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NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
 - Engineering Bureau -
 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87505



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ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATION CHECKLIST

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THIS CHECKLIST IS MANDATORY FOR ALL ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATIONS FOR EXCEPTIONS TO DIVISION RULES AND REGULATIONS WHICH REQUIRE PROCESSING AT THE DIVISION LEVEL IN SANTA FE

Application Acronyms:

- [NSL-Non-Standard Location] [NSP-Non-Standard Proration Unit] [SD-Simultaneous Dedication]
- [DHC-Downhole Commingling] [CTB-Lease Commingling] [PLC-Pool/Lease Commingling]
- [PC-Pool Commingling] [OLS - Off-Lease Storage] [OLM-Off-Lease Measurement]
- [WFX-Waterflood Expansion] [PMX-Pressure Maintenance Expansion]
- [SWD-Salt Water Disposal] [IPI-Injection Pressure Increase]
- [EOR-Qualified Enhanced Oil Recovery Certification] [PPR-Positive Production Response]

- [1] **TYPE OF APPLICATION** - Check Those Which Apply for [A]
- [A] Location - Spacing Unit - Simultaneous Dedication
 NSL NSP SD
- Check One Only for [B] or [C]
- [B] Commingling - Storage - Measurement
 DHC CTB PLC PC OLS OLM
- [C] Injection - Disposal - Pressure Increase - Enhanced Oil Recovery
 WFX PMX SWD IPI EOR PPR
- [D] Other: Specify _____

WFX-733
IPI-360

- [2] **NOTIFICATION REQUIRED TO:** - Check Those Which Apply, or Does Not Apply
- [A] Working, Royalty or Overriding Royalty Interest Owners
- [B] Offset Operators, Leaseholders or Surface Owner
- [C] Application is One Which Requires Published Legal Notice
- [D] Notification and/or Concurrent Approval by BLM or SLO
U.S. Bureau of Land Management - Commissioner of Public Lands, State Land Office
- [E] For all of the above, Proof of Notification or Publication is Attached, and/or,
- [F] Waivers are Attached

[3] **SUBMIT ACCURATE AND COMPLETE INFORMATION REQUIRED TO PROCESS THE TYPE OF APPLICATION INDICATED ABOVE.**

[4] **CERTIFICATION:** I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application for administrative approval is **accurate** and **complete** to the best of my knowledge. I also understand that **no action** will be taken on this application until the required information and notifications are submitted to the Division.

Note: Statement must be completed by an individual with managerial and/or supervisory capacity.

David Catanach
 Print or Type Name
 2/25/11
 Date

David Catanach
 Signature
 drcatanach@netscape.com
 E-Mail Address

Agent for Quantum Resources Management, LLC
 Title

February 25, 2011

Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department
Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Drive
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Attention: Mr. Daniel Sanchez, Acting Division Director

HAND DELIVERED

Re: Application for Increased Injection Pressure
Quantum Resources Management, LLC
Artesia Unit Waterflood Project
Artesia Queen-Grayburg-San Andres Pool (3230)
Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Sanchez,

Quantum Resources Management, LLC ("Quantum") as current operator of the Artesia Unit Waterflood Project, located in portions of Sections 25, 26, 34, 35 and 36, Township 17 South, Range 28 East, and Sections 2 & 3, Township 18 South, Range 28 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico, hereby requests administrative approval to increase the surface injection pressure on a unit-wide basis for all injection wells within the unit area.

Waterflood operations within the Artesia Unit were initially approved by Division Order No. R-2876 dated March 5, 1965. Waterflood operations have been ongoing since that time. Additional injection wells within the unit area have subsequently been added and permitted by Division Orders No. R-3311, WFX-330, WFX-347, WFX-374, WFX-385, WFX-436, WFX-470, WFX-733, WFX-768 and R-11720, as amended. There are currently twenty-one active or permitted injection wells within the unit area.

An examination of Division records appears to show that most of the injection wells within the Artesia Unit were permitted prior to 1980. It is our understanding that prior to that time, the Division did not impose a maximum surface injection pressure on permitted injection wells and, for that reason, it is difficult to ascertain whether or not most of these injection wells are subject to a maximum surface injection pressure, and what that pressure may be.

As a result of prior step rate tests conducted within the Artesia Unit, five of the injection wells within the unit area are subject to surface pressure limits of 1050, 1050, 1300, 1000, and 850 psi. (See Division Orders No. IPI-234 and IPI-360.)

*Quantum Resources Management, LLC
Request for Surface Injection Pressure Increase
Artesia Unit Waterflood Project
Eddy County, New Mexico*

Melrose Operating Company, the previous operator of the Artesia Unit, conducted step rate injection tests on seven wells within the unit area during the period from May, 2006 through April, 2010. In addition to those tests, Quantum has conducted step rate injection tests on three additional wells during February, 2011. The step rate tests generally indicate fracture pressures ranging from 600-1564 psi. Step rate tests conducted on the Artesia Unit Wells No. 53 and 54 appear to be anomalies since they indicate fracture pressures in the 600-842 psi range. These tests do not appear to be consistent with the results of the eight other tests conducted within the unit area. If these two tests are not considered, the average fracture pressure that was determined in the remaining eight wells is 1250 psi. **Consequently, Quantum hereby requests authority to increase the surface injection pressure on a unit-wide basis within the Artesia Unit to 1,200 psi.** (Note: the only exception is the Artesia Unit No. 29. This well currently has a maximum surface injection pressure limit of 1,300 psi). The proposed pressure increase represents a fairly conservative pressure gradient of approximately 0.6 psi/ft. Approval of the proposed pressure increase will allow Quantum to effectively and efficiently conduct secondary recovery operations within the Artesia Unit, thereby increasing the recovery of hydrocarbons from the Artesia Queen-Grayburg-San Andres Pool. Also, Quantum believes that the proposed surface injection pressure will not fracture the injection formation or confining strata, and will therefore protect fresh water resources within the unit area.

Attached is a table showing a list of the injection wells within the Artesia Unit, along with its API No., well location, currently authorized surface injection pressure, and test results on those wells recently tested.

Also attached is a map of the Artesia Unit showing the location of the injection wells within the unit area, as well as the location of the recently-tested injection wells.

Also attached is a graphical presentation of the step rate tests conducted.

If you should have any questions, please contact me at (505) 690-9453.

Sincerely,



Mr. David Catanach
Agent for Quantum Resources Management, LLC
1401 McKinney Street
Suite 2400
Houston, Texas 77010

Xc: OCD-Artesia

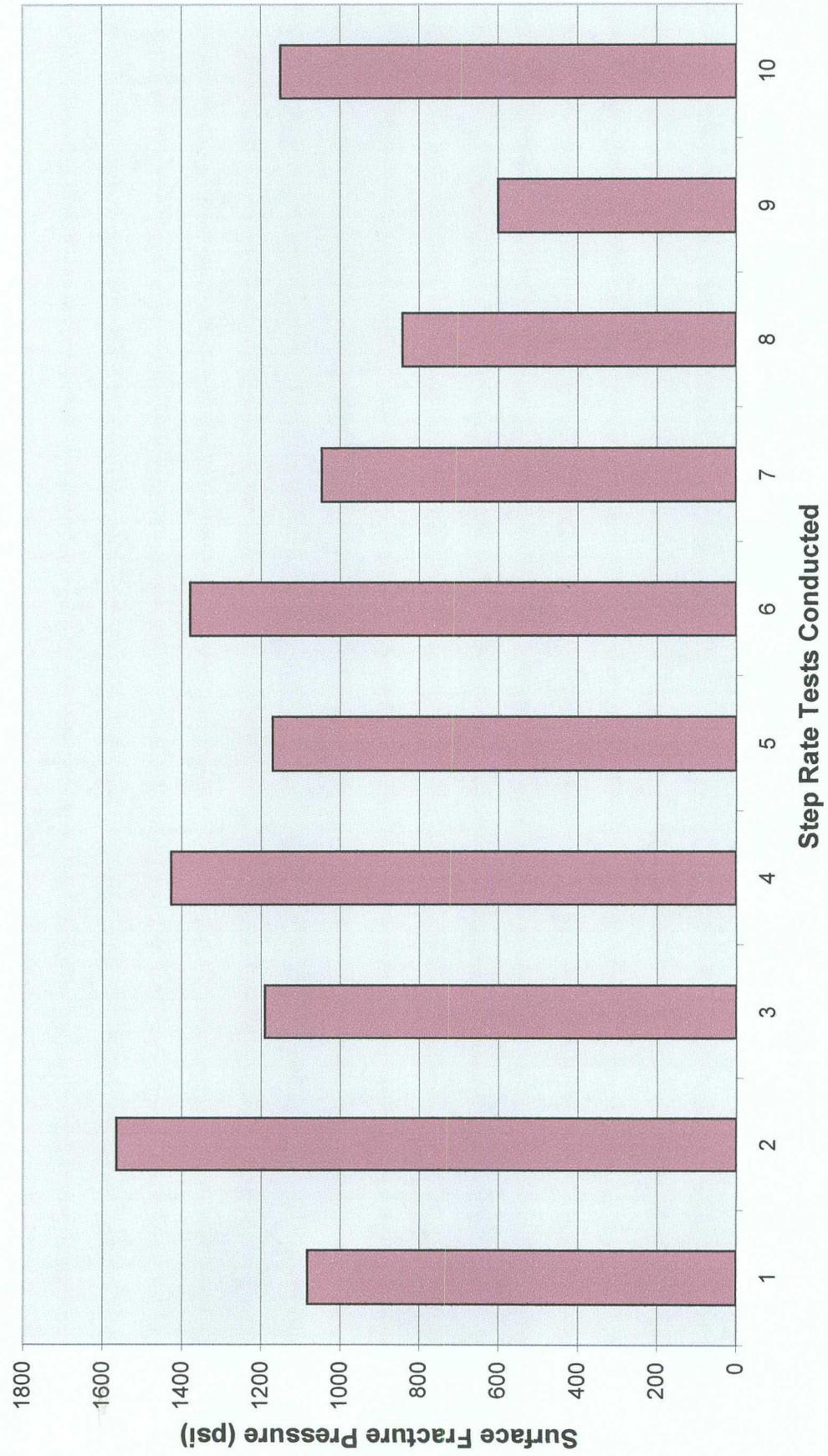
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Quantum Resources Management, LLC
Artesia Unit Injection Wells
Step Rate Test Results

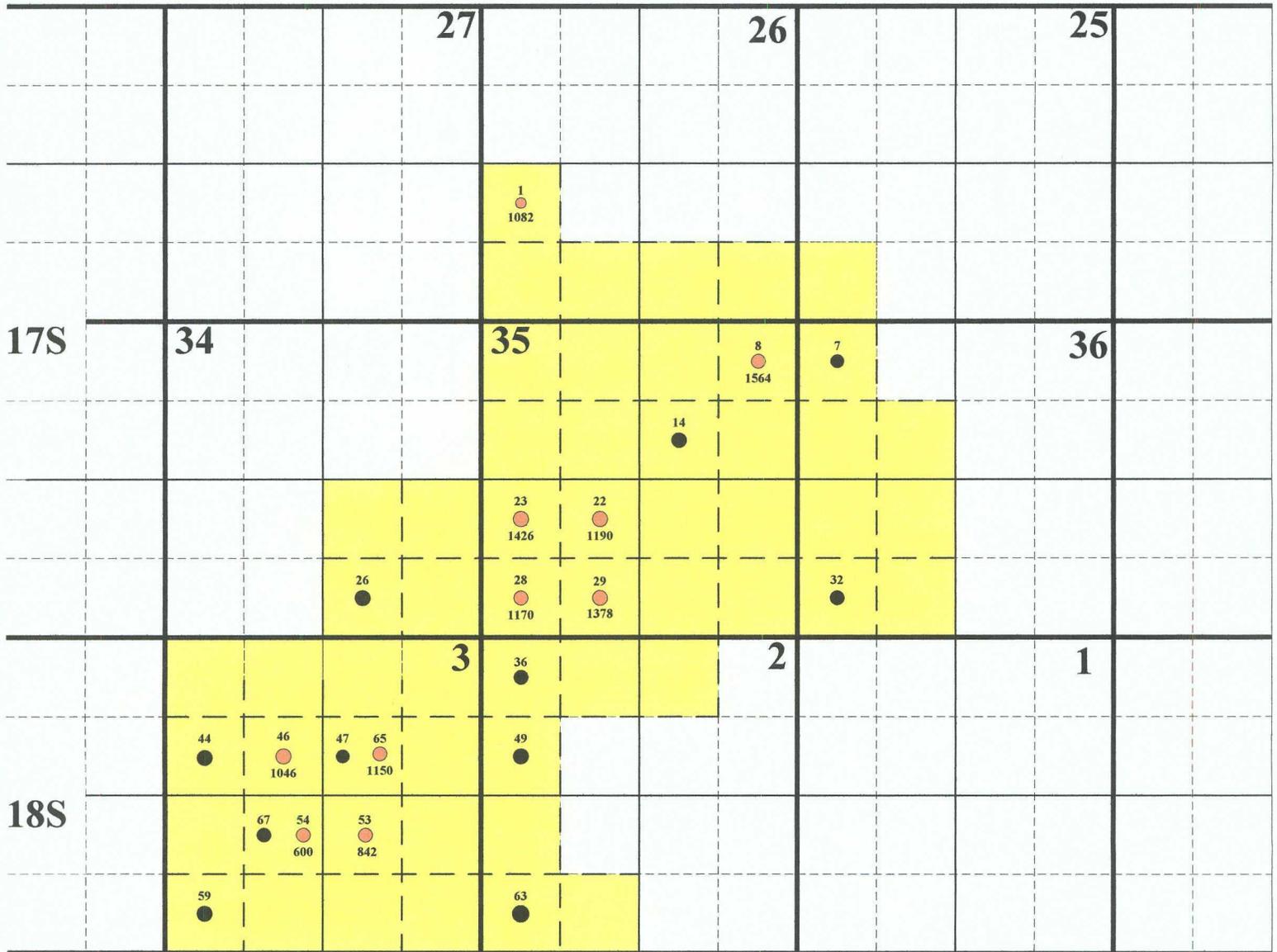
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Artesia Ut.	7	30-015-10080	Unit D, Section 36, T-17S, R-28E	*	
Artesia Ut.	8	30-015-01751	Unit A, Section 35, T-17S, R-28E	*	1564 psi
Artesia Ut.	14	30-015-01755	Unit G, Section 35, T-17S, R-28E	*	
Artesia Ut.	22	30-015-01747	Unit K, Section 35, T-17S, R-28E	*	1190 psi
Artesia Ut.	23	30-015-01746	Unit L, Section 35, T-17S, R-28E	1050 psi	1426 psi
Artesia Ut.	26	30-015-01708	Unit O, Section 34, T-17S, R-28E	*	
Artesia Ut.	28	30-015-01732	Unit M, Section 35, T-17S, R-28E	*	1170 psi
Artesia Ut.	29	30-015-01742	Unit N, Section 35, T-17S, R-28E	1300 psi	1378 psi
Artesia Ut.	32	30-015-01764	Unit M, Section 36, T-17S, R-28E	*	
Artesia Ut.	36	30-015-01782	Unit D, Section 2, T-18S, R-28E	*	
Artesia Ut.	44	30-015-01796	Unit E, Section 3, T-18S, R-28E	*	
Artesia Ut.	46	30-015-02541	Unit F, Section 3, T-18S, R-28E	1000 psi	1046 psi
Artesia Ut.	47	30-015-02545	Unit G, Section 3, T-18S, R-28E	*	
Artesia Ut.	49	30-015-01779	Unit E, Section 2, T-18S, R-28E	*	
Artesia Ut.	53	30-015-01788	Unit J, Section 3, T-18S, R-28E	850 psi	842 psi
Artesia Ut.	54	30-015-01801	Unit K, Section 3, T-18S, R-28E	434 psi	600 psi
Artesia Ut.	59	30-015-01792	Unit M, Section 3, T-18S, R-28E	*	
Artesia Ut.	63	30-015-01781	Unit M, Section 2, T-18S, R-28E	*	
Artesia Ut.	65	30-015-20273	Unit G, Section 3, T-18S, R-28E	*	1150 psi
Artesia Ut.	67	30-015-20327	Unit K, Section 3, T-18S, R-28E	*	

