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1.0 System Requirements, Installation, and Set-Up

1.1 Introduction

The objective of the DrayFLEET emissions and activity model is to accurately depict drayage activity in terms of VMT, emissions, cost, and throughput, and reliably reflect the impact of changing management practices, terminal operations, and cargo volume. Drayage of marine containers is now widely recognized as a critical emissions, congestion, and capacity issue for major container ports and rail intermodal terminals. Ports, technologists, and local planning agencies are struggling to reduce emissions, reduce congestion, and increase productivity so that growing cargo flows can coexist with port and terminal area communities.

The DrayFLEET model is activity based, not statistical, and directly reflects activity changes in response to new patterns and requirements. The model attempts to capture all container drayage movements within the port system: loaded and empty containers on chassis, bare chassis, and bobtail (tractor only) moves.

In simplest terms, the model allows users to input data values typical of their port or terminal (such as annual TEU or distance to major customers) to create a base case activity and emissions estimate. The user can then make further input choices to create “what if” scenarios.

Note: Variable and output values used as examples in this user’s guide may differ slightly from the current model version.

1.2 Changes in Version 2.0

There are a few significant changes between DrayFLEET Version 1.0F (2008) and Version 2.0.

- The emission calculations have been updated to incorporate emission factors from EPA’s MOVES model.
- PM 2.5 is the primary measure for particulate emissions from diesel emissions. Therefore, separate emissions estimates for PM10 are no longer shown.
- The Secondary Inputs spreadsheet has been expanded to incorporate additional factors in empty container, bare chassis, and bobtail tractor movements.
- A Trucker Yard activity tally sheet has been added. This change gives the model additional flexibility in accommodating new patterns of empty container and chassis logistics.
- The former Crosstown activity center and spreadsheet has been eliminated, and its functions combined with other model elements.
- Simplification of the emissions calculations has materially reduced the size of the model Excel file and the time required for recalculation and iterations.

1.3 System Requirements

DrayFLEET 2.0 was updated to Microsoft Excel 2010. The nominal system requirements for Excel 2010 are:

Computer: Personal computer with an Intel Pentium 500-MHz or faster processor

Memory: 256 megabytes (MB) of RAM or greater

Hard Disk: 3.0 gigabytes of available hard-disk space (to install Office 2010)

Drive: CD-ROM or DVD drive

Display: Super VGA (800x600) or higher resolution monitor

Operating System: Microsoft Windows XP, or later

DrayFLEET 2.0 can be opened and used in Excel 2003 or Excel 2007 with the proper file conversion add-ins. Macro operation may be affected, so users of earlier Excel software should be particularly cautious.

The model itself occupies approximately 1 MB. Most users tend to save multiple copies reflecting multiple scenarios, so extensive model use may require up to 20 MB of hard disk space.

1.4 Installation

No special installation steps are required.

The model may be copied directly from the source CD or download site (<http://www.epa.gov/smartway/partnership/drage.htm>) to a designated folder on the computer.

The model is distributed as a “read only” file to prevent accidental changes to default values, equations, or cell references. The model may be left as “read only” if the user prints out the results of each scenario. If the user wants to preserve scenario inputs or alter default values the easiest method is to create a new model copy without “read only” properties. To change the “read only” status of a copy, open the folder containing the copy, right click on the copy file name, and choose “Properties” from the menu. “Read only” status is shown on the “General” tab at the bottom.

1.5 Model Set-Up

DrayFLEET is distributed as a generic model for a hypothetical container port handling 2,000,000 annual TEU

There are three basic steps to setting up the model for application to a specific port or terminal:

1. Inputting your port or terminal’s specific base case default values;
2. Resetting the default output values to create a port-specific base case; and
3. Creating scenarios as required.

2.0 Quick-Start Guide

2.1 Using the Primary Inputs & Outputs Worksheet

The Primary Inputs & Outputs worksheet is designed to be the main user interface, especially once the model has been set up with port-specific default values. This worksheet (shown in its entirety below) has five sections covering key input values, port or terminal management initiatives, activity outputs, emissions and cost outputs, and a note section to identify the model application and scenario. Note that this and other worksheet are fairly large, and it may be useful to set Excel's view at 75% of normal size to see all the fields at once.

SmartWay DrayFLEET Version 2.0 Primary Inputs & Outputs				DrayFLEET Version 2.0 of 6/12/12			
Primary Inputs		Default	Scenario	Port	Generic		
Port				Terminal(s)	Non-specific		
Calendar Year (Change manually)		2010	2010	Scenario			
Annual TEU		2,000,000	2,000,000				
Average TEU per Container		1.75	1.75				
Inbound Share		50%	50%				
Inbound Empty Share		5%	5%				
Outbound Empty Share		25%	25%				
Rail Intermodal Share		25%	25%				
Marine Terminals				Date	6/12/2012		
Average Inbound Gate Queue Minutes		20	20				
Average Marine Terminal Min. per Transaction		30	30				
Rail Terminals							
Weighted Average Miles from Port		5	5				
Average Inbound Gate Queue Minutes		5	5				
Average Rail Yard Min. per Transaction		15	15				
Container/Chassis Depots							
Weighted Average Miles from Port		2	2				
Share of Empties Stored at Depots		10%	10%				
Container Shippers/Receivers							
Weighted Average Miles from Port		25	25				
Weighted Average Crosstown Trip Miles		10	10				
Trucker Yard Operations							
Weighted Average Miles from Port		10	10				
Trucker Yard Share of Port Bobtail Moves		50%	50%				
Cost Factors							
Average Drayage Labor Cost per Hour		\$ 15.00	\$ 15.00				
Average Diesel Fuel Price per Gallon		\$ 4.00	\$ 4.00				
Initiative Inputs		Default	Scenario				
Port/Terminal Initiatives							
Stacked Terminal (% stacked)		0%	0%				
On-Dock Rail (% of rail on-dock)		0%	0%				
Automated Gates (% of gate transactions)		0%	0%				
Extended Gate Hours (% off-peak, 50% max)		0%	0%				
Container Info System (% used)		0%	0%				
Virtual Container Yard (% available)		0%	0%				
Neutral Chassis Pool (% used)		0%	0%				
				Activity Outputs	Default	Scenario	Change % Change
				Annual Activity			
				Number of Drayage Trip Legs	2,326,869	2,326,869	0 0.0%
				Drayage Trip Legs per Container	2.0	2.0	0.0 0.0%
				Total Drayage VMT	57,716,318	57,716,318	0 0.0%
				Drayage VMT per Container	50.5	50.5	0.0 0.0%
				Fleet Required (FTE Tractors)	1,453	1,453	0 0.0%
				Annual Duty Cycle Totals			
				Idle/Stopped Hours	1,778,148	1,778,148	0 0.0%
				Creep Hours	766,963	766,963	0 0.0%
				Transient Hours	509,949	509,949	0 0.0%
				Cruise Hours	1,250,578	1,250,578	0 0.0%
				Total Drayage Hours	4,305,638	4,305,638	0 0.0%
				Drayage Hours per Container	3.8	3.8	0.0 0.0%
				Outputs	Default	Scenario	Change % Change
				Pollutant (annual tons)			
				HC	68.5	68.5	- 0.0%
				CO	314.5	314.5	- 0.0%
				NOx	1,046.4	1,046.4	- 0.0%
				PM _{2.5}	71.4	71.4	- 0.0%
				CO ₂	191,892.6	191,892.6	- 0.0%
				Fuel Use and Total Cost			
				Fuel - Gallons	18,601,572	18,601,572	- 0.0%
				Total Drayage Cost	\$ 203,641,934	\$ 203,641,934	- 0.0%
				Drayage Cost per Container	\$ 178	\$ 178	- 0.0%

All of the input options are addressed in greater detail in subsequent sections of this user's guide.

2.2 Model Application and Scenario Information

The notes section at the upper right of the worksheet is provided as a convenience to the user and can be used to identify the default case, scenario, date, and other information associated with a DrayFLEET application. The entries here have no bearing on the activity or emissions estimates.

Port Terminal(s) Scenario	Generic
	Non-specific
Date	6/12/2012

2.3 Key Input Values

The port features shown in the Primary Inputs section (below) usually have the greatest impact on the emissions and cost estimates. The Default inputs (green column) represent the baseline for the port or terminal. Users can adjust the default values by entering new numbers in the scenario column and clicking on the green “Set Default Inputs and Outputs to Scenario Values” macro button. Once a port default baseline has been established, a scenario can be created (yellow column) that modifies the default inputs. The blue “Restore Generic Default Inputs & Outputs” macro button can be used to restore the generic defaults if needed.

Primary Inputs		Default	Scenario
Port			
Calendar Year (Change manually)	2010	2010	▼
Annual TEU	2,000,000	2,000,000	
Average TEU per Container	1.75	1.75	
Inbound Share	50%	50%	
Inbound Empty Share	5%	5%	
Outbound Empty Share	25%	25%	
Rail Intermodal Share	25%	25%	
Marine Terminals			
Average Inbound Gate Queue Minutes	20	20	
Average Marine Terminal Min. per Transaction	30	30	
Rail Terminals			
Weighted Average Miles from Port	5	5	
Average Inbound Gate Queue Minutes	5	5	
Average Rail Yard Min. per Transaction	15	15	
Container/Chassis Depots			
Weighted Average Miles from Port	2	2	
Share of Empties Stored at Depots	10%	10%	
Container Shippers/Receivers			
Weighted Average Miles from Port	25	25	
Weighted Average Crosstown Trip Miles	10	10	
Trucker Yard Operations			
Weighted Average Miles from Port	10	10	
Trucker Yard Share of Port Bobtail Moves	50%	50%	
Cost Factors			
Average Drayage Labor Cost per Hour	\$ 15.00	\$ 15.00	
Average Diesel Fuel Price per Gallon	\$ 4.00	\$ 4.00	

The Scenario cells are initially set equal to the Default cells. They will change as new default values are entered, or as the initial Scenario values are changed to create a new Scenario.

2.4 Initiative Inputs

The second section of the worksheet covers Initiative Inputs.

Initiative Inputs		Default	
Port/Terminal Initiatives			
Stacked Terminal (% stacked)		0%	0%
On-Dock Rail (% of rail on-dock)		0%	0%
Automated Gates (% of gate transactions)		0%	0%
Extended Gate Hours (% off-peak, 50% max)		0%	0%
Container Info System (% used)		0%	0%
Virtual Container Yard (% available)		0%	0%
Neutral Chassis Pool (% used)		0%	0%

The user has the option to “dial in” the extent to which these various port or terminal management and operations initiatives have been implemented by entering an appropriate percentage in the scenario column. The defaults are all zero. Since most ports have undertaken at least some of these measures, the default should be adjusted to match the base case.

The model can be used to analytically “back out” the estimated effects of a measure already taken by setting the default value to the current condition (50% stacked terminals, for example) and setting the scenario input to zero. The model will then be estimating the difference between activity and emissions with and without the initiative at issue.

2.5 Activity Outputs

The lower portion of the Primary Inputs and Outputs worksheet provides high-level comparisons of Default and Scenario drayage activity (below). Any change in the drayage activity will be mirrored in an emissions change.

Activity Outputs	Default	Scenario	Change	% Change
Annual Activity				
Number of Drayage Trip Legs	2,326,869	2,326,869	0	0.0%
Drayage Trip Legs per Container	2.0	2.0	0.0	0.0%
Total Drayage VMT	57,716,318	57,716,318	0	0.0%
Drayage VMT per Container	50.5	50.5	0.0	0.0%
Fleet Required (FTE Tractors)	1,453	1,453	0	0.0%
Annual Duty Cycle Totals				
Idle/Stopped Hours	1,778,148	1,778,148	0	0.0%
Creep Hours	766,963	766,963	0	0.0%
Transient Hours	509,949	509,949	0	0.0%
Cruise Hours	1,250,578	1,250,578	0	0.0%
Total Drayage Hours	4,305,638	4,305,638	0	0.0%
Drayage Hours per Container	3.8	3.8	0.0	0.0%

The major activity measures are the number of trip legs (e.g. one-way trips between port facilities), the total Vehicle Miles Traveled (VMT), and the time spent in each of four operating modes (Idle, Creep, Transient, and Cruise). Per container estimates are provided as a means of distinguishing the total impact of volume from the unit impact of operational changes. The number of full-time equivalent (FTE) drayage tractors required is provided as an indication of changing fleet requirements.

2.6 Outputs

The pollutant outputs (below) give estimated annual tons for five different pollutants. As pollutant emissions mix varies with the duty cycle, the proportions will change under various scenarios. Fuel Use is listed under Outputs and it is also a major factor in the estimated cost. The total cost and cost

per unit provides a sense of the tradeoffs required to achieve some emissions reductions, and the cost savings possible with productivity improvements.

Outputs	Default	Scenario	Change	% Change
Pollutant (annual tons)				
HC	68.5	68.5	-	0.0%
CO	314.5	314.5	-	0.0%
NOx	1,046.4	1,046.4	-	0.0%
PM _{2.5}	71.4	71.4	-	0.0%
CO ₂	191,892.6	191,892.6	-	0.0%
Fuel Use and Total Cost				
Fuel - Gallons	18,601,572	18,601,572	-	0.0%
Total Drayage Cost	\$ 203,641,934	\$ 203,641,934	\$ -	0.0%
Drayage Cost per Container	\$ 178	\$ 178	\$ -	0.0%

2.7 Changing and Reversing Scenario Inputs

Individual scenario input values can be easily changed to observe the impact on model outputs using standard Excel features. For example, the graphic below shows a change from 25% rail intermodal (default) to a scenario with 50% rail intermodal, resulting in reduced emissions.

SmartWay DrayFLEET Version 2.0 Primary Inputs & Outputs

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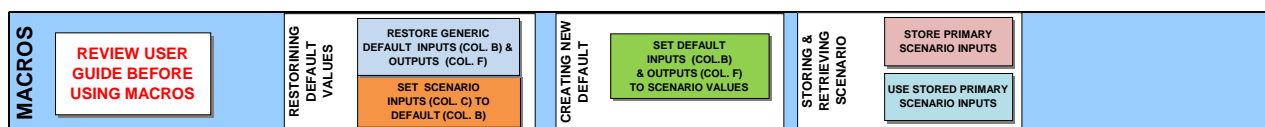
Primary Inputs			Default	Scenario	Port	Generic					
Port					Terminal(s)	Non-specific					
Calendar Year (Change manually)					2010	2010					
Annual TEU					2,000,000	2,000,000					
Average TEU per Container					1.75	1.75					
Inbound Share					50%	50%					
Inbound Empty Share					5%	5%					
Outbound Empty Share					25%	25%					
Rail Intermodal Share					25%	50%					
Marine Terminals											
Average Inbound Gate Queue Minutes					20	20					
Average Marine Terminal Min. per Transaction					30	30					
Rail Terminals											
Weighted Average Miles from Port					5	5					
Average Inbound Gate Queue Minutes					5	5					
Average Rail Yard Min. per Transaction					15	15					
Container/Chassis Depots											
Weighted Average Miles from Port					2	2					
Share of Empties Stored at Depots					10%	10%					
Container Shippers/Receivers											
Weighted Average Miles from Port					25	25					
Weighted Average Crosstown Trip Miles					10	10					
Trucker Yard Operations											
Weighted Average Miles from Port					10	10					
Trucker Yard Share of Port Bobtail Moves					50%	50%					
Cost Factors											
Average Drayage Labor Cost per Hour					\$ 15.00	\$ 15.00					
Average Diesel Fuel Price per Gallon					\$ 4.00	\$ 4.00					
Initiative Inputs			Default	Scenario	Outputs	Default					
Port/Terminal Initiatives					Pollutant (annual tons)	Scenario					
Stacked Terminal (% stacked)					0%	0%	HC	68.5	55.5	(14.1)	-19.1%
On-Dock Rail (% of rail on-dock)					0%	0%	CO	314.5	250.2	(64.2)	-20.4%
Automated Gates (% of gate transactions)					0%	0%	NOx	1,046.4	828.0	(218.4)	-20.9%
Extended Gate Hours (% off-peak, 50% max)					0%	0%	PM2.5	71.4	57.0	(14.4)	-20.2%
Container Info System (% used)					0%	0%	CO2	191,892.6	152,320.9	(39,571.7)	-20.6%
Virtual Container Yard (% available)					0%	0%	Fuel Use and Total Cost				
Neutral Chassis Pool (% used)					0%	0%	Fuel - Gallons	18,601,572	14,765,597	(3,835,975)	-20.6%
							Total Drayage Cost	\$ 203,641,934	\$ 170,104,650	\$(33,537,284)	-16.5%
							Drayage Cost per Container	\$ 178	\$ 149	\$(29)	-16.5%

There are multiple other ways to save a copy of the Primary Inputs & Outputs worksheet as a record of scenario inputs and outputs.

