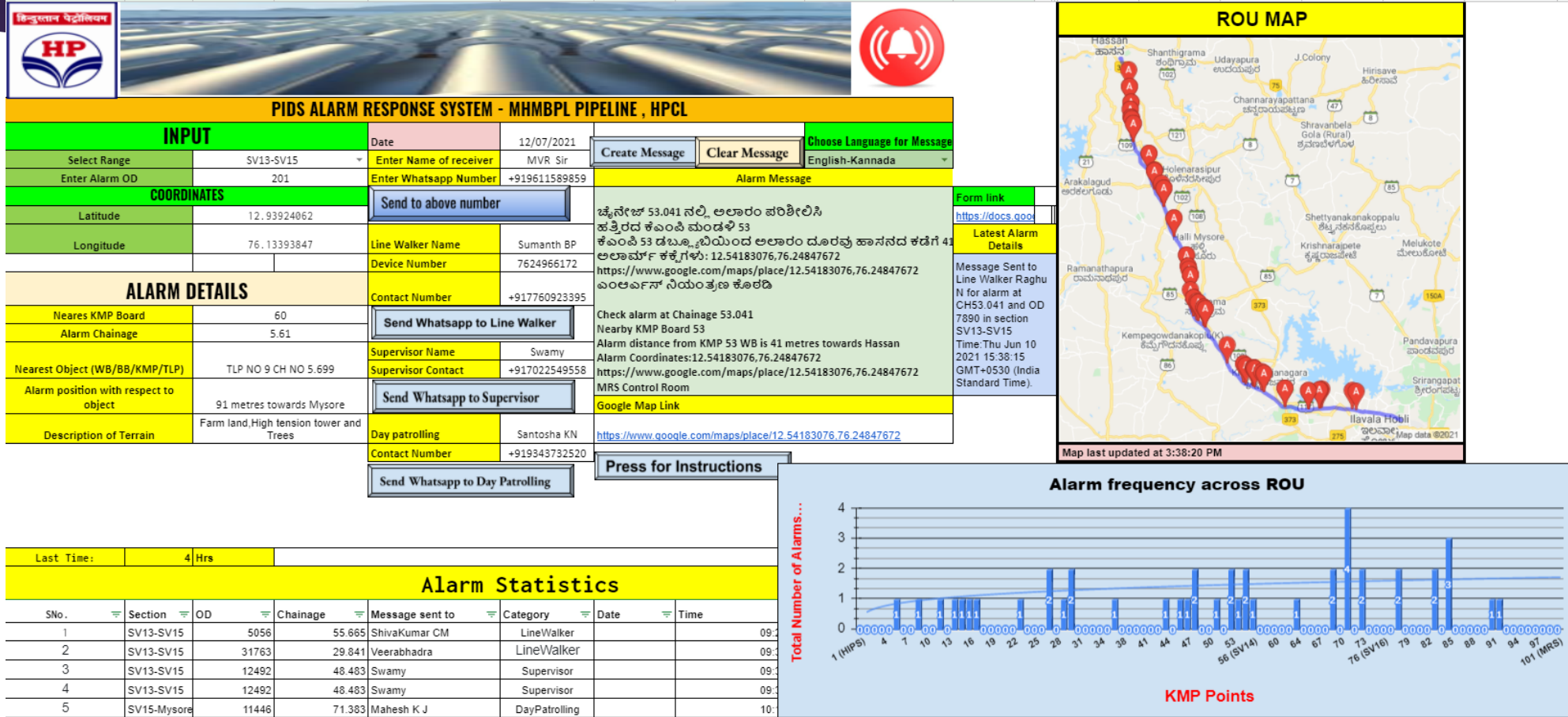




PIDS Alarm Response System

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SYSTEM OVERVIEW



BACKGROUND

- ▶ **Pipeline Intrusion Detection System (PIDS)** is deployed across the pipeline network of HPCL to ensure safety and security of ROU. It detects any activity that occurs on the ROU and generates alarms in the client machines present in the control room which are then communicated to the concerned line walker/patrolling vehicle for physical verification by the control room officer/engineer. However, the system does not display the exact Chainage value of the alarm and rather displays the Optical Distance (OD), section (based on controller) and GPS coordinates.
- ▶ The Chainage is manually calculated using a calibration sheet by the C/R officer and then communicated to the respective line walkers by calling and explaining them the alarm details (Chainage, section, nearby Warning Board/TLP Box/KMP Board etc.). This activity is often time consuming and prone to human error increasing the response time, directly impacting the safety of the pipeline.

