

# Gasoline Ultra Fuel Efficient Vehicle Program Update

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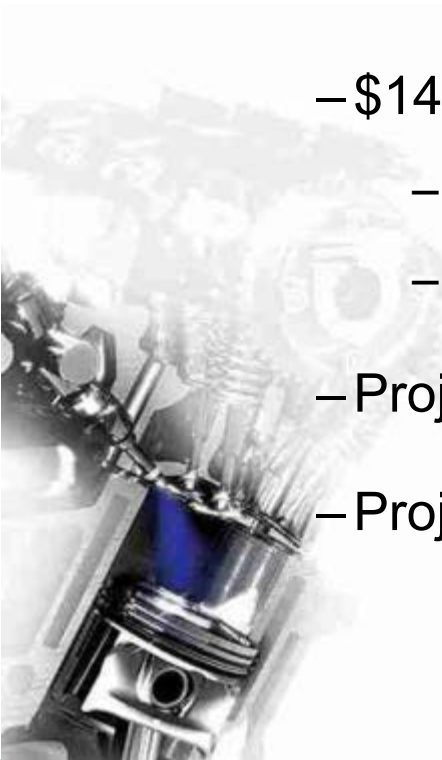


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# Ultra Fuel Efficient Vehicle (UFEV) Project

## ◆ Project Background

- Awarded DE-FOA-0000079 Area of Interest 2: Advanced Technology Powertrains for Light Duty Vehicles.
- DE-EE0003258
- \$14.9M total project funding
  - DOE share \$7,480,582 (50%)
  - Contractor share: \$7,480,582 (50%)
- Project officially began in September 2010.
- Project end date is March 31, 2014



# Ultra Fuel Efficient Vehicle (UFEV) Project

## ◆ Project Objective

- Develop, implement and demonstrate fuel consumption reduction technologies with a partnership of OEM, Tier 1 supplier, consultants and universities.
- Targeted fuel economy improvement of  $> 25\%$  vs. PFI baseline.
- Phase 1 of the project concentrates on fuel efficiency improvements using EMS, GDi, and advanced valvetrain products in combination with technologies to reduce friction and parasitic losses.
- Phase 2 of the project will develop and demonstrate improved thermal efficiency from in-cylinder combustion with Gasoline Direct Compression Ignition (GDCl).



# Ultra Fuel Efficient Vehicle (UFEV) Project Collaboration with Other Institutions

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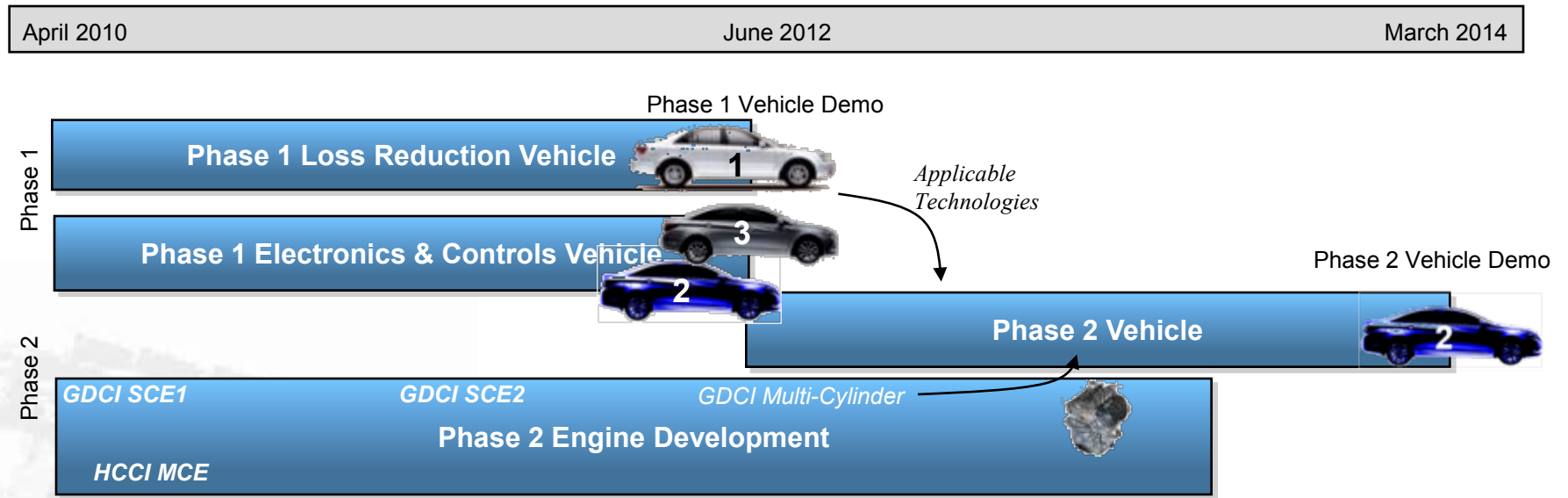


