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## SHIP POWER TECHNOLOGY



**Teknologikonferanse 2011**

*Gass som energibærer i fiskeflåten*

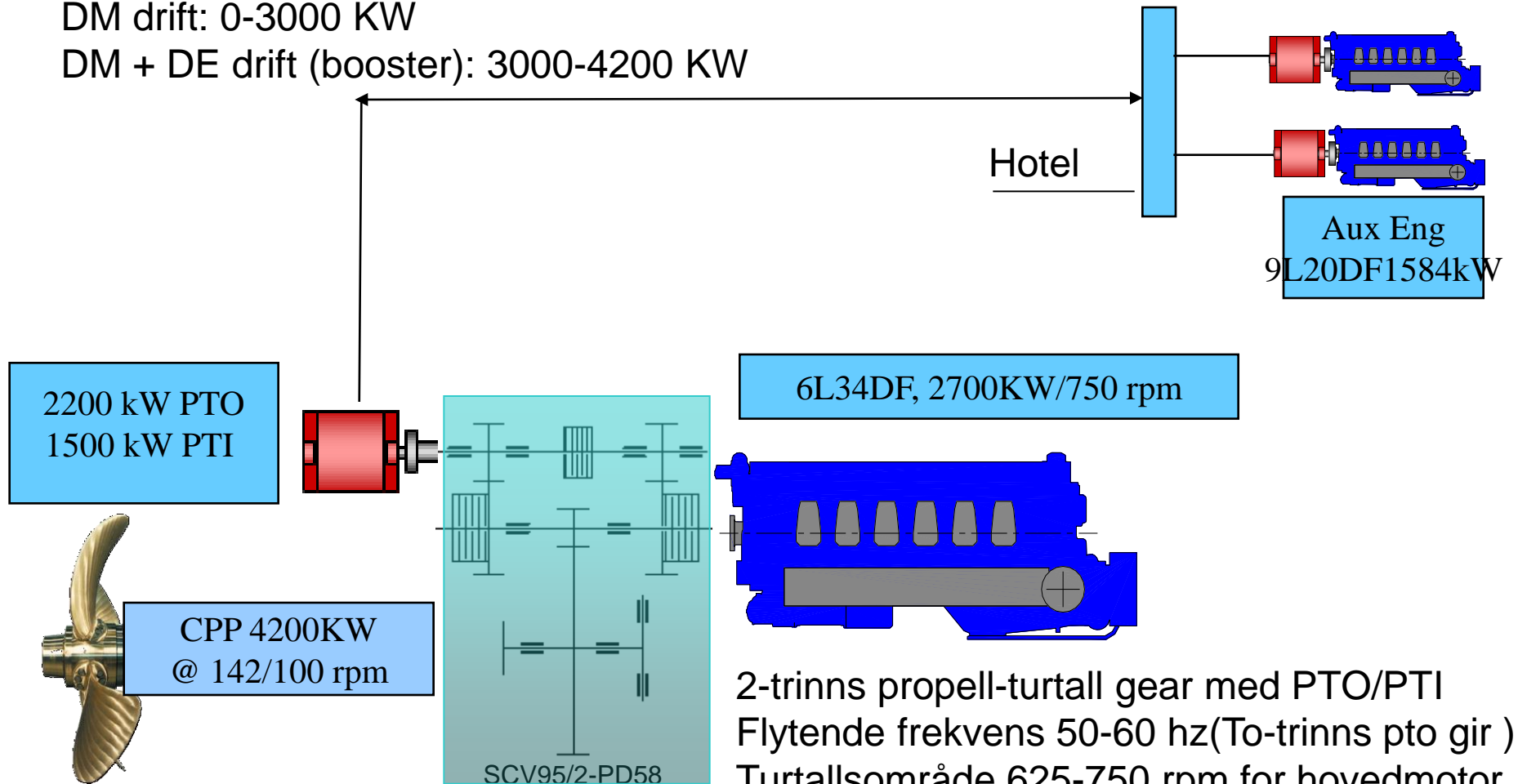
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# V&S , Alternativ 2, 2-trinns gear m/“booster”

DM drift: 0-3000 KW

DM + DE drift (booster): 3000-4200 KW



2-trinns propell-turtall gear med PTO/PTI  
Flytende frekvens 50-60 hz (To-trinns pto gir)  
Turtallsområde 625-750 rpm for hovedmotor,  
tilsvarende propell turtall: 83-142 rpm  
Det kan velges "lavere" turtall ved trinn II en  
angitt. Dette er avhengig av driftkondisjoner.

