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# Transport emissions in Chile, current situation and looking ahead for a carbon-neutral future?



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# Three studies: recent past, present and future

- Exhaust emissions for on-road transportation in Chile, 1990-2020
- Local emission factors using Portable Emission Measurement Systems
- Forecast analysis evaluating carbon neutrality goals by 2050

## High-definition spatial distribution maps of on-road transport exhaust emissions in Chile, 1990 - 2020.

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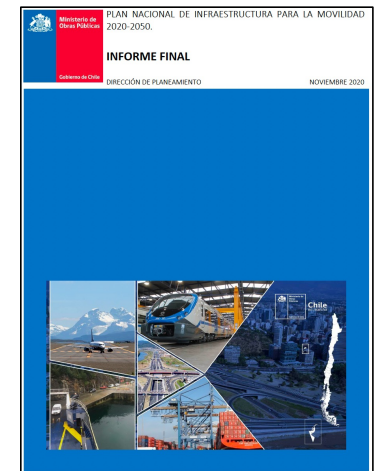
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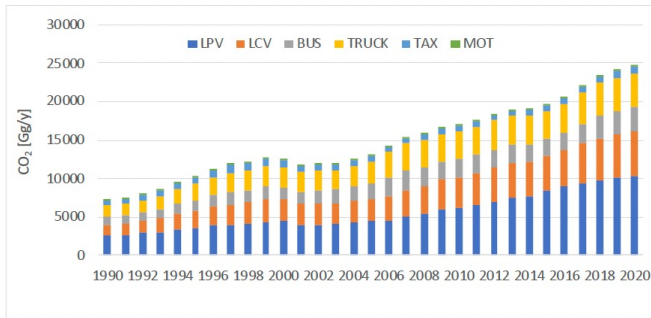
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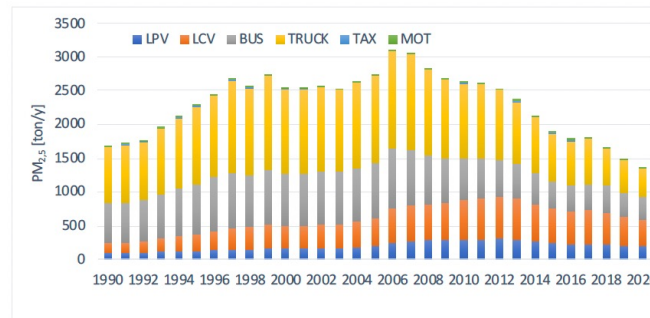
# On-road transportation, Chile, 1990-2020

Emissions are provided at high-spatial resolution ( $0.01^\circ \times 0.01^\circ$ ) over continental Chile from 18.5 S to 53.2 S, including local pollutants (CO, VOC, NO<sub>x</sub>, MP2.5), black carbon (BC) and greenhouse gases (CO<sub>2</sub>, CH<sub>4</sub>).

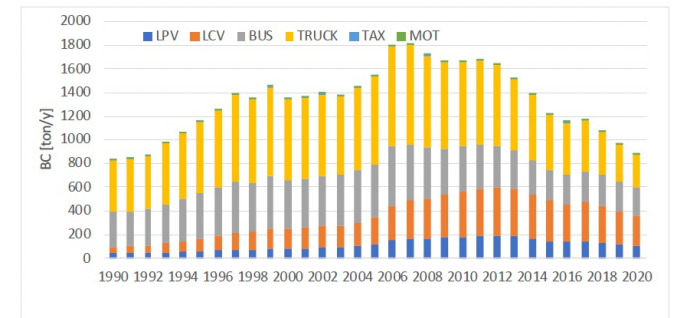
The methodology considers 70 vehicle types, based on ten vehicle categories, subdivided into two fuel types and 20 seven emission standards.



