#### The 2025 $CO_2$ standard for new cars: A look at technology penetration, $CO_2$ reduction potential and cost

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#### Looking back: Technology penetration and cost estimates in the past



# CO<sub>2</sub> regulations are driving new technologies into the market, both in the EU and U.S.





### For some technologies the uptake is similar in both markets, for others there are striking differences





### The CO<sub>2</sub> reduction effect for start-stop is high in NEDC but much lower for US-FTP and real-world



Start-stop



#### The market for hybrid cars is still mostly driven by one manufacturer, both in the EU and U.S.



#### Hybrid



### Share of diesel is much smaller outside the EU, requiring more reductions from other technologies



#### Diesel



# The original penetration and cost estimates for the 130 g/km target for 2015 turned out to be too high



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# For determining feasible CO<sub>2</sub> reduction rates and the associated cost there are different approaches

#### **Industry survey**

Industry representatives share data on CO<sub>2</sub> reduction potential and costs for technologies / technology packages

#### In-depth bottom-up analysis

Computer simulation of CO<sub>2</sub> reduction potential for technology packages + tear-down cost estimates





#### The assessment for meeting 95 g/km by 2020/21 was more thorough but still likely overly pessimistic



# **Looking forward**: What are the technologies to reach a 2025 target?



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- Improving the gasoline engine (still large potential for evolutionary development)
- Improving the diesel engine (less potential than for gasoline? exhaust aftertreatment? cost-benefit?)
- Improving the transmission system (more gears, moving to dual-clutch transmission)
- Moving towards increased electrification
   (mild hybrid → full hybrid → plug-in hybrid → range extender → fully electric)
- Improving the vehicle road-load (light-weighting aerodynamics, tires)
- Technology is always evolving!



### The gap between official and real-world CO<sub>2</sub> data is expected to continue to increase, even with WLTP



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#### Results so far suggest that a 2025 target of ~70 g/km is reachable without a large share of electric vehicles



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# Payback for post-2020 target(s) is most likely still well within holding period of first hand owner



# **The bigger picture**: What do we have to achieve in the mid and long term?



### Globally, there is a competition to introduce more efficient vehicles and to reduce CO<sub>2</sub> emission levels





## For reaching the $CO_2$ reduction targets for 2030, we need a combination of all available measures





#### Agreed long-term targets will require essentially the de-carbonization of our vehicle fleet





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