



# Asset Management through Integrated Monitoring & Diagnostics in Protection Relays

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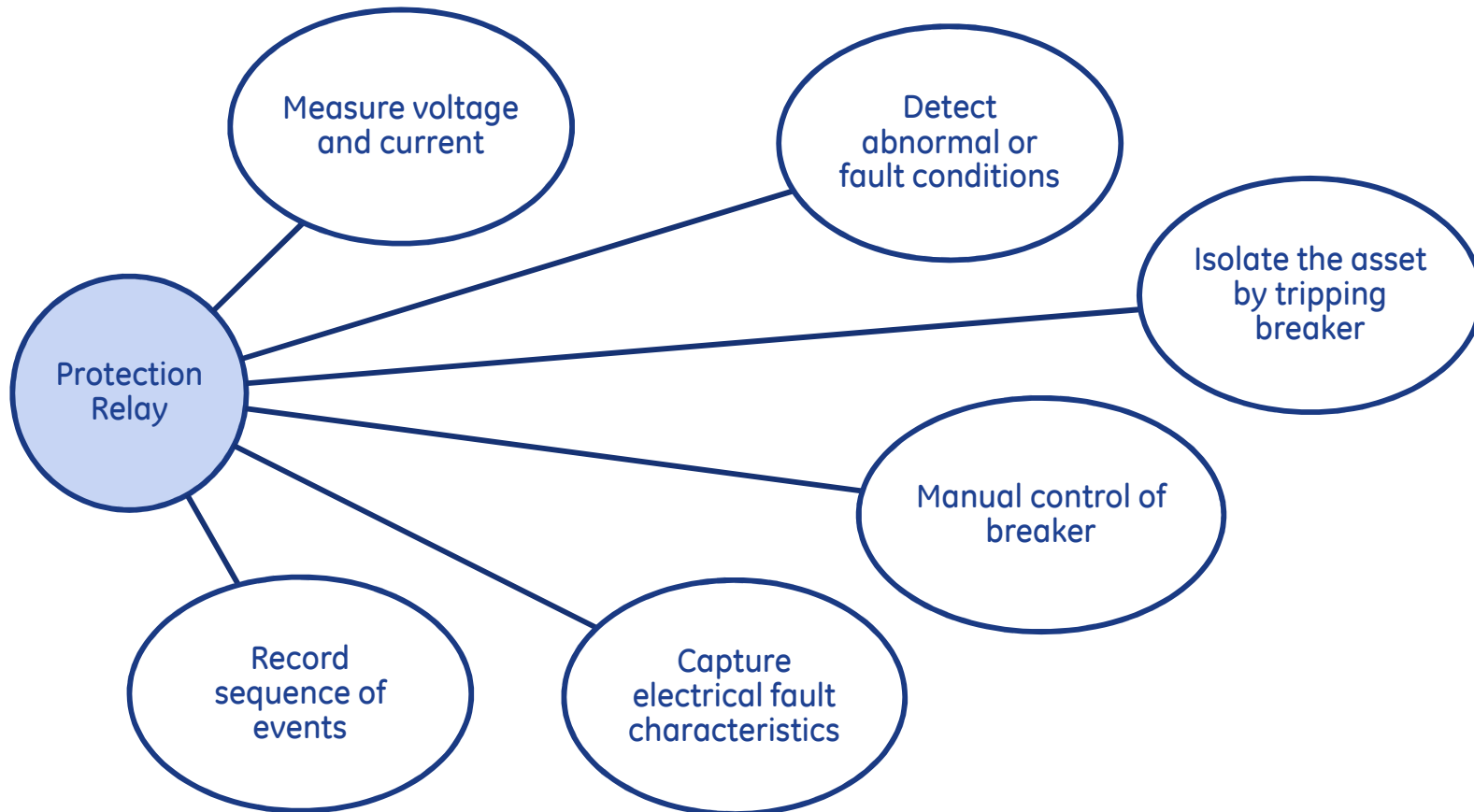
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# Agenda

- Traditional protection relay approach
- State of the art protection relay capabilities
- Common asset management challenges
- Protection relay to Asset management device
- Integrated Monitoring & Diagnostics for Motors
- Integrated Monitoring & Diagnostics for Transformers
- Integrated Monitoring & Diagnostics for Switchgear/Breakers
- Summary

# Traditional Protection Relay Approach

# Traditional protection relay approach



# State of the Art Protection Relay Capabilities

# State of the art protection relay capabilities

## Reliability of Hardware

### ELECTRONICS DESIGNS WITHOUT E-CAPS

Reliable electronics ensures maximum uptime and offers extended life for the relay

## Dependability & Security of Protection

### FAST FAULT CLEARANCE, SECURE PROTECTION ALGORITHMS

Faster the operating time, larger the reduction in stress on asset  
Preventing mis-operation ensures maximum system availability

## Convergence of Applications

### DISCRETE DEVICES VS. ONE DEVICE

Eliminate complex protection schemes  
Power quality, Metering, Logic & Control applications converging

## Ability to communicate securely

### SYSTEM WIDE CONNECTIVITY

Reliable network architecture IEC 62439  
Interoperable IEC 61850  
Cyber security

## Advanced Signal Processing

### HIGHER SAMPLING RATE, ACCURACY, LEARNING CAPABILITY

Accurate modeling and representation of asset conditions

## Ease of Use

### TOOL SETS FOR LIFE CYCLE MGMT.

Simplified configurations  
Troubleshooting tools  
Simulation & testing tools

# State of the art protection relay capabilities



Reliability



Performance



Extended Life



COMMs & Data volume



Convergence



Ease-of-Use

In the Era of Industrial Internet – Protection Relays  
will not be just tripping devices



# Common Asset Management Challenges

# Industry Asset Management Challenges

| Industry challenge   | Industry can benefit from   |
|--|---|
| Aging asset fleets with many assets reaching end of design life in an environment of increased CAPEX constraints | Extension of life for aging assets and prioritize asset replacement projects (defer cost of replacement)              |
| OPEX constraints leaves overwhelmed resources and difficult preventive maintenance programs                      | Optimize maintenance schedules and shift from schedule based to condition based preventive maintenance                |
| Unexpected failures leading to safety concerns, unplanned outage, and loss of production                         | Prevent unexpected failures, ensure safety and save cost of unplanned outage or production loss                       |
| Expertise reducing due to retiring work force  | Migrate analysis and interpretation done by personnel into devices and tools that can provide actionable intelligence |

# Present and Future of Monitoring Assets

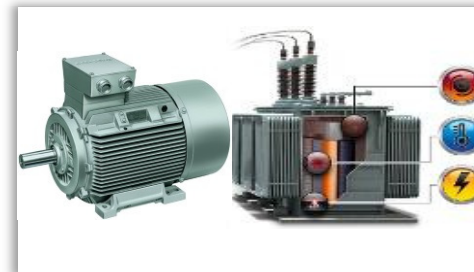
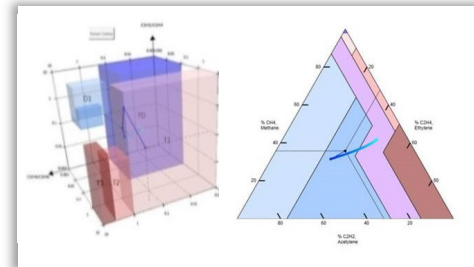
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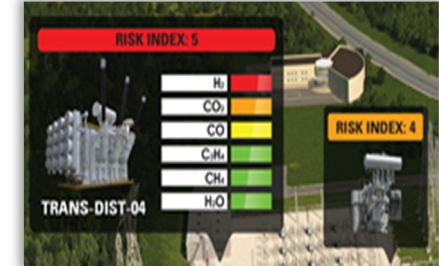
## Managed



