GAS TURBINES

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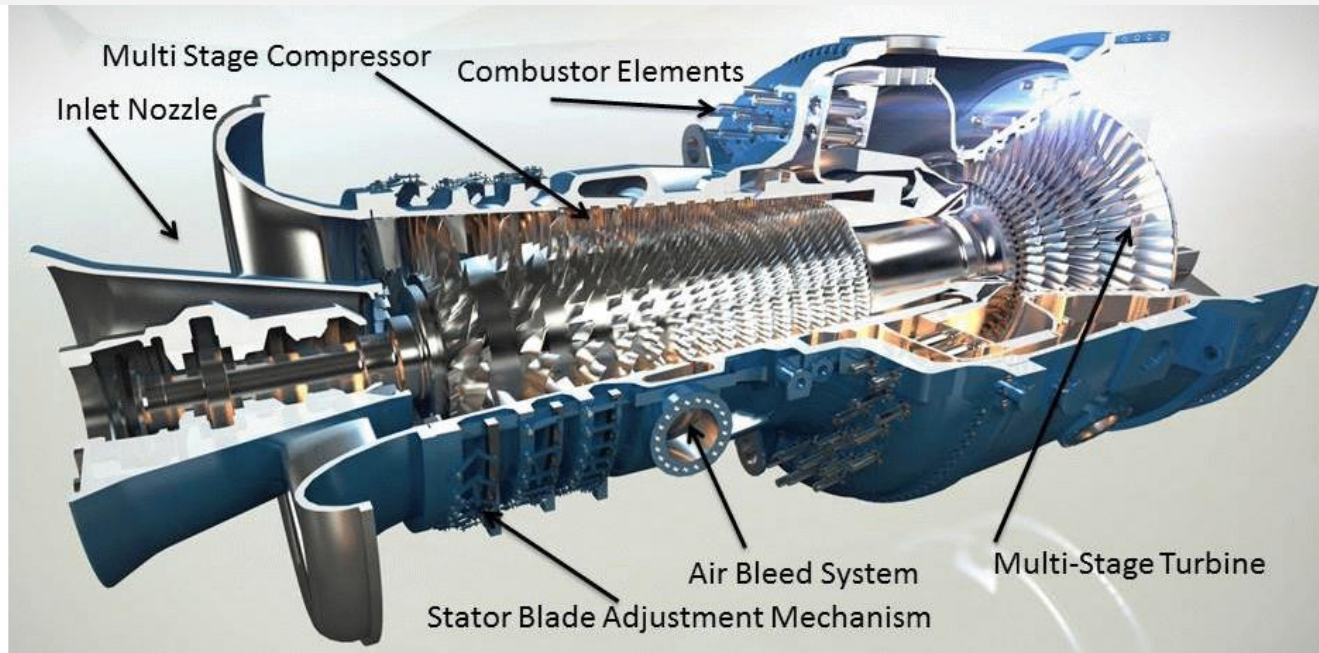https://robert-jakubowski.v.prz.edu.pl/en/

GAS TURBINES

Gas turbines (GT) are power plants within which the chemical energy of the fuel is converted either into mechanical energy in terms of shaft power or into kinetic energy in jet engines.

They produce a great amount of energy for its size and weight

SHAFT POWER GAS TURBINE

Alstom heavy duty power generation gas turbine GT13E2
Output power 202.7 MW (M.T. Schobeiri, Gas Turbine Design,
Components and System Design Interation, DOI 10.1007/978-3-319-85378-5_1)

Output Shaft Power:

$$P_{OSH} = EF_R \ (P_T - P_c)$$
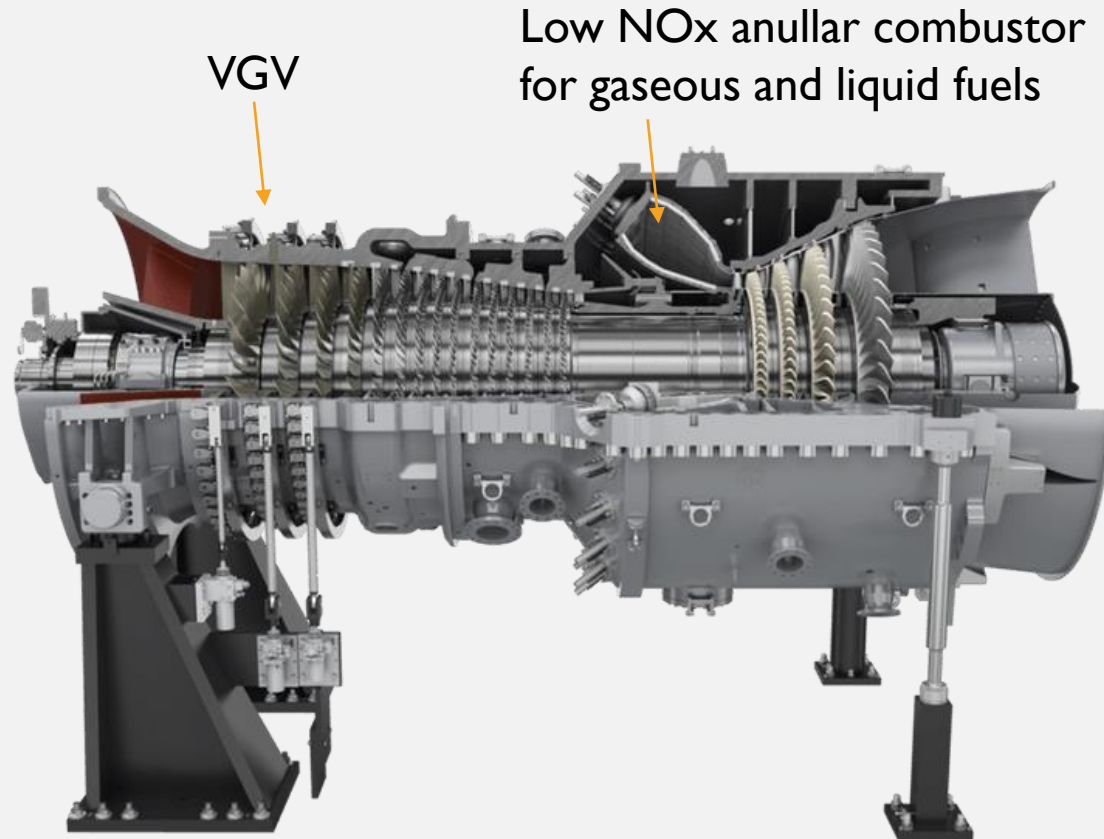
Thermal efficiency:

$$\eta_{th} = {}^{P_{OSH}}/_{Q_{ad}}$$

Heat added:

$$Q_{add} = \ \dot{m}_f \ FHV$$

m_f -   Fuel mass flow

FHV -   Fuel heat value

SIEMENS POWER GAS TURBINE SGT5-4000F

VGV

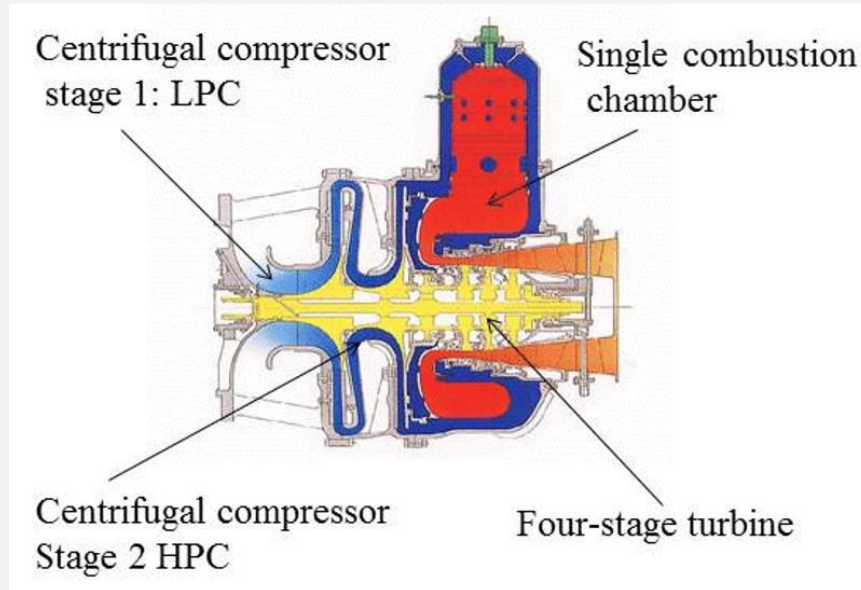Low NOx anullar combustor
for gaseous and liquid fuels

Output shaft power 329 MW
Efficiency 41%
Compressor: 15 stages
CPR= 20.1,
Turbine: 4 stages
Turbine speed 3000 rpm
Mass flow rate = 724 kg/s
Exhaust gas temperature 599° C

VGV – variable guide vane

Source:
https://www.siemens-energy.com/global/en/home/products-services/product/sgt5-4000f.html#Simple-cycle-power-generation-tab-6

KAWASAKI GAS TURBINE GB15D

Centrifugal compressor stage 1: LPC
Single combustion chamber
Centrifugal compressor Stage 2 HPC
Four-stage turbine

Gas turbine with single stage side type combustor

| Specifications	Output
Electrical Output	1,450 kW
Heat Rate	15,280 kW
Exhaust Gas Temperature	534 ℃
Exhaust Gas Mass Flow	28.5 x10³ kg/hr

Sources:
https://kga.com.my/product/gbp15d/

ASSUMPTIONS FOR IDEAL GAS TURBINE

- The gas flowing through the engine is treated as a clorycally perfect.

- The processes in the engine are considered reversible (flow, mechanical, and thermal losses in the engine are neglected).

- The change in the mass of the working fluid flowing through the engine is neglected.

- The parameters of the flowing stream are represented at control points by averaged values.

IDEAL GAS-TURBINE
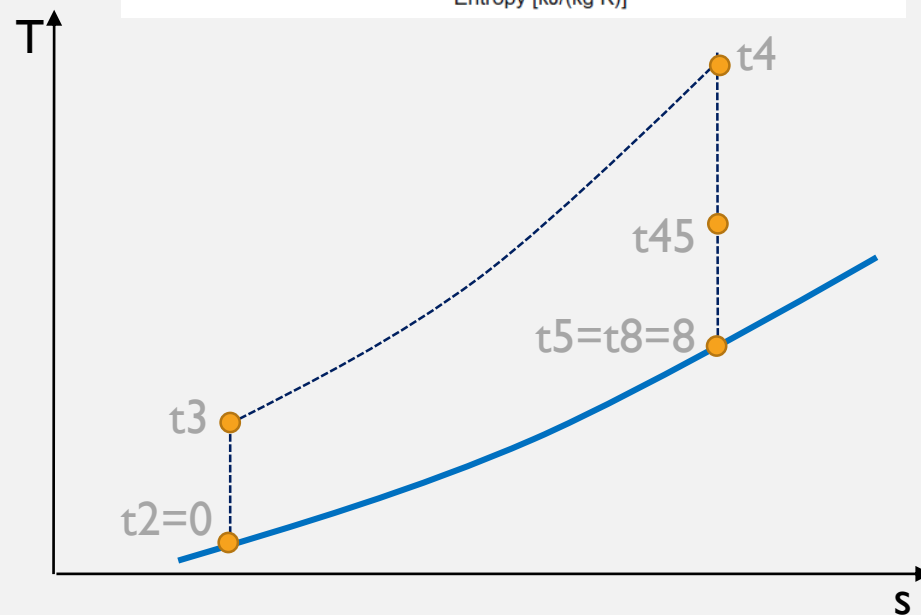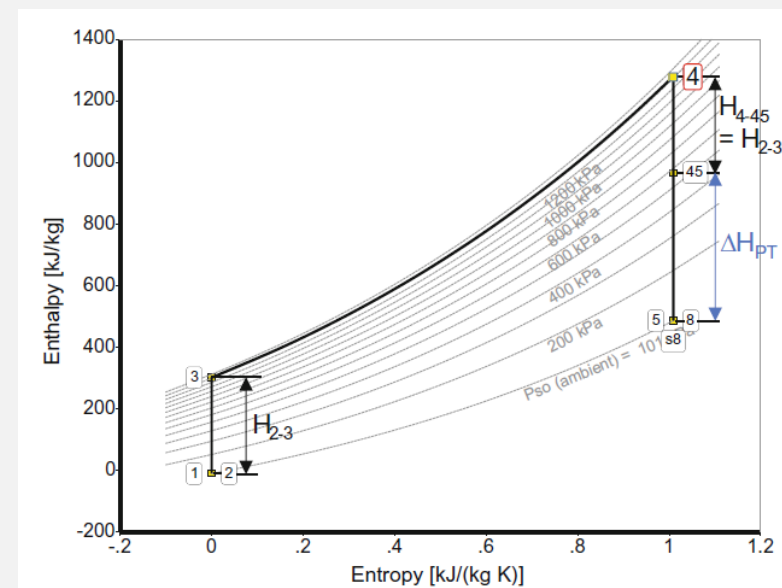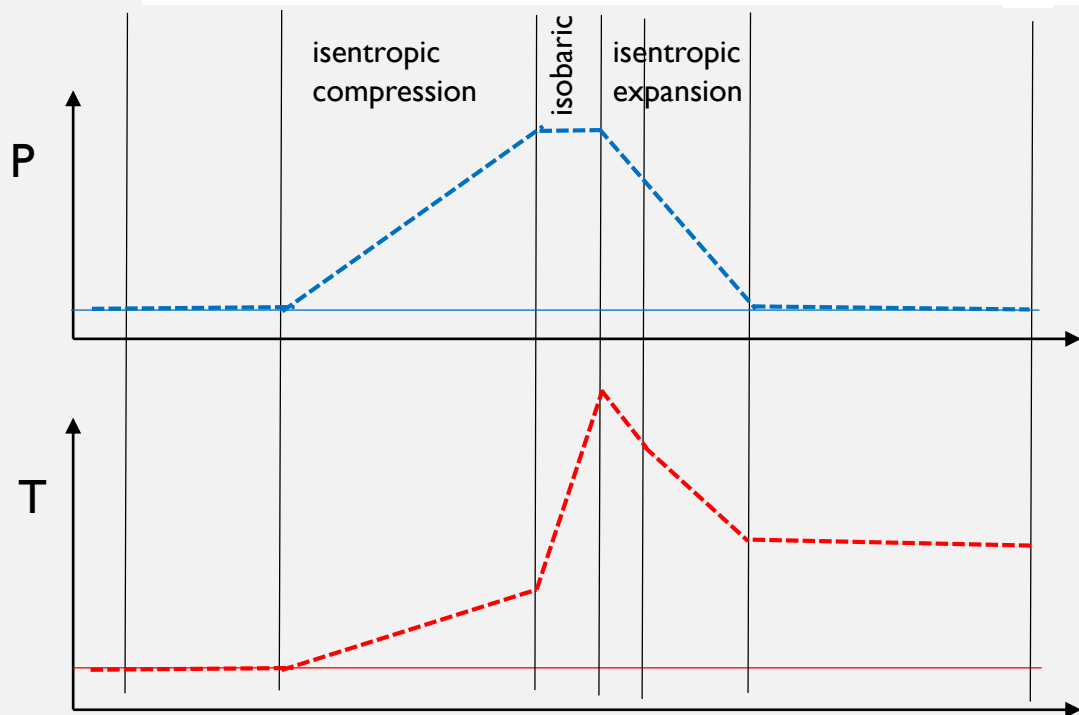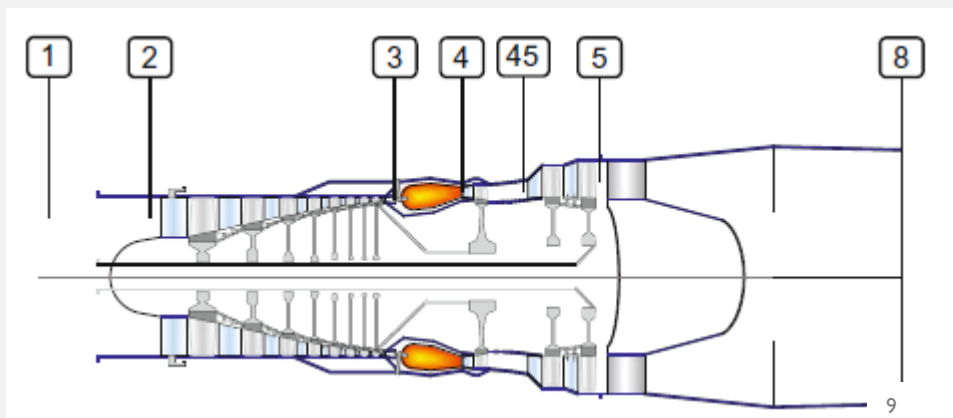
IDEAL GAS TURBINE ANALYSIS (1)
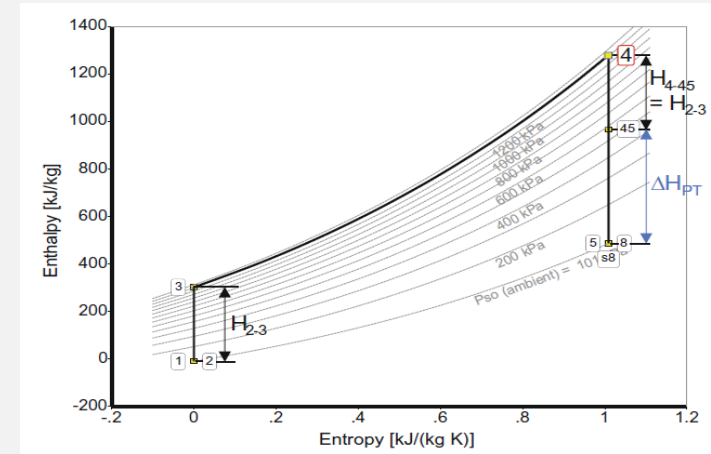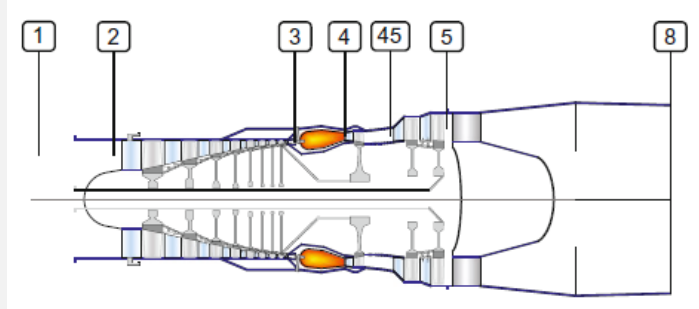
No **INLET** losses → $P_{t2} = P_0$ and $T_{t2} = T_0$

