

# Warehouse ISR Working Group

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DECEMBER 17, 2020

# Agenda

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- Introduction & Background
- Updates to Draft Proposed Rule
- IEc Warehouse Study Results
- Proposed Rule Stringency
- Compliance Analysis - Emissions and Costs
- Upcoming Process - CEQA & Preliminary Draft Staff Report & Public Workshops

# Background - ISR Rule Development Process

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- 2016 AQMP Control Measure MOB-03
- Subsequent year-long process resulted in Board direction to initiate rulemaking
  - 12 Warehouse ISR working group meetings since then
- Other plans have also called for emission reductions, including through mechanisms like Warehouse ISR
  - AB 617 CERPs, Contingency Measures Plan, CARB Mobile Source Strategy
- WAIRE concept developed over past year and a half
  - Draft WAIRE Technical document, two drafts of PR 2305, one draft of PR 316

# Rule Development Process - Next Steps

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- CEQA Notice of Preparation comment period ended 12/15
  - Comments are taken seriously and we want to ensure responses are appropriate
- Original plan was to release Preliminary Draft Staff Report (PDSR) on Friday, 12/18 and Draft EA (CEQA) early January
  - Following slides preview expected discussion in PDSR
- In order to allow adequate time to respond to comments, PDSR will have a minor delay until after the holidays, as well as CEQA



This takes time

# Proposed Updates to PR 2305

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- Adding proposed stringency and phase-in schedule (see later slides)
- Amending language to address concern about potential for rule to apply to retail facilities
- Adding definitions for facility owner and land owner
  - Warehouse Operations Notification applicable to facility owner. Facility owner or land owner can opt in to earn Points if they choose
- Clarifying that Points can be transferred offsite only in the same compliance period as they were earned
- Adding due date for mitigation fee (same time as Annual WAIRE Report)
- Solar in WAIRE Menu reduced by one point to account for updated overlap analysis of solar generation and natural gas power plant production
- Adding ‘authorized official’ requirement for reporting
- Additional clarifications and clean-up

# Proposed Rule 316 - Fees for Rule 2305

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- Rule concept discussed in previous working group meetings
- First draft rule released with Notice of Preparation on Nov. 13
- PR 316 includes administrative fees to recover cost of South Coast AQMD compliance activities
  - Fees will be set at a level equal to South Coast AQMD costs
- Fees tied to report submissions
- Upcoming updates to rule language in next draft:
  - Removing late fees (late payment will result in NOV)
  - Other minor clarifications
  - Adding proposed fee levels (~\$25 to ~\$400, depending on the report)

# Socioeconomic Analysis of PR 2305

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- Evaluate potential costs and jobs impacts
- Demographic analysis of communities near warehouses
- Port economic study for Clean Truck Rate
- IEc study on potential for warehouse relocation with ISR
  - Next slides
- 3<sup>rd</sup> party peer review
  - Kleinhenz Economics

# IEc

## Warehouse Relocations Associated with Potential Warehouse Indirect Source Rule (ISR)

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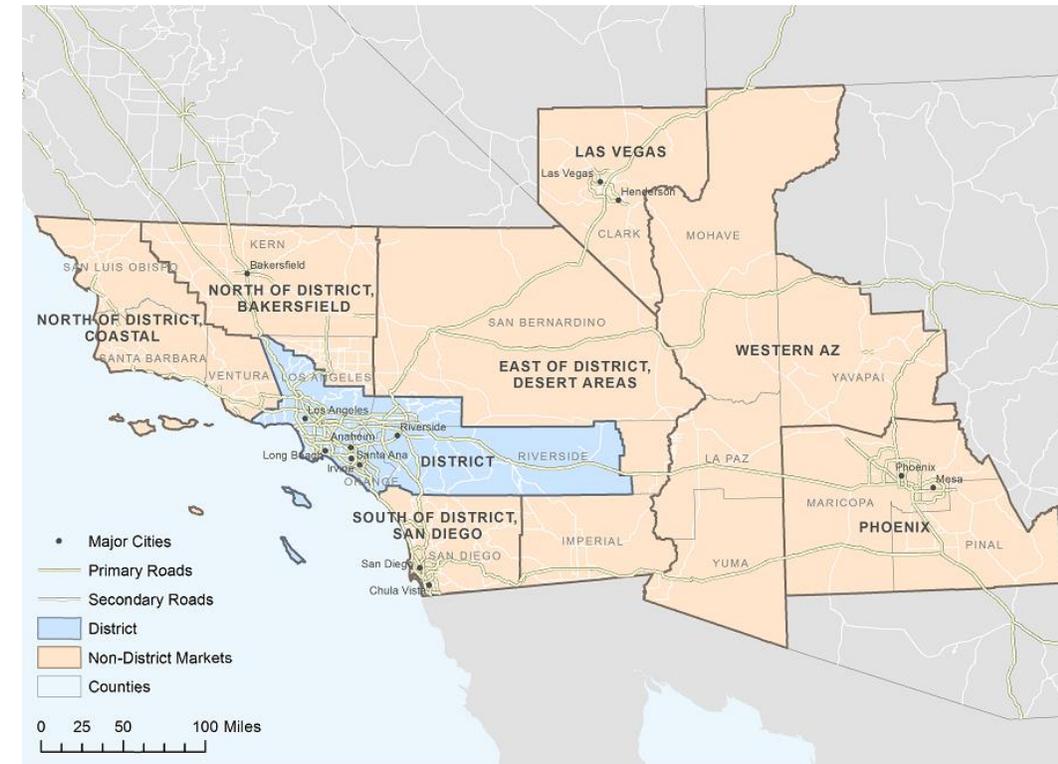
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# Overview of Approach

- Model relocation as a decision, based on ISR costs and costs/cost savings associated with relocation. Warehouse operators assumed to choose less costly option.

