

GREEN BOATS AND PORTS FOR BLUE WATERS

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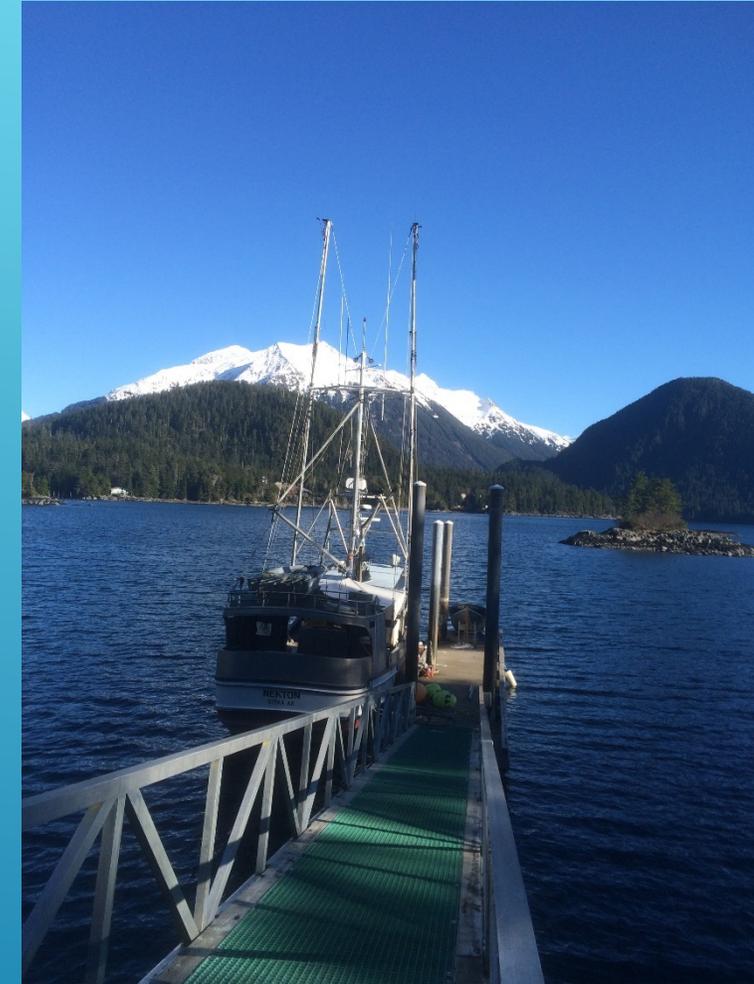
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PRESENTATION TOPICS

- Energy Efficiency (Cultural and Technical)
- Fishing Vessel Energy Efficiency Project
 - Alaska Fisheries Development Foundation (AFDF)
 - Alaska Longline Fishermen's Association (ALFA)
 - Energy Analysis Tool (EAT): Baseline Energy Consumption and Cost
- ECMs
 - Refrigeration and HVAC
 - Hydraulics



ENERGY EFFICIENCY: CULTURAL



Same Space:
A/C set to 40°F
Electric Heater On



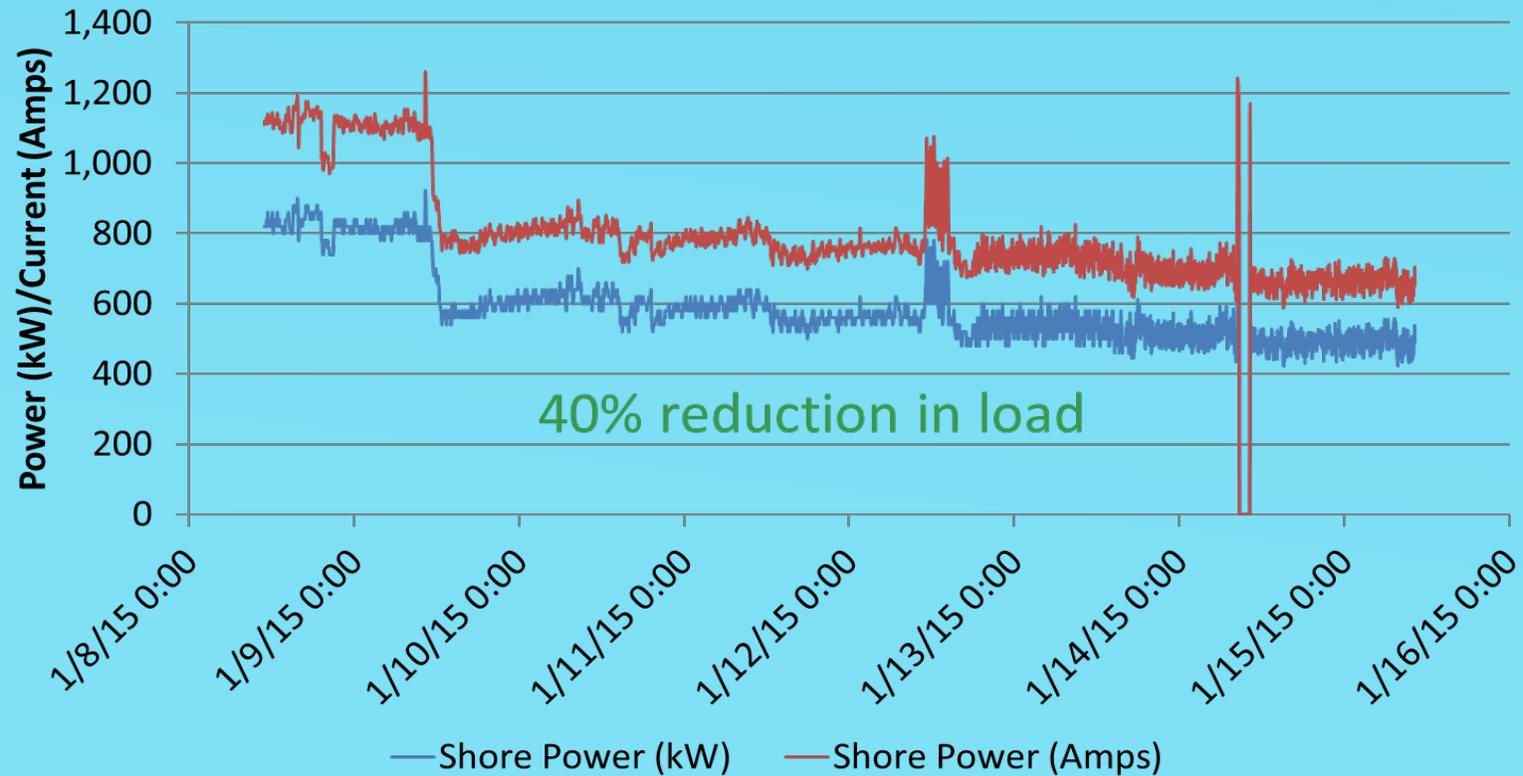
Cultural ECMs Typically have the greatest return on investment but most difficult to implement

