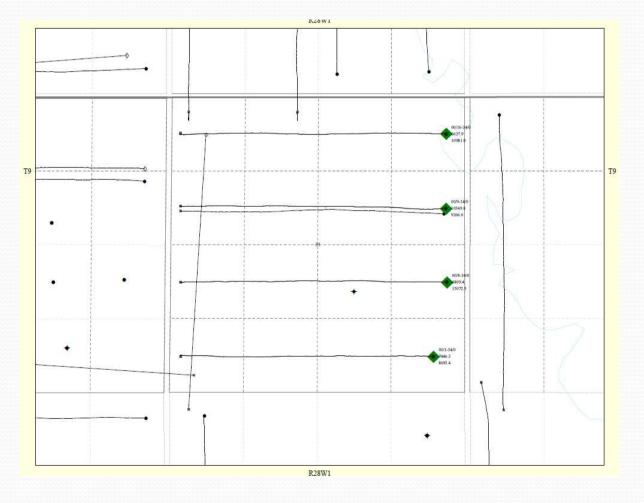
## Exodus Simulation Immiscible Gas Injection Pilot Area Coho Consulting Ltd For Tundra Oil and Gas July 2013

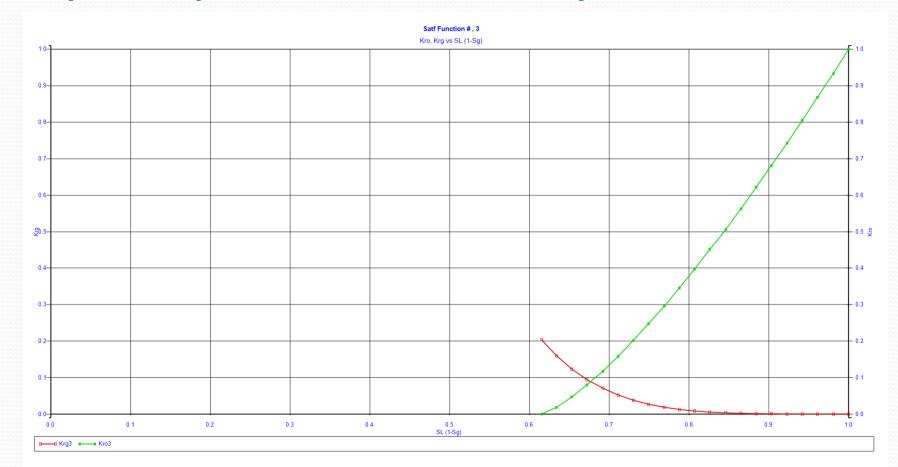
# Objectives

- Build a reservoir simulation model of the Bakken in one section, 34-8-28W1, proposed as the site for an immiscible gas injection pilot.
- History match the model to the primary production from four horizontal wells stimulated via multiple hydraulic fractures (MFHWs).
- Introduce available gas-liquid relative permeability curves into the model to forecast performance with immiscible gas injection.

### 4 Bakken MFHWs in 34-8-28W1



# Gas-oil relative permeability from Hycal special core analysis



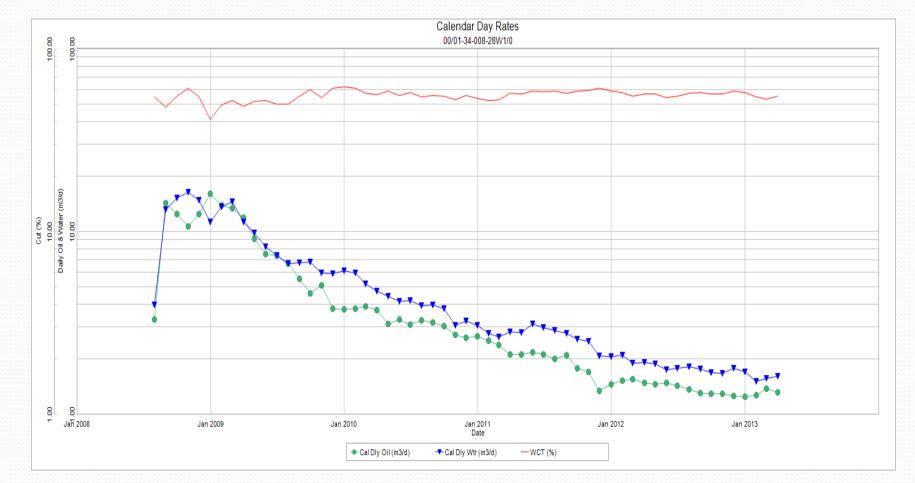
#### Screening for Immiscible Gas Injection

- In 2012 the Bakken-Lyleton was screened for potential areas which would be most suitable for immiscible gas injection.
- Areas with any core permeability greater than 10 mD were excluded in order to minimize potential for gas fingering.
- Areas with WOR>1 were excluded in order to minimze the chance that communication with the overlying wet, permeable Lodgepole had been established.

