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170,000 Analyzed Drill Stem Tests

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History of Drill Stem Testing

- Working in El Dorado, Arkansas, in the 1920s, E.C. Johnston and his brother M.O. Johnston developed the first drill stem tester and ran the first commercial drill stem test in 1926. In April 1929, the Johnston Formation Testing Corporation was granted a patent (U.S. Patent 1,709,940) and they subsequently refined the testing system in the early 1930s.
- In the 1950s, Schlumberger introduced a method for testing formations using wireline. The Schlumberger formation-testing tool, placed in operation in 1953, fired a shaped charge through a rubber pad that had been expanded in the hole until it was securely fixed in the hole at the depth required. Formation fluids flowed through the perforation and connecting tubing into a container housed inside the tool. When filled, the container was closed, sealing the fluid sample at the formation pressure. The tool was then brought to the surface, where the sample could be examined. In 1956, Schlumberger acquired Johnston Testers.
- Throughout the years numerous testing companies were formed and several differing methods of testing have evolved, including digital recorders and closed chamber tests. Sadly, DST testing has pretty well ceased in North America as of 2018.

Origins of the AIFE File

- The initial days of the AIFE file began at Lynes United Services (a division of Baker Industries) in 1978. Grant Ward, Larry Prier and Wayne Cox made up the hydro team and Steve Misner supervised the data analysis team which were tasked with creating a computerized DST database in Canada. The entire group disbanded in 1981 when Baker elected to get out of the 'high tech' end of the business, with Steve Misner continuing with the file through CIFE.
- CIFE, Canadian Institute of Formation Evaluation Ltd., continued with the construction of the Canadian database and initiated the American DST data library through its subsidiary, AIFE, American Institute of Formation Evaluation Ltd.
- Grant and Steve worked together again in 1986, with Grant heading the Hydrodynamics division of CIFE, Canadian Institute of Formation Evaluation Ltd., where they would provide several regional hydrodynamic studies to the industry. The CIFE database covering Canada was sold to IHS Canada in 2000 and is considered the industry standard for Drill Stem Test data.
- Steve Misner has continued to construct the U.S. DST database, and has been personally responsible for the collection of over 110,000 individual tests, from petroleum resource firms, DST testing companies and private individuals.
- In 1988 Canadian Hunter identified the Ring Border field, a Triassic discovery in British Columbia with estimated reserves at the time of 1.4 TCF. This discovery was made utilizing the CIFE drill stem test data file. The DST, which was tight and identified as potentially damaged on the CIFE file, led to the discovery by the highly regarded team at Canadian Hunter, including, but certainly not limited to, Murray Grigg, Janelle Davison, and Ian van Staaldinen.

Ring Border 1.4 TCF

Open Hole Testing Techniques I

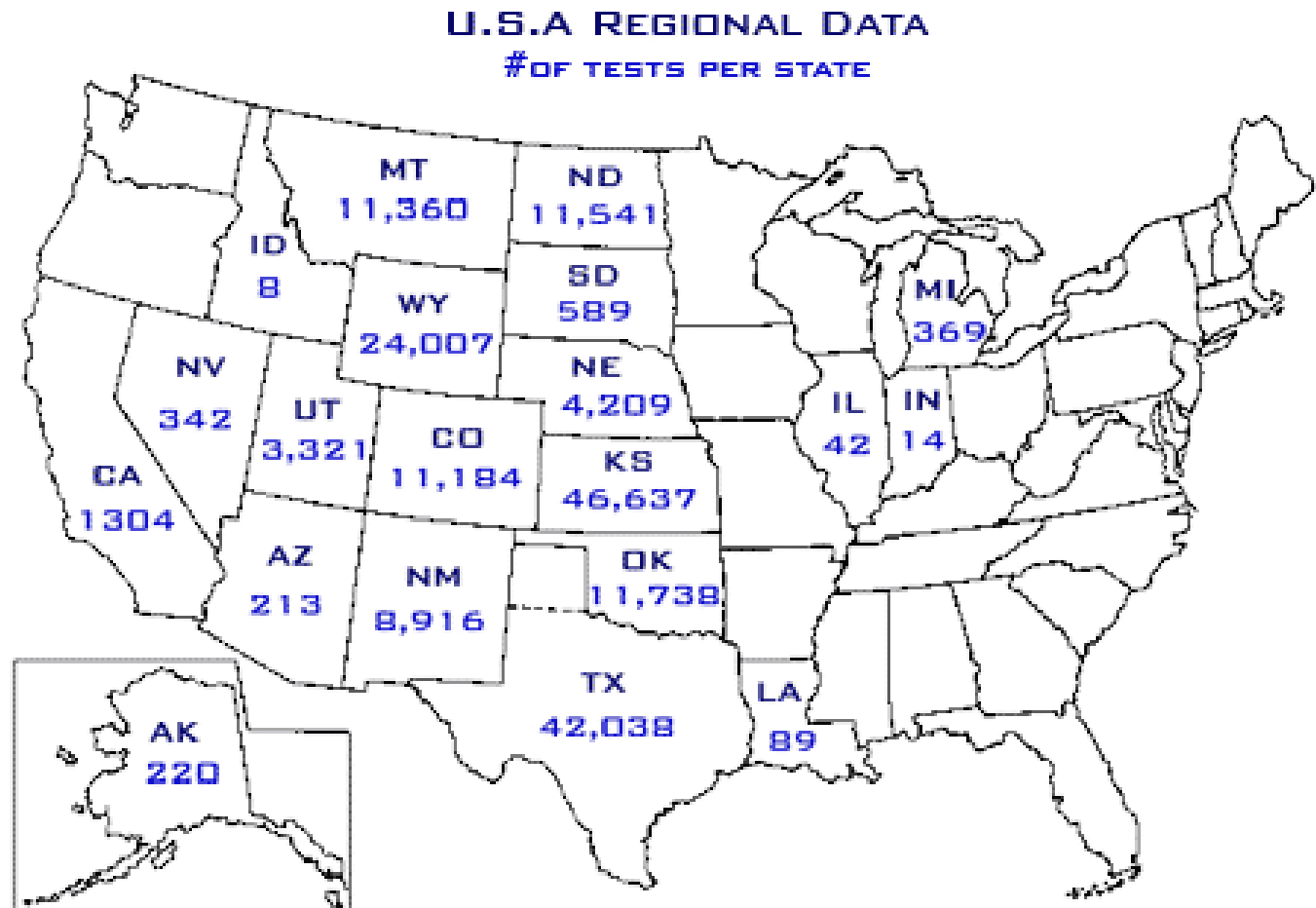
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DRILLSTEM TEST ANALYSIS - PROBLEMS OF DST EVALUATIONS IN LOW PERMEABILITY HYDROCARBON SYSTEMS

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Quantitative drillstem test analysis is often the key technology used to judge the flow capability of a well prior to casing a well. Quantitative drillstem test analysis is capable of estimating insitu flow capacity and formation damage. Initial post completion flow rates of oil, gas and water can be estimated from drillstem test data analysis. We find this technique is reliable for fair to excellent permeability reservoir rocks for the Western Canada Sedimentary Basin. The low permeability reservoir rocks systems (0.1 mD to 10 mD) tend to be underestimated especially in the Deep Basin hydrocarbon saturated areas. Several case histories will be examined to demonstrate the severity of this wellbore evaluation problem. The underestimation of permeability can be 10 fold to as much as 100 fold. It is possible to condemn commercial rock quality based on drillstem test information which was interpreted as tight rock. This drillstem test misinterpretation phenomenon has been used to locate economic bypassed hydrocarbons and was one of the keys to the discovery of the Ring Border Montney Field, N.E. British Columbia.

Historical DST Coverage by State



Historical drill stem test data has not, for the most part, been available in the United States, as no regulatory authority existed historically to collect this important information. AIFE has invested over \$1.0 million to assimilate the raw data file, and over \$4.0 million to analyze and computerize this information.

AIFE Data Sources

- AIFE's drill stem test (DST) database contains over 170,000 analyzed tests for the United States covering the period 1948 to present.
 - Each analysis is derived from the original drill stem test report, not transcribed from scout or field data.
 - The DST data includes permeability, quality codes, drill collar and drill pipe data, incremental detail, HORNER extrapolated pressures and slopes, P_{MAX}, Detailed blow descriptions, Formation DAMAGE and recoveries.
- The file was constructed over a 20 year period from the original DST reports at a cost exceeding \$5.0 million.
 - Much of this investment was made in the 1980s and would be considerably more expensive to recreate today. The file represents the largest single collection of drill stem test reports available and surpasses any individual state record compilations.
 - A large percentage of the DST reports collected by AIFE could not be duplicated at any price, most testing companies are now out of business and have destroyed their records in contemplation of legal liability.

