

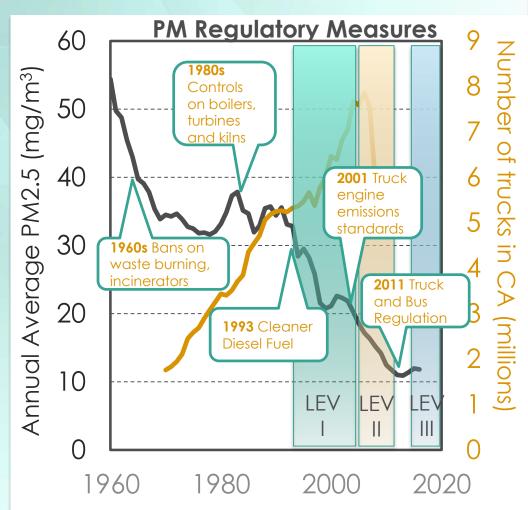
# Brake-wear PM Research for California Emission Inventory

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#### **CARB Goals**

- Protect the public from the harmful effects of air pollution
  - Regulatory measures
  - Enforcement
  - Setting standards
  - Monitoring
  - State Implementation Plan (SIP)





#### **CARB Goals**

3.5

3.0

2.5

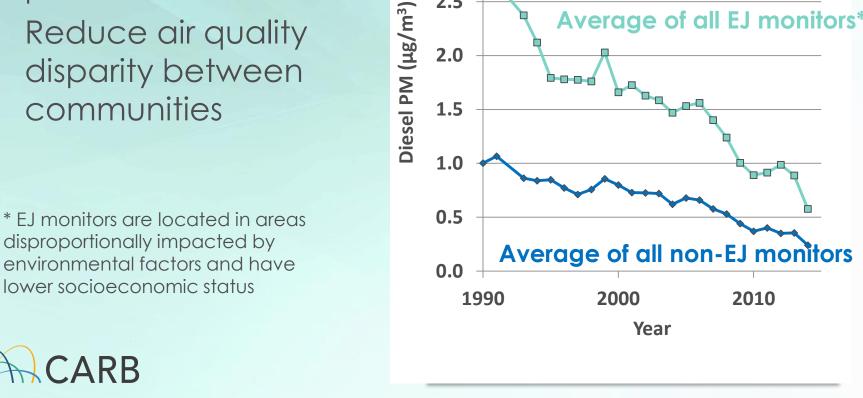
Estimated Diesel PM from EJ and

non-EJ monitoring sites

Average of all EJ monitors\*

- Reduce exposure in communities most impacted by air pollution
- Reduce air quality disparity between communities

disproportionally impacted by environmental factors and have lower socioeconomic status