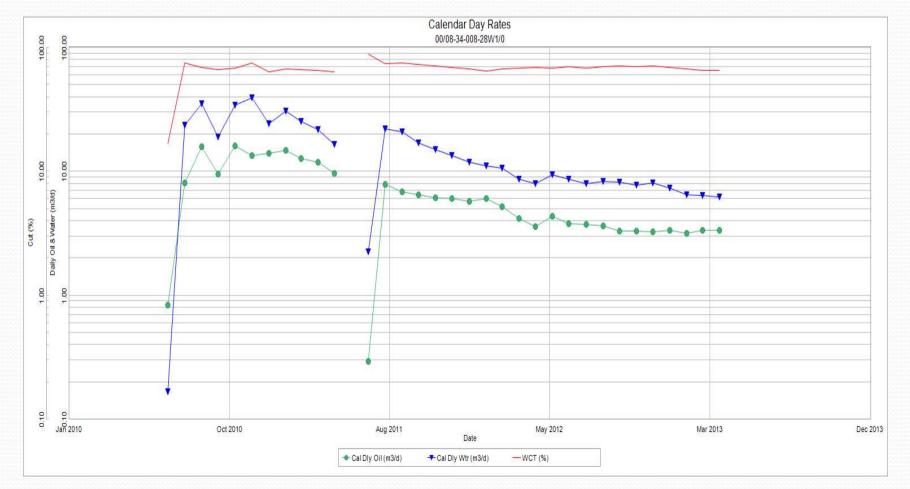
# Does section 34-8-28W1 conform with screening criteria?

- The core in well 7-34-8-28W1 has no sample with kmax to air > 10 mD. In fact the highest permeabilities are in two samples with kmax ~ 3.7 mD (to air, ambient). So the core permeability are consistent with the first screening parameter.
- The section is marginal in terms of historical WORs.
  The range of cumulative WOR's is 0.89 2.21.
- The range of recent WOR for the four Bakken horizontal wells in 34-8-28W1 is 0.92 1.85

