



Murphy Oil Company LTD.

Seal Polymer Project
Scheme Approval No. 11320C
Annual AER Progress Presentation

SEAL EOR Facilities

May 4, 2015



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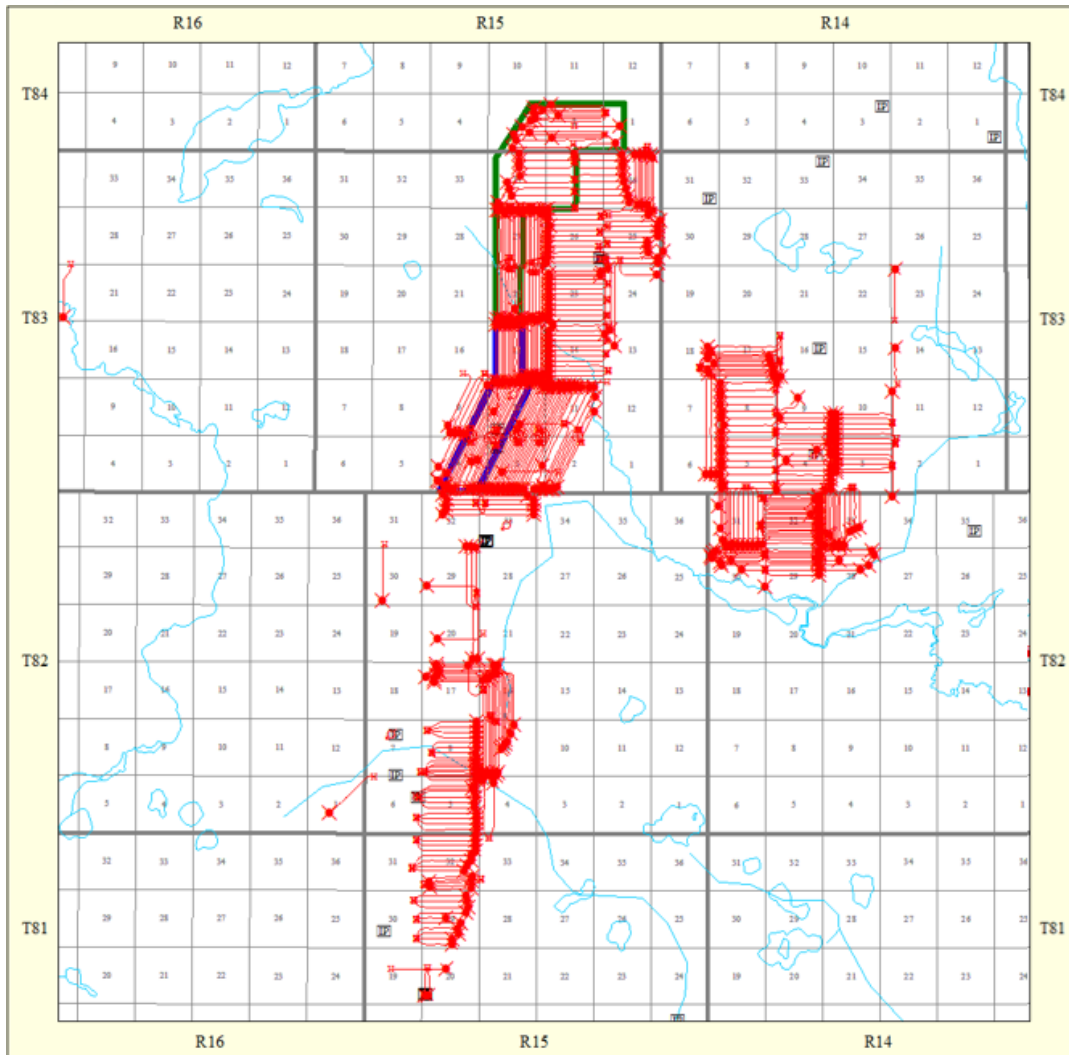
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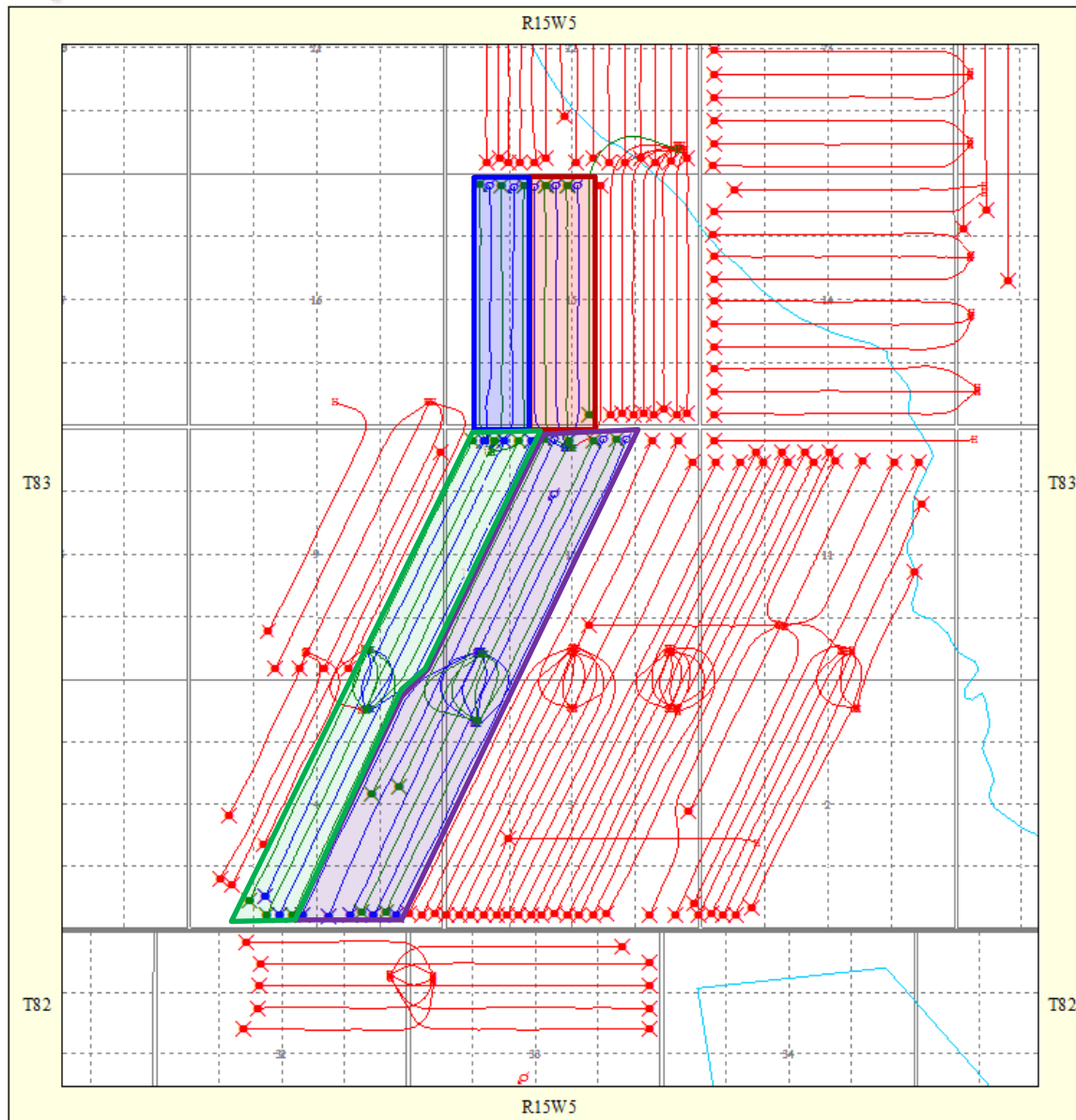
Background – Map of Seal Central



- ◆ Polymer injection located in Central Seal
- ◆ Range 15 – Townships 83 & 84
- ◆ Terminology
 - ◆ Area 1 – Approval 11320B (Blue)
 - ◆ Area 2 – Approval 11320C (Green)



Background – Map of Seal Central



- ◆ Pilot + 3 Phases of expansion
- ◆ **Pilot** operational Oct, 2010
- ◆ **Phase 1** operational Sept, 2012
- ◆ **Phase 2** operational Dec, 2012
- ◆ **Phase 3** on hold



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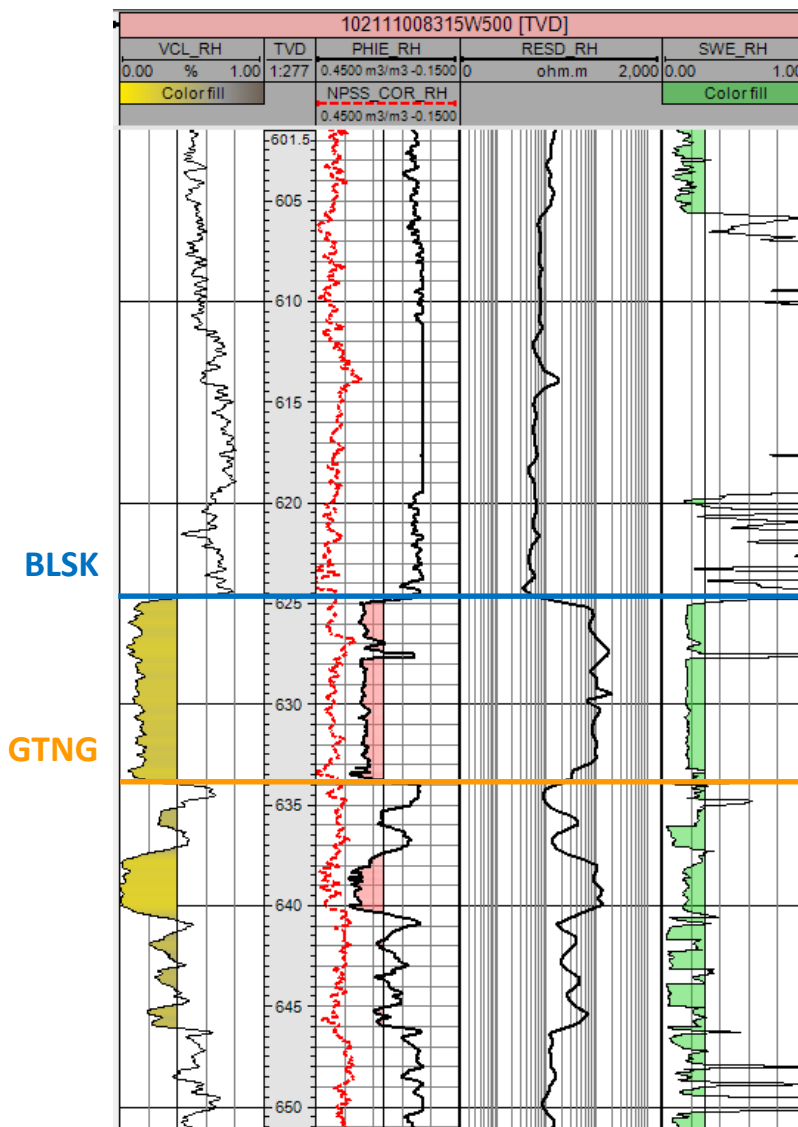


◆ Bluesky Sand

- ◆ Unconsolidated, quartz-rich sandstone**
 - fine-medium grained
 - moderate sorting
- ◆ Depth of ~625m TVD**
- ◆ Net Pay Range ~4 - 8m in Polymer area (up to 22 in main area)**
- ◆ Porosity 22 - 30%**
- ◆ Permeability 500 - 2000mD in Polymer area**
- ◆ Reservoir temperature 19 °C**
- ◆ Water Saturation < 25% (typically 15-20% in reservoir)**
- ◆ Oil Viscosity average ~28,000 cP**
- ◆ Initial Reservoir Pressure 4500 - 5000kPa**

