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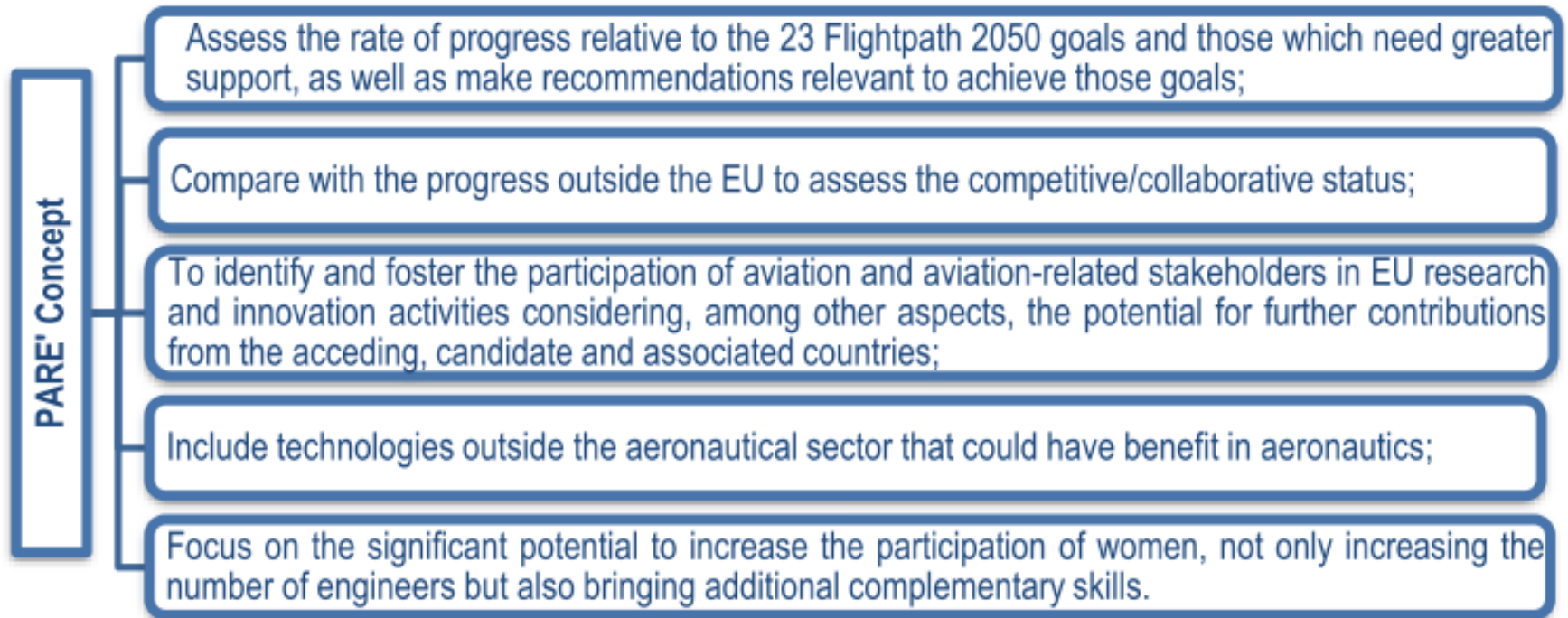
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Key challenges of a strategic research and innovation agenda *Flightpath 2050*



Comparison of long-term goals for environmental impact factors of aviation between ICAO Policy, EU and USA Research and Development agenda

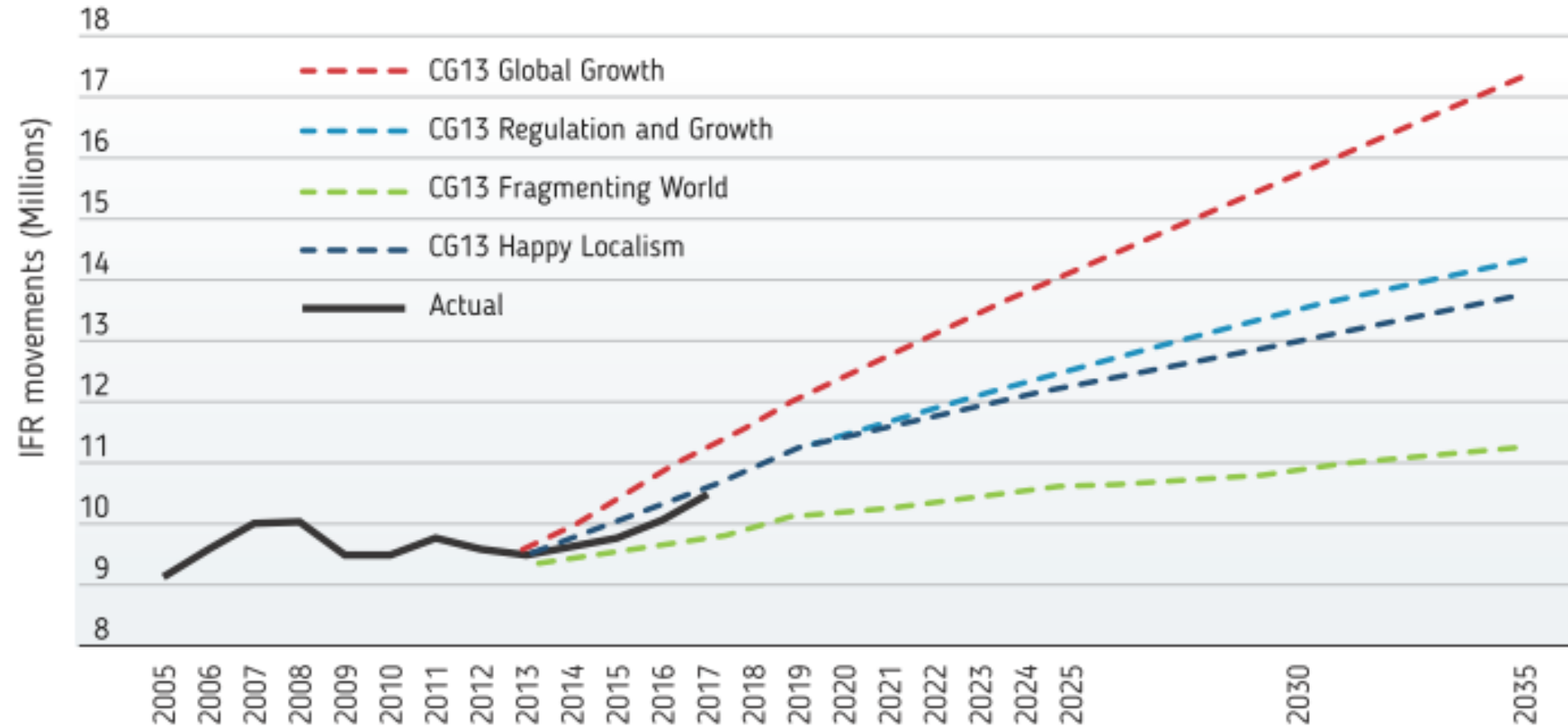
Environmental impact factor from aviation	ICAO Policy Goals (A39-Resolutions)	EU ACARE Goals 9 (FP2050 till 2050)	US FAA and NASA Goals (NSTC2010 and CLEEN II till 2035)
Noise	<i>Limit or reduce the number of people affected by significant aircraft noise</i>	perceived noise emission of flying aircraft <i>is reduced by 65%</i>	<i>52 dB reduction</i> relative to cumulative margin of ICAO/FAA Stage 4 noise limit (a 25-year goal, by enabling N+3 aircraft and engines)
NO _x emissions	<i>Limit or reduce the impact of aviation emissions on local air quality</i>	<i>90% reduction</i> in NO _x emissions	<i>80% reduction</i> in NO _x emissions (for cruise relative to 2005 best in class and for LTO relative to ICAO CAEP/6 standard)
Greenhouse gas emissions and fuel/energy consumption	<i>Limit or reduce the impact of aviation greenhouse gas emissions on the global climate: a reduction in net aviation CO₂ emissions of 50% by 2050, relative to 2005 levels</i>	<i>75% reduction in CO₂ emissions</i> per passenger kilometre	<i>60% reduction in Aircraft Fuel/Energy Consumption</i> (CO ₂ emissions per passenger kilometre?) relative to 2000 best in class

