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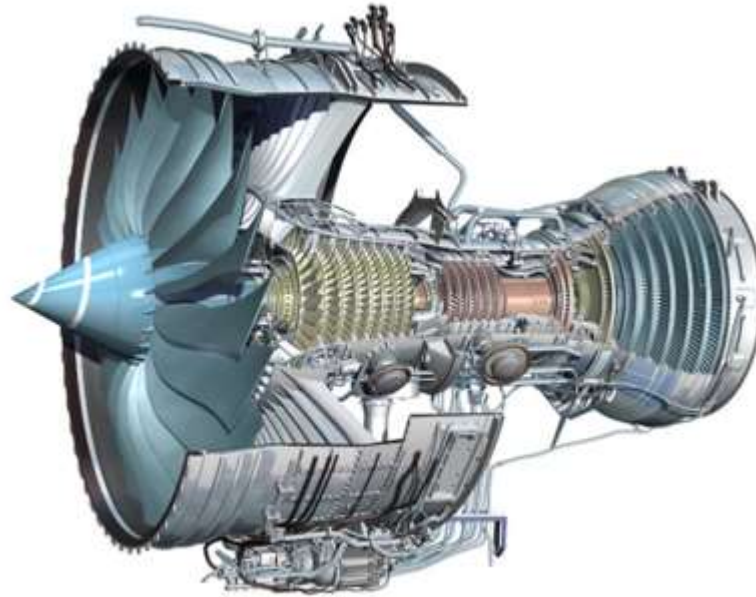


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The Rolls-Royce Trent Engine: Excellence from Technology

Frank Kirkland
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Sir Bernard Crossland & Rolls-Royce

- Bernard Crossland was born in London
- Started an Apprenticeship with Rolls-Royce in Derby in 1940
- Worked as a Technical Assistant in the Experimental Vibration Department leaving in 1945.

