

Surmont In Situ Oil Sands Project

Directive 054 Submission & Annual OSCA Report

Commercial Scheme Approval No. 9426

EPEA Approval No. 48263-01-00, as amended

Class 1b Disposal Approval No. 10044M

Reporting Period: January 1, 2020 to December 31, 2020

Submission Date: June 30, 2021

This submission is intended to provide information in compliance with:

- ▶ *Directive 054: Performance Reporting and Surveillance of In Situ Oil Sands Schemes* (April 2020) for the operating period from January 1, 2020 to December 31, 2020
- ▶ Condition 22 of Commercial Scheme Approval No. 9426XX for the submission of an annual *Oil Sands Conservation Act Report (OSCA Report)*
- ▶ Condition 4 (d) of Class 1b Disposal Approval No. 10044M for the summary of the Basal McMurray disposal monitoring results



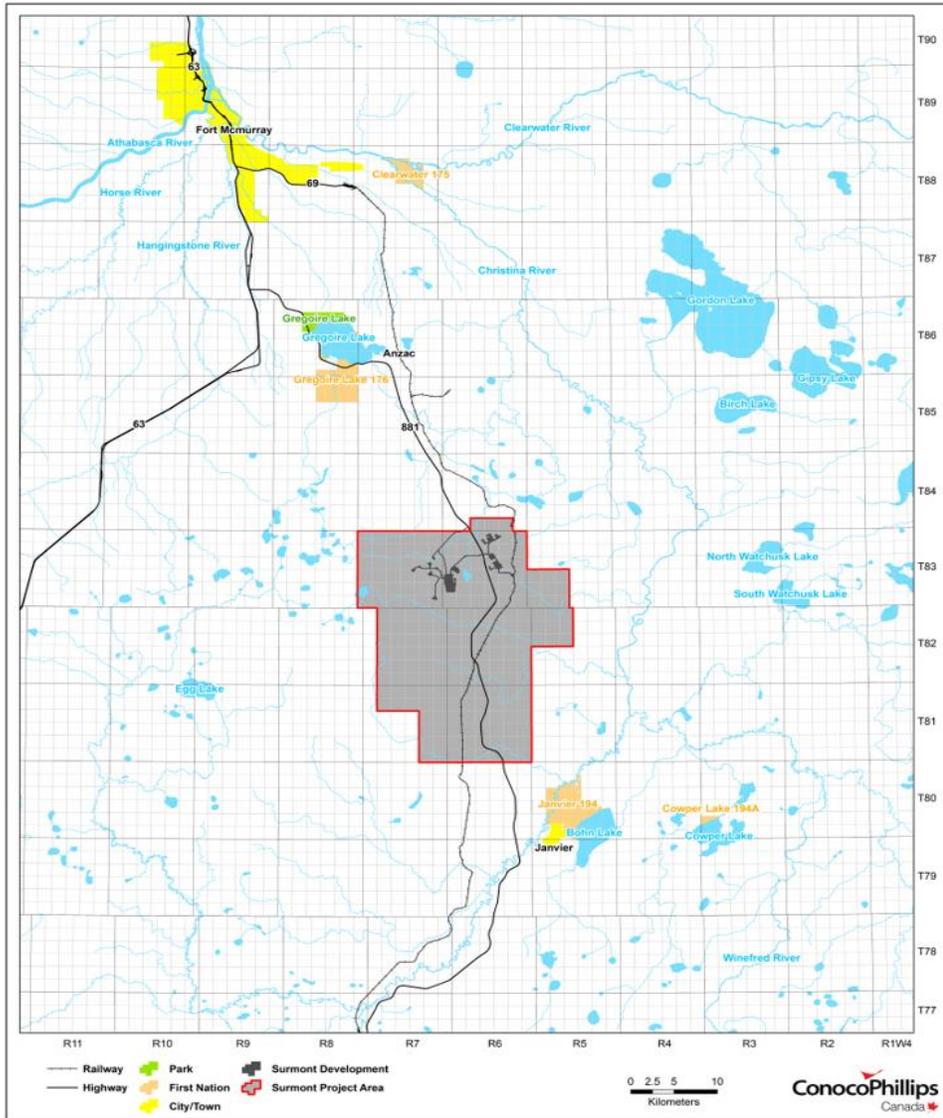
Introduction

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Surmont Overview

Area Map: Approved Surmont Project Area 



OWNERSHIP

Surmont is a steam-assisted gravity drainage (SAGD) bitumen recovery facility in the Athabasca oil sands area that is operated by ConocoPhillips Canada under a 50/50 joint venture agreement with Total E&P Canada.



LOCATION

The project is approximately 63 km southeast of Fort McMurray, Alberta and covers 219 sections of land in Townships 80, 81, 82, 83, and 84, and Ranges 5, 6, and 7, west of the fourth meridian.



PROJECT HISTORY

Surmont currently features two phases:

- 2004 - construction start at Surmont Phase 1 (“S1”)
- 2007 - commercial production at S1
- 2010 - construction start at Surmont Phase 2 (“S2”)
- 2015 - commercial production at S2



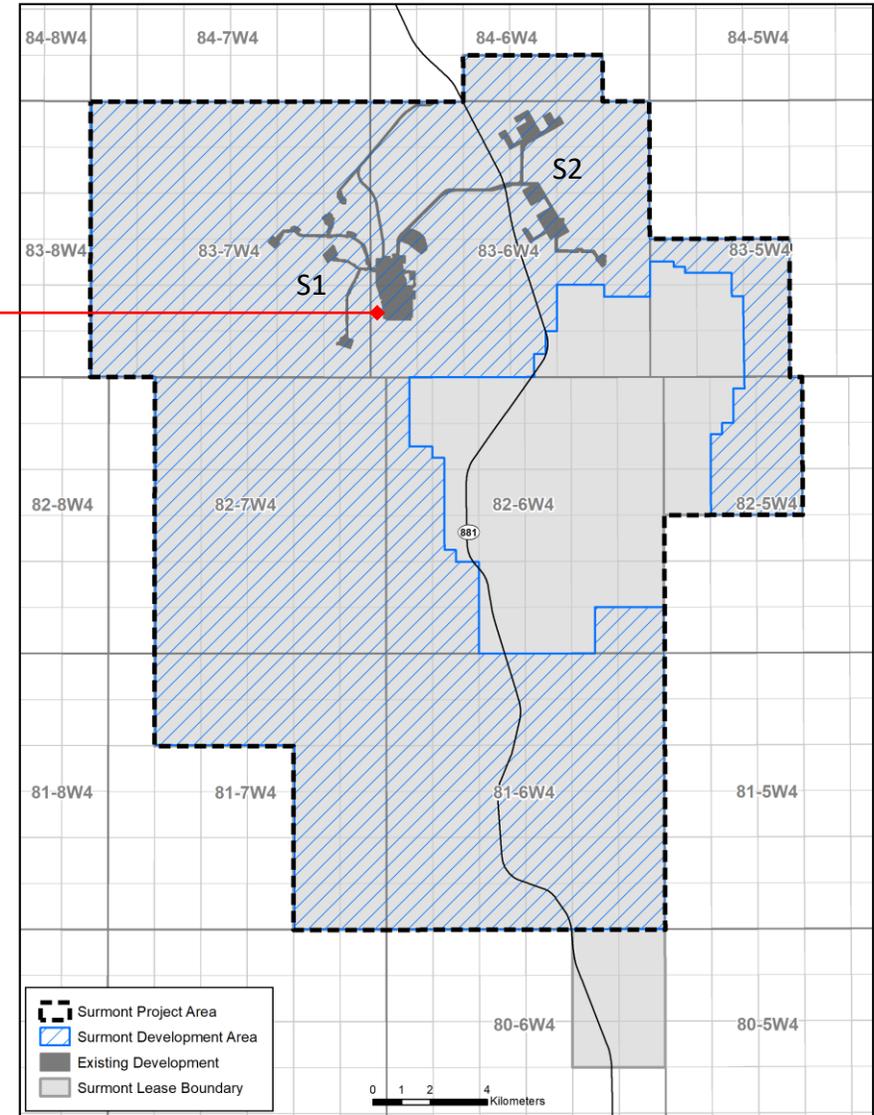
APPROVED BITUMEN PRODUCTION LIMIT

29,964 cubic metres per day (m³/d) on an annual average basis or 188 thousand barrels of oil equivalent per day (MBOED)

Surmont Overview: Development Area



Approved Surmont Development Area



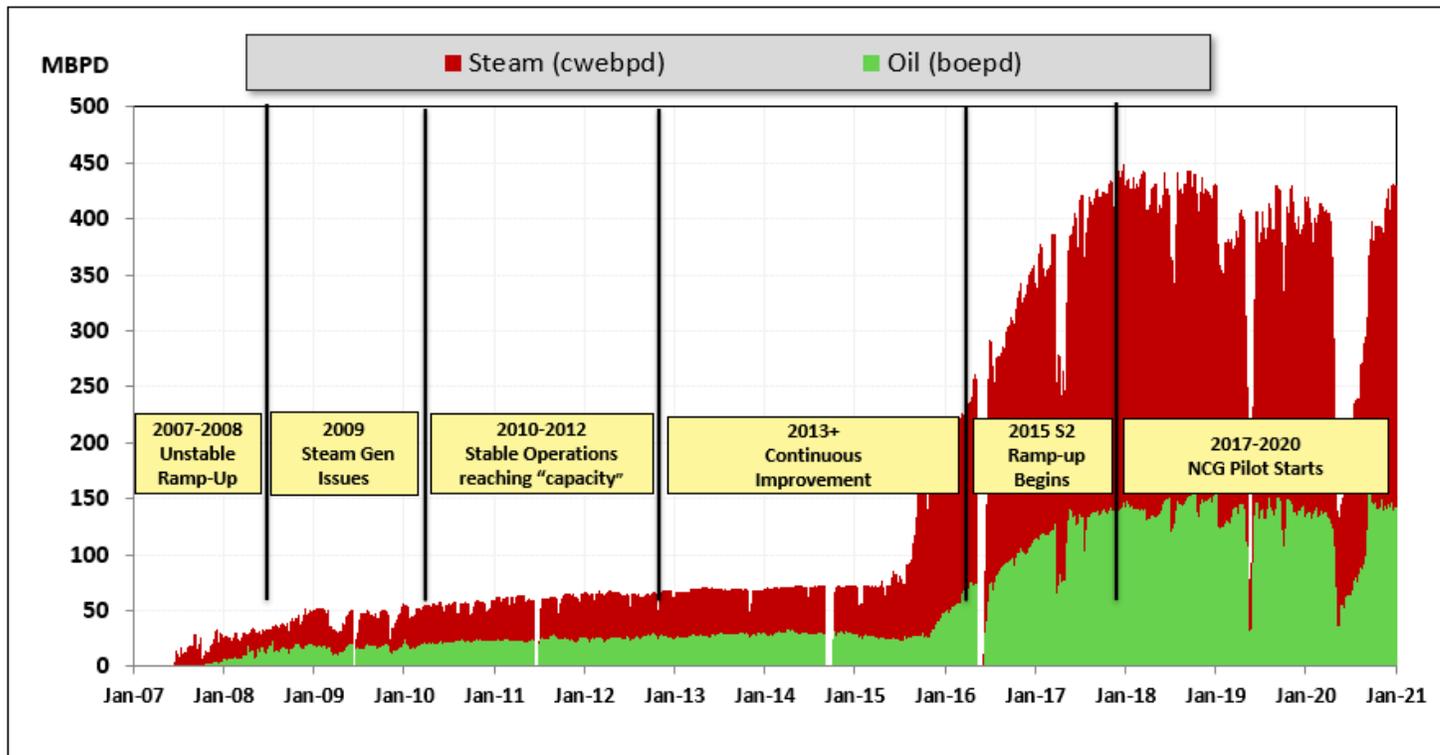
Subsurface

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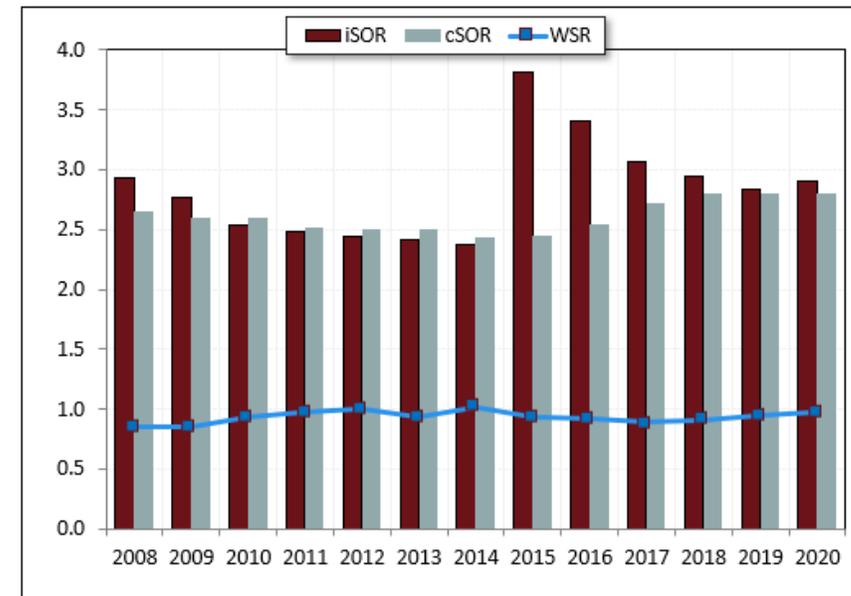


OneSurmont Lifespan Production

Historical Steam Injection and Bitumen Production



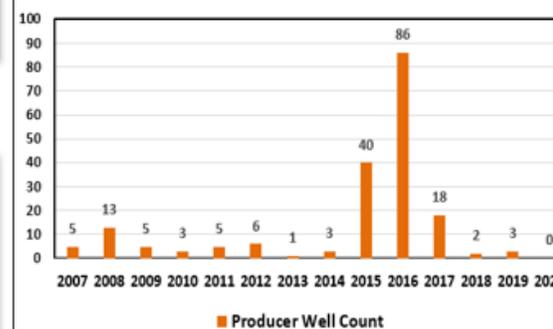
Historical iSOR, cSOR and WSR



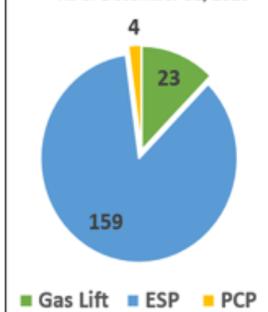
2020 Highlights

- ❖ Expanded NCG injection capabilities across Surmont.
 - Utilized to limit thief zone invasion and minimize pressure loss during extended curtailments/shut-ins.
- ❖ Covid related response resulted in an approximate 4-month shut-in at Surmont 1.
- ❖ Surmont 2 production was curtailed in Q2 and then ramped back up to full production by Q4.
- ❖ Re-Drills pushed to 2021.

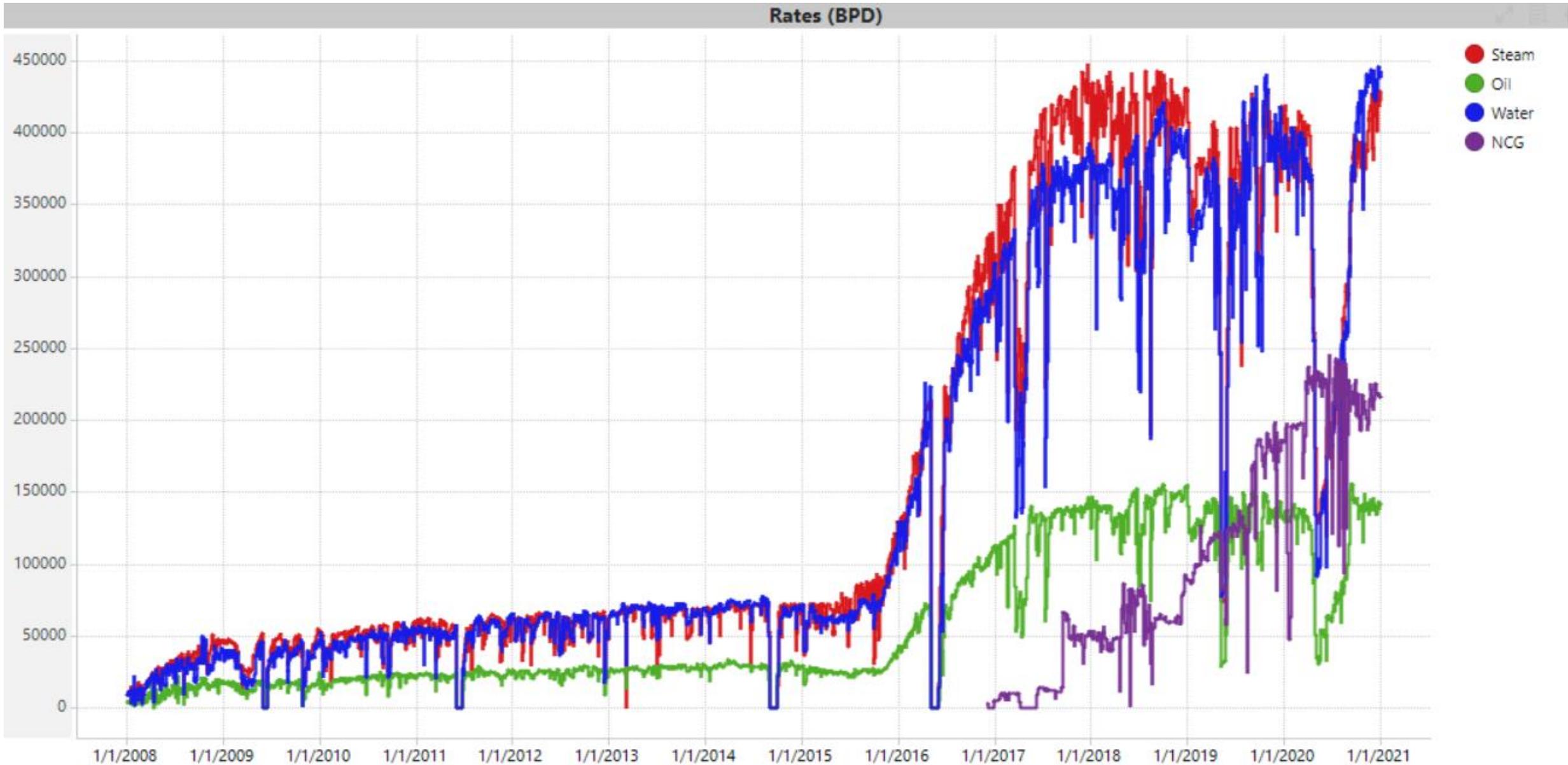
Historical SAGD Starts



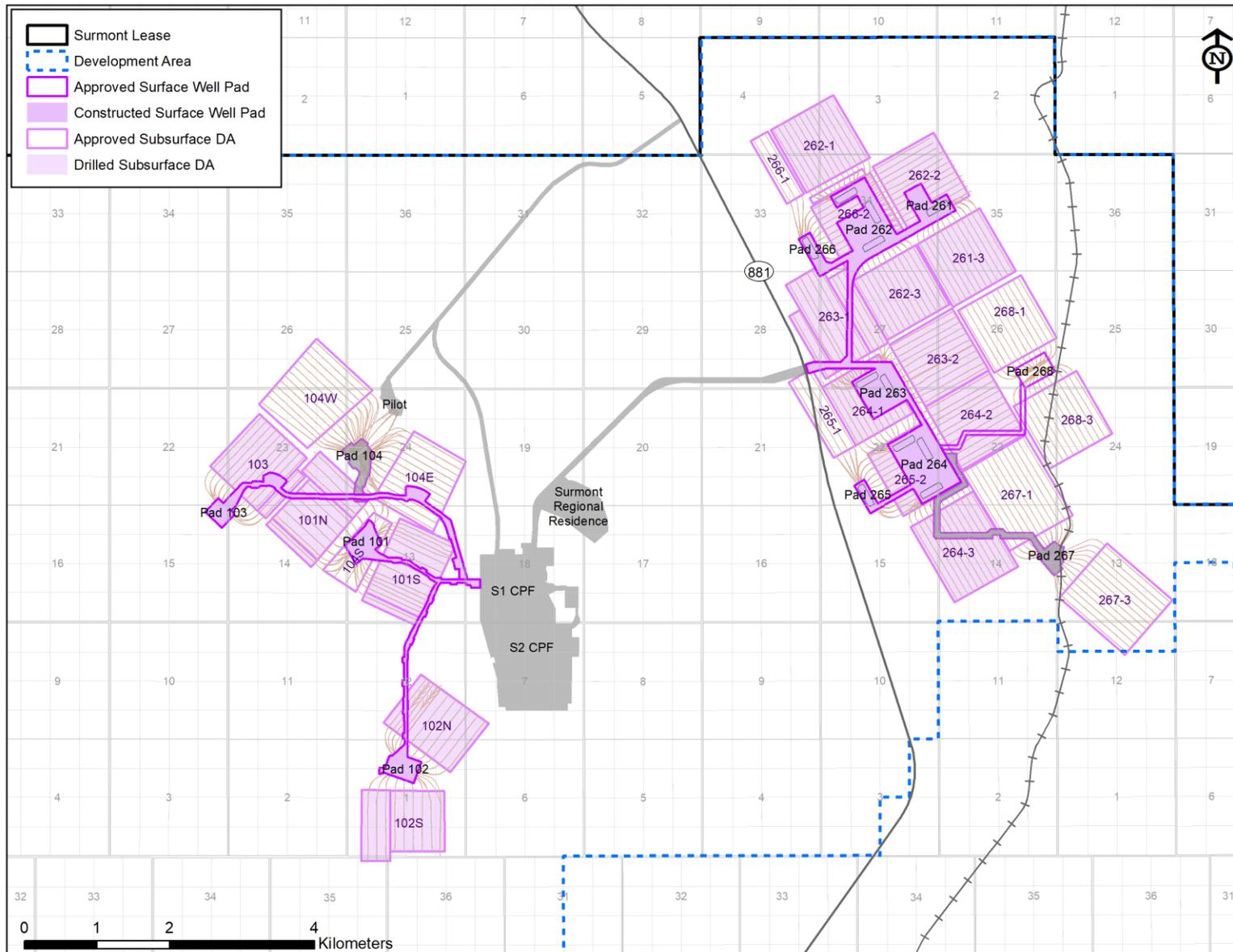
OneSurmont well count As of December 31, 2020



