Incline without use of a Pendulum

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NSRP Meeting

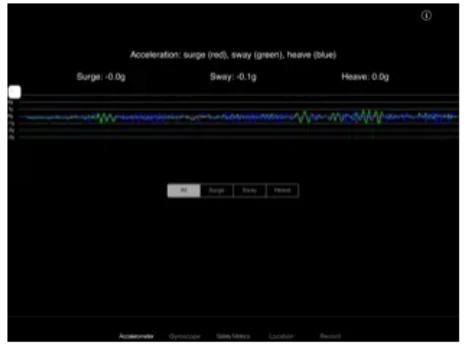
Project Goal

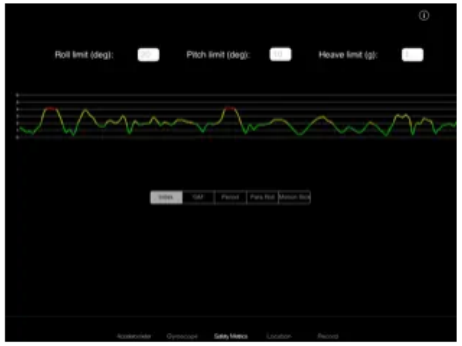
Validate ASTM F132-12 which indicates digital measurement devices can be used in the place of a pendulum by comparing the following equipment during an incline:

1. Inclinometer

2. GPS Unit

3. Phone with app – SCRAMP





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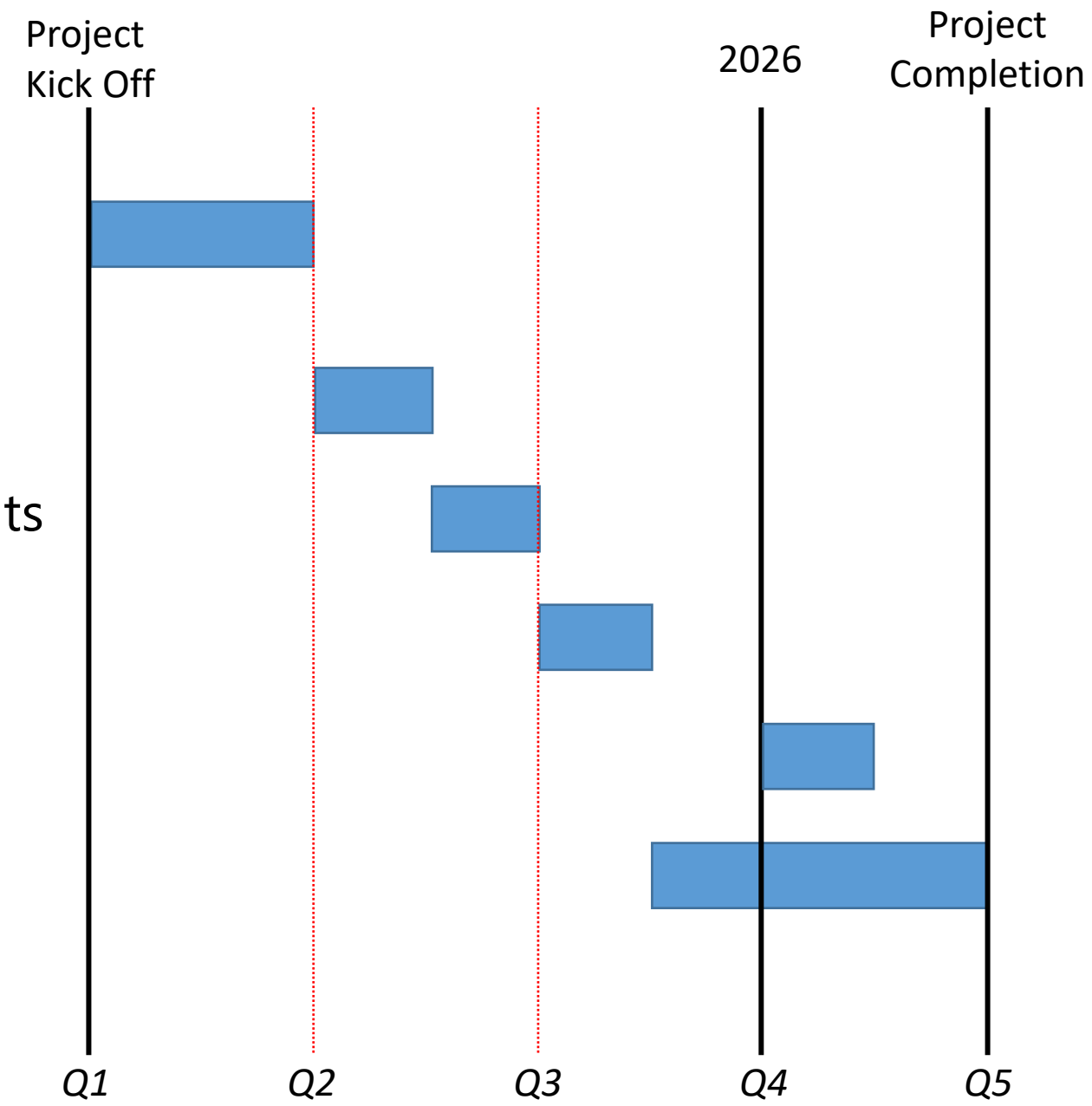
Project Progress

- NASSCO completed an incline for T-AO-4 using digital inclinometers as a first test to further refine what was needed
- Completed kickoff meeting with Austal
- Working with ABS to ensure that the measurement methods meet requirements and will be approved
- GPS material order in work

Schedule

- Stage 1: Develop Test Plan & finalize tools to be used
- Stage 2: Procure Tools for Study
- Stage 3: Tool Study & Analysis of Results
- Stage 4: TATS Incline
- Stage 5: NASSCO Dry Dock Incline
- Stage 5: Results & Equipment Analysis



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