

✓  $Z_{Roi}$   $i$  : all components

✓  $X_{obmi}$     ✓  $W_{obmi}$

\*  $Z_{Roi} \rightarrow \boxed{W_{Roi}} = \frac{m_{Roi}}{m_{Ro}} = \left\{ \frac{(Z_{Roi} - M_i)}{\sum_{j=1}^N Z_{Roj} - M_j} \right\}$

Column

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$C_{7+}$  Basis:

$$\hat{W}_{Roi} = \frac{W_{Roi}}{\sum_{j=1}^N W_{Roj}}$$

RO in  $C_{7+}$  Basis

$C_{7+}$  Lab 34 wt% obm in  $C_{7+}$

$$\hat{f}_{obm, wt} = \boxed{0.34} = \frac{(m_{obm})_{C_{7+}} \text{ in sample mixture}}{(m_{obm})_{C_{7+}} + (m_{Ro})_{C_{7+}}} =$$

$\square$  + obm (34g)

$\square$  +  $C_{7+}$  in flashed oil (66g)

$\Rightarrow$   $\square$  100g  $C_{7+}$  in the

# Sample MDT mixture

MDT Sample  $G_T$ :

$$G_T \rightarrow \hat{W}_{MDT,i} = 0.34 W_{obm,i} + 0.66 \hat{W}_{Ro,i}$$

$$G_T \rightarrow \hat{x}_{MDT,i} = \text{circled checkmark} \\ = (x_{oi})$$

$\hat{W}_{MDT,i}, \bar{M}_i \sim M_{Ro,i}$   
 $\uparrow$   
 Avg OBM & RO  
 but just use  $M_{Ro,i}$

How to get  $(z_{MDT,i})_o$

$$x_{oi} = \hat{x}_{MDT,i} \text{ of the } \underbrace{\text{flushed oil from MDT}}_{G_T \text{ only}}$$

Flushed Gas  $y_{gi}$  from MDT sample

$G_g$

$$z_{MDT,i} = \overset{?}{f_g} \cdot \overset{?}{y_{gi}} + (1-f_g) x_{oi}$$

$$= \left( \frac{n_g}{n_g + n_o} \right) \text{ MDT}$$

$$Z_{MDT,i} = x_{obm,i} \cdot \boxed{f_{obm}} + Z_{RO,i} \cdot (1 - f_{obm})$$

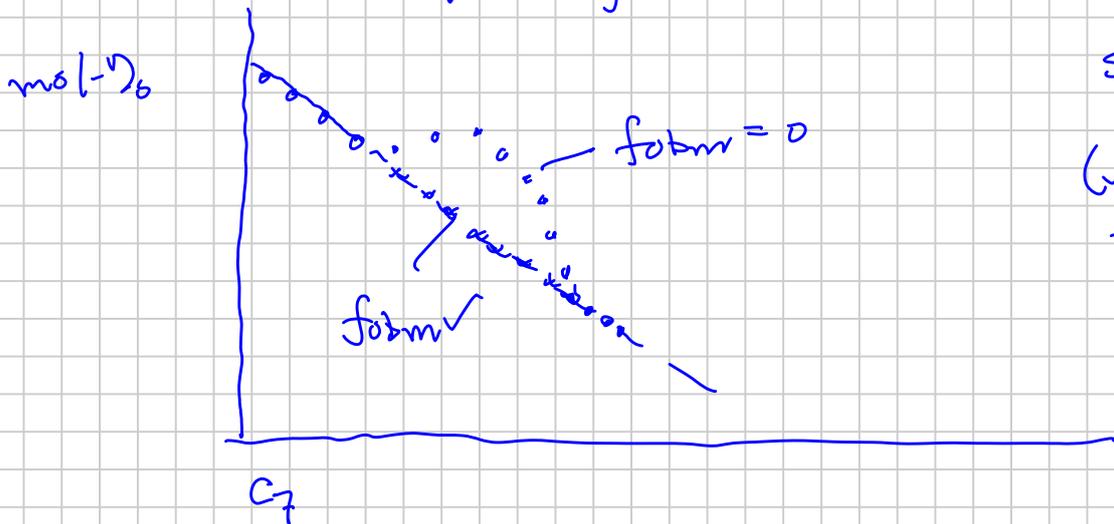
$\uparrow$   
 $\left[ \frac{n_{obm}}{n_{obm} + n_{RO}} \right] \text{ (?)}$

