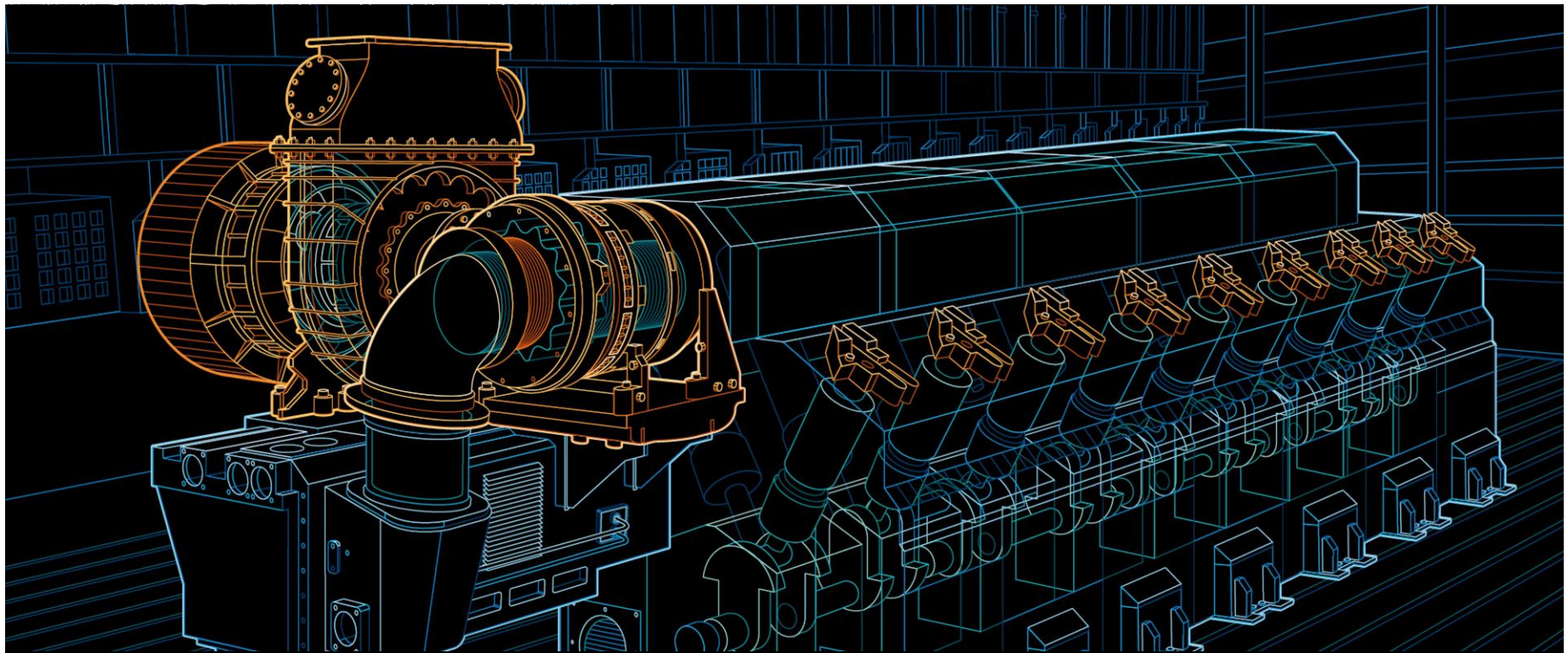




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Flexibility in Turbocharging Opportunities and Options

Flexibility in Turbocharging

Topics

- Introduction
- 2-stage Turbocharging and Variable Valve Timing
- Potential for Otto Gas and DF Engine Applications
 - Stationary EPG
 - Medium Speed Dual Fuel MARINE Propulsion
 - High Speed MARINE Propulsion
- Summary

Flexibility in Turbocharging Introduction

Opportunities

- Increased engine efficiency
- New applications / extended operation range
- Improved load response
- Standardization
- High altitude capabilities
- New control possibilities

