







EPA's Locomotive Emissions Rule (and a bit about fuel)

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- *"Control of Emissions of Air Pollution from Locomotive Engines and Marine Compression-Ignition Engines Less Than 30 Liters per Cylinder"*
- *"Control the Emissions of Air Pollution from Nonroad Diesel Engines and Fuel"*
 - What do the rules require and why?
 - To whom and to what equipment do they apply?
 - How is EPA insuring compliance?



- Context
- Locomotive rule requirements: Overview
- Locomotive standards and certification: Detail
- Illustrations
- Fuel requirements
- Locomotive rule: Compliance & Enforcement
- Q&A, Discussion





CONTEXT

Freight Sector Greenhouse Gas Emissions

Transportation in U.S.:

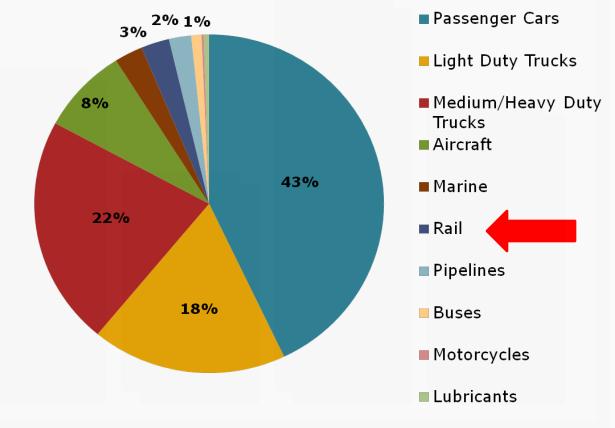
• Over 1/4 of total GHG emissions;

• About 2/3 of petroleumbased fuel use.

Within Transport Sector:

• Freight accounts for over 25% of all fuel consumed and GHGs emitted.

• Freight is fastest growing source of transport GHGs.



Transportation Greenhouse Gases

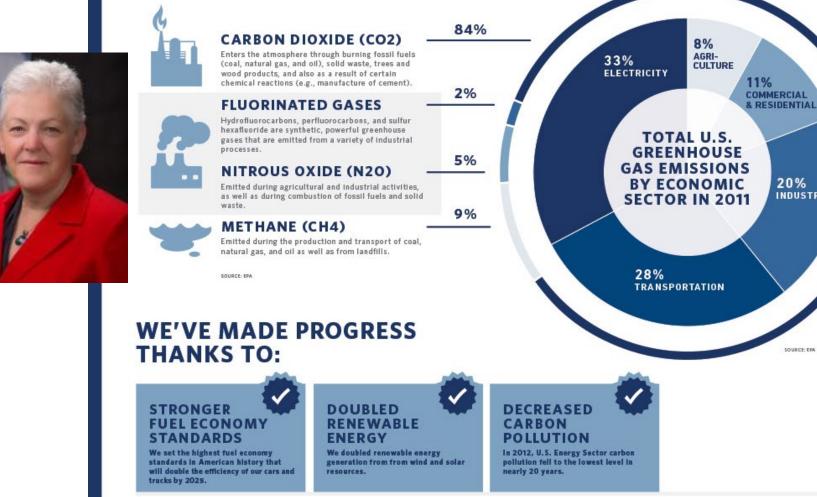
2011 Data - Inventory of U.S. Greenhouse Gas Emissions and Sinks (EPA 2013)

WE'RE STILL CONTRIBUTING TO THE PROBLEM CARBON POLLUTION IS THE BIGGEST DRIVER OF CLIMATE CHANGE **U.S. GREENHOUSE GAS POLLUTION INCLUDES:**

20%

INDUSTRY

SOURCE: ERA



BUT WE HAVE MORE WORK TO DO.