- 1. Introduction to Wärtsilä DF portfolio**
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# Wärtsilä Dual-Fuel Engine Portfolio



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## WÄRTSILÄ 20DF



6L20DF 1.0 MW

8L20DF 1.4 MW

9L20DF 1.6 MW

## WÄRTSILÄ 34DF



6L34DF 2.7 MW

9L34DF 4.0 MW

12V34DF 5.4 MW

16V34DF 7.2 MW

20V34DF 9.0 MW

## WÄRTSILÄ 50DF



6L50DF 5.85 MW

8L50DF 7.8 MW

9L50DF 8.8 MW

12V50DF 11.7 MW

16V50DF 15.6 MW

18V50DF 17.55 MW

0

5

10

15

Higher output for 60Hz / Main engines



WÄRTSILÄ 20DF



WÄRTSILÄ 34DF



WÄRTSILÄ 50DF



- High efficiency
- Low gas pressure
- Low emissions, due to:
  - High efficiency
  - Clean fuel
  - Lean burn combustion
- Fuel flexibility
  - Gas
  - LFO (DF)
  - Bio Fuel
  - HFO (TF)

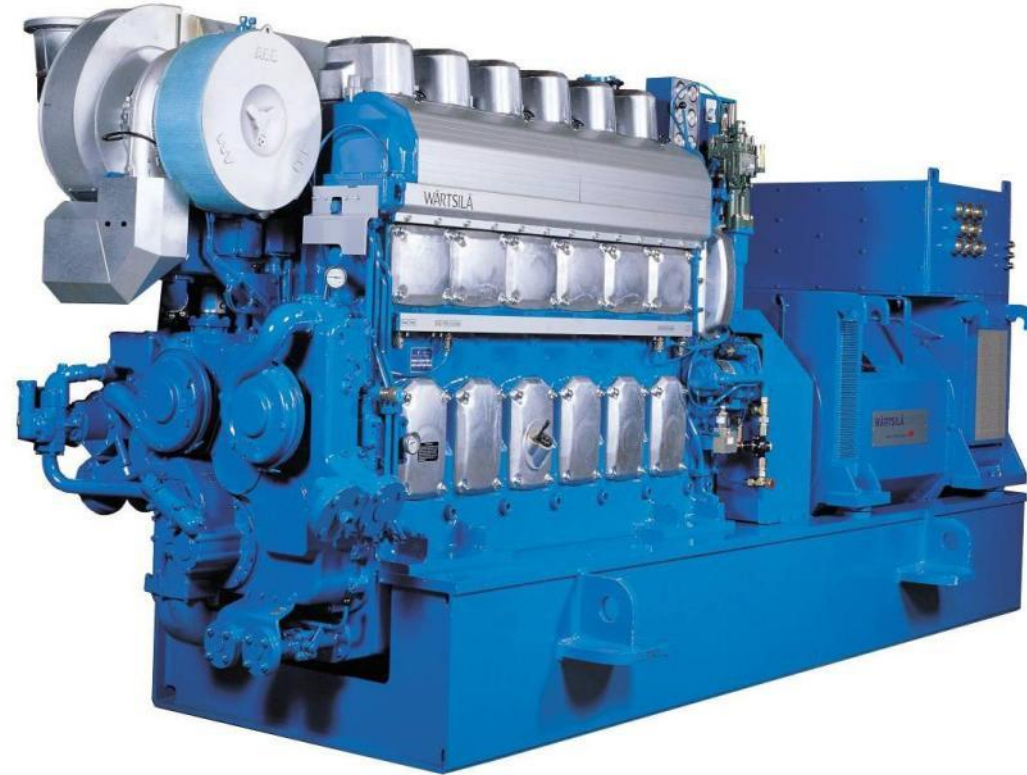
## Double wall gas piping

- Three engine models
  - Wärtsilä 20DF
  - Wärtsilä 32DF
  - Wärtsilä 50DF

# Wärtsilä 20DF features



- Dual-fuel engine - gas and liquid fuel
- Otto principle at gas operation
- Pilot fuel for ignition of gas
- High efficiency
- Low emissions, thanks to:
  - Clean fuel
  - Lean burn combustion
- Low gas pressure
- Double wall gas piping
- Embedded automation system



