

Geotab Calgary review

uSTART GEOTAB DATA









Highlights

- ~85% Faster engine start with uSTART on the 9L Front Load GNG even with much colder engine temps & fewer starts vs the control truck without uSTART
- uSTART improved cranking voltage to >12V up to 50% of time, even with much colder engine temps & fewer starts vs the control truck without uSTART
- ~75% (combined) of all starts @ 1 second or less with uSTART
- Median starting time cut by >50%





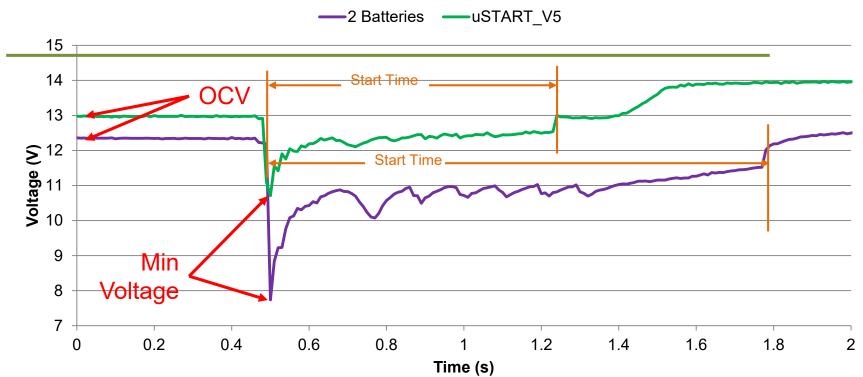
Observations

- Trucks with uSTARTS were started much less often than the control trucks without uSTARTS – This means that the uSTART data is more concentrated in more difficult starts (cold) or after longer off times (LOWER SOC).
- Trucks with uSTART experiencing much colder engine temps vs the control trucks without uSTARTs – We theorize that the block heaters on the uSTART trucks are consistently not working as well Or Drivers are not plugging in
- uSTART Still Starting reliably and showing strong improvements in V and start times even given tougher environment.



Analysis Method





Note: this data is only an example set, not specific to these trucks or applications



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9L Front Loads CNG





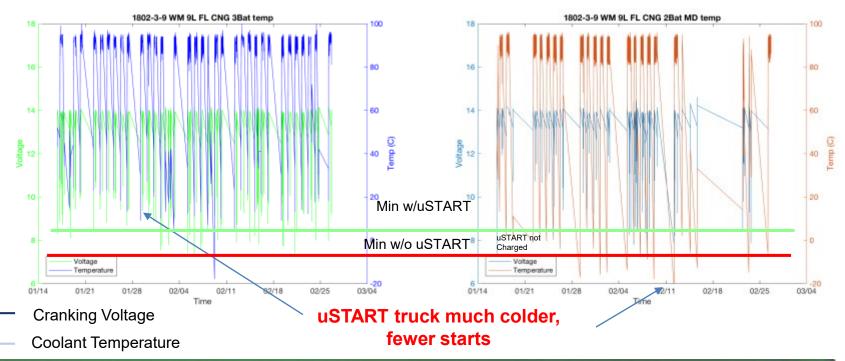
9L Front Loads CNG - 1 Shift Jan-Feb 2018