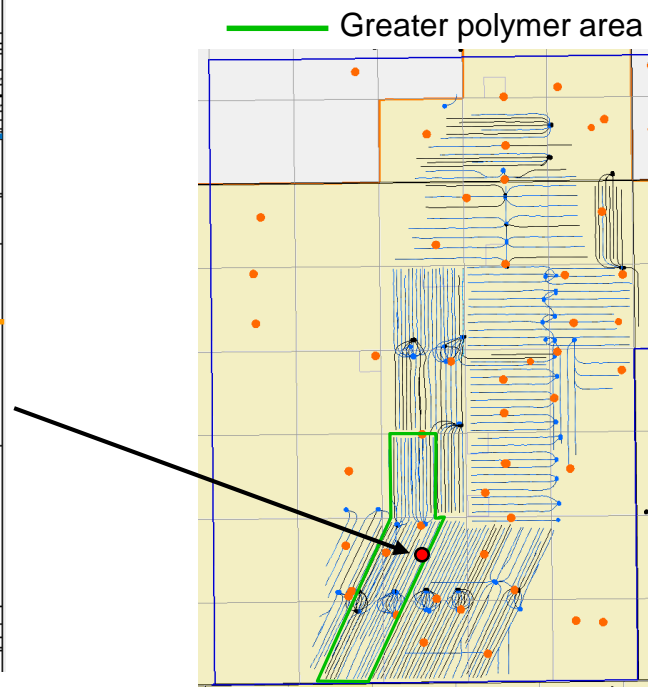


Geology – Murphy 02/11-10-83-15W5



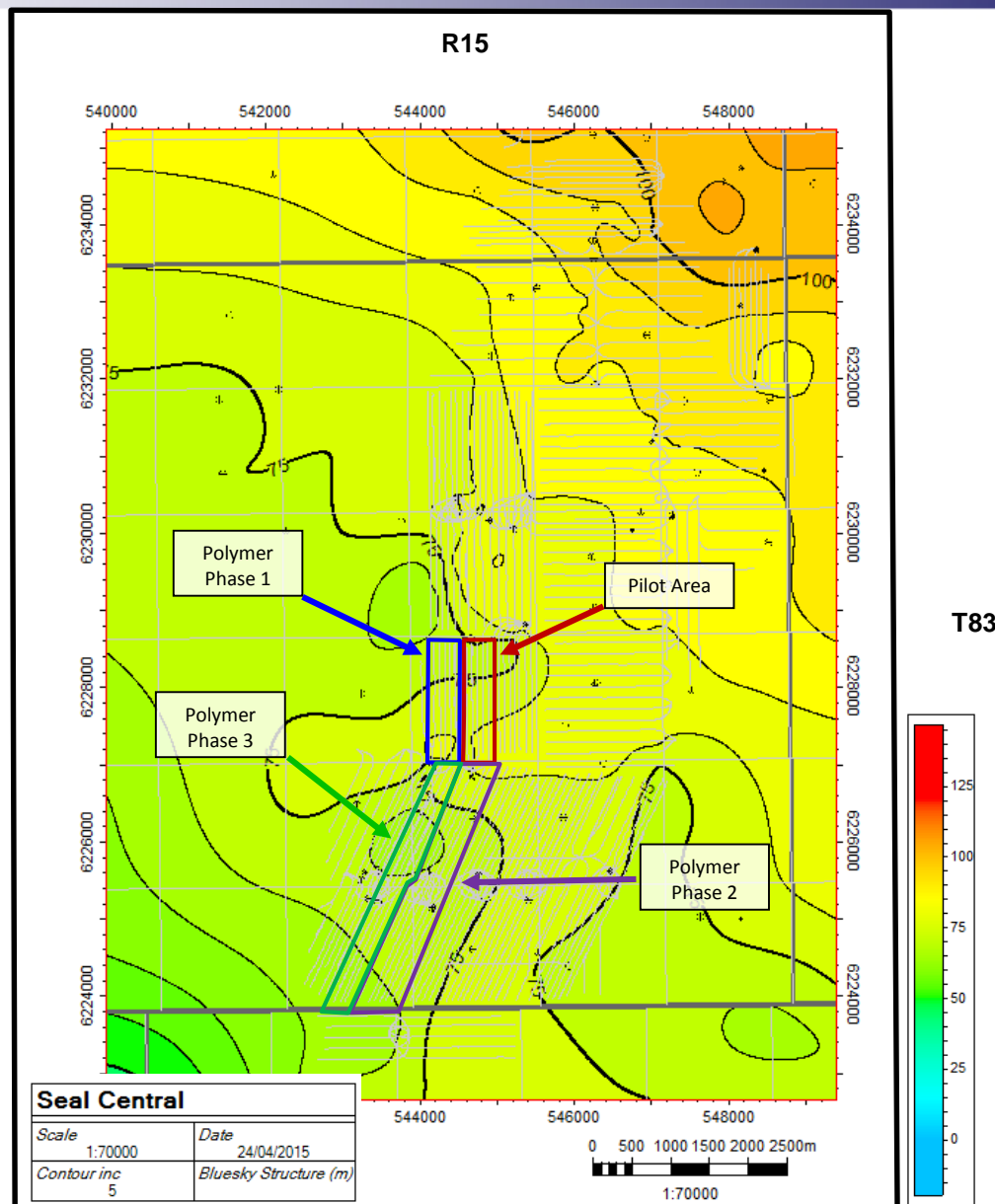
◆ Petrophysically derived cut-offs for net bitumen

- ◆ VCL <40 (~75-80 API GR)
- ◆ PHIE >17
- ◆ SWE <30 from Archie



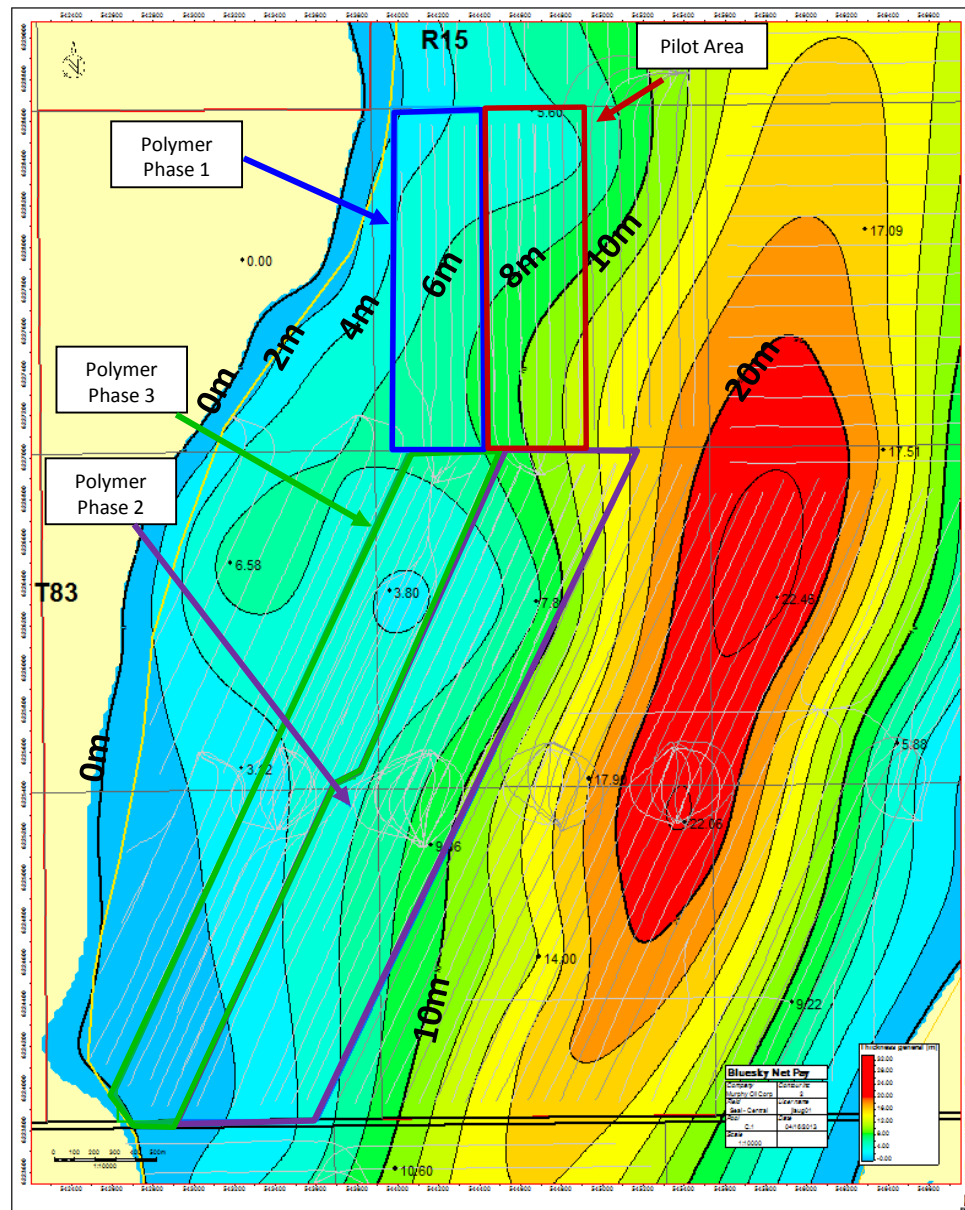


Geology - Bluesky Structure Map





Geology - Bluesky Net Pay Map





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Pilot + Expansion Locations:

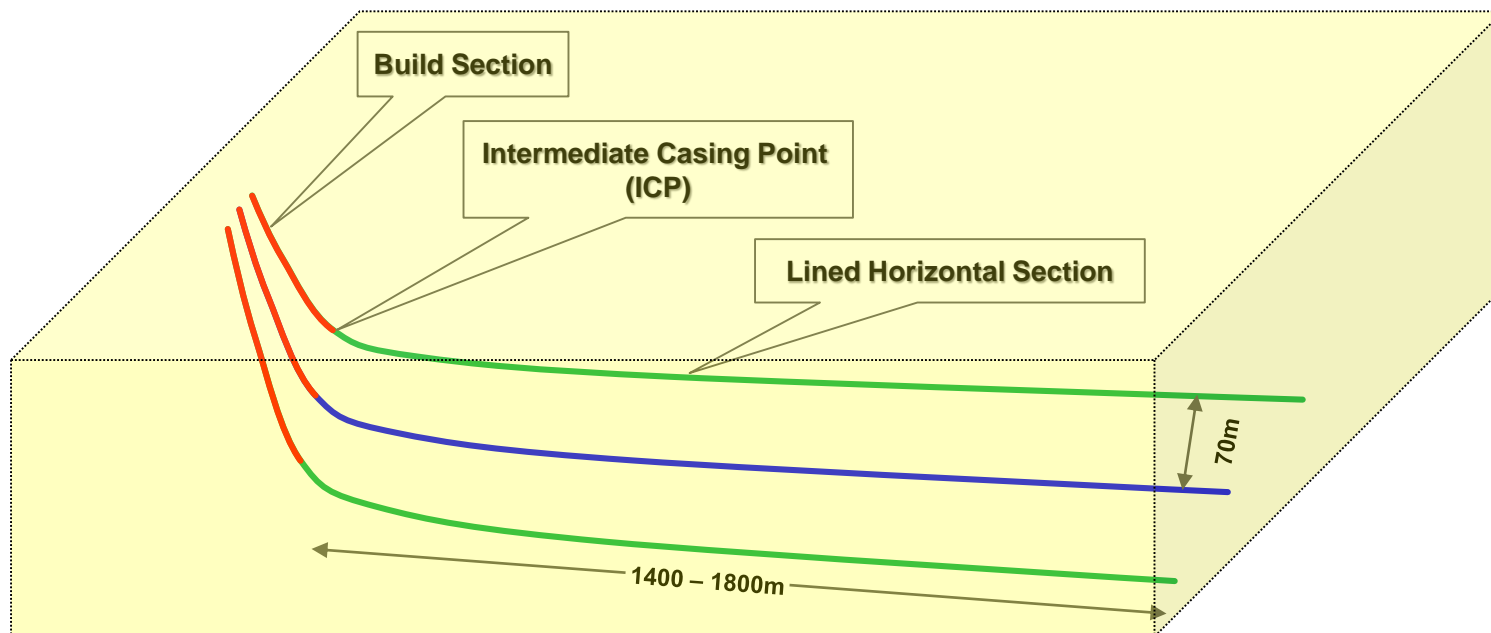
- 💧 **Lowest viscosity compared to other locations**
- 💧 **<10 m net pay**
- 💧 **Murphy 100% working interest**
- 💧 **Flowline production**

Well Placement Criteria:

- 💧 **Well placement within the top 5 meters of the Bluesky due to low viscosity and high permeability**



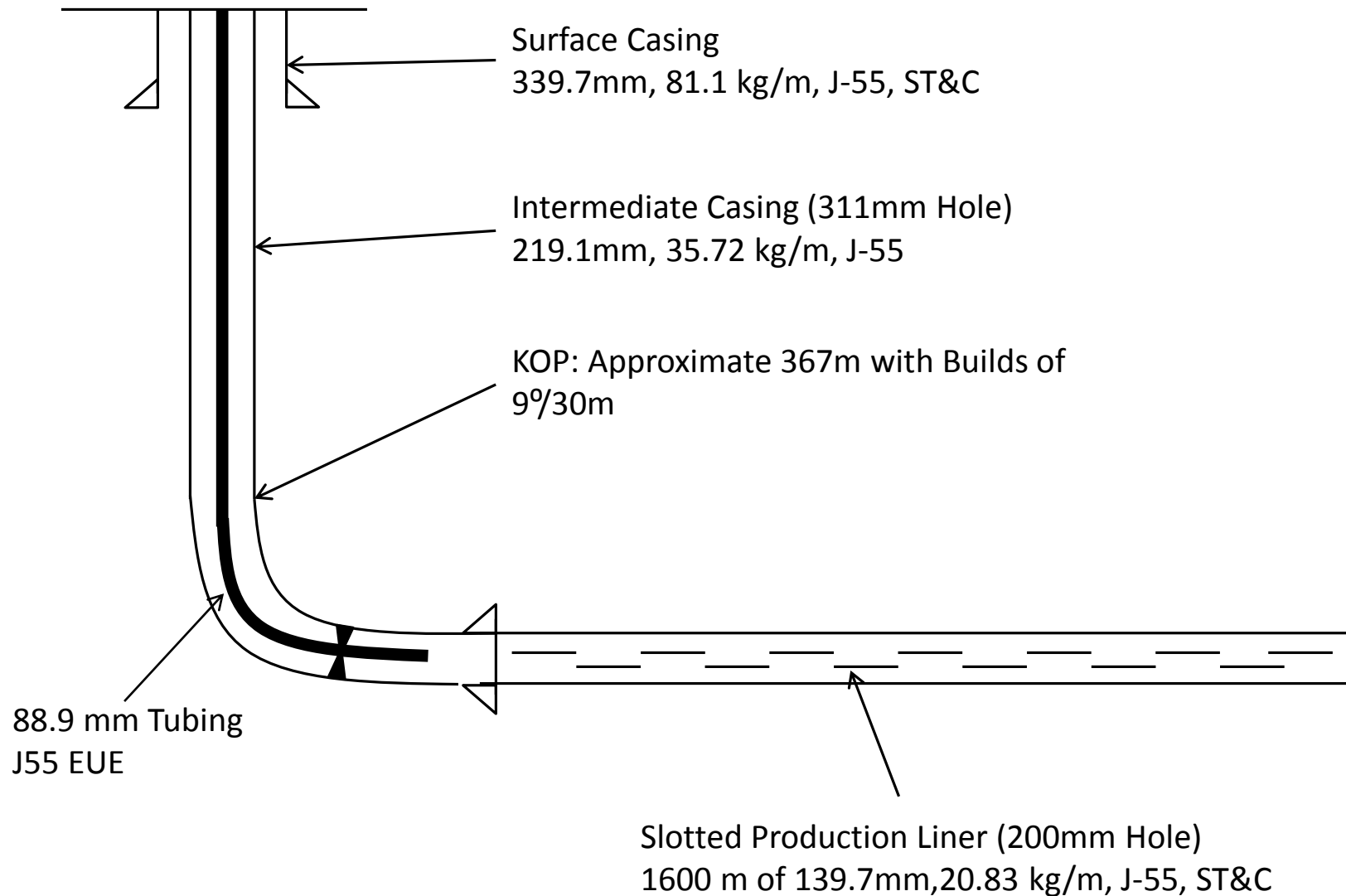
D&C - Typical Drilling Configuration



- 💧 Original well spacing was 140 meters with infills drilled at 70 meters
- 💧 Injector and producing wells are at 70 meter spacing