- Training
- Energy Management Program
- Energy Surveys/Retro-commissioning



ENERGY EFFICIENCY: CULTURAL, RETRO-COMMISSIONING

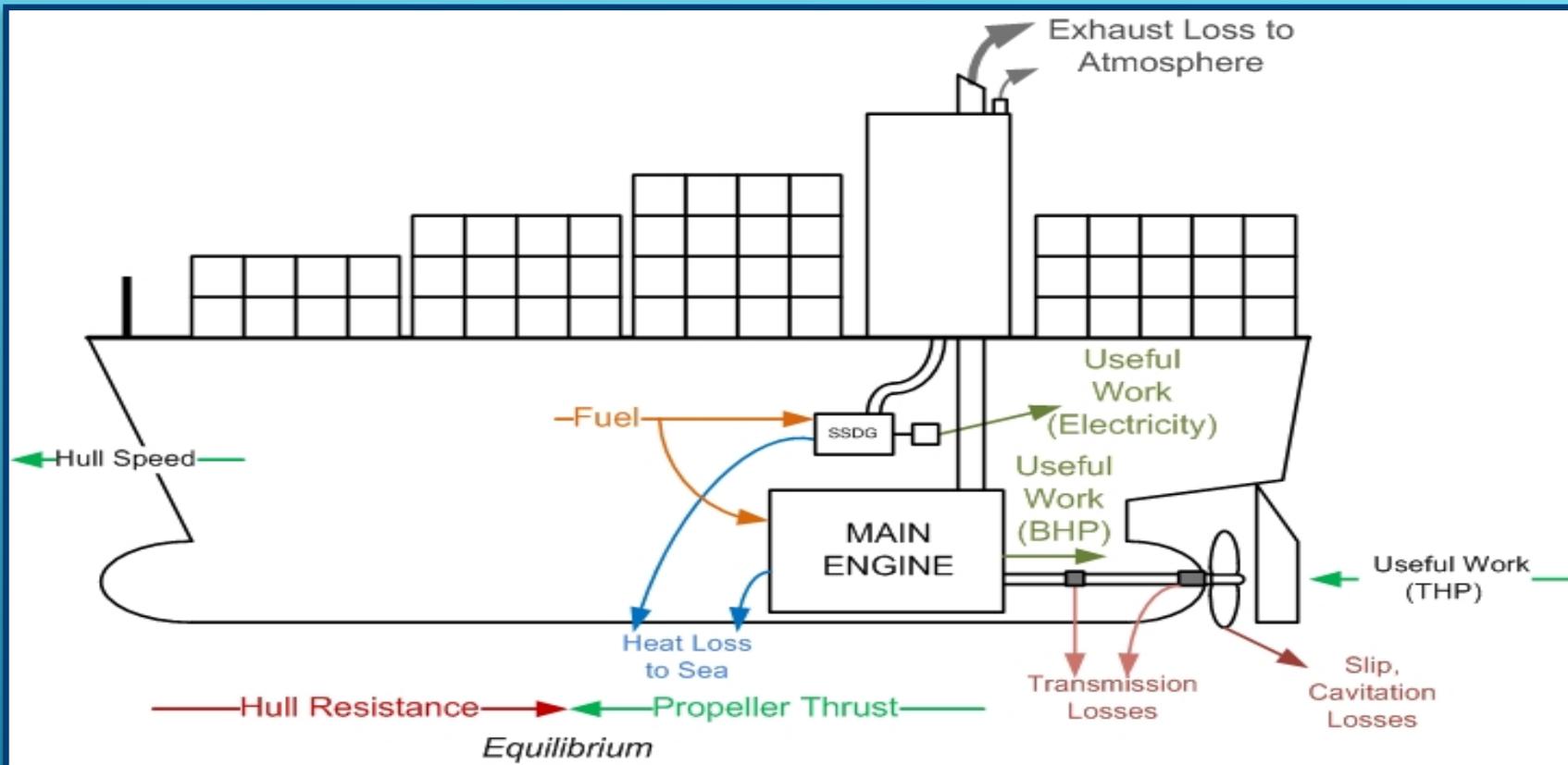
Shore Power Measurement



Reduction in Energy from:

- Turning off equipment that is not required
- Operating running equipment more efficiently
- Modifying operating procedures

ENERGY EFFICIENCY: TECHNICAL

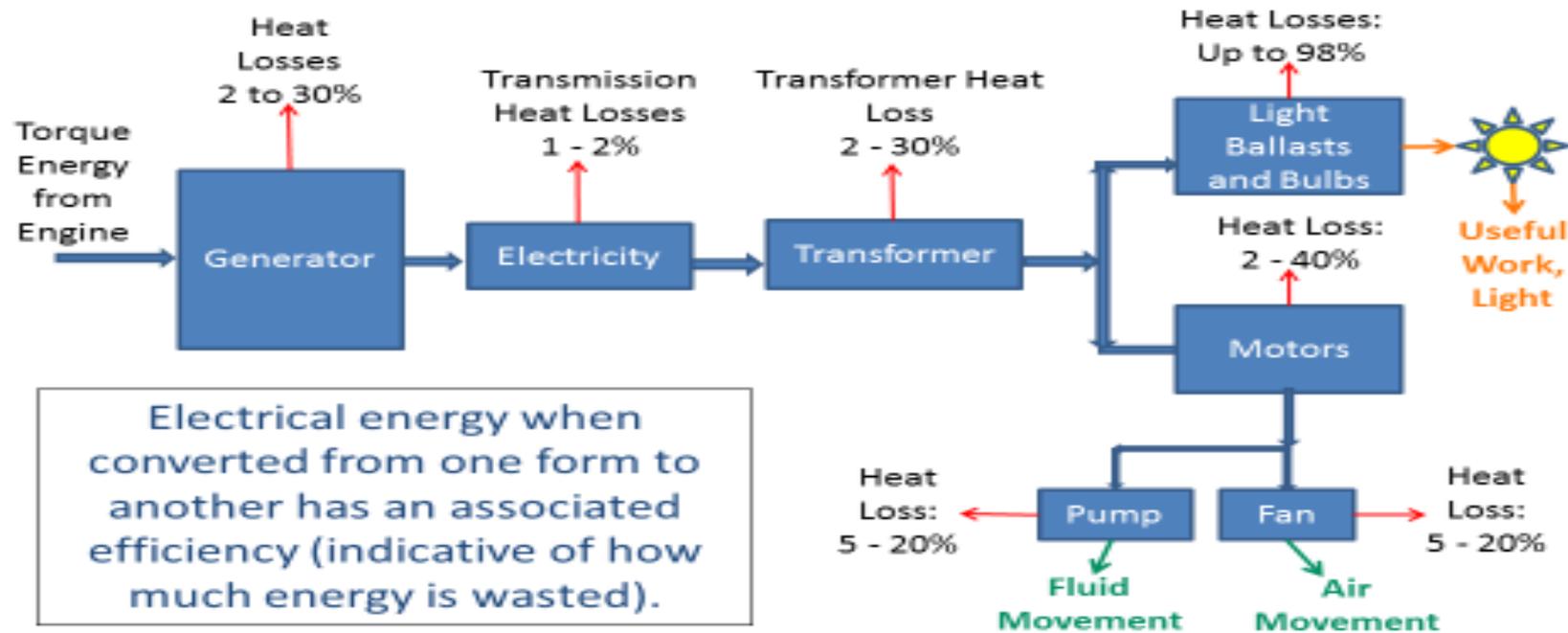


Minimize losses in conversion of chemical fuel energy to rotational torque energy from engine

- Improve engine efficiency
- Utilize waste energy from conversion process

ENERGY EFFICIENCY TECHNICAL

Electrical Equipment Efficiency



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Improve Electrical Conversion Process:

- Use high efficiency equipment: Motors, Transformers, Lights, Inverters
- Do NOT oversize equipment

Fishing Vessel Energy Efficiency Project

Phase 1 complete, Phase 2 ongoing

Collaboration



Performed Energy Audits on 12 Fishing Vessels Phase 1 and 6 vessels so far in Phase 2



Fishing Vessel Energy Audit Project

4 Step Approach

- 1) Develop an operational profile for the vessel
- 2) Establish baseline energy loads for each profile
- 3) Identify high energy consumers
- 4) Research ECM appropriate for the vessel
 - ▣ Implement during upgrades

***“Follow the
money. That’s
energy
management.”***

Mike Gaffney



Fishing Vessel Energy Efficiency Project Energy Analysis Tool (EAT)

Beta Version – Microsoft Excel Spreadsheet

Instructions:

Fill in the green cells with the appropriate information specific to your vessel. Then assign a name to each "operational mode" or fishery you participate in. When you are done, click on the "Maintenance Costs" link or use the tabs below to begin filling in information specific to that operational mode.

