

Measurement of NO₂ Emissions from Heavy Duty Vehicles/Engines at Environment Canada

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Outline

- Environment Canada - Emissions Test Facility
- NO₂ Sampling and Analysis Methods
- Engine NO₂/NO_x Data
- Chassis NO₂/NO_x Data
- Summary/Next Steps



Environment Canada Organization

- Five Regions: *Pacific & Yukon, Prairie & Northern, Ontario, Quebec, Atlantic*
- Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency
- Meteorological Services of Canada
- Human Resources & Service Innovation
- Policy & Communications
- Environmental Conservation Service
- Environmental Protection Service



Environment Canada Organization *cont'd*

- Environmental Protection Service:

- Air Pollution Prevention
- Pollution Prevention
- Risk Management
- Strategic Priorities

Environmental Technology Advancement



- Environmental Technology Centre
- Emissions Research and Measurement Division - ERMD



ERMD Programs

- Conformity Program for New Light Duty Vehicles and Certification of New Vehicles and Engines
- Quantifying the emission contribution of a range of mobile sources and stationary sources
- Support the development of technologies, fuels, and strategies to reduce the emissions from transportation
- Providing technical assistance and expertise to government divisions, industry, and other countries



ERMD Test Facility

- 4 Light Duty Chassis Dynamometer Labs
- 2 Heavy Duty Chassis Dynamometer Labs
- 3 Heavy Duty Engine Dynamometer Labs
- Utility Engine Laboratory
- Light Duty Evaporative Emissions Enclosure
- Environmental Chambers (-5°C to -25°C)
- Organic Chemistry Laboratory
- Portable Emissions Sampling System



Technology Development & Evaluations

- ◆ Fuels
 - ◆ ULSD, BioD, E-D, H₂O Emulsions, CNG, Alcohols, gasoline reformulations
- ◆ Emission Controls
 - ◆ Diesel Particulate Filters
 - ◆ Diesel Oxidation Cat's
 - ◆ EGR, SCR
- ◆ Diesel-Electric Hybrids & Fuel Cell Buses



Sampling & Analysis Capabilities

- Gaseous Emissions: NDIR, HCLD, HFID
- Particulate Matter: Gravimetric, particle size/count/distribution
- Carbonyl compounds: HPLC
- Volatile Organic Compounds: GC- FID
- Methane and light hydrocarbons, N₂O: GC
- PAH, n-PAH: High Resolution MS
- OC/EC: Thermal Optical Transmittance
- NH₃, Particle Phase SO₄, SO₂: Ion Chromatography