OneSurmont Lifespan Production



Development Area Maps: Drilled and Approved Drainage Areas



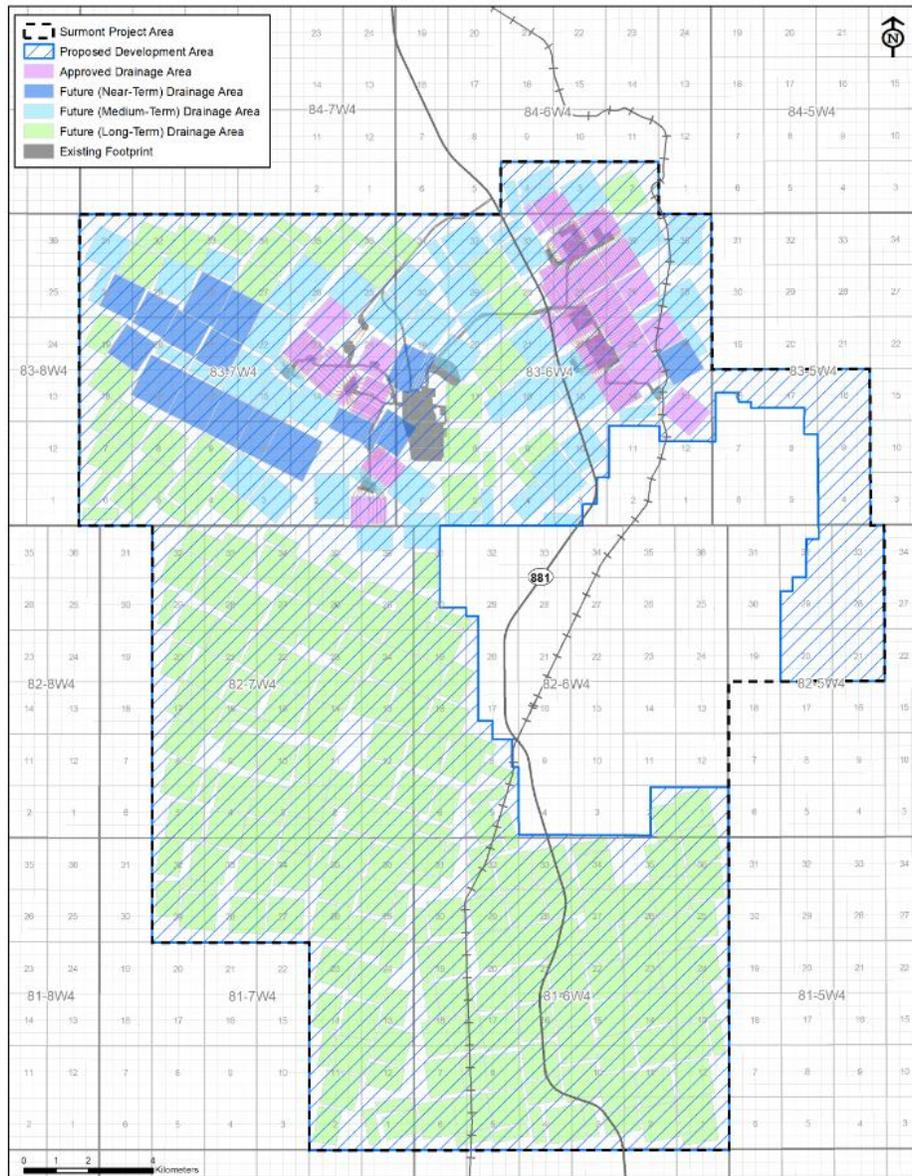
DRILLED DRAINAGE AREAS

- 101N
- 101S
- 102N
- 102S
- 103
- 261-3
- 262-1
- 262-2
- 262-3
- 263-1
- 263-2
- 264-1
- 264-2
- 264-3
- 265-2
- 266-2

APPROVED DRAINAGE AREAS

- 104E
 - 104W
 - 104S
 - 265-1
 - 266-1
 - 267-1
 - 267-3
 - 268-1
 - 268-3
- Additional approved drainage areas described in Lifecycle Application No. 1922683 are illustrated on the next slide.

Development Area Maps: Drilled and Approved Drainage Areas



LIFECYCLE APPROACH (APPLICATION NO. 1922683)

The conceptual locations of future subsurface drainage pattern areas are identified based on current sequencing scenarios as follows:

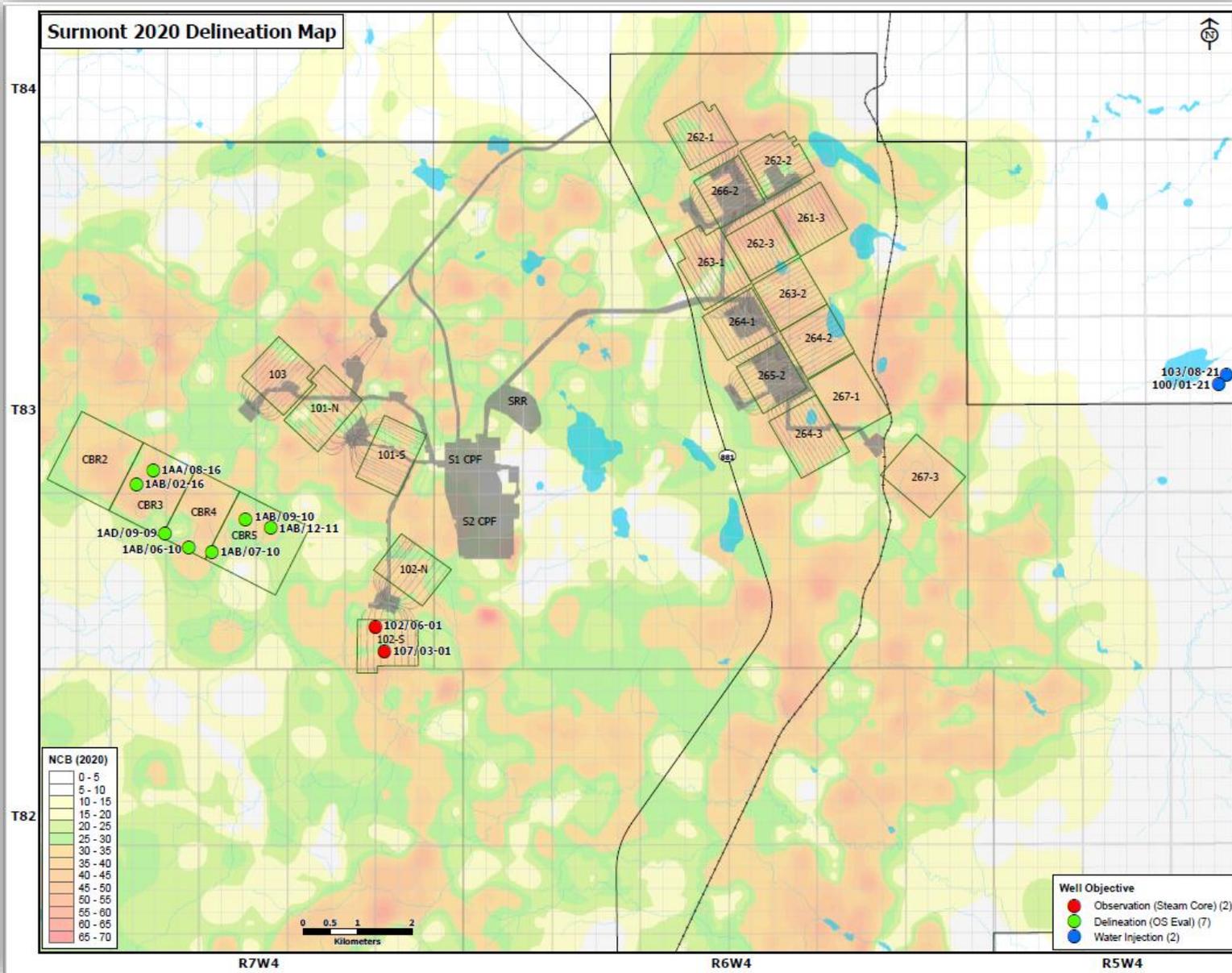
- future near-term drainage areas: next 10-15 years 
- future medium-term drainage areas: development years 15-41 
- future long-term drainage areas: beyond development year 41 



SUBSURFACE INFORMATION

No new subsurface information is available related to approved lifecycle activities, i.e., drainage area evaluation, design, or development

New Geological, Geomechanical & Reservoir Data

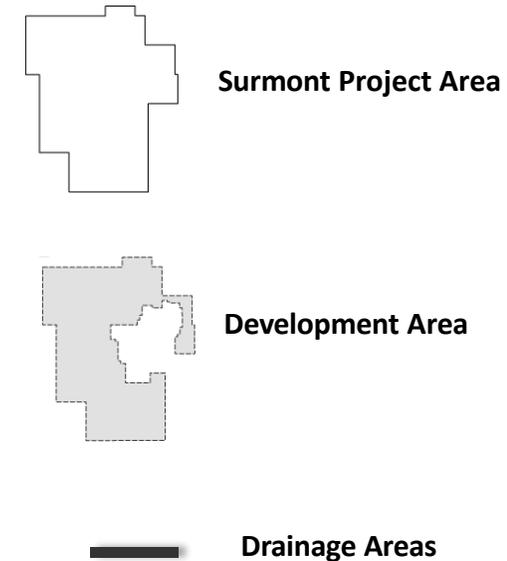
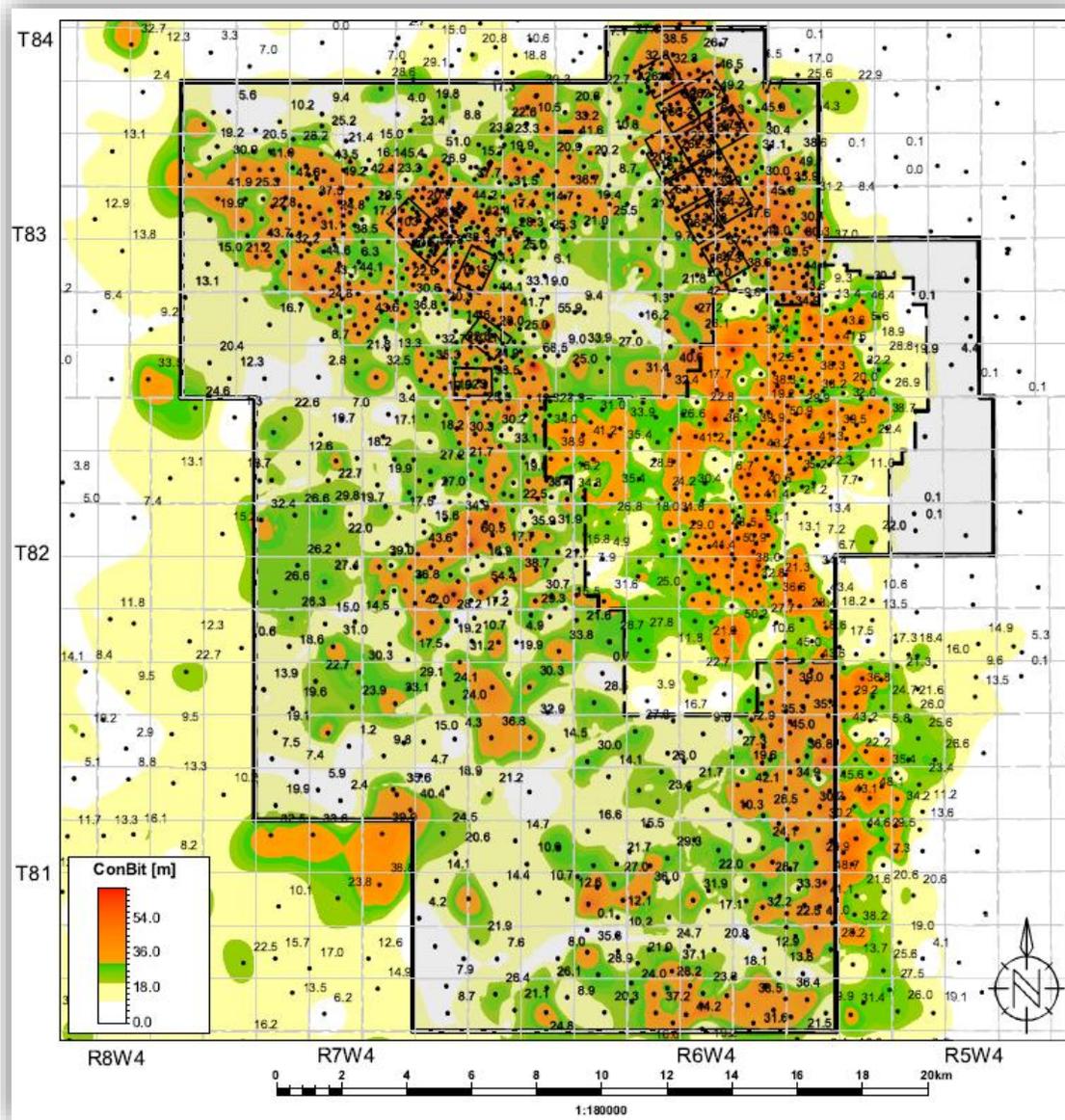


Wells Drilled in 2020	DA	Type
1AA081608307W402	CBR3	Delineation
1AB021608307W400	CBR3	Delineation
1AB061008307W402	CBR4	Delineation
1AD090908307W400	CBR4	Delineation (cored)
1AB071008307W400	CBR5	Delineation
1AB091008307W402	CBR5	Delineation
1AB121108307W400	CBR5	Delineation
102060108307W400	102S	Steam Core
107030108307W400	102S	Steam Core
100012108305W400	NA	Water Wells
103082108305W400	NA	Water Wells

2020 Data Acquisition Table

Data Types Acquired	Quantity
Basic Logs	7
Shear Sonic	4
Micro Image Logs	7
Wireline Pressure	3
Core (McMurry Formation)	1
Steam Cores (McMurry Formation)	2
Dean Stark Analysis	98 Samples
Core Flood Tests	8 Samples

Development Area Maps: Net Pay Isopach

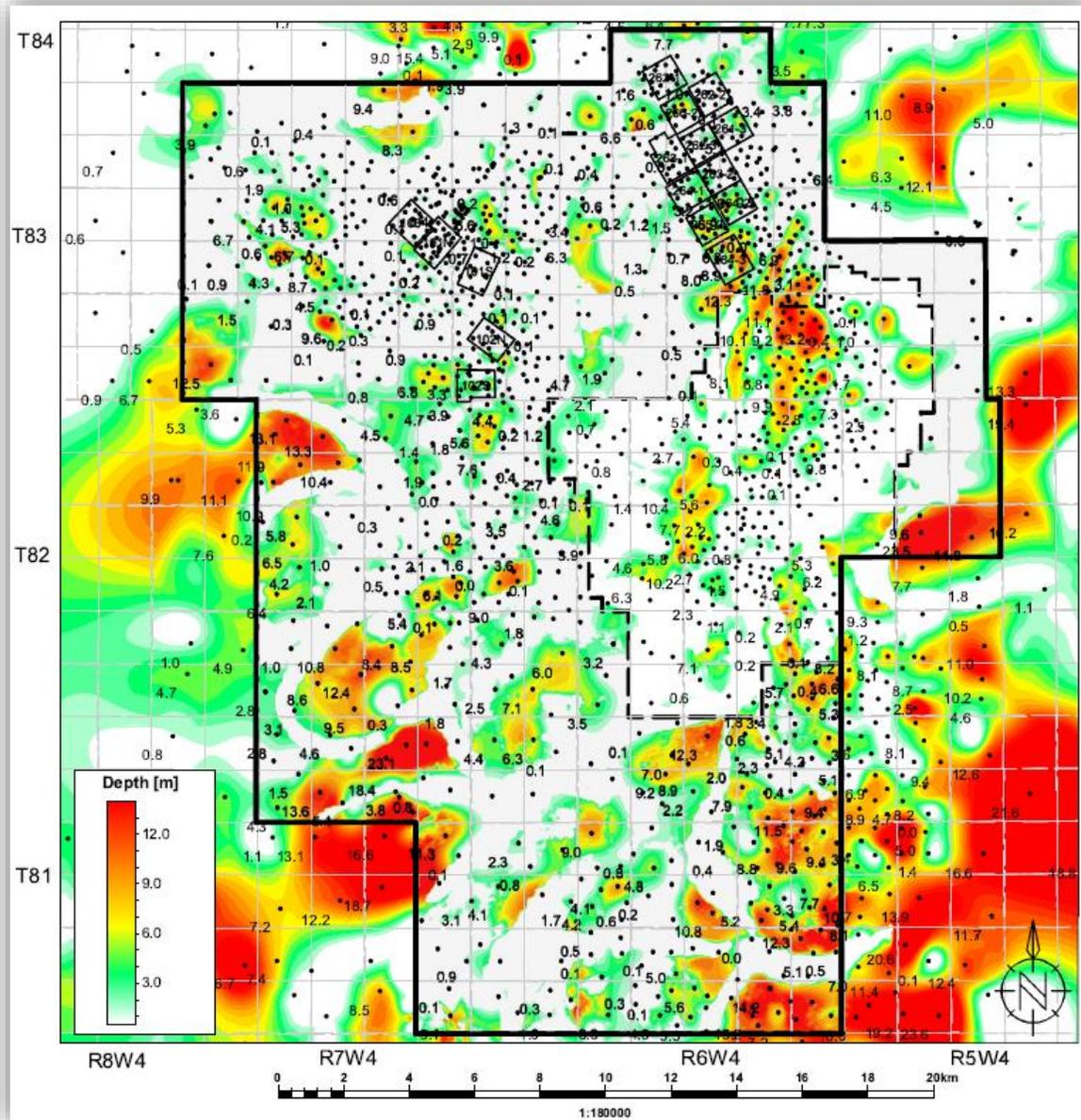


$$\text{OBIP} = \text{Thickness} \times \text{Phie} \times \text{So} \times \text{Area}$$

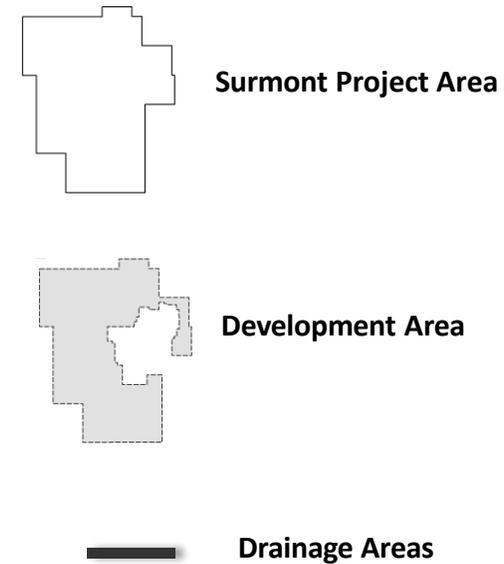
Properties	Development Area
NCB Thickness Range	0 to Greater than 30 m
Phie in NCB	31.73%
So in NCB	75.79%
OBIP in NCB > 18m	13916.67 MMbbls Deterministic

