

Data analysis in the oil industry: from data collection to predictive analytics

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The background features a faded image of an oil pumpjack in a desert landscape. On the right side, there are large, overlapping geometric shapes in shades of orange and brown, creating a modern, abstract design.

1. Oil industry overview

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3. Data collection

4. Data analysis

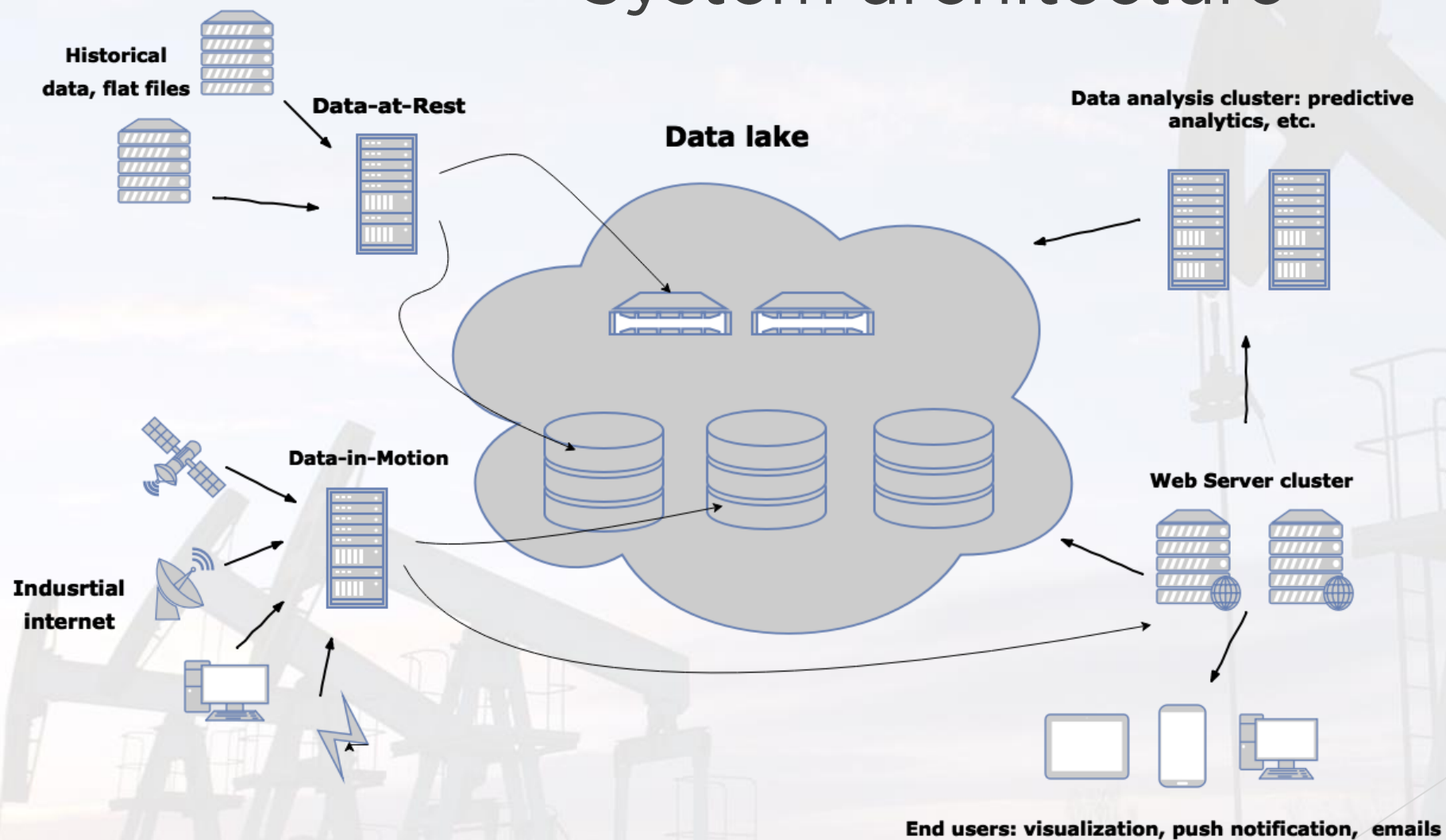
The background of the slide features a faded image of several oil pumpjacks in an industrial setting during sunset or sunrise. The sky is a mix of light blue and orange. On the right side, there is a large, abstract geometric overlay composed of overlapping triangles in shades of brown and orange.

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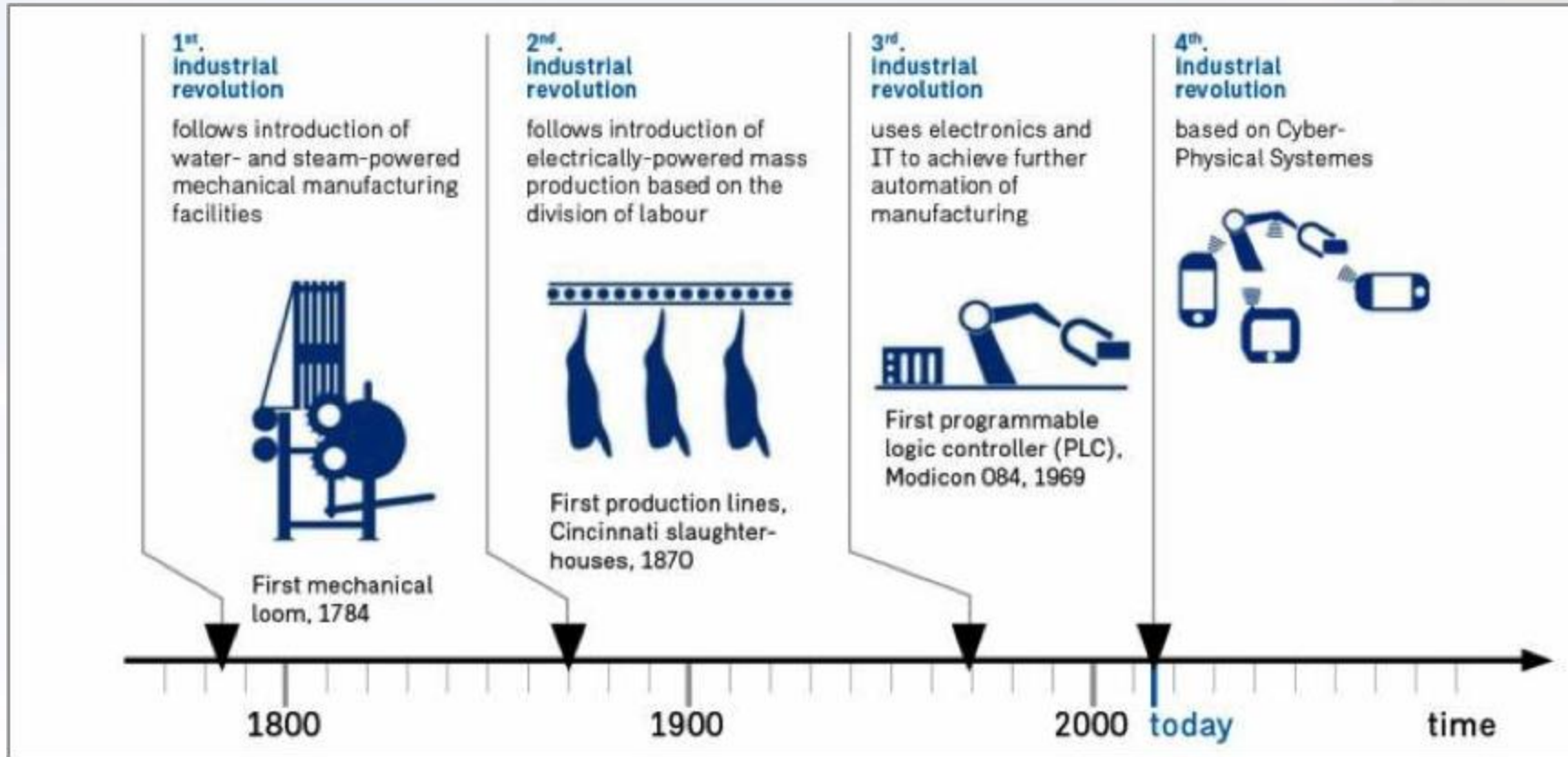
System architecture



