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**LEISMER D54 PERFORMANCE REPORT**

**APRIL 2020**

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## DEVELOPMENT OVERVIEW

### SUBSURFACE

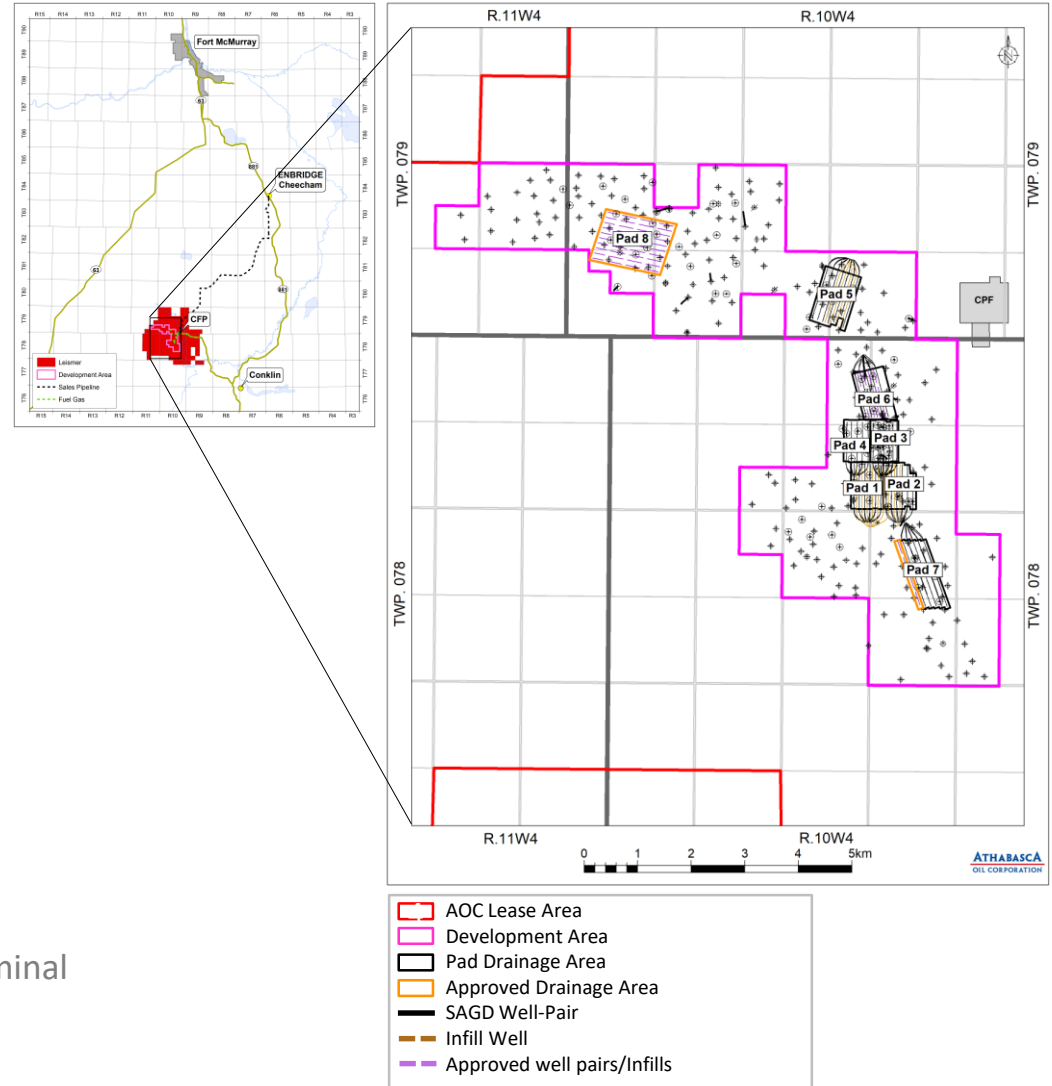
- Geoscience
- 4-D Seismic & Monitoring
- Well Design & Instrumentation
- Scheme Performance
- Future Plans

### SURFACE OPERATIONS & COMPLIANCE

- Facilities
- Measurement & Reporting
- Facility Performance
- Water Production, Injection & Uses
- Sulphur Production
- Future Plans
- Compliance

## PROJECT DETAILS

- First steam September 2010
- Approved processing capacity 40,000 bbl/d
- 7 producing pads
  - 40 horizontal well pairs
  - 13 infill wells
- Approved for development
  - Pad 8 (14 well pairs)
  - Pad 6 infills (4 infills)
  - L7P6 (1 well pair)



## INFRASTRUCTURE

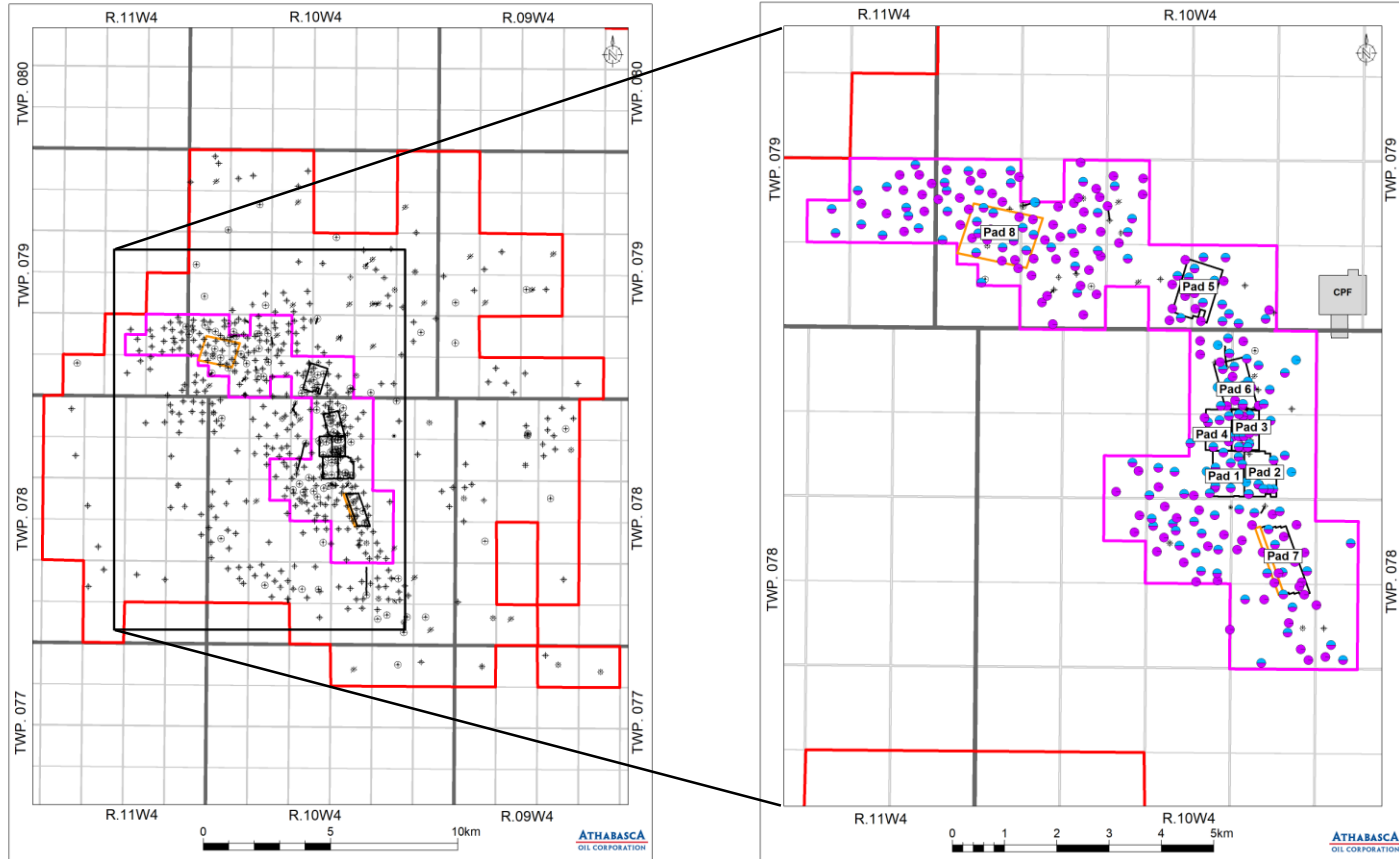
- Fuel gas from TransCanada Pipeline (TCPL)
- Dilbit export to Enbridge Cheecham Terminal
- Diluent supply from Enbridge Cheecham Terminal



**SUBSURFACE**  
**GEOSCIENCE OVERVIEW**

## GEOSCIENCE DATA ACQUIRED ON 4 WELLS DURING THE REPORTING PERIOD

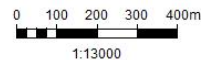
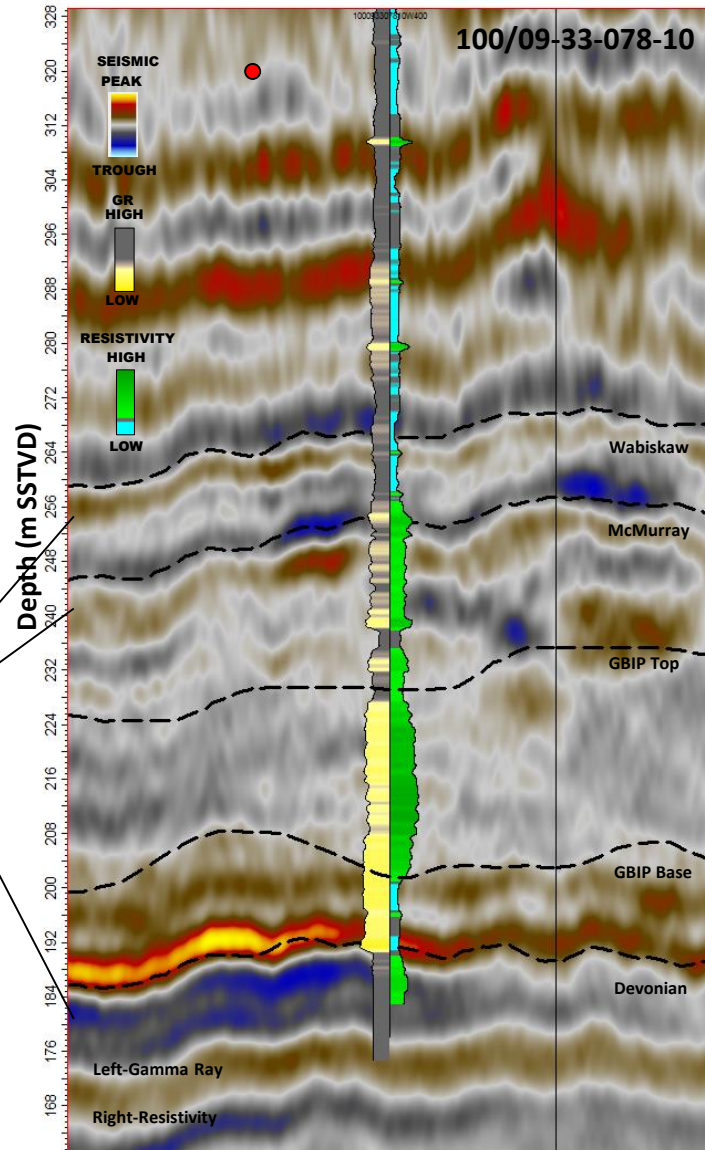
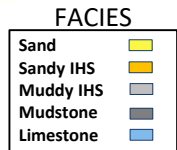
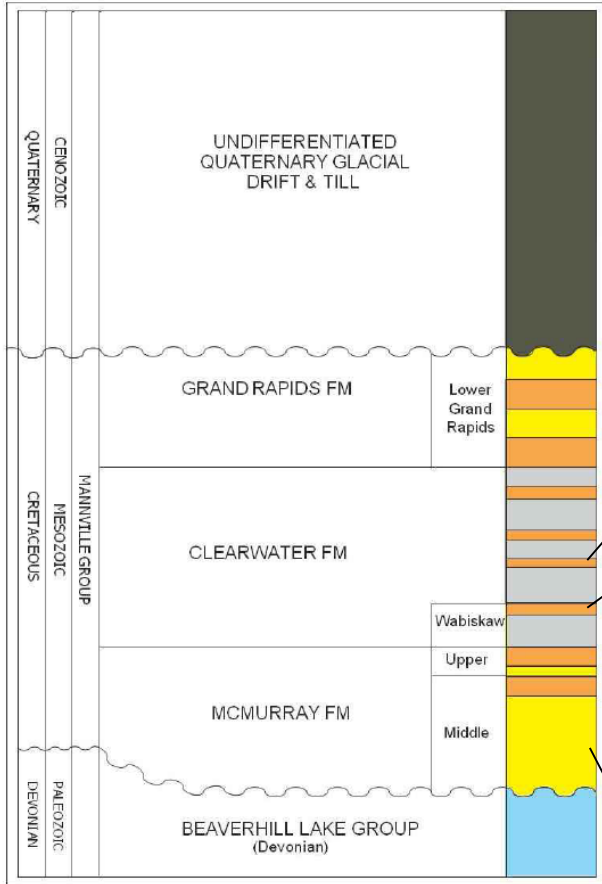
- Core and petrophysics completed on 4 wells in Pad 7 drainage area



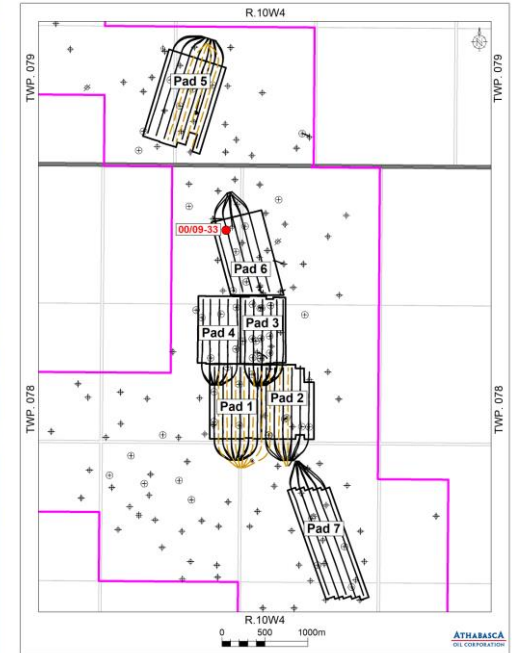
Area	Area (km <sup>2</sup> )	Cored Wells	Image Logs
Lease Area	326	370	625
Development Area	37.4	145	244

- ▭ AOC Lease Area
- ▭ Development Area
- Pad Drainage Area
- Approved Drainage Area
- Cored Well
- Image Log(HMI) Well

# STRATIGRAPHY AND REFERENCE WELL



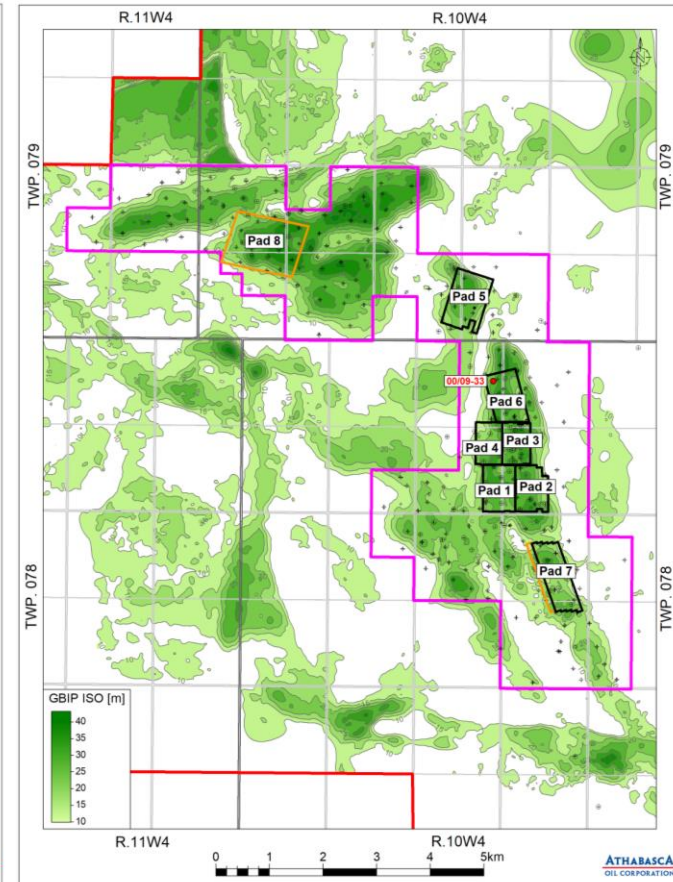
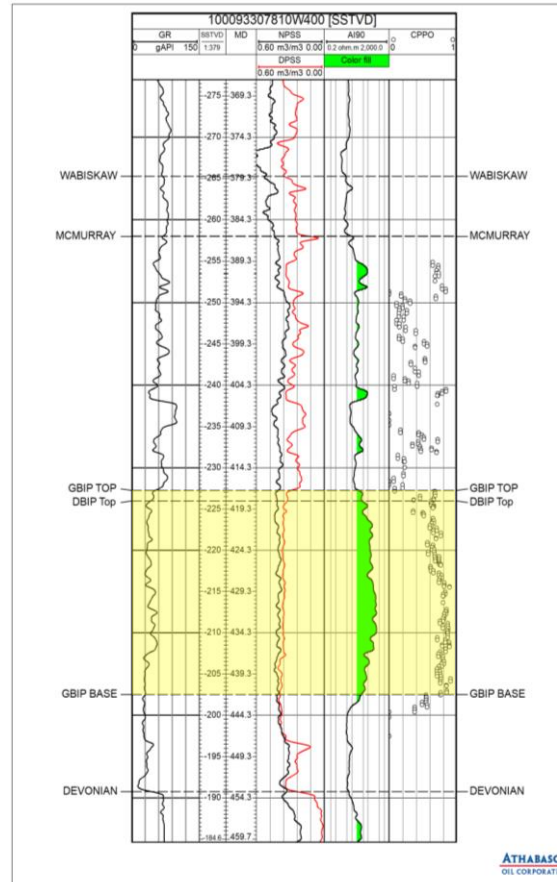
## SAGD PRODUCING WELLPAIRS



- AOC Lease Area
- Development Area
- Pad Drainage Area
- Type Well (00/09-33-078-10W4)
- SAGD Well-Pair
- Infill Well

## GROSS BITUMEN IN PLACE (GBIP)

- GBIP represents the total pay interval accessible via SAGD
- Petrophysical criteria:
  - *Gamma Ray (GR)*  $\leq 75$  API
  - *Resistivity (RT)*  $\geq 40$  ohm-m
  - *Porosity (DPSS)*  $\geq 27\%$
- Non-reservoir lithofacies (F6–F7) excluded if greater than 2m



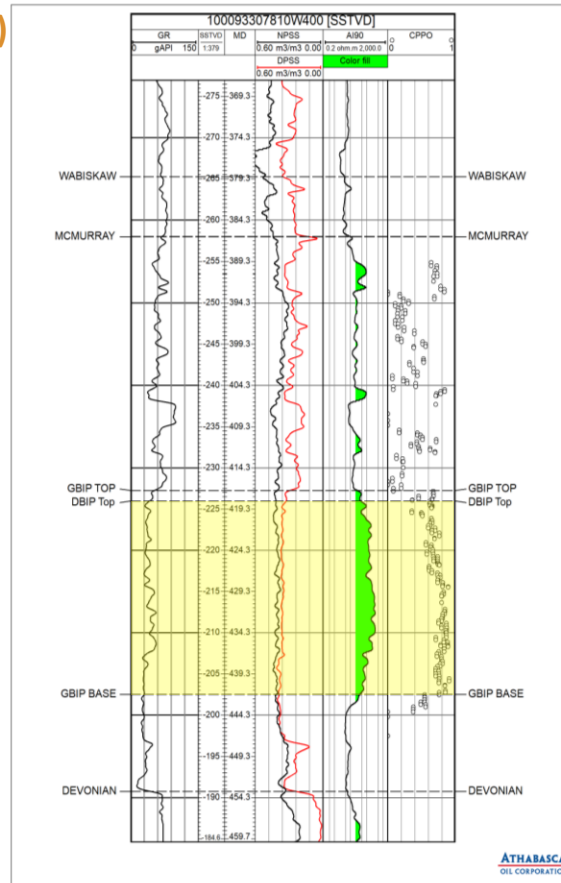
## ELEVATION RANGE

- 202 -241 masl

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- ▭ Approved Drainage Area
- Type Well (00/09-33-078-10W4)

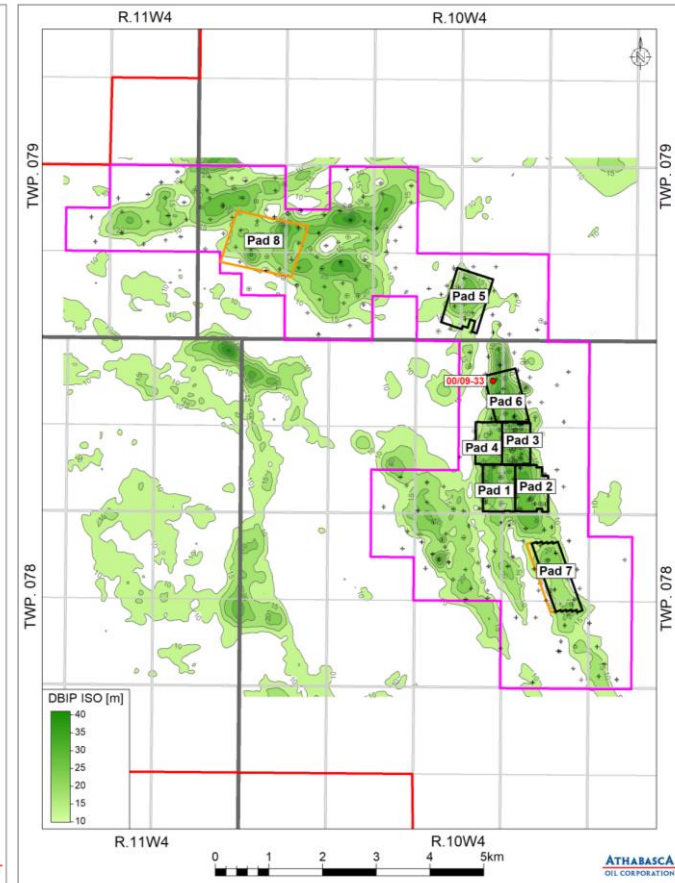
## DEVELOPABLE BITUMEN IN PLACE (DBIP)

- DBIP has the same petrophysical properties as GBIP but is restricted to higher quality lithofacies:
  - F1: Shale-Clast Breccia (if <5m)
  - F2: Trough Cross-Bedded Sand
  - F3: Current-Ripple Laminated Sand
  - F4A-B: Sand with 5–10% Mud Interbeds



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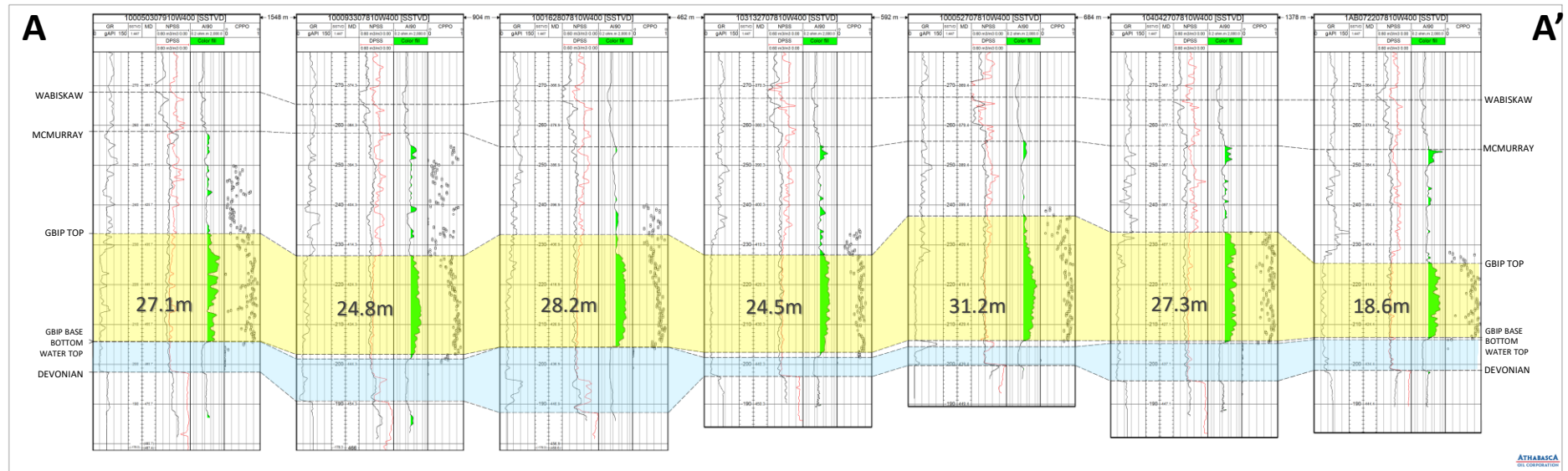
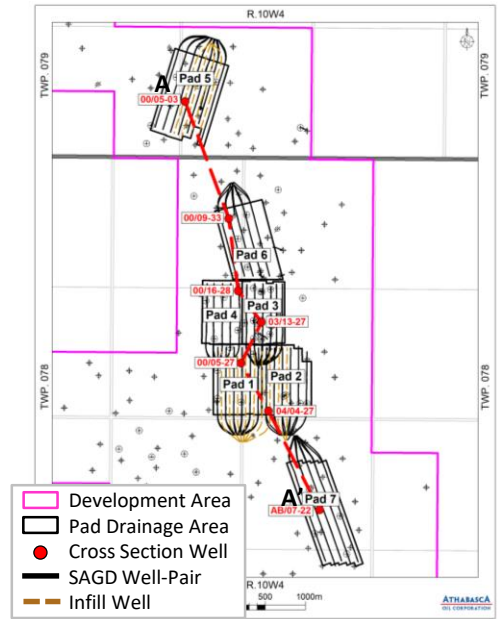
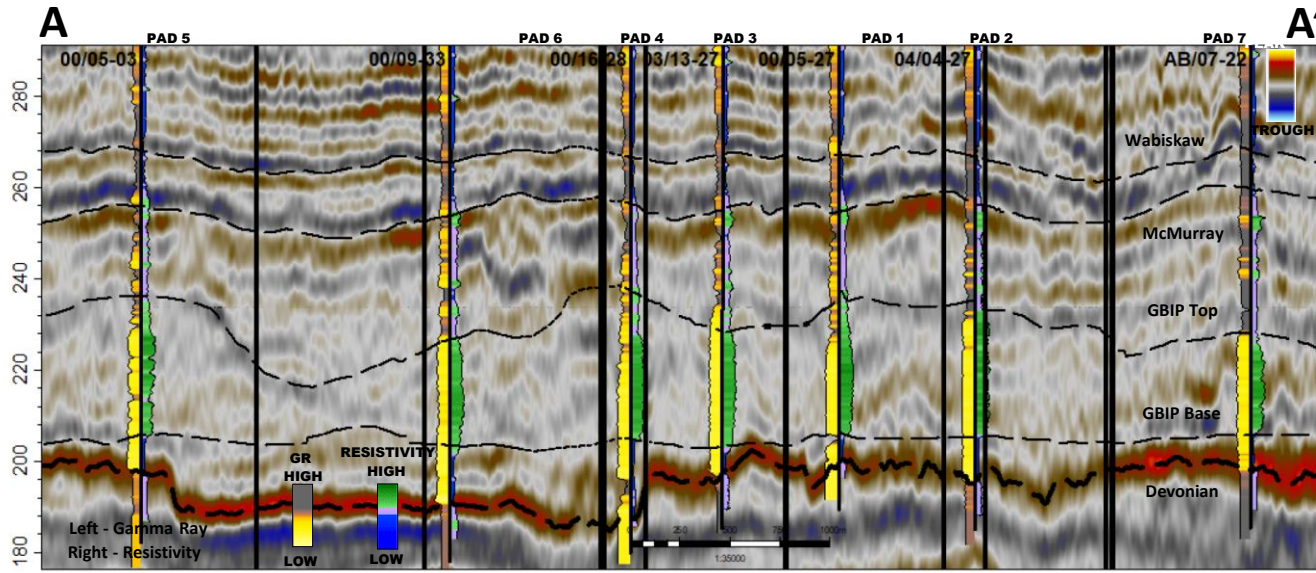
- 202 -237 masl

