

Development of Mexico National Emissions Inventory Projections for 2008, 2012, and 2030

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Presentation Outline

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Scope of Projections

- **Based on 1999 Mexico National Emissions Inventory (Mexico NEI)**
- **Projection years of 2008, 2012, and 2030**
- **Source types**
 - Point Sources
 - Area Sources (including aircraft, railroads, and commercial marine; excluding paved/unpaved road dust)
 - On-road Motor Vehicles
 - Nonroad Mobile Sources
 - Natural sources (biogenic/geogenic) are excluded

Scope – continued

- **Pollutants (NO_x, SO₂, VOC, CO, PM₁₀, PM_{2.5}, and NH₃)**
- **Municipality-level (county equivalent)**
- **Emissions reported in megagrams (Mg) per year**
- **Results provided in:**
 - Spreadsheets
 - Database
 - U.S. EPA Emissions Inventory Format (NIF 3.0)
 - SMOKE/IDA files (modeling format)
- **Greenhouse gas harmonization**

New Municipalities

- **2000 Census – 2,443 municipalities**
- **2005 Intracensus Estimates – 2,454 municipalities**
- **11 new municipalities**
 - Guerrero (5)
 - México (3)
 - Veracruz (2)
 - Zacatecas (1)

Methodology – Point Sources

- **Point sources divided into 6 groups based on 3-digit NAICS codes**
 - Electricity generating units (EGUs)
 - Refineries and other petroleum-related sources
 - Primary metals
 - Manufacturing industries
 - Miscellaneous industries
 - Services industries