* Division Order Nos. R-2876, R-3311, WFX-330, WFX-347, WFX-374, WFX-436 did not establish a surface injection pressure limit for these wells.

Quantum Resources Management, LLC Step Rate Test Results



28 East



Artesia Unit Area

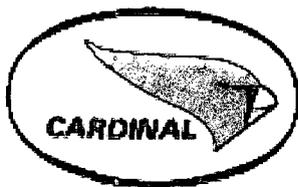


Existing Injection Well/Well Number



**Existing Injection Well
Step Rate Test Conducted
Well Number/Surface Fracture Pressure**

Step Rate Test



Cardinal Surveys Company

September 15, 2009

Melrose Operating
Artesia Unit # 1
Field:
Eddy County, New Mexico
SC 58485B
File # 19547

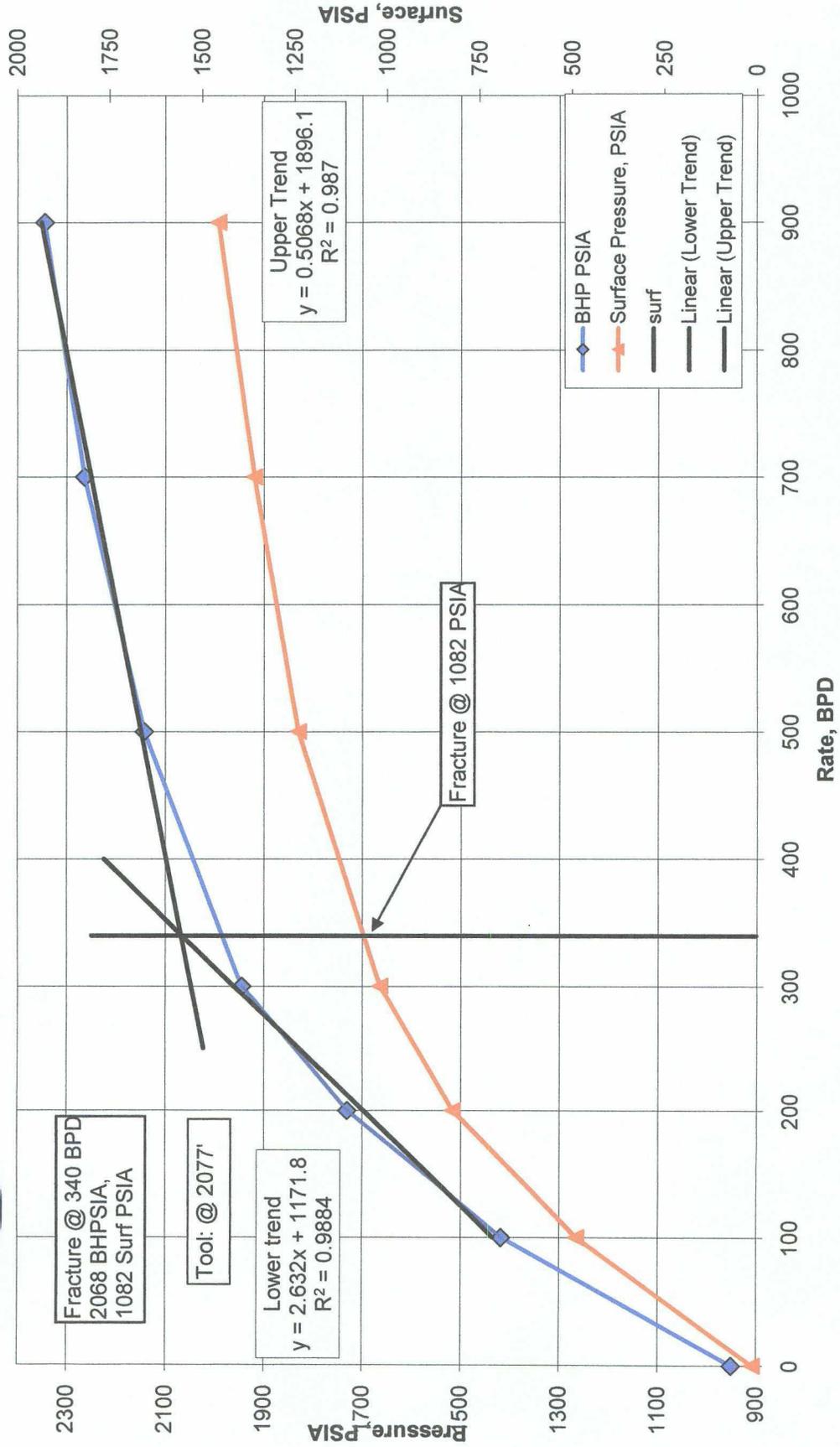
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Surface PSI Gauge Ser. No.
Tool @ 2077'

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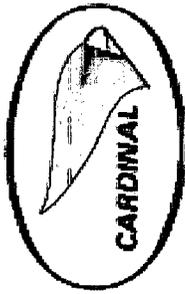


Melrose Operating Artesia Unit # 1 Step Rate Test 09-15-2009



Step Rate Test

Melrose Operating
 Artesia Unit # 1
 Field:
 Eddy County, New Mexico



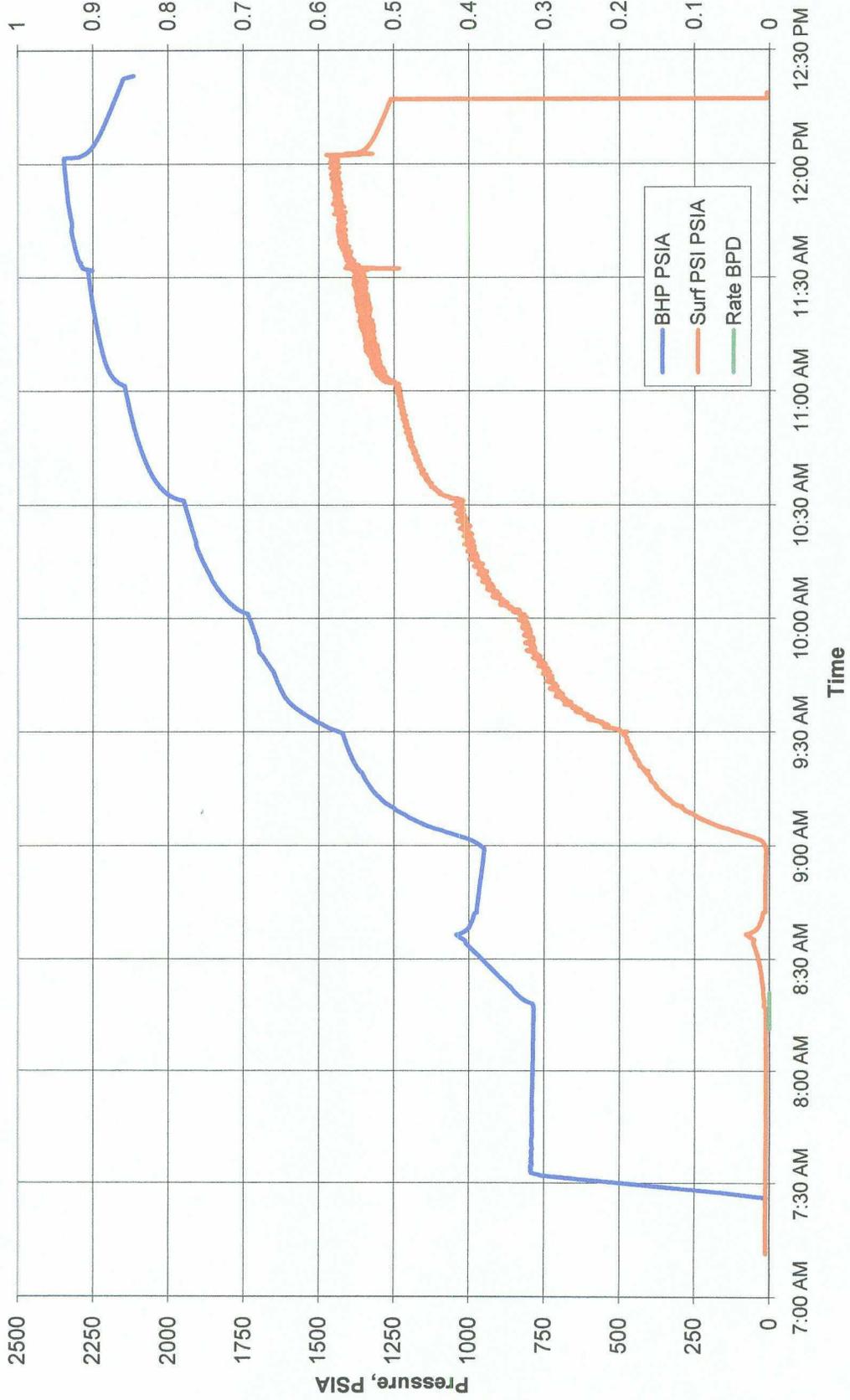
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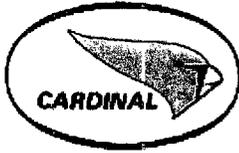
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Melrose Operating Artesia Unit # 1 Step Rate Test 09-15-2009



Step Rate Test



Cardinal Surveys Company

February 7, 2011

Quantum Petroleum
Artesia # 8
Field:
Eddy County, New Mexico
SC 59516
File # 20151