The goals and action areas for *Challenge 3* of the ACARE perspectives



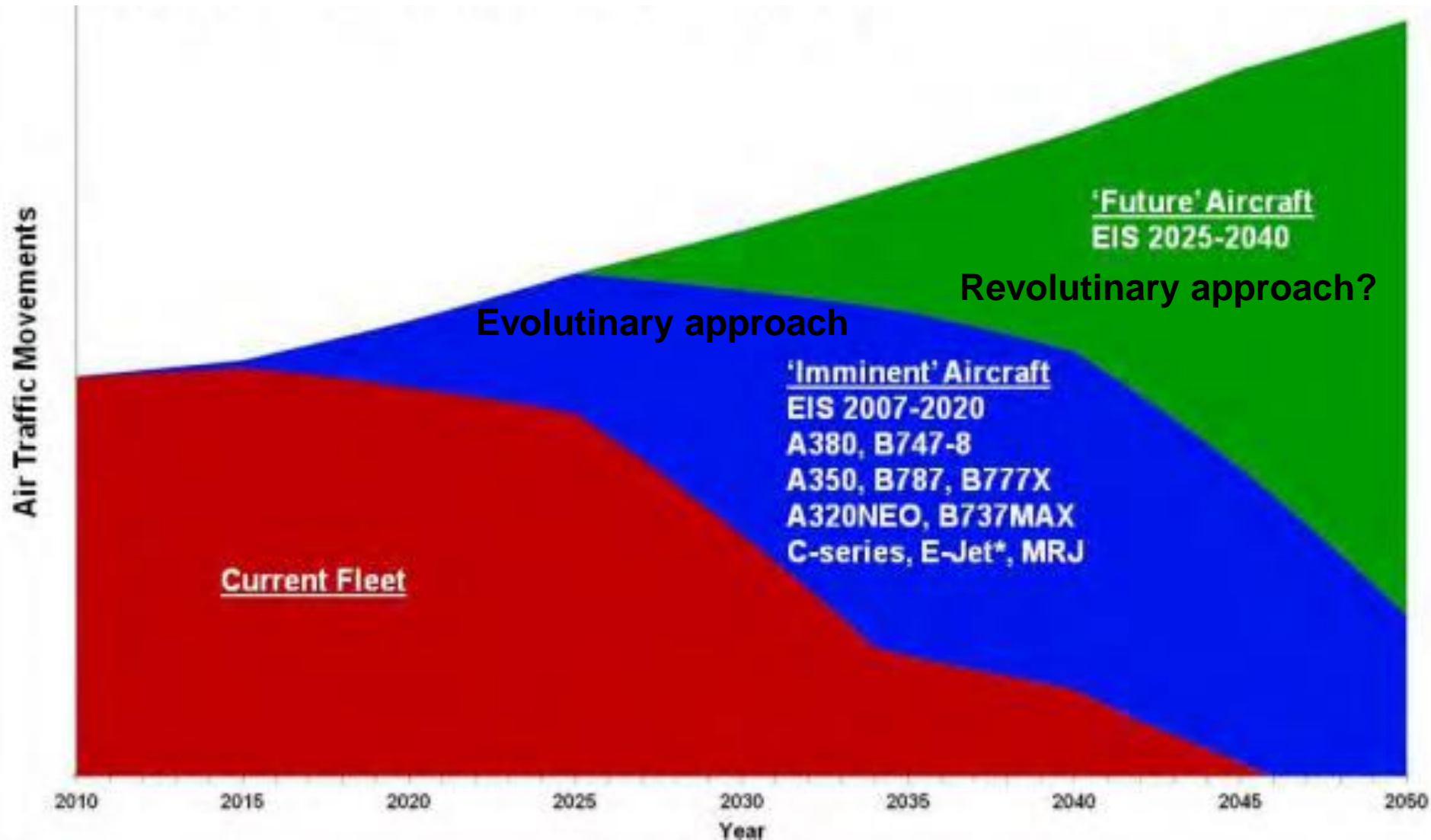
In principle for **Goal 9** the **vehicle design improvements** are considered mostly (plus biofuels)

Flight traffic scenario in EU till 2050 (Eurocontrol 2018 analysis)

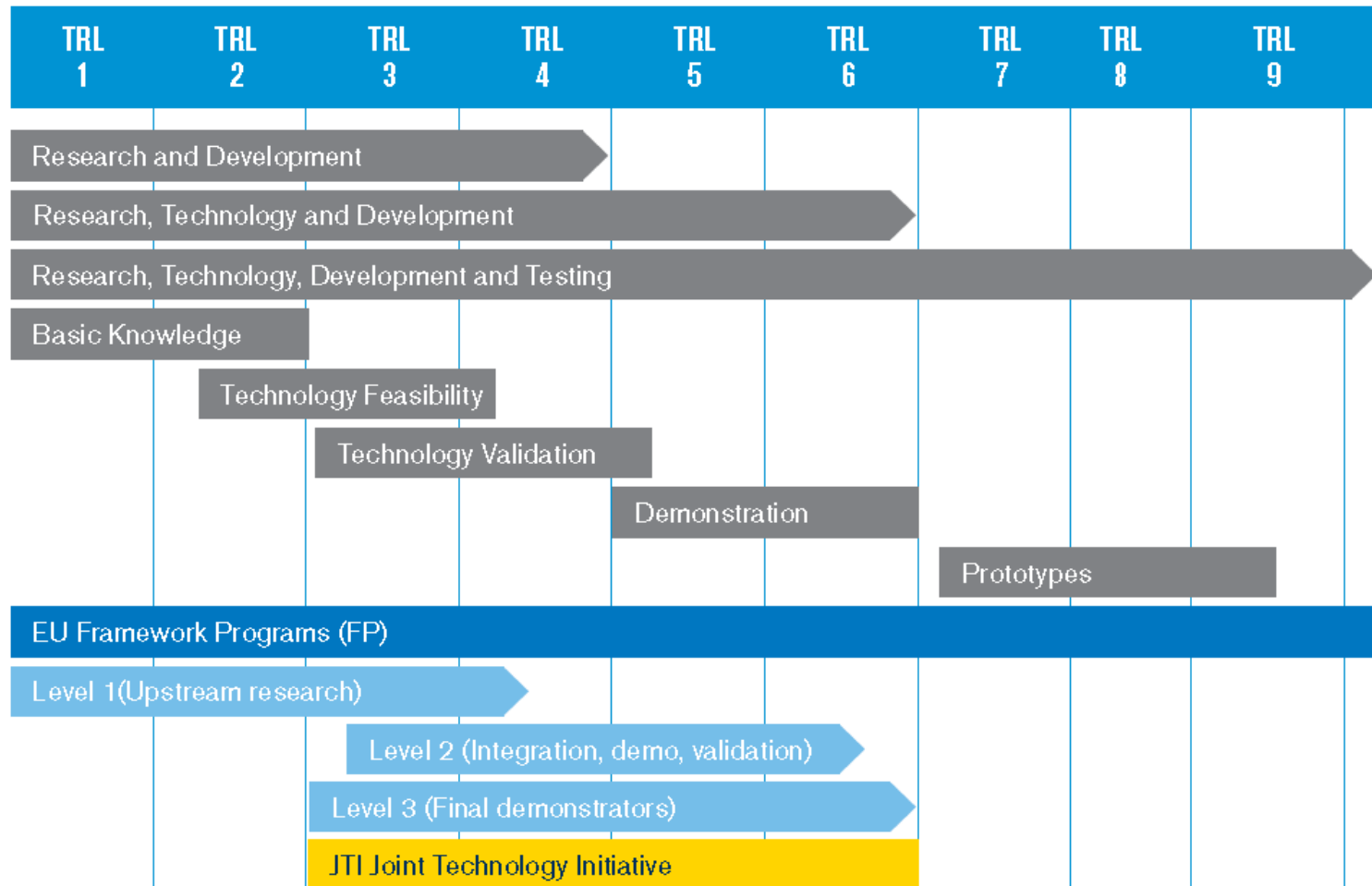


- In 2017, strong growth saw traffic back on the most-likely scenario from the 2013 forecast of Eurocontrol

Predictions of fleet transition from current aircraft to imminent/future aircraft 2010-2050



The EU Framework Program, with its three levels and the intended research objective

