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EQUIPMENT MONITORING IMPROVEMENTS WITH THE AVEVA PI SYSTEM AND STANDARDIZATION OF COMPLEX ANALYTICS

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### A LEADING RENEWABLE ENERGY PROVIDER

WITH A PROVEN TRACK RECORD IN GEOTHERMAL AND ENERGY STORAGE

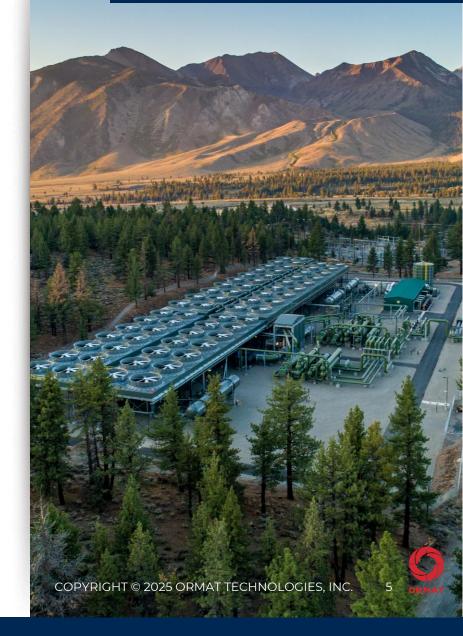
#### With 60 Years of experience

Own & operate

**1.5**GW Geothermal, Storage, Solar PV & REG<sup>1</sup>









REG – Recovered Energy Generation See appendix for reconciliation of non-GAAP financial measures. Net income attributable to the company stockholders

#### **60 YEARS OF ORMAT: SUCCESSFUL TRACK RECORD, WORLDWIDE**



Energy Storage Own & operated 270 MW / 638 MWh Under construction 6 projects

Vallecito Battery Energy Storage Facility, CA, USA

**Recovered Energy Generation** Own & operated 49 MW 3rd party ~130 MW

OREG II, CS5, REG power plant, Minnesota, USA

**Solar PV** Own & operated 122 MW Under construction 3 projects

Tungsten Solar, Nevada, USA





### **GLOBAL PRESENCE**

MEETING THE NEEDS OF CUSTOMERS WORLDWIDE

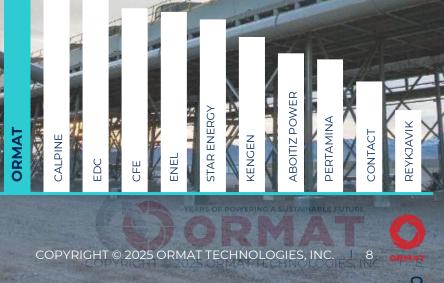


- REG (Waste Heat) Projects
- Energy Storage Projects
- Solar Projects
- Manufacturing shop
- Office

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Chart Source : ThinkGeoEnergy - "Geothermal Market Analysis September 2024" by Alexander Richter; Data is presented at gross installed capacity.

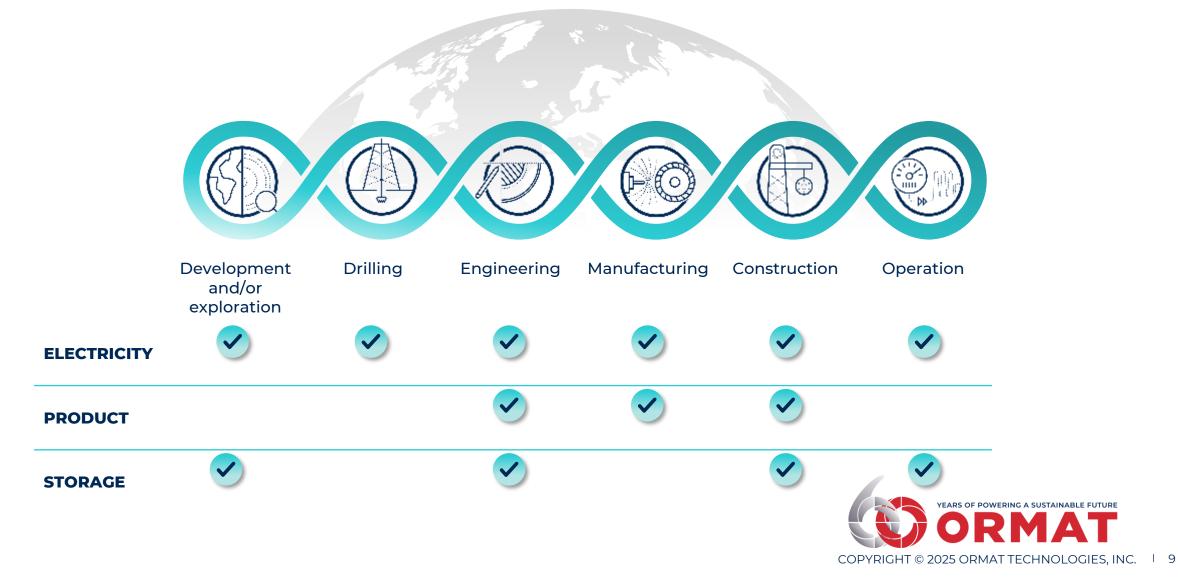
Ormat - the largest geothermal owner & operator



