

Assessment of the genotoxic potential of GDI-vehicles with different GPFs

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Particles exceed those of diesel with filter

(Mohr et al., Environ. Sci. Technol., 40 2375-2383, 2006)

WE HAVE SEEN THAT!!!!!!

1000x more than other gasoline vehicles

10x more than new diesel vehicles

Exceeding EU limit for
Diesel (6×10^{11})

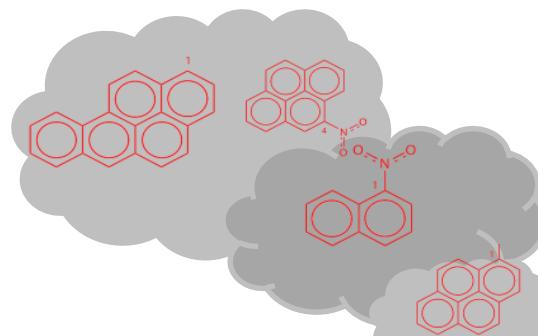


GENOTOXIC EMISSIONS ?

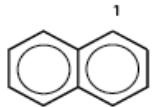
FILTERS??



GDI vehicle



Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons



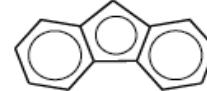
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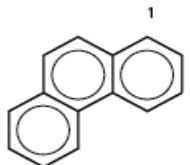
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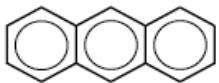
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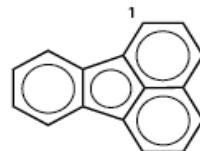
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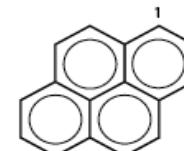
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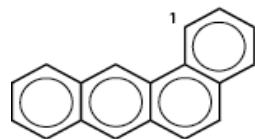
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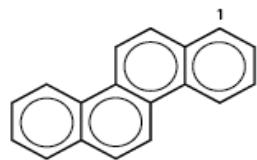
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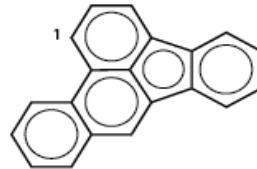
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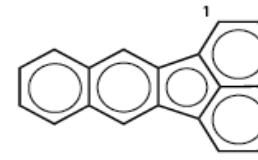
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10) chrysene



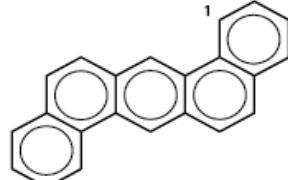
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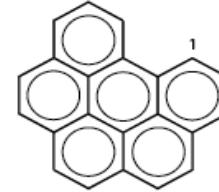
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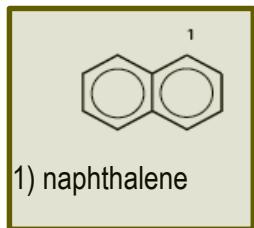
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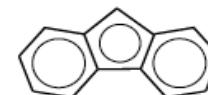
Carcinogenicity