COMPRESSOR (2 – 3)

Compressor work is isentropic

$$\frac{T_{t3}}{T_{t2}} = \left(\frac{P_{t3}}{P_{t2}}\right)^{(k-1)/k} = CPR^{(k-1)/k}$$

Compressor work:

$$W_C = H_{23} = Cp(T_{t3} - T_{t2})$$

Compressor power:

$$P_C = \dot{m}_C W_C = \dot{m}_0 Cp(T_{t3} - T_{t2})$$

COMBUSTOR (3 – 4)

Energy balance

$$\dot{m}_f FHV = \dot{m}_0 Cp_B(T_{t4} - T_{t3})$$

$$\dot{m}_f = \frac{\dot{m}_0 Cp_B(T_{t4} - T_{t3})}{FHV}$$

Fuel air ratio:

$$f = \frac{\dot{m}_f}{\dot{m}_0} = \frac{Cp_B(T_{t4} - T_{t3})}{FHV}$$

$$\pi_B = 1 \rightarrow P_{t4} = P_{t3}$$

TURBINE (4 - 45)

Compressor turbine power balance equation

$$P_C = \dot{m}_0 Cp(T_{t3} - T_{t2}) =$$
$$P_T = \dot{m}_T Cp_T(T_{t45} - T_{t5})$$

Turbine mass flow: $\dot{m}_T = \dot{m}_0 + \dot{m}_f$

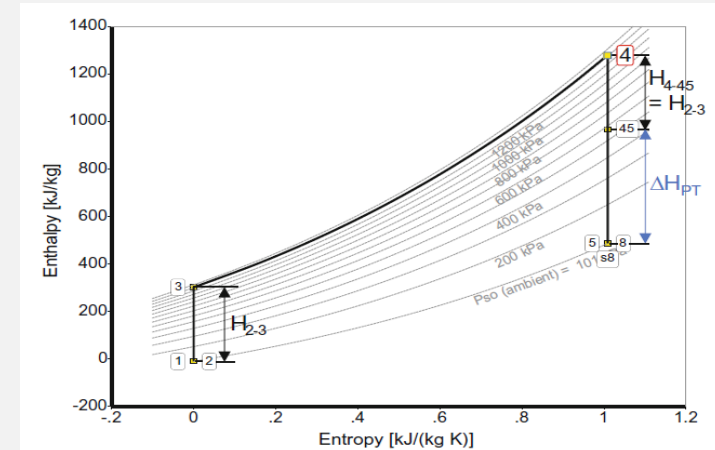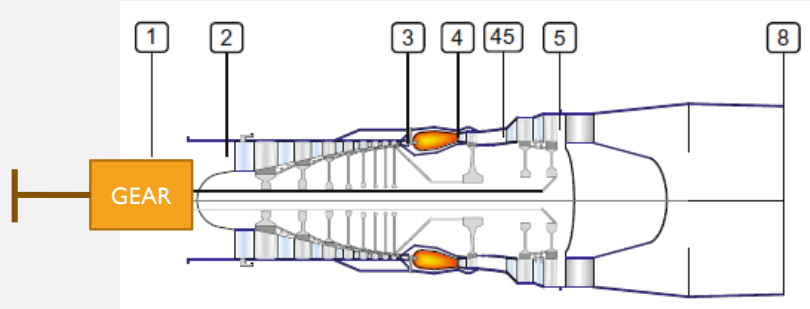Turbine outlet temperature:

$$T_{t45} = T_{t4} - \frac{Cp(T_{t3} - T_{t2})}{Cp_T(1 + f)}$$

Turbine outlet pressure:

$$P_{t45} = P_{t4}\left(\frac{T_{t45}}{T_{t4}}\right)^{k_t/(k_t-1)}$$

IDEAL GAS TURBINE ANALYSIS (2)

Turbine expansion to ambient pressure → $P_{t5} = P_0$

TURBINE (45 - 5)

Power Turbine outlet temperature:

$$T_{t5} = T_{t45}\left(\frac{P_{t5}}{P_{t45}}\right)^{(k_t-1)/k_t}$$

Power Turbine work:

$$W_{PT} = H_{PT} = Cp_T(T_{t45} - T_{t5})$$

Power Turbine power:

$$P_{PT} = \dot{m}_T W_{PT} = \dot{m}_0 Cp_T(1+f)(T_{t45} - T_{t5})$$

Output Shaft Power:

$$P_{OSH} = EF_G\, P_{PT} = EF_R \dot{m}_{45} Cp_T(T_{t45} - T_{t5})$$

EF_G - Gear efficiency

Thermal efficiency:

$$\eta_{th} = {}^{P_{OSH}}/_{Q_{ad}}$$

Heat added:

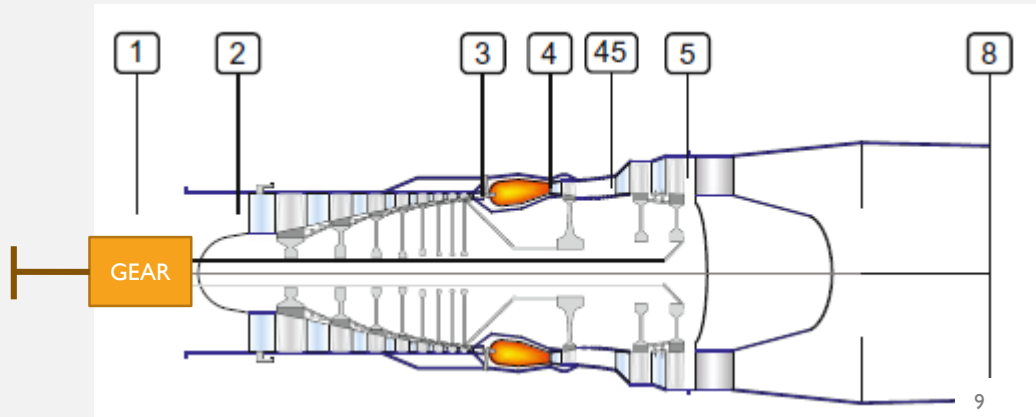$$Q_{add} = \dot{m}_f\, FHV$$

Specific fuel consumption:

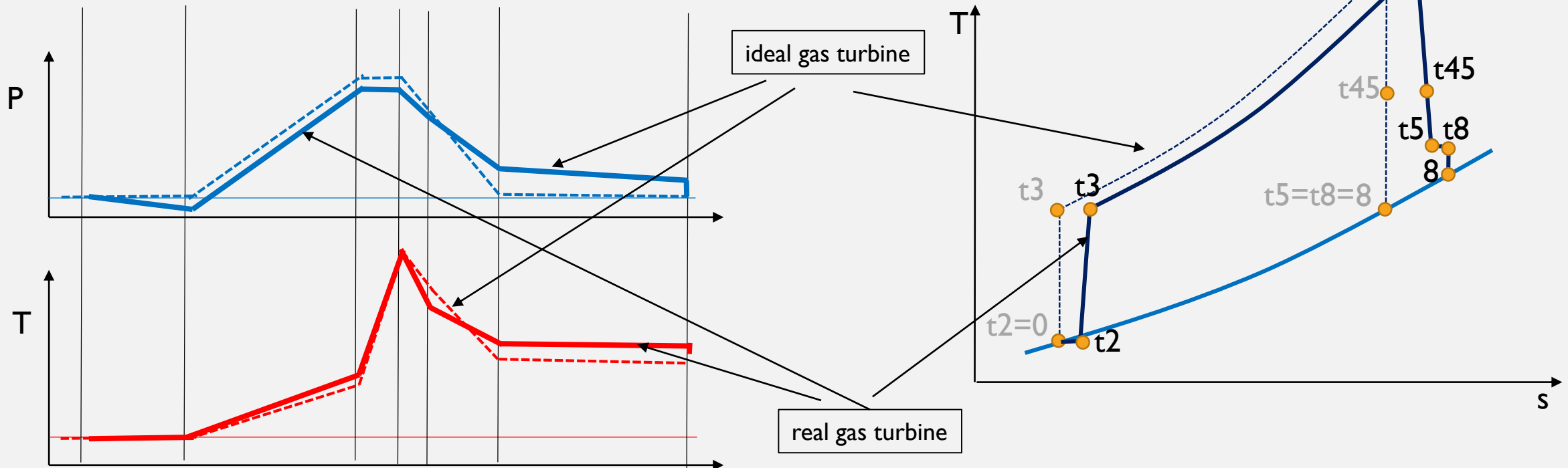$$\text{SFC} = {}^{m_f}/_{P_{OSH}} = {}^{f}/_{W_{OSH}}$$

Work of output shaft:

$$W_{OSH} = {}^{P_{OSH}}/_{m_0}$$

REAL GAS TURBINE
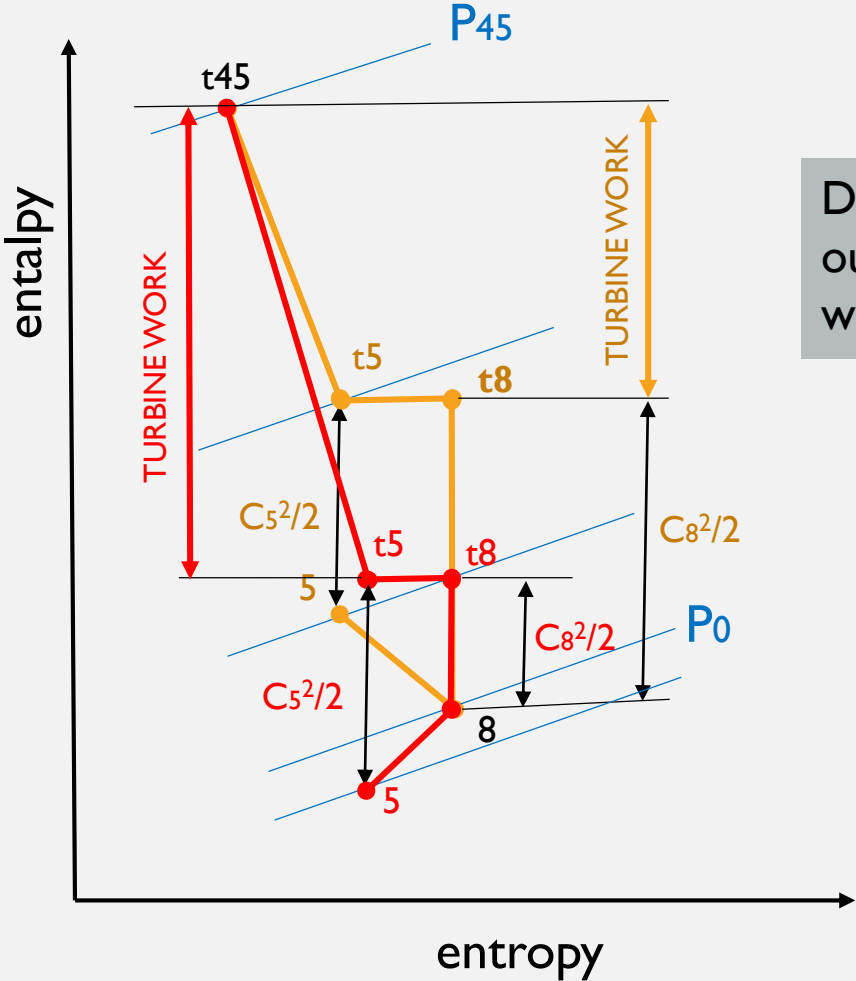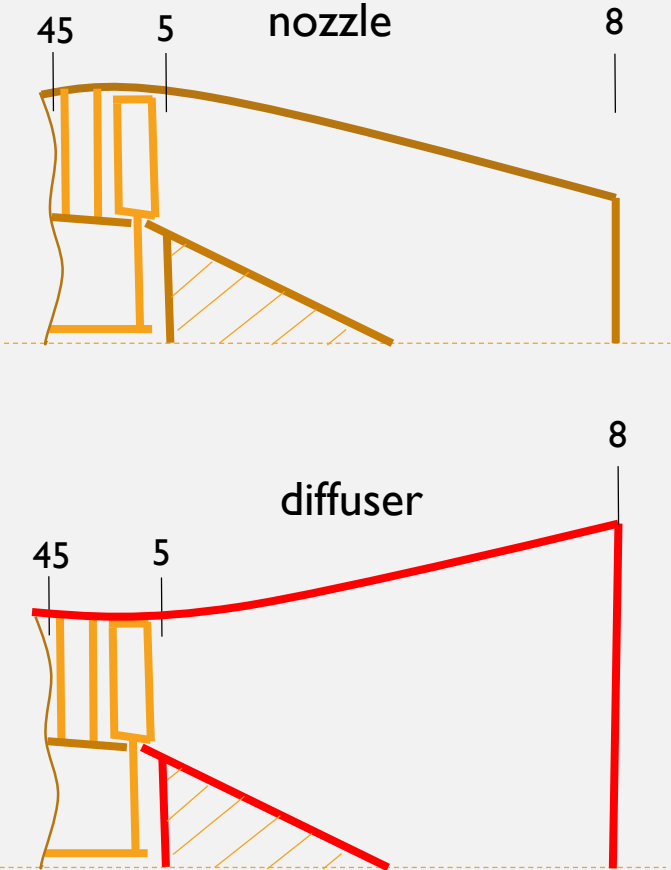
- Internal processes are not ideal – flow losses and energy losses occur.
- It is not possible to expand the flow in the turbine down to ambient pressure – the exhaust gases must exit the engine with a certain velocity (approximately 200 m/s).
- The performance of a real gas turbine – its specific work, power output, and efficiency are lower than those of an ideal gas turbine, while its specific fuel consumption is higher.
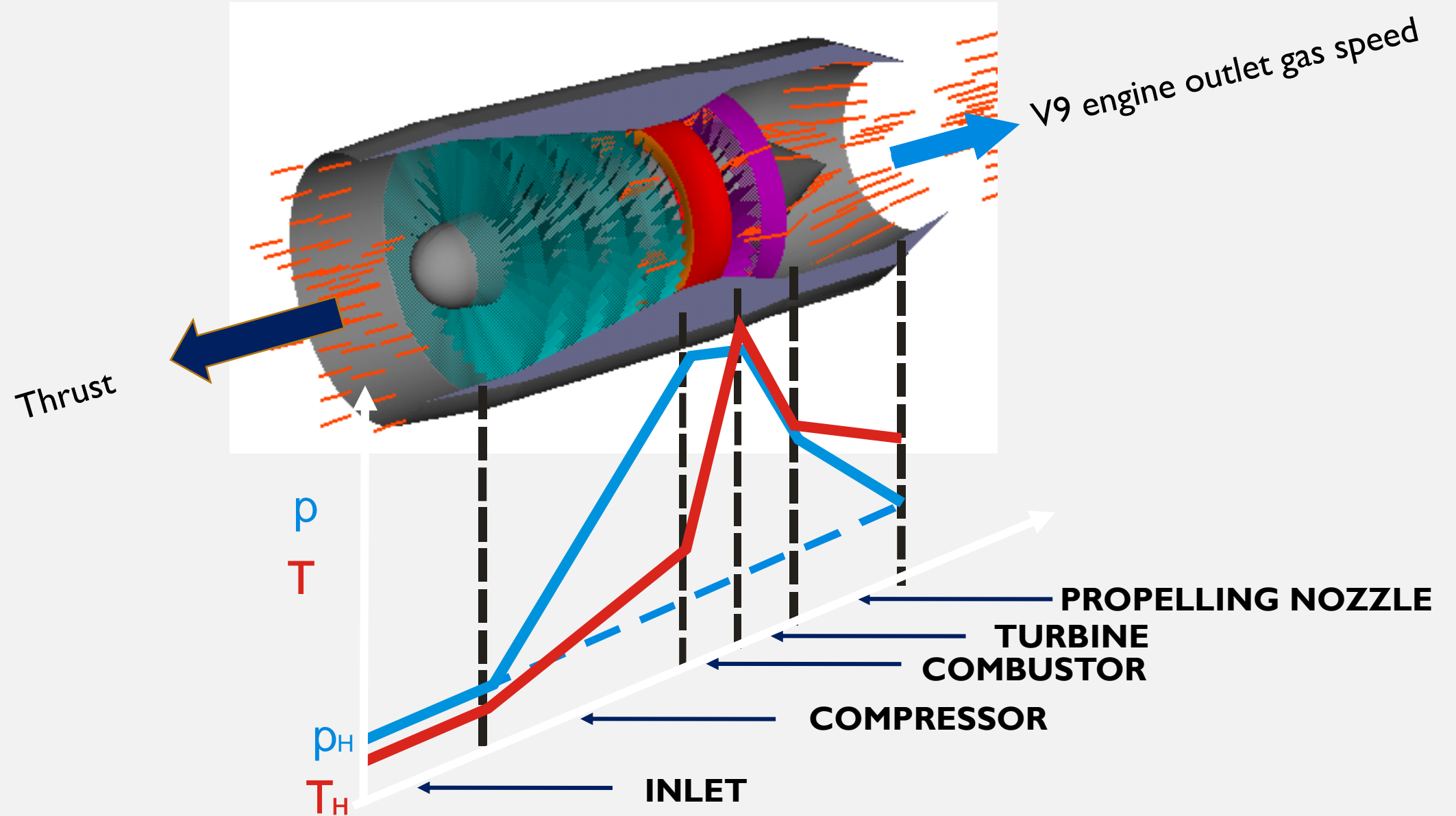