### **OUR CORE COMPETENCIES**

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#### THE WORLD'S ONLY VERTICALLY INTEGRATED GEOTHERMAL COMPANY





## **GEOTHERMAL OPERATIONAL CHALLENGES**

**Scaling and Corrosion:** Mineral deposits and aggressive geothermal fluids causing equipment damage.

**Well Performance and Degradation:** Decline in productivity requiring regular maintenance and well rehabilitation.

**Equipment Reliability and Maintenance:** Harsh conditions impacting equipment lifespan, requiring predictive maintenance.

**Reservoir Sustainability:** Balancing extraction and reinjection to prevent depletion or cooling.

**Injection Management:** Managing injection-related seismic risks and reservoir cooling.

**Plant Availability and Reliability:** Minimizing downtime and quickly addressing operational disruptions.

Workforce and Skills Management: Need for specialized, well-trained operational personnel.

**Operational Efficiency:** Optimizing equipment performance to reduce costs and increase output.

**Environmental and Regulatory Compliance:** Ensuring continuous adherence to environmental and safety standards.

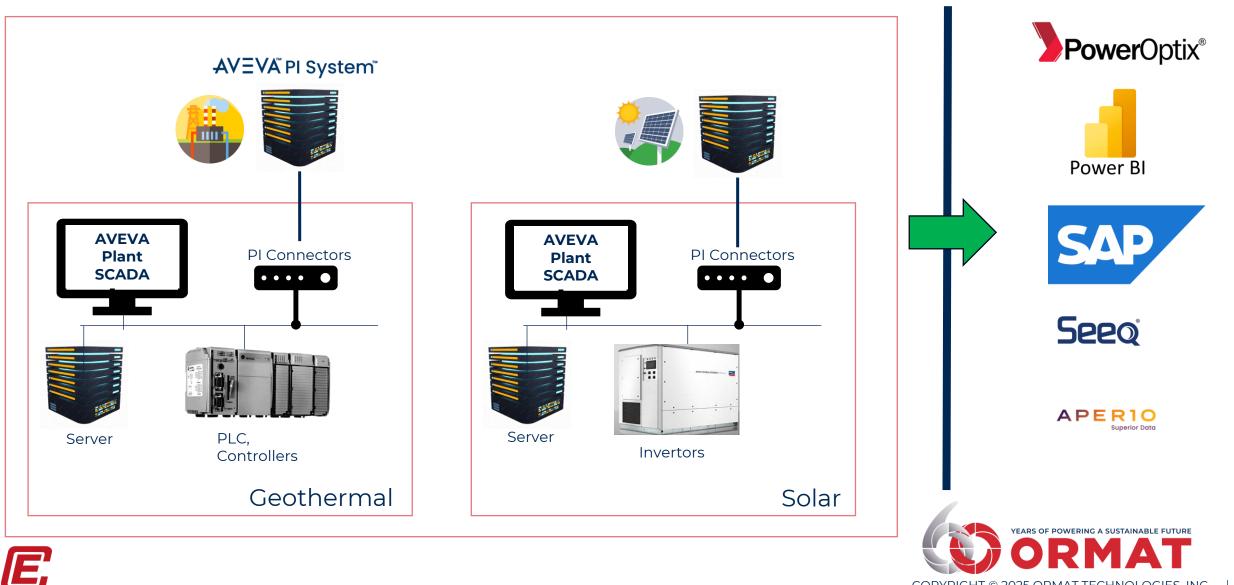
Real-time data analytics and predictive insights for early detection and resolution of operational issues.

