Engine Downsizing – A Kaizen Approach

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•Maruti Suzuki India Limited (MSIL, formerly Maruti Udyog Limited), a subsidiary of Suzuki Motor Corporation of Japan, is India's largest passenger car company

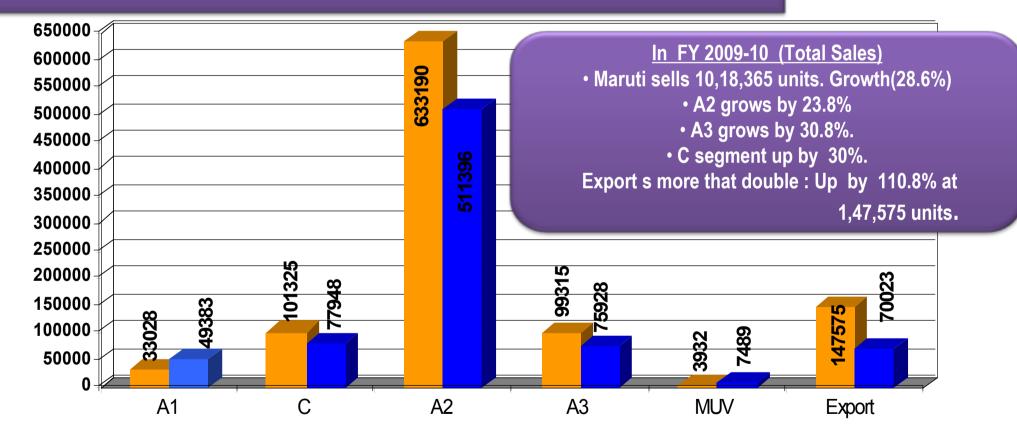
•Market leader in Indian Automotive industry since last 26 years.

• Largest Engg, Research, Design & Development centre of Suzuki Motor Corp outside Japan



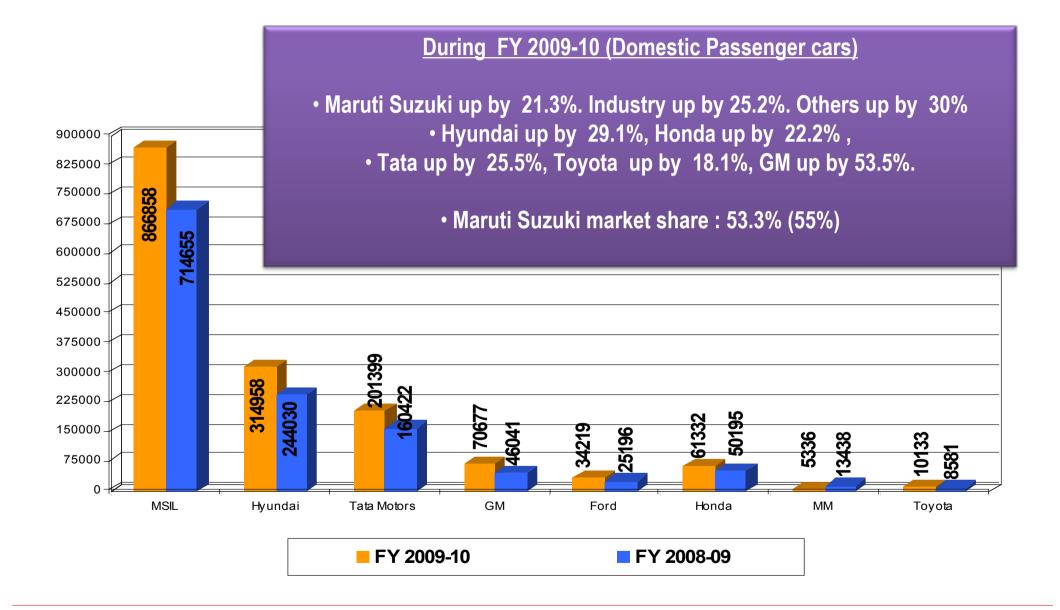
Maruti Suzuki Sales in FY 2009-10

Our Achievements this fiscal One Million sales :Highest ever Annual sales Highest ever exports sales