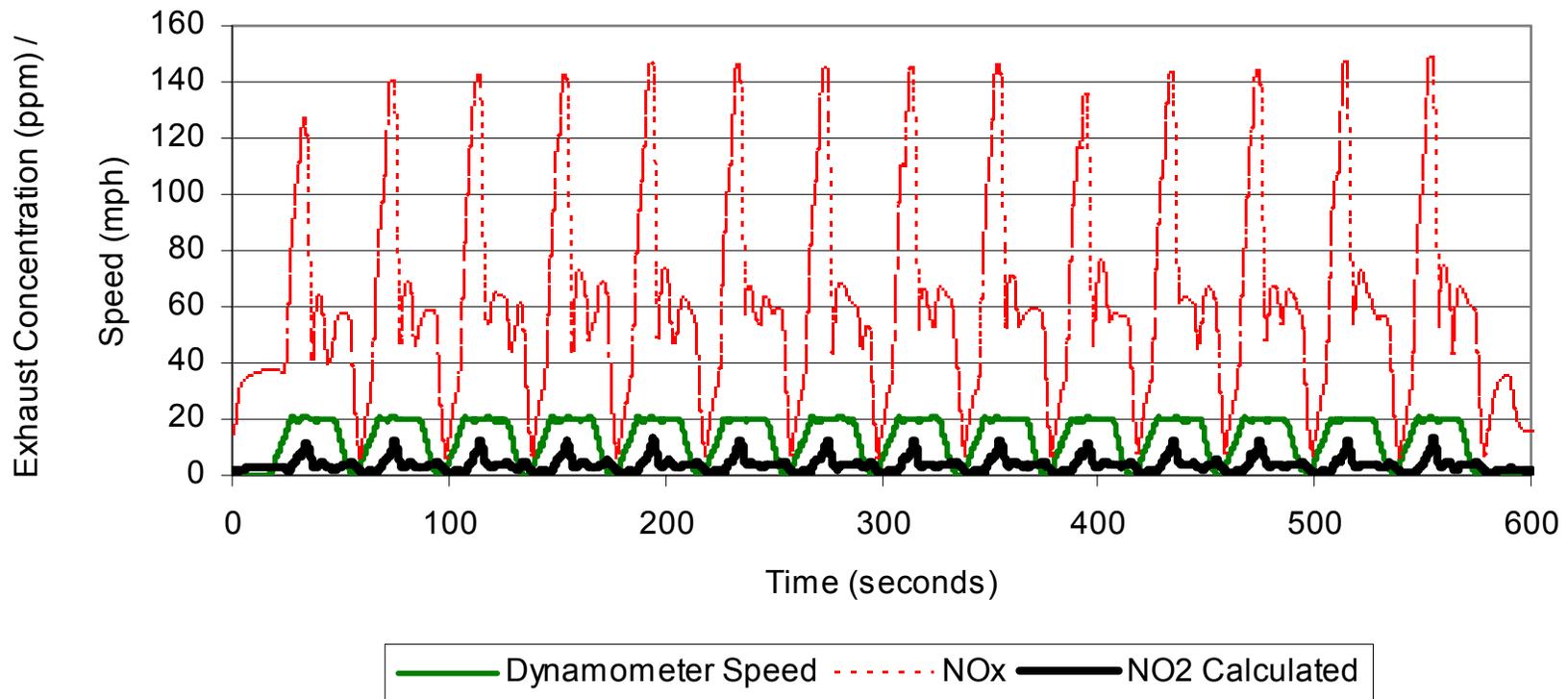
NO₂ Collection Methods

- Chemiluminescent Analyzer Method
 - NO & NO_x dilute exhaust concentrations determined
 - 2 heated analyzers -California Analytical Model 400-HCLD
 - Corrected for ambient concentrations and atmospheric conditions
 - Continuous collection at higher instrument range
- DNPH (2,4-dinitrophenylhydrazine) Cartridge Method*
 - Reaction of NO₂ and DNPH to form 2,4 dinitrophenylazide (DNPA)
 - DNPH and DNPA monitored at different wavelengths
 - Hewlett Packard 1090M Series II & Photo diode array

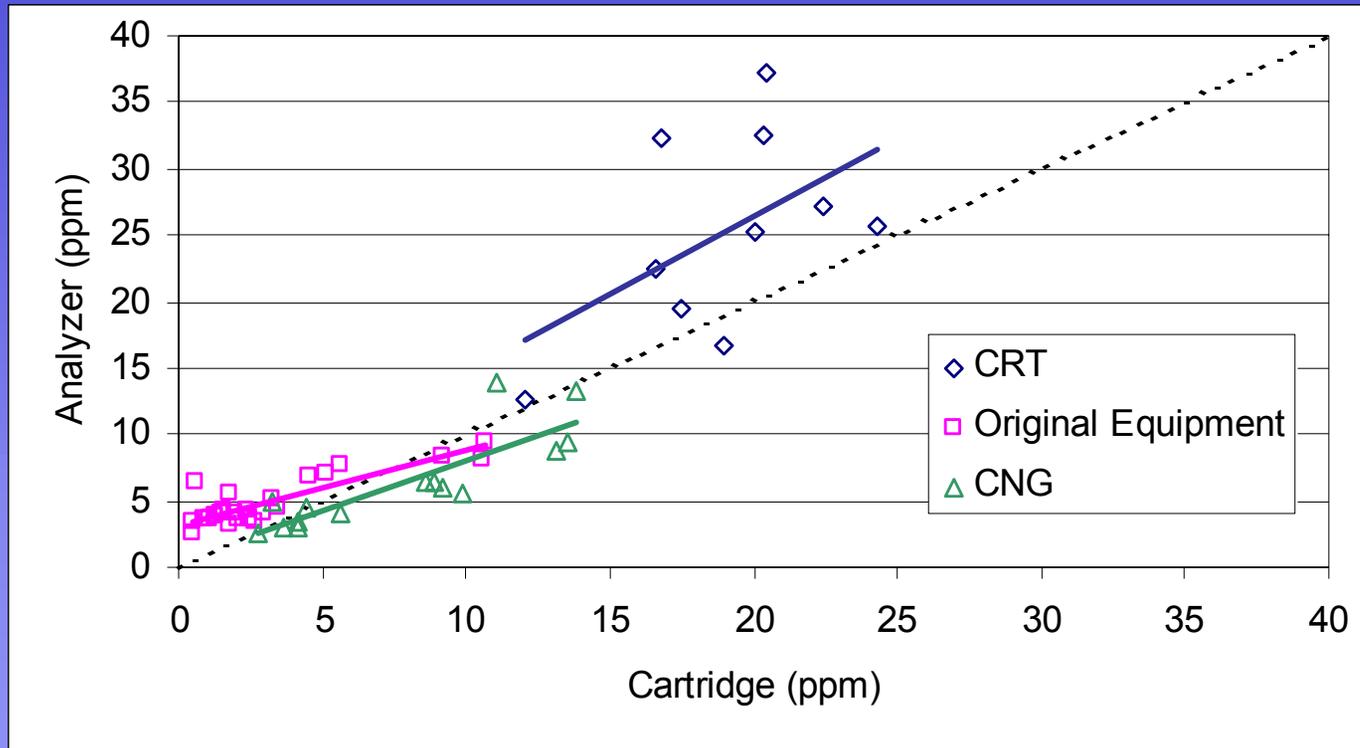
Reference: ES&T: Tang, Graham et al. "Simultaneous Determination of Carbonyls and NO₂ in Exhausts of HDD Trucks and Transit Buses by HPLC Following 2,4DNPH cartridge collection"