# Wärtsilä 20DF main technical data



|                               | <b>Marine generating sets</b> | <b>Marine main engines</b> |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Cylinder bore [mm]            | 200                           | 200                        |
| Piston stroke [mm]            | 280                           | 280                        |
| Engine speed [rpm]            | 1000 / 1200                   | 1200                       |
| Piston speed [m/s]            | 9.3 / 11.2                    | 11.2                       |
| Mean effective pressure [bar] | 20                            | 20                         |
| Output per cylinder [kW]      | 146/176                       | 176                        |
| Cylinder configurations       | 6L, 8L, 9L                    | 6L, 8L, 9L                 |



## Engine control and cylinder load balancing based on cylinder pressure sensors

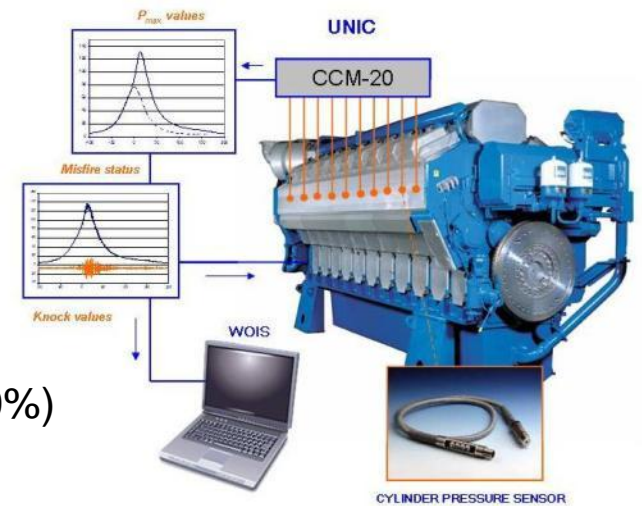
### First achievements:

- More reliable knock detection
- Real-time misfire detection
- Maximum cylinder pressure control
- Gas operation on all EIAPP load points (including 10%)

Wärtsilä recommend liquid fuel on lower loads as it is a better fuel for low load operation

### Development:

- Automatic engine de-rating control
- Improved fault detection/ diagnostics for preventive maintenance
- Increase of load and efficiency due to better engine control and possibility to run closer to maximum cylinder pressure and knock limits



# DF Engine Technology is Inherent Redundant



## The Dual Fuel technology give the following advantages:

- A disturbance in gas mode leads to an automatic and instant switch-over to diesel mode and continued operation at desired load/speed
- In case of malfunction of external gas supply or lack of gas, the vessel has the flexibility to operate on diesel fuel
- Can be operated on liquid fuel outside ECA-area, even on HFO

## Operation in ECA area – in case of failure:

- Operation on pure liquid fuel resulting from restricted gas supply in cases of failures shall be exempted for the voyage to the next appropriate port for the repair of the failure.  
(MEPC 58/23/Add.1 ANNEX 14)



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## GAS ENGINE EMISSIONS

Wärtsilä DF

- Legislation
- Combustion
- Methane slip
- Methane slip reduction measures





LOCAL

**NO<sub>x</sub>**

Acid rains  
Tier II (2011)  
Tier III (2016)

LOCAL

**SO<sub>x</sub>**

3.5% (2012)  
ECA 0.1% (2015)

