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# OMV's Helius data ecosystem with the AVEVA PI System enabling scalable innovation in CBM

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# Introduction to OMV E&P's data ecosystem



# OMV 2030: An integrated sustainable fuels, chemicals and materials company



## GROUP



Chemicals & Materials

- Become a **global leader in specialty polyolefin** solutions, with a significantly strengthened position in Asia and North America
- **Scale up the circular business** and diversify into **new high-value chemicals and materials** for long-life applications



Refining & Marketing

- Reconfigure refining in the direction of **renewable fuels and chemical feedstock** production with deeper chemicals integration
- Provide **mobility solutions** by building a sustainable fuels business and **growing Retail** through non-fuel business and e-mobility



Exploration & Production

- Leverage existing capabilities to **provide sustainable energy solutions** (geothermal, CCS)
- **Reduce fossil production** gradually and shift to natural gas, as an energy transition fuel until 2030



Build a **sustainable growth business model**, with focus on increasing returns for shareholders



**“Digitalization will change the way the E&P business is conducted. Digitalization will change the world of work. It will change what we do and how we do it. That’s why we have to act immediately and be among the frontrunners.”**

Johann Pleininger – Executive Board Member OMV Exploration & Production, 2018

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# DigitUP in a Nutshell – the journey so far

## Program Refinement

### *“ShaPing Our Expectations”*

- ▶ Clear ambitions set for the future
- ▶ Prioritize portfolio to business outcome
- ▶ Accelerate innovation

## UPFront

### *“Organizing to value”*

- ▶ Uplifting our investments
- ▶ Upshifting our people
- ▶ Upscaling our innovation

## Changing Gears

### *“Ready for acceleration”*

- ▶ RamPing up deployments
- ▶ Cloudification architecture set up
- ▶ Firm grasp on value

2018

2020 Q2

2021 Q2

2022

2020 Q1

2020 Q3

2021 Q4

## DigitUP

### *“Becoming a Digital Frontrunner”*

- ▶ Upstream integrated
- ▶ Value-focused
- ▶ Renovating the core

## Pandemic & Economic Crisis

### *“Proving the Concept”*

- ▶ Digital backbone successfully delivers
- ▶ Doing more with less

## DigitUP Petrom

### *“Bringing technology to the field”*

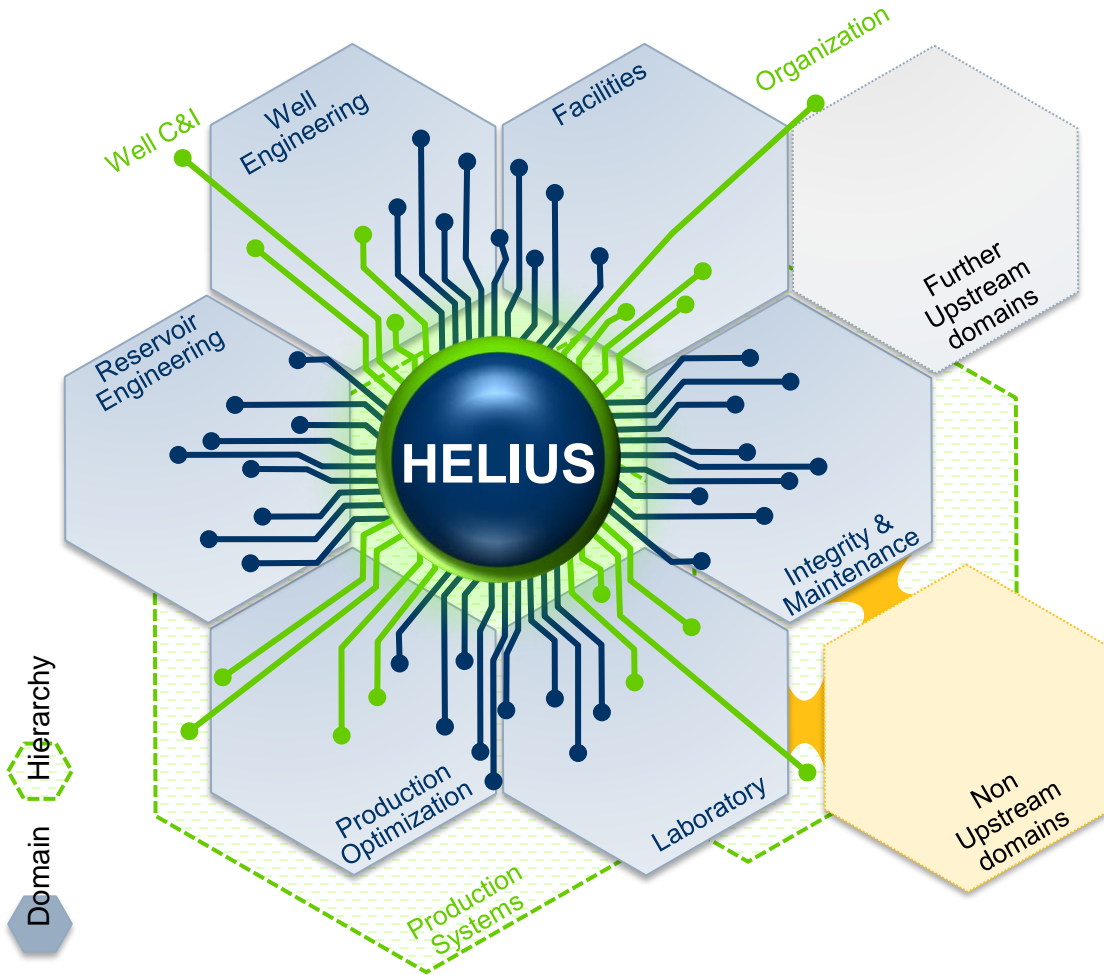
- ▶ Scalable deployment in the field
- ▶ Portfolio of 23 projects