Net Pay Isopach

Development Area Maps: Net Top Gas Interval

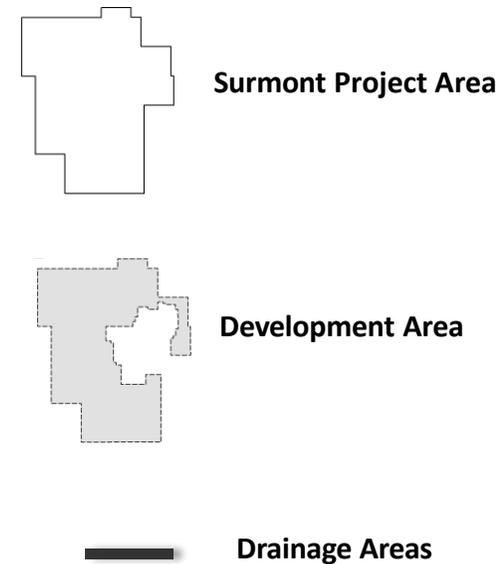
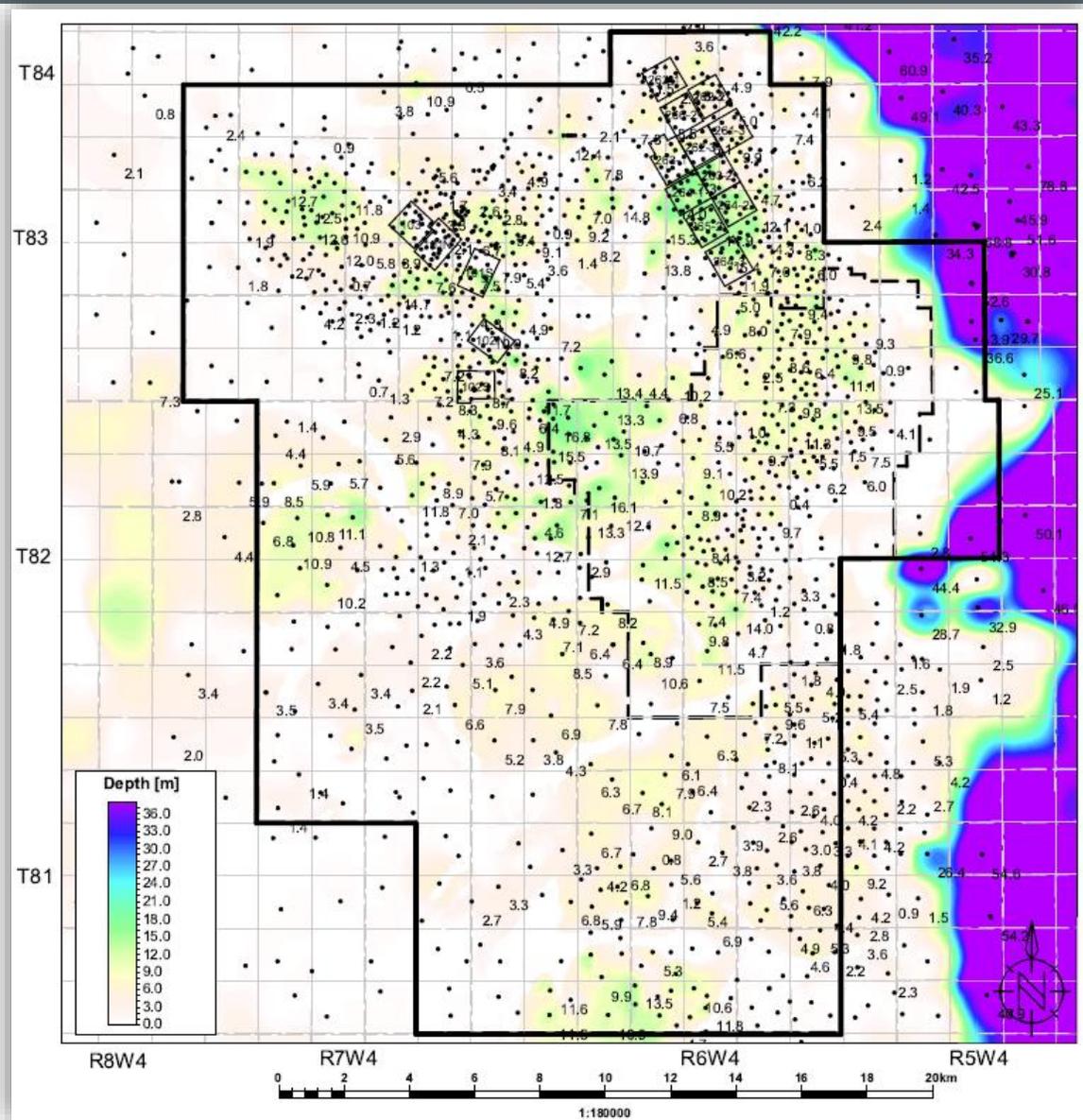


Net Top Gas Isopach



Net Top Gas Thickness =
Sands have Deep Resistivity ≥ 10 Ohm-m and
Vsh $< 65\%$

Development Area Maps: Major Water Intervals (Net Top Water)

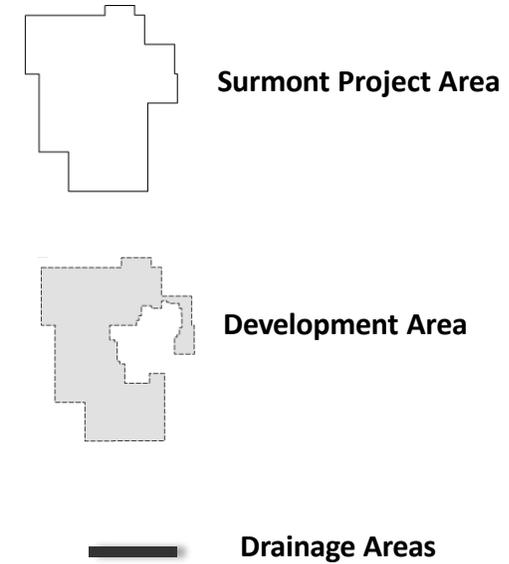
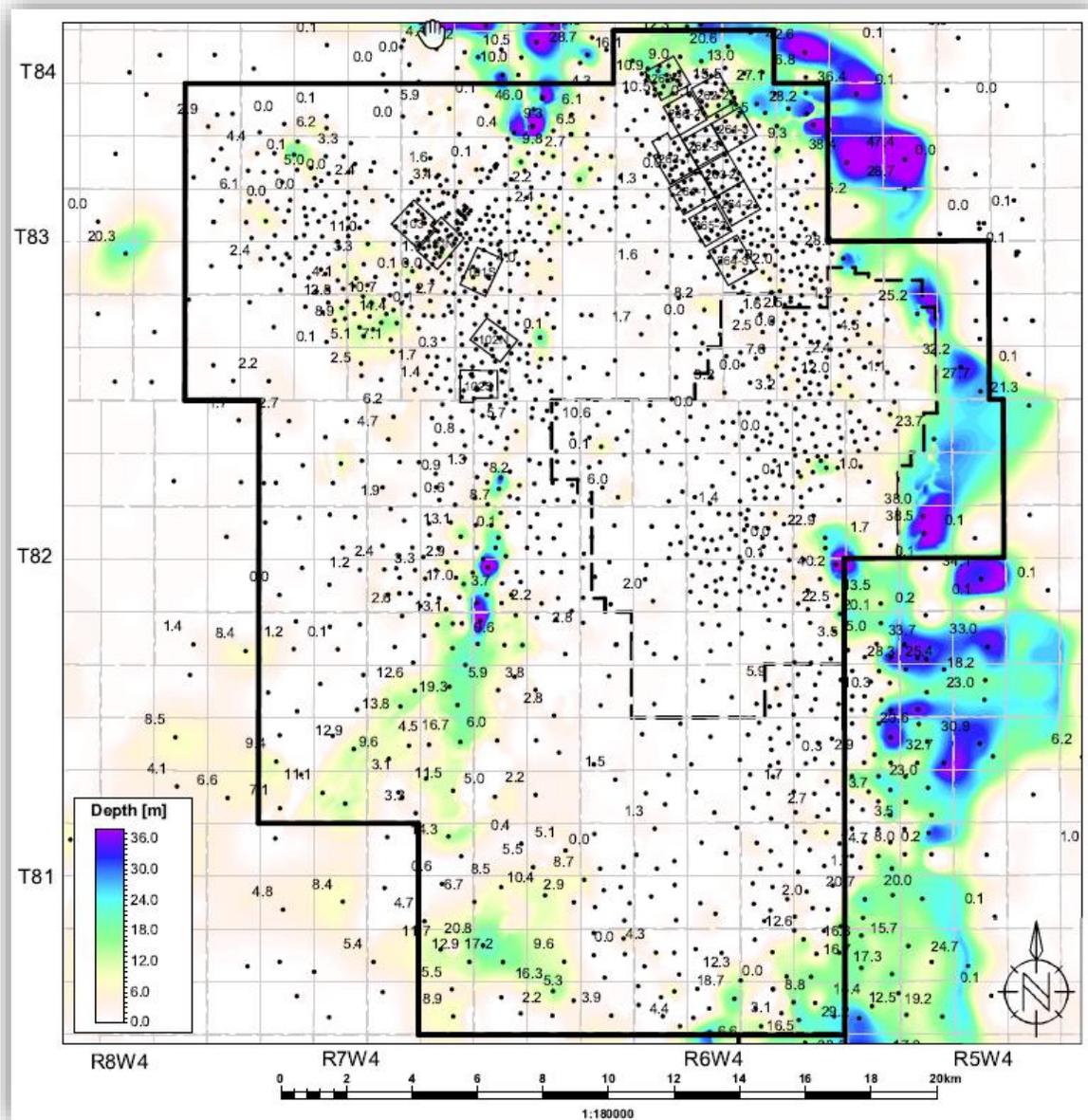


Net Top Water thickness = sands having

- Deep Resistivity < 10 Ω -m, and
- Vsh < 45%

Net Top Water Isopach

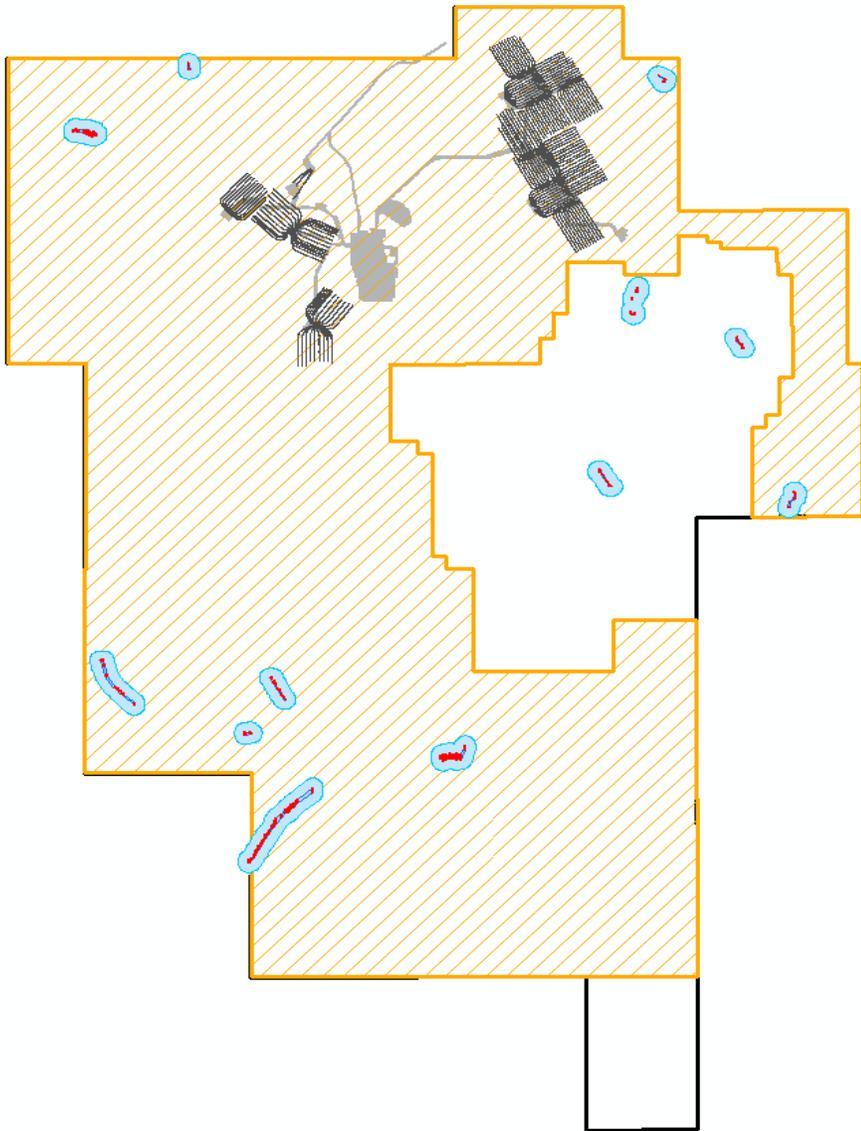
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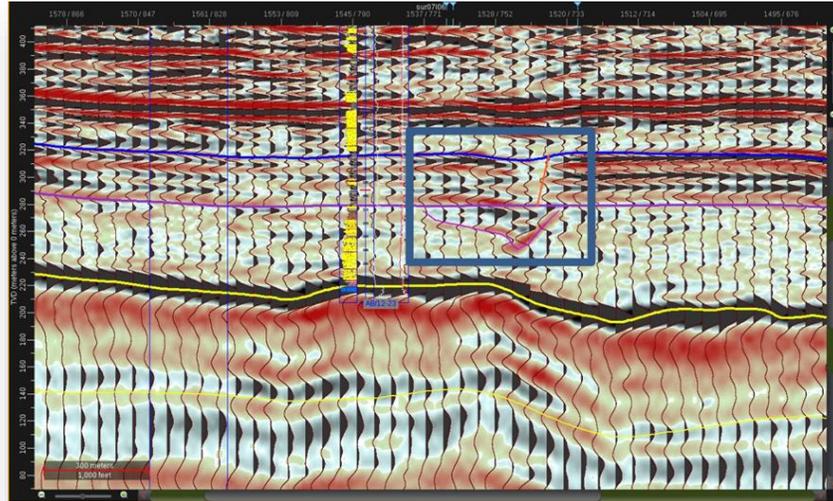
Net Bottom Water Isopach



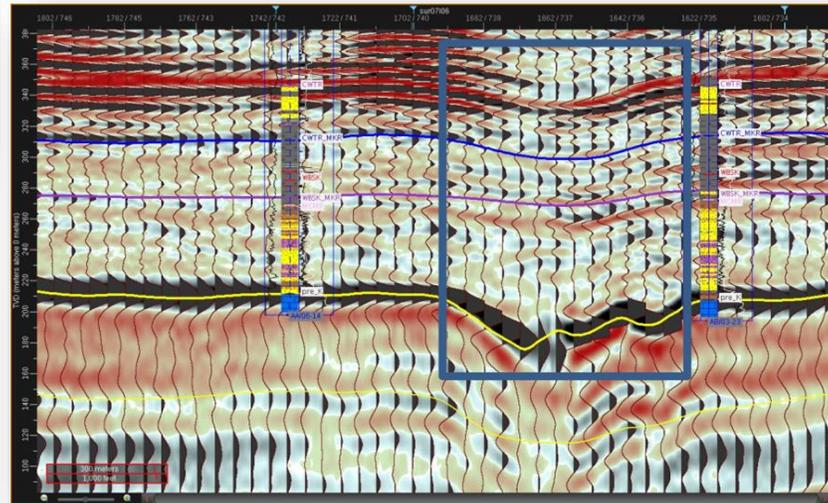
CAPROCK GEOTECHNICAL HAZARD ANALYSIS

- No new seismic discontinuities have been identified within the Surmont development area since the submission of Lifecycle Application No. 1922683.
- The three highest risk structural mechanisms for caprock integrity are:
 - 1) caprock faulting or fracturing,
 - 2) post-caprock dissolution of the Prairie Evaporite, and
 - 3) post-caprock karsting of underlying Devonian carbonates.
- None of these features are present within the near-term development area. Discontinuities will be investigated prior to pad development activities in those areas.

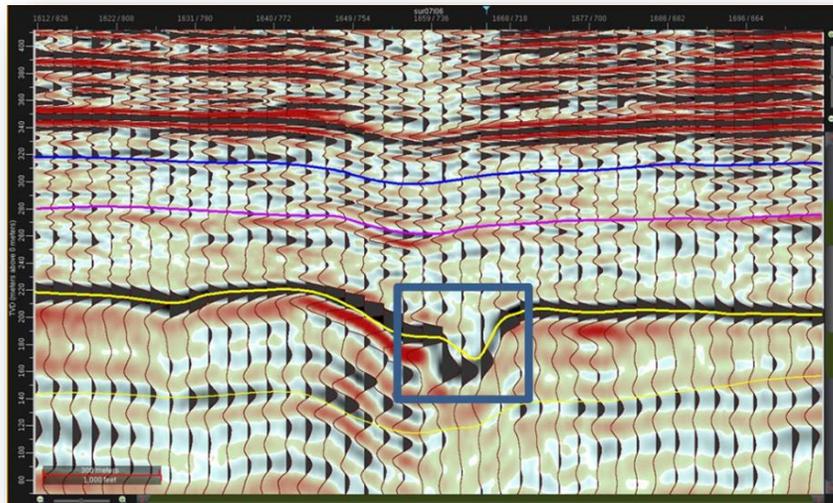
Development Area Maps: Potential Geomechanical Anomalies



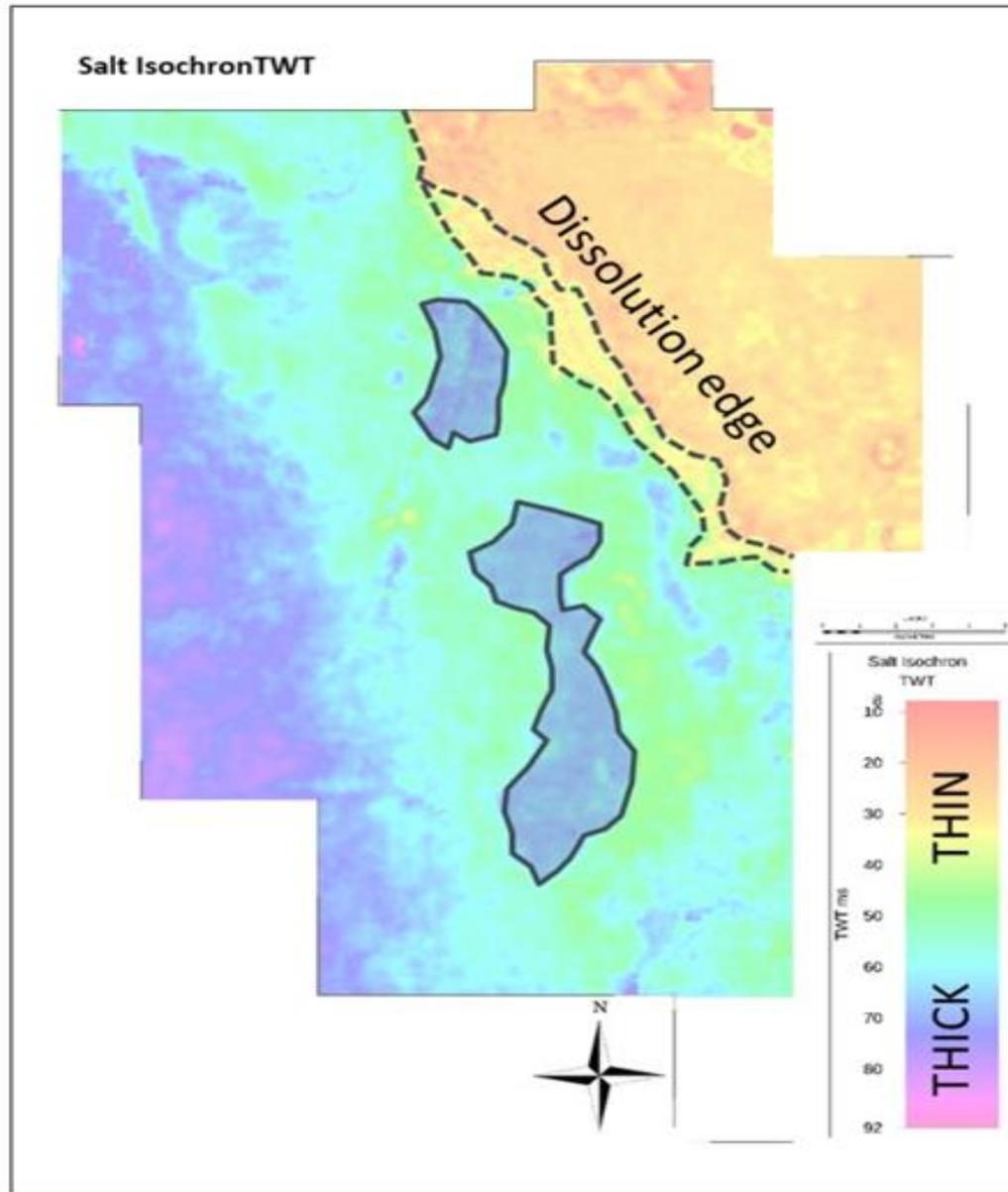
- 1) Caprock seismic discontinuities due to Differential Compaction of McMurray mud abandoned channels



- 2) Post caprock Dissolution of the Prairie Evaporite, Cold Lake, or Lotsberg Salts