Data flow



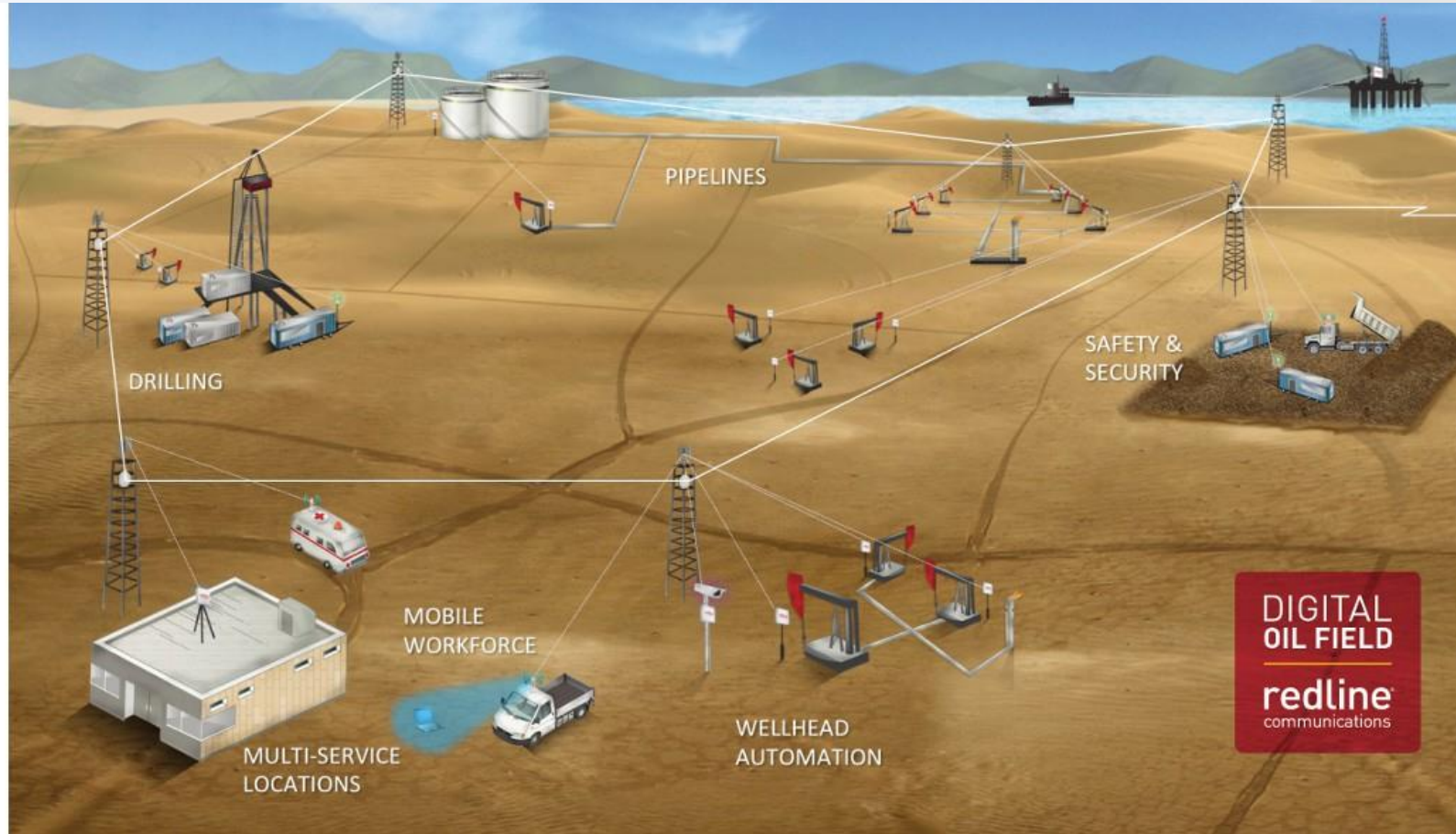
Industry 4.0, Industrial Internet



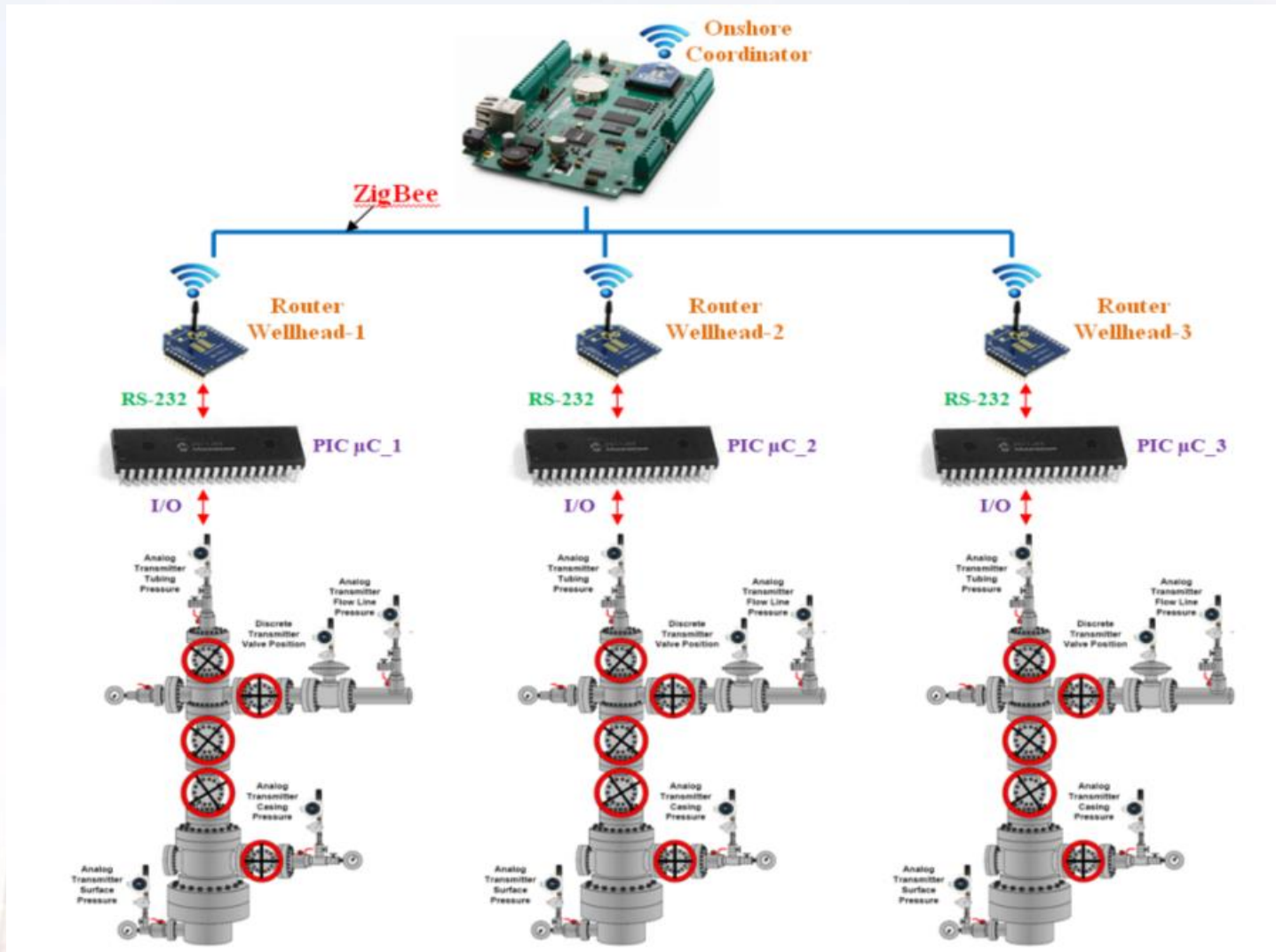
“Last year, British Petroleum connected 650 wells to the Industrial Internet. If all goes according to plan, the companies will expand the scope to 4,000 British Petroleum subsea wells around the world”