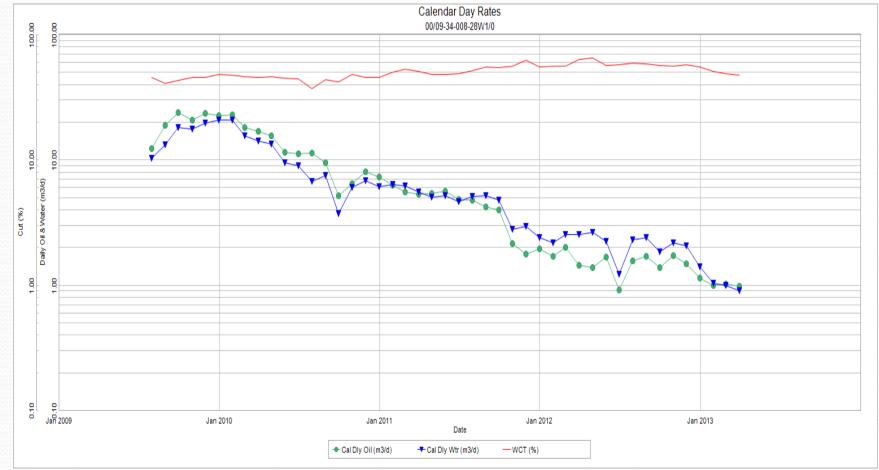
#### Production Plot: 1-34-8-28W1hz



#### Production Plot: 8-34-8-28W1hz

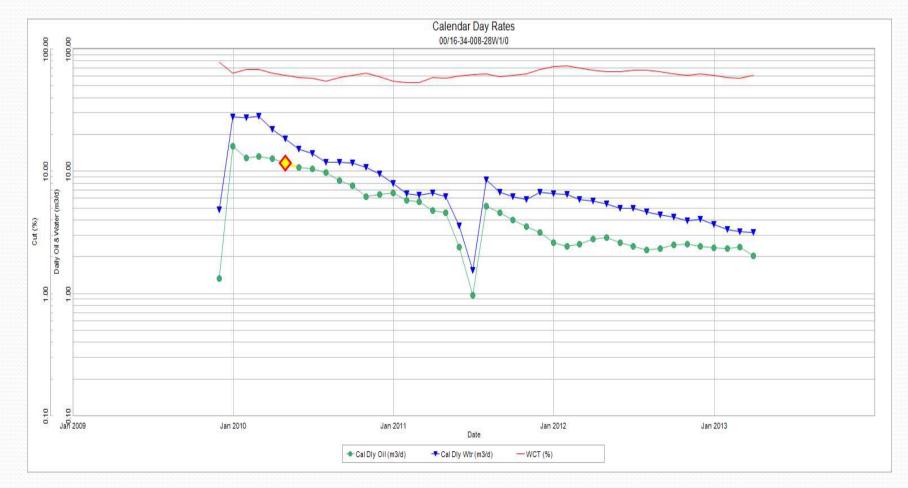


#### Production Plot: 9-34-8-28W1hz



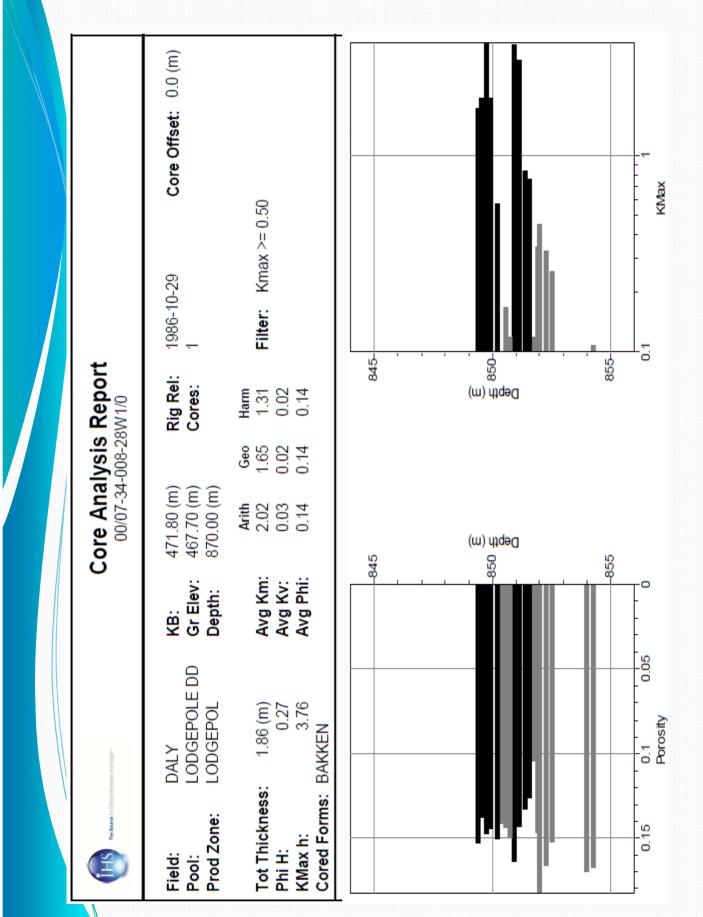
\_\_\_\_\_

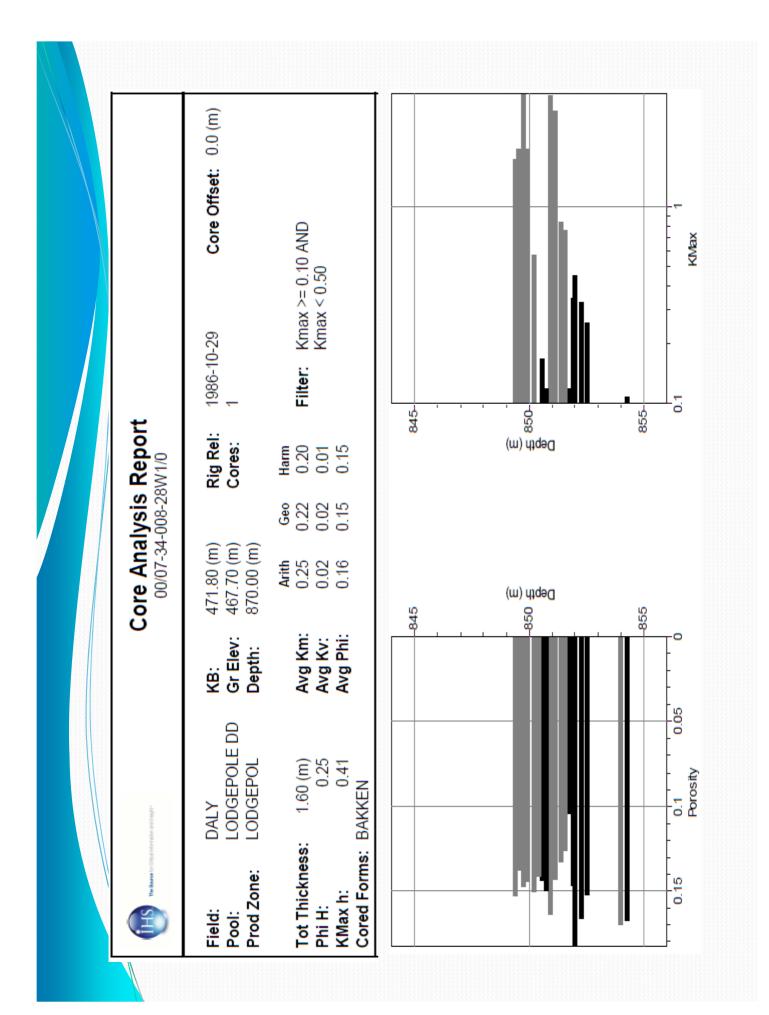
#### Production Plot: 16-34-8-28W1hz



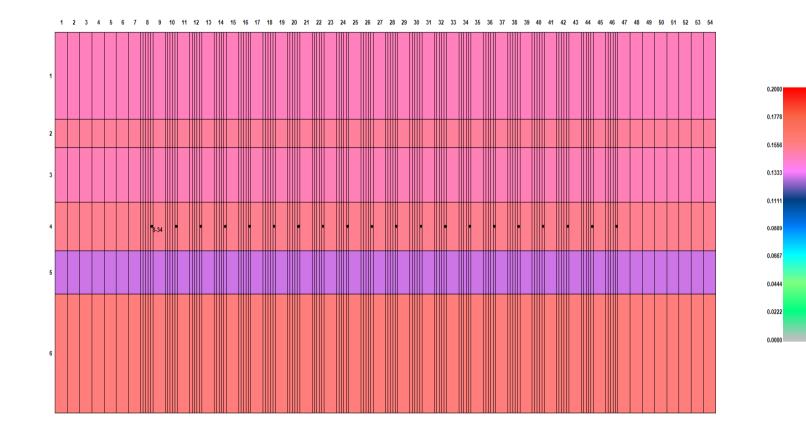
# **Building the Exodus Model**

- Bubble point pressure 1900 kPaa, Oil gravity 39.6 API.
- Initially used GOR 4.6 sm3/sm3 at Pb: increased this to 6 sm3/sm3 to increase the energy in the system.
- Conventional core data from well 7-34-8-28W1 were grouped into 6 layers based on kmax.
- Resulting core thickness, porosity and kmax values were applied uniformly in a "layer-cake" model.
- Kmax values were reduced by 50% to approximate insitu permeability.





