

Data Analytics to Determine Pump Performance using IoT

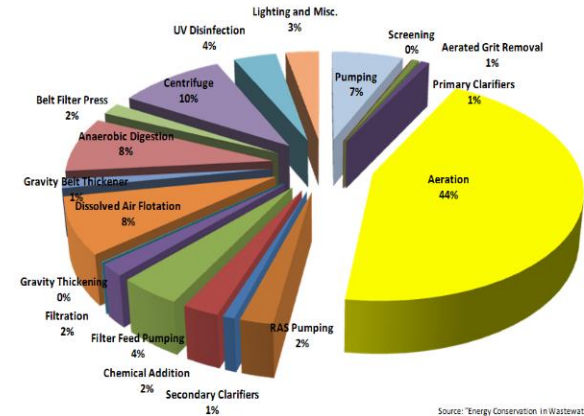
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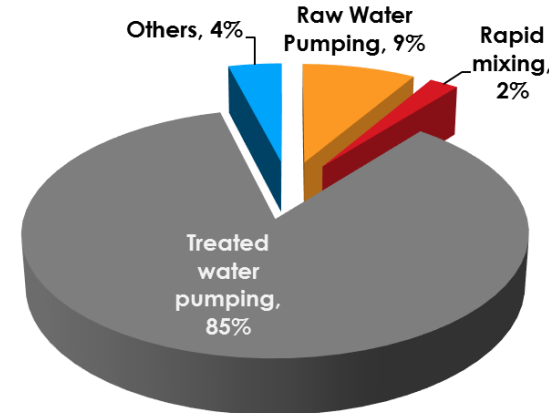
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Drivers for Energy Management in the Water/Wastewater Sector

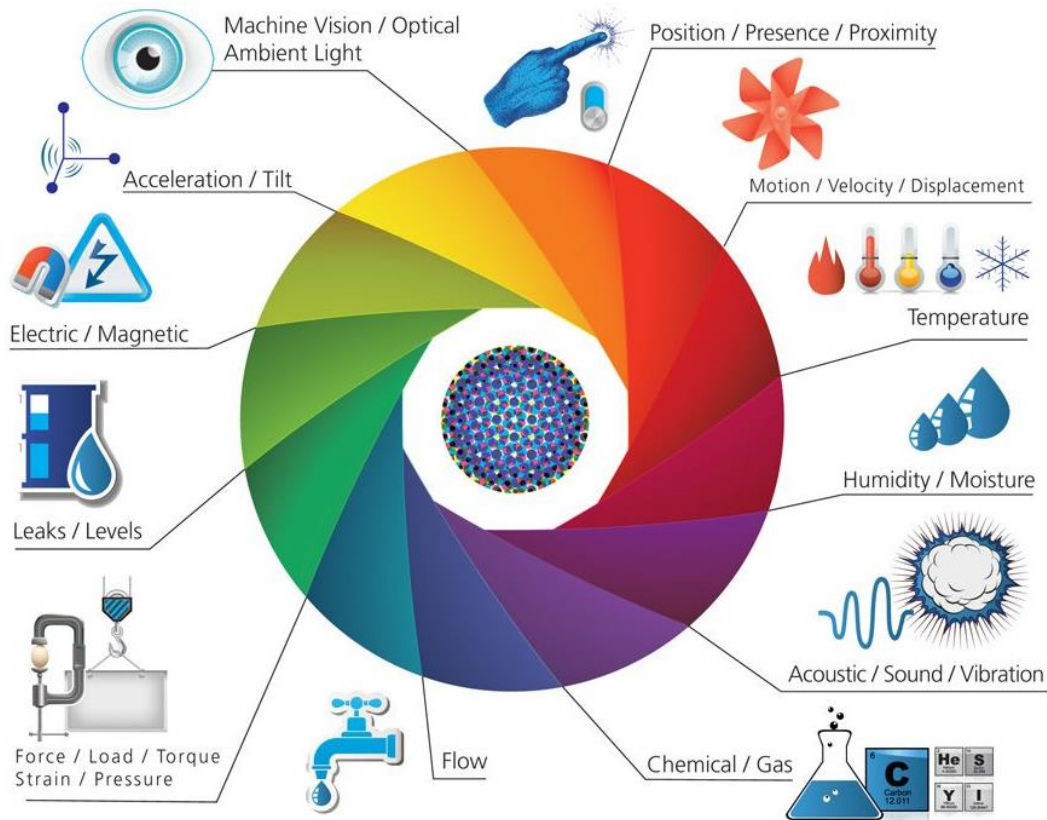
- Water/wastewater consume up to 3% of a nation's energy
- Water/wastewater agencies have been facing increasing energy demand and costs
- Electricity constitutes:
 - 25% - 40% of a typical WWTP's operating budget
 - 80% + of water treatment and distribution costs



Source: "Energy Conservation in Wastewater Treatment Facilities" - Manual of Practice - No. 32, Water Environment Federation - Copyright 2009



IoT Devices – new opportunity for water and wastewater industries



SUEZ Smart Solutions

An interoperable suite of smart solutions for water & wastewater system operators

Smart W&WW Networks Aquadvanced Suite



Smart Metering / Cities OnConnect / WIZE Platform



Smart W&WW Treatment Aquadvanced Plant



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The Trial:

What did we do?

