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Preface

"Automotive Technology – Basic Worksheets" contains worksheets for the following subject areas:

Service, Repairs, Diagnosis, Conversions and Retrofits.

The worksheets are designed to form a foundation for operational situations.

- In each subject area, practical situations serve as an introduction to the topical contents. Comprehensive assignments provide the necessary basic technical knowledge. The learning situations found at the beginning of each topic can then be solved with this basic knowledge.
- Clearly outlined assignments can be solved independently in groups or with an instructor with the help of the "Modern Automotive Technology" textbook as well as the reference table.
- Circuit diagrams, maintenance schedules and work plans as well as functional descriptions are chosen such that they can be processed similarly to comparable job-related workflows.
- With the help of the accompanying ESI-Tronic CD, the student can obtain information and work on customised exercises.
- Content on operational organisation, operational communication and quality management can be found in the Service worksheets in the form of practical tasks.
- An example of a vehicle registration certificate, Part I, for registered vehicles in Europe, can be found on the inside back cover. Such documents are required to identify the vehicle during repair work and in locating spare parts in dealerships and auto parts stores.

The following tasks are given in the four subject areas:

1 SERVICE

Maintaining and inspecting vehicles and systems according to specifications.

2 REPAIRS

Checking, disassembling, exchanging and assembling simple components and systems.

3 DIAGNOSIS

Identify and eliminate malfunctions

4 CONVERSIONS AND RETROFITS

Performing customer-driven conversions

The worksheets, along with other vehicle technology textbooks such as "Modern Automotive Technology", Verlag Europa-Lehrmittel (ISBN 978-3-8085-23025), form a complete unit.

They are intended to help in carrying out practice-orientated lessons.

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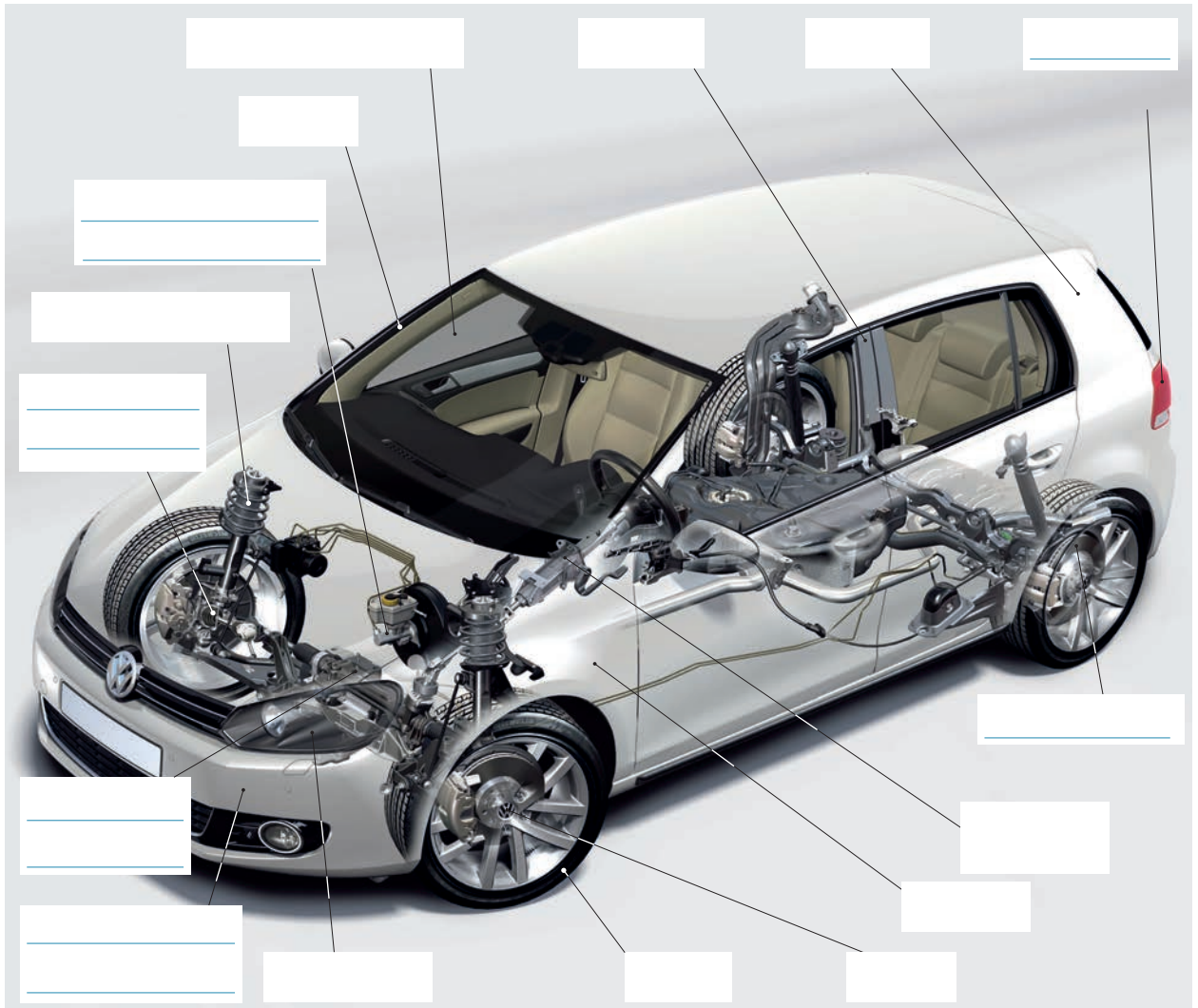
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The use of technical terms is required in on- and off-the-job communication.