ideal gas turbine

real gas turbine

TURBOJET ENGINE

V9 engine outlet gas speed

Thrust

p

T

p_H

T_H

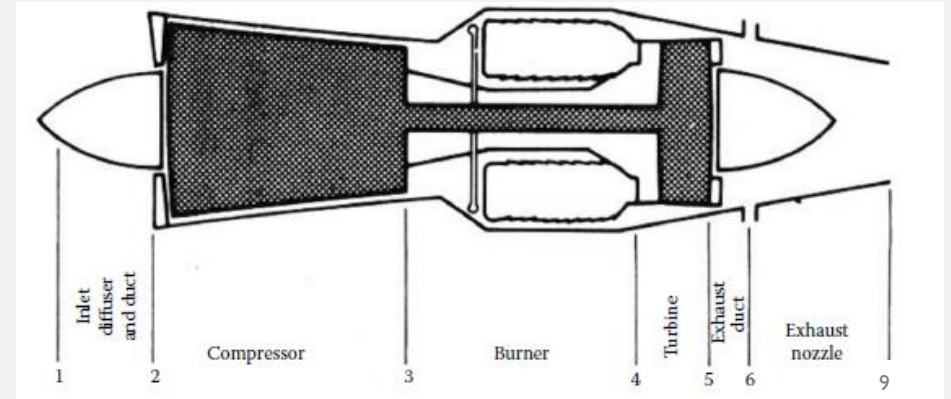PROPELLING NOZZLE

TURBINE

COMBUSTOR

COMPRESSOR

INLET

IDEAL TURBOJET ENGINE

GIVEN: H – altitude, CPR copmressor pressure ratio,
TIT – turbine inlet temperature (Tt4)

Engine work in static conditions $V_0=0$ → $P_{t0} = P_0$, $T_{t0} = T_0$

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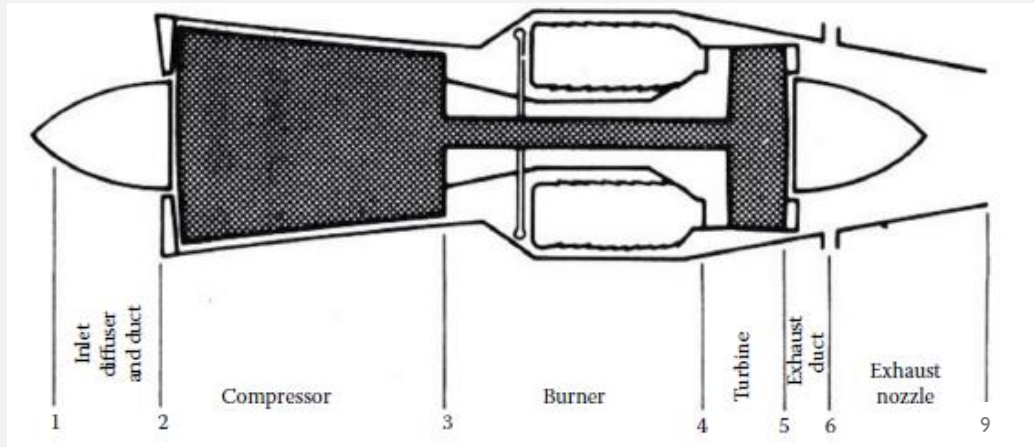Turbine mass flow: $\dot{m}_T = \dot{m}_0 + \dot{m}_f$

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Turbine outlet pressure:

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IDEAL TURBOJET ENGINE – GASS FULL EXPANSION IN THE NOZZLE

Inlet diffuser and duct — Compressor — Burner — Turbine — Exhaust duct — Exhaust nozzle
1   2   3   4   5   6   9

NOZZLE (5-9)

No losses: $\pi_N = 1 \rightarrow$ $P_{t9} = P_{t5}$ and $T_{t9} = T_{t5}$
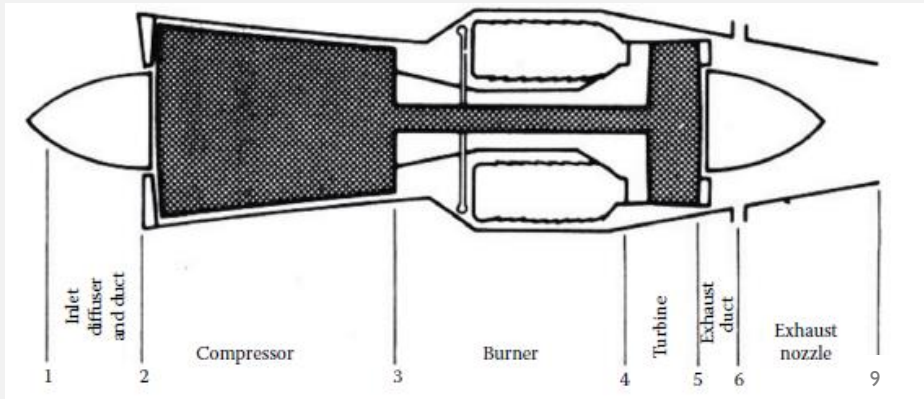
Full expansion: $P_9 = P_0$

$$c_9 = \sqrt{2Cp_t(T_{9t} - T_9)} \qquad \text{- for incompressible flow}$$

$$c_9 = a_9 M_9 = \sqrt{k_t R_t T_9} * \sqrt{\frac{2}{k_t - 1}\left(\frac{T_{t9}}{T_9} - 1\right)} \qquad \text{- for compressible flow}$$
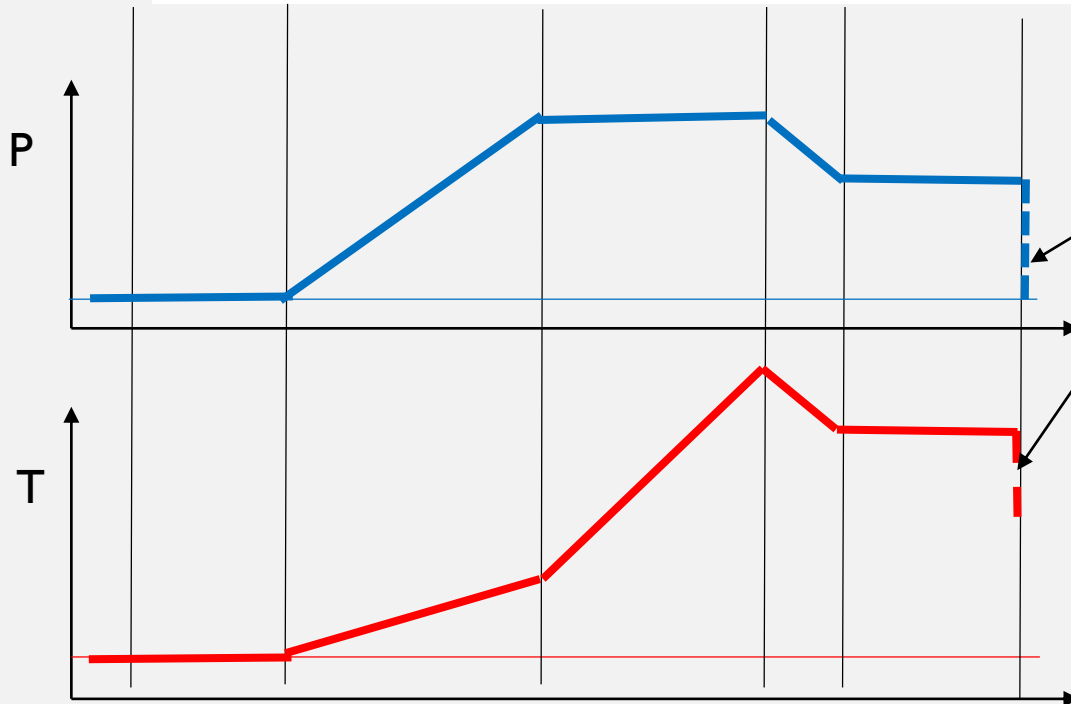
$$\frac{T_{t9}}{T_9} = \frac{P_{t9}}{P_9}^{(k_t-1)/k_t}$$
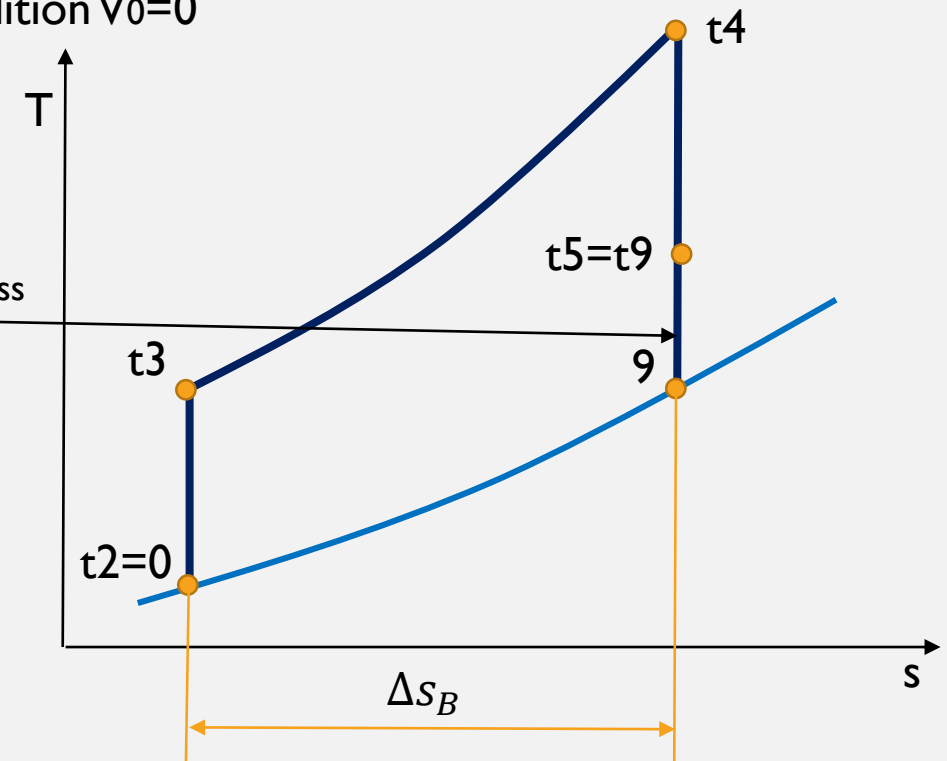
IDEAL TURBOJET ENGINE