NO₂/NO_x Concentrations from an Urban Transit Bus



Comparison of Measured Dilute Exhaust NO₂ Concentrations

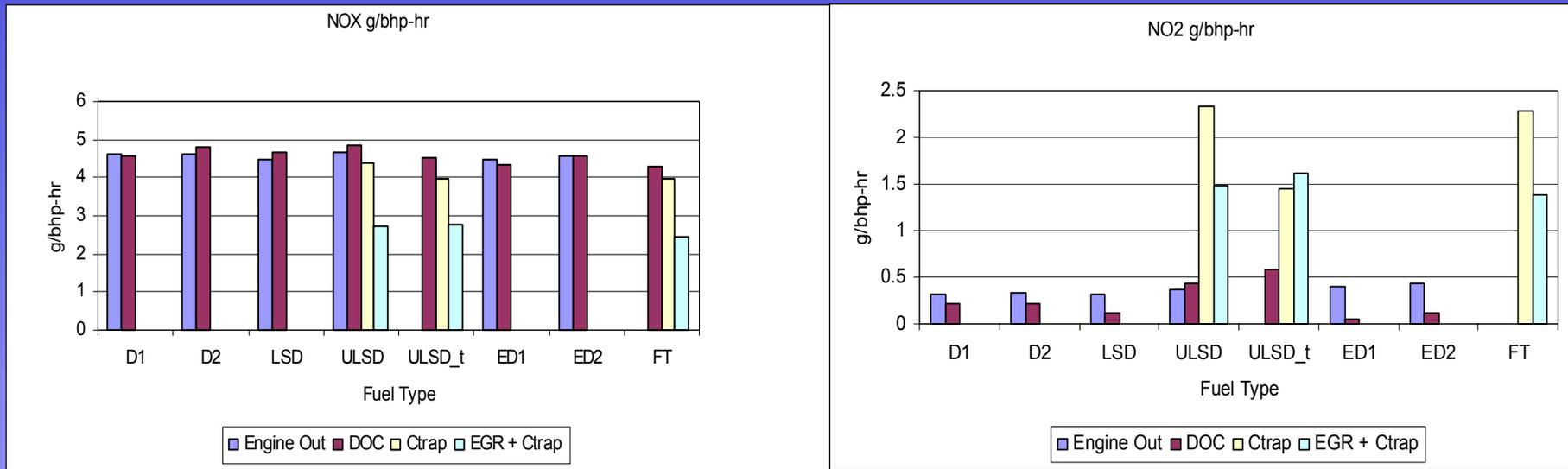


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International DT466, MY 2000

