

### **Greenhouse Gas Reduction Potential**

**Estimations for Light-Duty Vehicle Technologies in 2020–2025** 

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### **Agenda**



- Introduction to Ricardo
- Technology Roadmaps
- Light Duty Vehicle Greenhouse Gas Reduction Potential

#### **Ricardo Overview**



Ricardo delivers world class strategy, engineering and technology programs to the global automotive, transportation, defense, and energy industries

#### Company

- Established in 1915 and independent
- £196.5 million revenue (FY 10/11)
- More than 1,500 employees with more than 1,300 technically qualified and engineering staff
- Global presence in 16 locations

#### **Values**



RESPECT , INTEGRITY , CREATIVITY & INNOVATION , PASSION

#### **Positioning**

- Emphasis on achieving enhanced value propositions for our clients
- Multi-sector oriented with relevant domain expertise
- Global footprint with local understanding
- Strategic perspectives and consulting
- Unique holistic vehicle and powertrain experience
- Systems engineering approach that considers integrated solutions for the entire product lifecycle
- Significant self-funded R&D investment
- Technology led product innovation
- Extensive production vehicle and major subsystem introduction experience
- Delivery focused
- Specialist manufacturing and assembly capability for niche product applications

# **Ricardo History**



### Almost 100 years of successful project delivery

1915 Engine Patents Ltd. Est.	•	Harry Ricardo formed Engine Patents Ltd, the precursor of today's Ricardo Plc becoming famous for the design of a revolutionary engine which was utilised in tanks, trains and
1930 Fundamental Fuel Research	•	Bevelopment of a variable compression engine which was used to quantify the performance of different fuels. This was the forerunner of today's octane rating scale (RON)
1931 Comet Combustion Chamber	•	The famous Ricardo Comet IDI diesel Combustion system for high-speed diesel engines was developed for AEC for use in London Buses
1935 Citroën Rosalie	•	The world's first diesel production passenger car was introduced featuring a Comet Mk III combustion chamber. Derivatives of this design are still used by the major OEMs of today
1951 Fell Locomotive	•	The 2000bhp Fell Locomotive was the world's first diesel mechanical locomotive, with a novel transmission invented by Lt. Col Fell. It was powered by four Paxman-Ricardo engines.



1966 Jensen FF	<ul> <li>The 4WD system of the world's first 4WD passenger car, was developed by Ferguson Research Ltd (which later became part of Ricardo) and was launched at the British Motor Show</li> </ul>
1986 Voyager	<ul> <li>The first aircraft to fly around the world non-stop without refuelling. Ricardo redesigned the Teledyne Continental engine, thus improving fuel economy and reducing the aircraft's drag</li> </ul>
1999 Le Mans Success	<ul> <li>Advanced technology helped Audi to secure its special place in motorsport history with a novel transmission to win 5 races out of 6 entries at the 24-hour race of Le Mans</li> </ul>
2006 Record Breaking Year	<ul> <li>Development of the world's fastest diesel engine for JCB. The DieselMax set the diesel land speed record at Bonneville with a speed of 350 mph (563 kph)</li> </ul>
2008 Olympic Games, Beijing	<ul> <li>50 off "Olympic Green Messenger" vehicles co-developed by Chery Automobile and Ricardo</li> </ul>

#### **Ricardo Client Base**



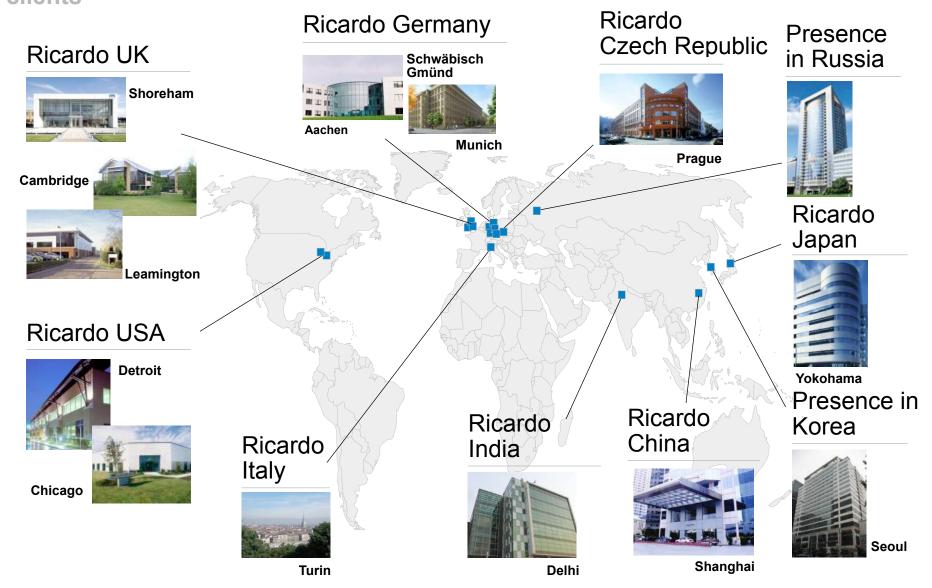
Represented across a number of key market sectors each with unique drivers



#### **Ricardo Locations**



Our Global footprint allows us to understand the local needs of our clients



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### **Future Trends in Vehicle Technology**