Proesses in the inlet (diffuser) burner and nozzle are idel – no pressure losses $\pi_D = \pi_B = \pi_N = 1$
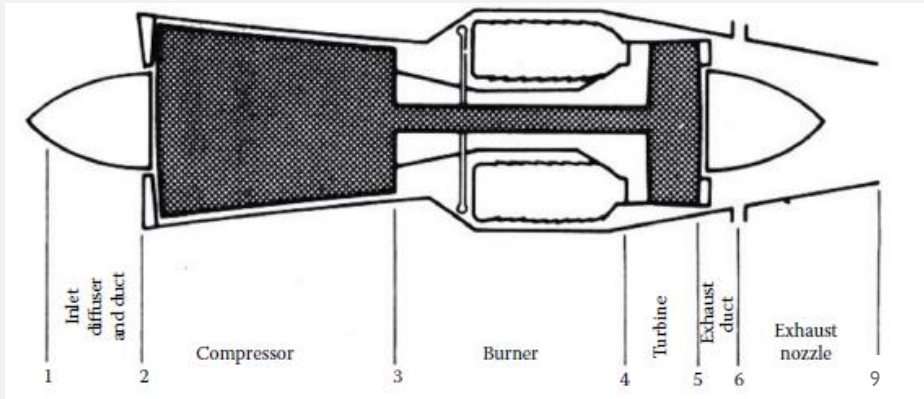
Static condition $V_0 = 0$

total to static process

Entropy increase in a burner $\quad \Delta s_B = cp_B \, ln \dfrac{T_{t4}}{T_{t3}}$
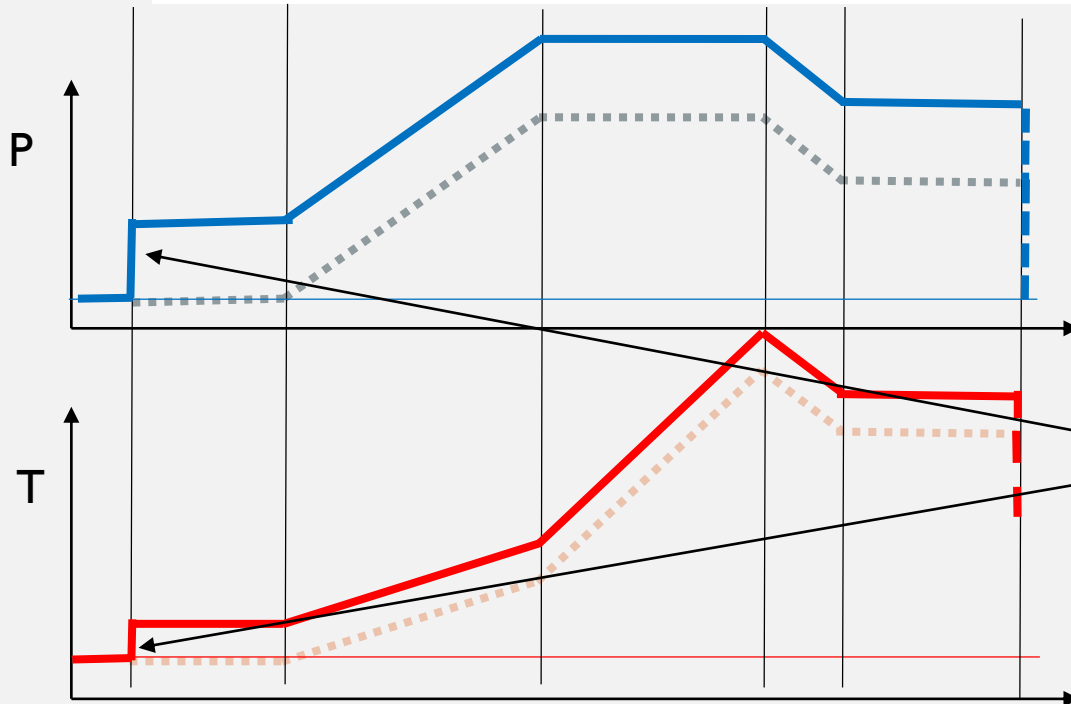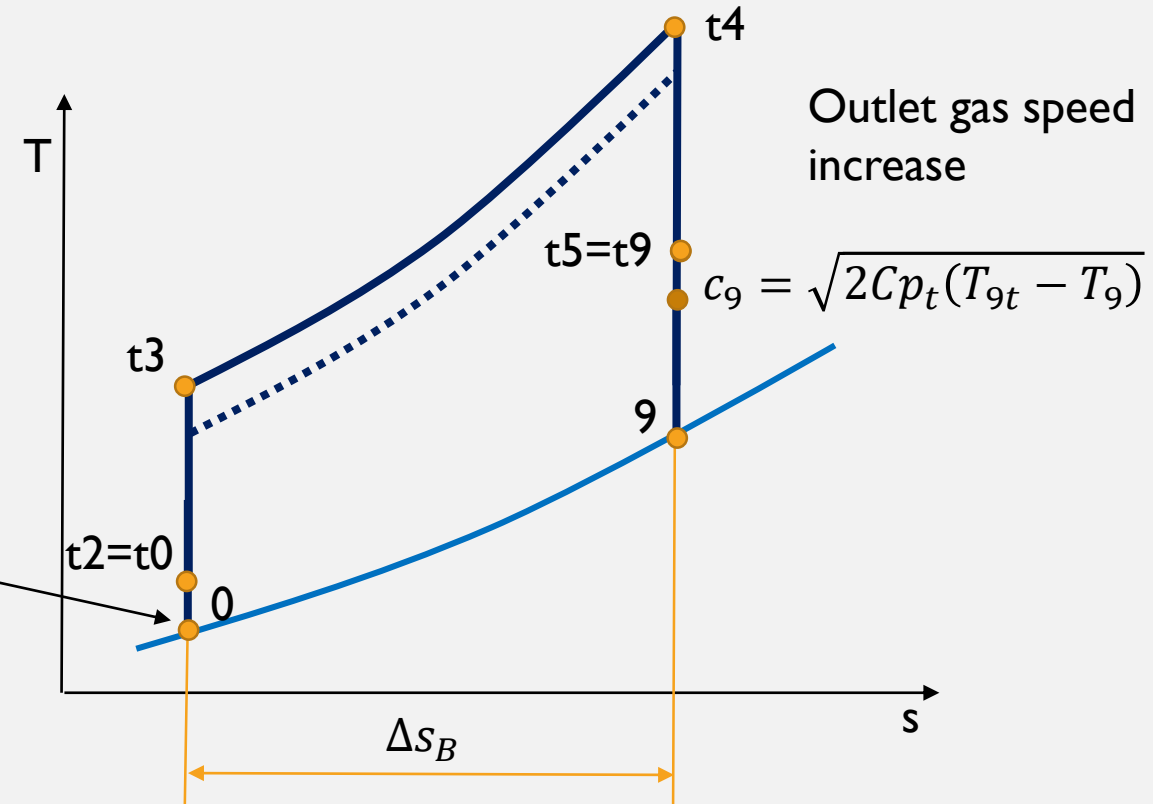
IDEAL TURBOJET ENGINE

Flight condition V0>0

$$P_{t0} = P_0 \left(1 + \frac{k-1}{2} M_0^2 \right)^{k/(k-1)}$$

Ram pressure recovery for flight condition ($M_0 > 0$)

$$T_{t0} = T_0 \left(1 + \frac{k-1}{2} M_0^2 \right)$$

Outlet gas speed increase

$$c_9 = \sqrt{2 C p_t (T_{9t} - T_9)}$$

Ram effect

ENGINE THRUST AND SPECIFIC PARAMETERS

P_a

$\dot{m}_f$

P_9

$V_9, \dot{m}_9$

$\dot{m}_0$
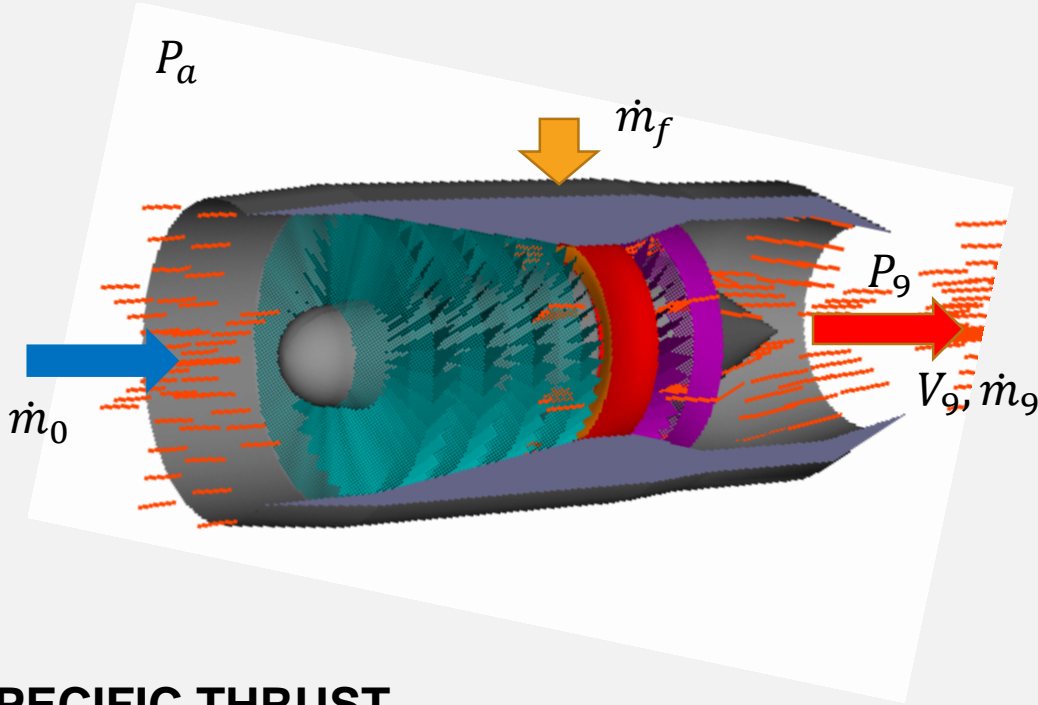
THTUST / GROS THRUST

$$T = \dot{m}_9 V_9 + A_9(P_9 - P_a)$$

effective exhaust velocity

$$V_{eff} = V_9 + A_9(P_9 - P_a)/\dot{m}_9$$

$$T = \dot{m}_9 V_{eff}$$

Exit pressure = ambient pressure

$$T = \dot{m}_9 V_9$$

Flight speed > 0

THTUST / NET THRUST

$$T = \dot{m}_9 V_9 + A_9(P_9 - P_a) - \dot{m}_0 V_0 = \dot{m}_9 V_{eff} - \dot{m}_0 V_0$$

Net thrust = Gross thrust –Momentum drag

SPECIFIC THRUST

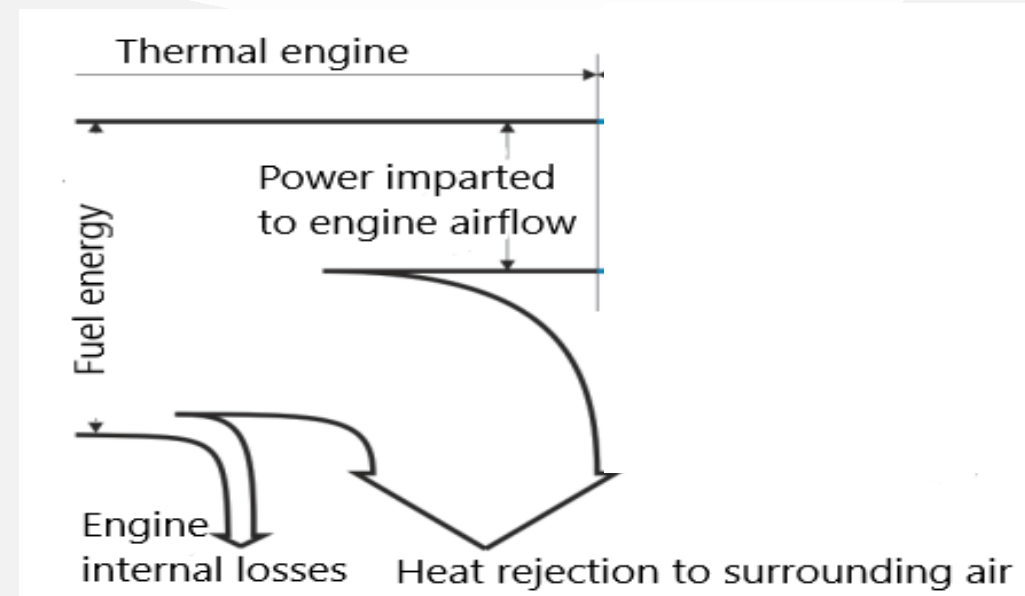$$ST = T/\dot{m}_0$$
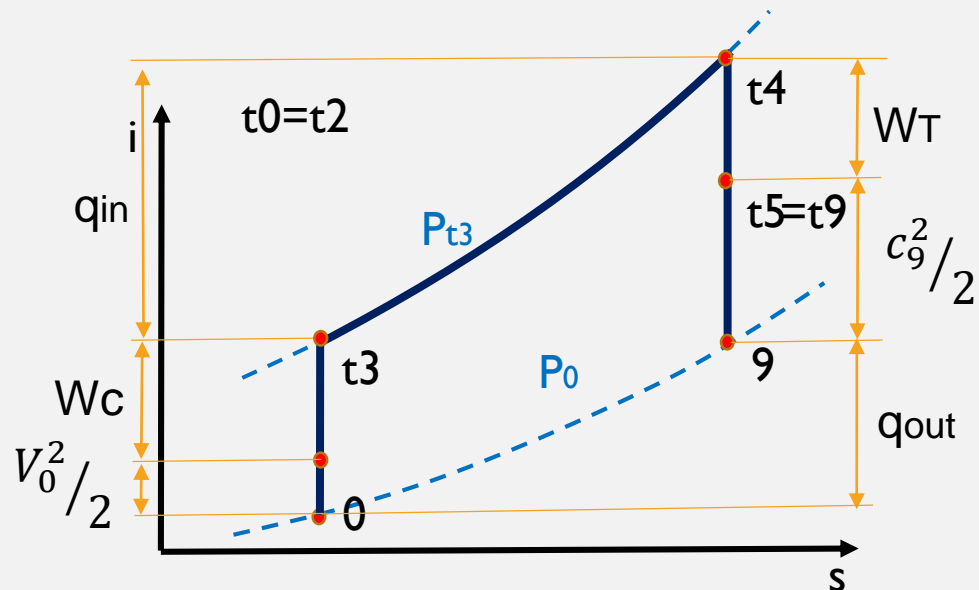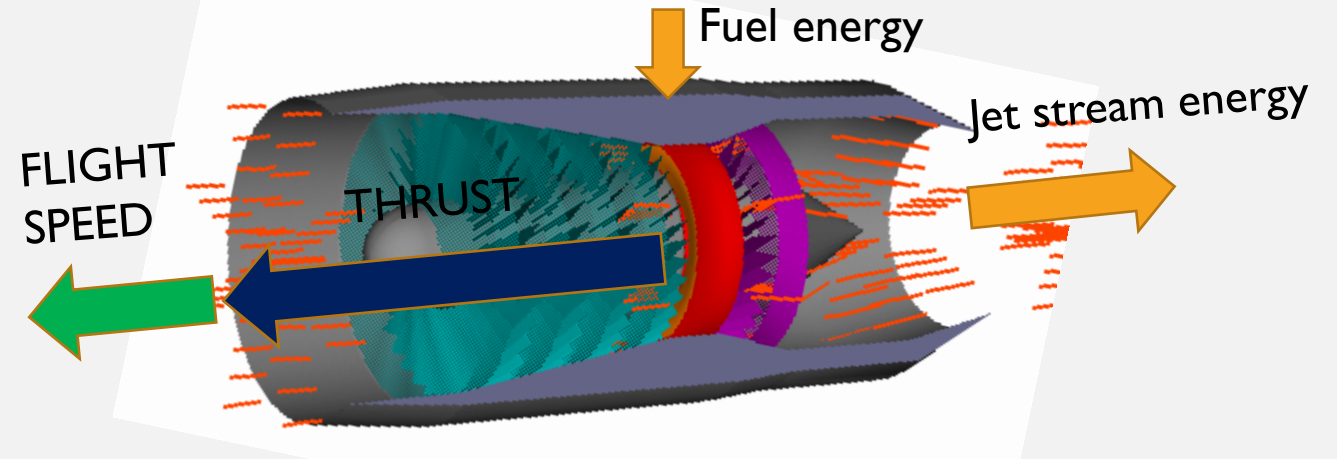
SPECIFIC FUEL CONSUMPTION

$$SFC = \dot{m}_f/T$$

Details in: **Ahmed F. El-Sayed, Aircraft Propulsion and Gas Turbine Engines, (chapter 2.2)**