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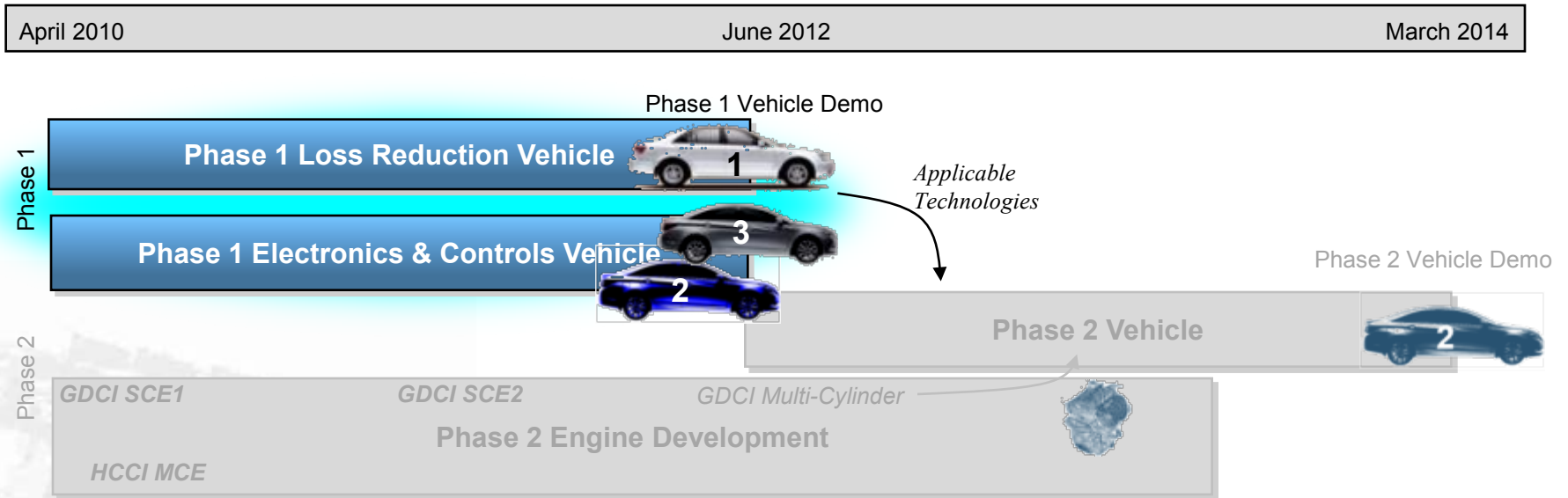


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# Project Plan – With a Focus on Hardware



# Phase 1- Systems-Level Approach to Fuel Economy Improvement Technologies



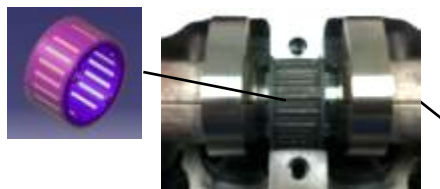
# Phase 1, Vehicle 1 (Reduced Parasitic Loss) Approach / Strategy

◆ 2011 Sonata 6MT, 2.4L GDi Theta II

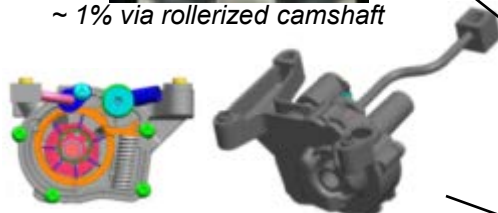


◆ Technologies on Vehicle:

## Camshaft Rollerization



~ 1% via rollerized camshaft



## Optimized Oil Pump

## Crank Rollerization



~ 3% via Rollerized Cranktrain

## Engine Downsizing



- 5000 RPM
- Revised cam shafts
- Coated Piston Rings
- Low Tension Oil Control Rings
- Coated Piston Skirt

~3% via downsizing and friction reduction

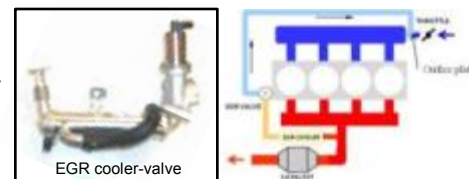
## Exhaust Heat Recovery System



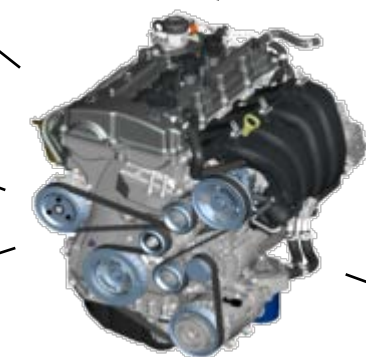
~1-2% via exhaust heat recovery



## Cooled EGR



~ 3% via cooled EGR



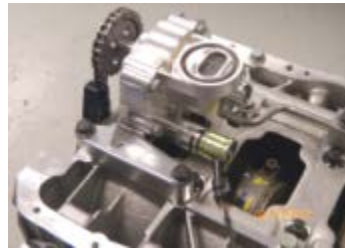
Demonstrated on Hyundai Theta GDi engine in a 2011 Sonata

