

**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

**CURRENT REPORT
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d)
of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported) August 12, 2015

Matador Resources Company
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Texas
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

001-35410
(Commission
File Number)

27-4662601
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

5400 LBJ Freeway, Suite 1500, Dallas, Texas
(Address of principal executive offices)

75240
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (972) 371-5200

Not Applicable
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

Matador Resources Company expects to make presentations concerning its business to potential investors. The materials to be utilized during the presentations are furnished as Exhibit 99.1 hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

The information furnished pursuant to this Item 7.01, including Exhibit 99.1, shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and will not be incorporated by reference into any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, unless specifically identified therein as being incorporated therein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No.	Description of Exhibit
99.1	Presentation Materials.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

MATADOR RESOURCES COMPANY

Date: August 12, 2015

By: /s/ Craig N. Adams
Name: Craig N. Adams
Title: Executive Vice President

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Investor Presentation

August 2015

NYSE: MTDR

Disclosure Statements

Safe Harbor Statement – This presentation and statements made by representatives of Matador Resources Company (“Matador” or the “Company”) during the course of this presentation include “forward-looking statements” within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. “Forward-looking statements” are statements related to future, not past, events. Forward-looking statements are based on current expectations and include any statement that does not directly relate to a current or historical fact. In this context, forward-looking statements often address expected future business and financial performance, and often contain words such as “could,” “believe,” “would,” “anticipate,” “intend,” “estimate,” “expect,” “may,” “should,” “continue,” “plan,” “predict,” “potential,” “project” and similar expressions that are intended to identify forward-looking statements, although not all forward-looking statements contain such identifying words. Actual results and future events could differ materially from those anticipated in such statements, and such forward-looking statements may not prove to be accurate. These forward-looking statements involve certain risks and uncertainties, including, but not limited to, the following risks related to Matador’s financial and operational performance: general economic conditions; Matador’s ability to execute its business plan, including whether Matador’s drilling program is successful; changes in oil, natural gas and natural gas liquids prices and the demand for oil, natural gas and natural gas liquids; Matador’s ability to replace reserves and efficiently develop its current reserves; Matador’s costs of operations, delays and other difficulties related to producing oil, natural gas and natural gas liquids; Matador’s ability to integrate the assets, employees and operations of Harvey E. Yates Company following its merger with one of Matador’s wholly-owned subsidiaries on February 27, 2015; Matador’s ability to make other acquisitions on economically acceptable terms; availability of sufficient capital to execute Matador’s business plan, including from its future cash flows, increases in Matador’s borrowing base and otherwise; weather and environmental conditions; and other important factors which could cause actual results to differ materially from those anticipated or implied in the forward-looking statements. For further discussions of risks and uncertainties, you should refer to Matador’s SEC filings, including the “Risk Factors” section of Matador’s most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K and any subsequent Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q. Matador undertakes no obligation and does not intend to update these forward-looking statements to reflect events or circumstances occurring after the date of this presentation, except as required by law, including the securities laws of the United States and the rules and regulations of the SEC. You are cautioned not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date of this presentation. All forward-looking statements are qualified in their entirety by this cautionary statement.

Cautionary Note – The Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) permits oil and gas companies, in their filings with the SEC, to disclose only proved, probable and possible reserves. Potential resources are not proved, probable or possible reserves. The SEC’s guidelines prohibit Matador from including such information in filings with the SEC.

Definitions – Proved oil and natural gas reserves are the estimated quantities of oil and natural gas that geological and engineering data demonstrate with reasonable certainty to be recoverable in future years from known reservoirs under existing economic and operating conditions. Matador’s production and proved reserves are reported in two streams: oil and natural gas, including both dry and liquids-rich natural gas. Where Matador produces liquids-rich natural gas, the economic value of the natural gas liquids associated with the natural gas is included in the estimated wellhead natural gas price on those properties where the natural gas liquids are extracted and sold. Estimated ultimate recovery (EUR) is a measure that by its nature is more speculative than estimates of proved reserves prepared in accordance with SEC definitions and guidelines and is accordingly less certain.



Company Summary



Matador History

Predecessor Entities

Foran Oil & Matador Petroleum

- Founded by Joe Foran in 1983 – most participants are still shareholders today
- Foran Oil funded with \$270,000 in contributed capital from 17 friends and family members; evolved into Matador Petroleum Corporation
- Sold Matador Petroleum Corporation to Tom Brown, Inc.⁽¹⁾ in June 2003 for an enterprise value of \$388 million in an all-cash transaction

Matador Today

Matador Resources Company Timeline

Matador has grown almost entirely through the drill bit, with a focus on unconventional reservoir plays



(1) Tom Brown acquired by Encana in 2004.



Company Overview

Exchange: Ticker	NYSE: MTDR
Shares Outstanding ⁽¹⁾	85.4 million common shares
Share Price ⁽¹⁾	\$22.40/share
Market Capitalization ⁽¹⁾	\$1.9 billion

	2014 Actual	Prior 2015 Guidance	Updated 2015 Guidance ⁽²⁾	% Change
Capital Spending	\$610 million	\$350 million	\$425 million	- 30%
Total Oil Production	3.3 million Bbl	4.1 to 4.3 million Bbl ⁽³⁾	4.4 to 4.5 million Bbl	+ 34%
Total Natural Gas Production	15.3 Bcf	24.0 to 26.0 Bcf	26.0 to 27.0 Bcf	+ 73%
Oil and Natural Gas Revenues	\$367.7 million	\$270 to \$290 million	\$290 to \$300 million ⁽⁴⁾	- 20%
Adjusted EBITDA ⁽⁵⁾	\$262.9 million	\$200 to \$220 million	\$220 to \$230 million ⁽⁴⁾	- 14%

(1) Shares outstanding as reported in the Form 10-Q for the quarter ended June 30, 2015 and share price as of August 10, 2015.

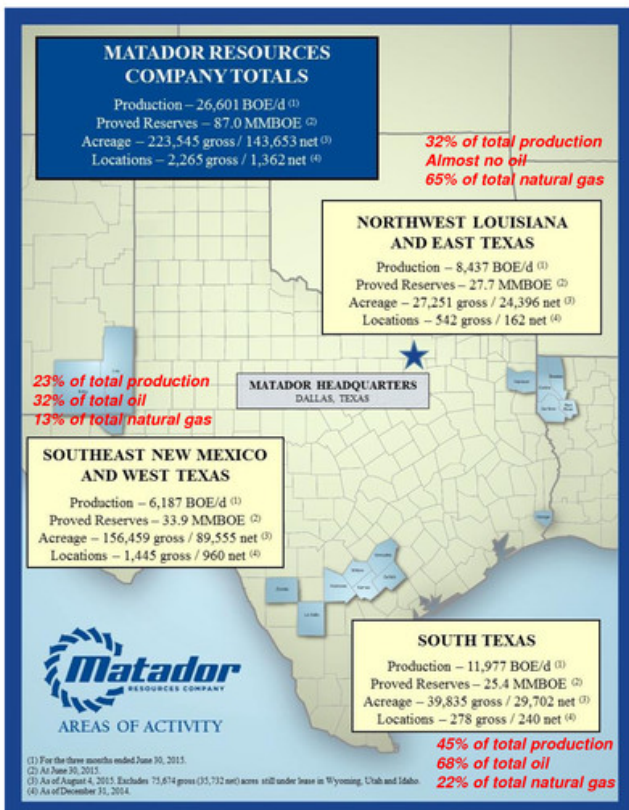
(2) The Company raised its full-year 2015 guidance estimates on August 4, 2015.

(3) The Company raised its 2015 oil production guidance from 4.0 to 4.2 million Bbl to 4.1 to 4.3 million Bbl on May 6, 2015.

(4) Estimated 2015 oil and natural gas revenues and Adjusted EBITDA based upon the midpoint of 2015 guidance range as revised on August 4, 2015. Prices for oil and natural gas used in these estimates were \$50.00/Bbl (WTI oil price of \$55.00/Bbl less \$5.00/Bbl differentials and transportation costs) and \$3.00/Mcf (NYMEX Henry Hub natural gas price assuming regional differentials and uplifts from natural gas processing roughly offset), respectively, for the period July through December 2015 and weighted average realized prices for the period January through June 2015 of \$49.48/Bbl and \$2.80/Mcf.

(5) Adjusted EBITDA is a non-GAAP financial measure. For a definition of Adjusted EBITDA and a reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA to our net income (loss) and net cash provided by operating activities, see Appendix.

Matador Resources Company – Operations Overview



Market Capitalization⁽¹⁾	\$1.9 billion	
Avg. Daily Production – Q2 2015⁽²⁾	26,601 BOE/d	↑ +72%*
Oil (% total)	13,847 Bbl/d (52%)	
Natural Gas (% total)	76.5 MMcf/d (48%)	
Proved Reserves @ 6/30/2015	87.0 million BOE	↑ +52%*
% Proved Developed	39%	
% Oil	47%	
2015E CapEx⁽³⁾	\$425 million	
Gross Acreage⁽⁴⁾	223,545 acres	
Net Acreage⁽⁴⁾	143,653 acres	
Engineered Drilling Locations⁽⁵⁾	2,265 gross / 1,362 net	↑ +139%**
Eagle Ford	278 gross / 240 net	
Permian	1,445 gross / 960 net	↑ +440%**
Haynesville/Cotton Valley	542 gross / 162 net	

*Note: Represents increase as compared to each respective figure at or for the three months ended June 30, 2014.
 **Note: Represents increase as compared to each respective figure at December 31, 2013.
 (1) Market capitalization based on closing share price as of August 10, 2015 and shares outstanding as reported in the Form 10-Q for the quarter ended June 30, 2015.
 (2) Average daily production for the three months ended June 30, 2015.
 (3) 2015 estimated capital expenditures for operations only. Revised upwards from \$350 million on August 4, 2015; does not include capital expenditures associated with the HEYCO transaction or two associated joint ventures.
 (4) Presented as of August 4, 2015. Excludes 75,674 gross (35,732 net) acres still under lease in Wyoming, Utah and Idaho.
 (5) Identified and engineered locations for potential future drilling, including specified production units and estimated lateral lengths, costs and well spacing using objective criteria for designation. Locations identified as of December 31, 2014, but including no locations at Twin Lakes and no locations associated with the HEYCO transaction or two associated joint ventures.



Matador's Execution History – “Doing What We Say”

Matador continues to execute on its core strategy of acquiring great assets, developing a highly professional, committed workforce, maintaining a strong balance sheet and generating significant shareholder returns

	At IPO ⁽¹⁾		September 2013 Follow-On ⁽⁸⁾		June 30, 2015 ⁽¹⁰⁾
Oil Production	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 414 Bbl/d of oil 6% oil 	12x growth in oil production	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4,916 Bbl/d of oil 46% oil 	182% growth in oil production	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 13,847 Bbl/d of oil 52% oil
Proved Reserves	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 27 MMBOE 1.1 MMBbl of oil 4% oil 	11x growth in oil reserves	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 39 MMBOE 12.1 MMBbl of oil 31% oil 	3.3x growth in oil reserves	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 87 MMBOE 40.6 MMBbl of oil 47% oil
PV-10⁽²⁾ and Asset Coverage	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> \$155.2 million 24% of PV-10 in Eagle Ford PV-10 / debt of 2.0x 	Over 3x growth in PV-10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> \$522.3 million 90% of PV-10 in Eagle Ford PV-10 / debt of 2.1x 	81% growth	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> \$942.8 million 90% of PV-10 in Eagle Ford / Permian PV-10 / debt of 2.4x
LTM Adjusted EBITDA⁽³⁾	\$50 million ⁽⁴⁾	~200% growth	\$148 million	72% growth	\$254 million
Leverage⁽⁵⁾	1.7x	Remained conservative	1.7x	Improved	1.6x
Acreage	~7,500 net Permian acres	Over 4x growth in Permian acres	~32,900 net Permian acres	2.7x growth in Permian acres	~89,600 net Permian acres ⁽¹¹⁾
Enterprise Value (“EV”)⁽⁶⁾	\$0.65 billion ⁽⁷⁾	Doubled EV	\$1.2 billion ⁽⁹⁾	92% growth	\$2.3 billion ⁽¹²⁾

(1) Unless otherwise noted, at or for the nine months ended September 30, 2011.

(2) PV-10 is a non-GAAP financial measure. For a reconciliation of Standardized Measure (GAAP) to PV-10 (non-GAAP), see Appendix.

(3) Adjusted EBITDA is a non-GAAP financial measure. For a definition of Adjusted EBITDA and a reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA to our net income (loss) and net cash provided by operating activities, see Appendix.

(4) For the twelve months ended December 31, 2011.

(5) Calculated as debt divided by LTM Adjusted EBITDA.

(6) Enterprise value equals market capitalization plus long-term debt.

(7) As of February 7, 2012 at time of IPO.

(8) Unless otherwise noted, at or for the three months ended June 30, 2013.

(9) As of September 1, 2013.

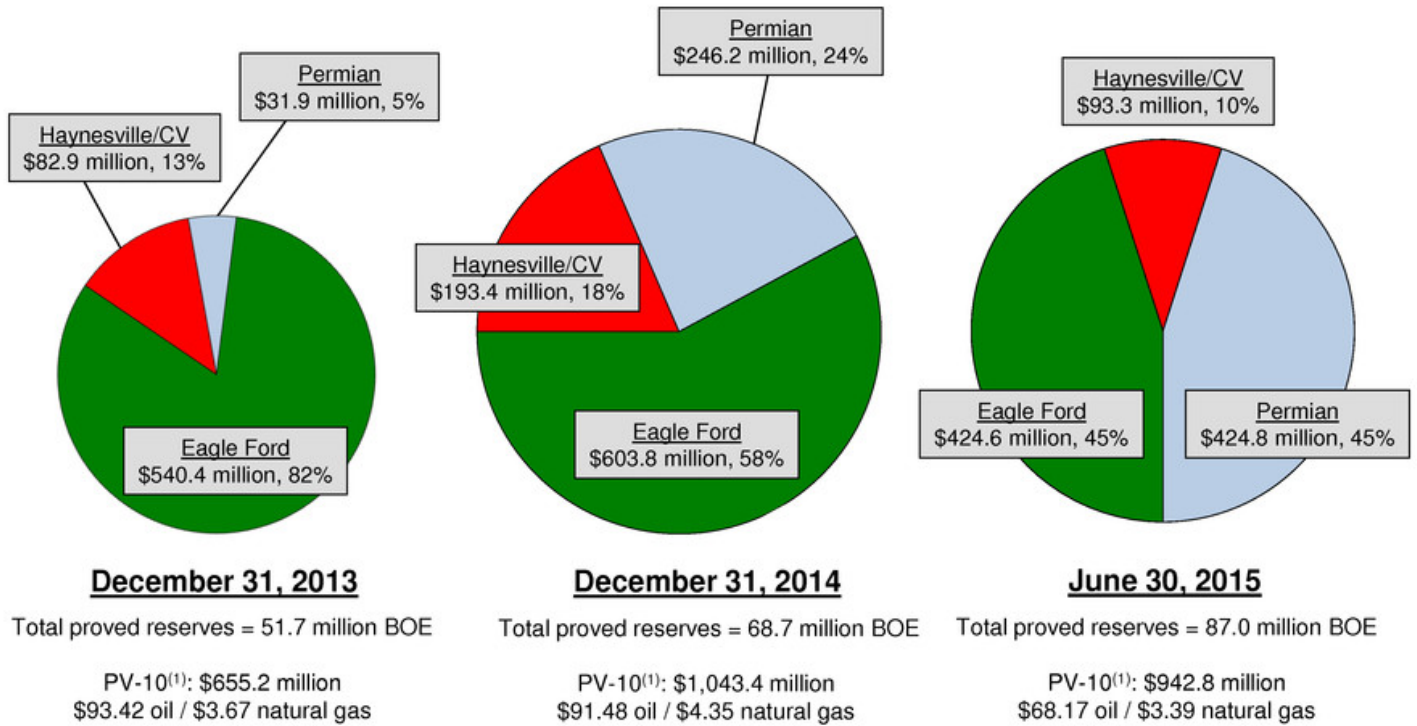
(10) Unless otherwise noted, at or for the three months ended June 30, 2015.

(11) As of August 4, 2015.

(12) Market capitalization based on closing share price as of August 10, 2015 and shares outstanding as reported in the Form 10-Q for the quarter ended June 30, 2015.



Oil and Natural Gas Proved Reserves and PV-10⁽¹⁾ Growth By Area



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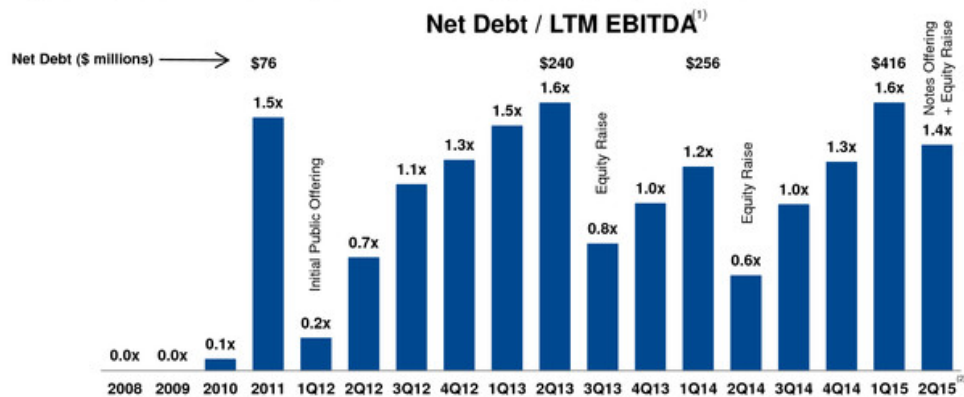
Financial Strategy

▪ Be prudent with our investors' capital

- Reduced drilling program from 5 rigs at YE2014 to 2 rigs by end of Q1 due to lower commodity prices, with primary focus on Permian (Delaware) Basin
- Added third drilling rig in Delaware Basin in late July 2015 to capitalize on continuing success and progress in Delaware Basin in 2015
- 2015E CapEx highest in Q1 2015 but falls quickly thereafter
- Proven and experienced management team and Board of Directors have demonstrated ability to manage through industry cycles

▪ Committed to maintaining strong, conservative balance sheet

- Strong, conservative financial position with Net Debt/LTM Adjusted EBITDA⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾ of 1.4x
- Preserved and enhanced liquidity through April 2015 equity and Senior Notes offerings – substantial liquidity to execute planned drilling program
- Target leverage at less than 2.0x Adjusted EBITDA⁽¹⁾, though profile typically more conservative



▪ Hedging program designed to protect cash flows and provide stability to drilling program

▪ Flexibility to manage liquidity and maintain conservative balance sheet

- Most drilling is operated; low level of non-operated drilling obligations; few long-term drilling rig or service contract commitments
- Expectations of increased cash flow and potential borrowing base increases as proved reserves are added

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(2) LTM Adjusted EBITDA and Net Debt at June 30, 2015.



Matador's Continued Production Growth Through June 30, 2015

Average Daily Oil Production

(Bbl/d)



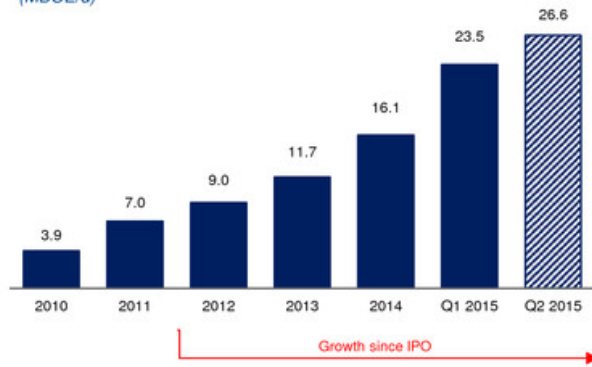
Average Daily Natural Gas Production

(MMcf/d)



Average Daily Total Production

(MBOE/d)



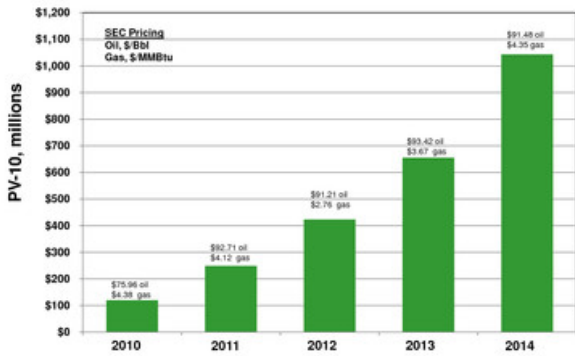
Oil Production Mix

(% of Average Daily Production)



Matador Has Experienced Strong Reserves and Adjusted EBITDA⁽¹⁾ Growth in Recent Years

Growth in PV-10⁽²⁾ Over Last 5 Years



PV-10⁽²⁾ per Share

(\$ per share)



Proved PV-10⁽²⁾ / YE 2014 Net Debt



Adjusted EBITDA⁽¹⁾ per Share

(\$ per share)



(in thousands)	Shares ⁽³⁾	PV-10 ⁽²⁾	Adj. EBITDA ⁽¹⁾
2009	40,123	\$70,359	\$15,184
2010	41,037	\$119,869	\$23,635
2011	42,718	\$248,700	\$49,911
2012	53,957	\$423,200	\$115,923
2013	58,777	\$655,200	\$191,771
2014	70,229	\$1,043,400	\$262,943

Note: "Proved PV-10/YE 2014 Net Debt" analysis prepared by RBC Capital Markets. Average does not include Matador. Matador figures are pro forma at December 31, 2014 after giving effect to the recent HEYCO Merger, the April 2015 offering of \$400 million of Senior Notes and the April 2015 equity offering. Peer group chosen by RBC includes SFY, CRK, ROSE, SN, PVA, AREX, GDP, CWEL, JONE, BCEI, CRZO, PE, RSPP, FANG. Average does not include Matador. Source: Company filings, metrics pro forma for announced acquisitions. Market data as of April 2, 2015.

