Central Petroleum
EP-93-004-1Well
Purni Formation
Perdika Basin
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Water Injection-Falloff Test Analysis Summary

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Summary

Weatherford Laboratories (WFT Labs) conducted one water injection-falloff test between December 21st, 2009 and December 22nd, 2009, of Purni Formation penetrated by Central Petroleum's EP-93-004-1 well. Table 1 summarizes the pressure and temperature conditions of tested interval. Table 2 summarizes the test analysis results.

This well is a core hole that was not produced before testing and the coal natural fracture (cleat) systems were water filled during each test. Therefore, estimates of permeability to water were equivalent to the absolute permeability.

Table 1. EP-93-004-1 Pressure and Temperature Conditions

Tested Interval	Tested Interval Top Depth	Tested Interval Bottom Depth	Static Pressure	Pressure Depth	Pressure Gradient*	Temperature	Temperature Gradient**
	m	m	kPaa	m	kPa/m	°C	°C/m
Purni Formation	664.4	675	6,288	666.7	9.28	59.2	0.0513

* Pressure gradient computed with a surface pressure of 101.325 kPaa.

** Temperature gradient computed with a mean annual surface temperature of 25 °C.

Table 2. EP-93-004-1 Reservoir Property Summary

Tested Interval	Coal Thickness	Near-Well Effective Permeability to Water	Far-Region Effective Permeability to Water	Skin Factor	Radius from Well to Far-Region	Radius of Investigation
	m	md	md	-	m	m
Purni Formation	10.6	0.95	3.71	1.605	8.9	40.1

The data from test were analyzed by application of a composite reservoir model that accounted for a reduced permeability region near the well. This region was likely caused by interactions with drilling and test fluids. The permeability was reduced to approximately one quarter of the original permeability to a distance of approximately 9 m from the well. The permeability beyond the near-well region, which is the permeability that would control production after stimulation, was 3.7 md. The estimated skin factor at the well was 1.605 that indicated that the region immediately adjacent to the well was of lower permeability than the larger near-well region. The static pressure estimate indicated that the tested interval was slightly under pressured relative to the hydrostatic head of water to surface (9.28 kPa/m).

The estimated radius of investigation during the test was 40.1 m due to the extended falloff test.

The remainder of this report discusses the test data and the analysis thereof.

Test Analysis Details

The water injection-falloff test was performed between December 21st, 2009 and December 22nd, 2009. The test interval was Purni Formation at depths between 663.0 and 675.0 m. The upper and lower packers were set at 664.4 and 675.0 m, respectively. Two transducers were placed about 2.3 meters below the upper packer. This section discusses the analysis of the data collected during this test.

Figure 1 illustrates pressure and temperature measured by a transducer at a depth of 666.7 m. The test consisted of an 7-hour injection period at an average rate of 1.48 liters per minute that started approximately 6 hours after the transducers were initialized followed by a 17-hour falloff period with no injection.