GLOBAL

**CO<sub>2</sub> & HC**

Greenhouse effect  
Under evaluation by IMO

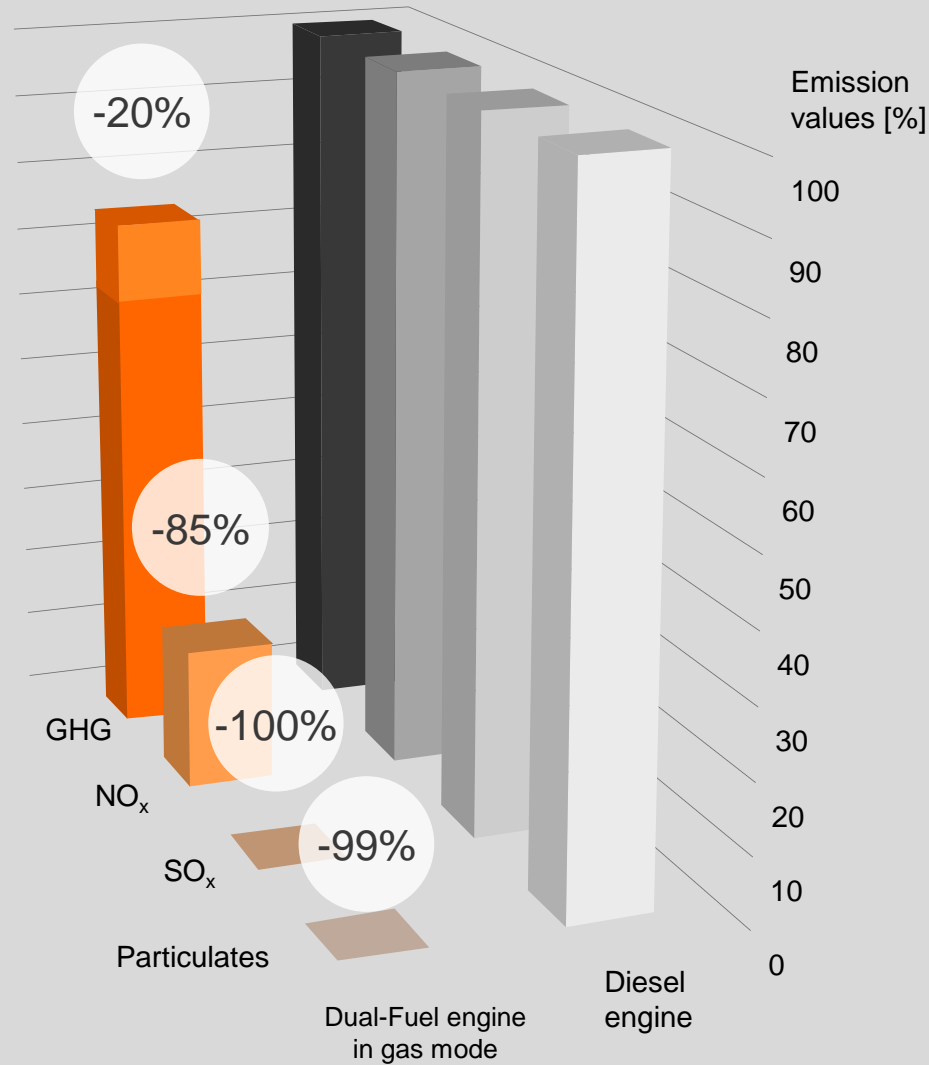
LOCAL

**Particulate matter**

Direct impact on humans  
Locally regulated

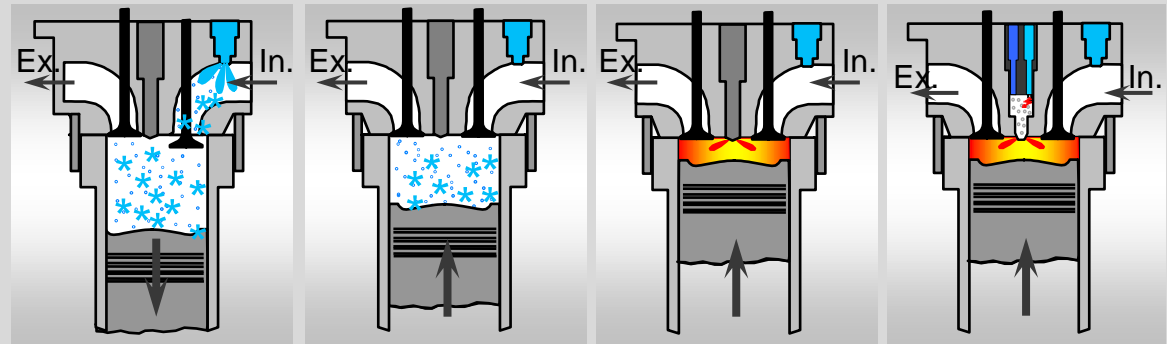


# Natural gas as marine fuel



## Gas combustion:

- Otto principle
- Low-pressure gas admission
- Pilot diesel injection