Power2 and VCM

Two-stage turbocharging

Basic potential

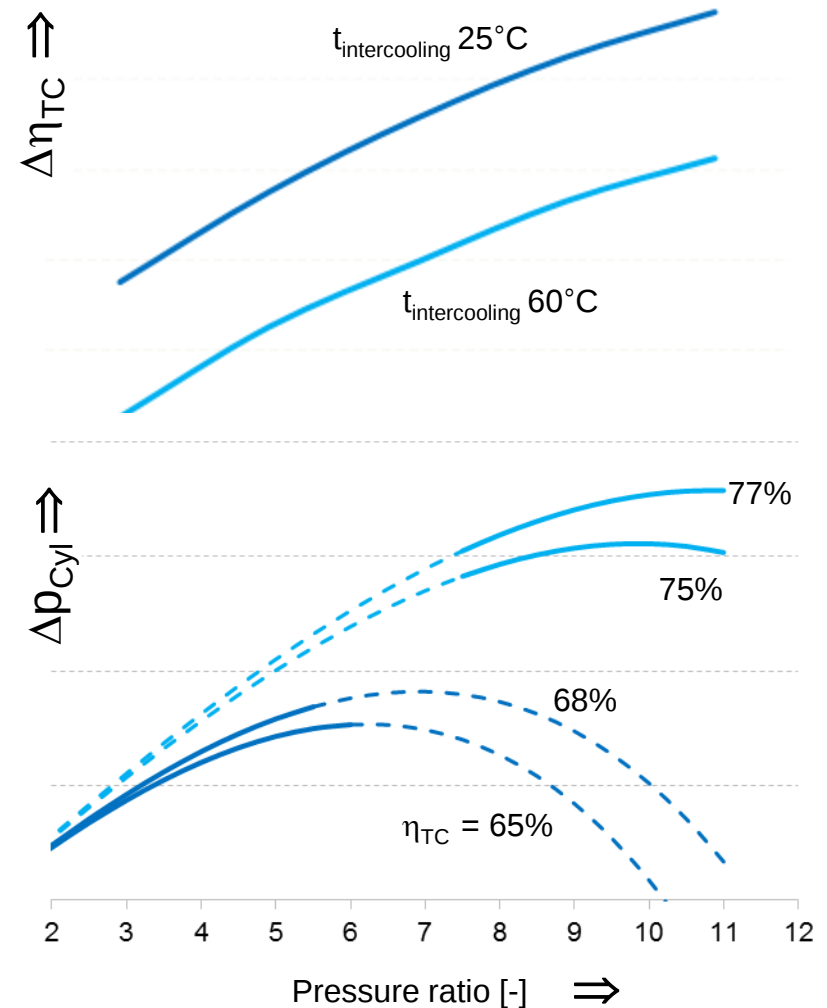
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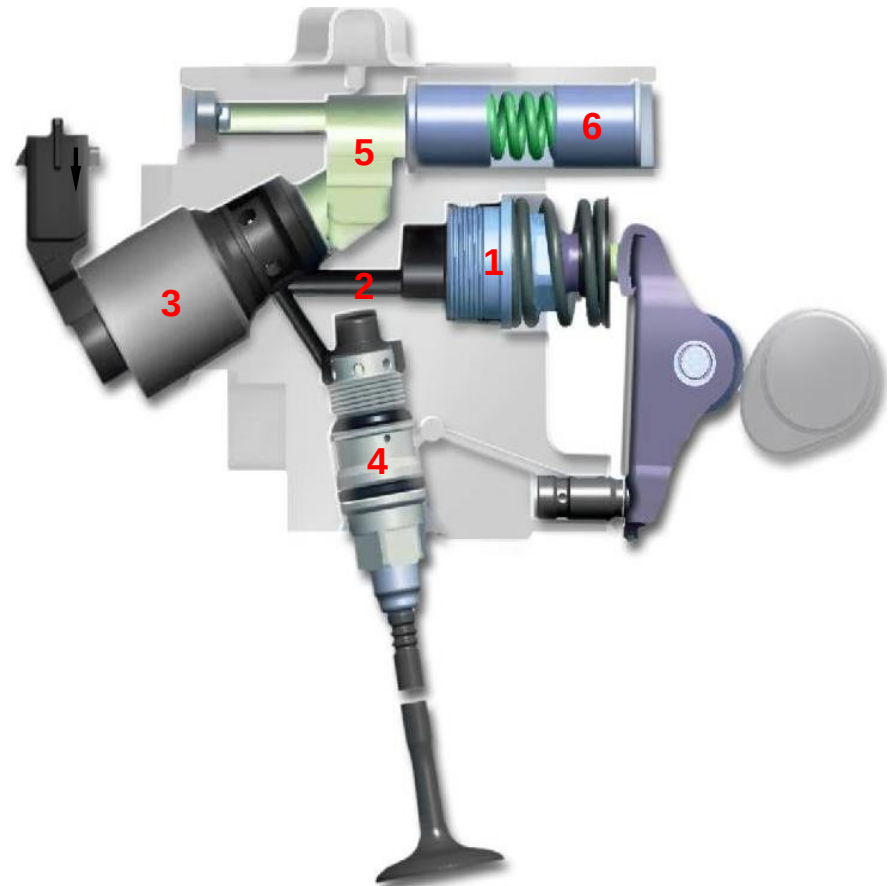
- Pressure ratios of up to 12
- Turbocharging efficiencies above 75%
- With higher pressure ratio ...
 - ⇒ ... increase in η_{TC}
 - ⇒ ... increase in Δp_{Cyl}
 - ⇒ ... more compact 2-stage system