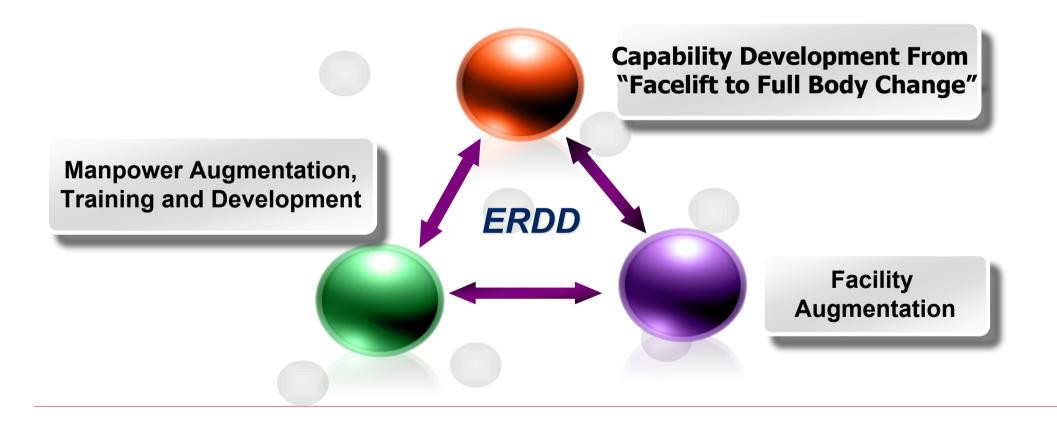
FY 2009-10 FY2008-09







"Build our engineering capability to Conceive, Design and Develop Cars to delight the Indian Consumer and establish Maruti as a Design Hub of SMC"





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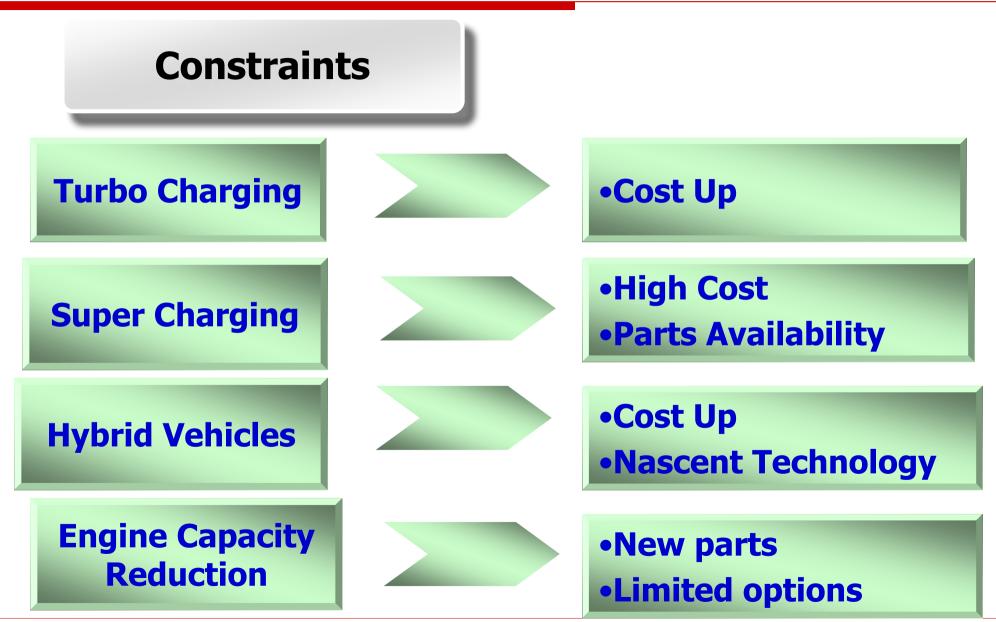
Turbo Charging

Super Charging

Hybrid Vehicles

Engine Capacity Reduction







Driving Forces

- Legislation Driven
 - ✓ Reduction in Tax Duty for vehicles <1200cc

 $24\% \rightarrow 16\%$

- Customer Driven
 - Engine Downsizing
 - Price Reduction of Vehicle
 - ✓ Fuel Economy



Indian Perspective

Based on the Driving forces and prevailing Indian conditions, The Downsizing in terms of Capacity Reduction works out to be the most feasible solution



Concepts

"Whatever the case, downsizing results in an increased engines' power and/or torque density, which serves one main objective: Fuel Consumption reduction"

"Engine Downsizing is the technique used to achieve the similar performance with enhanced fuel economy and reduction in emissions"