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(3) Weighted Average Basic Shares Outstanding.



Previous Oil Price Declines Have Created Opportunities for Matador⁽¹⁾

Comparison of Major Oil Corrections and Major Matador Turning Points Since 1980

Date	Event	% Change in Oil Price	Length of Oil Price Decline (in trading days)	% Increase in Oil Price – 1-Year Post-Low	
1986	Saudi Market Share War	-67.2%	82	79.0%	A number of Mesa's top technical staff join Matador I
1988	Oil Glut	-43.7%	295	58.4%	Matador I buys key waterflood properties and New Mexico natural gas acreage
1991	Global Recession / End of Gulf War	-57.2%	90	5.4%	First interests in Amaker-Tippett acquired; becomes Matador I's largest field
1998	Asian Crisis	-59.6%	484	134.5%	Unocal exchanges NM properties for Matador I's stock
2001	Global Recession	-53.1%	290	46.2%	Matador I shifts to unconventionals (Marlan Downey joins Board)
2008	Great Recession	-78.4%	119	134.8%	Matador II builds Eagle Ford position and drills first Haynesville wells
	Average	-59.9%	227	76.4%	
2014-2015	Current Dip ⁽²⁾	-59.8%	~290	?	MTDR and HEYCO join forces

(1) Includes Matador Resources Company, Foran Oil and Matador Petroleum Corporation and other predecessor entities.

(2) Length of oil price decline in trading days using high of \$107.26 on June 20, 2014 and low of \$43.08 on August 11, 2015.



Keys to Matador's Success Over Last 35 Years⁽¹⁾

▪ People

- *We have a strong, committed technical and financial team in place, and we continue to make additions and improvements to our staff, our capabilities and our processes*
- *Board and Special Advisor additions have strengthened Board skills and stewardship*

▪ Properties

- *Matador's acreage positions and multi-year drilling inventory are significant and located in three of the industry's best plays – Permian, Eagle Ford and Haynesville*
- *Our property mix provides us with a balanced opportunity set for both oil and natural gas*

▪ Process

- *Continuous improvement in all aspects of our business leading to more efficient operations, improved financial results and increased shareholder value*
- *Gaining momentum as a successful publicly-held company*

▪ Execution

- *Increase total production by ~51%, with oil production expected to increase to ~4.45 million barrels and natural gas production expected to increase to ~26.5 Bcf in 2015*
- *Maintain quality acreage positions in the Permian, Eagle Ford and Haynesville – successfully integrate HEYCO acreage in Permian*
- *Reduce drilling and completion times and costs – improve operational efficiencies*
- *Maintain strong financial position and technical and administrative teams*

(1) Includes Matador Resources Company and its predecessor entities.

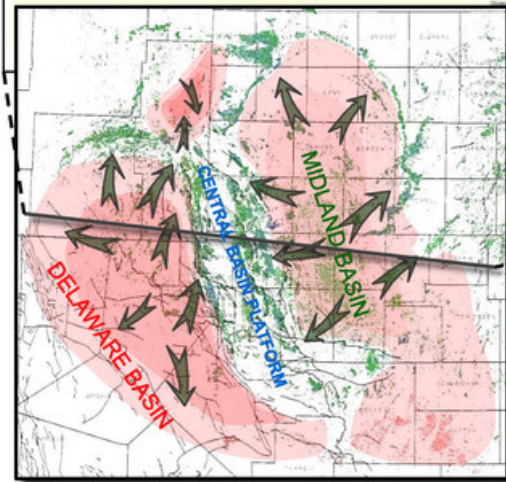
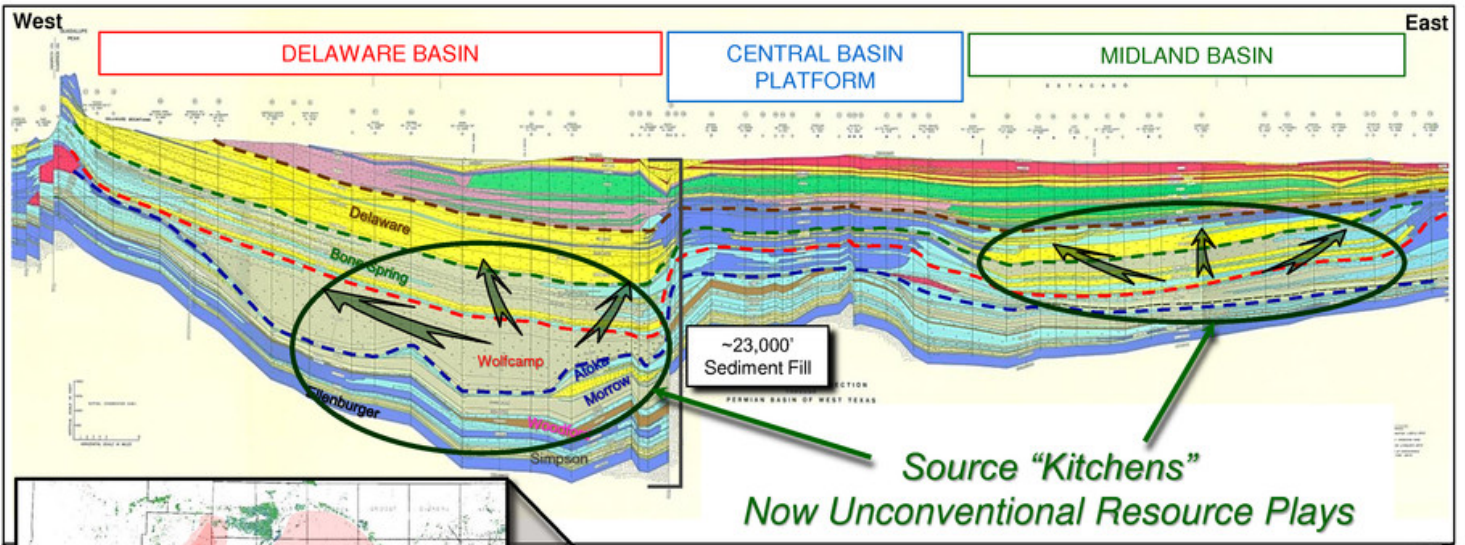


Permian Basin

Southeast New Mexico and West Texas



Delaware Basin – A “World Class” Hydrocarbon System

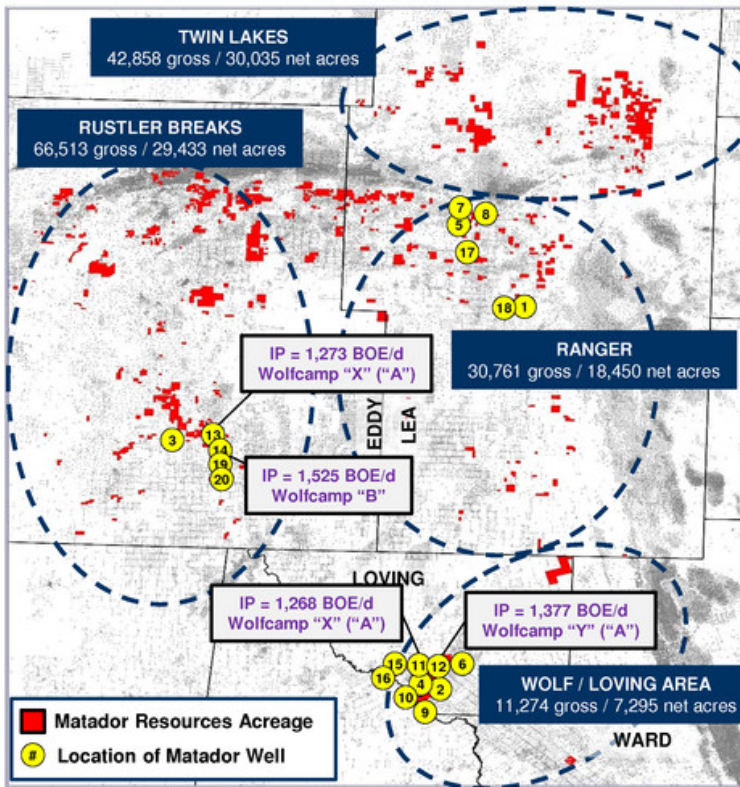


- 70,000 square mile area
- Up to 25,000 feet of multiple, stacked, petroleum systems
- Extensive drilling, coring and geological studies since 1920s
- >1,500 conventional reservoirs with cumulative production >1.0 million Bbl each
- Cumulative production from 1,500 conventional reservoirs, as of year 2000 (pre-horizontal drilling) >30.0 billion Bbl⁽¹⁾

(1) Dutton et al. AAPG 2005



Permian Basin Acreage Position and Recent Test Results



Note: All acreage at August 4, 2015. Some tracts not shown on map.
 (1) As of August 4, 2015.
 (2) As of July 9, 2015.
 (3) As of April 29, 2015.
 (4) Formerly the Ranger 33 State Com #11H.
 (5) Formerly the Rustler Breaks 12-245-27 #11H.
 (6) Formerly the Pickard State 20-185-34 #11H.
 (7) Estimated ultimate recovery, thousands of barrels of oil equivalent.
 (8) Flowing surface pressure.

At July 9, well still cleaning up following stimulation

Successful performance of initial horizontal wells

Well	Cumulative Production			Recent Production		
	Months	Oil Eq. (BOE)	%	Oil (Bbl/d)	Natural Gas (Mcf/d)	EUR ⁽¹⁾ (MBOE)
1 Ranger State 33-205-35E RN #121H ⁽¹⁾⁽⁴⁾ (2nd Bone Spring)	20	210,000	91%	200	130	650
2 Dorothy White #1H ⁽¹⁾ (Wolfcamp "A"/"X")	18.5	400,000	68%	330	900	1,050
3 Rustler Breaks 12-245-27E RB #224H ⁽⁵⁾⁽⁶⁾ (Wolfcamp "B")	14	190,000	42%	125	1,200	700
4 Norton Schaub #1H ⁽²⁾ (Wolfcamp "A"/"X")	9	180,000	72%	400	1,200	750
5 Pickard State 20-185-34E RN #121H ⁽¹⁾⁽⁶⁾ (2nd Bone Spring)	12	142,000	92%	450	500	500
6 Johnson 44-025-B53 #204H ⁽²⁾ (Wolfcamp "A"/"X")	7	179,000	64%	350	1,100	900
7 Pickard State 20-18-34 #2H ⁽²⁾ (Wolfcamp "D")	10	47,500	85%	105	150	200
8 Jim Rolfe 22-18-34 RN State #131Y ⁽²⁾ (3rd Bone Spring)	6.5	16,100	73%	40	100	65

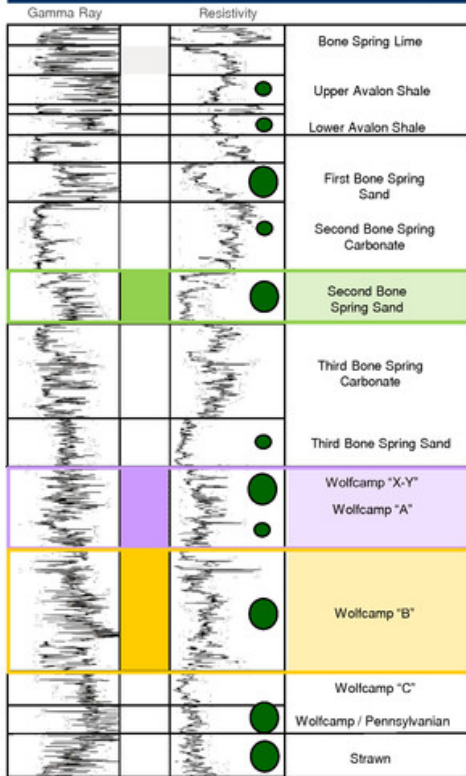
Recent activity and 24-hour initial potential tests

Well	Date	Oil Eq. (BOE/d)	Oil (Bbl/d)	Natural Gas (Mcf/d)	%	p _{wf} (psi)	Choke (inches)
9 Arno #1H (Wolfcamp "A"/"X")	Mid-Sept 2014	1,110	300	4,900	27%	4,100	26/64"
10 Norton Schaub 64-TTT-B33 WF #2010H (Wolfcamp "A")	Late Dec 2014	875	608	1,600	69%	2,600	28/64"
11 Barmer 90-TTT-B01-WF #201H (Wolfcamp "A"/"X")	Early Mar 2015	1,268	720	3,300	57%	3,225	26/64"
12 Barmer 90-TTT-B01-WF #205H (Wolfcamp "A"/"Y")	Mid-Feb 2015	1,377	738	3,800	54%	3,475	26/64"
13 Guitar 10-245-28E RB #202H (Wolfcamp "A"/"X")	Early Apr 2015	1,273	1,008	1,600	79%	2,190	26/64"
14 Tiger 14-245-28E RB #224H (Wolfcamp "B")	Early Apr 2015	1,525	650	5,300	43%	3,900	26/64"
15 Billy Burt 90-TTT-B33 WF #202H (Wolfcamp "A"/"X")	Early May 2015	1,028	683	2,100	66%	3,025	26/64"
16 Billy Burt 90-TTT-B33 WF #203H (Wolfcamp "A"/"X")	Essentially flat production of 700-750 BOE/d (74% oil) over last 60 days ⁽¹⁾						
17 Cimarron 16-195-34E RN #134H (2nd Bone Spring)	Early May 2015	804	754	303	94%	725	26/64"
18 Ranger State 33-205-35E RN #122H (2nd Bone Spring)	Cleaned up to ~300 BOE/d in last 60 days ⁽¹⁾ with almost no decline						
19 Tiger 14-245-28E RB #204H (Wolfcamp "A"/"Y")	Late June 2015	1,405	1,055	2,100	75%	2,400	30/64"
20 Tiger 14-245-28E RB #124H (2nd Bone Spring)	Early July 2015	800	650	880	81%	810	34/64"



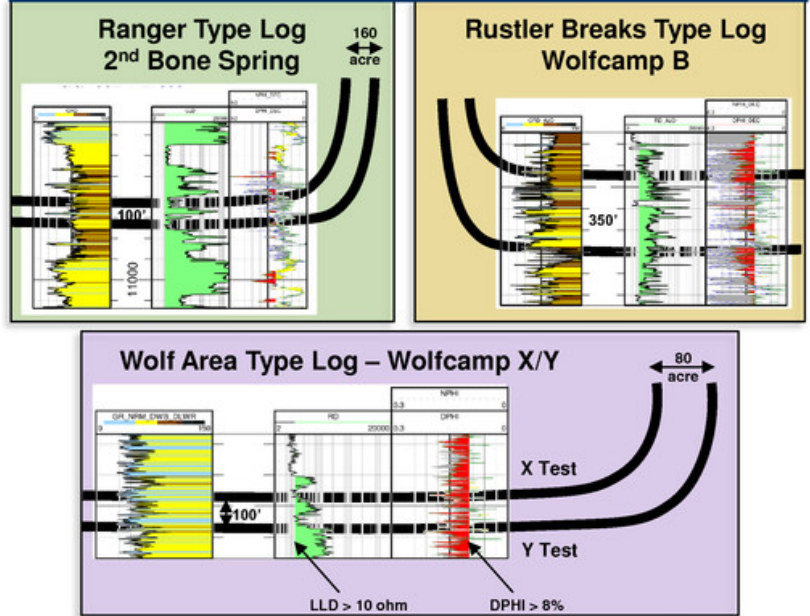
4,000 feet of Hydrocarbon Column Creates Opportunity

INTER-Formational Stacked Pay



- Determining "Good, Better, Best" important as potential exceeds inter-formational stacked pay
- 2015 program will expand on intra-formational stacked pay tests performed in each asset area

INTRA-Formational Stacked Pays Decoupled – Coupled – Micro-coupled



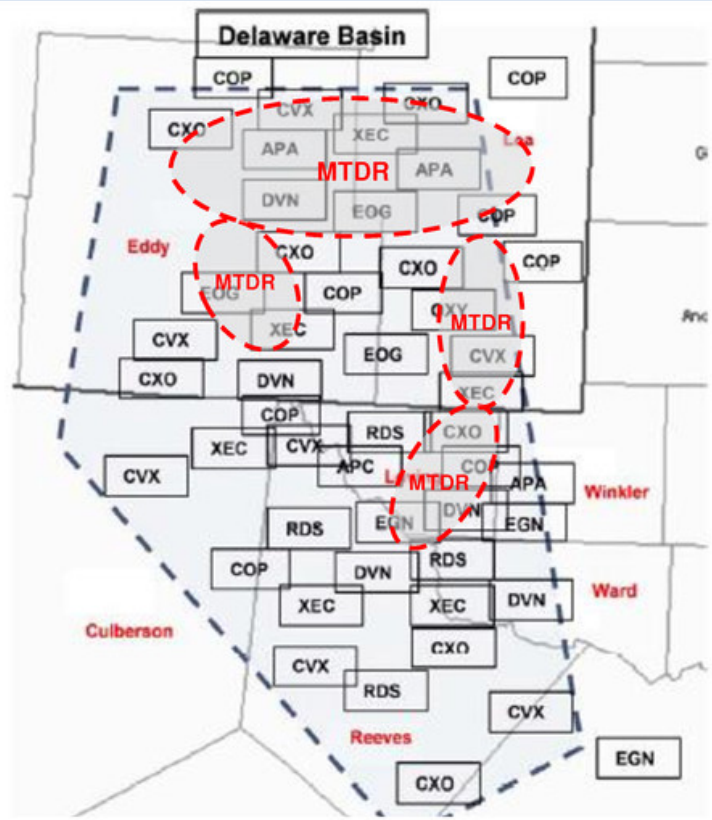
Matador is a Significant Delaware Basin Player

- **Matador's 89,600 net acres place it among the largest operators in the Delaware Basin**

- Matador holds **largest** Delaware Basin acreage position **among small and mid-cap publicly traded energy companies**⁽¹⁾
- Matador is the **second largest** operator in terms of the ratio of Delaware Basin acreage to enterprise value or market capitalization among all public traded energy companies

- **Key Operators in the Delaware Basin**⁽²⁾:

- Oxy 1,500,000 net acres
- Chevron 1,000,000 net acres
- Shell 618,000 net acres
- Concho 425,000 net acres
- Cimarex 400,000 net acres
- EOG 307,000 net acres
- Anadarko 255,000 net acres
- Apache 230,000 net acres
- Conoco 150,000 net acres
- Energen 113,000 net acres
- **Matador 156,500 gross / 89,600 net acres**



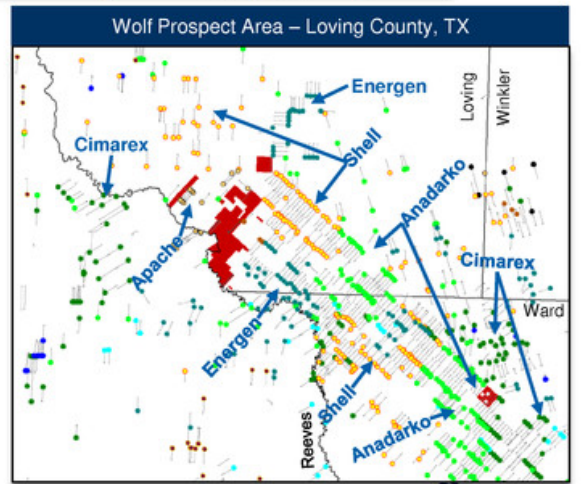
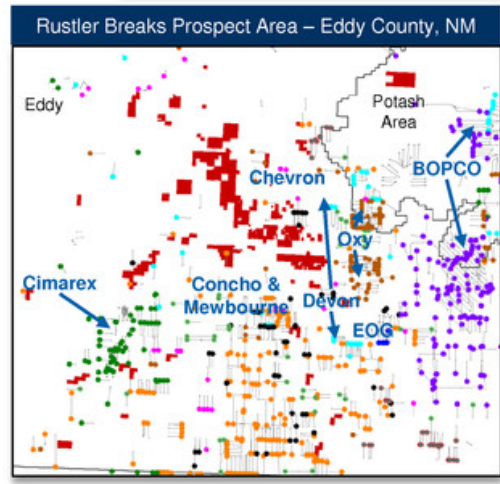
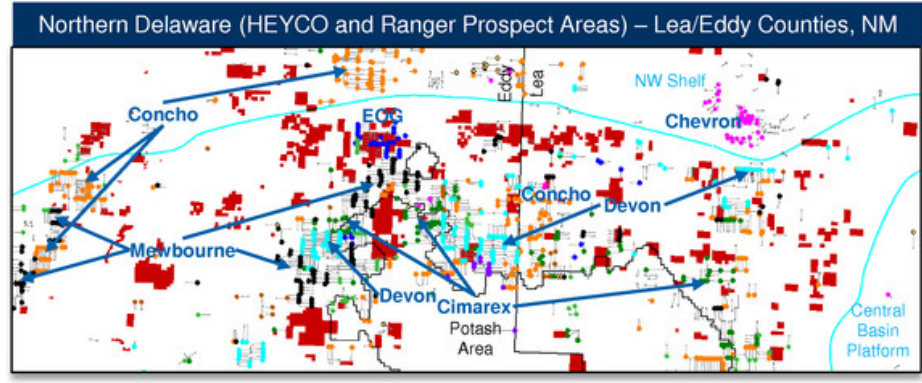
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(1) Based on an independent market analysis prepared by BMO Capital Markets in January 2015. Small and mid-cap publicly traded energy companies defined as those companies with an enterprise value between \$500 million and \$3.5 billion. Companies below \$100 million in market capitalization were excluded in determining the ratio of Delaware Basin acreage to market capitalization. Matador acreage at August 4, 2015.

