



Injection systems for dual fuel applications

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Introduction Large Engine (LE)

| Engine categories | HD-truck derivative | High speed | Medium speed | | Low speed (2-stroke-engine) |
|---------------------------------|---|--|---|--|---|
| cyl.-volume (dm ³): | < 2,5 | 2,5-6 | 4 – 32 | 33 – 290 | 134 - 1.800 |
| cyl.-output (kW): | ≤ 120 | ≤ 230 | ≤ 500 | ≤ 2.100 | ≤ 7.760 |
| speed (min ⁻¹): | ≥ 1.400 | ≥ 1.400 | ≤ 1.400 | ≥ 450 | ≤ 450 |
| FIE in 2006 FIE in 2015 | UP, CRS CRS | PF, IP, CRS CRS | UI, UP, PF, IP CRS, PF, UP | PF CRS, PF | PF PF, CRS |
| Application: |  C&I Generator, Marine CRSN |  MCRS |  Locomotive Generator Marine |  Marine Generator HFO - CRS |  Marine |

UI = Unit Injector

CRS = Common Rail System

UP = Unit Pump

PF = Single plunger pump

IP = Inline Pump

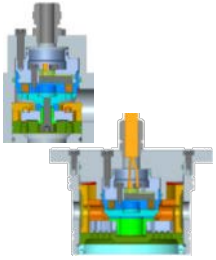








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Line up – product portfolio Large Engine (LE)

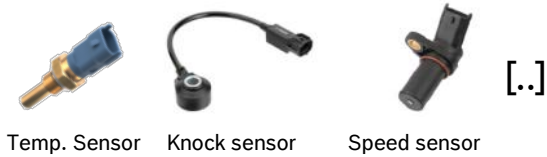
natural gas

Diesel / HFO

dual fuel

| LE-GV * | CRSN | MCRS | HFO | Conventional | UI/UPS |
|--|--|--|--|---|---|
| Large Engine Gas Valve | Common Rail System CV | Modular CRS for Large Engines | Heavy Fuel Oil | mechanical components | Unit Injector / Unit Pump Syst. |
|  <p>Modular Set of LE gas valves</p> <p>* in development phase</p> |  <p>CRIN CP3.3</p>  <p>EDC17CV41</p> |  <p>CRIN-LE CP9.1-LE</p>  <p>EDC17CV41</p> |  <p>CRIN-LE-22-HFO #</p> <p>CP9.2 HFO #</p> <p># tasting, no development yet</p> |  <p>PF-Pump Inline pump</p>  <p>NHA</p> |  <p>EUI</p> <p>UPS</p> |

Sensors:



Marine Certification:



Denoxtronic - SCR w/ urea



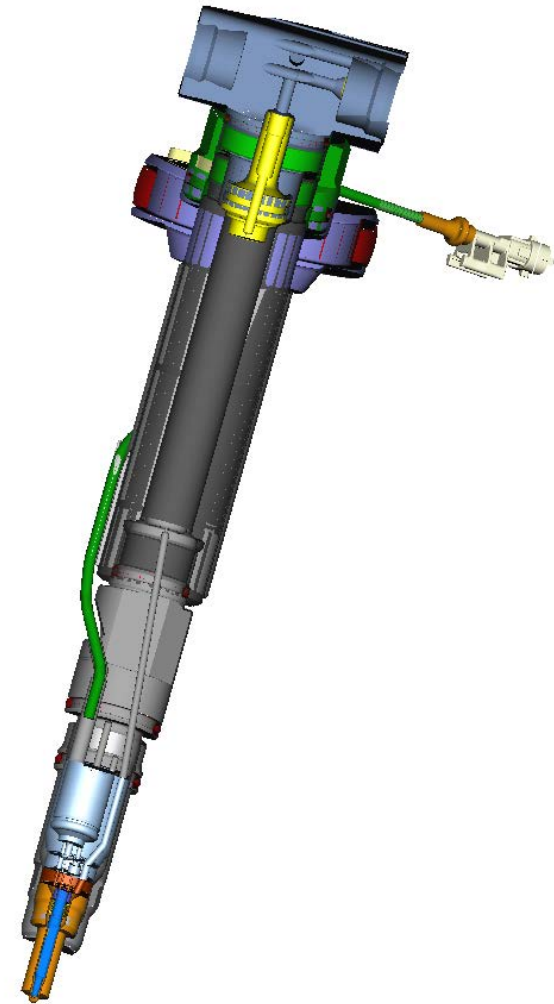
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Content of speech:

- BOSCH Concept for Dual Fuel Systems
- Double Injector Concept for Dual Fuel Applications
- Single Injector Concept for Dual Fuel Applications
- Comparison of single and double injector concepts
- Outlook and Summarize



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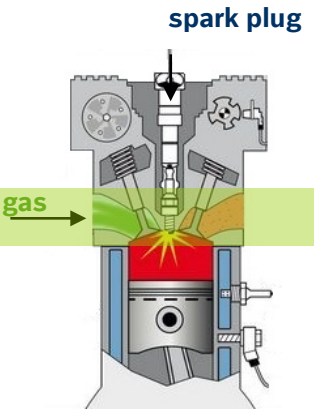
Otto combustion cycle

Gas monovalent

Premixed gas, admission into intake manifold



ignition via spark plug



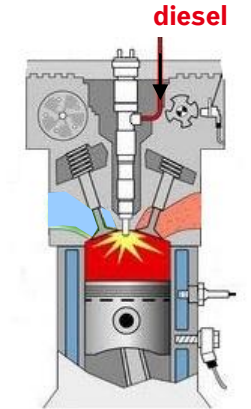
Diesel combustion cycle

Diesel

Diesel injection



Diesel diffusion combustion

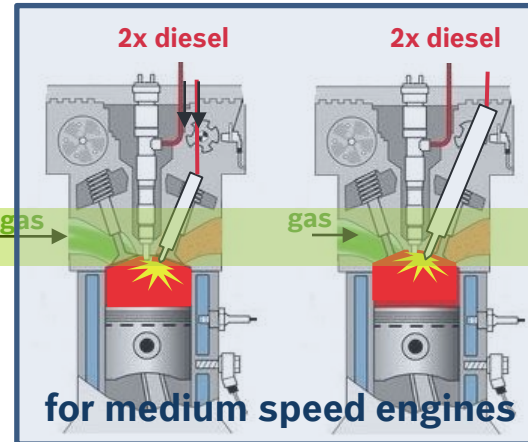


Dual Fuel

Premixed gas, admission into intake manifold



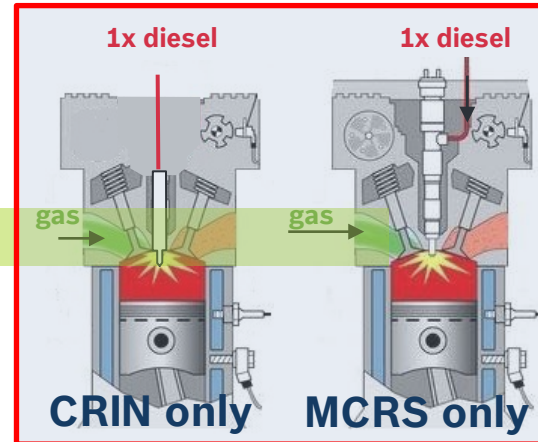
ignition via pilot diesel injection by additional CR injector



