

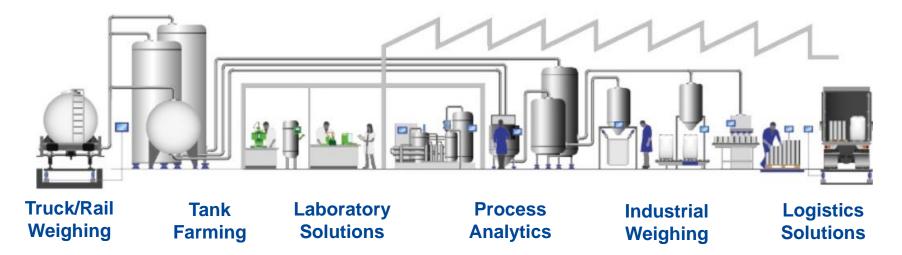
METTLER TOLEDO Vehicle Weighing

# Safety, Accuracy, and Security With METTLER TOLEDO Vehicle Scale Solutions



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# Weighing Solutions for the Chemical Industry



#### **METTLER TOLEDO provides measurement solutions across the entire production chain:**

- Increase productivity by continuously improving your operational procedures
- Protect your product quality and business profits by providing accurate Ex-approved solutions
- Reduce maintenance activities with rugged equipment that consistently performs at a high level



# **Common Truck Scale Challenges**

### Scales play a critical role in day-to-day activities for the Chemical industry

Whether you are using a truck scale to manage your daily transactions or simply to track different materials coming in and out of your facility it is critical to ensure that the solution you choose is built with the following business needs in mind:

#### Industrial Gases



- Equipment uptime
- Safety
- Intrinsically safe
- Simplified cleaning
- Scale accuracy
- OTR Compliance



**Refinery Operations** 

- Visibility into material tracking and inventory control
- Equipment uptime
- Vehicle throughput
- Minimized maintenance costs

**Fertilizers** 

- Equipment uptime
- Minimized maintenance costs
- Compliance information
- Security / Fraud prevention features

### **Bulk Chemicals**



- Traffic management
- Compliance Information
- Scale accuracy
- Security / Fraud prevention features
- Equipment uptime

# **VEH Scales Built For The Chemical Industry**

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METTLER TOLEDO offers products in intrinsically safe designs so that you don't have to sacrifice scale performance to comply with hazardous-area ratings Comply with Hazardous Area Ratings



Real-life service data shows that POWERCELL® sensors are up to 3x more accurate than traditional analog load cells

Increase Scale Accuracy



Professional vehicle scale management software protects your daily profits by reducing the risk of overfilling, under filling, or manual data entry

Manage the Filling Process



Advanced data analytics and reporting capabilities allow back office operations to easily spot process trends

Secure Data Integration

# More Than Just A Scale Supplier

### Solutions that help you maximize the yield of your operation

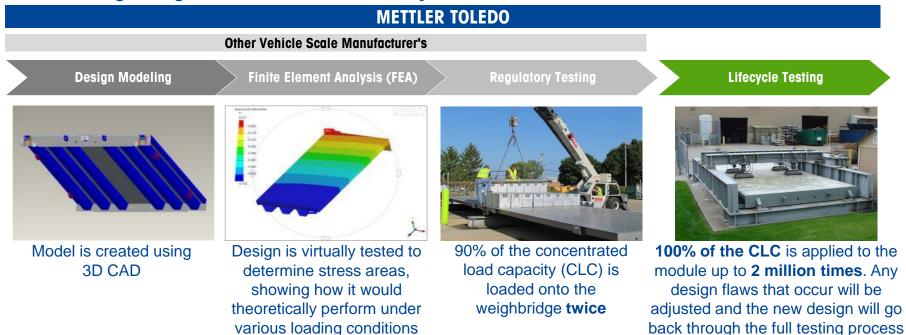
- METTLER TOLEDO has been operating in the industrial sector since 1901 and for the past 50 years has been the #1 global supplier of vehicle scales.
- METTLER TOLEDO's vehicle scale equipment portfolio includes truck scales, rail scales, VEH transaction management software, terminals (both unattended and attended), load cell upgrade kits, hazardous weighing solutions, and service.
- Within the chemical segment we have a lot of experience collaborating with engineering, procurement, and construction firms (EPC) to design truck and rail scale projects for a variety of applications all around the world such as:



# **Equipment Uptime**

### Reliable equipment that can operate in less than reliable conditions

- Common causes of truck scale failure in the Chemical industry:
  - Environmental Factors (Water/flooding, lightning, ice, temperature)
  - Over loading and material spill
- METTLER TOLEDO Solutions:
  - POWERCELL® Load Cells: On average, owners of analog truck scales **replace 5X's** more load cells over the life of the scale than owners of POWERCELL PDX truck scales.
  - MT Weighbridges are built to last for **20 years or more** with minimal downtime.