Power2 and VCM

VCM configuration

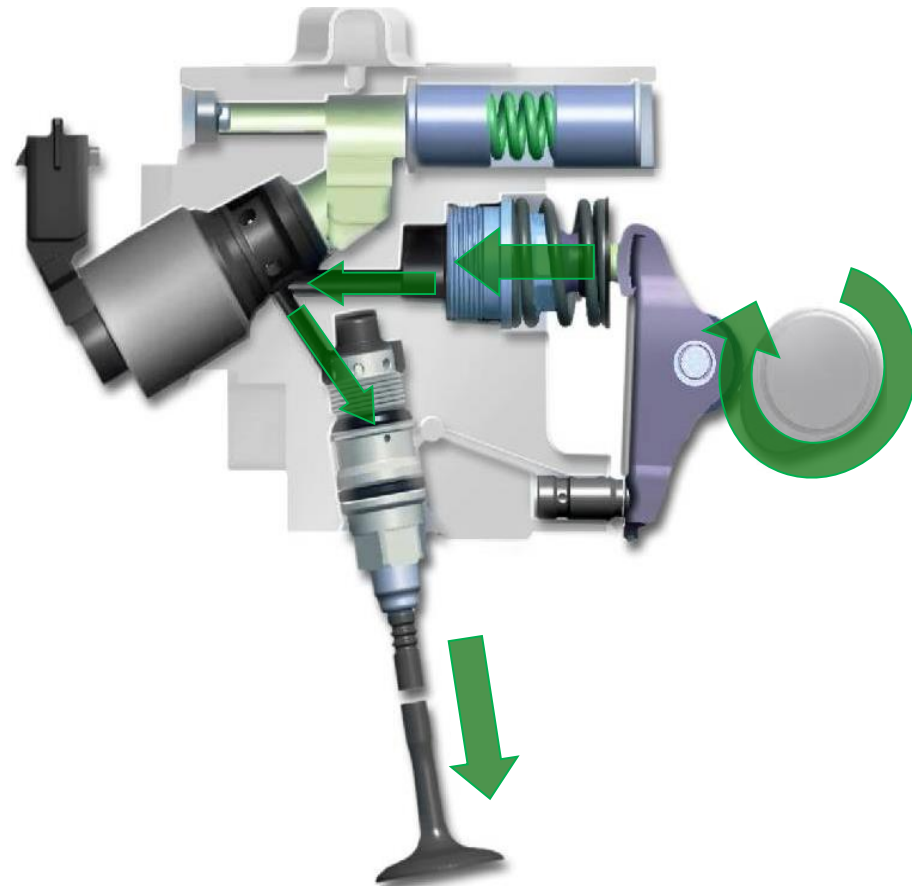
- VCM is a cam-supported electro-hydraulic valve train
- Components
 1. Pump unit
 2. High-pressure chamber
 3. Solenoid valve
 4. Brake unit
 5. Medium-pressure chamber
 6. Pressure accumulator



