



Partnering with Industry to Shape the Future

NTEA Green Truck Summit

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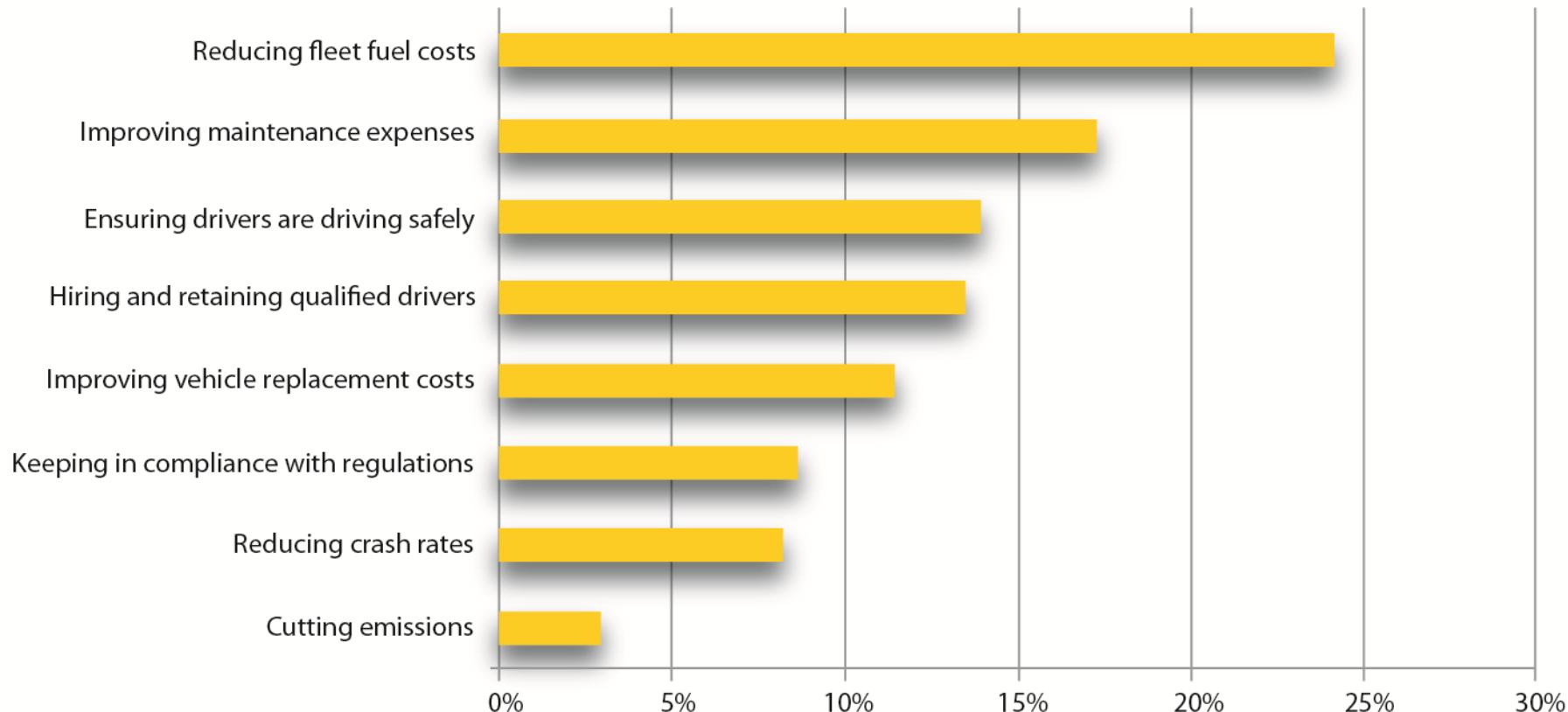
The Future Comes in Many Shapes and Sizes



