



General information

Wellbore name	16/2-6
Type	EXPLORATION
Purpose	WILDCAT
Status	P&A
Press release	link to press release
Factmaps in new window	link to map
Main area	NORTH SEA
Field	JOHAN SVERDRUP
Discovery	16/2-6 Johan Sverdrup
Well name	16/2-6
Seismic location	Ln0902-inline2210 & crossline 7260
Production licence	501
Drilling operator	Lundin Norway AS
Drill permit	1311-L
Drilling facility	TRANSOCEAN WINNER
Drilling days	63
Entered date	20.07.2010
Completed date	20.09.2010
Release date	20.09.2012
Publication date	16.10.2012
Purpose - planned	WILDCAT
Reentry	NO
Content	OIL
Discovery wellbore	YES
1st level with HC, age	LATE JURASSIC
1st level with HC, formation	INTRA DRAUPNE FM SS
2nd level with HC, age	MIDDLE JURASSIC
2nd level with HC, formation	VESTLAND GP
Kelly bushing elevation [m]	26.0
Water depth [m]	115.0
Total depth (MD) [m RKB]	2131.0
Final vertical depth (TVD) [m RKB]	2131.0
Oldest penetrated age	LATE PERMIAN
Oldest penetrated formation	ZECHSTEIN GP
Geodetic datum	ED50
NS degrees	58° 49' 25.26" N
EW degrees	2° 36' 54.76" E
NS UTM [m]	6520633.12



EW UTM [m]	477779.05
UTM zone	31
NPDID wellbore	6374

Wellbore history

General

Well 16/2-6 was drilled on the Avaldsnes prospect on the Utsira High in the North Sea. The primary objective was to prove oil in Jurassic and pre-Jurassic sandstone in the Karmsund Graben. The secondary objective was to prove oil in the Paleocene Ty Formation Sandstone. Planned TD was 50 m into solid basement rock.

Operations and results

Wildcat well 16/2-6 was spudded with the semi-submersible installation Transocean Winner on 20 July 2010 and drilled to TD at 2131 m. The well encountered severe loss problems in the Zechstein Group and a technical sidetrack was drilled (well 16/2-6 T2) through the reservoir. The sidetrack was kicked off from 1830 m and drilled to 2131 m where severe losses again were experienced and the well was completed without reaching its planned TD. All wire line logging and a DST were performed in the sidetrack. The well was drilled with seawater and hi-vis pills down to 748 m and with Glydri WBM (3- 5% glycol) from 748 m to TD.

No Ty Formation sand was seen in the well. Top Viking Group, Draupne Formation was encountered at 1925.5 m (1927.5 m in sidetrack) and top of the Draupne reservoir sand came in at 1931 m (1931 m in sidetrack). The top of the reservoir consists of an 8 m thick, coarse to very coarse, sand. Underlying this is finer grained sand laminated with shale. A reworked calcareous formation lies on top of the Triassic. Pressure points, MDT sampling and DST results confirmed the presence of oil in the reservoir with an oil-water contact at 1948.6 m. Residual oil was found down to 1966 m. In addition to the main reservoir section, oil was sampled in calcareous slumps with vuggy porosity between the Jurassic sandstone and the Triassic. Apart from this there were no shows of hydrocarbons reported elsewhere in the well bores.

Three conventional cores were cut from 5 m into the Draupne sandstone, through the Middle Jurassic Vestland Group down to 1961.5 m in the Late Triassic Skagerrak Formation. MDT fluid samples were taken at 1933.2 m (oil), 1936.0 m (oil), 1945.2 m (oil), 1948 m (oil and water), 1953 m (water), and at 1962.5 m (water and oil).

The well was permanently abandoned on 20 September 2010 on as an oil discovery.

Testing

A drill stem test was performed from the interval 1931.8 m to 1938.1 m. The test flowed 786 Sm3 oil and 18700 Sm3 through a 52/64" choke. At single stage separation The GOR was 39.6 Sm3/Sm3, the oil density was 0.891 g/cm3, and the gas gravity was 1.012 (air = 1). The maximum DST temperature was 82.7 deg C. The interpretation of the DST indicated a continuous reservoir without barriers in a radius of 2-3 km with extremely good flow characteristics.