ISR COSTS	COSTS(SAVINGS) ASSOCIATED WITH RELOCATION
<p>\$/sq. ft. of warehouse space, as provided by South Coast AQMD</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>\$0/sq. ft.</li> <li>\$0.50/sq. ft.</li> <li>\$1.00/sq. ft.</li> <li>\$1.50/sq. ft.</li> <li>\$1.75/sq. ft.</li> <li>\$2.00/sq. ft.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Changes in transportation costs</li> <li>Changes in rental costs for warehouse space</li> <li>Changes in labor costs</li> <li>Changes in electricity costs</li> <li>Moving costs</li> <li>Development fees (applicable only for construction of new warehouse space in outlying markets)</li> </ul>



## 7 Potential Outlying Markets for Relocation

# Overview of Approach - Analytic Scenarios

- Number of relocations depends on (1) warehouse capacity in other markets and (2) the routes/pathways that warehouses serve.
- We consider 2 capacity scenarios and 2 pathway scenarios.

## Capacity Scenarios

***Medium term capacity scenario:*** vacant warehouse space and warehouse developments approved or under way.

***Capacity expansion scenario:*** all land zoned as industrial within 2 miles of major road may be developed into warehouse space.

## Pathway Scenarios

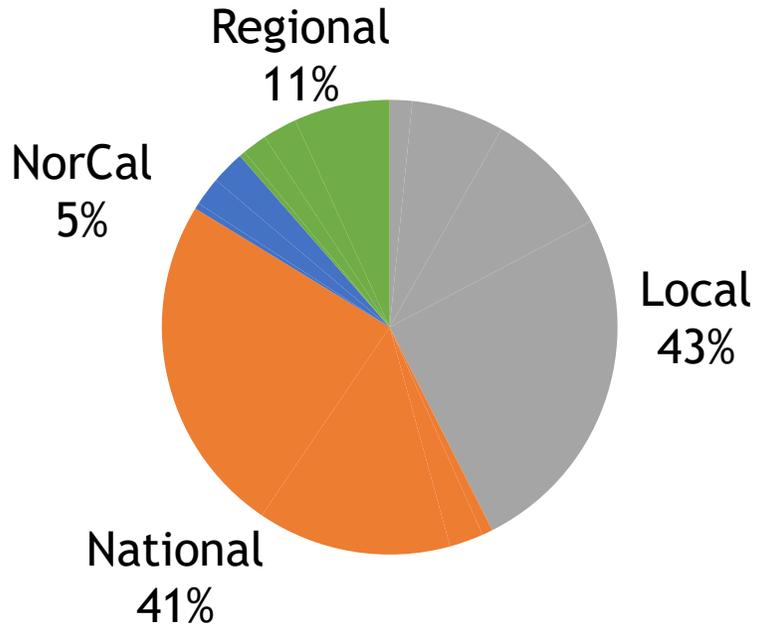
***Composite pathway scenario:*** all warehouses assumed to be representative of the entire warehouse sector (serve all routes)

