

# OSIsoft, Sharepoint, VBA Harmony to Advance Operational Troubleshooting

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## Agenda

- MHPS Overview
- Challenge
- Organization Development
- Implementation
- Further Harmonization within the RMC
- Future Growth and Plans
- Questions and Takeaways

# About Mitsubishi Hitachi Power Systems

- MHPS is an industry leader in power generation technology including Advanced Class Gas Turbine.
- The MHPS Remote Monitoring Center (RMC) is using the PI System to monitor its customers' power generation assets around the world.
- Connectivity is tailored for the specific requirements of the customer. The RMC monitors OEM and non-OEM equipment across turbine classes.
- MHPS is currently expanding to Total Plant Monitoring and improving process efficiency through automation is a strong focus.





## **Operations Overview**

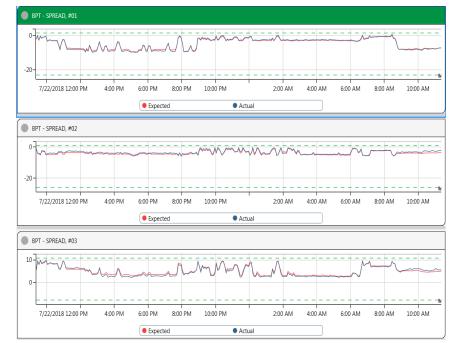
- 24-Hour OEM Support
- Real-Time Monitoring and Analysis with OSISoft PI
- Lessons-Learned Fleet Database
- Informative Operational Reports
- Alarm Management
- Web-Based Customer Portal for Remote Data Access



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# **Engineering Overview**

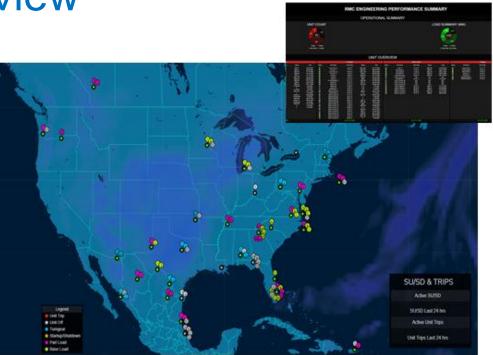
- 24-Hour OEM Engineering Support
- Predictive Analysis through Advanced
   Pattern Recognition software linked to
   OSISoft PI
- Performance & Reliability Optimization
- Controls, Combustion Dynamics,
   Vibration, and Operational
   Engineering Support





## **Development Overview**

- Total Plant Monitoring Initiative
- Dashboard Development
- Quarterly Report Development
- Custom Coded Tools
- Software Evaluation
- AssetFramework Buildout





#### **Automating Journal Entries**

Start-up commences Macro based excel tools uses PI Datalink, and calls data from Sharepoint

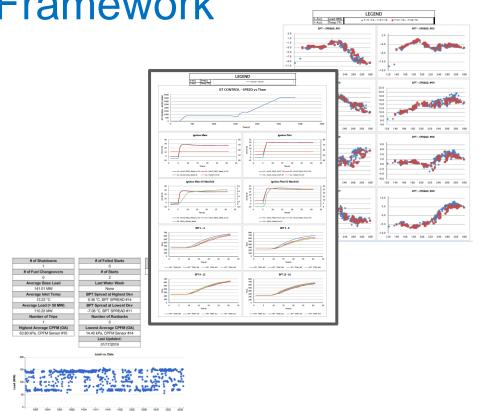
Userform Data pushed to Sharepoint, with a click of a button



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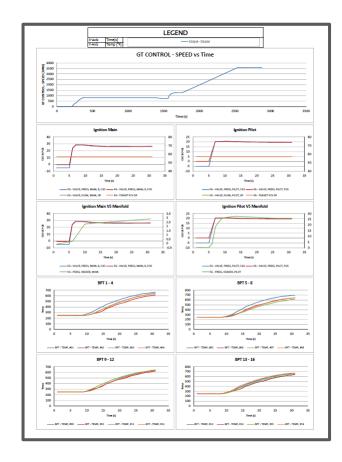
#### Conversion to AssetFramework

- With the addition of AssetFramework and the subsequent utilization with the RMC of that structure, the majority of our macro based tools were modified to use our AF Fleet structure.
- Custom tools that are built for RMC troubleshooting as well and tools that are created for other MHPS based groups reference this structure.



# **Pulling PI Data**

- The startup comparison is an in house custom coded tool that uses Sharepoint information, and PI Datalink to review the profiles of start-ups.
- The RMC uses the tool to watch for degradation of components and to assist in the troubleshooting of failed starts.
- A portion of this tool automates the journal entries created by the operators.





# **Pulling PI Data**

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 Automatically pulls data using PI Datalink and references Asset Framework attributes so that it can be used across the fleet.



#### **Referencing Asset Framework**

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#### **Transferring PI Data to Userform**

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• The parameters that are required for the startup entry are read and placed into the userform automatically.

#### Userform

- The final product: A userform that automatically pulls the relevant PI Data via a function that uses PI Datalink, communicates with Sharepoint to pull the related unit issues, and allows for notes to be entered
- With the push of a button publishes all aggregated data to Sharepoint

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## Pushing data back to Sharepoint

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 JSON is used to transmit the structured data to the Sharepoint site.

