



Boundary Dam Unit 3 Carbon Capture Update

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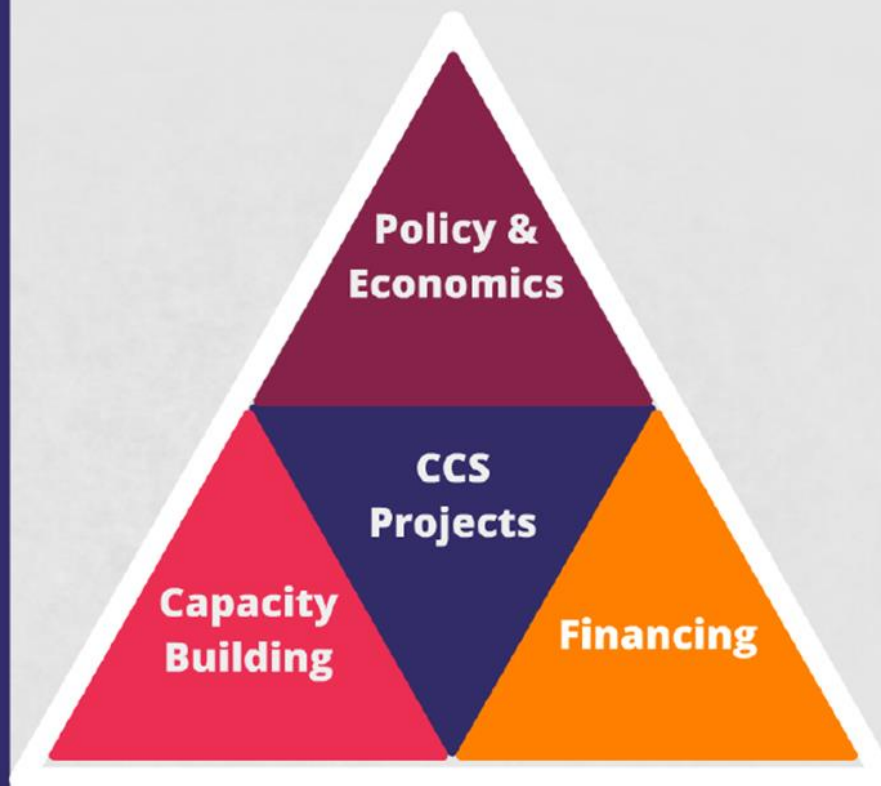


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THE INTERNATIONAL CCS KNOWLEDGE CENTRE



Facilitates in an
advisory role
Based on expertise
and lessons learned



MANDATE:

Advance the
understanding
and use of CCS
as a means of
managing GHG
emissions



MISSION:

To accelerate
deployment of
CCS worldwide

BOUNDARY DAM

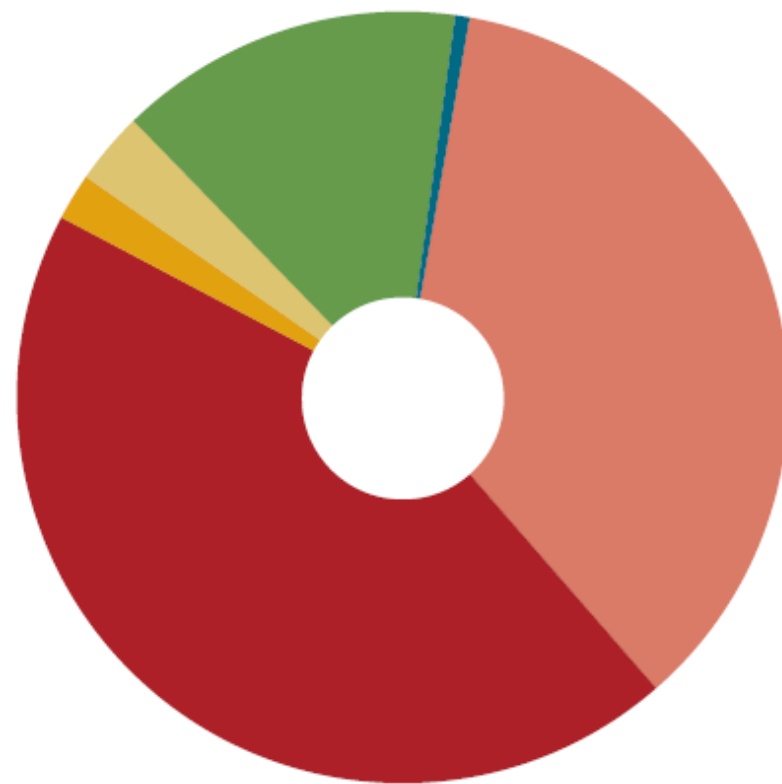
An aerial photograph of the Boundary Dam power plant. The central feature is a large, light-colored industrial building with "SaskPower Boundary Dam" written on its side. Several tall, red-and-white striped smokestacks rise from the building. To the left of the main building is a large electrical substation with numerous power lines and transformers. In the foreground, there are several large parking lots filled with cars and trucks, along with various smaller industrial buildings and storage areas. The plant is situated next to a large body of water, which is a reservoir created by the dam. The surrounding landscape is green and flat, with some distant hills visible under a clear sky.