3. Data collection

Digital oil field



Smart well



Source: <http://www.ethanpublishing.com/uploadfile/2015/0608/20150608015338765.pdf>

Data sources

- sensors readings
- flat files (for example las* file)
- legacy dataset

Majority part of injected information converted to internal formats furthermore, part of it, should be left as is (las)

Data storage

- cassandra
- distributed file system

4. Data analysis

Add-hoc query with Spark Notebook

SPARK NOTEBOOK visualization (unsaved changes)

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```
import org.apache.spark._
import org.apache.spark.rdd._

import org.apache.spark.mllib.classification.{LogisticRegressionWithLBFGS, LogisticRegressionModel}
import org.apache.spark.mllib.evaluation.MulticlassMetrics
import org.apache.spark.mllib.regression.LabeledPoint
import org.apache.spark.mllib.linalg.Vectors
import org.apache.spark.mllib.util.MLUtils

val spark = SparkSession
  .builder()
  .appName("Wells visualization")
  .getOrCreate()

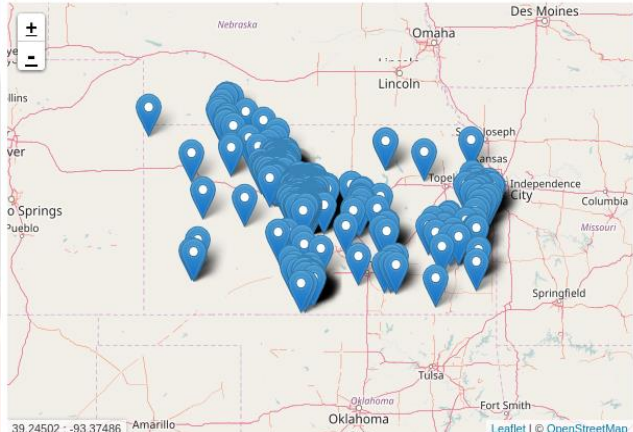
val rawDS = spark.read
  .format("com.databricks.spark.csv")
  .option("header", "true")
  .load("/datalake/ks_wells.csv").cache()

val fDS = rawDS.filter("STATUS == 'OIL'").select("LATITUDE", "LONGITUDE")
fDS.count()

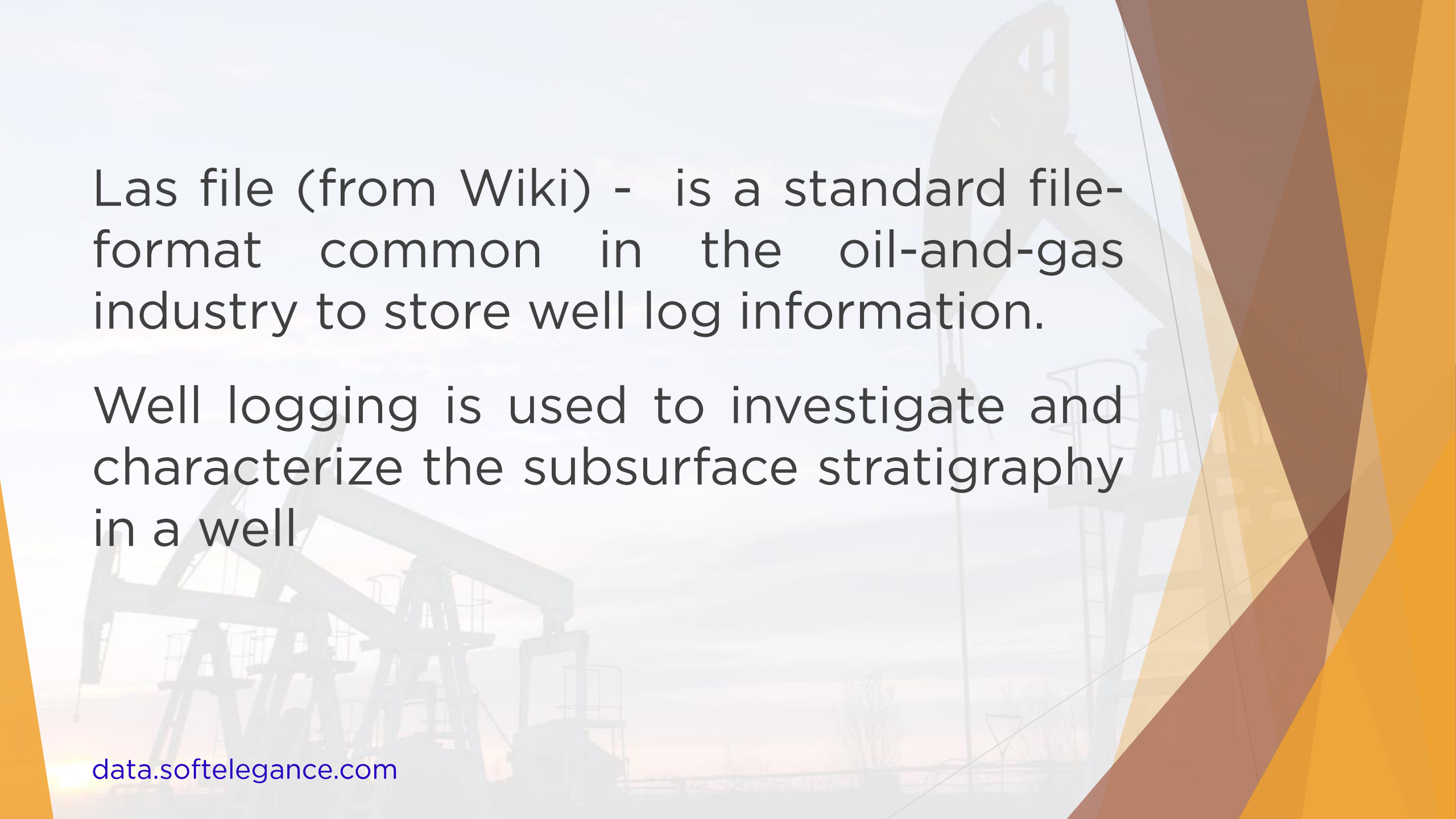
val rawData = fDS.rdd

val converter = (x:Any) => { if (x == null) 0.0 else x.toString.toDouble }
val points = rawData.map(row => (converter(row(0)), converter(row(1)))) collect()

