

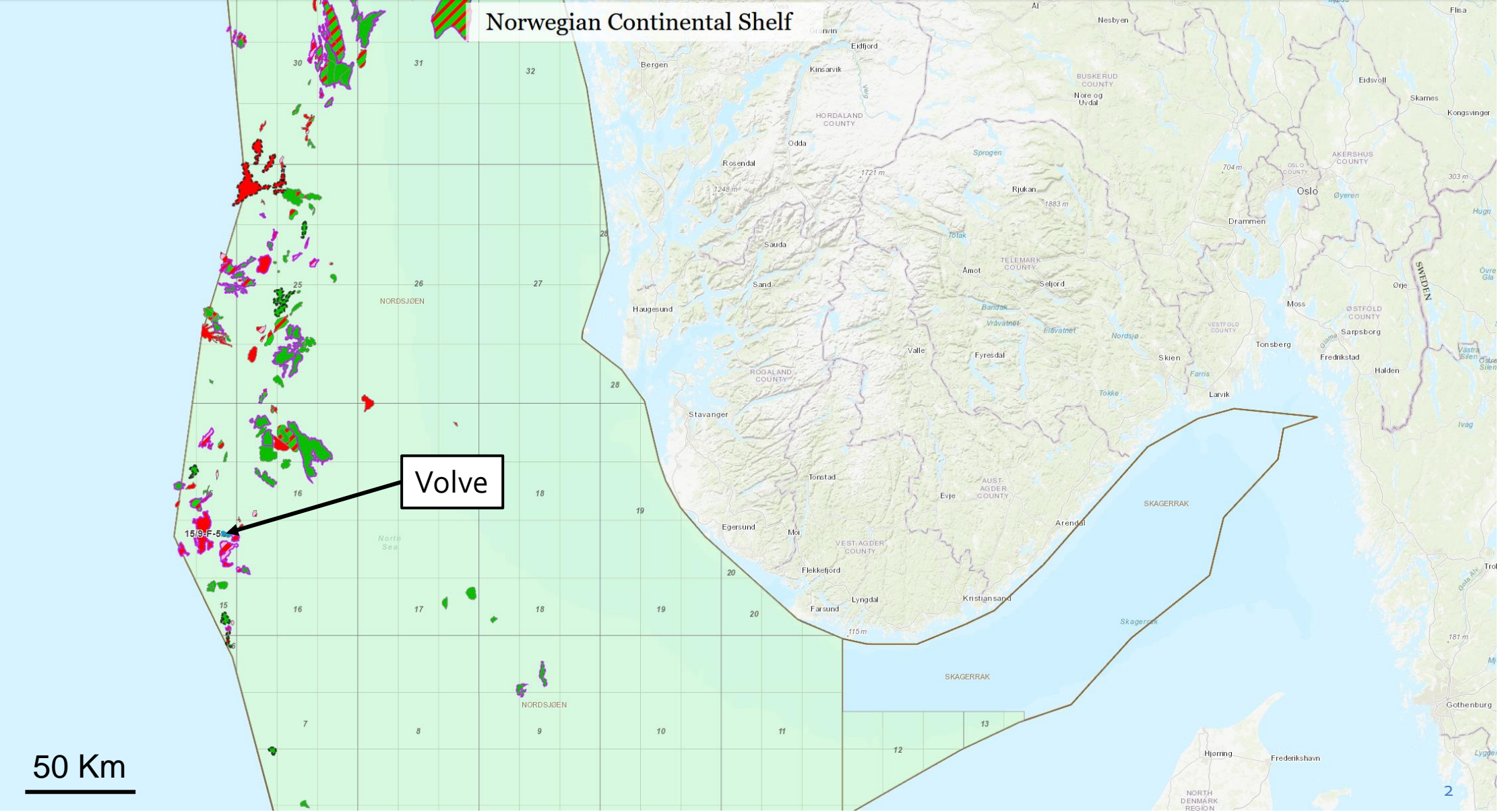
PRODUCTION DATA PRESENTATION

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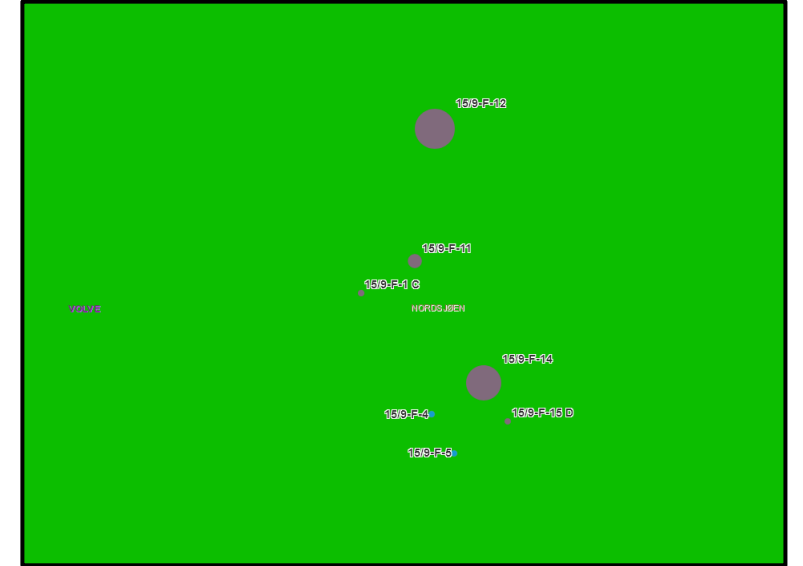
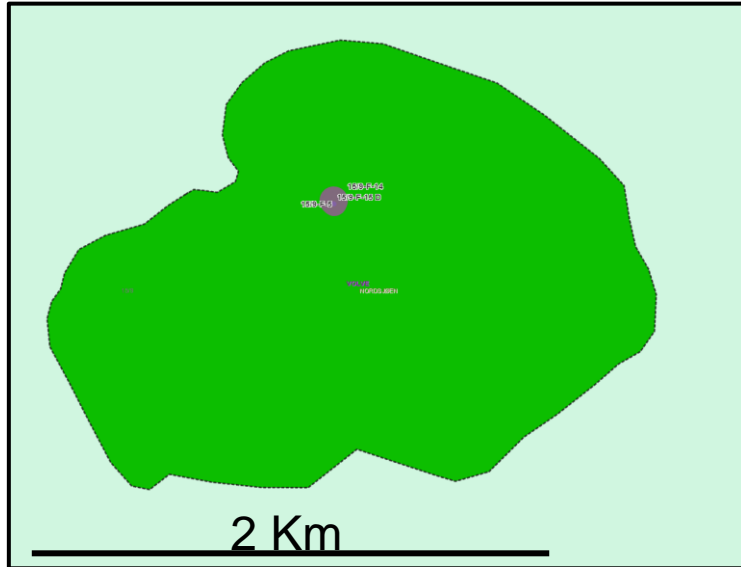
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Volve field: maps



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- Wells are closely bunched together
- Biggest producers are the F12 and F14 wells
- F-11, F-1C and F-15D are smaller producers
- F-4 and F-5 are injection wells

Volve field: Exploratory phase

- **Structure:**

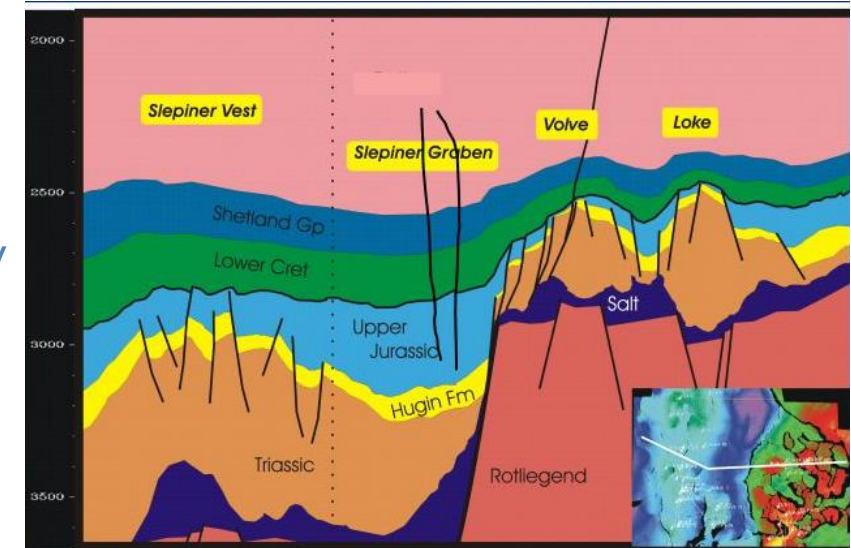
- Volve field: 2*3 km
- Dome-shaped structure formed by the collapse of adjacent salt ridges (turtle back structure?) during the middle Jurassic. It is heavily faulted as a result of this formation process and of the initial extension.
- The reservoir is thus thicker on the flanks (100m) than on the crest (20m)

- **Reservoir**

- Hugin formation (Jura-Trias) is a clean, shallow-water tidal sandstone, laterally expansive.
- Average reservoir depth : 2750 - 3120 tvdss.
- PHI = 21% ; K = 1 Darcy; NTG = 93%; Sw = 20% in oil zone
- Oil-Water contact was estimated to be approximately 3120 m below sea level, but was never found.

