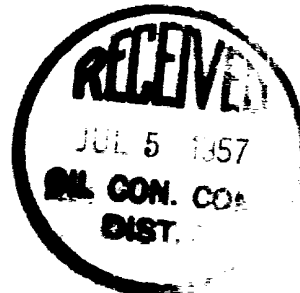


El Paso Natural Gas Company

El Paso, Texas

July 2, 1957

DIRECT REPLY TO:
P. O. BOX 997
FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO



Mr. A. L. Porter
Secretary and Director
Oil Conservation Commission
Box 871
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Sir:

This is a request for administrative approval for a well dually completed in the Blanco Mesa Verde Pool and the Wildcat Pictured Cliffs Pool. The El Paso Natural Gas Company Dryden No. 3 (FM) is located 990 feet from the South line and 990 feet from the West line of Section 21, Township 28 North, Range 8 West, N.M.P.M., San Juan County, New Mexico.

This well has been completed in the Point Lookout and Cliff House sections of the Mesa Verde formation and in the Pictured Cliffs formation. Completion has been accomplished in the following manner:

1. 10-3/4" surface casing set at 175' with 150 sacks of cement circulated to the surface.
2. 7-5/8" intermediate casing set at 2399' and cemented with 200 sacks of cement. Top of cement by temperature survey was 700' which is above the top of the Pictured Cliffs at 2192'.
3. 5-1/2" liner set from 2348' to 4633' with 250 sacks of cement. The top of the liner was squeezed with 300 sacks of cement.
4. The casing and liner were tested for leaks before perforating.
5. The Point Lookout section was perforated in five intervals and fractured with water and sand.
6. The Cliff House section was perforated in three intervals and fractured with water and sand.
7. The Pictured Cliffs formation was perforated in two intervals and fractured with water and sand.
8. All perforations were cleaned out after treatment and completion was accomplished by setting a Baker Model EGJ production packer on 2" EUE tubing at 2453' with the tubing perforations set opposite the Point Lookout perforation. 1-1/4" Grade "B" line pipe was landed, with the tubing perforations set opposite the Pictured Cliffs perforations, as a siphon string. The Mesa Verde gas will be produced through the 2" tubing and the Pictured Cliffs gas through the casing.

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9. A Garrett circulating sleeve was installed in the 2" tubing string just below the Pictured Cliffs perforations. This will enable bottom hole pressure tests to be taken in the future if it be so required.
10. Initial potential tests have been run and commercial production has been found in both formations. A packer leakage test has been run and witnessed by the Aztec office of the Oil Conservation Commission. This test shows no communication in the well bore between the two producing formations.

Administrative approval is requested for this dual completion to allow production from both known producing formations, thus eliminating the high initial cost of drilling two separate wells.

El Paso Natural Gas Company controls all acreage immediately adjacent to the drilling block, therefore the approval of any other operators has not been sought. Enclosed are the following:

- (a) Two copies of the schematic diagram of the mechanical installations.
- (b) Two copies of the affidavit from the packer setting company stating that the packer used was set at the depth shown.
- (c) Two copies of the packer leakage test as observed by a member of the Oil Conservation Commission.
- (d) Two copies of the initial potential test showing commercial production from the two formations.

It is intended to dedicate the S/2 of Section 21, Township 28 North, Range 8 West to the Mesa Verde formation and the SW/4 of Section 21, Township 28 North, Range 8 West to the Pictured Cliffs formation.

Any further information required will be furnished upon your request. Thank you for your consideration of the matter.

Yours truly,

E. J. Coel
Senior Petroleum Engineer

EJC/gks
Encl.

cc: Emery Arnold ✓
E. L. Hamblin
Phil McGrath

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OPEN FLOW TEST DATA

CORRECTED COPY

DUAL COMPLETION

DATE May 28, 1957

Operator El Paso Natural Gas Company	Lease Dryden No. 3	State New Mexico
Location 990'S, 990'W, Sec. 21-28-8	County San Juan	
Field Pictured Cliffs	Well Undesignated	
Well Diameter 7 5/8	Tubing Diameter 1 1/4	Set At Feet 2252
Perforations From 2192	Total Depth 4635 - c/o 4610.	Packer at 2453
Completion Method Sand Water Frac.	Flow Through Tubing X	