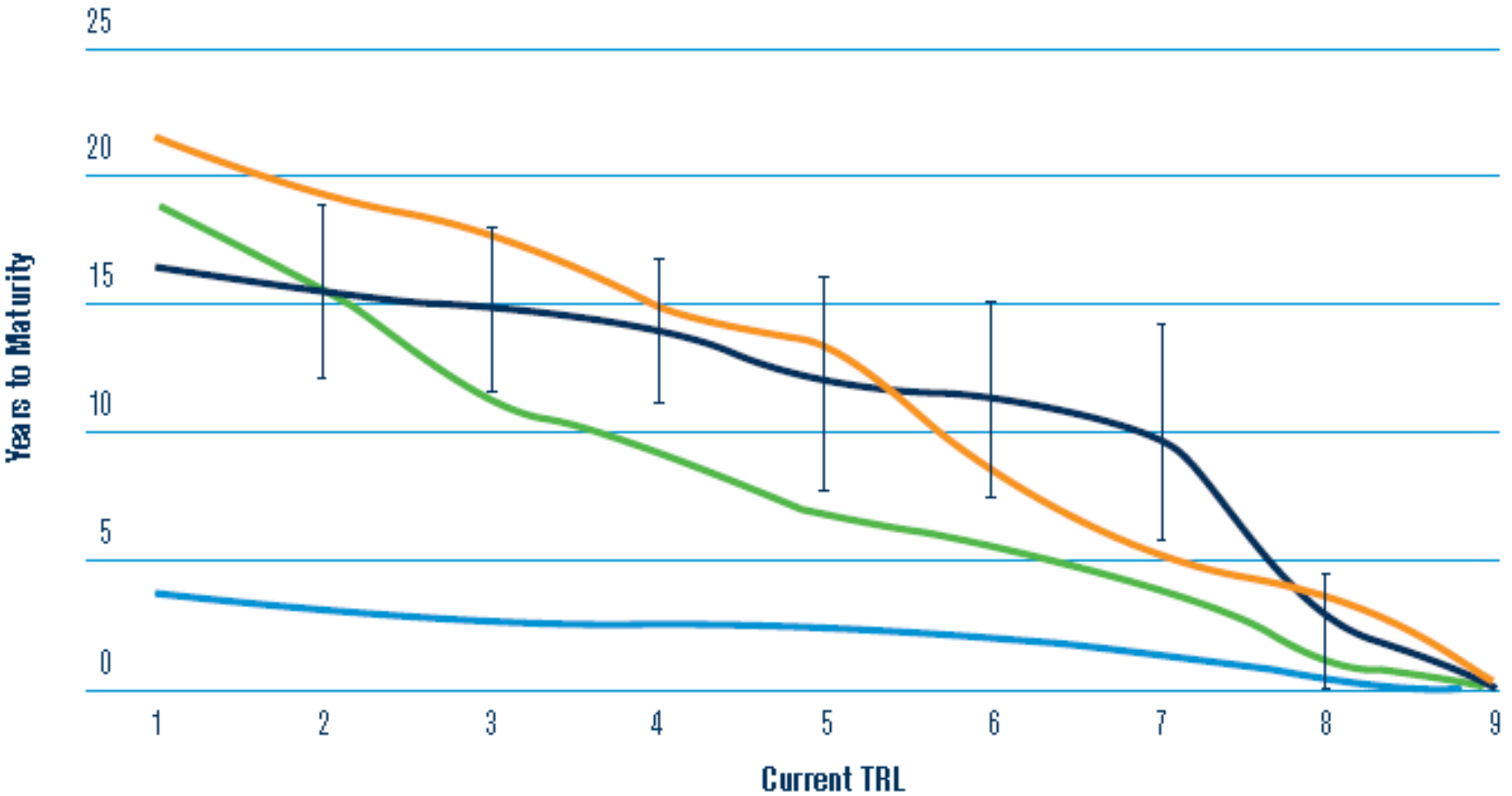


- TRL scale was introduced into the EU funded projects arena in 2014 as part of the Horizon 2020 framework program

Maturation Timeline for Technology

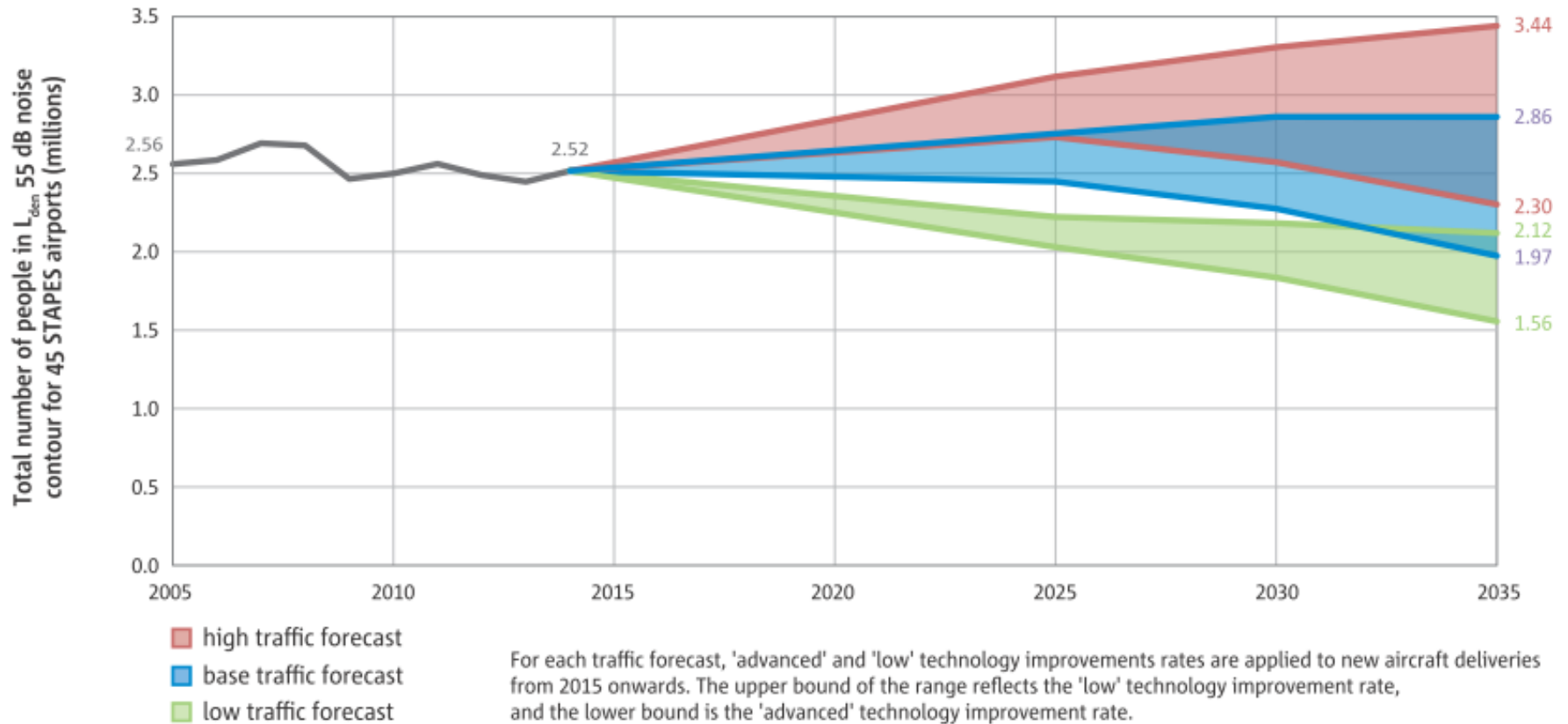
Readiness Level

- airframe technologies
- engine technologies
- flight control (aircraft based)
- flight control (ground based)



[IATA Technology Roadmap, 4th Edition, June 2013, IATA Technology Roadmap, 4th Edition, June 2013]

Future technology improvements could stabilize overall aircraft noise exposure in the 2035 timeframe

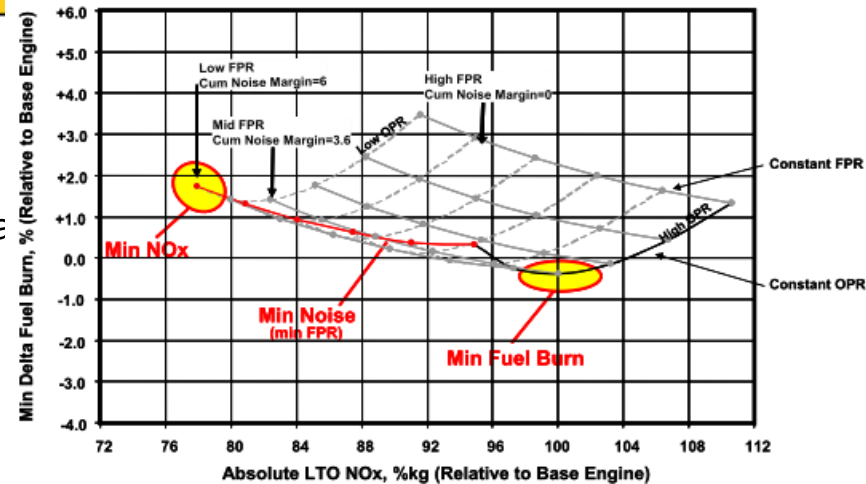
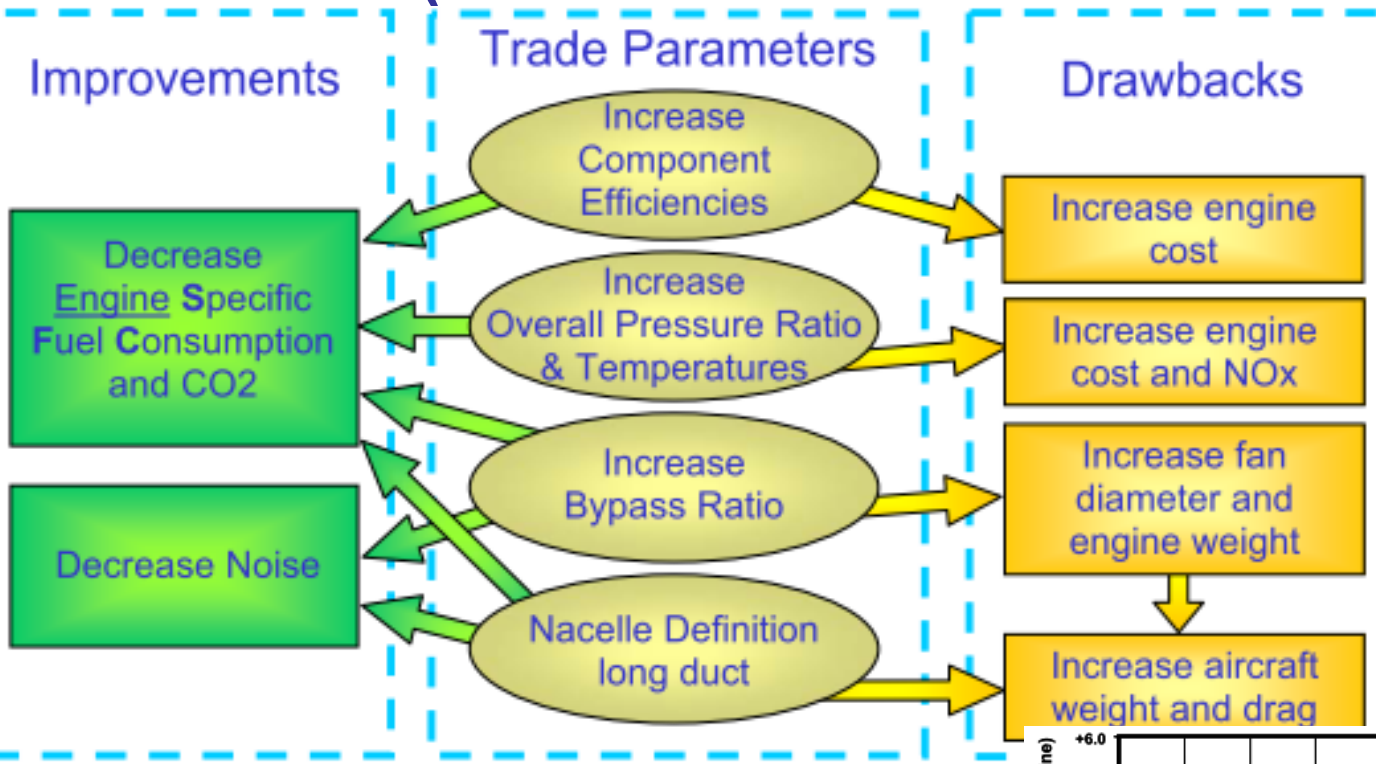