[Maintenance Costs](#) [Operating Mode 1](#) [Operating Mode 2](#) [Operating Mode 3](#) [Operating Mode 4](#)

[Vessel Summary](#)

| | |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Vessel Name | McCrea |
| Type | displacement hull/Skookum |
| Length | 38 feet |
| Fuel Cost /gallon | \$4.00 \$/gallon |
| Shore power cost \$/kWh | \$0.12 \$/kWh |
| Propulsion Engine #1 Size | 180 Horsepower |
| Propulsion Engine #1 Type | 2 cycle |
| Propulsion Engine #2 Size | 0 HP |
| Propulsion Engine #2 Type | |
| Auxiliary Engine #1 size | 8 HP |
| Auxiliary Engine #1 Type | 4 cycle non-turbo dive compressor |
| Aux Generator Engine #2 Size | 8 HP |
| Aux Generator Engine #2 Type | 4 cycle non-turbo |

If you know the kW for your engine, use the calculator below to convert the kW number into HP.

KW to HP Conversion

| | | |
|--|----|------|
| | KW | HP |
| | 25 | 33.5 |



Alaska Fisheries Development Foundation, Inc.

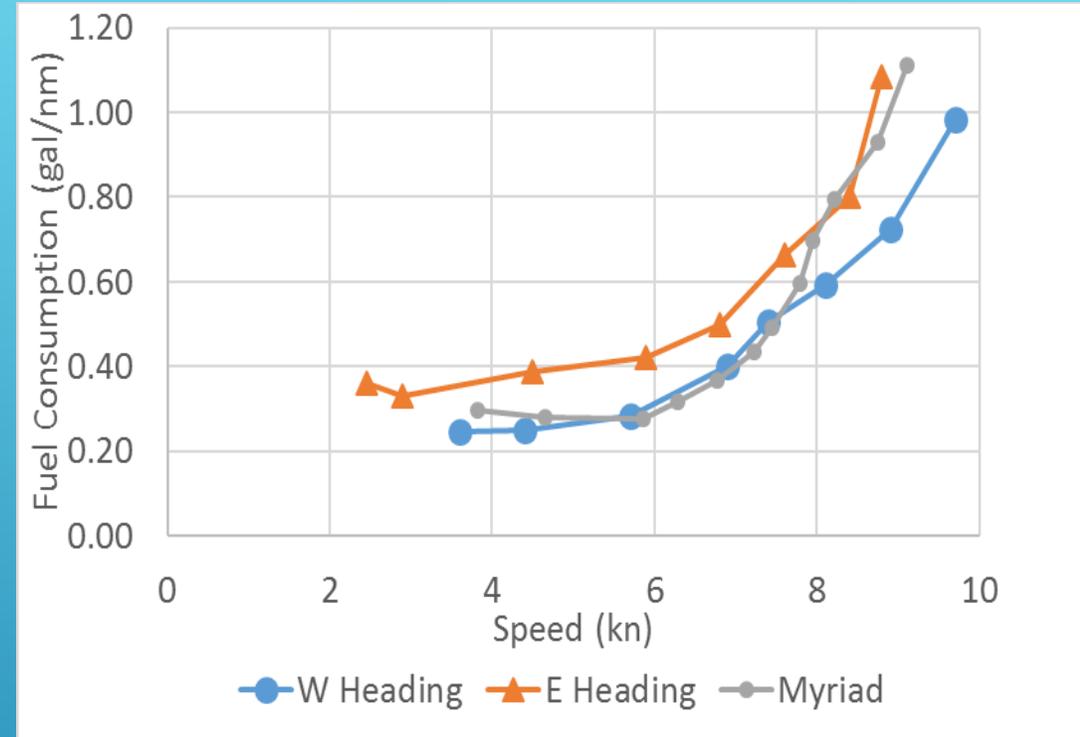
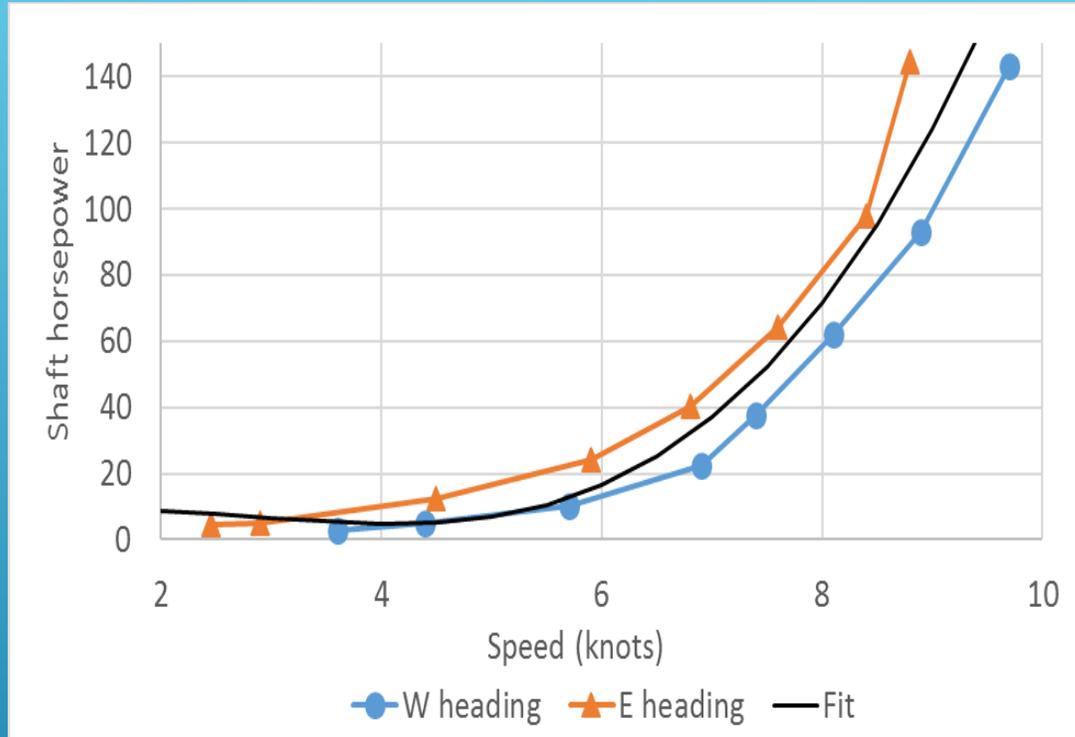
Use this calculator to help attain the hrs per year values if you know how many hours per day and how many days per year you fish.

| | | |
|-------------|---------------|--------------|
| Hrs per day | Days per year | Hrs per year |
| | | 0 |

| Operating Mode | Name | Propulsion Engine #1 | | Propulsion Engine #2 | | Aux Engine #1 | Aux Engine #2 |
|----------------|------------------|----------------------|-------------|----------------------|-------------|---------------|---------------|
| | | Hrs Transit | Hrs Fishing | Hrs Transit | Hrs Fishing | Hrs Fishing | Hrs Fishing |
| 1 | gillnet | 200 | 1152 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 2 | dive fishery | 120 | 27 | 0 | 0 | 24 | 1 |
| 3 | family outings | 30 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| 4 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total | | 350 | 1199 | 0 | 0 | 26 | 2 |
| | Total hrs | | 1549 | Total hrs | 0 | | |

