Applying HUMS

CBM, Readiness and Safety Benefits

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Transformation

- Goals/areas of concentration that set CBM on course:
  - Goodrich
    - Automate inspections & tests
    - Opportunistic maintenance
    - Change unscheduled maintenance to scheduled
  - AMCOM
    - Reduce workload on the maintainer
    - Increase mission readiness/availability
      - Mission planning tied to maintenance

Platforms w/ Goodrich HUMS

USN\USM

V-22

CH-53E, CH-53K

SH-60B, MH-60S, MH-60R

UH-1Y, AH-1Z

COMMERCIAL

S-92

S-76D

US ARMY

UH-60A, UH-60L, UH-60M

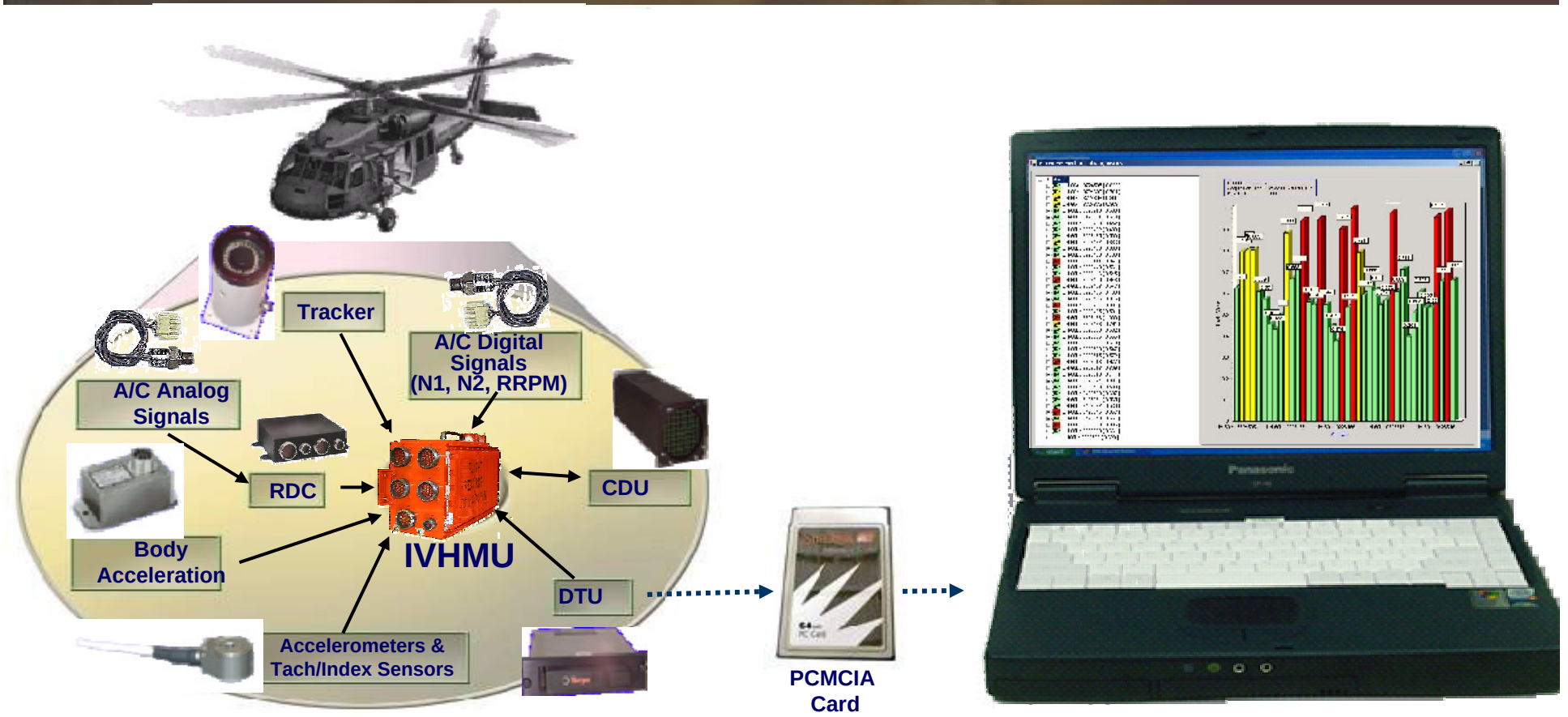
CH-47D

> 700 UH-60 & CH-47

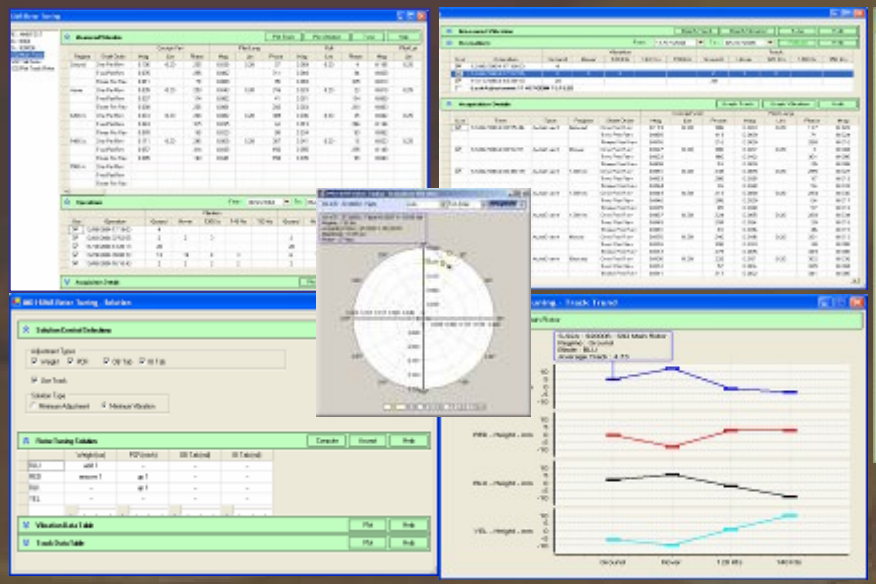
> 150,00 combat flight hours

IVHMS

On Board System | **Ground Station System**



Automated Traditional Checks



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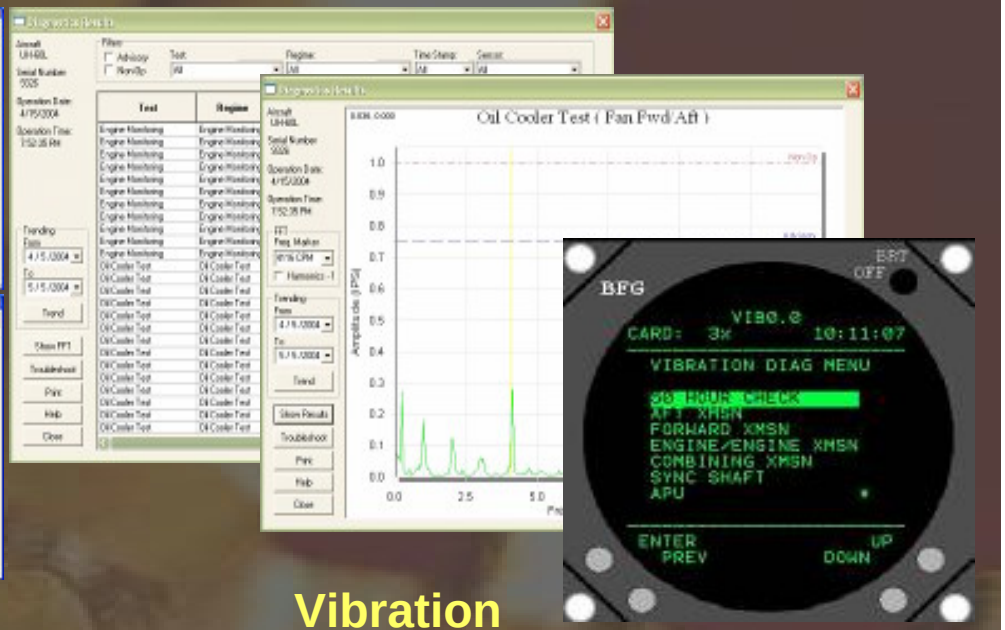

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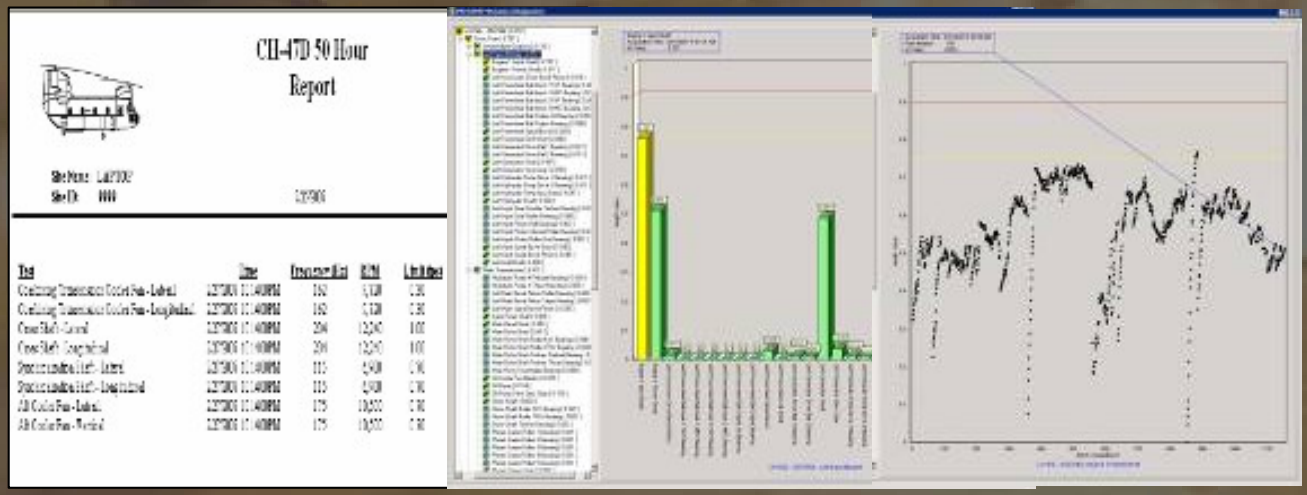