***Specialized pathway scenario:*** consider possibility of warehouse specialization in individual goods pathways.

# Goods Flow Pathways

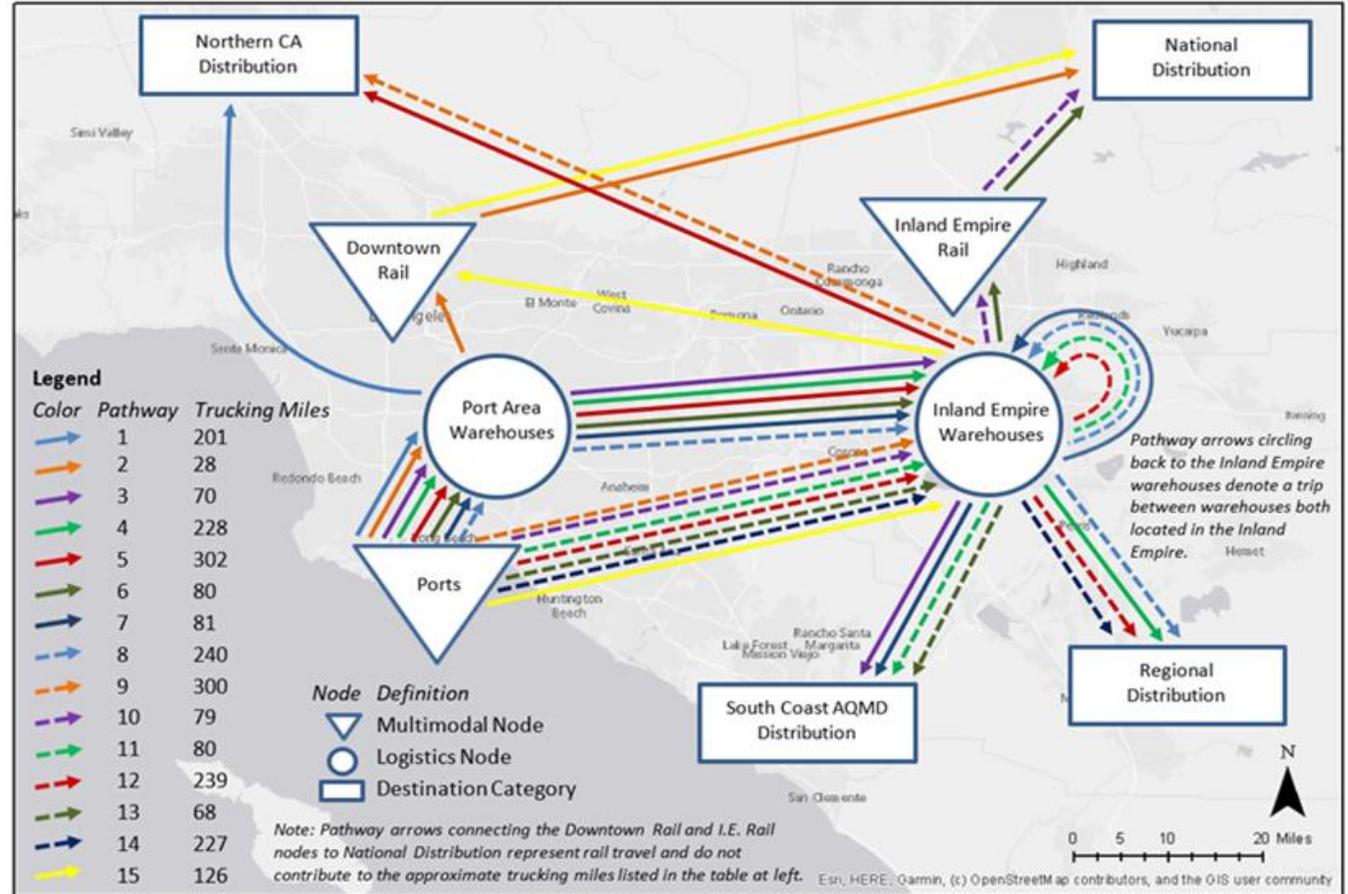
## The Simple Picture

The Flow of SoCal Warehoused Goods



~31% of all goods movement not shown that go straight from port to rail

## A More Complicated View



# Projected Relocations

## ESTIMATED WAREHOUSE RELOCATIONS - ISR COSTS OF \$0/SQUARE FOOT, \$0.50/SQUARE FOOT, \$1.00/SQUARE FOOT AND \$1.50/SQUARE FOOT

PATHWAY SCENARIO	CAPACITY SCENARIO	RELOCATIONS (NO. OF WAREHOUSES)							
		TOTAL - ALL MARKETS	BAKERSFIELD	COASTAL AREAS	DESERT AREAS	LAS VEGAS	PHOENIX	SAN DIEGO	WESTERN AZ
Specialized Pathway	Medium Term	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Capacity Expansion	10	0	0	10	0	0	0	0
Composite	Medium Term	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Capacity Expansion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

## ESTIMATED WAREHOUSE RELOCATIONS - ISR COSTS OF \$1.75/SQUARE FOOT AND \$2.00/SQUARE FOOT

PATHWAY SCENARIO	CAPACITY SCENARIO	RELOCATIONS (NO. OF WAREHOUSES)							
		TOTAL - ALL MARKETS	BAKERSFIELD	COASTAL AREAS	DESERT AREAS	LAS VEGAS	PHOENIX	SAN DIEGO	WESTERN AZ
Specialized Pathway	Medium Term	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Capacity Expansion	16	6	0	10	0	0	0	0
Composite	Medium Term	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Capacity Expansion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

*\*All values rounded to nearest whole warehouse.*

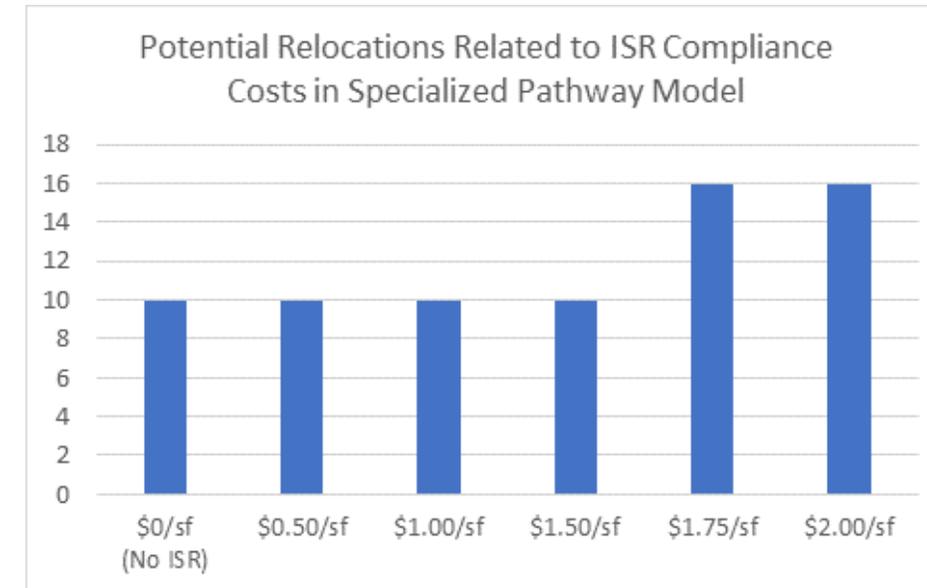
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Specialized Pathway	Medium Term	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Capacity Expansion	10	0	0	10	0	0	0	0
Composite	Medium Term	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Capacity Expansion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