CAEP IEP2 Aircraft Noise Goals for short-medium (2020) and long (2030) term

Aircraft type	Reference		Mid Term Goal (2020) TRL6			Long term goal (2030) TRL6		
	cumulative margin (EPNdB) v chapter 4	Bypass ratio	cumulative margin (EPNdB) v chapter 4	reduction EPNdB: Total (BPR,NRT)	Bypass ratio	cumulative margin (EPNdB) v chapter 4	reduction EPNdB: Total (BPR,NRT)	Bypass ratio
Regional jet	4	5.0	14	10.0 (6.0 ,4.0)	7 ± 1	21.5±4.0	17.5 (12.0, 5.5)	9 ± 1
Small-medium range (turbofan)	5	5.0	22.5	17.5(12.0, 5.5)	9 ± 1	30.0 ±4.0	25.0(18.0 , 7.0)	13 ± 1
Small-medium range (CROR)	5	-	-	-	-	7.5 → 15.5	8.5	-
Long range twin (Turbofan)	6	6.0	22	16.0 (10.5, 5.5)	10 ± 1	28.0 ±4.0	22.0 (15.0, 7.0)	13 ± 1
Long range quad (Turbofan)	5	5.0	22.5	17.5 (12.0, 5.5)	9 ± 1	27.0 ±4.0	22.0 (15.0, 7.0)	11 ± 1

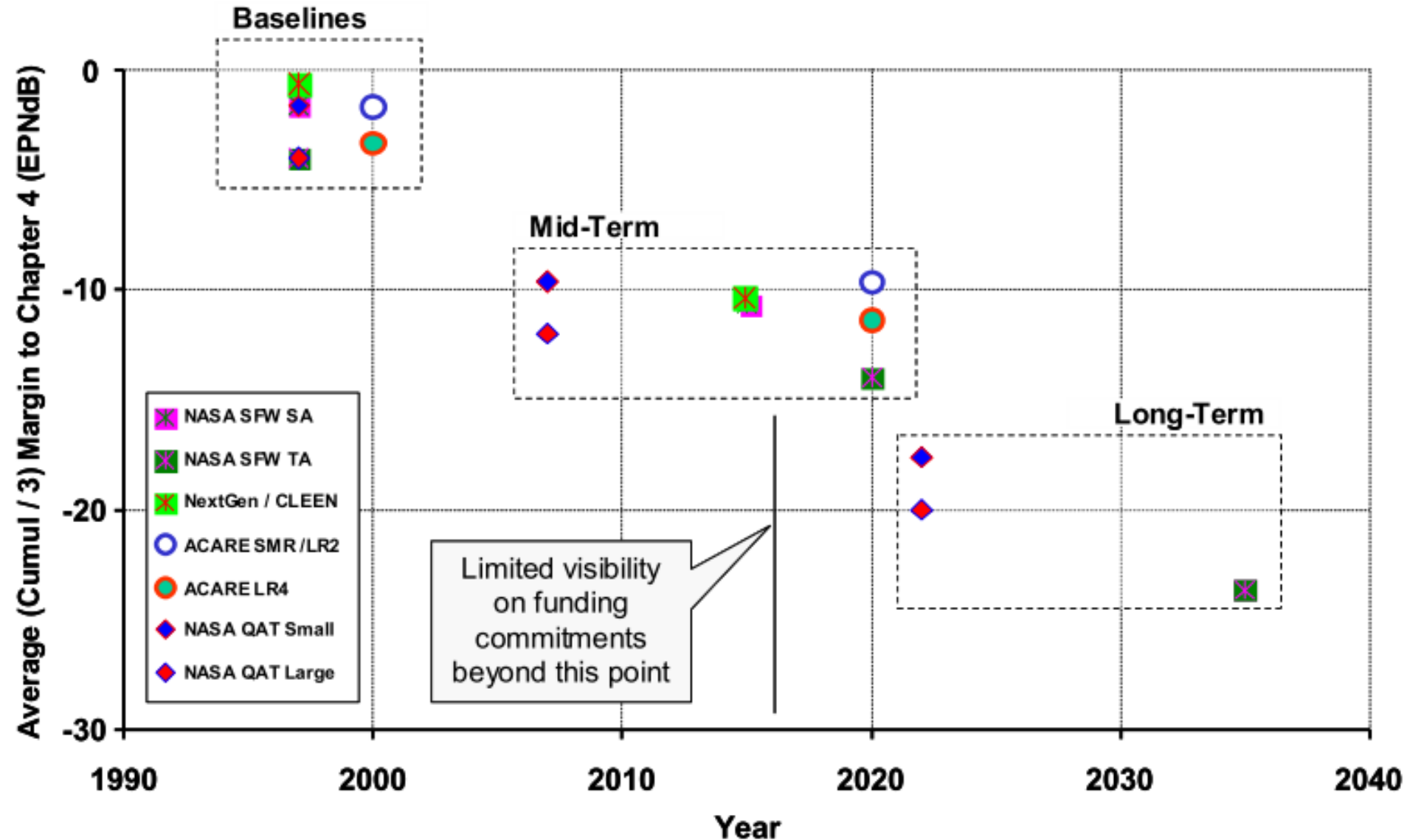
- The CAEP Panel had previously concluded that the two primary paths to aircraft noise reduction were increasing Bypass Ratio (BPR) of the propulsion system cycle, and component noise reduction technologies (NRT).

BPR beyond the demonstrated level of 9 (Environmental trade-offs)



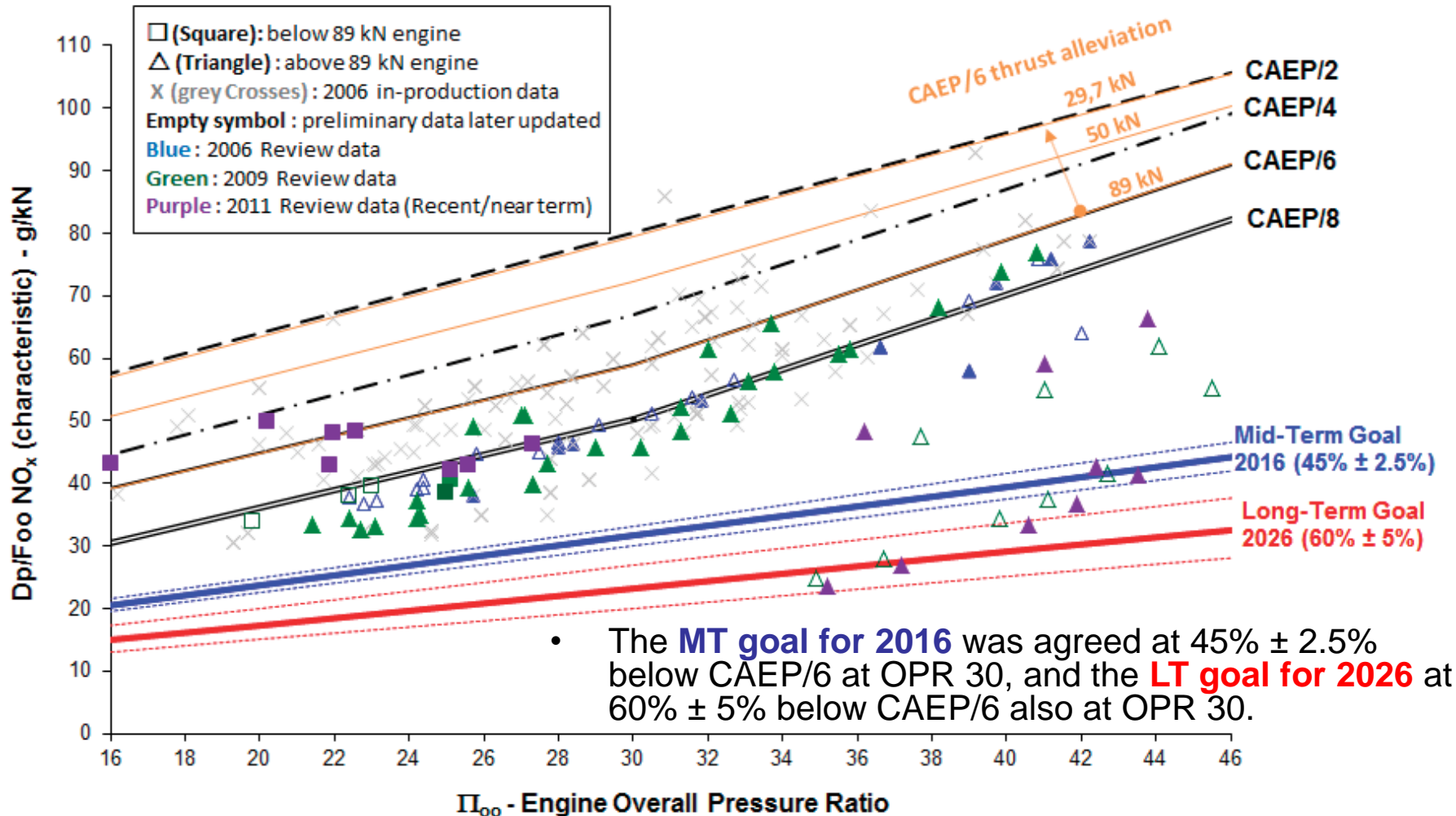
- Nacelle weight and drag as fan diameter increases
- Engine-out drag and consequent effect on tail control surface
- Landing gear length for nacelle ground clearance
- Core size limitations and auxiliary bleed requirements
- Fan stall and stability control during extreme shifts in operating line from sea level to cruise.