uSTART truck had significantly colder temps vs non uSTART truck



W/O uSTART

W/ uSTART

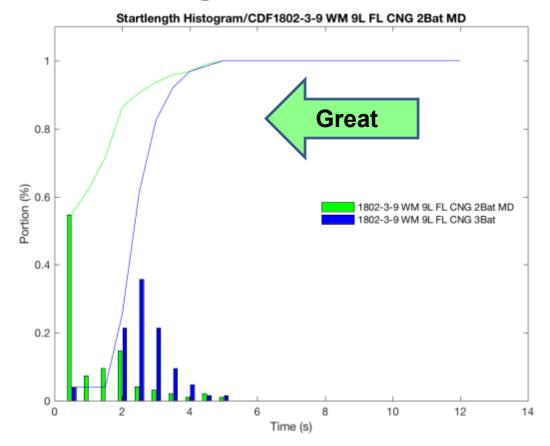




9L Front Loads CNG - Start Time Length



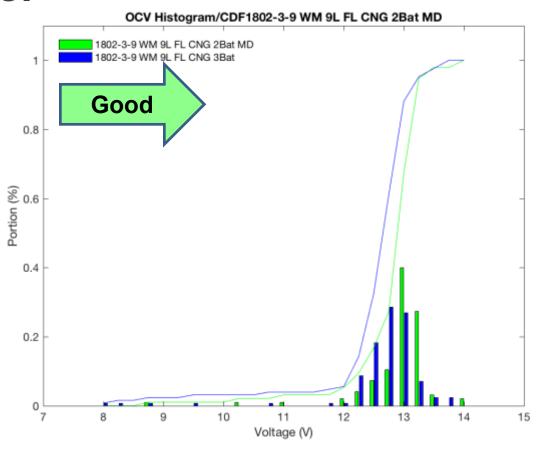
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- Even with colder engine temps and fewer starts...
 Impressive





9L Front Loads CNG - OCV

- Colder uSTART truck (relative) temp skews data
- Would expect these to be similar (and they are)





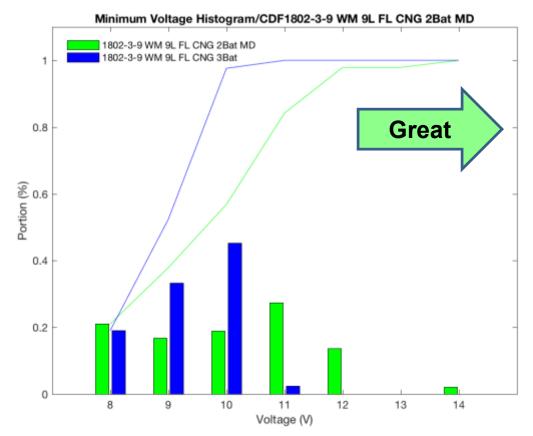
9L Front Loads CNG - Minimum Voltage



Histogram/CDF

 Relative colder temps skews data, but still looks great

 uSTART Truck still has better improved minimum voltage

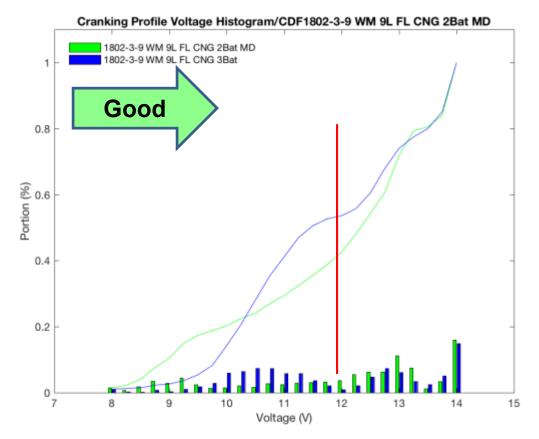




9L Front Loads Cranking Voltage



- 60% of all cranking voltage
 >12V w/uSTART
- 55% of all Cranking voltage below 12V without uSTART
- Note colder temps









12.8L MBE DT Roll off CNG





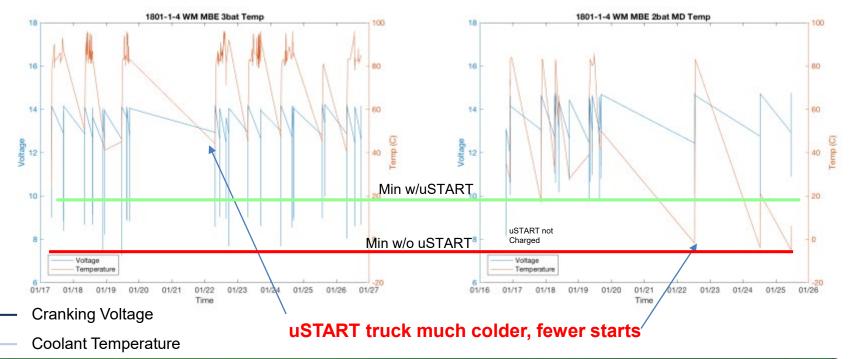
(12.8L MBE4000 Roll Off 1 Shift) Jan 2018