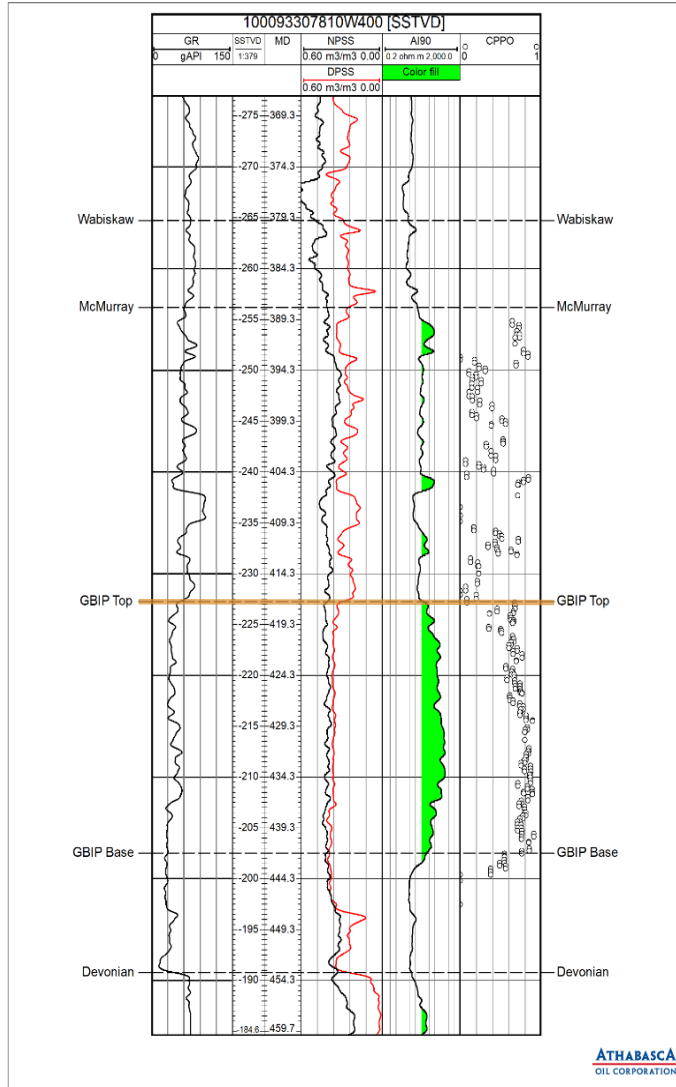


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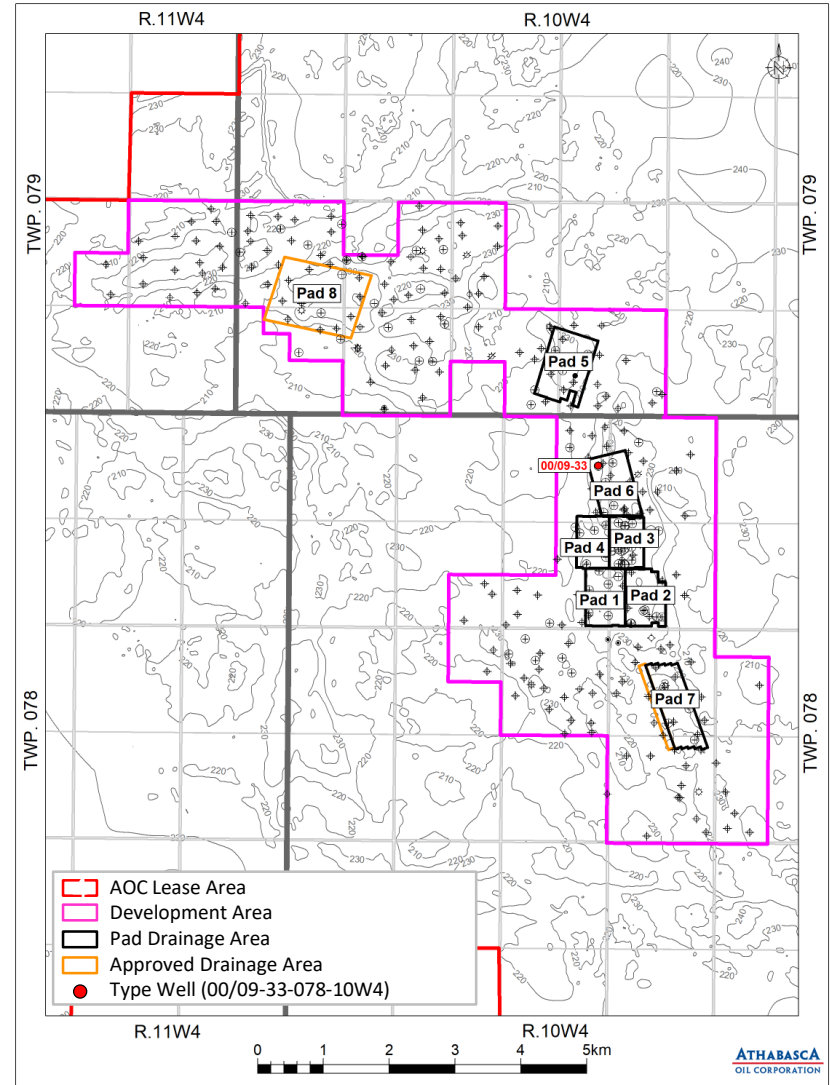


# PADS 1-7 STRUCTURAL CROSS SECTION N-S

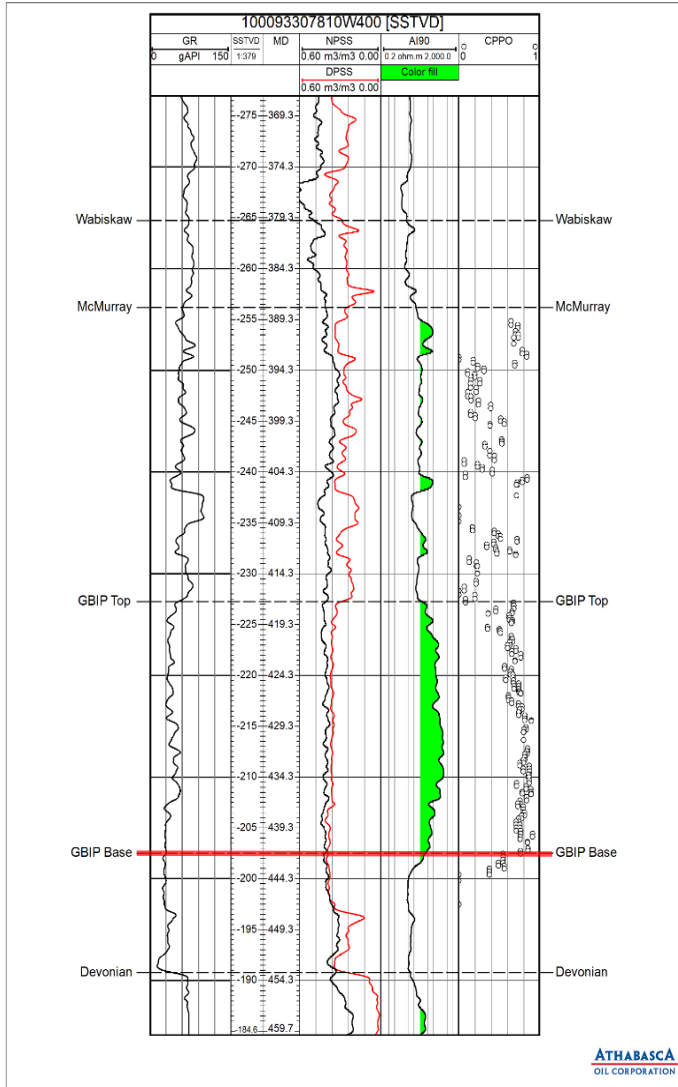




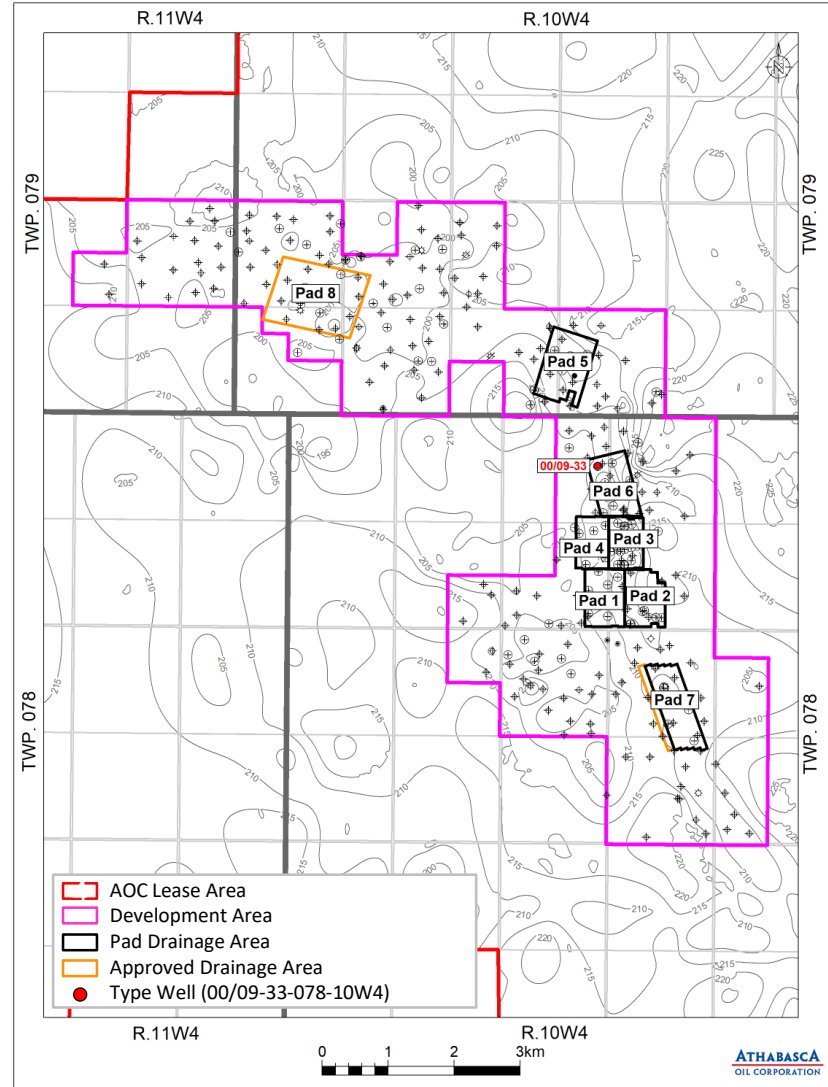
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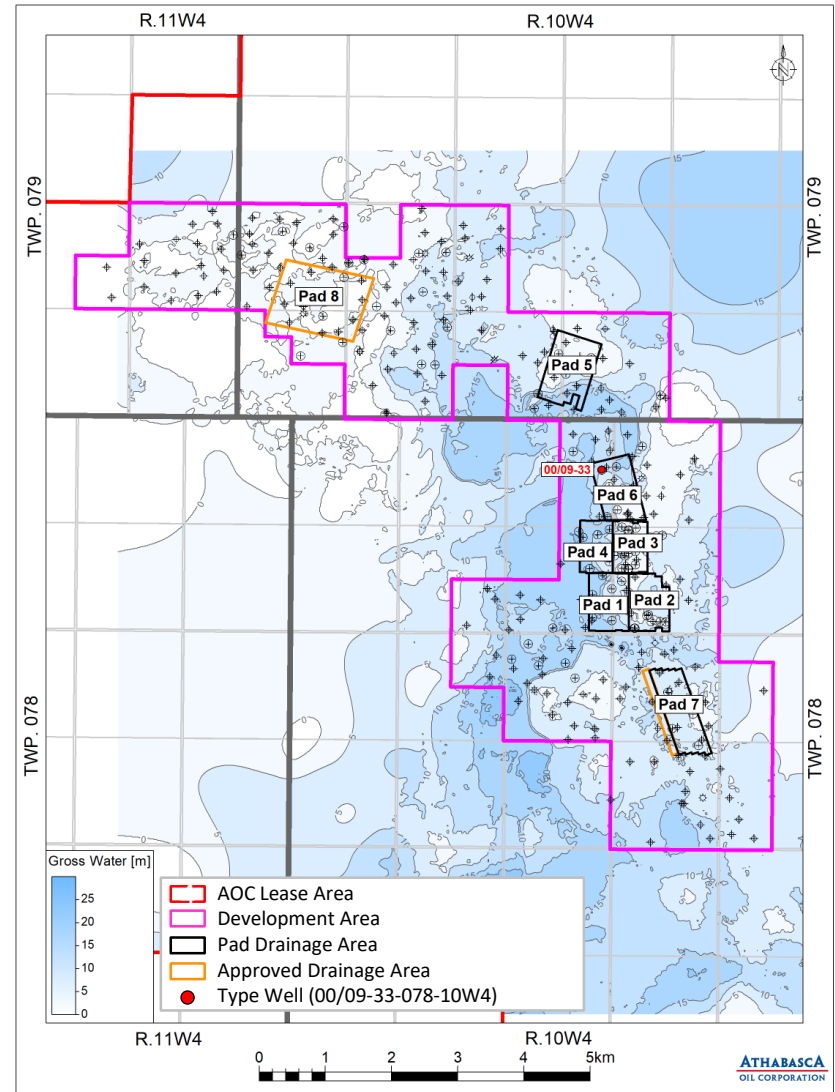
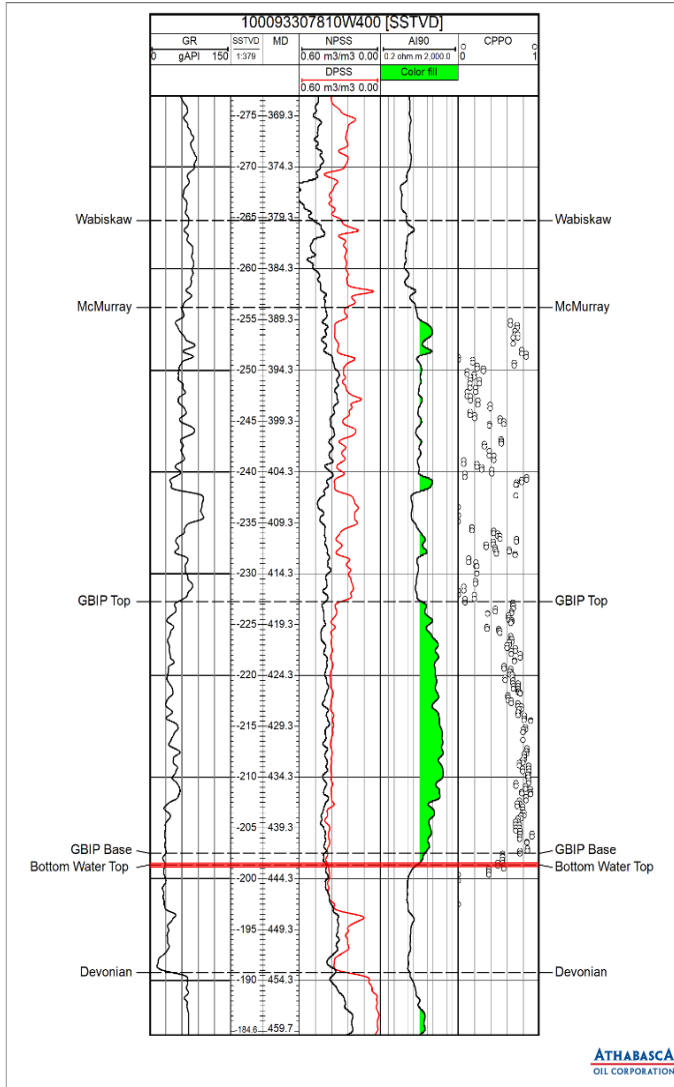
# BASE STRUCTURE MAP



Elevation Range 193 -231 masl

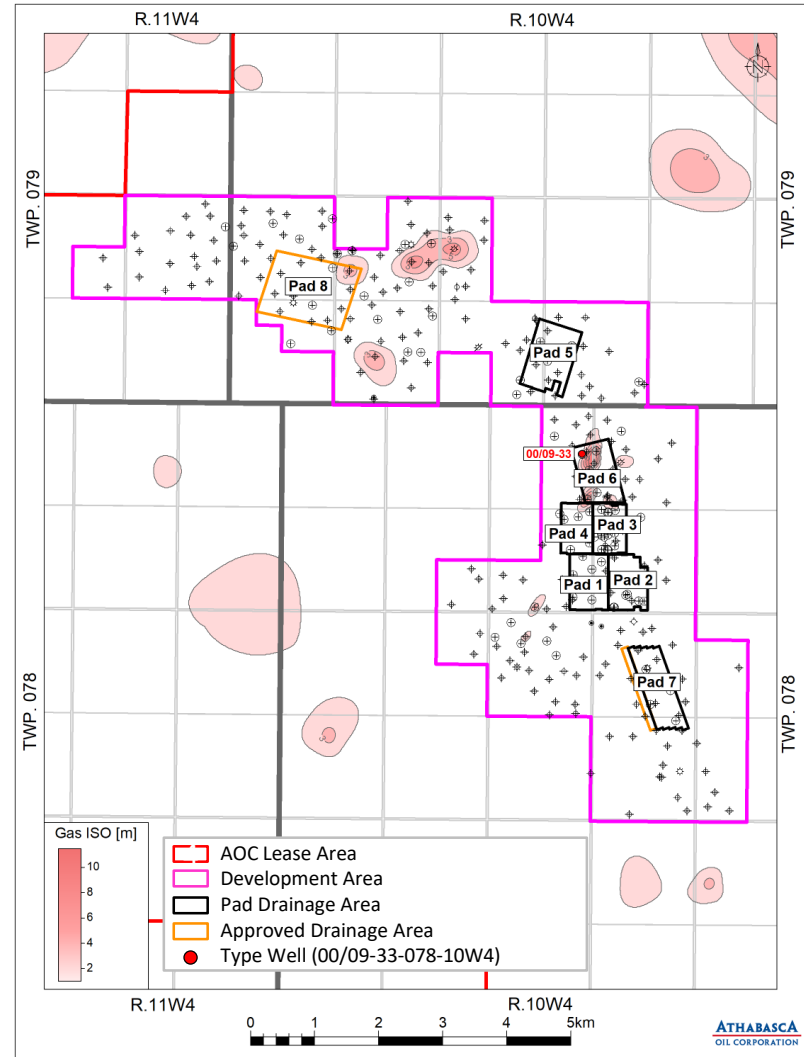
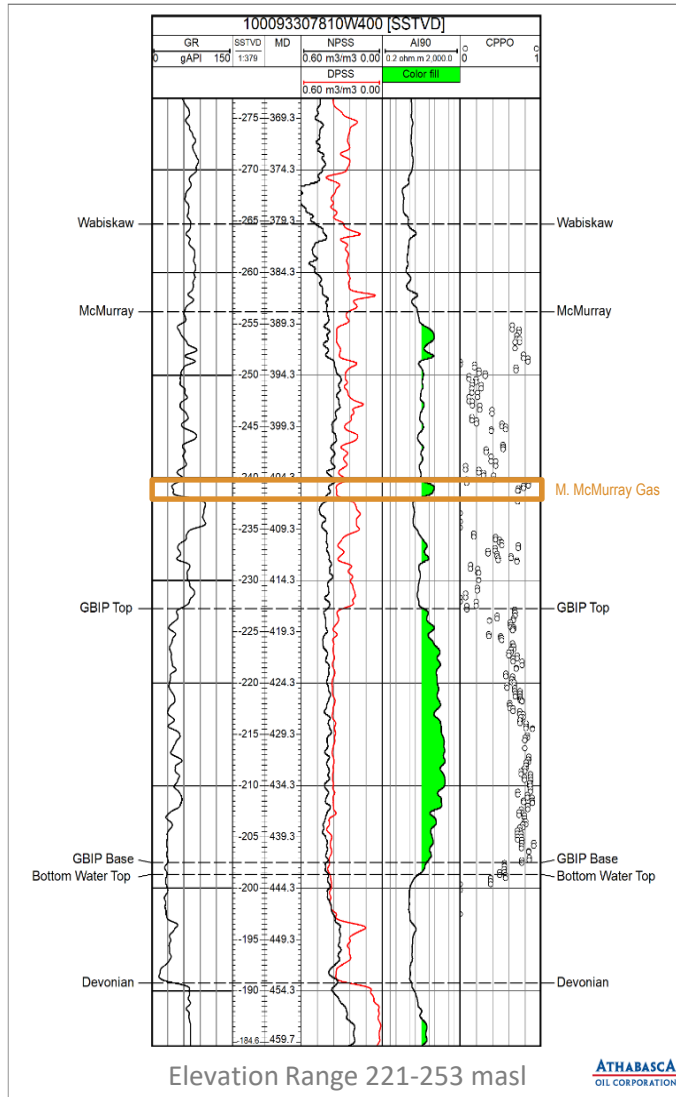


# BOTTOM WATER THICKNESS MAP



Elevation Range 191 -213 masl

## MINIMAL GAS THICKNESS AND LIMITED DISTRIBUTION WITHIN DEVELOPMENT AREA



## 2019

- No new caprock core, mini-frac or tri-axial testing completed during the reporting period

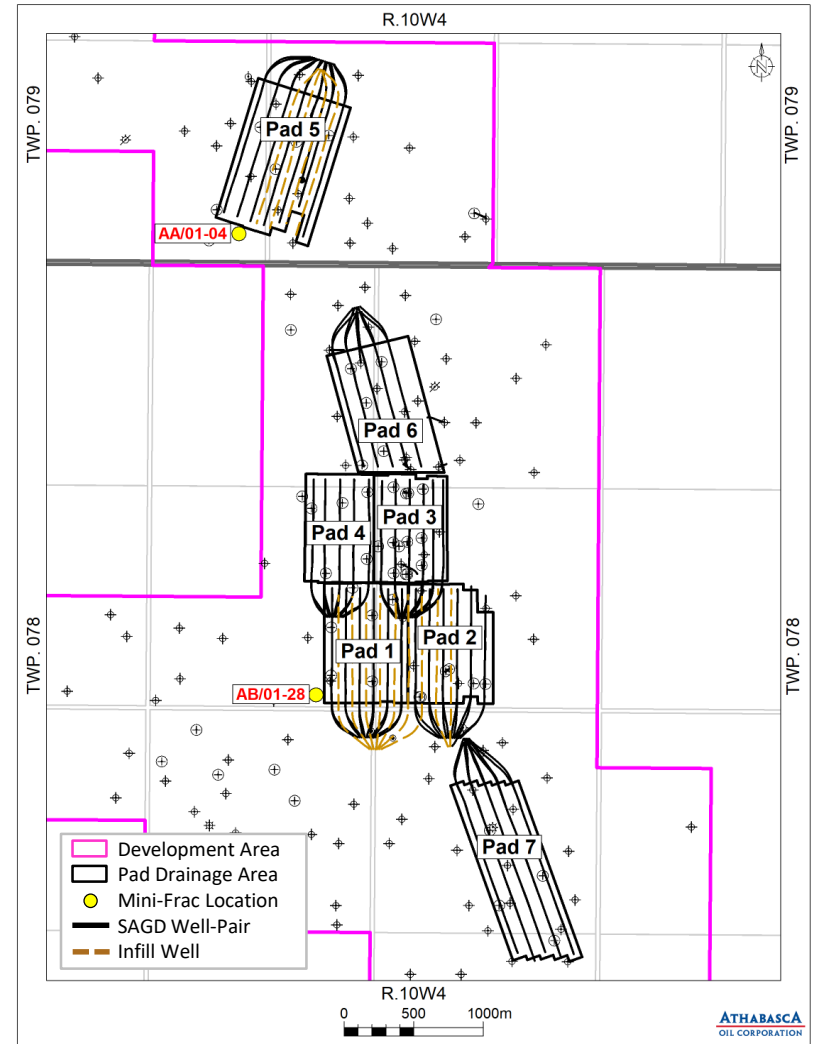
## HISTORICAL

- Caprock defined as the Clearwater Formation
  - Includes regionally continuous shale of the Wabiskaw Member
  - Mini-frac tests completed at two locations (01-04-079-10W4, 01-28-078-10W4)
- Approved maximum operating pressure is 5,500 kPag
- All injectors operating at ~ 3,000 - 3,300 kPag

## SURFACE HEAVE MONITORING

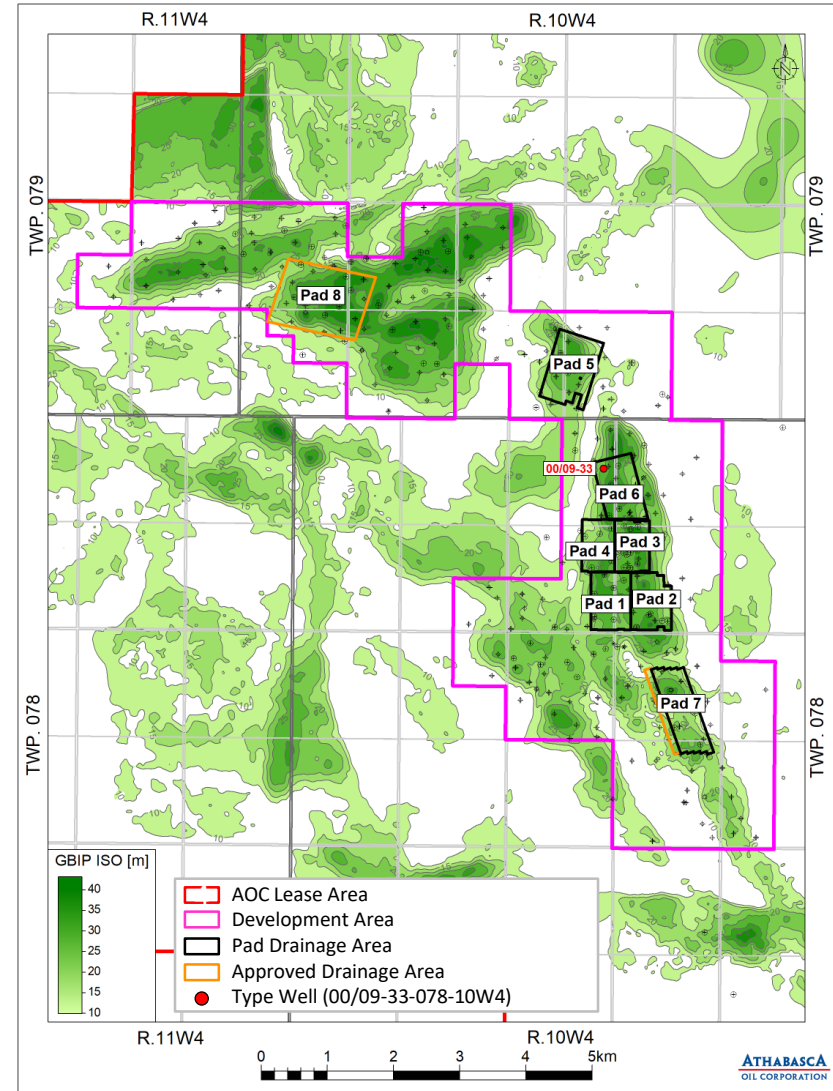
- No new data acquired during reporting period

## SAGD PRODUCING WELLPAIRS



## RESERVOIR PROPERTIES

- Original Reservoir Pressure: 2,300 to 2,600 kPa
- Original Reservoir Temperature: 14°C
- Average Horizontal Permeability: 5 to 6 D
- Average Vertical Permeability: 4 to 5 D
- Depth: 410 to 444 m TVD (-230 to -216 m subsea)