Prioritization is a Must

Setting Priorities and Overcoming Challenges

Most Important Challenge for 2013



Source: GreenRoad's Fleet Leader 2013 Outlook

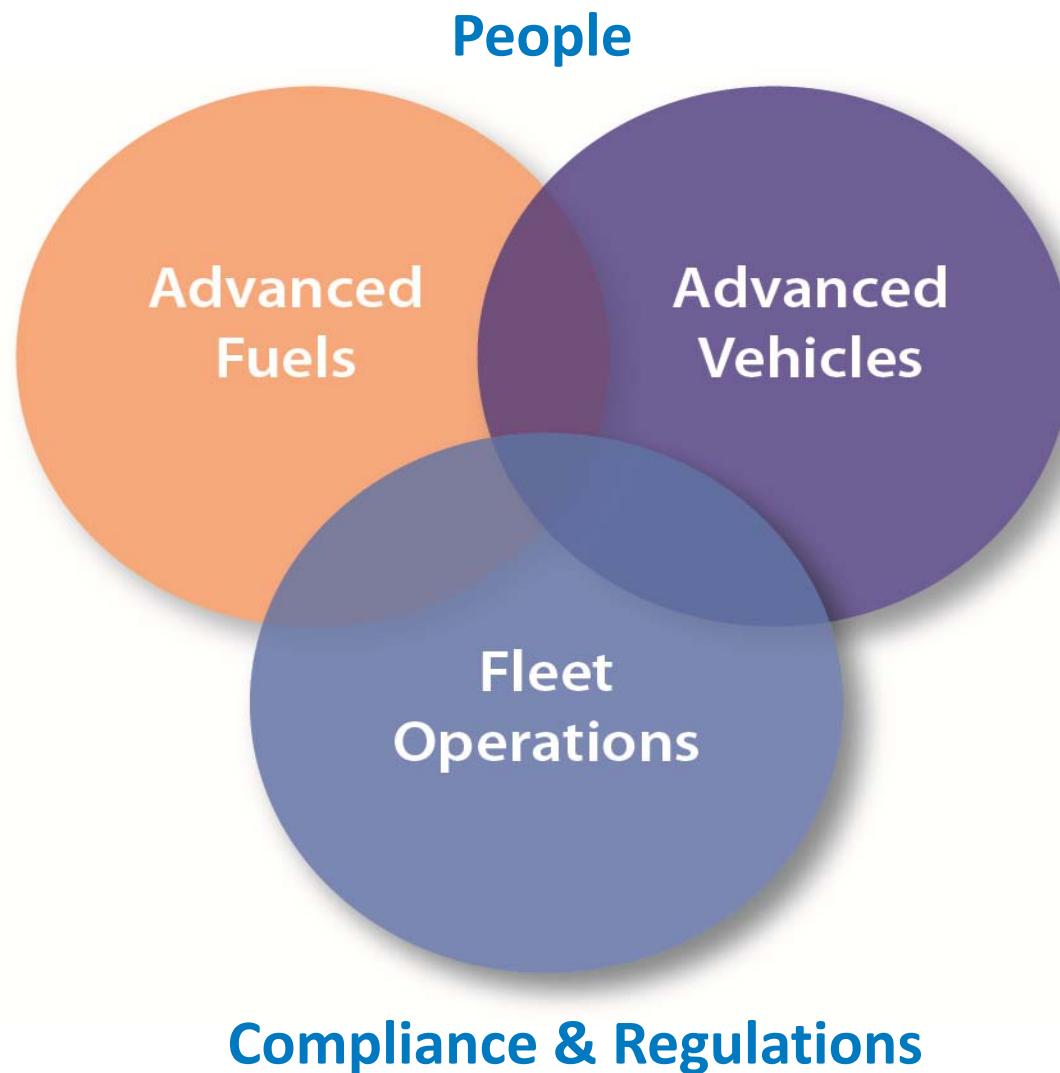
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One Size Does NOT Fit All