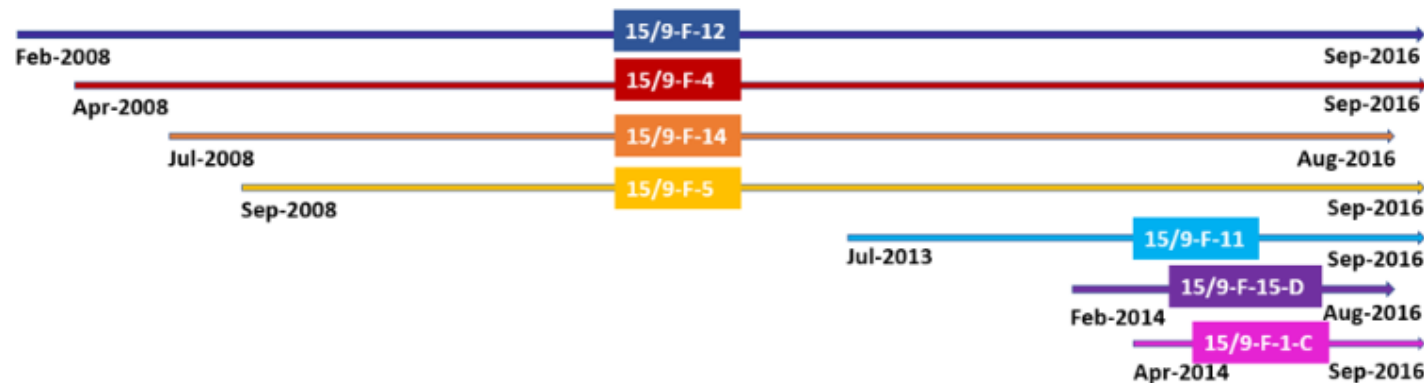
- **Fluids**

- Studies of fluid indicated that the oil in the Volve field was formed in the Sleipner Graben area, in the NW part of the field, 10 million years ago and later on migrated into the Volve reservoir structure.

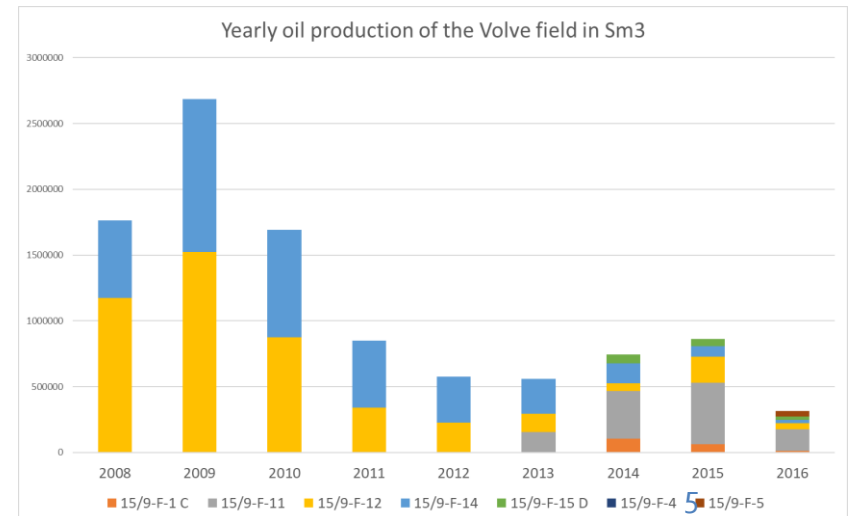


Volve field: Exploratory phase

- The initial oil production rate (Exploration well 15/9-19SR) was observed to be 1358 sm³/d with a productivity index of 143 sm³/d/Bar, which allowed to identify a potential prolific reservoir.
- Three main challenges were faced during the production face of Volve field:
 - 1. Formation water with a high content of Barium.
 - 2. Heavy oil features with a significant tendency to develop asphaltenes.
 - 3. Water production from underlying Utsira formation.
- At plateau, Volve produced approximately 8,900 Sm³ per day. It delivered a total of 10 million Sm³ of oil.

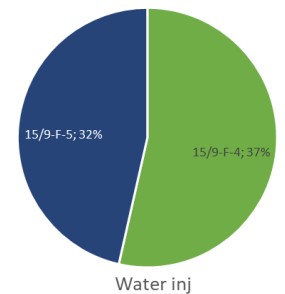
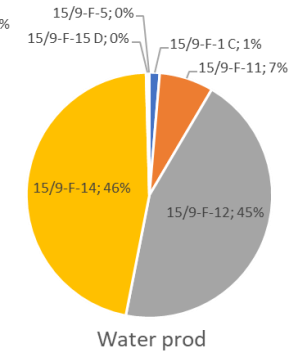
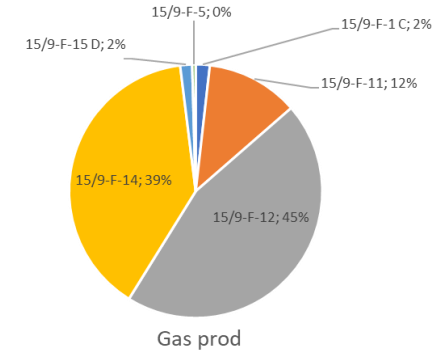
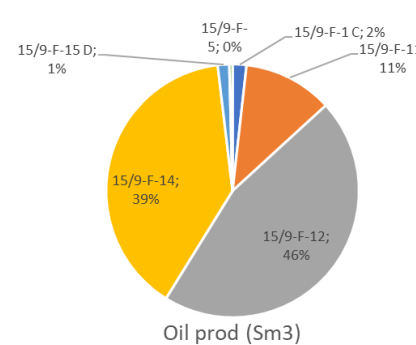
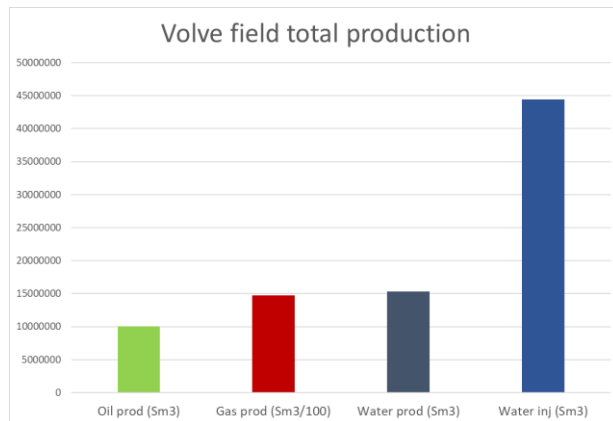


Timeline of operation of the wells of the Volve field (From arcgis website)

