



# District Secretariat of Environment

## Bogotá's Diesel Particulate Filters Program

# BDPF

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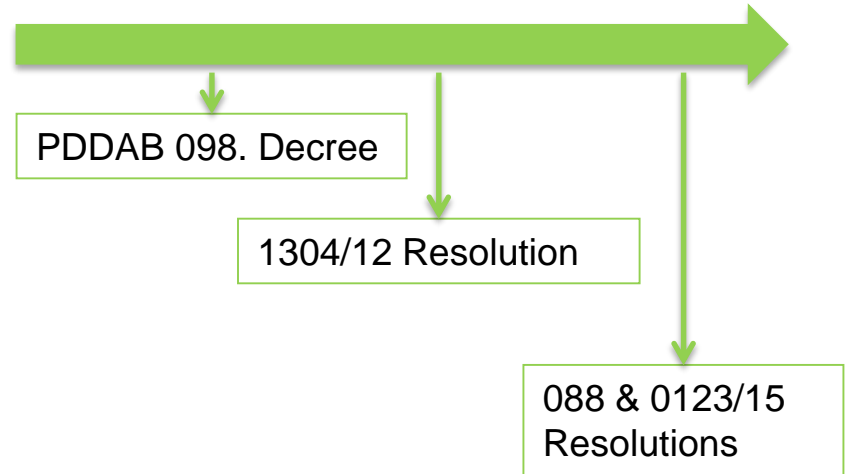
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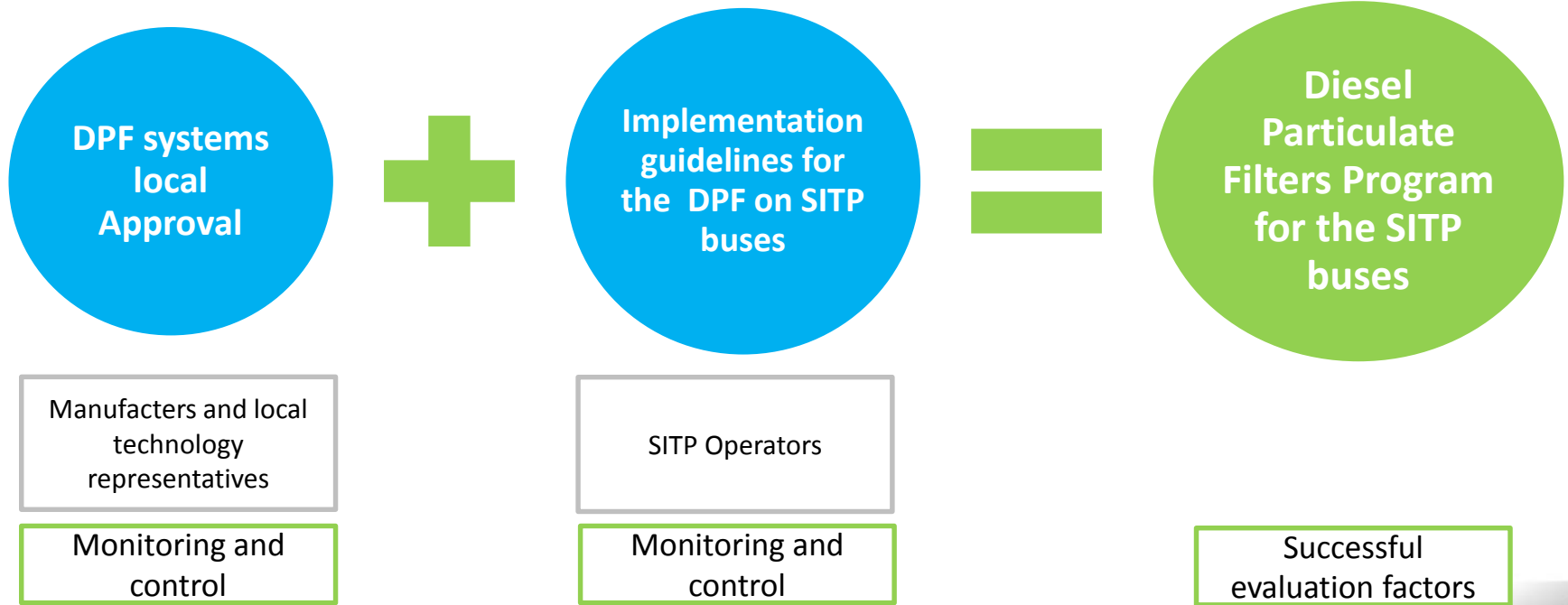
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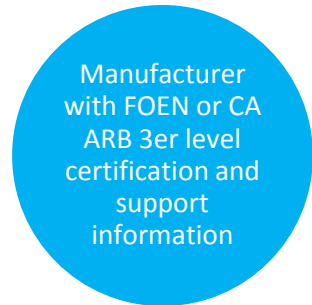
## Description -0123/2015 Resolution