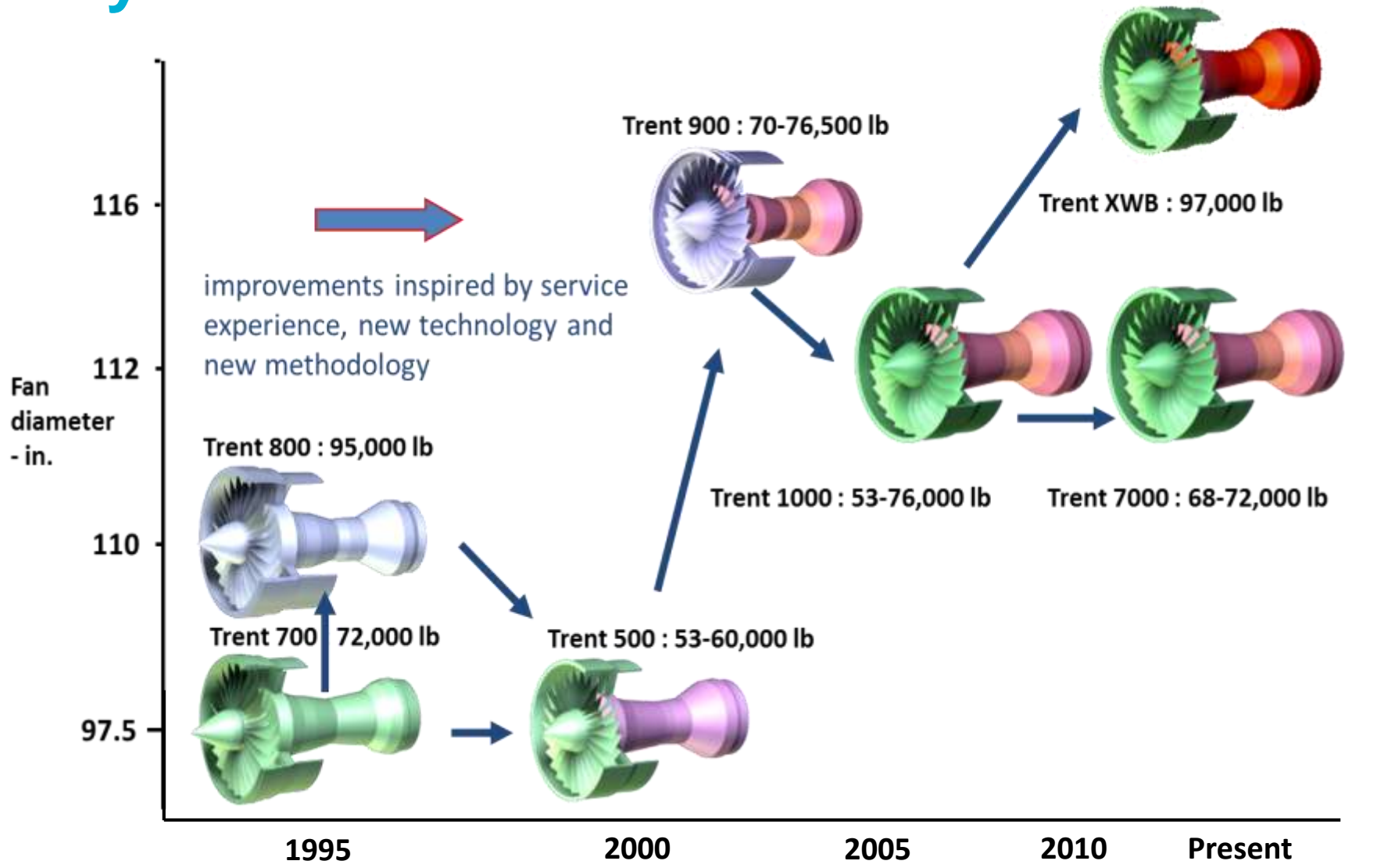


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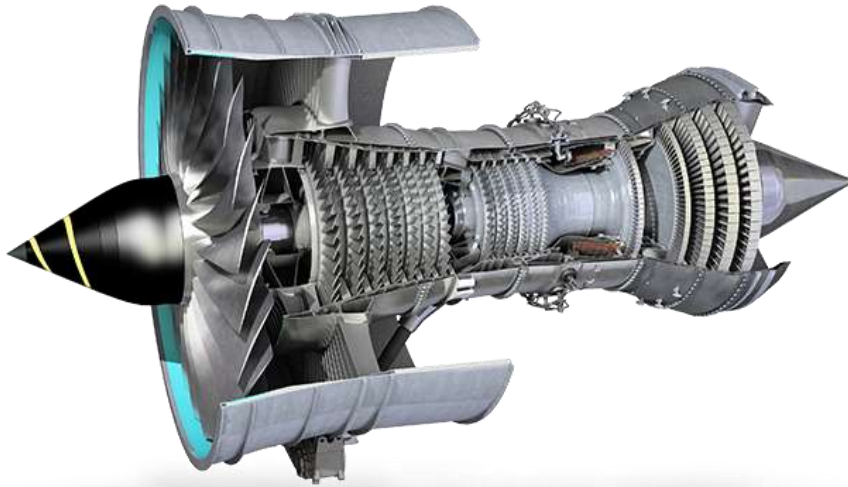


Key Dates



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-524



RB211-524G/H & T for the Boeing 747, 767

Entry into Service: 1989 (G)