\*Targeted fuel economy improvement vs. PFI baseline vehicle shown in italics

# Phase 1, Vehicle 1 (Reduced Parasitic Loss) Hardware and Testing

## ◆ Vehicle Build and Integration of Technologies

- The Phase 1 Parasitic Loss Demonstration Vehicle completed build, calibration and test.



HATCI low friction technologies



HATCI heat recovery system

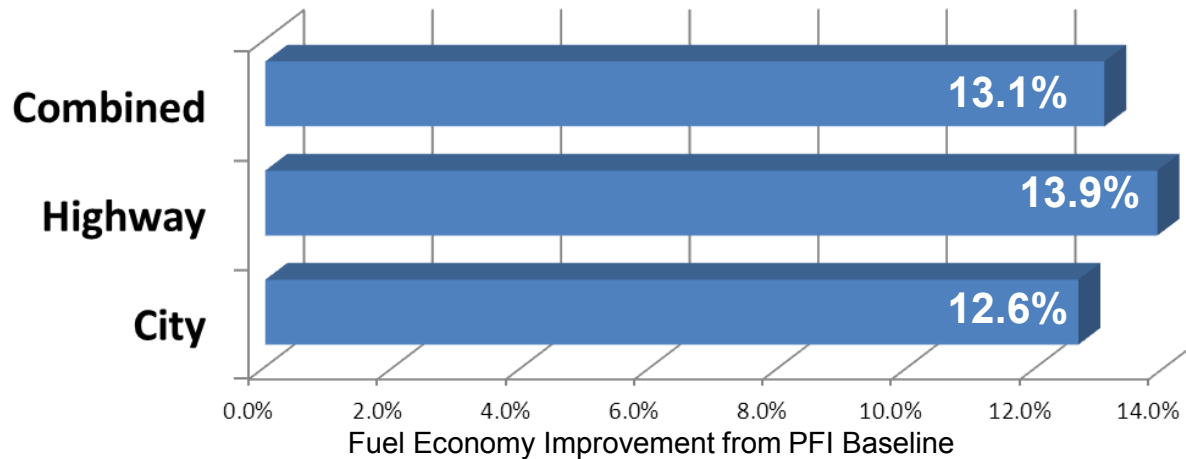


Delphi heat recovery and friction reduction controls



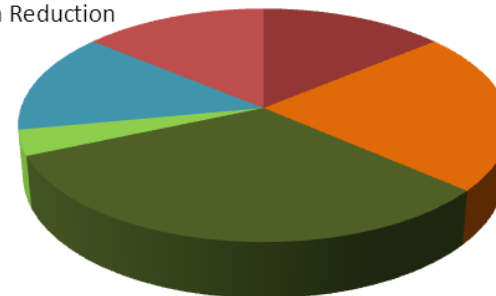
# Phase 1, Vehicle 1 (Reduced Parasitic Loss) Test Results

## Fuel Economy Improvement



## Estimated Contributions by Technology

- Rollerization
- Two Step Oil Pump
- Engine Downsweeping / Friction Reduction
- Exhaust Heat Recovery
- Cooled EGR
- Gasoline Direct Injection

