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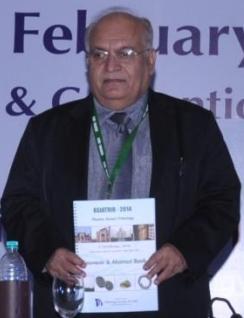
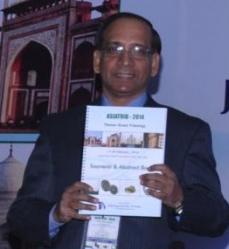


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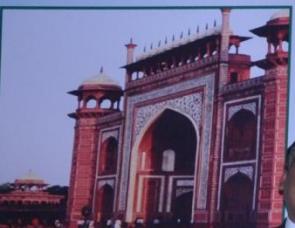
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**Ferrography provides an early warning of Machinery Components Abnormal Wear Modes**

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**UE SYSTEMS INC.**  
The ultrasound approach

**Ultrasound Assisted Lubrication**  
Dinesh Pratap Singh,  
For UE Systems, Inc.

60-80% of all bearing failures are lubrication related



Time based vs Condition Based Lubrication

Many oil lube schedules are just guesses



1. Test
2. Identify
3. Diagnosis
4. Lubricate



Prevent Over Lubrication  
Causing Temperature Increase



Seal Failures



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## ON-LINE MODEL

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## Abstract

Coefficient of friction at the roll-strip interface is an important parameter required for prediction of roll force, torque and power for model based operation (level-2 automation) of hot strip mills. As there is no direct method of its measurement, it is being estimated from other measurable parameters like flow stress of material, strip temperature, roll gap, mill speed, and roll force using a mathematical-physical Neural Network (ANN) hybrid model developed for the purpose. This paper discusses the methodology of model development and its validation by comparing predicted roll force and measured roll force.

## Importance of the Estimation of Coefficient of Friction

Accurate estimation of coefficient of friction at the roll-strip interface during hot rolling of strip is important for two reasons:  
• There is no direct method for measurement of coefficient of friction at roll-strip interface.

• Estimated value is used for prediction of roll force which is an important component for model based operation (level-2 automation) of hot strip mill. The predicted roll force is further used to predict torque and power requirement.

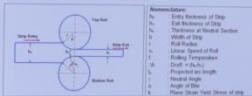
The estimated value is used as a performance indicator for hot rolling oils used in Roll Bite Lubrication (RBL) systems.

## Model Development Philosophy



Mathematical Models are developed using fundamental derived equations. As this is based on simplified assumptions, accuracy of this method is low when applied to real life conditions.  
• Black box models are developed by finding patterns in data. Artificial Neural Network (ANN) and regression based models are examples of such methods. Problems in convergence and non-repeatability with industrial data are problems faced by such models.  
• SAIL-RDCIS models use hybrid modeling techniques combining both Mathematical and ANN model. This method is found to be highly accurate in industrial applications.

## Mathematical Model for Roll Force



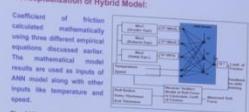
Roll Force derived by Russian scientist Tsvilkin is given by:

$$F_U = \frac{\pi}{4} \cdot \mu \cdot \left[ \left( \frac{h_1}{R_1} \right)^2 + \left( \frac{h_2}{R_2} \right)^2 \right]$$

where  $h_i = (l_i^2 + h_i^{ext})^{1/2}$ ,  $R_i = \sqrt{r_i^2 + h_i^2}$  and friction factor  $\mu = \frac{2f}{\lambda}$ .

where  $f$  (friction coefficient) is an important parameter for prediction of roll force.

## Conceptualization of Hybrid Model:

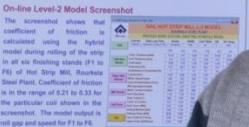


The ANN model is back-Forward network type with back-propagation algorithm used for training of the model. Coefficient of friction was calculated mathematically from measured roll force using the following equation. After the training of the model with measured roll force data, the model can predict coefficient of friction from the rest of input data which is used for prediction of roll force using Tsvilkin's method.

## Data Communication System for On-line Model



## On-line Level-2 Model Screenshot



## Validation of Model



The screenshot shows that the coefficient of friction calculated using the hybrid model during rolling of the strip in the Rourkela Steel Plant (RSP) of Hot Strip Mill (HSM) of the Rourkela Steel Plant. Coefficient of friction is calculated by the model for the particular coil shown in the screenshot. The model output is used for prediction of roll gap and speed for FE.