ENGINE EFFICIENCIES

Thermal efficency

$$\eta_{TH} = \frac{\text{Power imparted to engine airflow}}{\text{Rate of energy supplied in the fuel}}$$

$$\eta_{TH} = \frac{0.5 * (\dot{m}_9 V_{9e}^2 - \dot{m}_0 V_0^2)}{\dot{m}_f FHV}$$


Fuel energy

Jet stream energy

FLIGHT SPEED

THRUST

t0=t2

t4

W_T

q_{in}

P_{t3}

t5=t9

$c_9^2/2$

t3

P_0

9

W_C

q_{out}

$V_0^2/2$

0

i

s

Thermal engine

Power imparted to engine airflow

Fuel energy

Engine internal losses

Heat rejection to surrounding air

THERMAL EFFICIENCY

$$\eta_{TH} = \frac{\dot{W}_{out}}{\dot{Q}_{in}}$$

$$\eta_{TH} = \frac{\dot{Q}_{in} - \dot{Q}_{out}}{\dot{Q}_{in}} = 1 - \frac{\dot{Q}_{out}}{\dot{Q}_{in}}$$

where, $\dot{Q}_{out} = \dot{m}_9 c_p (T_9 - T_0)$

- Wout = net power out of engine (engine work)
- Qin= rate of thermal energy released/suplied in the fuel)

Higher thermal efficiency causes lower specific fuel consumption
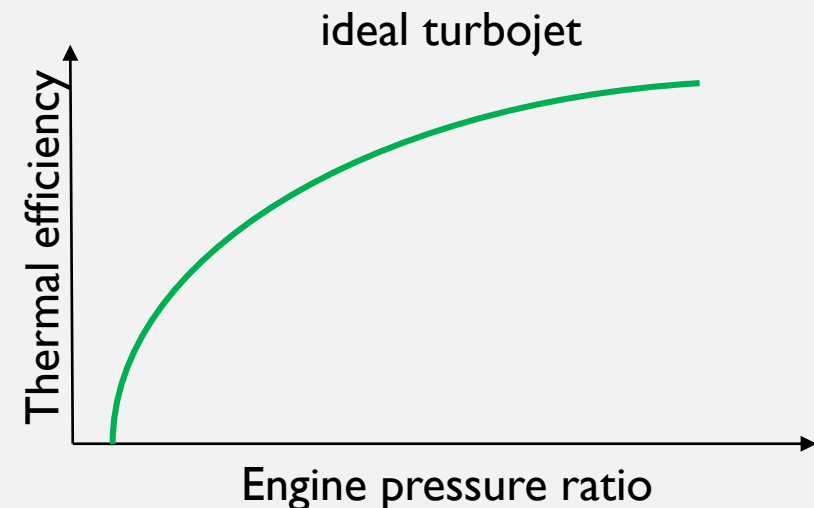**Thermal efficiency is higher when exhaust gas temperature is closer to the ambient temperature**
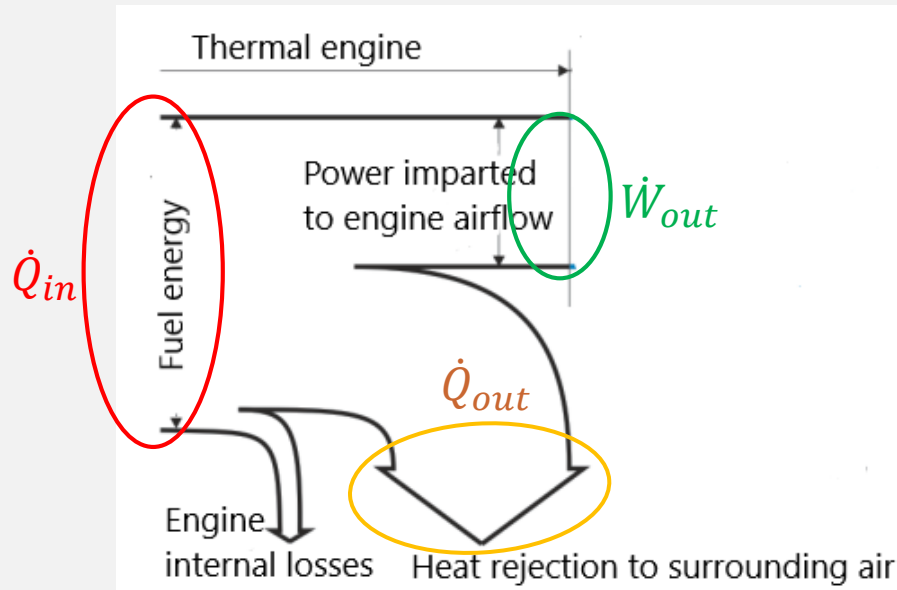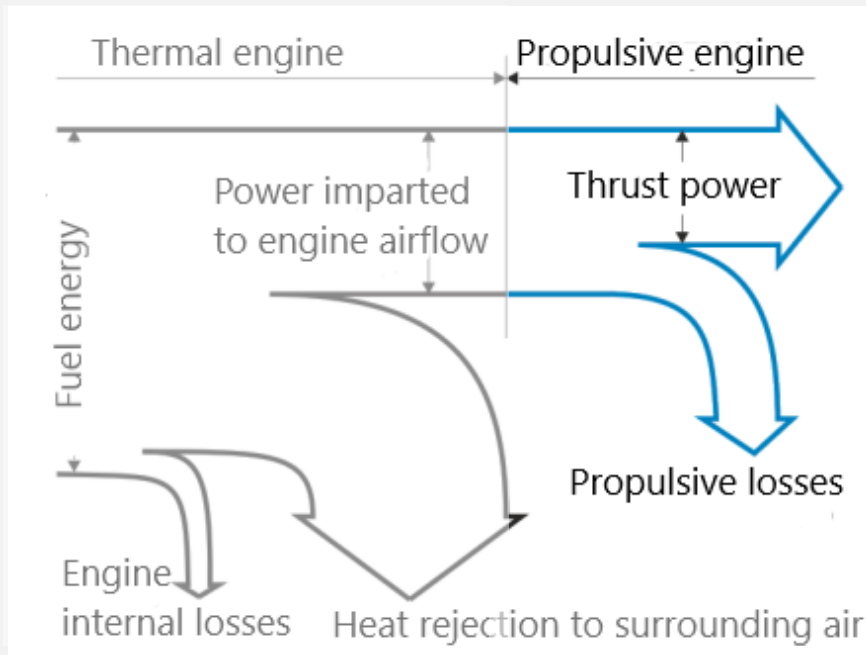

For ideal turbojet engine:

$$\eta_{TH} = 1 - \frac{1}{\pi^{(k-1)/k}} \, ,$$

where π – engine compression pressure ratio, k- isentropic exponent

PROPULSIVE EFFICIENCY

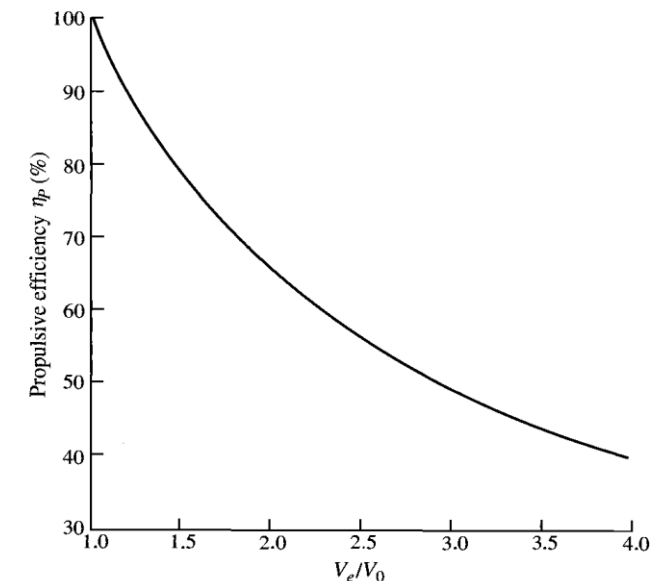$$\eta_P = \frac{V_0 * T}{0{,}5 * (\dot{m}_9 V_{9e}{}^2 - \dot{m}_0 V_0{}^2)}$$

$$T = \dot{m}_9 V_{9e} - \dot{m}_0 V_0 \qquad and \qquad \dot{m}_9 = \dot{m}_0$$

$$\eta_P = \frac{V_0(V_{9e} - V_0)}{0{,}5 * (V_{9e}{}^2 - V_0{}^2)} = \frac{2V_0(V_{9e} - V_0)}{(V_{9e} - V_0)(V_{9e} + V_0)} = \frac{2}{1 + V_{9e}/V_0}$$

$$\eta_P \Rightarrow 1, \ for \ V_{9e} \Rightarrow V_0$$

Propulsive efficiency define the thrust produced for specific flight speed from kinetic energy added to engine airflow

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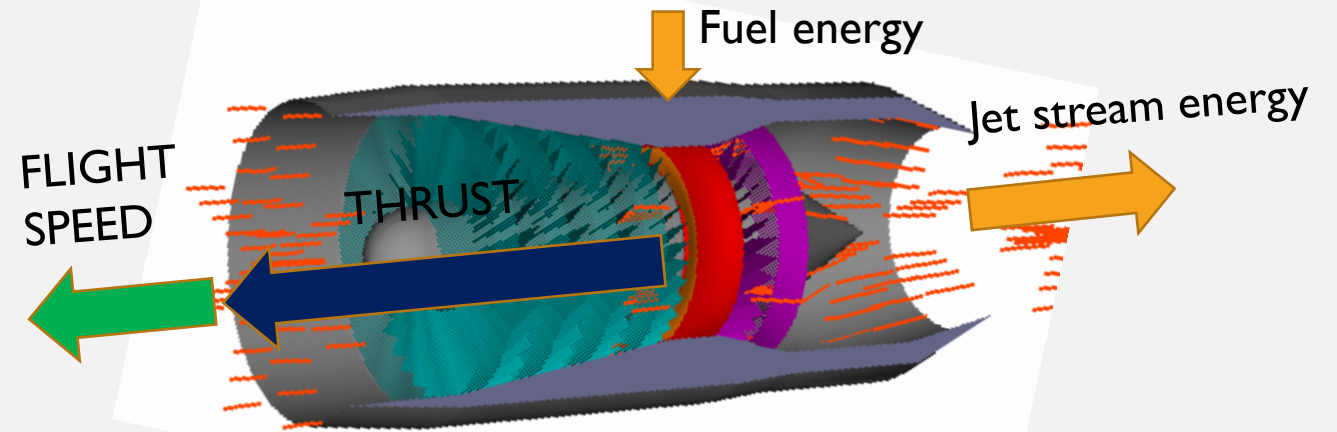
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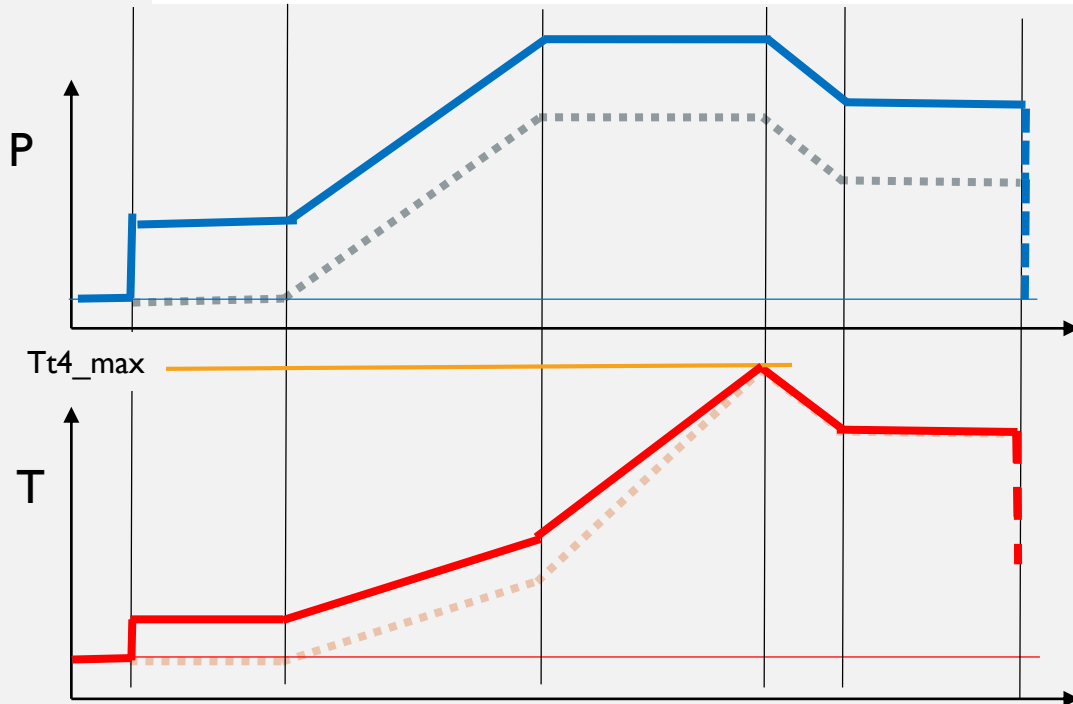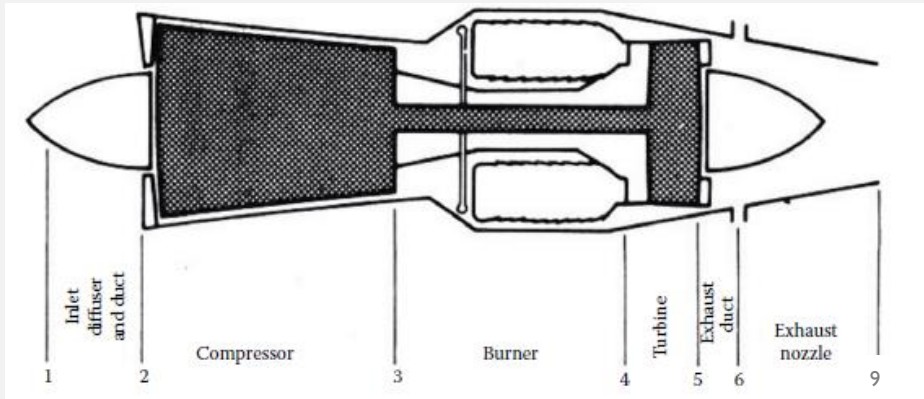
Overall efficency