(2) Goldman Sachs Equity Research report dated April 1, 2015 (Singer).

Matador's Acreage Among Other Significant Delaware Basin Activity

- Other Operators**
- CONCHO
 - CIMAREX
 - DEVON
 - EOG
 - MEWBOURNE
 - ANADARKO
 - BOPCO
 - SHELL
 - YATES
 - OXY
 - ENERGEN
 - CHEVRON
 - APACHE
 - RKI EXPLORATION
 - BHP BILLITON

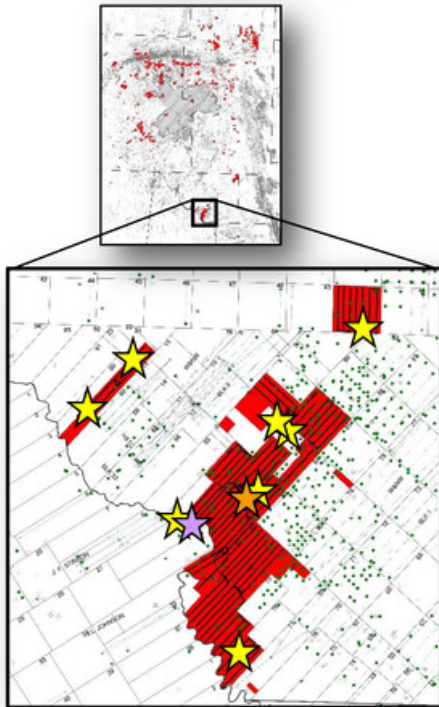


■ Matador Acreage

Note: Horizontal wells shown based upon publicly available data as of March 31, 2015. All Matador acreage at August 4, 2015.

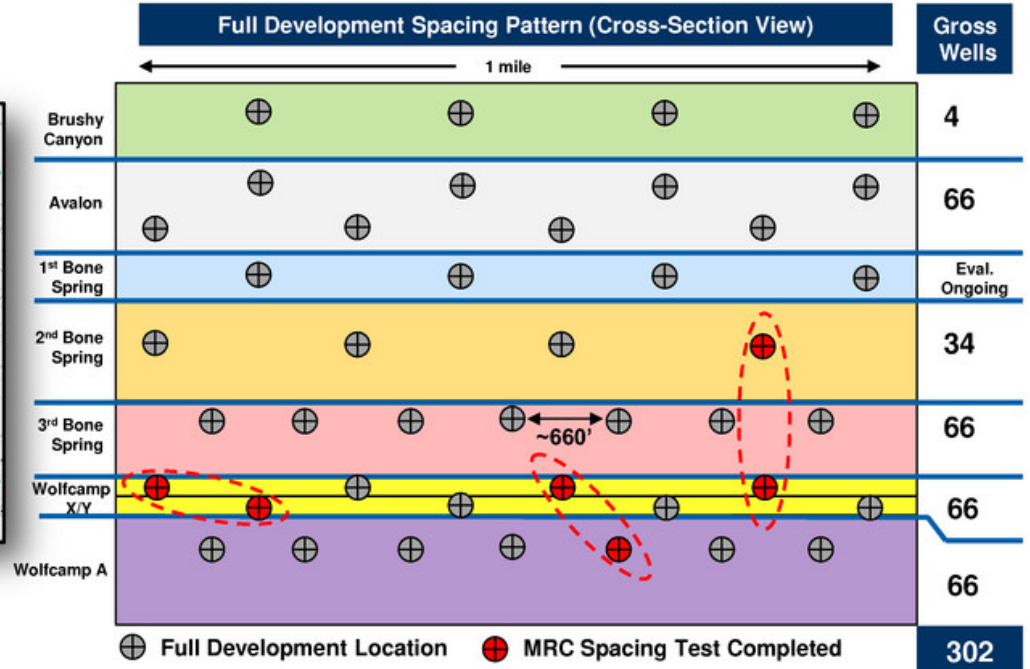


Wolf Inventory – Multi-Pay Development Potential



- Matador Well Location
 - 2nd Bone Spring
 - Wolfcamp X/Y
 - Wolfcamp A
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- Matador Acreage

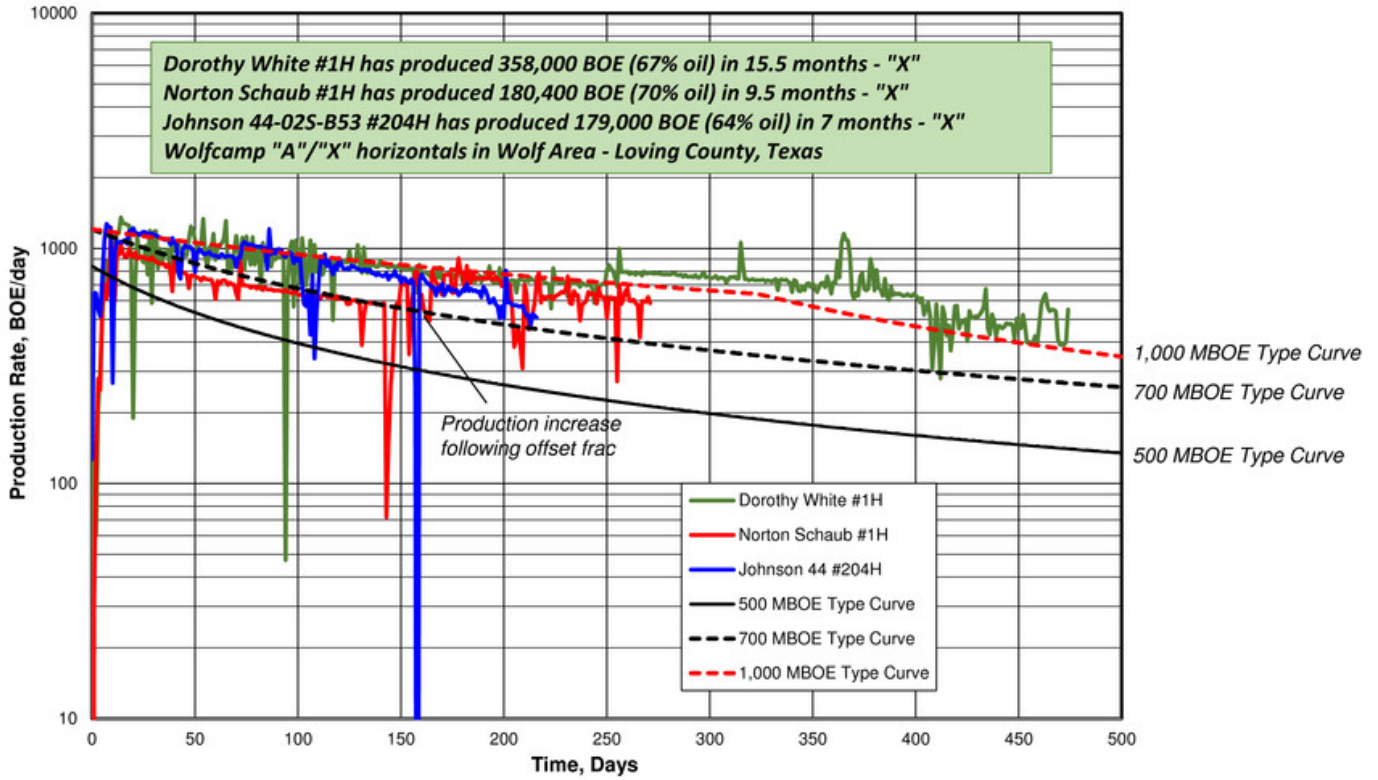
Development Well	D&C ⁽¹⁾ CapEx	EUR ⁽²⁾ (MBOE)
Bone Spring	\$6 – \$7 million	450 – 600
Wolfcamp	\$7 – \$8 million	650 – 1,100



(1) Drilling and completion.
 (2) Estimated ultimate recovery, thousands of barrels of oil equivalent.



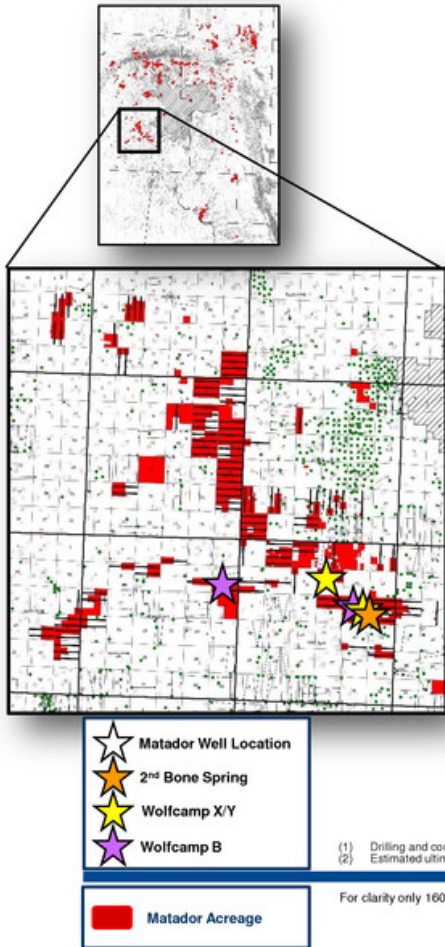
Wolf Area Wolfcamp "A"/"X" Wells Performing Above Expectations



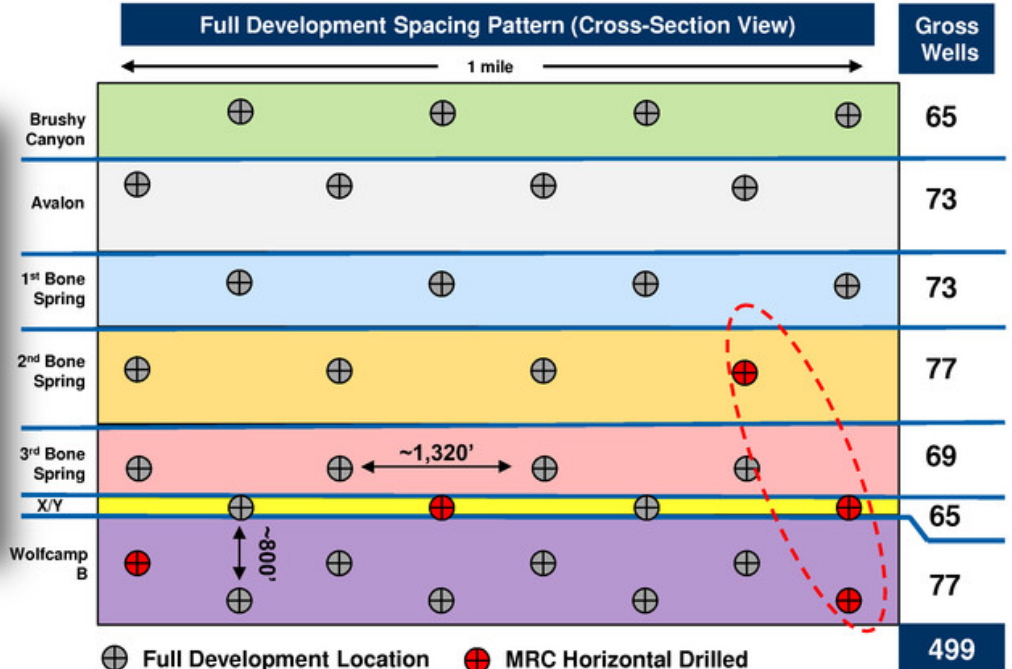
Note: Production as of April 28, 2015.



Rustler Breaks Inventory – Multi-Pay Development Inventory



Development Well	D&C ⁽¹⁾ CapEx	EUR ⁽²⁾ (MBOE)
Bone Spring	\$5.25 – \$6.25 million	350 – 650
Wolfcamp	\$6.0 – \$6.5 million	500 – 1,000

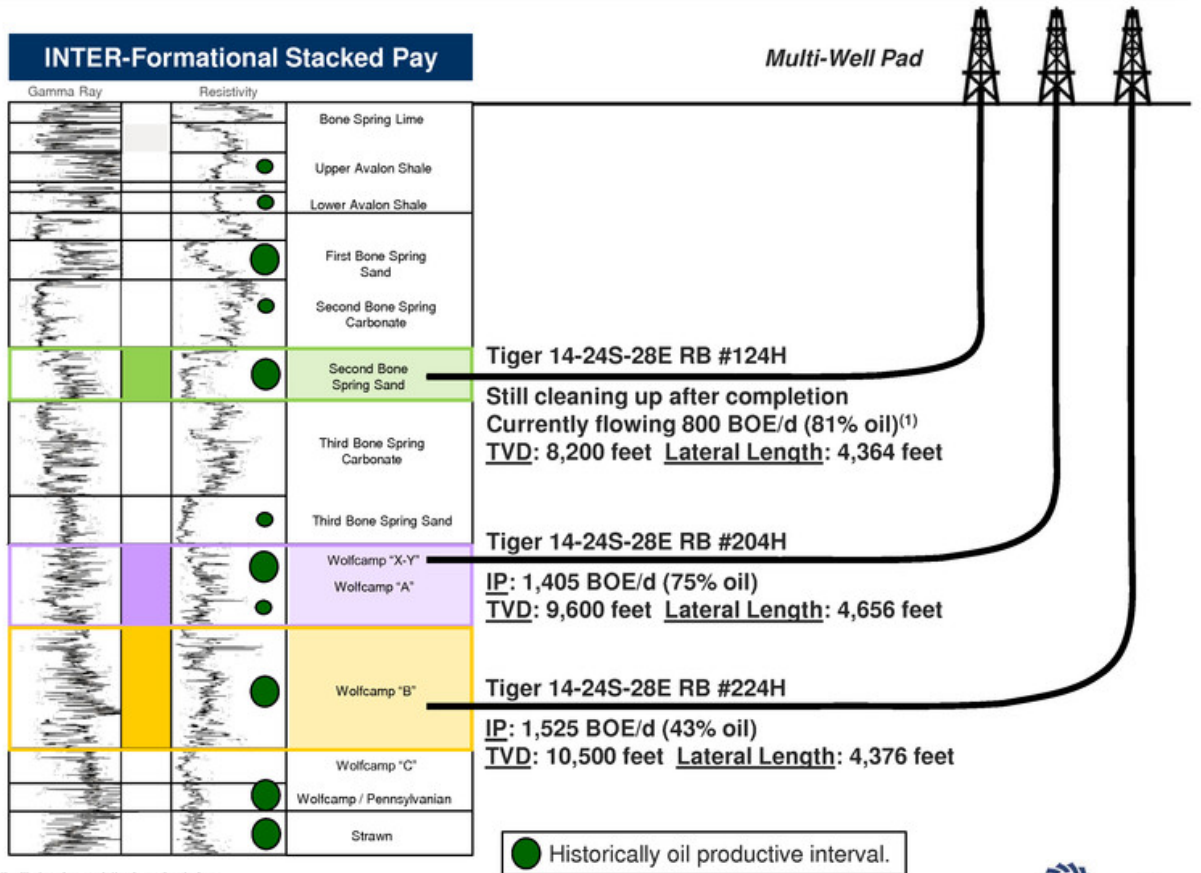


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For clarity only 160 gross ac. well slots shown



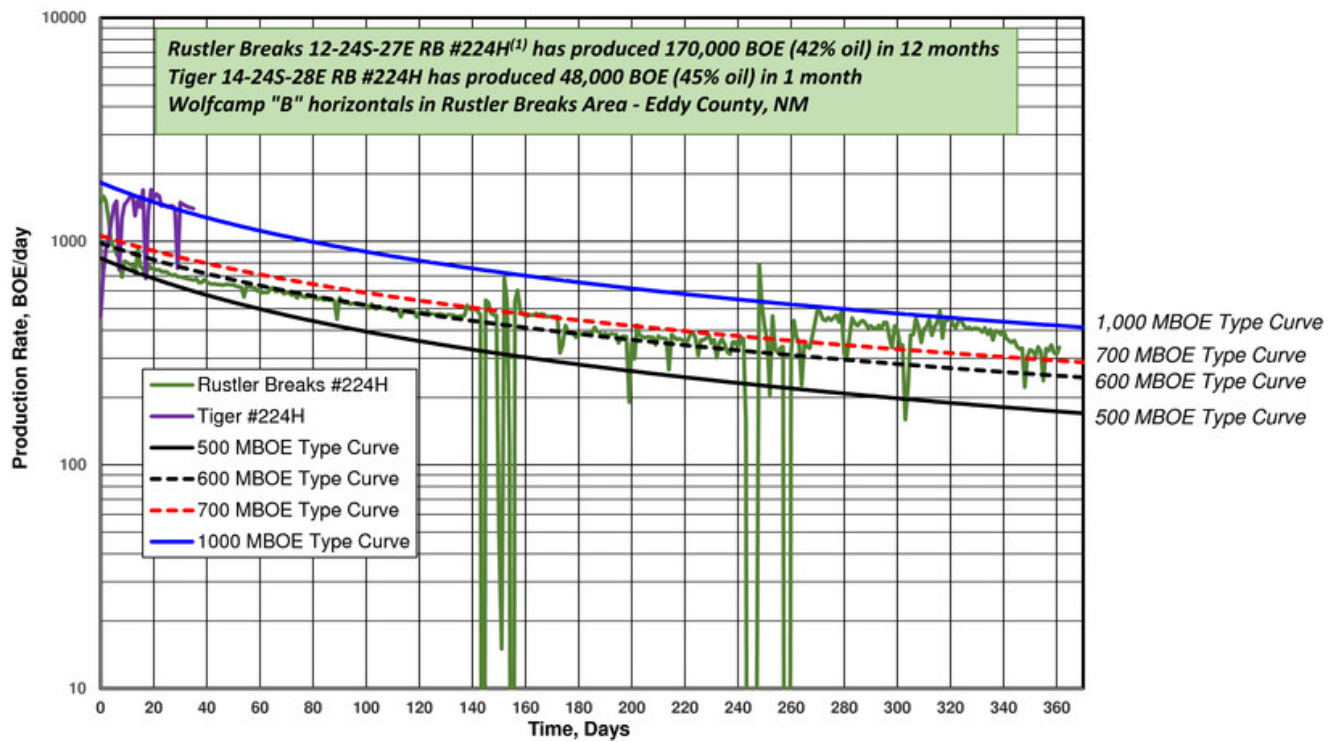
Matador's First Three-Zone Stacked Lateral Test at Rustler Breaks



(1) At July 9, 2015, well still cleaning up following stimulation.



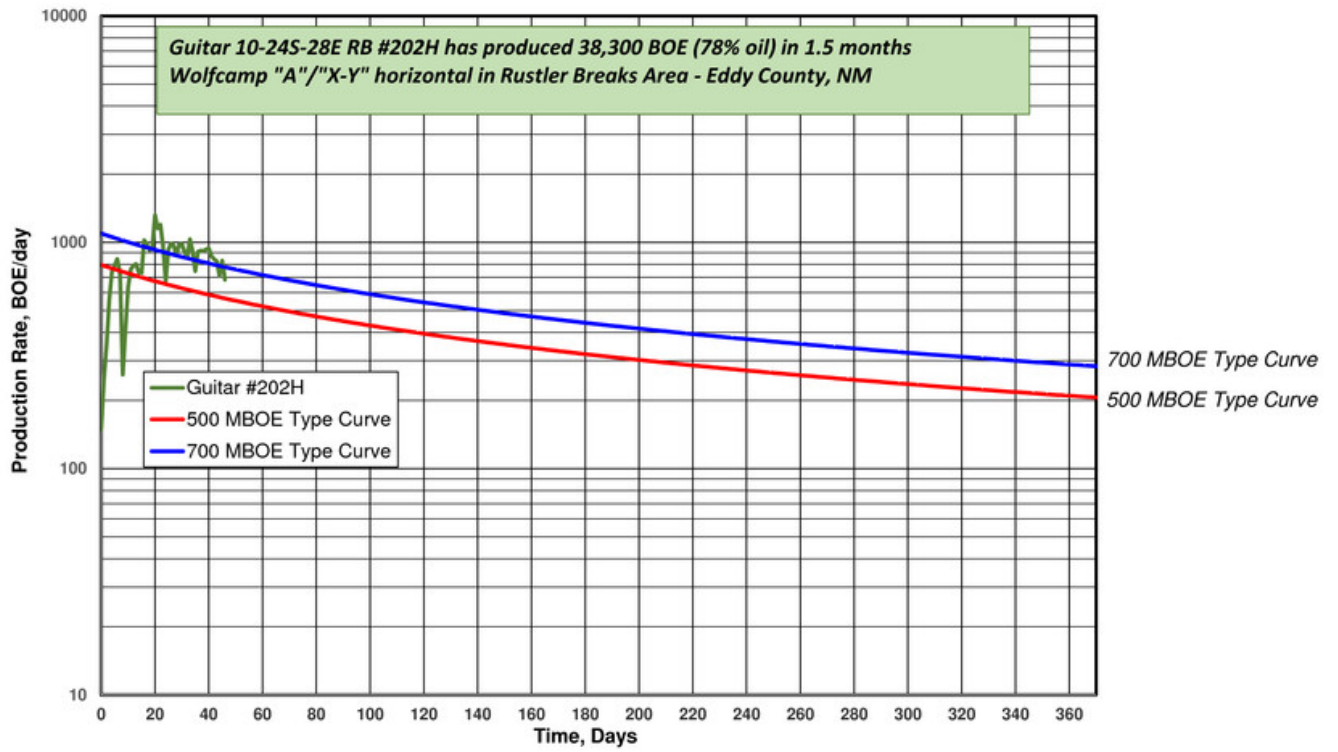
Rustler Breaks Wolfcamp "B" Wells Performing Above Expectations



Note: Production as of April 28, 2015.
 (1) Formerly the Rustler Breaks 12-24-27 #1H



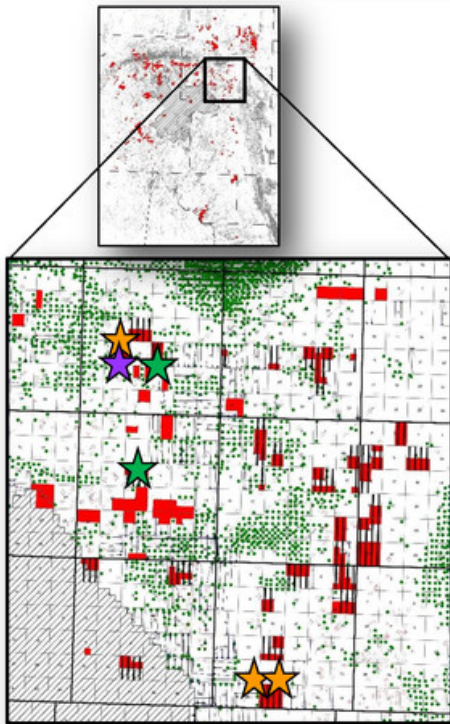
Rustler Breaks Wolfcamp "A" Well Off to Strong Start



Note: Production as of April 28, 2015.



