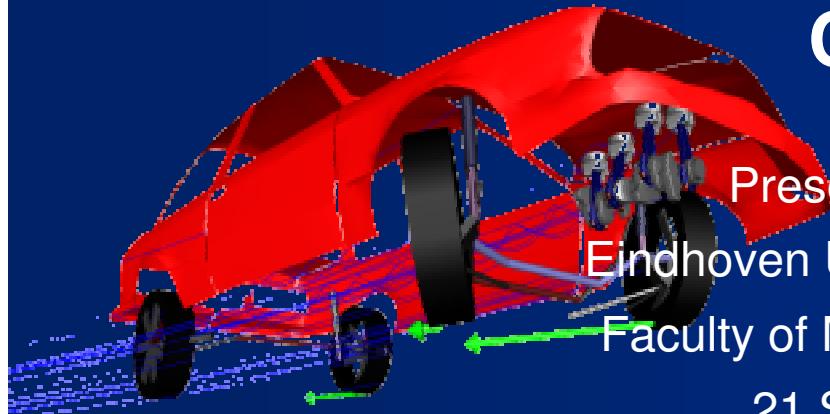


Physical Plant Modeling with Modelica - An Investigation of Improved Engine Cranking



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Company Overview



Overall

- 111 plants in 25 countries
- Over 300.000 employees
- \$164 billion revenues
- 6.7 million vehicle units

R&A (Research)

- United States
 - FRL - 900 employees
- Ford of Europe - 290 emp.
 - FFA -160 employees

R&A location

Ford Forschungszentrum Aachen (FFA)

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Research Topics

- Clean Diesel Engines
- Environmental Science
- Advanced Material Technologies
- Alternative Powertrains

Fuel Cells

Energy Management

Vehicle Electronics and Controls

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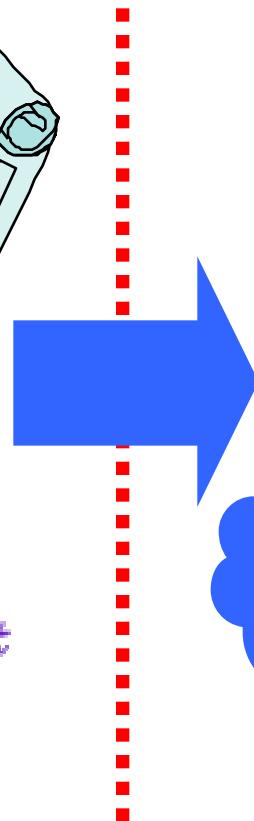
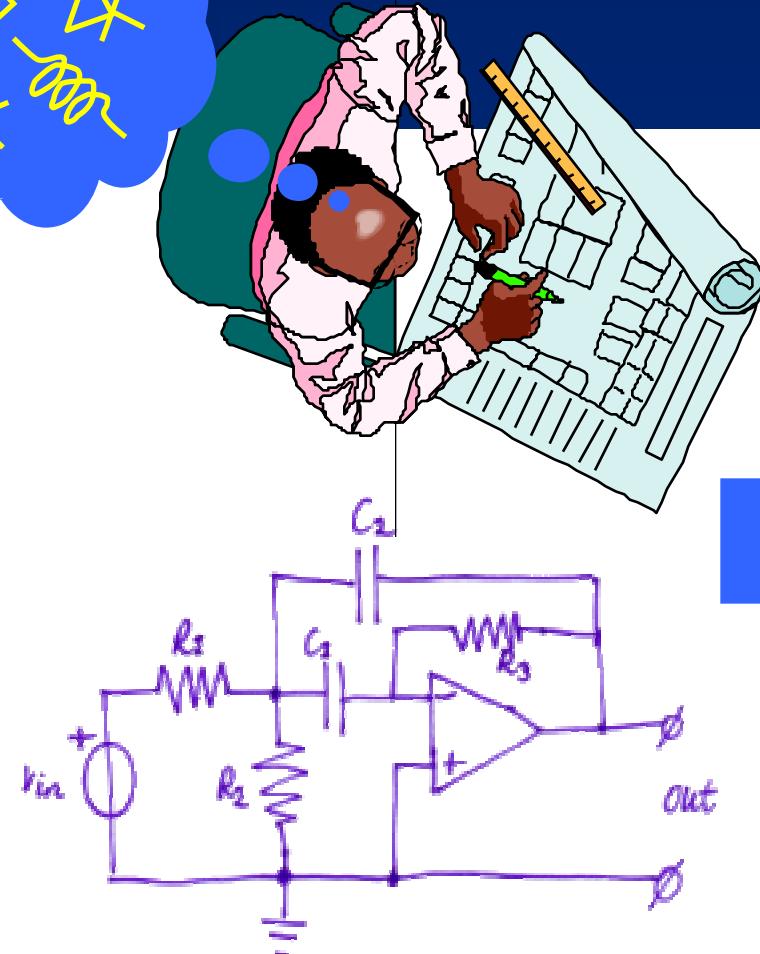


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Causal vs. Acausal Modeling

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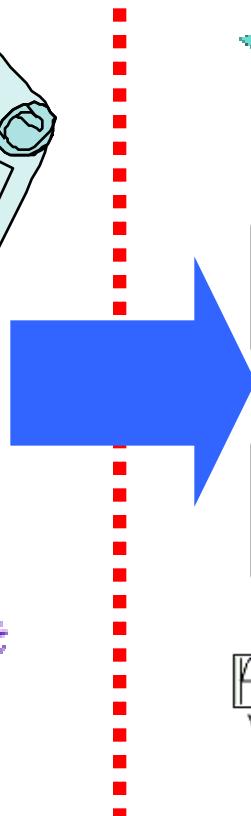
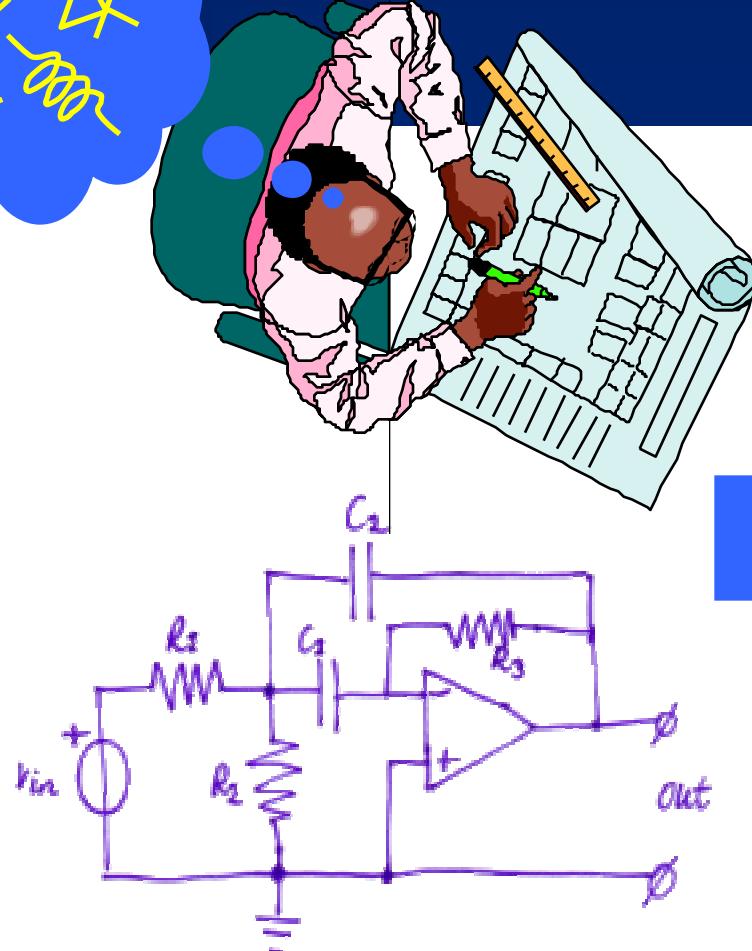
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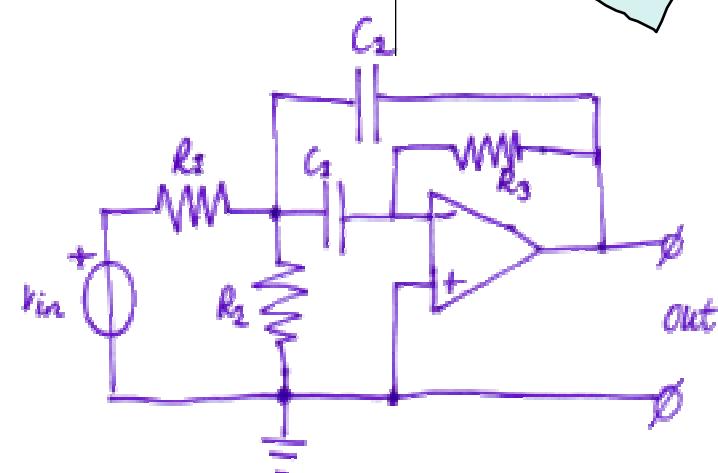
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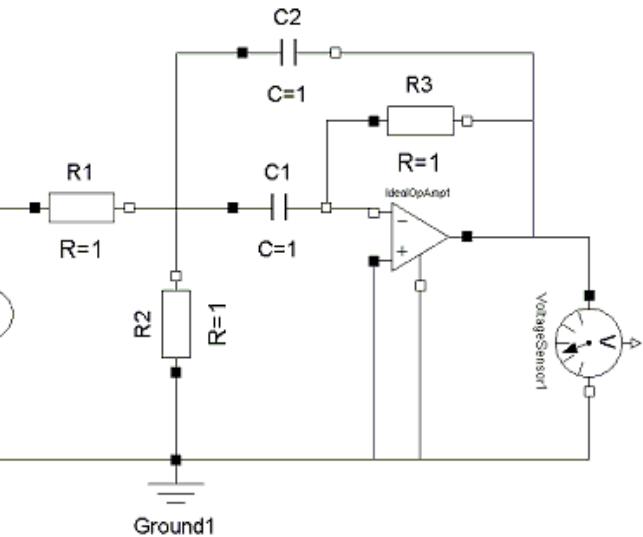
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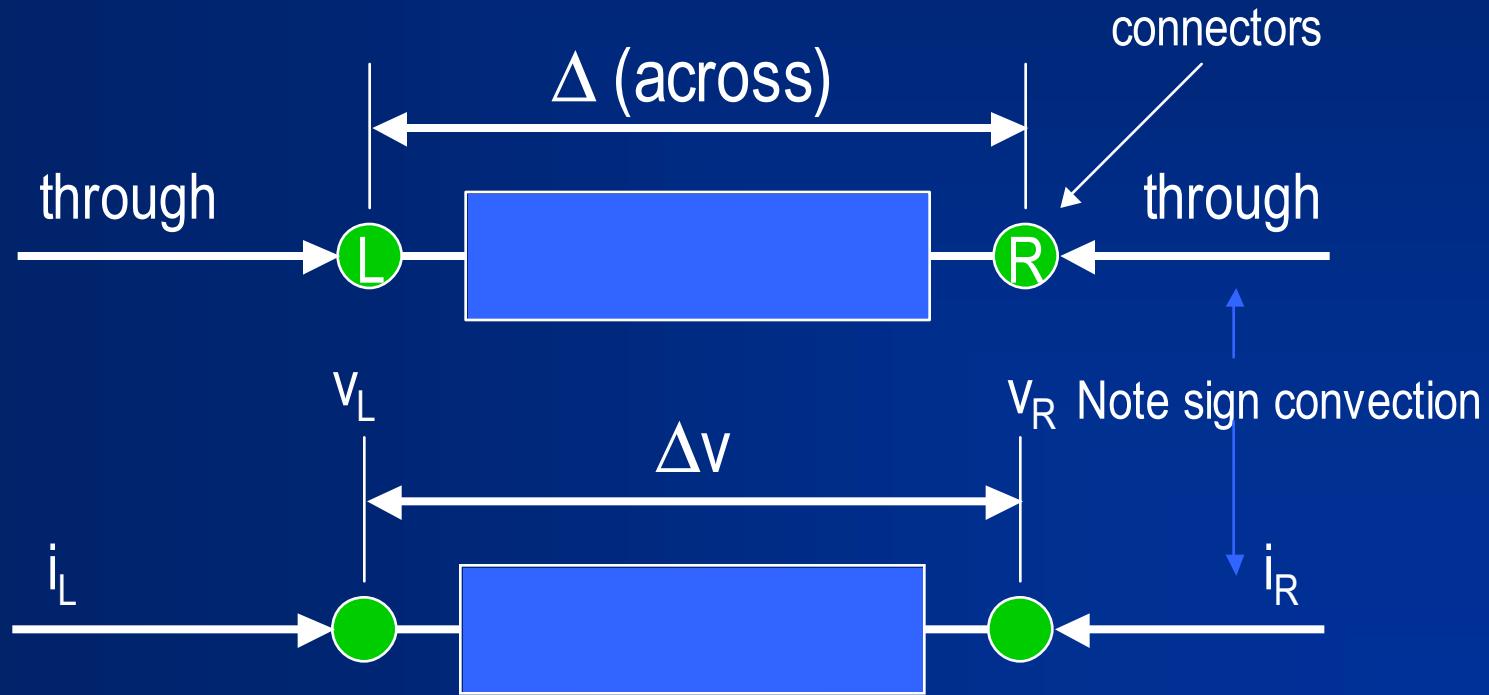
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Causal vs. Acausal Modeling

Acausal component model

- Acausal since for instance voltage is not the response of current and vice versa
- Conservation laws: sum of all currents / torques / heat flow / etc... = zero in each connection point



Modelica - Fundamentals



www.modelica.org

- Modelica Association: a non-profit organization
- Multi-domain
 - Complex connector definitions
 - Expressive enough to handle domain-specific behavior
- Additional benefits
 - Non-proprietary
 - Causal AND acausal
 - Continuous and discrete
 - Object-oriented
 - Modeling by putting down text-book equations
 - Configuration management
 - Many free libraries already available (e.g. electrical, mechanical, multi-body, thermal, vehicle dynamics, SPICElib, thermofluid, fuzzycontrol, etc...)