Figure 1. Pressure and Temperature Data

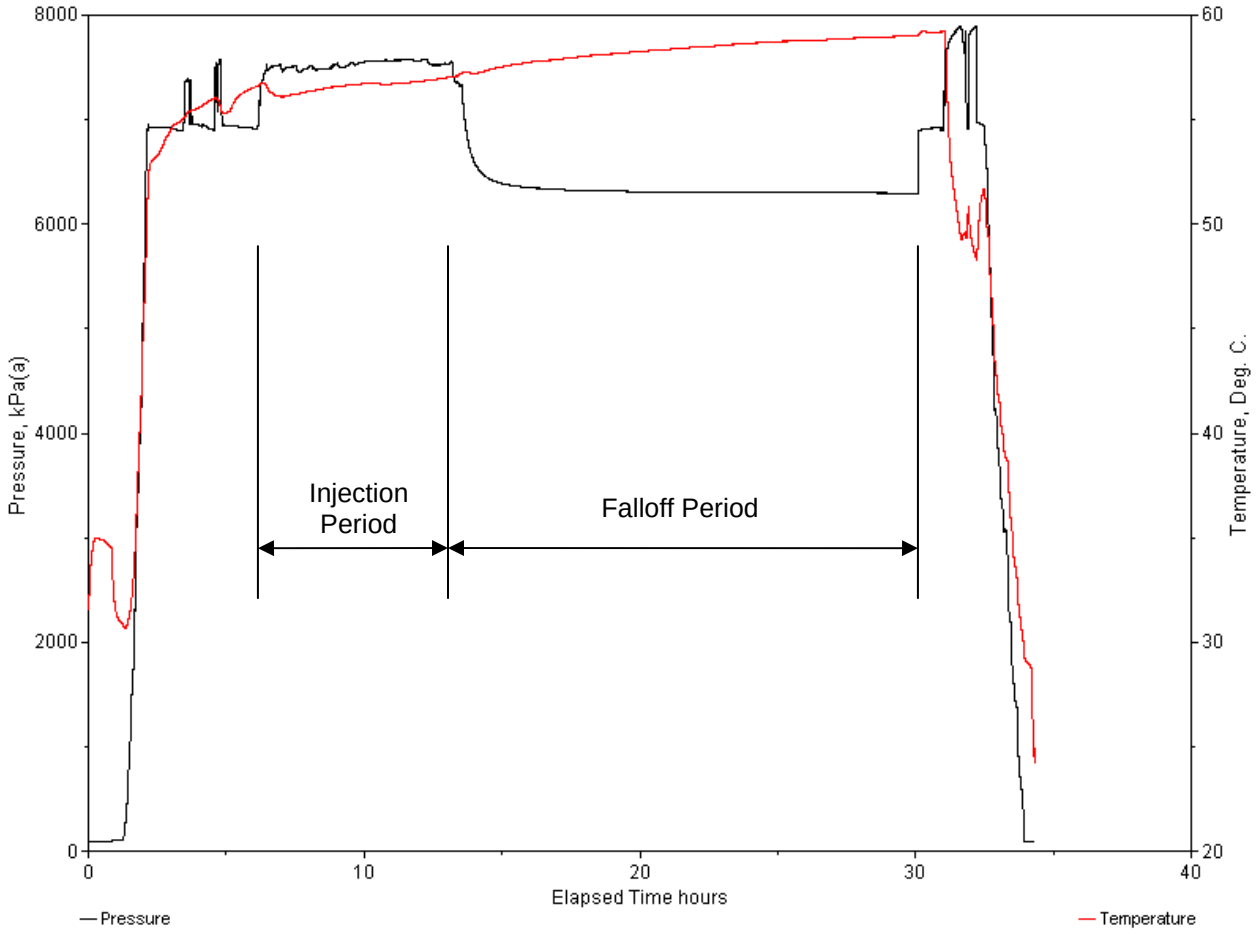


Figure 3 illustrates the surface water injection rate data. The injection rate data were simplified to the test history summarized in Table 3 for analysis.