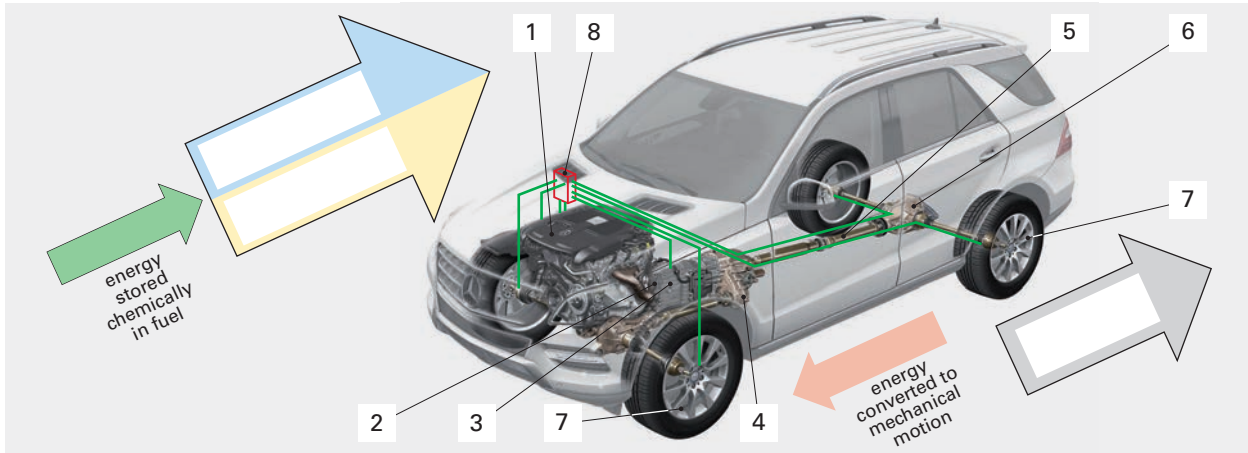
1. Identify the parts and component groups.



2. Fill in the table with the correct part and its function.

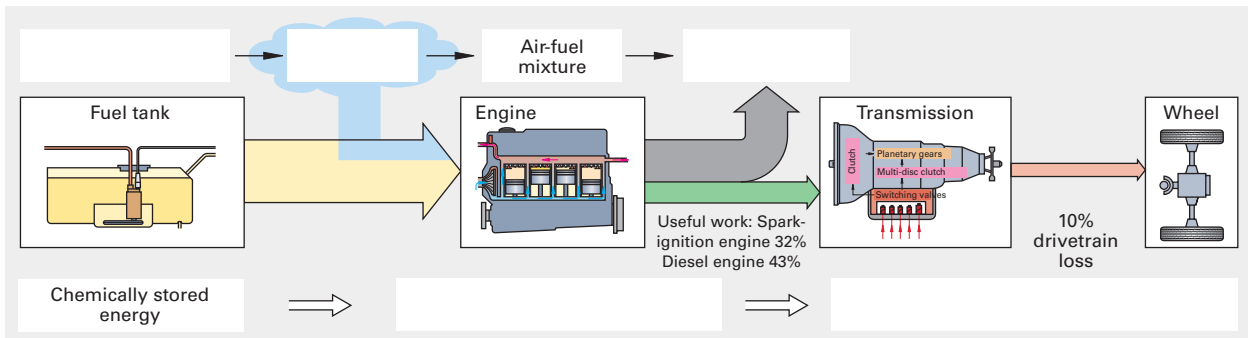
Component-group	Part	Function
Wheel		
Springs, dampers		
Steering		
Lighting-equipment		
Brakes		

3. Identify the numbered drivetrain subsystems in the table and fill in their functions.



Number labels	Subsystem	Function
1	_____	Converts stored chemical energy into mechanical propulsion.
2	Clutch	_____
3	_____	_____
4	_____	Distributes torque to the front and rear axles in all-wheel-drive vehicles.
5	_____	_____
6	_____	_____
7	_____	_____
8	_____	Collect sensor data, calculate control device parameters, control actuators.