## Predictive



## Proactive



### Today largely practiced

- Offline monitoring of assets & Discrete monitoring devices
- Scheduled based maintenance / monitoring
- Expert based interpretation of voluminous data

### Evolving trends - Industrial Internet

- Online monitoring of assets
- Condition based maintenance
- Big data analytics and Remote M&D with actionable intelligence

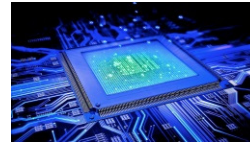
# Protection Relay to Asset Management Device

# Why Integrated M&D in Protection Relay



## Regulatory device

- Relay is a must, it is always there
- While monitoring is an insurance play



## Relay Technology

- Technology advancements in signal processing, processing capability, storage
- Ability to share big data over COMMs



## Convergence

- Converging applications such as monitoring, control & logic
- Leverage data available in relay
- Natural evolution is Asset Management



## Simplified & Scalable Solutions

- Offers simplified M&D solution
- Cost effective M&D solution within a relay
- Scalable for small to large systems
- Integrate sensors for advanced solution

# Facets of Asset Management in Protection Relay



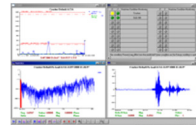
## Data Gathering

- Electrical / Thermal characteristics
- Chemical / Mechanical characteristics
- Real time, short term & long term data
- Reduce discrete Hardware devices



## Performance Monitoring

- Operational event capture
- Historic correlation for performance
- Improved situational awareness



## Condition Monitoring

- Techniques to detect failure modes
- Enable condition based maintenance
- Reduce dependency on consulting experts



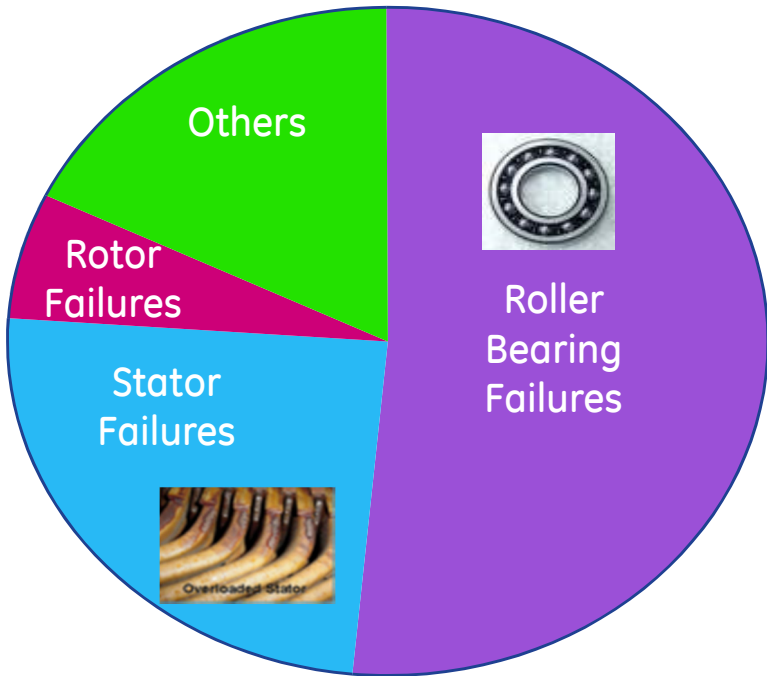
## Diagnostics, Reports & Analytics

- Asset health report
- Electrical / Thermal / Chemical models
- Data correlation models
- Less analysis/paralysis – actionable intelligence

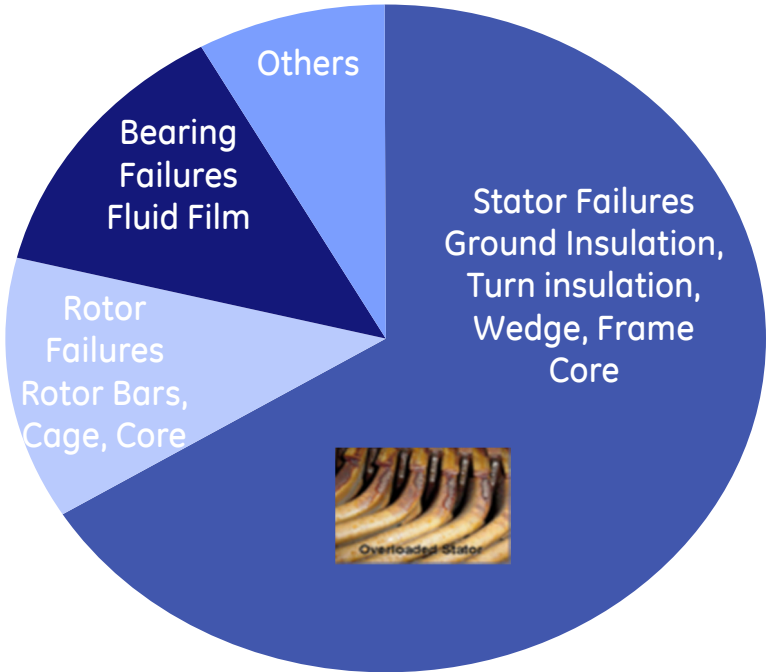
# Integrated Monitoring & Diagnostics for Motors

# Motor Failure Modes

Typically up to 4Kv



Typically 4kV and above



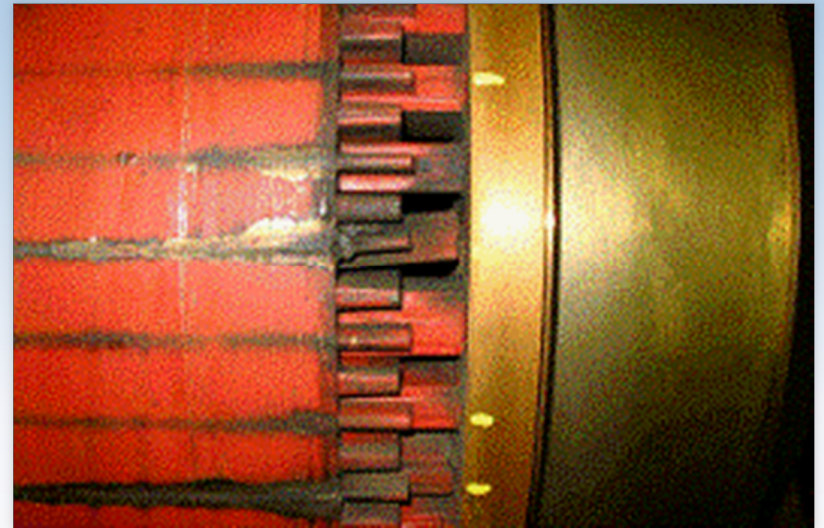


# Integrated M&D in Motor Relay

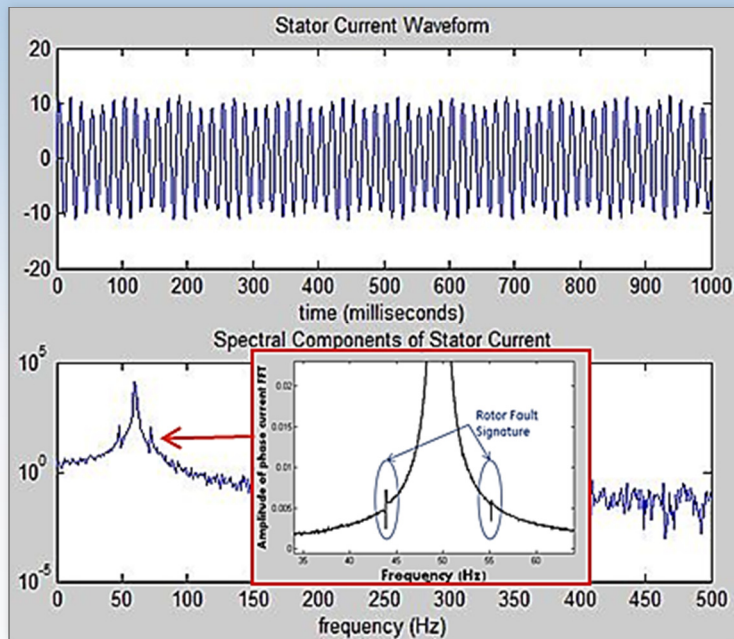
- Bearing vibration monitoring using 4-20mA inputs
- Broken rotor bar detection
- Stator turn-turn fault detection
- Historic data records
- Motor start characteristics
- Stator Insulation online monitoring solution