50/120HR Vibe Checks

50/120HR Auto Checks

CH-47D 50 Hour Report

Site Name: AGSS0010
Site ID: 2235

10/11/2007

A/C: CH-47D
S/N:
FROM: 10/9/2007 12:00:00AM
TO: 10/10/2007 11:59:59PM

Test	Time	Frequency (Hz)	RPM	Limit (ips)	Measured Vib (ips)	Pass/Fail
Combining Transmission Cooler Fan - Lateral	10/10/2007 12:53:00PM	162	9,720	0.30	0.06	PASS
Combining Transmission Cooler Fan - Longitudinal	10/10/2007 12:53:00PM	162	9,720	0.30	0.11	PASS
Cross Shaft - Lateral	10/10/2007 12:53:00PM	204	12,240	1.00	1.06	FAIL
Cross Shaft - Longitudinal	10/10/2007 12:53:00PM	204	12,240	1.00	1.24	FAIL
Synchronization Shaft - Lateral	10/10/2007 12:53:00PM	115	6,900	0.70	0.54	PASS
Synchronization Shaft - Longitudinal	10/10/2007 12:53:00PM	115	6,900	0.70	0.12	PASS
Aft Cooler Fan - Lateral	10/10/2007 12:53:00PM	175	10,500	0.70	0.24	PASS
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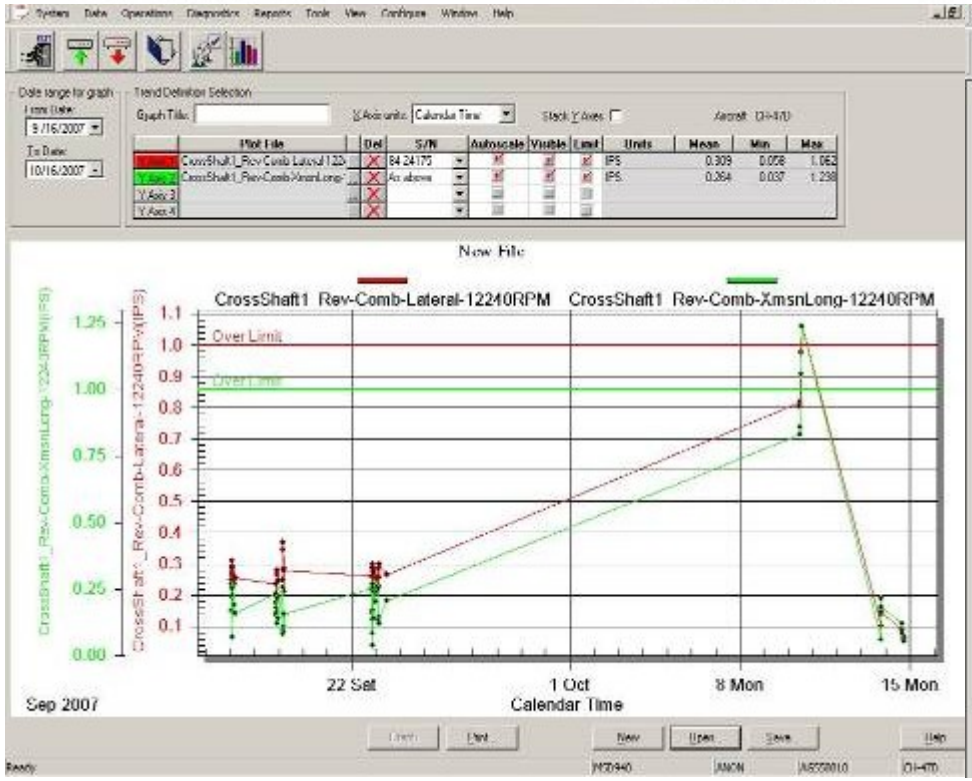
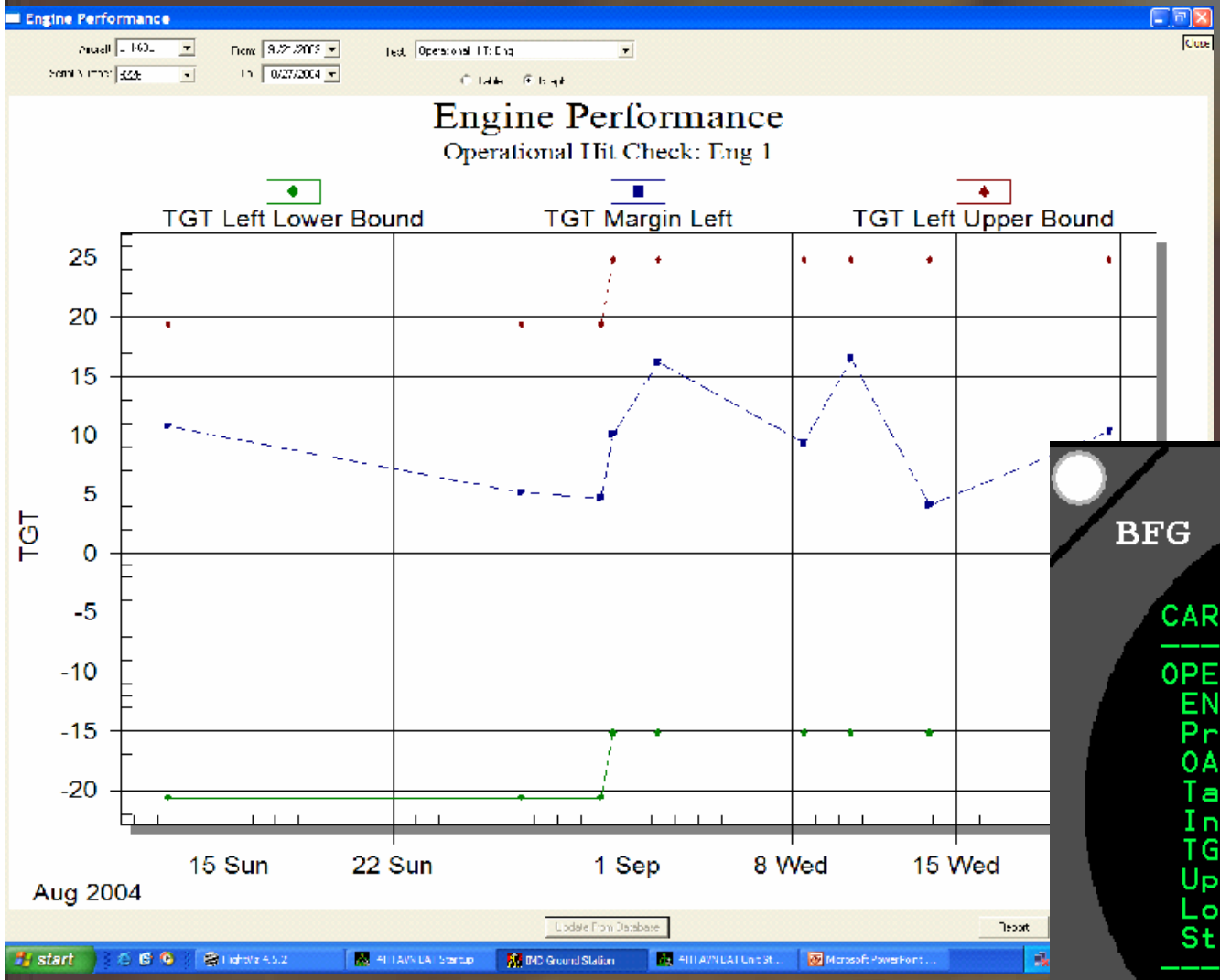


Semi-Automated Engine Power Assurance



Advanced Mechanical Diagnostics

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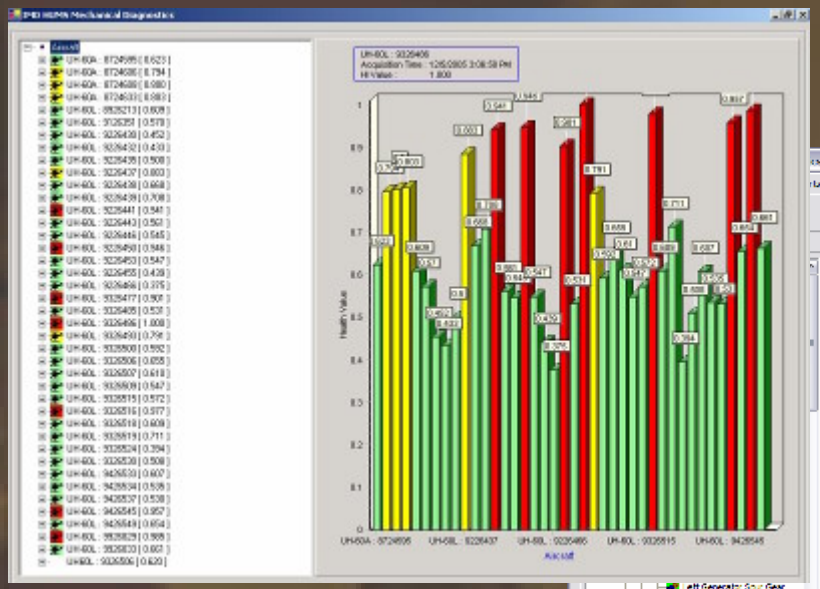

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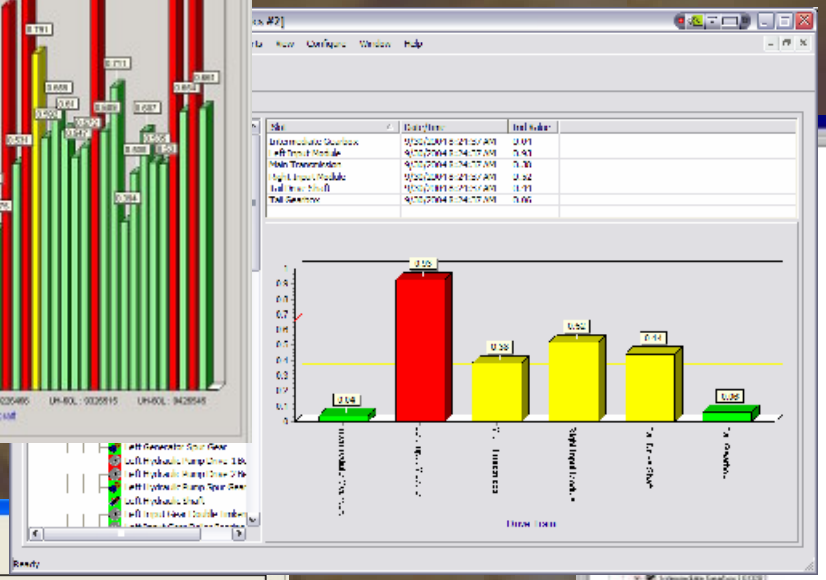

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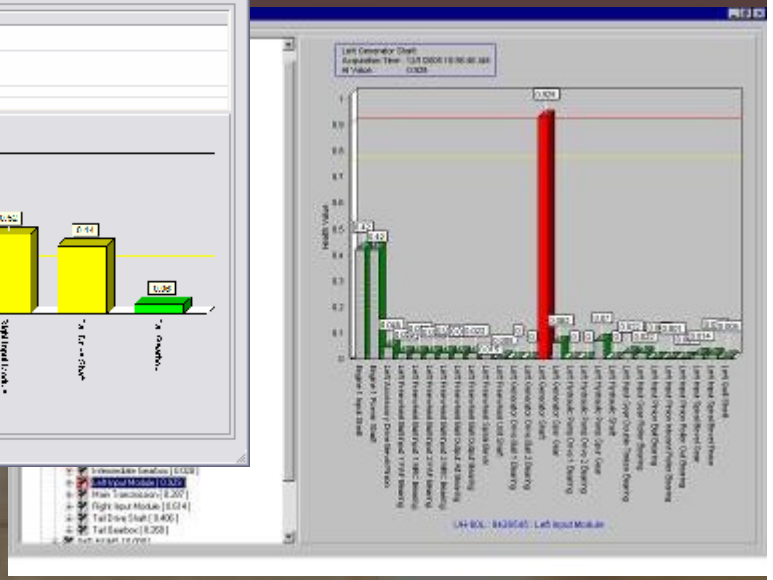

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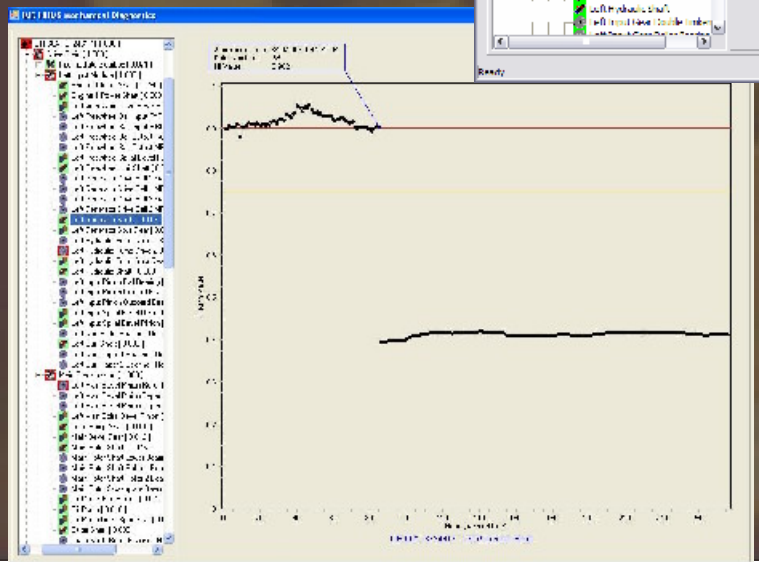
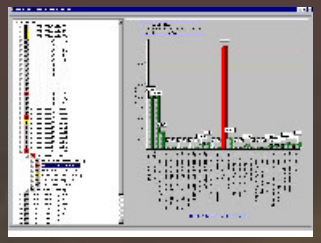


Opportunistic HI/Maintenance Removal



Unit Bearing, Gear & Shaft HI Review

Or

Other detection

(AOAP, Visual)

Evaluate/Adjust HI Thresholds

Verify Damage & Match Severity to HIs

CBM WG Evaluate and make recommendation

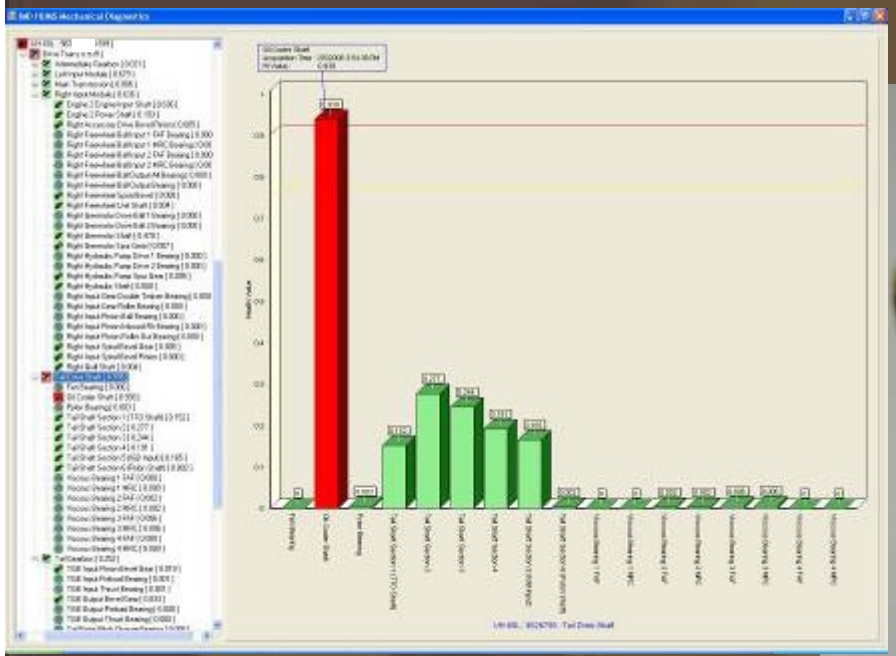
CAT 1 QDR

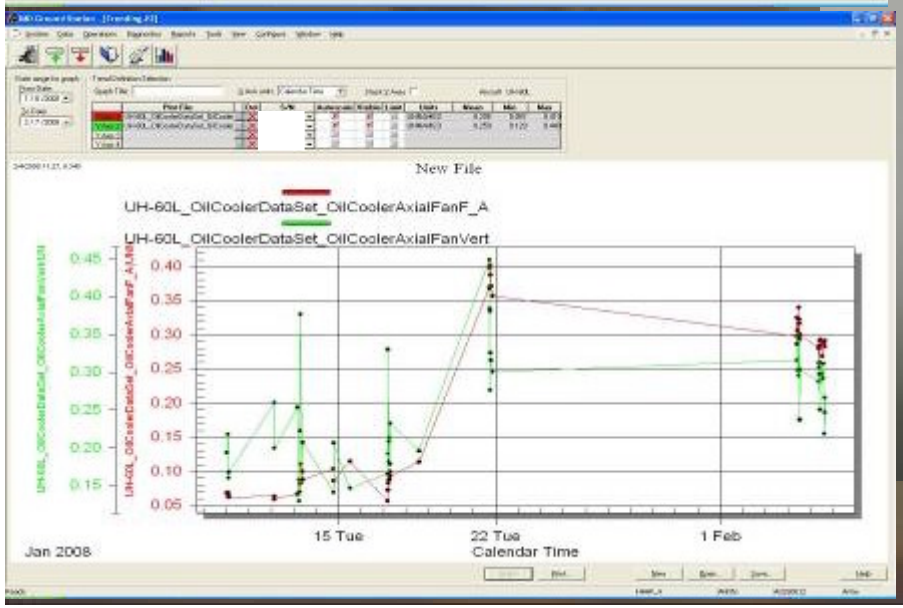
QDR Paperwork Completed & Part Shipped to AED for Teardown Inspection and/or Test Stand Runs