Figure 2. Surface Water Injection Rate Data

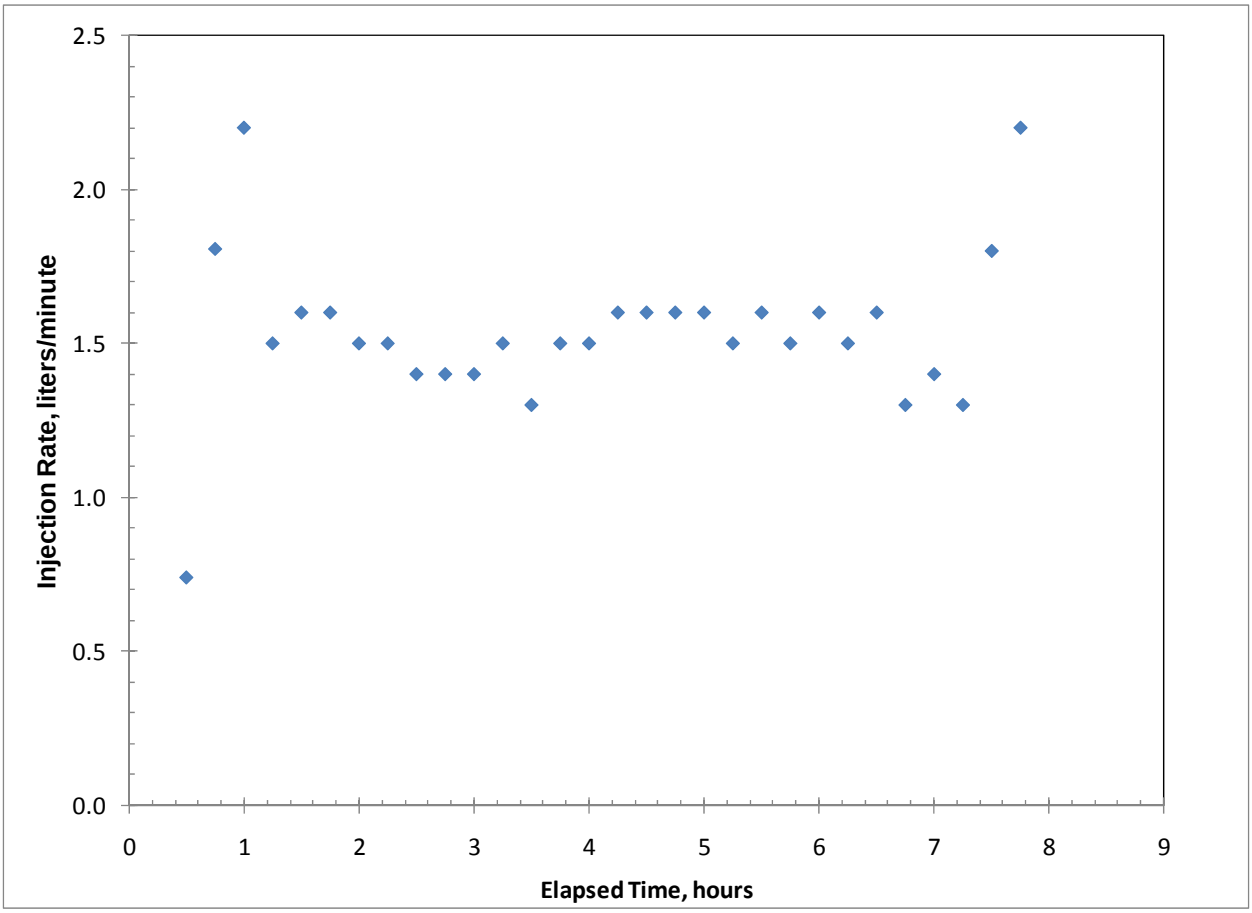


Table 3. Injection-Falloff Test Times

Test Period	Elapsed Time at Period Start	Elapsed Time at Period End	Surface Water Injection Rate	Pressure at Period Start	Pressure at Period End
	hours	hours	liters/min	kPaa	kPaa
Injection 1	0.000	7.063	1.48	6,911.4	7,896.7
Injection 2	7.063	7.413	1.11	7,896.7	7,335.0
Falloff	7.413	23.917	0	7,335.0	6,297.4

Table 4 summarizes the test analysis parameters. The tested interval thickness was determined by the distance between the two packers as both packers were set in the coal seam that was continuous in this interval. The values for Young's Modulus and Poisson's Ratio were typical values for coal and were used to compute the pore volume compressibility. These values affect the radius of investigation and skin factor estimates but do not affect the conductivity or permeability estimates. Water properties were estimated from correlations[1] for fresh water at the reservoir temperature.