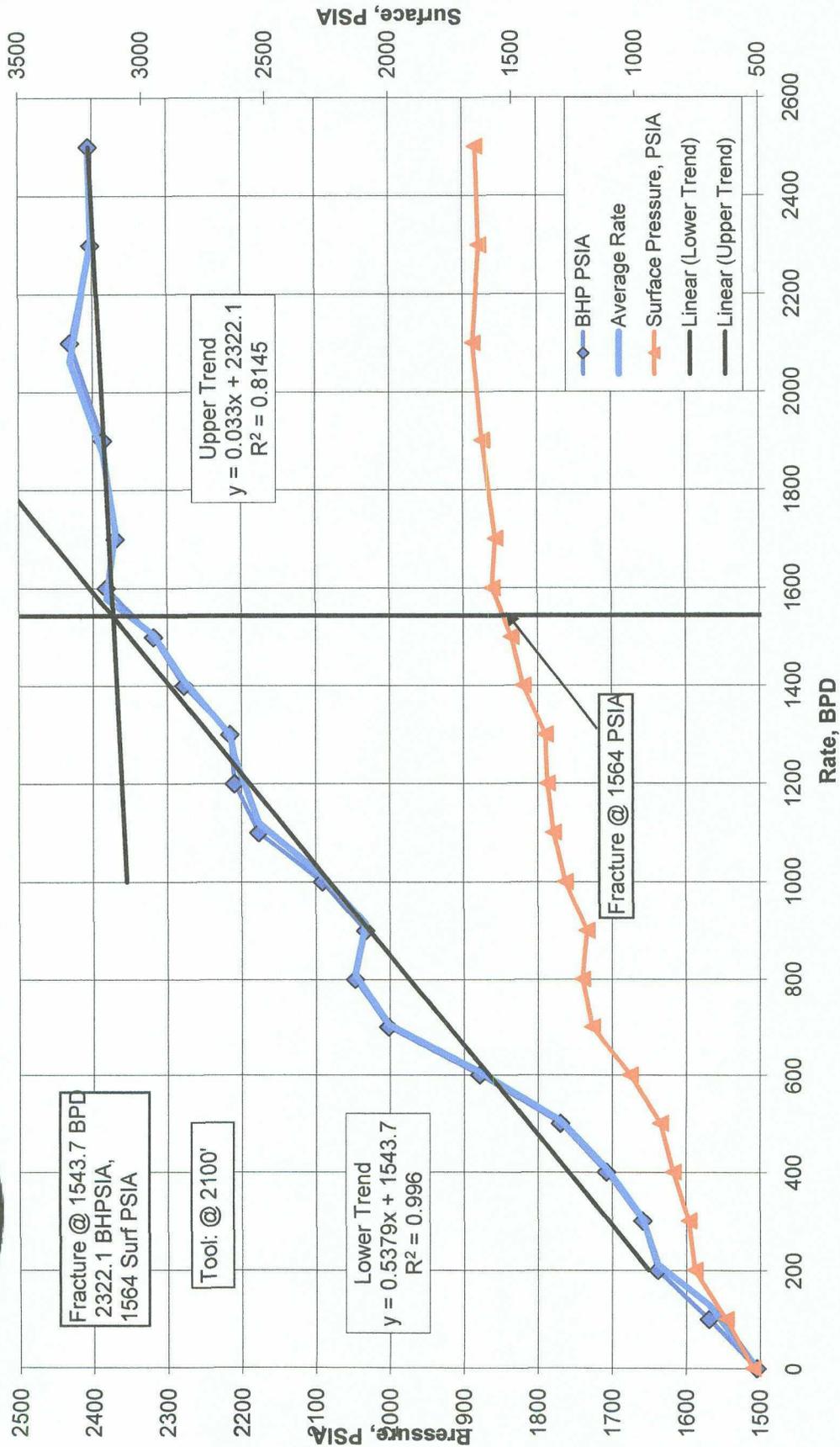
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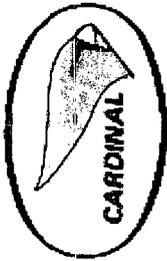
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Quantum Petroleum Artesia # 8 Step Rate Test 02-07-2011



Step Rate Test



Quantum Petroleum

Artesia # 8

Field:

Eddy County, New Mexico

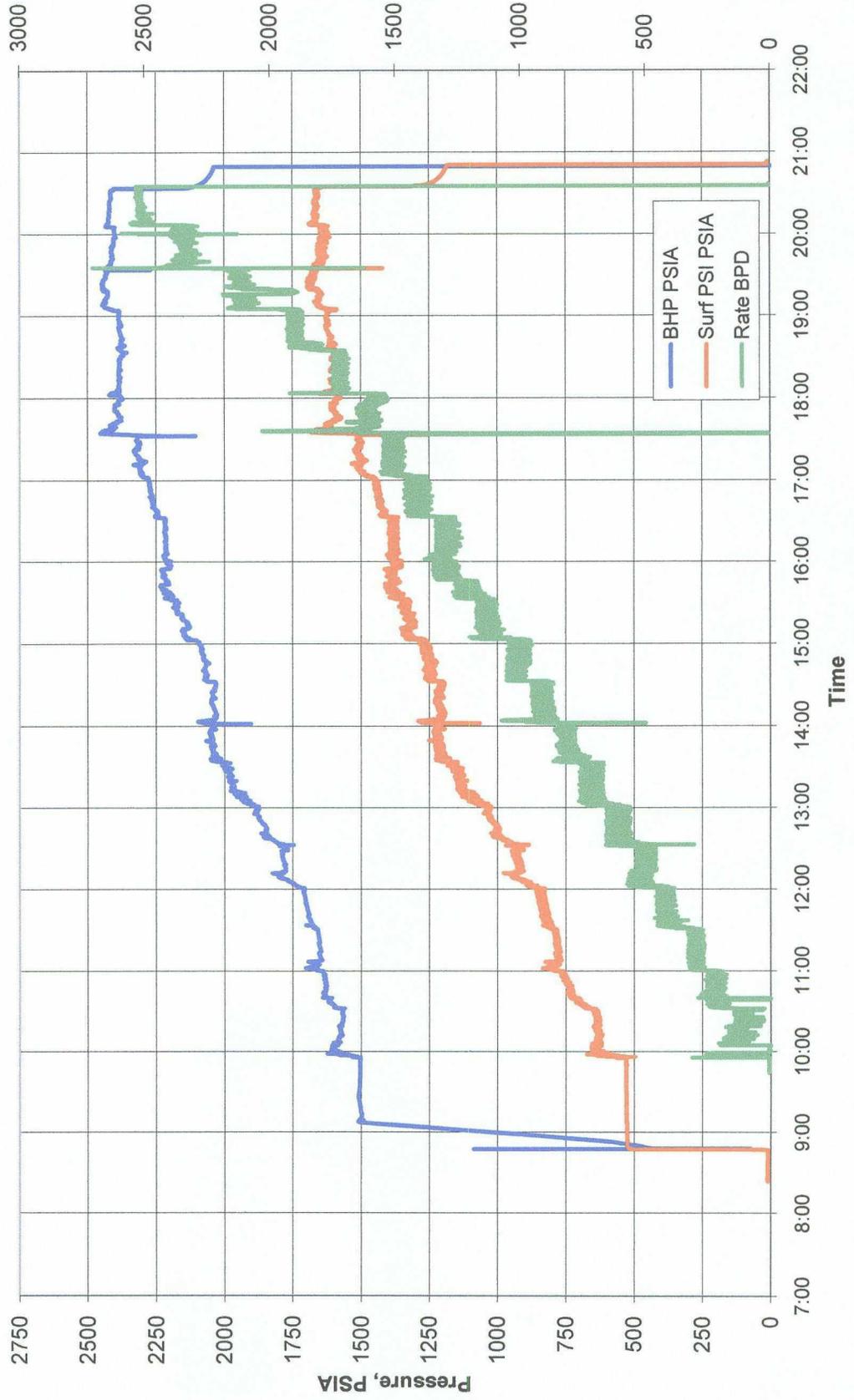
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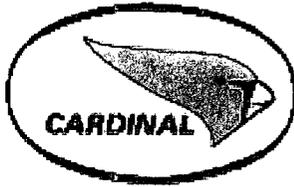
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Quantum Petroleum Artesia # 8 Step Rate Test 02-07-2011



Step Rate Test



Cardinal Surveys Company

February 9, 2011

Quantum Petroleum
Artesia # 22
Field:
Eddy County, New Mexico
SC 59518
File # 20153

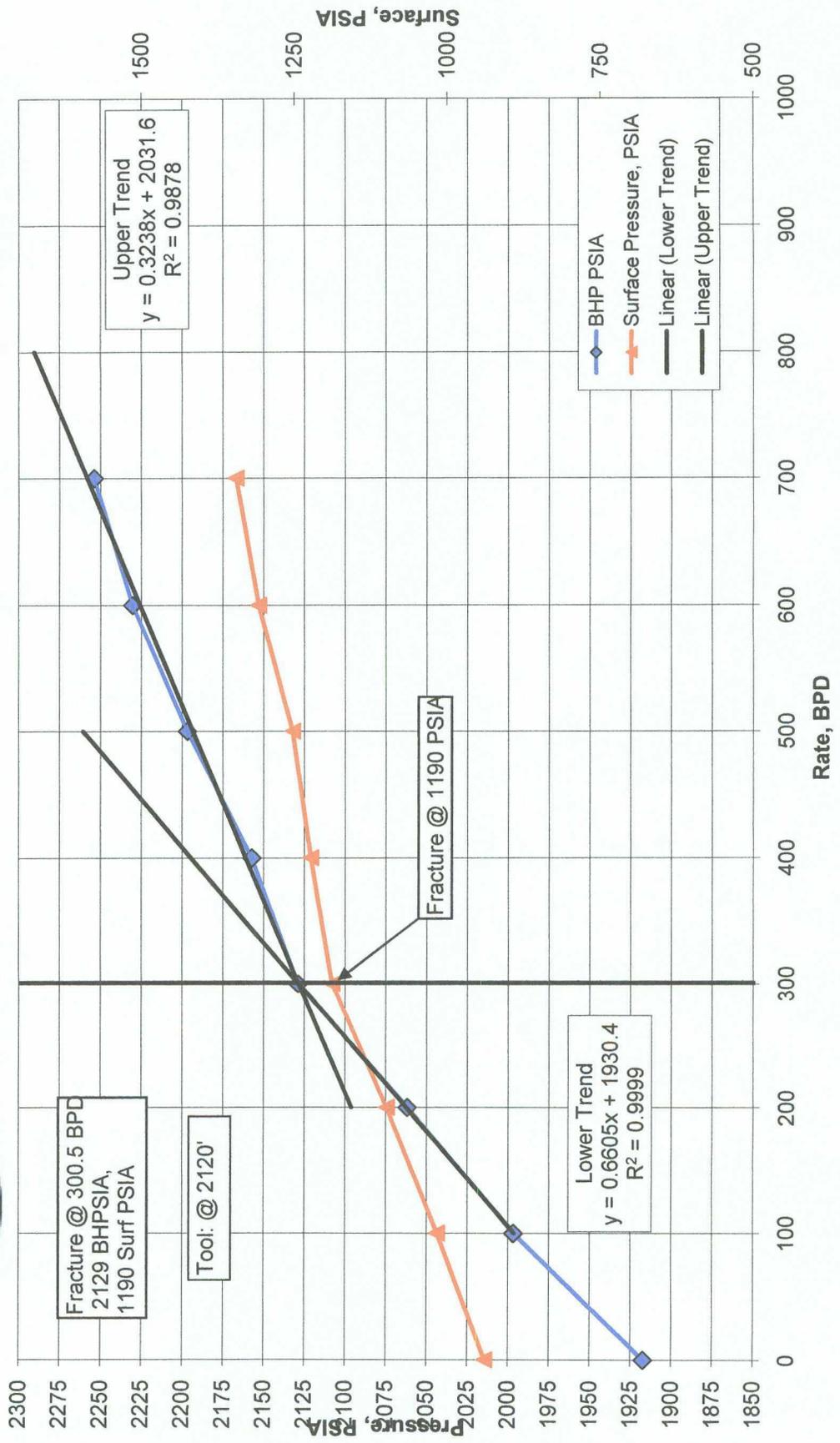
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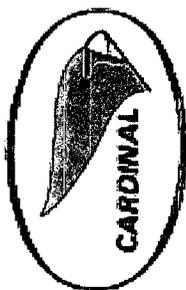
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Quantum Petroleum Artesia Unit # 22
Step Rate Test 02-09-2011



Step Rate Test



Quantum Petroleum
 Artesia Unit # 22
 Field:
 Eddy County, New Mexico

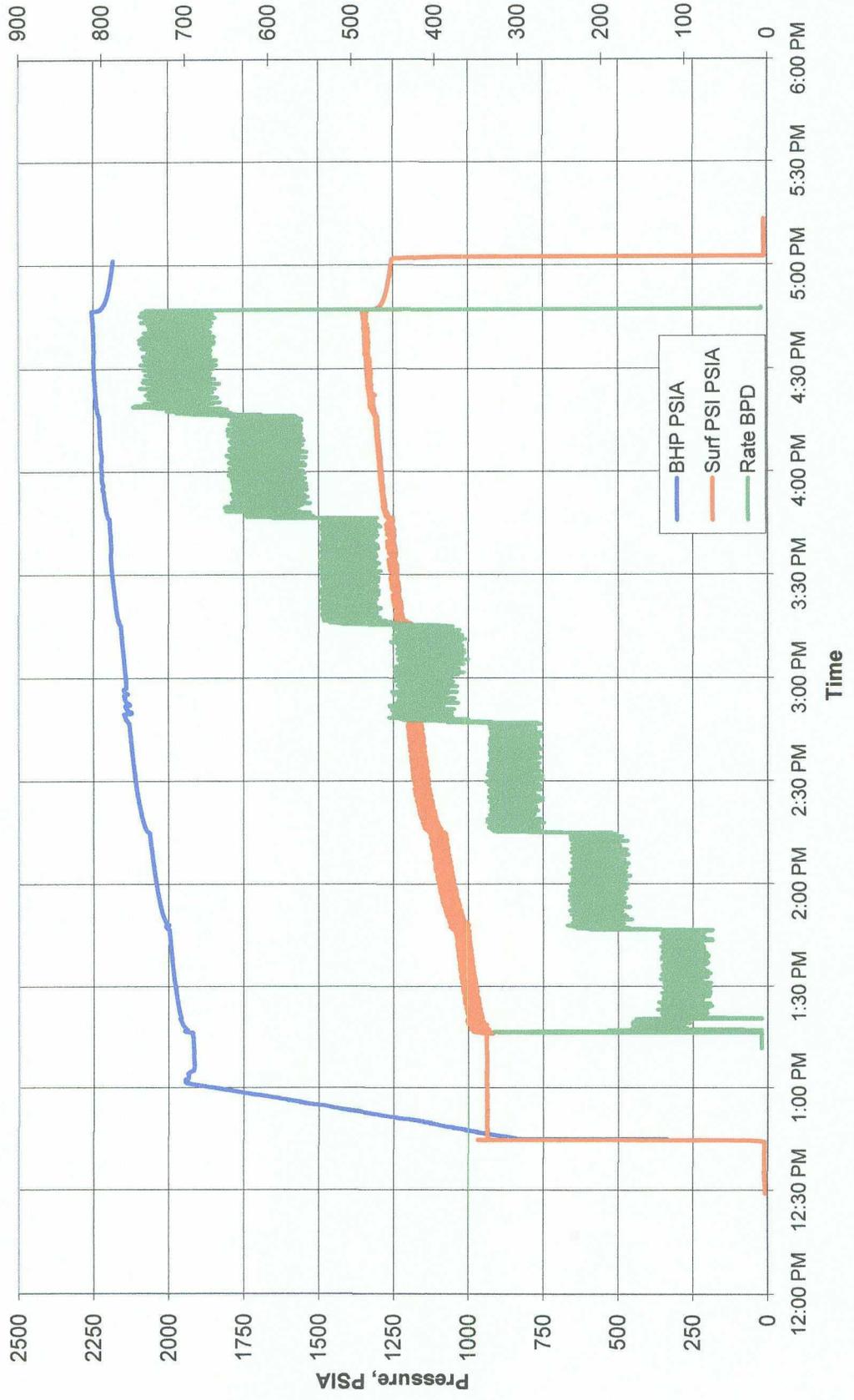
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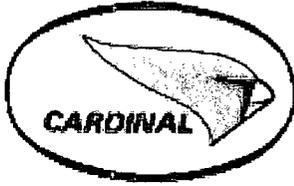
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Quantum Petroleum Artesia Unit # 22
Step Rate Test 02-09-2011



