

CII-25th National Award for Excellence in Energy Management Sept-2024

PRAYAGRAJ POWER GENERATION COMPANY LIMITED

(3 * 660 MW)

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Team

Journey begins : PPGCL Takeover

PPGCL Overview

Establishment: Originally developed by Jaiprakash Associates Limited (JAL)

Location: Bara, District Allahabad, Uttar Pradesh **Capacity:** 1980 MW Thermal Power Plant with three 660 MW units

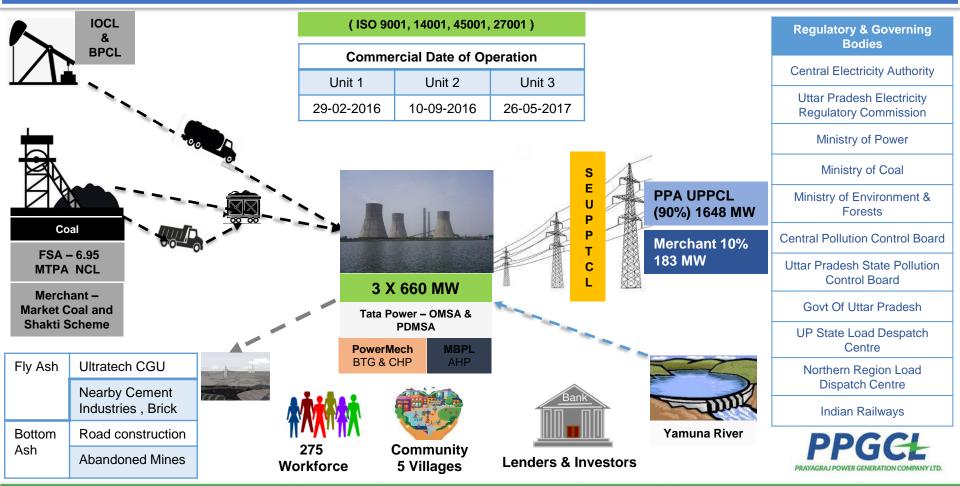
Ownership

Acquisition: Acquired by Renascent Power Ventures (RPV) on December 4, 2019, through a competitive bidding process by SBI Current Ownership: 75.01% stake held by RPV Parent Company: 100% subsidiary of Resurgent Power Ventures

Resurgent Power Ventures: A joint venture of Tata Power (via Tata Power International Pte. Ltd), ICICI Bank, and international investors



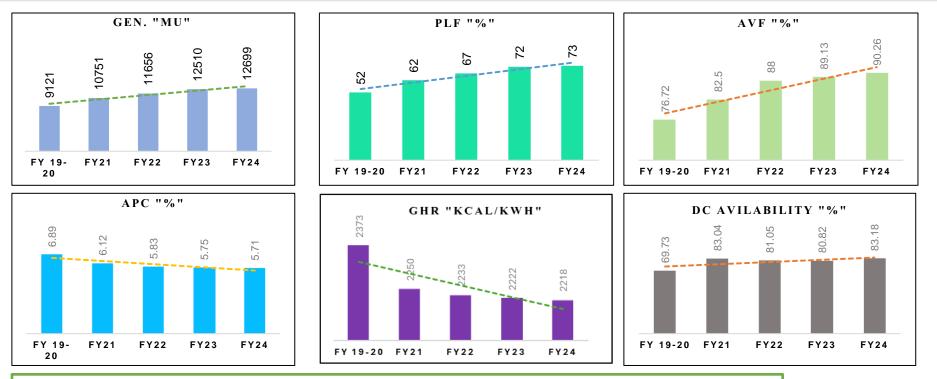
PPGCL – Overall Business Value Chain



PPGCL PERFORMANCE FY23-24



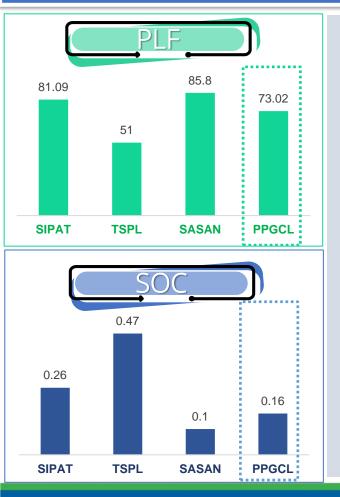
PERFORMANCE TREND (LAST 5 YEARS)..



- ✓ PPGCL become MOD -1 , from MOD -4 under UP IPP plants , The PLF are continually Improving.
- There is continuous improvement in APC & Gross Heat rate Y-O-Y, PPGCL achieved lowest Gross Heat of 2218 in FY 24.
- ✓ PPGCL availability improved to 91% due to reduction of Forced outage mainly BTL.



