^{-1}$$

and:

(B-110)

$$FLTMPG_{VT=2,ITY,ITECH} = \left[\sum_{IS=1}^{3} \frac{FMSHLT_{ITY,ITECH,IS}}{NAMPG_{IT,IS} * RATIO_{IS}}\right]^{-1}$$

where:

FLTMPG = New fleet vehicle fuel efficiency, by fleet type and engine technology FMSHC = The market share of fleet cars, from the AFV model FMSHLT = The market share of fleet light trucks, from the AFV model NAMPG = New AFV fuel efficiency, from the AFV model IT = Index which matches technologies in the AFV model to corresponding *ITECH*: ITECH = 1-5, IT = 4,2,7,5,6 IS = Index of reduced size class (1-3) VT = Index of vehicle type: 1 = cars, 2 = light trucks

### 2) Calculate the average efficiencies of conventional vehicles:

$$FLTMPG_{VT=1,ITY,ITECH} = \left[\sum_{IS=1}^{3} \frac{FMSHC_{ITY,ITECH,IS}}{FEC3SC_{IS}}\right]^{-1}$$
  
and: (B-111)

$$FLTMPG_{VT=2,ITY,ITECH} = \left[\sum_{IS=1}^{3} \frac{FMSHLT_{ITY,ITECH,IS}}{FET3SC_{IS}}\right]^{-1}$$

where:

FEC3SC = New car MPG, by three size classes, from the FEM model FET3SC = New light truck MPG, by three size classes, from the FEM model 3) Calculate the average fleet MPG for cars and light trucks:

$$FLTMPGTOT_{VT,T} = \left[\frac{\sum_{IS=1}^{3} \sum_{ITECH=1}^{6} \frac{FLTECH_{VT,IS,ITECH,N}}{FLTMPG_{VT,IS,ITECH,N}}}{\sum_{IS=1}^{3} \sum_{ITECH=1}^{6} FLTECH_{VT,IS,ITECH,N}}\right]^{-1}$$
(B-112)

where:

FLTMPGTOT = Overall fuel efficiency of new fleet cars and light trucks

### 4) Adjust vintage array of fleet stock efficiencies to account for new additions:

$$MPGFSTK_{VT,ITY,ITECH,IVIN,T} = MPGFSTK_{VT,ITY,ITECH,IVIN-1,T-1}$$
  
and: (B-113)  
$$MPGFSTK_{VY,ITY,ITECH,IVIN=1,T} = FLTMPG_{VT,ITY,ITECH,T}$$

where:

MPGFSTK = Fleet MPG by vehicle and fleet type, technology, and vintage *IVIN* = Index of fleet vintages

5) Calculate average fuel efficiency by vehicle and fleet type:

$$MPGFLTSTK_{VT,ITY,ITECH,T} = \begin{bmatrix} MAXVINT & \left(\frac{FLTSTKVN_{VT,ITY,ITECH,IVIN,T}}{MPGFSTK_{VT,ITY,ITECH,IVIN,T} * VDF_{VT}}\right) \\ (TFLTECHSTK_{VT,ITY,ITECH,T}) \end{bmatrix}^{-1}$$
(B-114)

where:

MPGFLTSTK = Fleet MPG by vehicle and fleet type, and technology, across vintages MAXVINT = Maximum IVIN index associated with a given vehicle and fleet type VDF = Vehicle degradation factor TFLTECHSTK = Total fleet stocks by vehicle, fleet type, and technology

## 6) Calculate overall fleet average MPG for cars and light trucks:

$$FLTTOTMPG_{VT,T} = \left[\sum_{ITY=1}^{3} \sum_{ITECH=1}^{6} \frac{VFSTKPF_{VT,ITY,ITECH,T}}{MPGFLTSTK_{VT,ITY,ITECH,T}}\right]^{-1}$$
(B-115)

where:

#### FLTTOTMPG = Fleet vehicle average fuel efficiency for cars and light trucks

## LIGHT DUTY VEHICLE FLEET MODULE Subroutine TFLTCONS

This subroutine calculates fuel consumption of fleet vehicles.

1) Calculate fuel consumption:

$$FLTLDVC_{VT,ITY,ITECH,T} = \frac{FLTVMTECH_{VT,ITY,ITECH,T}}{MPGFLTSTK_{VT,ITY,ITECH,T}}$$
(B-116)

where:

FLTLDVC = Fuel consumption by technology, vehicle and fleet type

2) Sum consumption across fleet types, and convert to Btu values:

$$FLTFCLDVBTU_{VT,ITECH,T} = \sum_{ITY=1}^{3} FLTLDVC_{VT,ITY,ITECH,T} * QBTU_{ITECH}$$
(B-117)

where:

FLTFCLDVBTU = Fuel consumption, in Btu, by vehicle type and technology QBTU = Energy content, in Btu/Gal, of the fuel associated with each technology

Consumption by trucks and cars are added, and total consumption is subsequently divided among regions:

$$FLTFCLDVBTUR_{IR,ITECH,T} = \sum_{VT=1}^{2} FLTFCLDVBTU_{VT,ITECH,T} * RSHR_{IR,T}$$
 (B-118)

where:

FLTFCLDVBTUR = Regional fuel consumption by fleet vehicles, by technology RSHR = Regional VMT shares, from the Regional Sales Module

### LIGHT COMMERCIAL TRUCK MODEL

1) Calculate LCT sales:

$$LT\_CLTT_{N} = MC\_SQDTRUCKSL_{N} * LTI0K * 1e^{6}$$
(B-119)

where:

 $LT\_CLTT_N$  = Sales of light trucks less than 10,000 pounds

 $MC_SQTRUCKSL_N = Total sales of light trucks, from the Macro Model$ 

LT10K = Fraction of Light Duty Trucks with a gross vehicle weight of less than 10,000 pounds

2) Divide LCT sales between 2-axle, 4-tire and other single-unit (OSU) trucks:

$$CLTSAL2A4T_{N} = LT_{C}LTT_{N} * LT2A4$$

$$and$$

$$(B-120)$$

$$CLTSALOSU_{N} = LT_{C}LTT_{N} * LTOSU$$

where:

LT2A4 = Fraction of new light trucks of the 2-axle, 4 tire configuration LTOSU = Fraction of new light trucks of other configuration

3) Divide sales of both truck types into pickup and non-pickup styles for trucks between 8,500 and 10,000 pounds:

$$CLTSAL2A4TS_{istyl,N} = CLTSAL2A4T_N * LT2A4CLT_{istyl}$$

$$and$$

$$(B-121)$$

$$CLTSALOSUS_{istyl,N} = CLTSALOSU_N * LTOSUCLT_{istyl}$$

where:

LT2A4CLT<sub>istyl</sub> = Fraction of 2-axle, 4-tire trucks between 8.5 and 10 thousand pounds, by style LTOSUCLT<sub>istyl</sub> = Fraction of other single unit trucks between 8.5 and 10 thousand pounds, by style istyl = Index of truck style: 1 = pickup, 2 = other 4) Allocate sales among the aggegate major-use groups:

$$CLTSAL_{is,istyl,isic,N} = CLTSAL2A4TS_{istyl,N} * CLTSICSHR_{is,istyl,isic} \qquad for \ is = 1$$

$$and \qquad (B-122)$$

$$CLTSAL_{is,istyl,isic,N} = CLTSALOSUS_{istyl,N} * CLTSICSHR_{is,istyl,isic} \qquad for \ is = 2$$

where:

CLTSICSHR = Share of LCT sales allocated to each major-use group, by truck type and style *is* = Index of truck type: 1 = 2-axle, 4-tire; 2 = other single-unit truck *isic* = Index of major use group: 1 = Agriculture; 2 = Mining; 3 = Construction; 4 = Trade;

fic = 1 index of major use group: 1 = Agriculture; 2 = Mining; 3 = Construction; 4 = 1 rade;5 = Utilities; 6 = Personal

5) Update LCT stocks to reflect survival curve and sales:

$$CLTSTK_{is,istyl,isic,N} = CLTSTK_{is,istyl,isic,N-1} * SURVCLT_{is} + CLTSAL_{is,istyl,isic,N}$$
 (B-123)

where:

CLTSTK = Light commercial truck stock SURVCLT = Percentage of previous year's stock which gets carried over, by truck type

### LIGHT COMMERCIAL TRUCK MODEL

Subroutine TCLTVMT

6) Estimate the VMT demand for LCT's, by sector:

$$CLTVMT_{is,istyl,isic,N} = CLTVMT_{is,istyl,isic,N-1} * \left[\frac{CLTSIC_{isic,N}}{CLTSIC_{isic,N-1}}\right]$$
(B-124)

where:

 $\text{CLTSIC}_{isic}$  = Aggregate measures of industrial output for sectors 1-5; level of personal travel demand for sector 6.

7) Estimate new LCT fuel economy, assuming that growth from baseline (1992) values parallels that of other light-duty trucks:

$$NCLTMPG_{is,istyl,isic,N} = NCLTMPG_{is,istyl,isic,N-1} * \left[\frac{MPGT_{N}}{MPGT_{N-1}}\right]$$
(B-125)

MPGT = Light-duty truck miles per gallon (gasoline technology), from the LDV Stock Module

# 8) Incorporate new LCT estimates into existing stock:

$$CLTMPG_{is,istyl,isic,N} = \left[\frac{\left\{\left(\frac{CLTSTK_{is,istyl,isic,N-1}}*SURVCLT_{is}}{CLTMPG_{is,istyl,isic,N-1}}\right) + \left(\frac{CLTSAL_{is,istyl,isic,N-1}}{NCLTMPG_{is,istyl,isic,N-1}}\right) * LTDFRFG_{N}\right\}\right]^{-1}$$
(B-126)  
$$CLTSTK_{is,istyl,isic,N}$$

where:

CLTMPG = Stock MPG of light commercial trucks, by truck type and style LTDFRFG = Scaling factor, associated with the increased use of reformulated gasoline

# LIGHT COMMERCIAL TRUCK MODEL

# Subroutine TCLTMPG

9) Calculate aggregate sales-weighted new LCT MPG:

$$NCLTMPGT_{N} = \left[\sum_{is} \sum_{istyl} \sum_{isic} \left\{ \frac{\left( \frac{CLTSAL_{is,istyl,isic,N}}{\sum_{is} \sum_{isic} CLTSAL_{is,istyl,isic,N}} \right)}{NCLTMPG_{is,istyl,isic,N}} \right\}^{-1}$$
(B-127)

# 10) Calculate VMT-weighted stock average MPG for light commercial trucks:

$$CLTMPGT_{N} = \left[\sum_{is} \sum_{istyl} \sum_{isic} \left\{ \frac{CLTVMT_{is,istyl,isic,N}}{\sum_{is} \sum_{istyl} \sum_{isic} CLTVMT_{is,istyl,isic,N} * 1e^{9}} \right\} \right]^{-1}$$
(B-128)

# LIGHT COMMERCIAL TRUCK MODEL

11) Calculate fuel consumption in gallons and Btu's for each truck type, style, and major-use category:

$$CLTGAL_{is, istyl, isic, N} = \frac{CLTVMT_{is, istyl, isic, N}}{CLTMPG_{is, istyl, isic, N}}$$
and
(B-129)

$$CLTBTU_{is,istyl,isic,N} = CLTGAL_{is,istyl,isic,N} * \frac{5.253}{42}$$

12) Calculate total Btu consumption by light commercial trucks, by summing over the indices:

$$CLTBTUT_N = \sum_{is} \sum_{istyl} \sum_{isic} CLTBTU_{is,istyl,isic,N}$$
 (B-130)

# LIGHT DUTY VEHICLE STOCK MODULE

# LIGHT DUTY VEHICLE STOCK ACCOUNTING MODEL

Subroutine TSMOD

1) Sum across size classes and regions to obtain vehicle sales by technology:

$$TECHNCS_{IT,T} = \sum_{OSC = 1}^{6} \sum_{IR = 1}^{9} NCSTECH_{IR,OSC,IT,T}$$

and:

(B-131)

$$TECHNLT_{IT,T} = \sum_{OSC = 1}^{6} \sum_{IR = 1}^{9} NLTECH_{IR,OSC,IT,T}$$

where:

TECHNCS = Total new car sales, by technology TECHNLT = Total new light truck sales, by technology NCSTECH = New car sales, by region, size class, and technology, from the AFV Module NLTECH = New light truck sales, by region, size class, and technology OSC = Index of size class (1-6) IR = Index of region (1-9) IT = Index of vehicle technology (1-16)

2) These variables are assigned to the first vintages of the automobile and light truck stock arrays, and the population of subsequent vintages are calculated:

a) For 
$$VINT = 2-9$$
:  

$$PASSTK_{IT,VINT,T} = PASSTK_{IT,VINT-1,T-1} * SSURVP_{VINT-1}$$
and: (B-132)  

$$LTSTK_{IT,VINT,T} = LTSTK_{IT,VINT-1,T-1} * SSURVLT_{VINT-1}$$

b) For 
$$VINT = 10$$
:  

$$PASSTK_{IT,VINT=10,T} = (PASSTK_{IT,VINT=9,T-1} * SSURVP_{VINT=9}) + (PASSTK_{IT,VINT=10,T-1} * SSURVP_{VINT=10})$$
and (B-133)  

$$LTSTK_{IT,VINT=10,T} = (LTSTK_{IT,VINT=9,T-1} * SSURVLT_{VINT=10}) + (LTSTK_{IT,VINT=10,T-1} * SSURVLT_{VINT=10})$$

PASSTK = Surviving automobile stock, by technology and vintage LTSTK = Surviving light truck stock, by technology and vintage SSURVP = Fraction of a given vintage's automobiles which survive SSURVLT = Fraction of a given vintage's light trucks which survive *VINT* = Index of vehicle vintage (1-10)

3) Add retired fleet vehicles to the appropriate vintage of the non-fleet population:

$$PASSTK_{IT,TVINT} = PASSTK_{IT,TVINT} + OLDFSTK_{VT=1,TYPE,ITECH,TVINT}$$
  
and: (B-134)  
$$LTSTK_{IT,TVINT} = LTSTK_{IT,TVINT} + OLDFSTK_{VT=2,TYPE,ITECH,TVINT}$$

where:

OLTFSTK = Number of fleet vehicles rolled over into corresponding private categories

TVINT = Transition vintage: vintage at which vehicles of a given type are transferred

TYPE = Type of fleet vehicle: Business, Government, or Utility

ITECH = Index for the six fleet vehicle technologies: mapped to corresponding IT index

4) Sum over vintages and technologies to obtain total stocks of cars and light trucks:

$$STKCAR_T = \sum_{VINT = 1}^{10} \sum_{IT = 1}^{16} PASSTK_{IT,VINT,T}$$

(B-135)

$$STKTR_T = \sum_{VINT=1}^{10} \sum_{IT=1}^{16} LTSTK_{IT,VINT,T}$$

and:

where:

STKCAR = Total stock of non-fleet automobiles in year TSTKTR = Total stock of non-fleet light trucks in year T

5) Calculate LDV shares of each technology:

$$VSPLDV_{IT,T} = \frac{\sum_{VINT = 1}^{10} \left( PASSTK_{IT,VINT,T} + LTSTK_{IT,VINT,T} \right)}{STKCAR_{T} + STKTR_{T}}$$
(B-136)

where:

VSPLDV = The light duty vehicle shares of each of the sixteen vehicle technologies

#### LIGHT DUTY VEHICLE STOCK ACCOUNTING MODEL Subroutine TMPGSTK

1) Map non-gasoline vehicle sales from six to three size classes (IT = 1-15):

$$NCS3A_{IS,IT,T} = \sum_{OSC} \sum_{IR=1}^{9} NCSTECH_{IR,OSC,IT,T}$$

and

(B-137)

$$NLT3A_{IS,IT,T} = \sum_{OSC} \sum_{IR=1}^{9} NLTECH_{IR,OSC,IT,T}$$

where:

NCS3A = New car sales by reduced size class and engine technology: IS = 1, OSC = 1,6; IS = 2, OSC = 2,3; IS = 3, OSC = 4,5NLT3A = New light truck sales by reduced size class and technolgy: IS = 1, OSC = 1,3; IS = 2, OSC = 2,5; IS = 3, OSC = 4,6 NCSTECH = New car sales by region, technology, and six size classes NLTECH = New light truck sales by region, technology, and six size classes

#### 2) Calculate total regional sales of vehicles by reduced size class:

$$NCSR_{IR,IS,T} = \sum_{OSC} NCS_{IR,OSC,T}$$

and

(B-138)

$$NLTSR_{IR,IS,T} = \sum_{OSC} NLTS_{IR,OSC,T}$$

where:

NCSR = Regional new car sales by reduced size class NLTSR = Regional new light truck sales by reduced size class

Sum across regions: 3)

$$NCS3SC_{IS,T} = \sum_{IR=1}^{9} NCSR_{IR,IS,T}$$
and
(B-139)

$$NLTS3SC_{IS,T} = \sum_{IR=1}^{9} NLTSR_{IR,IS,T}$$

where:

NCS3SC = Total new car sales by reduced size class NLTS3SC = Total new light truck sales by reduced size class

4) Sum conventional vehicle sales across regions:

$$NNCSCA_{OSC,T} = \sum_{IR=1}^{9} NCSTECH_{IR,OSC,IT=16,T}$$

$$NNLTCA_{OSC,T} = \sum_{IR=1}^{9} NLTECH_{IR,OSC,IT=16,T}$$

and

where:

NNCSCA = New conventional car sales by six size classes NNLTCA = New conventional light truck sales by six size classes

#### 5) Calculate average MPG within reduced size classes:

$$AMPGC_{IS,T} = \sum_{OSC} \frac{NCMPG_{VT=1,OSC,T}}{2}$$

and

(B-141)

$$AMPGT_{IS,T} = \sum_{OSC} \frac{NCMPG_{VT=2,OSC,T}}{2}$$

where:

AMPGC = Average new car MPG mapped from six to three size classes: IS = 1, OSC = 2,3; IS = 2, OSC = 1,6; IS = 3, OSC = 4,5AMPGT = Average new truck MPG mapped from six to three size classes: IS = 1, OSC = 1,3; IS = 2, OSC = 2,5; IS = 3, OSC = 4,6VT = Index of vehicle type: 1 = cars, 2 = light trucks

#### 6) Calculate ratio of truck to car MPG by size class:

$$RATIO_{IS,T} = \frac{AMPGT_{IS,T}}{AMPGC_{IS,T}}$$
(B-142)

where:

RATIO = Light truck MPG adjustment factor

7) Calculate the average efficiencies of the fifteen non-gasoline technologies:

$$MPGC_{IT,T} = \begin{bmatrix} \sum_{IS=1}^{3} \frac{NCS3A_{IS,IT,T}}{NAMPG_{IT,IS,T}} \\ \sum_{IS=1}^{3} NCS3A_{IS,IT,T} \end{bmatrix}^{-1}$$
  
and: (B-143)

$$MPGT_{IT,T} = \left[\frac{\sum_{IS=1}^{3} \frac{NLT3A_{IS,IT,T}}{NAMPG_{IT,IS,T} * RATIO_{IS,T}}}{\sum_{IS=1}^{3} NLT3A_{IS,IT,T}}\right]^{-1}$$

MPGC = New car fuel efficiency, by engine technology MPGT = New light truck fuel efficiency, by engine technology NAMPG = New AFV fuel efficiency, from the AFV model

# 8) Calculate new vehicle MPG for gasoline ICE's (IT = 16):

$$MPGC_{IT=16,T} = \left[\frac{\sum_{OSC=1}^{6} \frac{NNCSCA_{OSC,T}}{NCMPG_{OSC,T}}}{\sum_{OSC=1}^{6} NNCSCA_{OSC,T}}\right]^{-1}$$

and:

(B-144)

$$MPGT_{IT=16,T} = \left[\frac{\sum_{OSC=1}^{6} \frac{NNLTCA_{OSC,T}}{NLTMPG_{OSC,T}}}{\sum_{OSC=1}^{6} NNLTCA_{OSC,T}}\right]^{-1}$$

where:

NCMPG = New car MPG, from the FEM model NLTMPG = New light truck MPG, from the FEM model

9) Calculate average fuel efficiency across all technologies for cars and light trucks:

$$ANCMPG_{T} = \left[\sum_{IT=1}^{16} \frac{APSHRNC_{IT,T}}{MPGC_{IT,T}}\right]^{-1}$$
  
and: (B-145)  
$$ANTMPG_{T} = \left[\sum_{IT=1}^{16} \frac{APSHRNT_{IT,T}}{MPGT_{IT,T}}\right]^{-1}$$

ANCMPG = Average new car MPG ANTMPG = Average new light truck MPG APSHRNC = Absolute market share of new cars, by technology, from the AFV model APSHRNT = Absolute market share of new light trucks, by technology, from the AFV model

10) Calculate total miles driven by each type of vehicle:

$$TOTMICT_{T} = \sum_{IT=1}^{16} \sum_{IV=1}^{10} PASSTK_{IT,IV,T} * PVMT_{IV}$$

and:

(B-146)

$$TOTMITT_{T} = \sum_{IT=1}^{16} \sum_{IV=1}^{10} LTSTK_{IT,IV,T} * LVMT_{IV}$$

where:

TOTMICT = Total miles driven by cars

TOTMITT = Total miles driven by light trucks

PVMT = Average automobile VMT, by vintage, from RTECS

LVMT = Average light truck VMT, by vintage, from RTECS

#### 11) Calculate total energy consumption:

$$CMPGT_{T} = \sum_{IT=1}^{16} \sum_{IV=1}^{10} \frac{PASSTK_{IT,IV,T} * PVMT_{IV}}{CMPGSTK_{IT,IV,T} * VDF_{VT=1}}$$
and:
(B-147)

$$TMPGT_{T} = \sum_{IT=1}^{16} \sum_{IV=1}^{10} \frac{LTSTK_{IT,IV,T} * LVMT_{IV}}{TTMPGSTK_{IT,IV,T} * VDF_{VT=2}}$$

CMPGT = Automobile stock MPG TMPGT = Light truck stock MPG CMPGSTK = Automobile stock MPG, by vintage and technology TTMPGSTK = Light truck stock MPG, by vintage and technology VDF = Vehicle fuel efficiency degradation factor: VT = 1 for cars, VT = 2 for trucks 12) Calculate stock fuel efficiency:

$$SCMPG_{T} = \frac{TOTMICT_{T}}{CMPGT_{T}}$$
and:
$$STMPG_{T} = \frac{TOTMITT_{T}}{TMPCT}$$
(B-148)

 $TMPGT_T$ 

where:

SCMPG = Stock MPG for automobiles STMPG = Stock MPG for light trucks

13) Calculate average fuel efficiency of light duty vehicles:

$$MPGFLT_{T} = \frac{TOTMICT_{T} + TOTMITT_{T}}{CMPGT_{T} + TMPGT_{T}}$$
(B-149)

where:

MPGFLT = Stock MPG for all light duty vehicles

14) Calculate average fuel efficiency by technology:

$$MPGTECH_{IT,N} = \frac{\sum_{IV=1}^{10} \frac{PASSTK_{IT,IV,T} * PVMT_{IV}}{CMPGSTK_{IT,IV,T} * VDF_{VT=1}} + \sum_{IV=1}^{10} \frac{LTSTK_{IT,IV,T} * LVMT_{IV}}{TTMPGSTK_{IT,IV,T} * VDF_{VT=2}}$$
(B-150)  
$$TOTMICT_{T} + TOTMITT_{T}$$

where:

MPGTECH = Average stock MPG by technology

#### VEHICLE MILES TRAVELED MODEL

Subroutine TVMT

#### 1) Calculate the cost of driving per mile:

$$COSTMI_{T} = \frac{TPMGTR_{T} * 0.125}{MPGFLT_{T}}$$
(B-151)

where:

COSTMI = Cost of driving per mile TPMGTR = Price of motor gasoline MPGFLT = Fuel economy of the automobile fleet 0.125 = Conversion factor for gasoline, in MMBtu/gallon

2) Calculate per capita income:

$$INCOME_{T} = \frac{TMC_{Y}D_{T}}{TMC_{P}OPAFO_{T}}$$
(B-152)

where:

INCOME = Per capita disposable personal income TMC\_YD = Total disposable personal income, from MACRO module TMC\_POPAFO = Total population, from MACRO module

3) Calculate unadjusted VMT per capita:

$$VMT16_{T} = RHO \cdot VMTPC_{T-1} + ALPHA (1 - RHO)$$

$$- BETAPE (COSTMI_{T} - RHO \cdot COSTMI_{T-1})$$

$$+ BETAIE (INCOME_{T} - RHO \cdot INCOME_{T-1})$$

$$+ BETADEM (PrFem_{T} - RHO \cdot PrFem_{T-1})$$
(B-153)

where:

VMT16 = Per capita VMT for persons 16 and older ALPHA = Constant parameter for the VMT difference equation BETAPE = Parameter associated with the cost of driving BETAIE = Parameter associated with disposable personal income BETADEM = Parameter associated with demographic influences

PrFem = Ratio of per capita female driving to per capita male driving.

The cost of driving coefficient, BETAPE, varies in value up to -.35 (which approximately equates to a -.4 fuel price elasticity) in order to have VMT become more fuel price sensitive when fuel prices are significantly high. The equation for scaling the BETAPE is:

$$SCALE = \frac{(TPMGTR - TPMGTRLO)}{(TPMGTRHI - TPMGTRLO)}$$
(B-154)

where:

SCALE = the proportion of the additional elasticity added to the originial coefficient TPMGTR = gasoline fuel price in \$87/mmbtu TPMGTRLO = the highest gasoline fuel price in the base case scenario TPMGTRHI = the gasoline price at which you apply the highest elasticity

When applied to the additional elasticity portion, the scaling variable yields:

$$BETAPEYR = (BDIFF \cdot SCALE) + BETAPE$$
(B-155)

where:

BETAPEYR = new cost of driving coefficient
BDIFF = the additional or marginal amount to be added to the original cost of driving coefficient
BETAPE = original cost of driving coefficient

4) Calculate adjusted VMT per capita:

$$ADJVMTPC_T = VMT16_T \cdot DAF_T$$
 (B-156)

where:

ADJVMTPC = Demographically-adjusted per capita VMT DAF = Demographic adjustment factor

5) Calculate total VMT:

$$VMTLDV_T = ADJVMTPC_T * TMC_POP16_T$$
 (B-157)

VMTLDV = Total VMT for light duty vehicles

6) Calculate net VMT, subtracting off fleet and light truck freight VMT:

$$VMTEE_{T} = VMTLDV_{T} - (FLTVMT_{T} + FVMTSC_{IS=1,T})$$
(B-158)

where:

VMTEE = VMT for personal travel FLTVMT = Fleet VMT FVMTSC = Freight VMT by size class

7) Calculate VMT by technology:

$$VMTECH_{TTT} = VMTEE_T * VSPLDV_{TTT}$$
 (B-159)

where:

VMTECH = Personal travel VMT by technology VSPLDV = Sales shares of vehicles by technology

#### 8) Calculate fractional change of VMT:

$$XLDVMT_{T} = \frac{VMTEE_{T}}{VMTEE_{T-1}}$$
(B-160)

where:

XLDVMT = Fractional change of VMT over base year (1990)

#### VEHICLE MILES TRAVELED MODEL

Subroutine TFREISMOD

1) Calculate light truck sales dedicated to freight:

$$TRSAL_{T} = 0.408427 * TMC\_SQDTRUCKSL_{T}$$
(B-161)

TRSAL = Light truck sales for freight TMC\_SQDTRUCKSL = Total light truck sales, from MACRO module

2) Calculate sales by technology:

$$TRSALTECH_{ITT} = TRSAL_{T} * FLVMTSHR_{IS=1,ITT}$$
(B-162)

where:

TRSALTECH = Light truck sales by technology FLVMTSHR = VMT-weighted shares by size class and technology

3) Add to vintage array and adjust stock survival:

$$TRSTKTECH_{IT,IV=1,T} = TRSALTECH_{IT,T}$$

$$TRSTKTECH_{IT,IV,T} = TRSTKTECH_{IT,IV-1,T-1} * SSURVLT_{IV-1} ; IV = 2 - 9$$
and
$$(B-163)$$

$$TRSTKTECH_{IT,IV=10,T} = (TRSTKTECH_{IT,IV=9,T-1} * SSURVLT_{IV=9})$$

$$+ (TRSTKTECH_{IT,IV=10,T-1} * SSURVLT_{IV=10})$$

where:

TRSTKTECH = Light truck stock by technology SSURVLT = Array of survival rates for light trucks

# 4) Sum over vintages:

$$TRSTKTOT_{IT,T} = \sum_{IV=1}^{10} TRSTKTECH_{IT,IV,T}$$
(B-164)

where:

TRSTKTOT = Total light truck stock by technology

5) Sum over technologies:

$$TRSTK_{T} = \sum_{IT=1}^{5} TRSTKTOT_{IT,T}$$
(B-165)

TRSTK = Total light truck stock

6) Calculate average MPG for light trucks:

$$TRFLTMPG_{T} = \left[\frac{\sum_{IT=1}^{5} \left(\frac{TRSTKTOT_{IT,T}}{FMPG_{IS=1,IT,T}}\right)}{\sum_{IT=1}^{5} TRSTKTOT_{IT,T}}\right]^{-1}$$
(B-166)

where:

TRFLTMPG = Average light truck MPG

#### VEHICLE MILES TRAVELED MODEL

This subroutine calculates aggregate fuel efficiencies for cars and light trucks.

1) Sum fleet vehicle sales over size class:

$$FLTECHSALT_{VT,ITY,ITECH,T} = \sum_{IS=1}^{3} FLTECHSAL_{VT,ITY,IS,ITECH,T}$$
(B-167)

where:

FLTECHSALT = Vehicle purchases by fleet type and technolgy
FLTECHSAL = Fleet sales by size, technology, and fleet type
VT = Index of vehicle type: 1 = cars, 2 = light trucks *ITECH* = Index of engine technology (1-6) *ITY* = Index of fleet type: Business, Government, Utility *IS* = Index of size class (1-3)

### 2) Calculate new vehicle MPG:

$$FLTMPGNEW_{VT,ITECH,T} = \left[\frac{\sum_{ITY=1}^{3} \frac{FLTECHSALT_{VT,ITY,ITECH,T}}{FLTMPG_{VT,ITY,ITECH,T}}}\right]^{-1}$$
(B-168)

where:

FLTMPGNEW = New fleet vehicle MPG by vehicle type and technology FLTMPG = Fleet vehicle MPG by vehicle type, size class, and technology

3) Sum fleet stock across fleet types:

$$FLTSTOCK_{VT,ITECH,T} = \sum_{ITY=1}^{3} FLTECHSTK_{VT,ITY,ITECH,T}$$
(B-169)

where:

FLTSTOCK = Total fleet vehicle stock, by technology FLTECHSTK = Total fleet vehicle stock, by technology and fleet type

#### 4) Calculate average MPG of fleet and non-fleet vehicles, by technology:

a) For cars:

$$CCMPGLDV_{IT,T} = \left[ \frac{\left( \frac{TECHNCS_{IT,T}}{MPGC_{IT,T}} \right) + \left( \frac{FLTSTOCK_{VT=1,ITECH,T}}{FLTMPGNEW_{VT=1,ITECH,T}} \right)}{TECHNCS_{IT,T} + FLTSTOCK_{VT=1,ITECH,T}} \right]^{-1}$$
(B-170)

where:

CCMPGLDV = New car MPG, by technology *IT* 

IT = Index of vehicle technology (1-16)

*ITECH* = Index of fleet vehicle technologies which correspond to the *IT* index

TECHNCS = Non-fleet new car sales, by technology IT

MPGC = New car MPG, by technology *IT* 

FLTSTOCK = New fleet stock, by vehicle type and technology *ITECH* 

FLTMPGNEW = New fleet vehicle MPG, by vehicle type and technology ITECH

b) For light trucks:

$$TTMPGLDV_{IT,T} = \left[ \frac{\left( \frac{TECHNLT_{IT,T}}{MPGT_{IT,T}} \right) + \left( \frac{FLTSTOCK_{VT=2,ITECH,T}}{FLTMPGNEW_{VT=2,ITECH,T}} \right)}{TECHNLT_{IT,T} + FLTSTOCK_{VT=2,ITECH,T}} \right]^{-1}$$
(B-171)

where:

TTMPGLDV = New light truck MPG, by technology *IT* TECHNLT = Non-fleet new light truck sales, by technology *IT* MPGT = New light truck MPG, by technology *IT* 

5) Calculate total stock by vehicle type and technology:

$$STOCKLDV_{VT,IT2,T} = STKCT_{VT,IT,T} + FLTSTOCK_{VT,ITECH,T}$$
 (B-172)

where:

STOCKLDV = Total stock of fleet and non-fleet vehicles, by technology

STKCT = Stock of non-fleet vehicles, by technology

IT = Index of vehicle technology (1-16)

*IT2* = Reassigned indices of vehicle technology *IT2* = 1-16; *IT* = 16,15,1-14

ITECH = Index of fleet technologies which map to corresponding *IT* and *IT2* as follows: IT2 = 1,3,5,7,8,9; IT = 16,1,3,5,6,7; ITECH = 6,1,2,3,4,5

6) Calculate total stock across technologies:

$$TSTOCKLDV_{VT,T} = \sum_{IT2=1}^{16} STOCKLDV_{VT,IT2,T}$$
(B-173)

where:

TSTOCKLDV = Total stock by vehicle type VT

7) Calculate average MPG of cars and light trucks:

$$TMPGLDVSTK_{VT=1,T} = \left[ \frac{\sum_{IT2=1}^{16} \left( \frac{STOCKLDV_{VT=1,IT2,T}}{CCMPGLDV_{IT2,T}} \right)}{\sum_{IT2=1}^{16} STOCKLDV_{VT=1,IT2,T}} \right]^{-1}$$

$$TMPGLDVSTK_{VT=2,T} = \left[ \frac{\sum_{IT2=1}^{16} \left( \frac{STOCKLDV_{VT=2,IT2,T}}{TTMPGLDV_{IT2,T}} \right)}{\sum_{IT2=1}^{16} STOCKLDV_{VT=2,IT2,T}} \right]^{-1}$$

where:

TMPGLDVSTK = Average MPG by vehicle type VT

8) Calculate overall average MPG of light-duty vehicle fleet:

$$TLDVMPG_{T} = \left[\frac{\sum_{VT=1}^{2} \left(\frac{TSTOCKLDV_{VT,T}}{TMPGLDVSTK_{VT,T}}\right)}{\sum_{VT=1}^{2} TSTOCKLDV_{VT,T}}\right]^{-1}$$
(B-175)

where:

TLDVMPG = Average fuel economy of light-duty vehicles

# FREIGHT TRANSPORT MODULE

# HIGHWAY FREIGHT MODEL

Subroutine TFREI

# **Estimate New Truck Fuel Economies**

1) Calculate the average fuel price over the previous three years:

$$AVGPRC_{T,FUEL} = \frac{(PRICE_{T,FUEL} + PRICE_{T-1,FUEL} + PRICE_{T-2,FUEL})}{3}$$
(B-176)

where:

2) If the technology has not yet entered market and the average price is greater than the technology's trigger price, the technology enters the market during the current year:

For TECH = 6,...,16  
If 
$$AVGPRC_{T,FUEL} \ge TRIGPRC_{SC,FUEL,TECH}$$
 (B-177)  
 $INITYR_{SC,FUEL,TRECH} = T$ 

where:

TECH =	Index referring to fuel-saving technologies, where $TECH = 1,,5$ refers to currently available
	technologies and $TECH = 6,,16$ refers to future technologies
SC =	Index referring to truck size class, where $SC = 2$ refers to medium trucks and $SC = 3$ refers
	to heavy trucks
INITYR =	Year in which technology TECH enters market
TRIGPRC =	Exogenously determined fuel price at which technology TECH becomes economically viable

3) If a future technology enters market in the current year, coefficients for the logistic market penetration curve are determined:

$$COEFT_{SC,FUEL,TECH} = \frac{\ln(0.01)}{\left[\frac{CYCLE_{SC,FUEL,TECH}}{2}\right]}$$
and
(B-178)
$$MIDYR_{SC,FUEL,TECH} = INITYR_{SC,FUEL,TECH} + \left[\frac{CYCLE_{SC,FUEL,TECH}}{2}\right]$$

where:

COEFT = Endogenously determined logistic market penetration curve parameter

CYCLE = Exogenously determined logistic market penetration curve parameter representing number of years until 99 percent of maximum market penetration

MIDYR = Endogenously determined logistic market penetration curve parameter

4) For each technology which has entered the market, and for existing technologies, the effect of fuel prices on market penetration is determined for the current year:

$$PREFF_{T,SC,FUEL,TECH} = 1 + PRCVAR_{SC,FUEL,TECH} \cdot \left[\frac{AVGPRC_{T,FUEL}}{TRIGPRC_{SC,FUEL,TECH}} - 1\right]$$
(B-179)

where:

PREFF = Effect of fuel price on market penetration rates for six fuel-saving technologies

PRCVAR = Exogenously determined fuel price sensitivity parameter for each technology, representing percent increase in technology market share if fuel price exceeds trigger price by 100%

5) For each available technology, including existing technologies, the model determines its share of the available market in the current year:

$$For \ TECH = 1,...,5$$

$$ECH_{T,SC,FUEL,TECH} = \min \left\{ PREFF_{T,SC,FUEL,TECH} \cdot [BSHRT_{SC,TECH} + (ESHRT_{SC,FUEL,TECH} - BSHRT_{SC,TECH}) \cdot (1 - e^{CONST_{SC,TECH} + COEFT_{SC,TECH} \cdot T}) \right], 1$$

$$(B-180)$$

$$For \ TECH = 6,....,16$$

$$TECHSHR_{T,SC,FUEL,TECH} = \min \left\{ PREFF_{T,SC,FUEL,TECH} \cdot \frac{ESHRT_{SC,FUEL,TECH}}{1 + e^{COEFT_{SC,FUEL,TECH} \cdot (T - MDYR_{SC,FUEL,TECH})}}, 1 \right\}$$

TECHSHR = Market share of fuel-saving technology TECH for size class SC and fuel type FUEL

- CONST = Exogenously determined market penetration curve parameter for existing technologies
- COEFT = Market penetration curve parameter; exogenous for existing technologies, endogenous for future technologies
- BSHRT = Exogenously determined market penetration curve parameter representing market share of existing technology *TECH* in 1992
- ESHRT = Exogenously determined market penetration curve parameter representing final market share of technology *TECH* if fuel price were always equal to trigger price

6) If a technology A is superseded by another mutually exclusive technology B at any time during the model run, technology A's market share must be adjusted to reflect the smaller pool of vehicles in its base market:

$$TECHSHR_{T,SC,FUEL,TECH} = (1 - SPRSDEFF_{T,SC,FUEL,TECH}) \cdot TECHSHR_{T,SC,FUEL,TECH} (B-181)$$

where:

SPRSDEFF = Superseding effect, equal to the market share of the superseding technology

### 7) Determine MPG effects:

$$MPGEFF_{T,SC,FUEL} = \prod_{TECH=1}^{16} \left(1 + MPGINCR_{SC,FUEL,TECH} \cdot TECHSHR_{T,SC,FUEL,TECH}\right)$$
(B-182)

where:

MPGEFF = Total effect of all fuel-saving technologies on new truck fuel economy in year T MPGINCR= Exogenous factor representing percent improvement in fuel economy due to each technology

8) Fuel economy of new medium and heavy trucks can finally be determined:

$$MPG_{T,SC,AGE=0,FUEL} = BASEMPG_{SC,FUEL} \cdot MPGEFF_{T,SC,FUEL}$$
 (B-183)

where:

BASEMPG = Fuel economy of new medium and heavy trucks with no fuel-saving technologies

#### Determine the Share of Each Fuel Type in Current Year's Class of New Trucks

9) Calculate the fuel cost per mile for trucks of each size class and fuel type:

$$FCOST_{T,SC,FUEL} = \frac{AVGPRC_{T,FUEL}}{MPG_{T,SC,FUEL}} \cdot HTRATE$$
(B-184)

where:

FCOST = Fuel cost of driving a truck of fuel type *FUEL*, in dollars per mile HTRATE = Heat rate of gasoline, in million Btu per gallon

10) Calculate the fuel cost of driving diesel trucks relative to AFVs:

$$RCOST_{T,SC,FUEL} = 1 - \left[\frac{FCOST_{T,SC,FUEL}}{FCOST_{T,SC,FUEL=1}} - 1\right] \cdot PRCDIFFVAR_{SC,FUEL}$$
(B-185)

where:

RCOST = Fuel cost per mile of diesel relative to LPG and CNG PRCDIFFVAR = Exogenously determined parameter representing inherent variation in AFV market share due to difference in fuel prices

#### 11) Determine the market penetration curve parameters during a user-specified trigger year:

$$COEFAFV_{SC,FUEL,FLT} = \frac{\ln(0.01)}{\left[\frac{CYCAFV_{SC,FUEL,FLT}}{2}\right]}$$
and
(B-186)
$$MYRAFV_{SC,FUEL,FLT} = TRYRAFV_{SC,FUEL,FLT} + \frac{CYCAFV_{SC,FUEL,FLT}}{2}$$

- FLT = Index referring to fleet type, where FLT = 1 refers to trucks in fleets of nine or less and FLT = 2 refers to trucks in fleets of ten or more
- COEFAFV = Endogenously determined logistic market penetration curve parameter
- CYCAFV = Exogenously determined logistic market penetration curve parameter representing number of years until maximum market penetration
- MYRAFV = Logistic market penetration curve parameter representing "halfway point" to maximum market penetration
- TRYRAFV = Exogenously determined year in which each alternative fuel begins to increase in market share, due to EPACT or other factors

12) The AFV market trend is determined through a logistic function:

$$MPATH_{T,SC,FUEL,FLT} = RCOST_{T,SC,FUEL} \cdot \left[BSHRF_{SC,FUEL,FLT} + \frac{ESHRF_{SC,FUEL,FLT} - BSHRF_{SC,FUEL,FLT}}{1 + e^{COEFAFV_{SC,FUEL,FLT} + (T - MYRAFV_{SC,FUEL,FLT})}}\right] (B-187)$$

where:

BSHRF = Base year (1992) market share of each fuel type ESHRF = Exogenously determined final market share of each fuel type

#### 13) Forecast the share of diesel in conventional truck sales:

$$MPATH_{T,SC,FUEL=1,FLT} = BSHRF_{SC,FUEL,FLT} + \left[ESHRF_{SC,FUEL,FLT} - BSHRF_{SC,FUEL,FLT}\right] \cdot \left(1 - e^{CONSD_{SC,FLT} + COEFT_{SC,FLT} \cdot T}\right)$$
(B-188)

where:

CONSD = Exogenously determined market penetration curve parameter for diesel trucks COEFD = Exogenously determined market penetration curve parameter for diesel trucks

14) The actual AFV market share is thus calculated as the maximum of historical and forecast shares:

$$FSHR_{T,SEC,SC,FUEL=3,4,FLT} = \max \left[ BSEC_{SEC,SC,FUEL,FLT} , MPATH_{T,SC,FUEL,FLT} \right]$$
(B-189)

where:

BSEC = Exogenously determined base year (1992) share of alternative fuels in truck purchases

15) Diesel market share is calculated as the forecast share of diesel in conventional truck sales

multiplied by the share occupied by conventional trucks:

$$FSHR_{T,SEC,SC,FUEL=1,FLT} = \left(1 - \sum_{FUEL=3}^{4} FSHR_{T,SEC,SC,FUEL,FLT}\right)$$

$$\cdot (\min \left[MPATH_{T,SC,FUEL,FLT} \cdot BSECD_{SEC,SC,FLT}, 1\right])$$
(B-190)

where:

BSECD = Exogenously determined parameter representing tendency of each sector to purchase diesel trucks

16) The remainder of truck purchases are assumed to be gasoline:

$$FSHR_{T,SEC,SC,FUEL=2,FLT} = 1 - \sum_{FUEL=1,3,4} FSHR_{T,SEC,SC,FUEL,FLT}$$
(B-191)

#### **Determine Composition of Existing Truck Stock**

17) Scrappage rates are applied to the current truck population:

$$TRKSTK_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL,FLT} = TRKSTK_{T-1,SEC,SC,AGE-1,FUEL,FLT} \cdot (1 - SCRAP_{SC,AGE-1})$$
(B-192)

where:

TRKSTK = Stock of trucks in year T

SCRAP = Exogenously determined factor which consists of the percentage of trucks of each age which are scrapped each year

18) A number of trucks are transferred in each year from fleets of ten or more to fleets of nine or less. Transfers of conventional trucks are based on exogenously determined transfer rates:

$$TRFI_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL} = TRFRATE_{SC,AGE} \cdot TRKSTK_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL,FLT=2}$$
(B-193)

where:

TRF1 = Number of trucks transferred from fleet to non-fleet populations, if no restrictions are placed on the transfer of alternative-fuel trucks

- TRFRATE = Exogenously determined parameter representing the percentage of trucks of each vintage to be transferred from fleets to non-fleets in each year
- 19) Restricted AFV transfers are calculated as follows:

 $TRF2_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL=3,4} = FSHR_{T,SEC,SC,FUEL,FLT=1} \cdot TRFRATE_{SC,AGE} \cdot \sum_{FUEL=1}^{4} TRKSTK_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL,FLT=1} (B-194)$ 

where:

TRF2 = Number of trucks transferred from fleet to non-fleet populations, if the fuel mix of fleet transfers is exactly the same as the fuel mix of new non-fleet purchases

20) Actual fleet transfers are then defined as the unrestricted fleet transfers as calculated in *TRF1* for conventional trucks, and the minimum of unrestricted and restricted transfers for AFVs:

$$TRF_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL=1,2} = TRFI_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL,FLT}$$

$$and$$

$$(B-195)$$

$$TRF_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL=3,4} = \min\left[TRFI_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL}, TRF2_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL}\right]$$

where:

TRF = Total number of trucks transferred from fleet to non-fleet populations

21) Allocate fleet transfers based on each sector's share of the total non-fleet truck population of each vintage of trucks:

$$TRFSHR_{T,SC,SEC} = \frac{\sum_{FUEL=1}^{4} \sum_{AGE=1}^{11} TRKSTK_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL,FLT=1}}{\sum_{FUEL=1}^{4} \sum_{AGE=1}^{11} \sum_{SEC=1}^{12} TRKSTK_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL,FLT=1}}$$
(B-196)

where:

TRFSHR = Share of fleet transfers which goes to each sector

22) The new existing population of trucks is simply the existing population (after scrappage) modified by fleet transfers:

$$TRKSTK_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL,FLT=2} = TRKSTK_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL,FLT=2} - TRF_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL}$$
and
(B-197)
$$TRKSTK_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL,FLT=1} = TRKSTK_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL,FLT=1} + TRFSHR_{T,SEC,SC} \cdot \sum_{SEC=1}^{12} TRF_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL}$$

### **Calculate Purchases of New Trucks**

23) Calculate index of average annual VMT per truck:

$$VMTTREND_{T,SC} = \frac{BSHRV_{SC} + (ESHRV_{SC} - BSHRV_{SC}) \cdot (1 - e^{CONSV_{SC} + COEFV_{SC} \cdot T})}{BSHRV_{SC} + (ESHRV_{SC} - BSHRV_{SC}) \cdot (1 - e^{CONSV_{SC} + COEFV_{SC} \cdot 1992})}$$
(B-198)

where:

- VMTTREND = Index of average annual VMT per truck, where 1992 = 1
   BSHRV = Exogenously determined VMT per vehicle increase factor representing minimum annual vehicle mileage
   ESHRV = Exogenously determined VMT per vehicle increase factor representing maximum annual vehicle mileage
   CONSV = Exogenously determined exponential VMT per vehicle increase factor
  - COEFV = Exogenously determined exponential VMT per vehicle increase factor

#### 24) Calculate VMT per truck in each year:

$$ANNVMT_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL} = ANNVMTBASE_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL} \cdot VMTTREND_{T,SC}$$
 (B-199)

where:

ANNVMT = Average annual VMT per vehicle by sector, size class, truck age and fuel type ANNVMTBASE = Base year average annual VMT per vehicle by sector, size class, truck age and fuel type

25) Determine the VMT which can be provided by the current population of trucks in each sector:

$$VMTOLD_{T,SEC} = \sum_{FLT=1}^{2} \sum_{FUEL=1}^{16} \sum_{AGE=1}^{11} \sum_{SC=1}^{3} TRKSTK_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL,FLT} \cdot ANNVMT_{SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL}$$
(B-200)

where:

VMTOLD = VMT which can be provided by existing stock of trucks in each sector, after scrappage

26) Calculate the current year FAC as follows:

$$COEFFAC = \ln \left[ \frac{9}{T90 - T50} \right]$$
and
(B-201)

$$FACTR_{T,SEC} = AFFACBASE_{SEC} + \frac{1 - FACBASE_{SEC}}{1 + e^{COEFFAC \cdot (T50 - T)}}$$

where:

COEFFAC =	FAC decay parameter
T90 =	User-specified year by which 90% of FAC decay is experienced
T50 =	User-specified year by which 50% of FAC decay is experienced
FACTR =	"Freight Adjustment Coefficient": factor relating growth in value added of sector SEC to
	growth in demand for freight truck VMT
FACBASE =	Base year Freight Adjustment Coefficient

### 27) Calculate the actual VMT demand in each sector:

For 
$$T = 0$$
  
 $VMTDMD_{T,SEC} = VMTDMDBASE_{SEC} \cdot FACTR_{SEC} \cdot \frac{OUTPUT_{T,SEC}}{OUTPUT_{T-1,SEC}}$ 
(B-202)  
 $For T = 1-22$   
 $VMTDMD_{T,SEC} = VMTDMD_{T-1,SEC} \cdot FACTR_{SEC} \cdot \frac{OUTPUT_{T,SEC}}{OUTPUT_{T-1,SEC}}$ 

where:

VMTDMD = Demand for freight travel by sector *SEC*, in year *T* VMTDMDBASE = Demand for freight travel by sector *SEC*, in year 0 FACTR = "Freight Adjustment Coefficient": exogenously determined factor relating growth in value added of sector *SEC* to growth in demand for freight truck VMT

28) Calculate perceived VMT growth:

$$PVMTGROWTH_{T,SEC} = 0.5 \cdot \left[ \frac{OUTPUT_{T,SEC}}{OUTPUT_{T-1,SEC}} - 1 \right] + 0.5 \cdot \left[ \frac{OUTPUT_{T-1,SEC}}{OUTPUT_{T-2,SEC}} - 1 \right]$$
(B-203)

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PVMTGROWTH = Growth rate with which perceived demand for freight travel in year T is forecast by freight companies

#### 29) Calculate perceived baselineVMT demand:

For 
$$T = 0$$
  
 $PVMTBASE_{T,SC} = 0.5 \cdot VMTDMDBASE_{SEC}$   
For  $T = 1-22$   
 $PVMTBASE_{T,SC} = 0.5 \cdot VMTDMD_{T,SEC} + 0.25 \cdot VMTDMD_{T-1,SEC}$   
(B-204)

where:

PVMTBASE = Baseline from which perceived demand for freight travel in year T is calculated.

30) Calculate perceived VMT demand:

$$PVMTBASE_{T,SEC} = 0.5 \cdot VMTDMD_{T-1,SEC} + 0.25 \cdot VMTDMD_{T-2,SEC}$$
and
(B-205)
$$VMTDMD_{T,SEC} = 0.25 \cdot VMTDMD_{T,SEC} + PVMTBASE_{T,SEC} \cdot (1 + PVMTGROWTH_{T,SEC}) \cdot FACTR_{SI}$$

where:

PVMTBASE = Baseline from which perceived demand for freight travel in year *T* is forecast by freight companies
 PVMTDMD = Perceived demand for freight travel in year *T*

31) Calculate perceived unmet VMT demand, which is provided by purchasing new trucks:

$$PVMTUNMET_{T.SEC} = PVMTDMD_{T.SEC} - VMTOLD_{T.SEC}$$
(B-206)

where:

PVMTUNMET = Difference between perceived VMT demand and demand which can be met by existing stock of trucks

32) Allocate unmet VMT demand among size classes and fleet types by means of constant size

class and fleet type allocation factors.

$$PVMT_{T,SEC,SC,FLT=1} = MAX \Big[ PVMTUNMET_{T,SEC} \cdot VMTSCFAC_{SEC,SC} \cdot (1 - FLTSHR_{SEC,SC}), 0 \Big]$$

$$and \qquad (B-207)$$

$$PVMT_{T,SEC,SC,FLT=2} = MAX \Big[ PVMTUNMET_{T,SEC} \cdot VMTSCFAC_{SEC,SC} \cdot FLTSHR_{SEC,SC}, 0 \Big]$$

where:

- PVMT = Perceived demand for freight travel by new trucks of size class SC and fleet type FLT in sector SEC
- VMTSCFAC = Exogenously determined parameter representing percentage of new truck sales which go to each size class *SC* in sector *SEC*

33) Calculate a fuel technology-weighted average annual VMT per vehicle of the current year's class of new fleet and non-fleet trucks:

$$PVN_{T,SEC,SC,FLT} = \sum_{FUEL=1}^{4} FSHR_{T,SEC,SC,FUEL,FLT} \cdot ANNVMT_{T,SEC,SC,AGE=0,FUEL}$$
(B-208)

where:

AGE = 0 refers to new trucks PVN = Annual VMT per vehicle for new trucks in year T

34) Truck purchases are finally calculated as the perceived unmet VMT demand divided by VMT per truck, weighted by fuel type:

$$TRKSTK_{T,SEC,SC,AGE=0,FUEL,FLT} = \left[\frac{PVMT_{T,SEC,SC,FLT}}{PVN_{T,SEC,SC,FLT}}\right] \cdot FSHR_{T,SEC,SC,FUEL,FLT}$$
(B-209)

### **Calculate Fuel Consumption**

#### 35) Allocate actual VMT demand among truck types:

$$VMT_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL,FLT} = TRKSTK_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL,FLT} \cdot ANNVMT_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL} \cdot \left[ \frac{\sum_{SEC=1}^{12} VMTDMD_{T,SEC}}{\sum_{SEC=1}^{12} PVMTDMD_{T,SEC}} \right]$$
(B-210)

where:

VMT = Actual VMT by trucks of each type in year T

36) Reduce the light-duty vehicle degradation calculated in FEM to reflect the higher percentage of highway miles driven by freight trucks:

$$MPGDEGFAC_{T,SC} = \frac{1 - \left[ \left( 1 - MPGDEGFAC_{T,LDV} \right) \cdot \frac{URBANSHR_{SC}}{URBSHRLDV} \right]}{1 - \left[ \left( 1 - MPGDEGFAC_{T=0,LDV} \right) \cdot \frac{URBANSHR_{SC}}{URBSHRLDV} \right]}$$
(B-211)

where:

MPGDEGFAC<sub>LDV</sub> = Fuel economy degradation factor, from LDV Module
 MPGDEGFAC = Fuel economy degradation factor for freight trucks
 URBANSHR = % of miles driven in urban areas by trucks of each size class in base year (1992)
 URBSHRLDV = % of miles driven in urban areas by LDVs in base year (1992)

37) Calculate fuel consumption, in gallons of gasoline equivalent:

$$FUEL_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL,FLT} = \frac{VMT_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL,FLT}}{MPG_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL} \cdot MPGDEGFAC_{T,SC}}$$
(B-212)

where:

FUEL = Total freight truck fuel consumption by sector, size class and fuel type in year T, in gallons of gasoline equivalent

 $MPGDEGFAC_{T,SC}$  = Fuel economy degredation factor, overwritten in the code by 0.99.

# 38) Converting from gasoline equivalent to trillion Btu:

TRIL = Total fleet truck fuel consumption by sector, size class and fuel type in year 
$$T$$
, in trillion Btu

 $TRIL_{T,SEC,SC,FUEL,FLT} = \sum_{AGE=0}^{11} FUEL_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL,FLT} \cdot HTRATE \cdot 10^{-6}$ 

# Roll Truck Population and Fuel Economy

39) Calculate new fuel economies of trucks which are ten years old or older:

$$MPG_{T+1,SC,AGE=10,FUEL} = \frac{\sum_{FLT=1}^{2} \sum_{AGE=10}^{11} \sum_{SEC=1}^{12} VMT_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL,FLT}}{\sum_{FLT=1}^{2} \sum_{AGE=10}^{11} \sum_{SEC=1}^{12} FUEL_{T,SEC,SC,AGE,FUEL,FLT}}$$
(B-214)

where:

where:

- AGE = 10 refers to trucks in the tenth vintage, i.e., trucks which are ten years old during model run year t
- AGE = 11 refers to trucks in the eleventh vintage, i.e., trucks which are eleven years old or older during model run year t
- T+1 = refers to the next model run year
- 40) Collapse the last two vintages of trucks into one:

$$TRKSTK_{T,SEC,SC,AGE=10,FUEL,FLT} = TRKSTK_{T,SEC,SC,AGE=10,FUEL,FLT} + TRKSTK_{T,SEC,SC,AGE=11,FUEL,FLT}$$
(B-215)

#### RAIL FREIGHT MODEL

Subroutine TRAIL

(B-213)

1) Calculate ton-miles traveled for coal:

$$COALT_T = \sum_{IR=1}^{2} COALP_{T,IR} \cdot COALD(ST,IR)$$
 (B-216)

where:

COALT = Total ton-miles traveled for coal in region IR (east/west) in year T

Energy Information Administration NEMS Transportation Demand Model Documentation Report COALP = The production of coal in region IR in year T in tons COALD = Distance coal has to travel in region IR in step year ST.

