

Online Analysis of Weight and Pressure History aids Pipe Failure Investigations

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- An online archive of data from CT operations (CoilData)
- Analyzing outcomes for 'retired' CT strings
- Online implementation of a basic CT limits calculation
- Interpreting weight and pressure data over the life of a string
- Case studies

CoilData (formerly Aradia)

- Web-based pipe management and job analysis system
- 3,452 strings and 99,374 jobs covering 5 year period
- Linked to Cerberus[™] modeling software (NOV-CTES)
- Used by 26 service companies worldwide (7 in Canada)
- Includes controlled access for pipe manufacturers and operators
- Data confidential to each company no combined analysis



WELLSITE





Data Acquisition (e.g. Orion™)

Job log data

- time
- depth
- speed
- pump pressure
- wellhead pressure
- surface weight
- other

WELLSITE or OFFICE



Modeling (Cerberus™)

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String properties

- geometry, material
- fatigue, diameter
- job history
- maintenance

Job information

- well
- client
- personnel
- equipment

WEB SERVER

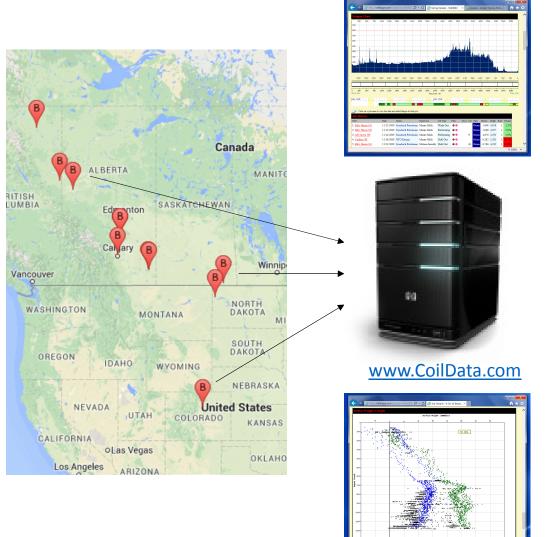


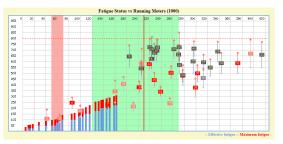


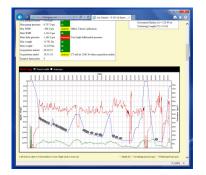
- + user edits
- + documentation
- + inspections
- + pressure tests
- + maintenance records
- + treatment reports
- + failure analyses
- + 3rd party data

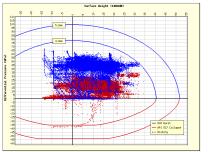
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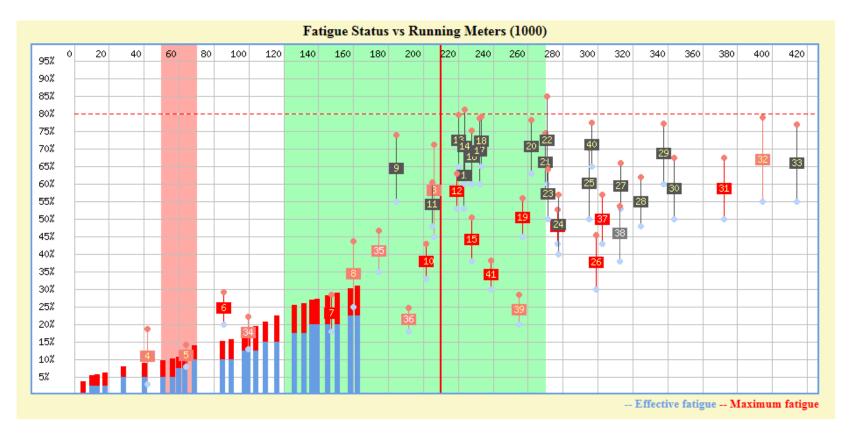




Retired

Damaged

26 Pinholed or Parted



Fatigue (%) vs Running Meters (1,000m)

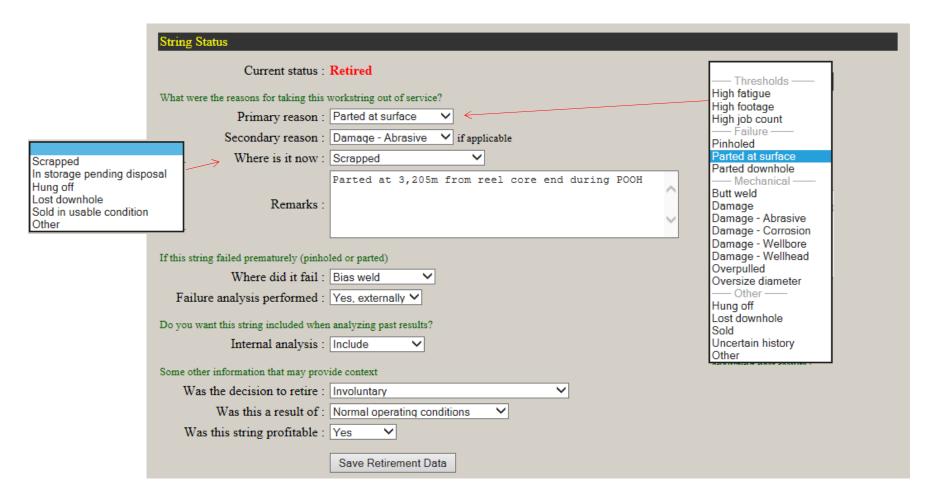
showing outcomes for 41 retired 50mm (2") 100-Kpsi strings