# Improved Truck Tracking and Product Traceability METTLER TOLEDO | 8

### The 3 main benefits of using DataBridge<sup>™</sup> VEH scale management software

#### Improved yield and reduced giveaway

- Protects your profits by eliminating 100% of the data errors caused by manual data entry
- Reduces the amount of OTR fines that are received for exceeding axle weight limits
- Anti-cheating features in the software protect you against theft at the scale

#### Enhanced traffic management

- An unattended terminal solution allows you to complete weighments up to 30% faster
- DataBridge<sup>™</sup> keeps traffic safely moving over your VEH scales by allowing the drivers to complete their weight transaction without ever having to leave their trucks

#### Seamless data integration and monitoring

- Comprehensive reporting allows for accurate weighing and data reliability
- Auditing features provide full transparency into transactions for inventory management and regulatory purposes





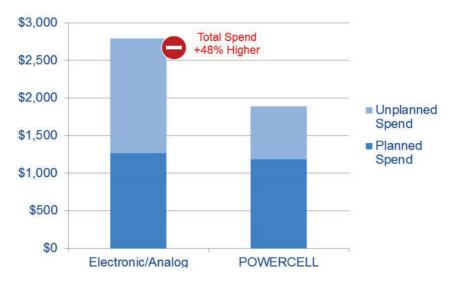


### What will your truck scale really cost you?

- Overtime service costs on less expensive scales can grow quickly and in some cases even surpass the original cost of the scale.
- Initial project cost shouldn't be the only focus.
- It is critical to consider the following points to understand how the ongoing costs of a scale can quickly turn into a money pit:
  - Load cell systems have the greatest impact on ongoing total expenditure
  - Inexpensive scales are accompanied by weak warranty's and high repair fees.
- METTLER TOLEDO protects your profits:
  - In the Chemical industry, our service data shows that customers with analog truck scales spend +48% more annually on repairs than owners of scales with POWERCELL
  - POWERCELL PDX systems come with an all-inclusive 10 year warranty

Truck Scale Spend Analysis								
System Component	Initial Cost	Ongoing cost						
Weighbridge	35%	5%						
Load Cell System	20%	65%						
Foundation	20%	0%						
Terminal/Software	10%	10%						
Planned Services	15%	20%						





## The Business Impact of Inaccuracy

### Are you forfeiting profits on every truckload?

- Annual Weights & Measures certification of a scale does not ensure long-term accuracy.
- Choosing the right load cell technology can limit your exposure to product giveaway and/or poor material tracking.
- The below accuracy table is based on 4,837 service records from the Chemical Industry.
  - Monthly calculations based on 100 trucks per day, 6 days a week, 4 weeks of operation.

Scale Technology	% Found outside legal tolerance	Accuracy Range (95%)	Shrink Per Day	Lost Profit Per Day	Lost Profit Per Month	Lost Profit Per Day	Lost Profit Per Month
		12t test load	40t GVW	Bulk Sulfuric Acid (\$120/ton)		Anhydrous Ammonia (\$200/ton)	
POWERCELL Load Cells	9%	+/- 42 kg	+/- 15 tons	+/- \$1,800	+/- \$39,000	+/- \$3,000	+/- \$66,000
Analog Load Cells	26%	+/- 132 kg	+/- 47 tons	+/- \$5,600	+/- \$123,000	+/- \$9,400	+/- \$207,000
Mechanical Conversions	22%	+/- 70 kg	+/- 26 tons	+/- \$3,120	+/- \$74,880	+/- \$5,200	+/- \$124,800

POWERCELL PDX load cells are **up to 2 times more accurate than traditional analog load cell systems**.

# **Project Support Documentation**

### Resources that help you get the most out of your truck scale

#### Truck Scale / Weighbridge Buying Guide

- The Truck Scale Buying Guide is a comprehensive resource that provides you with everything you need to know to successfully specify, order, and install a new truck scale or weighbridge.

#### Vehicle Scale Case Study Collection

 Using real life customer success stories the <u>Vehicle</u> <u>Scale Case Study Collection</u> highlights the positive impact METTLER TOLEDO equipment can have on your operation.

#### Truck Scale Routine Care Poster

 Scale cleanliness is a constant battle in all industrial environments. The Truck Scale Routine Care Poster will help you stay on track with recommended weekly, monthly, and yearly preventative maintenance tips.

#### Technology Comparison Report: Chemical industry

- See how truck scales at Chemical facilities around the world are performing. Does yours stack up?