○ Trial two IoT pump meter technologies

Panoramic Power (Centrica)

Gulplug

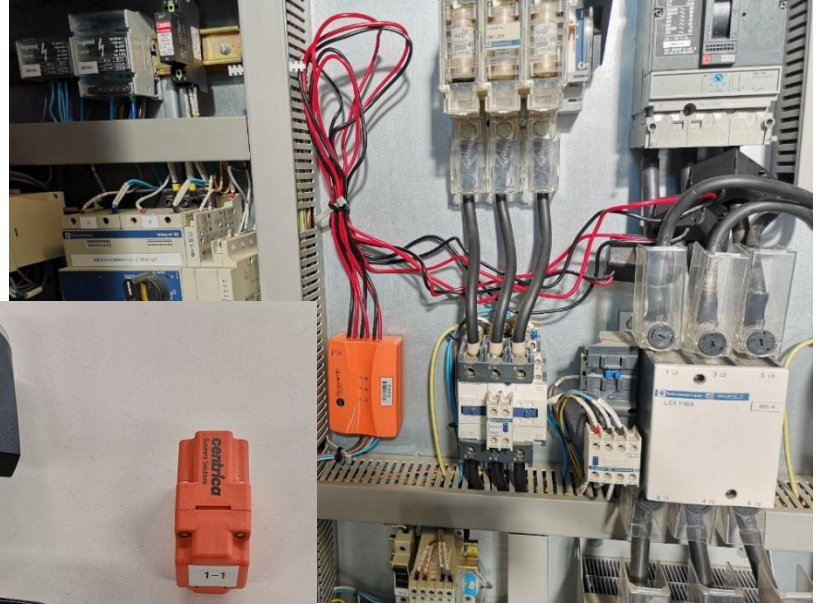
- Parasitic powered sensors
- Data bridge uses IoT to bring data back to cloud
- FTP feed to data lake

○ 2 Pump Station Installations

- Four pumps / site
- Single Phase measured
- Three Phase measured on one pump
- **3 months operation**

○ Visualisation of Performance

- Aquadvanced Energy Monitoring (Dashboard)
- **Specific data analytics**



The Trial:

Site: Consorci d'Aiguies de Tarragona

○ Aquadvanced Energy Reference Site

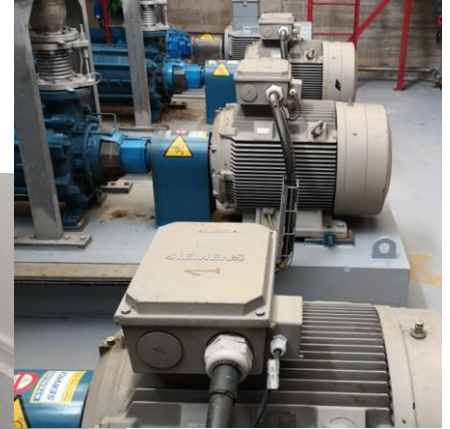
- 100km South of Barcelona
- Located on the Mediterranean coast

○ EB6 pump station

- 3x 66kW pumps
- 1x 35kW pump
- **2 hours to install and test**

○ EB12 pump station

- 4x 75kW pumps
- **1hr to install and test**



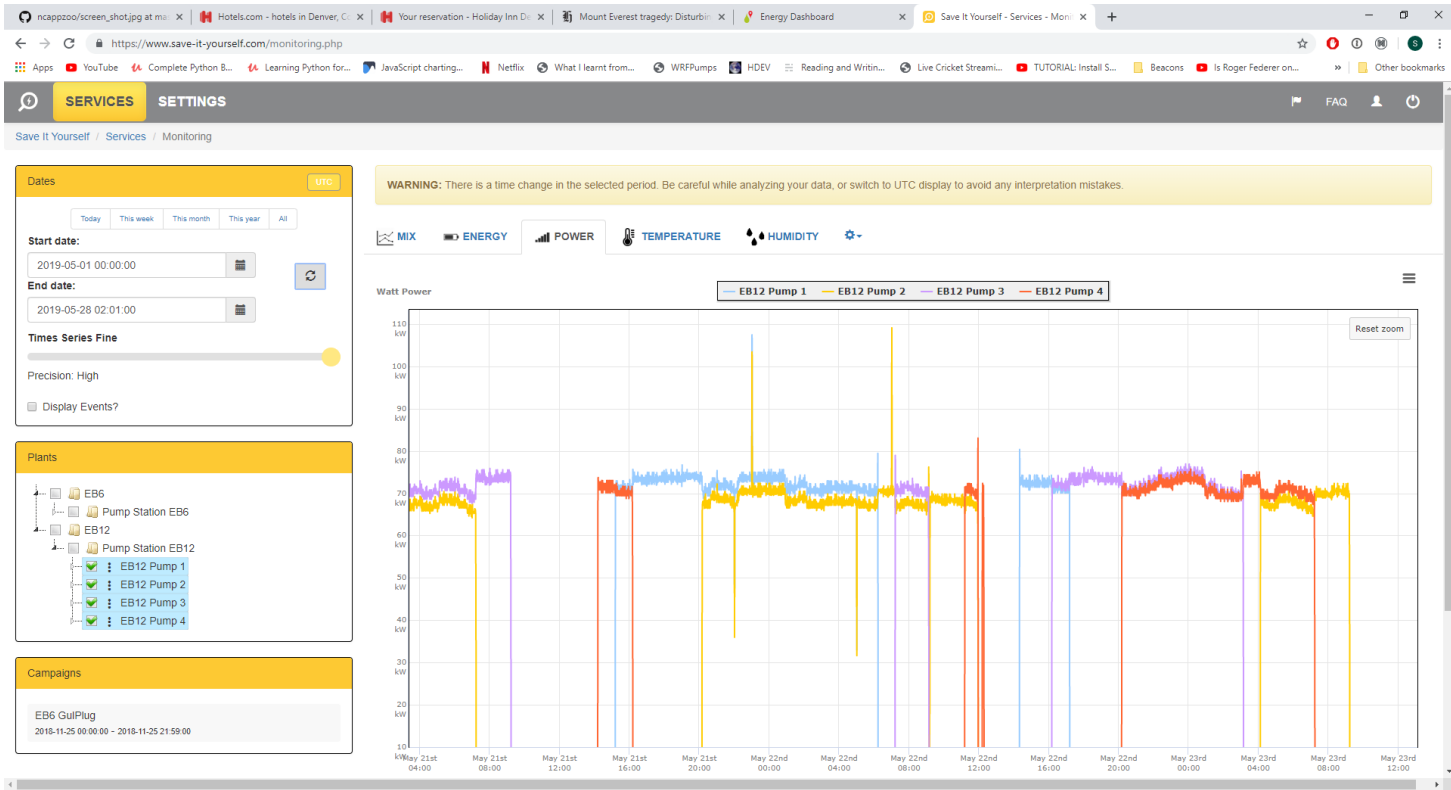
The Trial:

Questions to Answer

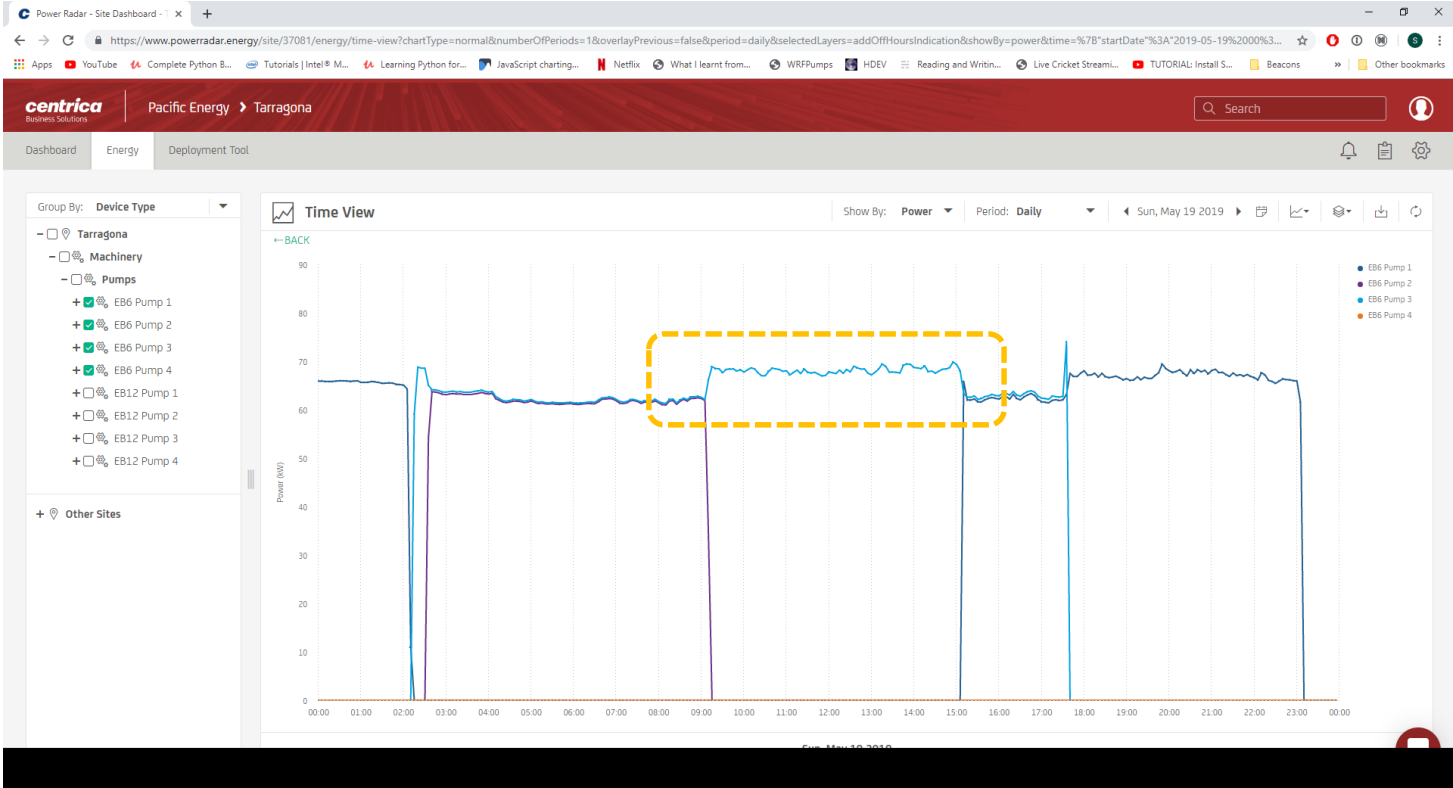
- **Effectiveness of IoT power meters**
 - Ease of installation
 - Reliability
 - Ease of cloud data extraction
- **How are they best used?**
 - Is sub-metering necessary at all?
 - Is 3 phase necessary for pump performance?
 - **What data resolution is necessary?**
- **What meaningful energy analytics can be achieved?**