ENERGY BENCHMARKING



Benchmarking Performance

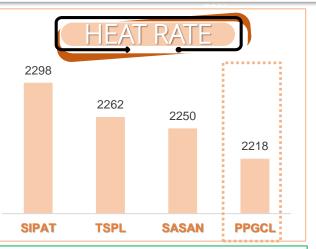
 PPGCL is the 1st Thermal stressed ,which is turn around within 1.5 Years of Take over. This has achieved through performance benchmark among peers.

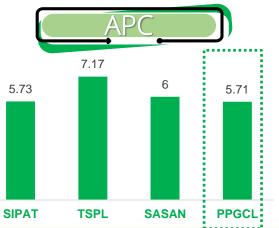
Our Short Term Plan:

- Improvement of reliability & efficiency through Digitalization & AI based project .
- Real Time Energy Monitoring and immediate action .
- Implementation of ENCON Projects.
- Capability Development of New Engineer.

Our Long Term Plan:

- Implementation of Capex project for energy efficiency Improvement .
- Flexi Ready Flexible Operation Readiness
- Capital Overhaul of unit for major Heat rate Gain .
- Implementation of Digital Twin with TCS-Adex .

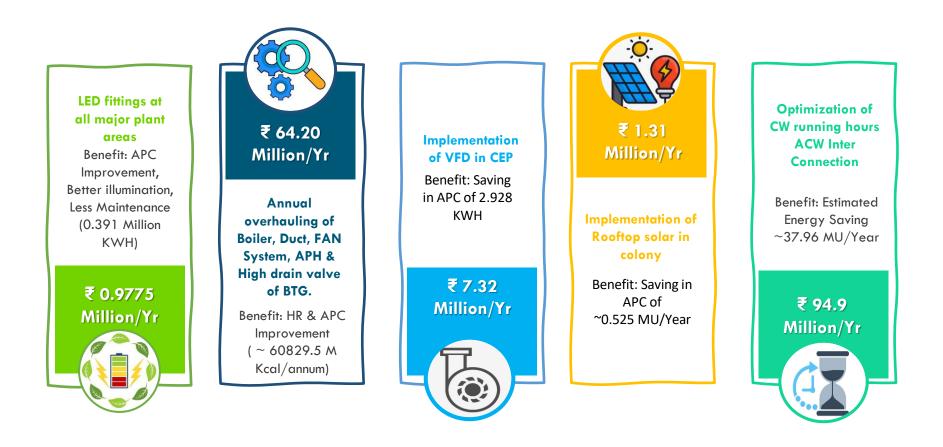




Steps for Energy Efficiency Benchmarking :

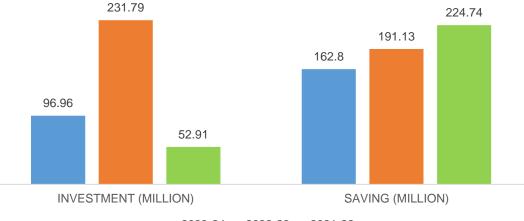


Major Encon Projects Planned for FY 24-25



ENCON Projects Summary (Last 3 years):

Year	No. of Energy Saving Projects	Investments (INR Million)	Electrical Saving (Million kWh)	Saving (INR Million)
2023-24	7	96.96	63.80	162.81
2022-23	5	231.79	10.78	191.13
2021-22	5	52.92	0.79	224.75

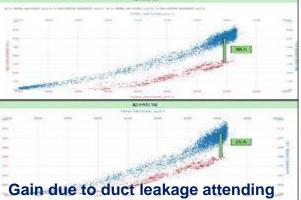


■2023-24 ■2022-23 ■2021-22

ENCON Project Details.. FY 23-24

	S.No.	Title of the Project	Investment (in Million)	Electrical Savings (Million KWH)	Thermal Savings (Million Kcal)	Annual Savings (Rs. In millions)	Payback Period (Months)
	1	U#2 TDBFP R/C Valve passing attending	6	7.88	17490	20.11	3.58
	2	Stopping of 1CW pump for 16 Days across all three units	0	1.68	0	4.28	0
	3	Implementation of Energy management system for Proper monitoring of APC Consumption of Major Drives and areas like CHP, AHP, DM plant etc.	0	0.3	0	0.7657	0
	4	LED fittings inside plant area	0.3638	0.39	0	0.999	4.37
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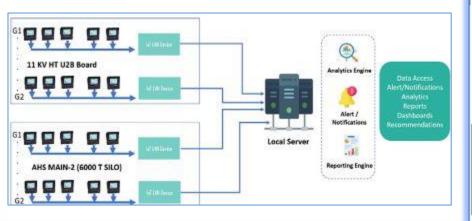
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5	Heat Rate improvement after U#3 AOH	66.2	29.06	0	74.162	10.71
6	DM makeup improvement	4.4	23.56	0	60.11	0.88
7	Improvement in APC due to U#2 Short shutdown	20	4.26	0	10.65	22.53



