A breath of fresh air for construction
Leading the world in emission control technologies
Why diesel emissions control?

Diesel engines are a valuable power source but their emissions are known to contribute to air pollution and can cause respiratory health problems.

For machines already in use these emissions are best dealt with through the use of a retrofit exhaust aftertreatment system.

It is a legal requirement in many countries and regions for non-road machines to be fitted with this technology for occupational health reasons and to improve air quality.

Such diesel emission control devices can reduce the mass of harmful particulates emitted by Diesel engines into the air by more than 90%, and the particulate number by over 99%.

How are diesel emissions controlled?

The answer to the problem of diesel pollution is to trap particulates from the exhaust using a diesel particulate filter (DPF).

Particulate matter (PM) inside the DPF must be removed periodically to prevent the filter from blocking. This filter regeneration is essential for an effective emissions control system.

Johnson Matthey has developed a range of approaches to filter regeneration to control the full range of regulated emissions from non-road vehicles.

Johnson Matthey has many years of experience specifying emission control systems for non-road applications, and is able to advise on which system is most suited to individual applications.

Johnson Matthey’s regeneration techniques

The following range of Johnson Matthey DPF systems is available for most makes and models of non-road mobile machinery already in use.

These continuously regenerating systems use a diesel oxidation (DOC) catalyst in front of the filter, which removes carbon monoxide (CO) and hydrocarbons (HC) and oxidises some of the nitric oxide (NO) in the exhaust to nitrogen dioxide (NO₂). This NO₂ then reacts with the trapped PM, producing NO and carbon dioxide (CO₂) and cleaning the filter.

An electrical heater is used to raise the temperature inside the filter to burn away the PM. Air from a small pump is heated to more than 600°C and blown through the filter to remove the carbon. These systems use mains electrical power to regenerate the filter at the end of a shift.

DPF-CRT® & CCRT® Systems

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This system uses air to burn the carbon in the filter. An additive in the fuel acts as a catalyst, oxidising the PM trapped in the filter. This additive reduces the temperature at which the carbon will react with the air.

A fuel burner is used to raise the temperature inside the filter to remove the PM. These systems use diesel fuel from the tank and on-board voltage. The regeneration units are mounted on the machine.

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This experience enables us to advise which system is most suitable for your specific application.

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Systems to control emissions of NOx and/or NO₂ from the engine are also available.

Our filter systems fit Diesel engines from 10kW to more than 1,000kW and are suitable for engines with low duty cycles.

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Johnson Matthey is a UK company with more than 20 years’ experience of engineering retrofit diesel particulate filter systems for many makes of existing construction machinery already in service, including:

- ABG
- Atlas
- Bauer
- Bergmann
- Bobcat
- BOMAG
- CASE
- Caterpillar
- DIECI
- Doosan
- Hitachi
- JCB
- Kobelco
- Komatsu
- Kubota
- Liebherr
- Manitou
- New Holland
- Putzmeister
- SDMO
- Sennebogen
- Stauss
- Sumitomo
- Takeuchi
- Terex
- Wirtgen
- Volvo

Please contact us for further details. Johnson Matthey is a UK global speciality chemicals company and world leader in sustainable technologies. We have over 40 years’ experience of supplying catalytic systems to on-road and non-road vehicles and have supplied one in three of all catalysts fitted to cars.

The European Non-Road Mobile Machinery Group has over 20 years’ experience of engineering retrofit DPF systems for many types of non-road mobile machines.

Further details on our products and services can be found on our website www.jmdpf.com.