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INNOVATIVE SOLUTIONS FOR CORROSION CHALLENGES

## Jubcor Presentation



Wireless Corrosion & Erosion Monitoring  
to Enhance Safety, Reliability and Profitability

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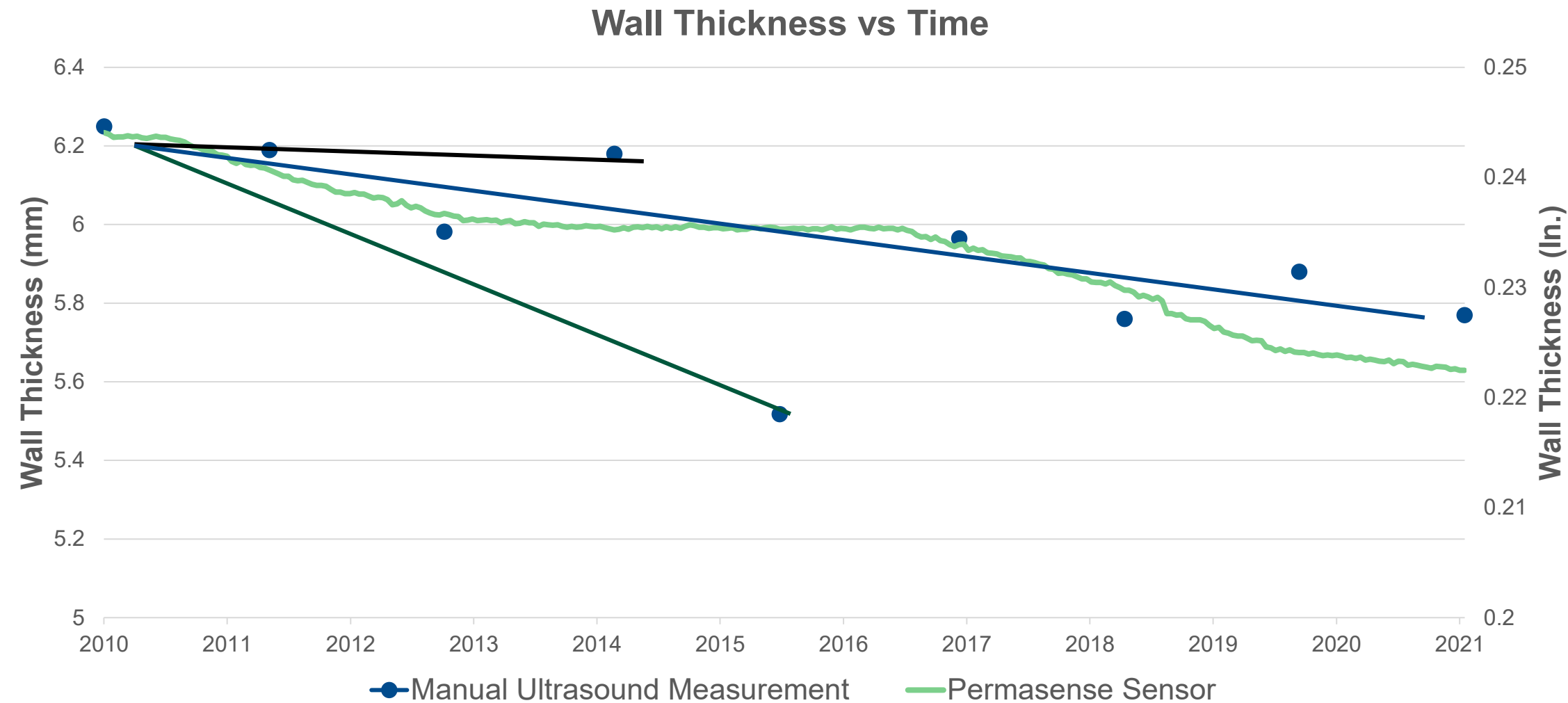
# Industry Challenges – Missing Asset Health Data Means the Plant Is Not Being Driven to Maximum Capability

- Avoiding unplanned outages and incidents
- Longer runs between maintenance shutdowns
- Tighter H&S regulations
- Limited CAPEX budgets
- Limited availability of experienced personnel

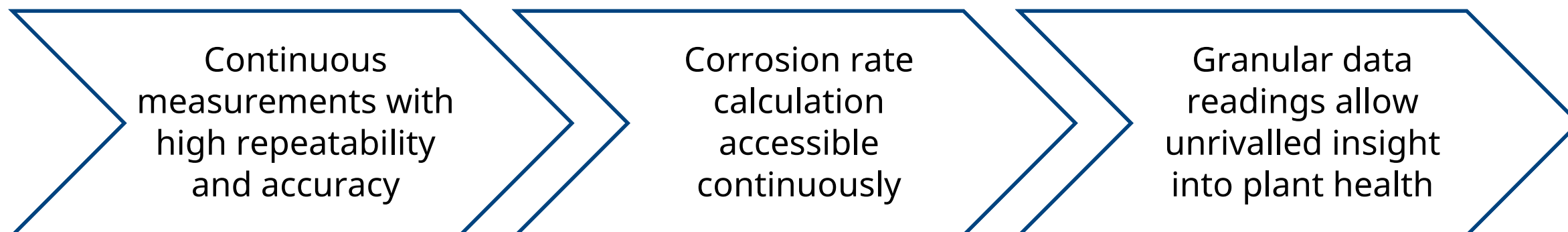
- ▲ Increased margin
- ▲ Improved availability



# Existing Inspection Techniques Lack Granularity and Repeatability



## With Manual Ultrasound Measurements    With Permasense Sensor Installed



## Other Techniques

### Deploying Corrosion Resistant Alloys

- Expensive
  - Some alloys could be 30x more expensive than carbon steel
- Does not eliminate risk
  - Merely slows down corrosion
- Cannot retrofit
  - Can only be designed in build

### Manage Corrosion through Integrity Operating Windows (IOW's)

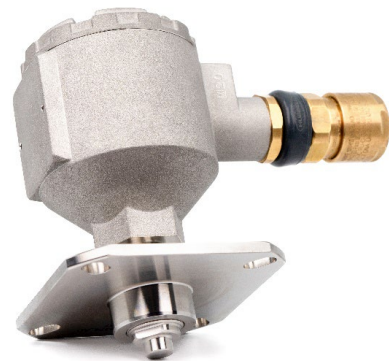
- Based on theory
  - Assumes continuous process conditions which is unrealistic
- Corrosion is rapid and unexpected
  - If it does happen, process fluids can be highly aggressive and cause damage very quickly

# Your Corrosion and Erosion Challenges Require a Complete Sensing Portfolio

## MONITOR RISK

### Non-Intrusive Wired

#### Sand Acoustic Monitor (SAM)



- Quick response time
- Enables production optimization and sand separator efficiency monitoring
- Single cable ExD design

**High sensitivity, quick response**

### Intrusive Wireless

#### Probe Digitalisation



- Wireless data retrieval from probes
- Real time risk data to desk from any manufacturer probe
- Compatible with both ER and LPR

## MONITOR IMPACT

### Non-Intrusive Wireless

#### Ultrasonic Thickness (UT)



- Flexible, highly distributable, single point wall thickness integrity measurements
- Wireless data retrieval to desk or cloud

Patented measurement technology  
Unique patented signal processing  
Automatic temperature and material compensation.

