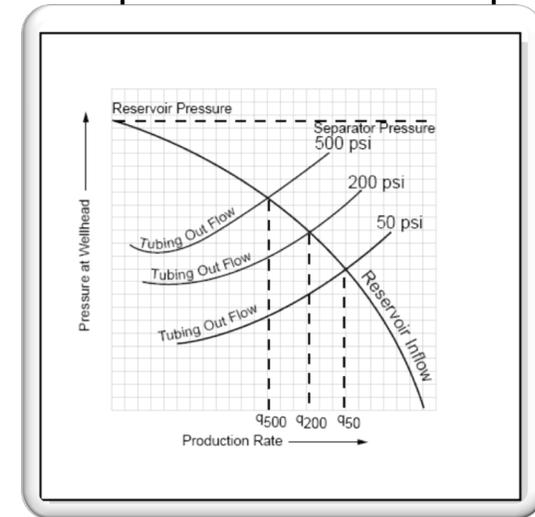
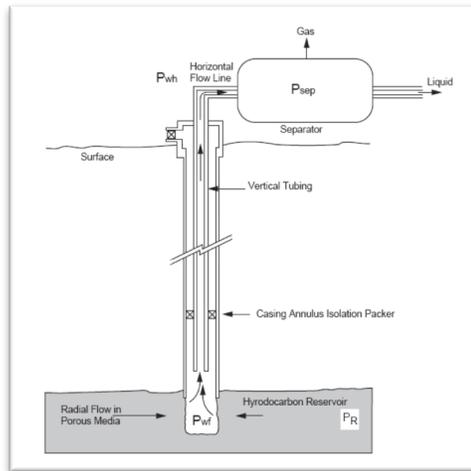


# INTEGRATED CONSTRAINTS OPTIMIZATION FOR SURFACE AND SUBSURFACE TOWARDS CAPEX FREE MAXIMISING PRODUCTION

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# INTRODUCTION

- ✓ Conventionally a standalone topside process model can only achieve production increment of up to 1%. In order to achieve higher production increment, an integrated topside process and subsurface model is required (Zainal & Hussein 2014).
- ✓ This modeling technique requires the integration of different modeling platforms for wells, headers, topside facility, interconnecting pipelines between platforms and re-injection wells back to the reservoir. The main challenge is to develop a seamless interface communication between the different modeling platforms.
- ✓ In this work an integrated first principle compositional model from well to surface processes is developed in one single platform iCON.



- ✓ The optimization objective function is to locate a CAPEX free operation settings by manipulating top site operating pressure and individual choke valve opening by satisfying surface facilities constraints. The model will create the operating profile to satisfy the maximum production envelope.

## PROBLEM STATEMENT

- ✓ **To generate Optimization Operating Envelope to ensure the optimized condition can be implemented in all range of active and inactive well configuration possible for the field.**

## SCOPES

The motivation and problem formulation for this study is to develop an integrated surface sub-surface optimization model in single operating platform with various active and inactive well scenarios to ensure optimization set points can be implemented at site within the optimization envelope. Specifically, :

- ✓ To generate individual well Inflow Performance Relationship (IPR) in iCON environment thorough translating PROSPER simulation results into Liquid Flow correlation as a function of Tubing Head Pressure (THP), Water Cut, GOR and Gas Lift flow.
- ✓ To develop iCON Steady State surface facilities model that include rotating equipment performance curves matching the actual operating condition. Advanced Peng Robinson equation of state is applied due to its robustness within the operating temperature and pressure region.
- ✓ To link individual well Vertical Lift Performance (VLP) correlation with iCON steady state model and test the integrated model to match the actual operation.
- ✓ To setup Optimization objective function with manipulative and constraints variables. Test various Optimization Techniques suitable for the study.
- ✓ To establish Optimization envelope considering active and inactive well situation.
- ✓ To locate the CAPEX free optimization envelope base on installed equipment constraints to maximize production.

# MODELLING STRATEGY

- ✓ Establish single operating platform i.e iCON – to accelerate the calculation and avoid the thermodynamic instability
- ✓ Develop iCON top side model using Advanced Peng Robinson with pseudo component characterization
  - pseudo component impact pipeline gas dew point
  - steady state pipeline network pressure correlation
- ✓ Link iCON with subsurface Vertical Lift Performance (VLP) and test the integration as a function of individual well water cut, gas lift, Tubing Head Pressure (THP) and Gas Oil Ratio (GOR)
- ✓ Setup optimization objective function and test various optimization techniques calculation performance i.e Interior Point, Nedler Mead, and Powell.
- ✓ Establish operating envelope base on active/inactive wells considering well line up configuration to locate maximum production point.
- ✓ Locate CAPEX free optimization envelope base on the above constraints
- ✓ Confirm the findings with iCON dynamic model

# LITERATURE REVIEW ANALYSIS : INTEGRATED MODEL

Integrated model Coverage	Software	References
Reservoir performance and production and surface network solution	ECLIPSE NETOPT PVM	Hepguler, Dutta-Roy & Bard, (1997)
Reservoir performance and production and surface network solution	ECLIPSE FORGAS PVM	Trick, (1998)
Reservoir models, coupled with process and economics models	Not mentioned	Juell, Whitson, &Hoda, (2010)
Integrate well performance, gathering system calculation and process plant simulation	Commercial software and rabbit (in-house software)	Sarra, et al. (2015)
Integrate reservoir model, well model and surface facilities model in a single integrator.	SENSOR PROSPER HYSYS Pipe-It	Rahmahwati, Whitson, Foss & Kuntadi, (2012)

This Work : Integrated Model	Software	Work Significant
Individual well, well lineup, production and surface network	iCON – modeling and system integrator (SI) platform	Constraint Optimization <b>Operating envelope</b> at different well configurations (lineup and active/inactive well) to maximize production

# LITERATURE REVIEW : SCOPES ANALYSIS

	Area of Scopes	Past Works	Gap Analysis
1	Modeling Platform	Use System Integrator to link with multiple modeling platform	iCON is the System Integrator and the surface/ sub-surface modeling platform
2	Well Line Up Optimization	Based on Fixed well configuration	Base on possible well lineup configuration
3	Surface Pressure And Choke Valve	Influential variables are varied from well to reservoir configuration	Influential variables are varied from well to top side surface configuration
4	Surface Equipment Capacity and Control Valves Check	Equipment and Control valves have the capacity to cater for production increase	Considered as constraints to locate CAPEX Free Optimization envelope
5	Locate CAPEX Free Optimization Envelope	Single Optimization point to maximize production	CAPEX Free Optimization Envelope

# WORK SIGNIFICANCE SCHEMATIC

## The Work Technical Gap Coverage

— Research — Literature

**With Locate CAPEX Free Optimization Envelope**, the implementation strategy is within the operating envelope and well line up scenarios where value creation can be realized immediately. The findings from this work are considered reaping the additional gas and oil production just by changing surface facilities separators set points and individual choke valve opening without violating any process constraints.

**Locate CAPEX free Optimization Envelope**

**With Surface Equipment Capacity and Control Valves Check**, it checks whether processing facility can handle the capacity by operating closer to the process constraints with process disturbances such as slugging wells due to well pressure variations.