Reason String Retired Raw data				
High fatigue	19	24.7%		
Normal	12	15.6%		
Parted	9	11.7%		
Pinholed	7	9.1%		
Major damage	6	7.8%		
Butt weld	6	7.8%		
Other	5	6.5%		
Oversize	5	6.5%		
Minor damage	3	3.9%		
Hung off	2	2.6%		
Lost downhole	2	2.6%		
Scrapped	1	1.3%		

Reason String Retired Interpreted data				
High fatigue	23	33.8%		
Parted	9	13.2%		
Pinholed	7	10.3%		
Major damage	6	8.8%		
Butt weld	6	8.8%		
Oversize	5	7.4%		
Other	5	7.4%		
Minor damage	3	4.4%		
Hung off	2	2.9%		
Lost downhole	2	2.9%		
Expended		36.8%		
Damage related	l	22.1%		
Fatigue failures		23.5%		
Fatigue related		64.7%		

Pipe Failure Analysis

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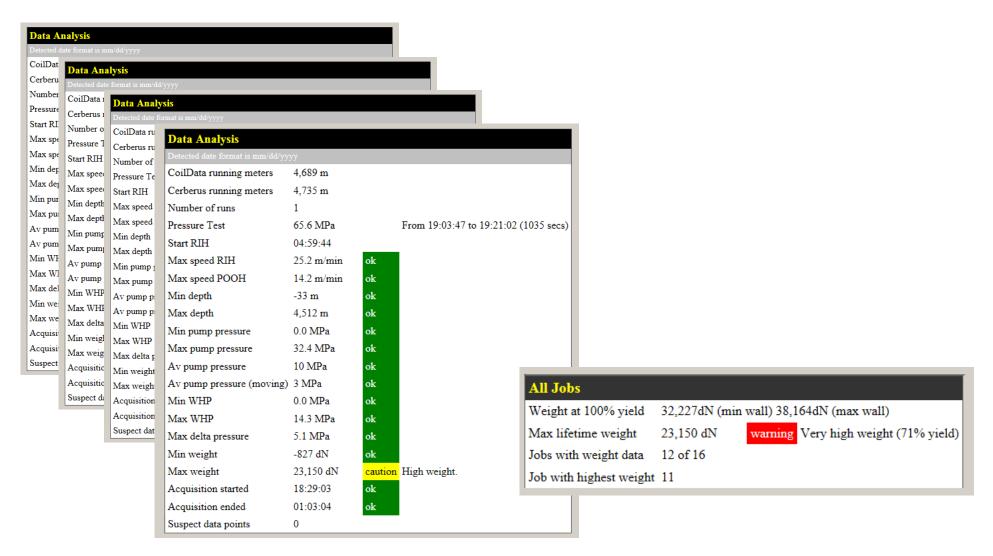


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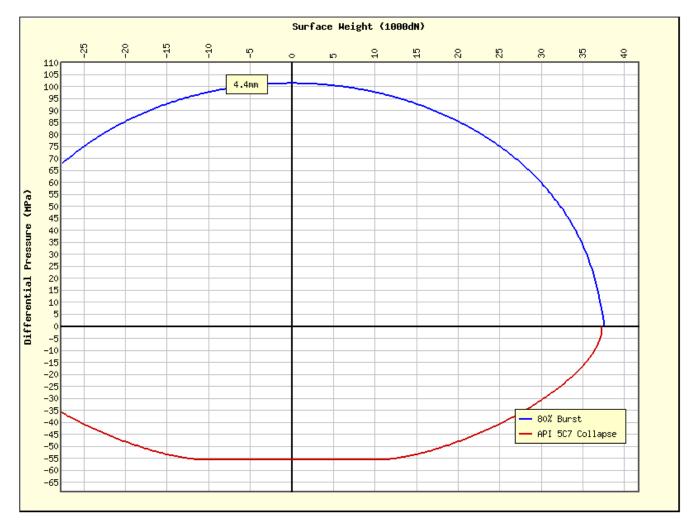
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- What pressure and tension/compression conditions was the pipe subjected to over its working life? (were the limits exceeded at some point prior to the final failure?)

Data Analysis Detected date format is mm/dd/yy	UNI .		
CoilData running meters	4,689 m		
Cerberus running meters	4.735 m		
Number of runs	1		
Pressure Test	65.6 MPa		From 19:03:47 to 19:21:02 (1035 sec
Start RIH	04:59:44		
Max speed RIH	25.2 m/min	ok	1
•	14.2 m/min	ok	
Min depth	-33 m	ok	
Max depth	4,512 m	ok	
Min pump pressure	0.0 MPa	ok	
Max pump pressure	32.4 MPa	ok	
Av pump pressure	10 MPa	ok	
Av pump pressure (moving)	3 MPa	ok	
Min WHP	0.0 MPa	ok	
Max WHP	14.3 MPa	ok	
Max delta pressure	5.1 MPa	ok	
Min weight	-827 dN	ok	
Max weight	23,150 dN	caution	High weight.
Acquisition started	18:29:03	ok	
Acquisition ended	01:03:04	ok	
Suspect data points	0		