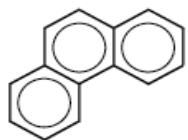
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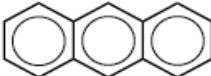
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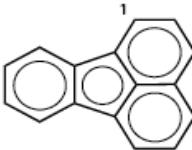
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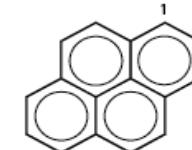
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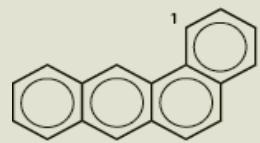
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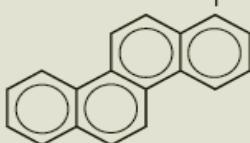
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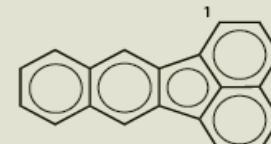
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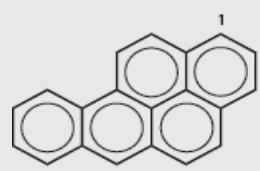
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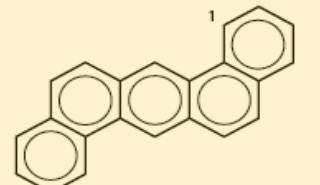
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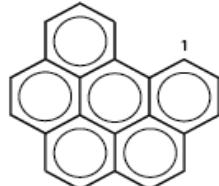
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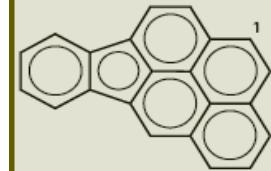
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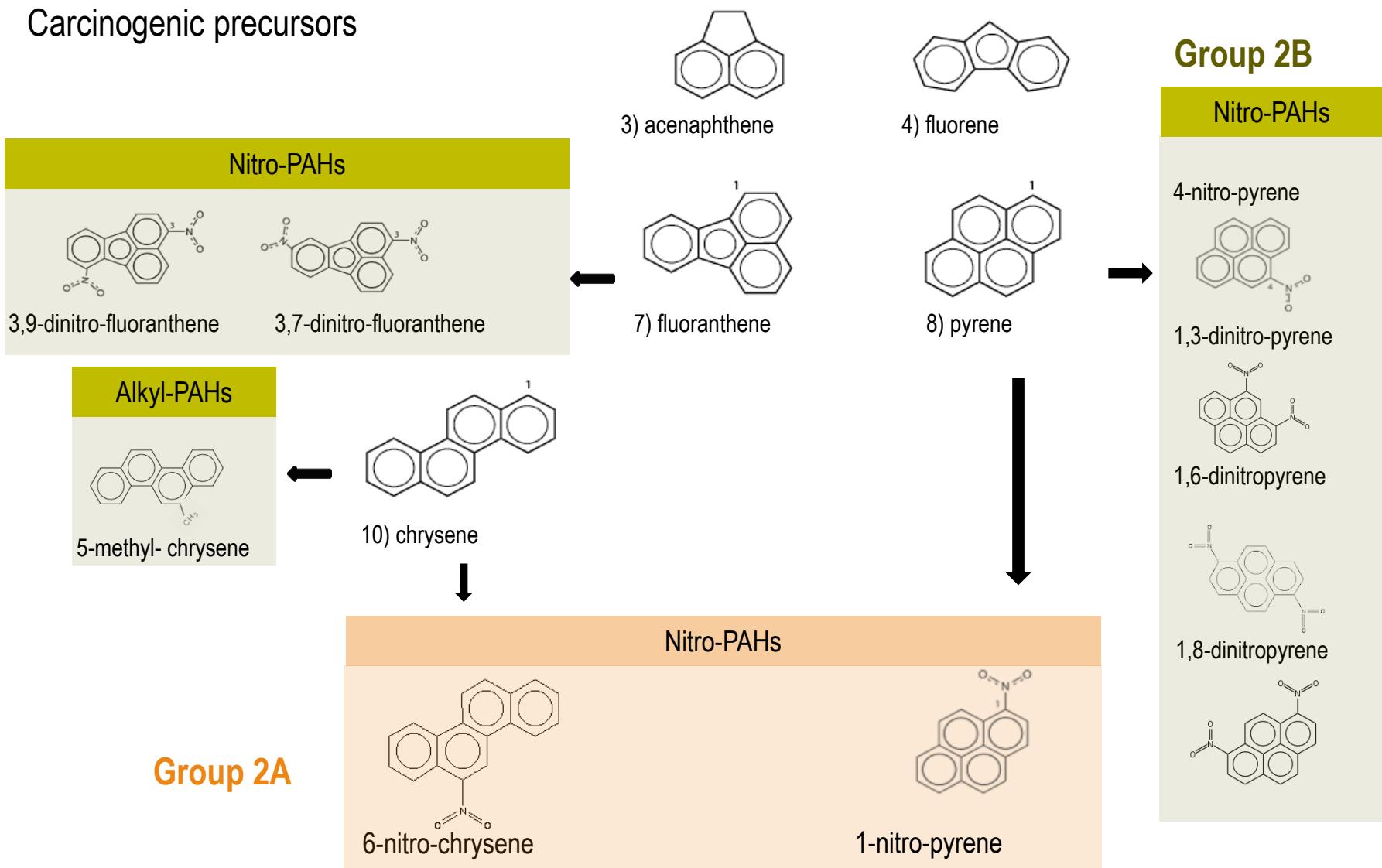
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Group 2B



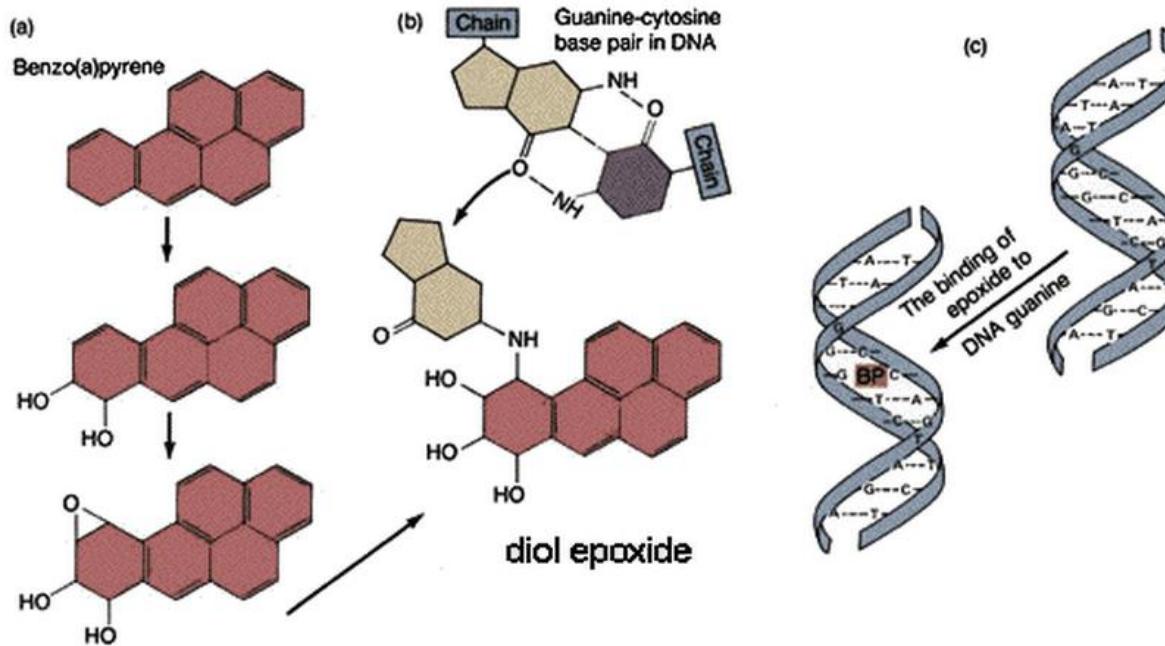
nitroPAHs

Carcinogenic precursors



Genotoxicity

In genetics, genotoxicity describes the property of some chemical agents that damages the genetic information within cells causing mutations which may lead to cancer.