LEARNING STARTS HERE:
NEXT PLANT WILL BE UP TO 30% CHEAPER

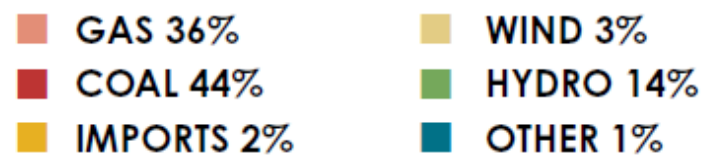


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BD3 ICCS Project Background



2016-17 GROSS ELECTRICITY SUPPLIED - 24,374 GWH





Regulations in Canada

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1100 t/GWh = Lignite Coal Plant

550 = Current Natural Gas Plant

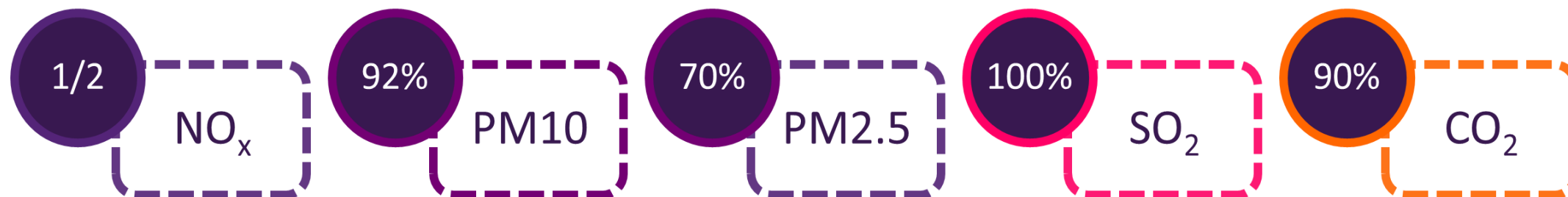
420 = Canadian Regulations on Coal Plant

400 = New Natural Gas Plant

120-140 = CCS on Boundary Dam 3



BOUNDARY DAM UNIT 3 DESIGN PERFORMANCE





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Project Timeline

- 2007 – Project development started
- 2010 – Decision to proceed
- Spring 2011 – Construction begins
- Summer 2014 – Construction complete
- 2013-14 – Commissioning
- Oct. 2, 2014 – Grand launch
- July 2015 – New CO₂ emission regulations came into force
- Sept 2015 – First planned maintenance outage
- June 2017 – Second planned maintenance outage

