





# Supporting Operational Availability with PI System and SAP PM connection

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# **MOL Group**

MOL is an integrated, independent, international oil and gas company, headquartered in Budapest, Hungary with a track record of over 100 years in the industry.







## **MOL** Group in numbers



# **OSIsoft and MOL Hungary**



## Role of PI System in Danube Refinery

Primary process database and operational intelligence tool

- Production Management
- Reporting
- Operation
- Quality Management
- Maintenance
- Energy Monitoring
- ...



# **Business Challenge**

Reliability and preventive programs

- NxDSP increase operational excellence
- UPTIME reliability improvement program (FMEA, LFF, RCFA)

UPTIME

PSM (Process Safety Management)



# Our goal is to **keep our assets healthy** to avoid unplanned shutdowns

- Avoid harmful process conditions
- Increase the ratio of preventive maintenance



## Focus on predictive and preventive maintenance

Two new PI System-based solutions to support the maintenance team Predictive Fix it before it breaks Preventive Routine repairs Reactive SAP-PM Fix it after it breaks



# Corrosion & Integrity Predicting High Temperature Hydrogen Attack (HTHA)

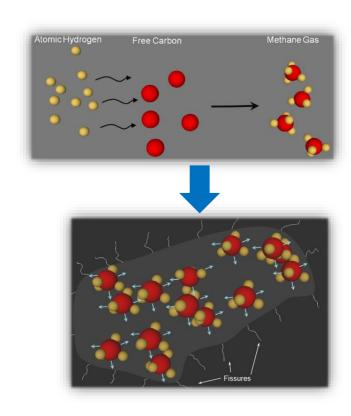
#### **BACKGROUND - IOW**

Definition of Integrity Operating Windows (IOW): Established limits for process variables (parameters) that can affect the integrity or reliability of the equipment if the process operation deviates from the established limits for a predetermined length of time.



#### **BACKGROUND - HTHA**

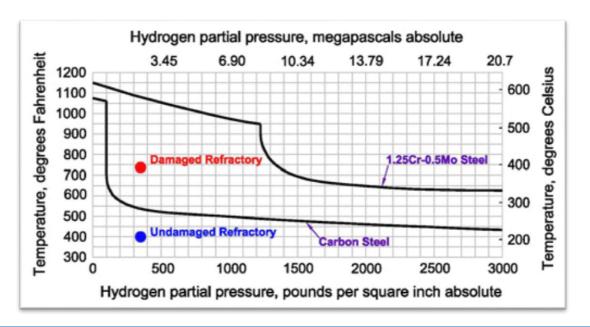
- Tesoro, Anacortes refinery, 2010
- Fatal injury of seven employees
- Heat exchanger catastrophically ruptured because of an HTHA - high temperature hydrogen attack
  - HTHA occurs when atomic hydrogen diffuses into the steel walls of process equipment
  - The hydrogen reacts with carbon in the steel, producing methane gas
  - Methane molecules cannot diffuse out of the steel, they accumulate inside of the steel, creating high pressure, forms fissures in steel
  - This reaction removes carbon from the steel (decarburization)



#### **BACKGROUND – Nelson Curves**

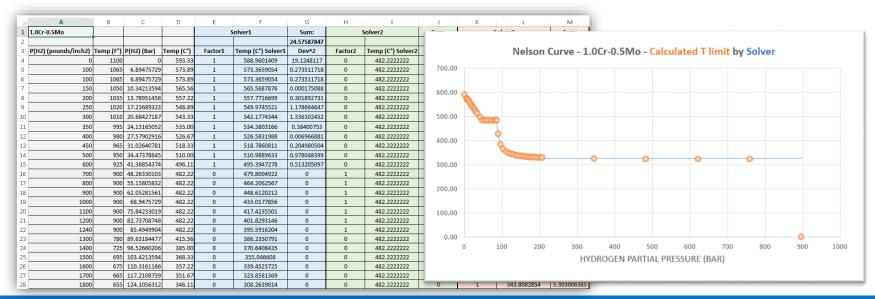
#### **API 941**

 A Nelson Curve is an empiric curve used in production units which shows the permissible hydrogen partial pressure and temperature for the given pipe class (material of construction) to avoid HTHA.



