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| <u>Allison Unit Development Strategy Assessment</u>             |                                                         |                                                                |                    |                                                   |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
|                                                                 | Single Completion for Each Wellbore                     |                                                                | Dual               | Commingling                                       |
| Footprint                                                       | 2 Surface Locations                                     | 1 Surface Location                                             | 1 Surface Location | 1 Surface Location                                |
| Capital Costs Incurred by Each Zone                             | Highest Cost                                            |                                                                | Between            | Lowest Cost                                       |
| Artificial Lift                                                 | 2 Pump Systems (FC/PC)<br>2 Plunger Lift Systems(MV/DK) | 2 Pump Systems (FC/PC)<br>Plunger Lift and Pump Systems(MV/DK) |                    | Pump System (FC/PC)<br>Plunger Lift System(MV/DK) |
| Operating Expenses for Each Productive Zone                     | Higher                                                  | Higher                                                         | Higher             | Lowest                                            |
| EUR                                                             | Lower                                                   | Lower                                                          | Lower              | Highest                                           |
| Abandonment Rate                                                | Higher                                                  | Higher                                                         | Higher             | Lowest                                            |
| *Highlighted yellow boxes display most desirable characteristic |                                                         |                                                                |                    |                                                   |

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## Fruitland Coal Expenses

| Fruitland Coal Single Completion   |          |            |       |
|------------------------------------|----------|------------|-------|
| Capital Expenses (\$M)             | Tangible | Intangible | Total |
| Total                              | 219      | 647        | 866   |
| Operating Expenses = \$3162/ month |          |            |       |

| Commingled Pictured Cliffs and Fruitland Coal |          |            |       |
|-----------------------------------------------|----------|------------|-------|
| Capital Expenses (\$M)                        | Tangible | Intangible | Total |
| Total                                         | 112      | 341        | 452   |
| Operating Expenses = \$1581/ month            |          |            |       |

\*LOE does not include producing overhead

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Pictured Cliffs  
and  
Fruitland

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## Pictured Cliffs Expenses

| Pictured Cliffs Single Completion  |          |            |       |
|------------------------------------|----------|------------|-------|
| Capital Expenses (\$M)             | Tangible | Intangible | Total |
| Total                              | 149      | 647        | 796   |
| Operating Expenses = \$1916/ month |          |            |       |

| Commingled Pictured Cliffs and Fruitland Coal Estimate |          |            |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------|----------|------------|-------|
| Capital Expenses (\$M)                                 | Tangible | Intangible | Total |
| Total                                                  | 112      | 341        | 452   |
| Operating Expenses = \$1581/ month                     |          |            |       |

| Commingled Pictured Cliffs, Mesaverde and Dakota |          |            |       |
|--------------------------------------------------|----------|------------|-------|
| Capital Expenses (\$M)                           | Tangible | Intangible | Total |
| Total                                            | 108      | 273        | 380   |
| Operating Expenses = \$349/ month                |          |            |       |

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## Mesaverde Expenses

| Mesaverde Single Completion        |          |            |       |
|------------------------------------|----------|------------|-------|
| Capital Expenses (\$M)             | Tangible | Intangible | Total |
| Total                              | 319      | 908        | 1227  |
| Operating Expenses = \$1339/ month |          |            |       |

| Commingled Mesaverde and Dakota   |          |            |       |
|-----------------------------------|----------|------------|-------|
| Capital Expenses (\$M)            | Tangible | Intangible | Total |
| Total                             | 187      | 522        | 709   |
| Operating Expenses = \$892/ month |          |            |       |

| Commingled Pictured Cliffs, Mesaverde and Dakota |          |            |       |
|--------------------------------------------------|----------|------------|-------|
| Capital Expenses (\$M)                           | Tangible | Intangible | Total |
| Total                                            | 223      | 328        | 551   |
| Operating Expenses = \$419/ month                |          |            |       |

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## Dakota Expenses

| Dakota Single Completion           |          |            |       |
|------------------------------------|----------|------------|-------|
| Capital Expenses (\$M)             | Tangible | Intangible | Total |
| Total                              | 272      | 893        | 1165  |
| Operating Expenses = \$1320/ month |          |            |       |