# SUBSURFACE

4D SEISMIC & MONITORING

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## 2020

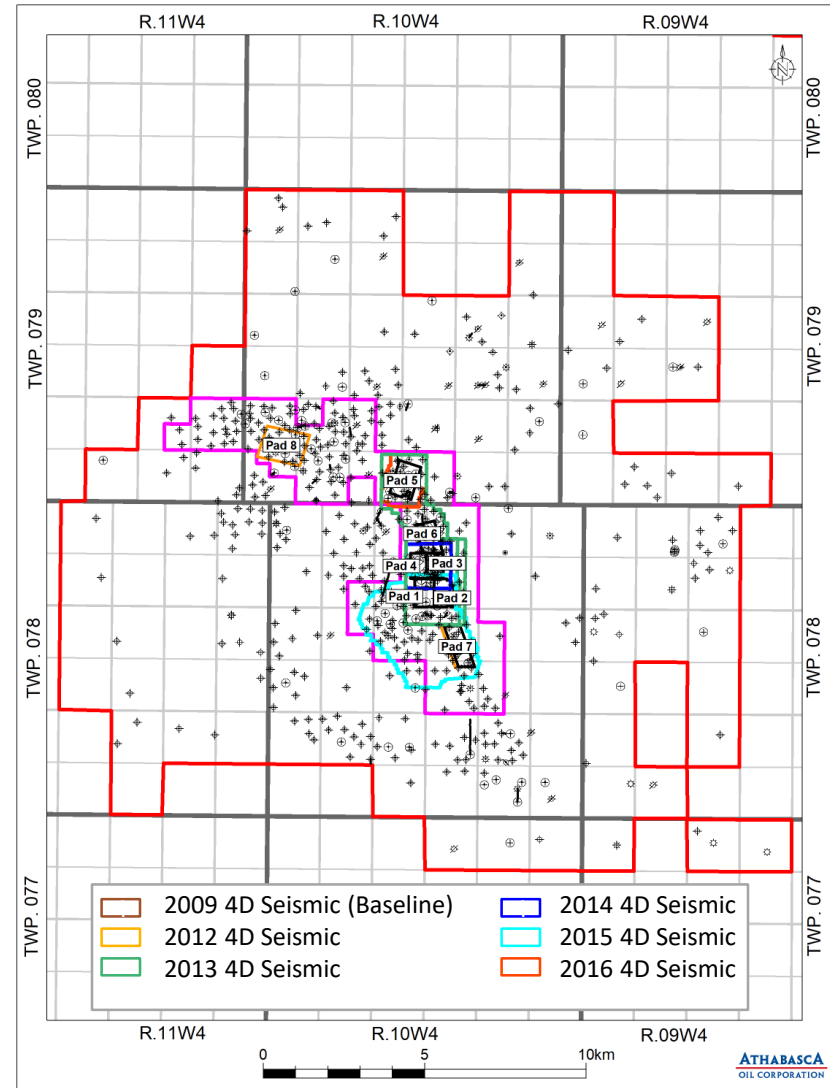
- Pads 1-6 4D seismic acquisition conducted in Q1

## 2019

- No new data acquired during the reporting period

## HISTORICAL

- Q1 2016: 2.0 km<sup>2</sup> first 4D survey for Pad 5
  - Third 4D repeat survey (2.2 km<sup>2</sup> active SAGD Pads 1 & 2)
  - Repeat 3D seismic for higher resolution data
- Q1 2015: 9.0 km<sup>2</sup> 3D survey
  - Second repeat survey (4.9 km<sup>2</sup> of active SAGD Pads 1–4)
- Q1 2014: 2.1 km<sup>2</sup> 4D survey (active SAGD Pads 3 & 4)
- Q1 2013: 4.5 km<sup>2</sup> 3D survey
  - First 4D survey (4.9 km<sup>2</sup> of active SAGD Pads 1–4)
  - New baseline survey for Pads 5 and 6 (3.7 km<sup>2</sup>)
- Q1 2009: 4.9 km<sup>2</sup> baseline survey (pre-steam) Pads 1–4



## 2020

- Repeat saturation logs conducted in Q1
  - Pads 1-6 (8 total)
  - Pad 8 (7 total)

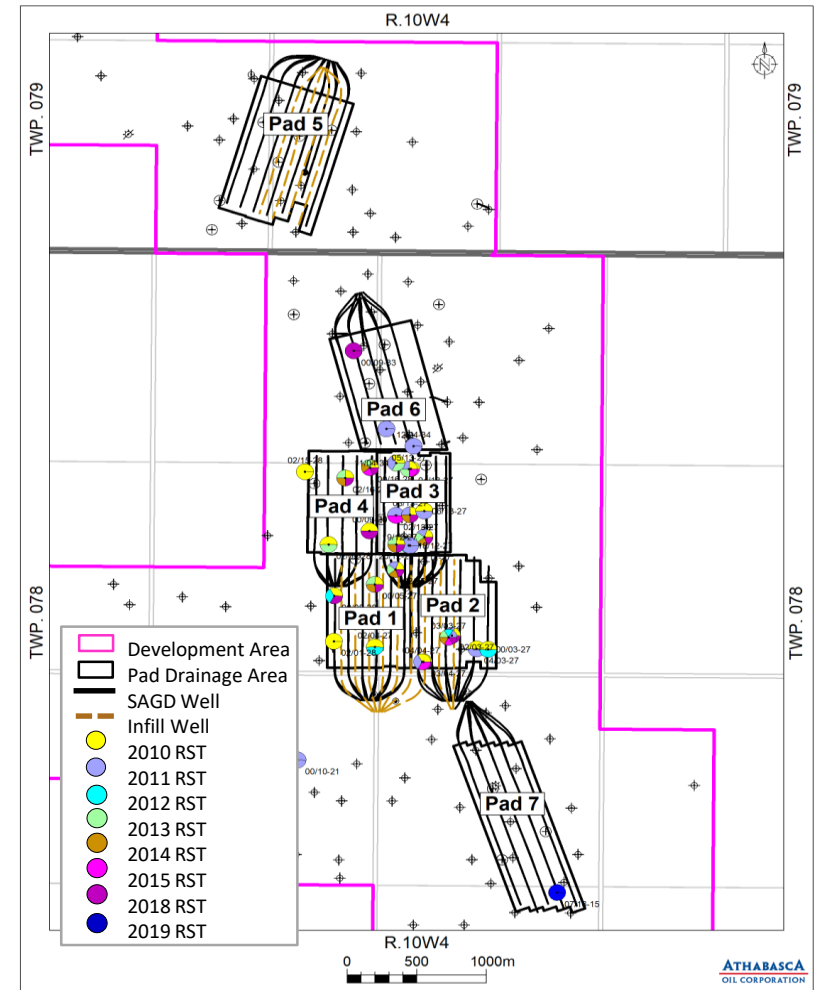
## 2019

- 1 baseline saturation log acquired (Pad 7) during reporting period

## HISTORICAL

- Baseline acquired in 2010 - 23 wells
- 2011 - 18 wells
- 2012 - 7 wells
- 2013 - 12 wells
- 2014 - 11 wells
- 2015 - 6 wells
- 2018 - 13 wells
- Saturation log results show steam chamber thickness correlates with observation well temperature profiles

## SAGD PRODUCING WELLPAIRS





# **SUBSURFACE**

**WELL DESIGN, INSTRUMENTATION & ARTIFICIAL LIFT**

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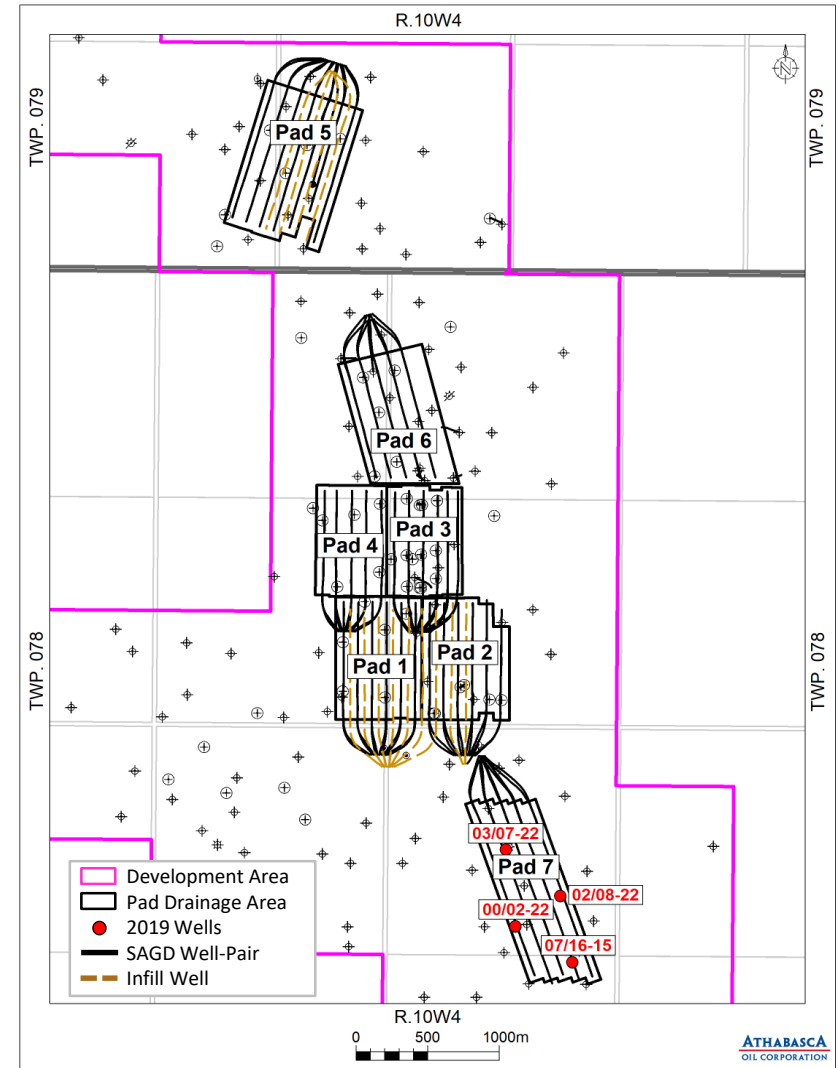
## 2019

- 5 SAGD well pairs and 4 observation wells drilled on Pad 7 during reporting period

## HISTORICAL

- The Leismer project includes a Central Processing Facility (CPF) and seven well pads, with 40 well pairs and 13 infill wells

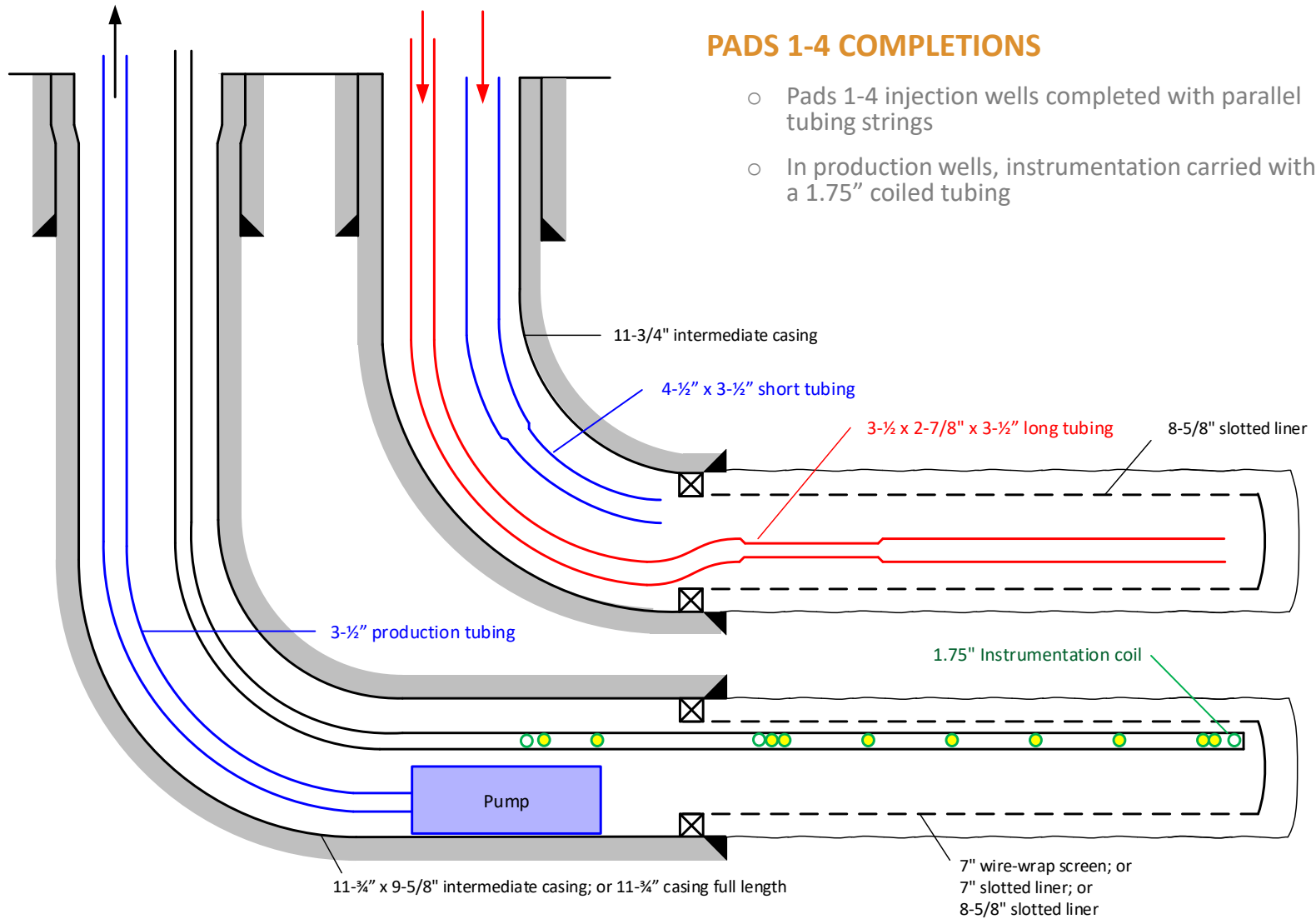
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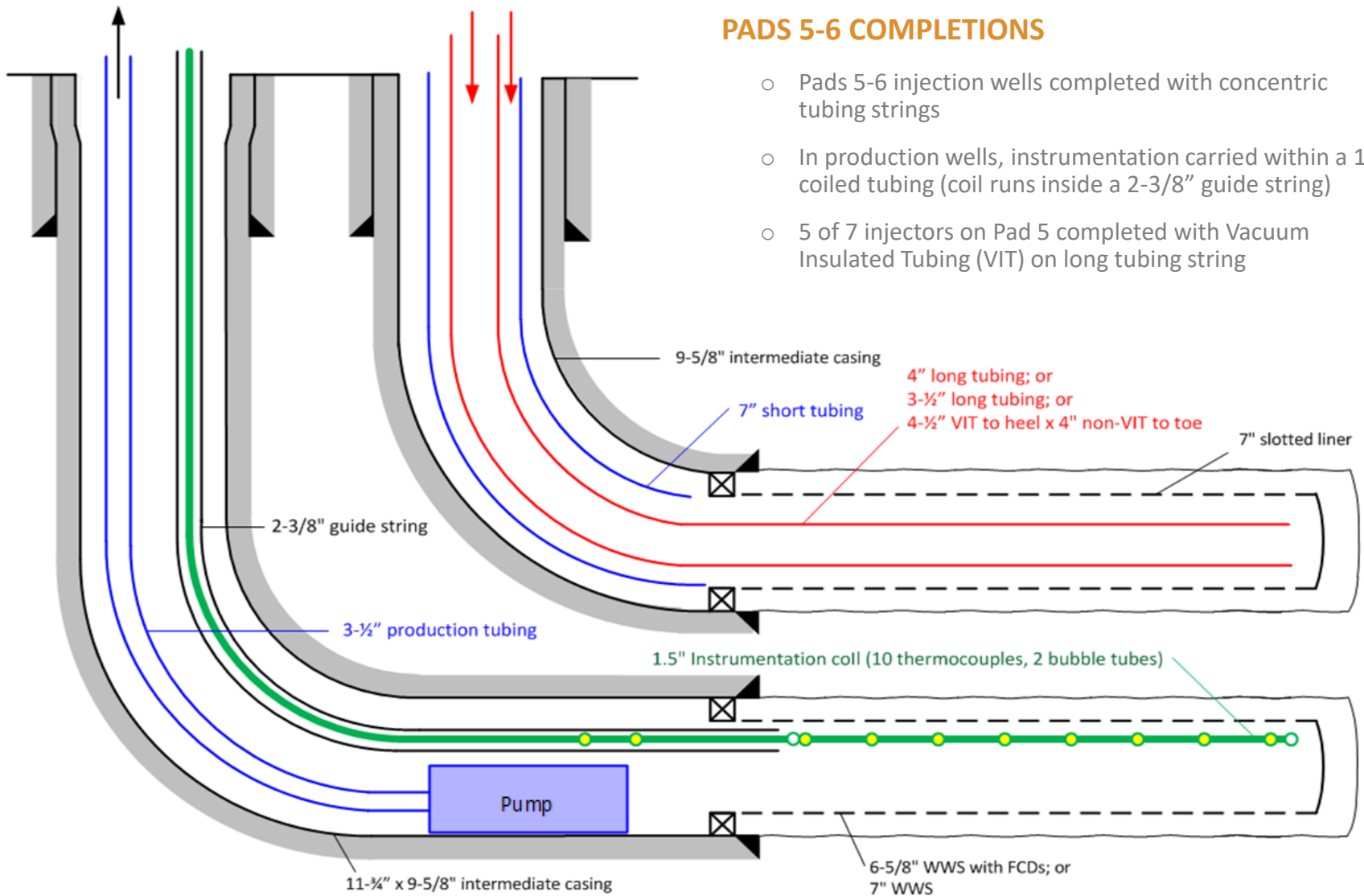


## ARTIFICIAL LIFT

- All wells completed with ESP's with the exception of two infill wells
  - *Rod pumps installed on infills L5N3 and L5N4*
- Typical artificial lift operating conditions:
  - *Bottomhole pressure (BHP) range: 2,500-3,300 kPag*
  - *BHP temperature range: 180-235 °C*

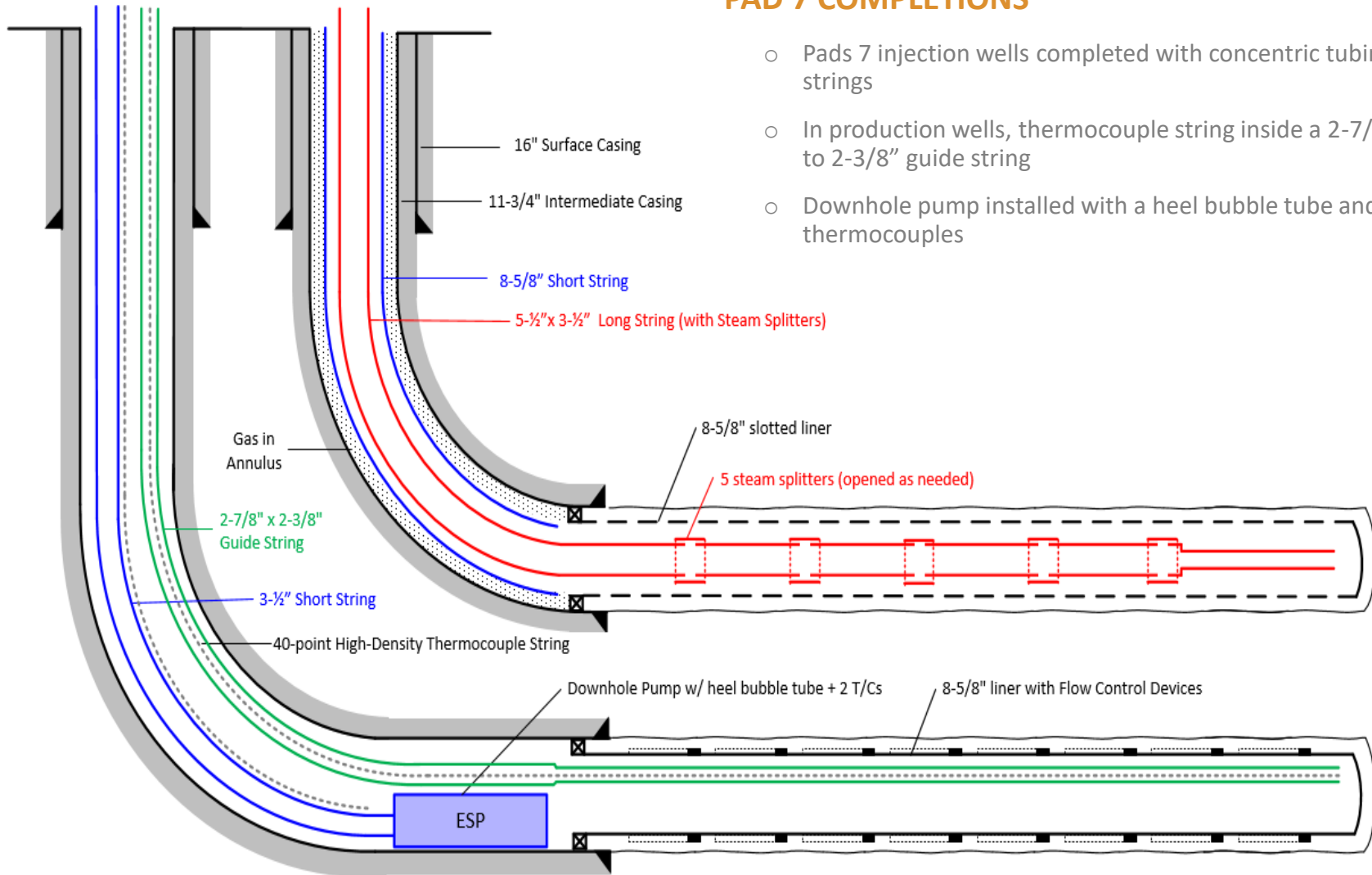
Artificial Lift Performance	ESP	Rod
Typical Minimum Rate (m <sup>3</sup> /d)	120	100
Typical Maximum Rate (m <sup>3</sup> /d)	1,200	300





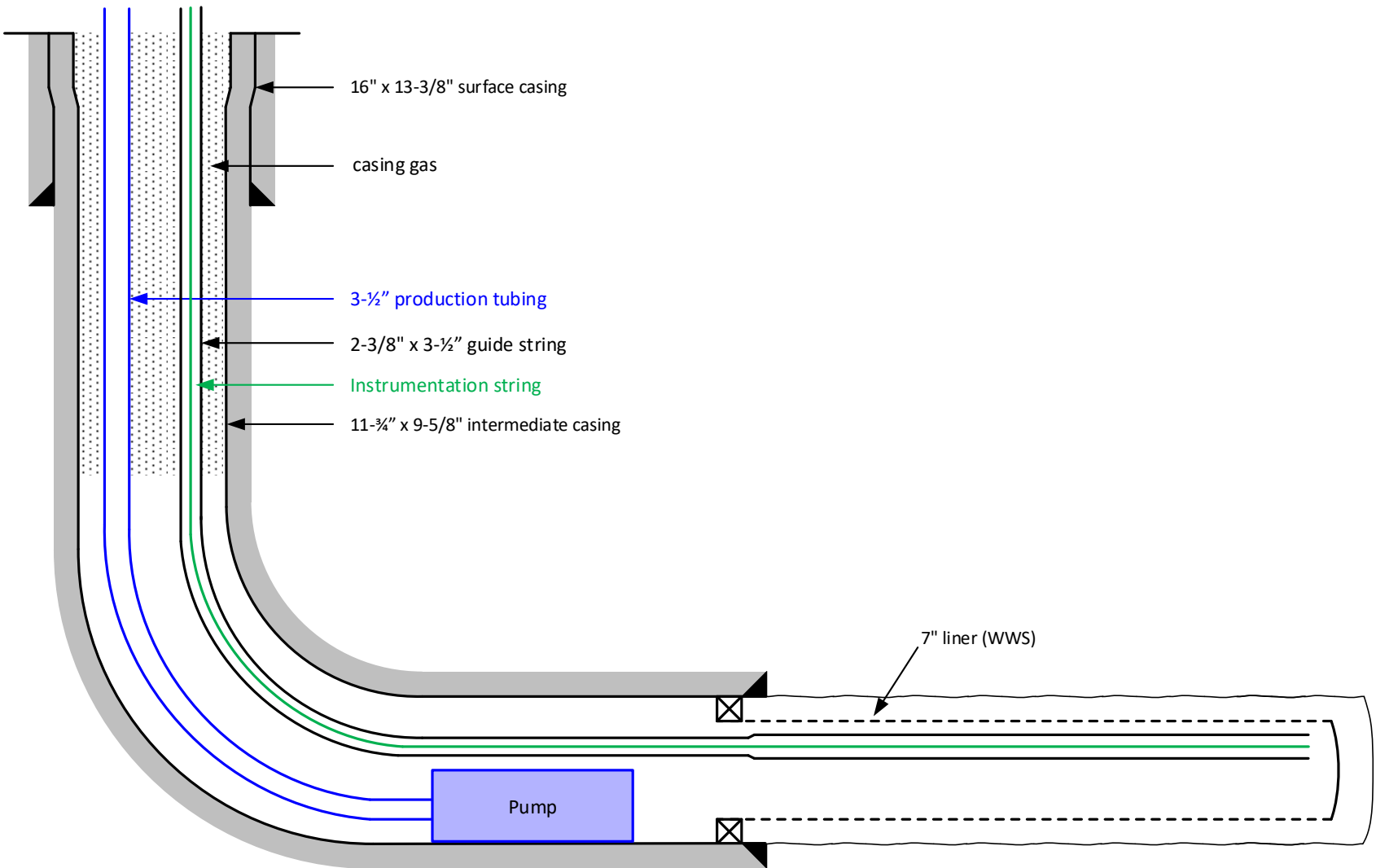
## PAD 7 COMPLETIONS

- Pads 7 injection wells completed with concentric tubing strings
- In production wells, thermocouple string inside a 2-7/8" to 2-3/8" guide string
- Downhole pump installed with a heel bubble tube and 2 thermocouples





# TYPICAL COMPLETION: INFILL WELL



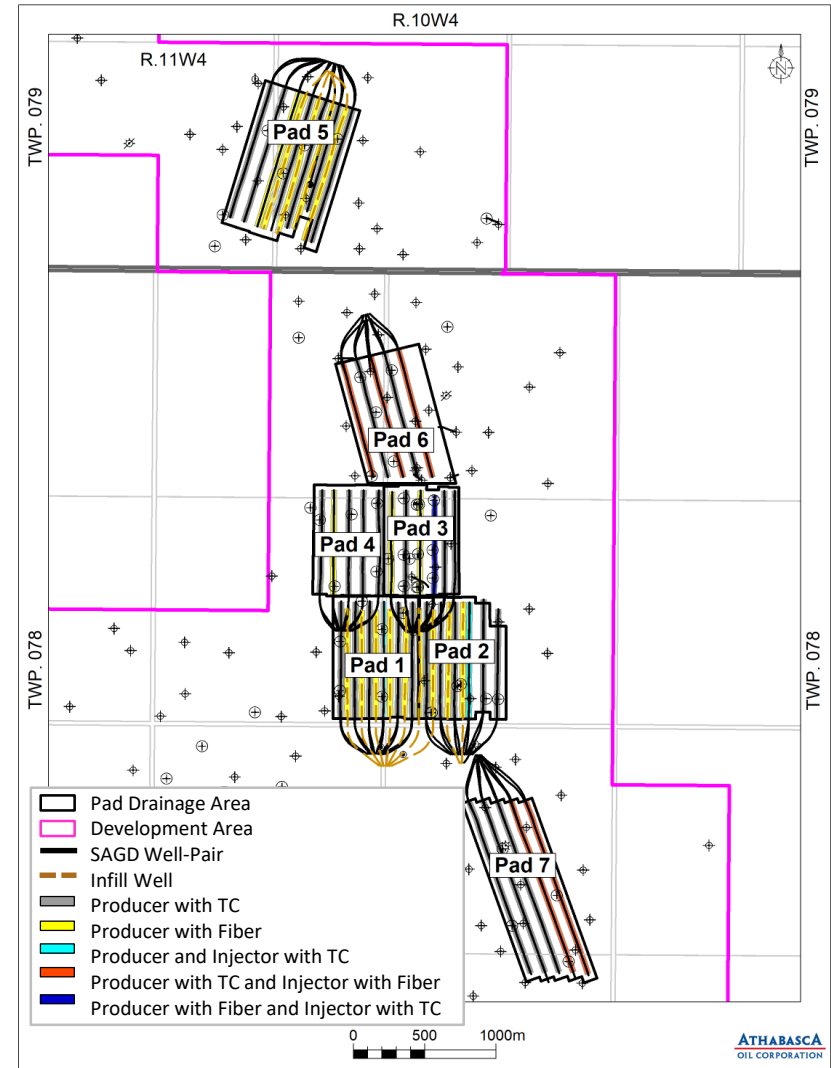
## TEMPERATURE

- Mixture of thermocouples (TC) and fiber measurements
- Both systems adequate for temperature management along the wellbore