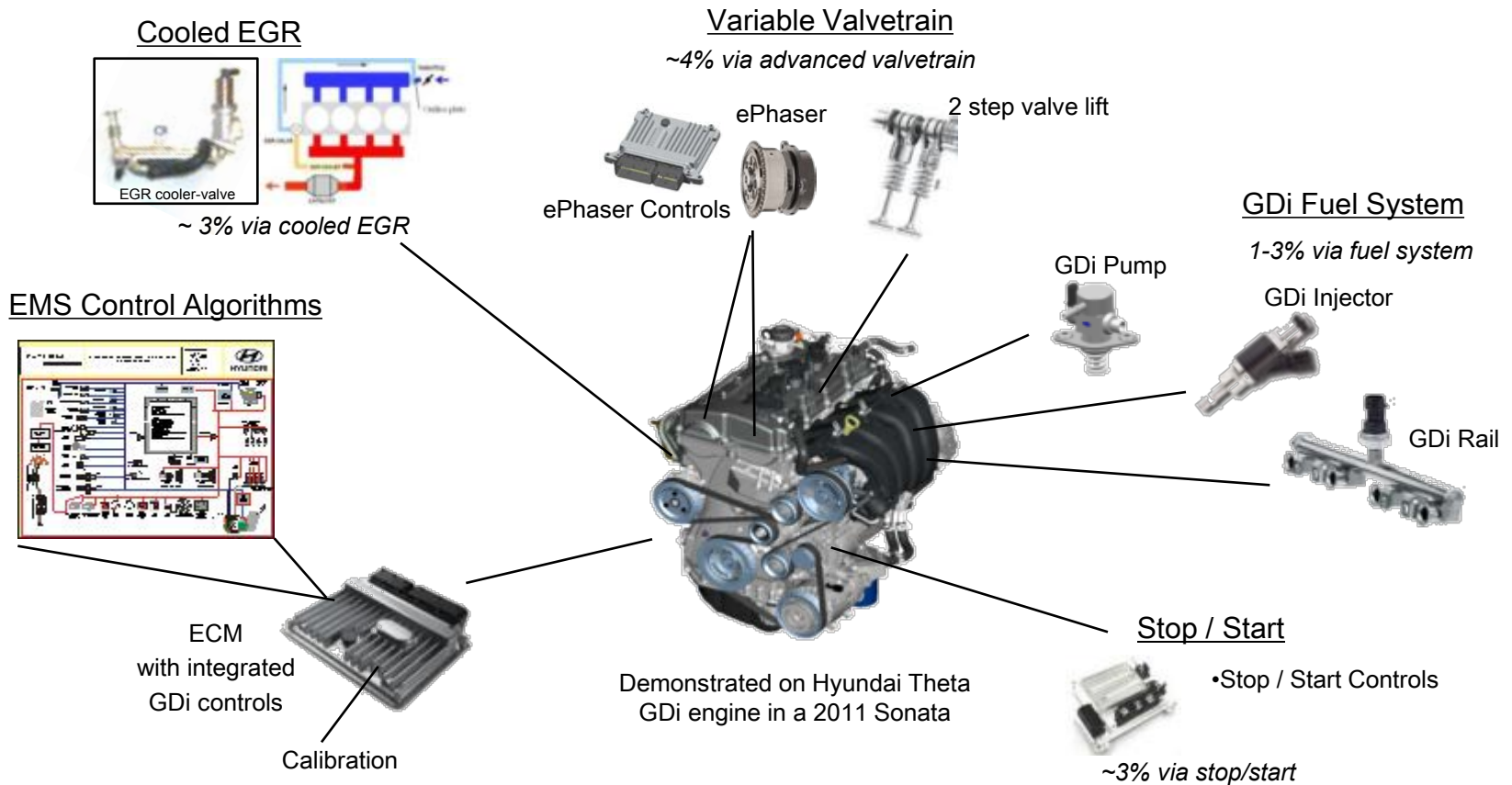


# Phase 1, Vehicle 2 (Engine Management System) Approach / Strategy

◆ 2011 Sonata 6MT, 2.4L GDi Theta II



◆ Technologies on Vehicle:

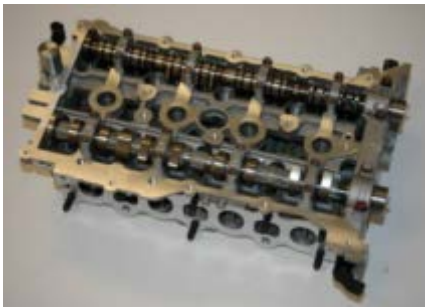


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# Phase 1, Vehicle 2 (Engine Management System) Hardware and Testing

## ◆ Vehicle Build and Integration of Technologies

- The second Phase 1 demonstration vehicle has been built and all calibration and testing completed.