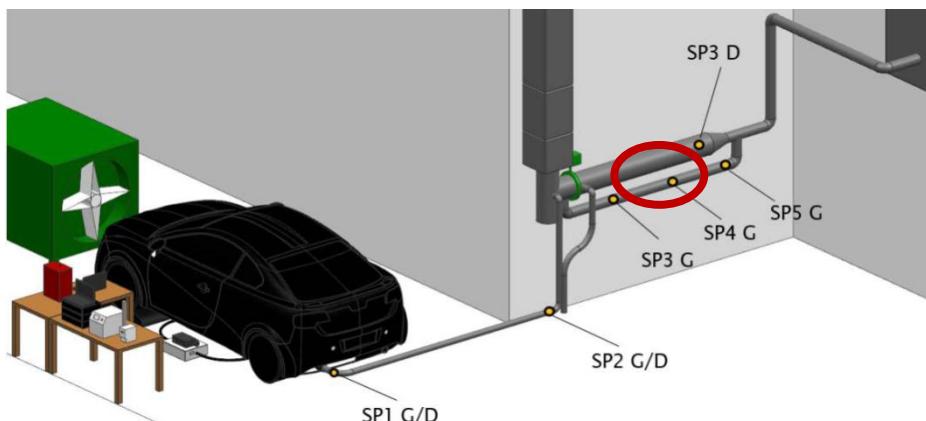
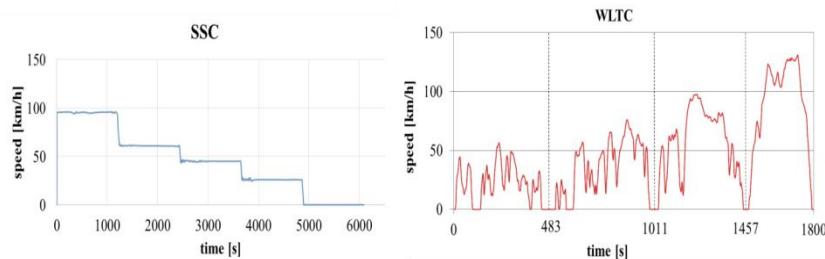
Experimental procedure

- Volvo V60 T4F 1.6 L, Euro 5
- Opel Zafira with F1
- 4 filters (2 brands)

Filter 1	A - Non-coated
Filter 2	A - Coated
Filter 3	B – Coated
Filter 4	B – Non-coated



- Chassis dynamometer of the UASB in Nidau
- Driving cycles :
 - WLTC (transient, cold and hot)
 - SSC, stationary
- Diluted exhaust --- CVS tunnel:
- solid + condensed + gaseous phases