GeoPointsChart(points)
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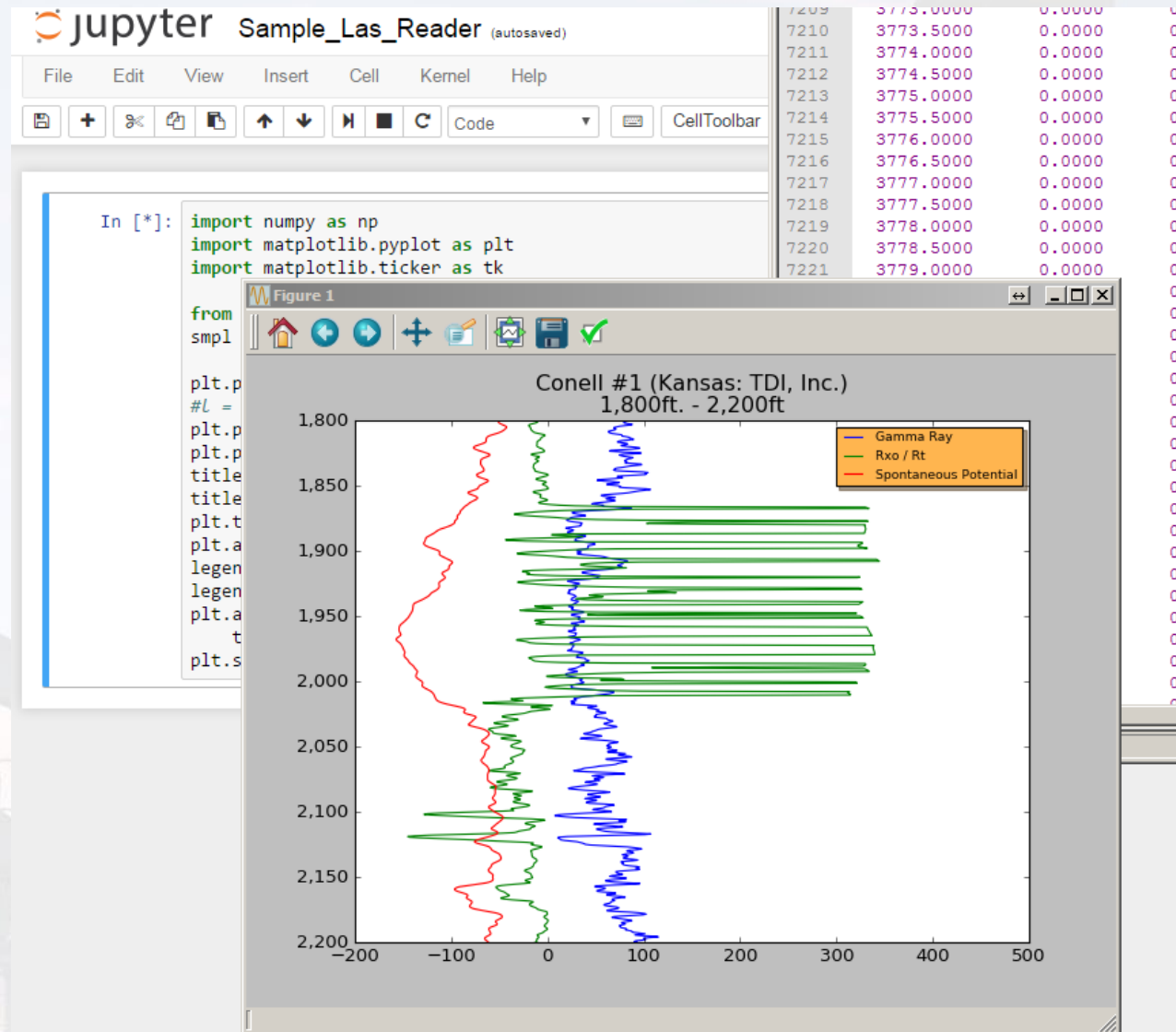
39.24502 ; -93.37486 Amarillo © Leaflet | © OpenStreetMap



Las file (from Wiki) - is a standard file-format common in the oil-and-gas industry to store well log information.

Well logging is used to investigate and characterize the subsurface stratigraphy in a well

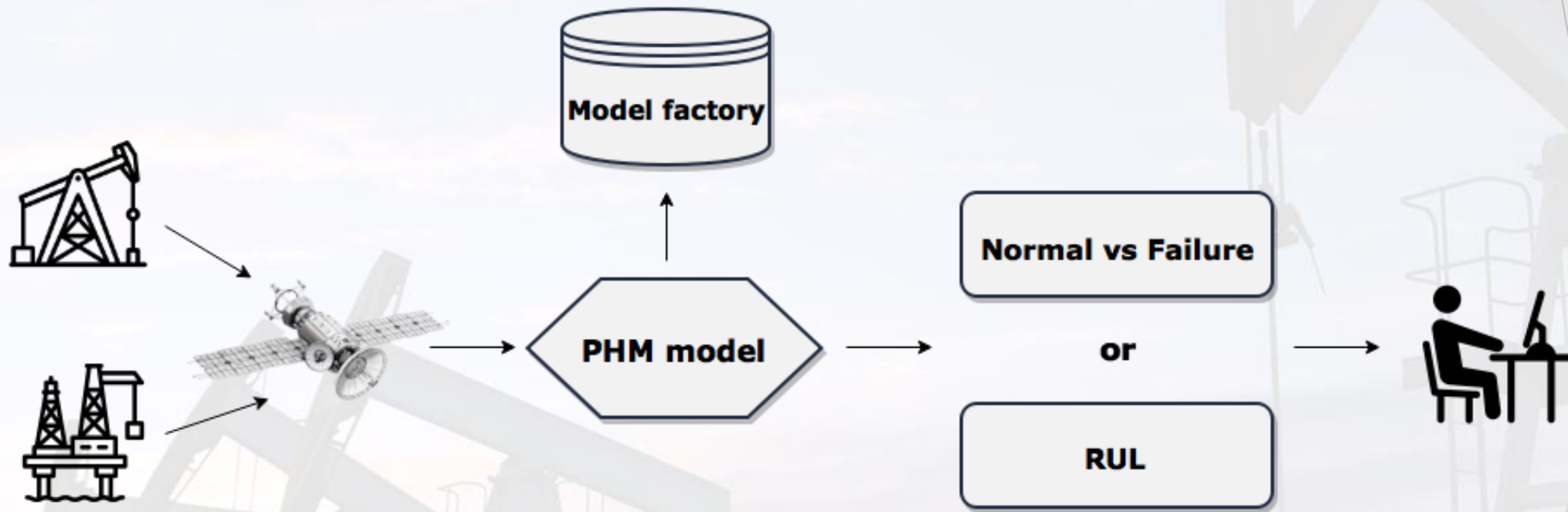
Jupyter + Python for LAS file analysis



Prognostic Health Monitoring

The implementation of an integrated software and hardware system which monitors the health, status and performance of a vehicle or system and determines remaining life of all safety and performance critical components, predicting failures before they occur