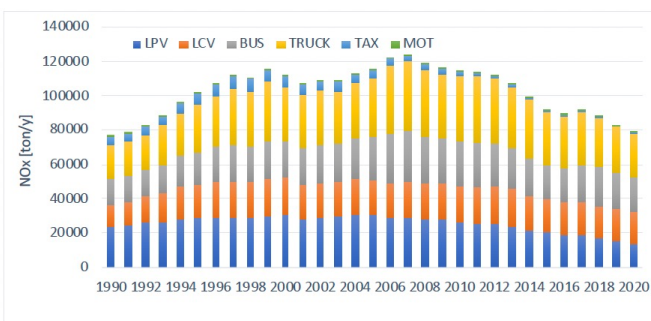
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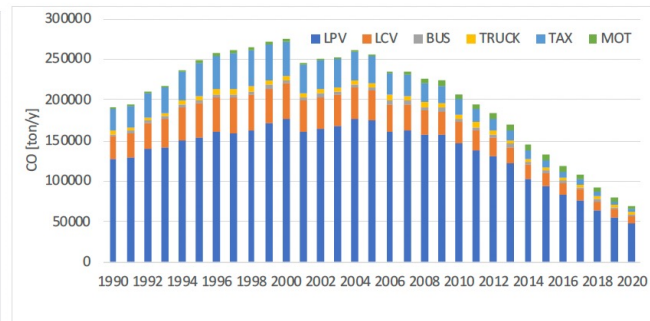
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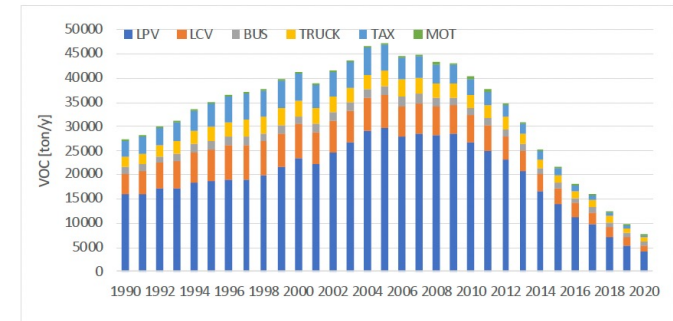
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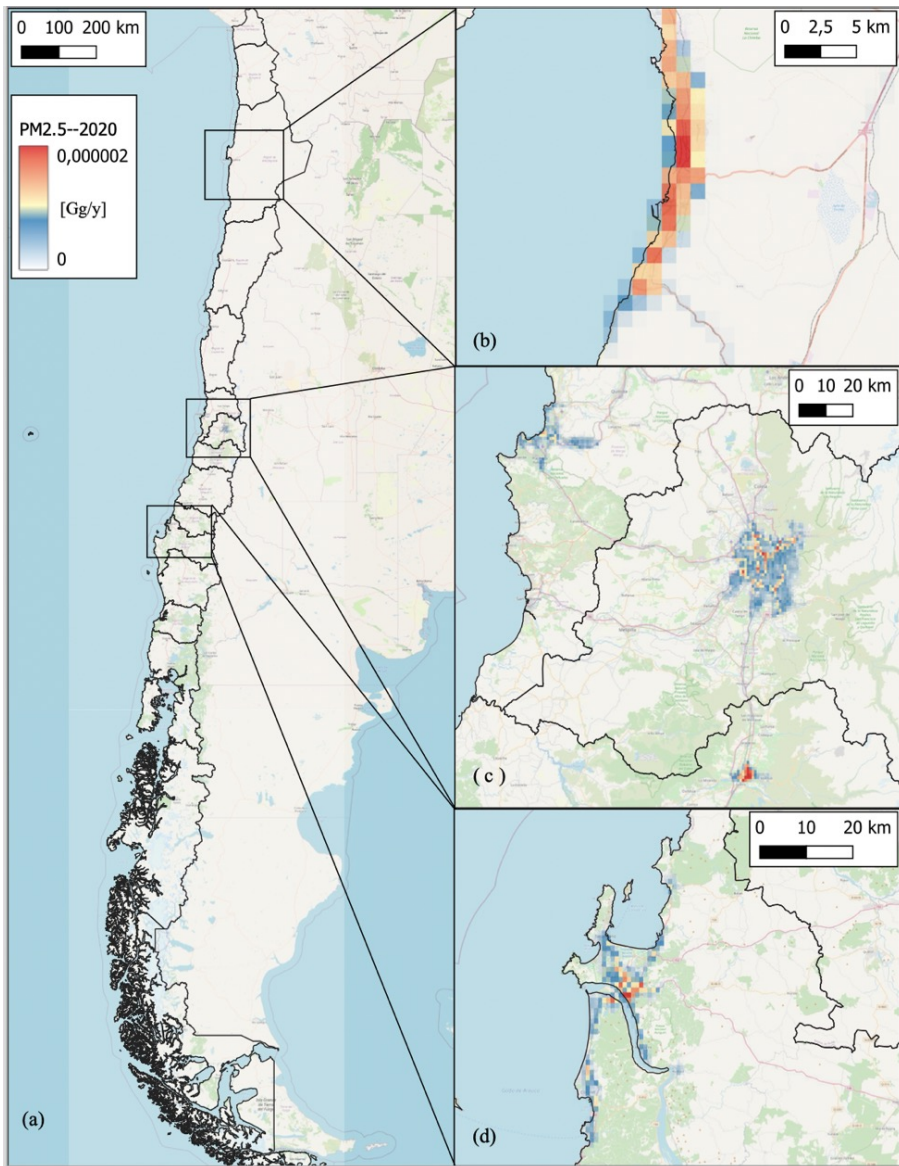
(d) NO<sub>x</sub>



