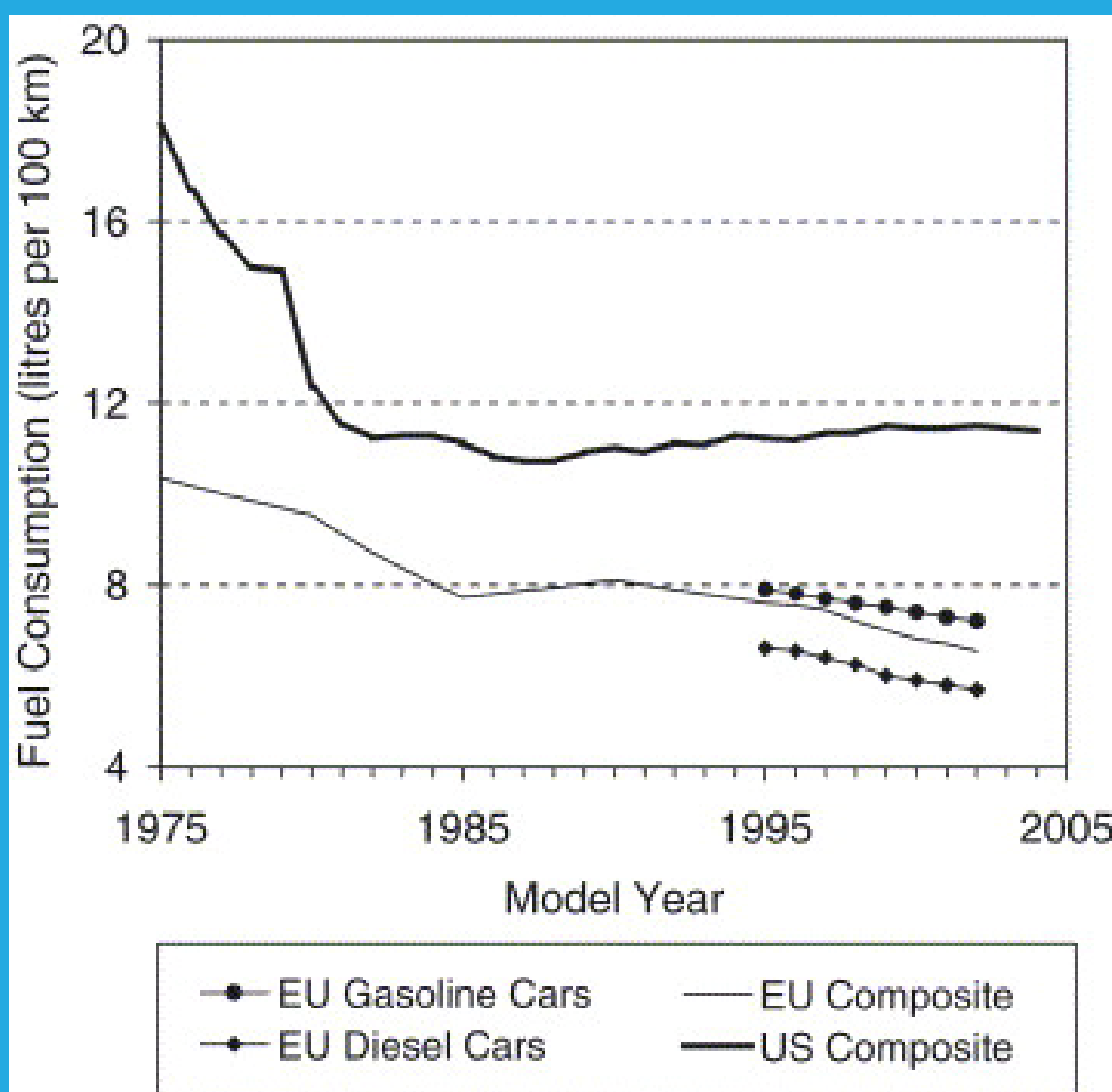


# CAFE STANDARDS VS. A GAS TAX

## — AN ENVIRONMENTAL COMPARISON —

An article published in Forbes this month looks to compare the use of free market taxation to government regulation on promoting fuel efficiency in cars.

The graph below shows the profound difference between fuel the efficiency of vehicles in the EU (based on a gas tax) and in America (based on government regulation).



The results are clear:

An increased gas tax promotes fuel efficiency better than government imposed standards.

\*SOURCE: WORSTALL, TIM. "WHY WE WANT A GASOLINE TAX NOT CAFE STANDARDS." FORBES. FORBES MAGAZINE, 07 AUG. 2013.



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