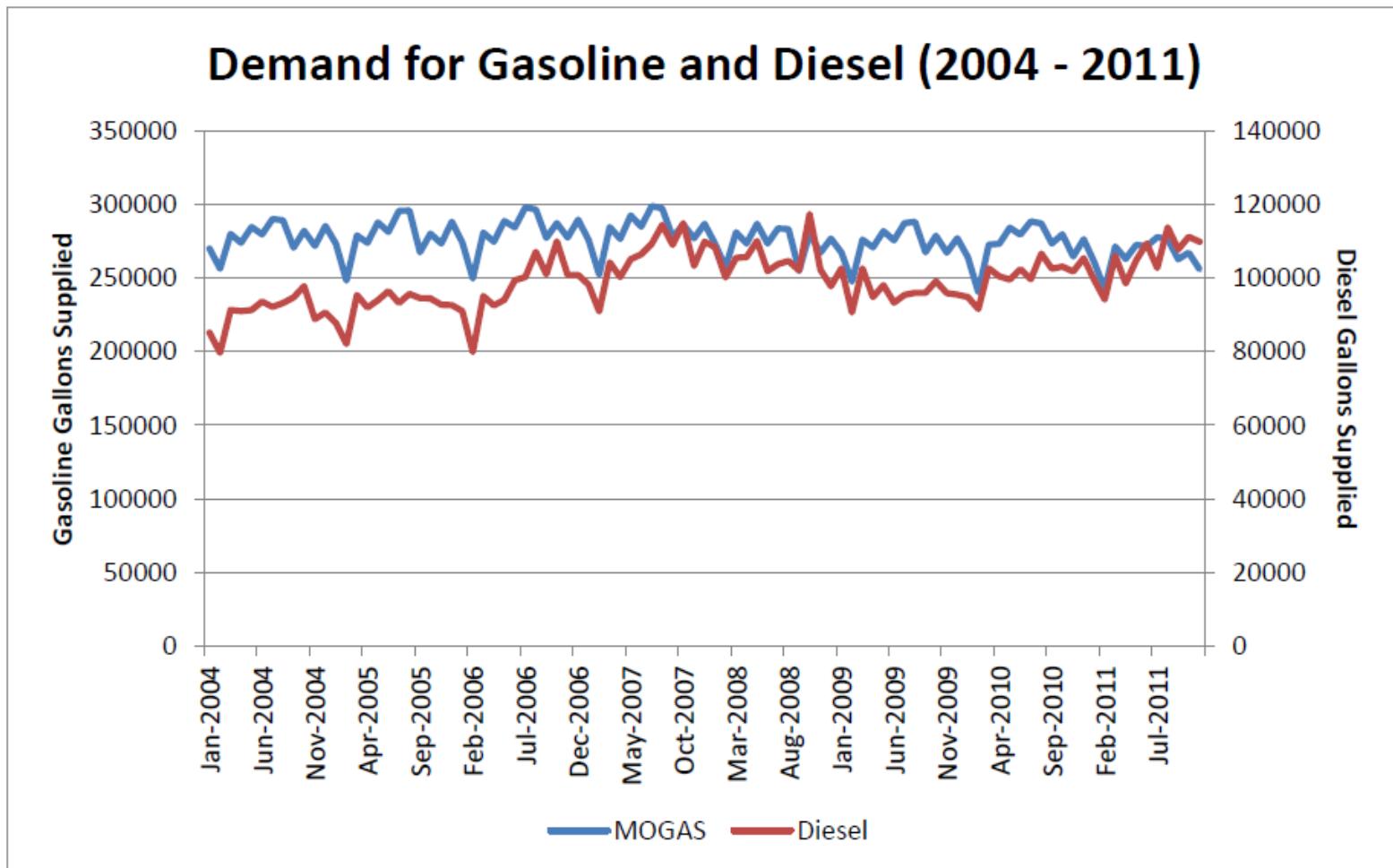


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NREL's Role in Making Calculated Decisions



