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# UE Engine

**GHG** reduction

Digitalization

Conclusion

## **JAPAN ENGINE CORPORATION (J-ENG)**



MITSUBISHI HEAVY INDUSTRIES **MARINE MACHINERY & ENGINE** (MHI-MME)

#### Marine Engine Division

- New engine development
- Licensing
- After-sales service

#### **Marine Machinery Division**

- MET Turbochargers
- Boiler & Turbines
- Propellers etc.



#### **KOBE DIESEL**

- Production design
- Manufacturing
- After-sales service



#### **MITSUBISHI HEAVY INDUSTRIES**

- Research & Innovation Center
- Technology Strategy Office
- Value Chain HO.
- ICT Solution HQ.

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## **UE Engine**

Main propulsion engine, low-speed marine 2-stroke engine Purely Japanese brand, one of the three brands in the world

## **Our Business**

The only licensor in the world with an integrated system from Development to after-sales service Contribute to shipping and shipbuilding industry

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## Development History of UE Engine





## Green technology



#### Toward Carbon neutral in 2050



## NOx Tier3 technology line-up





## Newly added





## LP-EGR

#### Compact installation • Low OPEX Zero-breed-off system

## **HP-SCR**

Installed in engine room Easy apply with SOx scrubber

## LP-SCR

Simple system configuration Easy arrangement

### All in-house developed No black box

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## Digital Technology

Bearing temperature

monitoring system

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Eco control system 4G

nonitoring system This system consists of bearing wear sensor, water Cylinder pressure control

and monitoring system

Eco engine waveform

nonitoring system

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This system is installed as an additional system as well as cylinder pressure control and monitoring system, and

onsists of lift sensors of fuel injection pump / upper haust valve driving system, pressure sensor of cylind tor . ASU, HUB unit and PC

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Eco control system 5G

Started research on next-

generation engine control

#### **Remote monitoring Condition diagnosis**

Engine for coastal vessels to which Advanced Ship Safety Management System is applied



#### **Toward Digital Twin**



system

**CBM**·Monitoring

maintenance according to

actual operation conditions

Started research on

### Latest topics





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We support the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)



#### **New UE Licensee**

Guangzhou Diesel Engine Factory (GDF)

#### **UE Training center**

Newly at head office factory UE/Eco training, Tier3 and GHG related equipment



New office building and automated warehouse completed Integrate bases of all departments; Sales / Development / Product Design / Procurement / Manufacturing / QA·QC / AS

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## Introduction of New UE Licensee



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## J-ENG granted GDF to the license on manufacturing and sales of UE Engines



Guangzhou Diesel Engine Factory Co., Ltd.

GDF: Guangzhou Diesel Engine Factory Co., Ltd.

#### GDF

Medium speed (4-stroke) engine manufacturer with top market share in China, founded in 1911

Licensed manufacturing and sales of UE engines in order to meet the increasing demand for main engines for coastal vessels in China

#### **Production schedule**

Over 30 sets of engines including latest UEC42/50LSH-Eco are ordered in short term



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## Technical Strategy for UE Engine

## **Digitalization**

Utilization of IoT / AI, advanced condition monitoring, realization of CBM, Digital twin, Self-sustaining/ automated operation



# Towards 2050 Carbon neutrality

### **GHG reduction**

Ammonia, Hydrogen, biofuel, etc. UEC50LSJA UEC35LSGH

NOx Tier III LP-EGR LP-SCR HP-SCR

Stratified injection UEC-LSJ series UEC50LSJ UEC35LSJ etc.

50LSH/42LSH version 4

**UEC-LSH** series

Low SFOC

**UEC42LSH** 

**UEC33LSH** 

#### Suitable GHG Reduction Propulsion System for Vessels Japan Engine Corporation



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## GHG reduction with low-carbon or carbon-free fuel







## Ammonia fueled engine UEC-LSJA

## Hydrogen fueled engine UEC-LSGH





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## **GHG reduction**

## **UEC-LSH/LSJ** engine

**Ammonia fueled engine** 

## Hydrogen fueled engine

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## Fuel-efficient UEC-LSH series





The **UEC-LSH** engine is based on the fuel-efficient technology of the UEC-LSE engine.

Further fuel efficiency achieved with Combustion mode optimization, Loss reduction and optimization etc., of each part

In addition, **Version 4** with additional fuel efficiency will be Launched.