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Modelica - Fundamentals

- Connector definition

```
connector Pin "Electrical Pin"  
    Voltage v "Voltage at the pin";  
    flow Current i "Voltage into the pin";  
end Pin;
```

- Component definition

```
model Resistor "Electrical Pin"  
    Pin p, n "two pins";  
    parameter Resistance R "Resistance";  
    equation  
        p.i = (p.v-n.v)/R "Ohm's Law";  
        n.i + p.i = 0;  
    end Pin;
```



Modelica - Fundamentals

- Different physical domains

```
connector Flange "Mechanical connection"  
Position x "Location of the flange";  
flow Force F "Momentum entering at flange";  
end Flange;
```

```
connector Port "Hydraulic port"  
Pressure P "Pressure at this port";  
flow MassFlowRate m_dot "Inward mass flow";  
end Port;
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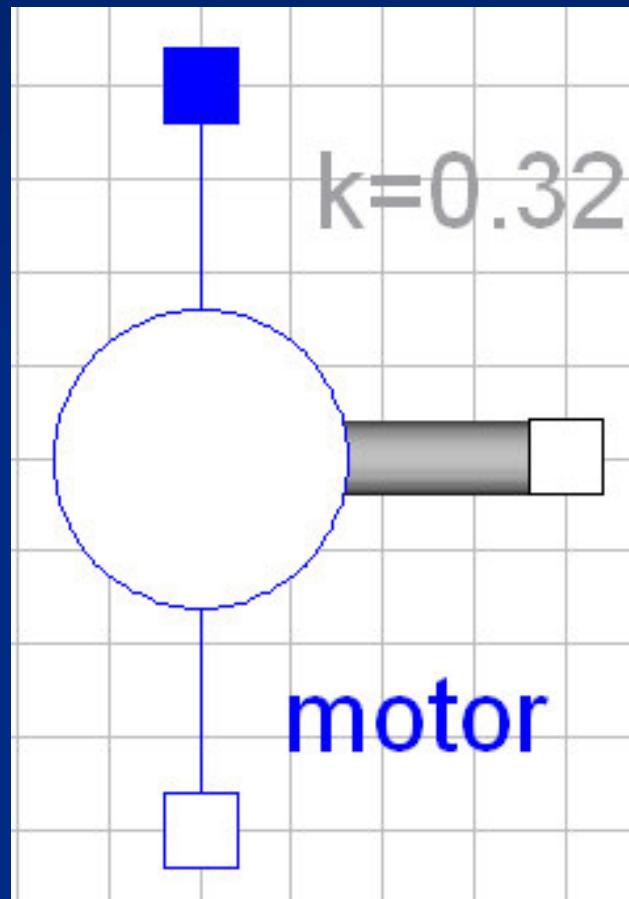
```
connector Thermal "Thermal node"  
Temperature T "Temperature at this node";  
flow HeatFlowRate q "Inward heat flow";  
end Pin;
```



Modelica - Fundamentals

Mixing different domains

```
model EMF
    parameter Real k;
    Voltage v, i;
    AngularVelocity w;
    PositivePin p;
    NegativePin n;
    Flange_b flange_b;
equation
    v = p.v - n.v;
    p.i + n.i = 0;
    i = p.i;
    w = der(flange_b.phi);
    k*w = v;
    flange_b.tau = -k*i;
end EMF;
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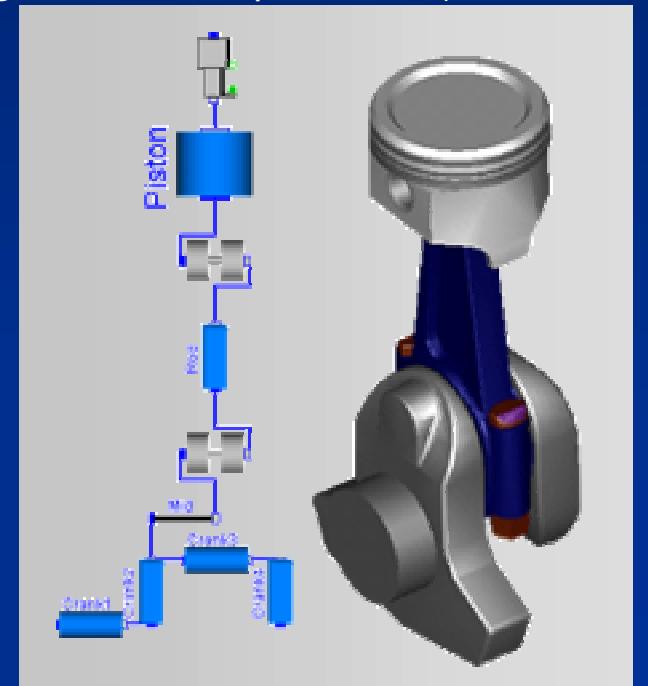
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Modelica - Dymola

Dymola is a commercial tool of Dynasim AB

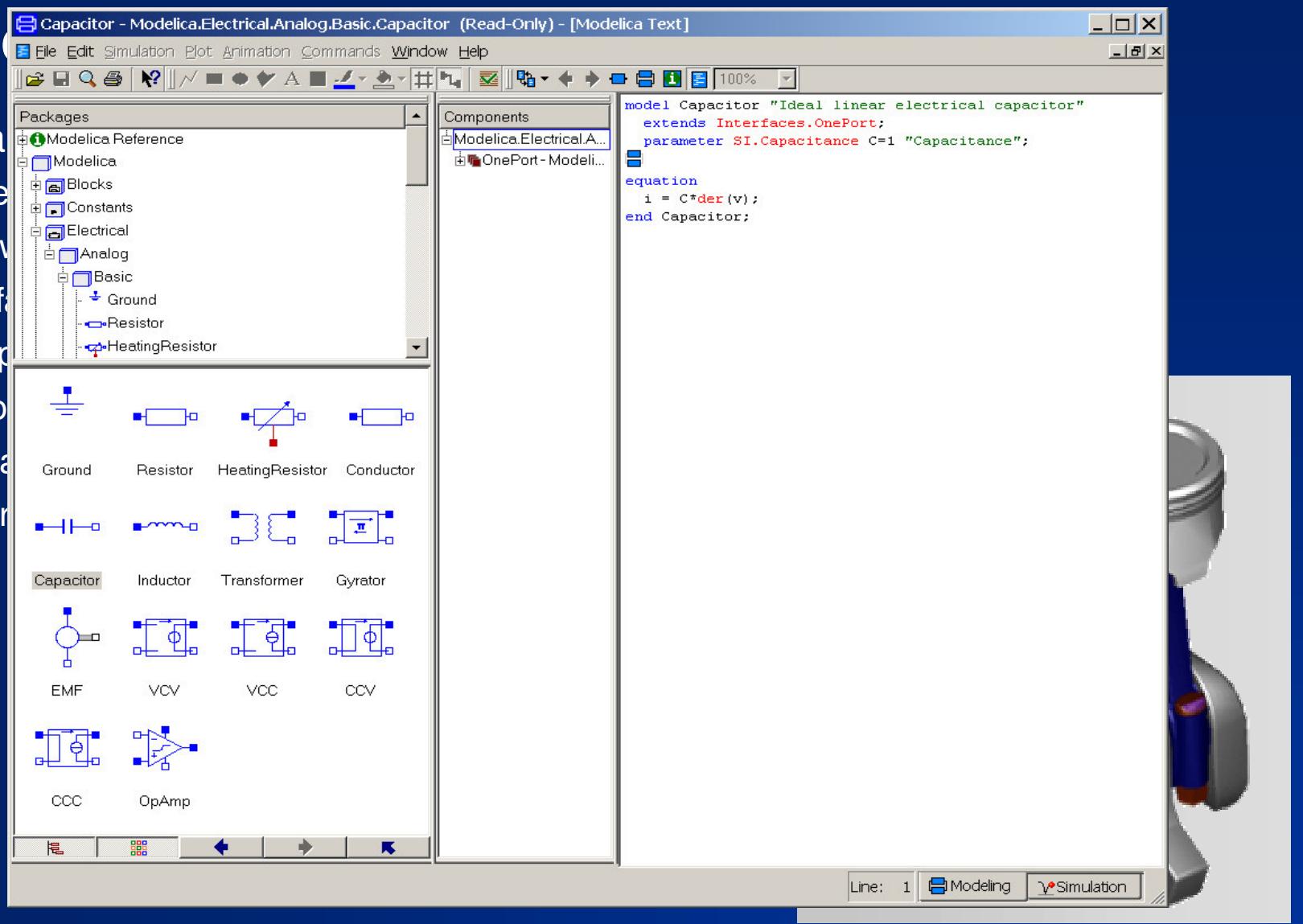
- Makes use of the Modelica language
- Hardware-in-the-loop simulations (dSpace, xPC, RT-LAB)
- Interface to Simulink (NO co-simulation but based on S-functions)
- C-export (import models in other simulation packages e.g. AnSoft Simplorer etc.)
- 3D tool (for multibody modeling)
- Pre- and postprocessing
- Programming and 'drag and drop'-modeling



Modeling

Dymola

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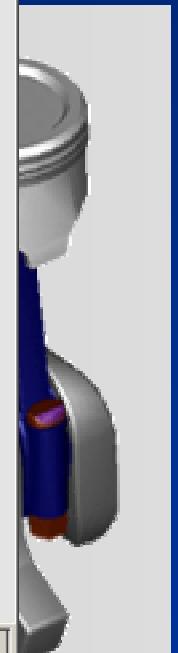
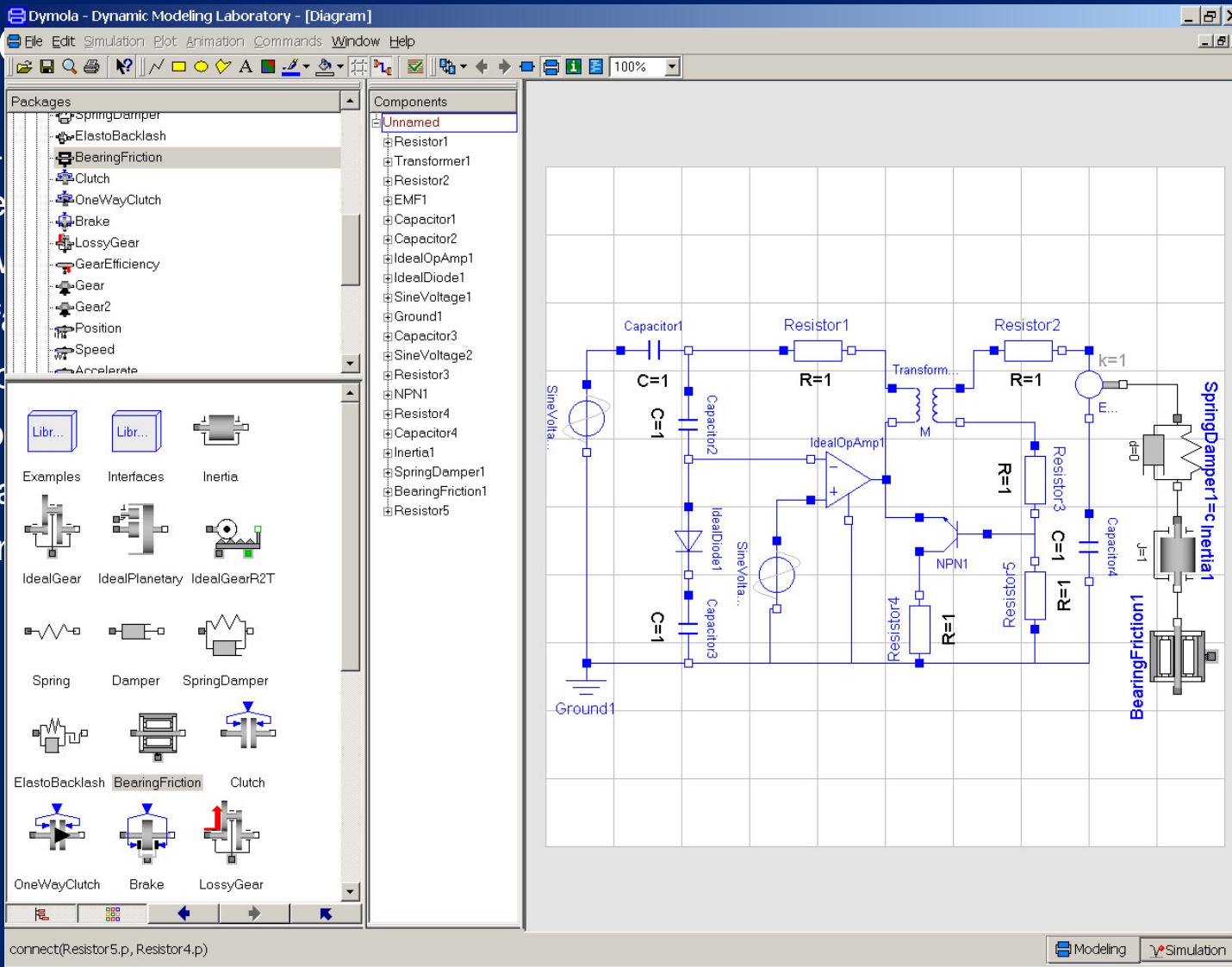