Highest accuracy wall thickness measurements of any fixed sensor available today

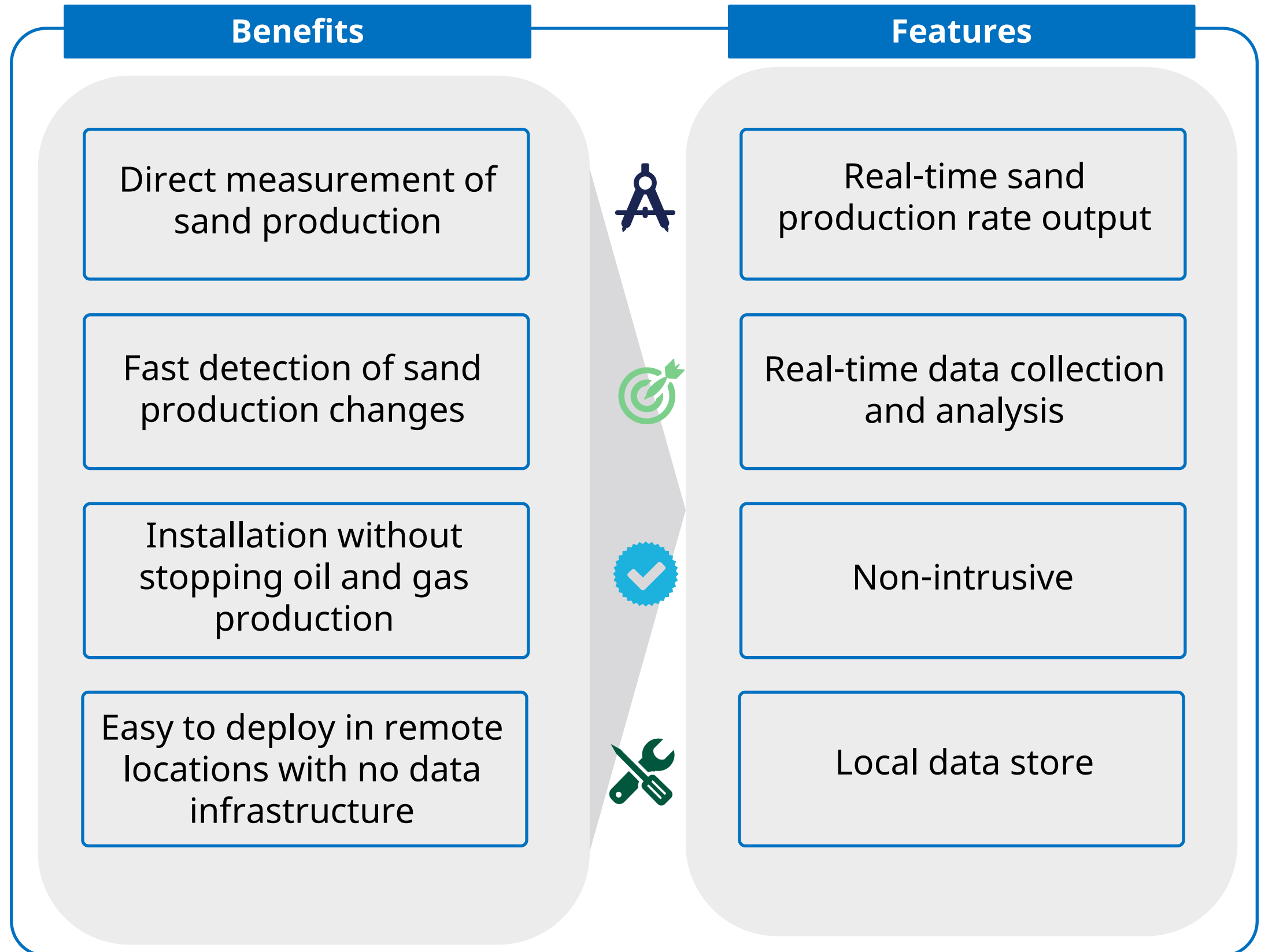
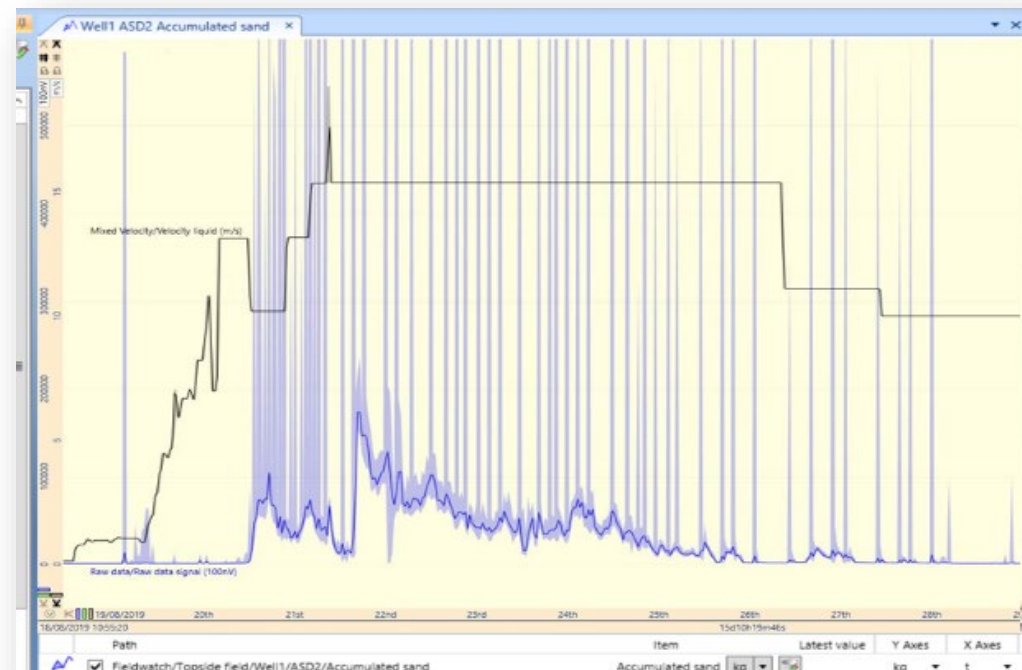
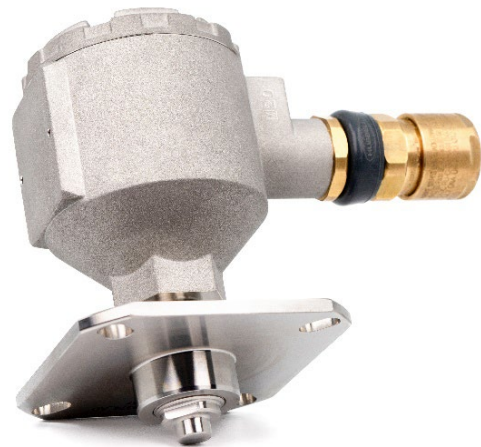
No consumable parts  
9-year battery life  
No couplant required

All hazardous areas  
(Zone 0 / Class 1 Div. 1)  
Any metals  
Up to 600°C (1100°F)  
Through paint/coating