## PRESSURE

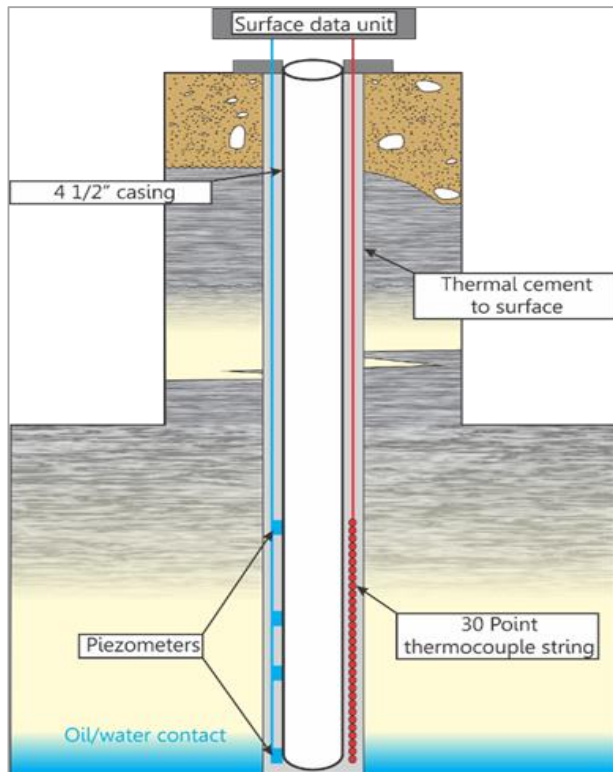
- Injector BHP is measured with blanket gas
- Producer and infill BHP is measured using optical gauges and/or bubble tubes

## SAGD PRODUCING WELLPAIRS

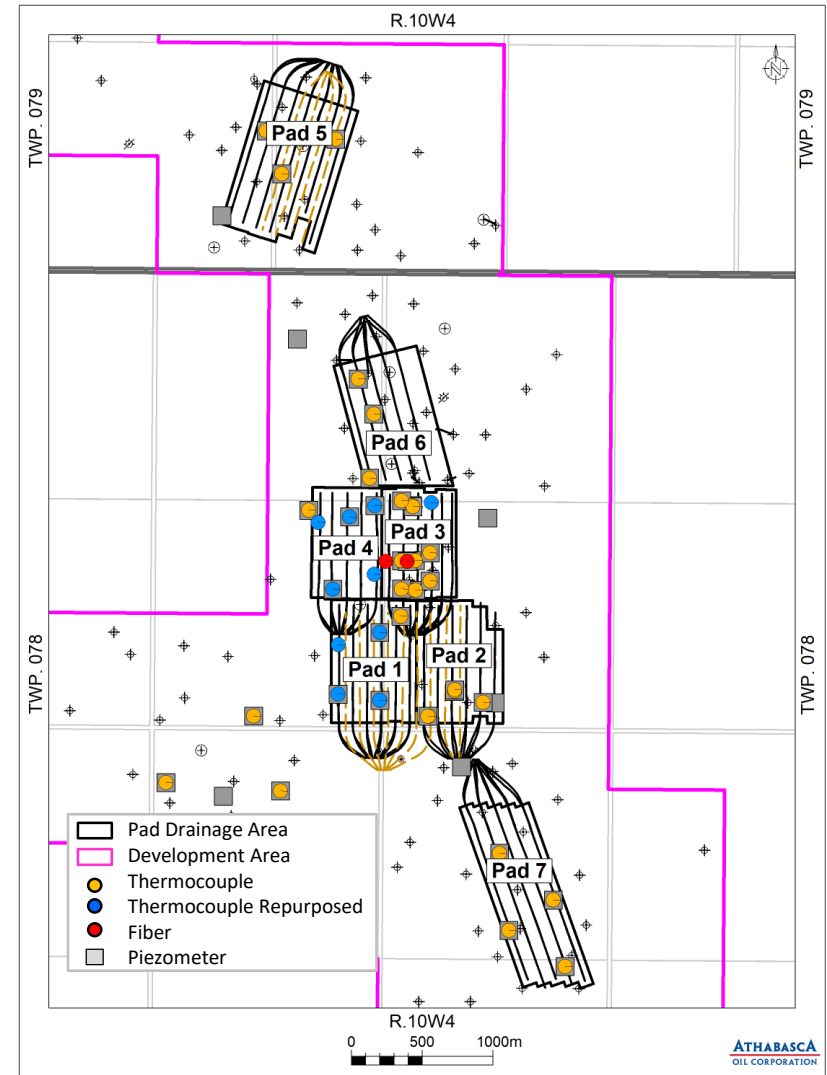


## OBSERVATION WELLS

- Instrumentation used to monitor reservoir pressure and temperature
- 30 thermocouples spaced at 1 m above, below, and within SAGD pay
- 4 OBS wells drilled and instrumented with piezometers and thermocouples in Pad 7 in 2019
- Pad 8 observation wells (4) drilled Q1 2020 (to be instrumented with piezometers and thermocouples)



## SAGD PRODUCING WELL PAIRS



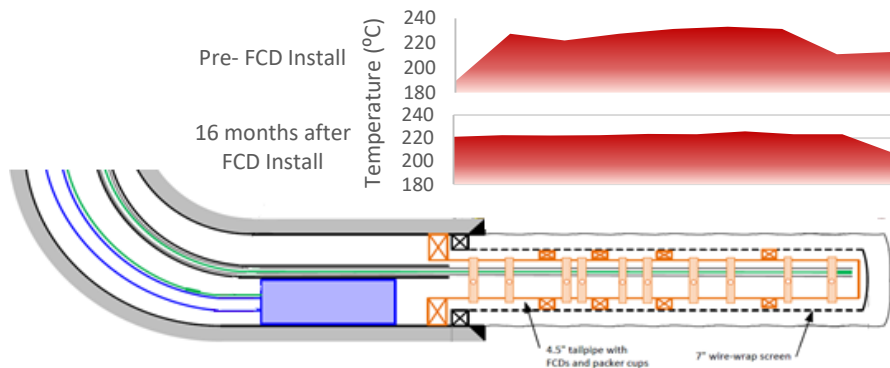
## 2019

- 5 liner deployed FCDs installed in Pad 7
- 1 tubing deployed FCD installed in L4P4
- Continue to evaluate tubing deployed FCD opportunities

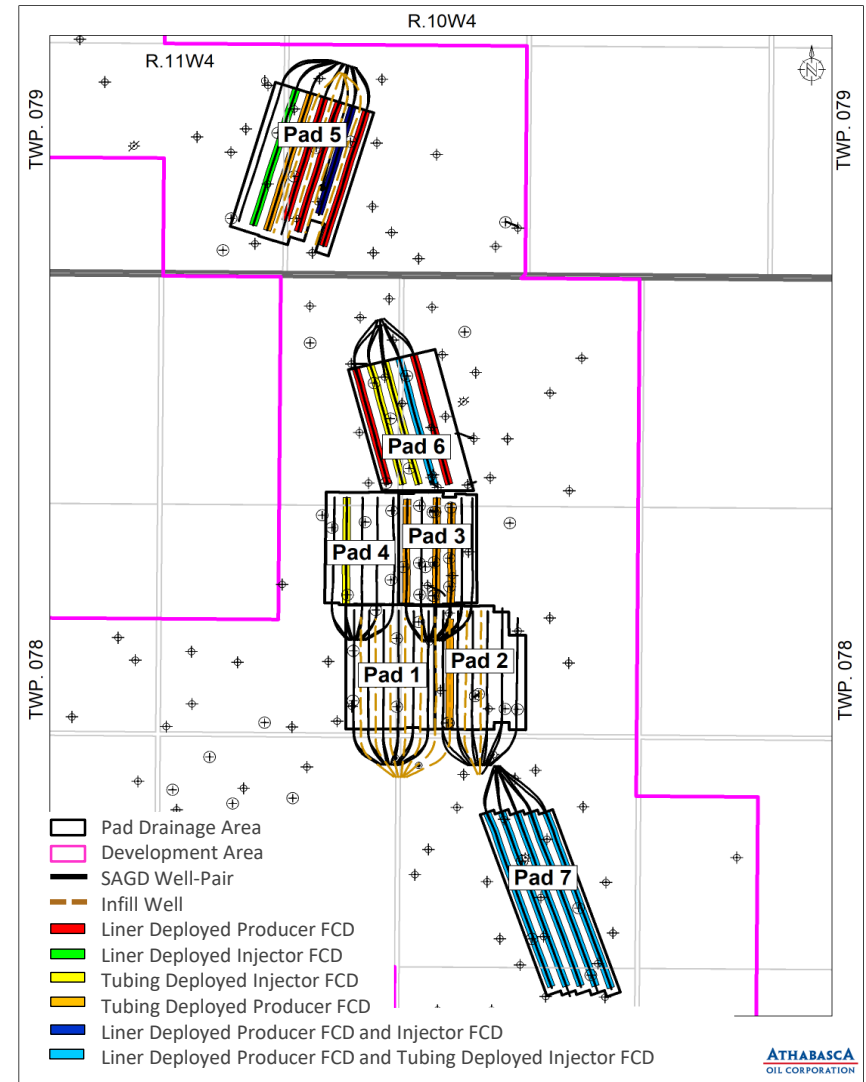
## HISTORICAL

- Liner deployed and tubing deployed FCD configurations have been used to optimize asset performance
- Able to operate at lower subcool with positive impact on temperature conformance

## L3P4 TEMPERATURE PROFILES



## SAGD PRODUCING WELLPAIRS





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**SCHEME PERFORMANCE**

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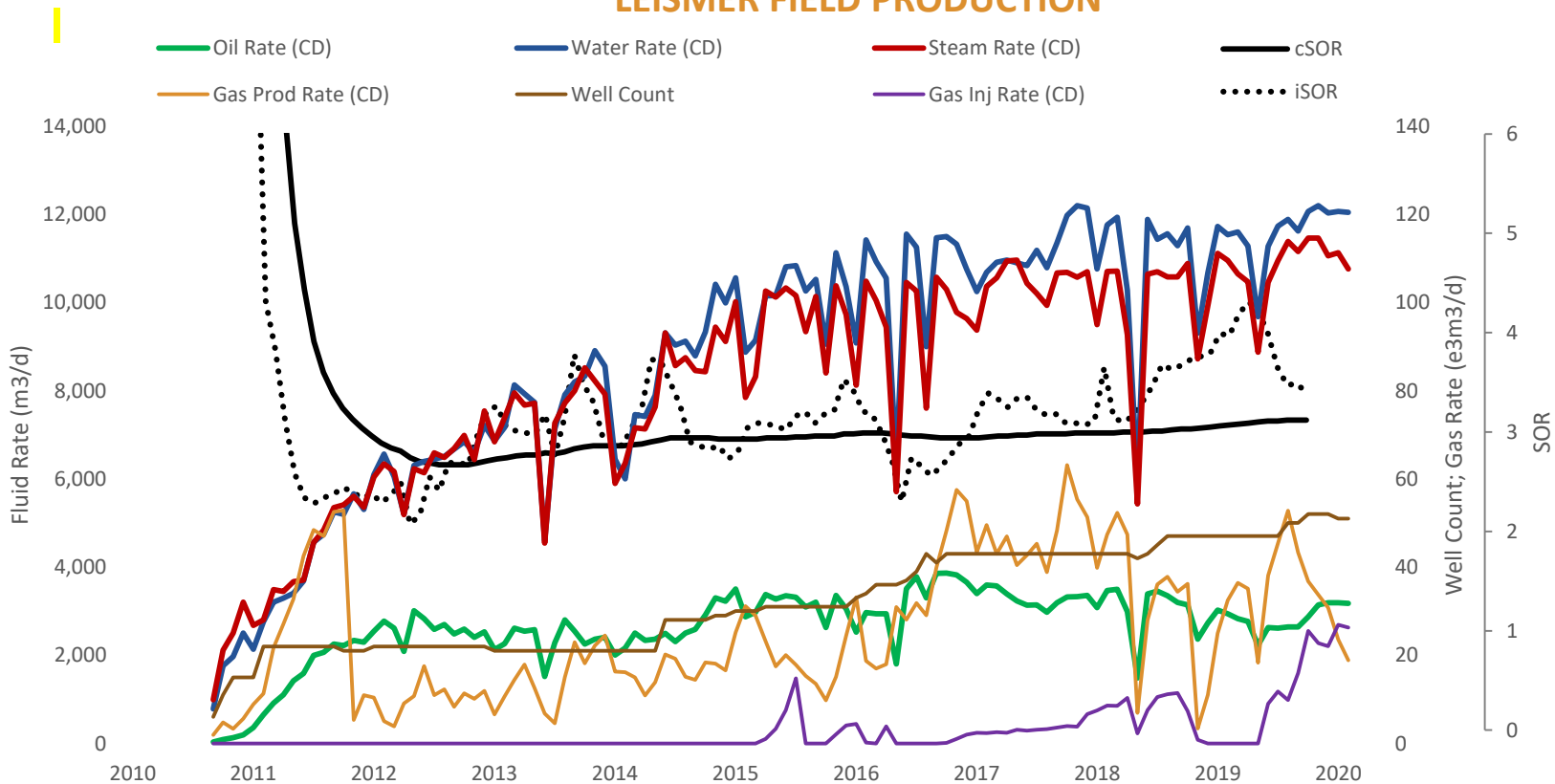
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## REPORTING YEAR HIGHLIGHTS

- 7 producing pads (40 SAGD well pairs and 13 infill wells)
- Pad 7 began steaming in summer 2019
- Increased NCG co-injection on Pads 1-4 for SOR management
- Increased field steam capacity to 91,000 bbl/d in Q4 2019
- Initiated disposal into the Clearwater B formation in Q4 2019

### LEISMER FIELD PRODUCTION



# PAD RECOVERY FACTOR

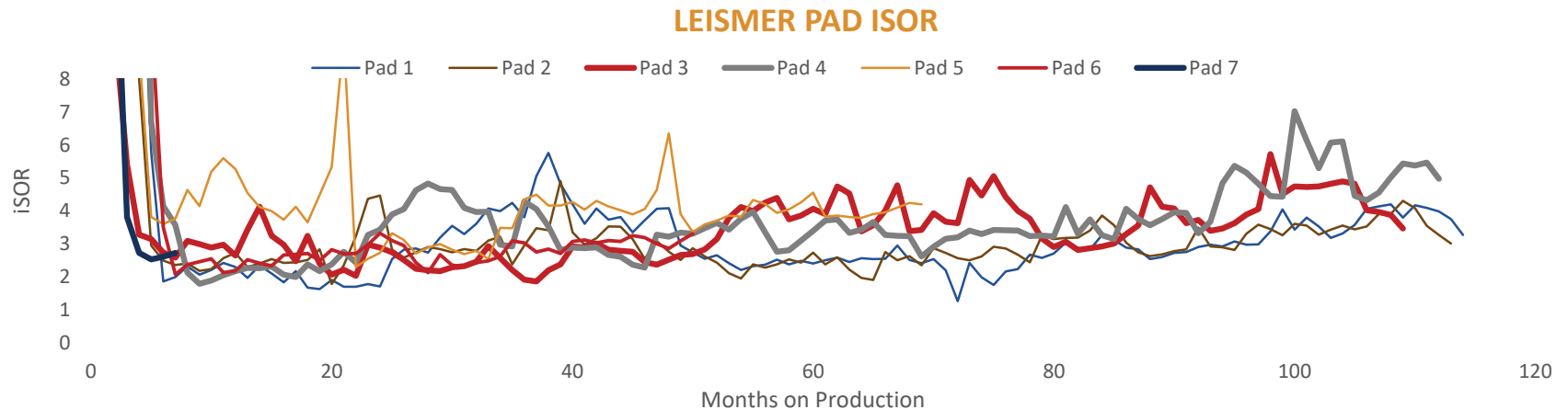
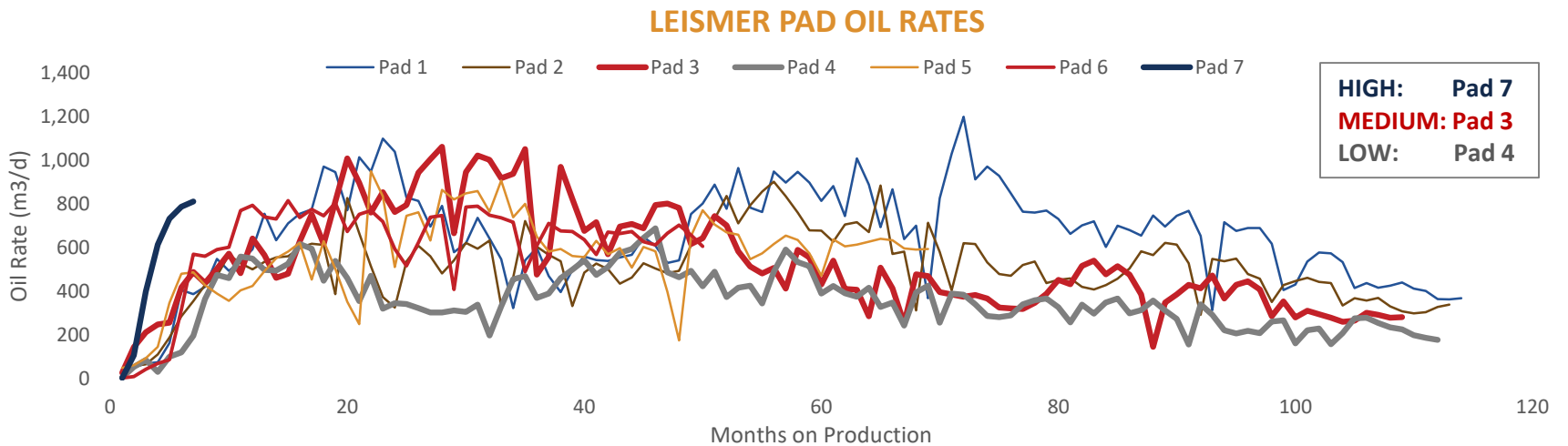
Pad	Well Pairs	Infills	Cumulative Production (10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>3</sup> )	Lateral Length (m)	Area (10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>2</sup> )	Oil Saturation (frac)	Porosity (frac)	Developable Bitumen in Place above Producer (DBIP Above Producer)		Gross Bitumen in Place (GBIP)				
								Net Pay (m)	DBIP Above Producer (10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>3</sup> )	Net Pay (m)	GBIP (10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>3</sup> )	EUR (10 <sup>6</sup> m <sup>3</sup> )	Recovery Factor (%)	EUR (%)
1	6	6	2,261	775	526	0.89	0.33	22.5	2,590	26.7	3,914	2.54 – 2.94	58%	65–75%
2	5	3	1,752	745	498	0.86	0.32	19.2	2,857	24.5	3,344	2.17 – 2.51	52%	65–75%
3	6	0	1,763	690	411	0.87	0.34	23.6	2,650	29.1	3,443	1.89 – 2.24	51%	55-65%
4	5	0	1,206	695	389	0.86	0.33	19.6	1,747	22.4	2,433	1.34 – 1.58	50%	55-65%
5	7	4	1,194	900	708	0.87	0.33	17.6	2,739	24	4,479	2.46 – 2.91	27%	55-65%
6	5	0	923	860	571	0.86	0.33	25.3	2,914	28.9	3,836	2.11 – 2.49	24%	55-65%
7	5	0	105	1,250	639	0.86	0.33	15.0	2,766	21.2	3,654	2.01 – 2.38	3%	55-65%
<b>Total</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>9,204</b>						<b>18,263</b>		<b>25,103</b>		<b>37%</b>	

**NOTES:**

- Cumulative production as of February 29, 2020
- Volumetrics include 50 m at heel and toe of well pair
- EUR = Estimated Ultimate Recovery

## PAD PERFORMANCE DEPENDS ON GEOLOGY AND OPERATING PARAMETERS

- Pads 7, 3 and 4 selected as examples of high, medium and low performing pads, respectively
  - Selection based on average monthly oil rate and iSOR
  - Differences in the productivity of the wells primarily due to geological variability and lateral length



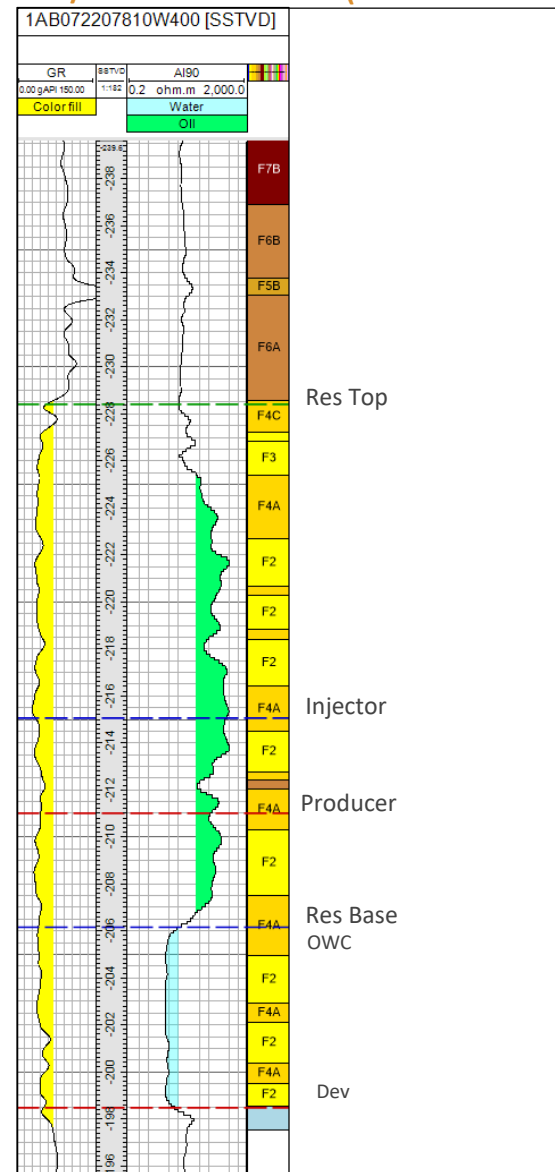


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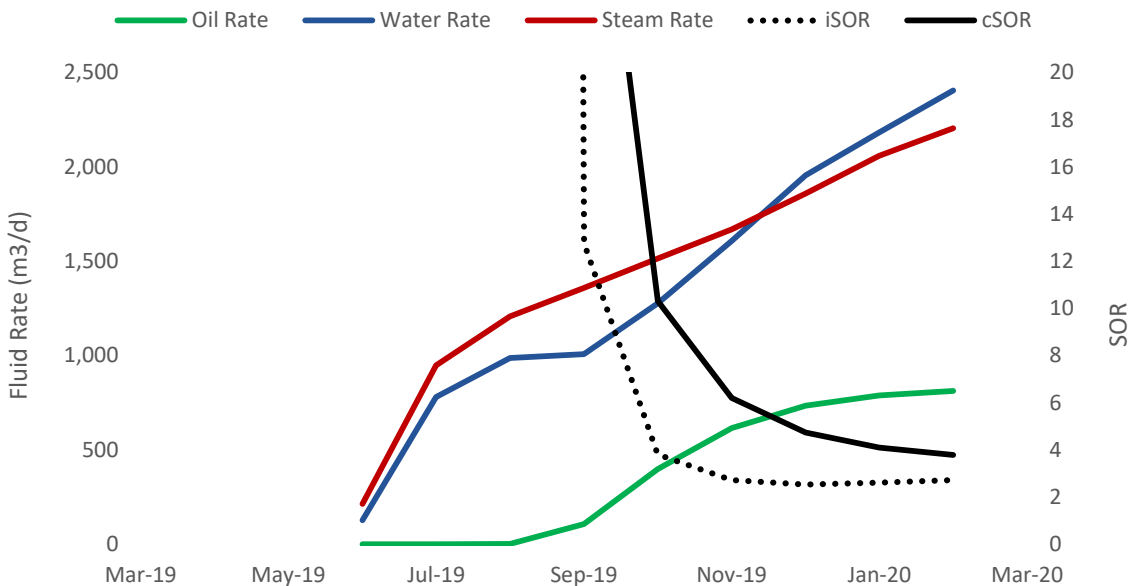
- First steam June 2019
- Peak oil rate during reporting period: ~811 m3/d (625-1,450 bbl/d/wellpair)
- iSOR ~2.7
- High reservoir quality
  - *Mostly sandy reservoir*
  - *High oil saturation*
- 1,250 m wells equipped with FCDs