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## Fuel-efficient UEC-LSH series

#### **UEC-LSH significantly reduces SFOC from UEC-LS**



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## Further SFOC reduction "Version4 Engine"







#### UEC42LSH-Eco-D4

#### UEC50LSH-Eco-C4

## **Easy application**

Modified fuel injection system based on conventional engine Future retrofit is possible

## **OPEX** reduction

Low SFOC at entire load range Measure against Fuel Price Increase

## **Expandability to new Fuel**

Configuration of Eco control unit is same as Ammonia / Hydrogen fueled engines It leads expandability to new fuel in future

## Further SFOC reduction "Version4 Engine"

#### UEC-LSH-Ver.4 reduces SFOC at entire load range vs Ver.3







## UEC-LSJ series Excellent fuel-efficient engine

#### J-ENG'S Stratified injection system is applied. Fuel and water are layered and injected. Achieved Significant fuel efficiency without NOx increase.

It is possible to apply **carbon-free fuel** such as **ammonia** instead of water to layered injection, and to further reduce GHG by using biofuel, etc., especially as a solution for zero emission of small and medium-sized vessels. We have received more inquiries.



Stratified injection UEC-LSJエンジン



### **UEC-LSJ significantly reduces SFOC from LSH-Ver.3**



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## Stratified Water Injection of UEC-LSJ

#### Water pumped into fuel line during non-injection period, Injected by Fuel Pump



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## Stratified Water Injection unit for UEC50LSJ



Water injection pump

Solenoid valve

(for water injection)



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## **UEC-LSH/LSJ engine**

## Ammonia fueled engine

## Hydrogen fueled engine

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## Development of Ammonia fueled engine

Ammonia fueled engine (bore 50cm class) will be completed in 2025. Then it will be installed to Ammonia powered ammonia gas carrier, which will enter in service in 2026.



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## **Development of Ammonia fueled engine**



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#### Press release on October 26, 2021

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#### Demonstration Project Begins for Commercialization of Vessels Equipped with Domestically Produced Ammonia-Fueled Engine -- Utilizing the Japanese Government's Green Innovation Fund --

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NYK Line, Japan Engine Corporation, IHI Power Systems Co., Ltd., and Nihon Shipyard Co., Ltd. (i.e., "the Companies") are pleased to announce that Japan's New Energy and Industrial Technology Development Organization (NEDO) has approved the Companies' participation in a demonstration project for the commercialization of vessels equipped with a domestically produced ammoniafueled engine as part of the Green Innovation Fund project.\* The demonstration project, which is scheduled to begin in December with ClassNK added to the Companias sime to use ammonia as fuel to significantly reduce groenhouse

#### **Develop Ammonia fueled** engine with bore 50cm class





## Technical issues and countermeasures





## Hardly-flammable

**Slow** Combustion speed : 1/5 of methane, **High** minimum self-ignition temp : 651 degC

→ Stratified injection to optimize Combustion

N<sub>2</sub>O Nitrous oxide GWP of 265 times that of CO<sub>2</sub> → Stratified injection to minimize N<sub>2</sub>O

Fuel NOX Nitrogen in fuel may cause Fuel NOx → After treatment (SCR) application

## Toxicity

Double wall piping, Purging, separation, recovery equipment Applying safety measures

## Corrosive

➔ Material with corrosion resistance

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## Stratified injection technology



J-ENG's technology Stratified Ammonia injection for Ammonia fueled engine



#### J-ENG's unique technology

- One fuel valve for two different liquid
- Possible co-combustion with different liquid fuels
- Already applied to UEC-LSJ with Water
- Can be applied to UEC-LSJA with Ammonia

### **Advanced combustion control**

- Suitable for Ammonia fueled engine
- **Optimized stratified (layered) Injection** with easily flammable pilot fuel (ignitor), hardly flammable Ammonia (sandwiched) and easily flammable post fuel (assist)
- Minimize fuel consumption and N<sub>2</sub>O production

#### Ammonia



**Fuel spray optimization and Combustion control** with Stratified injection technology for Ammonia



Fig. 5: Numerical results of the spray characteristics

Source: Prof. Takasaki, Kyushu Univ.

#### Ignite Ammonia fuel spray and keep Ammonia fuel flame combustion

The first sprayed MGO (red) envelops the ammonia spray (yellow) during the spray formation process

#### Reduction of unburned Ammonia and N<sub>2</sub>O

The last sprayed MGO (blue) pushes the ammonia spray (yellow) around the hot flame and activates combustion.