# Broken Rotor Bar Detection

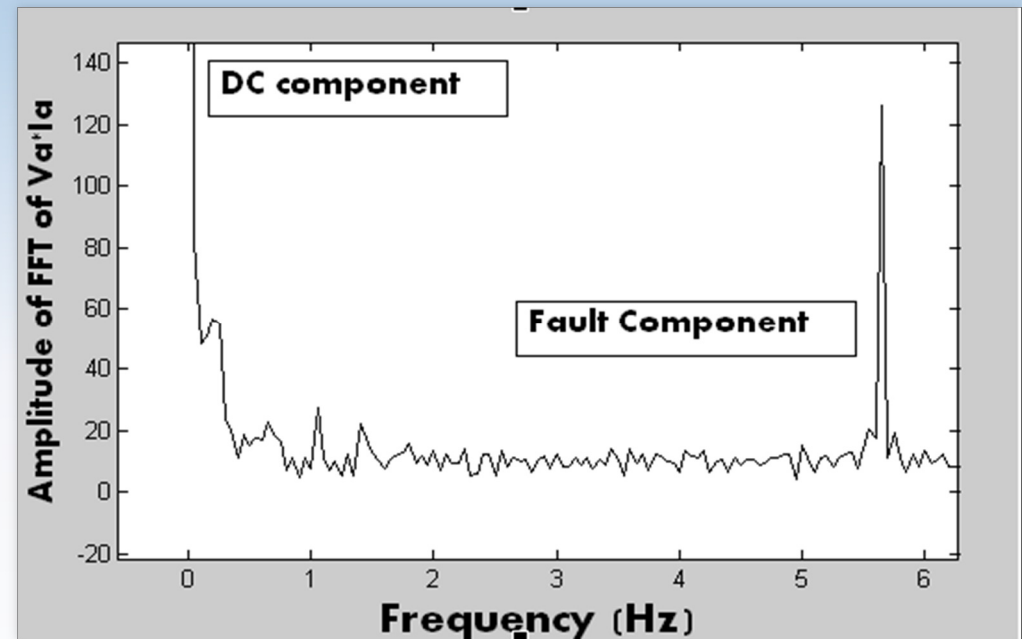
- Uses motor current signature analysis (MCSA) to detect broken rotor bars
- 2 methods:
  - Power based coherent demodulation when voltage available above motor voltage supervision level
  - Conventional current based FFT when voltage not available or under voltage supervision level



# Comparison of two BRB detection methods



Conventional stator current based FFT



FFT of Power Based Coherent Demodulation

# Broken Rotor Bar Detection Example

- Example of spectrum spread:



$$\text{Start of BRB Offset} = 2sf_1 - \max(0.3, \min(2sf_1 - 0.4, 1))$$

$$\text{End of BRB Offset} = 2sf_1 + \max(0.3, \min(2sf_1 - 0.4, 1))$$

Where:

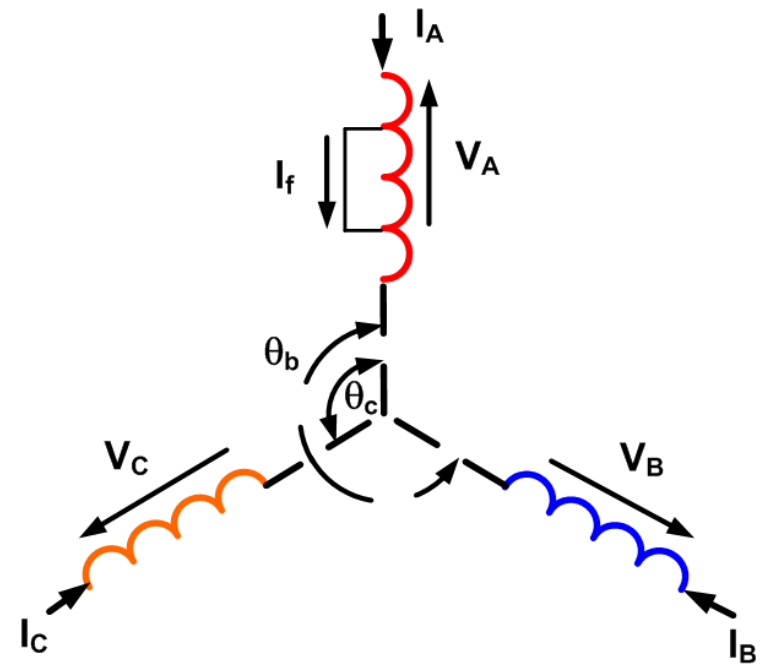
$f_1$  = system frequency

$s$  = motor slip at full load

| Function                  | Latched Alarm |
|---------------------------|---------------|
| Start of BRB Offset       | 1.00 Hz       |
| End of BRB Offset         | 3.00 Hz       |
| Start Block Delay         | 60.00 s       |
| Minimum Motor Load        | 0.70 x FLA    |
| Maximum Load Deviation    | 0.10 x FLA    |
| Maximum Current Unbalance | 15.0 %        |
| Motor Voltage Supervision | 50.0 %        |
| Pickup                    | -50 dB        |
| Dropout Delay             | 10.00 s       |

# Turn to Turn Fault Detection

- Technique is based on measuring the cross coupled Impedance of the motor
- Balanced machine has ideally zero cross coupled impedance
- Variance on this parameter used to detect turn-turn fault
- Characteristics
  - Load independence
  - Robustness to system imbalance
  - Machine independence