## 1AB/07-22-078-10W400 (42m from L7P4)

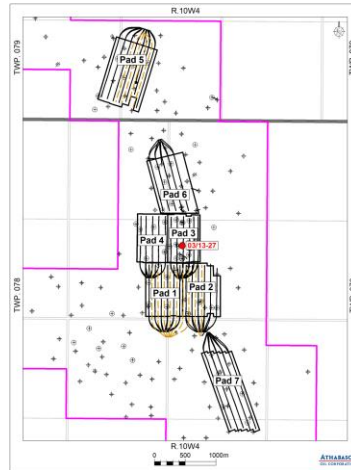


## PAD 7 PRODUCTION

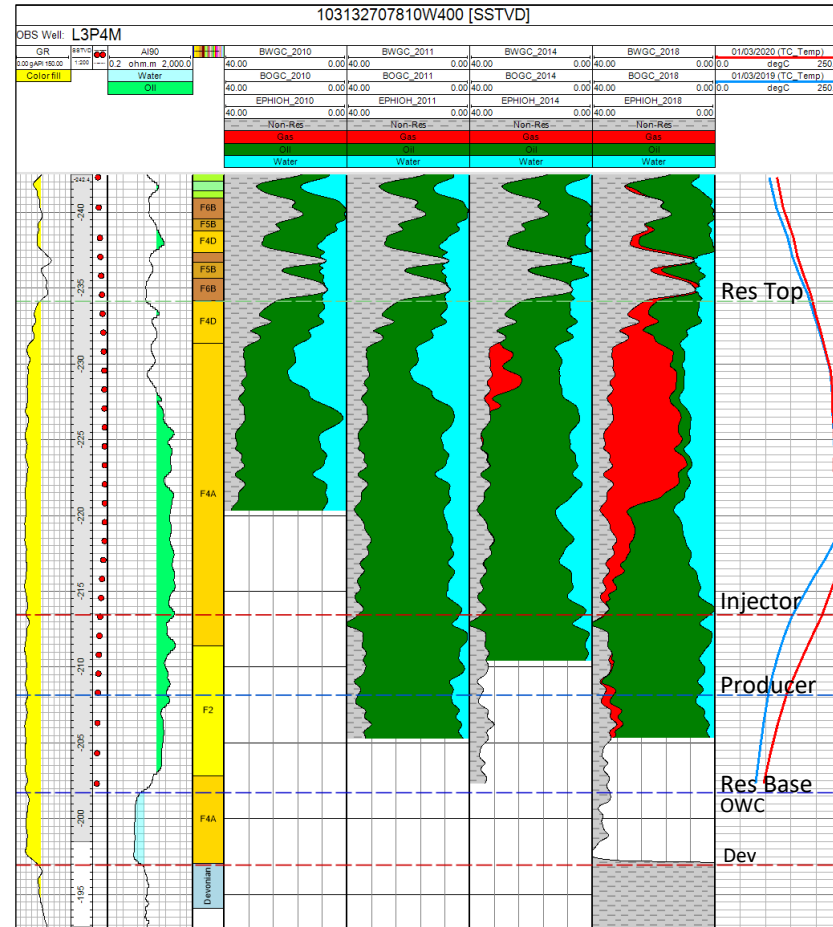


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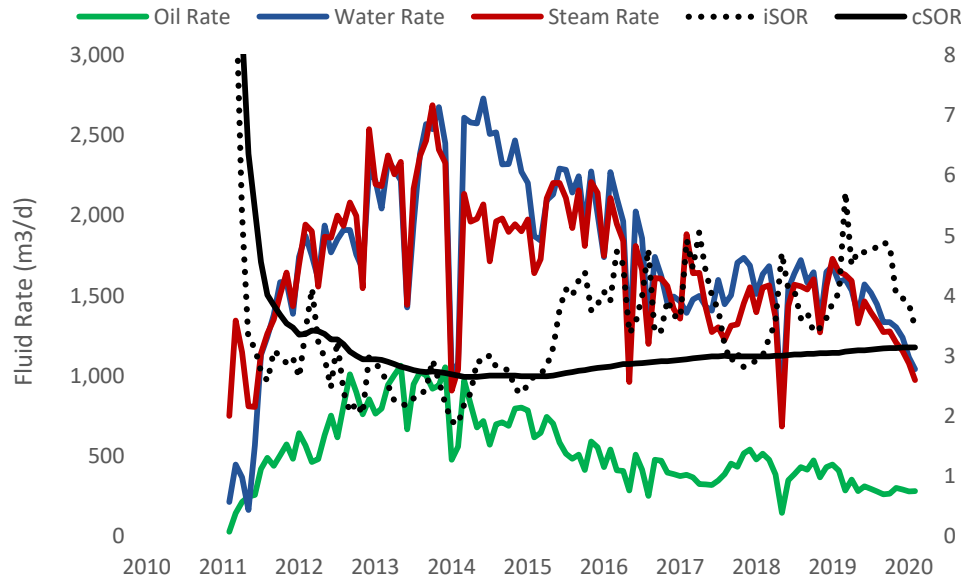
- First steam 2010
- Peak oil rate during reporting year: ~350 m3/d (100-675 bbl/d/wellpair)
- cSOR ~3.1
- Good reservoir quality
- Steam chamber development since last reporting period
- NCG co-injection started in Jun 2019 for SOR management



## L3P4M- 103/13-27-078-10W400 (14m from L3P4)



## PAD 3 PRODUCTION



SOR

**Temperature Plots**

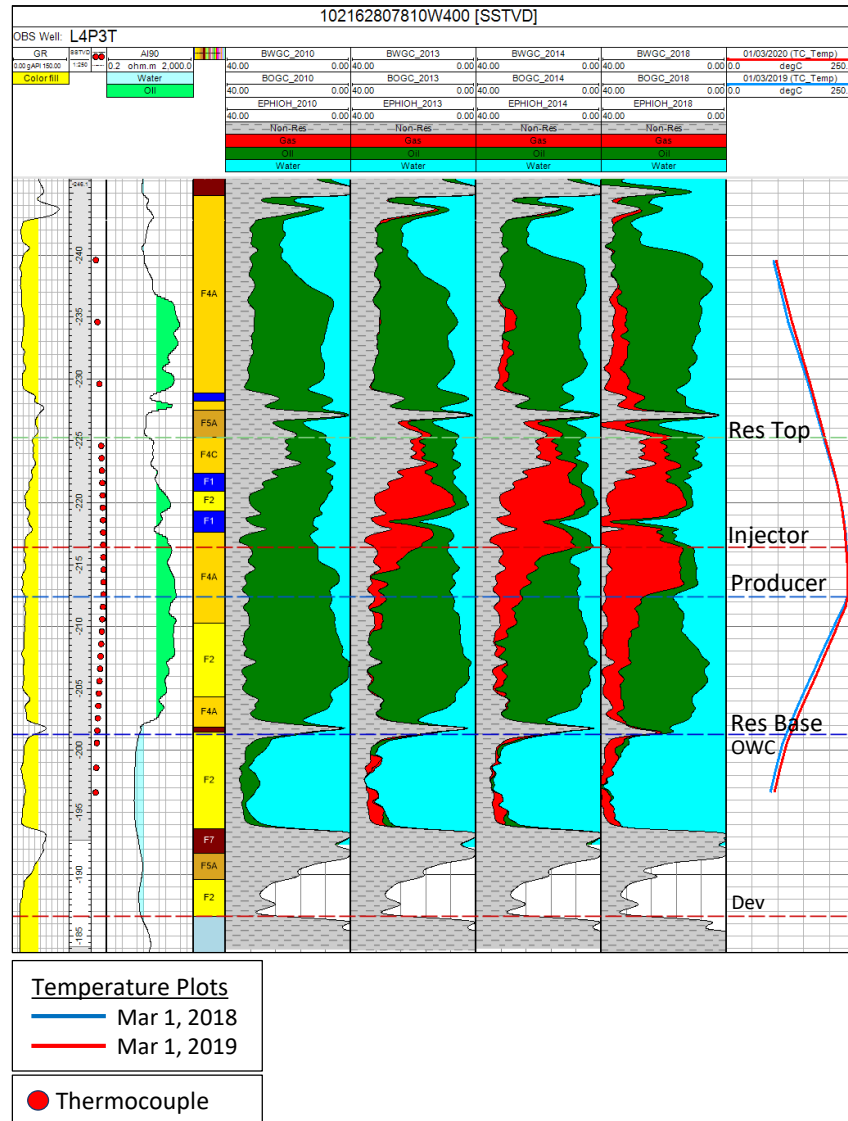
- Mar 1, 2019
- Mar 1, 2020
- Thermocouple

## PAD 4 SUMMARY

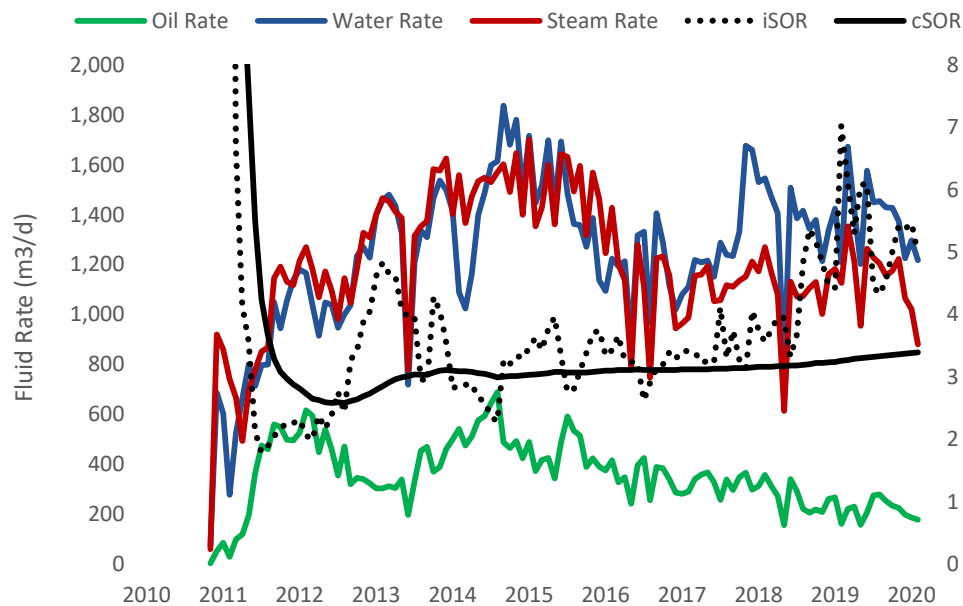
- First steam 2010
- Peak oil rate during reporting year: ~280 m3/d (300-540 bbl/d/wellpair)
- cSOR ~3.4
- Average reservoir quality
- NCG co-injection re-instated on this pad in June 2019



## L4P3T- 102/16-28-078-10W400 (19m from L4P3)

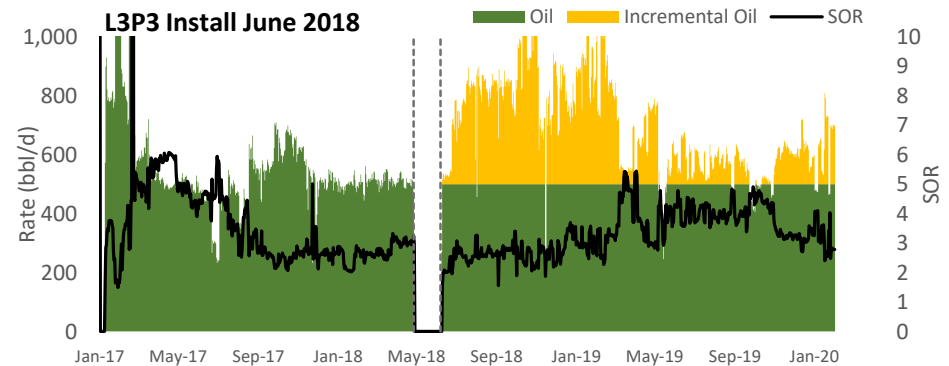
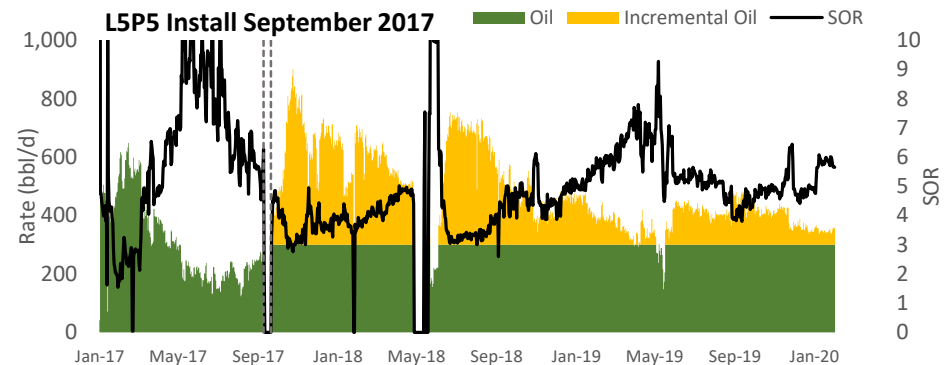
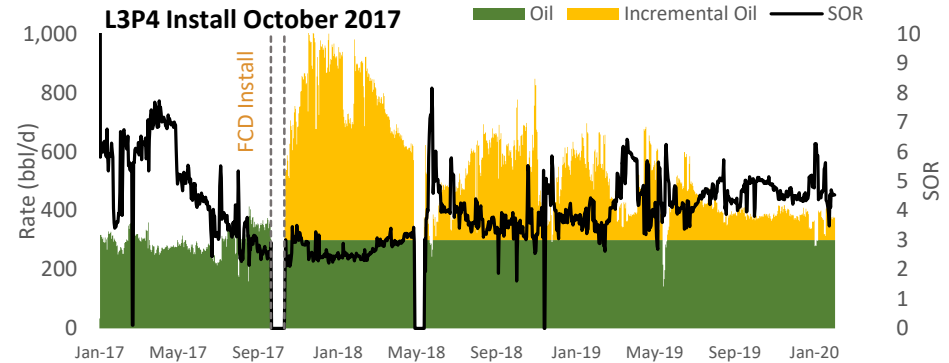


## PAD 4 PRODUCTION



## TUBING DEPLOYED FCDS

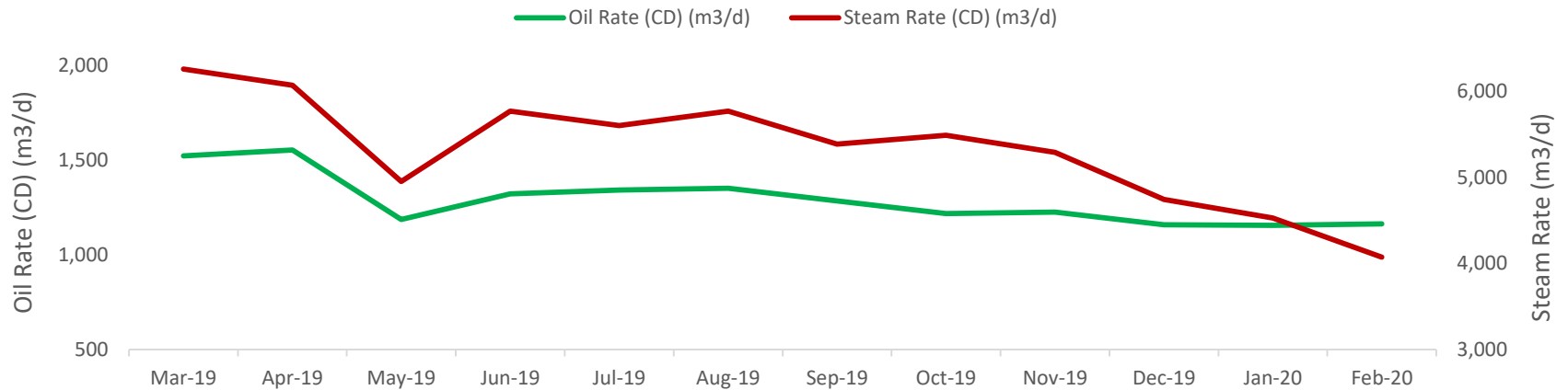
- Oil production initially increased 125-150% per well
- Tubing deployed FCDs continue to perform above expectations
  - 100 – 200 bbl/d uplift still observed after 2 years
- Continue to evaluate opportunities across the field



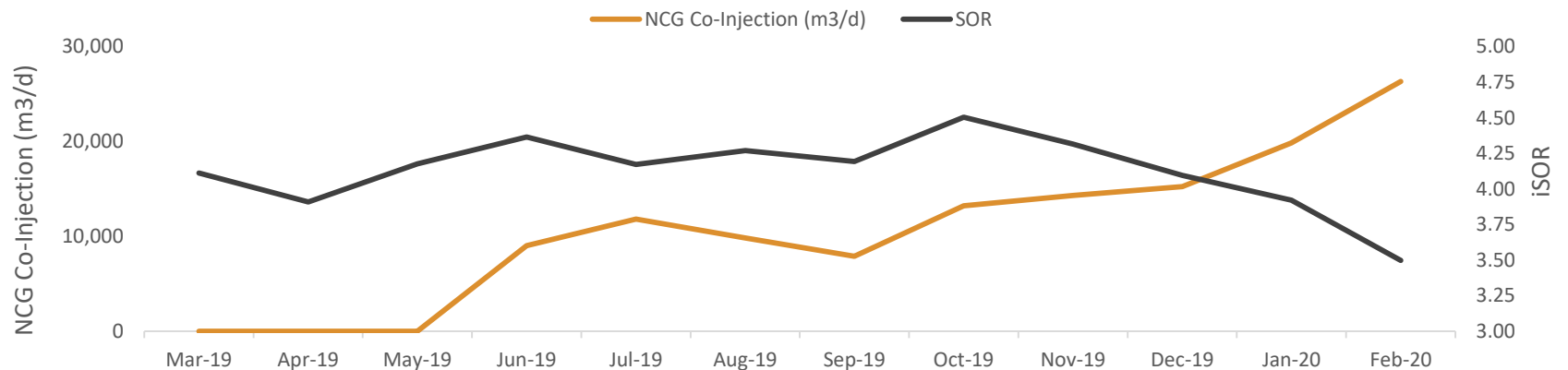
## SUMMARY

- Pads 1-4 NCG co-injection re-initiated Q2 2019
  - Steam reduced by ~1,500 m<sup>3</sup>/d (-25%) with an SOR improvement of ~1 (-22%)
  - NCG co-injection rates continue to increase based on reservoir performance

### PADS 1-4 OIL AND STEAM RATES



### PADS 1-4 NCG INJECTION RATES AND SOR



## STEAM PRESSURE

- Steam upstream of pads 7,000–9,000 kPa
- Steam pressure let-down to 5,000–6,000 kPa at pads

## STEAM QUALITY

- Steam quality decreases during transportation to well pads due to heat losses
  - *Estimated at 95% for Pads 1–4, 6 & 7*
  - *Estimated at 90% at Pad 5 due to longer, larger diameter pipe line*

## WELL INTEGRITY

- No wellbore integrity failures during the reporting period (liner or casing)

## ABANDONMENTS

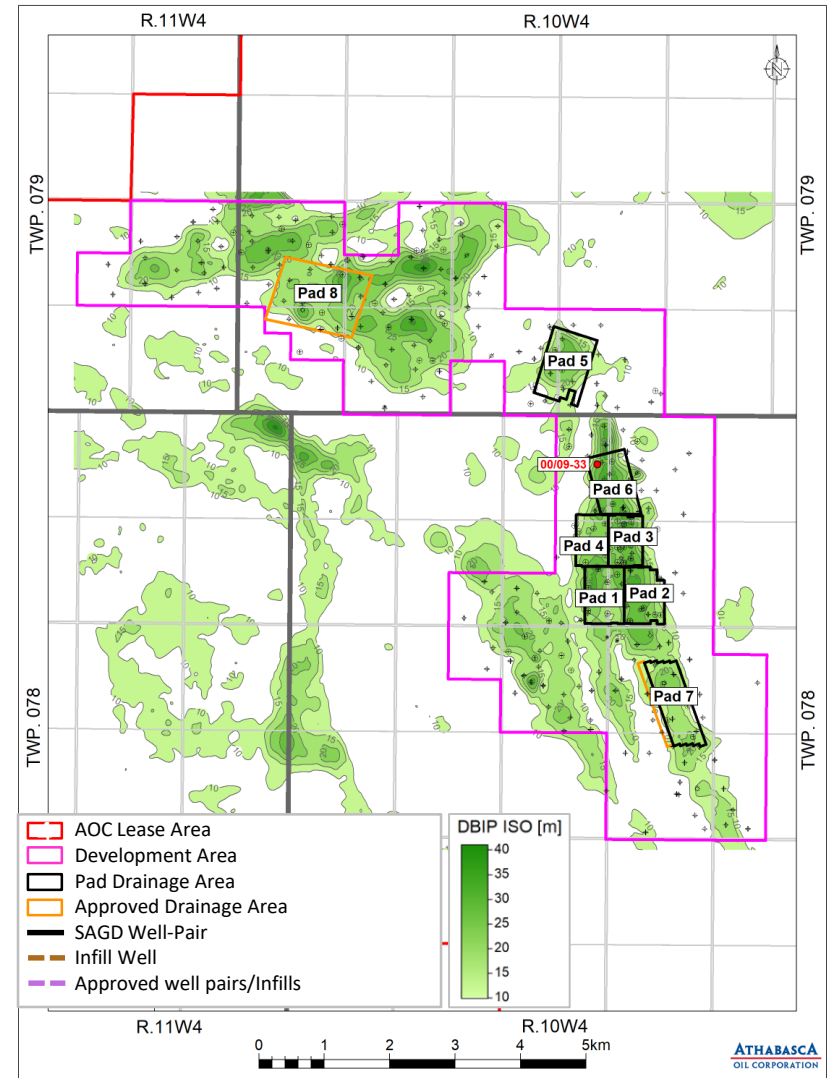
- 1 producer/injector well pair abandoned February 2020
  - *L2P1 (106/11-27-078-10W4/00)*
  - *L2I1 (100/06-27-078-10W4/00)*
- No near term plans for well pad abandonments

## SUBSURFACE DEVELOPMENT PLANS

- Evaluating opportunities for tubing deployed FCDs into producer wells on Pads 1-6
- Pad 8 observation wells (4) drilled Q1 2020
- Pad 6 infills (4) approved September 2018
- Pad 7 additional well pair (1) approved August 2019
- Pad 8 well pairs (14) approved September 2019

## PAD ABANDONMENTS

- No pad abandonments anticipated within next five years







**SURFACE OPERATIONS**  
**FACILITIES**

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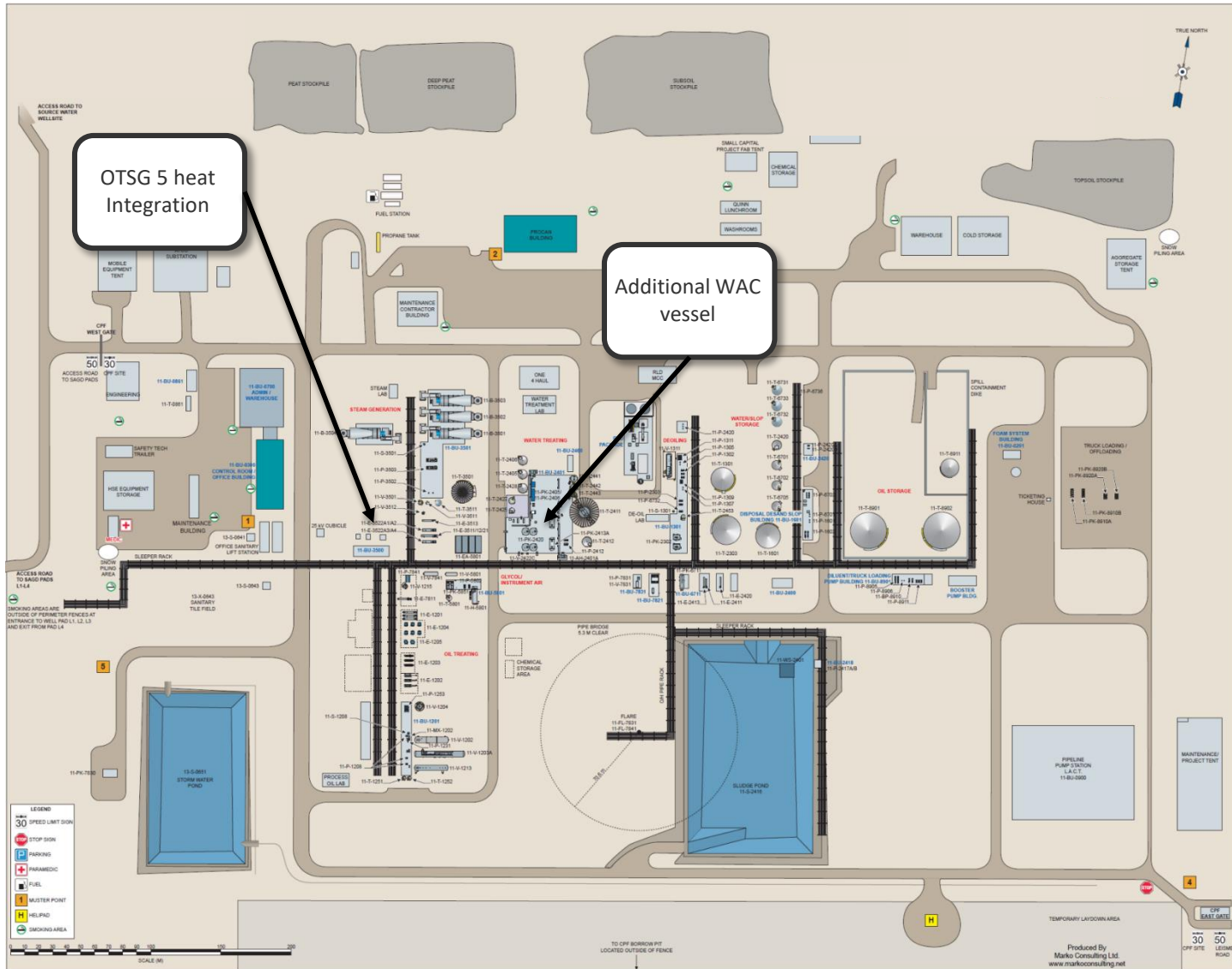
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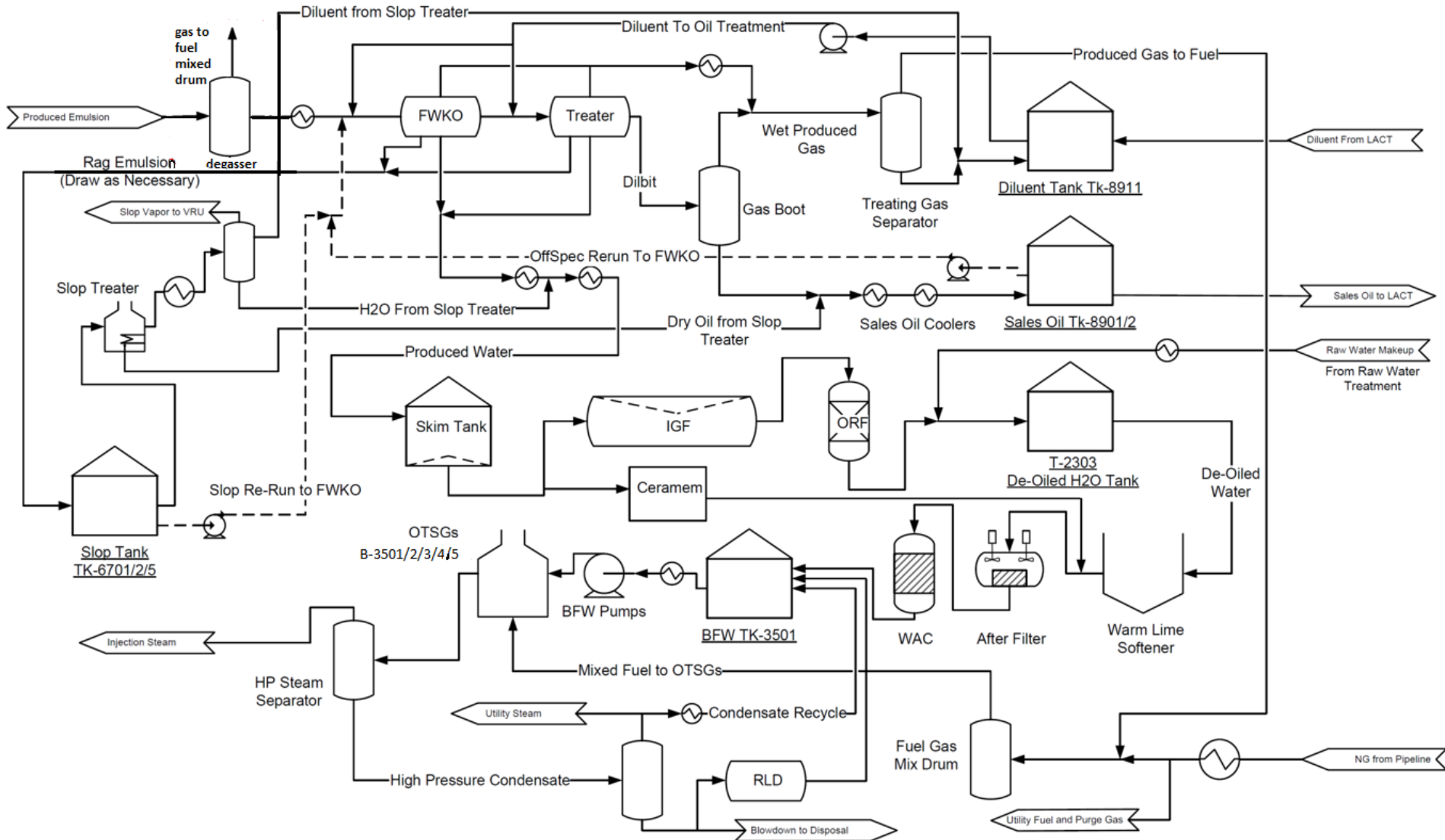
## MAJOR ACTIVITIES

- Boiler maintenance on three OTSGs (May 2019)
- Well Pad 7 start-up (June 2019)
- Heat Integration and additional water treatment capacity (WAC) installed for OTSG 5 (August 2019)
- Increased field steam capacity to 91,000 bbl/d (Q4 2019)
- 14-28-078-10W4 Injection Facility construction for water disposal (November 2019)
- Pipeline construction to water injection location at 16-10-078-10W4 (winter 2019/2020)