Intersection of Gasoline and Diesel Demand

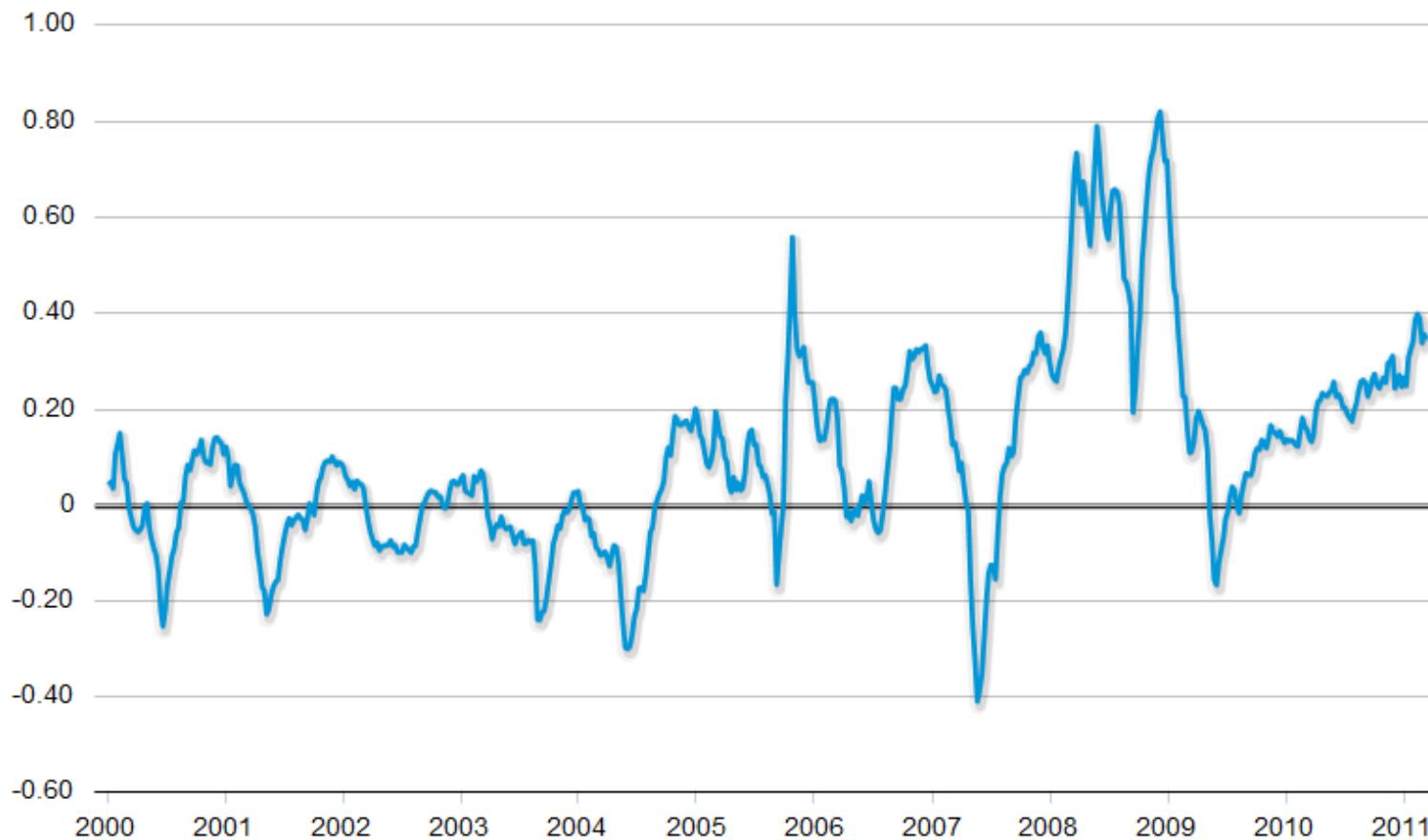


Source: NACS Retail Fuels Report 2012

Diesel Retail Prices Outpace Gasoline

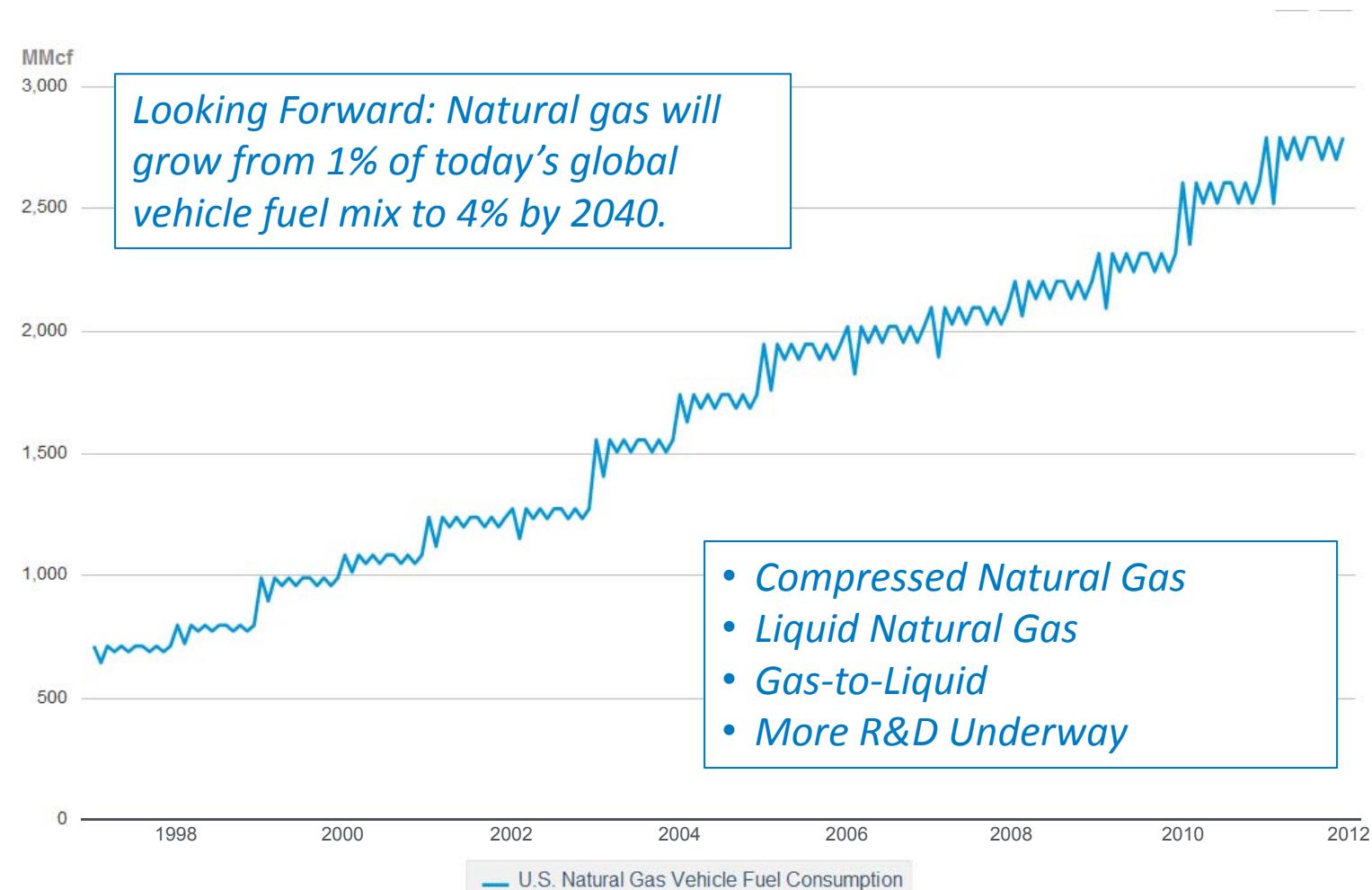
Retail diesel price minus retail gasoline price

