

Sklar Tests Wildcat North Of Melrose In Conecuh County

Sklar Exploration Co., LLC, Shreveport, La., has run production tests and will release details later for a Smackover oil discovery two miles north of Melrose in southern Alabama's Conecuh County.

The No. 1 Craft-Seterra 27-2 was drilled from a surface location in NE NW Section 27 to a proposed bottom hole under NW NE Section 22-5N-13E.

Hole was drilled to a depth of 10,973 feet. Shows were logged in Smackover and string of 5 1/2-inch casing was run to 10,973 feet for completion.

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

Site of the current wildcat is one and one-eighth miles southwest of a recently completed Smackover discovery.

One and one-eighth miles northeast of the most recently tested well, Midroc Operating Co. drilled No. 23-3 Cedar Creek Land & Timber, NE NW Section 2-5N-14E.

Productive from Smackover, the discovery flowed from perforations

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10,242-270 feet at rate of 468 barrels 48-gravity oil and 418,000 cubic feet of gas per day through a 12/64-inch choke with flowing tubing pressure 1400 pounds.

Drilled to 10,600 feet, casing was run to 10,779 feet for completion.