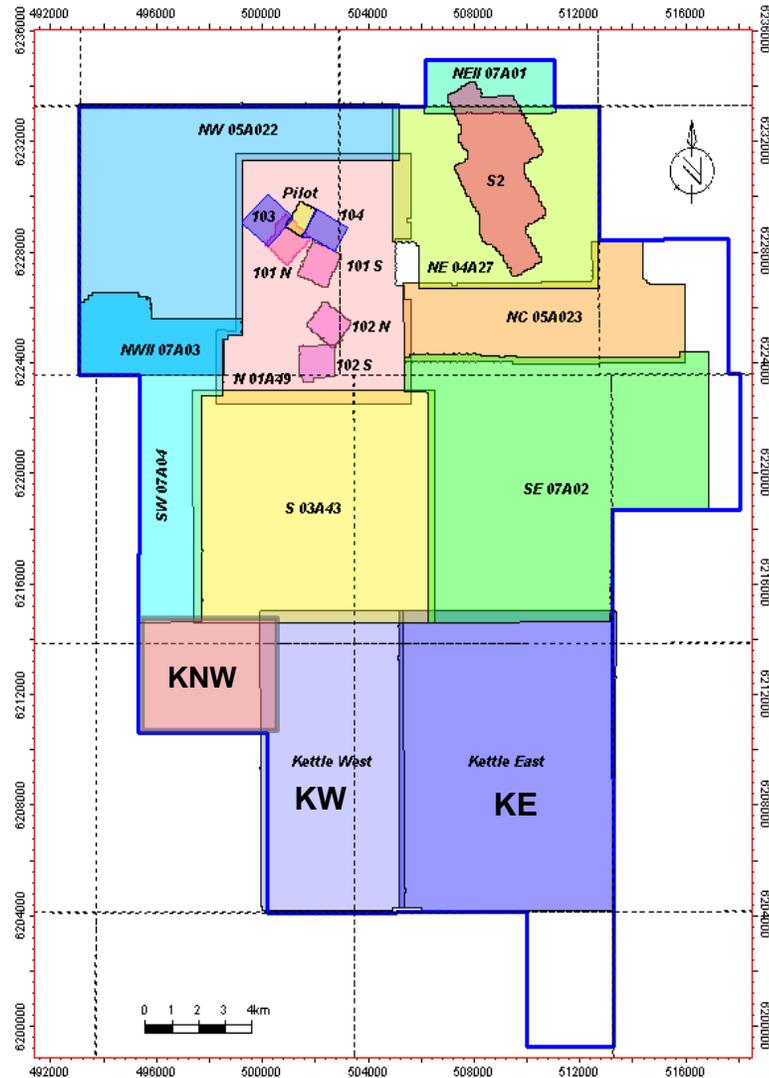
- 3) Post caprock Karsting of underlying Devonian carbonates



MAP OF MAJOR DISSOLUTION

- Seismically interpreted isochron of Prairie Evaporite at Surmont illustrating areas of major dissolution

Development Area Maps: Existing Seismic Acquisition



3D SEISMIC AT SURMONT

Existing Seismic

	3D	km ²	Shots	S-R line	S-R
N	60	17 004	60	60x30	
S	75	33 668	80x120	24x18	
NE	50	24 512	120x80	24x18	
NW	65	29 906	80(160)x120	20x20	
NC	33	24 009	60(120)x80	20x20	
NEII	9	3 598	120x80	24x18	
NWII	14	4 394	160x120	20x20	
SW	23	7 236	160x120	20x20	
SE	86	54 801	80x100	20x20	
KNW	22	9 543	120x80	20x20	
KW	58	24 690	120x80	20x20	
KE	85	55 808	80x80	20x20	
	580	289 169			

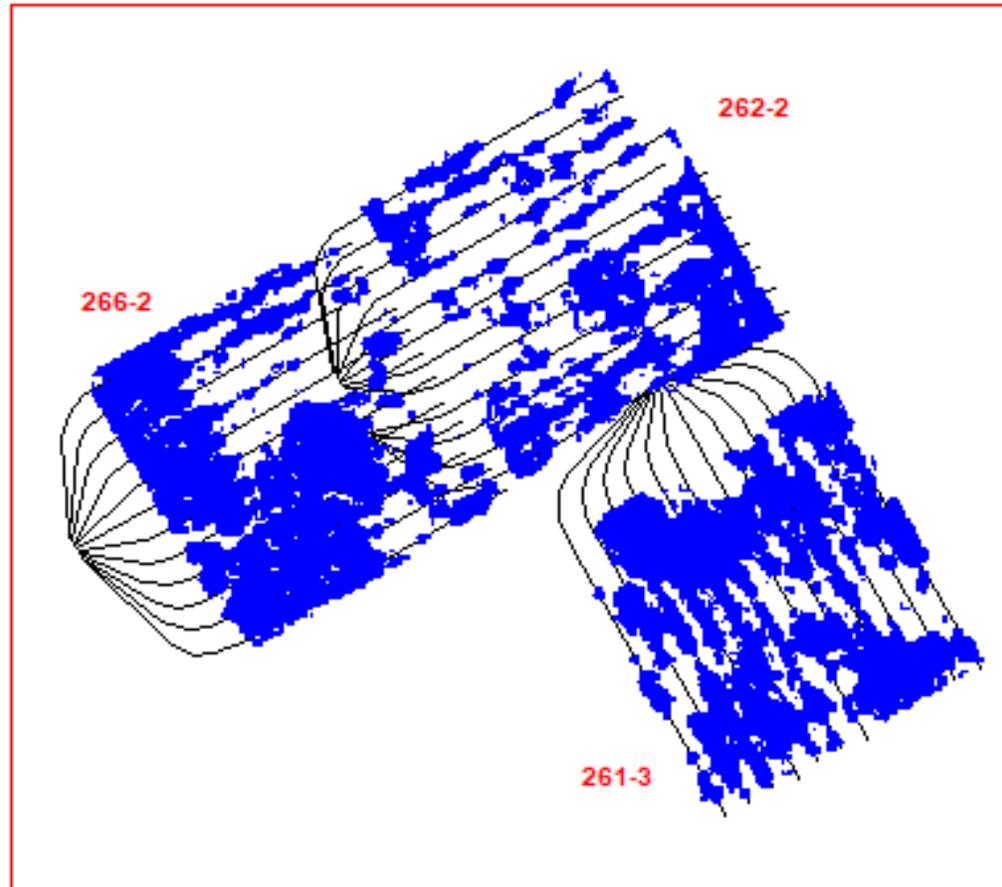
4D SEISMIC AT SURMONT

Existing Seismic

	4D	km ²	S-R	# Monitors
101N	1.8	10x10	9	
101S	1.8	10x10	9	
102N	1.6	20x20	10	
102S	1.7	20x20	7	
103	1.9	20x20	4	
S2	15.0	20x20	3 (*)	
	23.8		42	

(*) Average # Monitor per DA in S2

S2 4D Monitor – Spring 2020

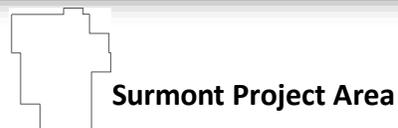
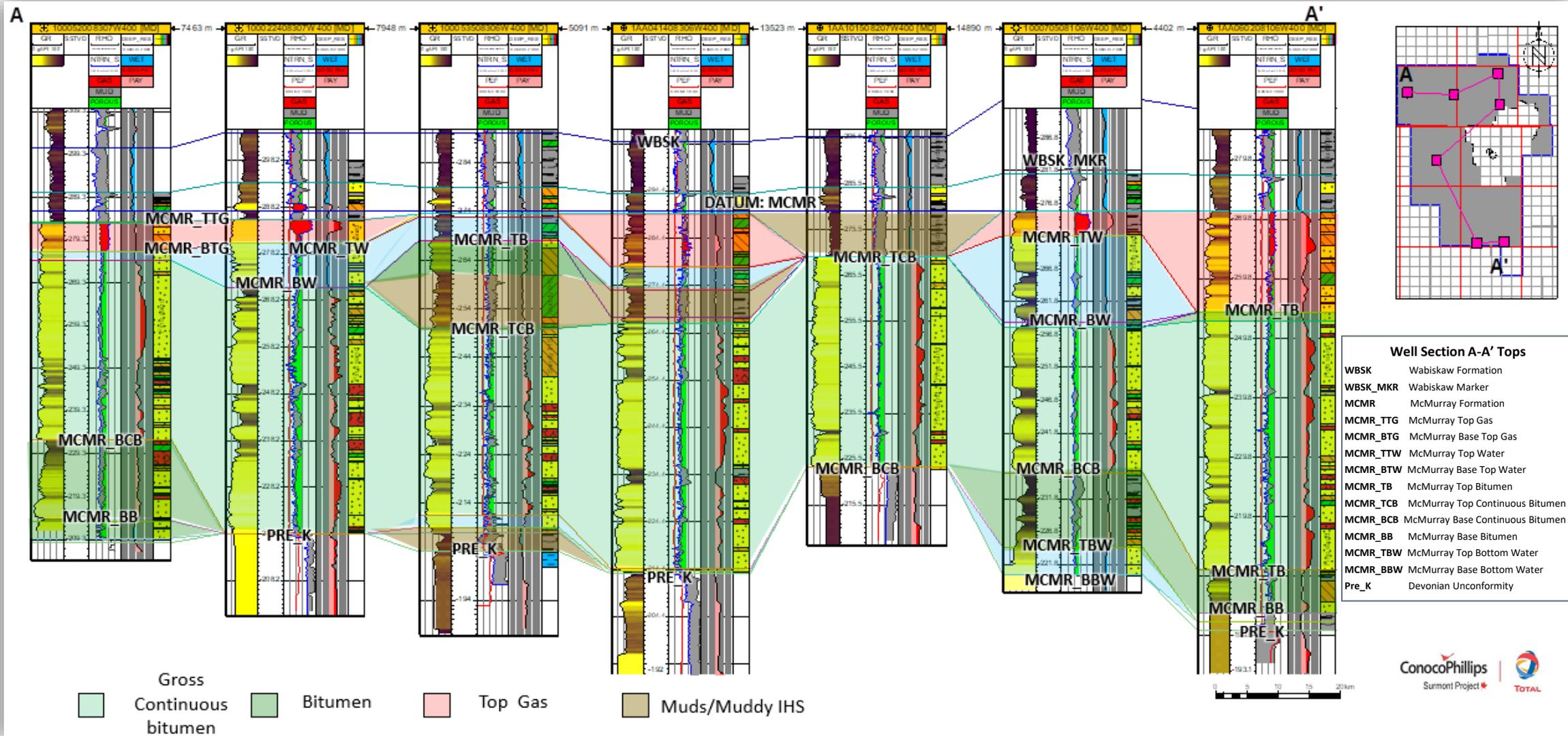


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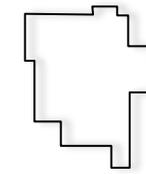
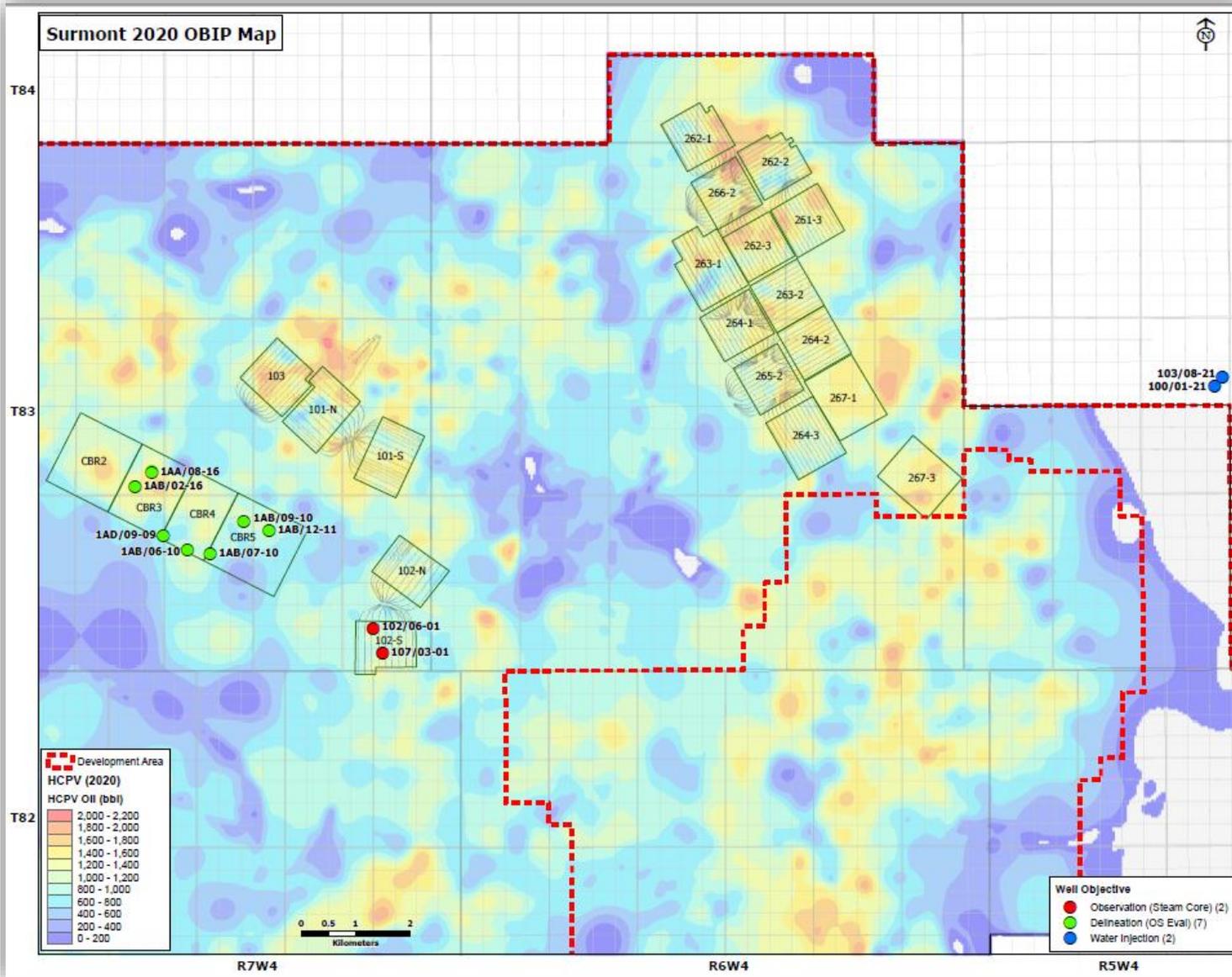
4D Monitors Spring 2020

4D	S-R	# Monitors
S2 / 266-2	20x20	2 nd
S2 / 262-2	20x20	3 rd
S2 / 261-3	20x20	3 rd

Representative Well Cross-Section A - A'



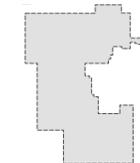
Original Bitumen in Place



Surmont Lease



Project Area



Development Area

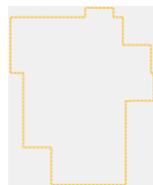


Drainage Areas

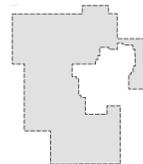
Region	MMBBLs
Surmont Lease	20822.54
Project Area	20606.04
Development Area	16262.24
101N	64.52
102N	50.56
103	71.36
101S	66.89
102S	51.04
261-3	69.67
262-1	63.42
262-2	61.82
262-3	67.49
263-1	75.18
263-2	65.00
264-1	67.21
264-2	68.03
264-3	69.09
265-2	55.97
266-2	67.83

Well Patterns, Bitumen Recovery & Reservoir Parameters

Properties	Depth (masl)	Area (m2)	Thickness NCB (m)	Phie in NCB %	So in NCB %	KH in NCB (mD)	KV in NCB (mD)	Initial Pressure (KPa)	Original Bitumen in Place (MMBBLs)	Producible Oil in Place (MMBBLs)	Expected RF	Current RF
Project Area	~256.1	561632100	23.5	31.9%	77.0%	4158	3459		20606.0	16897.6	50%	1.6%
Dev Area	~255.8	457757230	22.9	31.8%	76.6%	4107	3415		16262.2	13241.6	50%	2.0%
101N	277.5 - 212.1	1090775	35.5	32.6%	82.4%	4350	3614	1690	64.5	54.5	50%	39.2%
101S	272.9 - 218.4	1064692	37.4	33.2%	80.4%	5482	4604	1684	66.9	60.8	59%	53.6%
102N	276.3 - 223.9	975251	31.1	32.7%	80.3%	4636	3877	1735	50.6	45.5	50%	46.9%
102S	285.0 - 223.6	1019252	34.2	31.3%	74.3%	4001	3290	1800	51.0	46.3	74%	68.9%
103	272.8 - 211.4	1022239	42.8	32.2%	78.6%	4441	3691	1691	71.4	66.0	50%	37.8%
261-3	271.0 - 201.8	1000542	44.8	32.0%	78.1%	4342	3562	1328	69.7	50.8	50%	21.4%
262-1	273.6 - 206.1	996252	39.6	31.7%	80.1%	4195	3471	1307	63.4	51.3	50%	32.1%
262-2	271.8 - 212.6	974291	38.6	33.1%	78.6%	5239	4420	1296	61.8	53.6	50%	18.8%
262-3	271.5 - 208.6	943213	44.3	32.8%	78.2%	4968	4140	1368	67.5	60.3	50%	9.8%
263-1	272.1 - 211	1271315	36.1	33.0%	79.4%	4966	4170	1404	75.2	56.6	50%	34.2%
263-2	275.4 - 212.9	998219	40.9	32.4%	78.1%	4769	3979	1397	65.0	57.3	50%	21.8%
264-1	271.1 - 213.5	1033834	39.5	32.9%	79.7%	5148	4338	1444	67.2	59.4	50%	13.9%
264-2	269.2 - 213.7	1011337	42.1	32.7%	78.2%	4763	3965	1437	68.0	63.1	50%	14.1%
264-3	281.2 - 207.6	1209485	37.5	32.0%	75.6%	4446	3683	1564	69.1	62.9	50%	23.4%
265-2	271.5 - 215.5	917433	38.8	32.5%	76.8%	4917	4101	1496	56.0	43.9	50%	39.0%
266-2	276.2 - 210.2	949974	43.0	32.8%	80.1%	4925	4121	1337	67.8	57.9	50%	27.3%



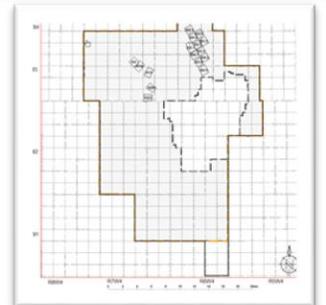
Project Area



Development Area



Drainage Areas



▶ Casing Integrity

- Four casing failures detected during the reporting period
 - 3 SAGD injector wells during shut in period from May-August 2020
 - Identified through well performance and monitoring and verified with caliper logging and pressure testing
 - Failures were reported in DDS and the AER was engaged for appropriate repair plans
 - Observation well failure within the McMurray formation
 - Detected through observation of thermocouple string and verified through caliper logging and pressure testing
 - Failure was reported in DDS and the AER was engaged for appropriate repair plans

▶ Surface Casing Vent Flow/Gas Migration

- 5 new SCVF/GM issues on SAGD wells during the reporting period
 - Gas samples collected for isotope analysis against database of known samples and diagnostics completed to verify source of all SCVF/GM issues
 - Failures reported in DDS
 - Total of 11 open SCVF/GM issues on all SAGD wells, all classified as non-serious

▶ Wellhead Integrity

- Scheduled wellhead preventative maintenance program
- Active wellhead valve inspection program to identify compromised valves
 - Five wellhead valves were changed out due to freezing/thermal expansion, no release of well fluids
- Proceeding with wellhead valve upgrade to reduce freezing/thermal expansion events