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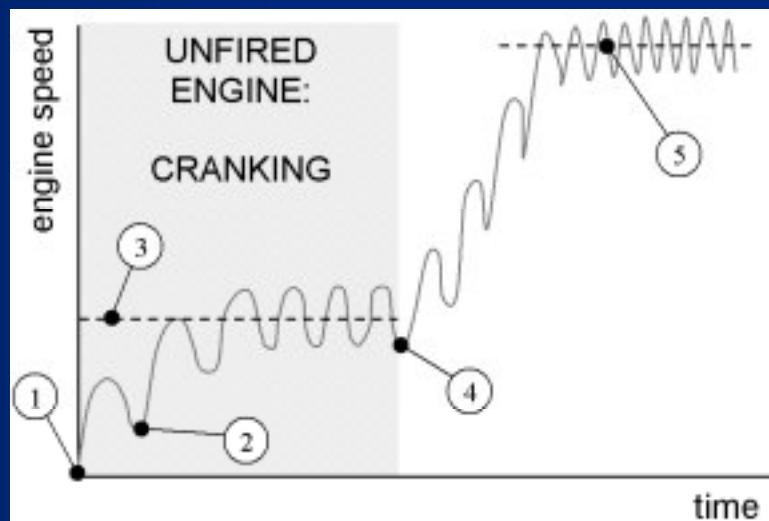


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“What happens during engine cranking?”

- Cranking is defined by the motored state of the engine (no firing)
- Critical for the cranking device (startermotor) are:
 - (1) Engine break-away (static friction torque)
 - (2) Get the engine successfully through the 1st /2nd compression
 - (3) Reach a motored speed from which the engine can start firing



- Lower temperature means higher friction (lower tolerances and higher viscosity) and therefore more difficulties with cranking the engine.



ISG and Dual Storage System



Conventional situation

- Separate starter motor and alternator
- Starter motor geared to engine flywheel
- Alternator in FEAD (belt)



Proposal

- Alternator is enhanced (higher efficiency) and given motoring capability
- Integrated functionality of both starter motor and alternator (ISG)
- Connected in belt: belt-ISG



ISG and Dual Storage System



!!! CAUTION !!!

Due to the ratio difference...

1. A different device inertia when lumped on the crankshaft:
statermotor approx. $0.39 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}^2$
B-ISG approx. $0.0054 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}^2$
2. The B-ISG needs to deliver a much higher torque than the statermotor. This is especially difficult for Diesel engines (high compression ratio): Dual Storage System.

- Connected in belt: belt-ISG

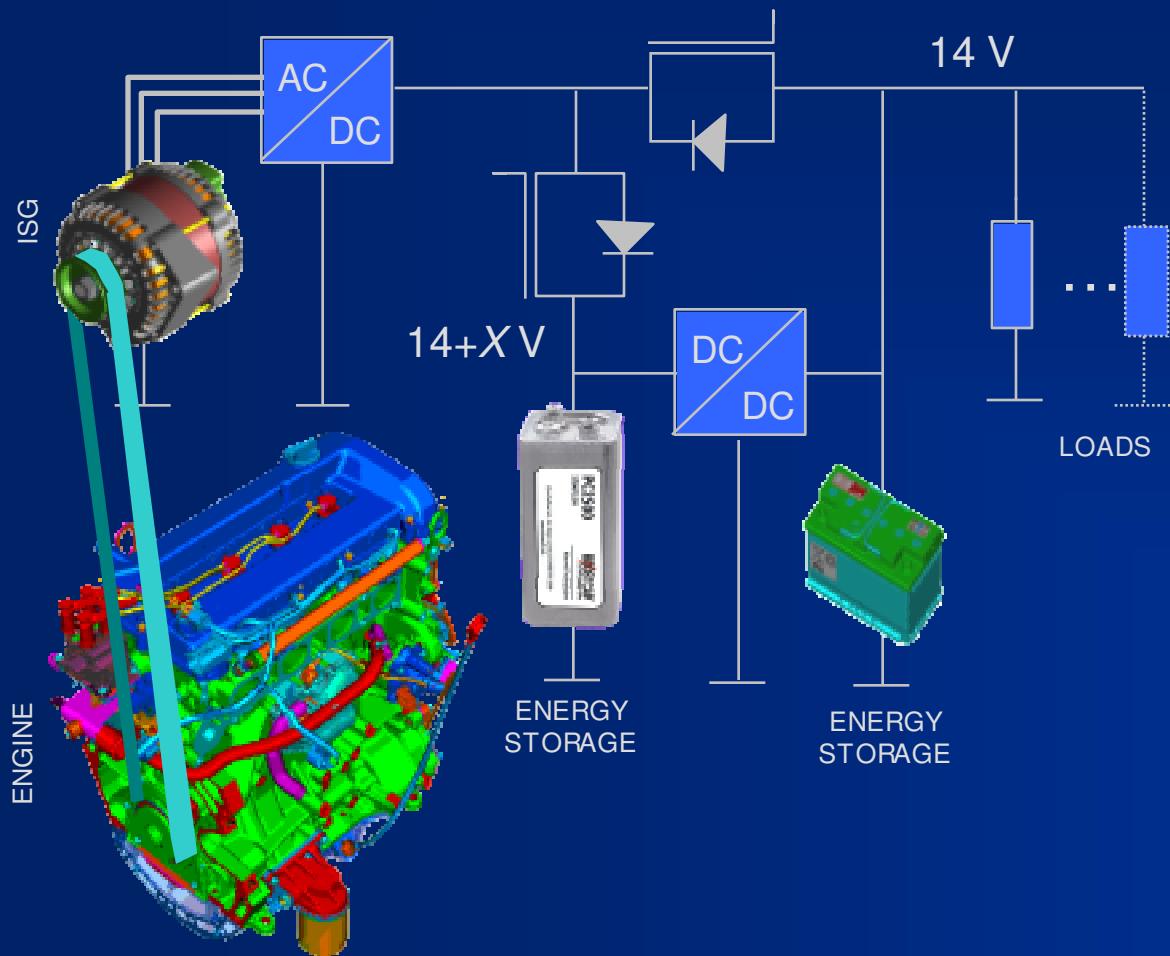
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ISG and Dual Storage System

Operation principle



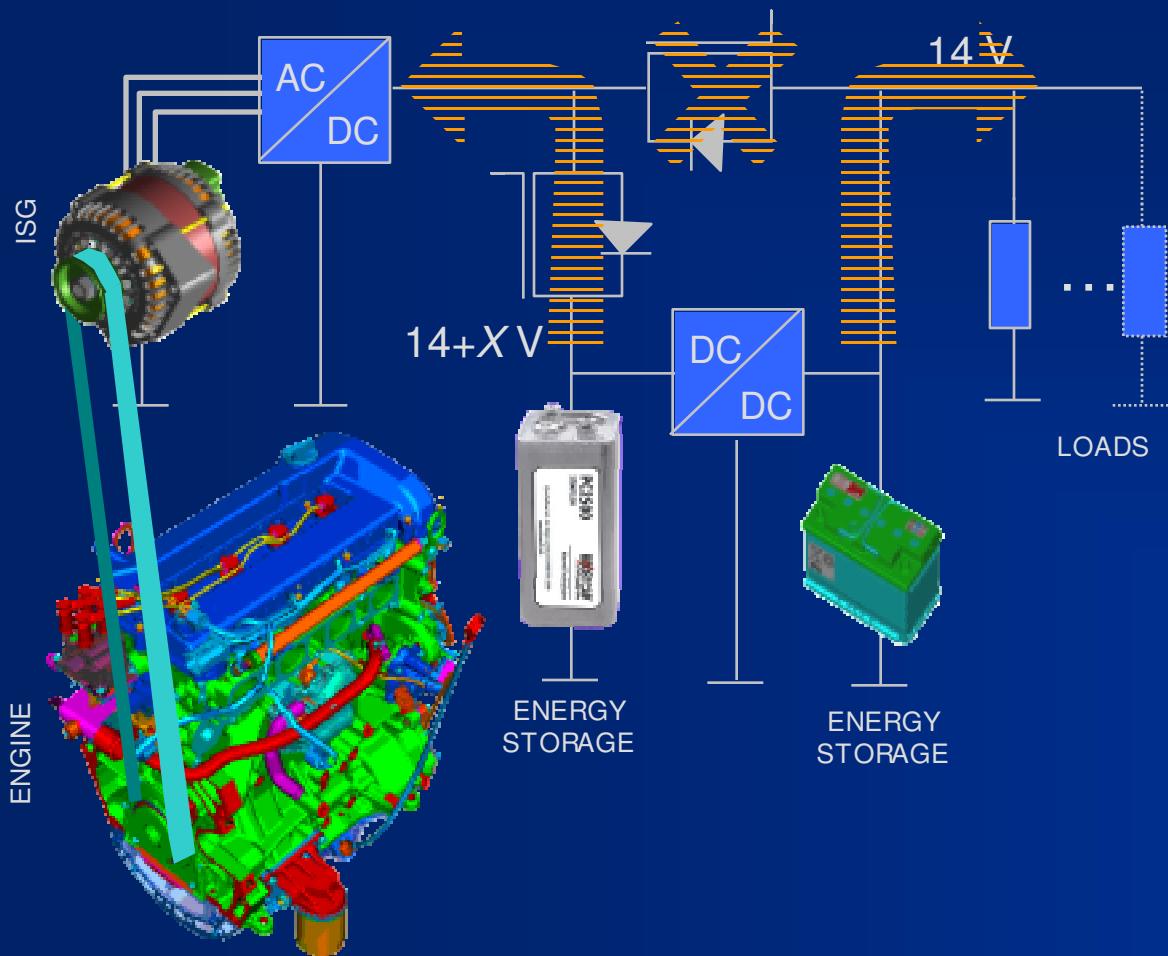
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- 14+X V (Re-)generation
- 14 V generation



