



Scheffe's Plan for EPA's STN

- ◆ Reconcile STN Carbon with IMPROVE by...
 - Switching the sampling and analysis procedures to the IMPROVE protocols
- ◆ Why?
 - Consistency for the data user community
- ◆ How?
 - Transitional period where collocated sampling and analyses done at some number of trends sites for some period of time
 - Ultimate transition of entire Trends network of ~50 sites
 - Many details still to be worked out
- ◆ Next Steps
 - Stakeholder involvement
 - Communication and implementation to start ASAP