

Sklar Perforates Smackover Wildcat In Conecuh County

Sklar Exploration Co., LLC, Shreveport, La., has perforated and is testing a Smackover wildcat in the Melrose area of southern Alabama's Conecuh County.

Perforations at 10,595-616 and 10,619-626 feet are currently being tested at the No. 1 Craft-Sotterra LLC 27-6, SE NW Section 27-5N-13E.

Hole was drilled to 10,710 feet. Shows were logged in Smackover and string of 5 1/2-inch casing was run to 10,710 feet for completion.

The wildcat is located one and three-quarter miles north-northeast of Melrose and one and one-half miles southwest of a recent Smackover discovery. Drill-site is also one and one-quarter miles north-northeast of Little Cedar Creek Field.

Rapad Drilling & Well Service, Inc., Jackson, Miss., handled contract.

One and one-half miles northeast of the current test, Midroc Operating Co. completed No. 23-3 Cedar Creek Land & Timber, NE NW Section 23-5N-13E.

Productive from pay in Smackover, the discovery flowed 468 barrels 43-gravity oil, 418,000 cubic feet of gas and two barrels water per day through a 12/64-inch choke with flowing tubing pressure 1400 pounds. Gas-oil ratio was 893 to one.

Completion was from perforations 10,242-270 feet in Smackover.

Total depth of the discovery is 10,600 feet and 5 1/2-inch casing was run to 10,579 feet for completion.