- Print a hard copy¹ of the worksheet.
- Use Paste Special in Word to insert an image of the worksheet into a Word document as a Picture².
- Use Adobe Acrobat®, Scansoft PDF Create!®, or other software to save an image of the worksheet as a PDF file.
- Save a copy of the entire DrayFLEET model with an appropriate filename.

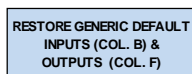
2.8 Using DrayFLEET Macros to Manage Inputs

There are five macro buttons at the bottom of the Primary Inputs and Outputs worksheet (below).

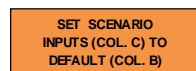


These buttons can be used to manage default and scenario inputs on the Primary Inputs and Outputs worksheet.

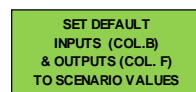
In DrayFLEET Version 2.0 these macros do not affect inputs on the Drayage Fleet Inputs, Cost and Capacity, or individual activity tally worksheets. Those inputs must still be managed manually.



Restore Generic Default Inputs (Col. B) & Outputs (Col. F). This macro, activated by clicking the button, will replace the current default input and output values (green cells) on the *primary* input page with the original generic defaults stored in the model. Any customized default values will be overwritten. To preserve a customized base case, either save a separate version of the model (recommended) or do not use this button.



Set Scenario Inputs (Col. C) to Default (Col. B). As the model comes the scenario values are set equal to the default values. Inputting new scenario values will override these formulas. Use this button to reset the *primary* scenario values equal to the *current* defaults. To set the scenario values to the *generic* defaults, use the Restore Generic Default Inputs & Outputs button first.



Set Default Inputs (Col. B) and Outputs (Col. F) to Scenario Values. The easiest way to create a customized default or base case model is to create a customized scenario and then, once the user is satisfied, click this button to reset the *primary* default values to the new scenario. The Restore Generic Default Inputs and Outputs button (above) will reverse this process.

¹ This will not, however, show any changes that have been made on other model worksheets, such as the detailed inputs on the drayage activity sheets.

² Do not attempt to paste the worksheet as a Microsoft Excel Object.

STORE PRIMARY
SCENARIO INPUTS

Store Primary Scenario Inputs. DrayFLEET Version 2.0 will save one set of primary scenario inputs internally. Use this button to store those primary input values in the model for reuse later. *Note that this button does not affect the scenario calendar year, which must be reset manually.*

USE STORED
PRIMARY SCENARIO
INPUTS

Use Stored Primary Scenario Inputs. This button will replace the Scenario inputs on the Primary Inputs and Outputs worksheet with the stored scenario values. The default outputs can be set to the stored scenario values by using this button first, then using the green Set Default Inputs and Outputs to Scenario Values button above.

DrayFLEET Version 2.0 does not have safeguards against accidental use of these buttons and resulting loss of data. The user is urged to use them cautiously.

3.0 Inputting Default Values

3.1 Creating a Base Case

With one the generic port versions as a starting point, the next step is to input new default values as necessary to create a base case for the terminal or port being modeled. For example, you will want to input your annual TEU numbers instead of the default values. The default value should be replaced whenever more accurate local estimates are available.

It is recommended that the user start by saving a working copy of the model with a new file name such as “Myport Drayage Model.xlsm”.

The Secondary Inputs worksheet, discussed in a later section, has additional Marine Terminal options.

3.2 Primary Inputs

Setting up a base case for the port or terminal being modeled requires inputting new default values where local conditions differ from the initial model version chosen. The Primary Inputs & Outputs spreadsheet is used to assemble the basic model inputs, as indicated in the Quick Start section. For each of the Primary Inputs there is a Default value and a Scenario value. The model uses the Default value unless it is superseded by a different user entry in the Scenario columns.

SmartWay DrayFLEET Version 2.0 Primary Inputs & Outputs				DrayFLEET Version 2.0 of 6/12/12			
Primary Inputs		Default	Scenario				
Port				Port	Generic		
Calendar Year (Change manually)		2010	2010	Terminal(s)	Non-specific		
Annual TEU		2,000,000	2,000,000	Scenario			
Average TEU per Container		1.75	1.75				
Inbound Share		50%	50%				
Inbound Empty Share		5%	5%				
Outbound Empty Share		25%	25%				
Rail Intermodal Share		25%	50%				
Marine Terminals				Date	6/12/2012		
Average Inbound Gate Queue Minutes		20	20				
Average Marine Terminal Min. per Transaction		30	30				
Rail Terminals				Activity Outputs	Default	Scenario	Change % Change
Weighted Average Miles from Port		5	5	Annual Activity			
Average Inbound Gate Queue Minutes		5	5	Number of Drayage Trip Legs	2,326,869	2,091,393	-235,476 -10.1%
Average Rail Yard Min. per Transaction		15	15	Drayage Trip Legs per Container	2.0	1.8	-0.2 -10.1%
Container/Chassis Depots				Total Drayage VMT	57,716,318	44,742,845	-12,973,473 -22.5%
Weighted Average Miles from Port		2	2	Drayage VMT per Container	50.5	39.1	-11.4 -22.5%
Share of Empties Stored at Depots		10%	10%	Fleet Required (FTE Tractors)	1,453	1,205	-248 -17.1%
Container Shippers/Receivers				Annual Duty Cycle Totals			
Weighted Average Miles from Port		25	25	Idle/Stopped Hours	1,778,148	1,525,101	-253,047 -14.2%
Weighted Average Crosstown Trip Miles		10	10	Creep Hours	766,963	659,744	-107,218 -14.0%
Trucker Yard Operations				Transient Hours	509,949	430,676	-79,273 -15.5%
Weighted Average Miles from Port		10	10	Cruise Hours	1,250,578	955,602	-294,977 -23.6%
Trucker Yard Share of Port Bobtail Moves		50%	50%	Total Drayage Hours	4,305,638	3,571,124	-734,515 -17.1%
Cost Factors				Drayage Hours per Container	3.8	3.1	-0.6 -17.1%
Average Drayage Labor Cost per Hour		\$ 15.00	\$ 15.00	Outputs	Default	Scenario	Change % Change
Average Diesel Fuel Price per Gallon		\$ 4.00	\$ 4.00	Pollutant (annual tons)			
Initiative Inputs		Default	Scenario	HC	68.5	55.5	(13.1) -19.1%
Stacked Terminal (% stacked)		0%	0%	CO	314.5	250.2	(64.2) -20.4%
On-Dock Rail (% of rail on-dock)		0%	0%	NOx	1,046.4	828.0	(218.4) -20.9%
Automated Gates (% of gate transactions)		0%	0%	PM _{2.5}	71.4	57.0	(14.4) -20.2%
Extended Gate Hours (% off-peak, 50% max)		0%	0%	CO ₂	191,892.6	152,320.9	(39,571.7) -20.6%
Container Info System (% used)		0%	0%	Fuel Use and Total Cost			
Virtual Container Yard (% available)		0%	0%	Fuel - Gallons	18,601,572	14,765,597	(3,835,975) -20.6%
Neutral Chassis Pool (% used)		0%	0%	Total Drayage Cost	\$ 203,641,934	\$ 170,104,650	\$ (33,537,284) -16.5%
				Drayage Cost per Container	\$ 178	\$ 149	\$ (29) -16.5%

The Scenario value cells are initially set equal to the Default cells, and will change as new default values are entered. All user data is entered in the yellow Scenario cells. The Default can be updated with the Scenario values by clicking on the green “Set Default Inputs and Outputs to Scenario Values” button.

The key port and terminal inputs specify the overall volume and pattern of container movements. The generic model version offers the user convenient starting points to avoid having to input every variable.

3.3 Primary Port Inputs

Primary Inputs		Default	Scenario
Port			
Calendar Year (Change manually)	2010	2010	▼
Annual TEU	2,000,000	2,000,000	
Average TEU per Container	1.75	1.75	
Inbound Share	50%	50%	
Inbound Empty Share	5%	5%	
Outbound Empty Share	25%	25%	
Rail Intermodal Share	25%	25%	

Calendar Year – Default 2010. Choose the calendar year for the analysis using the drop-down menu. Users can estimate historic emissions (to develop a baseline), current emissions, or future emissions.

Annual TEU – Default 2,000,000 TEU. Enter the total annual Twenty-foot Equivalent Units (TEU) handled by the port or terminal in question.

Average TEU/Container – Default 1.75. Enter the appropriate factor to convert the TEU data to an equivalent container count. The value is usually between 1.5 (equivalent to half 20' and half 40') and 1.9 (equivalent to a predominance of 40' and 45' containers).

Inbound Share – Default 50%. Enter the percentage of TEU or containers moving inbound from vessel to port or terminal, whether loaded or empty, import or domestic cargo. The inbound share should be based on TEU or container count, not tonnage or revenue.

Inbound Empty % – Default 5%. Enter the percentage of import TEU or containers that arrive empty. This factor is usually small, but is included for comprehensiveness.

Outbound Empty % – Default 25%. Enter the percentage of outbound TEU or containers that depart empty. This factor typically ranges from a low of near 10% at ports with nearly balanced trade to a high of around 60%-70% at very imbalanced ports.

Rail Intermodal Share – Default 25%. Enter the total percentage of on-dock and off-dock rail intermodal movement of port containers (in % of TEU or containers, not tonnage), both loaded and empty. This percentage should not include cargo transloaded to domestic containers or trailers, or domestic freight moved in international containers. The split between on-dock and off-dock rail is entered under Initiative Inputs.

3.4 Primary Marine Terminal Inputs

Marine Terminals		
Average Inbound Gate Queue Minutes	20	20
Average Marine Terminal Min. per Transaction	30	30

Average Inbound Gate Queue Minutes – Default 20 minutes. Enter the average minutes that drayage drivers spend waiting in queues outside terminal gates. Typical values could range from 5 to 60 minutes. The time spent at the gate and the time spent transacting business inside the terminal are separate variables.

Average Marine Terminal Minutes per Transaction – Default 30 minutes. Enter the average minutes required inside the marine terminal container yard to complete a single transaction. Such transactions include picking up or draying a loaded or empty container or chassis, locating or draying a bare chassis, switching containers between chassis (a “chassis flip”), or live lifts of containers on or off a chassis. The model default uses the same time for each of these transactions, with 30 minutes being a common rule of thumb, except for longer times for chassis flips. The user can specify different times for individual activities on the Marine Terminal Spreadsheet if desired.

3.5 Primary Rail Terminal Inputs

The primary rail terminal inputs characterize movements at off-dock rail intermodal facilities.

Rail Terminals			
Weighted Average Miles from Port		5	5
Average Inbound Gate Queue Minutes		5	5
Average Rail Yard Min. per Transaction		15	15

Weighted Average Miles from Marine Terminal – Default 5 miles. Where there is only one marine terminal and one off-dock rail terminal, enter the distance between them. In a port complex system with multiple off-dock rail terminals and marine terminals, enter a weighted average distance. Distances should be weighted by the approximate relative volumes of containers to each off-dock rail terminal.

Average Inbound Gate Queue Minutes – Default 5 minutes. Enter the average time draymen spend waiting to enter the inbound gates at off-dock rail terminals. Time spent at the gate and in the terminal are separate factors.

Average Rail Yard Minutes per Transaction – Default 15 minutes. Enter the average time required in the rail terminal yard (after passing through the gate) for a single transaction: e.g. picking up or dropping off a loaded container, empty container, or bare chassis. The transaction time for rail terminals is typically faster than for marine terminals.

3.6 Primary Container Depot Inputs

Container depots are off-terminal storage and maintenance facilities for containers (and sometimes chassis). The use of off-terminal storage varies widely – highest at ports with large accumulations of empty containers and limited on-terminal capacity, lowest where loaded container flows balance and terminals have more space.

Container/Chassis Depots			
Weighted Average Miles from Port		2	2
Share of Empties Stored at Depots		10%	10%

Weighted Average Miles from Marine Terminal – Default 2 miles. Where there is just one marine terminal and one depot, enter the distance between them. Where there are multiple terminals and multiple depots the input value should be the weighted average

Share of Empties Stored at Depots – Default 10%. Enter the percentage of empty containers that are either returned to a leasing company depot (“off-hired”) or stored at a depot for other reasons.

3.7 Primary Shipper/Receivers Inputs

At most ports local and regional shipper (exporter) and receiver (consignee, importer) facilities are the most common end points for port drayage trips.

Container Shippers/Receivers		
Weighted Average Miles from Port	25	25
Weighted Average Crosstown Trip Miles	10	10

Weighted Average Miles from Port – Default 25 miles. Enter the average distance traveled to local and regional shippers and consignees. Ideally, the input value should be an average of distances weighted by the volume of containers traveling each distance. Users are encouraged to consult with their states or local air quality planners to determine the appropriate geographic area to assess drayage emissions.

Weighted Average Crosstown Miles – Default 10 miles. Enter the average distance between shipper/receiver locations, container depots, trucker yards, and rail terminals. This input should ideally be the weighted average of all crosstown trips.

3.8 Primary Trucker Yard Inputs

Many port truckers (drayage firms) maintain off-terminal operating locations or storage lots (trucker yards). These facilities are used to store and sometimes maintain truck tractors, and to store or stage empty or loaded containers on chassis (or bare chassis) for short periods. Typical uses include overnight parking for containers on chassis that could not be delivered that day, exchanging containers on chassis between long-haul and local drivers, and temporary staging of empty containers for subsequent use by export customers. These facilities do not ordinarily have lift equipment (except when combined with container depots), so containers remain on their chassis there. The use of trucker yard staging and storage is increasing in ports with complex movement patterns. Where and when truckers take over chassis supply responsibility trucker yard activity is expected to expand accordingly.

Trucker Yard Operations		
Weighted Average Miles from Port	10	10
Trucker Yard Share of Port Bobtail Moves	50%	50%

Weighted Average Miles from Marine Terminal – Default 10 miles. Where there are multiple terminals and multiple trucker yards the input value should be the weighted average distance between them.

Trucker Yard Share of Port Bobtail Moves – Default 50%. Enter the percentage of bobtail tractor moves within the port area that start or end at a trucker yard. .

3.9 Drayage Cost Inputs

There are two drayage cost inputs in the Primary Inputs section; others are on the Cost & Capacity worksheet.

Cost Factors		
Average Drayage Labor Cost per Hour	\$ 15.00	\$ 15.00
Average Diesel Fuel Price per Gallon	\$ 4.00	\$ 4.00

Average Labor Cost per Hour – Default \$15.00. Enter the average hourly cost of drayage labor (truck drivers). For owner-operators, this would be the average hourly earnings after expenses. For employee drivers, this would be wages plus benefits.

Average Fuel Price – Default \$4.00. Enter the average price per gallon for diesel fuel.

3.10 Initiative Inputs

This section of the input worksheet allows users to specify the extent to which various port and terminal management initiatives have been implemented. **Users are encouraged to review the DrayFLEET model technical report (available on the SmartWay website <http://www.epa.gov/smartway/publications/index.htm>) for more detail on these management initiatives.**

Initiative Inputs		Default	
Port/Terminal Initiatives			
Stacked Terminal (% stacked)	0%	0%	
On-Dock Rail (% of rail on-dock)	0%	0%	
Automated Gates (% of gate transactions)	0%	0%	
Extended Gate Hours (% off-peak, 50% max)	0%	0%	
Container Info System (% used)	0%	0%	
Virtual Container Yard (% available)	0%	0%	
Neutral Chassis Pool (% used)	0%	0%	

Stacked Terminal – Default 0%. Enter the percentage of containers (loaded and empty) that are typically stacked at the marine terminal(s) rather than parked on chassis. Because a stacked terminals requires drayman to make additional in-terminal moves to pick up and drop bare chassis, increasing the percentage of stacking will increase total drayage activity and emissions unless accompanied by a neutral chassis pool (see below) to rationalize the chassis supply.

