# 2015 Update to the Board: Advanced Clean Cars Program Midterm Review

LEV Criteria Air Quality Improvements LEV GHG

Greenhouse Gas Reductions

Technology Advancement

ZEV

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California Environmental Protection Agency

O Air Resources Board

## **Role of Advanced Clean Cars**



### Mobile Source Modeling Re-affirms Need for ZEVs



## **ARB's Midterm Review**

#### **GHG (with Federal Partners)**

Load and mass reduction studies	ZEV Review		
Testing and	ZEV credit analysis	1 mg/mi PM Standard	
benchmarking of advanced engines and	Technology assessment	Measurement feasibility	
drivetrains	Role of PHEVs/OEM Data Analysis	Vehicle feasibility and	
Review of market acceptance of emerging GHG technologies	Consumer awareness and attitudes	testing	
Teardowns of new vehicle technologies	Infrastructure Assessment		

GHG



# **Midterm Review Timeline**



# **LEV-GHG Review Status**

- Criteria GHG ZEV
- Manufacturers are over-complying with current GHG standards
- Initial findings show manufacturers on track to comply with future standards
  - NAS Committee Report concluded compliance with future standards is feasible
  - ARB research shows road load reduction can contribute substantially (powertrain/engine improvements contribute remainder)

#### CA vs. US Compliance with One National Program for GHG

Tailpipe-only Emissions
Federal Standard



Standards calculated based on sales from the six large volume manufacturers subject to CA GHG regulations for MY 2012-2013 including credits.

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# 2015 NAS CAFE Study



#### Conclusions



- "The committee found <u>the analysis</u> <u>conducted</u> by NHTSA and EPA in their development of the 2017-2025 standards to be <u>thorough and of high caliber on the</u> <u>whole</u>."
- "Most of the vehicles use spark-ignition gasoline engines and demonstrate the potential for <u>conventional technologies to</u> <u>meet these standards</u>."
- Acknowledged the California ZEV regulation in driving higher ZEV volumes than would be likely required through the GHG tailpipe and fuel economy standards alone.

#### ARB Research Contract on Road Load Reduction Potential



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# **ZEV Review Status**



- Credits will continue to provide flexibility for manufacturers' compliance, but requirements continue to push ZEV commercialization
- Pure ZEV sales are increasing
- Consumers pleased with PEV decision but many willing to pay for more electric range
- Vehicle usage data show eVMT to be highly variable, even for same vehicle type

#### What is the status of ZEV Credits?

Assuming current sales levels, and using all credits as quickly as possible, manufacturers would deplete credit banks after 2021 MY compliance



#### What is the status of ZEV Credits?

Manufacturers could supplement compliance with the ZEV requirement through 2025 with banked credits, assuming increasing sales



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#### Trends in California and S177 ZEV States



Source: IHS Automotive, Polk new vehicle registrations for CYE2010-14. \*2015 projections based on ARB calculations, using IHS Automotive, Polk new vehicle registrations for January 2015 through August 2015.

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# CA 2015 ZEV Market Growth Outpacing PHEVs



Source: IHS Automotive, Polk new vehicle registrations for CY2010-2015 as of August 2015.

# Consumer ZEV Choices



# Driver Satisfaction High for Both BEV and PHEVs



"Would you recommend your PEV to someone you know looking for a new car?"



Source: Ownership Experience Survey of CVRP Recipients, April-May 2015.



# Both BEV and PHEV Drivers Want More e-Range





Source: Ownership Experience Survey of CVRP Recipients, April-May 2015. Respondents able to choose more than one. Totals will sum to more than 100%.

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## Battery Costs Falling Faster Than Expected



Nykvist and Nilson, Rapidly falling costs of battery packs for electric vehicles, March 23, 2015, <a href="http://www.nature.com/nclimate/journal/v5/n4/full/nclimate2564.html">http://www.nature.com/nclimate/journal/v5/n4/full/nclimate2564.html</a> Anderman, The Tesla Battery Report, November 12, 2014, <a href="http://www.advancedautobat.com/industry-reports/2014-Tesla-report/Extract-from-the-Tesla-battery-report.pdf">http://www.advancedautobat.com/industry-reports/2014-Tesla-report/Extract-from-the-Tesla-battery-report.pdf</a> Chevrolet Bolt Announcement, October 2, 2015, <a href="http://www.hybridcars.com/gm-ev-battery-cells-down-to-145kwh-and-still-falling/">http://www.hybridcars.com/gm-ev-battery-cells-down-to-145kwh-and-still-falling/</a> DOE 2022 Target, January 31, 2013, <a href="http://http://energy.gov/sites/prod/files/2014/02/f8/eveverywhere\_blueprint.pdf">http://www.hybridcars.com/gm-ev-battery-cells-down-to-145kwh-and-still-falling/</a>

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#### **PEV eVMT Distribution**

Wide eVMT variability across PEV platforms,





**PEV eVMT Distribution** 

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# **Summary and Next Steps**

- On track to come back to the Board by the end of 2016 with California's full midterm review
- 2016 ACC Technical Symposium (September)



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