National Clean Diesel Campaign Office of Transportation & Air Quality

Tier 2 Light-Duty final rule 1999 fully phased in 2009* Diesels held to same standards as gasoline vehicles



Heavy-Duty Highway

sales 800,000 / yr final rule 2000 fully phased in 2010*

Locomotive/Marine

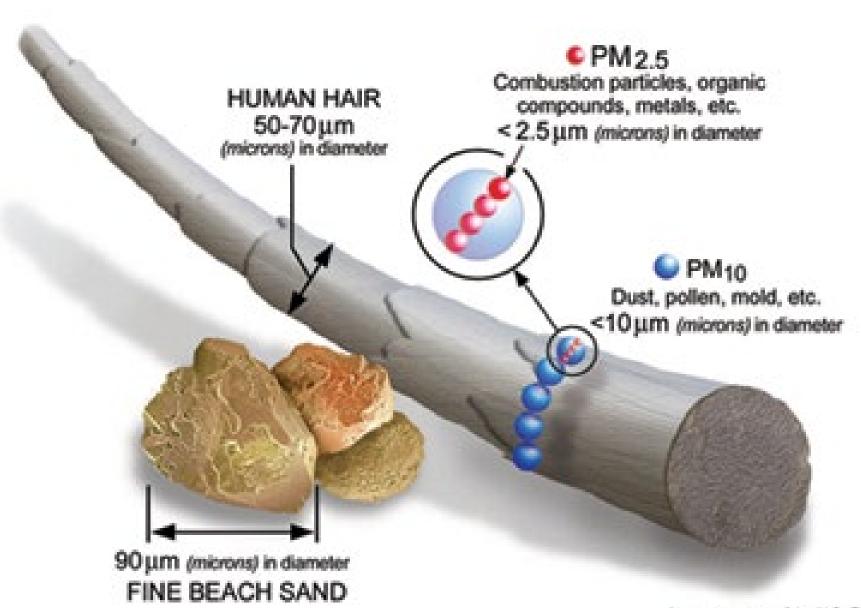
sales 40,000 marine engines & 1,000 locomotives / yr final rule 2008 fully phased in 2017 New in 2012: Coastal Emission Control Areas



Nonroad Diesel

sales over 650,000 / yr final rule 2004 fully phased in 2015

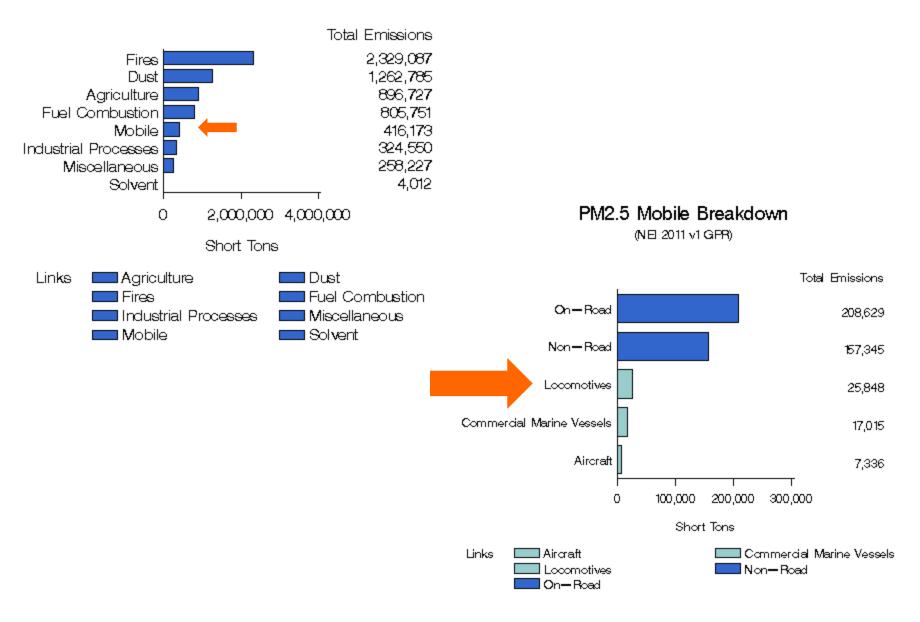
*Not counting new GHG & FE standards.