**Actual metal thickness and loss**

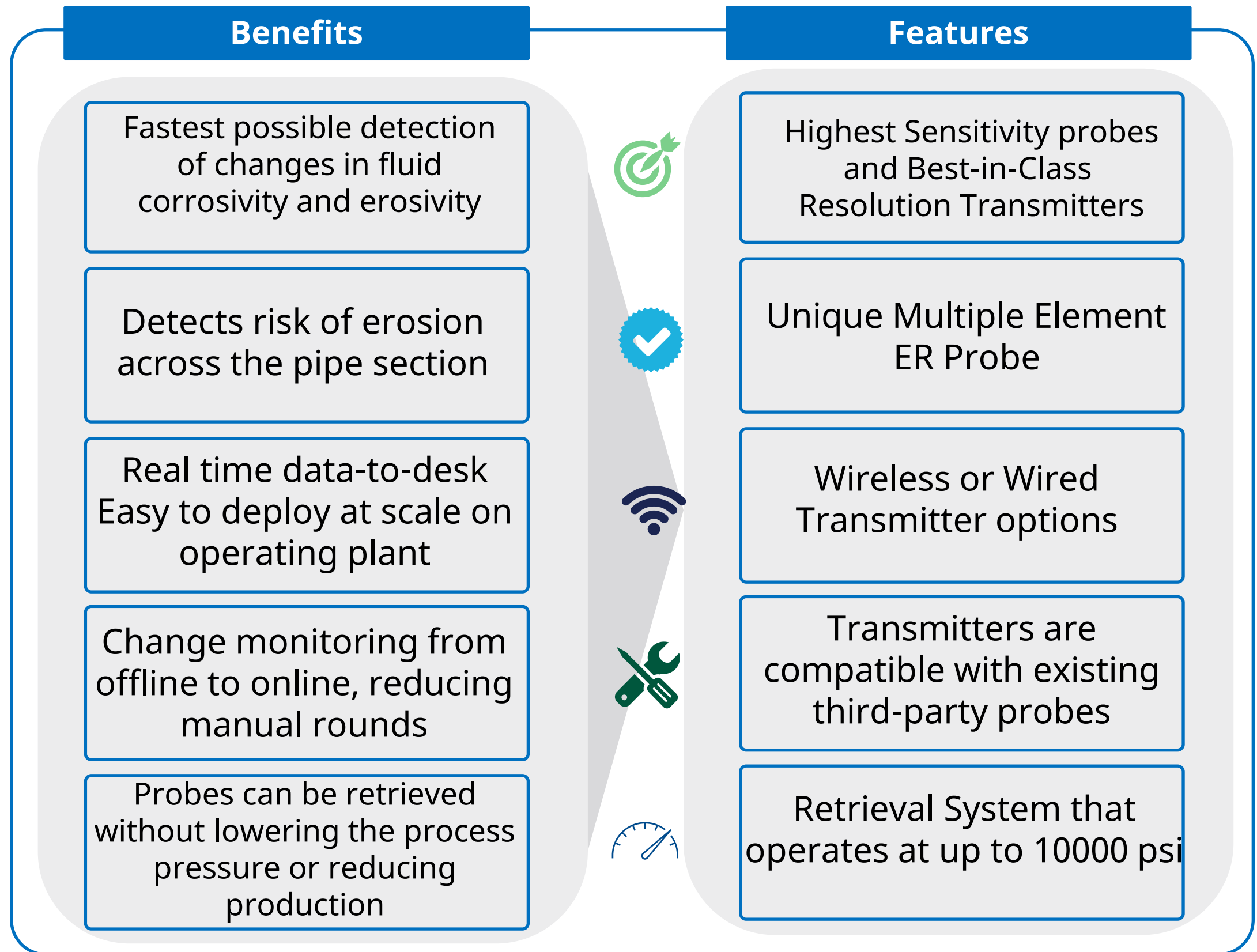
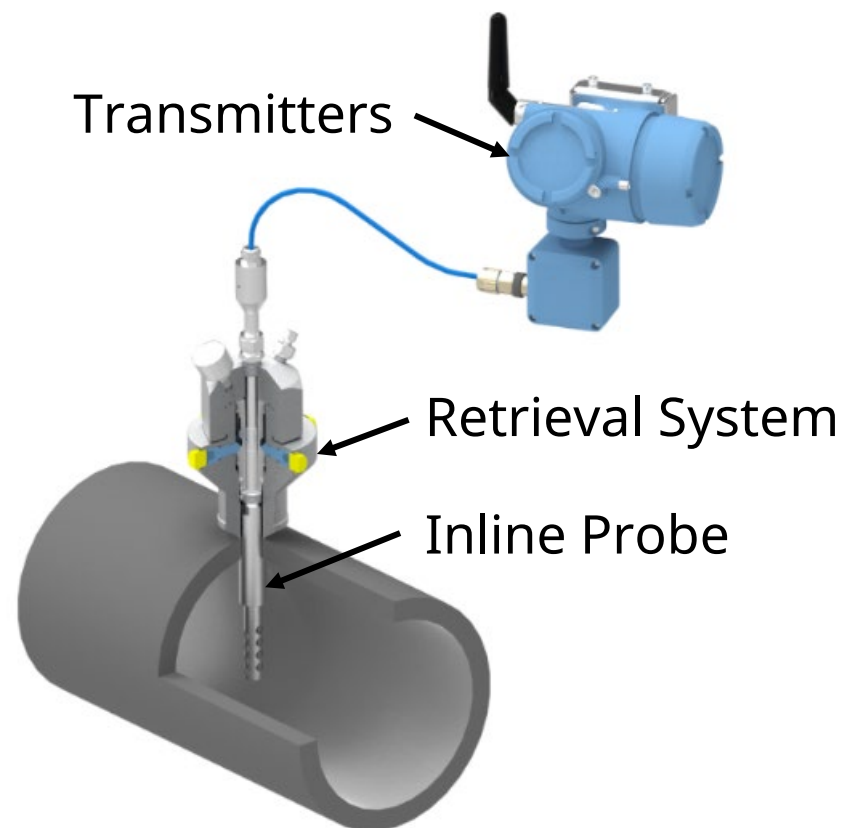
# Roxar SAM42 Acoustic Sand Monitor

SAM42 detects and quantifies sand production, allowing maximized oil and gas production rates.

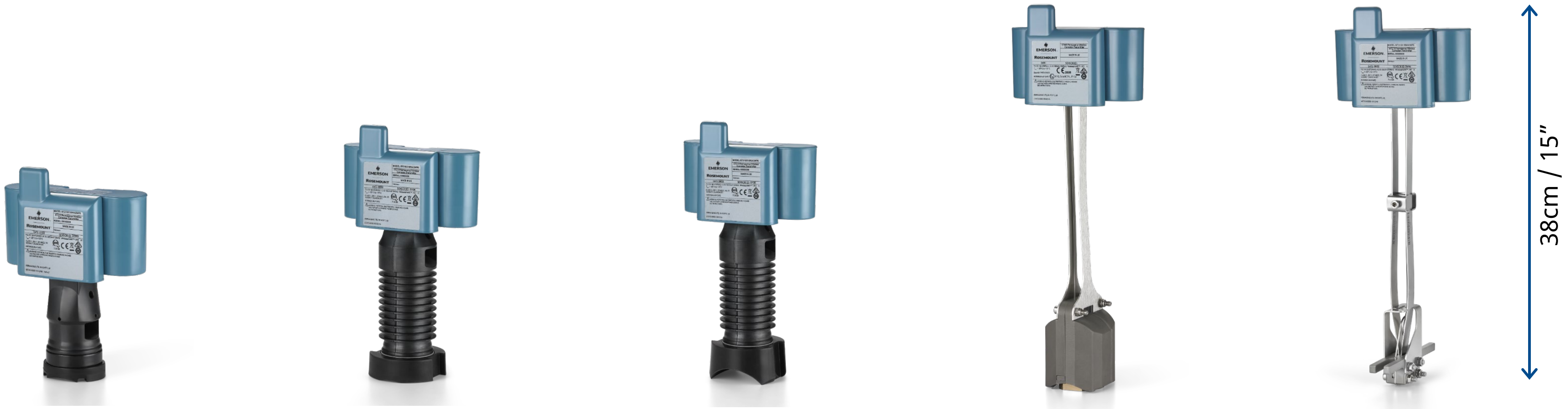


# Emerson Transmitters and Probes for Inline Corrosion and Erosion Monitoring

Emerson's probes provide the highest sensitivity for fast detection of changes in corrosion and erosion risk. Combine the probes with our Transmitters to continuously deliver data to desk.



# The Permasense Sensor Portfolio is Broad and Capable for Any Application - All Sensors Send Wall Thickness Data Twice per Day With 9 Year Battery Life



ET210	ET310	ET310C	ET410	WT210
120°C / 250°F Limit	160°C / 320°F Limit		270°C / 520°F Limit	600°C / 1100°F Limit
Magnetic EMAT, strap mounted				Stud or clamp mounted
Measures through coatings	Measures on all metals		Measures through coatings	Measures on all metals
<b>&lt;2.5µm (0.0001") Repeatability &amp; 1µm (0.00004") Resolution*</b>				
Class 1 Div 1 / Zone 0 with WirelessHART Data Retrieval				
Embedded Temperature and Material Compensation				

\*<10µm (0.0004") Repeatability for ET210

# A Range of Mounting Options Suits Any Application

ET210, ET310/C, ET410

WT210



## Metal or plastic strap

For pipe diameter 4" (10cm) to 80" (2m)



## Magnetic mount

For large diameter geometry, above 2m (80") diameter



## Universal Mount

Weld free installation up to 425°C (797°F)