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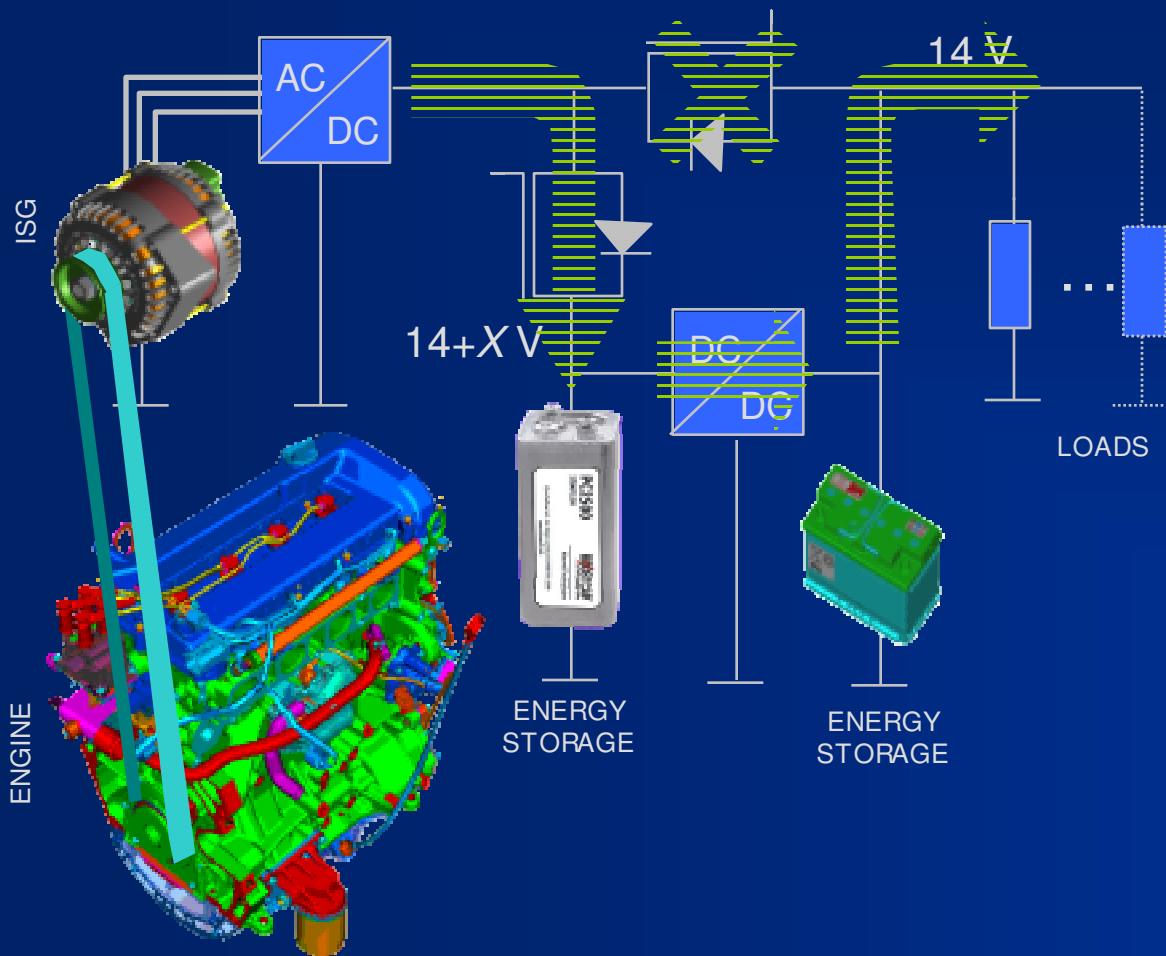
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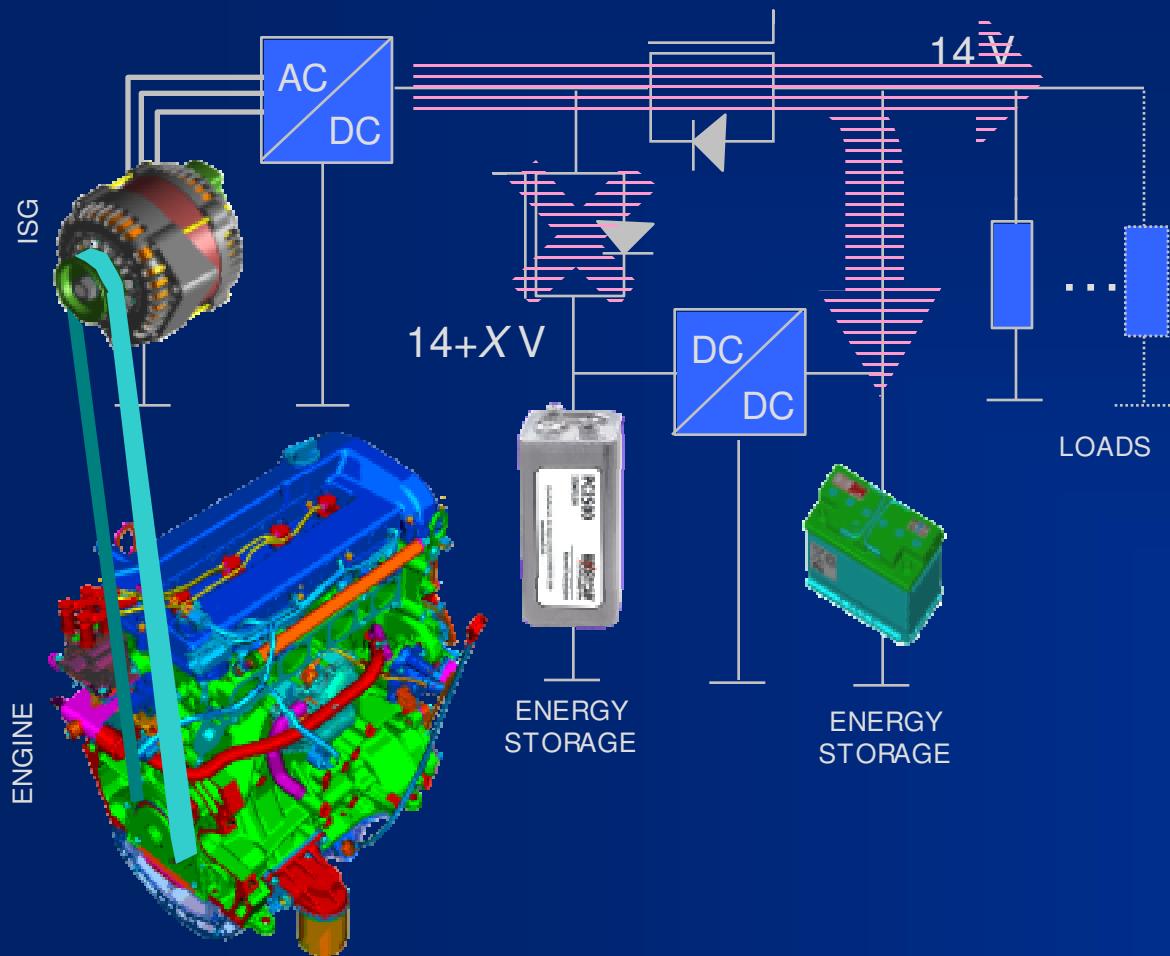
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ISG and Dual Storage System Demonstrator vehicle



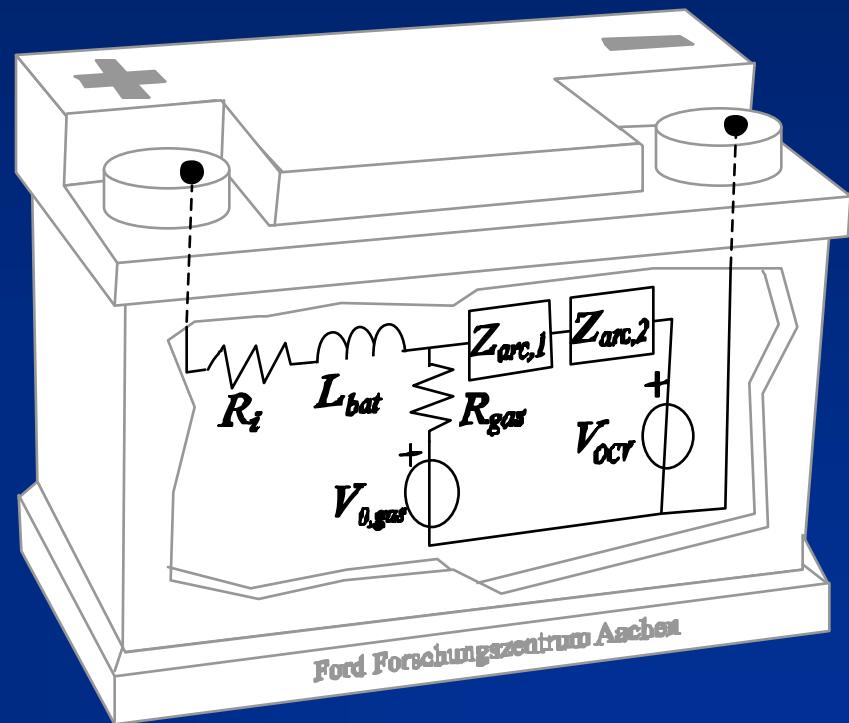
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Component Modeling - Battery

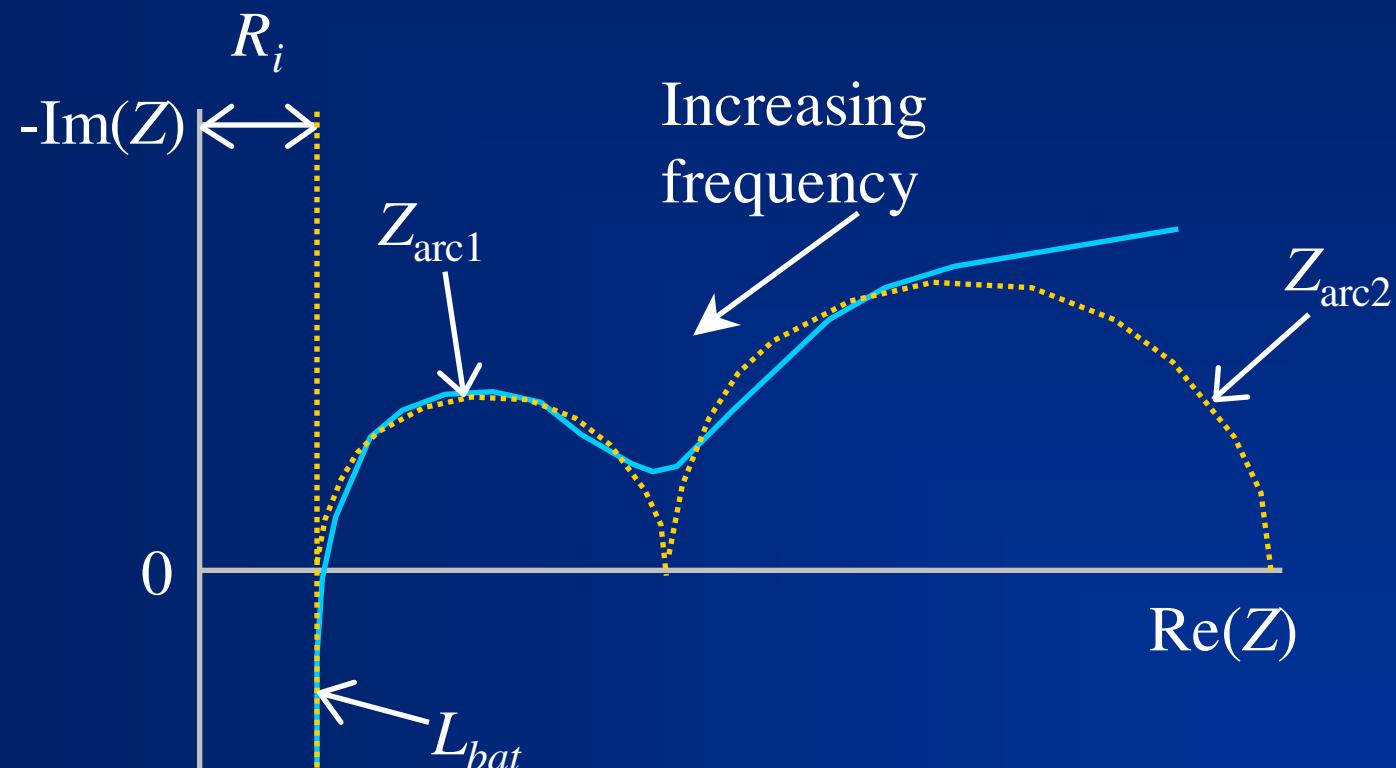
Model background

- Theory and parameterization:
Aachen University of Technology
- Based on impedance spectroscopy measurements
 - Battery is excited with AC currents
 - Different operating points are taken: State of Charge (SOC) and temperature
 - Usable for different battery technologies: lead-acid flooded / AGM



Component Modeling - Battery

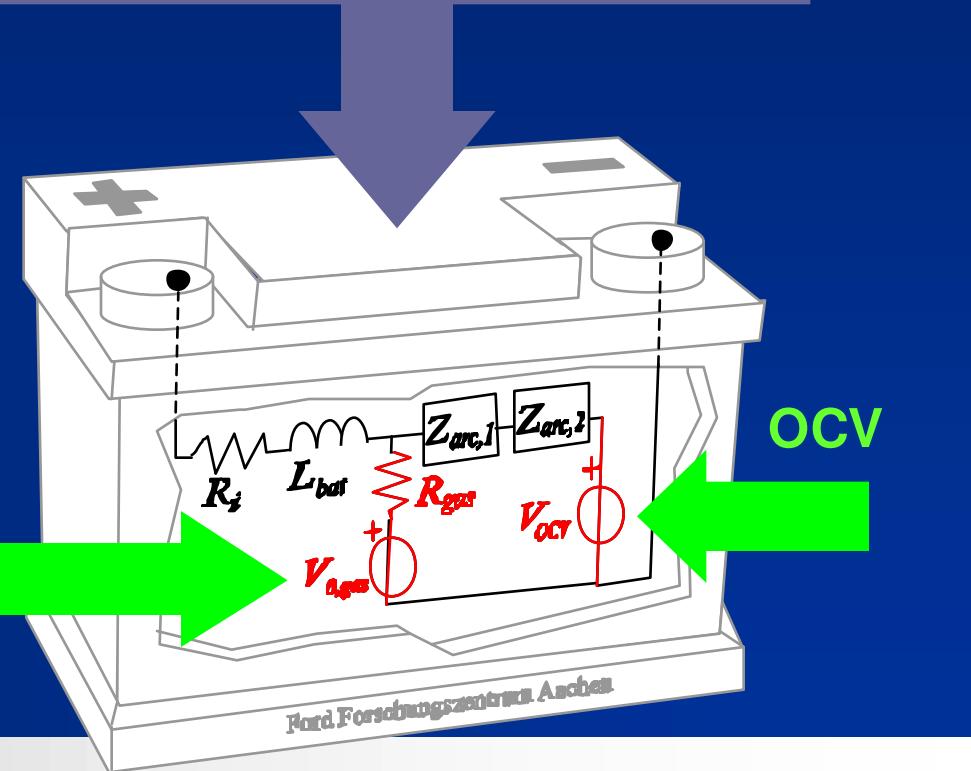
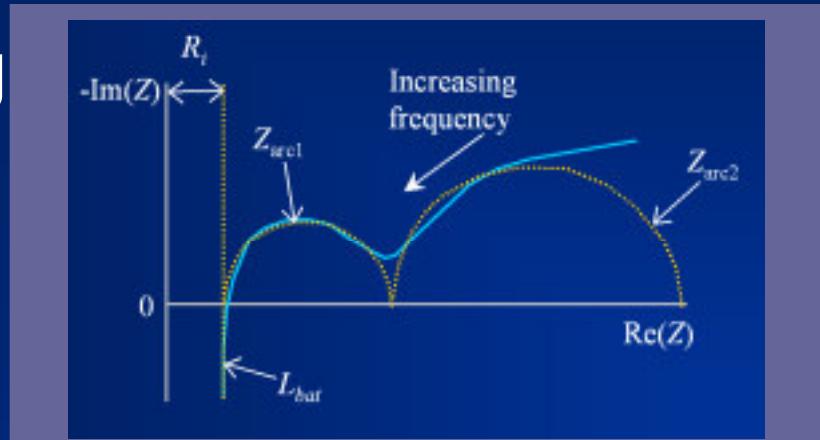
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Component Modeling