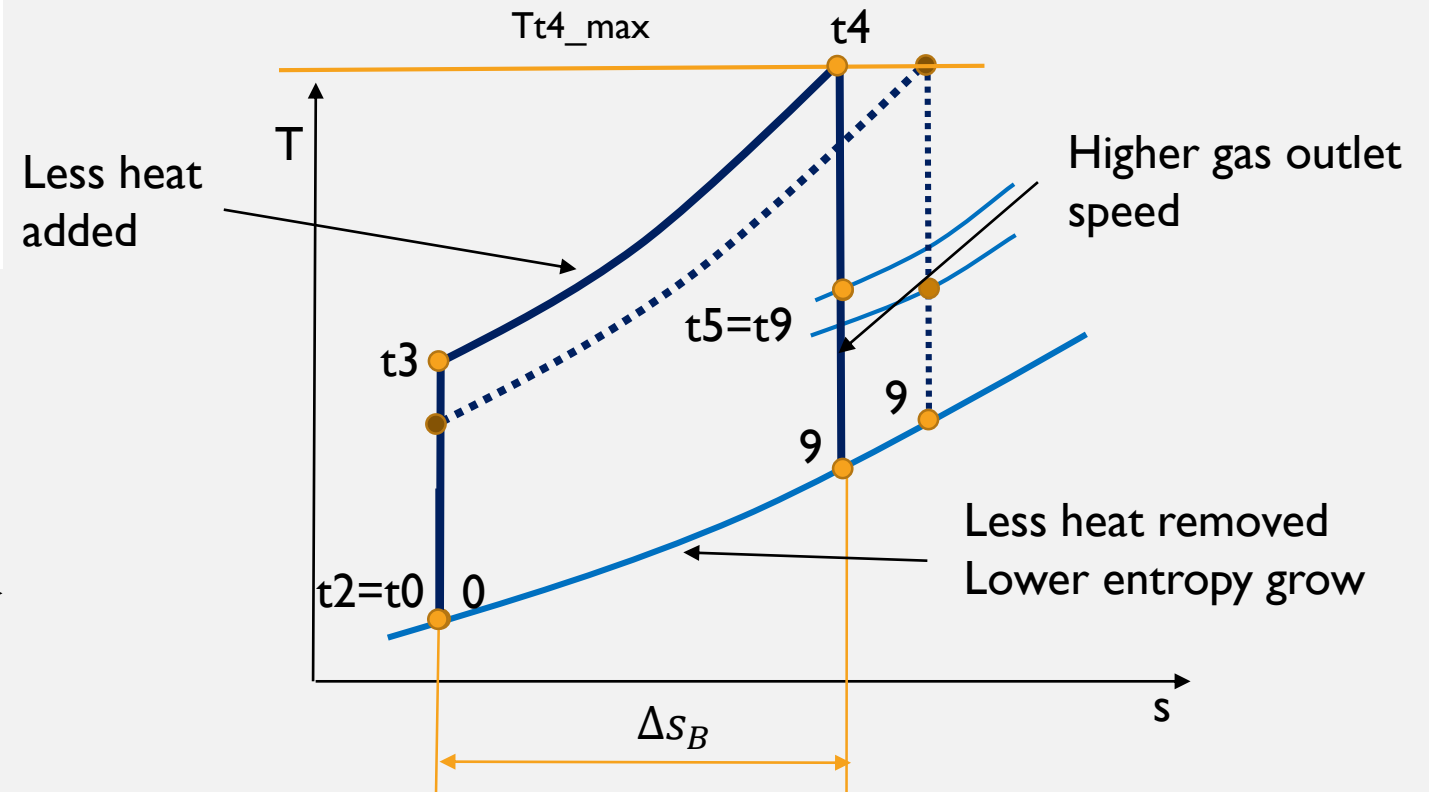$$\eta_O = \eta_{TH} * \eta_P = \frac{V_0 * T}{\dot{m}_f FHV}$$

Fuel energy

Jet stream energy

FLIGHT SPEED

THRUST

For V_0=0	$\eta_O = 0$ $\eta_P = 0$
For V_0>0	$\eta_O < \eta_P$ $\eta_O < \eta_{TH}$

IDEAL TURBOJET ENGINE – FLIGHT SPEED INFLUENCE

Flight condition $V_0 > 0$ and Tt4 limit Tt4_max

Tt4_max   t4

T

Less heat added

t5=t9

t3

9

9

t2=t0   0

Higher gas outlet speed

Less heat removed
Lower entropy grow

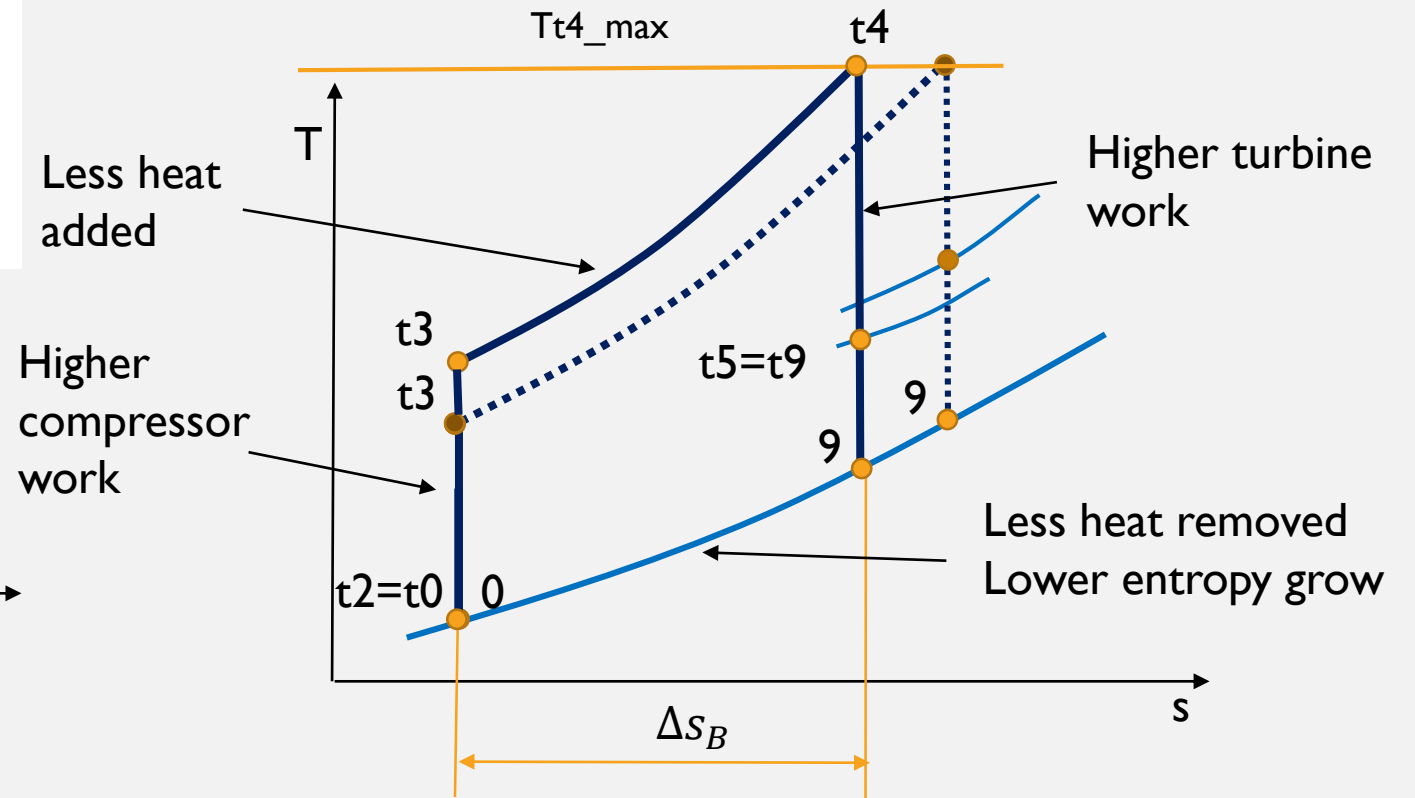Δs_B

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**Engine thermal efficiency grow (less heat removed)
Lower fuel consumption (less heat added)**

IDEAL TURBOJET ENGINE – COMPRESSOR PRESSURE RATIO INFLUENCE
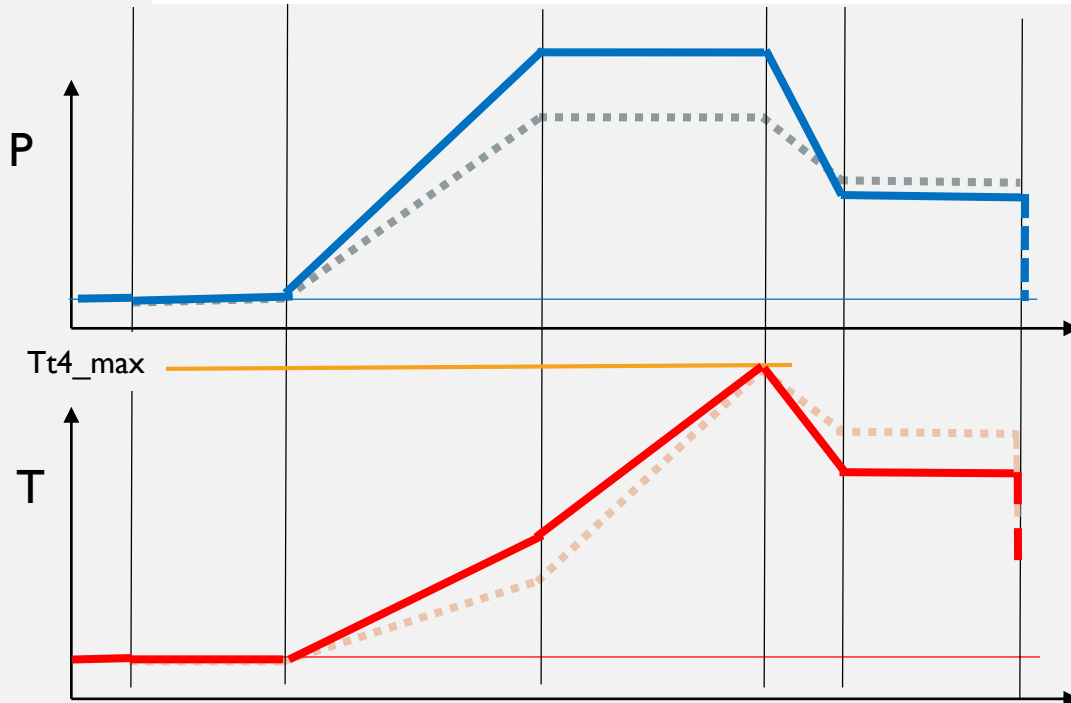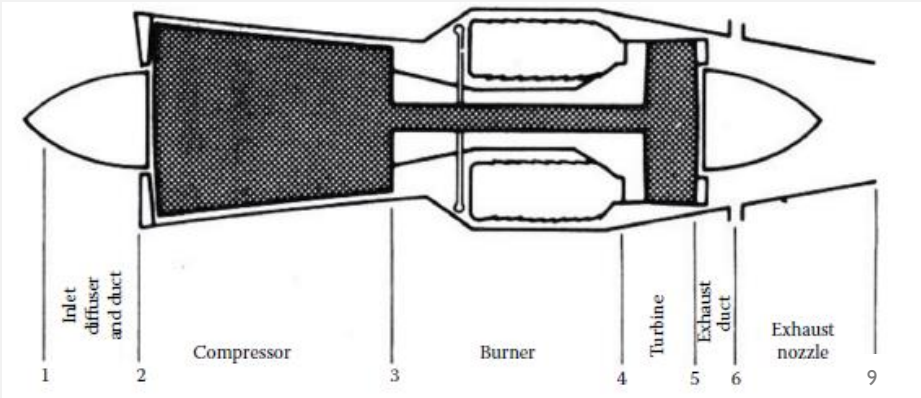
CPR (compressor pressure ratio) growing and T_{t4} is limited T_{t4_max}

Less heat added

Higher compressor work

Higher turbine work

Less heat removed Lower entropy grow

Δs_B

Engine thermal efficiency grow (less heat removed)
Lower fuel consumption (less heat added) and lower SFC
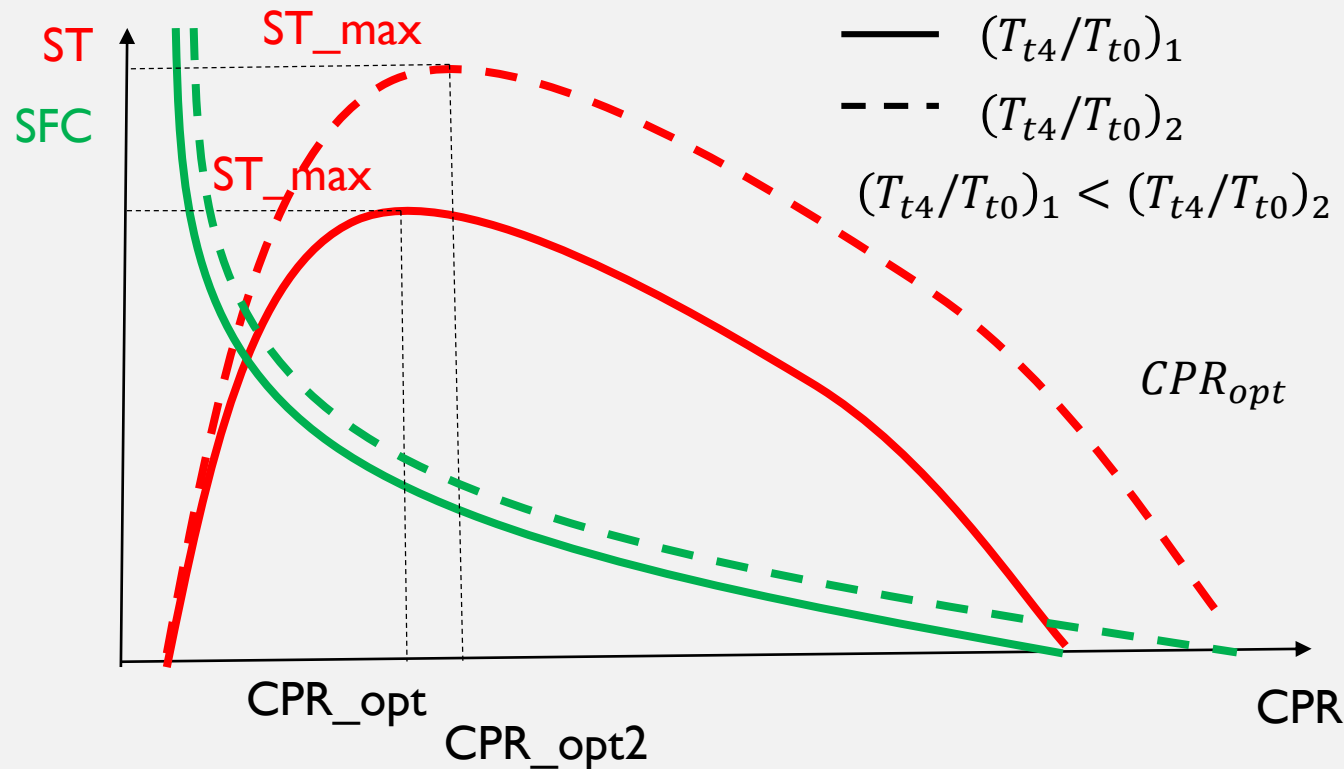
IDEAL TURBOJET CYCLE OPTIMISATION

SUMMARY:

- Specific thrust (ST) grows with compressor pressure ratio increasing, achieves maximum for optimal CPR than it goes down
- Specific fuel consumption decreases with CPR growing
- Propulsive efficiency as a function of CPR represents opposite relation to ST, it is minimal for optimal CPR and achieves 1 for ST=0.
- Thermal and overall efficiencies grow with CPR
- The presented relationship between efficiencies and CPR are right for M0>0, for M0=0, propulsive and overall efficiency are 0

