### 3.3 FMT Pressures

One FMT-run (Run 3B) was performed in the well, in $81 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ hole. It confirmed the presence of hydrocarbons, as seen on the electrical logs. Pressure measurements at thirty different depths were performed. 16 of the measurements were good to very good, while 10 were tight, supercharged or 'no seal'-points.

Calculation of pressure gradients in the oil and water zone was performed using only the good pressure point. This gave an oil gradient of $7.41 \mathrm{kPa} / \mathrm{m}$ ( $0.755 \mathrm{~g} / \mathrm{cc}$ ) and a water gradient of $10.49 \mathrm{kPa} / \mathrm{m}(1.069 \mathrm{~g} / \mathrm{cc})$.
All pressure measurements are summarized on the next page and a graphical presentation with the gradient interpretation is presented in Figure 3.3.

One segregated sample was taken at 3363.8 m MDRKB. The $23 / 4$ gallon chamber contained 3.5 litres of oil, 3.51 of mud filtrate and $0.22 \mathrm{~m}^{3} \mathrm{gas}$. No $\mathrm{CO}_{2}$ or $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{~S}$ was detected from this sample chamber. The 1 gallon chamber was sent ashore for PVT analysis.

FMT PRESSURE DATA WELL 34/10-36
Crystal (HP) Gauge

| Run no. | Depth MDRKB <br> m | Depth TVDRKB m | Hydr. pres. kPa | Form. pres. $\mathrm{kPa}$ | Comments |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 3362.7 | 3357.7 | 51530.0 | 45398.0 | Good |
| 2 | 3364.0 | 3358.4 | 51536.0 | 45401.0 | Very good |
| 3 | 3365.5 | 3359.9 | 51540.0 | 45412.0 | Good |
| 4 | 3367.5 | 3361.9 | 51561.0 | 0.0 | Tight |
| 5 | 3372.0 | 3366.4 | 51655.0 | 45465.0 | Good |
| 6 | 3374.9 | 3369.3 | 51685.0 | 45526.0 | Supercharge |
| 7 | 3374.5 | 3368.9 | 51644.0 | 45479.0 | Good |
| 8 | 3363.2 | 3357.7 | 51453.0 | 45401.0 | Good |
| 9 | 3368.0 | 3362.4 | 51560.0 | 45437.0 | Good |
| 10 | 3385.0 | 3379.4 | 51917.0 | 46020.0 | Supercharge |
| 11 | 3385.5 | 3379.9 | 51840.0 | 45554.0 | Good |
| 12 | 3389.0 | 3383.4 | 51880.0 | 45596.0 | Moderate |
| 13 | 3390.7 | 3385.1 | 51908.0 | 45688.0 | Supercharge |
| 14 | 3395.0 | 3389.4 | 51980.0 | 45665.0 | Moderate |
| 15 | 3409.5 | 3403.9 | 52280.0 | 45857.0 | Poor/superch |
| 16 | 3415.0 | 3409.3 | 52325.0 | 45865.0 | Moderate |
| 17 | 3417.0 | 3411.4 | 52348.0 | 45880.0 | Good |
| 18 | 3418.0 | 3412.3 | 52310.0 | 45890.0 | Good |
| 19 | 3451.0 | 3445.2 | 52995.0 | 0.0 | Tight |
| 20 | 3457.8 | 3452.0 | 53085.0 | 46326.0 | Moderate |
| 21 | 3464.5 | 3458.7 | 53145.0 | 46522.0 | Moderate? |
| 22 | 3474.0 | 3468.2 | 53286.0 | 46480.0 | Moderate |
| 23 | 3478.0 | 3472.2 | 53315.0 | 46480.0 | Poor/mod |
| 24 | 3511.5 | 3505.7 | 53945.0 | 47000.0 | Poor |
| 25 | 3516.5 | 3510.7 | 53977.0 | 47222.0 | Poor |
| 26 | 3518.5 | 3512.7 | 53960.0 | 0.0 | Tight |


| 27 | 3533.0 | 3527.2 | 54230.0 | 48380.0 | Supercharge |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 28 | 3363.6 | 3358.0 | 0.0 | No seal |  |
| 29 | 3363.8 | 3358.2 | 51584.0 | 45396.0 | Segr.sample v.good |
| 30 | 3131.5 | 3120.9 | 0.0 | No seal |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |

### 3.4 Well testing

One drill stem test was performed in the Tarbert Formation. The well was perforated in the interval 3371.2-3376.2m MDRKB, and after a 10 hours clean-up flow the well was shut in at the PCT-valve for a 12 hours pressure build-up. After the first build-up period, the well was opened again for a 24 hours main flow period through a 36/64" ( 14.3 mm ) choke, and finally shut in for a main build-up period of 36 hours.

After the main build-up several attemts of opening the PCT-valve failed, so the well was killed by shearing SHORT and circulating out, before unsetting packer and bullheading.

The main test results were:

| Oil rate: | $836 \mathrm{Sm}^{3} / \mathrm{d}$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Gas rate: | $161490 \mathrm{Sm}^{3} / \mathrm{d}$ |
| Gas-oil-ratio: | $193 \mathrm{Sm}^{3} / \mathrm{Sm}^{3}$ |
| Water rate: | $7 \mathrm{Sm}^{3} / \mathrm{d}$ |
| Choke size: | $36 / 64{ }^{\prime \prime}(14.3 \mathrm{~mm})$ |
| Well Head Pressure: | 16500 kPa |
| Density oil: | $0.869 \mathrm{~g} / \mathrm{cm}^{3}$ |
| Density gas: | 0.695 relative air |
| $\mathrm{CO}_{2}:$ | $2 \%$ |
| $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{~S}:$ | 3.5 ppm |
| $\mathrm{Cl}^{-}$in water: | 19500 ppm |
| Reservoir. temp: | $126.1^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |

### 4.10 Drilling Fluid Summary

Comments: The following is an extract from the mud reports.

Total amounts of bulk and chemicals and subsequent cost are subject to revision at a later date.

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

## SUMMARY OF EVENTS

WELL NO: 34/10-36

## 36" HOLE SECTION

|  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Details | $30^{\prime \prime}$ casing set at: | $220,0 \mathrm{~m}$ |
|  | $36^{\prime \prime}$ hole drilled from: | $159,0 \mathrm{~m}$ |
|  | $36^{\prime \prime}$ hole drilled to: | $226,5 \mathrm{~m}$ |
|  | Total section cost: | 246476,90 NOK |
|  | Cost pr meter: | 3651,51 NOK |
|  |  |  |

Comments:

Spud mud and 1,18 SG Bentonite/seawater mud were made before drilling commenced. 65 cubic meters of 1,70 SG Bentonite/seawater kill mud were also mixed.

A $97 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ bit and BHA was made up and seabottom tagged at 159 meters RKB. 9 7/8" pilot hole was drilled from 159 to 315 meters utilizing seawater and hivis Bentonite pills. The hole was then drilled from 315 to 350 meters with 1,18 SG Bentonite/seawater mud and CMC/seawater mud to check out possible anomalies. Indications of shallow gas was recorded, but the well was static when checked first with 1,10 SG mud, and again with seawater.

The drilling continued from 350 to 425 meters using seawater and hivis pills. Another possible shallow gas zone from 425 to 465 meters was drilled with 1,18 SG mud, and finally the $97 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ pilot hole was drilled from 465 to 859 meters using seawater and hivis pills. The hole was displaced to 1,18 SG Bentonite/seawater mud before pulling out.

A $26^{\prime \prime}$ bit and $36^{\prime \prime}$ hole opener assembly was then run in hole. The pilot hole was opened to $36^{\prime \prime}$ from 159 to 226,5 meters utilizing seawater and hivis pills. At TD, 15 cubic meters of hivis mud was pumped and chased out with seawater prior to displacing the hole to hivis mud.

A wipertrip was made. When back on bottom, the hivis mud was displaced out with seawater. Then the hole was displaced to 1,18 SG mud prior to pulling out.

