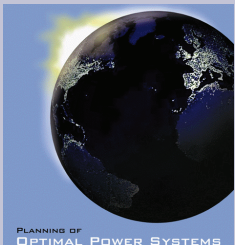


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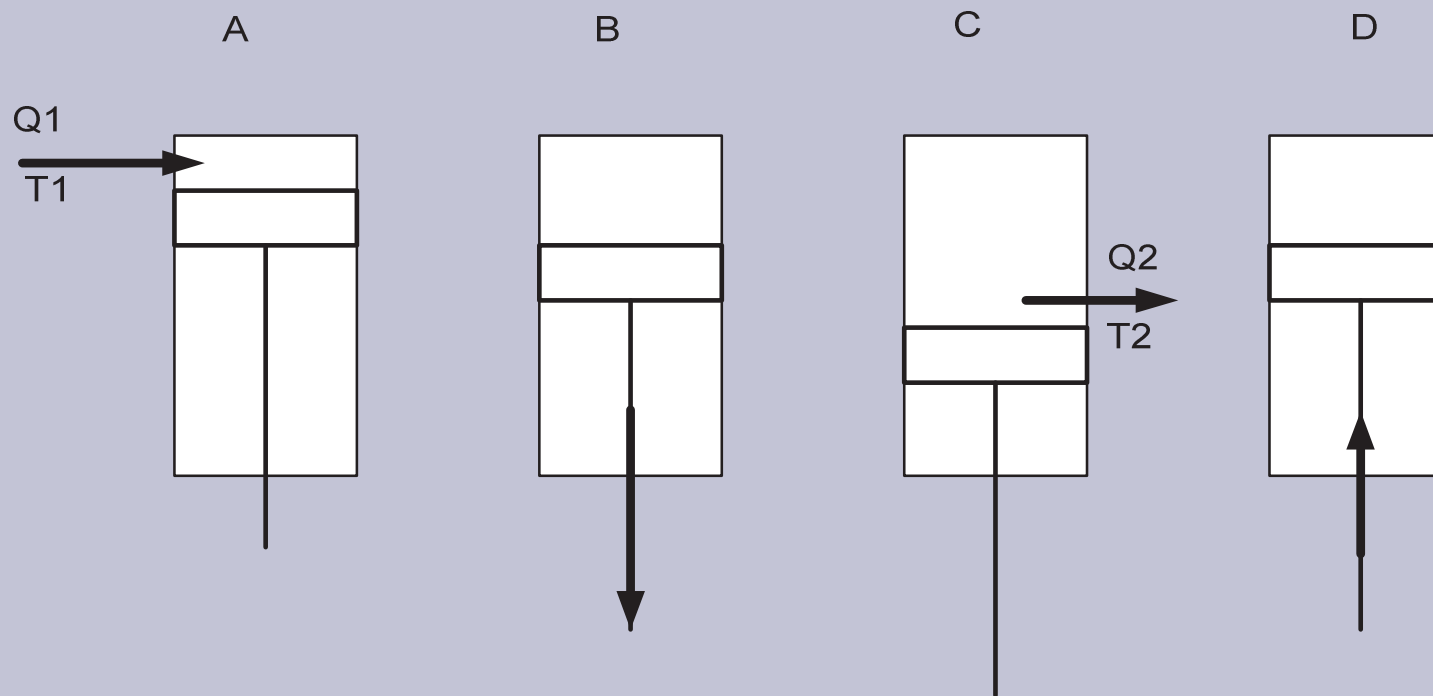
- Carnot Cycle
- Otto Cycle
- Diesel Cycle
- Brayton Cycle
- Rankine Cycle
- Combined Cycles

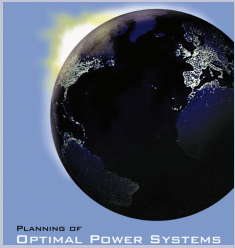


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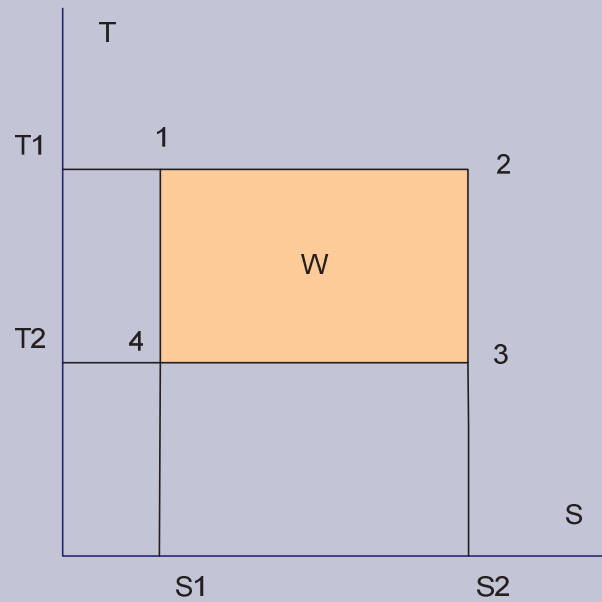