T_{t4}/T_0=const and M_0 cons or M_0=0

T_{t4}/T_0=const and M_0 cons and M_0>0
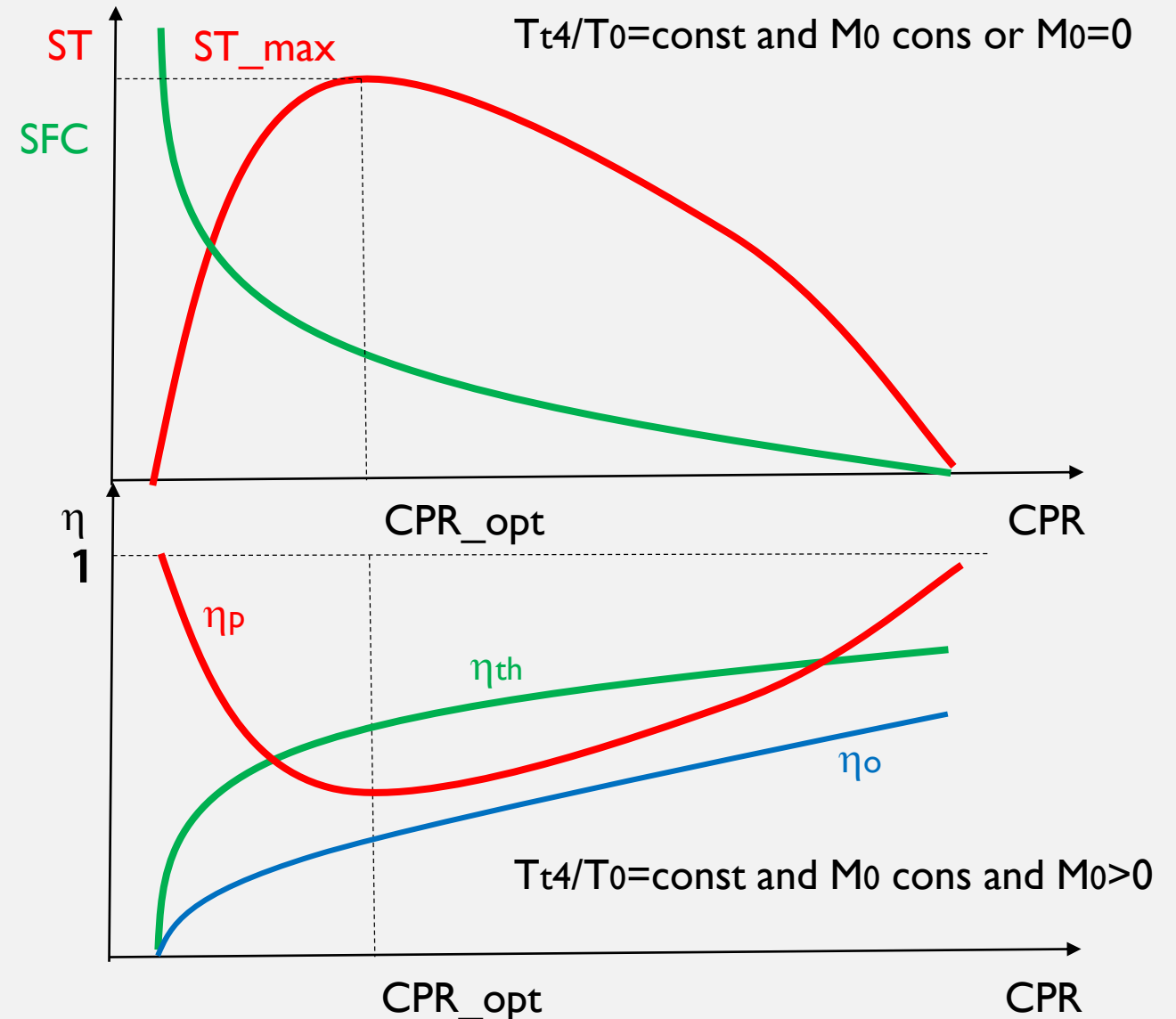
IDEAL TURBOJET CYCLE OPTIMISATION FOR DIFFERENT ENGINE TEMPERATURE RATIO

ST

SFC

ST_max

ST_max

$(T_{t4}/T_{t0})_1$

$(T_{t4}/T_{t0})_2$

$(T_{t4}/T_{t0})_1 < (T_{t4}/T_{t0})_2$

CPR_{opt}

CPR_opt

CPR_opt2

CPR

For ideal cycle:

$$CPR_{opt} = T_{t4}/T_{t0}^{\frac{k}{2(k-1)}}$$

$$CPR_{max} = CPR_{opt}{}^2$$

SUMMARY:

- Specific thrust (ST) is higher for higher engine themperature ratio Tt4/Tt0 and achieve ST_max for higher CPR (higher CPR_opt)
- Specific fuel consumption decreases with CPR growing, but for highrt Tt4/Tt0 is higher
- Range of available CPR increases for higher Tt4/Tt0

Tt4/Tt0	CPR_opt	CPR_max
4	11,3	128
5	16,7	279,5
6	23	529

| Flight speed M0	RPR (ideal)
1	1,89
1,5	3,67
2	7,82
2,5	17,09
3	36,73

SUMMARY:

- An increase in flight speed causes an increase in the ram pressure ratio (RPR).
- When optimizing the engine cycle for increasing flight speeds, RPR should be included in OPR, and CPR should be reduced accordingly.

ST ST_max

SFC

T_{t4}/T_0=const and $M_0 > 0$

RPR   CPR   DP

OPR
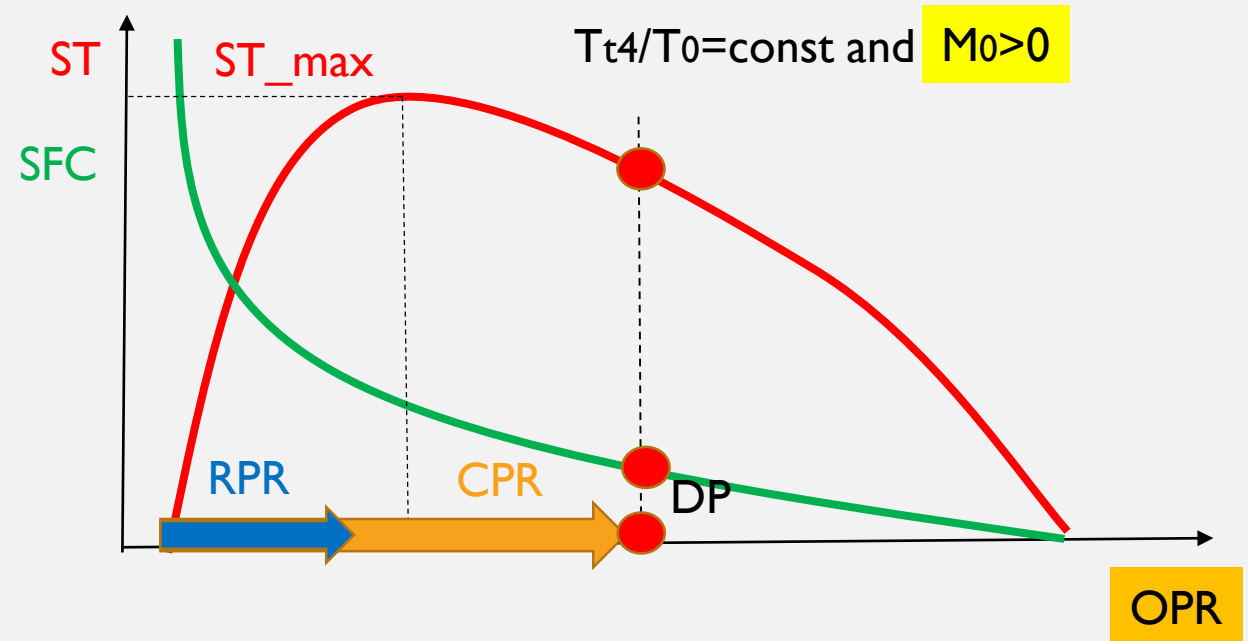
$$OPR = RPR * CPR$$

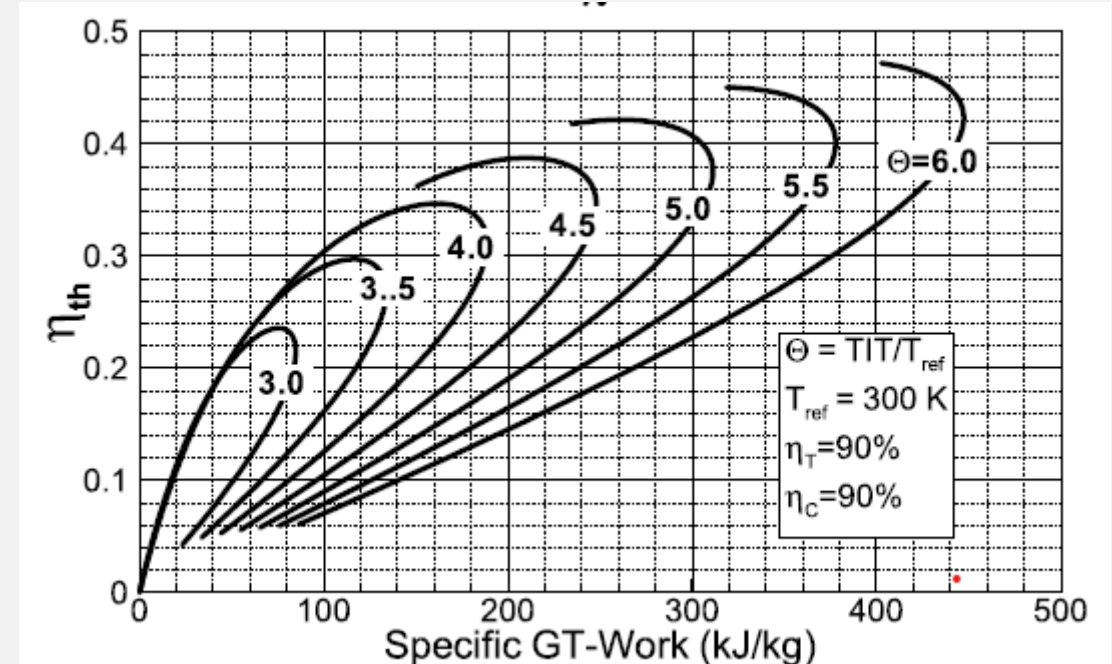$$RPR = \left(1 + \frac{k-1}{2}M_0^2\right)^{\frac{k}{k-1}}$$

INCREASE OF OUTPUT SHAFT POWER

- **Increase of turbine inlet temperature (TIT)**
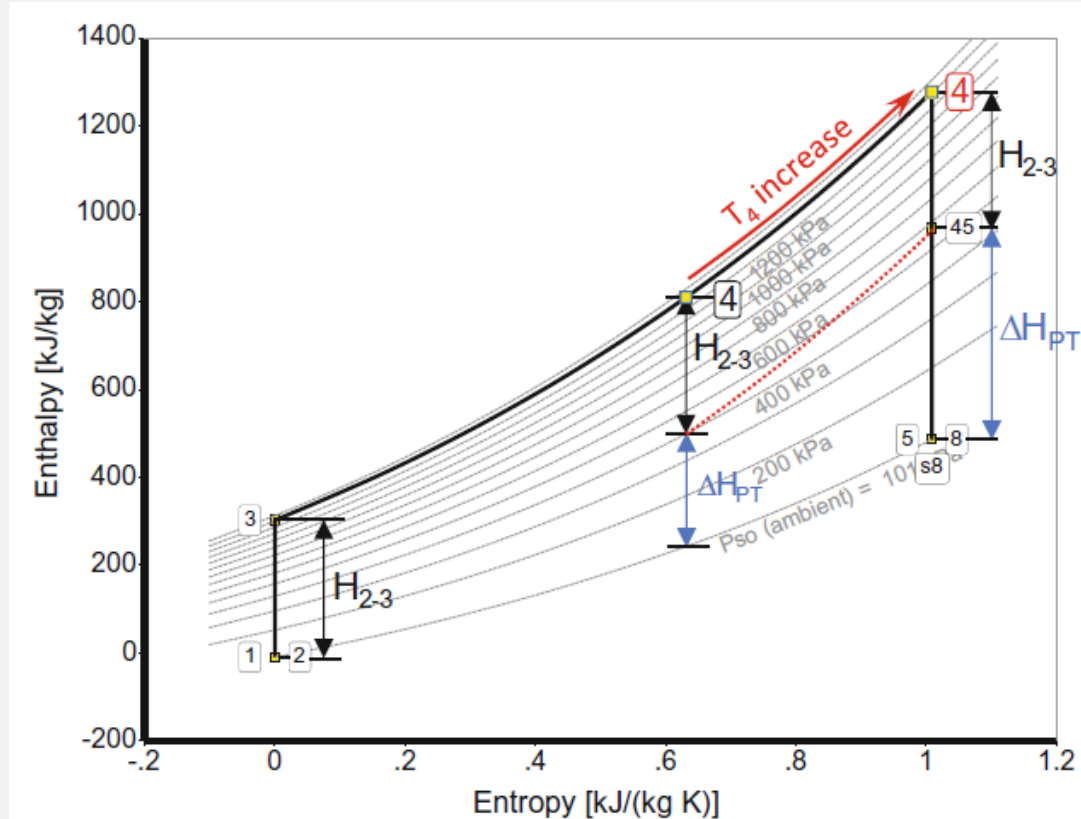
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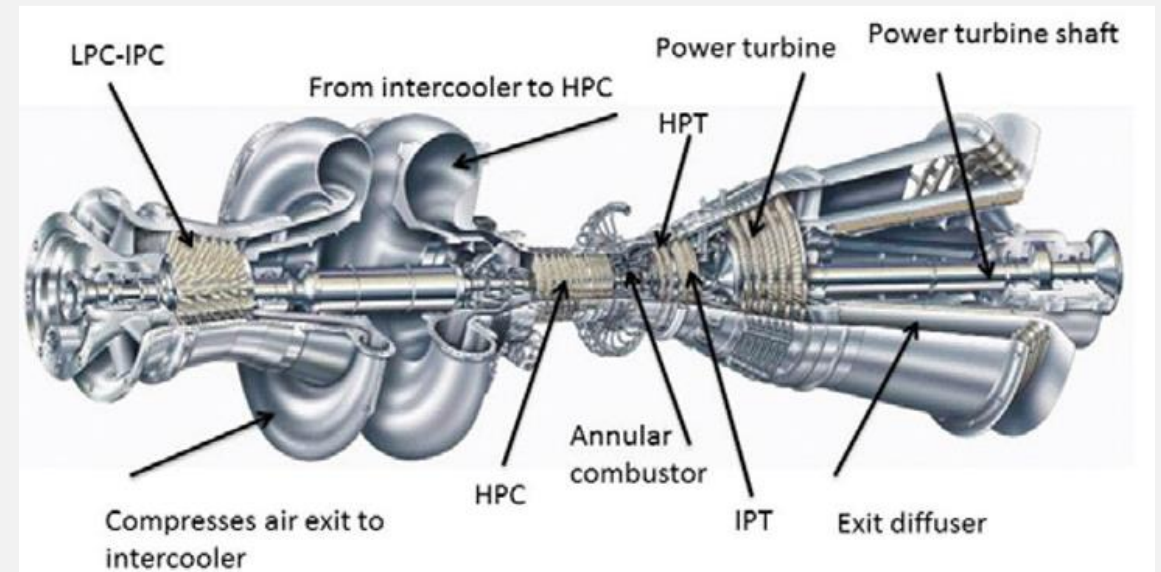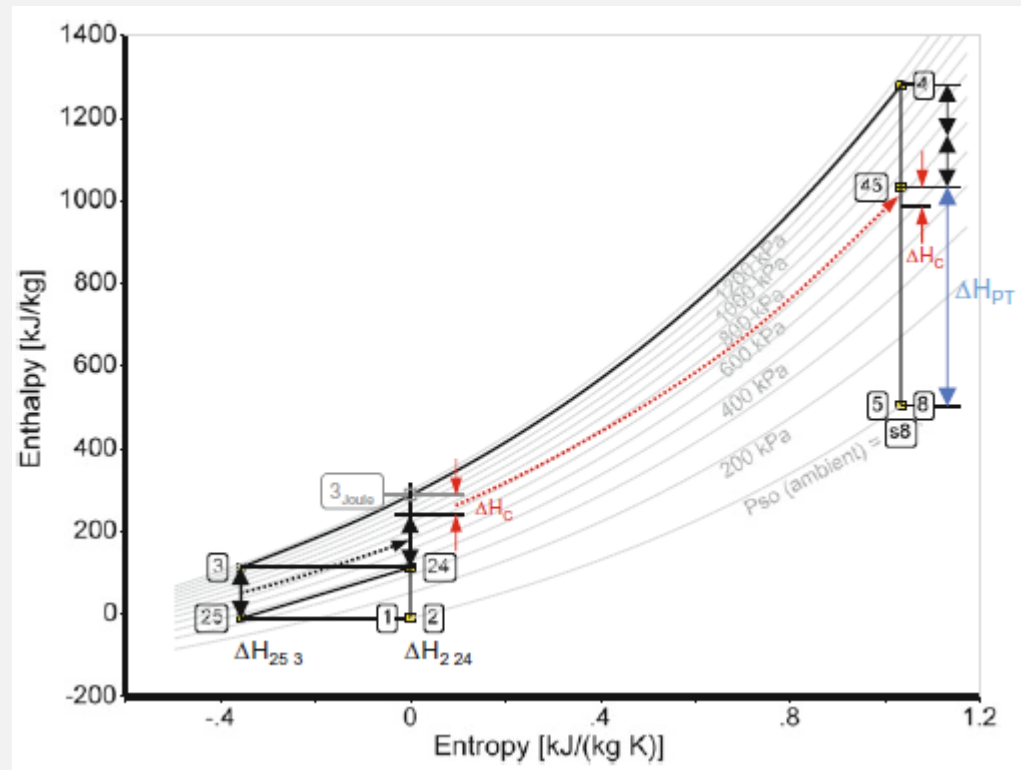J. Kurzke, I. Halliwell, Propulsion and Power An Exploration of Gas Turbine Performance Modeling, https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-319-75979-1