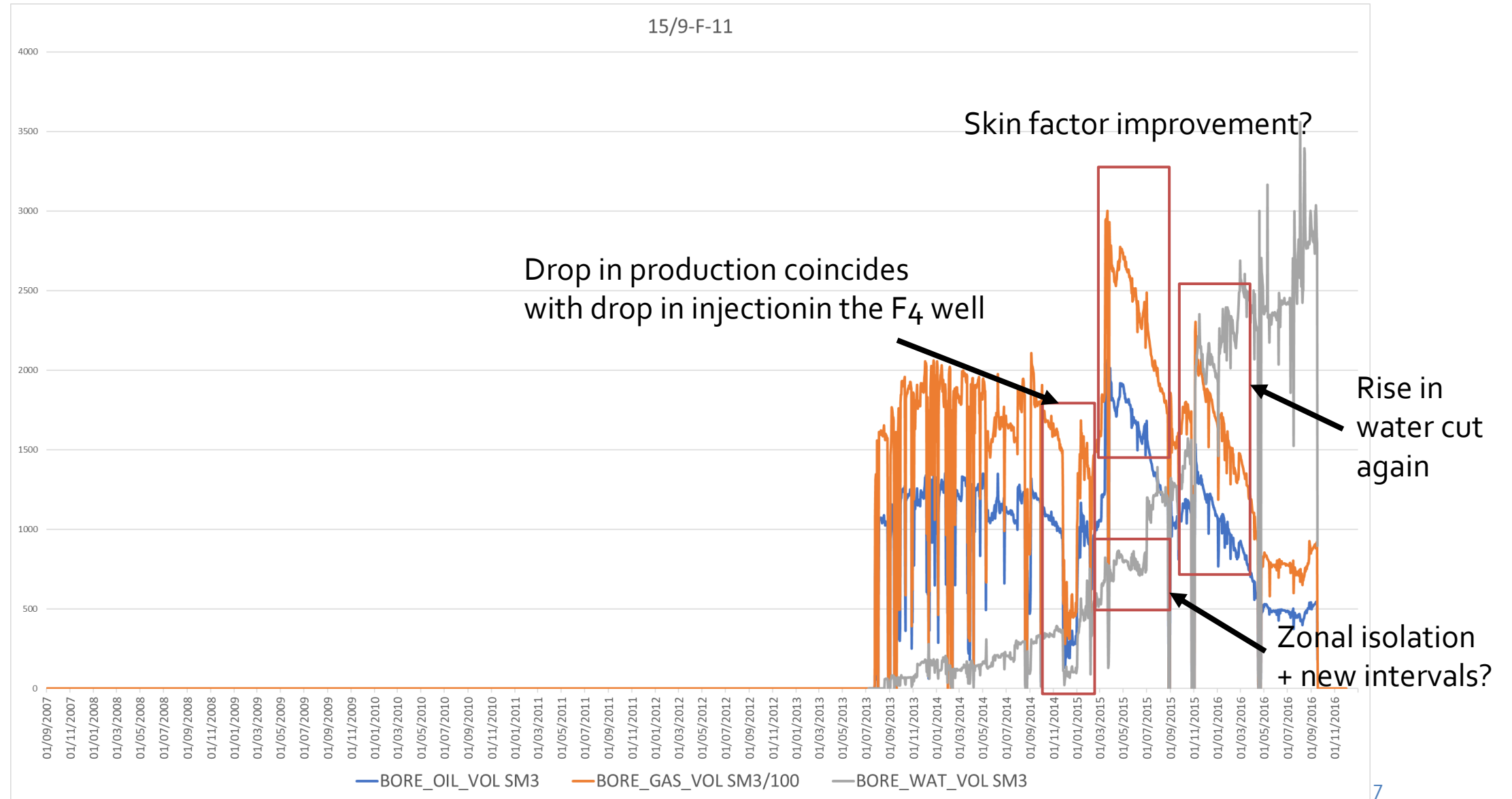


Volve field: Field Production

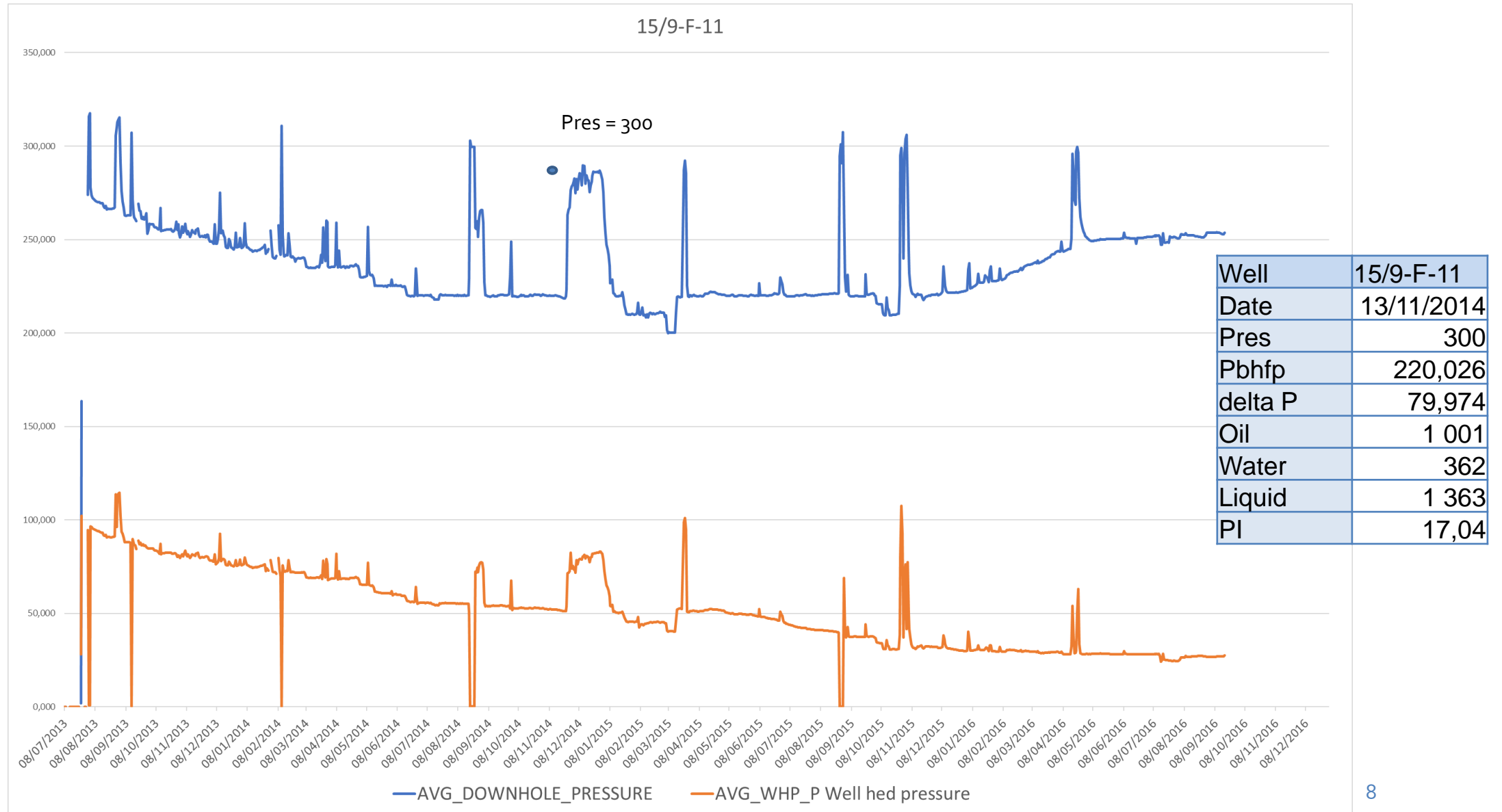
- The oil production actually started in February 2008, after the first producer well, 15/9-F-12 was drilled, and lasted until September 2016. Subsequently, three injector and five oil producer wells were drilled. The following part focuses on the seven wells concerned by the data that was available.
- In total, more than 10 million Sm³ of oil and nearly 1.5 billion Sm³ of gas were produced from the field. The water produced was reinjected as planned.
- In 2013 due to a decrease in the production below the economical limit of 2,100 Sm³/d, three additional producer wells had to be drilled, 15/9-F-11, 15/9-F-15-D, 15/9-F-1-C. This increased the life of the field until 2016.



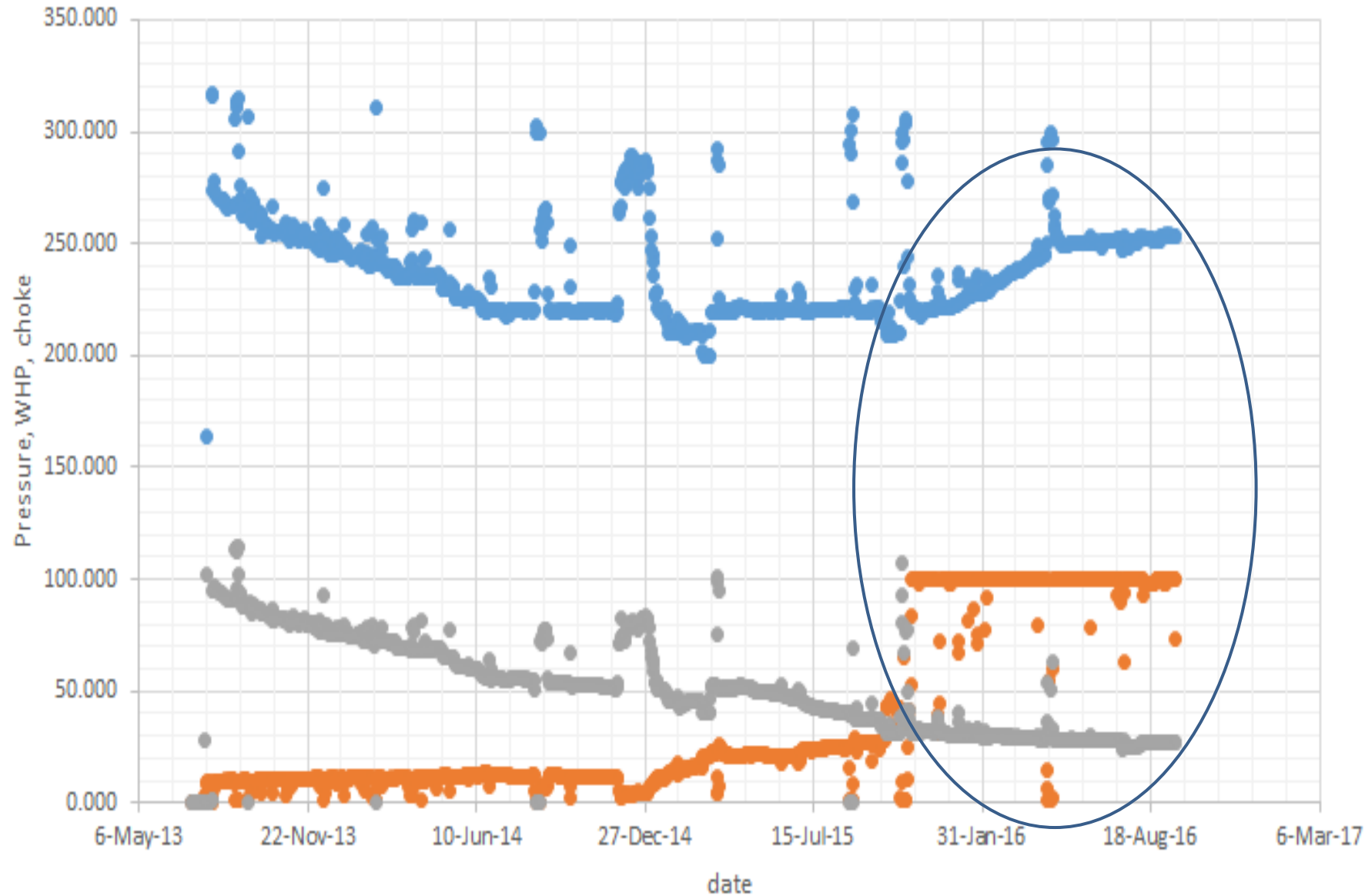
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15/9-F-11