Step Rate Test



Cardinal Surveys Company

April 14, 2010

QUANTUM Petroleum
Artesia # 23
Field:
Eddy County, New Mexico
SC 59515
File # 20148

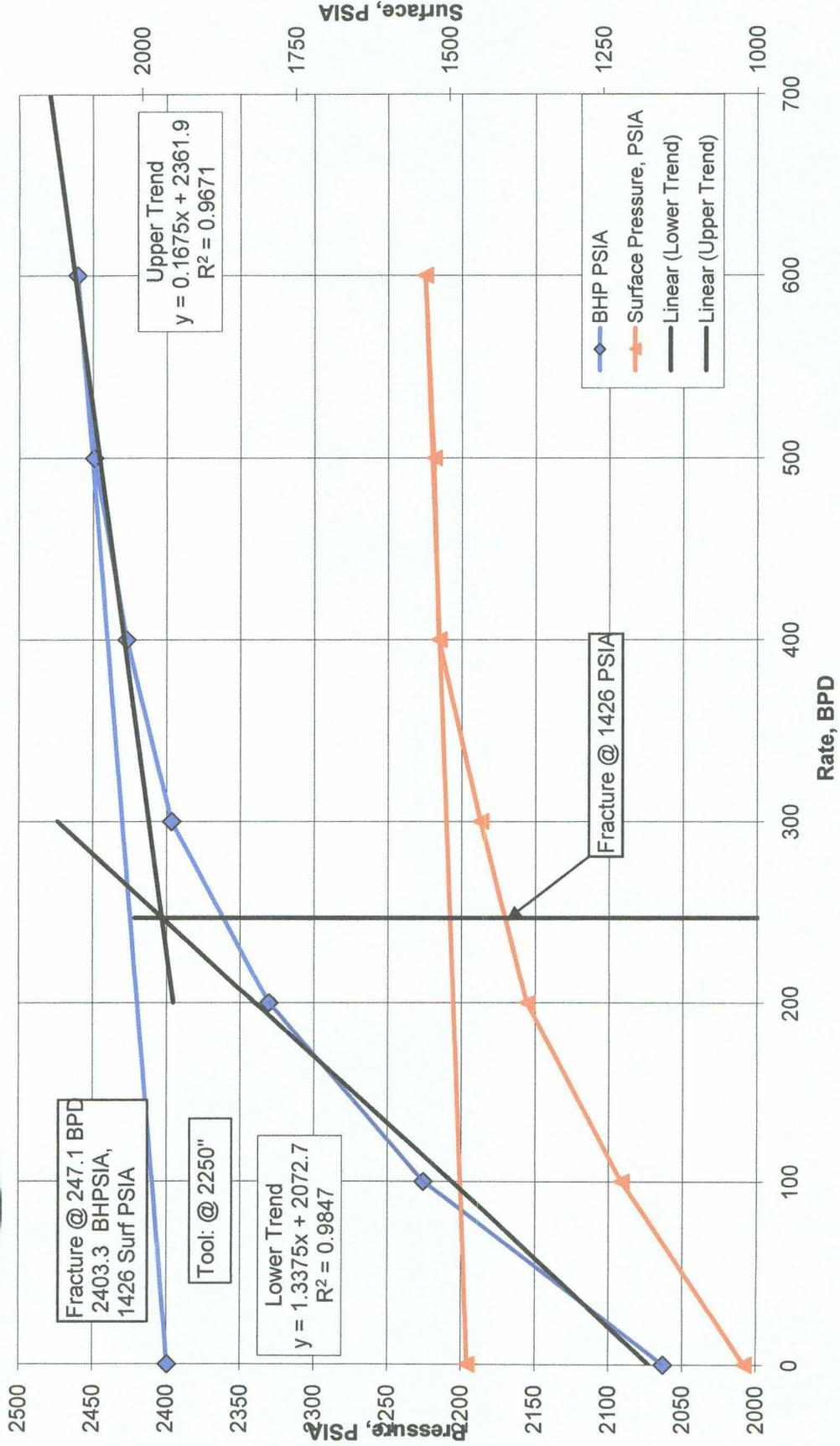
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Surface PSI Gauge Ser. No.
Tool @ 2250'

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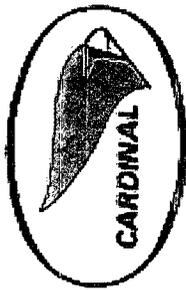


Quantum Petroleum Artesia # 23
Step Rate Test 01-31-2011



Step Rate Test

Quantum Petroleum
 Artesia # 23
 Field:
 Eddy County, New Mexico



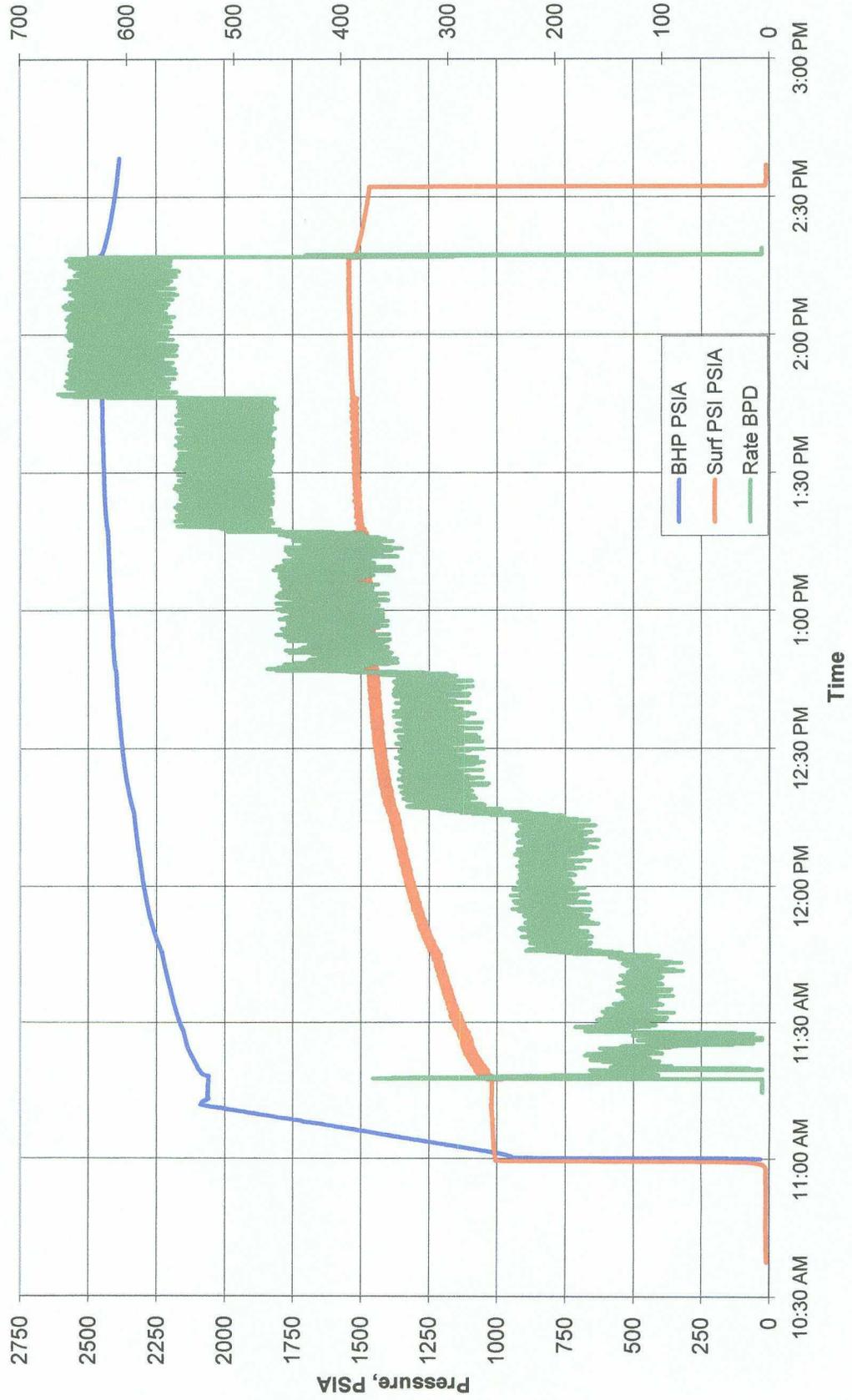
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4	12:15 PM	12:45 PM	30	300	100	2396.6	2396.6	1449.4	12.6	6.30	302				
5	12:45 PM	1:15 PM	30	400	100	2427.1	2427.1	1517.8	21	8.40	101			2427.1	
6	1:15 PM	1:45 PM	30	500	100	2449.2	2449.2	1526	31.1	10.10	82			2449.2	
7	1:45 PM	2:15 PM	30	600	100	2460.6	2460.6	1540.2	43.9	12.80	614			2460.6	
8	2:15 PM	2:30 PM	15	0	-600	2399.5	2399.5	1469.9	43.9	0.00	0				

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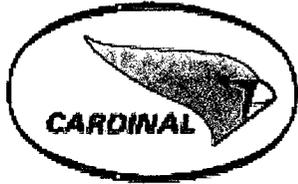
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Quantum Petroleum Artesia # 23 Step Rate Test 01-31-2011



Step Rate Test



Cardinal Surveys Company

May 2, 2006

Melrose Operating
Artesia Unit # 28
Field:
Eddy County, NM

Intercept @ 580.6 BPD &
2053.0 PSIA, 1169.9
Surf. PSIA

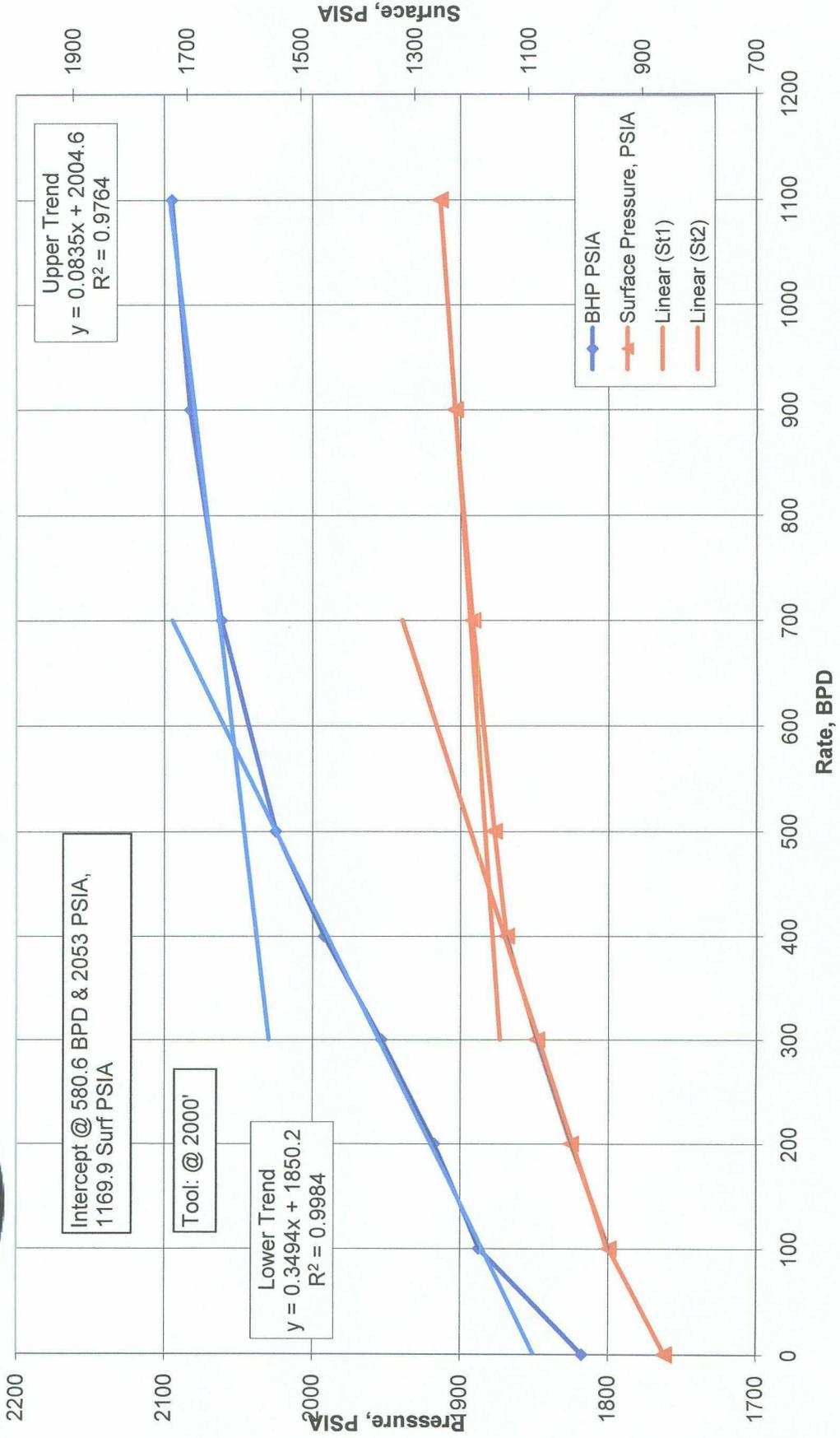
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Surface PSI Gauge Ser. No. 10548
Tool @ 2000