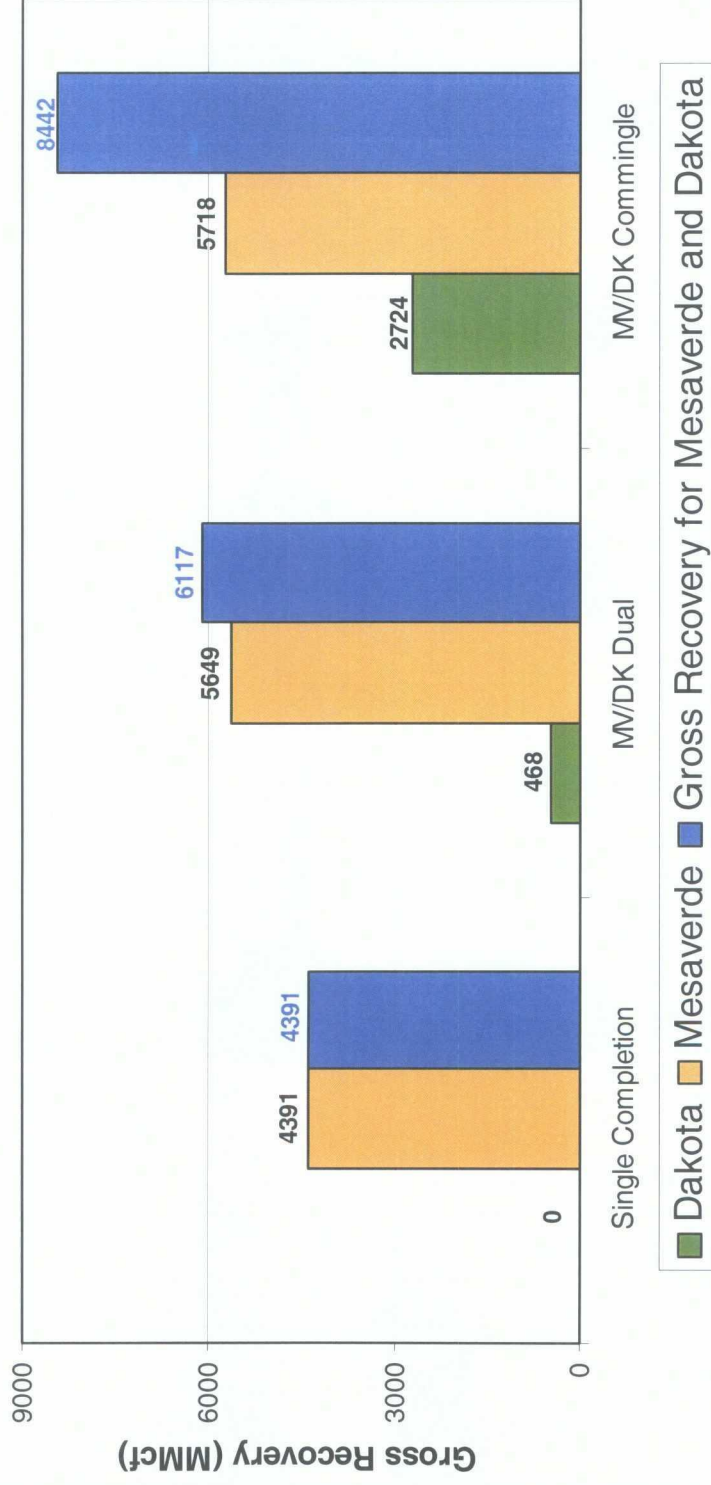
| Commingled Mesaverde and Dakota   |          |            |       |
|-----------------------------------|----------|------------|-------|
| Capital Expenses (\$M)            | Tangible | Intangible | Total |
| Total                             | 203      | 516        | 719   |
| Operating Expenses = \$595/ month |          |            |       |

| Commingled Pictured Cliffs, Mesaverde and Dakota |          |            |       |
|--------------------------------------------------|----------|------------|-------|
| Capital Expenses (\$M)                           | Tangible | Intangible | Total |
| Total                                            | 176      | 422        | 598   |
| Operating Expenses = \$279/ month                |          |            |       |