- Relocations at \$0/sq. ft. counter to what we see happening. This reflects factors that we cannot capture quantitatively:
  - Labor availability
  - Value of customer proximity
  - Risks of warehouse development
  - Barriers to warehouse development

*\*All values rounded to nearest whole warehouse.*



# Projected Relocations - Incremental to Relocations at \$0/sq. ft.

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		ALL MARKETS	BAKERSFIELD	COASTAL AREAS	DESERT AREAS	LAS VEGAS	PHOENIX	SAN DIEGO	WESTERN AZ
<i>ISR Compliance Costs of \$0.50 per Square Foot</i>									
Specialized Pathway	Medium Term	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Capacity Expansion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Composite	Medium Term	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Capacity Expansion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<i>ISR Compliance Costs of \$1.00 per Square Foot</i>									
Specialized Pathway	Medium Term	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Capacity Expansion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Composite	Medium Term	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Capacity Expansion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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Specialized Pathway	Medium Term	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Capacity Expansion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Composite	Medium Term	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Capacity Expansion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<i>ISR Compliance Costs of \$1.75 per Square Foot</i>									
Specialized Pathway	Medium Term	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Capacity Expansion	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
Composite	Medium Term	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Capacity Expansion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<i>ISR Compliance Costs of \$2.00 per Square Foot</i>									
Specialized Pathway	Medium Term	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Capacity Expansion	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
Composite	Medium Term	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Capacity Expansion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

- Projected relocations at \$1.75/sf and \$2/sf represent ~0.2% of modeled warehouses in South Coast AQMD area potentially subject to the ISR.
- Relocations all to Bakersfield.
- Relocations on pathway for national distribution.
- No relocations under composite pathway scenarios or in specialized pathway scenarios ≤\$1.50/sf.

*\*All values rounded to nearest whole warehouse.*

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Questions?



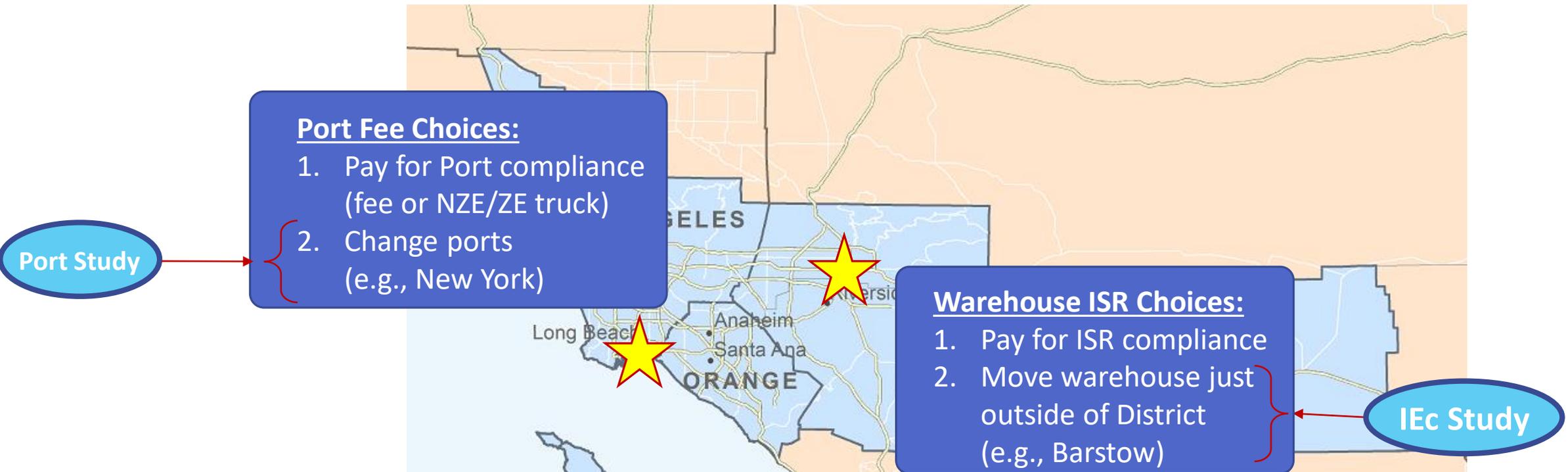
# IEc Study Results in Relation to Port Study

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- IEc study shows no new relocations outside of South Coast AQMD at  $\leq \$1.50/\text{sf}$  in compliance cost
- Port economic study showed up to ~1.4% cargo diversion at a rate of \$70/TEU
  - Cargo loss was from national distribution
  - Market share for national distribution has been declining since at least 2007
  - Even with loss of market share, record volumes repeatedly achieved in past several years
  - Potential cost @ \$70/TEU = \$630 million/year