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## Erosion, Characterisation and Wear Performance Evaluation of Polymer Composites with Blast Furnace Slag Particles as Filler

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**Abstract:**

Blast furnace slag (BFS) is a major industrial waste generated in huge quantities during the extraction of iron ores in the blast furnace. Its potential as a material in polymer matrices has not yet been explored. The main objective of this work is to examine the possibility of making a class of erosion resistant polymer composites with the slag particles as fillers. Two types of BFS (size of 45-50 micrometers and 20 and 30 wt% of BFS reinforced in epoxy) are selected. Solid particle erosion wear trials are conducted following a well planned experimental scheme based on Taguchi design of experiments.

**Taguchi Experimental Model:**  
Taguchi's experimental design is a powerful methodology for understanding and analyzing the influence of control factors on performance. The erosion wear tests on the composite samples were carried out under different operating conditions by varying five parameters, viz., impact velocity, impact angle, droplet temperature, particle angle and filler content each at four levels in accordance with Taguchi's L<sub>9</sub> (4<sup>5</sup>) orthogonal array.



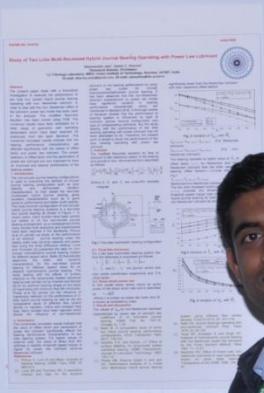
WEAR EFFECTIVE MASS LOADS OF SCALES FOR DIFF. FILLERS



	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Wear Effective Mass Load (g/m²)	12.50	12.50	12.50	12.50	12.50	12.50	12.50	12.50
Impact Velocity (m/s)	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
Impact Angle (°)	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45
Droplet Temperature (°C)	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20
Particle Angle (°)	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45
Filler Content (%)	0	20	30	45	50	60	70	80
Wear Rate (mg/m².s)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

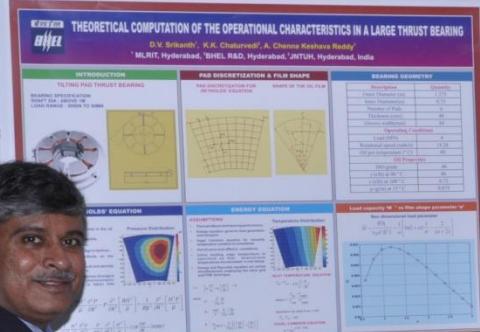
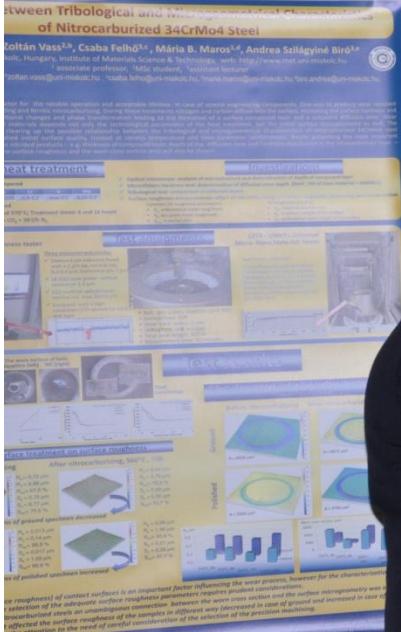
The results show that the wear resistance of the composites is highly dependent on the BFS content. The wear rate decreases with increasing BFS content. The wear rate of the composites is lower than that of pure epoxy.

**Keywords:** Erosion, Wear, Polymer composites, Blast furnace slag, Taguchi design of experiments.



Wear tests using ceramic coated ballbearings were performed to evaluate a tribological behavior of hot components operated under extreme environments. Wear rate and friction coefficient of the thermal barrier coatings were measured. The friction coefficient was measured by wear processes and due to these processes the friction coefficient was measured. The wear test without the solid particles had a higher friction than the wear test with the solid particles. It seems that the particles trapped between the surface and the tribological behavior of the thermal barrier coatings.