Comparison of US and EU research goals

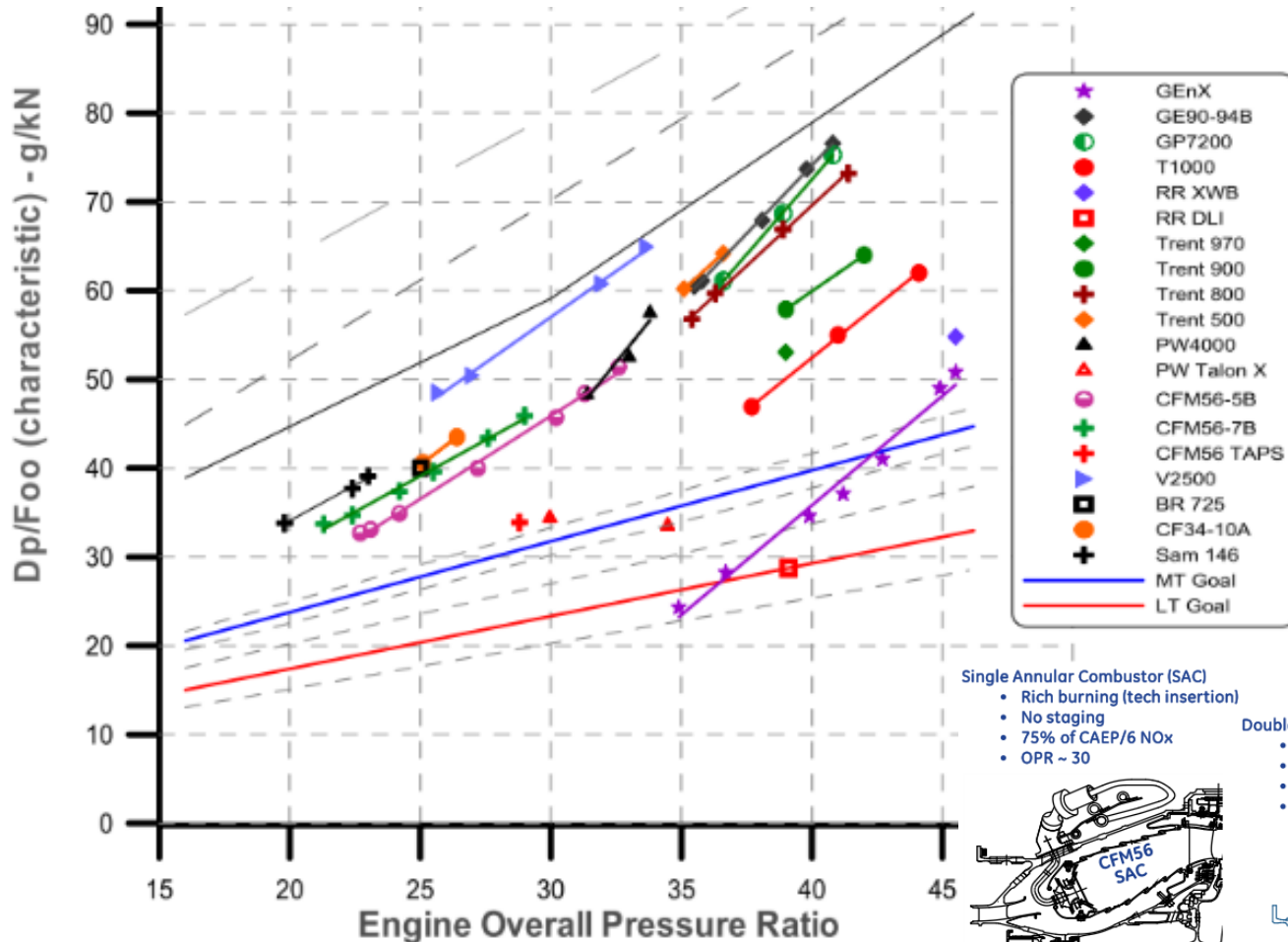


NO_x: ICAO certification standards via the 2016 MT & 2026 LT goals

Recent/Near Term Engine, Previous Review
and 2006 In-Production Certification Data

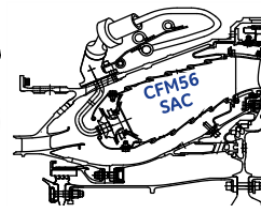


2009 Review data with RQL (rich-quench-lean concept) combustors in grey and new mid-OPR engines.

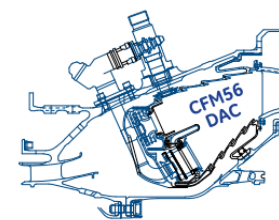


Generation staged DLI

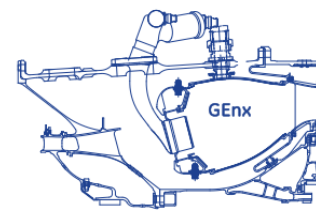
- Single Annular Combustor (SAC)
- Rich burning (tech insertion)
 - No staging
 - 75% of CAEP/6 NOx
 - OPR ~ 30



- Double Annular Combustor (DAC)
- Lean burning
 - Radial & circumferential staging
 - 65% of CAEP/6 NOx
 - OPR ~ 30



- Twin Annular Premixing Swirler (TAPS I)
- Lean burning
 - Staging within swirler
 - 50% of CAEP/6 NOx
 - OPR ~ 43



GE TAPS combustors

Lower
NOx

Single Annular Combustor (SAC)

- Rich burning (tech insertion)
- No staging
- 75% of CAEP/6 NOx
- OPR ~ 30

Double Annular Combustor (DAC)

- Lean burning
- Radial & circumferential staging
- 65% of CAEP/6 NOx
- OPR ~ 30

Twin Annular Premixing Swirler (TAPS I)

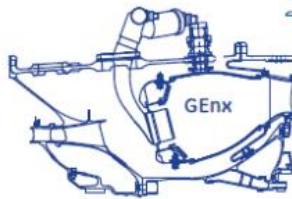
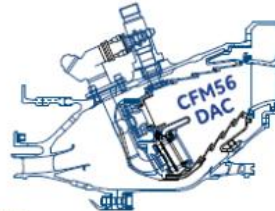
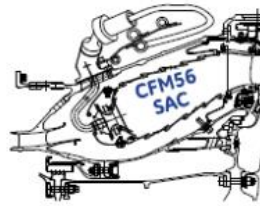
- Lean burning
- Staging within swirler
- 50% of CAEP/6 NOx
- OPR ~ 43

TAPS II (FAA CLEEN, NASA N+1)

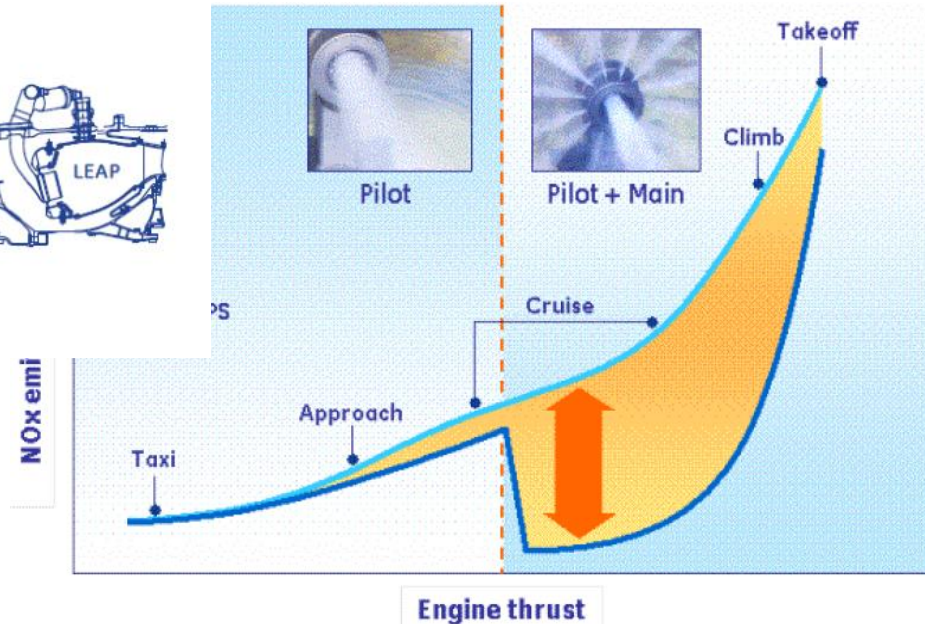
- Lean burning
- 40% of CAEP/6 NOx
- OPR ~ 40