## CARNOT - ENGINE

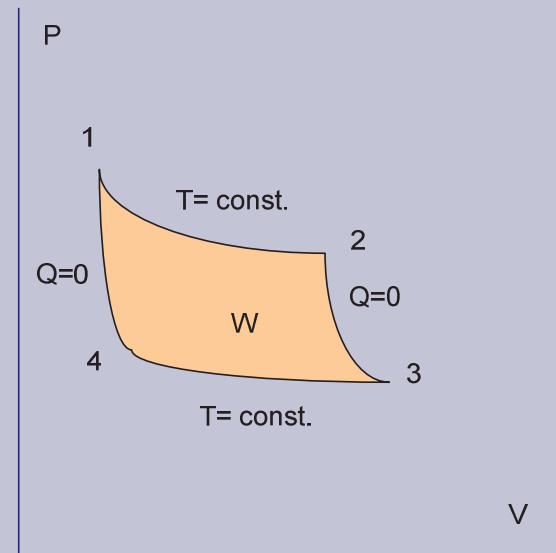




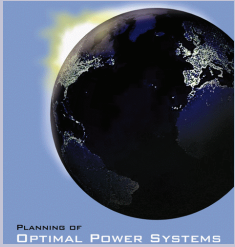
# Carnot Cycle



T-S Diagram

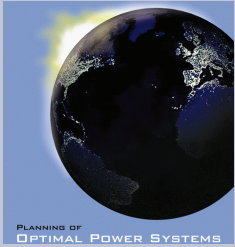


P-V Diagram



# Carnot Cycle , continued

- Ideal gas cycle, discovered by French engineer Sadi Carnot in 1824
- Heat is added at constant temperature  $T_1$
- Heat is discharged at constant temperature  $T_2$



# Carnot Cycle , continued

Efficiency

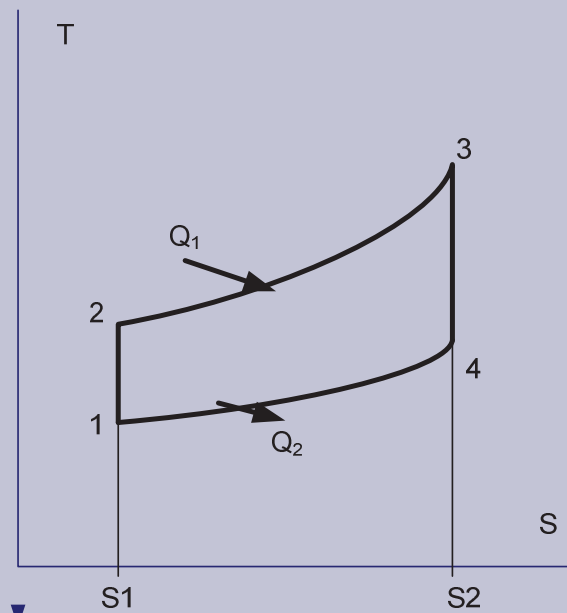
$$\eta = 1 - T_2/T_1$$

The work done is area  $W$  in diagram

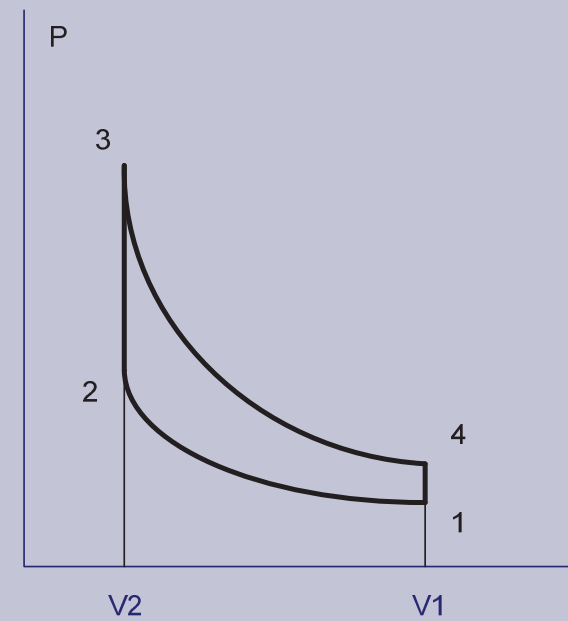
Higher the  $T_1$  and lower  $T_2$  more work can be done by the Carnot engine