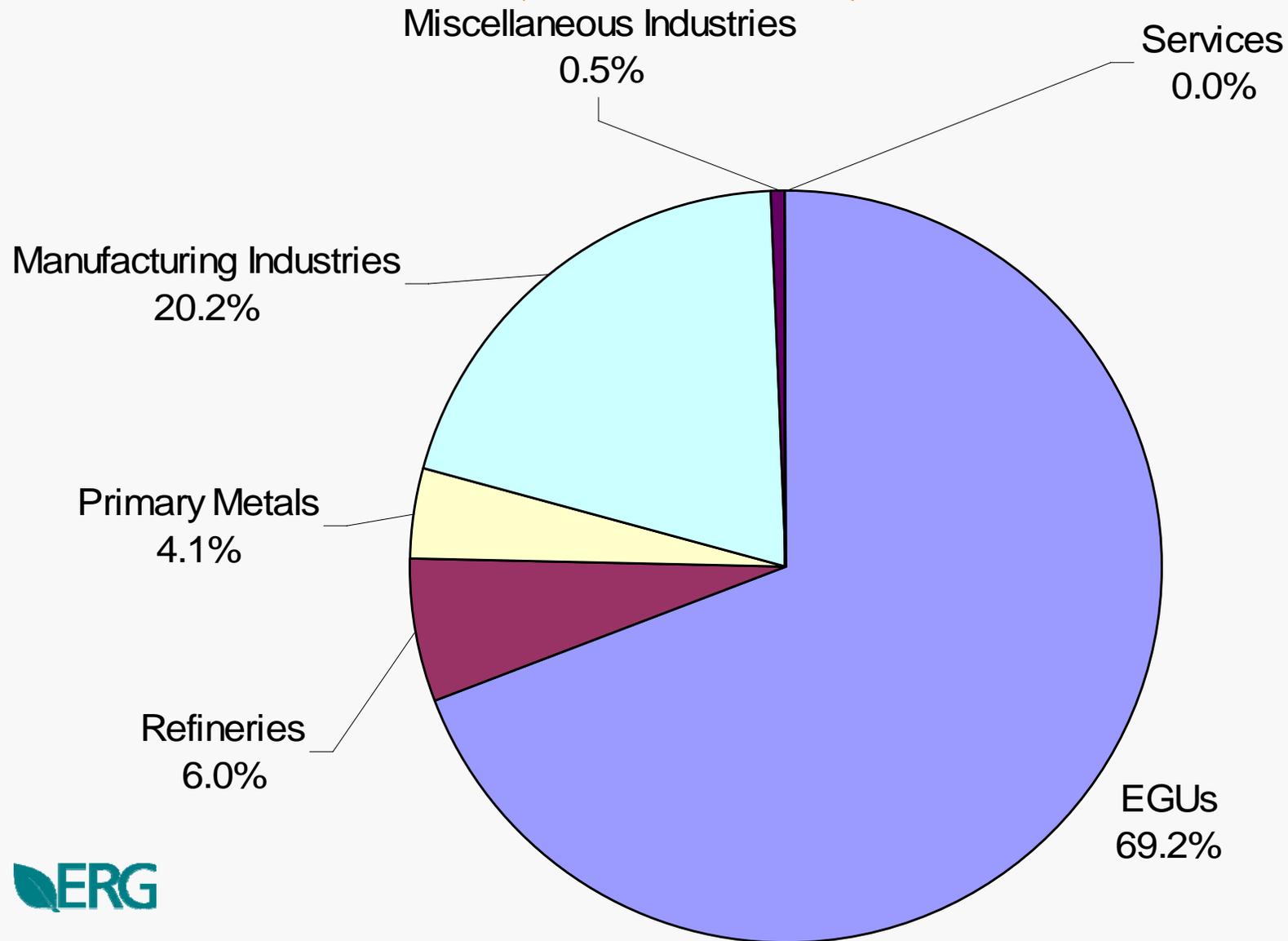
Methodology – Point Sources

- **EGUs – Projected fuel consumption (LEAP)**
- **Refineries – Projected crude oil production (OPEC)**
- **Primary metals – Historic metal production (USGS)**
- **Manufacturing industries – Annual GDP**
- **Miscellaneous industries – Annual GDP**
- **Services industries – Population (CONAPO)**

Methodology – Point Sources

- **LEAP (Long-range Energy Alternatives Planning System) – Fuel-specific consumption projections developed at UNAM (National Autonomous University of Mexico) for use in modeling for Mexico greenhouse gas studies.**
- **CONAPO (*Consejo Nacional de Población* or National Council of Population) – Municipality-level population projections available from 2005 to 2050.**

Point Source Results – 2030 NOx (% of Total)



Methodology – Area Sources

- **Population – CONAPO**
- **Fuel use – LEAP**
- **Gross domestic product (GDP)**
- **Planted acreage – SAGARPA**
- **Livestock population – SAGARPA**
- **Burned forest acreage – CONAFOR**
- **Border crossing traffic – U.S. BTS**
- **Aircraft passenger volume – OMA**
- **Annual treated wastewater – CNA**

Methodology – Area Sources

- **SAGARPA (Secretariat of Agriculture, Livestock, Rural Development, Fisheries, and Food Supply) – Historical agricultural acreage (1980-2006) and livestock populations (1996-2005)**
- **AGARPA**
- **CONAFOR (National Forest Commission) – Historical burned forest acreage (1970-2005)**
- **OMA (Airport company/consortium) – Historical airport activity (2001-2008)**
- **CNA (National Commission on Water) – Historical wastewater treatment (1999-2006) and projected treatment capacity (2008-2012)**

Area Source Results

- **Decrease in SO_2 due to decrease in residual fuel combustion**
- **NO_x increases mainly from increases in commercial marine diesel and LPG**
- **VOC increases due to population and GDP categories**
- **PM_{10} and $\text{PM}_{2.5}$ decrease due to drop in residential wood combustion**
- **NH_3 decreases due to 1999 being higher than historical averages for livestock and fertilizer**

Methodology – On-Road Motor Vehicles

- **Two different components of growth**
 - Increased fuel use: Based upon motor vehicle fuel projections from LEAP
 - Fleet turnover: Based upon MOBILE6-Mexico fleet average emission rates

Methodology – MOBILE6-Mexico Analysis

MOBILE6-Mexico

- **Gasoline and diesel sulfur standards for Metropolitan Zone (ZM), Frontier Zone (ZF), and remainder of country (RP)**
- **New vehicle emission limits standards (U.S. – Tier 1 and 2; Europe – EURO 3 and 4)**
 - Standard A (similar to U.S. Tier 1 for VOC, CO, and NO_x)
 - Standard B and C (combination of U.S. Tier 1 and 2 for VOC, CO, and NO_x)
 - Standard A, B, and C (same as U.S. Tier 1 for PM)
 - Do not apply to heavy-duty vehicles

Modifications to MOBILE6-Mexico Input Files

- **Implementation Schedule Input File**
- **Certification Standards Input File**
- **Exhaust Emissions Standards Input File**

On-Road Motor Vehicle Results

- **Increased motor vehicle fuel use**
- **SO₂ reductions due to lower fuel sulfur content**
- **NO_x, VOC, and CO reductions due to fleet turnover (i.e., new “clean” cars replacing old “dirty” cars)**
- **Increased PM emissions due to increased fuel use without any future standards**
- **Increased NH₃ emissions due to fleet turnover (i.e., new vehicle technologies such as advanced catalytic converters reduce NO_x, but increase NH₃)**