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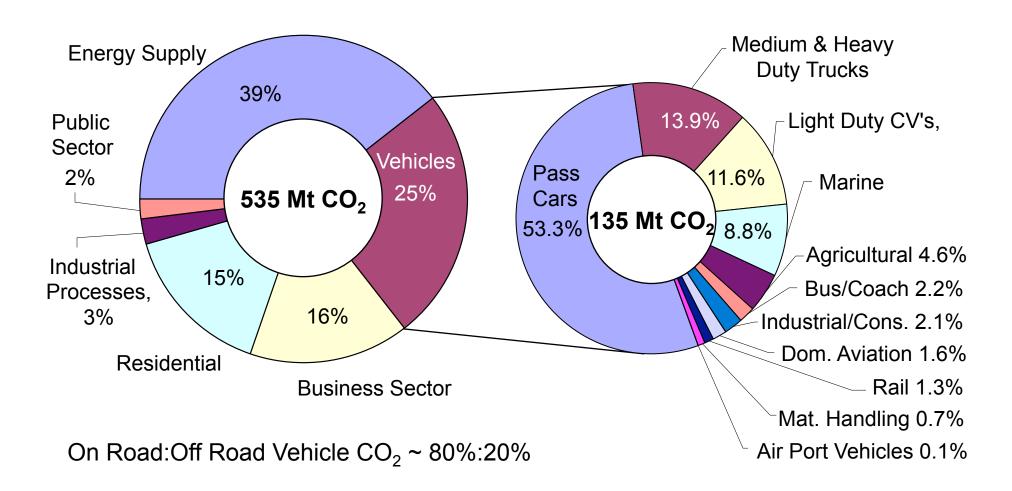


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# Recent CO<sub>2</sub> focus on passenger car but governments are expanding GHG targets to other applications



UK emissions data: Only half of vehicle CO<sub>2</sub> is produced by passenger cars



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Source: DECC & Ricardo analysis

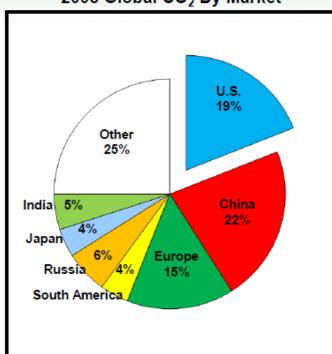
### Similarly in U.S., light-duty vehicles account for 57% of CO<sub>2</sub> emissions—a comprehensive approach is required



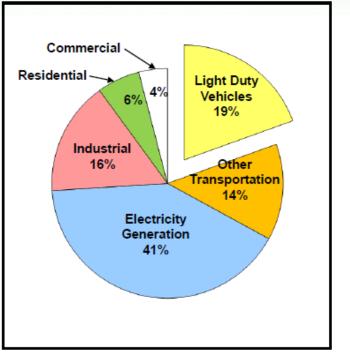


Science: Automotive Share Of 450 ppm Objective

#### 2008 Global CO2 By Market



#### 2008 U.S. CO2 By Industry



Achieving the 450 ppm Glidepath Requires A Well-to-Wheel Focus

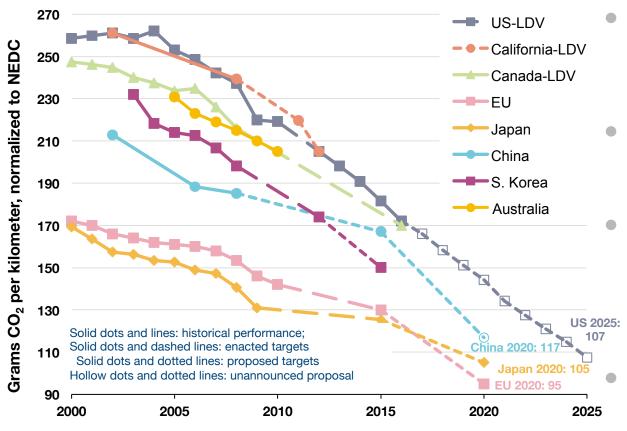


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# The growth of both regulation and targets for Low Carbon Vehicles sets a major challenge for the road transport sector





- [1] China's target reflects gasoline fleet scenario. If including other fuel types, the target will be lower.
- [2] US and Canada light-duty vehicles include light-commercial vehicles.

- EU, USA, Canada, Australia, China & Japan – Legislation / agreements for fuel economy or CO<sub>2</sub>
- EU Proposal for Vans
  - 175 g/km from 2014-16
  - 135 g/km by 2020
  - USA has proposed target of
    - 35.5 mpg by 2016
    - 54.5 mpg by 2025
    - Implemented over whole of USA by EPA

#### Challenging Targets:

- EU 3.9% pa to 2020
- US 4.7% pa to 2025

Sources: <a href="http://www.nhtsa.gov/staticfiles/rulemaking/pdf/cafe/Oct2010\_Summary\_Report.pdf">http://www.nhtsa.gov/staticfiles/rulemaking/pdf/cafe/Oct2010\_Summary\_Report.pdf</a> www.theicct.org/info/documents/PVstds\_update\_apr2010.pdf;