When running the $30^{\prime \prime}$ casing, it was not possible to pass 185 meters, possibly due to boulders. The casing was retrieved, and a $26^{\prime \prime}$ bit and tandem $36^{\prime \prime}$ hole opener was made up and run in hole. The hole was reamed, tight spots at 183 and 191 meters were worked. At TD, 15 cubic meters hivis pill was pumped and chased out with seawater.

Another wipertrip was made. Again, another 15 cubic meters hivis pill was pumped and chased around with seawater prior to displacing the hole to 1,18 SG mud and pulling out.

The $30^{\prime \prime}$ casing was then run, set and cemented at 220 meters.

VOLUME DISTRIBUTION.
Volume built:
$1039 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
Dumped (returns to seabed): $756 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
Transferred to next section: $283 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$

## SUMMARY OF EVENTS

## WELL NO: 34/10-36

## 26" HOLE SECTION

|  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| Details | $20^{\prime \prime}$ casing set at: | $1056,0 \mathrm{~m}$ |
|  | $26^{\prime \prime}$ hole drilled from: | $226,5 \mathrm{~m}$ |
|  | 26" hole drilled to: | $1070,0 \mathrm{~m}$ |
|  | Total section cost: | 353290,50 NOK |
|  | Cost pr meter: | 418,84 NOK |
|  |  |  |

Spud mud and 1,18 SG Bentonite/seawater mud were prepared before drilling started. Kill mud from the previous section was used to weight up to 1,18 SG.

A 17 1/2" bit and $26^{\prime \prime}$ hole opener was made up and run in hole. Cement was tagged at 215 meters. The hole was opened to $26^{\prime \prime}$ to 1071 meters using seawater and hivis pills every 15 meters drilled. At TD, a $20 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$ hivis pill was pumped and chased out with seawater prior to displacing to 1,18 SG Bentonite/seawater mud and pulling out.

A running tool was then made up to wash the wellhead area.

When returning in the hole with $26^{\prime \prime}$ bit and $26^{\prime \prime}$ hole opener, tight spots were reamed. At bottom the hole was displaced to 1,18 SG CMC EHV/seawater mud. When pulling out of the hole, there were tight spots, the hole was reamed and the bit was unable to pass 725 meters. When going back in, the hole was again reamed from 600 meters. At bottom, the hole was displaced to 1,18 SG CMC EHV/seawater mud. There were again some tight spots when pulling out of the hole.

The $20^{\prime \prime}$ casing was run and cemented in place without problems.

VOLUME DISRIBUTION.
Transferred from previous section: $283 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
Volume built: $1245 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
Dumped (returns to seabed): $1445 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
Transferred to next section: $83 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$

## Recommendations:

Since the hole had regions with swelling clays it might be that the Bentonite mud left in the hole before the wiper trip could enhance swelling. The second time the hole was filled, CMC EHV/seawater mud was used. It could possibly have been better to use CMC EHV/seawater mud for all hole fillings. This mud type will give less swelling of clays.

## SUMMARY OF EVENTS

## WELL NO: 34/10-36

## 17 1/2" HOLE SECTION

## Details

$$
\begin{array}{ll}
133 / 8^{\prime \prime} \text { casing set at: } & 2100,0 \mathrm{~m} \\
171 / 2^{\prime \prime} \text { hole drilled from: } & 1070,0 \mathrm{~m} \\
171 / 2^{\prime \prime} \text { hole drilled to: } & 2115,0 \mathrm{~m} \\
\text { Total section cost: } & 780278,30 \text { NOK } \\
\text { Cost pr meter: } & \\
& 746,68 \text { NOK }
\end{array}
$$

## Comments:

1. GENERAL.

The cement, shoe, rathole and $3 m$ new formation were drilled with seawater, and then sweeped with a $20 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$ hivis pill followed by seawater, before displacement to the 1,25 SG GYP/PAC mud. A leak off test gave $E Q M W=1,60 \mathrm{SG}$.