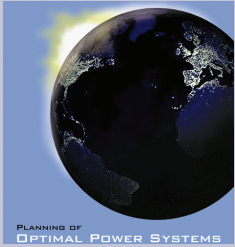
# Otto Cycle



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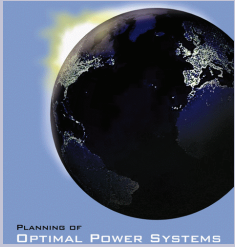


P-V Diagram



# Otto Cycle, continued

- Nicolaus Otto discovered spark ignition (SI) four stroke gas engine 1876
- Heat is added in constant volume  $V_1$  at top dead center (TDC) by igniting gas air mixture by spark
- Heat is discharged at constant volume  $V_2$  at bottom dead center (BDC)



# Otto Cycle, continued

## Efficiency of Otto Engine

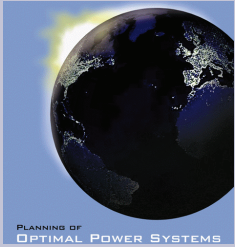
$$\eta = 1 - 1/r^{k-1}$$

where

$r$  = compression ratio =  $V_2/V_1$

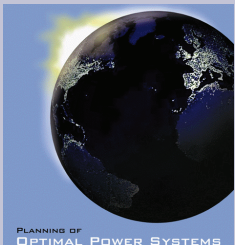
$k$  = gas constant



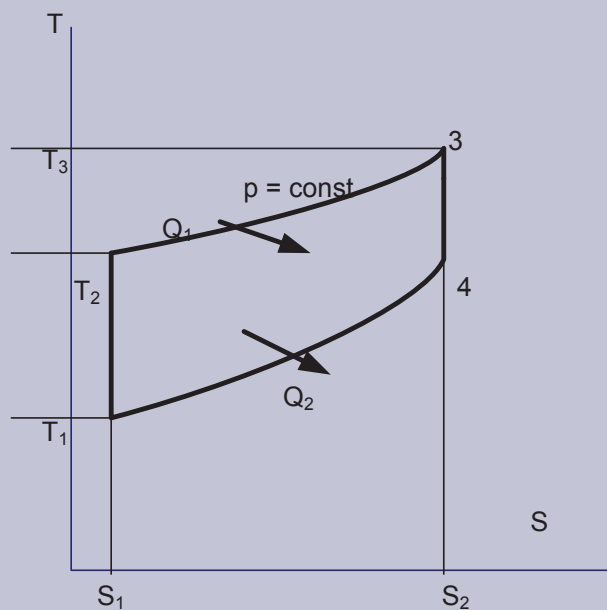


# Otto Cycle, continued

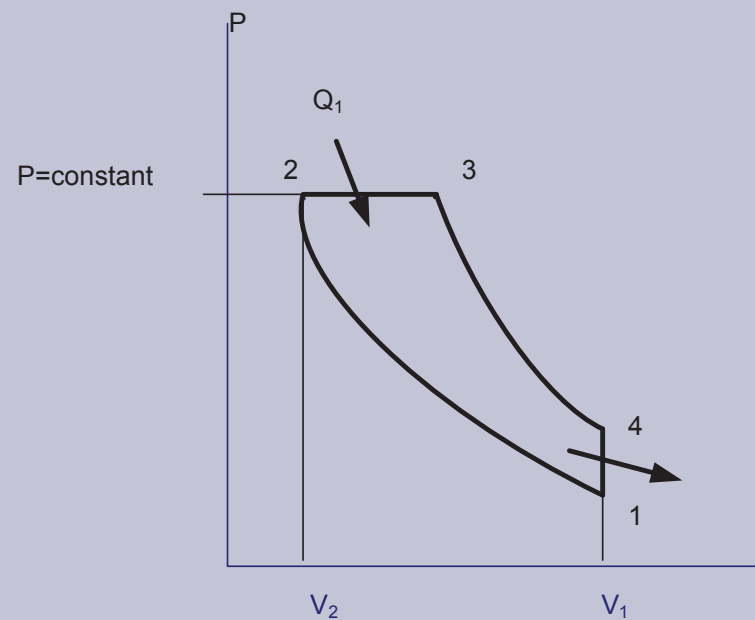
- Spark ignition (SI) engines are most built engines in the world
- About 40 million engines/a for cars (200 000 MW)
- About 4000 engines/a for power plants (4000 MW/a)



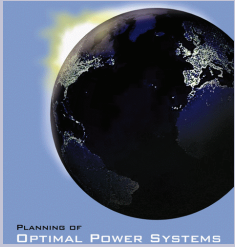
# Diesel Cycle



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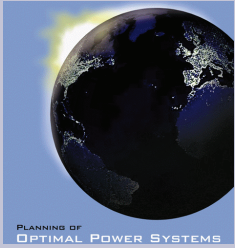