\$ per gallon



Source: U.S. Energy Information Administration, Weekly Retail Gasoline and Diesel Prices

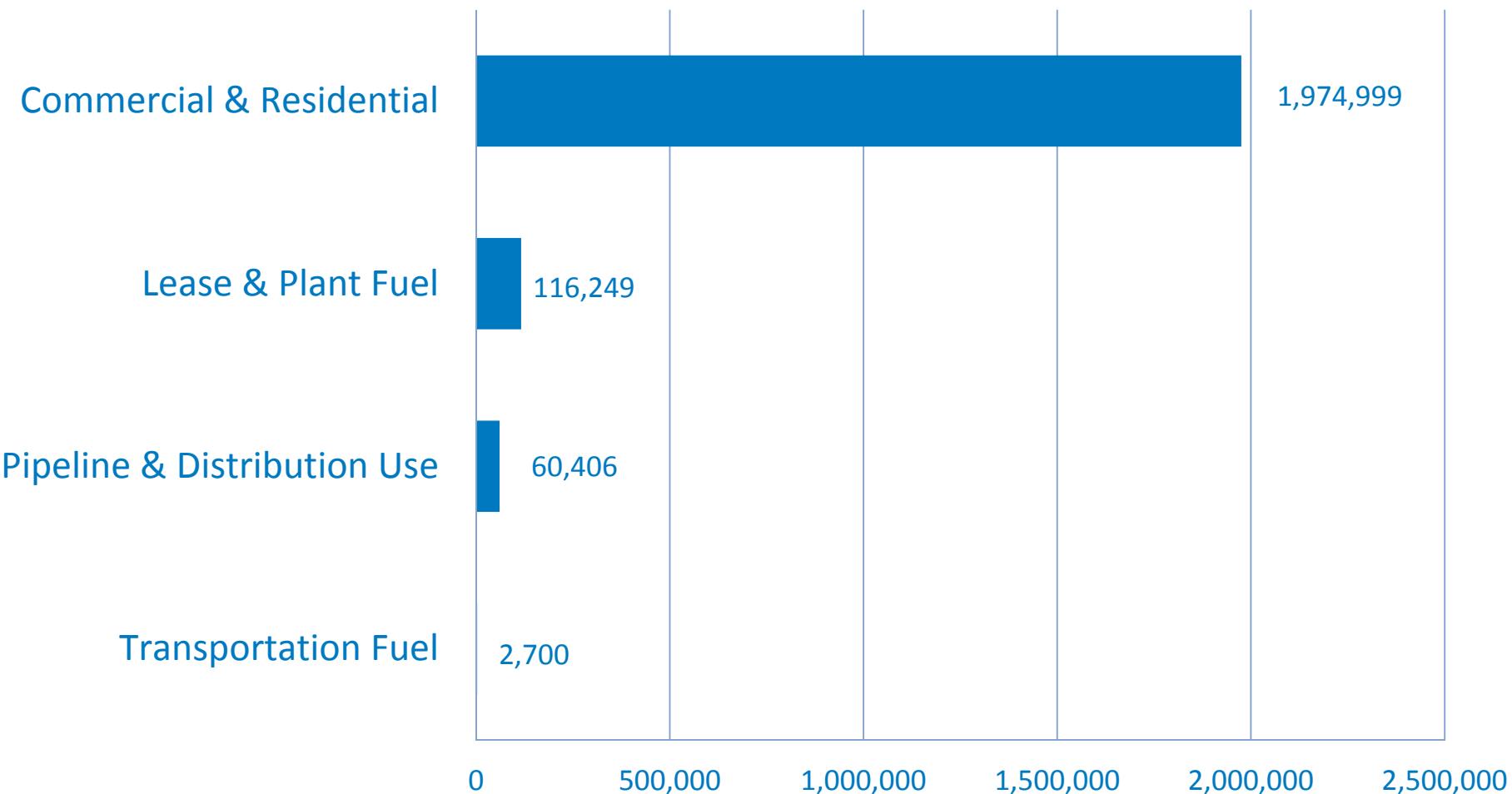
The Rise of Natural Gas Use in Transportation



