

# A Study of Analysis Method for the Surface Roughness on the Inner Bore of Diesel Engines Before and After Running-in Operations.

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## Background

The running-in of engines improves lubrication by eliminating microscopic irregularities on the surfaces of engine parts

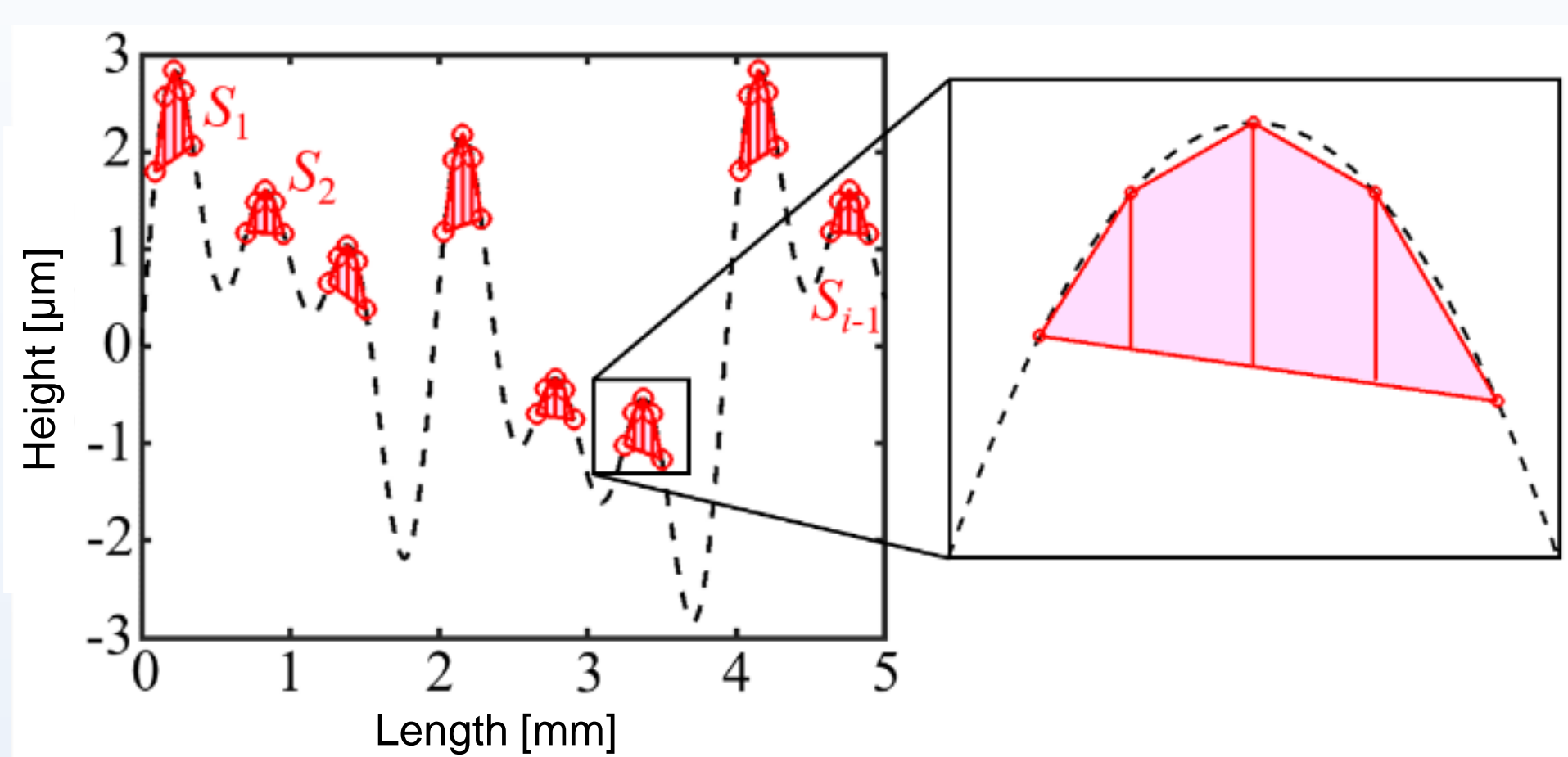
On the other hand, running-in is a complicated procedure, and some procedures should be performed by consumers themselves.