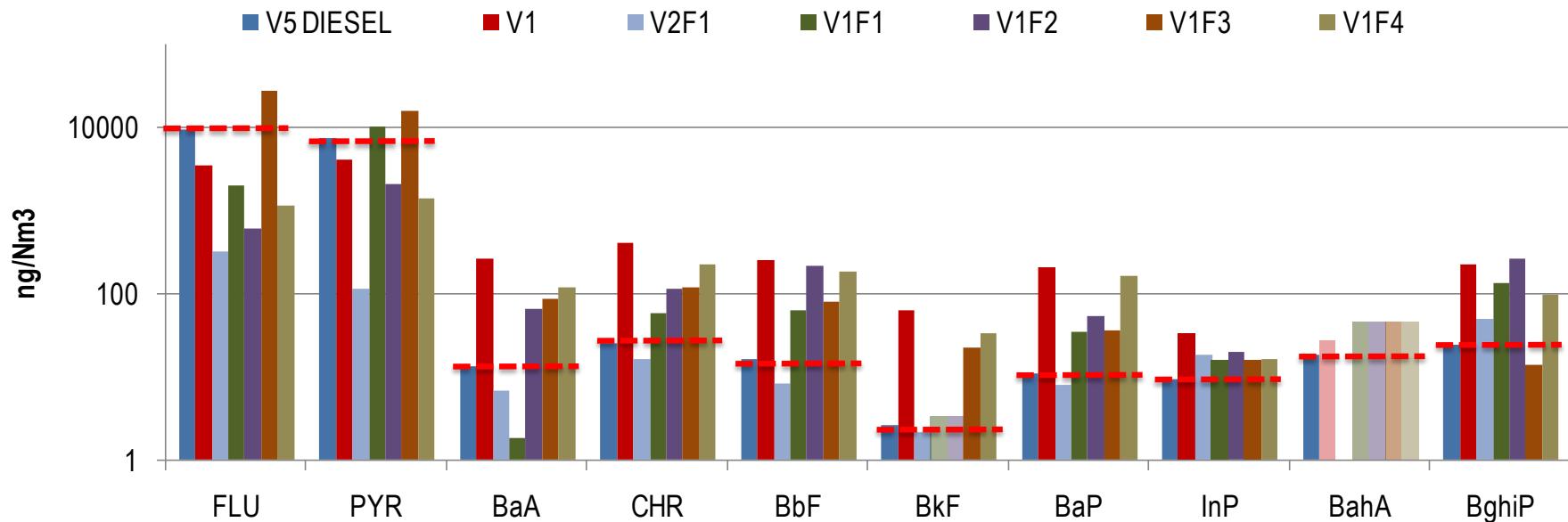
Laboratory analysis

- Multi-step clean-up procedure
- HRGC-HRMS

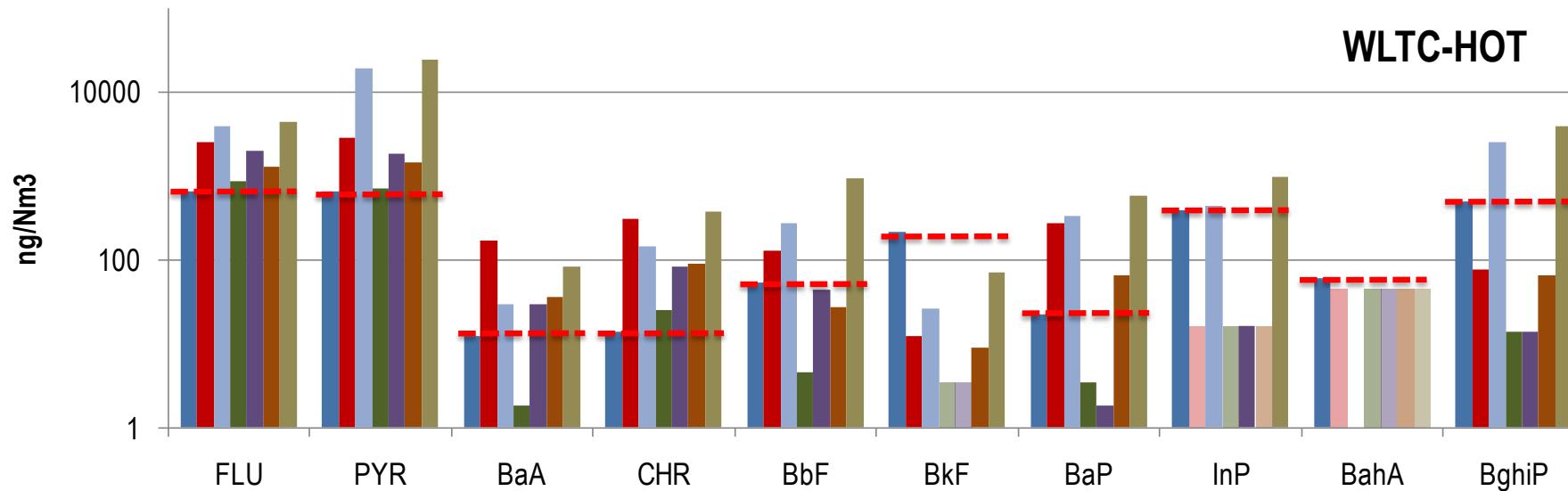


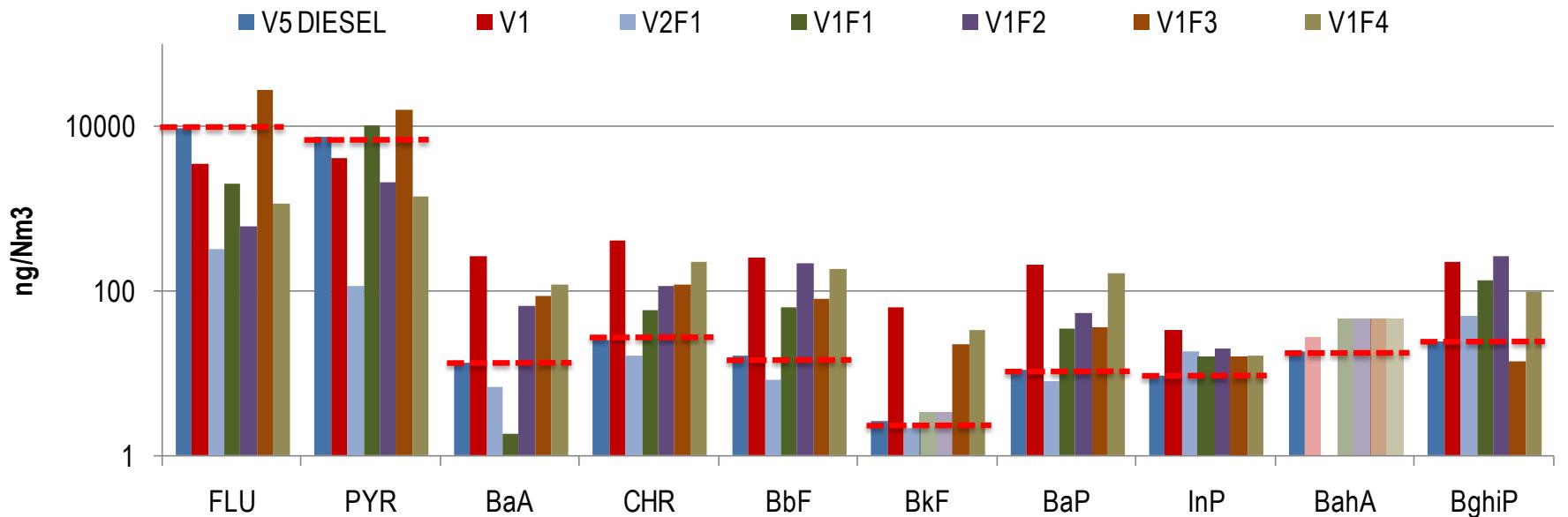
PAH emissions FILTERS in GDI and DIESEL

WLTC-COLD



WLTC-HOT





**F4 and F3 → higher emissions
F1 in V2**

Particle counts filtration efficiencies (PCFE)