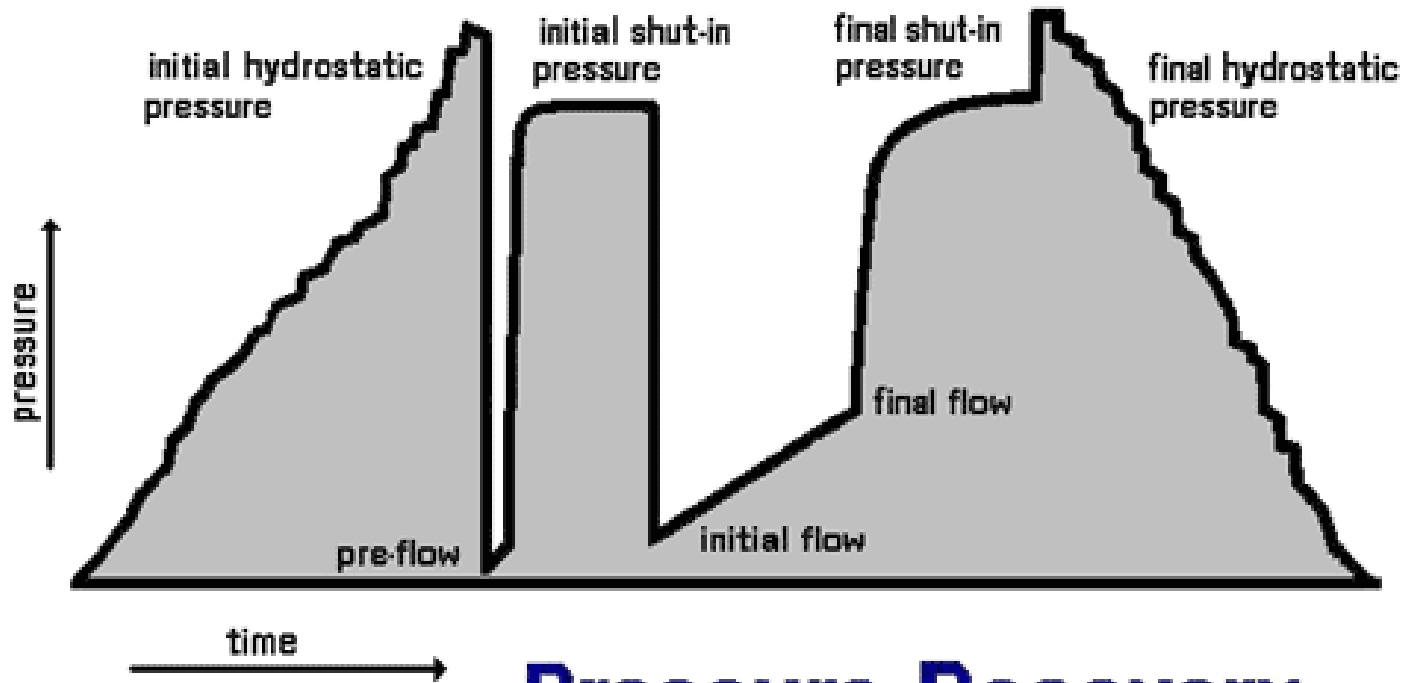
AIFE Data Sources

- The original sources, (many of which have sadly been destroyed)for the data file include:
 - The internal records of Amoco Production Co., Arco and the numerous companies they had each acquired over the years.
 - Tests from individual testing companies (including Baker).
 - Petroleum Research Corporation who collected data from 1948 to 1983 (57,000 tests).
 - State records where available. Unfortunately the States that require DST's to be filed have not, for the most part, required filing of the digital recorder information so the incremental detail on the build-up curves has been lost.
 - It is arguably the only comprehensive database of historical DST information available in the United States.
 - AIFE has collected historical DST data from over 120 testing companies

Tests Collected top 20 testing companies

- Halliburton 33384 tests
- Johnston 24887 tests
- Lynes 16631 tests
- Miller 13177 tests
- Virg's 12798 tests
- Western 11885 tests
- Foster 8536 tests
- Tew 7665 tests
- Rig 6716 tests
- Sun 6187 tests
- Superior 5497 tests
- Permian 3852 tests
- Star 3448 tests
- B & B 3112 tests
- Star Hughes 2721 tests
- Miller-Donel 2680 tests
- Big E 2512 tests
- B & S 2068 tests
- Oilwell 2057 tests
- Sun Oil Well 1688 tests

Drill Stem Testing



Pressure Recovery Chart

Drill Stem Testing is a basic oilfield evaluation tool. DST's are essential in determining the disposition of current wells and providing reservoir data which can aid in predicting productivity and appropriate well completion techniques.

DST Testing

- The primary objective of Drill Stem Testing is to determine the type and rate of production, formation characteristics and conditions.
- Detailed interpretative analyses of drill stem tests provides vital information such as reservoir characteristics, permeability, virgin reservoir pressures and temperatures, reservoir drawdown and hydrocarbon recoveries.
- The incorporation of such data into an exploration program proves to be invaluable and essential for an overall perception of fluid migration.

DST Data

- To the explorationist, evaluation of individual DST's is important to determine if potential zones were fully evaluated or if by-passed hydrocarbons are present.
- Virgin reservoir pressures as determined by DST's can be compared to post-stimulation results to determine stimulation effectiveness. The application of DST's in petroleum hydrodynamics is invaluable in delineating reservoir continuity, fluid gradient analysis, fluid migration pathways and pressure regime interpretation.
- Applications of DST's encompasses direct involvement in exploration, exploitation, reservoir engineering, hydrodynamics and drilling analysis.

DST Data

- The best type of DST data available is data taken directly from the original DST report, not transcribed or copied from field reports.
- Transcribed or field data is often unreliable at best.
- To have reliable DST data the original DST report should be obtained, the test reviewed for mechanical success and incremental detail on the shut-ins obtained to complete Horner extrapolation(s).
- This process is lengthy and requires a degree of skill in DST analysis to identify problems which if not recognized can lead to serious errors.

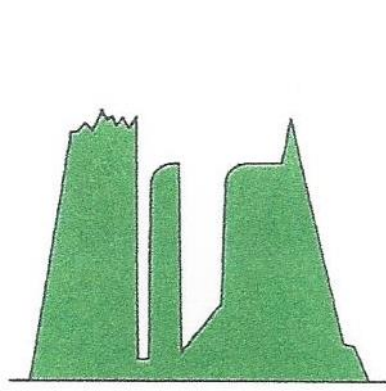
AIFE Analysis Overview

- AIFE provides the petroleum industry with over 170,000 DST reports in the United States, and has analyzed over 430,000 DSTs worldwide.
- Our team of professional analysts transform the raw data into high-grade form by calling upon their experience analyzing tens of thousands of tests.
- Pressure curves often need to be digitized so that incremental detail is available for performing various reservoir calculations which are a part of the high-grade data set.
- The DST's are also coded according to unique time tested quality criteria making it possible to conclude facts about test reliability, reservoir permeability and damage etc., simply by glancing at our reports.

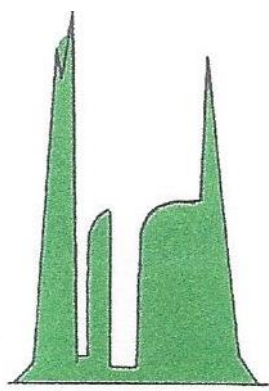
AIFE Quality Coding System

- AIFE's expert personnel have re-evaluated each drill stem test from the source documents according to criteria identified over forty years of experience, providing a newly comprehensive and reliable base for decision making.
- The following is a brief look at the methods by which this re-evaluation was accomplished. A fully detailed study of how these standards were arrived at is available upon request.
- These Quality Codes grade drill stem tests according to the following signatures:

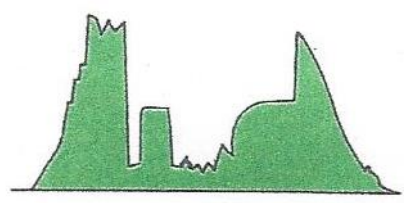
AIFE Quality Codes



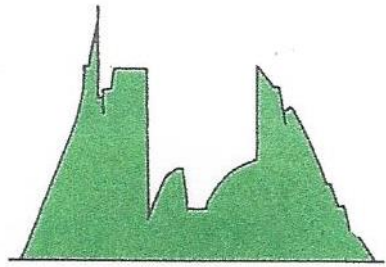
A Best Quality



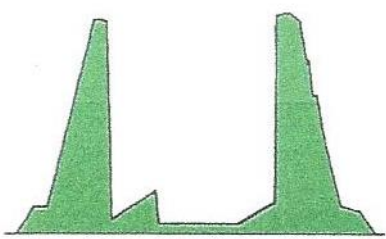
B Nearing Stabilization



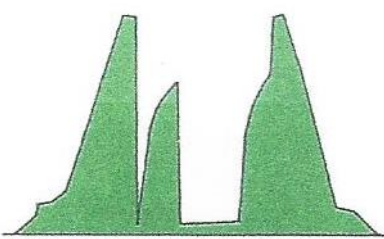
C Caution (Plugging)