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VCM functional principle

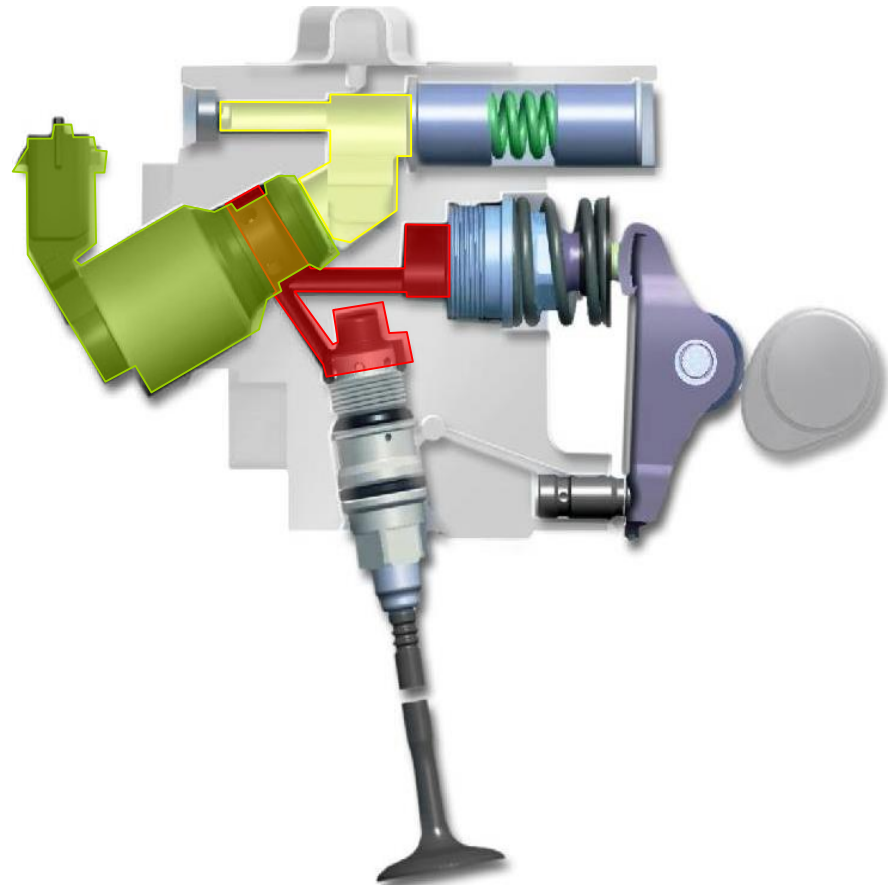
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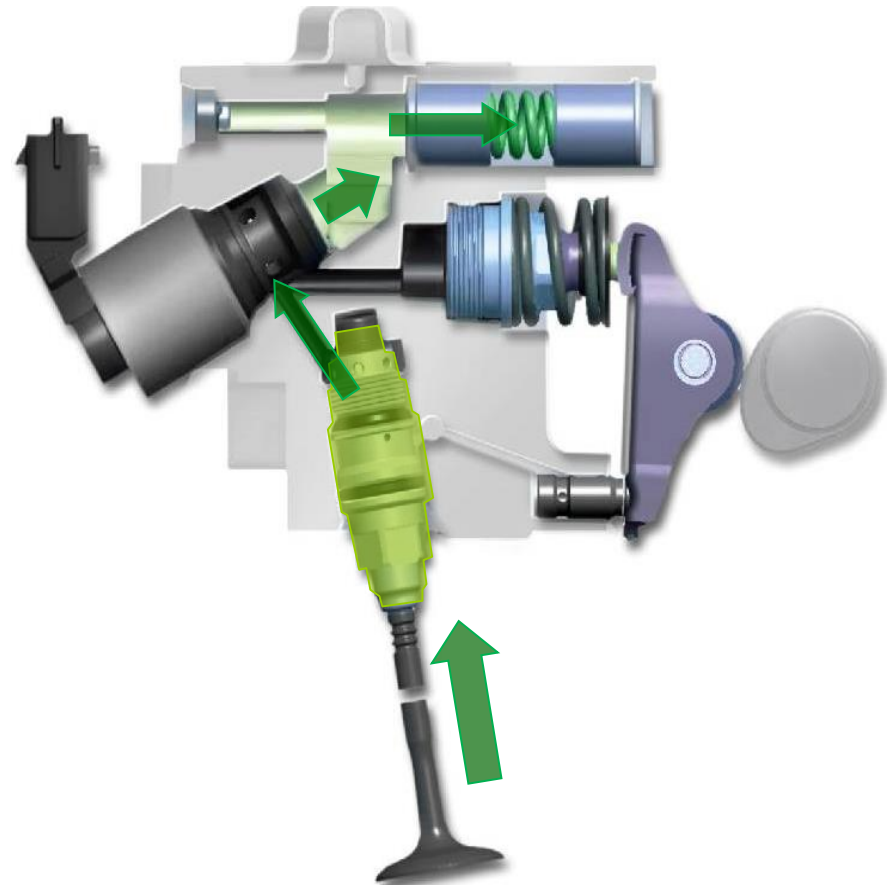
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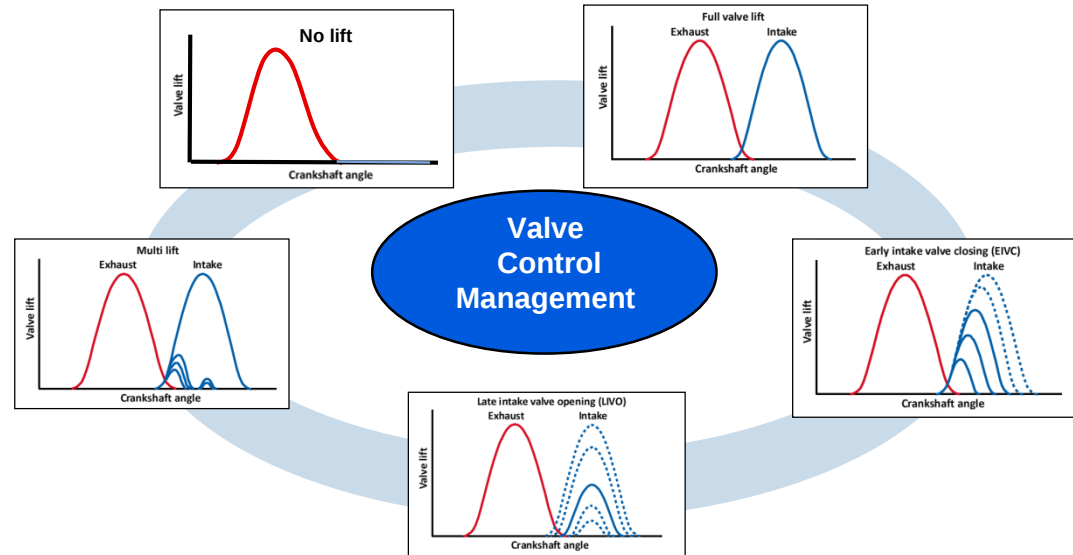
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- Engine valve closing not cam controlled (ballistic phase); seating velocity controlled by hydraulic brake



