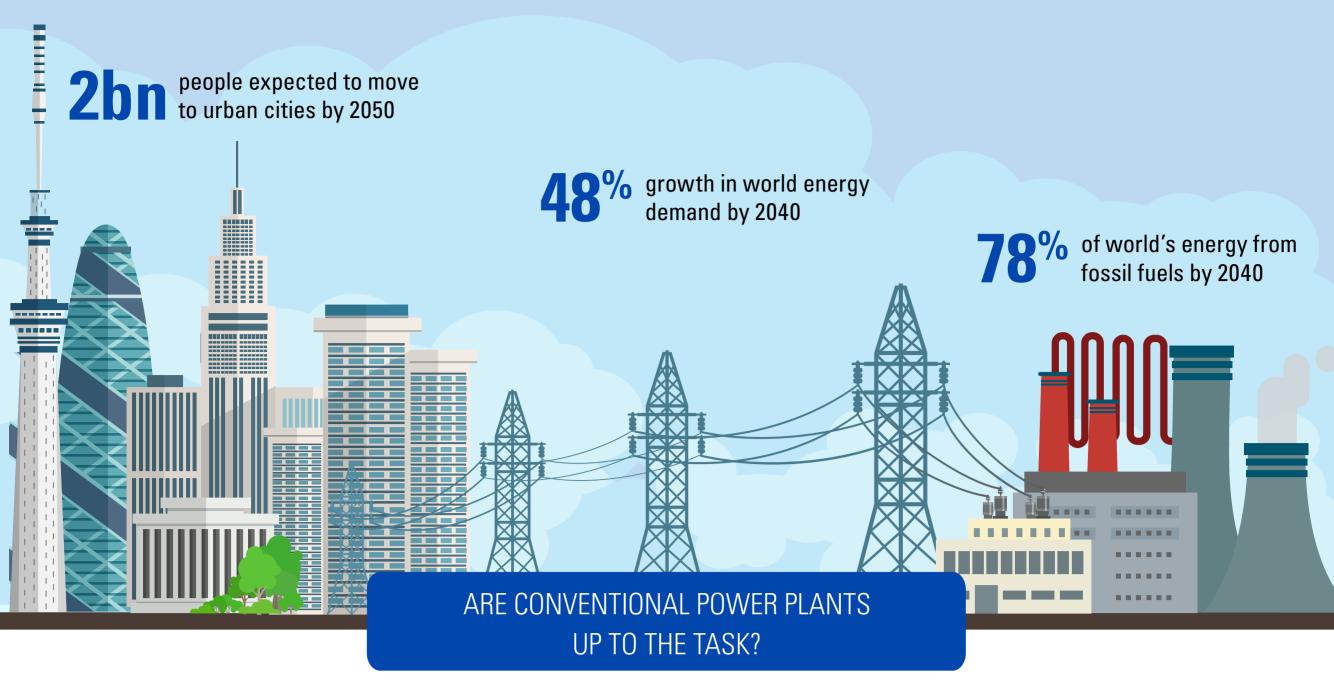
POWERING THROUGH

ARE AGEING POWER PLANTS READY FOR THE COMING SURGE IN WORLD ENERGY DEMANDS?

Global energy consumption is expected to boom in tandem with rapid urbanisation worldwide. Conventional power plants are expected to be the main energy providers. Alarmingly, many power plants may not be efficient enough to meet the coming surge in energy demand.



Power plants and infrastructure in developing and developed countries alike are facing ageing and efficiency-related issues:

1.6% - 2.5%

decrease in efficiency levels of conventional power plants in Europe between 2005 and 2014

38%

less lifespan for coal-fired power plants in developing countries, like India, compared to developed nations

65%

of coal-fired power stations in Australia will be over 40 years old by 2030

HOW CAN WE GET THEM BACK ON TRACK?



Identify risk factors & potential damage

✓ Determine critical components & optimise maintenance

Minimise outages & planned downtime

Evaluate optimisation measures

- Improve operation, monitoring, maintenance & rehabilitation activities
- Increase energy efficiency by up to 10%

Synergise plant system throughout lifecycle

45%

51%

before 1980

of USA's electricity

generating capacity built

of globally-installed

coal-fired power plants in

2012 were over 20 years old

- ✓ Improve energy efficiency of each plant system component
- ✓ Reduce own energy consumption by up to 30%

Integrated retrofitting, renovation & modernisation

✓ Improve overall balance & efficiency of power plant system Extend lifespan by up to 20 years

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