Intake of air and gas

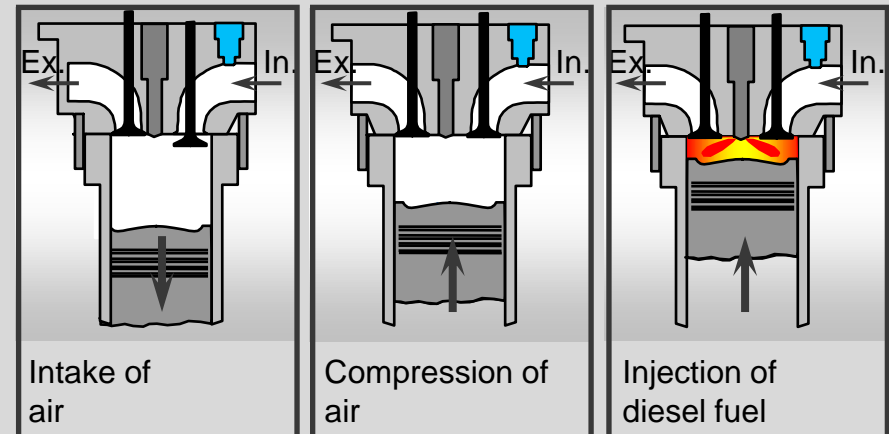
Compression of air and gas

Ignition by pilot diesel fuel

Ignition by spark plug

## Diesel combustion:

- Diesel principle
- Diesel injection



Intake of air

Compression of air

Injection of diesel fuel

# Why methane slip?

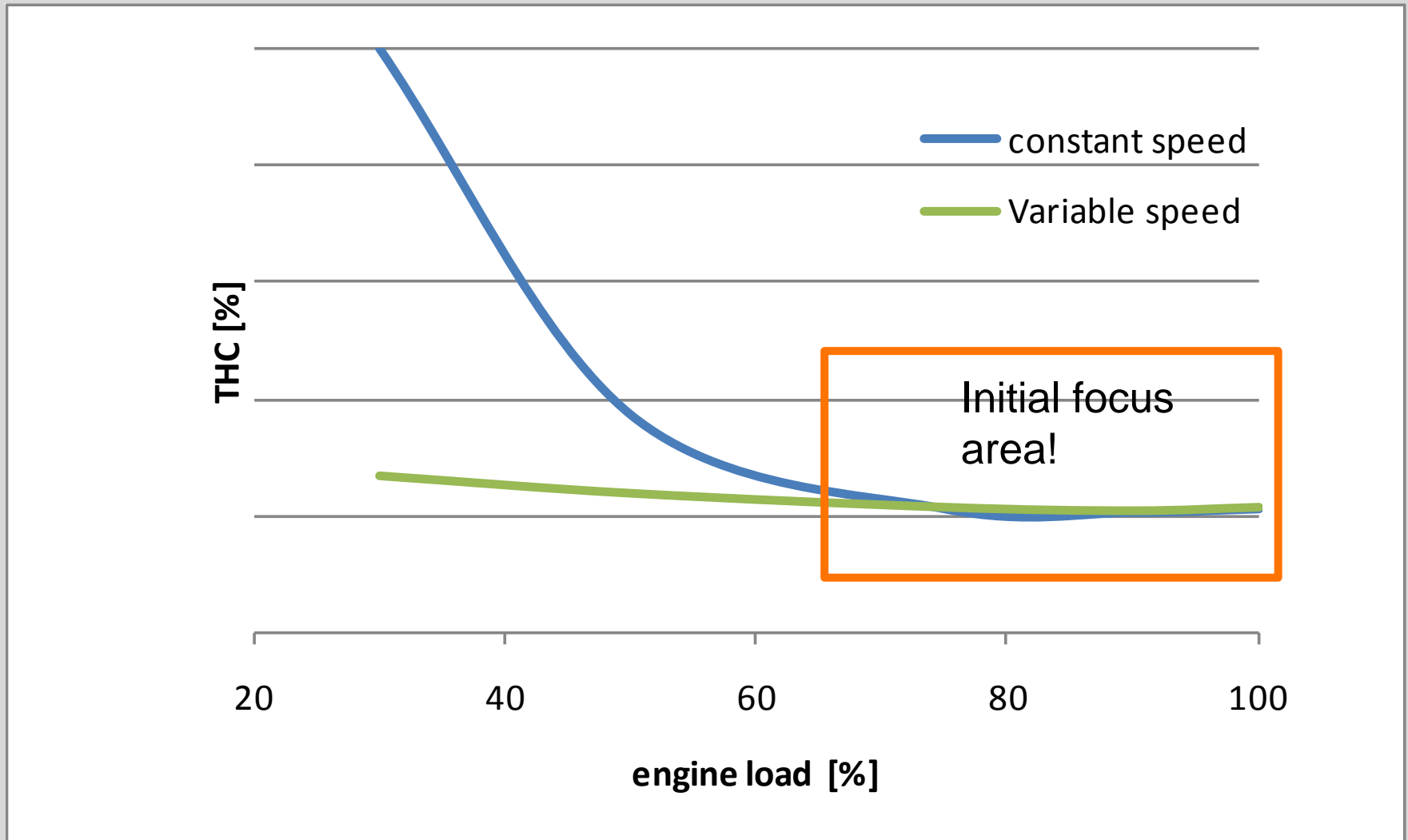
- Oxidation of  $\text{CH}_4$  requires  $t > 540^\circ\text{C}$
- Heavier  $\text{C}_n\text{H}_m$  do oxidize at lower temperatures
- $\text{CH}_4$  is one of the greenhouse gases listed in the Kyoto protocol
- Methane is 25 times more harmful greenhouse gas than  $\text{CO}_2$ 
  - NG produces about 200 g/kWh less  $\text{CO}_2$  than HFO
  - 6 g/kWh  $\text{CH}_4$  (methane slip) gives 8-10% lower GHG



