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Office <u>District 1</u> – (575) 393-6161	Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources	Revised July 18, 2013			
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240		WELL API NO. 30-045-30922			
<u>District II</u> – (575) 748-1283 811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	5. Indicate Type of Lease			
<u>District III</u> – (505) 334-6178	1220 South St. Francis Dr.	STATE FEE			
1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec, NM 87410 District IV – (505) 476-3460	Santa Fe, NM 87505	6. State Oil & Gas Lease No.			
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PROPOSALS.)	Gas Well 🔲 Other SWD; Mesa Verde	8. Well Number #1			
1. Type of Well: Oil Well 2. Name of Operator	Jas well Duller SwD, Mesa Velde	9. OGRID Number			
Agua Moss, LLC		247130			
3. Address of Operator 10. Pool name or Wildcat					
PO Box 600, Farmington, NM 8749	SWD; Mesa Verde				
4. Well Location					
Unit Letter J : 1760	feet from the South line and 1475	feet from the East line			
Section 34		MPM County San Juan			
	11. Elevation (Show whether DR, RKB, RT, GR, etc				
	5789' GL				
12 Check A	ppropriate Box to Indicate Nature of Notice.	Report or Other Data			
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	Well Info	ormation	
Well	Pretty Lady 30-11-34 #1	Field	Basin Dakota
Location	1760' fsl &1475' fel (nw se) S34, T30N, R11W, NMPM San Juan Co. New Mexico	Elevations	5789' GL 5802' RKB
AFE	03160	Engineer	Shacie Murray (505.330.7605)
Date	26 April 2019	Lease	Fee
Surface Casing	13 ³ / ₈ " 48# H-40 ST&C @ 433' KB	Intermediate Casing	9 ⁵ / ₈ " 47#/53.5# P-110 LT&C @ 8104' KB
Tubing	5 ¹ / ₂ " 15.5# J-55 ST&C @ 3685' KB	Packer	9 ⁵ / ₈ " Arrow Set RCP set at 3700' KB. EOT @ 3792 KB.
Perforations	3762' - 3830', 4 spf (272 holes), 0.34" EHD	Stimulation	Slickwater frac w/ 102380 lbs. 20/40 Brady sand. ISIP = 1206 psi.

Prior to MIRU

- 1. Fill 4 ea.500 bbl tanks on location with filtered produced water.
 - a. Filter Water to 5μ

Set BHP gauges

- 1. MIRU slickline unit with lubricator
- 2. RIH w/ dual pressure gauges and hang at perforations

Conduct step rate test

- 1. MIRU pumping service equipment
- 2. Install pressure gauges on $9^{5}/_{8}$ " casing side outlet valve and bradenhead
- 3. Install pressure sensor at wellhead
- 4. Test Lines to 2500 psi.
- 5. Open well and record ISIP
- 6. Begin injecting according to following rate schedule

Injection Rate (bbl/min)	Step time (min)	Volume Requirement (bbl)
0.5	15	7.5
1	15	15
1.5	15	22.5
2	15	30
2.5	15	37.5
3	15	45
3.5	15	52.5
4	15	60
4.5	15	67.5
5	15	75
5.5	15	82.5
6	15	90
6.5	15	97.5
7	15	105
7.5	15	112.5
8	15	120
8.5	15	127.5
9	15	135
9.5	15	142.5
10	15	150

