

For better air quality, further challenges of automobile and fuel

Investigation of Measurement Conditions of Ultrafine Particles Emitted by Automobiles

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What is JCAP (Japan Clean Air Program)?

- Collaborative study by automobile and oil industries
 - to find the best combination of automobile and fuel technologies to improve the air quality of Japan
 - to provide the government with rational technical data for policy making.
 - Supported by METI (the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry)
- JCAP I:1997 –2001 (Budget: Approx. 5.4 billion yen)
- JCAP II: 2002 –2006 (Budget : Approx. 5.6 billion yen)
 - Determination of future automobile/fuel technologies toward near Zero Emissions
 - Prediction of air quality improvement through the introduction of novel emission reduction technologies



For **ultrafine particles** and **unregulated materials in automobile exhaust** of which health effects are concerned,

(Step1) 2002-2004

To find appropriate measuring methods

(Step2) 2005-2006 To clarify the direction of **automobile and fuel technologies** development for zero emission



Outline of ultrafine particle study

Chase experiments



Wind tunnel tests



Size distributions of particles emitted into the atmosphere

Laboratory tests



Laboratory test method that can reproduce size distributions of particles emitted into the atmosphere

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Previous results of chase experiments(1) – Actual emissions into the atmosphere

•In usual steady state driving, nuclei mode particles are hardly generated.

Nuclei mode particles are generated in an extreme condition
 high engine speed / low load – nanoparticles derived from organic carbon





- Dilution process of stable accumulation mode particles
 - HD Diesel (4.3L DI, No after treatment), Diesel fuel (Sulfur 50ppm)
 - 50km/h (2,000rpm at 4th gear)



 Particle number concentrations decreased with distance monotonously.
 Profile of particle size distribution was not changed significantly.

Wind tunnel test – accumulation mode particles (2)

- Particle size distribution corrected with dilution ratio of stable accumulation mode particles
 - HD Diesel (DI, No after treatment), Diesel fuel (Sulfur 50ppm) Condition:50km/h (2,000rpm at 4th gear)



Particle size distribution corrected with dilution ratio are **metastable** at **DR (dilution ratio) >= 5**. ⇒**Distribution to be reproduced in the laboratory.**



- Dilution process of unstable nuclei mode particles was observed.
 - HD Diesel (DI, No after treatment), Diesel fuel (Sulfur 50ppm) 50km/hr(3,150rpm at 3rd gear)



• Particle number concentrations decreased with distance >1m.



Particle size distribution was approximately unchanged at >2m behind the tail pipe (DR >18).

Previous results of chase experiments (2)

- In usual steady state driving, nuclei mode particles are hardly generated.
- Nuclei mode particles are generated in another extreme condition
 Oxidation catalyst, high exhaust temperature and fuel with high sulfur content
 - nanoparticles derived from sulfate





- Accumulation mode particles
 - Nearly unchanged after initial dilution
- Nuclei mode particles
 - Formed during dilution of exhaust in the atmosphere
- Particle size distribution is relatively stable at DR >23
 - Vehicle LD Diesel (DI with DOC), Fuel S 500ppm
 - 50km/h (1st gear)





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Ultrafine particle measuring system

Ultrafine particle measuring system using PPFDII



- Dilution air with temperature and humidity controlled
 Dilution ratio control canable of transient test
 - Dilution ratio control capable of transient test
 - Constant dilution ratio or Constant split ratio

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Comparison of wind tunnel and PPFDII test results (1)

Comparison of size distributions of nuclei mode particles in steady state condition



Vehicle: Diesel (DI, No after treatment) Fuel: Diesel fuel (Sulfur 50ppm) Condition:50km/h (3,150rpm 3rd gear)

	Wind tunnel	PPFDII
Mode diameter (nm)	32	23
total particle concentration (cm ⁻³)	0.8 x 10 ⁹	1.0 x 10 ⁹





Vehicle: Diesel (DI, No after treatment) Fuel: Diesel fuel (Sulfur 50ppm)



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Particle concentration

Low

4.6E+05

1.0E+03

High

1.0E+11

2.2E+08

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Average particle size distributions of JE05 mode tests

Concentration of mode average particle size distribution approximately coincided. Large contribution of nuclei mode particles on average particle size distribution in deceleration was also reproduced.

Vehicle: Diesel (DI, No after treatment) Fuel: Diesel fuel (Sulfur 50ppm) Wind tunnel test - 2m and 5 m behind the exhaust tube axis PPFDII - secondary dilution(DR 200, RT 1s)



Mode average

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Summary of study on ultrafine particle measuring method

Metastable particle size distribution of ultrafine particles after emitted into the atmosphere was confirmed.

⇒Particle size distribution to be reproduced in the laboratory

Dilution status of ultrafine particles in metastable state

	Dilution ratio	
nuclei mode particles	approx. 20 or higher	
accumulation mode particles	approx. 5 or higher	

Laboratory measuring method that can approximately reproduce metastable particle size distribution of ultrafine particles emitted into the atmosphere was established.

⇒ Dilution condition of sampling system (PPFDII) was determined.

•	Dil	ution	cond	litions

Primary dilution ratio	15 – 25
Residence time (sec)	1 - 2



- To clarify the direction of automobile and fuel technologies that enable the reduction of ultrafine particles.
 - Verification of accuracy of measuring method
 - Instruments correlation test for fast particle sizing (ex. DMS, EEPS)
 - Matrix test to assess the influences of automobile and fuel technologies on ultrafine particle emission
 - Measurement of emission factor of ultrafine particles for air quality modeling



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• At steady state driving condition

- Particle size distributions in metastable region
 - At several meters or more behind the tail pipe, the particle size distributions were confirmed to be relatively stable.
- Dilution status in metastable region
 - Formation and growth of nuclei mode particles were found to be completed at approx. DR20 and no significant change was observed during further dilution.

→Reference size distribution data

to reproduce emission into the atmosphere were obtained.

• At transient driving condition

- Particle formation in transient driving was observed.
 - Formation of ultrafine particles mainly during deceleration was confirmed.
 - Qualitative data of ultrafine particle formation were obtained.