

Modifications to MOBILE2  
Which Were Used by EPA to Respond  
to Congressional Inquiries  
on the Clean Air Act

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PREFACE

The modifications in the document were used by EPA to respond to Congressional inquiries regarding the impacts of changes in motor vehicle emissions. The modifications represent EPA's revised estimates of emissions from certain vehicle classes under current statutory standards, as well as expected differences in administratively determined standards from those assumed in the original version of MOBILE2 which are listed below.

**Assumed Emission Standards  
Which Differ from MOBILE2 Assumptions**

<u>Altitude Region<sup>a</sup></u>	<u>Vehicle Type</u>	<u>Pollutant</u>	<u>Model Years</u>	<u>Assumed Emission Standard</u>	
Low	All LDT	NOx	1985	2.3	g/mi
			1986-2020	1.2 <sup>b</sup>	g/mi
	HDGV & HDDV	CO	1984-2020	35	g/bhp-hr
		NOx	1984-1985	10.7	g/bhp-hr
	LDDV		1986-2020	4.0	g/bhp-hr
		NOx	1983-1984	1.5	g/mi
High	All LDT	CO	1984-2020	14	g/mi
		NOx	1985	2.3	g/mi
			1986-2020	1.2 <sup>b</sup>	g/mi
	LDDV	NOx	1983-1984	1.5	g/mi

<sup>a</sup>: Non-California areas.

<sup>b</sup>: The mix of technology on LDTs expected under a 2.3 g/mi LDT NOx standard was assumed in calculating the CO emission factor for 1985 and later LDTs, however, EPA has in fact made an advance proposal for a 1.2 g/mi NOx standard to take effect in 1985 and the expected technology mix under a 1.2 g/mi NOx standard has been assumed in calculating the 1986 and later NOx emission factor.

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Table 1

## Modified Emission Factors

<u>Region</u> <sup>(a)</sup>	<u>Vehicle Type</u> <sup>(b)</sup>	<u>Pollutant Code</u> <sup>(c)</sup>	<u>First(d) Model Year</u>	<u>Last(d) Model Year</u>	<u>Modified Emission Factors</u>	
			<u>Model Year</u>	<u>Zero Mile</u>	<u>Deterioration Rate</u>	
1	1	2	1981	1981	4.93	2.50
1	1	2	1982	1982	4.70	2.50
1	1	2	1983	2020	3.21	1.88
1	1	3	1983	2020	0.68	0.11
1	2	2	1984	2020	7.13	1.35
1	2	3	1985	1985	1.42	0.08
1	2	3	1986	2020	0.75	0.07
1	3	2	1984	2020	7.13	1.35
1	3	3	1985	1985	1.42	0.08
1	3	3	1986	2020	0.75	0.07
1	4	2	1979	1983	174.96	8.37
1	4	2	1984	1985	56.15	5.63
1	4	2	1986	2020	44.36	5.63
1	4	3	1984	1985	11.33	0.09
1	4	3	1986	2020	4.39	0.09
1	5	3	1983	1984	1.11	0.06
1	6	3	1985	1985	1.89	0.07
1	6	3	1986	2020	0.93	0.06
1	7	3	1985	1985	22.90	0.12
1	7	3	1986	2020	10.87	0.12

(a) 1 = Non-California Low Altitude

3 = Non-California High Altitude

(b) 1 = LDGV, 2 = LDGT1, 3 = LDGT2, 4 = HDGV, 5 = LDDV, 6 = LDDT, 7 = HDDV

(c) 2 = CO, 3 = NOx

(d) Only the last two digits of the model year are entered into MOBILE2.

