



European Turbine Network 9th International Gas Turbine Conference 2018

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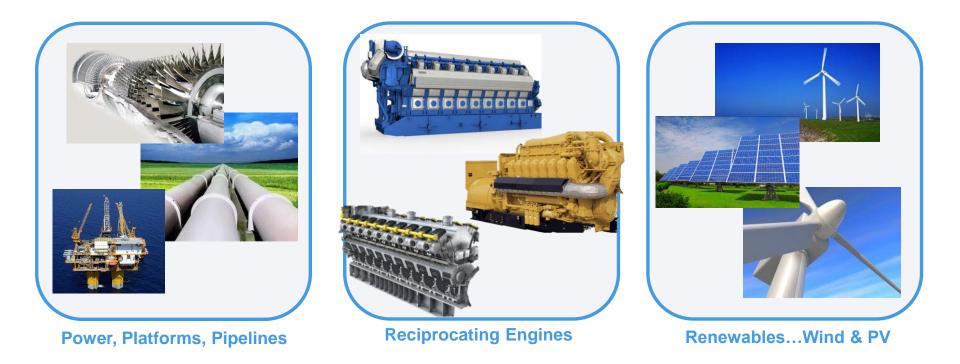
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- What Does the ORAP Data Show Us?
- Where Are We Headed Data and Predictive Analytics
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 - DOE Projects





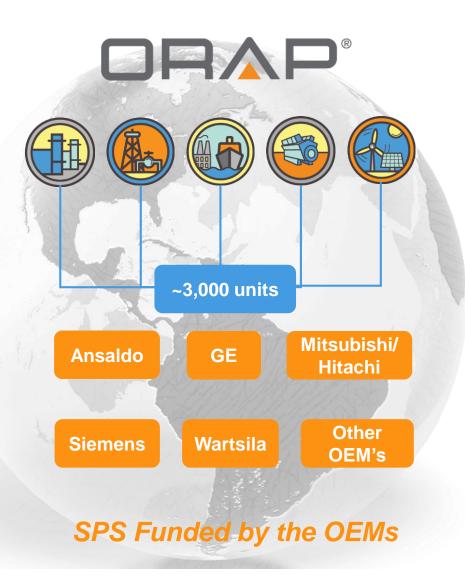


ORAP[®] - A Global Database

RAM Data for Large-Scale Capital Equipment



ORAP: The Foundation for Predictive Analytics

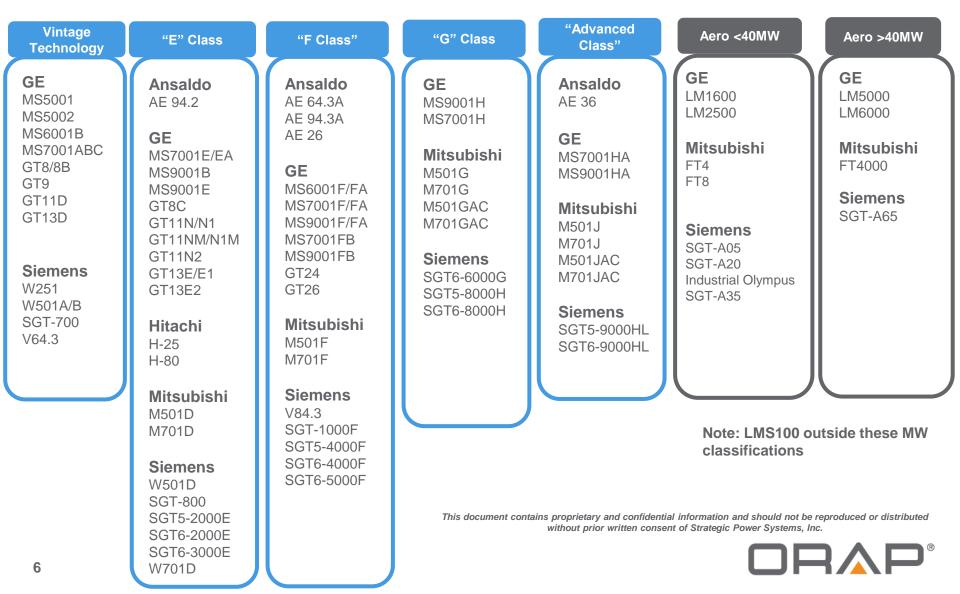


- Third-Party, Unbiased
- 30+ Years of Data
- RAM Data for Large-Scale Capital Equipment
 - Heavy Duty & Aero GT
 - Fossil ST
 - Reciprocating Engines
 - o Renewables
- Technologies & Applications
 - Combined & Simple Cycle Plants
 - Power Generation & Mechanical Drive
 - Peaking to Continuous Duty
- IEEE Standard 762 Compliant