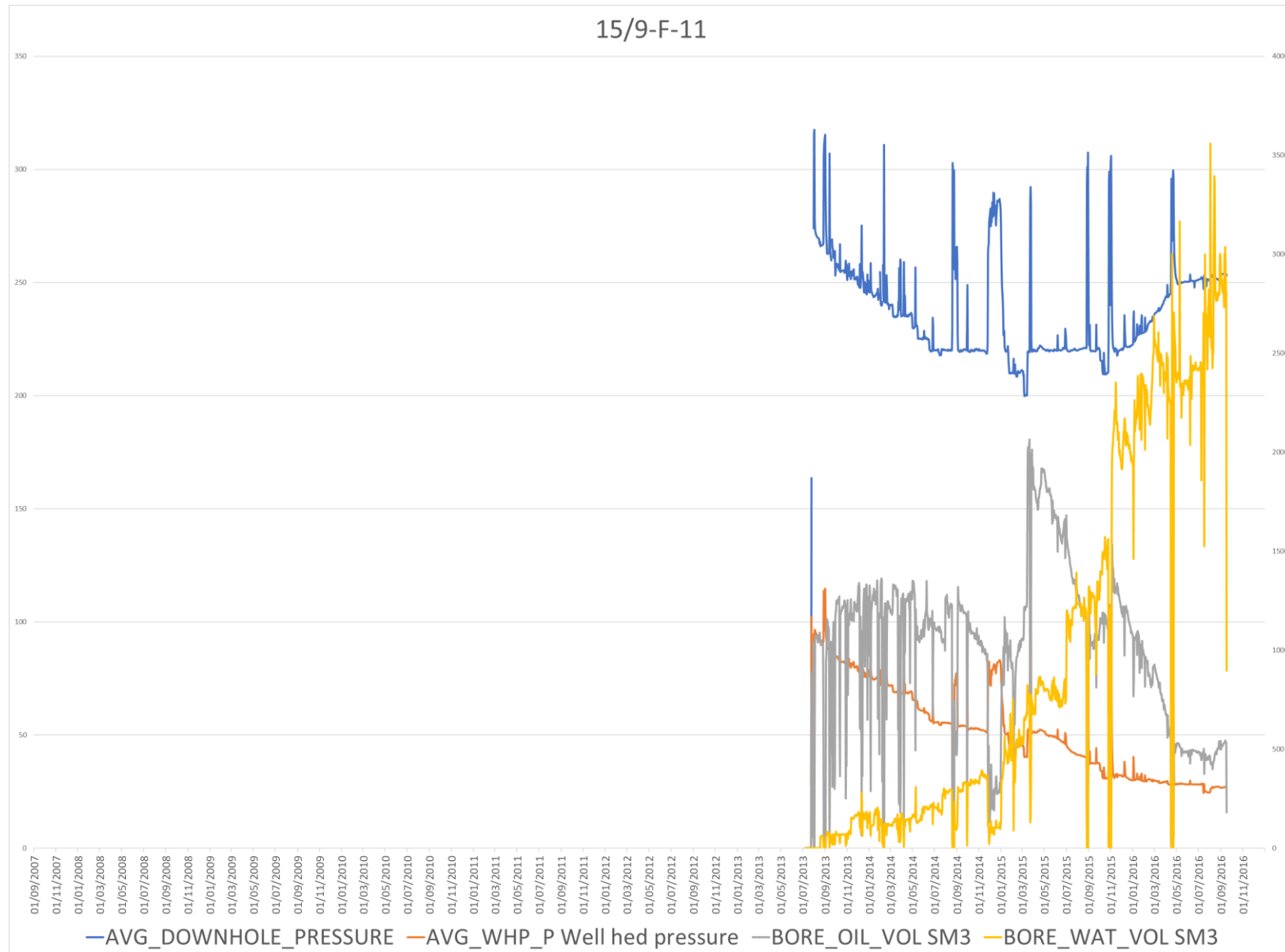


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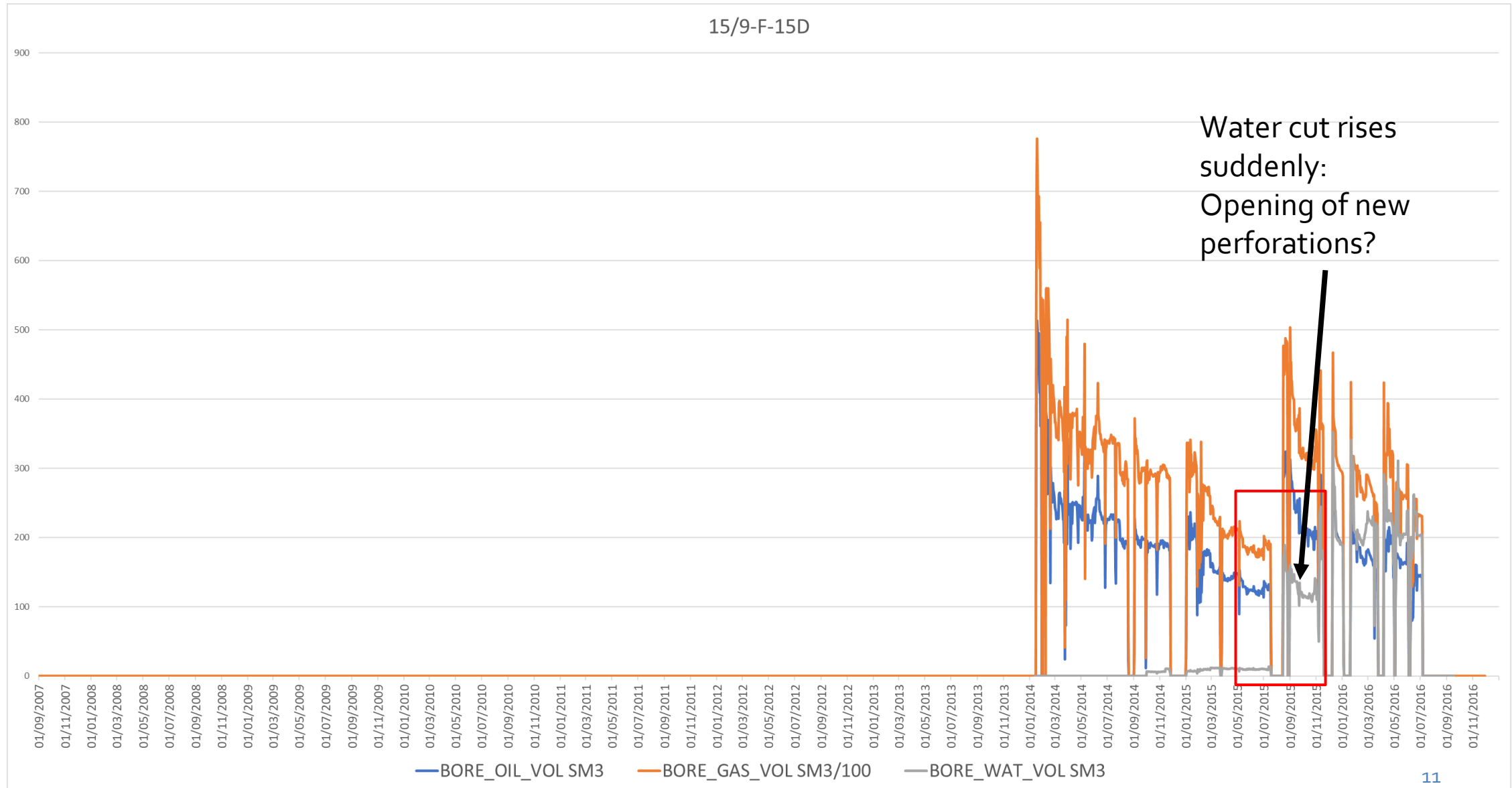


Gradual rise of downhole pressure is not associated to the increase in choke size, as it would cause decrease in Downhole pressure. It would also cause an increase in Well head pressure, which is not observed.