The Trial: Gulplug user interface



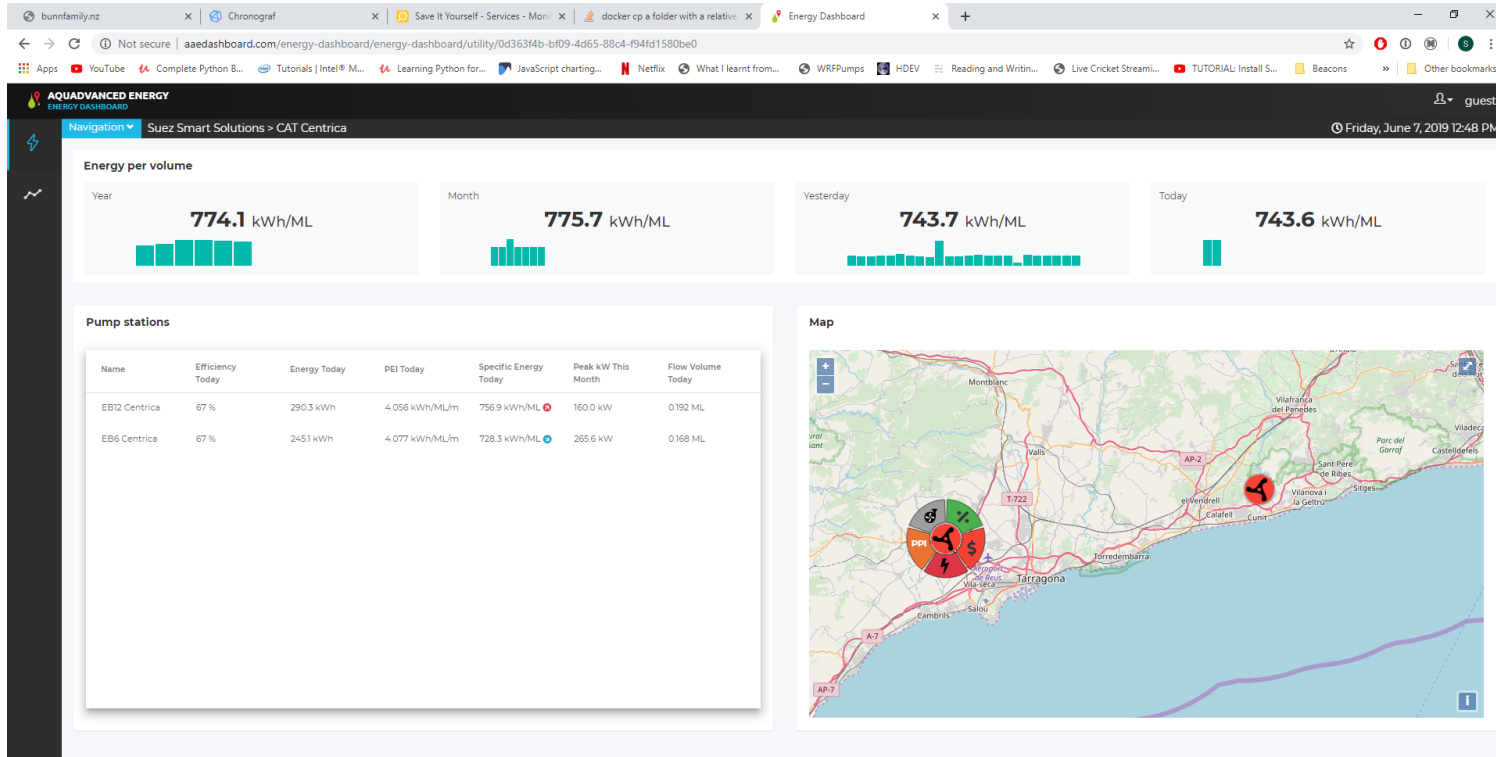
The Trial: Centrica user interface



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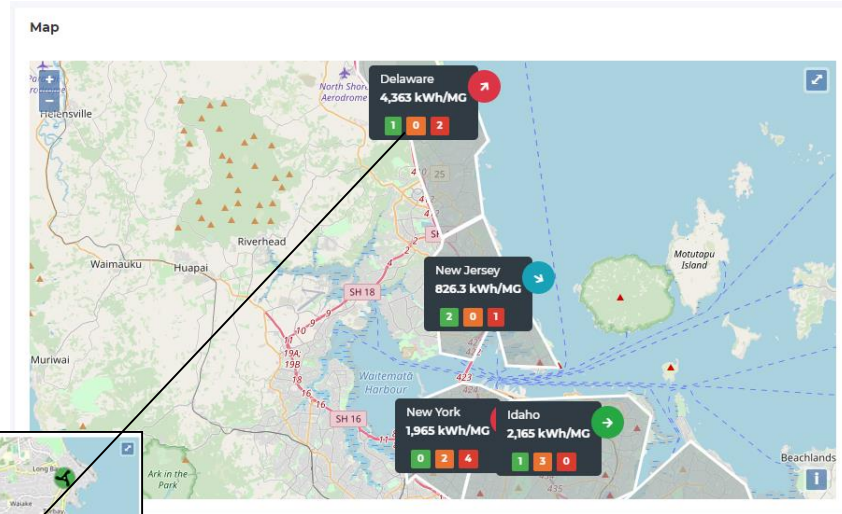
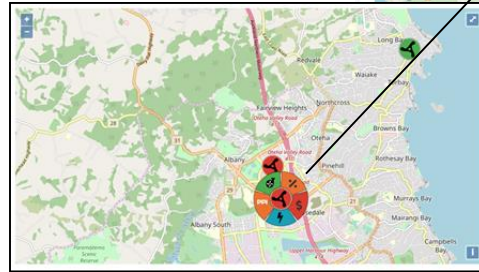
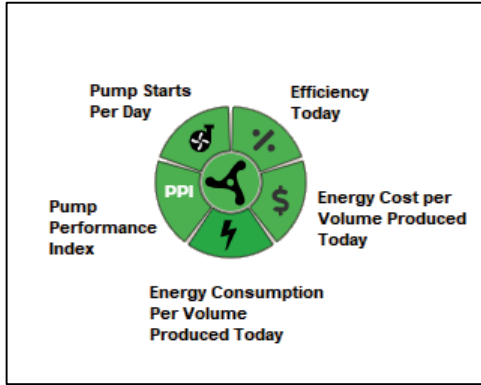
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Visualising Operation: Energy Monitoring Dashboard: map based view of pump stations