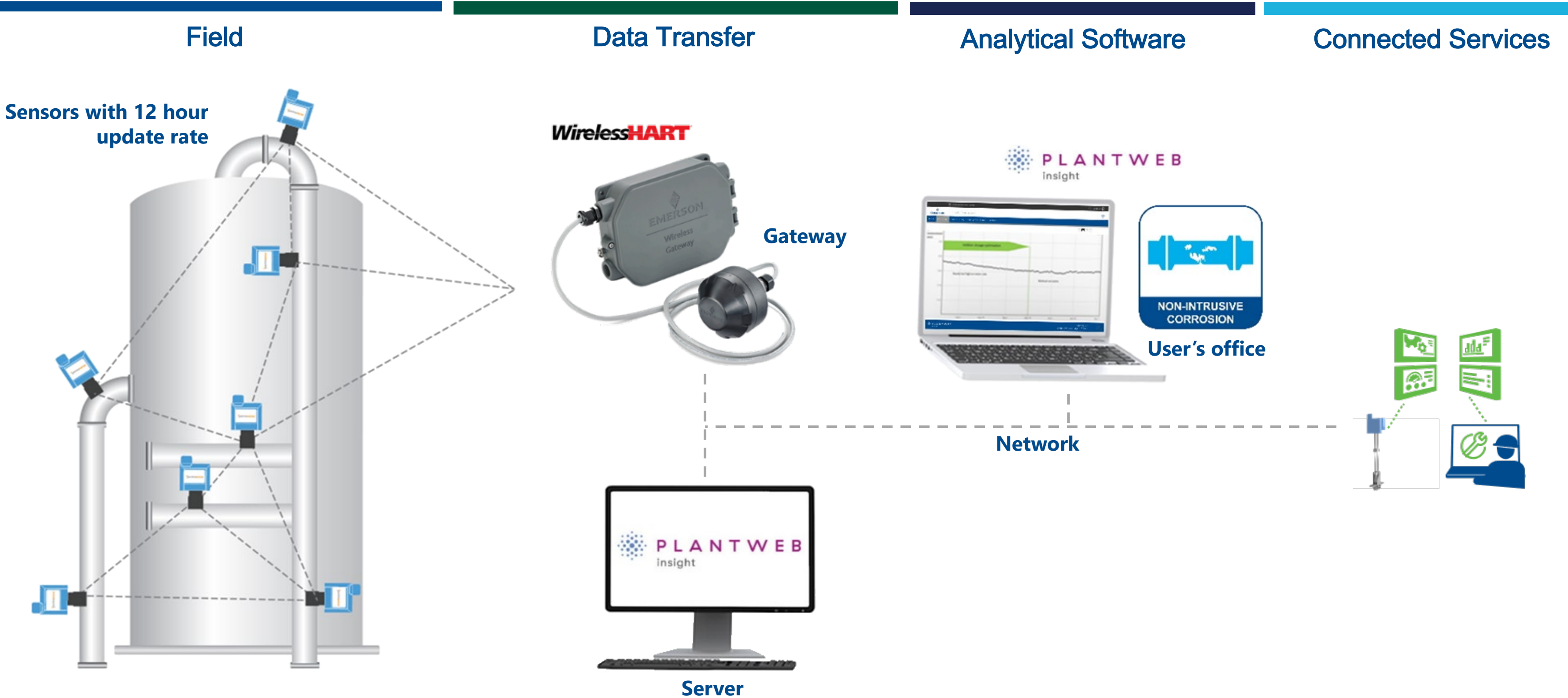
## Welded studs

Deploy anywhere up to 600°C (1100°F)





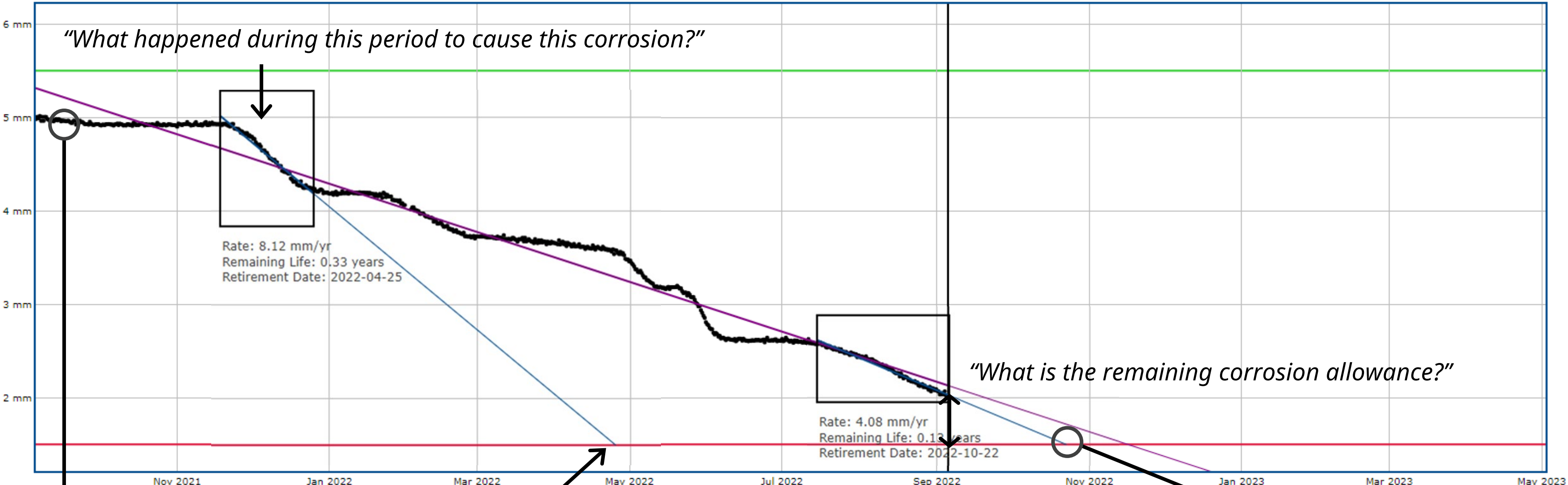
# Continuous Integrity Monitoring Delivers Real Time Asset Health Data Directly to Desk



# Thickness Monitoring Data for Root Cause Analysis of Corrosion Events and Turnaround Scope and Timing Improvement

## Root Cause Analysis

## Predictive Maintenance



*“What would have happened if we did not control the corrosion in time?”*

*“When will I reach retirement thickness on my pipe?”  
“Will I reach the next planned turnaround?”*

*“What was my wall thickness in October last year?”*

**Sensors don't need to be everywhere, just enough to give you insight into the plant health at any point**

# Rosemount Wireless Permasense Corrosion and Erosion Monitoring Sensors

Sensors are simple to deploy anywhere, with best-in-class quality and frequency of wall thickness measurements delivered to desk.



## Benefits

Class leading thickness data quality and robustness

Direct measurement of asset integrity

Easy to deploy at scale on operating plant

Maintenance-free

Monitor anywhere



## Features

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All hazardous areas  
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Through paint/coating