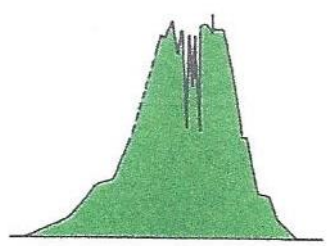
D Questionable



E Low Perm, Low Pressure



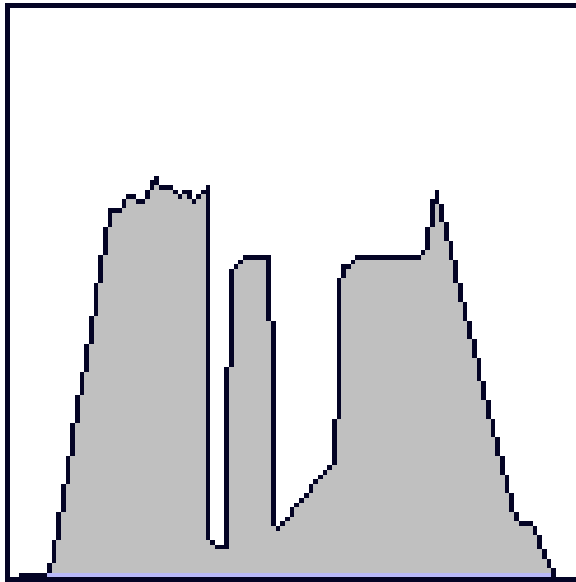
F Low Perm, High Pressure



G Misrun (Flow Only)

AIFE Quality Codes

- “A” Quality Test

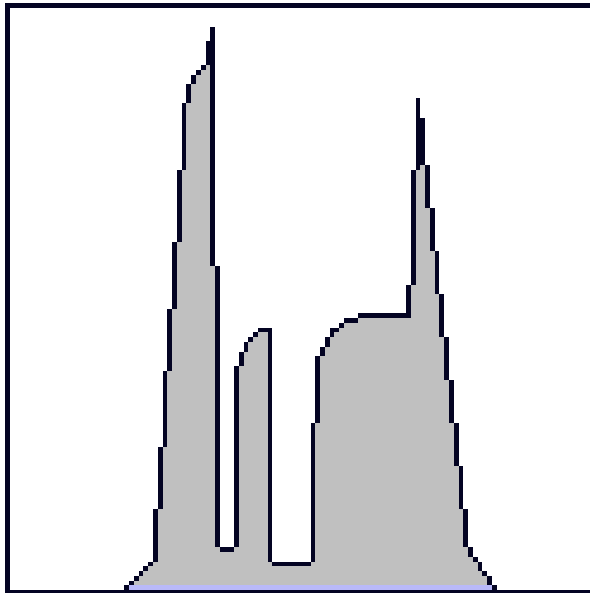


- 1. Test mechanically sound - No Plugging/No Skidding
- 2. Recorder used-chart good, pressures compare
- 3. Flow pressures verify recoveries and/or flow rates
- 4. Bottom packer held on straddle tests
- 5. Recorder depths given
- 6. Recorder within interval tested
- 7. ISI stabilized, or nearing stabilization with increments
- 8. Preflow time long enough to release hydrostatic head
- 9. KB elevation given
- 10. Two good shut-ins required
- 11. PMAX Range of approximately 1 to 10 lbs. (7 to 69 kPa) from read shut-in pressure
- 88. Fluid to surface on flows (irregularities)
- 99. Flows incremented

Note: Quality code information is programmed into the data base, as listed, by both letter and number, e.g. B13, G64. This is done to enhance the reliability of the data base. Should a user wish to investigate any specific coding instance classification details are retrievable.

AIFE Quality Codes

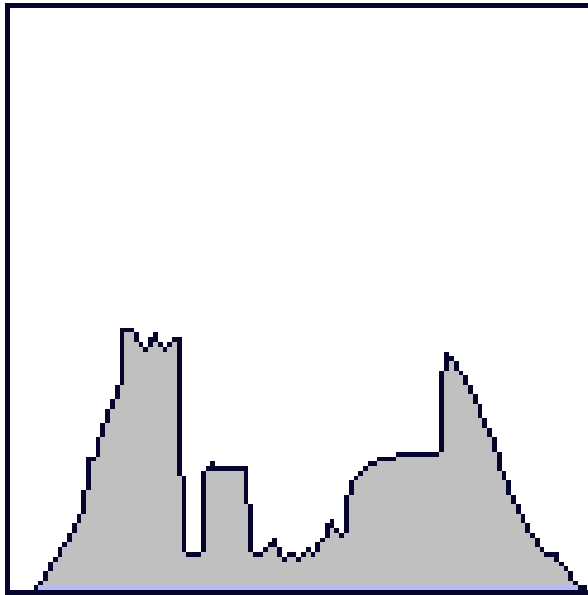
- “B” Quality Test



- 12. Slight mechanical difficulties, but does not affect the test
- 13. Shut-ins not fully stabilized
- 15. Recorder pressures disagree from 1 to 19 PSI (7 to 131 kPa) after recorder drag and depth difference
- 17. PMAX range of approximately 20 to 35 lbs. (138 to 241 kPa) from read shut-in pressure
- 48. Flow pressures do not verify recoveries
- 88. Plugging, fluid to surface, resets on flows (irregularities)
- 99. Flows incremented

AIFE Quality Codes

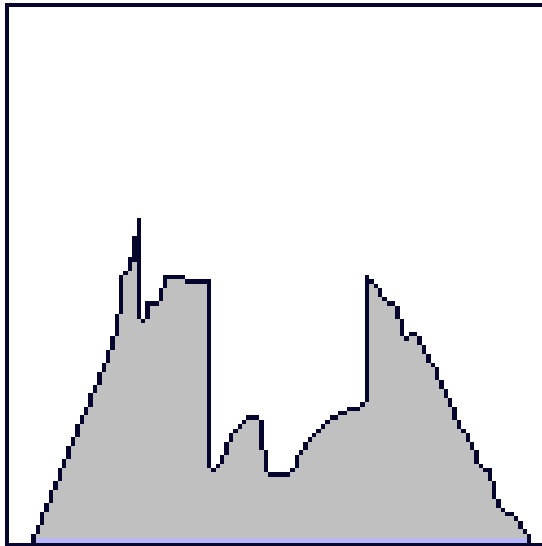
- “C” Quality Test



- 18. Some mechanical difficulties evident on chart, however, does not appear to affect pressure data
- 19. Recorders run above the interval
- 21. Preflow not opened long enough, possibly slightly supercharged
- 22. Packer may have leaked slightly
- 24. Recorder pressures disagree from 20 - 29 PSI (138 to 200 kPa) after recorder drag and depth difference
- 25. Only one recorder, must be within interval
- 26. PMAX range of approximately 30 to 85 lbs.(207 to 586 kPa) from read shut-in pressure
- 27. Only one good shut-in
- 88. Plugging, fluid to surface, resets on flows (irregularities)
- 99. Flows incremented

AIFE Quality Codes

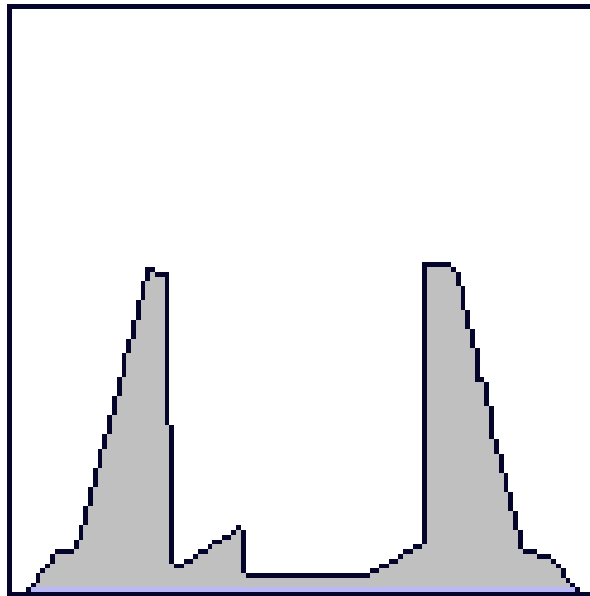
- “D” Quality Test



- 28. Not totally mechanically sound
- 29. Only one recorder, run inside above the interval
- 30. No recorder depth or questionable
- 31. No KB elevation
- 33. Questionable interval depths.
- 34. Supercharged ISI, FSI follows long valve open period
- 35. No chart from below bottom packer
- 36. Recorder pressures disagree from 30 PSI (206.8 kPa) and over after recorder drag and depth difference
- 37. PMAX range of approximately 80 to 150 lbs.(552 to 1034.2 kPa) from read shut-in pressure
- 79. Cannot define a valid P-Max (test indicates definite drawdown) P-Max filled with the initial shut-in pressure
- 88. Plugging, fluid to surface, reset on flows (irregularities)
- 99. Flows incremented

AIFE Quality Codes

- “E” Quality Test

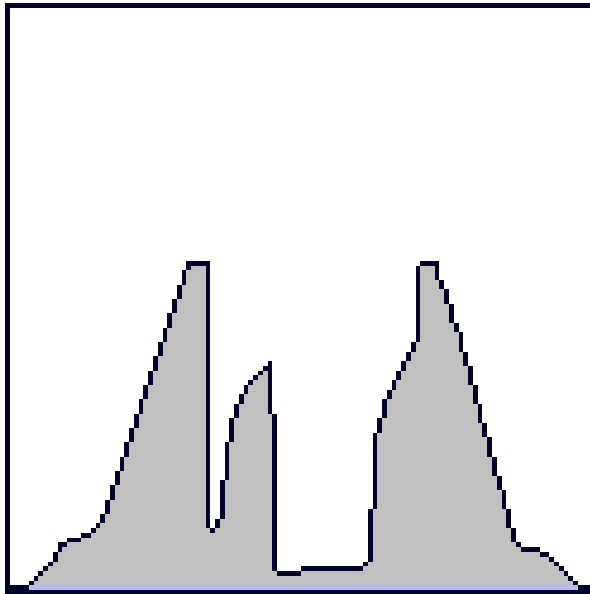


Low Permeability, Low Pressure

- 38. Covers all requirements of Code A, however, low permeability and low pressure, unable to extrapolate
- 39. Low permeability, low pressure, but problems encountered throughout test
- 46. Low permeability, relatively high pressure for "E" Code
- 88. Plugging, fluid to surface resets on flows (irregularities)
- 99. Flows incremented

