

GREET Model Expansion for Well-to-Wheels Analysis of Heavy-Duty Vehicles

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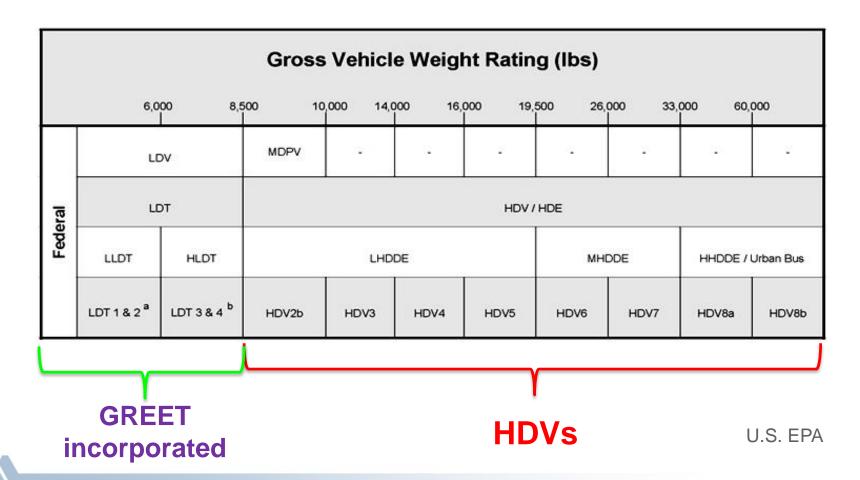
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HDVs represent a wide range of Gross Vehicle Weight Rating (GVWR)

Gross Vehicle Weight Rating: The maximum operating weight/mass of a vehicle



Why do we study HDVs?

- 2nd largest and fastest growing share of transportation energy demand
 - 23% of total energy use of the U.S. transportation sector
- 2nd largest source of transportation GHG emissions
 - 23% of total GHG emissions of the U.S. transportation sector
- HDVs remain an important source of NO_x and PM
 - 20% and 6% of total U.S. NO_x and PM emissions in 2011

New GREET HDV module developed to evaluate the AFVs' potential to reduce fuel use, GHGs, & air pollutants

- 12 HDV subcategories included to cover diverse U.S. HDV market
 - Class 2b to Class 8b trucks and buses
 - Targeted the key vehicle type for each HDV subcategory
- 11 alternative fuels & powertrain technologies examined
 - Biodiesel, CNG, LNG, electric hybrids, hydraulic hybrids, battery electric,
 DME, LPG, ethanol, renewable diesel, renewable gasoline
- Energy use, GHG emissions, criteria air pollutants, and water use evaluated, for HDVs covering MY 1990 to MY 2020
 - Per mile and per ton-mile WTW results are available for trucks
 - Per mile and per passenger-mile WTW results are available for buses
- It is now available in the Excel GREET, and will become available in the .net platform next year



Selection of highest-fuel-consuming HDV subcategories

Engine Fuel	Regulatory Category	Vehicle Subcategory	Vehicle Type	Fuel Consumption
Diesel	Combination trucks	Combination long- haul	Van, Class 8b	36.1%
		Combination short- haul	Van, Class 8b	6.9%
	HD pickups and vans	-	Pickup, Mini & Light Van, SUV, Class 2b	1.7%
	Vocational vehicles	Heavy heavy-duty vocational vehicles	Dump <=50 mi, Class 8b	1.3%
		Medium heavy-duty vocational vehicles	Van, Class 6	2.6%
		Light heavy-duty vocational vehicles	Van, Class 4	0.7%
		Refuse trucks	Trash/Garbage/Recyc ling, Class 8a	1.3%
	HD pickups and vans	-	Pickup, Mini & Light Van, SUV, Class 2b	3.2%
	Vocational vehicles	Medium heavy-duty vocational vehicles	Van, Class 6	0.5%