# HELIUS is a main Pillar of our Digitalization Journey

A fully integrated in the cross-domain data ecosystem

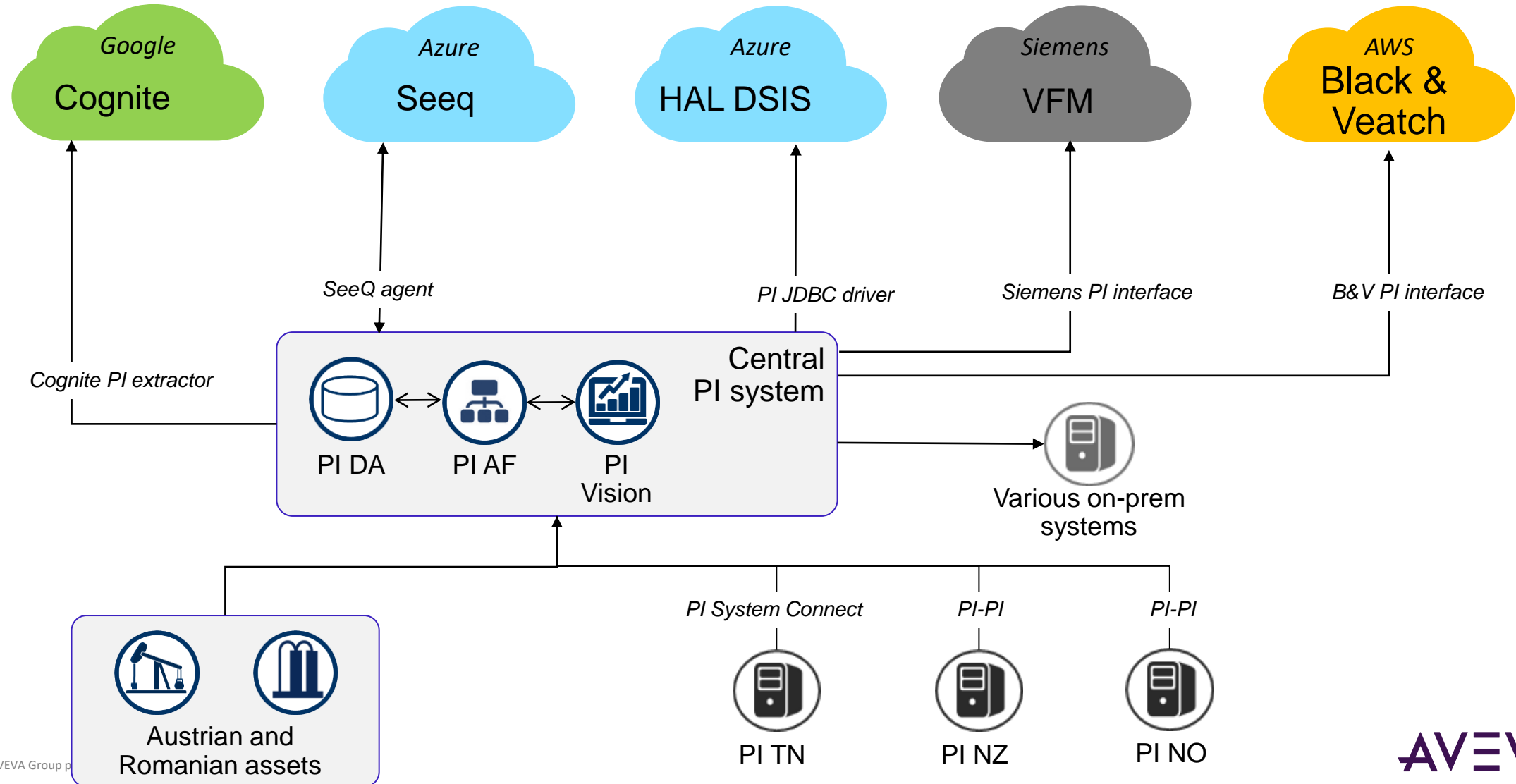
The **contextualizing** of all domain data unlocks the potential of large-scale automation and data-driven decision making.



## HELIUS ...

- ▶ is the **point of access for all E&P data** for application developers, citizen developers and all end users
- ▶ manages the **diversity of data types, documents, spatial and real-time Operational Technology** and sets them into a meaningful relation
- ▶ Based on a **tight integration of best of breed** industry platforms OSDU, Cognite Data Fusion, ESRI ArcGIS and Aveva PI System
- ▶ is governed and quality assured through the defined **Data Domain Framework** to increase confidence in our data,
- ▶ is safeguarded by a **common security and access framework**, and

# The PI system plays a key role in HELIUS as gateway to the OT world



# HELIUS uses PI Asset Framework as an engine to apply data governance in digital applications



## Enable Digital Innovation at scale

- Transform digital innovation at a local level into products that can be rolled out across a global enterprise
- Allow a global community of experts to collaborate to solve common problems

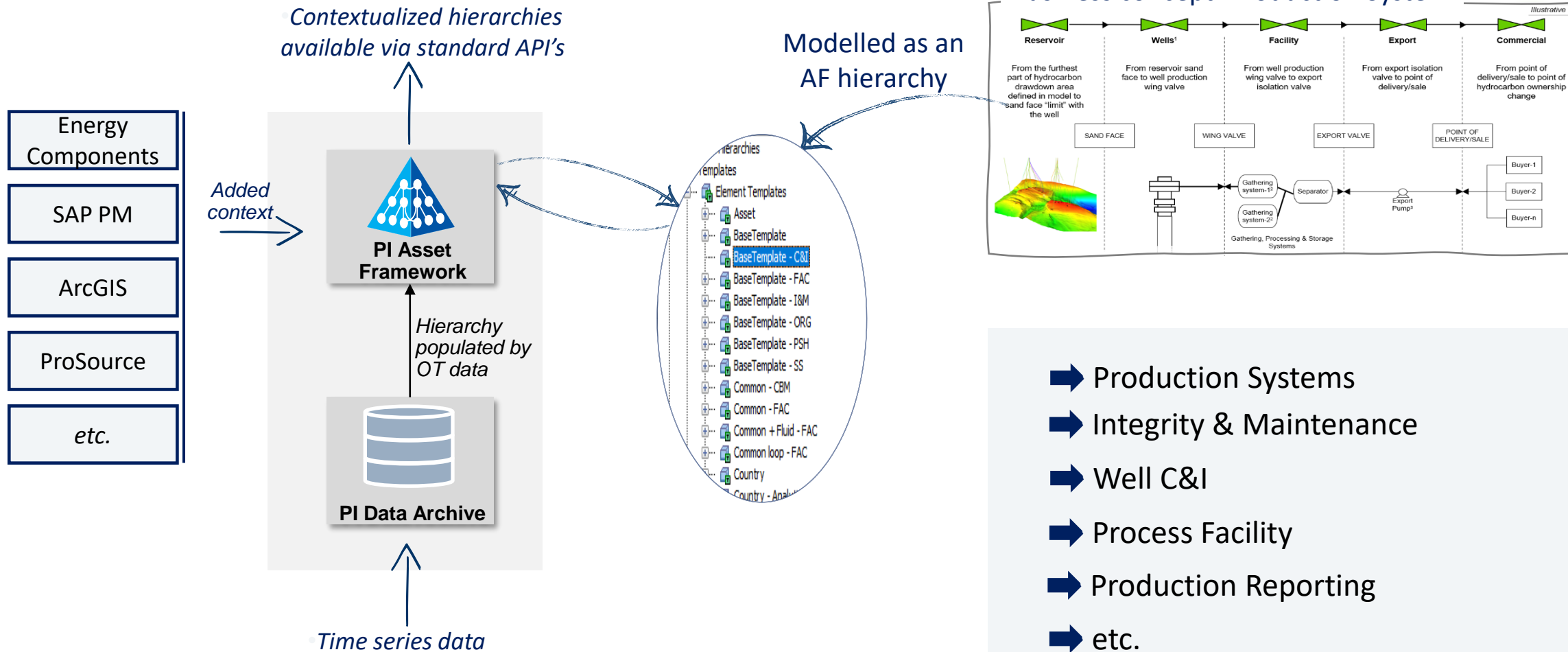
## A governance framework to harmonize the data foundation