Hyundai 2 step head



Delphi ePhasers



Delphi stop start system



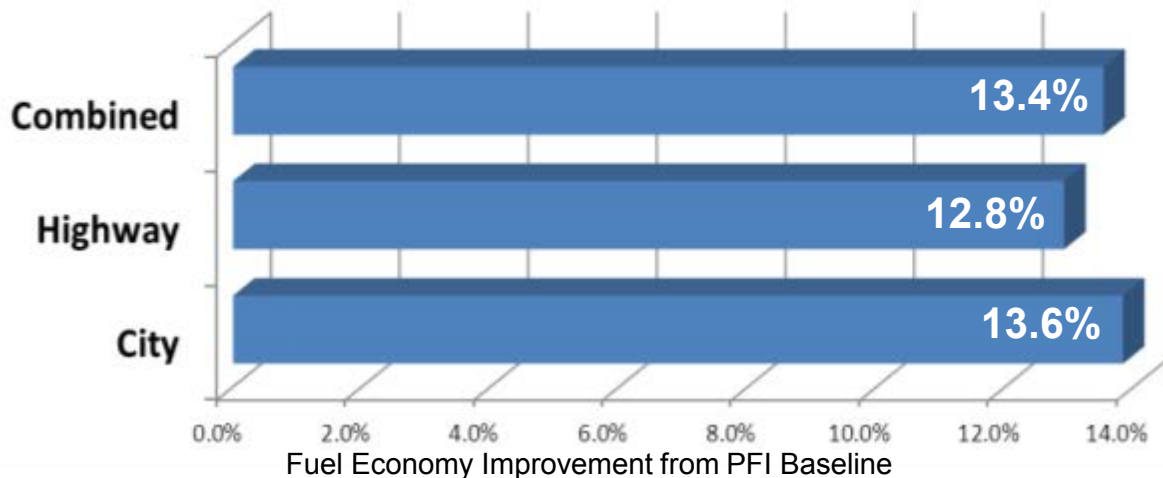
Delphi GDi fuel system



Delphi EMS

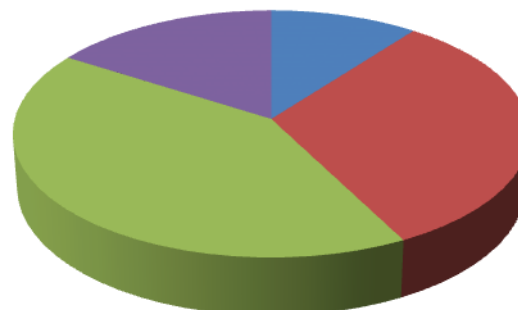
# Phase 1, Vehicle 2 (Engine Management System) Test Results

## Fuel Economy Improvement



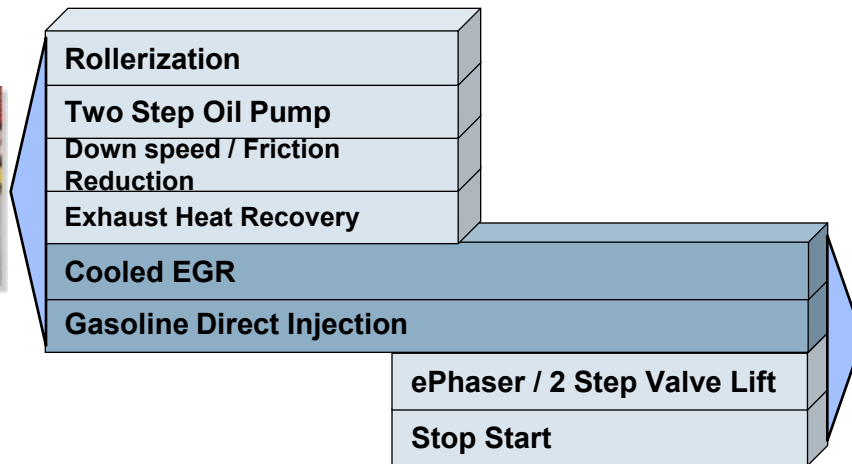
## Estimated Contributions by technology