**Surface Equipment Capacity and Controllers Check**

**Integrated Single Platform**

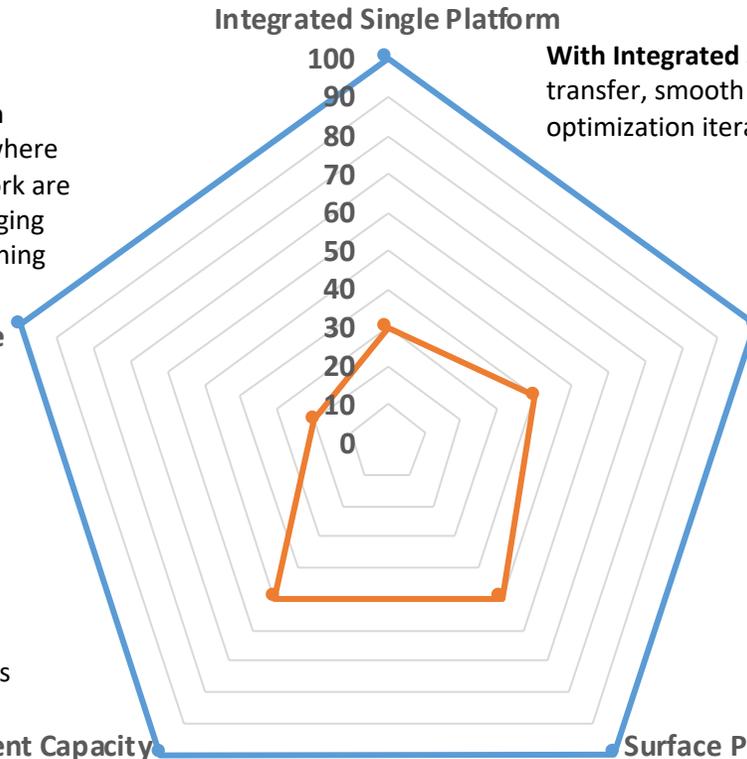
**With Integrated Single Modeling Platform**, it will ensure seamless data transfer, smooth thermodynamic translation among the models and efficient optimization iteration to locate the CAPEX free implementation region.

**Well Lineup Optimization**

**With Well Line Up Optimization**, it can avoid competing wells scenarios that have great economic potentials in term of operation efficiency especially with the number of feed conditions (wells, water cuts, GOR, WGR) and different pressure setting options to maximize production base on active/inactive well scenarios

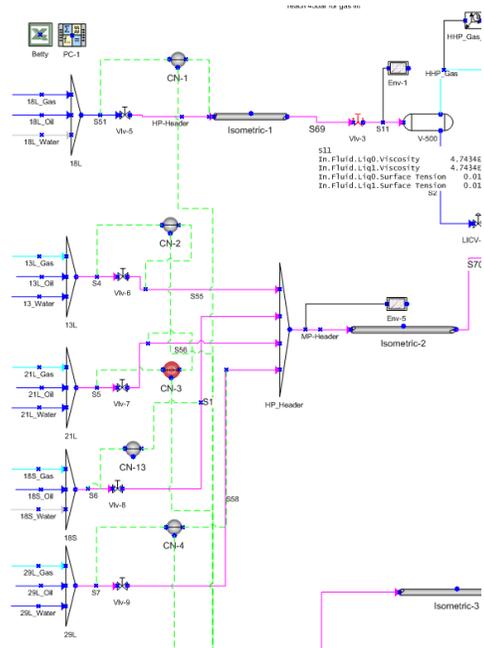
**With Simultaneous Surface Pressure And Choke Valve Optimization**, it can cater for more representative in maximizing oil and gas production.