# 2) Calculate ton-miles traveled for rail, by industry:

$$RTMT_{I,T} = RTMT_{I,T_0} \cdot FACR_I \cdot \left[\frac{TSIC_{I,T}}{TSIC_{I,T_0}}\right]$$
(B-217)

where:

RTMT = Rail ton-miles traveled, by industry I

TSIC = Value of industrial output, by industry

I = Index of NEMS industrial category

FACR = Freight adjustment coefficient, by industry and mode

#### 3) Adjust sector 10 for coal ton-miles traveled:

$$RTMT_{10,T} = (.1 \cdot RTMT_{10,T}) + \left(.9 \cdot RTMT_{10,T_0} \cdot \frac{COALT_{I,T}}{COALT_{I,T_0}}\right)$$
(B-218)

4) Sum across industries:

$$RTMTT_{T} = \sum_{I=1}^{10} RTMT_{I,T}$$
 (B-219)

where:

RTMTT = Total rail ton-miles traveled

#### 3) Estimate energy consumption by rail:

$$TQRAILT_{T} = FERAIL_{T} \cdot RTMTT_{T}$$
 (B-220)

where:

TQRAILT = Total energy demand by rail FERAIL = Rail efficiency coefficient, in Btu/ton-mile

4) Increment rail demand for specific fuels:

$$TQRAIL_{IF,T} = TQRAIL_{IF,T-1} \cdot \left(\frac{TQRAILT_{T}}{TQRAILT_{T-1}}\right)$$
(B-221)

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where:

TQRAIL = Rail demand, by fuel IFIF = Index of fuel type

# 5) Divide into regions:

$$TQRAILR_{IF,IR,T} = TQRAIL_{IF,T} * SEDSHR_{IF,IR,T}$$
 (B-222)

where:

TQRAILR = Regional demand by fuel type SEDSHR = Regional shares of fuel demand, from SEDS IR = Index of census region (1-9)

# 6) Calculate fractional change in rail travel and fuel efficiency:

$$XRAIL_{T} = \frac{RTMTT_{T}}{RTMTT_{T=1}}$$

and

(B-223)

$$XRAILEFF_{T} = \frac{FERAIL_{T=1}}{FERAIL_{T}}$$

where:

XRAIL = Growth in rail travel from base year XRAILEFF = Growth in rail efficiency from base year

#### WATERBORNE FREIGHT MODEL

1) Calcutate ton-miles traveled for domestic shipping, by industry:

Subroutine TSHIP

$$STMT_{I,T} = STMT_{I,T_D} \cdot FACS_I \cdot \left[\frac{TSIC_{I,T}}{TSIC_{I,T_D}}\right]$$
 (B-224)

STMT = Ship ton-miles traveled, by industry IT<sub>D</sub> = Last historical data update

2) Sum across industries:

$$STMTT_{T} = \sum_{I=1}^{10} STMT_{I,T}$$
 (B-225)

where:

STMTT = Total ship ton-miles traveled

#### 3) Estimate energy consumption by ship:

$$SFDT_T = FESHIP_T \cdot STMTT_T \cdot SFDBENCH$$
 (B-226)

where:

SFDT = Total energy demand by ship FESHIP = Ship efficiency coefficient, in Btu/ton-mile SFDBENCH = Benchmark factor to ensure congruence with 1990 data

# 4) Allocate energy demand among specific fuels:

$$SFD_{IFT} = SFDT_T \cdot SFSHARE_{IF}$$
 (B-227)

where:

SFD = Domestic ship energy demand, by fuel *IF* SFSHARE = Constant allocation share for domestic shipping, by fuel

# 5) Divide into regions:

$$TQSHIPR_{IF,IR,T} = SFD_{IF,T} * SEDSHR_{IF,IR,T}$$
(B-228)

TQSHIPR = Regional ship demand by fuel type SEDSHR = Regional shares of fuel demand, from SEDS

6) Calculate international shipping fuel demand:

$$ISFDT_{T} = ISFDT_{T-1} + \left[\frac{GROSST_{T}}{GROSST_{T-1}} - 1\right] * 0.5 * ISFDT_{T-1}$$
(B-229)

where:

ISFDT = Total international shipping fuel demand GROSST = Value of gross trade (imports + exports)

7) Allocate among the considered fuels:

$$ISFD_{IFT} = ISFDT_T \cdot ISFSHARE_{IF}$$
 (B-230)

where:

ISFD = International ship energy demand, by fuel *IF* ISFSAHRE = Constant allocation share for international shipping, by fuel

8) Divide into regions:

$$TQISHIPR_{IFIRT} = ISFD_{IFT} * SEDSHR_{IFIRT}$$
(B-231)

where:

TQISHIPR = Regional international shipping demand by fuel type

9) Calculate fractional change in domestic ship travel and fuel efficiency:

$$XSHIP_{T} = \frac{STMTT_{T}}{STMTT_{T-1}}$$
and
(B-232)
$$XSHIPEFF_{T} = \frac{FESHIP_{T}}{FESHIP_{T-1}}$$

XSHIP = Growth in ship travel from base year XSHIPEFF = Growth in ship efficiency from base year

### **AIR TRAVEL MODULE**

### AIR TRAVEL DEMAND MODEL

Subroutine TAIRT

1) Calculate the cost of flying:

$$YIELD_{T} = 9.74 + .80 TPJFTR_{T}$$
 (B-233)

where:

YIELD = Cost of air travel, expressed in cents per RPM TPJFTR = Price of jet fuel, in dollars per million Btu

- 2) Calculate the revenue passenger-miles per capita for each type of travel:
  - a) For business travel:

$$RPMBPC_T = 89.70 + 30.00 \left( \frac{MC\_GDP92C_T}{MC\_N_T} \right) - 16.04 YIELD_T$$
 (B-234)

b) For personal travel:

$$RPMPPC_{T} = -481.84 + 82.77 \left( \frac{MC_YD92C_T}{MC_N_T} \right) - 18.68 YIELD_T$$
(B-235)

c) For international travel:

$$RPMIPC_{T} = PCTINT_{T} \cdot (RPMBPC_{T} + RPMPPC_{T})$$
(B-236)

where:

RPMBPC = Per capita revenue passenger miles for business travel

RPMPPC = Per capita revenue passenger miles for personal travel

RPMIPC = Per capita revenue passenger miles for international travel

MC\_GDP92C = Gross domestic product, from MACRO module

MC\_YD92C = Disposable personal income, from MACRO module

MC\_N = Total domestic population, from MACRO module

PCTINT = Proportionality factor relating international to domestic travel levels

#### 3) Calculate the dedicated revenue ton-miles (RTM) of air freight:

$$RTM_T = (-14,556 + 19.81 MC\_EXDnN92C_T + 3.49 MC\_GDP92C_T) - BELLYFRT_T$$
 (B-237)

where:

MC\_EXDnN92C = Value of merchandise exports, from MACRO module

BELLYFRT = Fraction of freight ton-miles transported in the belly of commercial aircraft

### 4) Calculate total revenue passenger-miles flown for each category of travel:

a) For business travel:

$$RPMB_{T} = RPMBPC_{T} \cdot TMC_{P}OPAFO_{T}$$
(B-238)

b) For personal travel:

$$RPMP_{T} = RPMPPC_{T} \cdot TMC_{P}OPAFO_{T} \cdot DI_{T}$$
(B-239)

#### c) For international travel:

$$RPMI_{T} = RPMIPC_{T} \cdot TMC_{P}OPAFO_{T}$$
(B-240)

where:

RPMB = Revenue passenger miles for business travel
 RPMP = Revenue passenger miles for personal travel
 RPMI = Revenue passenger miles for international travel
 DI = Demographic adjustment index, reflecting the public's propensity to fly

#### 5) Calculate total domestic air travel:

$$RPMD_T = RPMB_T + RPMP_T$$
 (B-241)

where:

RPMD = Total domestic air travel

### 6) Calculate the total demand for available seat-miles:

$$SMDEMD_{T} = \left(\frac{RPMD_{T}}{LFDOM_{T}}\right) + \left(\frac{RPMI_{T}}{LFINTER_{T}}\right) + (RTM_{T} \cdot EQSM)$$
(B-242)

SMDEMD = Total demand for available seat-miles

LFDOM = Load factor for domestic travel

LFINTER = Load factor for international travel

EQSM = Equivalent seat-miles conversion factor; used to transform freight RTM's

#### AIRCRAFT FLEET EFFICIENCY MODEL

Subroutine TAIREFF

1) Calculate available seat-miles per plane, by aircraft type:

$$ASMP_{IT,T} = AIRHRS_{IT,T} * AVSPD_{IT,T} * SEAT_{IT,T}$$
(B-243)

where:

ASMP = The available seat-miles per plane, by type. AIRHRS = The average number of airborne hours per aircraft. AVSPD = The average flight speed.

SEAT = The average number of seats per aircraft.

IT = Index of aircraft type: 1 = narrow body, 2 = wide body

2) Calculate fraction of seat-mile demand accomodated by narrow-body aircraft:

$$SMFRACN_{T} = \left[ \left( \frac{ASMDEMD_{T=1,T-1}}{SMDEMD_{T-1}} \right) + DELTA \cdot \left( \frac{ASMDEMD_{T=2,T-1}}{SMDEMD_{T-1}} \right) \right] ; DELTA \ge 0$$

$$= \left[ \left( \frac{ASMDEMD_{T=1,T-1}}{SMDEMD_{T-1}} \right) \cdot (1 + DELTA) \right] ; DELTA < 0$$
(B-244)

where:

SMFRACN = Fraction of seat-mile demand on narrow-body planes

ASMDEMD = Demand for available seat-miles, by aircraft type

DELTA = User-specified rate of passenger shifts between aircraft types

3) Calculate current seat-miles demanded by aircraft type:

$$ASMDEMD_{IT=1,T} = SMDEMD_T * SMFRACN_T$$
  
and (B-245)  
$$ASDEMD_{IT=2,T} = SMDEMD_T * (1.0 - SMFRACN_T)$$

4) Calculate survival rates of aircraft:

$$SURVPCT_{IVINT} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 + EXP (SURVK * (T50 - IVINT)) \end{bmatrix}^{-1}$$
and
$$(B-246)$$

$$SSURVPCT_{IVINT} = \underbrace{SURVPCT_{IVINT}}_{IVINT}$$

$$SURVPCT_{IVINT} = \frac{IVINT}{SURVPCT_{IVINT-1}}$$

SURVPCT = Survival rate of planes of a given vintage *IVINT* SSURVPCT = Marginal survival rate of planes of a given vintage *IVINT* = Index of aircraft vintage SURVK = User-specified proportionality constant T50 = User-specified vintage at which stock survival is 50%

5) Calculate surviving seat-miles from previous year:

$$SMSURV_{IT,T} = \sum_{IVINT=2}^{60} NPCHSE_{IT,IVINT-1,T-1} * SSURVPCT_{IVINT} * ASMP_{IT,T}$$
 (B-247)

where:

SMSURV = Surviving available seat-miles, by aircraft type NPCHSE = Surviving aircraft stock, by vintage and aircraft type

### 6) Calculate new aircraft purchases:

$$NPCHSE_{IT,IVINT=1,T} = \left[\frac{ASMDEMD_{IT,T} - SMSURV_{IT,T}}{ASMP_{IT,T}}\right]$$
(B-248)

### 7) Adjust array of aircraft stocks by vintage:

$$NPCHSE_{IT,IVINT,T} = NPCHSE_{IT,IVINT-1,T-1} * SSURVPCT_{IVINT} ; IVINT = 2 - 60$$
 (B-249)

8) Calculate aircraft stock across vintages:

$$NSURV_{IT,T} = \sum_{IVINT=1}^{60} NPCHSE_{IT,IVINT,T}$$
(B-250)

NSURV = Number of surviving aircraft, by type

9) Calculate fraction of current year stock which is old (IVINT > 1):

$$STKOLD_{IT,T} = \frac{\left(NSURV_{IT,T} - NPCHSE_{IT,IVINT=1,T}\right)}{NSURV_{ITT}}$$
(B-251)

where:

STKOLD = Fraction of planes older than one year, by aircraft type

10) Calculate effect of technology improvements:

a) Calculate time effect:

$$TIMEFX_{IFX,T} = TIMEFX_{IFX,T-1} + (TIMECONST * TPN_{IFX} * TYRN_{IFX})$$
(B-252)

where:

TIMEFX = Factor reflecting the length of time an aircraft technology improvement has been commercially viable

IFX = Index of technology improvements (1-6)

- TIMECONST = User-specified scaling constant, reflecting the importance of the passage of time
  - TPN = Binary variable (0,1) which tests whether current fuel price exceeds the considered techology's trigger price
  - TYRN = Binary variable which tests whether current year exceeds the considered technology's year of introduction

b) Calculate the cost effect:

$$COSTFX_{IFX,T} = 10 * \left( \frac{TPJFGAL_{T} - TRIGPRICE_{IFX}}{TPJFGAL_{T}} \right) * TPN_{IFX} * TYRN_{IFX} * TPZ_{IFX}$$
(B-253)

where:

COSTFX = Factor reflecting the magnitude of the difference between the price of jet fuel and the trigger price

TPJFGAL = Price of jet fuel

TRIGPRICE = Price of jet fuel above which the considered technology is assumed to be commercially viable

TPZ = Binary variable which tests whether implementation of the considered technology is dependent on fuel price

#### c) Calculate the total effect:

$$TOTALFX_{IFX,T} = TIMEFX_{IFX,T} + COSTFX_{IFX,T} - BASECONST$$
 (B-254)

where:

TOTALFX = Overall effect of fuel price and time on implementation of technology *IFX* BASECONST = Baseline constant, used to anchor the technology penetration curve

d) Calculate the penetration of new technologies:

$$TECHFRAC_{IFX,T} = \left[ 1 + EXP \left( -TOTALFX_{IFX,T} \right) \right]^{-1}$$
(B-255)

where:

TECHFRAC = Fration of new aircraft purchases which incorporate a given technology

### 11) Calculate fractional fuel efficiency improvement for new aircraft, by type:

$$FRACIMP_{IT=1,T} = 1.0 + EFFIMP_{IFX=1} * (TECHFRAC_{IFX=1,T} - TECHFRAC_{IFX=2,T}) + \sum_{IFX=2}^{6} EFFIMP_{IFX} * TECHFRAC_{IFX,T}$$
  
and  
$$FRACIMP_{IT=2,T} = 1.0 + \sum_{IFX=1}^{6} EFFIMP_{IFX} * TECHFRAC_{IFX,T} ; IFX \neq 2$$
  
(B-256)

where:

FRACIMP = Fractional improvement over base year (1990) fuel efficiency, by type EFFIMP = Fractional improvement associated with a given technology

12) Ensure that technical improvements provide at least as much efficiency gain as average growth in remainder of air fleet:

$$NEWSMPG_{IT,T} = MAX \left[ (FRACIMP_{IT,T} * SMPG_{IT,T=1}), \\ (1.0 + P_{IT,T}) * SMPGIT, T-1 * 1.05) \right]$$
(B-257)

NEWSMPG = Average seat-miles per gallon of new aircraft purchases

SMPG = Surviving fleet average seat-miles per gallon, by aircraft type

RHO = Average historic rate of growth of fuel efficiency

13) Calculate average fuel economy of aircraft fleet, by type:

$$SMPG_{IT,T} = \left[ \left( \frac{STKOLD_{IT,T}}{\left(1 + RHO_{IT}\right) \cdot \left(SMPG_{IT,T-1}\right)} \right) + \left( \frac{1 - STKOLD_{IT,T}}{NEWSMPG_{IT,T}} \right) \right]^{-1}$$
(B-258)

### 14) Calculate average fuel economy of aircraft fleet:

$$SMPGT_{T} = \left[ \left( \frac{SMFRACN_{T}}{SMPG_{IT=1,T}} \right) + \left( \frac{\left( 1 - SMFRACN_{T} \right)}{SMPG_{IT=2,T}} \right) \right]^{-1}$$
(B-259)

where:

SMPGT = Overall fleet average seat-miles per gallon

15) Calculate demand for jet fuel, incrementing by 5% to reflect consumption by private aircraft:

$$JFGAL_{T} = \left(\frac{SMDEMD_{T}}{SMPGT_{T}}\right) * 1.05$$
 (B-260)

where:

JFGAL = Consumption of jet fuel, in gallons

16) Calculate demand for aviation gasoline:

$$AGD_T = BASEAGD + GAMMA * EXP \left[ - KAPPA * (IYEAR - 1979) \right]$$
 (B-261)

where:

AGD = Demand for aviation gasoline, in gallons BASEAGD = Baseline demand for aviation gasoline GAMMA = Baseline adjustment factor

KAPPA = Exogenously-specified decay constant

IYEAR = Current year

17) Convert from gallons to Btu:

$$JFBTU_{T} = JFGAL_{T} * \left(\frac{5.670 \ MMBtu/bbl}{42 \ gal/bbl}\right)$$
  
and (B-262)  
$$AGDBTU_{T} = AGD_{T} * \left(\frac{5.048 \ MMBtu/bbl}{42 \ gal/bbl}\right)$$

where:

JFBTU = Jet fuel demand, in Btu AGDBTU = Aviation gasoline demand, in Btu

18) Regionalize demand:

$$QJETR_{IR,T} = JFBTU_T * SEDSHR_{IF,IR,T}$$
  
and (B-263)

$$QAGR_{IR,T} = QAGDBTU_T * SEDSHR_{IF,IR,T}$$

where:

QJETR = Regional demand for jet fuel QAGR = Regional demand for aviation gasoline SEDSHR = Regional shares of fuel demand, from SEDS

### 19) Calculate fractional changes in air travel and aircraft efficiency:

$$XAIREFF_{T} = \frac{SMPGT_{T}}{SMPGT_{T=1}}$$
(B-264)

where:

XAIREFF = Fractional change in aircraft fuel efficiency from base year

### MISCELLANEOUS TRANSPORTATION ENERGY DEMAND MODULE

### MILITARY DEMAND MODEL

Subroutine TMISC

Calculate military energy use:

1) Calculate growth in military budget:

$$MILTARGR_{T} = \frac{TMC\_GRML87_{T}}{TMC\_GFML87_{T-1}}$$
(B-265)

where:

MILTARGR = Fractional growth of military budget TMC\_GRML87 = Military budget, from MACRO module

2) Calculate fuel demand:

$$MFD_{IFT} = MFD_{IFT-1} * MILTARGR_{T}$$
 (B-266)

where:

MFD = Demand for fuel by military IF = Index of fuel type

3) Regionalize demand:

$$QMILTR_{IF,IR,T} = MFD_{IF,T} * MILTRSHR_{IF,IR,T}$$
 (B-267)

where:

QMILTR = Regional military demand for fuel MILTRSHR = Regional shares of military demand for fuel

#### MASS TRANSIT DEMAND MODEL

#### Calculate mass-transit consumption:

1) Calculate passenger-miles by mode:

$$TMOD_{IM=1,T} = VMTEE_T * TMLOAD89_{IM=1}$$
  
and:

$$TMOD_{IM,T} = TMOD_{IM,T-1} * \left[\frac{TMOD_{1,T}}{TMOD_{1,T-1}}\right]^{BETAMS}$$

where:

TMOD = Passenger-miles traveled, by mode
VMTEE = LDV vehicle-miles traveled, from the VMT module
TMLOAD89 = Average passengers per vehicle, by mode (1=LDV's)
BETAMS = Coefficient of proportionality, relating mass transit to LDV travel *IM* = Index of transportation mode: 1 = LDV's, 2-4 = Buses, 5-7 = Rail

2) Calculate mass transit efficiencies, in Btu per passenger-mile:

$$TMEFFL_{IM,T} = \frac{\left[TMEFF89_{IM} * \left(\frac{FMPG_{TYPE,T}}{FMPG89_{TYPE}}\right)\right]}{TMLOAD89_{IM}}$$
(B-269)

where:

TMEFFL = Btu per passenger-mile, by mass transit mode

TMEFF89 = Base-year Btu per vehicle-mile, by mode

FMPG = Fuel efficiency, by vehicle type, from the Freight Module

FMPG89 = Base-year fuel efficiency, by vehicle type, from the Freight Module

TYPE = Vehicle type, from the Freight Module: 1 = Mid-size trucks, 2 = Rail

#### 3) Calculate fuel consumption by mode:

$$TMFD_{IMT} = TMOD_{IMT} * TMEFFL_{IMT}$$
 (B-270)

where:

TMFD = Total mass-transit fuel consumption by mode

### 4) Regionalize consumption:

$$QMODR_{IM,IR,T} = TMFD_{IM,T} * \left[ \frac{TMC\_POPAFO_{IR,T}}{\sum_{IR=1}^{9} TMC\_POPAFO_{IR,T}} \right]$$
(B-271)

where:

QMODR = Regional consumption of fuel, by mode TMC\_POPAFO = Regional population forecasts, from the Macro Module

### RECREATIONAL BOATING DEMAND MODEL

### Subroutine TMISC

Calculate recreational boat fuel use:

1) Calculate fuel demand:

$$RECFD_{T} = RECFD_{T-1} * \left[ \frac{TMC_{Y}D_{T}}{TMC_{Y}D_{T-1}} \right]^{BETAREC}$$
(B-272)

where:

RECFD = National recreational boat gasoline consumption in year T TMC\_YD = Total disposable personal income, from the Macro Module BETAREC = Coefficient of proportionality relating income to fuel demand for boats

### 2) Regionalize consumption according to population:

$$QRECR_{IR,T} = RECFD_{T} * \left[ \frac{TMC\_POPAFO_{IR,T}}{\sum_{IR=1}^{9} TMC\_POPAFO_{IR,T}} \right]$$
(B-273)

where:

QRECR = Regional fuel consumption by recreational boats in year T

### LUBRICANT DEMAND MODEL

Subroutine TMISC

Calculate lubricant demand:

1) Sum freight truck VMT across size classes:

$$FTVMT_T = \sum_{SC=1}^{3} FVMTSC_{SC,T}$$
(B-274)

where:

FTVMT = Total freight truck VMT FVMTSC = Freight truck VMT, by size class

2) Calculate total highway travel:

$$HYWAY_{T} = VMTEE_{T} + FTVMT_{T} + FLTVMT_{T}$$
(B-275)

where:

HYWAY = Total highway VMT FLTVMT = Total fleet vehicle VMT, from the Fleet Module

### 3) Calculate lubricant demand:

$$LUBFD_{T} = LUBFD_{T-1} * \left[\frac{HYWAY_{T}}{HYWAY_{T-1}}\right]^{BETALUB}$$
(B-276)

where:

LUBFD = Total demand for lubricants in year T BETALUB = Constant of proportionality, relating highway travel to lubricant demand

#### 4) Regionalize lubricant demand:

$$QLUBR_{IR,T} = LUBFD_T * \left[ \frac{((VMTEE_T + FLTVMT_T) * SEDSHR_{IF,IR,T}) + (FTVMT_T * SEDSHR_{IF,IR,T})}{HYWAY_T} \right]$$
(B-277)

where:

QLUBR = Regional demand for lubricants in year T, in Btu

SEDSHR = Regional share of fuel consumption, from SEDS

*IF* = Index of fuel type: gasoline for light-duty vehicles, diesel for freight trucks

### **VEHICLE EMISSIONS MODULE**

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#### Subroutine TEMISS

Although currently inactive, this subroutine calculates the emissions of six airborne pollutants, at every conceivable level of aggregation. A single, representative equation is provided.

1) Calculate disaggregate emissions of airborne pollutants:

$$EMISS_{IE,IM,IR,T} = EFACT_{IE,IM,IR,T} * U_{IM,IR,T}$$
 (B-278)

where:

EMISS = Regional emissions of a given pollutant, by mode of travel

EFACT = Emissions factor relating measures of travel to pollutant emissions

- U = Measure of travel demand, by mode: units in VMT for highway travel, gallons of fuel consumption for other modes
- *IM* = Index of travel mode: references individual vehicle types used in the preceding modules, and may be further subdivided by size class, vehicle technology, and vehicle type
- IE = Index of pollutants:  $1 = SO_x$ ,  $2 = NO_x$ , 3 = C,  $4 = CO_2$ , 5 = CO, 6 = VOC
- IR = Index identifying census region

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# Appendix D. Model Abstract

### Model Name:

Transportation Sector Model

### Model Acronym:

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### **Description:**

The Transportation Sector Model incorporates an integrated modular design which is based upon economic, engineering, and demographic relationships that model transportation sector energy consumption at the nine Census Division level of detail. The Transportation Sector Model comprises the following components: Light Duty Vehicles, Light Duty Fleet Vehicles, Commercial Light Trucks, Freight Transport (truck, rail, and marine), Aircraft, Miscellaneous Transport (military, mass transit, and recreational boats), and Transportation Emissions. The model provides sales estimates of 2 conventional and 14 alternative-fuel light duty vehicles, and consumption estimates of 12 main fuels.

### **Purpose of the Model:**

As a component of the National Energy Modeling System integrated forecasting tool, the transportation model generates mid-term forecasts of transportation sector energy consumption. The transportation model facilitates policy analysis of energy markets, technological development, environmental issues, and regulatory development as they impact transportation sector energy consumption.

### Most Recent Model Update:

October, 1998.

### Part of Another Model?

National Energy Modeling system (NEMS).

### **Model Interfaces:**

Receives inputs from the Electricity Market Module, Oil and Gas Market Module, Renewable Fuels Module, and the Macroeconomic Activity Module.

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# **Documentation:**

Model Documentation Report: <u>Transportation Sector Model</u> of the National Energy Modeling System, January, 1999.

# Archive Media and Installation Manual(s):

The model will be archived on IBM tape compatible with the IBM RS6000 mainframe system upon completion of the NEMS production runs to generate the <u>Annual Energy Outlook 1999</u>.

# **Energy System Described:**

Domestic transportation sector energy consumption.

### **Coverage:**

- Geographic: Nine Census Divisions: New England, Mid Atlantic, East North Central, West North Central, South Atlantic, East South Central, West South Central, Mountain, Pacific.
- Time Unit/Frequency: Annual, 1990 through 2020.
- Products: Motor gasoline, aviation gasoline, diesel/distillate, residual oil, electricity, jet fuel,
   LPG, CNG, methanol, ethanol, hydrogen, lubricants, pipeline fuel natural gas.
- Economic Sectors: Forecasts are produced for personal and commercial travel, freight trucks, railroads, domestic and international marine, aviation, mass transit, and military use.

# **Model Interfaces:**

Model outputs are provided to the Integrating Module, which then sends them back to the supply modules.

# **Model Structure:**

Light-duty vehicles are classified according to the six EPA size classes for cars and light trucks. Freight trucks are divided into medium-duty and heavy-duty size classes. Buses are subdivided into commuter, intercity, and school buses. The air transport module contains both wide- and narrow-body aircraft. Rail transportation is composed of freight rail and three modes of personal rail travel: commuter, intercity and transit. Shipping is divided into domestic and international categories.

# **Special Feautres:**

The Transportation Sector Model has been created to allow the user to change various exogenous and endogenous input levels. The range of policy issues that the transportation model can evaluate are: fuel taxes and subsidies; fuel economy levels by size class; CAFE levels; vehicle pricing policies by size class; demand for vehicle performance within size classes; fleet vehicle sales by technology type; alternative-fuel vehicle sales shares; the Energy Policy Act; Low Emission Vehicle Program; VMT reduction; and greenhouse gas emissions levels.

# **Modeling Techniques:**

The modeling techniques employed in the Transportation Sector Model vary by module: econometrics for passenger travel, aviation, and new vehicle market shares; exogenous engineering and judgement for MPG, aircraft efficiency, and various freight characteristics; and structural for light-duty vehicle and aircraft capital stock estimations.

# **Computing Environment:**

- Hardware Used: IBM RS6000
- Operating System: AIX Version 4.2.1
- Language/Software Used: XL FORTRAN90, Ver 4.0
- Memory Requirement: 9,500 K
- Storage Requirement: 35,000 K
- Estimated Run Time: 15 Seconds
- Special Features: None.

# Independent Expert Reviews Conducted:

Independent Expert Review of <u>Transportation Sector Component Design Report</u>, June, 1992, conducted by David L. Greene, Oak Ridge National Laboratory.

# Status of Evaluation Efforts by Sponsor:

None.

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### Appendix E. Data Quality and Estimation

This appendix presents results of the statistical tests conducted for those componenents of the transportation model which rely on econometric estimations. These components include: The Fuel Economy Model, the Alternative Fuel Vehicle Model, the Vehicle-Miles Traveled Model, and the Air Travel Demand Model. To date, no data quality studies have been conducted in order to validitate the transportation model's input data.

### **Fuel Economy Model**

The methodology employed to assess the influence of macroeconomic and time-dependent variables on the mix of size classes and performance was log-linear regression analysis using historical data on car and light truck sales over the 1979-1990 period. Greater detail is provided in Attachment 1 of Appendix F.

The following equations were used to estimate the CLASS\$SHR, class market shares of new vehicle purchases:

### All Vehicle Classes Except Luxury Cars:<sup>1</sup>

$$DIFF\$LN = A * \ln\left(\frac{YEAR}{CLYEAR}\right) + B * \ln\left(\frac{FUELCOST_{YEAR}}{FUELCOST_{CLYEAR}}\right) + C * \ln\left(\frac{INCOME_{YEAR} - \$13,000}{INCOME_{CLYEAR} - \$13,000}\right)$$
(E-1)

where:

DIFF\$LN = The market share increment from the base year CLYEAR FUELCOST = The price of gasoline INCOME = Per capita disposable income

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Note: Market shares for Mini and Sub-Compact cars are solved jointly. The resulting combined market share is allocated between the two classes based on the original 1990 allocation. Special treatment of these two classes was made necessary by the small sample size in the analysis data sets.

Luxury Cars:

$$DIFF\$LN = A * \ln\left(\frac{YEAR}{CLYEAR}\right) + B * \ln\left(\frac{FUELCOST_{YEAR}}{FUELCOST_{CLYEAR}}\right) + C * \ln\left(\frac{INCOME_{YEAR}}{INCOME_{CLYEAR}}\right)$$
(E-2)

The values of the coefficients with their associated T-statistics are provided below in Table E-1.

### Class Market Shares:

$$CLASS\$SHARE_{i,YEAR} = \frac{e^{(RATIO\$LN)}}{1 + e^{(RATIO\$LN)}}$$
(E-3)

Where:

$$RATIO$LN = DIFF$LN + ln\left(\frac{CLASS$SHARE_{CLYEAR}}{1 - CLASS$SHARE_{CLYEAR}}\right)$$
(E-4)

Group	F Val	$\mathbf{R}^2$	Intercept	YEAR	FUELCOST	INCOME
Mini and Subcompact	14.359	0.891	-5.428	0.056 (1.761)	1.33 (1.828)	-0.169 (-1.524)
Sports	11.193	0.808	-2.475	-0.049 (-1.903)	0.26 (.466)	.0068 (.059)
Compact	5.533	0.76	-5.021	0.111 (2.117)	1.332 (1.35)	0.107 (.52)
Intermediate	3.084	0.536	-1.01	-0.051 (-1.742)	-0.213 (335)	-0.0017 (013)
Large	16.880	0.864	-3.312	-0.119 (-4.754)	0.042 (.077)	0.231 (2.018)
Luxury	18.458	0.939	-3.1	0.126 (2.336)	1.166 (2.704)	0.169 (1.441)
Mini Truck	1.378	0.341	2.268	-0.018 (168)	-3.648 (-1.6)	-0.968 (-2.027)
Compact Pickup	19.183	0.916	-8.749	-0.042 (-1.238)	-0.811 (-1.48)	0.174 (1.247)
Compact Van	804.167	0.998	-9.3	0.01 (.352)	0.832 (1.727)	0.307 (3.045)
Compact Utility	274.104	0.994	-7.36	-0.042 (-1.447)	-0.2 (396)	0.366 (2.933)
Standard Size Trucks	1.582	0.475	-2.779	-0.056 (-1.523)	0.252 (.307)	0.144 (.846)

Table E-1. Regression Results From The Market Share Model

### **Alternative Fuel Vehicle Model**

The AFV model uses a multinomial nested logit approach to estimate market shares of sixteen vehicle technologies. Model coefficients were developed from a survey sponsored by the U.S. Department of Energy, Office of Transportation Technologies, using a national stated preference survey. Market shares are based on the exponentiated value of the consumer utility function, represented as follows:

 $VC1_{AFVTECH,REG} = EXP [X_1 PSPR1_{AFVTECH} + X_2 FLCOST1_{AFVTECH,REG}]$ 

- + X<sub>3</sub> VRNG1<sub>AFVTECH</sub> + X<sub>4</sub> TPSD1<sub>AFVTECH</sub> + X<sub>5</sub> ACCL1<sub>AFVTECH</sub>
- +  $X_6 DR2501_{AFVTECH}$  +  $X_7 DR2001_{AFVTECH,REG}$
- (E-5)+  $X_8 MFUELI_{AFVTECH,REG} + X_9 HFUELI_{AFVTECH} + X_{10} MAINTI_{AFVTECH}$
- +  $X_{11}LUGGI_{AFVTECH}$  +  $X_{14}RGT250I_{AFVTECH}$
- +  $\beta_{FA} FAVLI_{AFVTECH,REG}$  +  $\beta_{FA2} FAVLI_{AFVTECH,REG}^{2}$  + CALIB ]

where:

VC1 = Consumer utility associated with valuation of VC1 equation
PSPR1 = Price of each AFV technology in nominal \$
FLCOST1 = Fuel operating costs for each AFV technology in nominal \$
VRNG1 = Vehicle range of the considered technology
TPSD1 = Top speed in mph
ACCL1 = Acceleration from 0-30 mph in seconds
DR2501 =Dummy variable for gasoline capable vehice with range >250 miles
DR2001 =Dummy variable for gasoline capable vehicle with range >250 miles
MFUEL1 = Dummy variable for multi-fuel vehicles
HFUEL1 = Dummy variable for home refueling for EV's
MAINT1 = Maintenance and battery replacement costs in nominal \$
LUGG1 = Luggage space indexed to gasoline in in <sup>3</sup>
RGT2501 = Gasoline capable vehicle with range in excess of 250 miles
FAVL1= Fuel availability indexed to gasoline fuel availabity by census division
FAVL1^2= Fuel availability squared term
CALIB = Calibration term used to match historical AFV sales in 1998

It is important to note that each coefficient varies by size class across both cars and light trucks. For more detail see Volume II appendix F.

Model coefficients and relevant T-statistics are provided on the following page. An extensive description of the data base development process is provided as an attachment in Appendix F.

Table E-2. AFV Estimated Equations and Statistical Properties of the National Alternative-Fuel Vehicle Survey (Version 33 from 8/7/98)

Variable	Size Class	Coefficient	Standard Error	Z statistic= Coefficient/Standard Error
Purchase price (nominal \$) PSPR				
	nev	-7.07E-05	8.27E-05	855
	scar+ccar	-6.79E-05	1.32E-05	-5.145
	mcar+lcar	-4.11E-05	4.82E-06	-8.543
	cpickup+spickup+ stdvan	-7.31E-05	1.17E-05	-6.263
	minivan	-1.13E-04	1.74E-05	-6.475
	suv+ssuv	-3.52E-05	9.55E-06	-3.689
Fuel cost (nominal \$/mi) FLCOST				
	nev	-2.12E-01	5.70E-01	372
	scar+ccar	-1.12E-01	3.99E-02	-2.805
	mcar+lcar	-8.65E-02	2.77E-02	-3.122
	cpickup+spickup+ stdvan	-5.37E-02	2.11E-02	-2.541
	minivan	4.22E-02	4.43E-02	.952
	suv+ssuv	-1.08E-01	2.51E-02	-4.295

Variable	Size Class	Coefficient	Standard Error	Z statistic= Coefficient/Standard Error
Maximum range: dedicated AFV's (electric & gaseous) (miles) VRNG				
	nev	4.92E-03	3.65E-03	1.348
	scar+ccar	4.74E-03	2.23E-03	2.127
	mcar+lcar	3.05E-03	1.35E-03	2.252
	cpickup+spickup+ stdvan	-2.25E-05	1.63E-03	-0.014
	minivan	5.22E-03	2.63E-03	1.985
	suv+ssuv	3.20E-03	1.47E-03	2.18
Gasoline capable range in excess of 250 miles (miles) RGT250				
	gasoline vehicle	-3.39E-03	1.39E-03	-2.436
	alcohol vehicle	-7.48E-04	1.56E-03	-0.478
	dual fuel gaseous	-2.47E-03	3.91E-03	-0.63
	hybrid EV	-4.05E-03	4.36E-03	-0.929

Variable	Size Class	Coefficient	Standard Error	Z statistic= Coefficient/Standard Error
Dummy variable for gasoline capable range >250 miles (0 or 1 value) DR250		1.66E-01	1.38E-01	1.202
Acceleration time 0-30 mpg (secs) ACCL		-6.20E-02	2.40E-02	-2.59
Top Speed (mph) TPSD		3.04E-03	1.80E-03	1.694
Dummy variable for gasoline capable (0 or 1 value) DR200		1.23E+00	2.98E-01	4.121
Dummy variable for multi-fuel capability (0 or 1 value) MFUEL		-5.80E-01	1.41E-01	-4.122
Dummy variable for home re- fueling (EV's) (0 or 1 value) HFUEL		1.86E-01	1.36E-01	1.363

Variable	Size Class	Coefficient	Standard Error	Z statistic= Coefficient/Standard Error
Maintenance & battery replacement costs (nominal \$/yr) MAINT		-4.55E-04	1.75E-04	-2.605
Luggage space indexed to gasoline vehicle (0 to 1 value) LUGG		3.35E-03	1.35E-03	2.477

The original equation estimated also included the following variables to capture the effects of refueling infrastructure advances in the future. These variables although estimated simultaneously with the other variables, were not included in the AFV model because of the excessive feedback effects of lagged variables which are implicit in the formulation. Several of the AFV technology coefficients are also statistically insignificant. The infrastructure variable was named NUM and referred to the number of AFV's on road of a particular type.

Table E-3. Infrastructure Variable Excluded From the AFV Module

Variable	AFV Technology	Coefficient	Standard Error	Z Statistic
Number of AFV's on Road				
	dedicated EV	-2.85E-03	2.27E-03	-1.256
	hybrid EV	-2.29E03	3.32E-03	-0.69
	alcohol fueled vehicle	1.30E-03	5.57E-04	2.334
	dedicated gaseous vehicle	-3.23E-04	7.16E-04	-0.451

Variable	AFV Technology	Coefficient	Standard Error	Z Statistic
	dual fuel gaseous vehicle	1.36E-03	5.52E-04	2.46
Fuel Availability Capped at 10%: dedicated gaseous no home refueling		4.45E-02	2.14E-02	2.076

The fuel availability coefficients from the original NEMS model were used in replace of the fuel availability/infrastructure variables contained in the original National Alternative-Fuel Vehicle Survey.<sup>2</sup>

Table E-4. NEMS AFV Model Replacement Variables for Fuel Availability/Infrastructure

Fuel Availability	Variable	Coefficient	Standard Error	Z Statistic
(# stations/sq.				
20 miles)				
(indexed to				
gasoline=1.0)				
	Fuel Availability	2.96	.52	5.7
	Fuel Availability <sup>2</sup>	-1.63	.47	-3.5

Other changes were made to the original variables estimated from the National Alternative-Fuel Vehicle survey estimates. The gasoline dummies for 1) gasoline capable vehicles with range greater than 250 miles, and 2) gasoline capable vehicles were both scaled relative to the gasoline vehicle range within each size class. Therefore, only the gasoline vehicle received the full dummy value of 1.0 times the coefficient. The other gasoline capable vehicles received the fraction of the dummy coefficient corresponding to its fraction of range as a percent of the gasoline vehicle range.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Bunch, David, M. Bradley, T.F. Golob, R. Kitamura, and G.P. Occhiuzzo, "Demand for Clean-Fuel Personal Vehicles in California: A Discrete-Choice Stated Preference Study," Transportation Research, Vol. 27A, pp. 237-253, 1993.

Furthermore, at the first stage of the logit equation, in which gasoline vehicles and diesel vehicles are competed against a sales-weighted average AFV vehicle, the diesel vehicle was not given the gasoline capable dummy, but instead used the gasoline capable greater than 250 miles dummy variable. Conversely, at the first stage of the logit equation, the gasoline vehicle was provided with the gasoline capable dummy variable, but did not use the gasoline capable greater than 250 miles dummy variable. All of these adjustments were used to mitigate the penetration of diesel and gasoline vehicles. A large part of the reason for these changes to the originally estimated coefficients from the National Alternative-Fuel survey equations, result from the inclusion of diesel vehicles, which the survey did not originally include. Several other technologies included in NEMS, such as direct injection turbo diesels, diesel electric hybrids, and fuel cell vehicles, were not contained as a part of the survey. These technologies pose difficulties for the estimated equations because their vehicle attributes are usually outside of the normal range of values associated with AFV's.

## **Vehicle-Miles Traveled Model**

Vehicle-miles traveled is estimated on a per capita basis using a generalized difference equation, estimated using the Cochrane-Orcutt iterative procedure:

$$VMTPC_{T} = \rho VMTPC_{T-1} + 4.52 (1-\rho) - 7.50 (CPM_{T} - \rho CPM_{T-1}) + 3.6x 10^{-4} (YPC_{T} - \rho YPC_{T-1}) + 8.36 (PrFem_{T} - \rho PrFem_{T-1})$$
(E-6)

where:

CPM = The cost of driving a mile YPC = Disposable personal income per capita PrFem = The ratio of per capita female driving to per capita male driving.

The parameters and relevant T-statistics are provided in Table E-3, below.

Table E-5. Model of VMT per Capita

	þ	α	CPM92	YPC92	PrFem	Adj. R-Sq
Parameter T-Statistic	0.736	0.28	101 -4.0	2.64 e-04 4.0	1.805 1.8	0.855

# **Air Travel Demand Model**

This report presents the results of a re-estimation of the four equations comprising the Air Travel Demand Model. This model was originally estimated in 1992, using data from the years following the deregulation of airlines. With the acquisition of five years of additional data (1991-1995), and the revision of major macroeconomic variables, the parameters have been recalculated and are presented, along with the supporting data, on the following pages.

Although various alternative specifications were tested with the updated data sets, three of the four original equations provided results with the highest explanatory power.<sup>3</sup> The single equation which has been altered is that representing average travel costs in the "yield" equation: the non-fuel operating cost has been eliminated as an input due to its relatively static nature over the course of time, and its subsequent lack of explanatory significance.

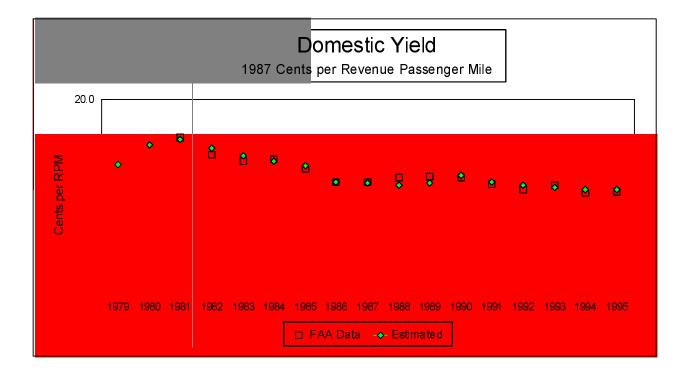
In all of the regressions, the Durbin-Watson statistic indicates that autocorrelation may be present, but efforts to correct for this using a lagged-dependent variable approach have not provided acceptable results. In conclusion, the suggested model specification represents a simple forecasting tool which is sensitive to aircraft fuel prices and measures of economic activity. With a periodic updating of data and the re-estimation of these equations, the level of confidence in this approach should increase.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> For a description of the development of this model, see Appendix B, which reproduces the original report.

	Table E-6: Measures of Aviation Activity								
Year	RPM Domestic	Business Fraction	RPM Business	RPM Personal	RPM International	International Fraction	RTM		
1979	212,701	55%	116,986	95,715	56,498	27%	6,355		
1980	204,367	54%	109,336	95,031	65,103	32%	6,541		
1981	201,435	52%	104,746	96,689	60,921	30%	6,543		
1982	213,631	52%	110,020	103,611	59,894	28%	6,404		
1983	232,165	51%	118,404	113,761	61,664	27%	7,017		
1984	250,686	48%	120,329	130,357	70,599	28%	7,709		
1985	277,836	50%	138,918	138,918	76,986	28%	7,389		
1986	307,884	46%	141,627	166,257	76,851	25%	9,306		
1987	329,214	48%	158,023	171,191	91,917	28%	11,375		
1988	334,290	50%	167,145	167,145	101,492	30%	12,795		
1989	335,213	49%	164,254	170,959	111,475	33%	14,409		
1990	345,763	48%	165,966	179,797	126,363	37%	14,409		
1991	338,085	46%	155,519	182,566	145,213	43%	14,199		
1992	354,764	46%	164,467	190,297	138,950	39%	15,114		
1993	362,230	48%	173,870	188,360	143,766	40%	16,718		
1994	388,399	44%	170,895	217,503	149,096	38%	19,211		
1995	403,786	41%	165,552	238,234	154,799	38%	20,699		

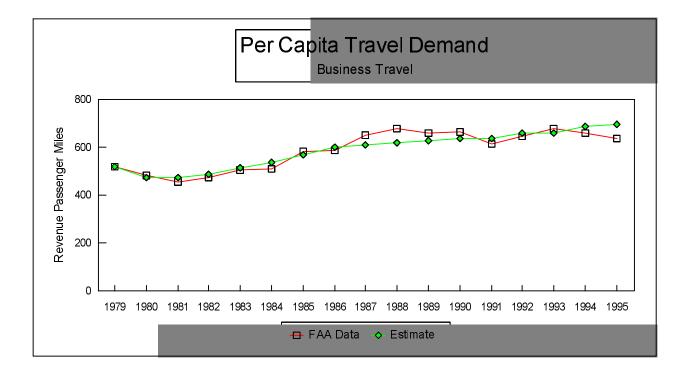
- (1) **RPM:** U.S. Department of Transportation, Research and Special Projects Administration (RSPA), *Air Carrier Traffic Statistics Monthly, December 1990/1989*, and prior issues. Lines 9, 41.
- (2) **Business Fraction:** Air Transport Association of America, *Air Travel Survey*, 1990, Washington D.C. and telephone conversation 6/5/97.

Table E-7: Measures of Economic Activity												
		Macro	peconomic l	nputs		Doi	mestic Rever	nue	Dome	Domestic Jet Fuel Price		
Year	Трор	YD92C	GDP92C	MC_EXDn 92C	GDP Def. 1992=1	Nominial \$ (Millions)	Constant \$ (1992 \$)	YIELD ( c/RPM)	Nominial Cents/Gal	Constant 1992 c/Gal	Constant \$/MMBtu	
1979	224,873	3,354	4,728	212	0.553	18,931	34,232	16.09	56.37	101.94	7.55	
1980	227,255	3,373	4,700	237	0.604	23,317	38,604	18.89	86.45	143.14	10.60	
1981	229,637	3,452	4,777	235	0.661	25,504	38,584	19.15	102.33	154.80	11.47	
1982	231,996	3,483	4,681	214	0.702	25,440	36,239	16.96	96.81	137.91	10.22	
1983	234,284	3,580	4,860	207	0.732	27,519	37,594	16.19	88.02	120.24	8.91	
1984	236,447	3,842	5,156	224	0.759	31,437	41,419	16.52	84.44	111.25	8.24	
1985	238,736	3,959	5,340	232	0.786	33,343	42,421	15.27	80.03	101.82	7.54	
1986	241,107	4,087	5,498	244	0.806	33,842	41,988	13.64	54.54	67.67	5.01	
1987	243,419	4,154	5,642	271	0.831	37,492	45,117	13.70	54.94	66.11	4.90	
1988	246,048	4,318	5,851	321	0.861	41,002	47,621	14.25	52.36	60.81	4.50	
1989	248,251	4,404	6,043	362	0.897	43,670	48,685	14.52	59.55	66.39	4.92	
1990	250,270	4,485	6,139	392	0.936	46,277	49,441	14.30	76.71	81.96	6.07	
1991	253,033	4,486	6,079	419	0.973	44,594	45,820	13.55	66.67	68.50	5.07	
1992	255,767	4,614	6,244	449	1.000	45,246	45,246	12.75	61.84	61.84	4.58	
1993	258,431	4,667	6,386	465	1.026	49,490	48,236	13.32	58.70	57.21	4.24	
1994	261,033	4,778	6,609	512	1.050	50,450	48,067	12.38	54.62	52.04	3.85	
1995	263.578	4.946	6.743	566	1.076	53.906	50.115	12.41	54.58	50.74	3.76	



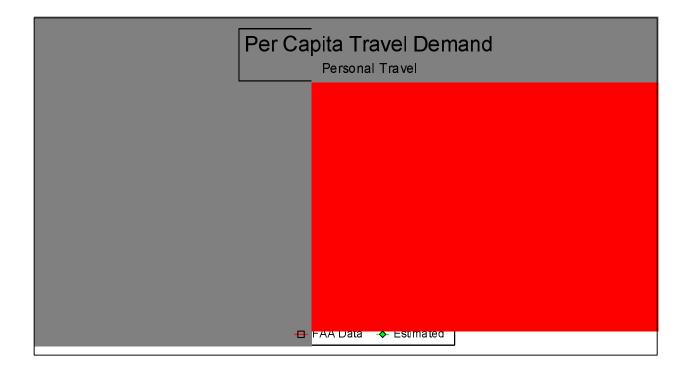
YIELD = 9.7	73 + .80 <i>PJF</i>	
SE	.055	
t	14.43	(E-7)
$Adj.R^2 = .92$	28  D-W = 1.43	

- (1) **PJF:** U.S. Department of Transportation, Research and Special Programs Administration (RSPA), *Fuel Cost And Consumption Tables*, annual summaries, 1979-1995.
- (2) YIELD: Quotient of Passenger Revenue and RPM. Passenger Revenue: U.S. Department of Transportation, Bureau of Transportation Statistics, Air Carrier Financial Statistics Monthly, December 1995/1994, and prior issues, lines 3, 12.



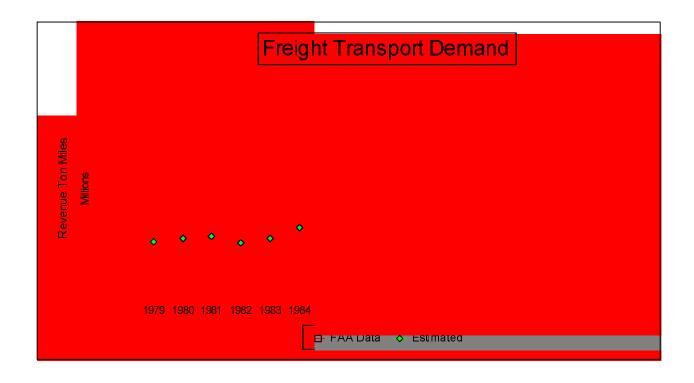
<i>RPMBPC</i> = 89.70	+ .30 GDPPC92	- 16.04 YIELD	
SE	.01	8.2	
t	3.04	-1.35	(E-8)
$Adj.R^2 = 0.849$		D-W = 1.15	

- (1) **RPMBPC:** Quotient of Business RPM and Population.
- (2) **GDPPC92:** Gross Domestic Product per Capita, in 1992 dollars. From NEMS Macroeconomic Module.



<i>RPMPPC</i> = -481.84	+ 82.77 DPIPC92	- 18.68 YIELD	
SE	.013	8.40	
t	2.35	-2.22	(E-9)
$Adj.R^2 = .96$		D-W = 1.48	

- (1) **RPMPPC:** Quotient of Personal RPM and Population.
- (2) **DPIPC92:** Disposable Personal Income per Capita, in 1992 dollars. From NEMS Macroeconomic Module.



RTM = (-14,556)	+ 19.81 MC_EXDn92C	+ <b>3.49</b> <i>MC_GDP92C</i> )	– BELLYFRT	
SE	4.03	0.675		(F 10)
t	4.91	5.18		(E-10)
$Adj.R^2 = .98$		D-W = 1.22		

- (1) **RTM:** U.S. Department of Transportation, Bureau of Transportation Statistics, *Air Carrier Traffic Statistics Monthly, December 1995/1994*, and prior issues. Lines 18-21, 46.
- (2) MC\_EXDn92C: Merchandise trade exports, in 1992 dollars, from NEMS Macroeconomic Module.
- (3) MC\_GDP92C: Gross domestic product, in 1992 dollars, from NEMS Macroeconomic Module.
- (4) **BELLYFRT:** Ton-miles of freight transported in the belly of the commercial aircrart.

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## Appendix F. Attachments to the Transportation Model

The attachments contained within this appendix provide additional details about the model development and estimation process which do not easily lend themselves to incorporation in the main body of the model documentation report. The information provided in these attachments is not integral to the understanding of the model's operation, but provides the reader with to opportunity to gain a deeper understanding of some of the model's underlying assumptions. There will be a slight degree of replication of materials found elsewhere in the documentation, made unavoidable by the dictates of internal consistency. Each attachment is associated with a specific component of the transportation model; the presentation follows the same sequence of modules employed in Volume I.

The following attachments are contained in Appendix F:

Attachment 1: <u>Fuel Economy Model (FEM)</u>: Provides a discussion of the FEM vehicle demand and performance by size class models.

Attachment 2: <u>Alternative Fuel Vehicle (AFV) Model:</u> Describes data input sources and extrapolation methodologies.

Attachment 3: <u>Light-Duty Vehicle (LDV) Stock Model</u>: Discusses the fuel economy gap estimation methodology.

Attachment 4: <u>Light Duty Vehicle Fleet Model</u>: Presents the data development for business, utility, and government fleet vehicles.

Attachment 5: <u>Light Commercial Truck Model</u>: Describes the stratification methodology and data sources employed in estimating the stock and performance of LCT's.

Attachment 6: <u>Air Travel Demand Model</u>: Presents the derivation of the demographic index, used to modify estimates of personal travel demand.

Attachment 7: <u>Airborne Emissions Model</u>: Describes the derivation of emissions factors used to associate transportation measures to levels of airborne emissions of several pollutants.

## **Attachment 1: Fuel Economy Model**

Demand Models for Vehicle Size Class Mix and Performance by Size Class

#### INTRODUCTION

Estimates of the future mix of vehicle classes sold and the performance level by size class requires a detailed econometric demand model of vehicle choice by size class and vehicle performance within size class. There are a few publicly available models that forecast vehicle demand by size class, but those models have proved inaccurate in the past, and do not use a class structure that is compatible with the one used in the FEM. Demand for performance has not been assessed to date in any publicly available study. Both the size mix and performance levels are difficult to estimate because the car purchase decision is complex and consumer choice depends not only on the macroeconomic conditions but also on the attributes of individual products in the marketplace. Some of these attributes are based on the styling of the car, its perceived quality, the manufacturer's image and the status conveyed by owning a specific model, and cannot be easily quantified. Although these variables affect choice of individual models, they can also affect the choice of vehicle sizes or performance levels. For example, many consumers appeared to willing to buy a Japanese car for its quality and reliability even if it's size was smaller than the size actually desired by consumers. There have also been changes in consumer performance that may be linked to demographic variables, e.g., older consumers prefer larger cars.

These factors have made the automotive market notoriously difficult to forecast. The models incorporated in the FEM do <u>not</u> represent an attempt to provide a comprehensive forecast of future shifts in size class mix or performance levels by size class in response to the potentially large range of influencing or causal variables. Rather, the models attempt to capture the response to broad macroeconomic forces or behavioral (time) trends based on the experience of the last 15 years. It is recognized that these models are relatively simplistic, and it is anticipated that future versions of the FEM will incorporate more advanced models.

## METHODOLOGY

The methodology employed to assess the influence of macroeconomic and time dependent variables on the mix of size classes and performance was by regression analysis of historical data.

EEA has compiled a very large data base on car and light truck sales over the 1979-1990 period. These data are based on the official CAFE files from EPA, augmented by the addition of vehicle and engine descriptor variables. All of the vehicles were classified by market class according to the scheme utilized in the FEM. Vehicle performance levels were measured by the horsepower to weight ratio (HP/WT) that is well correlated to objective measures such as the 0 to 60 mph acceleration time. Detailed weight data was unavailable for light trucks, and horsepower alone was used as a surrogate for performance. (Fortunately, truck weight within market class did not change significantly in the 12 year period analyzed).

The models for size class mix and performance utilized the same set of independent variables

- Disposable income per capita (in 1990 dollars)
- Price of gasoline (1990 dollars)
- Vehicle price average by class
- Vehicle fuel economy
- Rate of change of gas price over two years
- Cost of driving per mile
- Number of nameplates (models) in a class

The last variable is really a composite of fuel cost/fuel economy and not a new independent variable.

Performance was defined as the average HP/WT ratio by class for cars, and the average HP by class for trucks. Market share was defined as the sales fraction of the class relative to <u>entire car and light</u> <u>truck</u> market. This definition was chosen to incorporate the effects of consumers switching from cars to light trucks.

In general, the models were linear regressions of the logarithm of all variables, so that the coefficients represented "elasticity" estimates. However, the market share model was modified to utilize the variable (m/1-m) as the independent variable in the regression, for two reasons. First, the elasticity of market share appears to be dependent on how large a share of the market a size class has. This reflects the fact that at very low market shares, buyers of a particular class are reduced to the diehard consumers who are less likely to switch due to macroeconomic forces, and the market is inelastic. Second the log(m/1-m) form converts a 0 to 1 variable to one that spans the -infinity to +infinity range. As a result of this variable change the model cannot be driven to m=1 for any input set, so that no one market class takes over the entire market for any combination of inputs. Such a variable form has been utilized in prior analysis by Wheaton Econometric Forecasting Associates (WEFA).

#### RESULTS

A stepwise linear regression of performance by market class and of class market share was performed to aid in the selection of independent variables with the greatest statistical significance. In addition, the co-efficients were required to be

- directionally consistent with intuitive expectations
- consistent in absolute magnitude across market classes that are similar

For the market share regressions, the variables that were statistically significant included: model year (time), price of gasoline, disposable income, number of nameplates (in some classes). In particular, number of nameplates was significant in those classes where only one or two makes existed in the early 1980's but new makes were introduced in the mid-to-late 1980's; compact vans are a good example of this phenomenon.

Table F-1 shows the results of the regressions of  $(m_i/1-m_i)$  against the variables MDLY (model year), LPGAS (price of gasoline), LYD (per capita disposable income), and LNPLT (number of nameplates). The following conclusions are appropriate:

- Subcompact and minicompact market share benefits from a time trend towards smaller cars. Market share increases with increasing gasoline prices (1.33 coefficient) but decreases with increasing income.
- Sports cars market share appears to be declining with time but is insensitive to price of gasoline or income.
- Compact car market share increase with time and increasing price of gasoline, but is insensitive to income trends.