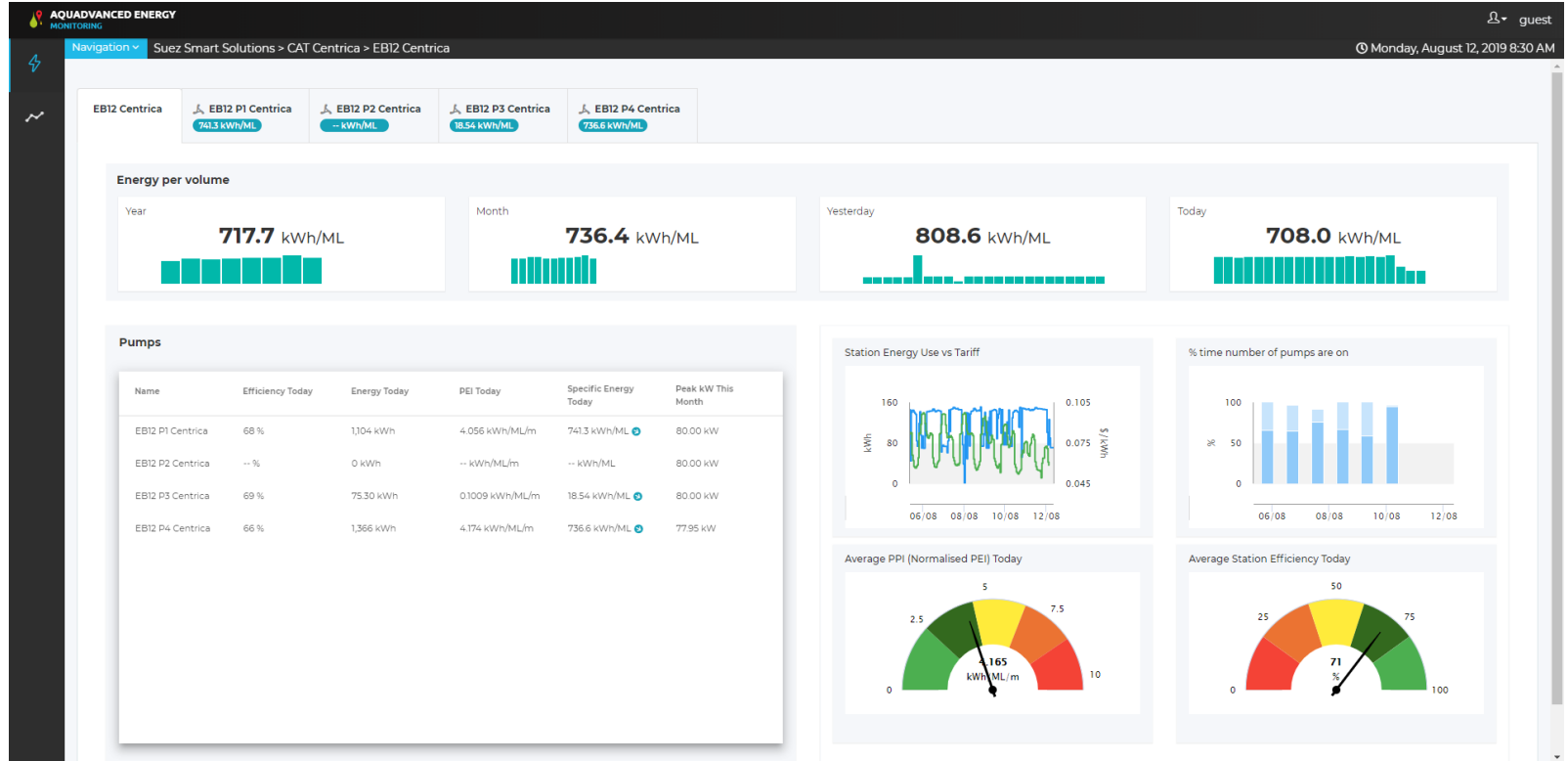


Visualising Operation:

Energy Monitoring Dashboard: pump station health wagon wheel



Visualising Operation: Energy Monitoring Dashboard: using cleaned data



Visualising Operation: Energy Monitoring Dashboard: data analytics view



Visualising Operation: Energy Monitoring Dashboard: data export

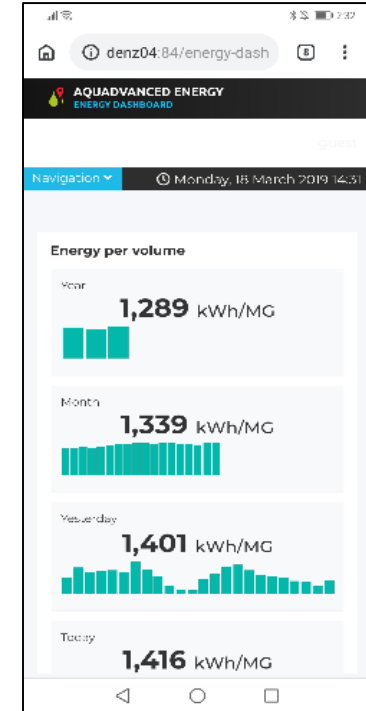
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05/03/2019 00:00	6.232 MGD	211 kW	168.8 ft	75.46 ft	244.1 ft
05/03/2019 00:10	0 MGD	6.94 kW	153.9 ft	75.46 ft	229.3 ft
05/03/2019 00:20	0 MGD	6.85 kW	148.0 ft	81.36 ft	229.3 ft
05/03/2019 00:30	0 MGD	6.80 kW	148.0 ft	81.36 ft	229.3 ft
05/03/2019 00:40	3.840 MGD	133 kW	157.2 ft	78.41 ft	235.6 ft
05/03/2019 00:50	3.840 MGD	133 kW	157.2 ft	78.41 ft	235.6 ft
05/03/2019 01:00	3.840 MGD	133 kW	157.2 ft	78.41 ft	235.6 ft
05/03/2019 01:10	3.852 MGD	134 kW	157.8 ft	78.41 ft	236.2 ft
05/03/2019 01:20	3.852 MGD	134 kW	156.5 ft	79.72 ft	236.2 ft
05/03/2019 01:30	3.852 MGD	134 kW	156.5 ft	79.72 ft	236.2 ft
05/03/2019 01:40	3.828 MGD	133 kW	157.8 ft	78.74 ft	236.5 ft
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05/03/2019 02:00	3.828 MGD	133 kW	157.8 ft	78.74 ft	236.5 ft
05/03/2019 02:10	3.822 MGD	133 kW	158.1 ft	78.74 ft	236.9 ft
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Export to csv for additional analysis