Wellbore Size, In. 0.75	Choke Constant, C 12.365	5 1/2" liner at 4633
Shut-in Pressure, PSIG 869	Flowing Pressure, PSIA 881	Days Shut-in 24
Flowing Pressure, PSIG 80	Flowing Pressure, PSIA 92	Wellbore Pressure, PSIG 869
Temperature, F 66	Gravity .85	Wellbore Pressure, PSIA 881
		Flowing Pressure, PSIG 82
		Flowing Pressure, PSIA 94
		Flow From Tubing 1.009
		Gravity .650

Starting SIPT (Mesa Verde) - 1072 psig. Final SIPT (Mesa Verde) - 1072 psig

CHOKED VOLUME = C x R² x L x D² x F_g x F_v

$$12.365 \times 92 \times .9943 \times .9608 \times 1.009$$

1097

MCF/D

$$Q = \frac{776,161}{767,325} \left(\frac{1.0115}{1.00975} \right)^{.85} \times 1097$$

$$\left(\frac{776,161}{767,325} \right)^{.85} \times 1097 - 1.00975 \times 1097$$

$$1.0115^{.85} \times 1097 - 1.00975 \times 1097$$

Act 1108

MCF/D

R. A. Ullrich

cc: E. J. Coel, Jr. (6)

L. D. Galloway
L. D. Galloway

EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY
OPEN FLOW TEST DATA

FORM 23-75 (1-55)

DATE June 4, 1957

Operator El Paso Natural Gas Company		Lease Dryden #3	
Location 990 S and 990 W 21-28-8		County San Juan	State New Mexico
Formation Mesaverde		Pool Blanco	
Casing Diameter 7 5/8	Set At: Feet 2389	Tubing Diameter 2	Set At: Feet 4552
Pay Zone: From 3818	To 4600	Total Depth: 4635 c/o 4610 Packer @ 2453	
Stimulation Method Sand Water Frac		Flow Through Casing	Flow Through Tubing X

Choke Size, inches 0.75	Choke Constant: C 12.365		5 1/2" Liner 2 4633	
Shut-In Pressure, Casing Pictured Cliffs 867	PSIG	- 12 = PSIA	Days Shut-In 7	Shut-In Pressure, Tubing 1076
Flowing Pressure: P 389	PSIG	- 12 = PSIA	401	Working Pressure: Pw Calculated 750
Temperature: T 76			.75	Fpv (From Tables) 1.037
				Gravity .660

Signal SIPC (Pictured Cliffs) 870 psig.

CHOKER VOLUME $Q = C \times P_c \times F_c \times F_g \times F_p$

$Q = 12.365 \times 401 \times .9850 \times .9535 \times 1.037 = 4829$ MCF D

OPEN FLOW $Q_{of} = Q \left(\frac{D_c^4}{P_c - P_w} \right)^n$

$Q_{of} = \left(\frac{1183744}{621244} \right)^n \quad 1.9054^{.75} \times 4829 = 1.622 \times 4829$

$Q_{of} = 7833$ MCF D

TESTED BY **R. A. Ullrich**

WITNESSED BY **Fred Cook (NMOCC)**

L. D. Galloway
L. D. Galloway

cc: E. J. Coel (6)

EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY
GAS WELL TEST

To: Mr. E. E. Alsup

Date: May 28, 1957

From: Gas Engineering Department

Place: Farmington, New Mexico

DUAL COMPLETION

Subject: TEST DATA ON EPNG WELL, DRYDEN #3, SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

Tested By: R. A. Ullrich

Location Sec. 21 T. 28 R. 8 990 S & W

Shut-In Pressure PC SIPC 869 psig ; (Shut-in 24 days)
PC SIPT 869 psig
MV SIPT 1072 psig

0.750" Choke Volume 1097 MCF/D @ 14.7 psia and 60° F. for 0.6 gravity gas. Flow through Casing for 3 hours.

Calculated 3 Hour Absolute Open Flow 1108 MCF/D

Working Pressure On Tubing = 82 Psig

Producing Formation PC

Stimulation Method Sand Water Frac

Total Depth 4635 c/o 4610 Packer @ 2453

Field Undes.

H2S Sweet to lead acetate.