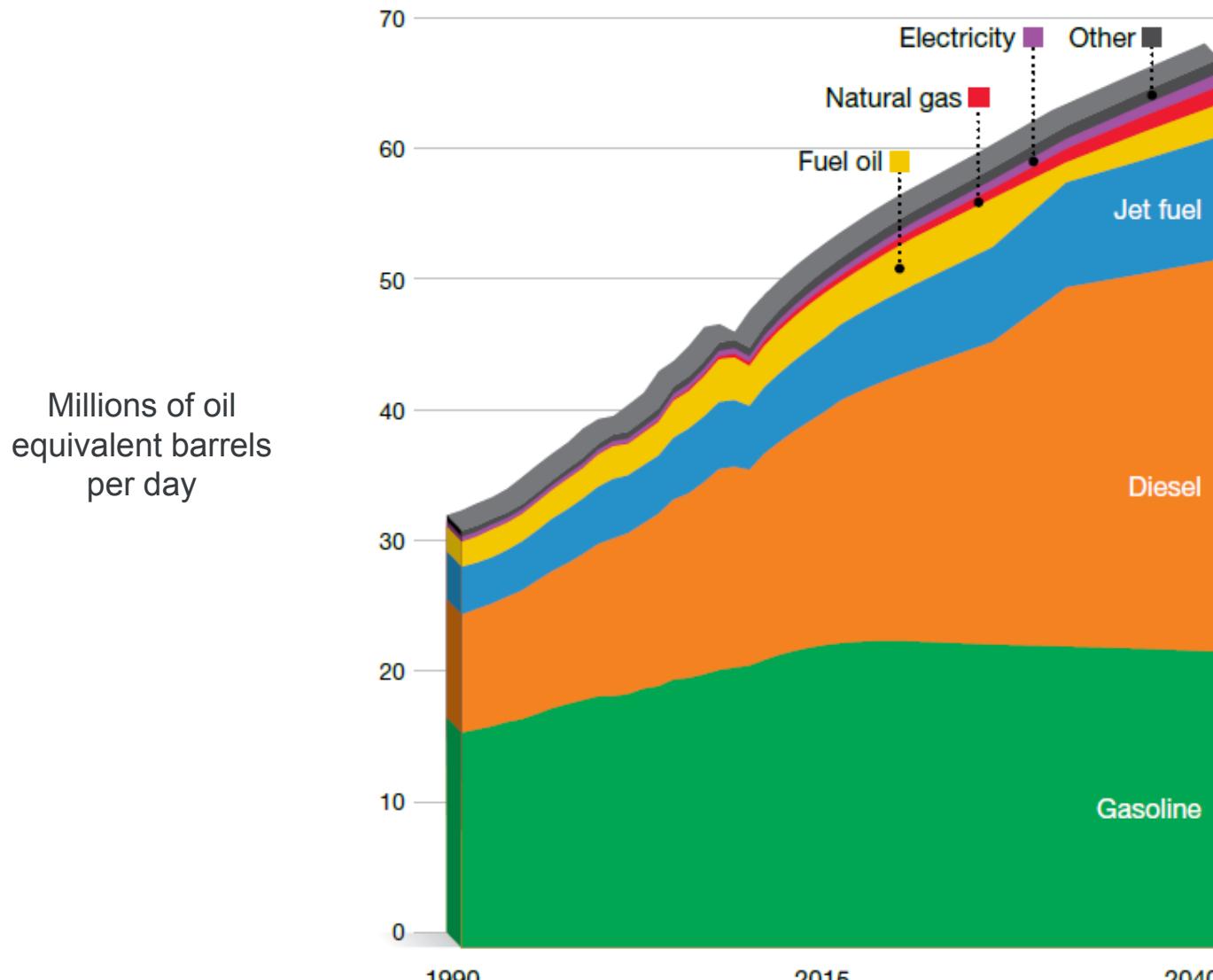
Source: U.S. Energy Information Administration

U.S. Natural Gas End Consumption

Mcf: November 2012



World Transportation Fuel Demand by Type



Source: Exxon Outlook for Energy 2012: A View to 2040

Spectrum of Advanced Biofuel Technologies



Ethanol: Grain or cellulosic material

Biodiesel: Transesterified vegetable and seed oils

Green Diesel: Hydrogenated fats, waste oils, or virgin oils

Other Fermentation Products: Butanol, acetates, lactates, etc.