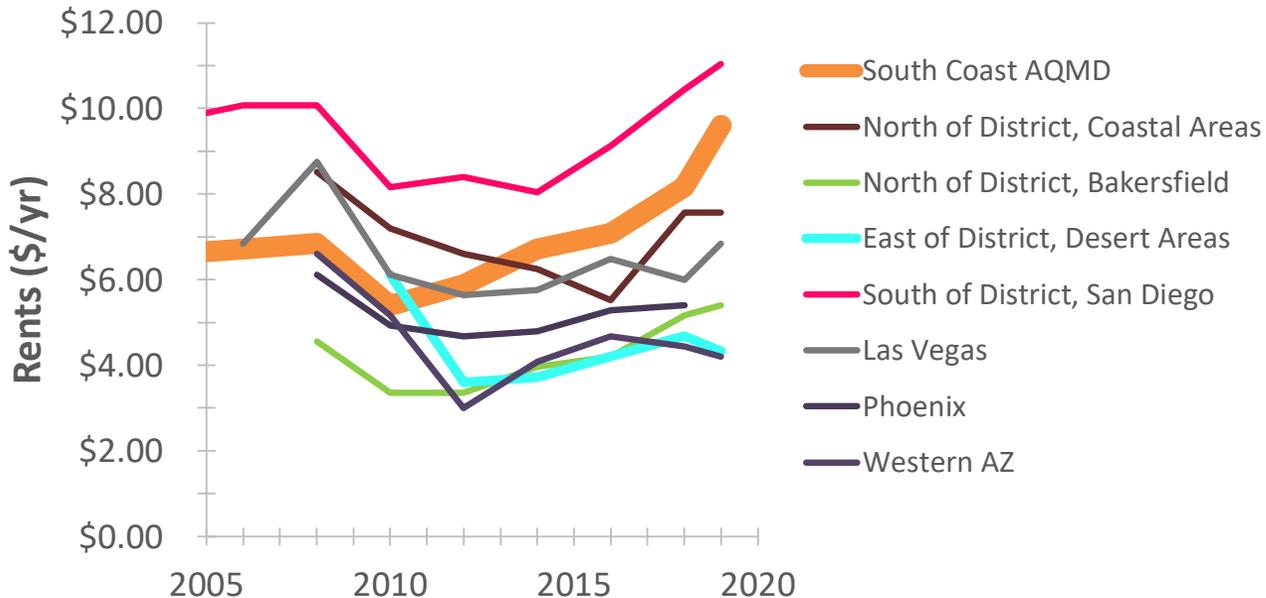
# Port Economic Study for Clean Truck Program is not Directly Applicable to Warehouse ISR

- Difference choices for cargo owners between port and warehouse compliance costs

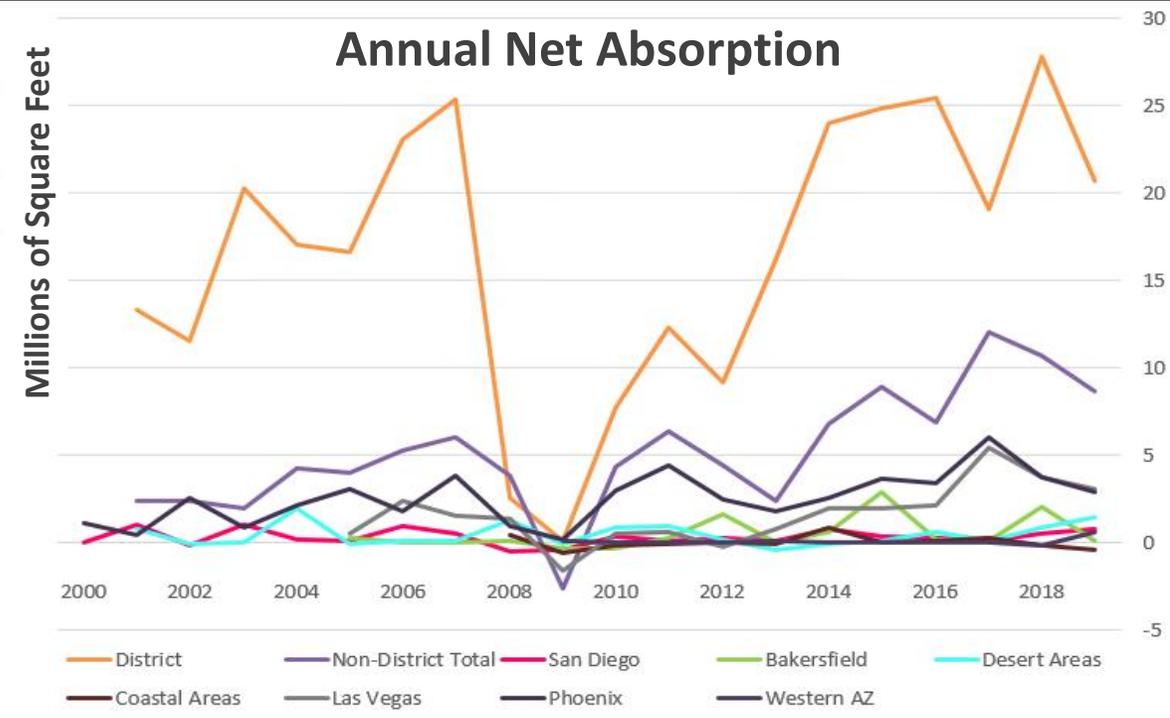


# Increasing Warehousing Costs, and Growth

## Warehousing Historical Rents



## Annual Net Absorption



*Warehouses in South Coast AQMD Pay Increasing Costs of ~\$0.45/year in Rents Paid to Landlords...*