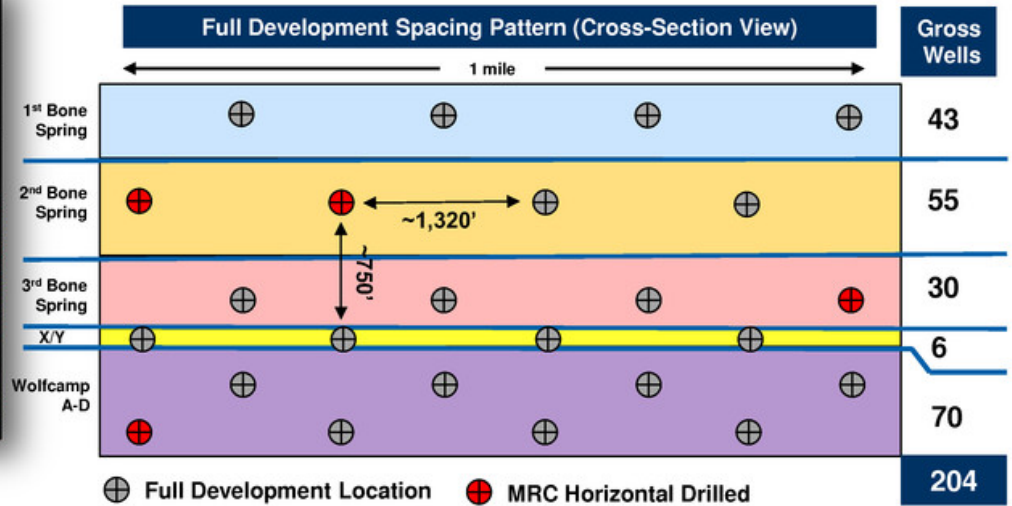
Ranger Inventory – Multi-Well Development Potential



- Matador Well Location
 - 2nd Bone Spring
 - 3rd Bone Spring
 - Wolfcamp D
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- HEYCO Acreage
 - Matador Acreage

Development Well	D&C ⁽¹⁾ CapEx	EUR ⁽²⁾ (MBOE)
Bone Spring	\$5.5 – \$6.5 million	400 – 600
Wolfcamp	\$7 – \$9 million	200 – 800*

* Based on Volumetrics and 4-8% Recovery Factor

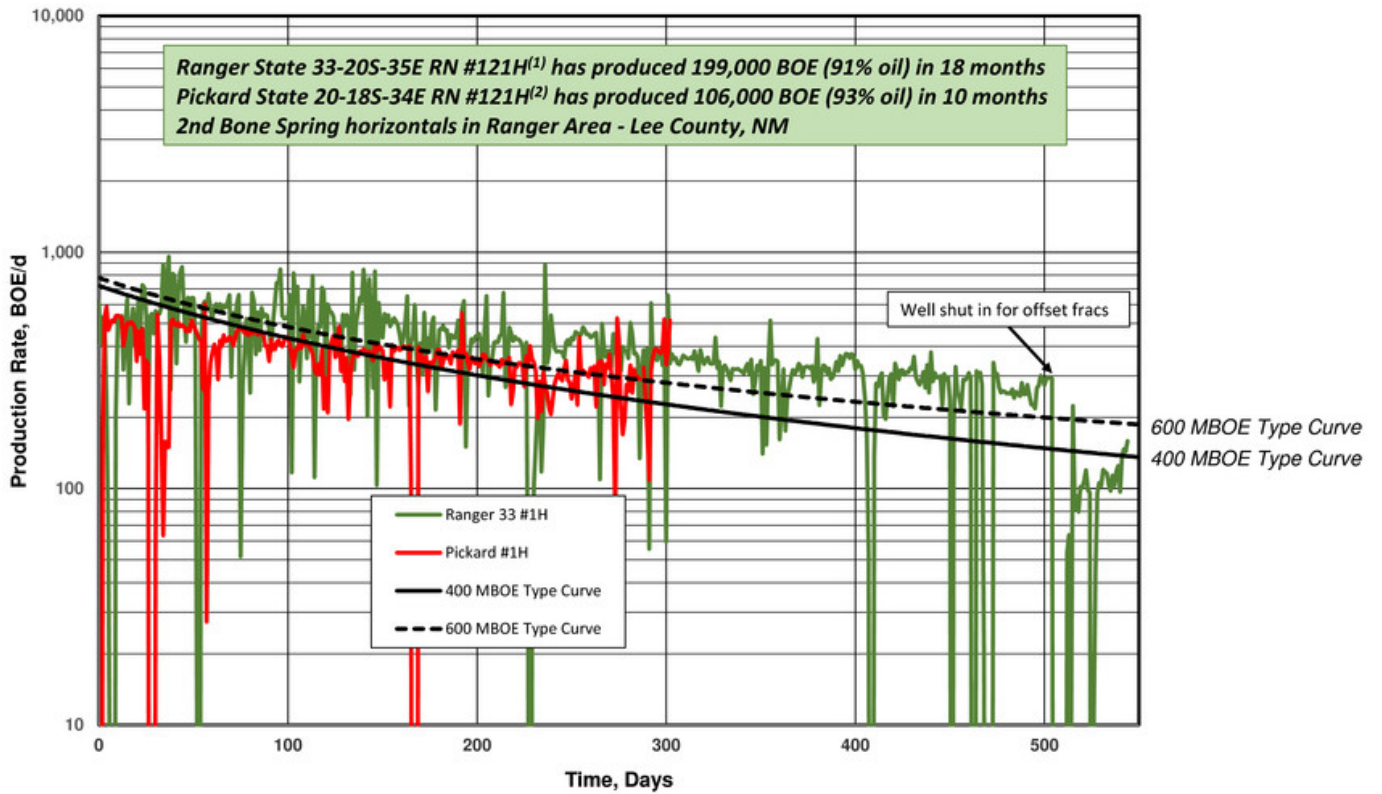


(1) Drilling and completion.
 (2) Estimated ultimate recovery, thousands of barrels of oil equivalent.

For clarity only 160 gross ac. well slots shown



Ranger Area Second Bone Spring Wells Performing Above Expectations



Note: Production as of May 17, 2015.
 (1) Formerly the Ranger 33 State Com #1H.
 (2) Formerly the Pickard State 20-18-34 #1H.



New Rig Improvements

- **7,500 psi Pressure Rating**

- Estimated reduction in drilling time of 15 to 20% in the lateral on Wolfcamp wells

- **Telescoping Flex-joint**

- Estimated reduction in drilling time of 12 to 18 hours per well

- **Integrated Mud-Gas Separator**

- Estimated savings of 50% compared to rental separator

- **BOP Test Stump**

- Estimated reduction in drilling time of 12 hours per well

- **Walking System & V-door turned 90°**

- Allows for batch-setting and simultaneous operations

*Efficiency gains save approximately
\$540,000 per well*

...equivalent to a **\$3.00/Bbl uplift in oil prices**



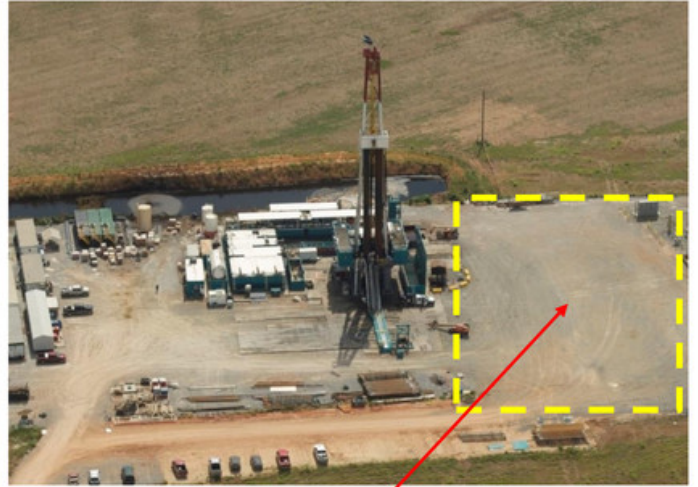
Latest Technology: Simultaneous Operations (Sim-Ops) Capable Rigs

Conventional Drilling Configuration



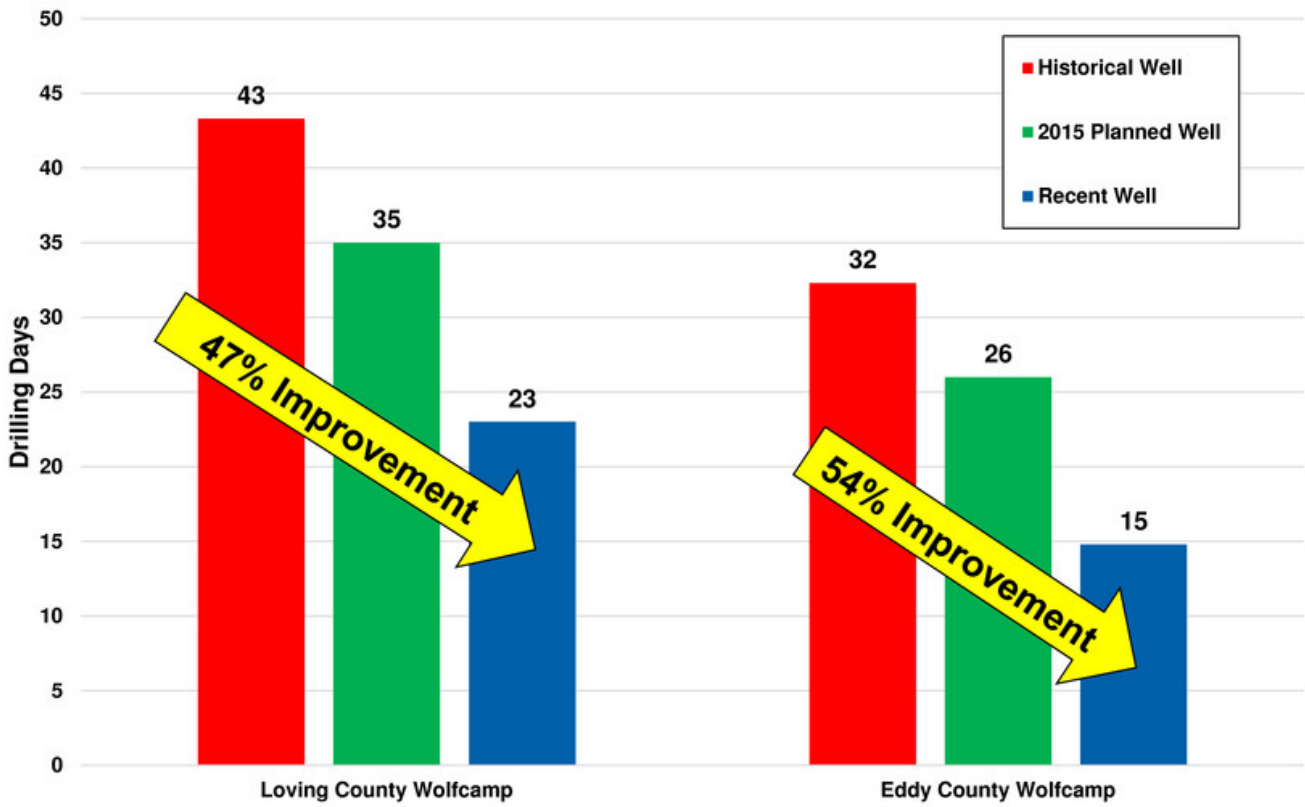
*Drilling rig must leave location
prior to frac operations*

Sim-Ops Capable with V-door turned 90°



*Space available for frac
operations while simultaneously
drilling on the same pad*

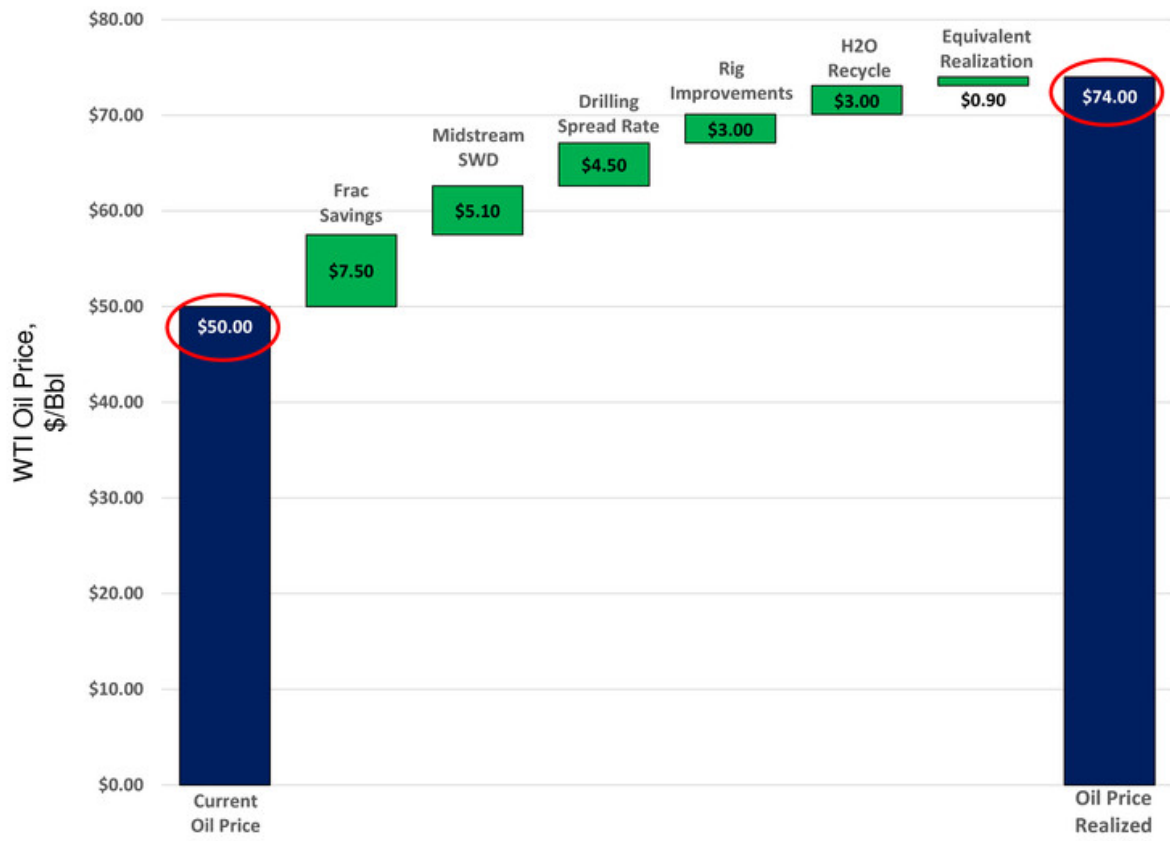
Improving Wolfcamp Drilling Times



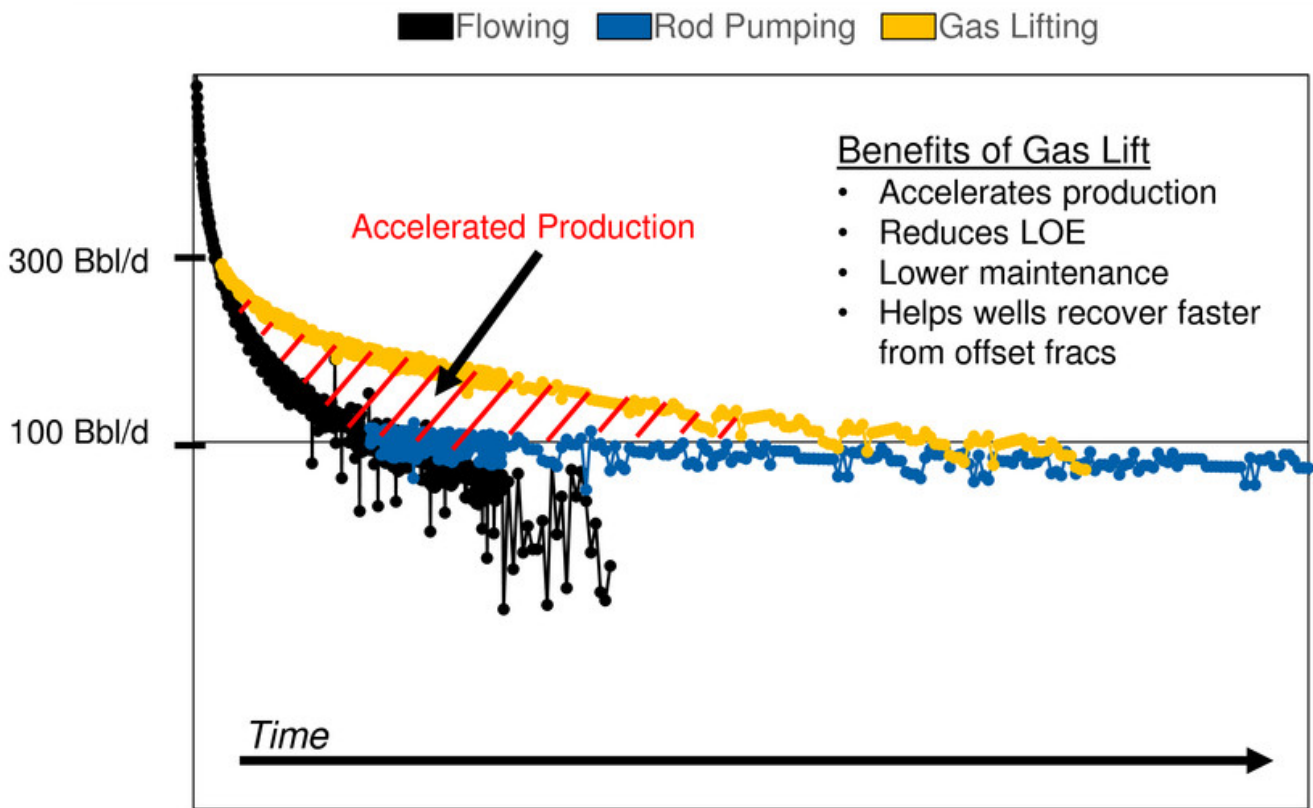
*Historical days averaged from 2014 wells
*Recent days from Johnson #207H & Tiger #204H



Total Prospective Equivalent Oil Price Uplifts

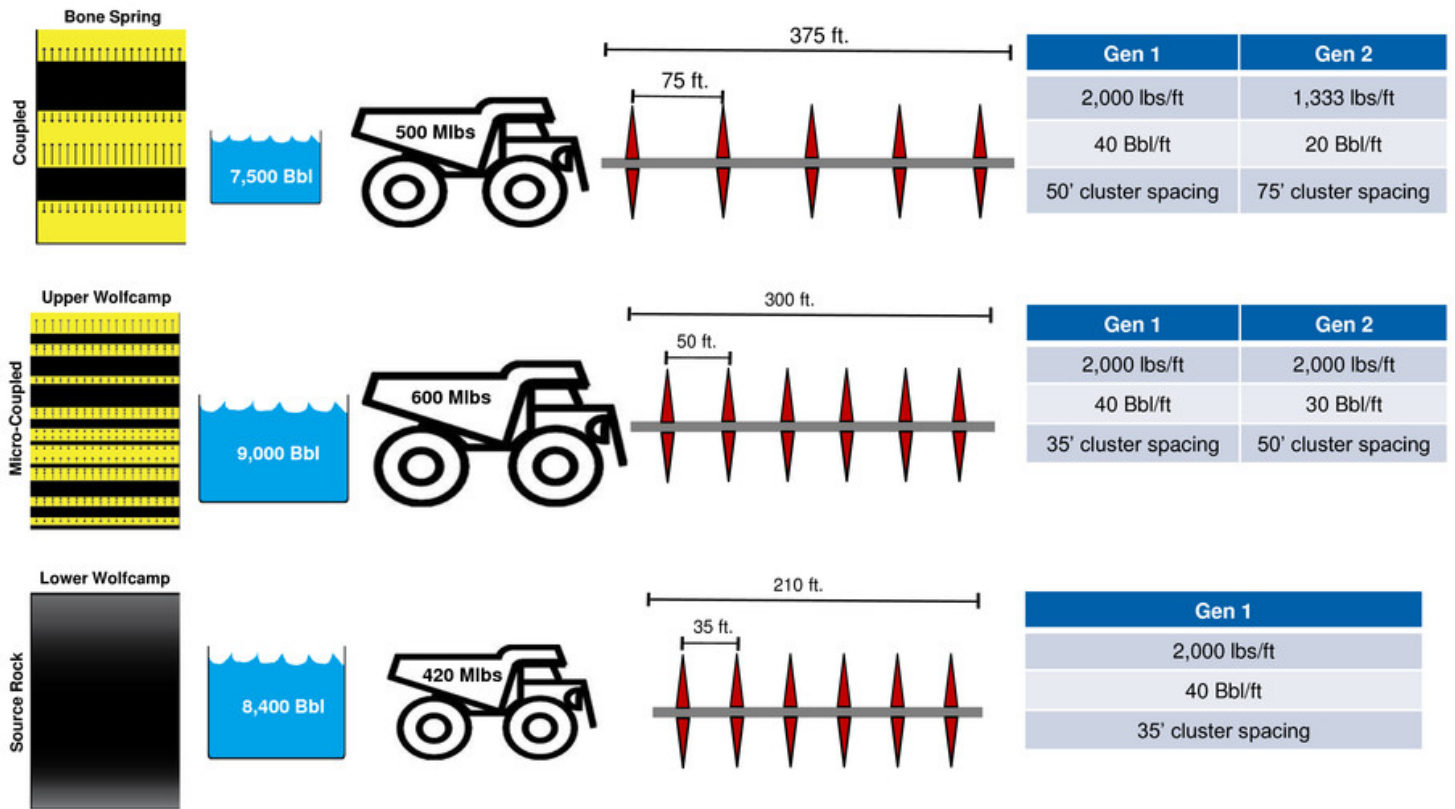


Artificial Lift Reducing Natural Production Declines



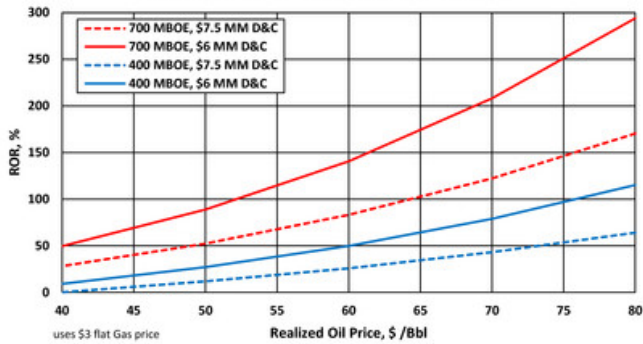
Note: Graph and data is for illustrative purposes only and not meant to reflect historical or forecasted data from actual well.