- Cooled EGR
- GDI and EMS
- ePhaser / 2 Step
- Stop Start



# Phase 1 Vehicles: Summary

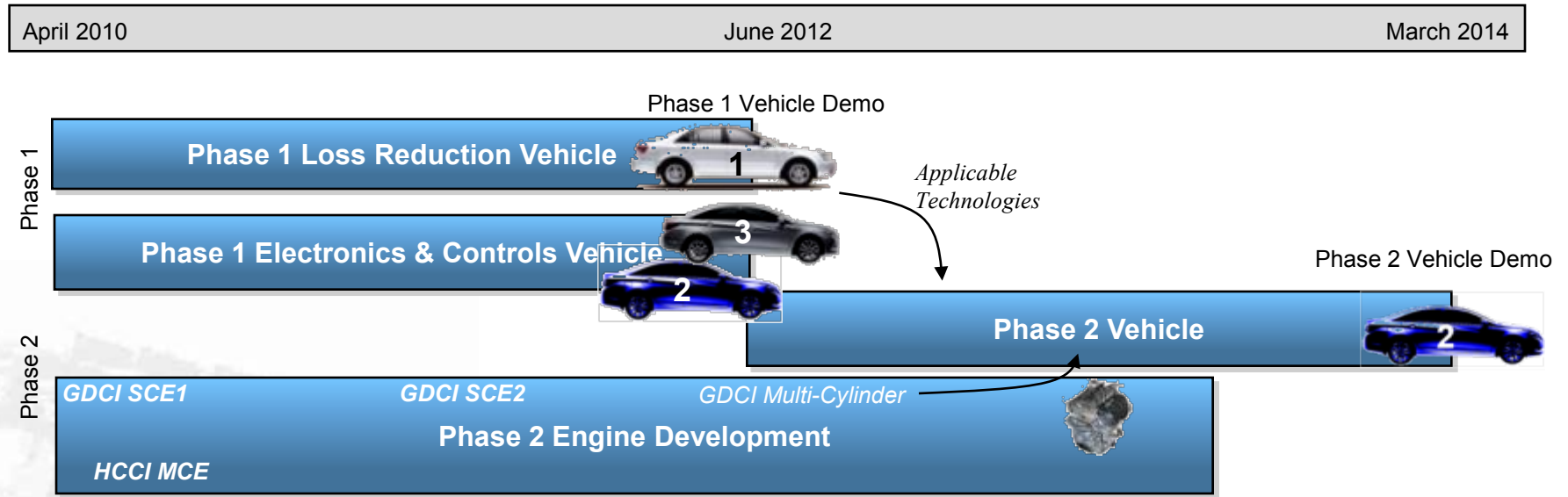
## Technology Overlap



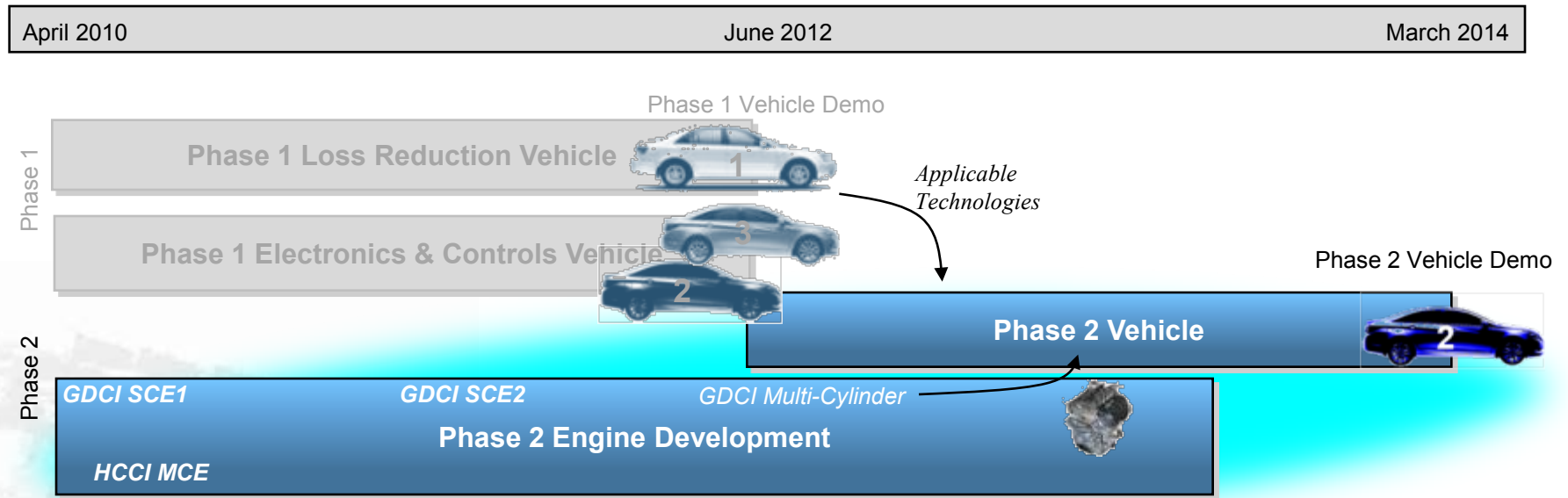
FE gain from PFI base	White Car (HATCI)	Black Car (Delphi)
City	12.6%	13.6%
Highway	13.9%	12.8%
Combined	13.1%	13.4%

*Minimal technology overlap between the two vehicles suggests that the technologies could be combined into a single vehicle which would benefit from the complementary technologies.*

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# Phase 2 - Gasoline Direct-Injection Compression-Ignition (GDCI)

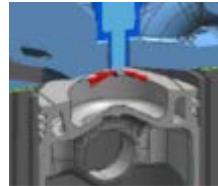


# Phase 2 Vehicle (GDCI) Approach / Strategy

- ◆ 2011 Sonata 6MT, 2.0L GDi Theta Turbo
- ◆ Technologies on Vehicle:

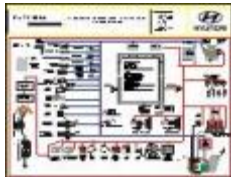


## GDCI Low Temperature Combustion Process and Controls



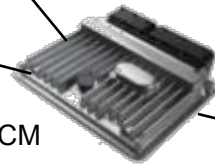
*~25% targeted fuel economy improvement*