Innovation Project-1

Implementation of ENMS system for APC tracking:

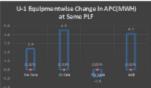
- PPGCL team jointly with Tata Power Trading Co. Ltd. has developed Smart Energy Management System. This IoT application of energy management system helped to track individual equipment level energy consumption on Real-Time basis & gives the operator a Dashboard with comparison of energy consumption data among other unit & equipment's.
- It connects a total of 314 energy meters with 32 IoT gateways. The system monitors 34 parameters and creates energy management analytics to improve APC management
- This has helped the Engineers to optimize the equipment running , take overhauling decisions by seeing specific energy consumption of individual equipment

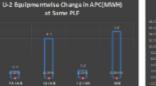


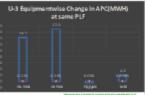
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Date	BTG U1	CW+ACW+Comp	BOP	Total APC	PLF%	U-1 SCC
6-jul-22	8.15%	1.14%	1.11%	5.40%	87.63%	0.6061
13-0ct-22	3.21%	1.25%	0.92%	5.38%	87.75%	0.6037
Date	BTG U2	CW+ACW+Comp	BOP	Total APC	PLF%	U-2 SCC
22-]ul-22	2,85%	1.27%	1.10%	5,32%	84.15%	0.614
13-Oct-22	3.02%	1.25%	0.93%	5.19%	84.15%	0.597
Date	BTG UB	CW+ACW+Comp	BOP	Total APC	PLF%	U-B SCC
12-Sep-22	3.33%	1.23%	0.99%	5.55%	81.00%	0.610
13-0ct-22	3.61%	1.25%	0.94%	5.79%	80.93%	0.583

Unit wise APC comparison







AHP APC Dashboard:

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PTAC-1 PTAC-2 PTAC-3 PTAC-4 PTAC-5 PTAC-5 PTAC-7

STACI

AHP (APC)					
Equipment UOM Consumption Consumption					
		29-09-2022	17-11-2022	Difference	
50K Ton Silo	MWh	14.97	9.23	-5.73	
Total AHP BAHP APC	MWh	6.78	6.19	-0.59	
Total AHP HT Panel PMCC APC	MWh	47.75	56.36	8.61	
Total AHP PTAC APC	MWh	29.01	29.47	0.46	
Total AHP STAC APC	MWh	23.26	21.10	-2.16	
Total	MWh	121.77	122.35	0.58	

STAC running

29-09-2022 ¥17-11-2022

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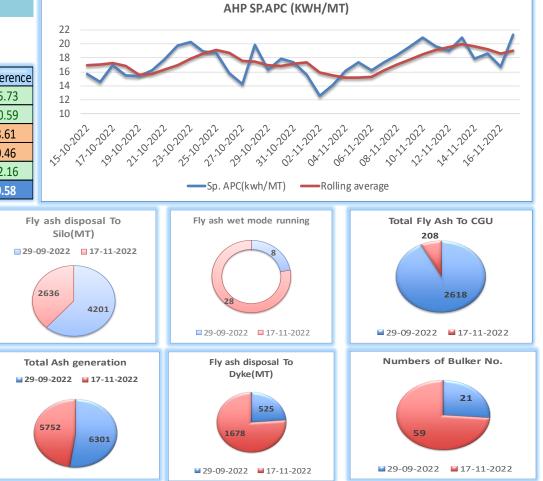
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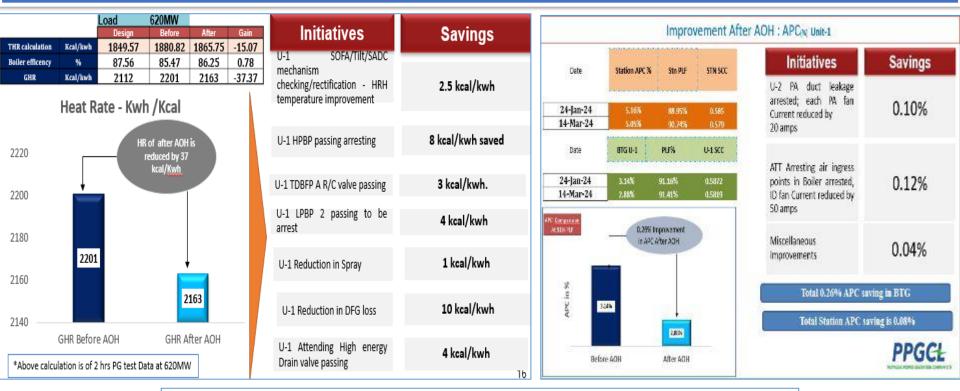
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Innovation Project-2 (Improvement in Overhauling)

