

# THE NEXT BIG LEAP FOR THE FERTILIZER PLANT ASSET MANAGEMENT & ENERGY EFFICIENCY USING DIGITAL TOOLS

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Business as usual won't Improve! New ideas and approaches are needed......and are available today



# DIGITAL INDUSTRIAL TRANSFORMATION



Enhance Value and Unlock the potential to increase Reliability, Productivity & affect bottom line



IT/OT is converging representing a paradigm shift & is leading to new ways to do business.



#### The Industrial Cloud Platform





# EARLY ADAPTORS OF **PREDIX**

### Reliance Industries and GE form a global partnership to drive digital transformation in the industrial world

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**Reliance Industries Limited** and GE announced the signing of a global partnership agreement in the Industrial IOT (IIOT) space whereby **RIL** and **GE** will work together to build out joint applications on GE's Predix platform.

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The agreement was signed in the presence of Jeff Immelt, Chairman and CEO, GE and Mukesh Ambani, Chairman and Managing Director, Reliance Industries Limited.

GE will provide its Predix cloud offering, Industrial Internet applications and data science expertise. RIL will develop solutions on Predix as an Independent Software Vendor (ISV), bringing to bear its over 30 years of data, process and operational expertise. RIL will also offer nationwide connectivity infrastructure to customers through a 4G network powered by Jio. GE would offer the security, availability and monitoring aspects of the platform to RIL and its customers. The potential for other revenue streams includes telecom, healthcare and agriculture.

The benefits to customers include driving operational efficiencies, profitability and new revenue streams by making use of data and analytics. A one per cent productivity gain for companies creates  $\sim $250$  billion value over 15 years, across these key energy and infrastructure industries. The digital market is growing at a fast pace with IIOT contributing the highest degree of growth at over 10%. According to Gartner, there exists a market opportunity of over \$25 billion by 2022 for IIoT solutions across the four key industries of oil & gas, power, healthcare and transportation.

"India's potential in driving the migration to digital is well appreciated. The partnership with Reliance Industries will shape the future of the Industrial Internet not just in India but globally. The possibilities that it opens to develop solutions on our Predix platform for the industrial sector are endless," said **Jeff Immelt, Chairman and CEO of GE.** 

#### Big GE-Excelon deal signals transformation of electricity industry and puts GE on track to become \$15 billion software maker

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#### DIGITAL INDUSTRY INSIDER



GE just signed one of the largest software deals in company history with Exelon, signifying a huge change occurring in the broader electricity space.

Under the deal announced Tuesday, GE will deploy its entire Predix software portfolio across the fleet of energy facilities owned by Exelon, a Fortune 100 company with millions of utility customers.

That means Exelon will run its wind, nuclear, hydroelectric, and solar power plants on top of the Predix platform, a cloud-based operating system GE developed to help energy companies run more reliably and efficiently.

GE forecasts it could help Exelon save up to 25% in maintenance and operations costs, while collecting tons of data to vastly improve the company's productivity. The two companies also agreed to co-develop applications built on top of Predix in the future. GE declined to disclose any financial details, but noted it's one of the top 3 biggest deals ever made.

# Columbia Pipeline Group deploys new software solution from GE and Accenture



US-based Columbia Pipeline Group (CPG) has deployed the new Intelligent Pipeline Solution (IPS) that helps operators make better decisions regarding pipeline safety and integrity.

Operators can use the new software solution to prioritise the best location to apply the resources to help reduce the potential for unforeseen events.

IPS consists of GE's pipeline management software combined with Accenture's digital capabilities and was launched as part of a strategic global alliance formed by the companies in 2013.

Columbia Pipeline Group chief operating officer Shawn Patterson said: "The Intelligent Pipeline Solution provides an integrated, geospatial view of our pipeline assets aligned with critical factors related to pipeline integrity."

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#### BP is using GE's Predix software to make its oil wells part of the internet of things.

Oil-and-gas giant BP has thousands of oil wells scattered around the globe. This equipment pumps oil and some natural gas from the depths of the ocean to the surface to power our factories, cars, planes and any number of other industrial processes. And after more than a decade of monitoring these platforms using homegrown software, the London-based company is turning to GE to get an upgrade.