Unrivalled Field Experience and Install Base

**30,000+**  
PERMASENSE SENSORS



**7000+**  
SAND DETECTORS

OPERATING IN

**1000+**  
PROCESS FACILITIES



ACROSS

**76**  
COUNTRIES

DELIVERING

**35** WALL  
THICKNESS  
MILLION READINGS



CORROSIVITY  
AND EROSIVITY  
READINGS

**40**  
MILLION

**500**  
MILLION



OPERATING HOURS



**120+**

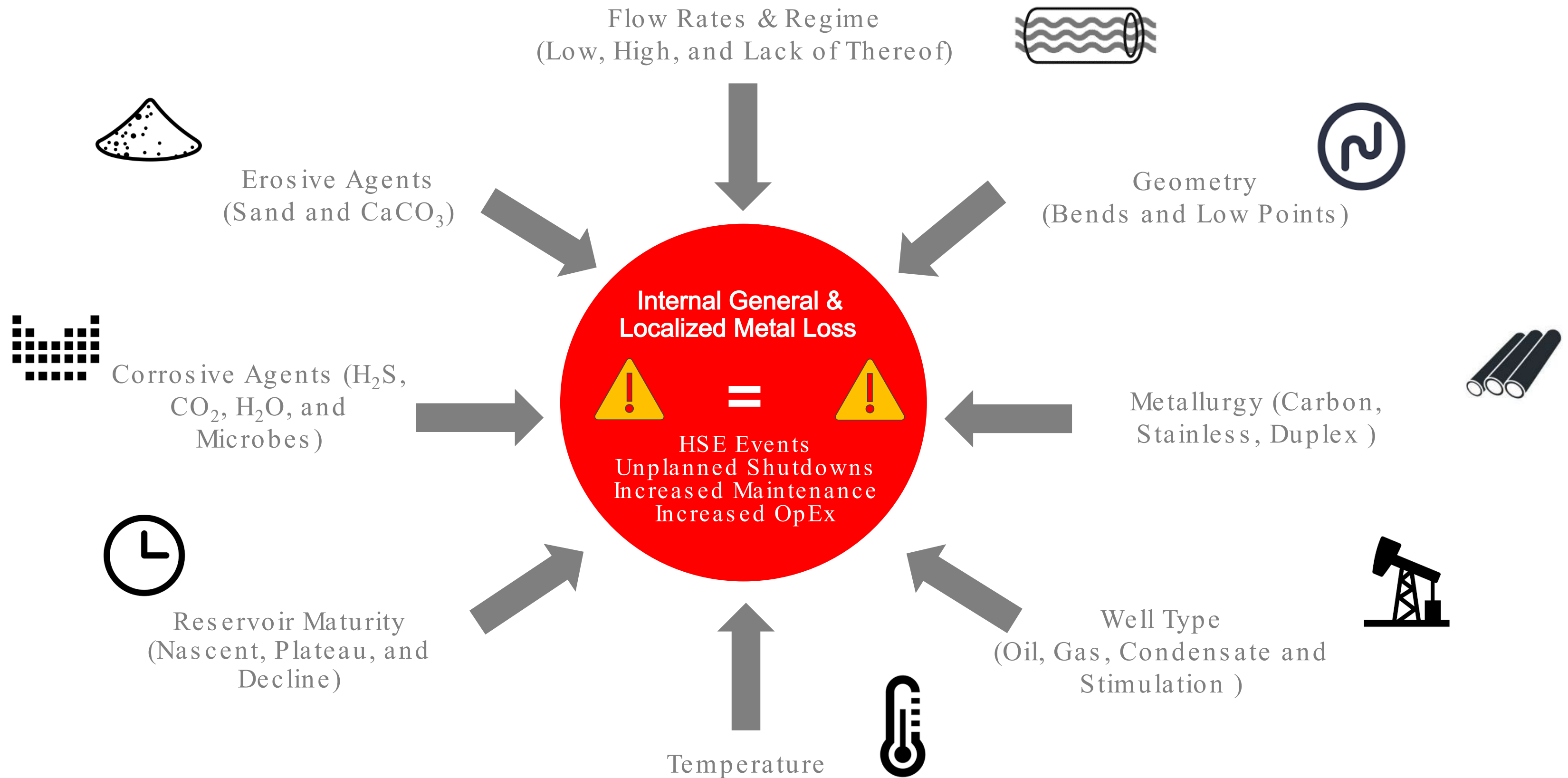
CORROSION REPORTS  
DELIVERED ANNUALLY





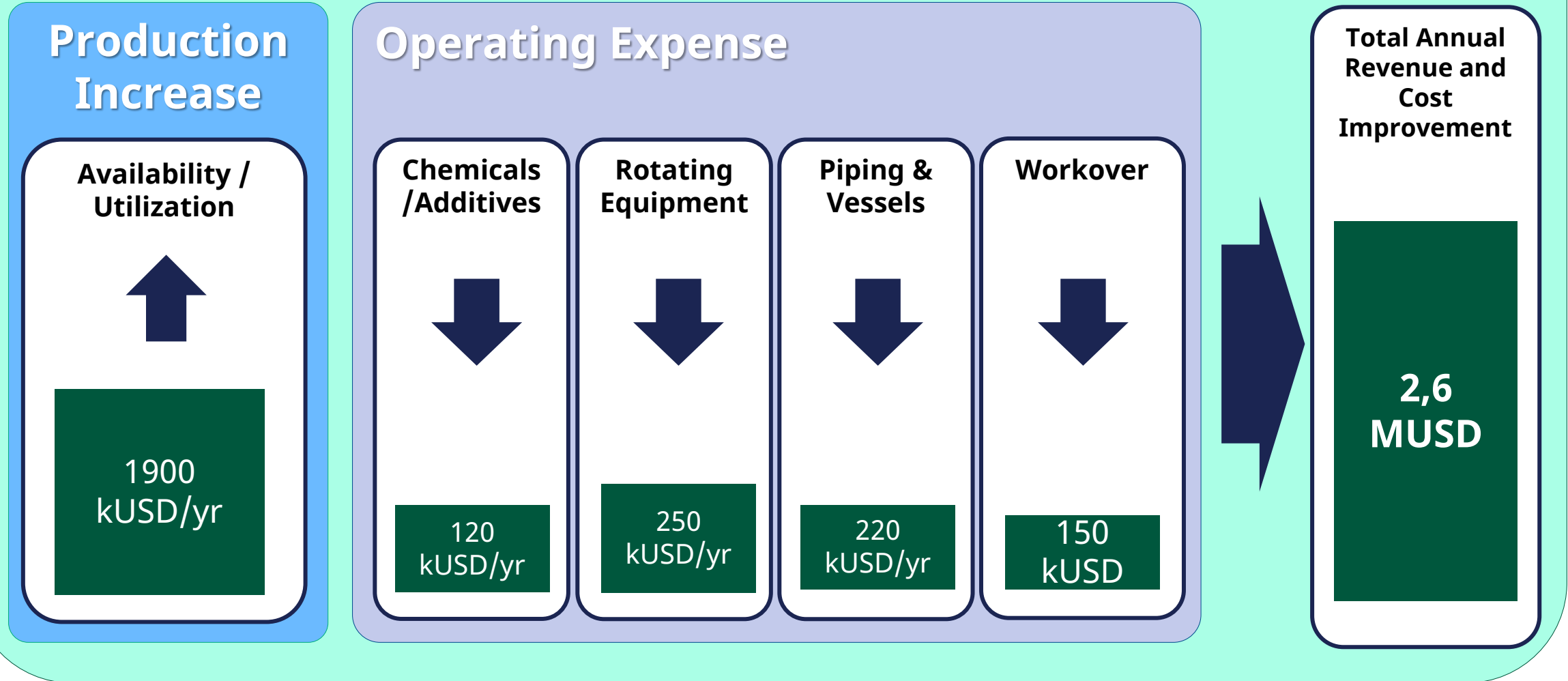
# Industry Challenges and Applications

# Corrosion and Erosion Depend on Time-Varying Factors and Affect Operator's Profitability



# Data-Driven Decision-Making Drives Returns from Multiple Sources

## Health, Safety, and Environment



Business impact model based on the following assumptions

### **Asset Characteristics**

- Production of 10.000 barrels per day
- Oil price = 60 USD per barrel
- Eight wellheads + Two Production Separators

### **Production Increase**

- ≈1 % production increase because of decreased planned and unplanned shutdowns
- Three days of additional production

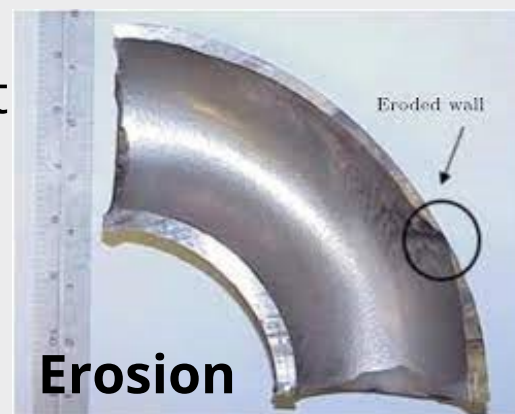
### **Operating Expenses**

- ≈ 15% savings in pumps, valves, and piping maintenance because of better chemical control and minimized erosion / corrosion damage