Optimize performance Reduce downtime Improve reliability





### **GOAL: DATA FLOW FROM EDGE TO ENTERPRISE**



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### **CHALLENGE: ANALYTIC EFFICIENCY AND ACCURACY**

#### **Time-Consuming & Error-Prone Calculations**

Manual data collection and calculations increase workload and risk of errors

#### **Delayed Insights & Reactive Maintenance**

Lack of real-time tracking slows issue detection and response

#### **Inconsistent & Unstandardized Monitoring**

Different units follow non-uniform methodologies, making benchmarking difficult

#### **Limited Performance Comparison**

No structured way to compare actual vs. expected performance in real time, it restricts the ability to fully understand the performance potential

#### No Foundation for Predictive Maintenance –

Lack of structured performance data makes advanced analytics difficult







## THE ASSET-BASED APPROACH ADVANTAGES

#### **Standardized Asset Modeling**

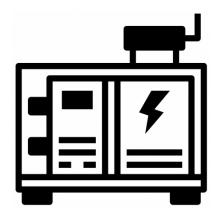
- Scalability: Templated structures for generators, turbines, pumps, heat exchangers, etc.
- Consistency: Ensures uniform monitoring and benchmarking across all units.
- Interoperability: Lays the groundwork for an Advanced Analytics Layer
- Visualization: Integration with SCADA, Historian, BI Tools

#### **Advanced Analytics & Performance Monitoring**

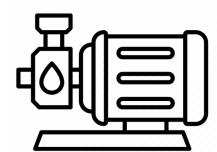
- Automation: Standardized KPIs, Out of Range Detection
- Online Calculations: Performance calculations, trend analysis

#### **Enabling Faster Decision Making**

- Digital twin: Simulate behavior
- Condition-based monitoring: Catch anomalies early
- Predictive Maintenance: Fix before failure















- Organize and sort tags by component
- Ensure flexible deployment across different plan setups
- AVEVA Historian/Plant SCADA Integration



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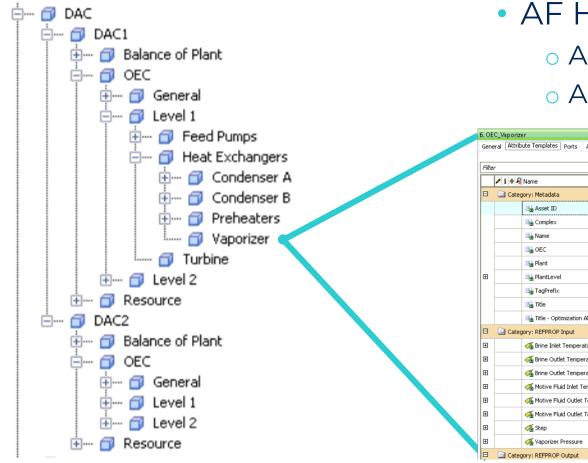
#### AF hierarchy definition

- Define unit hierarchy
- Define data points from field (~200 tags per OEC)
- Identify key components to analyze per each asset (8-12 assets per plant)
  - OEC, Resource
  - Monitor for key metrics/KPIs
  - Enable thermodynamic calculations to measure asset performance





### **IMPLEMENTATION: ASSET FRAMEWORK**



AF Hierarchy

 AF implementation details
 AF Templates for easy scaling

	EC_Vaporizer eral Attribute Templates Ports Analysis Template	s Notification Rule Templates					
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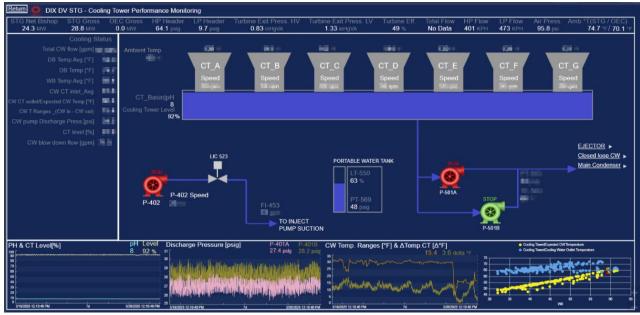


- Templated dashboards for each piece of equipment
- Summary screens for each plant and unit
- Display critical KPIs, calculation results, and process values for ease of monitoring















#### Performance Analysis

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- Automate manual calculations into an online system
- Store results as tags for continues tracking