D&C - Typical Completion Details





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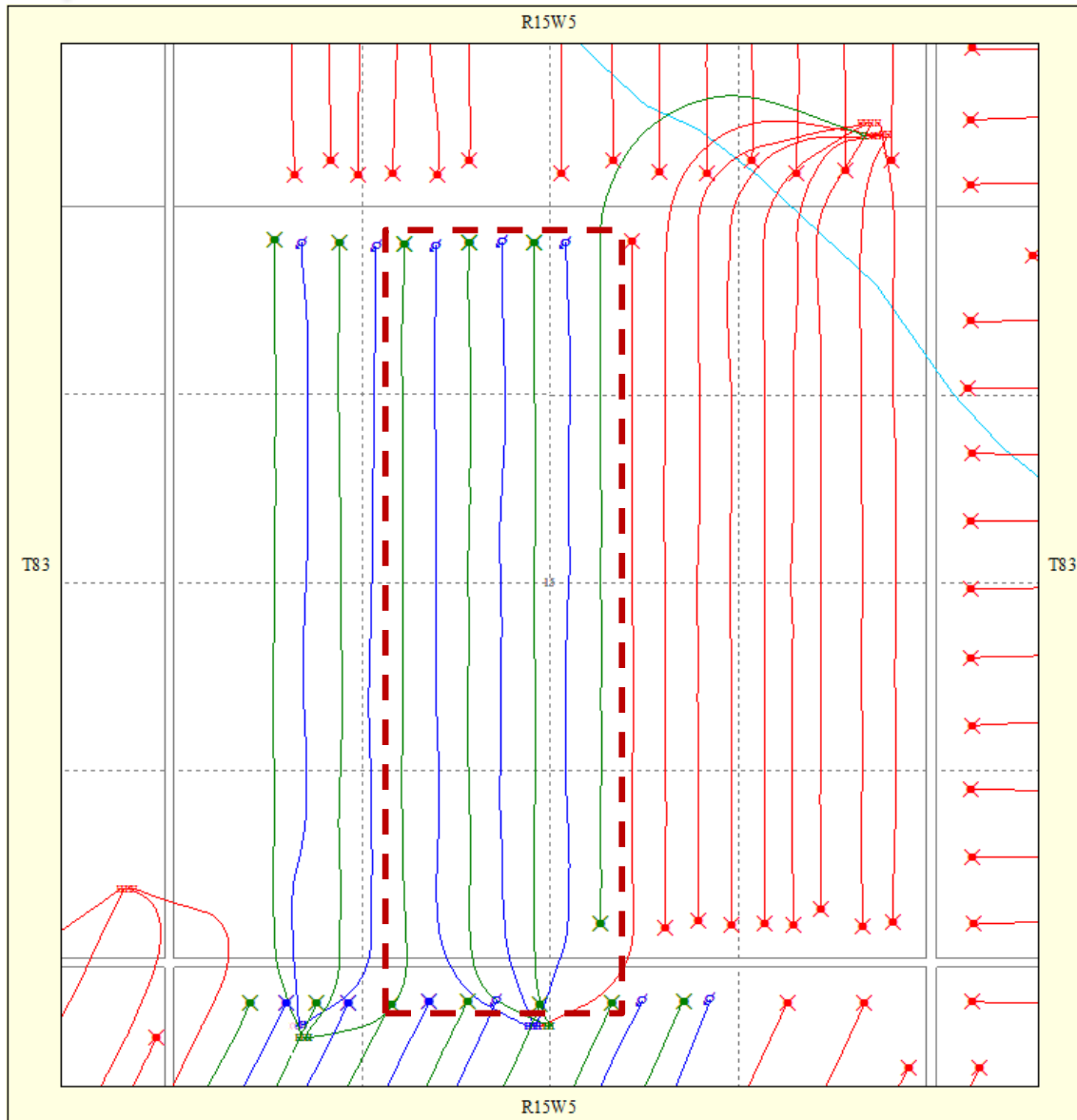
Performance – Polymer Flood

- 💧 **First Polymer Injection in October 2010**
- 💧 **Hydrating polymer concentrations: 1000-1500 ppm = 40-60 cp**
- 💧 **Polymer trace in produced water: >900 ppm within pilot**
- 💧 **Live oil mobility ratio: 34-53**
 - ◆ **The polymer viscosity is the only variable available in achieving a target mobility ratio due to the uncertainty surrounding permeability and in-situ oil viscosity**





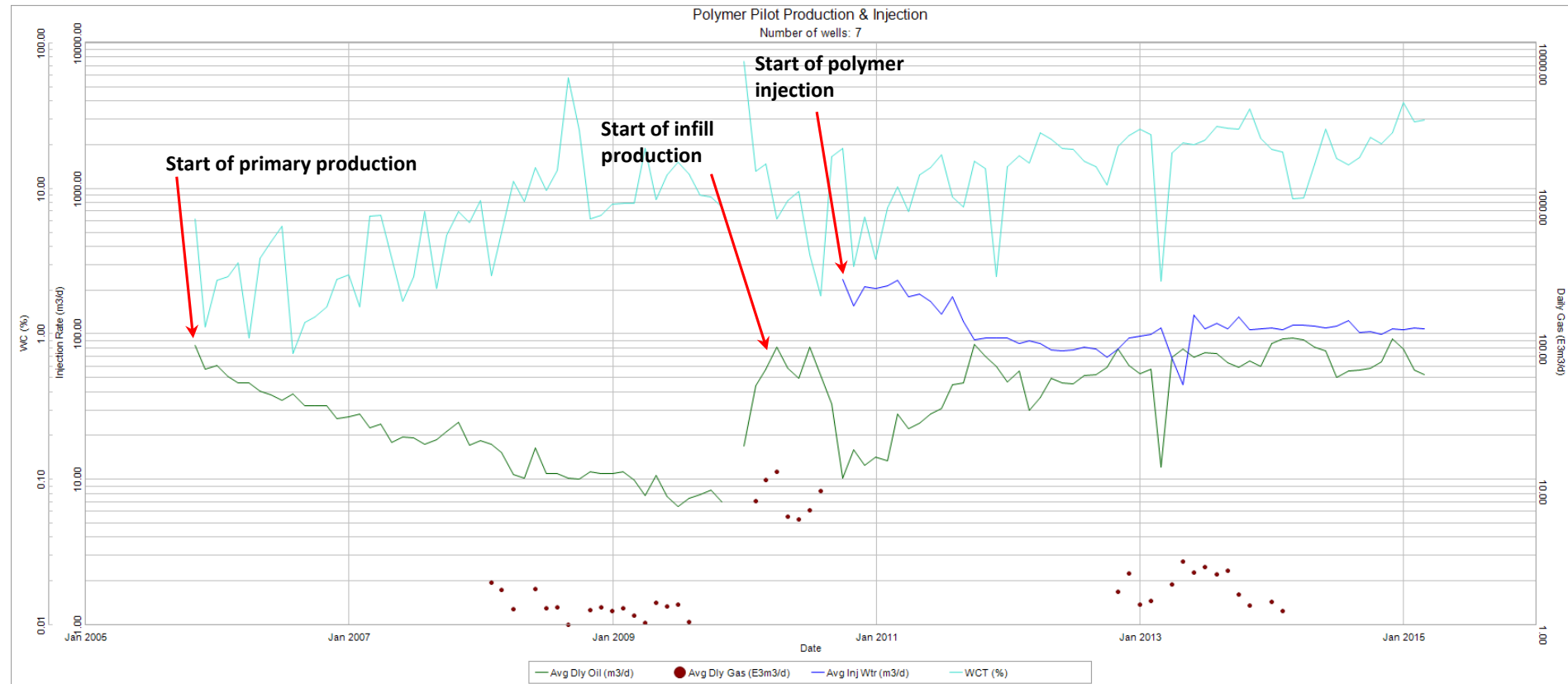
SEAL Polymer Pilot



- Pilot consists of 3 injectors and 4 producers.
- Approval No. 11320B to downspace on the East side of the pilot.
- 70 meter spacing
- Injection started Q4 2010, production response has been observed since Q3 2011
- Current RF: 10.07%
- Ultimate RF: 15.07%



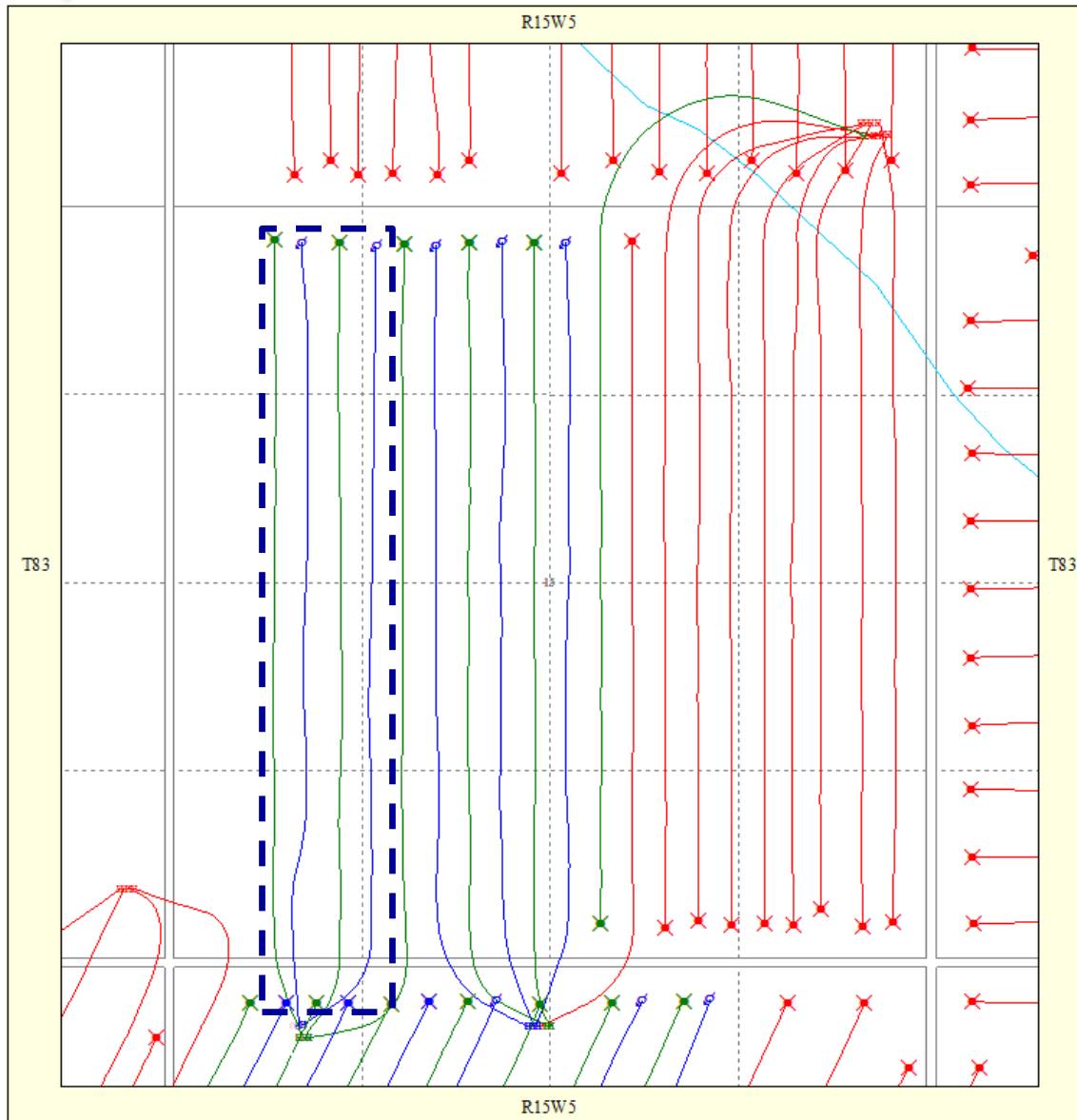
Performance – Pilot Prod./Inj. Profile



- 💧 Increased production >70 m3/day
- 💧 Maintained “plateau” for 2.5 years
- 💧 Observed that: Reduced injection pressure = Reduced production rates