NASA N+2 (TAPS)

- Lean burning
- 25% of CAEP/6 NOx
- 45+ OPR



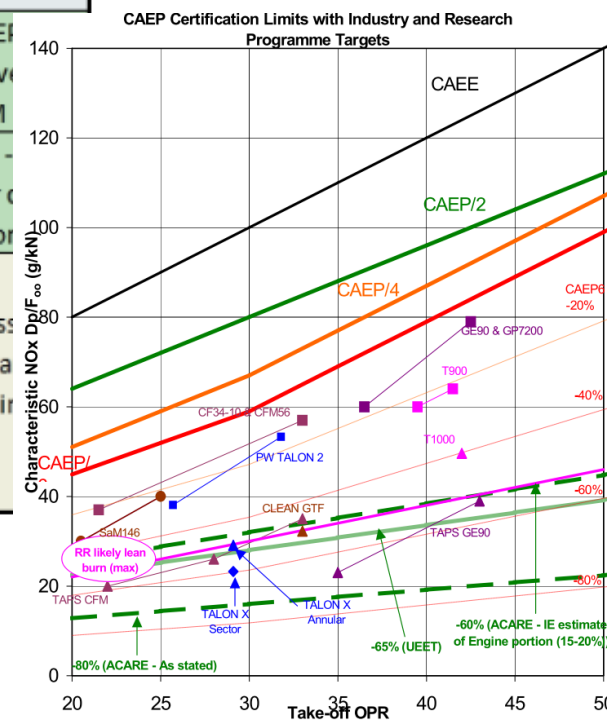
Scalable
technologies



- **Controlling temperature with Lean-Burn is key to minimizing NOx:** the TAPS combustor will provide even more significant reductions as shown in Figure during high altitude climb and cruise conditions, where approximately 90% of NOx emissions are emitted.

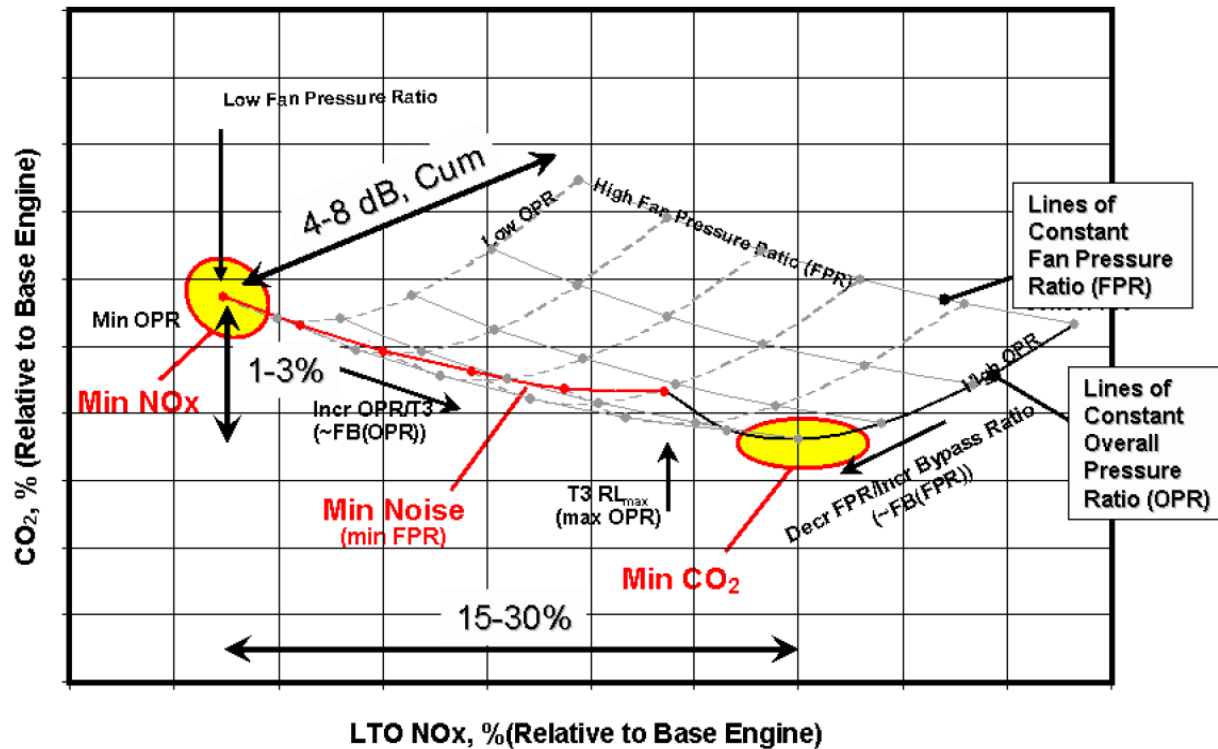
FORUM-AE assessment against ACARE emissions goals

	Reference 2000	ACARE 2020 Goals (at TRL6)		ACARE 2050 Goals (at TRL6)	
		High Level	detailed (SRA)	High Level	detailed (SRIA)
CO2	<i>Representative technology of aircraft & engine with 2000 EIS, & representative 2000 ATM</i>	"-50% per pass km"	aircraft: -20% to -25% engine: -15% to -20% ATM: -5% to -10%	"-75% per pass km"	aircraft & engine: -68% ATM: -12% Other: -12%
NOx (LTO)		"-80%"	engine: -60% CAEP6 ; complement achieved by aircraft + ATM	"-90%"	engine: -75% CAEP6 ; complement achieved by aircraft + ATM
NOx (Cruise)		"-80%"	Achieved through -50% Fuel Burn & -60% cruise EINOx reduction	"-90%"	Achieved through -50% Fuel Burn & further EINOx reduction
Other emissions		"damaging emissions reduced"	emissions qualitatively reduced (particles, CO, UHC) and better understanding of impacts	"emissions-free taxiing" + qualitative reduction	knowledge of emissions (particles, VOC) and better understanding of impacts



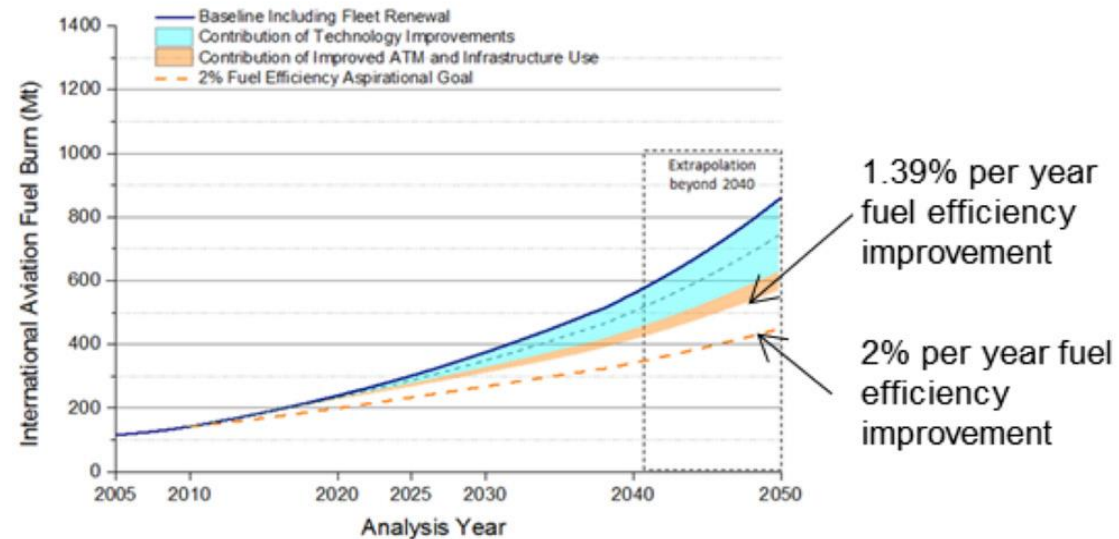
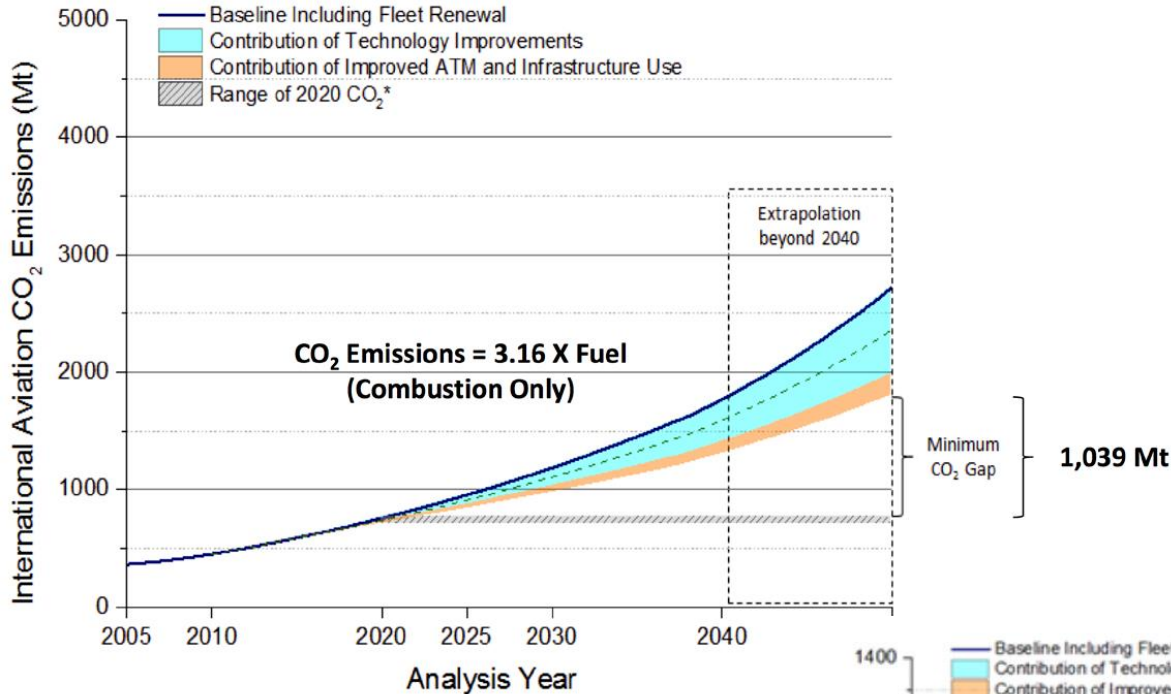
- It is important to recall that the ACARE objectives should be achieved through: a) aircraft technology, b) engine and combustion technology, c) ATM and flight optimisation.