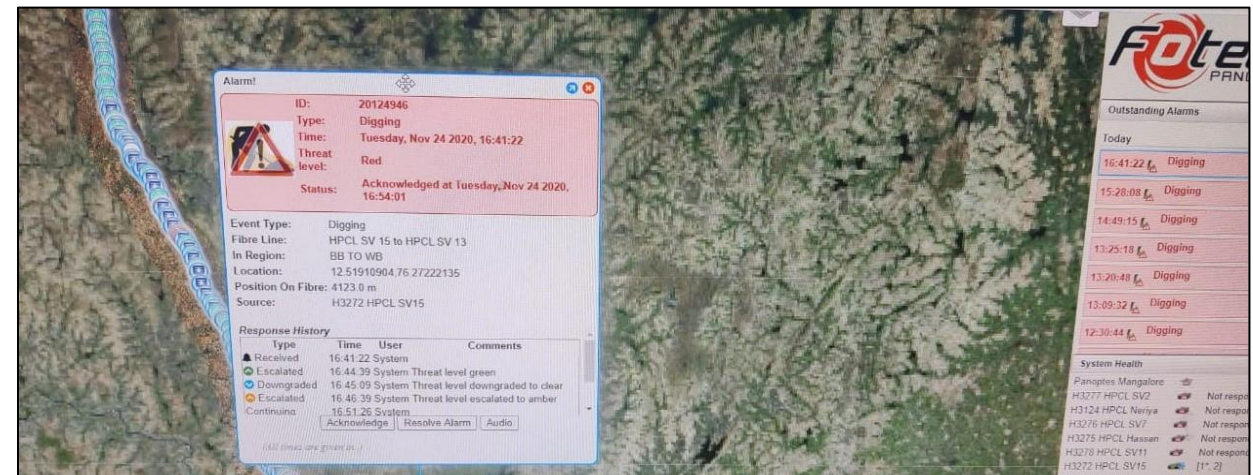
OBJECTIVES

- ▶ To automate and expedite the process of Chainage calculation of alarms generated via PIDS System.
- ▶ To inform the concerned field authorities (Line Walkers/Supervisors/Day Patrolling) about the alarm details more efficiently along with exact GPS coordinates of the alarm point for higher accuracy.
- ▶ To develop a low cost, user friendly, multi lingual and a system with analytical capabilities for enhancing the surveillance capabilities of the pipeline security teams.
- ▶ To provide faster and smarter response to alarms generated using technology, thus **enhancing overall safety of the pipeline network.**

INPUTS

- Choose alarm section (HIPS – SV13, SV13- SV15 or SV15- Mysore) and enter Alarm Optical Distance (OD) and displayed in PIDS System.

INPUT	
Select Range	SV13-SV15 ▼
Enter Alarm OD	4123
Enter GPS Coordinates	
Latitude	12.51862502
Longitude	76.27276539



Output – Alarm Details

Based on the above inputs, the following information is calculated and displayed:

- ▶ Alarm Chainage (0 – 100)
- ▶ Nearest KMP Board
- ▶ Alarm GPS Coordinates
- ▶ Nearest Object (TLP Box/Warning Board/Bend Board/KMP board)
- ▶ Alarm position with respect to the nearest object for identification
- ▶ Description of location and terrain

ALARM DETAILS	
Neares KMP Board	57
Alarm Chainage	56.574
Nearest Object (WB/BB/KMP/TLP)	TURNING POINT 56.673
Alarm position with respect to object	128 metres towards Mysore
Description of Terrain	Farm land