Premixed gas, admission into intake manifold



ignition via diesel injection (variable substitution)



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Double Injector Dual fuel concept: Main=conv. appl. Pilot=LE or CRIN

•Combinations:

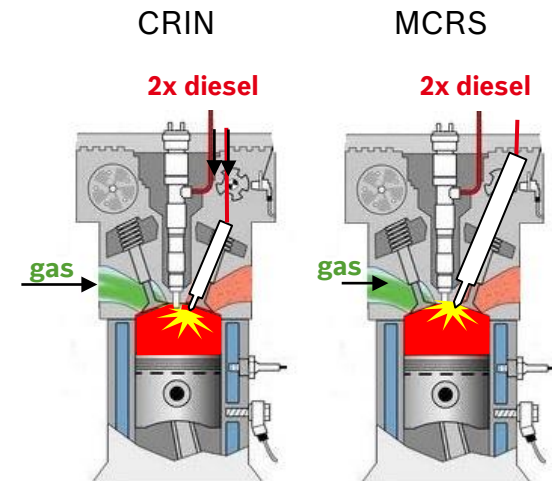
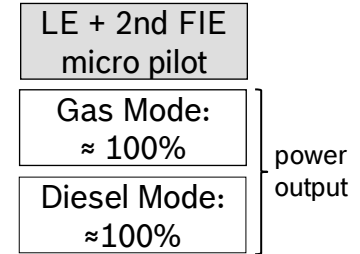
| bore diameter [mm] | MAIN | PILOT |
|--------------------|--------------|-------|
| 400 - 510 | conventional | MCRS |
| up to 400 | conventional | CRIN |

•Optional: ~100% gas mode OR ~100% diesel mode possible (variable substitution)

•Commercial vehicle (CRIN) injector allows very small pilot quantities and is optimized for ideal fuel penetration during gas mode

•For bore diameters > 400 mm and central pilot injector position → MCRS injector designed for pilot quantities

•Critical topic: nozzle tip temperature which can lead to fuel deposits



for medium speed engines

CRIN for $\varnothing < 400$ mm LE for $\varnothing > 400$ mm

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Commercial Vehicle Injector
w/ top feed and side feed



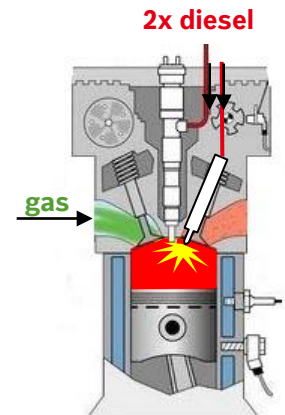
High pressure pump CP3.3
w/ gear pump ZP

LE + 2nd FIE
micro pilot

Gas Mode:
≈ 100%

Diesel Mode:
≈ 100%

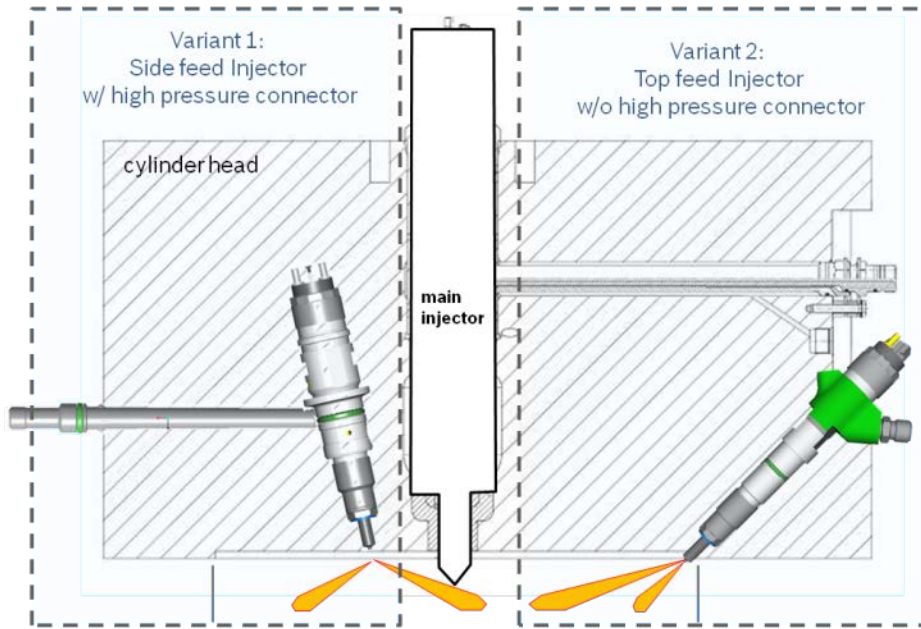
power
output



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Variants of mounting proposals:

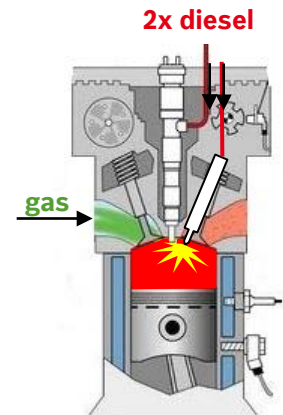


LE + 2nd FIE
micro pilot

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Diesel Mode:
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power output



| System | Engine bore diameter [mm] | System pressure [bar] | Q _e (inj. Quant.) [mm ³ / stroke] | Q _{hyd} nozzle flow [cm ³ /30s] | NSP |
|----------|---------------------------|-----------------------|---|---|-------|
| CRSN3-18 | 350 | 1600 | 30 ... 150 | 350 | 4 - 5 |
| CRSN2-16 | 200 | 1100 - 1600 | 20 ... 60 | 200 - 310 | 2 - 3 |