(e) CO

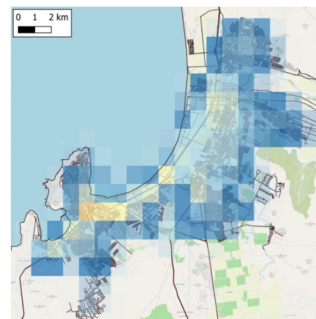


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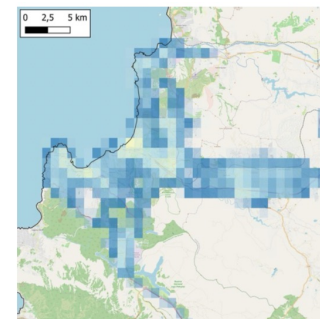


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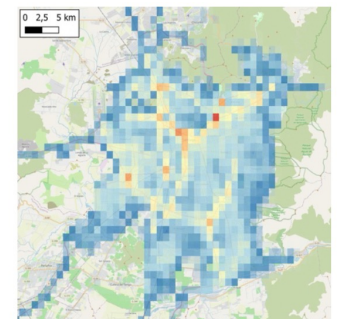
- Bottom-up, high-resolution national inventory of exhaust emissions for



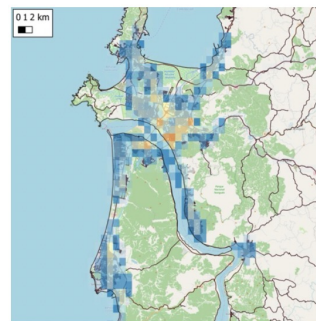
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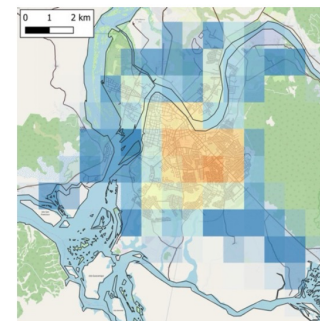
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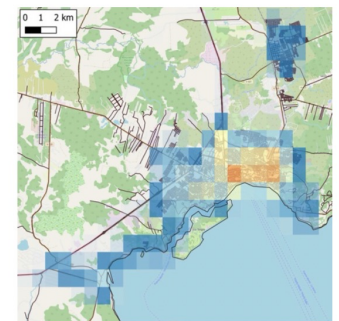
(c) Santiago