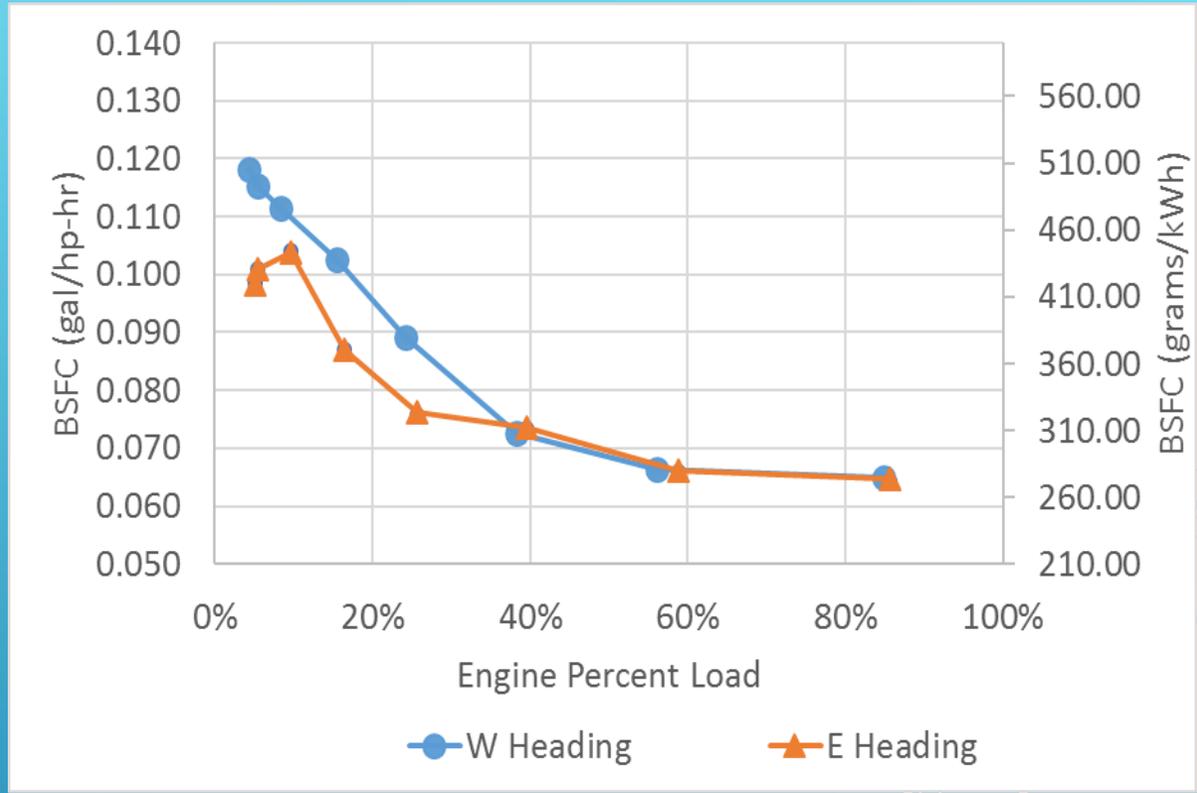
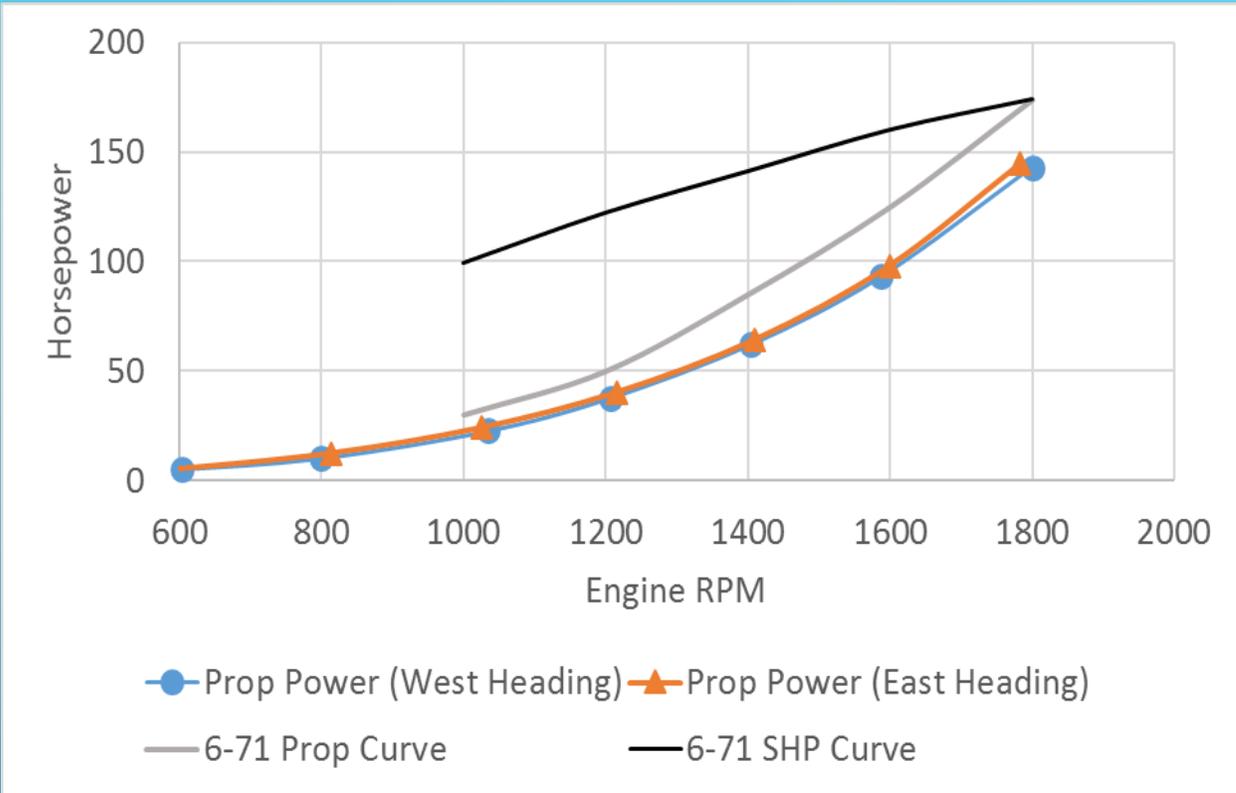
Fishermen enter vessel and equipment particulars as well as operational profile into tool. The tool uses this data to create a baseline of energy cost and consumption.

FISHING VESSEL ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROJECT



Operate at most fuel efficient speed when possible

FISHING VESSEL ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROJECT



Properly sized engines increase fuel efficiency

Fishing Vessel Energy Efficiency Project Energy Analysis Tool

Beta Version – Microsoft Excel Spreadsheet

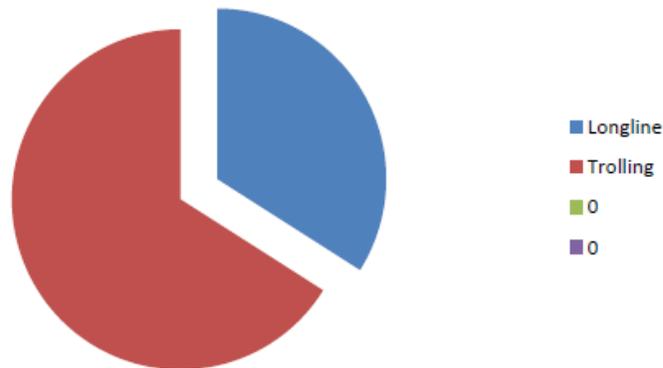
Vessel Summary: This tab displays the overall fuel consumption of your vessel. The table shows the gallons of fuel consumed by each load type in each operating mode. The pie chart on the left shows which operating mode uses the most and the least fuel. The pie chart on the right shows how much fuel is used by each load type comparatively.

| (Hours) | 765 | 819 | 0 | 0 | |
|--------------------|----------|----------|---|---|--------|
| Fuel Use | Longline | Trolling | 0 | 0 | Totals |
| Transit Propulsion | 500 | 199 | 0 | 0 | 699 |
| Fishing propulsion | 266 | 202 | 0 | 0 | 468 |
| DC Load | 93 | 53 | 0 | 0 | 146 |
| AC Load | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hydraulic Load | 265 | 68 | 0 | 0 | 333 |
| Refrigeration | 0 | 1,661 | 0 | 0 | 1,661 |
| Total | 1,123 | 2,183 | 0 | 0 | 3,307 |