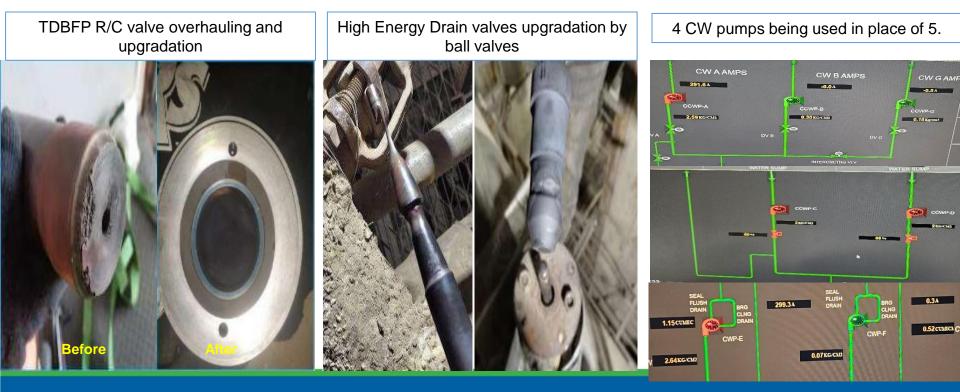


Post U1 AOH improvement in Net Heat Rate = 42 Kcal/Kwh Total Coal saved = 45,843 Tones Total Co2 emission saved = 1,10,942 Tones

PPGC

Innovation: Project-3 (Reduction of Make Up & APC)

- 1. U#2 stem plug & seat RC valve replaced by CCI make.
- 2. High energy drain angular valves replaced by ball valves.
- 3. Optimized running of CW pump from 5 pumps to 4 pumps to reduce Auxiliary power consumption.

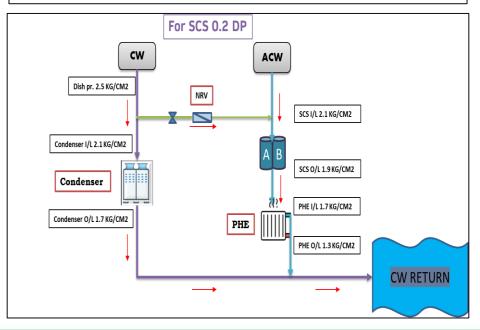


Pilot Technologies – CW & ACW Interconnection

For ACW water for TG/SG PHE tapping will be taken from condenser cooling water I/L line one MOV one NRV will be installed .

Benefit-

For All three No units in summer there is 01 no's ACW is running if the least pump also tripped by some reason units reliability increase. As CW to ACW interconnecting valve open in auto.



POWER SAVING (in winters All 04 ACW stop condition)						
UNITS(KWH) MWH SAVING IN RUPE						
PER DAY	26640	26.640	1,81152 /-			
PER MONTH	810921	810.920	55,14266 /-			
For Half year	9730260	9730.260	3.31 Cr			

POWER SAVING (in summers one ACW Running condition)						
UNITS(KWH) MWH SAVING IN R						
PER DAY	26640	26.640	90576 /-			
PER MONTH	810921	810.920	27,57133 /-			
For Half year	9730260	9730.260	1.65 Cr			

Total yearly savings= 4.96 Cr

PPGCL Improvement Convention

Implemented Intervention



APC Optimization

- ✓ Five mill operation
- ✓ Startup with TDBFP.
- ✓ Single CEP operation at minimum load
- ✓ O2 optimization



Startup Oil optimization

- ✓ HPH charged before synchronization
- ✓ Mill introduced at 40 kg/cm2 MS pressure ,
- ✓ Oil gun replaced by16J in place of 24J.



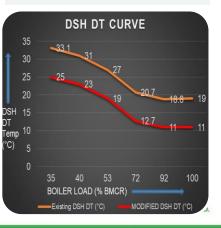
BTL reduction

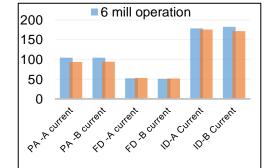
- Extra shield plate provided in damaged porn area
- Extra SH MTM for complete evaporation monitoring during startup.



D Inhouse autoloop commissioning

- ✓ DSH DT Curve modified to control Super Heater spray.
- Modified Sliding pressure curve incorporated in CMC to achieve fast ramp up.