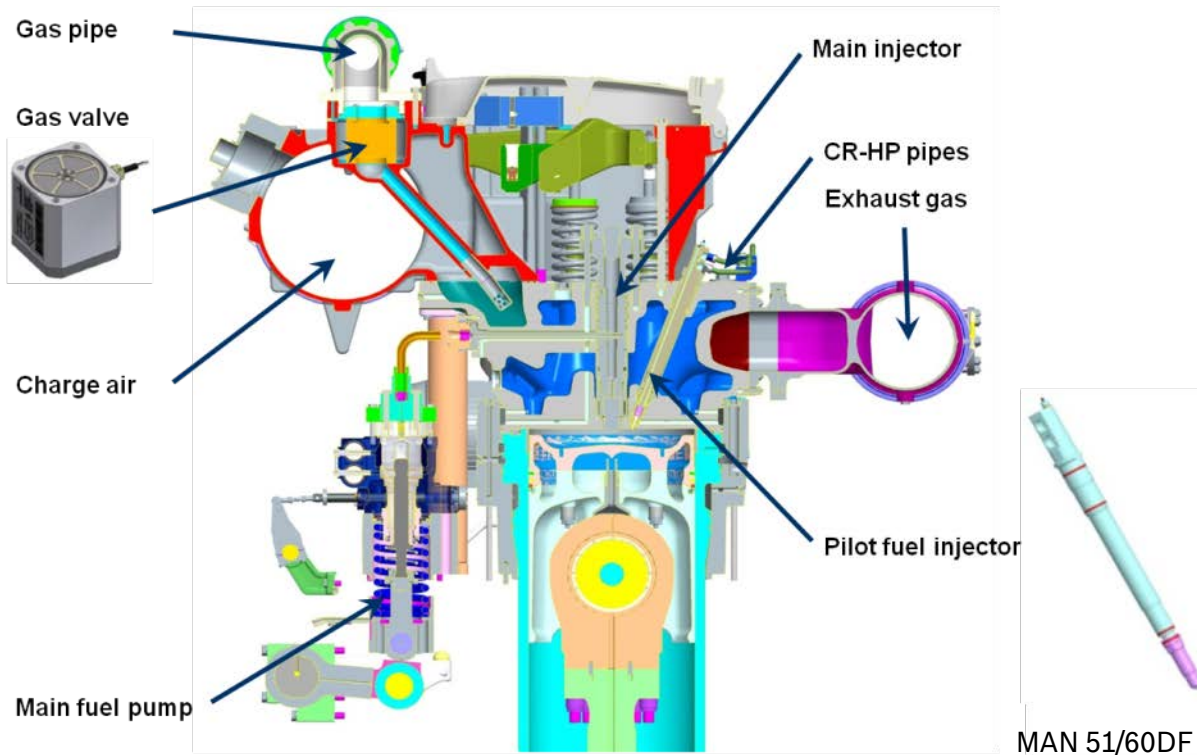
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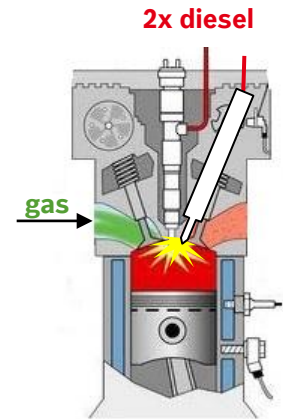
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| CR | 450 - 510 | 1050 | 70 - 280 | 800-900 | 4 |

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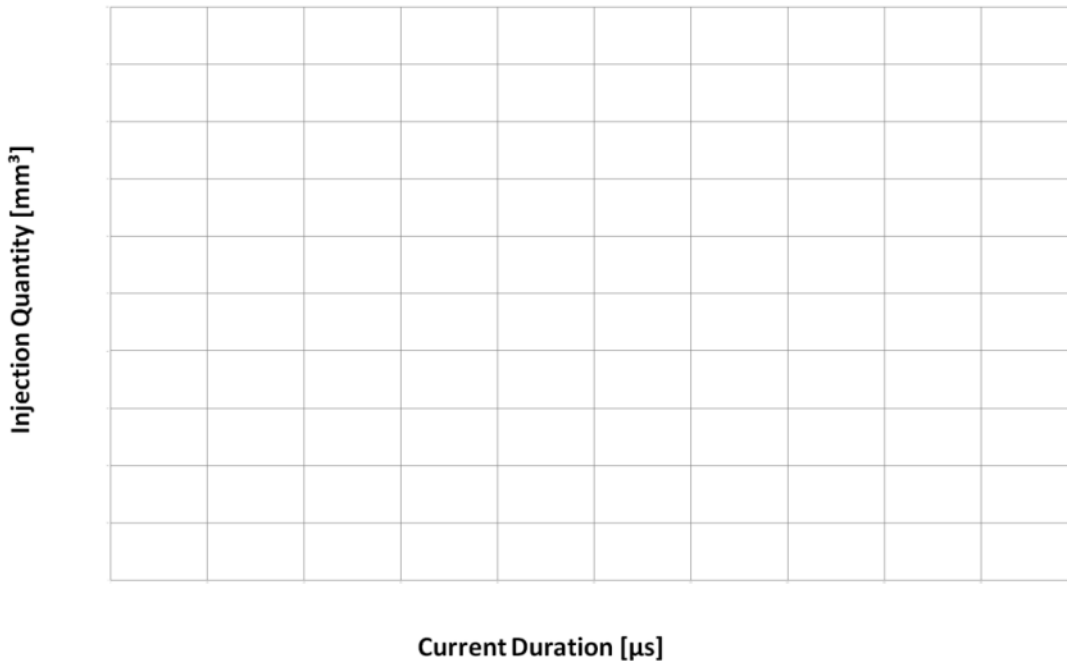
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Single Injector Dual fuel concept: only one FIE (CRIN or MCRS)

Requirements and behavior of the Injector:

Injector characteristic



only one FIE
w/ micro pilot

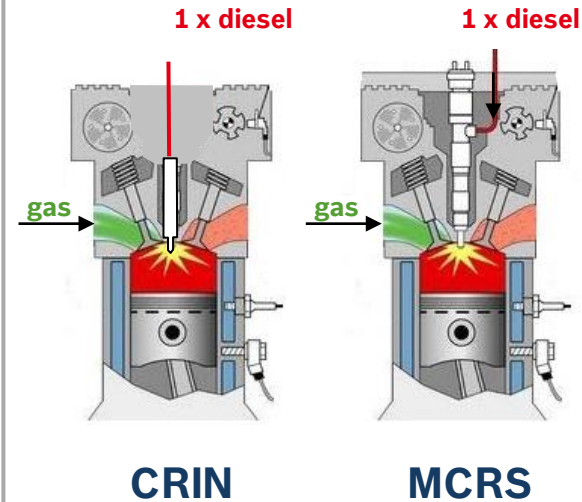
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Diesel Mode:
≈ 0 - 30%

only one FIE
lim. pilot inj.