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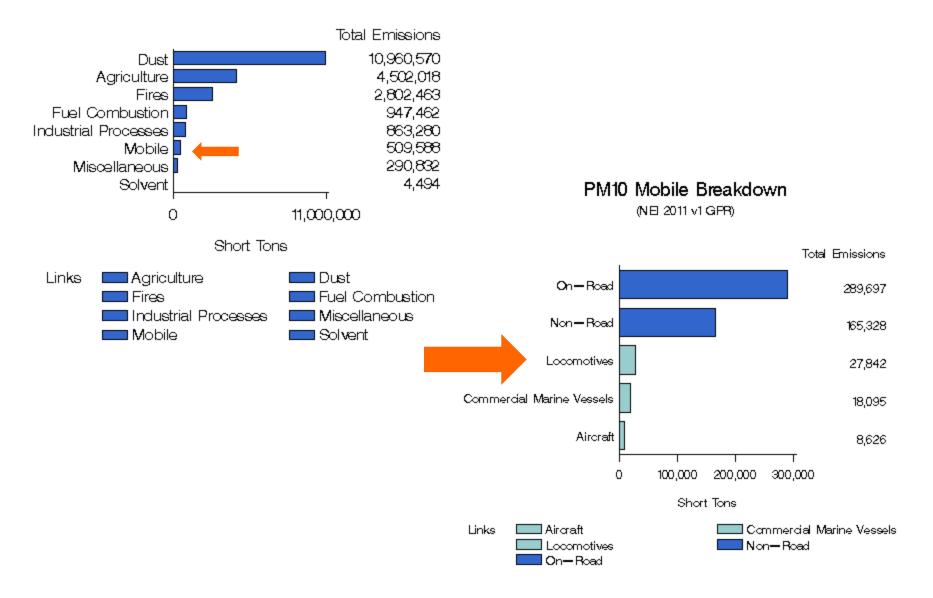
National PM2.5 Emissions by Source Sector

(NEI 2011 v1 GFR)



National PM10 Emissions by Source Sector

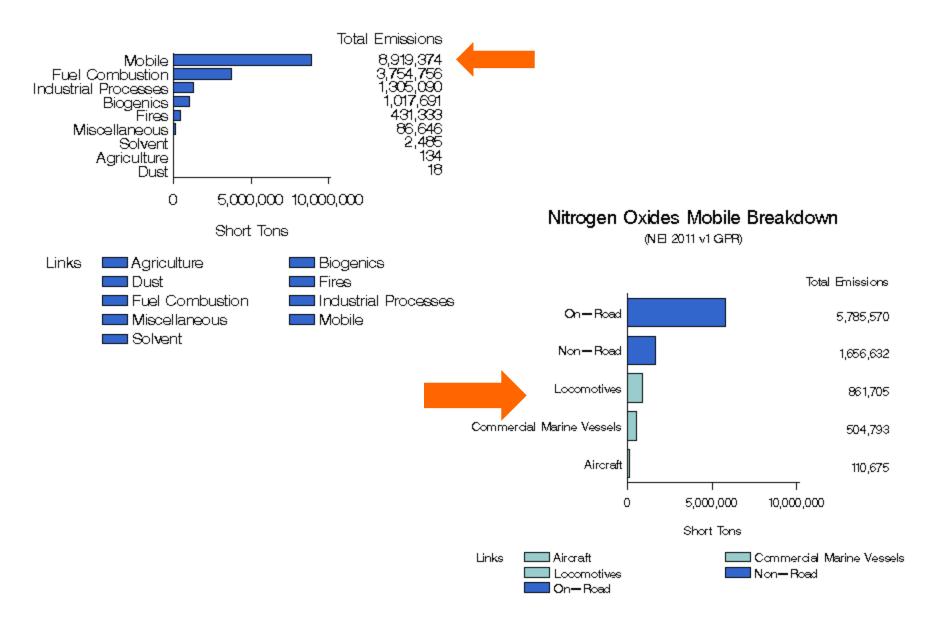
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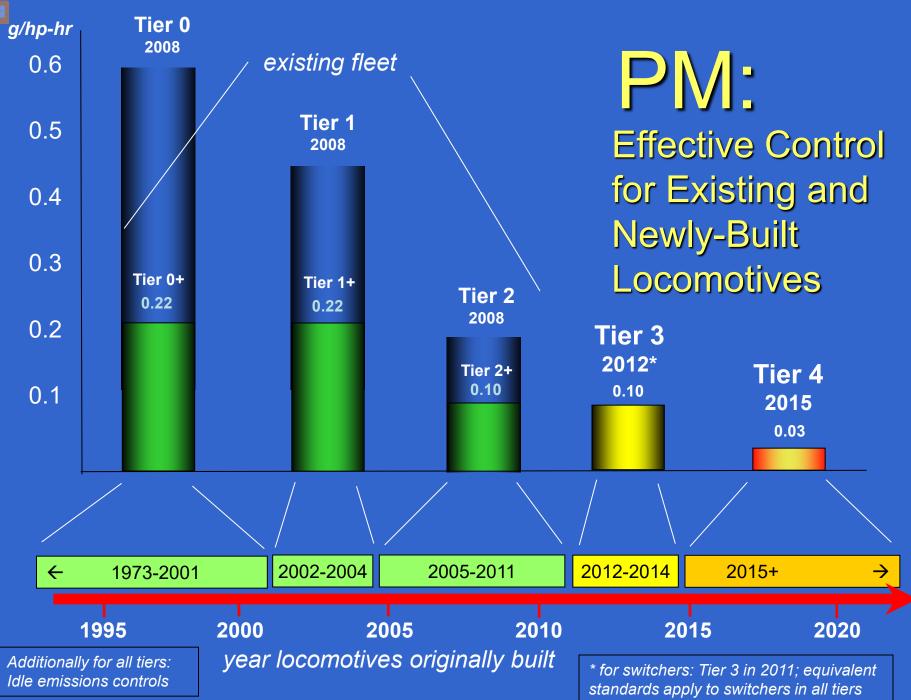