Figure 3 illustrates a diagnostic graph of the falloff period data. A diagnostic graph presents the log of the pressure change and the log of the derivative of the pressure change versus the log of the elapsed time during the period. The derivative was computed with respect to a multirate superposition function.[2]

The data were evaluated with a composite reservoir model[3] with two concentric permeability regions each of constant permeability. Figure 4 illustrates a plan view of the model geometry. The model matched the

falloff period well as illustrated in Figure 5, which is a semilog graph of the falloff period data. Figure 6 illustrates the match with entire test history.

Table 4. Analysis Parameters

Parameter	Units	Value
Geometry		
Top Depth	m	664.4
Bottom Depth	m	675.0
Coal Thickness	m	10.6
Wellbore Radius	m	0.089
Coal Matrix Properties		
Temperature	°C	59.2
Young's Modulus	kPaa	$3.65(10^{6})$
Poisson's Ratio	-	0.25
Natural Fracture Properties		
Porosity	vol. fraction	0.01
Total Compressibility	kPa^{-1}	$2.33(10^{-5})$
Water Properties		
Viscosity	cp	0.474
Formation Volume Factor	res. vol./surface vol.	1.014

Table 5 summarizes the analysis results that resulted from matching the composite model to the observed test behavior. The model matched the falloff period well as illustrated in Figure 3 and Figure 5, which is a semilog graph of the falloff period data. Figure 6 illustrates the match with the entire test history. The computed behavior generally matched the measured data throughout the test.

Table 5. Test Analysis Results

Property	Unit	Value
Model	-	variable permeability model with wellbore storage and skin effects
Static Pressure	kPaa	6,288
Temperature	°C	59.2
Pressure and Temperature Depth	m	666.7
Pressure Gradient to Surface	kPa/m	9.28
Temperature Gradient to Surface	°C/m	0.0513
Near-Well Region Effective Conductivity to Water	md-m	10.07
Near-Well Region Effective Permeability to Water	md	0.95
Radius to Far Region	m	8.9
Far-Region Effective Conductivity to Water	md-m	39.3
Far-Region Effective Permeability to Water	md	3.71
Dimensionless Wellbore Storage Coefficient	-	140
Skin Factor	-	1.605
Flow Efficiency	%	78.7
Radius of Investigation	m	40.1