$$f_{obm} \leftrightarrow \underbrace{f_{obm,wt}}_{=} = 0.34$$

RG MDT

$$Z_{MDT,i}^{RG} = Z_{RG,i} (1 - f_{obm}) + x_{obm,i} \cdot f_{obm}$$

Guess  $f_{obm} \Rightarrow$  Back-Calc.  $\boxed{Z_{RG,i}}$



Smooth,  
continuous  
(no hump,  
no valley)

$M_i$   
SCN,  $i$

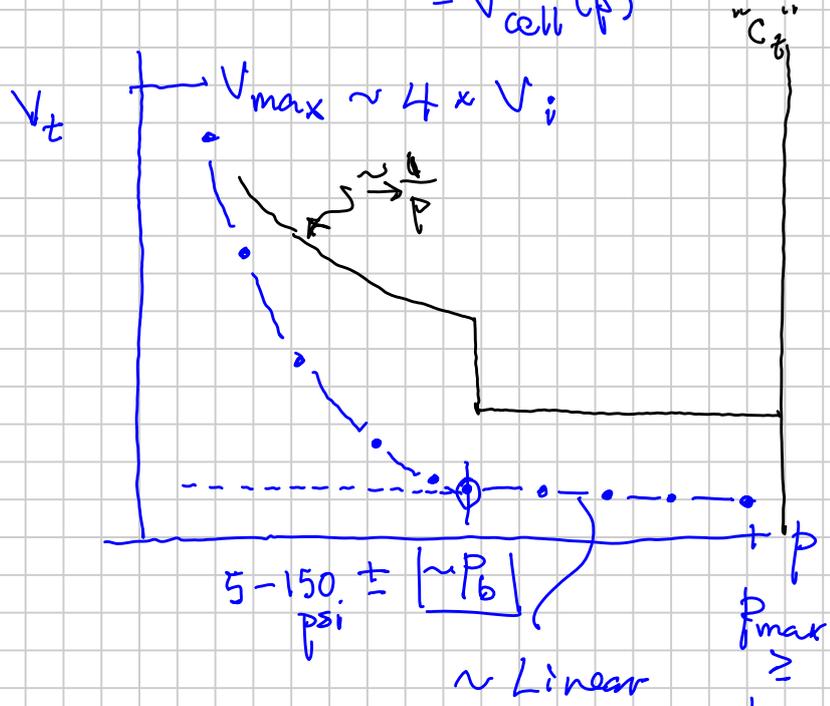
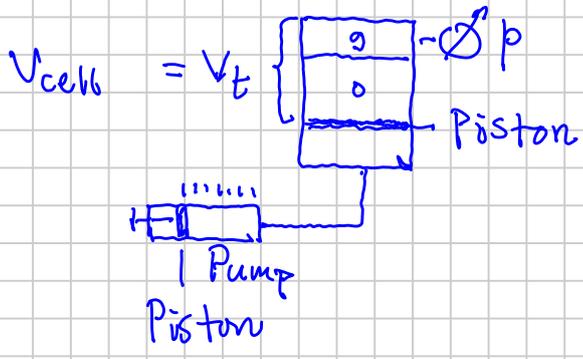
$$f_{obm} \leftrightarrow \left. \begin{array}{l} f_{obm,wt} \\ f_{obm,wt} \end{array} \right\}$$