Total water requirement = 1575 bbl

7. Record ISIP, 5, 10, 15 min SITP

8. RDMOL

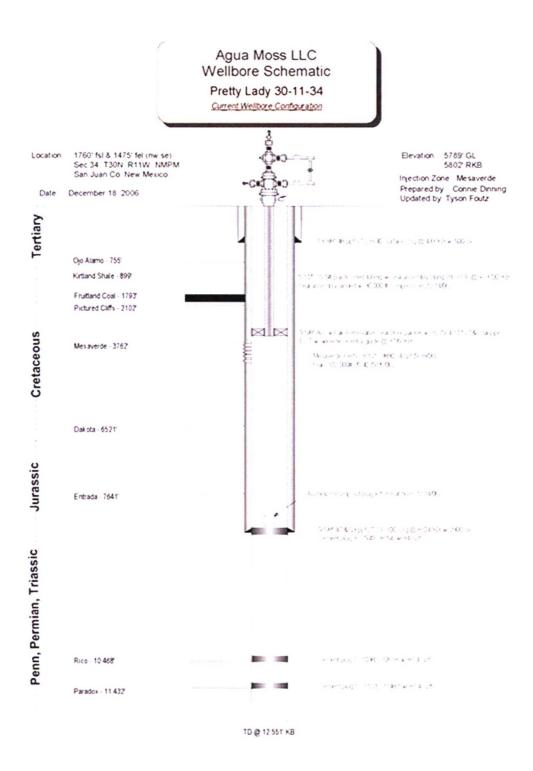
9. Pull BHP gauges

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		Produc	Injecti	Well Treatments	
Year	Pool	Month	Water(BBLS)	Pressure	
2014	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Jan	151325	1065	
2014	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Feb	131887	1074	
2014	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Mar	129482	1067	
2014	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Apr	123331	1080	
2014	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	May	136555	1083	
2014	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Jun	136145	1090	
2014	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Jul	151507	1101	
2014	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Aug	159811	1107	
2014	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Sep	164582	1118	
2014	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Oct	163152	1112	
2014	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Nov	162082	1101	
2014	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Dec	195956	1122	
2015	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Jan	155532	1105	
2015	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Feb	146029	1144	
2015	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Mar	166889	1111	
2015	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Apr	159381	1117	
2015	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	May	186343	1103	
2015	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Jun	218928	1155	
2015	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Jul	192393	1157	
2015	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Aug	196626	1191	1
2015	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Sep	210157	1215	
2015	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Oct	150314	1146	
2015	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Nov	223518	1222	1
2015	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Dec	188955	1220	
2016	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Jan	122665	1113	1
2016	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Feb	159138	1196	1
2016	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Mar	166015	1185	1
2016	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Apr	13337	1203	1
2016	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	May	132680	1127	1
2016	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Jun	145462	1130	
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2016	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Oct	175161	1150	
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	[96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Jan	182833		1
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2019 [96160] SWD;MESAVERDE	Mar	177793	1225	

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SS2325 – Sapphire Pressure – 1.25" – 135°C

		Spec	ification	S						
		Ou	ter Diameter	r 1.25 in	(3.175 cm)					
		Makeup	Length (ML		(16.014 cm)					
		Pre	essure Range	750 - 20	0,000 psi (5,1	71 - 13	7,900 kpa)			
		Tempe	rature Range	80 - 13	5 C (176 - 275	F)				
	*** an overall and the first of the second secon	Mate	erial (service)) 17-4 SS	(sweet), 718	Incone	l (sour)			
			Transduce	r Pressui	e	Tem	perature			
			Accuracy	0.03%	ull scale	±0.5	degrees			
				0.04% a	at 750 psi					
			Resolution		% full scale		01 degrees			
			Drif	t < 0.03%	6 FS per year	< 1.0	degrees pe	ryear		
		Sele	ction Ma	trix						
1		Service	Pressure	Materia			100°C	120°C	135°C	
		Sour Sour	750 psi	718 inc 718 inc		122	10031150			
		Sour	1,500 psi	718 inc			10021159	10021157		
		Sour	3,000 psi 6,000 psi	718 Inc				1002115/	10021085	
		Sour	10,000 ps						10021079	
		Sour	15,000 ps						10021081	
		Sweet	750 psi	17-4 SS		156				
		Sweet	1,500 psi	17-4 SS			10021160			
		Sweet	3,000 psi	17-4 SS				10021158		
		Sweet	6,000 psi	17-4 SS					10021084	
		Sweet	10,000 ps	i 17-4 SS					10021078	
		Sweet	15,000 ps	i 17-4 SS					10021080	
		Atta	chments							
		Туре		Ma	keup Length	(ML)	Thread	316 SS	17-4 SS	718 Inconel
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		Size 2 x C	Voltage 7.2 V	Capacity 6.0 Ah						
		Size 2 x C 2 x C	Voltage 7.2 V 7.8 V	Capacity 6.0 Ah 5.0 Ah	85°C	10002	416			
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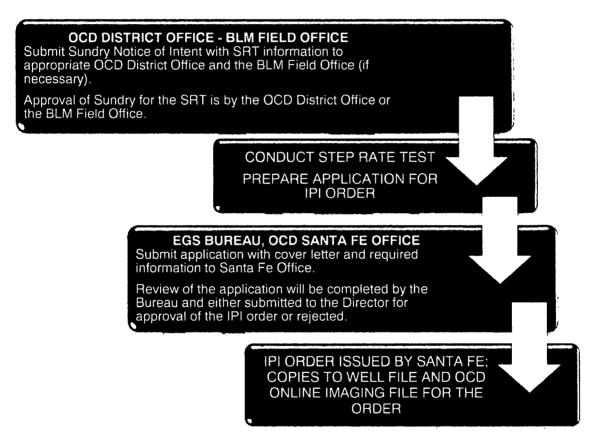


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Application Process for Injection Pressure Increases

If an operator has decided to request an increase of the maximum surface injection pressure for a well above the administrative gradient of 0.2 pounds per square per foot (psi/ft), then the operator must conduct a step-rate test (SRT) to establish the fracture parting pressure (or formation parting pressure) for the injection interval.

