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Driving job-site efficiencies through better data

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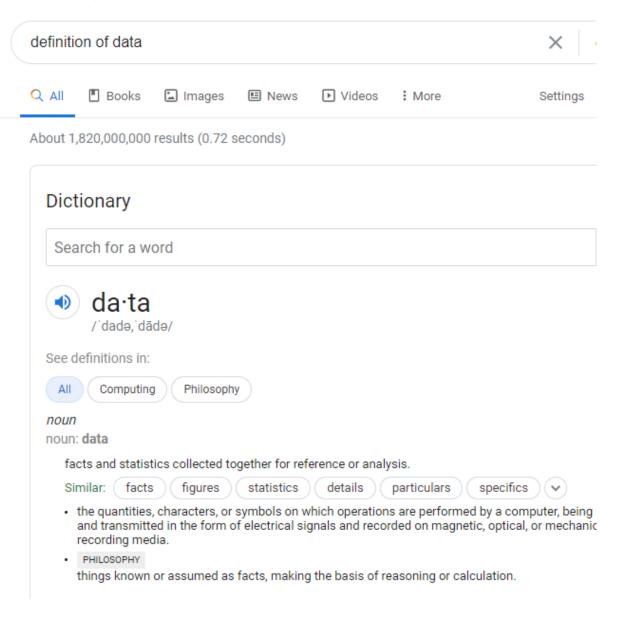


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Better Data



- Data is a collection of facts, such as numbers, words, measurements, observations or just descriptions of things (1)
- Data is factual information (such as measurements or statistics) used as a basis for reasoning, discussion, or calculation (2)
- Data is information in digital form that can be transmitted or processed⁽²⁾





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What kind of data do we have available?

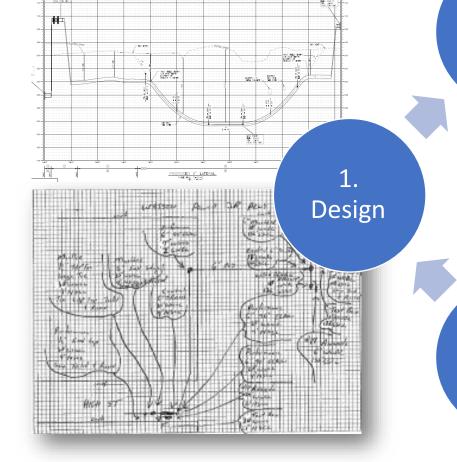
- Quantitative
 - Depth
 - Torque
 - Thrust
 - Rate of penetration (ROP)
 - Bend radius
 - Date/time

- Qualitative
 - "Good" vs. "bad"
 - Recordings
 - Observations
 - "Difficult" ground conditions
 - "Clean" jobsite