Workovers & Recompletions

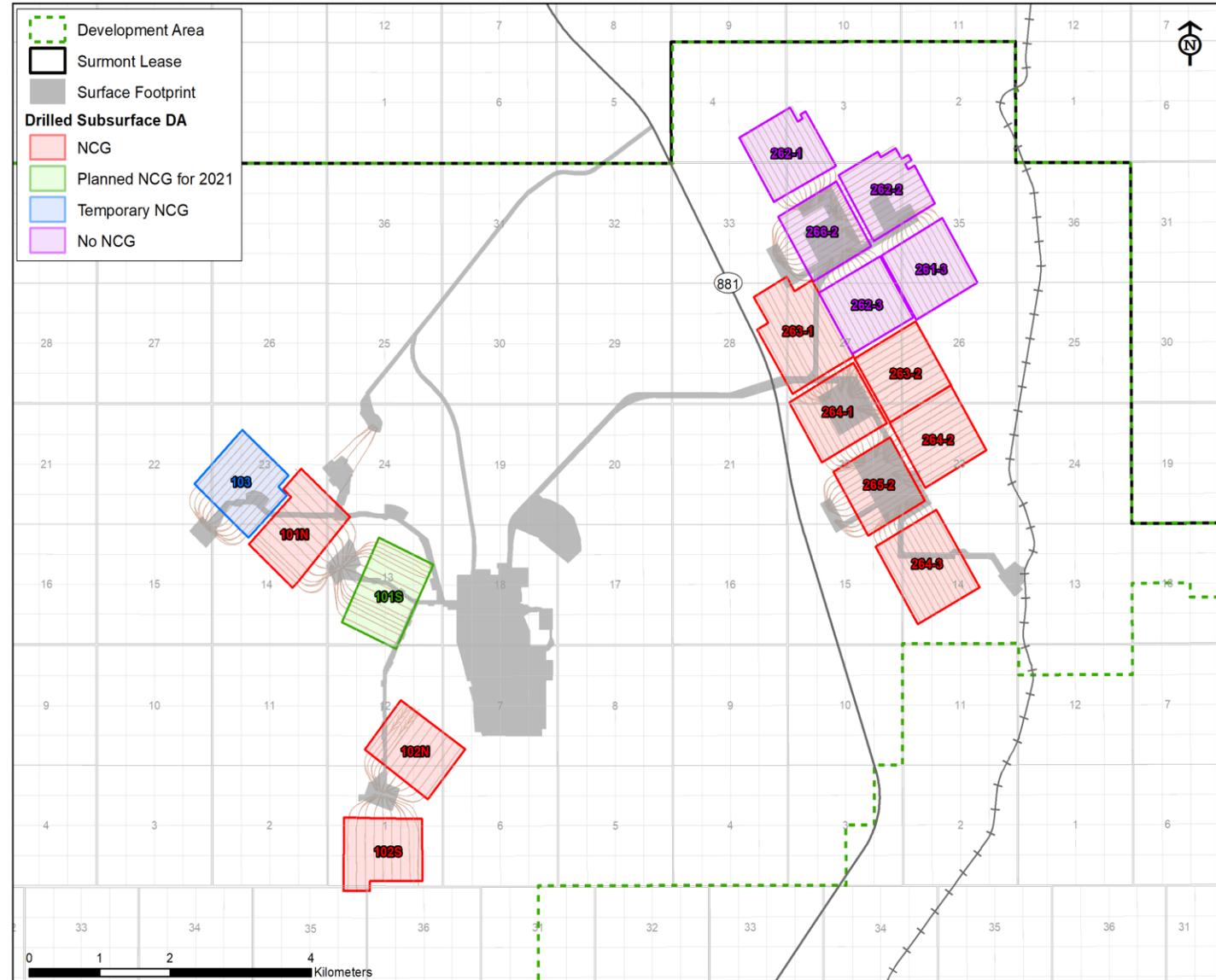
▶ All re-drills pushed to 2021

▶ Well Workovers:

Well	Date	Scope	Status
262-3 P12	Feb-20	Clean out sand/Caliper/Straddle packer FCD liner failure	Completed and back online in March 2020
266-2 P06	Nov-20	Clean out sand/Caliper/Patch FCD liner failure	Not finished by December 31. To be completed in 2021
266-2 P09	Nov-20	Clean out sand/Caliper/Straddle packer FCD liner failure	Completed and back online in December 2020
263-2 P08	Nov-20	Clean out sand/Straddle packer in-zone liner/casing issue	Completed and back online in December 2020
264-1 P12	Nov-20	Clean out sand/Caliper/install plug at toe of liner	Completed and back online in December 2020
101-P16	Dec-20	Clean out sand/Caliper/Straddle packer slotted liner failure	Unable to be cleaned out. Investigating options in 2021

Co-Injection

- Non-Condensable Gas (NCG) co-injection was deployed in the wells indicated on the next two slides for pressure support in the steam chambers and as mitigation for top water thief zones where pressure balance and steam loss can be a challenge. In both scenarios, NCG has proven to be a successful technology yielding optimization of SOR.
- NCG has reduced SOR on pads with top water and reduced the temporary SOR impact of re-pressurizing pads under a top water thief zone.
- NCG was injected at an average of 20,000-43,000 Sm³/d on a per subsurface pad basis. NCG rates vary with recovery factor and injectivity; larger steam chambers have greater volumes of gas injected.
- NCG was also used to re-pressurize pads after shut-downs in 2020.
- NCG was online at Pad 103 for re-pressurization purposes in 2020 - no continuous injection.
- Pipeline specification natural gas from TCPL pipeline is used for NCG co-injection. Surface metering of produced gas is poor and there is no distinction between steam and hydrocarbon gas; therefore, a recovery percentage cannot be estimated.



Wells with NCG Co-Injection

WELL	ALIAS	LICENSE_ID	WELL	ALIAS	LICENSE_ID
103141408307W400	101-08(02)	AB0399948	102020108307W400	102-13	AB0314293
100141408307W400	101-09(01)	AB0399895	102030108307W400	102-14	AB0314284
100022308307W400	101-10(03)	AB0399898	104030108307W400	102-15	AB0328617
103022308307W400	101-11(04)	AB0399984	100163508207W400	102-16	AB0389690
105022308307W400	101-12(05)	AB0400047	103163508207W400	102-17	AB0390761
107022308307W400	101-13(06)	AB0400089	105163508207W400	102-18	AB0390814
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103040708306W400	102-08	AB0390802	109072308307W400	103-11	AB0458607
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108020108307W400	102-11	AB0409009	105092808306W400	263-1-02	AB0449467
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Wells with NCG Co-Injection

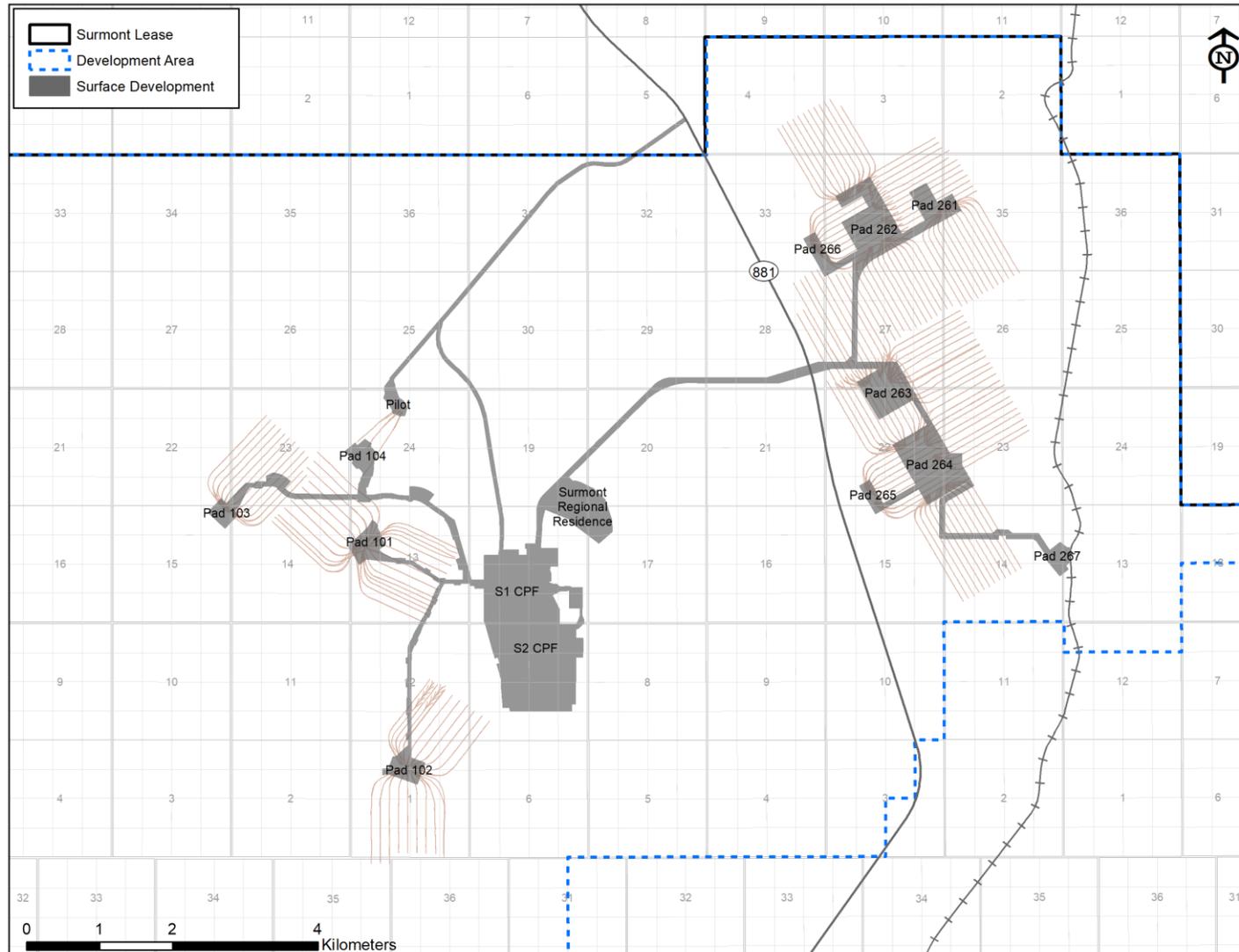
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Surface

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Surface Infrastructure: Built & In Progress



▶ S1/S2 CENTRAL PROCESSING FACILITIES

▶ WELL PADS - BUILT

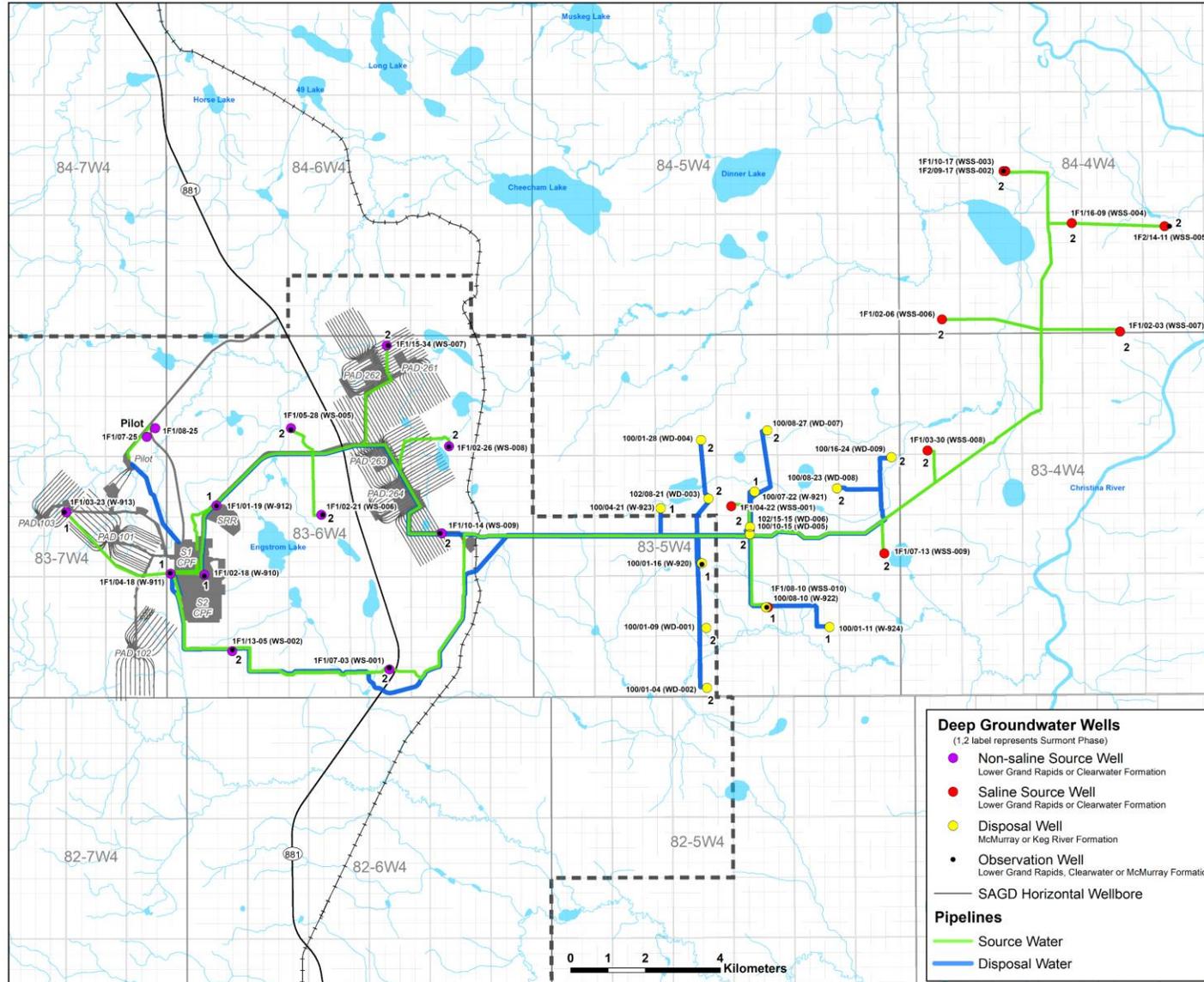
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▶ WELL PADS – IN PROGRESS

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▶ SURMONT REGIONAL RESIDENCE

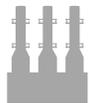
Surface Infrastructure: Water Source & Disposal Wells



2020 Surmont Operations

GENERAL

- Facility throughput guided by AER curtailment for Q1
- Market conditions in May led to a curtailment in rates – production increased back to normal levels in September
- No new surface technologies were trialed during the reporting period