- OMV E&P's **Data Domain Framework** establishes the principles and rules to overcome silos between the disciplines and between locations
- Standard definition of properties of significant business entities → **Data Dictionary**
  - Standard definition of the relationships between significant business entities → **Upstream Hierarchies**

## A technical platform to make governance rules accessible

- An API-layer that exposes data according to the standard definitions of the data dictionary
- Utilize PI AF's powerful modeling capabilities to establish a library of Upstream Hierarchies
- Utilize PI AF's integration capabilities to populate the Upstream Hierarchies and expose them to consumers via the API-layer

# Upstream Hierarchies represent core concepts defined by Business SME's and managed as hierarchies in PI AF





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# Leveraging Helius to scale up a condition monitoring use case

Local innovation to address frequent compressor failure in the Austrian branch office shall be rolled out globally with almost no additional coding required



# AT- OFF GAS Membrane Compressors Case



Type: Diaphragm Compressor  
 MKZ680-10  
 No. of rev.: 360 rpm  
 Stages: 2  
 Medium: Hydrogen  
 Suction press.: 18 bar abs  
 Disch. press.: 281 bar abs  
 Capacity: 580 m<sup>3</sup>/h (VN)  
 Motor power: 135 kW  
 Execution: ready for operation



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Compressor	Type
ST32	MKZ-680/10
ST42	MKZ-560/10
ST62	MKZ-680/10

# Off-gas compressors membrane failures

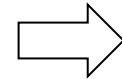
**Purpose:** To recycle gas to be flared and re-process it back to the production stream.

## Issue:

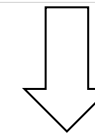
Frequent failures (ruptures) of the compressor's membranes due to excessive stress, leading to gas flaring and production partial shutdown for membrane replacement.

## Requirement:

Detect failure few days before to prevent unexpected production shutdown.



RGV Tage ohne Membranbruch bei den H2S-Restgasverdichter ST32, ST42 ST62										Ø Standzeit Membranen nach Bruch (Bh)	Ø Standzeit Membranen ges. (in Bh)
Tage ohne Bruch	Datum	Stat	St	Membrane	Anmerkung	Bh	E1/ E2 korrr./ pr	Membransatz			
27	Tage	09-11-17	ST42	1A	gasseitig	Membranbruch nach	3,961	E1	Kleibrink Satz	3358*	3358*
5	Tage	14-11-17	ST42	1B	gasseitig	Membranbruch nach	4,058	E1	Kleibrink Satz		
36	Tage	23-07-18	ST42	2	ölseitig	Membranbruch nach	2,368	E1	Membransatz Eigenfertigung	1533	1533
	Tage	23-04-19	ST42	2	kein Bruch gefunden	kein Bruch nach	6,039	E1	Membransatz Eigenfertigung		
30	Tage	13-08-19	ST42	1B	gasseitig	Membranbruch nach	10,983	E1	Membransatz Eigenfertigung	2549	2558
13	Tage	25-11-19	ST42	1A	gasseitig	Membranbruch nach	261	E1	Membransatz Eigenfertigung		
46	Tage	10-01-20	ST42	1A	gasseitig	Membranbruch nach	971	E1	Membransatz Eigenfertigung		
13	Tage	23-01-20	ST42	1A	gasseitig	Membranbruch nach	971	E1	Membransatz Eigenfertigung		
117	Tage	17-08-20	ST42	1B	gasseitig / 11 Uhr	Membranbruch nach	6,329	E1	Membransatz Eigenfertigung		
	Tage	08-09-20	ST42	1A	kein Bruch	Wechsel bei Service nach	5,362	E2	Membransatz Eigenfertigung	2139	2522
	Tage	08-09-20	ST42	2	kein Bruch	Wechsel bei Service nach	6,805	E2	Membransatz Eigenfertigung		
1	Tage	08-10-20	ST42	1A	gasseitig	Membranbruch nach	506	E1	Membransatz Eigenfertigung		
50	Tage	27-11-20	ST42	1A	gasseitig	Membranbruch nach	1,170	E1	Membransatz Eigenfertigung		
57	Tage	23-01-21	ST42	1A	gasseitig	Membranbruch nach	1,315	E1	Membransatz Eigenfertigung	3180	3180
26	Tage	18-02-21	ST42	1A	gasseitig	Membranbruch nach	529	E1	Membransatz Eigenfertigung		