Pyrolysis Liquids: Alternative feedstock to refinery

Synthesis Gas: Fischer-Tropsch liquids, methanol, dimethyl ether, or mixed alcohols.

Algae-Derived Fuels: Source of triglycerides and carbohydrates

Hydrocarbon Fuels: From hydrogenation or produced in-situ.

Looking Beyond Liquid Fuels

Vehicle technologies are advancing beyond liquid fuels, like these electric hybrids.

Electric vehicles, however, come with their own challenges.

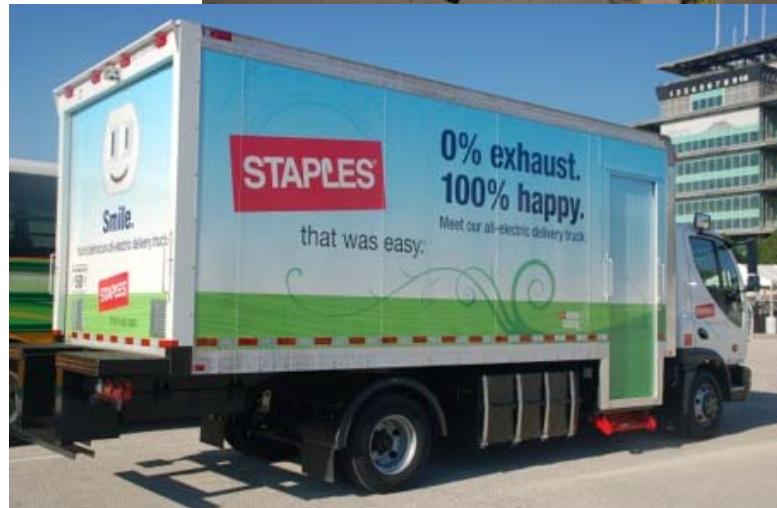


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Let's Talk Operations

NREL Approach to Support Fleet Operations

1

Analyze Your Fleet: Obtain data to deeply understand your fleet. How are you using your fleet now; What do you really need your fleet to do?

2

Analyze Your Options: Simulate potential fuel and vehicle technology applications against captured duty cycles.

3

Select Your Solution Portfolio: Understand what is right for entire fleet, depot, or route.

Spectrum of Analysis Tool



Calculators



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Create a plan for your fleet to reduce petroleum consumption and emissions.



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Ten Ways You Can Start to Cut Petroleum Use Right Now

There are hundreds of ways vehicle fleets and individual drivers can reduce petroleum use – and reap the benefits of lower emissions, cost savings, and energy security. Knowing where to start and selecting the options that work best for your needs and goals can be daunting, so the Alternative Fuels Data Center (AFDC) has compiled a list of actions you can take today, along with longer-term strategies for the future.



Behave yourself

Small changes in driver behavior can have big impacts on fuel economy. By breaking bad habits like jackrabbit starts, speeding, aggressive driving, and carrying unnecessary cargo, drivers can reduce fuel use by 10% to 20%. Check out the [Driving Behavior](#) section on the AFDC to find tips for fleets and individual drivers.

+ Go the Distance



Follow the leaders

Thousands of fleet managers, business owners, state and local officials, and other transportation decision makers across the country have blazed the trail toward petroleum-free transportation, so there's no need to reinvent the wheel. Before you undertake an initiative of your own, find out how others have successfully deployed alternative fuels, pushed the envelope on fuel economy, and achieved fleet efficiencies. The AFDC features dozens of [case studies](#), which you can search by geographic location, fuel or technology type, or fleet type.