National Nitrogen Oxides Emissions by Source Sector

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LOCOMOTIVE RULE REQUIREMENTS: OVERVIEW

What standards must locomotives now meet?

- 1998: Original EPA standards for newlymanufactured locomotives (Tier 0, 1 & 2) and for remanufacturing existing locomotives built in 1973 or later.
- 2008: New EPA standards for locomotive & marine engines, including idle control for locomotives. Newly-manufactured locomotives meet Tier 3 & 4.
- 2010 & 2011: minor amendments to 2008 rule.

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TABLE 1 TO §1033.101-LINE-HAUL LOCOMOTIVE EMISSION STANDARDS

		S	tandards (g	g/bhp-hr)	
Year of original manufacture	Tier of standards	NOX	PM	HC	CO
1973-1992ª	Tier 0 ^b	8.0	0.22	1.00	5.0
1993 ^ª -2004	Tier 1 ^b	7.4	0.22	0.55	2.2
2005-2011	Tier 2 ^b	5.5	^e 0.10	0.30	1.5
2012-2014	Tier 3°	5.5	0.10	0.30	1.5
2015 or later	Tier 4 ^d	1.3	0.03	0.14	1.5

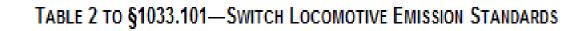
^aLocomotive models that were originally manufactured in model years 1993 through 2001, but that were not originally equipped with a separate coolant system for intake air are subject to the Tier 0 rather than the Tier 1 standards.

^bLine-haul locomotives subject to the Tier 0 through Tier 2 emission standards must also meet switch standards of the same tier.

^oTier 3 line-haul locomotives must also meet Tier 2 switch standards.

^dManufacturers may elect to meet a combined NO_X+HC standard of 1.4 g/bhp-hr instead of the otherwise applicable Tier 4 NO_X and HC standards, as described in paragraph (j) of this section.

^eThe PM standard for newly remanufactured Tier 2 line-haul locomotives is 0.20 g/bhp-hr until January 1, 2013, except as specified in §1033.150(a).



		S	tandards	g/bhp-hr)	
Year of original manufacture	Tier of standards	NO _X	PM	HC	CO
1973-2001	Tier 0	11.8	0.26	2.10	8.0
2002-2004	Tier 1ª	11.0	0.26	1.20	2.5
2005-2010	Tier 2ª	8.1	^b 0.13	0.60	2.4
2011-2014	Tier 3	5.0	0.10	0.60	2.4
2015 or later	Tier 4	°1.3	0.03	°0.14	2.4

^aSwitch locomotives subject to the Tier 1 through Tier 2 emission standards must also meet line-haul standards of the same tier.

^bThe PM standard for new Tier 2 switch locomotives is 0.24 g/bhp-hr until January 1, 2013.

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^cManufacturers may elect to meet a combined NO_X+HC standard of 1.4 g/bhp-hr instead of the otherwise applicable. Tier 4 NO_X and HC standards, as described in paragraph (j) of this section.