<div>Create Message</div> <div>Clear Message</div>		<div>Choose Language for Message</div> <div>English-Kannada</div>
Alarm Message		
<p>ಚೈನೇಜ್ 56.574 ನಲ್ಲಿ ಅಲಾರಂ ಪರಿಶೀಲಿಸಿ ಹತ್ತಿರದ ಕೆಎಂಪಿ ಮಂಡಳಿ 57 ಟರ್ನಿಂಗ್ ಪಾಯಿಂಟ್ 56.673 ರಿಂದ ಅಲಾರಾಂ ದೂರ ಮೈಸೂರು ಕಡೆಗೆ 128 ಮೀಟರ್ ಅಲಾರ್ಮ್ ಕೋರ್ಡಿನೇಟ್: 12.51862502,76.27276539 https://www.google.com/maps/place/12.51862502,76.27276539 ಎಂಆರ್‌ಎಸ್ ನಿಯಂತ್ರಣ ಕೊಠಡಿ</p> <p>Check alarm at Chainage 56.574 Nearby KMP Board 57 Alarm distance from TURNING POINT 56.673 is 128 metres towards Mysore Alarm Coordinates:12.51862502,76.27276539 https://www.google.com/maps/place/12.51862502,76.27276539 MRS Control Room</p>		
Google Map Link		
https://www.google.com/maps/place/12.51862502,76.27276539		

- Auto generated alarm message contains Chainage, nearby KMP board, Alarm distance from the nearby object, Alarm Coordinates and the google map link in the selected language.
- Check the message and modify accordingly if needed.

- A message in the selected language is auto created with all alarm details.

<div>Create Message</div> <div>Clear Message</div>		<div>Choose Language for Message</div> <div>English-Marathi</div>
Alarm Message		
<p>चेनगे 56.574 वर अलार्म तपासा जवळील केएमपी बोर्ड 57 म्हैसूरच्या दिशेने टर्निंग पॉइंट 56.673 पासून अलार्म अंतर 128 मीटर आहे अलार्म समन्वय: 12.51862502,76.27276539 https://www.google.com/maps/place/12.51862502,76.27276539 एमआरएस कंट्रोल रूम</p> <p>Check alarm at Chainage 56.574 Nearby KMP Board 57 Alarm distance from TURNING POINT 56.673 is 128 metres towards Mysore Alarm Coordinates:12.51862502,76.27276539 https://www.google.com/maps/place/12.51862502,76.27276539 MRS Control Room</p>		
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- The contact details of all the line walkers / supervisors are already entered into the system.
- The supervisor has to just select the name of the particular line walker for that patch on that day in a simple form every morning.

MRS Line Walker Daily Details


*** Required**

Your name *

☐ Ashok CP
☐ Swamy
☐ Other: _____

Date *

Date

dd-mm-yyyy 

Line walker for Patch (0-9.5 D) *

Choose ▼

Line walker for Patch (9.5-19 D) *

Choose ▼

Line walker for Patch (19.5-28 D) *

Choose ▼

- The name and contact details of the concerned Line Walker/Supervisor based on the alarm chainage gets displayed.
- For Eg: Chainage 56.57 comes under by Line Walker of patch 42-57 who is Raghu N and hence his name and contact details are displayed.

Line Walker Name	Raghu N
Device Number	7624966178
Contact Number	+919731259681
Send Whatsapp to Line Walker	
Supervisor Name	Ashok CP
Supervisor Contact	+918150949039
Send Whatsapp to Supervisor	
Day patrolling	Mahesh K J
Contact Number	+919740228527
Send Whatsapp to Day Patrolling	