Evolution of Permian Basin Frac Design – Reservoir Specific

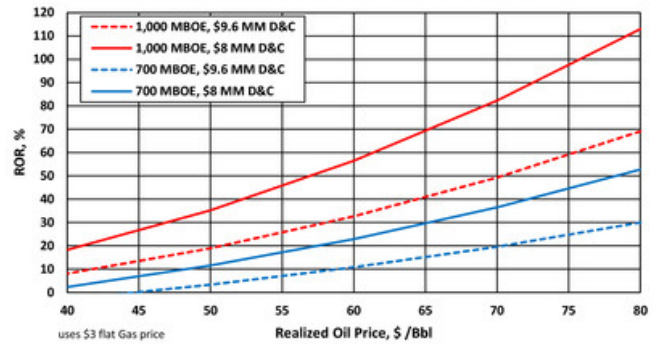


Permian Basin Economics – Oil Price Sensitivities

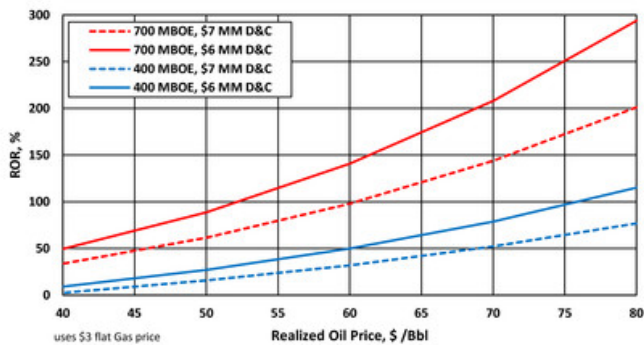
Ranger 33 400 - 700 MBOE ROR vs Oil Price



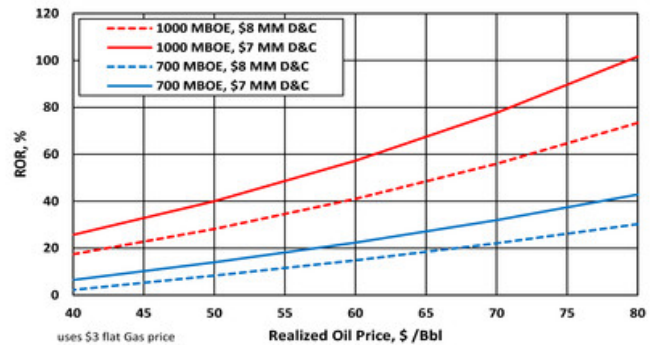
Dorothy White 700 - 1,000 MBOE ROR vs Oil Price



Rustler Breaks 2nd Bone Spring 400 - 700 MBOE ROR vs Oil Price



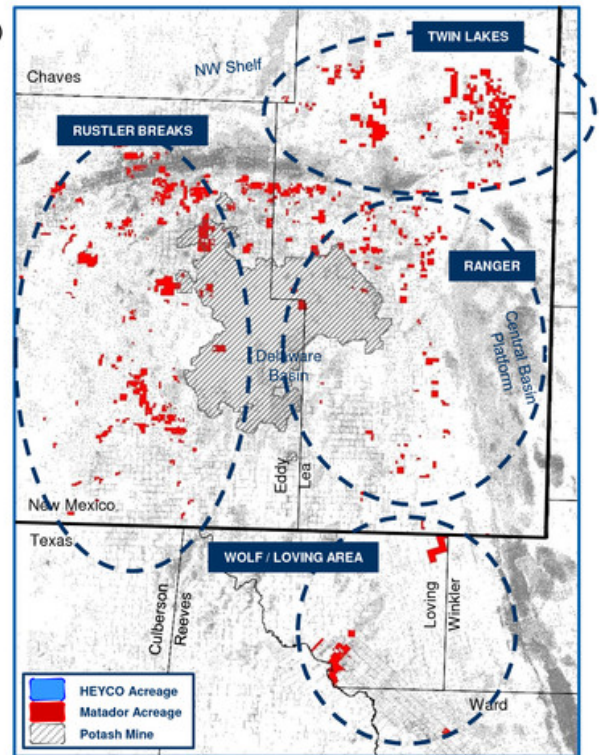
Rustler Breaks Wolfcamp B 700 - 1,000 MBOE ROR vs Oil Price



Significant Delaware Basin Inventory

- Matador has identified 1,445 gross (960 net) locations⁽¹⁾
- This inventory does not yet include the HEYCO properties or Twin Lakes locations

Formation	Gross Locations	Net Locations
Delaware Group	109	67
Avalon	160	112
1 st Bone Spring	146	96
2 nd Bone Spring	210	141
3 rd Bone Spring	224	148
Wolfcamp X/Y	152	104
Wolfcamp A	207	134
Wolfcamp B	92	62
Wolfcamp D	145	96
TOTAL	1,445	960



Note: All acreage at August 4, 2015. Some tracts not shown on map.

⁽¹⁾ Identified and engineered locations for potential future drilling, including specified production units and estimated lateral lengths, costs and well spacing using objective criteria for designation. Locations identified as of December 31, 2014, but including no locations at Twin Lakes and no locations associated with the HEYCO transaction or two associated joint ventures. Note: Inventory only includes wells with >30% working interest.



Midstream



Longwood Gathering and Disposal Systems⁽¹⁾ in Delaware Basin

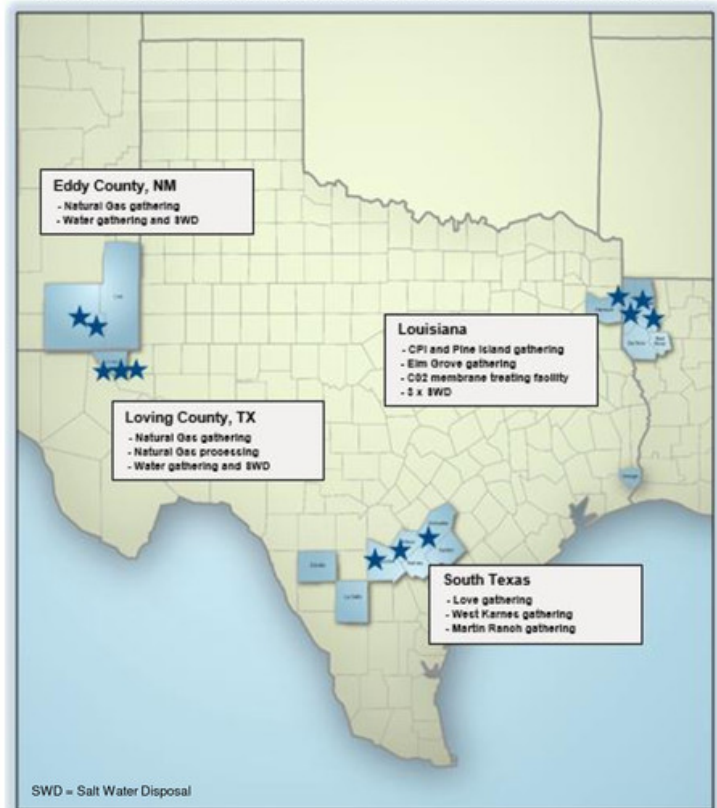
▪ **Loving County, Texas**

- Natural gas gathering and compression
- Water gathering
- Salt water disposal
- Oil gathering
- Cryogenic natural gas processing plant

▪ **Eddy County, New Mexico**

- Natural gas gathering and compression
- Water gathering
- Salt water disposal (under evaluation)

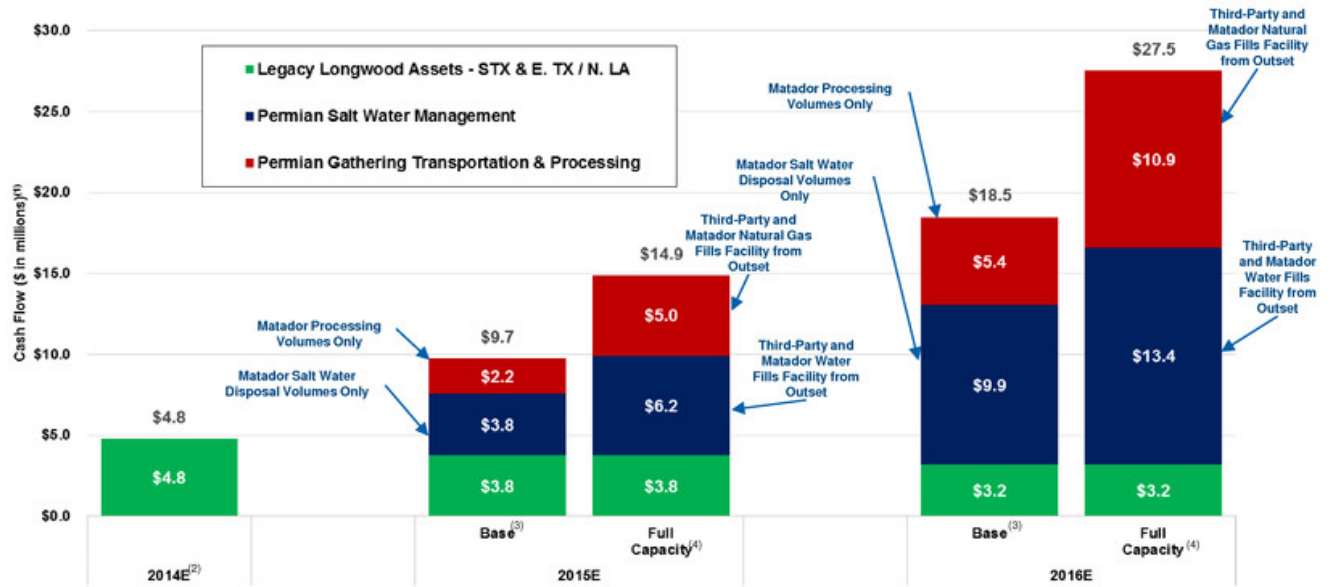
Longwood Gathering and Disposal Systems Activities



⁽¹⁾ Longwood Gathering and Disposal Systems, LP is an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of Matador Resources Company.

Midstream Initiatives Growing into Respectable Stand-Alone Business

- Expect to spend ~\$48 million on midstream initiatives in the Permian Basin in 2015
- Matador expects Longwood to be able to support its own sources of financing
- Additional third-party volumes and a contemplated natural gas processing facility in Rustler Breaks provide upside to these forecasts



(1) Estimated cash flow figures exclude allocations for general and administrative and certain other expenses. Cash flow presented is not necessarily incremental to Matador's other businesses.

(2) 2014 cash flow is an estimate as the Company has not historically viewed its midstream operations as a separate business as such operations have been immaterial.

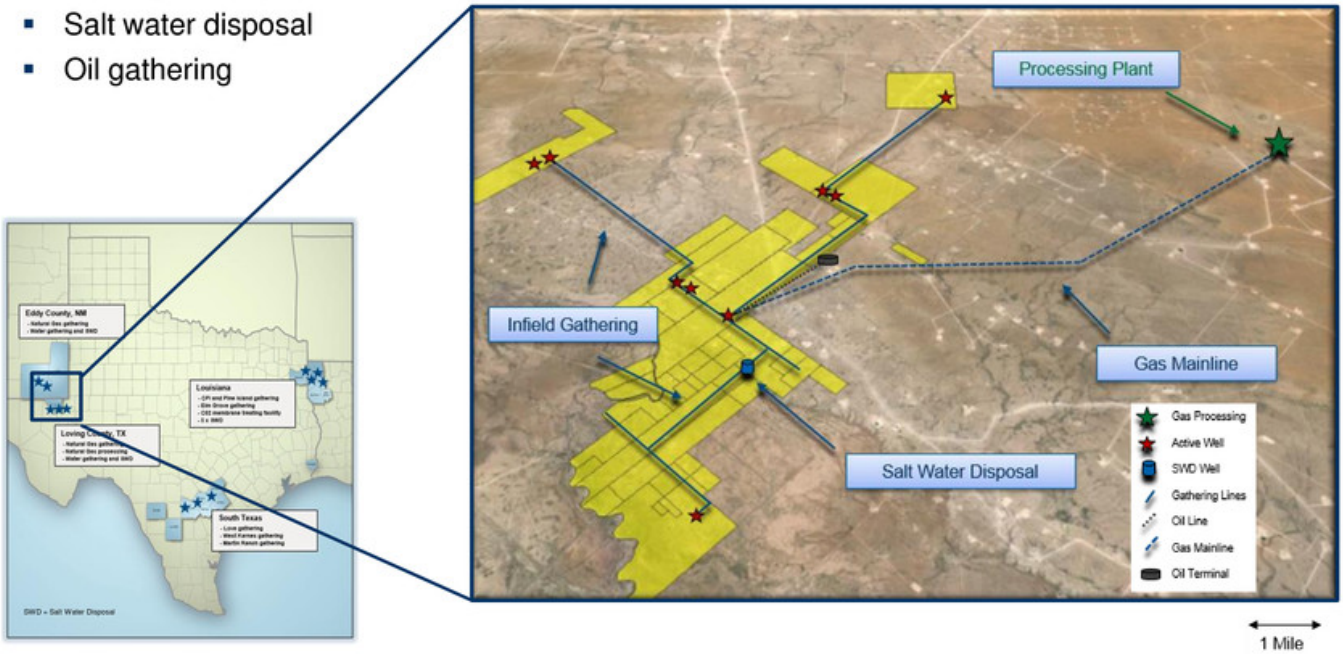
(3) Base Case assumes no third-party natural gas processing or salt water disposal volumes for the Loving County natural gas processing facility and salt water disposal facility. Matador, as the "anchor tenant", would provide all of the estimated volumes in the Base Case scenario.

(4) Full Capacity Case assumes the Loving County natural gas processing facility and salt water disposal facility operate at capacity once each facility is operational through a combination of estimated volumes provided by Matador as the "anchor tenant" and by other third-party producers.

Note: Estimated cash flow figures presented as of February 2015 Analyst Day.

Loving County, Texas – Biggest Midstream Project to Date

- Natural gas gathering and compression
- Cryogenic natural gas processing plant
- Water gathering
- Salt water disposal
- Oil gathering



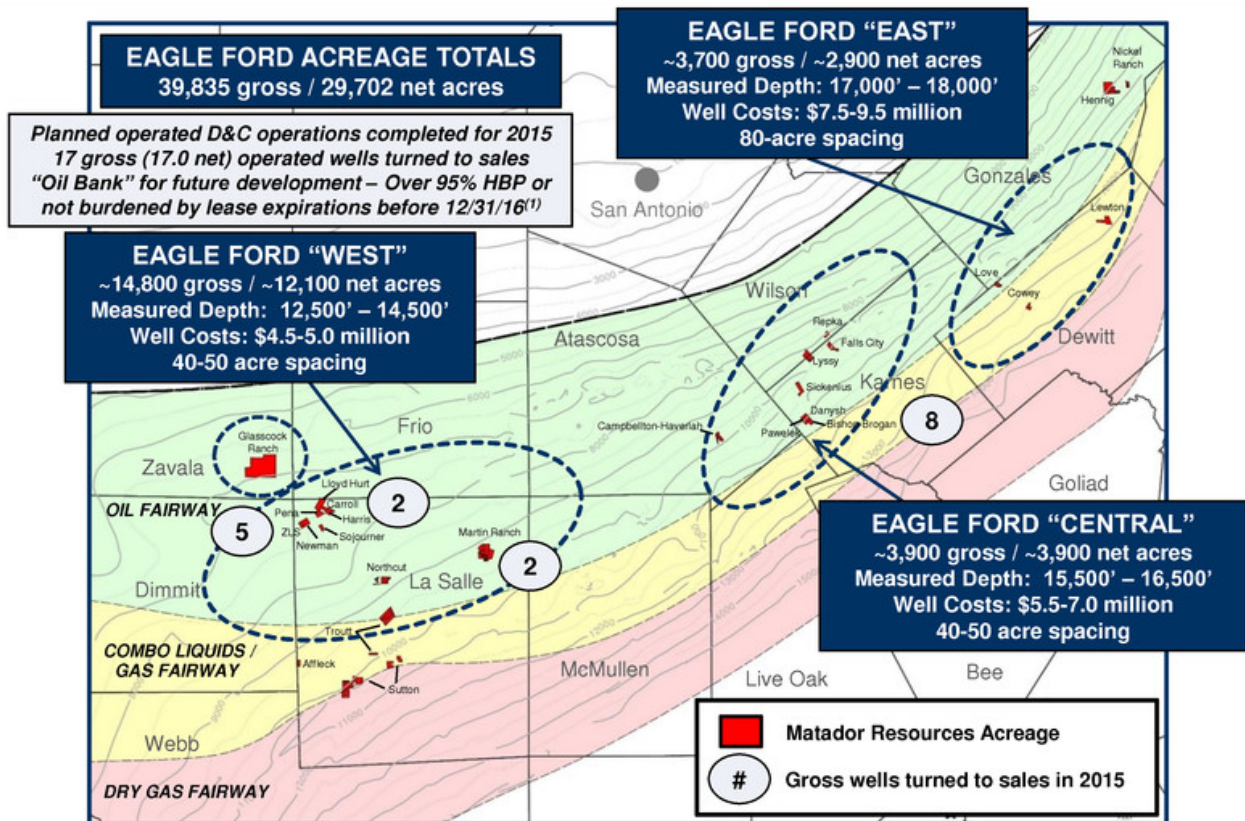


Eagle Ford

"Oil Bank"



Eagle Ford Overview

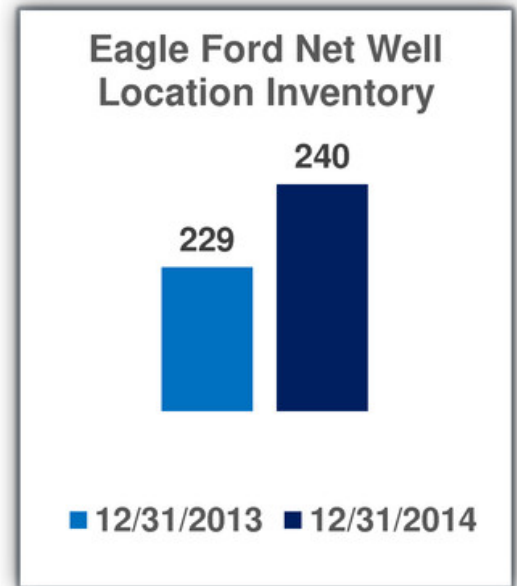


Note: All acreage at August 14, 2015. Some tracts not shown on map.
(1) At December 31, 2014.