Body Types and Vocational Purposes Vary

Class 8b LH combination



Class 6 delivery truck



Class 8a refuse truck



Class 4 delivery truck



Class 8b dump truck

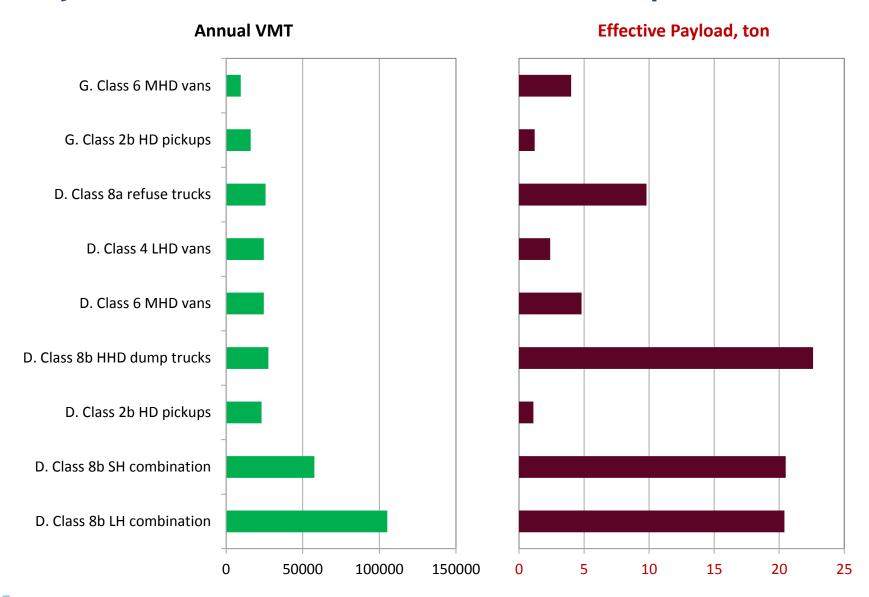


Class 2b HD pickup truck





Very different use intensities and work performed



School buses, transit buses, and intercity buses are included

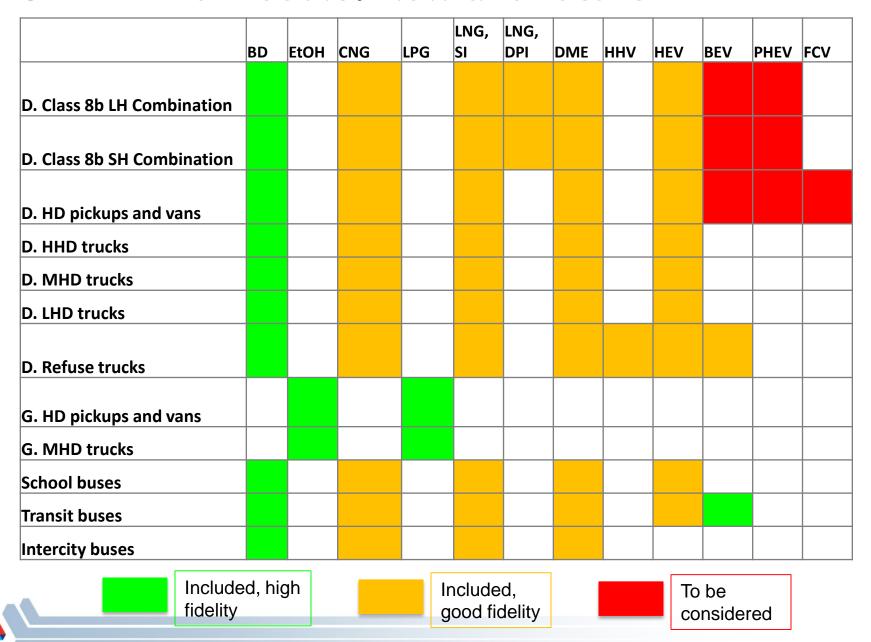








GREET HDV module: Now and future

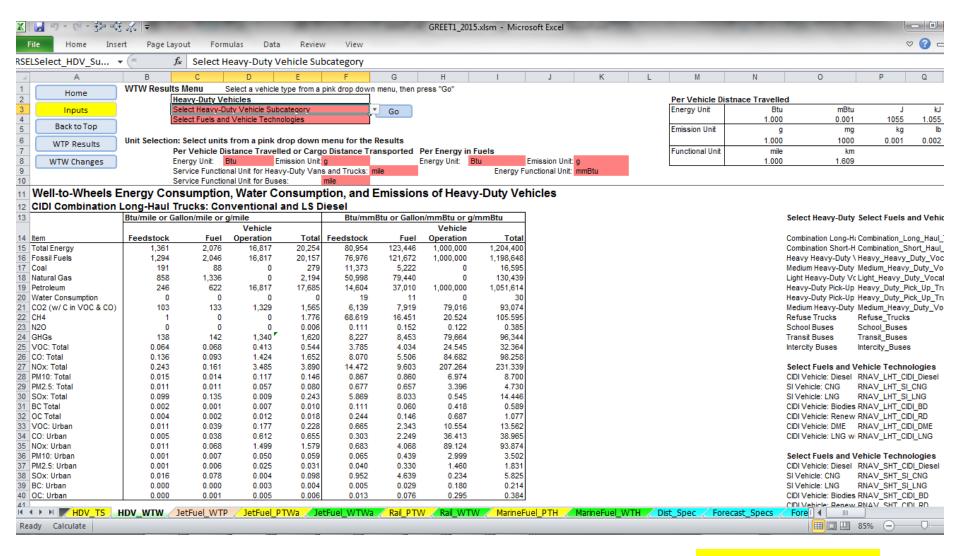


Features and Functionalities of GREET HDV module

- Well-to-Wheels energy consumption, GHG emissions, criteria air pollutants emissions, and water consumption of 12 HDV types
 - Energy consumption includes fossil energy and its breakdown into coal, NG and petroleum use
 - GHG emissions, including short-lived climate forcers, e.g. black carbon
 - Six criteria air pollutants: NO_x, PM₁₀, PM_{2.5}, SO₂, CO, and VOC
 - Water consumption associated with fuel cycles
- Energy-saving and emission-reduction potentials of major AFV technologies and applications in the heavy-duty vehicle sector can be evaluated
- Functional units include per mile, per ton-mile, per passenger-mile
 - Cargo payload is set as an individual parameter to account for actual work performed
- Vehicle model year-specific results, ranging from MY1990 to MY2020, to allow for evaluation of the effect of vehicle technology advancement on various environmental metrics