Power2 and VCM

VCM capabilities

- Individual valve control
 - Lift height
 - Opening time
 - Closing time
- Steep closing flanks
- No increase of mechanical load
- Variation from cycle-to-cycle



Power2 and VCM

Status product development

Power2

- Testing on ten different engine platforms completed, ongoing or under preparation
- Two systems of first generation released, serial deliveries for over 120 engines
- Second generation prototype testing on engine ongoing



VCM

- Over 5,000 rhs with two prototypes operated on mechanical test beds, single and multi cylinder engines
- Highly integrated design for first customer application realized
- Thermodynamic potential exceeding expectations



Potential for Gas Engine Applications

Stationary EPG

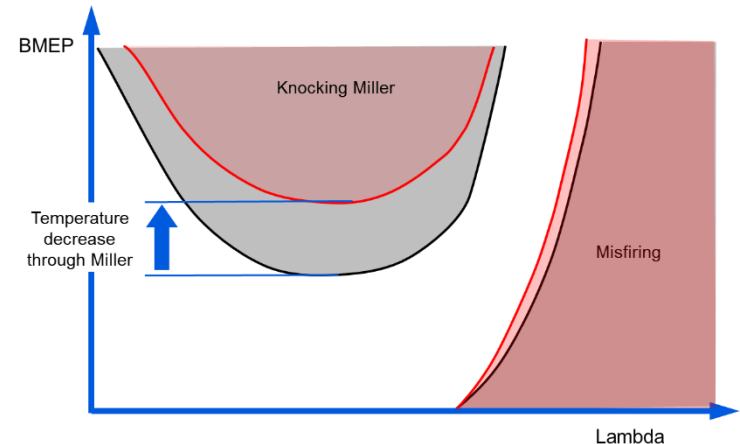
(baseload, industrial, back-up, ...)

Development drivers

- Engine efficiency $\Rightarrow$ 1%pt = ~ 15 €/kW savings p.a.¹⁾
- Power Density $\Rightarrow$ lower 1st cost/kW, smaller engine footprint
- Robustness $\Rightarrow$ lower MN, altitude, ambient temperature

Possibilities with Power2 and VCM

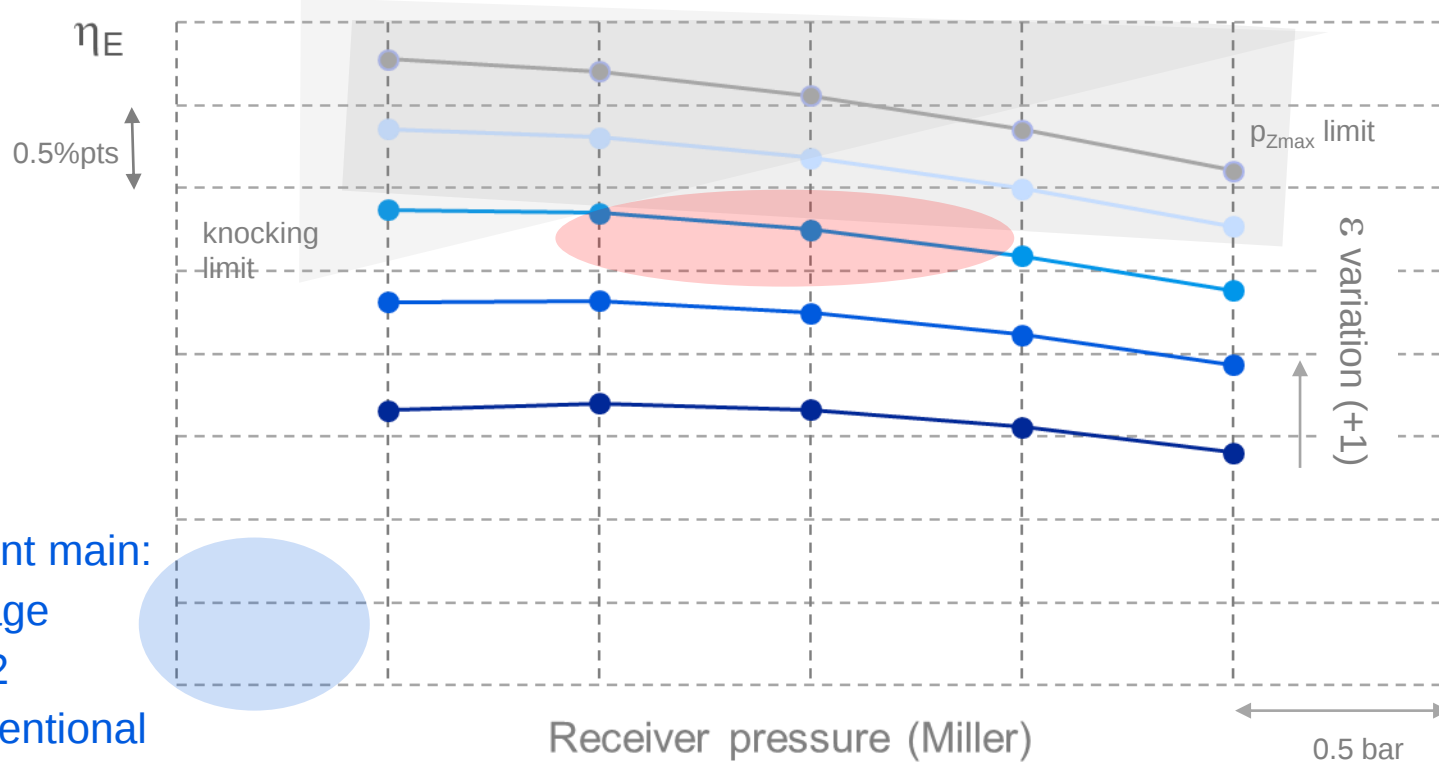
- λ control via IVC variation replacing conventional control elements
- increase Miller timing, keeping high valve lift
- use lower temperature at start of compression:
 - $\Rightarrow$ higher compression ratio ε
 - $\Rightarrow$ increased engine bmep / p_{Zmax}
- utilize high turbocharging efficiency @ high pressure ratio