Eagle Ford – 2014 Accomplishments

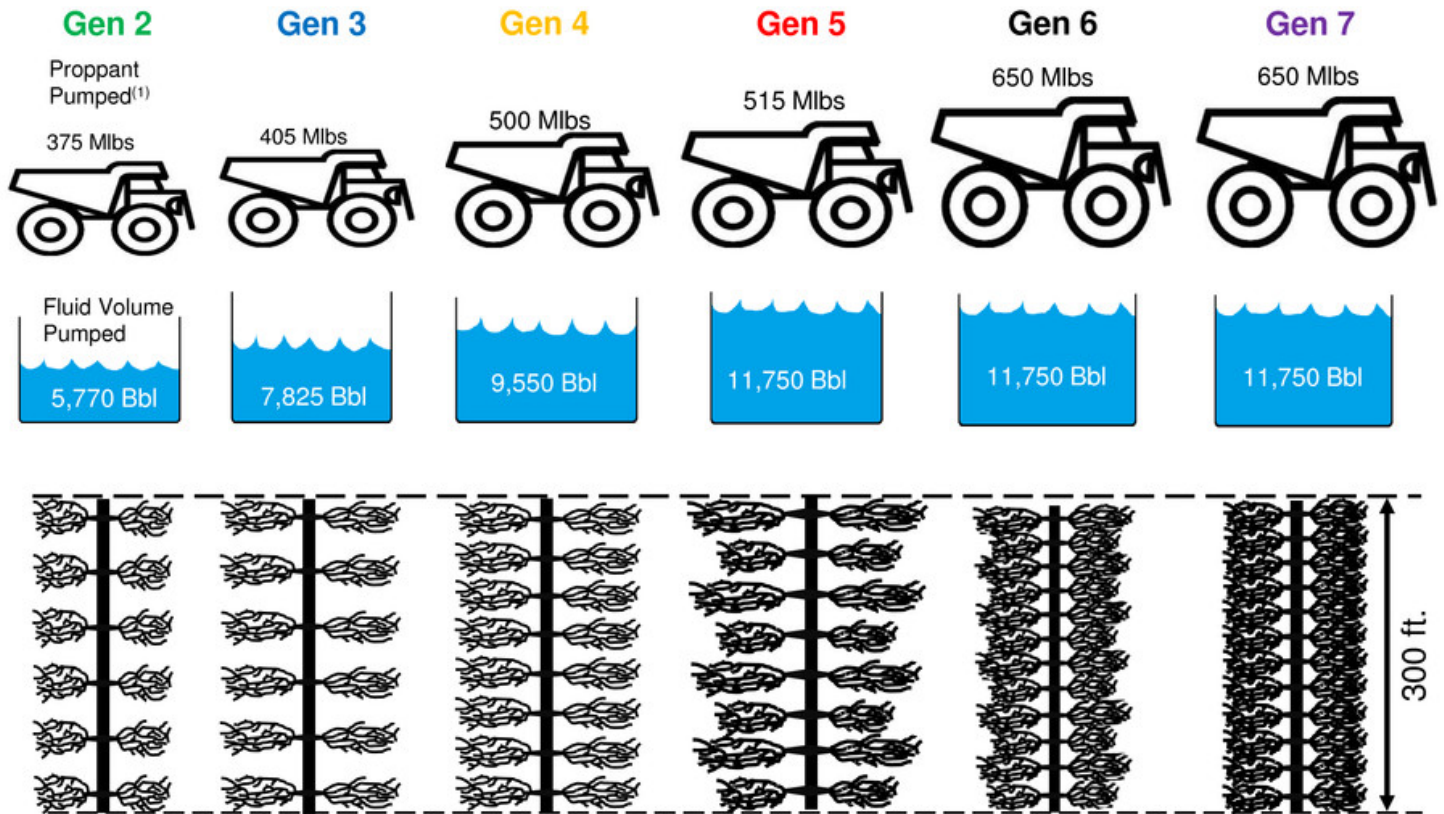
- Increased net oil production rate by 44% from ~6,400 Bbl/d in Q4 2013 to ~9,100 Bbl/d in Q4 2014
- Added 2,900 net acres, more than replacing 2014 Eagle Ford drilled inventory of ~36 net wells (See chart to the right)
- Evolved from Generation 5 to 7 frac designed for closer well spacing
 - 26% more proppant
 - Tighter perforation cluster spacing
 - More consistent proppant distribution
- Improved efficiencies
 - Completed 187,123 lateral feet within 15' target window
 - Drilled 90% of operated wells in batch mode on 40 to 50 acre spacing
- Reduced well costs by ~15% from \$6.5 to \$5.5 million per well in the western portion of our acreage
- Reserves growth⁽¹⁾
 - Increased proved reserves by approximately 10% from 20.2 to 22.3 million BOE
 - Increased proved developed reserves by approximately 44% from 11.1 to 16.0 million BOE



Note: **Batch drilling** is the process by which multiple horizontal wells are drilled from a single pad. In batch drilling, the surface holes for each well are drilled first and then the production holes, including the horizontal laterals for each well, are drilled. **Pad drilling** is the process by which multiple horizontal wells are drilled from a single pad. In pad drilling, each well on the pad is drilled to total depth before the next well is initiated.

(1) From December 31, 2013 to December 31, 2014.

Evolution of Matador Eagle Ford Frac Design



Note: Figure depicts proppant and fluid volume pumped per 300 ft. of horizontal wellbore.
 (1) Mlbs = thousands of pounds of proppant pumped.



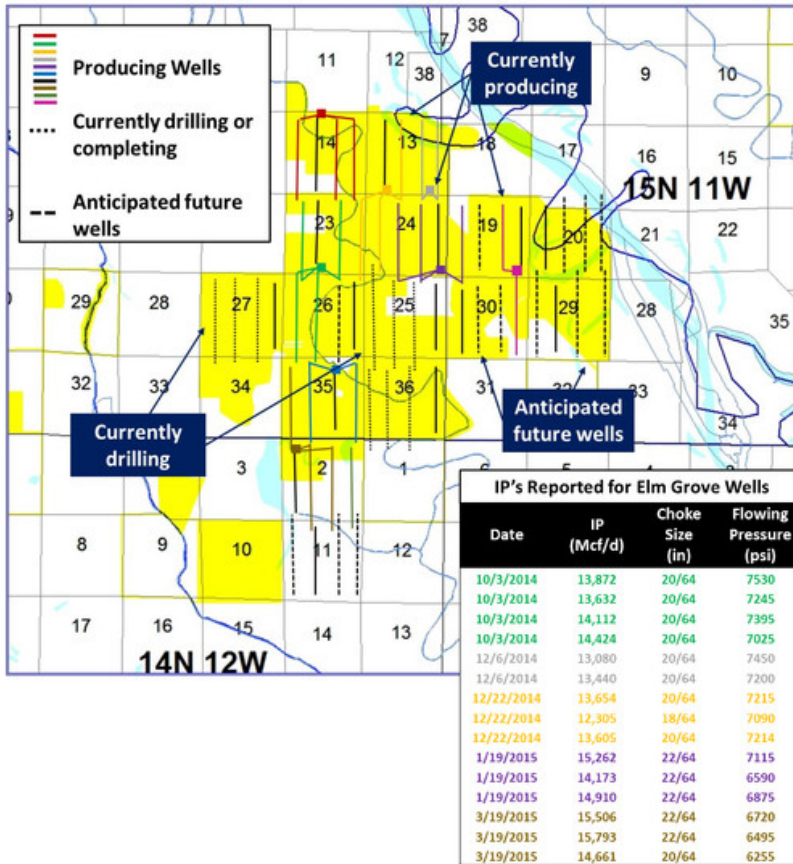


Haynesville Shale

"Gas Bank"



Haynesville – Chesapeake Elm Grove Operations

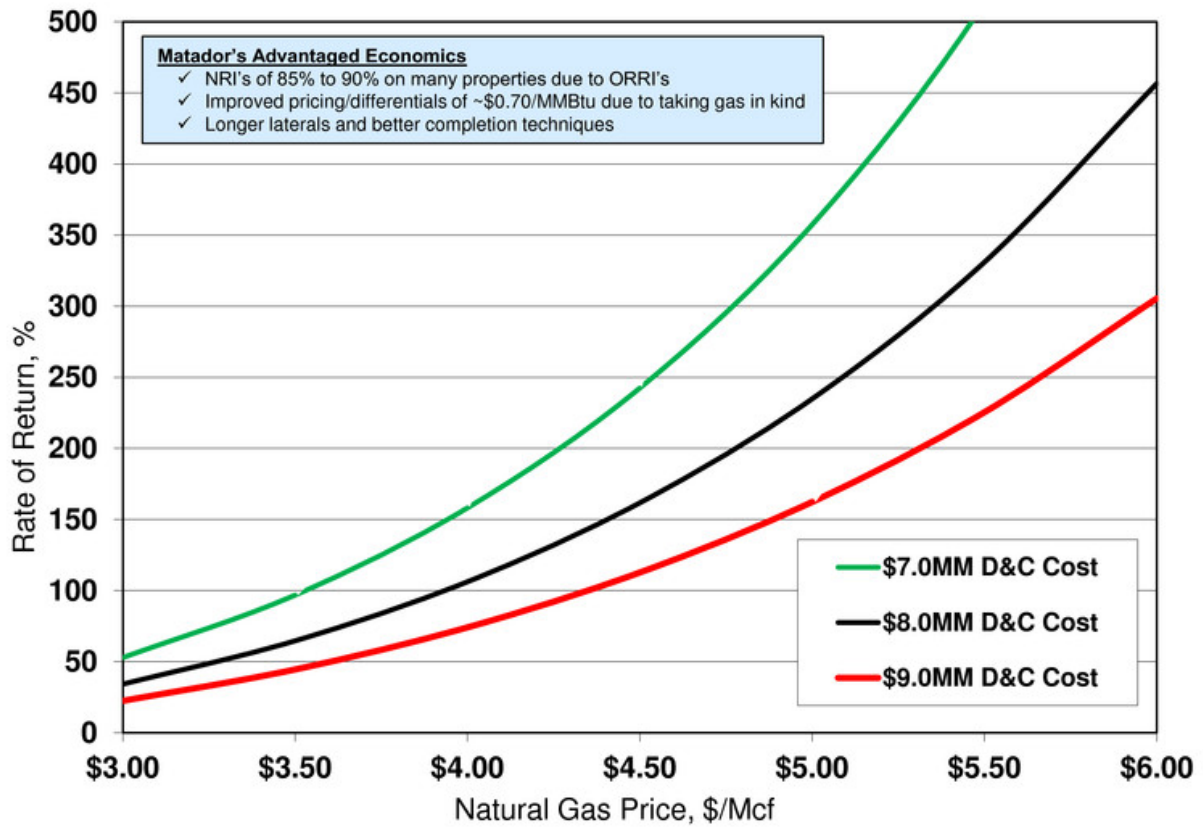


- Successful 2014 non-op drilling program, primarily by Chesapeake at Elm Grove
 - 17 gross (3.8 net) wells with estimated recoveries of 8 to 12 Bcf and well costs of \$7 to \$8 million (below Chesapeake's original AFEs and Matador's expectations)
- Haynesville & Cotton Valley average daily natural gas production up over 3-fold to 50.5 MMcf/d in Q2 2015 from 18.3 MMcf/d in Q2 2014

2015 Haynesville Non-Op Drilling Program

- Estimated capital expenditures of ~\$25 million for non-operated well participation interests
 - Only ~6% of 2015 estimated capital expenditures
 - Originally budgeted ~\$15 million for 2015
- 31 gross (3.8 net) wells turned to sales throughout Tier 1 Haynesville in 2015
 - Originally budgeted 33 gross (2.3 net) for 2015
- Includes 18 gross (3.5 net) wells turned to sales on Elm Grove properties operated by Chesapeake in 2015 (shown on map at left)
- Chesapeake placed two additional wells on production in mid-July 2015
 - Initial rates of ~13-14 MMcf/d of natural gas with drilling and completion costs of \$7 to \$8 million

Economics of Tier 1 Wells (10 Bcf) Haynesville at Elm Grove



Note: Individual well economics only. Excludes costs prior to drilling (i.e. acquisition or acreage costs). Economics use a NRI / WI of 85% but actual interests vary. Natural gas price differential = (\$0.55)/Mcf. D&C cost = drilling and completion cost.



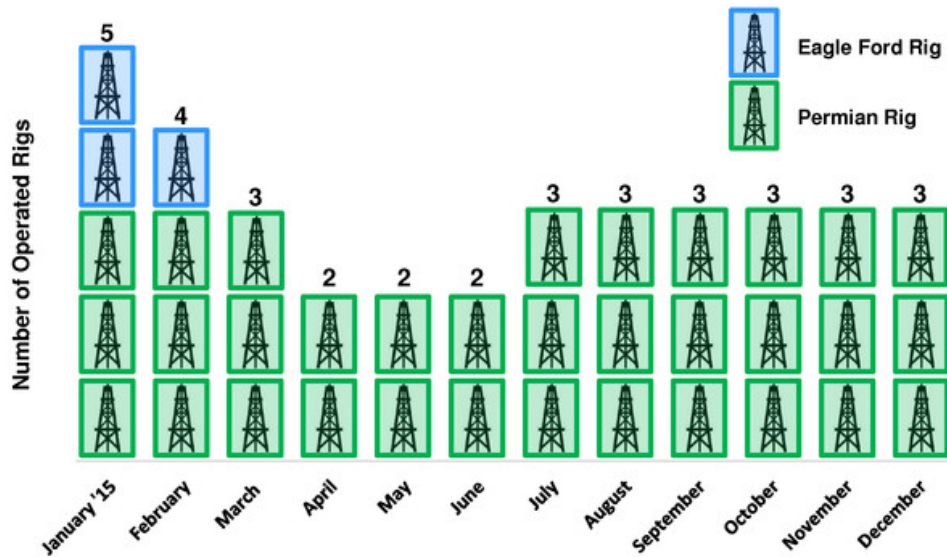


2015 Capital Investment Plan



Update 2015 Capital Investment Plan

- At the beginning of 2015, reduced drilling program from 5 rigs to 2 rigs due to lower commodity prices, with primary focus on Permian (Delaware) Basin
- In late July 2015, took delivery of a third rig with primary focus on Permian (Delaware) Basin
- Currently operating 3 rigs – all in the Permian (Delaware) Basin
 - New-build rigs, latest technology and designed for simultaneous operations (Sim-Ops)



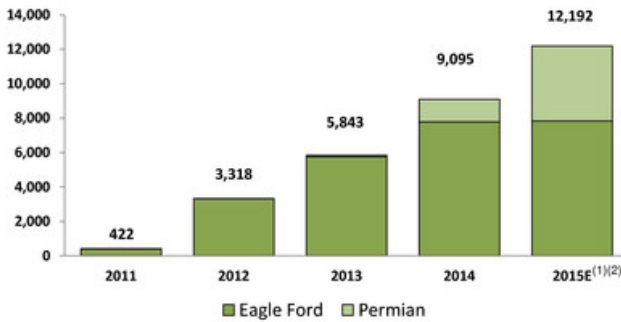
Revised 2015 Capital Investment Plan Summary

- **2015E CapEx of ~\$425 million**
 - Revised from \$350 million on August 4, 2015
 - Excluding CapEx associated with HEYCO merger or associated JVs
- **2015E CapEx highest in Q1 2015 – falls quickly thereafter**
 - Q1 at \$159 million (37%); Q2 at \$107 million (25%); Q3 and Q4 at \$159 million total (remaining 38%)
 - Reduced drilling program from 5 rigs at YE 2014 to 2 rigs by end of Q1 due to lower commodity prices, with primary focus on Permian (Delaware) Basin
- **Eagle Ford operated drilling and completion operations completed for 2015 – over 95% of acreage held by production or not subject to near-term expirations⁽¹⁾**
- **Original Permian Basin drilling program focused on Wolf development, further delineation of Ranger and Rustler Breaks areas and integration of HEYCO acreage**
 - \$5 to \$10 million increase in CapEx due to beginning to drill wells faster, higher working interests and increased focus on Wolfcamp wells (vs. shallower Bone Spring wells)
- **Added Third Delaware Basin drilling rig in July 2015 due to success and progress with Delaware Basin program in 2015**
 - \$25 to \$30 million increase in CapEx but minimal production impact in 2015
 - Starting with three well “stack” in NE Loving County prospect area
- **Haynesville development includes continued selective participation in non-operated wells, primarily CHK drilling at Elm Grove; Haynesville acreage ~100% held by production**
 - \$10 million increase in CapEx due to increased drilling by Chesapeake on Elm Grove properties; \$25 million represents only ~6% of 2015E CapEx
- **\$25 to \$30 million increase in CapEx for land opportunities in the Delaware Basin and increased midstream initiatives**
- **\$5 million increase in CapEx due to additional non-op participation in the Delaware Basin**

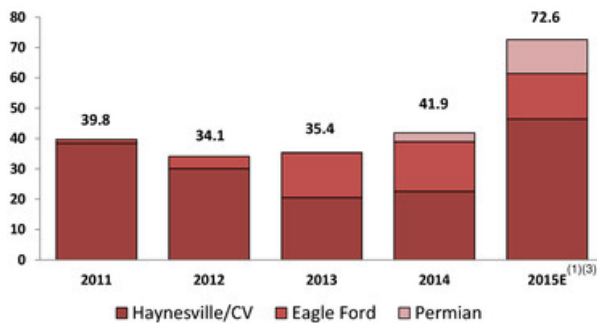
(1) At December 31, 2014.

2015 Production Estimates – Oil Equivalent Growth of ~51%⁽¹⁾

Oil Production Growth (Bbl/d)



Natural Gas Production Growth (MMcf/d)



(1) At midpoint of 2015 guidance range as revised on August 4, 2015.

(2) The Company raised its 2015 oil production guidance to 4.4 to 4.5 million Bbl on August 4, 2015 from 4.1 to 4.3 million Bbl. The Company had previously raised its 2015 oil production guidance to 4.1 to 4.3 million Bbl from 4.0 to 4.2 million Bbl on May 6, 2015.

(3) The Company raised its 2015 natural gas production guidance range to 26.0 to 27.0 Bcf from 24.0 to 26.0 Bcf on August 4, 2015.

2015E Oil Production

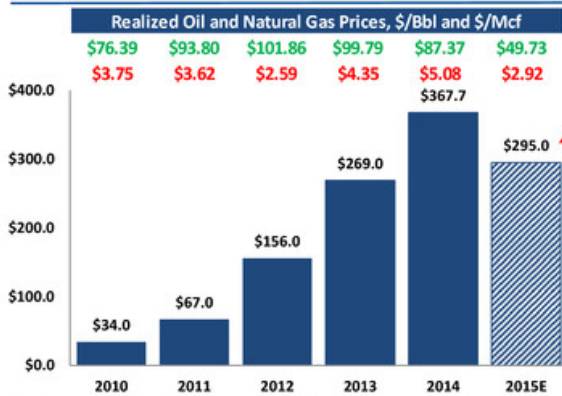
- Estimated oil production of 4.4 to 4.5 million barrels
 - 34% increase from 2014 despite decreased drilling
- Average daily oil production of 12,200 Bbl/d, up from 9,100 Bbl/d in 2014
 - Eagle Ford ~7,850 Bbl/d (64%)
 - Permian ~4,350 Bbl/d (36%)
- Quarterly production peaks in Q2; Q4 2015 oil production up 4-5% as compared to Q4 2014 and Q1 2015
 - Permian production increases over three-fold in 2015; Eagle Ford production relatively flat

2015E Natural Gas Production

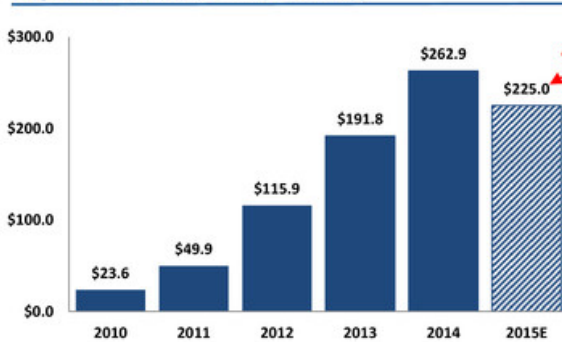
- Estimated natural gas production of 26 to 27 Bcf
 - 73% increase from 2014 despite decreased drilling; significant Haynesville impact
 - Quarterly production peaks in Q2; Q4 2015 natural gas production up ~20% over Q4 2014
- Average daily natural gas production of 72.6 MMcf/d, up from 41.9 MMcf/d in 2014
 - Haynesville ~46.4 MMcf/d (64%)
 - Eagle Ford ~15.0 MMcf/d (21%)
 - Permian ~11.2 MMcf/d (15%)

2015 Financial Estimates

Oil and Natural Gas Revenues⁽²⁾ (millions)



Adjusted EBITDA⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾ (millions)



2015E Revenues and Adjusted EBITDA⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾

- Revenues and Adjusted EBITDA⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾ growth significantly impacted by lower estimated 2015 realized oil and natural gas prices
 - 2015E realized oil price of ~\$50/Bbl vs ~\$87/Bbl realized in 2014
 - 2015E realized natural gas price of ~\$3.00/Mcf vs ~\$5.00/Mcf in 2014
- Estimated oil and natural gas revenues of \$290 to \$300 million
 - Increased guidance on August 4, 2015 from \$270 to \$290 million
 - Decrease of ~20% from \$367.7 million in 2014
 - Oil and natural gas hedges estimated to contribute \$60 million in additional revenues in 2015, as compared to \$5 million in 2014
- Estimated Adjusted EBITDA⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾ of \$220 to \$230 million
 - Increased guidance on August 4, 2015 from \$200 to \$220 million
 - Decrease of ~14% from \$262.9 million in 2014
- ~50% oil by volume, ~74% oil by revenue in 2015⁽²⁾; compared to ~57% oil by volume, ~79% oil by revenue in 2014

(1) Adjusted EBITDA is a non-GAAP financial measure. For a definition of Adjusted EBITDA and a reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA to our net (loss) income and net cash provided by operating activities, see Appendix.
 (2) Estimated 2015 oil and natural gas revenues, Adjusted EBITDA and production based upon the midpoint of 2015 guidance range as revised on August 4, 2015. Prices for oil and natural gas used in these estimates were \$50.00/Bbl (WTI oil price of \$55.00/Bbl less \$5.00/Bbl differentials and transportation costs) and \$3.00/Mcf (NYMEX Henry Hub natural gas price assuming regional differentials and uplifts from natural gas processing roughly offset), respectively, for the period July through December 2015 and weighted average realized prices for the period January through June 2015 of \$49.49/Bbl and \$2.80/Mcf.