EMS Control Algorithms



Calibration

ECM



Boosting Systems



Charge Air Coolers



Demonstrate on Hyundai Theta  
Turbo GDi engine in a 2011 Sonata

GDCI Optimized Valvetrain



GDi Pump



GDCI Optimized Injector



GDi Rail



Parasitic loss reduction  
technologies from Phase 1  
(where applicable)

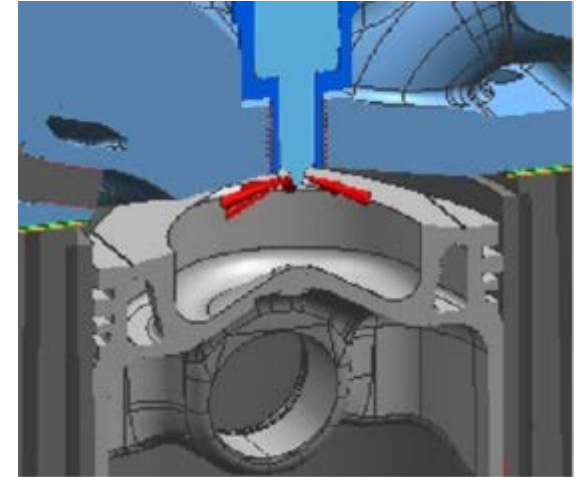


# Approach / Strategy

## GDCI Engine Concept

- Gasoline Partially-Premixed CI (PPCI)
- Fuel injection system
  - Central mounted injector
  - Multiple late Injections
  - GDI-like injection pressures
- Valvetrain – continuously-variable mechanical
- Advanced Engine Controls
- No classic SI knock or pre-ignition
- Boosted and down-speeded
- High CR & lean for high thermal efficiency

## Gen I GDCI Engine



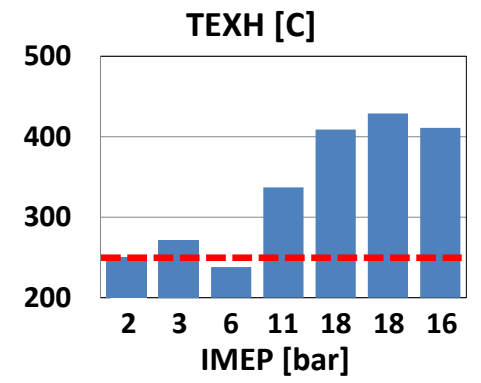
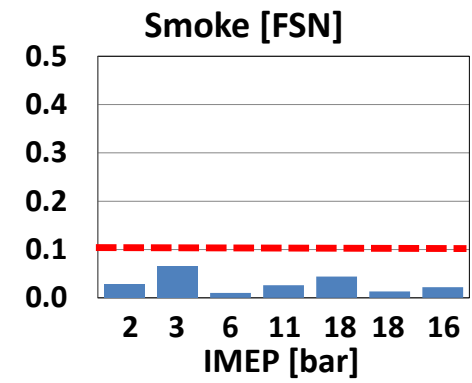
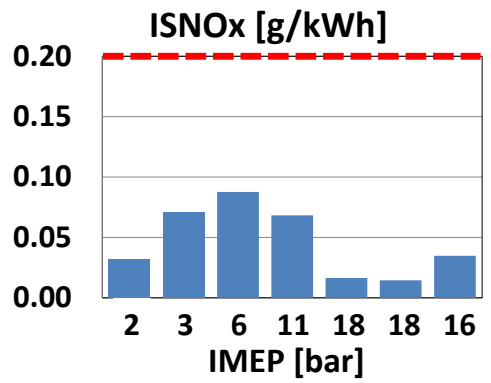
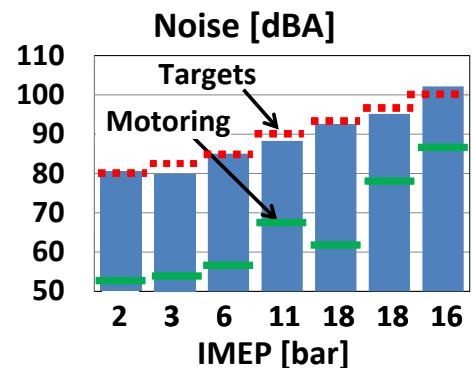
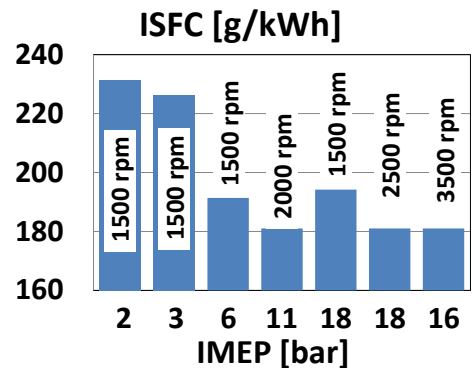
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# Phase 2 GDCI