On-Dock Rail – Default 0%. Enter the percentage of rail intermodal containers or TEU that are transferred at on-dock rail facilities rather than at off-dock or near-dock facilities. The model assumes no truck drayage at on-dock rail facilities.

Automated Gates – Default 0%. Enter the percentage of container or TEU that are handled at automated terminal gates (e.g. via OCR, swipe card, RFID, or other technology that reduces time at the gates). Alternately, the user can enter the percentage of gates that are automated, assuming that each gate handles the same percentage of containers.

Extended Gate Hours – Default 0%. Enter the percentage of containers or TEU that pass through terminal gates in off-peak hours, up to a maximum of 50%.

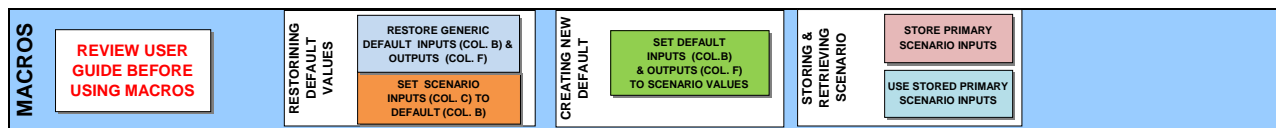
Container Information System – Default 0%. Enter the percentage of containers or TEU whose movement or handing is covered by a port or terminal information system accessible to draymen (e.g. eModal, VoyagerTrack). This value is usually less than 100% because some drayage firms or infrequent truckers do not use such systems.

Virtual Container Yard – Default 0%. Enter the percentage of containers or TEU for which a Virtual Container Yard (VCY) or other container status and interchange system is available (even if the container in question is not listed as available). This value is usually less than 100% because some drayage firms do not use available systems. Note that a VCY can make very little difference if crosstown relocation distances between importers and exporters are long (comparable to shipper-to-port distances) or if a very few container are being reused to begin with (Default 1%, see Secondary Inputs).

Neutral Chassis Pool – Default 0%. Enter the percentage of containers or TEU handled at terminals with neutral chassis pools (or alternately, the percentage of containers or TEU mounted on neutral pool chassis). Use of a neutral chassis pool will change the impact of a stacked terminal from negative (more activity and emissions) to positive (less activity and reduced emissions).

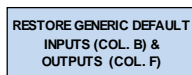
3.11 Using DrayFLEET Macros to Manage Primary Inputs and Outputs

There are five macro buttons at the bottom of the Primary Inputs and Outputs worksheet (below).

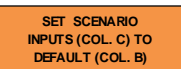


These buttons can be used to manage default and scenario inputs on the Primary Inputs and Outputs worksheet.

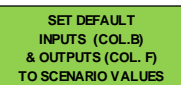
In DrayFLEET Version 2.0 these macros do not affect inputs on the Drayage Fleet Inputs, Cost and Capacity, or individual activity tally worksheets. Those inputs must still be managed manually.



Restore Generic Default Inputs (Col. B) & Outputs (Col. F). This macro, activated by clicking the button, will replace the current default input and output values (green cells) on the *primary* input page with the original generic defaults stored in the model. Any customized default values will be overwritten. To preserve a customized base case, either save a separate version of the model (recommended) or do not use this button.



Set Scenario Inputs (Col. C) to Default (Col. B). As the model comes the scenario values are set equal to the default values. Inputting new scenario values will override these formulas. Use this button to reset the *primary* scenario values equal to the *current* defaults. To set the scenario values to the *generic* defaults, use the Restore Generic Default Inputs & Outputs button first.



Set Default Inputs (Col. B) and Outputs (Col. F) to Scenario Values. The easiest way to create a customized default or base case model is to create a customized scenario and then, once the user is satisfied, click this button to reset the

primary default values to the new scenario. The Restore Generic Default Inputs and Outputs button (above) will reverse this process.

STORE PRIMARY
SCENARIO INPUTS

Store Primary Scenario Inputs. DrayFLEET Version 2.0 will save one set of primary scenario inputs internally. Use this button to store those primary input values in the model for reuse later. *Note that this button does not affect the scenario calendar year, which must be reset manually.*

USE STORED
PRIMARY SCENARIO
INPUTS

Use Stored Primary Scenario Inputs. This button will replace the Scenario inputs on the Primary Inputs and Outputs worksheet with the stored scenario values. The default outputs can be set to the stored scenario values by using this button first, then using the green Set Default Inputs and Outputs to Scenario Values button above.

DrayFLEET Version 2.0 does not have safeguards against accidental use of these buttons and resulting loss of data. The user is urged to use them cautiously.

3.12 Secondary Inputs

The Secondary Inputs worksheet (below) provides an opportunity to fine-tune several aspects of port and terminal container flow and drayage operations. The model contains typical or generic default values for all these inputs. Wherever data is available to set these parameters to port-specific or terminal-specific values, the accuracy of the DrayFLEET model will be improved.

SmartWay DrayFLEET Version 2.0 Secondary Inputs							
This worksheet allows the user to specify drayage activity parameters in greater detail where information is available.							
		Default	Scenario		Default	Scenario	
Port Operations				Shipper/Receiver Operations			
	Barge/transshipment share	0%	0%		% bobtail moves	20%	20%
	Inter-terminal dray percentage	1%	1%		% of drivers waiting for load/unload	50%	50%
Marine Terminal Operations					% of empties supplied from depots	1%	1%
	% of bobtails using bypass gate	90%	90%		% of empties returned to depots	3%	3%
	% bobtail tractors at gates	20%	20%		% of empties reused for loads	2%	2%
Rail Terminal Operations					% of empties drayed to trucker yards	2%	2%
	% bobtail tractors at gates	20%	20%		% of empties drayed from trucker yards	2%	2%
	% of bobtails using bypass gate	90%	90%	Trucker Yard Operations			
	% live lift	0%	0%		% of imp. loads staged at trucker yards	1%	1%
	% of rail empties returned to depots	1%	1%		% of exp. loads staged at trucker yards	1%	1%
Container Depot Operations				Other Port Truck Operations			
	% bobtail moves	20%	20%		Weighted average miles from port	25	25.0
	% live lift at depots	80%	80%		Export tons trucked	-	0.0
	% of depot empties sent to rail	1%	1%		Average export tons per truck	20	20.0
	% of import loads drayed to depots	0%	0%		Import tons trucked	-	0.0
	% of export loads drayed to depots	0%	0%		Average import tons per truck	20	20.0
Chassis Supply					% bobtail moves	10%	10%
	% of chassis based at depots	10%	10%				
	% of chassis based at trucker yards	0%	0%				
	Average outgate container moves per chassis use	1.0	1.0				
	Frequency of non-trucker chassis staging at trucker yard	0%	0%				

The multiple variables in the Secondary Inputs worksheet affect the estimated flows of containers, chassis, and bobtail tractors between port-area facilities. The interactions of these movements means that few of the variables are ever zero or 100%. It is possible to enter conflicting values on this worksheet. For example, setting the percentage of chassis based at container depots to zero while setting the percentage of chassis returned to depots from shipper and receivers at 100% is likely to lead to anomalous results. Caution and cross-checking is therefore advisable in developing scenarios that depart significantly from industry norms. Users should only enter their data in the yellow Scenario cells.

3.12.1 Port Operations

Barge/Transshipment Share – Default 0%. If containers are transferred to or from barges at the facility or if there is transshipment performed, enter the percentage of TEU or containers affected. If the barge or vessel transfers involve drayage to another terminal, those trips should be considered part of inter-terminal drayage.

Inter-Terminal Dray Share – Default 1%. For a port analysis, enter the percentage of containers that are drayed between port terminals. For a single terminal analysis, enter zero.

3.12.2 Marine Terminal Operations

% of Bobtails using Bypass Gate – Default 90%. Many marine terminals have a bypass gate for bobtail trips to reduce congestion at the main gates. Enter the percentage of bobtail trips using such bypass gates.

% of Bobtail Tractors at Gates – Default 20%. If available, enter the port-specific percentage of bobtail trips at marine terminal gates as a percentage of total gate movements.

3.12.3 Rail Terminal Operations

% of Bobtail Tractors at Gates – Default 20%. If available, enter the average percentage of bobtail trips at rail terminal gates as a percentage of total gate movements.

% of Bobtails using Bypass Gate – Default 90%. Many rail terminals have a bypass gate for bobtail trips to reduce congestion at the main gates. Enter the percentage of bobtail trips using such bypass gates.

% Live Lifts – Default 0%. The norm for rail terminals is for drayman to park containers on chassis for subsequent loading by the terminal operator, and to pick up parked containers on chassis that have been previously unloaded from trains. “Live lifts” occur when the drayman waits to have the container transferred from chassis to rail car (or vice versa).

% of Rail Empties Returned to Depots – Default 1%. Enter the percentage of empty containers that arrive at off-dock rail terminals and are drayed to off-dock container depots for storage rather than being drayed to the marine terminals.

3.12.4 Container Depot Operations

% of Bobtail Moves – Default 20%. If available, enter the percentage of bobtail trips at container depot gates as a percentage of total depot gate movements.

% Live Lift at Depots – Default 80%. The norm for container depots is to store containers in stacks, off their chassis. “Live lifts” occur when the drayman waits to have the container transferred from chassis to stack (or vice versa).

% of Depot Empties Sent to Rail – Default 1%. Enter the percentage of empty containers sent to rail intermodal terminals from off-dock container depots rather than being sent to marine terminals.

% of Import Loads Drayed to Depots – Default 0%. Ordinarily, only empty containers are drayed to off-terminal depots for storage. If import loads are ever drayed to off-dock depots, enter the percentage here.

% of Export Loads Drayed to Depots – Default 0%. Ordinarily, only empty containers are drayed to off-terminal depots for storage. If export loads are ever drayed to off-dock depots, enter the percentage here.

3.12.5 Shipper/Receiver Operations

% of Bobtail Moves – Default 20%. If available, enter the percentage of bobtail trips at shipper/receiver gates as a percentage of total shipper/receiver gate movements.

% of Drivers Waiting for Load/Unload – Default 50%. The norm for most shippers and receivers is for drayman to park loaded or empty containers on chassis for subsequent handling by the customer, and to pick up parked containers on chassis that are ready to go to marine terminals or elsewhere. These are generally referred to as “drop and pick” operations. “Stay with” trips occur when the drayman waits to have a loaded import container unloaded or an empty export container loaded. Where information on the prevalence of “stay with” waits is available, enter the appropriate percentage.

% of Empties Supplied from Depots – Default 1%. Enter the percentage of empty containers for export loads supplied from off-dock container depots rather than from marine terminals. This percentage can vary widely between ports.

% of Empties Returned to Depots – Default 3%. Enter the percentage of emptied import containers that are drayed to off-dock container depots rather than to the marine terminals. This percentage can vary widely between ports.

% of Empties Reused for Loads – Default 2%. Enter the percentage of emptied import containers that are repositioned and used for an export load, either by the original drayman or by another firm. This percentage tends to be low, less than 5% at most ports. The VCY initiative input on the Primary Inputs and Outputs worksheet will double this value, but will have minimal impact if the opportunity to reuse empties is itself minimal.

% of Empties Drayed to Trucker Yards – Default 2%. Enter the percentage of emptied import containers that are drayed to trucker yards rather than to the marine terminals. This percentage can vary widely between ports.

% of Empties Drayed from Trucker Yards – Default 2%. Enter the percentage of empty containers for export loads supplied from trucker yards rather than from marine terminals or depots. This percentage can vary widely between ports.

3.12.6 Trucker Yard Operations

% of Import Loads Staged at Trucker Yards – Default 1%. Loaded import container are occasionally staged for short periods at trucker yards before delivery to the actual customer. Enter the percentage staged here.

% of Export Loads Staged at Trucker Yards – Default 1%. Loaded export container are occasionally staged for short periods at trucker yards before delivery to the marine terminal. Enter the percentage staged here.

3.12.7 Other Port Trucks

This section of the secondary inputs worksheet is provided to enable users to account for significant movements of port-related trucks handling commodities other than containerized cargo. These movements could include bulk or break-bulk cargoes.

Other Port Truck Operations		
Weighted average miles from port	25	25
Export tons trucked	-	-
Average export tons per truck	20	20
Import tons trucked	-	-
Average import tons per truck	20	20
% bobtail moves	10%	10%

Weighted Average Miles from Port – Default 25 miles. Enter the average distance other trucks travel to and from the Port. A weighted average would be ideal.

Export Tons Trucked – Default 0. Enter the annual short tons of export cargo moved to the port by truck. Do not include tonnage moving by rail.

Average Export Tons per Truck – Default 20 tons. Enter the average export cargo load per truck in short tons. This average will be used to calculate the number of other port trucks carrying export cargo.

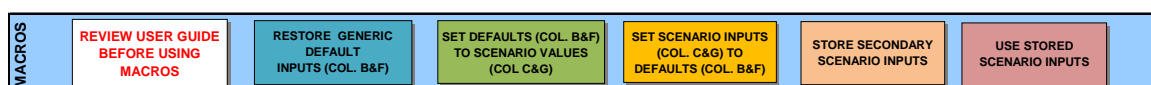
Import Tons Trucked – Default 0. Enter the annual short tons of import cargo moved from the port by truck. Do not include tonnage moving by rail.

Average Import Tons per Truck – Default 20 tons. Enter the average import cargo load per truck in short tons. This average will be used to calculate the number of other port trucks carrying import cargo.

% Bobtail Moves – Default 10%. Enter the percentage of bobtail tractor moves in the Other Port Trucks activity. Note that only tractor-trailer operations will generate bobtail moves. Activity using straight trucks (such as conventional single-unit dump trucks or flatbed trucks delivering steel) will not generate bobtail moves.

3.13 Secondary Input Marcos

The Secondary Input worksheet has five macro buttons, shown below, analogous to those on the Primary Inputs & Outputs worksheet. These are used to create a new default model and to manage scenarios.



RESTORE GENERIC
DEFAULT
INPUTS (COL. B&F)

Restore Generic Default Inputs (Col. B&F). This macro button will reset the default secondary input values (green cells) to the stored generic values.

SET DEFAULTS (COL.
B&F) TO SCENARIO
VALUES (COL C&G)

Set Defaults (Col. B&F) to Scenario Values (Col C&G). creates a new default base case (green cells) by copying the scenario values (yellow cells). The scenario values can then be changed to create variations on the new base case scenario.