P-V Diagram



# Diesel Cycle, continued

- Rudolf Diesel outlined Diesel engine in 1892 in his patent
- Heat is added at constant pressure and discharged at constant volume
- Ignition happens by self ignition by injecting fuel at top dead center
- Some call Diesel engines as compression ignition (CI) engines



# Diesel Cycle, continued

Efficiency

$$\eta = 1 - \frac{1}{r^{k-1}} \frac{(r_c^k - 1)}{k(r_c - 1)}$$

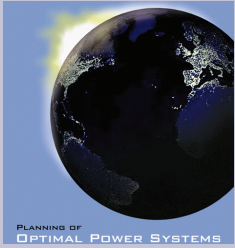
where

$$r = \text{compression ratio} = V_2/V_1$$

$$r_c = \text{cut off ratio} = V_3/V_2$$

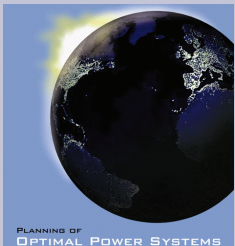
note

If  $r$  is the same, Diesel cycle has lower efficiency than Otto cycle

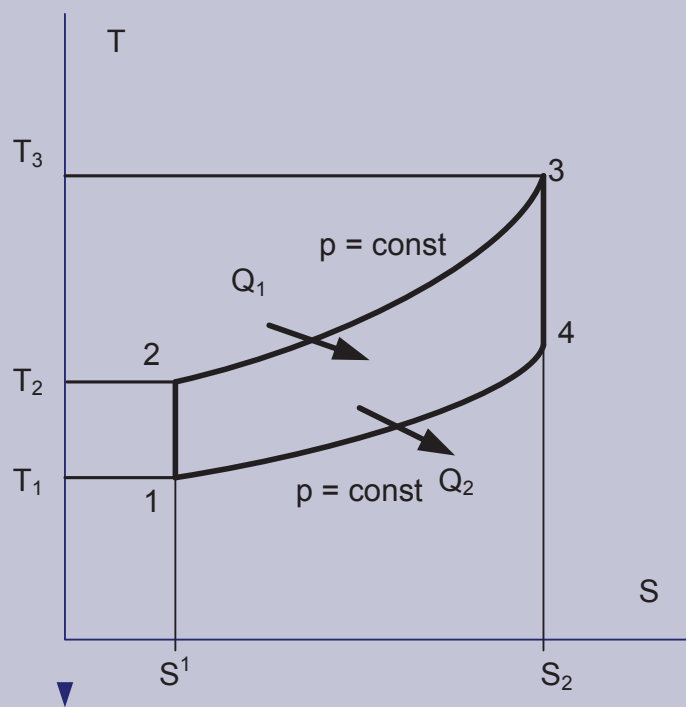


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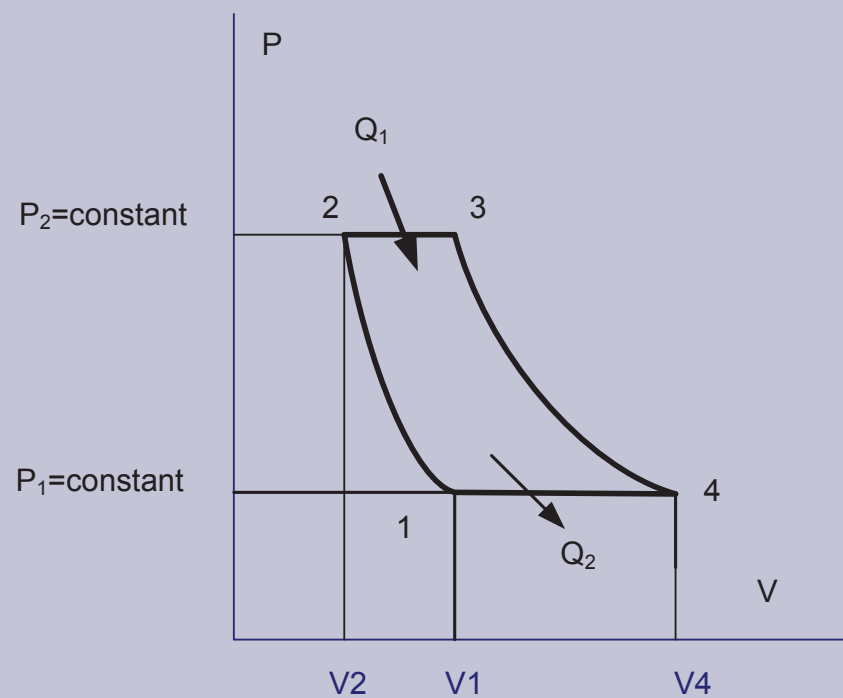
- Diesel engines are most built energy conversion machines after SI-engines
- Car industry builds about 20 million/a diesel cars and trucks (200000 MW/a)
- > 90 % market share in large ships
- Power plant orders are 30 000 MW/a