PHM workflow

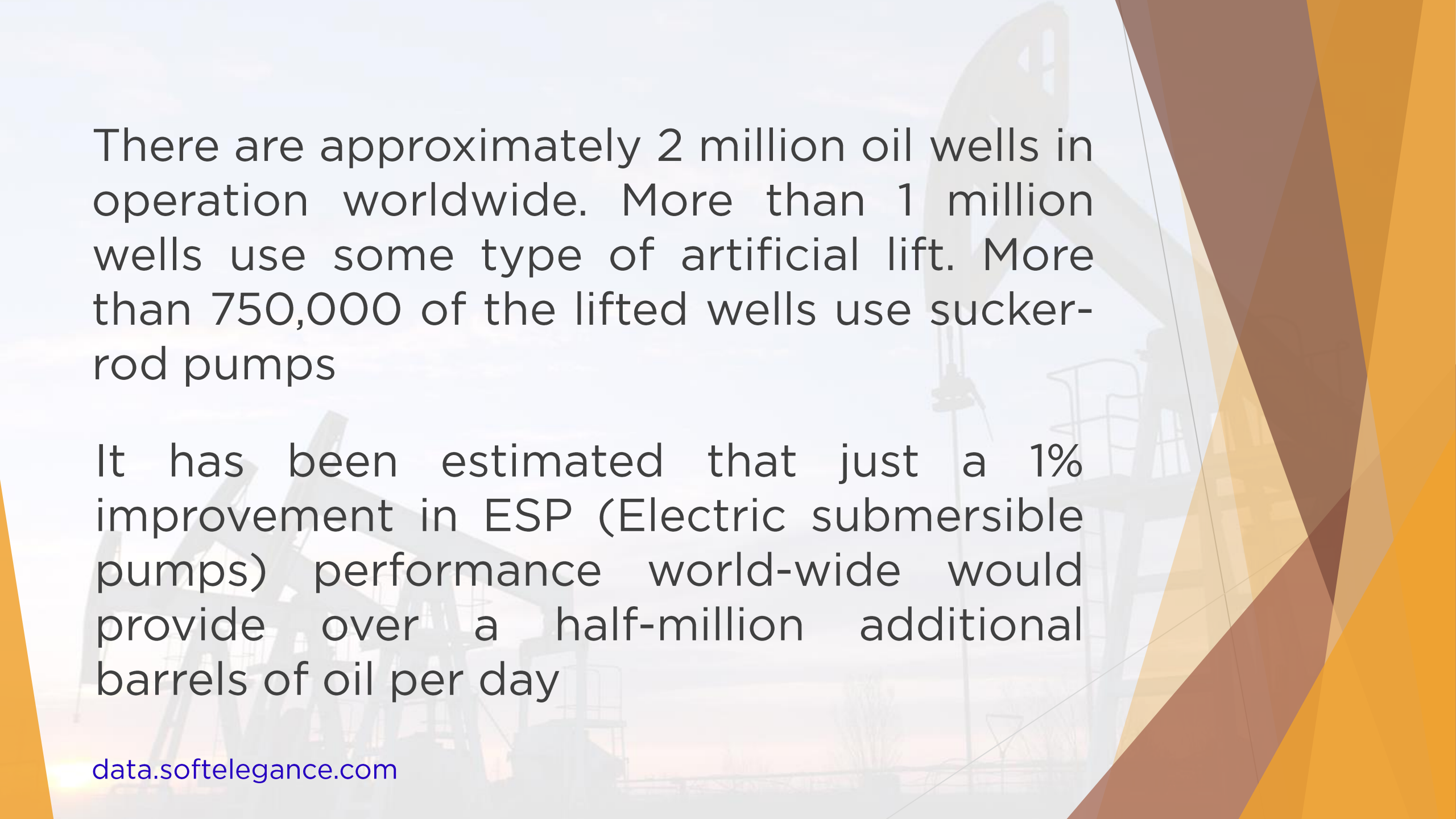


Artificial lift



Artificial lift technologies

- Sucker Rod (walking beam/hydraulic)*
- Electrical Submersible Pump (ESP)
- Gas Lift (continuous and intermittent)
- Intermittent gas lift with plunger
- Gas lift with continuous slug injection
- Hydraulic Pump (jet/piston)
- Progressive Cavity Pump (PCP)
- Plunger Lift



There are approximately 2 million oil wells in operation worldwide. More than 1 million wells use some type of artificial lift. More than 750,000 of the lifted wells use sucker-rod pumps

It has been estimated that just a 1% improvement in ESP (Electric submersible pumps) performance world-wide would provide over a half-million additional barrels of oil per day



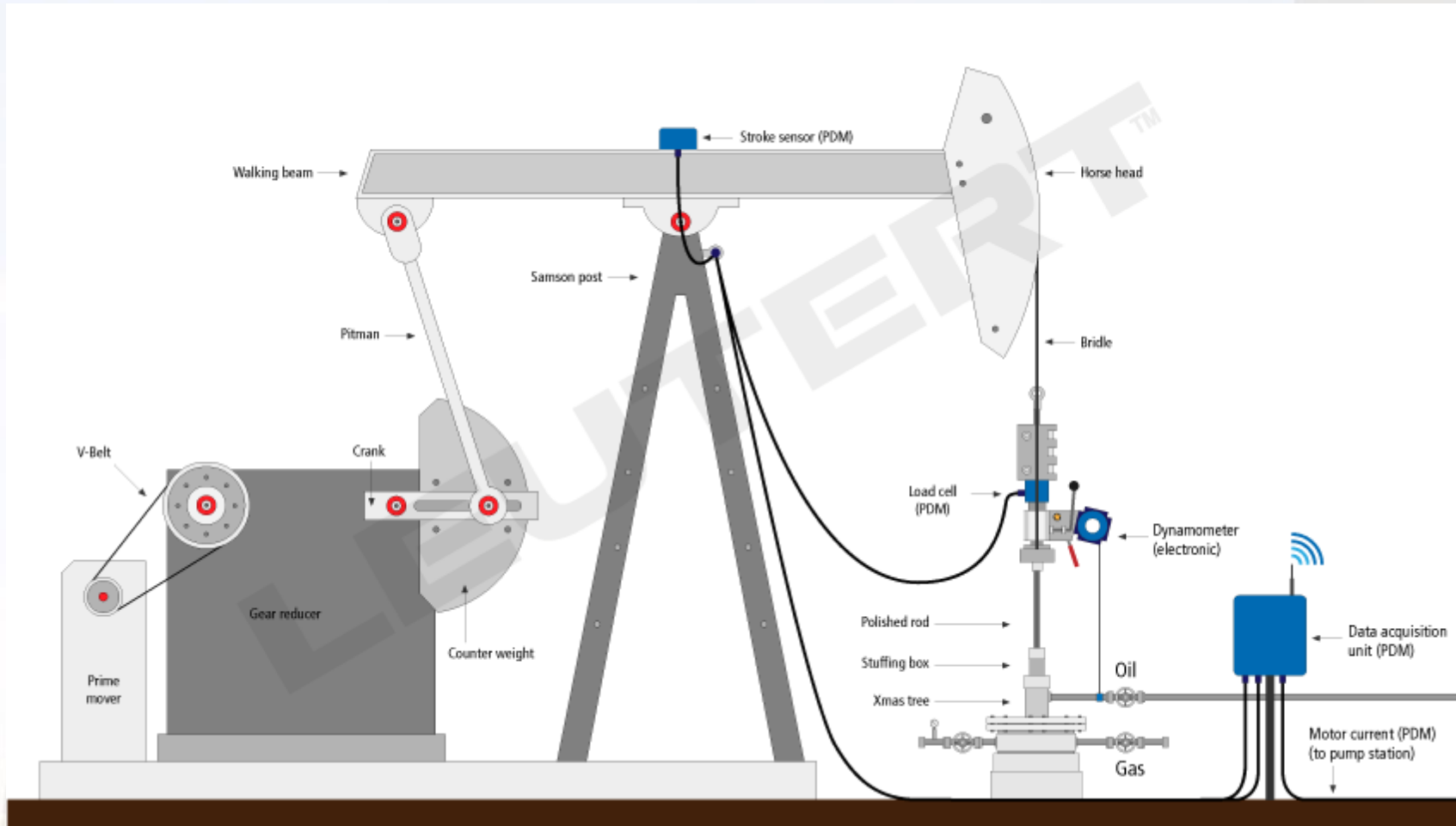
Road pump failures (surface, tubing, down-hole) could lead ~ two weeks of down time for oil producing