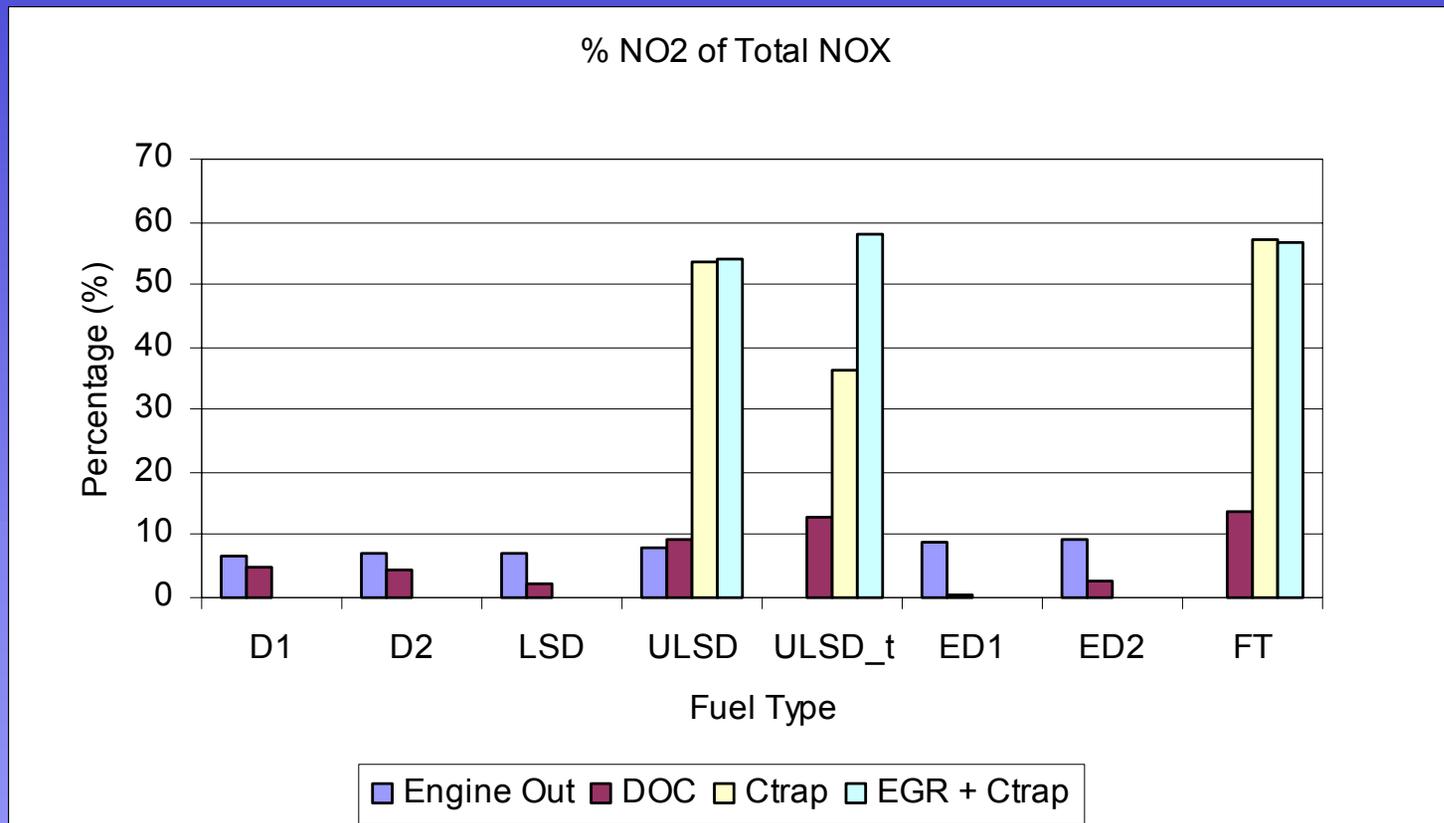
7.6L, inline 6, 237bhp @ 1400 rpm



Reference: SAE 2004-01-1085



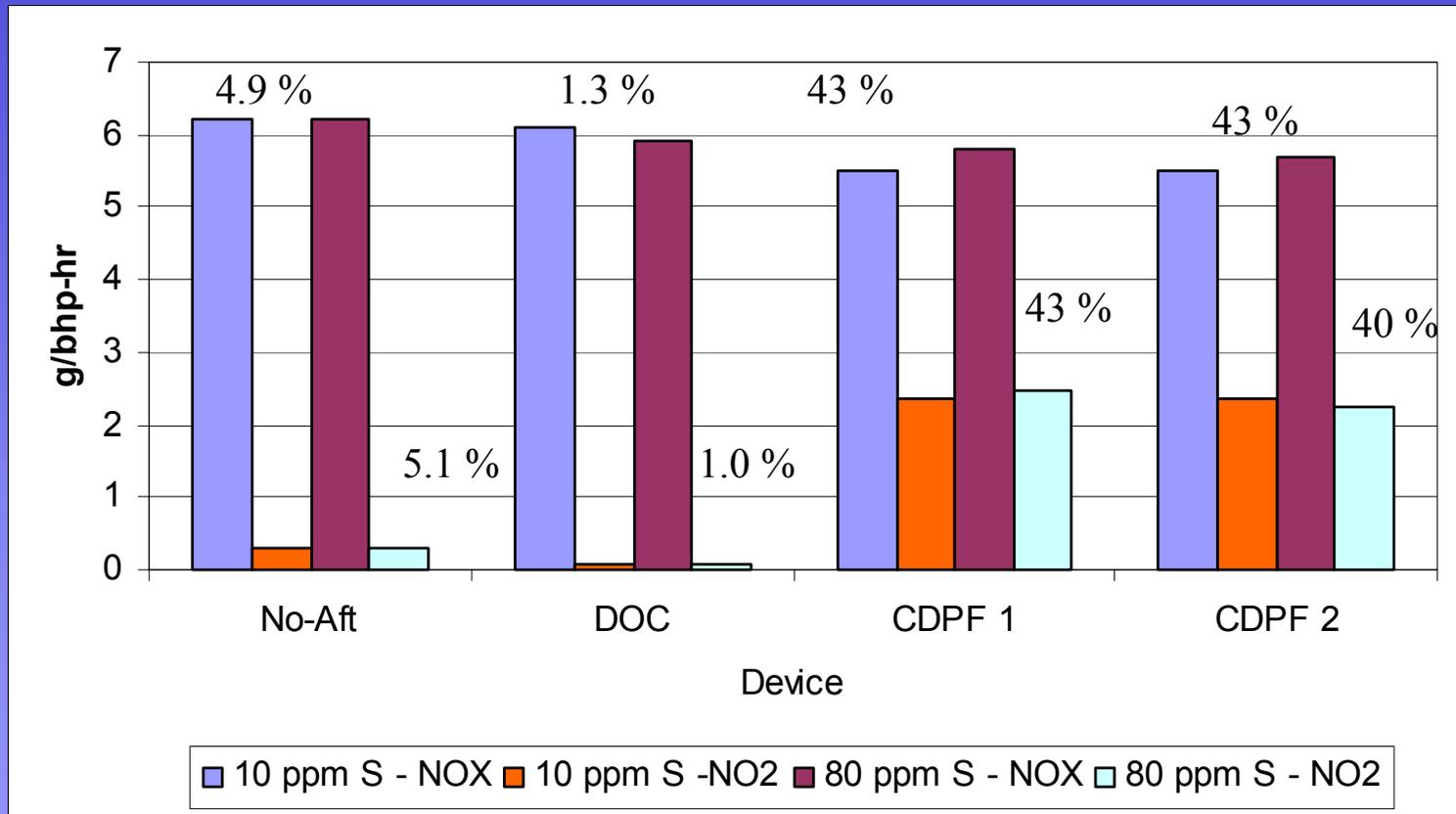
International DT466 % NO₂/NO_x



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DDC Series 50, MY 1996, 8.5L, inline 4, 275 bhp @ 2110 rpm