**Surface Pressure & Choke Valve Optimization**

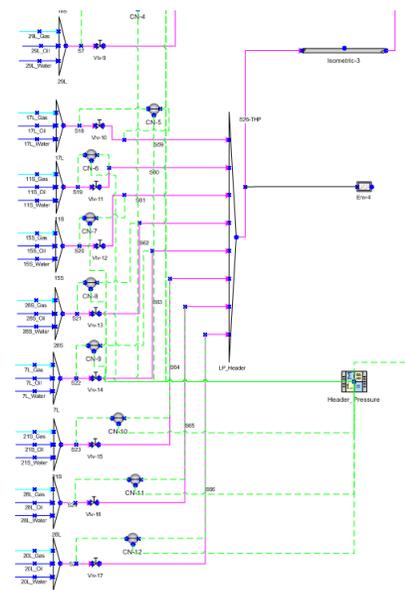


# WORK SCOPE : ICON STEADY STATE MODEL DEVELOPMENT

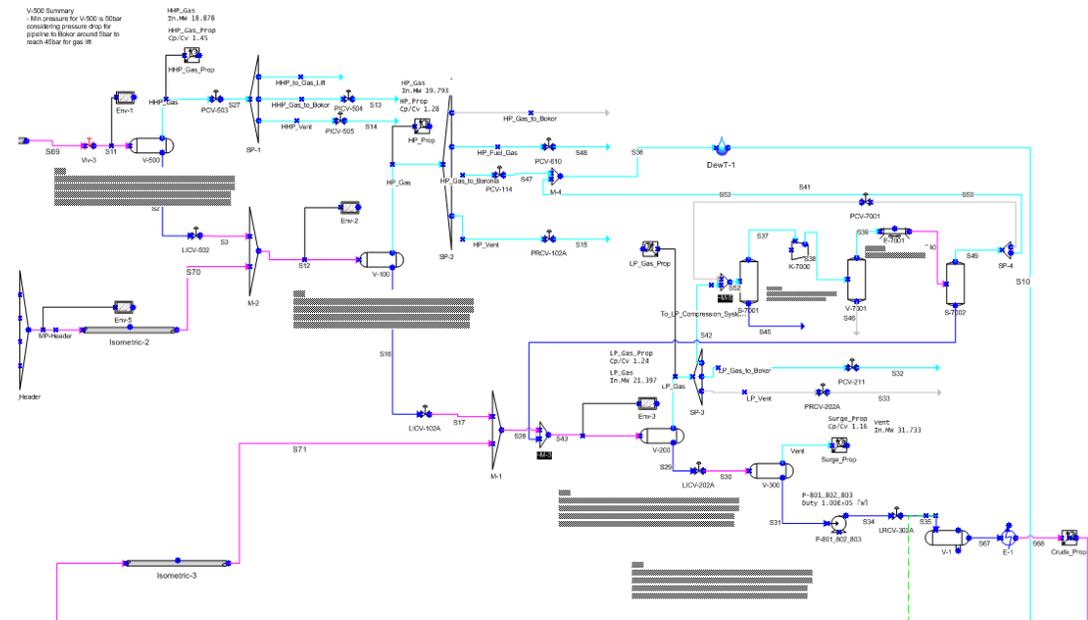
## High and Medium Pressure Wells



## Low Pressure Wells



## Separator and Compressor Trains



# WORK SCOPE : SUB SURFACE DATA CODING TO GENERATE INDIVIDUAL WELL PRESSURE FLOW RELATIONSHIP

```
' Locating the water cuts and pressures data
Count = 0
For I = 1 To 1
  For J = 1 To Rpt(2)
    If ((Sheets(M).Cells(J, I) = "
      (Sheets(M).Cells(J, I) = "
      Count = Count + 1
      WCI(Count) = J
    End If
  Next J
Next I
For I = 1 To 1
  For J = 1 To Rpt(2)
    If ((Sheets(M).Cells(J, I) = "
      (Sheets(M).Cells(J, I) = "
      GasW = 1
    End If
  Next J
Next I
If (Count = 0) Then
  BlankP = 0
  GoTo blankpage
End If
'-----
' To determine whether Water Cut first or NOT
For I = 1 To Count
  WCS(I) = Sheets(M).Cells(WCI(I) + 1, 1) ' X = 1 for WC and X = 2 for P
Next I
For I = 1 To Count
  Varx = Split(WCS(I), " ")
  For J = 0 To UBound(Varx)
    If (Varx(J) = "Water" Or Varx(J) = "PVT") Then
      X = 1
    End If
  Next J
Next I
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The screenshot displays the iCON software interface. On the left, a well line-up diagram shows various components including headers (HP-Header), isometrics (Isometric-1, Isometric-2, Isometric-3), and valves (Vv-5, Vv-6, Vv-7, Vv-8). On the right, an Excel spreadsheet titled '/Betty - Excel unit-op' is open, showing a 'Process Calculator Setup' table. The table has columns for Header, Pressure, Strings, Mode, Flowfraction2, Flowfraction1, Header Pressure, THP, and Temperature. The data rows are as follows:

Header	Pressure	Strings	Mode	Flowfraction2	Flowfraction1	Header Pressure	THP	Temperature
psig								
HHP	768.69	1	18L	HHP	1.0000	0.0000	768.7	4300
HP	210.00	2	13L	HP	0.0000	1.0000	210.0	1400
LP	60.00	3	21L	HP	0.0000	1.0000	210.0	1400
		4	18S	HP	0.0000	1.0000	210.0	1300
		5	29L	HP	0.0000	1.0000	210.0	1440
		6	17L	LP	0.0000	0.0000	60.0	90
		7	11S	LP	0.0000	0.0000	60.0	100
		8	15S	LP	0.0000	0.0000	60.0	220
		9	28S	LP	0.0000	0.0000	60.0	200
		10	7L	LP	0.0000	0.0000	60.0	140
		11	21S	LP	0.0000	0.0000	60.0	80
		12	28L	LP	0.0000	0.0000	60.0	250
		13	20L	LP	0.0000	0.0000	60.0	210

✓ Insert code in iCON software and link with iCON flowsheet via excel for interactive graphics

# WORK SCOPE : LINK SURFACE AND SUB SURFACE MODELS IN ICON

IPR											
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
					THP	Water Cut	GOR	Liquid	Oil	Water	Gas
	File Name	String			psig	%	mmscfd/bbl	bbl/d	bbl/d	bbl/d	mmscfd
18L	-18ST1(S1.0)	18L	HHP		4300	0.00%	0.017	1,214.894	1,214.894	0.000	20.046
13L	-13L	13L	HP		1400	84.92%	0.046	630.857	95.129	535.728	4.344
21L	-21ST1(R3)	21L	HP		1400	8.02%	0.007	1,389.830	1,278.414	111.417	9.448
18S	-18ST1(P1.0)	18S	HP		1300	0.00%	0.017	437.125	437.125	0.000	7.249
29L	-29L	29L	HP		1440	75.00%	0.014	1,576.672	394.168	1,182.504	5.654
17L	-17L	17L	LP		90	86.98%	0.013	572.989	74.603	498.386	0.961
11S	-11S	11S	LP		100	85.03%	0.008	1,394.206	208.687	1,185.519	1.624
15S	-15S	15S	LP		220	76.03%	0.015	756.697	181.366	575.332	2.785
28S	-28S	28S	LP		200	71.99%	0.002	3,417.113	957.191	2,459.922	1.575
7L	-7L	7L	LP		140	89.99%	0.007	1361.539	136.254	1225.285	0.928
21S	-21S(M5.0)	21S	LP		80	3.14%	0.017	188.668	182.742	5.927	3.091
28L	-28L	28L	LP		250	80.00%	0.011	405.400	81.080	324.320	0.912
20L	-20ST1(M5.0)	20L	LP		210	27.97%	0.001	1,050.261	756.518	293.743	0.945
								<b>14,396</b>	<b>5,998</b>	<b>8,398</b>	<b>60</b>

## IPR Equation Setup

	THP
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18L	= -0.00000000000793333333329980000x4 + 0.000000065166666666814600000000x3 - 0.000293666666667788000000000000x2 + 0.292333333336987000000000000000x + 2,918.8000000003400000000000000000
13L	=0.00000010833333333334x3 - 0.00051392857142867000x2 + 0.04859523809553050000x + 1,272.85714285689000000000
21L	=0.0000001536540542978330000000000x3 - 0.000752860754886536000000000000x2 + 0.509085719517854000000000000000x + 1,731.0908375783500000000000000000
18S	=-0.00000008026666666667x3 + 0.0002485999999999500x2 - 0.2324333333324100000x + 495.49999999993200000000
29L	=-0.00000008786883784820x3 - 0.00005417387926763550x2 - 1.49198854764436000000x + 4,099.84560721931000000000
17L	=-0.00000001180831826157x4 + 0.00000847968655726811x3 - 0.00306013562383397000x2 - 0.47253556356904900000x + 634.89710668903000000000
11S	=-0.000000022478439260995000000000x4 + 0.0000187238196310835000000000000x3 - 0.006175414051992510000000000000x2 + 0.009133430344121510000000000000x + 1,438.5709277256300000000000000000
15S	= -0.0000000025382399996x5 + 0.00000027256959994680x4 - 0.00010900469331478200x3 + 0.01926833599052070000x2 - 1.77540906312717000000x + 867.68271963254300000000