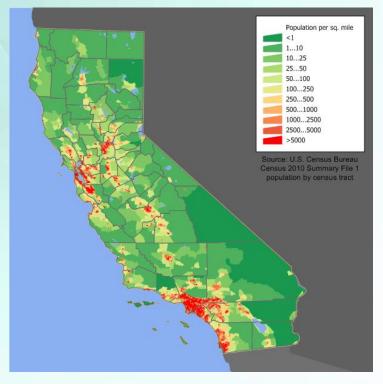




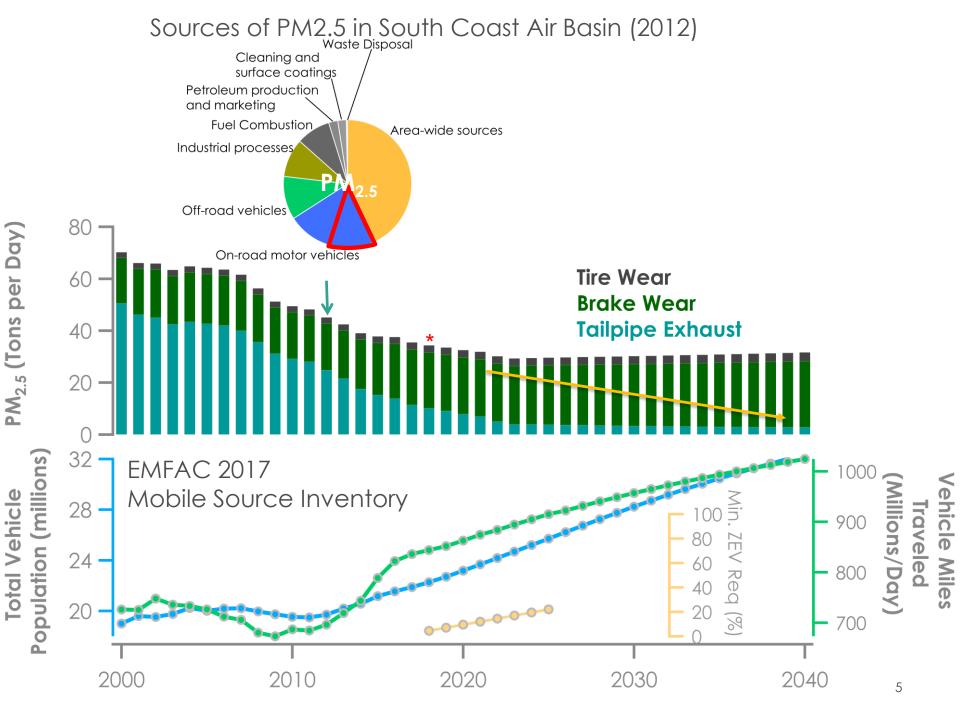
#### Sources of PM2.5 in South Coast Air Basin (2012) Waste Disposal











#### **Inventory Basics: Brake Wear**

PM emitted per braking event from laboratory measurements

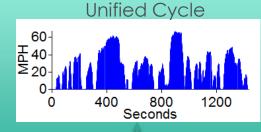
Cycle Averaged PM EF

X Airborne Factor

Heavy Duty Urban
Dynamometer Driving

Cycle
200 400 800
Seconds

# of braking events per mile



# of brakes per vehicle







Miles driven per day



VMT

Vehicle Population





Tons/Day

Emissions

in

#### Source Data

- EMFAC 2007 and earlier: 1983 data
- EMFAC 2011 and later: 2000/2003 data
- NOTE! data source studies not designed specifically to meet EMFAC needs (cycle based)

| Reference                       | Garg, et al. 2000                                 | Sanders, et al. 2002 & 2003                         |
|---------------------------------|---|---|
| Number of individual brake pads | 7 (Top GM models, >80% of marketshare)            | 3 (LM-mid size, SM-truck, NOA-full size)            |
| Number of individual tests      | 21 (varied brake id's and temperatures)           | 11 (3-4 UDP tests for 3 types of pads: LM, SM, NAO) |
| Cycles/Total Brake<br>Events    | BSL-035 (100, 200, 300, 400 °C) 50→0 km/hr, 0.3 g | UDP (24 brake events, 0.6-1.6 m/s²)                 |
| Method                          | Enclosed brake dyno                               | Enclosed brake dyno                                 |



#### Source Data Adaptation

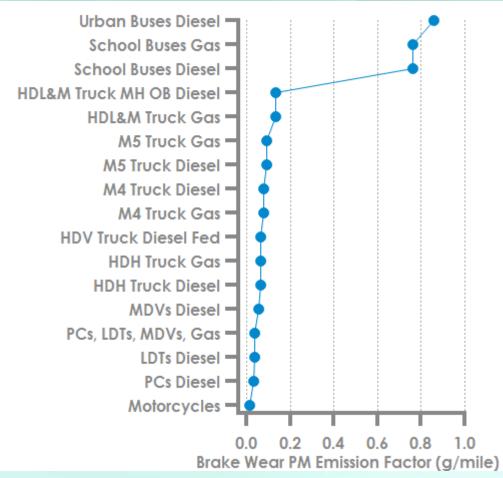
 Data was extrapolated to cover all technology groups and standard drive cycles

| Vehicle Type            | Braking Cycle    | Braking Frequency<br>(Apps/mile) |
|-------------------------|------------------|----------------------------------|
| Passenger Cars and SUVs | UC               | 4                                |
| Medium-HD Trucks        | ARB-MHD          | 5                                |
| Heavy-HD Trucks         | ARB-HD           | 1.2                              |
| Urban Transit Buses     | OCTA             | 8.2                              |
| School Buses            | MHD-LS Transient | 14                               |