Figure 3. **Falloff Period Diagnostic Graph**

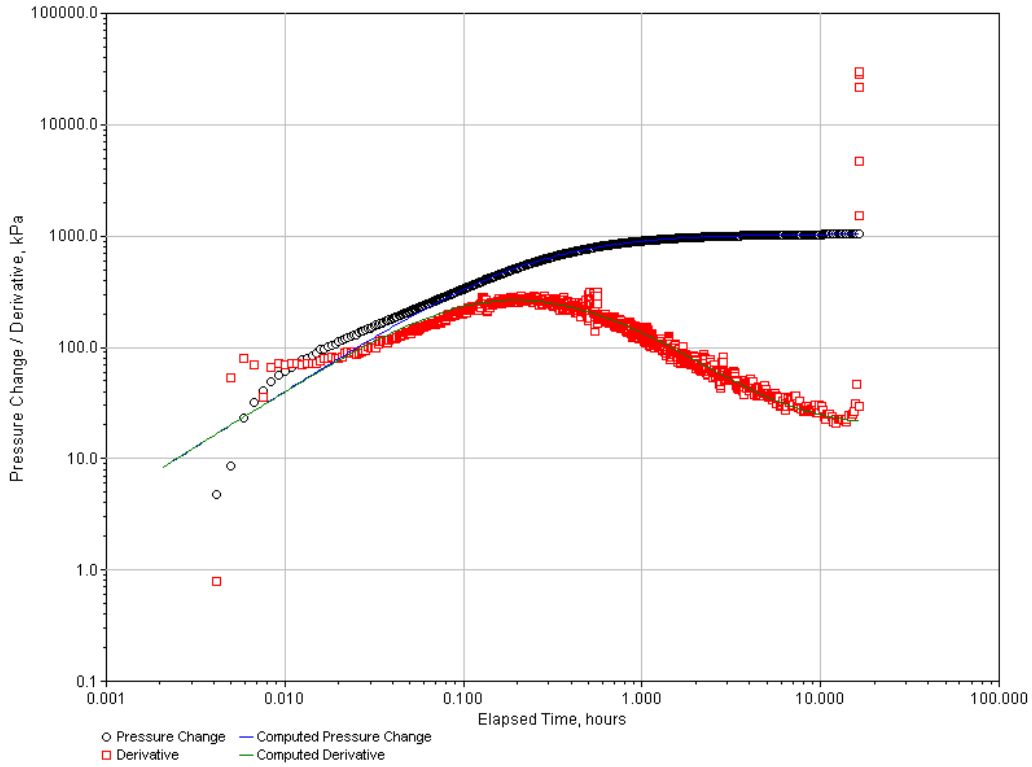


Figure 4. **Composite Reservoir Model Geometry**

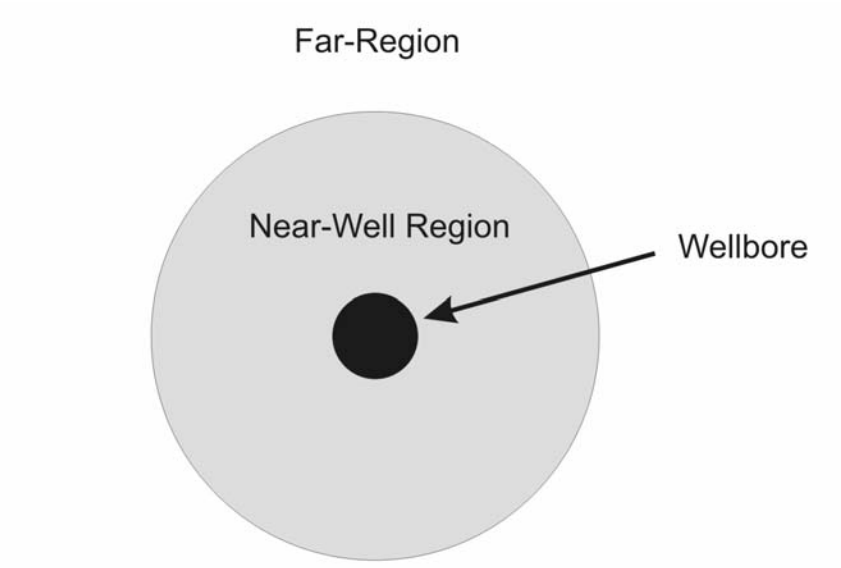