Cuttings at the Norwegian Offshore Directorate



Cutting sample, top depth [m]	Cutting samples, bottom depth [m]
750.00	2131.00

Cuttings available for sampling?	YES
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Cores at the Norwegian Offshore Directorate

Core sample number	Core sample - top depth	Core sample - bottom depth	Core sample depth - uom
1	1935.0	1939.5	[m]
2	1939.5	1956.2	[m]
3	1958.6	1960.3	[m]

Total core sample length [m]	22.9
Cores available for sampling?	YES

Oil samples at the Norwegian Offshore Directorate

Test type	Bottle number	Top depth MD [m]	Bottom depth MD [m]	Fluid type	Test time	Samples available
DST		0.00	0.00		11.09.2010 - 00:00	YES

Lithostratigraphy

Top depth [mMD RKB]	Lithostrat. unit
141	NORDLAND GP
829	UTSIRA FM
876	NO FORMAL NAME
939	HORDALAND GP
939	SKADE FM
1097	NO FORMAL NAME
1468	ROGALAND GP
1468	BALDER FM
1493	SELE FM
1505	LISTA FM
1604	VÅLE FM
1628	SHETLAND GP



1628	EKOFISK FM
1639	TOR FM
1669	HOD FM
1775	BLODØKS FM
1777	SVARTE FM
1805	CROMER KNOLL GP
1805	RØDBY FM
1907	SOLA FM
1912	ÅSGARD FM
1926	VIKING GP
1926	DRAUPNE FM
1931	INTRA DRAUPNE FM SS
1938	DRAUPNE FM
1942	VESTLAND GP
1955	NO GROUP DEFINED
1955	SKAGERRAK FM
2075	ZECHSTEIN GP

Geochemical information

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Drill stem tests (DST)

Test number	From depth MD [m]	To depth MD [m]	Choke size [mm]
1.0	1932	1938	20.6

Test number	Final shut-in pressure [MPa]	Final flow pressure [MPa]	Bottom hole pressure [MPa]	Downhole temperature [°C]
1.0				

Test number	Oil [Sm ³ /day]	Gas [Sm ³ /day]	Oil density [g/cm ³]	Gas grav. rel.air	GOR [m ³ /m ³]
1.0	780				





Logs

Log type	Log top depth [m]	Log bottom depth [m]
CMR HRLA XPT	1835	2060
FMI MSIP	1300	2070
HRLA PEX ECS HNGS	1803	2070
LWD - GR RES DEN NEU SON PWD DIR	748	2131
LWD - GR RES PWD DIR	141	750
LWD - GR RES PWD DIR	1803	2068
LWD - GR RES SON DEN NEU	2083	2122
LWD - PWD DIR	141	748
MDT GR	1932	2027
MSCT GR	1820	2053
VSP GR	115	2072

Casing and leak-off tests

Casing type	Casing diam. [inch]	Casing depth [m]	Hole diam. [inch]	Hole depth [m]	LOT/FIT mud eqv. [g/cm3]	Formation test type
CONDUCTOR	30	218.0	36	220.0	0.00	LOT
SURF.COND.	13 3/8	742.0	17 1/2	748.0	1.81	LOT
PILOT HOLE		750.0	9 7/8	750.0	0.00	LOT
INTERM.	9 5/8	1803.0	12 1/4	1810.0	1.75	LOT
OPEN HOLE		2131.0	8 1/2	2131.0	0.00	LOT

Drilling mud

Depth MD [m]	Mud weight [g/cm3]	Visc. [mPa.s]	Yield point [Pa]	Mud type	Date measured
752	1.30			Water	
1633	1.35			Water	
1810	1.37			Water	
1814	1.20			Water	
1965	1.20			Water	
2010	1.18			Water	
2082	1.20			Water	
2103	1.25			Water	
2128	1.20			Water	



2131	1.25		Water	
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Pressure plots

The pore pressure data is sourced from well logs if no other source is specified. In some wells where pore pressure logs do not exist, information from Drill stem tests and kicks have been used. The data has been reported to the NPD, and further processed and quality controlled by IHS Markit.

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6374 Formation pressure (Formasjonstrykk)	pdf	0.20

