

WP 3 Intermetallics and adv. materials for marine engines



Subproject 3.1: Novel materials for engine applications

Examine possibilities of using novel materials in engines to facilitate the development of components that enable higher engine loads, hereby increasing efficiency and lower emissions. Ensure proper lifetime performance and durability.

Subproject 3.2: Novel materials for turbine casing

Material of turbine casing is reviewed in respect of material and design in order to meet requirements needed for higher exhaust gas temperatures.

EXPECTED OUTCOME

Subproject 3.1: Suitable new materials can be identified for at least two components for higher load operations and longer life time.

Subproject 3.2: Performance is improved through material / design optimization.



PROGRESS AND PLANS



Subproject 3.1 Results & Achievements :



Definition of boundary condition and selecting of materials/processing routs

Detailed material characterisation of samples produced via different routs Manufacturing of prototypes and rig testing

Testing of advanced bearing materials



Subproject 3.2 Results & Achievements :



Investment casting can produce near net shape components Alloy 2 exhibits sufficient hot corrosion resistance and for 2-stroke application mechanical properties seems sufficient

opportunities for enabling higher bearing loads identified





Decided casting type & manufacturing method Preliminary material database setup Casting simulation & parametrisation of CAD-model Defintion of load profile Elimination of stress hot-spots

CONCLUSIONS Turbine casing made of heat resistant cast steel is possible

Lifetime analysis shows which improvements are needed for serial production

Material data generated highly beneficial for ABB Turbo Systems Prototype made, next step would be field testing

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