AIFE Quality Codes

- “F” Quality Code

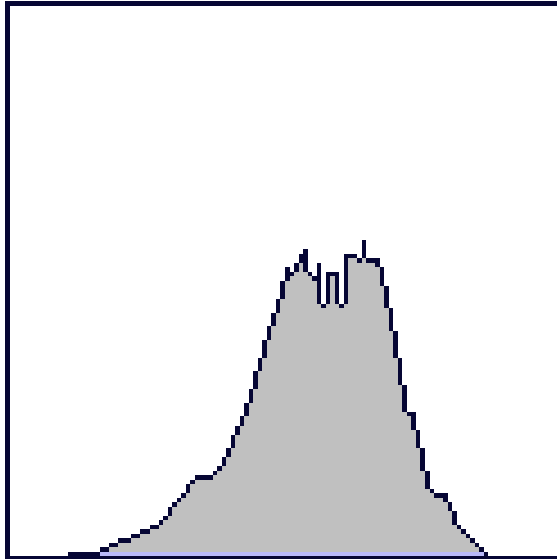


Low Permeability, High Pressure

- 40. Covers all requirements of Code A, however, low permeability and high pressure (CAUTION: Watch for Cushion)
- 41. Low permeability, high pressure. but problems encountered throughout test
- 47. Low permeability. relatively low pressure for "F" code
- 88. Plugging, fluid to surface, resets on flows (irregularities)
- 99. Flows incremented

AIFE Quality Codes

- “G” Quality Code



Misrun or Flow Only

- 42. No shut-ins taken
- 43. No useable pressures
- 44. No useable data
- 45. Flow only
- 63. Unable to obtain initial packer seat
- 64. Lost seat after tool opened
- 65. No elements ruptured
- 66. Top elements ruptured
- 67. Bottom elements ruptured
- 68. Both elements ruptured
- 69. Plugged tool
- 70. Unable to reach test depth
- 71. Tool failure
- 72. Personnel failure
- 73. Belly spring turning
- 74. No reason available
- 75. Other
- 76. Mud dropped in annulus when tool opened (seat held)
- 77. Skidding tools when opening or during flow
- 90. Front page only, misrun

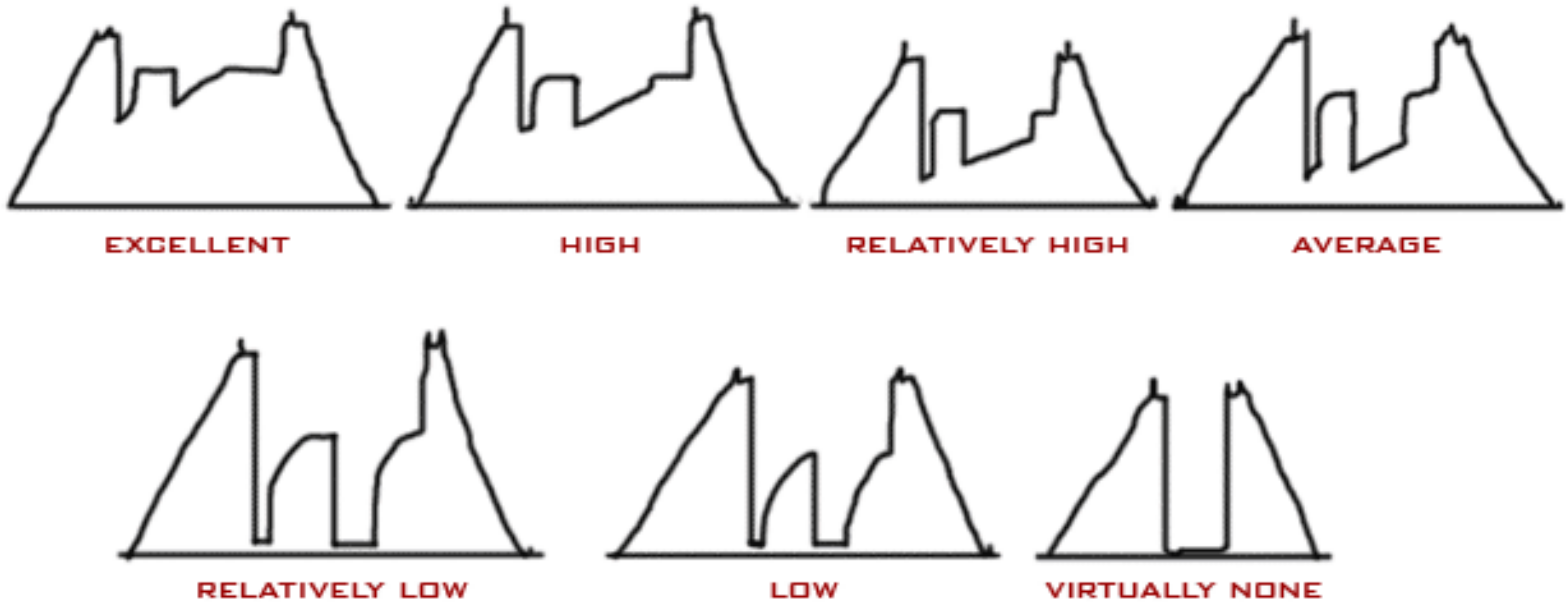
Why Should I care about Misruns ?

- DST's are mechanically complicated, particularly in the case of older tests which are subject to mechanical failure.
- Historically, testing companies reported a 5% misrun rate on tests run. In the analysis of the original DST reports by AIFE the rate of misruns is actually 12%. AIFE believes this is partially owing to the substantial difference in the fee charged historically for a successful test versus a misrun by the testing companies.
- Other data vendors who provide DST data have not examined the original reports nor analyzed the tests and relied only on the testing company to report misruns. Based on the statistics from the AIFE file one out of every 14 tests looked at through other data sources is, in fact, a misrun with no indication that the pressures or recoveries reported are erroneous. There are many causes of misruns, to name a few;
 - Tool plugging
 - Communication during shut-in periods
 - tool skidding
 - loss of bottom packer seat (in event of straddle test)
- To illustrate this deficiency and for the purposes of a Client proposal AIFE pulled at random from its database in Adams and Arapahoe Counties, Colorado 11 misruns run between 1970 to 1980. These tests were rated by AIFE as Quality Code 'G', all had pressure data reported for flows and shut-ins which were unuseable owing to packer seat failures, tool plugging or the shut-in tool not functioning properly.
- Of these 11 tests analyzed by AIFE as 'G' Code, misrun only one (1) was identified by the second data source as being a misrun.

Using AIFE DST Quality Codes on a Regional Basis

- *“The interpretation of DST charts is a science in itself somewhat similar to log analysis. It is of prime importance to obtain the most reliable and accurate representation of virgin reservoir pressure possible.”* I. Larry Prier, “Theory and Application of Hydrodynamics”, 1978
- The AIFE Quality Codes enable the user to complete layers of pressure maps based on the pmax from A, B, C and D ratings and to then add low pressure or high pressure zones if desired from the E and F rated tests. Each DST has the actual depth of the pressure measuring device, both from surface and subsea elevations.
- With the coding system the user is ensured that 1. Misruns are eliminated, 2. The pmax (or extrapolated reservoir pressure) is an accurate representation of the virgin reservoir pressure, and
- 3. The actual depth at which the pressure was measured was utilized as opposed to using the mid point or other reference point of the interval tested.

AIFE Permeability Ratings



From a drill stem test, the average effective permeability can be calculated to reservoir conditions using a set mathematical formula.

In a practical sense, one of the required formula parameters, such as viscosity of the fluid, may not always be readily available. Reliable ratings, however, have been qualitatively assigned from the Pressure/Recovery Charts based on the nature of the build-up curves related to flow and pressure data.

AIFE Permeability Ratings

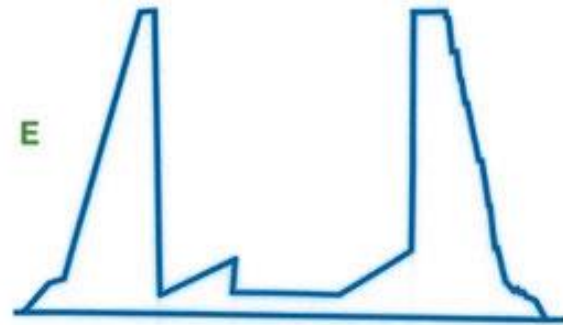
By assigning a numerical value to the Permeability Ratings regional Permeability Maps can be constructed *

The final flow pressure has stabilized with final shut-in.

The quicker the stabilization the better the permeability.