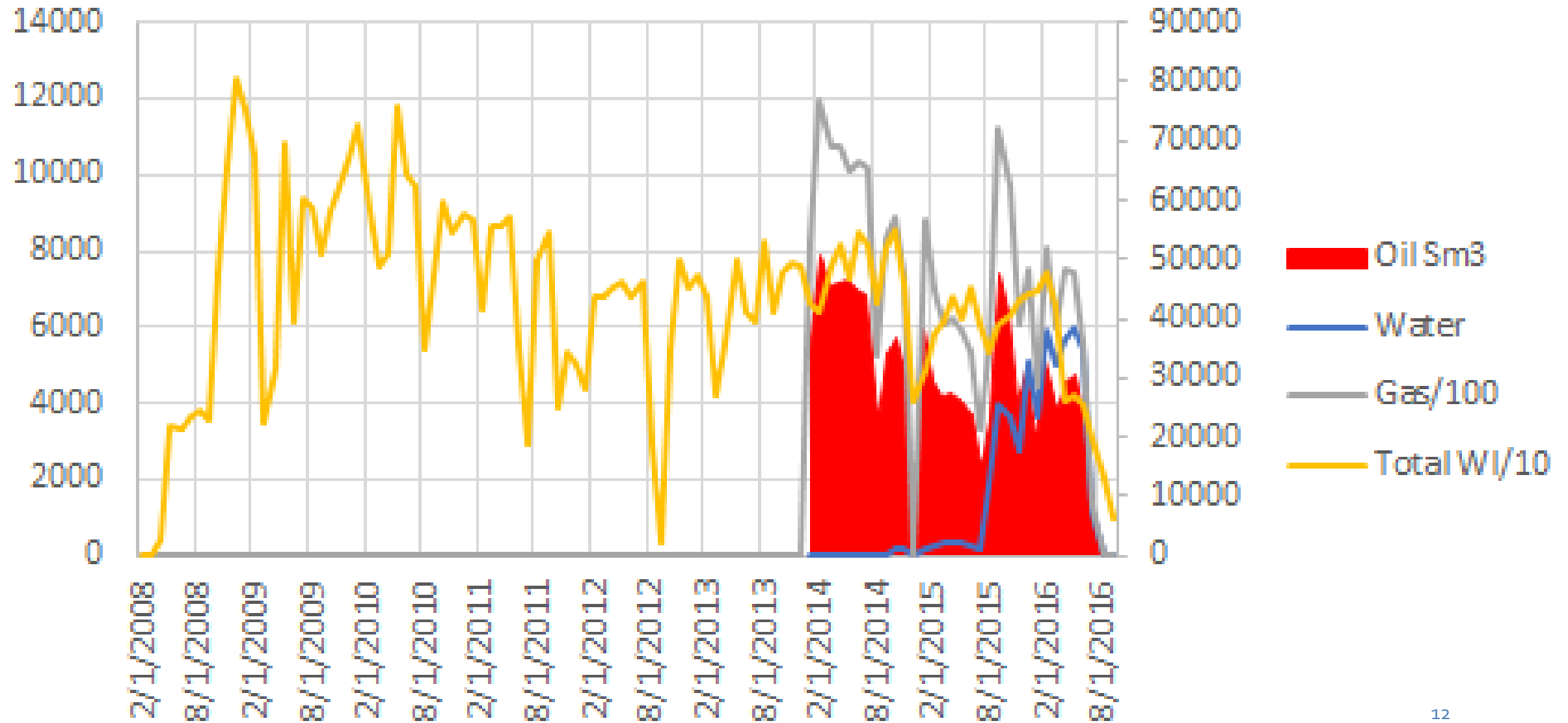
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15/9-F-15D



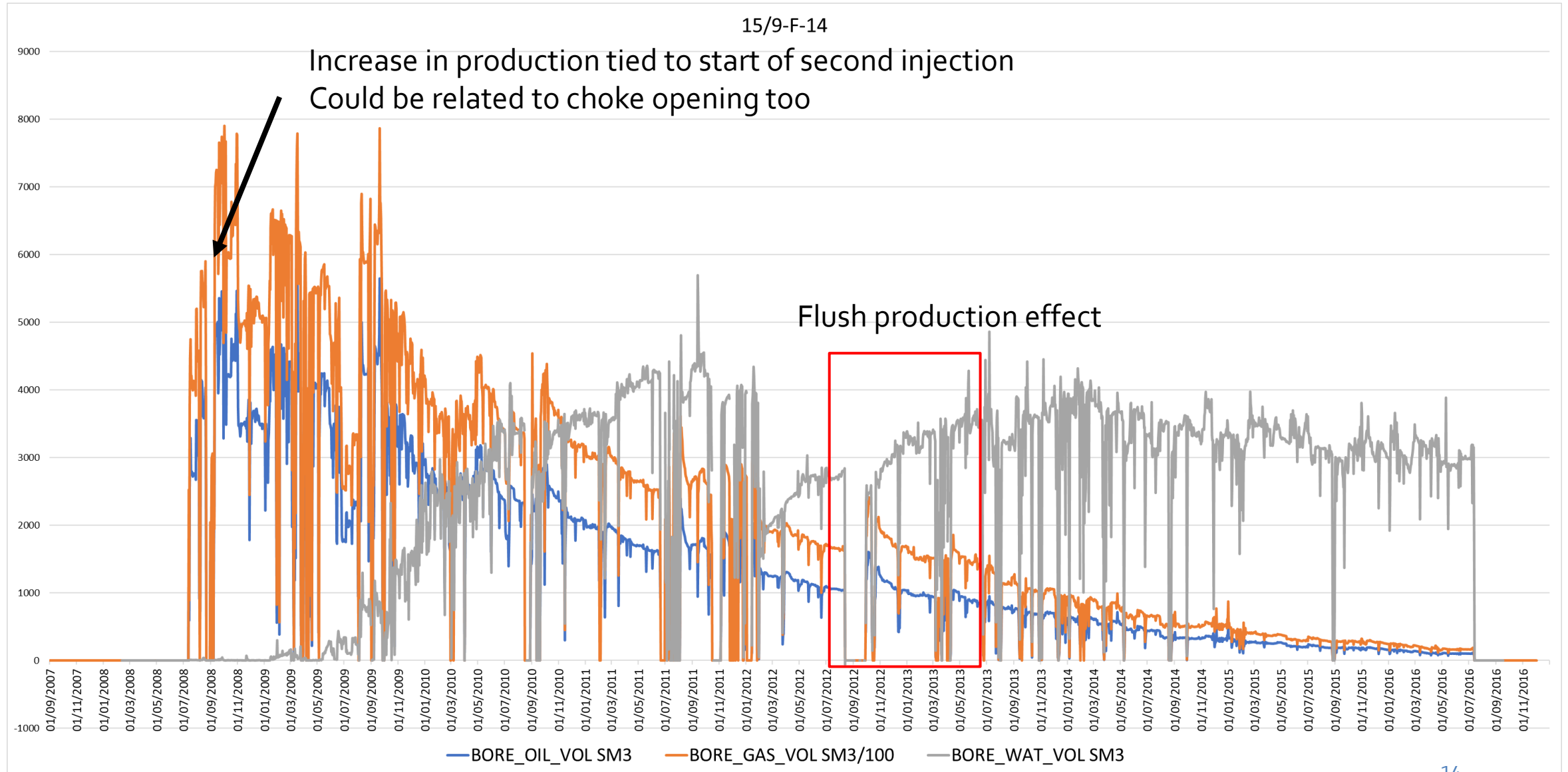
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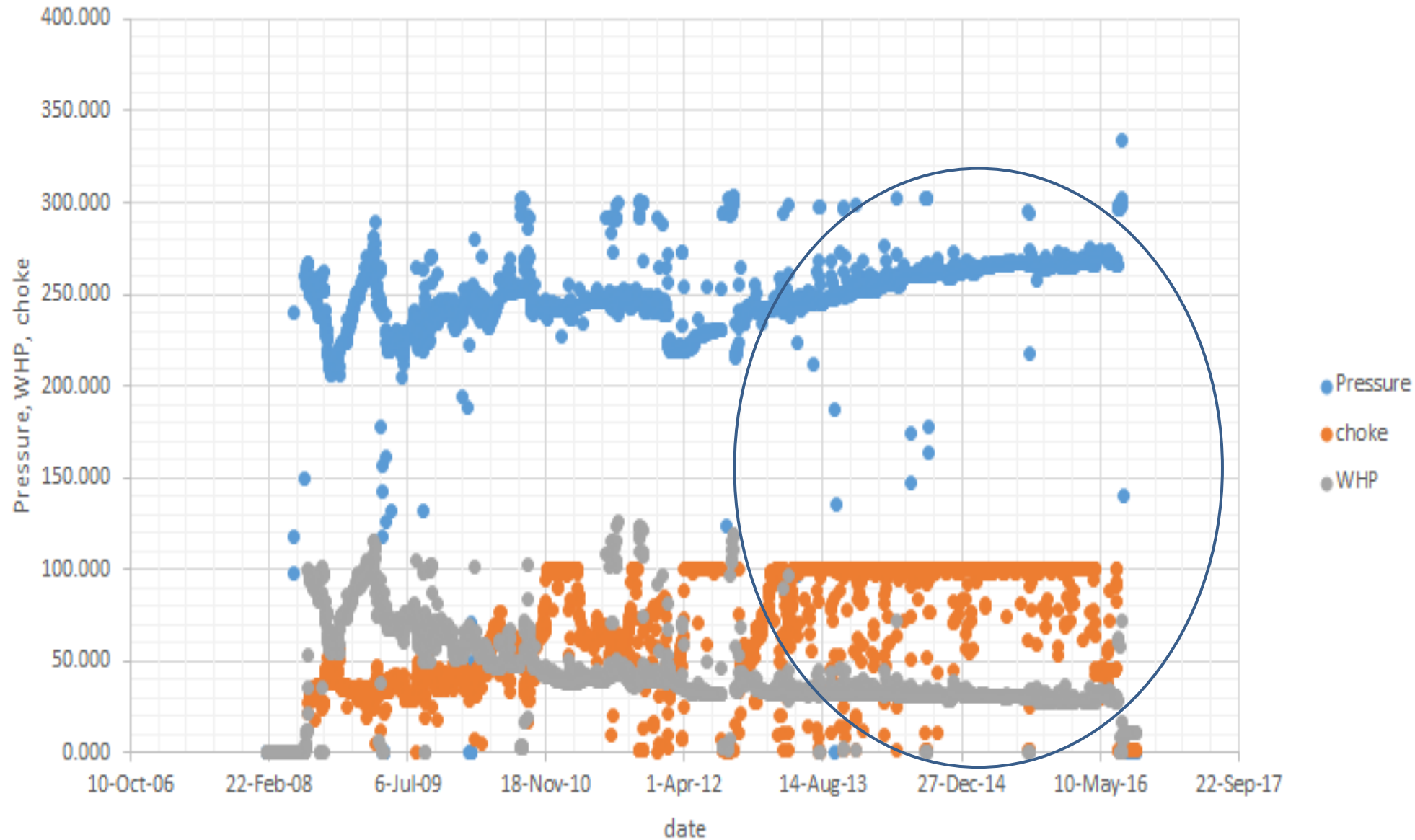
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15/9-F-14