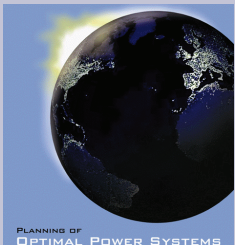
# Brayton Cycle



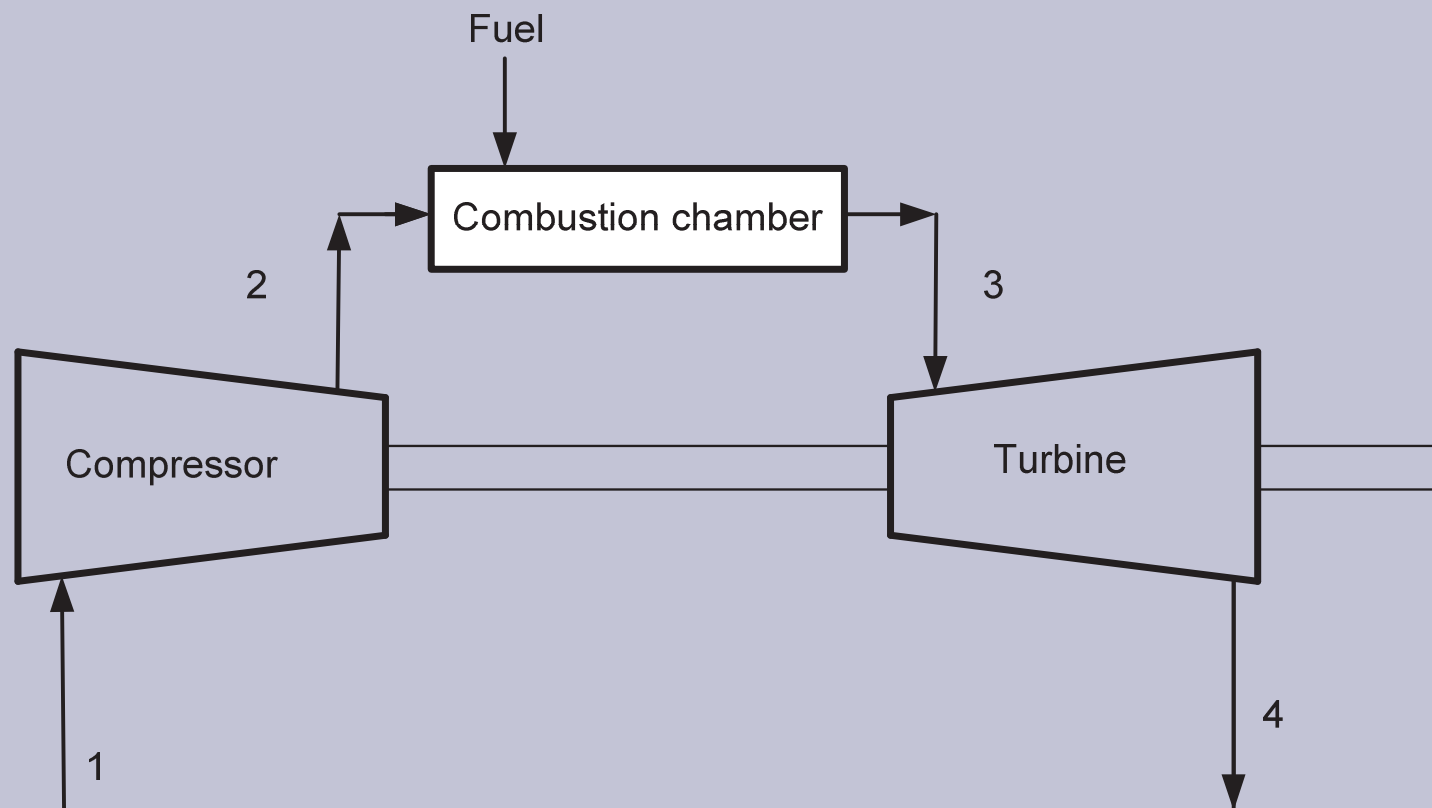
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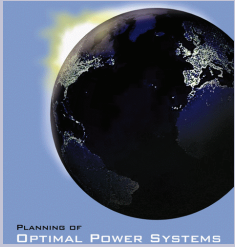


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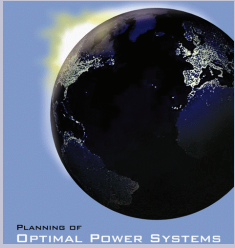




# Brayton Cycle

- Developed by Georg Brayton (1832 - 1890)
- Heat is added and discharged at constant pressure
- Applied in Gas Turbines (GT) (Combustion Turbines in US)