Saving of ₹ 66 Million/Year

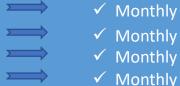


Performance and Evaluation Test Schedule



✓ Turbine efficiency evaluation test

- ✓ Turbine Heat Rate Evaluation test
- ✓ Turbine pressure and temperature Survey
- ✓ Feedwater Heater performance test



- ✓ Monthly ✓ Monthly
- ✓ Monthly



- ✓ Boiler performance at high load and low load
- ✓ LOI /combustible

Boiler Heat gain in coils and MTM Profile study

- ✓ Air preheater efficiency
- ✓ Fineness of coal through isokinetic sampling

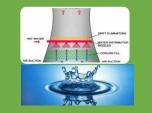
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- ✓ Twice in Month
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- ✓ Cooling Tower performance evaluation
- ✓ Condenser Performance evaluation
- ✓ DM water loss Mapping
- ✓ High energy valve passing checking

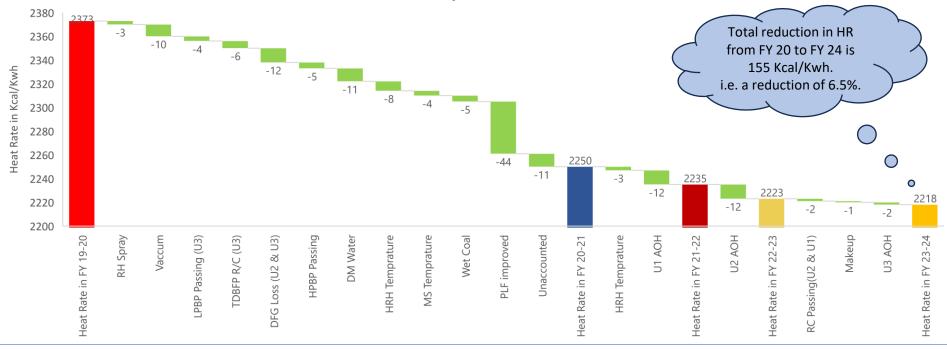


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✓ Monthly



Heat Rate Improvement Y-O-Y



Total Savings on account of Heat Rate is 180 Cr +

Saving in Coal consumption : 4,55,986 MT

Reduction in CO₂ emission: 11,03,486Tons

APC Improvement Y-O-Y



** Under PAT Cycle IV, M&V Audit PPGCL has recommended for 23000 + Ecerts



Saving in Coal consumption : 79,265 MT

Reduction in CO₂ emission: 1,91,821Tons



Renewable Energy

Year	Source (Solar, wind, etc.,)	Installed capacity (in KW)	Capacity addition (MW) after FY 2021	Total Generation (million kWh)
FY 2023-24	Solar	204	-	0.234

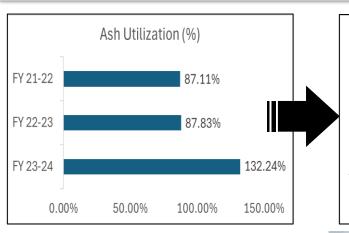


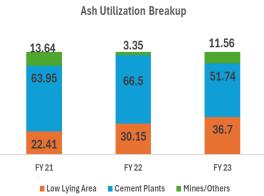
PPGCL Green Initiatives:

- Roof top solar of 204 KW has been installed on the roof of school building.
- Also, we have installed 50 Nos of solar streetlights in surrounding community of capacity 20 W.
- The ECO park is equipped with solar lights. 15 solar lights of 20 W and 24 solar garden lights of 7W installed in township
- Our Long-Term Plan:
- In future all the rooftops of office area and open area will be covered with solar panels with a capacity of around 3MW.



Environment Management: Ash Utilization





[UOM	FY 21	FY 23	FY 24
Ash Stock in Plant (Yard + Pond)	LMT	22.7	11.7	4.7
Ash Generated	LMT	20.0	24.2	26.1
Ash Utilization	%	87.1	87.8	132.4

Best Practices in Ash Utilization

- We have a tie up with Ultratech CGU for supplying fly ash for cement production.
- We also supply fly ash to other cement units with bulkers. Previous FY we utilized 51.74% of total ash generated in cement units.
- We have tied up with Zaak Technologies to convert ash into cement.
- Fly ash bricks are being used for construction activities.
- Bottom Ash is being utilized in low lying land filling and mines filling.