28S	=-0.0000024852266666264300000000000x3 - 0.001351058285739230000000000000x2 - 5.223920419040390000000000000000x + 4,535.8215679991800000000000000000
7L	=0.0000000761438145869x5 - 0.00000534514819561238x4 + 0.00147957339239824000x3 - 0.20307418059086000000x2 + 11.75126054767340000000x + 1,280.53956684449000000000
21S	=-0.000159271456491680000000000000x2 + 0.016590845402176000000000000000x + 188.360490551939000000000000000000
28L	=-0.000000050666666651515000000000x4 - 0.000046799999983065000000000000x3 + 0.013913333332694600000000000000x2 - 1.666999999888970000000000000000x + 485.899999993365000000000000000000
20L	=-1.09681663999237E-08x4 + 0.0000183800995165769x3 - 0.0125487891157642x2 + 3.14617022983361x + 794.080168311003

## SCOPES OF WORK (1/2)

**Objective Function: Maximize Oil Production**

**Manipulative Variables: Individual Header Pressures (HP, MP and LP)**

**Individual Well Choke Valve Opening:**

**100 % < Valve Opening > 0%**

**Constraint Variables: Compressor Capacity < 15.0 mmscfd**

**HP Vent Capacity < 18.0 mmscfd**

**MP Vent Capacity < 5.0 mmscfd**

**Pump Capacity < 112 m<sup>3</sup>/hr**

**800 psig < HP Header Pressure > 650 psig**

**310 psig < HP Header Pressure > 120 psig**

**100 psig < HP Header Pressure > 30 psig**

**100 % < Choke Valve Opening > 0%**

**Optimization Techniques: Nedler Mead, Powell and Interior Point**

# ICON OPTIMIZER

Selected Case:  New Delete

Name:  Clone

Set Up | **Status** | Results | Settings | Notes

Apply Optimizer Values as Specs

**Objective Function** Add Add Custom Delete

Active	Name	Path	Mode	Current Value	Scale	Optimizer Value	[Units]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Obj Fn 1	/S35.In.Fluid.Liq0.Volume Flow	Maximize	5669.234	1.00	5718.374	bb/d

**Manipulated Variables** Add Add Custom Delete

Active	Name	Path	Lower Limit	Current Value	Upper Limit	Scale	Optimizer Value	[Units]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 1	/Header_Pressure.PCalcMgr.Sh1.E1.Value	120.00	270.00	310.00	1.00	270.00	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 2	/Header_Pressure.PCalcMgr.Sh1.H1.Value	30.00	40.00	100.00	1.00	40.00	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 3	/Vlv-6.% Opening	0.000	0.500	1.000	1.00	0.500	[Fraction]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 4	/Vlv-7.% Opening	0.000	0.500	1.000	1.00	0.500	[Fraction]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 5	/Vlv-8.% Opening	0.000	0.500	1.000	1.00	0.500	[Fraction]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 6	/Vlv-9.% Opening	0.000	0.500	1.000	1.00	0.500	[Fraction]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 7	/Header_Pressure.PCalcMgr.Sh1.B1.Value	700.00	800.00	800.00	1.00	800.00	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 8	/Vlv-5.% Opening	0.000	0.500	1.000	1.00	0.525	[Fraction]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 9	/Vlv-10.% Opening	0.000	0.500	1.000	1.00	0.500	[Fraction]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 10	/Vlv-11.% Opening	0.000	0.500	1.000	1.00	0.500	[Fraction]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 11	/Vlv-12.% Opening	0.000	0.500	1.000	1.00	0.500	[Fraction]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 12	/Vlv-13.% Opening	0.000	0.500	1.000	1.00	0.500	[Fraction]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 13	/Vlv-14.% Opening	0.000	0.500	1.000	1.00	0.500	[Fraction]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 14	/Vlv-15.% Opening	0.000	0.500	1.000	1.00	0.500	[Fraction]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 15	/Vlv-16.% Opening	0.000	0.500	1.000	1.00	0.500	[Fraction]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 16	/Vlv-17.% Opening	0.000	0.500	1.000	1.00	0.500	[Fraction]

**Constraints** Add Add Custom Delete

Active	Name	Path	Lower Limit	Current Value	Upper Limit	Scale	Optimizer Value	[Units]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Constraint Var 1	/HHP_Gas.In.Std Gas Volume Flow	1.50E+1	1.5868E+1	1.70E+1	1.00	1.6511E+1	[MMSCFD]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Constraint Var 2	/HP_Vent.In.Std Gas Volume Flow	0.00E+0	1.8274E+0	2.00E+0	1.00	1.8395E+0	[MMSCFD]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Constraint Var 3	/X-7000.In.Std Gas Volume Flow	4.00E+0	7.304E+0	8.00E+0	1.00	7.3084E+0	[MMSCFD]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Constraint Var 4	/P-801_802_803.In.Std Liq Volume Flow	5000.000	11507.547	15000.000	1.00	11555.512	[bb/d]

Stop Running... Close

# OPTIMIZATION RESULTS AFTER 3 DAYS RUNNING

### Optimizer

Selected Case: Optimizer1

Name: Optimizer1

Set Up | Status | Results | Settings | Notes

Apply Optimizer Values as Specs

#### Objective Function

Active	Name	Path	Mode	Current Value	Scale	Optimizer Value	[Units]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Obj Fn 1	/S35.In.Fluid.Liq0.Volume Flow	Maximize	5669.234	1.00	5794.913	bbl/d