4. In the picture, fill in the vehicle material flow for air, fuel and exhaust and the energy flow.

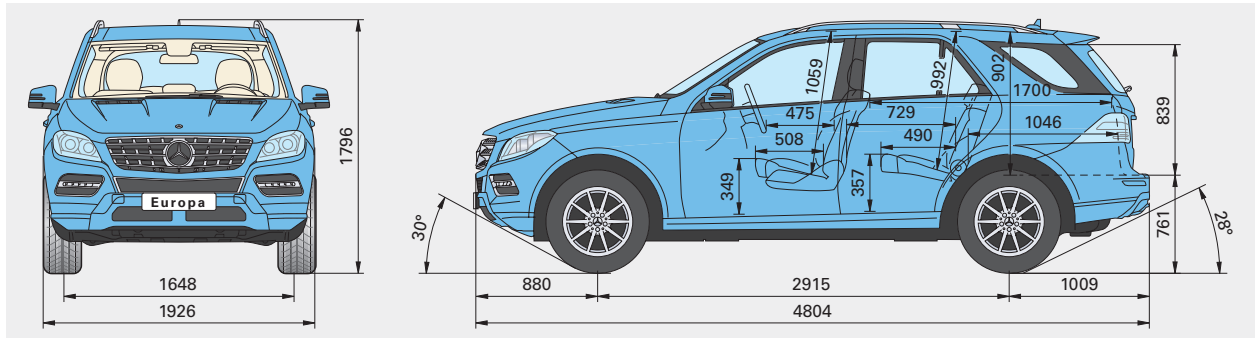


5. How much fuel energy reaches the wheel? How high are the losses? Fill in the table.

Exhaust, cooling, radiation losses in %				Driving power at the wheel in %			
Spark-ignition engine	_____	Diesel engine	_____	Spark-ignition engine	_____	Diesel engine	_____

1. Motor vehicles are divided into the following classifications.

2. Fill in the dimensions in the table and add mm or degrees.




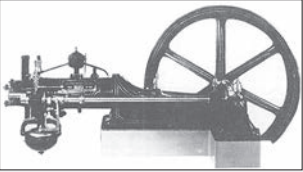

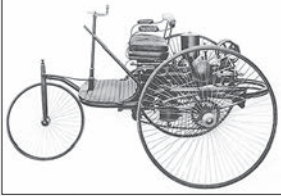
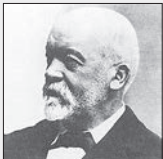
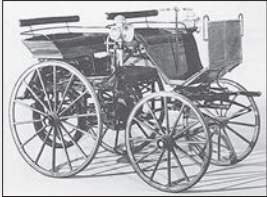

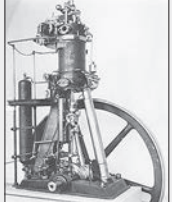

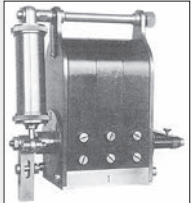

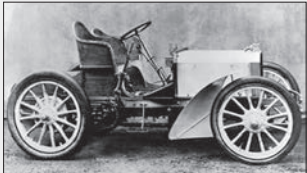
Vehicle length	_____	Rear seat height	_____	_____	1648 mm
Vehicle height	_____	_____	2915 mm	Approach angle	_____

3. Identify the vehicles below and indicate their special features.

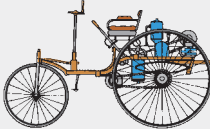

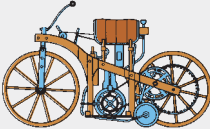

_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	Crossover	_____
_____	_____	_____

4. Which drivetrains are built into today's vehicles?

1. Which important machines did these individuals invent?

Portrait	Invention	
 Nikolaus August Otto 1832 – 1891	_____ _____ _____ _____	
 Carl Benz 1844 – 1929	_____ _____ _____ _____	
 Gottlieb Daimler 1834 – 1900	_____ _____ _____ _____	
 Rudolf Diesel 1858 – 1913	_____ _____ _____ _____	
 Robert Bosch 1861 – 1942	_____ _____ _____ _____	
 Wilhelm Maybach 1846 – 1929	_____ _____ _____ _____	

2. Use the reference book to determine power, displacement and power density for the pictured vehicles.

				
Power in kW / HP	_____	_____	_____	88 / 120
Displacement in l	_____	2.0	_____	_____
Power density in kW/l	_____	77.5	_____	146.67

1 SERVICE

4-stroke spark-ignition engine

Sheet 1

Name:

Class:

Date:

Sheet No.:

Different engine concepts are used for vehicles. Combustion engines can be categorised according to various characteristics.

