

# **GENERAL DYNAMICS** Mission Systems

# Design Review 3

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#### 2017 United States Coast Guard Sectors Map

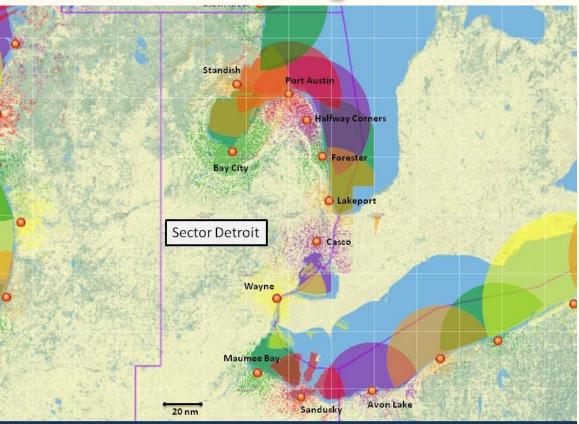


#### **Coast Guard** Coverage

The US Coast Guard monitors over 296,000 nautical miles of sea in addition to land coverage.



### **Rescue 21 Coverage**



Rescue21 Regional coverage analysis of VHF receive antenna based on geographical line-of-sight. *System requirement: At least 20 nm offshore for a 1 watt VHF-FM Ch 16 signal transmitted form two meters above water surface.* 



#### Rescue21 RFF Station

## **GDMS** Additions

#### • Ability to

- Collect Weather Information
  - Temperature, Humidity, Rain, Wind Speed, Wind Direction
- Collect Power Information
  - Antenna Power Information (4 different antennas)

Rain output:	value from 0 to 1023	(1023 = no rain : 0 = Heavy rain)
Direction:	Output range from 0 to 360 deg	
Power levels range:	Range from -105 dBm to -85 dBm	
Humidity sensor levels:	0 to 100%	
Temperature:	Range from -40 to 80 Celsius	(-40 to 176 Fahrenheit)
Wind Speed:	Range from 0 to 200 mph	

## What additions will do for GDMS?

With weather and power data, General Dynamics will be able to:

- Reduce Outage Time
- Predict Equipment Damage
- Help with Maintenance Scheduling





These abilities will increase the chances that SAR missions will succeed.

### Site Weather and Power Recorder (SWAPR)

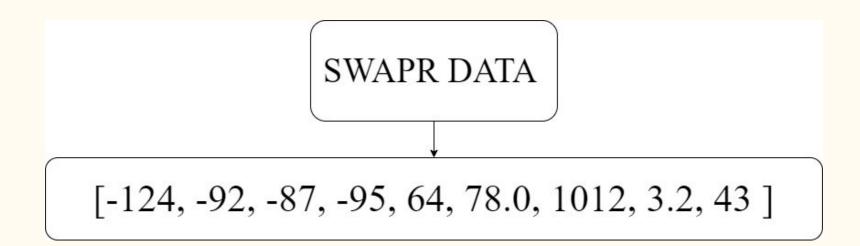
We are expanding upon last year's Electrical Engineering Capstone Project: Site Weather and Power Recorder (SWAPR)



SWAPR Wind Sensor

### **Problem Statement**

- Output is difficult to read/analyze and there is no interface
- The SWAPR data is only available directly at the site



### **Solution Overview**

Our team has built a secure web application that expands on the functionality of an existing prototype.

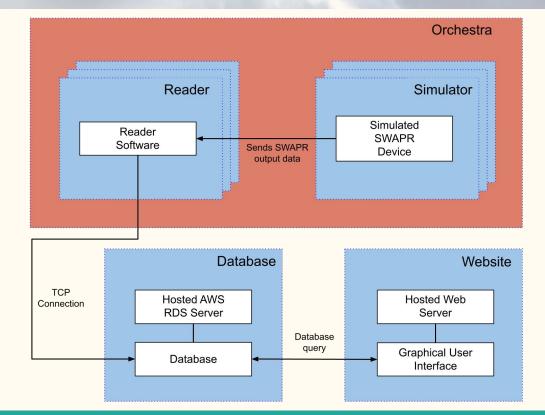
This solution provides new features such as:

- Remote data storage and access
- $\circ$   $\;$  Interactive, visual representations of the data  $\;$
- Monitoring and operational status RFFs
- Notifications for RFFs entering critical events

### **Solution Overview: Overview Diagram**

#### Five Subsystems:

- Simulator generates output
- **Reader** transfers data to the database
- Database stores data
- Website displays data using graphical user interface
- Orchestra simulates an entire network of SWAPR devices



### **Solution Overview: Website**

Website Subsystem queries the database to retrieve data to generate views and status notifications for the user.