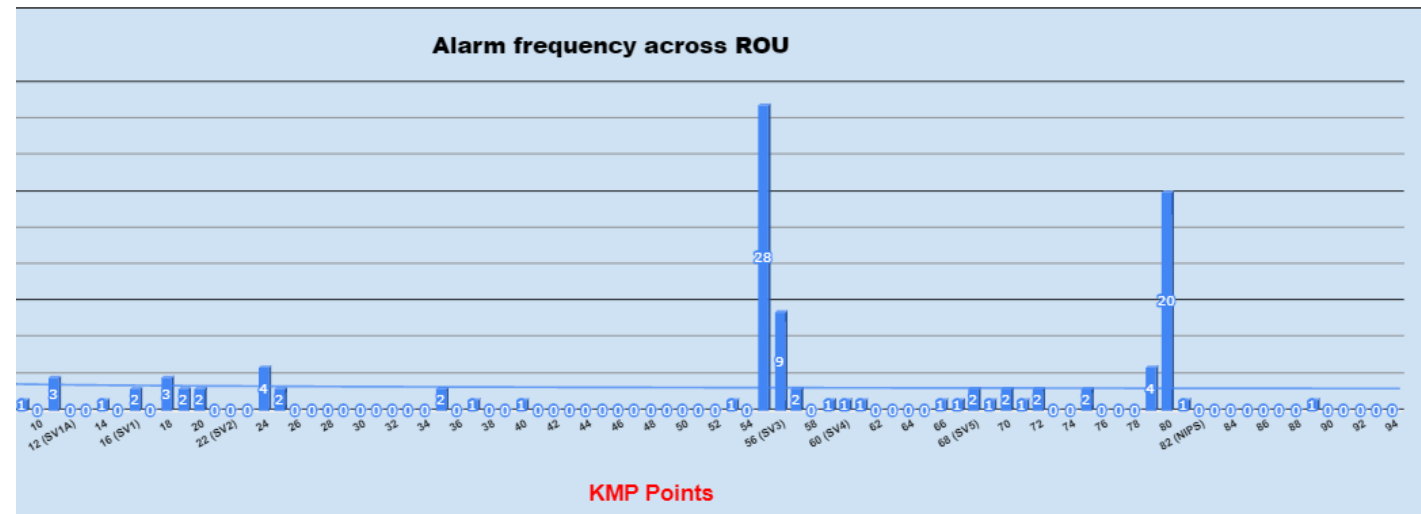
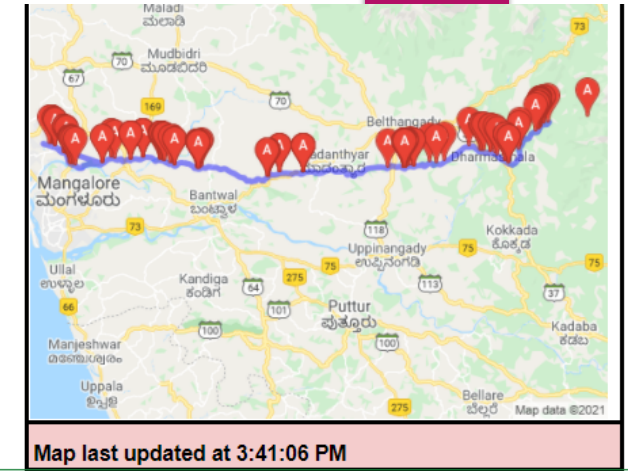
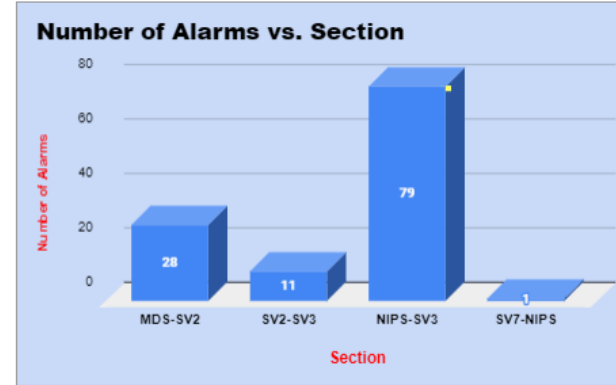
Sending Alarm Details

- Send the previously created message to the Line Walker, Supervisor or Day Patrolling through WhatsApp account of IS Phone in the Control Room by pressing the respective "Send Button".
- Additionally, alarm details can also be sent to a user-desired number by entering the number in the input box and pressing the button given below.

Date	16/04/2021
Enter Name of receiver	MVR Sir
Enter Whatsapp Number	+91 9687644634
Send to above number	
Line Walker Name	Raghu N
Device Number	7624966178
Contact Number	+919731259681
Send Whatsapp to Line Walker	
Supervisor Name	Ashok CP
Supervisor Contact	+918150949039
Send Whatsapp to Supervisor	
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- **User-friendly:** Several user prompts are also included to make the UI user friendly like Instructions button, prompts when user tries to send a message even when GPS coordinates are empty or when clearing the message body etc.
- **Data analytics** of generated alarms is also possible through **alarm logger**, **map visualization** and **various graphs** in the system. Alarm message is **multi-lingual** enabling smooth communication and faster response to enhance the **safety** of the pipeline.
- **Open source:** System is developed using open source software and hence completely **free of any operational costs**



THANK YOU