Gas Mode:
≈ 0 - 70%

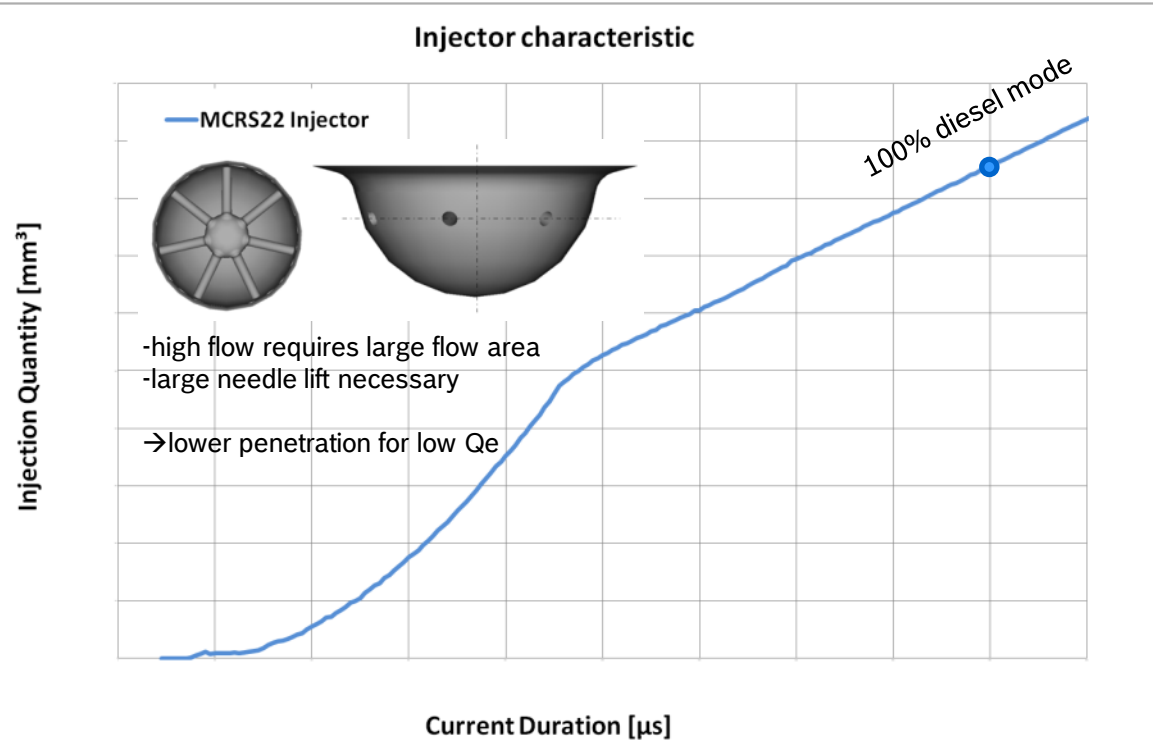
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Requirements and behavior of the Injector: Standard MCRS 22 Injector in Dual fuel application



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w/ micro pilot

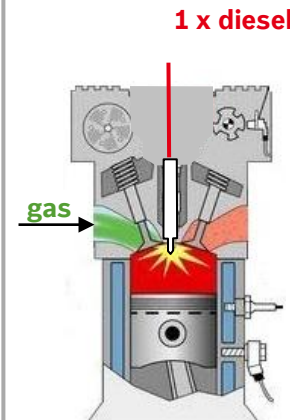
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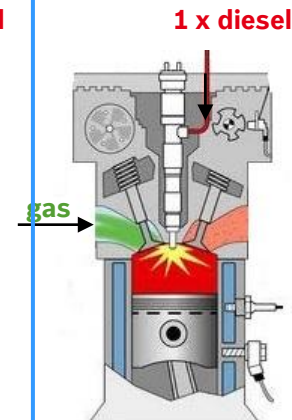
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CRIN

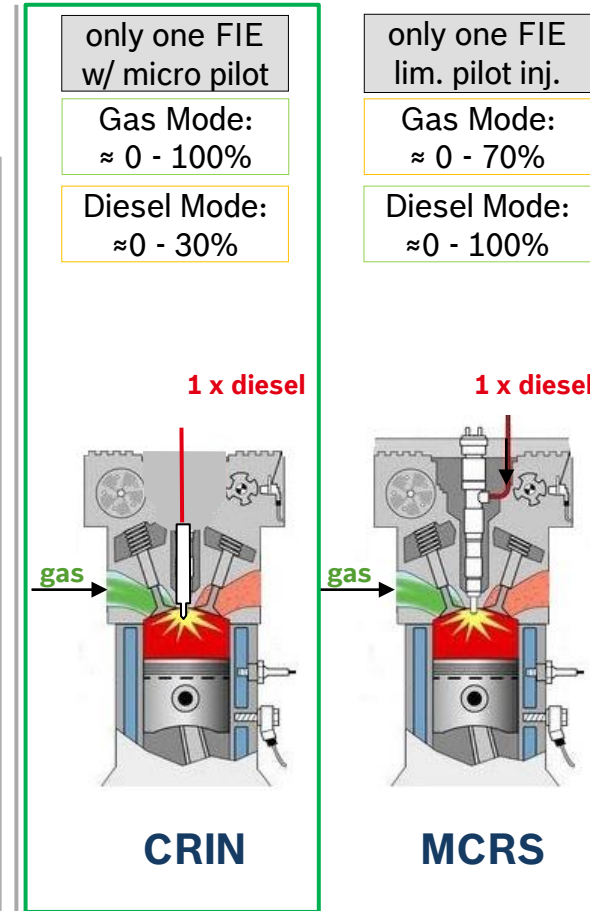
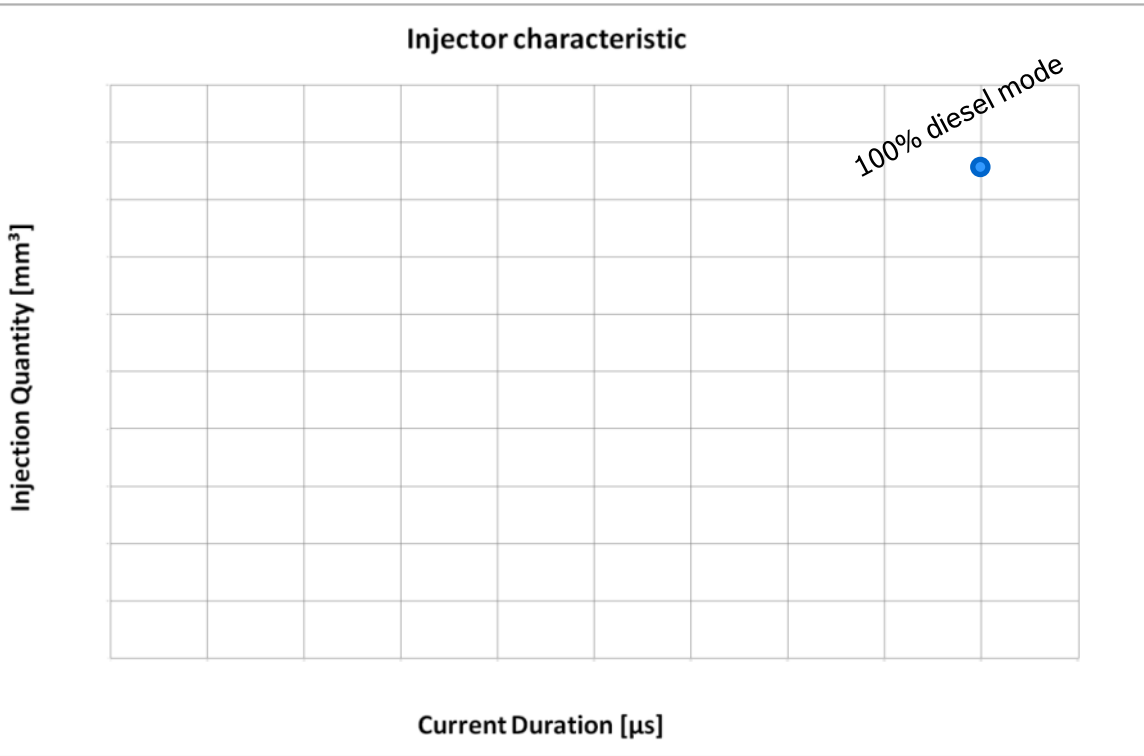