BP has started connecting 650 of its oil wells as part of a pilot project to test GE's Predix data gathering and analytics platform. Peter Griffiths, a strategist with BP, explains that the companies are in the design phase, but by the end of the year 650 wells will be connected, and each well will be dumping roughly half a million data points every 15 seconds into GE's software. If the pilot goe: well BP will outfit a total of 4,000 wells before the end of 2016.



Improve reliability and availability of GE and non-GE equipment, reduce Total Cost of Ownership, and reduce operational risks with APM powered by PREDX









#### Machine and Equipment Health

Get a complete, accurate, and centralized view of your assets, their current state, and health.

#### Reliability Management

Predict and diagnose equipment issues so you can Respond before assets fail.



#### Maintenance Optimization\*

Balance reliability, performance, and costs to develop the best maintenance strategies.



# **GE'S ASSET PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT**

#### Machine & Equipment Health

#### The first step of APM

- Connectivity
- Data Management
- Condition Monitoring
- Data Analysis
- Configurable Dashboards









HIGH PROBABILITY OF DETECTION AND LOW FALSE POSITIVE RATE

DATA-RICH ACTIONABLE INRIGHTS

#### Reliability Management

#### Machine & Equipment Health Plus:

- Analytics Orchestration
- Analytics Catalog & SmartSignal
- Configurable Workflows
- Event Management
- Case & Collaboration Management
- Knowledge Management





IDENTIFY EMERGING AROUND THE PROBLEMS. BEST POSSIBLE HIGHEST RISK OUTCOMES ASSETS

COLLABORATION FOR RELEVANT ACTION

#### Maintenance Optimization

#### **Reliability Management Plus:**

- Performance Benchmarking
- Asset Maintenance Strategy/Scenarios
- Financially Optimized Asset Strategy
- Work Scoping, Prioritization, and Scheduler
- Inventory Optimization







BALLANCE AND RELIABILITY

LESS RISK

MAINTENANCE STRATEGY AND OUTAGE PLANNING

MAINTENANCE WITH

PERFORMANCE

OPTIMIZE





# MPROVE UPTIME & EFFICIENCY OF THE ASSETS





## **DIAGNOSTICS EXAMPLES**





#### Base line data comparison-Pump DE..





## Start up Support: Pump NRV flipper malfunction causing reverse rotation



Damaged Pin of NRV flipper led to reverse rotation and increased vibration on Gear Box during shutdown.

# SYN GAS COMPRESSOR TURBINE



# CORRECTIVE ACTIONS - WORN OUT GROUSING BRUSH REPLACED







# SYN GAS COMPRESSOR: NOT 1X- FORWARD 0.305X EXCITED





CORRECTIVE ACTIONS - LUBE OIL TEMPERATURE REDUCED



# WNA COMPRESSOR TURBINE: 0.438X EXCITATION



Waterfall plot suggests, forward 0.438X frequency excited. This caused high vibration amplitudes & shutdown.

# CORRECTIVE ACTIONS - REAR BEARING DESIGN CHANGE



# THE GE SMARTSIGNAL DIFFERENCE

MULTIPLE SENSOR, DYNAMIC EMPIRICAL ANALYSIS IN REAL TIME



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PATTERN RECONSTRUCTION IN ACTION... INFORMED BY DATA MODELING, PHYSICS MODELS AND/OR COMMISSIONING CURVES



Normal variation is removed from actual patterns by subtracting the estimate thus producing a residual for improved analytics.









- Diagnostic Advisory is triggered by the persistent deviation on Turbine performance loss which has been steadily deteriorating (early September onwards). These deviations persist all the way up to the end of test data (23Mar 2015).
- HPT exhaust temperature and exhaust pressure continues to deteriorate impacting turbine performance.

Ordinarily, a deviation as persistent as this on a sensor indicating something as critical as Turbine efficiency Loss would have caused the GE Industrial Performance and Reliability Center (IPRC) to have repeatedly encouraged plant personnel to perform PDM work to determine an assignable cause for the deviation from expected behavior.



