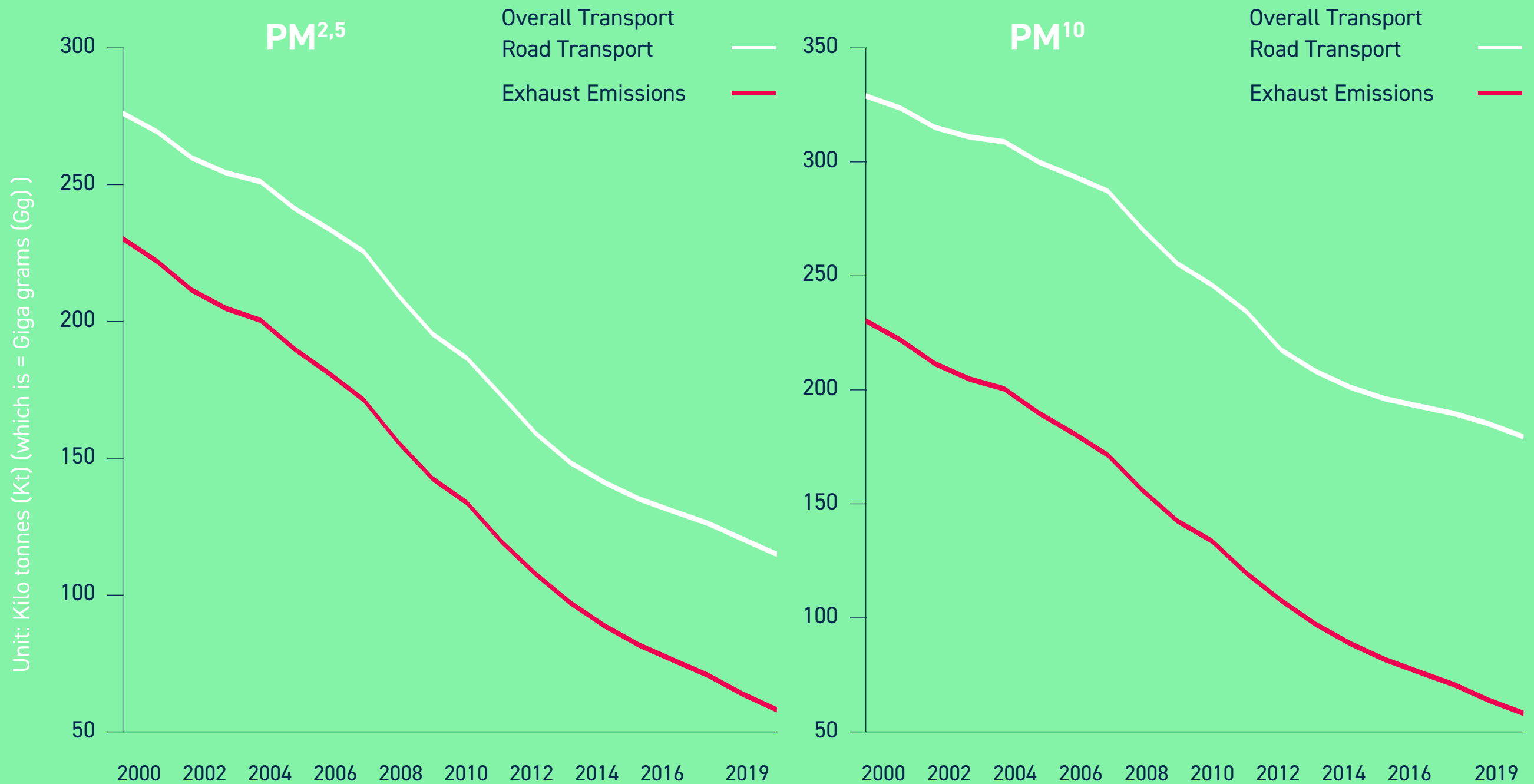


FIG.41a

SINCE 2000, PM EMISSIONS FROM EXHAUST REDUCED BY OVER 35% IN THE EU

Source: European Environmental Agency



Particulate Matter (PM) emissions are continuously decreasing as the result of cleaner diesel fuel, advanced engines and effective emissions control technology. Since the introduction of the Euro 6 standard, modern road vehicles with diesel engines are using highly efficient filters that remove 99.9% of PM.