Significantly fewer starts, significantly colder temps

W/O uSTART

W/ uSTART

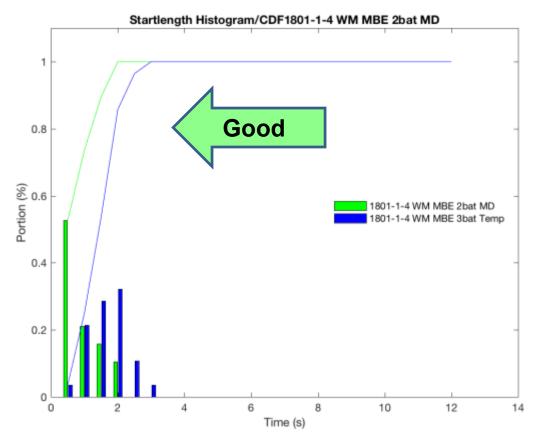




MBE 4000 Start Length



- ~50% Faster engine start
- Even with colder engine temps and fewer starts...
 Impressive



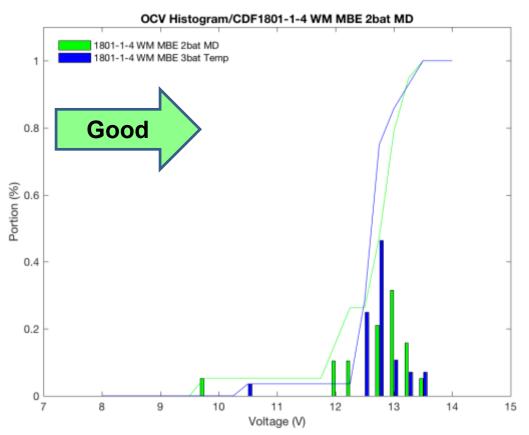


MBE 4000 OCV



Histogram/CDF

- Significantly fewer starts and colder temp skews data a bit
- Would expect these to be similar (and they are)



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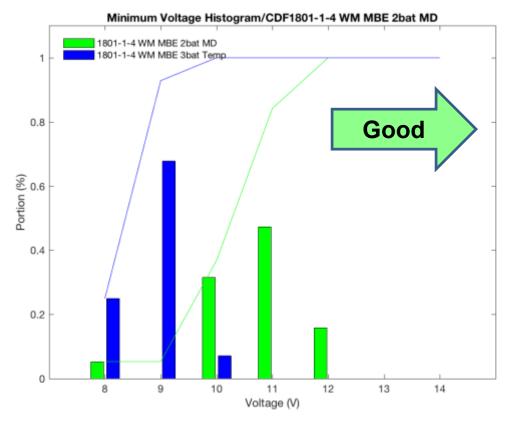




MBE 4000 Minimum Voltage



- Dramatically improved minimum voltage -v90% Minimum Voltage during cranking is higher with uSTART
- Note, fewer starts and much colder engine temps

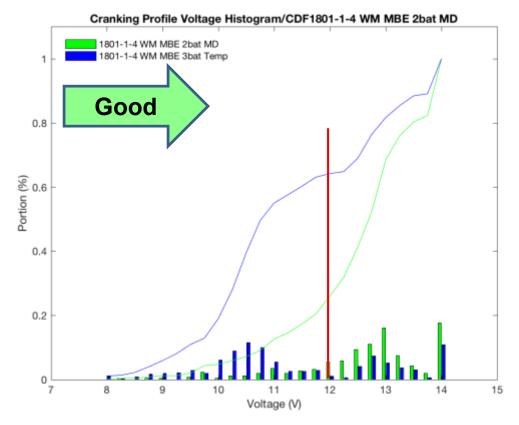




MBE 4000 Cranking Voltage



- 75% of all cranking voltage
 >12V w/uSTART
- 65% of all Cranking voltage below 12V without uSTART