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Phases of a job



2. Plan

Execute





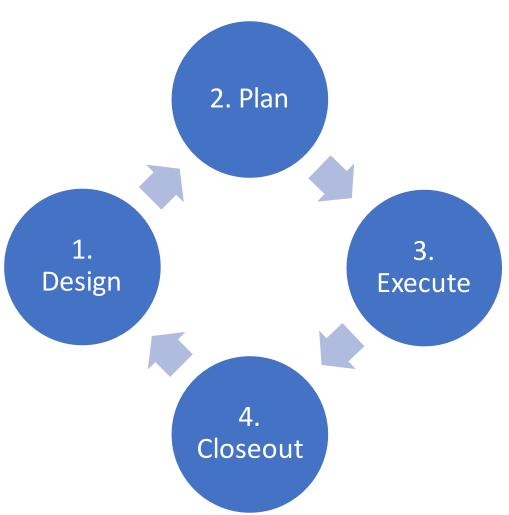


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Where to look for data

- Design
 - Bid Specs
 - Engineering documents
 - Public records

- Closeout
 - As built collection
 - Data logs
 - Jobsite records



Plan

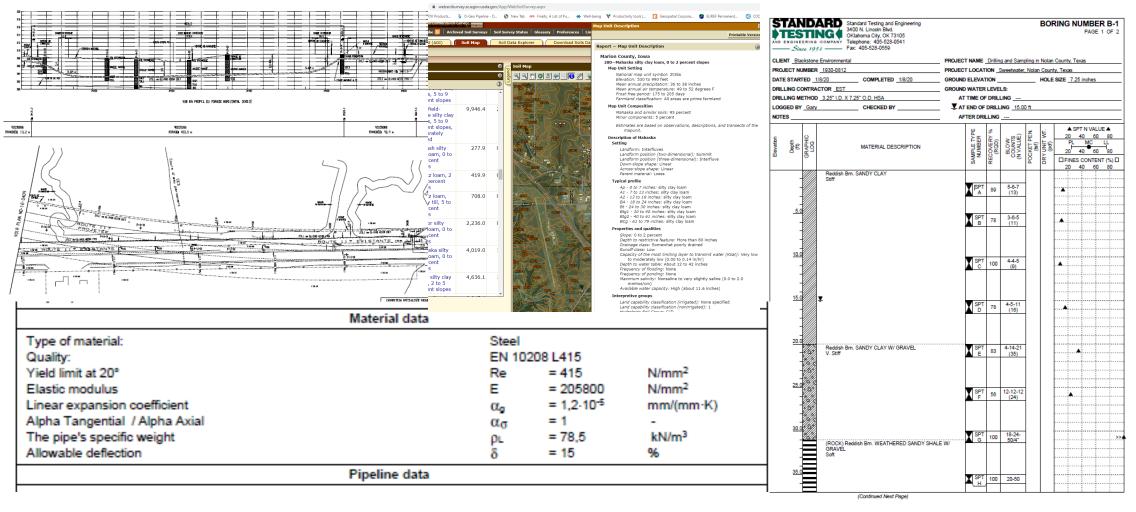
- Jobsite conditions
- Equipment capabilities
- Observed conditions