2%



Lower fuel burn for the Boeing 747-400

40%



Lower NOx emissions from the Trent-style combustor

27,500 hrs+



On-wing, the first engine to ever achieve this

49m+

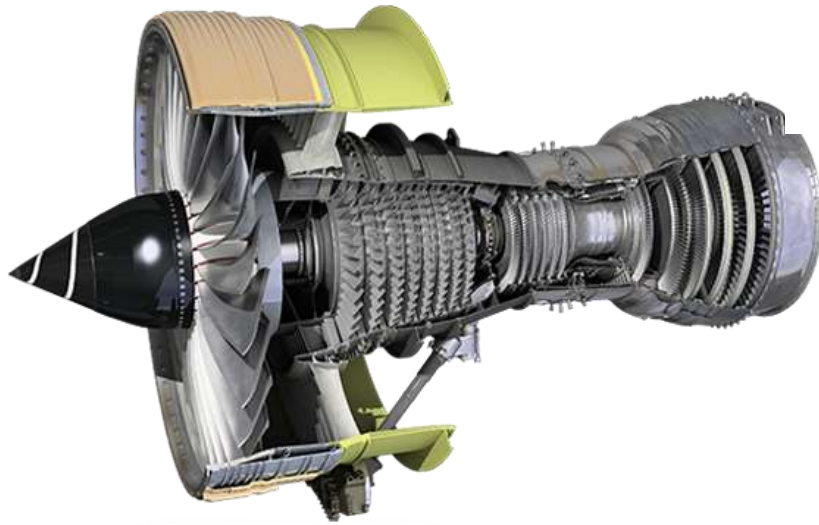


Flying hours, across 7 million flight cycles



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Trent 700



Trent 700 for the Airbus A330 family

Certified: Jan 1994

Entry into Service: Mar 1995

50 m hours

40,090

470,000



Hours on-wing
without a shop visit

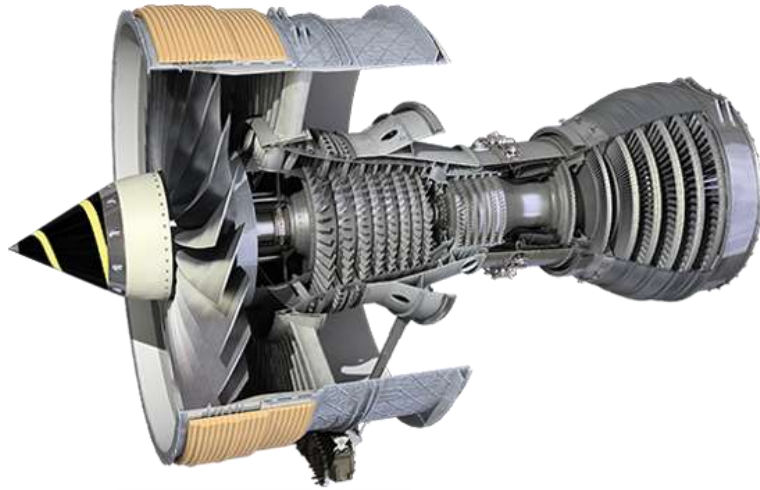


Service hours every
month



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Trent 800



Trent 800 for the Boeing 777 family

Certified: Jan 1995

Entry into Service: Mar 1996

27M



Flying hours

5M



Flying cycles of Trent 800 operation achieved

8,000



Pounds lighter than a Boeing 777 powered by heavier competing engines

\$200K

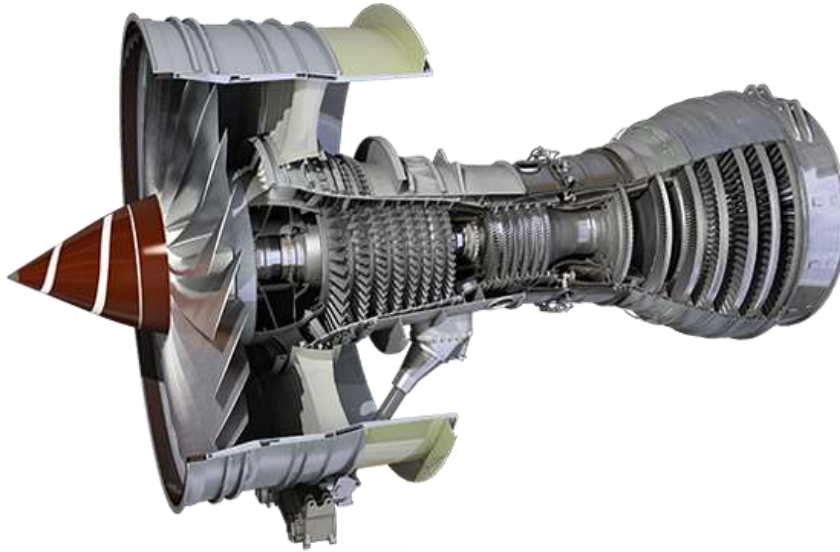


The possible fuel burn savings per aircraft per year from the Trent 800 EP package



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Trent 500



Trent 500 for the Airbus A340 family

Certified: Dec 2000

Entry into Service: Jul 2002

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Flying hours
(million)

60K 1b



certification;
providing longer
time on-wing

97.4"

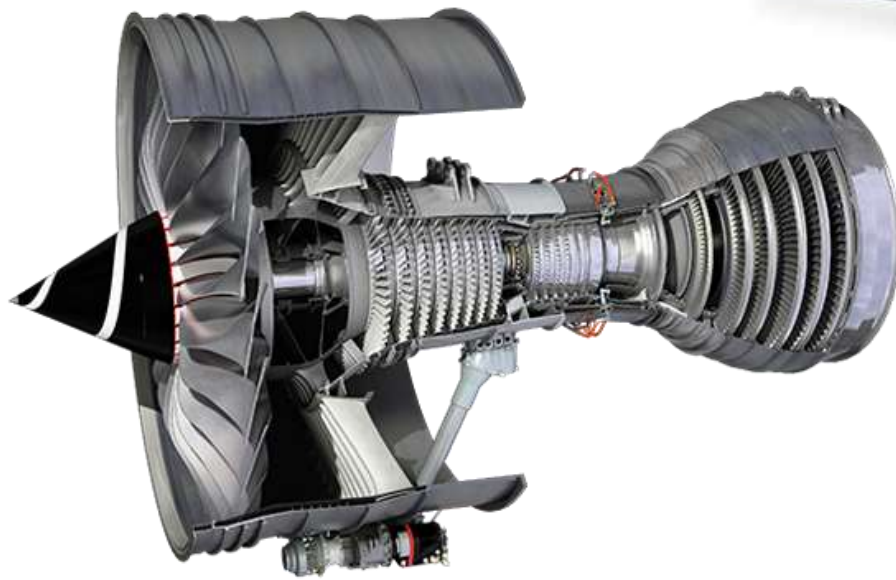


wide-chord fan
diameter



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Trent 900



Trent 900 for the Airbus A380

Certified: Oct 2004

Entry into Service: Oct 2007

1.6%



fuel burn improvements since EIS

116"