Excellent Perm.



**Low Perm.,
Low Pressure**

* e.g. EX – 60, HI -50, RH – 40, AV – 30, RL – 20, LO – 10, VN - 00

AIFE Damage Ratings

- Perhaps the most valuable determination to be made from test data is in estimating the presence and magnitude of Well Bore Damage. This is particularly true of tests resulting in low fluid recovery. In the absence of recognition of degrees of damage, this has often been read as poor production potential, resulting in the needless abandonment of commercial producers.
- In the USDST file, damage ratings have been qualitatively assigned to each drill stem test based on the nature of the build-up curve compared to the recovery.
- Types of damage have been categorized as follows:
 - CLASS I DE Definite Damage
 - CLASS II PO Possible Damage
 - CLASS III NO No Damage
 - b Cannot Be Determined

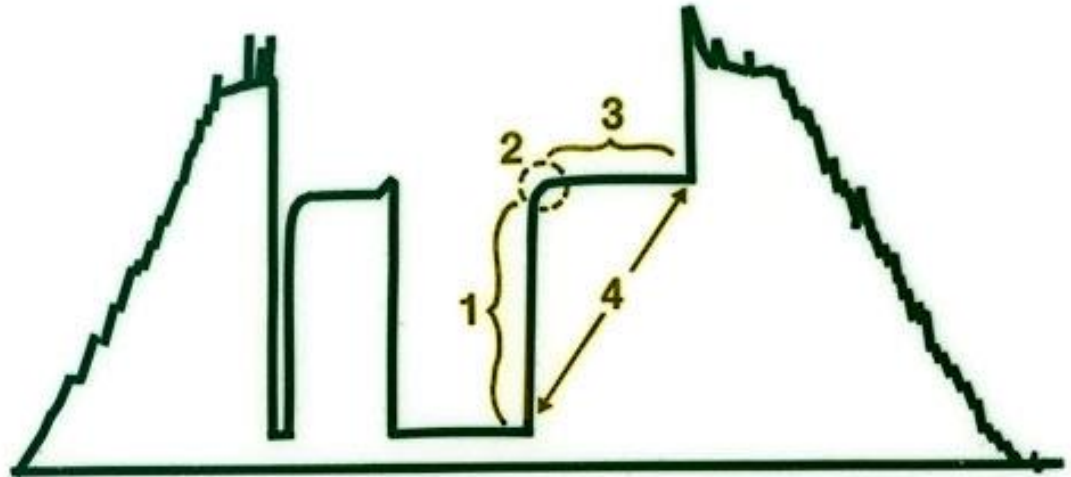
AIFE Damage Ratings

1 Very sharp rise after final flow.

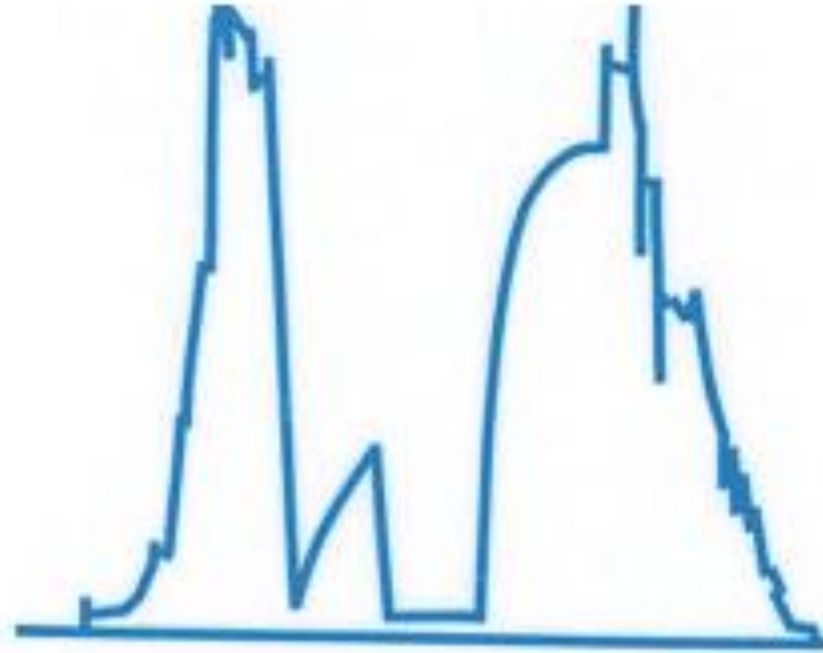
2 Short radius of curve.

3 Reasonably flat slope.

4 High differential pressure between final shut-in and final flow pressure.



AIFE Damage Ratings



Definite Damage (deep)

AIFE Incremental Detail

- Incremental detail is captured on each shut-in with a radius of curvature. Increments from the original report are preferred, however, in the event that increments are not provided or appear incorrect the shut-in(s) are digitized.
- Horner analysis is completed on each shut-in with a build-up curve to determine extrapolated pressure (P^* or P_{max}) and slope (for use in reservoir calculations). The best extrapolation/build-up curve is identified as the P_{max} for that test.

AIFE Horner Plots

- Horner plots/extrapolated pressure are completed on each shut-in with a radius of curvature
- The Horner plot and build-up curves are included in the AIFE on-line report where applicable, including the p^* and Horner Slope for each curve

AIFE Temperature Data

- Both the bottom hole temperature and recorder temperature (when taken separately from the bottom hole temperature) are recorded in the database
- Temperature data can be accessed for regional mapping

AIFE Salinity Data

- When provided, the reported Salinity and Chloride content are recorded from the original DST report in the database
- Salinity data can be accessed for regional mapping

AIFE DST Recoveries

- All recoveries are captured from the original DST report and are reported with a fully detailed description; additionally, recoveries are verified against flowing pressures and any anomalies noted
- Gas rates are captured including the gas measuring instrument, the choke size utilized, the Psi reading and the calculated production rate
- On the DST reports the first, last and maximum gas rates during the test are provided

AIFE Formation Tops

| | US Formations |
|------------------------|------------------|
| WAPANUCKA-UNION VALLEY | IWKUV 0692100402 |
| WAPANUCKA-UNION VALLEY | RWKUV 0692100402 |
| WARDEN | FWRDN 0570000451 |
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Each DST is assigned a Formation top. Historically when the database was constructed AIFE had access to the Amoco well-data database, the tops are identified with standard formation abbreviation tables and have the prefix of "I", "F" or "R", the I denoting the Amoco top pick, the F the front page of the microfilm and the R denoting the formation given on the original report, the formation table is available to users upon request

AIFE Pressure/Depth Data

- Each recorder run on the test is reviewed as to its mechanical performance and the best recorder is utilized for the pressure information, pressures must also compare between recorders within recorder capacity and depth difference guidelines, this serves as a check on tool plugging and recorder performance
- All pressures are taken from the original report unless not provided and are that event are estimated, with comments indicating which pressures were estimated
- Recorder depths are the depths as reported on the DST report or taken from the tool string diagram, not the top or bottom of interval
- The recorder depth allows for calculation of pressure/depth ratios and construction of pressure/elevation and pressure/depth charts

AIFE DST Data Captured

The following data elements are captured in the DST-Data segment of the Database when provided on the original DST report (page 1 of 2):

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|------------------|---|--------------------|-------------------------------------|
| • CPA-NO | Location | • DC-SIZE-OD-UP | Upper drill collar size O.D. |
| • COORDINATES | Bottom Hole Coordinates | • DC-SIZE-OD-LW | Lower drill collar size O.D. |
| • API-NO | American Pet. Assn Unique well identifier | • DC-TYPE-UP | Upper drill collar type |
| • DST-NO | Drill Stem Test Number | • DC-TYPE-LW | Lower drill collar type |
| • LAT | Latitude | • DC-LENG-UP | Upper Drill Collar length |
| • LONG | Longitude | • DC-LENG-LW | Lower Drill Collar length |
| • WELL-NAME | Original Well Name | • DP-SIZE-ID-UP | Upper Drill Pipe I.D. |
| • KB | Kelly Bushing Elevation | • DP-SIZE-ID-LW | Lower Drill Pipe I.D. |
| • GR | Ground Elevation | • DP-SIZE-OD-UP | Upper Drill Pipe O.D. |
| • DRILLING-FLOOR | Drilling Floor Elevation | • DP-SIZE-OD-LW | Lower Drill Pipe O.D. |
| • OPERATOR | Original Well Operator | • DP-TYPE-UP | Upper Drill Pipe type |
| • TEST-CO | Test Company Name | • DP-TYPE-LW | Lower Drill Pipe type |
| • TEST-DATE | Test Date "YYMMDD" | • DP-LENG-UP | Upper Drill Pipe Length |
| • PACKER-DIAM | Packer Diameter | • DP-LENG-LW | Lower Drill Pipe Length |
| • PACKER-LENG | Packer Length | • DP-WGT-UP | Upper Drill Pipe Weight |
| • PACKER-NO | Number of one type of packer | • DP-WGT-LW | Lower Drill Pipe Weight |
| • TOTAL#PACKERS | Total Number of Packers Used | • CUSH-AMT-F | Fluid Cushion Amount |
| • BH-CHOKE-SIZE | Bottom Hole Choke Size | • CUSH-AMT-G | Gas Cushion Amount |
| • CAL-HOLE | Was the Hole calipered | • CUSH-AMT-I | Inhibitor Cushion Amount |
| • RAT | Rat hole diameter | • CUSH-TYPE | Cushion type |
| • HOLE-LENGTH | Rat hole Length | • TOT-DEPTH | Total Depth |
| • MUD-TYPE | Mud type | • INT-F | Top tested interval |
| • MUD-WT | Mud weight | • INT-T | Bottom tested interval |
| • REC-TEMP | Recorder temperature | • FORMATIONS | Tested formations (3) |
| • BH-TEMP | Bottom Hole temperature | • START-TIME | DST start time |
| • HOLE-COND | Hole condition | • OPENED-TIME | Tool open time |
| • HOLE-SIZE | Diameter of the well bore | • TIMES (Period 1) | Times for flow/shut-in period one |
| • DC-SIZE-ID-UP | Upper drill collar size I.D. | • TIMES (Period 2) | Times for flow/shut-in period two |
| • DC-SIZE-ID-LW | Lower drill collar size I.D. | • TIMES (Period 3) | Times for flow/shut-in period three |