Goal: prevent/reduce downtime (especially handle pre-failure state to help support engineers service road pump), reduce cost



Ideal: build global failure prediction model that could be scaled to all wells in each fields

Sucker rod pump



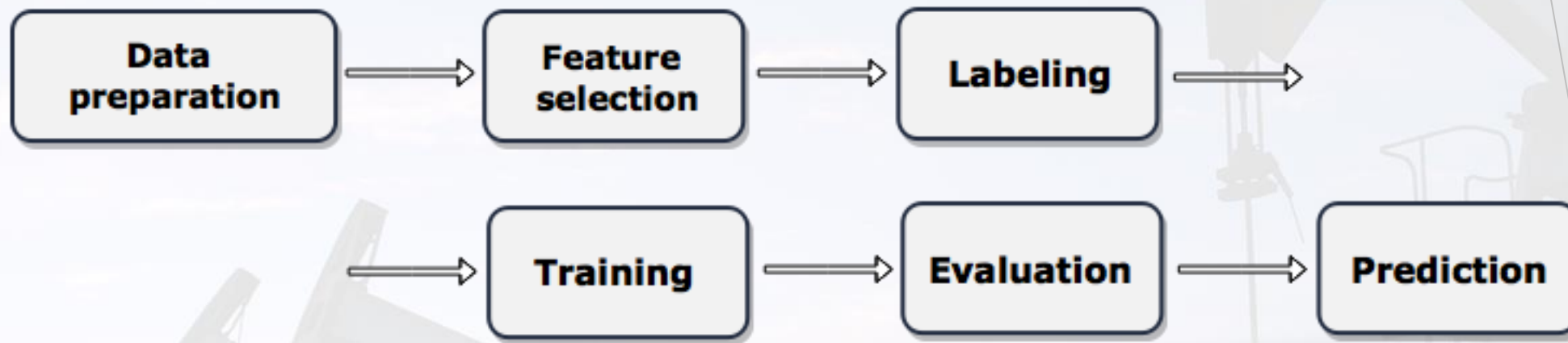
Data source - pump off controllers (POC)

Tracked parameters

- card area
- peak surface load
- minimum surface load
- daily run time
- yesterday cycles
- last approved oil
- etc

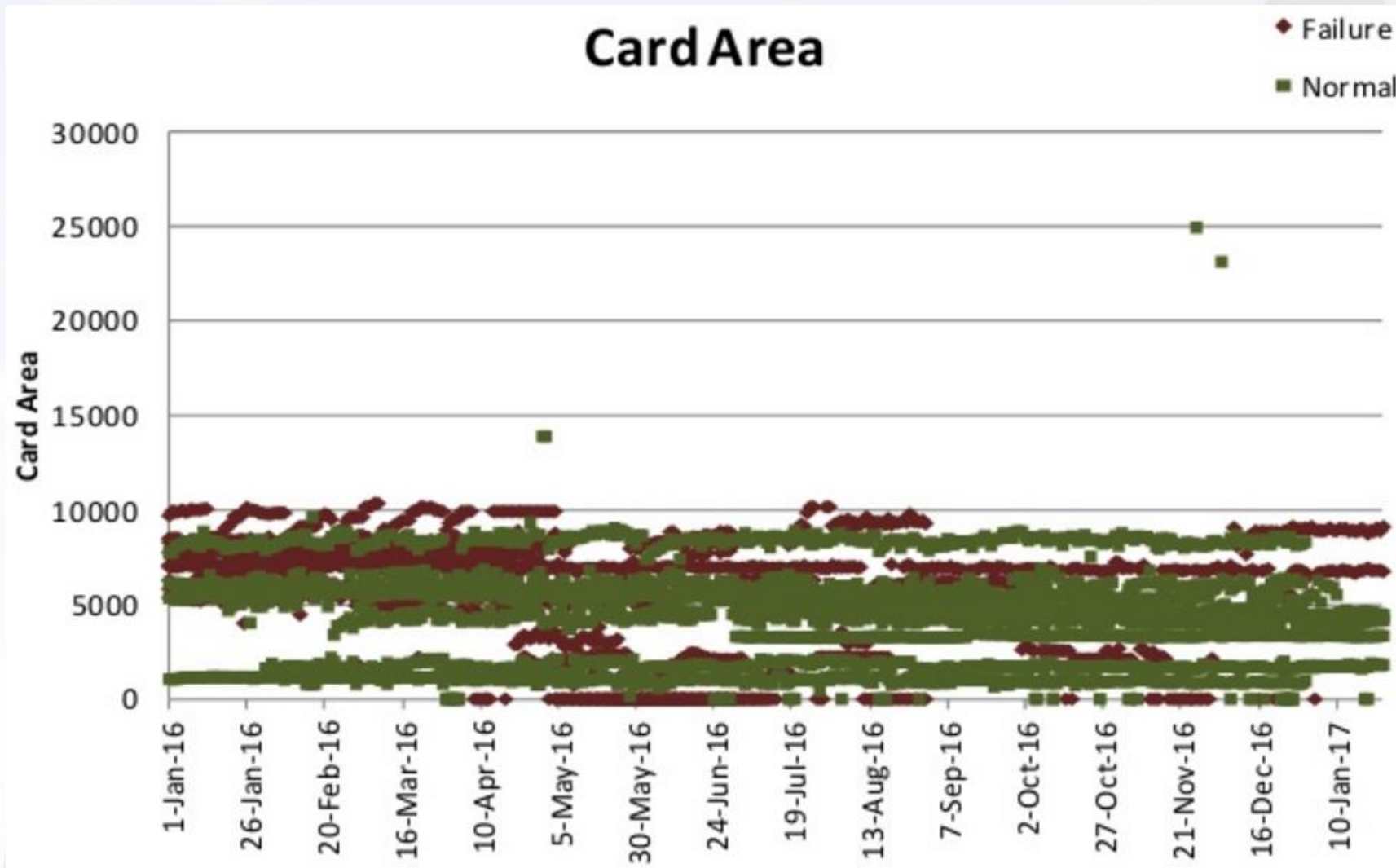
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Workflow



Data preparation

- cleaning: equipment mistake, empty data, outliers (packets' loss due to weak radio signals or interference, etc.)
- moving median for noise reduction and trend extraction
- additional “magic”...