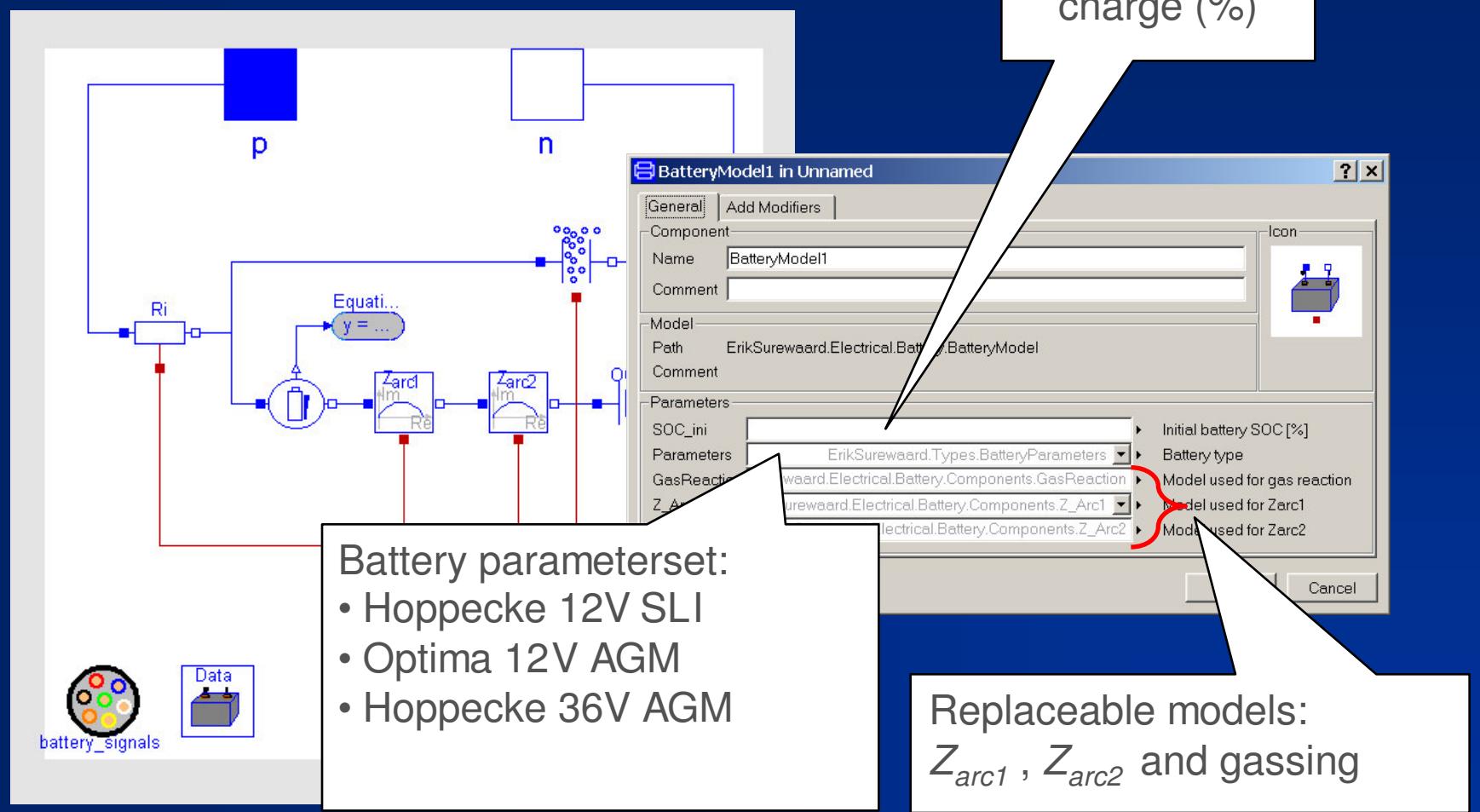
Model implementation

- Impedance spectrum is approximated with electric circuit representation. Additional are:
 - Open Circuit Voltage (OCV)
 - Gassing reaction (overcharging)
- Inductance can be omitted
 - Cabling to/from battery more dominant



Component Modeling - Battery

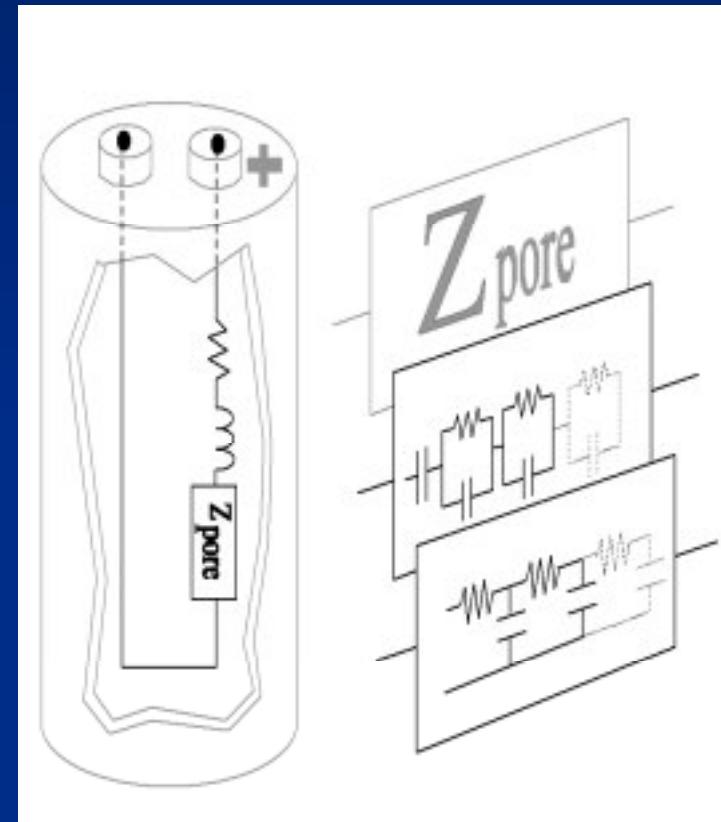
Model Implementation



Component Modeling - Supercapacitor

Model Background

- Theory and parameterization:
Aachen University of Technology
- Based on impedance spectroscopy measurements
 - Less complex as batteries
- Different implementation forms:
 - RC series / RC ladder
- Parameterized as function of
 - Temperature
 - Voltage



Component Modeling - Supercapacitor

Model Implementation

The diagram illustrates the implementation of a Supercapacitor model. It shows a schematic of a 4x3 grid of cells, a component dialog box for 'SuperCapacitorPack1', and a code editor displaying C++ code for connecting cells.

Schematic Diagram: A 4x3 grid of cylindrical cells. A red square labeled 'node' is connected to the leftmost cell in the top row. A blue square is connected to the top of the top row, and another blue square is connected to the bottom of the bottom row.

Component Dialog Box: Shows the 'SuperCapacitorPack1' component configuration. Parameters include:

- InitialCellVoltage
- Number of cells
- Number of RC-circuits
- Cell model (series or parallel representation)

Code Editor: Displays C++ code for connecting cells in series or parallel. The code uses parameters from the component dialog:

```

connect (Rpor[i].p, Rpor[i+1].p);
end if;
end for;

```

Parameters:

- Montena 1400F
- Montena 2600F
- NESS 5000F



Component Modeling - Engine

Model Implementation

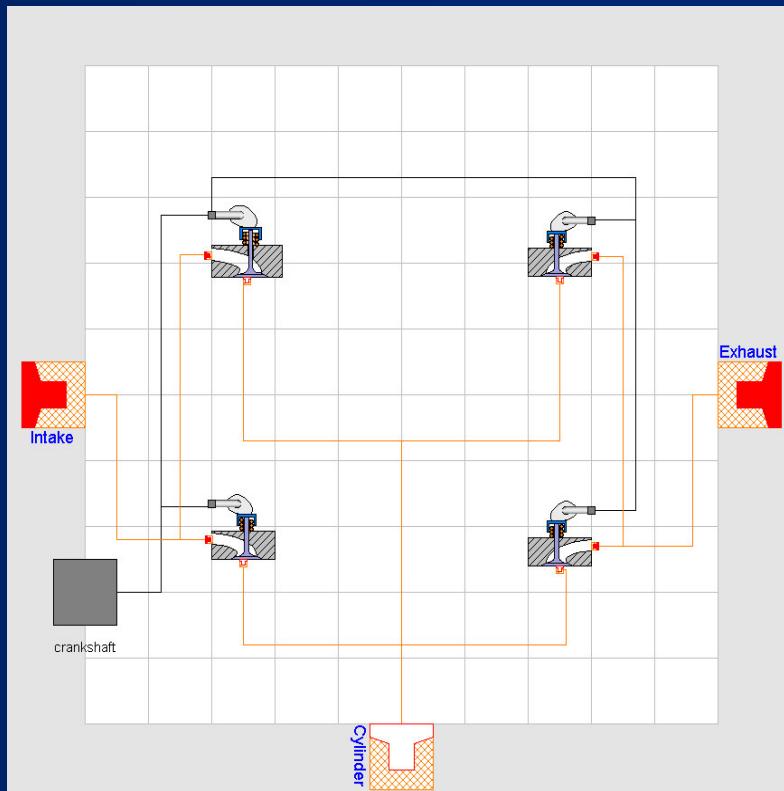
- Based on models developed by John Batteh, Michael Tiller, Charles Newman and Paul Bowles (all Ford Motor Company).
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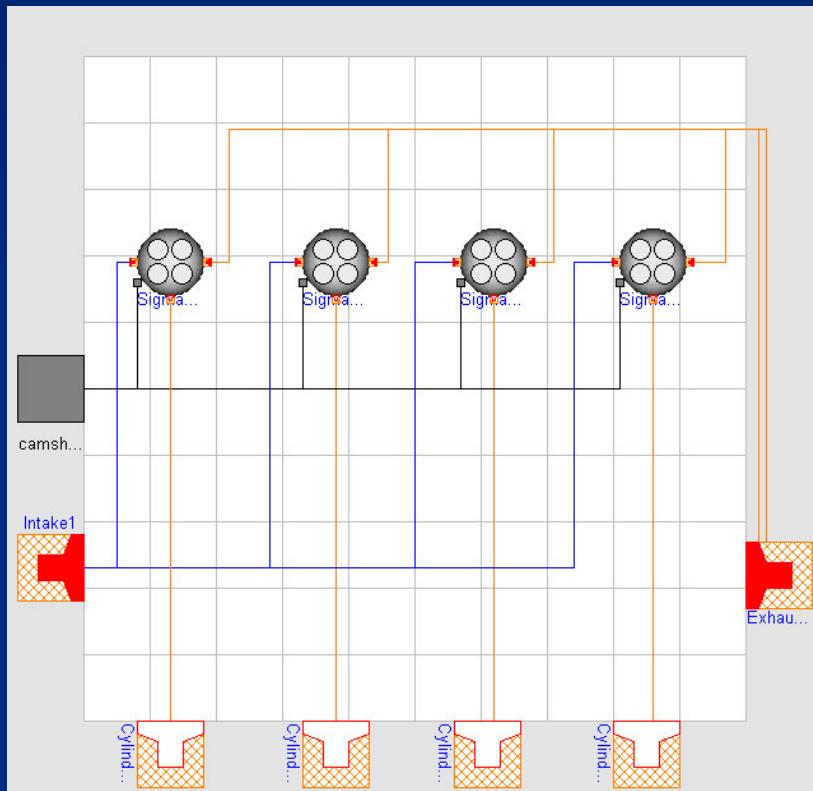
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Valvetrain Model