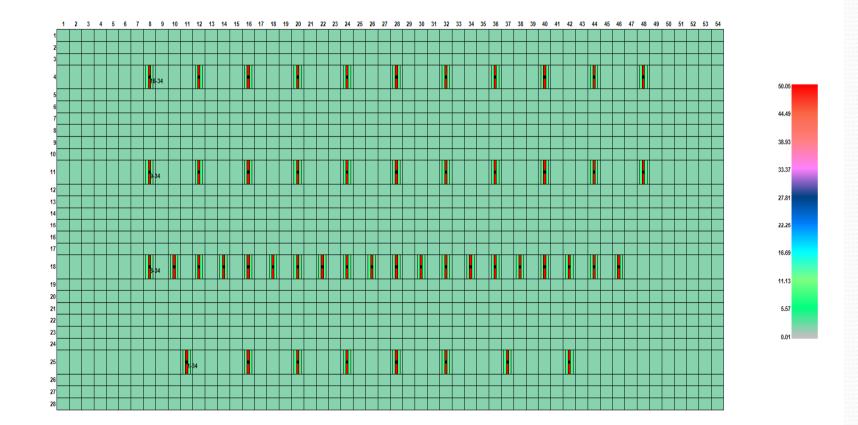
### east-west cross-section: porosity



## **Creating the Hydraulic Fractures**

- As in previous Exodus models the hydraulic fractures were represented by using LGR (local grid refinement), subdividing cells in the x direction (perpendicular to the axis of the hz wells).
- The narrow cells were assigned high permeabilities, with the frac itself some 10's of mD and the LGR cells on either side of the fracs improved permeabilities.
- One big impact on the horizontal wells is the good vertical permeability, assumed to be equal to the horizontal permeability within the frac itself.

## LGR cells as fracs: kx is plotted



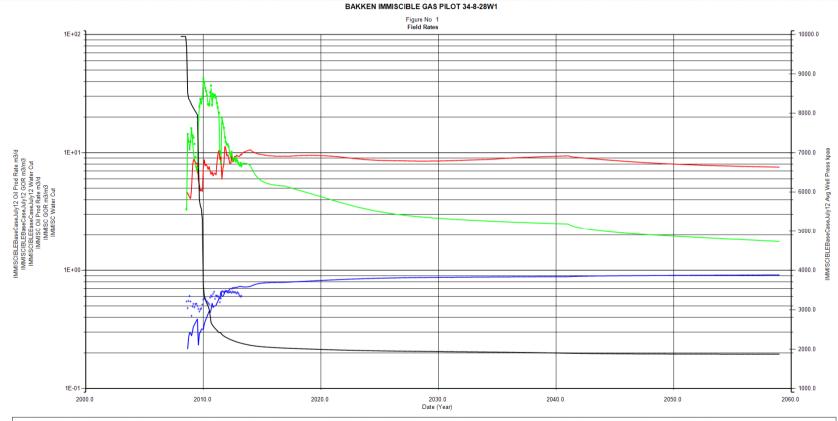
# Relative permeability data

- Tundra Oil and Gas have an enviable catalogue of relative permeability analyses conducted on the Bakken-Lyleton in the greater Sinclair area.
- Initially the model was populated with relative permeability data from test conducted by Hycal, as some of these had both water-oil and gas-liquid relative permeability measured.
- Subsequently, when the model would not produce the historical WORs, drastically altered water-oil relative permeability tables were applied...

## Key Elements of the New Model(s)

- The core and logs from the vertical well 7-34-8-28W1 form the basis for populating the simple "layer-cake" geological model.
- The model is initialized with relative permeability curves from Hycal, which include gas-liquid as well as water-oil relative permeability curves. The gas-liquid curves from the CO<sub>2</sub> pilot model were also available.
- Different oil-water contacts are applied to the Lodgepole and to the Bakken.

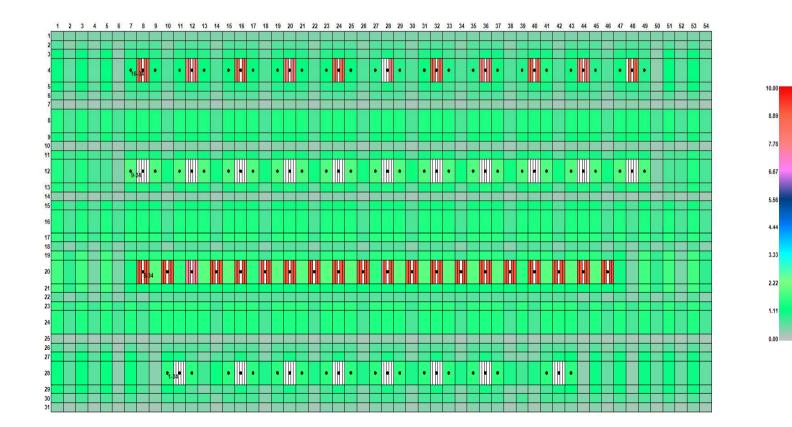
# Forecast to 2058: BHFP's not changed over time



- IMMISCIBLEBaseCaseJuly12 Oil Prod Rate m3/d 🛶 IMMISCIBLEBaseCaseJuly12 GOR m3/m3 🛶 IMMISCIBLEBaseCaseJuly12 Water Cut. 🛶 IMMISCIBLEBaseCaseJuly12 Avg Well Press kpaa 🔹 🔹 IMMISC IB Prod Rate m3/d 🔺 A IMMISC GOR m3/m3 🔶 IMMISCIBLEBaseCaseJuly12 Water Cut.