Mobile Phone App

iPhone

Android



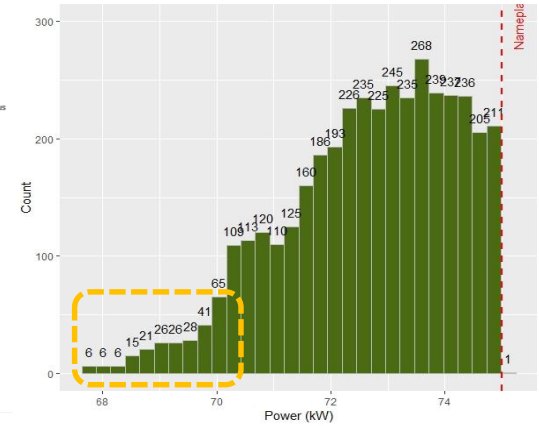
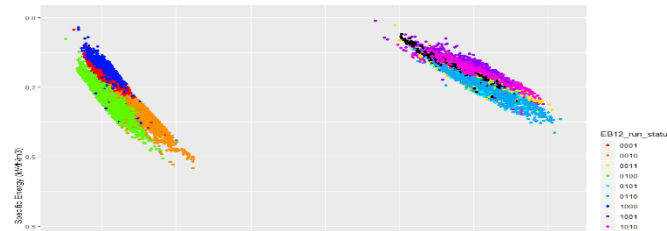
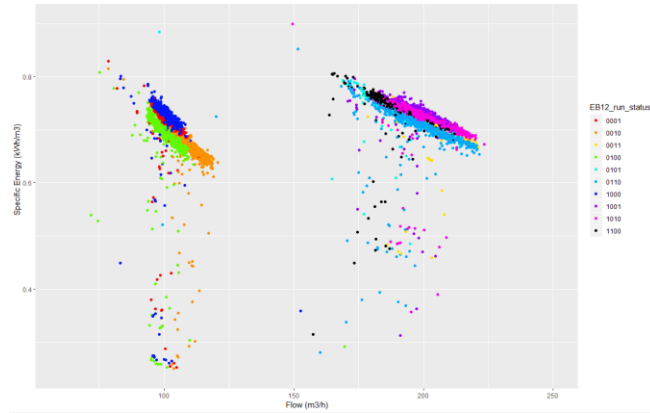
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Additional Analytics:

Data cleaning to remove erroneous values

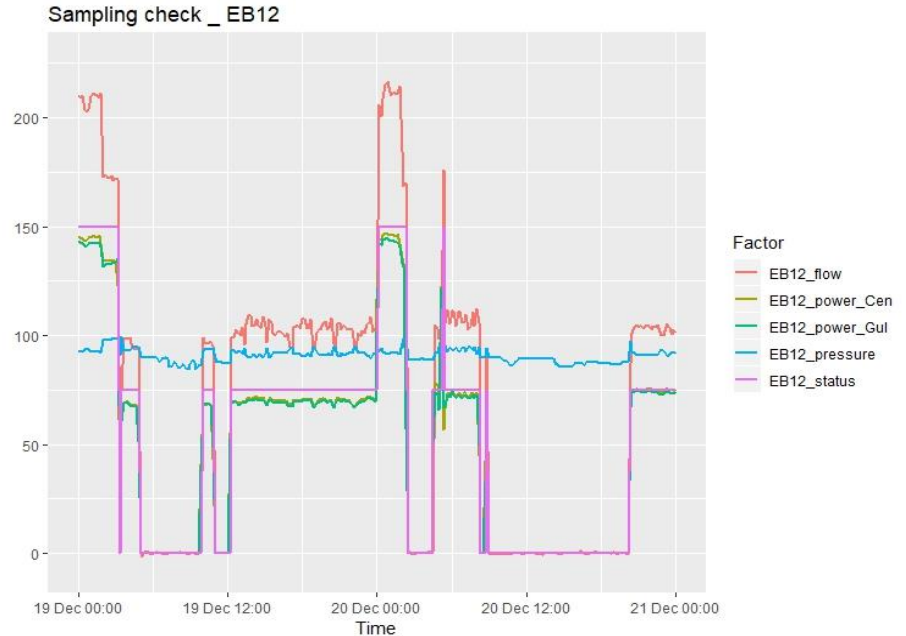
- Many initial efforts fall over due to date errors and inaccuracies
- Simple cut function removed **6%** of data points, almost all bad values and only impacted total energy calculated by **0.4%**
- More sophisticated data cleaning is often required
- Always check that cleaning does not remove useful data



Additional Analytics :

Data timing becomes critical between different data sets

- Initially this data plot looks good
- Data is received from:
 - **SCADA**: 1 minute samples
 - **IoT**: 10 minutes samples
 - **Energy Supplier**: 15 minute