## Enable stable combustion over the entire combustion period.



## Concept of Ammonia fuel UE engine







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## **GHG reduction**

**UEC-LSH/LSJ** engine

**Ammonia fueled engine** 

## Hydrogen fueled engine

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#### **Expansion of Hydrogen Fuel** Japan Engine Corporation

## Towards GHG zero-emission, Hydrogen fuel conversion in sea transportation is essential



Hydrogen fueled ship (Container ship, bulk carrier) (Source: MLIT Roadmap to Zero Emission from International Shipping)



The use of Hydrogen fuel has already begun in many fields to reduce GHG







Hydrogen gas turbine



Commercial or industrial fuel cell



Hydrogen power plant



Source: Website of agency for natural resources and energy



Liquefied hydrogen carrier



FCV



Fuel-cell forklift



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#### **Development of Hydrogen Fueled Engine** Japan Engine Corporation

#### Press release on Oct. 26, 2021

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commercialization of vessels equipped v fueled engine as part of the Green Innov Press release On Nov. 9, 2021	TOKYO—Mitsui O.S.K. Lines, Ltd. (MOL), MOL Drybulk, Ltd., and Japan Engine Corporation (J-ENG) today announced the signing of a basic agreement to cooperate in a trial of hydrogen-fueled engine equipped on an in-service vessel. The ship will be operated by MOL and MOL Drybulk, and the engine—the world's first low-speed, two-stroke hydrogen-fueled marine engine—will be developed by J-ENG.	
	While accelerating efforts to reduce g	reenhouse gas (GHG) emissions as

### **Development of hydrogen fueled** ore 35cm class engine





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measures to address climate change, the ocean shipping industry has also

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#### Hydrogen fueled engine will be completed around the end of FY2026, and verification operation on bulk carrier is planned



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## Technical issues and countermeasures





## **Easily-flammable**

Very fast Combustion speed : 2.65 m/sLow minimum self-ignition temp : 500 degCWide flammable air-hydrogen ratio

- → Establish Stable combustion technology
- → Apply Safety measures (double wall pipe, purge etc.,)

## Hydrogen embrittlement may be concerned → Apply Proper materials

Easy to leak because of Small molecular weight
→ Establish Sealing technology

International standards are not yet in place → Japan leads the making of international standards

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- Common element technology development, Standardization, Rule creation
- > Installation and use of shared facilities for shop operation with hydrogen
- > Development and system integration of Hydrogen storage / supply system





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## VISION : Supply engines that support safe operation and crew

- Development of Next generation Eco control system
   "Fifth generation (5G)"
- Engine monitoring, control and diagnosis by "Digital twin"
  - > Autonomous, auto pilot
  - $\succ$  Always automatic diagnosis  $\Rightarrow$  Failure prediction and detection
    - $\Rightarrow$  Accident prevention
  - > Operation optimization
  - Maintenance optimization (CBM)
- Promote digitalization through joint research with Class and other companies
- New engine will be developed as a digitalization promotion model





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#### **Development of 5G Eco control system** Japan Engine Corporation



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## Future vision of J-ENG's digital architecture





### Toward the realization of after-sales service utilizing data





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#### Engines for MLIT/Advanced Ship Safety Management System Janan Engine (ASMS) for coastal ship

MLIT: Ministry of Land, Infrastructure and Transport

## Approval scheme of ASMS

- Apply required sensors (1) (Cylinder pressure, Cylinder liner temp etc.)
- Remote monitoring of sensor data and status diagnosis
- Comprehensive maintenance contract (3)

### Currently working on a construction project for coastal shipping companies



- $\checkmark$  Link onboard server and Eco control system, Monitor engine data on land
- $\checkmark$  Use of onboard server(ISO19847) and data linkage according to ISO19848
- Planning comprehensive maintenance menu including status diagnosis  $\checkmark$

#### We operate comprehensive maintenance utilizing data and aim to increase the added value of services.

### Additional Sensors for MLIT/ASMS



#### Cylinder pressure



#### Cylinder liner temperature



#### Oil mist analog output





Air cooler inlet water temp

Air cooler outlet water temp

#### Air cooler inlet air temp



#### Air cooler outlet air temp



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- As the movement toward *carbon neutrality in 2050* accelerates, it is an urgent task to develop an internal combustion engine that can use decarbonized fuel as a solution for reducing GHG in international shipping.
- J-ENG is promoting the development of Ammonia-fueled engine and Hydrogen-fueled engine, which are promising options for carbon neutrality.
- In addition, SFOC reduction of the base engine and expansion of the Tier III technology line up are on going.
- Towards safe operation, energy-saving and life cycle cost optimization, we have developed a next-generation Eco control system that supports open innovation, expanded the monitoring system required for CBM, and improved the accuracy of diagnostic logic. We will also promote digitization.

## Thank you for your attention