#### Manipulated Variables

Active	Name	Path	Lower Limit	Current Value	Upper Limit	Scale	Optimizer Value	[Units]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 1	/Header_Pressure.PCalcMgr.Sh1.E1.Value	120.00	270.00	310.00	1.00	214.50	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 2	/Header_Pressure.PCalcMgr.Sh1.H1.Value	30.00	40.00	100.00	1.00	61.29	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 3	/Vlv-6.% Opening	0.000	0.500	1.000	1.00	0.511	[Fraction]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 4	/Vlv-7.% Opening	0.000	0.500	1.000	1.00	0.536	[Fraction]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 5	/Vlv-8.% Opening	0.000	0.500	1.000	1.00	0.511	[Fraction]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 6	/Vlv-9.% Opening	0.000	0.500	1.000	1.00	0.511	[Fraction]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 7	/Header_Pressure.PCalcMgr.Sh1.B1.Value	700.00	800.00	800.00	1.00	700.00	

#### Constraints

Active	Name	Path	Lower Limit	Current Value	Upper Limit	Scale	Optimizer Value	[Units]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Constraint Var 1	/HHP_Gas.In.Std Gas Volume Flow	1.50E+1	1.5868E+1	1.70E+1	1.00	1.6052E+1	[MMSCFD]
<input type="checkbox"/>	Constraint Var 2	/HP_Vent.In.Std Gas Volume Flow	0.00E+0	1.8274E+0	1.00E-1	1.00		[MMSCFD]

Run | Done. Stopped by the user | Close

### (Process Calculator)

PC-1 Description: Solved

Calculator | Settings | Notes | Help

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Well	THP psig	Liq Rate (IPR) bbl/day	Oil bbl/day	Water bbl/day	Gas MMSCFD	WC Vol Frac	GOR MMSCF/bbl
18L	4304.89	1209.30	1177.60	0.00	16.37	0.00	0.0139
13L	1410.78	622.73	91.09	381.63	3.84	0.8073	0.0422
21L	1419.36	1376.33	1232.38	79.92	8.38	0.0609	0.0068
18S	337.31	420.00	408.60	0.00	6.25	0.00	0.0153
29L	1449.69	1555.37	377.30	842.16	5.02	0.6906	0.0133
17L	76.40	584.31	74.56	370.57	0.9767	0.8325	0.0131
11S	86.37	1404.11	205.12	867.10	1.62	0.8087	0.0079
15S	210.00	761.52	178.07	420.29	2.78	0.7024	0.0156
28S	191.35	3469.37	950.20	1816.83	1.62	0.6566	0.0017
7L	129.57	1383.88	135.58	907.35	0.9355	0.8700	0.0069
21S	70.68	188.74	178.03	4.30	3.06	0.0236	0.0172
28L	240.84	408.13	79.65	237.06	0.9160	0.7485	0.0115
20L	198.57	1050.87	737.30	212.95	0.9585	0.2241	0.0013
		14434.66	5825.49	6140.17	52.73		
			kg/m3	API calculat	API Chemsain		
		Oil Density	870.34	31.08	31.86	865.35	
		Viscosity	3.72		3.04		

Ignored

# OPTIMIZATION RESULTS AFTER 8 DAYS RUNNING

Optimizer

Selected Case: Optimizer1

Name: Optimizer1

Set Up | Status | Results | Settings | Notes

Apply Optimizer Values as Specs

Objective Function

Active	Name	Path	Mode	Current Value	Scale	Optimizer Value	[Units]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Obj Fn 1	/S35.In.Fluid.Liq0.Volume Flow	Maximize	5826.018	1.00	5830.595	bb/d

Manipulated Variables

Active	Name	Path	Lower Limit	Current Value	Upper Limit	Scale	Optimizer Value	[Units]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 1	/Header_Pressure.PCalcMgr.Sh1.E1.Value	120.00	212.66	310.00	1.00	214.03	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 2	/Header_Pressure.PCalcMgr.Sh1.H1.Value	30.00	67.47	100.00	1.00	68.64	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 3	/Vlv-6.% Opening	0.000	0.503	1.000	1.00	0.511	[Fraction]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 4	/Vlv-7.% Opening	0.000	0.541	1.000	1.00	0.551	[Fraction]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 5	/Vlv-8.% Opening	0.000	0.497	1.000	1.00	0.473	[Fraction]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 6	/Vlv-9.% Opening	0.000	0.562	1.000	1.00	0.572	[Fraction]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manipulated Var 7	/Header_Pressure.PCalcMgr.Sh1.B1.Value	700.00	705.32	800.00	1.00	707.78	

Constraints

Active	Name	Path	Lower Limit	Current Value	Upper Limit	Scale	Optimizer Value	[Units]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Constraint Var 1	/HHP_Gas.In.Std Gas Volume Flow	1.50E+1	1.6043E+1	1.70E+1	1.00	1.6038E+1	[MMSCFD]
<input type="checkbox"/>	Constraint Var 2	/HP_Vent.In.Std Gas Volume Flow	0.00E+0	2.7477E+0	3.00E+0	1.00		[MMSCFD]

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calculator)

Description:

Solved

Settings | Notes | Help

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Well	THP	Liq Rate (IPR)	Oil	Water	Gas	WC	GOR
	psig	bb/d	bb/d	bb/d	MMSCFD	Vol Frac	MMSCF/bbl
18L	4293.56	1222.23	1190.53	0.00	16.55	0.00	0.0139
13L	1398.19	632.22	92.92	389.30	3.92	0.8073	0.0422
21L	1350.00	1424.31	1277.44	82.84	8.69	0.0609	0.0068
18S	339.37	420.00	408.60	0.00	6.25	0.00	0.0153
29L	1392.30	1680.38	415.98	928.50	5.53	0.6906	0.0133
17L	95.38	568.36	71.89	357.30	0.9417	0.8325	0.0131
11S	105.37	1390.10	202.44	855.78	1.60	0.8087	0.0079