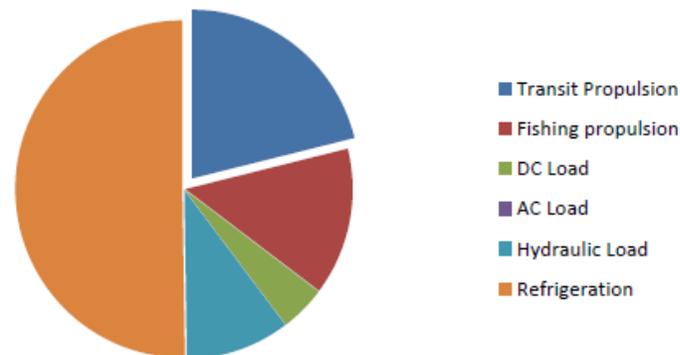
Cost Summary

Baseline
Enables
ECM
Analysis

Fuel Use by Operating Mode



Fuel Use by Load Type

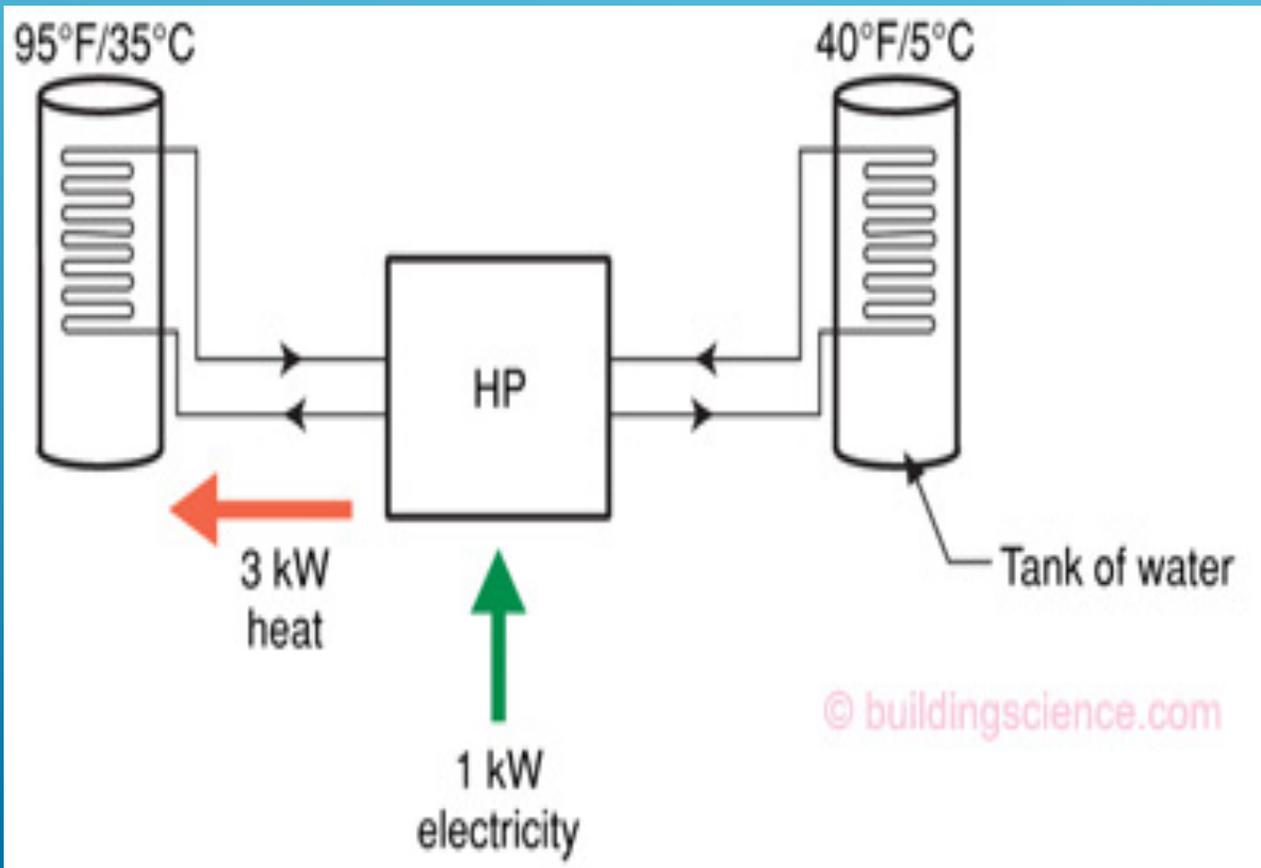


FISHING VESSEL ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROJECT

ECM: HVAC/ REFRIGERATION EFFICIENCY

Coefficient of Performance (C.O.P.)

= Q (heat moved) ÷ W (electrical energy used)



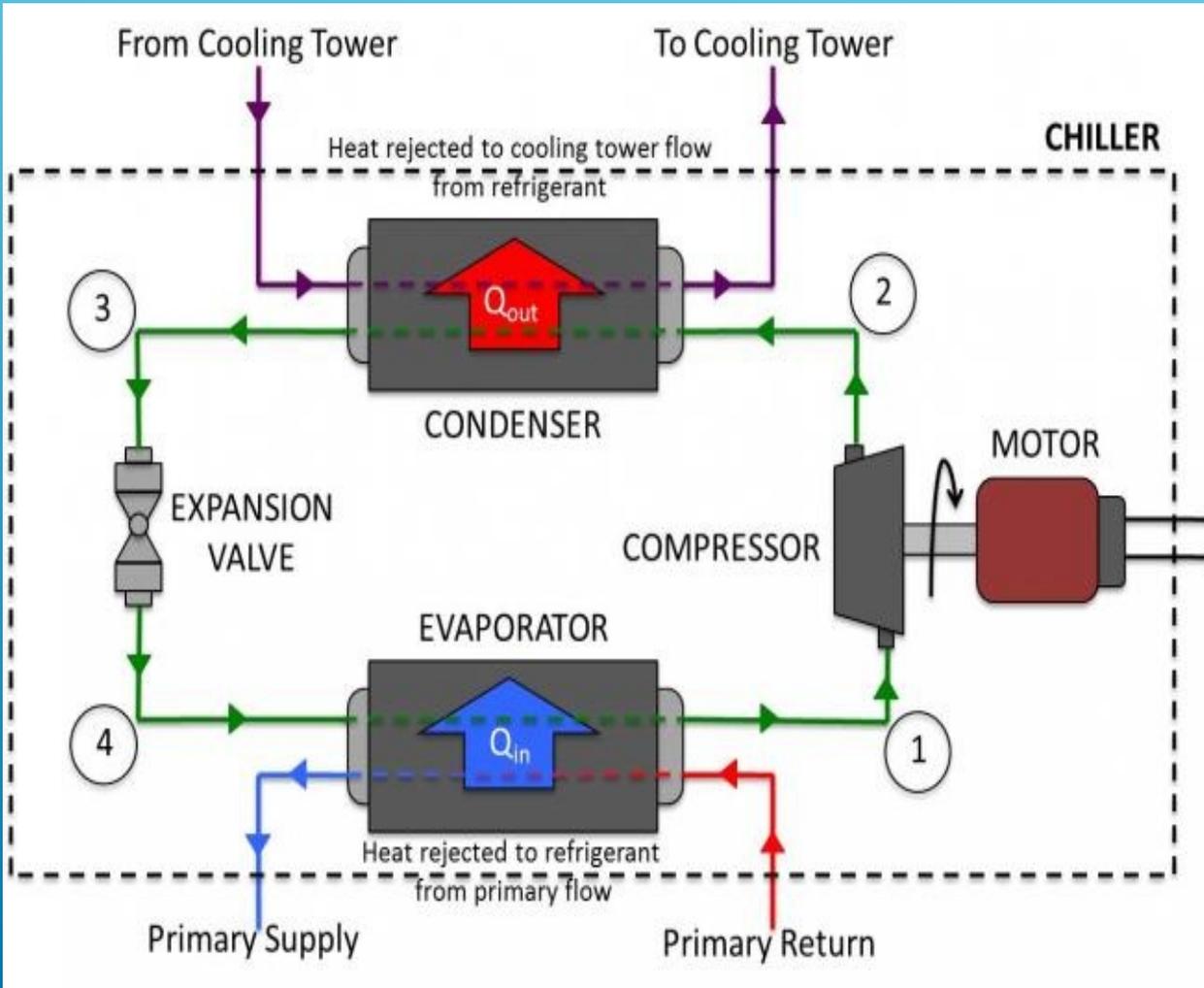
▶ C.O.P. = 3 kW ÷ 1 kW

▶ C.O.P. = 3

▶ (Higher is more efficient)