#### Simulation-based Comparison

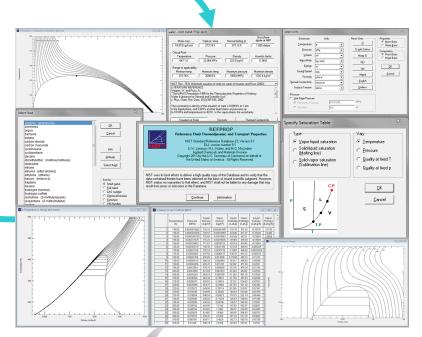
- Generate simulation tags using internal tool
- Compare actual vs. expected performance for deeper insights
- Performance Curve Automation
  - Continually update expected vs actual performance trends
  - Enable proactive decision making with real time insights



### **IMPLEMENTATION: PERFORMANCE ANALYSIS**

- Custom implementation using AFSDK
- Advanced Analytics: Custom calculations of Enthalpy, Entropy, etc. that are challenging to accomplish
- Scalable: Hooks into AF templates for quick deployment
- Efficiency improvements: live calculations rather than manual calculations in Excel

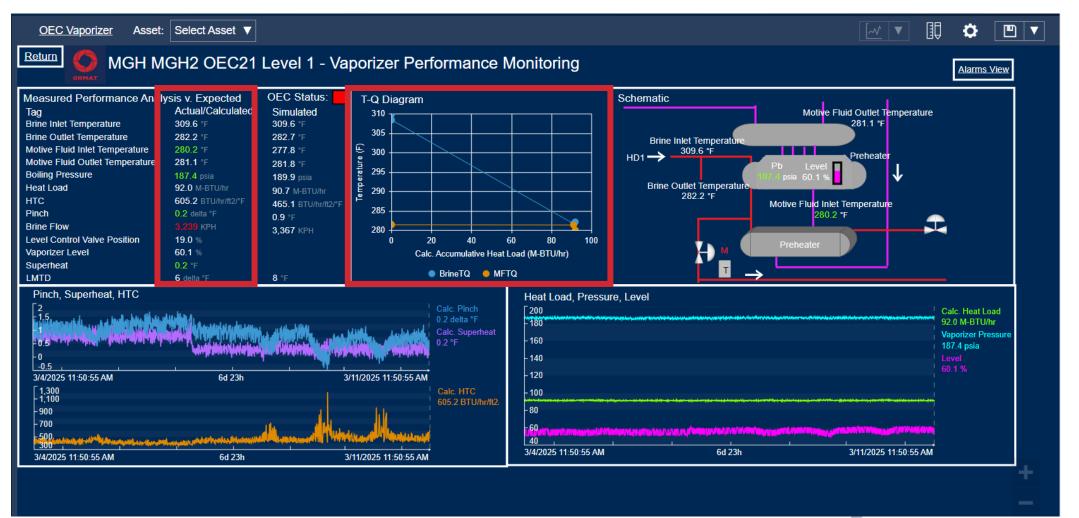
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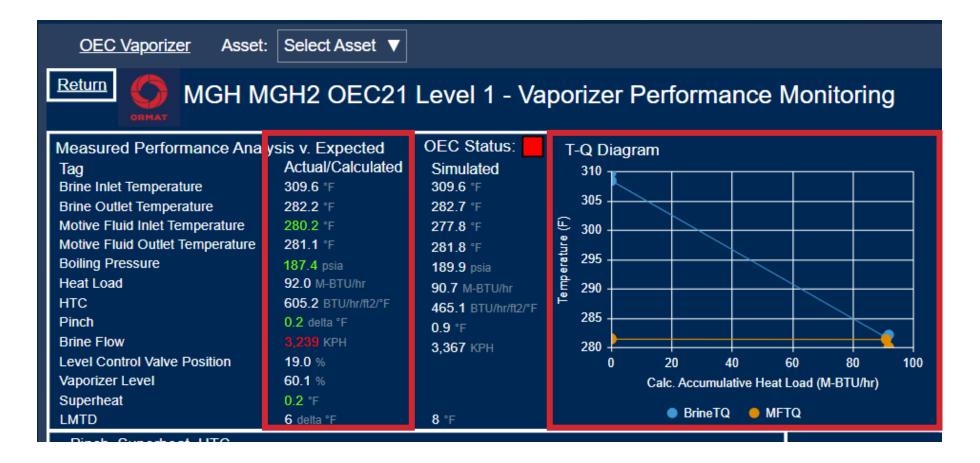
### **VAPORIZER PERFORMANCE MONITORING**







