

Lummus Predictive Maintenance System

What is Predictive Maintenance?

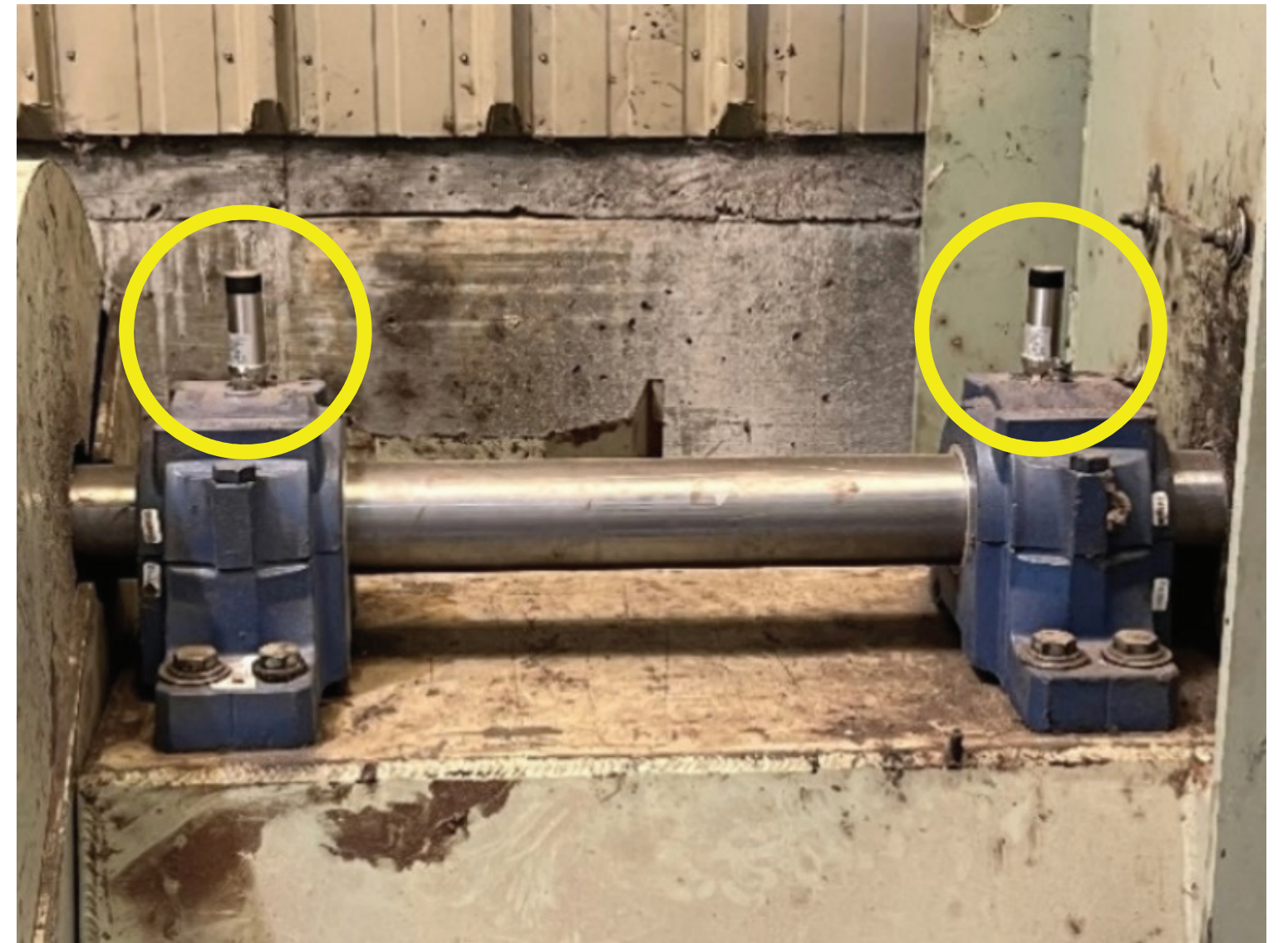
Predictive Maintenance (PM) is a system that utilizes sensors and artificial intelligence (AI) to continuously monitor equipment and notify users of emerging mechanical faults before failure happens. Since a major element of processing cost is unplanned downtime, having a way to know whether a failure is imminent allows the facility to be proactive, rather than reactive, in addressing the issue.