# Filters Local Approval

## Next Steps

The local approval is granted to the local manufacturer/ representative of the technology that has successfully met the defined requirements by the SDA:



- ✓FOEN: Federal Office for Environment -Switzerland
- ✓CA ARB Environmental Protection Agency- California

- ✓Filtration Efficiency: 97%
- ✓Backpressure below 200mbar 90% of the test time

Proven systems in the filters pilot that pass the tests, will get the local approval

Approved systems will be publish on the **DPF systems approved list** by the **SDA** for use in Bogotá.



# Application Scope

## Technical Guidelines

The SITP operators in its *troncal* and *zonal* components, must install Diesel Particulate Filters to:

1. Buses whose engines do not meet the required limit emission in dynamic testing in the 2604 Mines and Energy Ministry resolution of Social and Environmental Protection, housing and Territorial Development, and
2. All **core component Buses which in December 31<sup>st</sup> of 2014 have crossed one million fifty thousand (1.050.000) kilometers or less.**
3. All zonal component buses which meet with the establish on the paragraph 1 and that **are model year equal to or higher than 2009.**

Vehicles categorized as mini bus type are excepted for the fulfillment of the current program.



# Graduality Technical Guidelines

Each operator must set the overhaul fleet size (retrofit) with DPF, according to the conditions laid down in the application scope and install the filters according to their retrofit overhaul fleet size:

Tamaño de la flota objeto de retrofit. (Cantidad de vehículos)	Componente	Plazos						
		30-sep-15	31-dic-15	31-mar-16	30-jun-16	30-sep-16	31-dic-16	31-mar-17
≤90	Troncal	100%						
Entre 91 y 180	Troncal	40%	80%	100%				
>180	Troncal	28%	56%	84%	100%			

**between  
1.600 -2.000  
buses**

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		30-sep-15	31-dic-15	31-mar-16	30-jun-16	30-sep-16	31-dic-16	31-mar-17
≤90	Zonal		15%	36%	100%			
Entre 91 y 180	Zonal		6%	16%	50%	85%	100%	
>180	Zonal		3%	8%	30%	53%	75%	100%