- cc: D. H. Tucker
- ~~XXXXXXXX~~ H. H. Lines
- W. T. Hollis
- ~~XXXXXXXX~~ Dean Rittmann
- W. M. Rodgers
- ~~XXXXXXXX~~ Bill Parrish
- Drilling Department
- B. D. Adams
- Roland Hamblin
- Jack Purvis
- ~~XXXXXXXX~~
- C. C. Kennedy
- E. J. Coel, Jr. (6)
- A. J. Dudenhoeffler
- File

Lewis D. Galloway
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EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY
GAS WELL TEST

To: Mr. E. E. Alsup

Date: June 4, 1957

From: Gas Engineering Department

Place: Farmington, New Mexico

DUAL COMPLETION

Subject: TEST DATA ON EPNG WELL, DRYDEN #3, SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

Tested By: R. A. Ullrich WITNESSED BY: Fred Cook (New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission)

Location Sec. 21 T. 28 R. 8 , 990 S & W

Shut-In Pressure PC SIPC 867 psig ; (Shut-in 31 days)
MV SIPT 1076 psig

0.750" Choke Volume 4829 MCF/D @ 14.7 psia and 60° F. for 0.6
gravity gas. Flow through Tubing for 3 hours.

Calculated 3 Hour Absolute Open Flow 7833 MCF/D

Working Pressure On Calculated = 738 Psig

Producing Formation MV

Stimulation Method Sand Water Frac

Total Depth 4635 c/o 4610 Packer @ 2453

Field Blanco

H2S Sweet to lead acetate.

- cc: D. H. Tucker
- ~~XXXXXXXX~~ H. H. Lines
- W. T. Hollis
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- W. M. Rodgers
- ~~XXXXXXXX~~ Bill Parrish
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EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY

P. O. Box 997
Farmington, N.M.

June 5, 1957

Mr. E. C. Arnold
Oil Conservation Commission
120 East Chaco
Aztec, New Mexico

Re: Packer Leakage Test on the El Paso Natural
Gas Company Well, Dryden No. 3, San Juan
County, New Mexico.

Dear Mr. Arnold:

This well was dually completed in the Pictured Cliffs and Mesa Verde formations. A production packer was set at 2453 feet. The Pictured Cliffs zone was tested on May 28, 1957 and the following information was obtained:

SIPC and SIPT - Pictured Cliffs - 869 psig; shut-in 24 days.
SIPT - Mesa Verde - 1072 psig

The three hour open flow test, through a 3/4" choke was started at 10:45 A.M.

<u>Time</u>	<u>Casing Choke Pressure Psig</u>	<u>Tubing Pressure (M.V.) Psig</u>	<u>Temp. °F</u>
10:45	Opened casing		
11:00	266	1072	
11:15	176	1072	
11:30	137	1072	
11:45	122	1072	
12:45	92	1072	
1:45	80	1072	66

The calculated choke volume was 1097 MCF/D and the A.O.F. was 1108 MCF/D.

On June 4, 1957 the Mesa Verde zone was tested and the following information was obtained:

SIPC (Pictured Cliffs) - 867 psig
SIPT (Mesa Verde) - 1076 psig; shut-in 31 days.

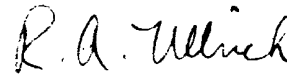
The three hour open flow test, through a 3/4" choke was started at 10:50 A.M.

<u>Time</u>	<u>Tubing Choke Press. (MV) Psig</u>	<u>Casing Pressure (PC) Psig</u>	<u>Temp. °F</u>
10:50	Opened tubing		
11:05	498	870	
11:20	464	870	
11:35	446	870	
11:50	438	870	
1:00	403	870	
1:50	389	870	76

The calculated choke volume was 4829 MCF/D and the A.O.F. was 7833 MCF/D.

Mr. Fred Cook, with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission, witnessed the above test.

Very truly yours,



R. A. Ullrich
Gas Engineer

RAU/jla

cc: W. T. Hollis
W. M. Rodgers
E. J. Coel (6)
File


STATE OF NEW MEXICO)
)
COUNTY OF SAN JUAN)

I, Mack M. Mahaffey, being first duly sworn upon my oath
depose and say as follows:

I am an employee of Baker Oil Tools, Inc., and that on
March 4, 1957, I was called to the location of the El Paso
Natural Gas Company Dryden No. 3 (FM) Well located in the SW/4
SW/4 of Section 21, Township 28 North, Range 8 West, N.M.P.M
for the purpose of installing a production packer. Under my
direct supervision a Baker Model "EGJ" production packer was
set at 2453 feet. The production packer was properly set in
accordance with the usual practices and customs of the industry.


Mack M. Mahaffey

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public in and
for San Juan County, New Mexico, the 9 day of MAY,
1957.


Notary Public in and for San Juan
County, New Mexico

My commission expires:

2-24-60

SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM OF DUAL COMPLETION
 DRYDEN NO. 3 (PH)
 (SW Section 21 T28N R8W)

Zero Measurements 10.0' above
 tubing hanger.