*For the ~750 msf covered by PR 2305, this is ~\$340 million in increased costs per year, ~\$3.4 billion total after 10 years*

*...Yet Warehousing Has Grown Faster In South Coast AQMD Than Any Surrounding Areas*

*Warehouses aren't leaving*

# Analytical Approach to Evaluate Potential Stringency

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- Structure of PR 2305 allows many different compliance options
  - Potential emissions benefits and costs vary year to year and warehouse to warehouse
- **Scenario analysis** used to evaluate potential impacts of PR 2305
  - Builds on the approach shown in Oct. 30 working group
  - 18 scenarios modeled, representing wide range of compliance options
  - Key inputs include Draft WAIRE Menu Technical Report, EMFAC 2017, and CARB META tool
    - Analysis accounts for ACT, Low NOx Omnibus, Heavy Duty I/M

# Scenarios Analyzed

Scenario	Scenario Description
1	NZE Class 8 Truck Acquisitions and Visits from those trucks
2	NZE Class 8 Truck Acquisitions (Early Purchase) and Visits from those trucks
3	NZE Class 8 Truck Acquisitions Funded by Carl Moyer and Visits from those trucks
4	NZE Class 8 Truck Visits (From Non-Owned Fleet)
5	ZE Class 8 Truck Visits (From Non-Owned Fleet)
6	Level 3 Charger Install in First Year and ZE Class 6 & 8 Truck Acquisitions & Visits from those trucks
7	Pay Mitigation Fee
8	NZE Class 6 Truck Acquisitions and Visits from those trucks (No Incentives)
9	NZE Class 6 Truck Visits (From Non-Owned Fleet)
10	ZE Class 6 Truck Visits (From Non-Owned Fleet)
11	Rooftop Solar Panel Installations and Usage
12	H2 Station Installations in First Year and ZE Class 8 Truck Acquisitions and Visits from those trucks
13	ZE Class 2b-3 Truck Acquisitions and Visits from those trucks
14	ZE Class 2b-3 Truck Visits (From Non-Owned Fleet)
15	Filter System Installations
16	Filter Purchases
17	TRU Plug Installations and Usage in Cold Storage Facilities
18	ZE Hostler Acquisitions and Usage

# Stringency Background

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*WPCO = Warehouse Points Compliance Obligation*