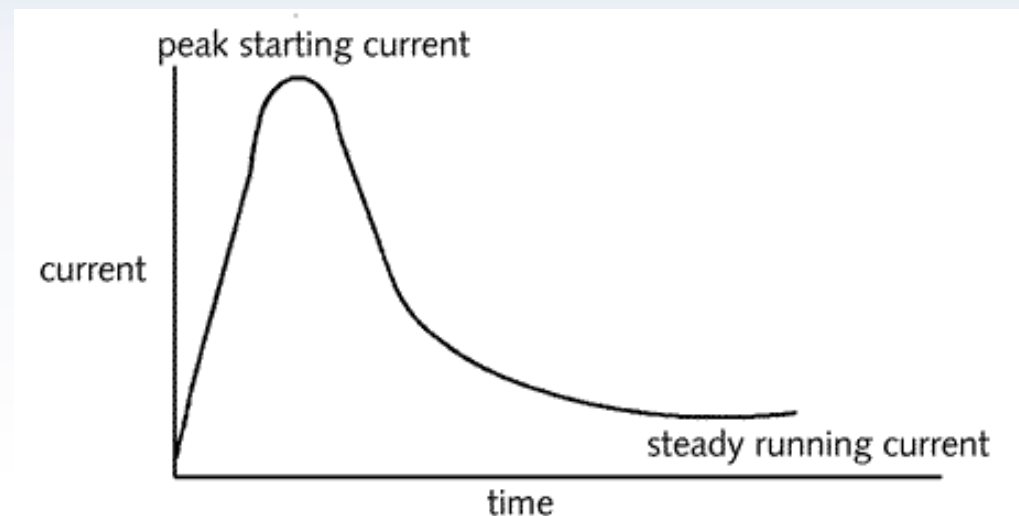
# Historic Data Records in Relay

- Critical motor parameters captured for historic operational correlation
- Large number of records to cover lengthy operational cycle
- Thermal, Electrical and Mechanical parameters stored

| Record Number | Date        | Item Name                 | Value          | Value        |
|---------------|-------------|---------------------------|----------------|--------------|
| 11            | Jul 10 2014 | Learned Acceleration Time | 0.0 s          | 0.0 s        |
| 10            | Jul 10 2014 | Learned Start Current     | 0.0 xFLA       | 0.0 xFLA     |
| 9             | Jul 10 2014 | Learned Start TCU         | 0 %            | 0 %          |
| 8             | Jul 10 2014 | Last Acceleration Time    | 0.0 s          | 0.0 s        |
| 7             | Jul 10 2014 | Last Starting Current     | 0.0 xFLA       | 0.0 xFLA     |
| 6             | Jul 10 2014 | Last Start TCU            | 0 %            | 0 %          |
| 5             | Jul 09 2014 | Learned Average Load      | 0.90 xFLA      | 0.90 xFLA    |
| 4             | Jul 09 2014 | Learned Average KW        | 22100.00 KW    | 117.70 KW    |
| 3             | Jul 09 2014 | Learned Average Kvar      | 133400.00 Kvar | 66.30 Kvar   |
| 2             | Jul 09 2014 | Learned Average PF        | 0.16           | 0.87         |
| 1             | Jul 09 2014 | Average Run Time (Days)   | 0 days         | 0 days       |
|               |             | Average Run Time (Hr/Min) | 00:26 hr/min   | 00:00 hr/min |
|               |             | RTD1 Max                  | 0 °C           | 0 °C         |
|               |             | RTD2 Max                  | 0 °C           | 0 °C         |
|               |             | RTD3 Max                  | 0 °C           | 0 °C         |
|               |             | RTD4 Max                  | 0 °C           | 0 °C         |
|               |             | RTD5 Max                  | 0 °C           | 0 °C         |
|               |             | RTD6 Max                  | 0 °C           | 0 °C         |
|               |             | RTD7 Max                  | 91 °C          | 91 °C        |
|               |             | RTD8 Max                  | 0 °C           | 0 °C         |
|               |             | RTD9 Max                  | 0 °C           | 0 °C         |
|               |             | RTD10 Max                 | 0 °C           | 0 °C         |

# Motor Start Characteristics in Relay

- Every motor start, motor parameters can be recorded at frequent sampling interval
- Baseline a healthy motor start
- Study variance in motor start characteristics
  - RMS  $I_a, I_b, I_c, I_{avg}$
  - RMS  $V_{an}, V_{bn}, V_{cn}$  (Wye)
  - RMS  $V_{ab}, V_{bc}, V_{ca}$  (Delta)
  - Current Unbalance (%)
  - 3 $\phi$  Real Power
  - 3 $\phi$  Reactive Power
  - 3 $\phi$  Power Factor
  - Thermal Capacity Used (%)
  - Frequency
  - Motor Status



# Motor Online Insulation Monitoring Technology

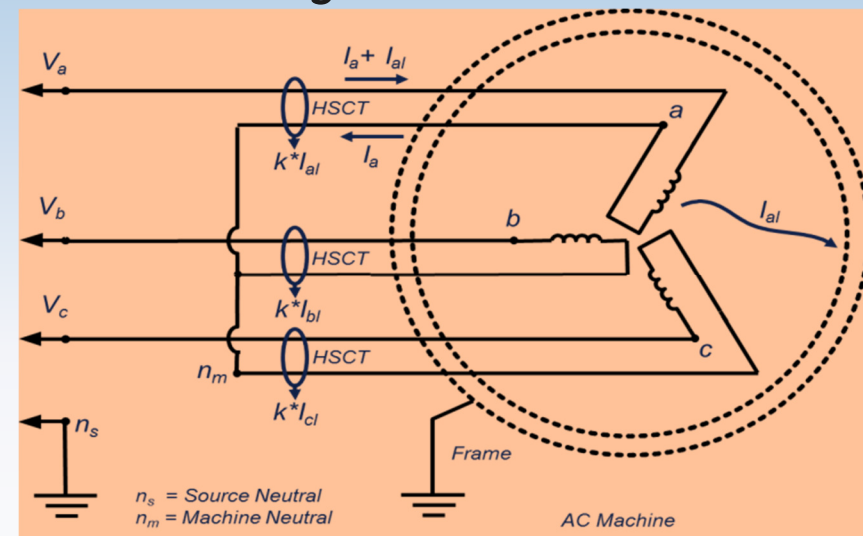
- Purpose: Early detection of insulation degradation or failure to ground

- Traditional approach:

- Offline Megger test
- Offline PD measurement
- Online PD measurement

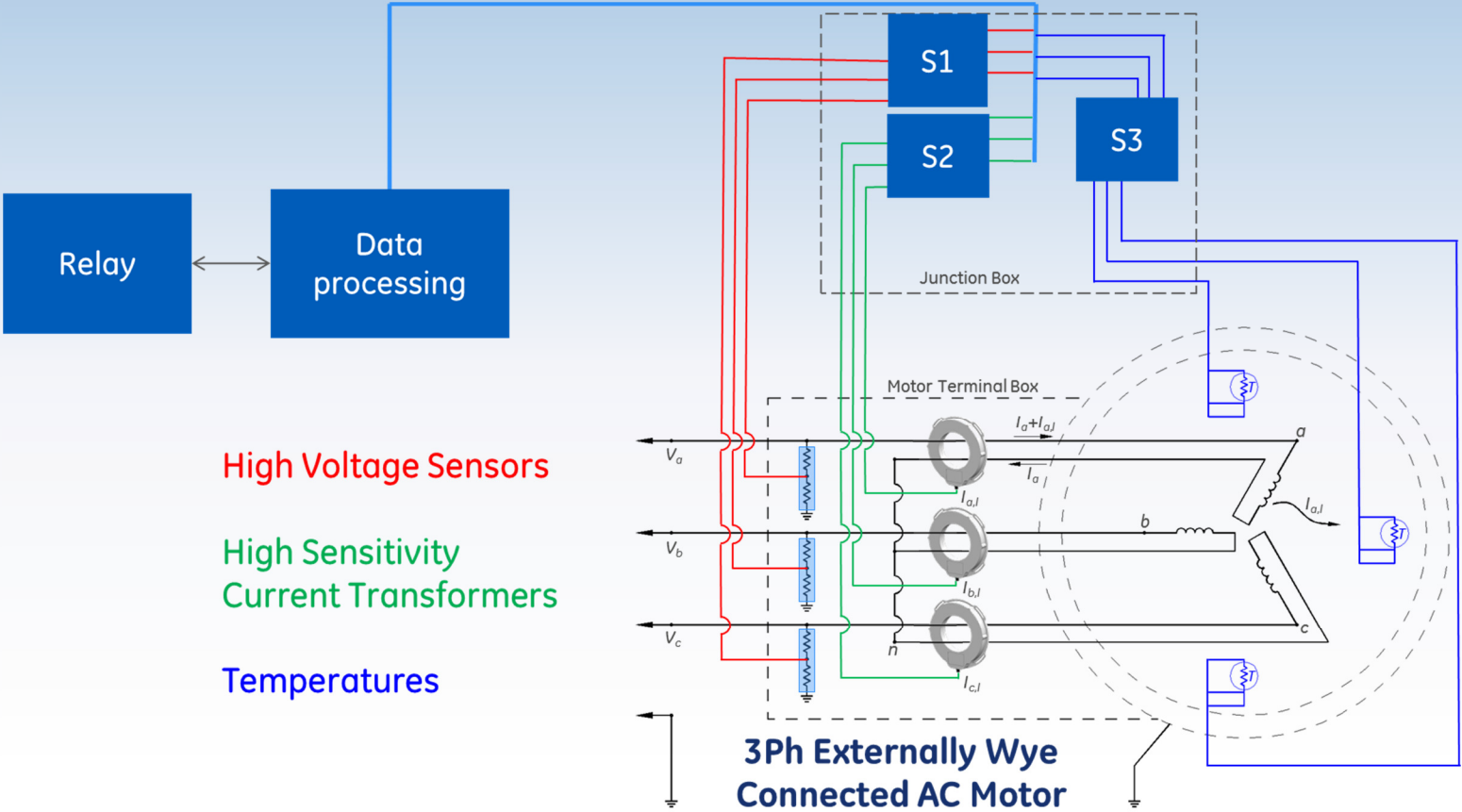
- Evolving trend

- High Sensitive Current Transformer
- Directly measures resistive and capacitive leakage current
- Provides capacitance and Dissipation Factor (DF)
- Allows trending of insulation degradation





# High Sensitive Current Transformer Technology



# HSCT Technology Benefits

- Continuous, online insulation integrity measurement
- No need to take the motor offline or shut down the process
- Avoids or reduces the economic impact of motor replacement and repair
- Intensive monitoring while running until the process can be shut down in a controlled way
- Provides insights to avoid secondary damage to the process that occurs in an emergency trip
- Simplified interpretation – set thresholds or trend. No need for expert analysis or interpretation

# Motor Health Report Analytics in Relay

## Device Overview

General information on the motor

## Status Overview

Summarizes historical data and status of the motor

## Trip Summary

Summary of events that resulted in the motor trip

## Motor History

Events associated with operating conditions

## Motor Starting

Collects and displays the learned data from starting

## Motor Start

Displays the start data, including presents the detailed start data

## Motor Stop/Trip

Provides events that are specifically related to the stopping and tripping of the motor

| Status | Parameter          | % Change            | Oldest Record (Apr 20, 2014) | Latest Record (Apr 21, 2014) |
|--------|--------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Green  | Acceleration Time  | Increased           | 0.0 s                        | 4.9 s                        |
| Green  | Starting Current   | Increased           | 0.0 A                        | 499.9 A                      |
| Green  | Starting Capacity  | 0 %                 | 0 %                          | 0 %                          |
| Red    | Average Motor Load | Increased 16200.0 % | 0.01 xFLA                    | 1.63 xFLA                    |

### Trip Summary

Available Time Range: Apr 20, 2014 11:53 PM - Apr 21, 2014 05:15 PM

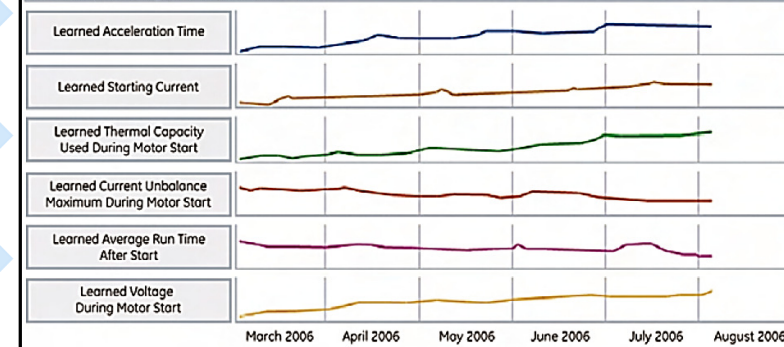
|                             |    |
|-----------------------------|----|
| Overload / Thermal          | 2  |
| Current                     | 17 |
| Voltage / Frequency / Power |    |
| Miscellaneous               |    |

### Motor Operating History

Available Time Range: Apr 20, 2014 11:53 PM - Apr 21, 2014 05:15 PM

| Total Number of Events   |    |
|--------------------------|----|
| Motor Starting / Running | 0  |
| Manual Stop Commands     | 0  |
| Trip Conditions          | 19 |
| Lockouts                 | 21 |
| Alarm Conditions         | 15 |
| Emergency Restarts       | 1  |

### 4 Motor Starting Learned Information



# Integrated Monitoring & Diagnostics for Transformers

# Transformer Monitoring & Diagnostics Today...

## Relay

### Transformer electrical characteristics

- Continuous monitoring of electrical parameters
- Internal or external fault detection and electrical data collection
- Pre and post fault analysis of electrical data - transient record and fault report