## ADDITIONAL HEAT INTEGRATION AND WATER HANDLING ADDED FOR 5<sup>TH</sup> OTSG



## NO CHANGES TO FACILITY SCHEMATIC





# **SURFACE**

## **MEASUREMENT, ACCOUNTING AND REPORTING PLAN (MARP)**

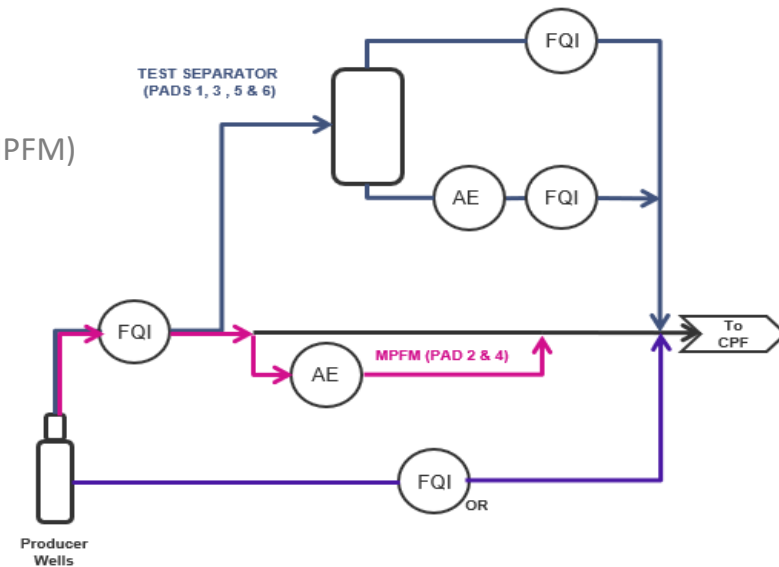
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## CPF

- MARP updated to reflect asset sale of downstream Cheecham Terminal

## WELL TESTING

- Well tests used to calculate daily bitumen and water production
- Six hour test with 1 hr. purge to improve oil calculation accuracy
- Pads 1, 3, 5 and equipped with full test headers and test separators
- Pad 4 equipped with full test header and Multi-Phase Flow Meters (MPFM)
- Pad 2/7 and 4 equipped with MFPM
- MARP updated to reflect addition of Well Pad 7 and tie into existing infrastructure on Well Pad 2

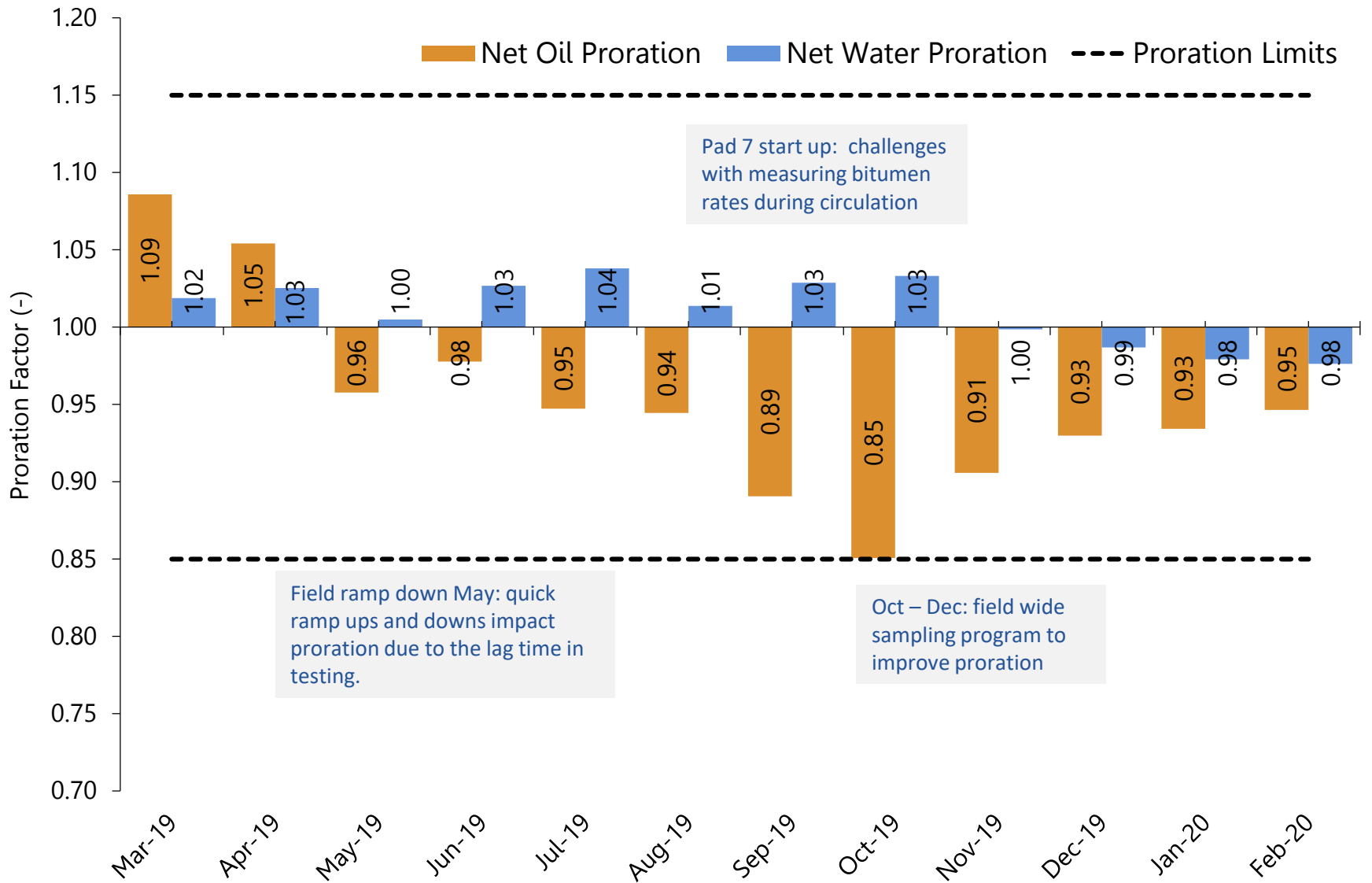


FQI – flow quantity indicator

AE – analyzer element

OR - orifice plate

# PRORATION FACTORS





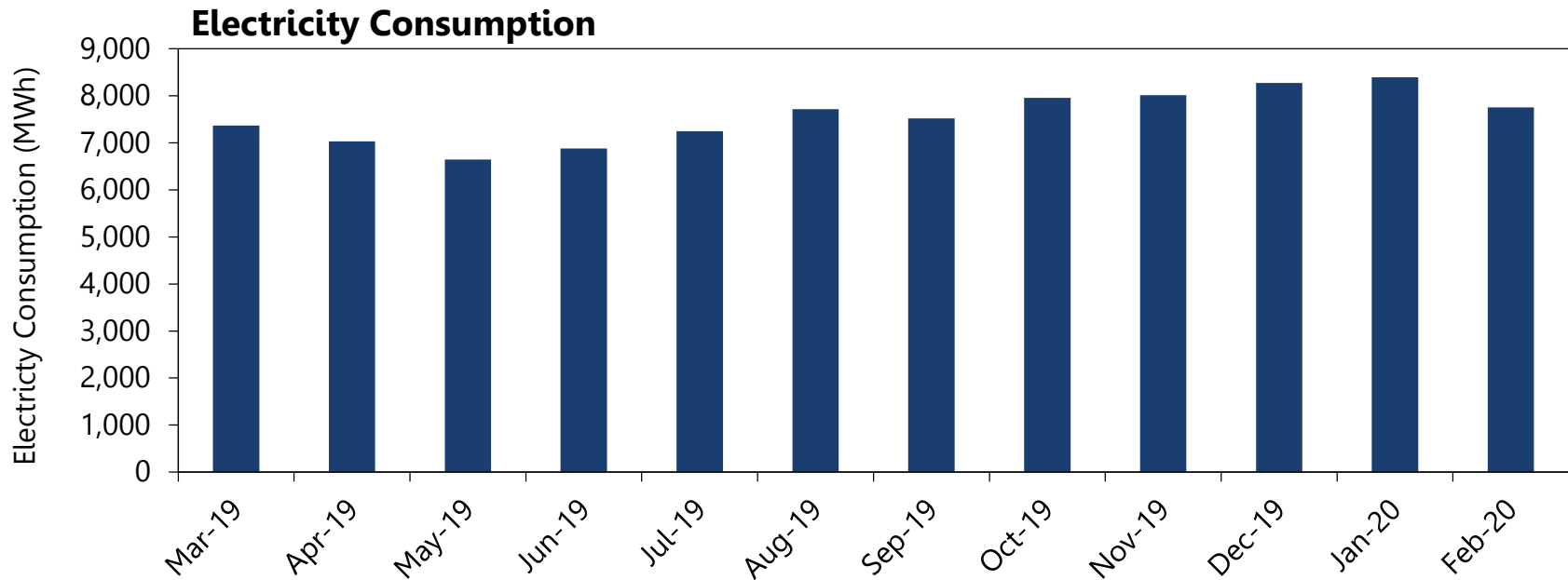
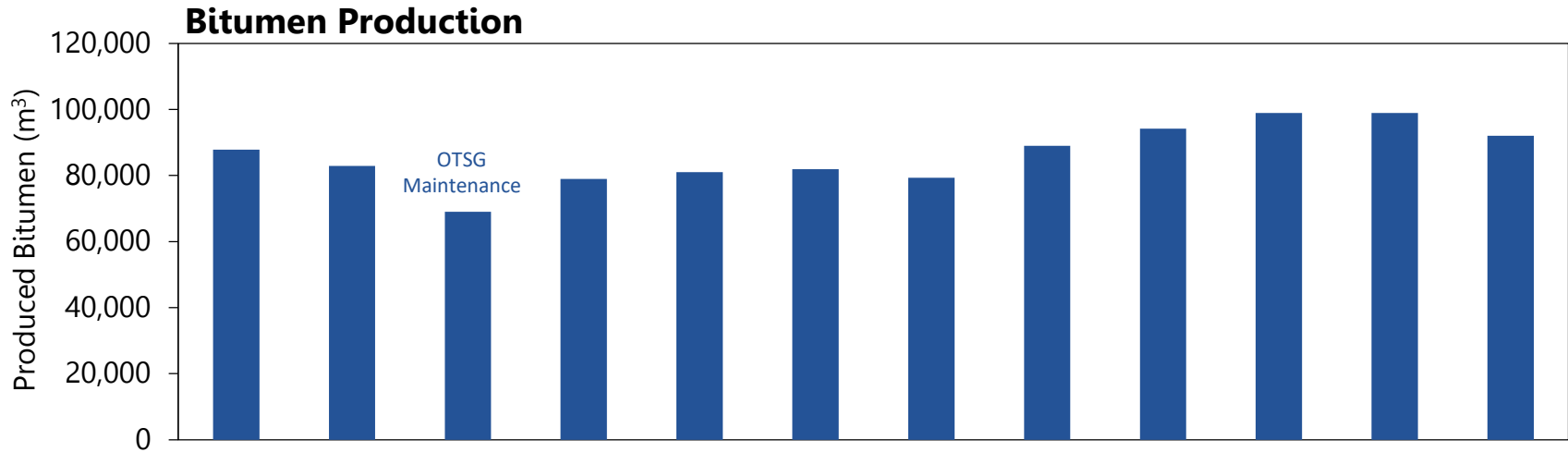
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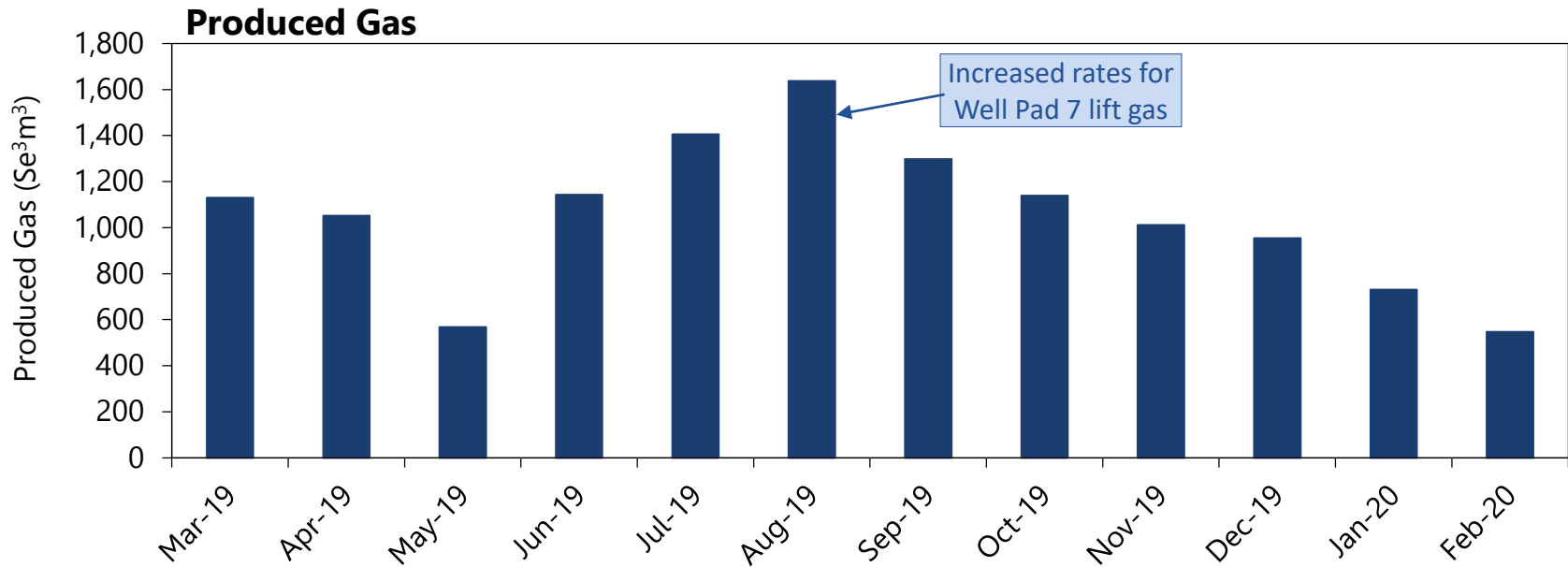
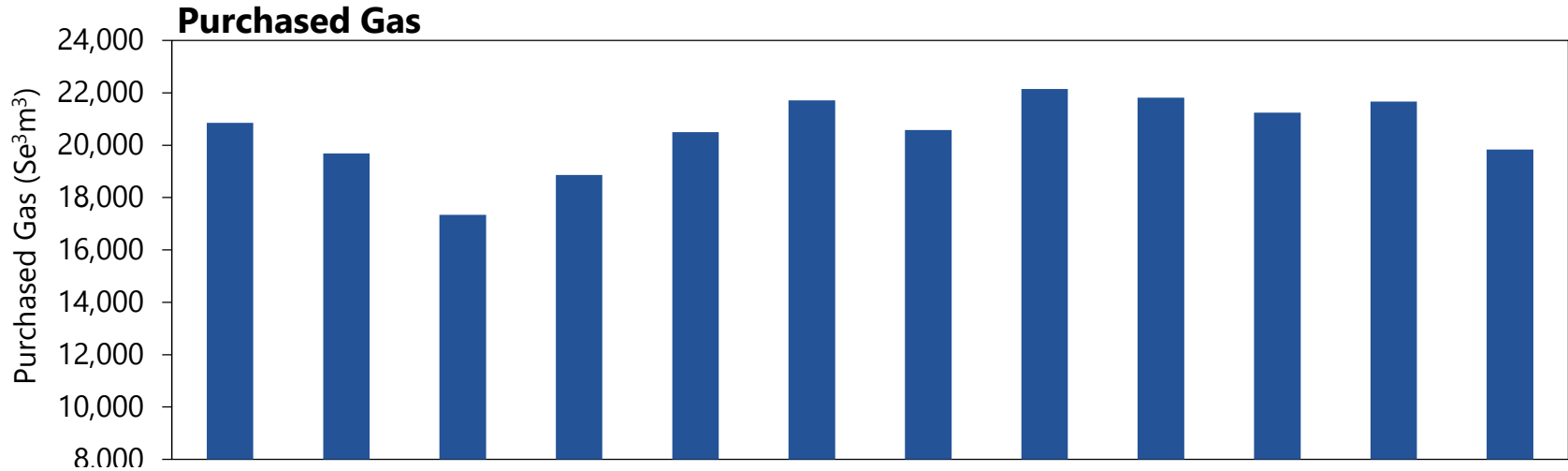


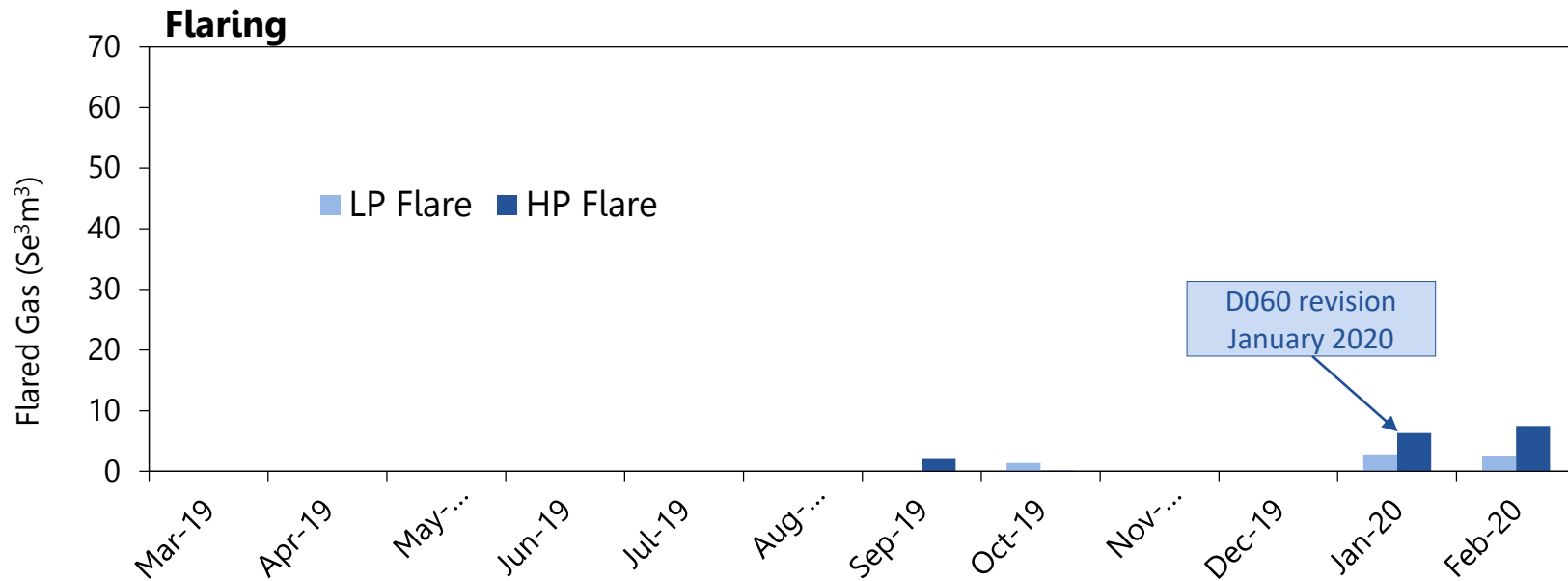
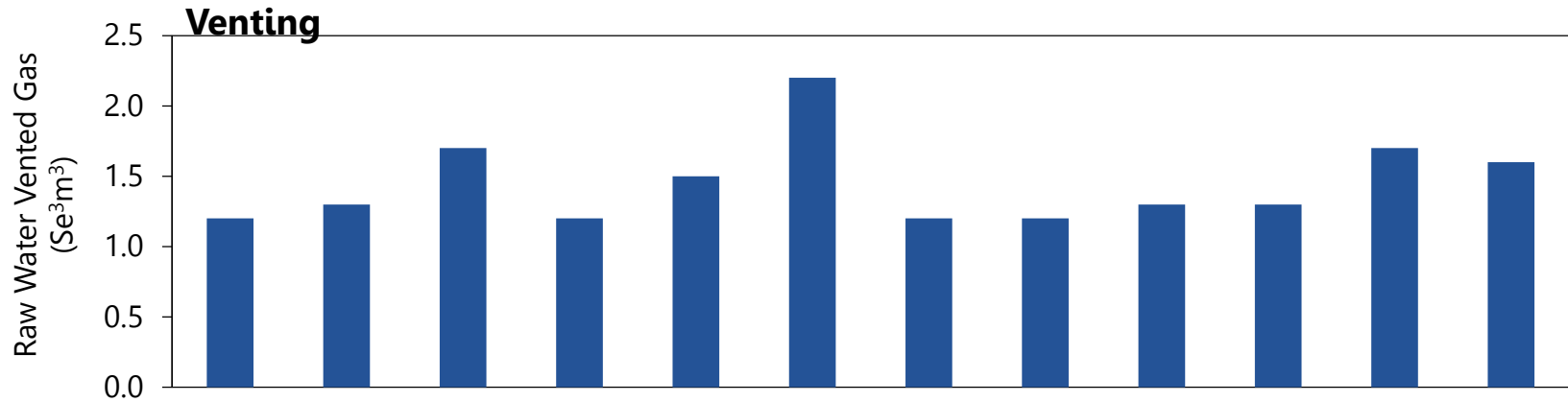
## SITE RELIABILITY HAS REMAINED HIGH

- CPF availability was 98% for 2019 (facility design 93%)
- Availability calculated based on steam capacity
- Facility down-time mainly associated with boiler repair work (May 2019)

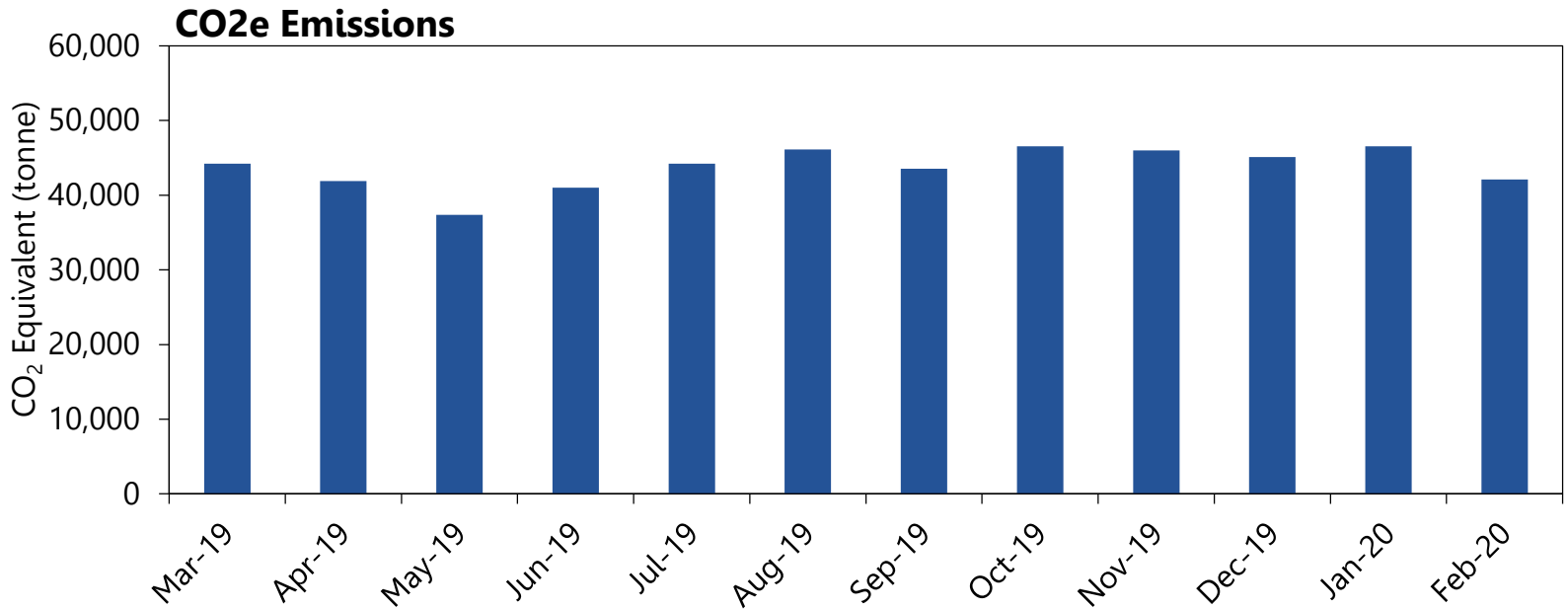
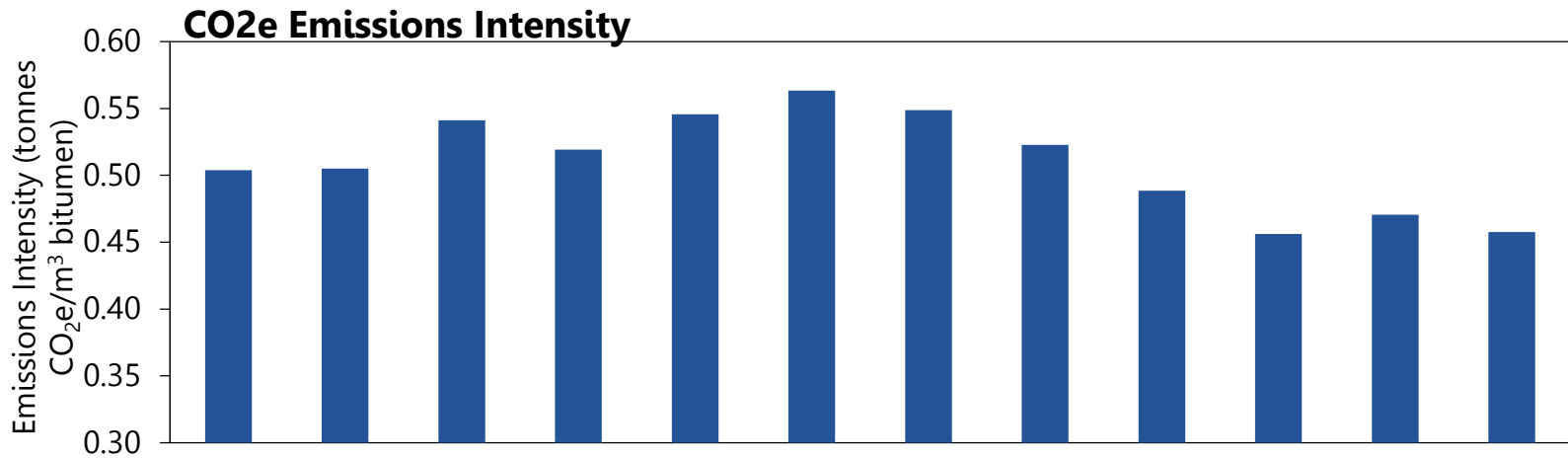


# PURCHASED & PRODUCED GAS VOLUMES





Note: D060 revision to flare volume calculation (inclusion of purge gas) effective January 1, 2020