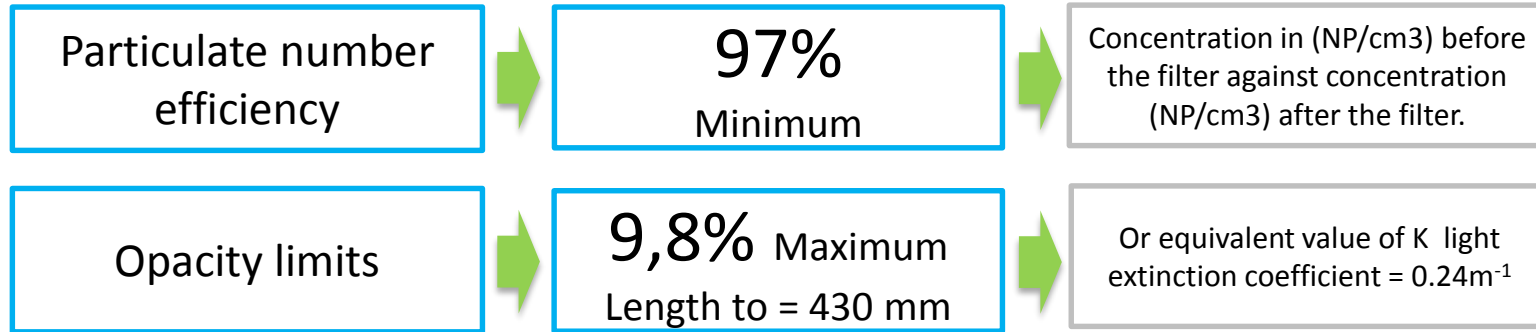


# Emission Levels

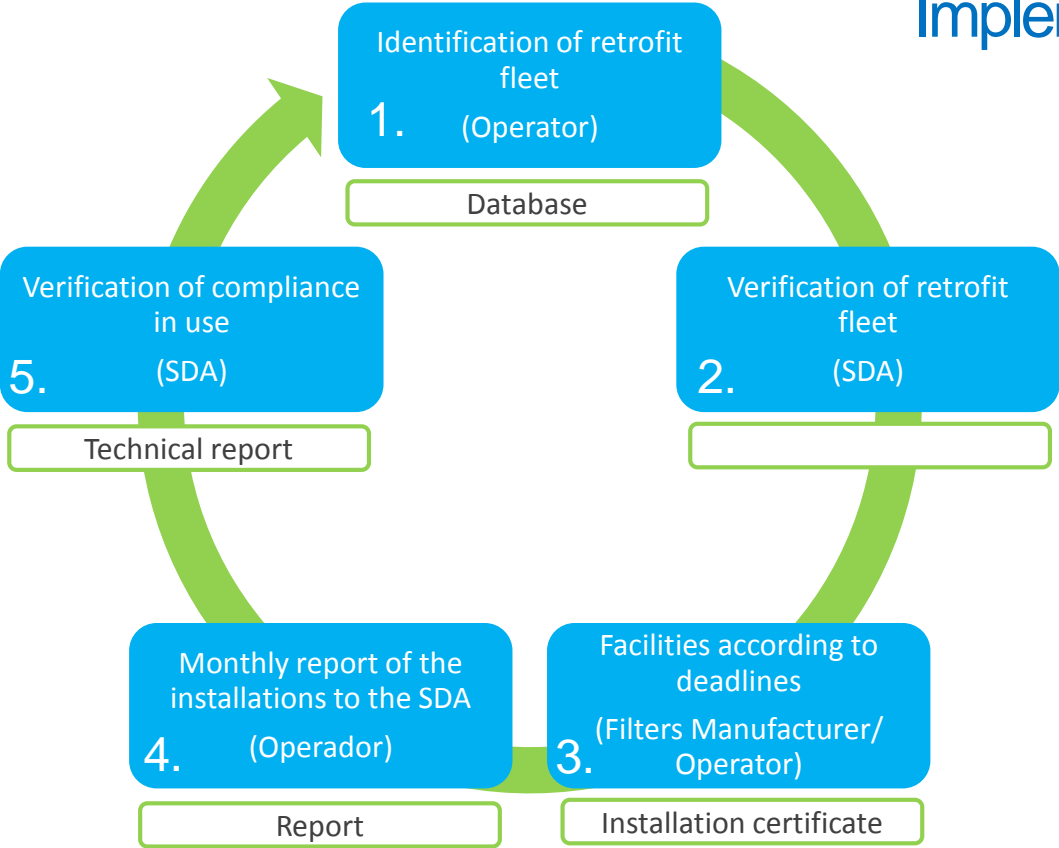
## Technical Guidelines

There are two CONTROL PARAMETERS limits to which the operator must comply:

1. Efficiency in the removal of number of ultra-fine particles (NP)
2. Opacity



# Next Steps Implementation





# Monitoring Mechanisms

## Monitoring & Control

When Installing the Filter

### Compliance in use

Manufacturer/supplier responsibilities

Installation minutes, visual inspection, opacity before and after and filter efficiency are checked.

Manufacturer loses approval

When the filter is in operation

### Random Control

Operator responsibilities

Document review, visual inspection, opacity limit compliance

Operator with penalty for non-compliance



# Lessons learned

## Problems & Solutions

### 1. Proper maintenance and specific city conditions:

- The 1<sup>th</sup> CRT installed fail due to an unfavorable PM to NO<sub>2</sub> ratio for the vehicle
- Pressure variation
- High opacity
- Refuse to use low ash lubricating oil

### 1.

- Strict maintenance before DPF's installation, calibration of valves, change the turbo, injectors and air filter
- \*\* use a FBC product
- Maintenance and De-installation of the DOC, select a bigger DOC and filter
- Change of the bus of the pilot fleet
- Developed of meetings with stakeholders



# Lessons learned

## Problems & Solutions

2. Delays in signing of agreements between Operator and manufacturer and communication problems

3. Fortuitous events

2. Developed of meetings with stakeholders

3. Suspend some operations until have a new bus in the pilot fleet and have the *dyno* in good conditions



# Bogota as Latin-American example

## Climate and Clean air

- Bogota seeks a gradual separation of fossil fuel use, looking for better bus technologies for the city: less PM emission and other pollutants, and less fuel consumption.
- Technological ascent Plan for the SITP –PAT-: 4 action lines
  - ✓ Bogota position as laboratory test of clean transportation technologies
  - ✓ Green corridor of 7<sup>th</sup> -10<sup>th</sup> avenue
  - ✓ Renovation of buses of the *zonal* SITP component by buses of less carbon emissions: 25 pioneer routes
  - ✓ Renovation of buses of *troncal* SITP component by buses of less carbon emissions