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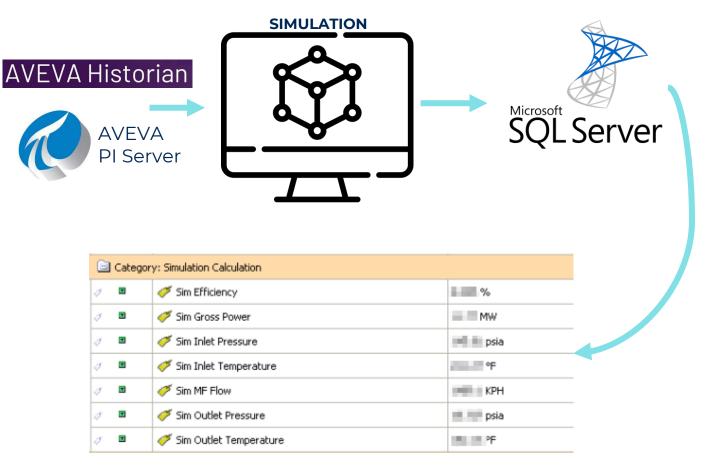






### **SIMULATION-BASED COMPARISON**

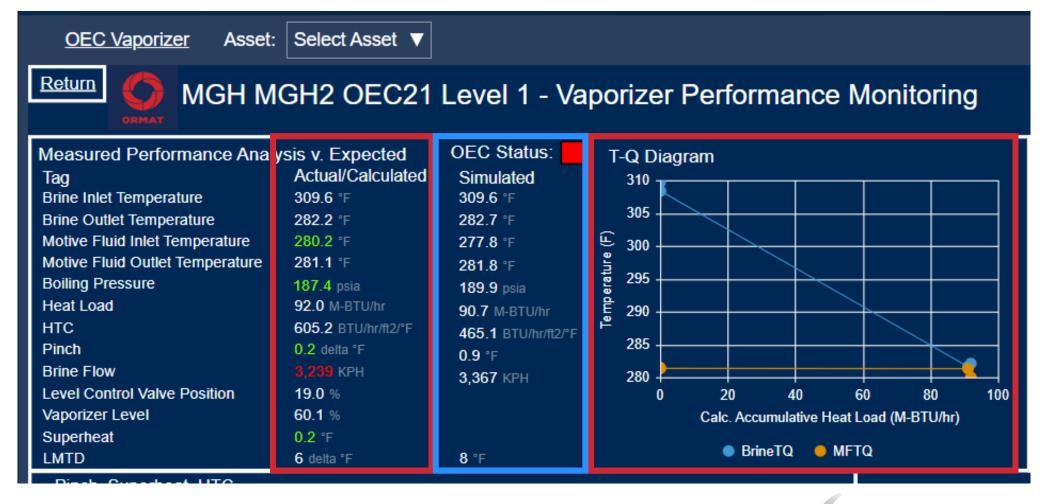
- Integrated custom simulation into PI via RDBMS interface
- Allows comparison between expected performance and calculated performance







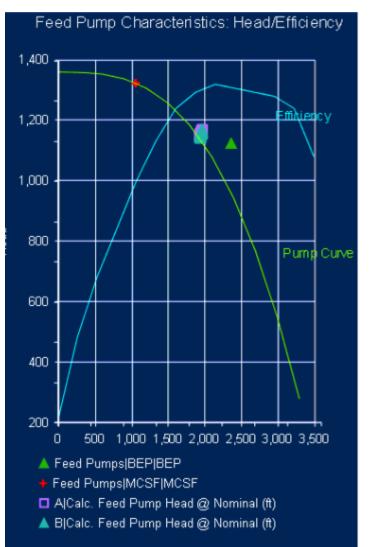
#### **VAPORIZER SIMULATED PERFORMANCE**







#### **PERFORMANCE CURVES**



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- Plotted idealized efficiency and pump curves
- Plotted calculated head for each feed pump
- Catch performance drift