The hole was drilled to 1171 m while increasing the mud weight to 1,30 SG. A trip was then made to change the MWD. The hole was tight when pulling out and was reamed down from 1125 m when going back in.

The hole was then drilled to 1918 m with penetration rate varying between 5 and 30 meters per hour. When pulling out to change bit, the hole was tight and the string was pumped out from 1800 m . After washing and reaming with the new bit from the shoe to 1919 m , the drilling continued to the interval TD at 2115 m . The hole was circulated clean and a wiper trip to the shoe indicated many tight spots, the hole had to be backreamed from 1653 m . The hole was washed and reamed from 1640 m to TD on tripping back in, and once again circulated clean prior to pulling out of the hole. A tight spot with 25 tons overpull was experienced between 2050 m and 2006 m , the rest of the hole was in good shape.

One log was run, the tool stopped 25 m from bottom. A conditioning trip was made and the hole washed and reamed from 1987m to TD. The hole was again circulated clean, and the pipe tripped out, the hole was in good condition. The $133 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ casing was run and cemented without any problems.

## 2. MUD HISTORY.

Before starting drilling, $300 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$ of GYP/PAC mud were mixed. The mud was sheared for about 2 hours, giving an 80 BAR pressure drop, and weighted up to 1,25 SG. Initial concentrations of chemicals were:

| Ancocide | $1,0 \mathrm{liter} / \mathrm{m}^{3}$. |
| :--- | :--- |
| Lime | $0,1 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m}^{3}$ |
| Celpol SL | $11,0 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m}^{3}$ |
| Celpol REG | $1,5 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m}^{3}$ |
| Gypsum | $12,0 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m}^{3}$ |

The mud properties were adjusted and maintained by continuous dumping of old mud and additions of premixes. Typical concentrations in the premixes were:
Ancocide $\quad 1,0 l i t e r / m^{3}$
Celpol SL $\quad 15,0 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m}^{3}$
Gypsum $\quad 15,0 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m}^{3}$
The rheology was run on the low side with typical YP values around $4,5 \mathrm{~Pa}$ in the active pit and $5-5,5 \mathrm{~Pa}$ out of the hole. The 10 minute gels were between 1 and $1,5 \mathrm{~Pa}$ during the entire section. However, the low gels caused no problems. No fill was found after trips. The choke and kill lines was flushed on each shift to minimize chances for barite settling.

## 3. SOLIDS CONTROL.

The shakers were run with the finest possible screens. The screens had very short lifetime. A total of 25 screens, size 60 and 80 mesh, were used on the first 400 m drilled.

The first 300 m of formation contained a large fraction of sand. The sand content in the mud was up to $4 \%$ at maximum. The mud cleaner was run with 200 mesh screens and the centrifuge was also run for about 30 hours to reduce the content of fine sand and silt. The cuttings was good most of the section, but in the last part they became more soft and sticky.
4. VOLUME DISTRIBUTION.
Volume built: $1032 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
Transferred from previous section: $83 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
Dumped: $312 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
Lost on surface: $257 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
Left behind casing: $\quad 70 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
Transferred to next section: $476 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$

## Recommendations:

In order to reduce the screen consumption the following is recommended:
-Shaker screens must be changed according to instructions with the mud pumps off. Care must be taken to get the underscreens on top of the inner support and that there are no wrinkles. To ensure this, the upper screen must be withdrawn halfway when mounting the underscreen.
-The 60 and 80 mesh screens should be produced to tolerate more wear. As of now they last only a small fraction of time compared to the 40 mesh screens.

## SUMMARY OF EVENTS

## WELL NO: 34/10-36

## 12 1/4" HOLE SECTION

Details

| $95 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ casing set at: | $2994,0 \mathrm{~m}$ |
| :--- | ---: |
| $121 / 4^{n}$ hole drilled from: | $2115,0 \mathrm{~m}$ |
| $121 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ hole drilled to: | $3010,0 \mathrm{~m}$ |
| Total section cost: | 650996,60 NOK |
| Cost pr meter: |  |
| $l$ |  |

## Comments:

1. GENERAL.

The cement, casing shoe, rathole and 3 m new formation was drilled and the mud weight increased to $1,35 \mathrm{SG}$, before a LOT was performed giving 2,10 SG EMW. Another 3m was drilled and a second LOT was performed to 1,76 SG EMW.