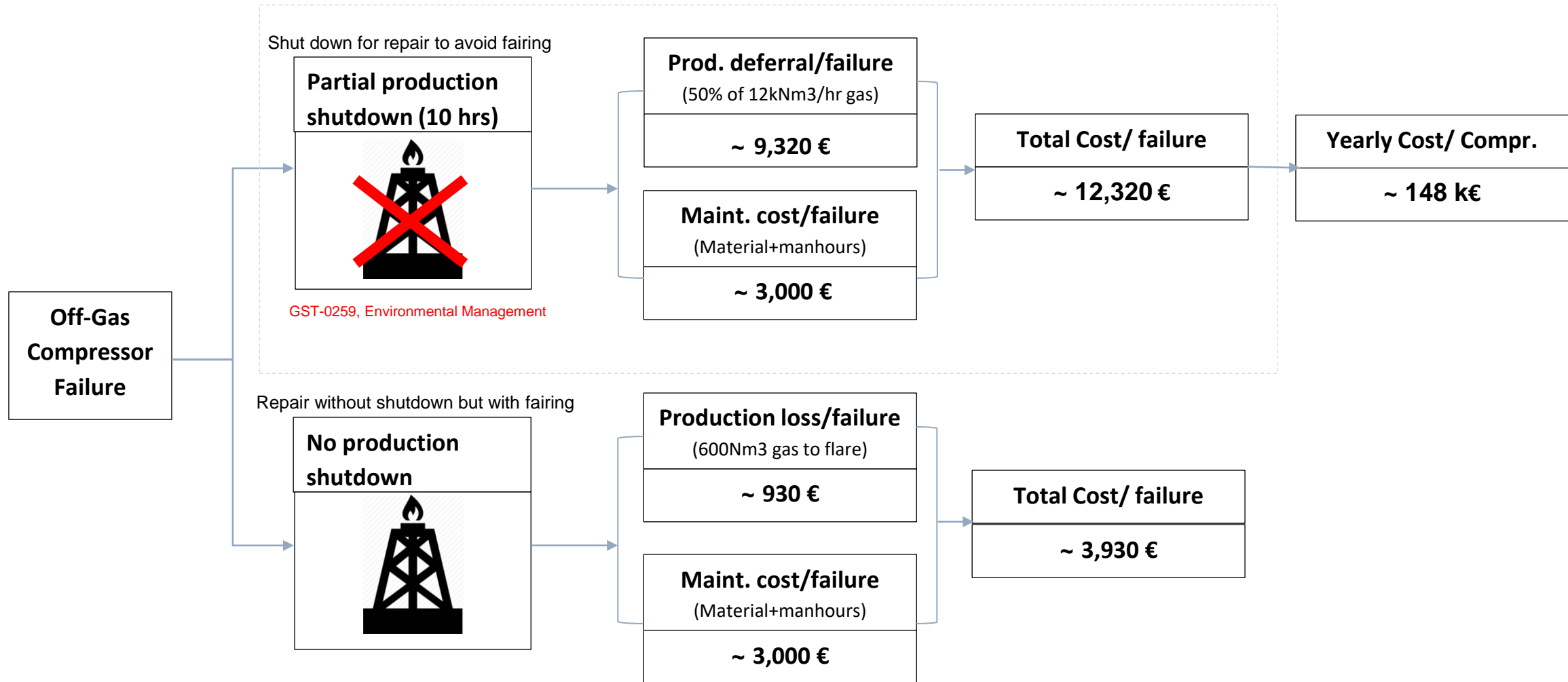


Average period without Failure (2017-2020)		Max	min
ST32	33.2 Days	136	0
ST42	35.1 Days	117	1
ST62	34.6 Days	102	0

## Case Study:

- ▶ Capsule failure symptoms using Seeq analytics.
- ▶ Capture a predominant signature and apply it for future failure prediction in order to extend membranes lifecycle.