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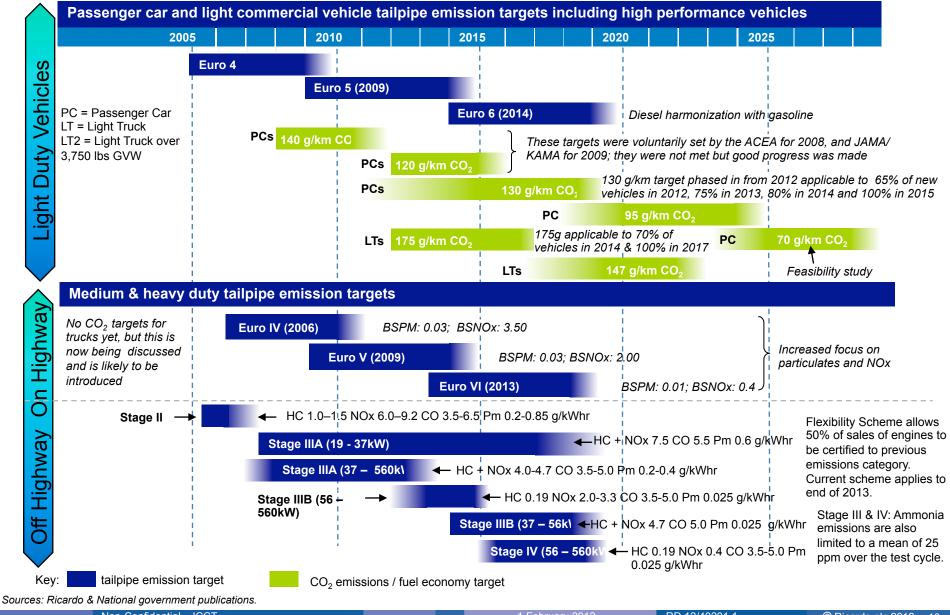
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# European regulation will continue to drive lower toxic emissions with additional CO<sub>2</sub> legislation likely

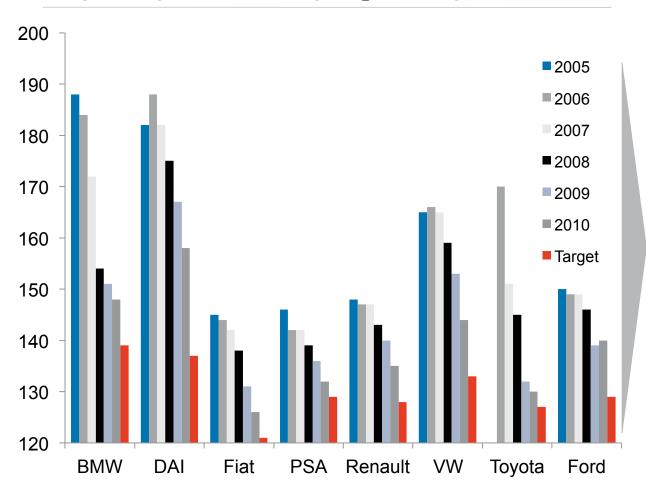




# Progress has been made against EU emissions legislation, but Pass Car OEMs have a lot to do in a comparatively short time



#### Progress against 2015 130g CO<sub>2</sub> / kM target



#### Source: Bernstein & Ricardo analysis

#### **Comments**

- OEMs have an average annual CO<sub>2</sub> reduction of ~3% since 2005
  - Toyota and BMW lead with 6.5% and 4.7%
  - Ford and Renault are laggards with 1.4% and 1.8%
- Market still has average of ~6.6% to go to hit targets
  - PSA & Toyota have ~2%
  - Daimler has 15%
- Ricardo calculated that average non-compliance penalties could be €2,900 per car
  - Up to €4,300 for Daimler

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# There are three interlinked phases of change required to current light duty powertrain technology and strategy



SHORT TERM: ~2015

- Boosting & downsizing
  - Turbocharging
  - Supercharging
- Low speed torque enhancements
- Stop/Start & low cost
   Micro Hybrid technology
- Friction reduction
- Advanced thermal systems
- Niche Hybrid, PHEV's and Electric Vehicles

MEDIUM TERM: ~2025

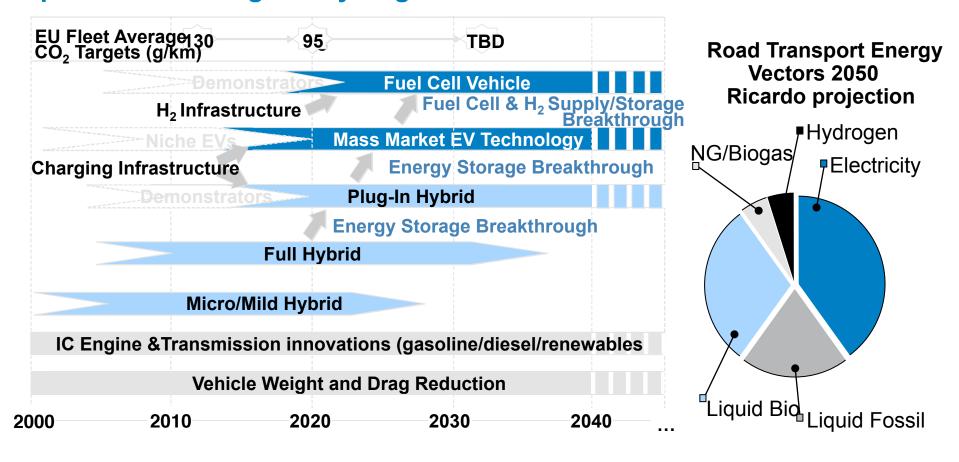
- High Efficiency
   Advanced Combustion:
  - Lean Stratified SI
  - Low temperature combustion
- Combined turbo/ supercharging systems
- Advanced low carbon fuel formulations
- PHEV's in premium & performance products
- EV's for city vehicles

LONG TERM: ~2050

- Plug-in/Hybrid electric systems dominate
  - Very high specific power ICE's
- Range of application specific low carbon fuels
- Exhaust & Coolant energy recovery
- Advanced thermodynamic Cycles
  - Split Cycle?
  - Heat Pumps?