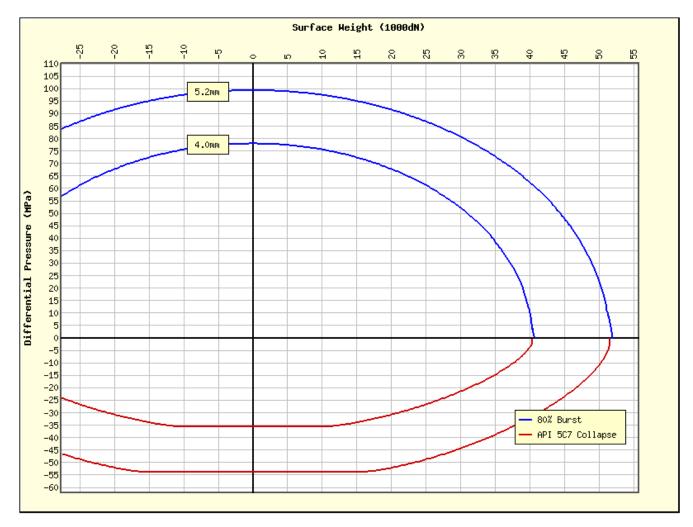
Data Analysis – One Job



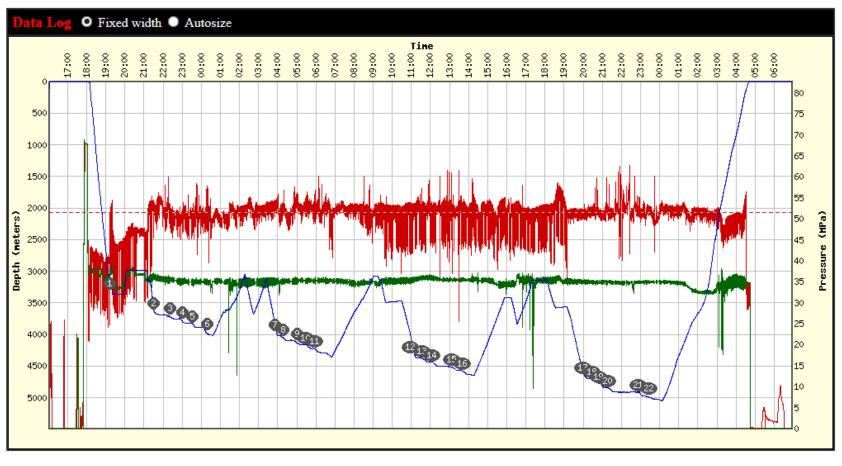
Data Analysis – All Jobs



Tubing Limits Online – Straight Wall

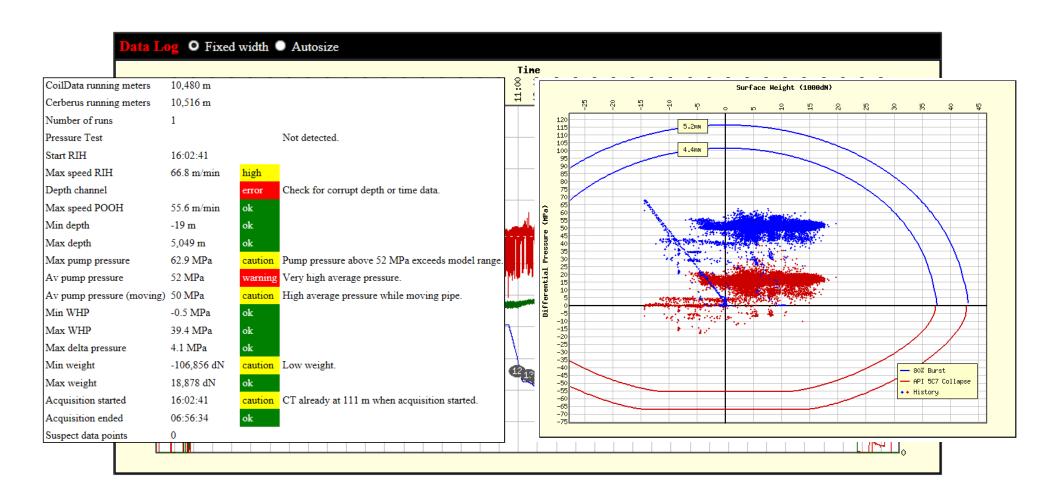


Tubing Limits Online – Tapered Wall

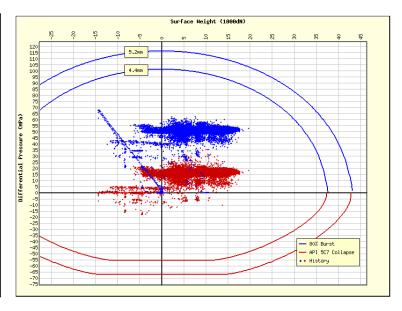


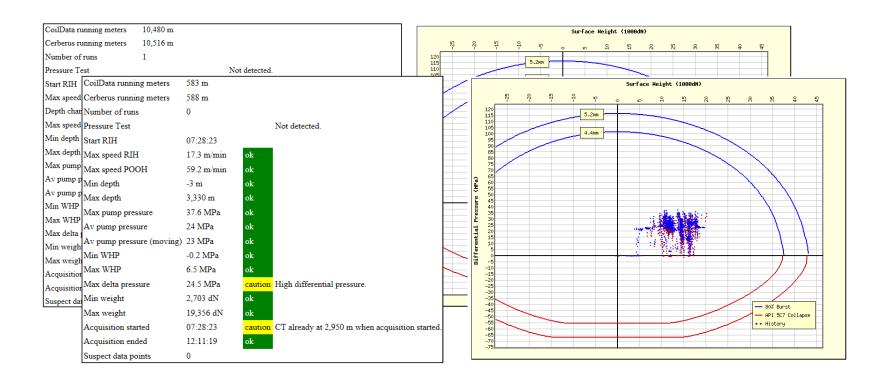
——— Depth (m) ———— Pump Pressure (MPa) ———— Wellhead Pressure (MPa)