(d) Concepción

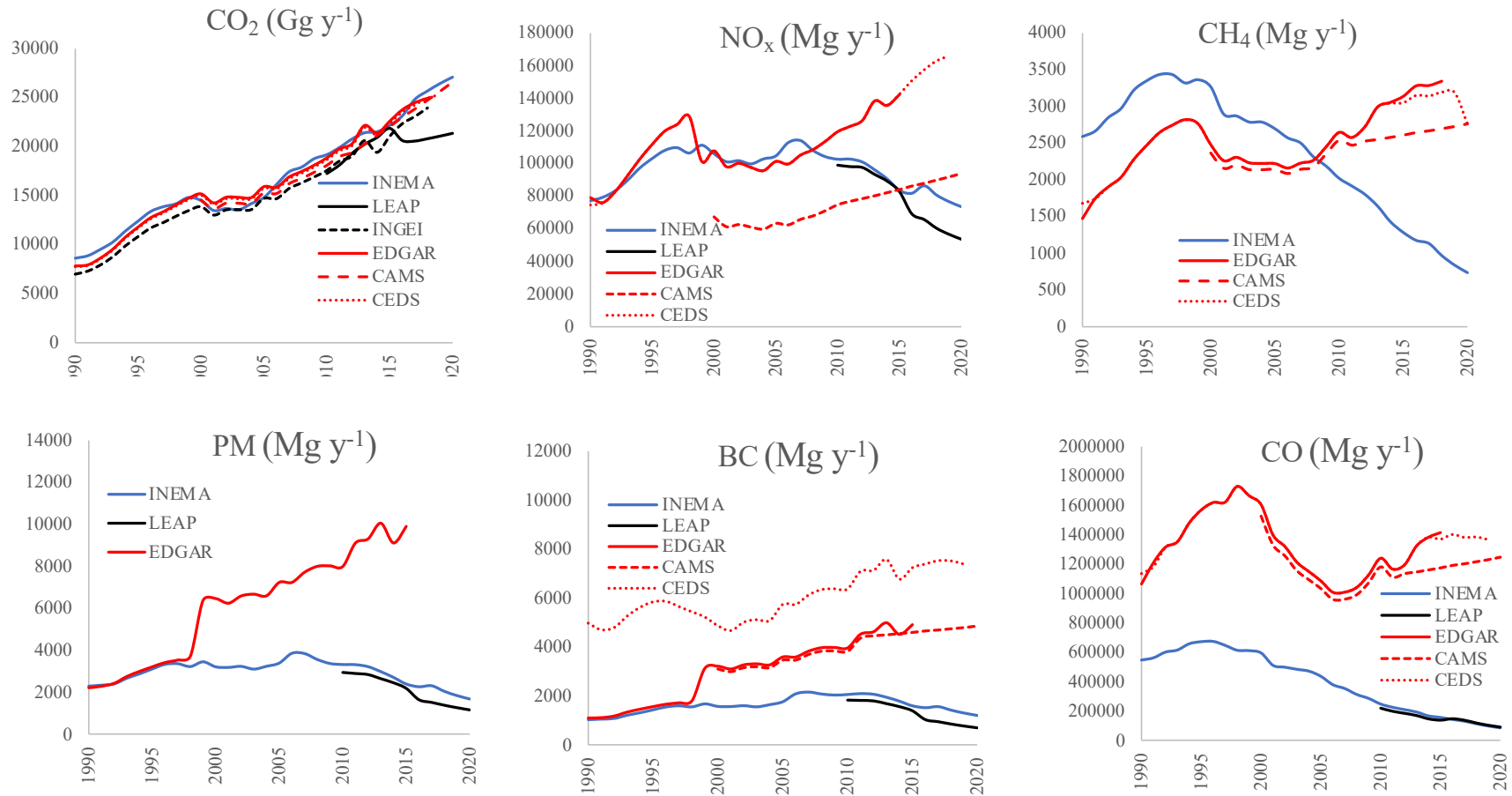


(e) Valdivia



(f) Puerto Montt

# On-road transportation, Chile, 1990-2020



# Dieselgate in Chile?

Measurement of local emission factors, using portable emission measurement systems (PEMS)



# Laboratory testing and real driving emissions



PEMS: Portable Emissions Measurement System

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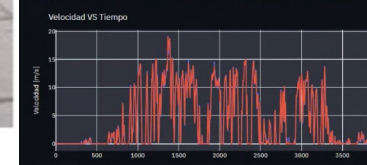
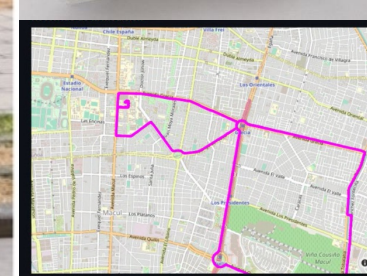
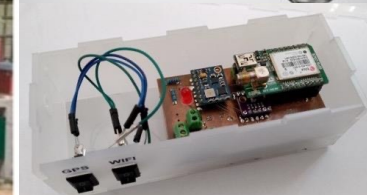
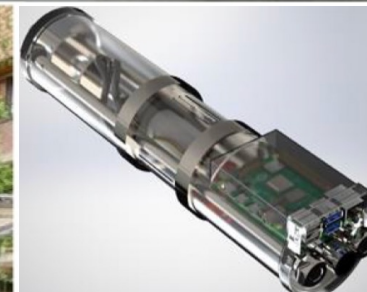


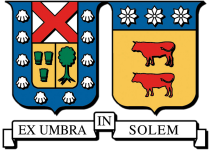
Figura 9. Montaje de analizadores en vehículo gasolina (izquierda) y diésel (derecha)