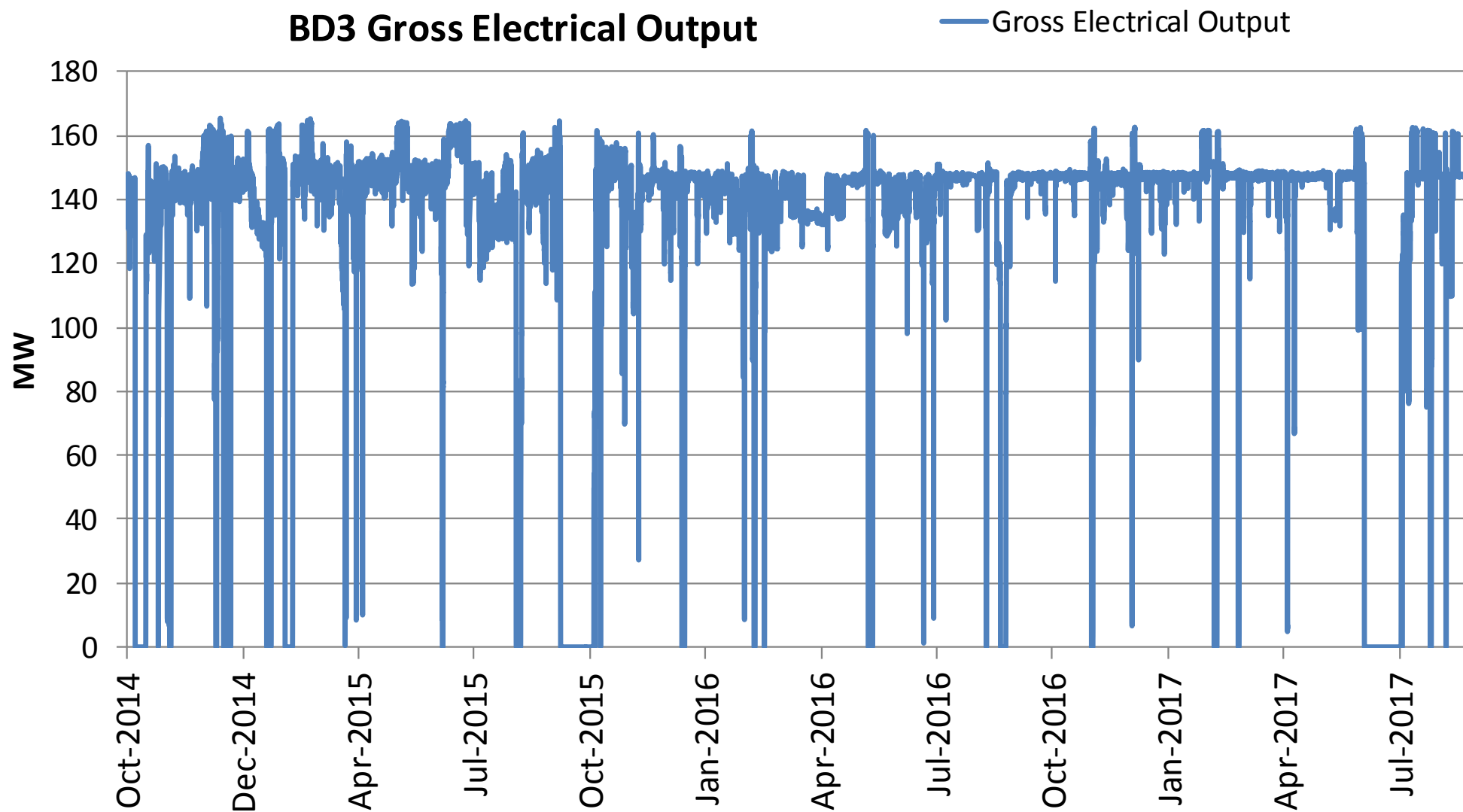


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