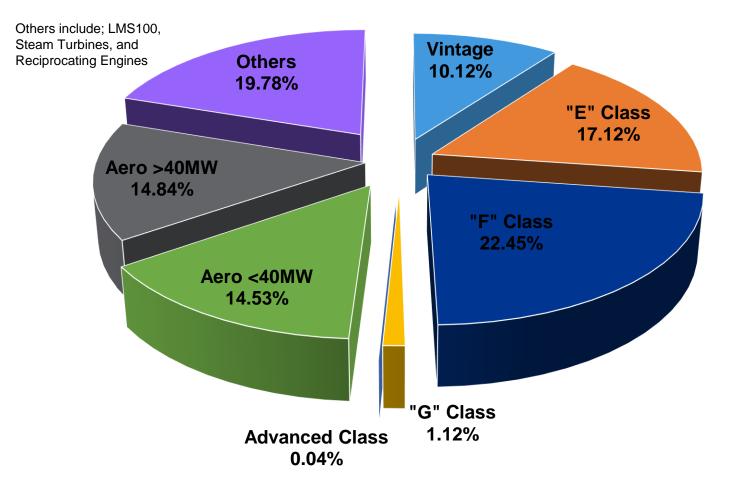


Gas Turbine OEMs and Models

Driven by Technology Advances







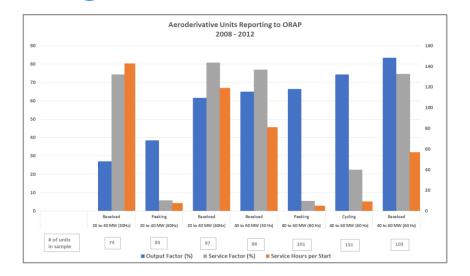
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- Reviewed 3 Time periods:
 - $\circ \quad 2008-2012$
 - o 2013 2017
 - o 2018 Year to Date
- Samples included:
 - Aeroderivative Units 20 MW to 40 MW
 - Aeroderivative Units 40 MW to 40 MW
 - o "E" Class Units
 - o "F" Class Units
 - o "G" Class Units
- Samples further segmented by
 - o Grid Frequency
 - o Duty Cycle
- Following Slides Highlight Review of Aeroderivative and "E" & "F" Class units



ORAP Data – Aeroderivative Units

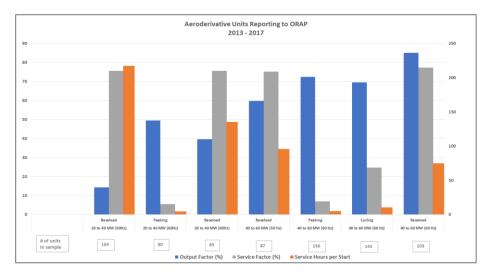


Aeroderivative 20 to 40 MW Units from 2008 - 2012

- Units in 50Hz applications serve mainly Baseload Duty with average missions of ~6 days and annual operation +6,500 hours
- Units in 60Hz applications are largely split between Peaking Duty with average missions <8 hours and annual operation ~500 hours and Baseload Duty with average missions of ~5 days and annual operation +7,000 hours
 - Peaking Duty units are largely in Utility applications, while the Baseload Duty Units are mainly in Industrial Cogeneration & CHP applications.

