

Agility

PI – Power of Data for Operational Analytics

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- India's largest integrated private power utility.
- 5297 MW Installed capacity (Thermal, Hydro, DG, Solar and Wind).
- Presence in entire value chain like Generation, Transmission, Distribution, Fuel sourcing, Logistics and Power trading.



Business Challenge



- Automation of KPI Monitoring
- Multiple sources reporting at various levels
- Make the KPI data flow streamlined.
- Provide precise feedback on performance with better data to investigate.
- Give real time visibility to management.
- No single source of information.

Solution



- Leverage existing operational data sources like DCS, SCADA and other automation systems like ABT/AMI to PI System in divisional level.
- Setup a Central PI System to acquire data from all divisional PI servers.
- Make Central PI Server the only source of truth for all MIS/KPI systems for operational data in the company.

Our Journey



PI Servers in all Generating Stations & Transmission.

Central PI server

Energy data from ABT System

RDBMS Interface

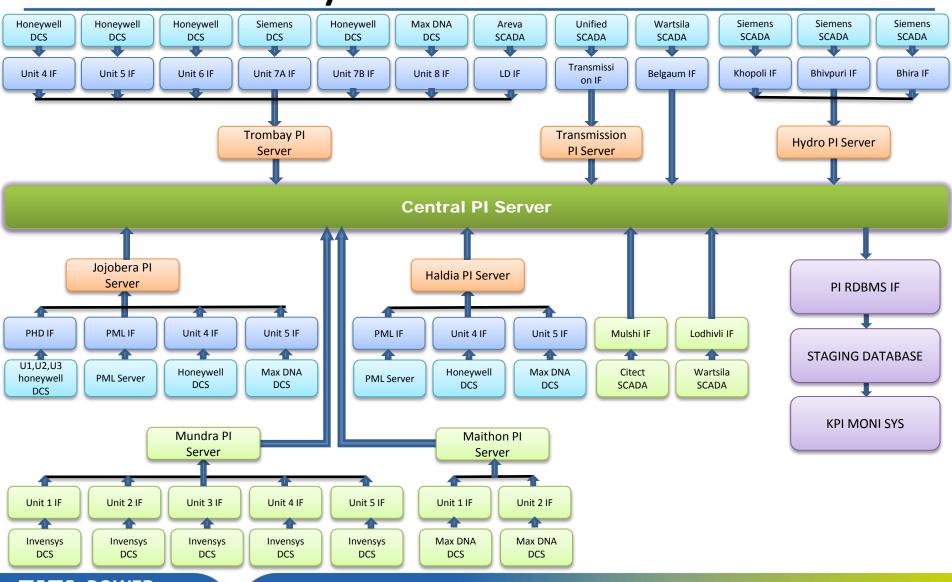
PSA

Automated data transfer to KPI monitoring system

Web based Operations Performance Monitoring System

Our Journey





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Our Utilization of PI



KPI Monitoring System

 KPI Parameters are automated. Monthly values of KPIs are calculated in PI server and transferred to KPI Monitoring System on the first week of the month using a trigger. Non automated KPIs are manually entered into PI server by the divisions.

OPMS(Online Performance Monitoring System)

 Customized web dashboard for the top management . OPMS features with real time data, historical data, day wise scrolling facility, division wise and consolidated dashboards.

Our Utilization of PI



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- Structured, Time bound, Team based program with top management support & bottom up approach to impact the company's bottom line with minimal investment in shortest possible time.
- Uses the creativity and energy of the people of Tata Power and all its stakeholders
- Utilizes Online Data from PI System to take informed decisions.

PSCC (Power System Control Centre)

- Central operation & monitoring station for Generation, Transmission
 & Distribution.
- Utilizes ABT data from PI system for monitoring and report making.

Our Utilization of PI-AF



Online Reports

- Generation and maintenance reports required by operation, automatically generated from PI AF and sent to the operation team using PI notifications.
- KPI Parameter reports to MIS personnel at each site.
- Hourly generation and PLF reports to the top management on email from PI AF.

Our Experience



- Single source of information.
- KPI monitoring is automated.
- Top management trusts only on automated data.
- Great achievements in performance and efficiency in operation due to the availability of data at finger tips.
- Great reduction in man-power for the generation of reports.
- Instantaneous monitoring of generation and transmission is easier.
- Full fledged ABT system is available in PI server. AF used extensively for this.
- Automated schedules as well as last interval generation are available for the operation in the same display.
- Wide acceptability for PI data.

Way Ahead



Self Sufficient

Already done PI server installation and commissioning on our own.

Central monitoring

Set up a Central Monitoring Station for all thermal generating stations for improving the performance and efficiency.

Diagnostics and Predictive analysis

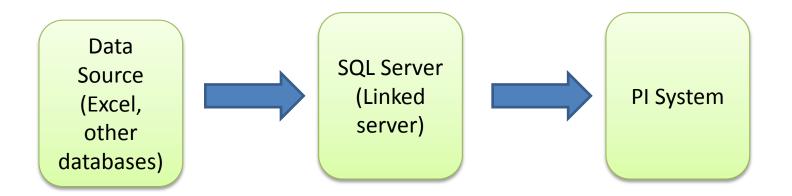
Use third party software for diagnostics and early alarming to improve the availability of the plant.