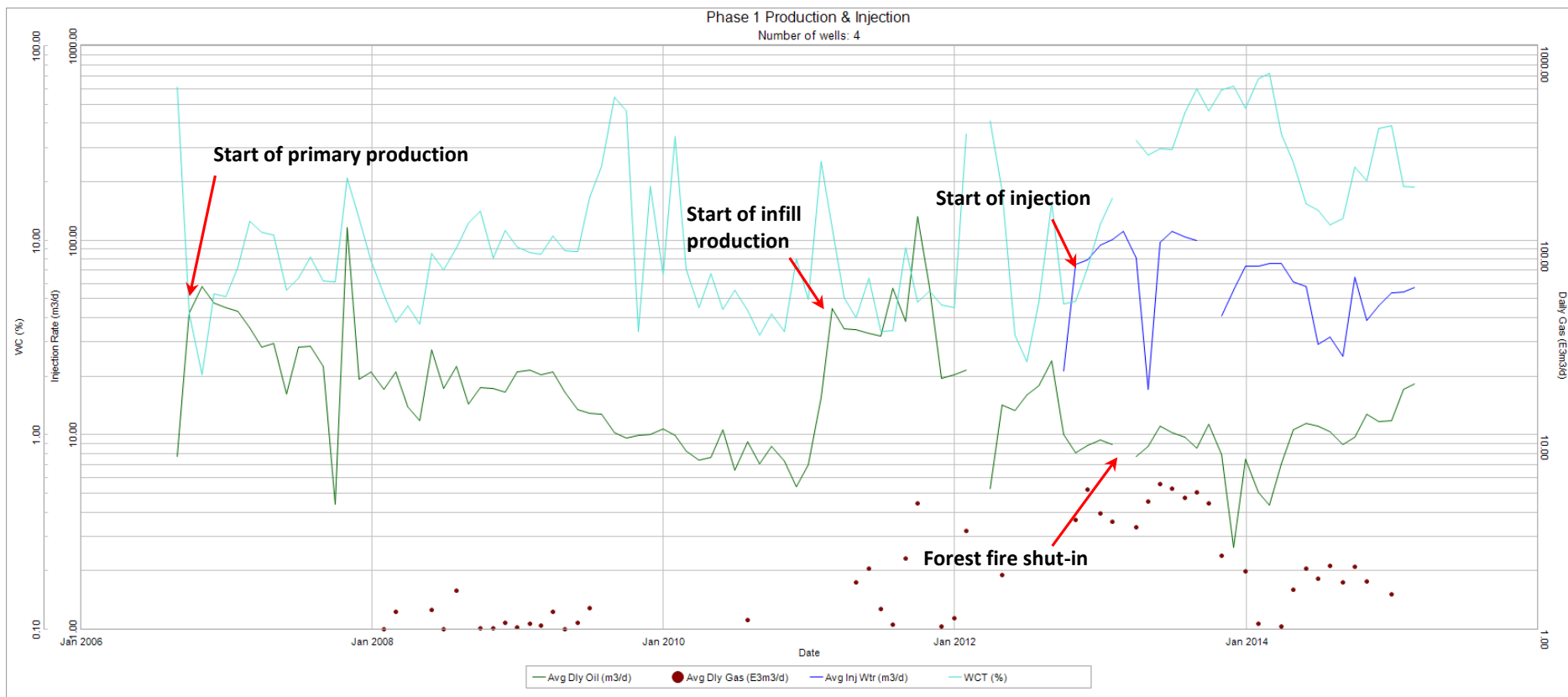
SEAL Polymer Phase 1



- Phase 1 consists of 2 injectors and 2 producers.
- 70 meter spacing
- Injection started Q3 2012, response has been in Q4 2014
- Current RF: 7.93%
- Ultimate RF: 11.14%



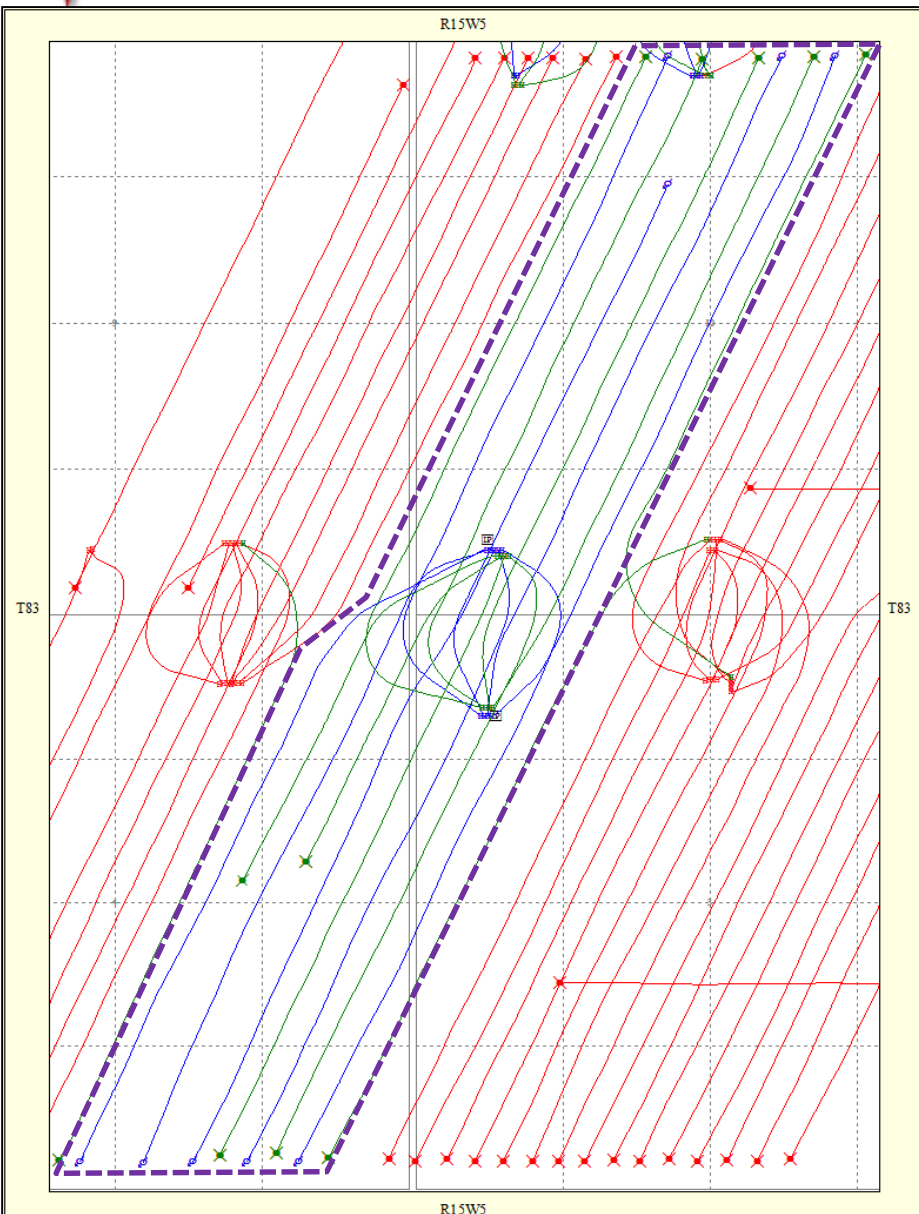
Performance – Phase 1 Prod./Inj. Profile



- 💧 Conformance treatment reduced WC's from 70% to 20%
- 💧 Increased production was noticed after the conformance treatment



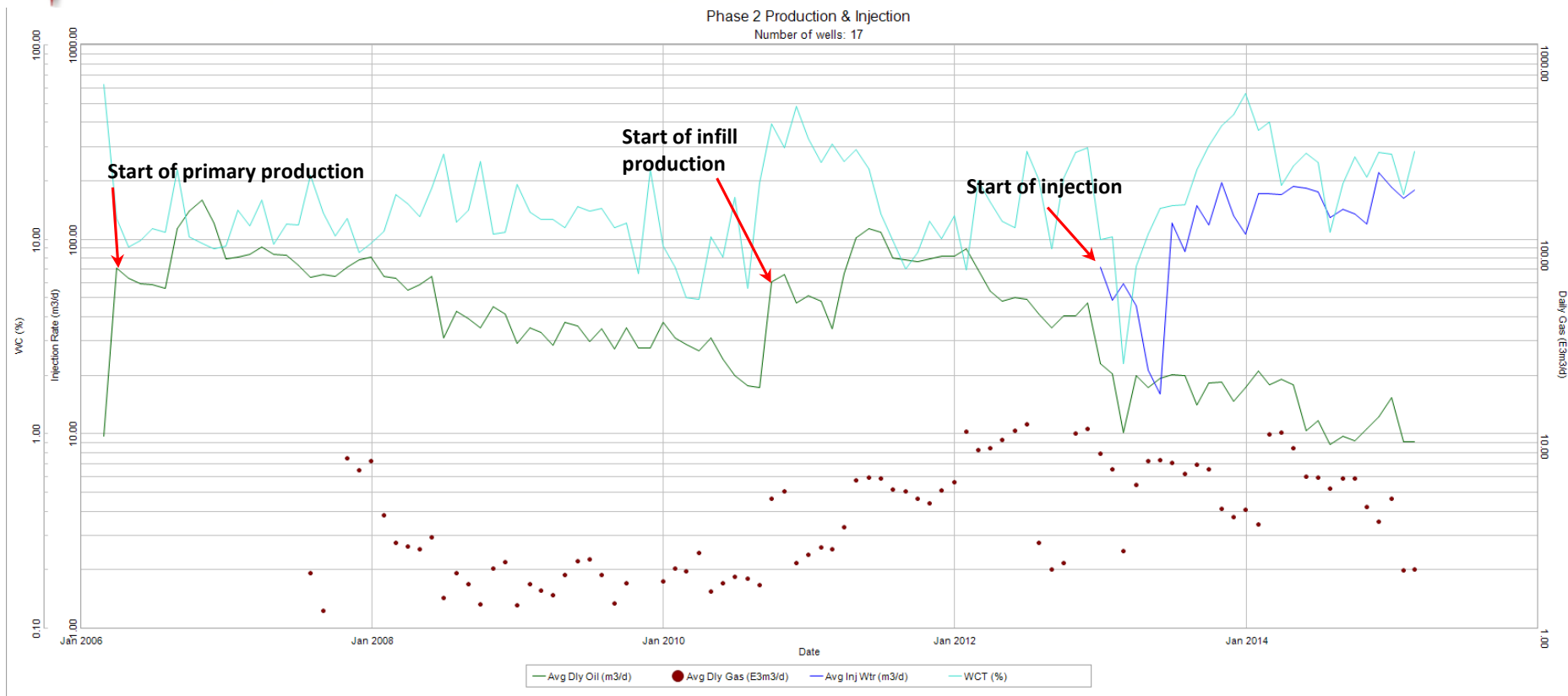
SEAL Polymer Phase 2



- Phase 2 consists of 9 injectors and 11 producers.
- 70 meter spacing
- Injection started Q4 2012 on the south pad & Q2 2013 on the north pad, water cuts increased Q3 2013 on the north pad
- Current RF: 5.41 %
- Ultimate RF: 6.59%



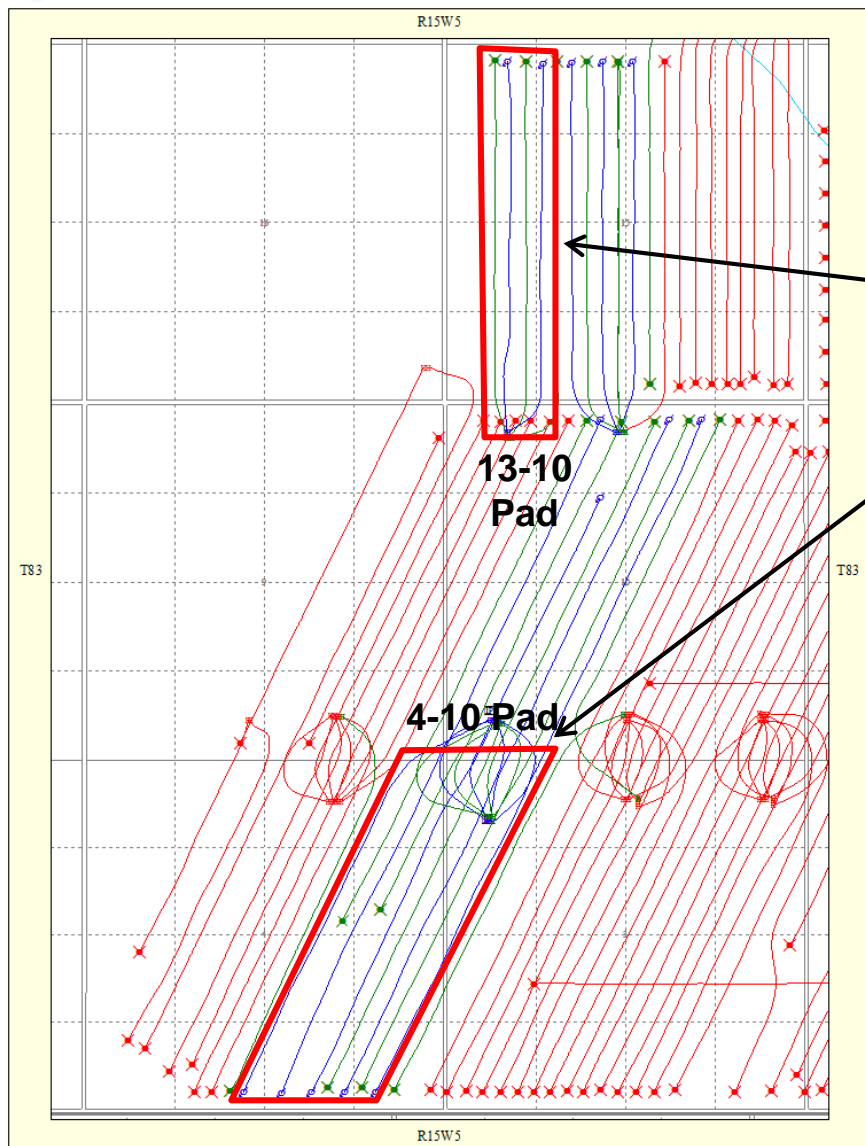
Performance – Phase 2 Prod./Inj. Profile



- 💧 Positive results from 13-03 Pad: Low water cuts & increasing reservoir pressure
- 💧 Conducted a conformance treatment on 2 injectors on the 4-10 pad, no results yet
- 💧 No production response recorded