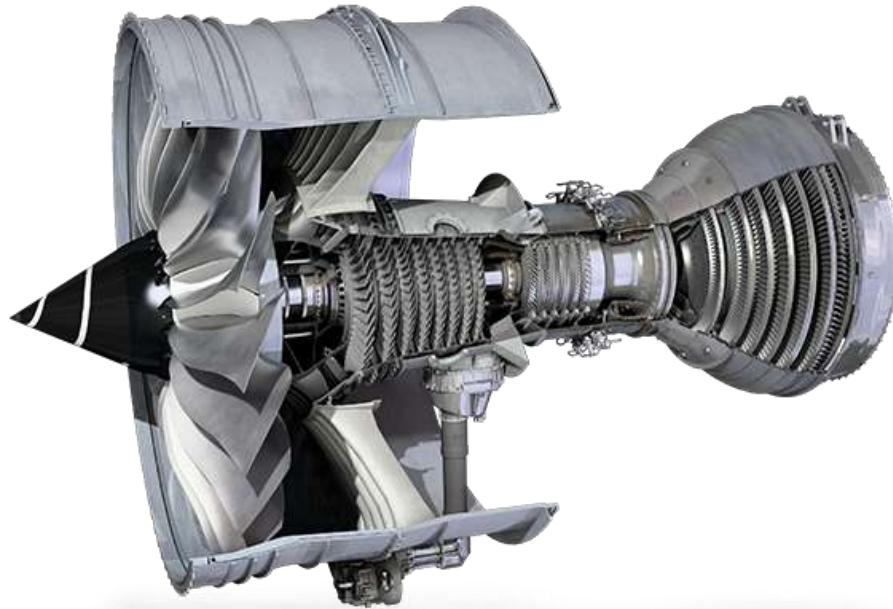


diameter of advanced swept fan



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Trent 1000



Trent 1000 for the Boeing 787 Dreamliner family

Certified: Aug 2007

Entry into Service: Oct 2011

10:1



The highest bypass ratio of any Trent engine

20%



More fuel efficient than the 767 that the Trent 1000-powered 787 replaces

99.9%

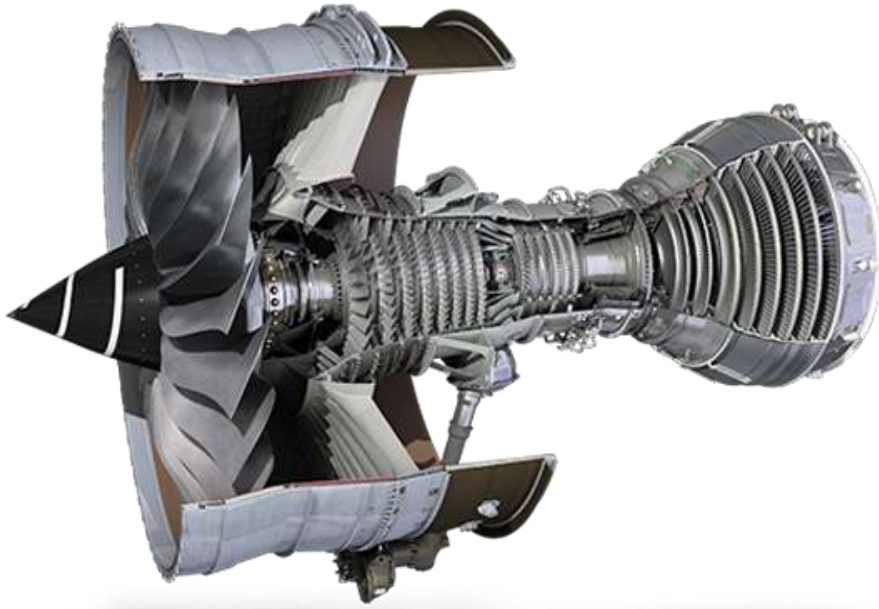


Dispatch reliability since EIS



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Trent XWB