# "Consensus" mass market roadmap developed by Ricardo for UK Auto Council shows that a range of technologies will be required to meet regulatory targets



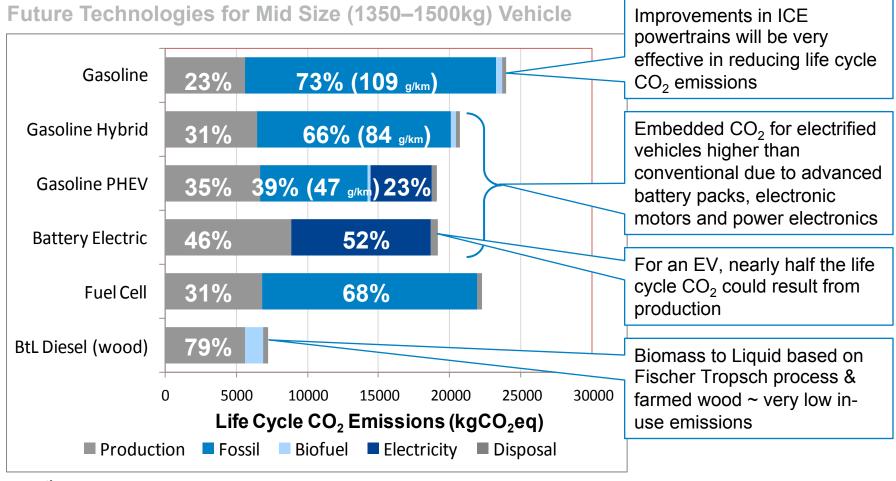


Regulation Basis:

Tailpipe CO<sub>2</sub> or Vehicle fuel wheels CO<sub>2</sub> Well to Wheels CO<sub>2</sub> & efficiency

# Ricardo results show hybrids & EVs will have lower life cycle CO<sub>2</sub>, but embedded emissions will be more significant





#### **Assumptions:**

Vehicle specifications based on roadmap projections for 2015.

Assumed lifetime mileage 150,000 km.

Gasoline fuel E10. Diesel fuel B7

Fischer-Tropsch diesel from farmed wood (WTW = 6 gCO2eq/MJ via UK RED)

Hydrogen carbon intensity 99.7 gCO<sub>2</sub>e/MJ (from Natural Gas Steam Reforming)

Electricity carbon intensity assumed to be 594 gCO $_2$ /kWh. Hybrid Battery 1.8 kW.hr NiMH, 56 kW Motor EV Battery 32 kW.hr Li-ion ~ 150 km range PHEV Battery 5 kW.hr ~ 20 km range FCEV Battery 1.8 kW.hr

Source: Ricardo report for LowCVP, "Preparing for a life cycle CO2 measure" (RD.11/124801.5), plus additional Ricardo analysis

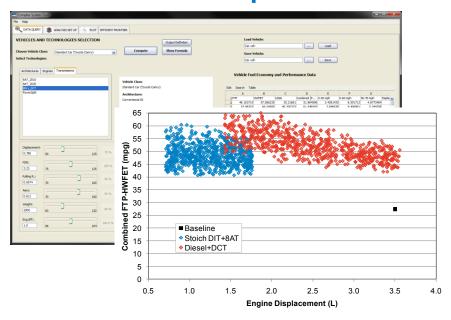
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# Technical Input to EPA for 2017–2025 Light Duty Vehicle Greenhouse Gas Proposed Rule





#### **Approach**

- Ricardo team identified future technology packages and estimated their effects on fuel consumption
- Created new vehicle classes, implemented hybrid powertrains and controls (P2 and Powersplit), and incorporated new technology packages to define a broad design space
- Ricardo's complex systems modeling approach used to examine the extensive design space

#### Situation and objective

- EPA wanted objective technical input to support Notice of Proposed Rule Making (NPRM)
- Analysis estimates greenhouse gas emissions of future vehicles based on future technology packages and combinations thereof
- Use a defensible rationale for technology section revisions to rule including new/ revised technology definitions, technology selection logic, vehicle classes, and applicability

#### Results and benefits

- Improved accuracy of technology applicability, and a defensible rationale for rule making
- Broad design space allows examination of several combinations of technologies, and their synergistic effects
- Data visualization tool facilitates exploration of the design space
- Fully documented approach and results for use in rule by EPA

# Ricardo brought its global expertise to bear, first for EPA looking at the U.S. market, then for ICCT looking at the EU



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Hybrid Systems
Vehicle Systems