Unit Decides & Schedules Removal

Part Removed during Scheduled Maintenance

Opportunistic Maintenance





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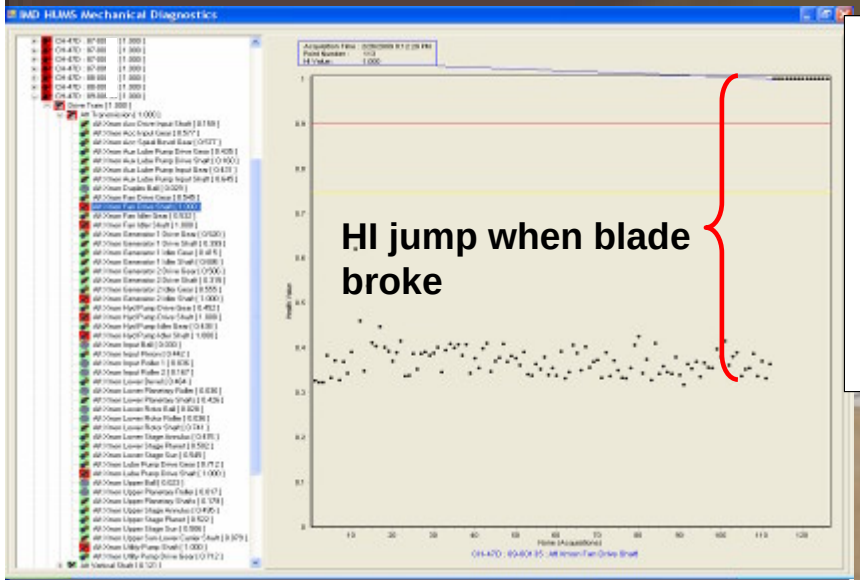

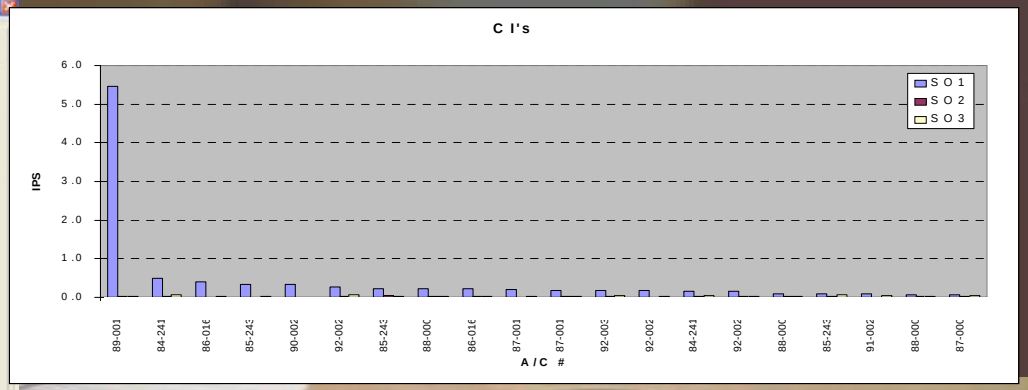

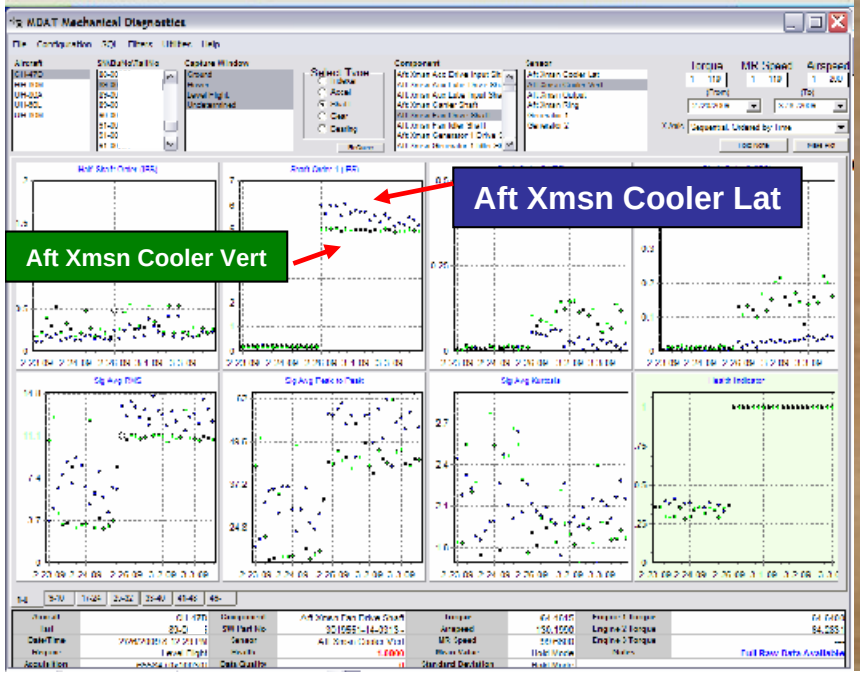

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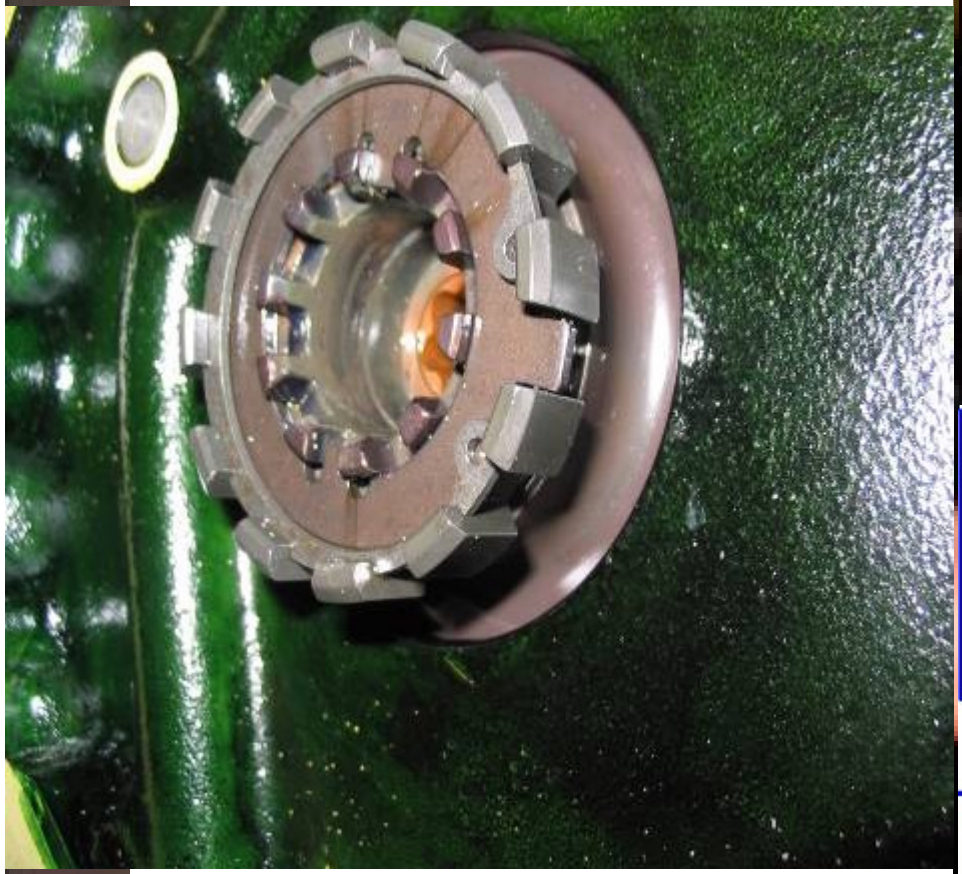

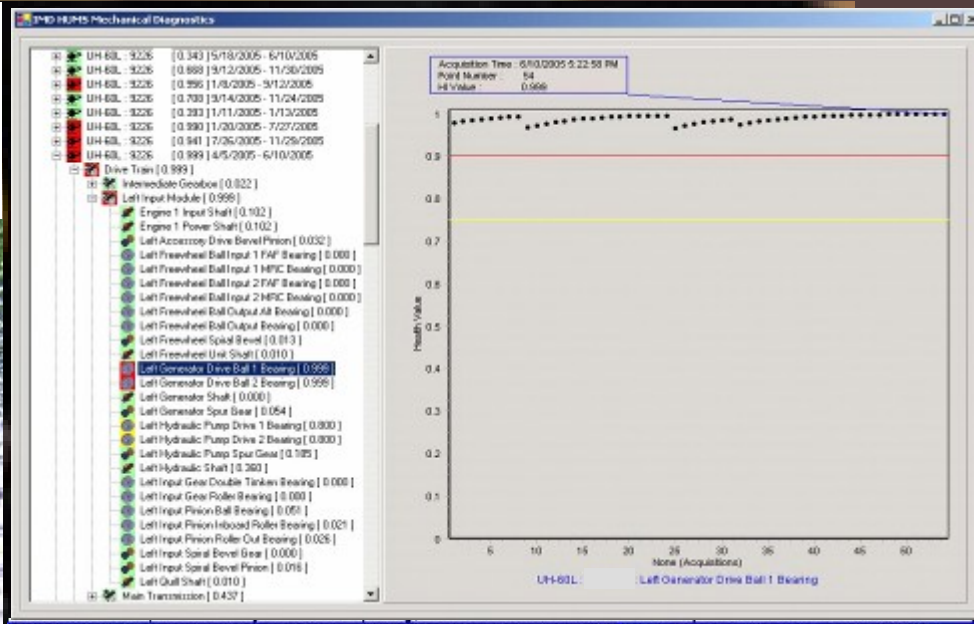

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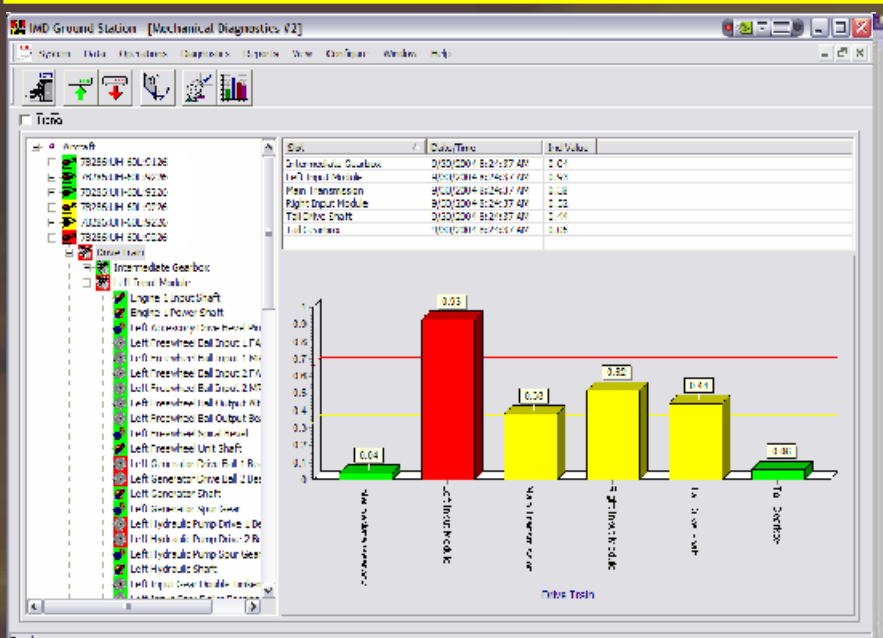