Concepts

- Downsizing permits
 - Increasing engines power and torque (to respond to new market demands or to compensate for vehicle weight increase) without increasing cylinder capacity.
 - Reducing engines' capacity at same power.
- Reducing capacity at same power permits reducing Fuel Consumption
 - ✓ Pumping losses reduction
 - ✓ Gases-to-wall heat transfer reduction
 - ✓ Friction losses reduction



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Major factors

- Economical
 - Minimum investment in the existing facilities
 - ✓ Cost down vis a vis current engine

- Technical
 - Maximum Fuel Economy with the given engine
 - ✓ Same Torque compare to existing engine



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Available & Probable Options

	Available Options		Probable Options	
Detail	G-X	G-Y	G-A	G-B
Bore (mm)	72	74	71	72
Stroke (mm)	61	75.5	75.5	73.5
Displacement (cc)	993	1298	1195	1196



Major affected parts

Option G-A

- Cylinder Block
- Piston
- Piston Rings

Option G-B

- Crank Shaft
- Conn ROd



Detail Option G-A

Bore	71mm
Stroke	75.5mm
Disp. Volume	1195 cc

Components	Detail	
Cylinder block	New	
Cylinder head	G-X(22.5cc)/G-Y(25.5cc)	
Piston / Piston Rings	New	
Crankshaft	G-Y	
Connecting Rod	G-Y	



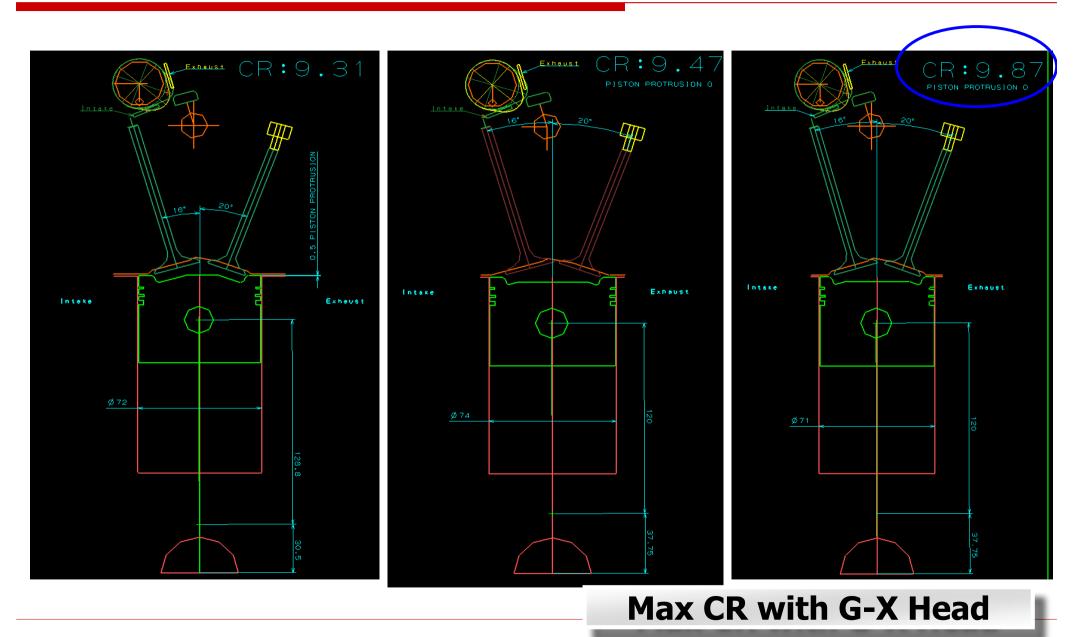
Detail Option G-B

Bore	72mm
Stroke	73.5mm
Disp Volume	1196 сс
Crank throw	36.75 mm (Existing 37.75 mm G-Y)
Conrod length	121.55mm (Existing 120mm G-Y)

Components	Detail
Cylinder block	G-X
Cylinder head	G-X
Piston / Piston Rings	G-X
Crankshaft	New (G-Y Base)
Connecting Rod	New (G-Y base)

