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Gentlemen:

Enclosed herewith is the report of the analysis of the Rotary core taken from the Holeman Lease, Well No. 2, Bourbon County, Kansas, and submitted to our laboratory on September 21, 1966.

Your business is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

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## GENERAL INFORMATION & SUMMARY

Company	CRA, Inc.	Lease	Holeman	Well No.	2
Location	150' WEL & 1000' NSL, SW $\frac{1}{4}$				
Section	1	Twp.	25S	Rge.	21E
				County	Bourbon
				State	Kansas
Name of Sand	- - - - -				Bartlesville
Top of Core	- - - - -				659.0
Bottom of Core	- - - - -				680.0
Top of Sand	- - - - -				664.0
Bottom of Sand/ <sup>pay</sup>	- - - - -				674.6
Total Feet of Permeable Sand	- - (Analyzed) - - - - -				13.3
Total Feet of Floodable Sand	- - - - -				10.6
Distribution of Permeable Sand:					
Permeability Range Millidarcys		Feet		Cum. Ft.	
0 - 10		1.6		1.6	
10 - 20		4.7		6.3	
20 - 50		2.0		8.3	
50 - 70		3.0		11.3	
70 & above		2.0		13.3	
Average Permeability Millidarcys	- - - - -				34.0
Average Percent Porosity	- - - - -				19.7
Average Percent Oil Saturation	- - - - -				42.2
Average Percent Water Saturation	- - - - -				35.9
Average Oil Content, Bbls./A. Ft.	- - - - -				652.
Total Oil Content, Bbls./Acre	- - - - -				8,665.
Average Percent Oil Recovery by Laboratory Flooding Tests	- - - - -				18.2
Average Oil Recovery by Laboratory Flooding Tests, Bbls./A. Ft.	- - - - -				288.
Total Oil Recovery by Laboratory Flooding Tests, Bbls./Acre	- - - - -				2,908.
Total Calculated Oil Recovery, Bbls./Acre	- (Primary & Secondary)				3,880.
Packer Setting, Feet	- - - - -				
Viscosity, Centipoises @	- - - - -				
A. P. I. Gravity, degrees @ 60 °F	- - - - -				
Elevation, Feet	- - - - -				

A fresh water mud was used as a circulating fluid in the coring of the sand in this well. This well was drilled in a virgin area. The core was sampled by an employee of Oilfield Research Laboratories.

#### FORMATION CORED

The detailed log of the formation cored is as follows:

Depth Interval, Description  
Feet

659.0 - 663.0 - Laminated sandy shale.

663.0 - 664.0 - Laminated sandstone and shale.

664.0 - 674.6 - Brown, slightly laminated, slightly shaly sandstone.

674.6 - 676.8 - Dark carbonaceous sandstone.

676.8 - 680.0 - Shale.

Coring was started at a depth of 659.0 feet in laminated sandy shale and completed at 680.0 feet in shale. This core shows a total of 12.8 feet of sandstone. The pay is made up of brown, slightly laminated, shaly sandstone.

#### PERMEABILITY

For the sake of distribution, the core was divided into two sections. The weighted average permeability of the upper and lower sections is 38.4 and 11.5 millidarcys respectively; the overall average being 34.0 (See Table III). By observing the data given on the core-graph, it is noticeable that the sand has a very irregular permeability profile. The permeability of the sand varies from 6.3 to a maximum of 71. millidarcys.

PERCENT SATURATION & OIL CONTENT

The sand in this core shows a good weighted average percent oil saturation, namely, 42.2. The weighted average percent oil saturation of the upper and lower sections is 44.4 and 31.4 respectively. The weighted average percent water saturation of the upper and lower sections is 36.1 and 34.9 respectively; the overall average being 35.9 (See Table III). This gives an overall weighted average total fluid saturation of 78.1 percent. This low total fluid saturation indicates considerable fluid was lost during coring which was probably oil.

The weighted average oil content of the upper and lower sections is 682 and 496 barrels per acre foot respectively; the overall average being 652. The total oil content, as shown by this core, is 8,665 barrels per acre of which 7,575 barrels are in the pay sand section (See Table III).

LABORATORY FLOODING TESTS

The sand in this core responded very well to laboratory flooding tests, as a total recovery of 2,908 barrels of oil per acre was obtained from 10.1 feet of sand. The weighted average percent oil saturation was reduced from 46.3 to 28.1, or represents an average recovery of 18.2 percent. The weighted average effective permeability of the samples is 4.39 millidarcys, while the average initial fluid production pressure is 24.2 pounds per square inch (See Table V).

By observing the data given in Table IV, you will note that of the 14 samples tested, 11 produced water and oil. This indicates that approximately 79 percent of the sand represented by these samples

is floodable pay sand. The tests also show that the sand has a wide variation in effective permeability.

#### CONCLUSION

From a study of the above data, we estimate that approximately 1,060 barrels of oil per acre can be recovered from the area, represented by this core, by efficient primary production methods. An additional recovery of 2,820 barrels of oil per acre or an average of 266 barrels per acre foot can be expected from efficient waterflooding. The following data and assumptions were used in calculating the above oil recovery values:

Original formation volume factor	1.06
Irreducible water saturation, percent	26.0
Primary recovery, estimated, percent	None
Present oil saturation, percent	63.5
Average porosity, percent	19.6
Oil saturation after flooding, percent	28.1
Performance factor	0.50
Net floodable pay sand, feet	10.6

This core shows a rather clean sand section having a good oil saturation, a moderate water saturation and a fairly good permeability. The pay zone extends from a depth of 664.0 to 674.6 feet.