Aeroderivative 40 to 60 MW Units from 2008 – 2012

- The units in 50Hz applications are mainly in Baseload Duty similar to the 20 MW to 40 MW units. The average mission time is less at ~3.5 days, but annual operation increased to +6,700 hours
- There are a large number of units operating in Cycling Duty for 60Hz Applications. These units start over 200 times per year



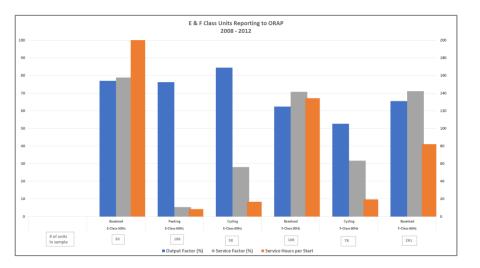
 When Comparing Time Frames from 2008-2012 to 2013-2017, the average mission time increased across all Aeroderivative fleets while the average annual operating hours remained consistent

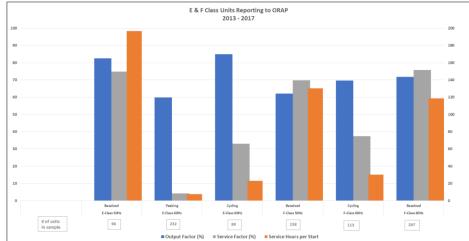
For example the 20 to 40 MW Baseload Duty units:

- The average mission increased from ~6 days to +9 days for the units in 50 Hz applications and from ~5 days to +5.5 days
- Output Factor decreased over same time period this is an indications that the Units are load following to a large degree in the last five years
- The data covering YTD 2018 has remained consistent with 2013-2017



ORAP Data – "E" & "F" Class Units





Heavy Duty E Class and F Class units

- In the 50Hz Market, the majority of the Heavy Duty E Class and F Class units reporting to ORAP operated in Baseload Duty For both 5 year periods 2008-2012 and 2013-2017
 - These Units operated on average between 6,100 and 7,000 hours per year with average missions ranging between 5 and 11 days
- The majority of the E Class units reporting to ORAP in the 60Hz market operated Peaking Duty with average annual operation <500 hours and ~8 hour missions
- The majority of the F Class units reporting to in the 60Hz market operated Baseload Duty with average annual operation ~6,500 hours and missions between 3 and 5 days

- E & F Class Cycling duty units in 60Hz applications operated more frequently and for longer missions when comparing 2008-2012 to 2013-2017. Average annual operation increased by ~440 hours for the E Class fleet and ~500 hours for the F Class fleet
- The data covering YTD 2018 has remained consistent with 2013-2017



OCONTROP ORAP Data – Forced Outages Major Contributors

2008-2012

- For 20 to 40MW Aeroderivative Units (50Hz and 60Hz)
 - Power Turbine First Stage Vane problems; 22 events with average of +180 days of downtime per event
- For both 20 to 40MW & 40 to 60MW Aeroderivative Units (50Hz and 60Hz)
 - Grid Instability; Over 1,100 events with ~6.5 downtime hours per event

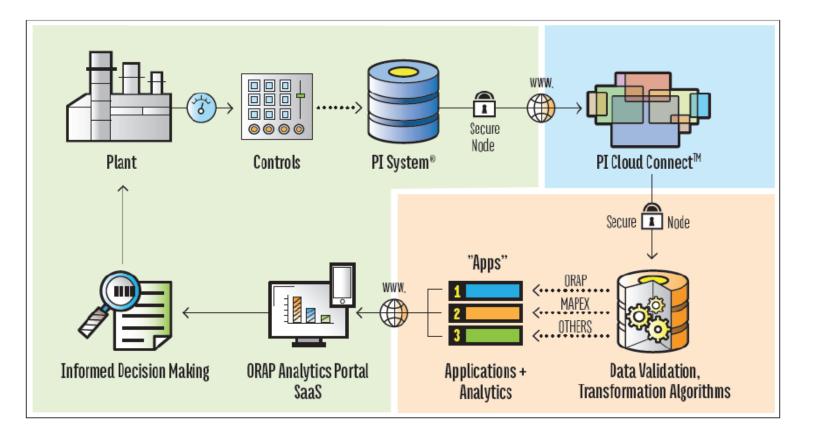
2013-2017

- For "E" Class Units (50Hz and 60Hz)
 - Main Transformer; 90 events with average of +2 weeks of forced downtime
- Significant downtime for "F" Class Units (50Hz and 60Hz) also
 - $\circ~$ Main Transformer problems; 80 events with average of +2 weeks of downtime
- 107 Forced Events reported on the Engine Bearings for 40 to 60MW Aeroderivative units (50Hz and 60Hz), average of +200 downtime hours per occurrence
- "F" Class Combined-Cycle Plants (50Hz and 60Hz)
 - 120 Forced Events reported on HP Drum Issues, average of +3 hours of downtime, mainly drum level trips





