(v) The volume of 500 ppm LM shipped via pipeline under paragraph (h)(3)(iv) of this section may swell by no more than 2% upon delivery to the next party. Such a volume increase may only be due to volume swell due to temperature differences when the volume was measured or due to normal pipeline interface cutting practices notwithstanding the requirement under paragraph (h)(3)(iv) of this section.

(vi) Entities that handle 500 ppm LM must calculate the balance of 500 ppm LM received versus the volume delivered and used on an annual basis.

(vii) The records required in this section must be maintained for five years, by each entity that handles 500 ppm LM and be made available to EPA upon request.

(4) All parties that take custody of 500 ppm LM must segregate the product from other fuels and observe the other requirements in the compliance plan approved by EPA pursuant to paragraph (h)(3) of this section.


§§ 80.514–80.519 [Reserved]

Motor Vehicle Diesel Fuel Standards and Requirements

§ 80.520 What are the standards and dye requirements for motor vehicle diesel fuel?

(a) Standards. All motor vehicle diesel fuel is subject to the following per-gallon standards:

(1) Sulfur content. 15 parts per million (ppm) maximum, except as provided in paragraph (c) of this section;

(2) Cetane index and aromatic content.
   (i) A minimum cetane index of 40; or
   (ii) A maximum aromatic content of 35 volume percent.

(b) Dye requirements. (1) All motor vehicle diesel fuel shall be free of visible evidence of dye solvent red 164 (which has a characteristic red color in diesel fuel), except for motor vehicle diesel fuel that is used in a manner that is tax exempt under section 4082 of the Internal Revenue Code. All motor vehicle diesel fuel shall be free of yellow solvent 124.

(2) Until June 1, 2010, any #1D or #2D distillate, or NF diesel fuel that does not show visible evidence of dye solvent red 164 shall be considered to be motor vehicle diesel fuel and subject to all the requirements of this subpart for motor vehicle diesel fuel, except for distillate fuel designated or classified as any of the following:
   (i) For use only in the State of Alaska, as provided under 40 CFR 69.51.
   (ii) For use under a national security exemption under §80.606 or for use only in a research and development testing program exempted under §80.607.
   (iii) For use in the U.S. Territories as provided under §80.606.
   (iv) Jet fuel meeting the definition under §80.2.
   (v) Kerosene meeting the definition under §80.2.
   (vi) Diesel fuel that is produced beginning June 1, 2006, with a sulfur level less than or equal to 500 ppm, and designated as NRLM or LM that has not yet been distributed from a truck loading terminal or bulk terminal to a retail outlet, wholesale purchaser-consumer or ultimate consumer.

(c) Pursuant and subject to the provisions of §§80.530–80.532, 80.552(a), 80.560–80.561, and 80.620, only motor vehicle diesel fuel produced or imported in full compliance with the requirements of those provisions is subject to the following per-gallon standard for sulfur content: 500 ppm maximum.


§ 80.521 What are the standards and identification requirements for diesel fuel additives?

(a) Except as provided in paragraph (b) of this section, any diesel fuel additive that is added to, intended for adding to, used in, or offered for use in any MVNRLM diesel fuel subject to the 15 ppm sulfur content standards of §80.510(b), §80.510(c), or §80.520(a) at any downstream location must—
   (1) Have a sulfur content less than or equal to 15 ppm.
   (2) Be accompanied by a product transfer document pursuant to §80.591 indicating that the additive compiles...