Trent XWB for the Airbus A350 XWB family

Certified: Sep 14

Entry into Service: Jan 15

15%



Fuel Consumption advantage over the original Trent engine

1600+



Trent XWB engines on order worldwide

\$2.9M



Savings per year per aircraft on fuel alone

50,000

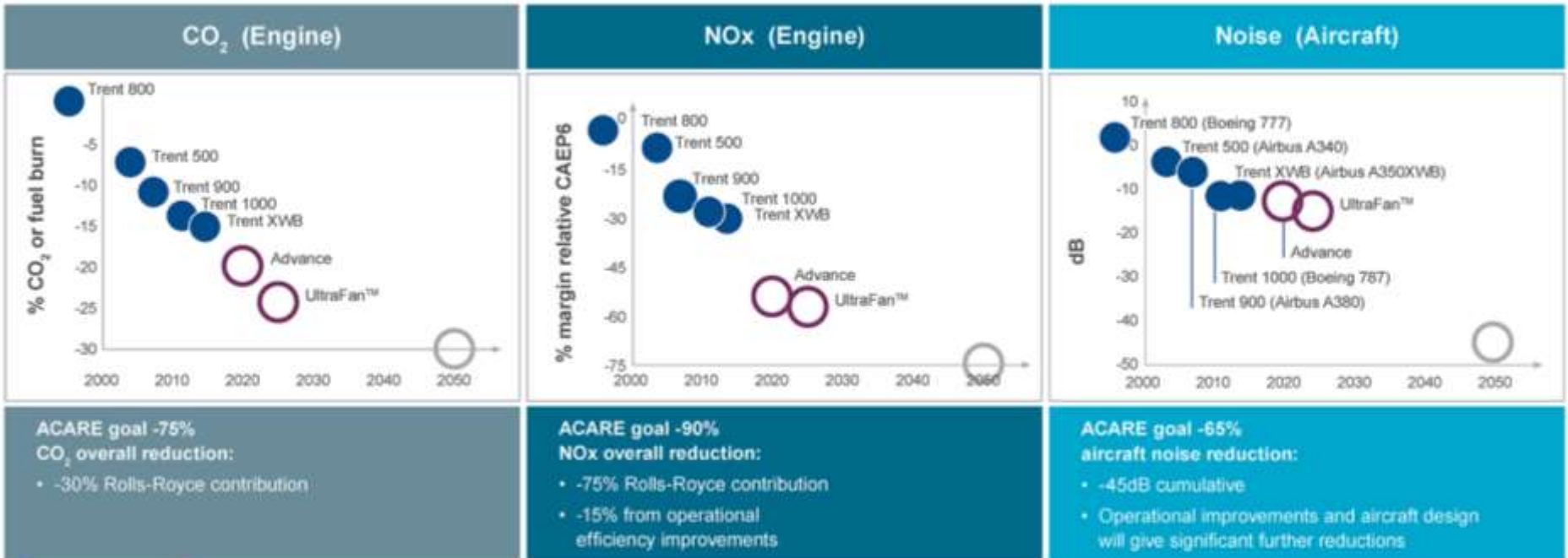


Horsepower generated by 68 high pressure turbine blades



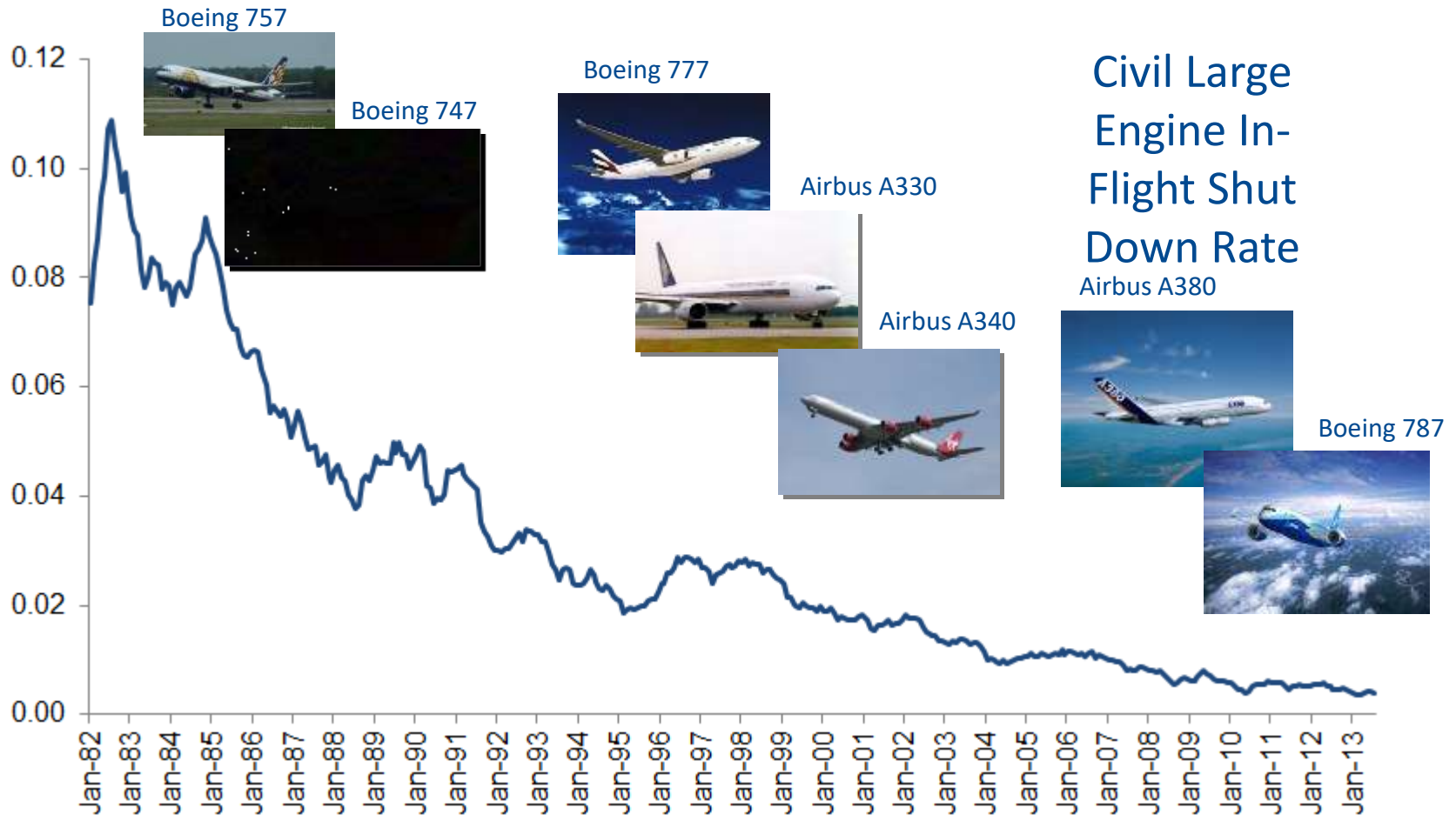
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The Environment