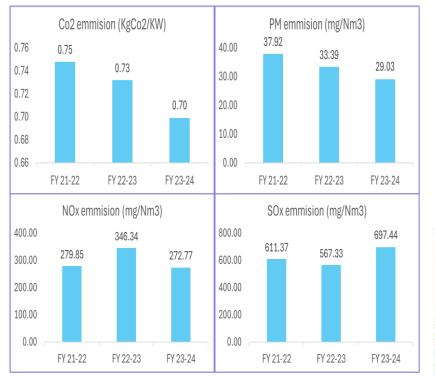






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Environment Management: Emissions



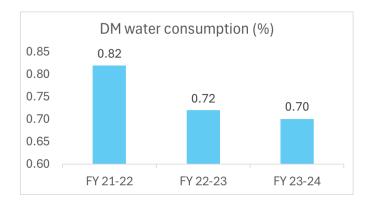
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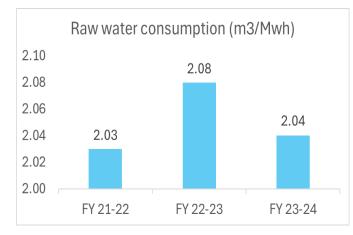
- 1. GHG data is submitted to Central Electrical Authority (CEA) (Scope-1).
- 2. The data is displayed in front of plant gate and on company website for public interest.

Retrofitting of FGD System



Environment Management: Water







Best Practices : Digitization



Historian & Real Time Monitoring system

Real Time DCS dashboard

DSM Software (In House)

Real Time Export, Sch, ACP & Deviation Monitoring

ENMS System

OSI Soft PI

Energy Management System for HT Drives Constracking

Online High Energy Drain Temp & Coal Pipe temp Monitoring



DESIGN ACTUAL 82.15 TEMP GAIN IN ECO 52.71 EMP GAIN IN WATER WALL 66.82 53.09 EMP GAIN IN WATER ROOF TUBES 15.71 20.64 MP GAIN IN PSH 100.2 78.95 TEMP DROP DUE TO SH SPRAT -28.0 -23.0 TEMP GAIN IN FSH 100.2 92.74 TEMP GAIN IN LTRH 142.3 163.1

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HEAT GAIN PATTERN IN BOILER UNIT#2

TEMP GAIN IN FRM

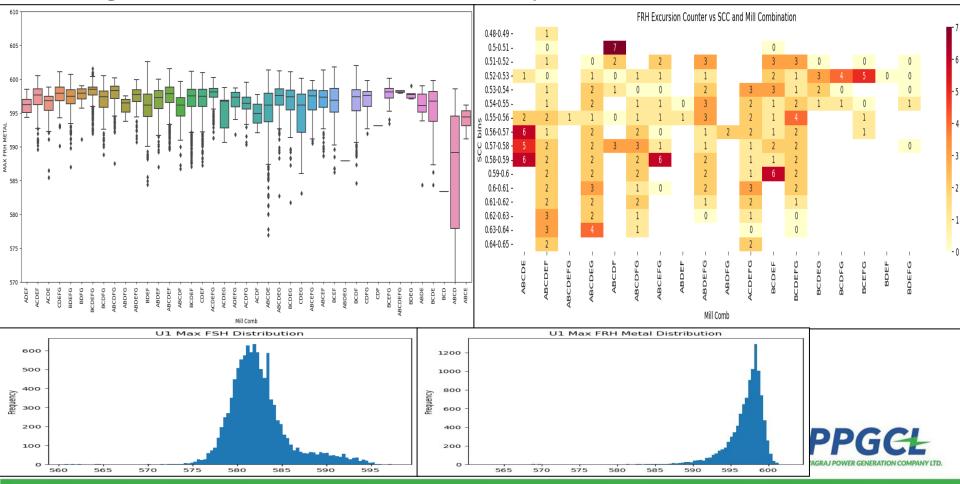




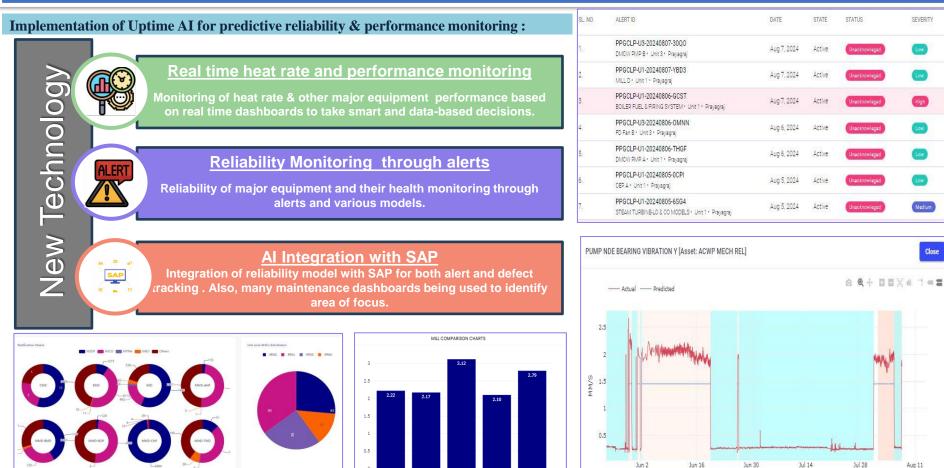
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Digital Intervention for Metal Temperature Excursion control