1. Fill in the table.

Vehicle					
Engine					
Combustion engine categorisation according to type of...				4-stroke	
process					
cylinder motion					
ignition					
cooling					
compressed medium					
injection		direct			
carburetion					
cylinder arrangement				twin-rotor engine	
power control					

2. The cylinder arrangements pictured below are common in 4-stroke piston engines.
- Match the engine picture to its construction with an arrow.
 - Fill in the engine designation and give an example of an application (vehicle).

Figure	Matching	Construction	Description	Example-application
			_____	_____
			_____	_____
			_____	_____
			_____	_____

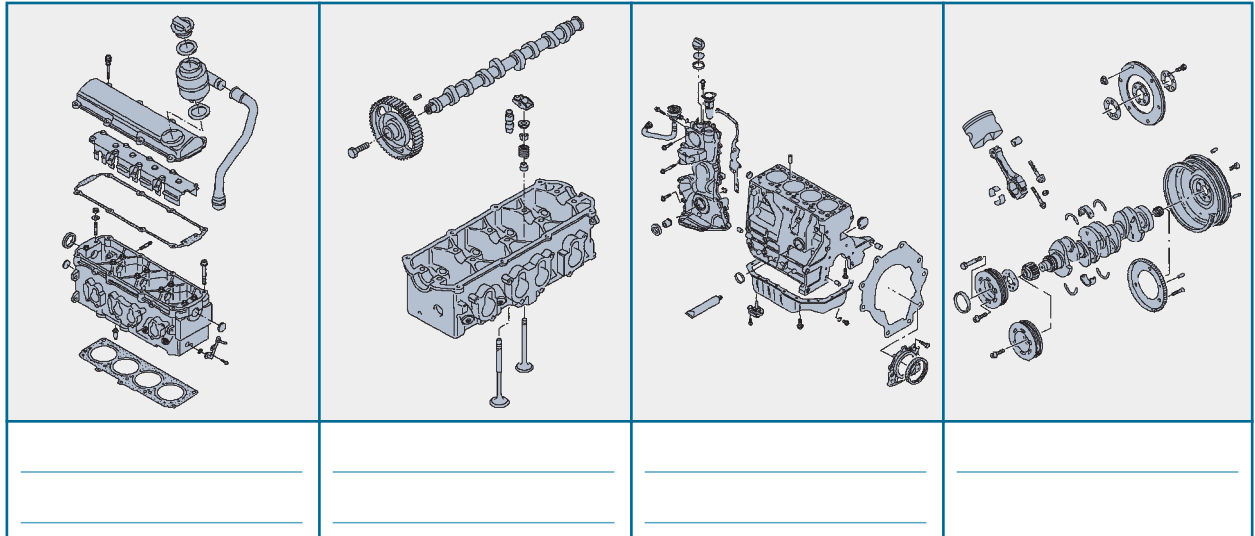
3. Other cylinder arrangements are illustrated in the table below. These were or are seldom built.

Fill in the table.

Figure	Matching	Construction	Description	Example application
			Double piston engine with fork connecting rod	Triumph; Puch; Java Motorcycle engines
			_____	Junkers marine, stationary and aircraft engines
			_____	Aircraft engines
			_____	Sports cars

As a part of communication within the workshop, it is necessary to be able to identify engine component groups and parts in vehicle engine care and maintenance.

1. Identify the component groups in the exploded views.



2. In the simplified cross-section of a 4-stroke spark-ignition engine, identify the numbered parts and fill in the missing number for the parts given.

3. Mark the crankshaft drive and engine control parts in different colours.

	16	2	1	11	12	Engine case
					13	1
	15				14	2
						3
	3					4
						5
	6					Crankshaft drive
	7					6
	8					7
	4					8
						9
	9					10
	10					Engine control
	5					11
					12	
17 Speed sensor	20 Oil-pump strainer/ oil pump				13	
18 Spark plug	21 Fuel injector				14	
19 Intake manifold					15	
					16	

Situation: You read the following in the magazine "Motor Sport": "...the new turbocharged 4-cylinder 4-stroke engine is a classic short-stroke engine with a 92 mm bore and 60.3 mm stroke. The 1596 cc engine has an 85 kW power output and produces 250 Nm of torque. The compression ratio is 12 to 1. The average fuel economy is 6.1 litres to 100 km..."