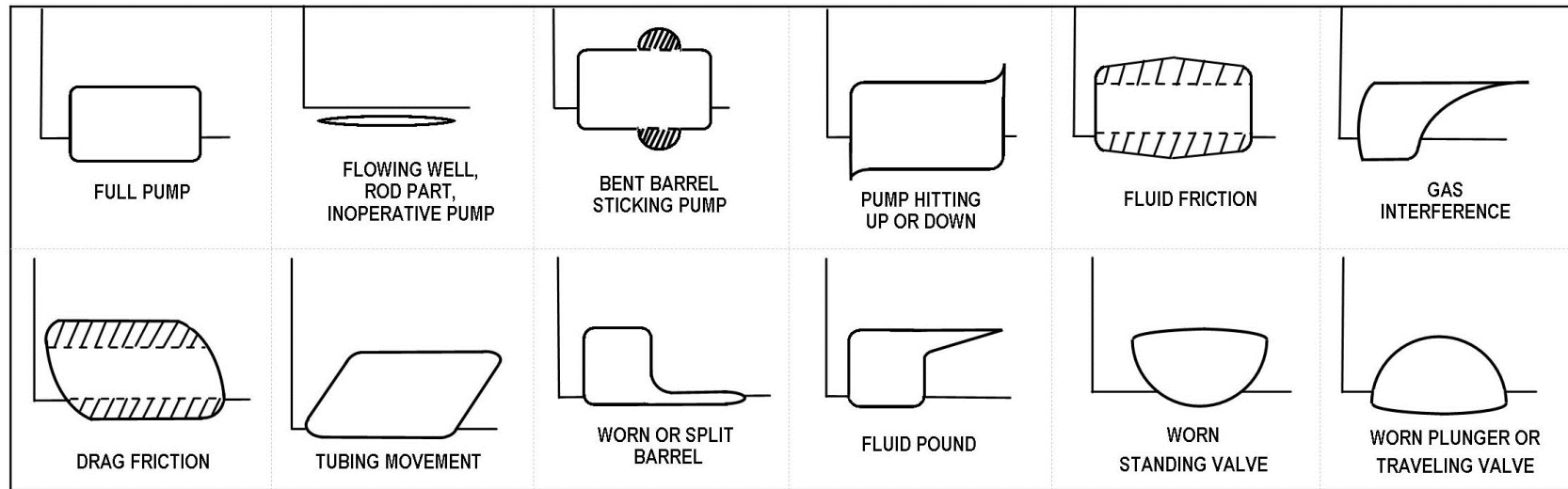


Source: Failure Prediction for Rod Pump Artificial Lift Systems

Feature selection

- select most relevant and having the highest data quality features
- features should be able to capture patterns that operator usually use to identify rod pump anomalies

Card area patterns



Result feature set

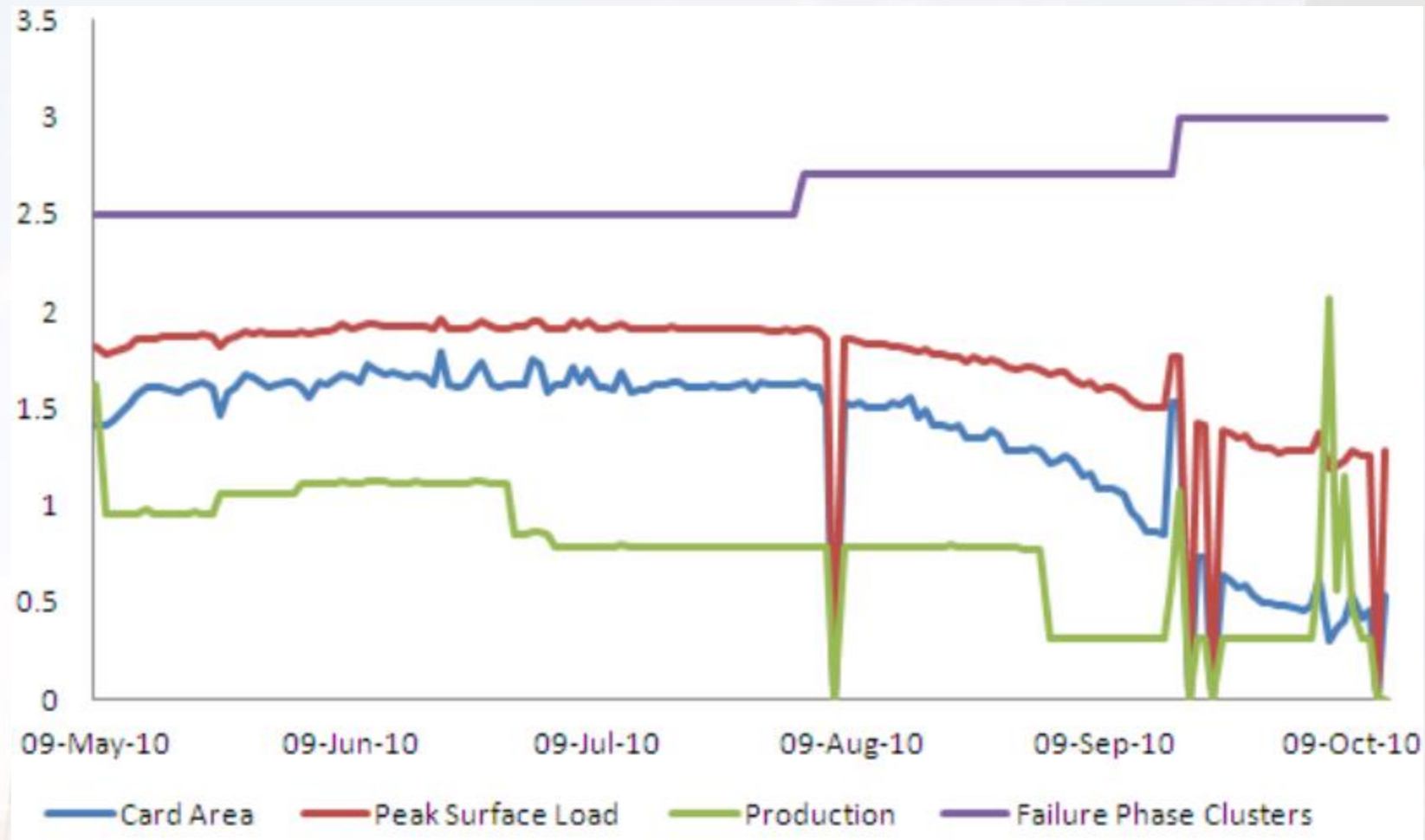
- card area
- peak surface load
- minimum surface load
- daily run time
- few calculated features ...

Labeling

- raw dataset contains normal and failure data
- from semi-supervised to supervised
- expectation maximization (probabilistic clustering)
- additional “magic”...

normal
pre-failure
failure

Failure clusters



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Training

- Logistic regression
- SVM
- Naive Bayes
- Decision Tree

Evaluation

- k-fold cross validation
- precision, recall (very important minimize false positive rate)