One solution to this problem is to machine the surfaces of the engine parts before running-in such that they have the same surface condition as that after running-in.

Realizing this solution requires an appropriate evaluation and quantification of the surface roughness by understanding the changes in the surface topography of the engine parts before and after running-in.

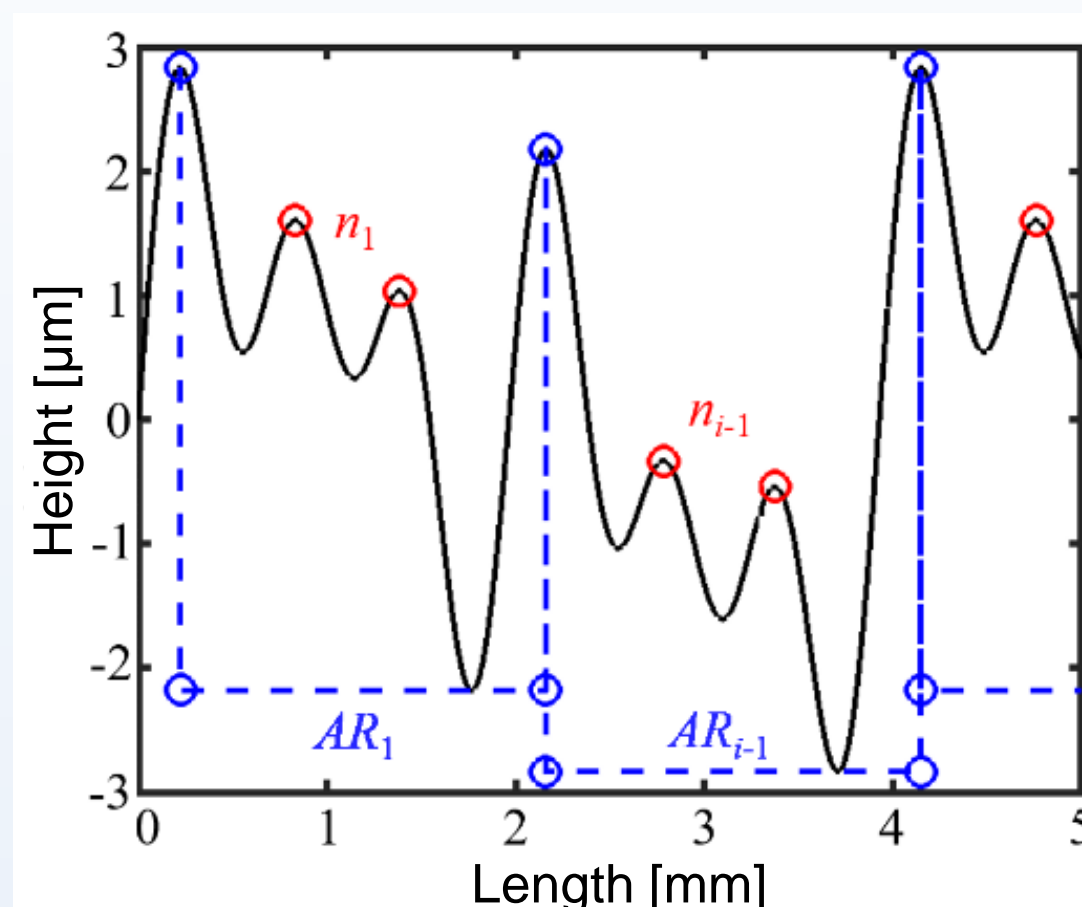
This study develops new parameters to quantify the difference in the surface topography of the cylinder liner before and after running-in.

