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Sklar drilling Hosston test in southern Bienville Parish

Sklar Exploration is active at a 10,300-ft test in North Louisianas Bienville Parish.

The 1 Pavillion Land 4 (API 17-013-22146) is being drilled by Reliance Drillings Rig #1 in the sw sw ne of section 4-14n-6w, just east of the Lucky town limits. The Danville field test, which is targeting gas pays in the Hosston, was spud on February 11.

A half-mile to the northeast is a 10,111-ft wildcat drilled in 1996. Brammer Engineerings 1 Louisiana Minerals 3 in section 3 was abandoned in the Hosston; however, some gas shows were encountered in the Tokio at 2810-26 ft and Glen Rose at 4573-86 ft.

Hosston gas production in Danville field is about two miles southeast of Sklars drillsite. The 1 Louisiana Minerals Ltd in section 10 was tested in 1990 flowing 3.0 million cu ft of gas and 25 bbls of water per day through perforations at 8636-9095 ft. Online through August 1997, recovery from the SG Interests-operated well totaled 979 million cu ft of gas and 12,610 bbls of water. The gas well reached a total depth of 10,367 ft.

Numerous wells in Danville field are within five miles southeast of Sklars venture. Opened in 1966, cumulative field recovery totals 292 billion cu ft of gas and 178,872 bbls of condensate. Field output in recent years has come from around 30 active wells mostly yielding gas from the Hosston at around 8000-10,000 ft.

North of Sklars drillsite is Lucky field, which produces primarily from Hosston pays and the shallower Pettet.