*WATTs = Weighted Annual Truck Trips*

*Stringency = Points per WATT*

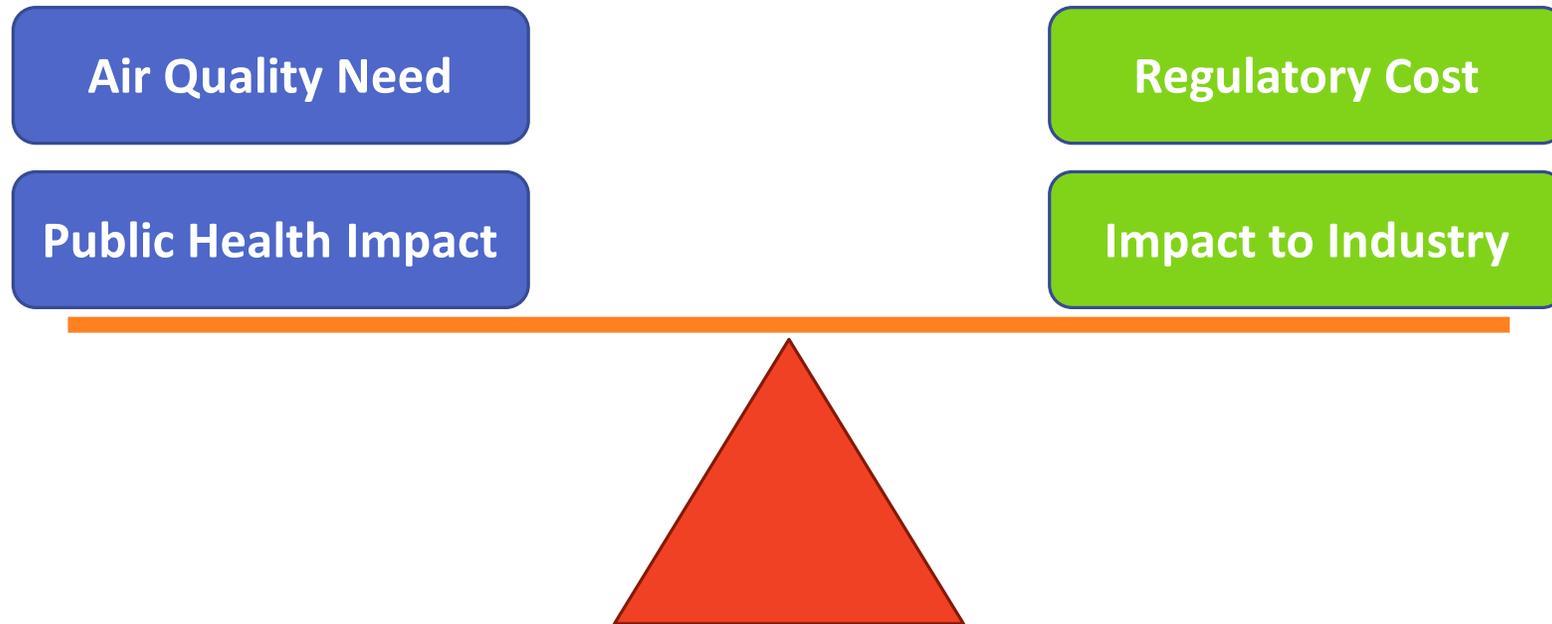
*Annual Variable = Phase-in schedule*

- Staff proposed analyzing stringency in range of 0.0001 - 0.005

# Examples of Potential Outcomes (3-year Phase-In)

Stringency	NOx Reductions (tpd)		Diesel PM Reductions (tpd)		Potential Costs (\$/yr)		Potential Costs (\$/sf/yr)	
	Median Scenario	Range*	Median Scenario	Range*	Median Scenario	Range*	Median Scenario	Range*
0.0001	0	0 – 1.5	0	0 – 0.01	~\$53M	\$1- \$766M	\$0.08	~\$0- \$1.18
0.0025	1.4	0 – 6.7	0.010	0 – 0.03	~\$130M	\$3M- \$837M	\$0.19	~\$0- \$1.25
0.005	2.7	0 – 13.8	0.021	0 – 0.05	~\$359M	\$7M- \$1.49B	\$0.54	~\$0.01- \$1.77

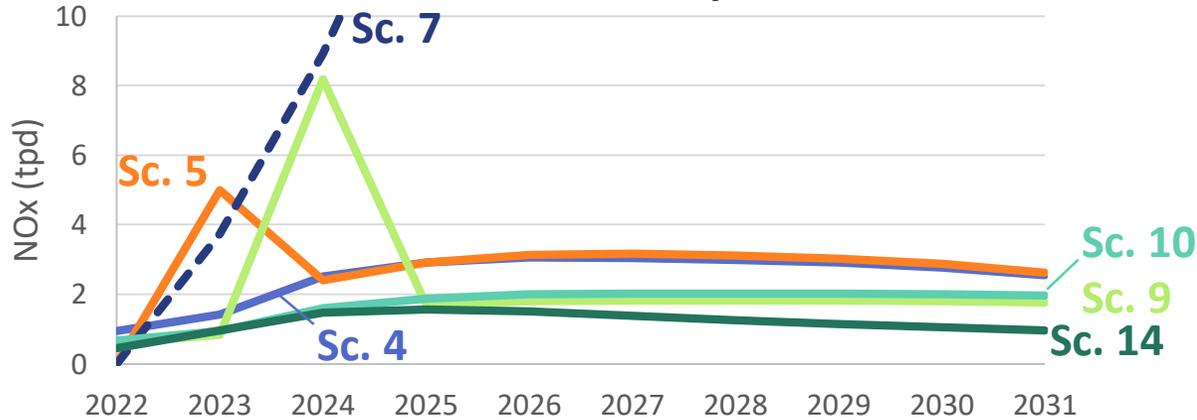
➤ Emission benefits and costs are beyond recent CARB regulations