FISHING VESSEL ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROJECT

REFRIGERATION COMPRESSOR EFFICIENCY



Discharge Pressure (P_d)
Condensing Water
Temp

Total Lift
($P_d - P_s$)

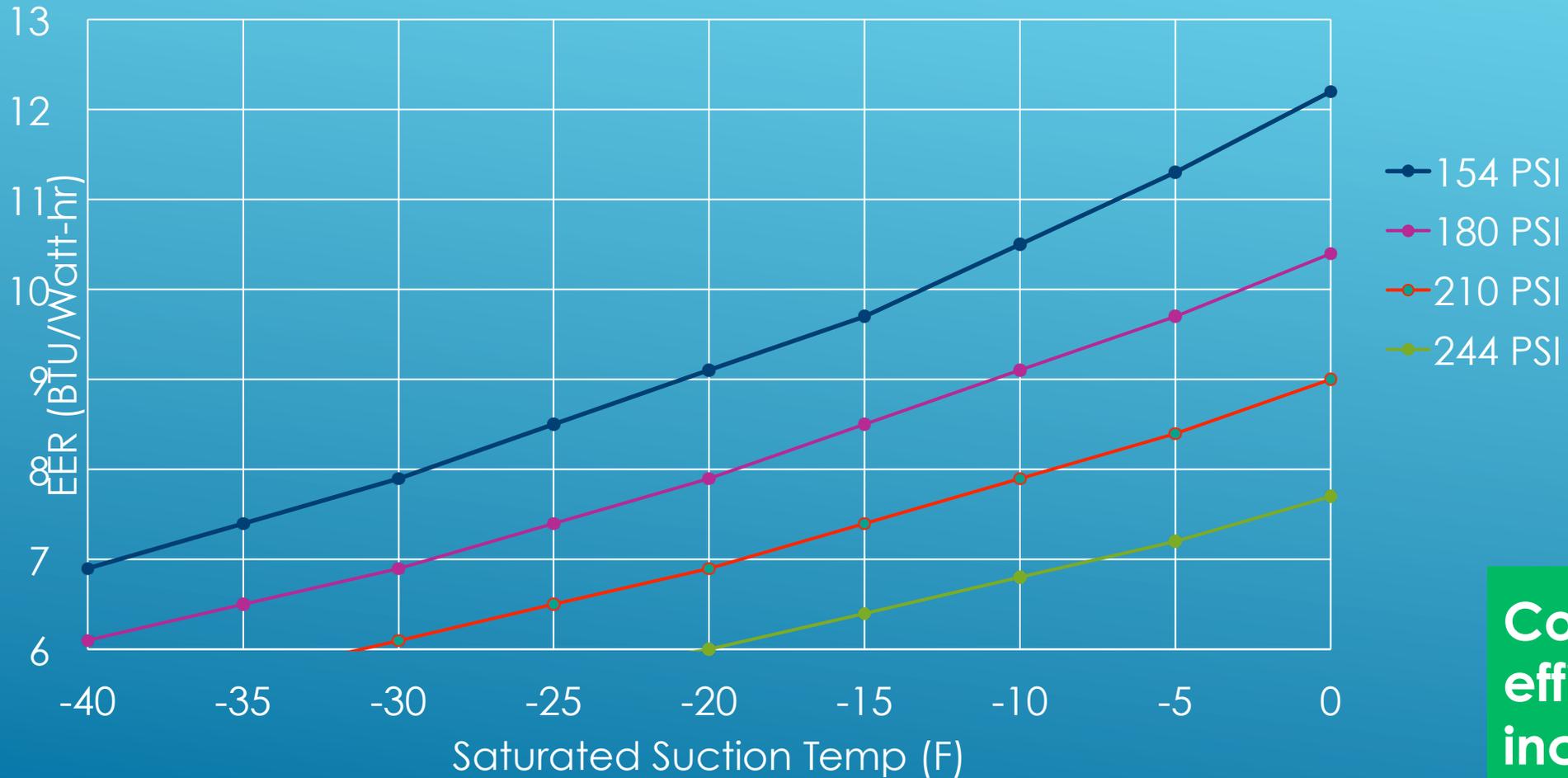
Suction Pressure (P_s)

Chill Water Temp

**Efficiency
increases as
total lift
decreases**

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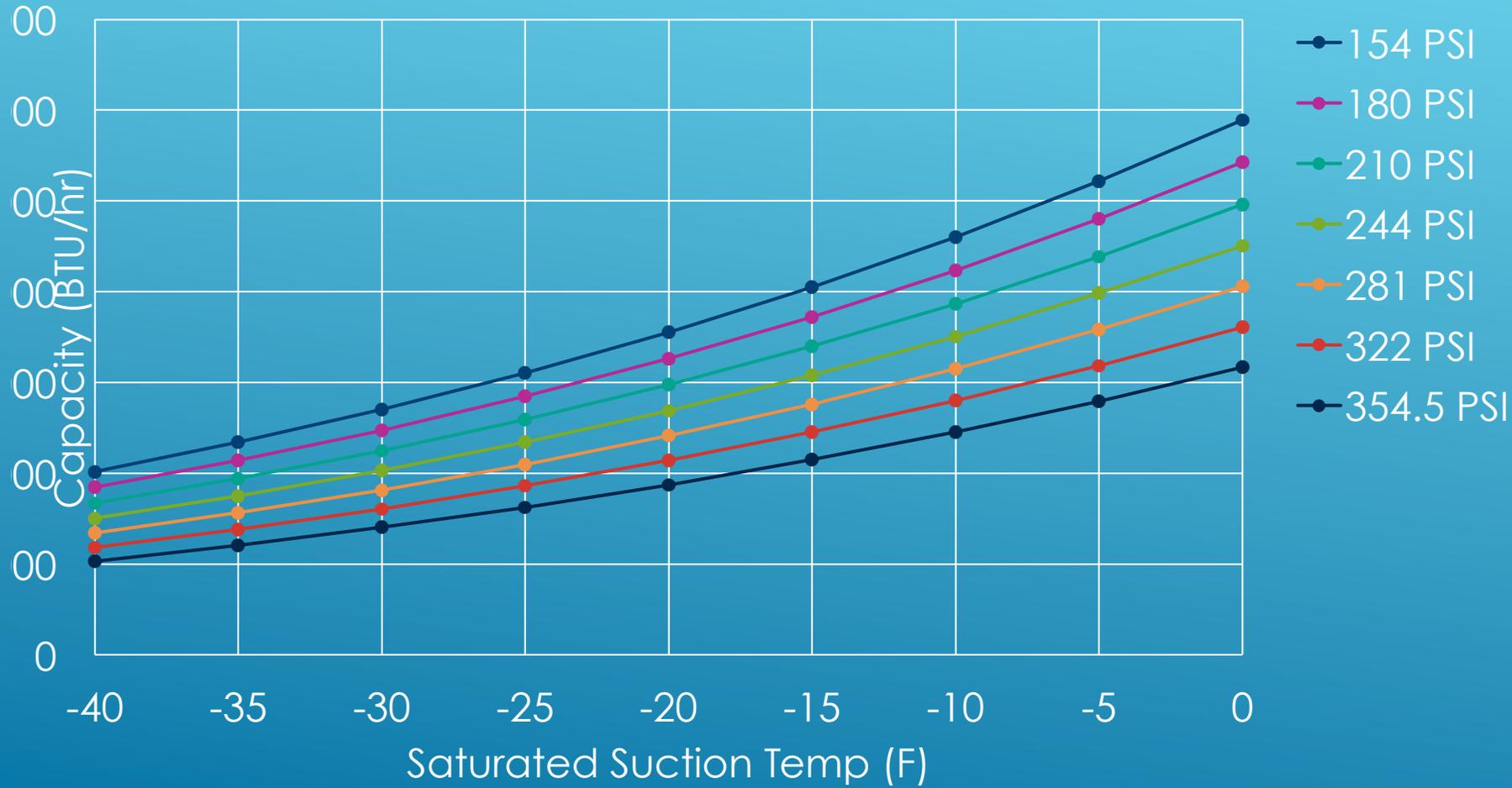
Freezer Compressor Efficiency