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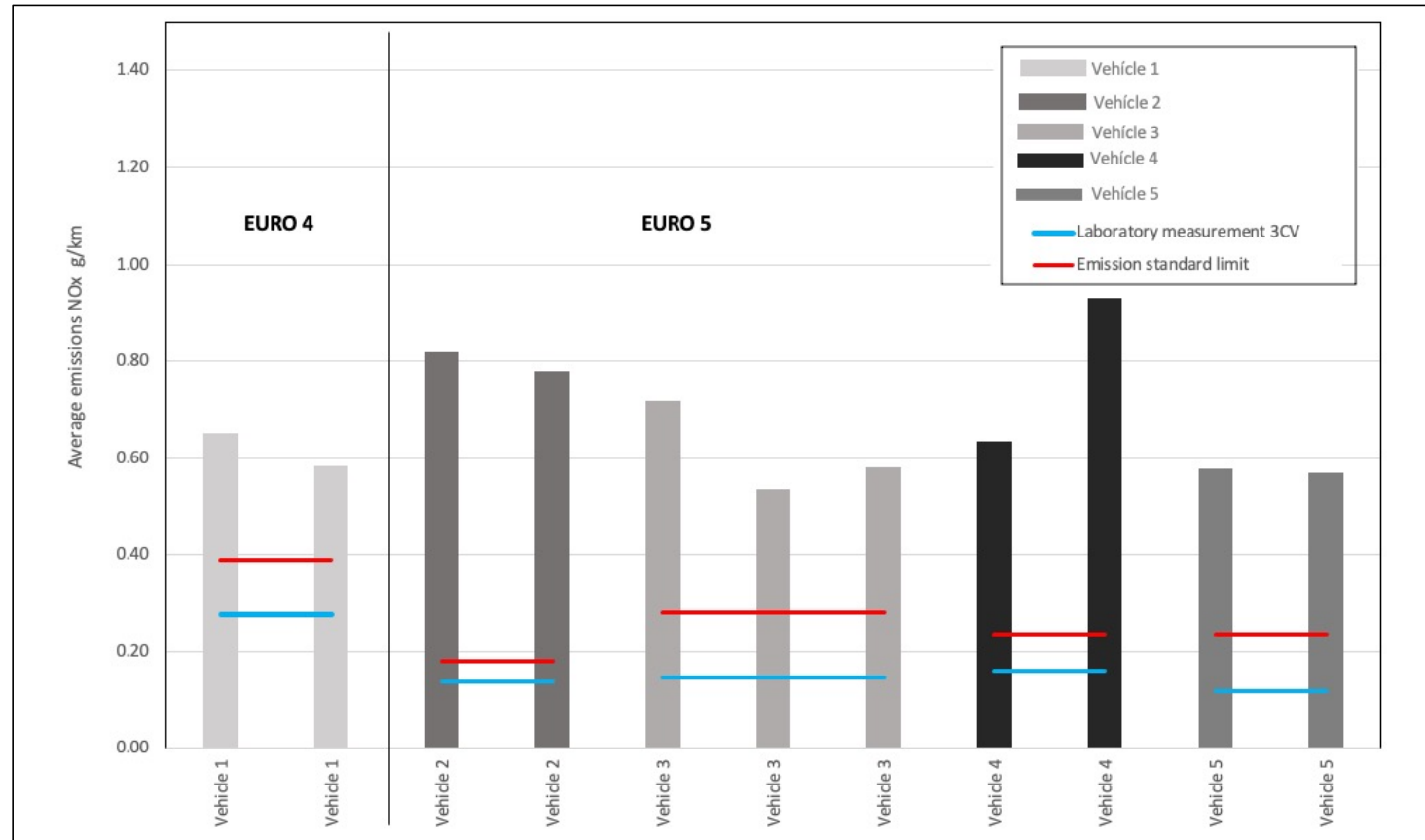