- Machine performance
- Ground conditions
- Real time readings



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Design



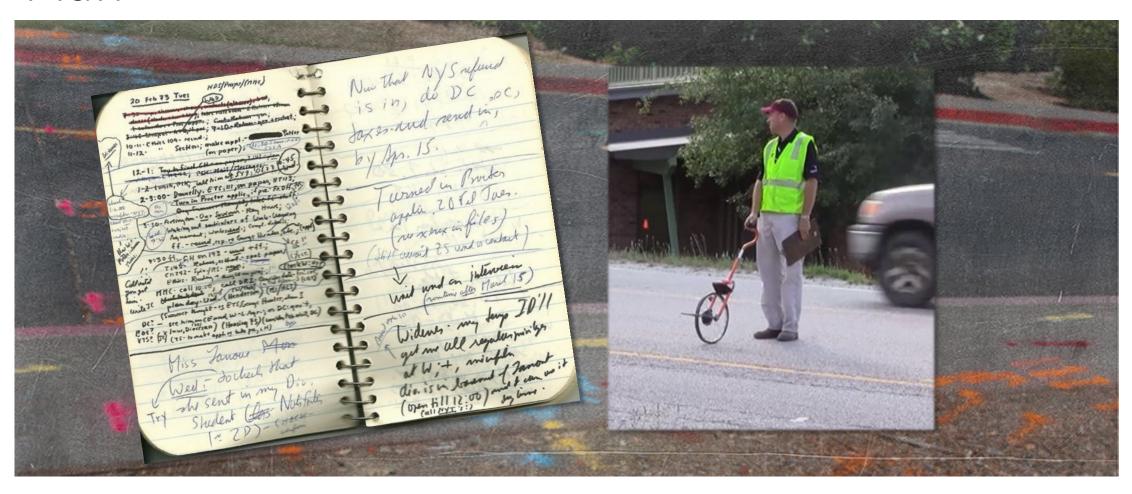


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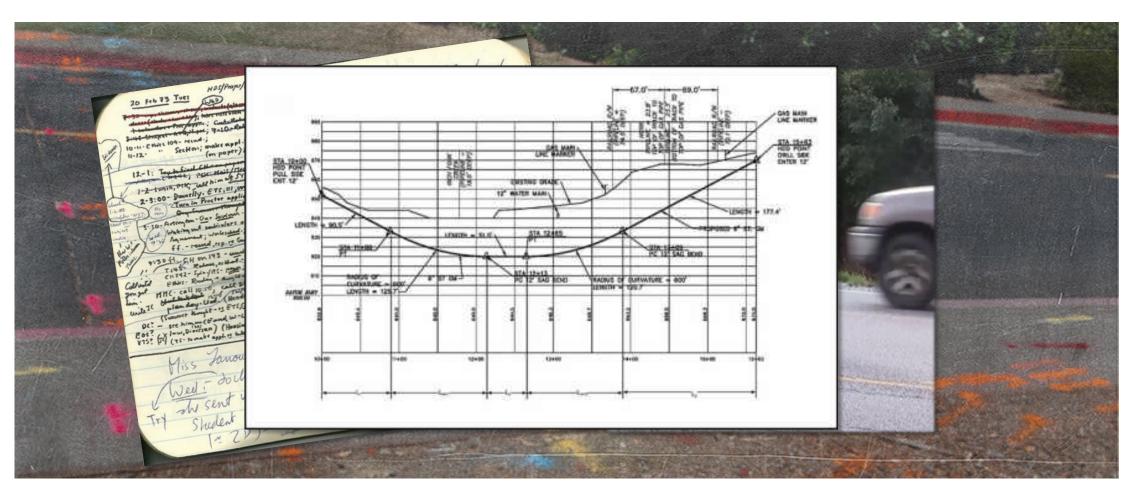


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Plan

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1	Marking bore path with flags	9:44			
2	Discussion with crew	2:16			
3	Noting landmarks and wheeling distance	15:12			
4	Offsets discussion with crew	2:06			
5	Finish distance marking	1:23			
6	Discussion with crew	1:59			
7	Measuring offsets	7:23			
8	Setting up transit	3:57			
9	Measuring elevations	16:10			

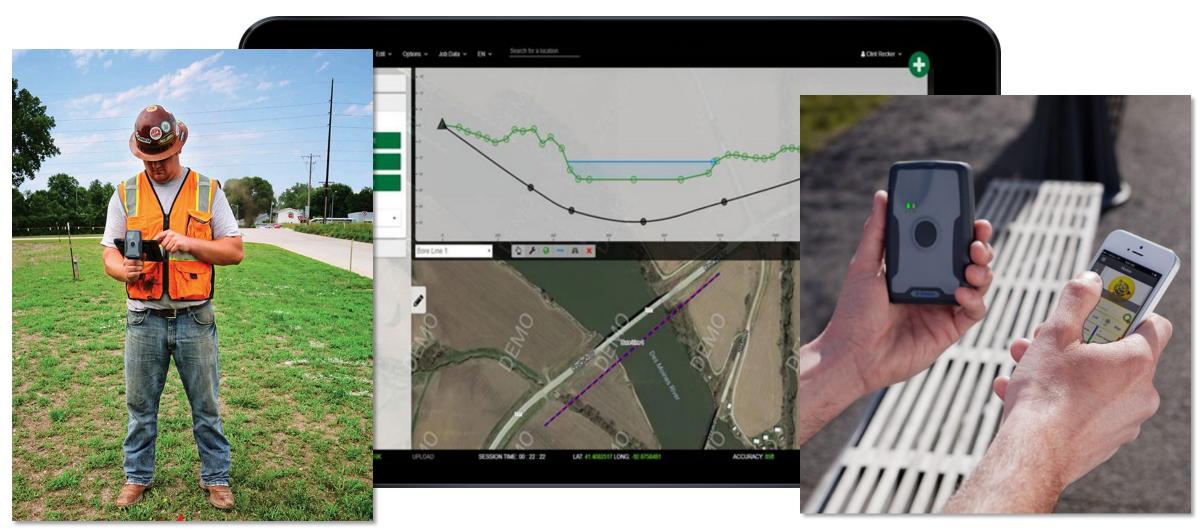
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MORE THAN 1 HOUR





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Activity	Time Taken		
Marking existing utilities	10:00		
Entering landmarks	5:00		
Measuring	5:00		
Bore plan design	8:00		
	Entering landmarks Measuring		