SET SCENARIO INPUTS
(COL. C&G) TO
DEFAULTS (COL. B&F)

Set Scenario Inputs (Col. C&G) to Defaults (Col. B&F). The button does the opposite of the previous button by equating the scenario (yellow cell) values to the current defaults (green cells)

STORE SECONDARY
SCENARIO INPUTS

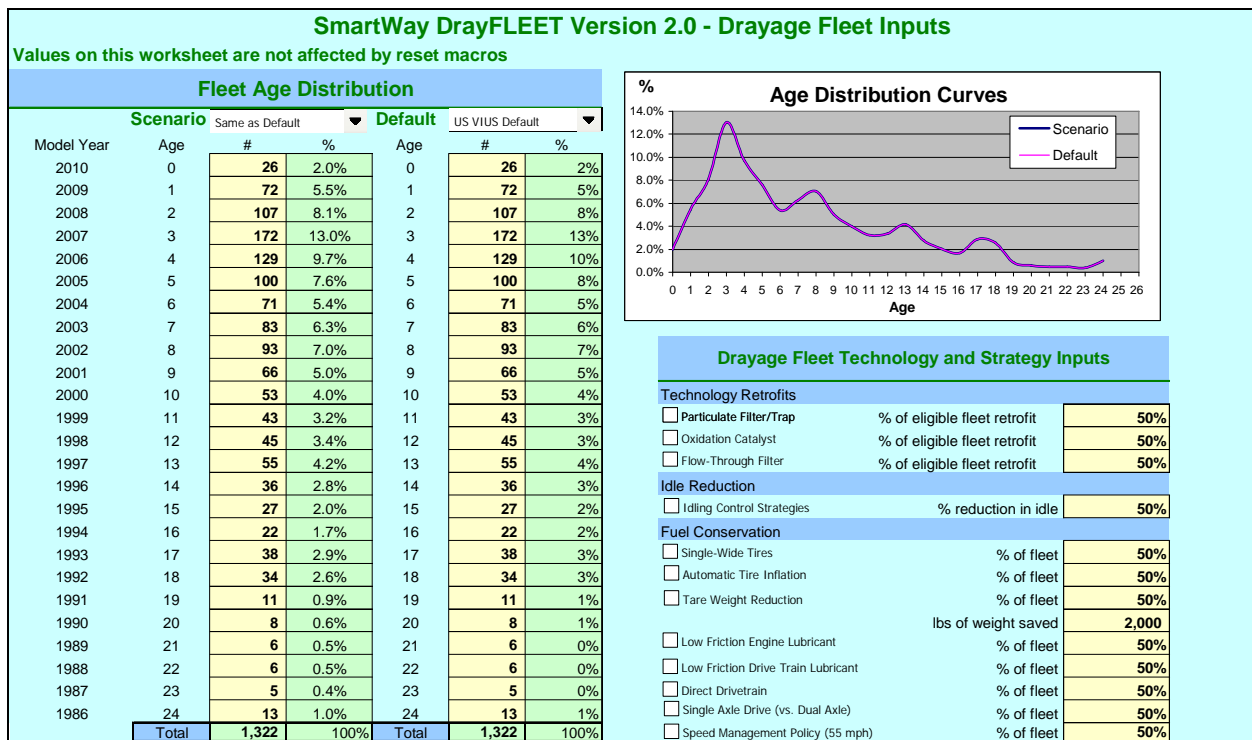
Store Secondary Scenario Inputs. This option allows the user to store one set of secondary scenario inputs (yellow cells). Each time the button is used the previous stored set will be overridden.

USE STORED
SCENARIO INPUTS

Use Stored Scenario Inputs. This button will overwrite the current scenario values (yellow cells) with the stored values.

3.14 Drayage Fleet Inputs

The drayage fleet inputs are on a separate worksheet and consist of a drayage fleet age distribution, fleet technology and strategy inputs as shown below.

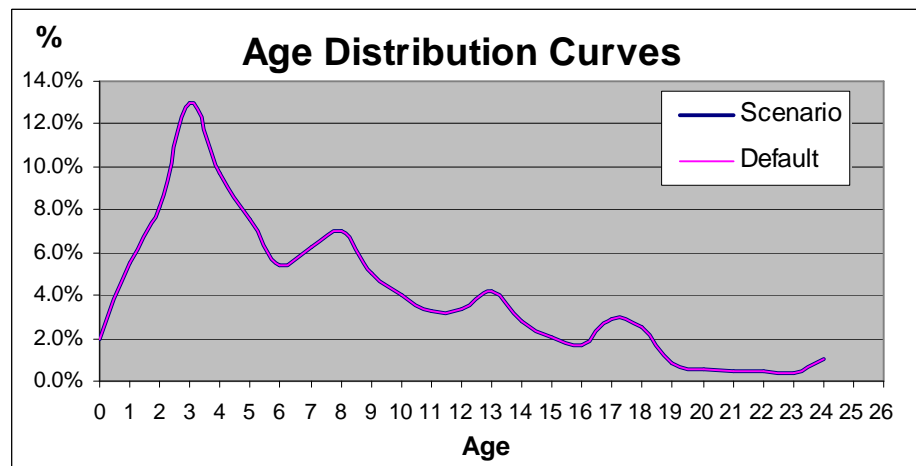


Default. The Default Age Distribution Menu offers a choice between three pre-set age distributions shown below.

Age in Years	LALB Default	Houston Default	US VIUS Default
0	0.3%	0.0%	2.0%
1	0.4%	0.0%	5.5%
2	0.7%	2.0%	8.1%
3	0.9%	1.0%	13.0%
4	1.1%	2.0%	9.7%
5	2.6%	1.0%	7.6%
6	5.3%	5.9%	5.4%
7	7.2%	14.9%	6.3%
8	9.5%	13.9%	7.0%
9	9.3%	5.0%	5.0%
10	6.5%	5.9%	4.0%
11	6.9%	15.8%	3.2%
12	7.2%	8.9%	3.4%
13	8.5%	9.9%	4.2%
14	5.9%	5.0%	2.8%
15	4.4%	0.0%	2.0%
16	3.6%	2.0%	1.7%
17	6.2%	0.0%	2.9%
18	5.5%	2.0%	2.6%
19	1.8%	4.0%	0.9%
20	1.3%	0.0%	0.6%
21	1.0%	1.0%	0.5%
22	1.0%	0.0%	0.5%
23	0.8%	0.0%	0.4%
24	2.1%	0.0%	1.0%

Scenario. The Scenario menu offers two choices: a distribution equal to the default or a user-specified custom distribution (which must total 100%). Enter the number of trucks in each age group, and the model will calculate the percentages.

The chart to the right of the drop-down menus (below) compares the chosen Default and Scenario cases. This chart can be very useful in verifying the reasonableness of user-specified distributions.



3.15 Drayage Technology and Strategy Inputs

Drayage trucks can be retrofit with technologies to save fuel and reduce emissions. The DrayFLEET model accounts for the emission reductions from retrofitting drayage trucks with exhaust after treatment, the impact that retrofits have has on fuel economy; and the emission reductions and fuel savings from strategies to improve fuel economy. Controls for modeling the effect of equipping or retrofitting portions of the drayage fleet with advanced emission control and fuel economy technologies are on the Drayage Fleet Inputs worksheet as shown below.

Drayage Fleet Technology and Strategy Inputs		
Technology Retrofits		
<input type="checkbox"/> Particulate Filter/Trap	% of eligible fleet retrofit	50%
<input type="checkbox"/> Oxidation Catalyst	% of eligible fleet retrofit	50%
<input type="checkbox"/> Flow-Through Filter	% of eligible fleet retrofit	50%
Idle Reduction		
<input type="checkbox"/> Idling Control Strategies	% reduction in idle	50%
Fuel Conservation		
<input type="checkbox"/> Single-Wide Tires	% of fleet	50%
<input type="checkbox"/> Automatic Tire Inflation	% of fleet	50%
<input type="checkbox"/> Tare Weight Reduction	% of fleet	50%
	lbs of weight saved	2,000
<input type="checkbox"/> Low Friction Engine Lubricant	% of fleet	50%
<input type="checkbox"/> Low Friction Drive Train Lubricant	% of fleet	50%
<input type="checkbox"/> Direct Drivetrain	% of fleet	50%
<input type="checkbox"/> Single Axle Drive (vs. Dual Axle)	% of fleet	50%
<input type="checkbox"/> Speed Management Policy (55 mph)	% of fleet	50%

Each strategy can be selected for analysis by activating the adjacent checkbox. Additionally, the user needs to specify the technology penetration rate (%) indicating the extent to which the chosen strategy or technology has been adopted. In each case, the percentage applies to the portion of the fleet or duty cycle to which the strategy is applicable. Reflashing, for example, is only applicable to a narrow range of tractors in the 1993-1998 model years while operating in Cruise mode. A 50% penetration rate would mean that half of these eligible tractors were reflashed, not that half of the fleet had been reflashed.

Additional insights can be gained from the DrayFLEET model technical report and the SmartWay Partnership website.

3.15.1 Particulate Filter/Trap (also known as Diesel Particulate Filter or DPF)

Effects: Reduces emissions of PM, HC and CO.

User Input: The measure is activated by checking the control box. The user provides an estimate of the fraction of eligible vehicles that implement the retrofit.

Notes: Engines certified to meet 2007 or later standards require exhaust aftertreatment and the presence of diesel particulate filters is already assumed in the emission rates from MOVES. Therefore only pre-2007 model year trucks are eligible for this retrofit technology. DrayFLEET does not apply any benefit for 2007 or newer trucks.

3.15.2 Oxidation Catalyst

Effects: Reduces emissions of PM, HC and CO; no impact on NO_x.

User Input: The measure is activated by checking the control box. The user provides an estimate of the fraction of eligible vehicles that implement the retrofit.

Notes: A Diesel Oxidation Catalyst is an exhaust system device that reduces emissions of particulates and other pollutants. Engines certified to meet 2007 or later standards already require exhaust after treatment. Therefore only pre-2007 model year trucks are eligible for this retrofit technology.

3.15.3 Flow-Through Filter

Effects: Reduces emissions of PM, HC, and CO; no impact on NO_x or fuel use.

User Input: The measure is activated by checking the control box. The user provides an estimate of the fraction of eligible vehicles that implement the retrofit.

Notes: A Flow-Through Filter is an exhaust system device that reduces emissions of particulates and other pollutants. Engines certified to meet 2007 or later standards already require exhaust after treatment. Therefore only pre-2007 model year trucks are eligible for this retrofit technology.

3.15.4 Idle Reduction

Effects: Reduces emissions of PM, HC, CO, saves fuel which is reflected in reduced CO₂

User Input: The measure is activated by checking the control box. The user provides an estimate of the fraction of applicable idling that is eliminated.

Notes: The benefits from reduced idle are only applied to idle mode activity (e.g., extended waiting). Idle occurring as part of other operating modes (e.g. queuing in Creep mode) would not be affected. For example, idling from delay at arterial intersections as part of transient mode would not be eliminated.

3.15.5 Single-Wide Tires

Effects: Reduces fuel consumption and CO₂ emissions.

User Input: The measure is activated by checking the control box. The user provides an estimate of the fraction of the drayage fleet that implements the technology.

Notes: The modeled emission benefit from single-wide tires already accounts for the weight reduction associated with switching single rim/tire configurations. To avoid double-counting, that weight reduction should not be included in analysis of Tare Weight Reduction.

3.15.6 Automatic Tire Inflation

Effects: Reduces fuel consumption and CO₂ emissions.

User Input: The measure is activated by checking the control box. The user provides an estimate of the fraction of the drayage fleet that implements the technology.

Notes: Automatic tire inflation systems monitor and continually adjust the level of pressurized air to tires, maintaining proper tire pressure even when the truck is moving.

3.15.7 Tare Weight Reduction

Effects: Reduces fuel consumption and CO₂ emissions.

User Input: The measure is activated by checking the control box. The user provides an estimate of the fraction of the drayage fleet that implements the technology. For reduction in tare weight, a second input box is provided for the user to specify the weight reduction achieved (in lb).

Notes: Since drayage tractors are usually second hand they often have features such as aerodynamic fairings and sleeper cabs that add weight but provide no benefit in drayage service. By removing unneeded features or buying a tractor without them, tare weight can be reduced and fuel conserved.

3.15.8 Low Friction Engine Lubricant

Effects: Reduces fuel consumption and CO₂ emissions.

User Input: The measure is activated by checking the control box. The user provides an estimate of the fraction of the drayage fleet that implements the technology.

Notes: Low-friction engine lubricants are usually synthetic, low-viscosity compounds.

3.15.9 Low Friction Drivetrain Lubricant

Effects: Reduces fuel consumption and CO₂ emissions.

User Input: The measure is activated by checking the control box. The user provides an estimate of the fraction of the drayage fleet that implements the technology.

Notes: Low-friction drivetrain lubricants are usually synthetic, low-viscosity compounds.

3.15.10 Direct Drivetrain

Effects: Reduces fuel consumption and CO₂ emissions.

User Input: The measure is activated by checking the control box. The user provides an estimate of the fraction of the drayage fleet that implements the technology.

Notes: Direct drivetrain technologies reduce weight and transmission losses, thereby conserving fuel.

3.15.11 Single-Axle Drive (vs. Dual Axle)

Effects: Reduces fuel consumption and CO₂ emissions.

User Input: The measure is activated by checking the control box. The user provides an estimate of the fraction of the drayage fleet that implements the technology.

Notes: Most tractors built for highway service have two rear axles, both powered. Where a tractor in urban service can dispense with the second powered axle, there is an opportunity to reduce weight and transmission losses.

3.15.12 Speed Management Policy (55 mph)

Effects: Reduces fuel consumption and CO₂ emissions.

User Input: The measure is activated by checking the control box. The user provides an estimate of the fraction of the drayage fleet that implements the strategy.

Notes: Whether implemented as a policy via driver training or through speed governors, a maximum speed management strategy conserves fuel. Emission benefits from speed management are only applied to Cruise Mode vehicle operation. The effect on drayage operations is limited, however, as very little of the time is spent at highway speeds.

3.16 Cell and Sheet Protection

Cell locks and sheet protection are used where applicable in DrayFLEET to reduce the chance of inadvertently overwriting formulas. If necessary, the user can unprotect the sheet and unlock the cells by going to the Excel 2010 Review ribbon and selecting *Unprotect Sheet*. The default password is “shadow” (case sensitive). The process can be reversed on the Excel 2010 Review ribbon by selecting *Protect Sheet* using the user’s choice of password. The user is advised to save a spare copy of the DrayFLEET analysis before unprotecting cell formulas.

4.0 Drayage Cost and Fleet Requirements

4.1 Cost & Capacity Worksheet

The Cost and Capacity worksheet (below) covers drayage cost, productivity, and the cost of technology upgrades.

SmartWay DryFLEET Version 2.0 - Drayage Cost and Capacity									
Annual Average Drayage Cost and Fleet Requirement Estimates					Technology Upgrades				
Time-Based Costs		Distance-Based and Overhead Costs			Drayage Fleet Inputs		Capital Cost	Annual Maintenance	Implementation %
Driver Labor Costs		Mileage Based Costs					Default	Scenario	Default
Labor Cost per Hour							Default	Scenario	Default
Tractor Costs							Default	Scenario	Default
Average Cost of Tractor	\$ 60,000	Fuel Cost/Gallon	\$ 4.00		Technology Retrofits				
Avg. Technology Upgrades	\$ -	Total Annual Fuel Gallons	17,748,208		Particulate Filter/Trap		\$ 7,000	\$ 7,000	\$ 100
Interest Rate	10%	Total Annual Fuel Cost	\$ 70,992,830		Oxidation Catalyst		\$ 1,200	\$ 1,200	\$ -
Avg. Economic Life (yrs.)	6	Average MPG, Incl. Idling	3.0		Flow-Thorough Filter		\$ 5,500	\$ 5,500	\$ -
Avg. Residual Value (%)	20%	Implied Fuel Cost/Mile	\$ 1.32		Idle Reduction				
Implied Annual Payment	\$ 10,671	Avg. Tires/Mile	\$ 0.10		Idle Control Strategy		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Avg. Insurance per Tractor	\$ 6,000	Average cost per mile	\$ 1.42		Fuel Conservation				
Licenses & Fees per Tractor	\$ 1,500	Avg. Admin. Cost per Load	\$ 25		Single Wide Wheels & Tires		\$ 5,600	\$ 5,600	\$ -
Fed User's Tax per Tractor	\$ 550	Total Costs	\$ 96,457,542		Automatic Tire Inflation		\$ 900	\$ 900	\$ -
Avg. Maintenance/Tractor/Year	\$ 5,000	Time-Based Costs	\$ 76,363,301		Low Friction Engine Lubricant		\$ -	\$ -	\$ 198
Upgrade Maintenance	\$ -	Mileage-Based Costs	\$ 24,421,429		Low Friction Drive Train Lubricant		\$ -	\$ -	\$ 33
Avg. Tractor days per week	5	Load-Based (Admin) Costs	\$ 197,242,271		Direct Drivetrain		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Avg. Tractor hours per day	12	Annual Drayage Cost	\$ 202		Single Axle Drive (vs. Dual Axle)		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Avg. Tractor availability	95%	Average Cost per TEU	\$ 99		Speed Management Policy (55mph)		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Total Avg. Tractor Cost Per Hour	\$ 8.00	Productivity			Weight Reduction - Lbs		2,000	2,000	\$ -
Average Hourly Cost	\$ 23.00	Avg. Tractor Hours per day	12		Average Upgrade Cost		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
		Avg. Tractor days per week	5						
		Avg. Tractor Availability	1						
		Avg. Annual Hours per Tractor	2,964						
		Fleet Size Req. (FTE Tractors)	1,415						

4.2 Drayage Cost

The drayage cost model is in three sections: Time-Based Costs, Distance-Based and Overhead Costs, and a Total Cost Estimate.