The Exodus Simulator is a software product of TT&A/PetroStudies Consultants Inc. Canada, Ph 403-265-9722

#### Permeability Kx, Ky Baffles in layer 4: cells with reduced permeability are grey



## Base Case Oil recovery forecast:

- OOIP in the model is 598 e3m3 in one section.
- As of 2013-03 cum oil production (actual) was 31233 m3 from the four wells. This equates to 5.2% oil recovery.
- The model had some slight shortfalls in its oil rate but by July 2013 had produced 31238 m3, again about 5.2% of OOIP.
- Forecast oil production under Base Case from the 4 wells to 2058-12 is a surprisingly robust 78.3 e3m3, or 13.1% of OOIP!

## **Development Scenarios**

- Several development scenarios are contemplated for this section:
- Immiscible gas injection via the 8-34 hz well, at 1 e3m3/d, 5 e3m3/d.
- 2. Immiscible gas injection via an open hole infill hz well between 9-34 and 16-34 at 1 e3m3/d, 5 e3m3/d.
- 3. Immiscible gas injection via both 8-34 and an infill between 9-34 and 16-34

## Well controls in gas injection cases

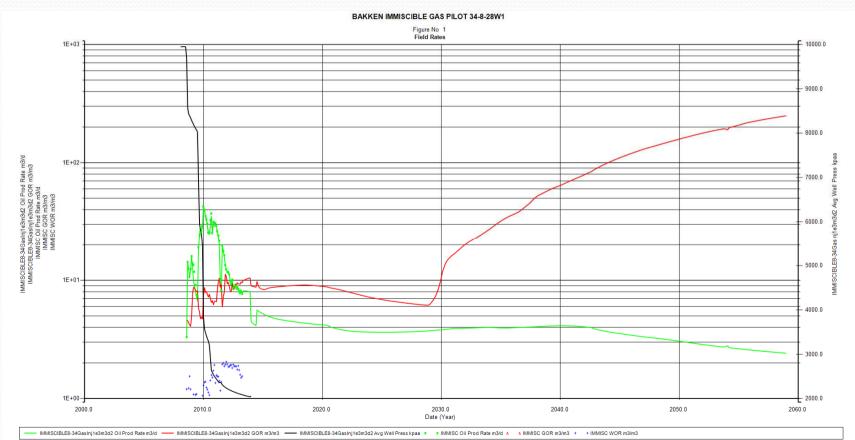
- In the gas injection cases the oil rate targets are increased in mid 2014 from their 2013-04 target rates: if there is improved pressure support they may be able to make these rates, if there is not increased pressure support their oil rates will not increase (much).
- The gas injection rates are increased very slowly in the model, starting at 0.1 e3m3/d, to avoid having the model bomb due to excessive saturation change in the small LGR cells.

## 8-34 can inject 1 e3m3/d



The Exodus Simulator is a software product of TT&A/PetroStudies Consultants Inc. Canada, Ph 403-265-9722

### Group production plot: 8-34 inj 1 e3m3/d. Other well oil rate targets doubled mid 2014



The Exodus Simulator is a software product of TT&A/PetroStudies Consultants Inc. Canada. Ph 403-265-9722

# 9-34 with 8-34 gas inj. 1 e3m3/d

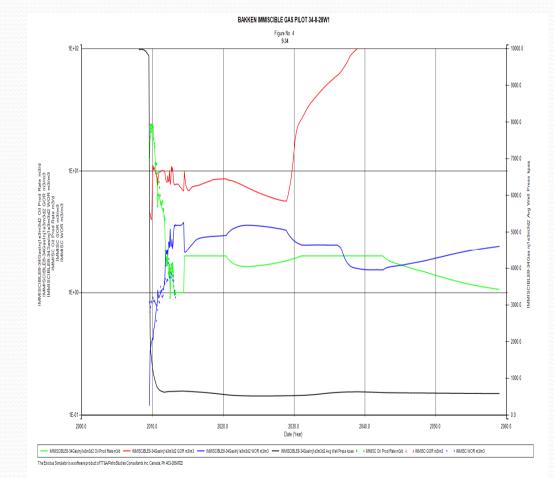
The oil rate target is doubled to 2 m3/d in mid 2014 and the well CAN sustain this for a while...