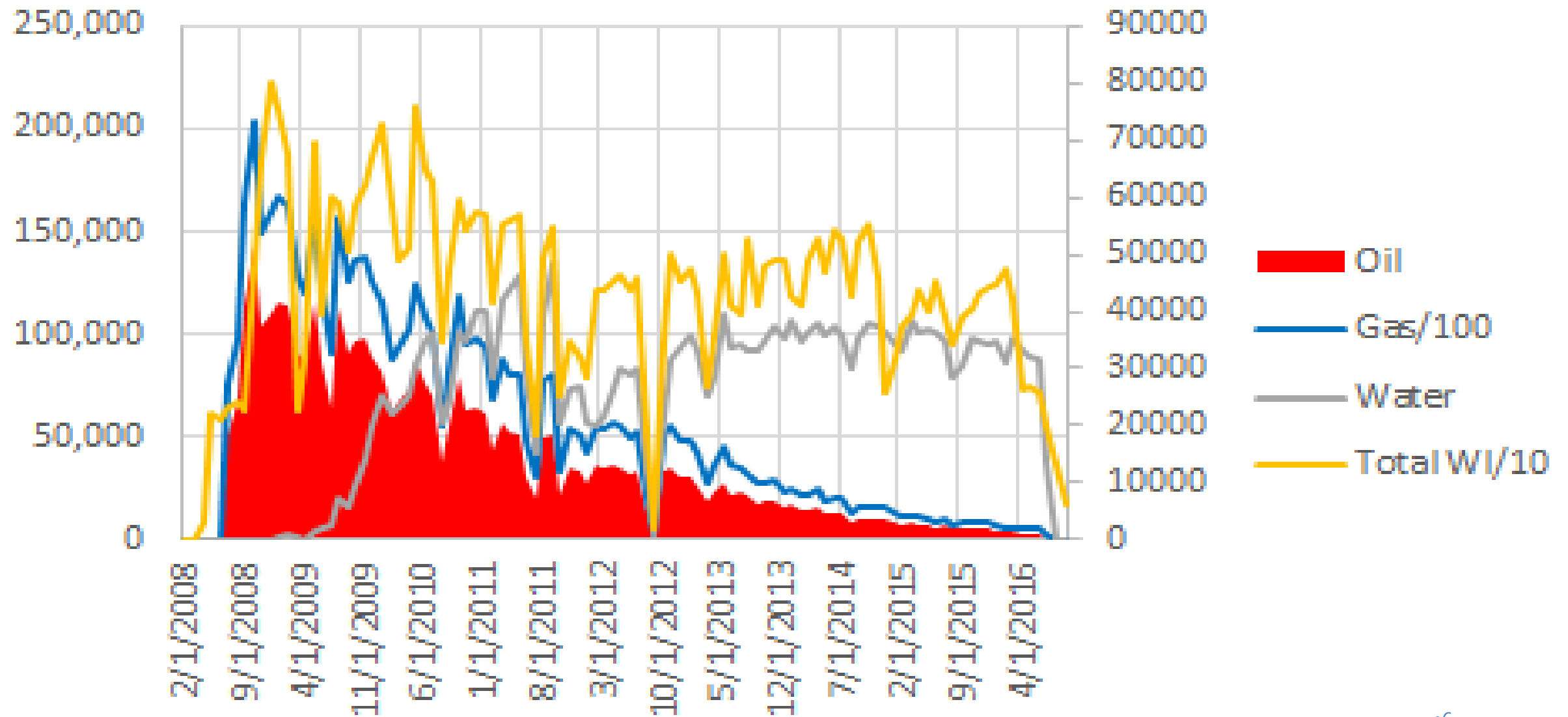


Well 15/9-F-14D

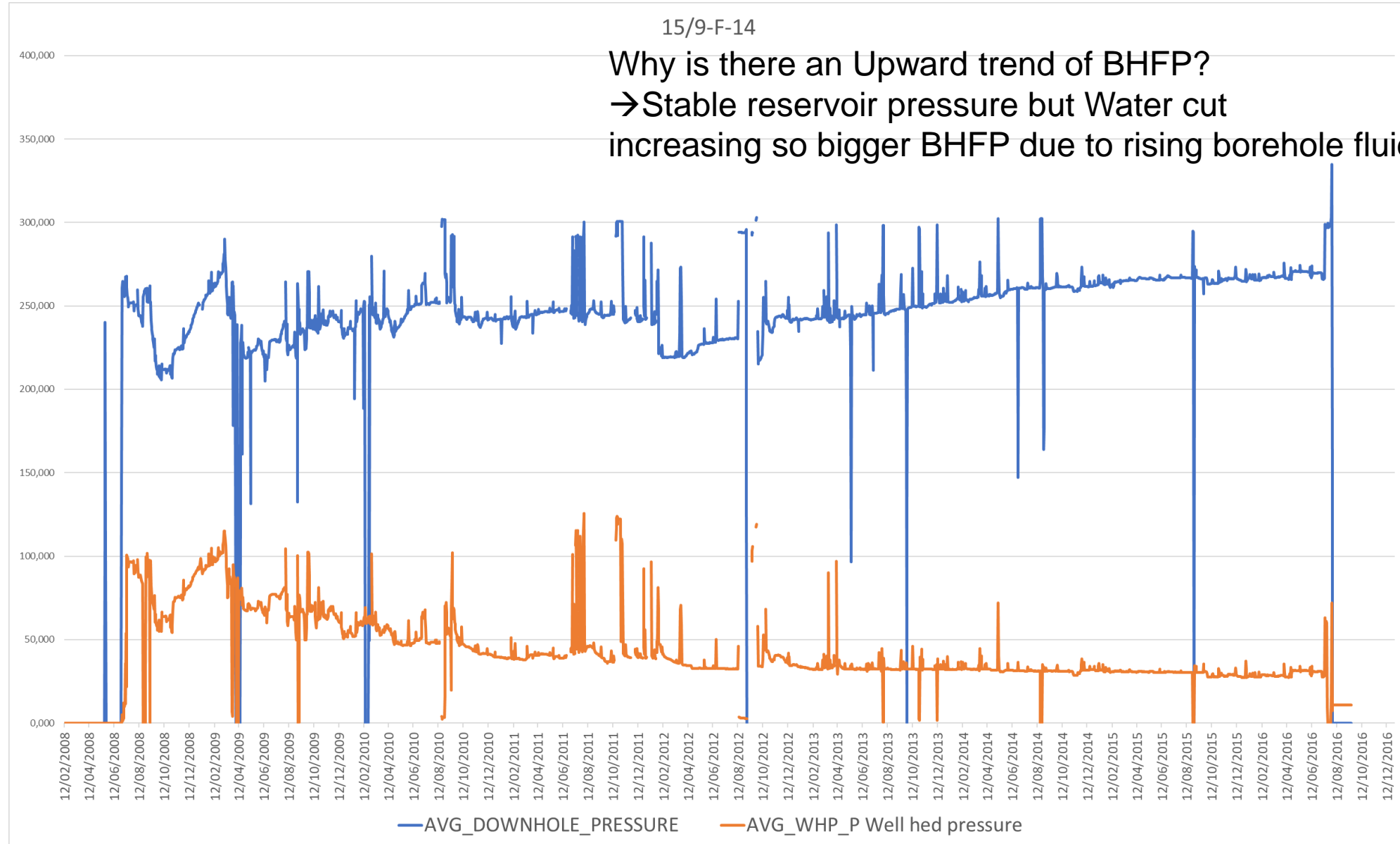


Gradual rise of downhole pressure is associated to the rise of borehole fluid density. Increase in choke size would have inverse effect

15/9-F-14



15/9-F-14