# Off-Gas Compressor Failures costs



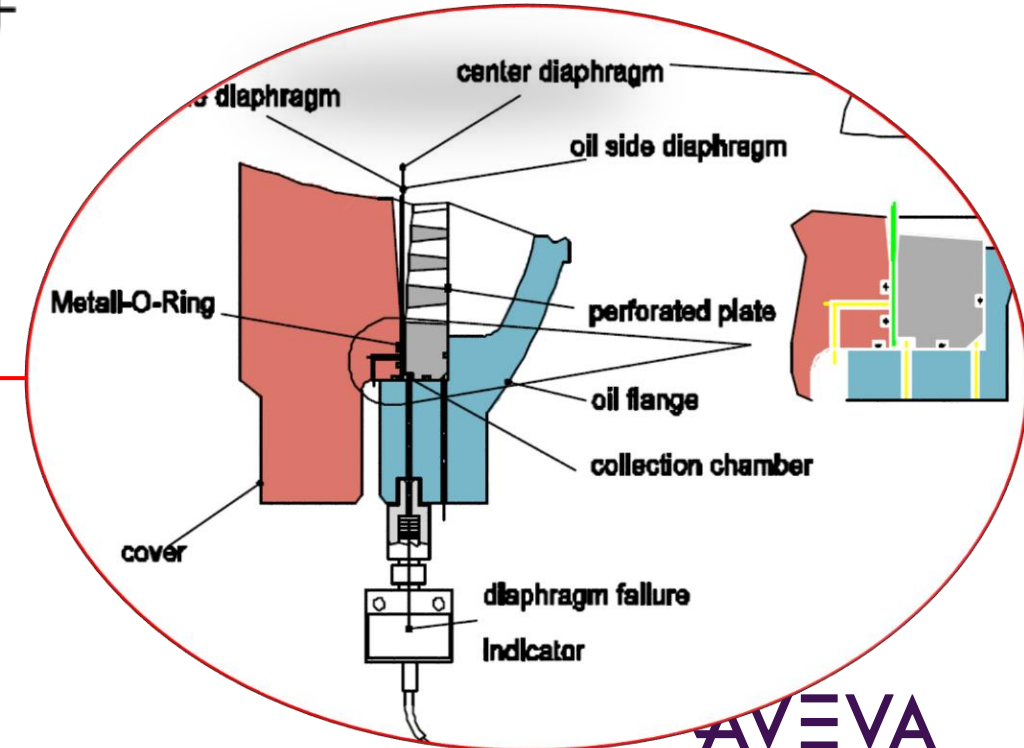
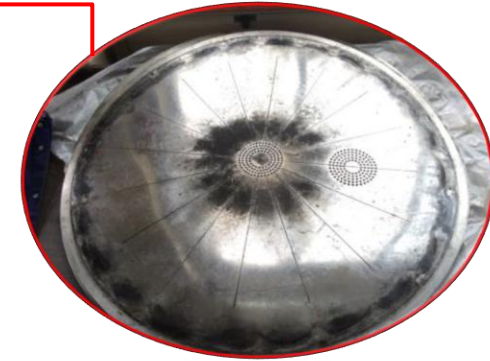
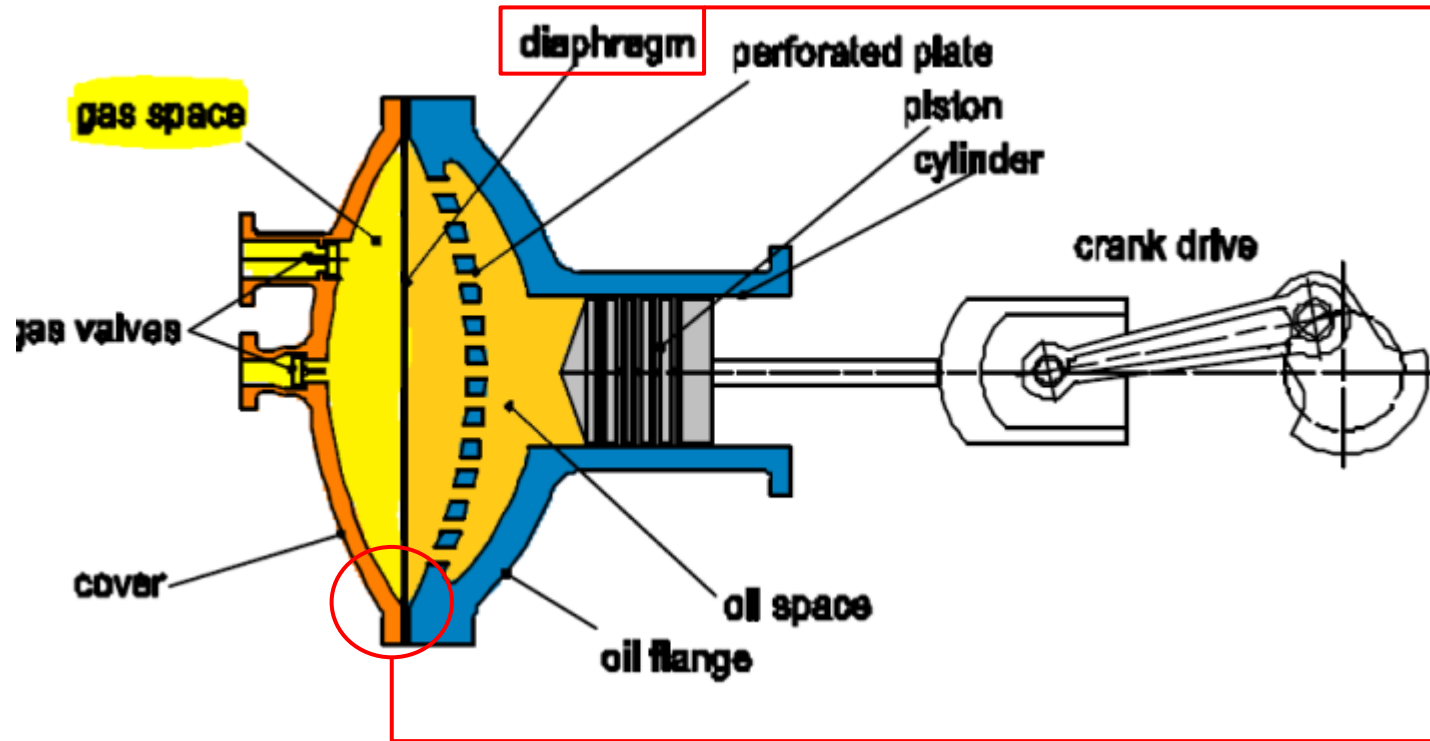
GST-0259, Environmental Management

1 m3 ≈ 0.0353 MMBTU

1MMBTU ≈ 4.4€ (Nov-2021)

(50%\*12000m3)\*0.0353MMBTU\*4.4 € \*10h≈ 9,320 €

# Membrane failure detection



A pressure switch is connected to the chamber, and a contact pressure gauge will stop the compressor. This ensures, that gas and oil will never come into contact with each other, or that gas escapes to the atmosphere through the open hydraulic system downstream the overflow valve.



# Membrane problem

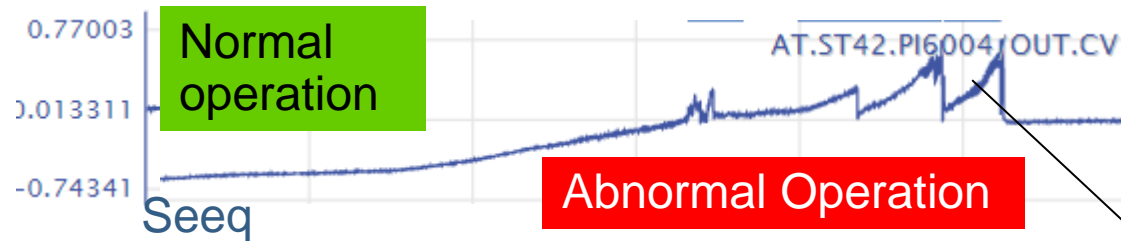
PI-6004: Membrane internal pressure 1A

Provides information about membrane stress and rupture.