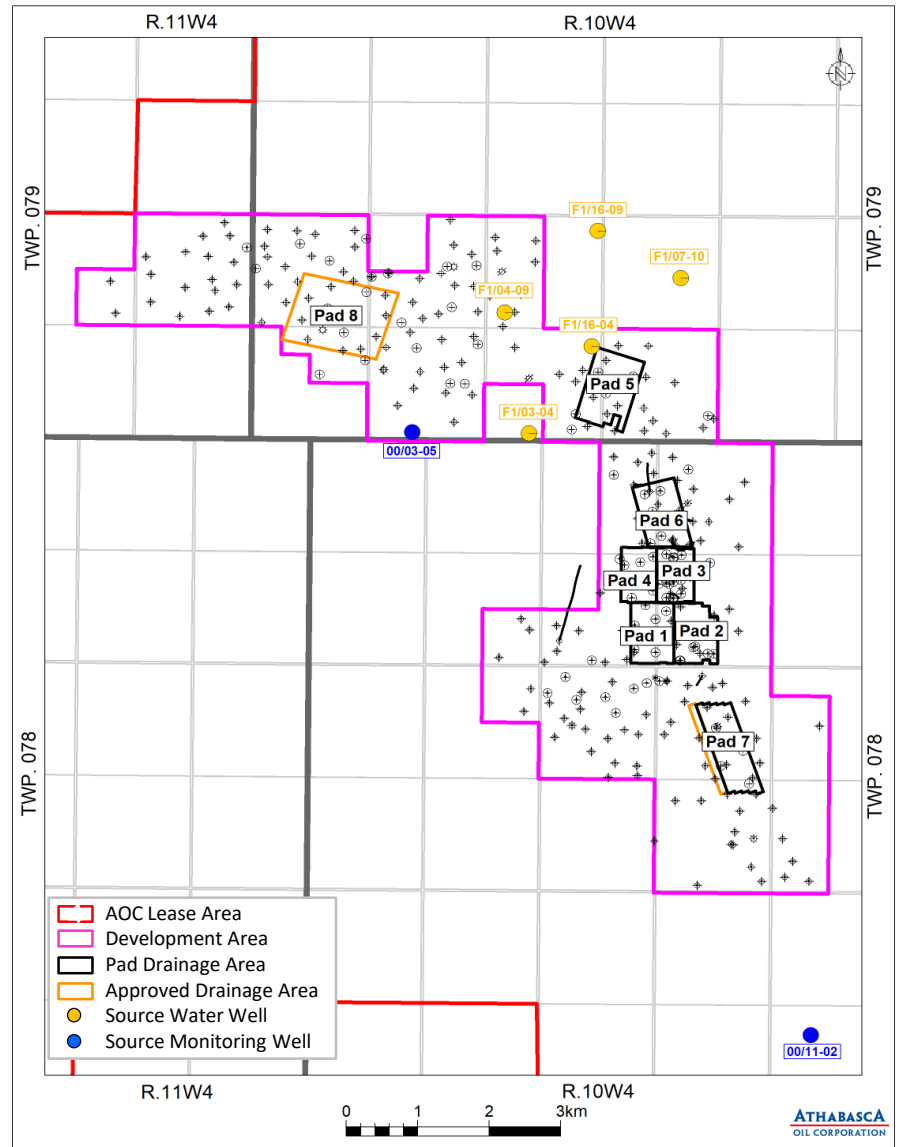
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**WATER PRODUCTION, INJECTION & USES**

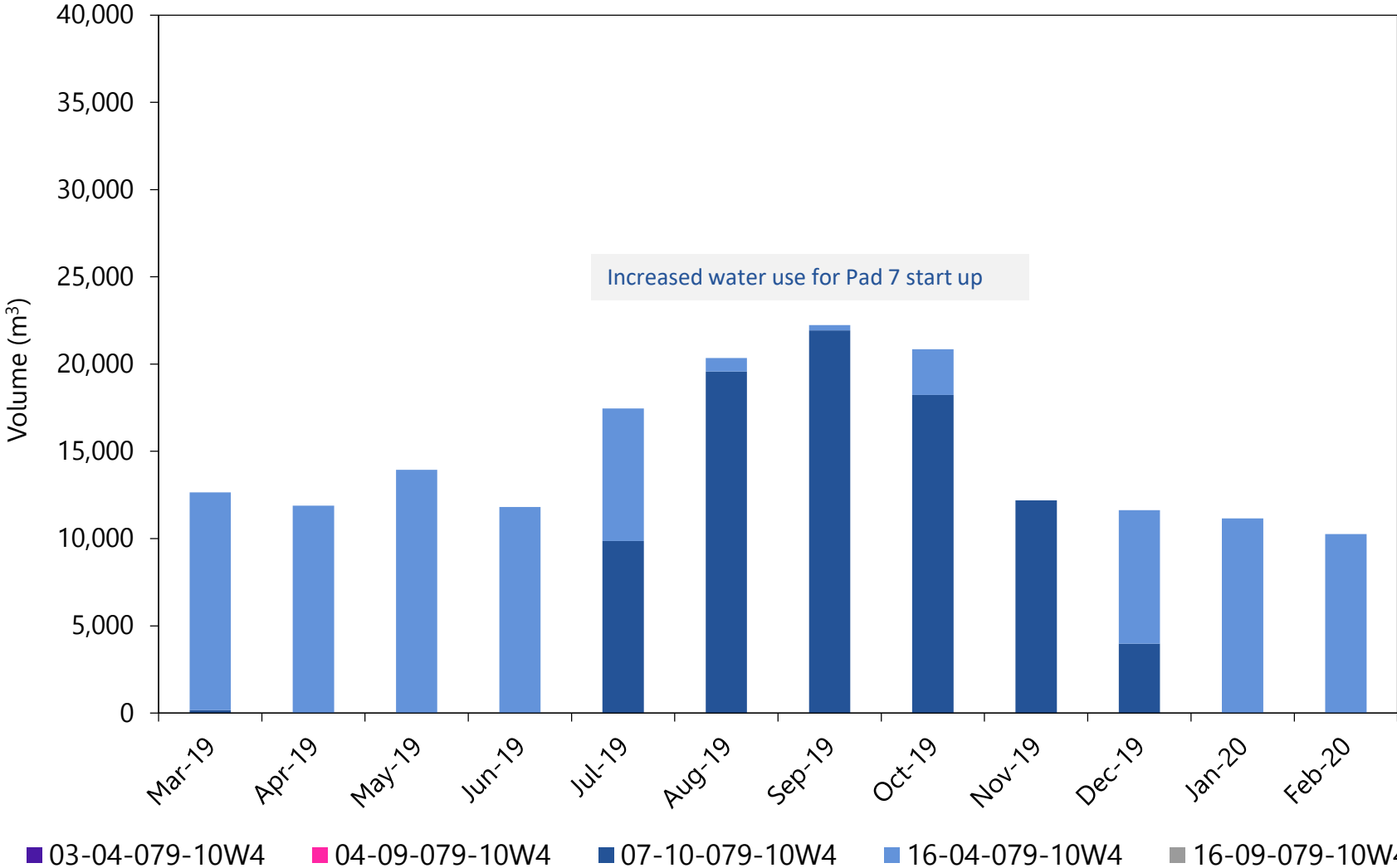
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## SOURCE WATER WELLS

- 5 Lower Grand Rapids non-saline wells
  - 1F1/16-09-079-10W4/00
  - 1F1/07-10-079-10W4/00
  - F1/04-09-079-10W4/00,
  - 1F1/16-04-079-10W4/00
  - 1F1/03-04-079-10W4/00
  
- 3 well source water monitoring network
  - 100/03-05-079-10 W4/00
  - 100/11-02-078-10 W4/00
  - 100/03-22-081-08 W4/00
    - Regional monitoring well located outside of mapped area



# SOURCE WATER USE





## SOURCE WATER USE

- Water Act license allocation 317,915 m<sup>3</sup>/year (871 m<sup>3</sup>/day)
- Total non-saline water use from source wells during reporting period 199,000 m<sup>3</sup> (545 m<sup>3</sup>/d)
  - 55% of license allocation
  - ~ 98.5% for process use at CPF
  - ~ 1.5% for domestic use at CPF
- No saline water use

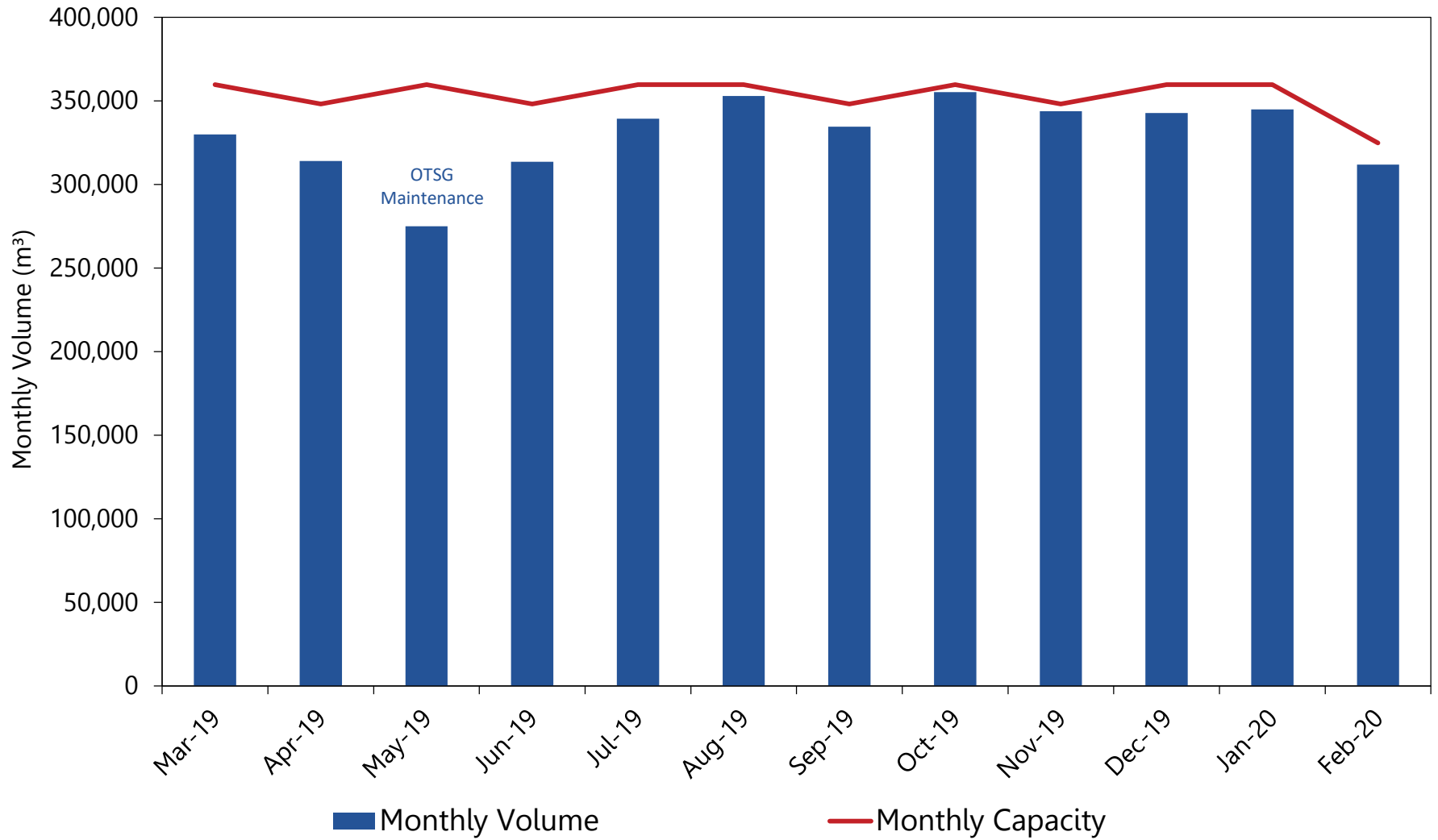
## SOURCE WATER MINIMIZATION

- Total source water use reduced by 12% from previous reporting period
- Source water intensity of 0.17 bbl water/bbl bitumen over the reporting period
- Balanced reservoir conditions minimize make-up water volume requirements
- High blowdown recycle rates minimize source water demand

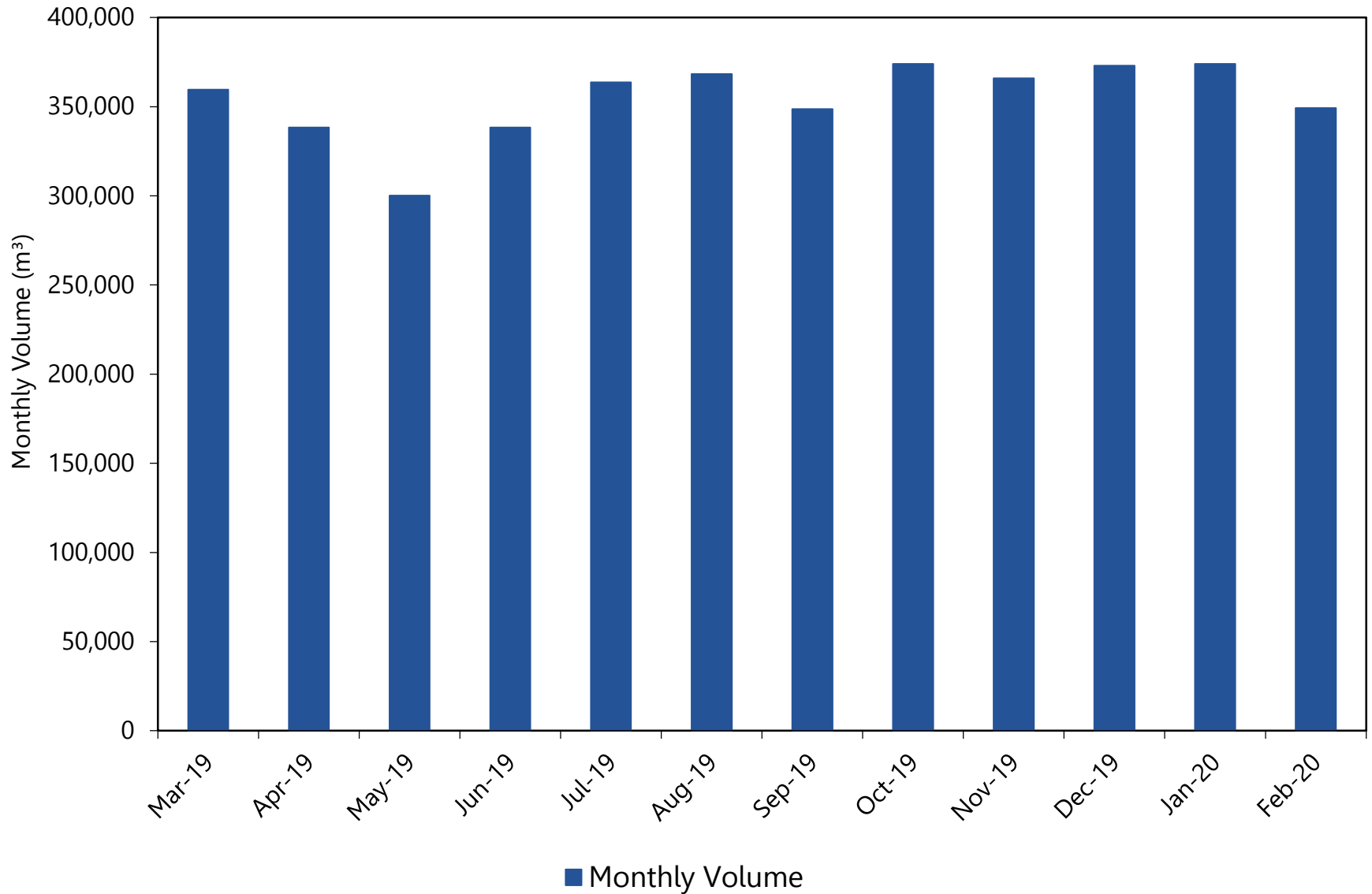
## TYPICAL WATER QUALITY

Parameter	Non-Saline Water	Produced Water	Disposal Water
TDS [mg/L]	1,575	1,900	29,200
pH [-]	8.2	6.9	11.9
Hardness [mg/L as CaCO <sub>3</sub> ]	4.3	21	0.9
Total Alkalinity [mg/L as CaCO <sub>3</sub> ]	825	245	4,900
SiO <sub>2</sub> [mg/L]	0	220	210
Cl [mg/L]	225	1100	13,500

# STEAM INJECTION



# PRODUCED WATER

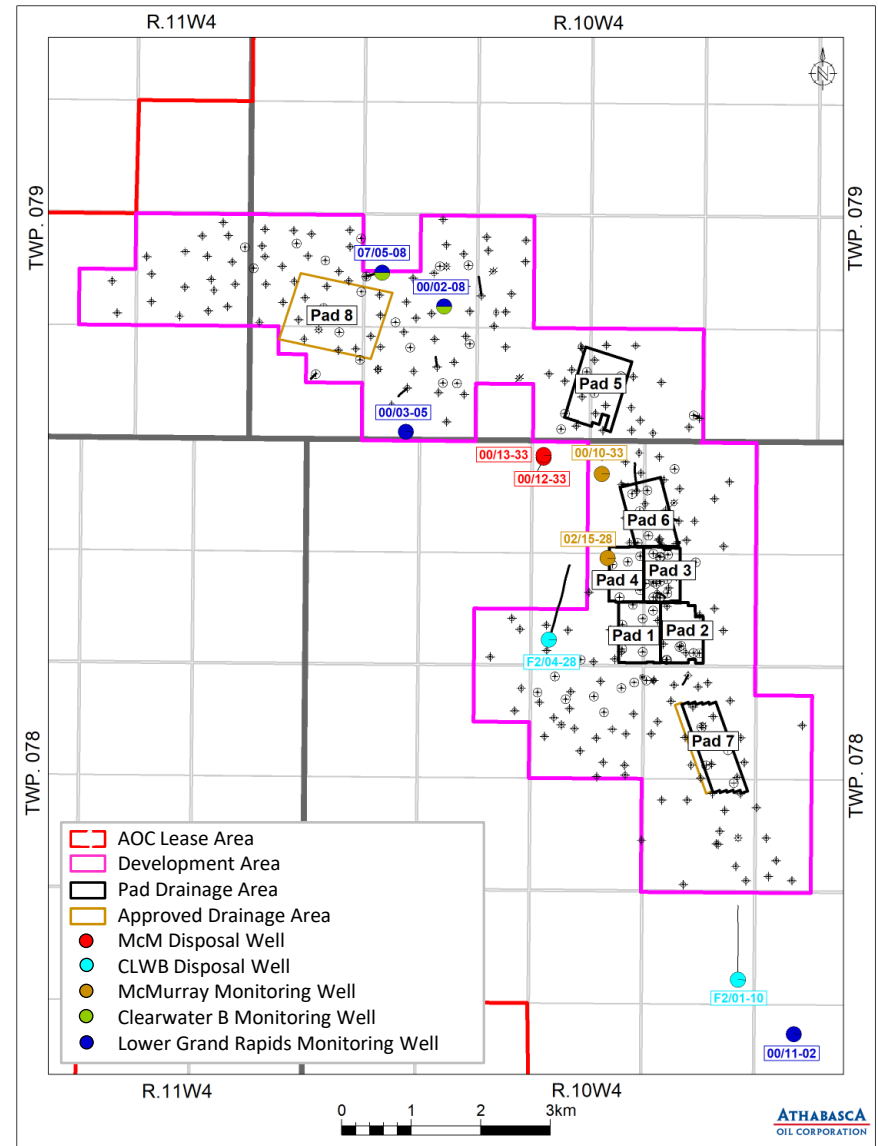


## CLASS 1B DISPOSAL APPROVAL 11479C

- Approval for Clearwater B injection (September 2019)
- 2 Basal McMurray injection wells
  - 00/12-33-078-10W4/00
  - 00/13-33-078-10W4/00
- 2 Clearwater B injection wells
  - F2/01-10-078-10W4/00
  - F2/04-28-078-10W4/00
- Extensive monitoring network
  - Basal McMurray
  - Clearwater B
  - Lower Grand Rapids

## CLEARWATER B

- Initiated injection at F2/04-28-078-10W4/00 (November 2019)
- F2/01-10-078-10W4/00 injection well operational after pipeline construction (March 2020)



## BASAL MCMURRAY MONITORING

- Disposal diverted from McMurray (March 2019)
- McMurray bottom water pressure has stabilized

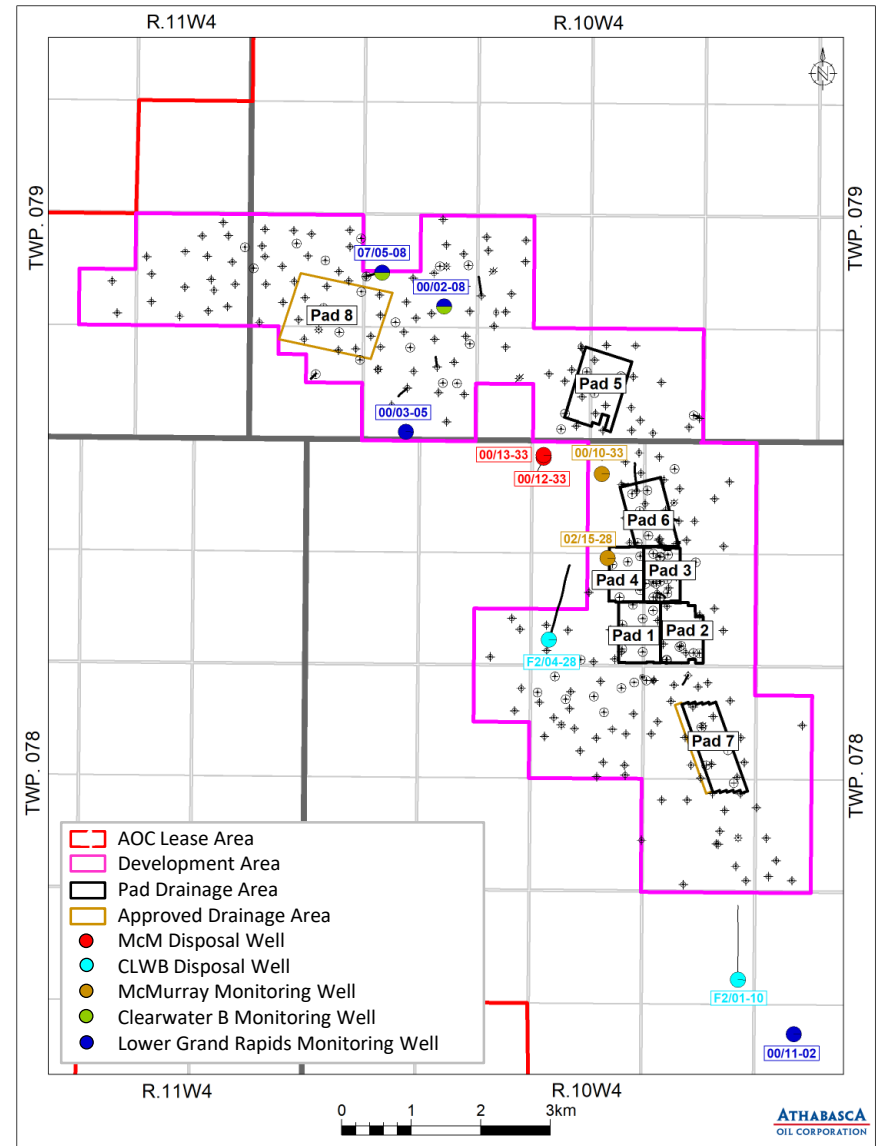
## CLEARWATER B MONITORING

- No pressure response observed at Clearwater B monitoring wells (2) since injection initiated

## LOWER GRAND RAPIDS MONITORING

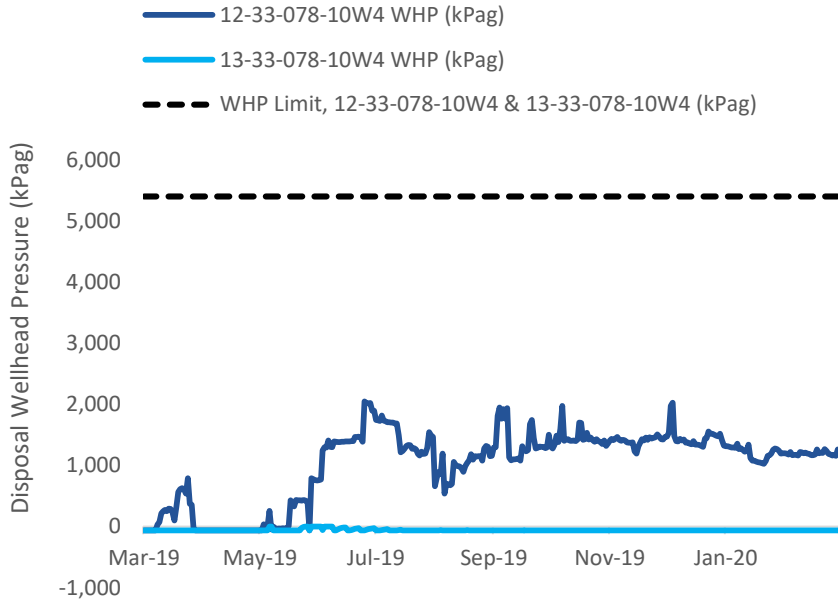
- Pressure response in Lower Grand Rapids monitoring wells (4) remains consistent with pumping rates of the Lower Grand Rapids source water wells

*No unexpected responses have been observed at any of the monitoring wells during the reporting year*