- WLTC cold:
 - ~76 % F3 COATED
 - ~74 % F4 UNCOATED
- Higher PCFE in SSC and idling

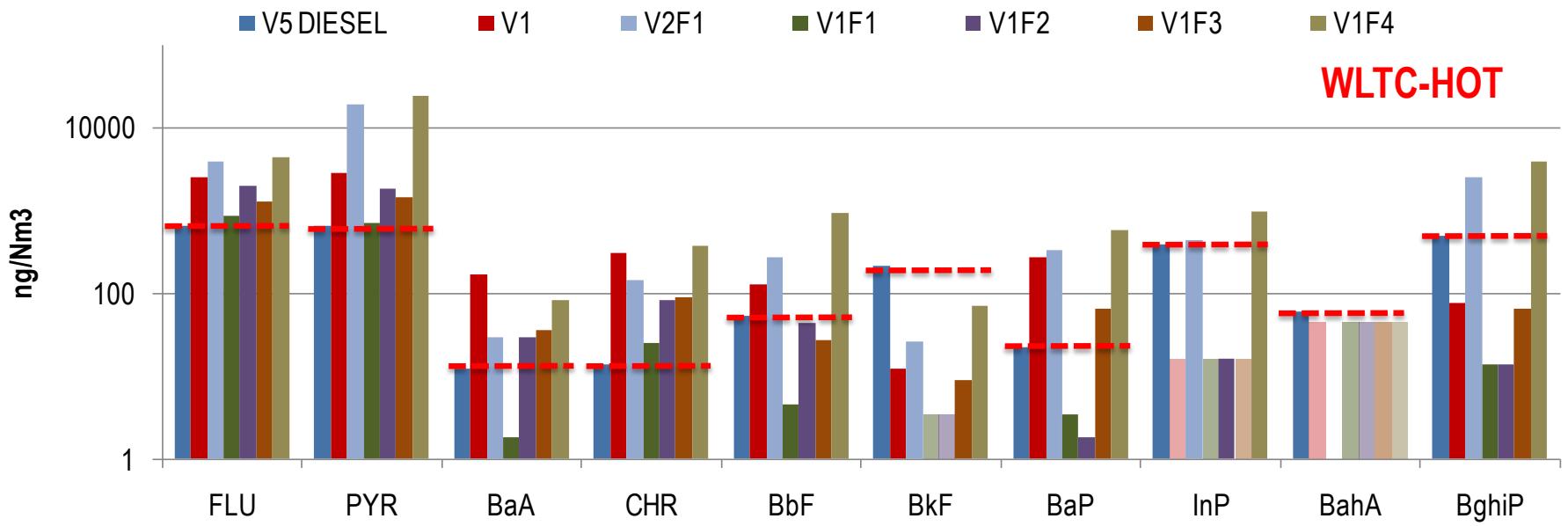


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F1 in V2

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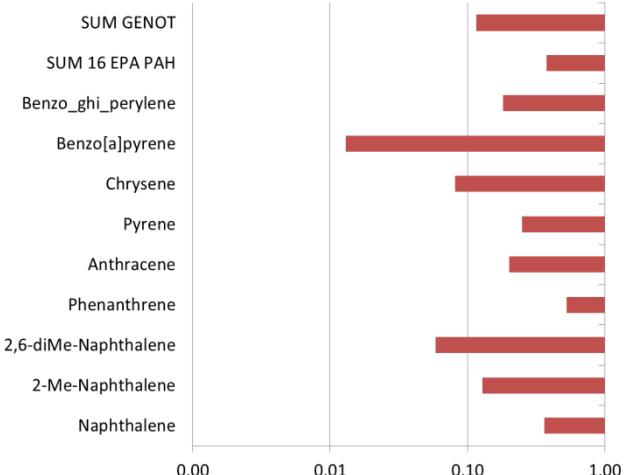
- WLTC hot:

~78 % F3 COATED
~80% F4 UNCOATED



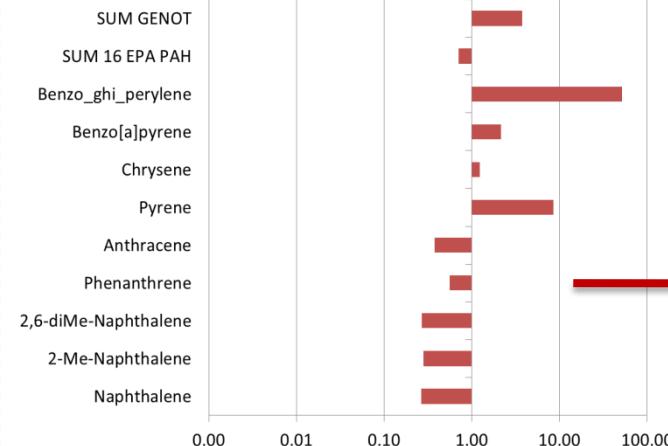
Efficiencies (ratio hot/hot)

