

IEA Collaborative Task

HCCI – Fuel

Prof. Bengt Johansson



Agenda

**12h00 Homogeneous Charge
Compression Ignition (HCCI) I**

13h30 Lunch

**15h00 Homogeneous Charge
Compression Ignition (HCCI) II**

17h00 Coffee break



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- 12h00 Homogeneous Charge Compression Ignition (HCCI) I –
*Prof. B. Johansson***
- 12h10 Partially Premixed Combustion, PCCI, with gasoline and/or
ethanol
*Bengt Johansson Lund University, Sweden***
- 12h30 The Effect of Mixture Conditions on HCCI Engine
Combustion Fuelled with Gasoline/LPG/DME
*Choongsik Bae, Department of Mechanical Engineering,
KAIST, Republic of Korea***
- 12h50 Combustion and Emissions of Diesel in a Direct Injection
HCCI Engine
*Hongming Xu, University of Birmingham, UK***
- 13h30 Lunch**



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- 15h00 Development of Gasoline HCCI Using Exhaust Gas Blow Down Boosting**
T. Kuboyama, Y. Moryoshi Chiba University, Japan, K. Hatamura HERO, Japan, T. Yamada, CDAJ, Japan, Y. Urata, J. Takanashi, Honda R&D, Japan
- 15h20 Introducing New Combustion Technologies Research Project for the HCCI Fuels**
Ossi Kaario, University of Helsinki, Finland
- 15h40 Multipoint auto-ignition of end gas region in a natural gas engine without knock**
Eiji Tomita and Nobuyuki Kawahara, Okayama University, Japan
- 16h00 Compression Ratio Reduction effect on LD Diesel Engine running in PCCI Combustion**
Carlo Beatrice, Nicola Del Giacomo, Chiara Guido, Istituto Motori, CNR, Napoli, Italy
- 16h20 Investigation of Controlling PCCI Combustion Process in Consideration of Heterogeneity of Mixture**
H. Gen Fujimoto, Doshisha University, Japan
- 16h40 Effects of Jet-Bowl and Jet-Jet Interactions on Late-Injection Low-Temperature Heavy-Duty Diesel Combustion**
C.L. Genzale, R.D. Reitz, M. Musculus, University of Wisconsin, Engine Research Center, Madison, USA



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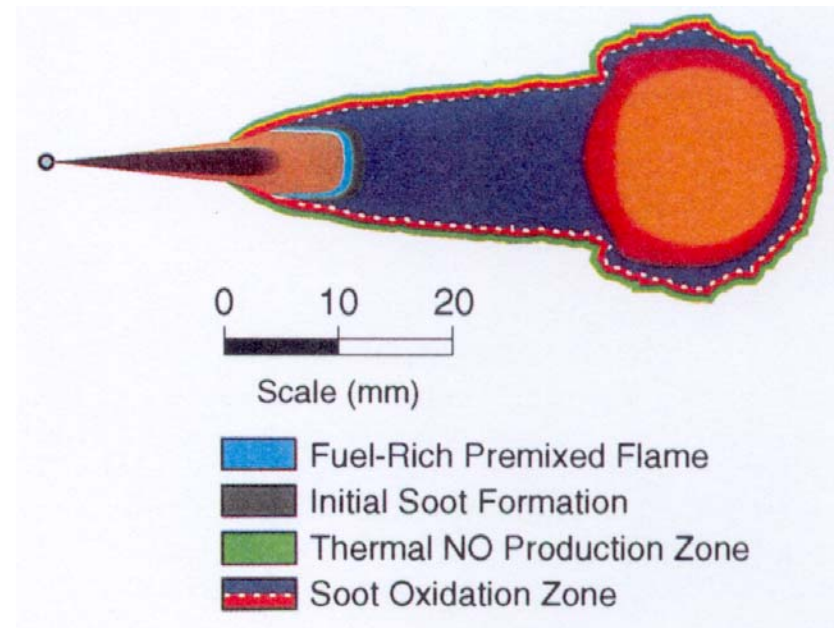
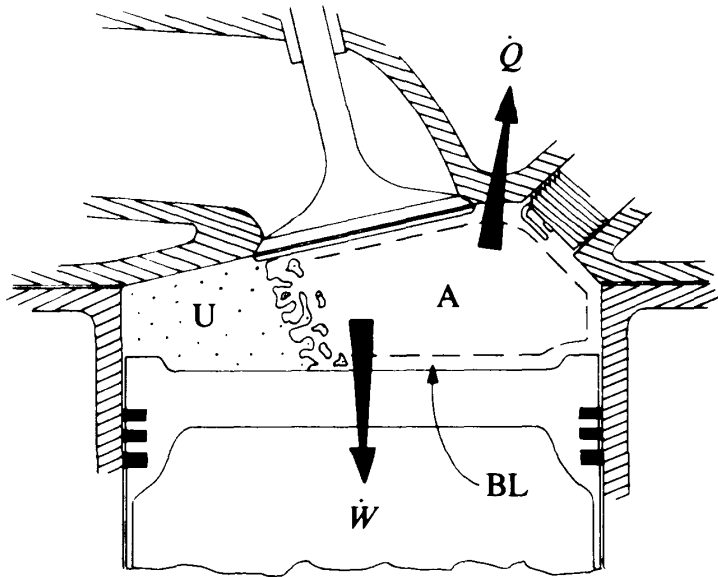
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**Environmentally friendly
≡ no CO₂?**



The CO₂ neutral alternative...

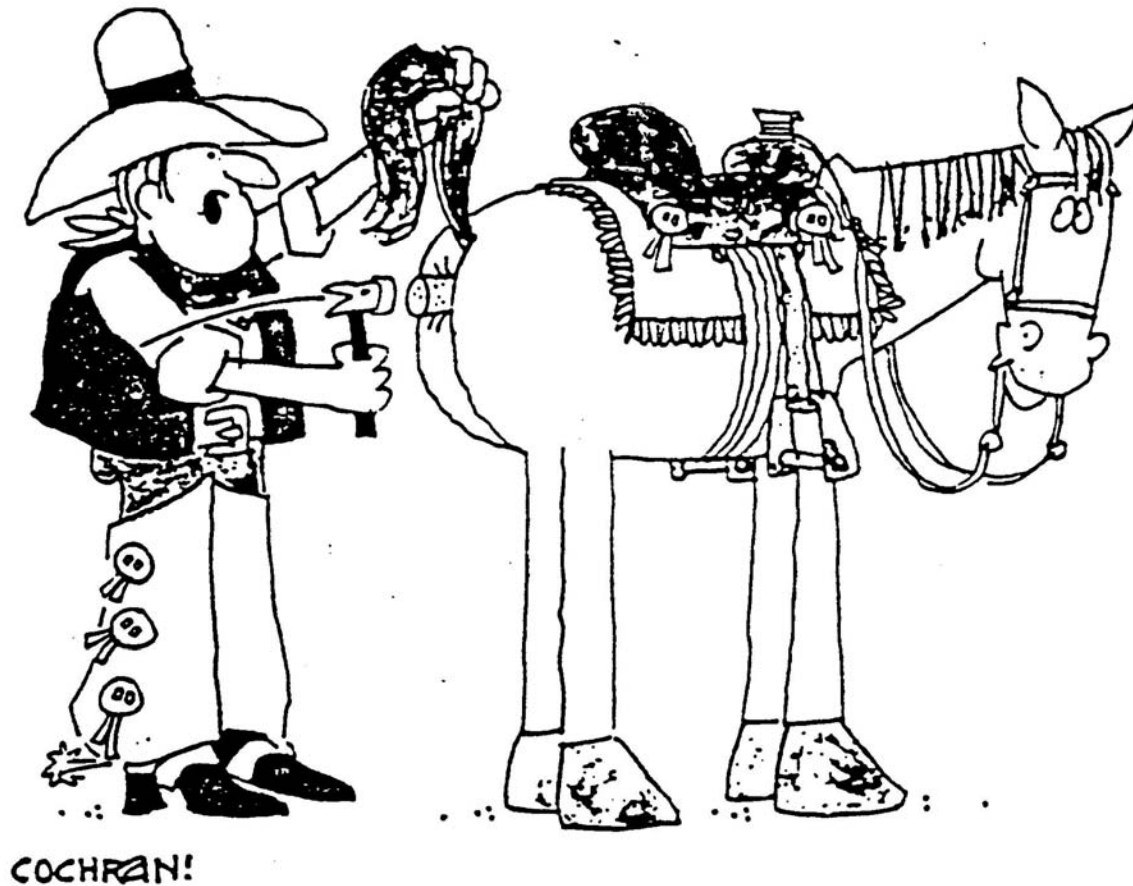


Some emission statistics from New York by the turn of the century...

- **200 m³ liquid emissions per day**
- **1000 ton solid emissions per day**
- **An army of tenths of thousands worked with transporting the emissions out from the city**



The first IC engine driven car was thus welcomed as a significant enviromental improver



“Tut mir leid, alter Junge . . . neue Abgasvorschriften”



100 years later - Smog



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HCCI, CAI, PCCI, pHCCI, PPC, LTC...?

- HCCI is normally a set-up with port fuel injection and high compression ratio.
- CAI is normally a set-up with low compression ratio and high residual gas concentration with negative valve overlap
- PCCI is normally a set-up with early direct injection forming a rather homogeneous charge
- pHCCI=PCCI
- PPC, partially premixed combustion is a bit less homogeneous than PCCI i.e. later injection
- LTC is any combustion process giving low NO_x due to low temperature combustion.