Predict

Spark streaming - data transformation at runtime

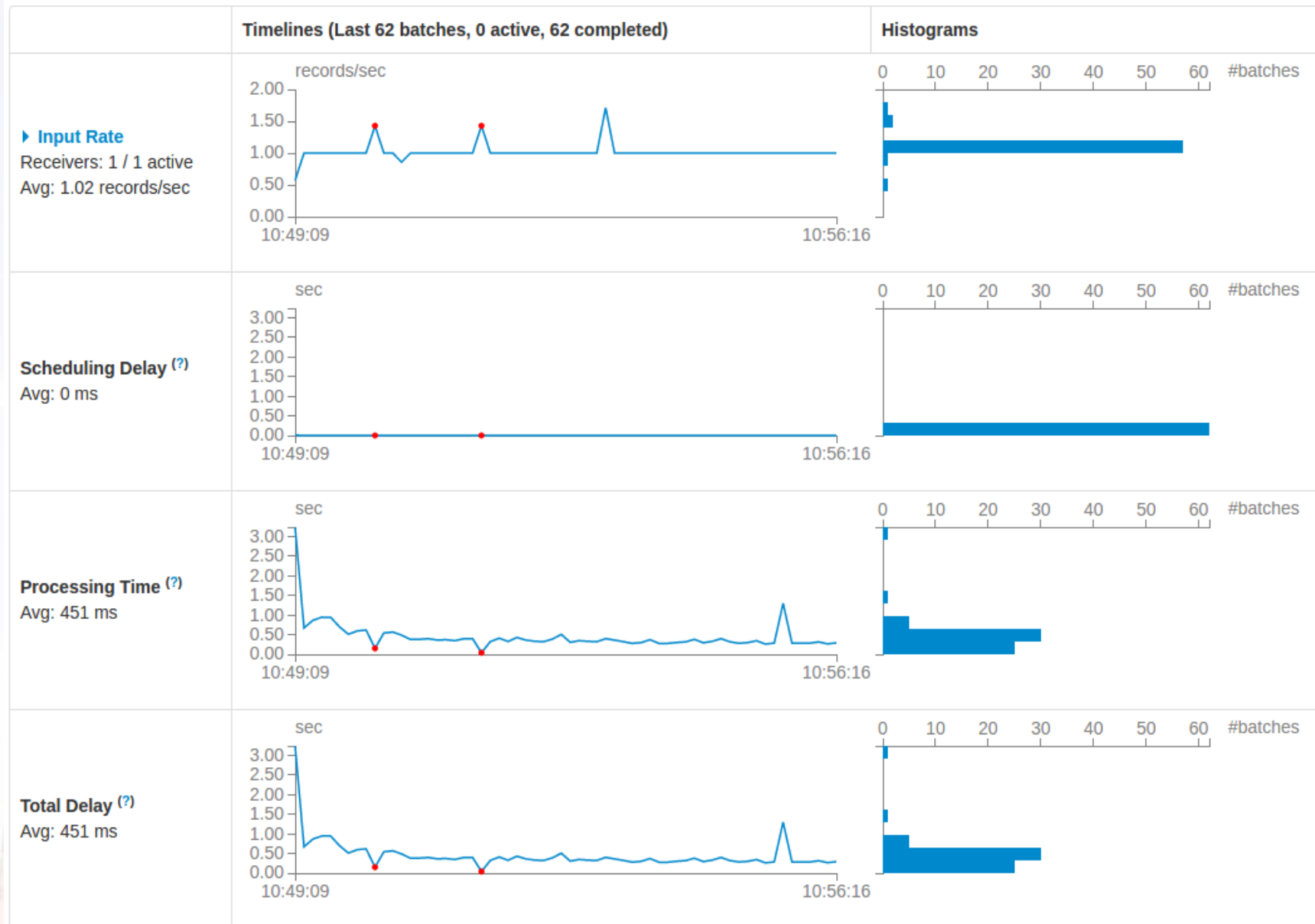
```
//at driver - load model to broadcast variable
val alSrpPredictionModel = {
  val model = *Model*.load("/datalake/models/al_srp/")
  ssc.sparkContext.broadcast(model)
}

//at client - make predictions
val predictions = alSrpPredictionModel.value.transform(inputDataset)
predictions.select("id", "time", "prediction")
.collect()
.foreach { case Row(meterId: String, time: Long, prediction: Double) =>

  //failure
  if (prediction != NORMAL) {
    session.execute(s"INSERT INTO meters.failures (time, meter_id, type)
                     VALUES ($time, '$meterId', '$prediction)")

    //send notification about failure
  }
}
```

Running batches of 7 seconds for 7 minutes 21 seconds since 2016/09/24 10:48:55 (62 completed batches, 441 records)



And what's about global model?

Regularized multi task learning

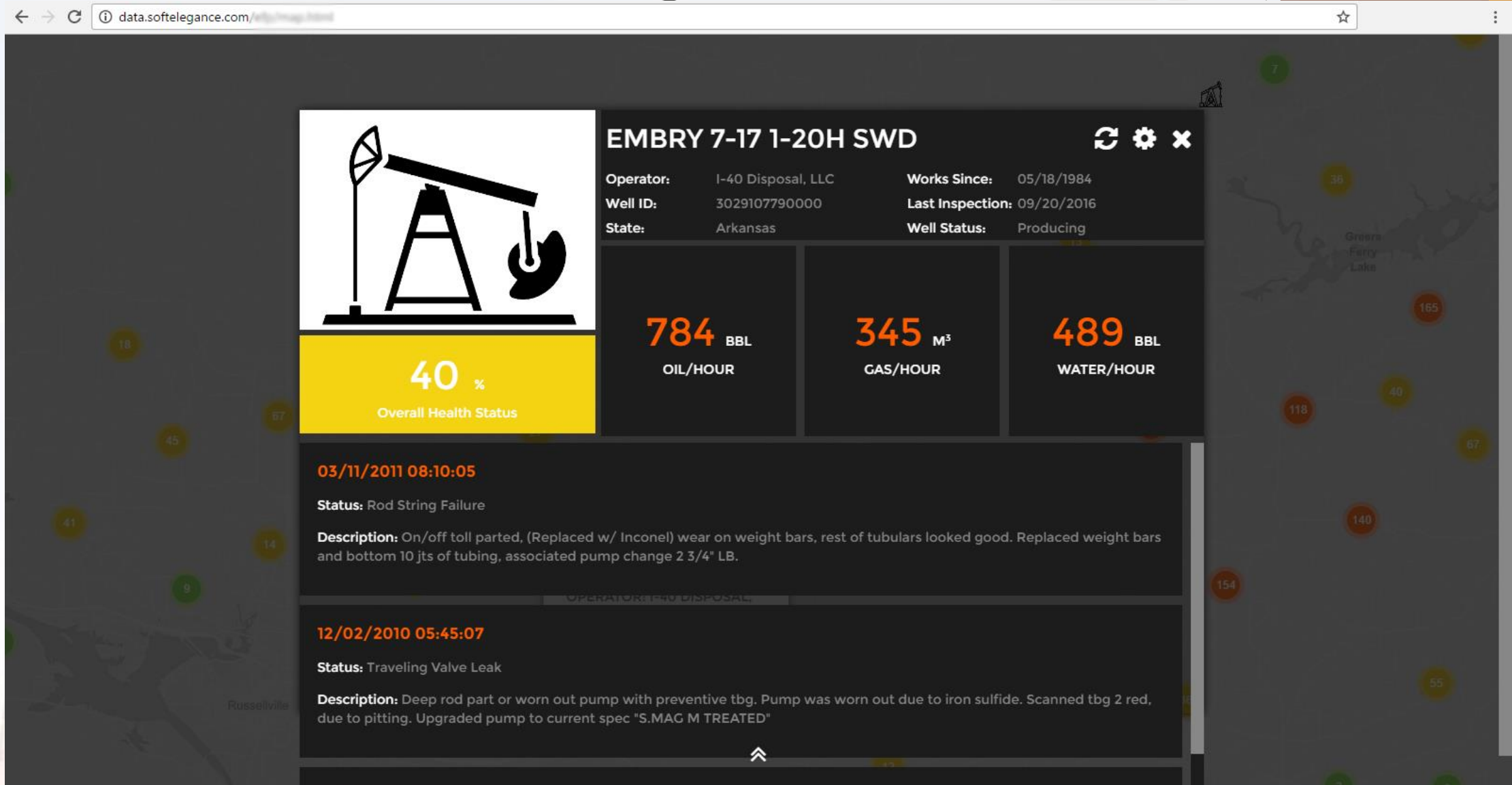
“Failure Prediction for Rod Pump Artificial Lift Systems by Yintao Liu”

Another approach: fast shapelets for ESP

"Predicting Failures from Oilfield Sensor Data using Time Series Shapelets

Om Prasad Patri, Anand V. Panangadan, Charalampos Chelmiss,
University of Southern California,
Randall G. McKee, Chevron U.S.A. Inc., and
Viktor K. Prasanna, University of Southern California"

Intelligent Assistant



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Summary

- digitalization, collection and data analysis in the oil industry help monitor the entire infrastructure, equipment and perform predictive analysis, which leads to a reduction in production downtime and reducing costs
- approaches in building such kind of system could be scaled to another type of equipment, for gas industry and for industrial wireless sensor networks in general

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