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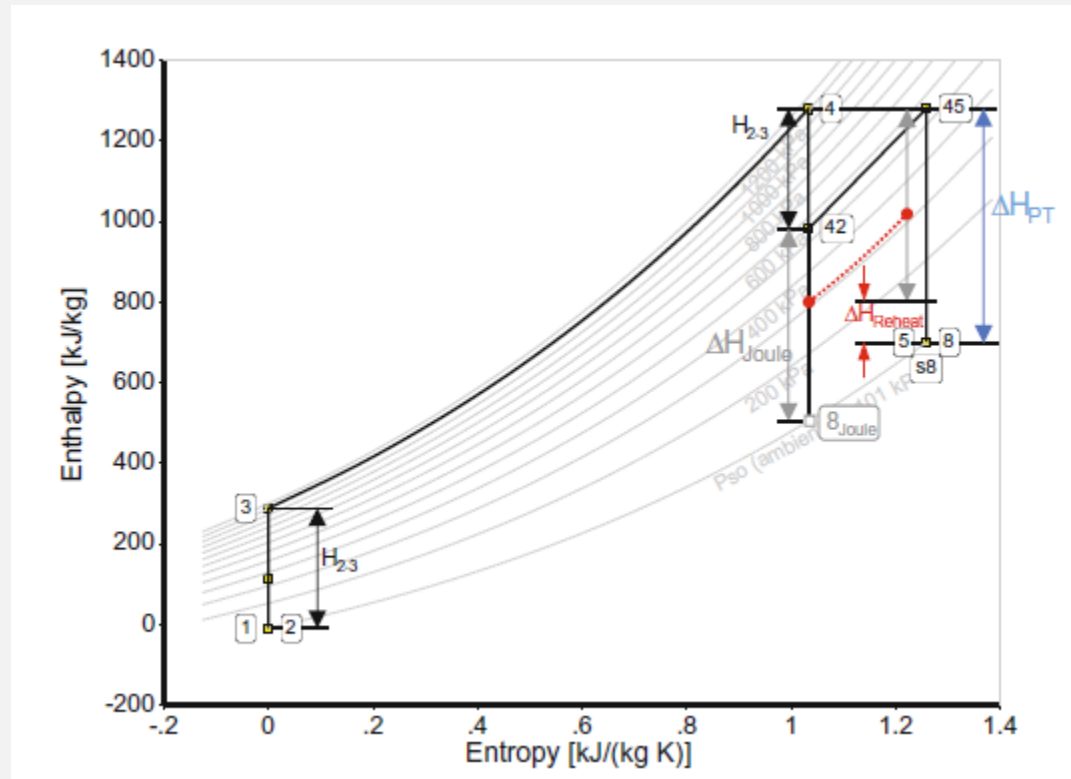
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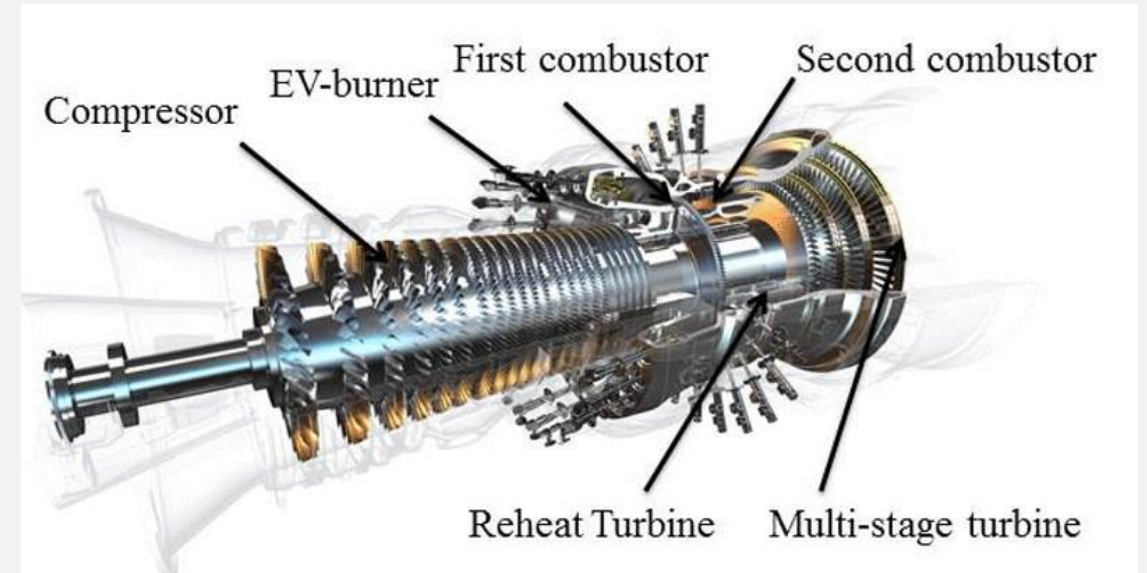Performance Modeling, https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-319-75979-1

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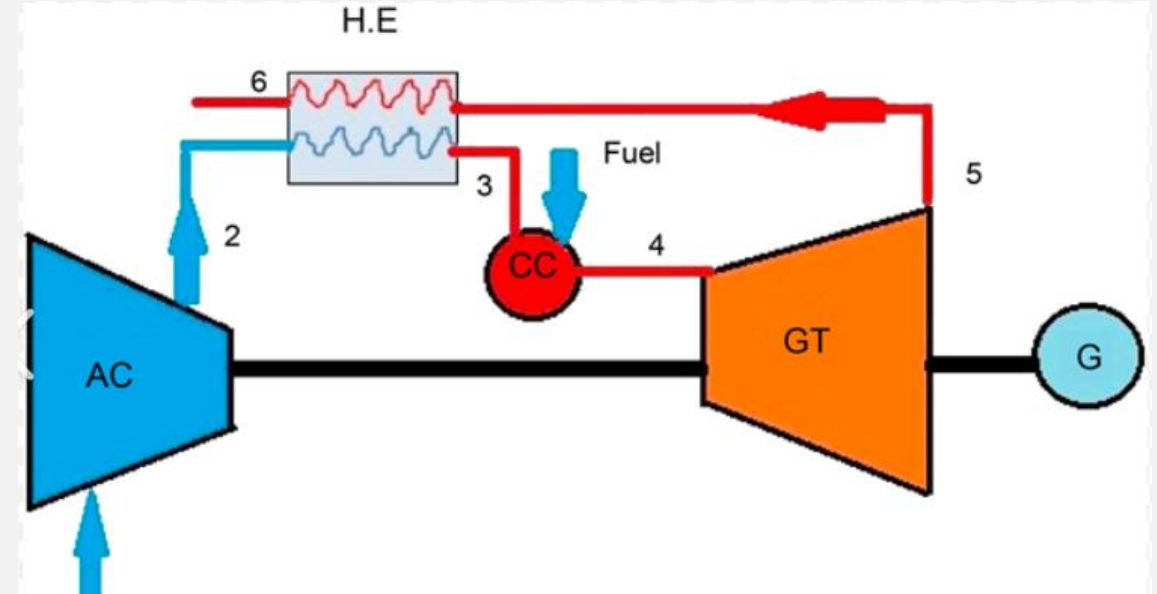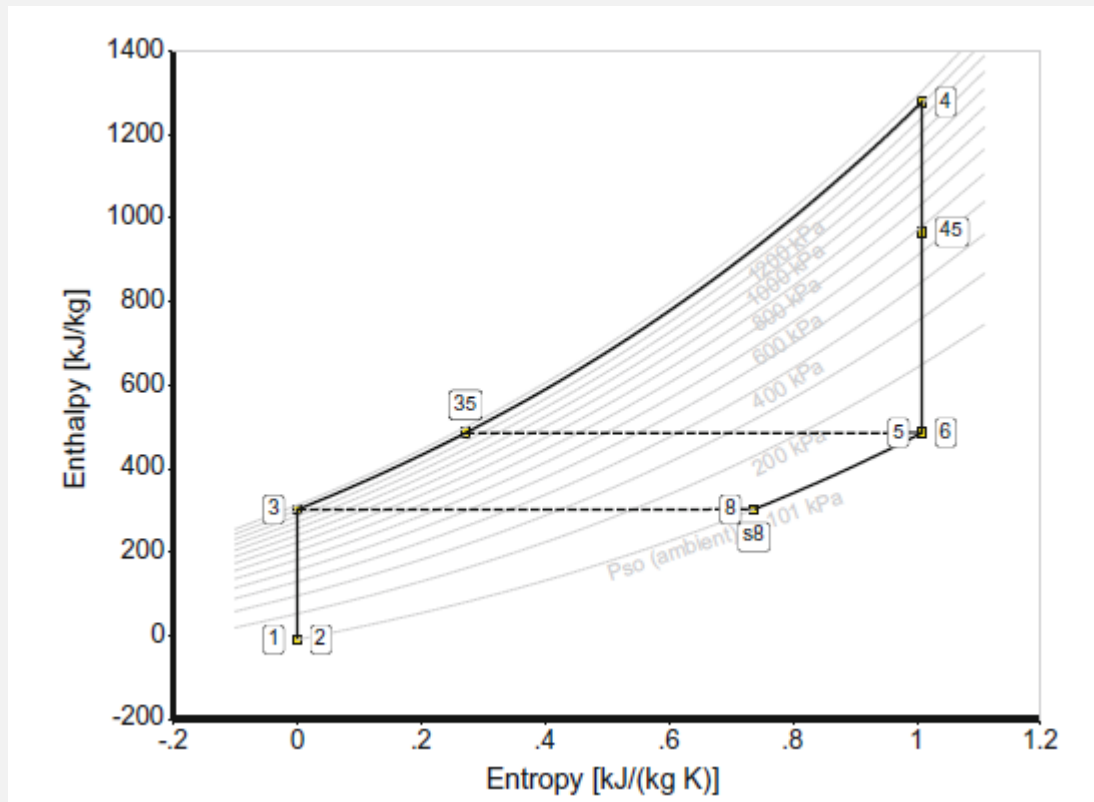

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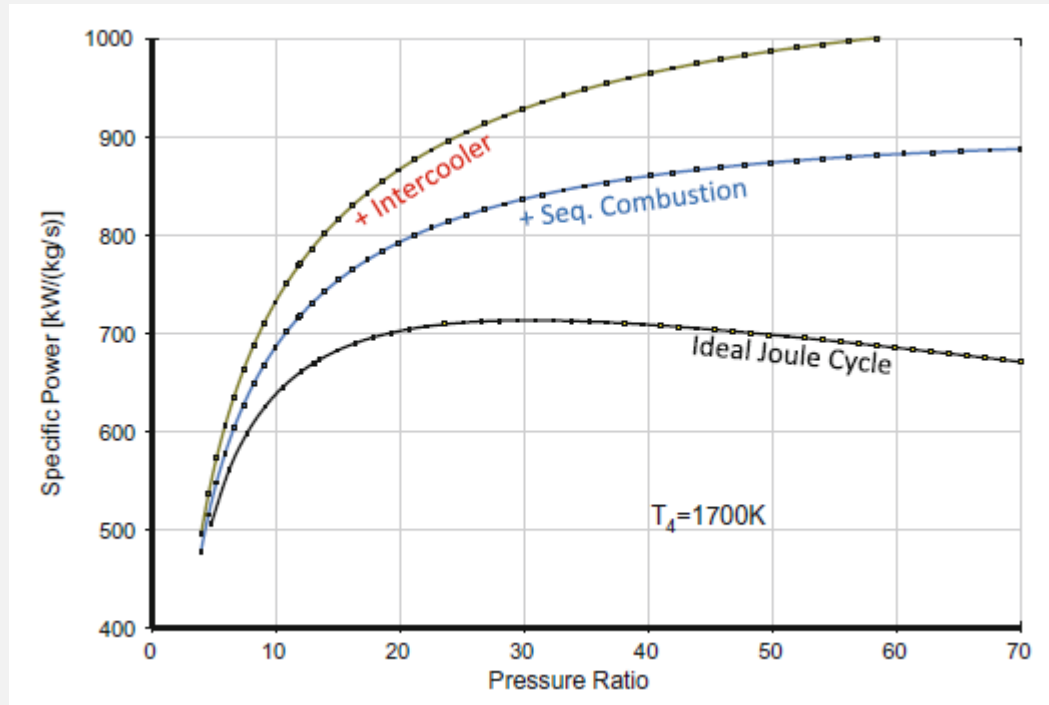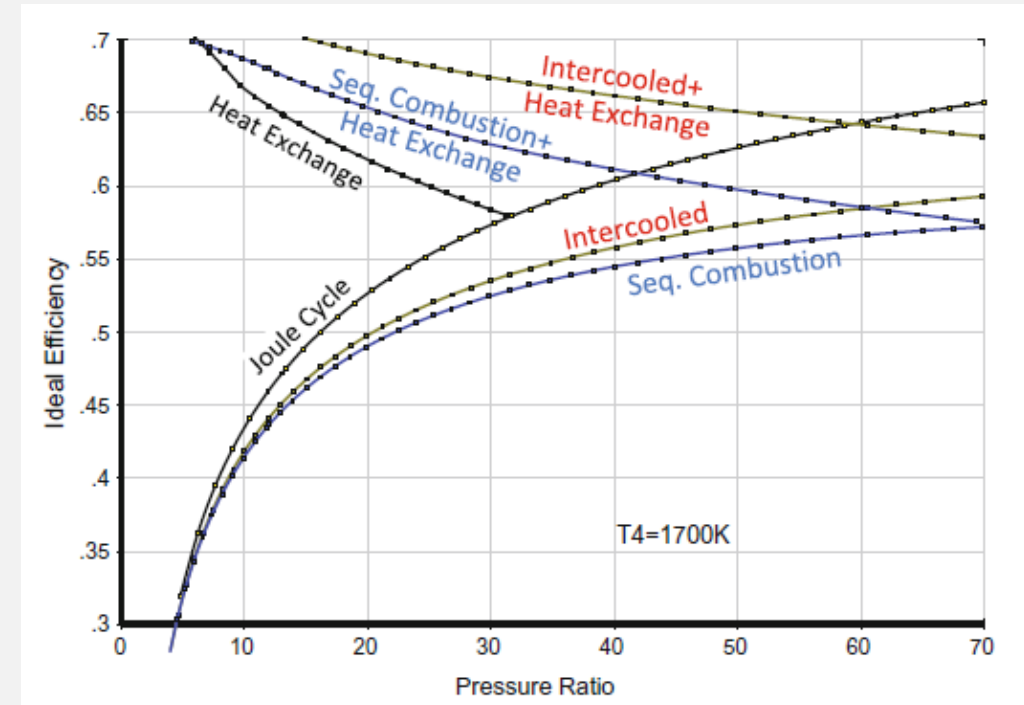
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Scheme of GT with HE

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Higher efficiency means lower specific fuel consumption!

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