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Partially Premixed Combustion, PPC, with gasoline or ethanol

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Experimental setup

Specifications of single cylinder engine:

Displacement Volume	1951 cm ³
Swirl Ratio (standard)	1.7
Swirl Ratio (if modified)	2.9
Number of injector holes	8
Injector hole diameter	0.18 mm
Spray umbrella angle	120°
Compression ratio	17.1:1



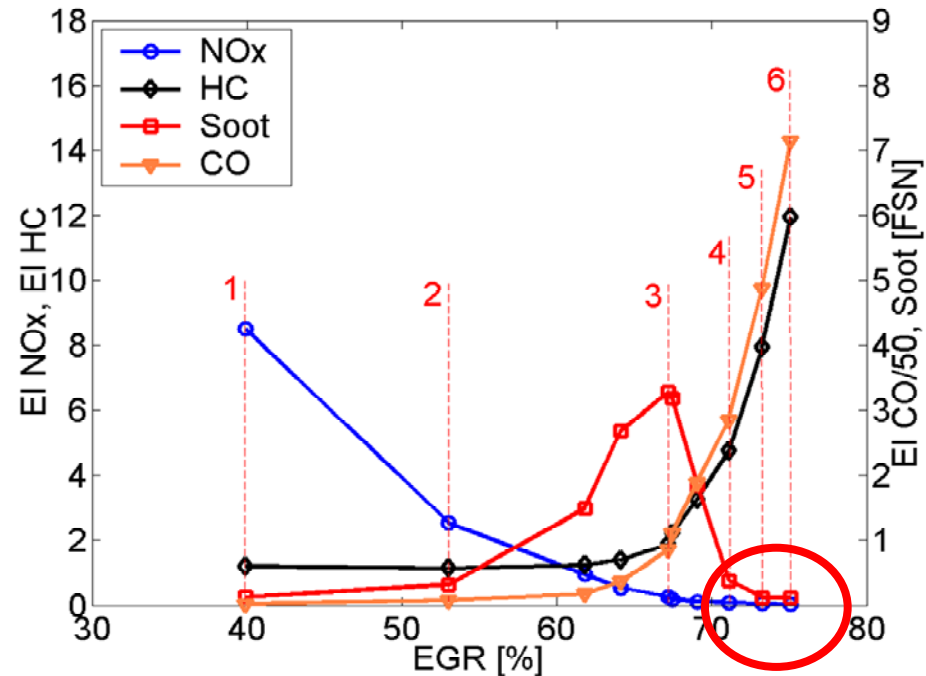
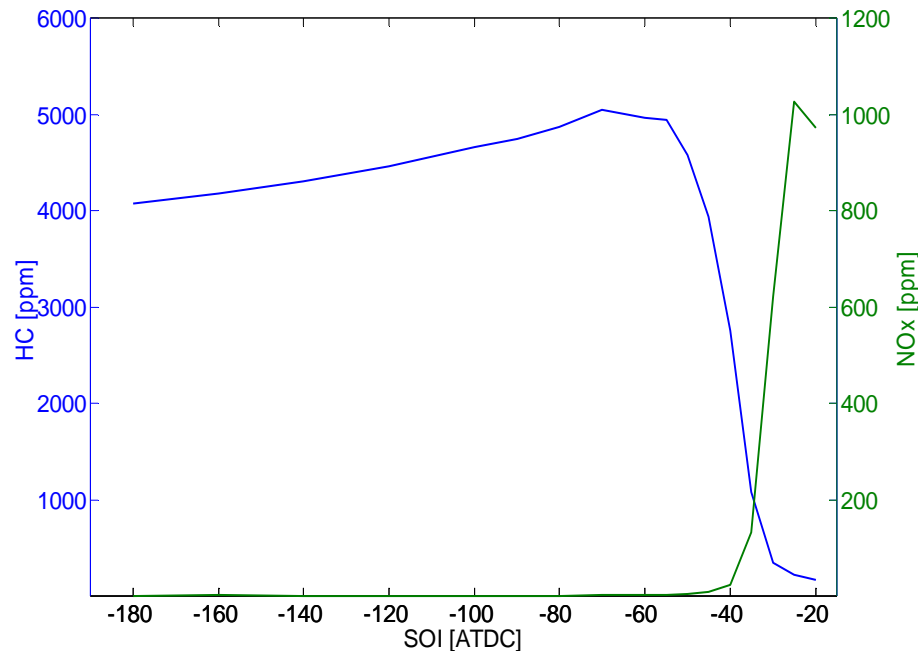
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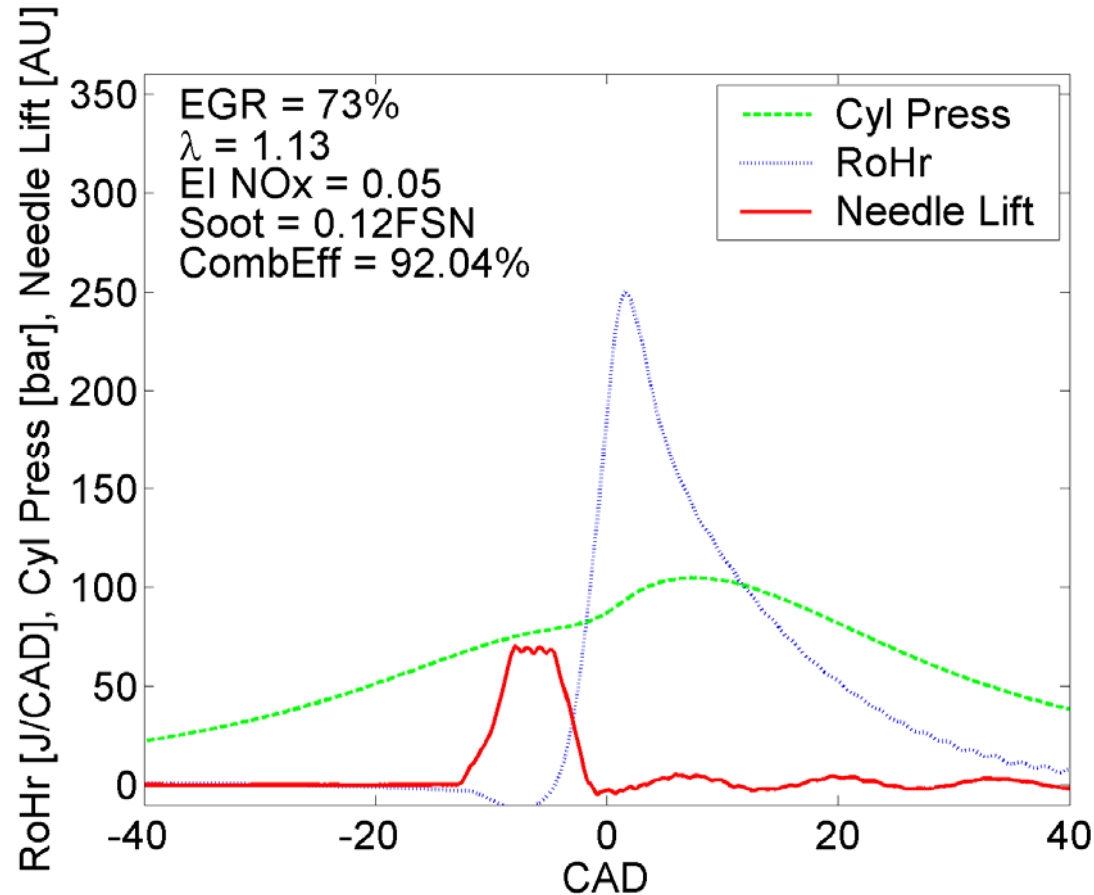
Partially Premixed Combustion, PPC

Reduction of NOx and Soot at same time!



PPC @ IMEP 8 [bar]

Swedish MK 1: 54 CN

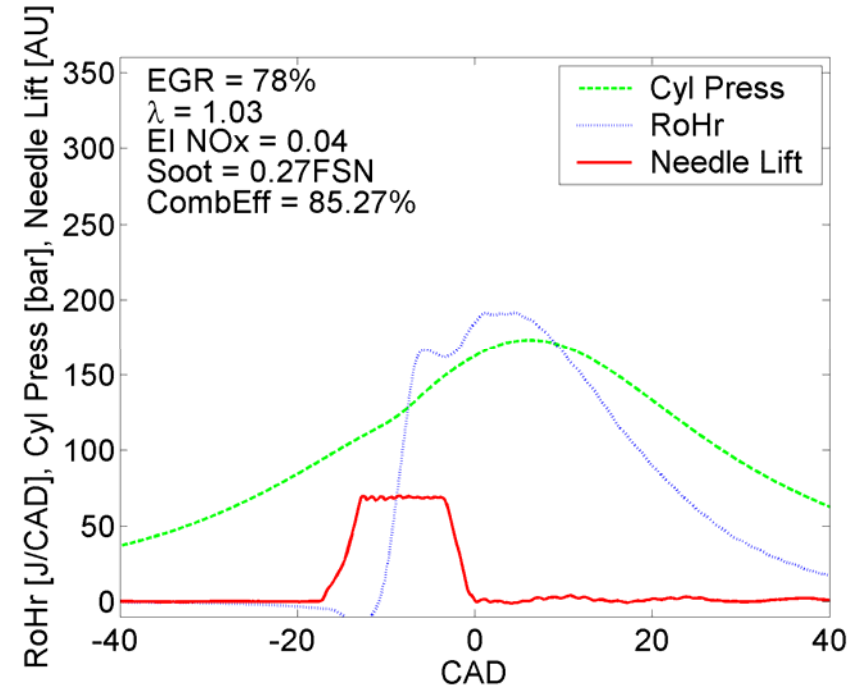
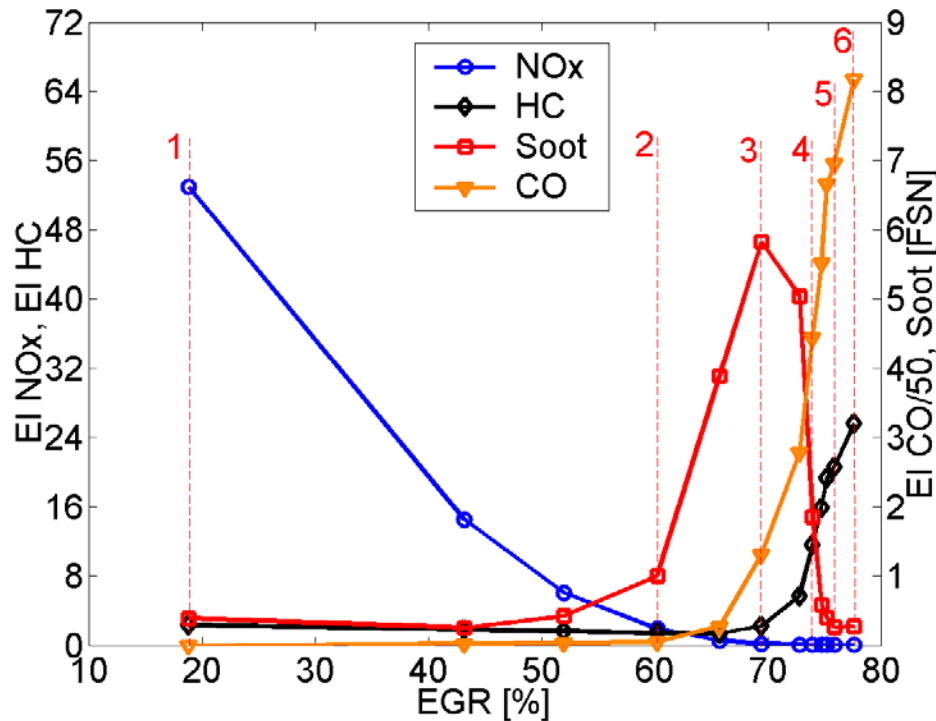