The hole was then drilled to 2350 m , where the string was pumped out of the hole to pick up a mud motor. The mud weight was increased to 1,40 SG before the drilling/steering continued due to indications of increasing pore pressure and 5 m fill. At 2426 m , a bit change became necessary, the trip out of and into the hole was good.

The drilling continued to 2661 m , but the inability of the BHA to drop angle when required necessitated a further trip out of the hole to change BHA.

A few tight spots were reamed and the hole washed down from 2626 m 'to 2661 m , no fill was found on bottom. The drilling continued to 2825 m when a bit change became necessary. Some indications of increasing pore pressure were noticed, so the mud weight was increased to 1,45 SG before pulling out of the hole.

When running back in, the hole was washed down from 2627 m to 2087 m , then reamed and logged to 2825 m , no fill was seen on bottom. At 2841 m , the mud weight was increased to 1,50 SG while circulating the hole. The hole was drilled to the TD of this section at 3010 m without problems.

When pulling out for a wiper trip to the casing shoe, the BHA was lost. After fishing the BHA, and logging was completed, a wiper trip was made to TD. Reaming/backreaming was needed at the lower part of the hole, and the mudweight was increased to 1,54 SG before the casing job. The casing was set and cemented without any problems, and with full mud returns.

## 2. MUD HISTORY.

Prior to and when drilling the cement, the mud was treated with Sodium Bicarbonate to control the pH . When drilling continued, the mud properties were maintained with additions of premix as in the previous section. The premix contained approximately 15 kg Celpol, 15 kg Gypsym and 1 liter Ancocide per cubic meter. The dilution rates varied between about 5 cubic meters per hour at the start of the section to about 3 cubic meters per hour in the lower part of the section, when penetration rates were about 10 meters per hour.

This gave a very stable mud with very little changes in the day to day mud properties. Close attention was paid to any evidence of bacterial growth by using Panatest dipslides on a daily basis. Initially very little growth was seen, but after a few days a low to moderate ( $10^{3}-10^{5}$ organisms per ml) infection was observed. The active mud system was immediately treated with Ancocide, and daily additions of $+/-150$ liters kept the bacteria concentration within acceptable limits so that the mud properties were not affected.

The mud rheology remained stable with the yield point around +/- 5 Pa until higher mud weights became necessary. The increased solids content led to increasing the yield point to +/- 7 Pa . However, the mud properties were kept within the programmed specifications.

## 3. SOLIDS CONTROL.

The GM 2000 H shakers were, in general, functioning very good, although the consumption of screens at the beginning of this well were high. This is probably due to the fact that the screens were put on as mud were run through the shakers. The tension on the screens were also initially set to high. It is also noticed that screens above 60 mesh tended to brake more frequently, which could mean that they have a too weak construction.

At the beginning of the section, the shakers were set with 40 mesh top screens and 60 mesh bottom screens. The bottom screens were soon changed to 80 mesh and later to 100 mesh, while the top screens were changed to 60 mesh at the bottom of the section.

The sentrifuge was run periodically for barite recovery as the dilution rate was increased.
4. VOLUME DISTRIBUTION.
Volume built: $789 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
Transferred from previous section: $476 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
Lost on surface: $346 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
Dumped: $627 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
Left behind $95 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ csg: $\quad 60 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
Transferred to next section: $232 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$

## Recommendations:

It is recommended to:

- change the screens on the GANN shakers during connections only.
- use the right tension on the shaker screens when put on.

There were no major problem with the mud system used on this section, and thus the same system is to recommended used in future similar sections.