 Wheel load dependence extrapolated from available data (linear fits)



## Brake Wear PM Emission Factor Summary

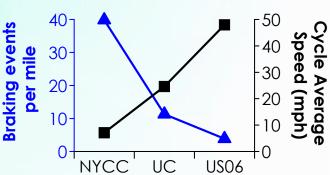


- HDVs have high EFs
  - More brakes, different cycle
- Buses have high EFs
  - Many stops in typical cycle
- Not speed dependent



## Priorities for new emission factor development

- Use CA relevant vehicles and brake components
- LDVs, MDVs, HDVs
- Identify speed dependent braking cycle reflecting CA behavior
- Identify cycles for LDVs, MDVs and HDVs
- Use methods being adopted by JRC (Enclosed brake dynamometer)
- Maintain realistic temperatures
- Develop method to simulate regenerative braking





#### **Proposed Work**

LDVs



Market Share Analysis

6-7 vehicle choices

activity date

Final drive cycles, real temperatures





**HDVs** 



Validated
enclosed dyno
and PM sampling
systems

On-

road

testing

~90 tests



Vehicle N:

Front brake pads
Rear brake pads/drums
Popular aftermarket pads
Loaded/unloaded
Replicates

Market Share Analysis 4-5 vehicle choices

Onroad testing Final drive cycles, real temperatures

enclosed dyno and PM sampling systems

~40 tests









### New project will capture larger market, materials and conditions

|                                 | Previous Source Data                  | Current Project   |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|
| Vehicles represented            | 6 (LDA)<br>4 (LDT)                    | <ul><li>3 (LDA)</li><li>2 (LDT)</li><li>2-3 (LDA-regen capable)</li><li>4 (HDV)</li></ul> |
| Number of individual brake pads | 10 (LDV)                              | 24 (LDV)<br>12 (HDV, tractor and trailer)   |
| Number of tests                 | 32                                    | 130   |
| Cycles/Total<br>Brake Events    | UDP, BSL-035/~285                     | TBD/1000's to 10,000's  |
| Test Conditions                 | Discretized temperatures, brake force | Continuous distribution, focused on realistic conditions                                  |
| Method                          | Enclosed brake dyno                   | Commonly accepted enclosed brake dyno (TF2)   |



#### Results will include...

- Updated emission factors
  - Cycle based Speed dependent
  - Regenerative braking effects
  - Effects of load, vehicle type, pad type
- On different time scales, explore various effects on mass, PN, PM size:

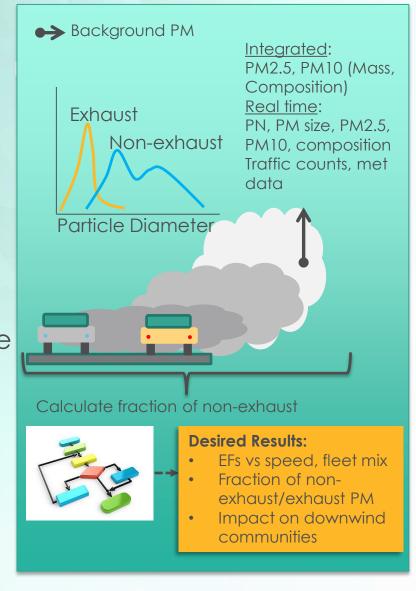
| Cycle Averaged   | Micro-trip Averaged                  | Individual Brake<br>Events                    |
|--|--------------------------------------|---|
| Vehicle configuration<br>Pad material<br>Repeatability | Speed Driving behavior Repeatability | Braking power<br>Temperature<br>Repeatability |

