

Sklar Exploration completes two Smackover discoveries in Escambia County

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Sklar Exploration has tested two more Smackover wells as part of the company's Escambia County, Alabama, drilling program.

Less than a mile south of the Escambia/Conecuh county line, the company's 1 Cedar Creek Land & Timber "2-11" (API 01-053-20674) was tested flowing 193 bbls of 47° oil and 148,000 cu ft of gas per day through acid-treated perforations in the Smackover at 12,038-12,057 ft. The directional well was drilled from a surface location in the sw of section 2-3n-12e to a total depth of 12,350 ft. It bottomed immediately to the southwest.

The other directional discovery is two and a quarter-miles to the southwest. The 1 Cedar Creek Land & Timber "9-3" (API 01-053-20675) was tested pumping 23 bbls of 35° oil and 35 bbls of water daily through perforations in the Smackover at 12,238-12,250 ft. The well was drilled to a total depth of 12,529 ft in the nw of section 9-3n-12e.

Nearby are two Smackover wells completed by Sklar in October 2014. The 1 Cedar Creek Land & Timber "10-5" in section 10 was tested flowing 414 bbls of crude daily through perforations at 12,141-12,192 ft. The 1 Cedar Creek Land & Timber "9-8" in section 9 was tested through perforations at 12,256-12,310 ft.

Several other operators also have Smackover drilling programs in the area, including Fairways Exploration & Production and Fletcher Petroleum.

North of Sklar's Escambia County drilling program are dozens of Smackover oil wells in the expanding Brooklyn and Little Cedar Creek fields.