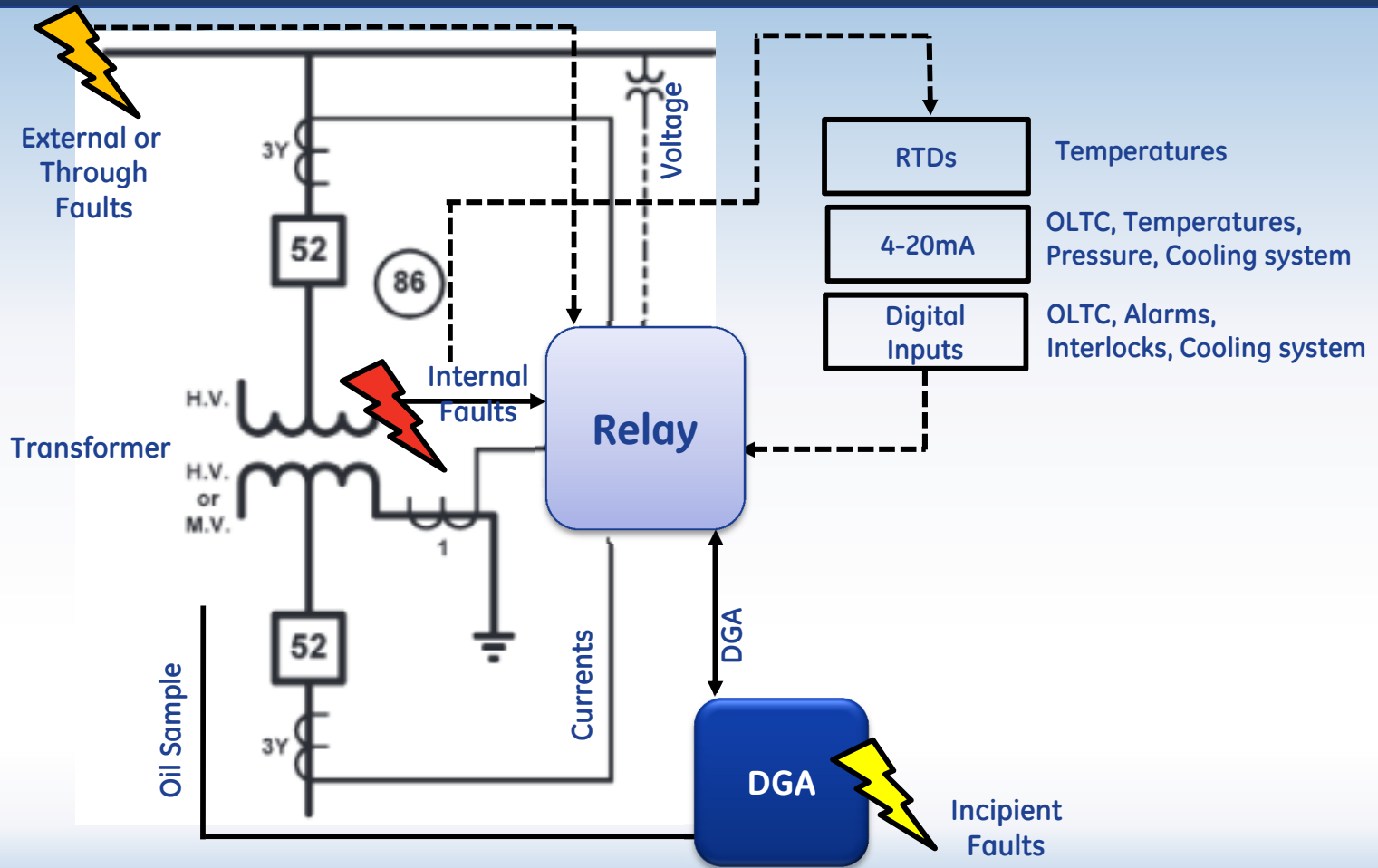
## Dissolved Gas Analyzer

### Transformer dissolved gas characteristics

- Continuous monitoring of single or multiple gas parameters
- Transformer incipient fault detection using DGA data and models

No Convergence of Physics & Chemistry

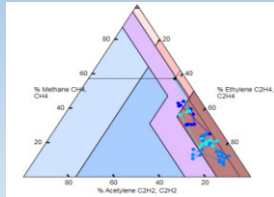
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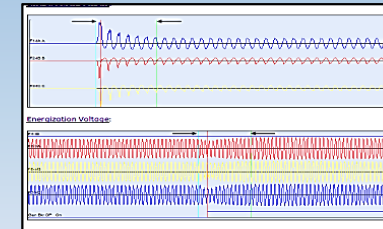
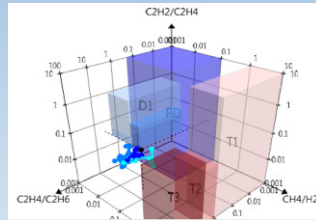
# Integration of DGA into Protection Relay



Electrical Models



DGA Models



Energization Record

Health Report showing a summary of transformer health data. The report includes a table of key data points, such as transformer name, location, and health status. The table is titled "845 TRANSFORMER HEALTH REPORT".

| REPORT DATA          |             | SUMMARY           |            |
|----------------------|-------------|-------------------|------------|
| Transformer Name     | 845         | Health Status     | Good       |
| Location             | Substation  | Last Inspection   | 2023-10-26 |
| Manufacturer         | ABB         | Rated Capacity    | 100 MVA    |
| Year of Installation | 2015        | Oil Level         | Normal     |
| Rated Voltage        | 138 kV      | Temperature       | 55°C       |
| Rated Current        | 420 A       | Load              | 80%        |
| Oil Type             | Mineral Oil | Humidity          | 0.1%       |
| Oil Volume           | 1000 L      | Pressure          | Normal     |
| Oil Level            | Normal      | Sound             | Normal     |
| Oil Temperature      | 55°C        | Vibration         | Normal     |
| Oil Humidity         | 0.1%        | Gas Concentration | Low        |
| Oil Pressure         | Normal      | Oil Quality       | Good       |
| Oil Sound            | Normal      | Oil Color         | Clear      |
| Oil Vibration        | Normal      | Oil Smell         | Normal     |

Health Report



# Transformer Monitoring & Diagnostics in Relay



## Basic Monitoring

*Dry type Distribution Transformer (<2 MVA)*

- Breaker monitoring
- Harmonics & THD
- RTD



## Advanced Monitoring

*Mid Range & High End Power Transformers (>10 MVA)*

- Standard monitoring +
- Learning, History
- Energization characteristics
- Transformer health report
- Transformer models
- Integrated DGA analysis



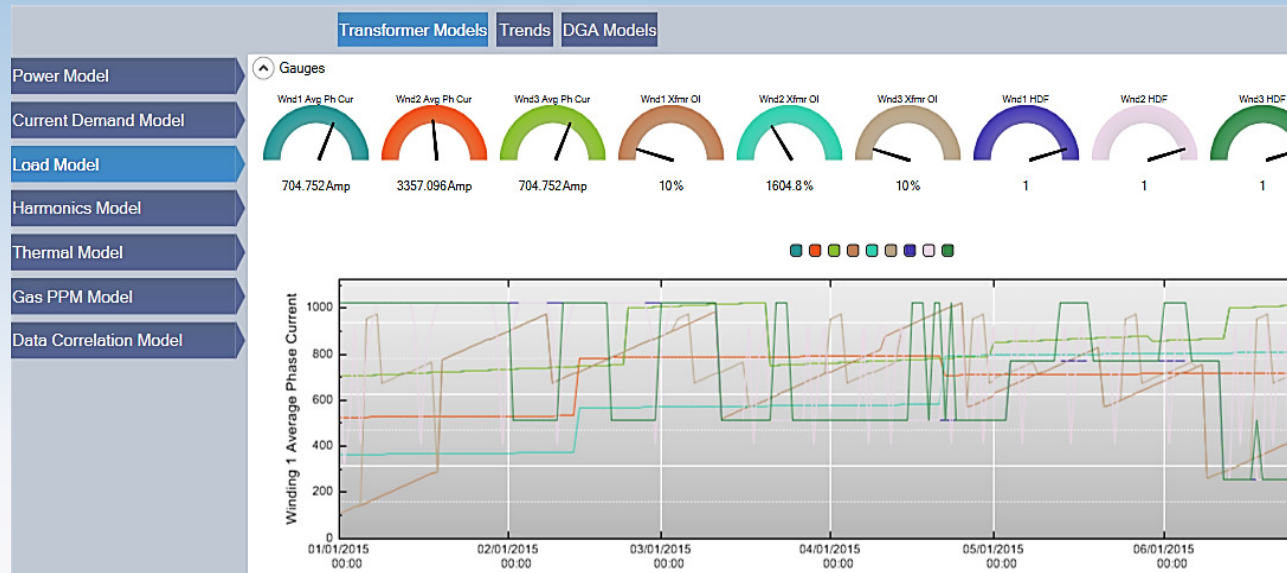
## Standard Monitoring

*Low End Oil Filled Transformer (<10MVA)*

- Basic monitoring +
- Hottest spot
- Aging factor
- Loss of life



# Electrical Models



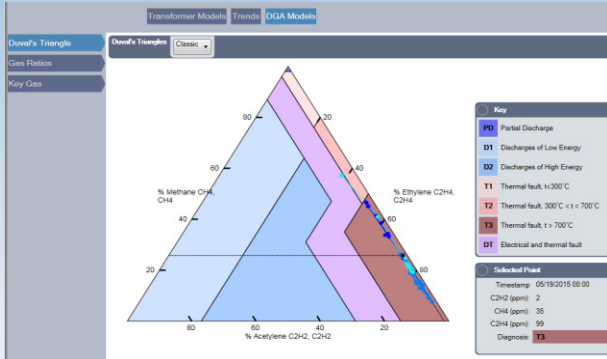
## What is it?