Load	8 bar IMEP
Abs. Inlet Pressure	2.5 bar
Engine Speed	1090 rpm



PPC @ IMEP 15 [bar]

Swedish MK 1: 54 CN



Load	15 bar IMEP
Abs. Inlet Pressure	2.5 bar
Engine Speed	1090 rpm



PPC

Advantages:

- Contemporary reduction of soot and NOx
- High efficiency
- Combustion control

Disadvantages:

- CO, HC increases
- Lower power density because of EGR

Need:

- Fuel with higher ignition delay

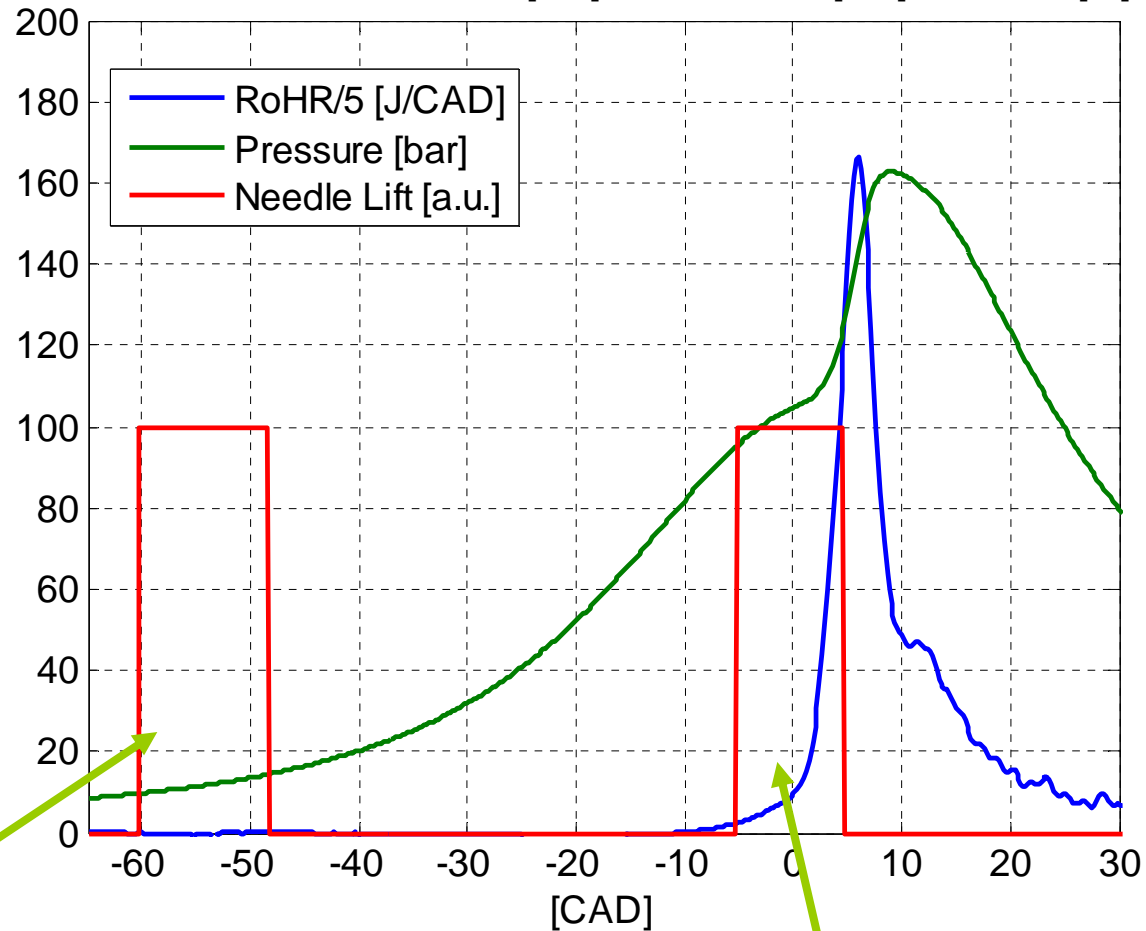
Gasoline



High Load Gasoline

Gasoline: 98 ON

Gasoline, Fuel MEP: 35.22 [bar], IMEP: 16.02 [bar], EGR: 37 [%]