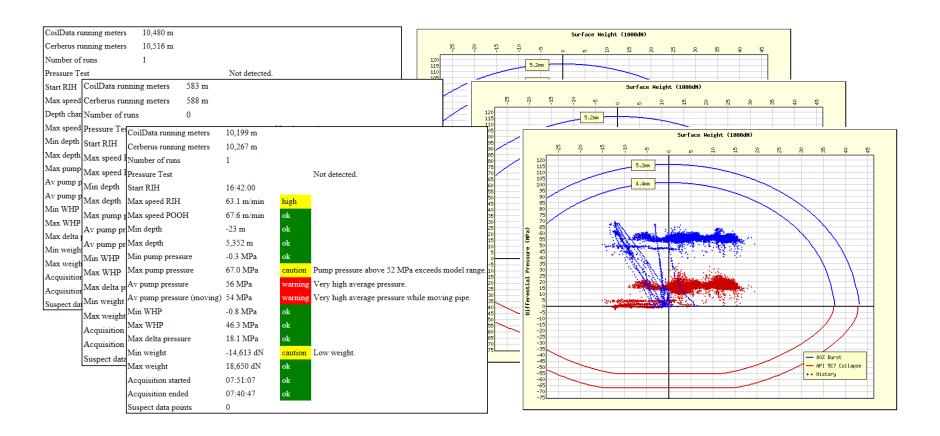


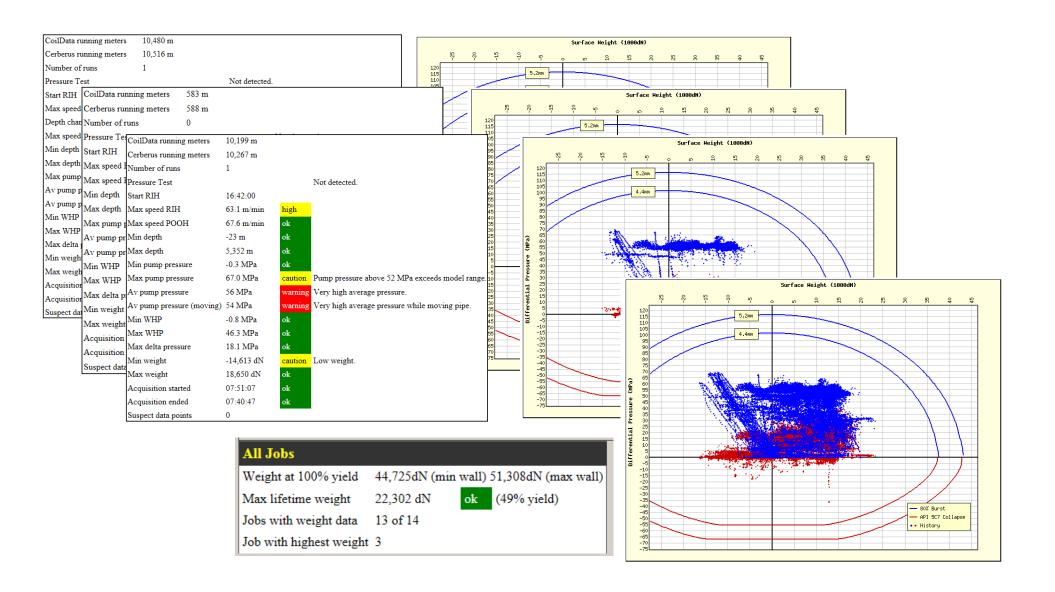


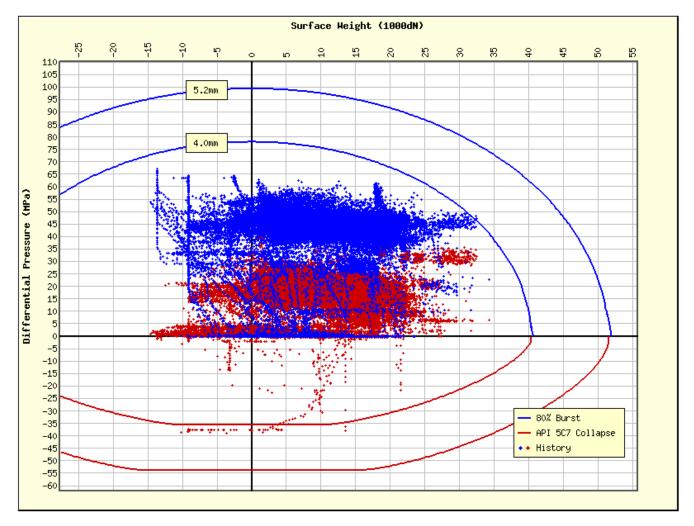
CoilData running meters	10,480 m		
Cerberus running meters	10,516 m		
Number of runs	1		
Pressure Test			Not detected.
Start RIH	16:02:41		
Max speed RIH	66.8 m/min	high	
Depth channel		error	Check for corrupt depth or time data.
Max speed POOH	55.6 m/min	ok	
Min depth	-19 m	ok	
Max depth	5,049 m	ok	
Max pump pressure	62.9 MPa	caution	Pump pressure above 52 MPa exceeds model range.
Av pump pressure	52 MPa	warning	Very high average pressure.
Av pump pressure (moving)	50 MPa	caution	High average pressure while moving pipe.
Min WHP	-0.5 MPa	ok	
Max WHP	39.4 MPa	ok	
Max delta pressure	4.1 MPa	ok	
Min weight	-106,856 dN	caution	Low weight.
Max weight	18,878 dN	ok	
Acquisition started	16:02:41	caution	CT already at 111 m when acquisition started.
Acquisition ended	06:56:34	ok	
Suspect data points	0		