● Trent family
 ○ Technology demonstrator engine targets
 ○ ACARE (Advisory Council for Aviation Research and Innovation in Europe) Flightpath 2050 target

Improving safety and reliability

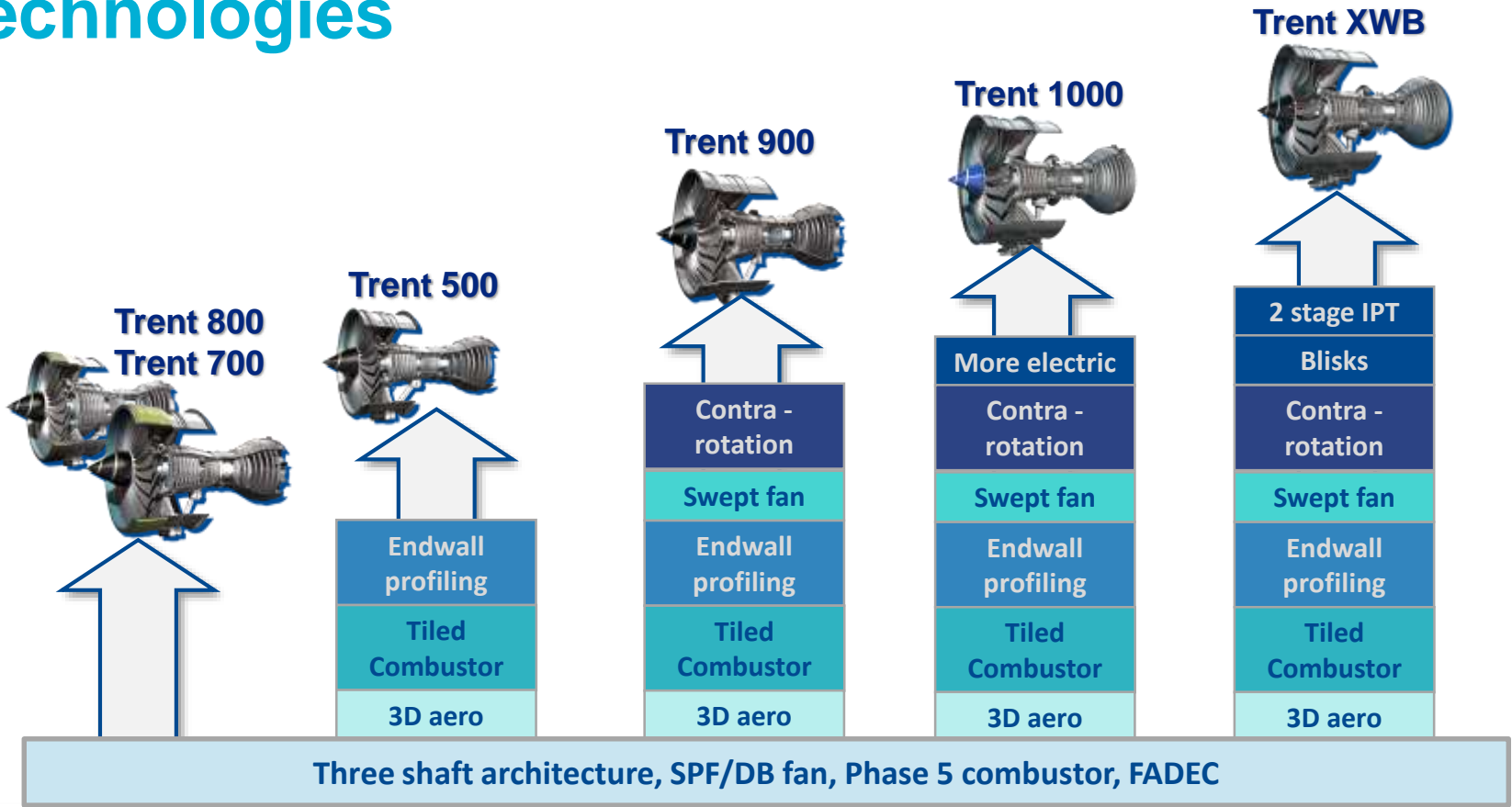


Per 1000 engine flying hours (12 month average)