- Summary Views
  - List View: Overview of RFF weather data
  - Map View: Overview of RFF locations and operational status
- Historical View
  - Graphs: History of entry weather and power data as a line, bar, or radar graph

- Notification System
  - Notifications created to provide operational status
  - Drop-down list to view notifications

### **Requirements Overview**

#### Key Requirements:

- 1. Create data imitating the SWAPR device's output
- 2. Take data from a SWAPR device and send it securely off-site
- 3. Store and serve SWAPR data in a secure manner
- 4. Establish a secure website environment with authentication
- 5. Create a list, map, and historical views of the SWAPR devices in the network
- 6. Create a way to notify operator when there is a problem with an RFF site

### **Requirements Overview**

- C# Programming Language
- Microsoft's Visual Studio IDE
- Built-in .NET 5 libraries
- Blazor Server Framework
- Windows Environment
- MySQL Database
- Amazon Web Services (AWS)
  - EC2, RDS, Lambda Function, SQS, SNS



### **Architecture & Implementation**

#### Entry class contained data:

- RFF Site Id
- Datetime Entry
- Weather & Power data
- Status

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#### **Architecture and Implementation Review**

Account Management	Database Queries	Notifications	CSV Data Exporting	List View	Map View	Historical View
C# Identity Class	MySQL C# classes & DBContext class	Custom C# templates and Custom C# methods	EPPlus, C# models, and IActionResult class	C# wrapper class of Canvas.js	Custom SVG document editor, html maps, & C# Navigation Manager	C# wrapper class of Chart.js

#### **Identity Functionality**

Register Log in

- Buttons used for Identity functionality. Located in top right hand corner of website

#### Administration

You're not logged in.

Error given when accessing page locked to admin roles while not being signed in.

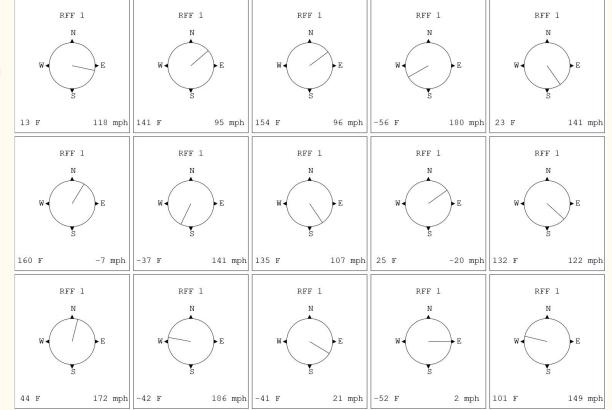
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- Error given when accessing page locked to admin roles while being signed in as user.

#### Website Subsystem: List View

Diagram showing The List View Graphic w/ 15 sites as an example



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#### Website Subsystem: Map View