Data Enhancements and Automation

Data from Linked Server

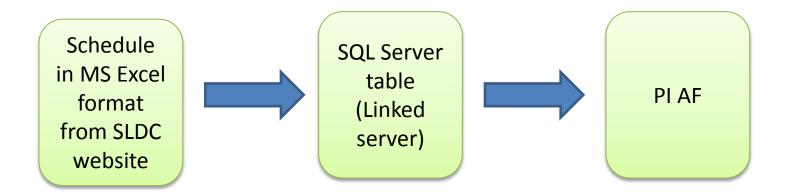




- Source database does not contain time based primary key.
- Scan based data transfer from ABT system database into PI server resulted in erratic and intermittent data.
- SQL Server used as a intermediate linked database for the data collection from external systems like MS excel and other data bases to PI. Update & refresh frequency increased.
- Data processing and addition of timestamp in SQL server.
- Utilizes the capabilities of SQL server.

Generation Schedule Automation





- Generation schedules in excel format from SLDC website.
- Import excel data to SQL server table.
- Mapping timestamps with the data
- Transfer data from SQL server to PI.
- Unit availability calculated from tentative schedules, actual schedules and generation parameters.

ABT System Using PI Data



- ABT regime started in Maharashtra state, India from August 2011.
- Acquisition of data from ABT System deployed for Mumbai Operations.
- SQL Server used as a intermediate linked database for the data collection from ABT system.
- RDBMS Interface connectivity with PI server
- Mumbai Operations assets mapped on AF.
- Displays and trends made with Process book.
- Generation schedules which are available from regulator's web portal, automated using PI AF.





- Window for operations for simultaneous comparison of current and previous interval ExBus generation and schedules.
- Reports from PI being utilized by PSCC for planning and forecasting.

ABT System Using PI Data



TROMBAY ABT APPLICATION FROM PI SYSTEM

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 UNIT 5
 UNIT 6
 UNIT 7
 UNIT 8

 Current Schedule for Interval No. 47
 473 MWH
 450 MWH
 175 MWH
 235 MWH

Current net Generation 472 MW 463 MW 178 MW 230 MW

Daily Target as per LD 10.530 MU 6.728 MU 4.200 MU 5.640 MU

Current MU 8.790 MU 3.269 MU 4.017 MU 4.971 MU

No	SCH.	ACTUAL	UI
1	473	486	
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7	473	482	
8	430	483	
9	390	482	
10	345	481	
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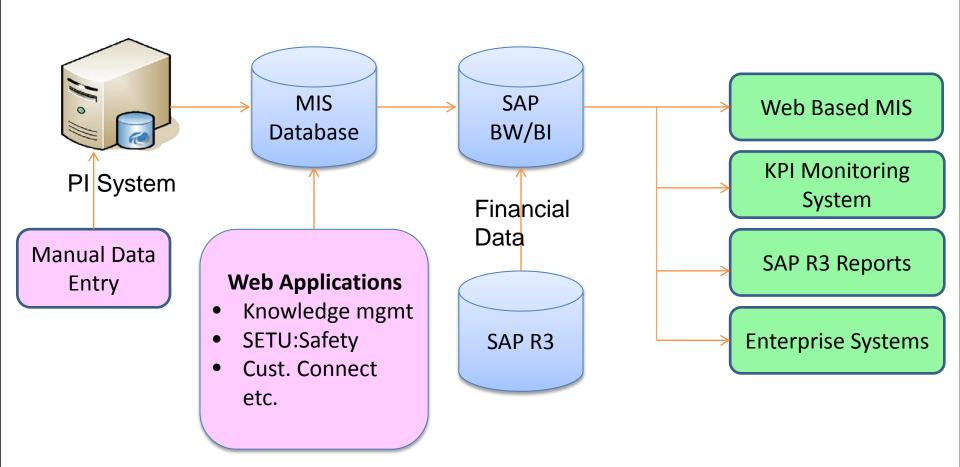
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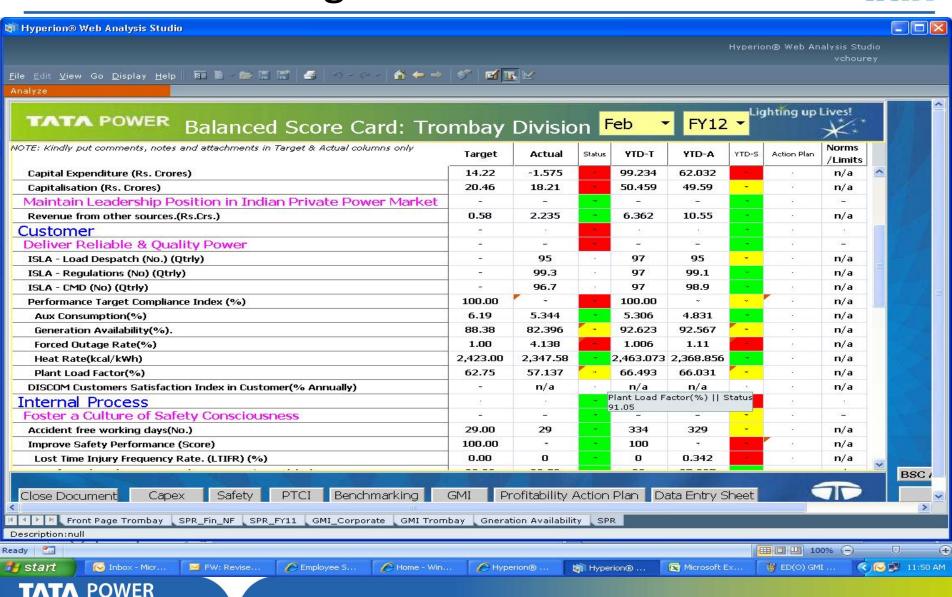
- Enterprise wide Balanced Score Card (BSC) monitored using KPI Monitoring System.
- PI system the only source of data for operational and environmental parameters (GMI) KPI.
- Central PI Server acts as the single source of truth for KPI Monitoring System.