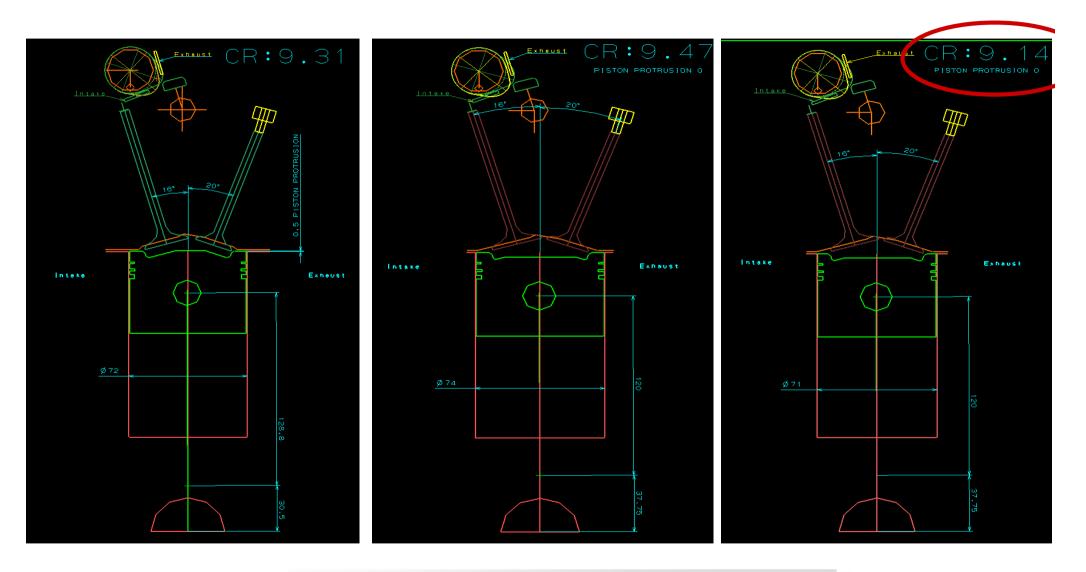


Layout of Option G-A (G-X Head)





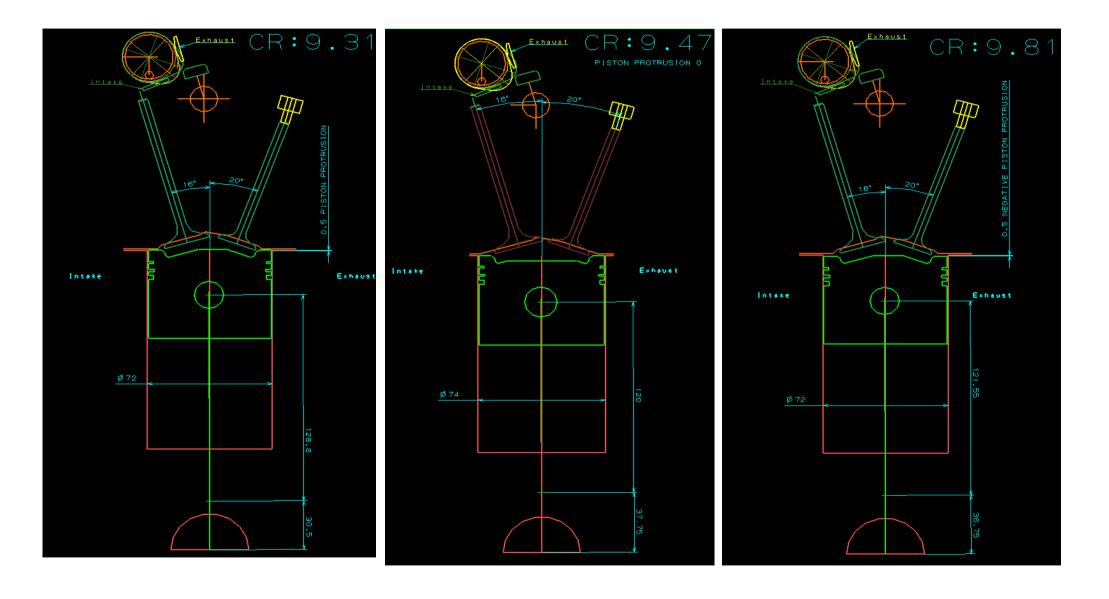
Layout of Option G-A (G-Y Head)