The Time-Based Costs, below, include labor, tractor ownership, and time-based tractor maintenance.

Time-Based Costs	
Driver Labor Costs	
Labor Cost per Hour	\$ 15.00
Tractor Costs	
Average Cost of Tractor	\$ 60,000
Avg. Technology Upgrades	\$ -
Interest Rate	10%
Avg. Economic Life (yrs.)	6
Avg. Residual Value (%)	20%
Implied Annual Payment	\$ 10,671
Avg. Insurance per Tractor	\$ 6,000
Licenses & Fees per Tractor	\$ 1,500
Fed User's Tax per Tractor	\$ 550
Avg. Maintenance/Tractor/Year	\$ 5,000
Upgrade Maintenance	\$ -
Avg. Tractor days per week	5
Avg. Tractor hours per day	12
Avg. Tractor availability	95%
Total Avg. Tractor Cost Per Hour	\$ 8.00
Average Hourly Cost	\$ 23.00

Labor Cost per Hour – Default \$15.00. Linked to Primary Inputs worksheet.

Financial Variables. The financials variables shown in the tan shaded cells above are typical industry defaults. Enter new default values if more specific information is available on prevalent local practices.

The average hourly cost is the sum of labor and other time-based costs above.

The Distance-Based and Overhead costs below include fuel, tires, and administrative costs.

Distance-Based and Overhead Costs	
Mileage Based Costs	
Fuel Cost/Gallon	\$ 4.00
Total Annual Fuel Gallons	17,748,208
Total Annual Fuel Cost	\$ 70,992,830
Average MPG, Incl. Idling	3.0
Implied Fuel Cost/Mile	\$ 1.32
Avg. Tires/Mile	\$ 0.10
Average cost per mile	\$ 1.42
Avg. Admin. Cost per Load	\$ 25

Fuel Cost/Gallon – Default \$4.00. Linked to the Primary Inputs worksheet.

Annual Fuel Gallons – Calculated by the Emissions model based on consumption rates in each operating mode. This value is not calculated from the average MPG value.

Average MPG, Including Idling – Calculated from total miles traveled and total fuel consumed. This is a model output, not an input.

Implied Fuel Cost per Mile – Calculated by the model.

Tires/Mile – Default \$0.10 per mile. The default is an industry norm. Enter more precise data if available. Note that this value is for the tractor tires only, not the chassis tires.

Overhead Cost per Load – Default \$25.00. The default is an industry rule-of-thumb. Enter more precise local data if available. Note that overhead is only assessed against loaded moves.

The Total Cost estimate below is calculated by the model. There are no user entries.

Total Costs	
Time-Based Costs	\$ 96,457,542
Mileage-Based Costs	\$ 76,363,301
Load-Based (Admin) Costs	\$ 24,421,429
Annual Drayage Cost	\$ 197,242,271
Average Cost per Load	\$ 202
Average Cost per TEU	\$ 99

Averages are displayed for convenience, and the results are linked to the Primary Inputs and Outputs worksheet.

4.3 Productivity and Fleet Requirements

The fleet requirement analysis below is straightforward and entails no user entries. The tractor hours per week, tractor days per week, and tractor availability are linked to the cost model discussed above. These three factors together yield the annual operating hours available from each tractor.

Productivity	
Avg. Tractor Hours per day	12
Avg. Tractor days per week	5
Avg. Tractor Availability	1
Avg. Annual Hours per Tractor	2,964
Fleet Size Req. (FTE Tractors)	1,415

Dividing the total drayage hours (estimated by the model) by the hours available from a tractor engaged full-time in drayage yields the number of full-time-equivalent (FTE) tractors required. This result is displayed on the Primary Inputs and Outputs worksheet.

The FTE estimate provided by the model is most useful in comparing the fleet requirements of default and scenario cases. Note that the actual drayage fleet in most ports consist of a mix of tractors used full-time in port drayage and tractors whose time is split with other uses. The actual number of tractors in the fleet thus varies widely, and includes both full-time and part-time units.

4.4 Technology Upgrade Costs

This worksheet also includes cost estimates for the various emissions control and fuel conservation technologies discussed in an earlier section. For each technology option there is a capital cost, an annual maintenance cost, and an implementation percentage as applicable.

Drayage Fleet Inputs		Capital Cost		Annual Maintenance		Implementation %	
		Default	Scenario	Default	Scenario	Default	Scenario
Technology Retrofits							
Particulate Filter/Trap		\$ 7,000	\$ 7,000	\$ 100	\$ 100	0%	0%
Oxidation Catalyst		\$ 1,200	\$ 1,200	\$ -	\$ -	0%	0%
Flow-Thorough Filter		\$ 5,500	\$ 5,500	\$ -	\$ -	0%	0%
Idle Reduction							
Idle Control Strategy		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	0%	0%
Fuel Conservation							
Single Wide Wheels & Tires		\$ 5,600	\$ 5,600	\$ -	\$ -	0%	0%
Automatic Tire Inflation		\$ 900	\$ 900	\$ -	\$ -	0%	0%
Low Friction Engine Lubricant		\$ -	\$ -	\$ 198	\$ 198	0%	0%
Low Friction Drive Train Lubricant		\$ -	\$ -	\$ 33	\$ 33	0%	0%
Direct Drivetrain		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	0%	0%
Single Axle Drive (vs. Dual Axle)		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	0%	0%
Speed Management Policy (55mph)		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	0%	0%
Weight Reduction - Lbs		2,000	2,000	\$ -	\$ -	0%	0%
Average Upgrade Cost		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -		

The yellow-shaded cells provide options for user input. The implementation percentages are linked to the Drayage Fleet Inputs.

5.0 Model Outputs

5.1 Resetting Base Case Default Outputs

As noted above, changing the default values will automatically change the scenario values, thereby changing the scenario outputs. Once a complete set of default input values has been entered, the scenario outputs correspond to the new inputs and the default output values must be reset accordingly.

To reset the default output values to the generic defaults, click the blue “Restore Generic Inputs & Outputs” button. The green “Set Default Inputs and Outputs to Scenario Values” button will reset the default outputs to equal the scenario outputs.

At this point the model provides a base case estimate of drayage activities, costs, and emissions for the port or terminal being modeled. This base case, which should be saved under a new file name, then becomes the default against which new scenarios can be compared.

5.2 Activity Outputs

The measures of physical drayage activity are shown below.

Activity Outputs	Default	Scenario	Change	% Change
Annual Activity				
Number of Drayage Trip Legs	2,326,869	2,326,869	0	0.0%
Drayage Trip Legs per Container	2.0	2.0	0.0	0.0%
Total Drayage VMT	57,716,318	57,716,318	0	0.0%
Drayage VMT per Container	50.5	50.5	0.0	0.0%
Fleet Required (FTE Tractors)	1,453	1,453	0	0.0%
Annual Duty Cycle Totals				
Idle/Stopped Hours	1,778,148	1,778,148	0	0.0%
Creep Hours	766,963	766,963	0	0.0%
Transient Hours	509,949	509,949	0	0.0%
Cruise Hours	1,250,578	1,250,578	0	0.0%
Total Drayage Hours	4,305,638	4,305,638	0	0.0%
Drayage Hours per Container	3.8	3.8	0.0	0.0%

The Annual Activity measures gauge the work being performed by drayage tractors and drivers to transfer containers between facilities. The Fleet Required is measured in full-time equivalents (FTE); typical port drayage fleets are a mix of full-time and part-time participants and will be larger than the FTE shown. Total cost covers labor, fuel, tractors, maintenance, etc. The Duty Cycle Totals are particularly significant as they determine the emissions estimates.

5.3 Emissions Outputs

Outputs		Default	Scenario	Change	% Change
Pollutant (annual tons)					
	HC	68.5	68.5	-	0.0%
	CO	314.5	314.5	-	0.0%
	NOx	1,046.4	1,046.4	-	0.0%
	PM _{2.5}	71.4	71.4	-	0.0%
	CO ₂	191,892.6	191,892.6	-	0.0%
Fuel Use and Total Cost					
Fuel - Gallons		18,601,572	18,601,572	-	0.0%
Total Drayage Cost		\$ 203,641,934	\$ 203,641,934	\$ -	0.0%
Drayage Cost per Container		\$ 178	\$ 178	\$ -	0.0%

The emissions outputs give estimated annual tons of five different pollutants. As pollutant emissions mix varies with the duty cycle, the proportions will change under various scenarios. Fuel Use is listed under Emissions and it is also a major factor in the estimated cost.

5.4 Activity Summary

The Activity Summary worksheet assembles the results from the drayage activity sheets. The number of trips is summed, and connected to remove double-counting. Otherwise, for example, a marine terminal-to-rail trip would be counted on both ends. There are no user inputs for this page.

SmartWay DrayFLEET Version 2.0 - Summary of Detailed Drayage Activity											
Activity Group	Number of Trips	Distance (Miles)	Idle (%)	Creep (%)	Transient (%)	Cruise (%)	Idle (hours)	Creep (hours)	Transient (hours)	Cruise (hours)	Total (hours)
Loaded Drayage											
Marine Terminal	976,857	827,999	69%	26%	5%	0%	503,710	191,389	39,789	-	734,887
Inter-Terminal	5,429	21,714	17%	7%	19%	58%	141	60	157	491	850
Off-Dock Rail Terminal	242,857	1,465,760	44%	7%	25%	24%	50,411	8,326	28,236	27,463	114,436
Container Depot	-	-	0%	0%	0%	0%	-	-	-	-	-
Shippers & Receivers	723,143	18,204,317	31%	9%	15%	45%	279,655	85,819	136,266	408,878	910,618
Trucker Yards	19,429	196,714	27%	18%	13%	41%	2,885	1,962	1,409	4,394	10,650
Other Port Trucks	-	-	0%	0%	0%	0%	-	-	-	-	-
Net Subtotal*	990,857	19,888,506	47%	16%	12%	25%	836,802	287,556	205,857	441,226	1,771,440
Empty/Chassis/Bobtail Drayage											
Marine Terminal	1,461,353	10,978,541	44%	28%	9%	19%	541,035	347,342	105,918	226,399	1,220,695
Inter-Terminal	1,000	4,000	17%	7%	19%	58%	26	11	29	90	157
Off-Dock Rail Terminal	108,113	621,730	39%	8%	24%	29%	16,455	3,263	10,165	12,226	42,109
Container Depot	68,788	159,886	54%	35%	3%	9%	19,386	12,692	998	3,112	36,188
Shippers & Receivers	900,806	22,658,992	31%	9%	15%	45%	345,271	106,903	168,320	509,331	1,129,826
Trucker Yards	257,305	2,576,663	18%	9%	18%	55%	19,173	9,195	18,662	58,194	105,224
Other Port Trucks	-	-	0%	0%	0%	0%	-	-	-	-	-
Net Subtotal*	1,336,012	26,021,271	37%	19%	12%	32%	941,346	479,407	304,092	809,352	2,534,198
Total Drayage											
Marine Terminal	2,438,210	11,806,540	53%	28%	7%	12%	1,044,745	538,731	145,707	226,399	1,955,582
Inter-Terminal	6,429	25,714	17%	7%	19%	58%	168	71	187	582	1,006
Off-Dock Rail Terminal	350,970	2,087,490	43%	7%	25%	25%	66,865	11,589	38,401	39,689	156,544
Container Depot	68,788	159,886	54%	35%	3%	9%	19,386	12,692	998	3,112	36,188
Shippers & Receivers	1,623,949	40,863,309	31%	9%	15%	45%	624,926	192,723	304,586	918,209	2,040,443
Trucker Yards	276,733	2,773,378	19%	10%	17%	54%	22,058	11,157	20,071	62,588	115,874
Other Port Trucks	-	-	0%	0%	0%	0%	-	-	-	-	-
Net Total*	2,326,869	57,716,318	41%	18%	12%	29%	1,778,148	766,963	509,949	1,250,578	4,305,638

* Subtotals and Total are corrected to remove double-counting of marine terminal trips

The large amount of information displayed here is primarily useful for identifying differences between scenarios and for tracing the impact of changes throughout the drayage duty cycle.

6.0 Creating Model Scenarios

6.1 Overview

It is recommend that the user take an organized and deliberate approach to creating new model scenarios. In principle, any change to a scenario value creates a new scenario. The model is sufficiently sensitive that adding a single TEU to an annual total of over 15 million TEU will add minutes, miles, fuel gallons, costs, and emissions. The user is encouraged to consult the project report on the SmartWay Website (<http://www.epa.gov/smartway/publications/index.htm>) for information on data sources.

6.2 Scenario-Default Comparisons

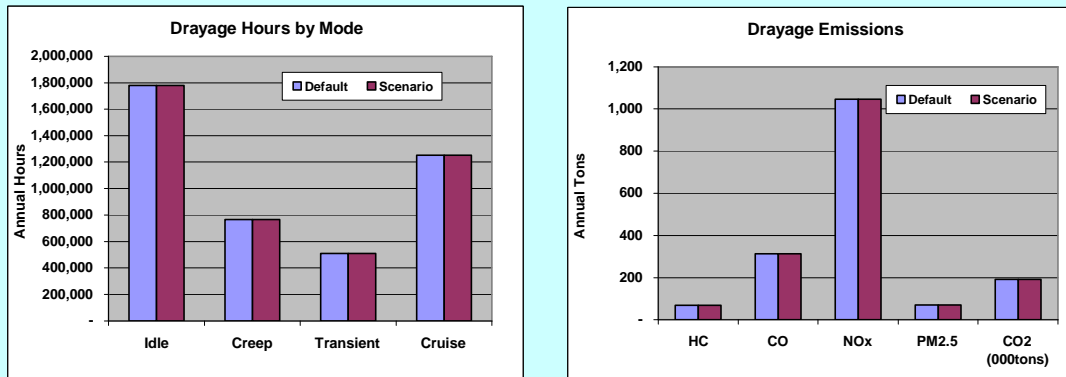
The Primary Inputs & Outputs worksheet provides high-level comparisons of Default and Scenario activity and emissions estimates (below).

Activity Outputs		Default	Scenario	Change	% Change
Annual Activity					
Number of Drayage Trip Legs		2,326,869	2,326,869	0	0.0%
Drayage Trip Legs per Container		2.0	2.0	0.0	0.0%
Total Drayage VMT		57,716,318	57,716,318	0	0.0%
Drayage VMT per Container		50.5	50.5	0.0	0.0%
Fleet Required (FTE Tractors)		1,453	1,453	0	0.0%
Annual Duty Cycle Totals					
Idle/Stopped Hours		1,778,148	1,778,148	0	0.0%
Creep Hours		766,963	766,963	0	0.0%
Transient Hours		509,949	509,949	0	0.0%
Cruise Hours		1,250,578	1,250,578	0	0.0%
Total Drayage Hours		4,305,638	4,305,638	0	0.0%
Drayage Hours per Container		3.8	3.8	0.0	0.0%
Outputs		Default	Scenario	Change	% Change
Pollutant (annual tons)					
HC		68.5	68.5	-	0.0%
CO		314.5	314.5	-	0.0%
NOx		1,046.4	1,046.4	-	0.0%
PM _{2.5}		71.4	71.4	-	0.0%
CO ₂		191,892.6	191,892.6	-	0.0%
Fuel Use and Total Cost					
Fuel - Gallons		18,601,572	18,601,572	-	0.0%
Total Drayage Cost	\$	203,641,934	\$ 203,641,934	\$ -	0.0%
Drayage Cost per Container	\$	178	\$ 178	\$ -	0.0%

6.3 Scenario Comparisons

This worksheet displays two graphs comparing two model outputs: drayage hours by operating mode, and emissions (CO₂ is shown in thousands of annual tons, since its scale is radically different). The example shows an instance which increased on-dock rail intermodal handling has reduced drayage hours and emissions.

SmartWay DrayFLEET Version 2.0 - Scenario Comparisons



6.4 Changing and Reversing Scenario Inputs

Individual scenario input values can be easily changed to observe the impact on model outputs using standard Excel features. For example, the graphic below shows a change from a 30 minute average for container yard transactions (default) to a scenario with a 15-minute average, resulting in reduced emissions and cost savings.