15S	223.79	754.84	176.08	415.60	2.75	0.7024	0.0156
28S	203.35	3396.75	925.26	1769.14	1.57	0.6566	0.0017
7L	144.10	1352.69	131.53	880.22	0.9075	0.8700	0.0069
21S	85.18	188.62	177.92	4.30	3.06	0.0236	0.0172
28L	253.70	404.19	78.66	234.11	0.9046	0.7485	0.0115
20L	214.52	1049.74	736.42	212.70	0.9573	0.2241	0.0013
		14484.44	5885.67	6129.77	53.63		
			kg/m3	API calculate	API Chemsain		
		Oil Density	866.93	31.72	31.86	865.35	
		Viscosity	3.45		3.04		

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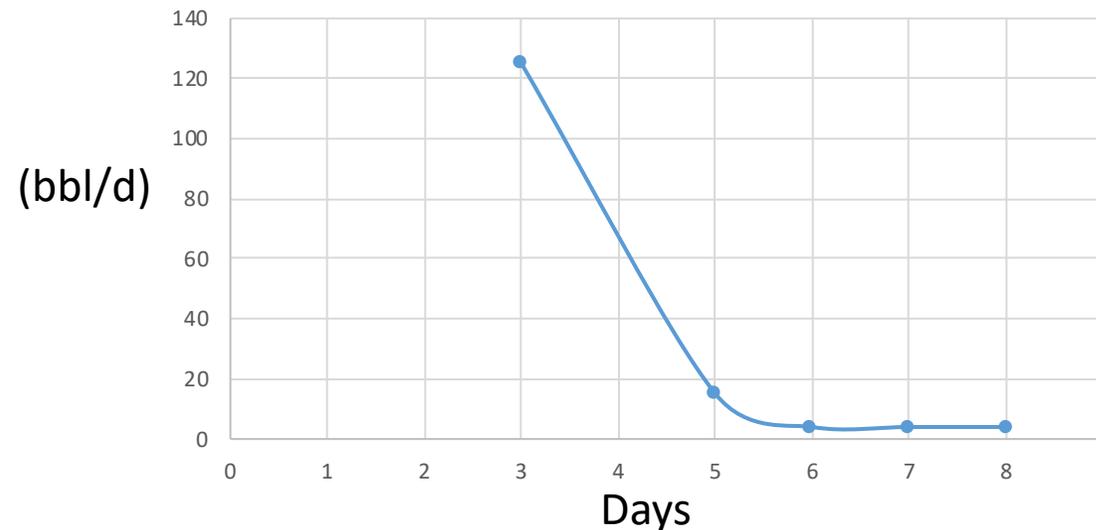
# INTERMEDIATE OPTIMIZATION RESULTS SUMMARY (NEDLER MEAD TECHNIQUE)

Optimization Period	Var 1	Var 2	Var 3	Var 4	Var 5	Var 6	Var 7	Production (bbl/d)	Delta
Initial Value	270	40	50%	50%	50%	50%	800	5669	-
After 3 days	214.5	61.29	51.1%	53.6%	51.1%	51.1%	700	5794	125
After 5 days	212.6	64.26	50.3%	54.1%	49.7%	53.3%	705.3	5809	15
After 6 days	212.6	64.26	50.3%	54.1%	49.7%	56.2%	705.3	5822	4
After 7 days	212.6	67.47	50.3%	54.1%	49.7%	56.2%	705.3	5826	4
After 8 days	214.0	68.64	51.1%	55.1%	47.3%	57.2%	707.8	5830	4

**Production increase :**  
 **$(125+15+4+4+4)/5669$**   
 **$= 152/5669 \times 100\%$**   
 **$= 2.7 \% (152 \text{ bbl/d})$**

- Var 1 : Medium Header Pressure (psig)
- Var 2 : Low Header Pressure (psig)
- Var 3 : Medium Well Valve Opening (%)
- Var 4 : Medium Well Valve Opening (%)
- Var 5 : Medium Well Valve Opening (%)
- Var 6 : Medium Well Valve Opening (%)
- Var 7 : High Header Pressure (psig)

Production Optimization Increment versus Simulation Time



# FLOW GAINED SUMMARY

WithOut HP	HP	MP-A	MP-B	MP-A + MP-B	LP-A	LP-B	LP-A + LP-B
HP	0						
MP-A		295	388		441	319	273
MP-B			181		348	86	240
LP-A				104	164	181	
LP-B				412		55	
MP-A + MP-B							221
With HP	HP	MP-A	MP-B	MP-A + MP-B	LP-A	LP-B	LP-A + LP-B
HP	751						
MP-A		156	800		332	835	967
MP-B			389		178	762	915
LP-A				877	834	981	
LP-B				847		761	
MP-A + MP-B							313

# FLOW GAINED OPTIMIZATION TECHNIQUE SUMMARY : Interior Point is more suitable to handle large optimization variables and Powell is suitable for small optimization variables

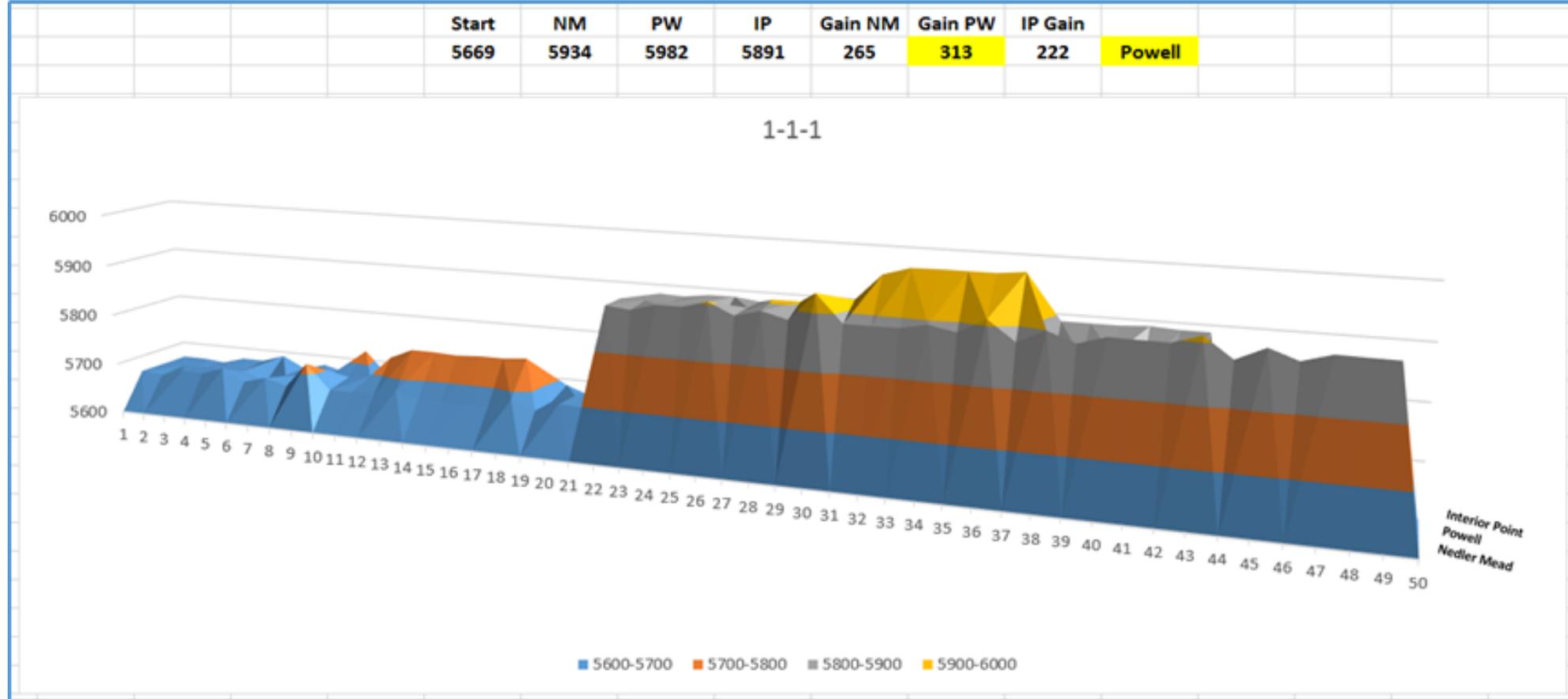
WithOut HP	HP	MP-A	MP-B	MP-A + MP-B	LP-A	LP-B	LP-A + LP-B
HP	-						
MP-A		Powell	Nedler Mead		Powell	Powell	Powell
MP-B			Nedler Mead		Powell	Powell	Nedler Mead
LP-A				Powell	Powell	Powell	
LP-B				Powell		Powell	
MP-A + MP-B							Interior Point
With HP	HP	MP-A	MP-B	MP-A + MP-B	LP-A	LP-B	LP-A + LP-B
HP	Interior Point						
MP-A		Nedler Mead	Interior Point		Nedler Mead	Interior Point	Interior Point
MP-B			Interior Point		Nedler Mead	Interior Point	Interior Point
LP-A				Interior Point	Interior Point	Powell	
LP-B				Interior Point		Interior Point	
MP-A + MP-B							Powell

# INTEGRATED MODEL MATCHING

Case 1: All Wells are Flowing				
Well	Unit	Actual	Model	Deviation (%)
		Choke Valve Opening	Choke Valve Opening	Choke Valve Opening
18L	%	50	50	0
13L	%	50	50	0
21L	%	50	50	0
18S	%	50	50	0
29L	%	50	50	0
17L	%	50	50	0
11S	%	50	50	0
15S	%	50	50	0
28S	%	50	50	0
7L	%	50	50	0
21S	%	50	50	0
28L	%	50	50	0
20L	%	50	50	0
HP Header Pressure	(psig)	800	800	0
MP Header Pressure	(psig)	270	270	0
LP Header Pressure	(psig)	40	40	0
HP Gas	(kg/hr)	4418	4386	0.72
HP Gas to Field B	(kg/hr)	10122	10518	3.91
HP Vent	(kg/hr)	0	0	
MP Vent	(kg/hr)	496	493	0.60
MP Fuel Gas	(kg/hr)	844	838	0.71
MP Gas to Field C	(kg/hr)	20829	21043	1.03
MP Gas to Field B	(kg/hr)	1317	1308	0.68
LP Gas to Field B	(kg/hr)	6963	7010	0.67
LP Vent	(kg/hr)	0	0	
LP Gas to Field C	(kg/hr)	7425	7521	1.29
Oil Production	(kg/hr)	31961	31853	0.34
Water Production	(kg/hr)	40184	39592	1.47
Surge Vent	(kg/hr)	65	62	4.62
				<b>Average Deviation</b>
<b>Mass Balance</b>		<b>124624</b>	<b>124624</b>	<b>1.46%</b>

	Unit	February 2018 (actual)	iCON Model (Calculated)	Deviation (%)
HP Gas	MMSCFD	15.5	15.87	2.50%
MP Gas	MMSCFD	23.8	24.02	0.83%
LP Gas	MMSCFD	13.5	13.68	0.99%
Oil	bbl/d	5,650	5669.23	0.34%
Water	bbl/d	6136	6047.05	1.47%

# OPTIMIZATION CONTOUR FOR ALL WELL FLOWING CASE : Powell gives the highest objective function value compared to Nedler Mead and Interior Point



# OPTIMIZATION RESULTS FOR ALL WELL FLOWING : Optimized set points for surface headers pressures and sub-surface individual choke valve opening

		Case	1-1-1
Properties		Original Value	Optimized Value
High Pressure Header	(Psig)	800	798.750
Medium Header Pressure	(Psig)	270	201.491
Low Header Pressure	(Psig)	40	84.368
18L Choke Valve Opening	[Fraction]	0.5	0.538
13L Choke Valve Opening	[Fraction]	0.5	1.000
21L Choke Valve Opening	[Fraction]	0.5	0.552
18S Choke Valve Opening	[Fraction]	0.5	0.501
29L Choke Valve Opening	[Fraction]	0.5	0.580
17L Choke Valve Opening	[Fraction]	0.5	0.501
11S Choke Valve Opening	[Fraction]	0.5	0.501
15S Choke Valve Opening	[Fraction]	0.5	0.501
28S Choke Valve Opening	[Fraction]	0.5	0.639