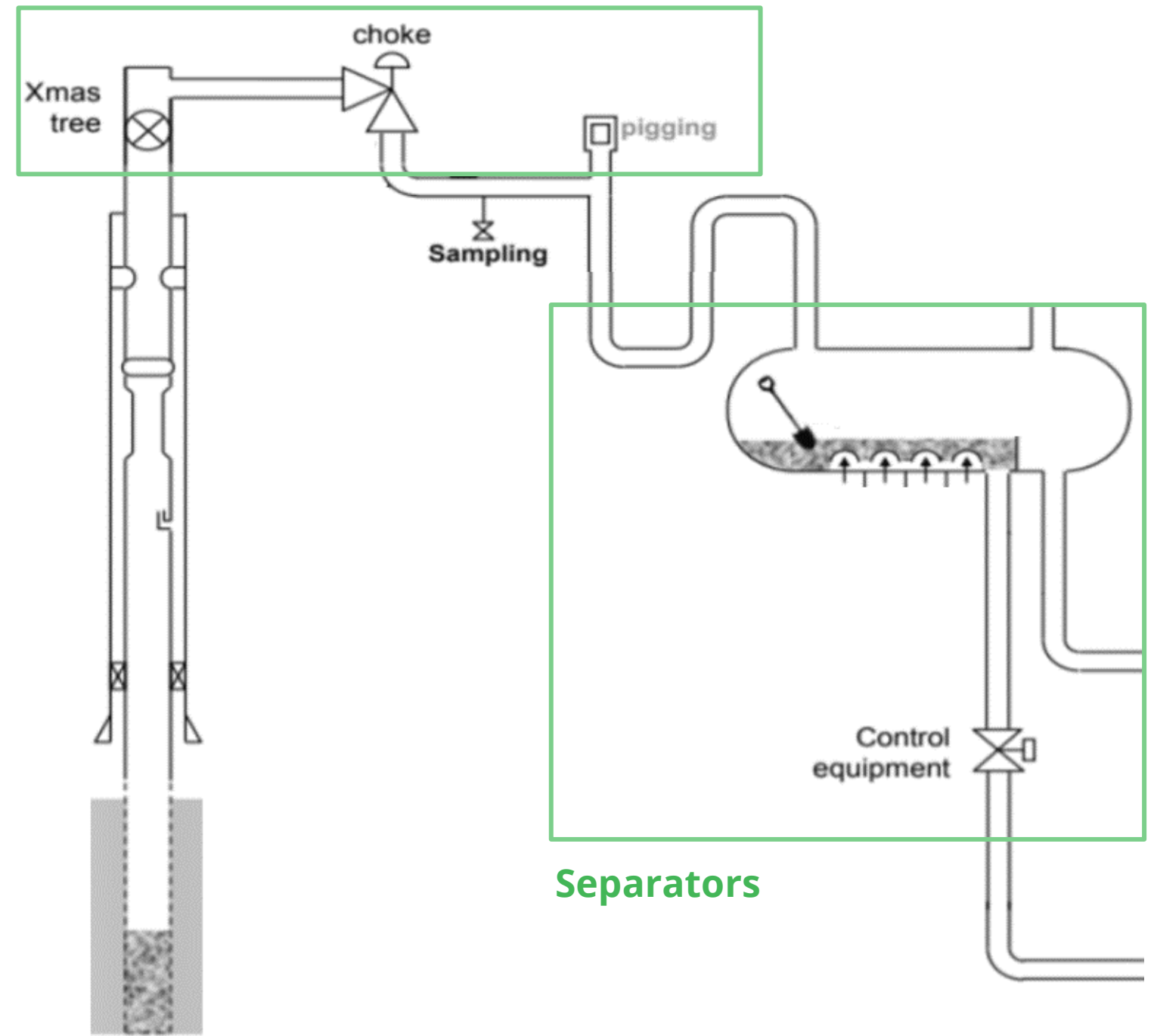
# Typical Corrosion & Erosion Challenges in Production Flowlines, Injection Flowlines, and Separators

## Customer Challenges

- **Corrosion** = Shutdowns & Increased maintenance
  - Uniform metal loss across all piping and production units
  - Localized metal loss due to  $H_2S$  and  $CO_2$  in carbon steel flowlines
  - Under deposit corrosion in pipe low points
- **Erosion** = Reduced production rate, shutdowns, and increased maintenance
  - Flow lines damage and possible loss of containment
  - Reduced flow because of solids deposits
  - Chokes, pumps, and valves damage



## Production, Test, and Injection Flow Lines





# Wet Gas Corrosion Monitoring – Case Study

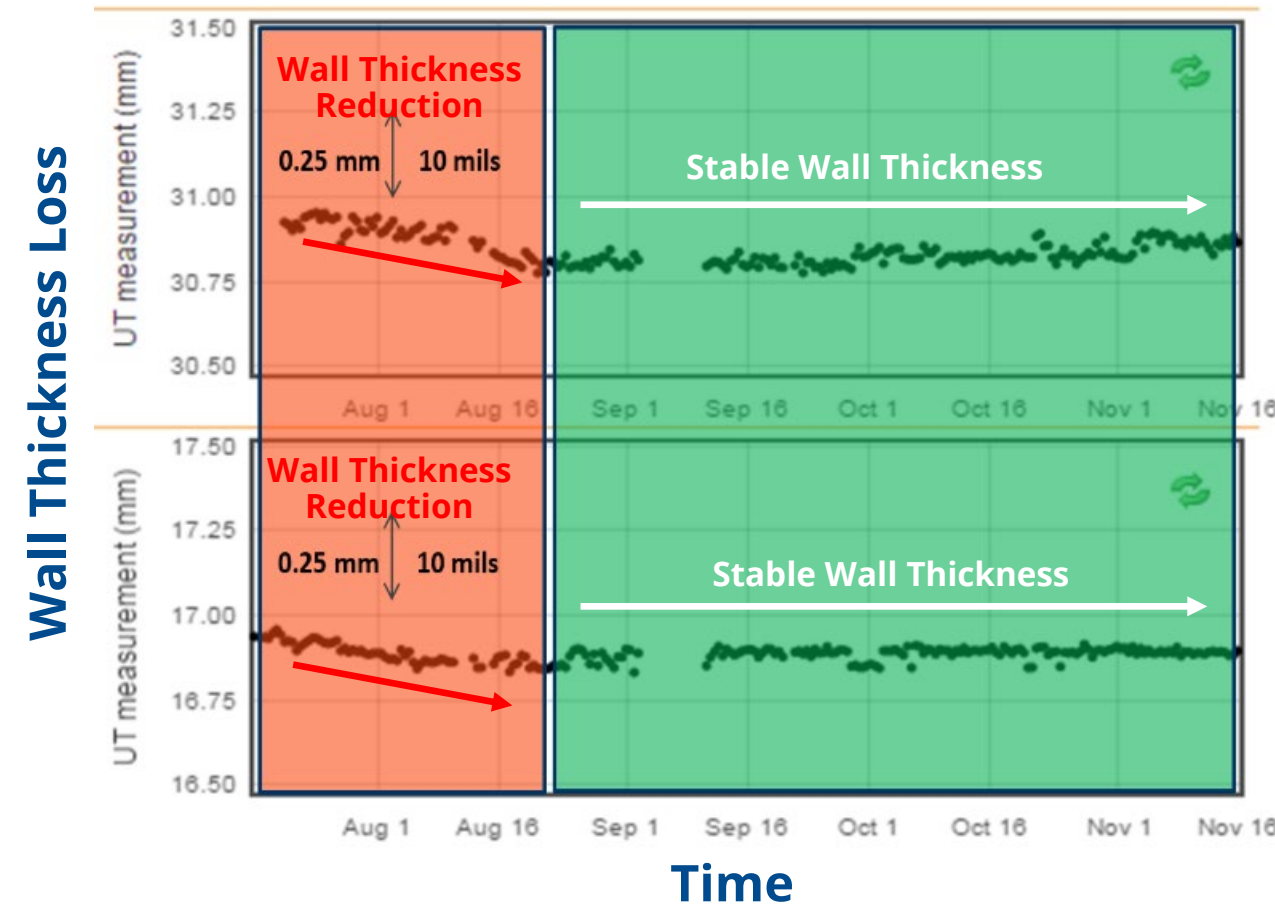
Leading oil and gas operator in the North Sea



## Challenges

- Several corrosion monitoring points in hard-to-access locations for inspection activities
- Because of few existing monitoring points, lack of data to confidently inject inhibitors
- Loss of revenue because of reduced gas production

## Solution



x 30

## Results

- Gas production **increased by 1% (1,46 MUSD/Yr.)**
- Data-driven injection activities **stopped metal loss proliferation and shutdowns**
- **Decreased OpEx** because of avoidance of inspection activities
- **Safe** operation based on real-time data

# Benefits of Continuous Monitoring in Chemical Applications



# Proven Result: Nylon - Ube Group (Thailand)

## Managing Corrosion in Polymer Production

### Challenges

- **Sulphuric acid** is critical in the Nylon production process
- Sulphuric acid can cause extremely **high rates of metal loss** in steel meaning that good data on asset integrity is essential.