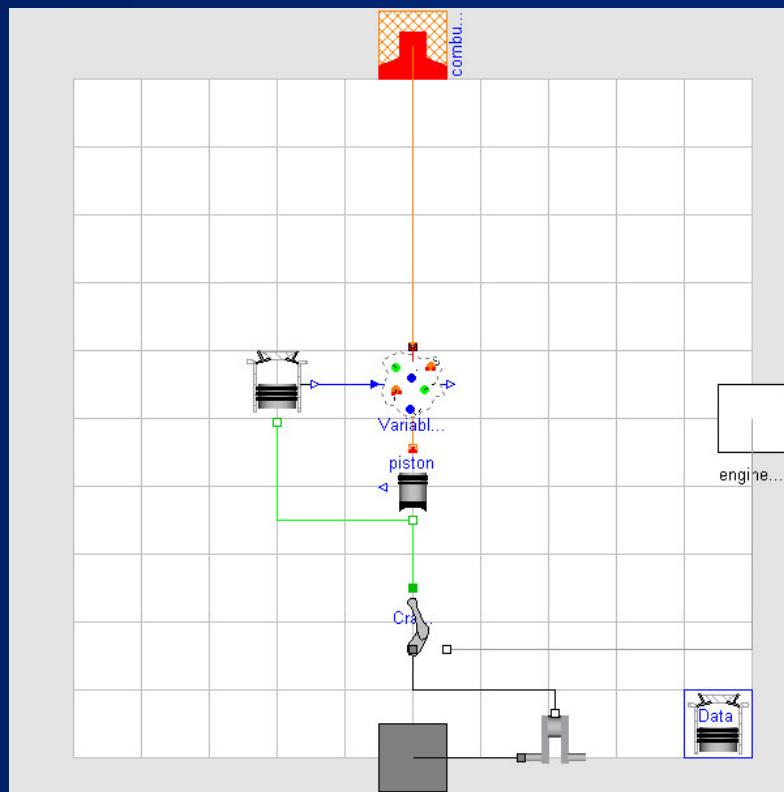
Engine Head



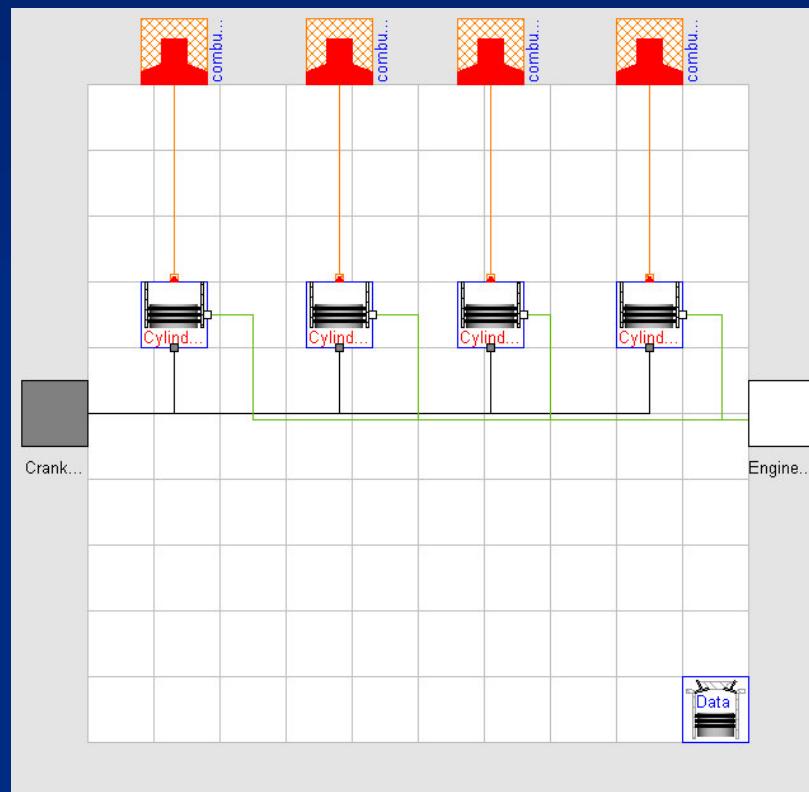
Component Modeling - Engine

Model Implementation

Motored Cylinder Model



4-Cylinder Engine



Component Modeling - Engine Losses

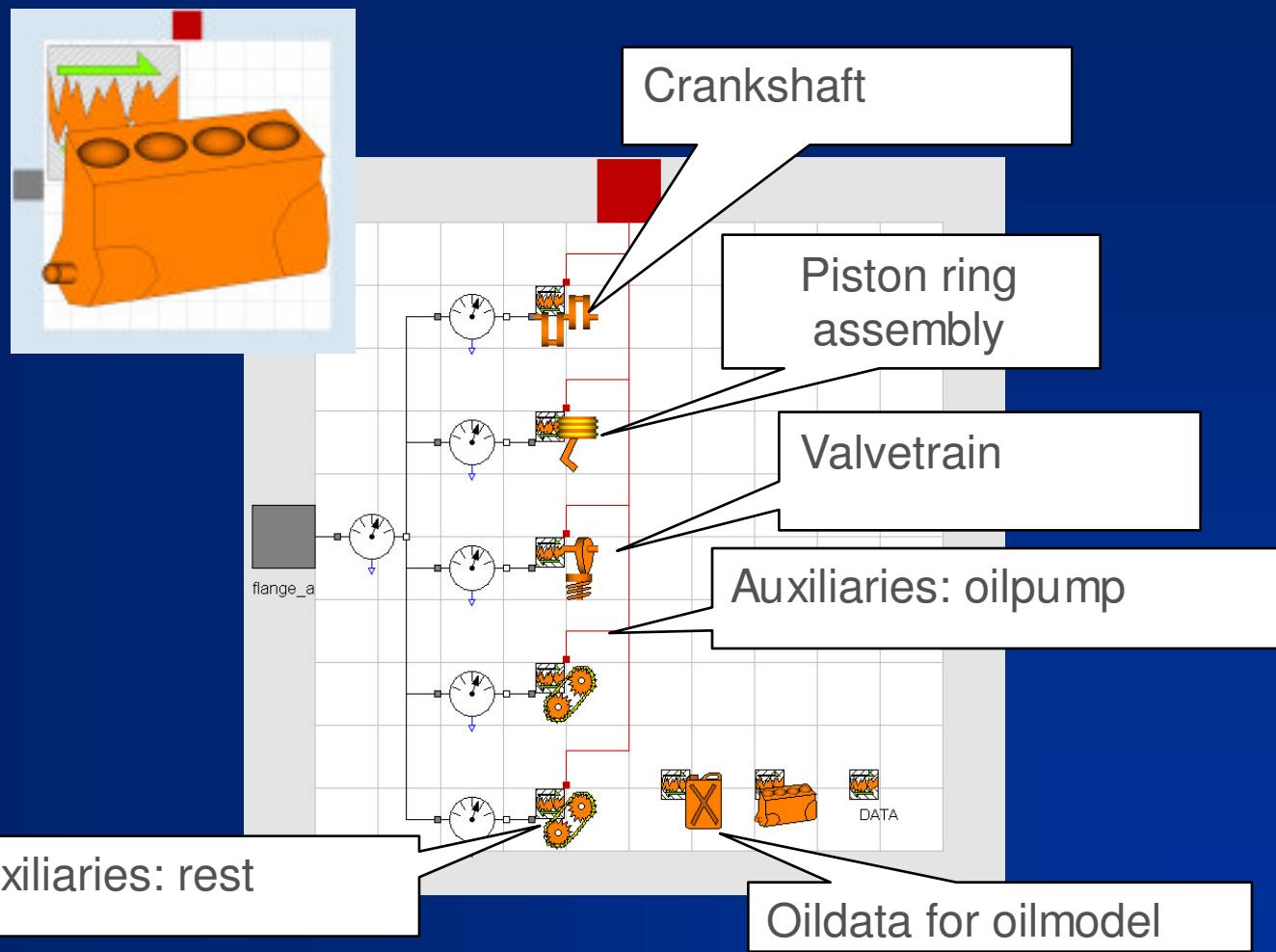
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- Based on: **Shayler, P., Leong, D.K.W. and Murphy, M.**, "Friction Teardown Data from Motored Engine Tests on Light Duty Automotive Diesel Engines at Low Temperatures and Speeds", ASME paper, ICEF2003-745, 2003
- Correction of the "Patton, Nitschke, Heywood"-engine losses model to make it suitable for low speeds and low temperatures
- Separate functions for losses of (i) crankshaft, (ii) piston ring assembly, (iii) valvetrain and (iv) auxiliary components
- Function have fitting parameters to fit them to measured engine data
- Shayler-paper describes loss data of a 1.8L Ford Diesel engine and the fitting parameters for low enginespeeds and low temperature.



Component Modeling - Engine Losses

Model Implementation



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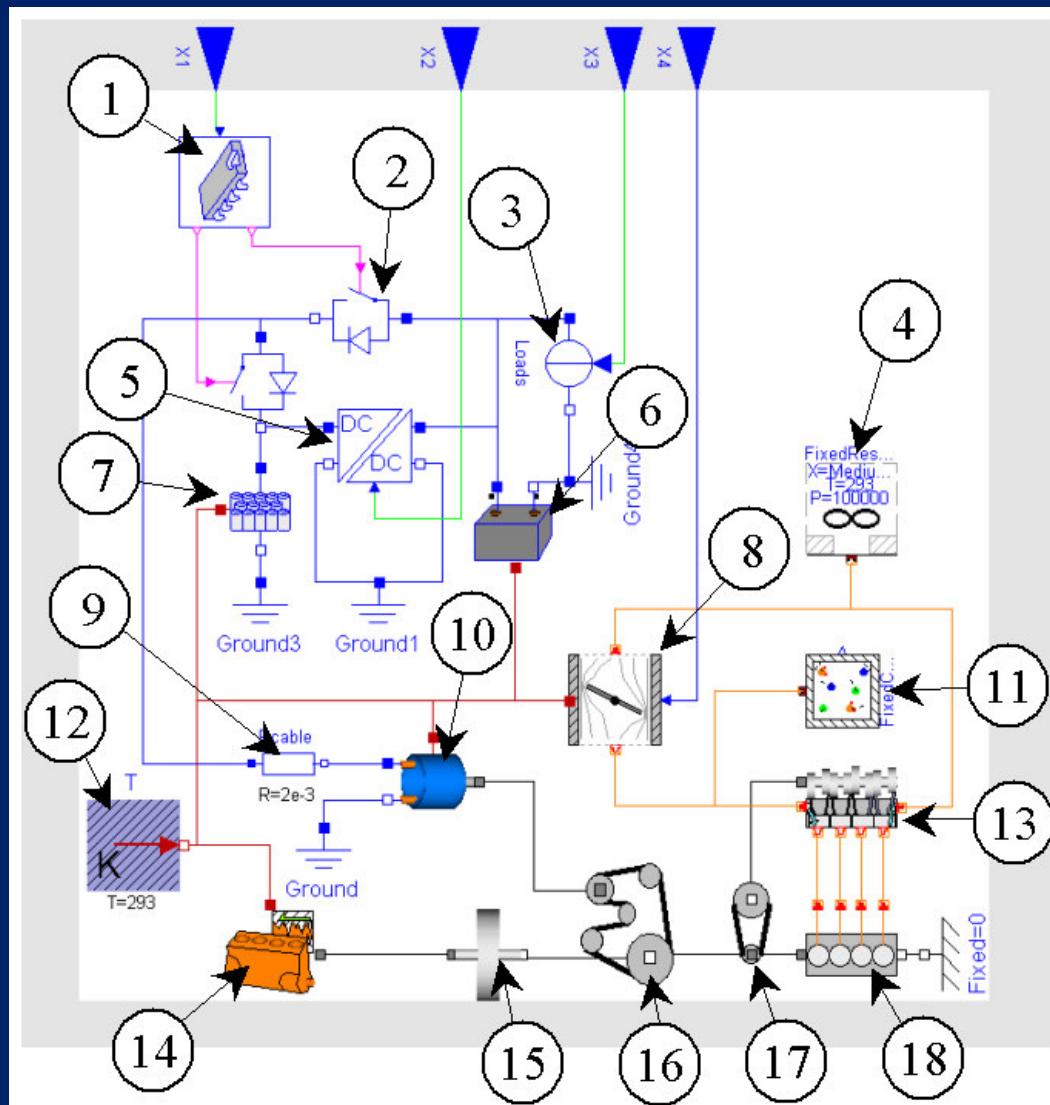
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Cranking Simulation Model