AIFE DST Data Captured

The following data elements are captured in the DST-Data segment of the database when provided on the original DST report (page 2 of 2)

- TIMES (Period 4) Times for flow/shut-in period four
- BLOW-DESCR Blow description (4 lines max, 78 char. per line)
- TEST-TYPE Test type
- MULT? Was the test a multiple
- MULT-NO Multiple sequence number
- MULT-OF Number of multiple tests
- DAMAGE Formation damage
- PERM Permeability of the test
- HF Hydrodynamic factor (predominant recovery)
- RCV-OF— Descr. of recovery (6 lines, max 64 char. per line)
- RCV-AMTS-CHAR Amount recovered
- RCV-CODES Recovery codes
- REV-OUT Was the recovery reversed out
- COMMENTS Analysts comments on the test
- QC-ORIG Quality code of test
- MISRUN-CODES Reasons for the quality code
- REC-USED Recorder used for pressures
- P-MAX Extrapolated Pressure maximum
- GAS-INSTR Gas measuring instrument type
- GAS-RISER Gas riser size
- GM-CNT (Period 1) Gas measurement counter for flow period one
- GM-CNT (Period 2) Gas measurement counter for flow period two
- GM-CNT (Period 3) Gas measurement counter for flow period three
- GM-CNT (Period 4) Gas measurement counter for flow period four
- GAS-COMMENTS Gas comments (4 lines, max 78 char. per line)
- GAS-COM-FLAGS Gas comment flags
- API-GRAV'L Api-gravity-liquid
- COMPRESS'L Compressibility ratio-liquid
- PH-FLUID PH Level-liquid
- RES-WATER Resistivity of water
- RES-WATER-TP Testing temp. for Resistivity
- SPEC-GRAV'L Specific gravity-liquid
- SPEC-GRAV'L-TP Testing temp for Specific gravity
- VISC'L Viscosity-liquid
- VISC'L-TP Testing temp for viscosity
- WATER-GRAD Water gradient
- COMPRESS'G Compressibility ratio-gas
- DST-GAS-RATE'G Maximum gas flow rate
- SPEC-GRAV-G Specific gravity-gas
- SPEC-GRAV'G-TP Testing temperature for specific gravity
- VISC'G Viscosity-gas
- VISC'G-TP Testing temperature for viscosity
- Z'FACTOR'G Z Factor
- POROSITY Porosity of interval tested
- NET-PAY Net pay of interval tested
- REL-DENSITY Relative density
- REL-DENSITY-TP Testing temperature for relative density
- SALIN Salinity content
- CL-CONTENT Chloride content

AIFE Gas/Recorder Data Captured

• Gas Measurement Data

- CPA-NO Location
- COORDINATES Bottom hole Coordinates
- API-NO API unique well identifier
- DST-NO DST number
- BLK-NO Block sequence counter
- GAS-MEASUREMENTS*
Gas measurements block

- *20 quadruplets of gas measurements per record, each Quadruplet: TIME, SURFACE CHOKE, READING, FLOW VOLUME

• Recorder Data

- CPA-NO Location
- COORDINATES Bottom hole coordinates
- API-NO API unique well identifier
- DST-NO DST number
- REC-NO Recorder serial number
- REC-PERF Recorder performance code
- REC-TYPE Abbreviated recorder type
- REC-DEPTH Recorder depth
- REC- I/O Inside/Outside recorder
- REC-CAPACITY Recorder pressure capacity
- REC-TEMP Recorder temperature
- REC-TEMP-HI Recorder high temp. range
- REC-TEMP-LO Recorder low temp. range

AIFE Recorder Data Captured for Recorder Used in Pressure Analysis

- CPA-NO Location
- COORDINATES Bottom hole coordinates
- API-NO API unique well identifier
- DST-NO DST number
- REC-NO Recorder serial number
- INC-MODE How shut-in increments obtained
- SI-CNT (Period 1) Tally for first shut-in
- SI-CNT (Period 2) Tally for second shut-in
- SI-CNT (Period 3) Tally for third shut-in
- SI-CNT (Period 4) Tally for fourth shut-in
- PRESSURES (Period 1) Press. For 1st flow/shut-in period
- PRESSURES (Period 2) Press. For 2nd flow/shut-in period
- PRESSURES (Period 3) Press. For 3rd flow/shut-in period
- PRESSURES (Period 4) Press for 4th flow/shut-in period
- USE-IGNORE (Period 1) Used/ignored points for 1 shut-in horner
- USE-IGNORE (Period 2) Used/ignored points for 2nd shut-in horner
- USE-IGNORE (Period 3) Used/ignored points for 3rd shut-in horner
- USE-IGNORE (Period 4) Used/ignored points for 4th shut-in horner
- SEG-ID (Period 1) ID's for first flow/shut-in period
- SEG-ID (Period 2) ID's for second flow/shut-in period
- SEG-ID (Period 3) ID's for third flow/shut-in period
- SEG-ID (Period 4) ID's for fourth flow/shut-in period
- SEG-QC (Period 1) QC's for first flow/shut-in period
- SEG-QC (Period 2) QC's for second flow/shut-in period
- SEG-QC (Period 3) QC's for third flow/shut-in period
- SEG-QC (Period 4) QC's for fourth flow/shut-in period
- HS-I Initial hydrostatic pressure
- HS-F final shut-in pressure
- ANAL-TYPE Analysis type – L or G
- SLOPE'L (Period 1) Horner slope shut-in one (liquid)
- SLOPE'L (Period 2) Horner slope shut-in two (liquid)
- SLOPE'L (Period 3) Horner slope shut-in three (liquid)
- SLOPE'L (Period 4) Horner slope shut-in four (liquid)
- EXTRAP'L (Period 1) Extrapolated press. Shut-in one (liquid)
- EXTRAP'L (Period 2) Extrapolated press. Shut-in two (liquid)
- EXTRAP'L (Period 3) Extrapolated press. Shut-in three (liquid)
- EXTRAP'L (Period 4) Extrapolated press. Shut-in four (liquid)
- SLOPE'G (Period 1) Horner slope shut-in one (gas)
- SLOPE'G (Period 2) Horner slope shut-in two (gas)
- SLOPE'G (Period 3) Horner slope shut-in three (gas)
- SLOPE'G (Period 4) Horner slope shut-in four (gas)
- EXTRAP'G (Period 1) Extrapolated press. Shut-in one (gas)
- EXTRAP'G (Period 2) Extrapolated press. Shut-in two (gas)
- EXTRAP'G (Period 3) Extrapolated press. Shut-in three (gas)
- EXTRAP'G (Period 4) Extrapolated press. Shut-in four (gas)
- FLOW-CNT (Period1) Tally for first flow
- FLOW-CNT (Period 2) Tally for second flow
- FLOW-CNT (Period 3) Tally for third flow
- FLOW-CNT (Period 4) Tally for fourth flow
- FLOW-MODE How flow increments obtained

AIFE Incremental Data Captured

Each shut-in with a radius of curvature has incremental detail, either from the original DST report or digitized, flow data is captured when provided on the original DST report

- Shut-in Build-up Data

- CPA-NO Location
- COORDINATES Bottom hole coordinates
- API-NO API unique well identifier
- DST-NO DST number
- REC-NO Recorder serial number
- BLK-NO Block sequence counter
- PT-INC Shut-in increment block

- Note: 30 time/pressure pairs per record

- Flow Data

- CPA-NO Location
- COORDINATES Bottom hole coordinates
- API-NO API unique well identifier
- DST-NO DST number
- REC-NO Recorder serial number
- BLK-NO Block sequence counter
- PT-INC Flow increment counter

- Note: 30 time/pressure pairs per record

AIFE Utilization of DST Data

The below highlights information available and potential uses of AIFE analyzed DST Data

• Individual Test

- Indication of near wellbore reservoir characteristics
- Detailed assessment of Quality of test
- Drill Pipe & Drill collar data
- Horner extrapolation and slopes
- Permeability assessment
- Damage assessment
- Detailed recoveries and blow description
- Horner plot and build up curve charts
- Data for detailed reservoir calculations
- Incremental Detail on Shut-in Build-ups

• Regional Utilization

- Permeability maps to highlight potential stratigraphic traps
- Temperature maps
- Potentiometric surface maps to indicate flow potentials, determine directions for preferential migration of hydrocarbons
- Salinity maps
- Pressure/Elevation Charts to determine continuity of reservoirs, estimate gas/oil/water contacts
- Pressure/Depth Charts
- Pressure/Depth ratio maps to locate abnormal and subnormally pressured reservoirs

Accessing AIFE DST Data

- AIFE DST Data can be accessed by individual or regional data requests made directly through AIFE or through AIFE's online server
- Online access is provided to clients who have licensed a particular data set and provides for an unlimited number of users and unlimited data retrievals in the licensed geographic region
- Clients who license a geographic data set receive online access and a copy of the data for in-house loading in MS Access format

AIFE Sample Data

- To view sample DST reports online go to www.aifeonline.com , enter the **user** name of **demo**, the **password** of **demo**, and then go to the “Search” prompt, select the State of Montana, then select the County of Golden Valley, you can then view all of the tests in that County.
- Each Drill Stem Test has been analyzed from the original DST report by AIFE’s experienced personnel in a consistent and detailed fashion for mechanical soundness, qualitative permeability and damage, extrapolated pressure, and assigned a final test Quality Code.
- The Quality Codes are copyrighted by AIFE and enable the user to quickly assess the test results with a high degree of confidence.