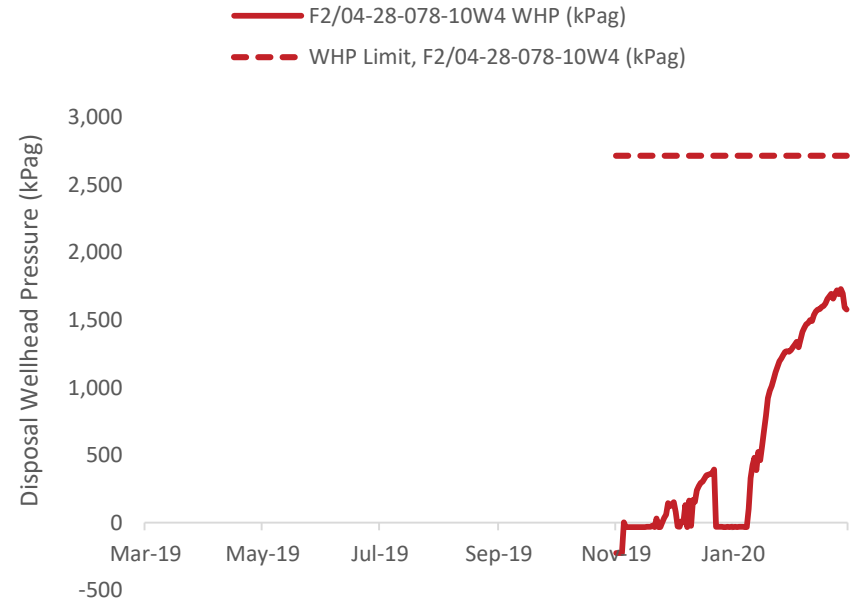


# DISPOSAL WATER PRESSURE & TEMPERATURE 62

## MCMURRAY DISPOSAL PRESSURE



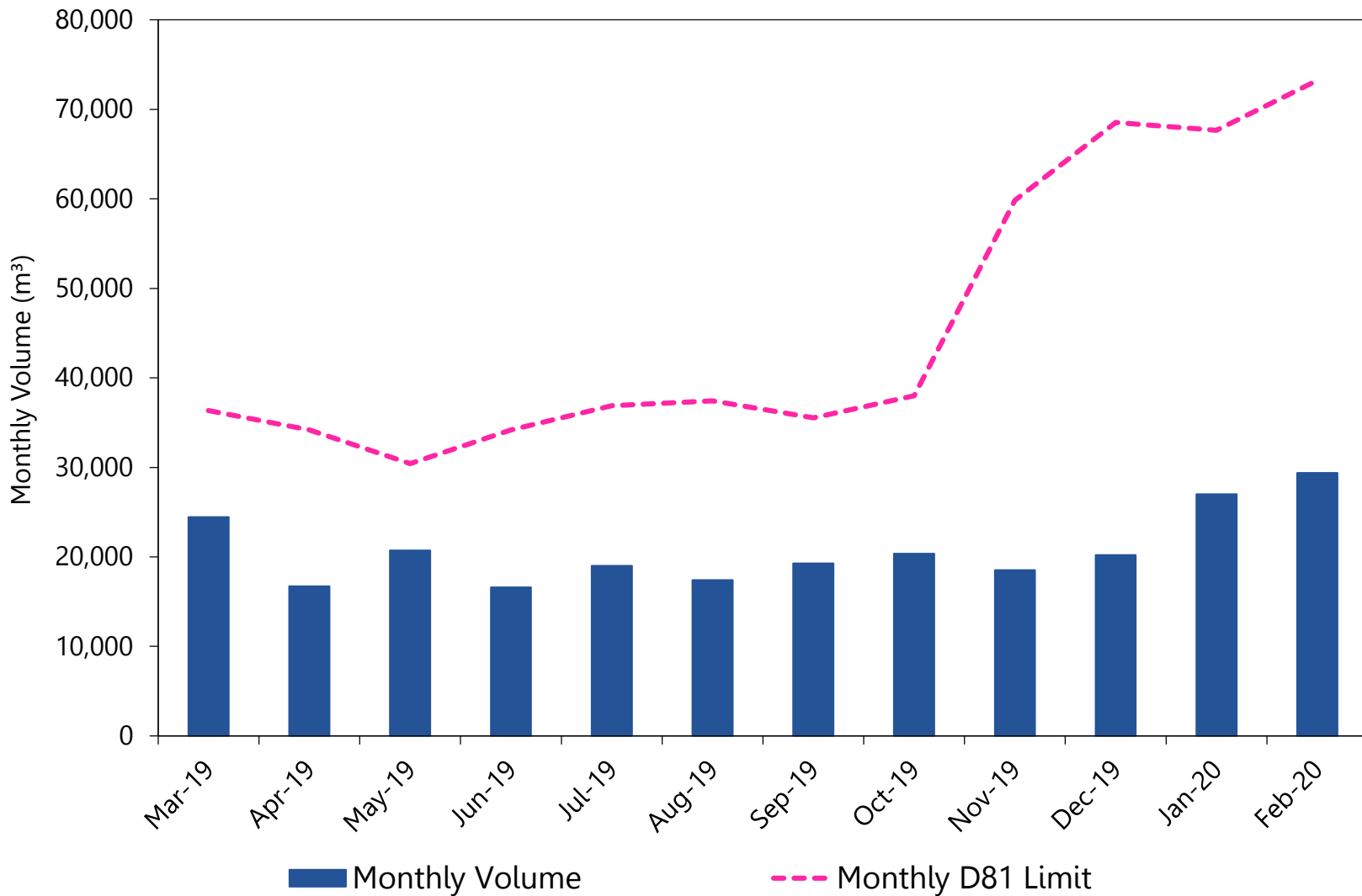
## CLEARWATER DISPOSAL PRESSURE



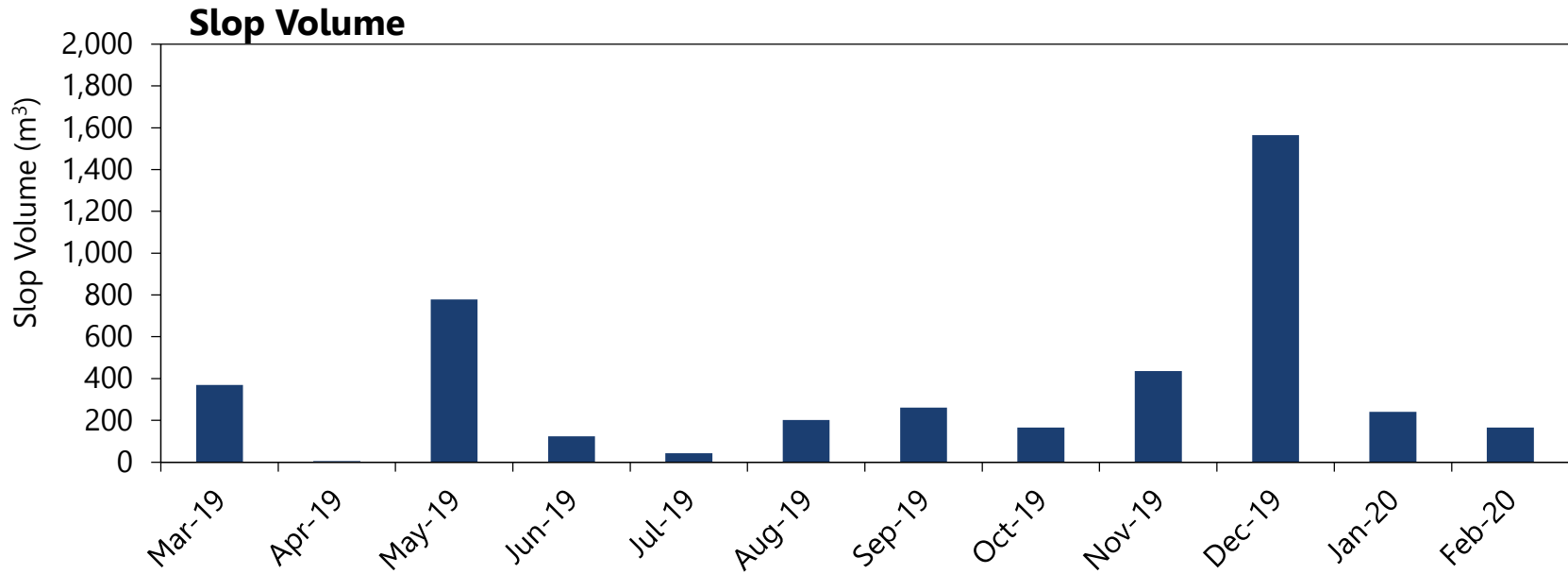
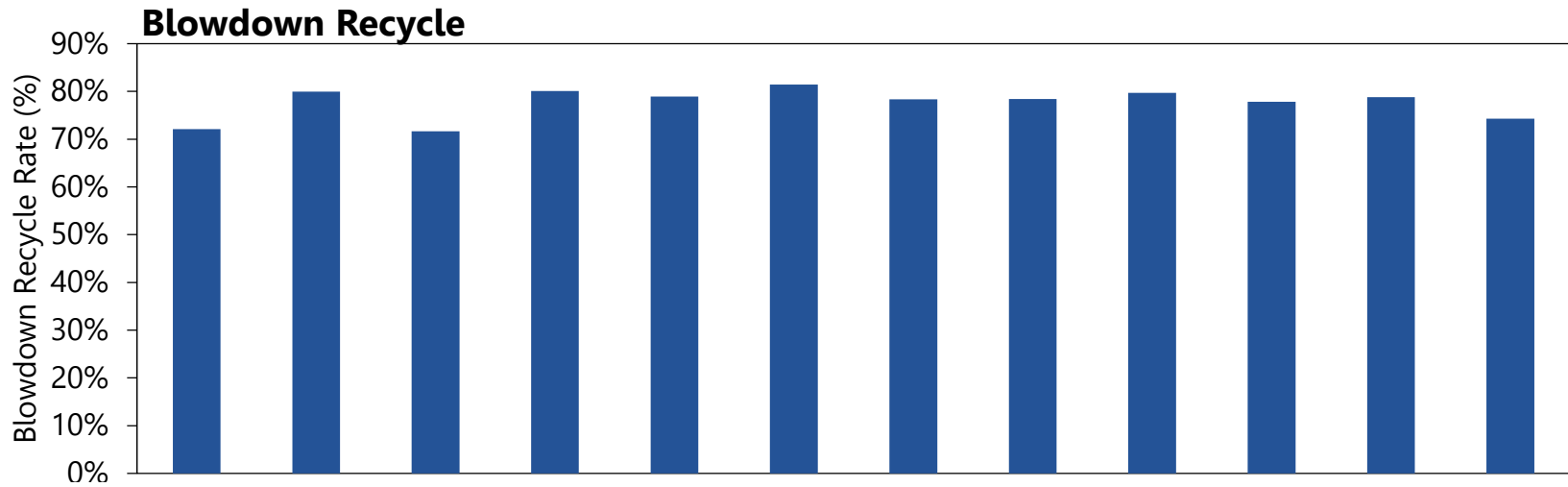
## DISPOSAL TEMPERATURE



<sup>1</sup> Disposal water temperature measured at CPF disposal tank



○ Disposal limit calculated in accordance with D081. Calculation revised (Nov. 2019) with release of new D081





## SOLIDS DISPOSAL:

- Water treatment solids (lime softening) are pumped to settling pond
- Sludge pond dredged and 14,102 tonnes of solids disposed at offsite approved facility



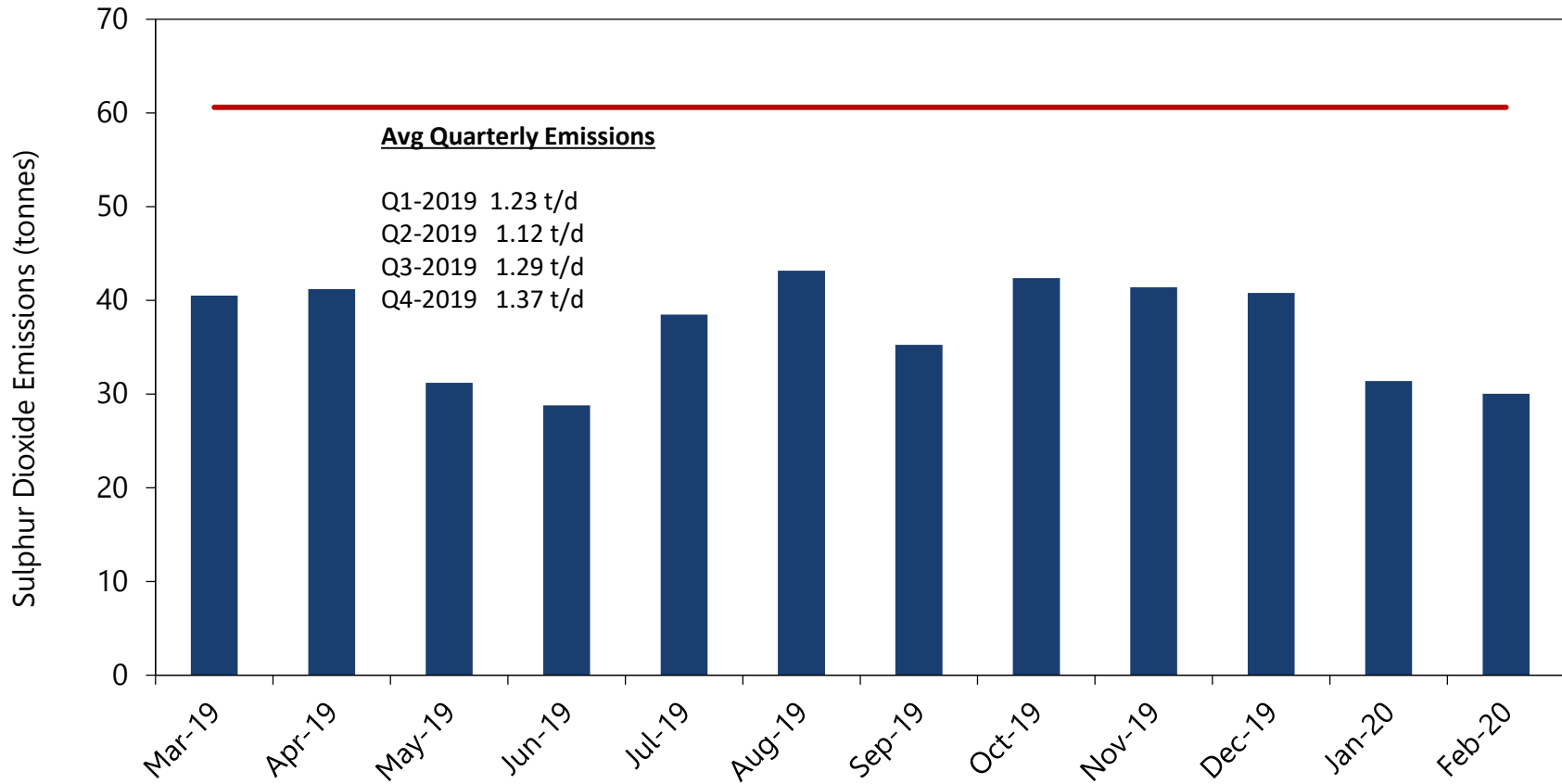
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## SULPHUR & SULPHUR DIOXIDE REPORTING

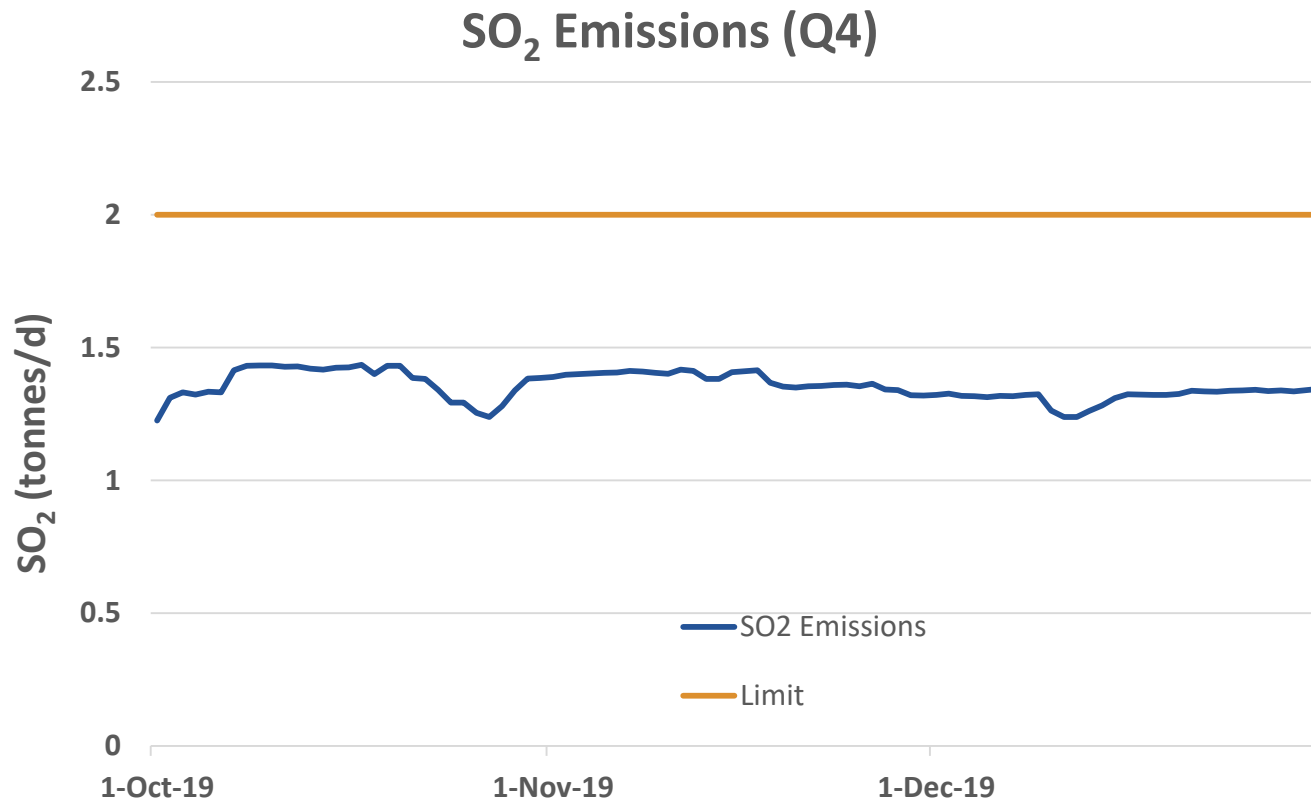
- EPEA Approval No. 241311 limit is 2.0 t/d of SO<sub>2</sub> emissions
- Average daily SO<sub>2</sub> emissions over period was 1.22 t/d (61% of approval limit)
- SO<sub>2</sub> emissions are calculated based on analytical results of mixed gas samples
- There are no sulphur recovery facilities at Leismer

## Sulphur Dioxide Emissions



## SO<sub>2</sub> DAILY AVERAGE

- Daily SO<sub>2</sub> Emissions for Q4 averaged 1.37 tonnes/day



## LEISMER FUTURE PLAN

- CPF debottlenecking to support additional pads/production as required
- Implementation of NCG for SOR reduction
- Continue to evaluate heat integration opportunities for emissions reduction
- Pad facility design as required to support new development



**COMPLIANCE**  
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## APPROVALS AND AMENDMENTS

Date	Approval/Amendment	Activity
April 2019	WA Licenses 00297242, 00322141, 00368609 & 00370676	Amendment clarifying data reporting requirements for water wells
August 2019	OSCA Approval No. 10935Y	Amendment Pad 7 – expand drainage area for additional well pair
September 2019	OSCA Approval No. 10935Z	Amendment Pad 8 - downhole spacing for 14 well pairs
September 2019	Disposal Approval No. 11479C	Approval for 1b disposal in the Clearwater B and McMurray
October 2019	D056 License F51680	Approval for Injection Facility at 14-28-078-10 W4
October 2019	D056 License P51231	Approval for disposal pipeline from CPF to 16-10-078-10 W4
February 2020	WA License No. 00364442	Renewal – CPF storm water use additional 5 year term
February 2020	EPEA Approval No. 241311	Submission - renewal application for additional 10 year term

Notes

- OSCA – Oil Sands Conservation Act (scheme approval)
- EPEA – Environmental Protection and Enhancement Act Approval
- WA - Water Act



## INSPECTIONS

Inspections			
Event	Location/License	Inspection ID	Result
AER Facility Inspection, April 25, 2019	08-02-079-10W4	486921	Satisfactory
AER Pipeline Inspection, January 23, 2020	P51231	496631	Satisfactory
AER Pipeline Inspection, February 5, 2020	P51231	498051	Satisfactory
AER Wellsite Inspection, February 5, 2020	0496549	498030	Satisfactory

## AUDITS

Audits			
Event	License	Activity ID	Result
Reclamation Certificate, March, 13, 2019	MLL070189	159791	Satisfactory
Annual Conservation & Reclamation Report, May 1, 2019	241311	N/A	Satisfactory
Annual Groundwater Monitoring Report, June 26, 2019	241311	N/A	Satisfactory
Pipeline License Application, November 18, 2019	P51231	1645478	Satisfactory
Well License Application, December 10, 2019	W0496553	1703577	Satisfactory
Public Lands Act Applications, January 9, 2020	1630729	1649406 & 1649407	Satisfactory

## NON-COMPLIANCE SUMMARY

- No Notices of Non-Compliance were received during the reporting period
- One approval contravention was reported (Water Act License 00239880-02) for data loss due to failure of a water level transducer. Equipment was repaired and data collection restored.
- There were 6 reportable releases during the reporting period

## AIR QUALITY MONITORING

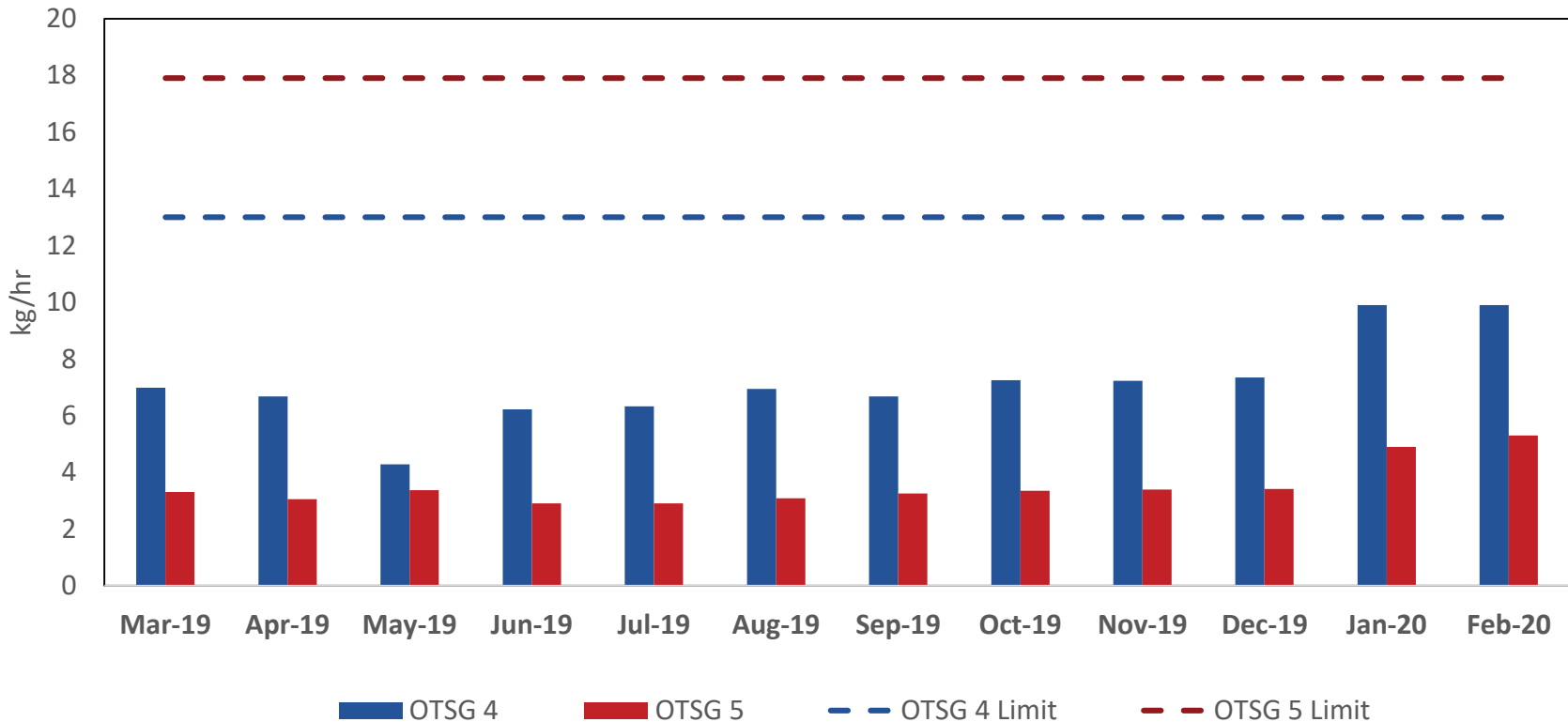
- Passive air monitoring – no exceedances ( $\text{SO}_2$ ,  $\text{NO}_2$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$ ) of Ambient Air Quality Objectives
- Continuous ambient air monitoring
  - *WBEA air monitoring station onsite during Q4 2019 and Q1 2020*
  - *No exceedances ( $\text{SO}_2$ ,  $\text{NO}_2$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$ ) of Ambient Air Quality Objectives*
- Leismer has 2 CEMS units (OTSG 4 and OTSG 5) reporting data
  - *No issues during reporting period*



## NO<sub>x</sub> MONTHLY AVERAGE

- CEMS units installed on OTSG 4 and OTSG 5

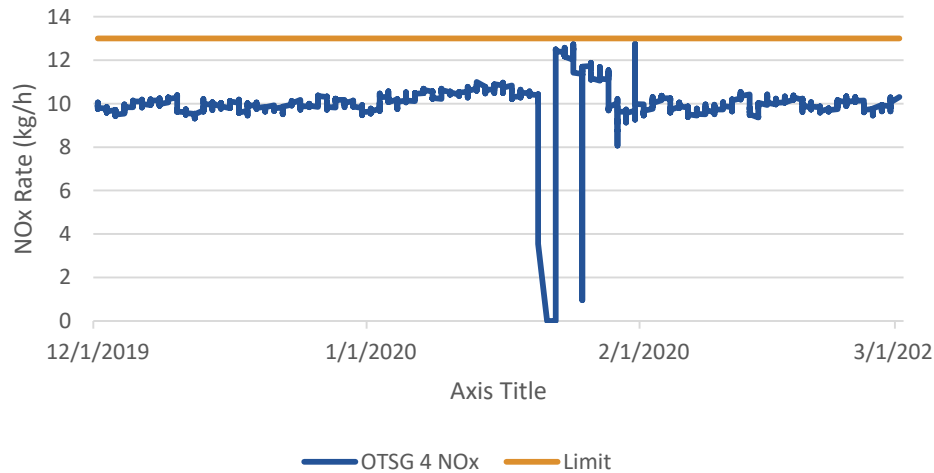
OTSG 4 & 5 - Monthly Average NO<sub>x</sub>



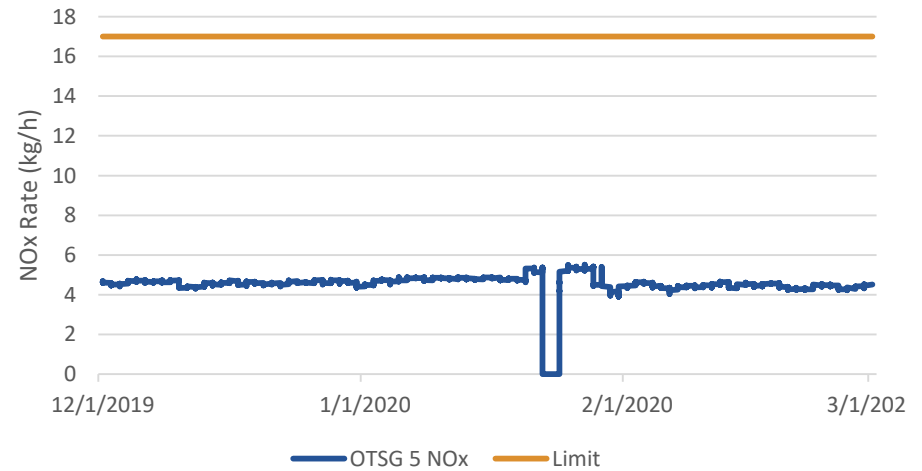
## NO<sub>x</sub> HOURLY RATES

- Hourly NO<sub>x</sub> rates for three months (Dec 2019 to March 1, 2020)

OTSG 4 Hourly Nox Rates (Dec 2019 to March 1, 2020)



OTSG 5 Hourly NOx Rates (Dec 2019 to March 1, 2020)



## INDUSTRIAL RUN-OFF MONITORING

- All discharges completed in compliance with EPEA approval conditions

Central Processing Facility (SE-02-079-10 W4M)					
Date	pH	Cl (mg/L)	Oil & Grease (Y/N)	Lab & Sample ID	Discharge Volume (m <sup>3</sup> )
Limits:	6.0 – 9.5	500			
03/19/2019	7.99	5.7	N	Maxxam B920260	N/A (initial sample of year)
04/09/2019	8.12	10	N	Maxxam B927574	5,723
04/29/2019	7.84	5	N	Maxxam B933465	47.6
06/28/2019	8.07	13	N	Bureau Veritas B952565	2,510
06/29/2019	8.15	12	N	Bureau Veritas B952565	2,180
08/13/2019	8.28	12	N	Bureau Veritas B967021	2,725
08/17/2019	8.1	12	N	Bureau Veritas B969157	6,350
09/04/2019	8.27	11	N	Bureau Veritas B976168	275
09/05/2019	8.22	9	N	Bureau Veritas B976168	2,180
09/22/2019	8.17	10	N	Bureau Veritas B980441	5,450
09/23/2019	8.06	11	N	Bureau Veritas B983854	2,180

## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION & ENHANCEMENT ACT (EPEA) APPROVAL

- EPEA monitoring programs and reports completed during the reporting period:
  - *Monthly and annual air emissions*
  - *Industrial wastewater and runoff*
  - *Groundwater*
  - *Soil Management Program authorized by the AER and field program completed*
  - *Conservation and Reclamation*
  - *Air Emissions Inventory Report*
  - *Wildlife Monitoring Program – Amendment approved to reduce field cameras*

## WATER ACT

- All diversions below license limits, monthly and annual reporting requirements completed
  - *Groundwater licenses (0239880, 0029742, 00368609)*
  - *Surface water licenses (00273542,00364442, 00364731)*

## RECLAMATION

- AOC has received reclamation certificates for **all** OSE programs at Leismer



## AOC IS A FUNDING MEMBER OF

- Oil Sands Environmental Monitoring
- Wood Buffalo Environmental Association (WBEA) – air shed monitoring
- Regional Industry Caribou Collaboration (RICC)
- Industrial Footprint Reduction Options Group (iFROG) – wetland reclamation industry collaboration

## AOC PARTICIPATION

- Various CAPP Committees
  - *Oil Sands Environmental Policy and Regulatory Committee*
  - *NE Alberta Caribou Working Group*
  - *Indigenous Affairs Committee*
  - *Air Issues Committee*

## ATHABASCA OIL CORPORATION LEISMER PROJECT IS IN COMPLIANCE WITH AER APPROVALS AND REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

- For the period of March 1, 2019 to February 29, 2020 AOC has no unaddressed non-compliant events

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