F1 UNCOATED



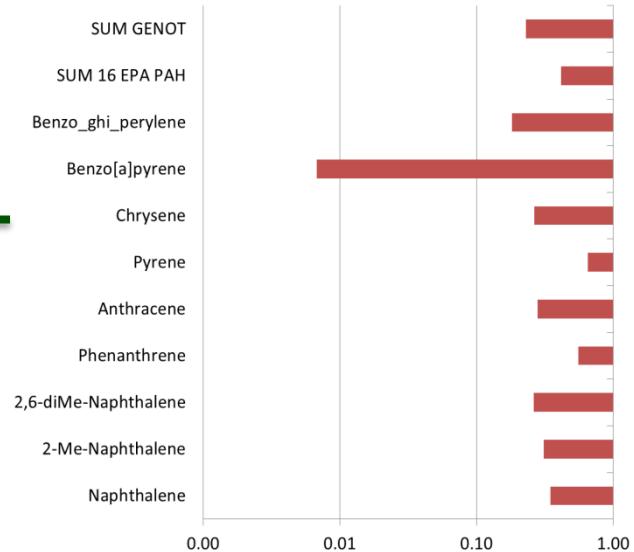
Storage?


F4 UNCOATED



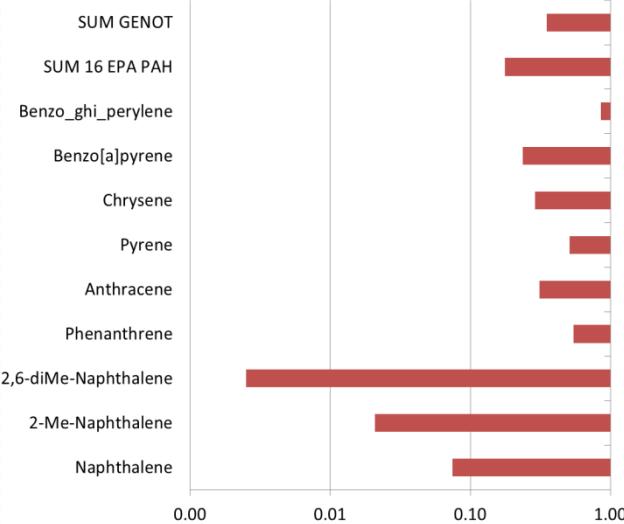
Release?


F2 COATED



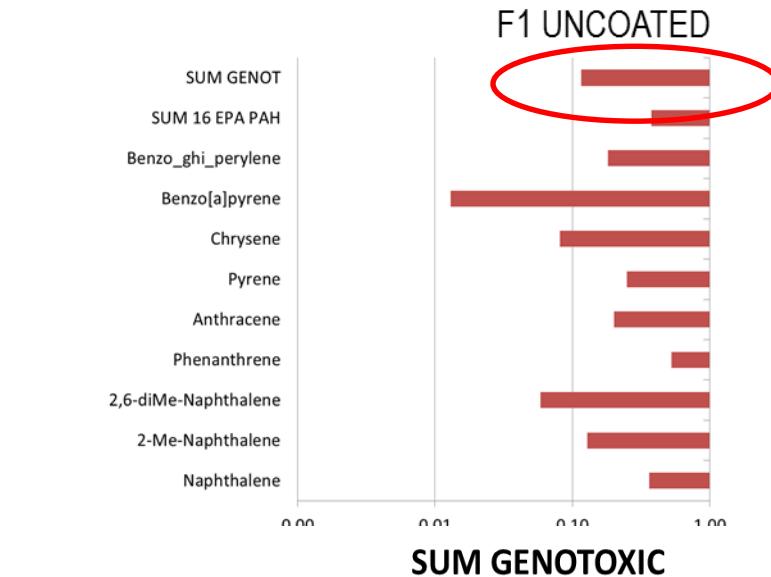


F3 COATED







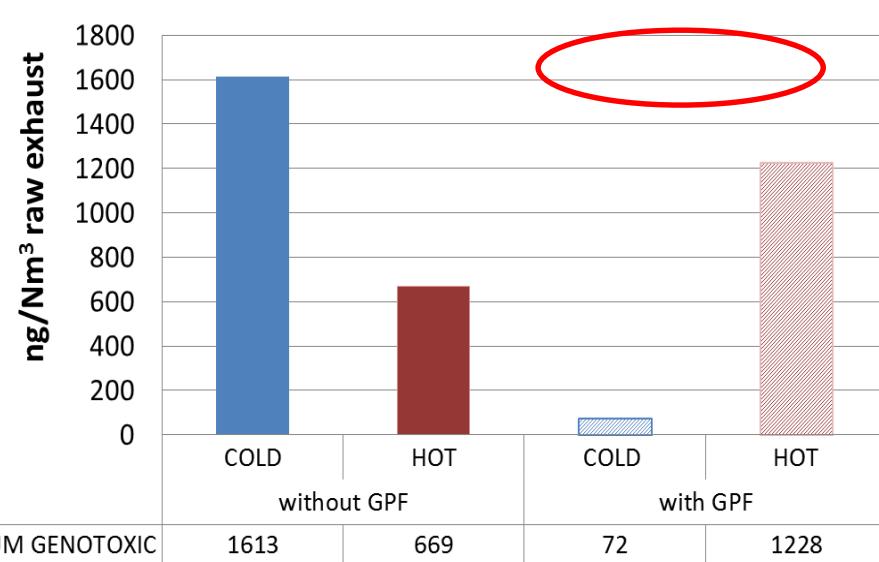


PAH reductions (sum of 7 genotoxic PAHs)