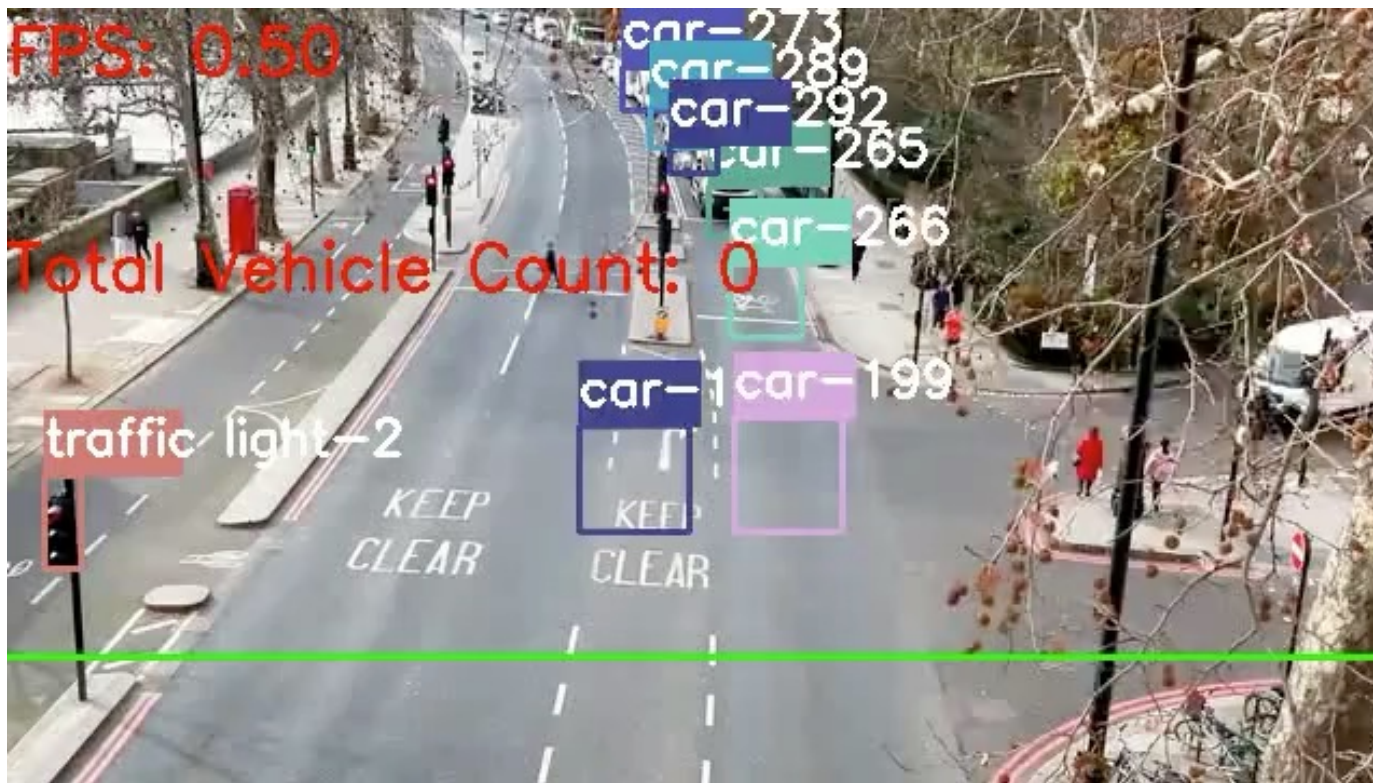


# Emissions results in Chile

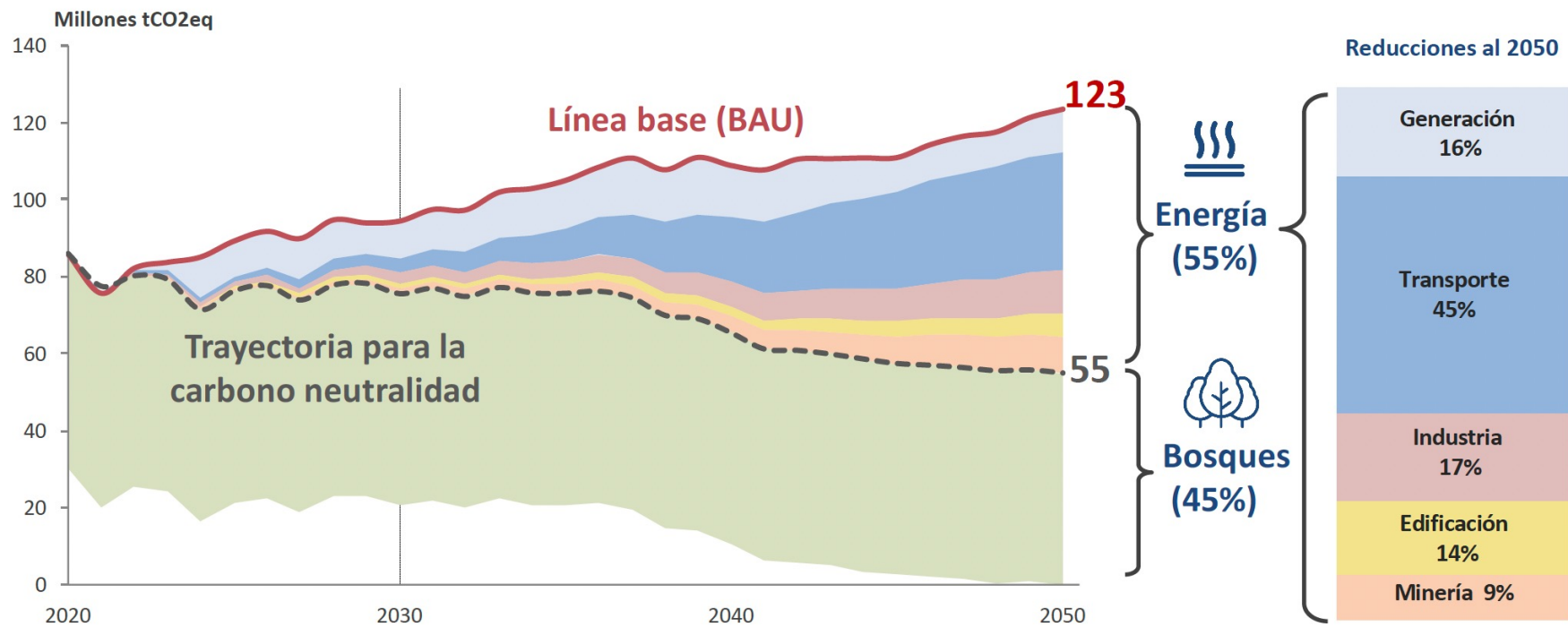
PEMS real driving emissions from 5 cars were compared with emission's standard limits (blue lines) and laboratory measurements at 3CV (red lines).