CAT C11, MY 2004, 11.1L, inline 6, 305 bhp @ 2100 rpm

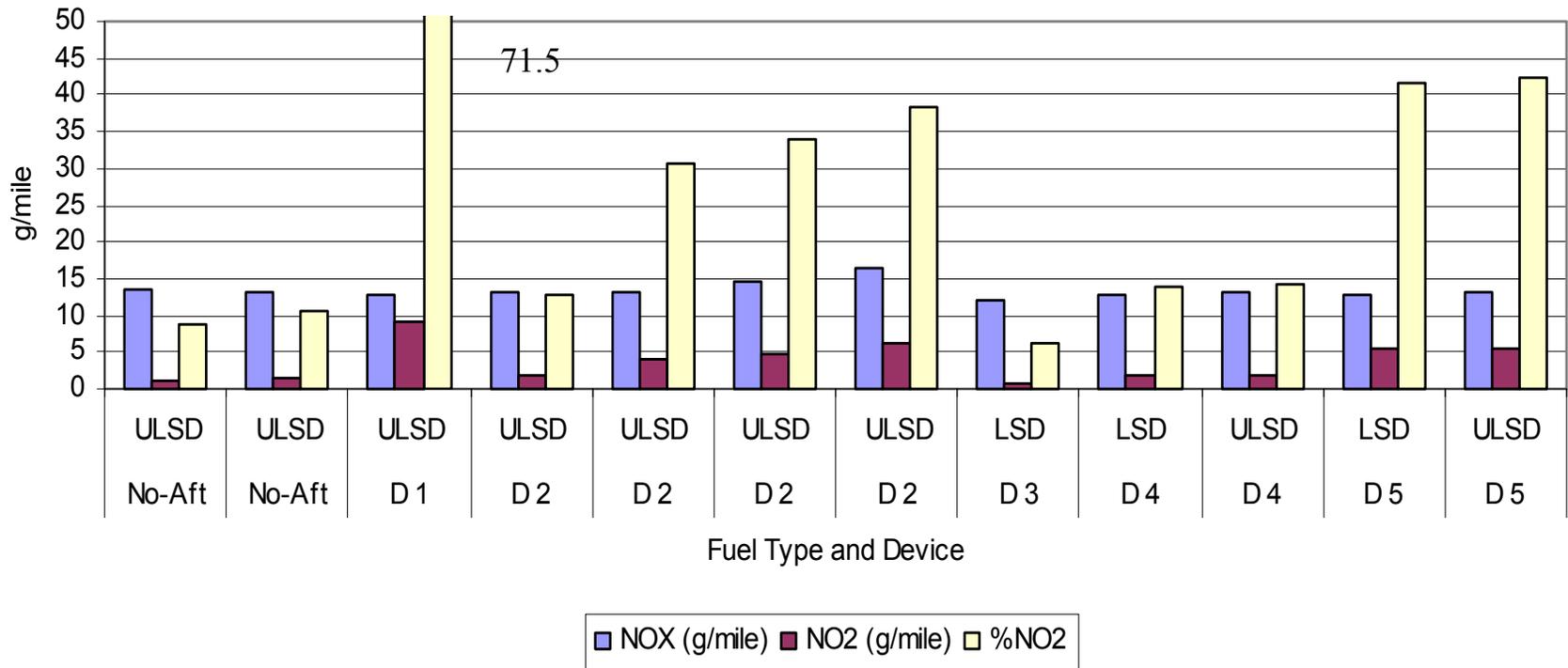
	NO _x g/bhp-hr	NO ₂ g/bhp-hr	% NO ₂
CS	2.323	0.107	4.61
HS 1	2.077	0.007	0.34
HS 2	2.127	0.010	0.47
HS 3	2.100	0.009	0.43
HS 4	2.094	0.003	0.14