+ Go the Distance



Explore the alternatives

When it comes to fueling your fleet, gasoline and diesel aren't the only options out there. It's possible to achieve emissions reductions and/or cost savings by using alternative fuels like [propane](#), [natural gas](#), [electricity](#), [biodiesel](#),



Connect with Clean Cities

If you're looking to leave petroleum in the rearview mirror, don't go it alone. The U.S. Department of Energy's [Clean Cities](#) program has nearly 100 local coalitions of fleets, fuel providers, businesses, utilities, and government agencies all



Don't sit idle

An idling vehicle gets 0 mpg. Yet drivers in the United States waste billions of gallons of fuel every year by running their engines while going nowhere. Reducing idling time has many benefits, including reductions in fuel use, fuel costs,

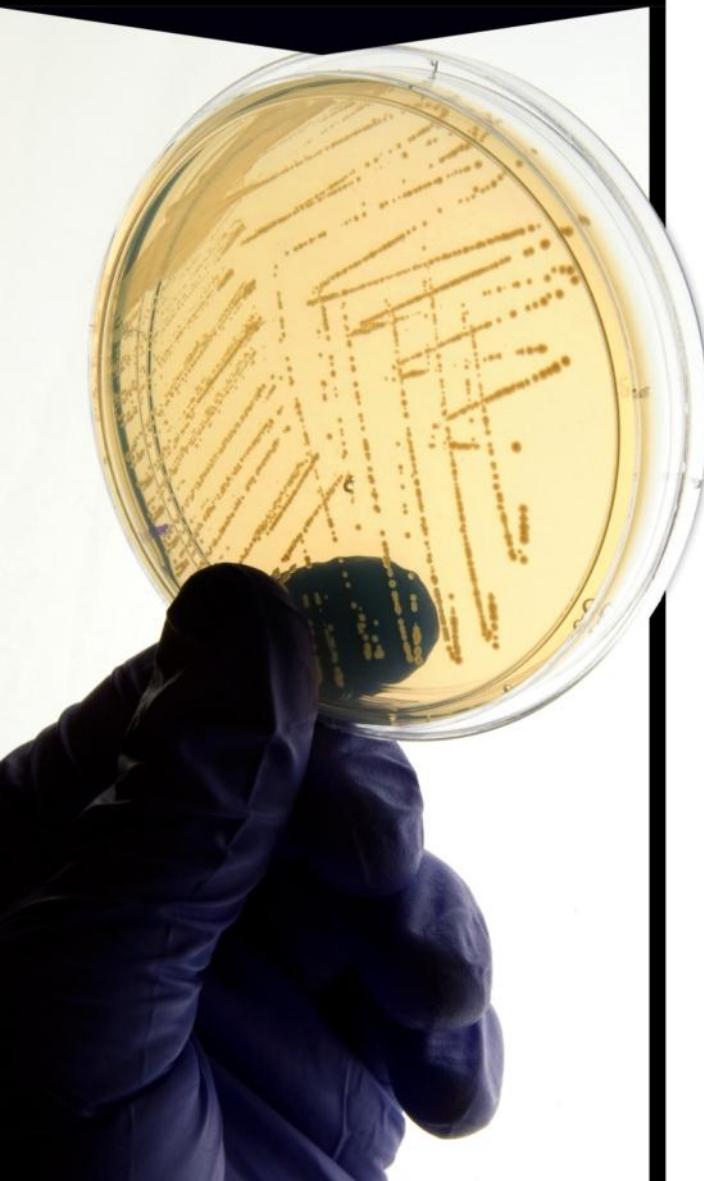


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Bringing Advanced NGVs to Market

- Partnering with California Energy Commission
- Driving innovation to make more efficient, robust NG engines
- Expanding market offerings for NGVs
- Identifying challenges across the sector
 - Policy
 - Technology
 - Behavior
- Engaging with stakeholders to solve problems

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Biofuels

Driving Down the Cost of Biofuels

- Cellulosic ethanol prices tied to cost of enzymes used to convert biomass into fermentable sugars
- NREL partnered with Novozymes and Genencor to engineer new low-cost enzyme production
- Collaborated on biomass characterization, pretreatment, and process integration research
- Exceeded enzyme cost-reduction goal by 10x
- DOE and NREL shifting focus to hydrocarbon fuels to redirect focus to replacing diesel and jet fuel (vs. gasoline)

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Enabling Heavy Hybrids

- Developed new hybrid propulsion system
- Doubles efficiency of heavy-duty trucks and buses while improving emissions
- Partnering with UPS, Coca-Cola, FedEx
- Projected savings of more than 250 million barrels of oil in 2020

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Tripling Lithium Battery Performance

- NREL patented a unique thin-film lithium battery
- Potential to triple performance at half the cost of today's lithium-ion batteries
- Licensed by Planar Energy to commercialize for electric and plug-in hybrid vehicle market
- NREL partnering with Planar in research and process development to bring to market

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Vehicle Efficiency Research - ADAM

- Built ADAM, the “sweaty, shivering” manikin to measure human thermal comfort in cars
- Air conditioning consumes 7 billion gallons of gasoline annually - 10% of imported crude oil
- NREL researchers goal is to reduce fuel used for air conditioning
- ADAM used by most major car manufacturers to test new efficient cooling systems

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Questions and Follow Up