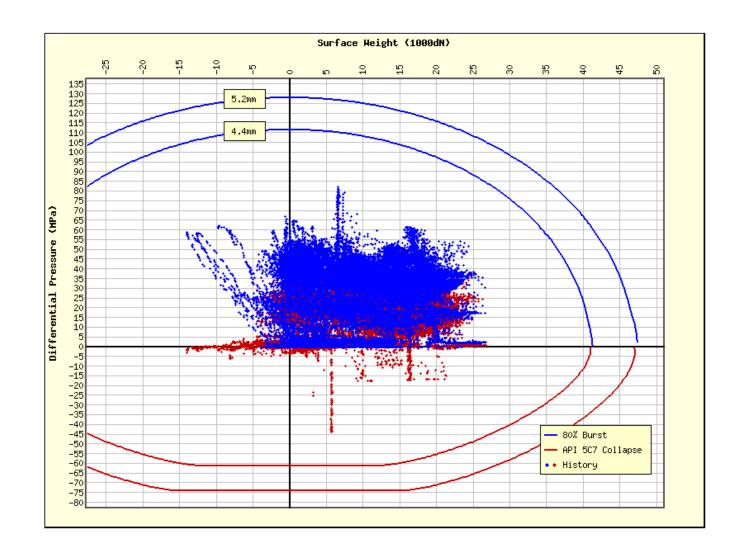


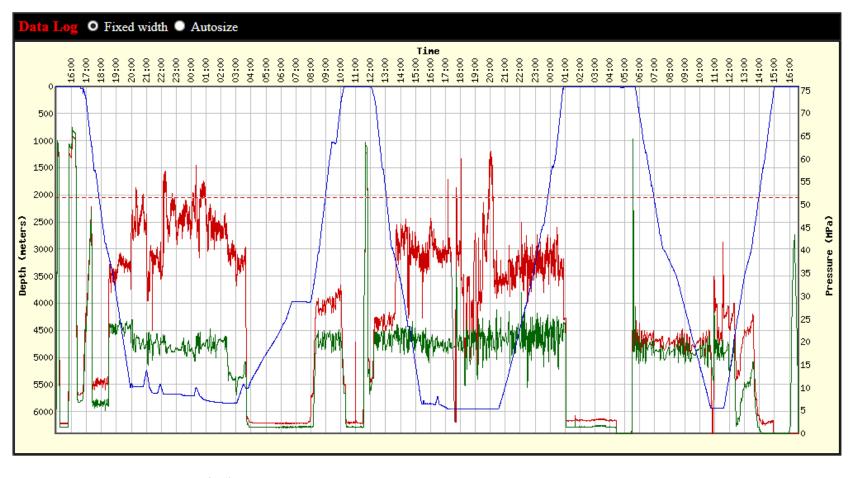




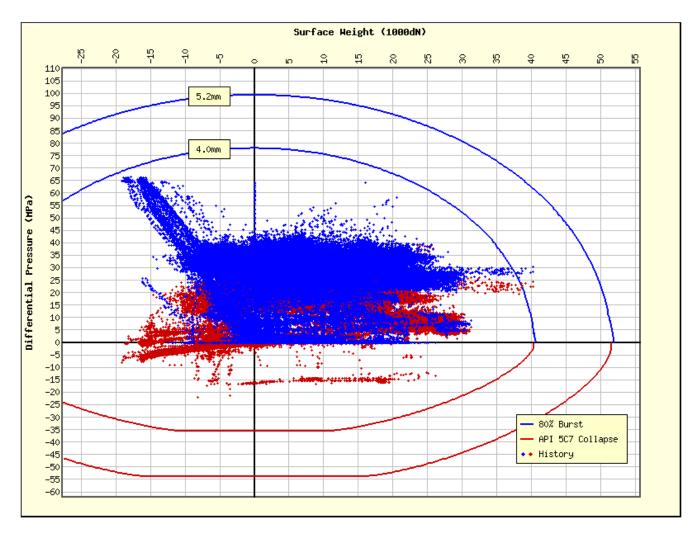


All Jobs Combined

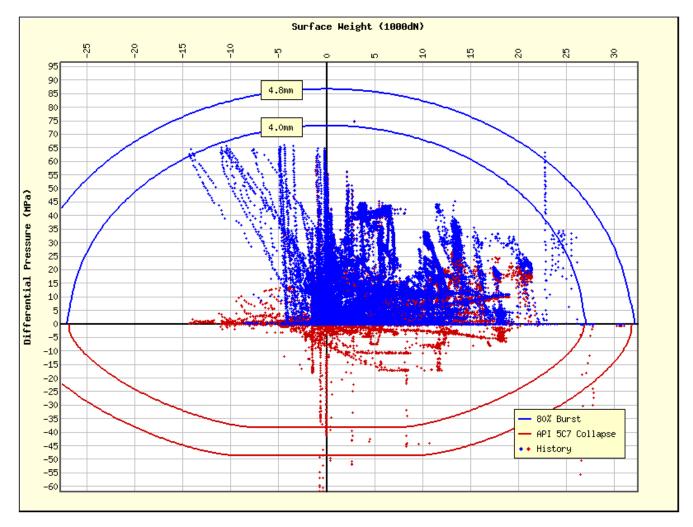




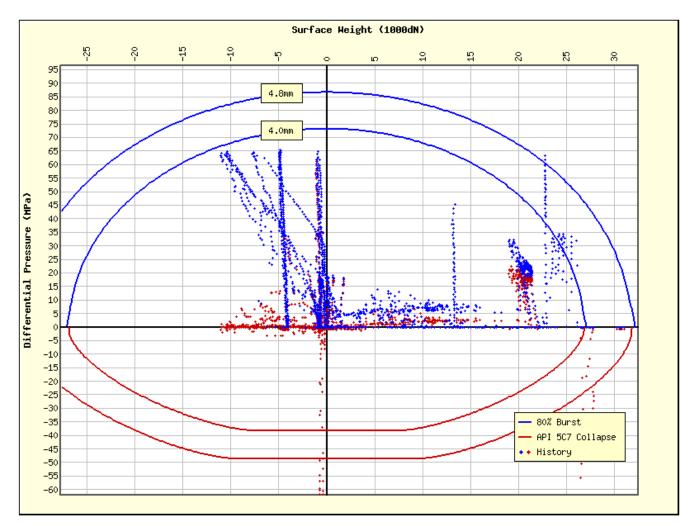
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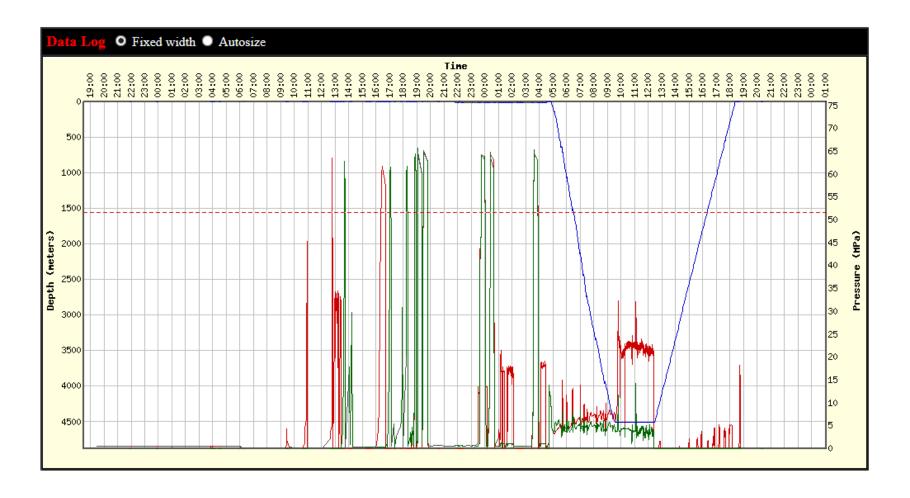
Example string showing all jobs and all data