Best Practices : New Technology Initiatives



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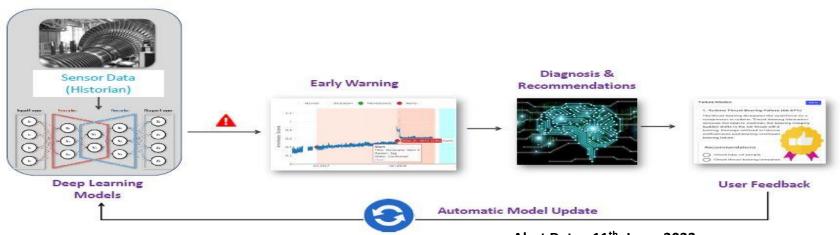
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Reliability



Combine Domain Expertise & Al



Unit 2 CEP A



Alert Date: 11th June 2023 Early indication by 15 days

Issue:

CEP Motor and pump vibrations are running on the higher side.

Spike observed in vibrations signals since 13th June

Potential Impact:

- Bearing Damage
- Equipment tripping



Uptime AI Performance Dashboard



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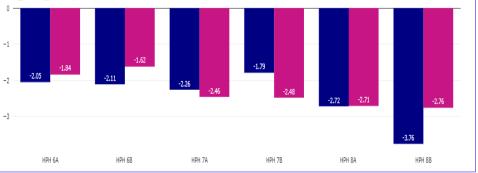
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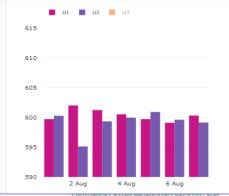
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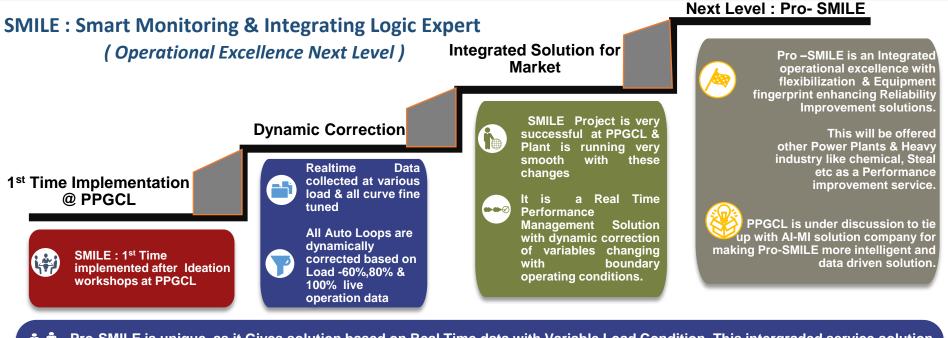
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Best Practices : Analytics & Industry 4.0



Pro-SMILE is unique ,as it Gives solution based on Real Time data with Variable Load Condition. This intergraded service solution for product offering in market. We are in discussion with UPTIME-AI & TCS for collaboration for preparing a integrated AI based next level solution –Pro SMILE.



This type of Digital system offered by many OEM's SIEMENS, GE & THOSIBA as a standalone software & does not integrate with Real Time Operating decision making. Also SMILE tool comes with Real O&M experience integrating equipment Health/Reliability in consideration

Best Practices: Afforestation

- The Green belt covers Aprox. 30 % & we have planted about 3.49 lakh saplings.
- We have done during FY 23-24, 14,288 saplings and FY 24-25.
- PPGCL has developed over 396.9 acres of green belt .
- Strategically chosen species like Neem, Pipal, Jamun, arjun, Sesam, Kadamb, Karanja Mango, Guava, Amaltash, Kachnar, Mahua, etc. for plantation.
- PPGCL also distributes ~500+ hybrid Mango, Guava, Kadamb, saplings per year for developing afforestation in the community.