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**Advisory Committee** 

California Environmental Protection Agency





Report Review Team
Global, cross-functional
team to review program
report

# Ricardo and EPA used an agreed process to evaluate technologies for inclusion in the study design space

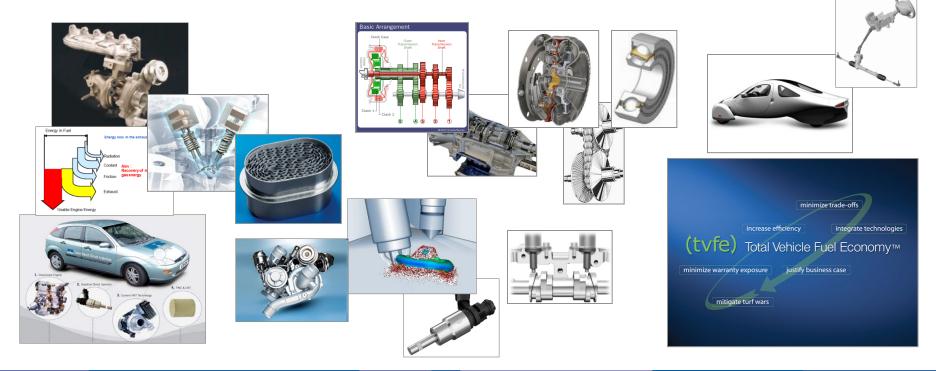


Technology Identification

Ricardo Subject Matter Expert Assessment

EPA Review &
Technology
Discussion

Technology Package Selection



# Ricardo, EPA, ICCT, and Calif ARB identified several LDV technologies for further evaluation by Ricardo SMEs



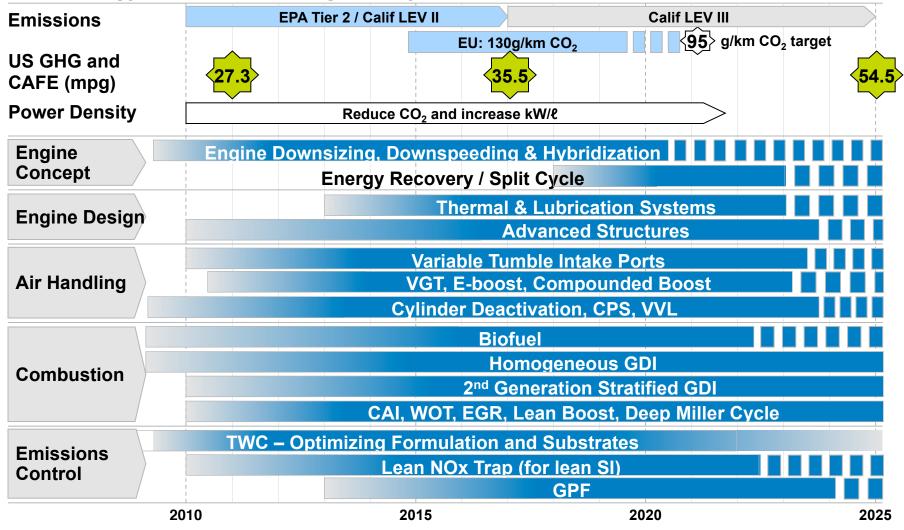


- Engine technologies and configurations
  - Fuel injection, boost system, valvetrain, combustion, and controls
- Hybrid powertrain technologies and configurations
- Transmission technologies and configurations
  - Advanced automatics, CVT, DCT, launch devices
  - Transmission technologies
- Vehicle technologies
  - Mass reduction, aerodynamic improvements, rolling resistance, accessories

# Gasoline engines focus will be on CO<sub>2</sub> reduction as emission legislation remains less challenging, even under LEV III



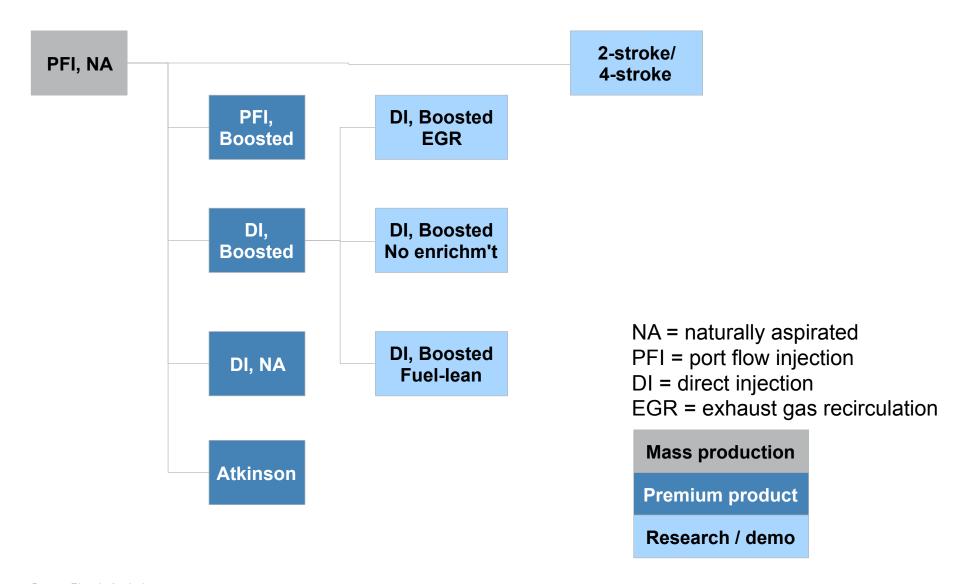
#### **Technology Roadmap for Light Duty Gasoline**