SURMONT PHASE 1

- Full plant outage May 1 – September 7
- Planned maintenance executed in August

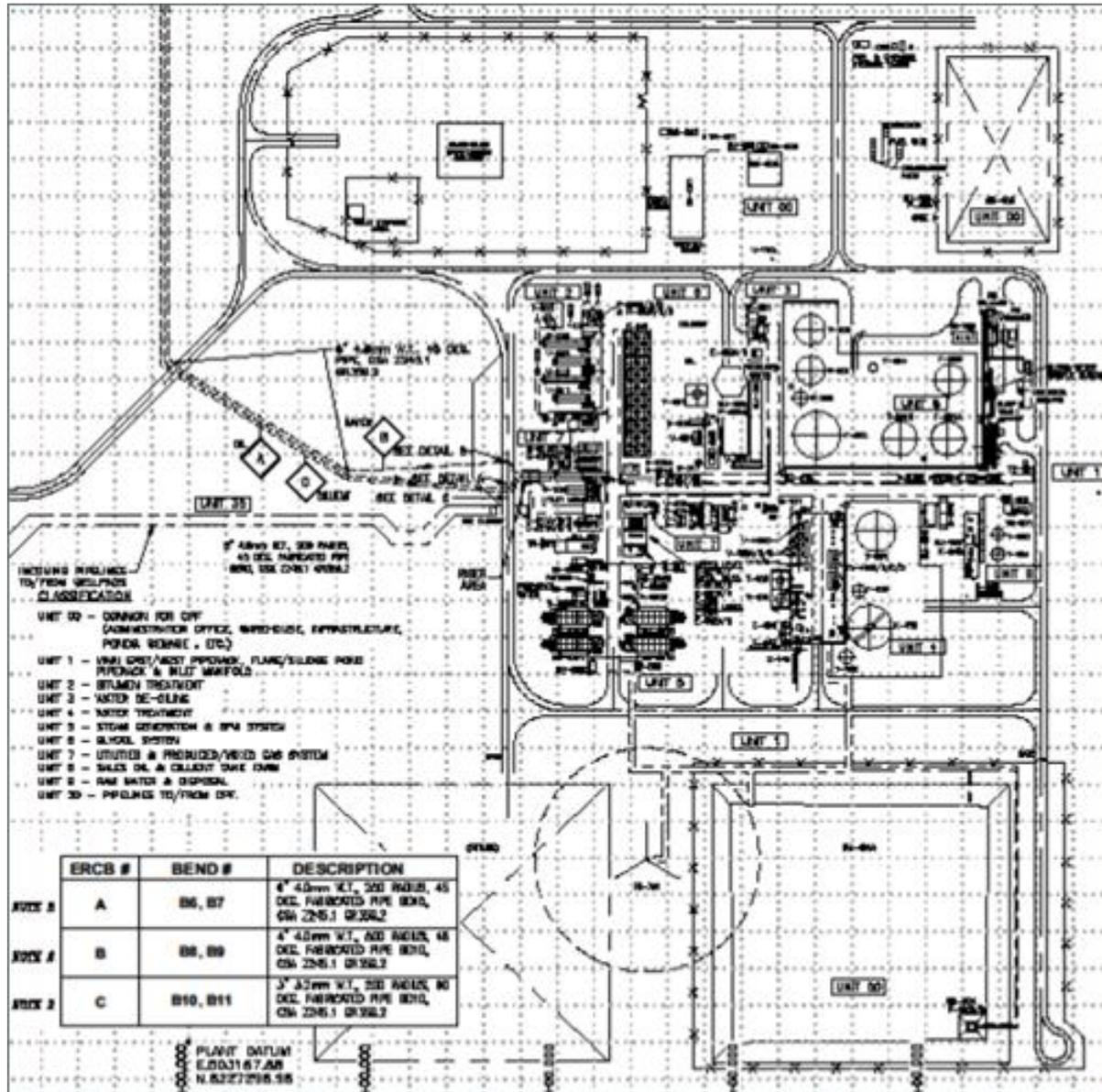


SURMONT PHASE 2

- Operational challenges due to high variability in production rates

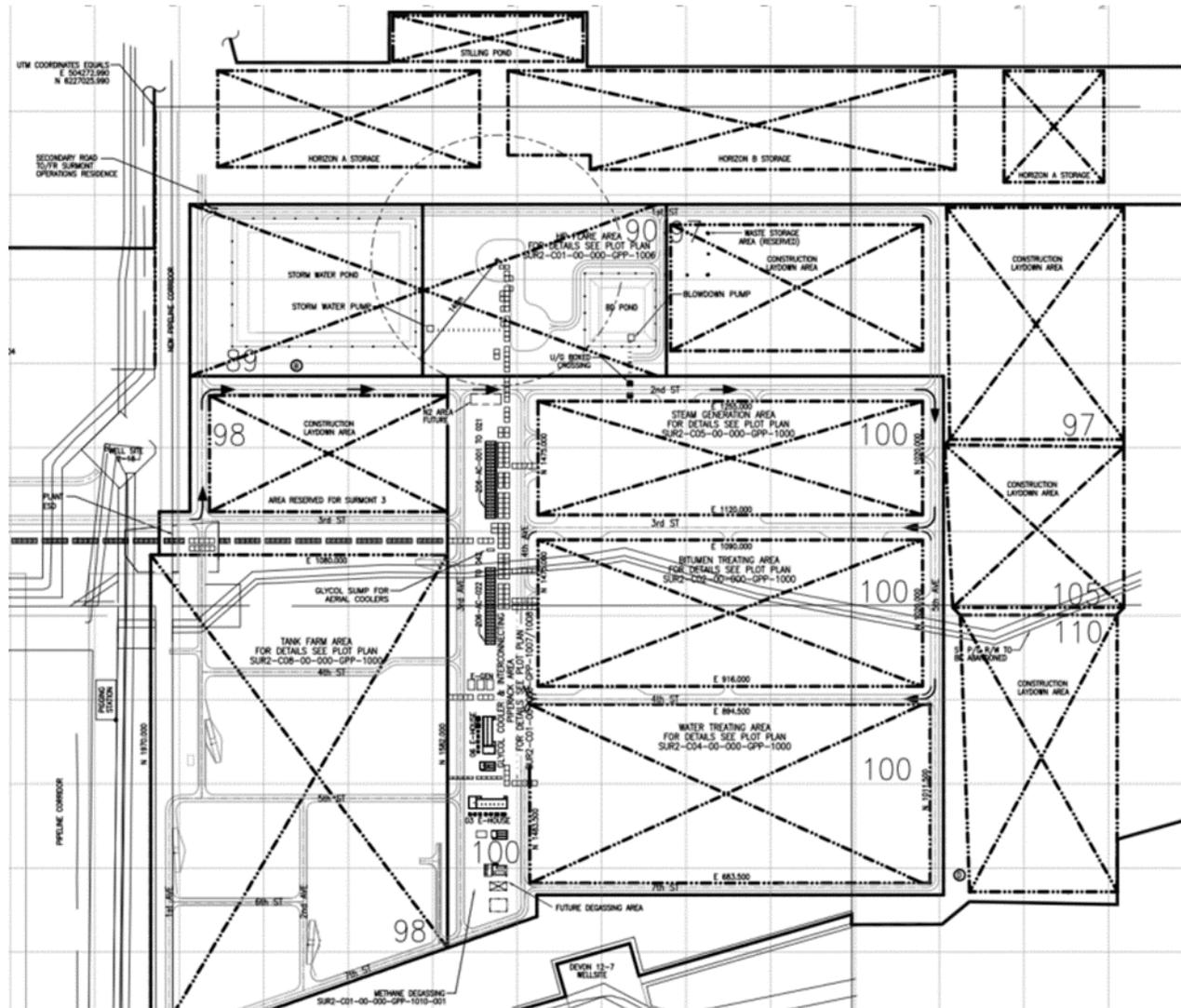


CPF Modifications: Surmont Phase 1 Plot Plan



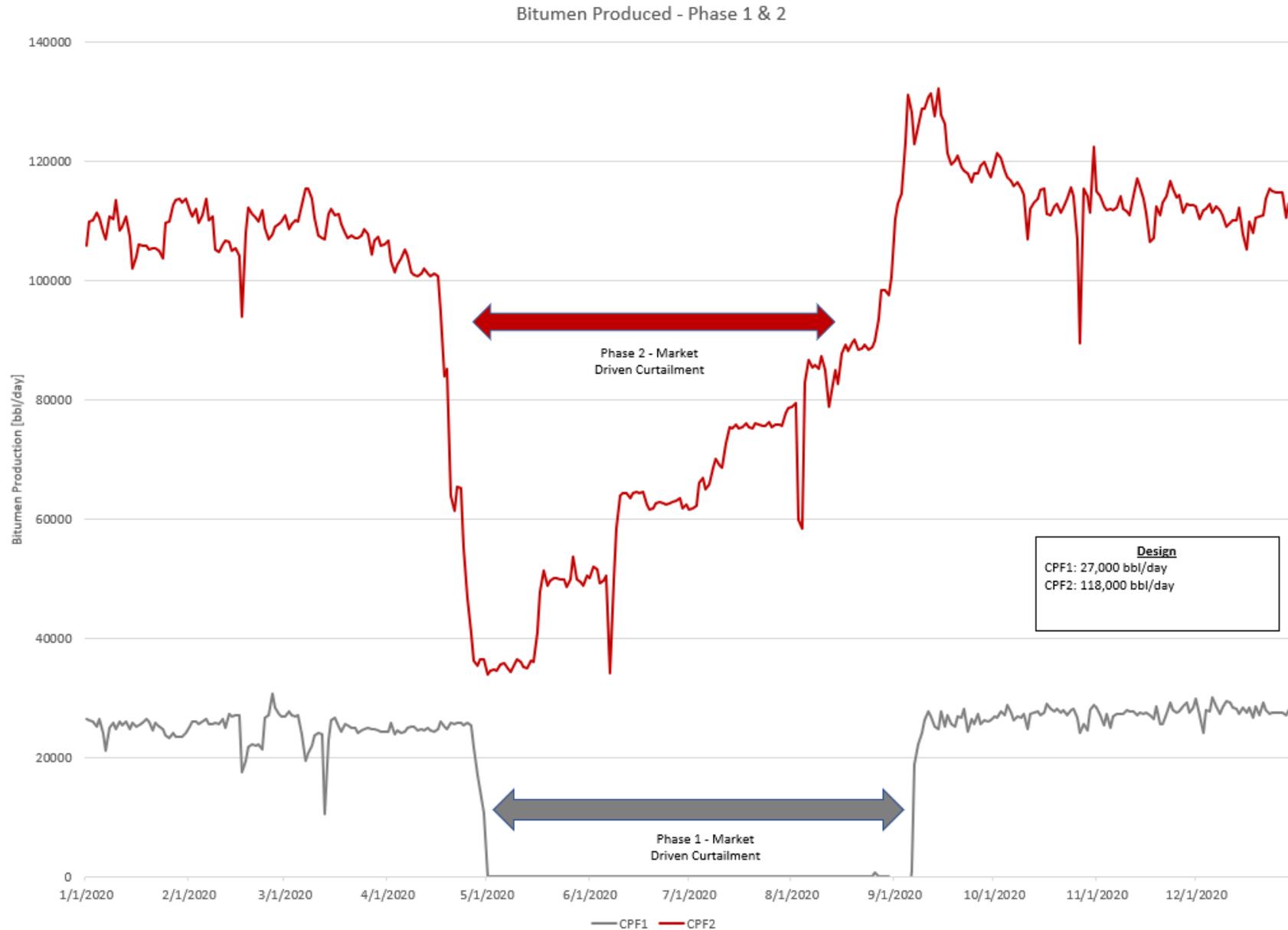
➤ No modifications to the S1 CPF during the 2020 reporting period required an AER application approval.

CPF Modifications: Surmont Phase 2 Plot Plan

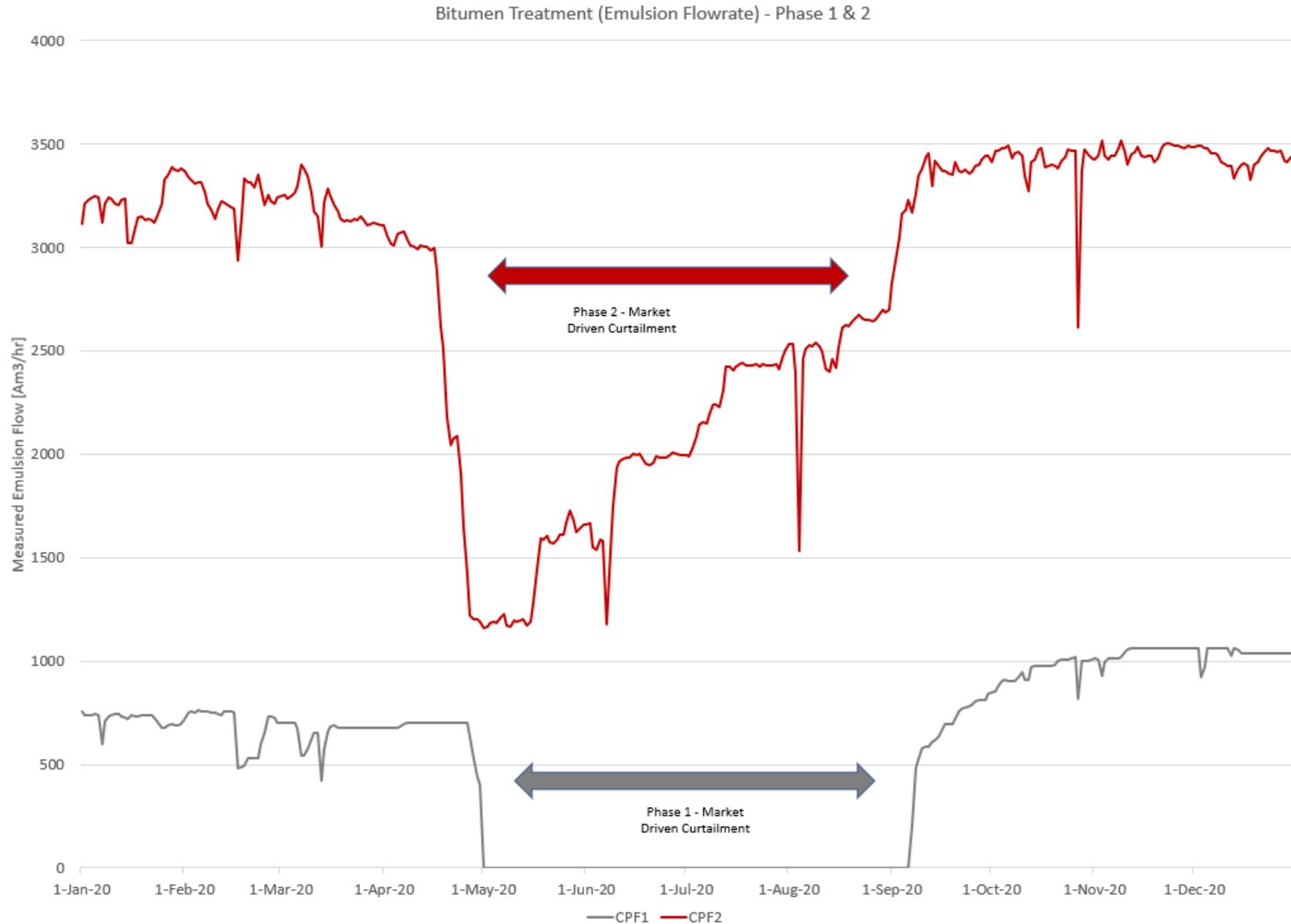


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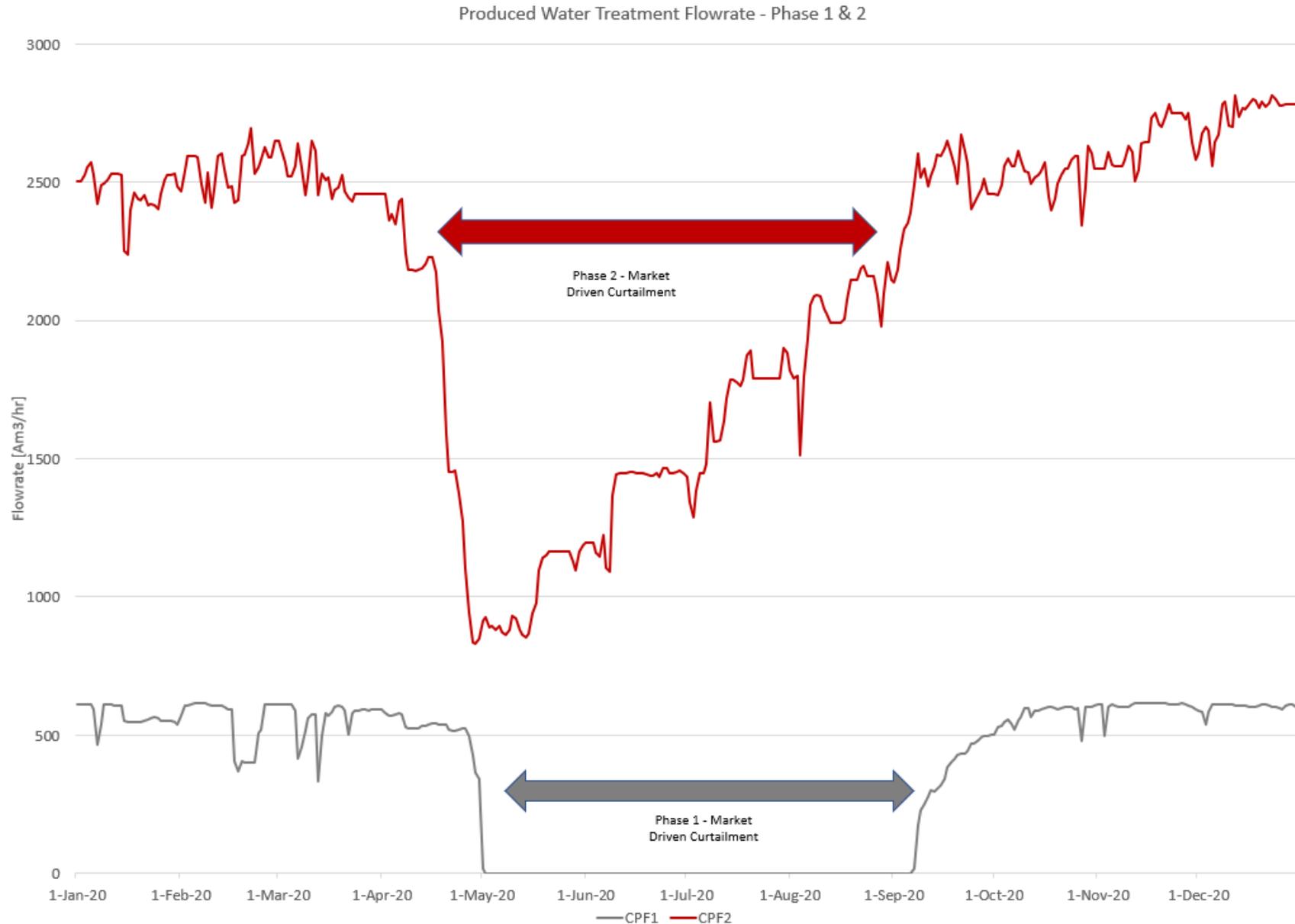
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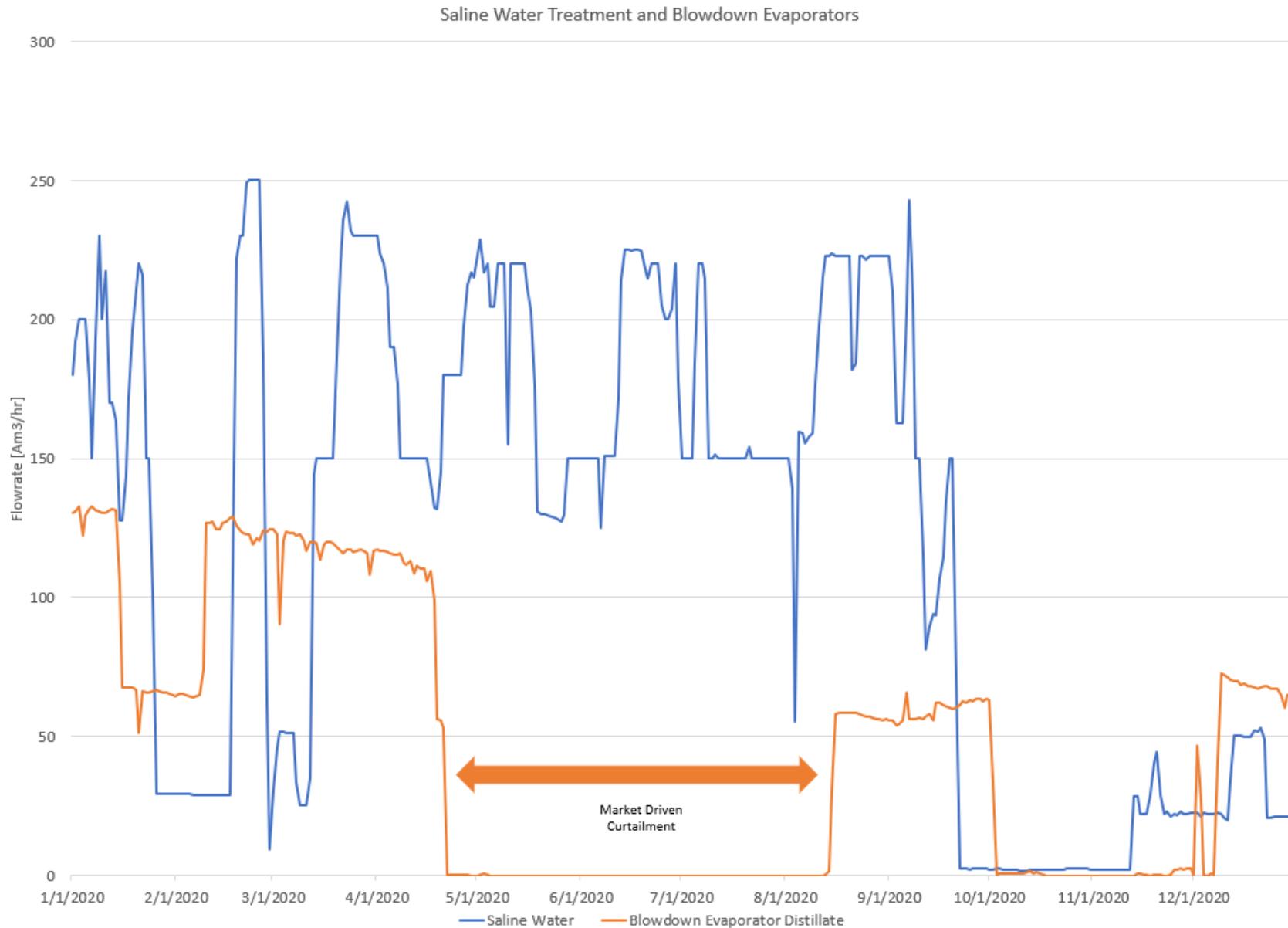
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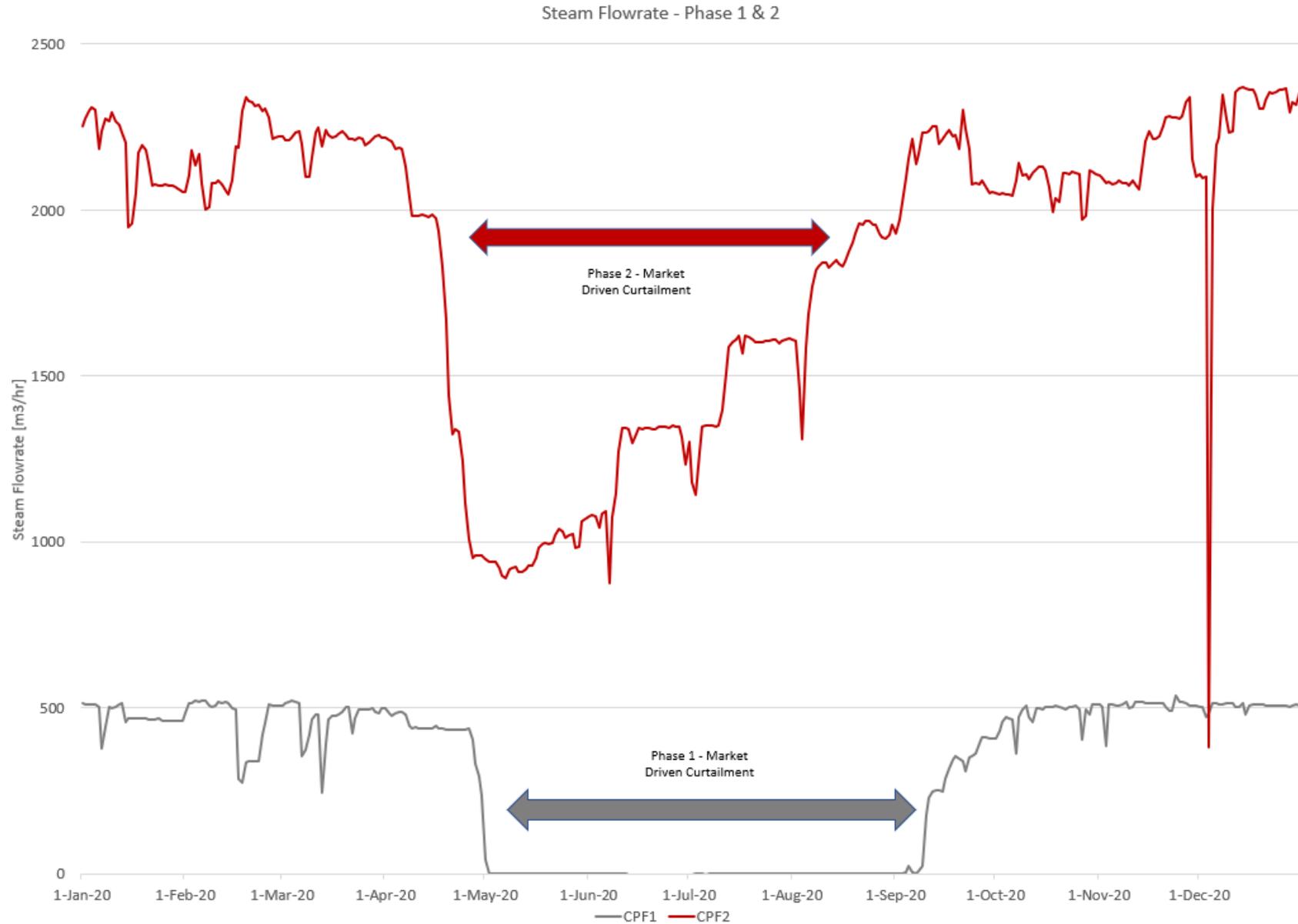
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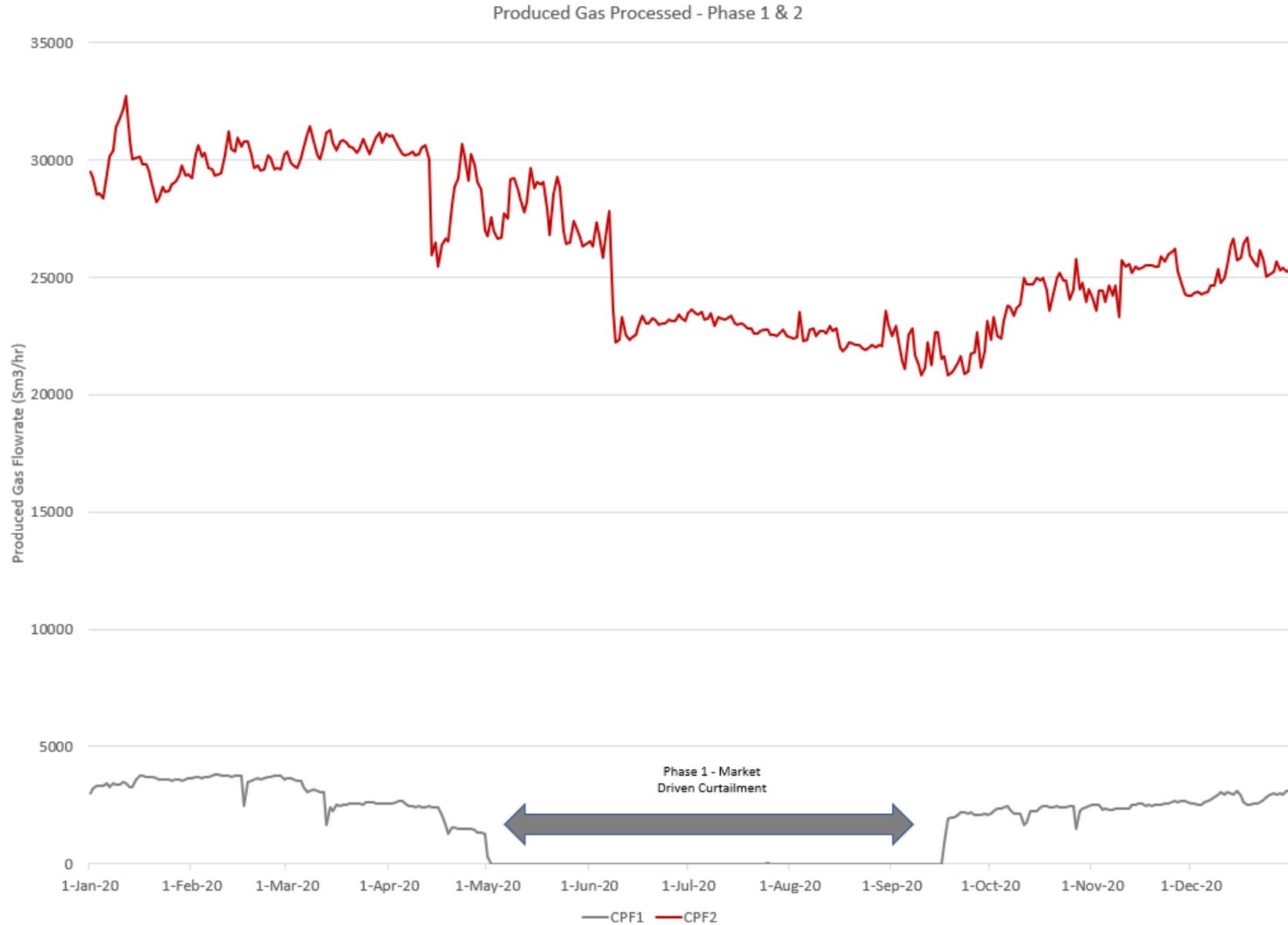
Facility Performance: Saline Water Treatment and Blowdown Evaporators