Benefits:

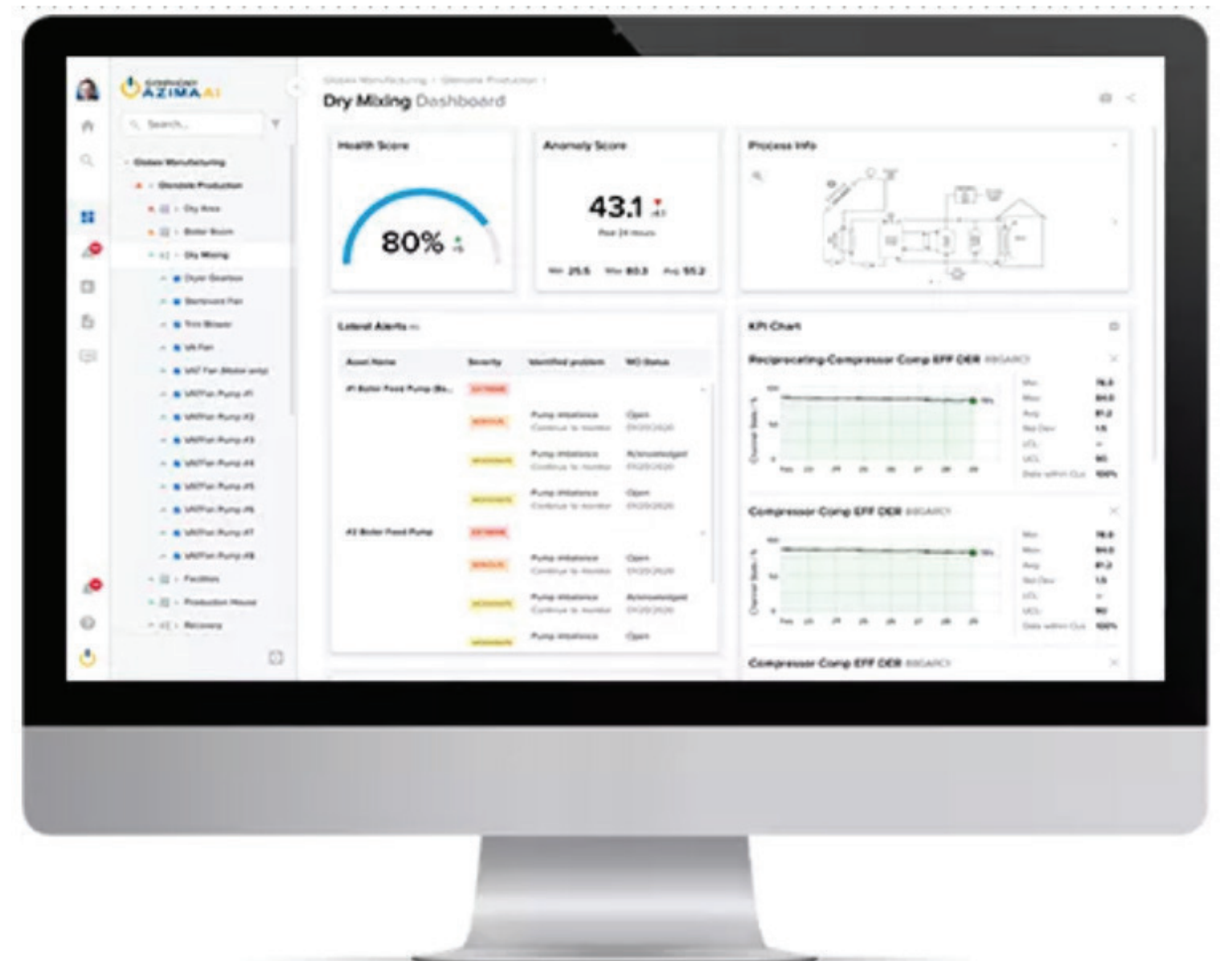
- Allows downtime to be proactively planned (rather than reactively) to breakdowns.
- Avoids many catastrophic failures.
- Saves significant costs from downtime/unplanned breakdowns.
- Reduces potential “domino effect/secondary” failures, which can be more expensive than the initial component failure.
- Creates a safer work environment, since many injuries occur when reacting to an unplanned downtime event.
- Provides peace of mind throughout the processing season – it is like an insurance policy.

Features:

- Monitors 30+ part types and provides status/alerts on hundreds of types of faults.
- Can be installed on any machine in the facility (Lummus or non-Lummus).
- System operates 24 hours/day, 7 days/week.
- Sensors are installed either with high-strength adhesive or through drilling/tapping.
- Sensors are completely wireless and connected through both Wi-Fi and cellular networks.
- Wireless Hubs are required for every 16 sensors and can be installed strategically to support sensor locations.
- The number of sensors required per machine will vary – for example, fans typically require three (3) sensors: one for each bearing and one on the motor.
- Based on the size of the motor, either one or two sensors may be required.
- The Predictive Maintenance System is monitored through a portal that can be viewed via phone, tablet computer or laptop computer.
- The customer receives “push” notifications, identifying the issue(s) with any machine, so that corrective action can be planned.
- System provides information on uptime/downtime, as well as whether the issue was related to installation, misalignment, or normal wear.



PM Sensors (2) installed on Fan Bearings



Lummus Predictive Maintenance Dashboard



System is accessible anytime and anywhere!



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