# Lab PVT Tests

① CCE (CME) Constant Composition (Mass) Exp.  
Slightly Compressible Oils

\* Oils - Lower GORs ( $\approx 1000$  scf/STB  $\sim 200$  Sm<sup>3</sup>/Sm<sup>3</sup>)

- "Blind" PVT Cell :  $T_R = \text{const}$  |  $V_t(p) = V_g(p) + V_o(p) = V_{\text{cell}}(p)$



$$c_t \equiv -\frac{1}{V_t} \left( \frac{dV_t}{dp} \right)$$

| $P$        | $\frac{V_t}{V_{ob}}$ | $\rho_o (P \geq P_b)$ |
|------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| $P_i$      |                      | ✓                     |
|            |                      | ✓                     |
|            |                      | ✓                     |
|            |                      | ✓                     |
| $\sim P_b$ | 1.                   | ✓                     |
|            |                      |                       |
|            |                      |                       |
|            |                      |                       |
| 1500 psia  | $\sim 4$             |                       |

$$-\frac{1}{V_b} \left( \frac{dV_b}{dp} \right) \equiv c_o$$

$P_{\text{max}} \geq P_{Ri}$

**TABLE 6.9—CCE DATA (RESERVOIR-FLUID)  
FOR GOOD OIL CO. WELL 4 OIL SAMPLE**

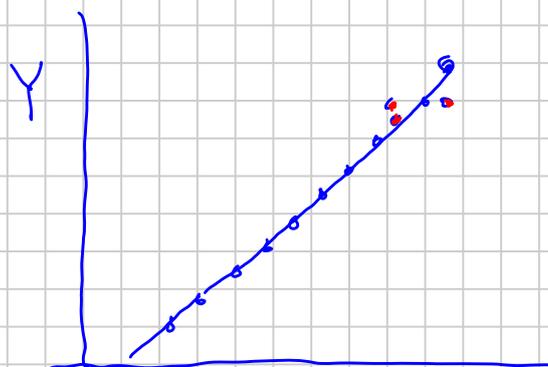
|   |                          |
|---|--------------------------|
| Saturation (bubblepoint) pressure*, psig                                    | 2,620                    |
| Specific volume at saturation pressure*, ft <sup>3</sup> /lbm               | 0.02441                  |
| Thermal expansion of undersaturated oil at 5,000 psi = V at 220°F/V at 76°F | 1.08790                  |
| Compressibility of saturated oil at reservoir temperature                   |                          |
| From 5,000 to 4,000 psi, vol/vol-psi  | 13.48 x 10 <sup>-6</sup> |
| From 4,000 to 3,000 psi, vol/vol-psi  | 15.88 x 10 <sup>-6</sup> |
| From 3,000 to 2,620 psi, vol/vol-psi  | 18.75 x 10 <sup>-6</sup> |

$(V_s)_{mass} = \frac{1}{\rho}$

Pressure/Volume Relations\*  $V_t / V_{ob}$

| Pressure (psig) | Relative volume (L) <sup>†</sup> | Y function <sup>‡</sup> |
|-----------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 5,000           | 0.9639                           |                         |
| 4,500           | 0.9703                           |                         |
| 4,000           | 0.9771                           |                         |
| 3,500           | 0.9846                           |                         |
| 3,000           | 0.9929                           |                         |
| 2,900           | 0.9946                           |                         |
| 2,800           | 0.9964                           |                         |
| 2,700           | 0.9983                           |                         |
| 2,620**         | 1.0000                           |                         |
| 2,605           | 1.0022                           | 2.574                   |
| 2,591           | 1.0041                           | 2.688                   |
| 2,516           | 1.0154                           | 2.673                   |
| 2,401           | 1.0350                           | 2.593                   |
| 2,253           | 1.0645                           | 2.510                   |
| 2,090           | 1.1040                           | 2.422                   |
| 1,897           | 1.1633                           | 2.316                   |
| 1,698           | 1.2426                           | 2.219                   |
| 1,477           | 1.3618                           | 2.118                   |
| 1,292           | 1.5012                           | 2.028                   |
| 1,040           | 1.7802                           | 1.920                   |
| 830             | 2.1623                           | 1.823                   |
| 640             | 2.7513                           | 1.727                   |
| 472             | 3.7226                           | 1.621                   |