TOTAL TIME:

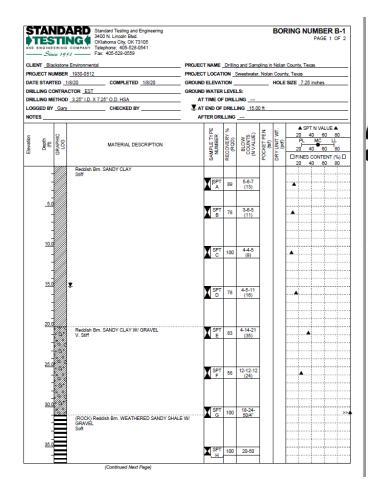
REDUCED TO 28 MINUTES







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Execute

Rod by Rod Report

For bore: Bore Line 1

Machine/Rod Information: D24x40 S3/D2.375" X L10' X U2.625"

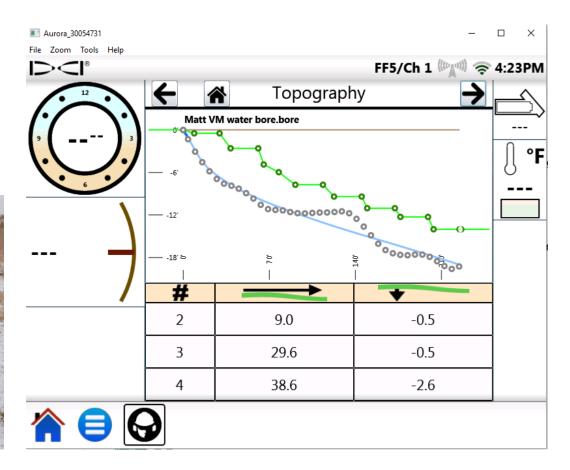
Rod # Distance L/B Elevation Depth Pitch

Diameter: 2.375" Length: 10'0" Bend Limit: 108'2"

HOU #	Distance	L/K	Elevation	Depth	Pitten	Azimuth	Radius
1	6'10"	R0'0"	454'9"	1'0"	-16.91%	0.00%	670'4"
2	16'9"	R0'0"	453'2"	2'5"	-15.48%	0.00%	670'4"
3	26'7"	R0'0"	451'9"	3'10"	-13.88%	0.00%	670'4"
4	36'6"	R0'0"	450'5"	5'2"	-12.28%	0.00%	670'4"
5	46'6"	R0'0"	449'3"	6'4"	-10.33%	0.00%	373'8"
6	56'5"	R0'0"	448'5"	7'3"	-7.69%	0.00%	373'8"
7	66'5"	R0'0"	447'9"	8'0"	-4.89%	0.00%	373'8"
8	76'5"	R0'0"	447'5"	8'5"	-2.27%	0.00%	372'0"
9	86'5"	R0'0"	447'4"	8'8"	0.00%	0.00%	3
10	96'5"	R0'0"	447'4"	8'9"	0.00%	0.00%	α
11	106'5"	R0'0"	447'4"	8'10"	0.00%	0.00%	α
12	116'5"	R0'0"	447'4"	8'11"	0.00%	0.00%	α
13	126'5"	R0'0"	447'4"	8'11"	0.00%	0.00%	α _A
14	136'5"	R0'0"	447'4"	9'0"	0.00%	0.00%	œ
15	146'5"	R0'0"	447'4"	9'0"	0.00%	0.00%	oc
16	156'5"	R0'0"	447'4"	9'1"	0.00%	0.00%	ox L
17	166'5"	R0'0"	447'4"	9'1"	0.00%	0.00%	oc
18	176'5"	R0'0"	447'4"	9'1"	0.00%	0.00%	οc
19	186'5"	R0'0"	447'4"	9'2"	0.00%	0.00%	α
20	196'5"	R0'0"	447'4"	9'3"	0.00%	0.00%	α
21	206'5"	R0'0"	447'4"	9'4"	0.00%	0.00%	α
22	216'5"	R0'0"	447'4"	9'5"	0.00%	0.00%	α
23	226'5"	R0'0"	447'4"	9'6"	0.00%	0.00%	α
24	236'5"	R0'0"	447'4"	9'8"	0.00%	0.00%	α
25	246'5"	R0'0"	447'4"	9'9"	0.00%	0.00%	α
26	256'5"	R0'0"	447'4"	9'9"	0.00%	0.00%	ox
27	266'5"	R0'0"	447'4"	9'9"	0.00%	0.00%	ox
28	276'5"	R0'0"	447'4"	9'9"	0.00%	0.00%	ox
20	296'5"	DO'O"	447'4"	0'0"	0.00%	0.00%	~