Who must comply

- Manufacturers
- Remanufacturers
 - Suppliers
 - Installers
 - Owners who specify work
- Refurbishers
- Owners
 - Class I, II and IIIs (if owned by large parent co's)
 - Intercity passenger & commuter RRs

What locomotives are covered?

Regardless of application

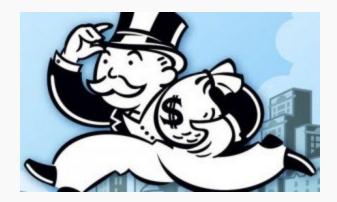


- Line haul and switch (< 2300 hp total)
- "Freshly manufactured" (less than 25% used parts)
- "Existing" regardless of age, when refurbished
- "Existing," 1973 or later vintage, when remanufactured



Small business exemption

- From remanufacturing/refurbishing standards
- For locomotives never certified to any Tier
- Idea: avoid costs of reconfiguring locomotive
- Must be owned AND operated by small biz
- Status of NE shortlines and Class IIs??



What is "Refurbishing?"

- A form of remanufacturing
- Overhauling a locomotive so more new than old
 - > 50% new or reconditioned parts, by value
 - New engine
- One-time event
- Pretty drastic, so
 - all vintages covered
 - standard for new engine somewhat higher than for simple remanufacture

What is "Remanufacturing"

- Varieties
 - Overhauling engine-- replacing every power assembly
 - Upgrading engine
 - Replacing engine
 - Converting to run on alt fuel
- Single event, or cumulative (over ≤ 5 years)
- Less drastic / sudden than refurbishing, so
 - triggers rule only for 1973+ vintage locomotives
 - standard for new engine somewhat lower than for refurbishing

What does the rule require?

- Certification to current applicable Tier
- Use a certified kit
- An idle reduction device that:
 - Shuts down engine after ≤ 30 min idling
 - Can stop/start ≥ 6 times/day without damage
 - Allows continued idling to
 - Prevent freezing
 - Maintain air pressure
 - Maintain battery
 - Perform maintenance
 - Comply with government regs
 - Heat or cool cab when necessary

GE Transportation Systems

Original Locomotive Emission Control Information

THIS LOCOMOTIVE MUST COMPLY WITH THESE EMISSION LEVELS EACH TIME THAT IT IS REMANUFACTURED EXCEPT AS ALLOWED BY 40 CFR 1033.750

Engine Family: EGETK0668EFF Engine Drawing Number: 41A113450G5

This engine family has been certified to Tier 1+ standards (Line-Haul NOx FEL = 7.4 g/bhp-hr and Switch NOx FEL = 11.0 g/bhp-hr) per 40 CFR Part 1033.101

Emissione



This engine and locomotive must be maintained per the procedures and materials documented in the operator and service manuals

All warranties and guarantees are defined in the owners contract GE Diesel Electric Locomotive Made in Erie, Pennsylvania, U.S.A.

AESS or APU or FOH

- Default is AESS, but specific hardware can vary
- APUs encouraged to reduce AESS restarts
- APU challenges:
 - Initial cost
 - Maintenance
 - Installation
 - Brake pressure
- APU success varies by:
 - Application & operations
 - Climate







LOCOMOTIVE STANDARDS & CERTIFICATION: DETAIL

What standards apply?

Depends on:

- Year locomotive was manufactured
- Tier of engine in the locomotive
- Power rating (> or < 2300 hp)
- Calendar year (if refurbishing).





Year of Original Manufacture	Original Locomotive Tier	Minimum Tier for Remanufacture		n Tier for ishment 2015 & later
Pre-1973	Unregulated	n/a*	2+	4
1973-1992	Tier 0	0+	2+	4
1993-2004	0 or 1	1+	2+	4
2005-2011	2	2+	2+	4
2012-2014	3	3	3	4
2015 & later	4	4	n/a	4

*Don't have to meet any standards for a simple remanufacture, but have to meet Tier 0+ for a repower (new engine). Switch Locomotives