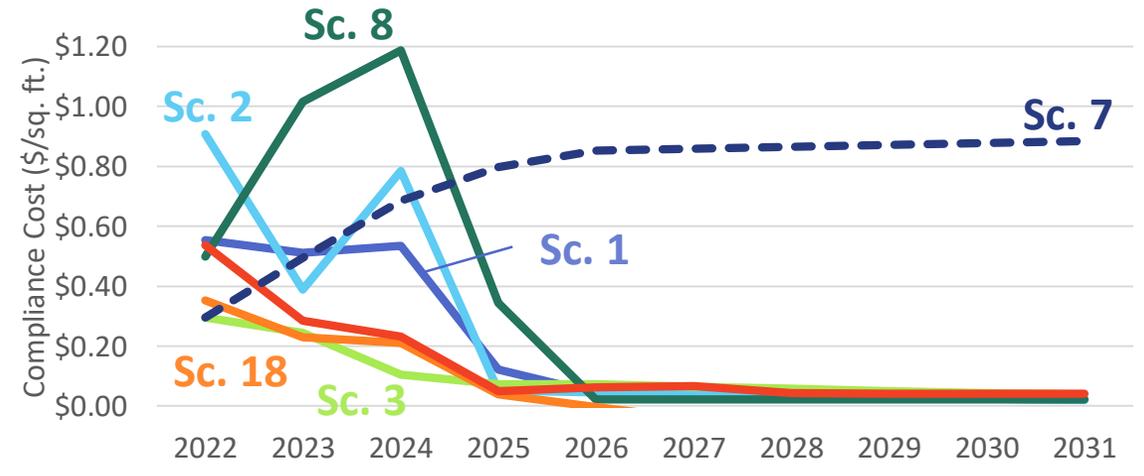
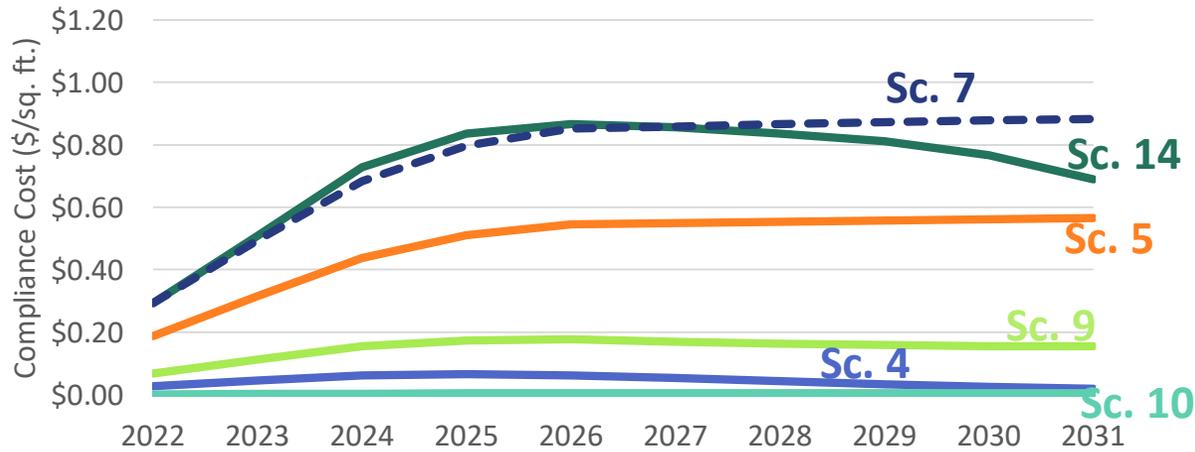
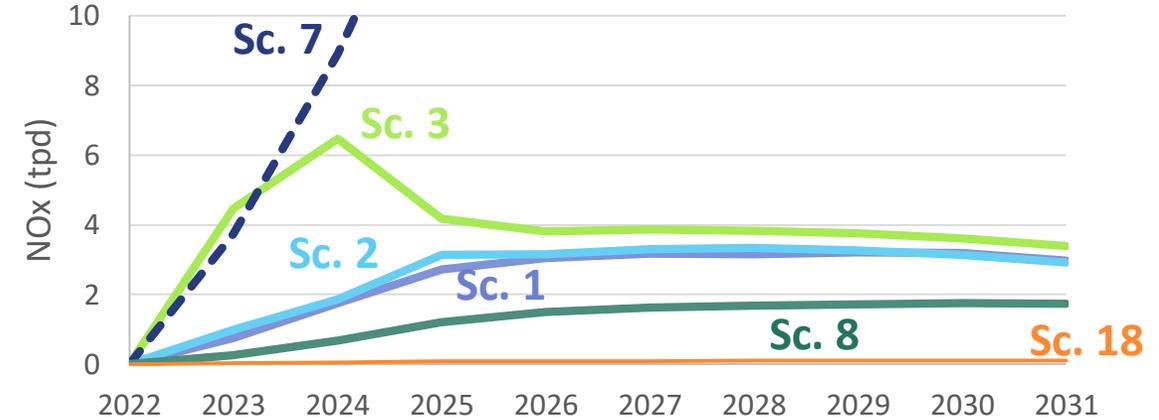
**Proposed Stringency = 0.0025**

# Stringency at 0.0025 - Costs & Emissions Benefits Through Time

NOx Reductions from 3<sup>rd</sup> Party Fleet Scenarios



NOx Reductions from Owned Fleet Scenarios



Compliance Costs From 3<sup>rd</sup> Party Fleet Scenarios

Compliance Costs from Owned Fleet Scenarios

Refer to slide 20 for scenario descriptions

# Additional Detail with Stringency at 0.0025 - Comparison with Market Conditions

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- All but one scenario shows additional regional and local emissions benefit beyond CARB regs (*ACT, Low NOx, HD I/M*)
- Most scenarios do not require greater truck sales than would otherwise occur ... but many fewer new trucks would be diesel
- Highest impact on sales: Scenario 8 (Class 6 NZE purchases/use)
  - 2.5 years of expected sales would occur in 2024 in unlikely event that every warehouse chose this option
    - ~13% turnover of fleet in one year
  - Later years show NZE sales due to PR 2305 as less than normal new sales for this scenario

# Points of Comparison

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- PR 2305 NOx emissions = ~31 tpd in 2031
  - PR 2305 reductions up to ~22%
- PR 2305 DPM emissions = ~0.26 tpd in 2031
  - PR 2305 reductions up to ~12%
- Total value of goods moving through region\* = ~\$500 billion
  - PR 2305 median scenario cost is ~0.02%
- Operating costs of warehousing ~\$25/sf - ~\$90/sf  
(*labor + rents + taxes + utilities*)
  - PR 2305 median scenario cost is ~0.2% - 0.7%

New CARB Rules  
(ACT, Low NOx, HD I/M)  
provide an additional  
~5-7% reduction from  
these warehouses

# Upcoming Process

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- Early 2021- Release of Preliminary Draft Staff Report & release Draft Environmental Analysis (CEQA)
  - Will include detailed analysis and discussion of information in slides