Facility Performance: Steam Production by CPF



Facility Performance: Produced Gas Production by CPF



Surmont Water Source & Disposal Wells

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Class 1b Disposal Approval No. 10044M



Surmont Phase 1 and Phase 2 Water Source Wells

Surmont Phase 1 Non-Saline Water Source Wells

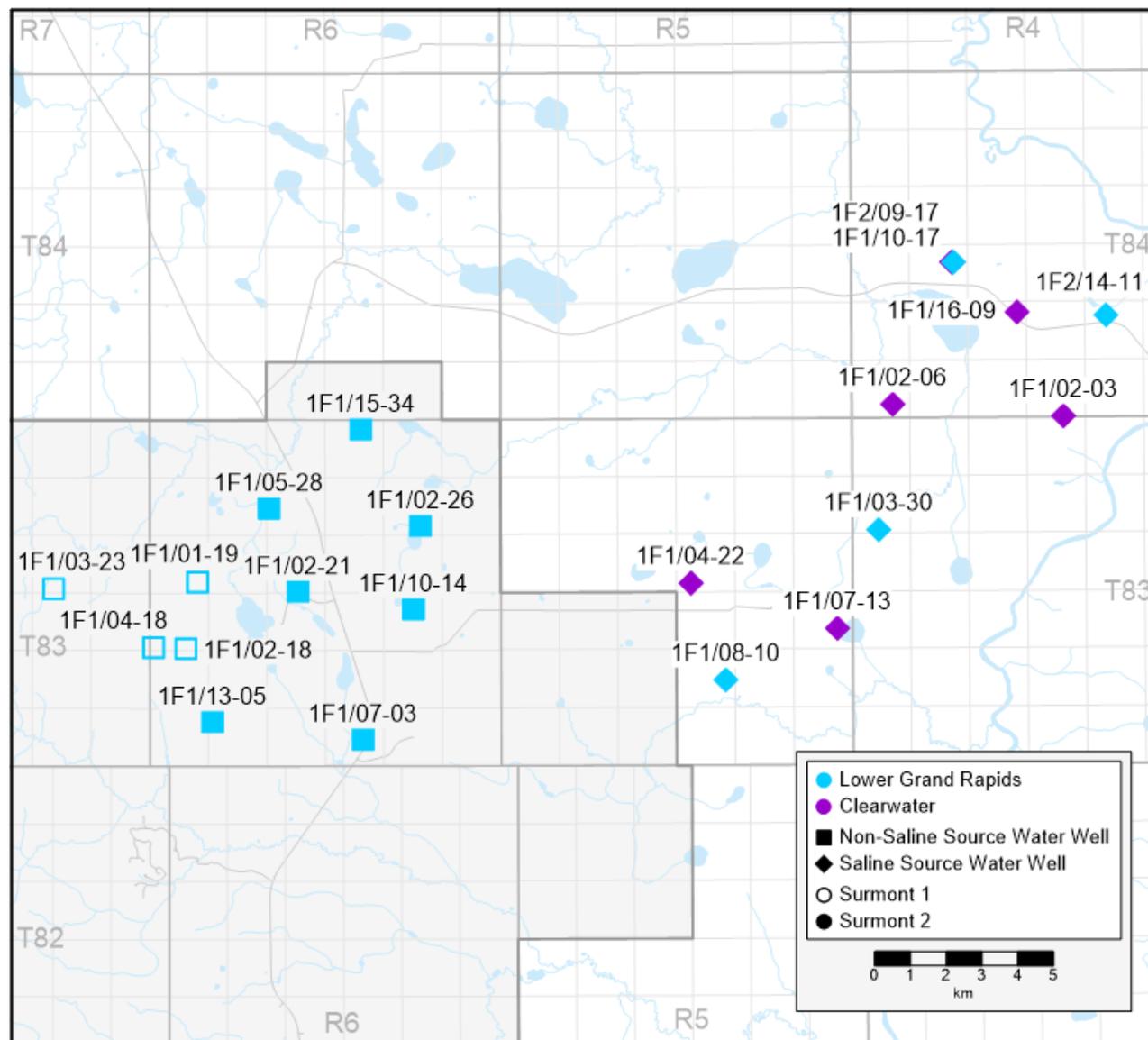
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Surmont Phase 2 Non-Saline Water Source Wells

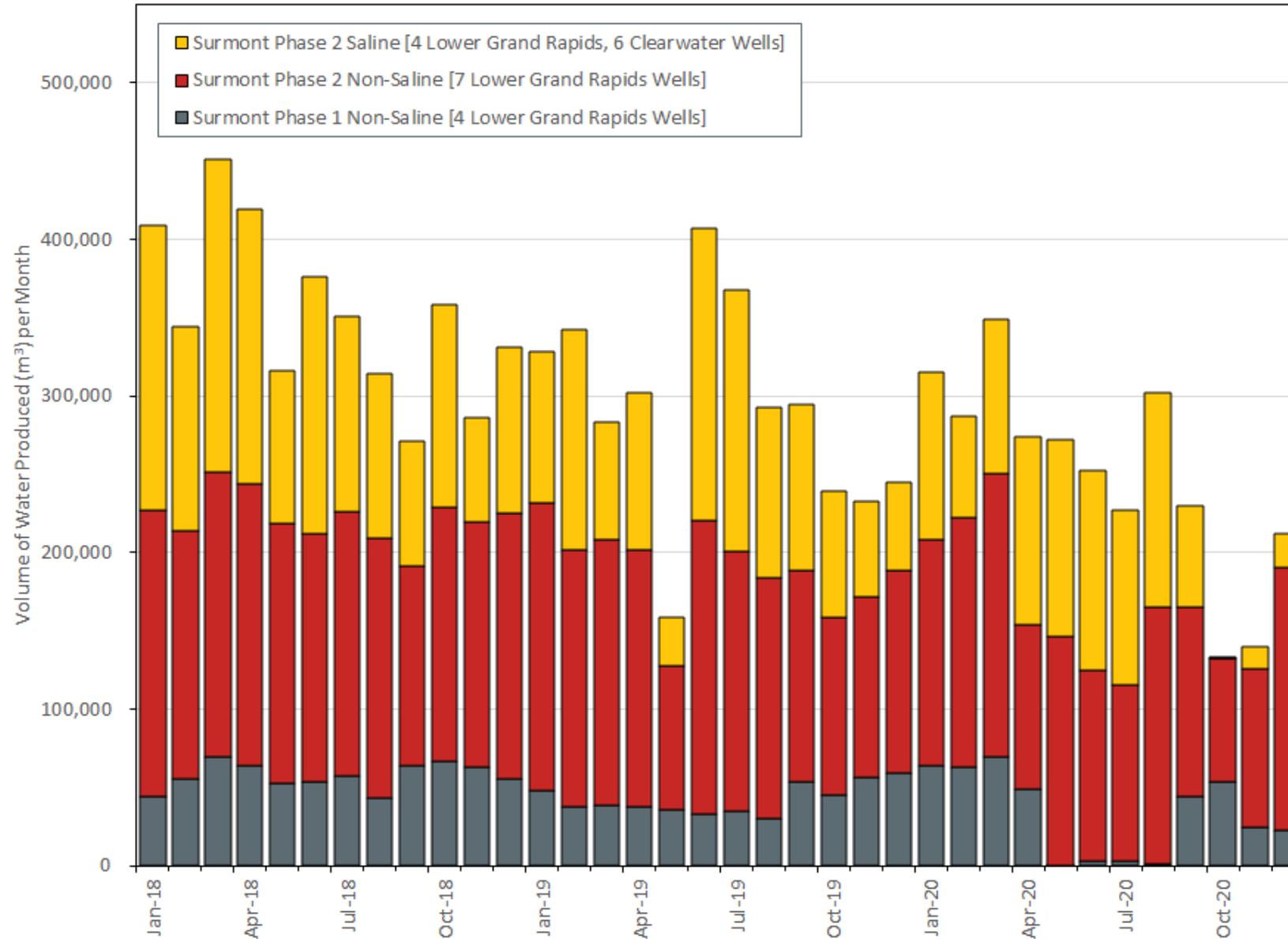
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Surmont Phase 2 Saline Water Source Wells

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Surmont Non-Saline and Saline Water Source Wells: Production Volumes



Surmont Phase 1 and Phase 2 Water Disposal Wells

Surmont Phase 1 Water Disposal Wells

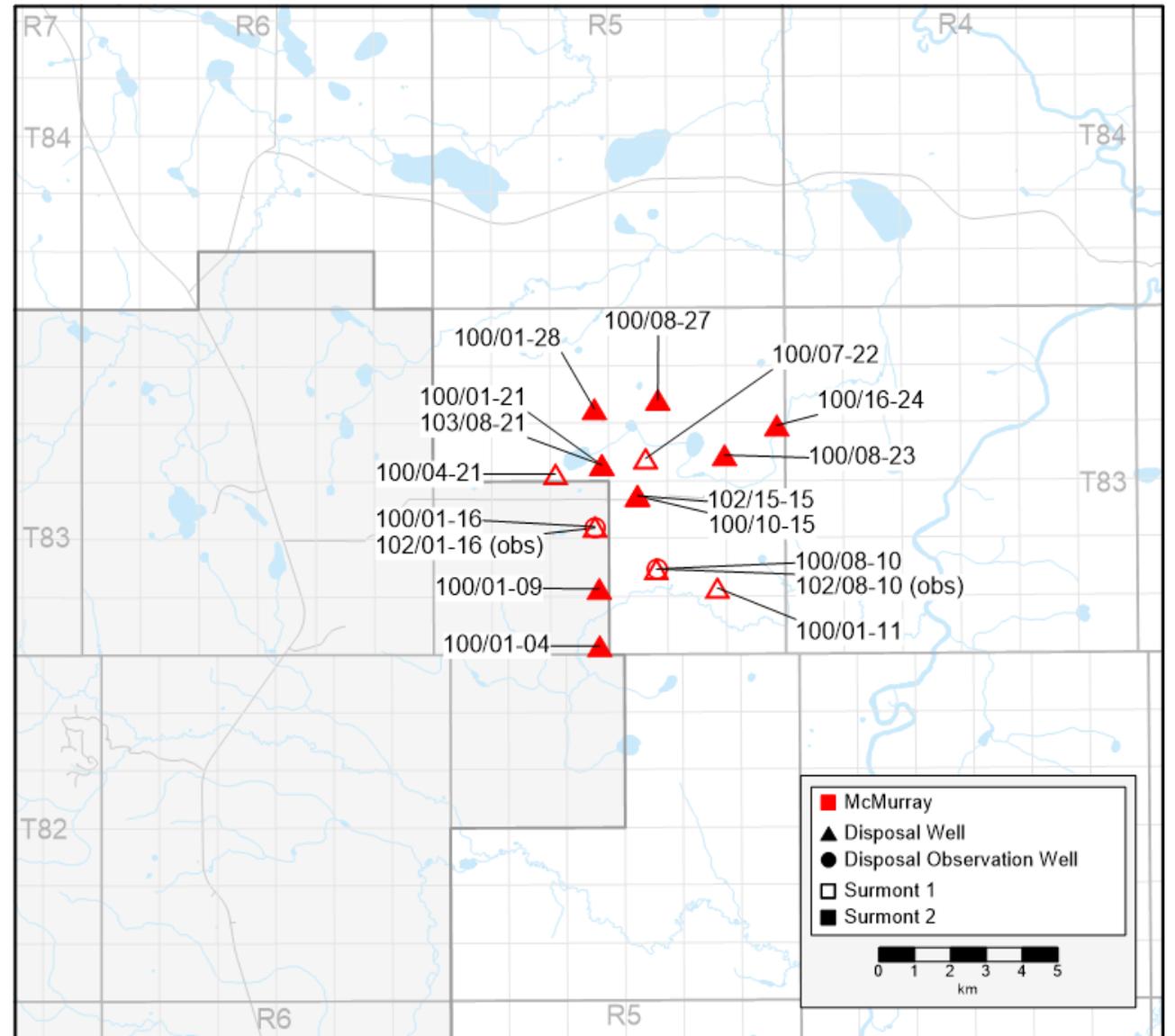
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Surmont Phase 2 Water Disposal Wells

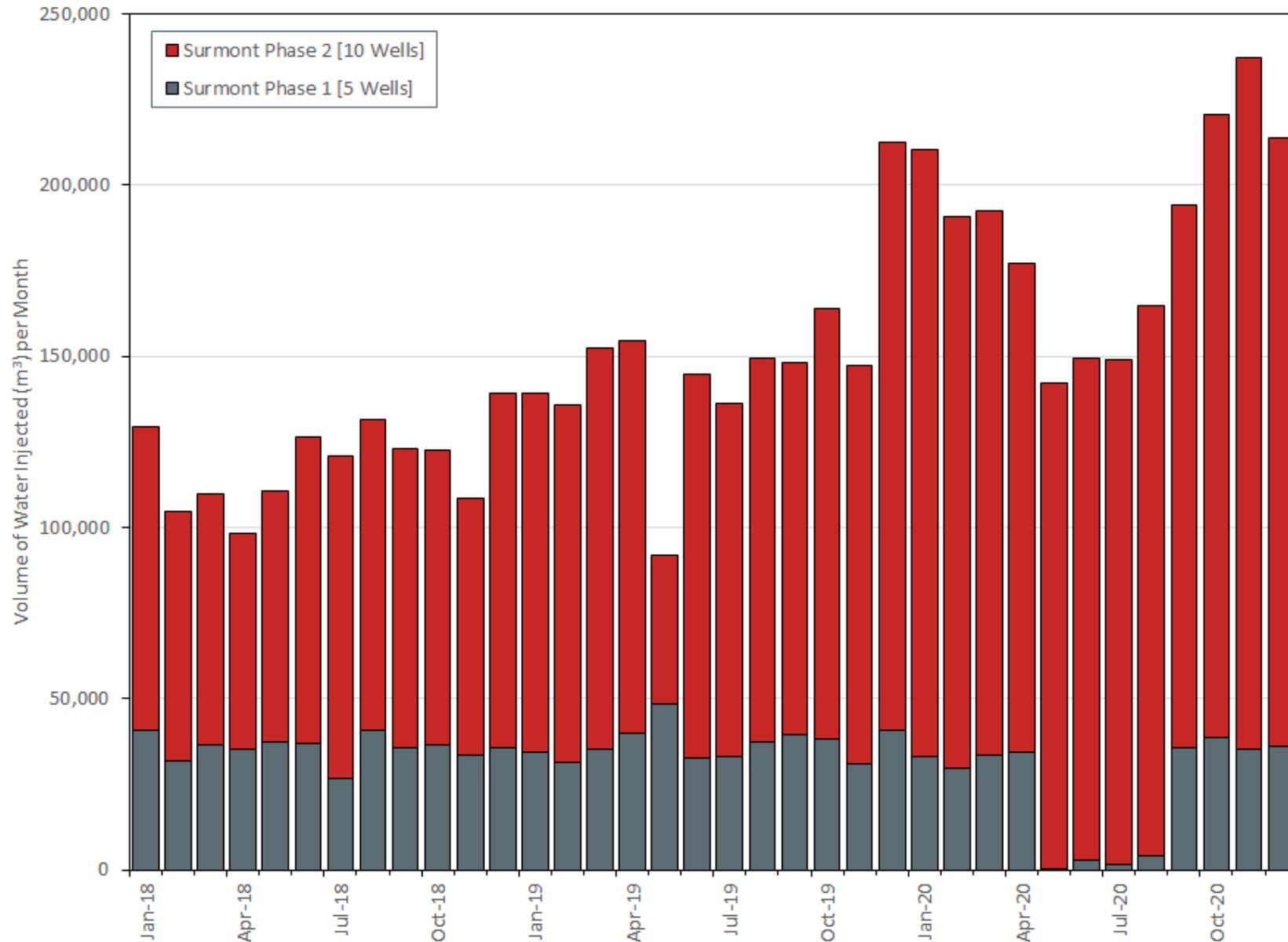
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Surmont Water Disposal Observation Wells