#### **IMPLEMENTATION**— Nelson Curves with solver

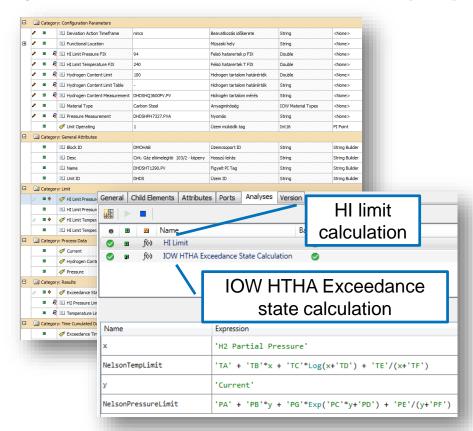
- Estimate T-p data values from the Nelson curves
- Minimize the squared deviation by the help of Excel Solver
- Tune the Excel Solver parameters to fit better on the points



#### IMPLEMENTATION— Create the system in Asset Framework (AF)

#### Challenges

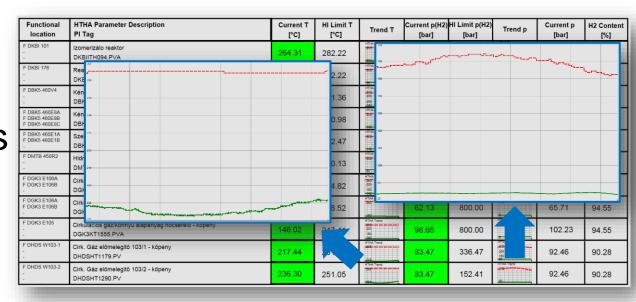
- Suitable attributes structure
- Analyses with ONE general equation
- Nelson curves based on material of construction
- Table contains the constants for table lookup
- Calculate the temperature and pressure limits as well



# **IMPLEMENTATION**– Continuous Monitoring / PI Coresight

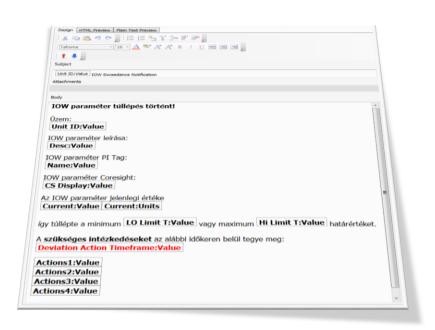
- Support collaboration and decision making
- Visualization management Multi-state symbol

- Easy to use
- Dynamic limits
- Mini trends

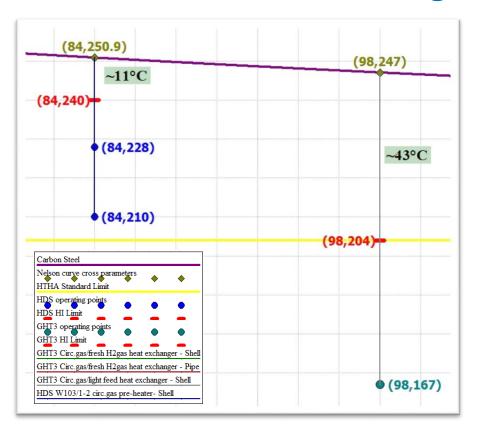


# **IMPLEMENTATION**– Message / PI System Notifications

- Immediate problem solving
- Reduced the alerts by 90%
- E-mails include all of the relevant information
- Link to the PI Coresight display
- Contain the intervention possibilities

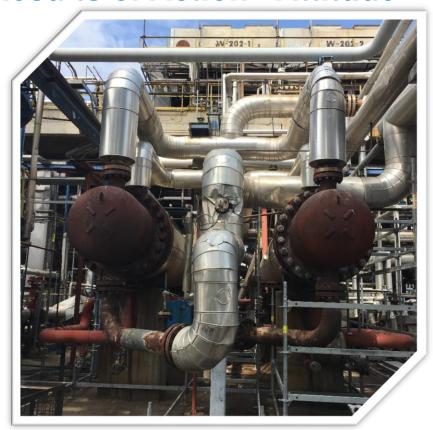


# **Results of Action – Knowledge**



- Deeper understanding of the corrosion processes
- Operating points distance from the Nelson Curve
- Collect the corrosion related parameters in one Asset Framework structure

#### **Results of Action - Attitude**



- Reduced corrosion → Cost savings
- Changed the material for a better alloy
- Improved the preventive approach
- Better communication between departments
- Maintenance team has a continuous monitoring tool



# Preventive Maintenance aided by connecting the PI System and SAP PM

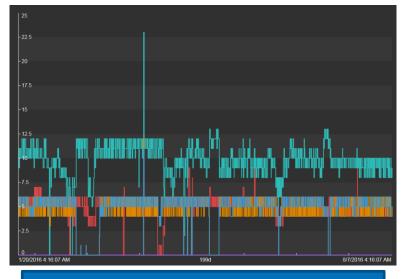
## **Challenge – Critical Availability Problems**