## SUMMARY OF EVENTS

## WELL NO: 34/10-36

## 8 1/2" HOLE SECTION

## Details

| 7" liner set at: | 2838,0-3625,0 m |
| :---: | :---: |
| 8 1/2" hole drilled | from: $3010,0 \mathrm{~m}$ |
| 8 1/2" hole drilled | to: $3640,0 \mathrm{~m}$ |
| Total section cost: | 995 221,93 NOK |
| Cost pr meter: | 1 579,72 NOK |

## Comments:

1. GENERAL.

The cement and 3 m of new formation was drilled, using GYP/PAC mud left from the 12 1/4" section. The old mud was then displaced with new 1,47 SG Ancotemp/Bentonite mud. A leak off test giving 1,97 SG EMW was taken before drilling of new formation commenced.

A drilling break occured at 3029m. A core was then cut to 3054 m , with an average ROP of 2-3 $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{hr}$. The drilling continued to 3363 m , a new drilling break occured at 3359 m . Two cores were taken from 3363 m to 3417 m . When pulling/pumping out with the last core, the hole was found to be a little tight. When tripping back in, the hole was reamed the last stand.

The drilling continued to interval TD of 3640 m where the hole was circulated clean. On tripping out of the hole it was necessary to backream from 3490 m , and at 3185 m the pipe became stuck. The pipe was worked free and pulled to the shoe where the mud weight was increased to 1,52 SG while circulating. The string was reamed back to bottom from 2994 m and 20 m of fill was found. A $20 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$ hivis pill was circulated around the hole and large quantities of cuttings (sloughing shales) were seen at the shakers.

Another attempt was made at pulling out of the hole, but it was again necessary to backream, this time from 3350 m . At the shoe the hole was circulated clean and the string pulled to surface.

A new BHA was run back in the hole which was reamed from 3025 m to TD. Two $20 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$ hivis pills were circulated around the hole and the string tripped out to run wireline logs; the logging tool could not pass 3270 m . The same BHA was run back in the hole and tight spots reamed out; $3,5 \mathrm{~m}$ of fill were found on bottom. A lovis pill followed by a hivis pill were circulated around the hole and the mud weight increased to 1,56 SG in an attempt to stabilize the shales. But a wiper trip to the shoe and two more hivis pills were required before hole stability was achieved and a trouble free trip out of the hole became possible.

The logging programme resumed, but a wiper trip was needed prior to the last logging run. Another wiper trip which included pumping two more hivis pills was made before running and cementing the 7" liner.

## 2. MUD HISTORY.

The cement, shoe and rathole was drilled out using the GYP/PAC mud left from the 12 1/4" section. This mud was treated with approximately $1,2 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m}^{3}$ Sodium Bicarbonate before the cement was drilled. The hole was then displaced to new mud prior to the leak off test.

The new Ancotemp/Bentonite mud consisted of $60 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m}^{3}$ Bentonite, $9 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m}^{3}$ Anco Resin and $2 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m}^{3}$ Ancotemp. After one circulation, the mud was treated with $2 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m}^{3}$ Celpol LV to improve the API filter loss, and $2 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m}^{3}$ Ancotemp for thinning purposes. The API and HTHP fluid loss were kept'very stable at 3,0-3,6 ml , respectilvely $11-13 \mathrm{ml}$, with dilution of premixes consisting of Ancotemp, Ancoresin and Celpol LV.

The rheology soon stabilized with an YP around 4,5 Pascals, by dilution rates of $2-3 \mathrm{~m}^{3} / \mathrm{hr}$ at the start, decreasing to $1-2 \mathrm{~m}^{3} / \mathrm{hr}$ after the first core. The dilution rate was again slightly increased when drilling to TD.

To avoid excessive dilution rates in order to keep the viscosity down, the concentrations of Celpol LV in the premixes were reduced. At the beginning of the section, when the concentrations of Celpol LV was highest, tests showed reduced viscosity and gels after aging the mud for 24 hours at 140 Celsius. In the last part of the section, the aging tests showed higher viscosity and gels, but still well within acceptable limits (YP 6-11 Pa, 10 sec gels 2-4 Pa, 10 min gels $7-12 \mathrm{~Pa}$ ). The logging went on without any problems related to mud viscosity and gels.