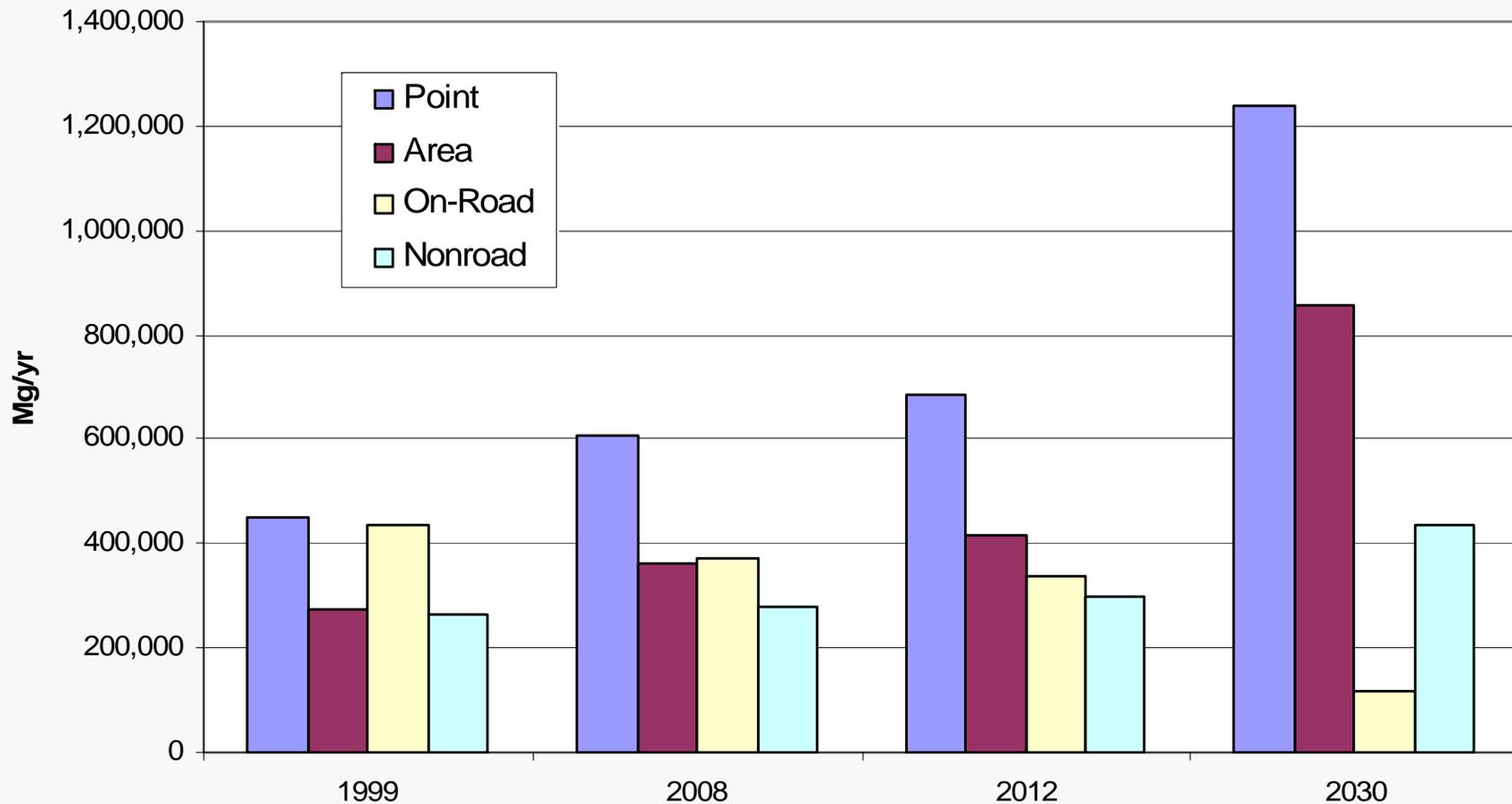
Methodology – Nonroad Mobile Sources

- **Agricultural equipment (diesel-powered)**
- **Construction equipment (diesel-powered)**
- **Source of data – LEAP**

Overall Baseline Results (Mg)

	NO _x	SO ₂	VOC	CO	PM ₁₀	PM _{2.5}	NH ₃
1999							
Point	448,826	2,633,799	247,878	167,648	297,264	198,917	
Area	276,321	194,642	1,743,587	2,500,852	439,253	320,369	1,130,400
On-Road	435,665	24,453	573,042	4,671,842	20,567	18,845	7,609
Nonroad	263,768	3,486	35,169	153,604	37,240	36,123	
Total	1,424,580	2,856,380	2,599,676	7,493,946	794,324	574,254	1,138,009
2030							
Point	1,239,873	3,359,643	455,901	436,116	638,533	420,929	
Area	854,999	23,223	3,170,187	4,167,536	412,043	286,518	738,330
On-Road	117,883	5,366	317,164	2,731,909	71,402	64,816	36,529
Nonroad	437,465	5,777	59,058	256,756	62,449	60,576	
Total	2,650,220	3,394,009	4,002,310	7,592,317	1,184,427	832,839	774,859

Mexico NO_x Emissions by Source Type (Mg/yr)