Group	F Val	$\mathbf{R}^2$	Intercept	MDLY	LPGAS	LYD	LNPLT
Mini and Subcompact	14.359	0.891	-5.428	0.056 (1.761)	1.33 (1.828)	-0.169 (-1.524)	1.136 (2.288)
Sports	11.193	0.808	-2.475	-0.049 (-1.903)	0.26 (.466)	.0068 (.059)	
Compact	5.533	0.76	-5.021	0.111 (2.117)	1.332 (1.35)	0.107 (.52)	0.383 (.825)
Intermediate	3.084	0.536	-1.01	-0.051 (-1.742)	-0.213 (335)	-0.0017 (013)	
Large	16.880	0.864	-3.312	-0.119 (-4.754)	0.042 (.077)	0.231 (2.018)	
Luxury	18.458	0.939	-3.1	0.126 (2.336)	1.166 (2.704)	0.169 (1.441)	-0.435 (699)
Mini Truck	1.378	0.341	2.268	-0.018 (168)	-3.648 (-1.6)	-0.968 (-2.027)	
Compact Pickup	19.183	0.916	-8.749	-0.042 (-1.238)	-0.811 (-1.48)	0.174 (1.247)	1.91 (5.122)
Compact Van	804.167	0.998	-9.3	0.01 (.352)	0.832 (1.727)	0.307 (3.045)	1.466 (16.421)
Compact Utility	274.104	0.994	-7.36	-0.042 (-1.447)	-0.2 (396)	0.366 (2.933)	0.763 (8.474)
Standard Size Trucks	1.582	0.475	-2.779	-0.056 (-1.523)	0.252 (.307)	0.144 (.846)	

Table F-1. Regression Results From LDV Market Share Model

- Intermediate car market share is decreasing with time but is largely insensitive to either the price of gasoline or income.
- Large car market share decreases with time, but increases with income.
- Luxury car market share increases with time, income and the price of gasoline.
- Minitruck market share is very sensitive to the price of gasoline, and decreases with increasing gasoline prices and income.
- Compact trucks and utilities market share are negatively influenced by time trends and price of gas, but positively by income.
- Compact vans have a unique trend relative to all trucks in showing increasing market share with increasing gasoline prices. It is also positively influenced by increasing income.
- Full size trucks (pickup, van and utility) show relatively stable market shares, with a modestly declining time trend. Only utility vehicles' market share appear to be

sensitive to income, while market shares of all full size trucks are insensitive to the price of gasoline.

Some of these trends initially appear to be counterintuitive, but one must consider the impact of a particular variable on sales of the class as well as the total fleet sales. For example, while sales of luxury cars decreases with increasing gasoline prices, the market <u>share</u> increases since sales of all other cars decline by a greater amount for the same change in the price of gasoline. Sales of minitrucks and compact pickup and utility vehicles, most of which are used for personal transportation or recreation, are also more strongly affected by increasing price of gasoline, and their market share drops. On the other hand, standard size vehicles are used more commonly in the light commercial sector or for hauling rather than personal transportation and their market shares are relatively stable in response to gasoline prices.

It should be noted that the co-efficients in Table F-1 are not elasticities as the dependent variable is  $m_i/1-m_i$ , not  $m_i$  alone. In general, the values of  $m_i$  range from 0.05 to 0.20. The correct "elasticity" co-efficient is the actual co-efficient times  $1-m_i/2$ , so that multiplying the co-efficients in Table F-1 by 0.4 ~ 0.475 will provide an estimate of elasticity.

The performance model utilized a similar procedure, but the dependent variable was average HP/WT (or HP for trucks) by class. The most significant variables were found to be LFC (fuel consumption), personal income (LYD) and price of gas (LPGAS) in most cases. In some cases, cost per mile (LCPM) provided a better regression when substituted for LFC and LPGAS. The results of the regression are shown in Table F-2. In general, the regressions yield the elasticities presented in Table F-3.

The results indicate that virtually all classes respond similarly to the cost of driving, although for small cars (mini-, sub-, and compact cars) an equivalent result was obtained for fuel economy rather than cost per mile. Performance demand is more sensitive to disposable income, with the large trucks showing very high sensitivity. This particular finding is suspect and may be due to the fact that significant engine improvements in the late 1980's (which increased rated HP) occurred in the same time frame when incomes were rising.

Group	F Val	$\mathbf{R}^2$	Intercept	LFC	LYD	LPGAS
Mini and Subcompact	14.819	0.848	13.893	-0.238 (1.706)	1.012 (-2.270)	0.11 (811)
Sports	7.675	0.742	-1.104	-0.311 (1.299)	-0.533 (.666)	-0.364 (1.616)
Compact	11.613	0.813	20.709	-0.252 (3.094)	1.721 (-3.308)	0.403 (-2.679)
Intermediate	57.101	0.956	14.252	-0.099 (.845)	1.114 (-3.296)	-0.0051 (.050)
Large	72.509	0.964	10.429	-0.168 (1.380)	0.704 (-1.902)	-0.171 (1.535)
Luxury	151.145	0.983	11.085	-0.124 (1.859)	0.79 (-2.704)	-0.248 (2.912)
Mini Truck	0.219	0.076	0.88	0.378 (.550)	0.483 (.230)	0.035 (.056)
Compact Pickup	35.043	0.929	-9.264	-0.119 (646)	1.409 (3.045)	0.03 (.228)
Compact Van	57.789	0.956	-33.712	-0.853 (-2.375)	3.722 (2.960)	-0.0044 (012)
Compact Utility	21.804	0.891	-10.507	0.586 (2.824)	1.785 (2.149)	-0.063 (264)
Standard Pickup	16.854	0.863	-17.358	0.276 (1.315)	2.41 (3.182)	0.271 (1.257)
Standard Van	37.117	0.933	-14.171	0.142 (1.061)	2.038 (4.393)	0.195 (1.72)
Standard Utility	21.177	0.888	-19.425	0.331 (2.144)	2.54 (3.398)	0.253 (1.176)

Table F-2. Regression Results From LDV Performance Model

Table F-3: LDV Performance Model Elasticities

	LFC	LYD	LPGAS	LCPM
Small Cars	-0.23 ~ -0.30	+1 to +1.7	N.S.	
Large Cars	-0.10 ~ -0.17	0.7 to 1.0	Variable	-0.1 to -0.20
Small Trucks	N.S.	+1.4 to +1.7	N.S.	-0.24 to -0.33
Standard Trucks	N.S.	-2.0 to 2.5	N.S.	-0.23 to -0.35

N.S. - Not Specified

## VALUE OF PERFORMANCE AND FUEL ECONOMY ADJUSTMENT

The value of performance is defined as the dollar amount that consumers are willing to pay for horsepower. This value was estimated from the actual list price for the vehicles in the 1988-1990 period and was based on the engine option prices. This method assumes that the manufacturers are pricing horsepower at levels that consumers are willing to pay. Most domestic models offer an optional engine with higher HP, while several import models offer optional turbocharged engines or 4-valve engine versions. In each case the cost of the engine option <u>alone</u> was identified from manufacturer price lists for 1989/1990 models (very often, the engine option is available with other features such as performance tires, aerodynamic devices etc. so that the vehicle price is higher than the cost of the engine option). Based on the prices of engine options, the following averages are applicable for all cars except sports and luxury cars:

Engine Option	HP Gain (%)	Price	Price/% HP
4-Valve vs. 2-Valve	30 to 35	\$400 to 500	13.30 to 16.66
V-6 vs. I-4	25 to 30	\$300 to 400	12 to 16
V-8 vs. V-6	30 to 35	\$400 to 500	13.30 to 16.66
Turbo vs. Nat Aspirated	45 to 60	\$650 to 850	14.44 to 18.88

Table F-4. LDV Performance and Price Options

Based on these data, an approximate average value of performance is \$15 per percent increase in HP. Most sports and several luxury cars charge prices that are 15 to 25 percent higher than the values quoted above (although some very high priced luxury cars such as Mercedes, Porsche, and BMW charge more than twice the values quoted above). Accordingly, the value of performance for these classes has been set to \$18 per percent increase in HP.

Increasing performance also decreases fuel economy and this relationship is derived from a regression analysis of fuel economy data that provides the sensitivity of fuel economy to factors that increase performance. In general, performance can be increased by four methods:

- by increasing the axle ratio
- by installing a larger engine with the same number of cylinders
- by installing a larger engine with more cylinders
- by utilizing 4-valve heads or turbocharging

The first method is suitable only for small changes in performance (less than 10 percent). The

second method is useful for changes in the range of 10 to 25 percent. The use of engines with more cylinders can result in HP gains of 30 to 60 percent (4 cylinder to 6 cylinder, or 6 cylinder to 8 cylinder). 4-valve engines generally provide HP gains of 20 to 25 percent relative to a 2-valve engine of equal displacement, while turbocharging can provide an HP increase of 40 to 45 percent relative to a naturally aspirated engine of equal displacement. These technologies can be combined with displacement increases or decreases to achieve any desired result.

Based on engineering and regression analysis (see Appendix G, Supplement 1), the fuel economy sensitivity for axles ratio changes is -0.22 (i.e., a 10 percent axle ratio increase decreases fuel economy by 2.2 percent). The fuel economy sensitivity for displacement changes without changing the number of cylinders is -0.35 (i.e. a 25 percent change in displacement decreases fuel economy by nine percent, including the effect of increased engine weight). Substituting a V-6 for a 4-cylinder or a V-8 for a V-8 significantly increases the vehicle weight, and a fifty percent HP increase decreases fuel economy by about 25 percent.

A non-linear equation that captures these effects is given by

$$\Delta FE = -0.22 \Delta HP - 0.56 \Delta HP^2 ; \quad \Delta HP > 0$$
  
= -0.22 \Delta HP + 0.56 \Delta HP^2 ; \Delta HP < 0

where both  $\Delta$ HP and  $\Delta$ FE are expressed as *percent changes*. The equation is valid for  $\Delta$ HP values between 0 and 60 percent.

## **TECHNOLOGY IMPROVEMENTS FOR AUTOMOBILES**

The characteristics of the automotive technologies considered in the LDV module have been developed by Energy and Environmental Analysis, Inc. of Arlington Virginia, and are tabulated on the following pages in Tables F-6 to F-9.<sup>1</sup> Much of this research has been derived from an earlier study of technological change and its potential application to fuel economy improvements.<sup>2</sup> In this study, numerous automotive technologies have been evaluated in regard to both their estimated impacts on vehicle performance and their cost-effectiveness from a producer's standpoint. Individual technologies or groups of technologies have been assigned to one of three "certainty levels", defined below, which indicates the likelihood of their incorporation in the near-term.

The Standard Technology Matrices for cars and light trucks (Tables F-6 and F-7) represent a relatively conservative estimation of technology cost, availability, and impact over the course of the forecast. The corresponding High Technology Matrices (Tables F-8 and F-9) reflect a more optimistic assessment of the potentials of selected technologies. In order to permit a ready comparison of technology characteristics, those elements in the High Technology Matrices which differ from their Standard Technology counterparts are shaded.

Table F-5:	Certainty Levels of Near-Term Technologies for Improving Fuel Economy <sup>3</sup>
Level	Technology Characteristics
1	Technologies currently in production in at least one mass market vehicle worldwide and which have no technical risk in the sense that they are fully demonstrated and are available to all manufacturers through either direct production or licensing. Level 1 improvements are therefore available for production use within one product cycle.
2	Technologies ready for commercialization and for which there are no engineering constraints (such as emissions control considerations) which would inhibit their use in production vehicles. Technologies assessed at Level 2 are considered to have low technical risk in the sense that some "debugging" effort may be required because of a lack of on-road experience
3	Technologies in advanced stages of development but which may face some technical constraints before they can be used in production vehicles. Because Level 3 technologies bear some uncertainty as to when they will be fully available for use in production, it is not possible to presently establish with certainty that they are available for incorporation into new vehicles over the course of a complete product cycle.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>NEMS Fuel Economy Model: LDV High Technology Update, Decision Analysis Corporation of Virginia, DE-AC01-92EI21946, Task 95124, Subtask 9-2, 6/17/96.

<sup>3</sup>*Ibid.* p. 12.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>DeCicco, J., and Ross, M., An Updated Assessment of the Near-Term Potential for Improving Automotive Fuel Economy, American Council for an Energy-Efficient Economy, Washington DC, 11/93.

Table F-6: Standard Technology Matrix For Cars									
	Fractional Fuel Efficiency Change	Incremental Cost (1990 \$)	Incremental Cost (\$/Unit Wt.)	Incremental Weight (Lbs.)	Incremental Weight (Lbs./Unit Wt.)	First Year Introduced	Fractional Horsepower Change		
Front Wheel Drive	0.060	160	0.00	0	-0.08	1980	0		
Unit Body	0.040	80	0.00	0	-0.05	1980	0		
Material Substitution II	0.033	0	0.60	0	-0.05	1987	0		
Material Substitution III	0.066	0	0.80	0	-0.10	1997	0		
Material Substitution IV	0.099	0	1.00	0	-0.15	2007	0		
Material Substitution V	0.132	0	1.50	0	-0.20	2017	0		
Drag Reduction II	0.023	32	0.00	0	0.00	1985	0		
Drag Reduction III	0.046	64	0.00	0	0.05	1991	0		
Drag Reduction IV	0.069	112	0.00	0	0.01	2004	0		
Drag Reduction V	0.092	176	0.00	0	0.02	2014	0		
TCLU	0.030	40	0.00	0	0.00	1980	0		
4-Speed Automatic	0.045	225	0.00	30	0.00	1980	0.05		
5-Speed Automatic	0.065	325	0.00	40	0.00	1995	0.07		
CVT	0.100	250	0.00	20	0.00	1995	0.07		
6-Speed Manual	0.020	100	0.00	30	0.00	1991	0.05		
Electronic Transmission I	0.005	20	0.00	5	0.00	1988	0.05		
Electronic Transmission II	0.005	40	0.00	5	0.00	1988	0		
Roller Cam	0.015	40 16	0.00	0	0.00	1998	0		
OHC 4	0.020	100	0.00	0	0.00	1987	0.2		
OHC 6	0.030	140	0.00	0	0.00	1980	0.2		
OHC 8	0.030	170	0.00	0	0.00	1980	0.2		
4C/4V	0.080	240	0.00	30	0.00	1988	0.45		
6C/4V	0.080	320	0.00	45	0.00	1991	0.45		
8C/4V	0.080	400	0.00	60	0.00	1991	0.45		
Cylinder Reduction	0.030	-100	0.00	-150	0.00	1988	-0.1		
4C/5V	0.100	300	0.00	45	0.00	1998	0.55		
Turbo	0.050	800	0.00	80	0.00	1980	0.45		
Engine Friction Reduction I	0.020	20	0.00	0	0.00	1987	0		
Engine Friction Reduction II	0.035	50	0.00	0	0.00	1996	0		
Engine Friction Reduction III	0.050	90	0.00	0	0.00	2006	0		
Engine Friction Reduction IV	0.065	140	0.00	0	0.00	2016	0		
VVT I	0.080	140	0.00	40	0.00	1998	0.1		
VVT II	0.100	180	0.00	40	0.00	2008	0.15		
Lean Burn	0.100	150	0.00	0	0.00	2012	0		
Two Stroke	0.150	150	0.00	-150	0.00	2004	0		
TBI	0.020	40	0.00	0	0.00	1982	0.05		
MPI	0.035	80	0.00	0	0.00	1987	0.1		
Air Pump	0.035	0	0.00	-10	0.00	1982	0.1		
DFS	0.010	15	0.00	-10	0.00	1982	0.1		
Oil 5W-30		2			0.00		0.1		
	0.005		0.00	0		1987			
Oil Synthetic	0.015	5	0.00	0	0.00	1997	0		
Tires I	0.010	16	0.00	0	0.00	1992	0		
Tires II	0.020	32	0.00	0	0.00	2002	0		
Tires III	0.030	48	0.00	0	0.00	2012	0		
Tires IV	0.040	64	0.00	0	0.00	2018	0		
ACC I	0.005	15	0.00	0	0.00	1992	0		
ACC II	0.010	30	0.00	0	0.00	1997	0		
EPS	0.015	40	0.00	0	0.00	2002	0		
<b>4WD Improvements</b>	0.030	100	0.00	0	-0.05	2002	0		
Air Bags	-0.010	300	0.00	35	0.00	1987	0		
Emissions Tier I	-0.010	150	0.00	10	0.00	1994	0		
Emissions Tier II	-0.010	300	0.00	20	0.00	2003	0		
ABS	-0.005	300	0.00	10	0.00	1987	0		
Side Impact	-0.005	100	0.00	20	0.00	1996	0		
Roof Crush	-0.003	100	0.00	5	0.00	2001	0		
Increased Size/Wt.	-0.033	0	0.00	0	0.05	1991	0		
Compression Ratio Increase	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a		
Idle Off	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a		
Optimized Manual Transmission	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a		
Variable Displacement	n/a n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a		
Electric Hybrid	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a		

Table F-7: Standard Technology Matrix For Trucks									
	Fractional Fuel Efficiency Change	Incremental Cost (1990 \$)	Incremental Cost (\$/Unit Wt.)	Incremental Weight (Lbs.)	Incremental Weight (Lbs./Unit Wt.)	First Year Introduced	Fractional Horsepower Change		
Front Wheel Drive	0.020	160	0.00	0	-0.08	1985	0		
Unit Body	0.060	80	0.00	0	-0.05	1995	0		
Material Substitution II	0.033	0	0.60	0	-0.05	1996	0		
Material Substitution III	0.066	0	0.80	0	-0.10	2006	0		
Material Substitution IV	0.099	0	1.00	0	-0.15	2016	0		
Material Substitution V	0.132	0	1.50	0	-0.20	2026	0		
Drag Reduction II	0.023	32	0.00	0	0.00	1990	0		
Drag Reduction III	0.046	64	0.00	0	0.05	1997	0		
Drag Reduction IV	0.069	112	0.00	0	0.01	2007	0		
Drag Reduction V	0.092	176	0.00	0	0.02	2017	0		
TCLU	0.030	40	0.00	0	0.00	1980	0		
4-Speed Automatic	0.045	225	0.00	30	0.00	1980	0.05		
5-Speed Automatic	0.065	325	0.00	40	0.00	1997	0.07		
CVT	0.100	250	0.00	20	0.00	2005	0.07		
6-Speed Manual	0.020	100	0.00	30	0.00	1997	0.05		
Electronic Transmission I	0.005	20	0.00	5	0.00	1991	0		
Electronic Transmission II	0.015	40	0.00	5	0.00	2006	0		
Roller Cam	0.020	16	0.00	0	0.00	1986	0		
OHC 4	0.030	100	0.00	0	0.00	1980	0.15		
OHC 6	0.030	140	0.00	0	0.00	1985	0.15		
OHC 8	0.030	170	0.00	0	0.00	1995	0.15		
4C/4V	0.060	240	0.00	30	0.00	1990	0.30		
6C/4V	0.060	320	0.00	45	0.00	1990	0.30		
8C/4V	0.060	400	0.00	60	0.00	2002	0.30		
Cylinder Reduction	0.030	-100	0.00	-150	0.00	1990	-0.1		
4C/5V	0.080	300	0.00	45	0.00	1997	0.55		
Turbo	0.050	800	0.00	80	0.00	1980	0.45		
Engine Friction Reduction I	0.020	20	0.00	0	0.00	1991	0		
Engine Friction Reduction II	0.035	50	0.00	0	0.00	2002	0		
Engine Friction Reduction III	0.050	90	0.00	0	0.00	2002	0		
Engine Friction Reduction IV	0.065	140	0.00	0	0.00	2012	0		
VVT I	0.080	140	0.00	40	0.00	2022	0.1		
VVT II	0.100	140	0.00	40 40	0.00	2000	0.15		
Lean Burn	0.100	150	0.00	40	0.00	2010	0.15		
Two Stroke	0.150	150	0.00	-150	0.00	2018	0		
TBI	0.020	40	0.00	-150	0.00	1985	0.05		
MPI	0.035	80	0.00	0	0.00	1985			
Air Pump	0.033	0	0.00	-10	0.00	1985	0.1		
DFS	0.010	15	0.00	-10	0.00	1985	0.1		
Oil %w-30	0.005	2 5	0.00	0	0.00	1987	0		
Oil Synthetic	0.015		0.00		0.00	1997			
Tires I	0.010	16	0.00	0	0.00	1992	0		
Tires II	0.020	32	0.00	0	0.00	2002	0		
Tires III	0.030	48	0.00	0	0.00	2012	0		
Tires IV	0.040	64	0.00	0	0.00	2018	0		
ACCI	0.005	15	0.00	0	0.00	1997	0		
ACC II	0.010	30	0.00	0	0.00	2007	0		
EPS	0.015	40	0.00	0	0.00	2002	0		
4WD Improvements	0.030	100	0.00	0	-0.05	2002	0		
Air Bags	-0.010	300	0.00	35	0.00	1992	0		
Emissions Tier I	-0.010	150	0.00	10	0.00	1996	0		
Emissions Tier II	-0.010	300	0.00	20	0.00	2004	0		
ABS	-0.005	300	0.00	10	0.00	1990	0		
Side Impact	-0.005	100	0.00	20	0.00	1996	0		
Roof Crush	-0.003	100	0.00	5	0.00	2001	0		
Increased Size/Wt.	-0.033	0	0.00	0	0.05	1991	0		
<b>Compression Ratio Increase</b>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a		
Idle Off	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a		
Optimized Manual Transmission	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a		
Variable Displacement	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a		
Electric Hybrid	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a		

Table F-8: High Technology Matrix For Cars           Fractional Fuel         Incremental         Incremental         Fractional										
	Efficiency Change	Incremental Cost (1990 \$)	Incremental Cost (\$/Unit Wt.)	Weight (Lbs.)	Weight (Lbs./Unit Wt.)	First Year Introduced	Horsepowe			
Front Wheel Drive	0.060	160	0.00	0	-0.08	1980	0			
Unit Body	0.040	80	0.00	0	-0.05	1980	0			
Material Substitution II	0.033	0	0.30	0	-0.05	1987	0			
Material Substitution III	0.066	0	0.40	0	-0.10	1997	0			
Material Substitution IV	0.099	0	0.50	0	-0.15	2003	0			
Material Substitution V	0.132	0	0.75	0	-0.20	2007	0			
Drag Reduction II	0.023	32	0.00	0	0.00	1985	0			
Drag Reduction III	0.046	64	0.00	0	0.05	1991	0			
Drag Reduction IV	0.069	112	0.00	0	0.01	1997	0			
Drag Reduction V	0.092	176	0.00	0	0.02	2003	0			
TCLU	0.030	40	0.00	0	0.00	1980	0			
4-Speed Automatic	0.045	225	0.00	30	0.00	1980	0.05			
5-Speed Automatic	0.065	325	0.00	40	0.00	1995	0.07			
CVT	0.100	250	0.00	20	0.00	1995	0.07			
6-Speed Manual	0.020	100	0.00	30	0.00	1991	0.05			
Electronic Transmission I	0.005	20	0.00	5	0.00	1988	0			
Electronic Transmission II	0.090	60	0.00	5	0.00	1998	0			
Roller Cam	0.020	16	0.00	0	0.00	1987	0			
OHC 4	0.030	45	0.00	0	0.00	1980	0.2			
OHC 6	0.030	55	0.00	0	0.00	1980	0.2			
OHC 8	0.030	65	0.00	0	0.00	1980	0.2			
4C/4V	0.080	125	0.00	30	0.00	1988	0.45			
6C/4V	0.080	165	0.00	45	0.00	1991	0.45			
8C/4V	0.080	205	0.00	60	0.00	1991	0.45			
Cylinder Reduction	0.030	-100	0.00	-150	0.00	1988	-0.1			
4C/5V	0.100	300	0.00	45	0.00	1998	0.55			
Turbo	0.080	300	0.00	80	0.00	1980	0.45			
Engine Friction Reduction I	0.020	20	0.00	0	0.00	1987	0			
Engine Friction Reduction II	0.035	50	0.00	0	0.00	1996	0			
Engine Friction Reduction III	0.050	90	0.00	0	0.00	2006	0			
Engine Friction Reduction IV	0.065	120	0.00	0	0.00	2016	0			
VVT I	0.080	100	0.00	40	0.00	1998	0.1			
VVT II	0.100	130	0.00	40	0.00	2008	0.15			
Lean Burn	0.120	75	0.00	0	0.00	2012	0			
Two Stroke	0.150	0	0.00	-150	0.00	2004	0			
TBI	0.020	40	0.00	0	0.00	1982	0.05			
MPI	0.035	80	0.00	0	0.00	1987	0.1			
Air Pump	0.010	0	0.00	-10	0.00	1982	0			
DFS	0.015	15	0.00	0	0.00	1987	0.1			
Oil %w-30	0.005	2	0.00	0	0.00	1987	0			
Oil Synthetic	0.015	5	0.00	0	0.00	1997	0			
Tires I	0.010	5	0.00	0	0.00	1992	0			
Tires II	0.033	10	0.00	0	0.00	2002	0			
Tires III	0.048	15	0.00	0	0.00	2012	0			
Tires IV	0.053	20	0.00	0	0.00	2018	0			
ACC I	0.010	5	0.00	0	0.00	1992	0			
ACC II	0.017	13	0.00	0	0.00	1997	0			
EPS	0.015	40	0.00	0	0.00	2002	0			
4WD Improvements	0.030	100	0.00	0	-0.05	2002	0			
Air Bags	-0.010	300	0.00	35	0.00	1987	0			
Emissions Tier I	-0.010	150	0.00	10	0.00	1994	0			
Emissions Tier II	-0.010	300	0.00	20	0.00	2003	0			
ABS	-0.005	300	0.00	10	0.00	1987	0			
Side Impact	-0.005	100	0.00	20	0.00	1996	0			
Roof Crush	-0.003	100	0.00	5	0.00	2001	0			
Increased Size/Wt.	-0.033	0	0.00	0	0.05	1991	0			
Compression Ratio Increase	0.010	0	0.00	0	0.00	1995	0.02			
Idle Off	0.110	260	0.00	0	0.00	1997	0			
ptimized Manual Transmission	0.120	60	0.00	0	0.00	1997	0			
Variable Displacement	0.030	65	0.00	0	0.00	1999	0			
Electric Hybrid	0.660	1785	0.00	0	0.00	2001	0			

	Fractional Fuel Efficiency Change	Incremental Cost (1990 \$)	Incremental Cost (\$/Unit Wt.)	Incremental Weight (Lbs.)	Incremental Weight (Lbs./Unit Wt.)	First Year Introduced	Fractional Horsepower Change
Front Wheel Drive	0.020	160	0.00	0	-0.08	1985	0
Unit Body	0.060	80	0.00	0	-0.05	1995	0
Material Substitution II	0.033	0	0.30	0	-0.05	1987	0
Material Substitution III	0.066	0	0.40	0	-0.10	1997	0
Material Substitution IV	0.099	0	0.50	0	-0.15	2003	0
Material Substitution V	0.132	0	0.75	0	-0.20	2007	0
Drag Reduction II	0.023	32	0.00	0	0.00	1985	0
Drag Reduction III	0.046	64	0.00	0	0.05	1991	0
Drag Reduction IV	0.069	112	0.00	0	0.01	1997	0
Drag Reduction V	0.092	176	0.00	0	0.02	2003	0
TCLU	0.030	40	0.00	0	0.00	1980	0
4-Speed Automatic	0.045	225	0.00	30	0.00	1980	0.05
5-Speed Automatic	0.065	325	0.00	40	0.00	1995	0.07
CVT	0.100	250	0.00	20	0.00	1995	0.07
6-Speed Manual	0.020	100	0.00	30	0.00	1991	0.05
Electronic Transmission I	0.005	20	0.00	5	0.00	1988	0
Electronic Transmission II	0.090	60	0.00	5	0.00	1998	0
Roller Cam	0.020	16	0.00	0	0.00	1987	0
OHC 4	0.030	45	0.00	0	0.00	1980	0.2
OHC 6	0.030	55	0.00	0	0.00	1980	0.2
OHC 8	0.030	65	0.00	0	0.00	1980	0.2
4C/4V	0.080	125	0.00	30	0.00	1988	0.45
6C/4V	0.080	165	0.00	45	0.00	1991	0.45
8C/4V	0.080	205	0.00	60	0.00	1991	0.45
Cylinder Reduction	0.030	-100	0.00	-150	0.00	1988	-0.1
4C/5V	0.100	300	0.00	45	0.00	1998	0.55
Turbo	0.080	300	0.00	80	0.00	1980	0.45
Engine Friction Reduction I	0.020	20	0.00	0	0.00	1987	0
Engine Friction Reduction II	0.035	50	0.00	0	0.00	1996	0
Engine Friction Reduction III	0.050	90	0.00	0	0.00	2006	0
Engine Friction Reduction IV	0.065	120	0.00	0	0.00	2016	0
VVT I	0.080	100	0.00	40	0.00	1998	0.1
VVT II	0.120	130	0.00	40	0.00	2008	0.15
Lean Burn	0.100	75	0.00	0	0.00	2012	0
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Optimized Manual Transmission	0.120	60	0.00	0	0.00	1997	0
Variable Displacement	0.030	65	0.00	0	0.00	1997	0
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## CHARACTERISTICS OF ALTERNATIVE FUEL VEHICLES

This section provides a documentation of the updated Fuel Economy Model that also forecasts attributes of Alternative Fuel Vehicles (AFVs) for incorporation into the NEMS transportation model. The NEMS model requires a forecast of vehicle attributes consistent with those provided for conventional gasoline powered vehicles. The existing AFV module considers only three size classes, and requires five attributes by size class, which includes vehicle price and fuel efficiency as well as range, fuel availability and an estimate of emissions relative to gasoline. In general, fuel availability is specified exogenously, while the Fuel Economy Model (FEM) is expected to supply other attributes. The updated FEM provides attributes for AFVs in up to 12 market classes and five fuel types.

Other than gasoline and diesel powered vehicles, the model considers a variety of alternative fuel vehicles that are of both the dedicated and bi-fuel (alternative fuel/gasoline) type. The fuels considered include methanol, ethanol, electricity, compressed natural gas and liquified petroleum gas for a matrix of 10 alternative fuel vehicle types. The existing AFV module contains two other AFV types that are engine technology based classifications (assuming that the 10 described above use piston i.c. engine based technology). The two others are turbine powered using gasoline or CNG, and fuel cell powered using methanol or pure hydrogen, for an additional four AFV classes.

Available data for the manufacturers suggest that turbine powered vehicles are most unlikely to be produced as they have significantly higher costs and lower fuel economy than i.c. engines of equal power. Fuel cell powered vehicles using either methanol or pure hydrogen are unlikely to see commercial production before 2010. Attributes of all other vehicle types are summarized in this report, and a preliminary estimate of fuel cell vehicle attributes is also provided. Most of the data provided are drawn from ongoing work by EEA for the DOE's Alternative Fuel Transition Model, or from a recently completed EEA analysis for the Office of Technology Assessment.

The specification of AFV attributes requires a series of supply side issues to be resolved largely based on the judgement of EEA. Essentially, manufacturers can choose to tradeoff first cost against vehicle range, performance and even emissions. The choice of such parameters should ideally be made by the demand forecasting model, but such capabilities are not yet available in demand forecasting models.

The first consideration in forecasting AFV demand is that all fuels are not well suited to all vehicle size classes. For example, the size and weight of CNG tanks make it a poor choice for small cars. Based on engineering considerations, EEA has estimated the likely combinations of fuel types and vehicle types that will be available in cars and light trucks. These combinations are shown in Table F-10 and F11, respectively. It should be noted that are <u>no technical barriers</u> to any particular combination of fuel type and size class, and these favored combinations are based on EEA's

judgement about market acceptability and economic barriers facing AFVs in each class.

A second and more important consideration is that vehicle price is a strong function of sales volume. There are significant fixed costs associated with the design, tooling and certification of an AFV model, and if a model has a sales volume of only a few hundred units per year, the fixed costs allocations to each unit are quite large. A typical (non-luxury) gasoline car model is produced at annual volumes of 100,000 to 200,000 units, while most current AFV model sales are only in the range of a few tens to hundreds of units per year. Since the supply and demand models are not interactive, the pre-specification of vehicle price involves estimating sales volumes. Other analysis by EEA suggests that economies of scale result in similar percentage price reduction for every order of magnitude increase in production volume. In this analysis, EEA has assumed that AFV's will be derived from gasoline vehicles and sales volume per <u>model</u> will be in the 2,000 to 3,000 range so that modest economy of scale is achieved, but the full extent is not, for the near term. Pricing at volumes of 20,000 to 30,000 units per year is also considered. Based on other analysis for DOE, EEA recommends that prices at intermediate volumes be scaled in proportion to the logarithm of sales.

EEA analysis for the DOE indicates that auto-manufacturers must anticipate a sales volume of about 2500 units per year of a given AFV model in order to enter the market. At much lower sales volumes in the range of a few tens of vehicles to a few hundred vehicles per year, automanufacturers have typically subcontracted the work to small conversion shops, or else these AFVs have been aftermarket conversions of existing gasoline vehicles. In general, manufacturers believe that most aftermarket conversions are not well engineered in terms of emissions, fuel economy, and safety, and often have poor performance at high or low ambient temperatures. However, these conversions are much cheaper than automanufacturer designed products at the same sales volume, so that an aftermarket conversion is usually sold at 250 units/yr at the same price as an OEM conversion sold at 2500 units/year. The poor quality is a deterrent to consumer purchase.

Table F-10: Alternative Fuel Type Potential Application by Size Class         (Cars)									
	Mini/Sub <u>Compact</u>	<u>Compact</u>	<u>Midsize</u>	Large	<u>Luxury</u>	<u>Sport</u>			
Alcohol Flex⁴	×	×	×	X	×	×			
Methanol Neat	×	×	×	×		X			
Ethanol Neat		×	×	×					
CNG Dedicated				×					
CNG Bifuel				×					
LPG Dedicated			X	×					
LPG Bifuel			X	×					
Electric	×	×							
EV/Hybrid		×	×						
Fuel Cell Methanol			×	×					
Fuel Cell Hydrogen			X	X					

The following sections summarize the changes required to develop each particular AFV type from a gasoline based car, which EEA believes will serve as the base design, since developing a unique "ground up" AFV design is not likely as long as AFV sales volumes per model are less than 10 percent of similar gasoline engine model sales. Manufactu-rer's may contemplate offering a unique "ground up" design only for EVs, if a specific model can be sold in volumes of 50,000 units per year or more, which appears unlikely to this time. In addition, only OEM products are considered so that quality issues do not influence purchase considerations.

As a result, future model specific improvements for all AFV types will follow those for gasoline vehicles, except for inapplicable technologies for a specific AFV type. These inapplicable technologies are recognized in the descriptions that follow. In addition, it should be emphasized that there is a sales volume based price affect, but there is no "learning curve" effect for all engine technologies that are very similar to gasoline engine technologies, namely engines for alcohol fuels, CNG and LPG. Learning curve effects for EVs and hybrid vehicles are primarily associated with future cost reductions in energy storage media, either batteries or ultracapacitors, and in power electronics. Learning curves also exist for CNG fuel tanks, but the cost reductions will be less dramatic than for EVs and hybrids.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Includes methanol/ethanol.

Table F-11: Alternative Fuel Type Potential Application by Size Class         (Light Trucks)									
	Mini- Utility	Compact Pickup	Compact Van	Compact Utility	Standard Pickup	Standard Van	Standard Utility		
Alcohol Flex⁵	x	×	×	×	×	×	×		
Methanol Neat		×	×						
Ethanol Neat			×						
CNG Dedicated		×			×	×			
CNG Bifuel			×		×	×			
LPG Dedicated		×	×		×	×			
LPG Bifuel		×	×		×	×			
Electric		×	×						
EV/Hybrid			×	×			×		
Fuel Cell Methanol		×				×			
Fuel Cell Hydrogen			7			7			

Each AFV type will require additional or specialized parts that result in variable cost increases, as well as fixed costs associated with:

- engineering
- tooling
- certification
- marketing

To the extent possible, total incremental AFV fixed costs per model have been identified. Table F-12 shows how the variable and fixed costs can be translated into a incremental retail price equivalent (IRPE) given a certain anticipated sales (or production) volume per model. These formulas have been used to develop retail price estimates. Ideally, the NEMS model should assume low sales volume prices, compute the actual sales, and iteratively check if the sales volumes predicted are in line with pricing assumptions.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Includes ethanol/methanol.

Table F-12: Conversion of Variable and Fixed Costs to IRPE					
Supplier costs to manufacturer	А				
Total manufacturer investments	В				
Unit cost of investment, C per production volume V	<u>B x 1.358</u> V x 4.487				
Automanufacturer Cost	$A \times 1.4 + C = D$				
IRPE	D x 1.25				

#### FLEXIBLE FUEL AND DEDICATED ALCOHOL VEHICLES

These vehicles closely resemble the gasoline engine powered vehicle, and the modifications of a conventional vehicle to be either a flexible fuel vehicle (FFV) or dedicated alcohol fuel vehicle are relatively minor. At present, all alcohol vehicles are OEM products and no aftermarket conversions are expected. The most significant modifications are:

- Upgrade of the fuel tank and fuel lines materials to be corrosion resistant to alcohol
- New high flow fuel pump that can provide up to twice the flow rate of conventional pumps
- Modified fuel injectors and a new fuel/spark calibration for alcohol fuel
- Modifications to the evaporative emission control system to handle alcohol gasoline blends (FFV only)

The FFV also has a unique component, the fuel alcohol sensor that signals the engine electronic control system on the alcohol gasoline blend being used. The <u>variable</u> cost of all of the above parts is typically about \$300 to \$500 at low sales volume, with much of the cost associated with the fuel pump and fuel sensor. The high end of the range of costs is associated with converting a vehicle whose current fuel system requires significant materials changes, whereas the lower end would be for a vehicle whose current fuel system is corrosion resistant to alcohol.

Dedicated alcohol vehicles require similar changes but do not need the fuel sensor. If the engine is optimized for alcohol, it needs a new high compression ratio cylinder head, which partly offsets the cost of the sensor. Dedicated alcohol vehicle will have a simpler evaporative emission control system, although cost savings here are expected to be small. The net variable cost of a dedicated alcohol vehicle will be only slightly lower than that of an FFV and is estimated at \$250 to 350 at low sales volume. Variable costs (which include supplier fixed costs) are expected to be reduced to half the low volume levels, i.e. \$150 to 250, due to reduced per unit supplier costs, if volumes increase to 25,000 units/year.

Fixed costs for the automanufacturer are estimated at \$7 to \$8 million per model line, based on input from the manufacturers, for an assumed sales volume of 2500 units/year. However, significantly higher sales volume does not require much higher investment, and it is estimated that 25,000 units/year sales capability would require only an additional \$2 million more to expand assembly capacity and enhance the marketing network.

Attributes of flexible fuel and dedicated vehicles are shown in Table F-13, relative to gasoline vehicle attributes. Prices are shown <u>as if</u> manufactures are pricing these vehicles as a standard product, (which they are clearly not) and EIA may wish to modify the prices to reflect current pricing. All of the improvements possible for conventional vehicles are applicable to FFV's and dedicated alcohol vehicles. At present, EEA believes that dedicated vehicles and FFVs operated on alcohol fuel may have small benefits in reactivity adjusted HC emissions (in the range of -10 to -20 percent) relative to an equal technology gasoline vehicle, but other emission benefits are negligible. In general, the range of prices shown at each sales volume are associated with vehicle size changes, with smaller cars at the low end of the price range, large trucks at the high end of the range, and mid-sized/large cars and compact trucks at the middle of the range.

Table F-13: Characteristics of Alcohol Fuel Vehicles Relative to Gasoline ICE's									
	Methanol FFV	Ethanol FFV	Methanol Dedicated	Ethanol Dedicated					
Horsepower	+4	+3	+8	+6					
Range on M85/E85	-43	-27	-37	-24					
Fuel Economy	+2	+1	+8	+4					
Incremental Price (\$) <sup>6</sup>									
@ 2,500 units/yr	1650-2000	1650-2000	1560-1820	1560-1820					
@ 25,000 units/yr	410-500	410-500	370-425	370-425					

## **CNG/LPG VEHICLES**

CNG/LPG vehicles are the next step in complexity from an alcohol fueled vehicle for conversion from a conventional gasoline vehicle. The major difference is that the fuel tanks are more complex, heavy and expensive, especially for CNG. Currently, most CNG and LPG vehicles are aftermarket conversions, but the OEMs have recently entered this market with a range of new products.

Outside of the fuel tanks, engine and fuel conversion costs are quite similar to these for a dedicated

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Assumes manufacturer makes normal return on investment. National Energy Modeling System

alcohol fuel vehicle. These include more expensive fuel lines, new fuel injectors and more expensive fuel injector drivers. The pump in an alcohol fuel vehicle is replaced by a pressure regulator, which can be a relatively expensive piece of equipment for a CNG vehicle that is certified to a stringent emission standard. Low pressure LPG pressure regulators are less expensive, but some manufacturers are experimenting with liquid LPG injection for optimal emission control. Engine improvements for both CNG and LPG systems are also similar, requiring revisions to the valve seats, pistons and rings and head gasket.

For dedicated systems, increases to the engine compression ratio (CR) by 0.5 to 1 point for LPG and 1.5 to 2 points for CNG are optimal. Such increases may, in turn, lead to revisions to the cooling system and air intake system. The increases in CR lead to a fuel economy benefit of and 4 and 8 percent for LPG and CNG, respectively.

Engine components and costs for a dual fuel system of high quality that is emission certified is estimated at \$350 to 450. Engine improvements for dedicated CNG/LPG engines that are optimized will increase these costs to \$500 to \$600. However, there will be a cost savings of \$350 associated with the elimination of the gasoline fuel system and evaporative system, for a net cost of \$150 to 250. The costs are for volumes of 2,500 units/year and could decrease by 50 percent at 25,000 units/year, based on interviews with CNG system manufacturers.

Costs of fuel tanks are significant. For CNG, the incremental costs of tanks are estimated at \$100-125 per gasoline equivalent gallon, and a typical tank for cars is about 9 gallons, while one for trucks is 12 gallons. Hence, CNG tank costs are \$900 to 1125 for cars, and \$1200 to 1500 for trucks at low volume. The tanks add about 150 lbs weight for cars and 200 lbs for trucks. LPG tanks cost approximately one-third as much as CNG tanks. One significant uncertainty is how much the cost of CNG/LPG tanks can decline as a function of volume. It has been estimated that costs will decline by 33% as sales volume increases from 2500 units/year to 25,000 units/year, but this figure may indicate benefits from "learning" as well.

Engineering and tooling costs for CNG and LPG vehicles are significantly higher than for alcohol fueled vehicles, because of the need to modify the body and chassis to accommodate the tanks, and the need to upgrade suspension tires and brakes to accommodate the increased weight. In addition, the vehicle will have to be crash tested due to the extensive changes to the fuel system, to verify system integrity. At low volume it has been estimated that engineering, tooling and certification costs per model for dual fuel vehicle are about \$15 million. Additional engine engineering costs for a dedicated CNG/LPG vehicle are estimated at \$3 million. Expansion of special assembly facilities to accommodate a volume of 25,000 units per year is estimated to cost an additional \$5 million for facilities.

Costs and vehicle attributes for CNG/LPG vehicles are shown in Table F-14. In addition, it is assumed that future CNG/LPG vehicles will be certified as ILEVs for emissions to meet Clean Fleet and California requirements. As before, the range of costs span the size range of vehicles from small cars to large trucks. At sales volumes of a few hundred units per year, only aftermarket conversions are expected to be available at approximately the same price is OEM products at a sales volume of 2500 units/year.

Future improvements to CNG/LPG vehicles will not differ from those for gasoline vehicles, with the sole of exception of VVT (Variable Valve Timing). Pumping losses in CNG/LPG engines are lower because of the air displacement effect of gaseous fuels. EEA estimates that VVT benefits will be reduced to half its gasoline benefit when used in conjunction with these fuels.

#### ELECTRIC, FUEL CELL AND HYBRID VEHICLES

These vehicles are a significant departure from conventional vehicles in that their drivetrain and fuel system is very different from a gasoline engine and its fuel tank/fuel system. The pricing analysis of these vehicles reflects the fact that there are no electric vehicles (EVs) or Hybrid Electric Vehicles (HEVs) in production and that data must be extrapolated from current prototypes and pre-production vehicle models. Fuel cell powered vehicles are still at least a decade or two away from commercialization.

#### **Electric Vehicles**

In the electric vehicle, the engine is replaced by an electric motor and controller, while the gasoline tank is replaced by a battery. EEA analysis for the OTA for an EV with a production volume of 25,000 units/yr revealed a range of attributes that depend on battery technology. Table F-16 provides the data for four vehicle classes for several different batteries for the year 2005, which is believed to be the earliest point where relatively high EV production volume can be realized. However, the table assumes that a relatively high technology body would be used.

Table F-14: Attributes of CNG/LPG Vehicles Relative to Gasoline Vehicles							
	CNGLPGCNGLPGBi-fuelBi-fuelDedicatedDedicated						
Horsepower	-15	-8	-5	0			
Range	-50	-20	-40	-15			
Fuel Economy (BTU equivalent)	-0	-0	+8	+4			
Incremental Price <sup>7</sup> @ 2,500 units/yr @ 25,000 units/yr	4750/5350 1825/2225	3550/3950 1085/1175	4840/5440 1695/2100	3670/3860 920/985			

Note that range is based on an assumed tank size that holds approximately half the gasoline energy equivalent for CNG vehicles and 80 percent of the gasoline energy equivalent for LPG. Other tank sizes could be incorporated at different costs.

EEA believes that the Lead Acid battery is potentially the only viable near term solution. Some analysts claim that the Nickel Metal Hydride battery (Ni-MH) can became cost competitive at \$200/kwh relative to a lead-acid battery at \$125/kwh by the year 2002, but others believe that the Ni-MH batteries are more likely to cost \$400/kwh initially. A range of 80 to 100 miles is the best that can be considered in the entire time frame to 2015, given the steep increase in costs to obtain a 200 mile range. Beyond 2005, the Ni-MH battery could be dominant, although it is very speculative to make such a prediction. Of course, all EVs are zero emission vehicles.

Electric vehicles can be conversions of existing gasoline vehicles, but the conversion is rather extensive. Essentially, the entire drivetrain must be replaced, necessitating removal of the gasoline engine and transmission. In addition, the fuel tank must be removed, and the vehicle equipped with batteries. The EV motor/controllers and batteries have very different characteristics of weight and size relative to the components displaced in a conventional gasoline car, so that the repackaging of these components, especially the battery, requires significant engineering and design effort. The conversion process typically utilizes a vehicle built without any of the gasoline vehicle's drivetrain and fuel systems, and such vehicles are referred to as gliders.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Cars/Light Trucks.

	Table F-16: EV Characteristics in 2005							
Battery (Scenario)	<u>Range</u>	<u>Battery</u> <u>Weight</u> (kg)	<u>Total Weight</u> (kg)	<u>Energy Eff.</u> (kwh/km)	<u>Incr. Price</u> (1994)			
<u>Subcompact</u> Lead Acid (m) Ni-MH (m) Ni-MH (o) Na-S (o)	80 100 200 200	612 283 823 263	1540 1010 1850 943	0.190 0.116 0.201 0.106	8,030 13,575 (6631) <sup>*</sup> 42,500 27,050			
Intermediate Lead Acid (m) Ni-MH (m) Ni-MH (o) Na-S (o)	80 100 200 200	830 370 1,075 343	2,031 1,335 2,430 1,250	0.250 0.153 0.265 0.141	10,900 17,900 (8835) <sup>8</sup> 55,675 35,500			
<u>Compact Van</u> Lead Acid (m) Ni-MH (m) Ni-MH (o) Na-S (o)	80 100 200 200	918 425 1,234 394	2,336 1,540 2,800 1,440	0.288 0.177 0.305 0.162	12,700 21,000 (10,600) <sup>*</sup> 64,400 41,220			
<u>Standard Pickup</u> Lead Acid (m) Ni-MH (m) Ni-MH (o) Na-S (o)	80 100 200 200	1,186 550 1,598 510	2,918 1,887 3,527 1,764	0.360 0.217 0.384 0.199	16,760 27,520 (14,070) <sup>*</sup> 83,820 53,800			

Energy Efficiency is based on electrical consumption at wall plug. Price increment is relative to advanced conventional vehicle for the same scenario.

Purpose designed EVs have been displayed by some automanufacturers such as GM and BMW, but most industry analysts doubt that such vehicles will be produced at a production capacity level of less than 100,000 units/year because of the very high investment in the design, tooling and certification for a unique design. Indeed, GM officials have stated that they can never recover the \$260 million invested in the design and engineering for the purpose-built "Impact" EV. Even at 100,000 units/year, media reports suggest that a purpose built EV would require investments similar to that for a conventional car (about \$1 billion per model) but the incremental investment for a glider derived EV would be about one-tenth that amount.

For electric vehicles derived from a glider, investment costs have had to estimated since none of the

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> Price if Ni-mH battery can be manufactured at \$200/kwh. National Energy Modeling System

manufacturers provided this information. Approximate estimates from published magazine articles and other anecdotal information support an estimate of \$50 million in engineering, tooling, certification and launch cost for a production capacity of 2,500 units per year. This investment increases to \$80 million for 25,000 units per year and \$100 million for 100,000 units/year, based on the media reports discussed, as well as anecdotal information from the automanufacturers. However, the major capital expense is the construction of a battery plant, which is not treated here, since the battery is a "variable cost" to the automanufacturer. In addition, the same battery type or model can be used across different vehicle series and different automanufacturers.

In the near term (certainly to 2000 and perhaps to 2005), EEA believes that the only realistic battery option is the Advanced Lead Acid Battery. EEA interviewed the only manufacturer (Horizon) of such a battery that is nearing commercial production, and obtained costs at low volume production (of approximately 5000 vehicle battery packs per year) and at high volume (50,000 per year). Horizon's estimates for the high volume production rate battery was for a future unspecified date and may involve economies of both scale and learning, since such a battery has never been produced before.

The post-2002 estimate assumes emergence of the Nickel Metal Hydride battery, and its attributes have been estimated from current prototype performance. Although there is considerable uncertainty about its costs, it is assumed that the resulting EV will be cost competitive with a 2010 lead-acid battery powered EV, given a learning cost reduction schedule for the lead-acid battery. Although it is not necessary to specify the battery under this assumption to derive IRPE, it is necessary to do so to derive the characteristics of the EV in terms of weight, size and performance. EVs will also benefit from future improvements to weight, drag and rolling resistance.

For the computer model, it is assumed that all EV production will be based on a "glider" derived from a conventional gasoline car. The weight of the glider with no electrical components is estimated at 54 percent of the weight of the gasoline car. For an EV with performance levels equivalent to a gasoline car, battery weight ( $W_{Batt}$ ) is given by:

$$W_{Batt} = \left[\frac{0.1 \frac{R}{S_3}}{0.9 - 0.15 \frac{R}{S_E}}\right] \cdot W_{Glider}$$

where R is the EV range (in km),  $S_E$  is the battery specific energy in watt hours per kilogram, and  $W_{GLIDER}$  is glider weight in kg. An advanced lead acid battery has a specific energy of 40 wh/kg, while the Nickel Metal Hydride battery has an  $S_E$  of 72. These equations are used to estimate battery weight.

The IRPE of the EV at 25,000 units/year is estimated based on the assumption that the cost of the electric motor and electronic controller will offset the cost of the gasoline engine, fuel system and emission control system while the cost of the battery will be the most significant cost increment to the EV. In volume production, Lead Acid batteries are expected to cost (the automanufacturer) \$125 per kwh or \$5 per kg. The Nickel Metal Hydride battery is initially expected to cost \$400 per kwh or \$28.80 per kg. These costs apply in 1998, but Ni-MH batteries in 2002 should decrease to about \$250 per kwh.

Costs are expected to go down significantly with experience, but the "learning curve" is difficult to quantify objectively. Costs are expected to decline by 25 percent per decade based on interviews with battery manufacturers so that, for example, lead-acid batteries will sell for \$94 per kwh in 2008. The IRPE calculation amortizes the \$80 million in fixed costs as per the formula in Table F-12. Costs at low sales volumes of 2,500 units/year have been calculated externally, and in general, it has been found that an offset of \$10,000 in IRPE provides a reasonable representation of the low volume sales price relative to the calculated high volume sales price.

#### **Fuel-Cell Vehicles**

In a full cell vehicle, the fuel cell is similar to the EV battery in that it supplies motive power to the motors. The sizing of the fuel cell is based on the continuous power requirement of the vehicle, but all other factors will be quite similar to those for an EV. However, the present state of development of fuel cells is in its infancy, and considerable development is required before the fuel cell can be commercialized. Fuel cell powered vehicles are also zero emission vehicles.

PEM Fuel cells can use only hydrogen as fuel, and hence, hydrogen must be either carried on board in liquid form in a cryogenic tank, or manufactured on board with a methanol reformer. The DOE is researching the PEM fuel cell and reformer, and the costs and weights of these components are based on very aggressive <u>targets</u> set by DOE, not on current costs which are <u>two orders of magnitude</u> above the targets. The DOE targets may be appropriate for fuel cells in the 2020 time frame.

Calculations by EEA for OTA, based on DOE cost and performance targets, indicate that fuel cell vehicles of either type will have weights approximately similar to these of conventional gasoline vehicles, so that the FEM utilizes a short-cut approach to fuel cell IRPE determination. It starts with the finding that weights are similar to derive the required power output of a fuel cell, which is 30 kw per ton of vehicle weight. Peak output requirements are assumed to be met by a high power lead acid battery with peak power capacity of 2/3 of the fuel cell output, and a specific power capability of 500 w/kg.

Costs are based on these power output estimates and it is assumed that fuel cells will be initially available at the cost of \$450 per kw with a methanol reformer costing an additional \$200 per kw in 2003. The costs are one order of magnitude higher than DOE targets but may be representative of prices that can be achieved in the short-term. The cost of a cryogenic hydrogen tank is estimated at about \$3000, with only a weak dependence on size, at a sales volume of 25,000 unit/year. Costs of batteries are computed using the same methodology used to calculate EV battery costs.

Fixed cost amortization and low volume cost increases are assumed to be identical to those derived for EVs. However, the learning curve is expected to be very steep so that fuel cell/reformer costs decline 14 percent per year, to reach DOE targets by 2020. Fuel economy calculations are based on the details developed the OTA report, and are simply weight based for the purposes of the FEM.

## **Electric Hybrid Vehicles**

Electric Hybrid Vehicles feature both an engine and an electric motor as part of the drivetrain, but there can be a wide variety of designs that allow for large variations in the relative sizes of the electric motor, i.c. engine, and electric storage capacity. Hybrids are often classified as series or parallel, and also as charge depleting or charge sustaining. Even within these four categories, manufacturers disagree about the optimal relative size of the engine versus the electric motor. Due to these uncertainties, EEA has selected one promising approach which is a series, charge sustaining hybrid, with an engine sized to be able to produce the continuous power requirement of 30 kilowatts per ton of loaded vehicle weight, as an example for determining the IRPE.

Since the calculations to derive hybrid vehicle characteristics are relatively complex, a reduced form based on EEA's work for OTA has been used. Most of the costs of the vehicles scale in approximate proportion to vehicle weight, so that the gasoline vehicle weight is used as an indicator, and the calculated midsized hybrid vehicle costs and fuel economy are used as a reference point for scaling. The IRPE of hybrid vehicles are scaled based on an expected midsized vehicle IRPE of \$4400 in 2002 under a production rate of 25,000 units/year. A learning curve reduces these costs at 25 percent per decade, while low volume production at 2,500 units/year imposes an IRPE penalty of \$10,000.

Series hybrid vehicles are expected to have 30 percent better composite fuel economy than current conventional gasoline cars. However, future engine improvements to reduce pumping loss and drivetrain improvements are not applicable to such vehicles, due to the electric drivetrain used. Emissions of these vehicles are expected to conform to California ULEV regulations, much like CNG vehicle emissions.

# **Attachment 2: Alternative Fuel Vehicle Model**

Data Input Sources and Extrapolation Methodology

## INTRODUCTION

This Attachment documents the AFV database used in the National Energy Modeling System Transportation Sector Model. The database includes the present values and forecast methodologies for several attributes for twelve EPA size classes of light-duty vehicles. These attributes apply to sixteen vehicle-technology types and three scenarios for nine census divisions of the United States.

## DEFINITIONS

The vehicle EPA size classes are:

### Cars

- 1. Minicompact
- 2. Subcompact
- 3. Compact
- 4. Mid-Size
- 5. Large
- 6. Two-Seater

Light Trucks

- 1. Compact Pickup
- 2. Standard Pickup
- 3. Compact Van
- 4. Standard Van
- 5. Compact Utility

## 6. Standard Utility

The attributes are:

- 1. Purchase price, **PSPR** (nominal \$)
- Fuel operating cost (new vehicle efficiency divided by fuel price), FLCOST (nominal \$/gallon gasoline equivalent)
- 3. Vehicle range (miles between refueling) for dedicated fueled vehicles (alcohol dedicated, gaseous dedicated, EV, fuel cell methanol and fuel cell hydrogen technologies), **VRNG** (miles)
- 4. Top speed, **TPSD** (mph)
- 5. Acceleration from 0 to 30 mph, ACCL (seconds)
- Dummy variable for gasoline capable vehicle with range > 250 miles (gasoline, diesel, fuel cell gasoline, alcohol flex, bi-fuel gaseous, and diesel hybrid technologies), DR250 (0, 1 value)
- 7. Dummy variable for gasoline capable vehicle with range >200 miles (same technologies as #6), DR200 (0,1 value)
- Dummy variable for multi-fuel capability (alcohol flex and gaseous bi-fuel technologies),
   MFUEL (0,1 value)
- 9. Dummy variable for home refueling for EV's, **HFUEL** (0, 1 value)
- 10. Maintenance and battery replacement costs, **MAINT** (nominal \$/yr)
- 11. Luggage space indexed to gasoline in in^3, LUGG (0 to 1 value)
- 12. Gasoline capable vehicle with range in excess of 250 miles (gasoline, diesel, fuel cell gasoline, alcohol flex, bi-fuel gaseous, and diesel hybrid technologies), **RGT250** (miles in excess of 250 miles)
- 13. Fuel Availability (Fraction of stations) indexed to gasoline, FAVL (0 to 1 value)
- 14. Fuel Availability<sup>2</sup> (Fraction of stations) indexed to gasoline, **FAVL2** (0 to 1 value)

The vehicle-technology types are:

- 1. Methanol Flex
- 2. Methanol Neat
- 3. Ethanol Flex
- 4. Ethanol Neat
- 5. CNG
- 6. LPG
- 7. Electric
- 8. Diesel Electric Hybrid
- 9. CNG Bi-Fuel
- 10. LPG Bi-Fuel
- 11. Fuel Cell Methanol
- 12. Fuel Cell Hydrogen
- 13. Fuel Cell Gasoline
- 14. Placeholder (empty)
- 15. Turbo Direct Injection Diesel
- 16. Gasoline (includes gasoline EV hybrid and direct injection gasoline technologies)

# FORECASTING METHOD

The NEMS AFV submodule incorporates parameters and coefficients that were estimated by Argonne National Laboratory in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Energy's Office of Transportation Technologies, and EIA's Office of Integrated Analysis and Forecasting. The equation estimations used data from the National Alternative-Fuel Vehicle Survey conducted by Argonne and OTT.<sup>9</sup> The stated preference survey covered 47 of the lower 48 states in the U.S. excluding California. California was excluded because the University of California at Davis owns the rights to a similar survey for California. The intention was to combine the two surveys at some future point in time. The survey utilitzed three stages: 1) initial telephone interview of households, 2) customized questionnaire mailed to households, and 3) a second interview to review the answers to the questionnaire. The survey was taken from August 1995 to January 1996. 1904 respondents answers

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup>Tompkins, Melanie, David Bunch, Danilo Santini, Mark Bradley, Anant Vyas, and David Poyer, "Determinants of Alternative-Fuel Vehicle Choice In The Continental United States," Presented at the 77th Annual Meeting of the Transportation Research Board, January 1998.

were received in stage 1) and 1149 respondents were contained in stage 2). Various combinations of vehicle prices, fuel prices, vehicle ranges, maintenance costs, performance levels, luggage spaces, and vehicle sizes were provided for each vehicle type. Gasoline, alcohol, CNG, LPG, and electric vehicles were contained in the survey. Additional information about the respondents included demographic data such as household structure, vehicle holdings, housing characteristics, employment and commuting patterns, household income, race, age, gender, and education level.