$V_t$  (@  $P \approx P_b$ ) show scatter



\* At 220°F.  
 \*\* Saturation pressure.  
<sup>†</sup> Relative volume =  $V/V_{sat}$  in barrels at indicated pressure per barrel at saturation pressure.  
<sup>‡</sup> Y function =  $(p_{sat} - p)/(p_{abs})(V/V_{sat} - 1)$ .

## ② CCE - OILS & GAS CONDENSATES

\* Windowed PVT Cell (know  $m_{cell}$ ,  $n_{cell}$ )

|               | Measured |       |       | Reported           |  |                     |
|---------------|----------|-------|-------|--------------------|--|---------------------|
| $P$           | $V_o$    | $V_g$ | $V_t$ | $V_{rt} = V_t/V_s$ | $V_o/V_t$ or $V_o/V_s$                 | $\geq p_s$<br>RO RG |
| $\geq P_{Ri}$ |          |       |       |                    | $V_{ro} = (1) = \frac{V_o(p)}{V_t(p)}$ | $S_o$ $Z_g/B_g^*$   |
|               |          |       |       |                    | $(2) = \frac{V_o(p)}{V_s}$             |                     |

$P_s(BP/DP) \pm 10 \rightarrow 100's \text{ psi}$

$$V_{ro2} = V_{ro1} \cdot V_{rt}$$

$p_{min}$

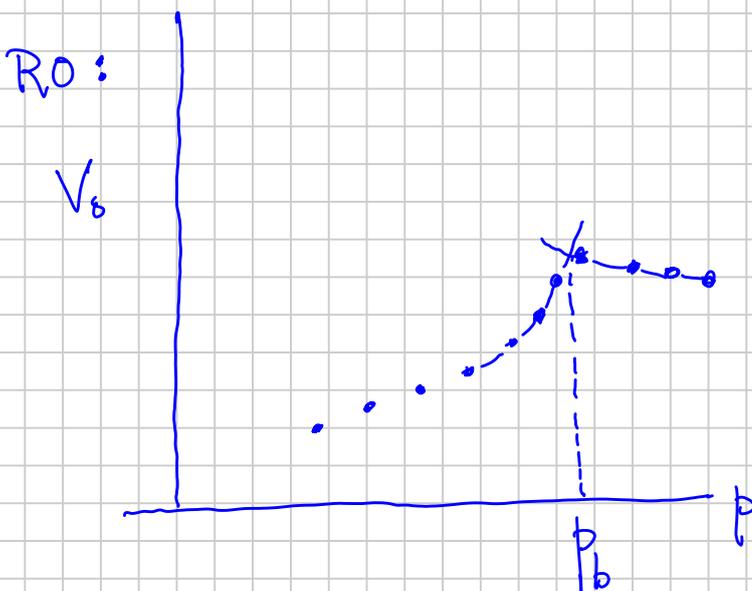
$$\sim 4 \cdot V_s$$

$\sim 4$

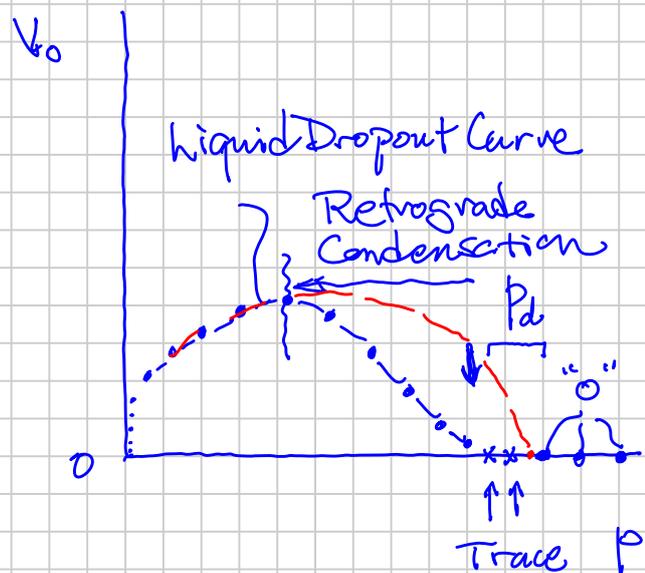
\*  $B_g = \frac{p_{sc}}{T_{sc}} \cdot \frac{T_R Z_g}{p}$   
 Traditional Definitions of Gas FVF