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2	8:00 AM	8:30 AM	100	
3	8:30 AM	9:00 AM	200	
4	9:00 AM	9:30 AM	300	
5	9:30 AM	10:00 AM	400	
6	10:00 AM	10:30 AM	500	
7	10:30 AM	11:00 AM	700	
8	11:00 AM	11:30 AM	900	
9	11:30 AM	12:00 PM	1100	
10	12:00 PM	12:15 PM		0 Fall Off

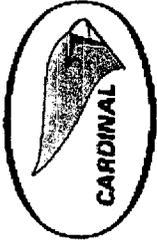


Melrose Operating Artesia Unit # 28
Step Rate Test 05-02-2006



Step Rate Test

Melrose Operating
 Artesia Unit # 28
 Field:
 Eddy Co. NM



	S Time	E Time	D Time Min	Last Rate BPD	Step B. H. Pressure		Surf PSIA	Cum BBL	Delta BBL	Avg. BPD	Lower Trend	Upper		Surf. Trend	Surf. Trend	Surf. Upper
					BPD	PSIA						Trend	Lower			
1	7:43 AM	8:00 AM	17	0	0	1817.7	861.1	0	0	0						
2	8:00 AM	8:30 AM	30	100	100	1887.4	959.3	2.1	101	101	1887.4	959.3	959.3			
3	8:30 AM	9:00 AM	30	200	100	1917.6	1025.7	5.7	173	173	1917.6	1025.7	1025.7			
4	9:00 AM	9:30 AM	30	300	100	1953.3	1086	12.1	307	307	1953.3	1086	1086			
5	9:30 AM	10:00 AM	30	400	100	1992.2	1139	20.1	384	384	1992.2	1139	1139			
6	10:00 AM	10:30 AM	30	500	100	2024.8	1160.5	30.7	509	509	2024.8					
7	10:30 AM	11:00 AM	30	700	200	2061.5	1198.8	45.5	710	710	2061.5	2061.5	2061.5			
8	11:00 AM	11:30 AM	30	900	200	2082.7	1229.4	64.6	917	917	2082.7	2082.7	2082.7			1229.4
9	11:30 AM	12:00 PM	30	1100	200	2094.9	1255.6	87.5	1099	1099	2094.9	2094.9	2094.9			1255.6
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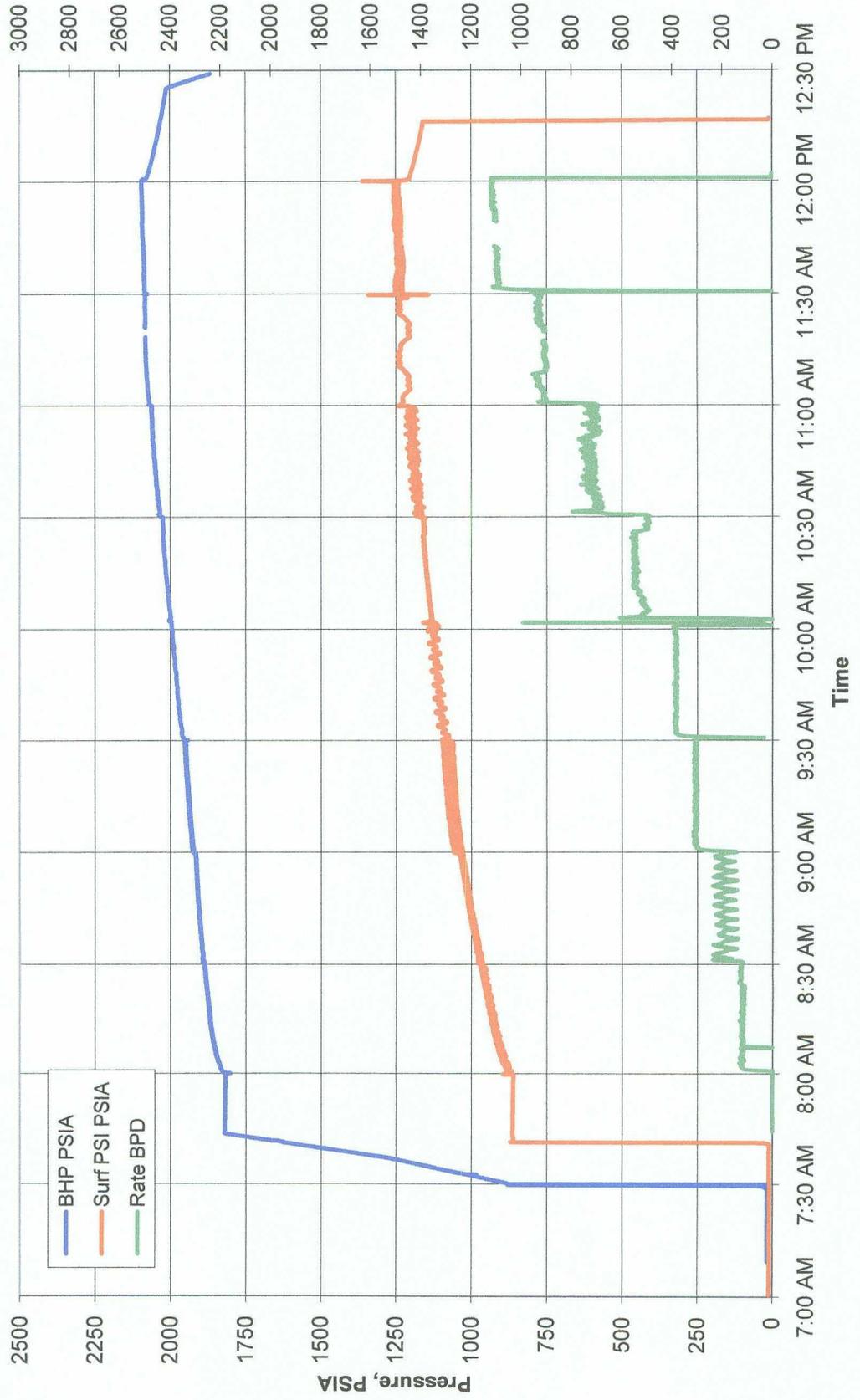
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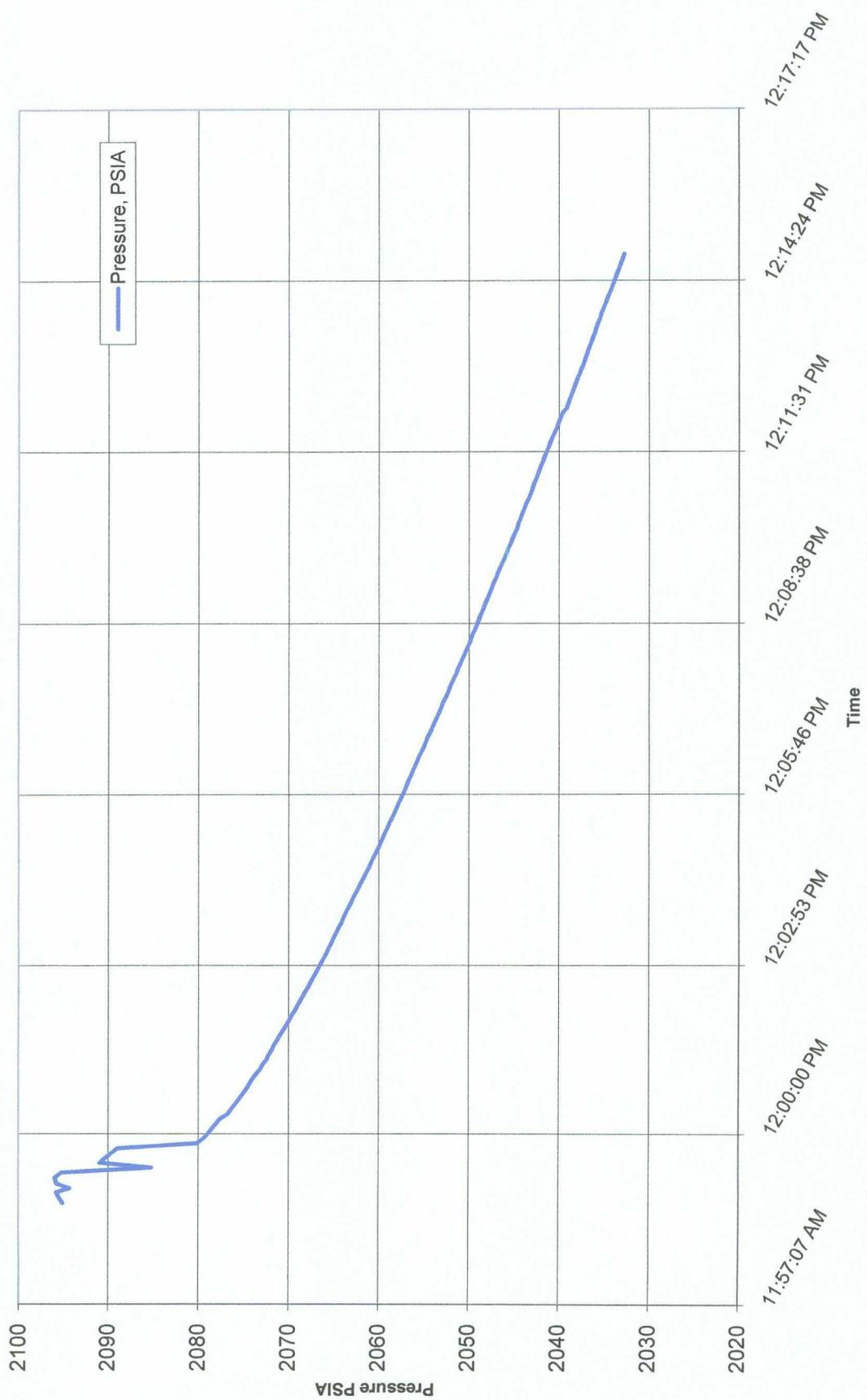


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Step Rate Test 05-02-2006

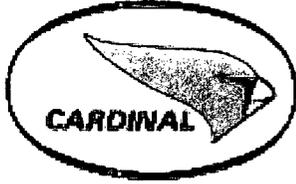




Melrose Operating Artesia Unit # 28 Step Rate Test 05-02-2006



Step Rate Test



Cardinal Surveys Company

September 29, 2009

Melrose Operating
Artesia Unit # 29
Field:
Eddy County, New Mexico
SC 58486
File # 19486

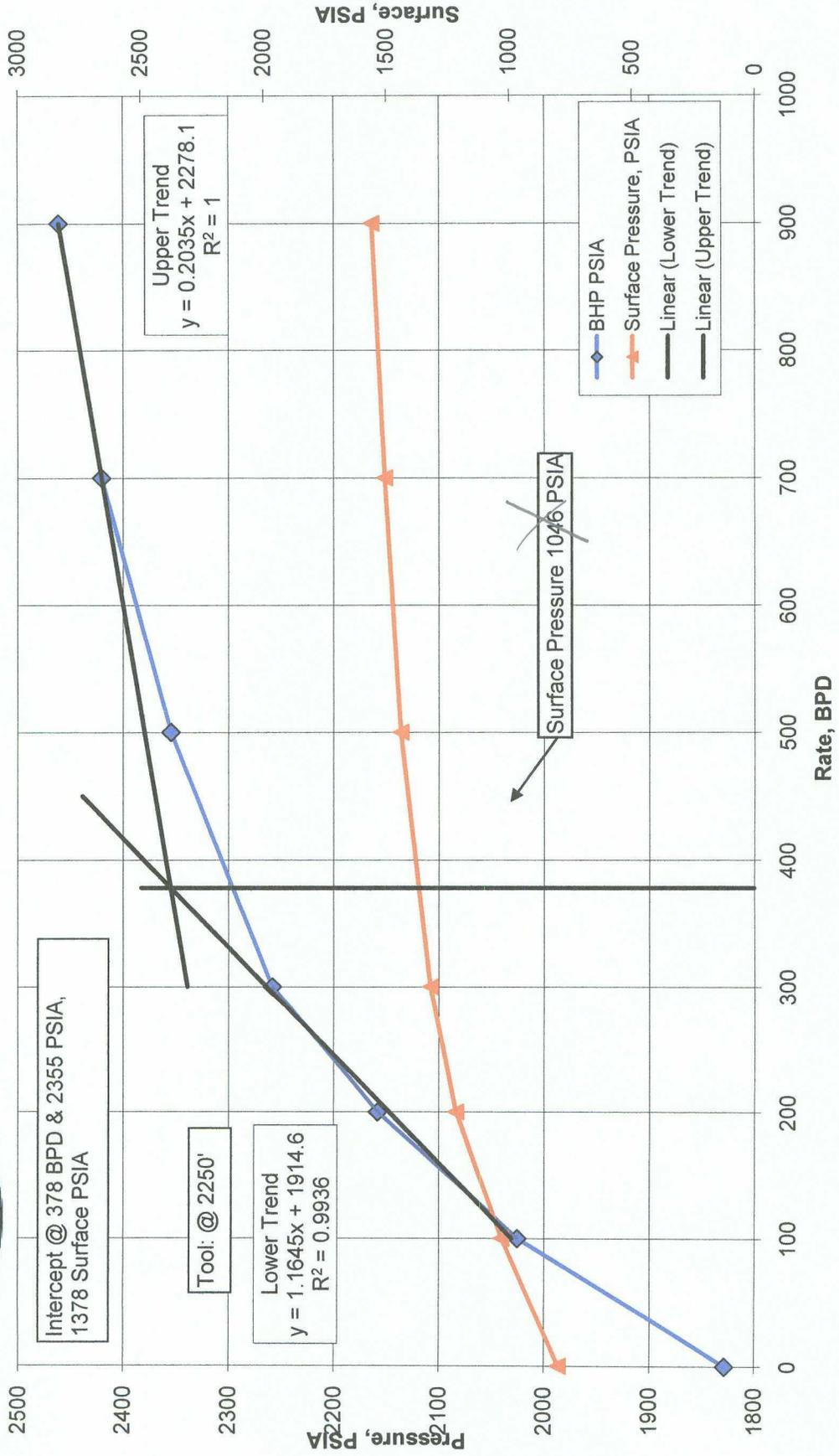
Intercept @ 378 BPD &
2355 PSIA, 1378
Surface PSIA