## Improving Journal Entry Efficiency

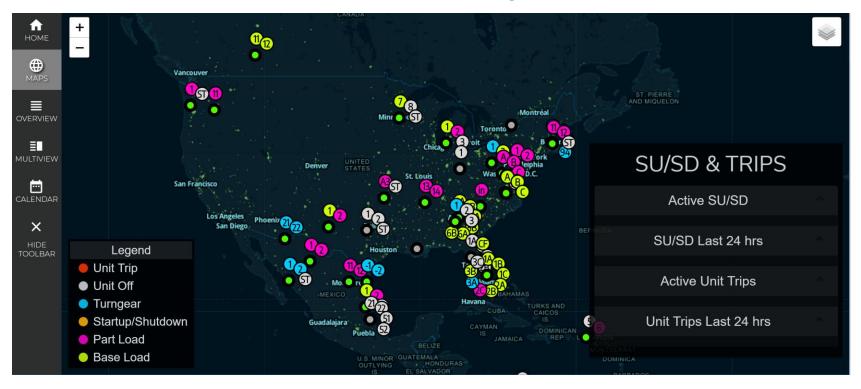
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- Year to date we have close to 800 starts across the fleet
- Time of manual entries for start summaries drastically dropped, and continued focus on automation is key for our ever expanding fleet

#### **Other Integration of OSISoft PI Data**



#### **Dashboard Under Development**



## **PIAF connection with Python**

import sys
sys.path.append('C:\\Program Files
(x86)\\PIPC\\AF\\PublicAssemblies\\4.0\\'
import clr
clr.AddReference('OSIsoft.AFSDK')
from OSIsoft import AF

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system_name = "piaf"
target_database_name = "RMC"
plants element name = "Plants"
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MySystem = AF.PISystems().get_Item(system_name)
databases = MySystem.Databases
target_database = databases.get_Item(target_database_name)
plant_elements =
target_database.get_Elements().get_Item(plants_element_name).get_
Elements()
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- The connection to PIAF with python is handled by the OSIsoft AF SDK
- The python package needed is the 'clr' package in order to add the reference to AF SDK this will allow you to import the OSIsoft AF dll as a python package inheriting all of the AF Database functionalities

# Getting Information from an Element

 Once an element is accessed you can get the name of the element by using the get\_Name() function

self.\_plant\_name = self.\_plant\_element.get\_Name()

 To access all attributes in an element you can use the get\_Attributes() function

#### self.\_plant\_element.get\_Attributes()

 To get the value of an attribute use the GetValue() function [this returns a AF Value object] then this object can use its own get\_Value() function to return the raw value of the attribute

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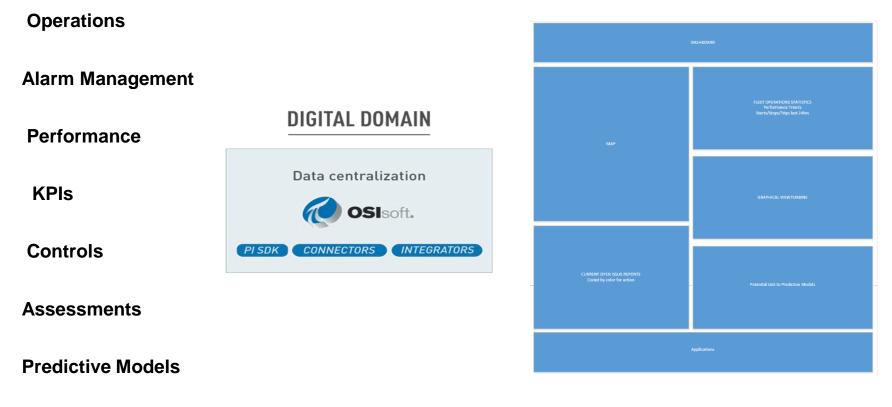
### **Getting Information from an Element**



- Any values within a PIAF database can be accessed with the functionality noted in the previous slides.
- Once you are connected to the database, the values are all basically broken down into elements and attributes where you just need to find the relationship of child elements of a parent object until you route to the attribute that contains the value you are looking for.



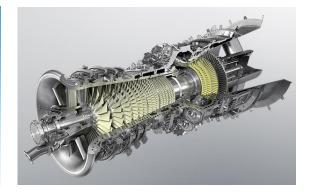
#### **Total Plant Initiative**



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Leveraging the PI System to Advance Troubleshooting Techniques and Process Efficiencies



#### CHALLENGE

Adapting to the demand of digital transformation and the optimization of the use of the data, and the exponential growth of the RMC

- Evolving Customers
- Expanding expectations to total plant and non-OEM equipment
- · Expansion of monitored fleet

#### SOLUTION

Use standardization of Asset Framework, and communication, to development tools to for process improvement

- Automation of startup process
   evaluation
- Automation of entry to journal
- Future Dashboard currently being used and in development

#### RESULTS

Reduction of journal entry time, reduction of time for evaluation of startups, improved root cause analysis

**MHPS** is currently expanding capabilities to offer Total Plant Monitoring and developing in house applications for troubleshooting and performance evaluation

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