A multi-nomial logit model was estimated using maximum likelihood econometric techniques. The sample was divided into three car and three light truck size classes: 1) neighborhood electric vehicles, 2) small car (minicompact, subcompact, and two-seater sizes) and compact cars, 3) midsize and large cars, 4) compact and standard pickup trucks, and standard vans (which are considered work truck), and 5) compact and standard sport utility vehicles. Each size class has a corresponding equation which attempts to estimate the sale market share for all AFV's within a given size class, resulting in 6 separate equations. It was apriori assumed that valuation of the explanatory variables would differ by size class. During the estimation process, variables which were found to be not statistically significantly different from other size classes were combined. All of the equations were estimated simultaneously. It is important to note that all of the variables included in the estimation are not specific to vehicle size. Some of the variables such as the dummy variable for gasoline capable vehicles differ by fuel type. The statistical properties of the estimated equations are listed below.

Variable	Size Class	Coefficient	Standard Error	Z statistic= Coefficient/Standard Error
Purchase price (nominal \$) PSPR				
	nev	-7.07E-05	8.27E-05	855
	scar+ccar	-6.79E-05	1.32E-05	-5.145
	mcar+lcar	-4.11E-05	4.82E-06	-8.543
	cpickup+spickup+stdvan	-7.31E-05	1.17E-05	-6.263
	minivan	-1.13E-04	1.74E-05	-6.475
	suv+ssuv	-3.52E-05	9.55E-06	-3.689

Table F-17: AFV Estimated Equations and Statistical Properties of the National Alternative-Fuel Vehicle Survey (Version 33 from 8/7/98)

Fuel cost (nominal \$/mi) FLCOST				
	nev	-2.12E-01	5.70E-01	372
	scar+ccar	-1.12E-01	3.99E-02	-2.805
	mcar+lcar	-8.65E-02	2.77E-02	-3.122
	cpickup+spickup+stdvan	-5.37E-02	2.11E-02	-2.541
	minivan	4.22E-02	4.43E-02	.952
	suv+ssuv	-1.08E-01	2.51E-02	-4.295
Maximum range: dedicated AFV's (electric & gaseous) (miles) VRNG				
	nev	4.92E-03	3.65E-03	1.348
	scar+ccar	4.74E-03	2.23E-03	2.127
	mcar+lcar	3.05E-03	1.35E-03	2.252
	cpickup+spickup+stdvan	-2.25E-05	1.63E-03	-0.014
	minivan	5.22E-03	2.63E-03	1.985
	suv+ssuv	3.20E-03	1.47E-03	2.18
Gasoline capable range in excess of 250 miles (miles) RGT250				
	gasoline vehicle	-3.39E-03	1.39E-03	-2.436
	alcohol vehicle	-7.48E-04	1.56E-03	-0.478
	dual fuel gaseous	-2.47E-03	3.91E-03	-0.63
	hybrid EV	-4.05E-03	4.36E-03	-0.929
Dummy variable for gasoline capable range >250 miles (0 or 1 value) DR250		1.66E-01	1.38E-01	1.202
Acceleration time 0-30 mpg (secs) ACCL		-6.20E-02	2.40E-02	-2.59
Top Speed (mph) TPSD		3.04E-03	1.80E-03	1.694

Dummy variable for gasoline capable (0 or 1 value) DR200	1.23E+00	2.98E-01	4.121
Dummy variable for multi-fuel capability (0 or 1 value) MFUEL	-5.80E-01	1.41E-01	-4.122
Dummy variable for home re-fueling (EV's) (0 or 1 value) HFUEL	1.86E-01	1.36E-01	1.363
Maintenance & battery replacement costs (nominal \$/yr) MAINT	-4.55E-04	1.75E-04	-2.605
Luggage space indexed to gasoline vehicle (0 to 1 value) LUGG	3.35E-03	1.35E-03	2.477

The original equation estimated also included the following variables to capture the effects of refueling infrastructure advances in the future. These variables although estimated simultaneously with the other variables, were not included in the AFV model because of the excessive feedback effects of lagged variables which are implicit in the formulation. Several of the AFV technology coefficients are also statistically insignificant. The infrastructure variable was named NUM and referred to the number of AFV's on road of a particular type.

Table F-18: Infrastructure Variable Excluded From the AFV Module

Variable	AFV Technology	Coefficient	Standard Error	Z Statistic
Number of AFV's on	nber of AFV's on			
Road				
	dedicated EV	-2.85E-03	2.27E-03	-1.256
	hybrid EV	-2.29E03	3.32E-03	-0.69
	alcohol fueled vehicle		5.57E-04	2.334

	dedicated gaseous vehicle	-3.23E-04	7.16E-04	-0.451
	dual fuel gaseous vehicle	1.36E-03	5.52E-04	2.46
Fuel Availability Capped at 10%: dedicated gaseous no home refueling		4.45E-02	2.14E-02	2.076

The fuel availability coefficients from the original NEMS model were used in replace of the fuel availability/infrastructure variables contained in the original National Alternative-Fuel Vehicle Survey.<sup>10</sup>

Fuel Availability (#	Variable	Coefficient	Standard Error	Z Statistic
stations/sq. 20 miles)				
(indexed to				
gasoline=1.0)				
	Fuel Availability	2.96	.52	5.7
	Fuel Availability <sup>2</sup>	-1.63	.47	-3.5

Other changes were made to the original variables estimated from the National Alternative-Fuel Vehicle survey estimates. The gasoline dummies for 1) gasoline capable vehicles with range greater than 250 miles, and 2) gasoline capable vehicles were both scaled relative to the gasoline vehicle range within each size class. Therefore, only the gasoline vehicle received the full dummy value of 1.0 times the coefficient. The other gasoline capable vehicles received the fraction of the dummy coefficient corresponding to its fraction of range as a percent of the gasoline vehicle range. Furthermore, at the first stage of the logit equation, in which gasoline vehicles and diesel vehicles are competed against a sales-weighted average AFV vehicle, the diesel vehicle was not given the gasoline capable dummy, but instead used the gasoline capable greater than 250 miles dummy variable. Conversely, at the first stage of the logit equation, the gasoline vehicle was provided with the gasoline capable dummy variable, but did not use the gasoline capable greater than 250 miles dummy variable.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup>Bunch, David, M. Bradley, T.F. Golob, R. Kitamura, and G.P. Occhiuzzo, "Demand for Clean-Fuel Personal Vehicles in California: A Discrete-Choice Stated Preference Study," Transportation Research, Vol. 27A, pp. 237-253, 1993. National Energy Modeling System

All of these adjustments were used to mitigate the penetration of diesel and gasoline vehicles. A large part of the reason for these changes to the originally estimated coefficients from the National Alternative-Fuel survey equations, result from the inclusion of diesel vehicles, which the survey did not originally include. Several other technologies included in NEMS, such as direct injection turbo diesels, diesel electric hybrids, and fuel cell vehicles, were not contained as a part of the survey. These technologies pose difficulties for the estimated equations because their vehicle attributes are usually outside of the normal range of values associated with AFV's.

# DATABASE LIMITATIONS

There are some limitations which apply to the database and to its usage within a transportation choice model. They are discussed below.

## MACROECONOMIC ISSUES

The database model is generally optimistic about the current rate of technological progress and innovation and assumes it will continue to grow progressively faster. Limitations in the database suggest that these forecasts may be overly optimistic in a macroeconomic sense.

- <u>Diversion of Resources</u> the diversion of government and private sector resources toward alternative investments is not considered, i.e., large sums could go into infrastructure and mass transportation systems that are more efficient than any passenger vehicle alternative. Governmental and institutional budgets may be reduced significantly enough to impede future growth of AFV purchases; this especially applies to the Energy Policy Act of 1992, which by 1998 has not fulfilled it's mandate for federal fleet AFV purchases.
- <u>Institutional Barriers</u> the created interests of significant economic or political actors, or groups of actors, could override market considerations for the benefit or detriment of any alternative technology or fuel.
- <u>Environmental Barriers</u> one or more AFVs may receive significant opposition or backing purely for its environmental impact; moreover, public opinion as well as the National Energy Modeling System
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environmental movement's preferences may shift in the near future, i.e., the environmental movement currently supports methanol-fueled vehicles, but that could change if a cleaner way to produce hydrogen for hydrogen-burning vehicles was found.

- <u>Psychological Barriers</u> acceptance by the public is also a function of misperceptions and psychological factors, e.g., CNG, LNG, LPG and hydrogen may be perceived as dangerous to handle and thus avoided even if their safety records are objectively similar to that of gasoline.
- <u>Information Barriers</u> accurate data do not exist for most of the exotic vehicle-fuel combinations (fuel cells, hybrid electric, etc.). Also cost and performance estimates for many of the emerging alternatives, especially electric vehicles, differ by a factor of 2-10 from source to source. In many cases, there is no clear basis for distinguishing among such inconsistencies.

# **DESCRIPTION OF VEHICLE TECHNOLOGIES**

The AFV module currently analyzes 13 alternative-fuel technologies against a conventional gasoline powered vehicle<sup>11</sup> and diesel vehicle. Additional conventional and non-conventional technologies can be added to the analysis; however, for simplicity, conventional technologies are represented as a single category. This section of the report describes the characteristics of the alternative-fuel technologies as well as the criteria used in selection of alternative fuel-vehicle types.

Four primary technology selection criteria are employed for this study. The four criteria are the following:

• Vehicle operates utilizing a non-gasoline fuel or a significantly new engine technology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> This study assumes all gasoline powered internal combustion engines under a single technology category even though there is significant variation within gasoline fueled engines.

- Technology holds the potential to penetrate the light-duty vehicle market by the year 2020.
- Technology possesses distinct fuel use, performance and/or cost characteristics relative to all other technologies considered.
- Data is available on important attributes for the vehicle technology.

Variations within each technology class based on vehicle subclass are not being analyzed as a distinct category but are incorporated into the collective category for the technology<sup>12</sup>. Future work in estimating market share growth for alternative-fuel technology may breakdown technology classes by engine and combustion technology; however, the complexity of such an analysis is unwarranted at the present time.

This study has identified 13 alternative-fuel technologies which have met the four criteria previously stated. Conventional gasoline technology has been grouped into one single category using average vehicle attributes taken across all conventional vehicles. Following is a list of the sixteen vehicle technologies incorporated in this study. The advantages and disadvantages of each of the individual technologies will be briefly described in the following sections.

# **Gasoline Internal Combustion Engine Vehicles**

Presently, the vast majority of transportation vehicles utilize an internal combustion engine (ICE) which was first patented in 1876 by Nikolaus Otto. The ICE is a heat driven engine which operates by mixing air and fuel vapor together, compressing the fuel mix in a cylinder, and igniting the fuel mix by means of an electric spark. The ignited fuel mix pushes a piston which in turn drives the vehicle<sup>13</sup>. Since the invention of the internal combustion engine the primary power source has been gasoline, although, many other fuels such as alcohols, natural gas and diesel can be utilized. It is speculated that if the discoveries of enormous petroleum deposits in Texas had not occurred during the early development years, the automobile would have developed as an alcohol vehicle rather than gasoline.

One of the primary advantages of conventional ICE vehicles is that economically these vehicles are

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> Significant variations exist in the gasoline powered technology such as fuel injected engines versus carbureting engines; however, for simplicity all technologies utilizing a single fuel mix will be categorized together.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup> Glasstone, S., *Energy Deskbook*, Van Nostrand Reinhold Company, New York, 1983, pp. 364-368. National Energy Modeling System

inexpensive to operate due to the large development and refining infrastructure established for petroleum products. An abundance of petroleum deposits occur throughout the world and transportation of petroleum is not difficult in comparison to methanol and natural gas.

The conventional gasoline ICE vehicles are more harmful to the environment than the majority of alternative-fuel vehicles. Environmental concerns is one of the leading incentives for the development of alternative-fuel vehicles due to the problems associated with greenhouse gasses and urban ozone formation problems.

#### **Diesel Vehicles**

The diesel engine, like the gasoline engine, is an internal combustion engine which is heat driven from the ignition of diesel fuel in the cylinder which in turn drives the pistons. Unlike the gasoline ICE, a spark plug is not used to ignite the fuel mix but rather the combination of the compression and heat of the cylinder causes ignition of the fuel mix. Currently, diesel technology is advancing with the direct injection technology, in which a very lean diesel gas mixture is injected into the cylinder yielding approximately a 27% fuel economy improvement. Diesel technology at present receives an exemption from emissions standards for NOx and particulates. However, if direct injection engines become popular, it is uncertain if EPA will continue to allow the NOx and particulate exemptions in the future. Furthermore, EPA is current formulating their Tier II emissions regulations for both NOx and particulates, which may also limit the direct injection technology known for it's high emissions levels for both pollutants.

#### **Ethanol Vehicles**

Ethanol is a fuel which is currently being used to supply ethanol powered vehicles in a ratio of approximately 85 percent ethanol to 15 percent gasoline as well as a gasoline supply extender for conventional gasoline powered engines in a ratio of approximately 5 percent ethanol and 95 percent gasoline. This study is considering only ethanol vehicles (vehicles using the 85/15 percent mix) as a category separate from conventional vehicles. Two technology categories exist under the ethanol fuel heading. Ethanol Neat Vehicles use only ethanol fuel, and Ethanol Flex Vehicles have the ability to use any combination of gasoline and ethanol fuels.

Ethanol can be produced from food sources such as corn and sugar cane or from non-food biomass such as trees, grass, waste paper, and cardboard. Presently, approximately 95 percent of ethanol fuel being produced in the United States comes from corn. Neat ethanol engines are expected to produce a 30 percent increase in efficiency over conventional gasoline engines; however, ethanol fuel has a lower energy content of only 67 percent of gasoline. A variation in cost estimates for ethanol fuel production exist depending on the source material and the distillation process. The EPA estimates that the "gasoline equivalent" ethanol price using corn stock is between \$1.47 and \$2.07 per gallon<sup>14</sup>.

Ethanol fuel provides several important environmental benefits over gasoline in both the consumption and production stages. Ethanol is produced from a renewable energy source such as corn or sugar cane, where as petroleum is a non-renewable energy source which could be depleted in the future. Ethanol fueled vehicles emit a lower amount of carbon dioxide, nitrogen oxide and hydrocarbons than gasoline<sup>15</sup>. The Environmental Protection Agency estimates that carbon dioxide emissions, the major component of "greenhouse gases", are reduced to zero using ethanol produced from corn or sugar cane when considering the carbon reabsorption factor of corn during the growing stage<sup>16</sup>.

#### **Methanol Vehicles**

Methanol fuel is similar in some respects to ethanol since it also is used as a gasoline extender in conventional gasoline engines and as a fuel in methanol engines. Presently methanol is mixed with gasoline in an 85 percent methanol/ 15 percent gasoline (M85) ratio and is consumed in a methanol engine. Two technologies exist for this analysis under the methanol heading; Methanol Neat which operates on M85 and Methanol Flex which has the ability to use any combination of M85 and gasoline depending on economic and availability factors.

Currently natural gas is the primary source of methanol although other materials such as coal, biomass

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>14</sup> Environmental Protection Agency, *Analysis of the Economic and Environmental Effects of Ethanol as an Automobile Fuel*, April, 1990, pp. 15-22.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>15</sup> The Gas Research Institute, The Energy Information Administration, and Science Applications International Corporation, *Identification and Analysis of Factors Affecting the Adoption of Alternative Transportation Fuels*, 1991, pp. 20-21.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>16</sup> Environmental Protection Agency, *Analysis of the Economic and Environmental Effects of Ethanol as an Automobile Fuel*, April, 1990, pp. 49-50.

and cellulose can be used. Methanol allows countries with excess natural gas supplies to export fuel without the expense of pipelines and LNG process. It is estimated that the wholesale price of methanol produced from natural gas is approximately \$.40/gallon. However, because methanol has only about one half of the energy per gallon of gasoline, the cost per gasoline equivalent gallon is estimated at \$.75<sup>17</sup>.

Environmental advantages of methanol fueled vehicles are reductions in ozone formation, volatile organic compounds (VOC) and "greenhouse gas" emissions<sup>18</sup>. Ozone formation is a significant problem in urban areas linked to the emission of gasoline vehicles. Methanol emissions produce a lower photochemical reactivity than gasoline emissions; therefore, reducing the urban ozone formation problem. It is estimated that methanol vehicles emit 80 percent less VOC emissions than gasoline vehicles. Methanol vehicles emit increased volumes of formaldehyde and methanol gas which can be harmful in concentrated amounts. Further research is being conducted on the health risks associated with methanol and formaldehyde emissions.

#### **Electric Vehicles**

Extensive alternative fuel vehicle research is now being done to improve electric vehicle performance. The primary obstacle of electric car development is battery technology. Various automobile manufacturers and research groups are concentrating on improving battery capabilities; however, at the present time battery technology limits electric vehicle range and performance attributes. For this reason electric vehicle motors have been combined with other conventional and non-conventional technologies in order to enhance vehicle performance. Technologies combined with electric motors include the internal combustion engine and gas turbine engine. This study will consider two technologies under the electric vehicle heading; electric, and diesel electric hybrid. Gasoline electric hybrid is contained in the gasoline conventional technologies.

The primary advantage of electric-powered vehicles is that they produce virtually no direct emissions

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>17</sup> The Gas Research Institute, The Energy Information Administration, and Science Applications International Corporation, *Identification and Analysis of Factors Affecting the Adoption of Alternative Transportation Fuels*, 1991, p. 28.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>18</sup> Energy Protection Agency, Analysis of the Economic and Environmental Effects of Methanol as an Automobile Fuel, April, 1990, pp. 15-18.

at the point of consumption. Direct emissions produced by electric vehicles are largely hydrogen emissions released during the battery recharging stage. Although hydrogen is an explosive emission in high concentration, hydrogen poses no problem to atmospheric air pollution<sup>19</sup>. While electric vehicles produce almost no direct emissions there are emissions associated with the electricity production stage depending on the power source of the electricity generation. Centralized power plants located away from urban centers eliminate urban ozone formation problems and can effectively control emissions associated with fossil fuel consumption. Electric motors have the advantage over internal combustion engines (ICE) because electric motors do not idle when the motion is stopped as ICEs do thus eliminating the idling power loss which can be significant in urban transportation settings.

Considering present electricity prices, exclusive electric vehicles as an alternative to gasoline vehicles are not as cost effective as ethanol, methanol, and natural gas vehicles. Even though electricity as a transportation fuel delivers 50 percent more miles per Btu than other fuels, the current price of electricity makes electric fuel transportation notably more expensive than conventional vehicles<sup>20</sup>. Additionally, electric vehicle prices are much higher than conventional vehicles, because of the cost of the batteries, especially given their periodic (every 3 years for lead acid) replacement battery cost. Nickel metal hydride batteries extend the vehicle range of EV's by about 50%, but at approximately two times the cost of lead acid batteries.

Recently with the advent of the Toyota Prius, EV hybrid engine technology has arrived on the Japanese market. The Prius is scheduled to arrive in the U.S. market in the year 2000, according to Toyota's public annoucements. EV hybrid technology uses both conventional engine technology to run the vehicle to recharge the battery and operate at a steady state highway condition. The electric battery is only used during extreme power needs such as quick acceleration. While braking the vehicle, regenerative brakes are used to capture the energy lost during braking. EV hybrids can run on either gasoline or diesel fuel.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>19</sup> The Gas Research Institute, The Energy Information Administration, and Science Applications International Corporation, *Identification and Analysis of Factors Affecting the Adoption of Alternative Transportation Fuels*, 1991, p. 21.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>20</sup> Ibid, p.30.

### **Compressed Natural Gas/Liquid Petroleum Gas Vehicles**

Compressed Natural Gas (CNG) and Liquid Petroleum Gas (LPG) vehicles are grouped together in this summary because the engine technology is similar for the two vehicles utilizing different fuel sources. CNG vehicles have been in use for several decades in the United States while in other parts of the world they have been in operation since the 1930's<sup>21</sup>. The largest application of CNG vehicles has been in heavy-duty fleet vehicles because of the bulky natural gas storage tanks.

The CNG/LPG technology consists of a modified internal combustion engine connected to the fuel source in a closed system<sup>22</sup>. Because the fuel supply is in a gaseous state the entire storage engine system must be a closed system which eliminates the emissions problem of evaporating fuel during storage and refueling. The CNG/LPG engine produces higher thermal efficiencies than conventional gasoline engines; however, because of the additional weight involved with the fuel storage tanks the additional energy efficiencies are almost negated<sup>23</sup>. However; presently it is reported that natural gas vehicle operation is less expensive than conventional gasoline vehicles. A survey of gas utilities taken by the Gas Research Institute indicated that the CNG price per gallon-equivalent of gasoline is \$.85-\$1.10. GRI reports that it's analysis indicates that CNG prices including compression costs and fuel taxes are 13 percent lower than gasoline cost for conventional vehicles<sup>24</sup>.

Compressed natural gas and liquid petroleum gas vehicles are considered clean fuel vehicles because the fuel burns cleaner than conventional gasoline vehicles. Natural gas vehicles do not emit ozone formation emissions, however, these vehicles do emit a high amount of  $NO_x$  and methane which is an important contributor to greenhouse gases.

## **Fuel Cell Vehicles**

The concept of fuel cells as a power source for transportation vehicles is similar to electric vehicle

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>21</sup> Environmental Protection Agency, *Analysis of the Economic and Environmental Effects of Compressed Natural Gas as a Vehicle Fuel*, Volume II Heavy-Duty Vehicles, April 1990, pp. 1-2.4.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>22</sup> Energy Information Administration, *Energy Consumption and Conservation Potential: Supporting Analysis for National Energy Strategy*, December 21, 1990, pp. 90-91.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>23</sup> Energy Information Administration, *Energy Consumption and Conservation Potential: Supporting Analysis for National Energy Strategy*, December 21, 1990, pp. 90-91.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>24</sup> The Gas Research Institute, The Energy Information Administration, and Science Applications International Corporation, *Identification and Analysis of Factors Affecting the Adoption of Alternative Transportation Fuels*, 1991, p. 29. National Energy Modeling System

technology because an electric current powers a motor which drives the vehicle. The difference is that an electric vehicle runs off of a battery which is recharged periodically while a fuel cell is charged by a separate power source such as methanol or hydrogen. Fuel cell technology operates directly on hydrogen fuel and must have storage tanks for the hydrogen or have a reformer on board which runs on gasoline or methanol to create the hydrogen on demand. The first large scale applications of fuel cell technology were the Apollo and Gemini space missions which sparked interest in fuel cell technology in vehicle transportation.

Fuel cell technology has the advantage of higher conversion efficiency from the fuel source into electricity than a combustion engine. A large portion of the energy derived in a heat driven internal combustion engine is lost in the form of external heat which does not occur in the fuel cell technology. Fuel cell technology remains in the development stage and cost projections of transportation vehicles are extremely high. Further research may lower the costs of fuel cell technology; however, for now fuel cell technology seems unrealistic for large scale adoption until 2010. The Partnership for a New Generation of Vehicles (PNGV), a cooperative R&D effort by the U.S. government and the automotive industry, has spurred the fuel cell development. Many manufacturers have announced plans to have the fuel cell technology in a prototype by 2005 to 2006. Given mass production lead times of 4 to 6 years, fuel cells may not be available for the public until 2010.

# **VEHICLE PRICES**

This section documents vehicle purchase prices and assumptions used to generate the endogenous calculation of vehicle prices. Vehicle prices are estimated for sixteen technologies and twelve EPA vehicle sizes, from 1990 through 2020, in thousands of nominal dollars.

The general approach is to establish current and ultimate price premia for AFV's (alternative fuel vehicles) over the price of a gasoline I.C.E. (internal combustion engine) vehicle, and to use an exponential decay function to simulate economies of scale in production (expressed as a compound percentage decline rate) in order to project each price premium as it approaches its ultimate value. The shape of the curve implied by the price decay is based on forecasted future price levels based on

EEA's judgment where no data are available.

The current Fuel Economy Model (FEM) endogenously calculates vehicle prices, vehicle range, and fuel efficiency for new alternative-fuel vehicles (AFV's). The equations in FEM which correspond with the endogenous calculations for vehicle prices, vehicle range, and fuel efficiency are contained in Volume I. The following sections will provide the initial starting points for these vehicle attributes in 1990, as this is the beginning year of the model. All of the vehicle attributes vary across the 12 EPA size classes and are forecast through the year 2020. Each forecasted vehicle attribute is entered into the AFV technology equation in the AFV module to determine the sales shares among the technologies.

Because the FEM operates on 14 size classes in which vehicle prices, vehicle range, and fuel efficiency are endogenous calculated, once these three vehicle attributes are estimated, they are then converted to 12 EPA size classes. All other variables that are included in the AFV submodule are originally calculated based on the 12 EPA size classes. For comparative purposes, all vehicle attributes will be listed by 12 EPA size classes beginning in 1990.

### **VEHICLE PRICES**

FEM vehicle prices are initially based on a salesweighted average by 14 vehicle size classes using auto industry trade sales data.<sup>25</sup> Although the FEM submodule estimates vehicle prices in \$90, the AFV module converts the units to nominal dollars. Table F-20. lists the incremental cost of AFV's above a comparable gasoline vehicle for two production volumes, less than 2,500 units and less than 25,000 units. All vehicle production volumes between 2,500 and 25,000 units are scaled according to a logistic function. These incremental AFV vehicle costs are then scaled to each of the 14 FEM size classes and then allocated to 12 EPA size classes.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>25</sup>Ward's AutomotiveYearbook, Detriot, Michigan, various years. National Energy Modeling System Transportation Model Demand Sector Documentation Report

Vehicle Technology	AFV Cars Incremental Cost (\$90) for Production <2,500 units	AFV Cars Incremental Cost (\$90) for Production <25,000 units	AFV Light Trucks Incremental Cost (\$90) for Production <2,500 units	AFV Light Trucks Incremental Cost (\$90) for Production <25,000 units
Gasoline	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Flex-Fuel Methanol	1650	410	2000	500
Flex-Fuel Ethanol	1650	410	2000	500
Dedicated Methanol	1560	370	1820	425
Dedicated Ethanol	1560	370	1820	425
Dedicated CNG	4840	1695	5350	2100
CNG Bi-Fuel	4750	1825	3950	2225
Dedicated LPG	3670	920	5440	985
LPG Bi-Fuel	3550	1085	3860	1175
Dedicated EV	10000	0.0	10000	0.0
Diesel/EV Hybrid	10000	5000	10000	0.0
Methanol Fuel Cell	10000	0.0	10000	0.0
Hydrogen Fuel Cell	10000	0.0	10000	0.0
Gasoline Fuel Cell	10000	0.0	10000	0.0
Turbo Direction Injection Diesel	1200	800	2400	1600

Table F-20: Initial Incremental AFV Costs Above A Comparable Gasoline Vehicle

Vehicle prices are then adjusted to specific learning curves applied to specific costs for each technology. The subsequent cost reduction learning curves are list below.

Table F-21: Learning Curve Cost Reductions For Specific AFV's (fraction of initial incremental
cost)

Year	Lead-Acid	Nickel Metal	Market Share	Methanol Fuel	Hydrogen Fuel	Gasoline Fuel
	Battery Cost	Hydride Cost	for Ni-	Cell Cost in	Cell Cost in	Cell Cost in
	Reduction	Reduction	Hydride	\$/Kw (approx.	\$/Kw (approx.	\$/Kw
	(approx.		Batteries	14.2%/yr)	14.2%/yr)	(approx.
	25%/10yrs)		(1.0=100%)			14.2%/yr)
1990	1.0000	5.0000	0.0000	9999.00	9999.00	9999.00
1991	1.0000	5.0000	0.0000	9999.00	9999.00	9999.00
1992	1.0000	5.0000	0.0000	9999.00	9999.00	9999.00

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1993	1.0000	5.0000	0.0000	9999.00	9999.00	9999.00
1994	1.0000	5.0000	0.0000	9999.00	9999.00	9999.00
1995	1.0000	5.0000	0.0000	9999.00	9999.00	9999.00
1996	.9716	5.0000	0.0000	9999.00	9999.00	9999.00
1997	.9441	5.0000	0.0000	9999.00	9999.00	9999.00
1998	.9173	5.0000	0.0000	9999.00	9999.00	9999.00
1999	.8913	5.0000	0.0000	9999.00	9999.00	9999.00
2000	.8660	5.0000	0.0000	9999.00	9999.00	9999.00
2001	.8415	5.0000	0.0000	9999.00	9999.00	9999.00
2002	.8176	5.0000	0.0000	9999.00	9999.00	9999.00
2003	.7944	1.0000	.2000	9999.00	9999.00	9999.00
2004	.7719	.9716	.4000	9999.00	9999.00	9999.00
2005	.7500	.9441	.6000	650.00	450.00	750.00
2006	.7287	.9173	.8000	557.50	385.96	643.27
2007	.7081	.8913	1.0000	478.17	331.04	551.73
2008	.6880	.8660	1.0000	140.12	283.93	473.22
2009	.6685	.8415	1.0000	351.76	243.53	405.88
2010	.6495	.8176	1.0000	301.70	208.87	348.12
2011	.6311	.7944	1.0000	258.77	179.15	298.58
2012	.6132	.7719	1.0000	221.95	153.65	256.09
2013	.5958	.7500	1.0000	190.36	131.79	219.65
2014	.5789	.7287	1.0000	163.27	113.03	188.39
2015	.5625	.7081	1.0000	140.04	96.95	161.58
2016	.5625	.7081	1.0000	120.11	83.15	138.59
2017	.5625	.7081	1.0000	103.02	71.32	118.87
2018	.5625	.7081	1.0000	88.36	61.17	101.95
2019	.5625	.7081	1.0000	75.78	52.47	87.44
2020	.5625	.7081	1.0000	65.00	45.00	75.00

All vehicle prices are adjusted each year to reflect increases/decreases in fuel economy due to increases/decreases in performance/horsepower relative to the equipment changes needed to meet a given performance level. Performance demanded by consumers is a function of fuel prices, income per capita, and the fuel economy of each size class (please see FEM submodule for more details).

# FUEL EFFICIENCY

The AFV submodule uses fuel efficiency which is estimated in the FEM submodule (please see the FEM submodule for more details). AFV fuel efficiency is calculated relative to a comparable gasoline vehicle fuel efficiency for all 12 EPA size classes. Many of the advanced conventional technologies contained in FEM are also applicable to AFV's. After conventional technologies are applied to AFV's from conventional vehicles, specific AFV fuel efficiency technologies are used to account for individual AFV technology advances. These factors relative to gasoline are listed below. Adjustment factors include horsepower and weight differences.

Table F-22: Percentage Marginal Fuel Efficiency Adjustments Specifically for AFV's Relative To Gasoline Vehicles

AFV Technology	Initial Fuel Economy Adjustment	Horsepower Adjustments	AFV Weight Adjustments	
Gasoline	0.00	0.00	0.00	
Flex-Fuel Methanol	.02	.04	0.00	
Flex-Fuel Ethanol	.01	.03	0.00	
Dedicated Methanol	.08	.08	0.00	
Dedicated Ethanol	.04	.06	0.00	
Dedicated CNG	.08	05	.12	
CNG Bi-Fuel	0.00	15	.15	
Dedicated LPG	.04	0.0	0.00	
LPG Bi-Fuel	0.00	08	0.00	
Dedicated EV	0.00	0.0	0.00	
Diesel/EV Hybrid	.60	0.0	.05	
Methanol Fuel Cell	0.00	0.0	0.00	
Hydrogen Fuel Cell	0.00	0.0	0.00	

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Gasoline Fuel Cell	0.00	0.0	0.00
Turbo Direct Injection Diesel	.35	05	.05

## **VEHICLE RANGE**

The FEM submodule also estimates vehicle range endogenously across 12 EPA size classes. Vehicle range is calculated as a function of fuel tank size, fuel economy, and an initial adjustment for AFV range relative to gasoline (which is listed below).

AFV Technology	Fraction of Gasoline Range
Gasoline	0.00
Flex-Fuel Methanol	43
Flex-Fuel Ethanol	27
Dedicated Methanol	37
Dedicated Ethanol	24
Dedicated CNG	40
CNG Bi-Fuel	50
Dedicated LPG	15
LPG Bi-Fuel	20
Dedicated EV	0.00
Diesel/EV Hybrid	.30
Methanol Fuel Cell	0.00
Hydrogen Fuel Cell	0.00
Gasoline Fuel Cell	0.00
Turbo Direct Injection Diesel	.35

Table F-23: Initial Vehicle Range Adjustment for AFV's Relative to Gasoline Vehicles

The AFV submodule uses the vehicle ranges supplied by the FEM submodule and then converts them to conform to the following three range variables: vehicle range for dedicated vehicles (dedicated gaseous, dedicated alcohol, electric dedicated, and fuel cell methanol and hydrogen); a dummy

variable for gasoline capable vehicles that have range greater than 250 miles; and a range variable for gasoline capable vehicles that have range in excess of 250 miles. Range in excess of 250 miles is calculated by subtracting 250 miles from actual range of the gasoline capable vehicle.

## FUEL COST OF DRIVING PER MILE

Operating costs are accounted for in the AFV submodule by estimating the fuel cost of driving per mile. Fuel prices by census division, which come from the supply side NEMS models, are divided by the new car fuel economies for each AFV yielding a cost of driving per mile in units of nominal \$/mi.

## **TOP SPEED**

Data for top speed by AFV technology is developed by using the following relationship between top speed and horsepower per vehicle pound.

$$TPSD = 518.0 * \left(\frac{HPW}{WGT}\right)^{.5}$$

where:

TPSD= top speed in mph. HPW= vehicle horsepower WGT=vehicle weight in lbs.

Horsepower and weight for each AFV technology and EPA size class for cars and light trucks is calculated in the FEM submodule. Top speed is an important choice variable for consumers because certain AFV technologies such as electric vehicles can only attain a given level of speed.

# **ACCELERATION FROM 0-30 MPH**

Acceleration from 0-30 mph is included in the AFV submodule because technologies such as the electric vehicle can only accelerate at limited speeds. The acceleration time of 0-30 mph was chosen because the National Alternative-Fuel Survey revealed that consumers mainly care about the speed needed to accelerate from a standing position onto an entrance ramp of a highway. Acceleration times in units of seconds was estimated from the following equation:

$$ACCL = .312 * (\frac{HPW}{WGT})^{-.795}$$

## MAINTENANCE AND BATTERY REPLACEMENT COST AND LUGGAGE SPACE

Maintenance and battery costs as well as luggage space attributes were developed by the U.S. Department of Energy, Office of Transportation Technologies.<sup>26</sup> These AFV attributes are held constant at the following levels:

AFV	Mini	Subcompact	Compact	Midsize	Large	2-Seater
Technology						
Methanol Flex	0	404	404	455	455	404
Methanol	0	404	404	455	455	404
Ethanol Flex	0	404	404	455	455	404
Ethanol	0	404	404	455	455	404
CNG	0	0	360	405	405	360
LPG	0	360	360	405	405	360
Electric	0	3380	3380	0	0	0
Diesel/EV	0	420	420	473	473	420
Hybrid						
CNG Bi-Fuel	0	0	360	405	405	360
LPG Bi-Fuel	0	0	360	405	405	360
Fuel Cell	0	0	420	420	473	473
Methanol						

Table F-24: Automobile Maintenance and Battery Replacement Costs (\$96/yr)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>26</sup>U.S. Department of Energy, Office of Transportation Technologies, *Program Analysis Methodology: Quality Metrics 99*, Washington DC, December 1997.

Fuel Cell Hydrogen	0	0	360	405	405	360
Fuel Cell Gasoline	0	0	420	473	473	420
Turbo DI Diesel	0	0	400	450	450	400
Gasoline	400	400	400	450	450	400

Table F-25: Light Truck Maintenance and Battery Replacement Costs (\$96/yr)

AFV Technology	Small Pickup	Large Pickup	Small Van	Larg Van	Small Utility	Large Utility
Methanol Flex	505	505	450	505	450	450
Methanol	505	505	450	505	0	0
Ethanol Flex	505	505	450	505	450	450
Ethanol	505	505	450	505	0	0
CNG	450	450	405	450	0	0
LPG	450	450	405	450	0	0
Electric	3400	0	3390	0	0	0
Diesel/EV Hybrid	0	0	473	0	473	473
CNG Bi-Fuel	450	450	405	450	0	0
LPG Bi-Fuel	450	450	405	450	0	0
Fuel Cell Methanol	450	0	405	0	0	0
Fuel Cell Hydrogen	0	0	405	0	0	0
Fuel Cell Gasoline	0	0	405	0	0	0
Turbo DI Diesel	500	500	450	500	450	450
Gasoline	500	500	450	500	450	450

Luggage space is indexed to gasoline vehicles. Luggage space is an important variable for consumers, because electric vehicle batteries and CNG and LPG fuel tanks utilize the backseat of most vehicles.

AFV Technology	Mini	Subcompact	Compact	Midsize	Large	2-Seater
Methanol Flex	0.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Methanol	0.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Ethanol Flex	0.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Ethanol	0.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
CNG	0.00	0.00	.75	.75	.75	.75
LPG	0.00	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75
Electric	0.00	.70	.70	0.00	0.00	0.00
Diesel/EV Hybrid	0.00	.90	.90	.95	.95	.95
CNG Bi-Fuel	0.00	0.00	.75	.75	.75	.75
LPG Bi-Fuel	0.00	0.00	.75	.75	.75	.75
Fuel Cell Methanol	0.00	0.00	.80	.80	.80	.80
Fuel Cell Hydrogen	0.00	0.00	.75	.75	.75	.75
Fuel Cell Gasoline	0.00	0.00	.80	.80	.80	.80
Turbo DI Diesel	0.00	0.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Gasoline	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00

 Table F-26: Automobile Luggage Space Relative to Gasoline (Indexed to 1.0=gasoline)

# Table F-27: Light Truck Luggage Space Relative to Gasoline (Indexed to 1.0=gasoline)

AFV Technology	Small Pickup	Large Pickup	Small Van	Large Van	Small Utility	Large Utility
Methanol Flex	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Methanol	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00
Ethanol Flex	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Ethanol	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00
CNG	.75	.75	.75	.75	0.00	0.00
LPG	.75	.75	.75	.75	0.00	0.00
Electric	1.00	0.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Diesel/EV Hybrid	0.00	0.00	1.00	0.00	1.00	1.00

CNG Bi-Fuel	.75	.75	.75	.75	0.00	0.00
LPG Bi-Fuel	.75	.75	.75	.75	0.00	0.00
Fuel Cell Methanol	.80	0.00	.80	0.00	0.00	0.00
Fuel Cell Hydrogen	0.00	0.00	.75	0.00	0.00	0.00
Fuel Cell Gasoline	0.00	0.00	.80	0.00	0.00	0.00
Turbo DI Diesel	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Gasoline	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00

# ADDITIONAL DUMMY VARIABLES

There are three additional dummy variables in the AFV submodule which are used to determine the sales of AFV's. These consist of a dummy variables for a) gasoline capable vehicles, b) multi-fuel capable vehicles (flex, bi-fuel technologies), c) electric vehicle capable of home refueling.

## **VEHICLE EMISSIONS**

This section describes vehicle emissions from conventional and ATF vehicles over time.

# **INDEX APPROACH**

The general approach uses an index value tied to the impact-weighted emissions from mid-size gasoline vehicles. In each year from 1990-2030, the emissions impact from the base-case gasoline vehicle is estimated. As gasoline vehicle emissions decline (e.g., due to reformulation), the absolute emissions level declines but the index value remains constant (at 1.0). The emissions impact of the alternative fuels is benchmarked against the absolute level to create the index value for the alternatives. If the emissions of an AFV declines faster than that of the gasoline vehicle, the emissions index for that AFV will decline. If the emissions of an AFV increases or declines less rapidly than

that of the gasoline vehicle, the emissions index for that AFV will increase. The technology choice module can make use of this relative indexing in annually selecting vehicle types.

The weight given to emissions and emissions indexing in the technology choice module is outside the scope of this database. Whether decisions will ultimately be made with respect to some threshold emissions level is also not considered.

The emissions index is constructed from the following inputs:

- Current emissions from a mid-size car for five pollutants (CO, CO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub>, methane, and NMHC) in grams/mile for 16 vehicle types. See Table F-28.
- Minimum possible emissions by 2030 for the same pollutants for the same vehicle types. See Table F-29.
- Annual simple percentage decline in emissions towards the minima, same vehicle types.
- Impact-weighting of the five pollutants on health and environmental criteria.

The index constructed from these data is necessary because the impact on human health and the environment from a gram of one pollutant is not equivalent to the impact of another pollutant. This non-equivalence is particularly apparent when one compares the typical emissions of  $NO_x$  (about 1 gram/mile) to that of  $CO_2$  (about 450 grams/mile). Clearly,  $CO_2$  is not 450 times more hazardous to health or the environment than  $NO_x$ . Thus, a weighting scheme (i.e., an index) must be constructed to properly compare the overall emissions index.

TECHNOLOGY	СО	NMHC	MET	NO <sub>x</sub>	CO <sub>2</sub>	ASSUMPTIONS AND EXPLANATIONS
Gasoline	9.00	1.00	0.00	1.03	452	Representative vehicle for size category. Standard catalytic converter. <sup>27</sup>
Diesel	3.40	0.41	0.00	1.00	450	Representative vehicle for size category. Consistent with data entered under gasoline. Standard catalytic converter.
Ethanol Flex	2.00	0.60	0.00	1.10	435	Consistent with data entered under gasoline and diesel.
Ethanol Neat	1.57	0.36	0.00	1.10	429	Retrofitted representative vehicle for size category.
Methanol Flex	1.75	0.29	0.00	1.10	447	Generally higher $NO_x$ than gasoline and diesel due to higher combustion temperature. Formaldehyde not included for
Methanol Neat	1.50	0.20	0.00	1.10	450	methanol emissions.
Electric	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	Near zero emissions. Rounded off for manageability.
Electric Hybrid/ Large ICE	2.00	0.10	0.00	0.20	90	Due to smaller size and less use, i.c.e.'s emissions are <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> or less of a conventional engine.
Electric Hybrid/ Small ICE	1.00	0.05	0.00	0.10	45	Due to smaller size and less use, i.c.e's emissions are ½ of large i.c.e.'s
Electric Hybrid/ Gasoline Turbine	0.50	0.03	0.00	0.06	25	Near zero for electric part. See TURBINE entry below. Due to less use and smaller size emission's are about <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> of conventional turbine's.
CNG	0.30	0.23	1.20	0.97	419	Representative vehicle, consistent with alcohol and gasoline
LPG	0.28	0.29	0.00	0.59	437	vehicles selected above.
Turbine/Gasoline	2.00	0.10	0.00	0.25	100	Theoretically very low emissions, around 1/4 of conventional
Turbine/CNG	0.08	0.06	0.35	0.40	95	fuel (gasoline or CNG respectively) vehicle.
Fuel Cell/Methanol	0.00	0.00	0.20	0.01	0.01	Near zero emissions. Small methane figure for methanol
Fuel Cell/Hydrogen	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.01	vehicle.

Table F-28. Base Mid-Sized Vehicle Emissions (Grams/Mile, 1990)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>27</sup> For all technologies, pollution produced by the power source or fuel production process is not included. National Energy Modeling System

Table 1-27. Withinfidin 1 Ossible Emissions, Wild-Size Venicle (Oranis/Wile, 2030)								
TECHNOLOGY	СО	NMHC	MET	NO <sub>x</sub>	CO <sub>2</sub>	ASSUMPTIONS		
Gasoline	1.70	0.04	0.00	0.20	250			
Diesel	1.25	0.04	0.00	0.20	250	Advanced catalytic converters and reformulation. <sup>28</sup>		
Alcohol Fuels: Flex & Neat	1.00	0.04	0.00	0.20	250	Advanced catalytic converters. <sup>29</sup>		
Electric	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	Power source and accidental leakage not included.		
Electric Hybrid/ Large ICE	0.40	0.01	0.00	0.04	60	Due to less use and smaller size, ICE's emissions are <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> or less of conventional engine.		
Electric Hybrid/ Small ICE	0.20	0.01	0.00	0.02	30	Due to smaller size, ICE's emissions are ½ of large ICE hybrid.		
Electric Hybrid/ Gasoline Turbine	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.01	12	Advanced catalytic converter and reformulation.		
CNG	0.20	0.01	0.20	0.20	250			
LPG	0.10	0.04	0.00	0.20	250	Advanced catalytic converter.		
Turbine/Gasoline	0.50	0.02	0.00	0.05	25	Advanced catalytic converter and reformulation.		
Turbine/CNG	0.05	0.00	0.05	0.05	25	Advanced catalytic converter.		
Fuel Cell/Methanol & Hydrogen	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.01	Negligible emissions.		

Table F-29. Minimum Possible Emissions, Mid-Size Vehicle (Grams/Mile, 2030)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>28</sup> For all technologies, emissions from fuel source and accidental leakage is not included.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>29</sup> For ethanol, the 30 to 50% emissions reduction must be weighed against the considerable CO,  $CO_2$  and nitrogen compounds produced by growing, fertilizing, harvesting, drying and transporting the crops to produce the fuel. EPA estimates the pollution created by producing and burning a gallon of ethanol is up to six times as much as producing and burning a gallon of gasoline. However, aldehydes are not produced (Frank, August 1992, p.106).

# IMPACT WEIGHTING

The weighting scheme assumes that all impacts will be in the area of health (85% of the decision) or environment (15%) and will be based on each pollutant's contribution to impacts in those areas. For example,  $CO_2$  has an impact on the environment but little or no impact on health. For CO, the reverse is true. Note that we are not considering health impacts derived from environmental impacts as health impacts. We are using the more conventional understanding that, for example,  $CO_2$  is not considered a respiratory hazard (health) but is a greenhouse gas (environment).

In general, the reasoning behind the weightings is as follows:

- **Carbon Monoxide (CO)** A moderate health hazard for its role in surface-level ozone creation; its environmental effect is negligible.
- Non-Methane Hydrocarbons (NMHC) Serious health hazard for its significant role in surface-level ozone creation; its environmental effect is negligible.
- Methane (Met) Important greenhouse gas; negligible health threat.
- Nitrogen Oxides (NO<sub>x</sub>) Serious health hazard for their role in surface-level ozone creation; also a significant greenhouse gas.
- **Carbon Dioxide** (**CO**<sub>2</sub>) Statistically insignificant health impact but some greenhouse impact.

The choice of the five pollutants (CO,  $CO_2$ ,  $NO_x$ , methane, and NMHC) was based partly on the availability of detailed technical literature and partly on SAIC's judgment about the pollutants likely to affect vehicle choice and public policy in the coming decades. Additional pollutants, notably aldehydes and particulates, could have been added. The ultimate selection of five pollutants was based on computational tractability. The specific inclusion of methane and non-methane hydrocarbons was based on the need to distinguish natural gas-fueled vehicles based on smog-related and non-smog-related emissions. The impact of the various pollutants per unit emitted is assumed not to change over time.

IMPACT	NO <sub>x</sub>	CO <sub>2</sub>				
Health	0.85	0.02	0.44	0.00	0.39	0.00
Environment	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.09	0.06	0.0005

Table F-30. Pollutant Impact Weighting Factors (Health vs. Environment)

The database treats electric vehicles as zero-emissions vehicles (ZEVs) in accordance with California regulations and shows them with zero emissions. Powerplant emissions are not included in the database. Emissions for the gas turbine engines are generally guesses. Emissions levels for the fuel cells are approximately zero, except for  $NO_x$ . The emissions for converting coal or natural gas to methanol or hydrogen for use in the fuel cells are not included. Similarly, emissions from ethanol exclude the CO, CO<sub>2</sub>, and nitrogen compounds emitted during growing, fertilizing, harvesting, drying, and transporting the crops. Emissions and leakage from tanks (e.g., CNG and hydrogen releases) are also not considered.

# DECLINES IN EMISSIONS OVER TIME

The simple annual percentage rate at which the vehicle emissions decline is based on an extensive review of the literature for both the vehicles and the fuels. The decay rates are provided in the following table.

TECHNOLOGY	СО	NMHC	MET	NO <sub>x</sub>	CO <sub>2</sub>				
Gasoline & Diesel	10.0%	10.0%	0.0%	5.0%	0.0%				
Alcohol Fuels/Neat & Flex	5.0%	10.0%	0.0%	5.0%	0.0%				
Electric Hybrids/ICE & Turbine	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%				
CNG	5.0%	10.0%	10.0%	5.0%	3.0%				
LPG	5.0%	10.0%	0.0%	5.0%	3.0%				
Turbine/Gasoline	10.0%	10.0%	0.0%	5.0%	0.0%				
Turbine/CNG	5.0%	10.0%	10.0%	5.0%	3.0%				
Fuel Cell/Methanol & Hydrogen	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%				

Table F-31. LDV & AFV Emissions Decay Rates

In general, the following factors were considered.

- **Gasoline** Development of upgraded on-board computers for more precise spark timing and fuel injection (so gasoline burns more completely and less HC's escape); widespread use of catalytic converters that will eliminate up to 99% of CO and NO<sub>x</sub> pollution by electronically preheating before a car starts; consequent increase in CO2.
- Electric Assigned zero emissions in isolation of power source, therefore decay function is also zero. Even if power source is included there will be dramatic reductions compared to gasoline emissions, depending on fuel burned (natural gas or coal) to generate power. Improvements in emission controls at the source are expected to keep electricity ahead of gasoline.
- Electric Hybrid/Gas Turbine Gas turbine would emit insignificant amounts of pollutants, so they may not need a catalytic converter. Without including power source, the electric part would have zero emissions (see above paragraph.) Although not yet engineered as such, turbine technology has been fully developed.
- **Turbine/CNG** Widely used in other applications, with well-known emissions. For passenger vehicle applications this technology will emit insignificant amounts of pollutants and may not need catalytic converters.

## SOURCES AND REFERENCES:

- **Gasoline** Clean, highly efficient vehicles such as the M-Miller Cycle engine vehicle are being developed in Japan (Japan 21st, 1992).
- Methanol Neat A dedicated vehicle has higher compression ratios, thus higher heat and NO<sub>x</sub> than gasoline I.C.E.; high level of formaldehyde (Oil & Gas, Dec 1991, p.59); high level of carcinogen formaldehyde (Oil & Gas, Dec 1991, p.59).
- **CNG** The cleanest running nonelectric production vehicle available today full-size Dodge van (Frank, August 1992, p.105). CO level is 1/2 to 1/10 lower, but NO<sub>x</sub> is higher due to higher peak combustion temperature in the presence of excess oxygen (Oil & Gas, Dec 1991, p.59).
- LPG Low CO and HC, higher NO (Oil & Gas, Dec 1991, p.60). In the 1992 Ford F-700 Medium Duty Truck, HC and NO<sub>x</sub> are significantly lower than their conventional equivalent, while CO emissions are comparable (NREL, 1992, On line). National Energy Modeling System

• Fuel Cell/Hydrogen and Methanol — Would meet California's no-emissions requirements for 1994 (McCosh, 1992, p.29); cleanest emissions of any fuel; emissions are water and a low quantity of NO<sub>x</sub> (SAIC/report, 1991, p.22); temperature of the electrochemical reaction is low enough to keep NO<sub>x</sub> from being a problem (Romano, 1989, p.75).

Production process reverses gains in emissions; CO2 &  $NO_x$  are byproducts of hydrogen production (Ondrey, 1992, p.30).

Japan in investing in hydrogen-burning vehicles that are far cleaner than any other AFV (Maruyama, 1991); environmentally friendly HR-X by Mazda, a prototype with a hydrogen-burning rotary engine developed already (Japan 21st, 1992).

• **Gasoline** — Upgraded on-board computers for more precise spark timing and fuel injection; future catalytic converters may eliminate 99% of pollution by electronically preheating before a car starts (Woodruff, 1991, p.56).

Possibilities of catalytic converters: Ford's 1993 Escort/Mercury Tracer models pass California's 1994 TLEV standard; Corning's EHC prototype passes 1997 ULEV standard (Cogan, September 1992, ps.35); 96% HC and 76% NO<sub>x</sub> reduction comparing 1992 to 1960's vehicles (Frank, August 1992, p.103); improvements in refueling connection (Oil & Gas, Dec 1991, p.38). By 2003 the CAA could require 25% of all US cars to cut HC by 40%, and NO<sub>x</sub> by 50%. By 2006 100% of US cars must meet that standard (Woodruff, 1991, p.59).

- Electric Dramatic reductions compared to gasoline emissions depending on fuel burned (natural gas or coal), emissions controls at the power plant and type of generating equipment (Frank, August 1992, p.105).
- **Electric Hybrid/Turbine** No direct reference. See relevant entries ELECTRIC above and TURBINE below.
- **CNG** Considerable improvement potential for emissions in three areas: fuel metering and mixing, lean/dilute combustion systems, catalytic converters (Weaver, 1991, ps.4-7).
- **Turbine/Gasoline** Gas turbine would emit insignificant amounts of pollutants, may not need a catalytic converter (The Economist, September 28, 1991, p.95). National Energy Modeling System Transportation Model Demand Sector Documentation Report F-61

• **Fuel Cell/Hydrogen** — Hydrogen already is the cleanest fuel available; only emissions are water and small quantities of NO<sub>x</sub> (SAIC/report, 1991, p.22).

#### REGIONAL DIFFERENCES, ASSUMPTIONS, AND CRITERIA

Regional fuel prices are calculated by adding a percentage price differential to the national average retail prices found in the preceding table. The price differentials for each region shown in Table F-32 are based on factors such as proximity or access to major ports, production fields, refineries, state/regional consumer price index, adequate infrastructure, local producer and government support. These factors, assumptions and caveats are discussed after the table. The subsequent notes raise questions about the sustainability of these differences in a national market.

	PERCENTAGE DIFFERENCE BY REGION										
FUEL TYPE	NE	MA	SA	ENC	ESC	WSC	WNC	MTN	PAC		
Gasoline	0.05	0.025	0.025	0.01	0.025	0	0.05	0.025	0.01		
Diesel	0.05	0.025	0.025	0.01	0.025	0	0.05	0.025	0.01		
Ethanol	0.075	0.0375	0.037	0	0	0.01	0	0.0375	0.05		
Methanol	0.05	0.025	0.025	0.01	0.025	0	0.05	0.025	0.01		
CNG	0.05	0.025	0.0375	0.025	0.025	0	0.025	0	0.025		
LPG	0.05	0.025	0.025	0.01	0.025	0	0.05	0.025	0.01		
Electricity	0.1	0.05	0.025	0.01	0.025	0.01	0	0	0.0375		
Hydrogen	0.05	0.025	0.025	0.01	0.025	0	0.05	0.025	0.01		

Table F-32. Regional Fuel Price Differences

Abbreviations:

NE	New England
MA	Mid Atlantic
SA	South Atlantic
ENC	East North Central
WSC	West South Central
WNC	West North Central
MTN	Mountain
PAC	Pacific

#### **EXPLANATIONS**

- **Gasoline** In the U.S. national market gasoline prices are essentially the same.
- **Diesel** In the U.S. national market diesel prices are essentially the same.
- **Ethanol** Mainly produced from corn in Midwest states; the regions that are part of it, or closest to it, enjoy lower prices due to advantages such as access, convenient transportation, and local support (i.e., state subsidies, farmers interests).
- **Methanol** Mostly imported, therefore regions enjoying proximity and easy access to major ports and processing infrastructure, i.e., Los Angeles and New Orleans, would have a price advantage. The Pacific region also benefits from California's acute interest in this fuel, i.e., special incentives from the state. Inflexible infrastructure and the high cost of living in NE and WNC explain higher prices in those regions.
- Electricity Regions with access to relatively abundant and cheap power produced by hydroelectric and coal-fired power plants benefit, e.g., WNC, WSC, MTN, and ENC. More expensive power from regions without low-cost fossil fuels drives prices up in NE and MA.
- **CNG** Proximity to the rich fields in WSC and MTN benefits those regions and ESC, WNC, ENC and PAC. Competing imports benefit areas near major ports, i.e., PAC, ESC. The high cost of living and inaccessibility to fields drive prices up in NE.
- **LPG** Access to competitive imports and refineries benefits PAC, ESC and ENC. Local production and support would benefit ENC and PAC. Higher transportation costs, infrastructure inflexibility and higher cost of living puts NE at a disadvantage.
- **Hydrogen** Access to abundant raw materials, i.e., especially low-cost electricity benefits such regions as PAC, ENC, SA, WSC. Infrastructure and local support also push prices down in PAC. WSC, and MTN.

## **IMPORTANT ASSUMPTIONS AND CAVEATS**

• Regional fuel price differences may persist due to transportation costs from producing or importing regions. These differences, however, are likely to be no more than \$.05/gallon equivalent and are generally less than differences in state excise taxes.

- Differences in state excise taxes within a region can easily exceed differences in transportation costs from region to region.
- Electricity is shown at an average price. Off-peak electricity will cost less and on-peak electricity will cost much more. If EV sales are induced with the promise of daytime refueling at the office, much higher charges than those shown on the table will apply.

# FUEL AVAILABILITY

This section documents fuel availability in the database. The output is fuel availability as a percent of gasoline availability for eight fuels, for nine regions, from 1990 through 2030, through three penetration scenarios (base, high, low).

The general approach is to determine current and ultimate fuel availability as a percentage of gasoline availability (assumed to be 1). A number of current fuel availability factors were considered in creating a percentage index for each fuel. Projected availability is determined by changes in these factors over time, which are represented by an exponential rate of closure in the current availability gap between gasoline and each of seven alternative fuels. The rate of closure changes for each of three penetration scenarios (base, high, low).

The data reported in this section are uncertain and of questionable usefulness due to the uncertain specification of availability in the model. The values reported in this section must be read in the light of the subsequent extended comments on modeling problems related to fuel availability.

The inputs used to forecast fuel availability are:

- Current regional fuel availability factors, as a percentage of gasoline availability, for all fuels.
- Fuel availability growth factors, represented as an exponential rate of closure in the availability gap.