Downhole PSI Tool Ser. No.
Surface PSI Gauge Ser. No.
Tool @ 2100'

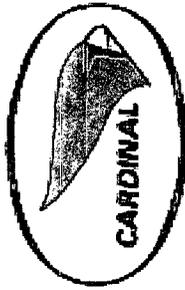
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3	9:30 AM	10:00 AM	200	
4	10:00 AM	10:30 AM	300	
5	10:30 AM	11:00 AM	500	
6	11:00 AM	11:30 AM	700	
7	11:30 AM	12:00 PM	900	
8	12:00 PM	12:15 PM		0 Fall Off



Melrose Operating Artesia Unit # 29
Step Rate Test 09-03-2009



Step Rate Test



Melrose Operating
 Artesia Unit # 29
 Field:
 Eddy County, New Mexico

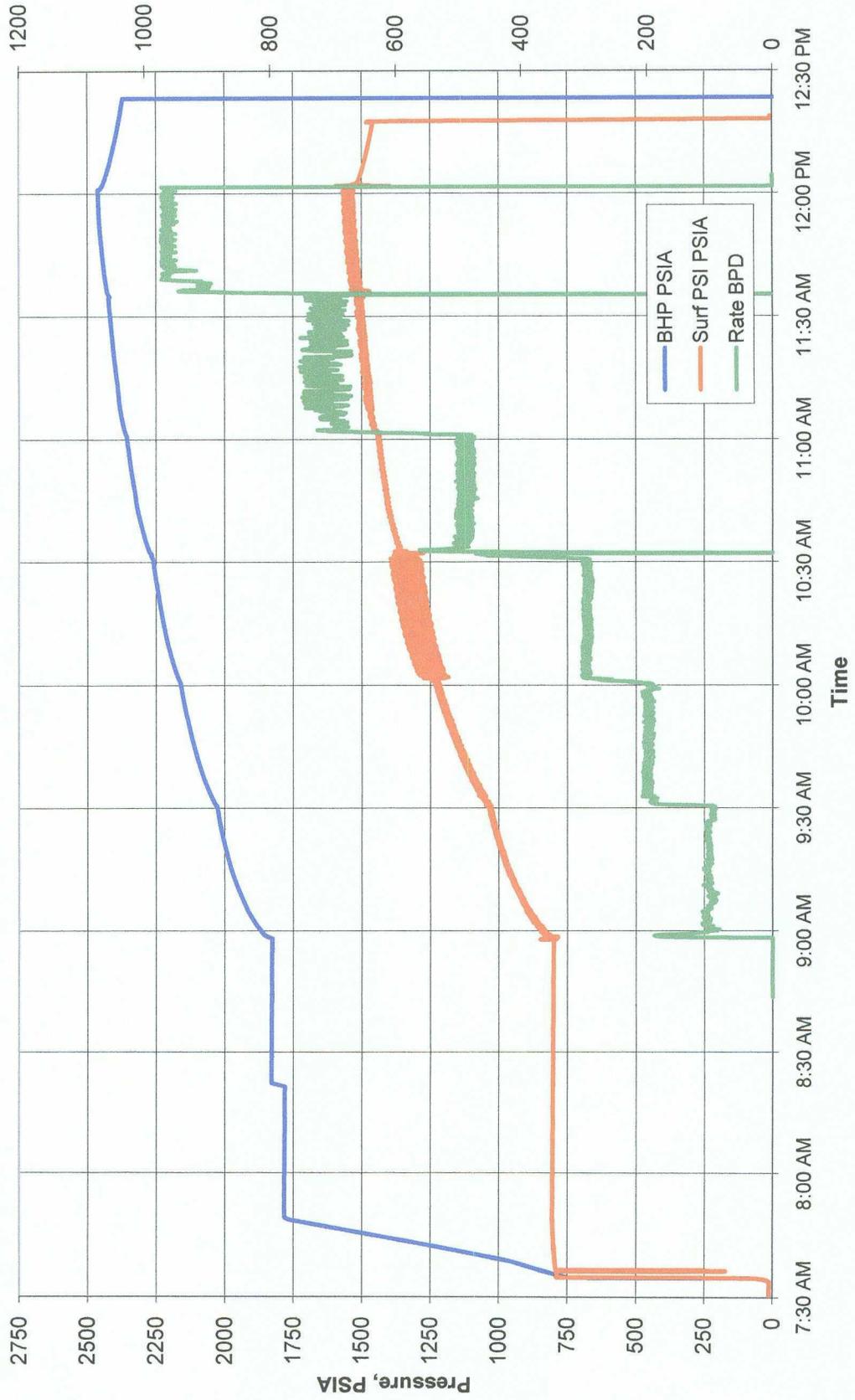
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			Min	BPD			PSIA	PSIA						
1	8:22 AM	9:00 AM	38	0	0	0	1828.7	800.6	0	0.00	0			
2	9:00 AM	9:30 AM	30	100	100	100	2025.6	1031.5	2.3	2.30	110	2025.6		
3	9:30 AM	10:00 AM	30	200	100	100	2158.3	1216.5	6.5	4.20	202	2158.3		
4	10:00 AM	10:30 AM	30	300	100	100	2258.5	1320.6	12.7	6.20	298	2258.5		
5	10:30 AM	11:00 AM	30	500	200	200	2354.5	1441.2	22.9	10.20	192			
6	11:00 AM	11:30 AM	30	700	200	200	2420.5	1506.7	38.9	16.00	278		2420.5	
7	11:30 AM	12:00 PM	30	900	200	200	2461.2	1560.5	56.9	18.00	864		2461.2	
8	Melrose Opf	12:15 PM	#VALUE!	0	-900	-900	2391.5	1460.3	56.9	0.00	0			

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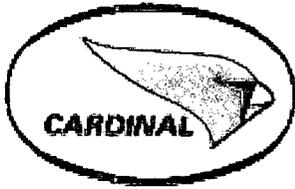
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Melrose Operating Artesia Unit # 29
Step Rate Test 09-03-2009



Step Rate Test



Cardinal Surveys Company

September 14, 2009

Melrose Operating
Artesia Unit # 46
Field:
Eddy County, New Mexico
SC 58491
File # 19545

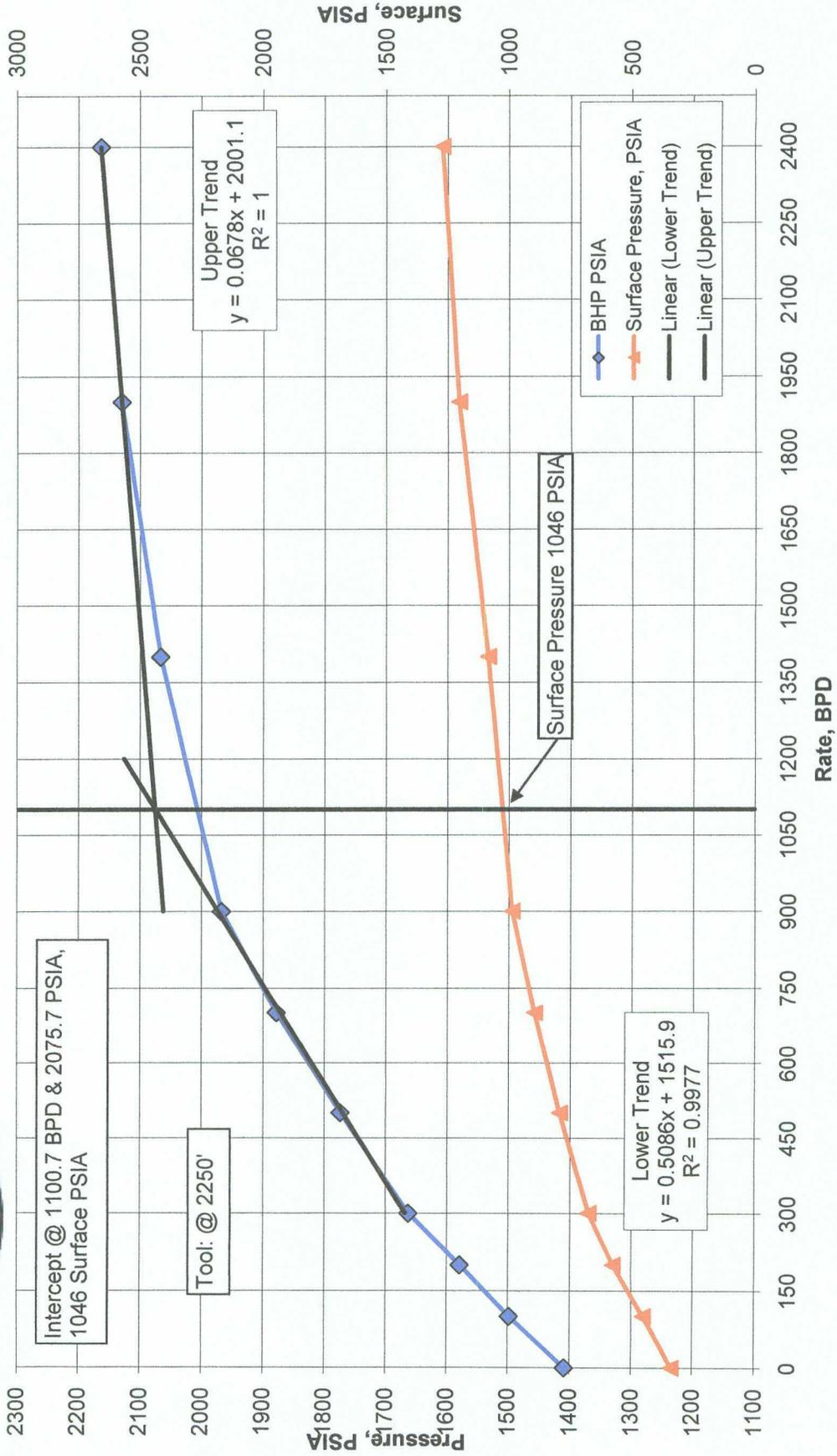
Intercept @ 1100.7 BPD
& 2075.7 PSIA, 1046
Surface PSIA

Downhole PSI Tool Ser. No.
Surface PSI Gauge Ser. No.
Tool @ 2250'

Start Time	End Time	Rate BPD	Comments
1	8:20 AM	8:45 AM	0 On Bottom
2	8:45 AM	9:15 AM	100
3	9:15 AM	9:45 AM	200
4	9:45 AM	10:15 AM	300
5	10:15 AM	10:45 AM	500
6	10:45 AM	11:15 AM	700
7	11:15 AM	11:45 AM	900
8	11:45 AM	12:15 PM	1400
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12	12:45 PM	1:15 PM	2400
14	1:15 PM	1:30 PM	0 Fall Off