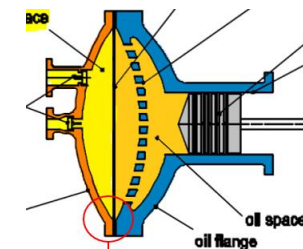
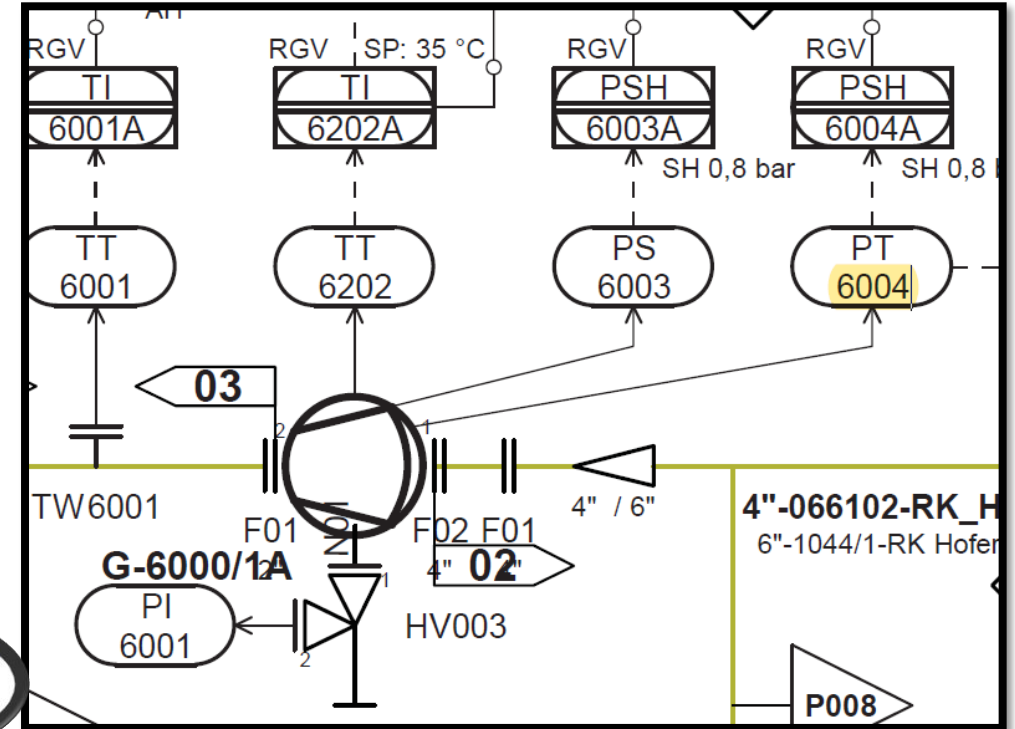
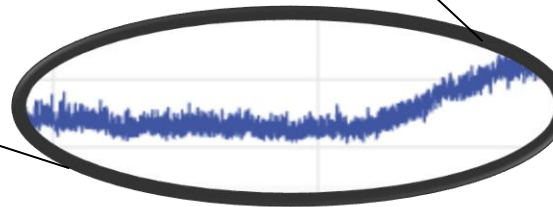
PT6004 value shall be negative pressure.

PT6004 Alarm high 0.8 bar.

Any changes in the value will inform about the membrane status.



Pressure increase, and higher signal instability



# Signature identification using Seeq

Similar symptoms appeared before the membrane failure happens:

- Membrane stress pressure reaches 0.15 bar
- Higher signal instability reaching 0.1 bar P2P.