Aero-engine optimisation trades for new engine design



- Figure demonstrates the trades driving new engine design with respect to optimum fuel burn (CO₂), minimum noise (by minimum fan pressure ratio FPR) and minimum NO_x (by minimum OPR). The difference in LTO NO_x levels between the best design for low NO_x and best design for low CO₂ can be up to 30%. Also, noise reduction obligations for new aircraft as introduced at some airports can lead to a divergence from the optimum engine design for lowest CO₂

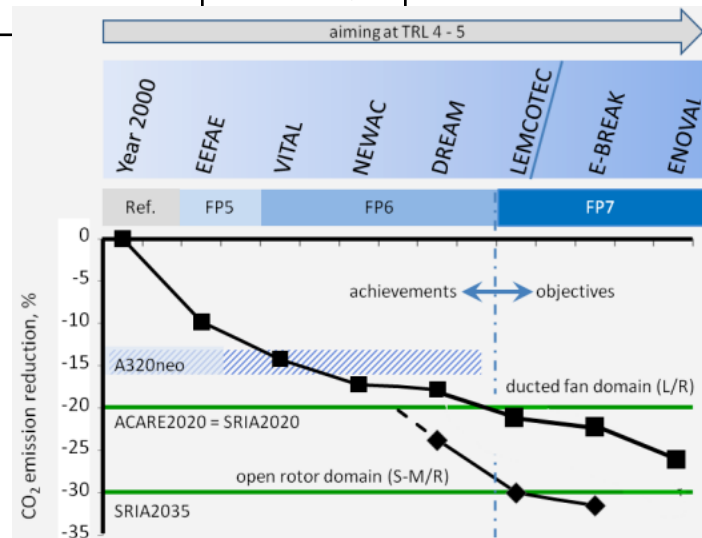
CO₂ & Fuel Burn Trends from International Aviation, 2005 to 2050



*Actual carbon neutral line is within this range
 Dashed line in technology contribution silver represents the "Low Aircraft Technology Scenario."
 Note: Results were modelled for 2005, 2006, 2010, 2020, 2025, 2030, and 2040 then extrapolated to 2050.

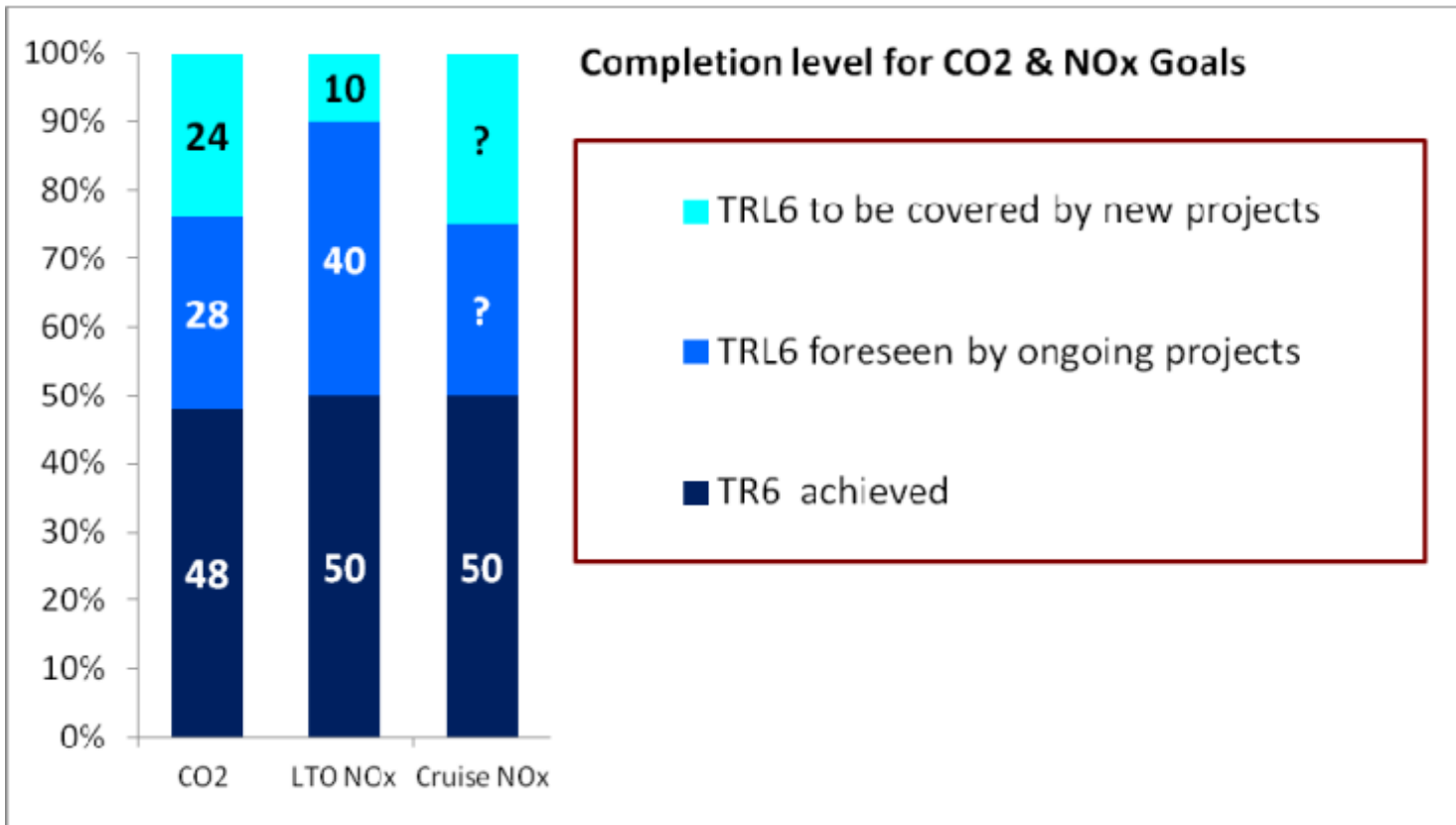
Clean Sky concept aircraft

Clean Sky concept aircraft	CO ₂
High Sweep bizjet aircraft, HSBJ 2020	-19%
Regional Turboprop aircraft, TP90 2020	-30%
Regional Geared Turbofan aircraft, GTF130 2020	-21%
Short-Medium Range aircraft (CROR engine), APL 2 2020	-34%
Long Range aircraft (Advanced Turbofan), APL3 2020	-18%
Twin Engine Heavy rotorcraft, TEH 2020	-22%