Figure 5. **Falloff Period Semilog Graph**

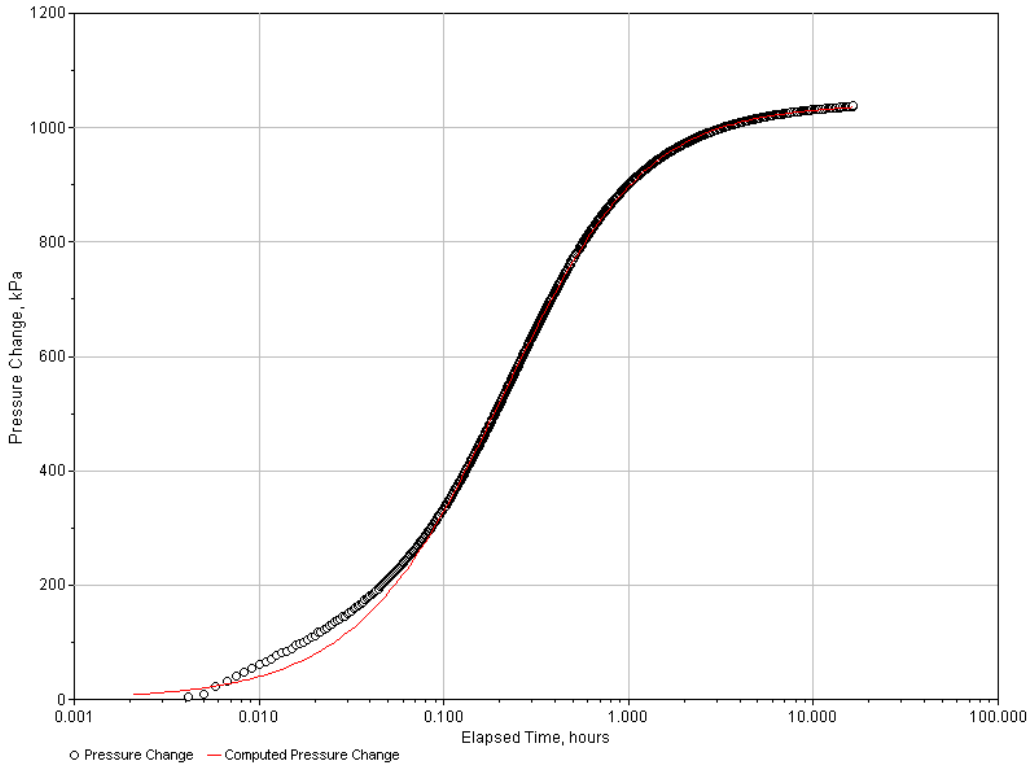
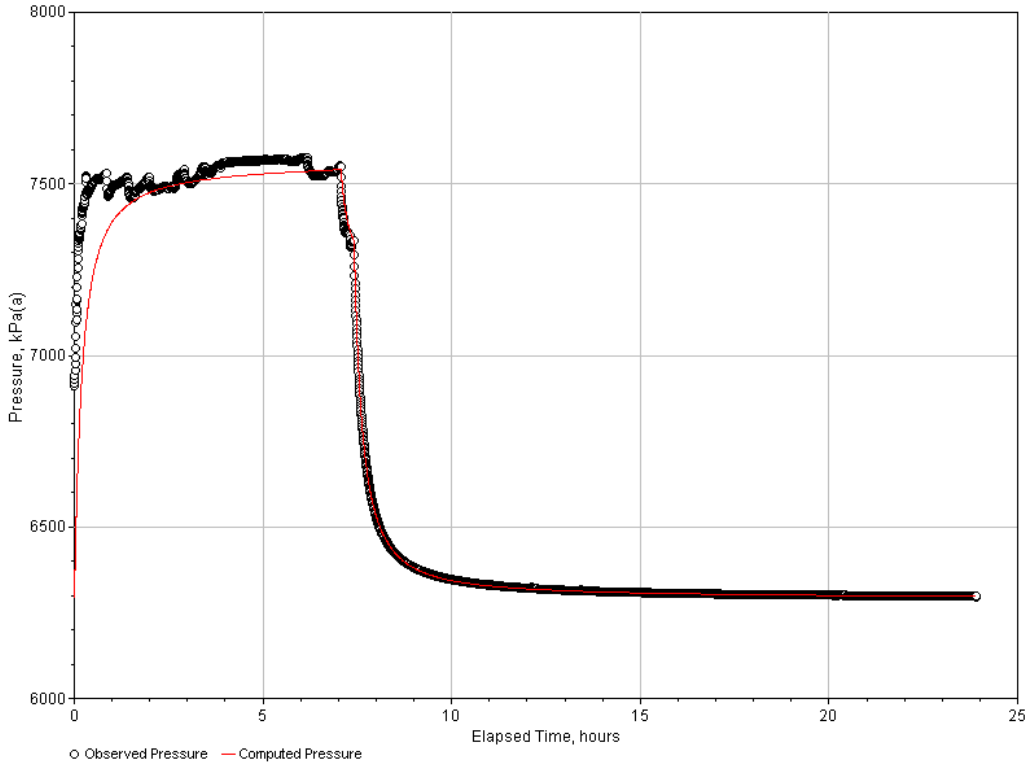


Figure 6. **History Match**



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