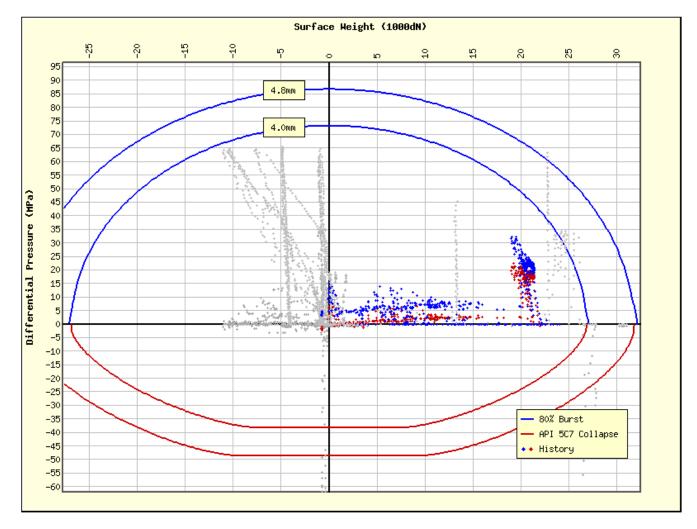
Example string showing possible overpressure and overpull



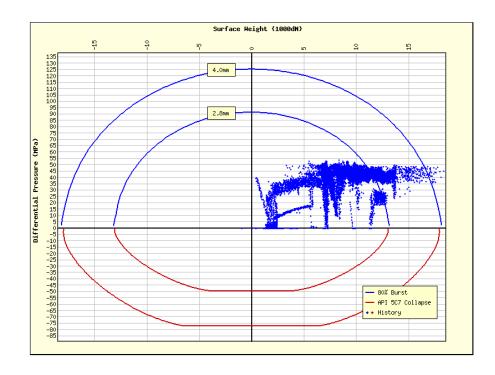
Identifying the job with possible overpressure



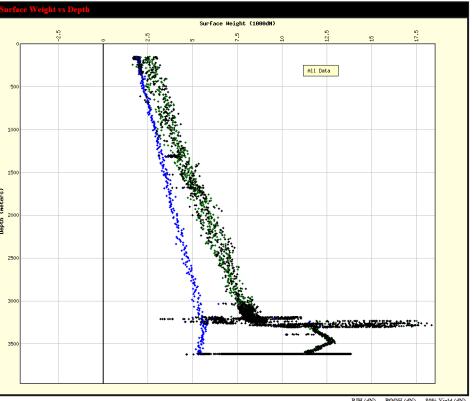
Job Log Data, revealing multiple pressure tests



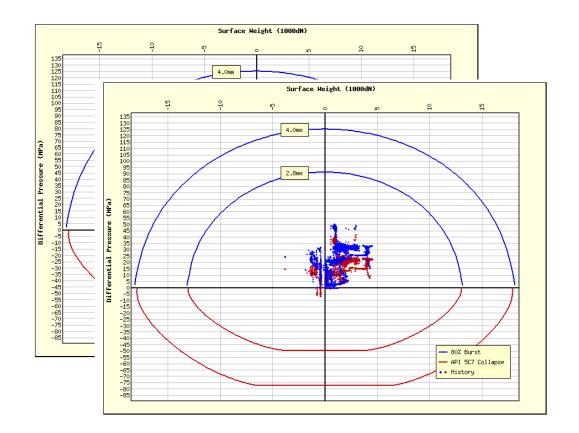
The same job, with pressure tests in grey



Case study: overpulled string Job 7 (milling)