SmartWay DrayFLEET Version 2.0 Primary Inputs & Outputs					DrayFLEET Version 2.0 of 6/12/12				
Primary Inputs			Default		Scenario		Port		
Port			Calendar Year (Change manually)		2010		Generic		
			Annual TEU		2,000,000		Non-specific		
			Average TEU per Container		1.75				
			Inbound Share		50%				
			Inbound Empty Share		5%				
			Outbound Empty Share		25%				
			Rail Intermodal Share		25%				
Marine Terminals			Average Inbound Gate Queue Minutes		20		Date 6/12/2012		
			Average Marine Terminal Min. per Transaction		30				
Rail Terminals			Weighted Average Miles from Port		5		Activity Outputs		
			Average Inbound Gate Queue Minutes		5		Default		
			Average Rail Yard Min. per Transaction		15		Scenario		
Container/Chassis Depots			Weighted Average Miles from Port		2		Change		
			Share of Empty Stored at Depots		10%		% Change		
Container Shippers/Receivers			Weighted Average Miles from Port		25		Annual Activity		
			Weighted Average Crosstown Trip Miles		10		Number of Drayage Trip Legs		
Trucker Yard Operations			Weighted Average Miles from Port		10		Number of Legs per Container		
			Trucker Yard Share of Port Bobtail Moves		50%		Total Drayage VMT		
Cost Factors			Average Drayage Labor Cost per Hour		\$ 15.00		Drayage VMT per Container		
			Average Diesel Fuel Price per Gallon		\$ 4.00		Fleet Required (FTE Tractors)		
Initiative Inputs			Default		Scenario		Annual Duty Cycle Totals		
Port/Terminal Initiatives			Stacked Terminal (% stacked)		0%		Idle/Stopped Hours		
			On-Dock Rail (% of rail on-dock)		0%		Creep Hours		
			Automated Gates (% of gate transactions)		0%		Transient Hours		
			Extended Gate Hours (% off-peak, 50% max)		0%		Cruise Hours		
			Container Info System (% used)		0%		Total Drayage Hours		
			Virtual Container Yard (% available)		0%		Drayage Hours per Container		
			Neutral Chassis Pool (% used)		0%				
							Outputs		
							Default		
							Scenario		
							Change		
							% Change		
							Pollutant (annual tons)		
							HC		
							CO		
							NOx		
							PM _{2.5}		
							CO ₂		
							Fuel Use and Total Cost		
							Fuel - Gallons		
							Total Drayage Cost		
							Drayage Cost per Container		

- Print a hard copy³ of the worksheet.
- Use Paste Special in Word to insert an image of the worksheet into a Word document as a Picture⁴.
- Use Adobe Acrobat®, Scansoft PDF Create!®, or other software to save an image of the worksheet as a PDF file.

This simple approach is convenient and useful for exploring the impact of one or two variables, but quickly becomes unmanageable for more complex scenarios.

³ This will not, however, show any changes that have been made on other model worksheets, such as the detailed inputs on the drayage activity sheets.

⁴ Do not attempt to paste the worksheet as a Microsoft Excel Object.

7.0 Optional Detailed Input Values

7.1 Drayage Activity Sheets: Common Features

Drayage Activity sheets track the drayage miles and minutes for each activity and allocate them between idle, creep, transition, and cruise duty cycles. Each tally sheet uses trip data from the default values or the user scenario and outputs activity and duty cycle data to a summary sheet.

Detailed default values on the tally sheets (e.g. the time needed to transfer a container between two chassis) can be changed by the user if desired. The default values for each of the four model versions are based on a combination of regional data and industry rules-of-thumb. Wherever the user can input more accurate values for local conditions, the accuracy and realism of the model will improve.

All of the activity tally spreadsheets employ a common format and approach, with changes in the nomenclature and content to suit the application. The Marine Terminal tally sheet, which is the most complex, is shown below as an example.

Marine Terminal Drayage Activity							RESTORE GENERIC DEFAULTS
This worksheet reflects movements of loaded containers, empty containers, bare chassis, and bobtail tractors to and from marine container terminals							
Note: OB/Export Containers come IN to the Marine Terminal Gate, and vice versa							
Activity	Trips	%	Duration (Minutes)	Waiting Time (Minutes)	Travel Time (minutes)	Distance (Miles)	
Outbound/Export Containers			= user changeable inputs				
Total Containers Entering Terminal Gate	877,609		(over-the-road movement shown on other worksheets)				
Loaded Containers	434,000	39%					
Empty Containers	443,609	40%					
Bare Chassis	11,601	1%					
Bobtail Tractors	218,728	20%					
Total Trips	1,107,937	100%	12	-	12	5	
			35	-	35	15	
Entry Gate Transactions							
Entry Gate Transaction	911,082	82%	3	3	-	-	
Outside Queuing	911,082	82%	20		20	0.6	
Trouble Window	55,397	5%	45	45	-	0.1	
Bypass Entrance	196,855	18%	2	-	2	0.1	
Container Yard Activity							
Pick Up Loaded Container on Chassis	542,857	30%	12	10	2	0.5	
Pick Up Empty Container on Chassis	334,751	19%	12	10	2	0.5	
Locate & Pick Up Bare Chassis	11,860	1%	15	15	2	0.5	
Drop Loaded Container on Chassis	434,000	24%	12	10	2	0.5	
Drop Empty Container on Chassis	443,609	25%	12	10	2	0.5	
Drop Bare Chassis	11,601	1%	5	5	2	0.5	
Chassis Flip/Transfer	8,776	0%	42	40	2	0.5	
Live Lift Container onto Chassis	-	0%	12	12	0	0.1	
Live Lift Container off of Chassis	-	0%	12	12	0	0.1	
Total Transactions	1,787,454	100%					
Container Yard Delays							
Trouble Window	89,373	5%	30	30	0	0.1	
Equipment Issue	44,473	5%	60	59	1	0.3	
Inbound/Import Containers							
Total Containers Exiting Terminal Gate	877,609		(over-the-road movement shown on other worksheets)				
Loaded Containers	542,857	49%					
Empty Containers	334,751	30%					
Bare Chassis	11,860	1%					
Bobtail Tractors	218,468	20%					
Total Trips	1,107,937	100%	12	-	12	5	
			35	-	35	15	
Exit Gate Transactions							
Exit Gate Transaction	911,316	82%	3	3	-	-	
Inside Queuing	714,694	65%	5		18	0.5	
Trouble Window	45,566	5%	30	30	-	0.1	
Bypass Exit	196,622	18%	2	-	2	0.1	
Loaded Subtotal							
Bobtail/Chassis/Empty Subtotal	976,857	44%	31,764,489	16,055,468	15,709,022	881,085	
Marine Terminal Total	1,239,018	56%	52,025,355	18,663,891	33,361,463	7,616,498	
	2,215,875	100%	83,789,844	34,719,359	49,070,485	8,497,583	

On the left the tally sheets list possible activities. The list is similar across the various facility types, although not all activities take place in every location. The cells hold either values linked to other sheets, calculated values, output values, or optional input variables, as shown above. Cells containing calculated values and output values are locked. Cells shaded in tan allow user inputs.

The outputs are totaled separately for loaded containers and for unloaded equipment (bobtails, bare chassis, and empty containers). The tally sheets contain hidden cells in which the minutes by duty cycle phase are multiplied by the number of trips in each category and totaled. The output cells are ultimately linked to the Primary Inputs and Outputs and Activity Summary sheets.

Operating Modes. This section of each activity tally spreadsheet (below), which is ordinarily hidden, is a critical factor in the emissions estimates. Duty cycle data are scarce, so the model supplies a series of appropriate default values. The default duty cycle for over-the-road trips on this and other spreadsheets is the California Air Resources Board (CARB) Highway Heavy Duty Diesel Truck (HHDDT) test cycle of 16.6% Idle, 7.0% creep, 15.4% transient, and 57.8% Cruise.

Average speeds for each mode are consistent with the MOVES methodology: 0 mph for Idle, 1.7 mph for Creep, 12.5 mph for Transient, and 40 mph for Cruise.

The complete duty cycle is applied only to the over-the-road activities within the drayage activity model, not to terminal activities or queuing. For most activities the tally sheet tracks waiting time (modeled at Idle) separately from movement time. The movement time is modeled at Creep (average of 1.7 mph, for gate transactions and queuing) or at Transient (average of 12.5 mph, for movement within the yard and through bypass gates).

The tally sheet tracks the minutes accumulated in each operating mode and the total distance traveled. These results are reported separately for loaded moves and for empty, bare chassis, and bobtail moves combined.

Each activity tally sheet has a comparable operating cycle section which is normally hidden as there are no user inputs or displays of results.

The sections that follow cover the individual Drayage Activity sheets and the detailed input options.

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Activity	Trips	%	Duration (Minutes)	Waiting Time (Minutes)	Travel Time (minutes)	Distance (Miles)	Idle %	Creep %	Transient %	Cruise %	Avg. Travel MPH	Idle (minutes)	Creep (minutes)	Transient (minutes)	Cruise (minutes)	Total Miles
Outbound/Export Containers																
Total Containers Entering Terminal Gate	877,609		= user changeable inputs													
Loaded Containers	434,000	39%	(over-the-road movement shown on other worksheets)													
Empty Containers	443,609	40%														
Bare Chassis	11,601	1%	12	-	12	5	16.6%	7.0%	18.5%	57.8%	25.6	22,672	9,560	25,242	78,711	136,185
Bobtail Tractors	218,728	20%	35	-	35	15	16.6%	7.0%	18.5%	57.8%	25.6	1,282,444	540,764	1,427,788	4,452,219	7,703,215
Total Trips	1,107,937	100%														58,003
Entry Gate Transactions																
Entry Gate Transaction	911,082	82%	3	3	-	-	100%	0%	0%	0%	0.0	2,733,246	-	-	-	2,733,246
Inside Queuing	911,082	82%	20	-	20	0.6	100%	0%	0%	0%	1.7	18,221,841	-	-	-	18,221,841
Trouble Window	55,397	5%	45	-	45	0.1	100%	0%	0%	0%	0.0	2,492,859	-	-	-	2,492,859
Bypass Entrance	196,855	18%	2	-	2	0.1	0%	100%	0%	0%	1.7	393,711	-	-	-	393,711
Container Yard Activity																
Pick Up Loaded Container on Chassis	542,857	30%	12	10	2	0.5	0%	0%	100%	0%	12.5	1,302,857	-	-	-	6,514,286
Pick Up Empty Container on Chassis	334,751	19%	12	10	10	0.5	0%	0%	100%	0%	12.5	803,403	-	-	-	4,017,017
Locate & Pick Up Bare Chassis	11,860	1%	15	-	15	0.5	0%	0%	100%	0%	12.5	28,465	-	-	-	206,371
Drop Loaded Container on Chassis	434,000	24%	11	-	11	0.5	0%	0%	100%	0%	12.5	1,041,600	-	-	-	5,205,000
Drop Empty Container on Chassis	443,609	25%	11	-	11	0.5	0%	0%	100%	0%	12.5	1,064,661	-	-	-	5,323,303
Drop Bare Chassis	11,601	1%	4	-	4	0.5	0%	0%	100%	0%	12.5	27,842	-	-	-	85,645
Chassis Flip Transfer	8,776	0%	12	12	0	0.3	0%	0%	100%	0%	12.5	347,533	-	-	-	365,596
Live Lift Container on Chassis	-	0%	12	-	12	0.1	0%	0%	100%	0%	12.5	-	-	-	-	4,368
Live Lift Container off of Chassis	-	0%	12	-	12	0.1	0%	0%	100%	0%	12.5	-	-	-	-	-
Total Transactions	1,787,454	100%														-
Container Yard Delays																
Trouble Window	89,373	5%	30	30	0	0.1	100%	0%	100%	0%	12.5	2,681,181	-	42,899	-	2,681,181
Equipment Issue	44,473	5%	60	59	1	0.3	100%	0%	100%	0%	12.5	2,668,407	-	53,368	-	2,668,407
Inbound/Import Containers																
Total Containers Exiting Terminal Gate	877,609		(over-the-road movement shown on other worksheets)													
Loaded Containers	542,857	49%														
Empty Containers	334,751	30%														
Bare Chassis	11,860	1%	12	-	12	5	16.6%	7.0%	18.5%	57.8%	25.6	23,180	9,774	25,807	80,473	139,234
Bobtail Tractors	218,468	20%	35	-	35	15	16.6%	7.0%	18.5%	57.8%	25.6	1,280,321	540,122	1,426,092	4,446,932	7,694,067
Total Trips	1,107,937	100%														59,302
Exit Gate Transactions																
Exit Gate Transaction	911,316	82%	3	3	-	-	100%	0%	0%	0%	0.0	2,733,947	-	-	-	2,733,947
Inside Queuing	714,694	65%	5	-	18	0.5	0%	100%	0%	0%	1.7	12,612,250	-	-	-	12,612,250
Trouble Window	45,566	5%	30	30	-	0.1	100%	0%	0%	0%	0.0	1,366,974	-	-	-	1,366,974
Bypass Exit	196,622	18%	2	-	2	0.1	0%	100%	0%	0%	1.7	393,243	-	-	-	393,243
Loaded Subtotal																
Bobtail/Chassis/Empty Subtotal	1,239,018	56%	31,764,489	16,055,468	15,709,022	881,085	16,055,468	13,317,397	2,391,625	-	-	16,055,468	13,317,397	2,391,625	-	31,717,321
Bobtail/Chassis/Empty Subtotal	1,239,018	56%	52,025,355	18,663,891	33,361,463	7,616,498	18,663,891	19,403,669	4,899,461	9,058,334	-	18,663,891	19,403,669	4,899,461	-	51,976,256
Marine Terminal Total	2,215,875	100%	83,789,844	34,719,359	49,070,485	8,497,583	34,719,359	32,721,065	7,291,086	9,058,334	-	34,719,359	32,721,065	7,291,086	-	83,693,577
																8,497,583

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7.2 Marine Terminal Worksheet

The Marine Terminal sheet covers the drayage activity within the marine terminal and at the marine terminal gates. Trips to and from the marine terminals are covered in other sheets.

Marine Terminal Drayage Activity						
This worksheet reflects movements of loaded containers, empty containers, bare chassis, and bobtail tractors to and from marine container terminals						
Note: OB/Export Containers come IN to the Marine Terminal Gate, and vice versa						
Activity	Trips	%	Duration (Minutes)	Waiting Time (Minutes)	Travel Time (minutes)	Distance (Miles)
Outbound/Export Containers						
Total Containers Entering Terminal Gate	877,609		= user changeable inputs			
Loaded Containers	434,000	39%	(over-the-road movement shown on other worksheets)			
Empty Containers	443,609	40%				
Bare Chassis	11,601	1%	12	-	12	5
Bobtail Tractors	218,728	20%	35	-	35	15
Total Trips	1,107,937	100%				
Entry Gate Transactions						
Entry Gate Transaction	911,082	82%	3	3	-	-
Outside Queuing	911,082	82%	20		20	0.6
Trouble Window	55,397	5%	45	45	-	0.1
Bypass Entrance	196,855	18%	2	-	2	0.1
Container Yard Activity						
Pick Up Loaded Container on Chassis	542,857	30%	12	10	2	0.5
Pick Up Empty Container on Chassis	334,751	19%	12	10	2	0.5
Locate & Pick Up Bare Chassis	11,860	1%	15	15	2	0.5
Drop Loaded Container on Chassis	434,000	24%	12	10	2	0.5
Drop Empty Container on Chassis	443,609	25%	12	10	2	0.5
Drop Bare Chassis	11,601	1%	5	5	2	0.5
Chassis Flip/Transfer	8,776	0%	42	40	2	0.5
Live Lift Container onto Chassis	-	0%	12	12	0	0.1
Live Lift Container off of Chassis	-	0%	12	12	0	0.1
Total Transactions	1,787,454	100%				
Container Yard Delays						
Trouble Window	89,373	5%	30	30	0	0.1
Equipment Issue	44,473	5%	60	59	1	0.3
Inbound/Import Containers						
Total Containers Exiting Terminal Gate	877,609		(over-the-road movement shown on other worksheets)			
Loaded Containers	542,857	49%				
Empty Containers	334,751	30%				
Bare Chassis	11,860	1%	12	-	12	5
Bobtail Tractors	218,468	20%	35	-	35	15
Total Trips	1,107,937	100%				
Exit Gate Transactions						
Exit Gate Transaction	911,316	82%	3	3	-	-
Inside Queuing	714,694	65%	5		18	0.5
Trouble Window	45,566	5%	30	30	-	0.1
Bypass Exit	196,622	18%	2	-	2	0.1
Loaded Subtotal						
	976,857	44%	31,764,489	16,055,468	15,709,022	881,085
Bobtail/Chassis/Empty Subtotal						
	1,239,018	56%	52,025,355	18,663,891	33,361,463	7,616,498
Marine Terminal Total						
	2,215,875	100%	83,789,844	34,719,359	49,070,485	8,497,583

Activity Percentages. This column contains the percentage of all movements through the marine terminal that are involved in specific activities, such as trips to a trouble window to resolve paperwork problems. Values with tan shading can be replaced by the user. All the other percentages are driven by the model.