The approach has the following advantages:

- Projected alternative fuel availability index values should be relatively consistent vis a vis gasoline and other ATF availability indices.
- Updating and revising figures based on future developments are facilitated.

# CURRENT FUEL AVAILABILITY

Current alternative fuel availability regional differences are expressed as a percentage of gasoline availability in the base year 1990 as shown in the following table. Important limitations on these values and their usage are subsequently discussed.

Tuble 1 55. Dase Tear (1996) Tuer Avanability, by Region									
FUEL TYPE	NE	MA	SA	ENC	ESC	WNC	WSC	MTN	PAC
GASOLINE & DIESEL	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
ETHANOL	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.1	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.05	0.05
METHANOL	0.01	0.05	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.01	0.05	0.1
CNG	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.05	0.02	0.02	0.05	0.05	0.05
LPG	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.05	0.02	0.02	0.1	0.05	0.1
ELECTRICITY	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05
HYDROGEN	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01

Table F-33. Base Year (1990) Fuel Availability, by Region

# FUTURE AVAILABILITY

Changes in infrastructure and other growth factors that are demanded by an economically significant ATF are discussed in this section, along with pertinent assumptions and caveats.

Future availability is determined by changes in the regional availability factors outlined in the previous section. Such changes affect the differences between gasoline and each ATF, so they are represented by an exponential rate of closure of the availability gap between gasoline and each ATF.

# GASOLINE INFRASTRUCTURE AND OTHER GROWTH FACTORS

There are roughly a million gasoline stations in the United States at the present time. For any ATF to be accepted by the public a certain threshold of availability must be reached (aside from economic and other considerations). Attaining the threshold level would require government and private investments in infrastructure in the order of tens of billions of dollars in a very short time. It would also exclude the possibility of having more than one or two competitive different fuels at one time. The infrastructure required would vary considerably from fuel to fuel. The implications are explored

for each fuel below.

- Ethanol and methanol a large proportion of the existing equipment could be easily adapted as these two fuels have obvious physical similarities to gasoline, i.e., use same pumps and dispensing equipment. However in the case of methanol, its corrosive nature would demand upgrading the system's reservoirs and pipes. There are additional expenses associated with differences in water tolerance and fuel contamination, fire, and explosion hazards.
- **CNG and LPG** there is a small infrastructure capable of handling vehicle fleets successfully. Both fuels are, and will continue to be, attractive for the vehicle fleet subset, because a central refueling site can service the entire fleet. However, for private passenger cars, adapting a single existing gasoline service station would require a minimum of \$250,000 for a compressor. Such a price tag would rule out a wide distribution network for passenger vehicles unless there is some government subsidy.
- Electricity the extensive existing electricity infrastructure should be capable of servicing a large number of vehicles in terms of megawatts of off-peak capacity. On-peak demand would cause massive cost and availability problems. Moreover, since long refueling time would make service station refueling impossible, costly adapters would have to find a place in every user's household.
- **Hydrogen** although there is an almost limitless supply of raw materials (e.g., water), there is no existing infrastructure for the distribution of hydrogen. Hydrogen's low mass makes it expensive to store since it must be liquified or bound to other substances. For these reasons reaching the necessary threshold level would involve a much higher price tag than for other ATFs.

## EXPONENTIAL RATE OF CLOSURE

The growth factors described above were used to determine the exponential rate of closure in the availability gap between gasoline and each ATF, for each penetration scenario. Assumptions and caveats in addition to the ones outlined above are provided after the table.

	PENETRATION SCENARIO						
FUEL TYPE	BASE	HIGH	LOW				
Diesel	99%	99%	99%				
Ethanol	10%	20%	2%				
Methanol	10%	20%	2%				
CNG	10%	20%	2%				
LPG	10%	20%	2%				
Electricity	10%	40%	2%				
Hydrogen	10%	10%	2%				

Table F-34. Availability Gap Closure Rates, By Scenario

## ASSUMPTIONS AND CAVEATS

- Accelerated exponential rates in all penetration cases, especially in the high case, such that a common market would appear in the United States within ten to twenty years. The market arrival time span for each fuel was calculated based on each fuel individually without any other ATF challenger. Such a individual competition approach is inconsistent with the model specifications.
- Regional differences in availability are highly unlikely in any national market, though they can exist initially.
- Even though regional fuel price differences may persist due to transportation costs from producing or importing regions, availability differences cannot, and will not persist if a national market develops.
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#### Attachment 3: LDV Stock Module

Fuel Economy Gap Estimation

#### INTRODUCTION

This attachment presents long-term projections of the fuel efficiency degradation factor for automobiles and light-duty trucks. The projections are based on the analysis of important trends in driving patterns that affect fuel economy. These trends include the increase in urban share driving, urban congestion, and highway speeds. The projections are developed for the period 1990 through 2030. This appendix also outlines other efforts to project fuel economy degradation factors.<sup>30</sup>

#### BACKGROUND

A discrepancy exists between automotive fuel economy as measured by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) under controlled laboratory conditions and the actual fuel efficiency observed under real "on road" conditions. Public and private organizations such as the Department of Energy (DOE), the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Ford Motor Company, General Motors Corporation, and Mitsubitshi Motors Corporation have conducted independent research on fuel economy, in the past, confirming this discrepancy.<sup>31</sup> The fuel efficiency degradation factor (also known as "the gap") measures this discrepancy and is defined as the difference between on-road fuel economy and EPA tested fuel economy.<sup>32</sup> When fuel economy is expressed in terms of miles per gallons (MPG), the degradation factor or gap is formulated as:

$$GAP = \frac{EPA \ Test \ MPG - On - Road \ MPG}{EPA \ Test \ MPG}$$

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>30</sup> This appendix is taken from a report which was prepared by Decision Analysis Corporation of Virginia (DAC) for the Energy Demand Analysis Branch of the Energy Information Administration (EIA), under Task No. 92010, Subtask 1, Contract No. DE-AC01-92EI21946.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>31</sup> Davis, S. and Morris, M., Oak Ridge National Laboratory, <u>Transportation Energy Data Book: Edition 12</u>, ORNL-6710, (Edition 12 of ORNL-5198), p.3-9, March 1992.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>32</sup> Westbrook, F. and Patterson, P., "Changing Driving Patterns and Their Effect on Fuel Economy," presented May 2, 1989 at the 1989 SAE Government/Industry Meeting, Washington, D.C. National Energy Modeling System

On-road fuel efficiency depends on several determinants which can be classified into technological factors, driver behavior and habits, driving trends, and road and climate conditions. Furthermore, the magnitude of the gap between tested fuel efficiency and on-road fuel efficiency depends on the specific procedures and conditions used during the test and the closeness of the formulations used to represent real driving conditions.

EPA fuel economy estimates for city and highway driving are published every year for each new model available in the U.S.<sup>33</sup> These MPG estimates are obtained based on vehicle tests performed under controlled laboratory conditions and then adjusted downwards to reflect actual driving conditions. Separate tests are used to generate the city and highway MPG estimates.

The EPA city fuel economy estimates are based on a test that simulates a 7.5 mile, stop-and-go trip with an average speed of 20 mph. The trip lasts 23 minutes and has 18 stops. About 18 percent of the time is spent idling, such as waiting for traffic lights or in rush hour traffic. Two types of engine starts are used: a cold start and a hot start. The cold start is similar to starting the car in the morning after it has been parked all night. The hot start is similar to restarting a vehicle after it has been warmed up, driven and stopped for a short time.

The EPA highway fuel economy estimates represent a mixture of "non-city" driving. Segments corresponding to different kinds of rural roads and interstate highways are included. The test simulates a 10-mile trip and averages 48 mph. The test is run from hot start and has little idling time and no stops.

EPA adjusts these laboratory fuel economy estimates downwards to reflect actual driving on the road conditions. In the <u>1992 Gas Mileage Guide: EPA Fuel Economy Estimates</u> the city estimates are lowered by 10 percent and the highway estimates by 22 percent from the laboratory test results. These adjustment factors represent the EPA estimates of the fuel efficiency gap for both city and highway driving.

Fuel economy can also be represented by a composite number that combines city and highway fuel economies. EPA computes composite fuel economies using the following formulation:

EPA Composite MPG = 
$$\left[\frac{0.55}{MPG_c} + \frac{0.45}{MPG_h}\right]^{-1}$$

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>33</sup> DOE/EPA, <u>Gas Mileage Guide: EPA Fuel Economy Estimates</u>, DOE/CE-0019/10. National Energy Modeling System

where:

 $MPG_{c} = Miles$  per gallon for city driving  $MPG_{h} = Miles$  per gallon for highway driving

EPA's composite formulation is developed based on 55% city driving and 45% highway driving. This formulation, combined with the EPA city and highway fuel efficiency gaps, leads to a base composite MPG gap for all new vehicles of 15 percent.

Previous attempts at estimating the base fuel efficiency gap have been made. In 1978, McNutt et al., measured the gap for model year 1974 through model year 1977 cars. The resulting estimates of the gap were between 6 and 9 percent.<sup>34</sup> In 1984, Hellman and Murrel estimated a composite MPG gap of 15 percent.<sup>35</sup> More recently in 1992, Oak Ridge National Laboratory (ORNL) reported composite gap estimates that apply to all automobiles and light trucks in operation.<sup>36</sup> The ORNL base composite gap estimate for all automobiles in operation pre-1974 to 1989 was 15.2 percent. The ORNL gap estimate for light trucks in operation pre-1976 to 1989 was 28.3 percent. For this analysis, ORNL used EPA tested fuel economy data which was verified by the National Highway Safety Administration (NHTSA). These data were compared against on-road fuel economy data from (1) the Federal Highway Administration, <u>1988 Residential Transportation Energy Consumption Survey</u> (RTECS), and (3) the Bureau of the Census, 1987 Census of Transportation, <u>Truck Inventory and Use Survey</u> (TIUS).

Very few attempts to forecast trends in the fuel economy gap are available. In 1989, Westbrook and Patterson analyzed trends in driving patterns and produced forecasts of the fuel economy gap for the year 2010.<sup>37</sup> Their results indicated a composite gap of 29.7 percent for automobiles for the year 2010. This combined fuel efficient gap corresponded to a city fuel efficiency gap of 23.5 percent and a highway fuel efficiency gap of 30.5 percent. Organizations such as Data Resources Incorporated (DRI) and Wharton Econometrics Forecasting Associates (WEFA) use values for the degradation factors that remain constant over their forecasting horizon. The Department of Energy (DOE) and

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>34</sup> SAE 780037

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the Energy Information Administration (EIA) in the 1990 National Energy Strategy (NES) projected the fuel efficiency gap to reach 30 percent by 2030 in the NES reference case.<sup>38</sup> The projected gap for the High Conservation and the Very High Conservation cases of NES were 25 and 20 percent respectively. Also, EIA in the <u>Annual Energy Outlook 1992</u> (AEO) projected the fuel efficiency gap to increase from 20 percent in 1990 to 25 percent in 2010.

An ongoing effort by DOE's Office of Transportation Technologies in conjunction with the University of Tennessee is focused on forecasting the fuel efficiency gap for automobiles and light duty trucks through 2010. This work considers three scenarios based on differing assumptions about urban shares, highway speed, and congestion trends.

This attachment presents independent projections of the fuel efficiency gap to the year 2030 for two vehicle types:

- 1) Automobiles, and
- 2) Light Duty Trucks

The projections are generated based on the analysis of three important trends in driving patterns that affect fuel efficiency. These factors are:

- 1) increasing urban share of vehicle miles traveled,
- 2) increasing average highway speed, and
- 3) increasing level of urban highway congestion.

Initially, forecasts for each of these factors were developed based on two different growth scenarios:

- 1) Logistic Growth, and
- 2) Linear Growth

These scenarios are fully described as follows, using urban share growth as an example:

# Logistic Approach

 <sup>&</sup>lt;sup>38</sup> EIA, Energy Consumption and Conservation Potential: Supporting Analysis for the National Energy Strategy, SR/NES/90-02, Service Report, p. 89, Washington, D.C., December 1990.
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Figure F-1 shows the historical urban share of automobile VMT driving from 1972 through 1990 and a logistic curve fitted to the historical period and extended through the year 2030. The logistic share values are developed based on a logistic functional form originally formulated by Fisher and Pry<sup>39</sup> and defined by:

$$f_t^U = \frac{f_\infty^U}{1 + e^{-(\alpha + \beta t)}}$$

where:

 $f_t^U$  is the urban share in year t,

 $f_{\infty}^{U}$  is the urban share asymptotic limit,  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are parameters of the logistic curve defined by:

$$\alpha = \ln[f_0^U / (f_\infty^U - f_0^U)],$$
  
$$\beta = (1/h^U) \ln[(f_\infty^U + f_0^U) / f_0^U],$$

where:

 $f_0^U$  is the base year urban share, and

hυ

is the halving factor for the logistic curve. The halving factor is the time required from the base year for the urban share to reach the midpoint between its base year value and its asymptotic limit.

The logistic curve in Figure F-1 represents the curve that best fits the historical data on urban share for the 1972-1990 period. This curve is generated by assuming two logistic parameters and by selecting a base share year. These two parameters are the asymptotic limit and the halving factor. The asymptotic limit represents an upper limit to the growth of the urban share. The halving factor is a measurement of the time needed for the share to reach this upper limit. The values for both parameters are specific to the best fit curve and they are determined using an iterative approach which minimizes the sum of the squares of the difference between the historical shares and the logistic estimated shares.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>39</sup> Fisher, J.G. and Pry, R.M., "A Simple Substitution Model of Technology Change." <u>Technological Forecasting and Social</u> <u>Change</u>, Vol.3, pp.75-88, 1971.

## Linear Approach

If it is assumed that the urban share will continue growing linearly, the impact on the fuel efficiency gap differs. Figure F-2 shows the historical urban share of automobile VMT driving from 1972 through 1990 and both a logistic curve and a straight line, fitted to the historical period and extended through the year 2030. The linear share forecasts developed by simple regression are considerably larger than those resulting from the logistic functional form.

The conclusions of the report noted that the logistic approach seemed to yield a more realistic projection of the gap. This was based largely on intuition, as the logistic approach can account for constraints which the linear approach cannot. As a result, logistic data were used in forming the model and are presented herein.

A total of two sets of projections were generated for each of the vehicle types, factors, and scenarios. The first was based on the assumption that all urban driving is city driving and all rural driving is highway driving. Fuel economy gap projections generated in the past are based on such an assumption, as it makes the gap calculations considerably easier. However, the assumption oversimplifies reality since some of the urban driving is on interstate highways and other freeways located in urban areas, and some of the rural driving includes stop-and-go city type of driving. The second set of projections were generated taking into consideration the decomposition of urban and rural driving into city and highway driving according to road types. This adjusted city/highway driving share approach was deemed more realistic. This is due to the fact that such an approach more closely resembles actual driving behaviour and consequently avoids the restricting assumption that urban driving is equal to city driving and rural driving is equal to highway driving. As such, only these calculations are included in this attachment.

The decomposition is based on road types. Thus, VMT driving on roads identified as "interstate" and "other freeways and expressways" in urban areas are considered part of the highway driving share. Other road types located in urban areas are considered part of the city driving share. In addition, VMT driving on roads defined as "minor collectors" and "local" in rural areas are classified as city driving while the rest of the road types in rural area are considered highway driving. Although this road classification does not exactly replicate reality, it is a closer representation of the actual city/highway driving composition.

Approximately 63 percent of total 1990 VMT consisted of driving in urban areas and 37 percent in rural areas. 68 percent of the urban VMT is considered city driving and 32 percent highway driving. In rural areas, 17 percent is considered city driving and 83 percent highway driving. This composition represents overall city and highway driving shares for 1990 of:

City Share:	49.1 %
Highway Share:	50.9 %

These adjusted city and highway shares are the bases for the calculations of the fuel efficiency gap projections in this chapter. The impact on fuel efficiency, from each of the three factors considered in this study, is affected by these adjusted shares. The impact from the increasing urban share trend is diminished since only part of the urban share (68% in 1990) is considered city share. The impact from increasing highway speeds is amplified since highway driving in both urban and rural areas is considered. Finally, the impact from increasing urban highway congestion is diminished since only part of the urban share is considered highway driving. The resulting fuel efficiency gap projections for automobiles and light duty trucks using the logistic approach based on these adjusted shares will be presented.

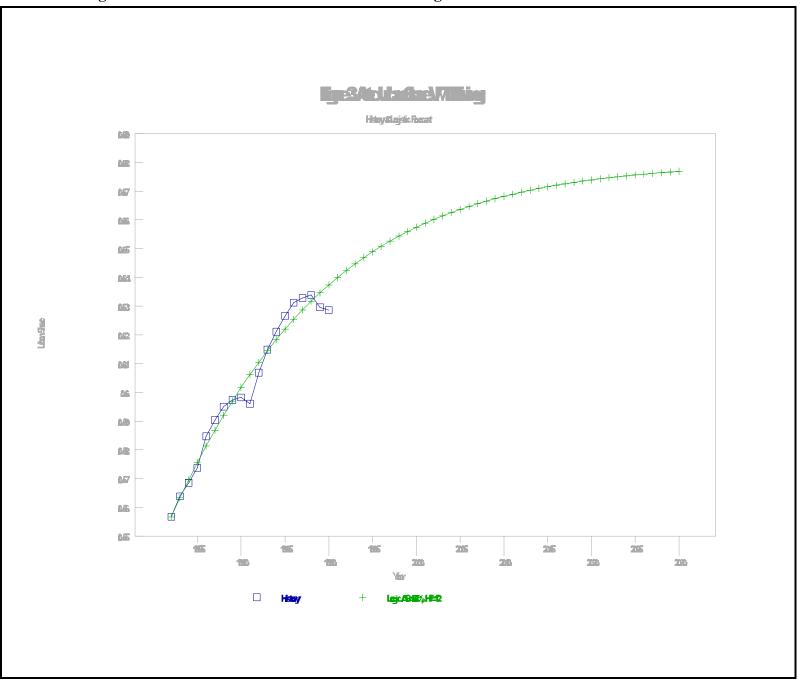
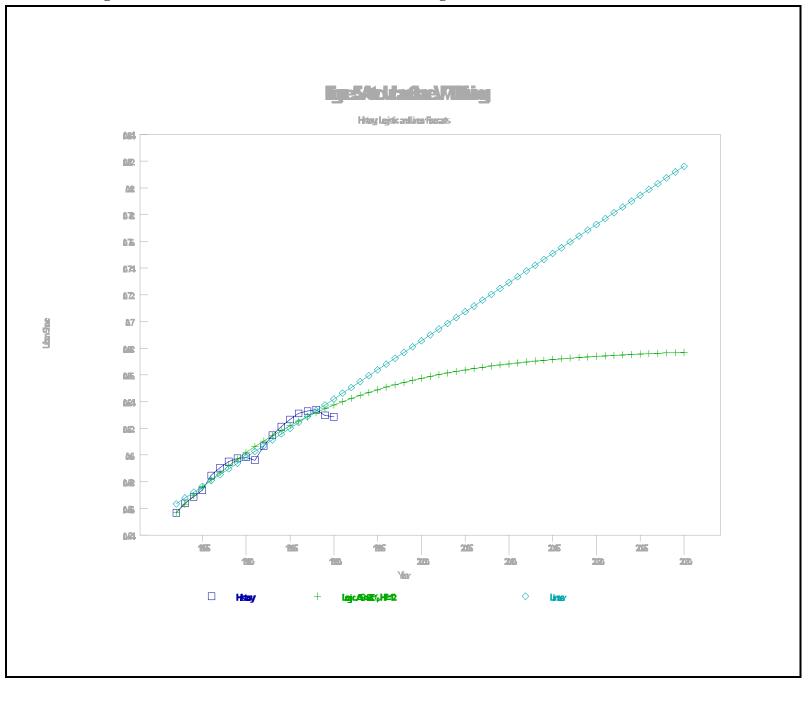
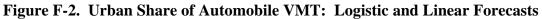


Figure F-1. Urban Share of Automobile VMT: Logistic Forecast

Source: Historical Values from U.S. DoT, FHWA, Highway Statistics, different yearly issues.





Source: Historical Values from U.S. DoT, FHWA, <u>Highway Statistics</u>, different yearly issues.

#### FUEL EFFICIENCY GAP PROJECTIONS

This section outlines the three trends which are assumed to affect the fuel efficiency gap estimates of the EPA. It then presents the projections of the fuel efficiency gap which have been utilized in the NEMS Transportation Sector Model.

#### Increasing Urban Share Driving

A review of the data from the last few decades on VMT for both automobiles and light duty trucks reflects a continuous increase in the share of urban driving.<sup>40</sup> For automobiles the urban share increased from 45.4 percent in 1953 to 62.9 in 1990. Figure F-3 shows the historical urban share of VMT for automobiles. This represents a 38.5 percent increase in 37 years, or an average annual rate of increase of 0.88 percent. For light duty trucks the urban share increased from 39.5 percent in 1966 to 55.4 in 1990. Figure F-4 shows the historical urban share of VMT for light duty trucks. This represents a 40.3 percent increase in 24 years, or an average annual rate of increase of 1.42 percent.

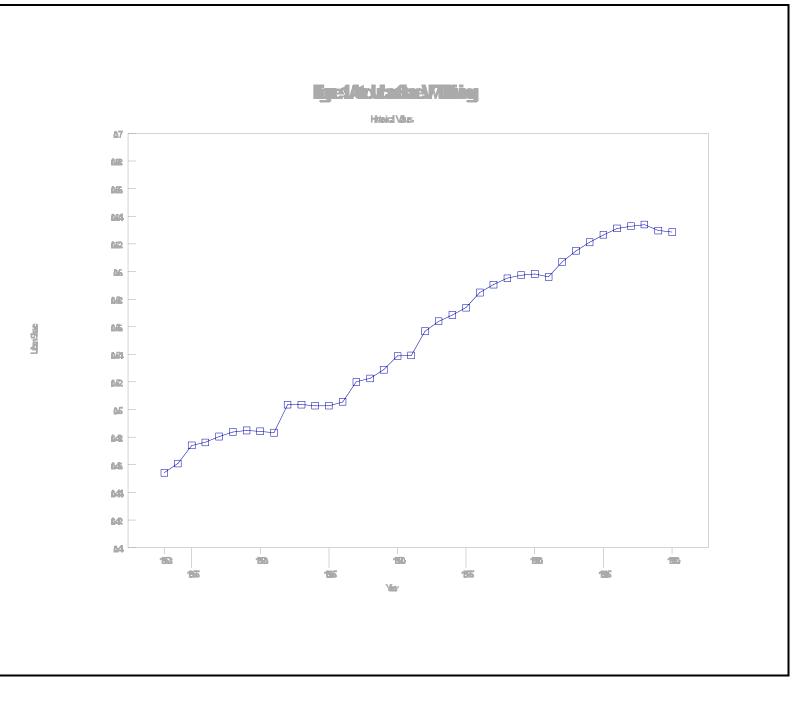
Westbrook and Patterson investigated the reasons for this increase in urban share by analyzing the data for the period from 1975 through 1985.<sup>41</sup> Their results indicated that the major reasons for this increase are the larger fraction of travel in urban roads and a larger fraction of roads being classified as urban. Population shifts to urban areas and driving shifts within metropolitan areas account for the larger fraction in urban driving which was estimated to be the cause for 58 percent of the increase in urban share. The other 42 percent increase was determined to be the consequence of the reclassification of roads from rural to urban. Any area reclassified by the U.S. Bureau of the Census from rural to urban results in the reclassification of all roads (regardless of the type) as urban.

Forecasts of the shares of urban and highway driving are necessary in order to forecast the change in the fuel efficiency gap due to changes in driving shares. It is very difficult to draw conclusions about the increasing trend in urban driving. Nevertheless, it can be expected that population shifts to urban areas will continue and that future land developments will force

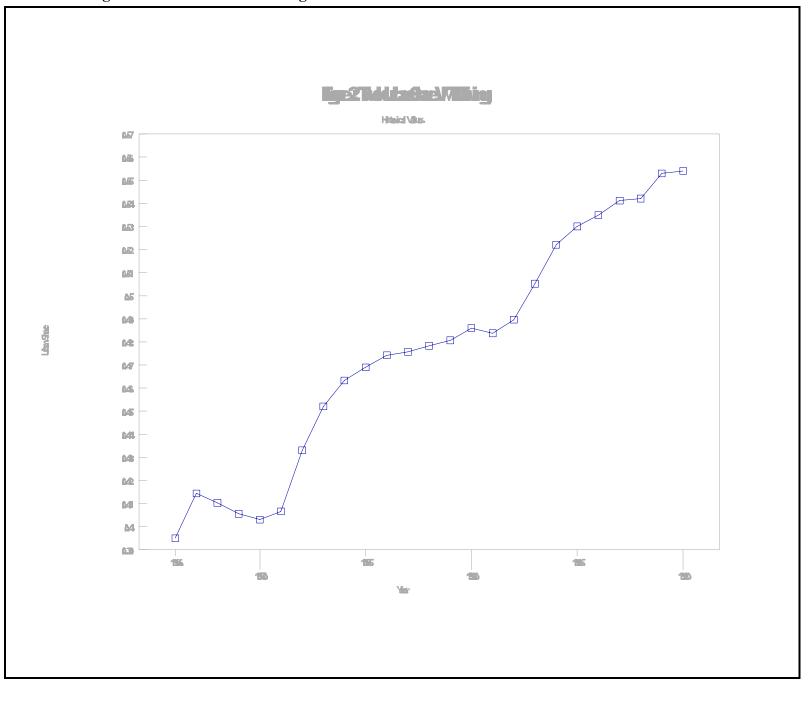
#### Figure F-3. Urban Share of Automobile VMT: 1953-1990

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>40</sup> Data on VMT is published annually by the U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal Highway Administration, in <u>Highway</u> <u>Statistics</u>.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>41</sup> Westbrook, F. and Patterson, P., "Changing Driving Patterns and Their Effect on Fuel Economy," presented May 2, 1989 at the 1989 SAE Government/Industry Meeting, Washington, D.C.



Source: Historical Values from U.S. DoT, FHWA, <u>Highway Statistics</u>, different yearly issues.





Source: Historical Values from U.S. DoT, FHWA, <u>Highway Statistics</u>, different yearly issues.

the reclassification of rural areas into urban areas. If we assume that this rate of increase in urban share will gradually diminish and level off, the logistic path applies (see Figure F-1). The calculations for logistic growth of increased urban share for automobiles and light trucks follow.

#### Automobiles:

Table F-35 summarizes the impact of the adjusted logistic city share growth on the composite fuel efficiency gap for automobiles. The adjusted logistic city share projection for the year 2010 becomes 51.1 percent as compared to the unadjusted logistic share of 66.8 percent; in the year 2030, the projection levels off at 51.5 percent as compared to an unadjusted 67.7 percent projected logistically. The adjusted logistic forecasts of city share increase are translated into a fuel efficiency gap of 16.05 percent by the year 2030. This represents an increase of only 0.85 percentage points over the base gap of 15.2 percent.

#### **Light Duty Trucks:**

The influence of the adjusted logistic urban share growth on the composite fuel efficiency gap for light duty trucks is presented in Table F-36. For the year 2010 the adjusted logistic city share projection becomes 48.8 percent as compared to an unadjusted logistic share of 62.3 percent. For the year 2030, the projection begins to level off at 50.3 percent as compared to an unadjusted 65.2 percent projected logistically. The adjusted logistic forecasts of urban share increase are translated into a fuel efficiency gap of 29.73 percent by the year 2030. This represents an increase of only 1.43 percentage points over the base gap of 28.3 percent.

Table F-35. Automobile Fuel Efficiency Gap Projections: Logistic Growth of City Driving Share (with Adjusted City Driving Share)

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	1988	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025	2030
City Share	49.3%	49.1%	50.1%	50.5%	50.8%	51.1%	51.2%	51.4%	51.5%	51.5%
Base Gap	15.20	15.20	15.20	15.20	15.20	15.20	15.20	15.20	15.20	15.20
Gap Forecast	15.27	15.19	15.56	15.73	15.82	15.90	15.97	16.02	16.04	16.05
Change	0.07	-0.01	0.36	0.53	0.62	0.70	0.77	0.82	0.84	0.85

Sources: Base Gap from ORNL 1992, Urban Share Forecasts based on Fisher & Pry Logistic Function.

Table F-36. Light Truck Fuel Efficiency Gap Projections: Logistic Growth of City Driving Share (with Adjusted City Driving Share)

	1988	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025	2030
City Share	44.6%	45.3%	46.3%	47.3%	48.1%	48.8%	49.3%	49.7%	50.0%	50.3%
Base Gap	28.30	28.30	28.30	28.30	28.30	28.30	28.30	28.30	28.30	28.30
Gap Forecast	28.30	28.48	28.72	28.98	29.21	29.35	29.50	29.60	29.66	29.73
Change	0.00	0.18	0.42	0.68	0.91	1.05	1.20	1.30	1.36	1.43

Sources: Base Gap from ORNL 1992, Urban Share Forecasts based on Fisher & Pry Logistic Function.

## Increasing Highway Speeds

The level of speed of a vehicle is one of the relevant factors that affects its fuel efficiency. Specifically, it has been determined that speeds over 45 mph decrease fuel efficiency for most vehicles. Furthermore, EPA estimates that traveling at 65 mph as compared to 55 mph lowers fuel economy over 15 percent.<sup>42</sup> ORNL's 1992 <u>Transportation Energy Data Book</u> presents the findings of a fuel economy study performed by the Federal Highway Administration in 1984.<sup>43</sup> This study concluded that, on average, vehicles experience fuel efficiency losses of about 17.8 percent when their speed is increased from 55 mph to 65 mph. This is equivalent to a reduction of 1.78 percent for each mile per hour increase over speed ranging from 55 mph to 65 mph.

Average highway speeds in the United States have shown an increasing trend for several years with few exceptions. Figure F-5 presents average highway speeds in mph for the last 45 years. The data in this figure indicate two different increasing trend periods. The first period from 1945 through 1973 corresponds to the largest rate of increase on highway speeds. During these years, highway speed increased at an annual rate of 1.13 percent. In 1973, average highway speed suddenly dropped from about 66 mph to about 55 mph. This sudden drop corresponds to the implementation of the nationwide 55 mph speed limit. After 1974, the increasing trend has continued at a more moderate rate. In the 1974-1990 period the annual rate of speed increase has been 0.15 percent. A closer look at the post-1973 period indicates that through the rest of the 1970s, the average speed remained fairly constant between 55 and 56 mph; and, through the 1980s, the annual rate of increase was 0.34 percent.

The increase in highway speed can also be illustrated by considering the percentage of rural and urban VMT driving over 55 mph on highways with posted speed limits of 55 mph. Figure F-6 presents these data for the 1981-1990 period. In only 9 years, the percent of rural VMT driving over the 55 mph speed limit rose from 46.4 percent to 58.7 percent for a total of 12.3 percentage points. The percentage increase in urban VMT driving was even more dramatic, from 37.6 percent to 53.8 percent for a total of 16.2 percentage points. The percentage exceeding the speed limit is far from homogeneous. Significant differences exist across states, highway types, and location for rural or urban areas. For instance, in 1990 the percentage of vehicles exceeding the 55 mph limit in urban interstate highways in New York was 82.5 as compared to 68.2 in California and only 33.7 in South Dakota.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>42</sup> DOE/EPA, <u>1992 Gas Milage: EPA Fuel Economy Estimates</u>, DOE/CE-019/10, October 1991.

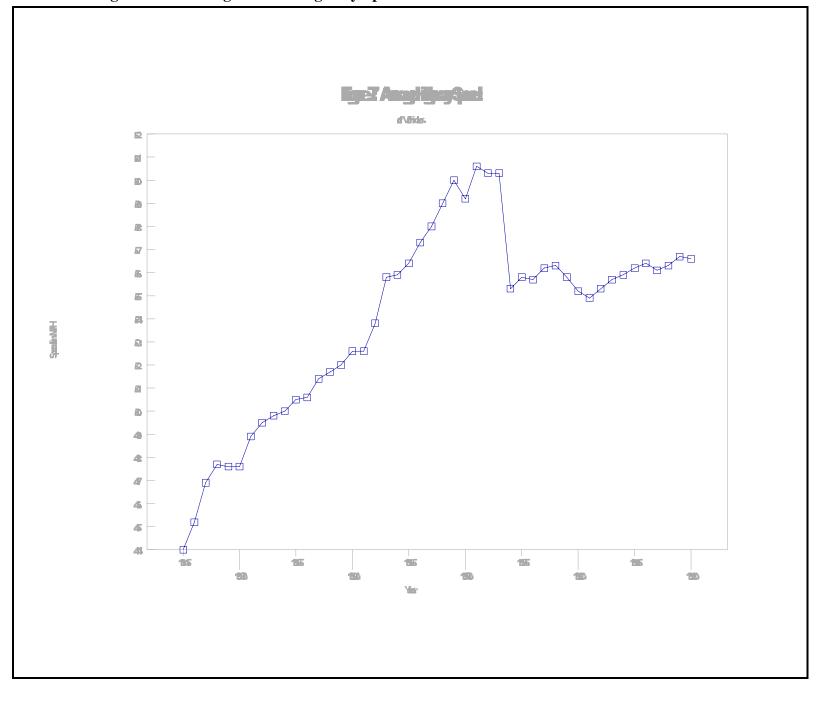
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>43</sup> Davis, S. and Morris, M., Oak Ridge National Laboratory, <u>Transportation Energy Data Book: Edition 12</u>, ORNL-6710, (Edition 12 of ORNL-5198), Table 3.42, p.3-66, March 1992. 1984 data from U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal Highway Administration, <u>Fuel Consumption and Emission Values for Traffic Models</u>, Washington, D.C., May 1985. National Energy Modeling System

The estimation of the overall impact of speed trends in fuel economy is dependent on the specific data type selected to measure this trend and on the methodology used to forecast this trend. One could choose a disaggregated approach in which speed trend forecasts are developed by urban and rural driving, highway type, and vehicle type, for each state. Given the time limitations, the current study utilizes the nationwide average highway speed for all vehicles and highway types. Average speeds post-1980 are used as the basis to generate forecasts.

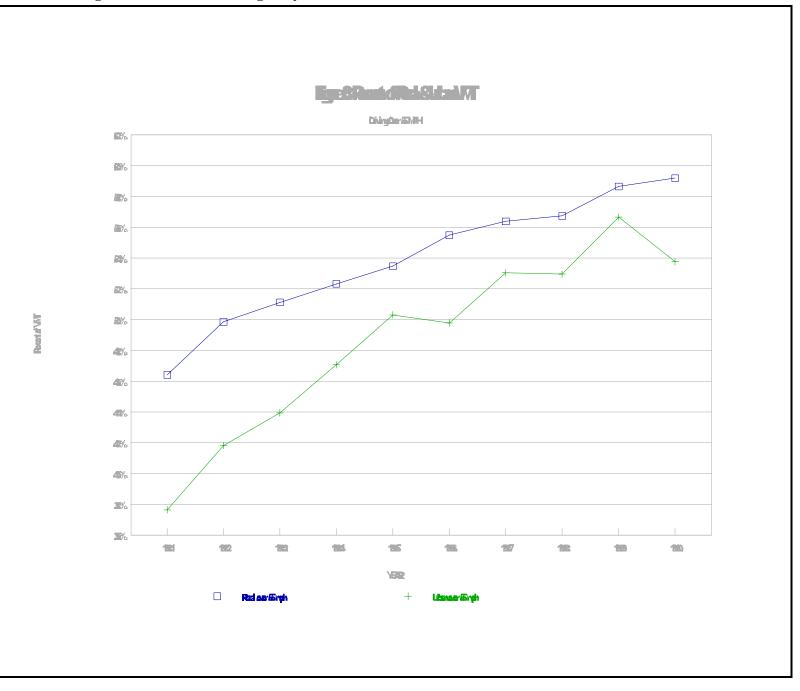
As Figure F-5 illustrates, average highway speed is influenced by regulatory policies such as the implementation of the nationwide speed limit in 1973-1974. Other factors affecting speed might include safety and environmental regulations, gasoline prices, oil shortages, income fluctuations, etc. Although a methodology to forecast speed trends which includes all relevant factors is desirable, a logistic approach based on historical trends has been applied.

#### Automobiles:

Table F-37 summarizes the impact of the adjusted highway share speeds on the composite fuel efficiency gap for automobiles using the logistic approach. Unlike the adjusted results for the urban driving share, the fuel efficiency gap forecasts indicate that in 2010 the gap has increased to 17.02 percent, which is greater than the unadjusted logistic forecast of 16.58 percent. By the year 2030, the adjusted forecast is 18.27 percent, which is above the unadjusted logistic forecast of 17.47. By the year 2030, the adjusted gap is 3.07 percent above the base gap of 15.2 percent.



Source: Historical Values from U.S. DoT, FHWA, <u>Highway Statistics</u>, different yearly issues.



Note: Based on data for roads with posted speed limit of 55 mph.

Source: Historical values from U.S. DoT, FHWA, <u>Highway Statistics</u>, different yearly issues.

Table F-37. Automobile Fuel Efficiency Gap Projections: Logistic Growth of Average Highway Speed (with Adjusted Highway Driving Shares)

	1988	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025	2030
Highway Speed,mph	56.30	56.60	57.41	58.06	58.66	59.22	59.75	60.23	60.69	61.11
Base Gap	15.20	15.20	15.20	15.20	15.20	15.20	15.20	15.20	15.20	15.20
Gap Forecast	15.19	15.39	15.89	16.31	16.67	17.02	17.38	17.70	18.00	18.27
Change	-0.01	0.19	0.69	1.11	1.47	1.82	2.18	2.50	2.80	3.07

Sources: Base Gap from ORNL 1992, Highway Speed Forecasts based on Fisher & Pry Logistic Function.

Table F-38. Light Truck Fuel Efficiency Gap Projection: Logistic Growth of Average Highway Speed (with Adjusted Highway Driving Share)

	1988	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025	2030
Highway	56.30	56.60	57.41	58.06	58.66	59.22	59.75	60.23	60.69	61.11
Speed,mph Base Gap	28.30	28.30	28.30	28.30	28.30	28.30	28.30	28.30	28.30	28.30
Gap Forecast	28.29	28.49	28.95	29.35	29.74	30.07	30.43	30.73	31.01	31.29
Change	-0.01	0.19	0.65	1.05	1.44	1.77	2.13	2.43	2.71	2.99

Sources: Base Gap from ORNL 1992, Highway Speed Forecasts based on Fisher & Pry Logistic Function.

#### **Light Duty Trucks:**

Table F-38 displays the fuel efficiency gap projections for light duty trucks assuming logistic growth for average highway speed and an adjusted driving share to reflect the city to highway driving proportion. The adjusted logistic projections imply that the fuel efficiency gap for light duty trucks will be 30.07 percent for an increase of 1.77 percentage points over the base gap in the year 2010. The gap forecast is larger than the unadjusted logistic projection of 29.74 percent. By 2030 the adjusted logistic forecast is 2.99 percent above the base gap of 28.30 percent, while the unadjusted logistic is 2.39 percent above the base gap. This implies a fuel efficiency gap of 31.29 percent in 2030.

# Increasing Urban Highway Congestion

Congestion is a primary issue of the domestic transportation system. Urban congestion has increased in the last decades in most metropolitan areas as expansion and improvement of the transportation system lagged behind the rapid growth of travel demand.

The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) classifies the two major causes of urban road congestion as recurring congestion and non-recurring congestion. Recurring congestion is that congestion which is the consequence of inadequate road capacity, reduction of through-put lanes, narrowing of lane widths, physical barriers, inadequate traffic light synchronization, and other similar causes. FHWA estimates that recurrent congestion accounts for 40 percent of all urban road congestion. Non-recurring congestion is that congestion resulting from disabled vehicles and accidents. FHWA estimates that disablement account for 55 percent of overall urban congestion, with the remaining 5 percent due to accidents.

One of the most important road types within urban areas in which congestion takes place is urban freeways. In 1990, 32 percent of the total vehicle miles of travel in urban areas corresponded to freeways, while freeways comprised only 5.7 percent of the urban roadway mileage.<sup>44</sup> The increase in urban congestion can be further analyzed by considering the increase in urban VMT as compared to the increase in urban lane miles. Data corresponding to the period 1975-1987 indicate that urban VMT demand growth rate is over 4 times the rate of new urban lane capacity growth. This corresponds to an increase in the average urban through-put (urban VMT per mile) of 38.9 percent.

Differing methodologies have been developed recently to measure the extent and duration of

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>44</sup> U.S. DOT, FHA, <u>Highway Statistics 1990</u>.

freeway congestion in urban areas.<sup>45 46</sup> Hanks and Lomax of the Texas Transportation Institute (TTI) have developed congestion indices for 39 urban areas. Table F-39 lists VMT, VMT per lanemile, congestion indices, and rankings for each of the urban areas analyzed by TTI. Table F-40 lists, in addition to the congestion indices, estimates of the congestion cost per capita for each of these urban areas. Few attempts to forecast urban congestion and its effect on fuel economy are available.<sup>47</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>45</sup> Cottrell, P., "Measurement of the Extent and Duration of Freeway Congestion in Urbanized Areas,"ITE 61st Annual Meeting, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, Sept. 1991.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>46</sup> Hanks, J., and Lomax, T., <u>Roadway Congestion in Major Urban Areas: 1982 to 1987</u>, Texas Transportation Institute, Research Report 1131-2, College Station, Texas, Oct. 1989.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>47</sup> Lindley, J., "Urban Freeway Congestion Problems and Solutions: An Update," ITE Journal, Dec. 1989, pp. 21-23. Feng, An, "Automobile Fuel Economy and Traffic Congestion," Dissertation for PhD in Applied Physics, University of Michigan, 1992. Westbrook, F. and Patterson, P., "Changing Driving Patterns and Their Effect on Fuel Economy," presented May 2, 1989 at the 1989 SAE Government/Industry Meeting, Washington, D.C.

	Freeway/Fynr	essway Streets	Principal	l Arterial	Congestion <sup>3</sup>	
Urban Area	DVMT <sup>1</sup>	DVMT <sup>2</sup>	DVMT <sup>1</sup>	DVMT <sup>2</sup>	Index	Rank
Western & Southern Cities	4,580	295	16,475	2610	1.23	4
Phoenix AZ	96,890	4,880	73,810	11,780	1.47	1
Los Angeles CA	8,055	660	6,135	1,000	1.00	17
Sacramento CA	23,155	1,640	8,180	1,560	1.08	12
San Diego CA	39,580	2,305	12,670	2,005	1.31	2
Denver CO	9,550	830	10,600	1,930	0.95	22
Miami FL	7,420	555	13,000	2,000	1.14	7
Tampa FL	3,300	280	3,880	610	1.02	16
Atlanta GA	23,940	1,600	9,350	1,500	1.16	6
Indianapolis IN	7,640	710	4,100	835	0.85	32
Louisville KY	5,380	515	2,975	520	0.86	30
Kansas City MO	11,920	1,410	4,350	910	0.69	39
St. Louis MO	16,290	1,430	11,215	1,745	0.96	20
Albuquerque NM	2,025	200	3,550	650	0.91	26
Oklahoma City OK	6,330	700	3,465	655	0.76	36
Portland OR	6,700	540	3,200	525	1.00	17
Memphis TN	3,730	375	3,930	760	0.84	34
Nashville TN	5,000	430	4,915	905	0.95	22
Salt Lake City UT	3,810	410	1,865	340	0.78	35
Seattle-Everett WA	16,600	1,140	8,950	1,475	1.14	7
Northeast & Midwest Cities						
Washington DC	22,910	1,555	18,400	2,240	1.25	3
Chicago IL	30,945	2,260	24,965	3,870	1.11	9
Baltimore MD	13,735	1,200	9,020	1,680	0.92	25
Boston MA	20,205	1,490	13,700	2,675	1.04	14
Detroit MI	21,800	1,610	21,545	3,450	1.10	11
Minn-St. Paul MN	15,620	1,230	5,200	1,160	0.97	19
New York NY	73,615	5,385	46,490	6,930	1.11	9
Cincinnati OH	9,560	845	3,315	790	0.87	29
Cleveland OH	11,185	960	4,840	1,100	0.89	27
Philadelphia PA	15,125	1,370	22,550	3,150	1.06	13
Pittsburgh PA	7,190	925	9,905	1,510	0.85	32
Milwaukee WI	6,820	570	4,640	930	0.94	24
Major Texas Cities						• •
Austin TX	5,150	420	2,150	415	0.96	20
Corpus Christi TX	1,500	180	1,490	320	0.72	37
Dallas TX	22,100	1,640	8,200	1,690	1.03	15
El Paso TX	3,200	345	3,000	805	0.72	37
Fort Worth TX	11,000	990	4,250	840	0.88	28
Houston TX Son Antonio TX	25,800 8,800	1,640	10,500	1,970	1.19	5 30
San Antonio TX		810	4,800	1,050	0.86	50
West/South Avg	15,095	1,045	9,750 15,280	1,715	1.01	
North/Midwest Avg	20,725	1,615	15,380	2,455	1.01 1.01	
Outside TX Avg Texas Avg	17,205 11,080	1,260 860	11,860 4,910	1,995 1,015	0.91	
Congested TX Avg	14,570	1,100	4,910 5,980	1,015	0.91	
Total Avg	16,105	1,100	10,610	1,193	0.98	
Total Avg Maximum Value	96,890	5,385	73,810	1,820	0.99 1.47	
Minimum Value	96,890 1,500	5,585 180	1,490	320	0.69	
	1,300	100	1,470	320	0.07	

# Table F-39. Congestion Index Value for Selected Cities

Note: Congested Texas cities average includes Austin, Dallas, Fort Worth, Houston, and San Antonio.

<sup>1</sup>Daily vehicle-miles of travel

<sup>2</sup>Daily vehicle-miles of travel per lane-mile

<sup>3</sup>See Equation s-1

Table F-40. 1987 Urban Area Rankings by Congestion Index and Cost per Capita

	Congestion Index		Congestion C	ost per Capita
Urban Area	Value	Rank	Value (Dollars)	Rank
Western & Southern Cities				
Phoenix AZ	1.23	4	510	10
Los Angeles CA	1.47	1	730	2
Sacramento CA	1.00	17	360	19
San Diego CA	1.08	12	280	25
San Fran-Oakland CA	1.31	2	670	3
Denver CO	0.95	22	420	14
Miami FL	1.14	7	670	4
Tampa FL	1.02	16	340	22
Atlanta GA	1.16	6	650	5
Indianapolis IN	0.85	32	100	38
Louisville KY	0.85	32 29	180	30
Kansas City MO	0.80	29 39	130	35
St. Louis MO	0.09	20	380	17
				27
Albuquerque NM	0.91	26 26	250	
Oklahoma City OK	0.76	36	170	34
Portland OR	1.00	18	300	24
Memphis TN	0.84	34	210	29
Nashville TN	0.95	23	380	18
Salt Lake City UT	0.78	35	120	36
Seattle-Everett WA	1.14	8	580	6
Northeast & Midwest Cities				
Washington DC	1.25	3	740	1
Chicago IL	1.11	9	340	21
Baltimore MD	0.92	25	340	23
Boston MA	1.04	14	400	16
Detroit MI	1.10	11	480	11
Minn-St. Paul MN	0.97	19	240	28
New York NY	1.11	9	430	12
Cincinnati OH	0.87	29	180	32
Cleveland OH	0.89	27	170	33
Philadelphia PA	1.06	13	520	9
Pittsburgh PA	0.85	32	410	15
Milwaukee WI	0.94	24	190	30
Major Texas Cities				
Austin TX	0.96	21	420	13
Corpus Christi TX	0.72	37	80	39
Dallas TX	1.03	15	530	8
El Paso TX	0.72	37	110	37
Fort Worth TX	0.88	27	360	20
Houston TX	1.19	5	550	20 7
San Antonio TX	0.86	30	260	26
Sui Mitolio 17	0.00	50	200	20

Source: Hanks, J., and Lomax, T., <u>Roadway Congestion in Major Urban Areas: 1982 to 1987</u>, TTI, Research Report 1131-2, College Station, TX, Oct. 1989.

Lindley's projections of consumption statistics for the year 2005 take into account factors including time delays, wasted fuel, and user cost. The urban freeway congestion statistic projections developed by Lindley are presented in Table F-41.

The projections generated in this study utilize the wasted fuel values developed by Lindley as the basis to measure the impact of urban congestion on the fuel efficiency gap. The study further assumes that the amount of wasted fuel due to congestion will increase following a logistic trend.

The amount of wasted fuel is divided between automobiles and light duty trucks assuming that the light duty trucks VMT driving share will increase from 23.4 percent in 1989 to 33 percent in 2010, and will remain constant at 33 percent through 2030.

#### Automobiles:

The wasted fuel forecast due to traffic delays for the year 2010 is 9,164 mil.gal. and for the year 2030 it is 11,426 mil.gal. as summarized in Table F-42. This implies that the fuel efficiency gap will be 18.66 percent in 2010 and 23.08 percent in 2030. These are lower projections as compared to the unadjusted figures of 21.53 percent and 26.32 percent corresponding to the same years.

#### **Light Duty Trucks:**

Table F-43 presents the fuel efficiency gap projections for light duty trucks based on adjusted city/highway shares and assuming logistic growth of wasted fuel due to congestion. The wasted fuel forecast for light duty trucks for the year 2010 is 4,513 mil.gal. and for the year 2030 it is 5,628 mil.gal. This implies that the fuel efficiency gap will be 32.77 percent in 2010 and 33.43 percent in 2030 as compared to the unadjusted figures of 32.91 percent and 34.09 percent.

# **Overall Degradation Factor Forecast**

Figures F-7 and F-8 summarize the projections of the fuel efficiency gap using assumptions of logistic growth and adjusted city/highway shares for automobiles and light duty trucks, respectively. The overall results are listed in Table F-44.

As illustrated in Table F-44, the logistic approach generates lower forecasts for the overall fuel efficiency gap for both automobiles and light duty trucks as compared to the ones generated using the linear approach. The overall fuel efficiency gap for automobiles is expected to increase from a base of 15.2 to 27.00 by the year 2030 assuming a logistic trend. The fuel efficiency gap will increase further to 34.07 if a linear trend is assumed instead. The overall fuel efficiency gap for light duty trucks is expected to increase from a base of 28.3 to 37.85 or 42.91 by the year 2030

assuming logistic and linear growth respectively.

	1984	1987	(1984 data) 2005	(1987 data) 2005
Freeway Miles	15335	16097	15335	16097
Vehicle-Miles of Travel (billions)	277	337	411.0	493
Recurring delay	485	728	2049	3030
(million vehicle-hours)				
Delay due to incidents	767	1287	4858	7978
(million vehicle-hours) Total delay	1252	2015	6907	11008
(million vehicle-hours) Total wasted fuel	1378	2206	7317	11638
(million gallons)				
Total user costs	9	16	51	88
(billion dollars)				

Table F-41. Urban Freeway Congestion Statistics

Source: Lindley, J., "Urban Freeway Congestion Problems and Solutions: An Update," ITE Journal, December 1989, pages 21-23.

Table F-42. Automobile Fuel Efficiency Gap Projections: Logistic Increasing Congestion Trend (with Adjusted City/Highway Driving Share)

	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025	2030
Wasted Fuel	2252	3865	5788	7764	9164	10284	10924	11259	11426
(Million Gallons)									
Base Gap	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15
Gap Forecast	15.69	16.37	17.34	18.20	18.66	22.08	22.50	22.79	23.08
Change	0.49	1.17	2.14	3.00	3.46	6.88	7.30	7.59	7.88

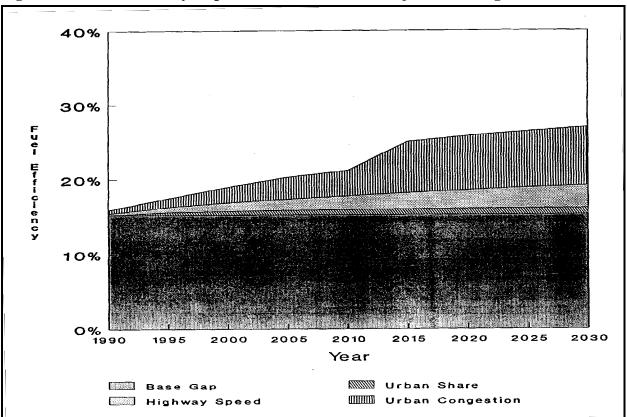


Figure F-7. Fuel Efficiency Gap for Automobiles (with Adjusted Driving Share)

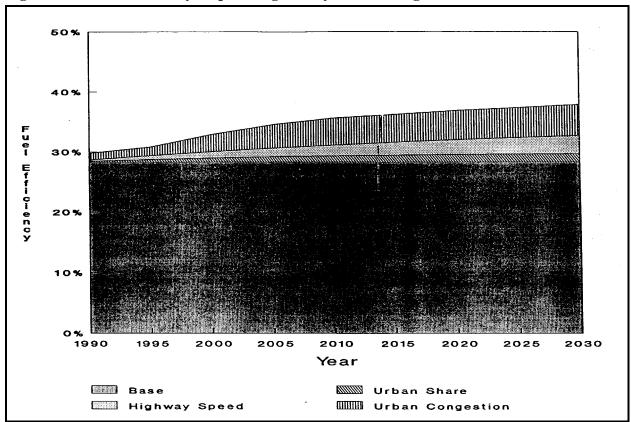


Figure F-8. Fuel Efficiency Gap for Light Duty Trucks (Logistic Forecast)

Congestion Trend (with Adjusted City/Tighway Driving Share)									
	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025	2030
Wasted Fuel	611	1203	2240	3375	4513	5065	5380	5545	5628
(Million Gallons)									
Base Gap	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.3	28.3
Gap Forecast	29.41	29.76	31.17	32.17	32.77	32.89	33.14	33.28	33.43
Change	1.11	1.46	2.87	3.87	4.47	4.59	4.84	4.98	5.13

Table F-43. Light Truck Fuel Efficiency Gap Projections: Logistic Increasing Congestion Trend (with Adjusted City/Highway Driving Share)

Table F-44. Total Fuel Efficiency Gap Projections for Automobiles and Light Duty Trucks with Adjusted City/Highway Driving Share

	0		- J - O		0				
	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025	2030
AUTOMOBILES									
Base Gap	15.20	15.20	15.20	15.20	15.20	15.20	15.20	15.20	15.20
Gap Forecast	15.87	17.42	18.98	20.29	21.18	25.03	25.82	26.43	27.00
Change	0.67	2.22	3.78	5.09	5.98	9.83	10.62	11.23	11.80
L. D. TRUCKS									
Base Gap	28.30	28.30	28.30	28.30	28.30	28.30	28.30	28.30	28.30
Gap Forecast	29.78	30.83	32.90	34.52	35.59	36.22	36.87	37.35	37.85
Change	1.48	2.53	4.60	6.22	7.29	7.92	8.57	9.05	9.55

# Attachment 4: Light Duty Vehicle Fleet Model

**Characteristics of Fleet Vehicles** 

#### **Aggregation of EPACT Requirements**

Under the provisions of EPACT, purchases of vehicles by fleets meeting certain criteria are affected by the requirement that a proportion be alternatively fueled. The specific conditions under which these provisions are in effect, and the fleet sizes which are affected are not static, but are subject to revision. The impact of the current legislation on different fleet types is tabulated below.<sup>48</sup>

Table F4	Table F45: Federal Mandates for Alternative-Fueled Vehicles									
		Percent of Tota	al Light Duty Vehic	le Acquisitions						
Year	Federal	State	Fuel Providers	Electric Utilities	Municipal & Private					
1996	25	10	30							
1997	33	15	50							
1998	50	25	70	30						
1999	75	50	90	50	20					
2000	75	75	90	70	20					
2001	75	75	90	90	20					
2002	75	75	90	90	30					
2003	75	75	90	90	40					
2004	75	75	90	90	50					
2005	75	75	90	90	60					
Thereafter	75	75	90	90	70					

Affected fleets are also distinguished by geographical location: fleets of 50 or more of which 20 or more are located in metropolitan areas with a population over 250,000 with the capability of central refueling.<sup>49</sup> Federal mandates for the three fleet types considered by the model are estimated using a stock-weighted average of the relevant categories above, and identified as EPACT3<sub>ITY,T</sub> in the code. Business fleets are directly mapped to the "Municipal and Private" column above, government fleets combine "Federal" and "State" requirements, and Utility fleets combine the "Fuel Providers" and

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>48</sup>The table has been reproduced from *Alternatives To Traditional Transportation Fuels 1994, Volume 1,* U.S. Department of Energy, Energy Information Administration, DOE/EIA-0585(94)1, February 1996, Table 1.

"Electric Utilities" mandates. Weighting factors are derived from recent stock estimates, and are subject to periodic revision.

#### **Business Fleet Stratification for Automobiles**

Vehicles which are categorized under the somewhat broad definition of business fleets include automobiles used for daily rental and long term leasing--vehicles not intended to be covered under the alternative fuel provisions of EPACT. As the AEO95 model was structured, all business fleet vehicles were considered to be covered by the legislation, resulting in an elevated estimate of the consequent sales of alternative fuel vehicles. A time series of the number of automobiles in each category is tabulated in the table below. The fraction of business fleet vehicles which would be subject to EPACT shows a distinct downward trend over the past twenty years, as depicted below, reaching approximately 50 percent in 1990.

Table	F-46: Bu	siness Fl	eet Distrib	oution of						
	Vehicles									
		<b>Business Fleets</b>		Percent						
	Total	Covered	Uncovered	Covered						
1971	3,900	2,336	1,564	59.90%						
1972	4,107	2,449	1,658	59.63%						
1973	4,430	2,691	1,739	60.74%						
1974	4,482	2,740	1,742	61.13%						
1975	4,553	2,763	1,790	60.69%						
1976	4,858	2,911	1,947	59.92%						
1977	5,075	2,952	2,123	58.17%						
1978	5,411	3,003	2,408	55.50%						
1979	5,554	3,054	2,500	54.99%						
1980	5,692	3,139	2,553	55.15%						
1981	5,679	3,163	2,516	55.70%						
1982	5,567	3,125	2,442	56.13%						
1983	5,641	3,182	2,459	56.41%						
1984	5,972	3,216	2,756	53.85%						
1985	6,184	3,276	2,908	52.98%						
1986	6,438	3,163	3,275	49.13%						
1987	6,606	3,298	3,308	49.92%						
1988	6,869	3,414	3,455	49.70%						
1989	6,978	3,413	3,565	48.91%						
1990	6,974	3,455	3,519	49.54%						

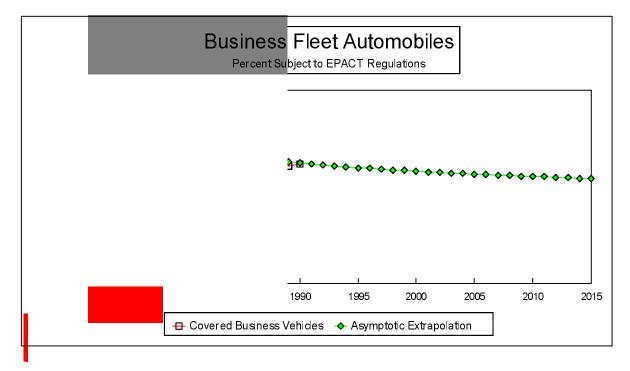
A new variable, BFLTFRAC, has been established to further stratify the stock of business fleet cars, with only the "covered" vehicles being used to estimate AFV purchases under EPACT. This variable is estimated using an asymptotic extrapolation of the historical trend, using an assumed lower limit of 40 percent, and a functional form as follows:

$$BFLTFRAC_{T-1971} = BFLTFRAC_{MIN} + (BFLTFRAC_{MAX} - BFLTFRAC_{MIN}) \cdot EXP^{(K_2 \cdot (T-1971))}$$

The input assumptions, estimated coefficients, and extrapolated values of BFLTFRAC are provided below.