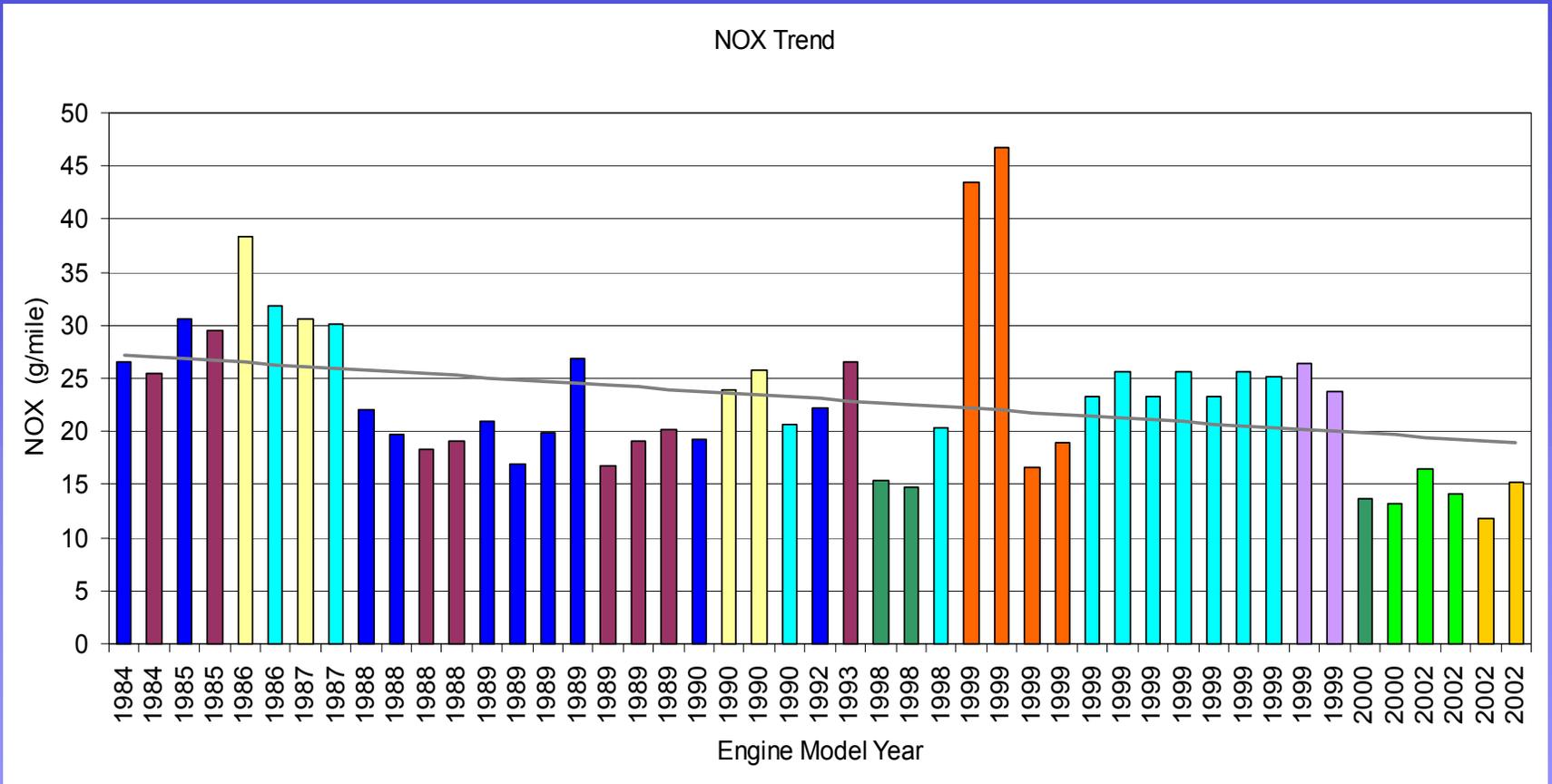
Urban Transit Bus NO₂/NO_x Emissions over the CBD Cycle (g/mile)

Model	Engine	Configura- tion	Fuel Sulphur (ppm)	NOX	NO2	%NO2
Orion V	DDC Series 50	OEM	247	25.6	1.6	6
Orion V	DDC Series 50	OEM	27	25.6	1.8	7
Orion V	DDC Series 50	OEM	27	25.1	1.9	8
New Flyer CLF	DDC Series 50 G	OEM	CNG	46.7	3.6	8
Orion V	DDC Series 50	OEM	247	23.3	1.8	8
Orion V	DDC 6v92	OEM	27	25.6	2.0	8
Orion V	DDC 6v92	OEM	247	26.6	2.1	8
New Flyer CLF	DDC Series 50 G	OEM	CNG	19	2	11
Orion V	DDC 6v92	OEM	247	20.5	2.8	14
Orion V	DDC 6v92	OEM	27	21.1	2.9	14
Orion V	DDC 6v92	OEM	27	21.6	3.3	15
New Flyer CLF	DDC Series 50 G	OEM	CNG	16.6	3.3	20
Orion V	DDC Series 50	CDPF	27	23.8	12.6	53
Orion V	DDC Series 50	CDPF	27	26.4	14.5	55

Hybrid Bus with Selected Emission Control Devices



Evolution of Urban Transit Bus NO_x



Summary/Next Steps

- Accurate and precise measurement of NO_x species is increasingly important as NO_x emissions standards become more stringent
- Increases in the % NO_2 of NO_x have been noted with specific emission control devices although the total NO_x remains unchanged
- EC will continue to compare DNPH Cartridge NO_2 Method with the Chemiluminescent NO_2 Method
- NO_2 will be measured for the majority of heavy duty vehicles and engines tested at EC
- N_2O is routinely measured to understand contribution from transportation sources
- NH_3 measured with in-line raw exhaust analyzer with modified path length
- EC will continue with future research on 2004 CAT C11 and Cummins ISM engines: complete characterization of emissions, fuels, emission control devices, NO_2/NO_x comparisons



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Do-it-yourself Retrofits

