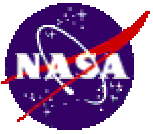


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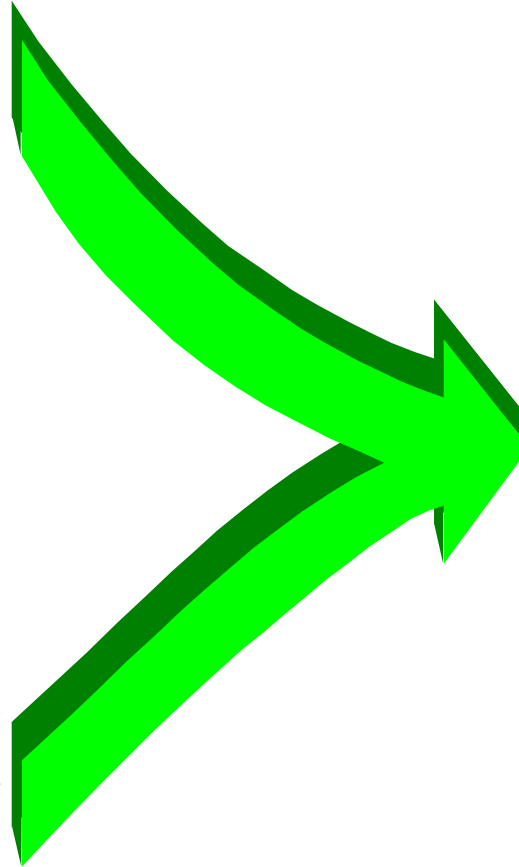
Why?

- Performance problems sometimes persist for extended periods
- Some sites have limited on-site analysis capability
 - Lack automatic warning system
 - Lack long term trend analysis capability



Key Design Features

- Web-based
- Aggregate analysis
- Dynamic
- Comprehensive
- Graphical
- User-Friendly
- Interactive
- Artificial Intelligence



Benefit

**Quickly Identify
Performance Problems**



Computer System Architecture

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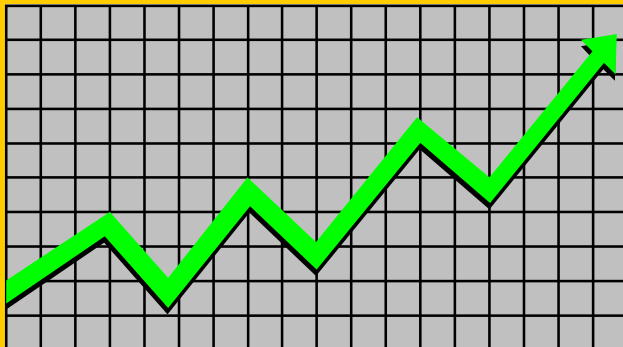
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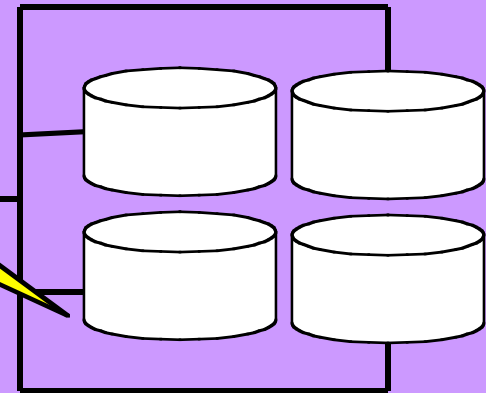


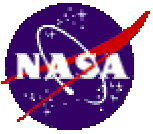
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Back End

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Oracle 9.0 Data Bases





Types of Data Bases

- Normal point data base (1995 to the present)
 - On-site processing statistics (RMSs, system delay, full-rate observation, etc.)
 - Met. Data
 - Data Latency
- Bias reports (LAGEOS, GPS, LEOs)
- BEST Calibration Practices
- Symptoms/causes of performance problems
- Site Logs



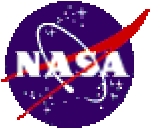
Site Performance Main Page

- Choices via pull down menus
 - My Metrics
 - My Symptoms/Causes
 - Best Practices
 - My Site Log



My Metrics

- Choices via pull down menus
 - Site
 - Satellite(s)
 - Performance Categories
 - Data Quantity
 - Data Quality
 - Operational Compliance