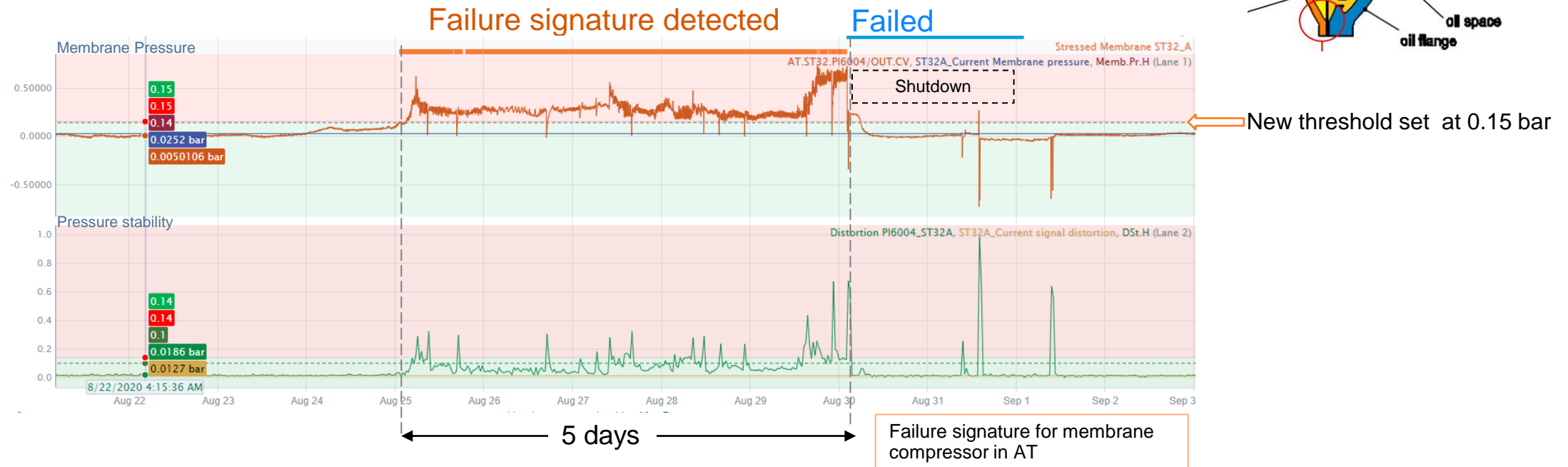
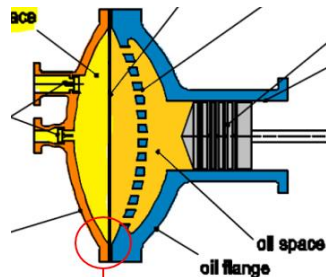
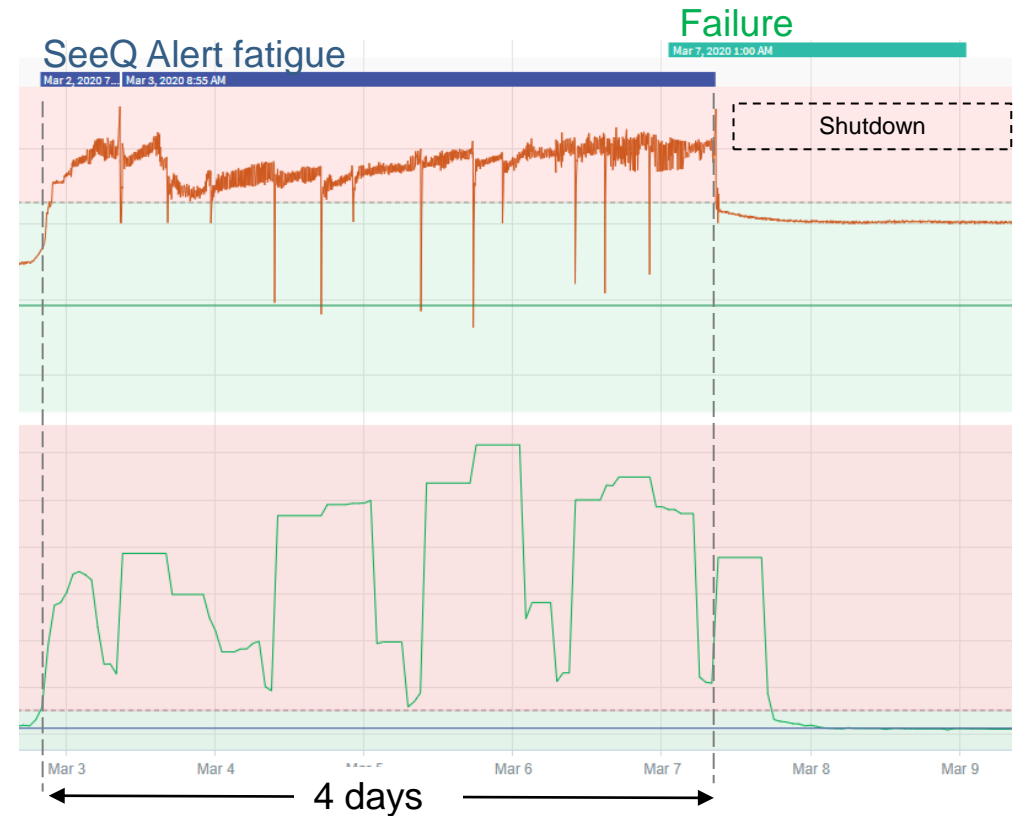
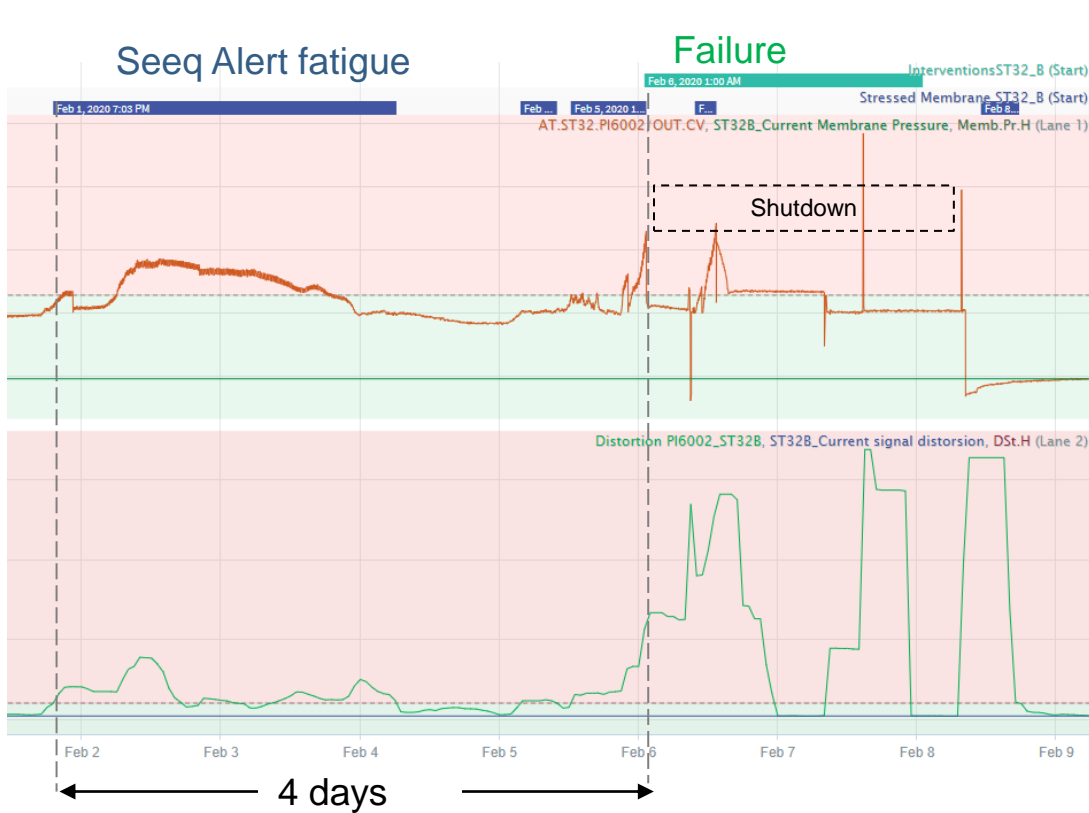


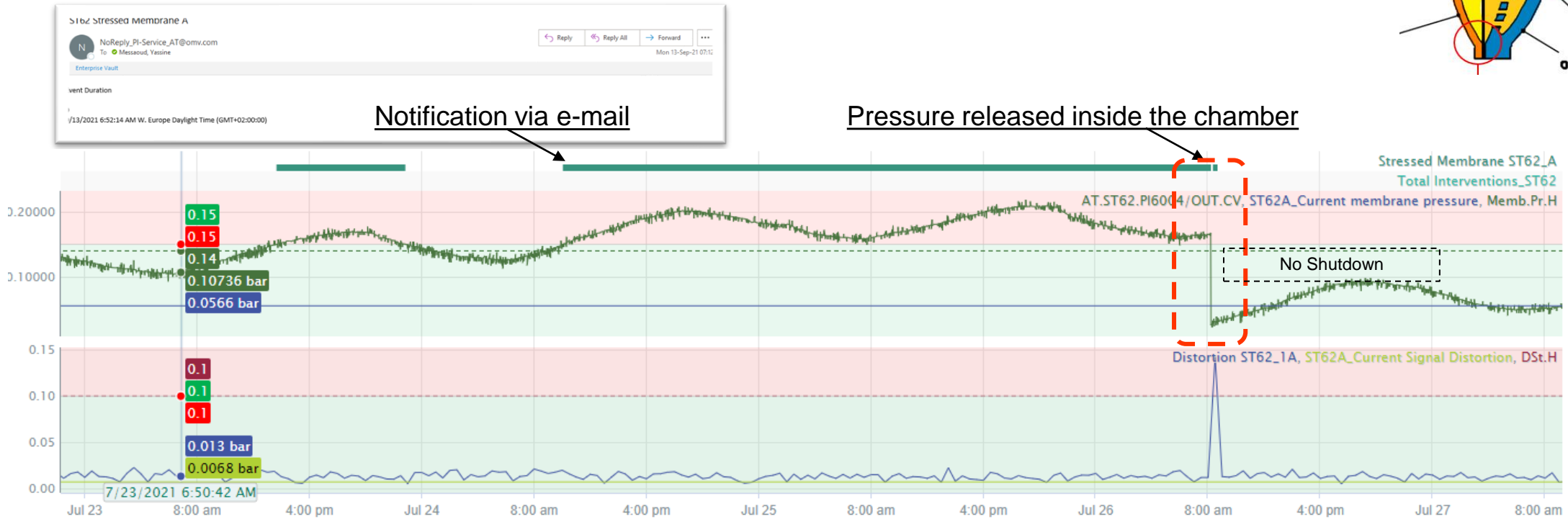
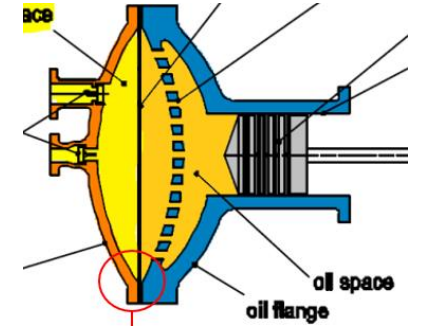
Fig 1 – Failures signatures detection