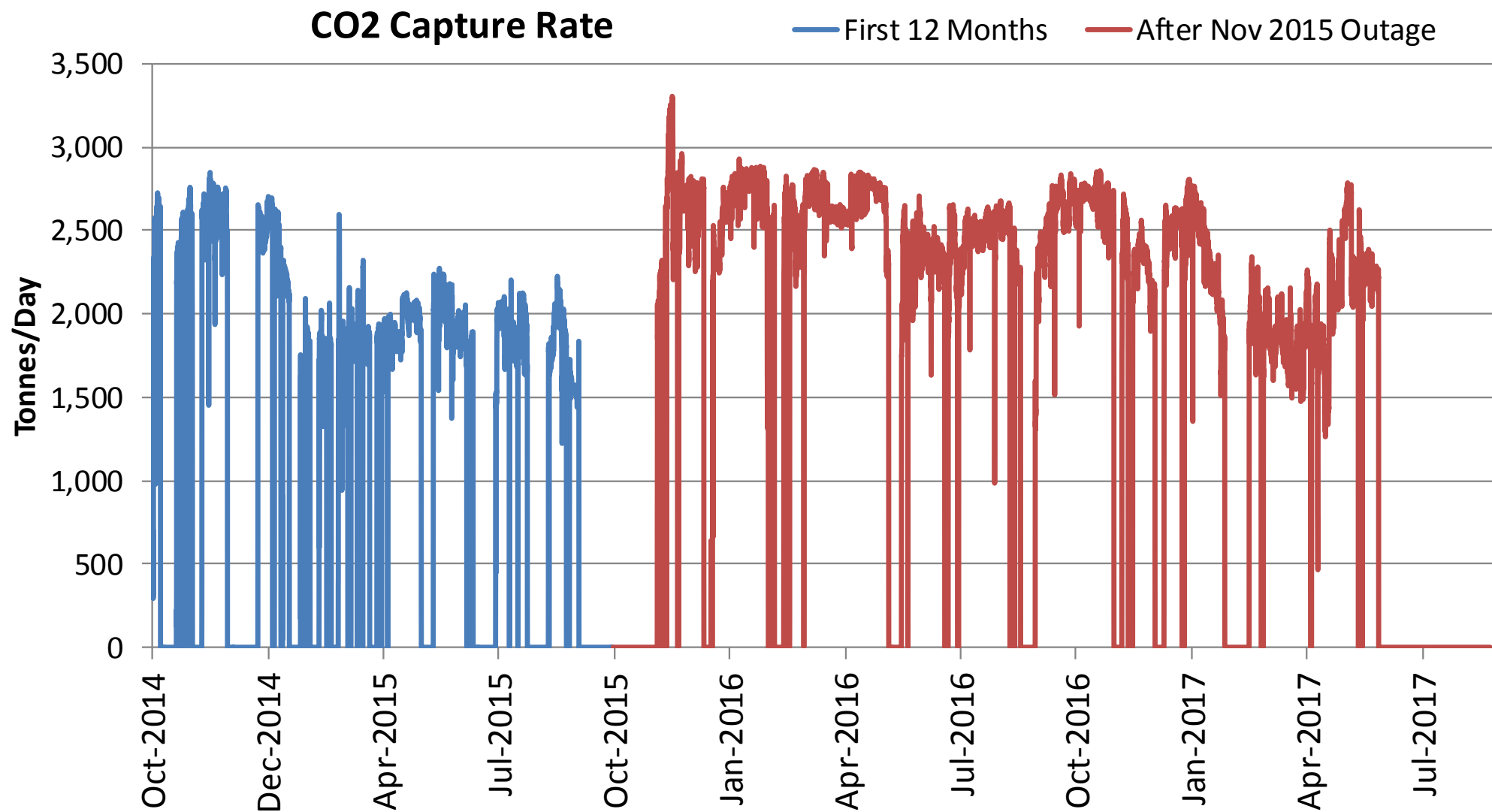
Performance



