

# Evolution of HDV GHG / Fuel Economy Standards: The Importance of US HDV Rule

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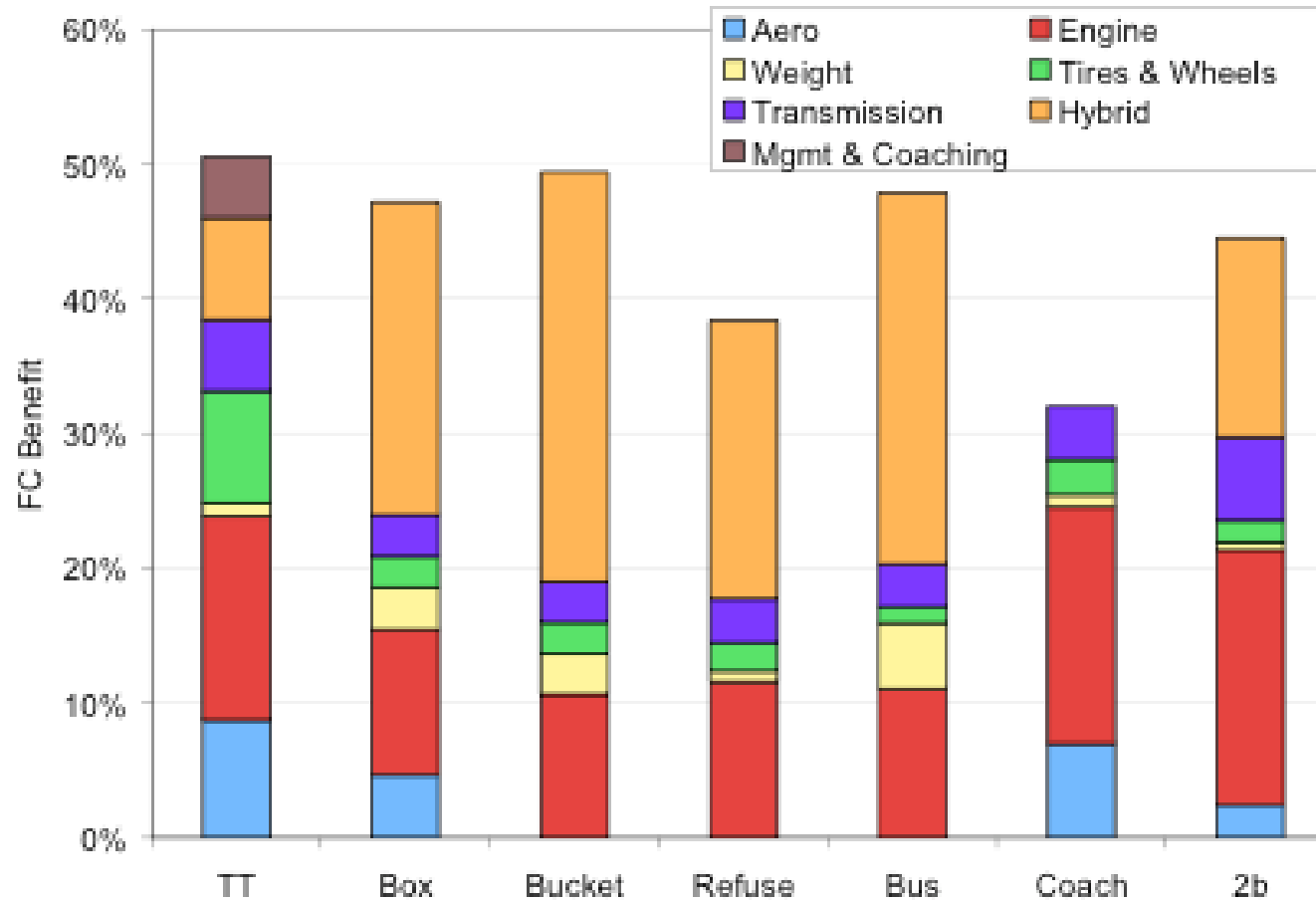
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# Global Regulatory Landscape