1. Define the following engine-related terminology found in the text and include the respective notation:

Stroke: _____

Dead centre: _____

Displacement: _____

Compression space: _____

Crank angle: _____

Compression ratio: _____

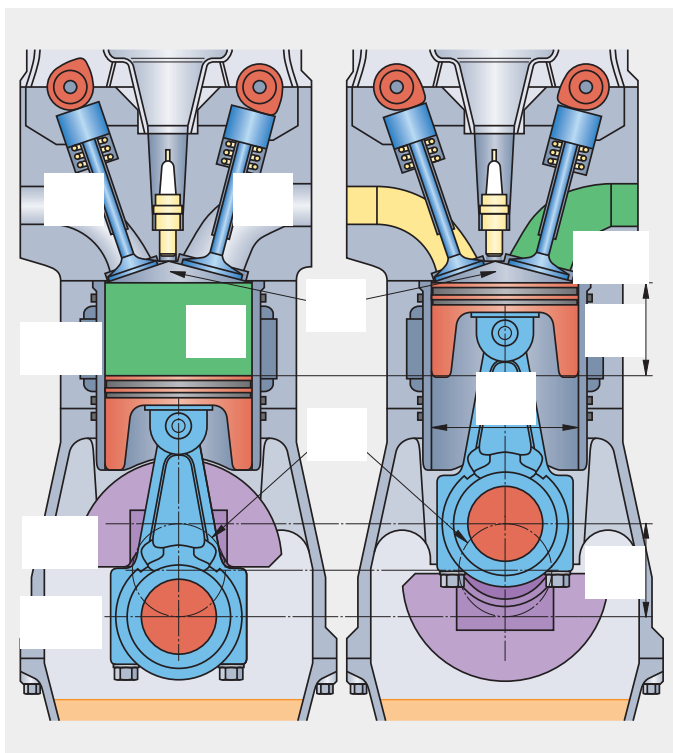
2. Fill in the values corresponding to the terms below that are associated with a 4-stroke engine. An operating cycle consisting of...

_____	strokes	_____	crank angle
_____	camshaft rotation	_____	cam angle
_____	crankshaft rotations	_____	opening and closing of the inlet and exhaust valves

3. a) Identify the parameters in the table and enter them in the illustration.

- b) With the part dimensions from the illustration (scale 1:4), calculate V_h .

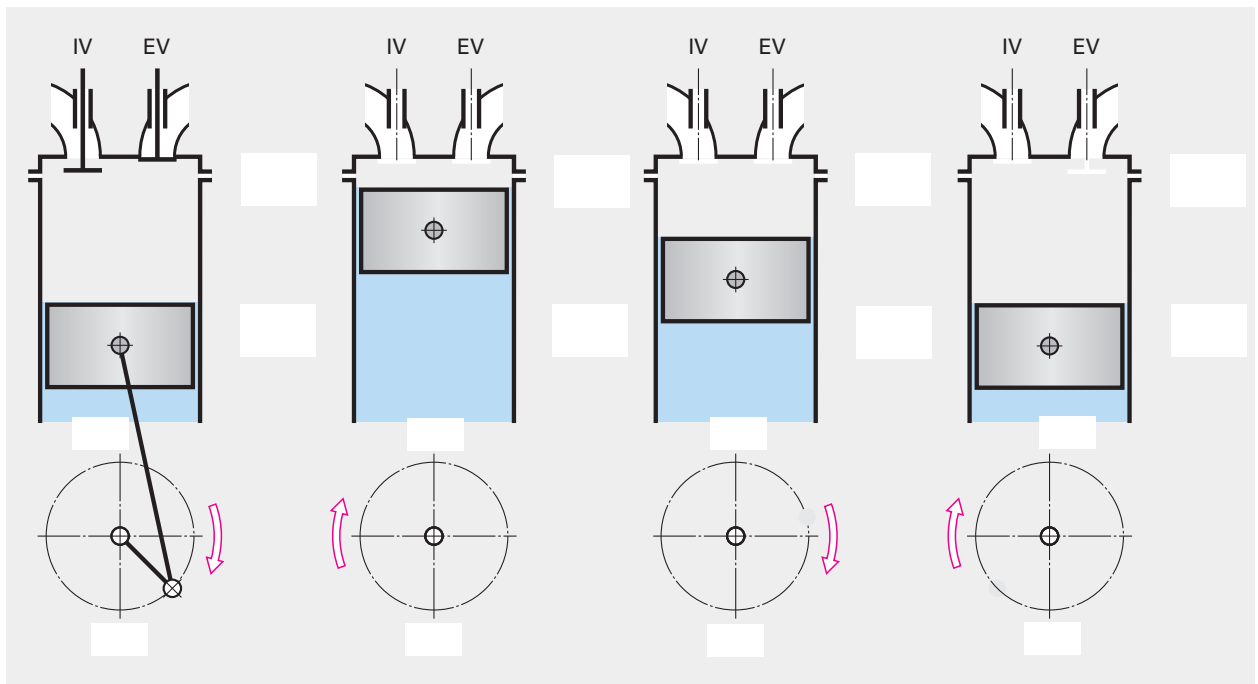
Notation	Description	Dimension
d	_____	_____
s	_____	_____
V_h	_____	_____
V_c	_____	26 cm ³
\varnothing -IV	_____	_____
\varnothing -EV	_____	_____
\varnothing -Cc	_____	_____
TDC	_____	-
BDC	_____	-