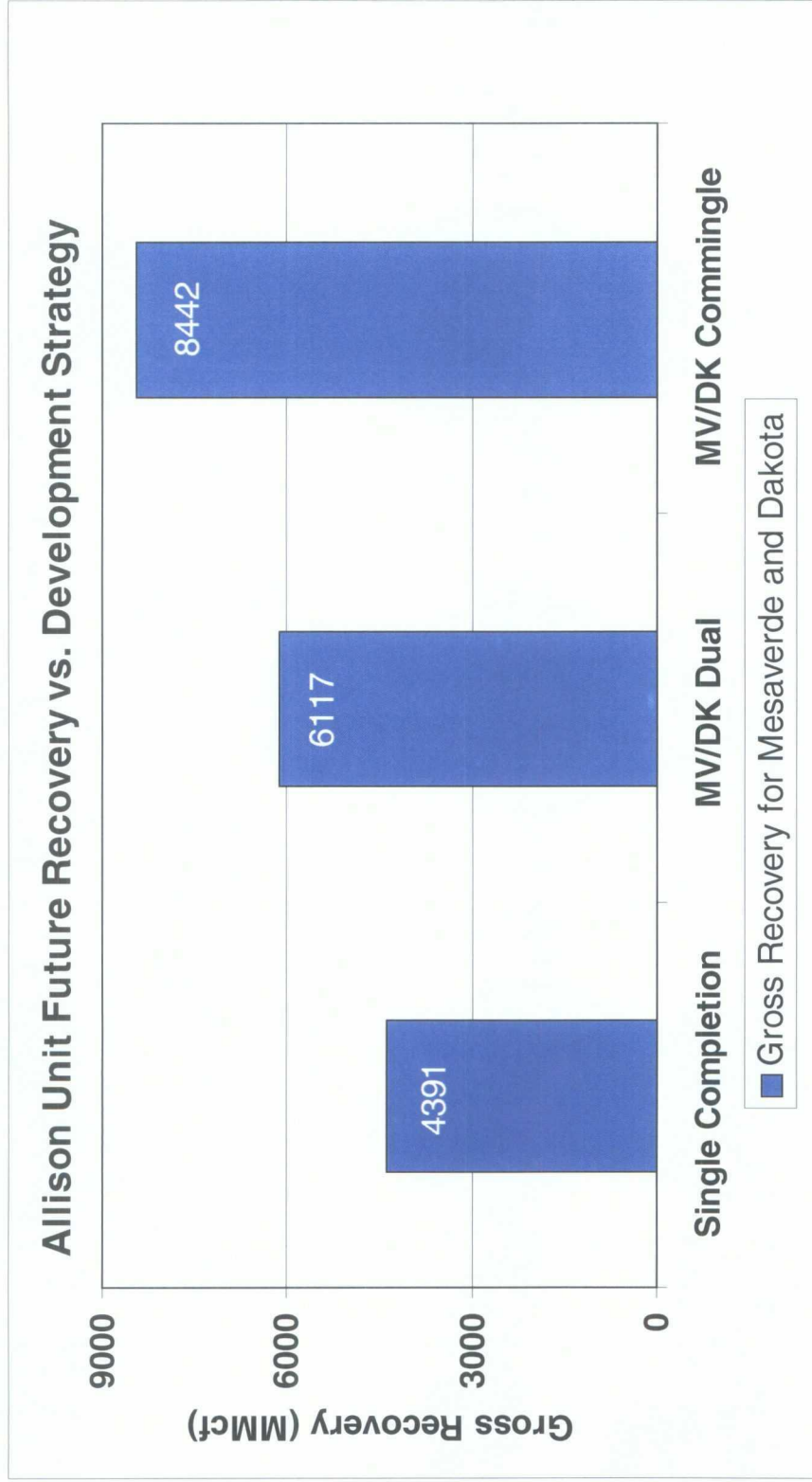
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# Downhole Commingling Extends Economic Limits Because of Reduced Costs and Yields a Higher Gross Recovery of Reserves

Allison Unit Future Recovery vs. Development Strategy







The same logic applies for all other scenarios. By commingling zones, capital and operating costs are reduced. As a result, the economic limits for wells are extended and this increases the gross recovery.