Note that we think that this well has a mechanical restriction, so it is difficult to match the current low oil rates. With the oil rate increased we reflect that the restriction is removed...

The WOR drops a bit as the oil rate increases.

The GOR actually plateaus until arrival in about 2028, about 5 years before it shows up in 1-34.

Some gas may actually arrive at the producers via the Lodgepole!



#### 8-34 can inject 5 e3m3/d briefly, then pressures up... no need to run cases with higher gas injection rate!



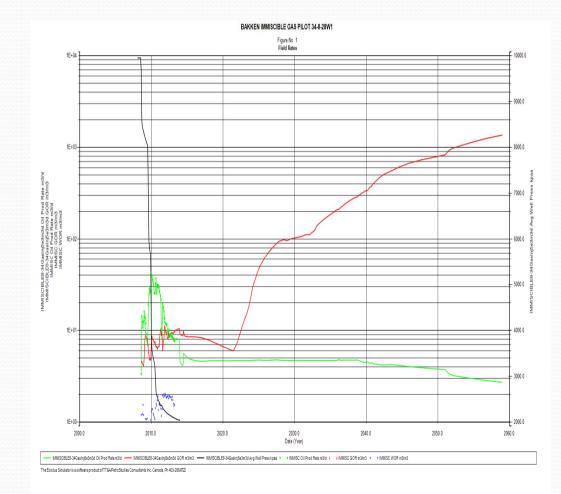
The Exodus Simulator is a software product of TT&A/Petro Studies Consultants Inc. Canada, Ph 403-265-9722

#### Group plot with 5 e3m3/d gas injection via 8-34hz

The group plot does not present WOR nor pressure.

The oil rate makes a long plateau – it is possible that the target rate could be increased further...perhaps in 9-34 and 1-34.

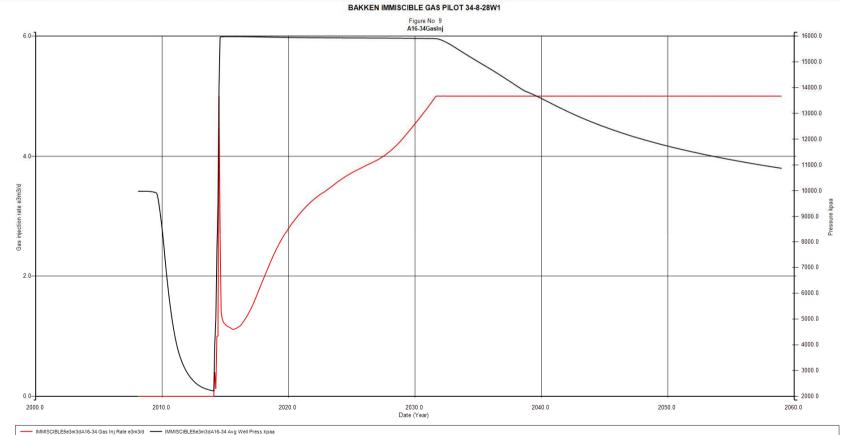
It appears that gas arrives in producers in 2021...



# Gas injection targeting 5 e3m3/d via openhole hz A16-34

- In this case the model attempts to inject gas into an un-frac'd open hole hz well landed in the lower permeable layer in the Bakken.
- The hz well runs east-west between 9-34hz and 16-34hz.
- The open hole hz well is not connected via fractures to the Lodgepole.
- The hz well as built cannot initially achieve 5 e3m3/d gas injection.

# Gas injection rates (red) A16-34 open hole hz



The Exodus Simulator is a software product of TT&A/PetroStudies Consultants Inc. Canada. Ph 403-265-9722

# EUR to 2048 Base and Gas Injection via 1 or 2 hz wells, 8-34 WAG

Case	EUR Oil, e3m3	EUR Gas, e3m3	EUR GasInj, E3m3	Oil RF
Base Case, primary production	78.3	654	0	13.1%
8-34hz inject, 1 e3m3/d gas	90.9	4130	16376	15.2%
8-34hz inject, 5 e3m3/d gas	100.5	24553	67452	16.8%
A16-34 open hole hz inject 5 e3m3/d gas	104.7	66173	70090	17.5%
A16-34 open hole, 8-34frac'd each inject 5 e3m3/d	112.4	70077	115425	18.8%

- Net increase in reserves by going from Base Case to Proposed 2 well WAG gas is 5.7 % (unrisked)
- In running economics, a chance of success of 80% was applied.