- WLTC hot:

~88 % F1 UNCOATED

~77 % F2 COATED



Particle counts filtration efficiencies (PCFE)

- WLTC hot:

~98 % F1 UNCOATED

~90 % F2 COATED

Filter 1 used with vehicle 2 showed an increase of 100% in the genotoxic PAHs

x2 increase



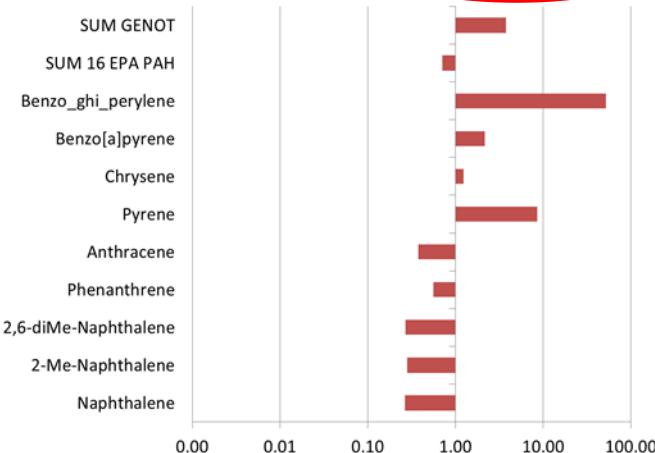
PAHs

PAH reductions (sum of 7 genotoxic PAHs)

- WLTC hot:

~65 % F3 COATED

~x4 INCREASE F4 COATED

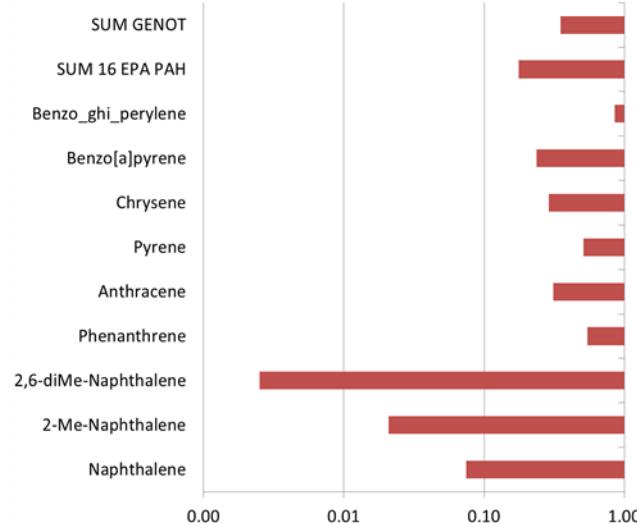


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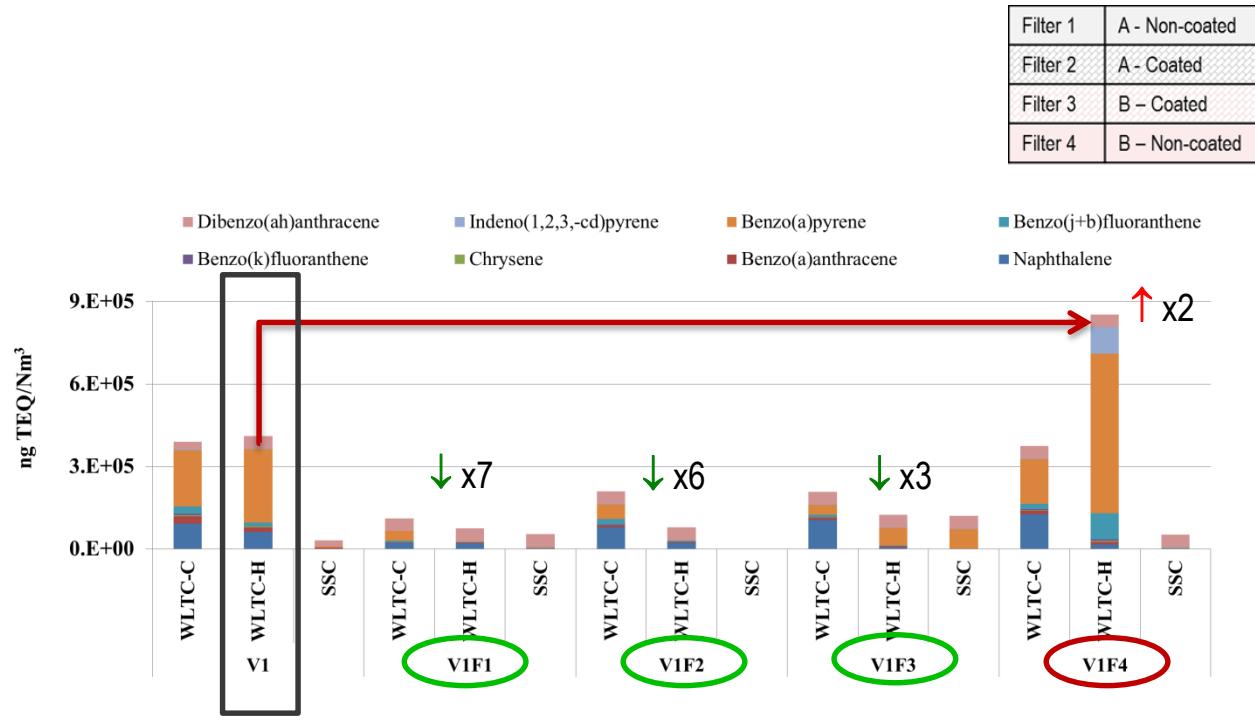