MCRS

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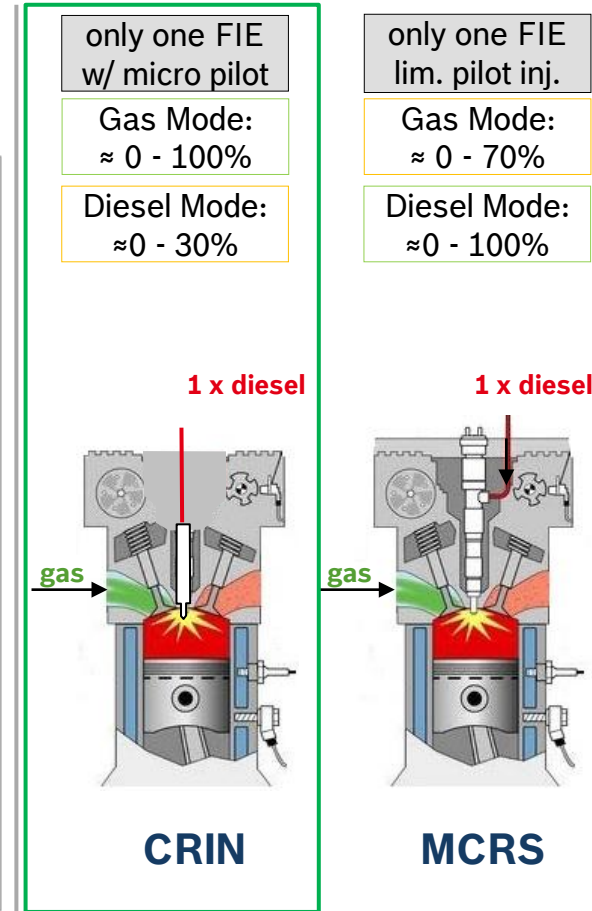
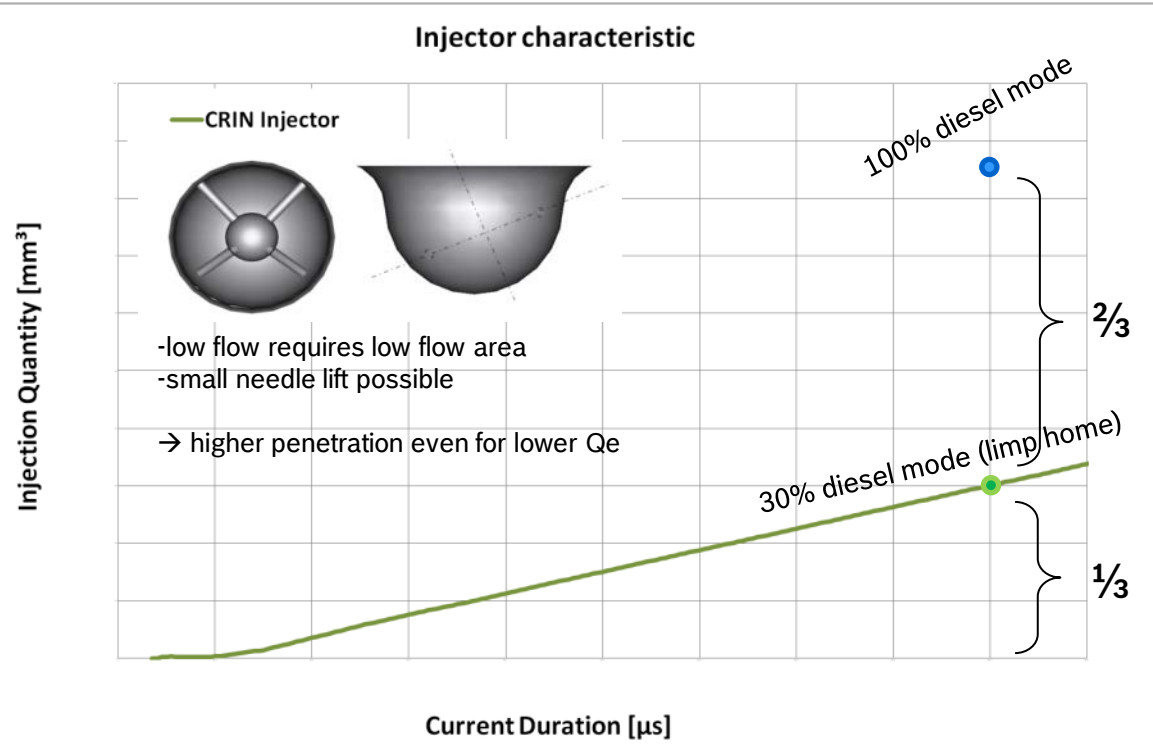
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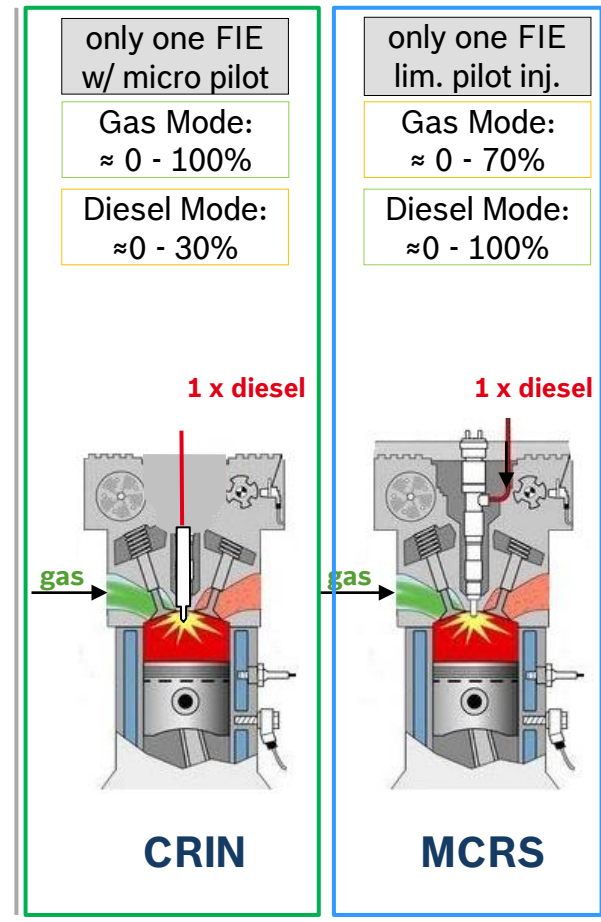