BD3 Gross Electrical Output



Reliable Performance of Power Island Since Refurbishment



CO2 Capture Performance

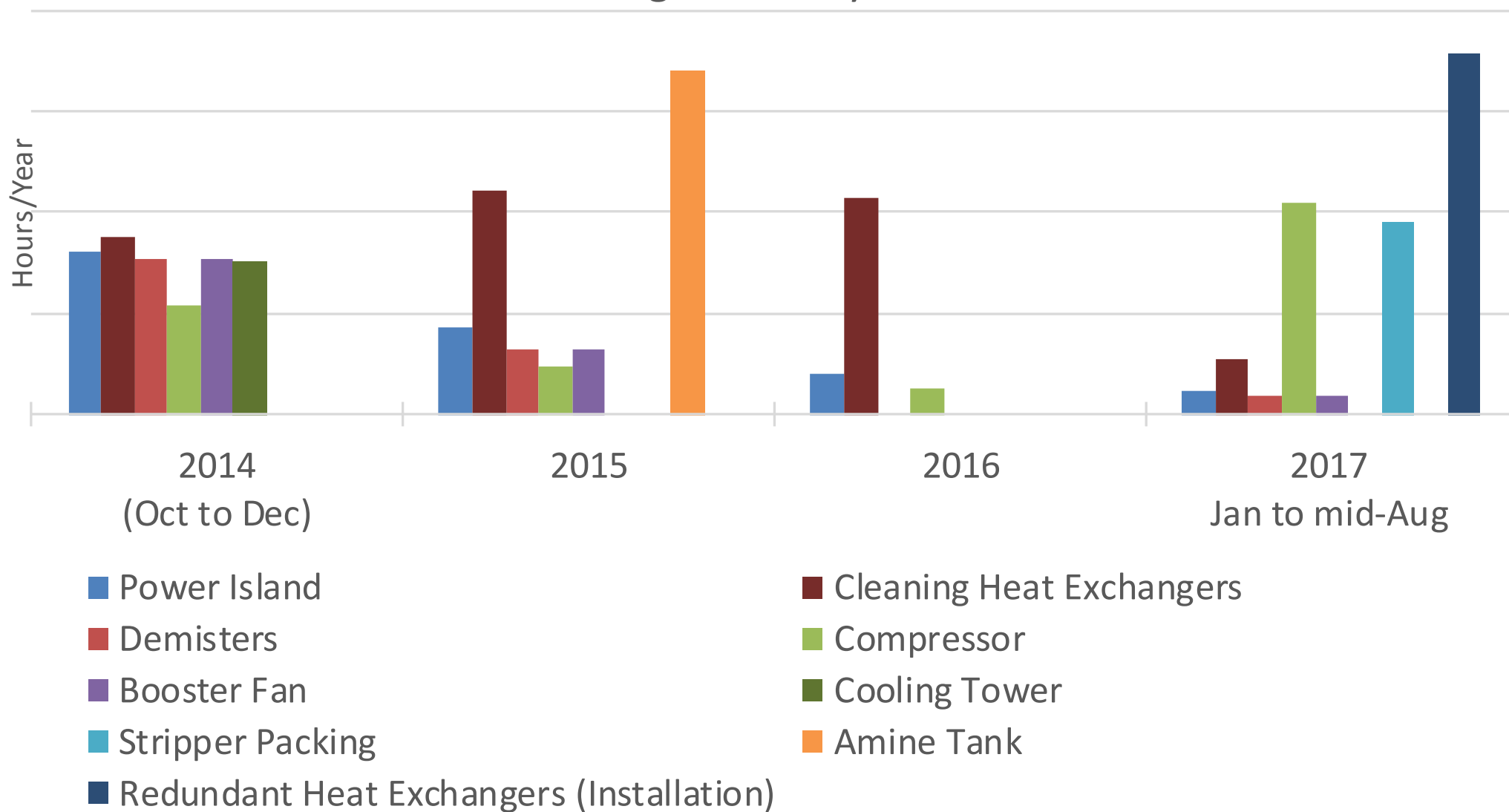


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Outage Summary