# ANY INSTRUMENTS, ANY ASSETS, ANY OEM, ANY OPERATIONAL MODE

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# STUDY ON ENERGY EFFICIENCY – CUSTOMER ENGAGEMENT

GE undertook a study to outline a roadmap towards energy efficiency and to enable customers to meet their specific energy targets.

#### Our Approach...

#### Capturing Customer Requirements

Visited customer site to discuss plant layout, issues, collect necessary data, etc.



#### **GE's Internal Study**

Evaluated possible energy saving solutions, carry out calculations based on information collected. Solution Proposal by GE

Visit to customer with energy saving solutions proposal with benefits.

**Case Study 1** Urea production capacity of ~5500 MTPD with energy consumption of ~6.3 Gcal/MT of Urea, part of Group-2 as per NUP 2015.

**Case Study 2** Urea production capacity of ~3200 MTPD with energy consumption of ~5.2 Gcal/MT of Urea, part of Group-1 as per NUP 2015



• ~40% reduction in auxiliary load for a Group III plant



A tool to track your energy consumption at plant, sub-component and equipment level. Enables trending and recommendations to reduce energy consumption at various levels



# ...Digital Industrial Transformation...

# Why Not Us? Why Not Now?



# GE'S ENERGY SAVING SOLUTIONS

**1.** Compressor train upgrade



~ 5-10% reduction in steam requirement of ST & up to 5% capacity increase

### 2. VAM (Chiller) in Air Compressor Inlet

Industry best practice...for maintaining consistent inlet air temperature.

~250 KW saving of power by installing at the inlet line of air compressors



**3.** Improve existing Hydraulic Turbine for higher power recovery



Capacity enhancement to recover power from bypass stream.

~250 KW of additional power can be recovered from the bypassed stream

**4.** Gas Turbine Performance Enhancement Kit (PEK) For a typical 25MW GT, power output can be increased by ~4% Retrofit/upgrading existing equipment

# GE'S ENERGY SAVING SOLUTIONS

**1.** Hydraulic Turbine in liquid Ammonia ( $NH_3$ ) stream



Typically liquid NH<sub>3</sub> from synthesis loop is let down from ~180 to ~ 20 barg

~300 KW of power recovery from the stream with flow rate of 70-80 TPH

**2.** Turbo-expander in the Fuel Gas

*Typically NG fuel is throttled from ~40 barg (depending on source) to ~5 barg for reformer.* 

~1.3-1.5 MW power recovery from this high pressure NG supply



**Upgraded design to facilitate** 

either plant/process change

### **3.** Waste Heat Recovery from Flue Gas



Organic Rankine Cycle (ORC) system recovers waste heat energy from Gas Turbines exhaust (or similar waste heat sources)

~500 KW power recovery from flue gas

### 4. Piping layout improvement

*GE* has engineering expertise and tools to perform piping pressure loss analysis to improve performance of the equipment.



# **GE'S ENERGY SAVING SOLUTIONS**

Reduce fuel consumption of same auxiliary load

Gas Turbine based Captive Power Plant

Replacing Boiler with Gas Turbine to produce power can reduce the energy consumption significantly

\*\*Requires specific plant study to assess the benefits



- Energy saving solutions can come from multiple sources involving equipment manufacturers like GE, Energy Consultants and/or Process Licensors and the impact would vary widely depending on the chosen solutions.
- We primarily focused on evaluating solutions that can reduce energy consumption of the existing process/equipment and more specifically on reducing energy consumption of auxiliary load.
- All the solutions discussed, would be complimentary to the process improvement efforts taken up by the plants and are easy to implement without much changes to the Ammonia & Urea process flow.
- These solutions are scalable and applicable across other fertilizer plants and designs.
- If all the suggested solutions are implemented, fertilizer plants can reduce their energy consumption by 0.1 to 0.5 GCal / MT of Urea. The savings can be potentially higher for plants in Group III (as per NUP 2015).