## Details of Developed Parameters, Rsk, and Rku



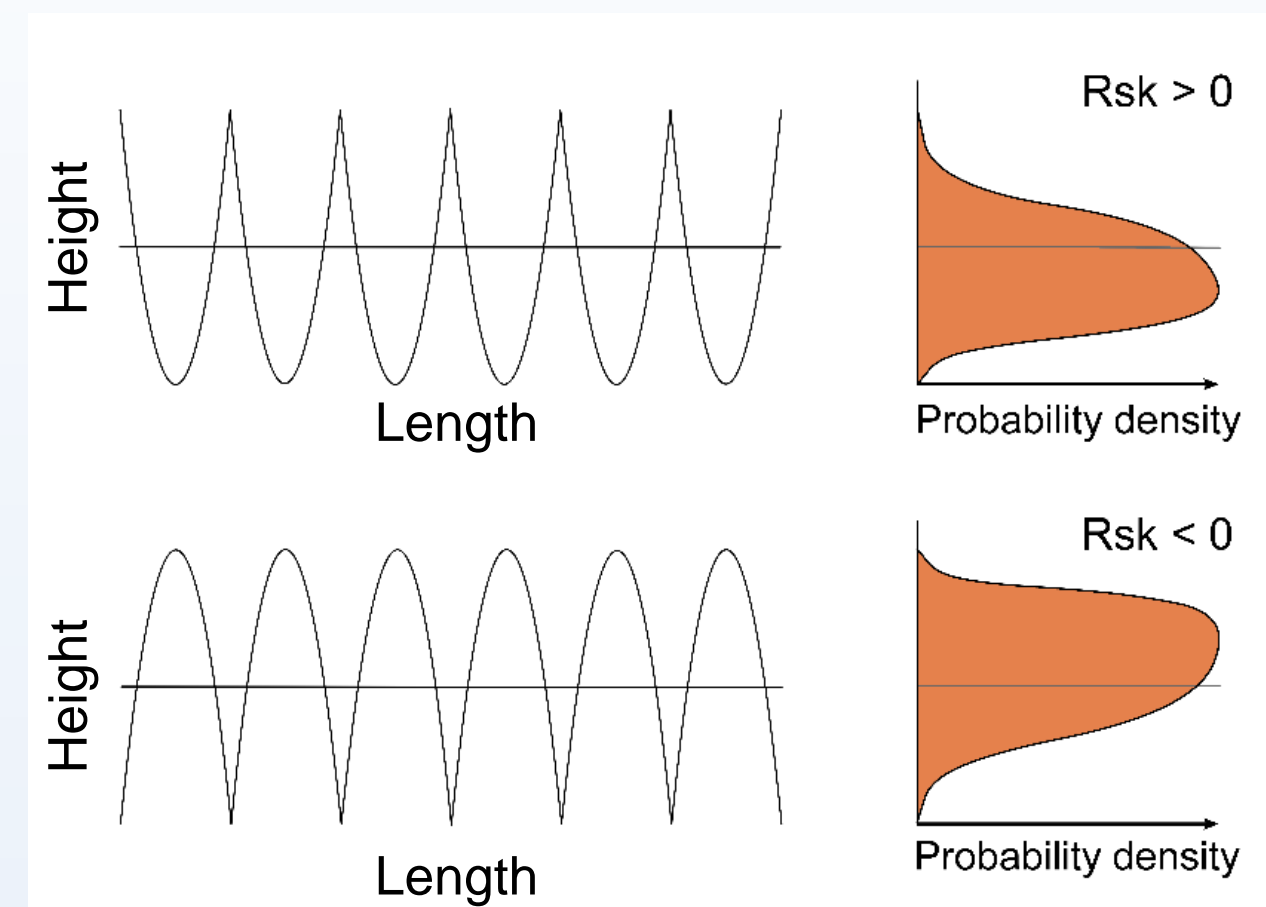
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$$pPsm = \frac{1}{n_m} \sum_{i=1}^{n_m} S_i$$