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**RESULTS OF SATURATION & PERMEABILITY TESTS**

**TABLE 1-B**

Company CRA, Inc. Lease Holeman Well No. 2

Sample No.	Depth, Feet	Effective Porosity Percent	Percent Saturation			Oil Content Bbls. / A Ft.	Perm., Mill.	Feet of Sand		Total Oil Content	Perm. Capacity Ft. X md.
			Oil	Water	Total			Ft.	Cum. Ft.		
1	663.1	15.1	26	56	82	304	0.52	1.0	1.0	304	0.52
2	664.1	21.6	45	32	77	754	6.3	0.6	1.6	452	3.78
P-3	665.0	-	-	-	-	-	18.	0.5	2.1	-	9.00
3	665.2	22.6	51	28	79	893	-	0.5	2.6	446	-
4	666.1	21.0	47	31	78	766	70.	1.0	3.6	766	70.00
5	667.1	21.1	54	27	81	883	67.	1.0	4.6	883	67.00
6	668.1	20.6	54	31	85	862	71.	1.0	5.6	862	71.00
7	669.1	16.6	43	47	90	554	12.	1.0	6.6	554	12.00
8	670.1	18.5	45	44	89	645	11.	1.0	7.6	645	11.00
9	671.1	16.9	40	39	79	524	27.	1.0	8.6	524	27.00
10	672.1	21.6	44	28	72	736	53.	1.0	9.6	736	53.00
11	673.1	21.8	46	28	74	777	61.	1.0	10.6	777	61.00
12	674.1	19.7	41	36	77	626	41.	1.0	11.6	626	41.00
13	675.1	21.5	38	30	68	633	11.	1.0	12.6	633	11.00
14	676.1	18.9	26	39	65	381	12.	1.2	13.8	457	14.40

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**SUMMARY OF PERMEABILITY & SATURATION TESTS**

**TABLE III**

Company	CRA, Inc.	Lease	Holeman	Well No.	2
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Depth Interval, Feet	Feet of Core Analyzed	Average Permeability, Millidarcys	Permeability Capacity Ft. x Md.
663.0 - 674.6	11.1	38.4	426.30
674.6 - 676.8	2.2	11.5	25.40
663.0 - 676.8	13.3	34.0	451.70

Depth Interval, Feet	Feet of Core Analyzed	Average Percent Porosity	Average Percent Oil Saturation	Average Percent Water Saturation	Average Oil Content Bbl./A. Ft.	Total Oil Content Bbls./Acre
663.0 - 674.6	11.1	19.6	44.4	36.1	682	7,575
674.6 - 676.8	2.2	20.1	31.4	34.9	496	1,090
663.0 - 676.8	13.3	19.7	42.2	35.9	652	8,665

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**RESULTS OF LABORATORY FLOODING TESTS**

**TABLE IV**

Company	CRA, Inc.	Lease	Holeman	Well No.	2						
Sample No.	Depth, Feet	Effective Porosity Percent	Original Oil Saturation		Oil Recovery		Residual Saturation		Volume of Water Recovered cc*	Effective Permeability Millidarcys**	Initial Fluid Production Pressure Lbs./Sq. In.
			%	Bbls./A. Ft.	%	Bbls./A. Ft.	% Oil	% Water			
1	663.1	15.4	23	275	0	0	23	62	275	0	Imp.
2	664.1	21.1	45	737	21	344	24	67	393	12	0.300
3	665.2	22.4	51	887	28	487	23	71	400	484	11.80
4	666.1	21.5	47	784	23	384	24	76	400	460	11.60
5	667.1	20.7	54	868	28	450	26	72	418	173	5.10
6	668.1	20.2	54	846	26	407	28	70	439	125	3.40
7	669.1	17.1	43	571	6	80	37	62	491	6	0.200
8	670.1	18.9	45	659	11	161	34	66	498	38	0.900
9	671.1	17.4	40	581	10	135	30	67	446	26	0.700
10	672.1	21.3	44	727	21	347	23	76	380	390	9.00
11	673.1	21.2	46	756	21	345	25	74	411	230	5.80
12	674.1	19.3	41	614	10	150	31	65	464	55	1.70
13	675.1	21.1	35	573	0	0	35	38	573	0	Imp.
14	676.1	18.6	24	346	0	0	24	47	346	0	Imp.

Notes: cc—cubic centimeter.

\*—Volume of water recovered at the time of maximum oil recovery.

\*\*—Determined by passing water through sample which still contains residual oil.

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## SUMMARY OF LABORATORY FLOODING TESTS

TABLE V

Company	CRA, Inc.	Lease	Holeman	Well No.
Depth Interval, Feet		664.0 - 674.6		2
Feet of Core Analyzed		10.1		
Average Percent Porosity		19.5		
Average Percent Original Oil Saturation		46.3		
Average Percent Oil Recovery		18.2		
Average Percent Residual Oil Saturation		28.1		
Average Percent Residual Water Saturation		69.6		
Average Percent Total Residual Fluid Saturation		97.7		
Average Original Oil Content, Bbls./A. Ft.		722.		
Average Oil Recovery, Bbls./A. Ft.		288.		
Average Residual Oil Content, Bbls./A. Ft.		434.		
Total Original Oil Content, Bbls./Acre		7,291.		
Total Oil Recovery, Bbls./Acre		2,908.		
Total Residual Oil Content, Bbls./Acre		4,383.		
Average Effective Permeability, Millidarcys		4.39		
Average Initial Fluid Production Pressure, p.s.i.		24.2		

NOTE: Only those samples which recovered oil were used in calculating the above averages.

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