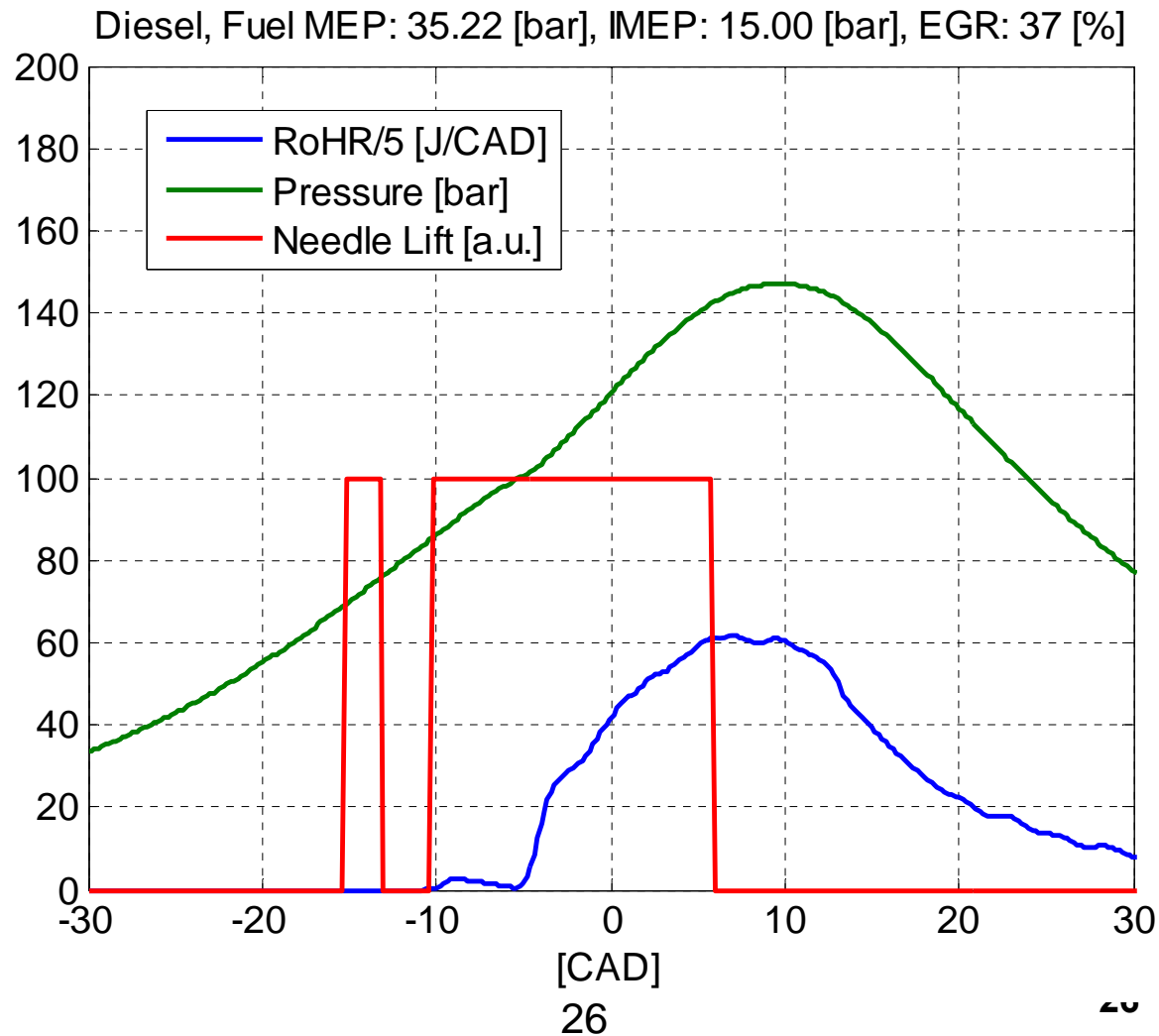
Homogeneous Mixture

Stratification for autoignition

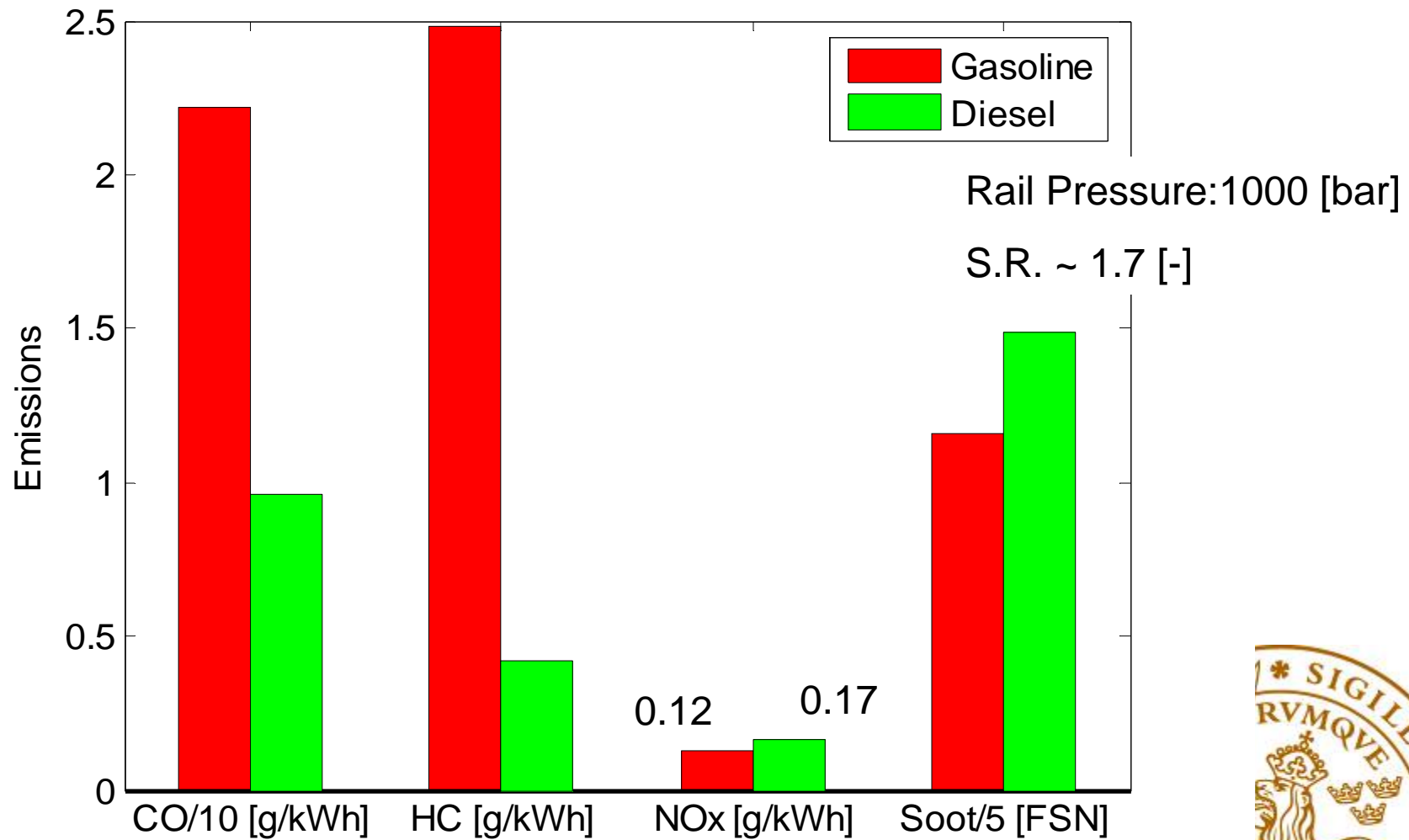


High Load Diesel

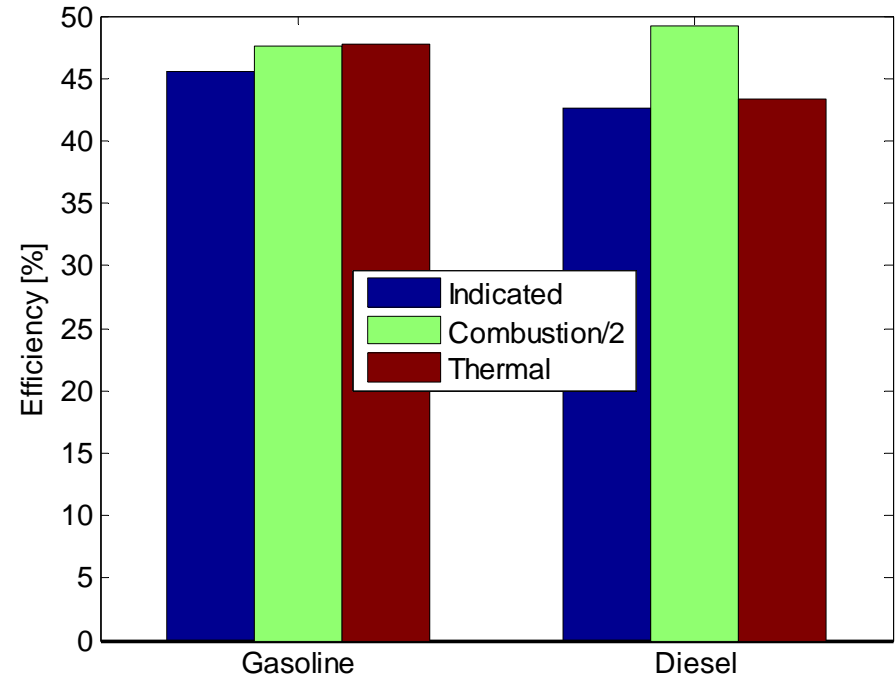
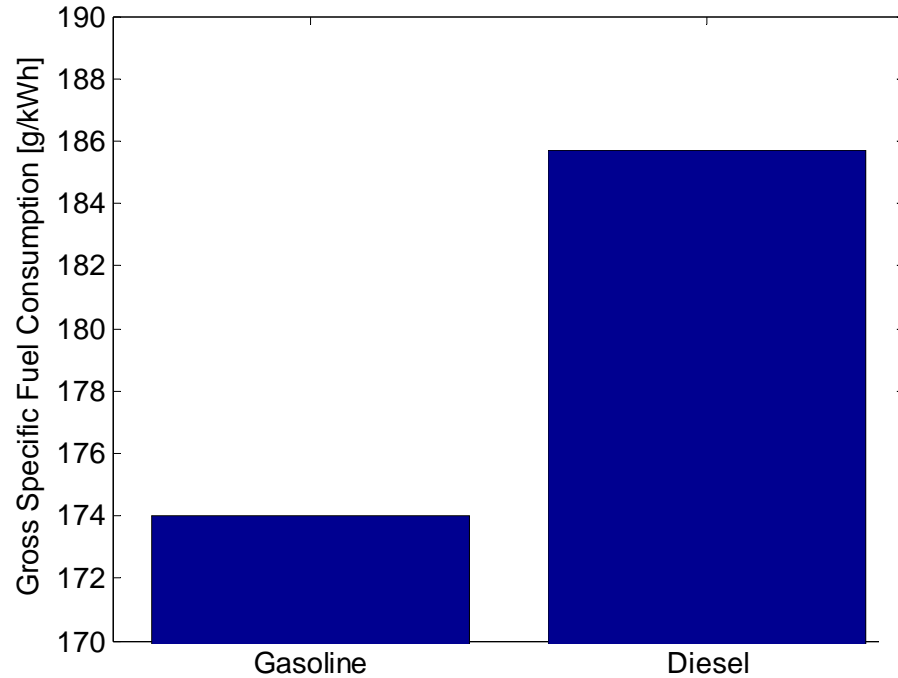
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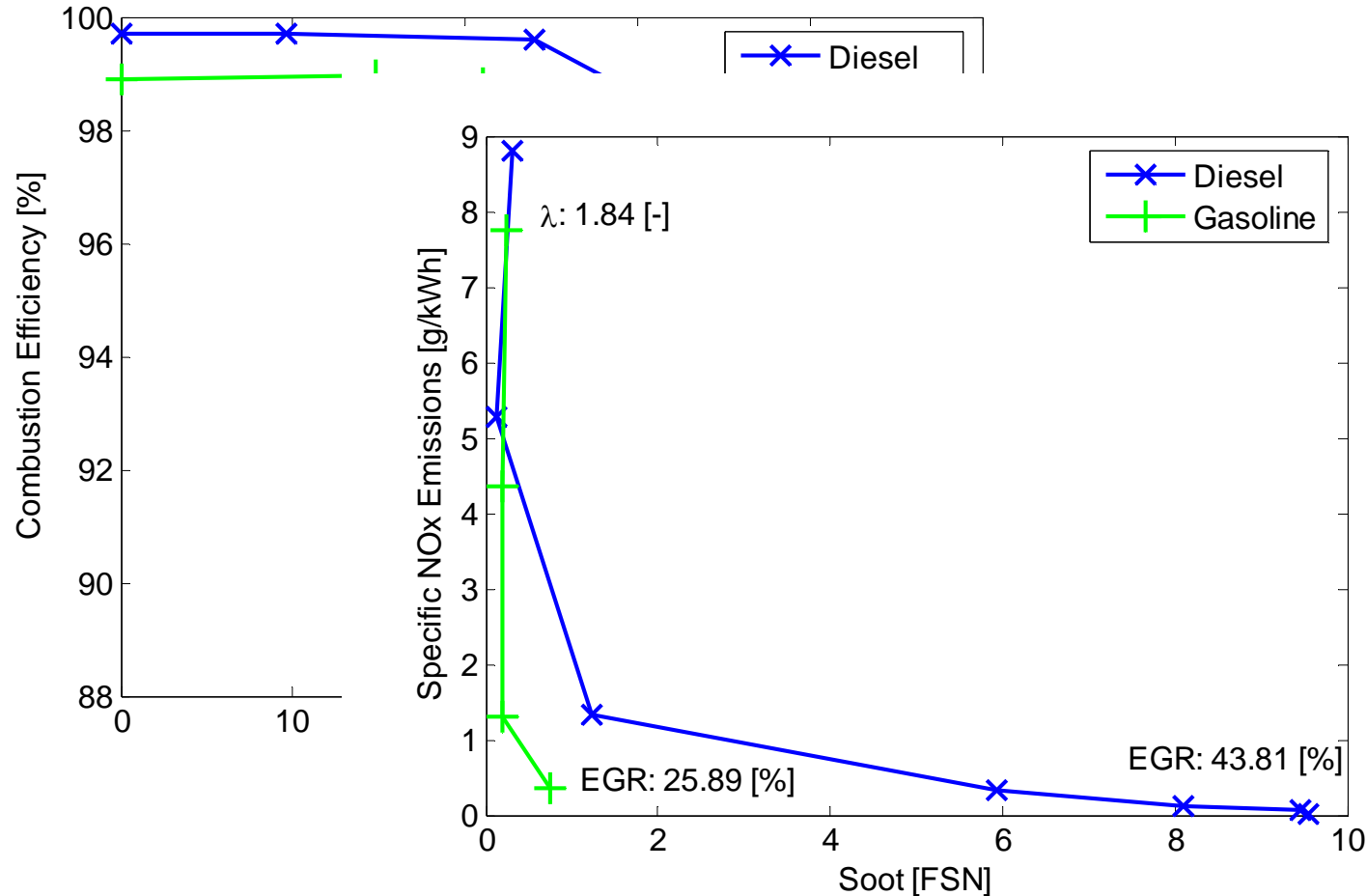
Emissions