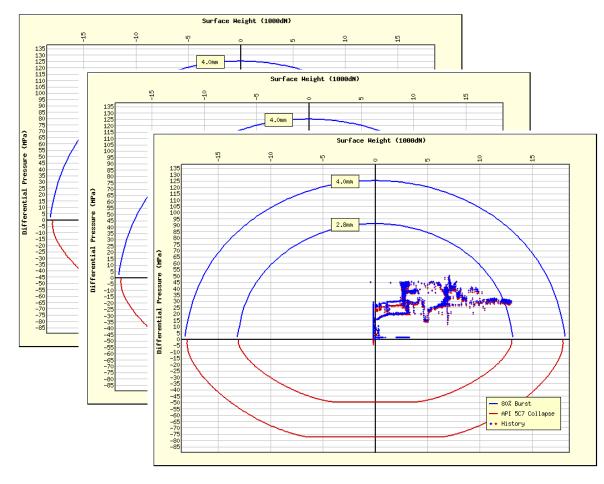


--- RIH (dN) --- POOH (dN) --- 80% Yield (dN)

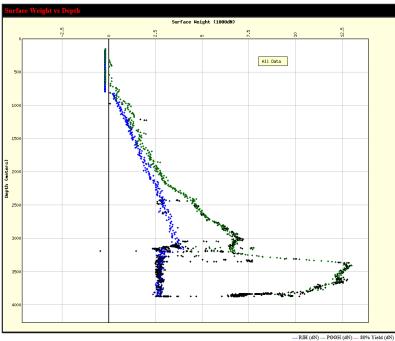


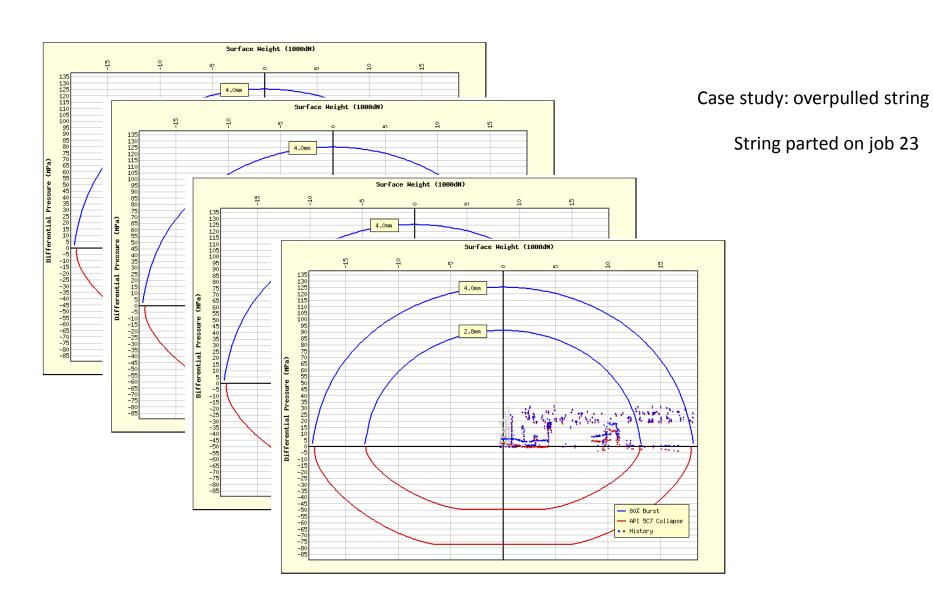
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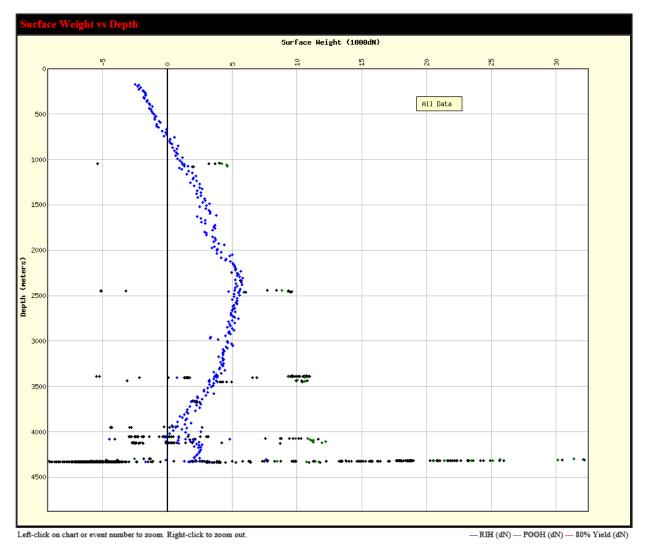
Job 17 (cleanout)



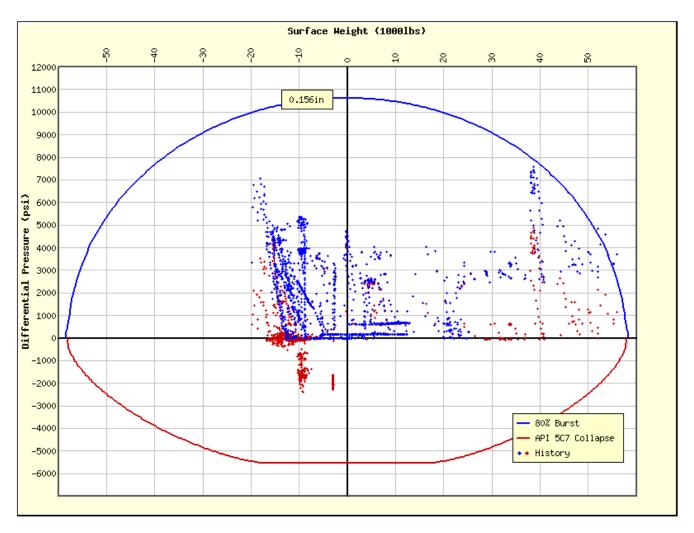
Case study: overpulled string Job 20 (cleanout)