Country/Region	Regulation Type	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
<b>Japan</b>	Fuel economy						Regulation implemented starting MY 2015			
<b>United States</b>	GHG/Fuel efficiency	Standard proposal	Final rule			Regulation implemented starting MY 2014 ( mandatory DOT program starts MY 2016)				
<b>Canada</b>	GHG/Fuel efficiency		Standard proposal	Final rule		Regulation implemented starting MY 2014				
<b>China</b>	Fuel consumption	Test procedure finalized	Industry standard proposal	Standard proposal	Final rule		Regulation implemented starting MY 2015			
<b>European Union</b>	GHG	Technical studies			Test procedure finalized	Mandatory efficiency reporting and regulatory development				
<b>California</b>	End-user purchase requirements	Requirements for tractors and trailers (MY 2011+)			Additional reqs. for existing tractors and trailers (<MY 2010)			Additional reqs. for existing trailers and reefers (<MY 2010)		

# US Technology Assessment

- National Academy of Sciences Report (March 2010) found 35 – 50% improvement could be achieved in the 2015 to 2020 timeframe



National Academy of Sciences (2010) FIGURE S-1 Comparison of 2015-2020 New Vehicle Potential Fuel Savings Technology for Seven Vehicle Types: Tractor Trailer (TT), Class 3-6 Box (Box), Class 3-6 Bucket (Bucket), Class 8 Refuse (Refuse), Transit Bus (Bus), Motor Coach (Coach), and Class 2b Pickups and Vans (2b). Also, for each vehicle class, the fuel consumption benefit of the combined technology packages is calculated as follows:  $\%FC_{package} = 1 - (1 - \%FC_{tech1})(1 - \%FC_{tech2})(1 - \%FC_{techN})$  where  $\%FC_{tech x}$  is the percent benefit of an individual technology. SOURCE: TIAx (2009) ES-4.

# Elements of US Rule: Three Vehicle Categories

## Class 7/8 Tractors



## Class 2B/3 Pickup Trucks and Vans



## Everything Else!



# US HDV GHG / Fuel Economy Rule

US program is 4 rules bundled together: Engine, Tractor, Vocational, Pickups and Vans.

Vehicle Type	Subclass		Engine	Vehicle only	Vehicle + Engine	
<b>Tractors</b>	Day Cabs	Class 7 Low/mid Roof	6%	4%	10.3%	
		Class 7 High Roof	6%	7%	13.0%	
		Class 8 Low/mid Roof	6%	3%	9.1%	
	Sleeper	Class 8 High Roof	6%	8%	13.6%	
		Class 8 Low Roof	6%	12%	17.5%	
		Class 8 Mid Roof	6%	12%	18.0%	
		Class 8 High Roof	6%	17%	23.4%	
	<b>Vocational</b>	Light HD	Class 2b - 5	9%	0%	8.6%
		Medium HD	Class 6 - 7	9%	0%	8.9%
Heavy HD		Class 8	5%	1%	5.9%	
<b>Pickups &amp; Vans</b>	Gasoline				12.0%	
	Diesel				17.0%	

Largest reductions – and regulatory attention – focus on the vehicle categories that use the most fuel. In HD sector, combination tractors and pickup trucks use about  $\frac{3}{4}$  of the fuel.

# Baseline Engine + Vehicle (MY2010)

REGULATORY CATEGORY	BASELINE CONFIGURATION
Heavy-Duty Diesel Engine	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Electronic control</li><li>• SCR/EGR/DPF exhaust aftertreatment system which achieves 2010MY criteria emissions standards</li><li>• Turbocharged with variable geometry turbocharger</li><li>• 2200 bar injection pressure</li><li>• Single fixed overhead valve</li><li>• Belt driven accessories</li></ul>
Combination Tractor	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Aerodynamics: tractor fleet consists of 25% Bin I, 70% Bin II, and 5% Bin III</li><li>• Tires: Dual tires with steel wheels, CRR=7.8 (steer) and 8.2 (drive)</li><li>• Body and Chassis: steel components</li><li>• Idle Reduction: Currently 30% of sleeper cabs contain an idle reduction technology, but not necessarily an automatic engine shutoff</li><li>• Vehicle Speed Limiter: 0% of tractors contain a non-override VSL set at below 65 mph</li></ul>

# Compliance Example: Working with the GEM

**Greenhouse Gas Emissions Model (GEM)**

**Identification**

Manufacturer Name:  Vehicle Configuration:  Date:

Vehicle Family:  Vehicle Model Year:

**Regulatory Subcategory**

- Class 8 Combination - Sleeper Cab - High Roof
- Class 8 Combination - Sleeper Cab - Mid Roof
- Class 8 Combination - Sleeper Cab - Low Roof
- Class 8 Combination - Day Cab - High Roof
- Class 8 Combination - Day Cab - Mid Roof
- Class 8 Combination - Day Cab - Low Roof
- Class 7 Combination - Day Cab - High Roof
- Class 7 Combination - Day Cab - Mid Roof
- Class 7 Combination - Day Cab - Low Roof
- Heavy Heavy-Duty - Vocational Truck (Class 8)
- Medium Heavy-Duty - Vocational Truck (Class 6-7)
- Light Heavy-Duty - Vocational Truck (Class 2b-5)

**Simulation Inputs**

Coefficient of Aerodynamic Drag:

Steer Tire Rolling Resistance [kg/metric ton]:

Drive Tire Rolling Resistance [kg/metric ton]:

Vehicle Speed Limiter [mph]:

Vehicle Weight Reduction [lbs]:

Extended Idle Reduction:

**Simulation Type**

- Single Configuration
- Plot Output
- Multiple Configurations

**RUN**

Determined by testing

“yes/no” parameters

# Compliance Example: Tractor #1

“Classic” style



Drag inducing features: flat grill and bumper, protruding elements

Frontal area

Drag coefficient

Step 1: coastdown testing to determine  $C_d * A$

$C_d * A = 7.7 \rightarrow$  this tractor belongs to “Bin I”

	Class 7		Class 8	
	Day Cab		Day Cab	Sleeper Cab
	High Roof		High Roof	High Roof
Aerodynamic Test Results ( $C_d A$ in $m^2$ )				
Bin I	$\geq 8.0$	$\geq 8.0$	$\geq 7.6$	
Bin II	7.1 – 7.9	7.1 – 7.9	6.7 – 7.5	
Bin III	6.2 – 7.0	6.2 – 7.0	5.8 – 6.6	
Bin IV	5.6 – 6.1	5.6 – 6.1	5.2 – 5.7	
Bin V	$\leq 5.5$	$\leq 5.5$	$\leq 5.1$	



# Compliance Example: Tractor #1

Step 2: select  $C_d$  values in table below based on Bin #, as determined by coastdown testing

	Class 7		Class 8	
	Day Cab		Day Cab	Sleeper Cab
	High Roof		High Roof	High Roof
Aerodynamic Input to GEM ( $C_d$ )				
Bin I	0.79	0.79	<b>0.75</b>	0.68
Bin II	0.72	0.72		0.60
Bin III	0.63	0.63		0.52
Bin IV	0.56	0.56		0.47
Bin V	0.51	0.51		

**Greenhouse Gas Emissions Model (GEM)**

**Identification**

Manufacturer Name: AAA Tractors    Vehicle Configuration: Classic    Date: 29-Aug-2011  
Vehicle Family: Tractor Family #1    Vehicle Model Year: 2014

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- Medium Heavy-Duty - Vocational Truck (Class 6-7)
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**Simulation Inputs**

Coefficient of Aerodynamic Drag: 0.75  
Steer Tire Rolling Resistance [kg/metric ton]: 7.5  
Drive Tire Rolling Resistance [kg/metric ton]: 7.8  
Vehicle Speed Limiter [mph]: 65  
Vehicle Weight Reduction [lbs]: 0  
Extended Idle Reduction: 5

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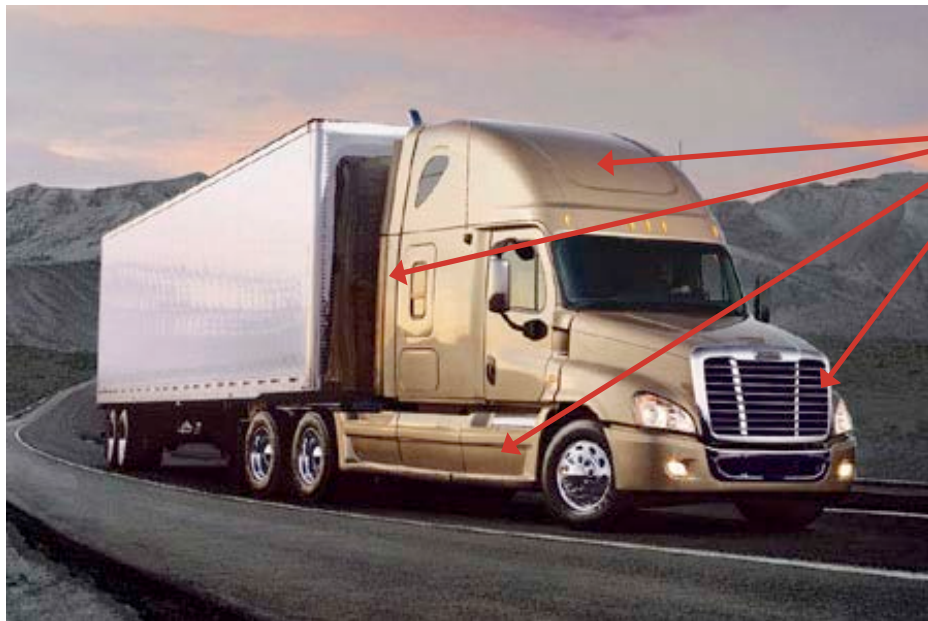
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Enter "0.75" into aerodynamic coefficient field in GEM simulation model