Efficiency & Fuel Consumption

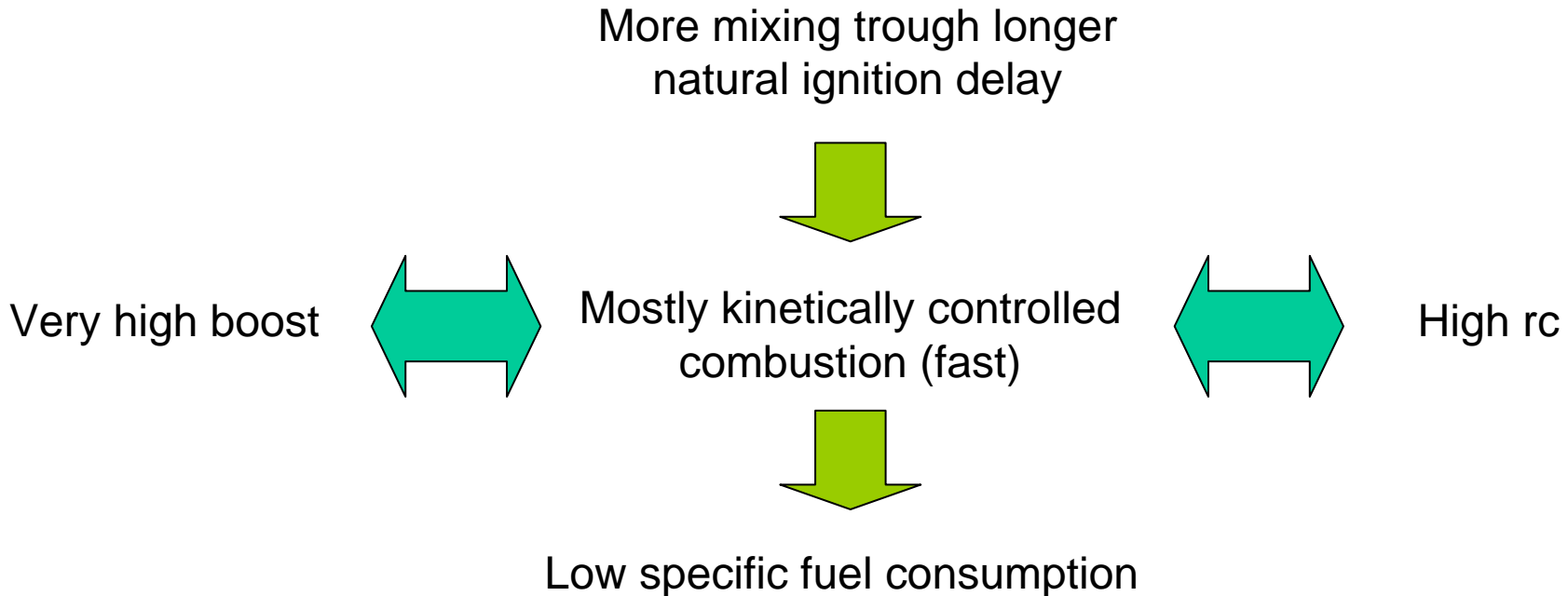


EGR Sweep @ 12 bar IMEP



Advantages of the concept

Gasoline Type of Fuels



NO_x reduction with EGR

Soot reduction with injection pressure + swirl + relative homogeneity of the mixture



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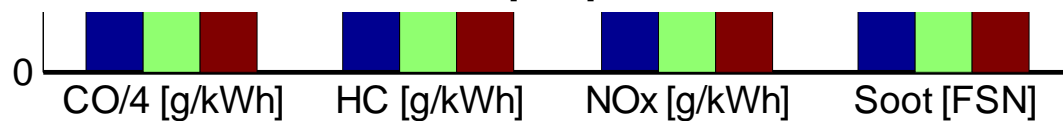
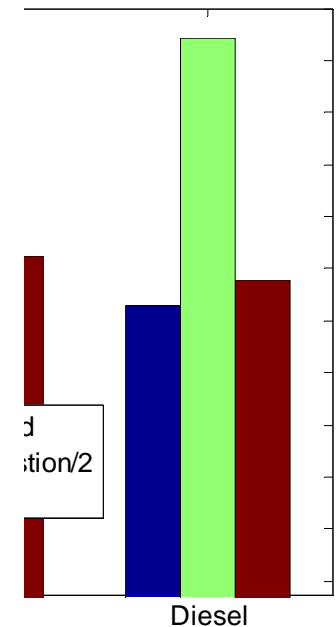
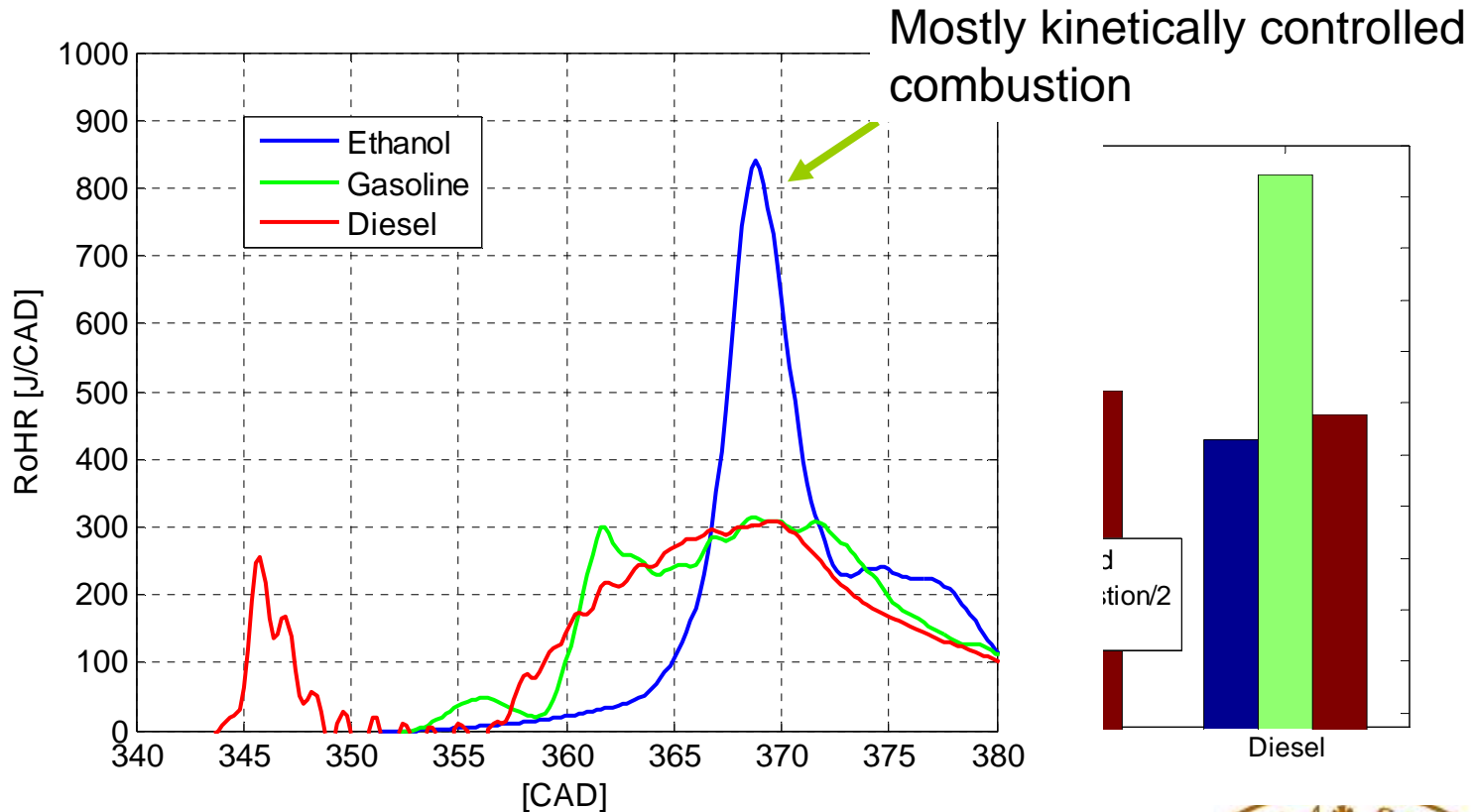
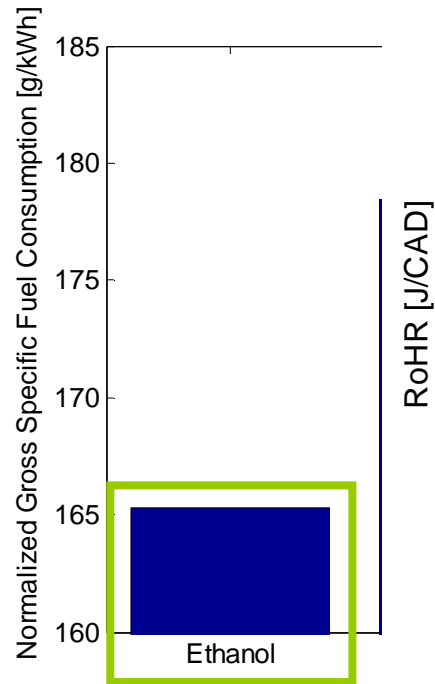
Double Injection @ 14 bar IMEP