Diagram of the Map View w/ 5 sites

#### Website Subsystem: Historical View

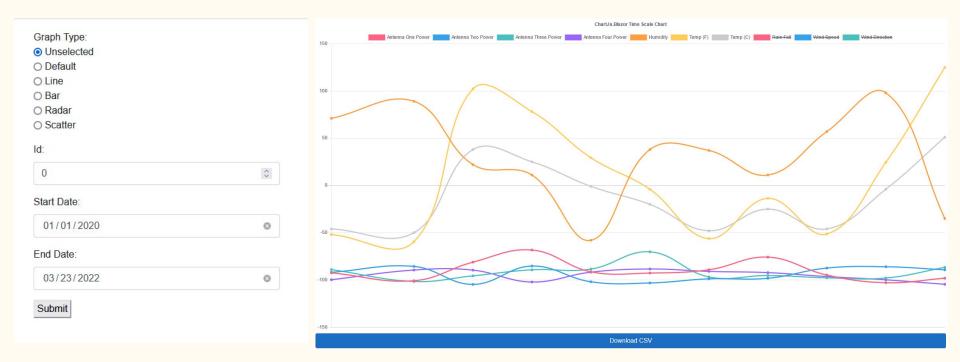


Diagram of the historical view: home page and line graph

### Website Subsystem: Notifications and Status

#### Notification Example

SWAPR Notifications

Site.ld 0.\_\_\_\_\_

Site Id 1

Site 1: YELLOW (229) Wind Direction Value Out Of Range, Value: -12.

Site 1: YELLOW (230) Humidity Value Out Of Range, Value: -9.

Site 1: ORANGE (231) Antenna One Value Out Of Range, Value: -64.52756073909232.

Site 1: YELLOW (232) Wind Speed Value Out Of Range, Value: -9.449176730797243.

Site 1: YELLOW (233) Wind Speed Value Out Of Range, Value: -10.294126298881196.

Site 1: YELLOW (234) Wind Direction Value Out Of Range, Value: -1

Diagram of the Notification User View

**Operational Status Colors** 

All data is in acceptable ranges

Weather data is not in acceptable ranges

Antenna power data is not in acceptable ranges

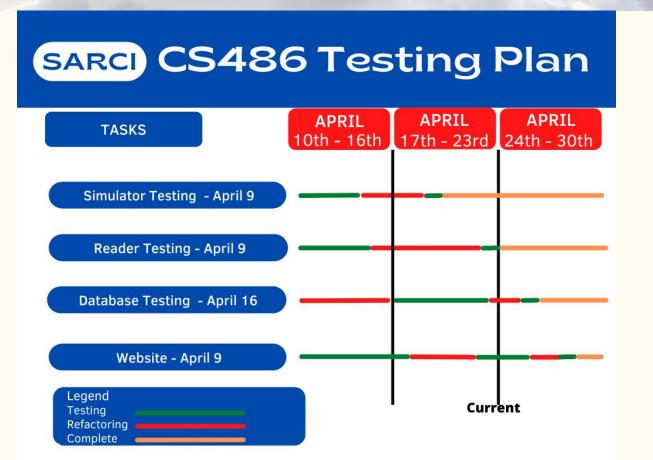
SWAPR data was not received

### **Challenges and Resolutions: Permissions**

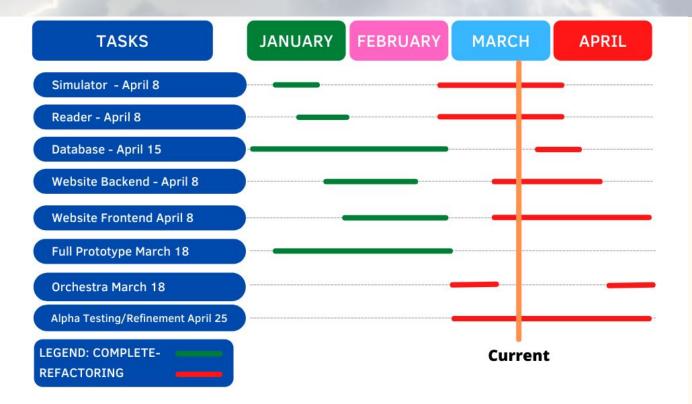
Inadequate research into packages:

- Caused set back due to delays caused from finding alternative solutions
- Solution: Find an open source solution or create custom solutions through .NET packages.
- EX: Tried using R for map view but it wouldn't import into Blazor Server. Found alternative after a month which involved using html maps, svg editing, and the Navigation Manager class.

#### **Testing Plan**



#### Schedule



#### Conclusion

- General Dynamics needs Weather and Antenna Power Data from RFFs
  - Predict Equipment Damage
  - Reduce Outage Time
  - Help with Maintenance Scheduling
- Our Project Builds:
  - Secure website with various graphical views
  - Architecture to collect and store data for website
- Deliver completed product by May 5th

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