Compressor efficiency increases as lift decreases

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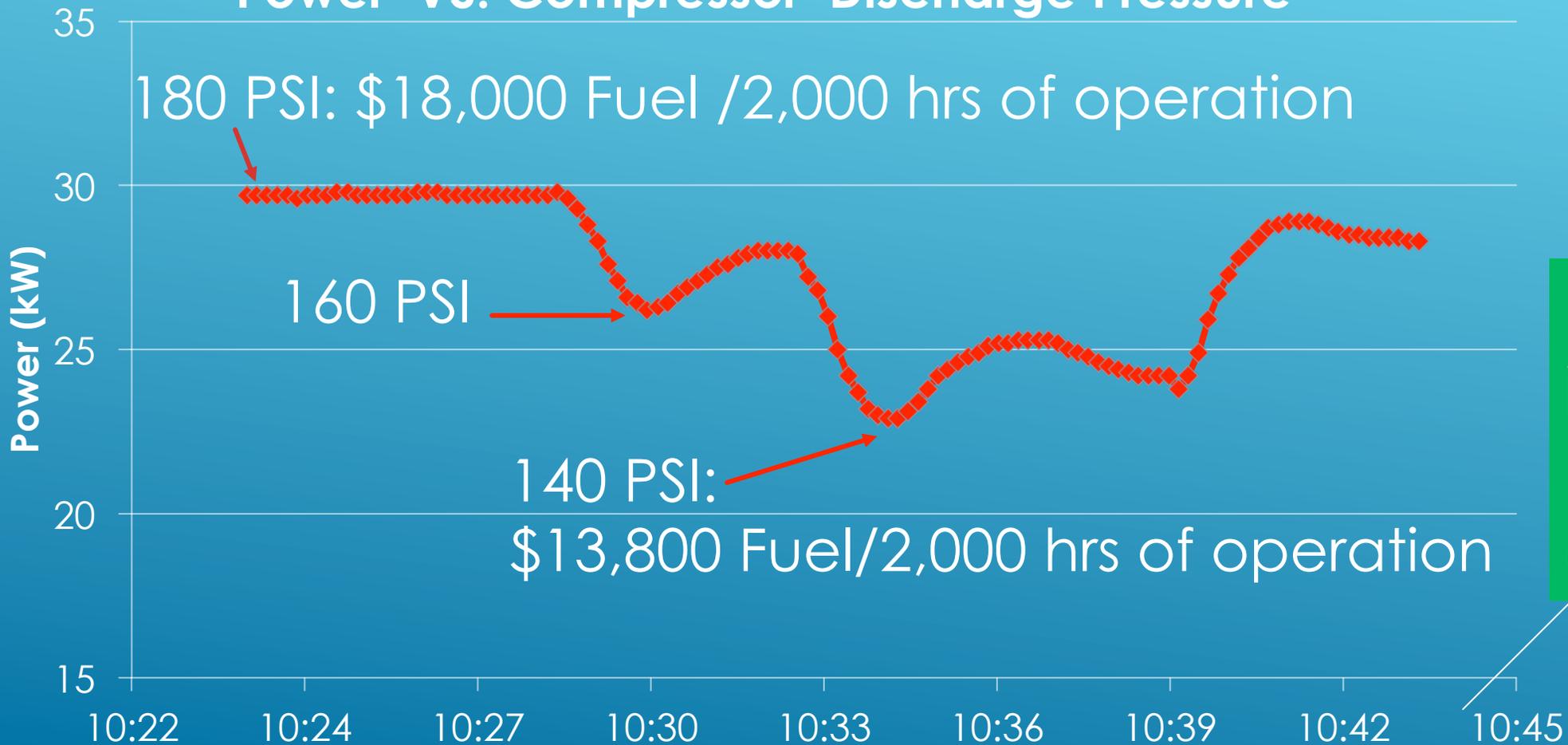
Freezer Compressor Capacity



Refrigeration capacity increases as lift decreases

Refrigeration Compressor Efficiency

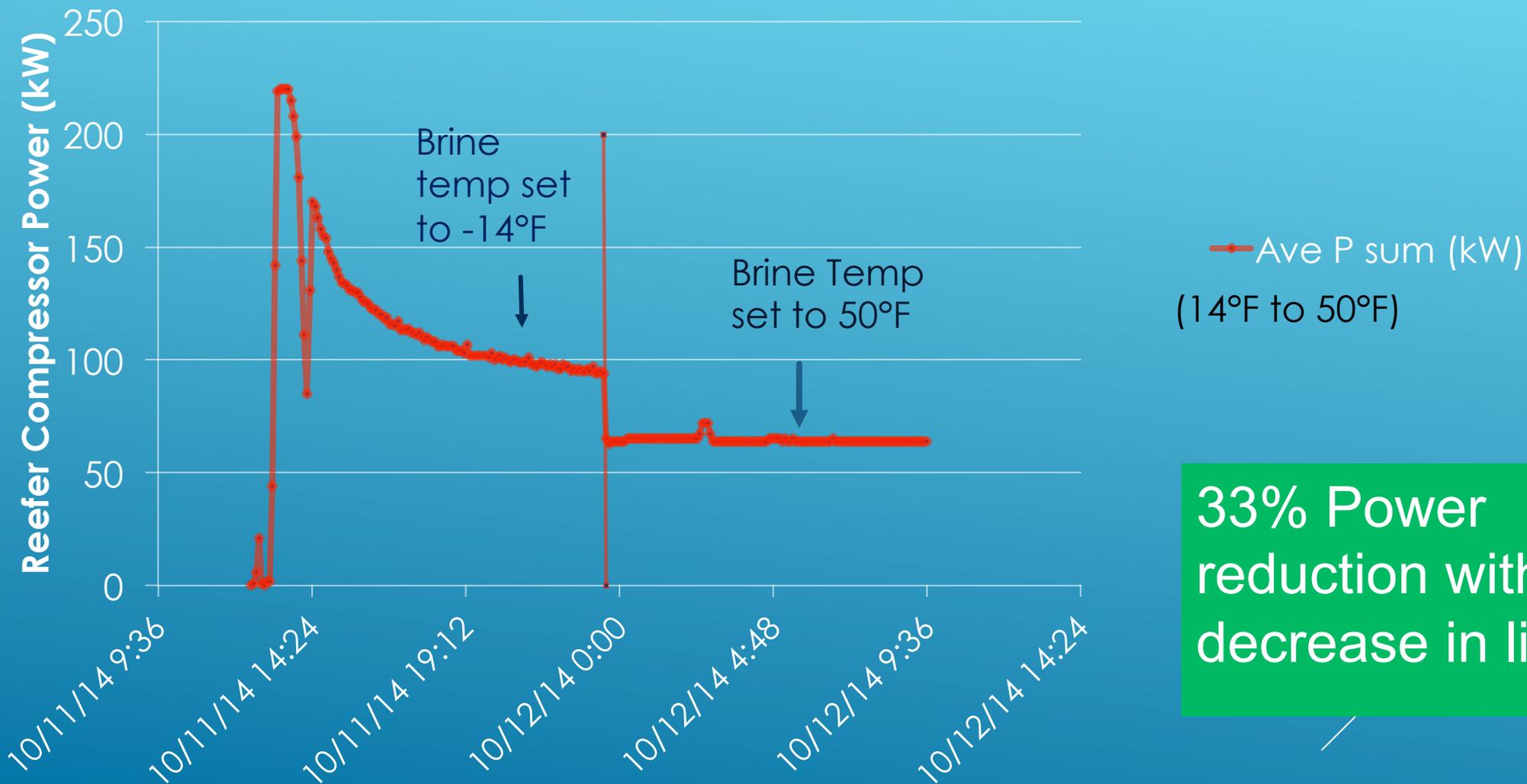
Refrigerated Sea Water Compressor: Power VS. Compressor Discharge Pressure