# Compliance Example: Tractor #2

“SmartWay” style



Drag reducing features:  
smoothed front grill and bumper, roof fairing, chassis fairings, side extenders, etc.

In the coastdown test, Tractor #2 will have a lower drag result than Tractor #1 because of all of these aerodynamic enhancements

$C_d * A = 6.1 \rightarrow$  this tractor belongs to “Bin III”

	Class 7	Class 8	
	Day Cab	Day Cab	Sleeper Cab
	High Roof	High Roof	High Roof
Aerodynamic Test Results ( $C_d A$ in $m^2$ )			
Bin I	$\geq 8.0$	$\geq 8.0$	$\geq 7.6$
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Bin IV	5.6 – 6.1	5.6 – 6.1	5.2 – 5.7
Bin V	$\leq 5.5$	$\leq 5.5$	$\leq 5.1$

# Compliance Example: Tractor #2

Step 2: select  $C_d$  values in table below based on Bin #, as determined by coastdown testing

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**Simulation Inputs**

Coefficient of Aerodynamic Drag: 0.60  
Steer Tire Rolling Resistance [kg/metric ton]: 7.5  
Drive Tire Rolling Resistance [kg/metric ton]: 7.8  
Vehicle Speed Limiter [mph]: 65  
Vehicle Weight Reduction [lbs]: 0  
Extended Idle Reduction: 5

**Simulation Type**

- Single Configuration
- Plot Output
- Multiple Configurations

**RUN**

Enter "0.60" into aerodynamic coefficient field in GEM simulation model

# Compliance Example: Tractor #1

Step 3: fill in rolling resistance coefficients ( $C_{RR}$ ) for steer and drive tires.  $C_{RR}$  values are determined using the ISO 28580:2009 test procedure.