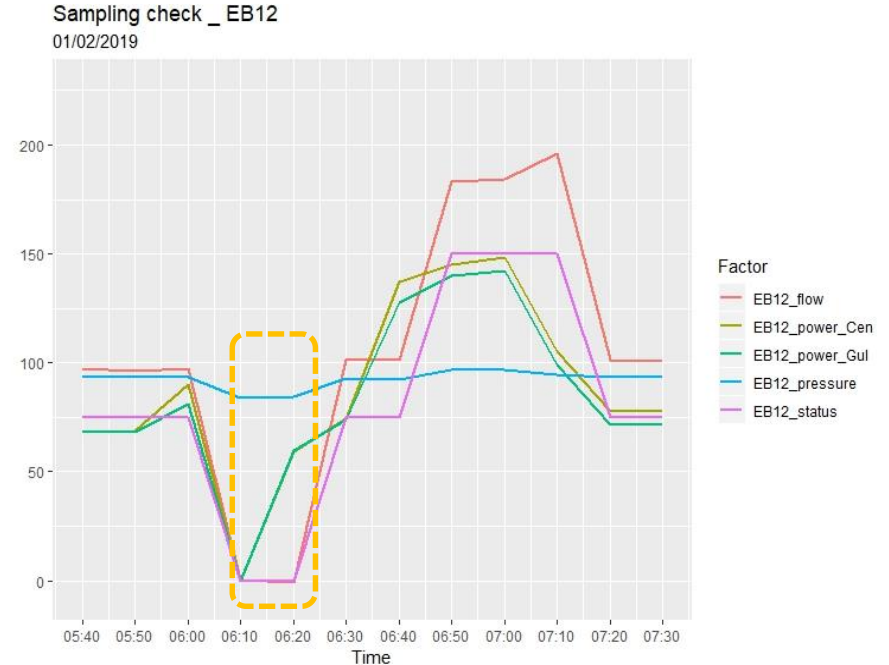


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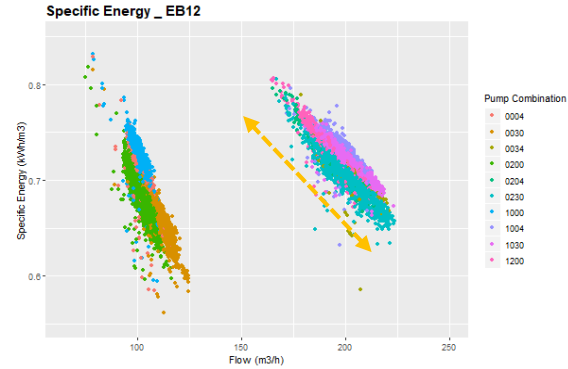
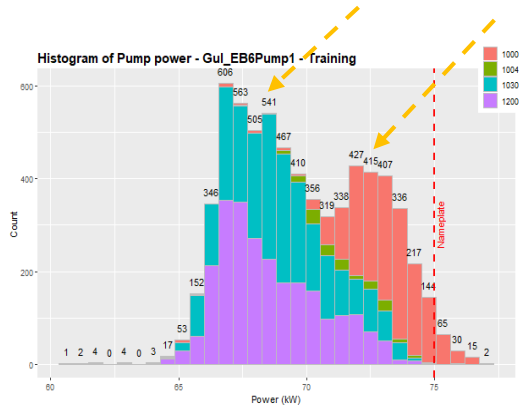
- Mis-alignment between data sets
- When calculating kWh/Volume:
 - No flow but power => infinitely bad
 - Flow but no power => high efficiency
- Note that each data set is correct in itself, so cleaning can only occur on result of calculation
- Removing bad data can introduce new errors



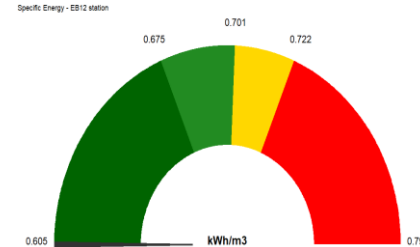
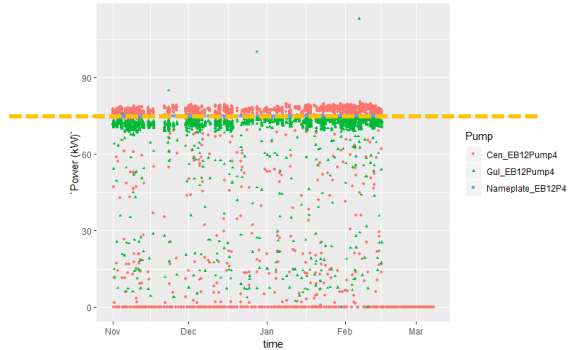
>>> However, zooming in reveals issues...

Additional Analytics :

Four key insights from analysing pump energy consumption:



Pump powers: real data vs nameplate - EB12 Pump 4
(zero points have been removed)

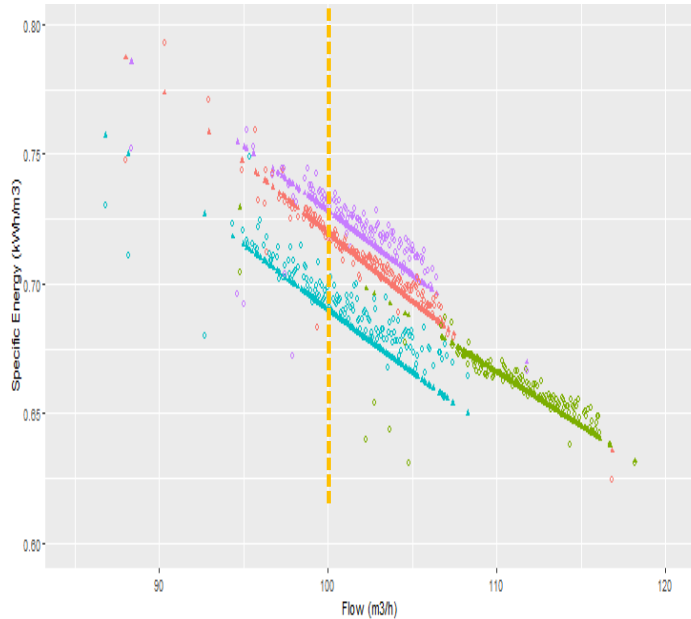


Count	A0	A1	A2	A3	A4	Count (eliminated points)	% eliminated
10847	0.605	0.675	0.701	0.722	0.792	62	0.57

Additional Analytics:

Provide guidance as to which pump is best to run

- Data fit of Specific Energy vs. Flow for each pump



Pump #	Specific Energy (kWh/m ³)	Energy Savings (kWh per month)	Cost reduced per month (€)
#1 (Running)	0.73	N/A	N/A
#2	0.69	2741.75	€ 286.86
#4	0.72	621.35	€ 74.86

- Calculated Benefit of changing to a more efficiently pump

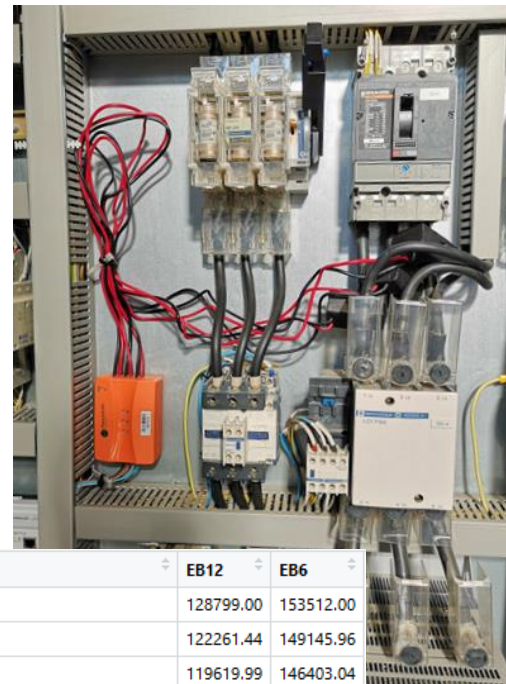
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Outcomes:

Using IoT Power Meters

- **Both Gulplug and Centrica Meters were effective**
 - Easy to install. <2hr for a pump station
 - Cloud data storage was accessible (with FTP feed)
 - Note: They only transmit data when current flowing (pump is on)
- **Accuracy was good**
 - Submeter totals compared with energy supplier meter 15 min values.
 - Less than 2% difference in total kWh
 - Difference likely only ancillary energy use in pump station
- **Do you need 3 phase? Is Power factor an issue?**
 - This will depend on the site
 - For Tarragona, Power Factor correction kept PF at 0.998 + 0.005
 - No tangible benefit noted in this trial from using 3 phases.