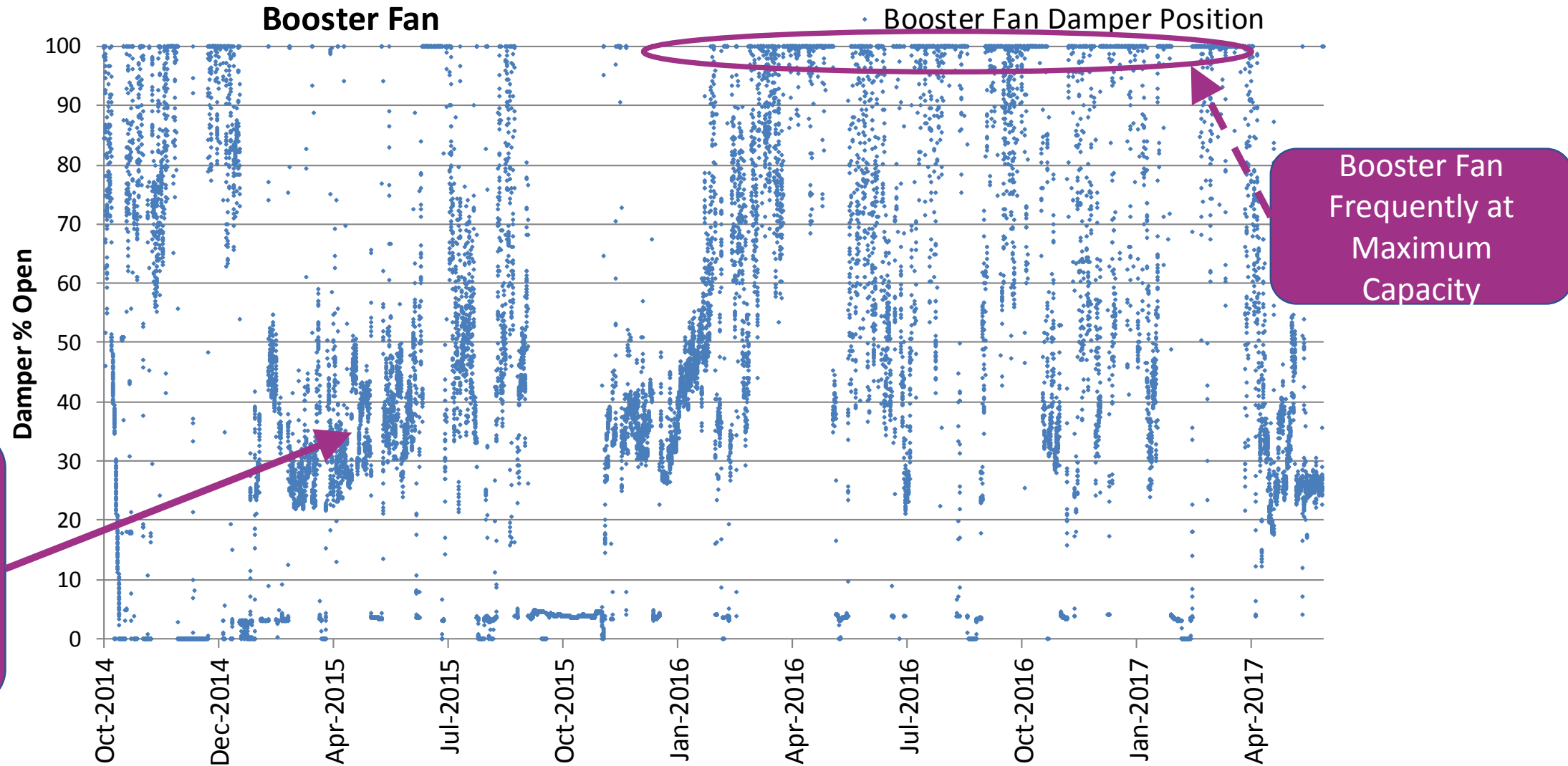
Outage Hours by Cause





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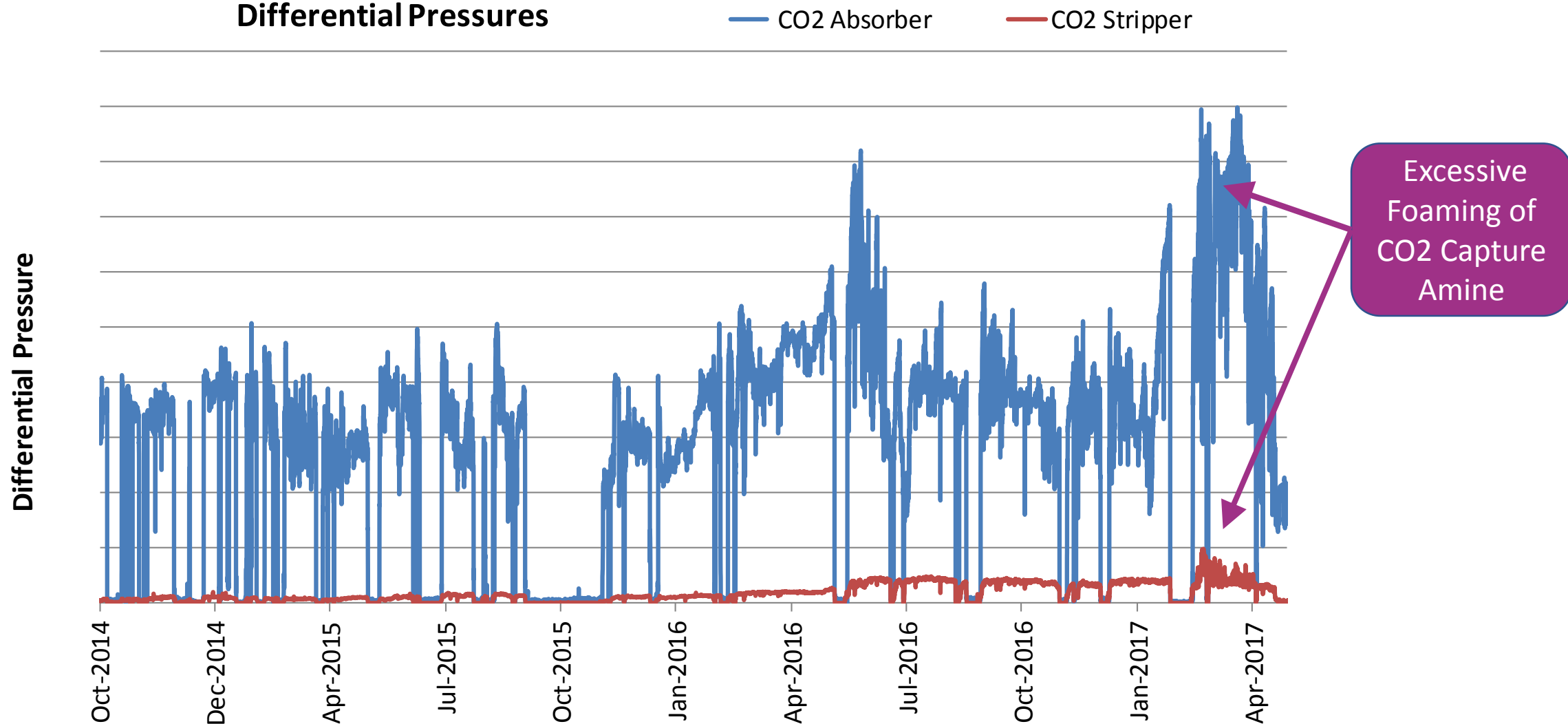
Examples of Operational Challenges