- Gasoline & Diesel:
 - Pilot: -20 [TDC], 0.45 [ms]
 - Main: 1.8 [ms]
- Ethanol:
 - Pilot: -20 [TDC], 1 [ms]
 - Main: -1 [TDC], 1.8 [ms]



Emissions & Fuel Consumption

IMEP: 14 bar



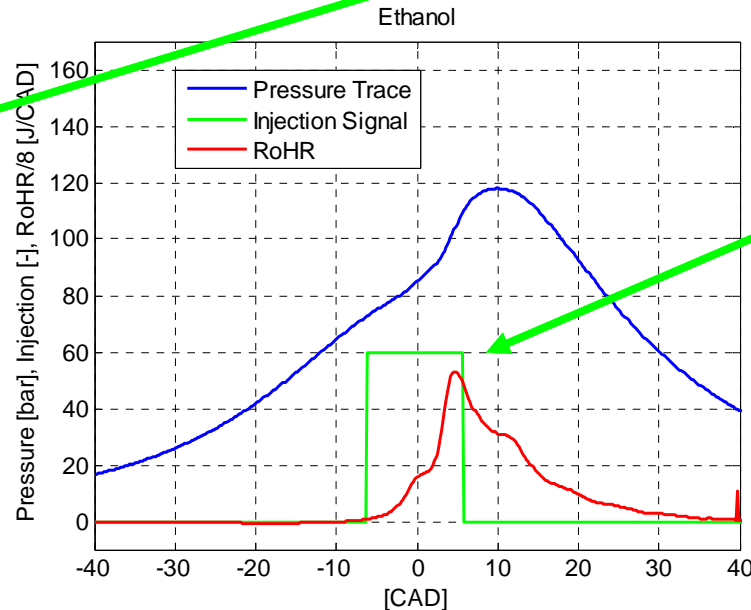
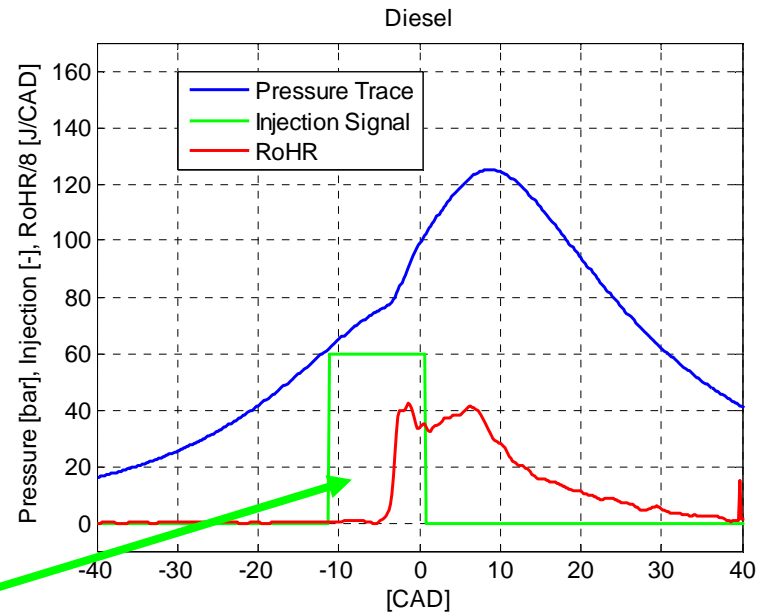
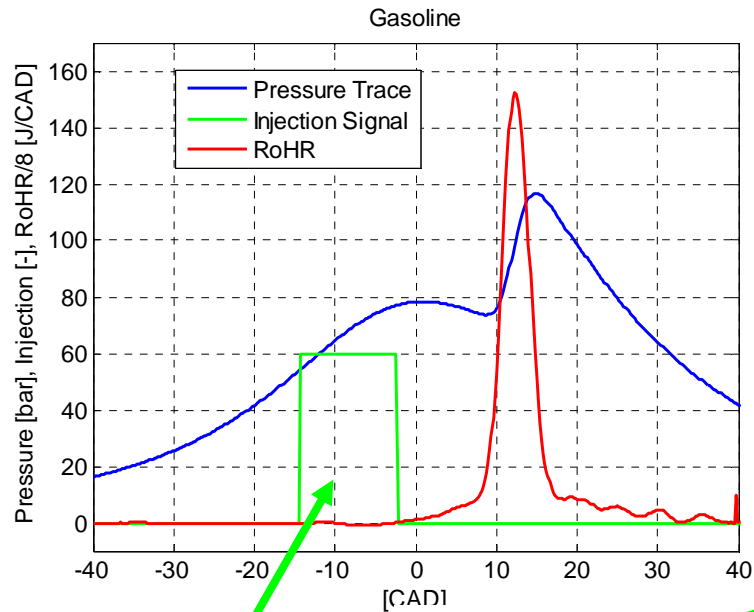
EGR: 25% → $\lambda \sim 1.56$ ³³



Why double injection?



Pressure, RoHR & Injection Traces

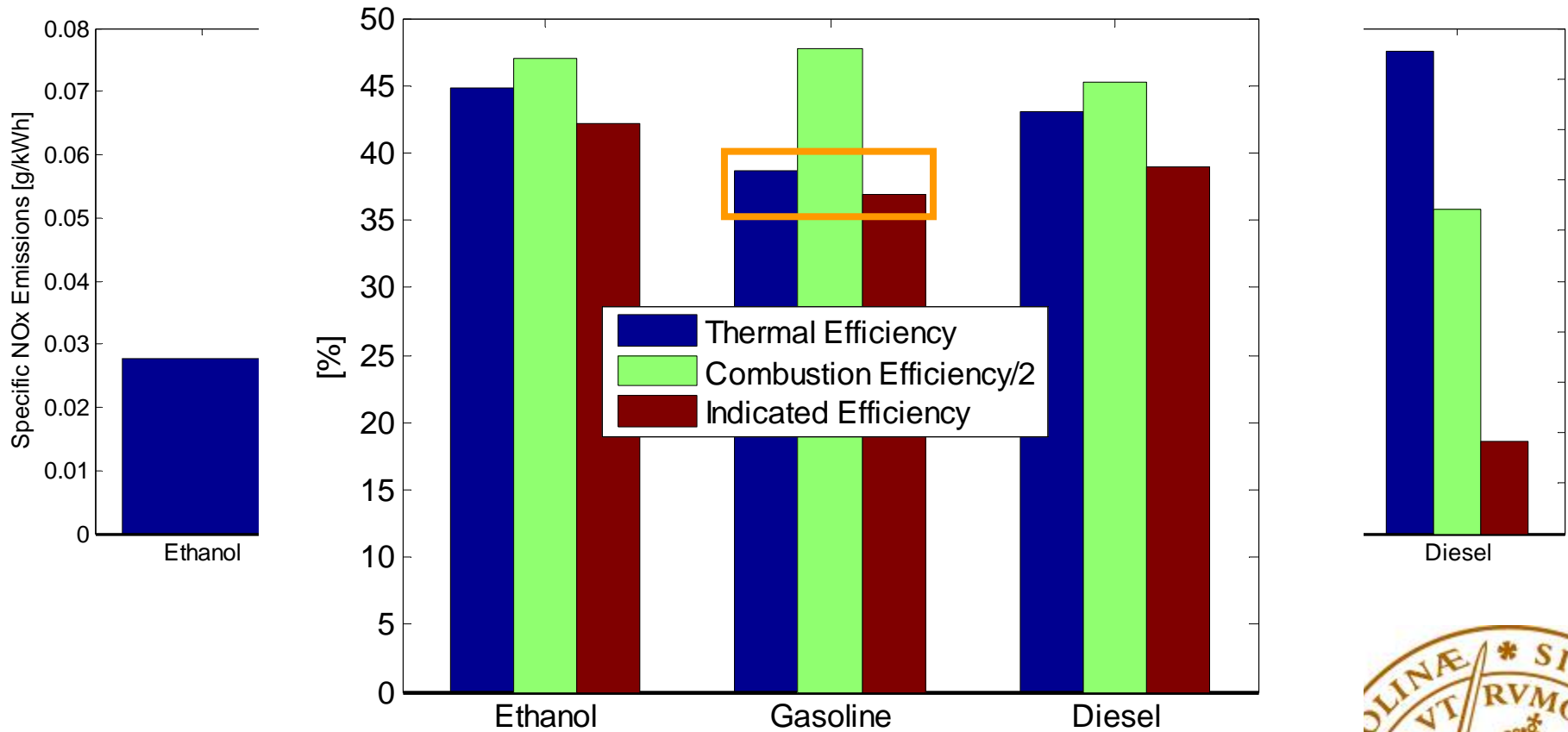


Single Injection,
1.8 [ms]