Name: _____		
Class: _____	Date: _____	Sheet No.: _____

- Identify the individual strokes.
- Mark the cylinders and the crank circles with TDC and BDC.
- Mark the direction of cylinder movement with an arrow.
- Sketch in the connecting rod and crankshaft according to the cylinder's position.
- Sketch in the valves for each stroke.
- For each stroke, enter into the table
 - whether the inlet and exhaust valves are open or closed
 - at what crank angle the inlet and exhaust valves open or close
 - the max. temperature in the cylinder
 - the max. pressure in the cylinder.
 Use a reference table.
- Enter the open and close positions l_o , l_c , E_o , E_c in the crank circle of the corresponding stroke. Use values from an engine in the reference table. Fill the cylinder above the piston with a different colour for each stroke.

1 st stroke	2 nd stroke	3 rd stroke	4 th stroke
_____	_____	_____	_____



Inlet valve _____ _____	Inlet valve _____ _____	Inlet valve _____ _____	Inlet valve _____ _____
Exhaust valve _____ _____	Exhaust valve _____ _____	Exhaust valve _____ _____	Exhaust valve _____ _____
Temperature in cylinder _____ _____	Temperature in cylinder _____ _____	Temperature in cylinder _____ _____	Temperature in cylinder _____ _____
Pressure in cylinder _____ _____	Pressure in cylinder _____ _____	Pressure in cylinder _____ _____	Pressure in cylinder at E_o _____ _____