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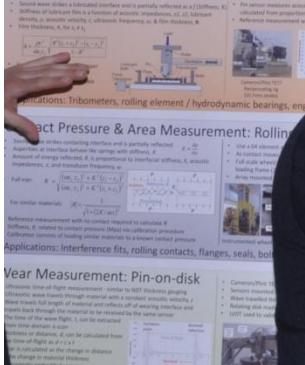
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### Ultrasonic Theory

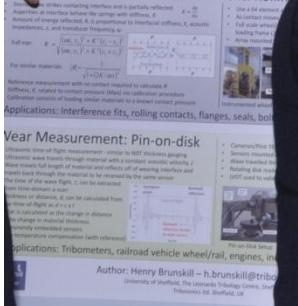
• ACTIVE ULTRASONICS - generating a sound wave (NOT just "listening") (4d)



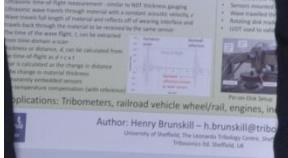
Lubricant Film Thickness Measurement: Reciprocating Pin-on-Disk



### Contact Pressure & Area Measurement: Rolling Wheel-on-Cylinder



### Wear Measurement: Pin-on-Disk





## Ultrasonic applications in Tribology

### Ultrasonic Theory

- ACTIVE ULTRASOUND - generating a sound wave (20-70 kHz) not 'driven' wave
- Non-invasive measurement of surface porosity, roughness, and waviness



### Lubricant Film Thickness Measurements

#### Ultrasound Pin-on-Flat

#### Contact Pressure

- Sound wave or pulses are reflected and partially reflected from the boundary between two materials
- Seismic waves are generated by the propagation of acoustic impulsive waves in an elastic medium

#### Film thickness, $t_f$ , for $\lambda = \frac{1}{4} \cdot \lambda_c$

- Sensors were inserted at the bottom of the gap in order to measure the distance between the surfaces.

#### Applications: Tribosonic

#### Wear Measure

#### Ultrasonic Microscopy

- Ultrasonic waves of high frequency (MHz) are focused onto a surface to generate a live coded image of the subsurface
- The contact pressure in the ultrasonic microscope can be controlled
- The amount of energy, and therefore the amplitude of the reflection signal, depends on the quality of the surface

#### Kutlev, 2007

- For similar materials:  $A = \alpha \cdot t^2$

#### Reference Measurement with Other Techniques

- Reference measurement with optical microscopy

#### Comparison results of using tribosonic technology with other methods

#### Applications: Tribosonic

## Tribological characterization of MWCNT-reinforced Si<sub>3</sub>N<sub>4</sub> composites

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Mixed ultrasonic lubricated tribotests with different amplitudes (0, 1, 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40 nm) were carried out using a CETR UMT-3 multi-directional reciprocating ball bearing testing equipment. The test conditions have been varied but using a CETR UMT-3 reciprocating ball bearing testing equipment. The wear rate was calculated by the following equation. The effect of composite and test parameters on the tribological behavior was also investigated.

### Investigated samples

Si<sub>3</sub>N<sub>4</sub> (TFA 300), Si<sub>3</sub>N<sub>4</sub> (TFA 500), Si<sub>3</sub>N<sub>4</sub> (TFA 700), Si<sub>3</sub>N<sub>4</sub> (TFA 900)

### Testing equipment

CETR UMT-3 multi-directional reciprocating ball bearing testing equipment

#### Tribological module

Ball bearing, Test fixture, Surface Tester, Nanomeasure module

#### Surface Tester

Non-contact profilometer, Contact profilometer, Image processing, Data analysis

#### Nanomeasure module

Diamond stylus, Non-contact sensor, Vibration isolation system, Nanomeasure software

