Fuel Economy Policies in Transport

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Mission: to promote better air quality and livable cities by translating knowledge to policies and actions that reduce air pollution and greenhouse gas emissions from transport, energy and other sectors.







Typical national objectives related to transportation/fuels policies



Reduce oil dependence (diversify fuels)

- Improve balance of payments
- Reduce pollutant emissions
- Reduce greenhouse gases
- Promote domestic economies/jobs

State of Fuel Economy Policy in APEC Member



Source: IEA Fuel Economy Roadmap, July 2012

GFEI Targets



	2020	2030	2050
New Cars	30% reduction* in L/100km compared to 2005	50% average improvement globally	50% + globally
	Engines, drive- trains, weight, aerodynamics.	Hybridisation of most models.	Significant contributions from Plug-in vehicles
Total fleet	20% reduction With lag time for stock turnover; includes eco-driving, maintenance	35% reduction	50by50

Fuel economy standards in Asia



2012 Asian Fuel Economy Standards

- Few Asian countries have fuel economy standards
- LDV standards given priority; currently being developed in Indonesia, Philippines, Thailand, Vietnam
- HDV standards: Japan, China



Fuel economy standard exists Fuel economy standard proposed/under discussion No fuel economy standard

Source: Clean Air Asia 2012

National initiatives in the ASEAN Region







Impact potential 2012 – 2035 compared to BAU

Indonesia, Thailand, Philippines, Vietnam 180,000 70.000 Diesel consumption (million liters) 160,000 Petrol Consumption (millionliters) savings with LDV standards 60,000 140,000 savings with LDV standar 50,000 120,000 40,000 100,000 savings with HDV standard 80,000 30,000 60,000 **Remaining Consumption** 20,000 40,000 **Remaining Consumption** 10,000 20,000 0 2005 · 2037



16%

446 b liters diesel

134 b liters gasoline

Source: GFEI and Clean Air Asia. 2010.. Improving Vehicle Fuel Economy in the ASEAN Region

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26-27%

Fuel Economy is Improving Slowly



		2005	20	008	2011		2030
OECD average	average fuel economy (Lge/100km)	8.1	7	.6	7.0		
	annual improvement rate (% per year)	-2.2% -2.7%					
		-2.4%					
Non-	average fuel economy (Lge/100km)	7.5	7	.6	7.5		
OECD average	annual improvement rate (% per year)	0.4% -0.6%					
		-0.1%					
Global average	average fuel economy (Lge/100km)	8.0	7	.6	7.2		
	annual improvement rate (% per year)	-1.7% -1.8%					
		-1.8%					
GFEI	average fuel economy (Lge/100km)	8.0					4.0
target	required annual improvement rate (% per year)	-2.7%					
		2012 b	ase	year	→	-	3.0%

COUNTRY	Fuel Economy Baseline Calculations	Fuel Economy Standards	Type of Vehicles Covered	Fuel Quality and Vehicle Emissions Standards	Fuel Economy Vehicle Labeling	Fiscal incentives and/or other Tax Instruments	Public Information programs
Indonesia	Baseline calculations and Cost- Benefit Analysis completed in 2012. Legal drafting of fuel efficiency policies and standards (km/I) underway		Light-duty vehicles 2-wheelers	2000ppm sulfur diesel Currently, Euro 2 (LDVs) and Euro 4 by 2016	Voluntary based on Conformity of Production	Low Cost Green Car (LCGC) Program	Eco-driving programs and intensive policy dialogues (2013)
Malaysia	National Automotive Policy 2014: Implementation of Energy- Efficient Vehicles (EEV) will be based on fuel consumption specification (I/100km) and carbon emission (gCO₂/km) will only be used once the EURO 4 fuel quality standard is introduced.		LDVs particularly passenger vehicles 2-wheelers	500ppm sulfur diesel Euro 2 (LDVs)	None but under discussion	Import tax and excise duty exemption for CKD hybrid (from 1 January 2014 until 31 December 2015) and CKD EVs (from 1 January 2014 until 31 December 2017)	Government developing Malaysia as the regional automotive hub for Energy Efficient Vehicles (EEVs)
Philippines	Baseline calculations underway and scheduled to be completed by Jan 2015. Introduction of standards planned under the proposed House Bill on National Energy Efficiency Conservation		Light-duty vehicles	500ppm sulfur diesel Euro 2 (LDVs) and Euro 4 by 2016	Voluntary based on fuel economy runs	Senate proposing bill to incentivize fuel- efficient vehicles	Eco-driving programs and fuel economy runs
Thailand	Draft MEPS & HEPS (km/I) established for diesel and gasoline vehicles in 2013 by DEDE – Ministry of Energy with Thailand Automotive Institute		Light-duty vehicles 2-wheelers	50ppm sulfur diesel Euro 4 (LDVs) since 2012 and Euro 5 for Eco- Car Programme	None	CO ₂ taxation policy based on engine size	
Viet Nam	TCVN issued by the Science and Tech consumption limi passenger cars (A 2-wheelers (Sep 2	ne Ministry of nology: fuel ts (I/100km) of ug 2013) and for 2014)	Light-duty vehicles 2-wheelers	500ppm sulfur diesel Euro 2 (LDVs) and Euro 4 by 2017	Voluntary from 1 Jan 2014 and <u>mandator</u> ¥ from 1 Jan 2015		

