

## The Premier Global Eco-Innovation Technology Firm

## Clean Diesels, an Economy or Performance Option?

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President - Ricardo, Inc.

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## Thank You DOE

## "Ricardo is Fuel Economy"

## **Engine Downsizing - Cooled EGR**

- ☐ Goal: 15% Fuel Economy Improvement
- Partner: GM





## Advanced Flex-Fuel Technologies

- ☐ Goal: Gas-like Fuel Economy with E85
- Partners: Bosch & University of Michigan







## R&D - Technologies for fuel economy, emissions & vehicle electrification



## Technology Portfolio

Hybrids & Fuel Cells

Advanced Gasoline Engines

**Clean Diesels** 

**Efficient Transmissions** 

Controls and Electronics

Alternative Fuels

## **Example Ricardo Solutions**



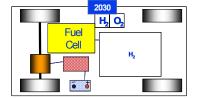
Pass Car T2B2 Diesel Adv Tech Demo Vehicle



2-Stroke/ 4-Stroke Engine



Torque Vectoring - Active Steer with Safety Critical Software



Hydrogen-Powered Vehicle Concept



Down Sizing & Boosting "DI Boost"



"Efficient-C" Diesel Hybrid -- world's most efficient powertrain



Hybrid Transmission Design



Vehicle-to-Vehicle or Infrastructure Communication



Advanced Electronic Controllers



WAVE-RT for Full Model Based Control in ECU

## **Key Messages / Agenda**

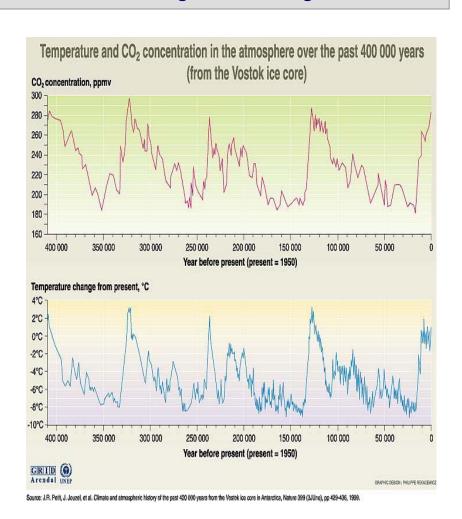


- A systems approach is required to meet the Fuel Economy and CO<sub>2</sub> challenge
- Ricardo is applying a systems approach to optimizing powertrain efficiency and Total Vehicle Fuel Economy
- □ Diesels have a bright future in the US and Ricardo is helping to deliver the technology that is leading the way
  - World's Most Efficient Powertrain Ricardo "Efficient-C" Diesel Hybrid
  - Tier2Bin2 Breakthrough
  - DIESELMAX land speed record

## **Energy Security, Fuel Availability and Low Carbon Fuel** Efficient Vehicle Technologies are driving industry investments RICARDO



### Evidence links increased use of fossil fuels with global warming

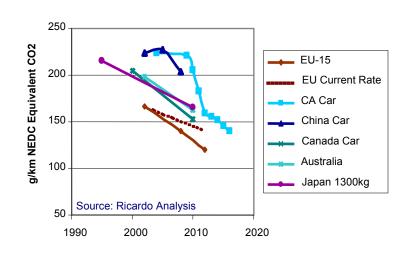


### Oil Pricing up sharply, increasing global demand will increase prices further



### World-wide adoption of low carbon targets

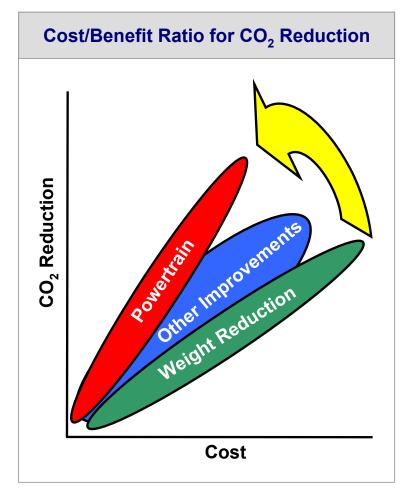
#### **NEDC-Equivalent CO2 comparison**



# In the near term, powertrain improvements will remain the most cost effective solution to the FE & CO<sub>2</sub> challenge