BURLINGTON NORTHERN 25-1 6/25 005N 021E 25 **DST No: 001**

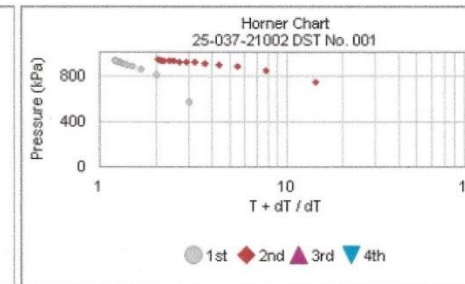
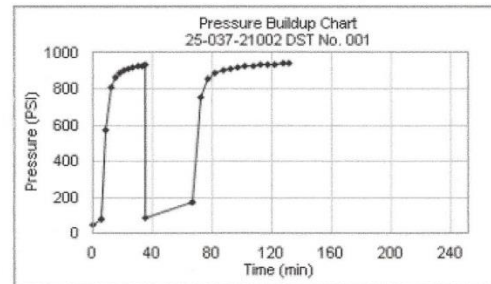
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|-----------------------------------|---------------|---------------------------|
| MONTANA | GOLDEN VALLEY | API No: 25-037-21002-00 |
| Ground: 3833 | | Latitude: 46.153640 |
| KB: | | Longitude: 109.045600 |
| Interval: 1604.0 to 1648.0 ft | | Total Depth: 1648.0 ft |
| Operator: EMPIRE | | Test Co.: JOHNSTON |
| Formations: IFRNR | | Type: CBH |
| FFRNR | | Date: 701012 |
| | | Quality Code: C |
| Recorder No: J355 | | Recorder Type: |
| Recorder Depth: 1640.0 ft Outside | | Recorder Temp: F |
| SubSea: | | Temp Depth: 1640.0 ft |
| Capacity: 1600 psi | | Bottom Hole Temp: 108.0 F |

| | | | | | |
|----------------------------|-------|----------|------------|------------------------------|--------------|
| | | Horner | | Perm: AV | |
| | Times | Pressure | Extrap (L) | Slope (L) | Damage: NO |
| | (min) | (psi) | (psi) | (psi/cycle) | HF: W |
| | | 48.0 | | | Gas Flow |
| Preflow: | 6.0 | 80.0 | | | MAX: mcf/d |
| Inital SI: | 29.0 | 935.0 | 973.31 | 472.8116 | FIRST: mcf/d |
| | | 85.0 | | | LAST: mcf/d |
| 2nd Flow: | 32.0 | 174.0 | | | |
| Final SI: | 64.0 | 944.0 | 975.07 | 154.1368 | |
| Inital Hydrostatic: 876.00 | | | | Assigned P-Max: 975.07 | |
| Final Hydrostatic: 932.00 | | | | Pressure/Depth: 0.608 psi/ft | |

Recovery Description: 300.00ft Muddy water.
Blow Description: Strong blow 12 inches blow in water on pre-flow increasing off bottom of bucket. Moderate blow 4.75 inches blow in water increasing to 8.5 inches at 1505 decreasing to 3 inches at 1524 on final flow.

Comments:
Drill Pipe Type:
Length: ft
Weight: lb/ft
Outer Diameter: in
Internal Diameter: in
Drill collar Type:
Length: 509.00 ft
Outer Diameter: in
Internal Diameter: 2.50 in

Cushion Type:
Liquid Cushion:
Gas Cushion:
Inhibitor:
Mud Type: GEL CHEM
Mud Weight: 9.70 lb/gal
Salinity: 6700 ppm
Chloride Content:



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AIFE Online Access

In addition to the individual DST test reports users can create a downloadable Excel file of data (sample below) and export the increment data for loading into reservoir calculation software