Toxic equivalent concentration

Toxic equivalency factors

Compound	TEFs
Chrysene	0.01
Benzo(k)fluoranthene	0.1
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	0.1
Benzo(a)pyrene	1
Indeno(1,2,3,-cd)pyrene	0.1
Dibenzo(ah)anthracene *	1
Benzo(ghi)perylene	0.01

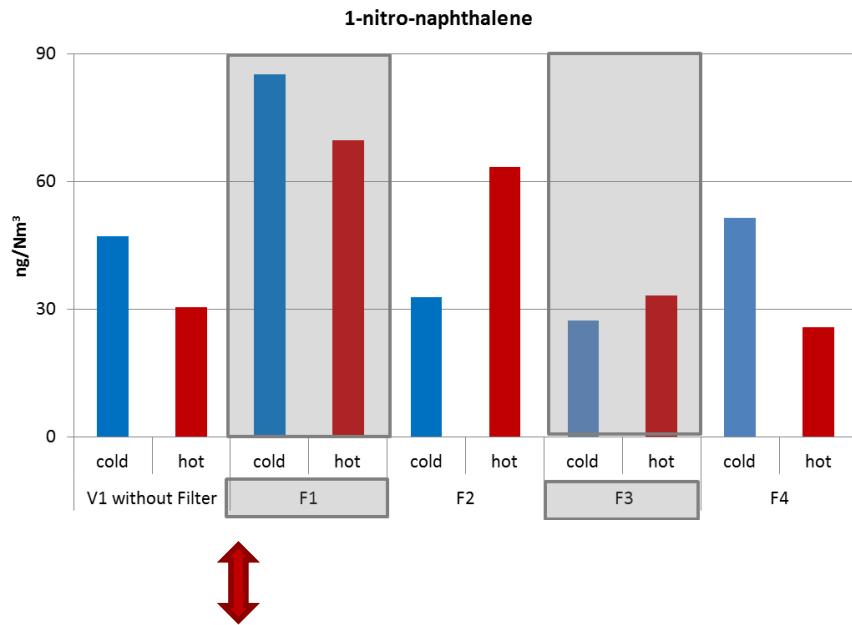
$$\text{TEF} \times C(\text{ng}/\text{Nm}^3)$$



I.C. Nisbeth, P.K.L. Toxic equivalency factors (TEFs) for polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAH). Regul Toxic Pharmacol. 16:290-300; 1992



Filter 1-4 with vehicle 1 (reference)



Ambient air levels:

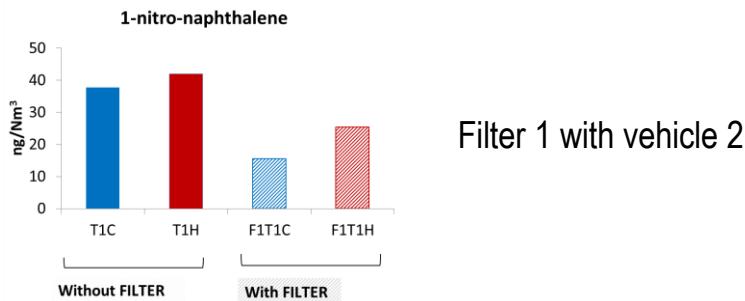
1-nitro-naphthalene: 0.39-5.71 ng/m³

Health Criteria 229, WHO, 2004

Diesel levels (raw exhaust):

1-nitro-naphthalene

NO FILTERED: 170 - 560 ng/m³
FILTERED: 4 - 12 ng/m³

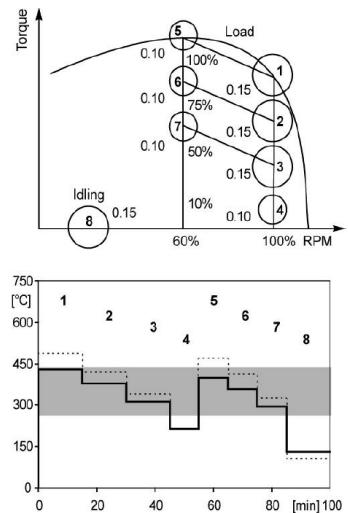


Comparison HDV vs LDV

FILTER TESTS:

HDVs – DIESEL vehicles

- Hot start → 8-stage ISO 8178/4 CI test cycle --- STATIONARY
- Liebherr, type 914 T, 6.11 L, 4 cylinders
- New filters → DPFs
- Measurement of regulated pollutants (CO, THC, NO, NOx, PN...)
- Non-regulated pollutants (PAHs and PCDD/Fs)



LDV – Gasoline Direct Injection vehicles

- Hot and cold start → 4-stages WLTC → TRANSIENT
- Volvo V60 T4F 1.6 L, Euro 5 → reference
- semi-new filters
- Measurement of regulated pollutants (CO, THC, NO, NOx, PN...)
- Non-regulated pollutants (PAHs) → **What about PCDD/Fs?**