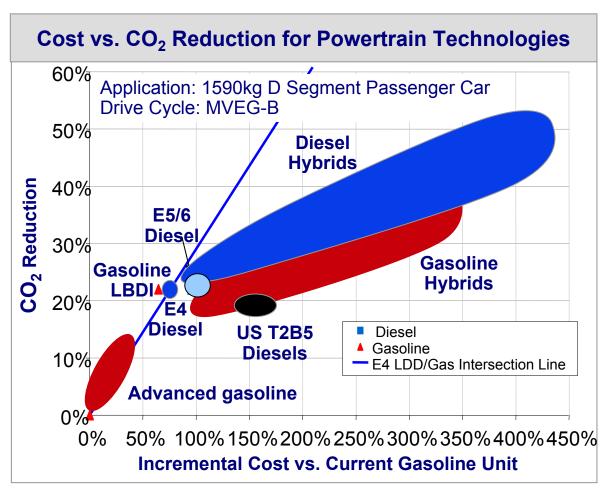
- Vehicle Down-sizing
- Restricting Vehicle Use
- Improved vehicle Weight, Aerodynamics and Friction
- Alternative Fuels and Energy
- Improved Powertrain Efficiency
- Each solution has its own merits, and all have a role to play
- However, improved powertrain efficiency will be a main-stay of short / medium term fuel consumption & CO<sub>2</sub> reduction



Source: Ricardo Internal data

# Advanced Gasoline technologies will close the gap with Diesel with Hybrid solutions remaining expensive



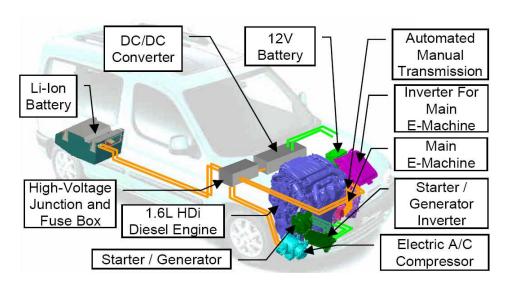


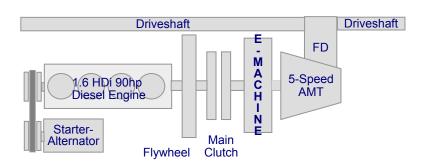
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# Ricardo "Efficient-C" Diesel Hybrid Demonstrator features the world's most efficient powertrain, achieving >60 mpg





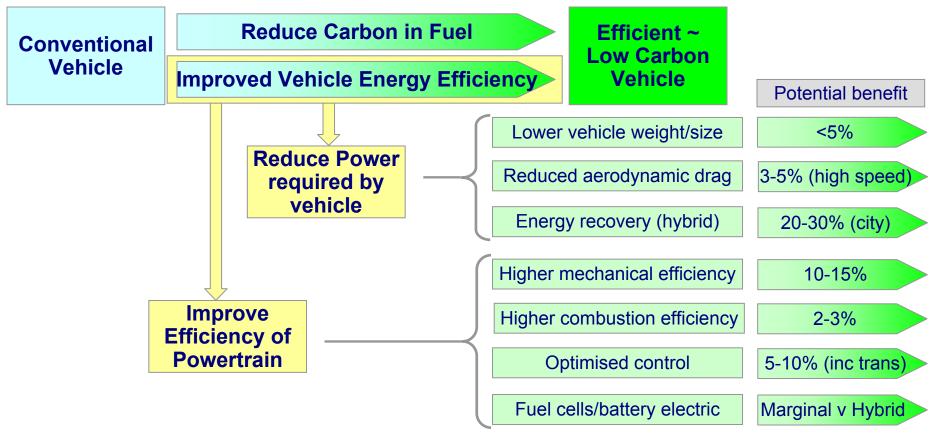




- Powertrain efficiency optimization program
- 35% improvement in cycle fuel consumption compared with 2.0l base vehicle
- 0-60 mph less than 13 seconds
- 5 km to 10 km electric only range