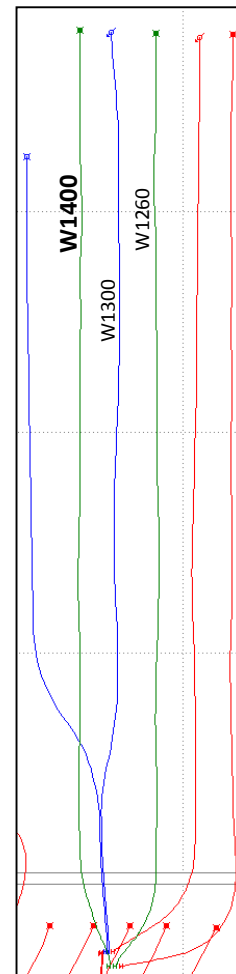
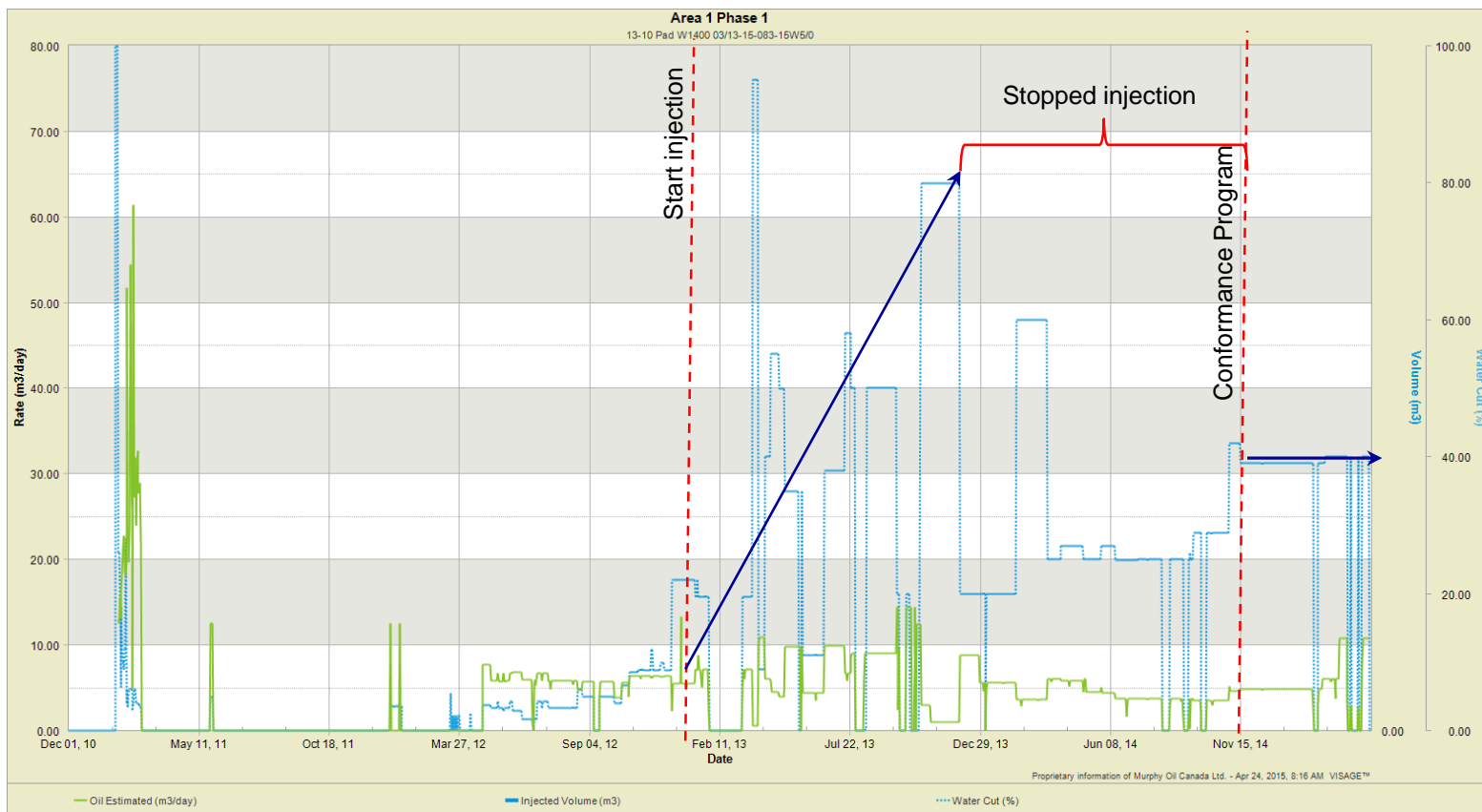
Performance – Conformance Treatment



- Pads with premature breakthrough:
 - 13-10 Pad – completed on 1 injector and 2 offsetting producers
 - 4-10 Pad – completed on 2 injectors and 3 offsetting producers
- For now we just have results from the 13-10 Pad



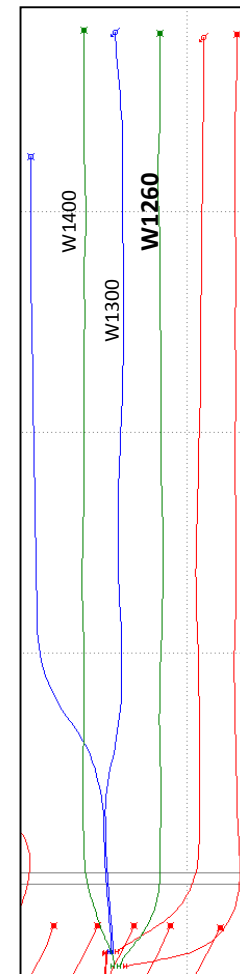
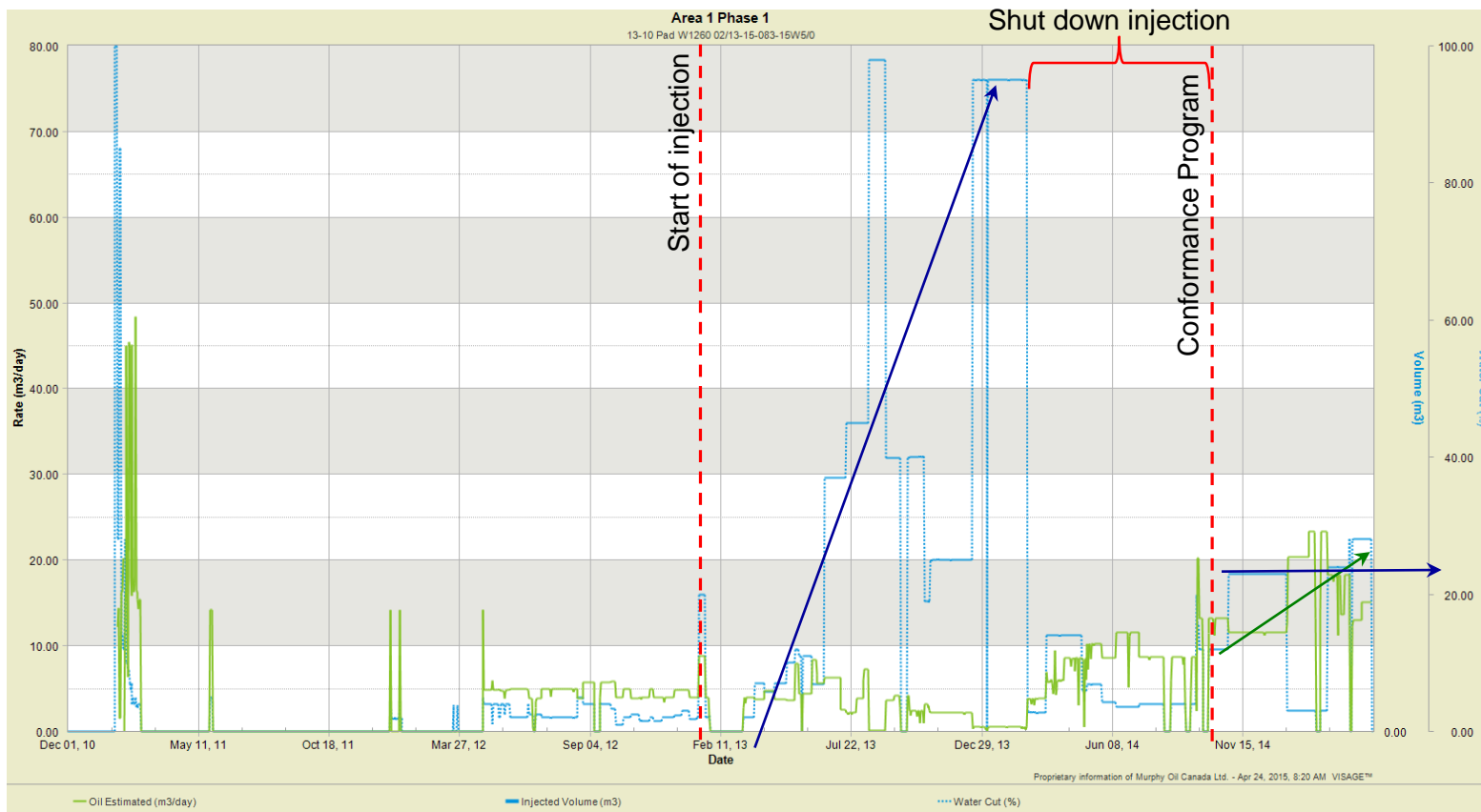
Performance – Conformance Treatment



- 💧 Breakthrough was recorded shortly after the start of polymer injection
- 💧 Stopped injection to lower water cuts and to evaluate the problem
- 💧 Performed a conformance program in November of 2014
- 💧 Results show a reduction of water cuts by 50%
- 💧 Still no uplift in production, almost at fill-up



Performance – Conformance Treatment



- Breakthrough was recorded shortly after the start of polymer injection
- Stopped injection to lower water cuts and to evaluate the problem
- Performed a conformance program in November of 2014
- Water cuts have been reduced by 75%
- Production has increased by **2X**



Performance – Polymer Flood

- ◆ Pilot has best production results within the project
- ◆ Phase 1 is starting to show response
- ◆ Phase 2 has mixed results
- ◆ Maintaining reservoir voidage within the project area
 - ◆ Volume of injected polymer to date 322.6 E3m3
- ◆ Expected incremental recovery factor after polymer flood 8.8%
- ◆ Produced solution gas from the pilot & expansion is captured and tied in to 4-33 battery.



Performance – Key Learning's

- ◆ **Injectivity is a non-issue with wells on vacuum at the start of injection**
- ◆ **Higher injection pressures yield better production**
- ◆ **Start injection before or soon after infill producers are drilled**
- ◆ **Conformance treatments can offer potential mitigation to early breakthrough, this will be key in already depleted zones such as Area 1 Phase 3**



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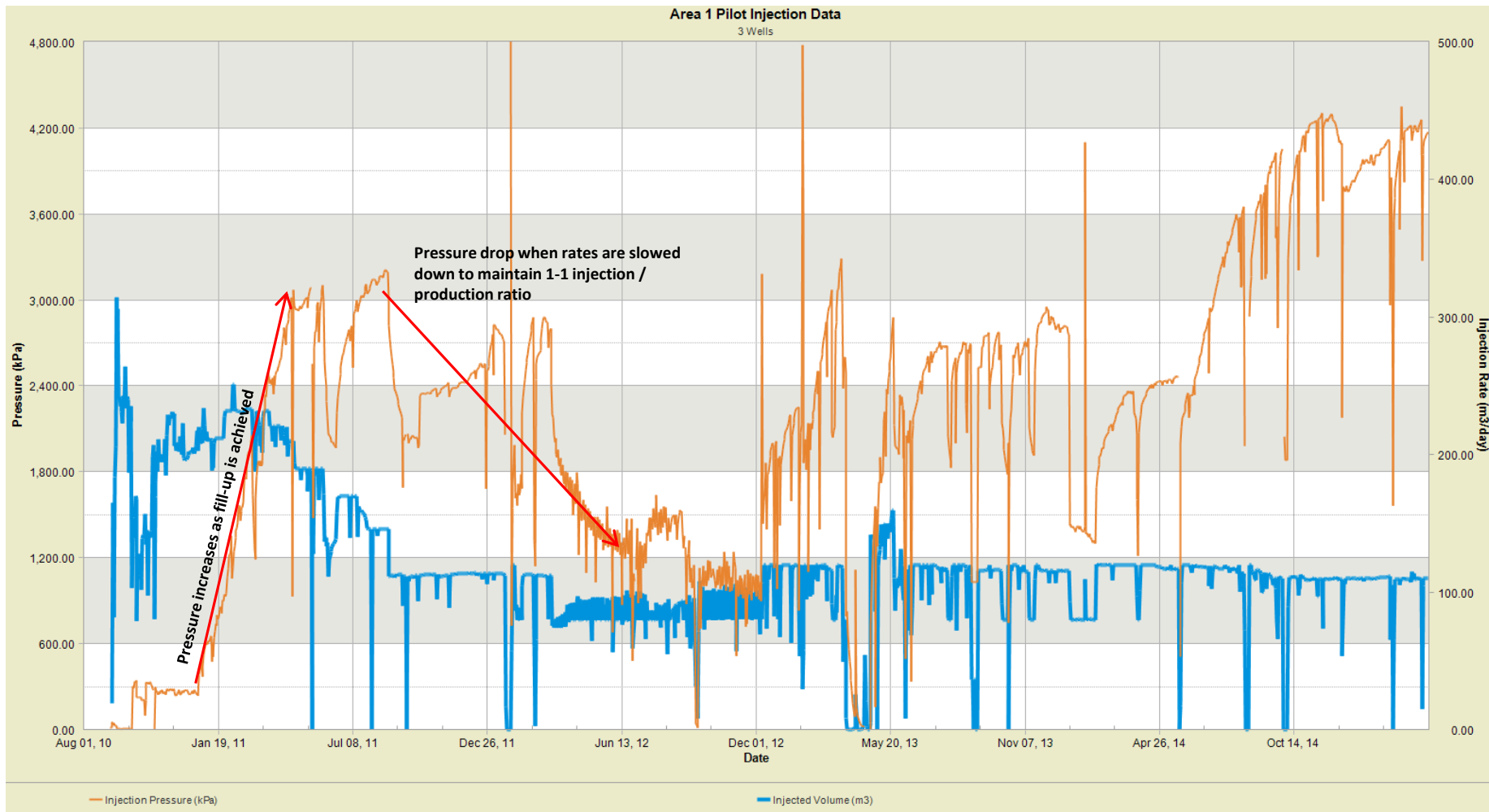


- **Polymer Injection Approval Pressure (Approval # 11320C)**
 - ◆ MAWHIP 4,900 kPa
 - ◆ MABHIP 11,500 kPa