Table 1, continued

## Modified Emission Factors

<u>Region</u> <sup>(a)</sup>	<u>Vehicle Type</u> <sup>(b)</sup>	<u>Pollutant Code</u> <sup>(c)</sup>	<u>First(d) Model Year</u>	<u>Last(d) Model Year</u>	<u>Modified Emission Factors</u>	<u>Deterioration</u>
					<u>Zero Mile</u>	<u>Rate</u>
3	1	2	1981	1981	10.78	3.07
3	1	2	1982	1982	8.13	3.12
3	1	2	1983	1983	7.75	3.12
3	1	2	1984	2020	3.75	2.24
3	1	3	1981	1981	0.52	0.09
3	1	3	1982	1983	0.57	0.10
3	1	3	1984	2020	0.58	0.10
3	2	2	1984	2020	9.85	1.35
3	2	3	1984	1985	1.26	0.04
3	2	3	1986	2020	0.69	0.07
3	3	2	1984	2020	9.85	1.35
3	3	3	1984	1985	1.26	0.04
3	3	3	1986	2020	0.69	0.07
3	4	2	1979	1983	324.55	8.37
3	4	2	1984	1985	104.16	5.63
3	4	2	1986	2020	82.29	5.63
3	4	3	1984	1985	7.55	0.09
3	4	3	1986	2020	2.92	0.09
3	5	3	1983	1984	1.11	0.06
3	6	2	1984	2020	2.77	0.09
3	6	3	1985	1985	1.89	0.07
3	6	3	1986	2020	0.93	0.06
3	7	3	1985	1985	22.90	0.12
3	7	3	1986	2020	10.87	0.12

(a) 1 = Non-California Low Altitude

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(b) 1 = LDGV, 2 = LDGT1, 3 = LDGT2, 4 = HDGV, 5 = LDDV, 6 = LDDT, 7 = HDDV

(c) 1 = HC, 2 = CO, 3 = NOx

(d) Only the last two digits of the model year are entered into MOBILE2.

Table 2

**Internal Modifications Required to MOBILE2 to Maintain  
Consistency With Modified Emission Factors**

The internal modifications listed in the following table are required to maintain consistency with the modified emission factors. Without these modifications, incorrect results will be calculated for all MOBILE2 runs involving high altitude CO emission factors, an I/M program that inspects light-duty trucks, temperatures outside the range of 68°F to 86°F, or nonstandard operating mode parameters (standard parameters are PCCN = 20.6, PCHC = 27.3, and PCCC = 20.6).

With these modifications, consistent CO and NO<sub>x</sub> emission factors will be calculated. However, the HC output from MOBILE2 with these modifications will not be meaningful and should not be used. The original MOBILE2, or MOBILE1, should continue to be used for calculating all HC emission factors.

Table 2, Continued  
 Internal Modifications Required to  
 MOBILE2 to Maintain Consistency  
 With Modified Emission Factors