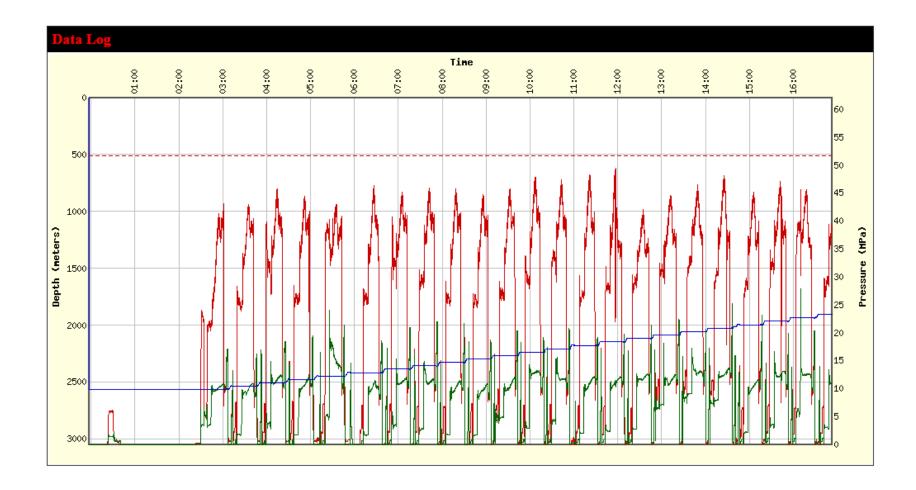




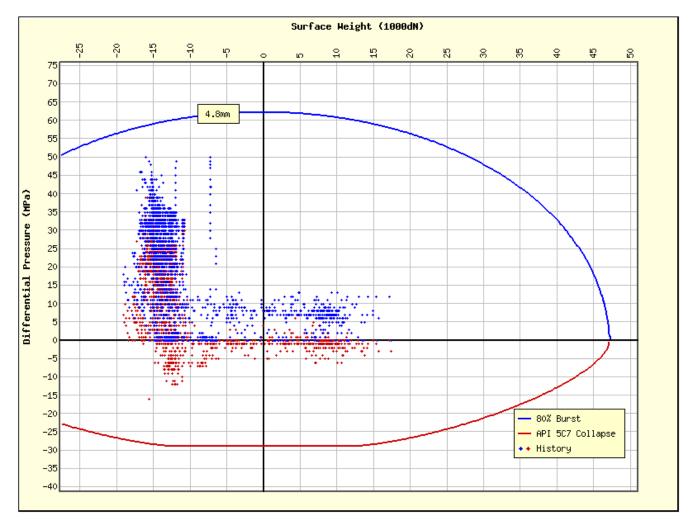
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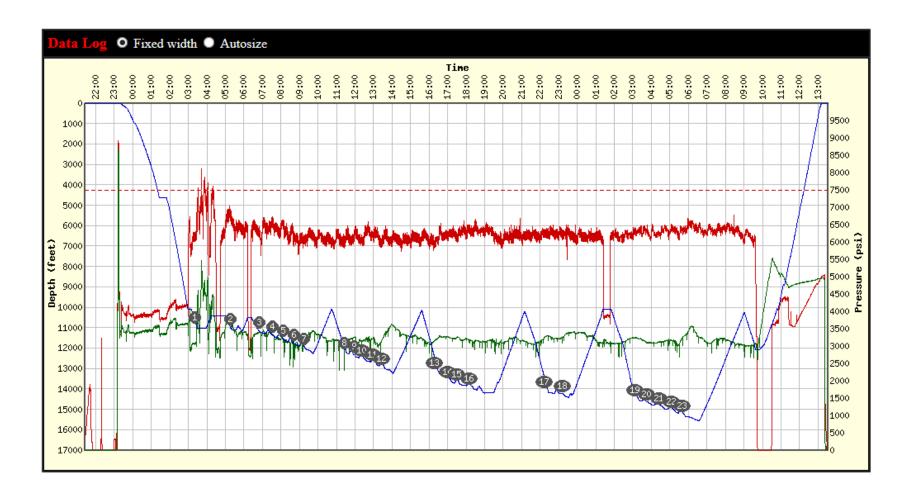
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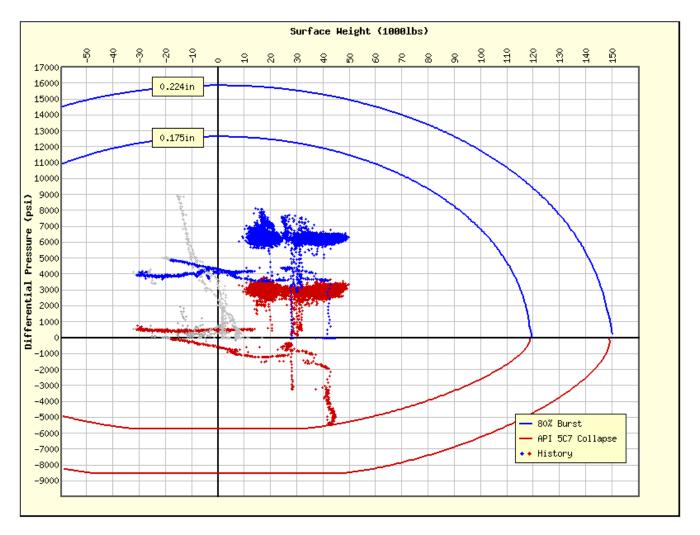
Annular Fracturing Example



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Case Study: Potential Collapse Scenario



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Summary

- Analyzing weight and pressure for all jobs performed by a string can quickly reveal events which might have contributed to a later failure.
- Care is needed to eliminate any recorded data which does not directly impact the pipe.
- An overpull or overpressure in the string history does not necessarily mean the string is compromised, and in most cases studied there was no clear correlation between early events and subsequent failures.
- More study is needed, in particular for collapsed strings, for which there is little data.