# **TMCBSU - Workover Candidates (North)**

# **Re-perforation Candidates – North East (NE)**

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# Objective

- Evaluate Active, SI and TA well in the North-East section to identify possible unperforated pay zone.
- Identify top 2 re-perforation opportunities to increase oil production in the Two Medicine Cut Bank Sand Unit (TMCBSU).

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# **Risk Mitigation**

- Schlumberger recommends running a standard suite of logs (USI, RST, CHDT, MDT) to help determine cement integrity, water saturation, pressures and Oil Water Contact before any re-perforation campaign.
- Casing integrity test and flow assurance for surface flow lines.





# Assumptions

Key assumptions in this workflow to select re-perforation candidates:

- 1960 logs are not calibrated to today's standards, these logs were read at face value.
- In the absence of Gamma Ray curves, SP was used. SP is not a good indicator of Shaliness.
- Educated assumptions were made to determine if unperforated pay is already watered out.
- Good, Average or Poor candidates are chosen relative to each other and naming convention only indicates perforation eligibility.





# Workflow

- Active and SI/TA wells in the North-East section of the field were initially selected with priority given to Active wells.
- Wells with unperforated sands were selected for preliminary review.
- A detailed study of available logs, well location, geology, well files and production history data was carried out.
- A comprehensive matrix decision was built to identify Good, Average and Poor re-perforation candidates.
- Candidates were identified based on a combination of factors in the matrix (Net thickness, Cut Bank Geometry, Water Cut, Oil Cum etc.)





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# Candidates

Well Name	Checked	Status	Candidate
26-15	Yes	Active	Yes
27-09	Yes	Active	Yes
34-16	Yes	Active	Yes
34-26	Yes	Active	Yes
26-09	Yes	Active	No
27-05	Yes	Active	No
27-13	Yes	Active	No
34-11	Yes	Active	No
34-13	Yes	Active	No
35-03	Yes	Active	No
35-13	Yes	Active	No
34-01X	Yes	SI/TA	Yes
34-05	Yes	SI/TA	Yes
34-09	Yes	SI/TA	Yes
34-25	Yes	SI/TA	Yes
35-07	Yes	SI/TA	Yes
27-11	Yes	SI/TA	No
34-03	Yes	SI/TA	No
34-07	Yes	SI/TA	No
34-15	Yes	SI/TA	No
35-01	Yes	SI/TA	No
35-05	Yes	SI/TA	No
35-09	Yes	SI/TA	No
35-11	Yes	SI/TA	No
35-11X	Yes	SI/TA	No
35-32	Yes	SI/TA	No
36-09	Yes	SI/TA	No

Good Candidate
Average Candidate
Poor Candidate

Not selected for preliminary review

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# Petrel Logs

- Main logs used were:
- SP or GR for most wells, additional logs used if available





# Data & Consulting Services

## 27-09

#### **Re-perforation Analysis: Good Candidate**

•Status: Active •API: 25035051350000

Perforation (Ref: Well head)
•3425-3436' @ 4 SPF
•3440-3446' @ 4 SPF

•Surrounded by injectors 27-08, 27-10, 27-16, 28-12 : only perforated at both lower lobes of sand. Strong shale breaks reduce possibility of contamination by inefficient sweep from water flood in upper lobe (3415-3420').

•Note: 3415-3420 not perforated but well files indicate Sandstone, becoming fine grained and clear with live brown oil stain, fair porosity and good odor.





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# 27-09 flanked by Injectors on 4 sides



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## 34-05 Re-perforation Analysis: Good Candidate

•Status: SI/TA •API: 25035072790000

•Perforation (Ref: Well head) •3205-3223' @ 4 SPF

Well TA'd - bridge plug @ 3105' KBM with 2 sacks cement.
2004 – well files indicate well equipment not available, electrical lines down.

- •Unperforated zone in upper and lower end of sand:
  - •3183-3197ft
  - •Water Cut 79%
  - •Produced oil above field average (7bbl/d in Mar '78)
  - •Lower zone chances of being watered out are high.
  - •Small shale break between 3196 3203' to provide reasonable separation between perforated zone below.

•Surrounded by injectors 35-08,34-12,34-06,34-04 – perforated at both upper and lower lobes of sand. Possibility of contamination by inefficient sweep from water flood in upper lobe (3185'-3197').

•Other comments: Located adjacent to battery.