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Technologies

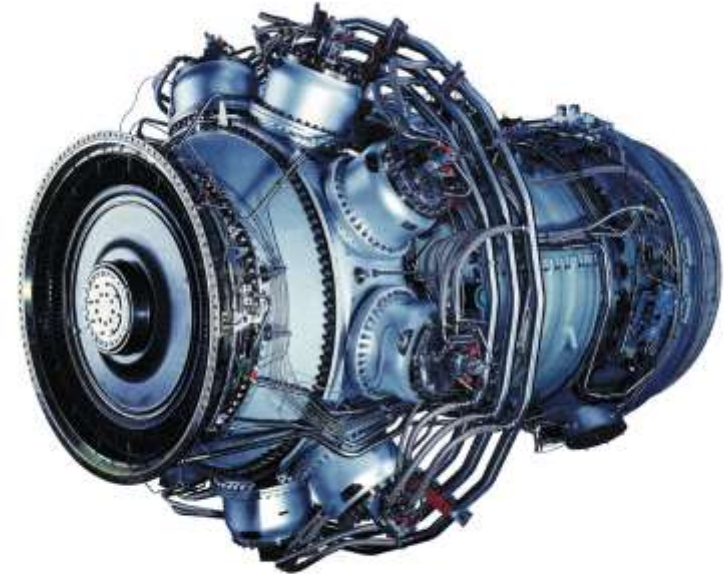
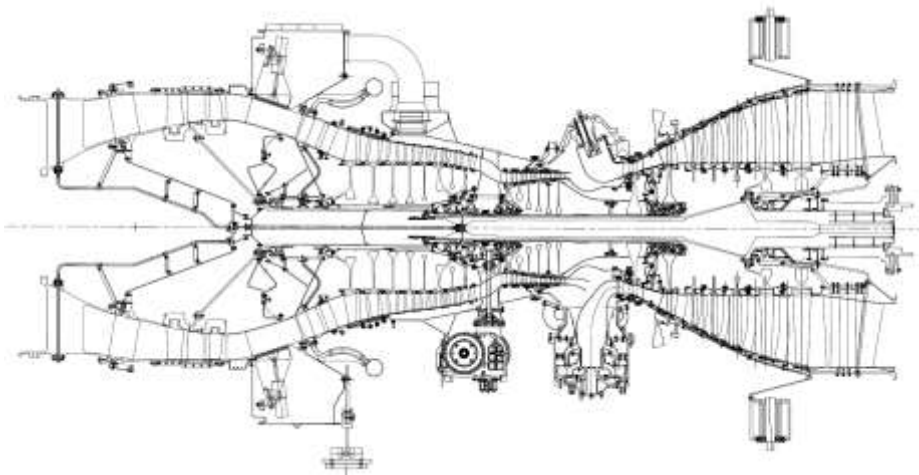


Customers

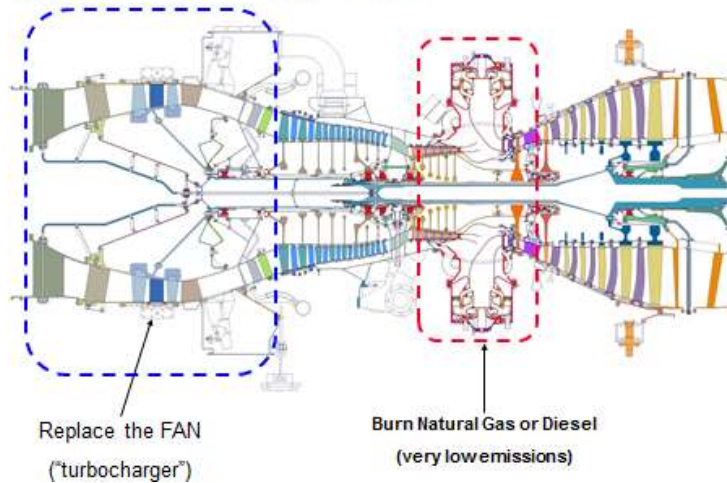


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Industrial Trent



Trent 800 Industrialization – Key Features



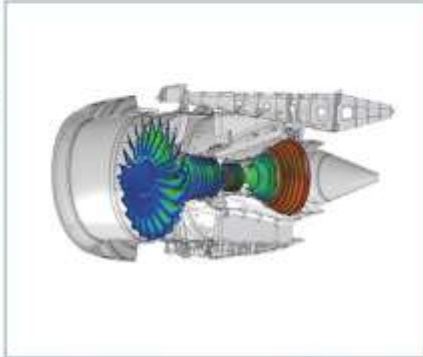
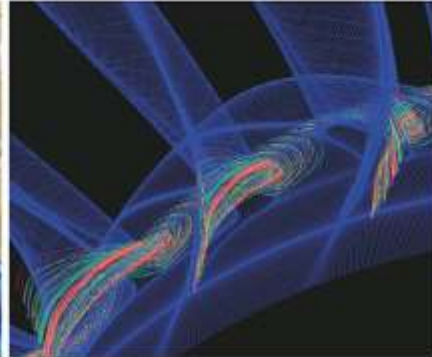
Replace the FAN
("turbocharger")

Burn Natural Gas or Diesel
(very low emissions)



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Methods Development – The Virtual Engine



Design and Validate in the Computer Investment (DaVinci) programme

Engineers can experiment with concepts digitally and accurately

Less testing, better quality and lower cost

Introduce products up to a year faster



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Impact



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Trent XWB for the Airbus A350



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The Future: UltraFan & Advance