## Hydra Single Cylinder Engine Tests with Diesel Piston

- Low ISFC achieved with very low NOx, low PM emissions and acceptable noise levels while maintaining exhaust temperatures

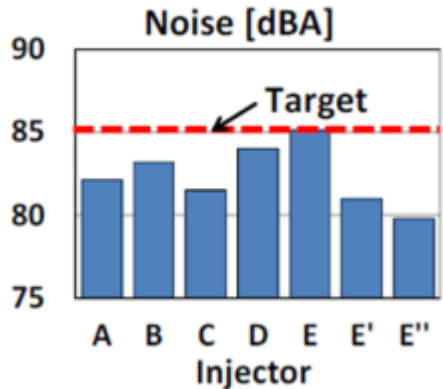
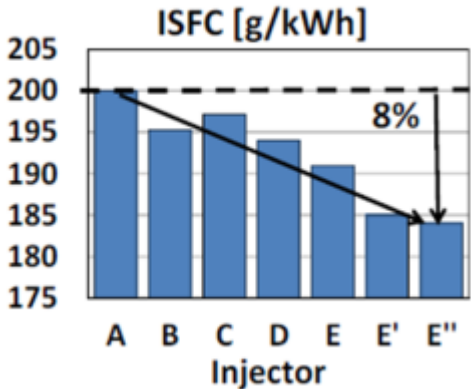


*GDCI low-temperature combustion system enables very high efficiency and very low emissions over entire speed/load range.*

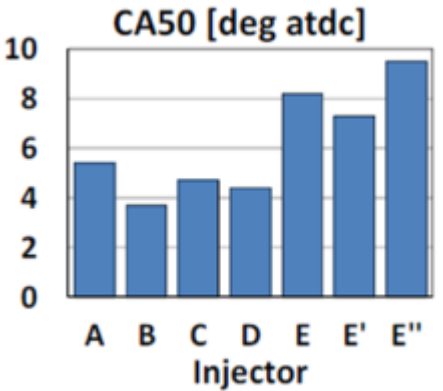
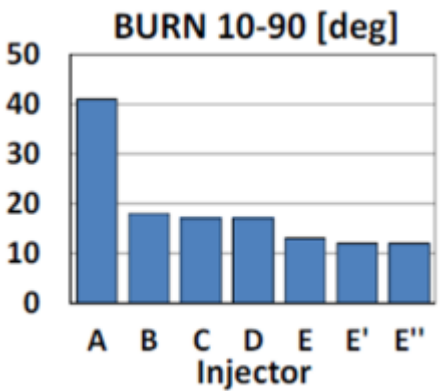
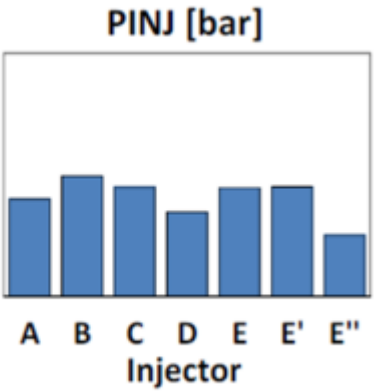
# Phase 2 GDCI

## Injector Tests on Hydra Single Cylinder Engine (1500RPM-6bar)

- Injectors A, B, C, D & E were tested with a diesel piston
- E' and E'' were tested with a new GDCI-specific piston



**Constraints**  
 Noise < 85 dB  
 Pinj < 500 bar  
 ISNOx < 0.2 g/kWh  
 Smoke < 0.1 FSN



# Phase 2 GDCl

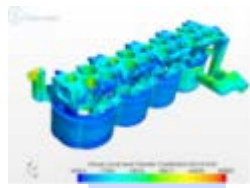
## Engine Design, Analysis, & Fabrication

***Strong Delphi & HATCI collaboration for first multi-cylinder GDCl engine***

*Cylinder Head  
Design &  
Packaging*



*Structural  
Analysis  
& CFD*



*Cylinder Head  
Fabrication*



*Enhanced Block &  
Analysis*



*Piston Design  
& Fab*



# Future Work

## UFEV Project 2012-2013

### ◆ Phase 1

- Phase 1 of the DOE project has been successfully completed

### ◆ Phase 2

- **Single-Cylinder Engine Testing**: Advanced injection and valvetrain strategies will be refined over the speed load range using a project specific head.
- **Simulation**: A variety of simulation tools for injection and spray development, combustion system, and valvetrain system will be applied to achieve minimum NOx and PM emissions.
- **Multi-Cylinder Engine Testing**: MCE testing will continue throughout the project in support of powertrain integration, component refinement, controls development and calibration
- **Advanced Controls**: Advanced controls hardware and software will be developed using HIL Bench, simulation, and start cart, followed by transfer to the vehicle

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# Related Technical Papers

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