- Numerous critical electrical parameters computation/monitoring
- Max operational data log & trending

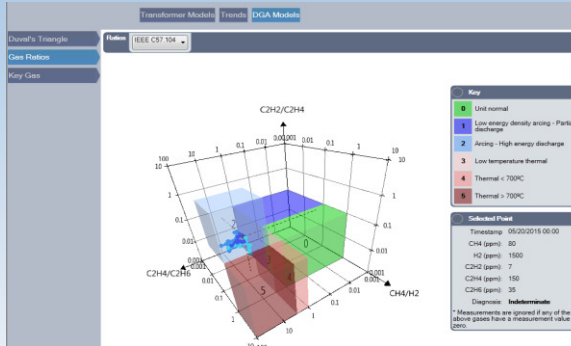
## How to use?

- Simplified data analytics from ready to read monitoring data
- Powerful data correlation (e.g. load vs temperature)

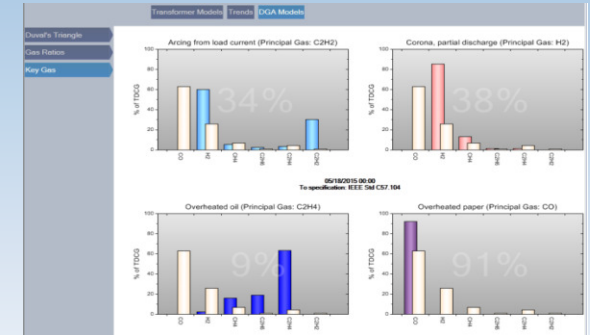
# DGA Models



Duval triangle



Gas ratios



Key gas

## What is it?

- Dissolved Gas Data brought into relay
- DGA history in the relay
- DGA models as per IEC and IEEE standards

## How to use it?

- Evolving incipient fault conditions detection & monitoring
- Eliminates offline DGA assessment and need for DGA analysis consulting
- Simple and direct analytics

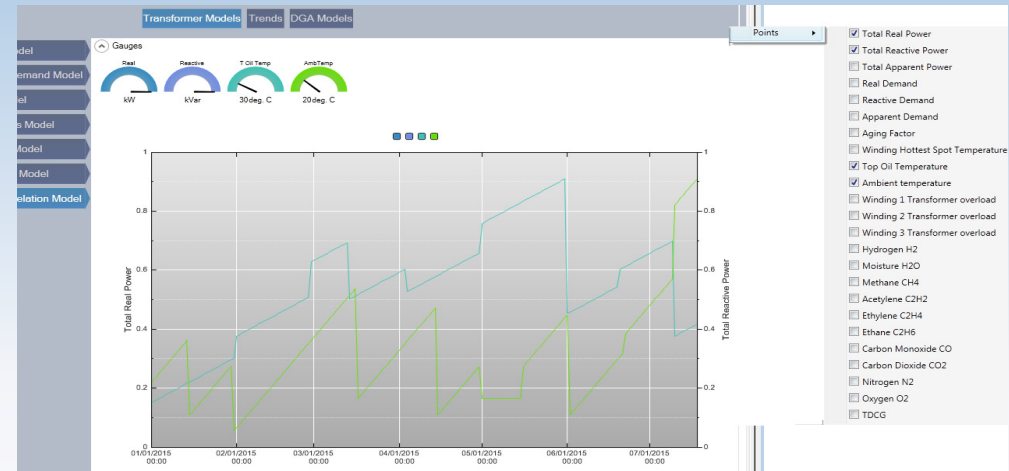
# Data Correlation Models

## What is it?

- Correlation between electrical and DGA data – overload, over heat, corona, PD etc.
- Max operational data available for correlation

## How to use it?

- Electrical and DGA data correlation e.g., load vs. H2, WHST/aging vs. CO/CO2
- Take preventive actions upon detection of incipient fault conditions
- Correlating electrical and DGA historical data during transformer fault analysis





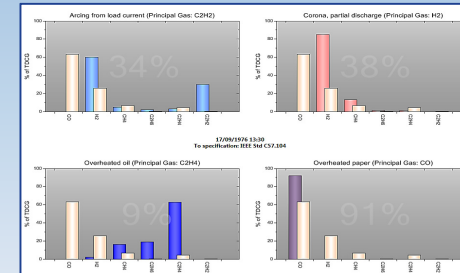
# Integrated Transformer Fault Report in Relay

## What is it?

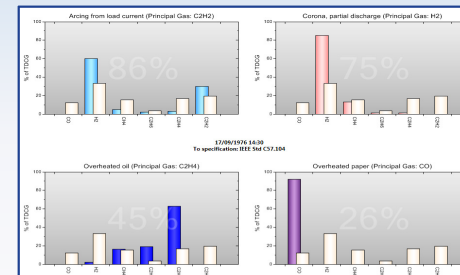
- Detects internal or through fault
- Triggers post fault DGA measurements
- Combined pre/post fault electrical and DGA data for analysis
- Comtrade, fault report and DGA models

## How to use it?

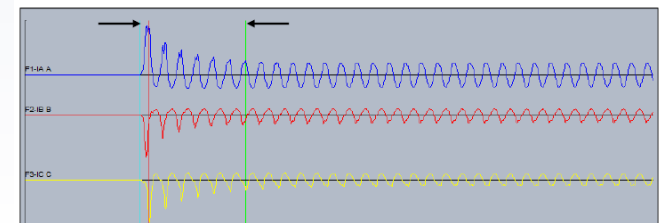
- Comprehensive view of condition post through / internal fault
- Avoid expensive offline DGA or DGA analysis consulting
- Detect incipient fault evolution post external faults and take preventive action



**Pre-fault**  
Principal gas:  
CO  
Over heated  
paper



**Post-fault**  
Principal gas:  
C2H2  
Arcing fault



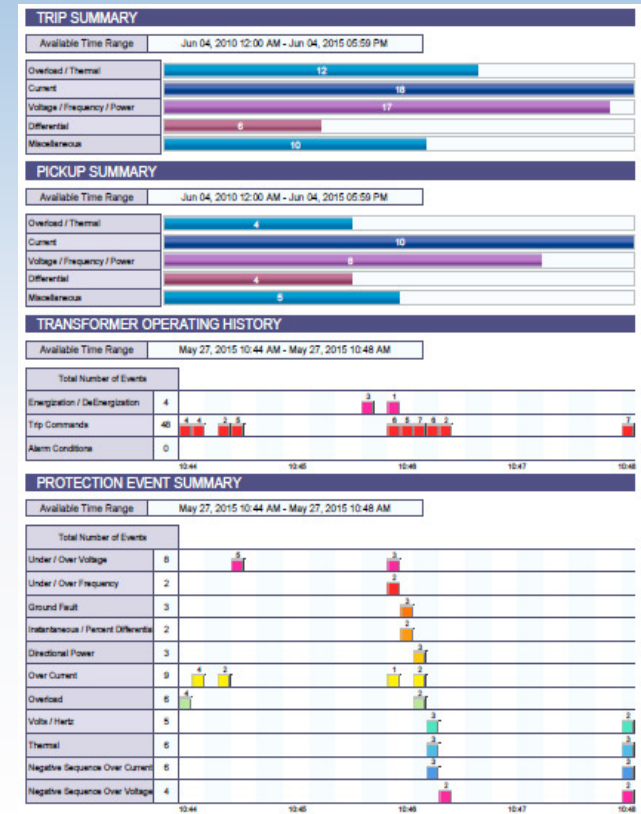
# Transformer Health Report in Relay

## What is it?

- Compilation of operational and fault data in one place
- Name plate data, trend in energization behaviors, 1 year learned data, historic maximums, DGA models, alarm/trip history