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ORAP RAM Connect	Benchmark Your Reliability Performance Against Your Peers
ORAP GADS	Simplify the Process of Submitting your NERC GADS Required Data
Life Calculator	Automatically Track the Cumulative Life of your Equipment Using Embedded Logic - Adhering to the Complex Aging Algorithms and Calculations Defined by the OEM
Operating Profile	Record Each Mission, from Start-Up to Shutdown, including All Major States – as well as Tracking Fuel Used and Power Produced at Each Stage
Maintenance Forecast	Project Your Major Maintenance Requirements up to 20 Years. Be Predictive About When you Will Need to Perform Maintenance, Based on Your Plant's Actual Operating Data
RAM KPIS	Calculate and Report Standard KPIs Required by Asset Management, Financial Management, Regulatory Authorities, and Insurance Companies
MapEx [®]	State-of-the-Art Thermal Performance Monitoring System to Support Decisions that Optimize Asset Utilization
PlantTrack™	Inspect, Repair, Replacement – Continuous Assessment of Critical Locations in Steam Systems – Structural Integrity
Predictlt™	Predict-It: Real-time anomaly detection software utilizing advanced pattern recognition



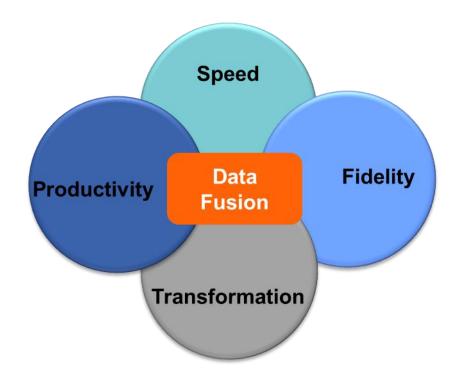


- Data Fusion = Where Near Real-Time Data Transformation Supports Owner/Operators in Validating and Monetizing Efficiency, Operating Flexibility, Durability, Environmental Friendliness, & Reliability
- Key Transformations: Time, Capacity, Age, and Events (the Operating Cycle)
- M&D is Precursor

Transformation & Analytics



Data Fusion – Key Elements





Data Fusion – The Operating Cycle

- Strong Focus on Operating Cycle or Mission Profile of the Unit
- Driven by Economic Dispatch Requirements
- Market is placing more stringent requirements on gas turbines (i.e. rapid starts and ramp rates)
 - Focus on mapping RAMD and near real-time performance data to drive economic payback

Requires Speed, Fidelity, Transformation & Productivity



Data Fusion – US DOE Projects

 Utilizing High Performance Computational Analysis to Characterize the Operating Envelope of Various NGCC Operating Technologies – Quantifying Efficiency, Availability, and Durability of Critical Hot Gas Path Hardware and Assessing the Impact on other Downstream Systems or Components across Cyclic Operating States

Oakridge National Labs

 An Investigation of the Effect of Cyclic Operation on HRSG and Coal Fired Boiler Tubes – Failures Induced by High Thermal Stress and Component Fatigue – An Opportunity for Predictive Maintenance

• National Energy Technology Laboratory (NETL)



A Conclusion in a Dynamic Market

- Market Places Premium on Mitigating Uncertainty
 - Uncertainty: What is the Likelihood that ...?
 - Plant is deterred from meeting dispatched load because it could not successfully start, or not start "fast enough"
 - Replacement source of power is needed because the plant cannot successfully complete its operating mission due to a trip from load
 - Changes in operating duty affect the planned maintenance schedule, part replacement strategy, and overall maintenance costs
 - OEM increases the interval between inspections and risk needs to be taken on by the plant
 - Operating efficiency and performance cannot be maintained
 - Pro forma expectations for profitability are missed because anticipated operations and maintenance plans are not met

Who Picks Up the Operational Risks? How Do you Mitigate the Risk?







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