Advance

20% more efficient from 2020

A revolutionary design for a new jet engine family

Engineered for business jets, narrowbody and widebody aircraft



A New Era




UltraFan®

25% more efficient from 2025

World's most powerful aerospace gearbox driven by our Advance core

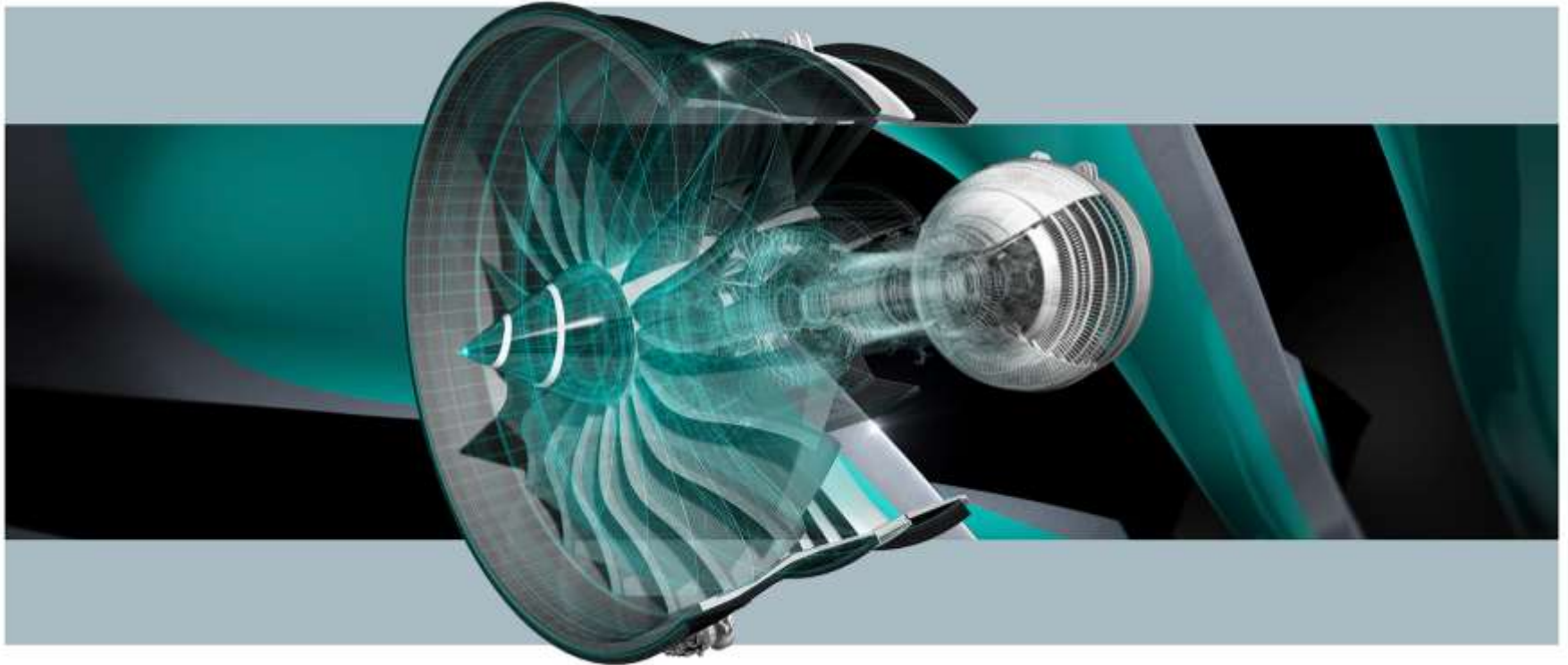
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UPCOMING EVENTS

The Future of Procurement – Learning from Failures *with John Cole*

13th March 2019 at 7pm

Conor Lecture Theatre, Ulster University, Belfast Campus

Joint meeting with the Association from Project Management (APM)

Renewable Gases in Vehicle Transport

27th March 2019 at 6.15am

Room 9F09, Ulster University, Jordanstown Campus

Three speakers will be dealing with the use of Hydrogen powered vehicles in Transport

Norther Region Annual Dinner & Conferring of Titles

29th March 2019 at 6.30pm

Titanic Belfast

Security-minded Digital Engineering and BIM and PAS1192-5

3rd April 2019 at 6.15pm

Conor Lecture Theatre, Ulster University, Belfast Campus

Joint evening lecture with ISturctE



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FINAL REMARKS

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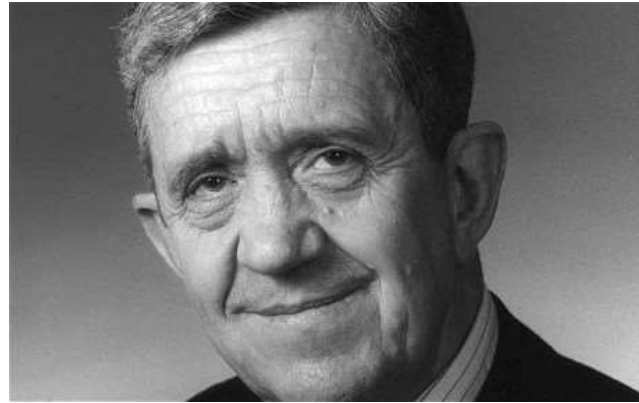
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