Source: Ricardo Analysis "

### Pathways for gasoline engine development Progress from research to premium product to mass market





Source: Ricardo Analysis

### Ricardo SME assessment example Advanced Boosting Technologies



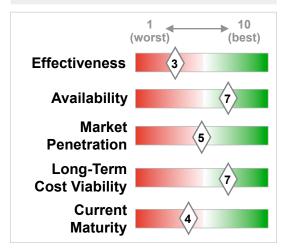
#### **Technology and Status**

- Concept: Improvements in air handling through a suite of boosting technologies either standalone or in combination
- Base Functioning: Provision of higher specific torque and power to enable downsized engines. Technologies include eBoost (e-machine in CHRA or electrical separation by e-Turbine and e-Compressor); supercharging (advances to avoid variable drive); variable nozzle compressor
- **CO<sub>2</sub> Benefit:** 2% (more if engine downsized for equivalent performance)
- Costs: Increase in turbocharger air system matching and development time, increased complexity in engine controller. Variable cost of turbocharger doubles plus additional air cooling requirement, sensors and actuators

#### **Technology Applicability**

- Technology applicable to all sectors of diesel application
- Highway benefits improved transient response from engine allows downsizing.
   More air allows improved emission performance for NOx and PM control giving leeway for CO<sub>2</sub> reduction.
- City benefits much improved transient performance allowing downsizing.
   Operation in more efficient area of turbocharger map gives more noticeable CO<sub>2</sub> benefit in city driving
- In conjunction with enhanced EGR allows for premixed or homogeneous combustion in part load operation for very clean emissions. Design can facilitate the use of pre-TC catalyst for quick aftertreatment light-off

### **Ratings of Technology**



#### **Visualization**



Picture: http://honeywellbooster.com

# Ricardo SME assessment example Launch Device: Damp Clutch



#### **Technology and Status**

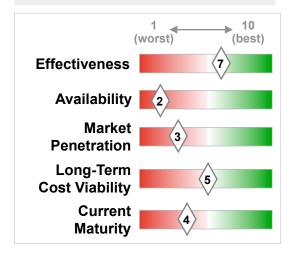
- Concept: Similar concept as a wet clutch but only a limited spray is applied to achieve cooling
- Base Functioning: Still requires a lubrication system but is more efficient due to controlled environment (less windage and churning)
- CO<sub>2</sub> Benefit: Similar benefits as a dry clutch
- Costs: slight increase to wet clutch

### **Technology Applicability**

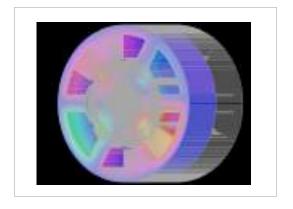
- Applicable to most automatic transmissions best of both worlds, efficiency of a dry clutch matched with the longevity and higher torque capacity of a wet clutch
- As for the other launch devices, the increase in efficiency is applicable mostly to city driving.

\*Note: Effectiveness relates to improvement in transmission efficiency

### **Ratings of Technology**



#### **Visualization**



Picture: www.cerom.lsu.edu

# Ricardo SME assessment example Aerodynamics: Active



#### **Technology and Status**

- Concept: Opportunity exists to reduce overall vehicle drag through improved control of drag-affecting features (cooling apertures, ride-height etc). Radiator grill sizing is designed for maximum thermal rejection; at high ambients / high vehicle loads. Most of the time, the majority of vehicles need much less cooling. Thus openings can be significantly reduced, reducing vehicle drag.
- Base Functioning: A reduction in C<sub>D</sub> has a direct affect on reduction of the force required to enable forward motion. As drag force is dependant on the square of vehicle speed, at higher speeds, the fuel economy gain is increased
- CO<sub>2</sub> Benefit: Active cooling aperture control could give an 8-10% vehicle drag reduction. A 10% reduction in drag can give a 2.5% improvement in fuel economy
- Costs: Some associated on-cost

#### **Technology Applicability**

- The faster the vehicle is required to travel, the greater benefit this is. Most effective where significant freeway travel is required. Suits all powertrain variations
- Has some (small) weight penalty, thus city-only vehicles may be penalized; however, city-only cars could have altered drive-cycles, as unlikely to need to drive up mountains in Death Valley, at GVW
- Potential improvements through cooling system aperture control C<sub>D</sub> 0.008 for small and medium cars and 0.03 for large passenger cars and SUVs
- Where available, ride height reduction with increasing speed reduces the effective frontal area, and increases tire coverage

#### Ratings of Technology



#### Visualization



Picture: www.parkviewbmw.com

# Ricardo SME assessments were then reviewed, and technology packages developed for further evaluation

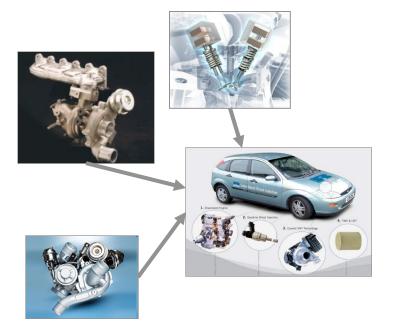


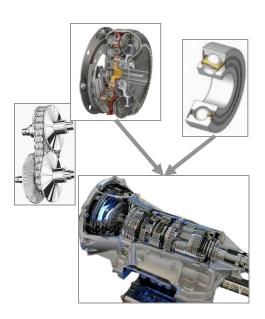
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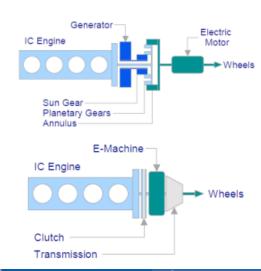