# Brayton Cycle, continued

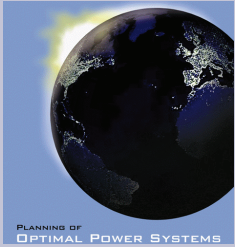
## Efficiency

$$\eta = 1 - 1/r_p^{(k-1)/k}$$

where

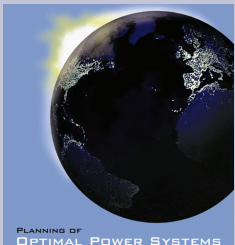
$r_p$  = compressor pressure ratio =  $p_2/p_1$

$k$  = gas constant

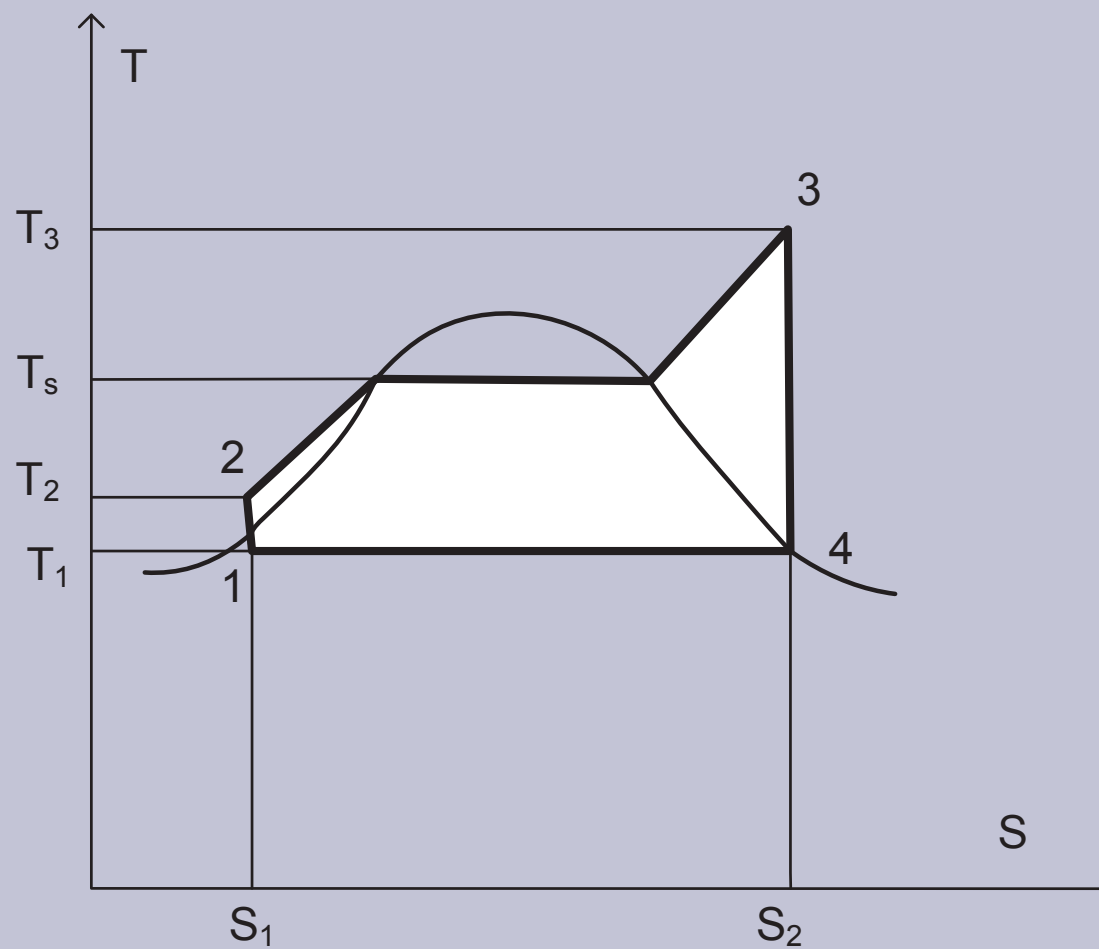


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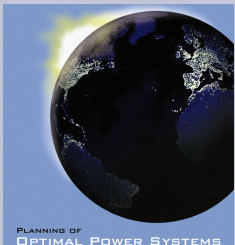
- Gas turbines are number three power conversion machines after SI- and CI-engines
- > 90 % market share in large airplanes
- Power plant orders are 40 000 MW/a