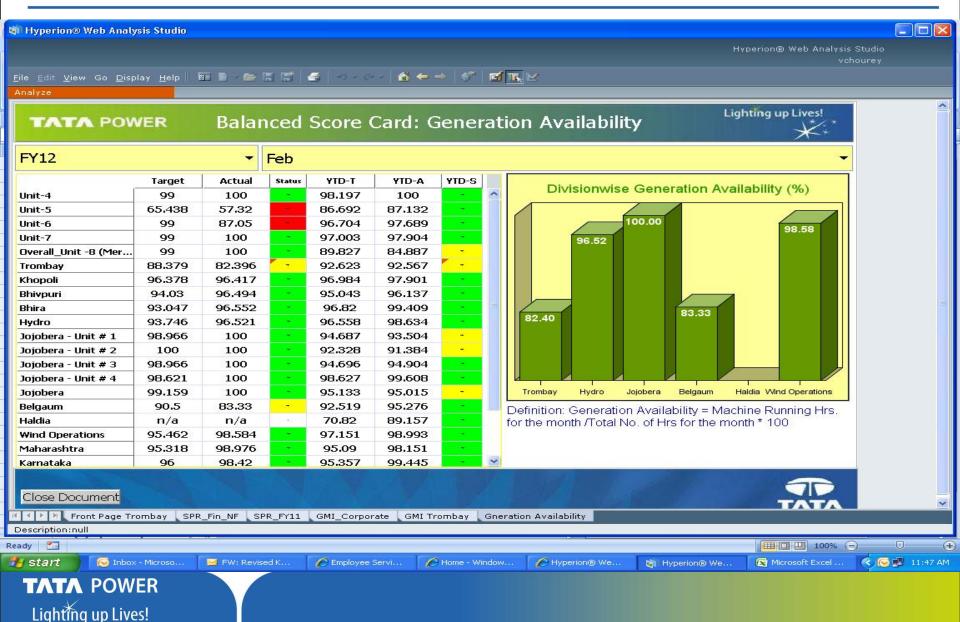


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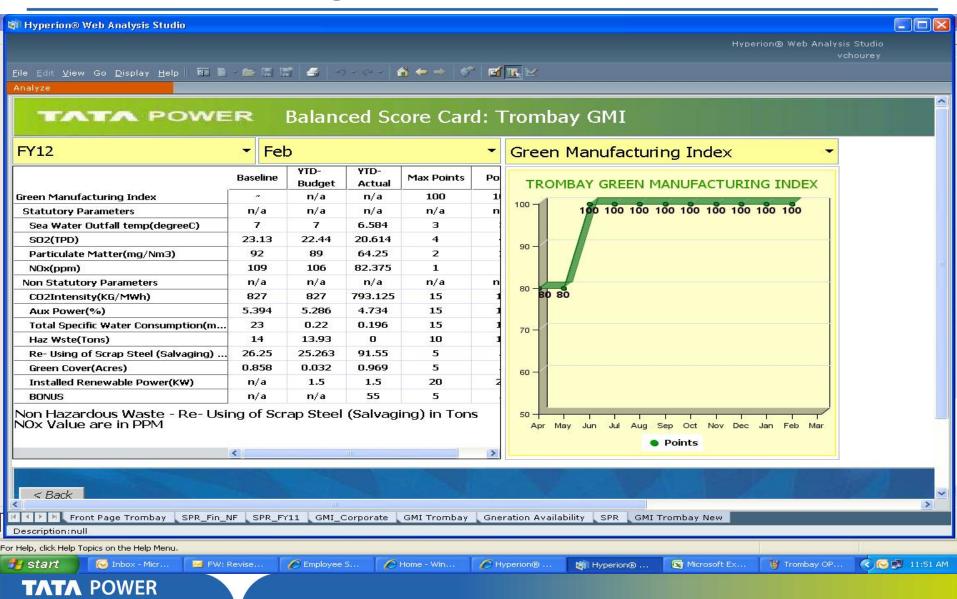






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