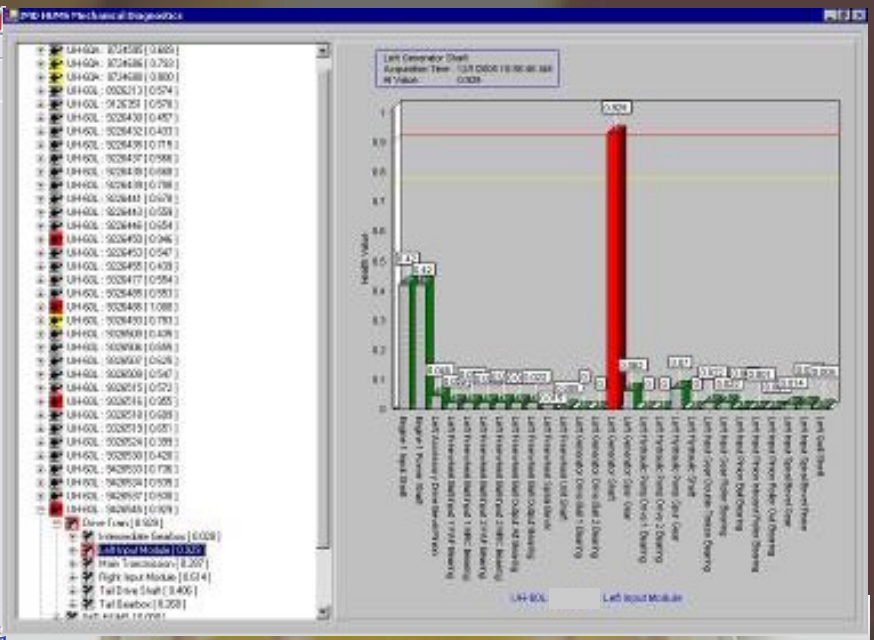

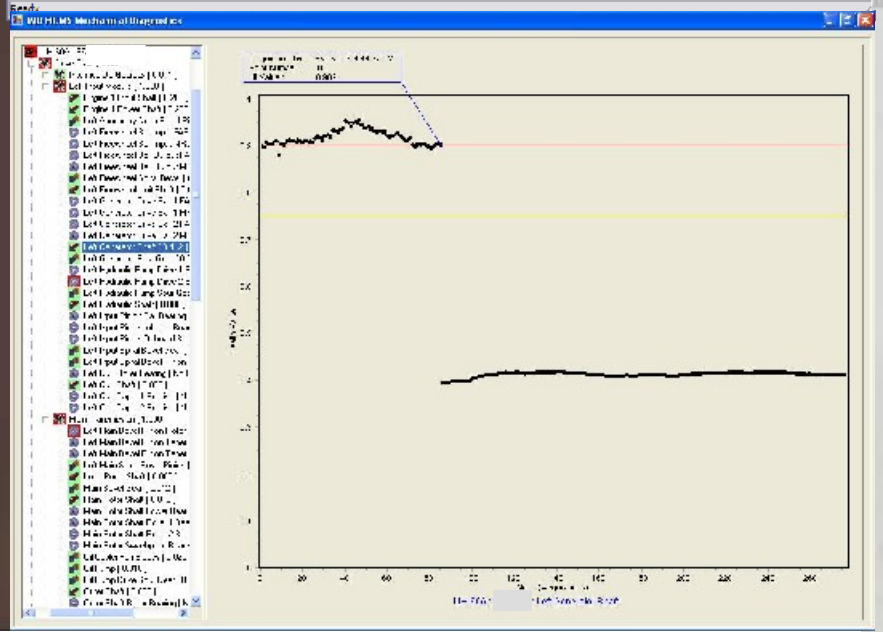

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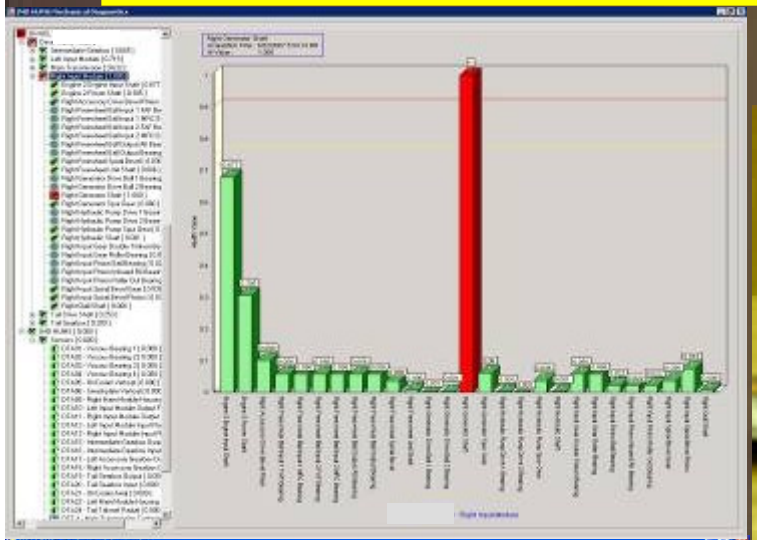

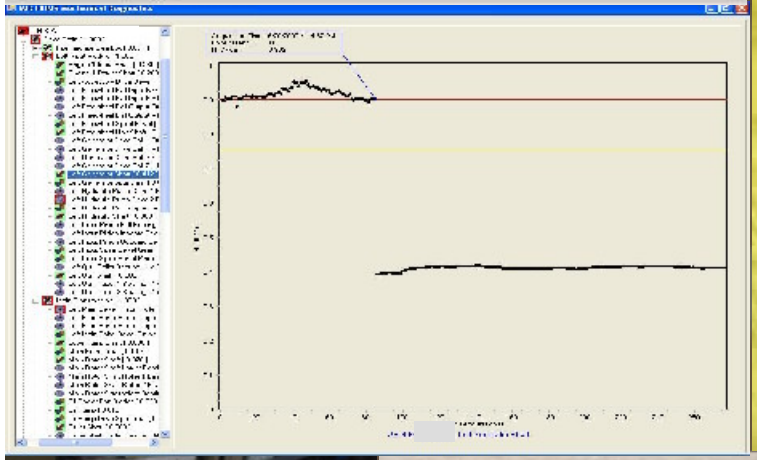

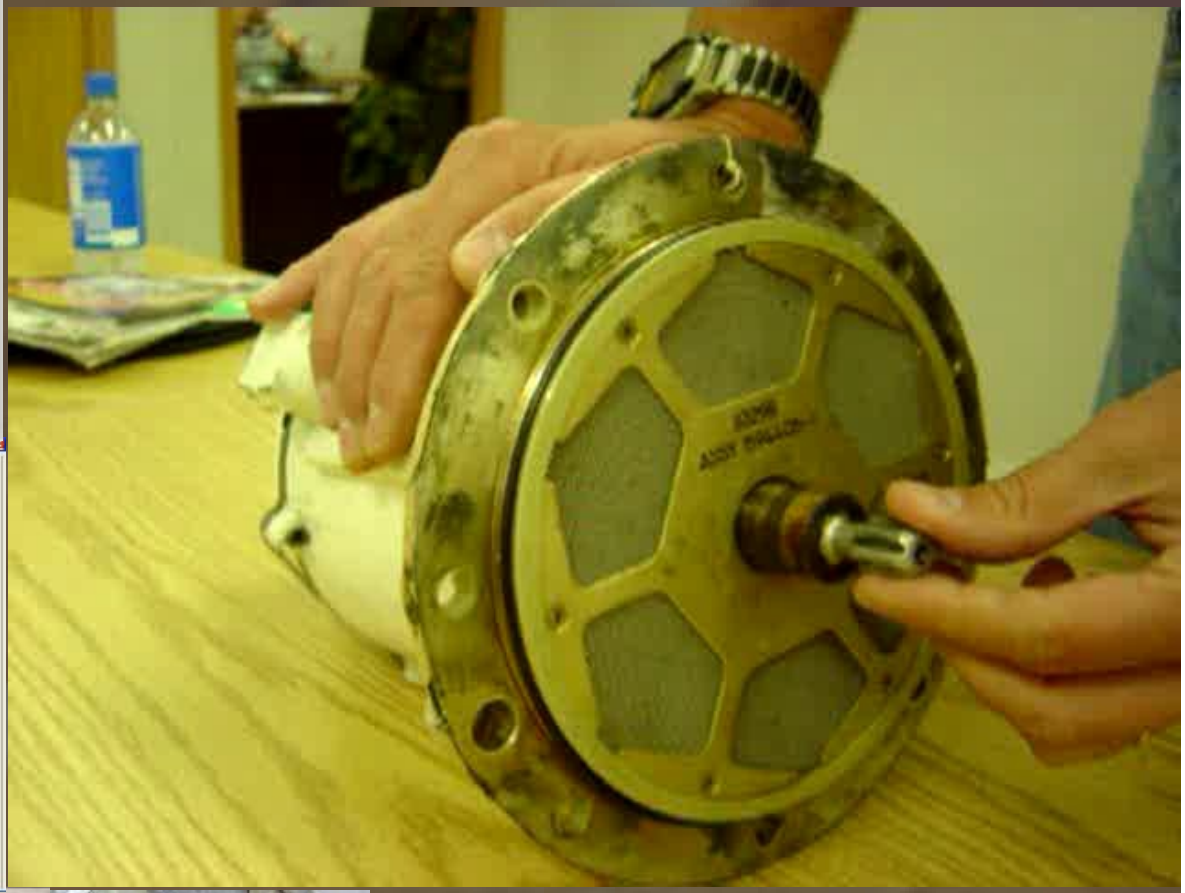

> 60 maintenance events

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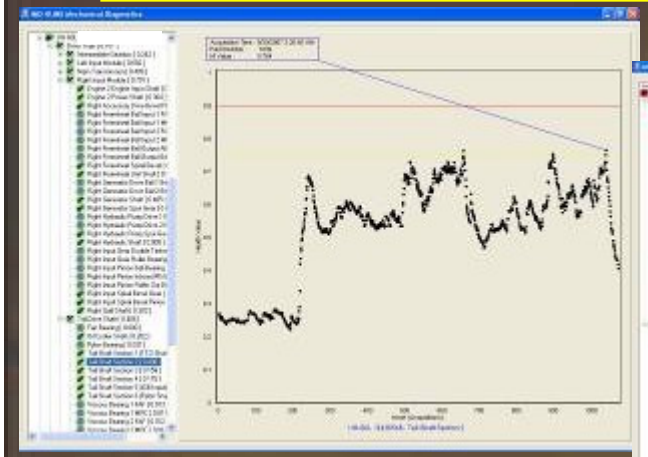
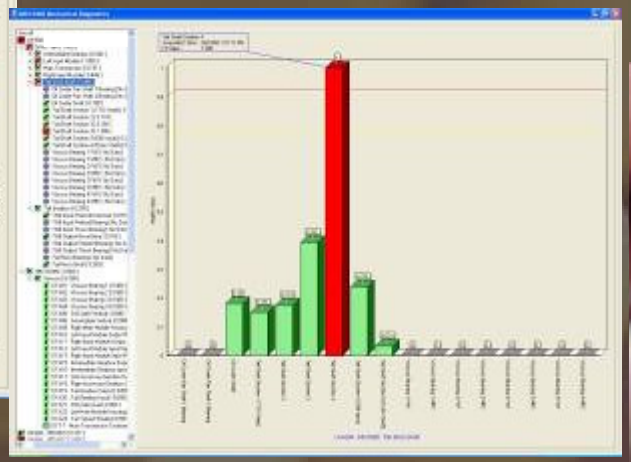
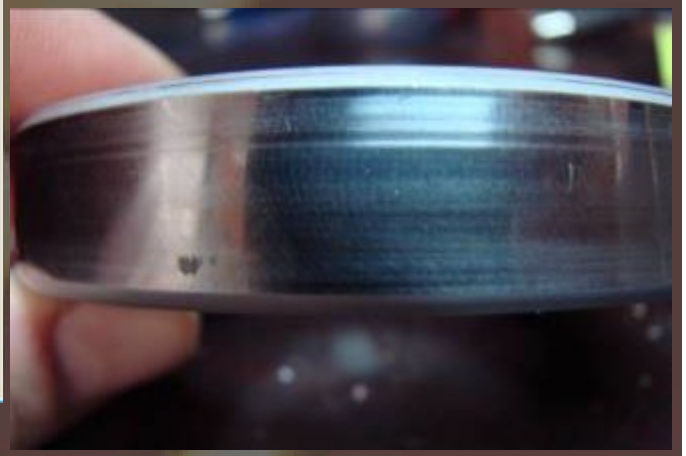
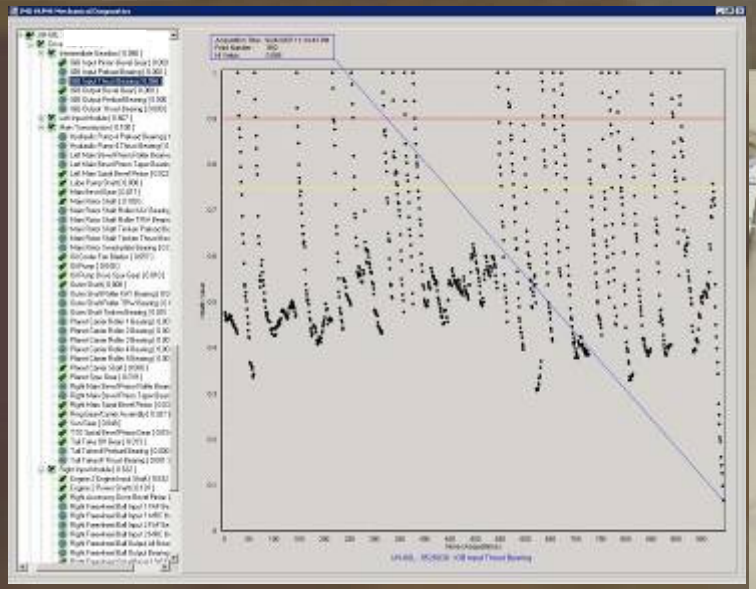