LINE NUMBER	ORIGINAL MOBILE2 SOURCE	LINE NUMBER	MODIFIED MOBILE2 SOURCE
<b>SUBPROGRAM PCLEF1</b>			
40084	IF(MY.GE.1975 AND MY.LE.1984) ITECH=2	40084	IF(MY.GE.1975 AND MY.LE.1985) ITECH=2
40088	IF(MY.GE.1979 AND MY.LE.1984) ITECH=2	40088	IF(MY.GE.1979 AND MY.LE.1985) ITECH=2
40089	300 IF(MY.GT.1984) ITECH=4	40089	300 IF(MY.GT.1985) ITECH=4
<b>SUBPROGRAM BLOCK DATA 3</b>			
55375	* 1983, 1984, 0000, 0000, 0000,	55375	* 1983, 0000, 0000, 0000, 0000,
55377	* 1983, 2020, 0000, 0000, 0000,	55377	* 1983, 0000, 0000, 0000, 0000,
55393	* 1983, 1984, 1985, 0000, 0000,	55393	* 1983, 1984, 0000, 0000, 0000,
55395	* 1983, 1984, 2020, 0000, 0000,	55395	* 1983, 1984, 0000, 0000, 0000,
<b>SUBPROGRAM BLOCK DATA 16</b>			
68052	* 1967, 1969, 1971, 1974, 1980, 1984, 2020, 0000, 0000,	68052	* 1967, 1969, 1971, 1974, 1980, 1985, 2020, 0000, 0000,
68053	* 1967, 1972, 1974, 1978, 1980, 1984, 2020, 0000, 0000,	68053	* 1967, 1972, 1974, 1978, 1980, 1985, 2020, 0000, 0000,
68060	* 1967, 1969, 1971, 1974, 1980, 1984, 2020, 0000, 0000,	68060	* 1967, 1969, 1971, 1974, 1980, 1985, 2020, 0000, 0000,
68061	* 1967, 1972, 1974, 1978, 1980, 1984, 2020, 0000, 0000/	68061	* 1967, 1972, 1974, 1978, 1980, 1985, 2020, 0000, 0000/
68067	* 1969, 1973, 1978, 1980, 1984, 2020, 0000, 0000, 0000,	68067	* 1969, 1973, 1978, 1980, 1985, 2020, 0000, 0000, 0000,
68068	* 1969, 1973, 1978, 1980, 1984, 2020, 0000, 0000, 0000,	68068	* 1969, 1973, 1978, 1980, 1985, 2020, 0000, 0000, 0000,
68075	* 1969, 1973, 1978, 1980, 1984, 2020, 0000, 0000, 0000,	68075	* 1969, 1973, 1978, 1980, 1985, 2020, 0000, 0000, 0000,
68076	* 1969, 1973, 1978, 1980, 1984, 2020, 0000, 0000, 0000/	68076	* 1969, 1973, 1978, 1980, 1985, 2020, 0000, 0000, 0000/
68082	* 1969, 1973, 1978, 1983, 1984, 2020, 0000, 0000, 0000,	68082	* 1969, 1973, 1978, 2020, 0000, 0000, 0000, 0000, 0000,
68083	* 1969, 1973, 1978, 1983, 1984, 2020, 0000, 0000, 0000,	68083	* 1969, 1973, 1978, 2020, 0000, 0000, 0000, 0000, 0000,
68090	* 1969, 1973, 1978, 1983, 1984, 2020, 0000, 0000, 0000,	68090	* 1969, 1973, 1978, 2020, 0000, 0000, 0000, 0000, 0000,
68091	* 1969, 1973, 1978, 1983, 1984, 2020, 0000, 0000, 0000/	68091	* 1969, 1973, 1978, 2020, 0000, 0000, 0000, 0000, 0000/
68098	* 1974, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1982, 2020, 0000,	68098	* 1974, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1984, 2020, 0000,
68106	* 1974, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1982, 2020, 0000/	68106	* 1974, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1984, 2020, 0000/
68113	* 1978, 1979, 1984, 2020, 0000, 0000, 0000, 0000, 0000,	68113	* 1978, 1979, 1985, 2020, 0000, 0000, 0000, 0000, 0000,
68121	* 1978, 1979, 1984, 2020, 0000, 0000, 0000, 0000, 0000/	68121	* 1978, 1979, 1985, 2020, 0000, 0000, 0000, 0000, 0000/

Table 3

**Special I/M Credits Required to Maintain Consistency  
With Modified Emission Factors**

**Explanation**

**Low Altitude Areas** - The I/M credits for CO emissions from Technology 4 vehicles appearing in the original MOBILE2 are not compatible with the alternate emission factors given in Table 1. New compatible CO credits have been generated and appear below and in the accompanying low-altitude punched card deck.

**High Altitude Areas** - The affected EPA Regional Offices were notified on August 4, 1981 (C. Gray to Air and Hazardous Materials Division Directors, Regions 8-10, copy subsequently sent to Region 6) of the availability of a complete set of alternate I/M credits for high-altitude areas, covering Technology 1 through 4 vehicles. The Technology 4 credits for CO in that set of credits are not compatible with the alternate emission factors given in Table 1. A new complete and compatible set of credits appear below and in the accompanying high-altitude punched card deck.

Additional card decks can be requested by calling (313)668-4235 or FTS 374-8235.

**Instructions for Use**

**Low Altitude Areas** - The punched card deck (including the first card which contains the number "9" and the following title cards) must be supplied to MOBILE2 during execution on I/O Unit 4. In addition, the input record describing the I/M program parameters (see Users Manual Section 2.2.4 on page 26) must have all eight parameters specified, with the eighth -- the new data flag -- having a value of "2" to indicate that only Technology 4 I/M credits will be altered. The HC output from MOBILE2 with these modifications and new I/M credits should be ignored, and the HC output from the original MOBILE2, or MOBILE1, used instead.