<b>Covered Business Fleet Extrapolation</b>								
Input Assumptions								
BFLTFRAC <sub>MIN</sub>	40%							
BFLTFRAC <sub>MAX</sub>	61.2%							
Base Year	1971							
Regressio	n Output							
k <sub>2</sub>	-0.0404							
$\mathbb{R}^2$	0.839							

Figure F-9: EPACT Effects on Business Fleet Automobiles



#### **Distribution of Fleet Light Trucks**

As noted in the amended documentation, the Light Duty Vehicle Fleet Module first estimates the sales of light trucks to fleets as follows:

# $FLTSAL_{VT=2,ITY,T} = FLTTRAT \cdot SQDTRUCKSL_T \cdot FLTSHR_{ITY}$

where:

FLTSAL = Sales to fleets by vehicle and fleet type
FLTTRAT = Fraction of total truck sales attributed to fleets
SQDTRUCKSL = Total light truck sales in a given year, obtained from the NEMS Macroeconomic Module
FLTSHR = Fraction of fleet trucks purchased by a given fleet type
VT = Index of vehicle type: 1 = cars, 2 = light trucks
ITY = Index of fleet type: 1 = business, 2 = government, 3 = utility

The fleet allocation factor, FLTTRAT, has been previously extracted from data provided in the Transportation Energy Data Book,<sup>50</sup> which provides and estimate of the fraction of light trucks sold for personal use, and a survey of fleet vehicles,<sup>51</sup> which provides a mechanism for further stratifying non-personal sales into fleet/non-fleet categories. Under the current revision, only the personal/non-personal distinction is used, with all non-personal sales of light trucks being allocated to the fleet module. There are two reasons to re-estimate the value of FLTTRAT rather than merely redefining it as the percentage of trucks sold for non-personal use: first, the value of the personal-use sales share reported by ORNL is derived from the 1987 TIUS, which has been superseded by the recently published 1992 survey; and second, because TIUS does not survey government and publicly-owned vehicles, the sales share derived from its summary tends to overestimate the fraction of LDT's sold for personal use. A derivation of the updated value for FLTTRAT follows.

In estimating this factor, it is necessary to combine elements of two different data samples: the relevant components of TIUS, <sup>52</sup> and the annual data collected by FHWA.<sup>53</sup> Although these surveys are drawn from different populations and are not directly comparable, it is assumed that the relationships among elements of one data set are also valid in the other. Vehicle characteristics from the 1992 FHWA survey are tabulated below:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>50</sup>*Transportation Energy Data Book: Edition 12*, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, ORNL-6710, March 1992, Page A-12.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>51</sup>*Fleet Vehicles in the United States: Composition, Operating Characteristics, and Fueling Practices,* Oak Ridge National Laboratory, ORNL-6717, May 1992.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>52</sup>1992 Census of Transportation: Truck Inventory and Use Survey, U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, TC92-T-52, May 1995.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>53</sup>*Highway Statistics 1992*, U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal Highway Administration, FHWA-PL-93-023.

Table F-47: FHWA Highway Statistics 1992							
Total Number of Trucks (All Types)	45,504,067						
Total Light Duty Trucks (2-Axle, 4-Tire)	39,533,142	Table VM-1					
Total Federally-Owned Trucks	281,623						
Total State & Municipal Trucks	1,547,020	Table MV-1					

1) First, the FHWA data is used to estimate the fraction of two-axle, four tire trucks in the truck population:

Percent LDT = 
$$\frac{Total \ LDT}{Total \ Trucks}$$
 =  $\frac{39,533,142}{45,504,067}$  = 86.88%

2) Assuming that the distribution of trucks is uniform across sectors, the number of LDT's owned by federal, state, and municipal agencies can be estimated:

Public LDT = (Federal Trucks + State & Municipal Trucks) · Percent LDT = 1,588,693

3) Using the numbers above, the fraction of LDT's owned by public agencies is estimated:

$$Percent \ Public \ LDT = \frac{Public \ LDT}{Total \ LDT} = 4.02\%$$

It is assumed that this figure represents the degree of underestimation of LDT stock in the TIUS survey, which does not include publicly-owned vehicles.

4) To reconcile this discrepancy, the total number of privately-owned LDT's from the TIUS microdata file (on CD-ROM) is subsequently adjusted:

Implied TIUS LDT Population = 
$$\frac{Total TIUS LDT}{1 - Percent Public LDT}$$

5) Using TIUS estimates of the number of LDT's employed for personal use, the percentage of personal-use trucks can then be calculated:

#### Percent Personal LDT = <u>Total TIUS Personal LDT</u> <u>Implied TiuIUS LDT</u>

6) Finally, the percentage of LDT's assigned to the Fleet Module is simply calculated:

Fleet Percent = FLTTRAT = (1 - Percent Personal LDT)

The results are tabulated below.

Table F-48: TIUS LDT Data and Distributions		
Total LDT's, from TIUS	53,435,873	
Implied Total LDT's	55,673,175	
Total Personal-Use LDT's, from TIUS	39,766,945	
Percent Personal-Use	71.43%	
Percent Fleet (FLTTRAT)	28.57%	

The use of this revised allocation factor will result in a more accurate distribution of light-duty trucks in both the personal-use and fleet modules.

#### Fleet Share Distribution

The above information, combined with vehicle-use information from TIUS can be used to re-estimate the allocation of trucks among fleet types. This parameter, FLTTSHR, allocates total fleet LDT purchases among business, government, and utility fleets according to a fixed ratio, the derivation of which has not been previously documented. Using the implied estimate of the number of publicly-owned LDT's, presented above, and TIUS estimates of the number of utility and commercial LDT's (excluding those used for personal transport), the following distribution has been incorporated into the LDV Fleet Model.

Table F-49: Cu	rrent and Previou	s Fleet LDT Allo	cation
Fleet Type	Number	Current NEMS FLTTSHR	Previous NEMS FLTTSHR
Business	13,285,511	83.5%	73.6%
Government	2,237,302	14.1%	17.8%
Utility	383,421	2.4%	8.8%

#### **Vehicle Distribution Within Fleets**

Under the provisions of EPACT, purchases of vehicles by fleets meeting certain criteria are affected by the requirement that a proportion be alternatively fueled. The specific conditions under which these provisions are in effect, and the fleet sizes which are affected are not static, but are subject to revision. Obtaining an accurate estimate of the number of automobiles in fleet service is necessary in order to derive a forecast of the purchase of alternative fuel vehicles mandated under EPACT, and the consequent demand for petroleum, electricity, and alternative fuels used for transportation. Under the previous model, a fixed proportion of annual automobile and light truck sales (which were exogenously obtained) were assigned to business, utility, and government fleets. As the alternative fuel provisions of EPACT attach to fleets at or above a given size, it is important to develop a means of estimating the affected population of vehicles under the current, or any future definition of a "fleet". Due to the dissimilarities of the data available, separate approaches have been developed for light trucks and automobiles, as described below.

#### Trucks

The proposed approach uses the fleet-size data from the TIUS survey to derive a functional form for estimating the affected population of LDT's in fleets. The applicability of this approach is constrained by the aggregate nature of the survey, but should serve as a good first approximation. The first step is to look at the distribution of trucks by fleet type; only business and utility fleets are considered as all government vehicles are assumed to be affected by the legislation (and are not represented in TIUS). The number of trucks within each considered fleet type, stratified by fleet size, are tabulated below. These distributions are also graphically depicted on the following pages. It is clear from these figures that business and utility fleets have significantly different size characteristics, as is to be expected. Most commercial light trucks exist in fleets of less than 20 vehicles are in large fleets.

Table F	Table F-50: Light Truck Distribution in Business Fleets				
Fleet Size	Number	Percent of Total Defined	Cumulative Percentage: P(n)	Reverse Cumulative: Q(n)	
1	5,422,935	43.7%	43.7%	100.0%	
2 to 5	4,261,155	34.3%	78.0%	56.3%	
6 to 9	799,876	6.4%	84.5%	22.0%	
10 to 24	843,262	6.8%	91.3%	15.5%	
25 to 99	613,610	4.9%	96.2%	8.7%	
100 to 499	295,196	2.4%	98.6%	3.8%	
500 or More	176,383	1.4%	100.0%	1.4%	
Undefined	873,094				
Total Defined	12,412,417				

Table	Table F-51: Light Truck Distribution in Utility Fleets				
Fleet Size	Number	Percent of Total Defined	Cumulative Percentage: P(n)	Reverse Cumulative: Q(n)	
1	25,677	6.8%	6.8%	100.0%	
2 to 5	18,573	4.9%	11.8%	93.2%	
6 to 9	24,296	6.5%	18.2%	88.2%	
10 to 24	38,717	10.3%	28.6%	81.8%	
25 to 99	59,301	15.8%	44.3%	71.4%	
100 to 499	49,294	13.1%	57.5%	55.7%	
500 or More	159,804	42.5%	100.0%	42.5%	
Undefined	7,759				
Total Defined	375,662				

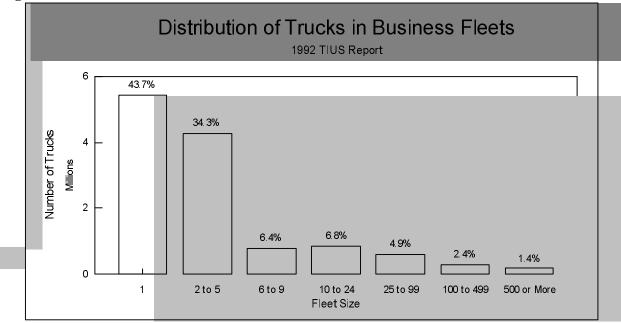
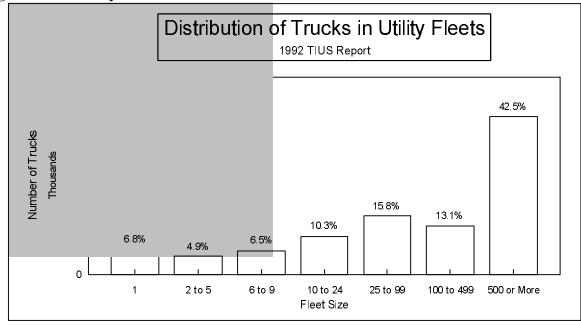


Figure F-10: Business Fleet LDT Distribution

Figure F-11: Utility Fleet LDT Distribution



As the strata defined in the TIUS survey do not correspond to the fleet sizes addressed in EPACT, it is necessary to derive a functional form for each distribution. This is accomplished by considering the cumulative distribution of fleet trucks P(n), or, more accurately, its complement: Q(n), referred to, for lack of a better term, as the reverse cumulative distribution. This distribution describes the number of trucks in fleet sizes greater than or equal to *n*, as depicted below.

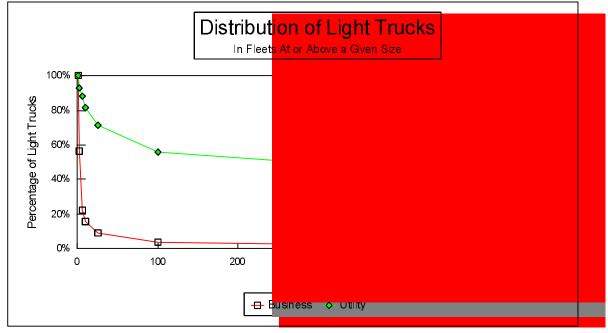
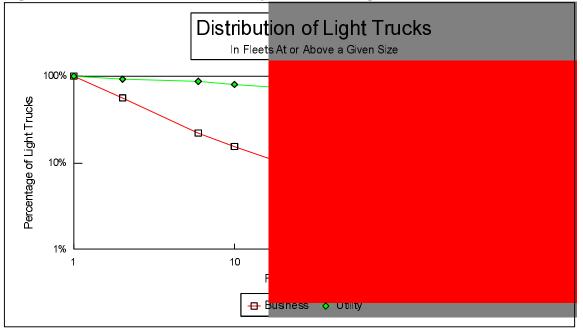


Figure F-12: Distribution of LDT's, by Fleet Size

Figure F-13: Distribution of LDT's, by Fleet Size (Logarithmic Scale)



The most straightforward method of estimating a functional form is to transform the data so that it approximates a linear relationship, then use OLS to estimate the coefficients. As the figure above shows, plotting both axes logarithmically produces a reasonable approximation of linearity. This

suggests the following form:

$$Ln Q(n) = k Ln (n)$$
  
or  
$$Q(n) = n^{k}$$

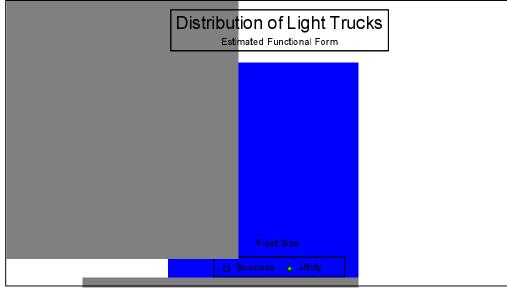
where:

Q(n) = The reverse cumulative distribution: the percentage of trucks in fleets of size greater than or equal to *n*.

Testing this approach with the data described above provides the results tabulated below. The significance of the coefficients and the high R-squared gives confidence that this formulation will provide a satisfactory means of estimating the affected light truck population in business and utility fleets. A plot of these functions over TIUS data is provided below.

Table I	Table F-52: Regression Output			
	Business	Utility		
Constant	0	0		
Coefficient (k)	-0.747	-0.111		
Standard Error.	0.020	0.008		
T-Statistic	-36.63	-13.22		
R Squared	0.988	0.937		





Applying this function permits a stratification of light trucks into three groups: non-fleet (<20 vehicles), small fleet (20-50 vehicles) and large fleet (>50 vehicles). The distribution of these percentages, by fleet type, are tabulated below. It should be noted, once again, that publicly-owned vehicles (federal, state, and municipal) are not subject to the fleet-size constraints, and are therefore not similarly stratified. Insofar as different components of the publicly-owned fleet of LTD's have different acquisition requirements under EPACT, it is suggested that a sales-weighted average of the requirements be used.

Table F-53: Distribution of LDT's, by Fleet Type and Size (FLTSIZE)						
Floot Sino	Index	Coloulation	Fleet Type			
Fleet Size	(IFS)	Calculation	Business	Utility		
Non-Fleet (<20 LDT's)	1	Q(1) - Q(20)	89.3%	28.4%		
Small Fleet (20-50 LDT's)	2	Q(20) - Q(50)	5.3%	6.9%		
Large Fleet (>50 LDT's)	3	Q(50)	5.4%	64.7%		
Тс	otal		100%	100%		

#### Automobiles

In a report on the characteristics of fleet vehicles in the United States,<sup>54</sup> Oak Ridge Natiional Laboratory notes that no comprehensive nationwide automobile fleet vehicle survey is currently available. This stands in contrast to the abundance of census data available for the analysis of U.S. truck populations, and inhibits the development of a methodology to estimate the number of fleet vehicles covered by EPACT regulations. The *1992 Automotive Fleet Fact Book*,<sup>55</sup> which provides summary characteristics of fleet vehicles, represents the sole source of data used in constructing the following distribution.

Given the limitations of the data, several assumptions and manipulations are necessary to transform the published data into a form commensurate with the needs of the model. It is first assumed that both Government and Utility fleets are large enough to be affected by EPACT regulations, obviating the need for further analysis of their distributions. It is also assumed that the number of vehicles in business fleets should not include employee-owned, daily rental, or individually-leased vehicles, as these are outside the purview of the legislation. This exclusion is accomplished through the use of the function BFLTFRAC, described above. Aggregating business fleet data and subtracting excluded vehicles results in the distribution provided in the table below. As there are only three data points, this effectively precludes the use of regression analysis to estimate a distribution function for business fleet vehicles. The alternative is to assume the simplest functional form which can be adjusted to approximate the desired distribution. After testing a variety of specifications, the form selected is as follows:

$$Q(n) = \frac{k_3}{Ln(n)}$$

where:

Q(n) = The percentage of vehicles in fleets of size greater than or equal to *n* 

 $k_3 =$  The constant of proportionality, chosen by normalizing the function to 1.0 when n = 4; estimated to be 1.386.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>54</sup>Fleet Vehicles in the United States: Composition, Operating Characteristics, and Fueling Practices, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, ORNL-6717, May 1992.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>55</sup>Automotive Fleet Fact Book, 1992. Bobit Publishing Company, pp. 16, 20.

Table F-54: 1992 Bobit Fleet Data			
Fleet Type	Number of Vehicles (Thousands)		
Business Fleets (by Size)			
>= 4 Vehicles	5,261		
>= 10 Vehicles	2,820		
>= 25 Vehicles	2,323		
Government Fleets	504		
Utility Fleets	544		

This function is graphically displayed below, along with the original data. Applying this function permits a stratification of business fleet automobiles into three groups: non-fleet (<20 vehicles), small fleet (20-50 vehicles) and large fleet (>50 vehicles). The distribution of these percentages is tabulated below.

**Figure F-15: Distribution of Business Fleet Vehicles** 

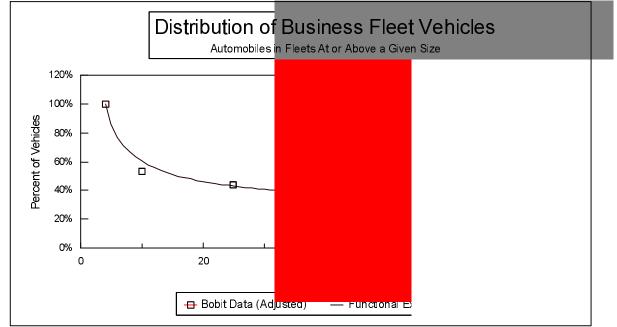


Table F-55: Percentage of Business Fleet Automobiles (FLTSIZE)			
Fleet Size	Index (IFS)	Calculation	Percent
Non-Fleet (<20 Cars)	1	Q(1) - Q(20)	53.7%
Small Fleet (20-50 Cars)	2	Q(20) - Q(50)	10.8%
Large Fleet (>50 Cars)	3	Q(50)	35.4%
Total			100%

The incorporation of these modifications will, in all likelihood, not result in significant changes in the output of the NEMS Transportation Model, but will more easily permit the inclusion of users' assumptions and will be able to withstand a higher level of scrutiny of the methodology.

# **Attachment 5: Light Commercial Truck Model**

#### Data Development for the LCT Model

The primary source of data for this model is the microdata file of the 1992 Truck Inventory and Use Survey (TIUS), which provides numerous details on truck stock and usage patterns at a high level of disaggregation. The data derived from this source are used to allocate and sort the summary truck data presented in the Federal Highway Administration's annual publication of highway statistics, which constitute the baseline from which the NEMS forecast is made. TIUS data are also used to distribute estimated sales of trucks, obtained from the Macroeconomic Model, among the affected models according to their weight class. Finally, the TIUS microdata set is used to construct a characterization of these Light Commercial Trucks, comprising their average annual miles of travel, fuel economy, and distribution among several aggregate industrial groupings chosen for their correspondence with output measures currently being forecast by NEMS. It is expected that projected growth in industrial output will provide a useful proxy for the growth in demand for the services of light commercial trucks. This issue will be addressed later in this section.

#### **Distribution of Truck Stock**

The principal source of confusion and double-counting encountered in the truck models stems from differing definitions of what constitutes a light truck among the data sources used by NEMS. In the past, FHWA's estimate of 2-axle, 4-tire trucks have been interpreted as representing light-duty trucks, less than 8,500 lbs, and therefore properly within the purview of the LDV Module. Likewise, sales estimates from the Macro Model have been assumed to represent only LDT's, and have been similarly assigned. On closer examination, neither of these assumptions can be shown to have been justified.

Using the information derived from TIUS, it is estimated that of the 2-axle, 4-tire trucks, approximately 88 percent of the pickup trucks and 85 percent of the other trucks (vans, panel trucks, etc.) fall into that weight range. The remainder properly belong in the newly-established LCT category. Similarly, sales estimates from the Macro Model have been shown to represent sales of trucks under 14,000 lbs., indicating a significant overlap across the LCT weight range and into the medium freight truck category. Using the weight distributions by truck type available from TIUS, a suggested stratification scheme may be proposed. Table F-56, below, presents the TIUS estimates of single-unit truck stock, stratified by axle configuration, body type, and weight. While there are significant discrepancies between FHWA's summary stock figures and those presented below (see Table F-57), it is assumed that the relative distribution of trucks within each grouping is constant, and transferrable between samples.

T doi	e F-56: Distril				<b>.</b>
	Total	Pickup	Van	SU Light	SU Heavy
2 AX, 2 TIRES EA					
6,000 OR LESS	36,682,877	22,085,491	14,499,647	97,739	0
6 ,001- 10,000	16,476,534	10,195,368	5,909,766	371,400	0
10 ,001- 14,000	95,522	0	0	95,522	0
14 ,001- 16,000	37,980	0	0	37,980	0
16 ,001- 19,500	53,606	0	0	53,606	0
19,501-26,000	434,632	0	0	434,632	0
26 ,001- 33,000	27,359	0	0	0	27,359
33,001 OR MORE	244,863	0	0	0	244,863
Total	54,053,373	32,280,859	20,409,413	1,090,879	272,222
2 AX, 2&4 TIRES					
6,000 OR LESS	374,070	290,142	74,031	9,897	0
6 ,001- 10,000	1,035,862	536,274	89,182	410,406	0
10 ,001- 14,000	246,374	0	0	246,374	0
14 ,001- 16,000	81,897	0	0	81,897	0
16 ,001- 19,500	141,746	0	0	141,746	0
19,501-26,000	1,219,550	0	0	1,219,550	0
26 ,001- 33,000	72,072	0	0	0	72,072
33,001 OR MORE	169,942	0	0	0	169,942
Total	3,341,513	826,416	163,213	2,109,870	242,014
3 AXLES					
6,000 OR LESS	731	0	0	731	0
6 ,001- 10,000	2,123	0	0	2,123	0
10 ,001- 14,000	3,970	0	0	3,970	0
14 ,001- 16,000	2,478	0	0	2,478	0
16 ,001- 19,500	5,342	0	0	5,342	0
19,501-26,000	94,064	0	0	94,064	0
26 ,001- 33,000	7,446	0	0	0	7,446
33,001 OR MORE	329,043	0	0	0	329,043
Total	445,197	0	0	108,708	336,489
4 AXLES OR MORE	,			,	,
6,000 OR LESS	0	0	0	0	0
6,001-10,000	1,351	0	0	1,351	0
10 ,001- 14,000	1,807	0	0	1,807	0
14 ,001- 16,000	0	0	0	0	0
16 ,001- 19,500	291	0	0	291	0
19,501-26,000	3,024	0	0	3,024	0
26 ,001- 33,000	151	0	0	0	151
33,001 OR MORE	62,084	0	0	0	62,084
Total	68,708		0	6,473	
IUIdI	00,700	0	U	0,473	62,235

The data above can be used to estimate the fraction of single-unit trucks in the FHWA sample which are less than or equal 10,000 lbs., the upper bound of the LCT weight class. Aggregating the sample numbers and calculating the percentages in the relevant groups provides the winnowing factors in the table below.

	Table F-57: Stock Estimates: All Single-Unit Trucks					
Newsels an	All Tr	ucks	Trucks<=1	0,000 Lbs	%<=1	0k lbs
Number	2A4T	Other	2A4T	Other	2A4T	Other
Pickups Other <i>Total</i>	32,280,859 21,772,514 <i>54,053,373</i>	826,416 3,029,002 <i>3,855,418</i>	32,280,859 20,878,552 <i>53,159,411</i>	826,416 587,721 1,414,137	100% 95.89%	100% 19.40%
Democrat	All Tr	ucks	Trucks<=1	0,000 Lbs		
Percent	2A4T	Other	2A4T	Other		
Pickups Other	59.72% 40.28%	21.44% 78.56%	60.72% 39.28%	58.44% 41.56%		

Similarly, the distributions in Table F-56 can be aggregated to determine the allocation of truck sales obtained from the Macro Model, first splitting off that fraction between 10,000 and 14,000 lbs., and then distributing the remainder between 2-axle, 4-tire trucks and trucks with other axle configurations, as shown below.

Tab	Table F-58: Distribution of Light Truck Sales from Macro Model			
		Total	Percent	
Total SU Trucks	<= 14,000 lbs	54,921,221		
Of Which:	SU Trucks <= 10,000 lbs.	54,573,548	99.37%	
	Of Which: 2A4T Trucks <= 10,000 lbs Other SU Trucks <= 10,000 lbs.	53,159,411 1,414,137	97.41% 2.59%	

The next step is to determine the fraction of trucks which exceed the 8,500 lb. lower bound of the LCT weight category. TIUS, unfortunately, does not provide a breakdown of truck stock along those lines, thus requiring the imputing of the appropriate fractions. After consideration of several options, it has been decided to use a simple linear interpolation of the cumulative share of each truck type between 6,000 and 10,000 lbs. The data and resulting shares are provided in Table F-59, below.

Axle Configuration	Pick	ups	Oth	er
2A4T				
	Total	Percent	Total	Percent
<= 6k	22,085,491	68.42%	14,597,386	67.05%
<= 10k	32,280,859	100.00%	20,878,552	95.89%
Total	32,280,859	100.00%	21,772,514	100.00%
Interpolation				
<= 8.5	28,457,596	88.16%	17,762,570	85.08%
8.5-10k	3,823,263	11.84%	3,115,982 *	14.92%
Other				
	Total	Percent	Total	Percent
<= 6k	290,142	35.11%	84,659	14.40%
<= 10k	826,416	100.00%	587,721	100.00%
Total	826,416	100.00%	587,721	100.00%
Interpolation				
<= 8.5	625,313	75.67%	399,073	67.90%
8.5-10k	201,103	24.33%	188,648	32.10%

\* The weight range for 2-axle, 4-tire non-pickup trucks is defined to be everything >= 8,500 lbs. This is done to simplify the accounting of the model, due to the small number of these trucks which exceed 10,000 lbs., and to recognize that the purposes to which most of these vans and small panel truck are put would most appropriately be addressed within the Light Commercial Truck Model, rather than in the Highway Freight Model.

In order to simplify the allocation scheme described above, the distribution of stock and sales are presented graphically, in Figures F-16 and F-17, below.

### Figure F-16: Distribution of FHWA Single-Unit Truck Stocks

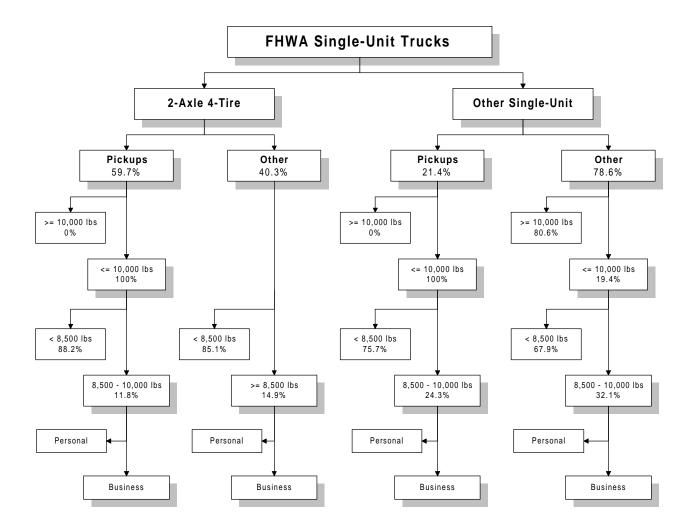
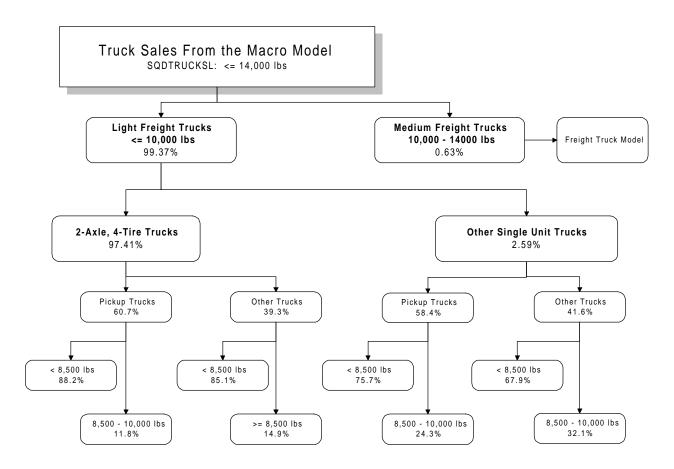


Figure F-17: Distribution of Light Truck Sales



#### **Allocation of Truck Stock Among Industrial Groups**

In order to develop a forecast of LCT use which is sensitive to economic activity, it is necessary to allocate the trucks according to their major use. TIUS provides an accounting of trucks within sixteen major use categories, not all of which correspond directly with measures of industrial output generated by NEMS. These categories are therefore aggregated into measures which can be addressed within the NEMS structure, as defined below.

Table F-60: Correspondence of Major Use Categories				
TIUS Categories	Aggregate LCT Model Categories			
Agriculture or Farm Activities	Agriculture			
Forestry or Lumber	Agriculture			
Mining or Quarry	Mining			
Construction Work	Construction			
Contractor Activities	Construction			
Manufacturing				
Wholesale Trade				
Retail Trade				
Business	Manufacturing			
Daily Rental	&			
Not In Use	Trade			
For Hire Transportation				
Other				
One-Way Rental				
Utilities	Utilities			
Personal Transportation	Personal			

Detailed tables of the distribution of single-unit trucks among both major-use categories are provided in subsequent tables. These data are used to share-out the four types of truck considered by this model. It is assumed that the relative shares of trucks in the 6 to 10 thousand pound weight range is an acceptable proxy for the relative populations of the 8.5 to 10 thousand pound vehicles. The aggregate numbers and the resulting percentages are provided in the following table. It is further assumed that the percentage figures used to allocate the LCT's remain constant, at least until the publication of the next TIUS. These are rather strong assumptions, but appear justified by the paucity of other sources of detailed information about the population and operating characteristics of Light Commercial Trucks.

Table F-61: Number of Trucks, 6,000-10,000 lbs GVW					
Major Use	2 Axle	, 4 Tire	Other Single-Unit		
	Pickup	Other	Pickup	Other	
Agriculture	1,419,306	316,281	104,408	66,853	
Mining	79,925	40,414	5,664	3,278	
Construction	1,197,648	800,004	78,721	120,343	
Trade	1,064,497	1,592,306	113,801	231,008	
Utilities	84,334	127,476	3,378	9,334	
Personal	6,349,658	4,298,573	230,302	72,246	
Total	10,195,368	7,175,054	536,274	503,062	
Dereent	2 Axle, 4 Tire		Other Single-Unit		
Percent	Pickup	Other	Pickup	Other	
Agriculture	13.9%	4.4%	19.5%	13.3%	
Mining	0.8%	0.6%	1.1%	0.7%	
Construction	11.7%	11.1%	14.7%	23.9%	
Trade	10.4%	22.2%	21.2%	45.9%	
Utilities	0.8%	1.8%	0.6%	1.9%	
Personal	62.3% 59.9%		42.9% 14.4%		

#### **Operating Characteristics**

The operating characteristics of LCT's relevant to forecasting energy demand are the average annual miles per truck driven within each major use category and the corresponding average fuel economy. An extensive sequence of sorting and tabulating procedures has resulted in Table F-62, which provides an estimate of average travel demand for trucks between 6 and 10 thousand pounds. As is done in apportioning trucks among use categories, it is assumed that these driving characteristics are uniform across the weight class, and therefore accurately represent the more narrow LCT category.

Table F-62: Average Annual Miles, by Major Use (1992 TIUS) Aggregated for NEMS						
	Single-Unit Trucks, 6,000 - 10,000 Lbs.					
Major Use	2 Axle,	2 Axle, 4 Tire		ngle-Unit		
	Pickup	Other	Pickup	Other		
Agriculture	11,920	8,569	15,197	7,054		
Mining	20,231	24,871	18,520	17,786		
Construction	15,909	15,195	13,043	10,074		
Trade	13,313	15,394	10,009	11,832		
Utilities	13,023	13,776	9,947	9,996		
Personal	9,980	10,148	8,429	5,852		

Estimating the average fuel economy of these trucks is considerably more problematic, and requires additional assumptions and calculations. While TIUS requires the operators of larger trucks to explicitly state their average fuel economy, the census form for smaller trucks requires only that operators identify an MPG range in which their trucks operated in the prior year. It is therefore necessary to combine these two sets of survey responses on the most aggregate level, and then use more robust estimation methods to determine the mean characteristics of each group. The aggregate tabulation of trucks according to major use, vehicle type, and fuel economy is provided in tables below. Again, the attributes of 6 to 10 thousand pound trucks are assumed to represent those of the 8.5 to 10 thousand pound group.

Estimating the average characteristics of these grouped data involves the use of a trimmed mean: first determining the quartiles of each distribution, calculating the interquartile range (IQR), and then estimating the biweighted harmonic mean of the sample. These quartiles are presented in Table F-63. Determining the biweighted mean involves calculating a weighting factor which is a function of an observation's deviation from the median of the sample  $\hat{X}$ , as shown below.

where:	$Z = \frac{X - \hat{X}}{3(IQR)}$
$w(X) = (1 - Z^2)^2$ $w(X) = 0$	<i>Z</i>   ≤ 1   <i>Z</i>   > 1

where *w* is the weighting factor, and X represents the midpoint of each MPG range. The biweighted mean is then calculated as follows:

$$\bar{X} = \left[\frac{\sum_{k} N_{k}\left(\frac{1}{X_{k}}\right) w(X_{k})}{\sum_{k} N_{k} w(X_{k})}\right]^{-1}$$

where  $N_k$  is the population of MPG range *k*. The inverting of the MPG value in the equation, and subsequent inversion of the result is intended to provide an estimate of the harmonic mean of the sample. This results in a first approximation of the fuel economy of LCT's, and is tabulated in Table F-64. These values are subsequently used to replace the value of the sample median in the calculation of *Z*, above, and the procedure is iterated until the MPG estimates converge. The results of this iterative procedure are presented in Table F-64.

Table F-63: MPG Distributions, By Quartile					
	2 Axle	, 4 Tire	Other		
	Pickup	Other	Pickup	Other	
Agriculture					
Q25	10.9	8.0	10.0	8.0	
Median	13.1	10.8	12.3	10.0	
Q75	16.5	13.6	17.4	12.5	
IQR	5.6	5.6	7.3	4.4	
Mean	12.83	9.26	11.87	9.02	
Mining					
Q25	11.5	11.1	11.5	9.2	
Median	13.5	12.5	12.0	10.7	
Q75	16.2	14.2	12.6	13.0	
IQR	4.7	3.1	1.1	3.8	
Mean	13.18	12.15	12.00	10.25	
Construction					
Q25	11.7	10.6	10.5	8.0	
Median	13.8	12.5	13.4	9.8	
Q75	16.9	15.7	15.4	11.7	
IQR	5.2	5.1	4.9	3.7	
Mean	13.50	11.96	12.74	9.12	
Trade					
Q25	11.8	10.4	10.2	8.1	
Median	14.0	12.7	12.6	10.1	
Q75	17.3	15.8	21.0	12.5	
IQR	5.6	5.4	10.9	4.3	
Mean	13.63	11.84	12.70	9.28	
Utilities					
Q25	11.8	9.6	11.7	7.3	
Median	14.1	12.0	12.7	9.8	
Q75	16.8	14.4	17.4	11.9	
IQR	4.9	4.8	5.7	4.6	
Mean	13.49	10.86	13.46	8.84	
Personal					
Q25	11.8	12.1	10.2	9.6	
Median	14.1	14.4	12.4	11.5	
Q75	17.4	17.7	16.8	13.9	
IQR	5.7	5.6	6.6	4.2	
Mean	13.73	14.05	12.31	10.95	

Table F-64: Average MPG: Biweighted Mean Iterated					
Major Lloo	2 Axle	, 4 Tire			
Major Use	Pickup	Other	Pickup	Other	
Agriculture	12.77	8.75	11.79	8.66	
Mining	13.12	11.92	12.00	10.10	
Construction	13.45	11.79	12.58	8.92	
Trade	13.55	11.57	12.71	8.98	
Utilities	13.33	10.25	13.57	8.65	
Personal	13.67	13.99	12.29	10.78	

The above tables effectively describe Light Commercial Trucks for the purpose of forecasting their demand for travel and consumption of fuel. In the following section, the FHWA stock numbers will be incorporated, and measures of industrial output will be used to test the responsiveness of the proposed model to variations in economic conditions.

#### **Incorporation of FHWA Baseline Data**

In order to track the activities of LCT's, and derive an estimate of scrappage rates, historical figures from FHWA have been considered. The stock of trucks and their annual miles of travel are presented below. It should be noted that, beginning with the 1994 edition of FHWA's *Highway Statistics*, a revised definition of 2-axle, 4-tire trucks has been implemented, removing such vehicles as vans and sport-utility vehicles from the "automobile" category and placing them in the "single-

Table F-65: Single-Unit Truck Characteristics, from FHWA							
	Stock		VMT (N	VMT (Millions)		VMT per Truck	
	2A4T	Other	2A4T	Other	2A4T	Other	
1985	46,125,097	3,927,412	490,274	46,980	10,629	11,962	
1986	47,319,902	4,024,842	510,178	48,413	10,781	12,029	
1987	48,816,260	3,883,694	543,615	49,537	11,136	12,755	
1988	50,524,830	3,957,319	575,411	51,239	11,389	12,948	
1989	51,644,255	4,102,863	596,024	52,969	11,541	12,910	
1990	52,932,510	4,243,044	614,491	53,443	11,609	12,595	
1991	53,210,253	4,265,307	624,982	53,787	11,746	12,610	
1992	53,844,501	4,316,148	637,049	53,691	11,831	12,440	
1993	55,710,076	4,526,004	661,546	56,781	11,875	12,546	
1994	57,141,967	4,724,608	669,321	61,284	11,713	12,971	
1995	57,897,398	5,203,810	686,977	62,706	11,865	12,050	

unit truck" category.

This change in definition has required making incremental adjustments to 2A4T truck stocks in the preceding years. This has been accomplished by considering the change in 2A4T populations for the year 1993--the only overlapping year in which stock numbers under both sets of definitions are provided. The current definition increases truck population by 36.2 percent over the prior tabulation; this is therefore considered to be uniform across time, and previous years' stocks have been similarly augmented. The number of miles traveled is also adjusted, through the expedient of assuming that every vehicle transferred from the automobile category travels an average number of miles defined by the overall average for automobiles. The above table represents single-unit trucks of all weight classes. The stratification procedures described in the previous section is subsequently imposed in order to derive an estimate of Light Commercial Truck stock within each truck type and major-use category. The distribution among truck types is presented below, in Table F-66.

Table F	-66: Number o	f Light Comme	rcial Trucks (by	у Туре)
	2A	4T	Ot	her
	Pickup	Other	Pickup	Other
1985	3,262,486	2,658,945	204,858	192,171
1986	3,346,996	2,727,821	209,940	196,938
1987	3,452,835	2,814,081	202,578	190,032
1988	3,573,685	2,912,574	206,418	193,634
1989	3,652,863	2,977,105	214,010	200,756
1990	3,743,983	3,051,368	221,322	207,615
1991	3,763,628	3,067,379	222,483	208,704
1992	3,808,489	3,103,941	225,135	211,192
1993	3,940,444	3,211,484	236,081	221,460
1994	4,041,723	3,294,028	246,441	231,178
1995	4,095,156	3,337,576	271,436	254,626

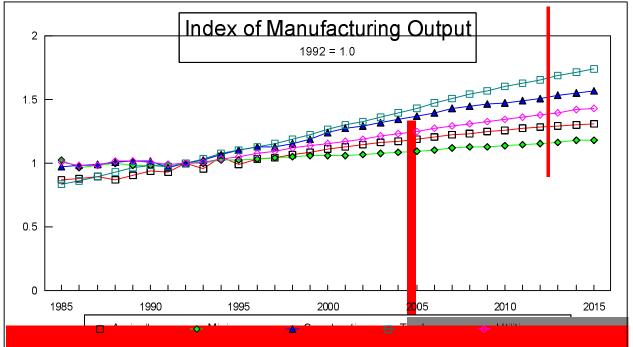
The number of trucks in each year is assumed to represent the net effect of a fixed scrappage rate applied to the previous year's stock, and the allocation of new purchases from the Macro Model. Because light truck purchases are exogenously supplied, the scrappage rate must be inferred. The table below represents the allocation of new LCT stock by vehicle type. Allocation among major-use groups is detailed in subsequent tables. A fixed scrappage rate is then calculated for the two classes of single-unit trucks, combining pickups and others, and averaging across the years 1986 to 1994. This results in an average annual scrappage rate of 6.77 percent for 2-axle 4-tire trucks, and 6.54 percent for other single-unit trucks. This percentage is applied uniformly across the forecast years. The purpose of this exercise is to enable the model to accommodate the incorporation of more fuel-efficient trucks over the course of the forecast.

Table F-67:	New Purchase	es of Light Com	nmercial Truck	s (by Type)		
	2A	4T	Other			
	Pickup	Other	Pickup	Other		
1985	307,831	250,884	16,192	15,189		
1986	320,501	261,210	16,858	15,814		
1987	323,634	263,763	17,023	15,969		
1988	337,556	275,110	17,755	16,656		
1989	326,905	266,430	17,195	16,130		
1990	305,929	249,334	16,092	15,095		
1991	287,665	234,449	15,131	14,194		
1992	324,257	264,272	17,056	16,000		
1993	374,857	305,511	19,717	18,496		
1994	421,693	343,682	22,181	20,807		
1995	424,944	346,331	22,352	20,968		

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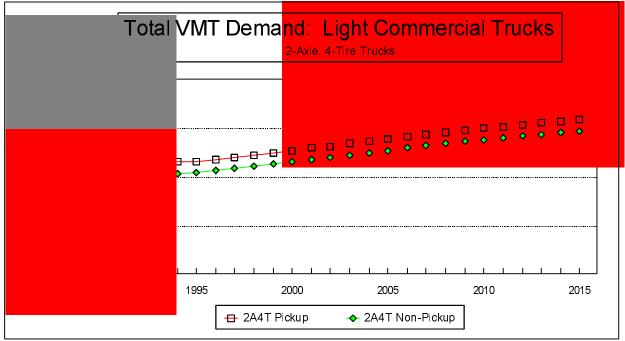
In order to estimate fuel demand by LCT's, it is necessary to develop a forecast of two elements: the total travel demanded within each major-use group, and the average fuel economy of the trucks. Again, the FHWA data provides little guidance in the allocation of VMT and MPG among light commercial trucks; assumptions based on TIUS stratifications are therefore used.



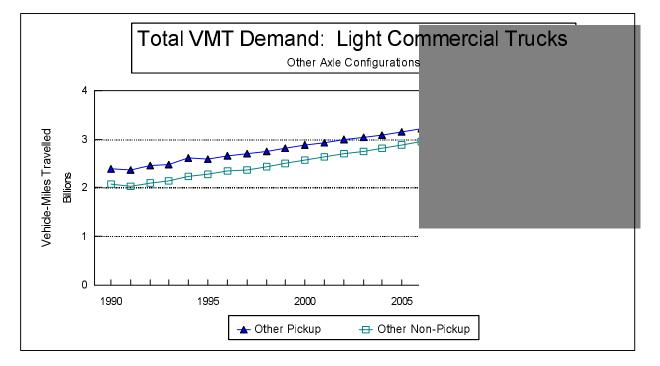


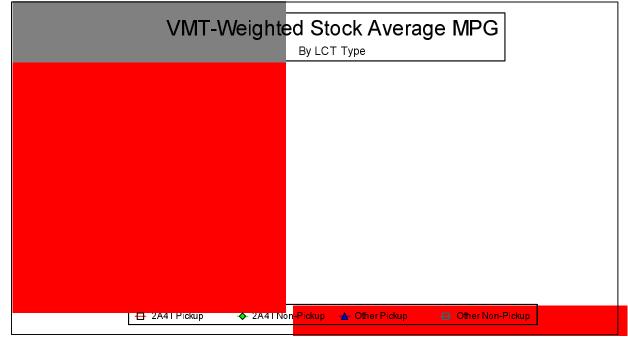
National Energy Modeling System Transportation Model Demand Sector Documentation Report Using the disaggregated FHWA data on the number of LCT's in 1992, and the TIUS data on the average number of miles per truck in the same year, a baseline VMT demand for 1992 may be constructed for each industrial group. Each baseline figure is then multiplied by an index of corresponding macroeconomic output (1992 = 1.0), to estimate the growth in VMT for each group. Personal travel is the exception, being adjusted by an index of personal travel from the LDV Model. The indexed growth in industrial output is depicted in the figure above. The figure on the following page depicts total VMT forecasts by truck type.

Estimates of fuel economy for trucks in each sector are obtained in a similar manner. Absent disaggregate time-trend data on LCT fuel economy, it is assumed that the 1992 TIUS values derived above satisfactorily describe each class of truck. It is further assumed that new trucks acquired after 1992 experience the same proportional change in MPG as do the light-duty trucks as represented in the LDV Model. Each MPG within the LCT Model is therefore adjusted by an index of LDT fuel economy, with 1992 = 1.0. These new, more efficient trucks are incorporated into the previous year's scrappage-adjusted stock using a stock-weighted harmonic average of fuel economies. This is depicted in the aggregate, below, where a VMT-weighted harmonic average was used to combine industrial groups, resulting in a forecast of stock MPG by truck type.



# Figure F-19: Total VMT Demand for LCT's



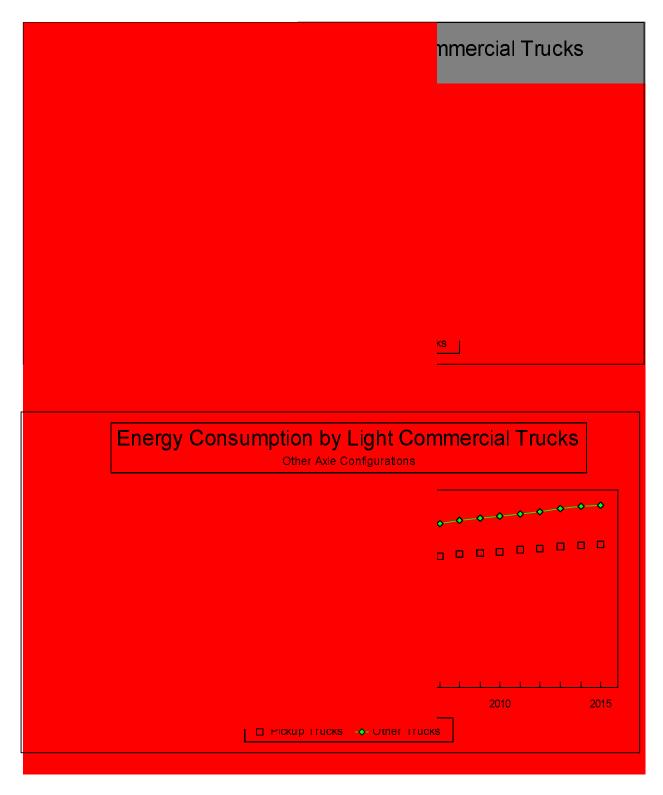


# Figure F-20: Stock Average MPG for Light Commercial Trucks

# **Energy Demand**

Having an estimate of travel demand and fuel economy for each truck type and industrial group, it is a simple step to calculate the energy required to meet this demand. The figures below represent the aggregate demand for energy, by truck type, for LCT's. It is a relatively small, but not negligible, amount; rising from approximately 1 quad in 1990 to near 2 quads in 2015. The figures on the following page show how this energy demand is distributed among the major-use groups. Personal travel represents roughly half of all energy demand within this class of truck, with much of the remainder being allocated between Construction and Manufacturing & Trade.

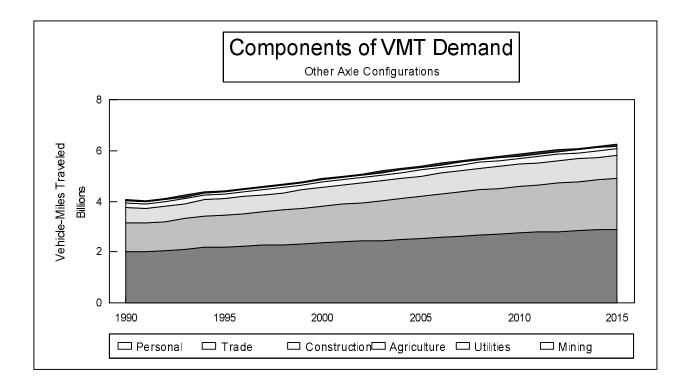
This proposed model provides, by necessity, a rough approximation of the characteristics and performance of a relatively small category of trucks. Improvements in the model and the narrowing of assumptions will probably have to wait until the issuance of the next Truck Inventory and Use Survey, or the provision of more detailed statistics by FHWA.



# Figure F-21: Energy Consumption by Light Commercial Trucks

	Components of VMT 2-Axle, 4-Tire Trucks	Demand	
🗆 Personal 🛛 Irade	Construction Capriculture	□ Utilities	🖾 Mining

# Figure F-22: Components of VMT Demand for LCT's



# 1992 TIUS Estimated Truck Registration Comparison with Federal Highway Administration Truck Registration

The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) estimate of the number of private and commercial trucks registered is based on a calendar year summary report from each state. It reflects differences in truck definitions used by each state for vehicle registration from those used in TIUS.