The continuous use of hivis Bentonite pills to keep the hole clean, did increase the MBT from $+/-60$ to $+/-70 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m}^{3}$. However, this had little effect on the mud properties. Even the high temperature aging tests showed little changes.

## 3. SOLIDS CONTROL.

Most of the time the shakers were set with 60 mesh top screens and 100-150 bottom screens. The mudcleaners were run with 150 mesh screens to control low gravity solids.

| 4. VOLUME DISTRIBUTION. |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Volume built: | $679 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$ |
| Transferred from previous section: | $232 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$ |
| Lost on surface: | $144 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$ |
| Dumped: | $418 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$ |
| Transferred to next section: | $349 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$ |

## Recommendations:

No major mud problems were experienced in this section. The same mud system is recommended to be used in future similar sections.

## SUMMARY OF EVENTS

## WELL NO: 34/10-36

TEST, P \& A

Details Total section cost: $\quad 370$ 379,20 NOK

## Comments: 1. GENERAL

The cement to the top of the liner was drilled with the Ancotemp/Bentonite mud left from the $81 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ section. A pressure test of the liner lap showed leakage. The following cement squeeze was successful, and the liner lap was cleaned out before the mud weight was reduced to 1,45 SG.
$31 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$ of new test fluid was displaced from the bottom of the hole to approximately 2410 m .

Wireline logs were run before the test string was run in.

The test was carried out without major problems. After the main build up, the well was reverse circulated with returns over the burner booms, before it was bullheaded and killed.

A retainer was set at 3360 m , before injection test/squeezing off perforations. A cement plug was set from 2900 m to 2787 m , and a bridge plug at 2758 m .

## 2. MUD HISTORY

The mud was treated with $1,8 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m}^{3}$ Sodium Bicarbonate before the cement to the top of the liner was drilled. During squeezing and the following cement drilling, another $7,6 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m}^{3}$ of Sodium Bicarbonate was added to lower pH and reduce Calcium content. Increased Calcium content tended to increase the rheology. Premixes of drill water and Ancotemp was added at a rate of $2-3 \mathrm{~m}^{3} / \mathrm{hr}$. Ligthin was also added to the active to a consentration of $1,7 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m}^{3}$. As a result, the YP was soon reduced from 7 Pa to approximate 5 Pa , and gels kept steady at $2 / 7 \mathrm{~Pa}$ (10 sec./10min).

Before the test string was run in, $31 \mathrm{~m}^{3} 1,45 \mathrm{SG}$ test fluid was mixed, consisting of: $45 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m}^{3}$ Bentonite, $9 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m}^{3}$ Ancotemp and $6 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m}^{3}$ Thermopol. The fluid had the following properties:

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \mathrm{PV}=27 \mathrm{cps} \\
& \mathrm{YP}=7 \mathrm{~Pa} \\
& \mathrm{Gels}=3,5 / 7 \mathrm{~Pa} \\
& \mathrm{pH}=9,7
\end{aligned}
$$

Samples of the test fluid returning from the hole was taken when circulating after the test was completed. Generally, the fluid was in very good condition. The following properties were recorded:

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \mathrm{PV}=39 \mathrm{cps} \\
& \mathrm{YP}=12 \mathrm{~Pa} \\
& \mathrm{Gels}=4 / 12 \mathrm{~Pa} \\
& \mathrm{pH}=10,5
\end{aligned}
$$

A standard P \& A procedure was carried out. In spite of several cement jobs, the mud showed to be well controlable by addition of premixed thinning chemicals (Ligthin and Ancotemp) and Sodium Bicarbonate.
3. SOLIDS CONTROL The shakers were run with 60 mesh top screens and 120 mesh bottom screens.

## 4. VOLUME DISTRIBUTION

Volume built:
$194 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
Transferred from 8 1/2" section: $349 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
Gained from behind $133 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ csg: $26 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
Lost on surface: $57 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
Dumped: $426 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
Left in hole: $\quad 86 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
Final volume: $0 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$

## Recommendations:

No major mud problems were experienced in this section. The same system is recommended for future similar conditions.

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