- Hydrogen Production Plants (HPP) are critical units in the refinery
- Pressure Swing Adsorbers (PSA) are critical equipments in unit operation
- Cyclic operation Heavy load on valves (9-10 open-close hourly)
- \$1.2 million USD loss in three years due to PSA valve failures
- UPTIME program: 97% operational availability



#### **Solution – Preventive Maintenance**

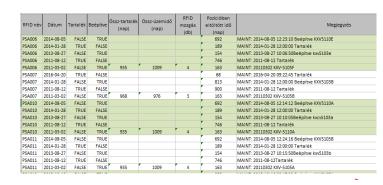
- Maintenance Engineering created a preventive maintenance strategy to keep valves in operation
- Problem: Time-based scheduling can not be used
  - Valves in each position are replaced regularly
  - Load on given valve position depends on unit feed
- Process data (Cycle Number) has to be used to schedule maintenance



Hourly cycle number of PSA valves

# Phase 1 – Separated OSIsoft's PI System and SAP PM

- Aim: test the maintenance strategy
- Criteria:
  - No CAPEX, no IT development
  - Only existing software, tools
- System:
  - Valve cycle count was collected in the PI System
  - Analysis, data evaluation in MS Excel
  - Manual order creation in SAP PM



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# Phase 2 – Connection of OSIsoft's PI System and SAP PM

- Aim: robust IT system to support preventive maintenance strategies
- Criteria:
  - Support the scheduling of PSA valve maintenance
  - Flexibility and scalability (further strategies expected)
  - Integrated solution (utilization of existing softwares)
- Tools:
  - PI System → Main process database + Real-time analysis
  - SAP PM → Equipment database + Maintenance management tool
- Missing component: Connection between systems

## **Architecture – Roles of components**

#### PI Server

- Process database
- Online analysis of process information
- Calculation of asset health
  - Asset condition
  - Running hours
  - Performance
- User Interface
  - PI Coresight
  - PI DataLink

#### **Connection**

(WebLogic)

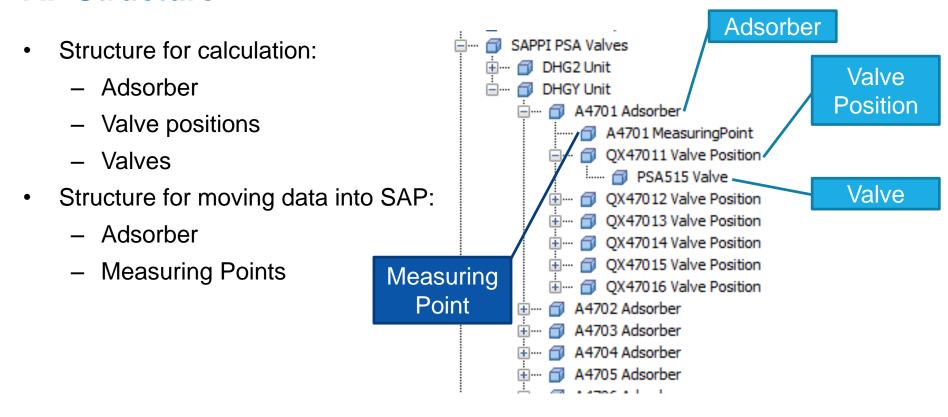
Calculated asset health

Maintenance related information

#### SAP PM

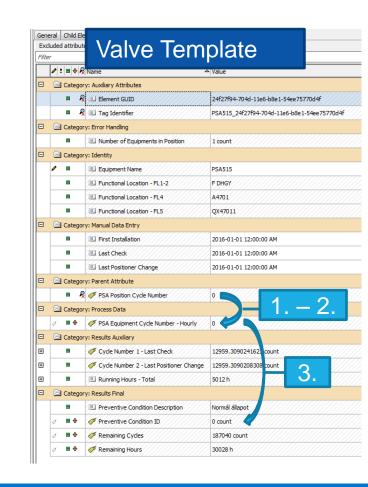
- Maintenance database
- Management of maintenance processes
- Creation of work orders or notifications
- Trigger maintenance strategies based on asset health