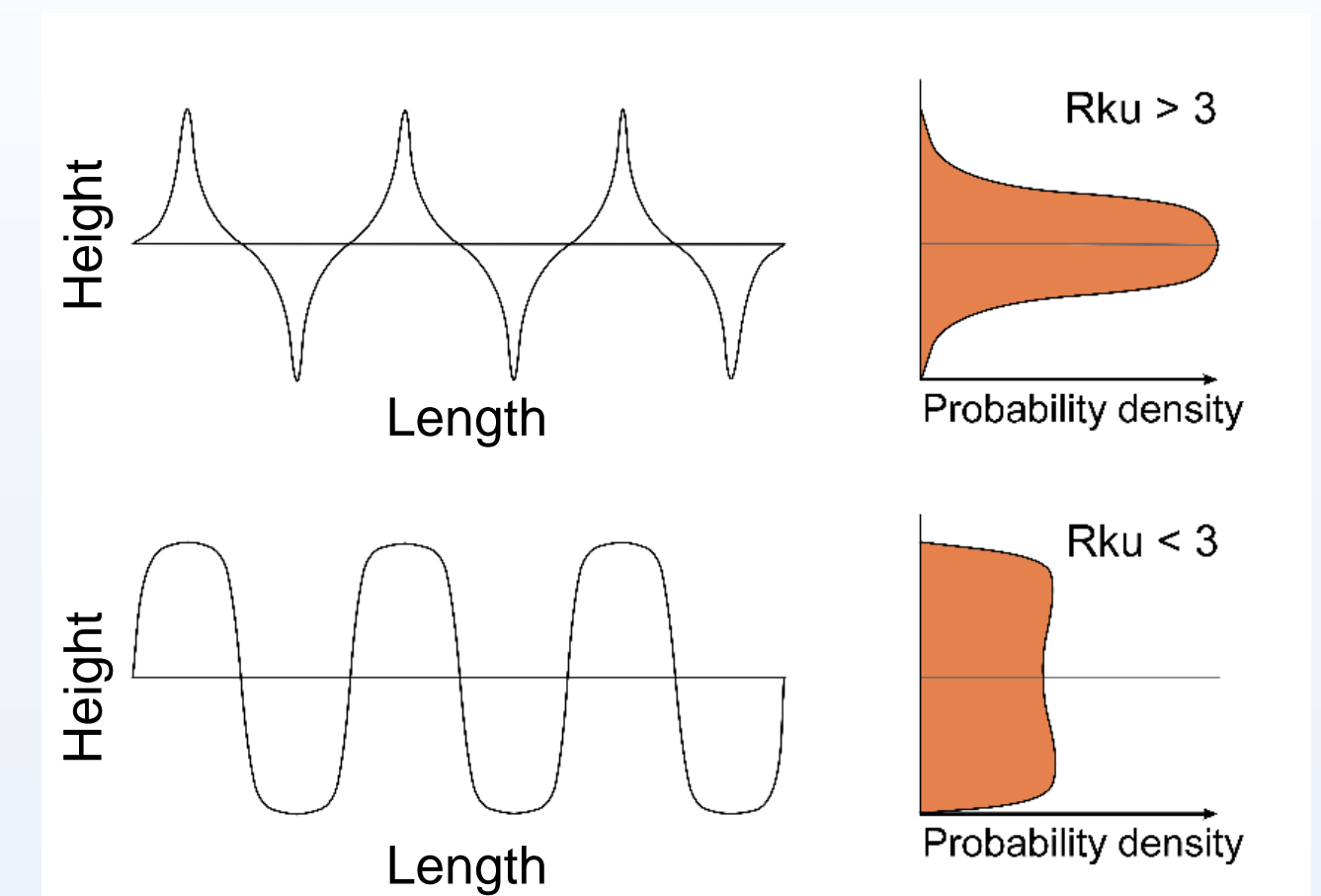
pPmotif

$$pPmotif = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{n_i}{AR_i}$$