Strokes	
Cyl.	
1	Combustion
2	
3	
4	
5	

Ignition interval =

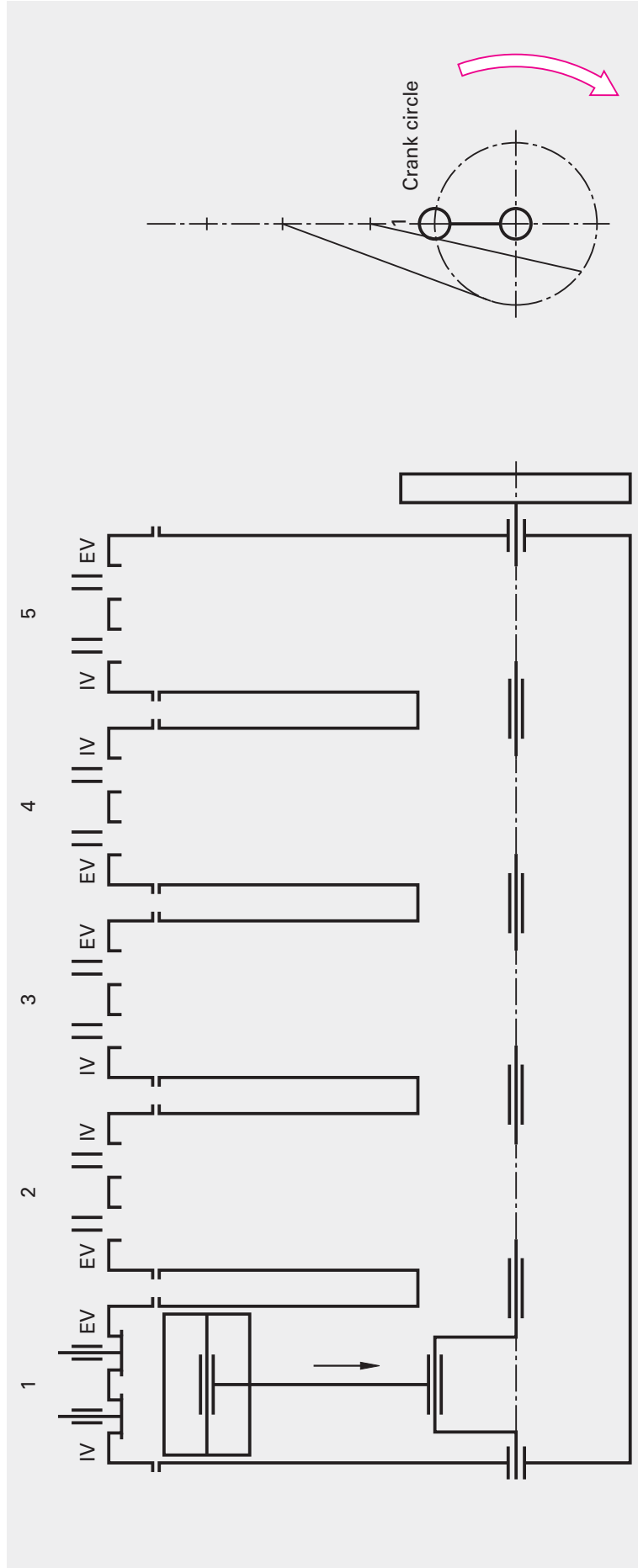
Firing order 1 - 2 - 4 - 5 - 3

8. The following illustration is a schematic diagram of the crankshaft mechanism for a five-cylinder four-stroke engine.

- Determine and fill in the firing order.
- Draw the crank arms for cylinders 2 to 5 onto the crank circle; number the crank pins according to the firing order.
- Fill in the crankshaft for cylinders 2 to 5; draw the corresponding piston and connecting rod positions.
- Indicate each piston's direction of movement with arrows.
- Complete the table with each cylinder's work cycle; indicate the strokes with corresponding colours.
- Draw the intake and exhaust valves in the correct position (the valves should be shown as clearly closed or open).

Timing

Intake valve opens 6° before TDC Exhaust valve opens 40° before BDC
 Intake valve closes 44° after BDC Exhaust valve closes 10° after TDC

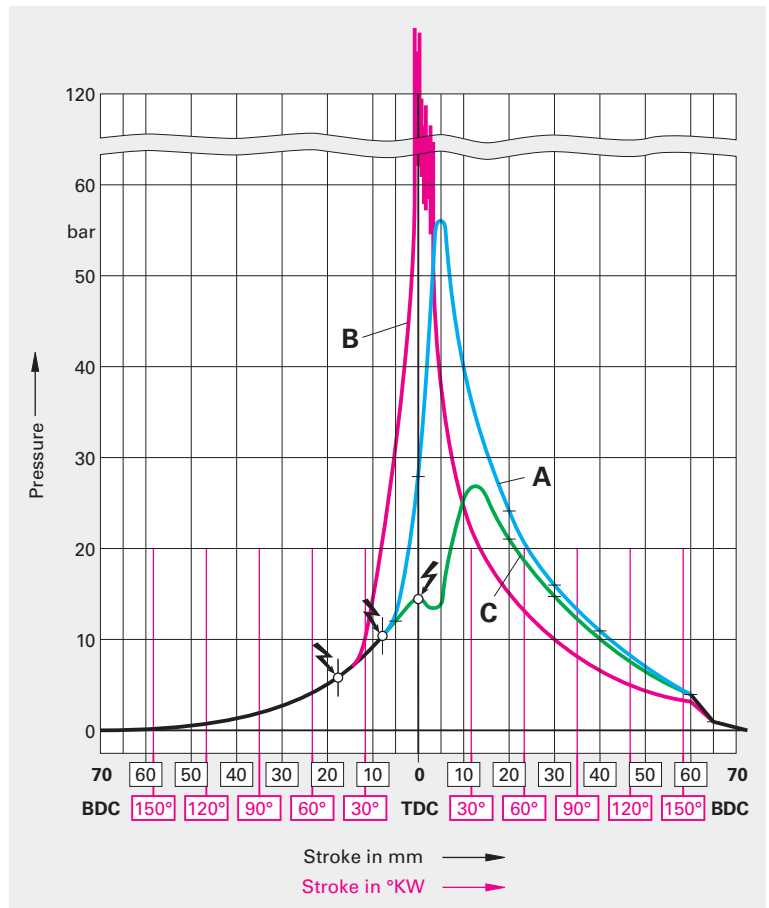


Situation: A spark-ignition engine was optimised on a test stand. Several ignition points were set and the pressure profile recorded. Engine characteristics: Bore x Stroke = 89.9 mm x 70 mm, $\epsilon = 10$.

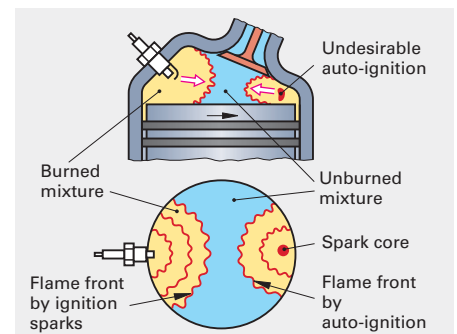
- Evaluate the ignition point in the table with "right", "too late" or "too early". Give the ignition point in crankshaft angle. Describe the effect on the combustion process with "knocking", "adverse", or "optimal".

	Curve A	Curve B	Curve C
Ignition point	_____	_____	_____
in °CA	_____	_____	_____
Effect on combustion	_____	_____	_____

- Indicate the maximum piston pressure on the curve at which the engine properly operates.
- Explain the process "knocking combustion".



- What factors cause knocking?



- What is shown in a PV diagram for a combustion engine?