# Further gains will be achieved by combining powertrain efficiency improvement with vehicle systems optimization

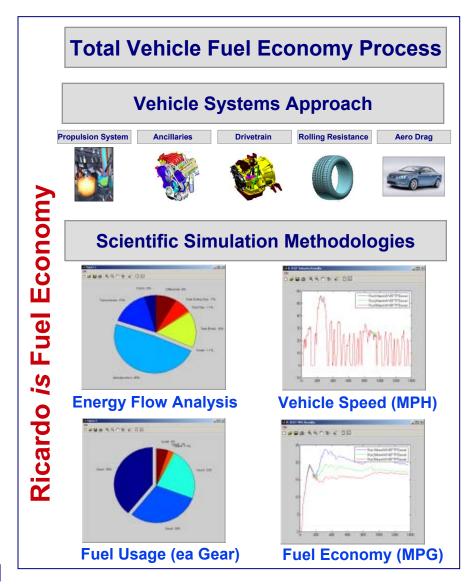




## Ricardo is uniquely contributing to the systems approach

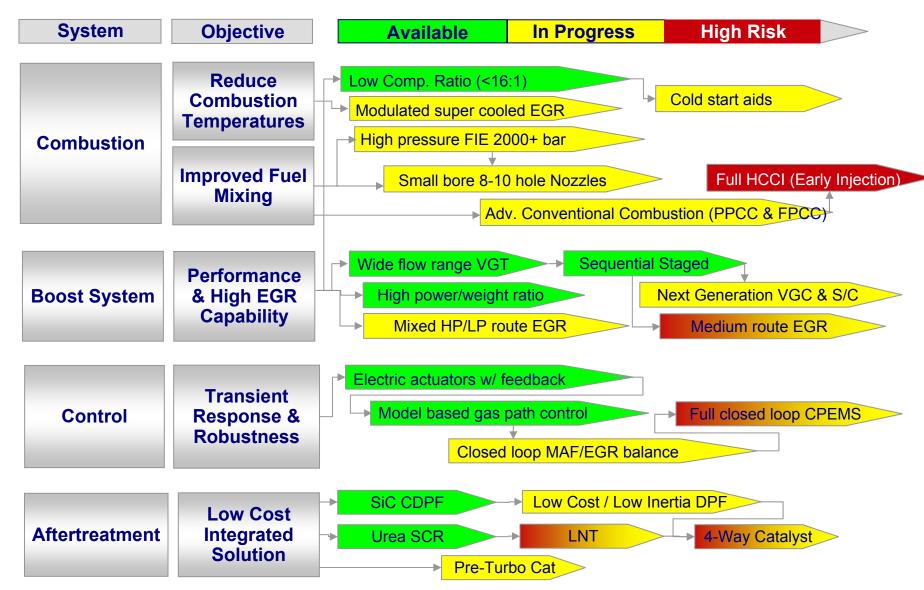


- Offering OEMs...
  - "No Compromises" Total Vehicle Fuel Economy improvement process
  - Independent, unbiased assessment of most cost effective strategies to meet increased fuel economy standards across their product portfolios
- Assisting EPA with objective approach to reasonable and achievable future CAFE standards
- Providing Governments strategic insights on balancing CO<sub>2</sub> reduction strategies with regulations and industry/ societal impact



# T2B2 emission requirements dictate a comprehensive and integrated systems approach to Diesel engine optimization





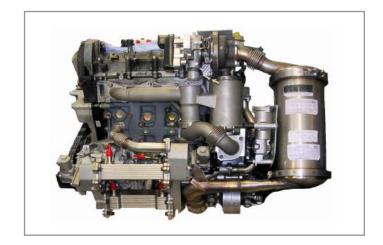
## Ricardo's "Tier 2 Bin 2" Diesel Technology Breakthrough



- Research Program with Production Intent
- Goals Demonstrate on D-class Pass Car:
  - Tier 2 Bin 5 without NOx aftertreatment
    - Bin 5 "Engine-Out" emissions
    - August 2007 Demo
  - SULEV with simplified LNT NOx aftertreatment
    - Bin 2 "Tailpipe" emissions
    - December 2007 Demo



- Achieved Bin 5 "Engine-Out" emissions •
- Targets demonstrated with acceptable smoke and fuel economy
- Further refinement continues

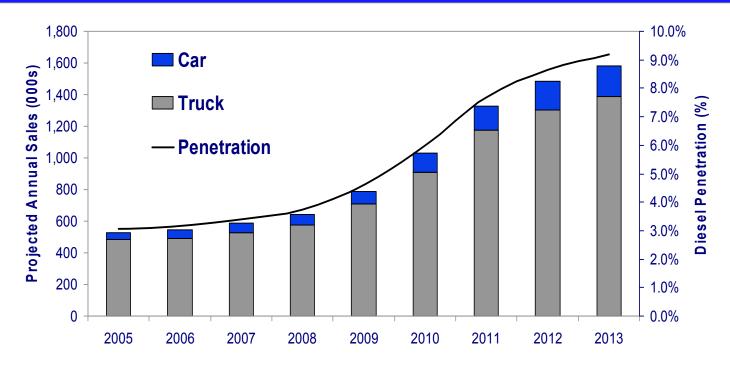


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Mark Kuhn - Ricardo

# Diesels are an important part of the solution – penetration will nearly triple to 9% by 2013



### **Projected US Diesel Passenger Vehicle Sales and Market Penetration**



Other forecasters are even more optimistic:

- □ Bosch forecasts 6% Diesel penetration in the U.S.A by 2010 and 15% by 2015 (over 2.5 mm)
- ☐ J.D.Power forecast a rise to 10-15+% penetration in North America by 2015 (up to 2.5 mm)
- ☐ Martec Group forecast 10-12% in North America by 2013 depending on Diesel price vs. Gasoline

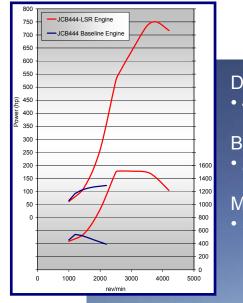




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## **DIESELMAX - 350.092 mph FIA Land Speed Record – high** performance while fuel efficient!





### DIESELMAX

• 4.5 mpg @ 350 mph

Bugatti Veyron
• 2.8 mpg @ 250 mph

### Mini Cooper S

• 5 mpg @ 120 mph