Insufficient Fan Capacity Due to Higher Differential Pressures



Differential Pressures

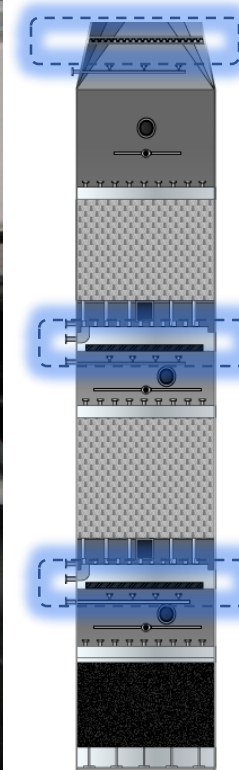


Foaming Contributing to High Differential Pressures



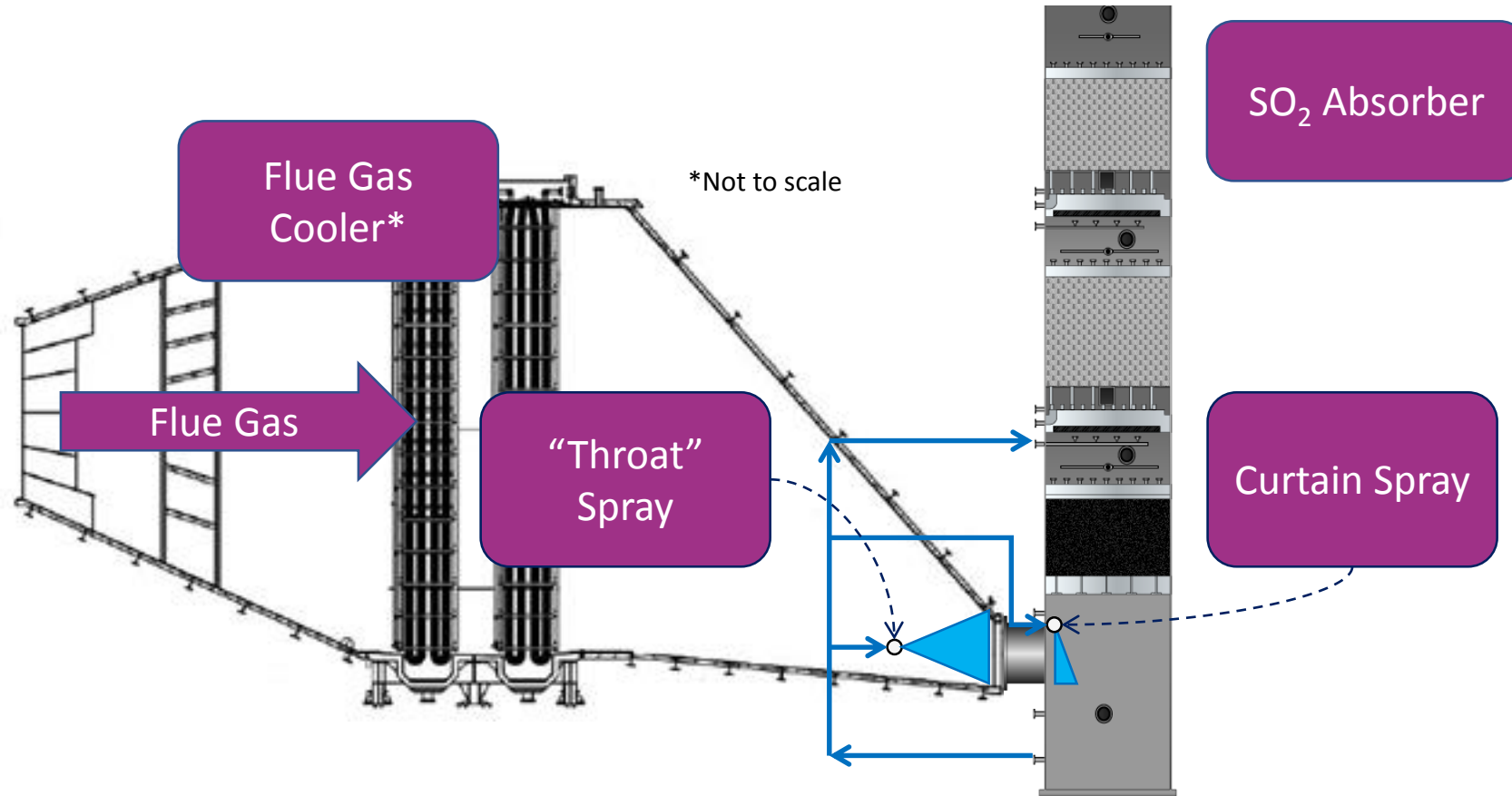
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SO₂ Absorber