### $P_{sat}$ Determination

Plot  $V_o(p)$



RG: Gas Condensate

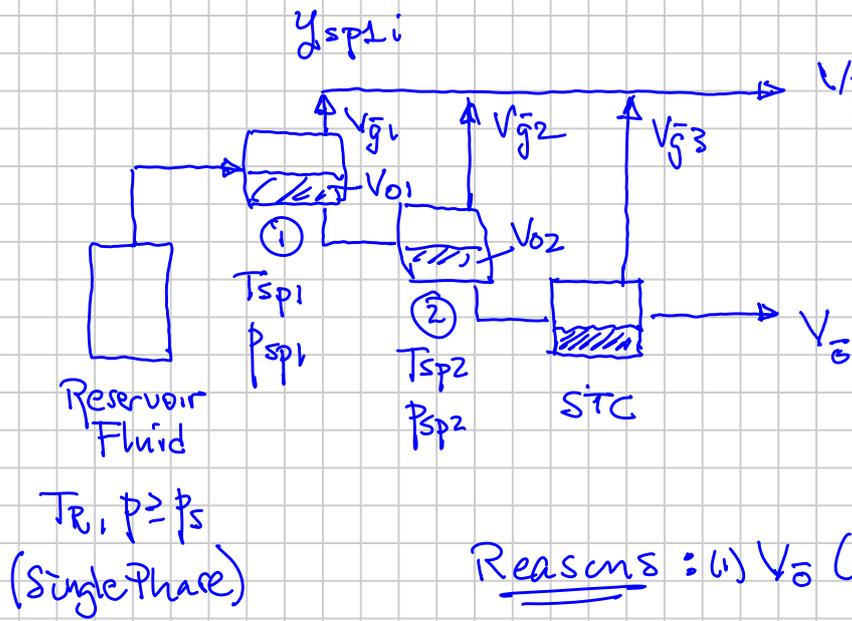


(+) Depends

① How many, how close  $p$ 's near by  $p_b$

② Bring all points to equilibrium

## ② MULTI-STAGE SEPARATOR TEST $N_{stages} = 2-4$



$$GOR_k = \frac{V_{gk}}{V_{ok}}$$

$$GOR = \frac{V_{gt}}{V_o}$$

$$SF = 1/B_o \equiv b_o$$

OIL FVF @  $P_b, T_r$

Reasons: (1)  $V_o(T_{sp1}, P_{sp1}) \Rightarrow B_{ob} = \frac{V_{ob}(T_r, P_b)}{V_o}$

Only used today if  
 $GOR \approx 5-10,000 \frac{scf}{STB}$

$$1-2000 \frac{sm^3}{sm^3}$$

any oil, and  
"richer" gas condensates

(3)  $y_{spi,k}$ : Est. potential

$y_{g,k}$

Nth gas liquids  
( $C_3, C_4, C_5+$ )

(2) GOR  
(GOR)

(\*) Helps build EOS PVT

model specifically for  
optimizing surface

process

maximizing surface

liquids (oil, condensate)

(gas liquids)

