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Diesel Emission Control Technology

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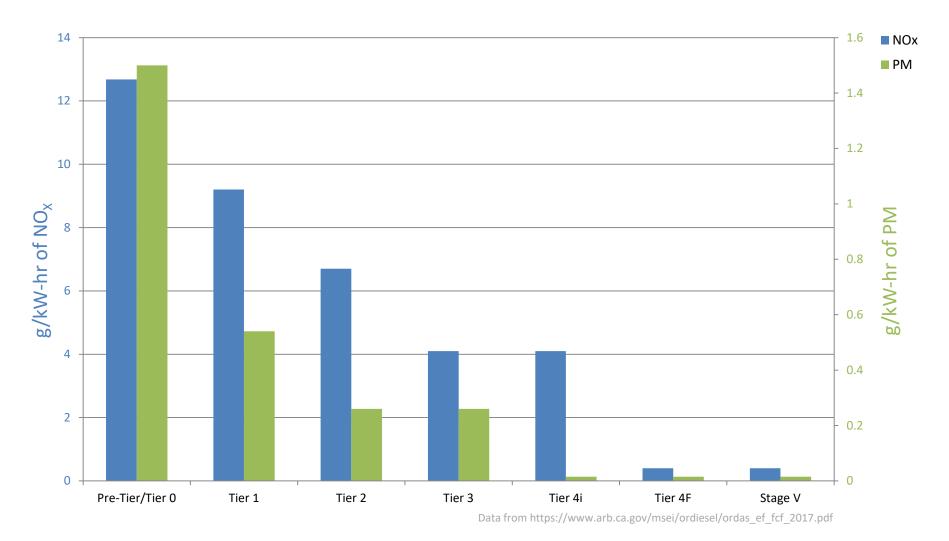
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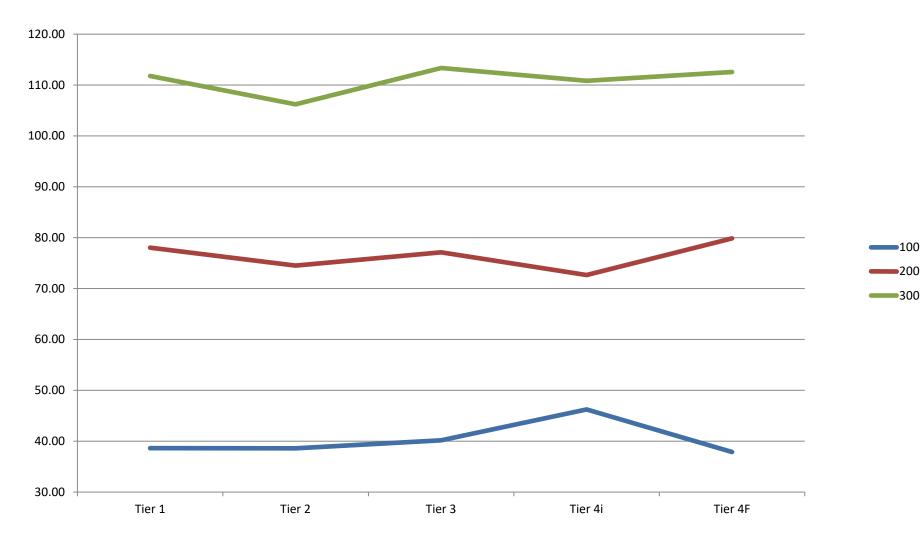
- In just over 20 years, on-engine advancements have...
 - reduced NO_x by <u>97%</u>
 - reduced PM by 99%

Acquisition Cost	Engine Efficiency
Complexity	Maintenance Intervals 🙂
Space Claim	Health & Safety
Operating Cost 🙄	Operational Data



Diesel Engine Efficiency – Fuel Economy

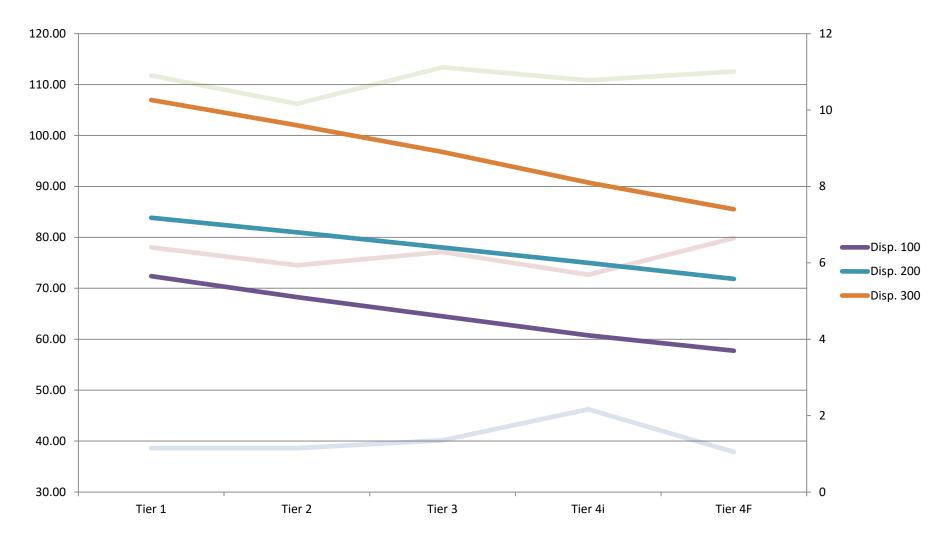
*in lbs./hr., data per CARB





Diesel Engine Efficiency – Engine Displacement (L)

*data per CARB





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Diesel Engine Efficiency – Drivers

Combustion advancements

- Higher quality fuels and oils
- Piston and component designs
- More precise fuel injections
- More precise air management



End user benefits

- More power and torque... less engine
- Lower engine RPM
- High degree of emission control in cylinder



Maintenance Intervals

- Service intervals are getting longer
 - MTU/Mercedes-Benz @ 225 HP
 - Heaviest grade oil & application group
 - Tier 2 = 500 hrs.
 - Tier 4/Stage V = **1000** hrs.



- Bottom line effect of reducing oil change costs by 50%???
- How does this impact machine and personnel utilization???



Other Benefits for Workers

- Less Noise
 - Less fatigue, distraction, strain on voice, etc.



- Less Vibration
 - Less pain, motion sickness, nerve issues, etc.



- Creates employees who are...
 - Happier, healthier, more alert, safer etc.
 - More loyal, increases retention, reduces training costs
 - Take pride in what they do and where they work



The Cost of Tier 4 Engines

Acquisition Cost	Engine Efficiency	
Complexity	Maintenance Intervals	
Space Claim	Health & Safety	
Operating Cost	Operational Data	
	Less Displacement	
	Longer Component Life	
	Less Noise & Vibration	
	Increased Safety	



Thank you!