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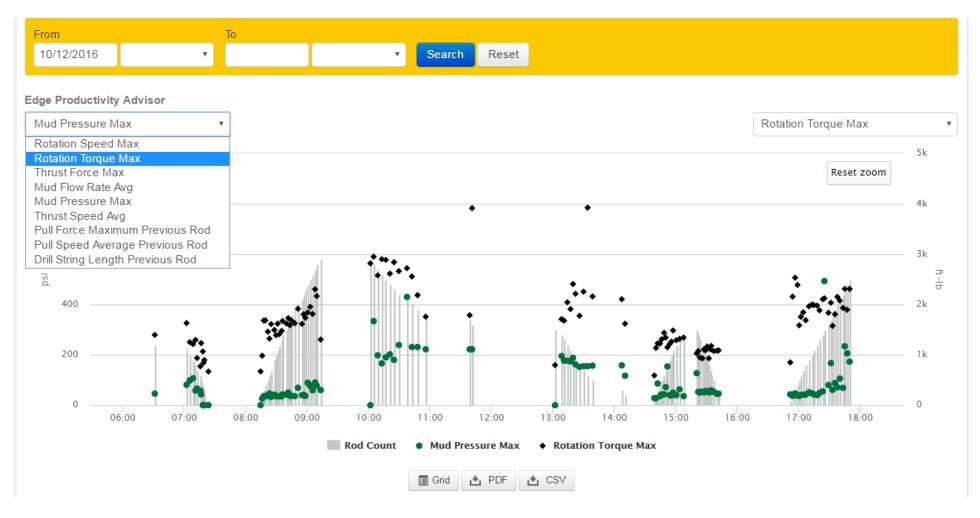


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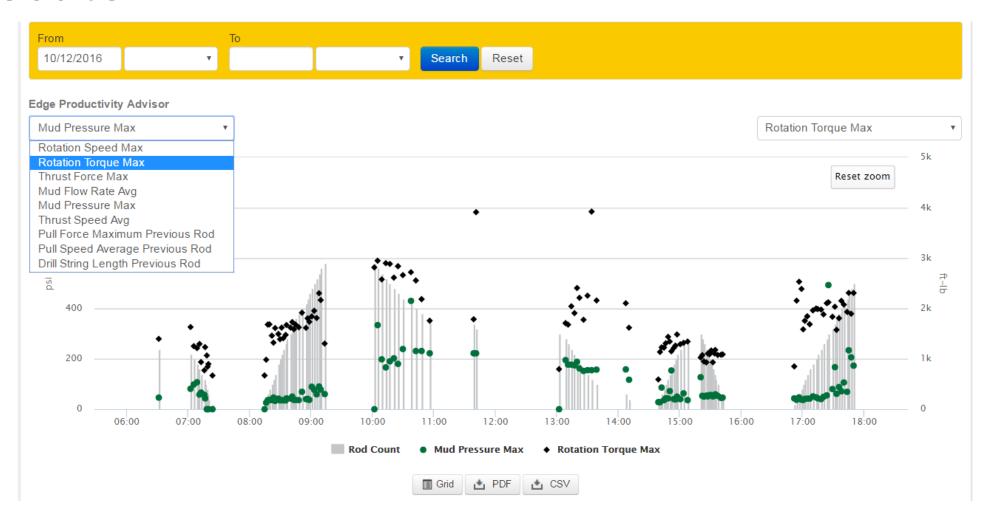


