

## Lesione 30 -

Diesel cycle has much higher  $\beta$  since the compression is quite

Yolard contains the volume ratio between the two points where it changes since it's not the same.

Because we have an  $\alpha_c$ , the curve relative to the Otto cycle is lower.

The trend of the real efficiency is maintained like the ideal efficiency.

There is just simply a drop to correct the trend but the shape is the same.

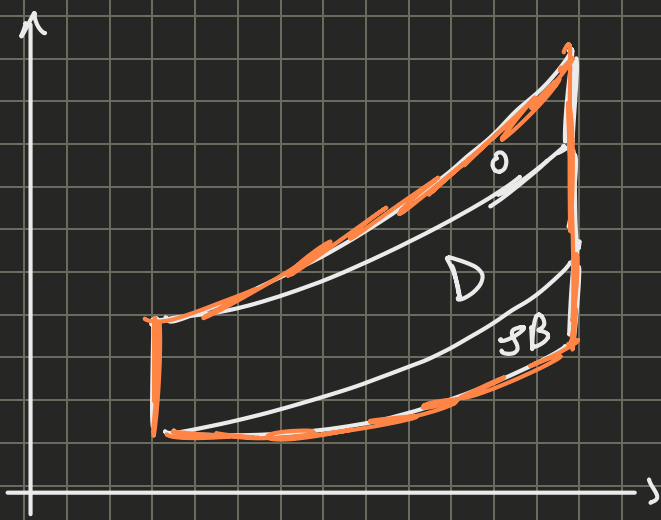
### Diesel vs. Otto

#### Advantages

- ↳ Higher overall efficiency
- ↳ Higher efficiency at part load
- ↳ Less valuable fuel

#### Disadvantages

- ↳ Heavier
- ↳ Lower power per unit displaced volume
- ↳ Generally noisier.



Humphrey cycle,  
is a cycle that  
attempts to optimise the  
cycle.

Impossible since ICB can't have isobaric cooling.

The idea is to take a gas-turbine, changing the burner to a combustion chamber where there can be an isobaric compression. This is not very practical. The new idea is to look at rotating combustion engines

### Limit Cycle

Concept: Real Gas inside ideal machine

Two effects:

- Non-ideal gas  $\Rightarrow$  variation of  $C_p$  with  $T$ :

$$q_h = u_3 - u_2 = \int_{T_2}^{T_3} C_v dT$$

$$\frac{dC_v}{dT} > 0$$

$$q_h = \text{const} \Rightarrow T_3 \downarrow$$

$C_v$  only nearly constant only at lower temperatures, and since we can reach  $T = 0 (10^3)$   $C_v$  is no longer constant

- Instability of Gases produced by combustion

Once our temperatures reach  $T \sim 2500\text{ K}$ , the gases produced tends to be unstable and start to decompose into other elements, these reactions are endothermic, causing the energy and temperature to drop, causing us to reduce pressure and energy.

For  $T < 2000\text{ K}$ , the reactions are reversed.

These are exothermic, increasing  $T$

→ Dissociation at high  $T$  requires energy  $T_3 \downarrow$  }  $\eta_{th} \downarrow$   
 Recombination at low  $T$  releases energy }  $\eta_{th} \downarrow$

⇒  $\eta \downarrow \Rightarrow \eta = \frac{\eta_{lim}}{\eta_{th}}$

↳ Limit Cycle efficiency, is the difference between the ideal and real works, it's not a thermodynamic efficiency.

## Real Cycles

### Spark Ignition: Model

Four most relevant effects:

- Fluid-dynamic losses in ducts and across the intake and exhaust valves
- Heat transfer through duct walls and cylinder walls
- Non-instantaneous (not isochoric) combustion
- Phase displacements in the opening/closing of valves.

Indicated cycle is smoother since not everything is instantaneous

losses reduce  $\eta$  because we need to keep cooling the water so they don't fail on us.

Power of the Engine:

$$\eta = \frac{|\dot{L}|}{\dot{Q}_H} = \frac{\dot{m}_{FG} |l|}{\dot{m}_F LHV_F} = \frac{|l|}{\frac{\dot{m}_F}{\dot{m}_{FG}} LHV_F} = \frac{(\alpha+1)|l|}{LHV_F}$$

$$\dot{m}_{FG} = \dot{m}_F + \dot{m}_{ox} \rightarrow \alpha = \frac{\dot{m}_{ox}}{\dot{m}_F}$$

$$|l| = \frac{\eta LHV_F}{\alpha+1}$$

$\eta_{org}$  organic loss

$$\eta = \frac{|\dot{L}|}{\dot{Q}_H} = \frac{\cancel{\dot{m}_{FG}} |l|}{\cancel{\dot{m}_{FG}} q_H} = \frac{|l|}{q_H} = \frac{|l|}{|l_{ind}|} \cdot \frac{|l_{ind}|}{q_H}$$

indicated efficiency

indicated work

limit efficiency

from before

normal cycle efficiency.

$\eta_{ind}$

$\eta_{lim}$

$\eta_{id}$

$$= \frac{|l|}{|l_{ind}|} \cdot \frac{|l_{ind}|}{|l_{lim}|} \cdot \frac{|l_{lim}|}{|l_{id}|} \cdot \frac{|l_{id}|}{q_H}$$

$$1 = \eta_{\text{org}} \cdot \eta_{\text{IND}} \cdot \eta_{\text{LIM}} \cdot \eta_{\text{ID}}$$

$$|e| = \eta_{\text{org}} \eta_{\text{ind}} \eta_{\text{lim}} \eta_{\text{id}} \frac{LHV_F}{\alpha + 1}$$

$$|L^\circ| = m_{\text{FG}} |e| = \lambda \rho_0 V \frac{n}{60} \frac{1}{\epsilon} \eta_{\text{org}} \eta_{\text{ind}} \eta_{\text{lim}} \eta_{\text{id}} \frac{LHV_F}{\alpha + 1}$$

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$$m_{\text{FG}} = \rho V \cdot \frac{n}{60} \cdot \frac{1}{\epsilon} = \lambda \rho_0 V \frac{n}{60} \frac{1}{\epsilon}$$

$\rho$  ← density of intake fluid  
 $V$  ← engine displacement  
 $\frac{n}{60}$  ← coefficient for 2 or 4 strokes  
 $\frac{1}{\epsilon}$  ←  $\epsilon = 1$  (number of revolutions to capture a new volume),  $\epsilon = 2$

$$\lambda = \rho / \rho_0 \rightarrow \rho = \rho_0 \lambda$$