- **Monitoring Injection Pressure**
 - ◆ Surface pressure recorded daily and monitored to ensure MAWHIP is not exceeded

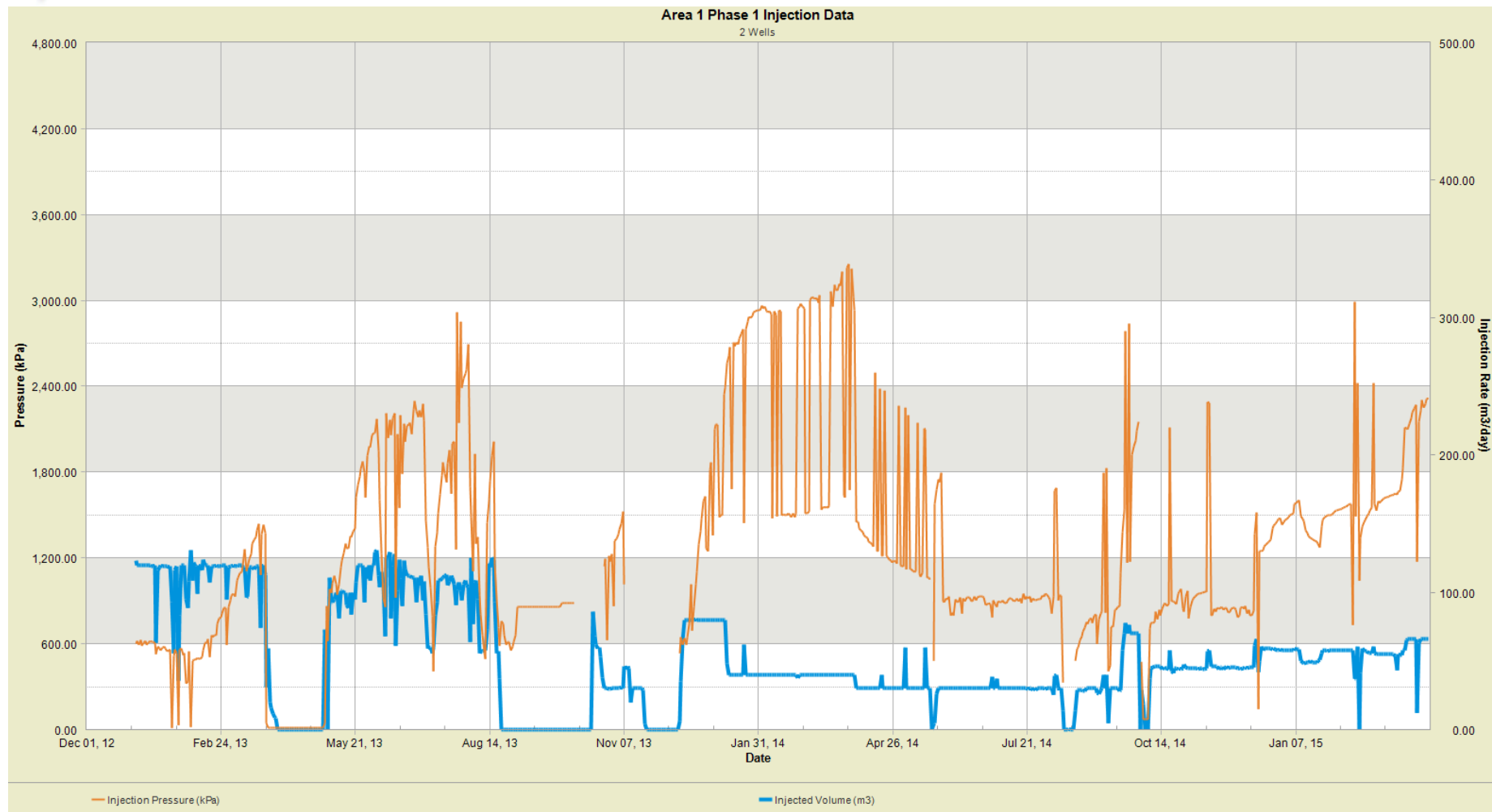


Injection Pressure - Pilot





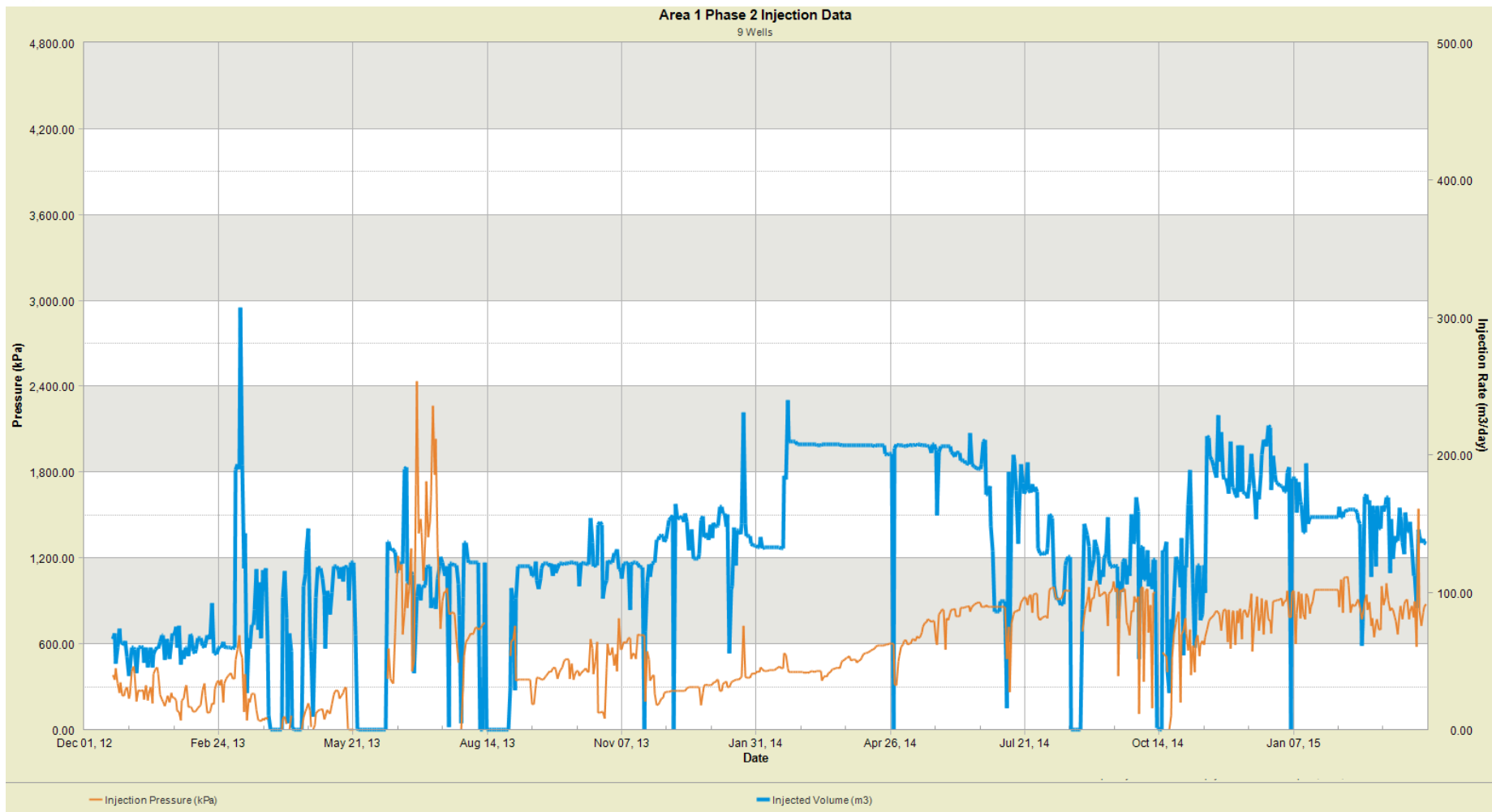
Injection Pressure – Phase 1



💧 Injection pressures continue to rise while maintaining water cuts



Injection Pressure – Phase 2



- 💧 Mixed results with build up occurring on the 13-03 pad and conformance issues on the 4-10 pad



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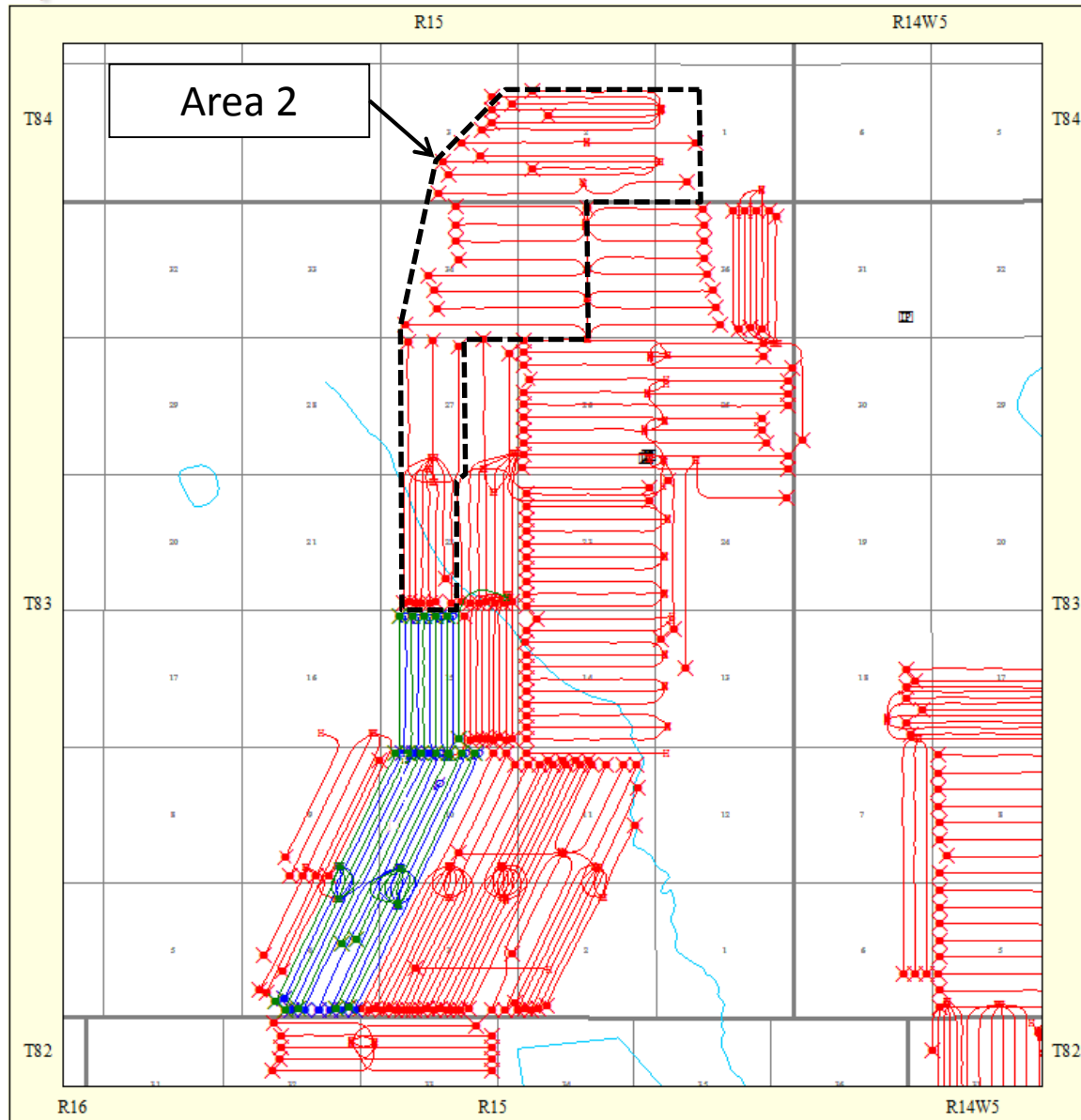


Future - Expansion Plans

- **Murphy has commissioned 2 of 3 Phases of the commercial Area 1 expansion.**
 - ◆ Phase 3 injection is currently on hold
- **Murphy has plans within the 2016 budget to implement AREA 2**



Future Plans- Expansion



- Located in Central Seal just North of existing pilot and expansion.
- Similar reservoir characteristics and viscosities



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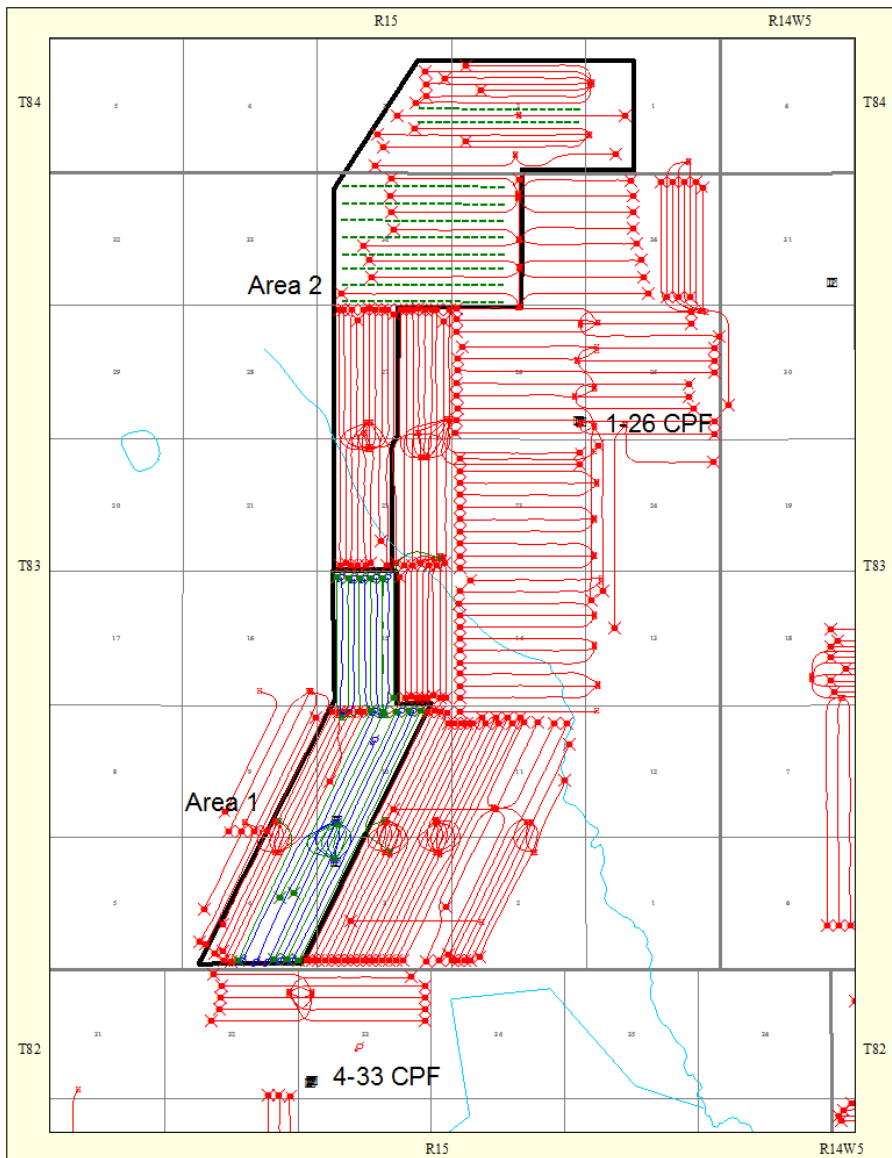
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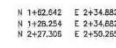