### Using multistate to identify online out of range values to optimize performance

Vaporizer Superheat [°F]	0.4	0.2	0.9	0.1	3.4	0.9
Vaporizer Pinch [°F]	1.0	3.2	2.4	4.9	5.1	5.7
Vaporizer Level [%]	59.6	36.3	56.7	56.1	56.7	50.3
Preheater Pinch [°F]	3.7	7.5	5.0	6.2	14.9	12.2
Condenser Cold Approach [°F]	48.3	44.4	48.7	42.8	46.3	45.4
Condenser Subcooling Temp. [°F]			8.9	13.7	18.2	21.3
Condenser Level [%]	50.0	85.3	46.0	66.1	70.0	65.3
Generator Cooling AVG Temp [°F]	4(	).8	42	.2	42	.2
Level control valve [%]	18.0	24.0	24.0	28.0	26.0	23.0





### **BENEFIT: TUBE LEAKS DETECTION**

Optimization Table	OEC21 Level 1 Level 2	OEC22 Level 1 Level 2	OEC23 CW CCW	
OEC Actual Gross Power [MVV] OEC Cycle Efficiency [%] Average Turbine Efficiency [%]	18.9 17.2	19.0 17.6	12.1 12.2	
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Preheater Pinch [°F]	3.7 7.5	5.0 6.2	14.9 12.2	
Condenser Cold Approach [°F] Condenser Subcooling Temp. [°F] Condenser Level [%]		48.7 42.8 8.9 13.7 46.0 66.1	48 3 45.4 18 2 21.3 70.0 65.3	
Generator Cooling AVG Temp [°F]	40.8	42.2	42.2	
Level control valve [%]	18.0 24.0	24.0 28.0	26.0 23.0	

# Quickly combining Thermodynamic KPIs with Ormat expertise to identify and mitigate tube leaks in the Vaporizer





### **BENEFIT: TURBINE OPTIMIZATION**

Optimization Table	OEC21	OEC 22	OEC23
OEC Actual Gross Power [MVV]	Level 1 Level 2	Level 1 Level 2	CW CCW
OEC Cycle Efficiency [%]	18.9	19.0	12.1
Average Turbine Efficiency [%]	17.2	17.6	12.2
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Turbine Exit Pressure [psia]	100 000	000 000	
Turbine Efficiency [%]	100 000	000 000	
Turbine to FP Flow Ratio [%]	100 000	000 000	
Turbine Vibration [mIPS]	200 000	000 000	
Vaporizer Superneat [*F]	0.4 0.2	0.9 0.1	3.4 0.9
Vaporizer Pinch [*F]	1.0 3.2	2.4 4.9	5.1 5.7
Vaporizer Level [%]	59.6 36.3	56.7 56.1	56.7 50.3
Preheater Pinch [°F] Condenser Cold Approach [°F] Condenser Subcooling Temp. [°F] Condenser Level [%]	26.5 22.3	5.0         6.2           48.7         42.8           8.9         13.7           46.0         66.1	14.9         12.2           46.3         45.4           18.2         21.3           70.0         65.3
Generator Cooling AVG Temp [°F]	40.8	42.2	42.2
Level control valve [%]	18.0 24.0	24.0 28.0	26.0 23.0

## Monitoring turbine efficiency and interactions with feed pumps to look for imbalance in systems

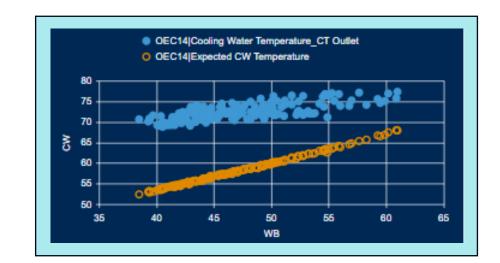




### **BENEFIT: COOLING TOWER REPAIR**

- Identified

   about 1 MW
   potential
   additional
   generation
- Sped up repair based on performance analytics







#### GEOTHERMAL ENERGY PRODUCTION | GLOBAL

#### Ormat increases generation by 1-3.5 MW per Plant

#### Challenge

- Time-consuming data access
- Critical thermodynamics calculations done manually in Excel
- Needed integrated platform for data analytics and visualization

#### Solution

- Deployed AVEVA™ PI System™ to streamline data collection, access, analysis, and visualization
- Developed custom analytics to allow for real-time thermodynamic analysis

#### Results

- Developed asset hierarchy, dashboards, and custom thermodynamics calculation platform to improve situational awareness and enable real-time analysis of critical plant processes
- Generated 1-3.5 MW additional power per plant, driving average of \$1 Million in added revenue per plant per year





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