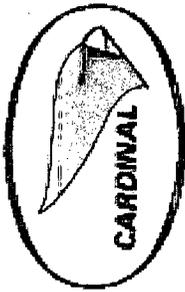


Melrose Operating Artesia Unit # 46
Step Rate Test 09-14-2009



Step Rate Test

Melrose Operating
 Artesia Unit # 46
 Field:
 Eddy County, New Mexico



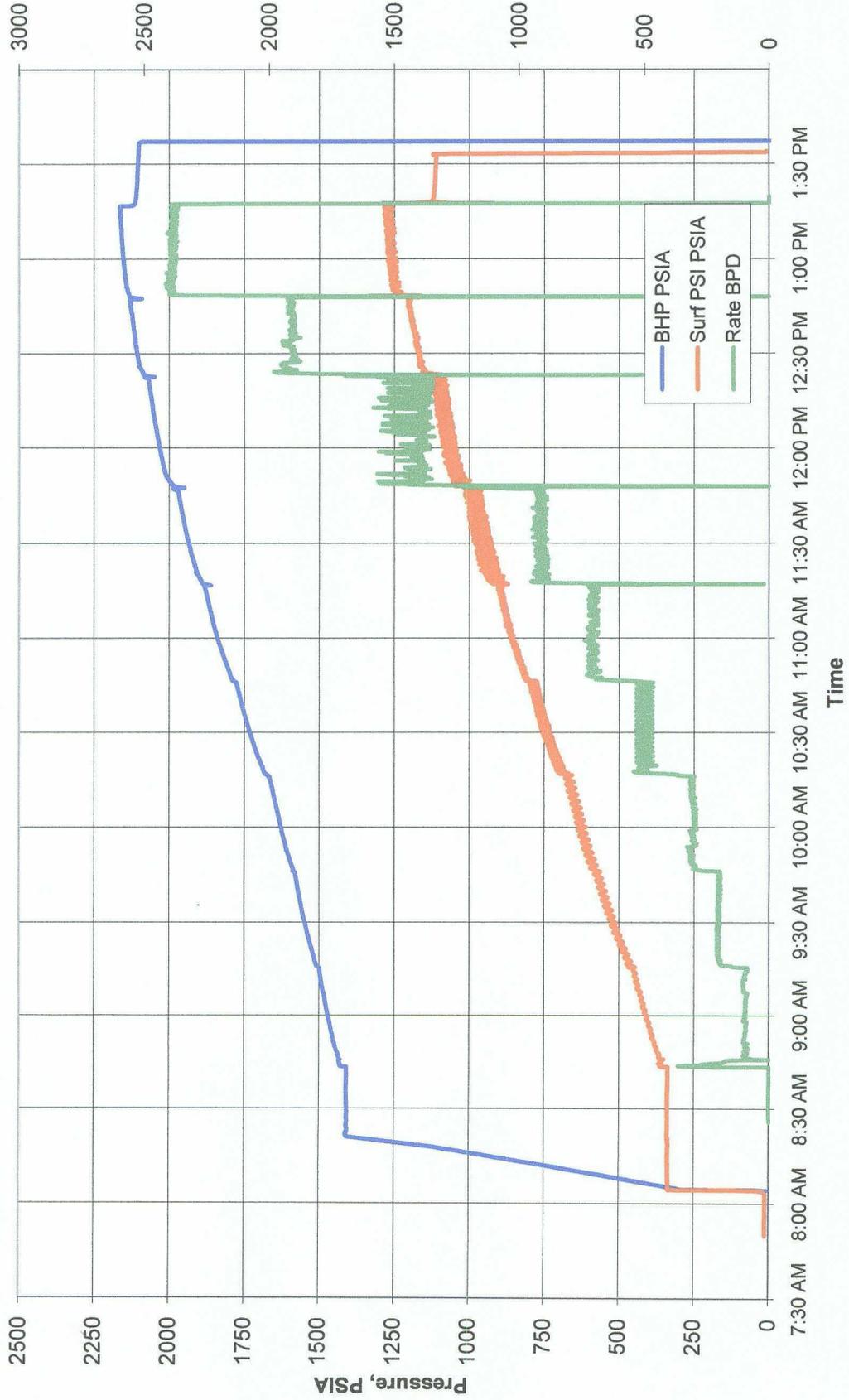
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						BPD	PSIA						
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2	8:45 AM	9:15 AM	30	100	100	1498.5	453.2	2.3	110	2.30	110		
3	9:15 AM	9:45 AM	30	200	100	1579.2	575.7	6.6	206	4.30	206		
4	9:45 AM	10:15 AM	30	300	100	1663.5	676	13	307	6.40	307	1663.5	
5	10:15 AM	10:45 AM	30	500	200	1774.4	793.6	23.5	197	10.50	197	1774.4	
6	10:45 AM	11:15 AM	30	700	200	1878.6	896	38.2	202	14.70	202	1878.6	
7	11:15 AM	11:45 AM	30	900	200	1967.8	987.3	57.6	931	19.40	931	1967.8	
8	11:45 AM	12:15 PM	30	1400	500	2066.8	1086	91.4	1622	33.80	1622		
10	12:15 PM	12:45 PM	30	1900	500	2129.9	1204.4	125	1613	33.60	1613		2129.9
12	12:45 PM	1:15 PM	30	2400	-2400	2163.8	1272	175.1	2405	50.10	2405		2163.8
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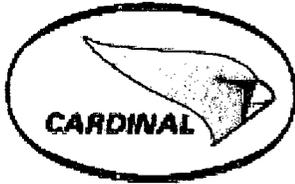
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 2075.7292 Psia



Melrose Operating Artesia Unit # 46
Step Rate Test 09-14-2009



Step Rate Test



Cardinal Surveys Company

September 4, 2009

Melrose Operating
Artesia Unit # 53
Field:
Eddy County, New Mexico
SC 58487A
File # 19536

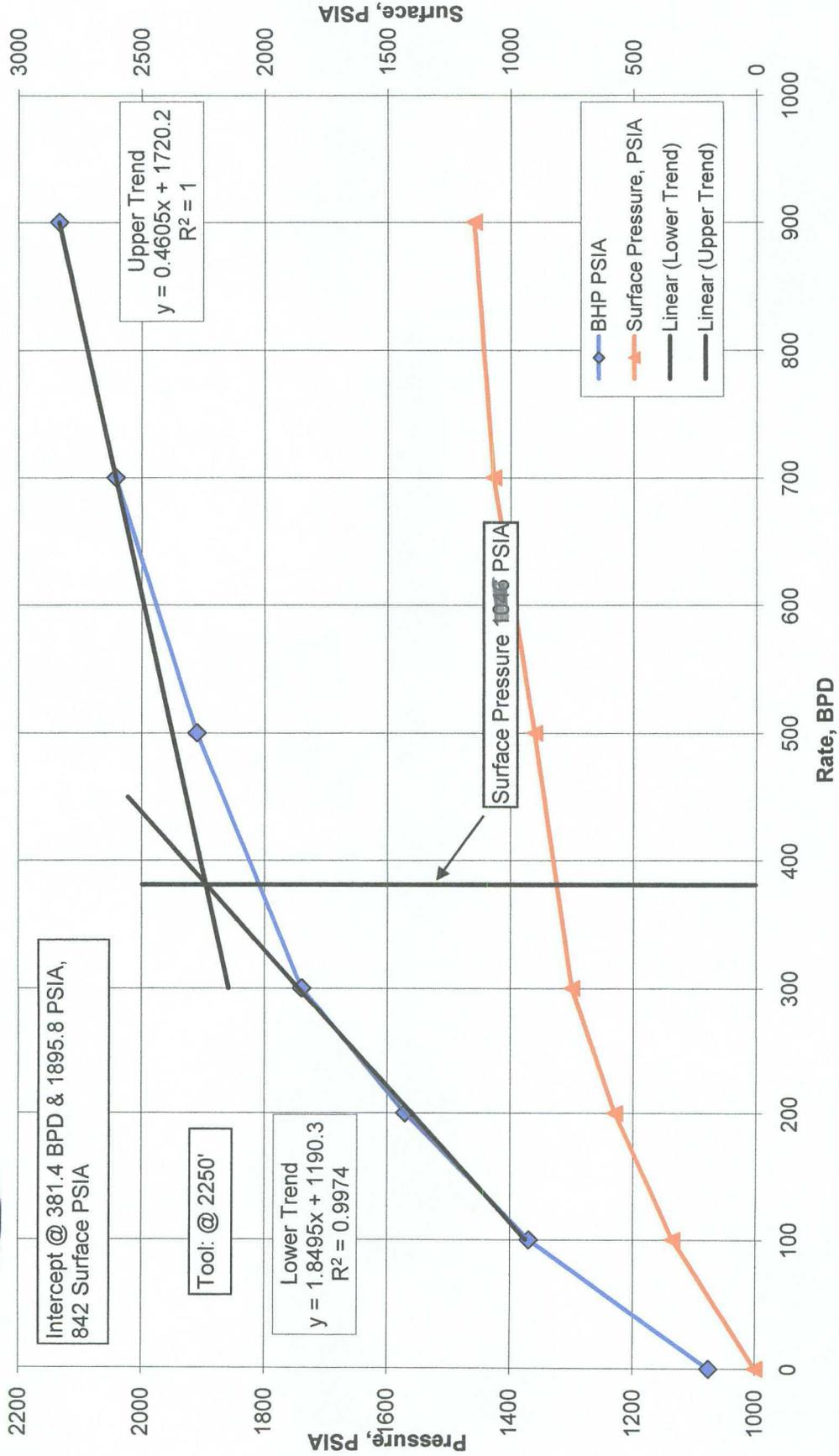
Intercept @ 381.4 BPD &
1895.8 PSIA, 842
Surface PSIA

Downhole PSI Tool Ser. No.
Surface PSI Gauge Ser. No.
Tool @ 2250'

Start Time	End Time	Rate BPD	Comments
1	9:13 AM 9:45 AM		0 On Bottom
2	9:45 AM 10:15 AM	100	
3	10:15 AM 10:45 AM	200	
4	10:45 AM 11:15 AM	300	
5	11:15 AM 11:45 AM	500	
6	11:45 AM 12:15 PM	700	
7	12:15 PM 12:45 PM	900	
8	12:45 PM 1:00 PM		0 Fall Off

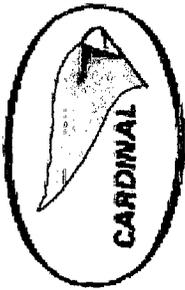


Melrose Operating Artesia Unit # 53
Step Rate Test 09-04-2009



Step Rate Test

Melrose Operating
 Artesia Unit # 53
 Field:
 Eddy County, New Mexico



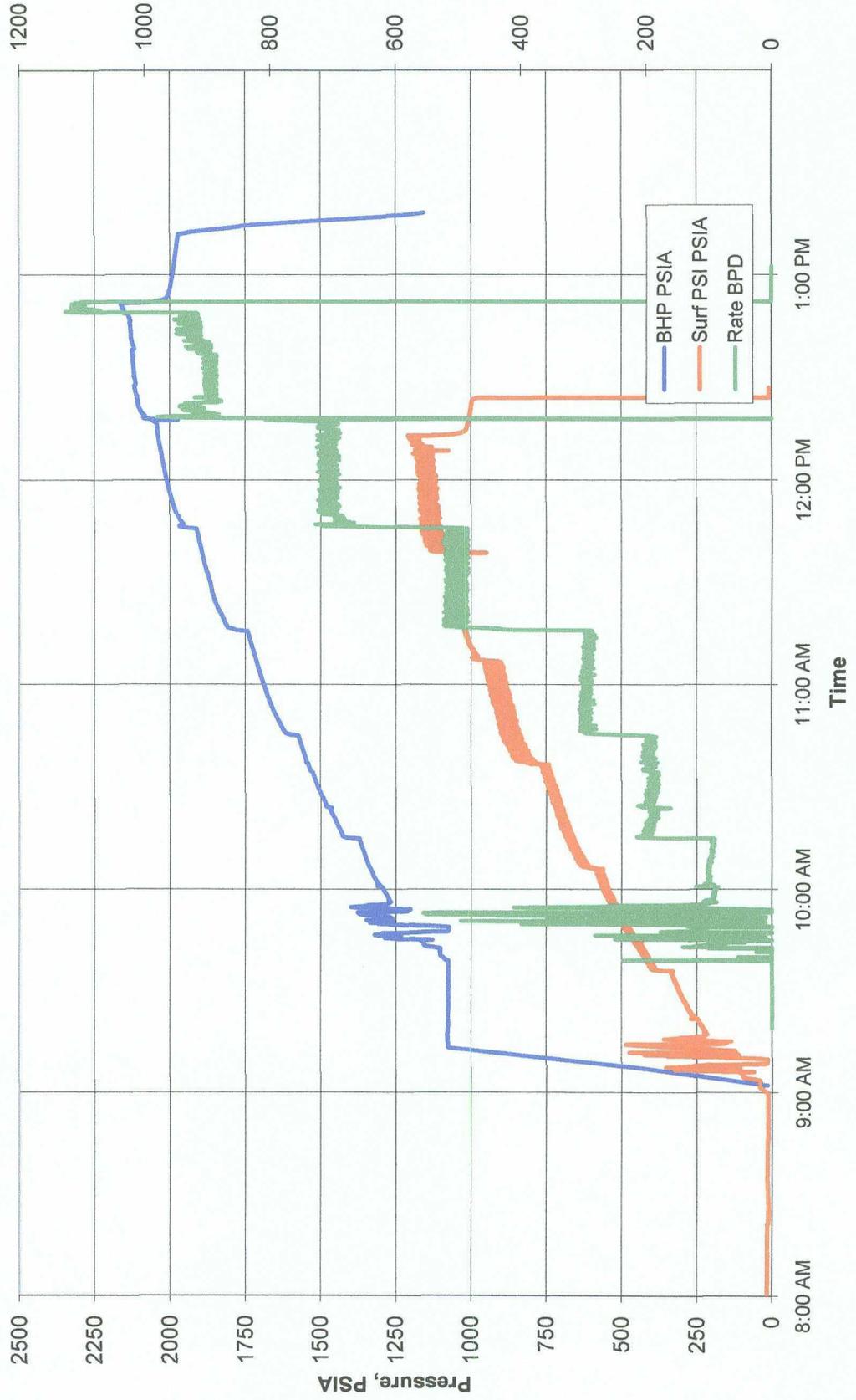
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			Min				BPD	PSIA			BBL	BBL			
1	9:13 AM	9:45 AM	32		0	0	1076.8	PSIA	0	0	0.00	0			
2	9:45 AM	10:15 AM	30		100	100	1369.8		338	3.6	3.60	173	1369.8		
3	10:15 AM	10:45 AM	30		200	100	1571.1		574.1	7.7	4.10	197	1571.1		
4	10:45 AM	11:15 AM	30		300	100	1739.7		749.8	14.1	6.40	307	1739.7		
5	11:15 AM	11:45 AM	30		500	200	1910.3		902.4	24.5	10.40	192		1910.3	
6	11:45 AM	12:15 PM	30		700	200	2042.5		1069.9	39.9	15.40	240		2042.5	
7	12:15 PM	12:45 PM	30		900	200	2134.6		1149.3	59.3	19.40	931		2134.6	
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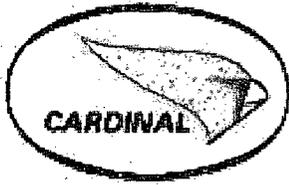
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 1895.8796 Psia