Facilities - Battery Locations



- Located in Central Seal
- All producing wells from the polymer pilot and Area 1 are flowlined to the 4-33 CPF
- All future Area 2 production will be processed at the 1-26 CPF
- All source water treatment facilities are equipped to remove iron, oxygen and bacteria from the water before hydration occurs

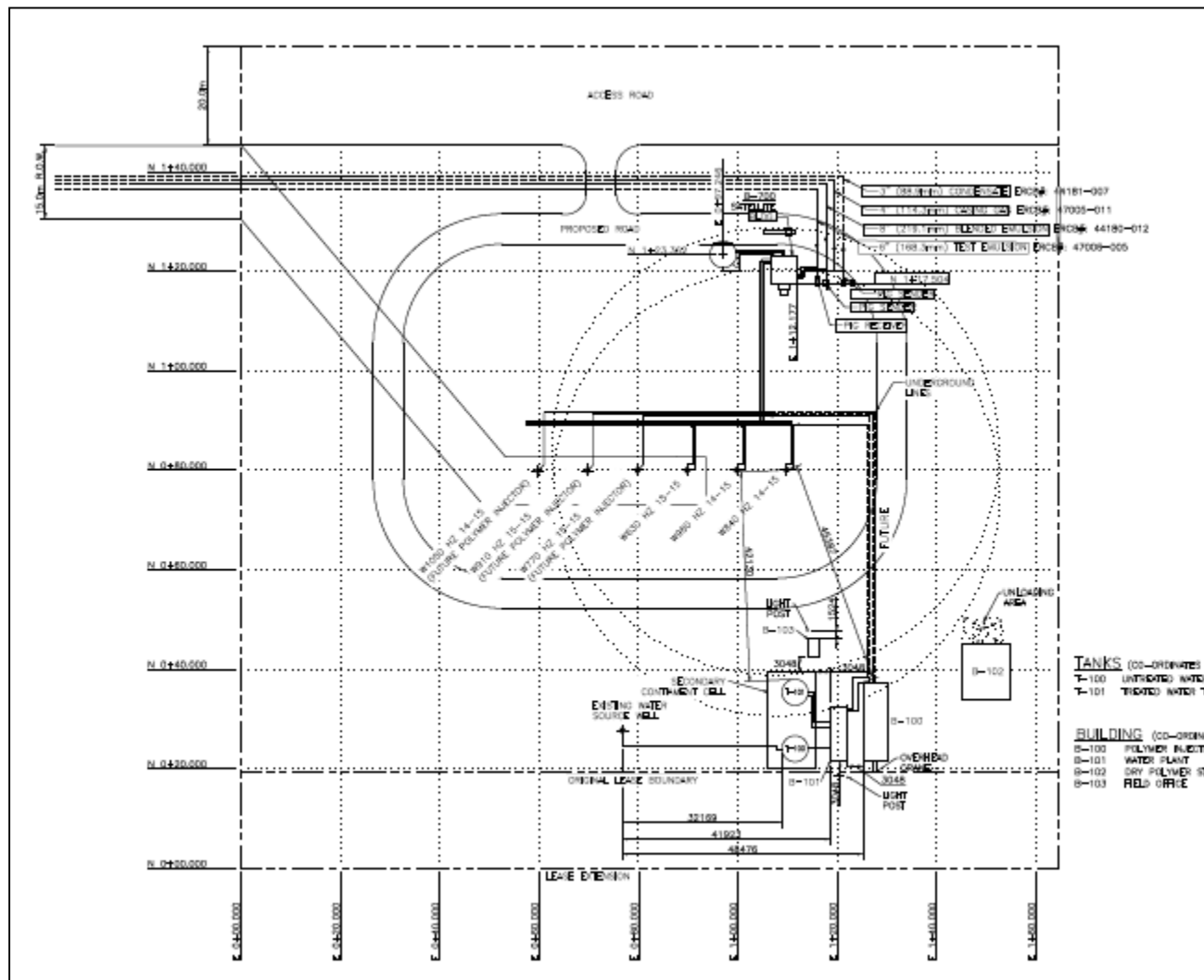
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0129026	0129029	N/A	13-03 Polymer Injection Facility
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N/A	0094150	N/A	Flow line of 4-33 CPF
N/A	N/A	0133398	4-33 CPF
0080049	N/A	N/A	10-04 SWD
0088019	N/A	N/A	11-28 SWD
0107239	N/A	0133398	6-33 SWD



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MURPHY OIL COMPANY LTD. SEAL LAKE BATTERY PLOT PLAN	
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Pilot – 14-10 Plot Plan







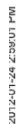
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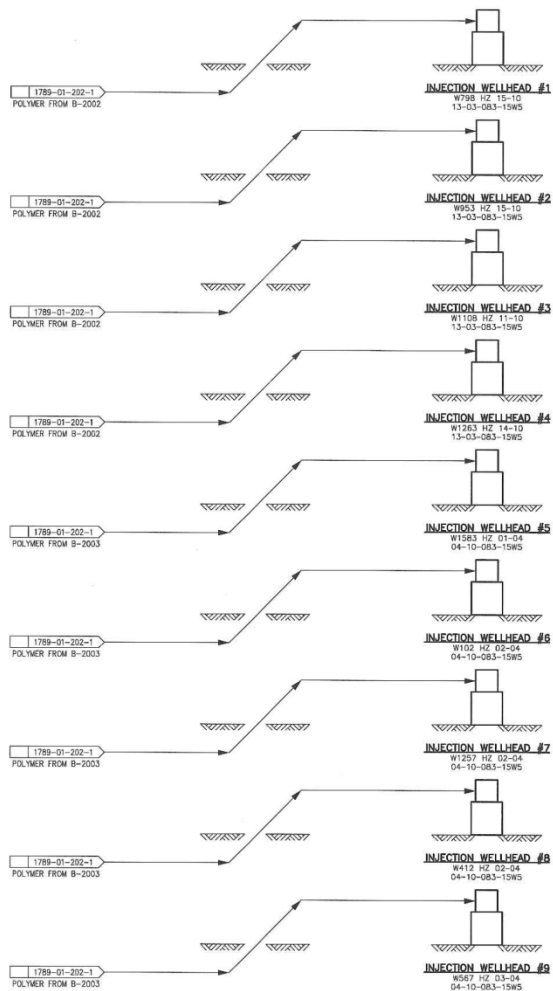













Area 1 Phase 2 - PFD



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Water Usage - Paddy Formation

💧 UWI: 1F1/14-10-083-15W5/0

- ◆ **Murphy currently has term license 00289082-00-00 with Alberta Environment for the diversion of up to 164,250 m³ of Paddy water for injection with an expiry date of 2018-03-05**
- ◆ **3,750 TDS**
- ◆ **Fe was not detected**

💧 UWI: 1F1/15-03-083-15W5/0

- ◆ **No TDL necessary with TDS testing >4000 ppm**
- ◆ **5,383 TDS**
- ◆ **Fe was not detected**



Water Usage - Notikewan Formation

- 💧 **UWI: 1F1/4-10-083-15W5**
- 💧 **TDL's are not needed for Notikewan wells with TDS >4000 ppm**
 - ◆ **10,592 TDS**
 - ◆ **Fe was not detected**



Water Usage – Planning and Operation

- **Murphy is currently developing a water management program for the entire Seal field**



Water Usage – Produced Volumes

- Produced volumes are reported from test tanks located at the well site (tested weekly)
- From the start of the polymer flood there has been a recorded 20,951 m³ of water produced from the producing wells
- Water volumes are calculated through BS&W tests conducted simultaneously with the well test
- Produced water is currently being injected into disposal wells 102/06-33-082-15W5/0, 100/10-04-083-14W5/3 and 100/11-28-082-15W5/2
- There is no sulfur production from the 4-33 battery
- Murphy is currently not recycling produced water from emulsion as per regulatory approval
- The 1-26 Facility currently is outside the current operating polymer flood and is considered out of scope for this update



Water & Gas Usage – Volumes

	Polymer Injection Volumes (m3)	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2014	Fresh Water	5,371.30	5,645.00	6,516.70	6,251.00	6,327.30	5,999.90	5,928.30	4,010.20	5,019.30	4,237.50	4,602.40	4,962.50
	Saline Water	2,763.50	3,254.90	3,713.10	3,737.70	3,682.10	3,979.80	3,398.30	2,714.40	3,405.60	2,852.30	4,755.90	5,757.40
	Total	8,134.80	8,899.90	10,229.80	9,988.70	10,009.40	9,979.70	9,326.60	6,724.60	8,424.90	7,089.80	9,358.30	10,719.90

	4-33 Total Water Volumes (m3)	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2014	Produced Water (Area 1)	1,274.00	886.40	527.90	673.00	945.00	449.70	382.50	342.80	493.90	618.00	1,007.50	1,862.50
	Produced Water (Field)	14,278.00	13,140.00	12,721.00	11,827.00	17,210.00	11,569.00	11,525.00	9,618.00	11,800.00	12,653.00	16,181.00	16,540.00
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	Third Party Disposal (Field)	1,057.80	(58.60)	(118.10)	(1,701.80)	2,833.60	51.90	628.30	1,417.90	487.30	2,177.10	4,103.60	1,005.40
	Disposal Volumes (Field)	13,220.20	13,198.60	12,839.10	13,528.80	14,376.40	11,517.10	10,896.70	8,200.10	11,312.70	10,475.90	12,077.40	15,534.60
	Prorated Disposal Volumes (Area 1)	1,179.61	890.35	532.80	769.84	789.41	447.68	361.65	292.26	473.50	511.67	751.99	1,749.29

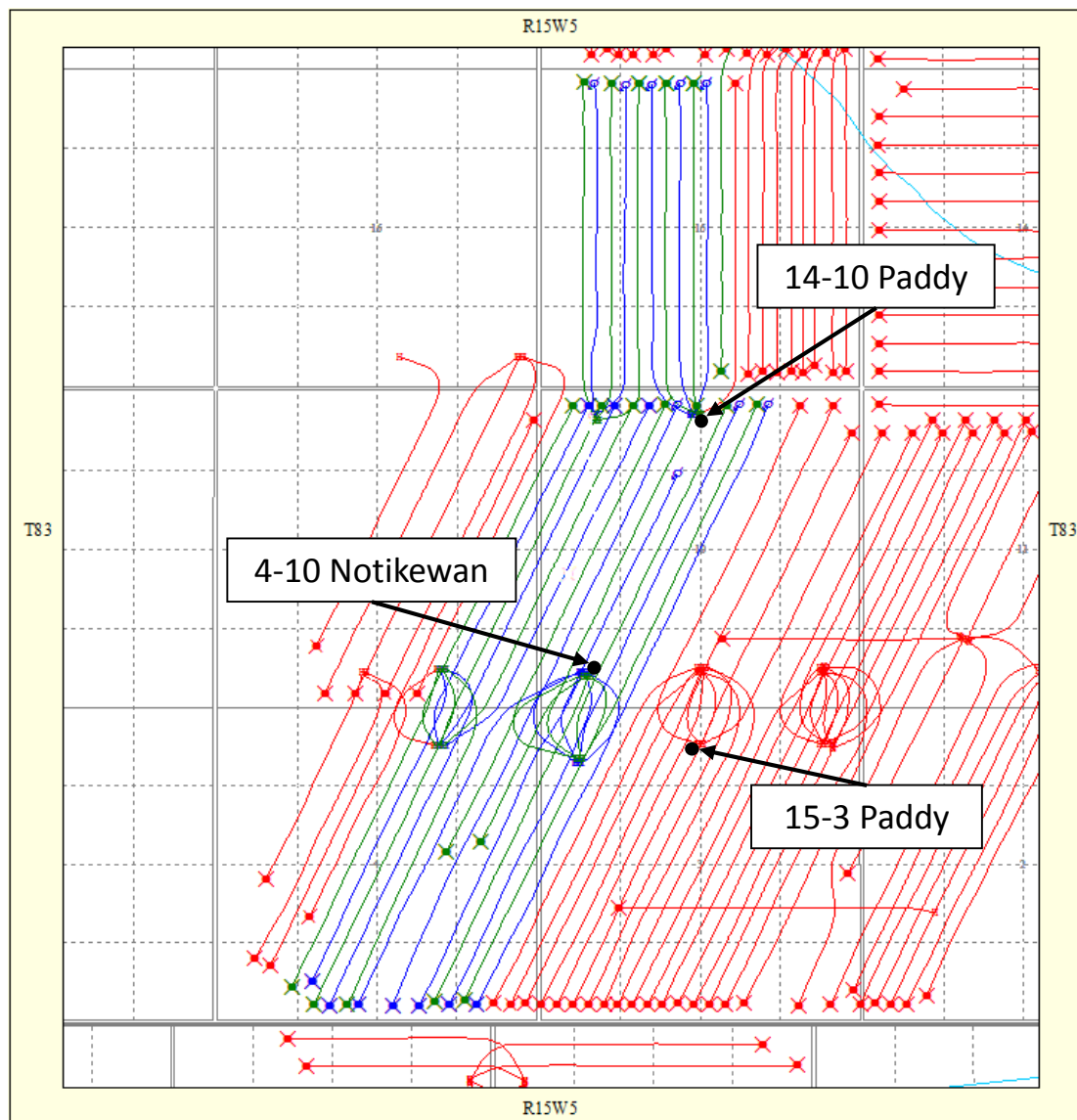
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	4-33 Total Gas Volumes (E3m3)	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2014	Produced Gas (Area 1)	170.40	343.70	373.20	314.10	288.50	274.00	262.50	199.20	235.10	191.80	161.30	190.30
	Produced Gas (Field)	1,618.30	2,259.10	2,346.90	2,084.00	2,500.20	2,789.90	2,621.10	2,178.40	2,592.30	2,528.40	3,202.00	2,665.20
	Consumed	729.30	857.30	1,053.10	1,135.00	1,186.10	1,099.50	1,090.00	1,168.10	744.40	816.80	1,877.00	1,657.20
	Flared	83.70	26.70	101.60	25.02	31.40	28.60	28.20	116.00	42.50	43.70	101.00	23.00
	Blanket Gas	998.07	454.08	711.40	948.74	664.85	186.00	309.63	606.48	(95.71)	(42.39)	190.57	339.70
	Delivered	1,803.37	1,829.18	1,903.60	1,872.72	1,947.55	1,847.80	1,812.53	1,500.78	1,709.69	1,625.51	1,414.57	1,324.70

