

NO₂ Management for Diesel Exhaust in Mines

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Outline

- · Project Overview
- · Project implementation
 - C.P. Ward
 - American Rock Salt
 - **Equipment Characterization**
 - Technology Deployment
 - In-Use Emissions Testing
- · Challenges & Issues
- Technology Transfer to Mining





Project Overview

Project #1

- Task Reduce CO, HC & PM
- Company owner concerned about new regulations
- · Device Configuration
 - NO₂ Generation
 - CDPF

Project #2

- Task Manage Engine-Out NO₂
- EPA/CARB Standard for Off-Road NO₂ Emission
- Device Configuration
 - NO₂ Generation
 - CDPF
 - NO₂ Mitigation



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Engine Profile – C.P. Ward Project

John Deere 4045 DF
 150 hp, 4 cylinder diesel

Mounted as part of an Ingersoll Rand Construction Compressor





On-Engine Test Setup

John Deere 4045 DF150 on an Ingersol Rand Compressor



Two 5.66 x 6 "substrates

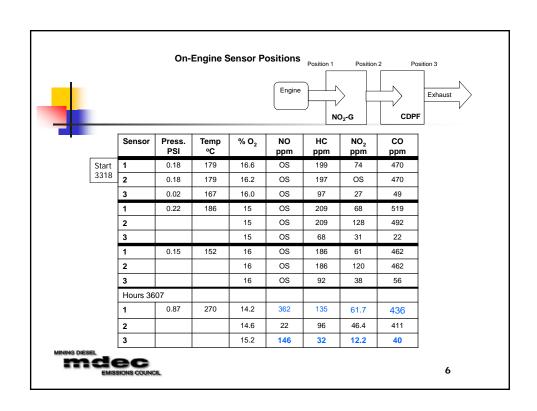
- 1st Ceramic w/ FeMg
- 2nd Silicon Carbide w/ wc & 60 g Pt/cu ft

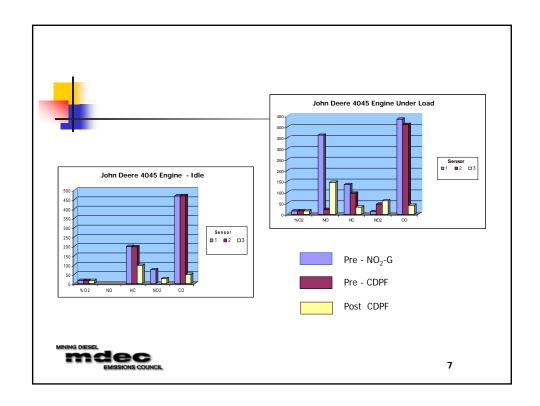


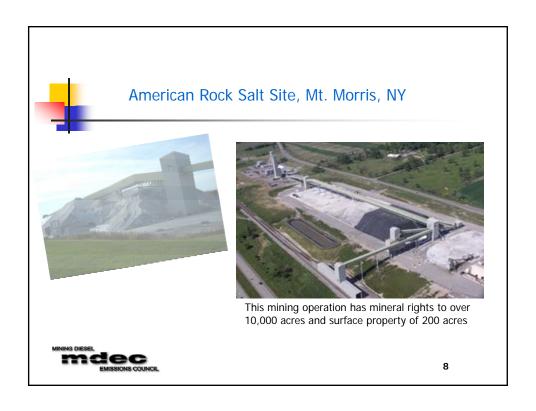
Equipment Type	Manufacturer	Model #	Date of Mfg.	Engine	Нр
Compressor	Ingersol Rand	IR xxx		John Deere 4045	150



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Site Activities

- 200 Acre Site
 - GenSet at 1280 feet underground
- Drilling
- Blasting
- Excavation
- Crushing
- Transport to Surface
- Surface Stockpiling
- · Off-site Hauling



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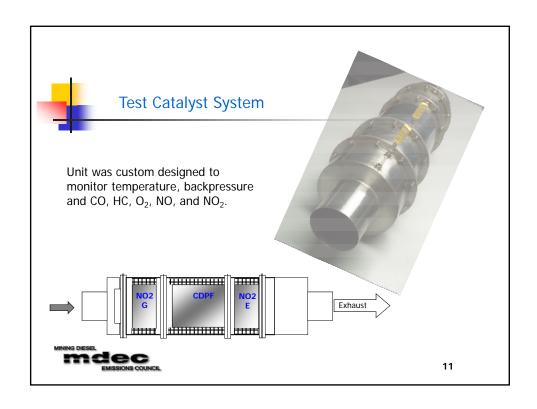


