



Macondo Technical Note

Title: Depleted Pressure for Well Control Planning
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Question Addressed in this Technical Note:

The team planning the relief well has requested a revised estimate of the pressures which they may encounter at the reservoir interval.

The M56A sand, on the other hand, is likely to be depleted relative to the M56E. The fluid in the sand is uncertain (either gas or oil). We have modeled it as a gas, and it has considerable flow potential (logged permeability: 400 md).

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