(Field) represents all field production flowing to the 4-33 CPF

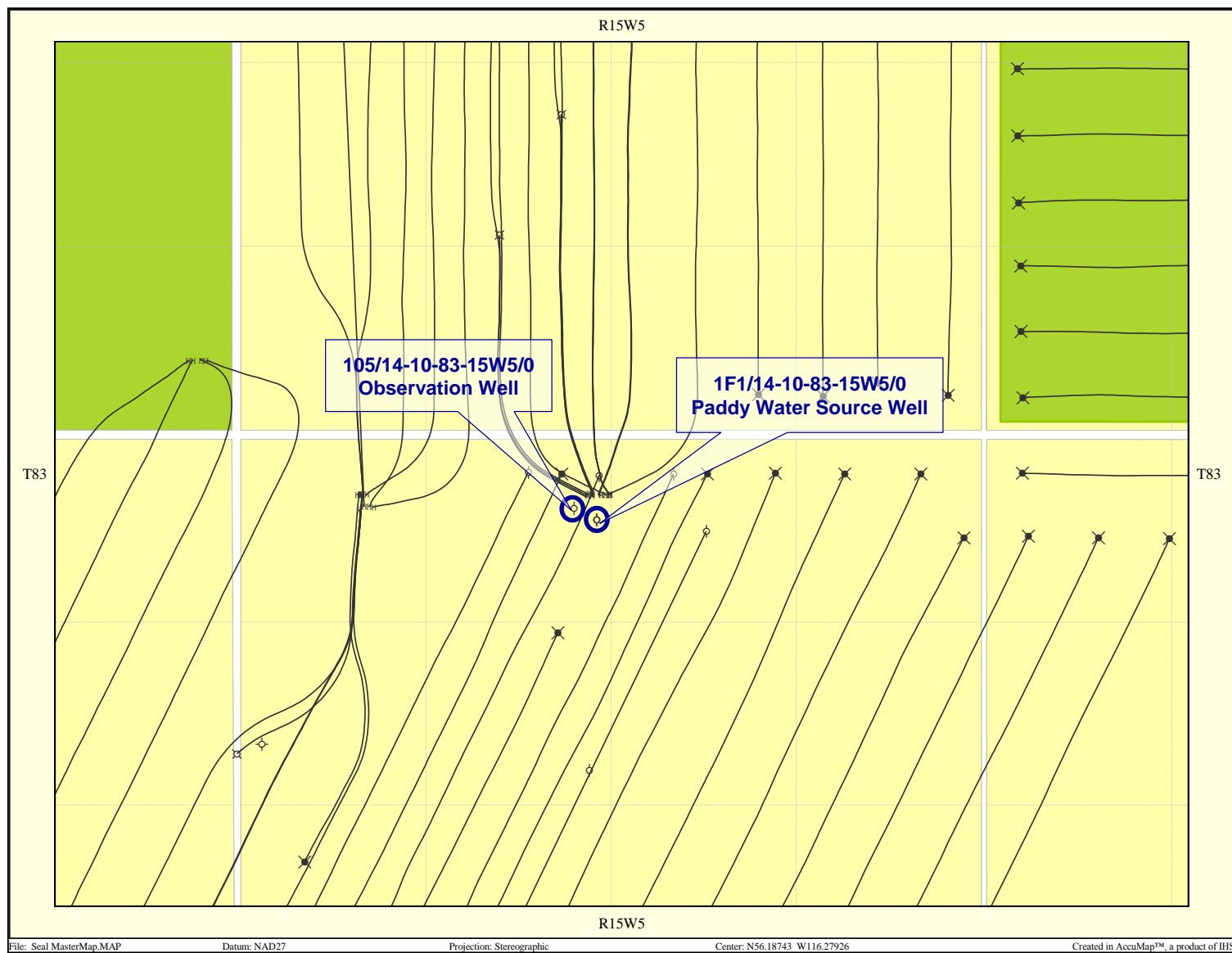


Water Usage - WSW Locations



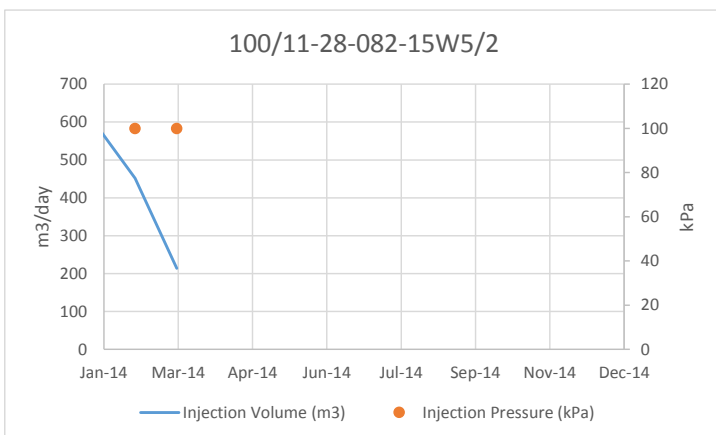
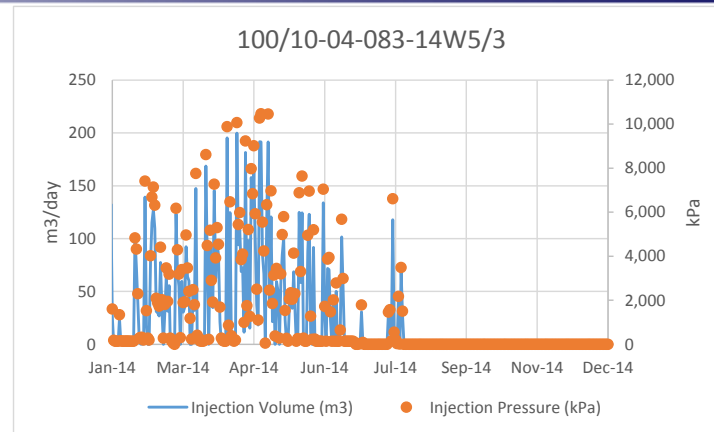
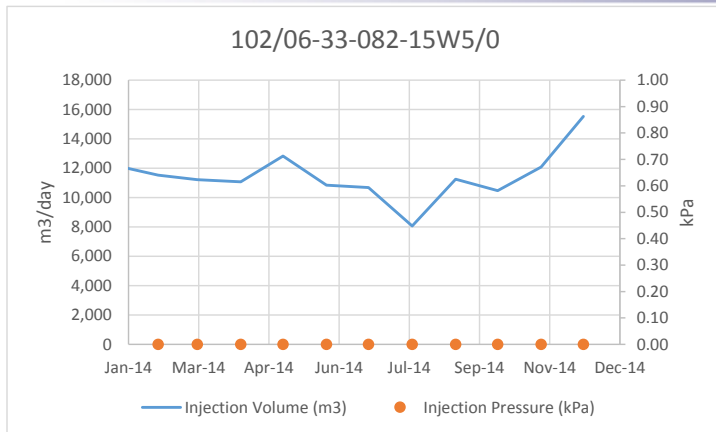


Water Usage - Paddy Well Location





Water Usage – Disposal Wells



💧 **102/06-33-083-15W5 is on vacuum
justifying the lack of injection pressure**

UWI	Approval Number	Formation
102/06-33-082-15W5/0	11949	Debolt
100/10-04-083-14W5/3	11353C	Nisku
100/11-28-082-15W5/2	11949	Debolt



Water Usage – Produced Volumes

- 💧 **Proration factors for production volumes are calculated using standard accounting procedures**

4-33 CPF ABBT0094150	2014 Gas Proration	2014 Oil Proration	2014 Water Proration
January	0.75964	0.82550	0.90841
February	1.03769	0.76339	0.95133
March	1.05893	0.77343	0.79729
April	1.03276	0.77619	1.03697
May	1.15478	0.79624	0.87524
June	0.97690	0.76726	1.01250
July	1.23463	0.77707	0.87183
August	1.10351	0.72064	0.83578
September	1.14399	0.70065	1.28180
October	0.77458	0.77139	0.95143
November	0.74934	0.71372	1.04481
December	0.70742	0.72258	1.13995



Water Usage – Injected Volumes

Pilot

177,920 m3 injected

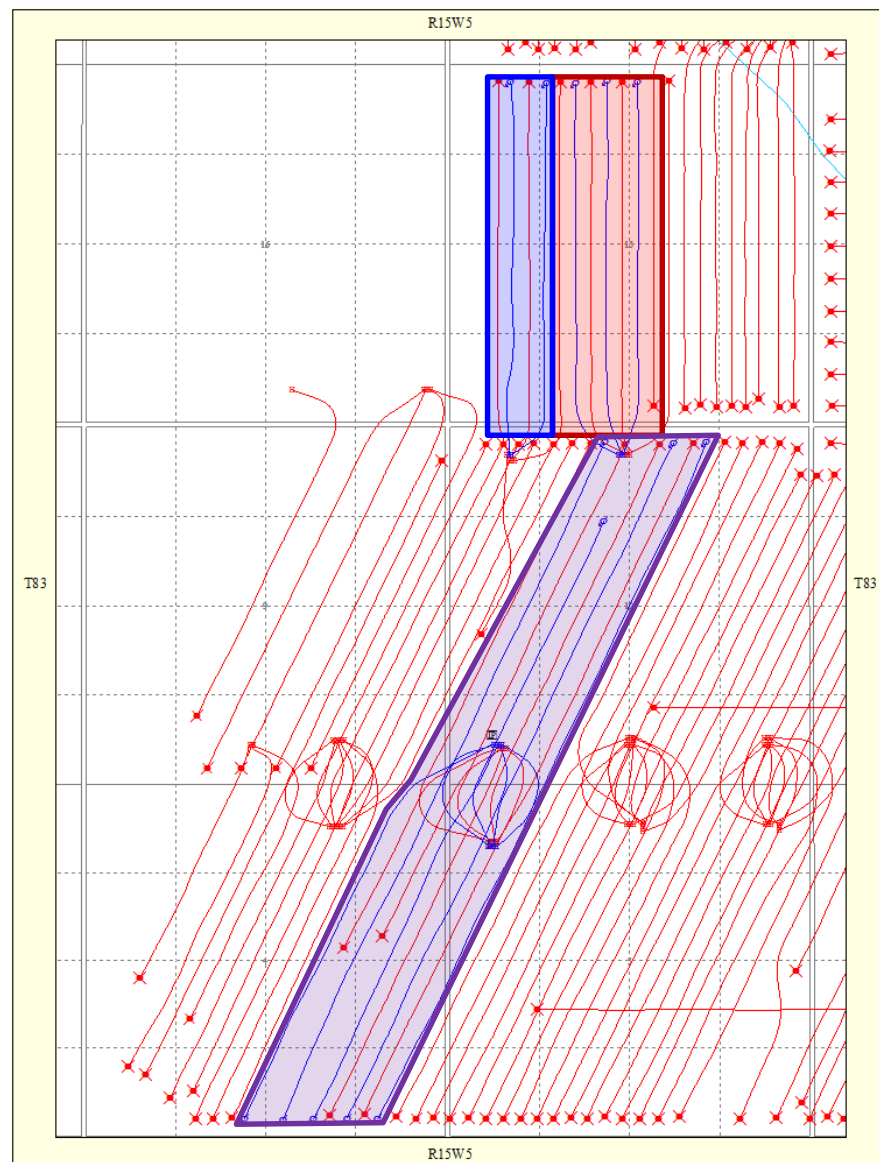
Phase 1

44,568 m3 injected

Phase 2

95,495 m3 injected

Total = 317,983 m3 injected





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Regulatory - Scheme Approval

- ◆ **Murphy is in compliance with other regulatory bodies (AER, SRD, AENV, DFO)**



- 💧 Facilities
- 💧 Non-Saline Water Use and Conservation
- 💧 Regulatory
- 💧 **Conclusion**



- **Murphy is committed to maximizing the value of the resource for both itself and the province of Alberta through its royalty interest**
- **Observations made over the past year will be applied to future polymer project within Seal Lake**
- **Murphy's top priority is ensuring compliance with AER and all regulatory bodies**