CR Less With G-Y Head

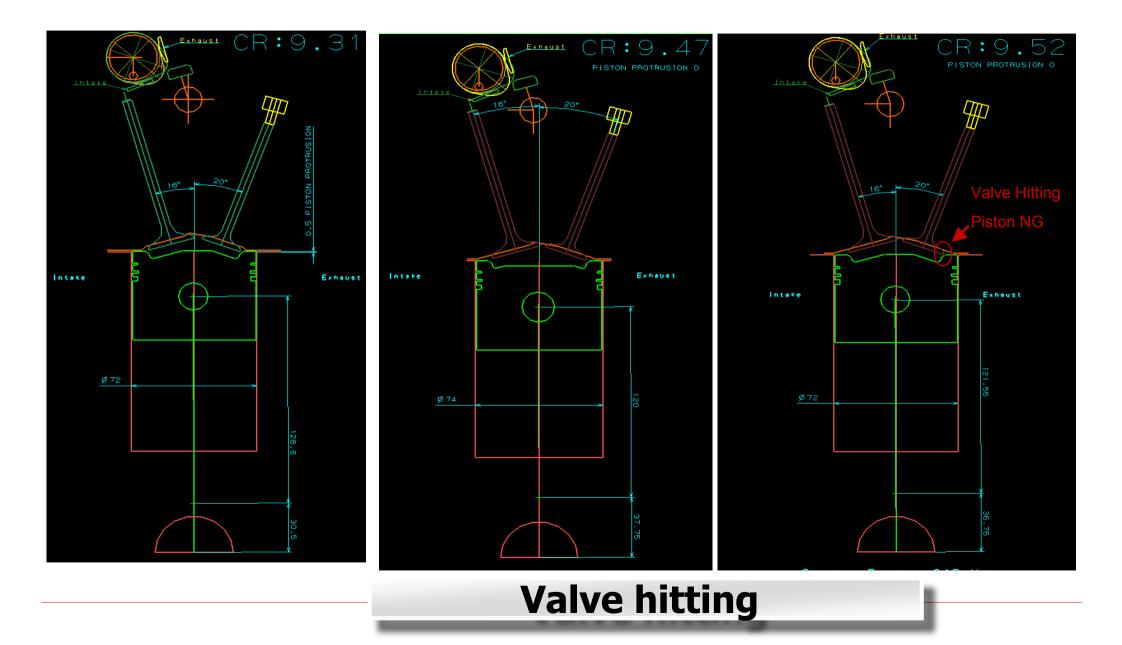
Layout of Option G-B (G-X Head)







Layout of Option G-B (G-Y Head)





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The Definition → Kaizen is the Japanese term means Continuous improvement, taken from words Kai means Continuous and Zen means improvement.

- → Some term it as Change for betterment
- → Small change for continuous improvement



Final Option selected

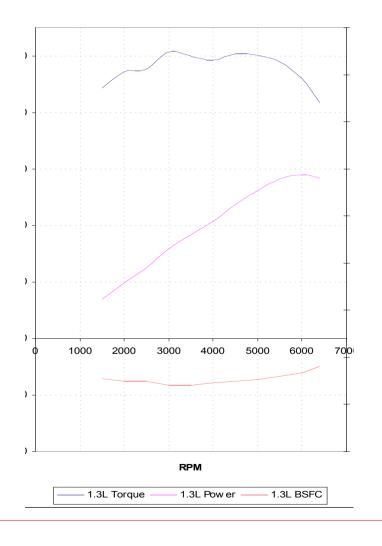
GA with G-X Head	
Bore	71mm
Stroke	75.5mm
Disp. Volume	1195 cc
CR	9.87

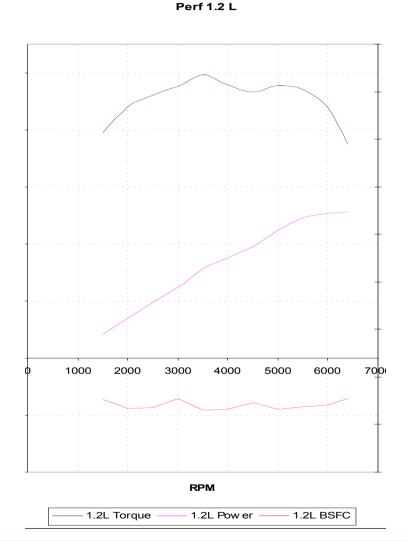
- ✓ To have max CR for FE improvement
- ✓ New Cylinder block with change on Sleeve only
- Design of new Piston and rings
- Minimal changes in the machine shop
- ✓ No change in cylinder head, Crank Shaft



• Performance Curve (Existing & New)

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Summary

- ✓ Increase in FE \rightarrow 11.5%
- ✓ No changes in the In house machine shop
- Max Torque achieved with reduced capacity
- ✓ Tax Duty benefit $24\% \rightarrow 16\%$
- Cost Down to the company
- End benefit to customer



Thank You