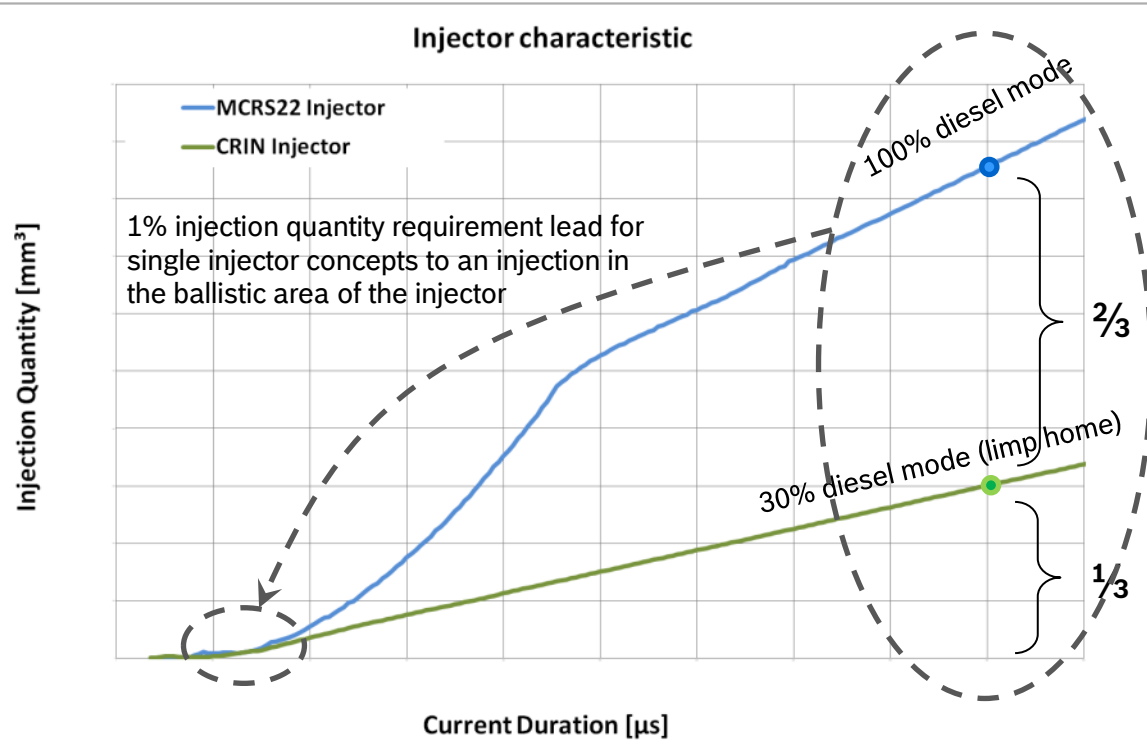
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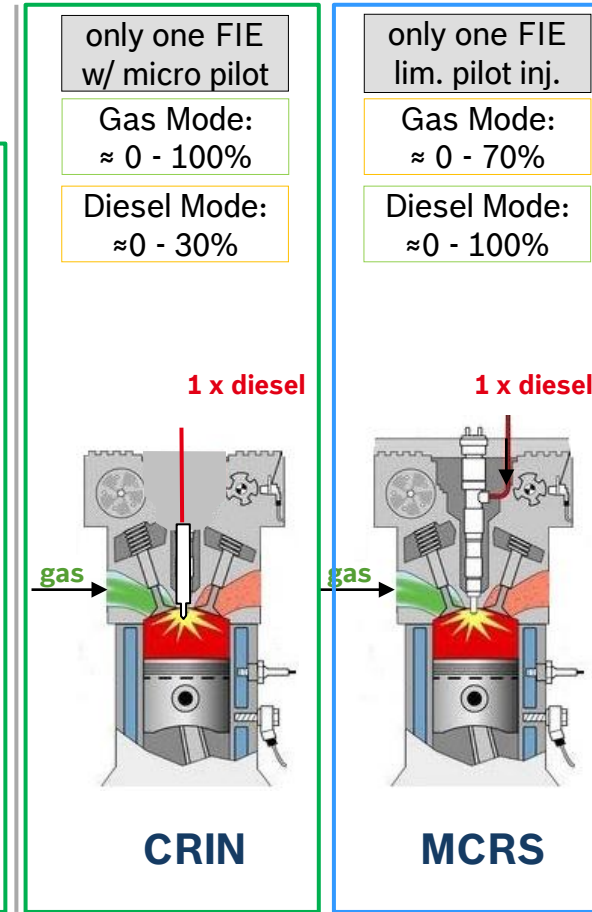
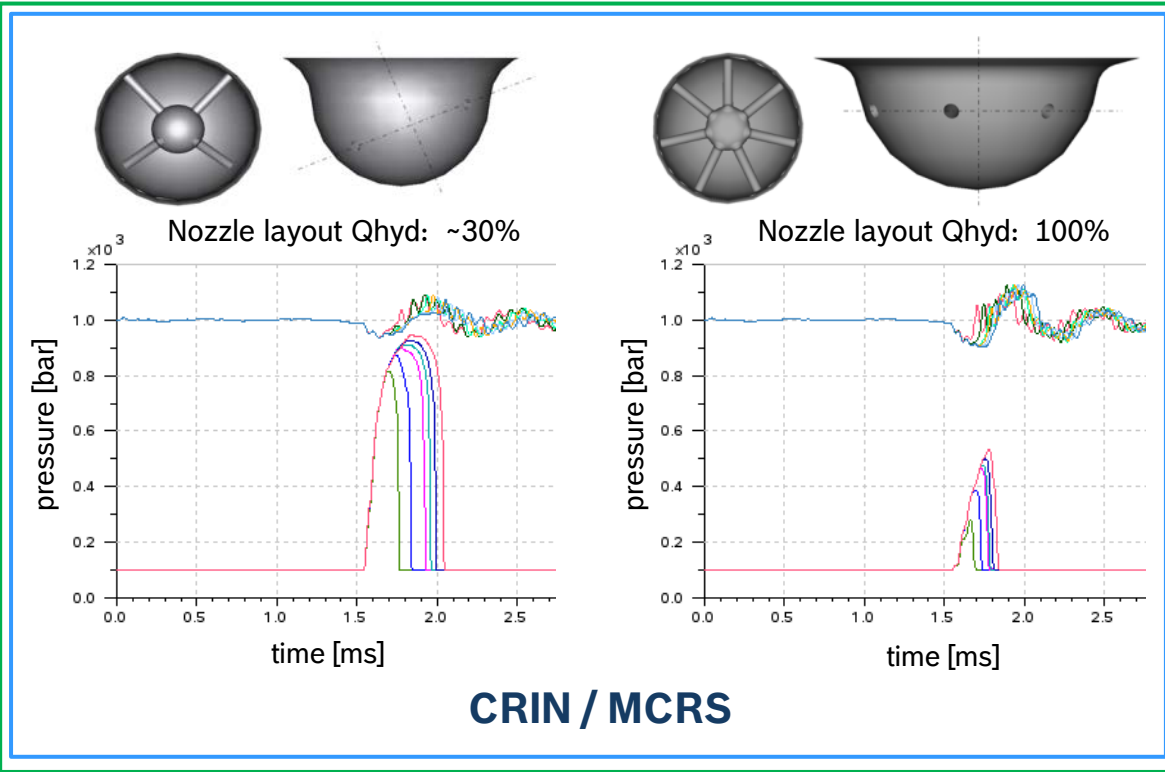
Requirements and behavior of the Injector:
Stability of pilot injection quantities