Mission Planning

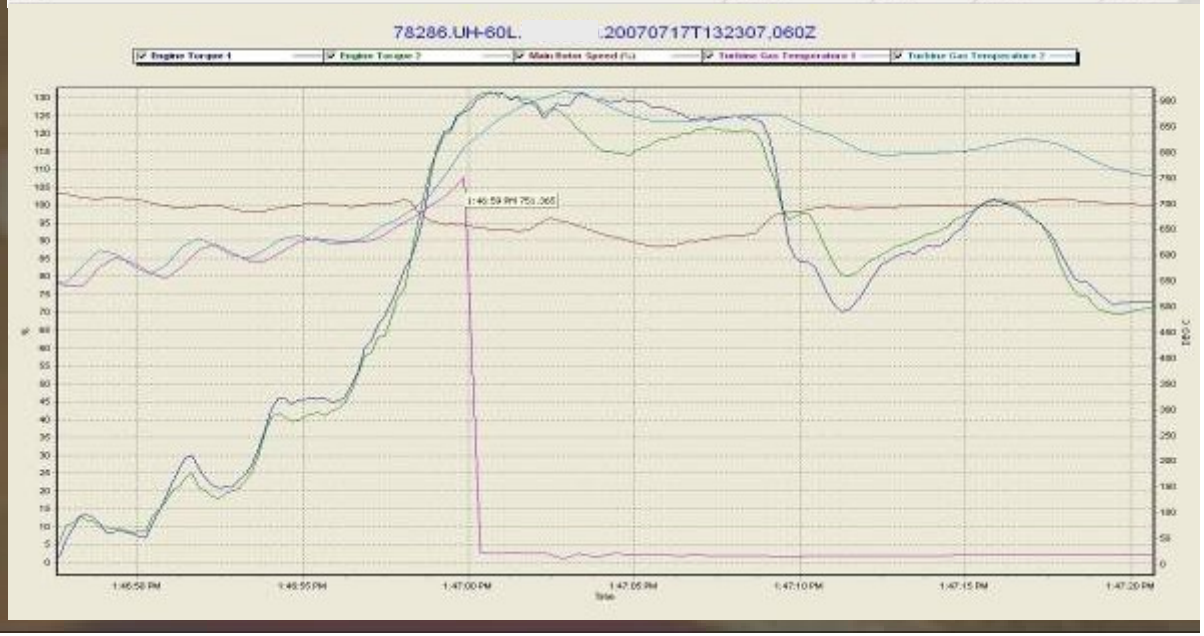
Predicted Benefits

- Exceedance Analysis
- MFOQA

Exceedance Analysis

UH-60 and CH-47

- **OBS programmed per -10 and -23 limitations to generate and log exceedances**
- **Exceedances can be viewed under "Exceedance History" on CDU**
- **Exceedances are reviewed during download/debrief**
- **Data review validates severity and duration of exceedances**



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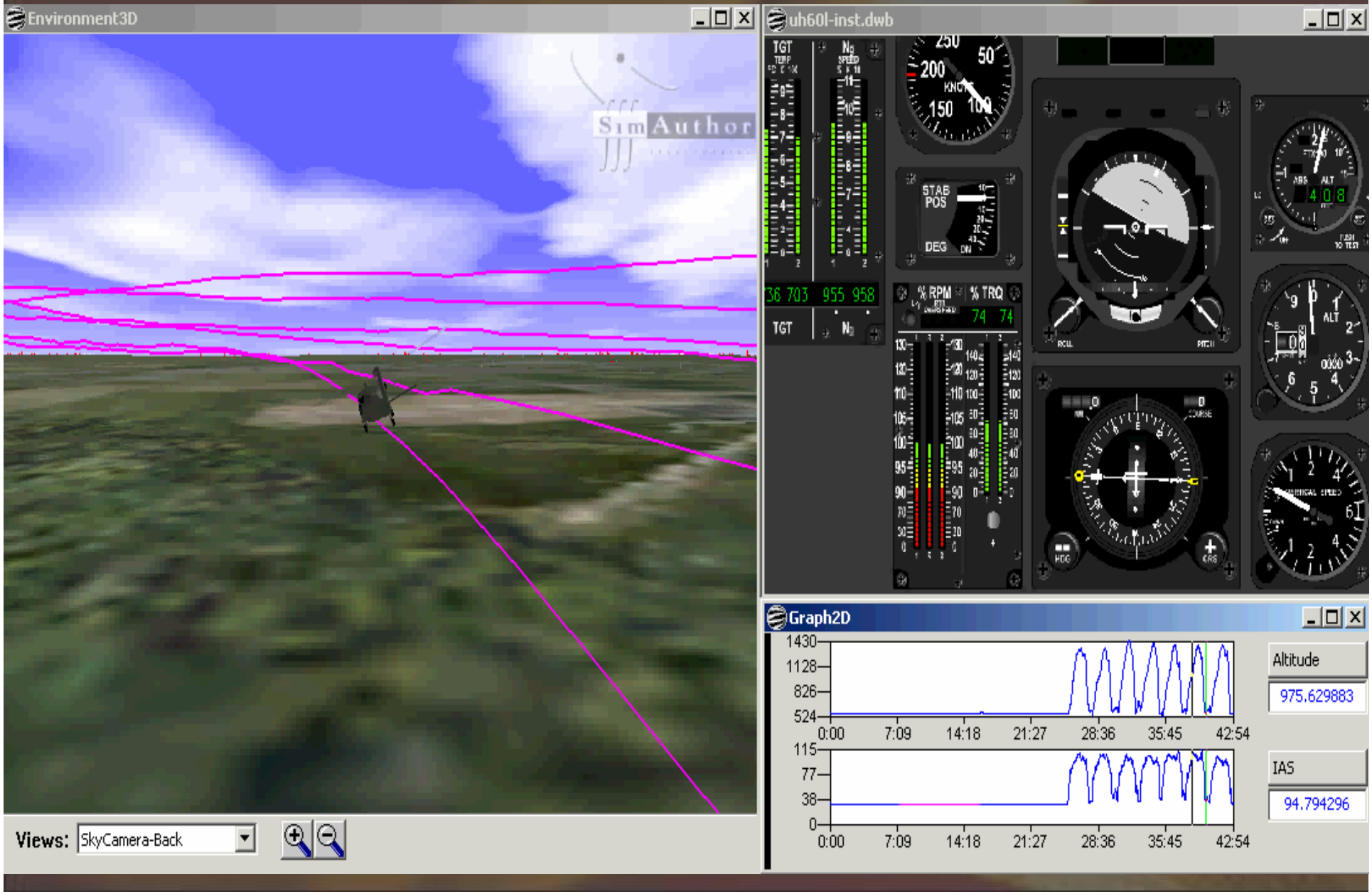
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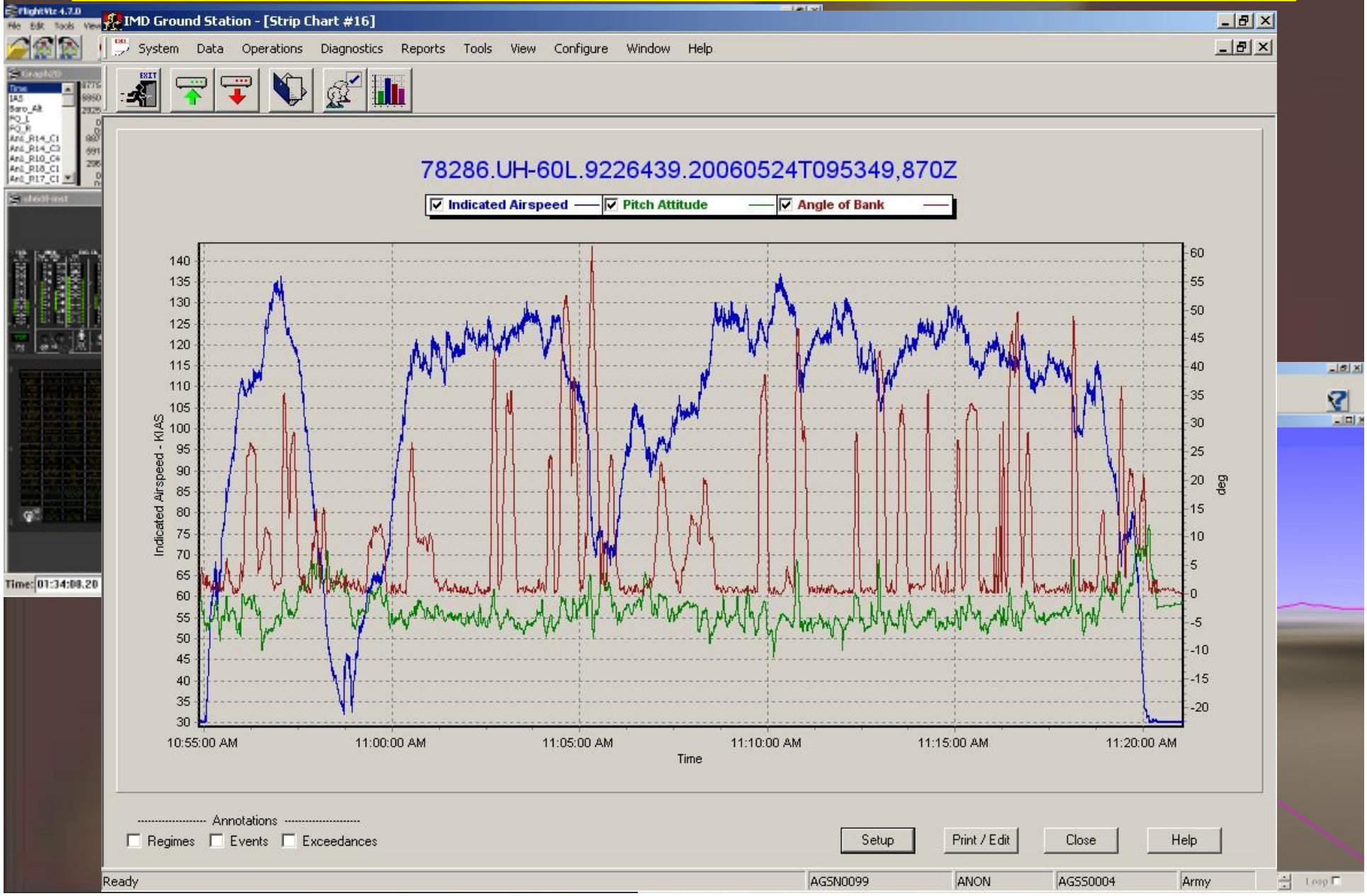
Flight Viz - MFOQA

Flight playback used for:

- **Pilot training and validation**
  - **IPs required extra iterations of environmental training in Kuwait after viewing landings on Flight Viz**
  - **Action on contact reviewed and trained within 24 hours**
  - **Cleared pilots of flying misconduct**

- **Accident/Incident Investigations**
  - **Class A investigation**
  - **Horizontal strike at schoolhouse**
  - **Hard Landings**
  - **Brownout incidents**
  - **Maintenance incidents**

MFOQA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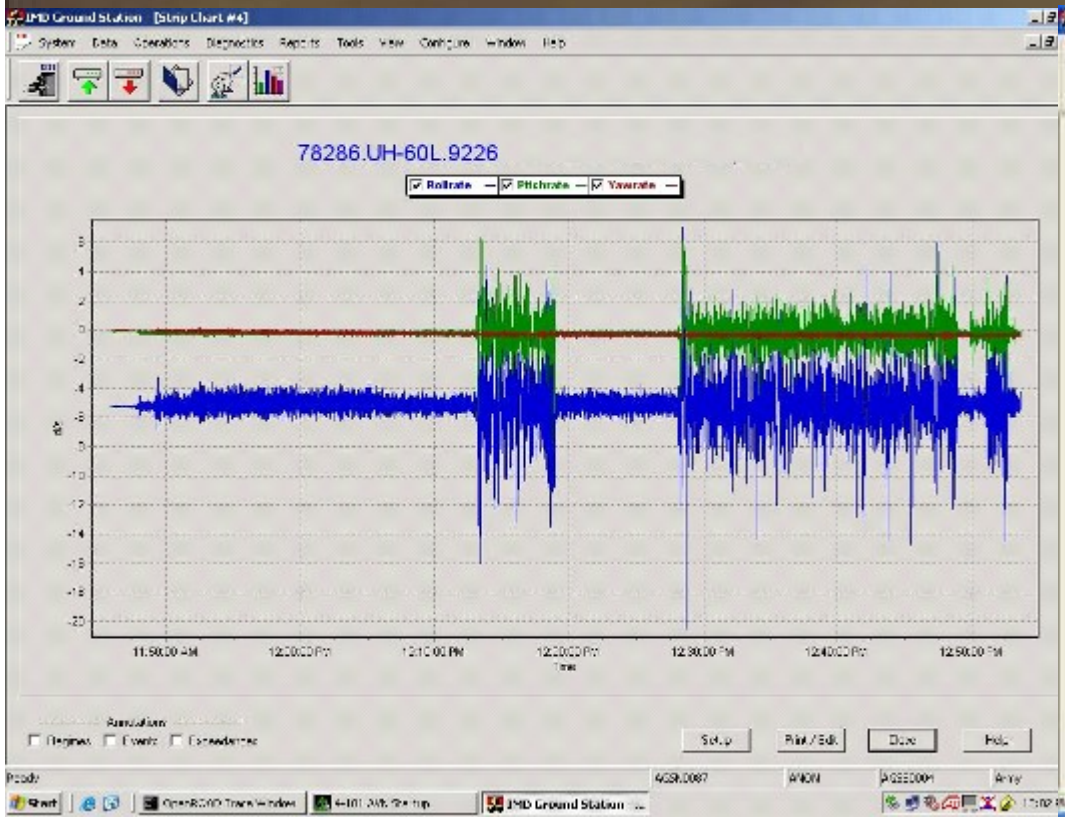
Greatest Unforeseen Benefits

- Troubleshooting Aircraft Systems
- Maintenance Verification
- Battle Damage Assessment