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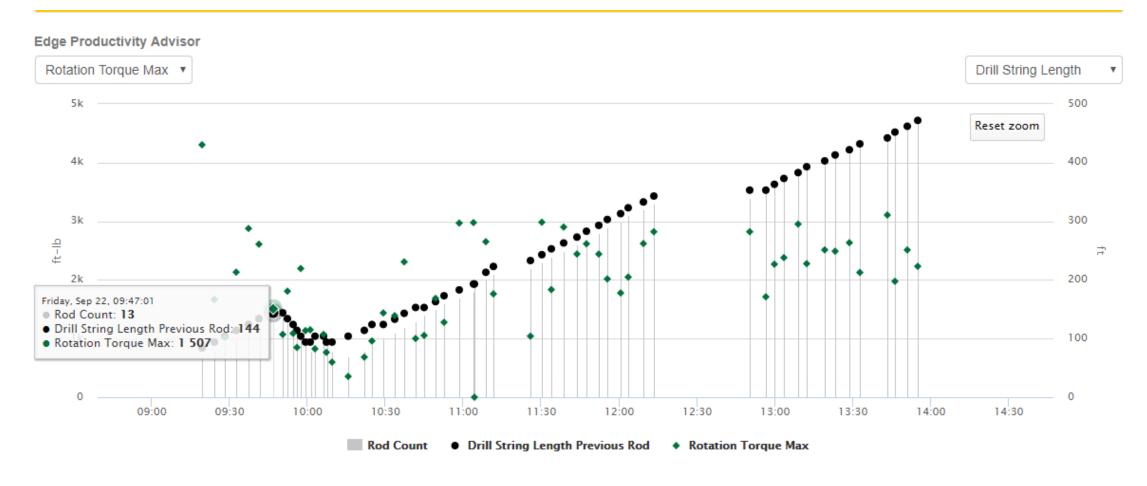


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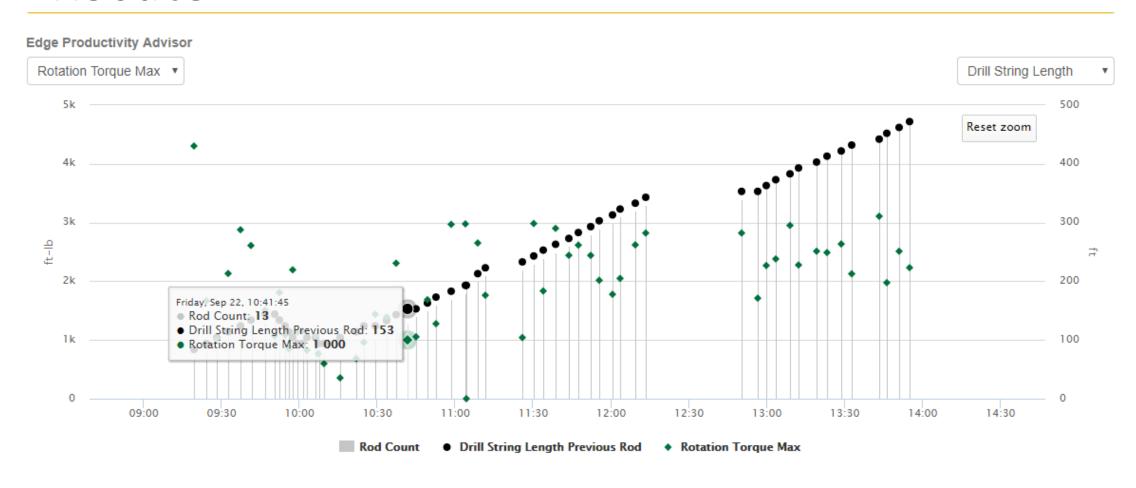