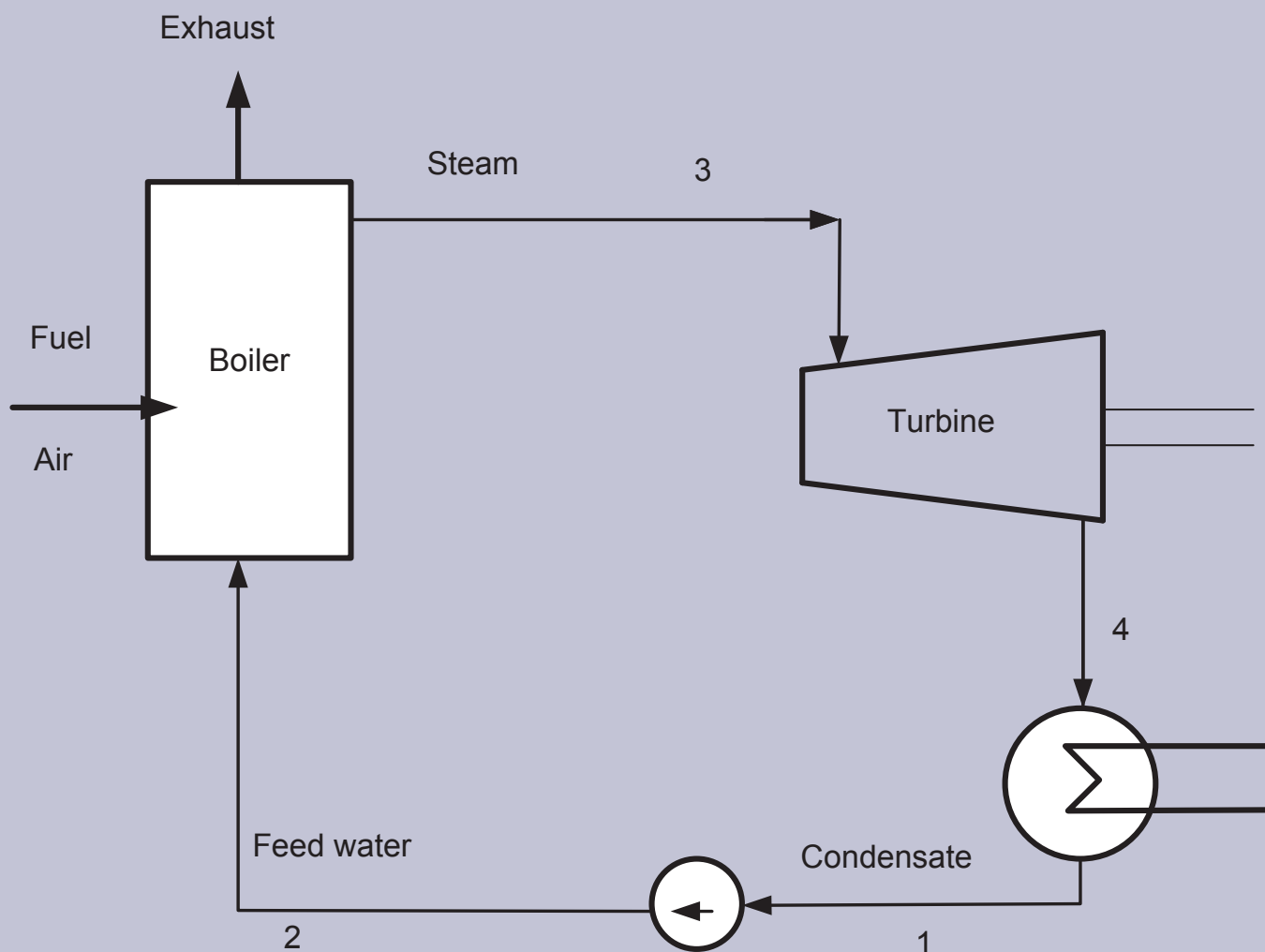
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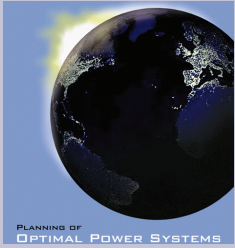


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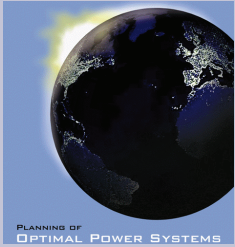
# Rankine Cycle, continued





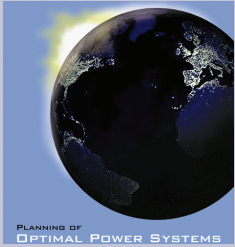
# Rankine Cycle, continued

- Scottish engineer William Rankine (1820-1872) developed a theory of steam cycles
- Heat is added in a water boiler, where the water becomes steam
- Steam is fed to a steam turbine, which generates mechanical energy
- After turbine the steam becomes water again in a condenser



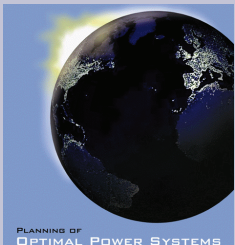
# Rankine cycle, continued

- The efficiency varies from 20 % in small subcritical steam turbines to 45 % in large double reheat supercritical steam turbines
- The rankine cycle is ideal for solid fuel (coal, wood) power plants