#### **AF Structure**



#### AF Calculation 1.

- Calculation steps:
  - 1. Cycle number of valve positions (PI Points)
  - 2. Cycle number of valves (read the attribute from the current parent)
  - 3. Preventive maintenance state of valves (based on valve cycle number and last repair time)
  - 4. Two aggregation steps (one with formula data reference, one with Roll Up analysis)
  - Collecting results to move data into SAP Measuring Points



#### AF Calculation 2.

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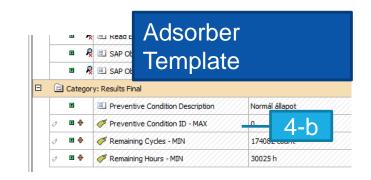
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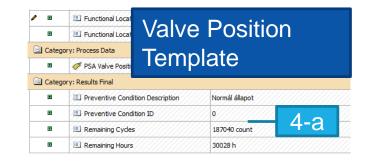
Measuring Point

MP Value

Template

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# PI System-SAP Connection

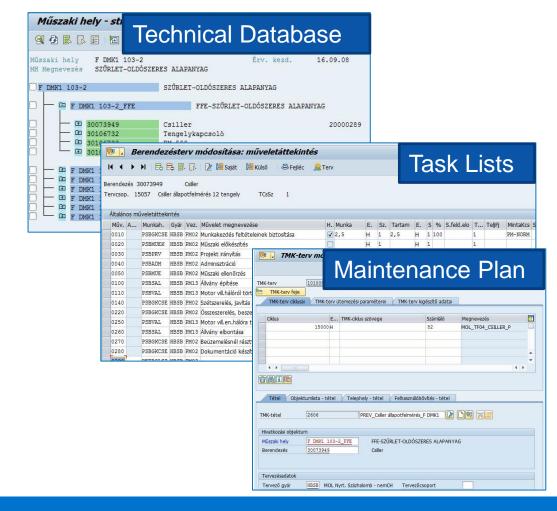
- Collect data from elements with Measuring Point template
  - PI OLEDB Enterprise
  - AF linked table

- Expose these data to the WebLogic middleware (Linux+Java)
  - PI JDBC did not fit into our existing environment
  - WebLogic reads through PI Web API

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****** Object: View SAPPI MeasuringPoint Results Script Date: 2016
SELECT
FROM [Maintenance].[DataT].[SAPPI MeasuringPoint Results]
Results
           Messages 
                         SAP MP Type SAP MP Unit of Measure SAP Parent Object ID
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# **Asset Policy – SAP PM**

- Maintenance management → Asset policy
- Asset policy:
  - Where to do?
  - What to do?
  - When to do?
- SAP PM covers these functionalities
  - Technical database
  - Task lists
  - SAP maintenance plan based on measuring points (with data from PI System)



# **Expected Results**

- Contribution in strategic operational availability program (UPTIME) goal: 97% Operational Availability
- Preventive maintenance strategies in operation (e.g. PSA valves, Furnace tubes)
  - Estimated reduction of unplanned shutdowns caused by these equipments: 10-15 %
  - Saving due to increased operational reliability of these eqipments: \$230,000/year
- Flexible, scalable system
  - Further assets to be involved in preventive maintenance





# **Next Steps**

- Short-term
  - System roll out for other assets
- Mid- and long-term
  - System roll out for other assets
  - Utilization of advanced analytic possibilities (SAP HANA, PI Integrator for Business Analytics)
- Identification of further possibilities to utilize process data in maintenance





# Reliability can be increased significantly with the PI System

#### **COMPANY** and GOAL

MOL operates thousands of assets, therefore reliability is a key factor in success; asset availability is a pillar of our efficiency programs.







#### **CHALLENGE**

Challenging strategic operational availability goals (97%)

- This level of OA can not be achieved with reactive maintenance
- Critical PSA valve failures have to be prevented

#### SOLUTION

PI Server-based solution to support operational awareness and preventive maintenance

- Integrity Operating Windows (IOW) and HTHA implementation in PI Server to avoid corrosive, harmful situations
- Connection of PI Server and SAP PM to support preventive maintenance

#### **RESULTS**

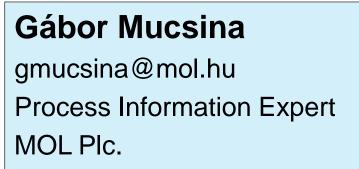
Effective tools for maintenance engineers to keep asset healthy

- Less corrosive process conditions
- · Longer asset life
- Increased availability of PSA valves (\$230,000/year)
- Flexible architecture for further preventive strategies



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"In God we trust; all others bring data."

W. E. Deming