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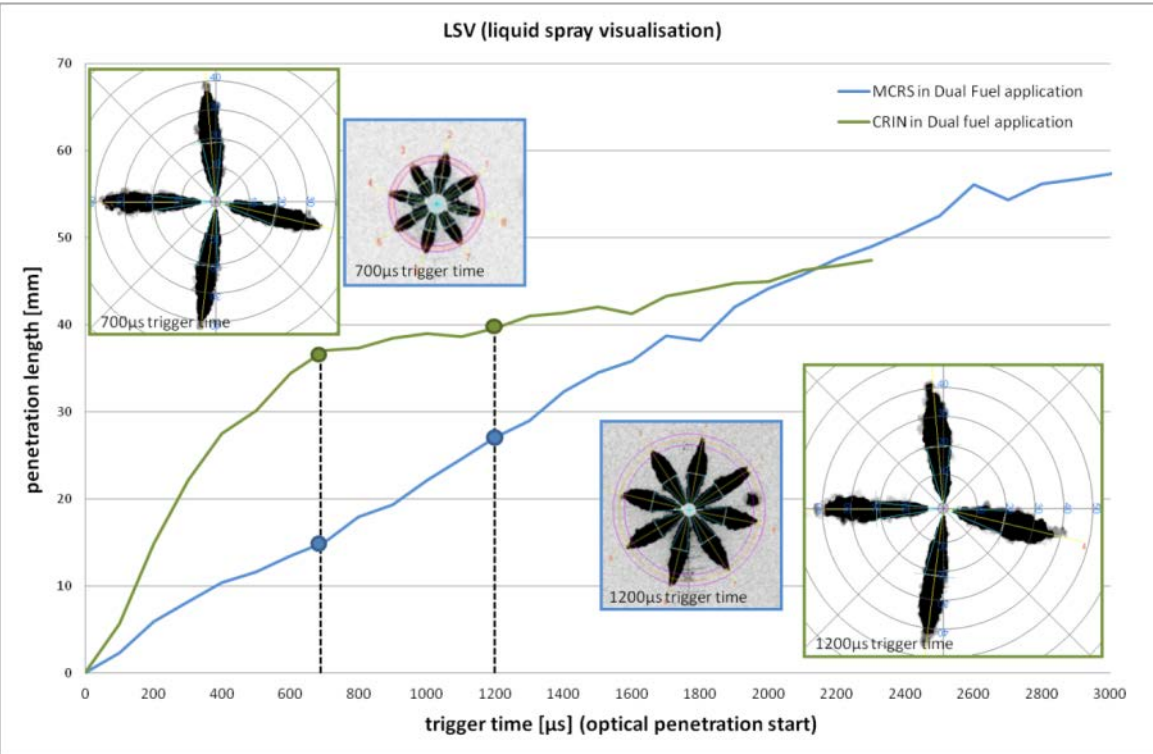
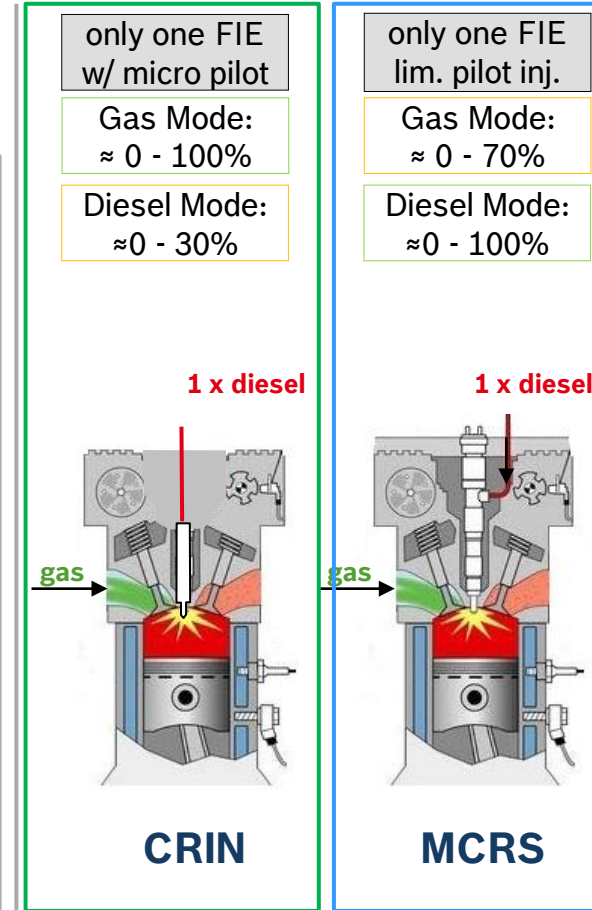
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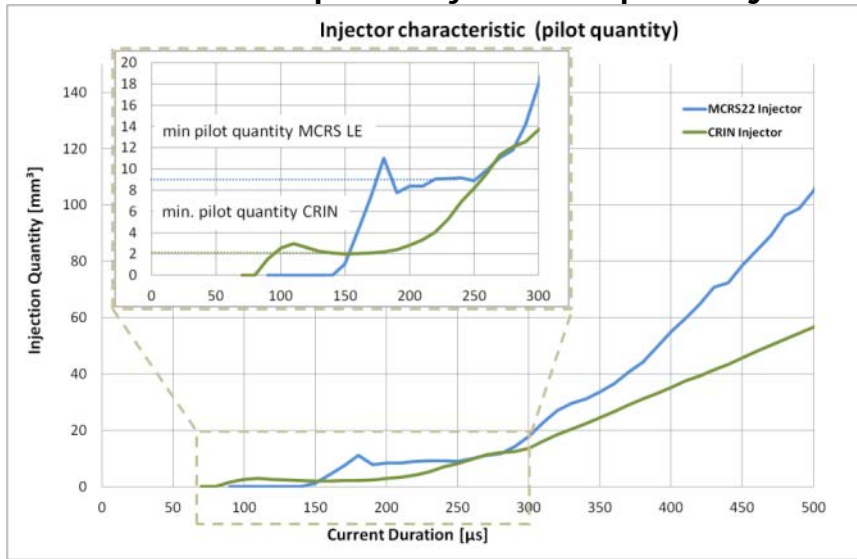
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Minimum pilot injection quantity:



| System | Injector | typical pilot injection quantity |
|---------------|---------------|---------------------------------------|
| CRSN3-18 | CRIN3-18 | 2 mm ³ /stroke @ 1400 bar |
| CRSN3-22 enh. | CRIN3-22 enh. | 5 mm ³ / stroke @ 2200 bar |
| MCRS-16 | CRIN-LE-16 | 5 ... 10 mm ³ / stroke |
| MCRS-22 | CRIN-LE-22 | 5 ... 10 mm ³ / stroke |

only one FIE
w/ micro pilot

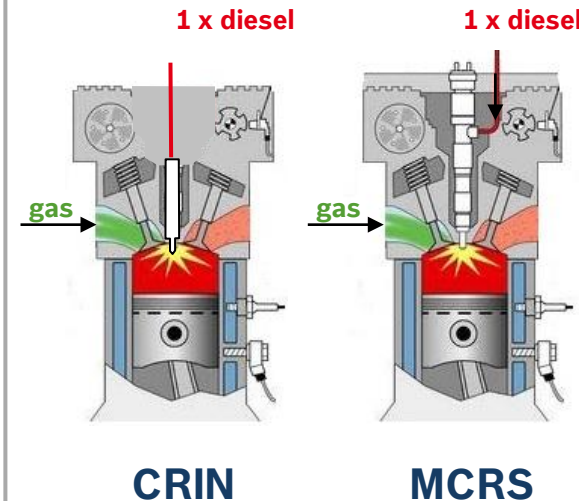
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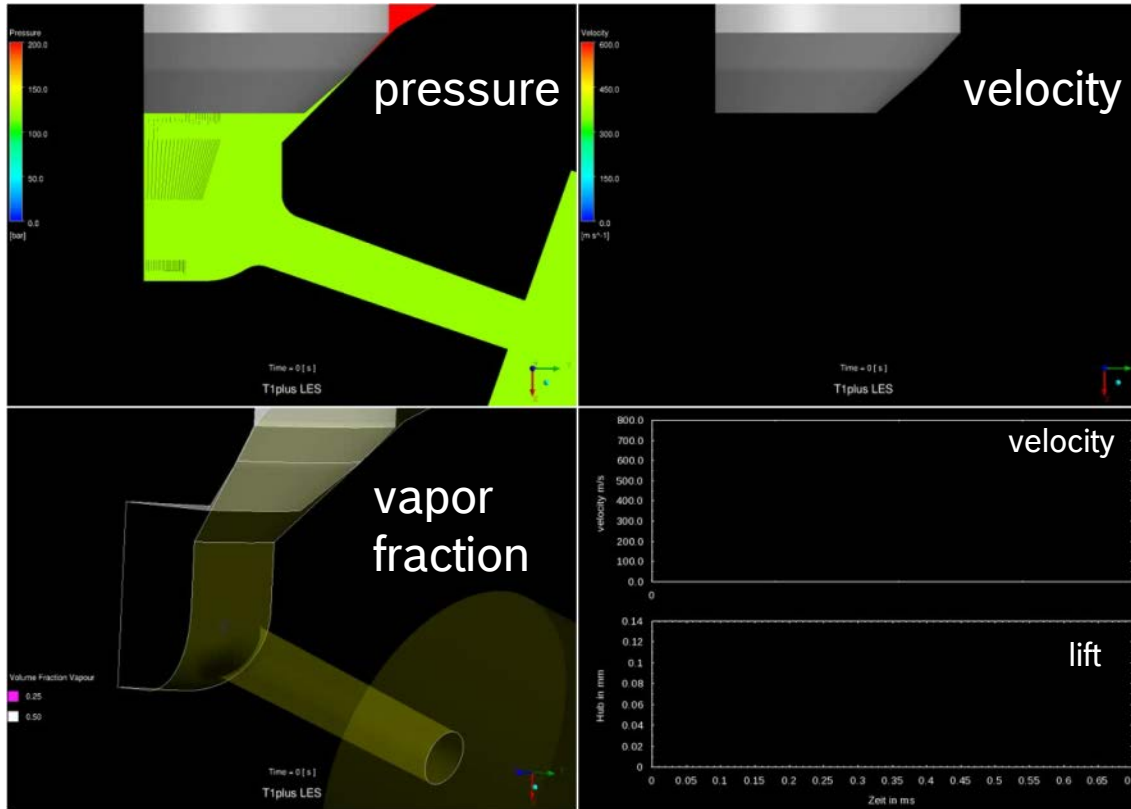


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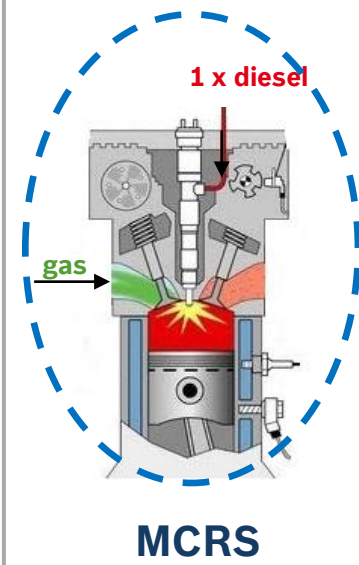
Summarize: pros and cons of each concept

Challenge for new concept of single dual fuel injector:

Nozzle layout Qhyd: 100%



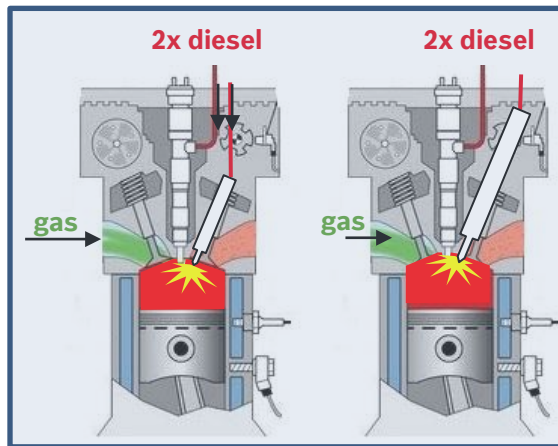
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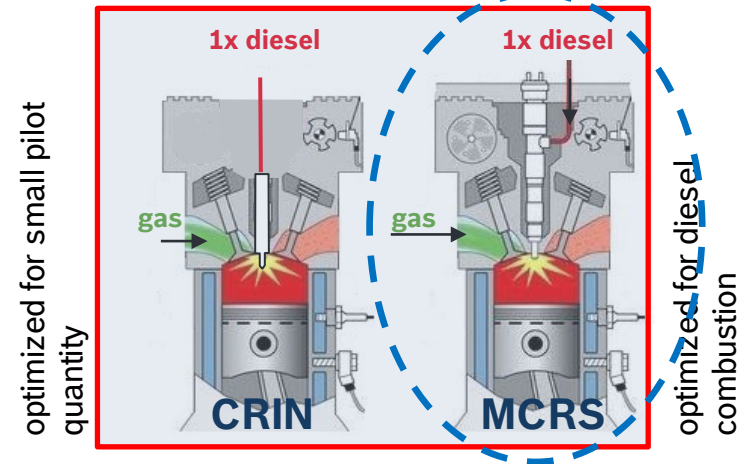
Dual Fuel

double injector concepts



- + advantages of both injectors (small pilot quantity and 100 % diesel operation)
- + stable pilot quantity and ideal spray penetration
- 2 injector (complexity of systems increases)
- higher costs
- complex control concept
- complex packaging in cylinder head
- main injector uncooled during gas mode

single injector concepts



- + 100 % implementation of diesel packaging
 - + standard CR control concept
 - + lower costs (1 Injector only)
 - Either small pilot quantities and limp home diesel operation max. 30 load or 100% diesel mode with currently 70 % substitution rate
- Optimization will increase substitution rate ($\geq 95\%$)

Summarize / Outlook:

- For medium speed engines the double injector concept is a proven stable solution for applications with bore diameters from 200 up to 510 mm
- For single injector concepts substitution rates of 70% are applied without modification of the fuel injection system
- Target for 2nd generation DF engines:
 - MCRS 22 Injector with a substitution rate $\geq 95\%$



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