A New Approach to Well Completion Design, Surveillance

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- HPHT Well Condition
- Tracer Carrier Design
- Installation of Tracers and Carrier
- Results

Introduction

- Intelligent well tracer system
 - Oil, gas or water sensitive
 - Installed downhole
 - Can be used for detection, surveillance, analysis or quantification
- The water tracer installed in this HPHT field are for
 - Information on the transient flow phases during well clean up
 - Water breakthrough detection during operate phase as this is a multilayer reservoir
- They are polymer tracer rods, chemical in low concentration and are compatible for water discharge
- Water Tracers stay dormant when not in contact with water
- Tracer Results: Qualitative and Quantitative, measurement up to **parts per trillion**

HPHT Well Condition

- North Sea.
- HPHT: High Pressure & High Temperature
- Initial pressure 15,500psi,185degC
- Gas condensate well
- Multilayer reservoir
- Well length more than 15,000ft
- 5" liner cased and perforated



Tracer Carrier Design



- Initial Design
 - Tracer OD is bigger than liner coupling
 OD
 - Gripper assembly hold the required Load
 & carried in place
- Final Design
 - OD of the carrier is 5.632" (same as coupling)
 - No gripper/ slips
 - The carrier itself is held in place by tubing collars, and is non loadbearing
 - No potential hang-up point

Installation of Tracers and Carrier

- The tracer rod will be installed outside of the 5" liner, integrated with the production liner
- OD of the carrier is 5.632" (carrier material same as liner)



Installation of Tracers and Carrier





The tracer rods are put in place and held by rings, the carrier shroud is then slid over and connected at both end
 The OD tracer carrier is similar to liner joint couplings

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RIH Installation **Pictorial**



Liner run into the well with the RESMAN tracer carrier attached to outside

Step 1



Step 3 Cement is bonded to casing and wellbore

formation



Step 4

Step 2

up annulus

Place cement in casing and

Perforate through tracer carrier, cement and formation

> Detect tracers at surface assuming inflow from reservoir at start of production

Perforate run as normal

- no additional rig time
- or personnel required on site to run the completion

Results: Cement Bond Log Run

- Installation:
 - 5 unique water tracer
 - Installed with carrier, cased and perforated
 - Strategically integrated with the completion design
 - Cement bond was run before the perforations
 - Indication of the tracer pups can be seen from the log



Results: Well Clean Up

Samples were taken downstream of the test separator

Results Pending

Questions and Answers