Potential for Gas Engine Applications Stationary EPG

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Potential with Power2 and VCM



Current main:

- 1-stage
- $\epsilon \sim 12$
- conventional control

Potential for Gas Engine Application

MARINE Propulsion – Diesel Electric

(Cruise & Ferries, LNG carriers, RO-RO/PAX, ...)

Development drivers

- Engine efficiency $\Rightarrow$ optimize gas mode, minimize compromise in Diesel mode
- Power Density $\Rightarrow$ lower 1st cost/kW, less cylinders, smaller engine footprint
- Emissions $\Rightarrow$ IMO III compliance in Gas mode, no related aftertreatment

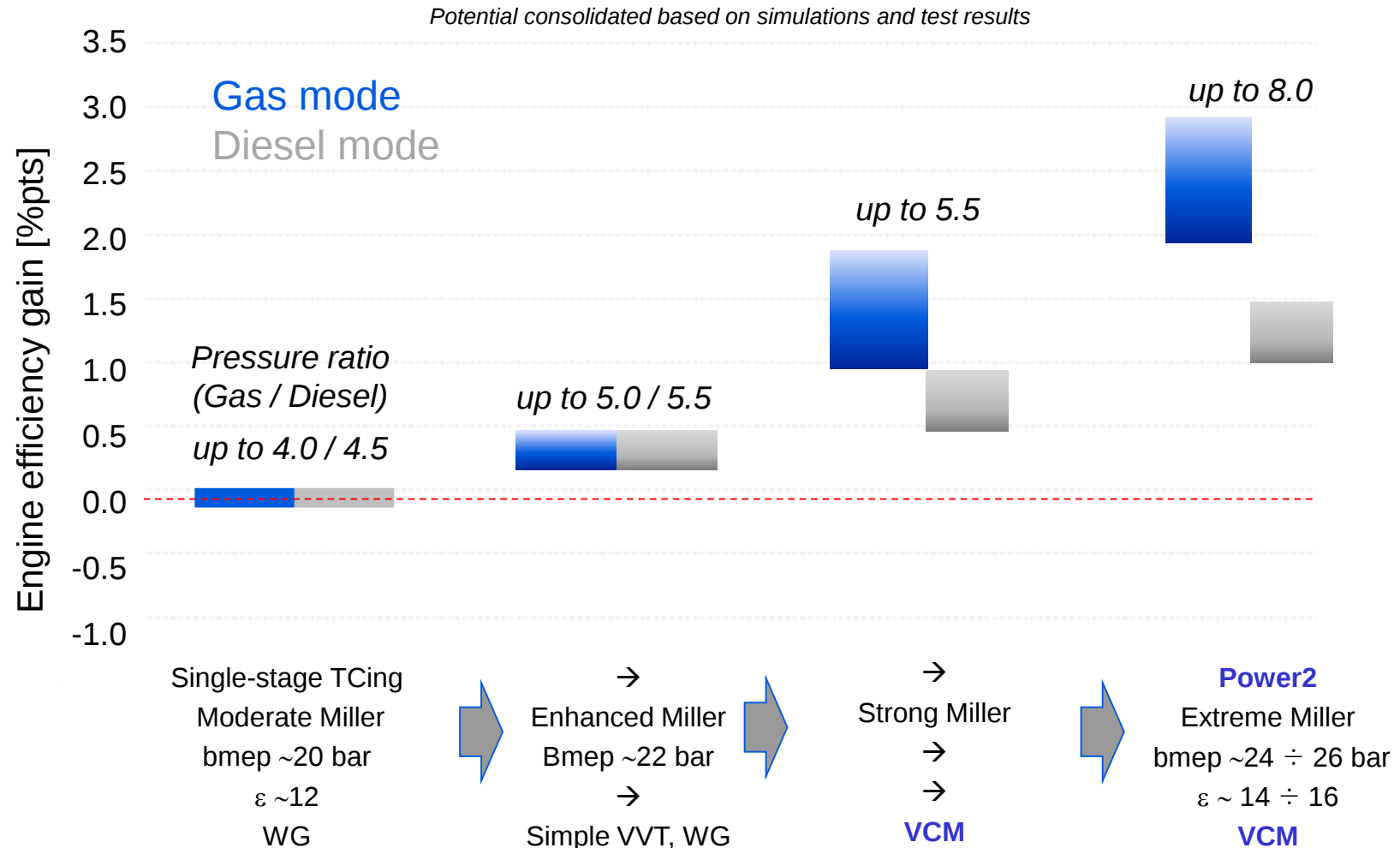
Current challenges

- Low ε in gas mode leads to poor performance in Diesel mode
- Operation in Diesel mode leads to significant higher TC pressure ratio needs (closed WG)
 - limitations by TC speed
 - further reduced Diesel performance due to too high λ_v