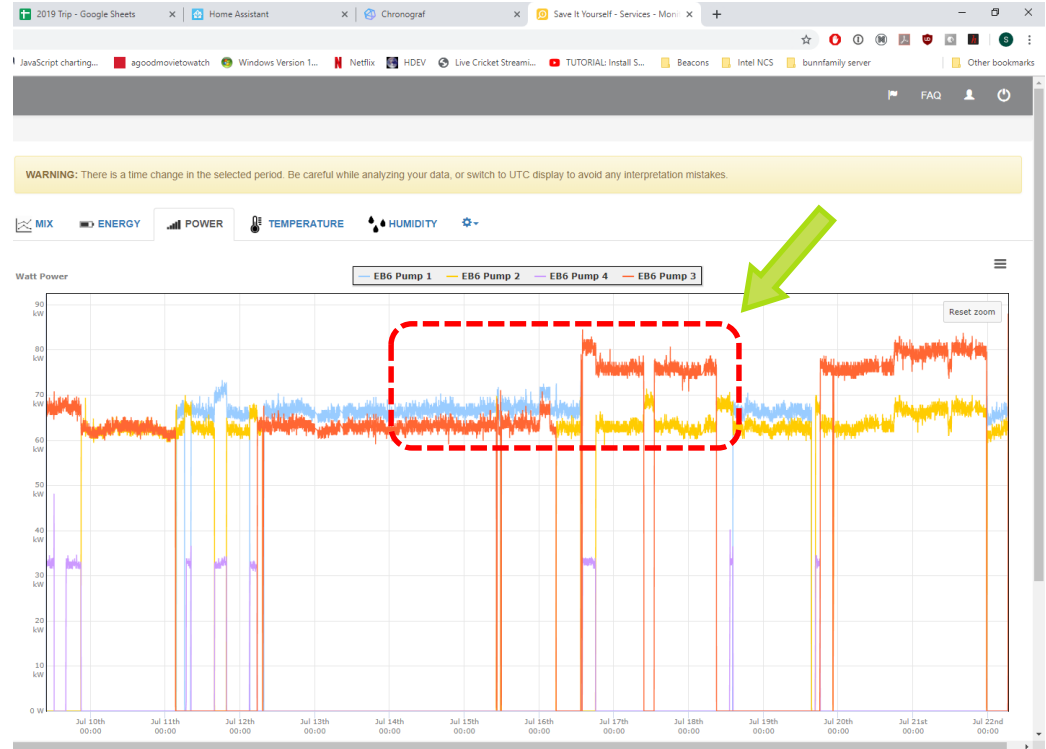


Energy	EB12	EB6
Actual	128799.00	153512.00
Centrica (raw)	122261.44	149145.96
Centrica (cleaned)	119619.99	146403.04
GulPlug (raw)	120121.43	153746.81
GulPlug (cleaned)	117596.54	151115.12
Difference (Centrica (cleaned) - Centrica (raw))	-2641.46	-2742.92
Difference (GulPlug (cleaned) - GulPlug (raw))	-2524.89	-2631.70
% Difference (Centrica (cleaned - raw)/raw)	-2.16	-1.84
% Difference (GulPlug (cleaned vs raw)/raw)	-2.10	-1.71
% Precision loss (Centrica (cleaned - raw)/actual)	-2.05	-1.79
% Precision loss (GulPlug (cleaned vs raw)/actual)	-1.96	-1.71

Outcomes:

Benefit Example: Fault detection example using IoT sub-metering

- Example of fault identification
- Capacitor Failure on power correction bank (Spike in Energy use for Pump 3 – Orange)
- Failed power correction capacitors can catch fire
- Discovery possible because submetering
- Having the data makes this possible
Automatic event detection to alert users



Outcomes:

Recommendations: start recording your energy use

1. You can start with **name-plate power**;

- But don't trust the nameplate label, do a nominal power test (with pump on)
- This value is combined with connection to SCADA data to record anomalies
- More can be done with more information...

2. **Site Power** is an improvement

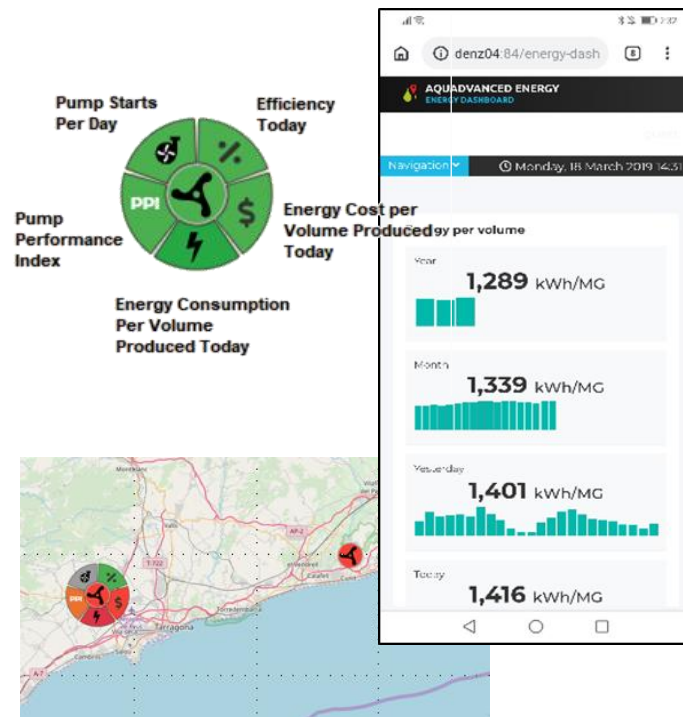
- Requires assumptions to assign power to each pump
- Need to account for ancillary power consumption at the site.

3. **Single phase current @ 10 minutes samples** is ideal

- Provides actual Specific Energy (real efficiency)
- Provides peak kW, but does require cleaning (a good tool)
- Allows Dashboard to provide guidance

4. **Recommendation**

- Get started with energy management with whatever you have
- Ideally implement sub-metering to allow rich insights and guidance
- IoT parasitic meters are a good option.



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