	Table F-68: 19	92 TIUS vs. FHWA	
State	TIUS	FHWA	Difference
		(Numbers in Thousands)	
US	59,201	43,675	15,525
AL	1,167	1,075	92
AK	201	169	31
AZ	1,000	787	213
AR	749	512	237
CA	7,150	4,718	2,433
СО	1,093	722	371
СТ	544	109	435
DE	173	121	52
DC	29	11	19
FL	2,673	1,938	735
GA	1,644	1,709	(65)
HI	280	95	185
ID	467	401	66
IL	2,272	1,325	947
IN	1,414	1,159	256
IA	931	741	190
KS	1,002	642	360
KY	1,016	984	32
LA	1,124	1,050	74
ME	339	211	127
MD	941	583	358
МА	879	467	412
MI	2,166	1,538	628
MN	1,156	708	448
MS	648	433	215
МО	1,357	1,156	201
MT	372	348	24
NE	534	442	92

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	Table F-68: 199	2 TIUS vs. FHWA			
State	TIUS	FHWA	Difference		
		(Numbers in Thousands)			
NV	388	286	102		
NH	306	189	118		
NJ	1,099	353	746		
NM	581	492	89		
NY	2,000	1,191	809		
NC	1,760	1,439	321		
ND	291	251	39		
ОН	2,189	1,635	554		
ОК	1,080	927	153		
OR	1,059	592	467		
PA	2,368	1,558	809		
RI	159	98	61		
SC	841	617	224		
SD	295	279	16		
TN	1,463	857	605		
TX	4,373	3,803	570		
UT	510	429	81		
VT	157	112	46		
VA	1,517	1,230	286		
WA	1,542	1,288	254		
WV	477	456	21		
WI	1,197	1,221	(24)		
WY	235	222	13		

	Table F-69: Distribution of 2-Axle, 4-Tire Trucks by Major Use and Weight											
		Gross Vehicle Weight (Lbs.)										
Pickup Trucks, by Major Use	Total	6,000 or Less	6,001 - 10,000	10,001 - 14,000	14,001 -16,000	16,001 -19,500	19,501 - 26,000	26,001 - 33,000	33,001 or More			
Total	32,280,857	22,085,490	10,195,367	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Agriculture or Farm Activities	2,267,891	937,018	1,330,873	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Forestry or Lumber	150,014	61,581	88,433	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Construction Work	1,049,648	520,703	528,945	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Contractor Activities	1,623,799	955,096	668,703	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Manufacturing	338,911	189,362	149,549	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Wholesale Trade	269,741	190,115	79,626	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Retail Trade	692,200	461,164	231,036	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Business Use	1,186,238	795,568	390,670	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Utilities	209,452	125,118	84,334	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Mining or Quarry	92,084	12,159	79,925	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Daily Rental	34,916	3,507	31,409	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Not In Use	551,553	383,412	168,141	0	0	0	0	0	0			
For Hire Transportation	52,733	38,668	14,065	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
One-Way Rental	1,792	1,792	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Personal Transportation	23,759,885	17,410,227	6,349,658	0	0	0	0	0	0			

# **Distribution of Single-Unit Truck Stock**

	Table F-70: Distribution of 2-Axle, 4-Tire Trucks by Major Use and Weight											
Other Single-Unit		Gross Vehicle Weight (Lbs.)										
Trucks, by Major Use	Total	6,000 or Less	6,001 - 10,000	10,001 - 14,000	14,001 -16,000	16,001 - 19,500	19,501 - 26,000	26,001 - 33,000	33,001 or More			
Total	21,772,510	14,597,388	6,281,165	95,520	37,979	53,606	434,631	27,359	244,862			
Agriculture or Farm Activities	410,505	109,687	141,046	5,464	5,134	23,838	96,743	2,304	26,289			
Forestry or Lumber	22,915	7,451	4,707	454	192	749	8,528	225	609			
Construction Work	390,414	144,592	164,320	12,054	2,309	6,716	49,089	3,488	7,846			
Contractor Activities	976,763	422,582	491,968	9,323	2,832	1,929	38,510	744	8,875			
Manufacturing	205,174	100,217	73,168	3,750	2,262	1,476	19,751	2,565	1,985			
Wholesale Trade	480,380	217,272	194,978	6,914	1,094	3,183	44,847	5,342	6,750			
Retail Trade	895,807	521,579	302,067	11,725	3,421	908	44,372	1,852	9,883			
Business Use	1,497,535	917,823	512,825	14,580	7,264	2,565	29,280	2,288	10,910			
Utilities	195,288	67,812	99,889	7,886	4,465	1,193	12,440	495	1,108			
Mining or Quarry	52,521	12,106	32,726	147	488	139	5,575	89	1,251			
Daily Rental	195,002	141,659	39,550	2,024	363	0	9,049	1,338	1,019			
Not In Use	277,168	129,822	87,921	3,513	2,543	3,372	25,300	2,298	22,399			
For Hire Transportation	112,495	45,299	23,077	8,046	2,724	3,877	21,023	3,875	4,574			
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
One-Way Rental	2,485	0	2,234	17	0	0	0	0	234			
Personal Transportation	16,058,058	11,759,487	4,110,689	9,623	2,888	3,661	30,124	456	141,130			

	Table F-71: Distribution of Other Trucks by Major Use and Weight											
D'alass Tasala		Gross Vehicle Weight (Lbs.)										
Pickup Trucks, by Major Use	Total	6,000 or Less	6,001 - 10,000	10,001 - 14,000	14,001 -16,000	16,001 -19,500	19,501 - 26,000	26,001 - 33,000	33,001 or More			
Total	829,477	293,203	536,274	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Agriculture or Farm Activities	136,899	32,686	104,213	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Forestry or Lumber	4,064	3,869	195	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Construction Work	40,665	13,032	27,633	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Contractor Activities	67,095	16,007	51,088	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Manufacturing	15,046	10,250	4,796	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Wholesale Trade	10,971	4,532	6,439	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Retail Trade	26,109	1,881	24,228	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Business Use	104,232	33,933	70,299	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Utilities	5,612	2,234	3,378	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Mining or Quarry	6,348	684	5,664	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Daily Rental	2,821	2,821	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Not In Use	25,814	17,775	8,039	0	0	0	0	0	0			
For Hire Transportation	1,528	1,528	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
One-Way Rental	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Personal Transportation	382,273	151,971	230,302	0	0	0	0	0	0			

	Table F-72: Distribution of Other Trucks by Major Use and Weight											
Other Single-Unit			Gross Vehicle Weight (Lbs.)									
Trucks, by Major Use	Total	6,000 or Less	6,001 - 10,000	10,001 - 14,000	14,001 -16,000	16,001 -19,500	19,501 - 26,000	26,001 - 33,000	33,001 or More			
Total	3,033,101	88,758	503,062	252,150	84,377	147,378	1,316,638	79,669	561,069			
Agriculture or Farm Activities	607,046	4,052	63,688	25,315	14,877	66,596	328,713	11,008	92,797			
Forestry or Lumber	48,625	0	3,165	4,331	1,148	3,065	22,467	568	13,881			
Construction Work	415,318	2,187	55,000	24,817	11,383	10,320	165,356	7,355	138,900			
Contractor Activities	260,603	1,709	65,343	37,739	8,011	10,768	108,512	5,668	22,853			
Manufacturing	133,231	0	27,007	11,376	1,591	2,965	54,014	6,262	30,016			
Wholesale Trade	268,484	11,975	45,929	18,980	6,274	4,551	134,448	13,275	33,052			
Retail Trade	281,472	3,266	58,877	29,972	8,997	6,303	129,628	11,475	32,954			
Business Use	286,903	3,198	70,163	37,765	12,388	8,469	91,839	5,689	57,392			
Utilities	120,447	0	9,334	21,719	4,490	4,017	69,957	3,064	7,866			
Mining or Quarry	43,562	376	3,278	3,100	1,738	1,153	15,313	661	17,943			
Daily Rental	48,880	1,005	811	12,203	0	4,859	22,551	2,450	5,001			
Not In Use	94,829	5,428	18,852	2,082	3,488	7,346	38,659	3,078	15,896			
For Hire Transportation	204,859	0	8,923	10,525	5,808	8,345	89,051	8,112	74,095			
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
One-Way Rental	7,043	0	446	1,787	96	28	4,359	0	327			
Personal Transportation	211,799	-55,562	72,246	10,439	4,088	8,593	41,771	1,004	18,096			

	Table F-73: Distribution of 2-Axle, 4-Tire Trucks by Major Use and Weight											
			Gross Vehicle Weight (Lbs.)									
Major Use	Total	6,000 or Less	6,001 - 10,000	10,001 - 14,000	14,001 - 16,000	16,001 - 19,500	19,501 - 26,000	26,001 - 33,000	33,001 or More			
Pickup Trucks												
Agriculture	2,417,905	998,599	1,419,306	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Mining	92,084	12,159	79,925	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Construction	2,673,447	1,475,799	1,197,648	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Trade	3,128,084	2,063,588	1,064,496	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Utilities	209,452	125,118	84,334	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Personal	23,759,885	17,410,227	6,349,658	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Other Single- Unit Trucks												
Agriculture	433,420	117,138	145,753	5,918	5,326	24,587	105,271	2,529	26,898			
Mining	52,521	12,106	32,726	147	488	139	5,575	89	1,251			
Construction	1,367,177	567,174	656,288	21,377	5,141	8,645	87,599	4,232	16,721			
Trade	3,666,046	2,073,671	1,235,820	50,569	19,671	15,381	193,622	19,558	57,754			
Utilities	195,288	67,812	99,889	7,886	4,465	1,193	12,440	495	1,108			
Personal	16,058,058	11,759,487	4,110,689	9,623	2,888	3,661	30,124	456	141,130			

	Table F-74: Distribution of Other Trucks by Major Use and Weight											
			Gross Vehicle Weight (Lbs.)									
Major Use	Total	6,000 or Less	6,001 - 10,000	10,001 - 14,000	14,001 - 16,000	16,001 - 19,500	19,501 - 26,000	26,001 - 33,000	33,001 or More			
Pickups												
Agriculture	140,963	36,555	104,408	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Mining	6,348	684	5,664	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Construction	107,760	29,039	78,721	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Trade	186,521	72,720	113,801	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Utilities	5,612	2,234	3,378	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Personal	382,273	151,971	230,302	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Other Single- Unit												
Agriculture	655,671	4,052	66,853	29,646	16,025	69,661	351,180	11,576	106,678			
Mining	43,562	376	3,278	3,100	1,738	1,153	15,313	661	17,943			
Construction	675,921	3,896	120,343	62,556	19,394	21,088	273,868	13,023	161,753			
Trade	1,325,701	24,872	231,008	124,690	38,642	42,866	564,549	50,341	248,733			
Utilities	120,447	0	9,334	21,719	4,490	4,017	69,957	3,064	7,866			
Personal	211,799	55,562	72,246	10,439	4,088	8,593	41,771	1,004	18,096			

	Table F-75: Distribution of Light Commercial Trucks by MPG												
		AGRICU	JLTURE			MIN	ING			CONSTR	UCTION		
Miles per Gallon	2 Axle, 4-Tire		Other Axle Configurations		2 Axle,	2 Axle, 4-Tire		: Axle irations	2 Axle, 4-Tire		Other Axle Configurations		
	Pickup	Other	Pickup	Other	Pickup	Other	Pickup	Other	Pickup	Other	Pickup	Other	
Less Than 5	0	11,586	0	2,157	0	1,304	0	40	0	6,009	0	1,695	
6.0 - 6.9	2,249	37,908	6,233	6,559	0	1,258	0	42	0	22,340	493	10,669	
7.0 - 7.9	47,422	41,985	4,863	14,519	1,566	3,491	0	629	17,069	44,871	1,520	32,174	
9,0 - 10.9	319,048	54,325	28,961	19,405	13,148	2,970	271	1,110	171,259	150,295	23,296	34,899	
11.0 - 12.9	321,488	54,229	18,398	8,554	20,774	13,312	5,041	632	302,322	221,162	10,420	20,910	
13.0 - 14.9	266,650	33,385	7,596	4,900	19,671	10,986	351	309	280,306	116,567	19,477	5,652	
15.0 - 20.9	436,552	45,033	31,111	8,924	24,496	5,073	0	514	392,149	189,693	23,516	9,598	
21.0 - 24.9	20,643	1,557	7,246	0	271	0	0	0	25,983	22,077	0	0	
25.0 - 29.9	4,195	150	0	174	0	0	0	0	2,343	2,849	0	0	
30 Or More	1,060	666	0	0	0	0	0	0	6,218	1,914	0	0	

# **Fuel Economy of Light Commercial Trucks**

	Table F-76: Distribution of Light Commercial Trucks by MPG											
	TRADE			UTILITIES				PERSONAL				
Miles per Gallon	2 Axle, 4-Tire		Other Axle Configurations		2 Axle, 4-Tire		Other Axle Configurations		2 Axle, 4-Tire		Other Axle Configurations	
	Pickup	Other	Pickup	Other	Pickup	Other	Pickup	Other	Pickup	Other	Pickup	Other
Less Than 5	1,327	12,125	0	3,676	0	3,946	0	79	579	2,852	0	294
6.0 - 6.9	0	61,177	0	25,386	0	6,984	0	2,007	1,969	9,642	1,566	2,286
7.0 - 7.9	31,564	117,844	10,543	43,261	6,072	13,822	0	1,595	61,712	23,772	8,881	8,507
9,0 - 10.9	131,515	256,935	29,328	61,669	10,249	20,388	266	2,553	993,076	518,874	75,913	19,783
11.0 - 12.9	241,581	341,049	19,775	37,485	11,357	33,365	1,692	1,702	1,380,887	890,383	40,580	16,678
13.0 - 14.9	219,022	262,500	10,410	11,880	27,177	20,653	0	1,038	1,387,827	1,015,041	23,548	10,683
15.0 - 20.9	381,479	351,819	13,460	31,591	28,437	22,706	1,420	215	2,317,935	1,636,196	73,846	11,313
21.0 - 24.9	21,295	57,959	28,193	177	771	1,800	0	145	178,123	138,696	4,662	45
25.0 - 29.9	3,118	2,288	0	163	271	45	0	0	18,133	27,188	0	0
30 Or More	0	884	0	0	0	236	0	0	9,418	4,133	1,305	0

	Table F-7	7: Light	Commer	cial Trucl	< Stock:	Stratific	ation by	Major Us	se Group		
	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
				2	2A4T Pickup						
Agriculturee	454,174	465,938	480,672	497,496	508,518	521,203	523,938	530,183	548,553	562,652	570,090
Mining	25,576	26,238	27,068	28,015	28,636	29,350	29,504	29,856	30,890	31,684	32,103
Construction	383,244	393,171	405,604	419,800	429,101	439,805	442,113	447,383	462,883	474,780	481,057
Trade	340,636	349,459	360,510	373,128	381,395	390,909	392,960	397,644	411,421	421,996	427,575
Utilities	26,987	27,686	28,561	29,561	30,216	30,969	31,132	31,503	32,595	33,432	33,874
Personal	2,031,871	2,084,504	2,150,420	2,225,685	2,274,997	2,331,746	2,343,981	2,371,921	2,454,102	2,517,178	2,550,456
Total	3,262,486	3,346,996	3,452,835	3,573,685	3,652,863	3,743,983	3,763,628	3,808,489	3,940,444	4,041,723	4,095,156
				2A4	T Non-Pick	up					
Agriculture	117,208	120,244	124,046	128,388	131,233	- 134,506	135,212	136,824	141,564	145,203	147,122
Mining	14,977	15,365	15,851	16,405	16,769	17,187	17,277	17,483	18,089	18,554	18,799
Construction	296,467	304,147	313,764	324,746	331,941	340,221	342,007	346,083	358,074	367,277	372,133
Trade	590,080	605,365	624,508	646,366	660,687	677,167	680,720	688,834	712,701	731,019	740,683
Utilities	47,240	48,464	49,997	51,746	52,893	54,212	54,497	55,146	57,057	58,524	59,297
Personal	1,592,973	1,634,237	1,685,915	1,744,922	1,783,583	1,828,074	1,837,666	1,859,570	1,924,000	1,973,451	1,999,541
Total	2,658,945	2,727,821	2,814,081	2,912,574	2,977,105	3,051,368	3,067,379	3,103,941	3,211,484	3,294,028	3,337,576
				O	ther Picku	0					
Agriculture	39,884	40,874	39,440	40,188	41,666	43,089	43,316	43,832	45,963	47,980	52,846
Mining	2,164	2,217	2,140	2,180	2,260	2,338	2,350	2,378	2,493	2,603	2,867
Construction	30,072	30,818	29,737	30,301	31,415	32,488	32,659	33,048	34,655	36,176	39,845
Trade	43,472	44,551	42,988	43,803	45,414	46,966	47,212	47,775	50,098	52,296	57,601
Utilities	1,290	1,322	1,276	1,300	1,348	1,394	1,401	1,418	1,487	1,552	1,710
Personal	87,976	90,158	86,997	88,646	91,906	95,046	95,545	96,684	101,385	105,834	116,568
Total	204,858	209,940	202,578	206,418	214,010	221,322	222,483	225,135	236,081	246,441	271,436
				Othe	er Non-Picl	kup					
Agriculture	25,538	26,172	25,254	25,732	26,679	27,590	27,735	28,066	29,430	30,722	33,838
Mining	1,252	1,283	1,238	1,262	1,308	1,353	1,360	1,376	1,443	1,506	1,659
Construction	45,971	47,112	45,460	46,321	48,025	49,666	49,926	50,522	52,978	55,303	60,912
Trade	88,246	90,435	87,263	88,918	92,188	95,338	95,838	96,980	101,696	106,158	116,925
Utilities	3,566	3,654	3,526	3,593	3,725	3,852	3,872	3,919	4,109	4,289	4,724
Personal	27,598	28,283	27,291	27,808	28,831	29,816	29,973	30,330	31,804	33,200	36,567
Total	192,171	196,938	190.032	193,634	200,756	207,615	208,704	211,192	221,460	231,178	254,626

# Major-Use Distribution of LCT's

Table F-78: LCT Sales: Stratification by Major Use Group

	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
				2A4T Pic	kup						
Agriculture	42,853	44,617	45,053	46,991	45,509	42,589	40,046	45,140	52,184	58,704	59,157
Mining	2,413	2,513	2,537	2,646	2,563	2,398	2,255	2,542	2,939	3,306	3,331
Construction	36,161	37,649	38,017	39,653	38,402	35,937	33,792	38,090	44,034	49,536	49,918
Trade	32,141	33,463	33,791	35,244	34,132	31,942	30,035	33,856	39,139	44,029	44,368
Utilities	2,546	2,651	2,677	2,792	2,704	2,531	2,380	2,682	3,101	3,488	3,515
Personal	191,717	199,607	201,558	210,229	203,596	190,532	179,157	201,947	233,461	262,629	264,654
Total	307,831	320,501	323,634	337,556	326,905	305,929	287,665	324,257	374,857	421,693	424,944
				2A4T Non-F	Pickup						
Agriculture	11,059	11,514	11,627	12,127	11,744	10,991	10,335	11,649	13,467	15,150	15,267
Mining	1,413	1,471	1,486	1,550	1,501	1,404	1,321	1,489	1,721	1,936	1,951
Construction	27,973	29,124	29,409	30,674	29,706	27,800	26,141	29,466	34,064	38,320	38,615
Trade	55,677	57,968	58,535	61,053	59,127	55,333	52,029	58,648	67,800	76,271	76,859
Utilities	4,457	4,641	4,686	4,888	4,734	4,430	4,165	4,695	5,428	6,106	6,153
Personal	150,305	156,491	158,020	164,819	159,618	149,376	140,458	158,325	183,031	205,900	207,487
Total	250,884	261,210	263,763	275,110	266,430	249,334	234,449	264,272	305,511	343,682	346,331
				Other Pic	kup						
Agriculture	3,152	3,282	3,314	3,457	3,348	3,133	2,946	3,321	3,839	4,318	4,352
Mining	171	178	180	188	182	170	160	180	208	234	236
Construction	2,377	2,475	2,499	2,606	2,524	2,362	2,221	2,504	2,894	3,256	3,281
Trade	3,436	3,577	3,612	3,768	3,649	3,415	3,211	3,619	4,184	4,707	4,743
Utilities	102	106	107	112	108	101	95	107	124	140	141
Personal	6,954	7,240	7,311	7,625	7,384	6,911	6,498	7,325	8,468	9,526	9,599
Total	16,192	16,858	17,023	17,755	17,195	16,092	15,131	17,056	19,717	22,181	22,352
				Other Non-F	Pickup						
Agriculture	2,019	2,102	2,122	2,213	2,144	2,006	1,886	2,126	2,458	2,765	2,786
Mining	99	103	104	109	105	98	92	104	121	136	137
Construction	3,634	3,783	3,820	3,984	3,859	3,611	3,396	3,827	4,425	4,978	5,016
Trade	6,975	7,262	7,333	7,648	7,407	6,932	6,518	7,347	8,494	9,555	9,628
Utilities	282	293	296	309	299	280	263	297	343	386	389
Personal	2,181	2,271	2,293	2,392	2,317	2,168	2,038	2,298	2,656	2,988	3,011
Total	15,189	15,814	15,969	16,656	16,130	15,095	14,194	16,000	18,496	20,807	20,968

# Attachment 6: Air Travel Module

### **Derivation of Demographic Adjustment Factors**

It is expected that the "personal travel" segment of commercial passenger traffic will be more sensitive to air fares than the "business travel" segment. It is also likely that the volume of discretionary travel will be more influenced by public perceptions of airline safety, convenience, and quality of service. One way of quantifying this effect is in a stratified measure of the "propensity to fly" which, in its most rudimentary form, associates with each age group and gender a static value obtained from a survey of travelers.<sup>56</sup> The propensity to fly is considered to be the product of the percentage of a given population segment to have flown in the previous year, and the average number of flights taken by the travelers. This translates into the number of trips per capita associated with that population cohort. These values are subsequently used to modulate forecasts produced by the conventional model as follows:

$$ARPM_{T} = DI_{T} \cdot RPM_{D,P,T}$$

where:

 $ARPM_{T} = Adjusted personal-travel revenue passenger miles in year t.$   $DI_{T} = Demographic index in year t.$  $RPM_{D,P,T} = Unadjusted forecast of domestic personal RPM in year t.$ 

and:

$$DI_{T} = \left[\frac{\sum_{l} POP_{l,T} \cdot PROFLY_{l,T}}{\sum_{l} POP_{l,T}}\right] \div \left[\frac{\sum_{l} POP_{l,0} \cdot PROFLY_{l,0}}{\sum_{l} POP_{l,0}}\right]$$

where:

 $POP_{I,T} = The population of the I<sup>th</sup> cohort in year T.$  $<math>POP_{I,0} = The population of the I<sup>th</sup> cohort in the base year.$  $PROFLY_{I,T} = The propensity to fly for the I<sup>th</sup> cohort.$ 

The following describes the assumptions and data manipulations undertaken to develop age- and gender-specific demographic adjustments to forecasts of personal travel. The use of these factors is predicated on the static nature of the public's propensity to fly (PROFLY<sub>LT</sub> = PROFLY<sub>L0</sub>), absent

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>56</sup> This adjustment algorithm has been adapted from that provided in Appendix A of *Forecasting Civil Aviation Activity: Methods and Approaches,* Transportation Research Circular Number 372, Transportation Research Board, June 1991. **National Energy Modeling System** 

sufficient time series data to reflect and predict changing trends.

The ATA travel survey provides the percentage of each age group which has flown in the previous year ( $\pi_A$ ), as well as the fraction of men and women of all age groups who have flown ( $\pi_M$ ,  $\pi_W$ ). The first step is to derive an estimate of the percentage of each age group and sex which has flown.

• Given that  $N_M$  and  $N_W$  represent the total number of men and women, respectively, the percent of the flying population that are of each gender can be represented as follows:

$$P_M = \frac{\pi_M N_M}{\pi_M N_M + \pi_W N_W}$$
;  $P_W = 1 - P_M$ 

Using the 1990 Census numbers,  $P_M = 0.53$  and  $P_W = 0.47$ . In other words, 53 percent of people who took at least one air trip in the previous year were male.

• It is assumed that this gender ratio is constant across age groups and time. This ratio is used to estimate the percentage of the population by gender and age group which has flown in the previous year. The equation for males is as follows:

$$\pi_{M,A} = \frac{P_M \pi_A N_A}{N_{M,A}}$$

In order to determine the number of trips per capita for male and female cohorts, further assumptions are necessary.

• According to the ATA survey, male travelers flew more than female travelers; the ratio of male to female trips per capita is 1.72, i.e.:

$$\frac{T_M}{N_M} = 1.72 \frac{T_W}{N_W}$$

where  $T_M$  and  $T_W$  represent the total number of trips by male and female travellers, respectively.

■ In each age group, the number of average trips per capita is reported. It is assumed that the male/female travel ratio holds across age groups, which enables the subsequent division of each figure into two gender-specific figures.

For each age group, the number of trips per capita (TPC) is expressed as:

$$\frac{T_{M,A} + T_{W,A}}{N_{M,A} + N_{W,A}} = TPC_{A}$$

From above:

$$T_{M,A} = 1.72 \left( \frac{T_{W,A} N_{M,A}}{N_{W,A}} \right)$$

Substituting, and rearranging:

$$T_{W,A}\left(1 + 1.72\left(\frac{N_{M,A}}{N_{W,A}}\right)\right) = TPC_A(N_{M,A} + N_{W,A})$$

which leads to the trips per capita for women, by age group:

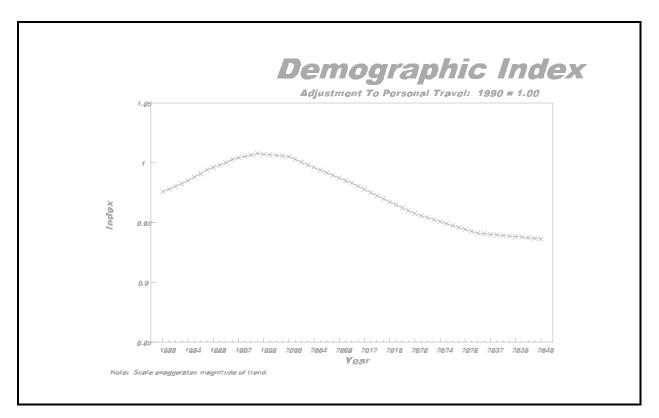
$$\frac{T_{W,A}}{N_{W,A}} = TPC_{A} \left[ \frac{N_{M,A} + N_{W,A}}{N_{W,A} + 1.72 N_{M,A}} \right]$$

The resulting figures are tabulated, and a graph of the demographic index through the year 2040 is provided on the following page.

Age	1990 Population ('000)		Percentage Flown		0	Trips per pita	Propensity to Fly (PROFLY <sub>I,T</sub> )		
Group	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	
18-24	13,215	12,925	0.31	0.29	3.29	1.91	1.03	0.55	
25-34	22,078	21,848	0.37	0.33	4.88	2.83	1.80	0.94	
35-44	18,193	19,112	0.38	0.32	5.18	3.03	1.97	0.97	
45-54	12,406	13,081	0.39	0.33	4.82	2.81	1.89	0.93	
55-64	10,103	11,260	0.33	0.26	4.17	2.45	1.36	0.63	
65+	12,853	18,706	0.31	0.19	4.28	2.52	1.34	0.48	

Table F-79. ATA 1990 Air Travel Survey Data

Figure F-23. Demographic Adjustment Index for Personal Air Travel: 1980-2040



Sources:

**Population Data:** U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *Projections of the Population of the United States by Age, Sex, and Race: 1988 to 2080, Population Estimates and Projections, Series P-25, No. 1018.* 

Percentage Flown & Trips per Capita: ATA, Air Travel Survey, 1990.

# Attachment 7: Vehicle Emissions Module

Derivation of Emission Factors

## INTRODUCTION

This report provides EPA emission factors to be used in the transportation vehicle emission solution algorithm, which is outlined in the *Transportation Sector Component Design Report* (TSCDR) section on emissions. Currently the emissions module is not operable. This algorithm is as follows:

 $EMISS_{IE,IM,IR,T} = EFACT_{IE,IM,IR,T} * U_{IM,IR,T}$ 

where *EMISS* is total emissions of pollutant IP by mode IM, in region IR, and time T, *EFACT* is an emission factor based on technology, fuel and vintage weights, and *U* is a measure of annual vehicle activity (vehicle-miles-traveled or fuel consumption in gallons).

The TSCDR specifies modal emission factors for  $SO_x$ ,  $NO_x$ , carbon, CO,  $CO_2$  and VOCs, and calls for emissions to be calculated for the following six transportation modes:

Highway	Non-Highway
Light-Duty Vehicles	Rail
Freight Trucks	Air
Buses	Water

A number of these transportation modes have subcomponent modes that are to be handled in a separate TERF "Miscellaneous End-Use Component" module. These subcomponent modes include military aircraft, recreational boating, passenger rail, and buses. This report also provides the emission factors for these miscellaneous transportation energy end-use categories, as well as for alternative fuel vehicles (AFVs).

Pollutant emission factors are not reported for certain transportation vehicles. Reasons for the exclusion of these emission factors include one or more of the following:

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the lack of adequate EPA emissions testing results for the production of reliable

fleet-average emission rates,

- the quantities of a pollutant generated a vehicle type are not significant,
- the pollutant is not regulated by the EPA (for example, only aircraft HC and smoke emissions are currently regulated).

Such instances of nonreported emission factors are documented in the relevant transportation mode sections of this report.

# HIGHWAY MOBILE SOURCE EMISSION FACTORS

# Highway Source Emission Factor Information Sources

Emission factors and the accompanying calculation procedures used for virtually all federal and state mobile source emission inventory studies come from the following EPA source documents:

- Compilation of Air Pollutant Emission Factors Volume II: Mobile Sources (AP-42, Fourth Edition, September 1985)
- Supplement A to AP-42 Volume II, January 1991.
- *User's Guide to MOBILE4.1*, EPA-AA-TEB-91-01 (EPA Office of Mobile Sources, Emission Control Technology Division, July 1991).
- Interim Guidance for the Preparation of Mobile Source Emission Inventories, Attachments A through J (This EPA memorandum supersedes the mobile source emission inventory preparation instructions contained in Procedures for Emission Inventory Preparation – Volume IV, Mobile Sources, which is currently being revised)
- Procedures for Emission Inventory Preparation Volume IV, Mobile Sources, EPA-450/4-81-26d (revised), (July 1992).

The document, *Compilation of Air Pollutant Emission Factors - Volume II*, reports all data and emission factor calculation algorithms for both highway and off-highway emission sources.

Supplement A to AP-42 presents updated emissions factor information for highway sources based on the results of additional vehicle test data obtained subsequent to the publication of the original AP-42 Air Pollutant Emission Factor compilation document, as well as methodological modifications reflecting calculation refinements and new emission regulations. Both EPA data source documents categorize highway mobile sources into eight types: light-duty gasoline vehicles (LDGVs), light-duty gasoline-powered trucks with a gross vehicle weight rating of less than or equal to 6,000 lbs (LDGT1s), light-duty gasoline-powered trucks with a gross vehicle weight rating greater than 6,000 lbs (LDGT2s), heavy-duty gasoline-powered trucks (LDDTs), heavy-duty dieselpowered vehicles (LDDVs), light-duty diesel-powered trucks (LDDTs), heavy-duty dieselpowered vehicles (HDDVs), and motorcycles. The EPA document, *Procedures for Emission Inventory Preparation – Volume IV, Mobile Sources*, provides the most up-to-date instructions for all state and local agencies involved in the preparation of mobile source inventories. The EPA makes frequent mention of the fact that a number of emission rate studies are ongoing. Therefore, frequent monitoring of the status of EPA analytical studies is suggested in order to ensure that TERF emission factors reflect the latest available emission testing and methodological information.

Highway mobile source emission factor calculation routines, outlined in the above EPA documents, are incorporated into EPA's MOBILE model, which estimates hydrocarbon, carbon monoxide, and oxides of nitrogen emission factors for gasoline and diesel-powered vehicles. The most recent version of the mobile emissions model, MOBILE4.1, was released in 1991 for the express purpose of preparing all 1990 base year emission inventories mandated by the CAAA for all areas exclusive of California, and to prepare CAAA-mandated carbon monoxide emissions inventory projections. However, MOBILE4.1 does not incorporate the effects of other CAAA provisions, such as the Tier I exhaust emissions standards for light-duty vehicles and light-duty trucks. Revisions to the MOBILE4.1 model to reflect CAAA provisions for NMHC and NO<sub>x</sub> and additional test data are being discussed and planned for incorporation into the new MOBILE5 model. The EPA is currently seeking recommendations through a series of public workshops, and expects to release MOBILE5 in the fall of 1992. Appendix E.EM.B provides an excerpt from an EPA letter handout (dated March 5, 1992) that outlines potential MOBILE5 revisions.

Highway source emission factors for California are calculated through the use of the California Air Resources Board's own emission factor model, EMFAC. The most recent version of this model is EMFAC7EP, which incorporates the most recent California vehicle and fuel standards. All EMFAC model versions are variants of EPA's MOBILE model, and have been customized to serve the emission calculation needs of the CARB. EPA's Office of Mobile Sources is currently examining CARB in-use test data for vehicles certified to meet California's 0.7 gpm NO<sub>x</sub> emission standard. Emission rate equations for reflecting the effects of California's low-emitting vehicle (LEV) program and inspection/maintenance credits are also being considered for inclusion in MOBILE

model updates.

The California Air Resources Board uses a separate computer model to assimilate emission test data and calculate basic emission rates. This model, CALIFAC, uses the CARB's In-Use Surveillance Program and the Inspection/Maintenance Project databases (along with EPA data) to derive the basic emission factors. The basic emission factors serve as the inputs to EMFAC, which subsequently applies emission correction factors to produce final emission factors. This report lists the California highway emission factors along with the EPA national emission factors.

# The EPA Procedure for Calculating Mobile Source Emissions Factors

# Methodology Overview

Federal and state agency-developed emission factors for each vehicle type are derived from a fourstep process<sup>57</sup>:

<u>First</u>, "basic exhaust emission factors", or BEFs, are estimated according to rigid federal testing procedures<sup>58</sup>.

<u>Second</u>, the BEFs are adjusted with a series of multiplicative and additive correction factors that account for testing condition variances in ambient temperature and operating mode, as well as expected emission contxl device tampering rates.

<u>Third</u>, the BEFs are further adjusted with a composite correction factor that reflects actual vehicle characteristics and driver operating practices (For the hydrocarbon BEF, separate emission factors for evaporative and running losses are added. In addition, the hydrocarbon and carbon monoxide BEFs are adjusted for fuel volatility.). A number of these correction factors are not included in the emission factor calculations for diesel-powered vehicles and trucks due primarily to a lack of reliable data.

<u>Fourth</u>, consolidated BEFs are derived by weighting the adjusted BEFs according to the fraction of total miles driven for each model year, and then summing over the 25 historical

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>57</sup> All emission rate equations and data referenced in this section come from EPA's AP-42 document and accompanying supplements, or the MOBILE4.1 model documentation, unless otherwise noted.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>58</sup> Exhaust and evaporative emissions testing procedures for light-duty gasoline and diesel-powered vehicles are stipulated in the <u>Code of Federal Regulations</u>, 40 CFR Part 86, Subpart B, July 1, 1989. Testing procedures for heavy-duty gasoline and diesel-powered vehicles are stipulated in 40 CFR Part 86, Subpart N, July 1, 1989. National Energy Modeling System

model years that constitute the in-use vehicle fleet for each calendar year.<sup>59</sup> The equations for the consolidated emission factors are as follows:

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EFHC = \Sigma TF * [(ADJBEF * SALHCF * RVPCF) + REFUEL + RNGLOS + CCEVRT]EFCO = \Sigma TF * (ADJBEF * SALHCF * RVPCF)EFNO_{x} = \Sigma TF * (ADJBEF * SALHCF)
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where:

ADJBEF =	Adjusted basic exhaust emission factor in grams per mile,
SALHCF =	Composite speed, air conditioning, extra load, and trailer towing
	correction factor,
RVPCF =	Fuel volatility correction factor,
REFUEL =	Refueling hydrocarbon emission factor (g/mile),
RNGLOS =	Running loss hydrocarbon emission factor (g/mile),
CCERVT =	Crankcase and evaporative hydrocarbon emission factor (g/mile),
TF =	Fraction of total miles driven

(Summation occurs over 25 model years *i*, from n-24 to n, where *n* is the calendar year)

### Methodology Details

**Federal Test Procedures**. The federal test procedures calculate basic exhaust and evaporative emissions for each vehicle model under specified ambient temperature and humidity levels, average speed and idle time, vehicle-miles-traveled (VMT), percent of VMT in cold-start, hot-start, and stabilized operations, trip length, and fuel volatility.<sup>60</sup> The gathering of exhaust emissions data is accomplished with three test segments. For Segment No. 1 (cold-start test), emissions for the first 505 seconds after engine start-up are collected. For Segment No. 2 (stabilized test), emissions are collected for the next 870 seconds. Finally, for Segment No. 3 (hot-start test), the engine is turned off for a ten-minute duration, and is restarted and run for an additional 505 seconds with emissions being collected. The EPA conducts the test cycles at both low and high altitude locations.

**Basic Emission Rates**. The basic emission rate is calculated by a two-step formula based on the assumption that emission rates increase linearly with respect to accumulated vehicle mileage. First,

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>59</sup> The number of model years for the in-use fleet was expanded from 20 to 25 with the release of MOBILE4.1 (see User's Guide to MOBILE4.1, Sec. 1.1.4.).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>60</sup> The measure of volatility is *Reid Vapor Pressure*. Vapor pressure measures the level of surface pressure in pounds per square inch (psi) required to keep a liquid from vaporizing. Vehicles are tested at a certified RVP of 9.0 psi. National Energy Modeling System

a zero-mile emission level is obtained from the in-use vehicle testing results for a specific model year and pollutant. Added to this basic emission rate is an adjustment that reflects the culmulative mileage for the model year vehicle and a per-10,000 mile emission deterioration rate. The two step formula accounts for vehicles with cumulative mileage of less than 50,000, and vehicles with mileage in excess of 50,000. The following example shows the equations and calculations used to obtain basic carbon monoxide emission rates for light-duty vehicles with a 1990 model year.

#### **Example 1: Calculating Carbon Monoxide Base Emission Rates**

#### BER Two-Step Formula

BER	$= \mathbf{ZML} + (\mathbf{DR1} * \mathbf{M}),$	for $M \leq 50,000$ Miles
	= ZML + (DR1 * 5) + (DR2 * (M - 5),	for $M \leq$ 50,000 Miles

where

ZML =	Zero-mile emission level in gpm
DR1 =	Emission deterioration rate for vehicles with less than or equal
	to 50,000 miles, in gpm per 10,000 miles
DR2 =	Emission deterioration rate for vehicles with more than
	50,000 miles, in gpm per 10,000 miles
M =	Model year cumulative mileage divided by 10,000 miles

#### Assumptions:

(1) CO emissions are for light-duty gasoline-powered vehicles with a 1990 model year

(2) Tests conducted at low altitude

(3) Calculate emission levels at cumulative mileage intervals of 50,000 and 100,000 miles.

50,000 Mile Emission Level:

BER = 2.813 + (0.769 \* 5) = 6.658 grams per mile CO

100,000 Mile Emission Level:

BER = 2.813 + (0.769 \* 5) + (0.961 \* (10 - 5)) = 11.463 grams per mile CO

Data Source: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Office of Mobile Sources, *Supplement A, Compilation of Air Pollutant Emission Factors, Volume II - Mobile Sources* (AP-42), January 1991.

**Basic Emission Factor Adjustments**. The basic emission factors are adjusted with a series of general and pollutant-specific correction factors to account for ambient and vehicle operation characteristics that differ from the standardized federal testing conditions. The adjusted BER equations are as follows:

 $ADJBEF_{HC} = \{[(BER * OMTCF) - OFFMTH] * PCLEFT\} + OMTTAM$ 

$$\label{eq:adjbef_co} \begin{split} ADJBEF_{co} &= (BER * OMTCF * PCLEFT) + OFFCO + OMTTAM\\ ADJBEF_{NOx} &= (BER * OMTCF) + OMTTAM \end{split}$$

The equation terms are described below:

**Temperature/Operating-Mode Correction Factor (OMTCF)** — This multiplicative correction factor accounts for the observation that vehicles produce a smaller quantity of emissions as they move from cold-start to stabilized and hot-start operating modes. The OMTCF is expressed as a sum of VMT-weighted linear functions of the fleet cumulative mileage for each model year, adjusted for (1) the emissions contribution attributable to each operating mode (represented as intercept and slope coefficients of the linear functions), and (2) a previously estimated temperature correction factor for each model year, pollutant, test segment, and ambient temperature (not applicable to diesel-powered vehicles and trucks). As with the basic emission rate formula, OMTCFs are calculated with a two-stage formula to reflect emissions deterioration for vehicles with cumulative mileage greater than 50,000 miles:

### OMTCF = (TERM1 + TERM2 + TERM3) / DENOM

	Cumulative Mileage ≤ 50,000	Cumulative Mileage > 50,000
TERM1 =	$W * TCF_1 * [B_1 + (D_{11} * M)]$	$W * TCF_1 * [B_1 + (D_{11} * 5)] + [D_{12} * (M - 5)]$
TERM2 =	$(1-W-X) * TCF_2 * [B_2 + (D_{21} * M)]$	$(1-W-X) * TCF_2 * [B_2 + (D_{21} * 5)] + [D_{22} * (M - 5)]$
TERM3 =	$X * TCF_3 * [B_3 + (D_{31} * M)]$	$W * TCF_{3} * [B_{3} + (D_{31} * 5)] + [D_{32} * (M - 5)]$
DENOM =	$B_0 + (D_{01} * M)$	$B_0 + (D_{01} * 5) + [D_{02} * (M - 5)]$

where:

$\mathbf{W} =$	fraction of vehicle-miles-traveled in the cold start mode
$\mathbf{X} =$	fraction of vehicle-miles-traveled in the hot start mode
$TCF_i =$	high or low temperature correction factor (depending on ambient testing temperature)
	for pollutant, model year, and test segment "i"
$B_i =$	normalized intercept coefficient for pollutant, model year, and test segment "i"
$\mathbf{D}_{ij} =$	normalized slope coefficient for pollutant, model year, test segment "i" and
	culmulative mileage level "j" (1 if $M \le 5$ ; 2 if $M > 5$ )
M =	cumulative mileage divided by 10,000 miles for each model year

The low temperature correction factor is applied when the ambient temperature is lower than the reference test temperature of 75°F. For all pollutants, test segments, and model years, *except* segment 1 (cold start) CO emissions for model years from 1980 and later, a simple

exponential model is used.<sup>61</sup> In the case of cold start carbon monoxide OMTCFs for model years 1980 and later, two additional calculation steps are necessary. First, TCF<sub>1</sub> is removed from the TERM1 equation in order to eliminate the temperature correction related to the cold start mode. Second, an alternative additive version of the low temperature correction factor is calculated, the "CO offset" (**OFFCO**), which adjusts the cold start emissions for higher CO produced during the cold start mode. The CO offset is multiplied by the percent of VMT in the cold start mode (the "W" term) and adjusted for fuel volatility if the temperature is greater than 40°F. The CO offset term is then added to the basic CO exhaust emission rate factor.

The high temperature correction factor equation for pre-1980 model years, applied when the ambient temperature is higher than 75 °F, is similar to that of the low temperature correction factor. For post-1979 model years, an alternative correction factor is used that incorporates a fuel volatility correction component. The combined high temperature/fuel volatility correction factor model is:

$$TRCF = e^{\{[A * (RVP - 9.0)] + [B * (T - 75.0)] + [C * (RVP - 9.0)] * (T - 75.0)\}}$$

where RVP is the fuel volatility level in psi RVP, T is the ambient temperature, and A, B, and C are estimated coefficients.

**Tampering Offset (TAMPOFF)** — A tampering and misfueling offset (in grams per mile) is added to the basic emission rate to reflect the assumption that a certain fraction of flHxt vehicles have had emission control components disabled or fueling components damaged. Such tampering and misfueling occurrences increase exhaust and evaporative emissions. Tampering/misfueling types tracked by the EPA include air pump disablement, catalyst removal, EGR system disablement, filler neck damage, fuel tank misfueled, combined filler neck damage and fuel tank misfueled, PCV system disablement, canister disconnection, and combined canister and fuel cap removal.

The EPA has conducted nationwide tampering/misfueling surveys since 1978, and data for surveys completed in 1984, 1985, and 1986 have been incorporated into the Tampering Offset calculation methodology.<sup>62</sup> The TAMPOFF is applied to only four vehicle types due

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>61</sup> The equation is:  $\text{TCF}_{\text{low}} = \text{EXP} [\text{TC}_{\text{ibp}} * (\text{T} - 75.0)]$ , where  $\text{TC}_{\text{ibp}}$  is a coefficient for model year *i*, pollutant *p*, and test segment *b*, at the ambient reference temperature of 75 degrees Fahrenheit; and T is the ambient temperature.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>62</sup> Source: *Compilation of Air Pollutant Emission Factors, Volume 2 — Mobile Sources, Supplement A*, Appendix E, p. E-1. Additional survey results gathered after the publication of this document are also included in the offset estimation equations. National Energy Modeling System

to the lack of comprehensive data: light-duty gas-powered vehicles, light-duty gas-powered trucks (both weight categories I and II), and heavy-duty gas-powered vehicles. The TAMPOFFs for each tampering type are calculated with the following equation for calendar year  $_{n}$ :

$$TAMPOFF = TAMP_{ipm} * PEQUIP_{im} * RATE_{im}$$

where:

$TAMP_{ipm} =$	incremental increase in emissions from tampered vehicles for
	model year $i$ , pollutant $p$ , and tampering type $m$ ,
$PEQUIP_{im} =$	percent of the model-year $i$ vehicles that are equipped with item $m$
	that can be tampered,
$RATE_{im} =$	percent of model-year $i$ vehicles with equipment $m$ that has been
	tampered with.

The term, TAMP, is derived from linear regression equations with cumulative mileage in 10,000-mile increments serving as the regressor or explanatory variable (the regression intercept is interpreted as the zero-mileage emission rate). The regressions yield deterioration rates up to 50,000 cumulative mileage, with mileage in the 50,000 to 130,000 range handled with an additional adjustment factor representing each tampering-type/vehicle-type combination.

The tampering-type emissions offsets are combined to form an overall composite offset with each tampering-type offset adjusted with the applicable temperature correction factor (TCF), and weighted according to the percent of accumulated vehicle-miles-traveled in cold start, stabilized, and hot start modes. The tampering offset is not applicable to diesel-powered vehicles and trucks.

**Inspection and Maintenance (I/M) Program Exhaust Emission Benefit (PCLEFT)** – This optional emissions rate adjustment factor accounts for the hydrocarbon and CO emissions reduction benefits attributable to inspection/maintenance programs. The emission rate I/M credits are estimated using a separate EPA model, TECH IV+, which is currently being updated into a TECH 5 version that will include a NO<sub>x</sub> benefit submodel and other revisions reflecting new I/M program data.<sup>63</sup> I/M program parameters for the TECH model

 $<sup>^{63}</sup>$  The only NO<sub>x</sub> reduction benefit currently modeled is from a reduction in tampering rates resulting from I/M programs. EPA analysis of transient I/M test (IM240) data indicates that additional emissions reductions result from NO<sub>x</sub> cutpoint I/M programs. (See Appendix E.EM.C, List of Potential Revisions for MOBILE5, Item No. 3-5.) National Energy Modeling System

include program start year, stringency level, first/last model years of vehicle subject to program requirements, waiver rates, compliance rates, program type, inspection frequency, vehicle type, test type, and availability of alternative I/M credits for certain technology groups. The I/M program emissions benefit is not applicable to diesel-powered vehicles and all truck types.

**Methane Offset (OFFMTH)** — This grams-per-mile offset is used to adjust the hydrocarbon basic emission rate when nonmethane HC emissions are estimated. Model-year offsets are calculated for each of the three test segments.

The BEFs are further adjusted by a *composite speed, air conditioning, extra load, and trailer towing correction factor* (**SALHCF**), with the following form:

SALHCF<sub>HC,CO</sub> = SCF \* ACCF \* XLCF \* TWCF

and

SALHCF<sub>NOx</sub> = SCF \* ACCF \* XLCF \* TWCF \* HCF

Each of the equation terms are described below.

**Speed Correction Factor (SCF)** – Federal test procedures call for the collection of basic exhaust emissions at an average speed of 19.6 miles per hour. To account for higher and lower average speeds exhibited by in-use vehicles, correction factors for three speed ranges were calculated using linear regression.<sup>64</sup> The ranges are low speeds (2.5 to 19.6 mph), moderate speeds (19.6 to 48 mph), and high speeds (48 to 65 mph). The speed correction factors are delineated by model year group, technology, pollutant, and emission level (i.e., normal vs high emitters), but are weighted and combined into one basic speed correction factor applied to base emission rates.

Air Conditioning Correction Factor (ACCF) — The air conditioning correction accounts for the impact of air conditioner operations on pollutant emission types at various ambient temperatures for each model year (This factor is not applicable to heavy-duty gas-powered vehicles, light-duty diesel-powered vehicles, light-duty diesel-powered trucks, and heavy-duty diesel-powered vehicles). The correction factor is expressed as a linear relationship to temperature, adjusted with a multiplicative factor that reflects the fraction of AC units in use. The air conditioning correction factor equation has the following form:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>64</sup> The speed correction factors are normalized to the speed associated with a weighted sum of the cold start and hot start mode VMT fractions. The SCFs were derived from multiplicative linear regression equations. National Energy Modeling System

$$ACCF = V * U * [A + (B * (T - 75) - 1)] + 1$$

where:

V =	fraction of vehicles equipped with AC, faction of AC matrix $(DI - 70)/10$ where DL is the temperature disconfact.
U =	faction of AC units in use = $(DI - 70)/10$ , where DI is the temperature discomfort index,
	macx,
DI =	((DB + WB)*0.4) + 15,
DB =	dry bulb temperature,
WB =	wet bulb temperature,
A =	intercept coefficient,
B =	slope coefficient,
T =	ambient temperature.

**Extra Load Correction Factor (XLCF)** — This correction factor incorporates the impacts on emissions of an increase of 500 pounds to the test standard vehicle weight, which includes a driver and one passenger. (This factor is not applicable to heavy-duty gas-powered vehicles, light-duty diesel-powered vehicles, light-duty diesel-powered trucks, and heavy-duty diesel-powered vehicles). The extra load correction factor equation is:

XLCF = [(XLC - 1.0) \* U] + 1.0

where XLC is a factor coefficient for each model year and pollutant,<sup>65</sup> and U is the fraction of vehicle-miles-traveled with the extra load.

**Trailer Towing Correction Factor (TWCF)** — The trailer towing correction factor, which accounts for the effect on emissions of an extra trailer weight of 1,000 pounds, is calculated with an equation that is identical in structure to that used for calculating the extra load correction factor:

$$TTCF = [(TTC - 1.0) * U] + 1.0$$

where TTC is a factor coefficient for each model year and pollutant,<sup>66</sup> and U is the fraction of vehicle-miles-traveled with the extra trailer load.

This factor is not applicable to heavy-duty gas-powered vehicles, light-duty diesel-powered

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>65</sup> For example, XLC varies from 1.0786 to 1.0455 for low altitude light-duty gas-powered vehicles, depending on the model year. The XLC range for CO is 1.3058 to 1.1347, and the range for NO<sub>x</sub> is 1.0719 to 0.9535.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>66</sup> For example, TTC varies from 1.7288 to 1.2614 for low altitude light-duty gas-powered vehicles, depending on the model year. The TTC range for CO is 1.8940 to 3.9722, and the range for NO<sub>x</sub> is 1.1184 to 1.3875. **National Energy Modeling System** 

vehicles, light-duty diesel-powered trucks, and heavy-duty diesel-powered vehicles.

 $NO_x$  Humidity Correction Factor (HCF) –  $NO_x$  emission factors are normalized to 75 grains of water per pound of dry air. To achieve this normalization given various humidity levels, a multiplicative correction factor is applied to the composite  $NO_x$  SALHCF. The following HCF equation is applicable for all model years:

where H = humidity level in grains of water/lb. dry air. This humidity correction factor is not applicable to heavy-duty diesel-powered trucks.

Data obtained from monitoring emissions at different Reid Vapor Pressure levels shows that hydrocarbon and CO emissions increase as volatility increases. For exhaust emissions at fuel volatility levels different from the test certification RVP of 9.0 psi, and when the ambient temperature is greater than  $40^{\circ}$ F, a *fuel volatility correction factor* (**RVPCF**) is applied to the basic hydrocarbon and CO emission factors.

There are three fuel volatility correction factor equations, with the selection based on vehicle model year and ambient temperature. For model years 1971 through 1979 (and at all temperatures), the RVPCFs for hydrocarbons and CO are based on a simple linear extrapolation model<sup>67</sup>:

 $RVPCF_{HC} = (0.56222 + 0.012512 * RVP) / 0.67483$  $RVPCF_{CO} = (7.1656 + 0.33413 * RVP) / 10.17277$ 

For post-1979 model years and at a temperature greater than 75°F, the RVPCF is incorporated with the high temperature correction factor discussed in the Temperature/Operating-Mode Correction Factor (OMTCF) section.

For post-1979 model years and at a temperature in the 40°F to 75°F range, a two-step correction procedure is used. First, a RVP correction factor evaluated at 75°F is obtained using the combined high temperature/fuel volatility model. The resulting RVPCF is then used as an input to the following equation:

$$RVPCF = = 1.0 + \{ [(RVPCF_{75^{\circ}F} - 1.0) * [(T - 40.0) / 35.0)] \}$$

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>67</sup> The denominator value represents the numerator evaluated at the certification Reid Vapor Pressure of 9 psi. National Energy Modeling System

where T is the ambient temperature in the range of  $40^{\circ}$ F to  $75^{\circ}$ F.

The post-1979 model year fuel volatility correction factors are also disaggregated based on test segment and fuel delivery system (carbureted, throttle-body fuel injection, and multi-point fuel injection).

**Evaporative Emissions Factors**. In addition to the basic exhaust emission factors for hydrocarbons, evaporative emissions from carburetion and fuel tank systems must be included in the consolidated hydrocarbon emission factors. The EPA models five types of HC evaporative emissions: *crankcase, hot soak* (evaporative emissions occurring after a trip), *diurnal* (release of fuel vapors due to an expansion of the air-fuel mixture in a partially filled fuel tank when the ambient temperature increases), *running loss* (emission generated during vehicle operation), and *refueling* (displacement of fuel vapor from the tank during refueling, and spillage). Evaporative emission factors are not applicable to diesel-powered vehicles and trucks.

Crankcase, hot soak, and diurnal emissions (CCERVT) are calculated with one equation:

 $CCERVT = [(HS + TAMPHS) * TPD_{i}] + [(DI + TAMPDI) / MPD_{i}] + (CC + TAMPCC)$ 

where:

TAMPHS = Excess hot soak emission rates due to tampering, corrected for RVF fuel volatility,	e
fuel volatility.	)
$TPD_{j} = Trips per day for age j vehicles,$	
DI = Diurnal emission rates in grams, corrected for temperature and fue	l
volatility,	
TAMPDI = Excess diurnal emission rates due to tampering, corrected for	•
temperature and RVP fuel volatility,	
$MPD_{j} = Miles-per-day values for age j vehicles,$	
CC = Crankcase emissions in grams per mile,	
TAMPCC =Excess crankcase emissions due to tampering.	

Running loss emissions (RNGLOS) are calculated in a similar manner: loss emission rates in grams per mile are corrected for temperature and RVP fuel volatility (RULOSS), and then are added to the excess running loss emissions ascribed to tampering (TAMPRL).

Refueling loss emissions (REFUEL) are calculated by adding together the displacement fueling losses corrected for RVP fuel volatility (DISP) and an average spillage rate (SPILL), both measured in grams per gallon. This figure is divided by the road fuel economy rate (ROADFE), measured in gallons per mile.

All evaporative emission factor components are modeled as a function of the ambient temperature and fuel volatility. Running losses are modeled with two additional variables — average speed and trip duration. Refueling losses are modeled with one additional variable, defined as the temperature difference between the dispensed fuel and the residual tank fuel. EPA has also recently incorporated into its modeling the results of inspection/maintenance program testing for fuel/evaporative control system leaks and the capability of the carbon canister to properly purge vapors. The impact of "pressure and purge" problems on hot soak, diurnal, and running loss emission rates are reflected in MOBILE4.1.<sup>68</sup>

**Calculation of Travel Weighting Fractions**. After emission factor corrections have been applied to the basic exhaust emission factors, and hydrocarbon evaporative and exhaust emission factor components have been added together, travel weighting fractions (TFs) are applied for deriving the final consolidated emission factors.

The TFs represent model-year proportions of total vehicle-miles-traveled for each vehicle type. They are calculated with the use of an annual mileage accumulation rate distribution, a registration distribution<sup>69</sup>, and a diesel sales distribution (applicable to all vehicle types *except* heavy-duty gas-powered vehicles and heavy-duty gas-powered trucks).

Example 2 shows the calculation of a consolidated hydrocarbon emission factor for model-year 1988 light-duty gasoline-powered vehicles.

Example 2: Calculating a Consolidated Hydrocarbon Emission Factor for
Light-Duty Gasoline Powered Vehicles

#### Assumptions:

(1)	HC emissions are for light-duty gasoline-powered vehicles with a 1988 evaluation calendar year, 20-model-year vehicle window, with testing conducted at low altitude.
(2)	Daily minimum and maximum ambient temperatures are 60°F and 80°F, respectively.
(3)	All conditions match the basic federal test conditions (i.e., air conditioning, extra load, trailer
	towing, humidity levels, and other basic exhaust emission correction factors have no affect on
	the calculations, and are therefore set to 1.0).
(4)	No inspection/maintenance or anti-tampering programs are assumed.
(5)	Certification fuel volatility of 9.0 psi is assumed.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>68</sup> User's Guide to MOBILE4.1, Sec. 1.1.6, p. 1-12.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>69</sup> The EPA collects July 1 registration data, which is adjusted to reflect registration activity as of January 1. Vehicle sales are assumed to be uniform throughout the year.

- (6) Total HC emissions are calculated at an average speed of 30 miles per hour.
- (7) Percentages of vehicle-miles-traveled in the cold start, stabilized, and hot start operating modes are 40%, 30%, and 30%, respectively.
- (8) Basic HC emission factors are adjusted for the effects of tampering.
- (9) Methane is included in HC calculations.

#### Consolidated Emission Factor Equation

# $CONBEFHC_n = \sum TF_i * [(BEF * SALHCF) + REFUEL + RNGLOS + CCEVERT]$

where:

 $CONBEFHC_n = Consolidated Hydrocarbon Emission Factor for calendar year$ *n*,

 $TF_i$  = Travel Weighting Fraction for Model Year *i*,

BEF= Adjusted Hydrocarbon Exhaust Emission Factor,

SALHCF= Speed Correction Factor,

REFUEL= Refueling HC Emission Factor,

RNGLOS= Running Loss HC Emission Factor,

CCEVERT= Crankcase and Evaporative HC Emission Factor.

Data	Table

Model Year (i)	TF	BEF (gpm)	SALHCF (gpm)	REFUEL (gpm)	RNGLOS (gpm)	CCEVERT (gpm)	CONBEFHC <sub>a</sub> : TF*(BEF*SALHCF REFUEL+RNGLOS CEVERT
1988*	0.0307	0.415	0.730	0.243	0.254	0.147	0.029
1987	0.1209	0.472	0.730	0.244	0.254	0.155	0.121
1986	0.1102	0.577	0.730	0.248	0.264	0.177	0.122
1985	0.0985	0.688	0.730	0.255	0.275	0.215	0.123
1984	0.0879	0.808	0.730	0.262	0.285	0.258	0.123
1983	0.0783	0.938	0.730	0.266	0.294	0.300	0.121
1982	0.0679	1.257	0.730	0.263	0.303	0.345	0.124
1981	0.0598	1.480	0.730	0.272	0.311	0.390	0.123
1980	0.0537	2.507	0.730	0.291	0.551	0.576	0.174
1979	0.0481	4.941	0.730	0.335	0.559	0.620	0.246
1978	0.0427	5.253	0.730	0.339	0.566	0.665	0.231
1977	0.0381	5.505	0.730	0.370	0.650	1.515	0.250
1976	0.0328	5.807	0.717	0.387	0.656	1.593	0.223
1975	0.0280	6.043	0.717	0.427	0.662	1.674	0.199
1974	0.0237	5.844	0.706	0.473	0.668	1.759	0.167
1973	0.0197	5.945	0.706	0.473	0.673	1.846	0.142
1972	0.0167	5.906	0.795	0.465	0.679	1.937	0.130
1971	0.0134	9.089	0.798	0.469	0.683	2.726	0.149
1970	0.0104	9.296	0.811	0.451	0.715	3.556	0.128
1969	0.0185	8.856	0.781	0.454	0.684	3.660	0.217

 $\sum_{i=n-19}$ 

= 3.142

Data Source: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Office of Mobile Sources, *Supplement A, Compilation of Air Pollutant Emission Factors, Volume II - Mobile Sources* (AP-42), January 1991, Appendix G.

### Highway Mobile Source Emissions Factor Methodology

# Carbon Monoxide, Volatile Organic Compound, and Nitrogen Oxide Emission Factors: Conventional Vehicles

DAC calculated VOC, CO, and NO<sub>x</sub> emission factors for highway sources using a two-step methodology. First, MOBILE4.1 model runs were conducted to obtain baseline emission factor forecasts. Second, off-line adjustments to the baseline emission factor forecasts were made to reflect the new CAAA regulations that have not been incorporated into the MOBILE4.1 solution algorithms. Table F-80 provides the adjusted MOBILE4.1 emission factors for conventional vehicle types.<sup>70</sup> The vehicle types consist of LDGVs, LDGTs (combined Class 1 and 2), HDGVs, LDDVs, LDDTs, and HDDVs. Table F-81 provides the EPA definitions for each of the vehicle-type categories.

Emission factors for heavy-duty diesel-powered vehicles (HDDVs) should be used for dieselpowered buses. This is recommended by the EPA, which cites the similarities between the two vehicles types as well as the lack of comprehensive emission testing for buses (note that the EPA bus emission factors are reported in grams per mile as opposed to the TERF lbs./1,000 gal. specification). Efforts at improving the EPA bus emission data base are ongoing because of concern that the HDDV emission factors do not accurately reflect in-use characteristics of buses in urban areas.

A complication results in trying to combine the EPA vehicle-type emission factors into the freight truck category designated in the TSCDR. As shown in Table F-81, the EPA vehicle-type categories for heavy-duty vehicles and trucks do not correspond to the weight categories used by either the TIUS or the FHWA Highway statistics report. The EPA uses a weight cut-off of 8,500 pounds GVW for its heavy-duty classifications. Trucks with an average weight greater than 10,000 pounds are classified as medium, light-heavy, or heavy-heavy by the TIUS. There is no weighting method that proves satisfactory for normalizing the EPA emission factors to the FHWA weight categories. Therefore, we recommend that the EPA emission factors for gasoline and diesel heavy-duty vehicles (HDGVs and HDDVs) be used as the TERF freight truck emission factors.

Table F-80. Adjusted MOBILE4.1 Emission Factors

<sup>70</sup> Five-year interval forecasts were interpolated to produce year-to-year emission factors. National Energy Modeling System

N/E A D	LDGV				LDGT		HDGV			
YEAR	VOC	CO	NOx	VOC	СО	NOx	VOC	СО	NOx	
1990	2.09	20.63	1.43	4.20	29.16	1.93	10.84	101.36	5.82	
1991	2.33	18.67	1.16	3.84	26.16	1.81	9.90	90.91	5.61	
1992	2.59	16.89	0.94	3.51	23.47	1.70	9.05	81.53	5.41	
1993	2.89	15.28	0.76	3.21	21.06	1.59	8.27	73.12	5.21	
1994	3.22	13.83	0.62	2.93	18.89	1.49	7.55	65.58	5.02	
1995	3.59	12.51	0.50	2.68	16.95	1.40	6.90	58.82	4.84	
1996	2.98	11.88	0.50	2.54	15.72	1.35	6.45	52.74	4.73	
1997	2.47	11.29	0.50	2.41	14.58	1.29	6.04	47.28	4.63	
1998	2.05	10.72	0.50	2.28	13.53	1.24	5.65	42.39	4.53	
1999	1.70	10.18	0.50	2.16	12.55	1.20	5.28	38.01	4.43	
2000	1.41	9.67	0.50	2.05	11.64	1.15	4.94	34.08	4.33	
2001	1.34	9.27	0.50	1.96	11.01	1.13	4.66	31.50	4.29	
2002	1.27	8.88	0.50	1.87	10.41	1.10	4.40	29.11	4.26	
2003	1.21	8.51	0.50	1.79	9.85	1.08	4.15	26.90	4.22	
2004	1.15	8.15	0.50	1.71	9.31	1.06	3.92	24.86	4.19	
2005	1.09	7.81	0.50	1.63	8.81	1.04	3.70	22.98	4.15	
2006	1.09	7.78	0.50	1.62	8.75	1.04	3.66	22.33	4.13	
2007	1.09	7.76	0.50	1.62	8.69	1.03	3.61	21.71	4.11	
2008	1.08	7.73	0.50	1.61	8.63	1.03	3.57	21.10	4.10	
2009	1.08	7.71	0.50	1.61	8.58	1.02	3.53	20.51	4.08	
2010	1.08	7.68	0.50	1.60	8.52	1.02	3.49	19.93	4.06	
2011	1.08	7.67	0.50	1.60	8.52	1.02	3.49	19.87	4.05	
2012	1.08	7.67	0.50	1.60	8.52	1.02	3.49	19.81	4.04	
2013	1.08	7.66	0.50	1.60	8.52	1.01	3.48	19.76	4.04	
2014	1.08	7.66	0.50	1.60	8.52	1.01	3.48	19.70	4.03	
2015	1.08	7.65	0.50	1.60	8.52	1.01	3.48	19.64	4.02	
2016	1.08	7.65	0.50	1.60	8.52	1.01	3.48	19.64	4.02	
2017	1.08	7.65	0.50	1.60	8.51	1.01	3.48	19.64	4.02	
2018	1.08	7.65	0.50	1.60	8.51	1.01	3.48	19.63	4.02	
2019	1.08	7.65	0.50	1.60	8.50	1.01	3.48	19.63	4.02	
2020	1.08	7.65	0.50	1.60	8.50	1.01	3.48	19.63	4.02	
2025	1.08	7.65	0.50	1.60	8.50	1.01	3.48	19.63	4.02	
2030	1.08	7.65	0.50	1.60	8.50	1.01	3.48	19.63	4.02	

Adjustment notation:

- (1) LDGV's: Adjust VOC downward by 0.14 gpm for 1995 through 2030 to reflect decrease in exhause emission standard from 0.39 gpm to 0.25 gpm.
- (2) LDGV'S: Assume NO<sub>x</sub> emissions of 0.50 gpm beginning in 1995 and forward to reflect new/in-use standard fo 0.40 gpm and 0.6 gpm 100,000-mile certification standard.
- (3) LDGV's: CO emission factors include new cold temperature standards.
- (4) LDDV's: MOBILE4.1 emission factors are below standards; therefore no adjustments to LDDV emission factors are necessary.
- (5) HDDV's: MOBILE4.1 incorporates 1994 HC and CO standards. NO<sub>x</sub> standard was lowered, but MOBILE4.1 produces forcast emission factors at about the same level as the standards.