15/9-F-12

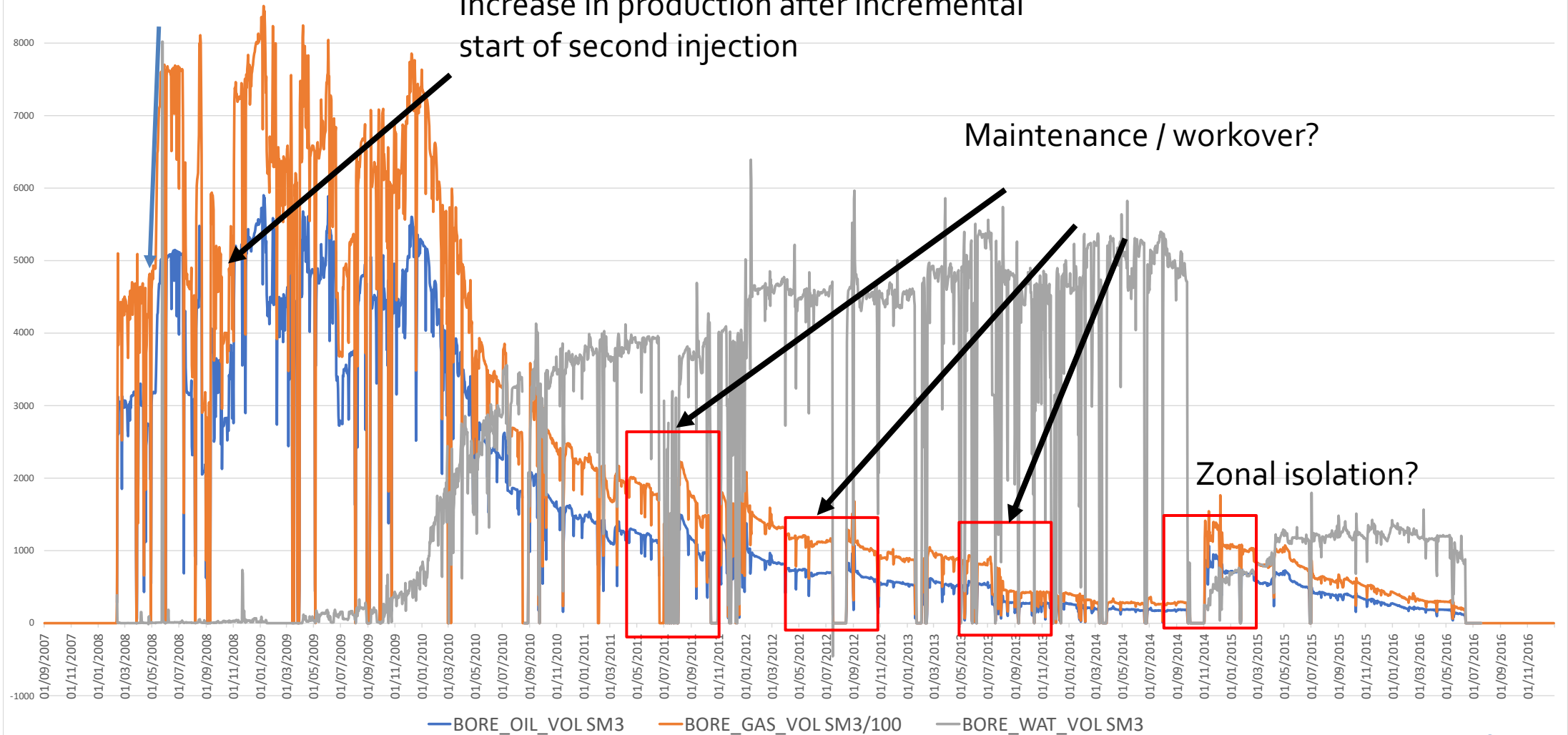
Increase in production shortly after start of first injection

15/9-F-12

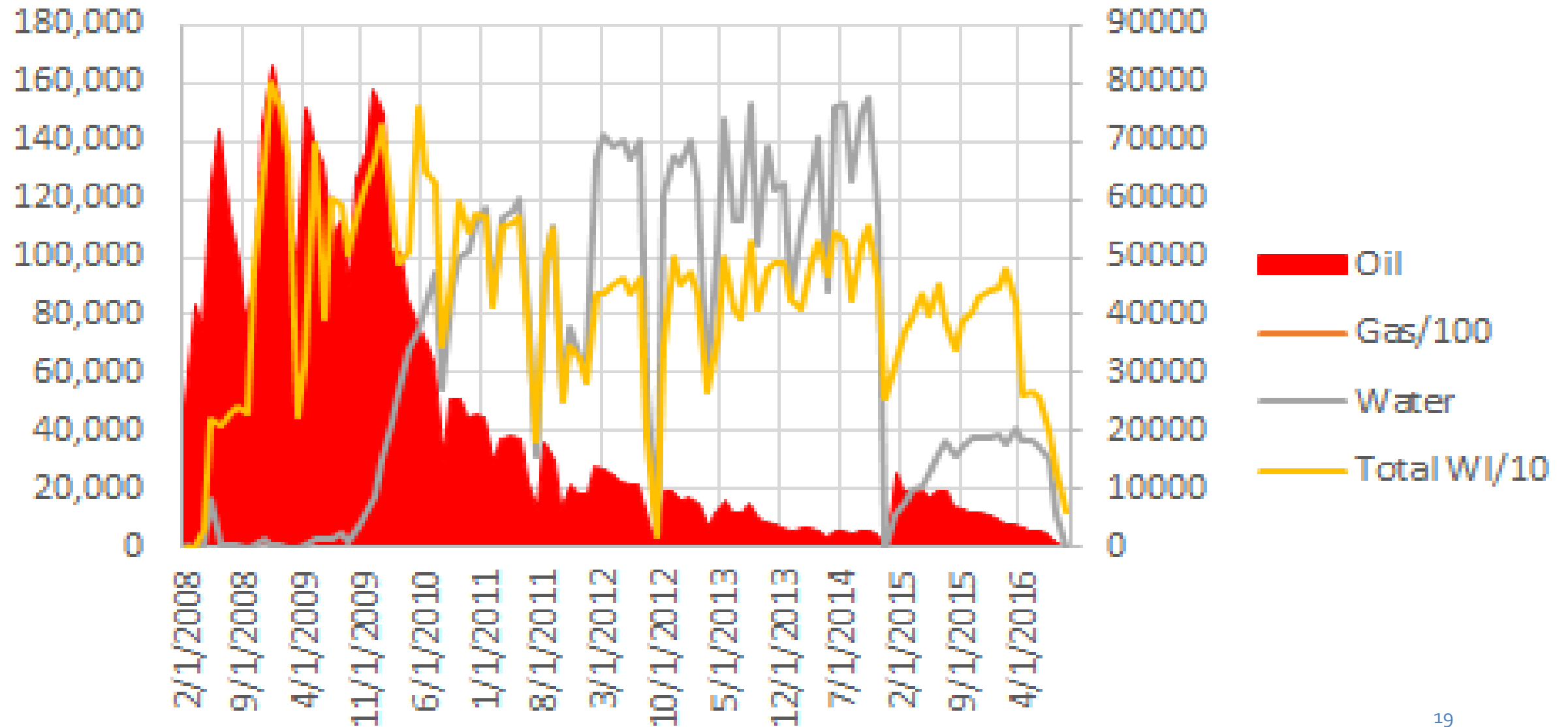
Increase in production after incremental start of second injection

Maintenance / workover?