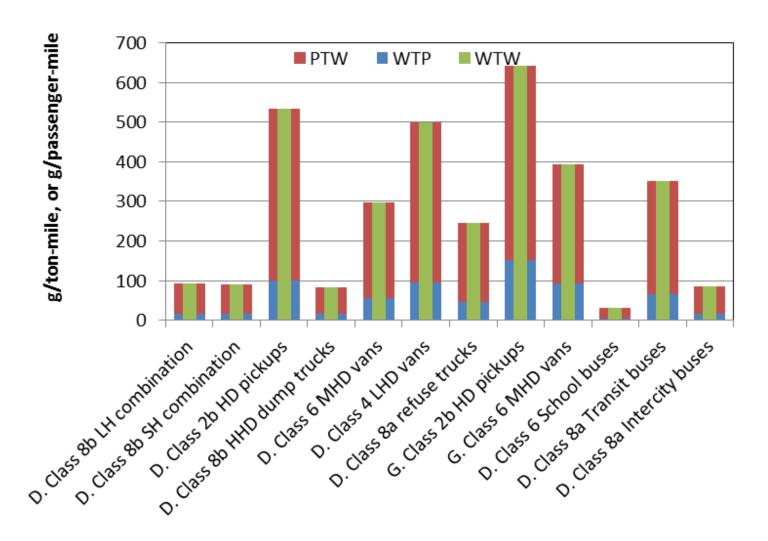
The GREET HDV Module User Interface



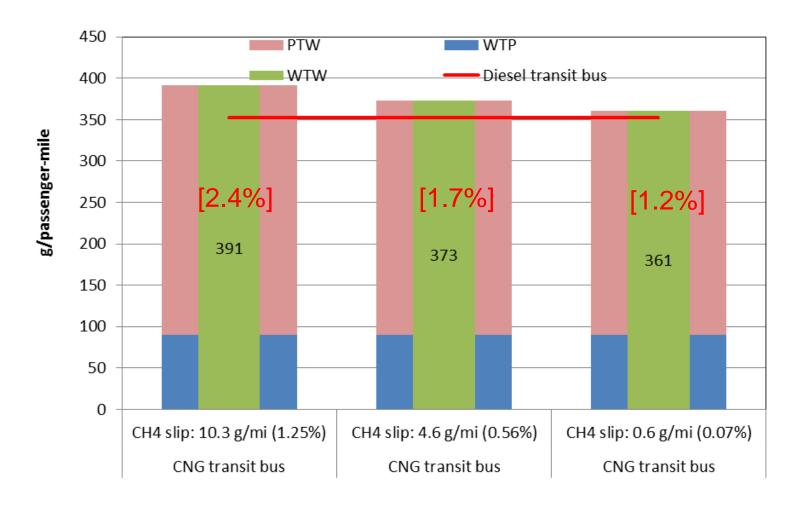
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Fuel economy and carried payload/passengers dictate WTW GHG emissions of conventional HDV subcategories



Case study: Impact of vehicle CH₄ slip on WTW GHG emissions of CNG transit buses



15% fuel economy penalty for CNG transit buses

Summary

- GREET includes 12 HDV subcategories and their various alternative fuel counterparts to cover the diverse HDV sector
- Well-to-Wheels energy consumption, GHG emissions, criteria air pollutants emissions, and water consumption of various HDV technologies can be evaluated on a consistent scope and platform
- Energy-saving and emission-reduction potentials of major AFV technologies and applications in the heavy-duty vehicle sector overtime can be evaluated for the actual work performed
- Argonne keeps analyzing the impacts of new HD vehicle technologies and regulations on the environmental performances of the HDV sector. The findings of such efforts will be incorporated to update the GREET HDV module

Thank You!

Questions & Comments?

For additional information

Please check the Argonne report: The GREET Model Expansion for Well-to-Wheels Analysis of Heavy-Duty Vehicles, https://greet.es.anl.gov/publication-heavy-duty or contact:

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