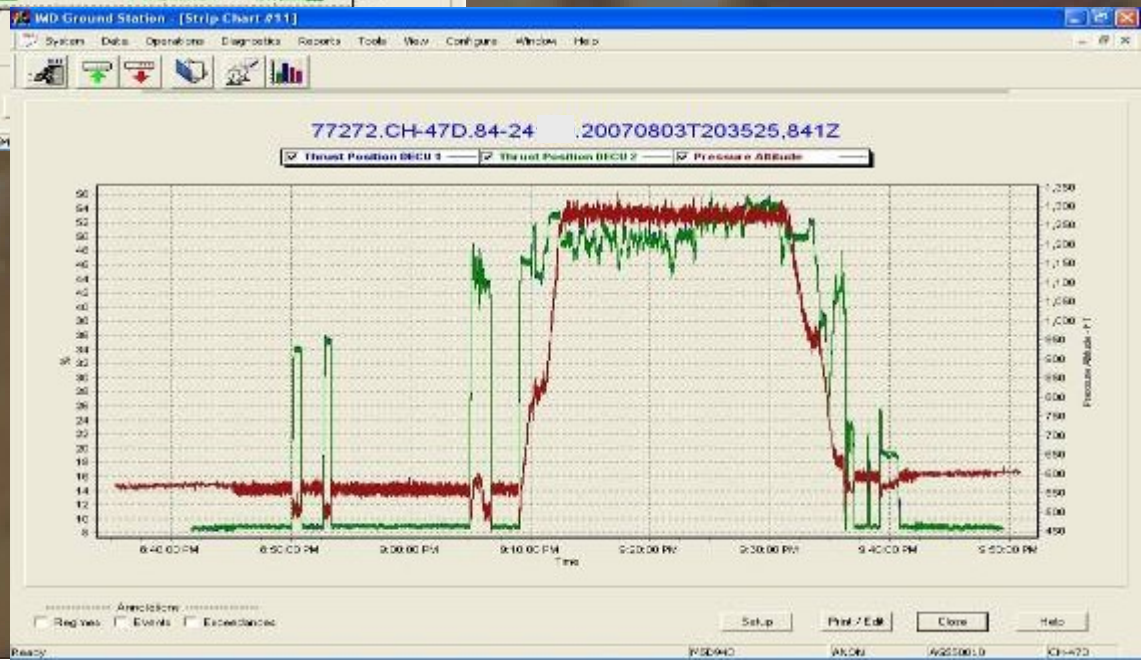
Troubleshooting

- Real-time on-board and post download analysis
- Signal comparison utilizing Strip Chart function provides easy identification of faulty aircraft sensors
- HUMS digitizes legacy aircraft signals and therefore has higher fidelity than analog aircraft systems
- HUMS can see problems and degradation before it appears on cockpit instrumentation



Troubleshooting

Aircraft experienced runaway thrust condition two times during flight, with the barometric altitude hold engaged



Thrust cockpit control drive actuator was replaced

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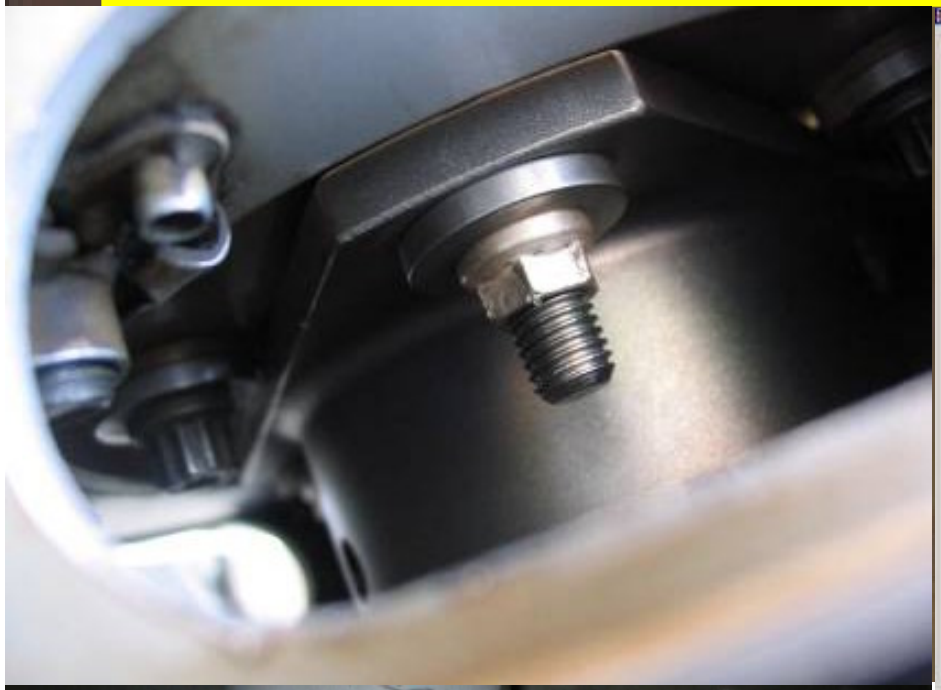

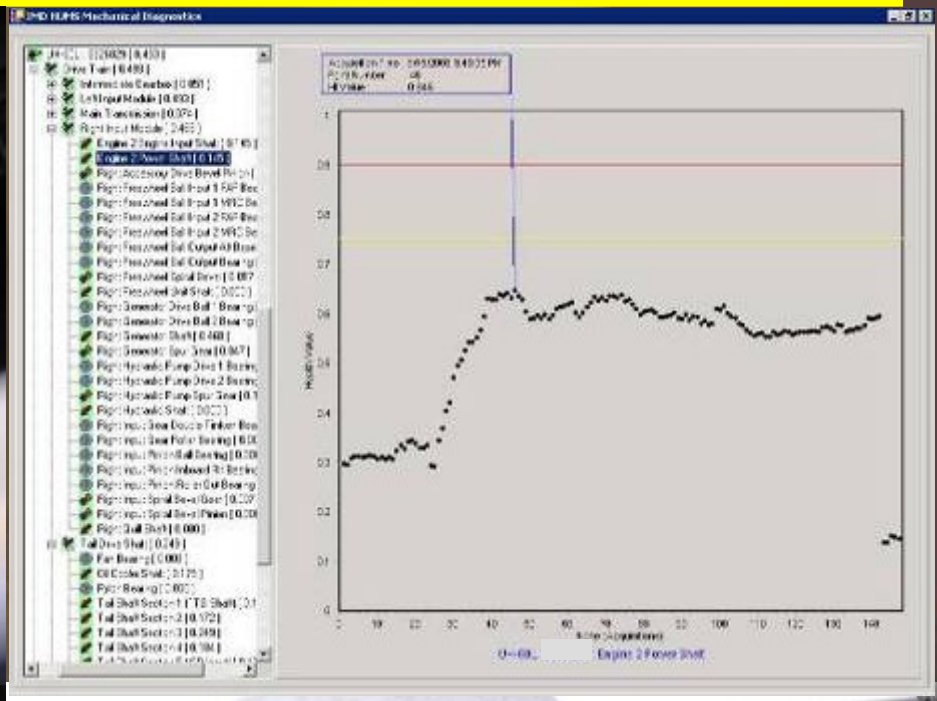

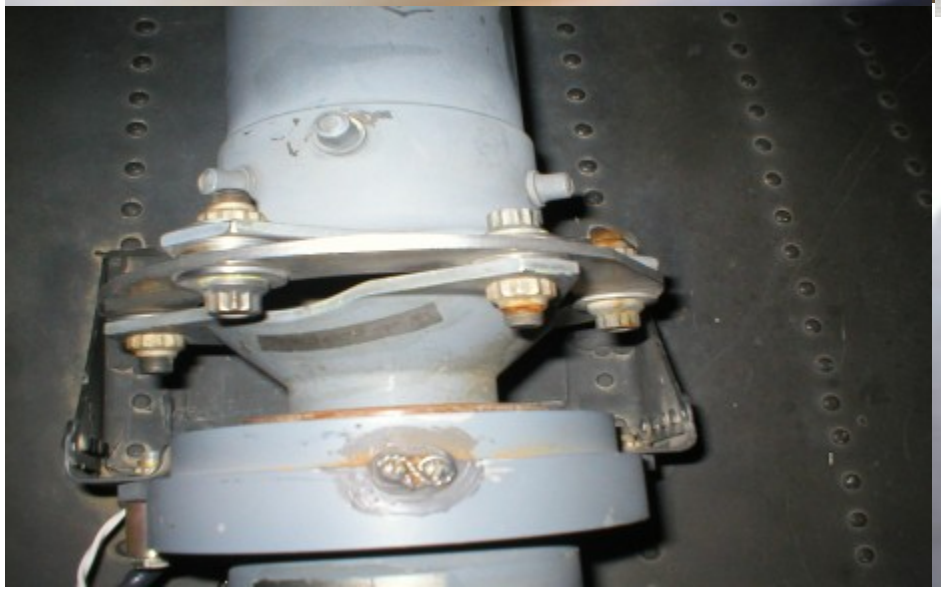

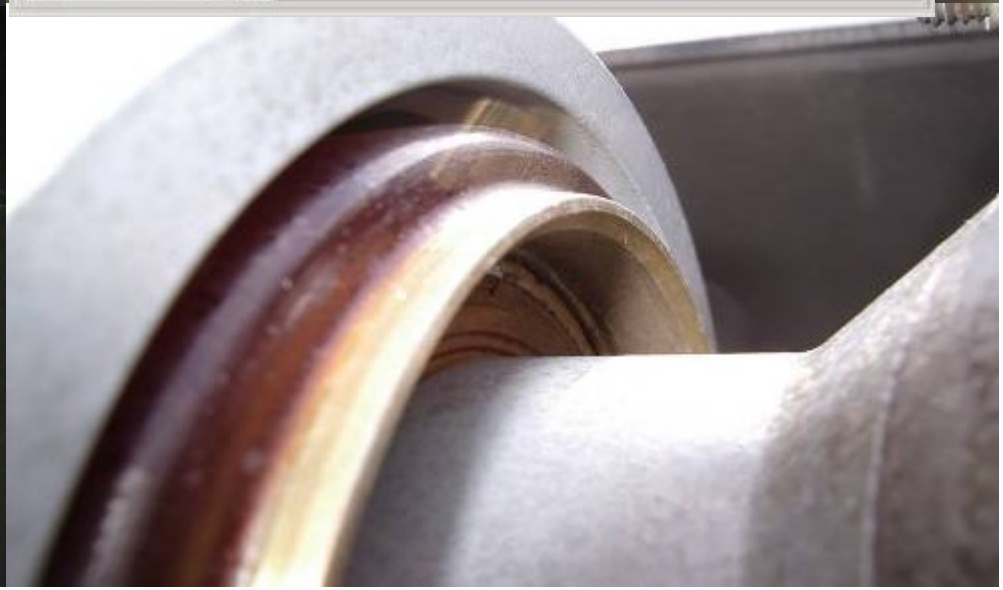

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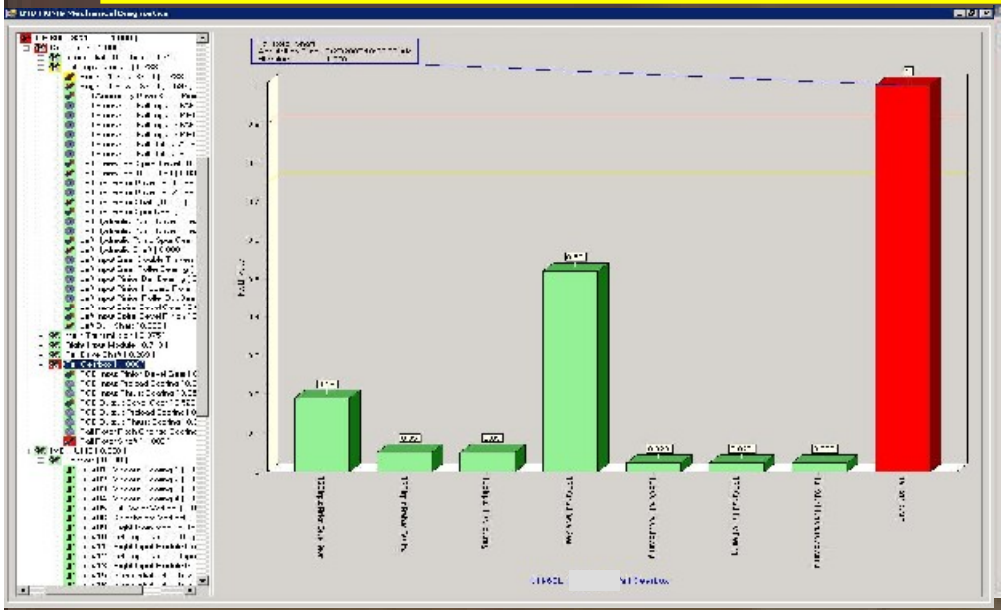