Profits increase as lift decreases

Refrigeration Efficiency (Ship System)

Increase Suction Pressure to Reduce Lift



**33% Power
reduction with
decrease in lift**

Shipboard HVAC Cost

Maximize Compressor Efficiency

| | Ship's power inport (\$/ yr) | Shore Power Inport (\$/ yr) | Total Inport Cost (\$/yr) | At Sea Cost (\$/yr) | Total Annual Energy cost (\$/yr) | Total Fuel (gal/yr) |
|---------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------|--|------------------------|
| AC Motor COP 5.5 | \$228,774 | \$89,205 | \$317,979 | \$343,111 | \$661,090 | 142,971 |
| AC Motor COP 4.5 | \$279,612 | \$109,029 | \$388,641 | \$419,358 | \$807,999 | 174,742 |
| AC Motor COP 3.5 | \$359,501 | \$140,180 | \$499,681 | \$539,174 | \$1,038,856 | 224,669 |
| AC Motor COP 2.5 | \$503,302 | \$196,252 | \$699,554 | \$754,844 | \$1,454,398 | 314,536 |

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REFRIGERATION VFD APPLICATION



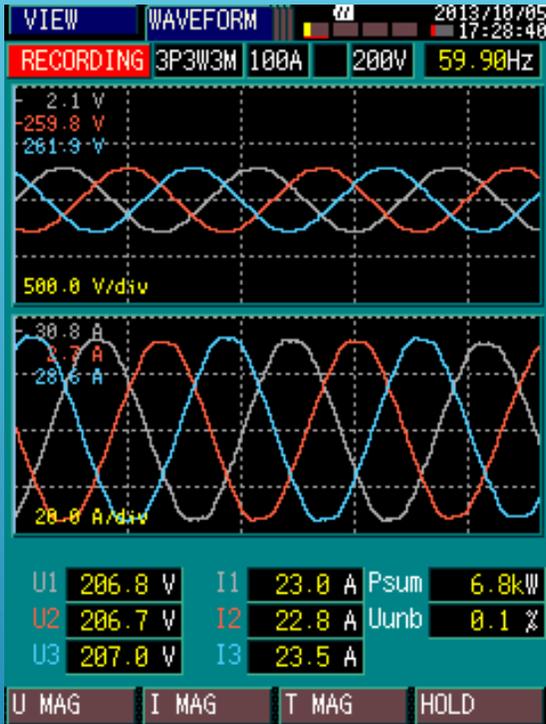
VFD: Most efficient way to control compressor capacity

ALFA trials underway this fishing season with energy meters to document energy savings



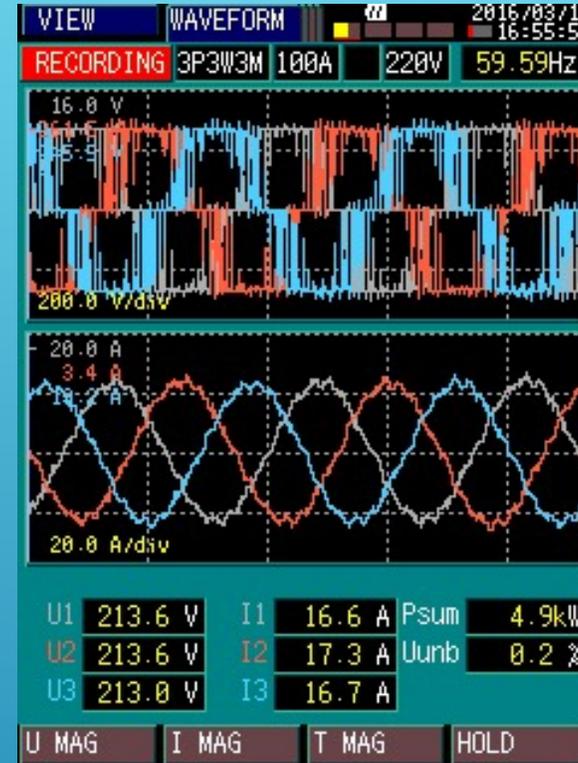
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REFRIGERATION VFD APPLICATION



Voltage and Current wave form without VFD

VFD: Introduce harmonics into the motor



Voltage and Current wave form with VFD

Ensure grounding and generator sizing is as per MFG guidelines

FISHING VESSEL ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROJECT HYDRAULICS



- ALFA trials to measure actual hydraulic loads over the next few months
- Data collected will provide more accurate energy baseline

Hydraulic Systems: F/V Myriad

| Activity | Measured Fuel (GPH) | Change (GPH) |
|--|---------------------|--------------|
| Trolling with hydraulics OFF | 1.47 | |
| Trolling with hydraulics ON | 1.68 | -0.22 |
| Trolling while Running Gear w Hydraulics | 1.74 | -0.27 |

| Operating Mode | Name (ie. Ice troll, gillnet, family outing) | Propulsion Engine #1 | |
|----------------|--|----------------------|-------------|
| | | Hrs Transit | Hrs Fishing |
| 1 | Longline | 125 | 160 |
| 2 | Ice troll | 70 | 150 |
| 3 | Freeze troll | 160 | 480 |
| 4 | family | 40 | 20 |
| Total | | 395 | 810 |

Energy Analysis Tool Vessel Profile Page

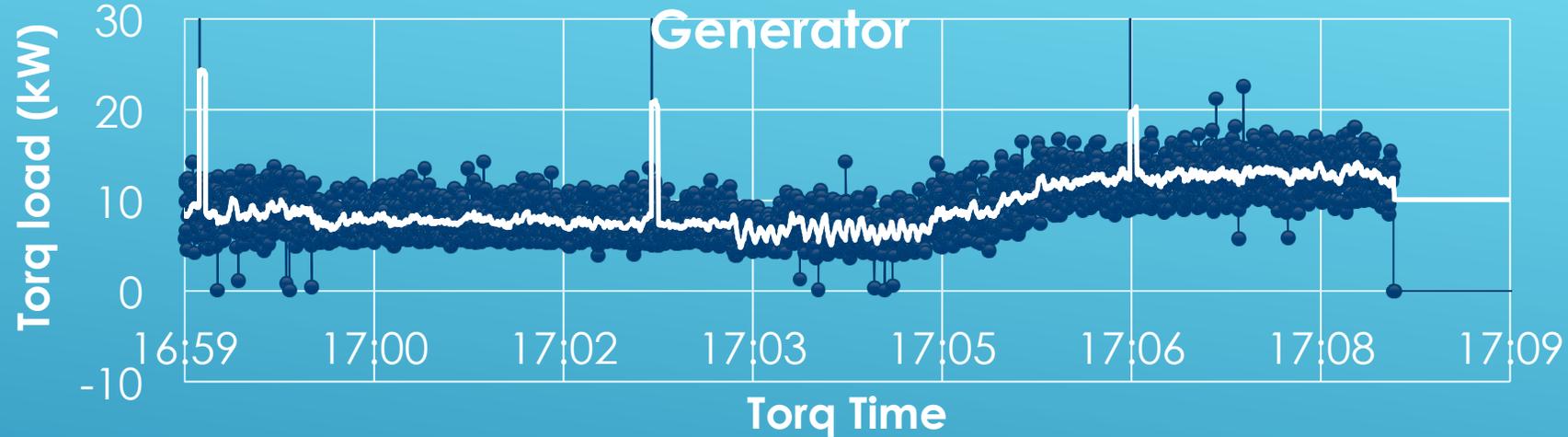
Ave Hourly Hydraulic Loss Cost: \$1/hr

No Load Hydraulic Fuel Cost on All the Time (1,205 hrs): = \$1,205

Only Engage Hydraulics When Needed for Useful Work

FISHING VESSEL ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROJECT

Hydraulic Pump Shaft Power to Hydraulic Inverter



Losses in converting shaft power to hydraulic power to electrical power

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Fishing Vessel Energy Efficiency Project



All About the Boats:
Vessel Energy and
Fuel consumption



THANK YOU!