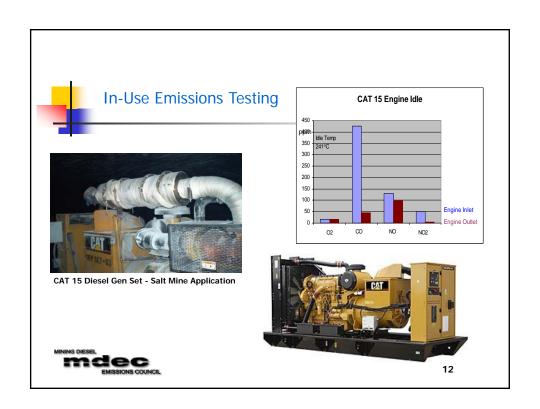
Engine Profile – American Rock Salt Mine

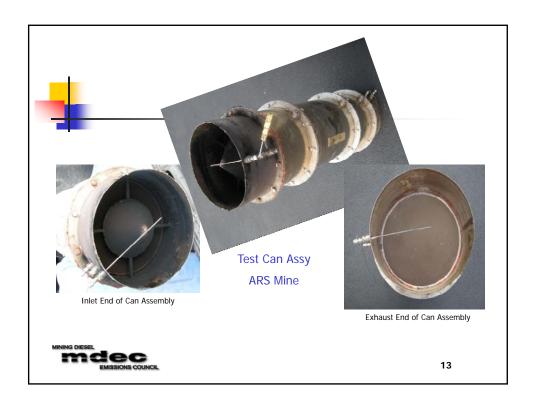
Caterpillar C15 Twin Turbo
 550 hp, 60 Hz, 1800 rpm

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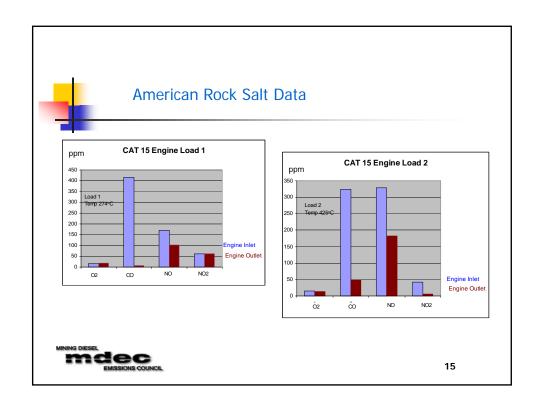


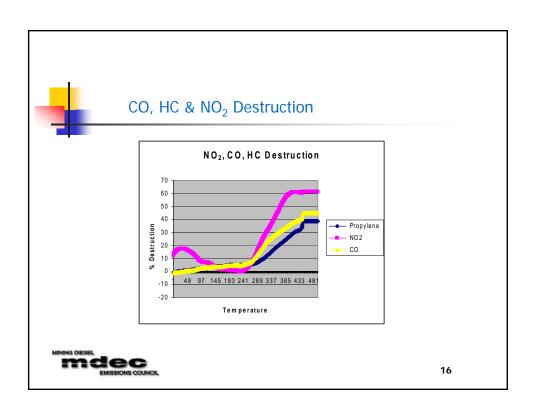














Challenges and Issues

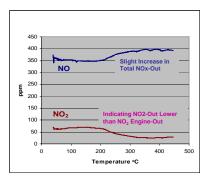
- Equipment in constant use on job sites
 - Sensitivity to site operations
 - Harsh conditions
 - Salt, Dampness, Dust
- · Limited Access Travel to sites has to be coordinated
 - personnel
 - equipment
- · Communication with on-site personnel



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NO₂ Mitigator - Low NO₂ Output in ppm



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Critical Steps in On-Site Testing

- Secure operations management buy-in
- Move to implement as quickly as possible
- · Make it easy for maintenance personnel
- · Document, document, document



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Summary

- 1. Two innovative and inexpensive catalysts were presented.
 - NO₂ Generator increases NO₂ to improve DPF performance
 - $\bullet \quad \mathsf{NO_2} \ \mathsf{Mitigator} \ \mathsf{reduces} \ \mathsf{NO_2} \ \mathsf{out}$
- 2. Patents applied for each NO_2 technology





Next Steps

- Installations on additional equipment
 A Cummins 6 liter engine at the
 National Center for Remanufacturing
- Productize designs for manufacture

 Currently working with customers on
 product designs for their applications
- Start verification processes

 Approval for use in PA mines