# Signature tested on other compressors



# Proposed solution

- Continuously Monitor membranes for all the compressors using Seeq
- Seeq creates an e-mail notification to alert if any symptom appear on the trend
- Inform operation team to drain the built-up pressure in the chamber



# Results



Since implemented (June-2021):

- 3 alerts were raised on ST32 and ST62
- No shutdown caused by the monitored membranes
- Cost avoidance for 6 months=  $12.320 \times 3 = 36.960 \text{ €}$

Future steps:

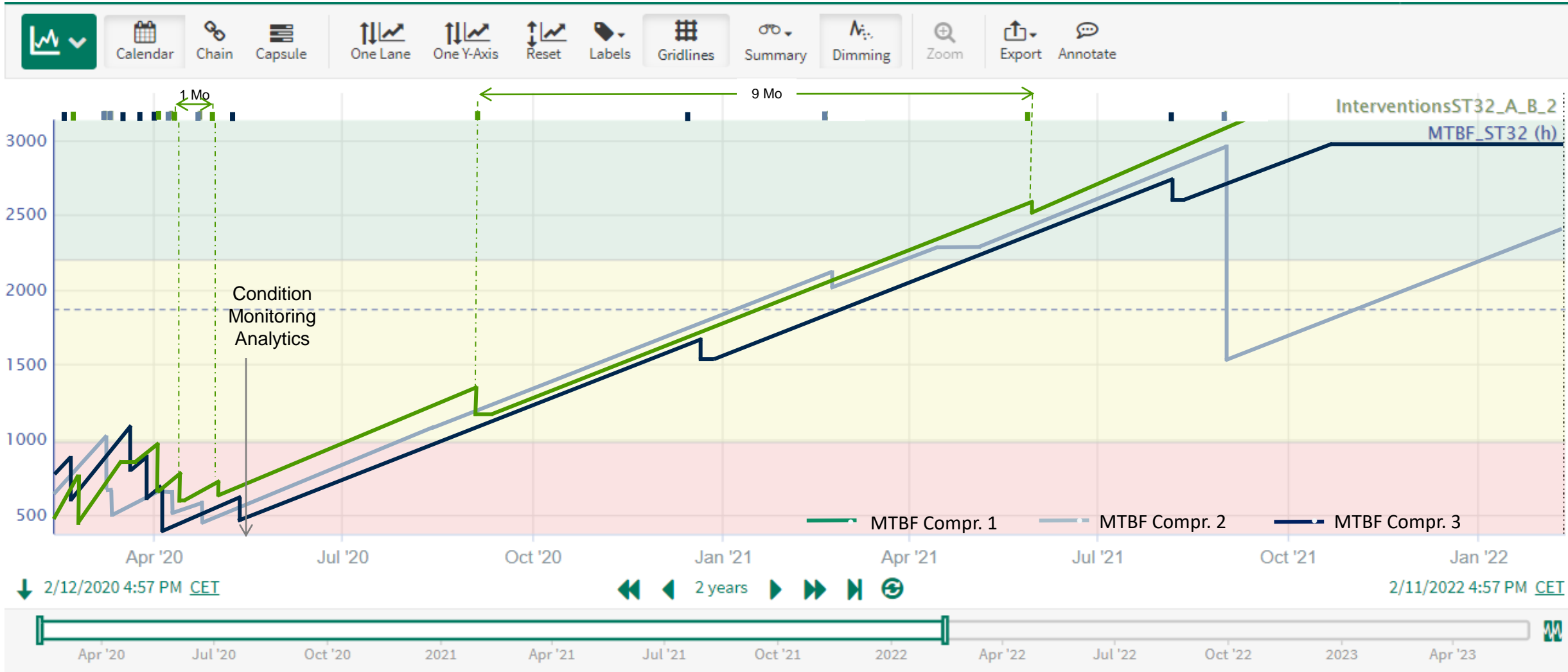
- Apply the model on 6 similar compressors located in Tunisia
- Expand the solution to more complex reciprocating compressor



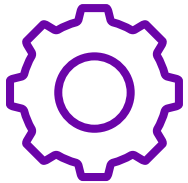
Note: the purpose of membranes monitoring with Seeq is not to eliminate the membranes failures root cause it, but to predict the next failure and extend its lifecycle



# Increased MTBF



# World-class upstream operations



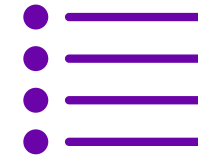
## Challenge

- Reduce high Off-Gas failure costs associated with compressor membrane rupture by identifying signs of stress and initiating corrective action.



## Solution

- Deployed Seeq in combination with data gathered by the AVEVA PI System to derive an analytical model to predict compressor membrane failures
- Ensured the solution is scalable by applying our Standard Upstream Hierarchies as implemented in PI AF.



## Benefits

- Increased MTBF from 1 month to 9 months
- No shutdowns caused by monitored membranes, avoiding costs of around 40K€ over the past 6 months; expecting around 120K€ per year.
- Ready to expand the solution footprint from Austria to similar compressors in Tunisia with no additional coding



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