Summary and 2015 Guidance

- **Moved from 5 rigs to 2 rigs in early 2015; currently operating 3 rigs in Delaware Basin**
 - Added third drilling rig in the Delaware Basin in late July 2015
- **Delaware drilling focused on Wolf development and further delineation of Ranger and Rustler Breaks prospect areas, plus integration of HEYCO acreage**
- **Eagle Ford drilling temporarily suspended as over 95% of acreage held-by-production or not subject to near-term expiration⁽¹⁾**

	2014 Actual	Prior 2015 Guidance	Updated 2015 Guidance ⁽²⁾	% Change
Capital Spending	\$610 million	\$350 million	\$425 million	- 30%
Total Oil Production	3.3 million Bbl	4.1 to 4.3 million Bbl ⁽³⁾	4.4 to 4.5 million Bbl	+ 34%
Total Natural Gas Production	15.3 Bcf	24.0 to 26.0 Bcf	26.0 to 27.0 Bcf	+ 73%
Oil and Natural Gas Revenues	\$367.7 million	\$270 to \$290 million	\$290 to \$300 million ⁽⁴⁾	- 20%
Adjusted EBITDA ⁽⁵⁾	\$262.9 million	\$200 to \$220 million	\$220 to \$230 million ⁽⁴⁾	- 14%

(1) At December 31, 2014.

(2) The Company raised its full-year 2015 guidance estimates on August 4, 2015.

(3) The Company raised its 2015 oil production guidance from 4.0 to 4.2 million Bbl to 4.1 to 4.3 million Bbl on May 6, 2015.

(4) Estimated 2015 oil and natural gas revenues and Adjusted EBITDA based upon the midpoint of 2015 guidance range as revised on August 4, 2015. Prices for oil and natural gas used in these estimates were \$50.00/Bbl (WTI oil price of \$55.00/Bbl less \$5.00/Bbl differentials and transportation costs) and \$3.00/Mcf (NYMEX Henry Hub natural gas price assuming regional differentials and uplifts from natural gas processing roughly offset), respectively, for the period July through December 2015 and weighted average realized prices for the period January through June 2015 of \$49.48/Bbl and \$2.80/Mcf.

(5) Adjusted EBITDA is a non-GAAP financial measure. For a definition of Adjusted EBITDA and a reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA to our net income (loss) and net cash provided by operating activities, see Appendix.





Appendix



Board of Directors – Expertise and Stewardship

Board Members	Professional Experience	Business Expertise
David M. Laney Lead Director	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Past Chairman, Amtrak Board of Directors - Former Partner, Jackson Walker LLP 	Law and Investments
Reynald A. Baribault Director	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Vice President / Engineering and Co-founder, North Plains Energy, LLC - President and CEO, IPR Energy Partners, LLC - Former Vice President, Netherland, Sewell & Associates, Inc. 	Oil and Gas Exploration & Development
Gregory E. Mitchell Director	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - President and CEO, Toot'n Totum Food Stores 	Petroleum Retailing
Dr. Steven W. Ohnimus Director	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Retired Vice President and General Manager, Unocal Indonesia 	Oil and Gas Operations
Carlos M. Sepulveda, Jr. Director	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Executive Chairman of the Board, Triumph Bancorp, Inc. - Retired President and CEO, Interstate Battery System International, Inc. - Director and Audit Chair, Cinemark Holdings, Inc. 	Business and Finance
Margaret B. Shannon Director	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Retired Vice President and General Counsel, BJ Services Co. - Former Partner, Andrews Kurth LLP 	Law and Corporate Governance
Don C. Stephenson Director	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Retired Partner, Baker Botts L.L.P. 	Law and Tax Strategy
George M. Yates Director	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Chairman & CEO of HEYCO Energy Group, Inc. 	Oil and Gas Exploration & Development

Special Board Advisors – Expertise and Stewardship

Special Board Advisors	Professional Experience	Business Expertise
Ronney F. Coleman	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Retired President – North America, Archer - Former Vice President North America Pumping, BJ Services Co. 	Oilfield Services
Marlan W. Downey	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Retired President, ARCO International - Former President, Shell Pecten International - Past President of American Association of Petroleum Geologists 	Oil and Gas Exploration
John R. Gass	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - VP, Eastern Hemisphere Operations, Nabors Drilling International Limited based in Dubai, UAE - Previously spent 28 years with Parker Drilling Company in various management roles 	Oil and Gas Drilling
David F. Nicklin	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Retired Executive Director of Exploration, Matador Resources Company 	Oil and Gas Exploration
Wade I. Massad	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Managing Member, Cleveland Capital Management, LLC - Formerly with KeyBanc Capital Markets and RBC Capital Markets 	Capital Markets
Greg L. McMichael	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Retired Vice President and Group Leader – Energy Research of A.G. Edwards 	Capital Markets
Dr. James D. Robertson	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Retired VP Exploration, Chief Geophysicist, ARCO International 	Oil and Gas Exploration
Michael C. Ryan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Partner, Berens Capital Management - Former Director, Matador Resources Company 	International Business and Finance
W.J. “Jack” Sleeper, Jr.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Retired President, DeGolyer and MacNaughton (Worldwide Petroleum Consultants) 	Oil and Gas Executive Management

Proven Management Team – Experienced Leadership

Management Team	Background and Prior Affiliations	Industry Experience	Matador Experience
Joseph Wm. Foran Founder, Chairman and CEO	- Matador Petroleum Corporation, Foran Oil Company, James Cleo Thompson Jr.	34 years	Since Inception
Matthew V. Hairford President, Chair of Operating Committee	- Samson, Sonat, Conoco	30 years	Since 2004
David E. Lancaster EVP and CFO	- Schlumberger, S.A. Holditch & Associates, Inc., Diamond Shamrock	35 years	Since 2003
Craig N. Adams EVP – Land, Legal & Administration	- Baker Botts L.L.P., Thompson & Knight LLP	22 years	Since 2012
Ryan C. London EVP, Head of Completions & Prospect Teams	- Matador Resources Company (Began as intern)	11 years	Since 2004
Van H. Singleton, II EVP – Land	- Southern Escrow & Title, VanBrannon & Associates	18 years	Since 2007
Bradley M. Robinson VP – Reservoir Engineering and CTO	- Schlumberger, S.A. Holditch & Associates, Inc., Marathon	37 years	Since Inception
Billy E. Goodwin VP – Drilling	- Samson, Conoco	30 years	Since 2010
G. Gregg Krug VP – Marketing	- Williams Companies, Samson, Unit Corporation	31 years	Since 2005
Trent W. Green VP – Production	- HEYCO, Bass Enterprises, Schlumberger, S.A. Holditch & Associates, Inc., Amerada Hess	26 years	Since 2015
Robert T. Macalik VP and CAO	- Pioneer Natural Resources, PricewaterhouseCoopers (PwC)	13 years	Since 2015
Kathryn L. Wayne Controller and Treasurer	- Matador Petroleum Corporation, Mobil	30 years	Since Inception

Hedging Profile

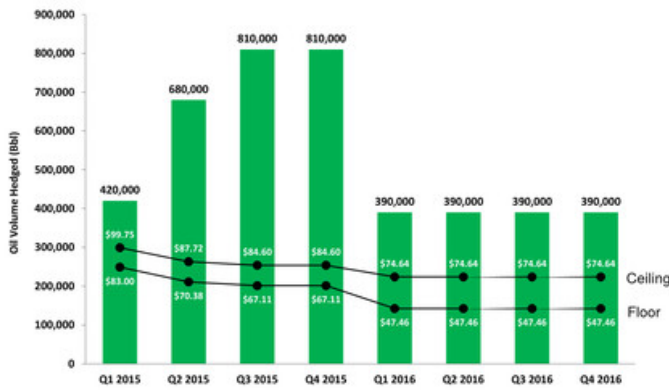
2015 Hedges⁽¹⁾

- **Oil:** 1.4 million barrels of oil hedged for remainder of 2015 at weighted average floor and ceiling prices of \$67/Bbl and \$85/Bbl, respectively – Approximately 75% of oil hedged for remainder of 2015⁽²⁾
- **Natural Gas:** 5.5 Bcf of natural gas hedged for remainder of 2015 at weighted average floor and ceiling of \$3.29/MMBtu and \$3.98/MMBtu, respectively – Approximately 65% of natural gas hedged for remainder of 2015⁽²⁾
- **Natural Gas Liquids:** 1.6 million gallons of natural gas liquids hedged for remainder of 2015 at weighted average price of \$1.02/gal
- **Oil and natural gas hedges estimated to add \$60 million to projected oil and natural gas revenues in 2015**

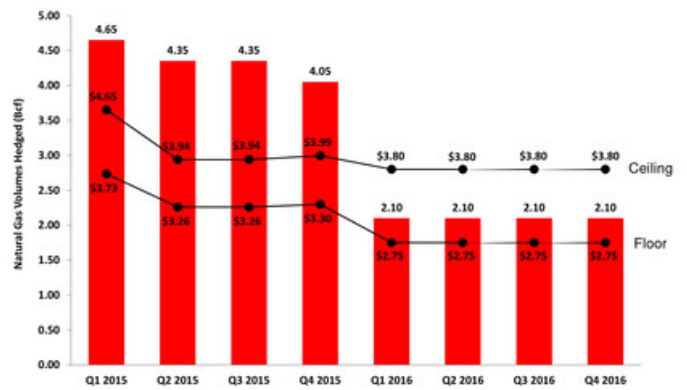
2016 Hedges

- 1.6 million Bbl of oil (\$47/Bbl floor and \$75/Bbl ceiling) and 8.4 Bcf of natural gas (\$2.75/MMBtu floor and \$3.80/MMBtu ceiling)

2015 Oil Hedges (Costless Collars)



2015 Natural Gas Hedges (Costless Collars)



(1) At August 4, 2015.

(2) Based upon the midpoint of 2015 guidance range of 4.4 to 4.5 million Bbl of oil as revised upward on August 4, 2015 and 26.0 to 27.0 Bcf of natural gas as revised upward on August 4, 2015.



Credit Agreement Status

- **Strong, supportive bank group led by Royal Bank of Canada**
- **Borrowing base at \$375 million based on December 31, 2014 reserves**
 - Bank group affirmed \$375 million conforming borrowing base in April 2015
 - Retained full \$375 million conforming borrowing base upon closing of Senior Notes offering
- **No borrowings outstanding at August 4, 2015**
- **Net Debt/Adjusted EBITDA⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾ of 1.4x**

TIER	Conforming Borrowing Base Utilization	LIBOR Margin	BASE Margin	Commitment Fee
Tier One	x < 25%	150 bps	50 bps	37.5 bps
Tier Two	25% < or = x < 50%	175 bps	75 bps	37.5 bps
Tier Three	50% < or = x < 75%	200 bps	100 bps	50 bps
Tier Four	75% < or = x < 90%	225 bps	125 bps	50 bps
Tier Five	90% < or = x < 100%	250 bps	150 bps	50 bps

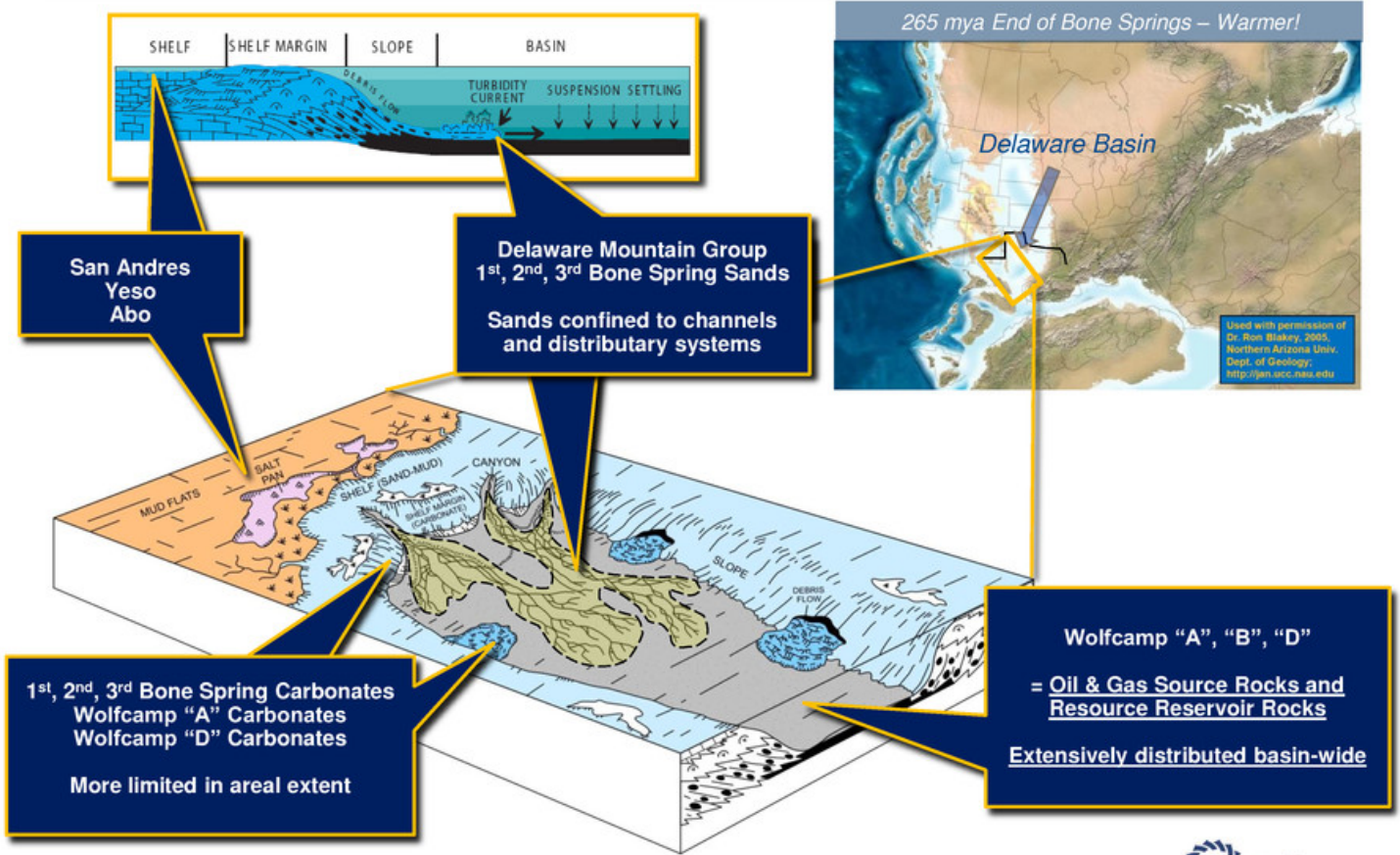
- **Financial covenants**
 - Maximum Total Debt to Adjusted EBITDA⁽²⁾ Ratio of not more than 4.25:1.00
 - Under this covenant, Total Debt could be ~\$1.1 billion based on LTM Adjusted EBITDA⁽¹⁾

(1) LTM Adjusted EBITDA and Net Debt at June 30, 2015.

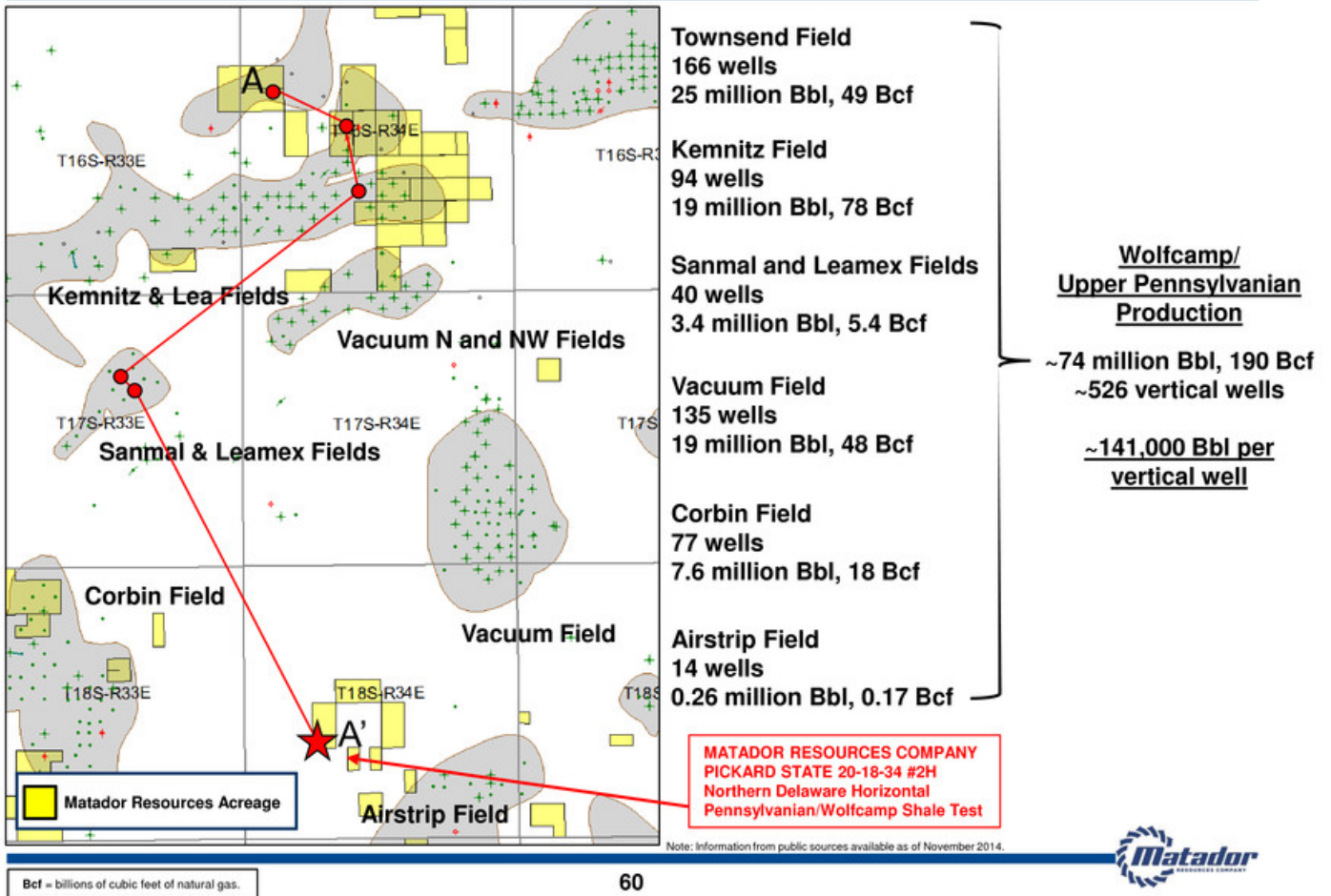
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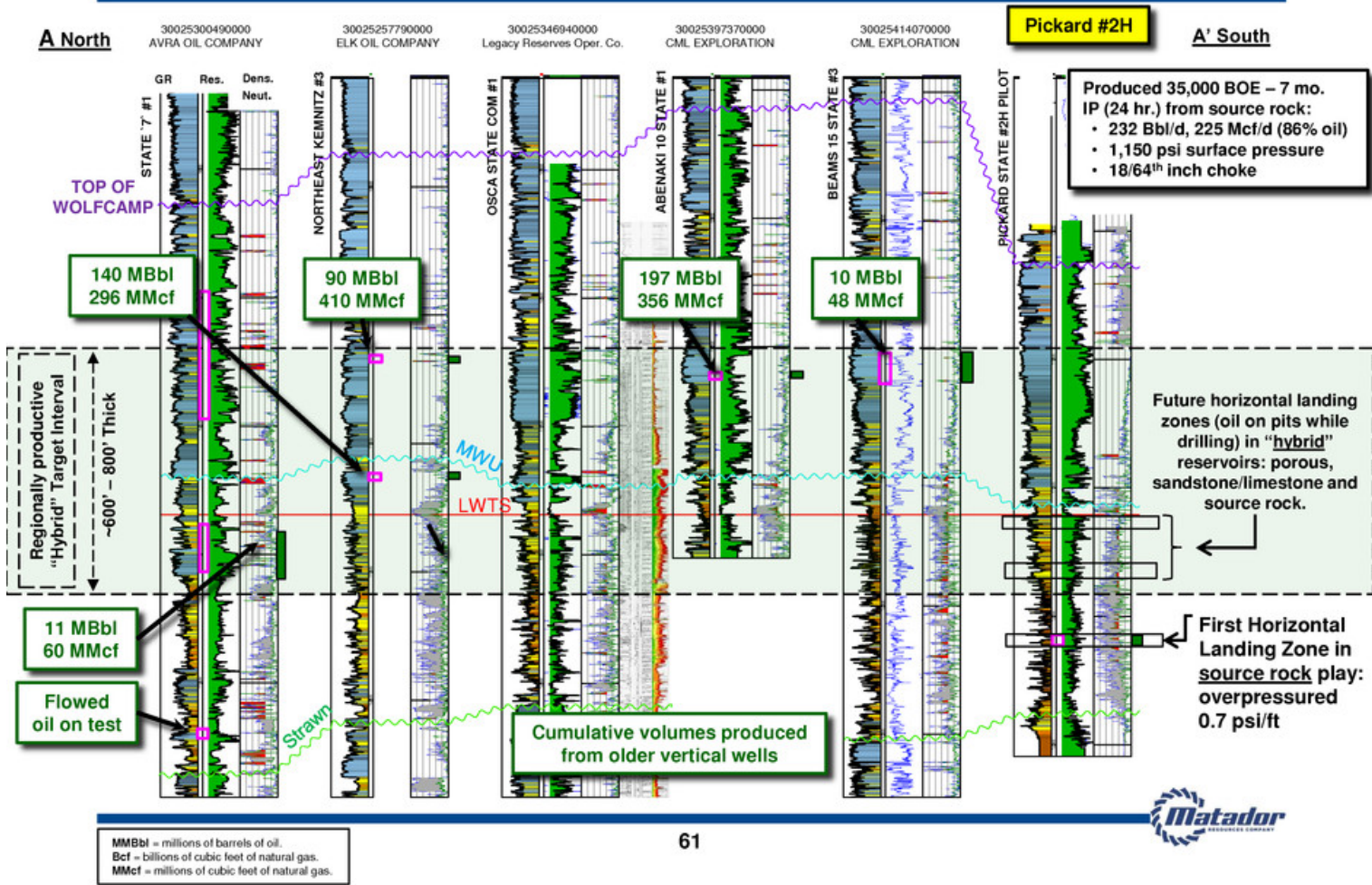
“Wolf-Bone” Geological Setting, Predicting Where the Better Rocks Are