Melrose Operating Artesia Unit # 53
Step Rate Test 09-04-2009



Step Rate Test



Cardinal Surveys Company

April 4, 2006

Melrose Operating
Artesia Unit # 54
Field:
Eddy County, NM

Intercept @ 447.9 BPD
& 1672.6 PSIA

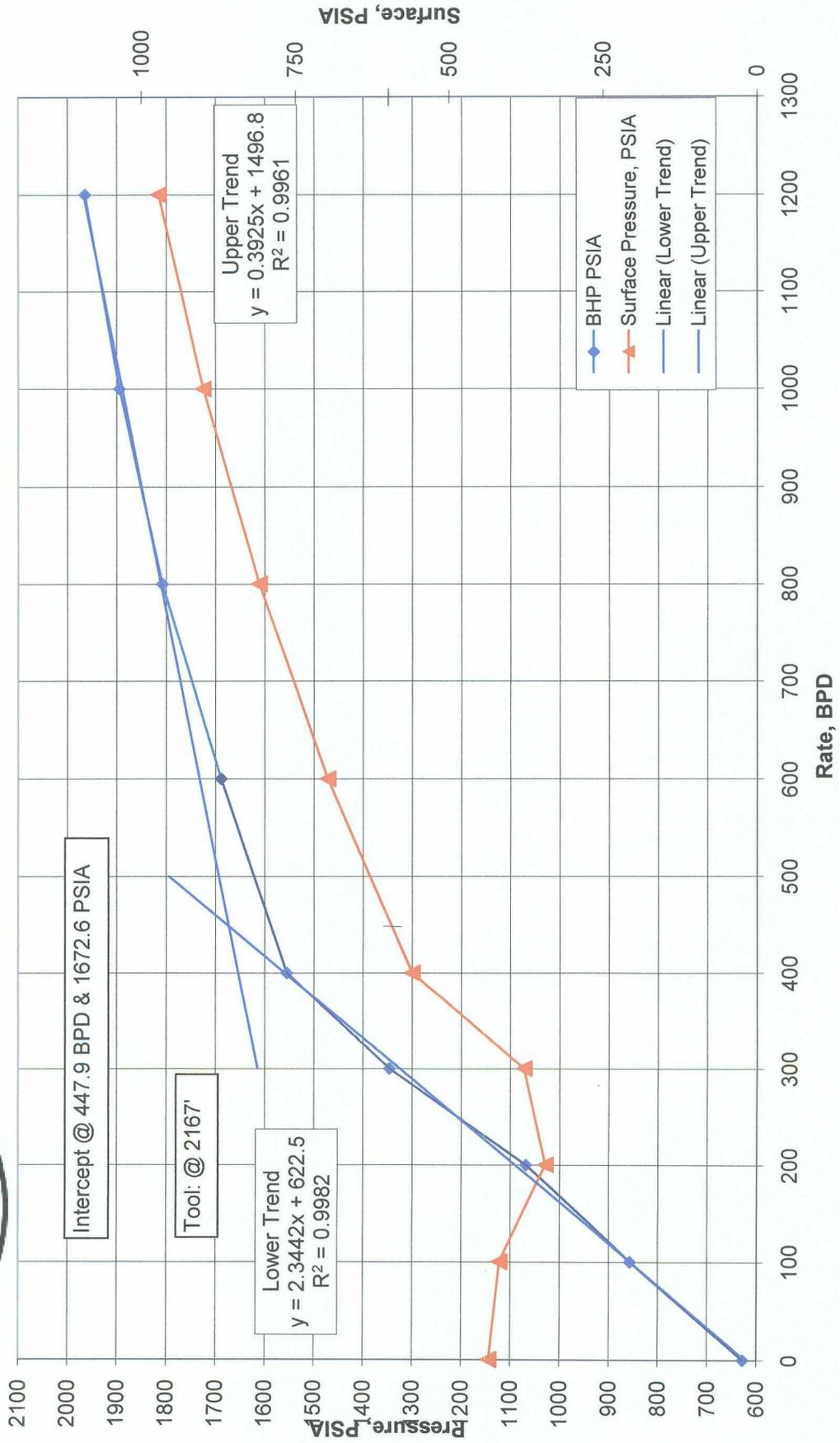
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Downhole PSI Tool Ser. No. 76149
Surface PSI Gauge Ser. No. 10548
Tool @ 2167

	Start Time	End Time	Rate BPD	Comments
1	9:40 AM	9:45 AM		0 On Bottom
2	9:45 AM	10:15 AM	100	
3	10:15 AM	10:45 AM	200	
4	10:45 AM	11:15 AM	300	
5	11:15 AM	11:45 AM	400	
6	11:45 AM	12:15 PM	600	
7	12:15 PM	12:45 PM	800	
8	12:45 PM	1:15 PM	1000	
9	1:15 PM	1:45 PM	1200	
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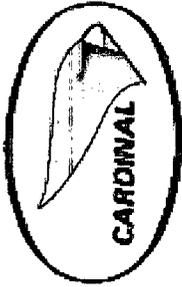


Melrose Operating Artesia Unit # 54
Step Rate Test 04-04-2006



Step Rate Test

Melrose Operating
 Artesia Unit # 54
 Field:
 Eddy Co. NM



	S Time	E Time	D Time		Last Rate	Step	B. H. Pressure		Surf	Cum	Delta	Avg.	Lower	Upper
			Min	BPD			PSIA	PSIA						
1	9:40 AM	9:45 AM	5	0	0	0	628	435	0	0	0	628		
2	9:45 AM	10:15 AM	30	100	100	100	857.6	417.9	2.06	99	99	857.6		
3	10:15 AM	10:45 AM	30	200	100	100	1068.9	343.4	6.3	204	204	1068.9		
4	10:45 AM	11:15 AM	30	300	100	100	1346.6	378.07	12.6	302	302	1346.6		
5	11:15 AM	11:45 AM	30	400	100	100	1555.6	560.2	21	403	403	1555.6		
6	11:45 AM	12:15 PM	30	600	200	200	1688.3	697.6	33.03	577	577		1808	
7	12:15 PM	12:45 PM	30	800	200	200	1808	809	49.5	791	791		1895	
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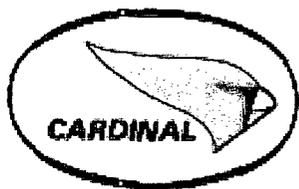
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Melrose Operating Artesia Unit # 54
Step Rate Test 04-04-2006



Step Rate Test



Cardinal Surveys Company

February 11, 2011

Quantum Petroleum
Artesia # 65
Field:
Eddy County, New Mexico
SC 59520
File # 20155

Fracture @ 1235.4 BPD
1996.2 BHPSIA,
1150 Surf PSIA

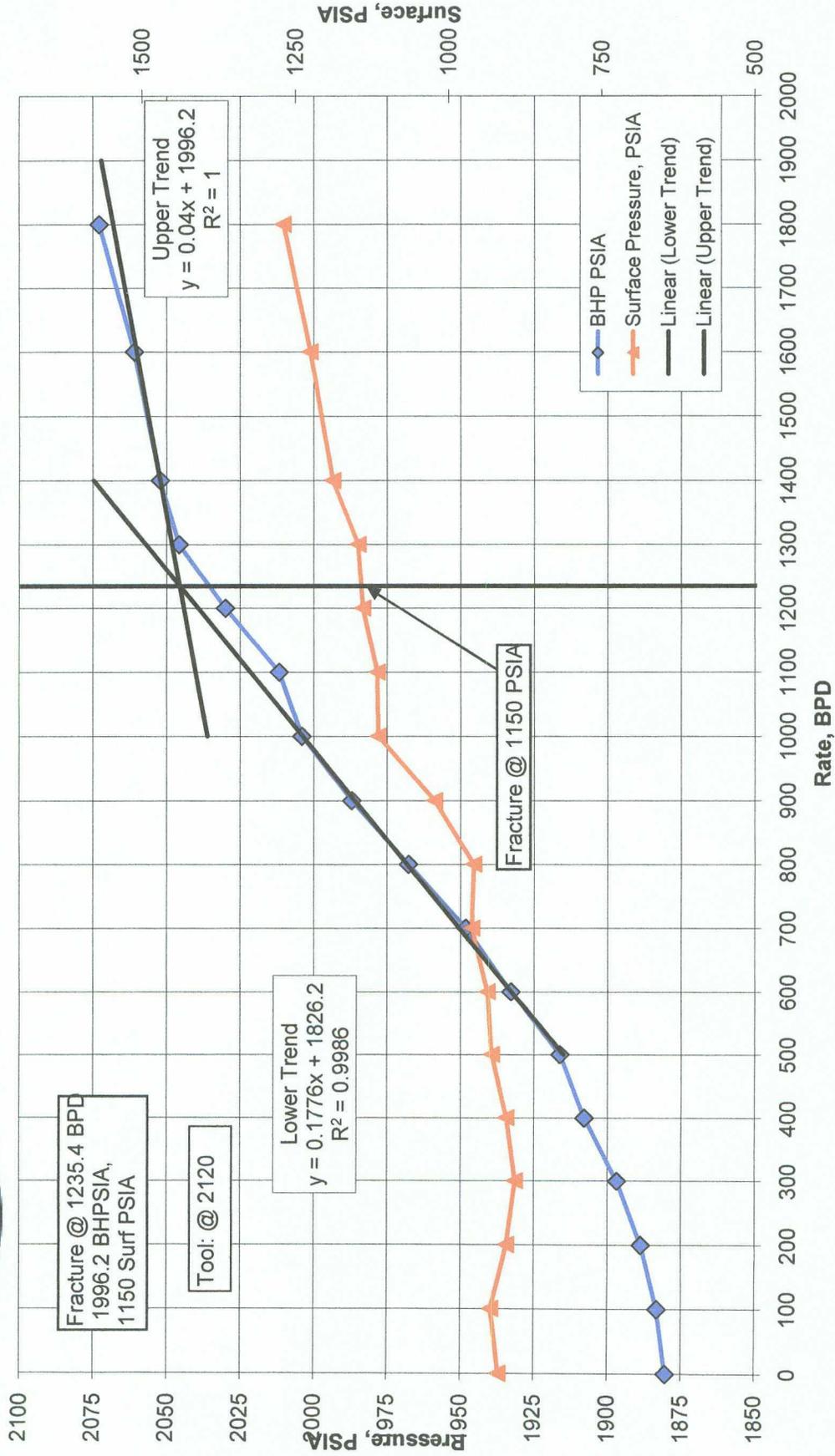
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Surface PSI Gauge Ser. No.
Tool @ 2120'

	Start Time	End Time	Rate BPD	Comments
1	8:58 AM	9:15 AM		0 On Bottom
2	9:15 AM	9:45 AM	100	
3	9:45 AM	10:15 AM	200	
4	10:15 AM	10:45 AM	300	
5	10:45 AM	11:15 AM	400	
6	11:15 AM	11:45 AM	500	
7	11:45 AM	12:15 PM	600	
8	12:15 PM	12:45 PM	700	
9	12:45 PM	1:15 PM	800	
10	1:15 PM	1:45 PM	900	
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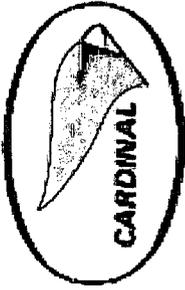
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17	4:45 PM	5:15 PM	1800
18	5:15 PM	5:30 PM	0 Fall Off



Quantum Petroleum Artesia Unit # 65
Step Rate Test 02-11-2011



Step Rate Test



Quantum Petroleum
 Artesia Unit # 65
 Field:
 Eddy County, New Mexico

	S Time	E Time	D Time	Last Rate	Step	B. H. Pressure		Surf	Cum	Delta	Avg.	Lower		Upper	
						BPD	PSIA					Trend	Trend		
1	8:58 AM	9:15 AM	17	0	0	1880.4	PSIA	917.9	0	0.00	0				
2	9:15 AM	9:45 AM	30	100	100	1883.3		930.4	2.4	2.40	115				
3	9:45 AM	10:15 AM	30	200	100	1888.7		904.7	6.3	3.90	187				
4	10:15 AM	10:45 AM	30	300	100	1896.9		890.8	12.4	6.10	293				
5	10:45 AM	11:15 AM	30	400	100	1908		905.2	21.1	8.70	125				
6	11:15 AM	11:45 AM	30	500	100	1916.2		929	31.3	10.20	72	1916.2			
7	11:45 AM	12:15 PM	30	600	100	1932.9		936.5	43.5	12.20	586	1932.9			
8	12:15 PM	12:45 PM	30	700	100	1948.3		961.9	57.8	14.30	686	1948.3			
9	12:45 PM	1:15 PM	30	800	100	1967.8		958.7	74.5	16.70	802	1967.8			
10	1:15 PM	1:45 PM	30	900	100	1987.1		1022.7	93.6	19.10	917	1987.1			
11	1:45 PM	2:15 PM	30	1000	100	2004.1		1114.8	114.9	21.30	1022	2004.1			
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