Rsk

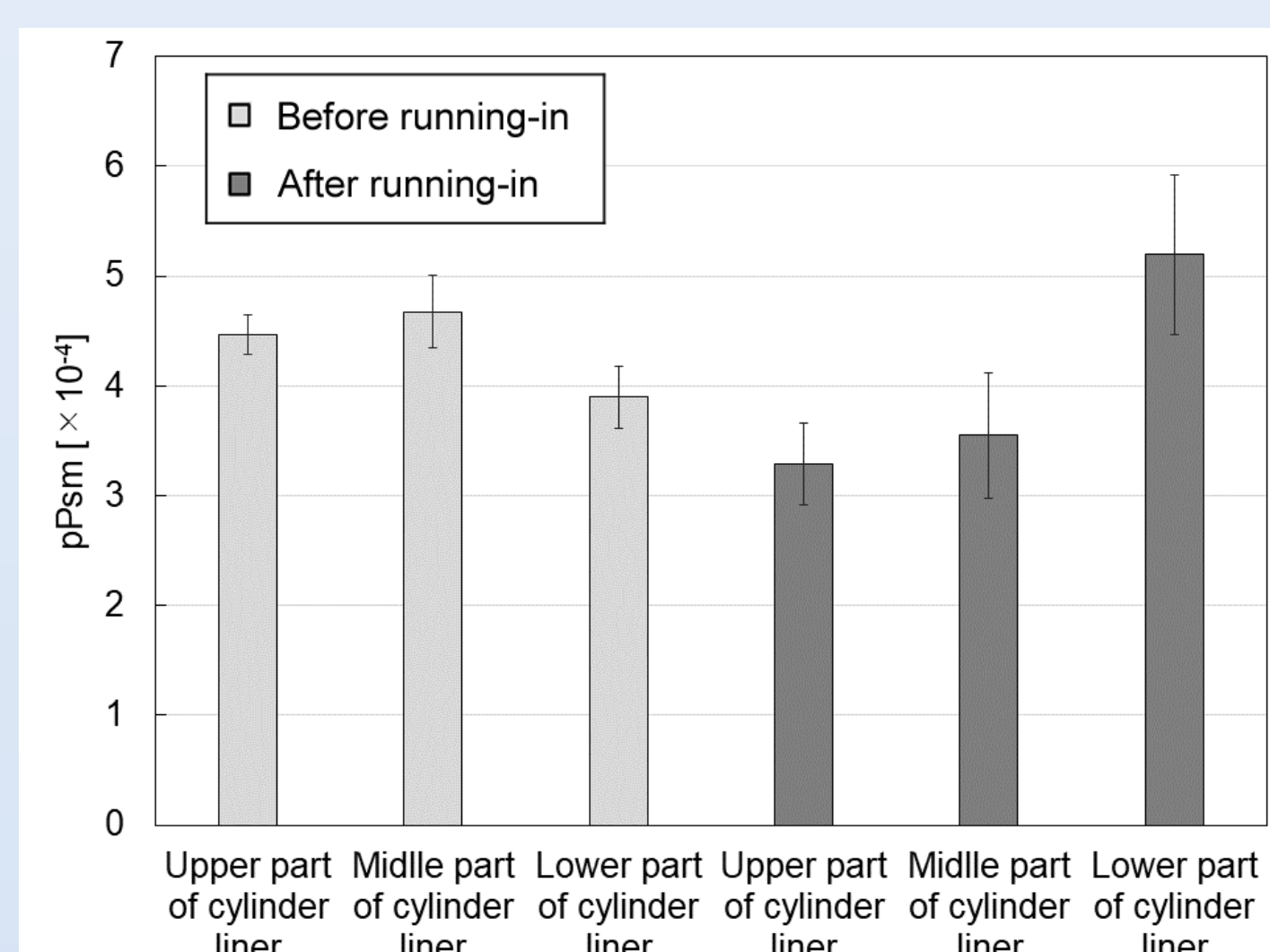
$$Rsk = \frac{1}{Rq^3} \left[ \frac{1}{lr} \int_0^{lr} Z^3(x) dx \right]$$