# 34-05 flanked by Injectors on 4 sides



# 34-05 flanked by Injectors on 4 sides



## 34-05







# 34-16

#### **Re-perforation Analysis: Average Candidate**

•Status: Active •API: 25035050230000

•Perforation (Ref: Well head) •3314-3326' @ 4 SPF •3328-3330' @ 4 SPF

•Well converted from Injection status to producer - Dec '87

•Unperforated zone in upper and lower end of sand:

- •3300-3313ft
- •3330-3334ft
- •High Water Cut (81%).
- •Water production historically higher than field average.
- •Lower zone chances of being watered out are high.

•Upper zone closest analog is 34-25 (shows lower resistivity, porosity)





## 34-16





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## 34-01X Re-perforation Analysis: Average Candidate

•Status: SI/TA •API: 25035214010000

•Perforation (Ref: Well head) •3435-3455' @ 4 SPF

•Unperforated zone in upper and lower end of sand:

•3422-3435ft

•3455-3559ft

•3492-3470ft

Distinct shale break present between 3459-3461'.
Well files indicate live oil in sample 3460-3470' MD
Sandstone as above: Many coarse broken black chert pebbles: Much live oil in sample

Poor oil cum (2.17 Mbbl), water cut 84%.
Consistent porosity response (18%) throughout Lower Cut Bank.







## 34-01X







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## 34-26 Re-perforation Analysis: Poor Candidate

#### •Status: Active •API: 25035217830000 •Perforation (Ref: Well head) •3338-3360' @ 2 SPF

•Unperfed zone in lower end of sand:

- •Location: 3370-3377ft.
- •No clear shale breaks indicating zonal isolation.
- •GR, ILD, DPHI curves indicate shaly sand.
- •Higher chances of being watered out.
- •Decreasing resistivity response compared to perforated sand above.







## 34-26







# 26-15

**Re-perforation Analysis: Poor Candidate** 

•Status: Active •API: 25035071970000 •Perforation (Ref: Well head) •3222.5 - 3226' @ 4 SPF •3232 - 3244' @ 4 SPF

•Unperforated zone in upper end of sand: •3200-3221ft

High Water Cut (88%).
Lack of clear shale break indicates higher chances of being watered out in unperforated upper zone.

•Well located next to new proposed NE infill well (between 26-15 and 35-03). Suggest not recompleting for pressure maintenance reasons.





## 26-15







# 34-09

**Re-perforation Analysis: Poor Candidate** 

•Status: SI/TA •API: 25035050420000 •Perforation (Ref: Well head) •3338-3360' @ 4 SPF

•Unperforated zone in upper and lower end of sand: •3424-3427ft •3430-3438ft

•3442-3448ft

•Dec '98 – Well shut in due to Uneconomical production.

•98% Water cut. No clear shale breaks indicating zonal isolation.

•Higher chances of lower zone being watered out.

•Resistivity response higher below perforation, fining upward above perforation.







## 34-09







## 34-25

**Re-perforation Analysis: Poor Candidate** 

•Status: SI/TA •API: 25035217850000 •Perforation (Ref: Well head) •3250-3274' @ 2 SPF

•Unperforated zone in upper and lower end of sand: •3239-3249ft •3274-3276ft

- •No clear shale breaks present.
- •76% Water cut, low oil cum (1.40 Mbbl)

•Well located adjacent to Injector (34-10) with high injection radius (1120 ft).

•Higher chances of lower zone being watered out.

•Upper zone logs show increasing shale trend, quality of sand average at best.





## 34-25







# 35-07

**Re-perforation Analysis: Poor Candidate** 

•Status: SI/TA •API: 25035071880000 •Perforation (Ref: Well head) •3238-3241' @ 4 SPF •3258-3271' @ 4 SPF

•Unperforated zone in upper end of sand: •3251-3257 ft

Shale break present between both perforated intervals.
Unperforated zone - No clear shale breaks present.
Decreasing resistivity here – similar to shale zone above indicating possible poor sand.
Last reported Water cut (Apr '94) close to 100%, poor production trend.







## 35-07





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# Conclusions

- Top 2 candidates were identified based on available log data.
- Schlumberger recommends running a standard suite of logs before any re-perforation campaign (particularly to obtain current water saturation)
- Agree upon final candidate selection to proceed with reactivation/re-perforation program