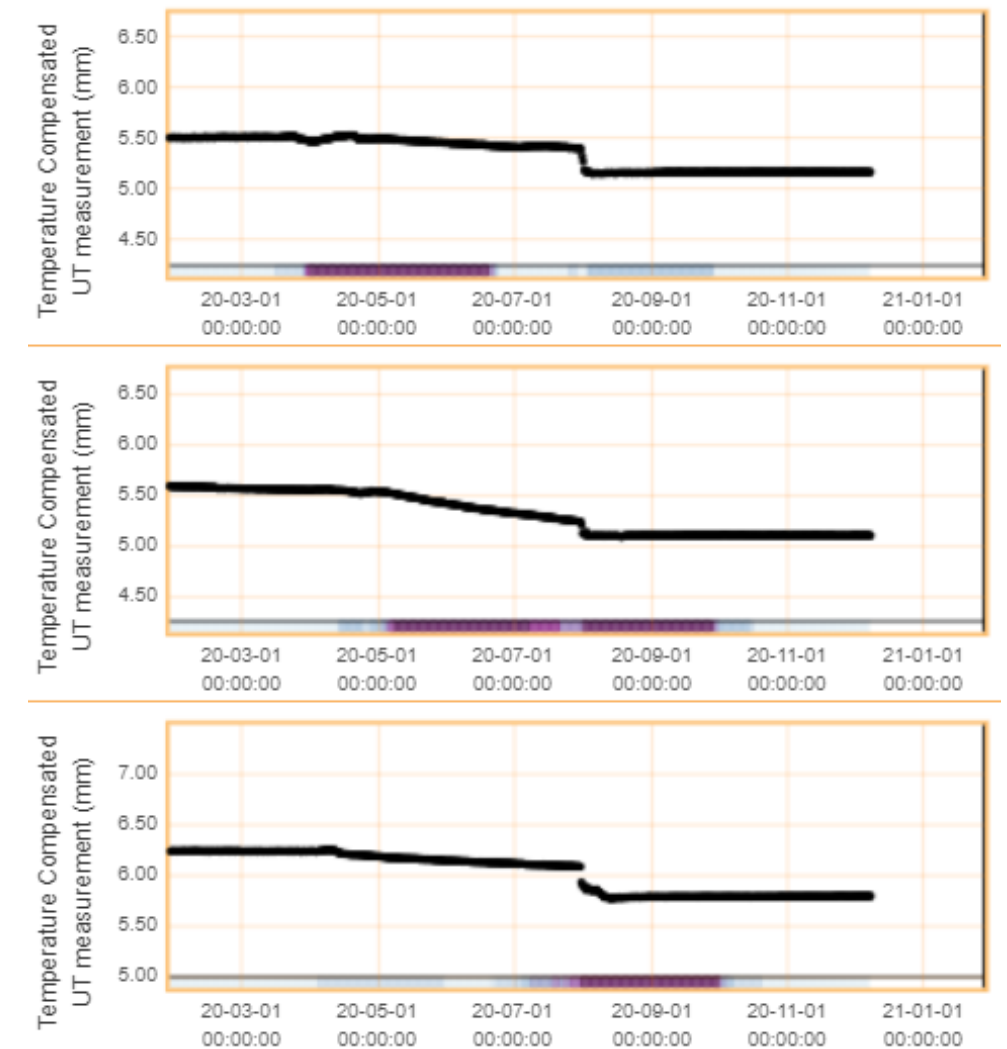
### Solution

- Installation of **10x Permasense** ultrasonic thickness monitoring sensors at critical points in the sulphuric plant.
- The customer elected to take up a **connected service** package to ensure that the data generated by their Permasense system was regularly reviewed by subject matter experts
- The connected service **analysis identified severe sulfuric acid corrosion**, enabling the customer to take **corrective action** before significant damage was done to their plant

### Key Emerson Technology

- 10x Permasense sensors, supported by an Emerson Connected Services package

Region: Thailand | Industry: Chemical



### Proven Results



#### Early Warning

Expert analysis identified unexpected high rates of metal loss



#### Plant Availability

Unplanned shutdown avoided



**>USD200,000 per day\***  
Avoided production capacity loss

\* Based on production capacity, market price of product and impact on plant

# Ethylene Plants - Challenges & Solution –

## Ethylene Plants

Olefin crackers are the workhorses of the petrochemical industry, producing mainly ethylene, propylene, and butadiene.

They consist of three main areas:

- a hot section;
- a compressor section
- A distillation (recovery) section

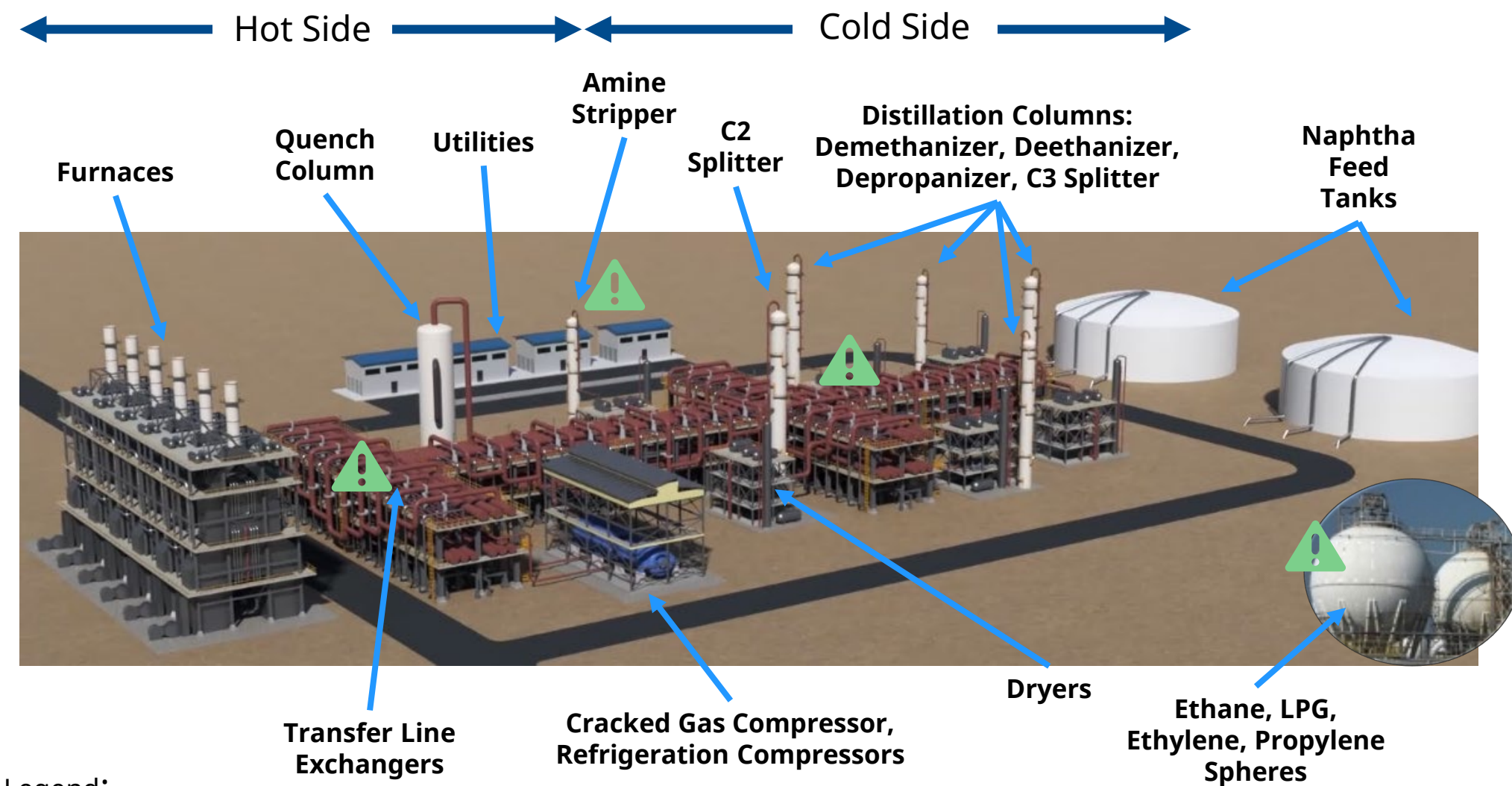


Figure: Typical Ethylene plant

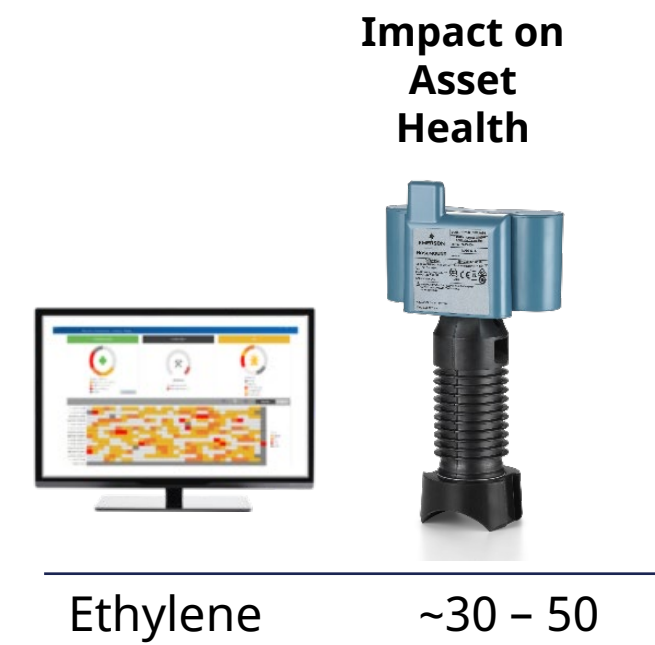
Legend:

- Elevated Corrosion Risk

## Corrosion customer challenges

- TLE boiler feed water requires tight quality control to prevent corrosion
- Acid gas remaining in cracked gas can cause corrosion downstream in piping and caustic scrubber
- Furnace tubes, amine stripper overhead, cracked gas compressor inter-cooler vessels, dilution steam drums, de-ethanizer overhead system

## Emerson Solution



# Chlor-Alkali Plants – Customer Challenges & Solution

## Chlor-Alkali Plants

Chlor-alkali plants use brine to produce chlorine, sodium hydroxide and hydrogen. An electric current is passed through the brine, to form hydrogen gas at one electrode and chlorine gas at the other – leaving a solution of sodium hydroxide.

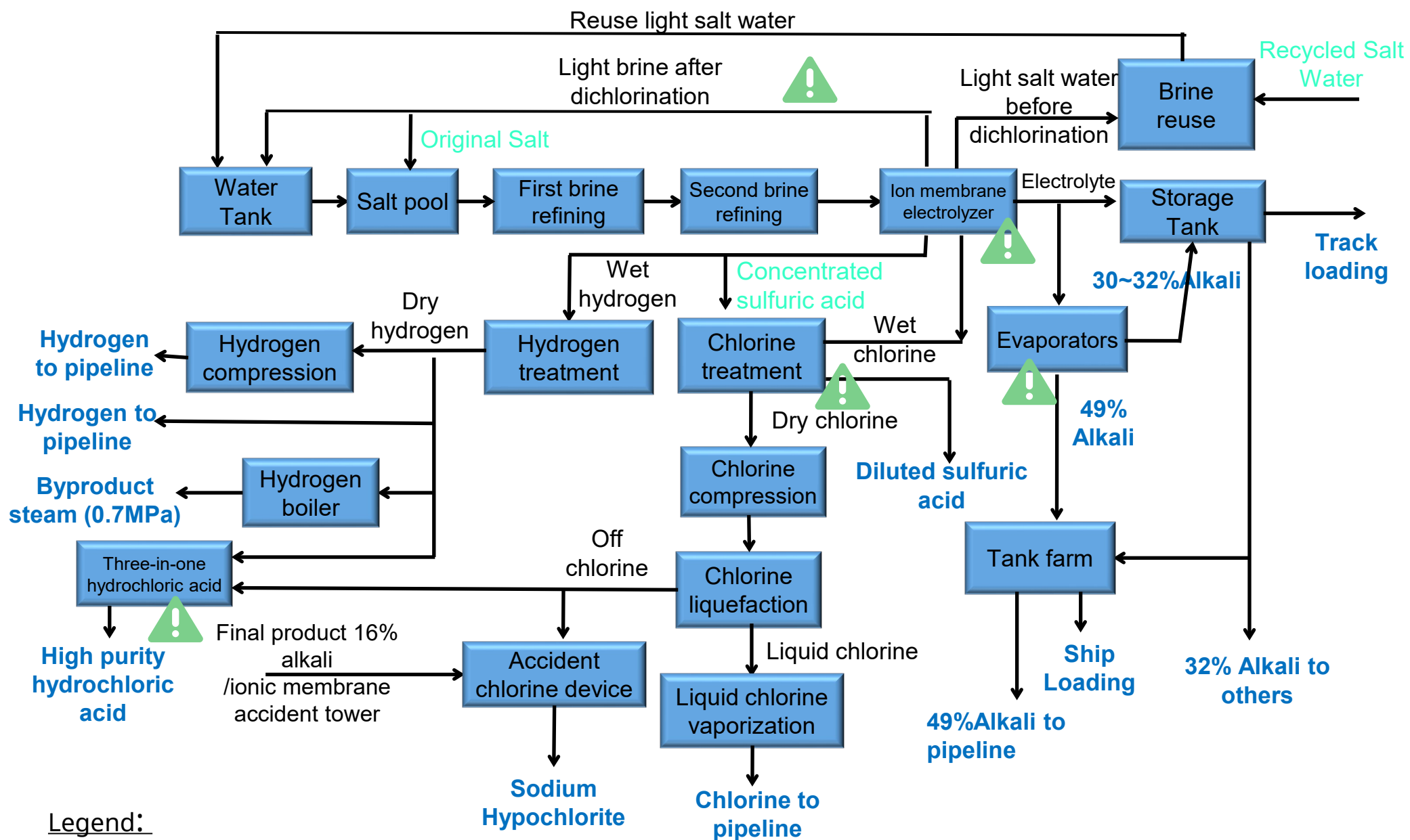


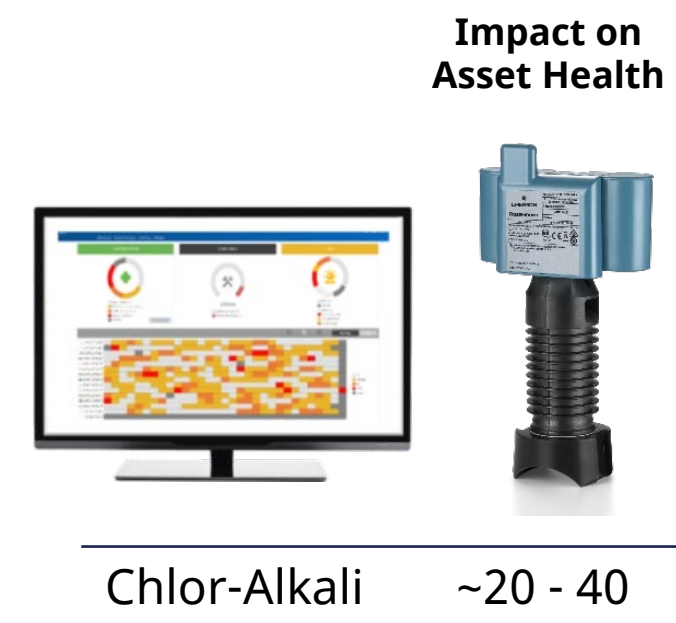
Figure: Typical Chlor-Alkali Plant.

## Corrosion Customer Challenges

Handling corrosive chemicals which require special procedures (chlorine, caustic soda, hydrochloric acid, sodium hypochlorite, sulfuric acid, salt brine)

- Key areas of concern:
  - Electrolyzer outlet area
  - Wet chlorine treatment area including Diluted sulfuric acid equipment
  - Caustic product handling area
  - Hydrochloric acid area
  - Brine storage tanks

## Emerson Solution



Chlor-Alkali ~20 - 40

## Summary



Corrosion and/or Erosion are **ever-present threats**



Corrosion and/or Erosion **vary across the asset and over time**



**Manual inspection is not frequent enough** to understand asset health or corrosion rates



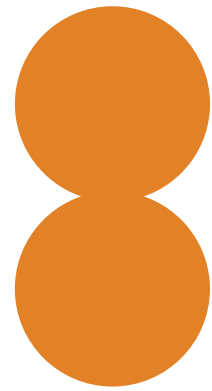
Monitoring of both **corrosion and erosion risk and their impact on the asset health is essential**



**Emerson's *WirelessHART*® capability** delivers best-in-class data to your desk



**Use the data** to better-operate your process plant, ensuring the asset is driven to its maximum capability



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