# Real-time vehicle counts with specialized algorithms and low-cost equipment

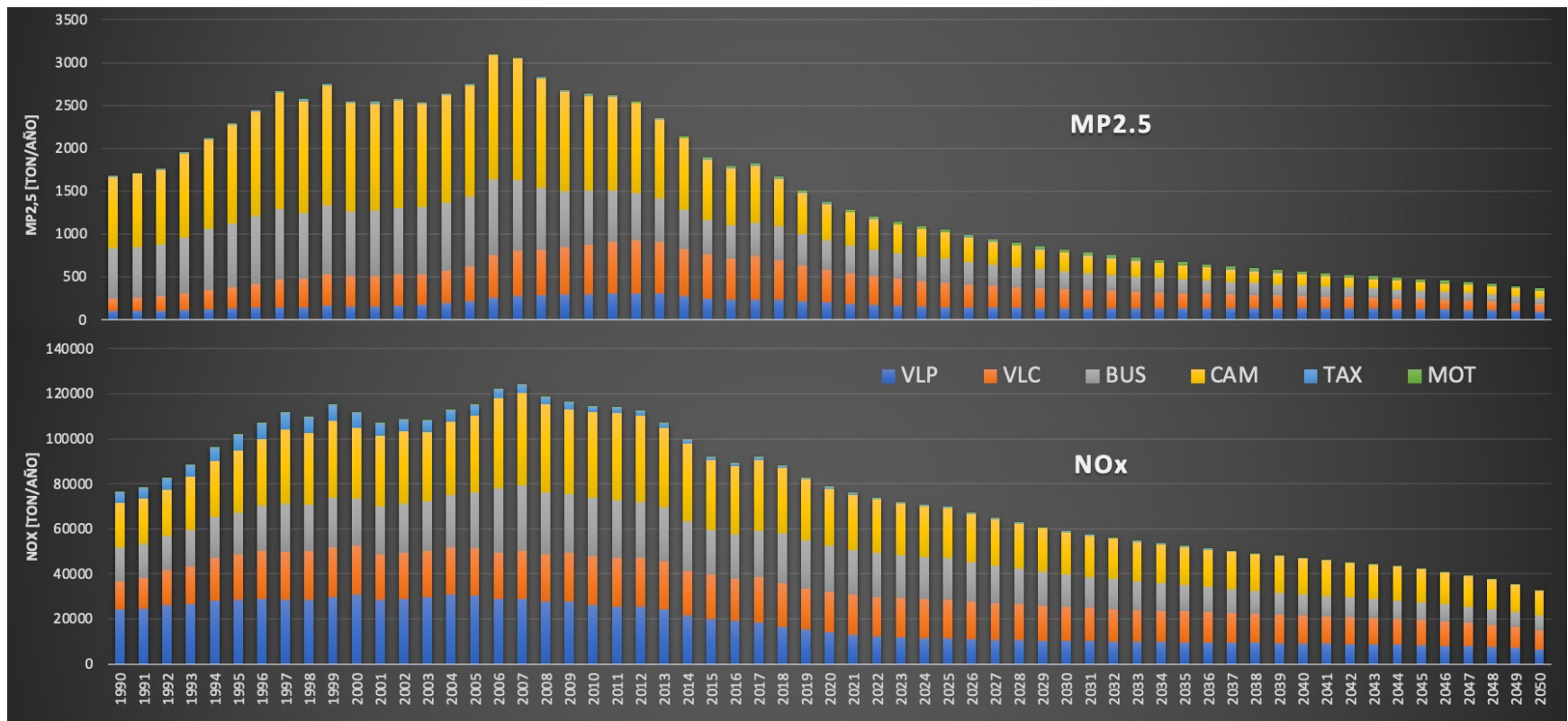


# Forecast for carbon neutrality by 2050



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- Forecast analysis for the years 2020-2050, considering various official strategies for all modes of transport in Chile.