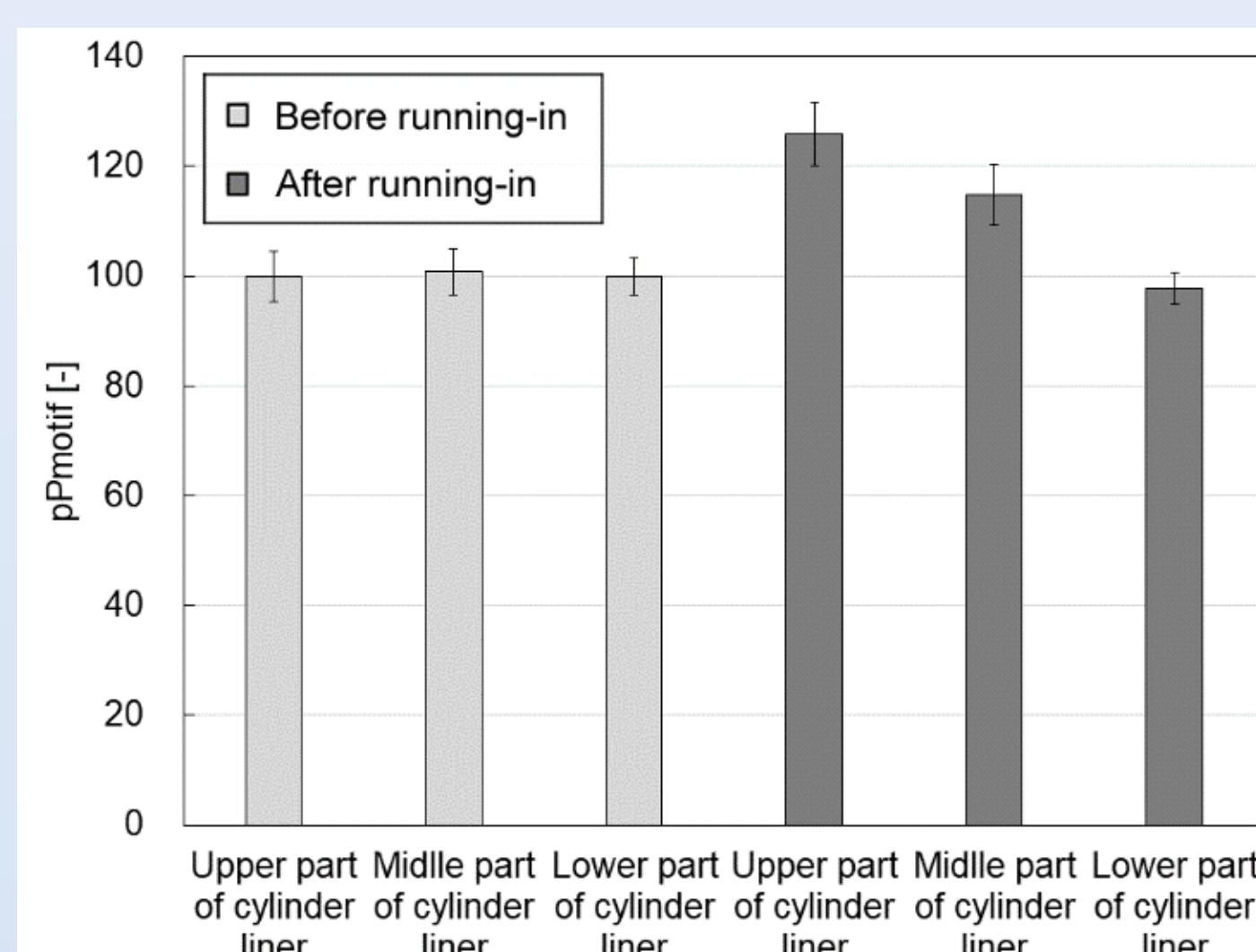
Rku

$$Rku = \frac{1}{Rq^4} \left[ \frac{1}{lr} \int_0