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Potential for Gas Engine Applications

MARINE Propulsion – Direct Drive

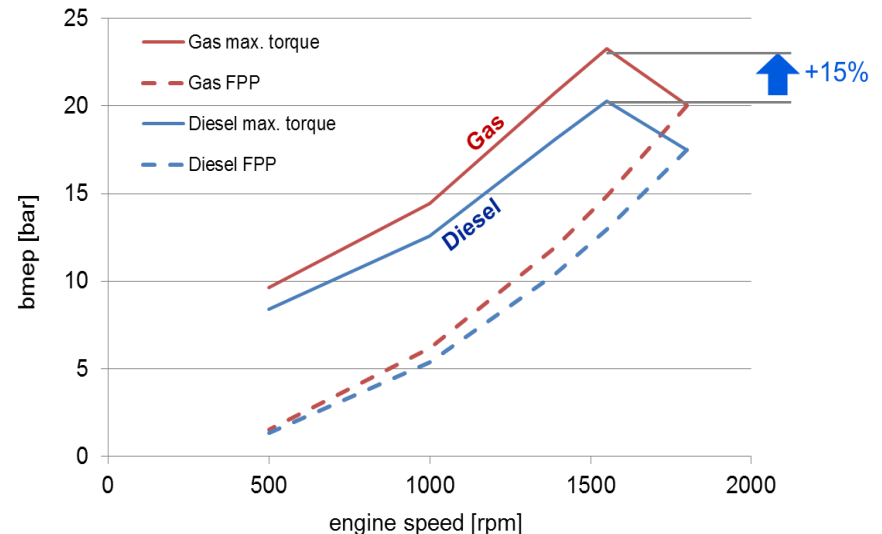
(Tug & Salvage, Inland Waterways, Pleasure Crafts, ...)

Development drivers

- Operational cost $\Rightarrow$ gas price lower than MDO, engine efficiency
- Emissions legislation $\Rightarrow$ no NOx aftertreatment, no particulates
- Wide operating range $\Rightarrow$ FPP, high torque, load response, maneuverability

Simulation example:

- Diesel reference:
 - 17.5 bar bmep @ 1'800 rpm
 - FPP, torque rise to 20 bar bmep
 - Sequential turbocharging
- Gas:
 - Lean burn, port injection
 - 15% increase bmep
 - 1-stage turbocharging



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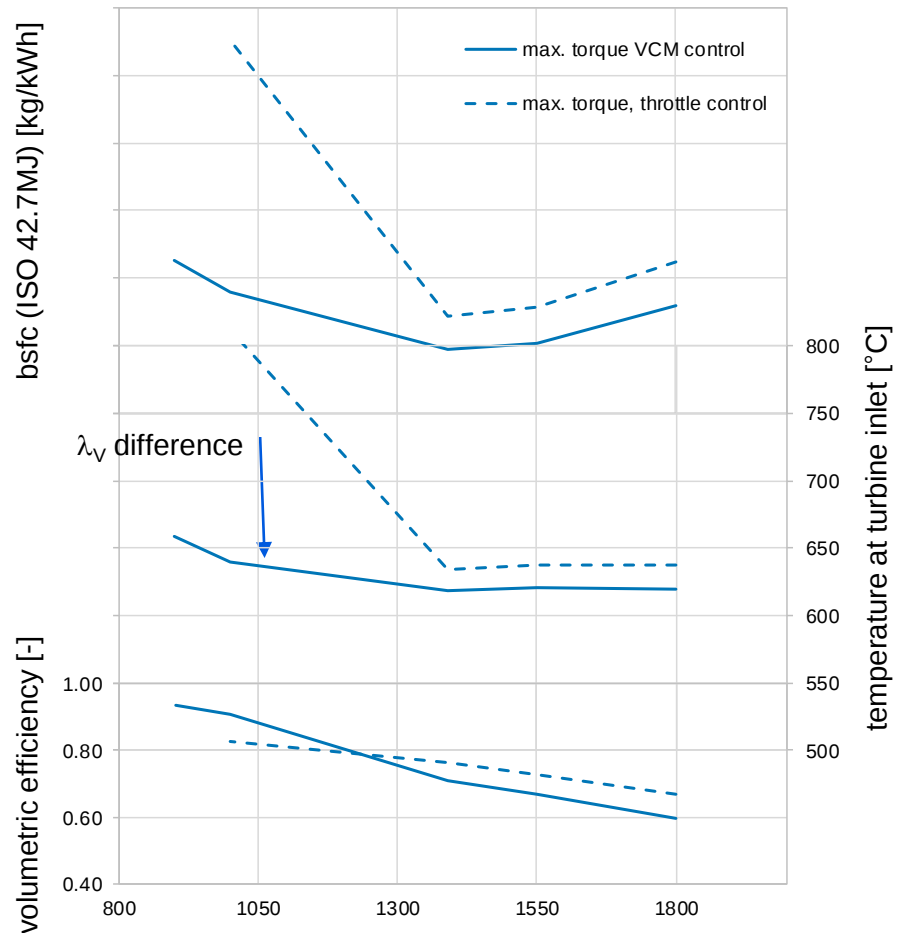
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Approach steady-state operation

