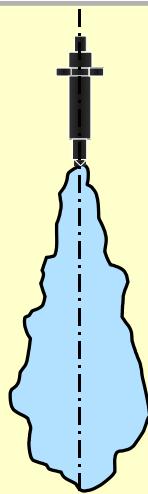
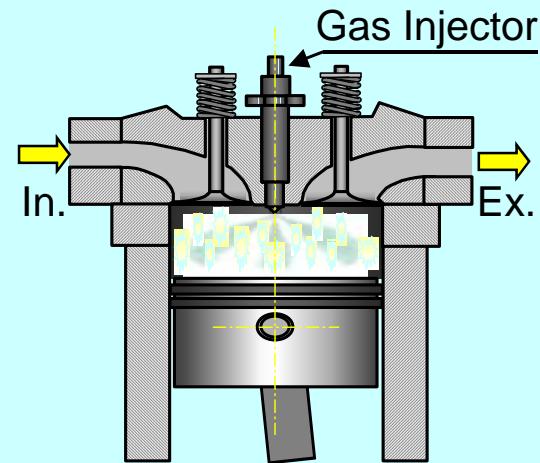


Applying Gaseous Fuels to IC Engines with Direct-Injection System

Potential & Technical Challenges of Direct Injection Compression Ignition

- Wide operation range
- Application to large-sized engine
- Prevention of abnormal combustion
- High combustion efficiency
- Proper auto-ignition timing
- Control of combustion process
- Reduction of heat loss



Fuel Injection

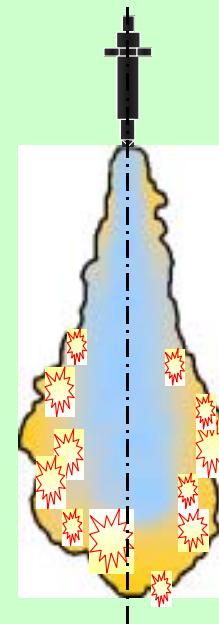
- Injection pressure
- Mass flow rate
- Nozzle configuration

Mixture Formation

- Underexpanded jet flow
- Local equivalence ratio
- Fuel distribution

Jet Development

- Entrainment
- Jet penetration
- Jet dispersion angle



Auto-Ignition Process

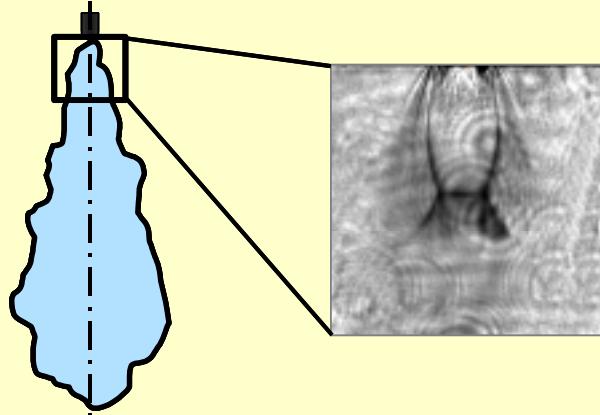
- Auto-ignition delay
- State of mixture
- Chemical kinetic modeling

Combustion Process

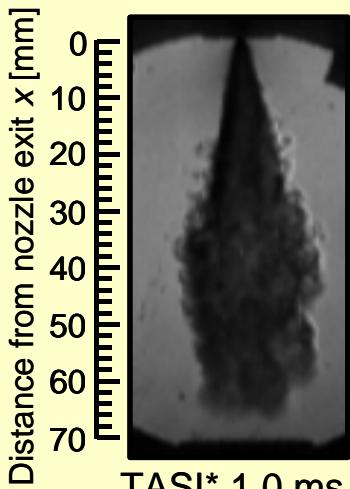
- Heat release rate
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- Combustion durations
- Heat losses
- Chemiluminescence

Mixing and Combustion Mechanisms Analyzed by Various Experimental Techniques

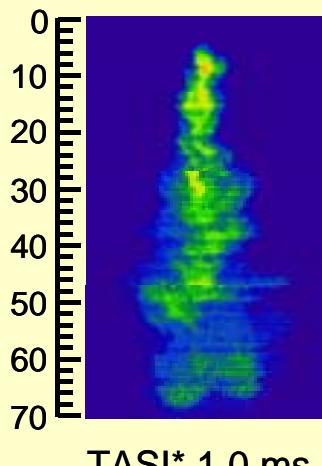
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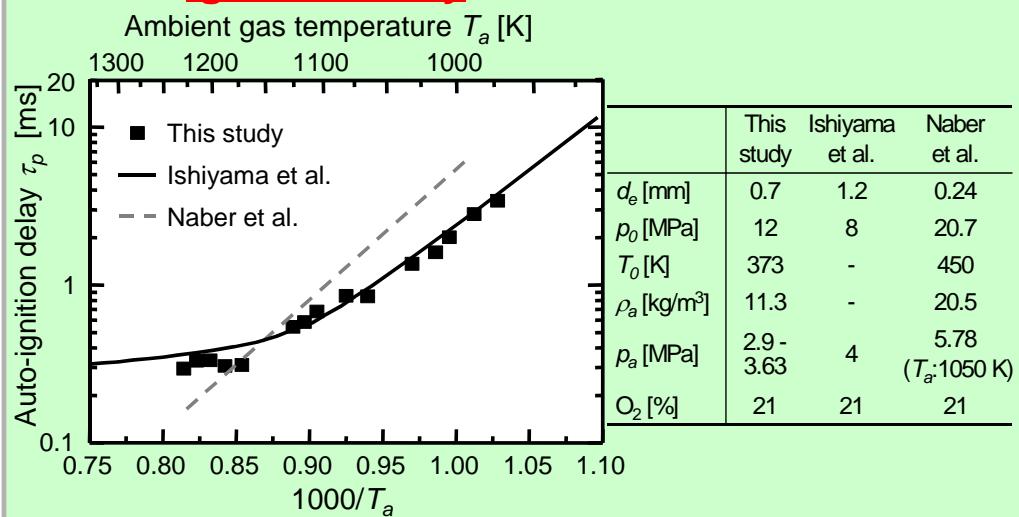
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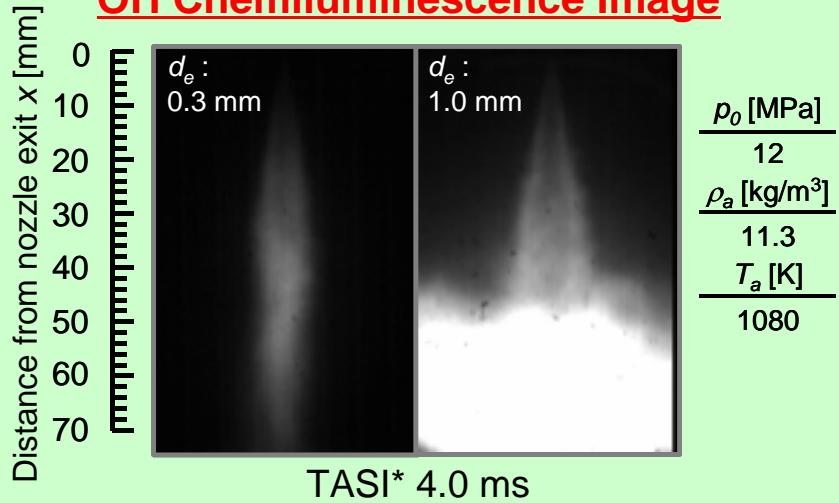
Rayleigh scattering



Ignition Delay



OH Chemiluminescence Image



* TASI: Time After Start of Injection