^{lr} Z^4(x) dx \right]$$

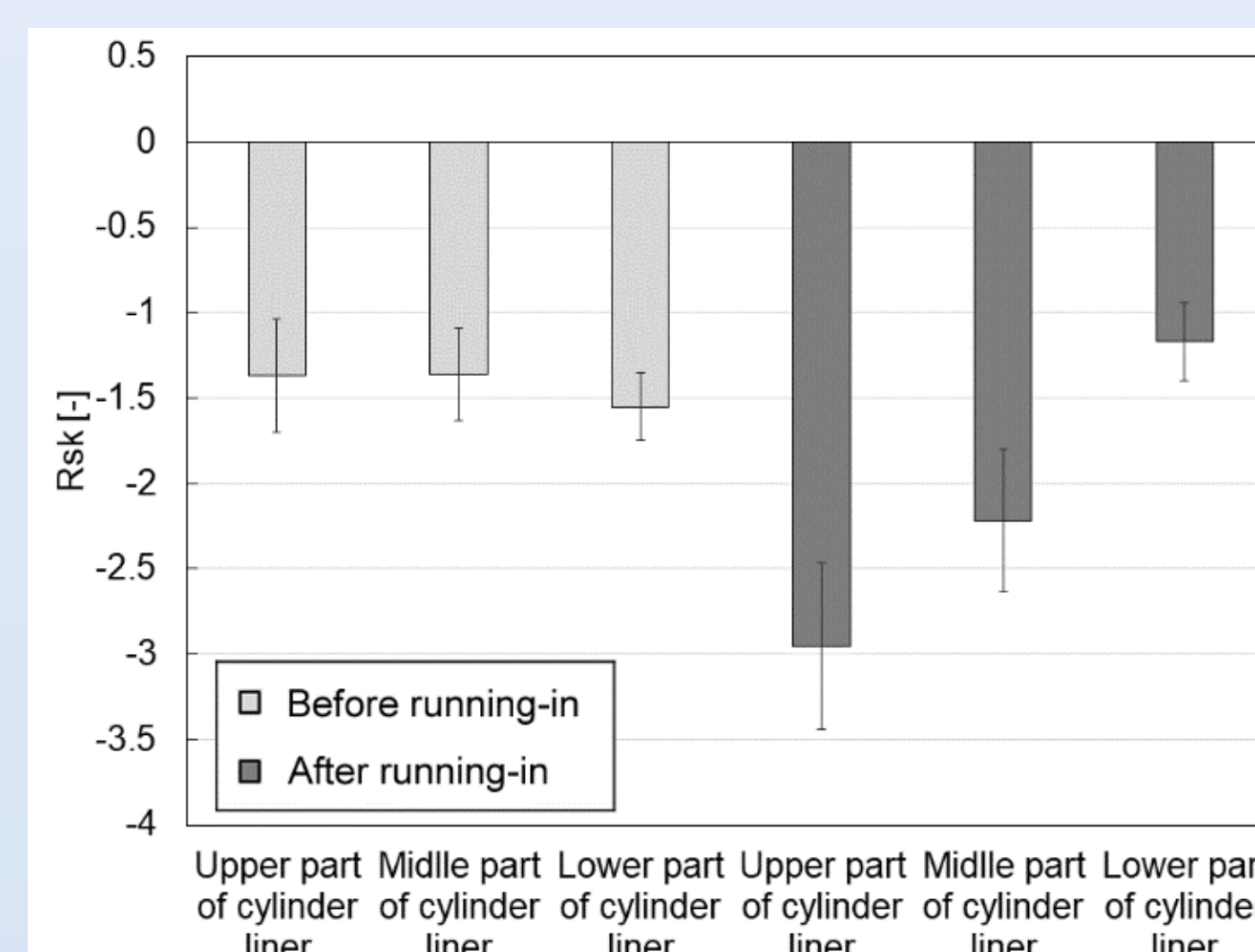
## Results of Parameters