Year of Original Manufacture	Original Locomotive Tier	Minimum Tier for Remanufacture	Minimum Tier for Refurbishment		
			Through 2014	2015 & later	
Pre-1973	Unregulated	n/a*	0+	3	
1973-2001	Tier 0	0+	0+	3	
2002-2004	1	1+	1+	3	
2005-2010	2	2+	2+	3	
2011-2014	3	3	3	3	
2015 & later	4	4	n/a	4	

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Engine certification data

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ILLUSTRATIONS

Class III RR



- Pre-1973 locomotive, never before refurbished/certified: exempt because owner is small biz, but won't be if sold to larger biz
- Pre-1973 locomotive, already refurbished: same
- 1973+ locomotive, never before certified: same
- 1973+ locomotive, remanufactured/refurbished but not certified: same
- 1973+ locomotive, certified: standards apply

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Other RRs



- Pre-1973 locomotive, never before refurbished/certified: standards apply
- Pre-1973 locomotive, already refurbished: standards apply. Should be in compliance if refurb done after July 2008. Otherwise: next time
- 1973+ locomotive, never before certified: standards apply
- 1973+ locomotive, never before remanufactured/refurbished: standards apply
- 1973+ locomotive, reman/refurb: standards apply, and should be in compliance if > July 2008. Otherwise: next time.





FUEL

What fuel can you use?

- Earlier transition to ULSD in Northeast/Mid-Atlantic and AK than in rest of country
- As of 2012, everyone should be using only ULSD in any locomotive
- Transmix?
- Winter mix OK if ≤ 15 ppm sulfur
- 97% cleaner-better for people & engines

Fuel compliance issues

- Keep receipts
- Don't mix
- Label properly
- Provide spill protection
- EPA inspections: locomotives, yard equipment, storage tanks
 - Contamination
 - Mislabeling







LOCOMOTIVE

ULTRA-LOW SULFUR NON-HIGHWAY DIESEL FUEL (15 ppm Sulfur Maximum)

Required for use in all model year 2011 and later non-road diesel engines. Recommended for use in all other non-highway diesel engines. WARNING: Federal Law prohibits use in highway vehicles or engines.





LOCOMOTIVE RULE: COMPLIANCE & ENFORCEMENT

Ways to stay out of trouble

- Verify proper remanufacture/refurbish
 - Broad liability
 - Idle control
 - Certification
 - Labels
- Maintain engines & equipment







IMPORTANT ENGINE INFORMATION

THIS ENGINE CONFORMS TO U.S. EPA TIER 2+ REGULATIONS. THIS ENGINE IS DESIGNED TO OPERATE ON DIESEL FUEL. THIS ENGINE LOCOMOTIVE MUST BE MAINTAINED PER THE PROCEDURE AND MATERIALS DOCUMENTED IN THE THE PROCEDURE AND MATERIALS DOCUMENTED IN THE OPERATORS-OWNERS SERVICE MANUALS.



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GE Rail

ES44AC
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61069
August 2012
416,000 lbs

Maintenance Instructions: GEK-80284

This engine and locomotive must be maintained per the procedures and materials documented in the locomotive maintenance instructions.

All warranties and guarantees are defined in the owners contract.

GE Diesel-Electric Locomotive Made in Erie, Pennsylvania, USA.

Original Locomotive Emission Control Information

This engine family has been certified to Tier 3 standards per 40 CFR part 1033.101.

THIS LOCOMOTIVE MUST COMPLY WITH THESE EMISSION LEVELS EACH TIME THAT IT IS REMANUFACTURED, EXCEPT AS ALLOWED BY 40 CFR 1033.750.

Engine Family: Engine Drawing Number: Emission Model:

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CAUTION AUTO START-STOP (AESS)

EQUIPPED LOCOMOTIVE Manual Shutdown disables AESS and will require a Manual Restart

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ATTENTION EMISSIONS CERTIFIED ENGINE

BEFORE PERFORMING ANY ADJUSTMENTS OR REPAIRS TO THIS DIESEL ENGINE CONTACT:

RAIL ROAD DIRECT OUTSIDE LINE

8-564-3888

FOR PROPER PARTS & PROCEDURE IDENTIFICATION

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Manual Fuel Pressure Relief Valve Located on cylinder L1

To relieve pressure with engine shut to reneve pressure with engine shift down, open T-handle for 5 seconds, before engine maintenance or repair. Close valve before starting engine to prevent fuel spill.