# Rankine cycle, continued

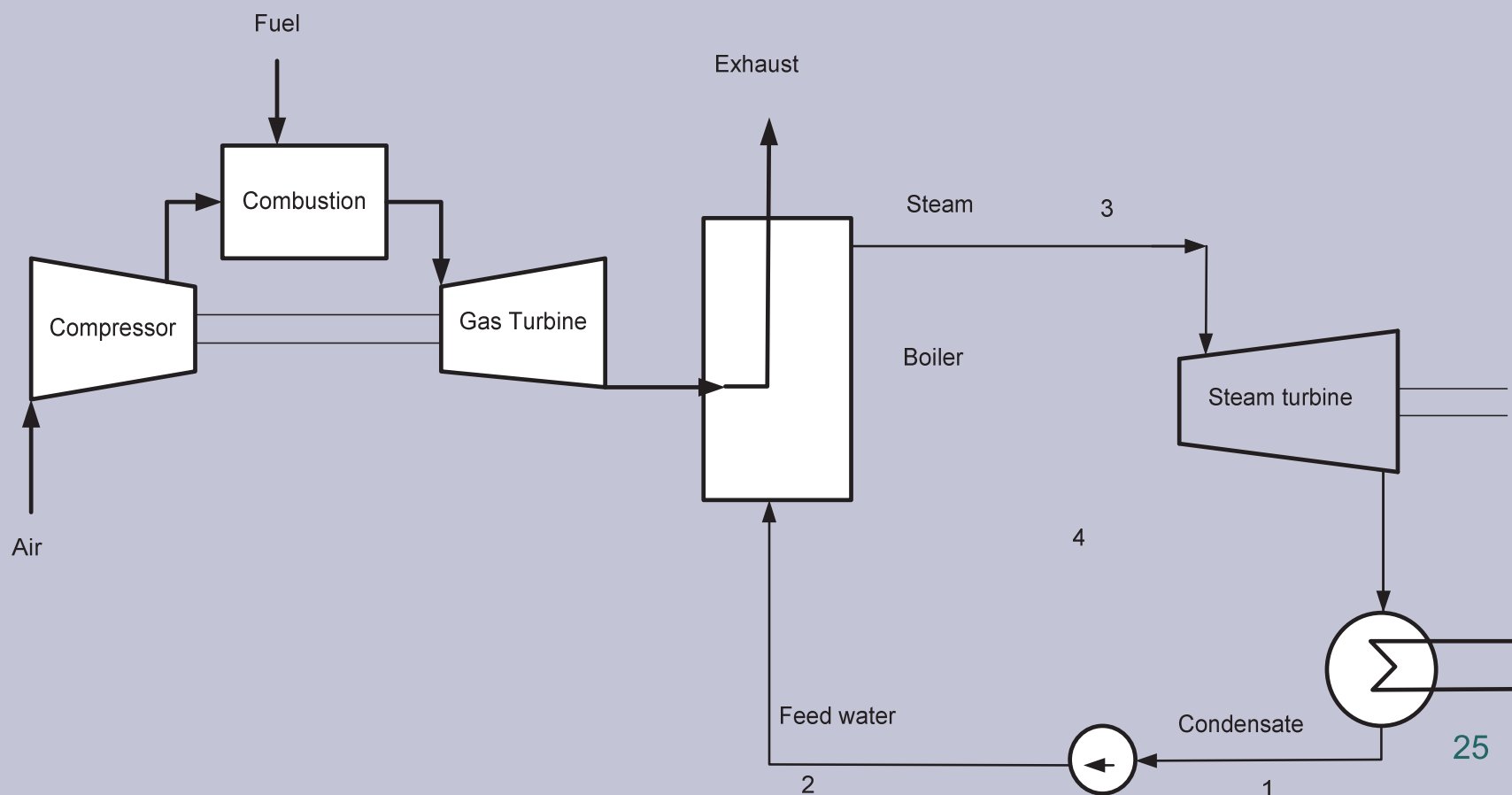
- Steam turbines are most sold machines for power plants as measured in output (100 000 MW/a)
- They are used in coal fired, nuclear and combined cycle power plants
- Coal and nuclear plants generate about 50 % of world electricity



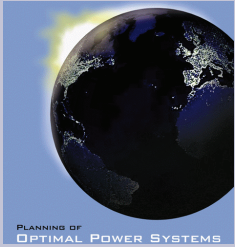
# Gas turbine combined cycle



## GAS TURBINE COMBINED CYCLE







# Gas Turbine Combined Cycle

- Combines a gas turbine (Brayton cycle) and steam turbine (Rankine Cycle)
- About 66 % of power is generated in gas turbine and 34 % in steam turbine
- Efficiency of GTCC plant is typically 1.5 times the efficiency of the single cycle gas turbine plant