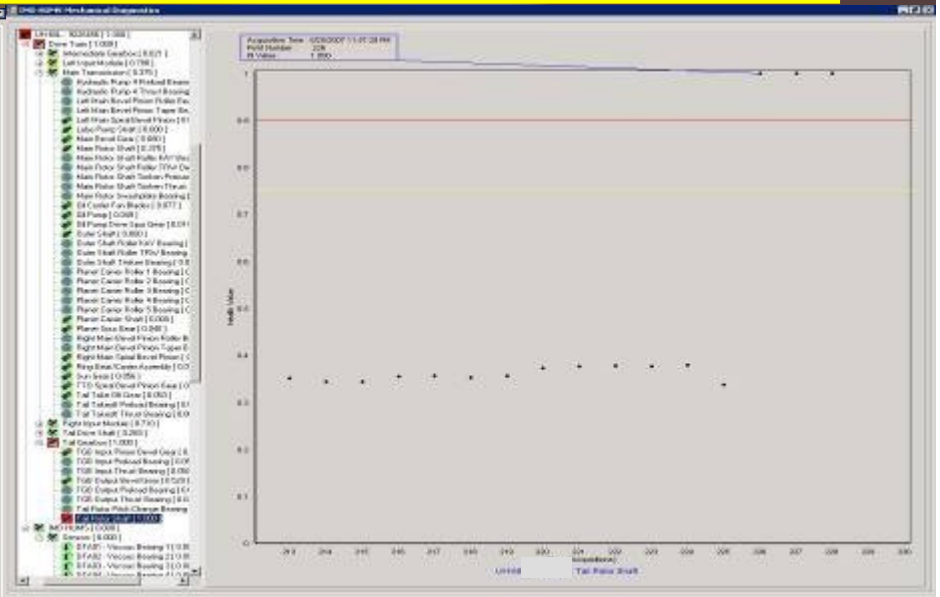

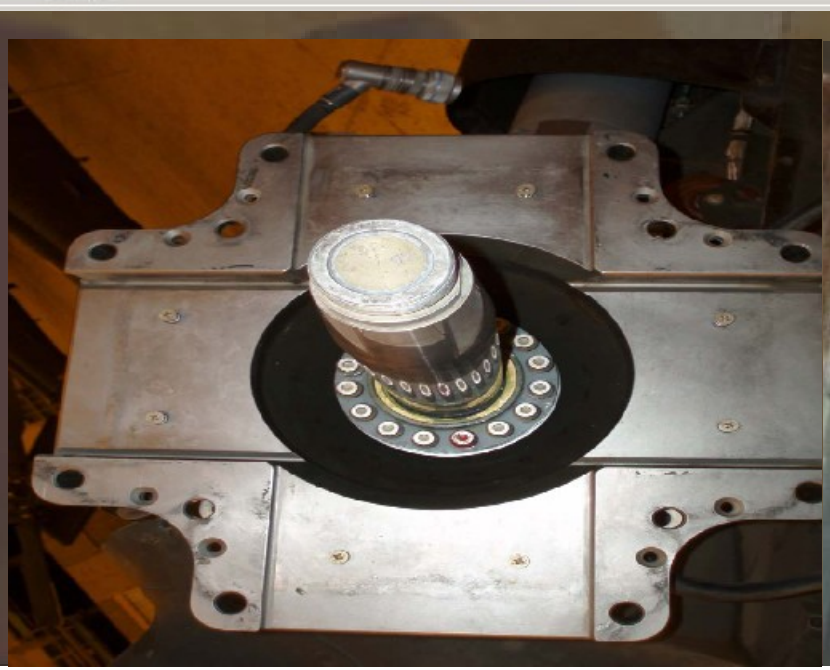

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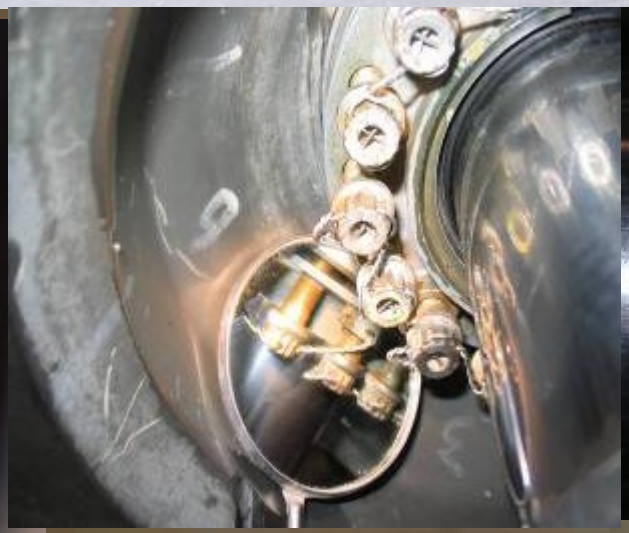

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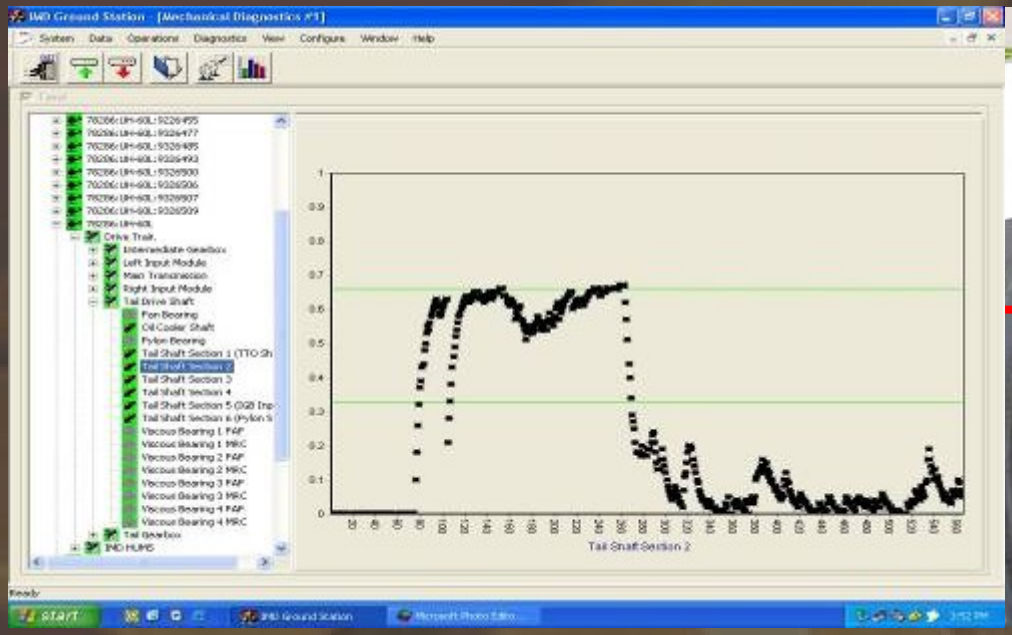

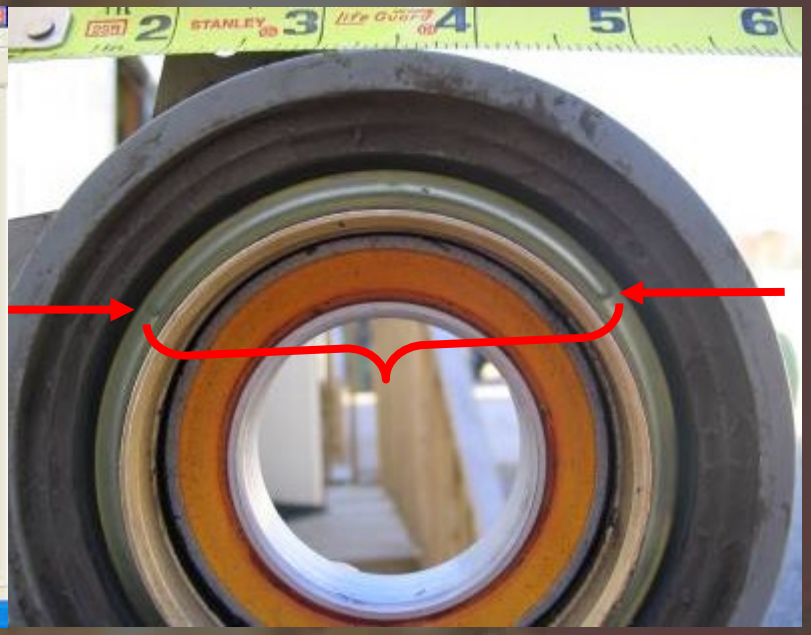

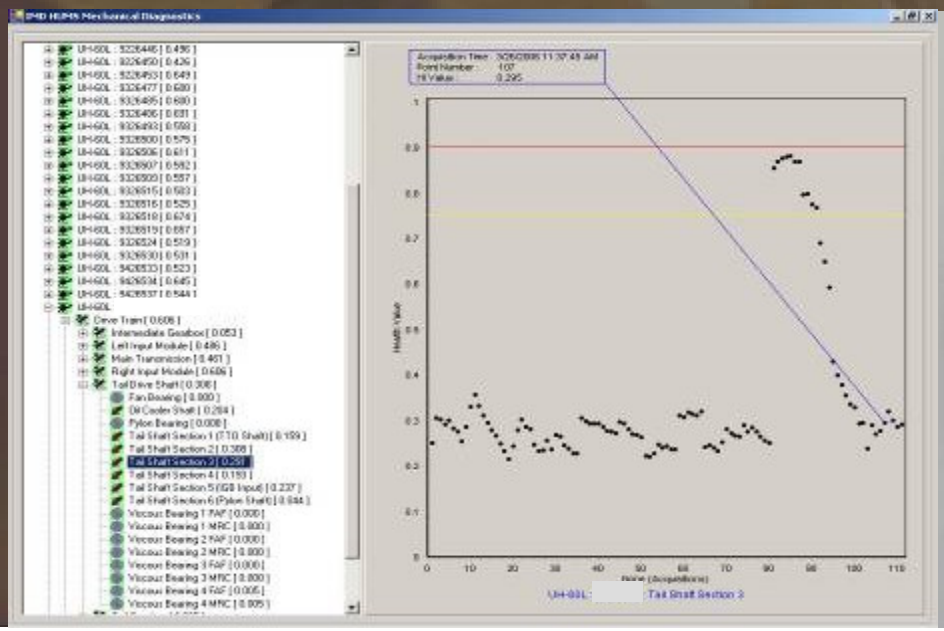

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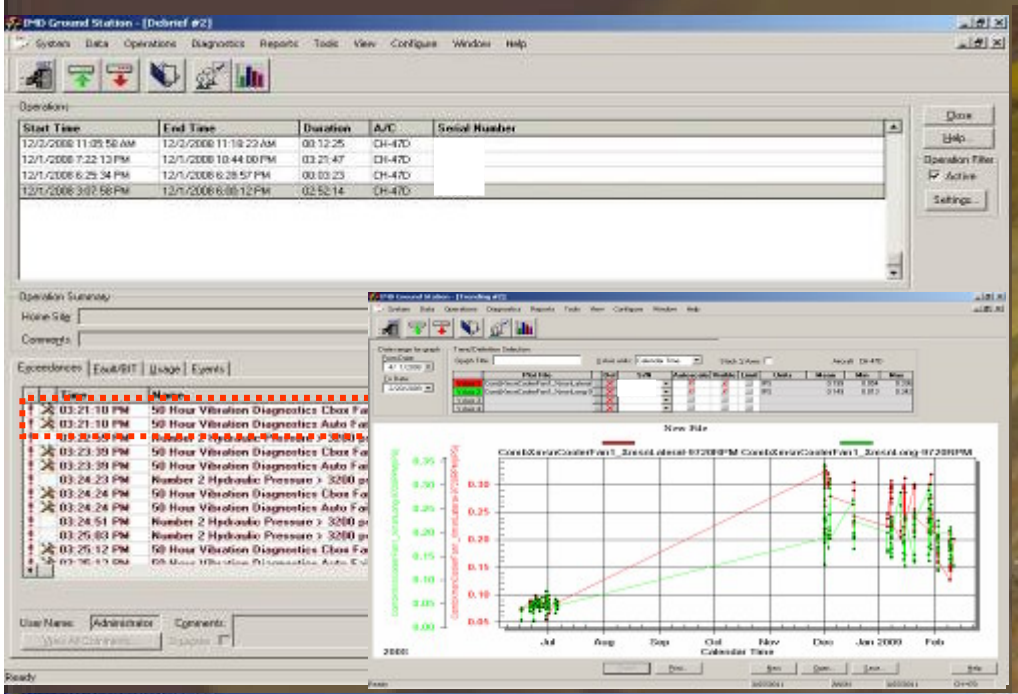
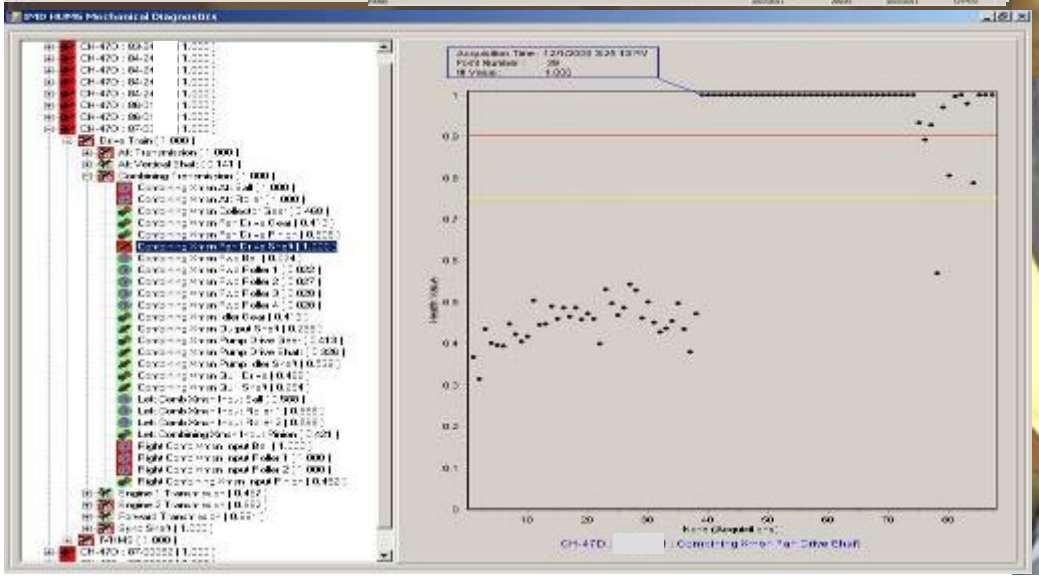




Battle Damage Assessment

HUMS data used to determine location of incident:

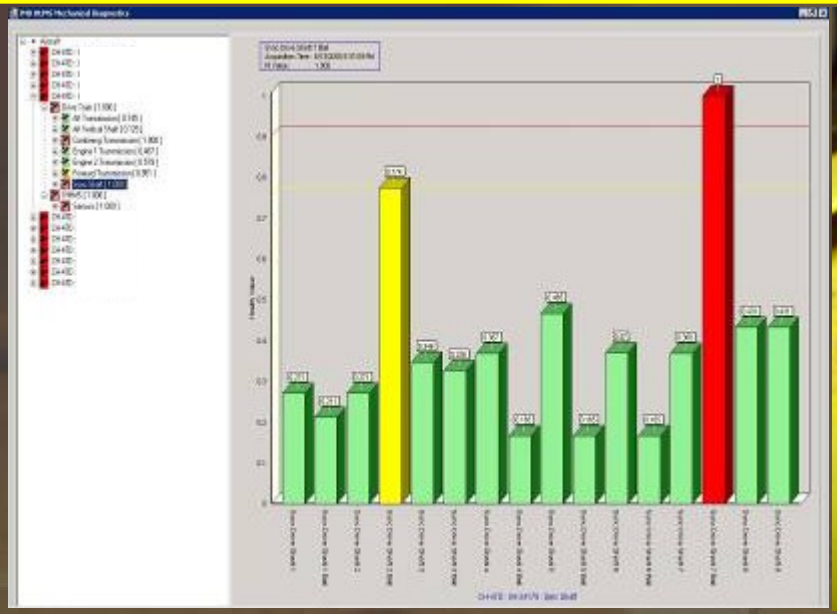
- **Some aircraft signals were lost due to hostile fire**
- **Data was reviewed to determine time of monitored signal failures**
- **Using GPS data collected by HUMS, the location of incident was determined when it coincided with the signal failures or evasive maneuvers**

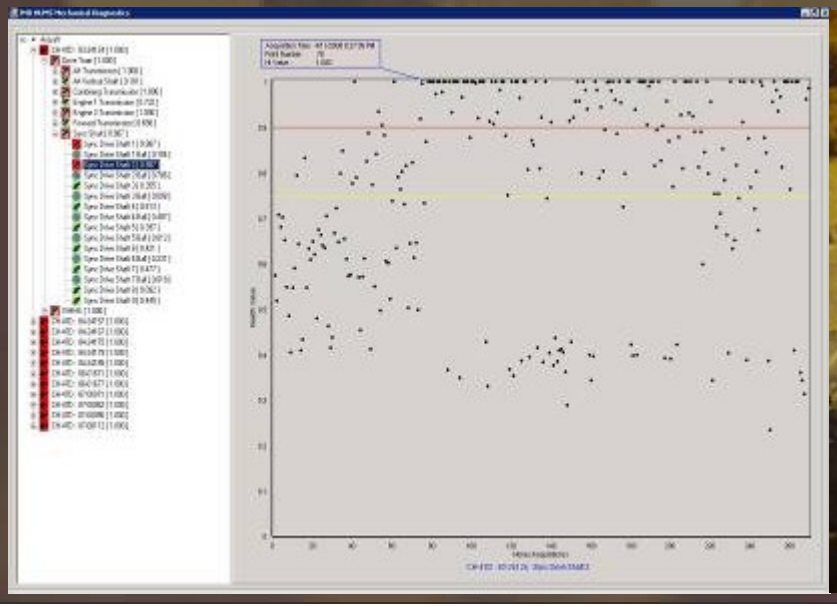
Battle Damage Assessment

Aircraft data is reviewed after taking hostile fire for:

- **Possible exceedances during evasive action**
- **Damaged wiring and sensors identified by dropout in HUMS data**
- **Hit rotors and drive shafts**
    - **Verify no damage done to connected bearings and gearboxes by reviewing HI trends of components and ips levels of rotors**

Structural





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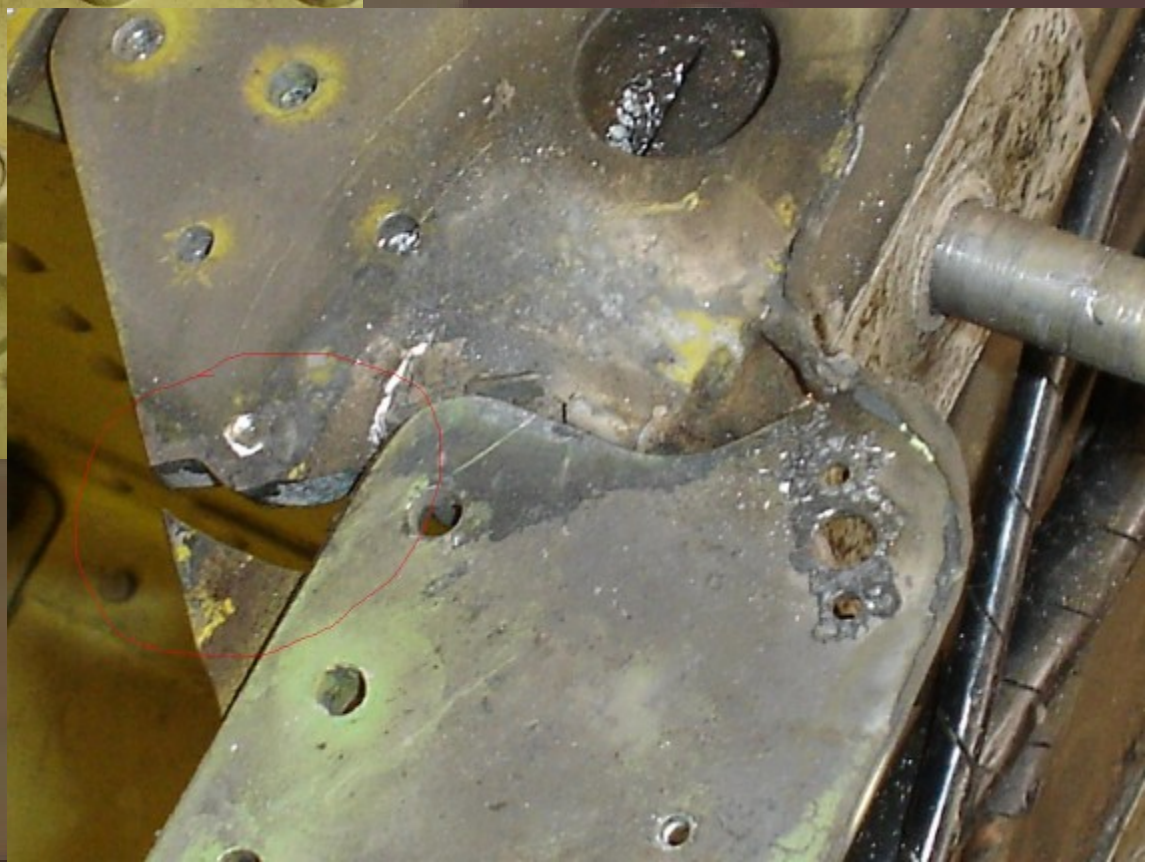


US Army Metrics - Field Results

- **Emerging Metrics**
  - 52% less Unscheduled MMH/FH
  - 48% less Mission Aborts
  - 30% less MTFs
  - 17% less Total MMH/FH
  - 12% less Unscheduled MMH/Total MMH
  - 1.3% less Scheduled MMH/FH
  - 5-10% lower NMCM rates than non HUMS aircraft
  - 5% greater Operational Readiness Rate

- **Increased aircraft availability**
  - 4-101: No missions dropped due to maintenance in 26,000 flight hours (OIF 05-07, 38 BH)
  - 3ID: No missions dropped due to maintenance in 46,000 flight hours (OIF 07-08, 50 BH, 12 CH)

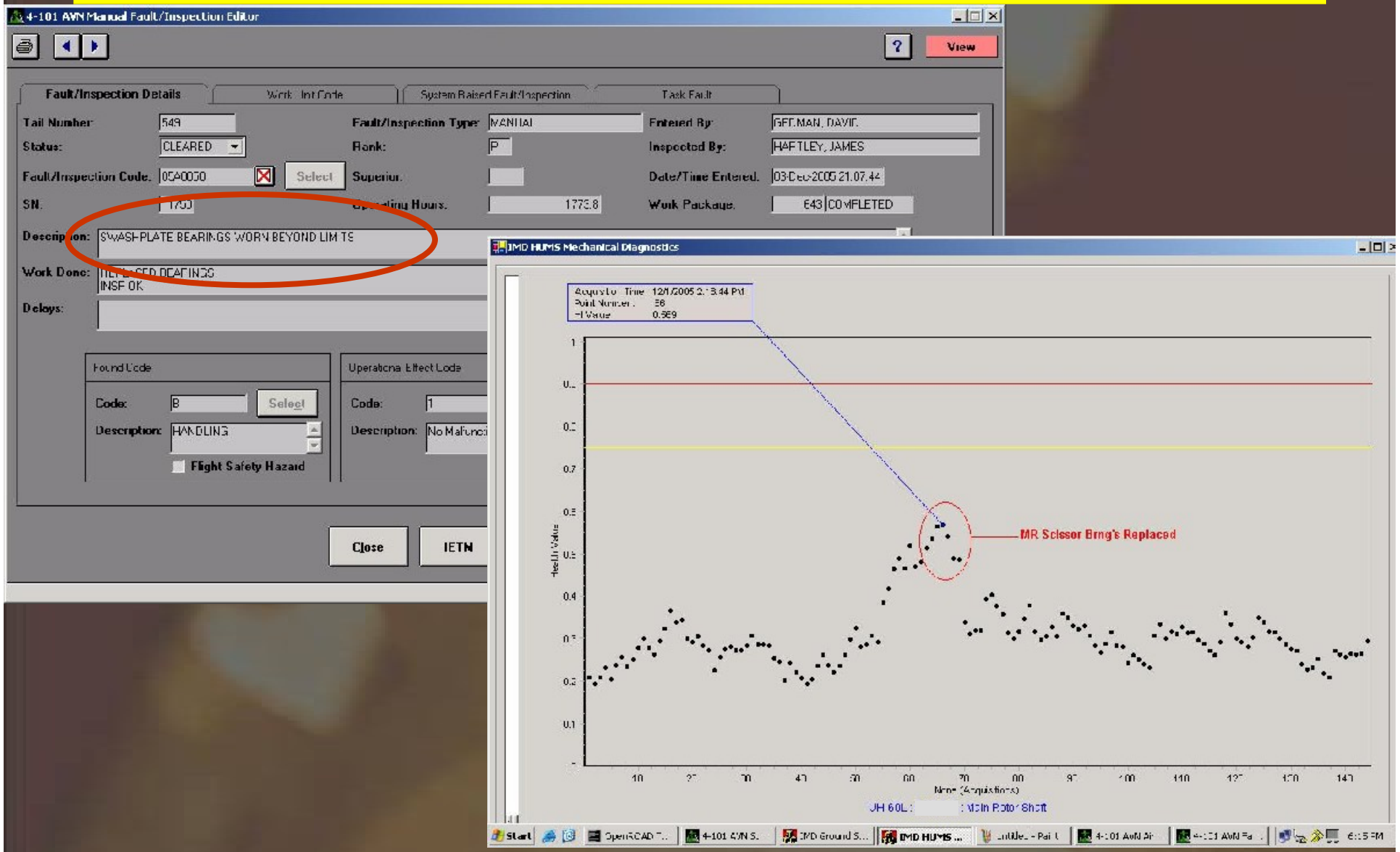
Road to Prognostics

- Diagnostics maturing
  - Know how to use the system
  - More to learn
    - Pin point faults
      - Tie failure modes to maintenance actions (starting)
      - 4 or more distinct failure modes on some components
- More items to monitor
  - LRUs w/ HUMS data (temp, raw & conditioned, cycles)
  - Oil
  - Hydraulic systems (pressures, temps)
  - Additional existing & new sensors
  - Structural
    - Corrosion
    - Hot spot strain

Road to Prognostics

- Data Fusion
  - Infancy
  - Signals + vibration + exceedances + MMIS + chips + etc
  - Use what we do have
  - Add sensors/signals

Data Fusion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Road to Prognostics

- Fleet Management
  - Capable MMIS linked to HUMS
    - Usage
    - Exceedances
    - Maintenance markers
  - Data analysis tools
  - IETM link
  - Logistics link
  - Depot maintenance using HUMS data

Road to Prognostics

- Prognostic Goal
  - Change out item right before failure
    - Most life from parts as safely possible
  - Exact remaining useful life
    - Usage
    - Flight regimes
    - Environmental
    - Rate of Change
- Maximum life =
  - Additional maintenance event
  - Reduced mission readiness

Road to Prognostics

- Tie remaining useful life to scheduled maintenance intervals
  - Integrated logbook/maintenance management
  - One 120hr and Phase 1 before failure
    - Parts planned
    - Choose appropriate event per workload
    - No additional maintenance event


Condition Based Maintenance
Capabilities in OIF/OEF
Safety, Pinpoint Fault & Planning Engine & Gear Box Chip Logging
Safety & Maintenance Engine Power Shaft
Droop Stop Pounding
Maintenance Verification Tail Rotor Assembly
Collateral Damage Avoidance Mission Abort Avoidance Tail Rotor Component Failures
Manufacturing Defect Identification
Collateral Damage Avoidance Planned Maintenance Generator Adapters
Maintenance Oil Cooler Auto Checks & Trending
Semi-Automated HIT Checks & Trending
A C Signal Detection & Troubleshooting
Nr
Collective Position
Yaw Rate Gyro
PCMCIA Card
Safety WOW Switch Exceedance
Maintenance Absorber Tuning
Maintenance Drive Shaft & Bearing Diagnostics
Main Rotor Damper Diagnostics
MFOQA Integrated CVFDR
Integrated Ground Station
Commander's Dashboard
Electronic Logbook w/ A C Build Structure (CBM Requirement)
MFOQA Training Flight Playback
CBM Requirement Regime Recognition