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Recordkeeping Roles

- Manufacturers: certificates for engines & kits
- Repair shops:
 - Remanufacture/refurbish:
 - Proper procedures & parts
 - Track all power assembly replacements
 - Maintenance
- Owner/operator:
 - Repair records
 - Maintenance records
 - "Small business" status



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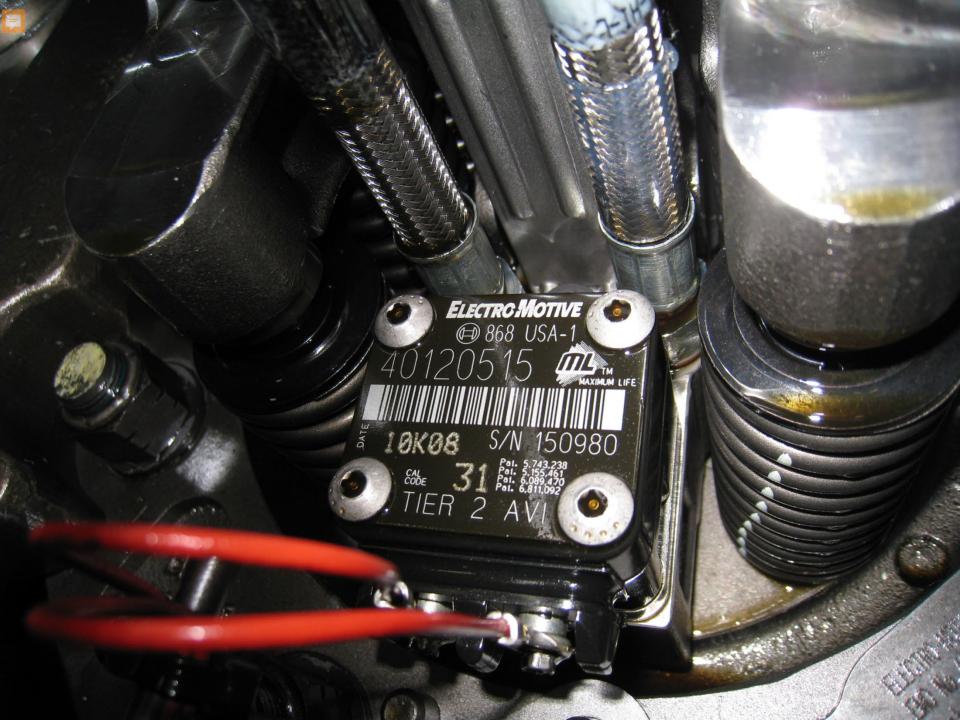
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AUTO ENGINE START/STOP SYSTEM (AESS)

- To de-activate the AESS system, move EC switch to JOG, open Aux Cab door, open the barrier bar or enter self-test. Pressing the Engine Stop button during an automatic shutdown does NOT de-activate the
- ALSS system. To Suspend (delay) AESS from auto stopping the engine, press and release the Auto Stop Suspend Switch (SASS). This may be identified as the Auto Stop Override Switch. Engaging Distributed Power may cause AESS to be inactive (this is a customer option; check with your railroad

- operations department).
 The engine must be auto stopped to qualify for an auto start. A manually stopped engine will NOT auto start.
 When testing or troubleshooting the AESS system, cycle BCCB after each Auto Stop.
 Three aborted Auto Stop attempts will temporarily render the AESS system inactive. Motoring the locomotive will set the AESS system back to active.
 Moving the EC switch to JOG, opening the ALX cab door/raising barrier bar or entering Settlett
- Will set the AESS system back to active.
 Moving the EC switch to JOG, opening the AUX cab door/raising barrier bar or entering Selflest during an auto stop cycle will cancel an auto start and require a manual start of the engine.
- CAUTION: Locomotive speed is ignored in isolated Trail units for Auto stop/start.

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Inspections & Enforcement

- Inspecting certificate holders
- Complaints



- Penalties based on # locomotives, HP, etc
- HELP!
 - Larry Oeler 202-343-9289 or Michelle Ibarra 202-343-9318 (OTAQ)
- Self-disclosure and tips

- Mario Jorquera 202-564-1079 (OECA)



THANK YOU – QUESTIONS / DISCUSSION?

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