12L Roll Off CNG





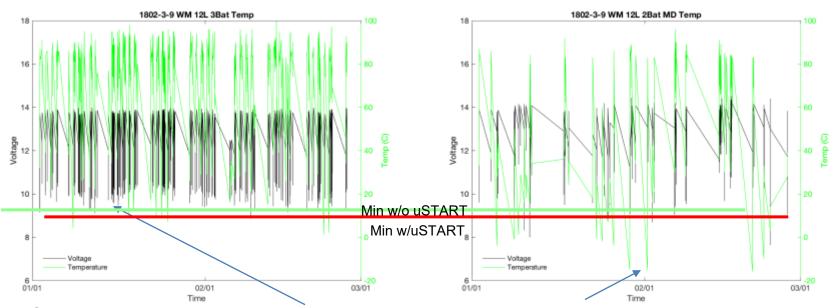
12L Roll Off 1 Shift Jan-Feb 2018



Significantly fewer starts, significantly colder temps

W/O uSTART

W/ uSTART



Cranking Voltage

uSTART truck much colder, fewer starts

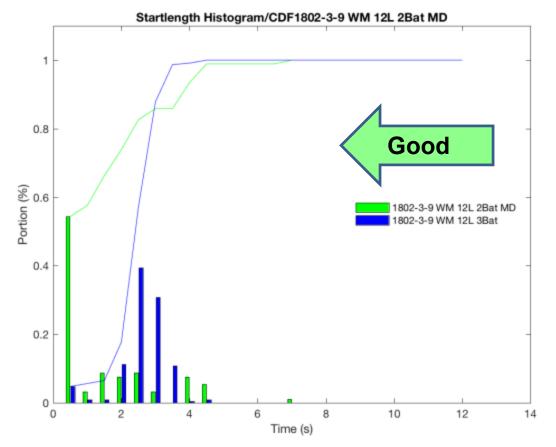
Coolant Temperature



12L Roll Off Start Length

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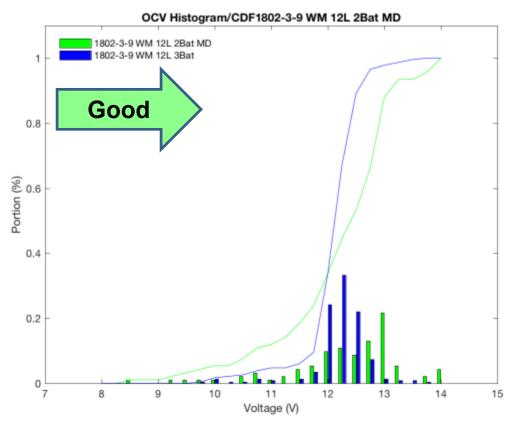


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12L Roll Off Loads OCV



- Colder starts and fewer of them (relative) skews data a bit
- Would expect these to be similar (and they are)

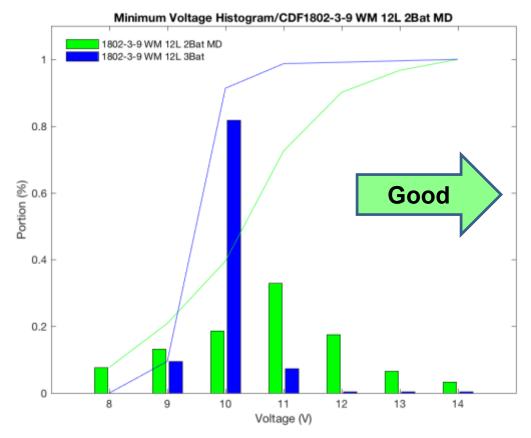




12L Roll Off Minimum Voltage



- Relative colder temps skews data
- uSTART Truck still has generally improved minimum voltage
- >50% ≥ 11V w/uSTART
- 95%≦11V without





12L Roll Off Cranking Voltage



- 50% of all cranking voltage
 >12V w/uSTART
- 40% of all Cranking voltage below 12V without uSTART
- Note colder temps and fewer starts skew data

