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Gentlemen:

Enclosed herewith is the report of the analysis of the Cable Tool core samples taken from the Staats Lease, Well No. 1, Chautauqua County, Kansas, and shipped to our laboratory on May 10, 1959.

Your business is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

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## GENERAL INFORMATION & SUMMARY

Company	C. W. & Edna M. Staats	Lease	Staats	Well No.	1
Location	NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , NW $\frac{1}{4}$				
Section	25	Twp. 33S	Rge. 10E	County	Chautauqua
				State	Kansas
Name of Sand	- - - - -				Layton
Top of Core	- - - - -				898.0
Bottom of Core	- - - - -				914.0
Top of Sand	- - - (According to driller)				896.0
Bottom of Sand	- - - - -				?
Total Feet of Permeable Sand	- - - - -				12.0
Total Feet of Floodable Sand	- - - - -				
Distribution of Permeable Sand: Permeability Range Millidarcys		Feet		Cum. Ft.	
0 - 25		3.3		3.3	
25 - 50		2.7		6.0	
50 - 75		2.6		8.6	
75 & above		3.4		12.0	
Average Permeability Millidarcys	- - - - -				51.7
Average Percent Porosity	- - - - -				20.8
Average Percent Oil Saturation	- - - - -				18.0
Average Percent Water Saturation	- - - - -				61.4
Average Oil Content, Bbls./A. Ft.	- - - - -				286.
Total Oil Content, Bbls./Acre	- - - - -				4,013.
Average Percent Oil Recovery by Laboratory Flooding Tests	- - - - -				
Average Oil Recovery by Laboratory Flooding Tests, Bbls./A. Ft.	- - - - -				
Total Oil Recovery by Laboratory Flooding Tests, Bbls./Acre	- - - - -				
Total Calculated Oil Recovery, Bbls./Acre	- - - - -				
Packer Setting, Feet	- - - - -				
Viscosity, Centipoises @	- - - - -				
A. P. I. Gravity, degrees @ 60 °F	- - - - -				
Elevation, Feet	- - - - -				

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The sand was cored in water.

This core was sampled and the samples were sealed in plastic bags by a representative of the client.

FORMATION CORED

The detailed log of the formation cored is as follows:

Depth Interval, Description  
Feet

898.0 - 900.0 - Light brown sandstone.

900.0 - 901.0 - Gray and light brown calcareous sandstone.

901.0 - 912.0 - Grayish light brown slightly shaley sandstone.

912.0 - 914.0 - Limey sand according to field log.

Coring was started at a depth of 898.0 feet in light brown sandstone and completed at 914.0 feet in limey sand. This core shows a total of 14.0 feet of sandstone. For the most part, the pay is made up of grayish light brown slightly shaley 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 85.3 and 30.1 millidarcys respectively; the overall average being 51.7 (See Table III). By observing the data given on the coregraph, it is noticeable that the sand has a rather irregular permeability profile. The permeability of the sand varies from 3.5 to a maximum of 107 millidarcys.

PERCENT SATURATION & OIL CONTENT

The sand in this core shows a low weighted average percent oil saturation, namely, 18.0. The weighted average percent oil saturation of the upper and lower sections is 23.2 and 13.2 respectively. The

weighted average percent water saturation of the upper and lower sections is 56.8 and 65.5 respectively; the overall average being 61.4 (See Table III). This gives an overall weighted average total fluid saturation of 79.4 percent.

The weighted average oil content of the upper and lower sections is 355 and 224 barrels per acre foot respectively; the overall average being 286. The total oil content, as shown by this core, is 4,013 barrels per acre (See Table III).

#### LABORATORY FLOODING TESTS

The sand in this core did not respond satisfactorily to laboratory flooding tests as none of the samples tested produced oil. It is evident that this was due to the low oil saturation of the sand.

By observing the data given in Table IV, you will note that of the 10 samples tested, 9 produced water. This indicates that approximately 90 percent of the sand represented by these samples will take water. The tests also show that the sand has a comparatively uniform effective permeability.

#### CONCLUSION

This core shows a slightly shaley sand section having low oil and high water saturations. The sand for the most part has good effective permeability. The low oil and high water saturations may be partly due to flushing of the sand during coring.

The sand did not respond satisfactorily to laboratory flooding tests as none of the samples tested produced oil. However, the results of these tests indicate that no difficulty should be encountered in forcing the sand to take water. These tests indicate that the cored section has 7.6 feet of sand with good effective permeability.

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**RESULTS OF SATURATION & PERMEABILITY TESTS**

**TABLE 1-B**

Company	C. W. & Edna M. Staats	Lease	Staats	Well No.	1
Sample No.	Depth, Feet	Effective Porosity Percent	Percent Saturation	Oil Content Bbls. / A Ft.	Perm., Mill.
			Oil Water Total		
1	898.2	21.8	21	354	58.
2	899.2	21.8	25	422	107.
3	900.2	10.3	26	208	Imp.
4	901.2	20.0	20	310	32.
5	902.2	21.2	22	362	95.
6	903.2	22.0	23	392	99.
7	904.2	22.2	23	396	1.0
8	905.2	20.5	4	64	3.5
9	906.2	23.1	17	64	3.04
10	907.2	22.1	17	81	32.
11	908.2	21.5	16	72	50.
12	909.2	21.4	13	75	59.
13	910.2	21.6	14	83	40.
14	911.2	21.5	12	76	234.
				200	260.
					Total
					4,013
					Perm. Capacity Ft. X md.
					34.80
					149.80
					0.00
					208
					217
					22.40
					95.00
					99.00
					392
					396
					64
					3.50
					32.00
					50.00
					59.00
					40.00
					9.40
					26.00

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**SUMMARY OF PERMEABILITY & SATURATION TESTS**

**TABLE III - B**

Company	C. W. & Edna M. Staats	Lease	Staats	Well No.	1
Depth Interval, Feet	Feet of Core Analyzed		Average Permeability, Millidarcys	Permeability Capacity Ft. x Md.	
898.0 - 903.0	4.7		85.3	401.00	
904.7 - 912.0	7.3		30.1	219.90	
898.0 - 912.0	12.0		51.7	620.90	
Depth Interval, Feet	Feet of Core Analyzed		Average Percent Porosity	Average Percent Oil Saturation	Total Oil Content Bbl./A. Ft.
898.0 - 904.7	6.7		19.9	56.8	355
904.7 - 912.0	7.3		21.7	13.2	224
898.0 - 912.0	14.0		20.8	18.0	286

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### RESULTS OF LABORATORY FLOODING TESTS

TABLE IV

Company	C. W. & Edna M.	Staats	Lease	Staats	Well No.			
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.
1	898.2	21.8	372	0	22	372	4.65	20
3	900.2	10.4	234	0	29	234	0.124	50
4	901.2	19.8	322	0	21	322	1.99	20
5	902.2	21.0	391	0	24	391	8.24	10
7	904.2	21.8	439	0	26	439	4.07	10
10	907.2	22.1	291	0	17	291	3.99	10
11	908.2	21.6	284	0	17	284	7.32	10
12	909.2	20.8	242	0	15	242	3.44	20
13	910.2	21.9	220	0	13	220	Fractured	10
14	911.2	22.0	256	0	15	256	6.82	
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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.