Activity Durations. This column assigns the appropriate number of minutes to each drayage activity. The cells shaded in tan are defaults but may be changed by the user.

Distances. The distances on this sheet are within the terminal or at the terminal gates, not between terminals or other facilities. The tan values may be replaced by the user – others are calculated.

Note that the marine terminal worksheet has its own “Restore Generic Defaults” button, as some of the tan cells that might be changed by the user contain formulas that would otherwise be lost.

7.3 Off-Dock Rail Terminal Spreadsheet

The Off-Dock Rail Terminal portion of the model reflects drayage trips to and from port terminals, and port-related activity at and within the rail facility.

Off-Dock Rail Terminal Drayage Activity						
This worksheet reflects moves of loaded containers, empty containers, bare chassis, and bobtail tractors to and from off-dock rail terminals						
Note: Inbound/Import containers come IN to the Rail Terminal Entry Gate, and vice versa						
Activity	Trips	%	Duration (Minutes)	Waiting Time	Travel Time	Distance (Miles)
Inbound/Import Containers			= user changeable inputs			
Total Containers Entering Terminal Gate	142,929					
Loaded Containers	135,714	77%	12	-	12	5.0
Empty Containers	7,215	4%	12	-	12	5.0
Bare Chassis	13,178	8%	12	-	12	5.0
Bobtail Tractors	19,378	11%	12	-	12	5.0
Total Trips	175,485	100%				
Entry Gate Transactions						
Entry Gate Transaction	158,045	90%	2			
Outside Queuing	158,045	90%	2	-	2	0.1
Trouble Window	1,755	1%	30	30	-	-
Bypass Entrance	17,440	10%	2	-	2	0.4
Rail Intermodal Yard Activity						
Pick Up Loaded Container on Chassis	107,143	34%	15	10	5	1.0
Pick Up Empty Container on Chassis	36,075	12%	15	10	5	1.0
Locate & Pick Up Bare Chassis	12,890	4%	15	10	5	1.0
Drop Loaded Container on Chassis	135,714	43%	15	10	5	1.0
Drop Empty Container on Chassis	7,215	2%	15	10	5	1.0
Drop Bare Chassis	13,178	4%	15	10	5	1.0
Chassis Flip/Transfer	1,432	1%	30	25	5	1.0
Live Lift Container onto Chassis	-	0%	15	13	2	0.5
Live Lift Container off of Chassis	-	0%	15	13	2	0.5
Total Transactions	313,647	100%				
Yard Delay & Repair						
Trouble Window	1,200	1%	30	-	4	0.1
Equipment Issue	2,401	2%	60	-	35	1.0
Outbound/Export Containers						
Total Containers Exiting Terminal Gate	143,218					
Loaded Containers	107,143	61%	12	-	12	5.0
Empty Containers	36,075	21%	12	-	12	5.0
Bare Chassis	12,890	7%	12	-	12	5.0
Bobtail Tractors	19,378	11%	12	-	12	5.0
Total Trips	175,485	100%				
Exit Gate Transactions						
Exit Gate Transaction	158,045	90%	3	-	-	-
Inside Queuing	158,045	90%	5	-	5	0.1
Trouble Window	1,755	1%	30	30	-	0.1
Bypass Exit	17,440	10%	2	-	2	0.4
Loaded Subtotal	242,857	69%	6,866,130	3,024,639	3,841,491	1,465,760
Bobtail/Chassis/Empty Subtotal	108,113	31%	2,526,525	987,271	1,539,255	621,730
Off-Dock Rail Terminal Total	350,970	100%	9,392,655	4,011,909	5,380,746	2,087,490

Activity Percentages. This column contains the percentage of all movements through the off-dock rail terminal that are involved in specific activities. Values with tan shading can be replaced by the user.

Activity Durations. This column assigns the appropriate number of minutes to each drayage activity. The cells shaded in tan are defaults based on case studies but may be changed by the user.

Distances. The key input for the over-the-road trips is the distance. As with analogous inputs in other model segments the ideal input value would be a weighted set of distances and volumes. Lacking terminal-by-terminal trip data, the next-best input value would be the distances to rail facilities (if there is more than one) weighted by their relative volumes of port-related activity.

7.4 Inter-Terminal Worksheet

The format of the Inter-Terminal drayage spreadsheet is abbreviated and used differently. Instead of reflecting activity at gates and container yards, this model section represents over-the-road movements between marine terminals. No in-terminal activities are covered.

Inter-Terminal Drayage Mileage & Time						
This worksheet reflects time and distance travelled in movements of loaded containers, empty containers, bare chassis, and bobtail tractors between marine container terminals						
Activity	Trips	%	Duration (Minutes)	Waiting Time	Travel Time	Distance (Miles)
Inter-Terminal Drayage Trips			= user changeable inputs			
Total Inter-Terminal Container Movements	5,714					
Loaded Containers	5,429	84%	9	-	9	4
Empty Containers	286	4%	9	-	9	4
Bare Chassis	-	0%	9	-	9	4
Bobtail Tractors	714	11%	9	-	9	4
Total Trips	6,429	100%				
Loaded Subtotal	5,429	84%	50,983	8,488	42,495	21,714
Bobtail/Chassis/Empty Subtotal	1,000	16%	9,392	1,564	7,828	4,000
Inter-Terminal Total	6,429	100%	60,374	10,051	50,323	25,714

Activity Percentages. There are no user options in this column.

Activity Durations. The durations on this worksheet are calculated from the distances and the average speeds in the duty cycle, and are not user-changeable.

Distances. The key input is the distance between terminals, which has a default value of 4 miles. As in other cases, where there are only two facilities the input value should be the distance between them. In a multi-terminal complex, the ideal input would be the various distances weighted by the number of trips between each pair. The values may be replaced by the user.

7.5 Shipper/Receiver Spreadsheet

Shippers (exporters) and receivers (importers) are the underlying customers for container transportation and in most ports will account for the majority of drayage trips and mileage. This worksheet calculates the over-the-road and on-site mileage and time required to serve those customers.

Shipper & Receiver Drayage Activity						
This worksheet reflects movements of loaded containers, empty containers, and bobtail tractors to and from shippers (exporters) and receivers (importers)						
RESTORE GENERIC DEFAULTS						
Activity	Trips	%	Duration (Minutes)	Waiting Time	Travel Time	Distance (Miles)
Inbound/Import Containers			= user changeable inputs			
Containers Entering Shipper/Receiver Gate	723,143					
Loaded Containers	401,714	49%	59	-	59	25.0
Empty Containers	321,429	40%	59	-	59	25.0
Bobtail Tractors	88,832	11%	59	-	59	25.0
Total Trips	811,974	100%				
Entry Gate Transactions						
Entry Gate Transaction	811,974	100%	2	2		
Outside Queuing	811,974	100%	3		3	0.1
Trouble Window	4,060	0.5%	30	30	-	-
Loading/Unloading						
Pick Up Loaded Container on Chassis	241,071	19%	10	10	0	0.1
Pick Up Empty Container on Chassis	301,286	24%	10	10	0	0.1
Drop Loaded Container on Chassis	301,286	24%	10	10	0	0.1
Drop Empty Container on Chassis	241,071	19%	10	10	0	0.1
Wait for Container Loading	80,357	6%	60	60	0	0.1
Wait for Container Unloading	100,429	8%	30	30	0	0.1
Total Transactions	1,265,500	100%				
Yard Delay						
Yard Delay	4,060	0.5%	15	15	-	-
Outbound/Export Containers						
Containers Exiting Shipper/Receiver Gate	723,143	89%				
Loaded Containers	321,429	40%	59	-	59	25.0
Empty Containers	401,714	49%	59	-	59	25.0
Bobtail Tractors	88,832	11%	59	-	59	25.0
Total Trips	811,974	100%				
Exit Gate Transactions						
Exit Gate Transaction	811,974	100%	2	2		-
Outside Queuing	811,974	100%	3		3	0.1
Trouble Window	4,060	0.5%	30	30	-	-
Loaded Subtotal						
	723,143	45%	54,637,063	16,779,312	37,857,750	18,204,317
Bobtail/Chassis/Empty Subtotal						
	900,806	55%	67,789,539	20,716,255	47,073,284	22,658,992
Shipper/Receiver Total						
	1,623,949	100%	122,426,601	37,495,567	84,931,034	40,863,309

Activity Percentages. This column contains the percentage of all shipper/consignee movements involved in specific activities, such as dropping an empty container or waiting for an import container to be unloaded. Values with tan shading can be replaced by the user. A key factor is the split between “drop and pick” trips (where the drayman delivers one container and picks up another) and “stay with” trips (where the driver waits while the container is loaded or unload). This factor is addressed on the Secondary Inputs spreadsheet.

Activity Durations. This column assigns the appropriate number of minutes to each drayage activity. The cells shaded in tan are defaults but may be changed by the user.

Distances. The distances on this sheet refer to distances traveled to, from, and within shipper/consignee facilities. The values are derived from the Primary Inputs.

7.6 Container Depot Spreadsheet

The Container Depot spreadsheet uses the same overall format as the other activity sheets but is simpler because only a few of the functions are used.

Container Depot Drayage Activity						
This worksheet reflects movements of loaded and empty containers, bare chassis, and bobtail tractors to and from off-dock container storage depots						
RESTORE GENERIC DEFAULTS						
Activity	Trips	%	Duration (Minutes)	Waiting Time	Travel Time	Distance (Miles)
Containers to Depot			= user changeable inputs			
Loaded Containers	-	0%	5	-	5	2.0
Empty Containers	29,555	86%	5	-	5	2.0
Bare Chassis	-	0%	5	-	5	2.0
Bobtail Tractors	4,839	14%	5	-	5	2.0
Total Trips	34,394	100%				
Entry Gate Transactions						
Entry Gate Transaction	34,394	100%	3	3	-	-
Outside Queuing	34,394	100%	5	-	5	0.1
Trouble Window	688	2%	15	15	-	-
Depot Yard Activity						
Pick up Loaded Container on Chassis	-	0%	10	6	4	0.1
Pick up Empty Container on Chassis	6,628	6%	10	6	4	0.1
Locate & Pick up Bare Chassis	22,639	22%	10	6	4	0.1
Drop Loaded Container on Chassis	-	0%	10	6	4	0.1
Drop Empty Container on Chassis	5,911	6%	10	6	4	0.1
Drop Bare Chassis	23,644	22%	10	6	4	0.1
Live Lift Empty Container on Chassis	22,639	22%	15	11	4	0.1
Live Lift Empty Container off Chassis	23,644	22%	15	11	4	0.1
Total Transactions	105,104	100%				
Depot Yard Delays						
Trouble Window	2,102	2%	30	-	-	-
Equipment Issue	2,102	2%	60	-	-	-
Containers from Depot						
Loaded Containers	-	0%	5	-	5	2.0
Empty Containers	29,266	85%	5	-	5	2.0
Bare Chassis	-	0%	5	-	5	2.0
Bobtail Tractors	5,128	15%	5	-	5	2.0
Total Trips	34,394	100%				
Exit Gate Transactions						
Exit Gate Transaction	34,394	100%	3	-	3	-
Inside Queuing	34,394	100%	3	-	3	0.1
Trouble Window	344	1%	15	15	-	-
Loaded Subtotal	-	0%	-	-	-	-
Bobtail/Chassis/Empty Subtotal	68,788	100%	2,171,254	1,163,169	1,008,086	159,886
Container Depot Total	68,788	100%	2,171,254	1,163,169	1,008,086	159,886

Activity Percentages. This column contains the percentage of all movements through the container depot involved in specific activities, such as dropping a container for storage. Values with tan shading can be replaced by the user.

Activity Durations. This column assigns the appropriate number of minutes to each drayage activity. The cells shaded in tan are defaults but may be changed by the user.

Distances. The distances on this sheet refer to distances traveled to, from, and within off-dock container depots. The values are derived from the Primary Inputs.

7.7 Trucker Yard Worksheet

The Trucker Yard spreadsheet uses the same overall format as the other activity sheets but i only a few of the functions since container remain on their chassis at these facilities.

Trucker Yard Drayage Activity						
This worksheet reflects movements of loaded and empty containers, bare chassis, and bobtail tractors to and from off-dock trucker yards or equivalent locations						
RESTORE GENERIC DEFAULTS						
Activity	Trips	%	Duration (Minutes)	Waiting Time	Travel Time	Distance (Miles)
Trips to Yard			= user changeable inputs			
Loaded Containers	9,714	7%	23	-	23	10.0
Empty Containers	14,463	10%	23	-	23	10.0
Bare Chassis	-	0%	23	-	23	10.0
Bobtail Tractors*	114,190	83%	23	-	23	10.0
Total Trips	138,367	100%				
Trucker Yard Activity						
Pick up Loaded Container on Chassis	9,714	25%	10	5	4	0.1
Pick up Empty Container on Chassis	14,463	37%	10	5	4	0.1
Pick up Bare Chassis	-	0%	10	5	4	0.1
Drop Loaded Container on Chassis	9,714	25%	10	5	4	0.1
Drop Empty Container on Chassis	14,463	37%	10	5	4	0.1
Drop Bare Chassis	-	0%	10	5	4	0.1
Total Transactions	38,640	100%				
Trips from Yard						
Loaded Containers	9,714	7%	23	-	23	10.0
Empty Containers	14,463	10%	23	-	23	10.0
Bare Chassis	-	0%	23	-	23	10.0
Bobtail Tractors*	114,190	83%	23	-	23	10.0
Total Trips	138,367	100%				
Loaded Subtotal	19,429	7%	639,017	173,085	465,932	196,714
Bobtail/Chassis/Empty Subtotal	257,305	93%	6,313,450	1,150,379	5,163,071	2,576,663
Trucker Yard Total	276,733	100%	6,952,467	1,323,464	5,629,002	2,773,378
* Includes only bobtails to/from Marine Terminal to avoid double-counting cross-town moves						

Activity Percentages. This column contains the percentage of all movements through the to and from trucker yards involved in specific activities, such as dropping a container on chassis or bare chassis for storage. Values with tan shading can be replaced by the user.

Activity Durations. This column assigns the appropriate number of minutes to each drayage activity. The cells shaded in tan are defaults but may be changed by the user.

Distances. The distances on this sheet refer to distances traveled to, from, and within trucker yards. The values are derived from the Primary Inputs.

As noted in the graphic, the Trucker Yard worksheet picks up only the bobtails to and from marine terminals to avoid double-counting trips shown on other worksheets.

7.8 Other Port Trucks Worksheet

This worksheet is provided to account for movements of non-container port trucks, such as those moving bulk or break-bulk cargoes. The format of this worksheet is simpler than the others. The default model does not include such trips, so all such data must be added by the user.

Activity Percentages. This column contains the percentage of non-container truck movements by activity type. Values with tan shading can be replaced by the user.

Activity Durations. This column assigns the appropriate number of minutes to each drayage activity. Travel times are calculated by the model; waiting times can reflect user inputs.

Distances. The distances on this sheet refer to distances traveled by non-container trucks to and from port facilities and are linked to the Secondary Inputs worksheet. The tan values may be replaced by the user.