The process for conducting the SRT begins with the Oil Conservation Division (OCD) District office (or the Bureau of Land Management (BLM)) and finishes with the Engineering Bureau of OCD in Santa Fe.



Where the injection well is located on federal surface, the Sundry Notice of Intent describing the proposed SRT operation will be submitted and approved by the BLM Field Office. The operator will supply a copy of the same sundry to the OCD District Office. The BLM may require supplementary testing not related to the SRT and may not require the pre-SRT testing requested by OCD. OCD has the authority for approval of any injection pressure increase for wells operated with orders (permits) issued under Division rule 19.15.26 NMAC.

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Guidance for Conducting a Step-Rate Test

- 1. The operator must submit Division Form C-103 to the OCD District office with the description of the procedure for the SRT. The procedure will include the following information:
 - □ A description of the equipment for measurement and data recording (manufacturer and model) Note: the pressure gauge and recorder must have an appropriate range for use during the test.
 - □ Summary of injection volumes for last five years with average injection pressure.
 - □ Summary of well treatments and pressures especially any historical Instantaneous Shut-in Pressure (ISIP).
- 2. Once the operator has an approved Sundry Notice, the operator shall notify the appropriate OCD District office at least 72 hours prior to the scheduled SRT so that OCD personnel may be present to witness the test.
- 3. A bradenhead test (if required by the District) and mechanical integrity test (MIT) will be performed before the SRT. If the subject well fails either test, then the SRT will be suspended until the mechanical integrity issue(s) has been remediated. The mechanical integrity testing may be modified at the discretion of the District Supervisor.
- 4. The casing and bradenhead pressures will be monitored during the test. All wellhead equipment must be rated for the anticipated pressures.
- 5. Bottomhole pressure measurements will be required for wells deeper than 1000 feet (ft) and injection rates greater than one (1) barrel per minute (BPM).
- 6. Wells currently injecting must be shut-in at least 48 hours before the test unless the shut-in pressures indicate that the well has not adequately stabilized and a longer time is required for the permitted interval to approximate pre-injection conditions.
- 7. Selection of rates for the SRT will be developed by the operator based on the proposed operation and the historical information of the well. Suggested rates for the test are 5%, 10%, 20%, 40%, 60%, 80% and 100% of the proposed maximum daily injection rate at the corresponding pressure. The intent is to complete a SRT with at least three (3) steps below the 0.5 psi/ft gradient and three (3) steps above the fracture parting pressure (breakdown pressure). Starting pump rates and pressures must be lower than the current rates and pressures if the well is currently injecting. It may be necessary to backflow the well to reduce initial SRT pressures.
- 8. Each step shall be at least 30 minutes in duration unless otherwise determined by the OCD. Longer step intervals of 60 minutes shall be required for low permeability injection intervals (less than 0.5 millidarcies) and for open-hole intervals greater than 500 feet in length. The operator may request, in the submission of the Sundry Notice of

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Intent, a modification of the time length for the step intervals with an explanation for the modification. The goal is for increments with equal time and rate and allow for downhole stabilization of pressure for each step.

- 9. <u>The duration of the step intervals for the SRT must not change during the test or the test results will not be deemed adequate for determining an accurate fracture parting pressure.</u>
- 10. Pumping equipment must be able to pump at the rates and pressures needed for the test. Rate changes will be 0.5 BPM or smaller unless the OCD witness determines that bigger rate changes are necessary due to small incremental increases in pressure.
- 11. The operator shall ensure that there is enough water to conduct the entire test.
- 12. The completed SRT results are to be submitted to the Engineering Bureau in Santa Fe and should include the following information:
 - Administrative application checklist (available on OCD website under Unnumbered Forms on Form webpage).
 - □ Cover letter with contact information, general description of test and pressure increase being proposed.
 - □ Complete data summary including injection rates, duration of each step, pressure measurements (surface and bottom hole) and the ISIP.
 - □ SRT-specific information: location of pressure gauges (depth); initial bottomhole pressure; injection fluid type and specific gravity.
 - Graph summary of pressure versus injection rate with interpretation.
 - □ Current well completion diagram.
 - □ Copy of the order authorizing the injection into the well.
- 13. If a pressure increase is granted, it shall be limited for use in the well with the same tubing, size, length, and type of interior coating as present for the SRT. If these components are changed, the operator must ask the Engineering Bureau to re-calculate the surface pressure limit, which may require another SRT.

Additional Sources:

- Martin Felsenthal, <u>Step-rate Test Determine Safe Injection Pressures in Floods</u> in The Oil and Gas Journal, October 28, 1974.
- US Environmental Protection Agency, <u>Step-Rate Test Procedure</u>, Region VIII; January 12, 1999.

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