# 4 SEP Tests, each 2-stage separator system

TABLE 6.7—SEPARATOR TESTS (RESERVOIR-FLUID) OF GOOD OIL CO. WELL 4 OIL SAMPLE

| Separator Pressure (psig) | Separator Temperature (°F) | GOR <sup>b</sup> (ft <sup>3</sup> /bbl) | GOR <sup>c</sup> (ft <sup>3</sup> /bbl) | Stock-Tank Gravity (°API) | FVF <sup>d</sup> (bbl/bbl) | Separator Volume Factor <sup>e</sup> (bbl/bbl) | Flashed-Gas Specific Gravity |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|---|---|---------------------------|----------------------------|--|------------------------------|
| I<br>50<br>to<br>0        | 75                         | 715                                     | 737                                     |                           |                            | 1.031  | 0.840                        |
|                           | 75                         | 41                                      | 41                                      | 40.5                      | 1.481                      | 1.007  | 1.338                        |
| II<br>100<br>to<br>0      | 75                         | 637                                     | 676                                     |                           |                            | 1.062  | 0.786                        |
|                           | 75                         | 91                                      | 92                                      | 40.7                      | 1.474                      | 1.007  | 1.363                        |
| III<br>200<br>to<br>0     | 75                         | 542                                     | 602                                     |                           |                            | 1.112  | 0.732                        |
|                           | 75                         | 177                                     | 178                                     | 40.4                      | 1.483                      | 1.007  | 1.329                        |
| IV<br>300<br>to<br>0      | 75                         | 478                                     | 549                                     |                           |                            | 1.148  | 0.704                        |
|                           | 75                         | 245                                     | 246                                     | 40.1                      | 1.495                      | 1.007  | 1.286                        |

<sup>a</sup>Gauge.  
<sup>b</sup>In cubic feet of gas at 60°F and 14.65 psi absolute per barrel of oil at indicated pressure and temperature.  
<sup>c</sup>In cubic feet of gas at 60°F and 14.65 psi absolute per barrel of stock-tank oil at 60°F.  
<sup>d</sup>In barrels of saturated oil at 2,620 psi gauge and 220°F per barrel of stock-tank oil at 60°F.  
<sup>e</sup>In barrels of oil at indicated pressure and temperature per barrel of stock-tank oil at 60°F.

$$q_o = 1000 \text{ STB/D} \quad \text{so } P_{sig} = P_{sp1}$$

\$30/STB

$$q_o = 1000 \cdot \frac{(B_{ob})_{50}}{(B_{ob})_{100}} \cdot \frac{1.481}{1.474} \quad 100 \text{ psig } P_{sp2}$$

$$= 1005 \text{ STB/D}$$

$$5 \text{ STB/D} \times 365 \text{ D} \times 30 \text{ \$/STB} = 54750 \text{ USD/yr}$$

③ DIFFERENTIAL LIBERATION EXP (DLE) : Only oils

Same process as SEP test Blind  $T_{stage} = T_R$

$N_{stage} \sim 5-10$

Purpose : (a)  $\rho_o (p < p_b)$

$\mu_o (p < p_b)$

PUT  
Properties  
at

(b) Oil shrink  $[V_o^{(p)} / V_{ob}] = \text{oil shrinkage}$

$\sim S_o$

$k_o \propto S_o$   $n \sim 2-5$

$Q_o \propto k_o$

Reservoir  
Conditions

(c)  $\{x_i(p)\}$

(a')  $\rho_g (p < p_b)$

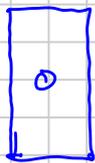
$\mu_g (p < p_b)$

(b')  $S_g = 1 - S_o$  : Gas Released

(c')  $y_i (p < p_b)$

$T_R, p \leq p_b$

Simple experiment : Blind PUT Cell.



$P_1 = P_b$



$P_2$

Remove  $V_{g2}$  ✓  
@  $P_2$

Flash to STC

gas meter

$n_{g2} \leftarrow \{n_o\} + \sim V_g$   
 $n_g$

$$\text{Calc. } Z_{g2} = \frac{P_2 V_{g2}}{RT_2 n_{g2}}$$