	LDDV				LDDT		HDDV			
YEAR	VOC	CO	NOx	VOC	СО	NOx	VOC	CO	NOx	
1990	0.71	1.67	1.63	0.96	1.90	1.87	2.84	13.03	19.45	
1991	0.72	1.68	1.63	0.97	1.91	1.86	2.73	12.75	17.72	
1992	0.73	1.70	1.64	0.98	1.91	1.85	2.62	12.49	16.14	
1993	0.74	1.71	1.64	1.00	1.92	1.85	2.52	12.22	14.70	
1994	0.75	1.73	1.65	1.01	1.92	1.84	2.42	11.96	13.39	
1995	0.76	1.74	1.65	1.02	1.93	1.83	2.32	11.71	12.20	
1996	0.74	1.71	1.59	0.98	1.89	1.76	2.28	11.61	11.56	
1997	0.71	1.68	1.53	0.94	1.85	1.69	2.25	11.51	10.94	
1998	0.69	1.65	1.48	0.91	1.81	1.62	2.22	11.41	10.37	
1999	0.67	1.63	1.42	0.87	1.78	1.56	2.18	11.31	9.82	
2000	0.65	1.60	1.37	0.84	1.74	1.50	2.15	11.21	9.30	
2001	0.62	1.57	1.32	0.80	1.70	1.44	2.14	11.18	9.11	
2002	0.59	1.53	1.27	0.76	1.66	1.39	2.13	11.16	8.92	
2003	0.57	1.50	1.22	0.73	1.62	1.33	2.13	11.13	8.73	
2004	0.54	1.47	1.17	0.69	1.59	1.28	2.12	11.11	8.55	
2005	0.52	1.44	1.13	0.66	1.55	1.23	2.11	11.08	8.37	
2006	0.52	1.44	1.12	0.66	1.55	1.22	2.11	11.07	8.32	
2007	0.51	1.43	1.11	0.66	1.55	1.21	2.11	11.07	8.27	
2008	0.51	1.43	1.09	0.65	1.54	1.21	2.10	11.06	8.21	
2009	0.50	1.42	1.08	0.65	1.54	1.20	2.10	11.06	8.16	
2010	0.50	1.42	1.07	0.65	1.54	1.19	2.10	11.05	8.11	
2011	0.50	1.42	1.07	0.65	1.54	1.19	2.10	11.05	8.10	
2012	0.51	1.43	1.08	0.65	1.54	1.19	2.10	11.05	8.09	
2013	0.51	1.43	1.08	0.66	1.54	1.19	2.10	11.04	8.07	
2014	0.52	1.44	1.09	0.66	1.54	1.19	2.10	11.04	8.06	
2015	0.52	1.44	1.09	0.66	1.54	1.19	2.10	11.04	8.05	
2016	0.52	1.44	1.09	0.66	1.54	1.19	2.10	11.04	8.05	
2017	0.52	1.44	1.09	0.67	1.55	1.20	2.10	11.04	8.05	
2018	0.52	1.44	1.09	0.67	1.55	1.20	2.10	11.04	8.05	
2019	0.52	1.44	1.09	0.68	1.56	1.21	2.10	11.04	8.05	
2020	0.52	1.44	1.09	0.68	1.56	1.21	2.10	11.04	8.05	
2025	0.52	1.44	1.09	0.68	1.56	1.21	2.10	11.04	8.05	
2030	0.52	1.44	1.09	0.68	1.56	1.21	2.10	11.04	8.05	

Table F-80 (Continued)

Adjustment notation:

- (1) LDGV's: Adjust VOC downward by 0.14 gpm for 1995 through 2030 to reflect decrease in exhause emission standard from 0.39 gpm to 0.25 gpm.
- (2) LDGV'S: Assume NO<sub>x</sub> emissions of 0.50 gpm beginning in 1995 and forward to reflect new/in-use standard fo 0.40 gpm and 0.6 gpm 100,000-mile certification standard.
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- (5) HDDV's: MOBILE4.1 incorporates 1994 HC and CO standards. NO<sub>x</sub> standard was lowered, but MOBILE4.1 produces forcast emission factors at about the same level as the standards.

Vehicle-Type Classification Category	EPA Category Definition
Light-duty gasoline-powered vehicles (LDGVs)	Gas-fueled vehicle primarily designed for passenger transportation with a design capacity of 12 persons or less.
Light-duty gasoline-powered trucks, Class 1 (LDGT1s)	Diesel-fueled vehicle primarily designed for passenger transportation with a design capacity of 12 persons or less.
Light-duty gasoline-powered trucks, Class 2 (LDGT2s)	Gas-fueled vehicle with a Gross Vehicle Weight (GVW) between 6,001 and 8,500 pounds.
Heavy-duty gasoline-powered vehicles (HDGVs)	Gas-fueled vehicle designed to carry property, with a Gross Vehicle Weight (GVW) over 8,500 pounds, or; any vehicle designated for passenger transportation having a design capacity of more than 12 persons.
Light-duty diesel-powered vehicles (LDDVs)	Any diesel-fueled vehicle designated primarily for passenger transportation and having a design capacity of 12 persons or less.
Light-duty diesel-powered trucks (LDDTs)	Any diesel-fueled vehicle designed primarily for property transportation, and rated at 8,500 lbs. GVW or less.
Heavy-duty diesel-powered vehicles (HDDVs)	Any diesel-fueled vehicle designed primarily for property transportation, and rated at more than 8,500 lbs. GVW.

Table F-81. EPA Highway Vehicle Classification Categories and Definitions

Source: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Supplement A to AP-42 Volume II, January 1991.

DAC obtained the MOBILE4.1 model from the EPA, and used the model to calculate national CO, NO<sub>x</sub>, and VOC emission factors to the year 2020 (the last MOBILE4.1 forecast year) using a scenario-based input data set. EPA staff make the assumption that emission factors remain relatively stable after 2010.<sup>71</sup> Therefore, emission factors for 2020 are used for the subsequent forecast years. As already noted, the MOBILE4.1 emission factors do not reflect many new CAAA standards that should affect emission rates after 1993. Post hoc adjustments need to be made to account for new vehicle standards, in-use standards, and other CAAA emission control requirements if the forecasted emission factors exceed the standards in any year. It is important to note that any emission factor adjustments are based on gross assumptions, with the resulting emission factors considered to be interim in nature.

The MOBILE4.1 input data set consists of a series of user-specified control flags, data inputs common to all emission scenarios, and data inputs specific to an individual scenario. In addition to regulating program execution and input/output stream formatting, the control flags determine model actions such as the use of emission control device tampering rates, average vehicle speed selection, mileage accumulation rate selection, VMT mix selection, I/M program impact, ambient temperature selection, and many other factors. Control flags specifying EPA default values and national averages were included to the maximum extent.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>71</sup> Personal communication with Lois Platte, EPA Motor Vehicle Emission Laboratory, Ann Arbor, Michigan, June 26, 1992. National Energy Modeling System

The greatest difficulty in developing the MOBILE4.1 data set was accounting for the impact of inspection/maintenance programs. MOBILE4.1 was not designed with the capability for estimating national average I/M program impacts. The I/M program data set record must be specified according to local I/M program attributes. Such program attributes are highly customized to met locale-specific implementation needs, and therefore cannot be formulated into a national average I/M program. Further complications result from the fact that I/M programs are not required nor implemented in many areas of the country, and new EPA regulations have resulted in greater complexity for existing and planned programs.

To account for the effects of I/M and anti-tampering programs on emission factors, a model-run interpolation method was used. Inspection and maintenance programs are required for 162 ozone areas based on CAAA regulations. A data set was created that included parameters and data for an "enhanced" I/M model program (required for serious, severe, and extreme ozone nonattainment areas) as outlined in the EPA's Notice of Proposed Rulemaking.<sup>72</sup> An enhanced I/M program includes annual centralized testing for light-duty vehicles and trucks, and include such tests as the transient IM240 exhaust emission test, the transient purge test, the pressure test, the two-speed exhaust test, and the idle exhaust test. The EPA estimates that such an I/M program could reduce vehicle VOC emissions by 28 percent, CO emissions by 30 percent, and NO<sub>x</sub> emissions by 9 percent.<sup>73</sup>

A MOBILE4.1 emission factor based on national imposition of enhanced I/M programs is assumed to represent an upper bound for vehicle emissions. To account for areas that have no I/M and antitampering programs, a MOBILE4.1 data set was created that excluded operating I/M and antitampering programs. Separate sets of emission factors were generated from MOBILE4.1 model runs employing each data set. Composite emission factors were derived by taking the arithmetic average of the two emission factor sets. Ideally, the composite emission factor set should be calculated as a weighted average, using vehicle mileage data for each type of ozone nonattainment area and I/M program type. Such a procedure is complex and time-consuming (and perhaps not doable because of the flexibility afforded to the states for choosing I/M program elements), and could not be attempted given the resources available for this subtask. The simple arithmetic average approach, while producing somewhat arbitrary results, is superior to assuming a universally-applied I/M program for all areas of the country. Such an assumption yields overly-optimistic emission factor reductions.

 <sup>&</sup>lt;sup>72</sup> EPA Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, "Vehicle Inspection and Maintenance Requirements for State Implementation Plans,"
 40 CFR Part 51, July 9, 1992.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>73</sup> <u>Ibid</u>., section II.

#### Sulfur Dioxide and Carbon Dioxide Emission Factors: Conventional Vehicles

The EPA does not regularly monitor and report carbon dioxide and sulfur dioxide emissions for highway mobile sources. The relatively small amounts of  $SO_2$  emitted by trucks and cars are quickly converted to sulfuric acid, and therefore do not represent a significant air pollution hazard. Although the EPA produced  $SO_2$  measurement procedures in the early 1980's, the Agency has not published  $SO_2$  emission factors.<sup>74</sup>

The  $SO_2$  and  $CO_2$  emission factors to be used in TERF come from the Argonne National Laboratory's Transportation Energy and Emissions model (TEEMS). Table F-82 provides the emission factors produced for the DOE Office of Environmental Analysis as part of data input to the NESEAM model.<sup>75</sup> These emission factors include the effects of CAAA emission standards, and are forecasted to the year 2030.

The TEEMS/NEASAM emission factors were reported in pounds of emissions per million Btu. To convert the emission factors to a grams-per-mile equivalent, the following formula was used:

$$EF_{gpm} = EF_{ppBtu} \times 57.9549 / MPG_{c}$$

where:

 $EF_{gpm} = Emission$  factor in grams per mile,  $EF_{ppBtu} = TEEMS$  emission factor in pounds per million Btu, MPG = TEEMS forecasted fuel economy for category c vehicles in gallons per mile,

The TEEMS model does not report  $CO_2$  emission factors for heavy-duty diesel trucks and heavyduty gasoline vehicles.

# Table F-82. LDV Sulfur Dioxide and Carbon Dioxide Emission Factors (Grams/Mile)

			SO2	CO2				
YEAR	HDDT	HDGV	LDDT	LDGT	LDGV	LDDT	LDGT	LDGV
1990	1.3892	0.3890	0.5156	0.0968	0.0846	178.2613	178.2613	98.0075

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>74</sup> Personal communication with Penny Carey, EPA Motor Vehicle Emissions Laboratory, Ann Arbor, Michigan, August 4, 1992.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>75</sup> See, Decision Analysis Corporation, Mobile Source Air Emissions Regulations and Inventories, Draft Report, (Prepared for the EIA Energy Demand Analysis Branch under Contract No. DE-AC01-92EI21946, July 15, 1992). National Energy Modeling System

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1991	1.0592	0.3913	0.3898	0.0957	0.0827	176.1273	176.1273	96.8204
1992	0.8075	0.3937	0.2947	0.0947	0.0809	174.0188	174.0188	95.6477
1993	0.6157	0.3961	0.2228	0.0937	0.0791	171.9355	171.9355	94.4891
1994	0.4694	0.3985	0.1685	0.0927	0.0773	169.8771	169.8771	93.3446
1995	0.3579	0.4009	0.1274	0.0917	0.0756	167.8435	167.8435	92.2140
1996	0.3586	0.3987	0.1263	0.0913	0.0747	167.1971	167.1971	91.5909
1997	0.3593	0.3966	0.1253	0.0910	0.0738	166.5531	166.5531	90.9719
1998	0.3600	0.3945	0.1243	0.0906	0.0729	165.9117	165.9117	90.3572
1999	0.3607	0.3924	0.1233	0.0902	0.0721	165.2728	165.2728	89.7466
2000	0.3615	0.3904	0.1222	0.0898	0.0712	164.6363	164.6363	89.1402
2001	0.3540	0.3895	0.1206	0.0887	0.0705	162.6740	162.6740	87.8486
2002	0.3467	0.3886	0.1190	0.0875	0.0698	160.7351	160.7351	86.5757
2003	0.3396	0.3877	0.1174	0.0863	0.0691	158.8193	158.8193	85.3213
2004	0.3326	0.3869	0.1158	0.0852	0.0684	156.9264	156.9264	84.0850
2005	0.3258	0.3860	0.1143	0.0841	0.0678	155.0560	155.0560	82.8667
2006	0.3191	0.3851	0.1127	0.0830	0.0671	153.2080	153.2080	81.6660
2007	0.3125	0.3843	0.1112	0.0819	0.0664	151.3819	151.3819	80.4827
2008	0.3061	0.3834	0.1097	0.0808	0.0658	149.5776	149.5776	79.3166
2009	0.2998	0.3825	0.1082	0.0797	0.0651	147.7948	147.7948	78.1673
2010	0.2936	0.3817	0.1068	0.0787	0.0645	146.0333	146.0333	77.0347
2020	0.31806	0.413476	0.10608	0.076857	0.063419	146.0333	146.0333	77.03472
2030	0.31806	0.413476	0.10608	0.076857	0.063419	146.0333	146.0333	77.03472

Source: Argonne National Laboratory Transportation Energy and Emissions Modeling System (TEEMS), Model run ANL-90N.

#### Total Carbon Emission Factors: Conventional Vehicles

The calculation of total carbon emission factors for gasoline and diesel fuels is straightforward. The following formulae are used to produce carbon emission factors in grams per mile:

Carbon $EF_{gas} = 0.866 * (2791.0/MPG)$ Carbon $EF_{diesel} = 0.858 * (3192.0/MPG)$ 

The constant values of 0.886 and 0.858 are the carbon mass fractions of gasoline and diesel, respectively.<sup>76</sup> The constant values of 2791 and 3192 are the densities for gasoline and diesel fuel, and were obtained from EIA's *1989 International Energy Annual* (February 1991).<sup>77</sup> To obtain the carbon emission factors, the endogenously calculated TERF miles-per-gallon estimates (MPG) will need to be passed to the emissions module. As currently configured, MPG forecasts will be determined using the Argonne National Laboratory TEEMS methodology, which uses lagged MPG and other economic variables.

Using Argonne's ANL-90N TEEMS run as an example, automobile and diesel freight truck carbon emission factors for 1990, 1995, 2005 and 2010 are shown below (MPG figures are in parentheses).

Year	Emission Factor, g/mile (MPG)							
	Automobiles	Light Trucks						
1990	120.8 (20.0)	464.2 (5.9)						
1995	119.5 (20.7)	449.0 (6.1)						
2000	116.1 (21.3)	427.9 (6.4)						
2005	107.5 (23.0)	421.3 (6.5)						
2010	89.3 (27.7)	415.0 (6.6)						

### Emission Factors: Alternative Fuel Vehicles

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>76</sup> This value is reported by the EPA. See, Frank Black, 3rd U.S. - Dutch International Symposium, "Atmospheric Ozone Research and Its Policy Implications" (May 9-13, 1988, Nijmegen, the Netherlands), or the DeLuchi/Argonne greenhouse gas study.

The calculation of emission factors for alternative fuel vehicles (AFVs) is subjective in nature, and depends on emissions data from test vehicles and the likely capability of AFVs to meet new CAAA clean-fuel vehicle emission standards. Emission factors for NMHC, CO, NO<sub>x</sub>, and CO<sub>2</sub> were provided to Argonne National Laboratory in a greenhouse gas emission study conducted jointly by the Institute of Transportation Studies at the University of California-Davis, and the Center for Energy and Environmental Studies at Princeton University.<sup>78</sup> Table F-83 lists these AFV emission factors for light-duty vehicles (LDV's) and heavy-duty vehicles, such as freight trucks and buses (HDV's), powered by the following fuels: methanol (100%), compressed natural gas, hydrogen, ethanol (100%), and liquid petroleum gas (LPG). Electric vehicles are considered to emit no pollutants other than a small quantity of chlorofluorocarbons (CFCs).

Table F-83. Lifetime Average Emission Factors for Alternative Fuel Vehicles (Grams per Mile)

	Methanol <sup>*</sup>		Natural Gas		Hydrogen		Ethanol <sup>*</sup>		LPG	
	LDV	HDV	LDV	HDV	LDV	HDV	LDV	HDV	LDV	HDV
NMHC	0.56	4.86	0.22	0.60	0.04	0.04	0.38	4.42	0.22	1.80
СО	7.21	13.00	3.60	7.00	0.70	0.10	7.21	13.00	5.50	9.00
NO <sub>x</sub>	0.45	8.05	0.45	8.05	0.45	8.05	0.45	8.05	0.45	8.05
CO <sub>2</sub>	214.64	1495.41	195.51	1463.94	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	226.72	1695.56

\*Emission factors are for M100 (100% methanol) and 100% ethanol fuels.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>78</sup> Mark A. DeLuchi, University of California Institute of Transportation Studies, *Emissions of Greenhouse Gases From the Use of Transportation Fuels and Electricity* (for the Argonne National Laboratory Center for Transportation Research, June 26, 1991).

## **OFF-HIGHWAY SOURCES EMISSIONS FACTORS**

#### **Off-Highway Mobile Source Emission Factor Information Sources**

The following documents were used to compile off-highway emission factors or supply background information on emission factor calculation methods:

- Compilation of Air Pollutant Emission Factors Volume II: Mobile Sources (AP-42, Fourth Edition, September 1985)
- Nonroad Engine and Vehicle Emission Study—Report, EPA 460/3-91-02 (November 1991)
- Interim Guidance for the Preparation of Mobile Source Emission Inventories, Attachments A through J (This EPA memorandum supersedes the mobile source emission inventory preparation instructions contained in Procedures for Emission Inventory Preparation – Volume IV, Mobile Sources, which is currently being revised)
- Procedures for Emission Inventory Preparation Volume IV, Mobile Sources, EPA-450/4-81-026d (revised), (July 1992).

The document, *Compilation of Air Pollutant Emission Factors - Volume II*, reports all data and emission factor calculation algorithms for both highway and off-highway emission sources. Section II outlines the emission calculation methodologies for off-highway mobile sources, including aircraft, railroad locomotives, inboard-powered vessels, outboard-powered vessels, small general utility engines, agricultural equipment, heavy duty construction equipment, and snowmobiles. The EPA is planning to issue an updated version of the AP-42 document, although no estimate has been given as to the release date. The EPA's *Nonroad Engine and Vehicle Emission Study*, which was mandated as part of CAAA Section 213(a), provides new or updated emission inventory data and emission factors for ten nonroad equipment categories including commercial marine vessels, which is one of the transport modes to be modeled in TERF.<sup>79</sup> The Nonroad Emission study targeted 24 nonattainment areas as well as national totals. The document, *Procedures for Emission Inventory* 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>79</sup> The other nine equipment categories are lawn and garden equipment, airport service equipment, recreational vehicles, recreational marine equipment, light commercial equipment, industrial equipment, construction equipment, agricultural equipment, and logging equipment.

*Preparation — Volume IV, Mobile Sources*, provides state and local agencies with detailed guidance on the preparation of highway and off-highway mobile source emission inventories. The off-highway emission factors contained in this section were derived either directly from the inventory preparation procedure report, or were calculated using data tables contained therein.

#### **Railroad Locomotive Emission Factors**

Table F-84 lists the railroad locomotive emission factors to be incorporated into the TERF model. Emission factors for CO,  $NO_x$ ,  $SO_2$  and HC are included.<sup>80</sup> Note that the EPA does not measure separately the volatile component of total hydrocarbons. Also, no distinction is made between freight and passenger locomotives because both travel modes use the same locomotive technology types. These emission factors are reported in the July 1992 edition of *Procedures for Emission Inventory Preparation – Volume IV, Mobile Sources*. They are considered default values for fleet-average line haul locomotives.<sup>81</sup> Line haul locomotives used for freight and passenger service. As of mid-1991, 9,708 line haul locomotives were in service.<sup>82</sup> Yard locomotives are used for moving railcars within a rail switchyard, and are considered a negligible source of emissions. As of mid-1991, 4,589 yard locomotives were in service.<sup>83</sup>

The emission factors represent an average of emission factors for five diesel engine configuration types: 2-stroke supercharged switch locomotive, 4-stroke switch locomotive, 2-stoke super-charged road service locomotive, 2-stroke turbocharged road service locomotive, and 4-stroke road service locomotive. The emission factors are based on duty cycle testing and average fuel consumption rates. A duty cycle consists of the operating time in eight throttle notch settings plus idle and dynamic braking. The fuel consumption rate of a locomotive is determined by the throttle notch position — the higher the notch, the higher the fuel consumption, and vice versa. Therefore, fuel consumption is proportional to the amount of time the locomotive spends in each throttle notch position.<sup>84</sup> The locomotive emission factors apply to all three Interstate Commerce Commission

<sup>83</sup> <u>Ibid</u>, p. 6-23.

<sup>84</sup> <u>Ibid</u>, p. 6-13.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>80</sup> Source: EPA Office of Mobile Sources, Locomotive Emission Factors for Inventory Guidance Document (June 1991).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>81</sup> The EPA also outlines a methodology for calculating more detailed locomotive emissions for areas that are expected to deviate significantly from the national average. The methodology is called the *roster tailoring method*, and uses emissions data from individual locomotive makes and models.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>82</sup> Interim Guidance for the Preparation of Mobile Source Emission Inventories, Attachment J, Emissions from Railroads (EPA Office of Mobile Sources, February 15, 1992), Appendix 6-5, p. 6-23.

(ICC) railroad classes: Class I — annual revenues greater than \$93.5 million; Class II — annual revenues greater than \$18.7 million but less than \$93.5 million; Class III — annual revenues less than \$18.7 million.

Pollutant	Emission Factor (lbs./1,000 gal of fuel)
НС	21.10
СО	6.26
NO <sub>x</sub>	493.10
$\mathrm{SO_2}^*$	36.00
PM	11.60

Table F-84. TRAN Locomotive Emission Factors

\*Based on fuel sulfur content of 0.25 percent by weight.

### Look-Ahead Issues Concerning Locomotive Emission Factors

In terms of specifying future-year locomotive emission factors given CAAA requirements, the emission factors in Table F-84 are to be used for all forecast years. Section 213 of the Amended Act requires the EPA to promulgate emission standards for new locomotives by November 1995. These new standards are to be designed to obtain the greatest degree of emission reduction achievable, with due consideration given to compliance cost, energy consumption, safety and noise.<sup>85</sup> New emission factors would be based on testing of the applicable locomotive emission reduction technologies that would be manufactured to comply with new standards. Given the large uncertainty over the prospective emission standards and technologies, as well as the low stock turnover of locomotive engines, there is no justification for assigning alternative emission factors to the forecast interval.

### **Aircraft Emission Factors**

### Overview of the EPA Aircraft Emissions Inventory Methodology

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>85</sup> CAAA, sec. 213 (a)(5), 104 STAT 2501.

The EPA bases its aircraft emission factors on five operating modes that together consist of the landing and takeoff (LTO) cycle. The first operating mode is the approach, in which the aircraft makes its airport approach after the descent from cruising altitude. The second operating mode is taxi/idle-in, where the aircraft lands and taxis to the gate. The third mode is taxi/idle-out, in which the aircraft taxis back out to the runway for subsequent takeoff.<sup>86</sup> The fourth mode is takeoff, in which the aircraft attains liftoff speed and becomes airborne. The fifth mode is termed the climbout, and represents the aircraft's accent to cruising altitude. Most aircraft go through a similar sequence during an LTO cycle.

During each operation mode the aircraft engines operate at a fairly standard power setting for a given aircraft category. The power setting results in a certain rate of fuel flow (expressed in pounds per minute) for the operating mode. Total emissions from the aircraft engine are thus determined by the amount of time that an aircraft engine spends in each operation mode (termed the "Time-in Mode"), the fuel consumption rate, and the engine-specific emission factors for each operating mode, expressed in pounds of emissions per 1,000 pounds of fuel consumed.

The EPA aircraft emission factors and inventory preparation procedures are site-specific; they are highly dependent on local airport and aircraft population data. Generally, the emissions inventory is prepared using the following steps: (1) identify airports to be included in the inventory area, (2) determine the mixing height<sup>87</sup> to be applied to the LTO cycle (a standard default value of 3,000 feet is assumed), (3) define the aircraft fleet population for each aircraft category across all airports, (4) determine the number of LTOs for each aircraft category, (5) select emission factors for each aircraft category, and (7) calculate an inventory based on the airport activity, time-in-mode, and emission factors.

#### EPA Aircraft Categorization

The EPA categorizes aircraft by the type of use: commercial, general aviation, and military. Commercial aircraft include those used for scheduled service transporting passengers, freight, or both. Air taxis also fly scheduled service carrying passengers and/or freight, but usually are smaller aircraft and operate on a more limited basis than the commercial carriers. Business aircraft support

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>86</sup> Both Taxi/idle operating modes are highly variable, and depend on such factors as airport size and layout, the amount of ground congestion, airport-specific operational procedures, time of day, and seasonal travel activity.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>87</sup> The height of the mixing zone — that portion of the atmosphere where aircraft emissions affect ground level pollutant concentrations — influences the time-in-mode for approach and climbout operation modes, and is particularly significant when calculating  $NO_x$  emissions.

business travel, usually on an unscheduled basis, and general aviation includes most other nonmilitary aircraft used for recreational flying, personal transportation, and various other activities.

The EPA combines business aircraft with general aviation aircraft because of their similar size, use frequency, and operating profiles. Similarly, air taxis are treated much like the general aviation category because they are typically the same types of aircraft. Military aircraft cover a wide range of sizes, uses, and operating missions. While they often are similar to civil aircraft, they are handled separately because they typically operate exclusively out of military air bases and frequently have distinctive flight profiles. Helicopters, or rotary wing aircraft, can be found in each of the categories. Their operation is distinct because they do not always operate from an airport but may land and takeoff from a heliport at a hospital, police station, or similarly dispersed location. Military rotorcraft are included in the military category and non-military rotorcraft are included in the general aviation on size and number are usually found in common sources. However, they are combined into a single group for calculating emissions since their flight profiles are similar.

Commercial aircraft typically are the largest source of aircraft emissions. Although they make up less than half of all aircraft in operation around a metropolitan area, their emissions usually represent a large fraction of the total because of their size and operating frequency. This would not hold true for a city with a disproportionate amount of military activity, or a city with no major civil airports.

#### Aircraft Emissions Characteristics

The EPA views HC, CO,  $NO_x$ ,  $SO_2$ , and  $PM_{10}$  as the significant aircraft pollutants. However, only HC emissions and smoke production are currently regulated.<sup>88</sup> For a single LTO cycle, aircraft emissions vary considerably depending on the category of aircraft and the aircraft's flight profile. Emission rates for HC and CO are high during the taxi/idle phases when aircraft engines are at low power and operate at suboptimum efficiency. The emission rates fall as the aircraft moves into the higher power operating modes of the LTO cycle. Conversely,  $NO_x$  emissions are low when engine power and combustion temperature are low, but increase as the power level is increased and combustion temperature rises. Therefore the takeoff and climbout modes have the highest  $NO_x$  emission rates.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>88</sup> EPA established standards for aircraft HC emissions in 1984, which included the establishment of standard procedures for engine certification and emissions testing. The standard applies to jet engines with an engine thrust of over 6,000 pounds. The EPA reports that many older in-service engines exceed the standards. New engine designs produced since the standards went into effect have HC emissions lower than the standards, but the design changes made to reduce the HC emissions resulted in small increases in NO<sub>x</sub> emissions.

Sulfur dioxide emission rates are highest during the takeoff and climbout operation modes when fuel consumption rates are high. Sulfur emissions typically are not measured when aircraft engines are tested. Therefore, the EPA uses a default emission factor of 0.54 pounds  $SO_2$  per 1,000 pounds of fuel for all engine types. (EPA assumes that all sulfur in the fuel combines with oxygen during combustion to form  $SO_2$ . Nationally, the sulfur content of fuel remains fairly constant from year to year at about 0.05% by weight for commercial jet fuel, 0.025% by weight for military fuel, and 0.006% by weight for aviation gasoline. These national sulfur content figures are used by the EPA for estimating the  $SO_2$  default emission factors.

Particulate emission characteristics are similar to that of HC and CO in that emission rates are higher at low power rates than at high power rates because of greater combustion efficiency at a higher engine power. However, particulate emissions are highest during takeoff and climbout due to the greater fuel flow rate. The EPA does not report emission factors for particulates except for a small number of engine models, citing the difficulty in estimating PM emissions.<sup>89</sup> Direct measurement of particulate emissions from aircraft engines typically are not available from manufacturers, although emission of visible smoke is reported as part of the engine certification procedure.<sup>90</sup> The inventory preparation procedure document reports emission factors for only one civil aircraft engine model. This engine model is used in a number of European-built aircraft, and is not representative of the total aircraft fleet.

### DAC Methodology for Calculating Aircraft Emission Factors

As mentioned above, the EPA aircraft emission factors are reported for individual engine models (currently 88 civil aircraft engines and 54 military engines) by LTO operation mode. Consequently, the emission factors apply to activity levels measured in full LTO cycles, not fuel consumption as specified in the TSCDR. DAC developed a methodology for converting the EPA operating-mode emission factors into a fleet average emission factor based on total gallons of fuel consumed. The data used to construct the fuel-based emission factors are presented in Appendix E.EM.C.

The first step of the conversion methodology involves the derivation of fleet-average time-in-mode figures. The EPA reports default TIM values in minutes for each civil and military aircraft

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>89</sup> Procedures for Emission Inventory Preparation, Vol IV, page 149.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>90</sup> <u>Ibid</u>., p. 149.

category. Since commercial aircraft accounted for 93.6 percent of civil aircraft energy consumption in 1989, the TIM values for jumbo, long, and medium range jet commercial carriers were used as proxies for the entire civil aircraft population.<sup>91</sup> These TIM figures are as follows: Takeoff - 0.7 minutes, Climbout - 2.2 minutes, Approach - 4.0 minutes, Taxi/Idle - 26.0 minutes. Military aircraft TIM's are highly variable. Therefore, the arithmetic averages of TIMs for combat, trainer, and transport aircraft were used as proxies for the fleet TIMs. Helicopter TIMs were excluded from the calculations due to LTO incompatibility with the other aircraft categories.

The second step of the conversion methodology is to determine the fuel use for each operating mode using the EPA's fuel flow data, and to construct fuel consumption shares. The LTO time-in-mode amounts (in minutes) were multiplied by the fuel flow amounts (in pounds per minute) to obtain fuel consumption in pounds for each operating mode. The modal fuel consumption figures were then divided by total LTO fuel consumption to derive the fuel consumption shares (see Appendix E.EM.C, pages E.EM.C-3 and E.EM.C-6).

The third step is to calculate average emission factors by pollutant type for the population of engine models reported by the EPA. Separate samples of 46 civil and 15 military aircraft engine models were created from the EPA's list.<sup>92</sup> The selection was based on reported engine market shares for each aircraft model, with aircraft models chosen based on a proportional representation of the commercial, general and military aircraft categories. The sample engine-model emission factors were aggregated by calculating the arithmetic average of reported pollutant emission factors.<sup>93</sup> (see Appendix E.EM.C, pages E.EM.C-1, E.EM.C-2, E.EM.C-4, and E.EM.C-5). Since the SO<sub>2</sub> emission factor is the same for each operation mode, this methodology is not applicable for SO<sub>2</sub> emission rate estimation.

The fourth step is to calculate the weighted fleet-average emission factors for HC, CO, and  $NO_x$  by multiplying the aggregated engine sample emission factors by the fuel consumption shares calculated in step 2. Two further calculations are necessary to produce emission factors that correspond to TSCDR specifications. First, the emission factors must be converted into gallons-of-fuel equivalents. A conversion factor of 6.2 pounds per gallon was used. Second, the total HC emission factors must be adjusted to produce volatile organic compound (VOC) emission factors. The following EPA adjustment factors, applicable to turbine engines, were used:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>91</sup> Aircraft Btu energy consumption figures come from Oak Ridge National Laboratory, *Transportation Energy Data Book, Edition 12*, ORNL-6710 (Oak Ridge, Tennessee, March 1992).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>92</sup> Procedures for Emission Inventory Preparation, Table 5-4, "Commercial Aircraft types and Engine Models," and Table 5-6, "Military Aircraft types and Engine Models."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>93</sup> <u>Ibid.</u>, Table 5-4, "Modal Emission Rates."

$$VOC_{COMMERCIAL} = THC_{COMMERCIAL} \times 1.0947$$
  
 $VOC_{MILITARY} = THC_{MILITARY} \times 1.1046$ 

Table F-85 presents the aircraft emissions factors for HC, VOC, CO, NO<sub>x</sub>, and SO<sub>2</sub>.<sup>94</sup>

	Emission Factors (lbs./1000 gal. of fuel)			
Pollutant	Commercial Aircraft	Military Aircraft		
НС	37.82	75.54		
VOC	41.40	83.44		
СО	101.97	330.17		
NO <sub>x</sub>	79.04	58.15		
SO <sub>2</sub>	3.35	3.35		

Table F-85. Aircraft Emission Factors

#### Look-Ahead Issues Concerning Aircraft Emission Factors

Among the factors expected to influence aircraft emission rates in a forecasting context are the following:

- new aircraft engine designs,
- airport noise regulations,
- an increase in airport congestion problems

Aircraft with cleaner and more energy-efficient engine designs are expected to continue to slowly penetrate the world aircraft fleet population. Since there is a significant engineering and development leadtime for producing new aircraft engines, most of the commercial aircraft to be added to the fleet in the next five to seven years will be powered by engines currently monitored by the EPA.<sup>95</sup> Given the 12-year average service life for commercial aircraft engines, the newer

Notes: Commercial and military VOC emission factors calculated by multiplying Appendix E.EM.C HC values by 1.0947 and 1.1046, respectively.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>94</sup> Source: Appendix E.EM.C, page E.EM.C-3;

SO<sub>2</sub> emission factors calculated by dividing the EPA standard value of 0.54 pounds per 1,000 gallons by 6.2.

generation of aircraft engines are not expected to make a significant impact on national emission levels until 2010. However, a possible catalyst for an increased rate of new aircraft engine market penetration is the recent enactment of national airport noise regulations, which require the phase-out of loud aircraft by 2000. Airlines are expected to upgrade their fleets with quieter and cleaner engines once the industry formulates compliance plans. The extent of the emission rate impact of such fleet upgrading is unknown at this time.

Acting as a counterweight on the downward pressure on emission rates caused by stock turnover and new regulations is the growth in air travel combined with limited excess capacity at many airports. Air travel has experienced strong growth over the past several years, and this growth is expected to continue for the foreseeable future. The primary capacity squeeze will be felt at small feeder airports and regional hubs. Increased congestion at capacity-constrained airports will increase taxi/idle times, resulting in increased emissions per LTO.

Given these offsetting impacts on aircraft emissions, the emission factors listed in Table F-85 should be satisfactory for estimating future aircraft emission levels.

### Waterborne Vessel Emission Factors

### **Commercial Vessels**

Table F-87 provides the EPA emission factors for domestic commercial motorships. These emission factors are reported in the AP-42 document. The emission factors are based on Army Corps of Engineers waterway classification categories, which are defined as follows:

- **River** All waterborne traffic between ports or landings wherein the entire movement takes place on inland waterways.
- **Great Lakes** All waterborne traffic between United States ports on the Great Lakes.
- **Coastal** All domestic traffic receiving a carriage over the ocean or between the Great Lakes ports and seacoast ports when having a carriage over the ocean.

To derived an average emission factor for all three waterway category vessels, a weighted-average methodology was applied whereby shipment tonnage and average length-of-haul data from the

Army Corps of Engineers were used to construct emission factor weights.<sup>96</sup> Table F-87 provides more details on the weighting methodology.

The EPA *Nonroad Engine and Vehicle Emission Study Report* provides emission factors for two additional vessel categories: ocean-going steamships and harbor/fishing vessels.<sup>97</sup> These emission factors are based on engine sizes and operating mode (hoteling, cruise, and full power), and are not compatible with the emission factors provided in Table F-89. Because of the small emissions contribution of these vessels to the overall waterborne vessel total, they are not included in the composite waterborne vessel emission factors. For reference purposes, Appendix E.EM.D provides the ocean-going and harbor/fishing vessel emission factor tables from the Nonroad Engine and Vehicle report.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>96</sup> U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, *Waterborne Commerce of the United States, Calendar Year 1989* (Waterborne Statistics Center, New Orleans, LA, 1991), Part 5: National Summaries, pp. 32, 93.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>97</sup> These emission factors were compiled and provided to the EPA in a Booz Allen & Hamilton report, Commercial Marine Vessel Contributions to Emission Inventories (Los Angeles, CA, October 7, 1991). National Energy Modeling System

	Waterway Class			
Pollutant	River	Great Lakes	Coastal	Weighted Average <sup>*</sup>
НС	50	59	50	51
СО	100	110	110	107
NO <sub>x</sub>	280	260	270	273
SO <sub>2</sub>	27	27	27	27

Table F-86. Commercial Vessel Emission Factors<sup>98</sup> (Pounds per 1,000 gallons of fuel)

\* Average emission factors calculated by multiplying pollutant emission factors for each waterway class by shipment mileage weights and then summing the weighted emission factor values. The shipment weights are as follows: River -0.34, Great Lakes -0.07, Coastal -0.59. Shipment mileage weights were derived by multiplying tons shipped by the average length-of-haul per ton shipped for each waterway class.

#### **Recreational Vessels**

Table F-87 provides HC, CO, and  $NO_x$  emission factors for recreational marine vessels. These emission factors come from the EPA *Nonroad Engine and Vehicle Emission Study Report*. The EPA classifies and reports emission factors for the following vehicle/engine types:

- vessels with inboard engines (4-stroke)
- vessels with outboard engines (2-stroke)
- vessels with sterndrive engines (4-stroke)
- sailboats with auxiliary outboard engines (diesel)
- sailboats with auxiliary inboard engines (diesel)

When the AP-42 document was compiled, emission testing data was not available for recreational marine vessels. The EPA used coast guard diesel engine and automotive engine emission data to compute in-board emission factors based on the duty-cycle for engines classified as large out-boards. Out-board emission factors were derived from data supplied to the EPA by the Southwest Research Institute.

For the Nonroad Engine and Vehicle report, outboard engine emission factors were derived from

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>98</sup> U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, *Compilation of Air Pollutant Emission Factors, Volume II: Mobile Sources*, AP-42, PB-87-205266 (EPA Office of Mobile Sources, September 1985), Part II, Off-Highway Mobile Sources, Table II-3.1.

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, *Waterborne Commerce of the United States, Calendar Year 1989* (Waterborne Statistics Center, New Orleans, LA, 1991), Part 5: National Summaries, pp. 32, 93.

test data supplied to EPA by the National Marine Manufacturers Association, which tested 25 twostroke and three four-stroke outboard engines. For four-stroke outboards, emission factors recommended by the Southwest Research Institute were used for particulate matter emissions.<sup>99</sup> Since no data were available for 2-stroke outboard engine particulate matter emissions, EPA used emission factors from the CARB Technical Support Document for utility and lawn/garden equipment as approximations. For inboard/sterndrive gasoline engines, the EPA derived emission factors on the basis of test data on three 4-stroke gasoline marine inboard/sterndrive engines supplied by NMMA. The particulate emission factor used was 1.64 pounds per 1,000 gallons of fuel. The EPA used NMMA test data for a small diesel sailboat inboard and three large diesel inboard engines as the basis for calculating emission factors for inboard diesel engines.

As with the commercial marine vessels, vessel/engine-type emission factors must be weighted according to an activity or population level indicator and summed to obtain an average emission factor for the total recreational marine vessel population. Engine population data for each vessel/engine-type class was used to construct the weights. Boat population figures were gathered from local boat registration data bases, and were subsequently adjusted to obtain engine population estimates. Energy and Environmental Analysis developed the engine number derivation methodology for the EPA.

	Vessel/Engine Type				
Pollutant	Outboard/Outboard/Sterndrive/Sailboard/2-Stroke4-Stroke4-StrokeDiesel Aux.				Weighted Average <sup>*</sup>
НС	1610	190	160	50	1233
СО	2990	3130	2680	80	2884
NO <sub>x</sub>	20	150	100	380	44

Table F-87. Recreational Marine Vessel Emission Factors<sup>100</sup> (Pounds per 1,000 gallons of fuel)

\* Weights for each vessel/engine-type category were constructed from the following engine population figures: Outboard/2-Stroke - 8,204,304, Outboard/4-Stroke - 41,228, Sterndrive/4-Stroke - 2,713,420, Sailboat/Diesel-Aux. - 114,502.

# Table F-88. Ocean-Going Commercial Vessel Emission Factors

OPERATING PLANT	POLLUTANT
<b>Operating Mode/Rated Output</b>	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>99</sup> U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, *Designation of Areas for Air Quality Planning Purposes*, 40 CFR Part 81, Final Rule, Washington, D.C., Office of Air and Radiation, November 6, 1991.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>100</sup> U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, *Nonroad Engine and Vehicle Emission Study – Report*, EPA 460/3-91-02 (EPA Office of Mobile Sources, November 1991), Table 2-03, Appendix I, Table I-11.
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	NO <sub>x</sub>	НС	СО	SO <sub>x</sub>	PM
STEAM PROPULSION					
Full Power	63.6	1.72	7.27	159x(%S)	56.5
Maneuver/Cruise	55.8	0.682	3.45	159x(%S)	20
Hotelling					
- Burning residual bunker fuel	36.4	3.2	*	159x(%S)	10
- Burning distillate oil	22.2	3	4	142x(%S)	15
MOTOR PROPULSION					
All underway operating modes	550	24	61	157x(%S)	33
AUXILLARY DIESEL GENERATORS					
- 20 KW (50% Load)	477	144	53.4	27	17
- 40 KW (50% Load)	226	285	67.6	27	17
- 200 KW (50% Load)	140	17.8	62.3	27	17
- 500 KW (50% Load)	293	81.9	48.1	27	17

Notes:

1) Emissions factors showing an asterisk (\*) are considered negligible for these operating modes.

2) Average sulfur concentrations used are 0.8 percent for marine diesel, and 2.0 percent for bunker fuel oil.

Sources:

- 1) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. Compilation of Air Pollutant Emission Factors, 1985.
- 2) U.S. Department of Transportation, Port Vessel Emissions Model, 1986.
- California Air Resources Board, Report to the California Legislature on Air pollutant Emissions from Marine Vessels.

OPERATING PLANT	POLLUTANT				
Operating Mode/Rated Output	NO <sub>x</sub>	нс	СО	SO <sub>x</sub>	PM
DIESEL ENGINES	Poun	ds per Tho	usand Gallo	ns of Fuel Const	umed
< 500 Horsepower					
Full Cruise Slow	275.1 389.3 337.5	21 51.1 56.7	58.5 47.3 59	157x(%S) 157x(%S) 157x(%S)	17 17 17
500 - 1000 Horsepower Full Cruise Slow	300 300 167.2	24 17.1 16.8	61 80.9 62.2	157x(%S) 157x(%S) 157x(%S)	17 17 17
1000 - 1500 Horsepower Full Cruise Slow	300 300 300	24 24 24	61 61 61	157x(%S) 157x(%S) 157x(%S)	17 17 17
1500 - 2000 Horsepower Full Cruise Slow	472 623.1 371.3	16.8 24 24	237.7 44.6 122.4	157x(%S) 157x(%S) 157x(%S)	17 17 17
2000+ Horsepower Full Cruise Slow	399.6 391.7 419.6	21.3 16.8 22.6	95.9 78.3 59.8	157x(%S) 157x(%S) 157x(%S)	17 17 17
GASOLINE ENGINES	Grams per Brake Horsepower Hour				
Exhaust Emissions - All HP Ratings	5.16	6.68	199	0.268	0.327
Evaporative Emissions		62.0	Grams/H	r	
Crankcase Blowby		38.3	Grams/H	r	

### Table F-89. Harbor and Fishing Vessel Emission Factors

Notes:

Sources:

1) Average sulfur concentration for marine diesel fuel = 0.8 percent.

1) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. Compilation of Air Pollutant Emission Factors, 1985.

2) U.S. Department of Transportation, Port Vessel Emissions Model, 1986.

3) California Air Resources Board, Report to the California Legislature on Air pollutant Emissions from Marine Vessels.

#### Attachment 8: LDV Stock Model

Fuel Economy, Vehicle Choice, and Changing Demographics

This attachment documents the methodology used to forecast the light truck (e.g. pickup trucks, sport utility vehicles) share of total light duty vehicle sales in the NEMS Transportation model. Given the marked difference in fuel economy standards for cars and light trucks this share directly affects both the forecast level of oil consumption and the level of carbon emissions. More generally, the presentation highlights the importance of considering structural shifts in developing long-term energy forecasts.

#### Background

Short-term (one to two years) forecasts assume that past trends in energy use and past relationships between economic and demographic factors and energy use will continue in the near term. They implicitly assume that structural changes are relatively unimportant as a cause of forecast error compared to errors introduced by uncertainty in estimates of forecasts of variables such as economic growth and energy prices. Those who tinker with long-term energy forecasts don't have this luxury. Certain physical assumptions may be accepted without further consideration (e.g. first law of thermodynamics, heating-degree days in a "normal" year in Southwest Census region). However, the longer the time horizon of the forecast is the more important it is to scrutinize assumptions that remain implicit in short-term forecasting. For example, to develop short-term forecasts of electricity use in buildings it isn't necessary to disaggregate this use by type and efficiency of equipment; it is reasonable to assume that changes in these factors are not an important source of uncertainty. This same assumption would be entirely inappropriate in a methodology used to forecast long-term building sector electricity use. The Energy Information Administration's Annual Energy Outlook 1996 provides energy forecasts through 2015. Within this time frame most of the electricity-using equipment now in buildings will be replaced and even the currently known menu of replacement choices vary considerably in energy efficiency.

This attachment scrutinizes a single variable in the NEMS Transportation model--the share of light trucks relative to total light-duty vehicle annual sales. It compares estimates of the light truck sales share based on extrapolating past trends to an approach that makes explicit assumptions concerning the impact future demographic changes will have on vehicle choice decisions. We know with a fair degree of certainty that as the generation of "baby boomers" reach age 55, the share of the population under the age of 55 will decrease sharply from the share maintained for many decades. We also know the age distribution of current truck purchasers. The methodology described provides forecasts of the light truck share based on knowledge of an aging population. The methodology does not address the question raised in the subtitle of this paper. To the extent that the population **National Energy Modeling System** 

over age 55 in 2015 behave differently from the current over 55 population in terms of their vehicle purchases, the forecasts either under or over estimate the level of new light truck sales.

### Methodology

Information on the characteristics of light truck buyers were obtained from the *1989 Buyers of New Compact Trucks, Summary Report*, published by Newsweek. Light trucks are divided into two types, pickup and sport utility.

	Die F-90. Truck Duyer Characteristics			
	Pickup	Sport Utility		
Total	53%	47%		
Male	88%	73%		
Female	12%	27%		
<19	3%	1%		
20-24	13%	7%		
25-29	13%	15%		
30-34	11%	15%		
35-39	13%	17%		
40-44	12%	16%		
45-49	9%	11%		
50-54	7%	8%		
55-59	6%	5%		
60-64	5%	3%		
>65	8%	2%		

 Table F-90:
 Truck Buyer Characteristics

The first step in the methodology used was to aggregate the data across the type of truck, in order to determine a combined age and sex distribution among truck purchasers.

Let:  $P_{Type}$  = the percentage of total light truck purchases of a given type.  $P_{Sex,Type}$  = the percentage of each type purchased by a given sex.  $P_{Age,Type}$  = the percentage of each type purchased by a given age group.

Then, aggregating across truck types:

$$P_{Sex,Age} = \sum_{Type} P_{Type} \cdot P_{Sex,Type} \cdot P_{Age,Type}$$

as displayed below. A summation across sex within each age group provides the age distribution of light truck purchasers, depicted in the chart below, and in Figure F-24.

Overall LDT Purchases				
Age Group	Male	Female	Total	Cumulative
<19	1.7%	0.3%	2.1%	2.1%
20-24	8.5%	1.7%	10.2%	12.2%
25-29	11.2%	2.7%	13.9%	26.2%
30-34	10.3%	2.6%	12.9%	39.1%
35-39	11.9%	3.0%	14.9%	53.9%
40-44	11.1%	2.8%	13.9%	67.8%
45-49	8.0%	2.0%	9.9%	77.8%
50-54	6.0%	1.5%	7.5%	85.2%
55-59	4.5%	1.0%	5.5%	90.8%
60-64	3.4%	0.7%	4.1%	94.8%
>65	4.4%	0.8%	5.2%	100.0%
Total	81.0%	19.1%	100.0%	

Table F-91: Light Duty Vehicle Purchases by Age and Sex, 1989

Looking at the cumulative percentages (Figure F-25), approximately 85 percent of all light truck purchases are made by people under 55 years old. Of this group approximately 81 percent are men and 19 percent are women (Table F-91). The historical and projected proportion of the population under 55 years is subsequently graphed in Figure F-26.

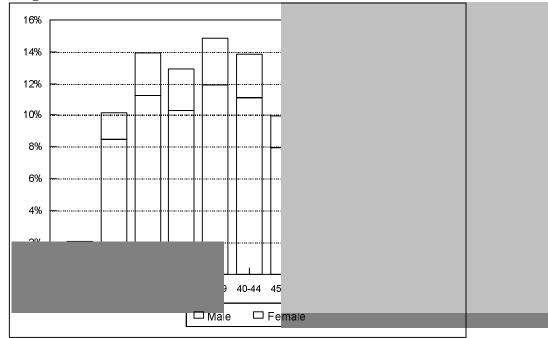
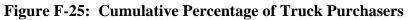
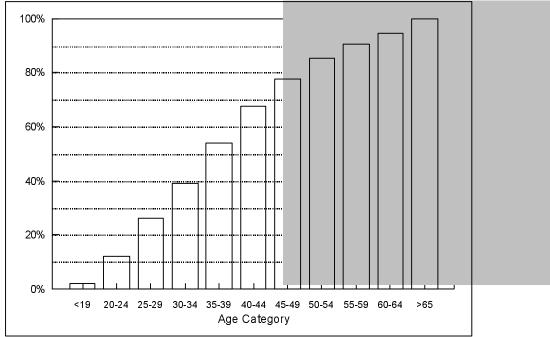


Figure F-24: Age Distribution of Truck Purchasers





A weighted average of the share of the driving age population under 55 years is used as a proxy to measure the demographic impact of an aging population on future truck purchase trends. Note the methodology developed here assumes that people over age 55 will continue to represent only about 15 percent of the light truck purchasing market (Table F-91). Given this assumption, as the proportion of the population under age 55 falls after 2000 (Figure F-26), truck sales will as a proportion of light-duty vehicle sales will stabilize (Figure F-28). In 2015, the unadjusted light truck

market share is 49 percent compared to a population-adjusted share of 43 percent.

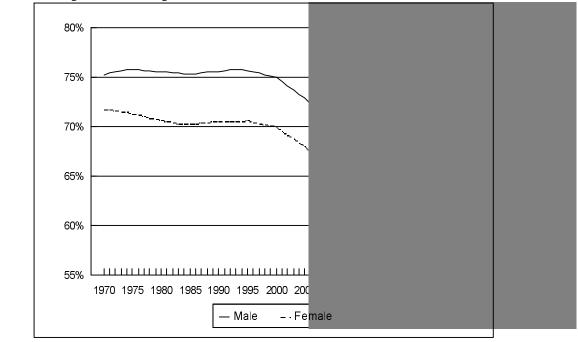


Figure F-26: Proportion of Population Under 55 Years

The specific methodology used in *AEO96* to develop a demographic index to dampen future truck sales is detailed below. It is certainly not the only index that could have been developed, however, under the assumption that "Grandma will not choose to drive a pick up truck" any approach would dampen light truck sales beyond 2000.

#### Weighted Population Index

Since the cumulative total (Table F-91) indicates that people under the age of 55 are responsible for 85 percent of all light truck purchases, declines in this share of the population is used as a moderating influence relative to a trend based estimate of light truck sales based on extrapolating recent history. The population index is weighted by the male/female distribution (Table F-91) of truck buyers, as follows:

Let 
$$P_{\text{Sex, Age}}$$
 = the fraction of all LDT buyers of a given sex and age group  
 $\Pi_{\text{Sex, Age<55, T}}$  = the percentage of the population under the age of 55, by sex, in year T

The weighted share of the population under the age of 55 is then:

$$P < 55_T = \sum_{Sex} \left[ \prod_{Sex, Age < 55, T} \cdot \left( \sum_{Age} P_{Sex, Age} \right) \right]$$

This share is subsequently indexed (1990 = 1.0). Index values are included in the data provided with this paper. The effect of the aging of the "baby boomers" is dramatic (Figure F-27). The aging population has nearly a 15 percent dampening effect on new truck sales relative to a straightforward extrapolation estimate based on recent trends.

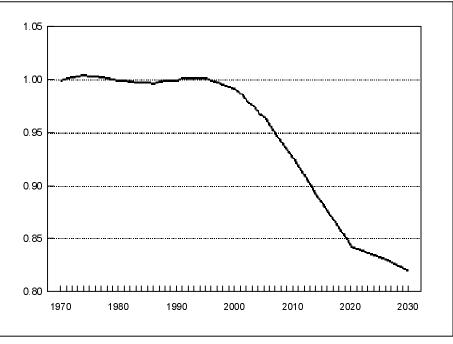


Figure F-27: Weighted Population Index

#### **Extrapolation of Recent Trends**

The unadjusted share of total LDV purchases accounted for by trucks is extrapolated using the 1982 and 1992 values as anchor points, and an assumed maximum value. The functional form of the curve is as follows:

$$LTS_{T} = LTS_{1982} + (LTS_{Max} - LTS_{1982}) \cdot (1 - \exp^{-k(T - 1982T_{0})})$$

where LTS indicates the Light Truck Share of total LDV sales (referred to in the model code by the variable name CARLTSHR), and the constant, k, is determined as follows:

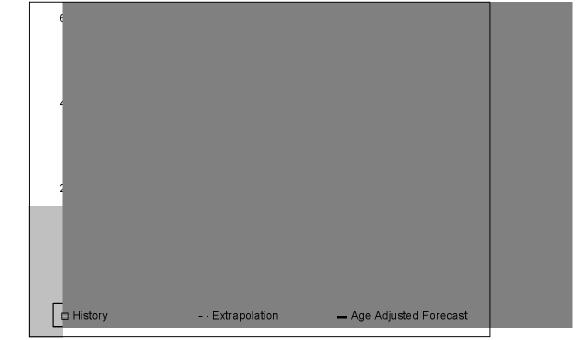
$$k = \frac{-Ln \left[1 - \frac{(LTS_{1992} - LTS_{1982})}{(LTS_{Max} - LTS_{1982})}\right]}{10}$$

Using the data in the table below, k is calculated and the curve is explicitly defined.

Extrapolation Inputs		
LTS <sub>1982</sub>	0.230	
LTS <sub>1992</sub>	0.353	
LTS <sub>Max</sub>	0.550	
k	0.049	

The value of k was chosen so that the truck market share of light duty vehicles in 2015 is comparable to the share projected in a recent report.

Figure F-28: Forecasts of Truck Sales Shares



For any forecast year, the population-adjusted estimate is calculated simply by multiplying the extrapolated estimates by the demographic index described above.

#### **Fuel Price Adjustments**

The following section describes the fuel price methodology used to adjust the light truck sales share estimate detailed in the previous section based on demographics. Because the light truck sales proportion of light-duty sales was exogenously determined offline and was originally based only on demographics, the light truck sales share was altered to reflect situations where high fuel prices would provide incentive for consumers to switch back from light trucks toward cars. It was assumed that the light truck sales share at the very most would decline by a 8% sales share relative to the original light truck sales share estimated by demographics. When fuel prices exceed

\$8.00/mmbtu up to \$14.90/mmbtu, the light truck share will fall by 8% below it's original value or 38% light truck sales share. The 38% light truck sales share corresponds to the 1993 sales level. The highest historical level of light trucks before the light truck sales trend escalated in 1990 was approximately 32% in 1989. Hypothetically, the light truck sales share could fall to pre-1990 levels of 32%, but this was deemed to be unlikely because manufacturers currently have dropped most of their station wagons built off of sedan carlines thereby limiting the potential to fall to pre-1990 levels. All fuel prices between \$8.00/mmbtu and \$14.90/mmbtu require scaling the total 8% sales share adjustment to that proportion of the difference between \$8.00/mmbtu and \$14.90/mmbtu (or \$6.90/mmbtu). The following equation was used:

#### CARLTSHRCS = CARLTSHR-(LTDIFF\*SCALER)

where:

# $SCALER = \frac{(TPMGTR - TPMGLO)}{(TPMGHI - TPMGLO)}$

where:

CARLTSHRCS =	Adjusted car and light truck sales share for high fuel prices
CARLTSHR =	Car and light truck sales share based on demographics
LTDIFF =	Total sales share decline
SCALER =	Proportion of total fuel price rise relative to highest fuel price
	when full value of LTDIFF is applied
TPMGTR =	Current gasoline price
TPMGLO=	Lowest fuel price at which adjustments will be applied
TPMGHI=	Fuel price at which total LTDIFF adjustments will be applied