### **Technology packages in the 2020–2025 Design Space**



- Vehicle classes: (EPA study only in blue)
  - B Class (Small Car)
  - C Class
  - D Class (Standard Car)
  - E Class (Full Size Car)
  - Small crossover utility vehicle (Small multi-purpose vehicle)
  - Small N1
  - Large N1 (Large MPV)
  - Light-Duty Truck
  - Light Commercial Vehicle (Light Heavy-Duty Truck)
- Powertrain architectures:
  - Conventional, with stop-start
  - Powersplit hybrid
  - P2 hybrid



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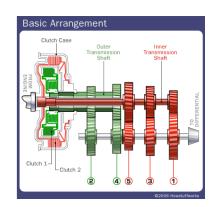
#### Engines:

- Stoichiometric direct-injection turbocharged (SDIT) SI engine
- Lean-stoichiometric direct-injection turbocharged (LDIT) SI engine
- EGR direct-injection turbocharged (EDIT) SI engine
- Atkinson cycle SI engine with cam-profile switching (CPS)
- Atkinson cycle SI engine with digital valve actuation (DVA)
- Advanced European Diesel
- Advanced U.S. Diesel
- 2010 Baseline SI engines
- 2010 Baseline Diesel engines

#### Transmissions:

- 2010 baseline six-speed automatic
- Advanced automatic transmission, eight-speed
- Dual clutch transmission, eight-speed, dry or wet clutch
- Powersplit planetary gearbox

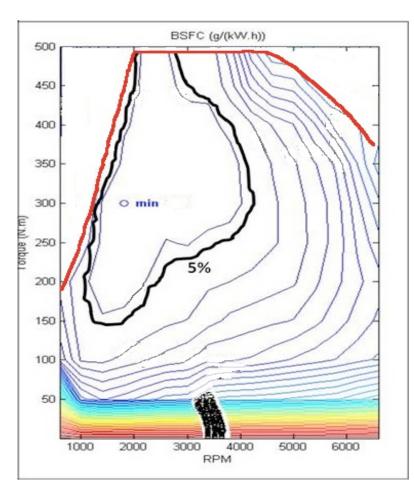




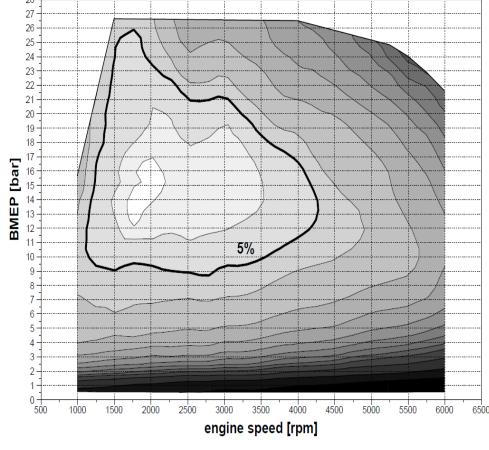




Efficiency map generated by Ricardo for EPA program (left) is based on benchmarking and research data, and compares favorably to research results from 2011 General Motors paper (right) from demonstration engine.



2,0L Two-Stage Turbo, Map of BSFC [g/kWh]



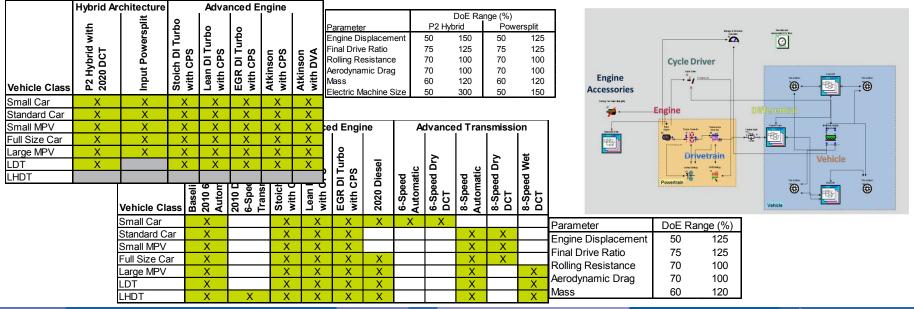
Source: Ricardo Analysis

Source: Schmuck-Soldan, S., A. Königstein, and F. Westin, 2011

# The 2020–2025 Design Space was defined and sampled for simulation results



- The complete design space covered by the EPA and ICCT studies includes
  - 9 light-duty vehicle classes (7 for EPA, 6 for ICCT)
  - 3 powertrain architectures (conventional, Powersplit Hybrid, and P2 Hybrid)
  - 9 engine types (two baseline + seven advanced)
  - 4 transmission types (baseline, advanced automatic, wet & dry DCT)
  - 6 vehicle-level continuous parameters (mass, final drive ratio, aero, etc.)
  - 6 drive cycles (NEDC, FTP, HWFET, US06, JC08, performance)
- With DoE method, needed ≈400,000 simulations to sample the design space



### Results from DoE simulations fit to Response Surface Models, which were then implemented into a Data Visualization Tool