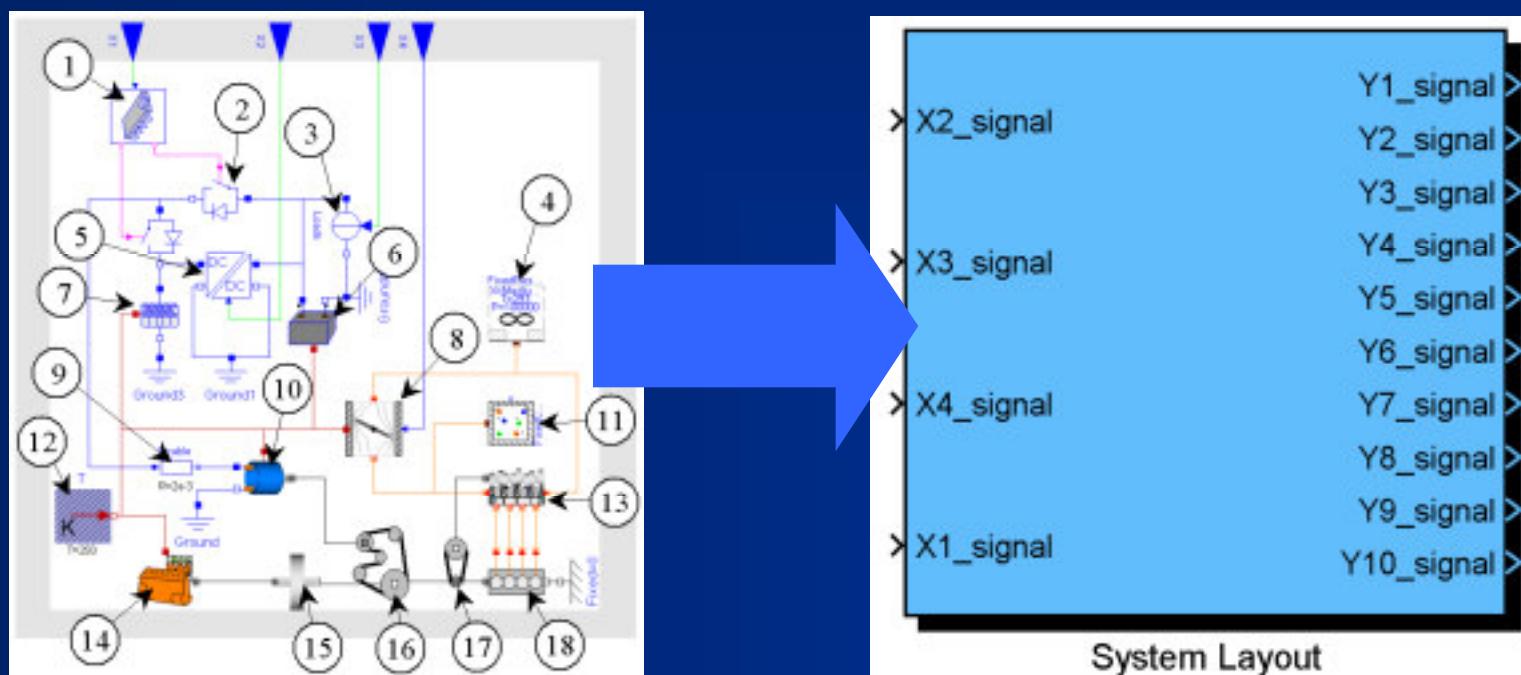


1. Controller
2. MOSFET switch
3. Current drain
4. Environment
5. DCDC converter
6. Battery (12V,70Ah,flooded)
7. Supercapacitor (9x4000F,2.7V)
8. Throttle
9. Cable resistance
10. ISG
11. Intake manifold
12. Temperature input
13. Engine head (1.8L Diesel)
14. Engine losses (1.8L Diesel)
15. Flywheel
16. Front End Accessory Drive
17. Chain drive
18. Engine Block (1.8L Diesel)

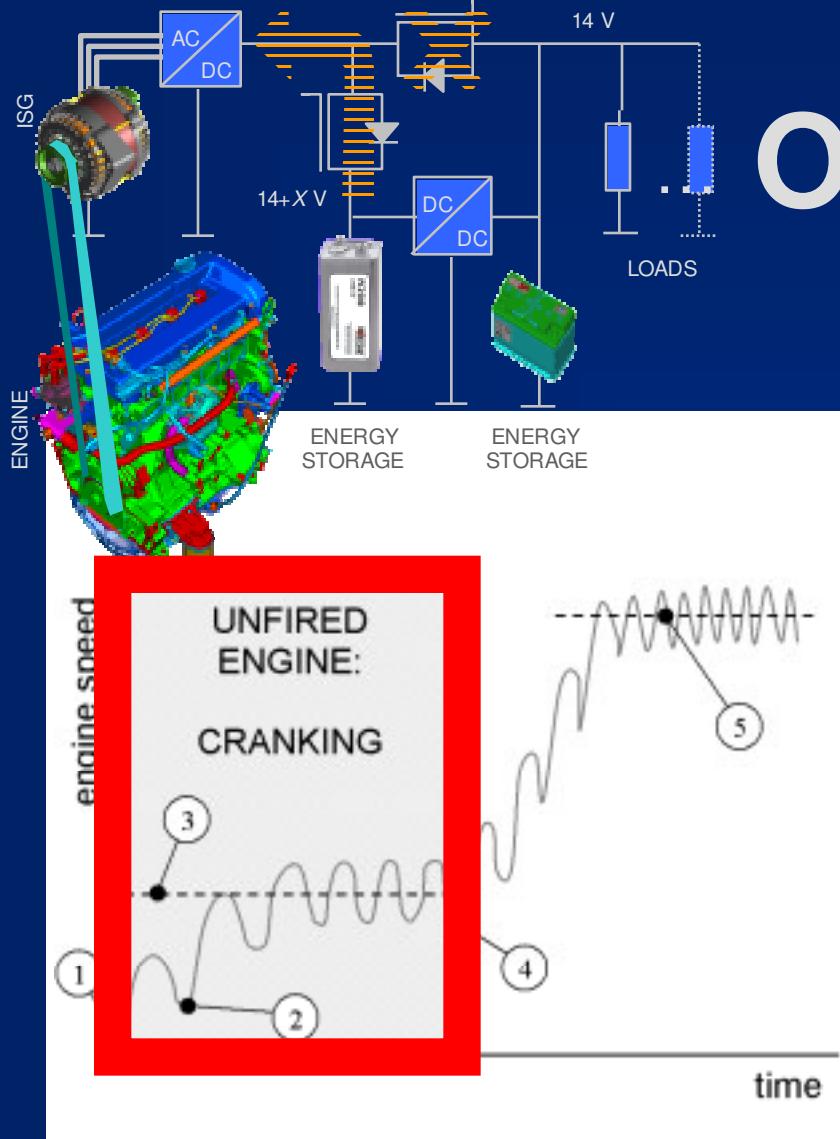


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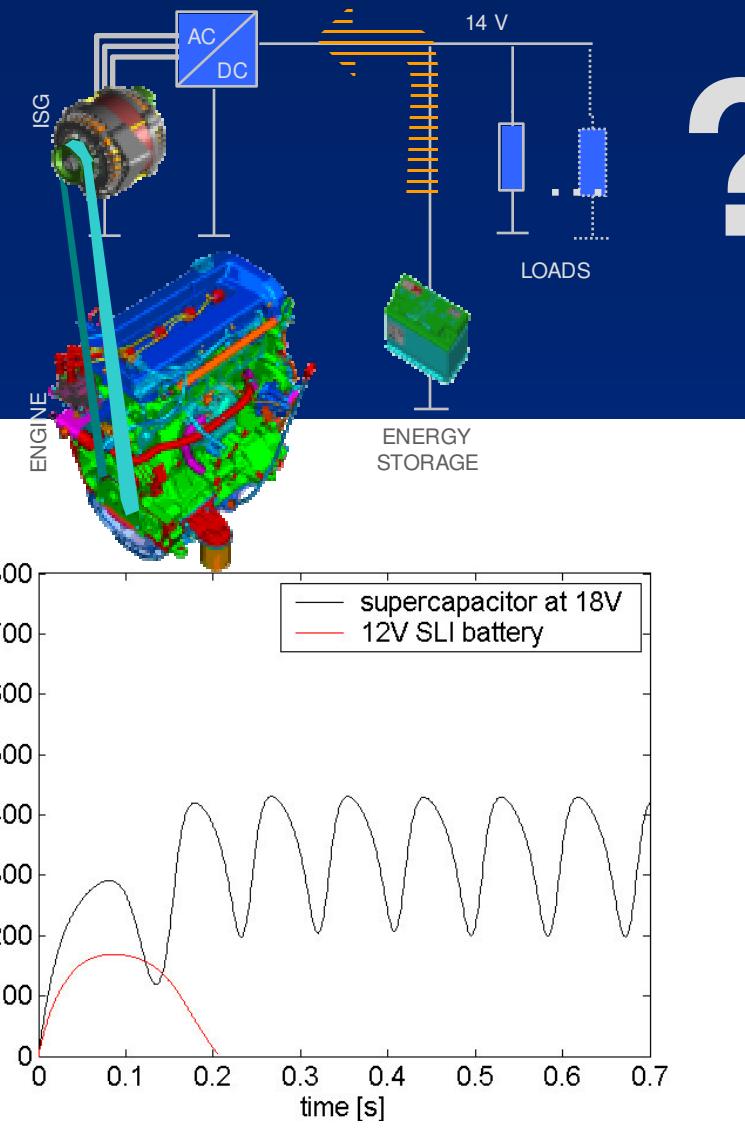
- Compilation of Modelica model to Simulink:
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- In either case NO co-simulation! Only Simulink integration algorithms
are used to solve the system in that case!



Simulation Results



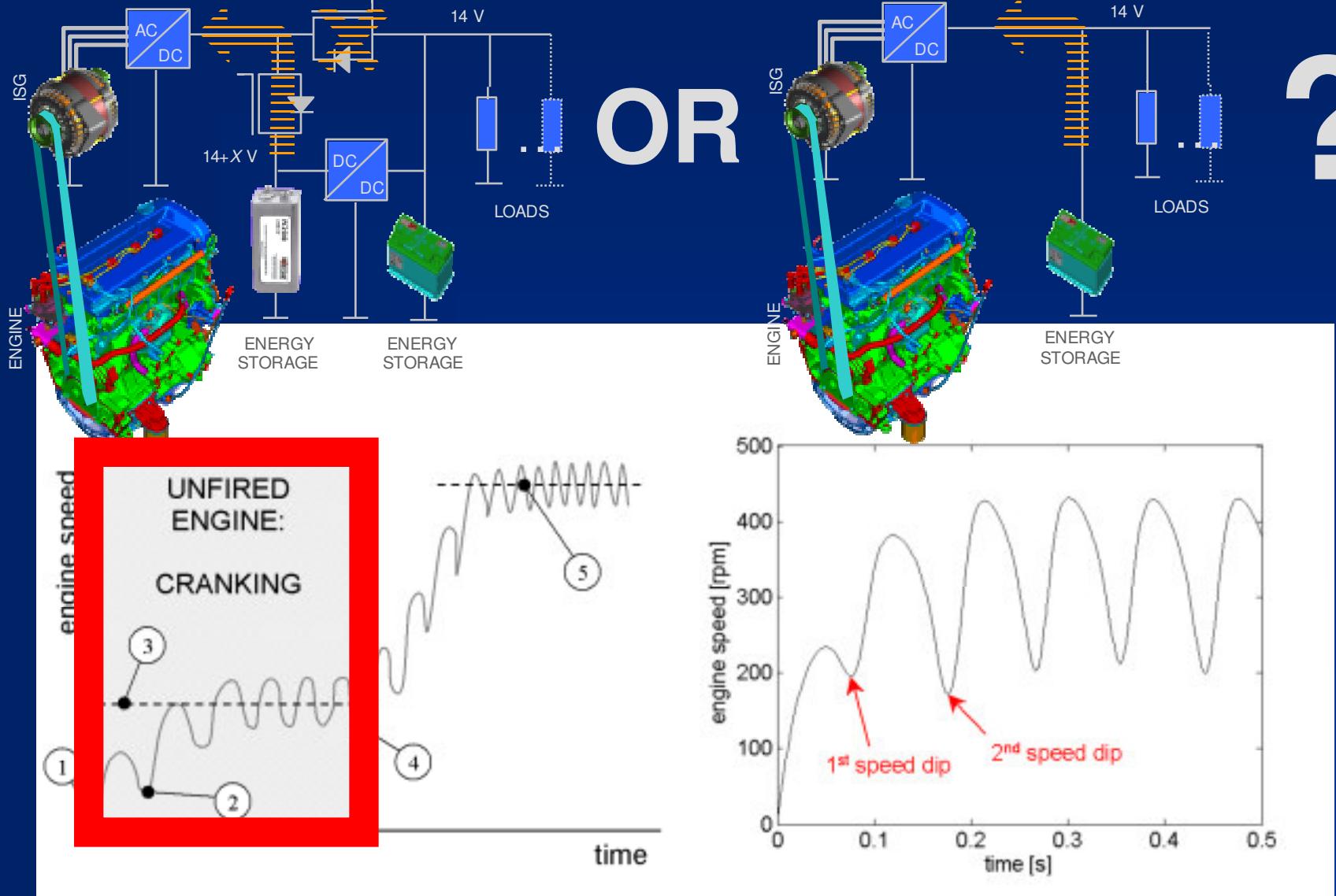
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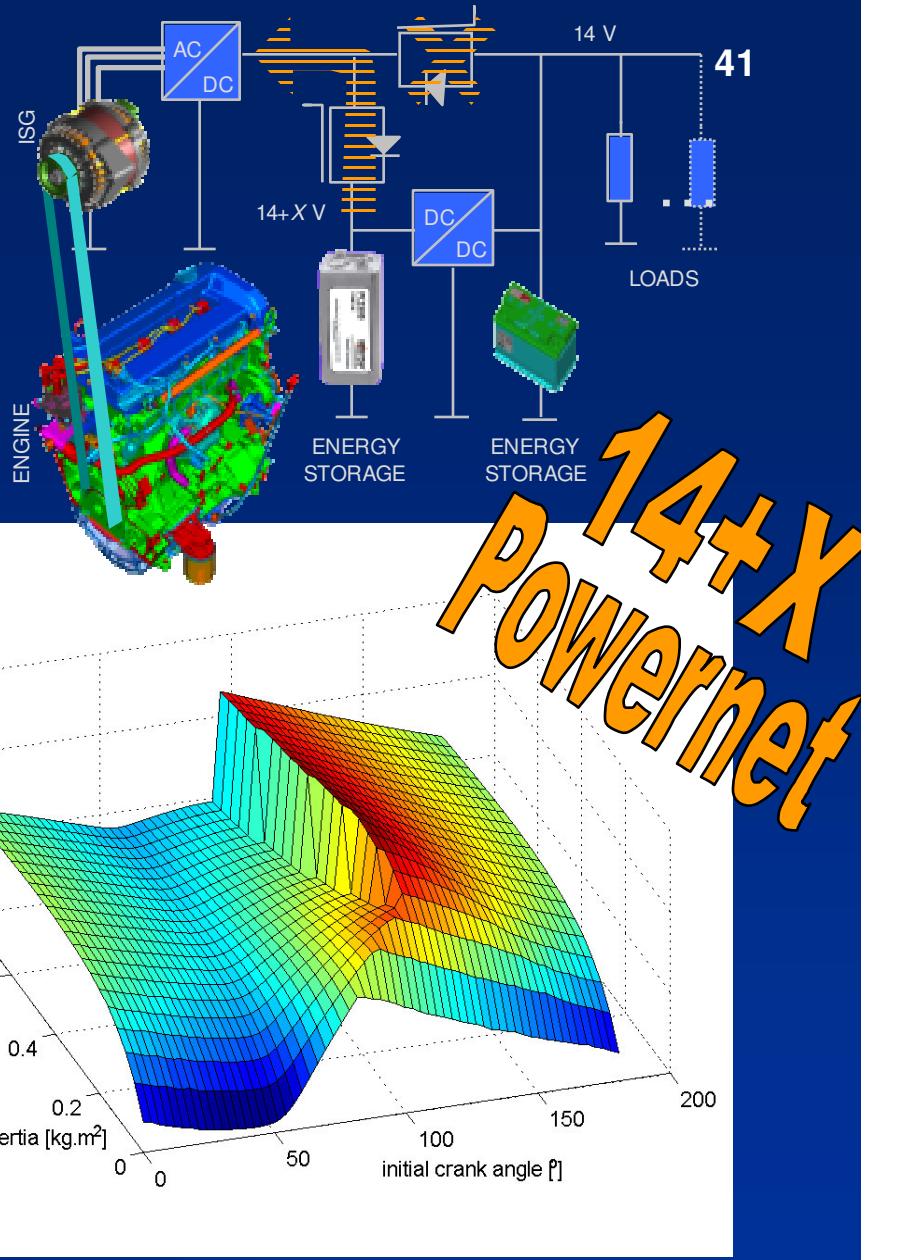
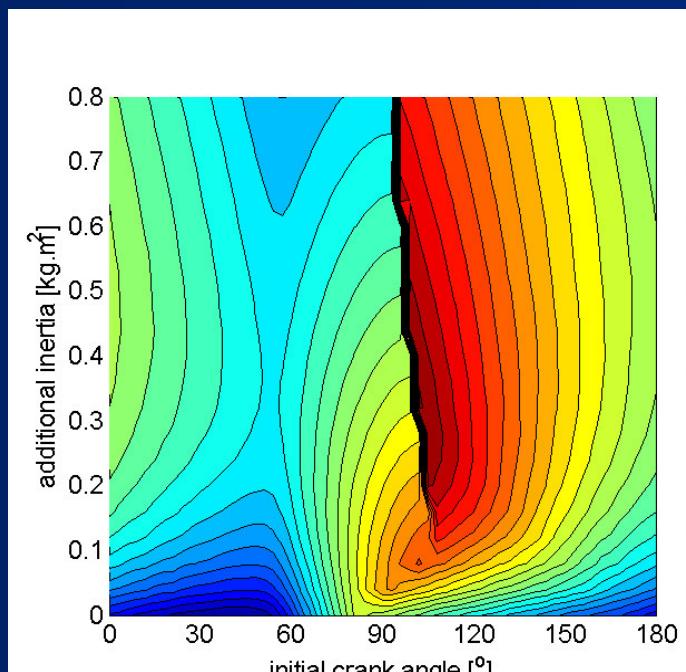