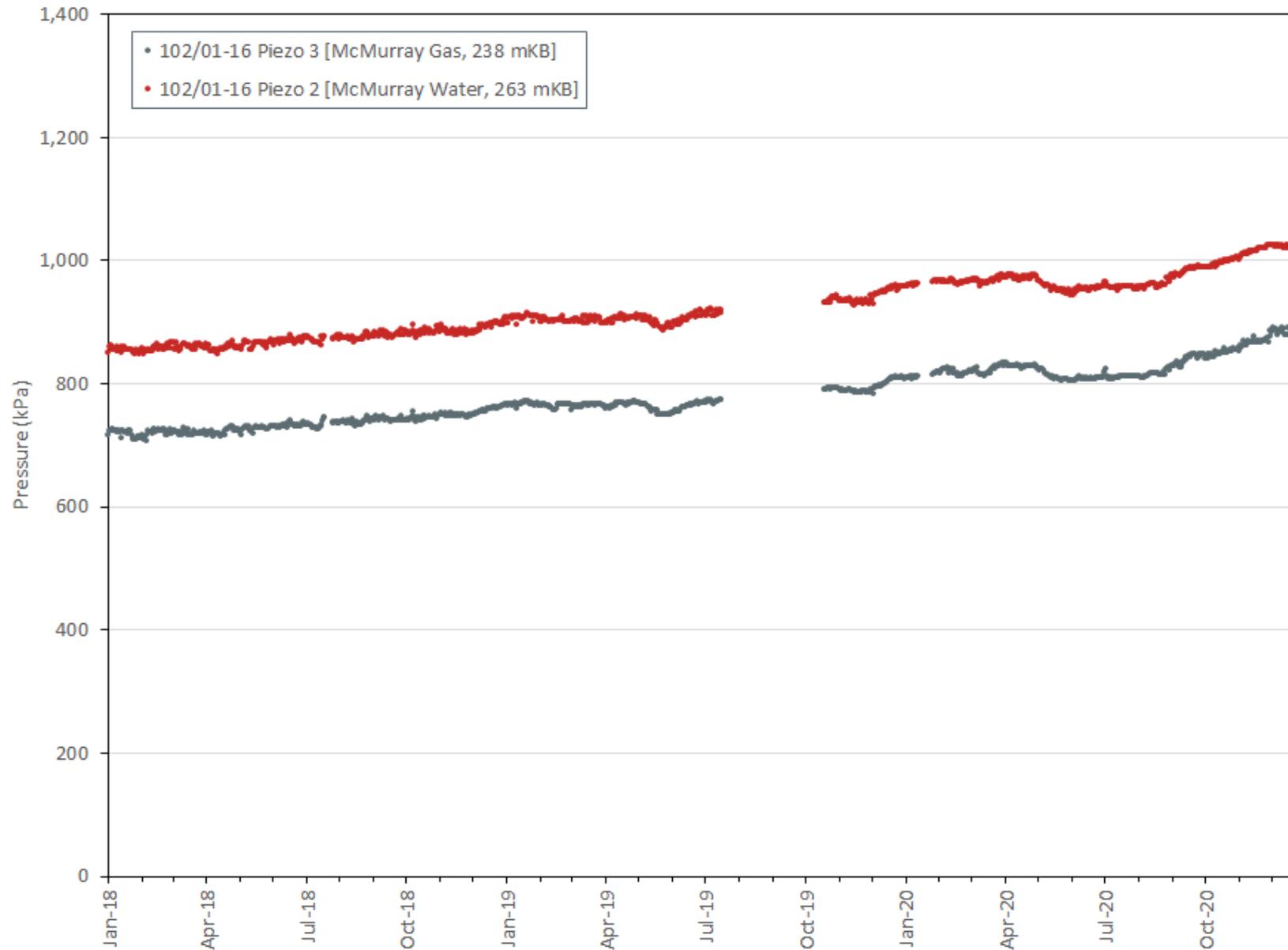
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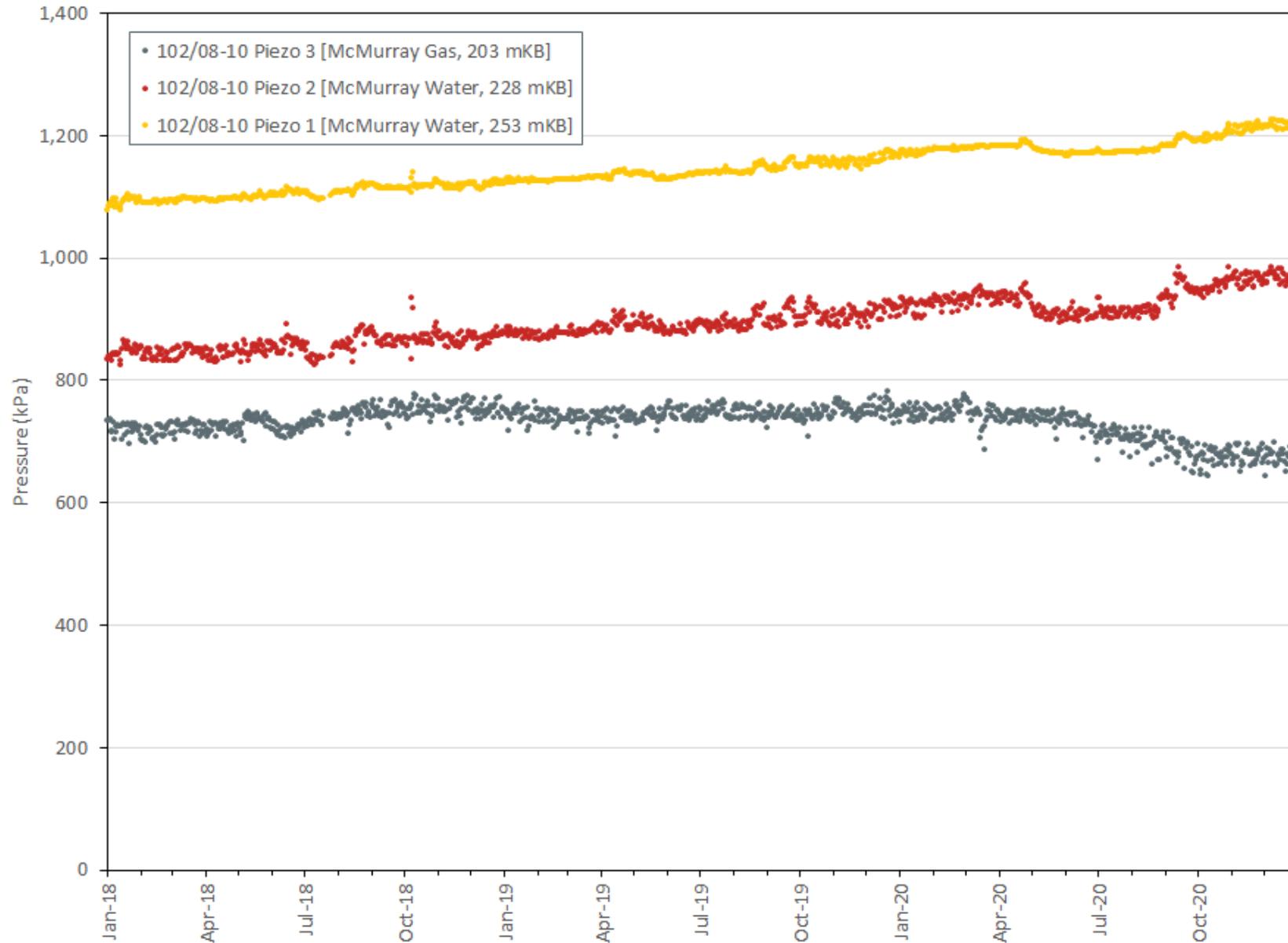
Surmont Water Disposal Wells: Injection Rates (McMurray)



Water Disposal Well: 102/01-16-083-05 W4M Observation Well Pressure (McMurray)



Water Disposal Well: 102/08-10-083-05 W4M Observation Well Pressure (McMurray)

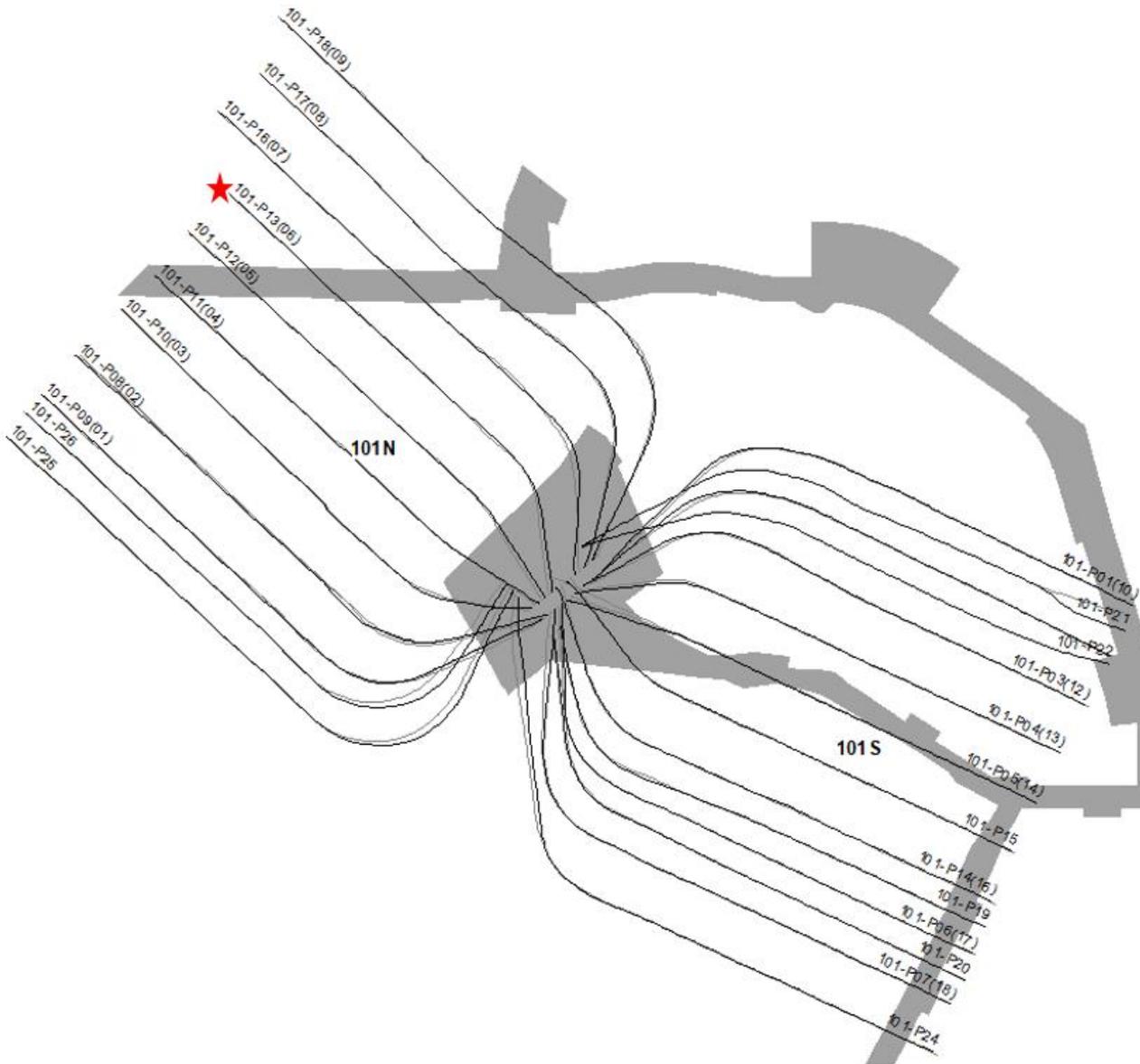


Historical & Upcoming Activity

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Suspension & Abandonment Activity



- ▶ 101-P13 (DH06) was suspended in July 2020 due to liner failure and is being reviewed for re-drill or future workover
- ▶ No pads currently in place for full scale suspension/abandonment
- ▶ No pads currently in blowdown/ramp down

Regulatory Approvals & Lifecycle Activities: 2020 Reporting Period

Application No./Date	Description	Approval Date/No.
1926474 January 6, 2020	Temporary MOP increase at Pad 263-2 - Category 2 amendment to temporarily increase the maximum operating pressure (MOP) for the cold start-up of multilateral producer 263-2-P02. Requested approval to increase MOP from 4100 kPa to 4747 kPa for 90 days.	9426TT February 21, 2020
1926672 January 15, 2020	ID 2001-03 Exemption Request - Category 2 amendment requesting an exemption from ID 2001-03 sulphur recovery requirements for 2020.	9426UU March 20, 2020
Lifecycle Activity February 18, 2020	Alternate Diluent Project – Facility Modification - Notification for modifications at the Sumont Phase 1 CPF to enable the use of condensate as an alternate diluent at Surmont. Minor work commenced in 2020 with the majority rescheduled for 2021.	N/A
Lifecycle Activity March 2020	Coriolis Water Cut Calculation - Changed the process for collecting water cut readings on the test separator to an automated calculated value based off the Coriolis meter.	N/A
1928359 April 27, 2020	Temporary MOP Increase at Pad 263-2 - Category 2 amendment to temporarily increase the maximum operating pressure (MOP) for the cold start-up of multilateral producer 263-2-P02. Requested approval to increase MOP from 4100 kPa to 5700 kPa for 150 days. Second application due to unsuccessful attempt at lower pressure.	9426VV August 11, 2020
Lifecycle Activity April 27, 2020	NCG Injection Limit - Temporary removal of the 60-day limit to inject 100 mol percent fuel gas without steam to enable flexibility during progressive and temporary production curtailment. NCG injection was used to help sustain or limit the decline in pressure in the reservoir and preserve our ability to return to normal production levels in the future.	N/A



No activities took place that could materially affect scheme performance or energy or material balances.



▶ **LESSONS LEARNED**

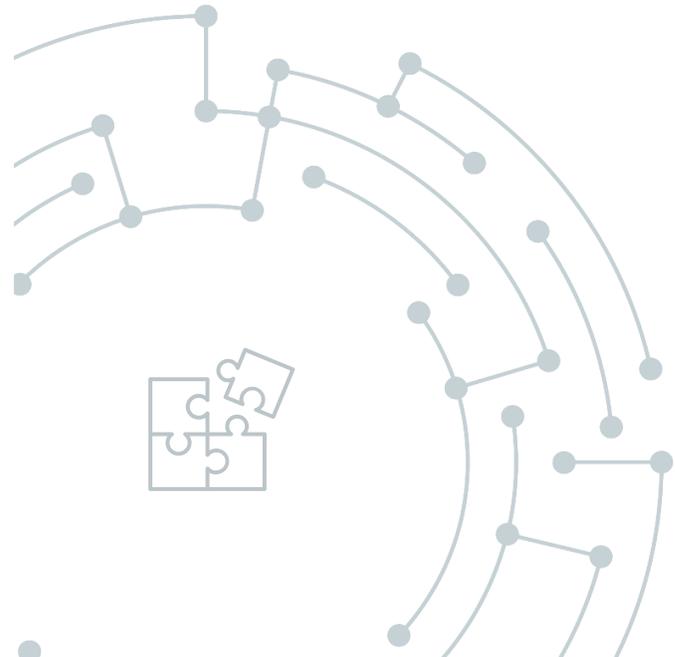
- NCG may cause some production loss due to gas interference at the ESP.
 - On some wells, there is a loss of efficiency and an increased variation in ESP amperage draw that corresponds to NCG injection timing. Oil production will drop as the ESP can no longer lift effectively. Halting NCG injection on the well pair will cause this behavior to stop and the well to return to pre-NCG injection performance. If the gas volume is large enough, the ESP may temporarily stop lifting to surface due to gas locking. This only occurs on a portion of wells with NCG injection.

▶ **SUCCESSSES**

- Achieved SOR reduction on all pads where NCG was implemented on most wells.
- Through the protocols put in place and the diligence of the on-site workers, Surmont maintained continuous operation throughout 2020 without any COVID outbreaks at the facility.
- Successfully managed the challenges of multiple production rate changes throughout the year that resulted from the significant market variability.
- The largest ESP ever installed at Surmont was successfully started on November 21, 2020, at Pad 103, Producer 07. This ESP and well can deliver over 9000 bbl/d of emulsion, close to 2200 bbl/d of oil, compared to the average well production of ~800 bbl/d of oil.

Compliance History

Incident	Reference Number	Date of Occurrence	Detail/Action
X-Change (Caustic) Release	EDGE 0364039	February 25, 2020	Release of 0.65 m ³ from a chemical tote – the release was caused by operator error while unloading the totes and was cleaned up via vacuum truck. AER satisfied on February 29, 2020.
Saline Water Release	EDGE 0364052	February 26, 2020	Release of 0.1 m ³ from a leaking bonnet valve at a pipeline riser – once identified, the line was immediately shut in and the effected area was cleaned up via vacuum truck. AER satisfied on April 6, 2020.
Process Water Release	EDGE 0367319	June 6, 2020	Release of 1.5 m ³ from the S2 blowdown pond – the incident is believed to be due to heavy precipitation and wind, which redirected the flow pipe fluid outside of the pond. The effected area was cleaned up via vacuum truck. AER satisfied on June 15, 2020.
Steam Release	EDGE 0372962	October 20, 2020	Release of .00003 m ³ from an injector well bonnet on a master valve – a wellhead valve shroud was temporarily placed over the master valve to contain the release. When it was safe to do so, the well was killed, and the valve was changed. Not closed by AER at the time of this report.
Lime Slurry Release	EDGE 0373269	October 31, 2020	Release of 19.4 m ³ from the warm lime softener – the release was contained in the building sump and was cleaned up via vacuum truck. AER satisfied on November 10, 2020.
Boiler Feed Water Release	EDGE 0373501	November 6, 2020	Release of 5.5 m ³ from a pipe rack – the release was contained and cleaned up via vacuum truck. AER satisfied on December 16, 2020.
Compromised Interstitial Space in Building Sumps	VSD 10764	September 24, 2018	<p>Seventeen building sumps were identified as having compromised interstitial space. The primary layer failed in these sumps, but the secondary liner barrier was functioning, and the environment is not being impacted. A voluntary self-disclosure (VSD) was submitted to the AER on September 24, 2018.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 10 sumps have been repaired to date ▪ An extension has been granted by the AER until December 2021 to complete repairs on the remaining 7



▶ **STEAM ADDITIVES PILOT** - *Lifecycle Activity*

- Continue development of a pilot project for the injection of steam additives into the reservoir, with the objective to reduce the viscosity of emulsion at downhole SAGD conditions and accelerate the flow of emulsion drainage in the reservoir. This pilot is expected to start in Q1/Q2 2021.

▶ **MULTILATERAL WELLS PROGRAM** - *Lifecycle Activity*

- Continue to pursue the trial of the Multilateral (MLT) Wellbores Technology. The first MLT in Surmont is operational, and the plan to drill and complete two more MLT's will be carried out in 2021.

▶ **WARM APPLIED SOLVENT PROCESS (WASP) PILOT** - *Lifecycle Activity*

- Working on plan development for solvent co-injection technology in Surmont 1. Plan for WASP execution in Q1 2022.

Future Plans: Next 12 Months



SURMONT PHASE 1

- Completion of alternate blend project planned for 2021 (construction/commissioning) – *Lifecycle Activity*
- 2021 multilateral well program – *Lifecycle Activity*
- 101-S NCG Injection



SURMONT PHASE 2

- Disposal water debottlenecking project planned for 2021 resulting in increased disposal capacity
- 2021 multilateral well program – *Lifecycle Activity*
- Steam additives trial to start in 2021 – *Lifecycle Activity*
- Single outboard fishbone producer well in drainage area 265-2 in 2021 – *Lifecycle Activity*
- Four outboard well pairs in drainage area 265-1 in 2021

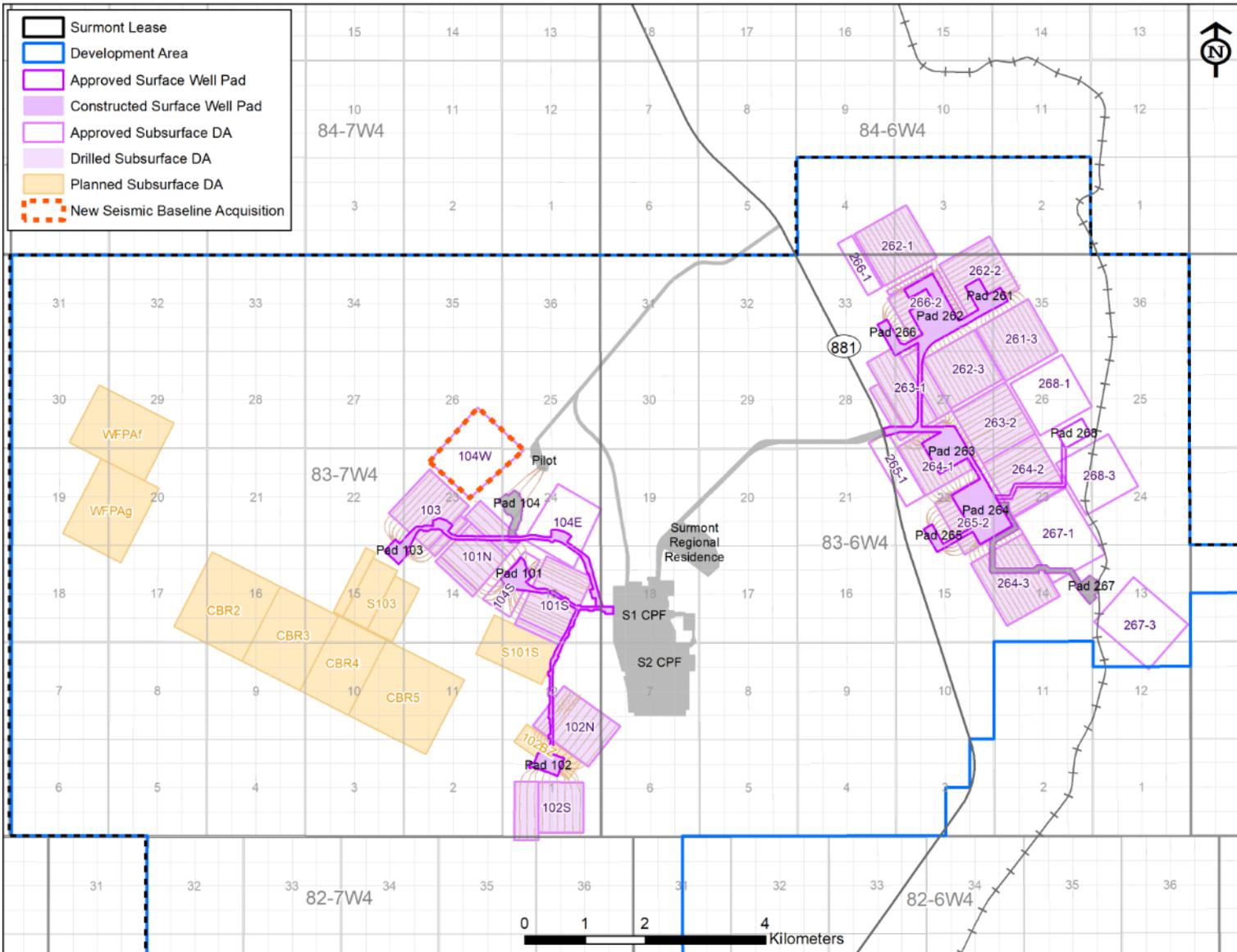


EXPECTED APPLICATIONS

- Lifecycle approval changes - OSCA Annual Reporting requirements and conditional actions
- Temporary MOP increase for startup – drainage areas 103-P01, 261-3-P10, 265-1 & 265-2P13
- Pad 267 permanent MOP increase



Future Plans: Five Year Development & Delineation Outlook



FUTURE PAD DEVELOPMENT OPTIONS

- Approved Drainage Areas (pre-Lifecycle)
 - 104S
 - 267-1
 - 268-1
 - 265-1
 - 267-3
 - 268-3
- Lifecycle Approved Drainage Areas
 - CBR3
 - S101S
 - 102BZ
 - CBR4
 - 266-1
- Drainage Areas for Delineation
 - 266-1
 - 104W
 - 104E
 - CBR5
 - CBR2
 - S103
 - WFPAf
 - WFPAg

DELINEATION & OBSERVATION WELLS

- Proposed baseline seismic at 104W: 2022/23

Year	Observation Wells	Delineation Wells	Target Drainage Areas for Delineation
2021	4	3	267-3, 104S, CBR 2/3/4
2022	10	4	103, 265-2, 267-1/3, 104, S101S, 266-1, 104E, WFPAf/g, S103
2023	0	0	TBD
2024	9	5	TBD
2025	6	4	TBD
2026	7	3	TBD