Other Port Truck Activity						
This worksheet reflects movements of non-container trucks or other truck movements not covered in other worksheets						
RESTORE GENERIC DEFAULTS						
Activity	Trips	%	Duration (Minutes)	Waiting Time	Travel Time	Distance (Miles)
Inbound/Import Trips			= user changeable inputs			
Loaded Trucks	-	0%	0	-	0	0.0
Empty Trucks	-	0%	0	-	0	0.0
Bobtail	-	0%	23	-	23	10
Total Trips	-	0%				
Entry Gate Transactions						
Entry Gate Transaction	-	99%	1	1	-	-
Outside Queuing	-		2	-	2	0.1
Trouble Window	-	1%	30	30	-	-
Yard Activity						
Loading	-	0%	60	59	1	0.2
Unloading	-	0%	30	29	1	0.2
Total Transactions	-	0%				
Yard Delay & Repair						
Yard Delay	-	1%	15	15	-	-
Outbound/Export Trips						
Loaded Trucks	-	0%	59	-	59	25.0
Empty Trucks	-	0%	59	-	59	25.0
Bobtail	-	0%	23	-	23	10
Total Trips	-	0%				
Exit Gate Transactions						
Exit Gate Transaction	-	99%	1	1	-	-
Inside Queuing	-		2	-	2	0.1
Trouble Window	-	1%	30	30	-	-
Loaded Subtotal	-	0%	-	-	-	-
Bobtail/Empty Subtotal	-	0%	-	-	-	-
Other Port Trucks Total	-	0%	-	-	-	-

7.9 Resetting Base Case Default Outputs

Once any default detailed input values have been replaced by more specific, local data, the default output values must be reset accordingly.

To reset the default output values, click the green “Set Default Inputs and Outputs to Scenario Values” button on the Primary Inputs and Outputs worksheet. At this point the model provides a new base case estimate of drayage activities, costs, and emissions for the port or terminal being modeled. This base case then becomes the new default against which new scenarios can be compared. (To restore the generic defaults, use the blue “Restore Generic Default Inputs & Outputs” button.)

8.0 Troubleshooting

8.1 Problem Types

The user may encounter problems of several different types, some of which are model issues, some data issues, and some Excel issues. Each type is discussed separately below.

8.2 Model and Data Issues

The model itself has been tested by multiple users across a wide variety of circumstances. It is possible, however, that users may encounter a problem with the model due to a combination of actions that did not occur or cause trouble in testing.

The user may also encounter problems after inputting scenario values outside the expected range.

Using the Container Distribution worksheet. The core of the activity model is the Container Distribution worksheet. This worksheet draws on the volume and distribution information from the input sheet to allocate flows of loaded containers, empty containers, bare chassis, and bobtail tractors among the various activity centers. The spreadsheet can also be used to troubleshoot apparent model errors or inaccuracies.

DrayFLEET Version 2.0 Port Container Distribution Worksheet									
Note: For clarity and consistency, all directions are Port orientation. Inbound=Import, Outbound=Export									
Marine Container Terminals (MT)			Port/Terminal Trips			Non-Port Trips			
To/From Vessels	Number	Port Share							
Annual Port TEU	2,000,000	100%							
Equiv. Containers	1,142,857	100%							
IB/Import Loads	542,857	48%							
IB/Import Empties	28,571	3%							
OB/Export Loads	428,571	38%							
OB/Export Empties	142,857	13%							
Non-gate Container Moves									
	On-Dock Barge Transshipment	On-Dock Rail							
	Port Share 0%	Port Share 0%							
IB/Import Loads	-	-							
IB/Import Empties	-	-							
OB/Export Loads	-	-							
OB/Export Empties	-	-							
Inter-Terminal Drayage Trips									
MT Trip Share 1%		Number							
IB/Import Loads		5,429							
IB/Import Empties		286							
IB/Import Chassis		-							
OB/Export Loads		5,429							
OB/Export Empties		286							
OB/Export Chassis		-							
Bobtails		714							
Container Terminal Gate Moves									
Import/Outgate Loads		542,857							
Import/Outgate Empties		334,751							
Outgate Chassis		11,860							
Outgate Bobtails		329,636							
Outgate Subtotal		1,219,105							
Export/Ingate Loads		434,000							
Export/Ingate Empties		443,609							
Ingate Chassis		11,601							
Ingate Bobtails		329,896							
Ingate Subtotal		1,219,105							
Total Moves		2,438,210							
Other Port Truck Trips									
Loads from MT		-							
Empties from MT		-							
Loads to MT		-							
Empties to MT		-							
Inbound Bobtails		-							
Outbound Bobtails		-							
Total Moves		-							

This spreadsheet functions as a check on the logic and completeness of the scenario inputs. The container distribution chart is driven by entries elsewhere, total TEU and proportional splits between activity and customer groups. There are no user entries on this worksheet.

- If the flows shown on the chart do not appear correct it is an indication of problems with input factors either on the primary input sheet or on one of the activity center sheets.
- If the overall container count is wrong either the TEU total, the inbound/outbound balance, the load/balance, and the containers per TEU conversion factors should be checked.
- If the barge or on-dock rail volumes appear wrong, the barge percentage, the rail percentage, and the on-dock rail shares should be checked.
- Negative values anywhere on this sheet are an indication of errors or conflicting scenario specifications. In these cases the values on the Primary Inputs and Secondary Inputs sheets should be checked for consistency.

If the totals and proportions in the marine terminal gate section of the flow chart do not agree with empirical data, the following issues should be considered (as well possible inaccuracy of the empirical data).

- Proportions and volumes of containers moved via barge or on-dock rail. In particular, the load/empty balances of barge or rail flows may differ significantly from the overall port balance. (see the Secondary Inputs worksheet)
- Proportions of bobtail or bare chassis moves (on the Marine Terminal activity center sheet). There may be local reasons for higher or lower percentages of bobtail or bare chassis moves, such as off-terminal or storage, a higher number of inter-terminal moves. (see the Secondary Inputs worksheet)
- The existence of bypass gates, inter-terminal or depot moves by yard tractors, or other reasons why some moves are not reflected in terminal gate counts. (see the Secondary Inputs worksheet)
- A mismatch between the pattern reflected in gate counts and the overall annual port drayage pattern. This mismatch might occur if a monthly or weekly sample includes non-typical activity such as service disruptions or large-scale equipment repositioning.

The marine terminal gate flow numbers on the flow chart are matched on the marine terminal activity center sheet. The relationships on that sheet should be reviewed in detail if the flow chart numbers appear incorrect.

8.3 Error Messages

The Excel **#DIV/0!** message may appear if the user inserts zero into a cell where zero is not a valid value, such as in the Annual TEU or Avg./TEU Container fields.

The Excel **#VALUE!** message usually indicates that the user has entered a non-numerical character in a numerical field, such as inputting the letter “a” for the Outbound Empty %. A particularly common error of this type is typing the letter “O” for the number zero.

The Excel **Circular Reference** error message may appear if the user inadvertently sets a default value equal to the corresponding scenario value, since the scenario value is ordinarily equal to the default already.

8.4 Problems with Excel Functionality

Correct model functioning depends on numerous Excel functions and features, including several macros. Where difficulties with the model are traceable to Excel itself, standard software troubleshooting procedures apply. Suggestions include:

- Consulting the Excel Help file (keyboard shortcut F1).
- Using the Formula Auditing tools under Formulas on the Excel 2010 ribbon.
- Using the Open and Repair option when opening the model file.
- Entering a brief description of the problem into an Internet search engine (e.g. Google).

9.0 Appendix: Input Summary Tables

9.1 Primary Inputs

The tables below summarize the major input variables on the Primary Inputs & Outputs worksheet. The tables can be used as a paper version of the worksheet to assemble the necessary data.

Primary Inputs for DrayFLEET Model 2.0			
Input	Default	Scenario	Comment
Primary Port Inputs			
Annual TEU	2,000,000		Enter the total annual Twenty-foot Equivalent Units (TEU) handled by the port or terminal in question
Average TEU per Container	1.75		Enter the appropriate factor to convert the TEU data to an equivalent container count
Inbound Share	50%		Enter the percentage of TEU or containers moving inbound from vessel to port or terminal, whether loaded or empty, import or domestic cargo
Inbound Empty Share	5%		Enter the percentage of import TEU or containers that arrive empty
Outbound Empty Share	25%		Enter the percentage of outbound TEU or containers that depart empty
Rail Intermodal Share	25%		Enter the total percentage of on-dock and off-dock rail intermodal movement of port containers (in % of TEU or containers, not tonnage), both loaded and empty

Primary Marine Terminal Inputs			
Average Inbound Gate Queue Minutes	20 minutes		Enter the average minutes that drayage drivers spend waiting in queues outside terminal gates
Average Container Yard Minutes per Transaction	30 minutes		Enter the average minutes required inside the marine terminal container yard to complete a single transaction
Primary Rail Terminal Inputs			
Weighted Average Miles from Marine Terminal	5 miles		Where there is only one marine terminal and one off-dock rail terminal, enter the distance between them
Average Inbound Gate Queue Minutes	5 minutes		Enter the average time draymen spend waiting to enter the inbound gates at off-dock rail terminals
Average Rail Yard Minutes per Transaction	15 minutes		Enter the average time required in the rail terminal yard (after passing through the gate) for a single transaction

Primary Container Depot Inputs			
Weighted Average Miles from Marine Terminal	2 miles		Where there is just one marine terminal and one depot, enter the distance between them. Where there are multiple terminals and multiple depots the input value should be the weighted average
Share of Empties Stored at Depots	10%.		Enter the percentage of empty containers that are either returned to a leasing company depot (“off-hired”) or stored at a depot for other reasons.
Primary Shipper/Receivers Inputs			
Weighted Average Miles from Port	25 miles		Enter the average distance traveled to local and regional shippers and consignees
Weighted Average Crosstown Miles	10 miles		Enter the average distance between shipper/receiver locations, container depots, trucker yards, and rail terminals
Primary Trucker Yard Inputs			
Weighted Average Miles from Marine Terminal	2 miles		Where there are multiple terminals and multiple trucker yards the input value should be the weighted average distance between them
Trucker Yard Share of Port Bobtail Moves	50%		Enter the percentage of bobtail tractor moves within the port area that start or end at a trucker yard
Drayage Cost Inputs			
Average Labor Cost per Hour	\$15.00		Enter the average hourly cost of drayage labor (truck drivers).
Average Fuel Price	\$4.00		Enter the average price per gallon for diesel fuel.

Initiative Inputs			
Stacked Terminal	0%		Enter the percentage of containers (loaded and empty) that are typically stacked at the marine terminal(s) rather than parked on chassis
On-Dock Rail	0%		Enter the percentage of rail intermodal containers or TEU that are transferred at on-dock rail facilities rather than at off-dock or near-dock facilities.
Automated Gates	0%		Enter the percentage of container or TEU that are handled at automated terminal gates (e.g. via OCR, swipe card, RFID, or other technology that reduces time at the gates).
Extended Gate Hours	0%		Enter the percentage of containers or TEU that pass through terminal gates in off-peak hours, up to a maximum of 50%.
Container Information System	0%		Enter the percentage of containers or TEU whose movement or handling is covered by a port or terminal information system accessible to draymen (e.g. eModal, VoyagerTrack).
Virtual Container Yard	0%		Enter the percentage of containers or TEU for which a Virtual Container Yard (VCY) or other container status and interchange system is available
Neutral Chassis Pool	0%		Enter the percentage of containers or TEU handled at terminals with neutral chassis pools (or alternately, the percentage of containers or TEU mounted on neutral pool chassis).

9.2 Drayage Fleet Inputs

The table below lists the most critical data items for the Drayage Fleet Inputs worksheet.

Drayage Fleet Inputs			
Drayage Fleet			Number of drayage trucks by model year
Drayage Truck Emission Control Strategies	0%		Percent of trucks with various types of control strategies including DPFs, DOCs, APUs, single-wide tires, etc.

9.3 Secondary Inputs

The following tables summarize the input options available on the Secondary Inputs worksheet.

Secondary Inputs for DrayFLEET Model 2.0			
Input	Default	Scenario	Comment
Port Operations			
Barge/Transshipment Share	0%		If containers are transferred to or from barges at the facility or if there is transshipment performed, enter the percentage of TEU or containers affected
Inter-Terminal Dray Share	1%		For a port analysis, enter the percentage of containers that are drayed between port terminals. For a single terminal analysis, enter zero
Marine Terminal Operations			
% of Bobtails using Bypass Gate	90%		Many marine terminals have a bypass gate for bobtail trips to reduce congestion at the main gates. Enter the percentage of bobtail trips using such bypass gates
% of Bobtail Tractors at Gates	20%.		If available, enter the port-specific percentage of bobtail trips at marine terminal gates as a percentage of total gate movements
Rail Terminal Operations			
% of Bobtail Tractors at Gates	20%		If available, enter the average percentage of bobtail trips at rail terminal gates as a percentage of total gate movements
% of Bobtails using Bypass Gate	90%		Many rail terminals have a bypass gate for bobtail trips to reduce congestion at the main gates. Enter the percentage of bobtail trips using such bypass gates
% Live Lifts	0%		The norm for rail terminals is for drayman to park containers on chassis for subsequent loading by the terminal operator, and to pick up parked containers on chassis that have been previously unloaded from trains. "Live lifts" occur when the drayman waits to have the container transferred from chassis to rail car (or vice versa).
% of Rail Empties Returned to Depots	1%		Enter the percentage of empty containers that arrive at off-dock rail terminals and are drayed to off-dock container depots for storage rather than being drayed to the marine terminals

Container Depot Operations			
% of Bobtail Moves	20%		If available, enter the percentage of bobtail trips at container depot gates as a percentage of total depot gate movements
% Live Lift at Depots	80%		The norm for container depots is to store containers in stacks, off their chassis. "Live lifts" occur when the drayman waits to have the container transferred from chassis to stack (or vice versa).
% of Depot Empties Sent to Rail	1%		Enter the percentage of empty containers sent to rail intermodal terminals from off-dock container depots rather than being sent to marine terminals
% of Import Loads Drayed to Depots	0%		Ordinarily, only empty containers are drayed to off-terminal depots for storage. If import loads are ever drayed to off-dock depots, enter the percentage here
% of Export Loads Drayed to Depots	0%		Ordinarily, only empty containers are drayed to off-terminal depots for storage. If export loads are ever drayed to off-dock depots, enter the percentage here

Shipper/Receiver Operations			
% of Bobtail Moves	20%		If available, enter the percentage of bobtail trips at shipper/receiver gates as a percentage of total shipper/receiver gate movements
% of Drivers Waiting for Load/Unload	50%		The norm for most shippers and receivers is for drayman to park loaded or empty containers on chassis for subsequent handling by the customer, and to pick up parked containers on chassis that are ready to go to marine terminals or elsewhere. These are generally referred to as “drop and pick” operations. “Stay with” trips occur when the drayman waits to have a loaded import container unloaded or an empty export container loaded. Where information on the prevalence of “stay with” waits is available, enter the appropriate percentage.
% of Empties Supplied from Depots	1%		Enter the percentage of empty containers for export loads supplied from off-dock container depots rather than from marine terminals. This percentage can vary widely between ports.
% of Empties Returned to Depots	3%		Enter the percentage of emptied import containers that are drayed to off-dock container depots rather than to the marine terminals. This percentage can vary widely between ports
% of Empties Reused for Loads	2%		Enter the percentage of emptied import containers that are repositioned and used for an export load, either by the original drayman or by another firm. This percentage tends to be low, less than 5% at most ports
% of Empties Drayed to Trucker Yards	2%		Enter the percentage of emptied import containers that are drayed to trucker yards rather than to the marine terminals. This percentage can vary widely between ports.
% of Empties Drayed from Trucker Yards	2%		Enter the percentage of empty containers for export loads supplied from trucker yards rather than from marine terminals or depots. This percentage can vary widely between ports.
Trucker Yard Operations			
% of Import Loads Staged at Trucker Yards	1%		Loaded import containers are occasionally staged for short periods at trucker yards before delivery to the actual customer. Enter the percentage staged here.
% of Export Loads Staged at Trucker Yards	1%		Loaded export containers are occasionally staged for short periods at trucker yards before delivery to the marine terminal. Enter the percentage staged here.