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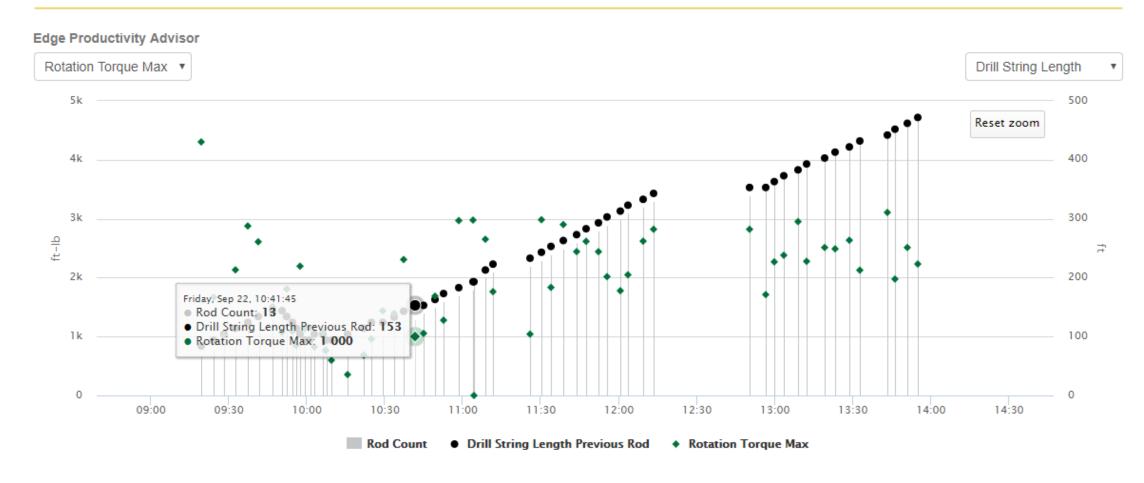


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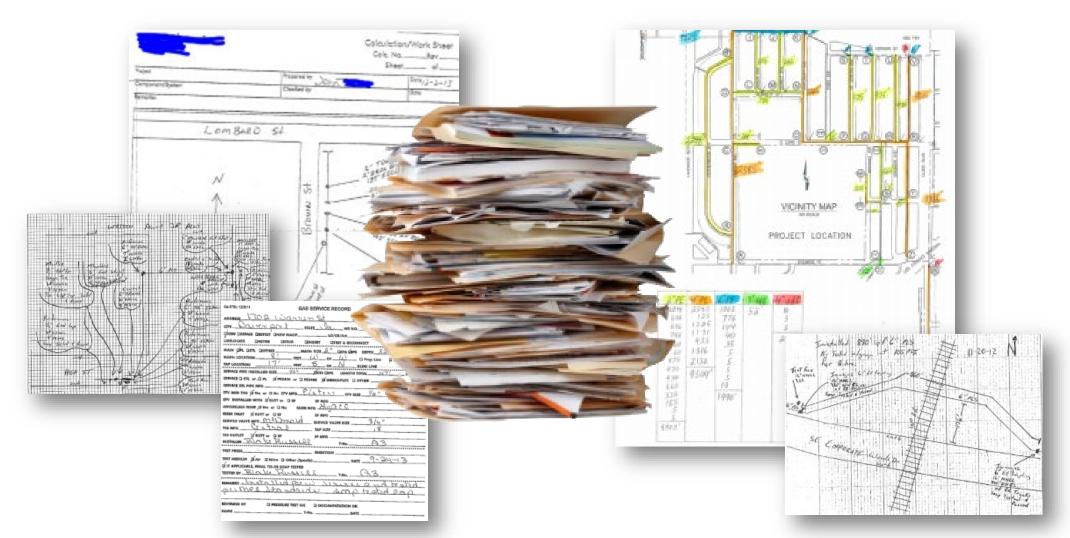


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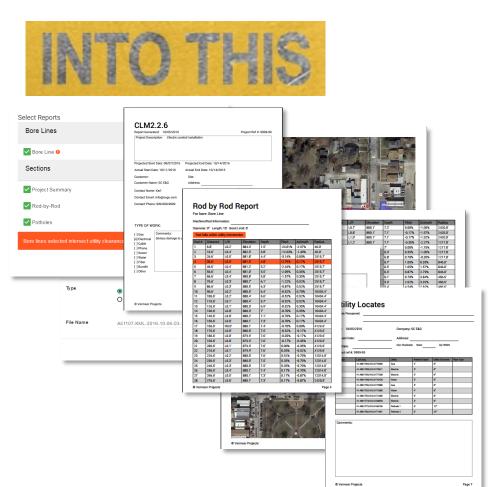


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