Online Demister Wash Systems



Spray Systems for Particulate Control



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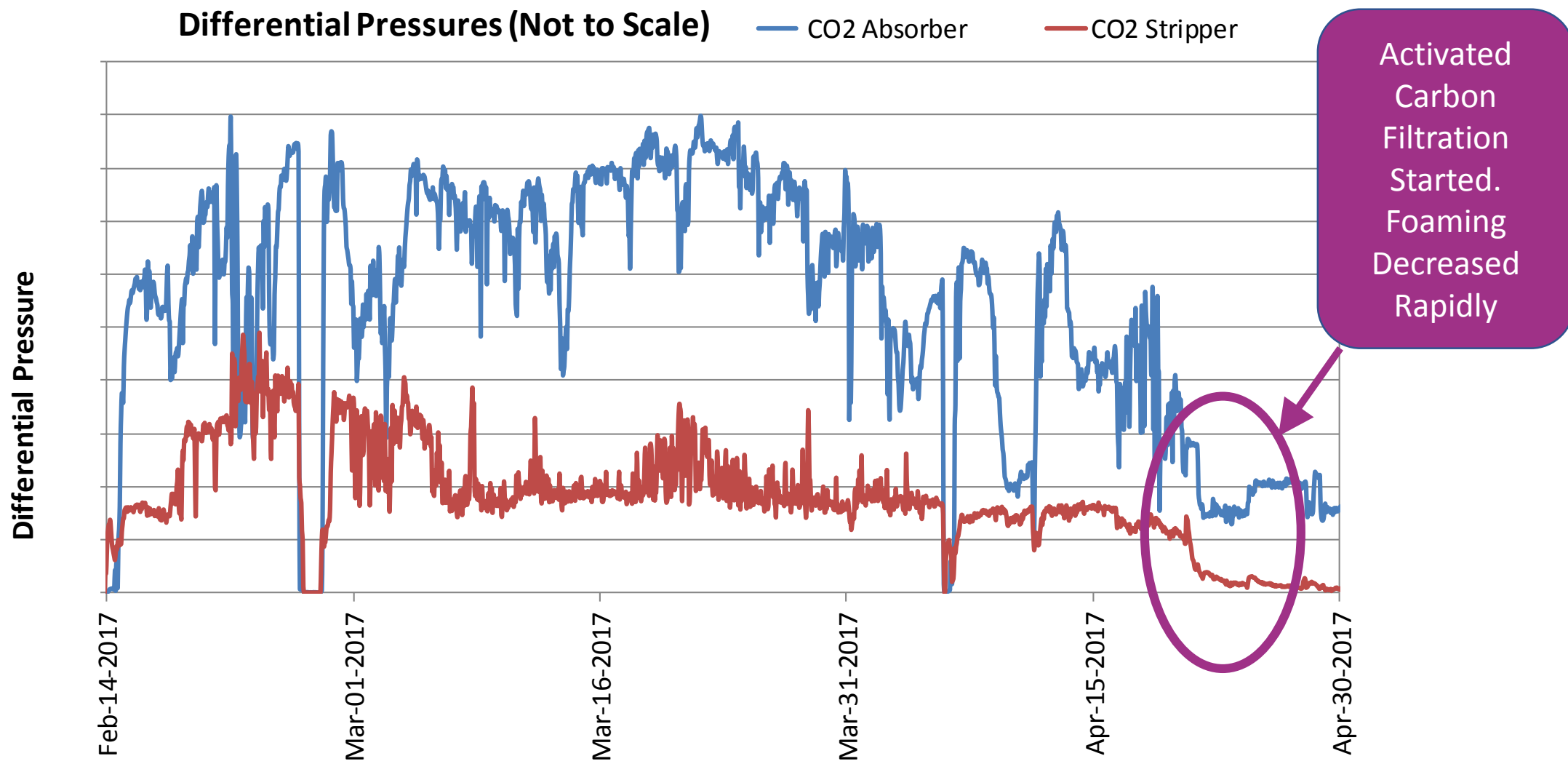


Throat Spray in Operation



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Activated Carbon Filtration and Reduction in Foaming





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Other Improvements Made Since 2014 Commissioning





What's Next?

- Performance testing
- Continue to improve operational efficiencies and reliability
- Further studies and transfer of learnings from BD3 to future CCS projects



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Questions?

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