Simulation Results



Simulation Results

- Initial supercap voltage of 18V, temperature = - 30°C !!!
- Influence of add. inertia and initial crankangle
- Engine cranks always



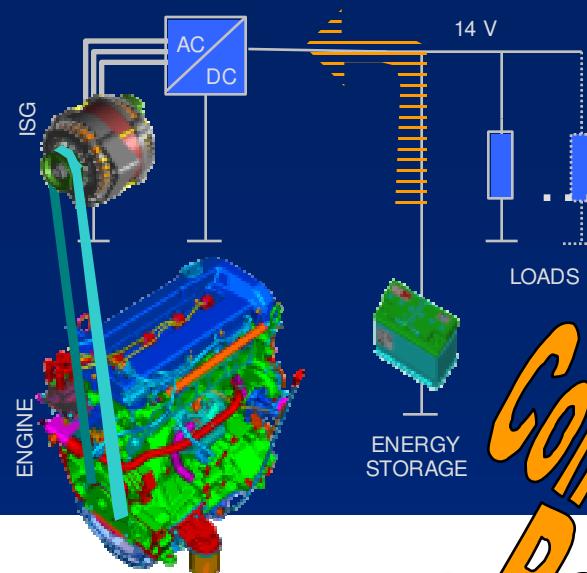
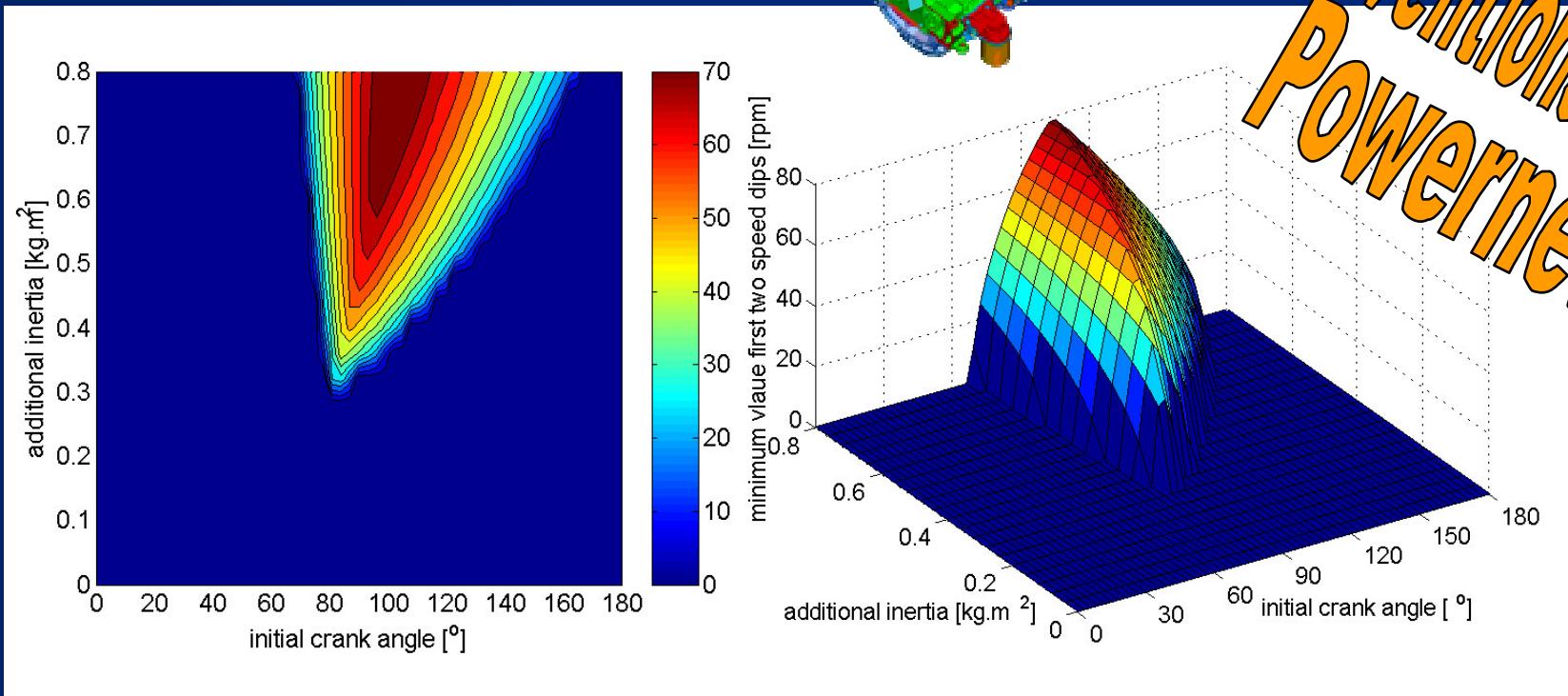
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Simulation Results

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- 12V flooded 70 Ah battery, temperature = - 30°C !!!
- Initial battery SOC = 70% !
- Not always succesfull: add. inertia needed! But no SCAP or DCDC!!!



Conventional
Powernet



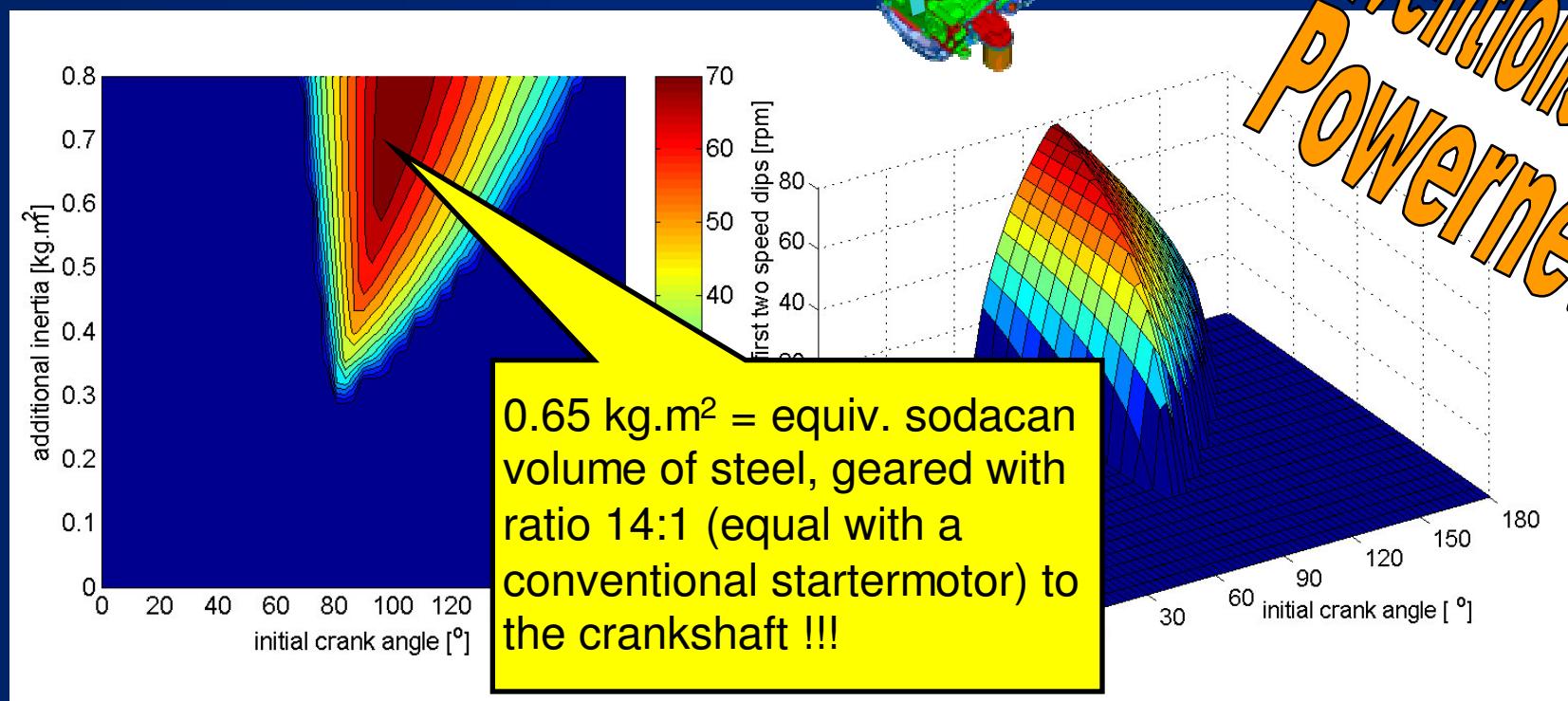
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- 12V flooded 70 Ah battery, temperature = - 30°C !!!
- Initial battery SOC = 70% !
- Not always succesfull: add. inertia needed! But no SCAP or DCDC!!!



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Summary

- Modelica is a great tool for both (a)causal modeling! It can not only be used as a standalone tool but also complementary with Simulink! This will have great benefits compared with a 'Simulink only' modeling environment.
- There is no need to use a Dual Storage System (with a supercapacitor, DCDC converter and a battery) to guarantee succesfull cranking a 1.8L Diesel engine with a belt-driven ISG at -30°C !

By using a small additional inertial mass and initial crankangle positioning next to a conventional powernet (12V flooded battery), succesfull cranking can 1.8L Diesel engine with a belt-driven ISG at -30°C be guaranteed! And the conventional startermotor can be omitted in this case!



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