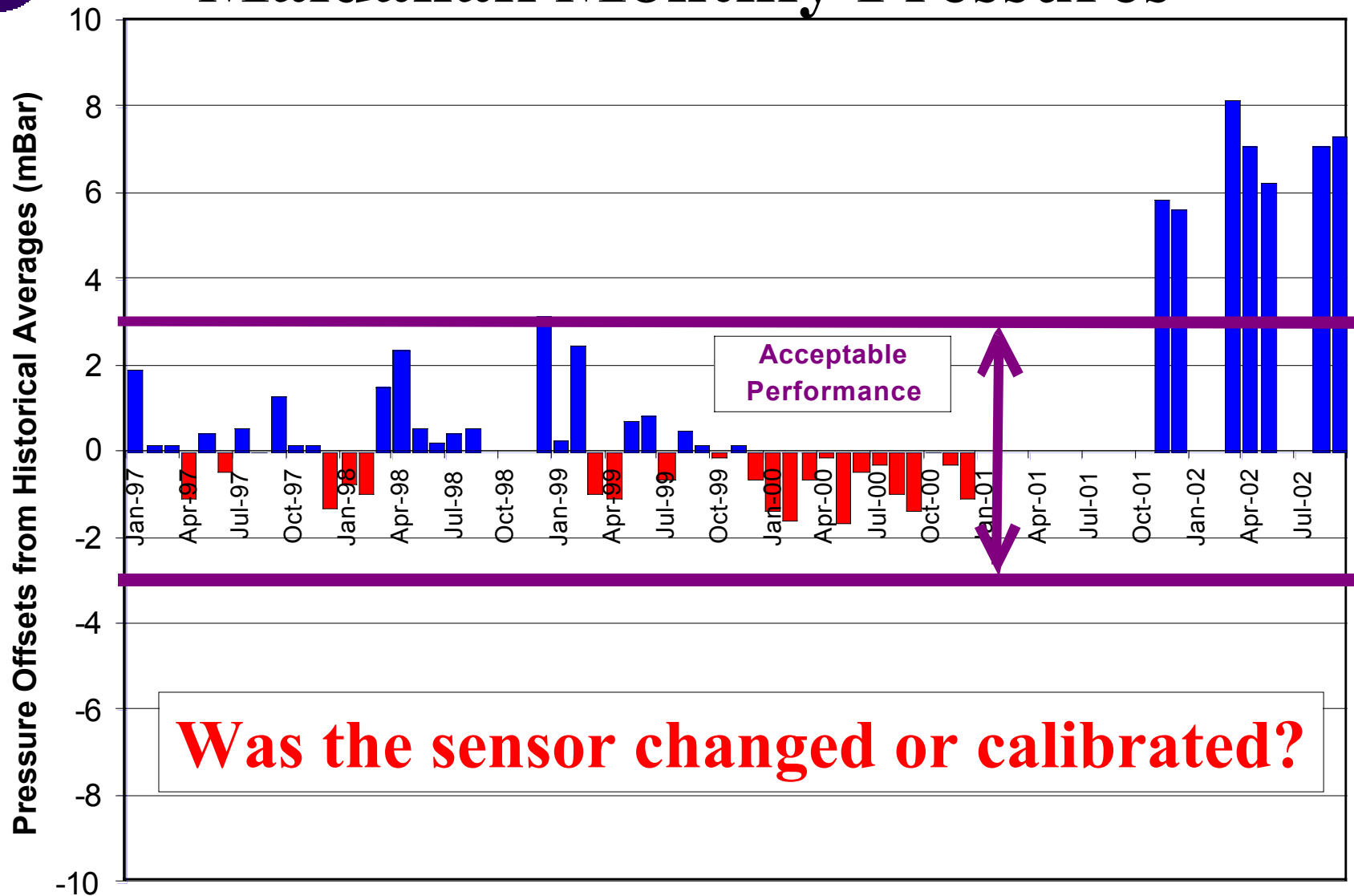


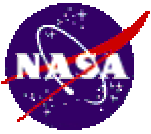
My Metrics Example

- **Site: Maidanak (1864)**
 - **Satellite(s): all**
 - **Category: Met. Data**
 - **Sub-Category: Pressure**
 - » **Chart: Monthly Time Series**



Maidanak Monthly Pressures





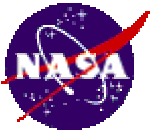
My Symptom/Causes Example

- Symptom – excessive range bias (i.e. >5 meters)
 1. Was calibration nominal (YES/NO)?
 2. Was subsequent data OK (YES/NO)?
 3. Was this a daylight pass (YES/NO)?

Answers 1. YES, 2. YES, 3. NO

Potential Causes

- **Midnight Crossing Bug in software/procedures or**
- **Operator Error**



BEST Practices

- Choices via pull down menus
 - Laser
 - Counter
 - Detector
 - Telescope/Mount
 - Total System Calibration



BEST Practices Example

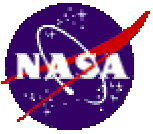
- Category: Counter

Type: Time Interval

Manufacturer & Model: SR620

BEST Practices

- Maintain strict environmental temperature control
- Minimize noise on the incoming timing signal with good grounding and shielding
- Allow for adequate warm-up time
- Use an external oscillator
- Calibrate or Cluster



Conclusions

- Very ambitious project
- Will need to conduct this in phases
- Will require support and feedback from the community, especially the Networks and Engineering WG
- We will provide periodic updates
- **Sites should continue doing their own diagnostics and system characterization tests**