7L Choke Valve Opening	[Fraction]	0.5	0.501
21S Choke Valve Opening	[Fraction]	0.5	0.501
28L Choke Valve Opening	[Fraction]	0.5	0.501
20L Choke Valve Opening	[Fraction]	0.5	0.501
Optimized Production	(bbl/d)	5669	5982
Production Gain	(bbl/d)	313	
Otimization Method		Powell	

# OPTIMIZATION RESULTS AT DIFFERENT WELL CONFIGURATION : Highest Optimized Set Points

	WC	GOR		1-1-1	1-1-H1	1-1-H2	1-1-0
Properties	(%)	(bbl/mmscf)		Optimized Value	Optimized Value	Optimized Value	Optimized Value
High Pressure Header			(Psig)	798.750	798.653	798.472	798.776
Medium Header Pressure			(Psig)	201.491	269.987	269.980	269.991
Low Header Pressure			(Psig)	84.368	40.055	40.092	-
18L Choke Valve Opening	0	0.0165	[Fraction]	0.538	0.995	1.000	1.000
13L Choke Valve Opening	84.92	0.046	[Fraction]	1.000	0.509	0.727	0.636
21L Choke Valve Opening	8.02	0.007	[Fraction]	0.552	0.721	0.985	1.000
18S Choke Valve Opening	0	0.0165	[Fraction]	0.501	0.481	0.671	0.644
29L Choke Valve Opening	75	0.014	[Fraction]	0.580	0.617	0.946	0.497
17L Choke Valve Opening	86.98	0.013	[Fraction]	0.501	0.523	-	-
11S Choke Valve Opening	83.05	0.008	[Fraction]	0.501	0.343	-	-
15S Choke Valve Opening	76.03	0.015	[Fraction]	0.501	0.478	-	-
28S Choke Valve Opening	71.99	0.002	[Fraction]	0.639	0.605	-	-
7L Choke Valve Opening	89.99	0.007	[Fraction]	0.501	-	0.875	-
21S Choke Valve Opening	3.14	0.017	[Fraction]	0.501	-	0.496	-
28L Choke Valve Opening	80	0.011	[Fraction]	0.501	-	0.504	-
20L Choke Valve Opening	27.97	0.001	[Fraction]	0.501	-	0.593	-
Optimized Production			(bbl/d)	5982	5459	5175	4076
Production Gain			(bbl/d)	313	877	847	800
Otimization Method				Powell	Interior Point	Interior Point	Interior Point

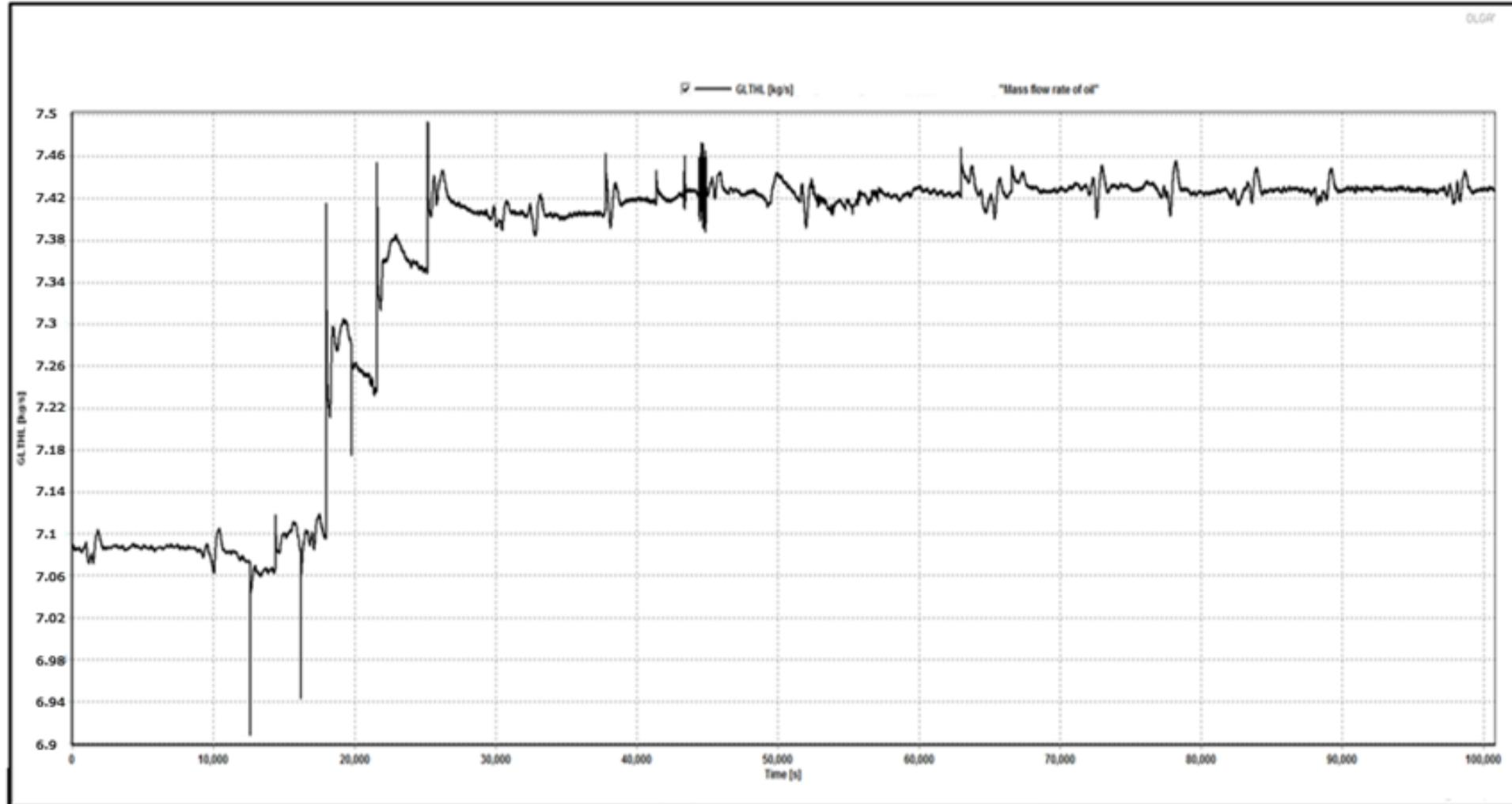
# OPTIMIZATION ENVELOPE for all well lineup configuration and control valve capacity checks

Table 4.57: Overall Optimized Set Points for all possible well lineups

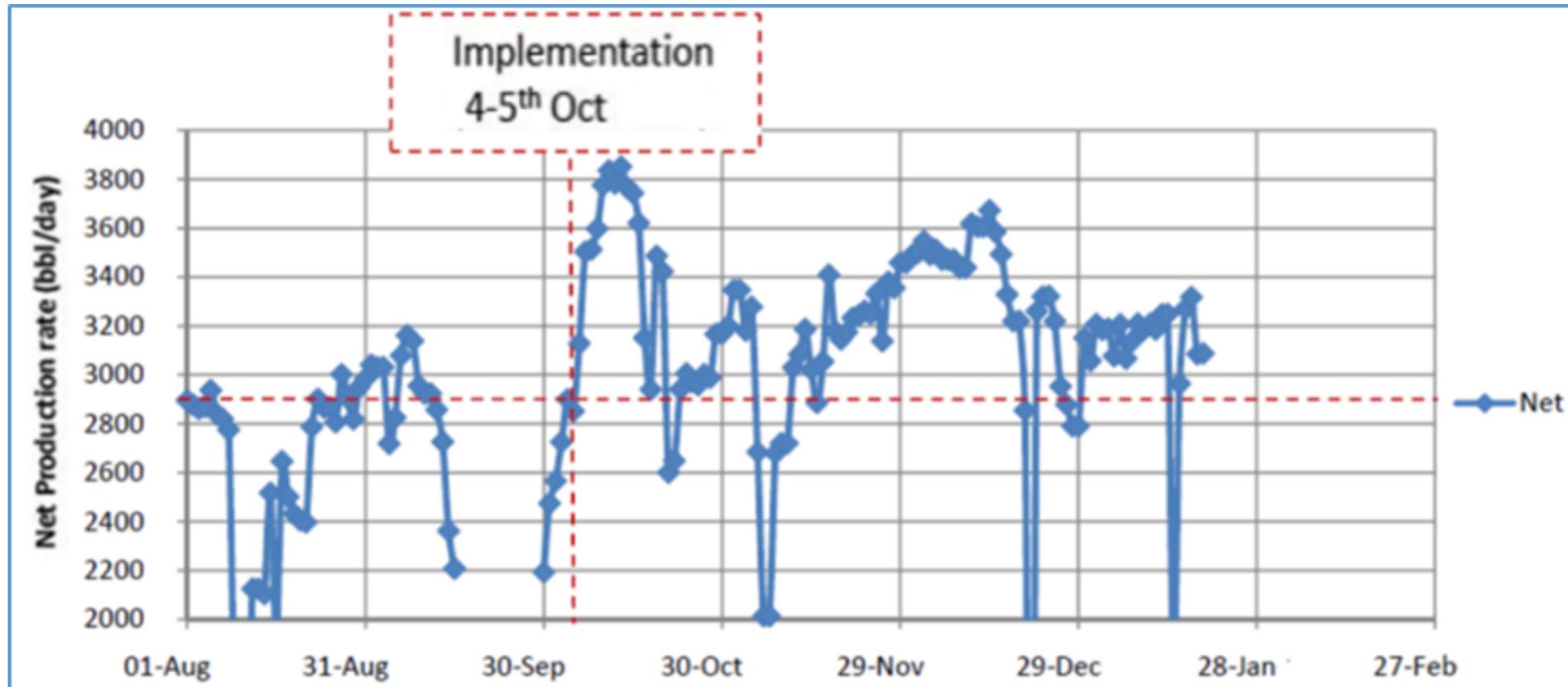
Case	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	Optimized Production (bbWd)	Production Gain (bbWd)	Optimization Method	
	Pressure (Psig)	Header Pressure (Psig)	Header Pressure (Psig)	Choke Valve Open [Fraction]																
1	738.750	201.431	84.368	0.538	1.000	0.552	0.501	0.580	0.501	0.501	0.501	0.633	0.501	0.501	0.501	0.501	5382.266	313.000	Powell	
2	738.653	263.987	40.855	0.335	0.503	0.721	0.481	0.617	0.523	0.343	0.478	0.605	-	-	-	-	5458.674	877.000	Interior Point	
3	738.472	263.980	40.932	1.000	0.727	0.385	0.671	0.346	-	-	-	-	0.875	0.436	0.504	0.533	5175.015	847.000	Interior Point	
4	738.776	263.931	-	1.000	0.636	1.000	0.644	0.437	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4675.863	800.000	Interior Point	
5	736.216	270.014	41.323	0.335	0.754	0.350	-	-	0.775	0.411	0.754	0.333	0.333	0.001	0.736	0.747	5318.843	367.000	Interior Point	
6	773.886	271.808	41.440	0.383	-	-	-	-	0.337	0.426	0.325	0.378	0.364	0.201	0.783	0.351	5305.616	315.000	Interior Point	
7	712.156	143.363	40.132	0.564	0.623	0.635	0.330	0.870	0.384	0.347	0.333	1.000	-	-	-	-	4195.832	332.000	Nedler Mead	
8	736.683	263.965	40.664	0.336	0.643	0.786	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.347	0.351	0.540	0.502	4443.863	835.000	Interior Point	
9	707.450	272.268	40.932	0.563	-	-	0.434	0.533	0.477	0.510	0.513	0.548	-	-	-	-	3475.800	178.000	Nedler Mead	
10	737.324	263.936	40.285	0.335	-	-	0.435	0.634	-	-	-	-	0.525	0.506	0.511	0.510	2307.217	47.000	Nedler Mead	
11	720.358	225.356	-	0.538	0.707	0.634	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2703.638	156.000	Nedler Mead	
12	737.306	263.958	-	0.731	-	-	0.438	0.438	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2377.751	383.000	Interior Point	
13	700.000	-	100.000	1.000	-	-	-	-	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	0.700	4642.000	381.000	Powell	
14	736.741	-	40.363	0.343	-	-	-	-	0.507	0.335	0.478	0.337	-	-	-	-	3403.006	834.000	Interior Point	
15	737.153	-	40.273	0.335	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.56470234	0.562035648	0.565307339	0.552171161	3083.678	761.000	Interior Point	
16	737.334	-	-	0.335	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1387.625	751.000	Interior Point	
17	0-1-1	263.982	41.036	-	0.732	0.397	0.700	0.893	0.762	0.762	0.76523035	0.338042245	0.463903873	0.766706765	0.482334761	0.407151371	4662.881	221.000	Interior Point	
18	0-1-H1	233.4658684	57.3852267	-	0.6	0.65125	8.42E-02	0.525	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.55125	-	-	-	-	3476.534	104.000	Powell	
19	0-1-H2	203.3283713	36.7546573	-	0.572148317	0.397163038	0.330336084	6.76E-01	-	-	-	-	0.672330731	0.33778272	0.464452082	0.505053502	3527.442	412.000	Powell	
20	0-1-0	208.0563705	-	-	0.551316144	1	0.573624173	7.62E-01	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2420.062	388.000	Nedler Mead	