| API_NO | CPA_NO | COORDINATE | LAT | LONG | KB | DST# | DATE RUN | FORM1 | FORM2 | FORM3 | INT_F | INT_T | TEST_TYPE | P_MAX | REC_DEPT | REC_USED | REC_TEMP | BH_TEMP | HF | QC_ORIG | PERM | DAMAGE | SALIN | |
|---------------|---------------|------------|----------|----------|------|------|----------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-----------|-------|----------|----------|----------|---------|----|---------|------|--------|-------|------|
| A250370500100 | 625005N020E31 | C NW SE | 46.13538 | 109.2668 | 3933 | 1 | 540822 | ICCRT | FCCRT3 | | 1935 | 1962 | CBH1P | | 1923 | 192 | | 100.0 | G | F | | 20 | | |
| A250370500800 | 625005N019E23 | SE SE | 46.16003 | 109.3013 | 3905 | 1 | 560625 | ICCRT | FCCRT3 | | 2143 | 2183 | CBH | | 2143 | 223 | | 100.0 | W | E | | 10 | | |
| A250370500800 | 625005N019E23 | SE SE | 46.16003 | 109.3013 | 3905 | 001A | 560704 | IAMSD | FTYLR | | 2880 | 2900 | CBH1P | | 2899 | B144 | | | M | E | | 0 | | |
| A250370500800 | 625005N019E23 | SE SE | 46.16003 | 109.3013 | 3905 | 2 | 560626 | ICCRT | FCCRT3 | | 2213 | 2235 | CBH1P | | 2213 | | | 100.0 | M | F | | 10 | | |
| A250370500800 | 625005N019E23 | SE SE | 46.16003 | 109.3013 | 3905 | 3 | 560627 | IMRSN | FNONE | RCCRT3 | 2275 | 2315 | CBH1P | 1210 | 2275 | 222 | | 100.0 | M | D | | 40 | DE | |
| A250370501200 | 625005N018E09 | C NE SE | 46.19493 | 109.4698 | 4357 | 1 | 580130 | IFRNR | FFRNR | | 1962 | 1980 | CBH1P | 823 | 1979 | R851 | | 98.0 | W | C | | 50 | | |
| A250370501800 | 625006N022E27 | SE NW | 46.24174 | 108.9599 | 3723 | 1 | 560125 | IFRNR | FFRNR | | 1601 | 1641 | CBH1P | | 1584 | 195 | | 100.0 | M | E | | 0 | | |
| A250370501800 | 625006N022E27 | SE NW | 46.24174 | 108.9599 | 3723 | 2 | 560209 | IAMSD | FAMSD | | 3790 | 3834 | CBH1P | 1962 | 3791 | 195 | | 100.0 | W | C | | 50 | | |
| A250370501800 | 625006N022E27 | SE NW | 46.24174 | 108.9599 | 3723 | 3 | 560219 | IFRNR | FFRNR | | 1790 | 1860 | CBH1P | 973 | 1773 | 379 | | 100.0 | W | C | | 30 | | |
| A250370502300 | 625007N019E18 | NW NE N | 46.37185 | 109.3859 | 4077 | 1 | 531003 | IAMSD | FSWFT | | 2952 | 2970 | CBH1P | 1407 | 2973 | 195 | | 100.0 | W | D | | 40 | | |
| A250370502300 | 625007N019E18 | NW NE N | 46.37185 | 109.3859 | 4077 | 2 | 531019 | ICRLS | FCRLS | | 4371 | 4391 | CBH1P | 2044 | 4361 | 239 | | 100.0 | W | D | | 30 | | |
| A250370502800 | 625008N021E29 | C SE SE | 46.41112 | 109.1158 | 3864 | 1 | 530907 | IODVC | FODVC | RNONE | 4310 | 4348 | CBH1P | 2020 | 4310 | 195 | | 100.0 | W | D | | 30 | | |
| A250370502800 | 625008N021E29 | C SE SE | 46.41112 | 109.1158 | 3864 | 3 | 530915 | ICRLS | | | 3025 | 3075 | CBH1P | | 3025 | 224 | | 100.0 | M | E | | 0 | | |
| A250370503900 | 625008N020E14 | SW SW | 46.44472 | 109.1919 | 3908 | 1 | 650312 | IAMSD | FNONE | RDKOT | 1896 | 1921 | CBH | 972.7 | 1918 | 317 | | 80.0 | W | B | | 40 | NO | |
| A250370504200 | 625008N020E09 | NE SE | 46.46459 | 109.2163 | 3963 | 1 | 570801 | ICCRT3 | RCCRT3 | | 1505 | 1520 | CBH1P | 771 | 1490 | 331 | | 100.0 | W | A | | 50 | NO | |
| A250370504200 | 625008N020E09 | NE SE | 46.46459 | 109.2163 | 3963 | 2 | 570802 | IMRSN | | | 1675 | 1695 | CBH1P | 888.1 | 1645 | T390 | | 85.0 | W | D | | 40 | | |
| A250370504200 | 625008N020E09 | NE SE | 46.46459 | 109.2163 | 3963 | 3 | 570804 | ISWFT | RSWFT | | 1824 | 1864 | CBH1P | 898 | 1810 | 331 | | 100.0 | W | D | | 40 | | |
| A250370504200 | 625008N020E09 | NE SE | 46.46459 | 109.2163 | 3963 | 4 | 570806 | IAMSD | | | 1972 | 1986 | CBH1P | 941 | 1965 | 331 | | 100.0 | W | D | | 50 | | |
| A250370504400 | 625009N020E31 | SE NW | 46.4992 | 109.2535 | 4185 | 1 | 650224 | IAMSD | | | 3247 | 3257 | CBH | 1469 | 3254 | 317 | | 120.0 | M | B | | 40 | DE | |
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| A250370504700 | 625009N021E19 | NE NW | 46.53201 | 109.1281 | 4143 | 1 | 571202 | IAMSD | | | 4215 | 4266 | CBH | 1896 | 4209 | T390 | | 136.0 | W | C | | 40 | | |
| A250372100200 | 625005N021E25 | SE SW NV | 46.15364 | 109.0456 | 3833 | 1 | 701012 | IFRNR | FFRNR | | 1604 | 1648 | CBH | 975.1 | 1640 | J355 | | 108.0 | W | C | | 30 | NO | 6700 |
| A250372100300 | 625010N021E01 | C SE SW | 46.65391 | 109.0219 | 4202 | 1 | 711119 | ITYLRA | FHETH | RNONE | 1575 | 1783 | CBH2P | 744 | 1560 | 4153 | | 128.0 | O | D | | 30 | DE | |
| A250372101000 | 625005N022E26 | NW SW S | 46.14954 | 108.9344 | 4063 | 2 | 740301 | IFRNR | FNONE | RNONE | 2404 | 2505 | CBH1P | 1288 | 2501 | 36 | | 88.0 | W | B | | 30 | NO | |
| A250372102300 | 625004N018E02 | SE NW NV | 46.12688 | 109.4544 | 4370 | 1 | 750723 | IFRNR | FFRSL | RNONE | 2211 | 2233 | CBH | 987 | 2229 | 12324 | | | W | C | | 50 | NO | |
| A250372102600 | 625007N019E09 | C SW NE | 46.38164 | 109.348 | 3969 | 1 | 751112 | ICCRT2 | FCCRT | RCCRT | 2428 | 2536 | IS | 1230 | 2438 | 12165 | | | W | C | | 50 | NO | |
| A250372102600 | 625007N019E09 | C SW NE | 46.38164 | 109.348 | 3969 | 2 | 751112 | IMWRY | FMWRY | RNONE | 1259 | 1375 | IS | 618.1 | 1269 | 12165 | | | M | C | | 30 | DE | |
| A250372102600 | 625007N019E09 | C SW NE | 46.38164 | 109.348 | 3969 | 3 | 751113 | IAMSD | FAMSD | RNONE | 2975 | 3012 | CBH | 1456 | 2975 | 12165 | | | W | D | | 50 | | |
| A250372102600 | 625007N019E09 | C SW NE | 46.38164 | 109.348 | 3969 | 4 | 751121 | IMWRY | FMWRY | RMWRY | 1301 | 1375 | IS | 631.4 | 1315 | 12165 | | 64.0 | M | C | | 30 | NO | |
| A250372102700 | 625007N022E24 | E2 SW NV | 46.3445 | 108.9228 | 3576 | 1 | 600817 | IMDDY | FMDDY | | 2445 | 2533 | CBH | 890.7 | 2437 | 293 | | 120.0 | M | D | | | | |
| A250372102700 | 625007N022E24 | E2 SW NV | 46.3445 | 108.9228 | 3576 | 2 | 600821 | ILKOT | FLKOT | | 3072 | 3103 | CBH | 1616 | 3064 | 331 | | 100.0 | W | A | | 50 | NO | |
| A250372102700 | 625007N022E24 | E2 SW NV | 46.3445 | 108.9228 | 3576 | 3 | 600825 | ICRLS | FCRLS | | 3856 | 3879 | CBH | 2044 | 3846 | 331 | | 110.0 | W | A | | 50 | NO | |
| A250372102900 | 625005N020E36 | SW NE NV | 46.14235 | 109.1578 | 4285 | 2 | 760309 | ICCRT3 | FCCRT | RNONE | 2800 | 2860 | CBH | 1285 | 2860 | 12324 | | | W | B | | 40 | NO | |
| A250372102900 | 625005N020E36 | SW NE NV | 46.14235 | 109.1578 | 4285 | 004B | 760316 | IPWPR | FAMSD | RNONE | 3424 | 3499 | IS | 1562 | 3432 | 12324 | | 110.0 | W | B | | 50 | NO | 2500 |
| A250372103000 | 625010N019E07 | SE NE NV | 46.64722 | 109.3781 | 5323 | 2 | 760920 | ISWFT | FSWFT | RNONE | 6819 | 6840 | CBH | | 6825 | 12811 | | | M | G | | | | |
| A250372103000 | 625010N019E07 | SE NE NV | 46.64722 | 109.3781 | 5323 | 3 | 760926 | IVGLL | FEGLE | RNONE | 4000 | 4010 | IS | 1211 | 4008 | 12767 | | | | | | 20 | | |
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| A250372104100 | 625008N021E28 | NW NW S | 46.41565 | 109.1119 | 3910 | 2 | 790923 | IKBBY | FKBSD | RNONE | 2170 | 2213 | CBH | 1079 | 2159 | 12624 | | 114.0 | O | D | | 20 | 6600 | |

AIFE Database Interesting Statistics

- In the AIFE Database the following Quality Codes have been assigned:
 - “A” Quality – 4012 tests
 - “B” Quality – 8388 tests
 - “C” Quality – 31,243 tests
 - “D” Quality – 38,336 tests
 - “E” Quality – 36,952 tests
 - “F” Quality – 32,195 tests
 - “G” Quality – 20,577 tests
- A Horner extrapolation greater than 150 psi from the read shut-in pressure is generally considered unreliable
- Based on this guideline 18.7% of the tests (“F” Quality) looked at on raw data sources have unreliable shut-in pressures
- Tests falling in the “C” and “D” Quality codes can have extrapolated pressures (true formation pressure) ranging from 30 to 150 psi above the shut-in pressure reported through raw DST data sources
- Testing Companies historically reported 5% of tests run as misruns, the AIFE database indicates that 12% of tests were in fact misruns, in most cases the difference owing to bottom packer seat failure on straddle tests or plugged tools, the additional 7% not being reported as misruns on raw data sources
- Over 5900 tests in the AIFE database have a Damage classification of “DE” (Definite Damage)
- Over 7200 tests in the AIFE database have a Damage classification of “PO” (Possible Damage)
- The AIFE database contains historical Drill Stem Tests dating as far back as 1948
- A large portion of the Historical Drill Stem tests were collected by Petroleum Research Corp. in the late 1950’s and early 1960’s, whom AIFE acquired
- Construction of the AIFE database commenced in 1981, at one point AIFE and its Canadian counterpart CIFE employed over 40 individuals involved in database construction and Hydrodynamics
- CIFE Hydrodynamics personnel were the first in the industry to complete and sell regional Hydrodynamic studies
- The CIFE database covering the provincial and federal lands of Canada and containing over 260,000 analyzed Drill Stem tests has become the industry standard in Canada for computerized DST data
- CIFE was sold to IHS Canada in the early 2000’s
- AIFE Principals have been associated with the Canadian/U.S. database since 1978
- AIFE has constructed Pressure related databases in a number of foreign countries, including Adam, Egypt and Qatar to name a few

General DST Industry Information

- The AIFE database contains tests from over 120 testing companies
- Drill Stem testing on new wells has diminished significantly in the United States and Canada
- AIFE successfully managed to obtain DST records from Baker Industries (after obtaining legal releases from well operators) and the firms it acquired over the years, including Lynes, Virg's and Star Hughes
- Most testing Companies have destroyed their historical records, Halliburton, one of the largest testing companies (AIFE has over 33,000 tests run by Halliburton), has indicated to AIFE that its historical records have been purged
- Most oil and gas Companies have destroyed their historical records that contained the original DST reports, usually during buy-outs or mergers
- AIFE personnel spent over 10 years collecting DST information from testing companies and oil and gas firms
- Most recently AIFE was able to source the original DST reports for tests run throughout the United States from 2002 to 2018 and is now adding these tests to the historical database



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