How can fuel economy be improved?



Technical changes to vehicles
Changing the types of vehicles bought
Improving vehicle maintenance
Changing the way vehicles are driven (ecodriving)

Reducing traffic congestion





Dealing with Transport





General fuel economy policies



Fuel economy labeling

- Based on tested fuel economy
- Need to make available to consumers before purchase (internet, car window stickers)

Fuel pricing

- Taxation system should at least internalize externalities
- CO2 tax will help differentiate fuels as well as encourage fuel economy

General fuel economy policies



Fuel Economy Standards

- Typically corporate average standards
- Typically either vehicle mass or size based
- Could be applied to 2nd hand vehicles

Vehicle purchase taxes

- Sales tax, registration tax, import duties
- Can be differentiated by fuel economy or CO2 emissions
- Germany also differentiates by pollutant emissions levels

Moving Fuel Economy Forward in the ASEAN Context



- Lead the discussions on fuel economy policy harmonization with ASEAN member countries
- Conduct of the Better Air Quality Conference
- Support activities for fuel economy baseline setting in the ASEAN member countries
- Lead the work on developing the roadmap for Vehicle Fuel Economy Labeling schemes in the ASEAN member countries



- The 2013 fleet-wide fuel economy estimates for each vehicle type were computed based on the combined tested fuel economy of each vehicle model. Philippine 2013 new LDVs have an average fuel economy of 7.8 Lge/100 km.
- Non-OECD average is 7.2 Lge/100 km
- Given 160 thousand new vehicles sales in 2013, if we have had a 7.2 Lge/100 km fuel economy baseline, that would have saved us 289 million pesos in fuel or 7.2 million liters of gasoline equivalent, 3 thousand tons of CO2

Vehicle Fuel Economy Labelling





- Fuel economy labelling
 - Communication / Implementation
 Strategy
 - Accompanying measures
- Fuel economy standards/Energy performance standards
- Economic instruments based on fuel economy ratings (e.g. incentives/ price differentiation, CO2based tax)

Roadmap to Vehicle Fuel Economy Labeling





Barriers to fuel economy policy



- Fuel economy not an issue in isolation: air pollution, fuel costs, fuel security
- Fuel subsidies in several countries
- Potential conflict with other policies
- Varying standards in integrated market
- Resistance of industry and other stakeholders
- Multiple agencies with overlapping responsibilities
- Lack of monitoring for many countries

ASEAN Countries	Vehicle Emissions Standards	Fuel Quality	Vehicle Tariffs/ Taxes; Fuel Subsidies /Taxes	Energy Efficiency and Fuel Economy
Indonesia	Environment	Energy	Finance	Energy
Malaysia	Environment	Energy	Finance	Energy
Philippines	Environment	Energy	Finance	Energy & Industry
Singapore	Environment	Environment	Finance	Environment
Thailand	Environment	Energy	Finance	Energy
Vietnam	Transport	Industry	Finance	Transport & Industry

Summary



- Currently, fuel economy policy and improvements are slow for majority of the APEC member countries
- While the options
- Implementation of fuel economy policy can be accelerated by developing a clear roadmap for the APEC member economies

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