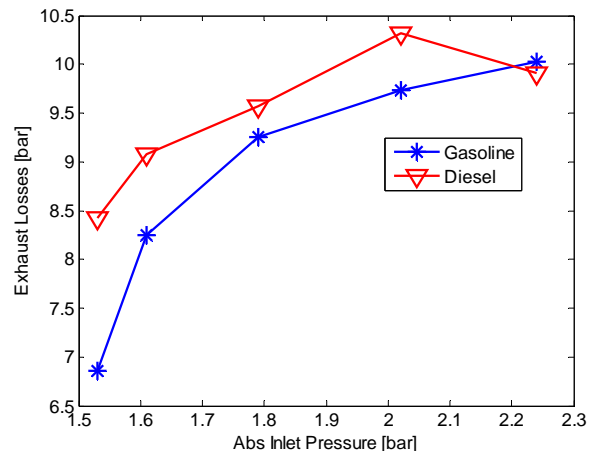
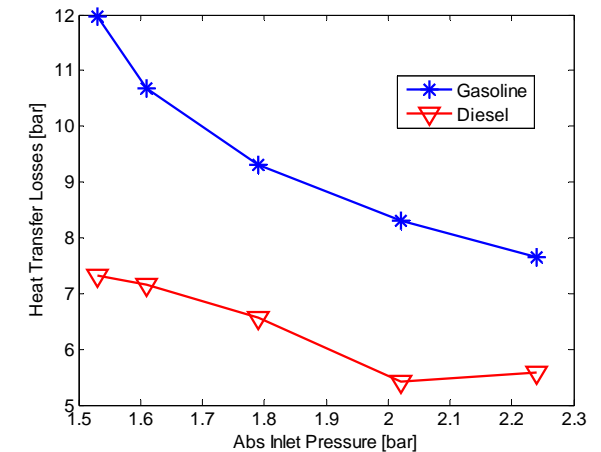
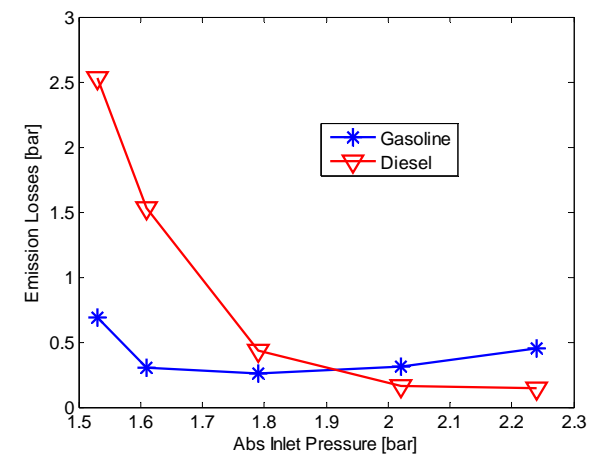
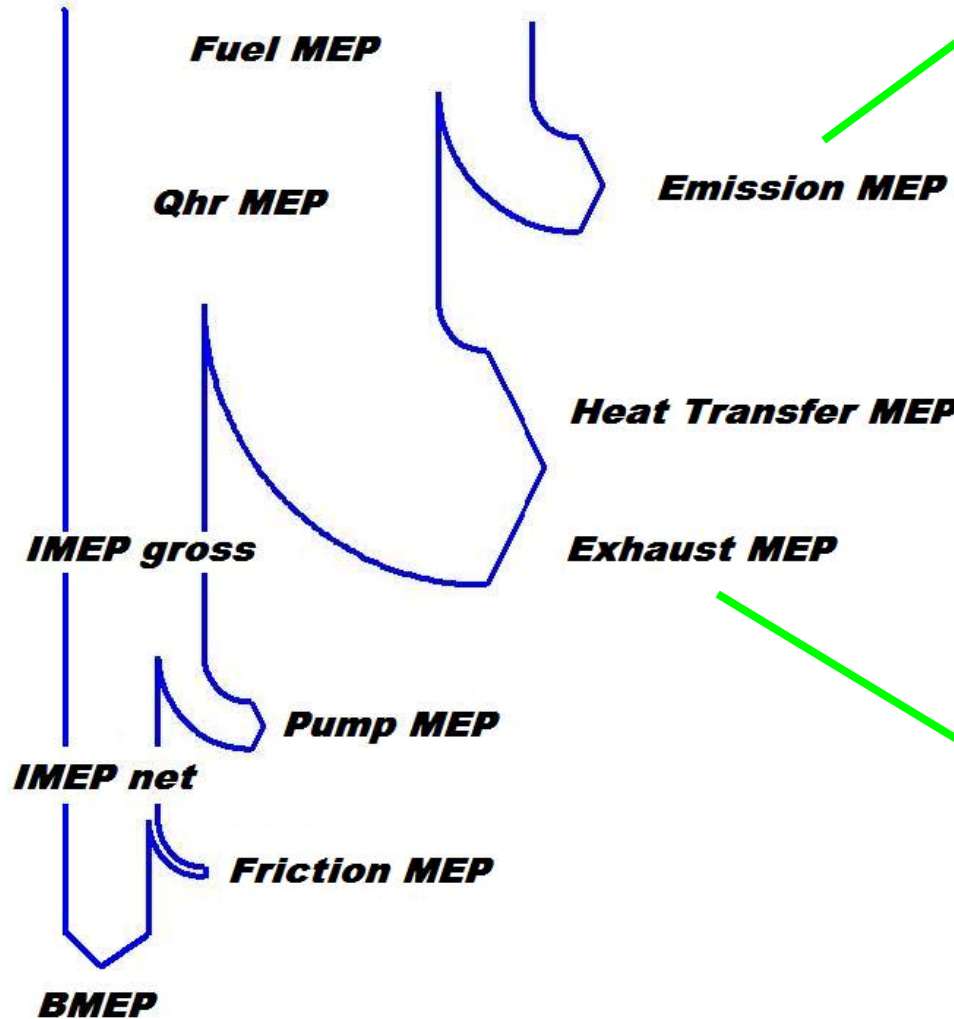
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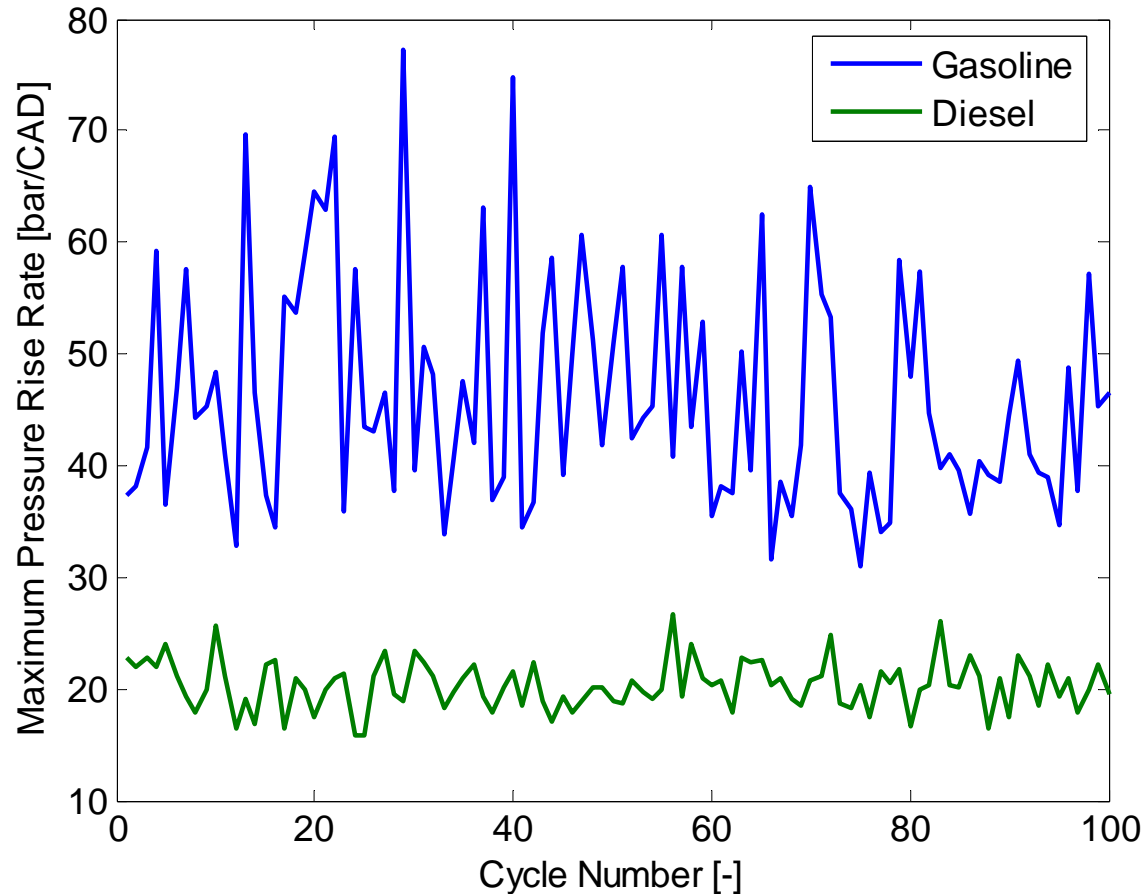
Emissions & Efficiency