- Cylinder pressure relative to the piston stroke can be carried over for the power cycle of a four-stroke engine into a PV diagram.
 - Divide the axes according to the given scaling and label them. The cylinder pressure should be on the y-axis and piston stroke on the x-axis.
Scaling: Pressure scale 0.4 bar \cong 1mm; Stroke scale 1 mm \cong 0.5 mm piston stroke.
 - Fill in the missing table values for normal combustion and enter the respective points on the curve. The missing values can be found in Figure 1. Draw the PV diagram for a spark-ignited engine. Indicate the effective work with hatch marks.
 - Mark the valve opening points in the diagram: IVo mm before TDC, IVc 20 mm after BDC, EVo 10 mm before BDC, EVc 6 mm after TDC.
 - Mark the curves of the 4 strokes in different colours and give the respective stroke names.

e) Mark the ignition point in the diagram with an arrow.

f) Draw the curves for compression and combustion in retarded (late) ignition.

Piston stroke in mm	0 (TDC)	5	10	20	30	40	50	60	65	70 (BDC)
Induction 0° ... 180° p_e in bar	0	- 0.3	- 0.3	- 0.3	- 0.3	- 0.3	- 0.3	- 0.3	- 0.3	- 0.3
Compression 180° ... 360° p_e in bar	28.0	_____	9.2	5.0	2.4	1.2	0.6	0	- 0.1	- 0.3
Combustion 360° ... 450° p_e in bar	_____	_____	40.0	_____	16.0	_____	7.0	4.0	1.0	0.3
Exhaust 540° ... 720° p_e in bar	0	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3



7. Calculate the missing values for the engine in the table. In the diagram, draw the combustion type with the corresponding ignition point.

Note: the middle indexed pressure is the average of all pressures within the work cycle.

	Middle pressure in bar	Piston force in N	Indexed work in J/kJ
Normal ignition	18.7	_____	_____
Late ignition	10.9	_____	_____

Situation: You are to carry out work on the engine pictured below.

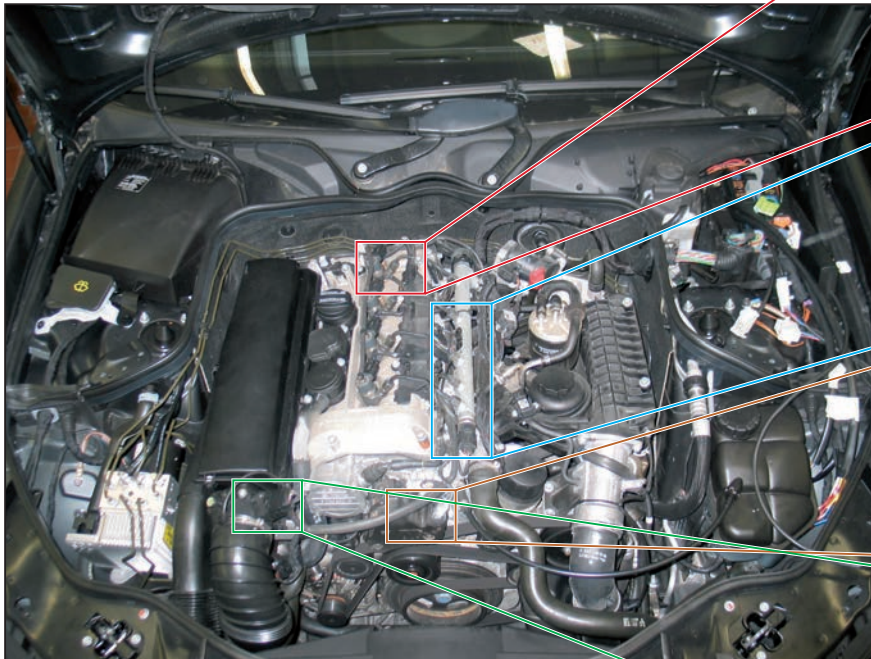
1. How can you tell that it is a diesel engine?

2. a) Match the numbers on the pictures to their respective part names.

___	Rail	___	Air flowmeter	___	pressure pump	___	injector
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b) Components that send information to the control unit are called sensors. Components that receive commands from the control unit are called actuators. To which component group do the red and green marked components belong?

red = _____ green = _____



3. a) Fill in the missing vehicle data with help from a reference table.

Vehicle		Smart cdi 0.6	VW Golf 1.9 TDI	Audi Q7 3.0 TDI
Effective power / Nominal speed	kW / 1/min	_____	_____	_____
Max. torque / speed	Nm / 1/min	_____	_____	_____
CO ₂ emissions	g/km	_____	_____	_____
Fuel consumption	l/100 km	_____	_____	_____

b) Diesel vehicles are hugely popular. Today, 50% of registered new vehicles are diesel. Give reasons for this development.