Chemical composition



#### Comprehensive Research Approaches for Brake PM in California

- Bottom up approach
  - External contract with ERG/LINK
  - Many advantages
  - Some disadvantages
- Second bottom up approach
  - In-house project
  - Full chassis dyno tests
- Top down approach
  - External contract with UC Riverside
  - Roadside measurements
- Health effects
  - External contract with UCLA
  - Epidemiology study (LA)





### Closing remarks

Inform programs and policies for AQ improvement

Transportation planning, conformity

Provide much needed information for health related projects

Assess scope of BWPM issues

Top down approach

Bottom up approach

**Health effects** 

Updated Inventory



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### Appendix: Research Approaches

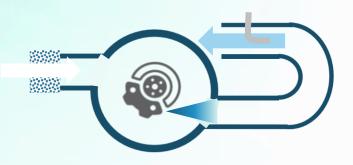


## Bottom Up Approach: External Research Contracts with ERG/LINK

- Driving behavior
  - Representative CA
  - EU: Novel World Harmonized Light Vehicle Test Program (WLTP) Brake Cycle
  - Temperature range
- Modern materials and vehicles
  - Market-share Research
  - Brake pads and rotors
    - Aftermarket parts
  - CA fleet relevant vehicles
    - Range of vehicle weights
- Regenerative braking
- Collect brake wear PM in brake dyno
  - Simulate all of the above commeters

#### **Desired Results:**

- Updated EFs: PM mass per cycle, effects of vehicle weight, cycle speed
- PM mass, PM size, PN per braking event, material, weight, etc.
- Chemical composition



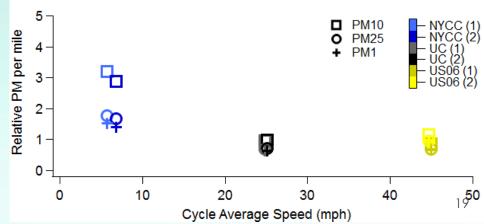
#### Bottom Up Approach: In-House

- Use sealed running loss-SHED
- Recruit representative vehicles
- Determine appropriate dilution factors and particle loss rates
- Derive EFs per cycle

#### **Desired Results:**

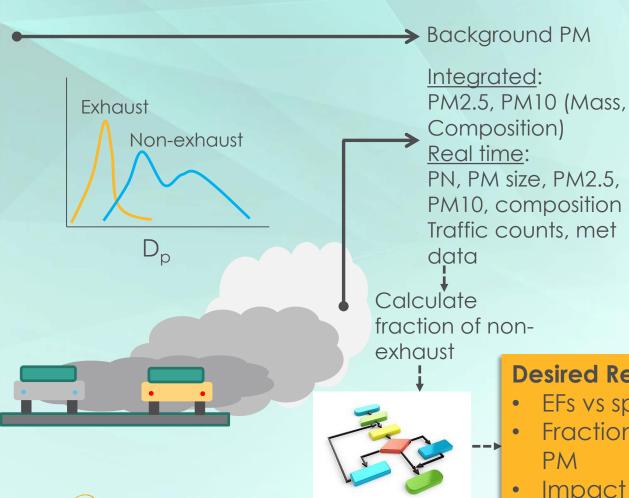
- Cross-check with enclosed dyno results
- PM mass, PM size, PN per braking event, material, weight, etc.
- Chemical composition







### Top Down Approach: Roadside **Measurement + Dispersion Model**



- Use laboratory derived source profiles
- Location with varying speeds and fleet mixes
- Derive EFs
- Input into dispersion model

#### **Desired Results:**

- EFs vs speed, fleet mix
- Fraction of non-exhaust/exhaust PM
- Impact on downwind communities