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- Evaluating the feasibility of achieving carbon neutrality by 2050, while reducing emissions of criteria pollutants in urban areas.

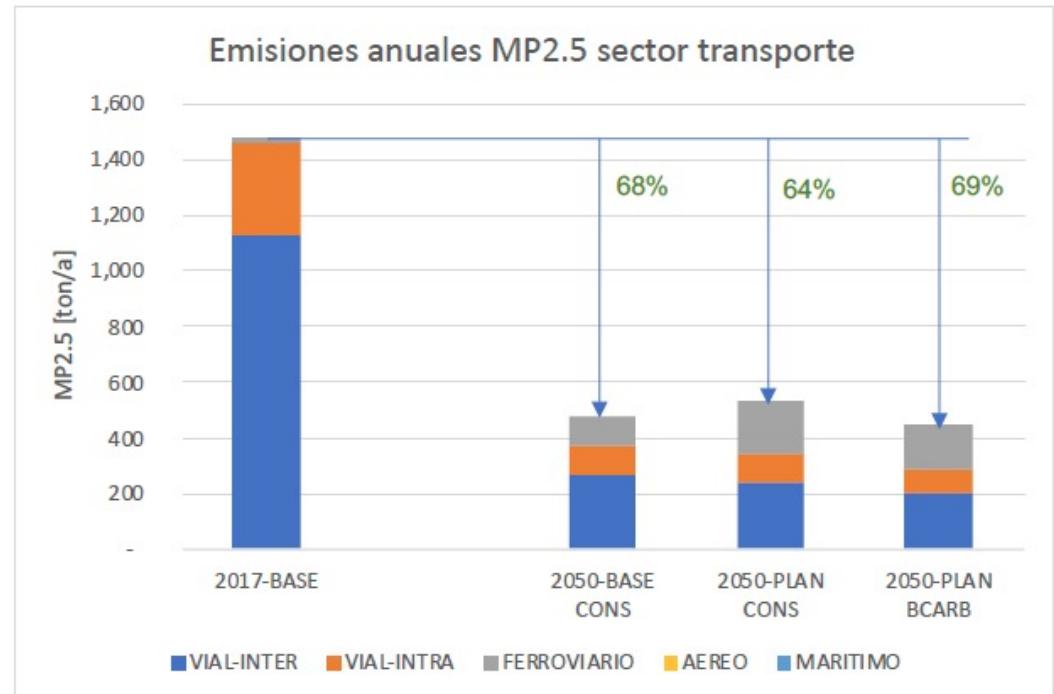
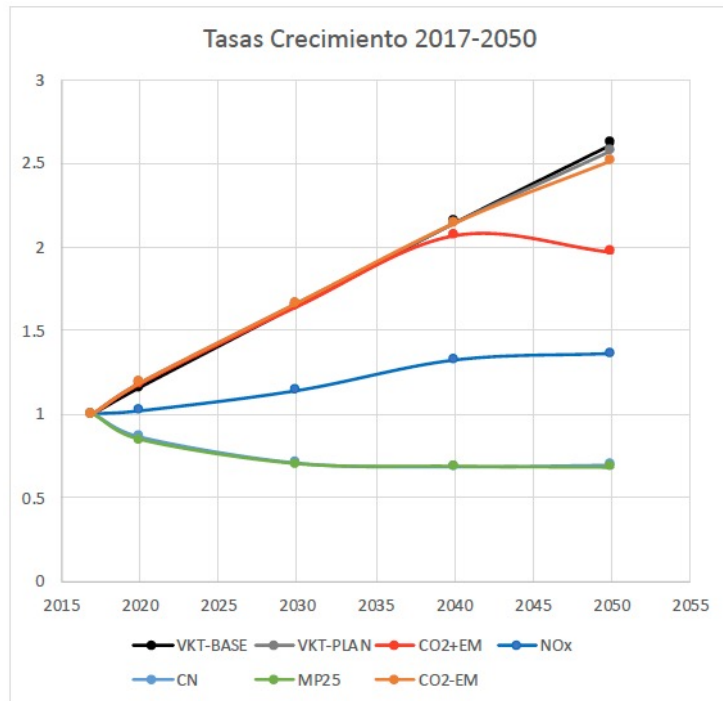


Figura 25: Emisiones anuales MP2.5

# Conclusions

- This presentation illustrates the potential of local datasets for policy ex-post impact assessment.
- It also reinforced the value of available official raw data, produced with transparent methods and on a regular basis, as well as the production of national inventories.
- Work should be done on the construction of local emission factors, real emissions campaigns of a sample of the fleet could strengthen the results of this analysis.
- These datasets and methodology contribute to produce projections and scenarios for future policy making.