Losses Analysis

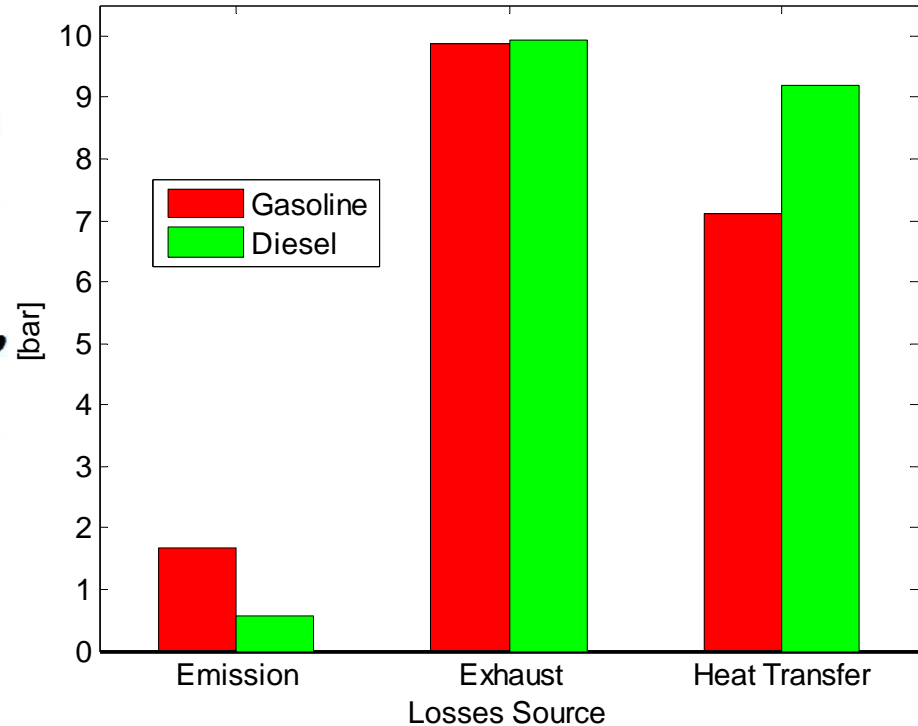
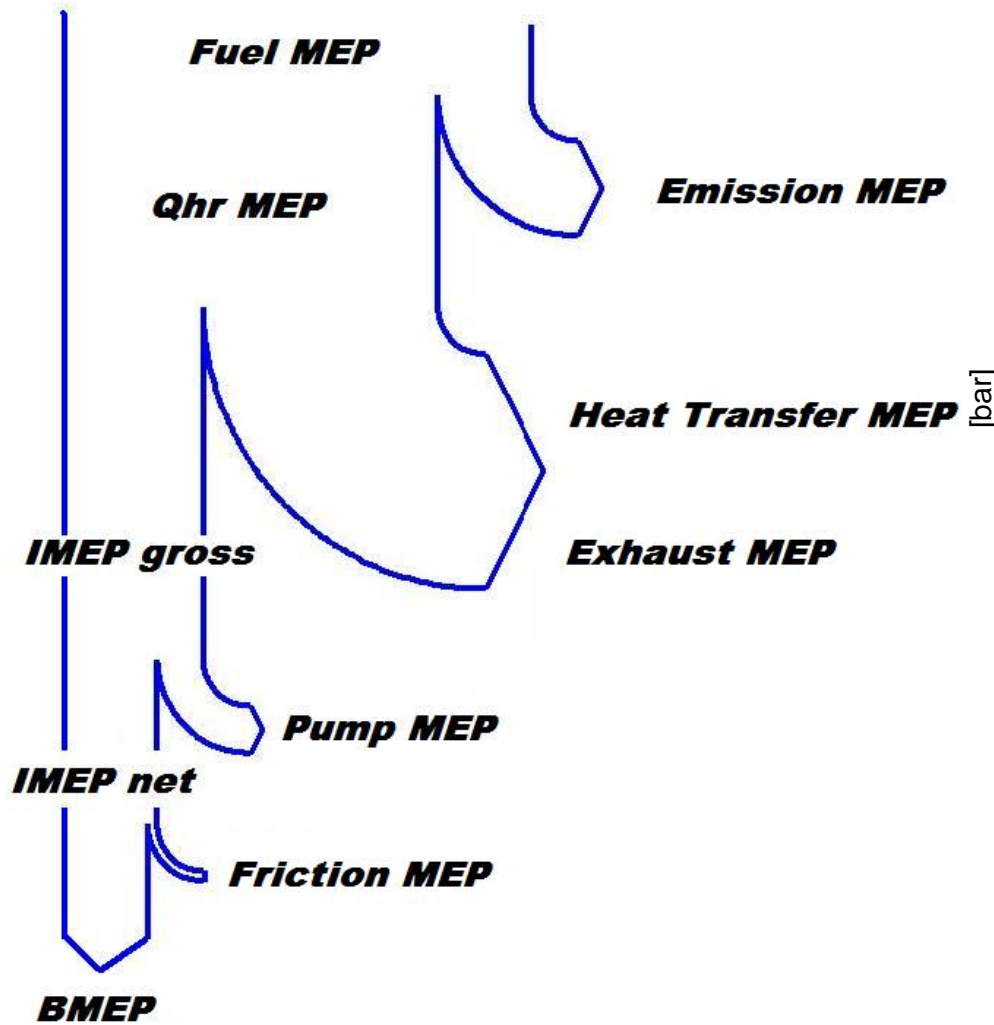


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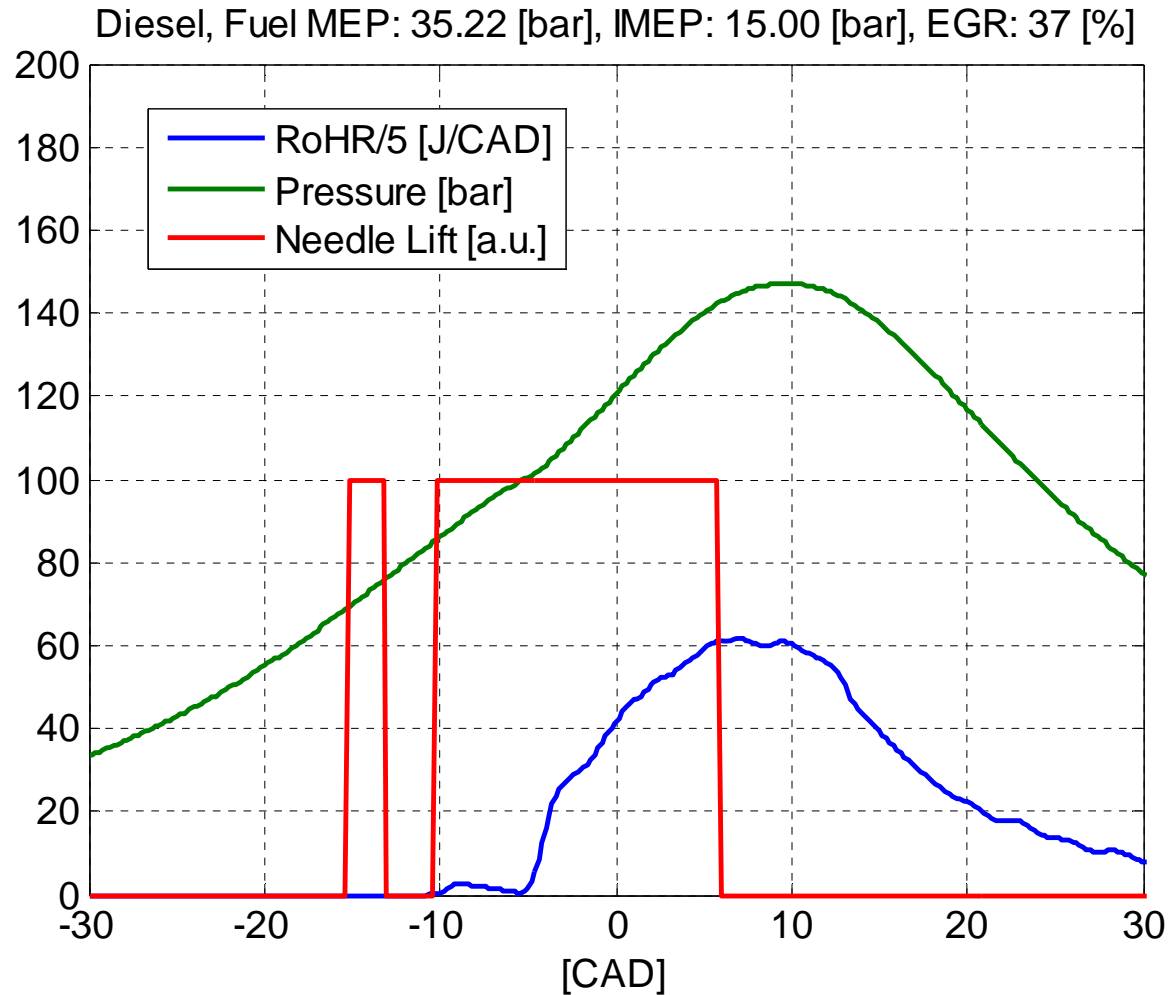


Thermal Boundary Layer breaks → Higher Heat Losses

Energy Losses Analysis – split injection



New combustion concept



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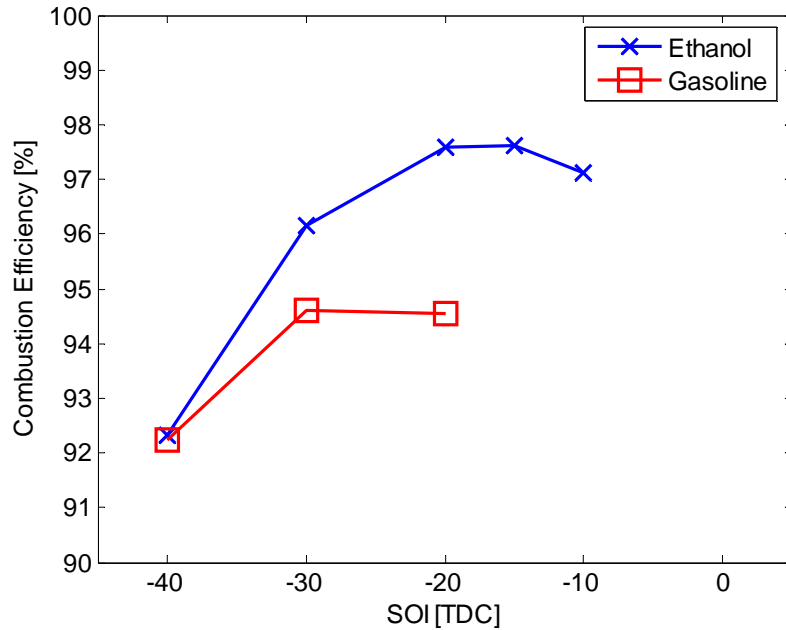
- **PPC with high ON fuels is a feasible concept but the logic on how to operate the engine is different.**
- **Low fuel consumption, low emissions and low noise can be achieved at the same time.**
- **Gasoline PPC is able to run at much higher loads than Diesel and its power density is not penalized by a large amount of EGR.**



Thanks for the Attention!



Idle



IMEP ~ 1.5 bar

T_{inlet} : Gasoline 105 [C], Ethanol 135 [C]

P_{inlet} : atm