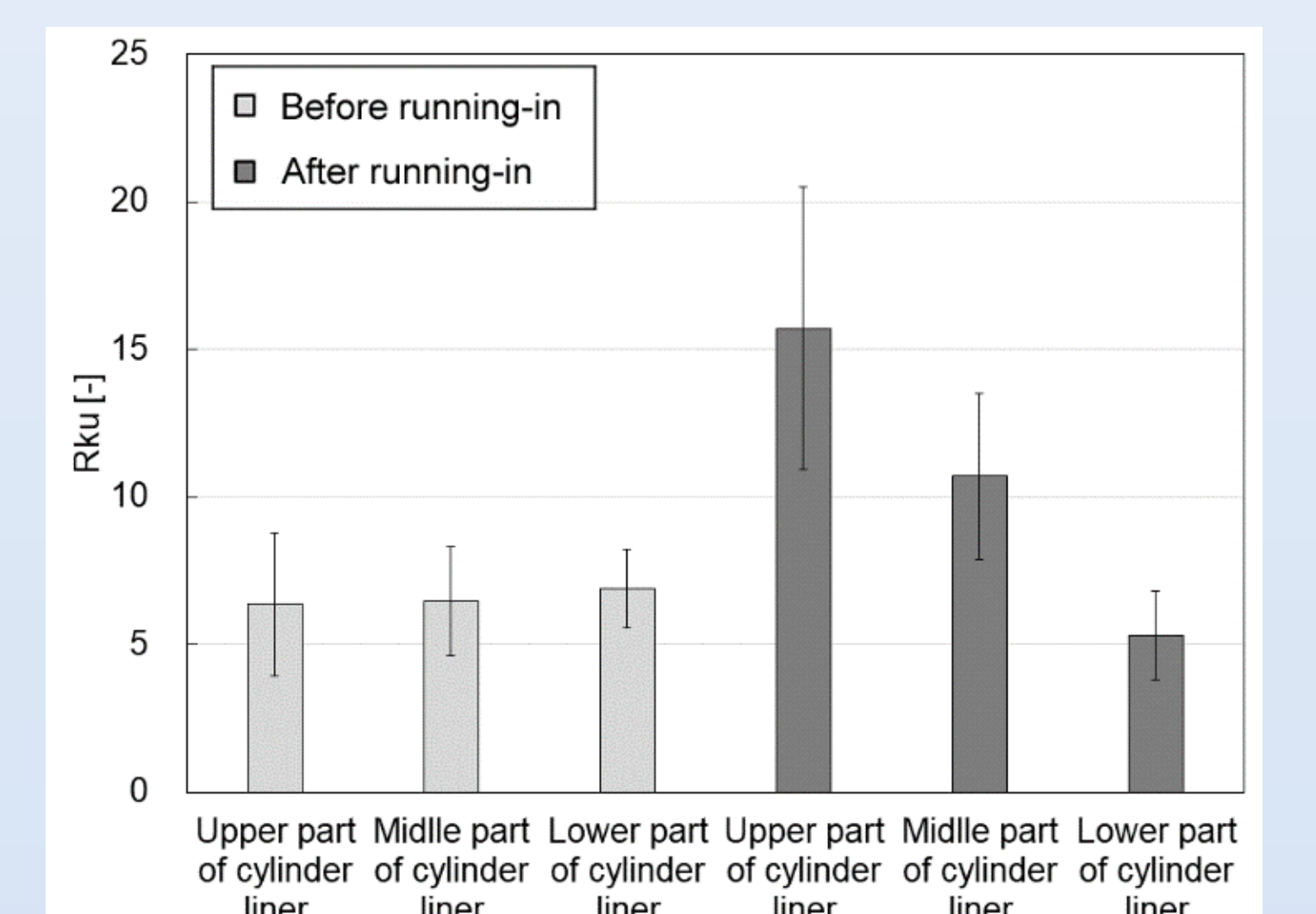
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