### Test parameters

Normal load, 30 N, 80 N

Rotational speed, 120 rpm, 240 rpm

Oscillation distance, 1000 nm

Frequency, 1 Hz

dry sliding, room temp., 50% rel. humidity

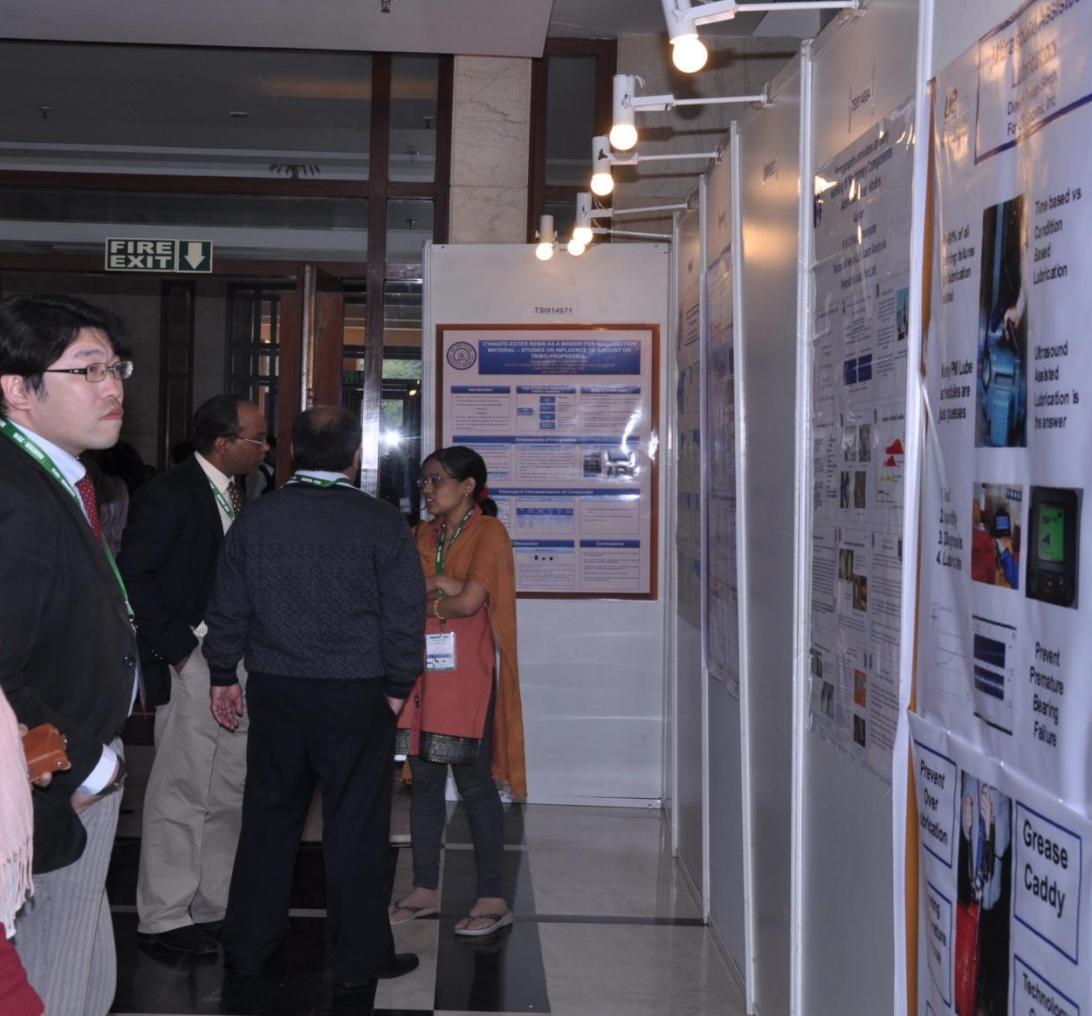
### Calculation of wear rate

$$W = \frac{V}{A \cdot T}$$

$V$ : Volume of removed material,  $A$ : Area of removed material,  $T$ : Time of measurement

### Test results

Wear rate vs. oscillation amplitude, Wear rate vs. frequency, Wear rate vs. load



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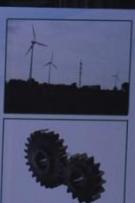
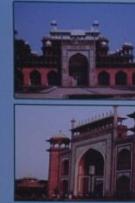
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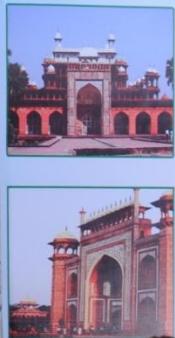


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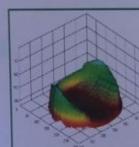
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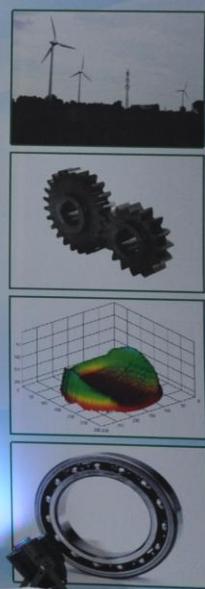


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