21	0-H1-1	154.8620344	81.54867258	-	0.7	0.6	-	-	0.878407334	0.866611635	0.881331138	0.385178373	0.335111924	0.755383851	0.7618034	0.6	3332.042	273.000	Powell	
22	0-H2-1	271	72.21148236	-	-	-	6.35E-02	0.6	0.884561752	0.866388413	0.873368501	0.388037875	1	0.5	-	0.5	3408.183	240.000	Nedler Mead	
23	0-H1-H1	211.4050281	64.221313	-	1	3.35E-01	-	-	0.134202113	0.310200066	0.800081154	0.334418353	-	-	-	-	3086.313	441.000	Powell	
24	0-H1-H2	191.1633564	100	-	0.6	3.65E-01	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.334210445	0.74550233	0.7618034	0.6	2788.785	313.000	Powell	
25	0-H2-H1	250.5457113	57.51116258	-	-	-	-	0.331180321	0.336427631	0.632780643	0.734115137	1	0.337260005	-	-	-	2438.601	348.000	Powell	
26	0-H2-H2	200.633628	76.02206438	-	-	-	-	0.313041554	1	-	-	-	0.518352374	0.544687885	0.510783433	0.48335563	1313.383	86.000	Powell	
27	0-H1-0	207.7317084	-	-	0.354551751	1.00E+00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1535.827	235.000	Powell	
28	0-H2-0	122.8041152	-	-	-	-	0.232303713	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1763.147	181.000	Nedler Mead	
29	0-0-1	-	100	-	-	-	-	-	0.700	0.5763332	1	1	1	0.7	1	0.7	2613.824	182.000	Powell	
30	0-0-H1	-	57.55260812	-	-	-	-	-	0.332554633	0.367835845	0.356471612	1	-	-	-	-	1504.455	164.000	Powell	
31	0-0-H2	-	100.000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	0.7	1145.732	55.000	Powell	
32	0-0-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Equipment	Controller	Control Valve	Valve Opening	Valve CV	Flowing CV	Remark
V-100	LIC-100	LV-100	4.2	40	1.68	Ok, Flowing CV < Valve CV
(High Pressure Separator)	PIC-100	PV-100	55.7	125	69.63	Ok, Flowing CV < Valve CV
V-200	LIC-200	LV-200	6.5	220	14.30	Ok, Flowing CV < Valve CV
(Medium Pressure Separator)	PIC-200	PV-200	44.4	1668	740.59	Ok, Flowing CV < Valve CV
V-300	LIC-300	LV-300	5.8	340	19.72	Ok, Flowing CV < Valve CV
(Low Pressure Separator)	PIC-300	PV-300	40.2	732	294.26	Ok, Flowing CV < Valve CV

**SUCCESSFUL IMPLEMENTATION CASE 1: 0-1-1 well lineup configuration of changing medium and low pressure header pressures and individual 12 choke valve opening from the same headers based on optimized set points. The delta of production before and after implementation was roughly 0.36 kg/s (7.43 kg/s – 7.07 kg/s) correspondingly to 225.3 bbl/d oil production measured at crude transfer pump. The model predicted 221 bbl/d of oil production increment translated to 1.9 % deviation from the actual value.**



**SUCCESSFUL IMPLEMENTATION CASE 2: 0-H2-1 well lineup configuration of changing medium and low pressure header pressures and individual 10 choke valve opening from the same headers based on optimized set points. The delta of production before and after implementation was roughly 250 bbl/d (3400 bbl/d – 3150 bbl/d) oil production measured at crude transfer pump. The model predicted 240 bbl/d of oil production increment translated to 4.0 % deviation from the actual value.**



## SUMMARY

- ✓ **31 possible well lineup configurations with optimized operating envelope have been successfully developed in this study using iCON modeling platform that link surface and subsurface models.**
- ✓ **3 constrained optimization techniques were applied and compared to establish the optimization envelope to select the highest oil production (optimization objective function) by manipulating each header pressure and individual well choke valve opening.**
- ✓ **The optimization envelope generated then can be used as optimized set points or guidance for operation to maximize oil production. Operation team will follow the set points recommended in the optimization envelope table that matches their current well lineup configuration.**

# TECHNICAL GAP AND POTENTIAL FUTURE WORK



# POTENTIAL FUTURE WORKS

Based on Figure 5.1, there are still technical gaps to be studied in integrated surface sub-surface optimization fields. For future works, several recommendations are suggested below:

- a. **Take fluid sample at each well to determine individual well composition for more accurate fluid properties calculation and products distribution.**
- b. **De-lumping well bank simplification by using individual well flow correlation to generate maximum well lineup configuration for more granular operation matching.**
- c. **Apply hybrid constrained optimization technique via auto adaptive auto switching method to reduce optimization converging time.**
- d. **Verify individual well flow assurance at maximum surface production rate via OLGA modelling to confirm each well can deliver additional flow gain.**
- e. **Extend the optimization study by linking the integrated developed model with reservoir steady state model under one simulation and thermodynamic platform.**

**THANK YOU and In Memoriam for Professor Marco Aurélio Satyro**



Thank You

**with his favorite phrase that inspired me “how hard can it be...”**