**Illinois’ Biodiesel Leadership**

- **#1** First in soybean production.
- **#3** Third in biodiesel consumption.
- **#4** Fourth among all states in biodiesel production.

**B10-B19**
Biodiesel blends of 10% receive exemption from Illinois’ 6.25% tax on diesel fuel sales through 2023. The exempt blend level increases for summer months (April-November) to:
- **B13** - 2024
- **B16** - 2025
- **B19** - 2026-2030

**B100**
Loyola University of Chicago sells 100% biodiesel made by students in the Searle Biodiesel Lab. The Loyola Biodiesel Program uses waste cooking oil from campus cafeterias and from Green Grease Environmental.

**Illinois is Home to the B20 Club**

A partnership between the Illinois Soybean Association and the American Lung Association, the B20 Club is a select group of Illinois-based organizations that run fleets on blends of B20+ for more than six months each year.

- **$21.4M** Estimated health care savings since 2015

**Since 2015, Illinois B20 Club Members:**
- operated 3,312 vehicles, pieces of equipment, and marine vessels on B20 and higher blends
- eliminated 50,167 lbs. of particulate emissions
- reduced carbon emissions by 112,552 tons
- provided carbon reductions equal to planting 1,688,000 trees

**About Biodiesel and Renewable Diesel**

- Made from plant-based oils, used cooking oils, and animal fats
- Clean-burning
- Can be used in any diesel engine without modification
- Commercially available nationwide
- Today’s solution for heavy-duty trucking, emergency vehicles, bus fleets, and farm equipment

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