## How to use it?

- Eliminate multi layered monitoring and recording devices
- One stop operational, monitoring and fault analytics
- Simple and intuitive analytics



# Transformer M&D in Protection Relay Summary

- **Convergence of Electrical, Thermal and Chemical analysis**
- **Simplified correlation between electrical, thermal and chemical characteristics variations**
  - Overloading and Gassing
  - Over voltage and bushing problems
  - Hotspots and DGA
  - Tap changer & Cooling system monitoring
- **Through fault and Internal fault analytics**
  - Trigger new DGA measurement upon fault
  - Integrated fault report summarizing electrical, thermal and chemical analysis laying out impact of a through fault or internal fault
  - Expedite decision making to place the transformer back in service or take it out of service
- Migrate simple conventions and knowledge based rules into **flexible logic and comparator based applications in relay**

# Integrated Monitoring & Diagnostics for Switchgear / Breakers



# Switchgear Temperature Monitoring

## Monitor temperature using data from sensors

- Breaker compartment
- Bus compartment
- Cable compartment etc.

## Increase operational lifespan

- Real time monitoring of SWGR temperature

## Quick and easy analysis

- Correlation models for temperature vs load etc.
- Custom alarm and correlation schemes using logic
- Map data into SCADA / HMI using Modbus or IEC 61850



# Advanced Breaker Monitoring

## Monitor overall breaker health

- Open and Close times
- Trip circuit monitoring
- Contact wear
  - Per phase arcing current
- Spring charge time
- Trip counters

## Preemptively plan maintenance schedules

- Review breaker health information
- Plan maintenance based on actual data
- Move from schedule to condition based maintenance

| Item Name               | Value | Unit |
|-------------------------|-------|------|
| Total Breaker Trips     | 12    |      |
| Trips Since Last Reset  | 9     |      |
| Alarm Counter           | 4     |      |
| Last Trip Time          | 2512  | ms   |
| Avg. of 5 Trip Time     | 1842  | ms   |
| Avg. of Trip Time       | 1856  | ms   |
| Last Close Time         | 725   | ms   |
| Avg. of 5 Close Time    | 948   | ms   |
| Avg. of Close Time      | 1217  | ms   |
| Last PH A Arc Time      | 0     | ms   |
| Avg. of 5 PH A Arc Time | 0     | ms   |

# Integrated Environmental Monitor in Relay

## Monitor installation environmental conditions

- Monitor installation conditions including
  - Temperature
  - Humidity
  - Surges

## Increase operational lifespan

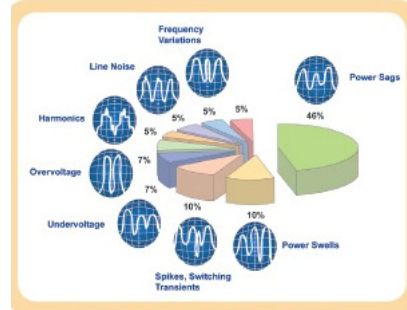
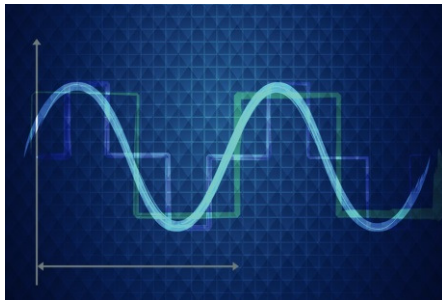
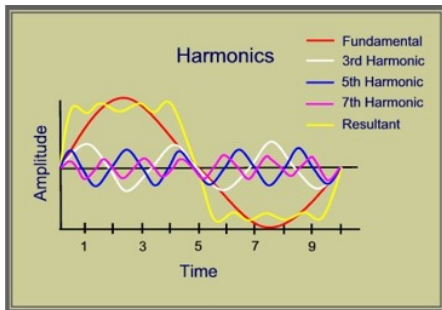
- Quickly correct operating conditions to increase system life

## Quick and easy analysis

- Identify system issues
- Increase system uptime



# Harmonic Level Detection



- Harmonics up to 25<sup>th</sup> and THD can be available
- Monitoring of significant harmonics such as 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> harmonics and THD
- Power quality monitoring applications

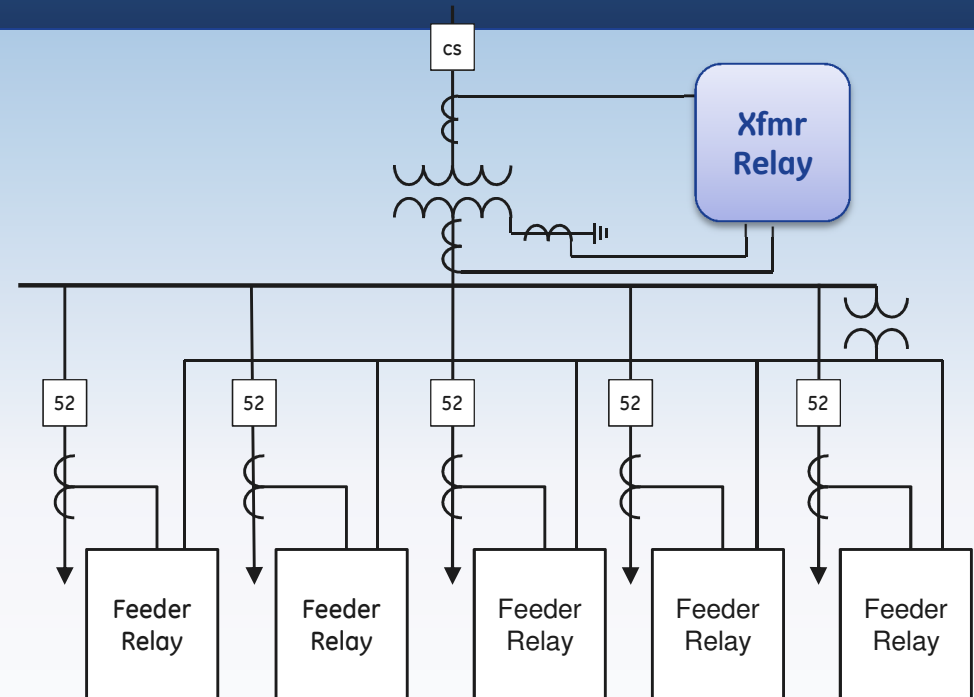
# Data Logging Capabilities in Protection Relay

## Data Logger

- Multiple measured and computed parameters
- Synchronized data logging
- Short term, mid term and long term storage
- Seasonal storage
- Capture minimum, maximum and mean over a period of time

## Data Logger applications

- Coordinated data capture for enhanced analysis of protection coordination
- Long term trending for operational analysis such as Motor stator temperature vs load current profile



# Facets of Asset Management in Protection Relay



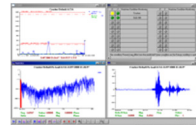
## Data Gathering

- Electrical / Thermal characteristics
- Chemical / Mechanical characteristics
- Real time, short term & long term data
- **Reduce discrete Hardware devices**



## Performance Monitoring

- Operational event capture
- Historic correlation for performance
- **Improved situational awareness**



## Condition Monitoring

- Techniques to detect failure modes
- Enable condition based maintenance
- **Reduce dependency on consulting experts**



## Diagnostics, Reports & Analytics

- Asset health report
- Electrical / Thermal / Chemical models
- Data correlation models
- **Less analysis/paralysis – actionable intelligence**

THANK YOU!