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General information

Wellbore name	7221/12-1
Туре	EXPLORATION
Purpose	WILDCAT
Status	P&A
Press release	link to press release
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Main area	BARENTS SEA
Discovery	7221/12-1 (Svanefjell)
Well name	7221/12-1
Seismic location	EASTLOPPA_SG9803STR09_MERGE_T inline3321 Xline8509
Production licence	659
Drilling operator	Aker BP ASA
Drill permit	1696-L
Drilling facility	DEEPSEA STAVANGER
Drilling days	22
Entered date	04.05.2018
Completed date	25.05.2018
Plugged and abondon date	25.05.2018
Release date	03.02.2019
Publication date	13.05.2019
Purpose - planned	WILDCAT
Reentry	NO
Content	GAS
Discovery wellbore	YES
1st level with HC, age	LATE TRIASSIC
1st level with HC, formation	SNADD FM
Kelly bushing elevation [m]	30.0
Water depth [m]	346.0
Total depth (MD) [m RKB]	724.0
Final vertical depth (TVD) [m RKB]	724.0
Maximum inclination [°]	1.63
Oldest penetrated age	LATE TRIASSIC
Oldest penetrated formation	SNADD FM
Geodetic datum	ED50
NS degrees	72° 8' 18.68'' N
EW degrees	21° 55' 50.32" E
NS UTM [m]	8011907.49



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EW UTM [m]	326631.20
UTM zone	35
NPDID wellbore	8441

Wellbore history

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Well 7221/12-1 was drilled to test the Svanefjell prospect on the south-eastern part of the Loppa High in the Barents Sea. The primary objective was to prove presence of moveable hydrocarbons in the Late Triassic Snadd Formation.

Operations and results

Wildcat well 7221/12-1 was spudded with the semi-submersible installation Deepsea Stavanger on 4 May 2018 and drilled to TD at 724 m in the Late Triassic Snadd Formation. Operations proceeded without significant problems. The well was drilled with seawater and hi-vis pills down to 560 m and with 1.12 sg water-based mud from 560 m to TD.

The Snadd Formation was encountered at 570 m and extended to well TD. There was a total gas column of 15 m in the uppermost part of the Snadd Formation of which about 9 m was in sandstones with moderately to good reservoir quality. The gas-water contact is placed at ca 585 m. Generally uniform shows were described on cuttings and cores from 574 m to about 600 m: no odour, no stain, excellent dull to bright yellow direct fluorescence, fast to moderate blooming-streaming cut fluorescence, bluish white even fluorescence residue. From 602 m down to 618 m the shows become more heterogenous, but often with odour and stain. Weaker shows were recorded down to 665 m, and no shows from there to TD.

Two cores were cut in succession from 574 to 626.47 m with 100% total recovery. MDT gas samples were obtained from depths 564.5 m, 571.1 m, and 582.5 m. All samples contained dry gas with more than 96% Methane, less than 0.8% N2, less than 0.03% CO2 and the rest C2+ hydrocarbon gases. Water samples were collected from depths 589.3 m and 604.5 m

The well was permanently abandoned on 25 May 2018 as a small gas discovery.

Testing

No drill stem test was performed.

Cuttings available for sampling?

Cuttings at the Norwegian Offshore Directorate

Cutting sample, top depth [m]	Cutting samples, bottom depth [m]	
566.00	724.00	

YES



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Cores at the Norwegian Offshore Directorate

Core sample number	Core sample - top depth	Core sample - bottom depth	
1	574.0	601.5	[m]
2	601.5	626.5	[m]

Total core sample length [m]	52.5
Cores available for sampling?	YES

Lithostratigraphy

Top depth [mMD RKB]	Lithostrat. unit	
376	NORDLAND GP	
452	ADVENTDALEN GP	
467	KAPP TOSCANA GP	
525	FRUHOLMEN FM	
570	SNADD FM	

Logs

Log top depth [m]	Log bottom depth [m]
0	0
569	604
560	600
569	724
376	427
427	564
564	574
564	724
376	566
568	568
569	724
400	720
	depth [m] 0 569 560 569 376 427 564 564 376 568 569

Casing and leak-off tests



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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	425.0	36	427.3	0.00	
INTERM.	13 3/8	558.6	17 1/2	564.5	1.56	FIT
PILOT HOLE		566.0	9 7/8	566.0	0.00	
OPEN HOLE		724.0	8 1/2	724.0	0.00	

Drilling mud

Depth MD [m]	Mud weight [g/cm3]	Visc. [mPa.s]	Yield point [Pa]	Mud type	Date measured
450	1.15			Water	
450	1.14			Water	
540	1.12			Water	
564	1.12			Water	
724	1.12			Water	
724	1.13			Water	