#### RSM were fit using neural nets

#### **Input Factors**

- Vehicle class
- Powertrain configuration
- Engine
- **Transmission**
- Engine displacement
- Final drive ratio
- Rolling resistance
- Aerodynamic drag (C<sub>d</sub>·A)
- Vehicle mass
- Engine efficiency
- Flectric machine size

#### **Output Factors**

- Drive cycle fuel economy
  - NEDC, JC08, US06
  - FTP, HWFET, and combined
- Drive cycle CO<sub>2</sub> emissions
  - NEDC, JC08, US06
  - FTP, HWFET, and combined
- Acceleration times
  - 0-10, 0-30, 0-50, 0-60, 0-70 mph
  - 30-50 mph, 50-70 mph
- Top speed on 5% or 10% grade
- Velocity or distance at 1.3 s
- Velocity or distance at 3.0 s

# Individual advanced vehicle configurations can be assessed



Various C Class vehicle configurations can achieve similar GHG levels

C Class Vehicle Configuration	Vehicle Mass	Rolling Resist.	Aero. Drag	g CO <sub>2</sub> /km on NEDC
Baseline with SI engine	100%	100%	100%	165
Baseline with Diesel engine	100%	100%	100%	124
	100%	100%	100%	107
Stoich DI Turbo + 8-spd DCT	85%	90%	90%	93
	70%	80%	80%	80
	100%	100%	100%	104
Adv EU Diesel + 8-spd DCT	85%	90%	90%	93
	70%	80%	80%	83
	100%	100%	100%	96
Atkinson (CPS) Powersplit Hybrid	85%	90%	90%	86
	70%	80%	80%	77
	100%	100%	100%	81
Atkinson (CPS) P2 Hybrid	85%	90%	90%	71
	70%	80%	80%	62

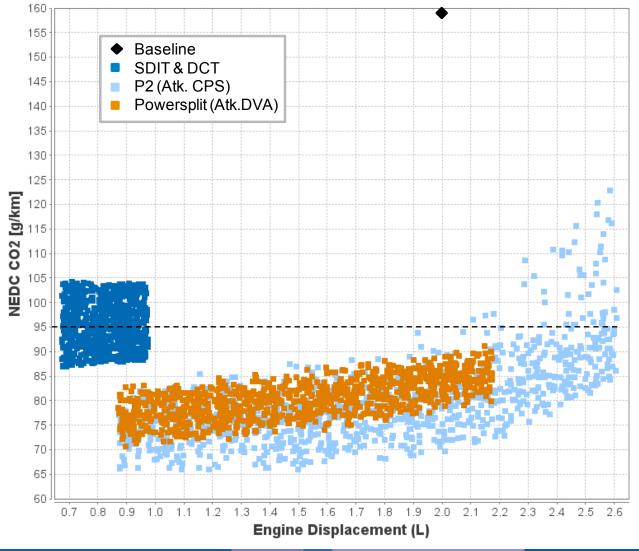
All other parameters are at 100% of nominal C Class value

# Hybrid and conventional powertrains can lead to similar GHG emissions



Results are for C Class Car, varying powertrain configuration, engine displacement, vehicle mass, and electric machine size (for hybrids). Rolling resistance and C<sub>d</sub>·A are 90% of

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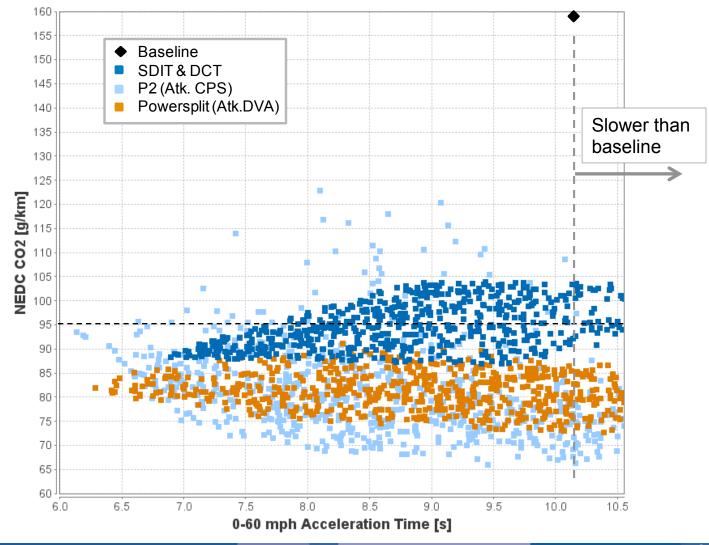


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# Conclusions – Lower GHG emissions will drive innovation in LDV segments



- Several technology combinations will be pursued in parallel to help meet new GHG emissions
  - Mix will include more than just hybrids
  - Downsized engines and advanced transmissions have a role to play
- Trends and product announcements from the industry are consistent with those predicted by Ricardo for this study
  - E.g., 2012 Ford Escape with downsized engine replacing hybrid option
- With eye on 2016 requirements and knowing that tougher rules are coming in the US, EU, and Japan, manufacturers and suppliers have not been sitting idle
  - Several manufacturers implementing advanced valvetrain designs
  - Several manufacturers implementing turbocharging and direct injection to support downsizing engines
  - Hybridization and electrification of vehicles continues

### Thanks for your attention. Questions?