**High Altitude Areas** - Instructions for use are the same as for low-altitude areas, except that the new data flag should have a value of "3" to indicate that all I/M credits will be altered.



Table 3, Continued

**Special I/M Credits Required to Maintain Consistency  
With Modified Emission Factors**

(Page 2 of 2 containing low-altitude I/M credits)

61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100						
61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100						
61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100						
61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100						
3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3

Table 3, Continued

**Special I/M Credits Required to Maintain Consistency  
With Modified Emission Factors**  
*(Page 1 of 9 containing high-altitude I/M credits)*

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9 ****
** SPECIAL HIGH-ALTITUDE CO I/M CREDITS FOR TECH ****
** 1, 2 & 4 VEHICLES TO MAINTAIN CONSISTENCY WITH ****
** MODIFIED EMISSION FACTORS FOR HIGH-ALTITUDE ****
** VEHICLES RELEASED APRIL 1982. THESE CREDITS ARE ****
** VALID ONLY FOR HIGH-ALTITUDE REGIONS. ****
** >>IGNORE ALL HC OUTPUT WHEN USING THESE CREDITS.<< ****
** >>CALL (313) 668-4365 FOR ASSISTANCE<<
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Table 4

Comparison of Original and Modified  
Composite Motor Vehicle CO and NO<sub>x</sub> Emission Factors  
as of December 31, 1987

(Note: All values assume national inputs except as specified)

<u>Region</u> <u>(Altitude)</u>	<u>Pollutant</u>	<u>Temperature</u> (°F.)	<u>Speed</u> (mph)	<u>12/31/87 Composite Emission Factor (g/mi)</u>			
				<u>I/M*</u>	<u>Original</u> <u>MOBILE2</u>	<u>Modified</u>	<u>Change(%)</u>
Low	CO	75	19.6	No	27.84	27.57	-1.0%
Low	CO	75	30.0	No	18.41	18.17	-1.3%
Low	CO	25	19.6	No	45.66	43.76	-4.2%
Low	CO	25	30.0	No	30.31	28.98	-4.4%
Low	CO	75	19.6	Yes	21.31	22.02	3.3%
Low	CO	75	30.0	Yes	14.06	14.47	2.9%
Low	CO	25	19.6	Yes	34.23	34.07	-0.5%
Low	CO	25	30.0	Yes	22.69	22.52	-0.7%
High	CO	75	19.6	No	40.66	39.01	-4.1%
High	CO	75	30.0	No	27.49	26.29	-4.4%
High	CO	25	19.6	No	66.27	61.03	-7.9%
High	CO	25	30.0	No	44.82	41.21	-8.1%
High	CO	75	19.6	Yes	33.54	33.68	0.4%
High	CO	75	30.0	Yes	22.67	22.67	0.0%
High	CO	25	19.6	Yes	53.58	51.52	-3.8%
High	CO	25	30.0	Yes	36.26	34.77	-4.1%
Low	NO <sub>x</sub>	75	19.6	N/A	2.51	2.62	4.4%
Low	NO <sub>x</sub>	75	30.0	N/A	2.78	2.87	3.2%
Low	NO <sub>x</sub>	25	19.6	N/A	2.73	2.83	3.7%
Low	NO <sub>x</sub>	25	30.0	N/A	3.04	3.12	2.6%
High	NO <sub>x</sub>	75	19.6	N/A	2.30	2.21	-3.9%
High	NO <sub>x</sub>	75	30.0	N/A	2.55	2.40	-5.9%
High	NO <sub>x</sub>	25	19.6	N/A	2.48	2.37	-4.4%
High	NO <sub>x</sub>	25	30.0	N/A	2.77	2.60	-6.1%

\* The I/M program assumed consists of 20% stringency factor for pre-1981 vehicles, 50% identification rate for 1981 and later vehicles, no mechanic training, 20 model years inspected, and inspection of light-duty vehicles only beginning on January 1, 1983.