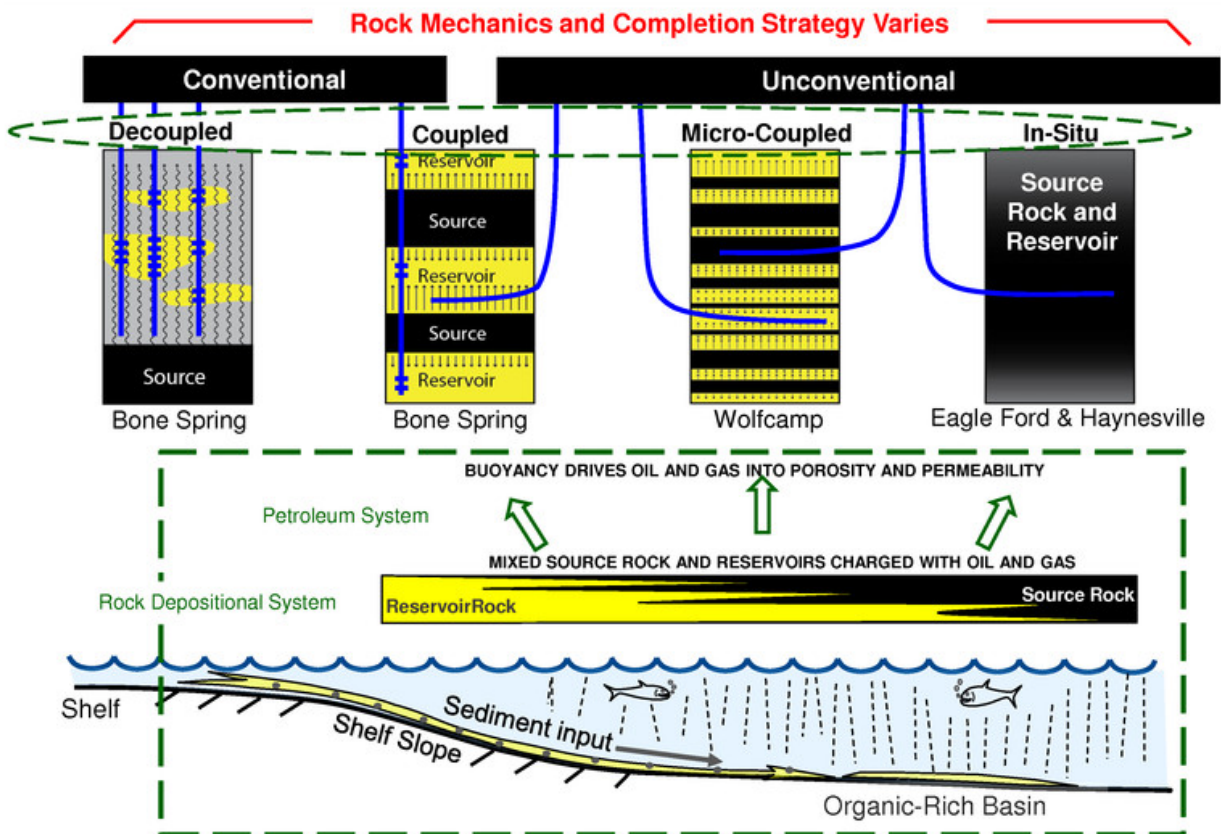
North Ranger-Twin Lakes Area Pennsylvanian/Wolfcamp Production Distribution



Pennsylvanian/Wolfcamp "Hybrid" Production Target Interval

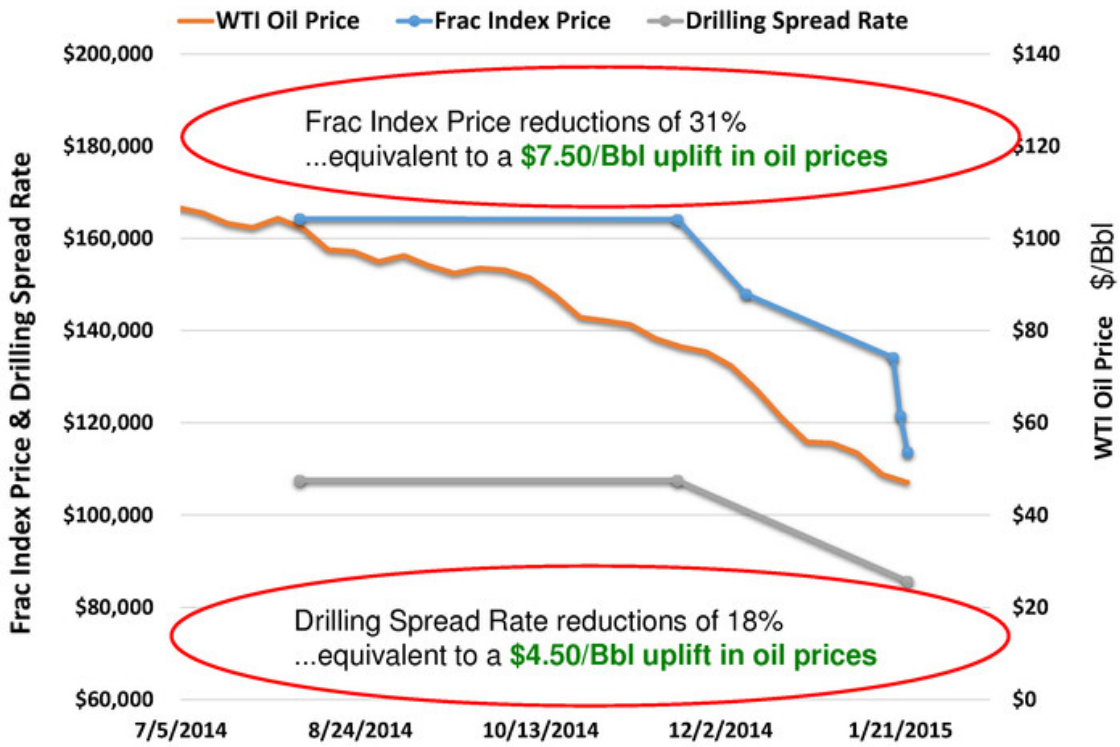


Understanding the Petroleum Systems for Maximum Oil Recovery



Note: Diagram Modified from Bishop (2014).

WTI Oil Price and Service Prices



Note: Frac Index Price represents average stage cost on a 22 stage well completion with 25# cross-linked gel, 400,000 lb. 30/50 white sand per stage, 65 barrels per minute average treating rate, 8,500 psi average treating pressure, 4,000 gallons of acid per stage, and 7,000 Bbl clean fluid per stage. This does not represent the current Matador design in any area and/or the current stage cost.



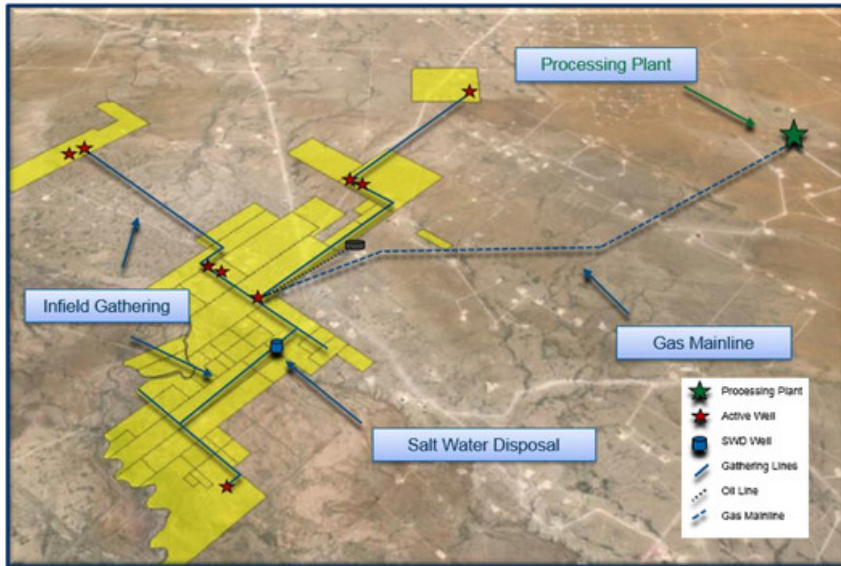
Infrastructure Development

Saltwater disposal savings
\$1.30/Bbl of produced water

...equivalent to a **\$5.10/Bbl uplift in oil prices**

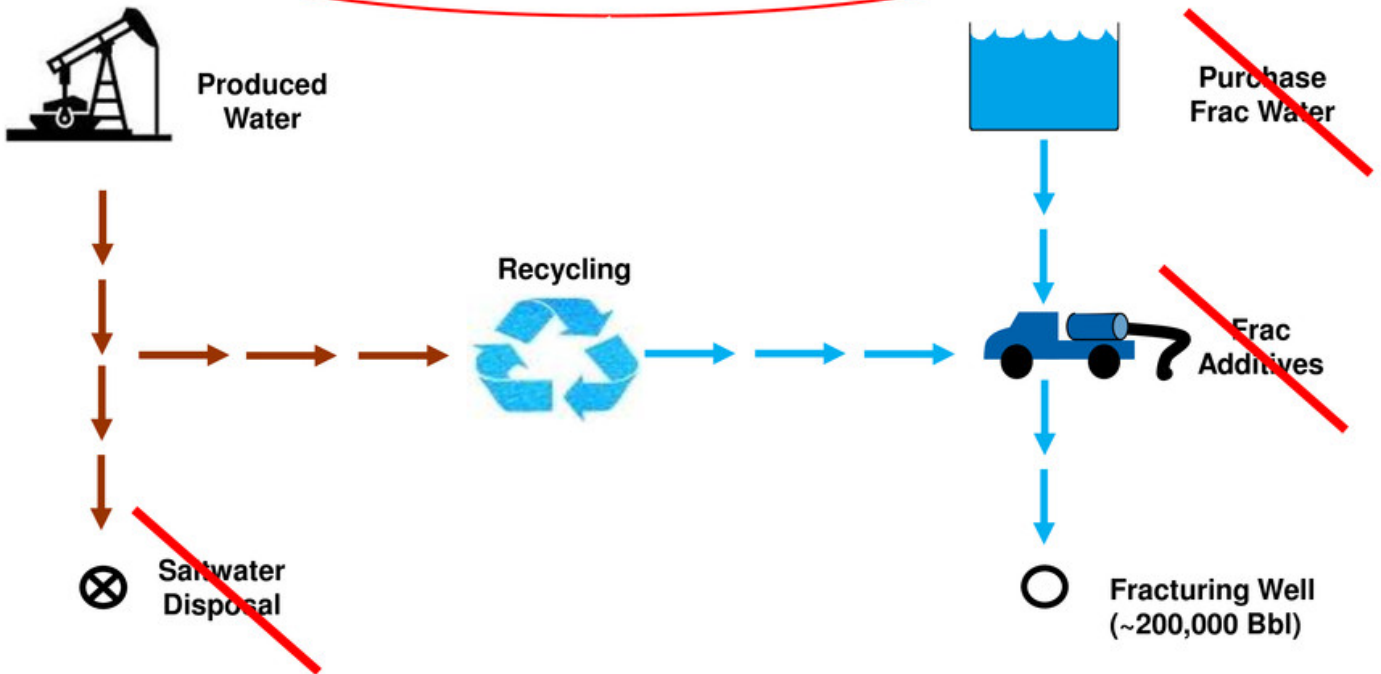
Oil pipeline fee reduction

...an uplift of **\$0.90/Bbl in oil prices**



Potential Water Recycling Savings for Loving County

Potential savings of up to \$600,000 per well
...equivalent to a **\$3.00/Bbl uplift in oil prices**



Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation

This investor presentation includes the non-GAAP financial measure of Adjusted EBITDA. Adjusted EBITDA is a supplemental non-GAAP financial measure that is used by management and external users of consolidated financial statements, such as industry analysts, investors, lenders and rating agencies. "GAAP" means Generally Accepted Accounting Principles in the United States of America. The Company believes Adjusted EBITDA helps it evaluate its operating performance and compare its results of operations from period to period without regard to its financing methods or capital structure. The Company defines Adjusted EBITDA as earnings before interest expense, income taxes, depletion, depreciation and amortization, accretion of asset retirement obligations, property impairments, unrealized derivative gains and losses, certain other non-cash items and non-cash stock-based compensation expense, and net gain or loss on asset sales and inventory impairment. Adjusted EBITDA is not a measure of net income (loss) or net cash provided by operating activities as determined by GAAP.

Adjusted EBITDA should not be considered an alternative to, or more meaningful than, net income (loss) or net cash provided by operating activities as determined in accordance with GAAP or as an indicator of the Company's operating performance or liquidity. Certain items excluded from Adjusted EBITDA are significant components of understanding and assessing a company's financial performance, such as a company's cost of capital and tax structure. Adjusted EBITDA may not be comparable to similarly titled measures of another company because all companies may not calculate Adjusted EBITDA in the same manner. The following table presents the calculation of Adjusted EBITDA and the reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA to the GAAP financial measures of net income (loss) and net cash provided by operating activities, respectively, that are of a historical nature. Where references are pro forma, forward-looking or prospective in nature, and not based on historical fact, the table does not provide a reconciliation. The Company could not provide such reconciliations without undue hardship because such Adjusted EBITDA numbers are estimations, approximations and/or ranges. In addition, it would be difficult for the Company to present a detailed reconciliation on account of many unknown variables for the reconciling items.

Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation

The following table presents our calculation of Adjusted EBITDA and reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA to the GAAP financial measures of net income (loss) and net cash provided by operating activities, respectively.

(In thousands)	1Q 2012	2Q 2012	3Q 2012	4Q 2012	1Q 2013	2Q 2013	3Q 2013	4Q 2013	1Q 2014	2Q 2014	3Q 2014	4Q 2014	1Q 2015	2Q 2015
Unaudited Adjusted EBITDA reconciliation to														
Net (loss) Income:														
Net (loss) income	\$ 3,801	\$ (6,676)	\$ (9,197)	\$ (21,188)	\$ (15,505)	\$ 25,119	\$ 20,105	\$ 15,374	\$ 16,363	\$ 18,226	\$ 29,619	\$ 46,563	\$ (50,234)	\$ (157,091)
Interest expense	308	1	144	549	1,271	1,609	2,038	768	1,396	1,616	673	1,649	2,070	5,869
Total income tax provision (benefit)	3,064	(3,713)	(593)	(188)	46	32	2,563	7,056	9,536	10,634	16,504	27,701	(26,390)	(89,350)
Depletion, depreciation and amortization	11,205	19,914	21,680	27,655	28,232	20,234	26,127	23,802	24,030	31,797	35,143	43,767	46,470	51,768
Accretion of asset retirement obligations	53	58	59	86	81	80	86	100	117	123	130	134	112	132
Full-cost ceiling impairment	-	33,205	3,596	26,674	21,230	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	67,127	229,026
Unrealized (gain) loss on derivatives	3,270	(15,114)	12,993	3,653	4,825	(7,526)	9,327	606	3,108	5,234	(16,293)	(50,351)	8,557	23,532
Stock-based compensation expense	(363)	191	(51)	363	492	1,032	1,239	1,134	1,795	1,834	1,038	857	2,337	2,794
Net loss on asset sales and inventory impairment	-	60	-	425	-	192	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	97
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 21,338	\$ 27,926	\$ 28,631	\$ 38,029	\$ 40,672	\$ 40,772	\$ 61,485	\$ 48,840	\$ 56,345	\$ 69,464	\$ 66,814	\$ 70,320	\$ 50,146	\$ 66,680
(In thousands)														
Unaudited Adjusted EBITDA reconciliation to														
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities:														
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$ 5,110	\$ 46,416	\$ 28,799	\$ 43,903	\$ 32,229	\$ 51,684	\$ 43,280	\$ 52,278	\$ 31,945	\$ 81,530	\$ 66,883	\$ 71,123	\$ 93,346	\$ 20,043
Net change in operating assets and liabilities	15,920	(18,491)	(500)	(6,235)	7,126	(12,553)	15,265	(3,630)	21,729	(15,221)	(586)	56	(45,234)	40,843
Interest expense	308	1	144	549	1,271	1,609	2,038	768	1,396	1,616	673	1,649	2,070	5,869
Current income tax (benefit) provision	-	-	188	(188)	46	32	902	(576)	1,275	1,539	(156)	(2,525)	-	-
Net (income) loss attributable to non-controlling interest in subsidiary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	(75)
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 21,338	\$ 27,926	\$ 28,631	\$ 38,029	\$ 40,672	\$ 40,772	\$ 61,485	\$ 48,840	\$ 56,345	\$ 69,464	\$ 66,814	\$ 70,320	\$ 50,146	\$ 66,680

Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation

The following table presents our calculation of Adjusted EBITDA and reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA to the GAAP financial measures of net income (loss) and net cash provided by operating activities, respectively.

(In thousands)	Year Ended December 31,						LTM at	LTM at	LTM at	
	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	6/30/2013	9/30/2014	6/30/2015
Unaudited Adjusted EBITDA reconciliation to										
Net Income (Loss):										
Net income (loss)	\$103,878	(\$14,425)	\$6,377	(\$10,309)	(\$33,261)	\$45,094	\$110,771	(\$20,771)	\$79,582	(\$131,143)
Interest expense	-	-	3	683	1,002	5,687	5,334	3,574	4,453	10,261
Total income tax (benefit) provision	20,023	(9,925)	3,521	(5,521)	(1,430)	9,697	64,375	(703)	43,730	(71,535)
Depletion, depreciation and amortization	12,127	10,743	15,596	31,754	80,454	98,395	134,737	97,801	114,772	177,148
Accretion of asset retirement obligations	92	137	155	209	256	348	504	307	470	508
Full-cost ceiling impairment	22,195	25,244	-	35,673	63,475	21,229	-	51,499	-	296,153
Unrealized loss (gain) on derivatives	(3,592)	2,375	(3,139)	(5,138)	4,802	7,232	(58,302)	13,945	(7,345)	(34,555)
Stock-based compensation expense	665	656	898	2,406	140	3,897	5,524	1,836	5,801	7,026
Net (gain) loss on asset sales and inventory impairment	(136,977)	379	224	154	485	192	-	617	-	97
Adjusted EBITDA	\$18,411	\$15,184	\$23,635	\$49,911	\$115,923	\$191,771	\$262,943	\$148,105	\$241,463	\$253,960
Unaudited Adjusted EBITDA reconciliation to										
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities:										
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$25,851	\$1,791	\$27,273	\$61,868	\$124,228	\$179,470	\$251,481	\$156,614	\$232,636	\$251,395
Net change in operating assets and liabilities	(17,888)	15,717	(2,230)	(12,594)	(9,307)	6,210	5,978	(12,161)	2,292	(4,921)
Interest expense	-	-	3	683	1,002	5,687	5,334	3,574	4,453	10,261
Current income tax (benefit) provision	\$10,448	(\$2,324)	(1,411)	(46)	-	404	133	78	2,082	(2,681)
Net (income) loss attributable to non-controlling interest in subsidiary	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	-	-	(94)
Adjusted EBITDA	\$18,411	\$15,184	\$23,635	\$49,911	\$115,923	\$191,771	\$262,943	\$148,105	\$241,463	\$253,960

Note: LTM is last 12 months.

PV-10 Reconciliation

PV-10 is a non-GAAP financial measure and generally differs from Standardized Measure, the most directly comparable GAAP financial measure, because it does not include the effects of income taxes on future net revenues. PV-10 is not an estimate of the fair market value of the Company's properties. Matador and others in the industry use PV-10 as a measure to compare the relative size and value of proved reserves held by companies and of the potential return on investment related to the companies' properties without regard to the specific tax characteristics of such entities. PV-10 may be reconciled to the Standardized Measure of discounted future net cash flows at such dates by reducing PV-10 by the discounted future income taxes associated with such reserves.

	At December 31, 2009	At December 31, 2010	At September 30, 2011	At December 31, 2011	At March 31, 2012	At June 30, 2012	At September 30, 2012	At December 31, 2012	At March 31, 2013
PV-10 <i>(in millions)</i>	\$70.4	\$119.9	\$155.2	\$248.7	\$329.6	\$303.4	\$363.6	\$423.2	\$438.1
Discounted Future Income Taxes <i>(in millions)</i>	\$(5.3)	\$(8.8)	\$(11.8)	\$(33.2)	\$(42.2)	\$(21.9)	\$(29.7)	\$(28.6)	\$(31.1)
Standardized Measure <i>(in millions)</i>	\$65.1	\$111.1	\$143.4	\$215.5	\$287.4	\$281.5	\$333.9	\$394.6	\$407.0

	At June 30, 2013	At September 30, 2013	At December 31, 2013	At March 31, 2014	At June 30, 2014	At September 30, 2014	At December 31, 2014	At March 31, 2015	At June 30, 2015
PV-10 <i>(in millions)</i>	\$522.3	\$538.6	\$655.2	\$739.8	\$826.0	\$952.0	\$1,043.4	\$1,070.1	\$942.8
Discounted Future Income Taxes <i>(in millions)</i>	\$(44.7)	\$(52.5)	\$(76.5)	\$(86.2)	\$(103.0)	\$(116.9)	\$(130.1)	\$(120.9)	\$(78.7)
Standardized Measure <i>(in millions)</i>	\$477.6	\$486.1	\$578.7	\$653.6	\$723.0	\$835.1	\$913.3	\$949.2	\$864.1