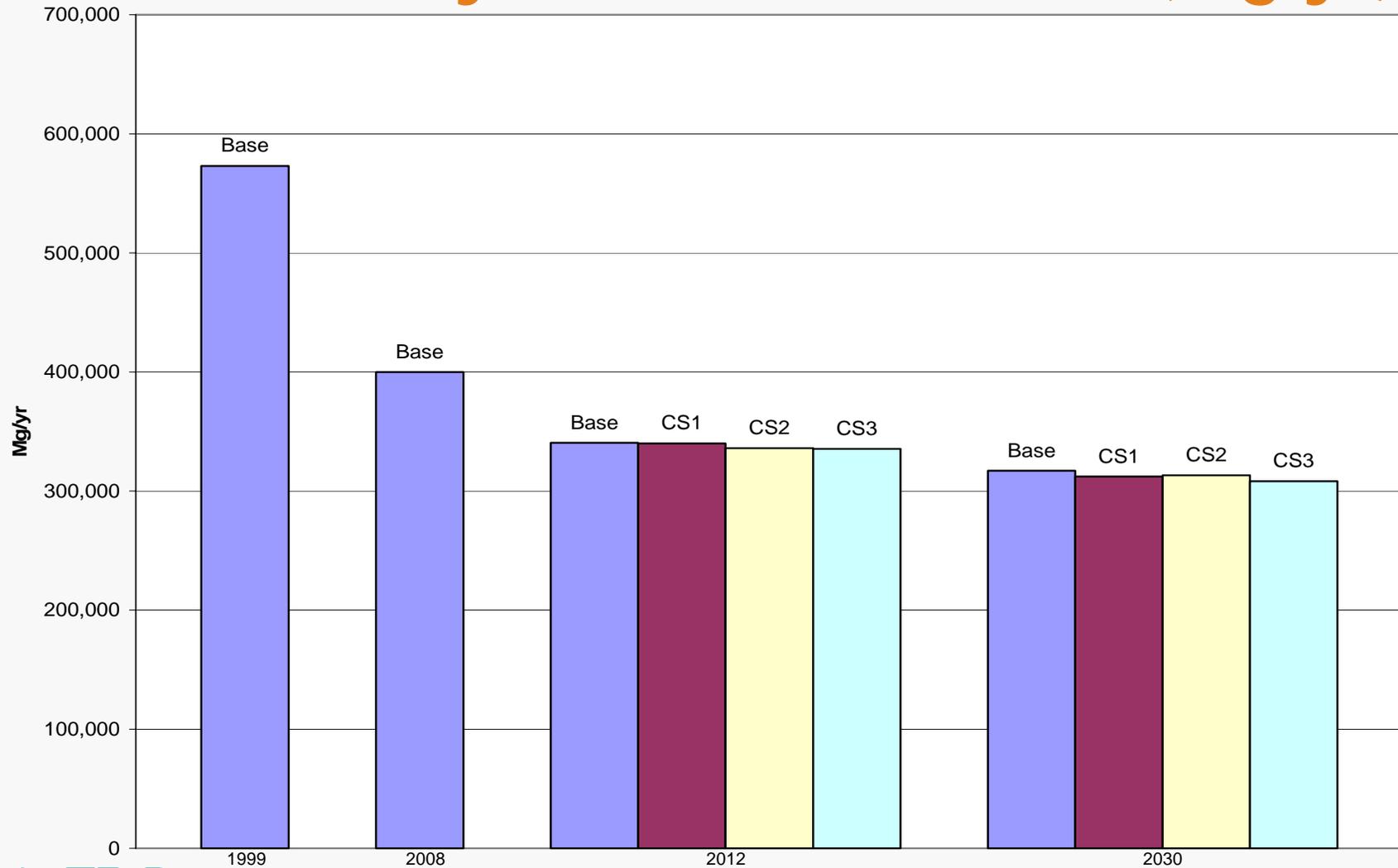
Overall Baseline Results

- **Point, area, and nonroad mobile sources**
 - General increases due to population, GDP, and fuel use growth
 - Some specialized decreases (e.g., commercial residual combustion and residential wood combustion)
- **On-road motor vehicle sources**
 - SO₂ reductions due to new fuel standards
 - NO_x, VOC, and CO reductions due to fleet turnover and new vehicle standards
 - PM₁₀, PM_{2.5}, and NH₃ increases due to no new vehicle standards

Control Scenarios

- **Three control scenarios applied to baseline inventory**
 - Control Scenario 1 – Increased Fuel Economy
 - Control Scenario 2 – Use of Ethanol in Oxygenated Fuel
 - Control Scenario 3 – Combination of Control Scenario 1 and 2

Mexico On-road Motor Vehicle VOC Emissions by Control Scenario (Mg/yr)



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