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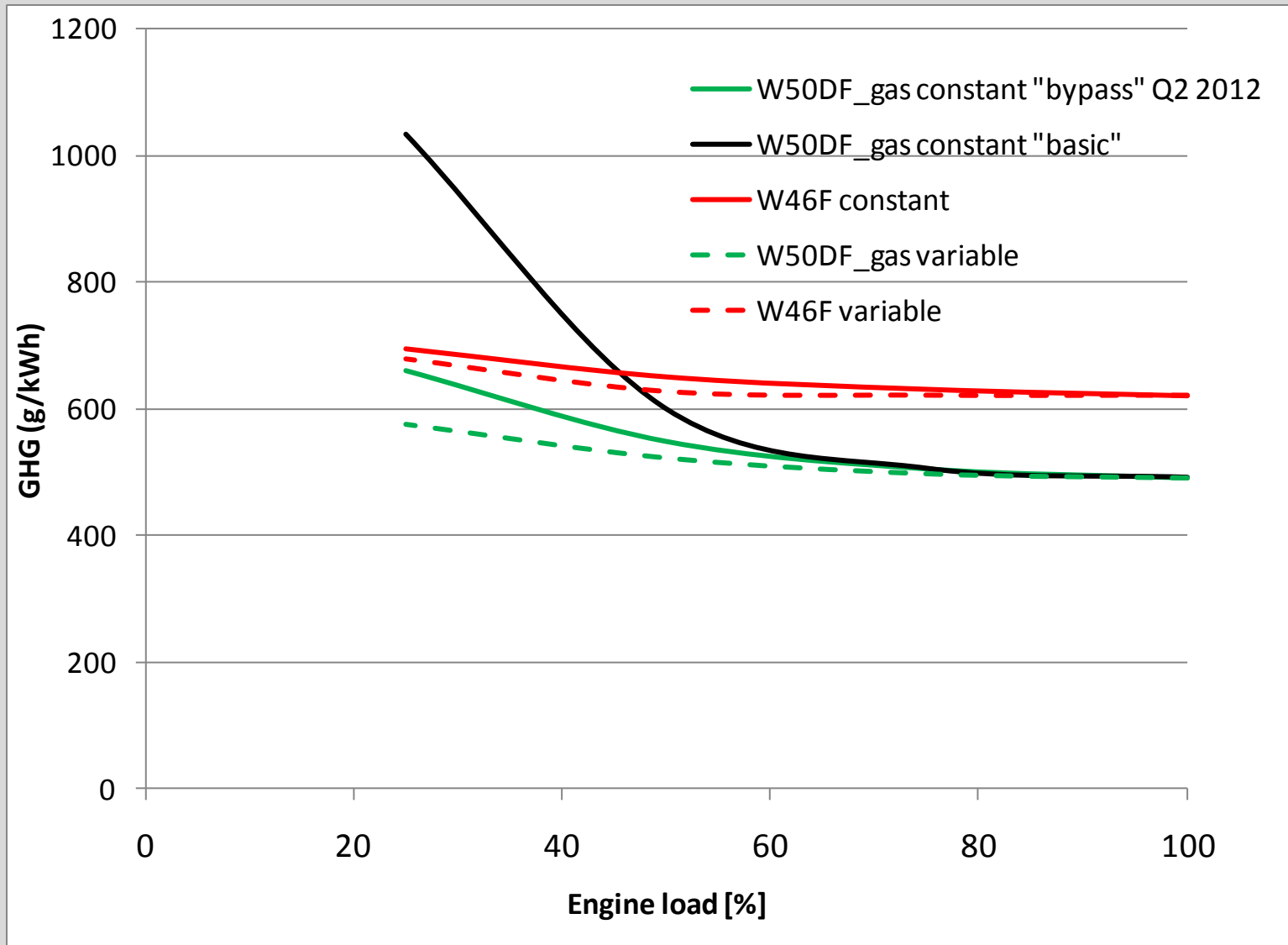
# Methane slip – not optimised



| Method                                            | Applicable load (%) | Reduction in THC (%) |
|---------------------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| Lower boost level<br>(Higher NOx with IMO Tier 3) | 60...80             | 0...40               |
| Higher charge air temperature                     |                     |                      |
| Skip firing                                       | 0...30              | 50...85              |
| MFI timing                                        | ~30...100           | 20...30              |
| Minimizing dead volumes (clearances)              | 0...100             | ~20                  |
| Optimized combustion chamber (piston bowl shape)  | ~50...100           | ~18                  |
| Usage of Air by-pass<br>(On constant speed)       | 20...60             | 25...60              |
| EGR                                               |                     |                      |
| Catalyst (Oxicat)                                 | 0...100             | 50...70              |
| Catalyst (Xcat)                                   | 0...100             | >90                  |

By combining these measures reduction of 50-80% can be reached at all loads! Some measure can be implemented also on existing engines!





- Implementation plan of CH<sub>4</sub> reduction measures to production **June 2011**
- **W34 DF:** Weighted average acc ISO 8178 E2 and E3 cycle THC < 6 g/kWh for deliveries >Q2 2012
- **W50 DF:** Weighted average acc ISO 8178 E2 and E3 cycle THC < 3.5 g/kWh for deliveries >Q2 2012



Lean burn otto-cycle gas engines have great environmental benefits:

- $\text{NO}_x$  limits below IMO Tier III
- $\text{SO}_x$  nearly zero
- PM nearly zero
- Less  $\text{CO}_2$

Methane emissions at low load and nominal speed for “base-engine”

In spite of  $\text{CH}_4$  25\*  $\text{CO}_2$  effect, total GHG for DF well below same size diesel engine

R&D project finished which explored number of technologies to reduce methane slip. Potential: 50-80% reduction with primary measures

Oxidation catalyst under development

Thank you



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