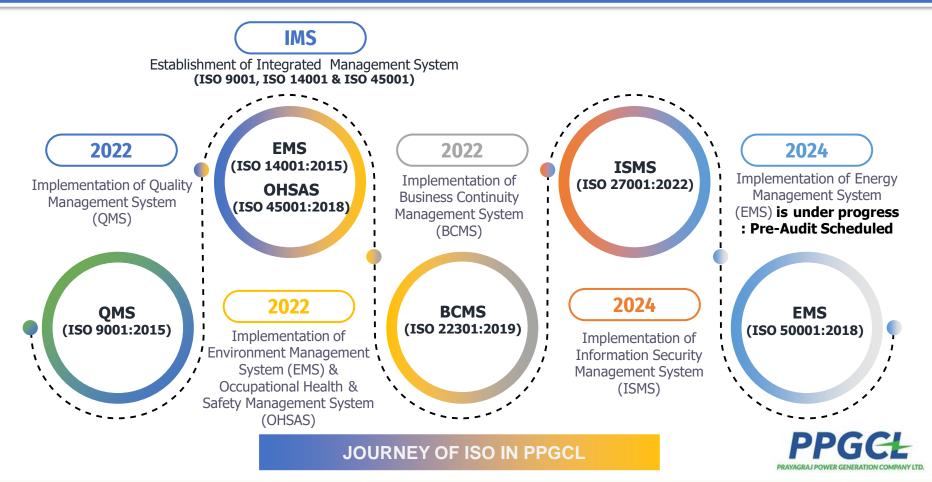








IMPLEMENTATION OF ISO



KSS:- Energy Savings



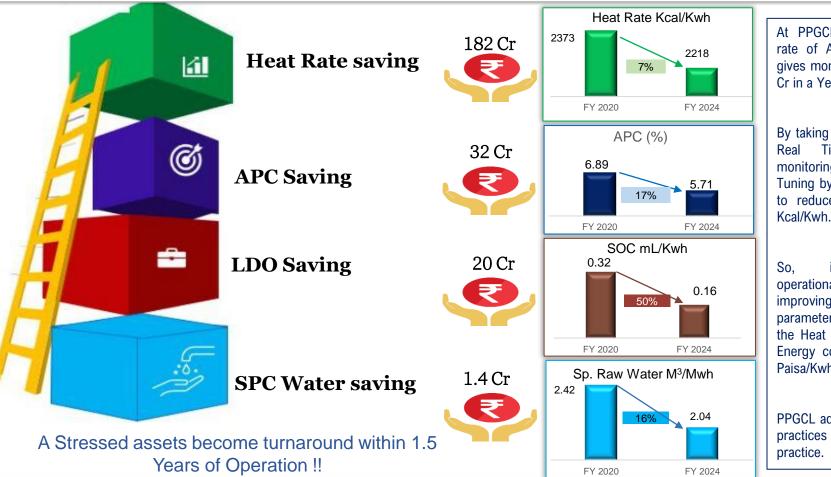
Energy Conservation Week



Awards & Accolades



Turn Around of Operational Performance



At PPGCL saving of Heat rate of About 1 Kcal/Kwh, gives monitory saving of 1.2 Cr in a Year.

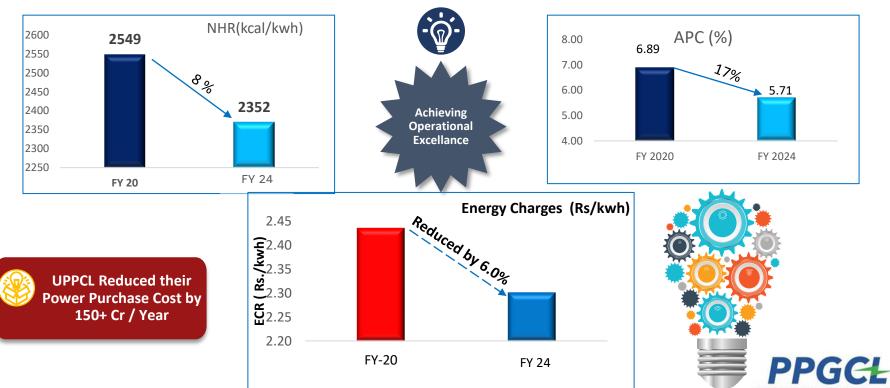
By taking these initiatives of Real Time Heat rate monitoring, Auto Loop Tuning by team PPGCL able to reduce more than 155 Kcal/Kwh.

So, improving the operational efficiency by improving the operational parameter, PPGCL Improved the Heat rate & reduce the Energy cost by approx. 20 Paisa/Kwh.

PPGCL adopted Industry 4.0 practices for sustainable practice.

Benefit To Customer :

PPGCL Supplying 90% of Its Power to UPPCL & For the 1st Time UPPCL getting most Reliable & cheap power from PPGCL.
 PPGCL become MOD rank 2nd from its 4th Position in IPP (1st non pit head).



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