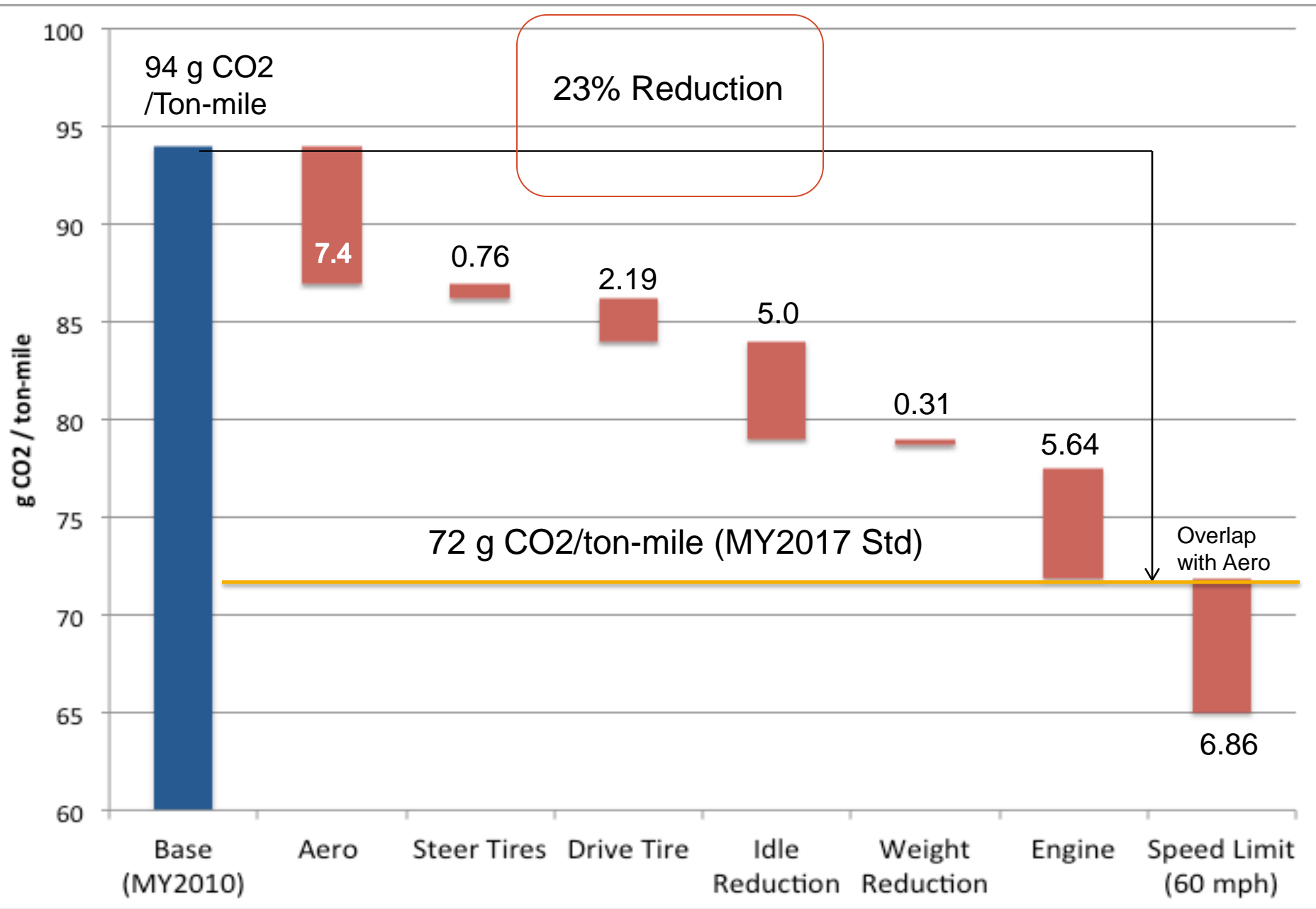
# Compliance Example: Tractor #1

Step 4: manufacturers will get weight reduction credit for using aluminum and high strength steel. For places where these materials are used on the vehicle, weight reduction credits will be given based on the default values in the tables below.

Weight Reduction Technology		Weight Reduction (lb per tire/wheel)
Single Wide Drive Tire with...	Steel Wheel	84
	Aluminum Wheel	139
	Light Weight Aluminum Wheel	147
Steer Tire or Dual Wide Drive Tire with...	High Strength Steel Wheel	8
	Aluminum Wheel	21
	Light Weight Aluminum Wheel	30

Weight Reduction Technologies	Aluminum Weight Reduction (lb.)	High Strength Steel Weight Reduction (lb.)
Door	20	6
Roof	60	18
Cab Rear Wall	49	16
Cab Floor	56	18
Head Support Structure	15	3
Fairing Support Structure	35	6
Instrument Panel Support Structure	5	1
Brake Drums - Drive (4)	140	11
Brake Drums - Non Drive (2)	60	8
Frame Rails	440	87
Crossmember - Cab	15	5
Crossmember - Suspension	25	6

# Class 8 Tractor Sleeper Cab High Roof Compliance Pathway



# Class 8 Sleeper Cab High Roof Standards

## Predicated on:

**Aero** - Aggressive aerodynamic technology penetration (10% Bin II, 70% Bin III, 20% Bin IV).

**Steer and Drive Tires RR** - Does not require 100% penetration of low rolling resistance tires, predicated penetration rates vary by application.

**Weight Reduction** – 400 lbs weight reduction.

**Extended idle reduction** – Credit is 5 g CO<sub>2</sub> for extended idle reduction + 5 minute automatic engine shut off. Only for tractor sleeper cabs.

**Engine Standards** – 6% improvement in 2017.

**Vehicle Speed Limiter** – Not predicated in final standards. Only available for combinations tractors (not vocational).

# Closing Thoughts

- HDV GHG / fuel economy standards are a critically important area of regulatory development for the US and globally.
- The search for continually improving upon regulatory design (metric, cycle, test method, etc) will continue for the next 5 to ten years at least.
- Important questions remain:
  - Simulation Modeling v. Chassis Dyno
  - Performance v. Technology Standards
  - Test method accuracy and repeatability
  - Incorporating trailers
  - Hybrid technology development and incorporation
  - Opportunities for global alignment of programs