- High pressure 1-stage turbocharging and strong Miller timing
- Load- and λ_v -control through VCM and gas admission valve

⇒ max. torque well covered with high pressure 1-stage turbocharging and VCM

⇒ good bsfc characteristic and low exhaust gas temperatures over entire operating range



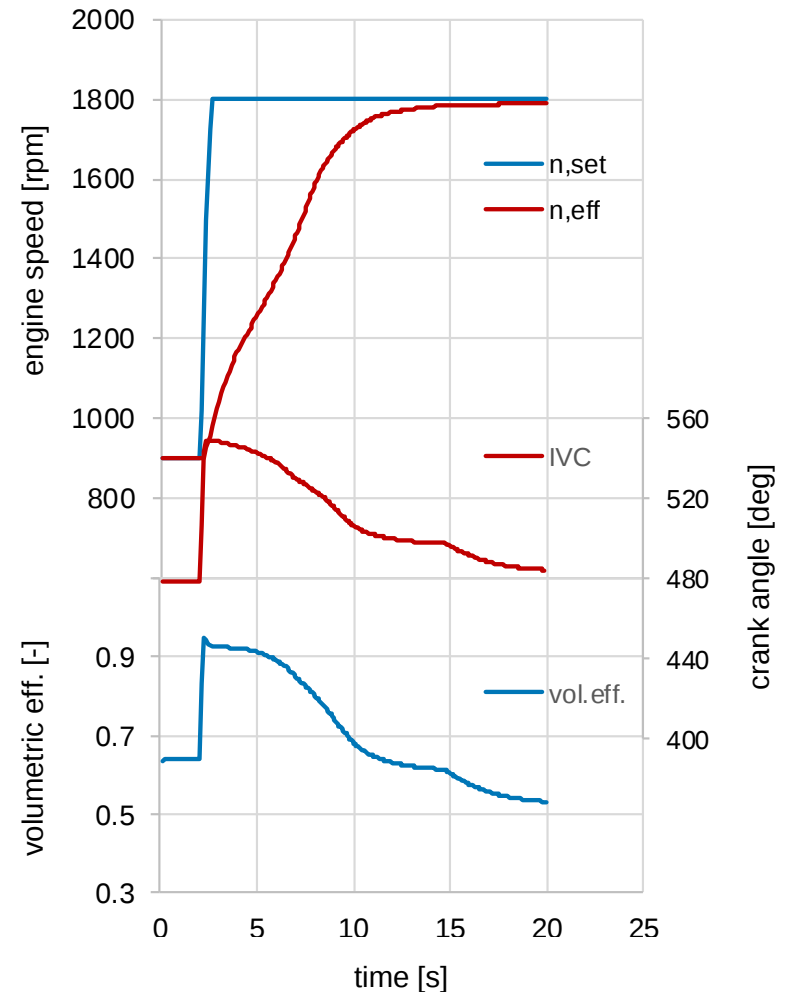
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Approach transient operation

- Max. cylinder filling through optimized IVC timing
 - Max. gas injection without falling below min. λ_v
 - Acceleration from 900-1800rpm
- ⇒ fast and «step-less» load response based on simulations
- ⇒ equal or even better than current diesel feasible



Power2 and VCM Summary

- High pressure turbocharging and VCM enable high bmep gas engines for demanding applications:
 - Engine efficiency gains of min 2%pts for stationary EPG applications (first test results)
 - Dual Fuel capabilities with optimized gas operation without compromising the Diesel performance (high ε)
 - Unrestricted operational flexibility including traditional high speed diesel applications

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