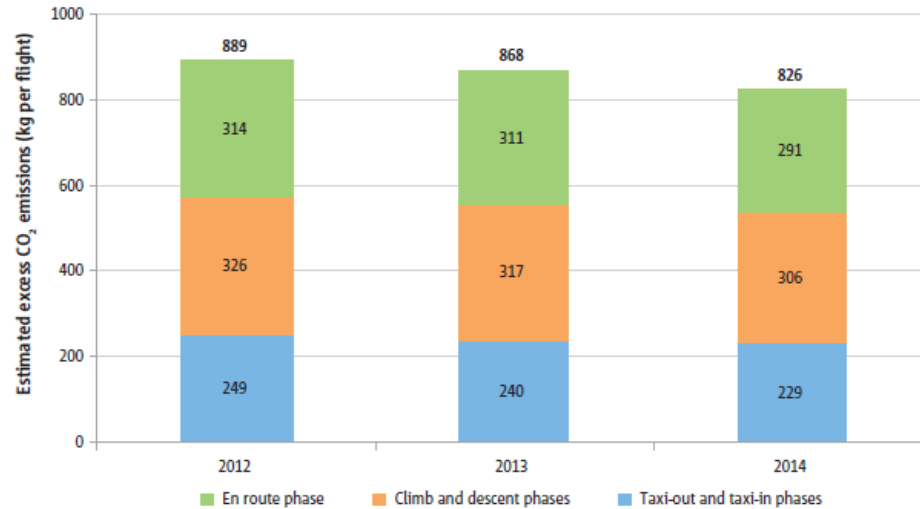


Clean Sky
Technology demonstration
aimed at TRL 6

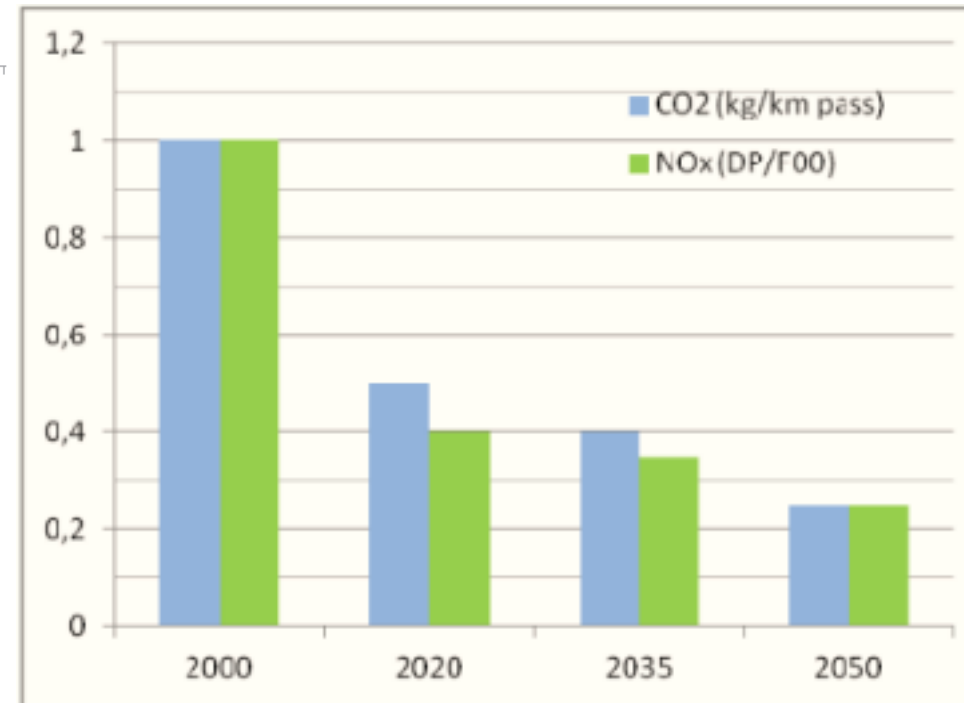
FORUM-AE 2015 assessment of progress towards ACARE 2020 goal



Aircraft CO₂ emissions reduction

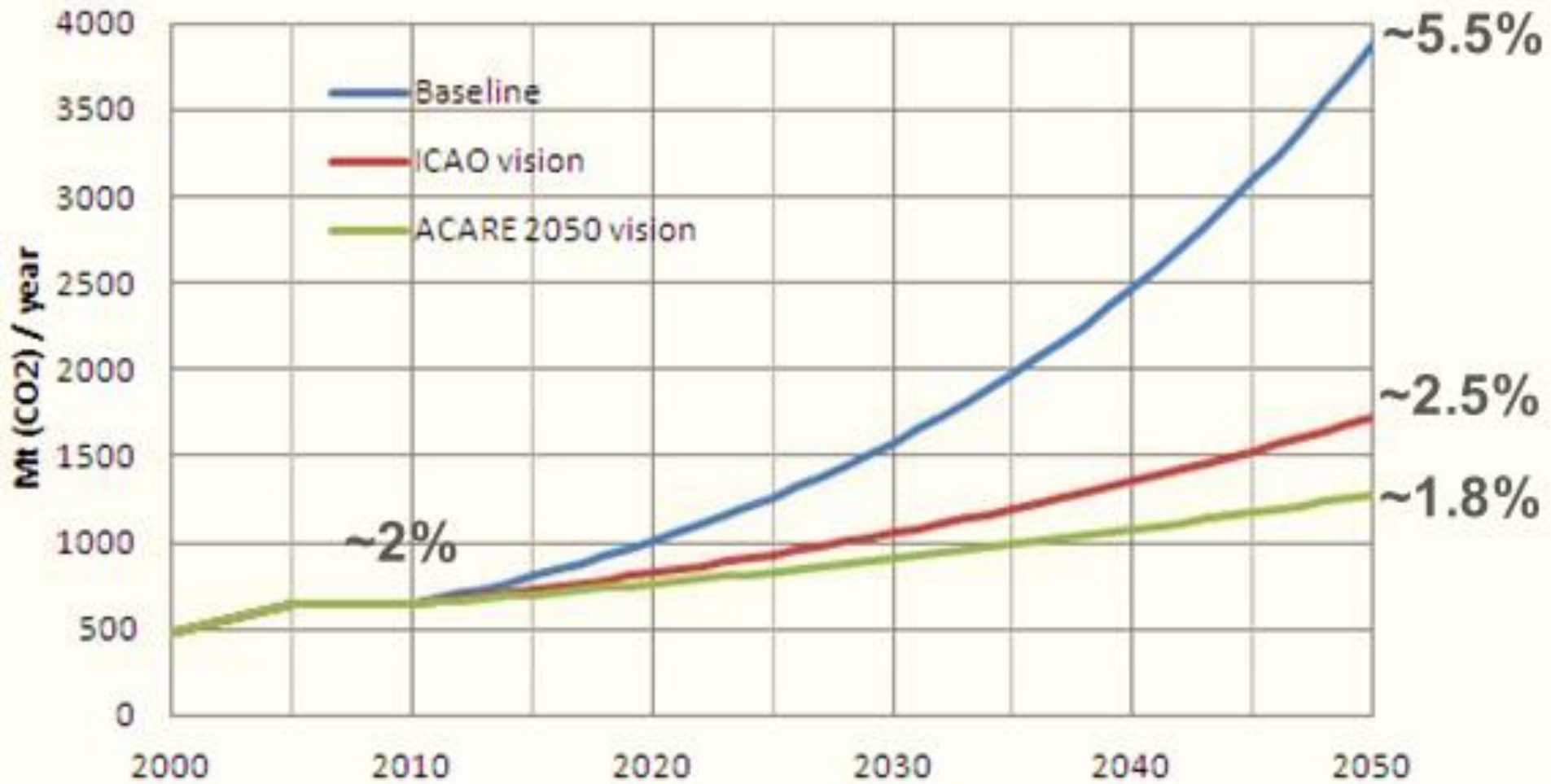


- Estimated excess CO₂ emissions per flight are decreasing in taxi, take-off, climb/descent and en route phases

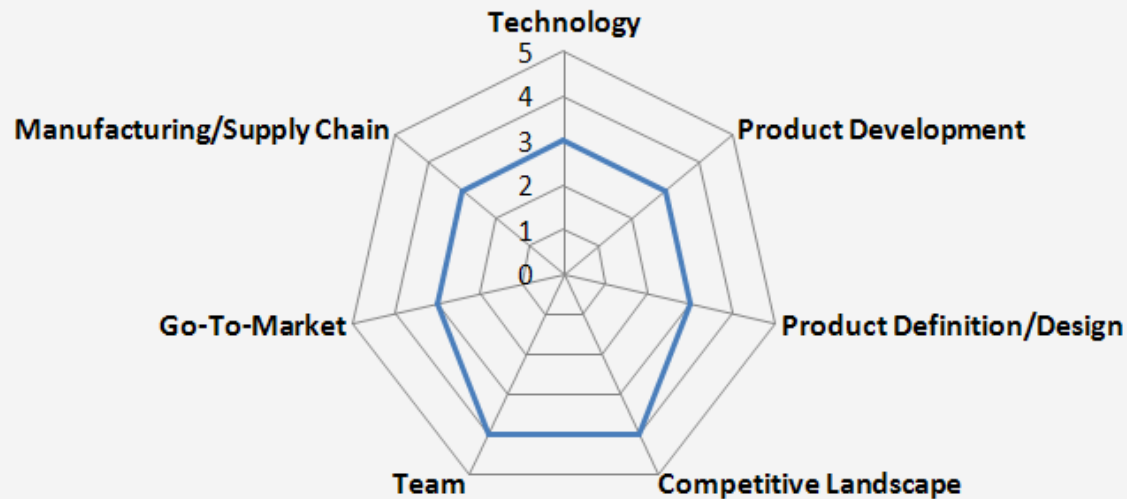


ACARE CO₂ & NO_x goals calendar (using CAEP6 margin for NO_x)

Global aviation CO₂ forecast with ACARE assumption



Preliminary TRL assessment for Goal 9 of Challenge 3



- NYSERDA (TRL/CRL) Calculator results for analysis and assessment of **ACARE Challenge 3 Goal 9** “Reduction of Noise and Emissions” (mid-term goals)

Preliminary recommendations from PARE project

- 9.1: Support a broad research effort to reduce aircraft noise (a) at the source (b) through operating procedures and (c) taking into account psychoacoustic effects
- 9.2: Besides struggling with short term solutions to an increasingly pressing noise problem a modest effort should be made towards a long-term definitive solution: aircraft in audible outside airport boundaries

Preliminary recommendations from PARE project

- 9.3: Formulate a set of trade-offs between (a) different types of emissions (CO₂, NO_x, particles and water vapor) in (b) local airports and global cruise flights.
- 9.4: Besides struggling with short-term emissions problems put a modest effort towards a long-term definitive solution: the hydrogen and electric powered aircraft.

Preliminary recommendations from PARE project

- 9.5. To renovate coordination efforts for all specific subjects of the dominant environmental problems:
 - **X-Noise**
 - **FORUM-AE**
 - **CORE jet fuel**
 - 9.6. PM-emission should be included in goals like NO_x and CO_2