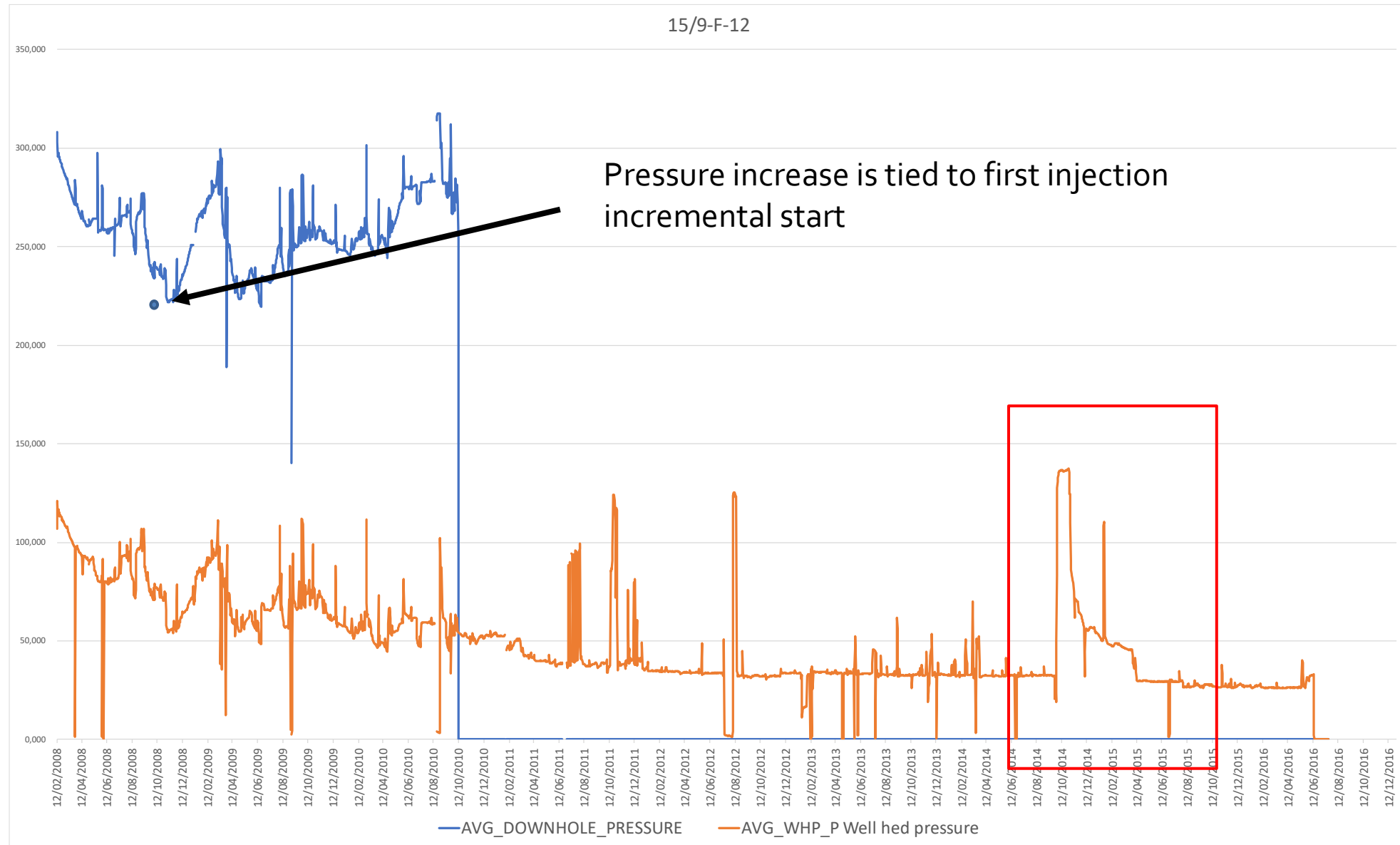
Zonal isolation?



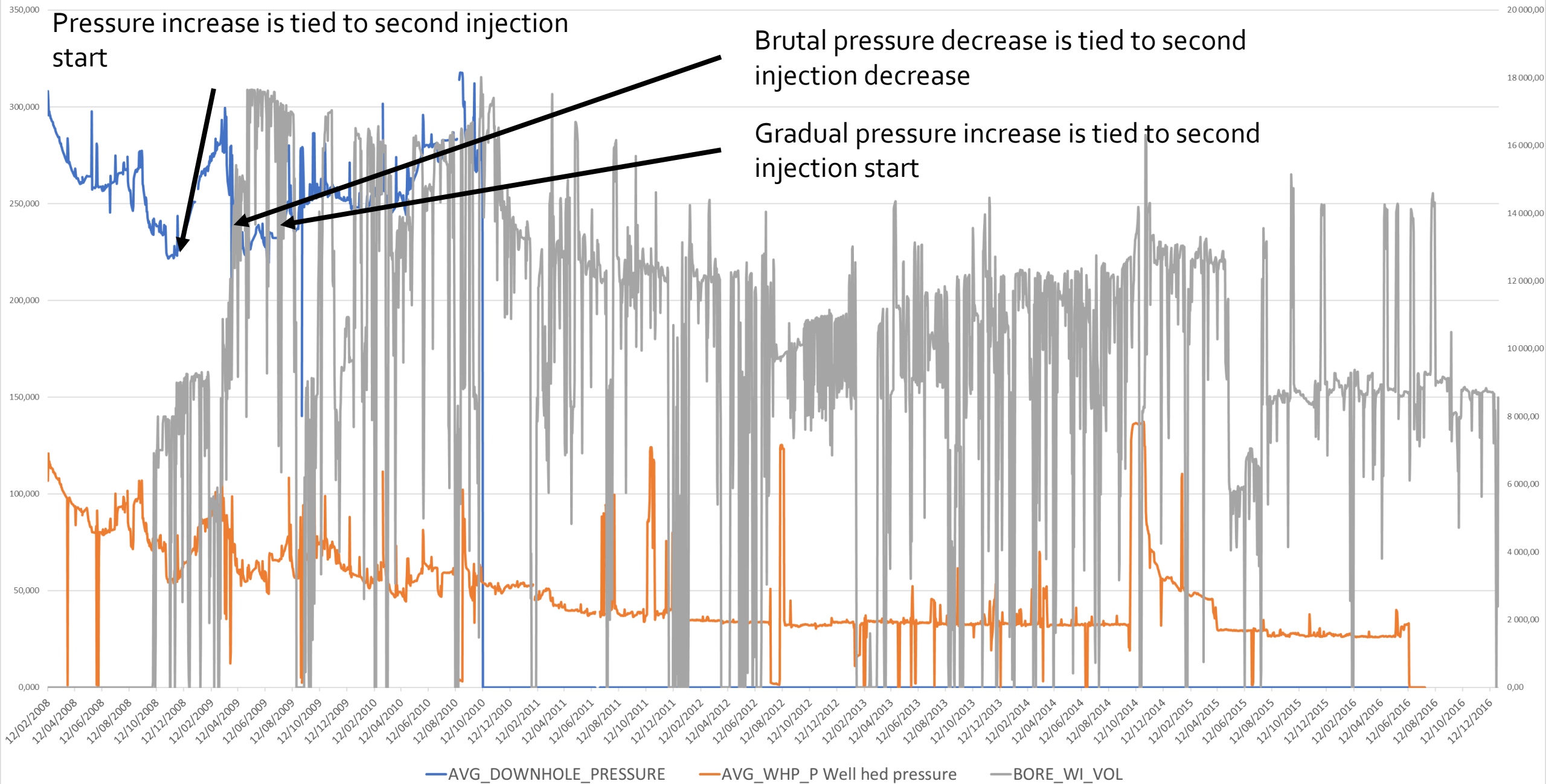
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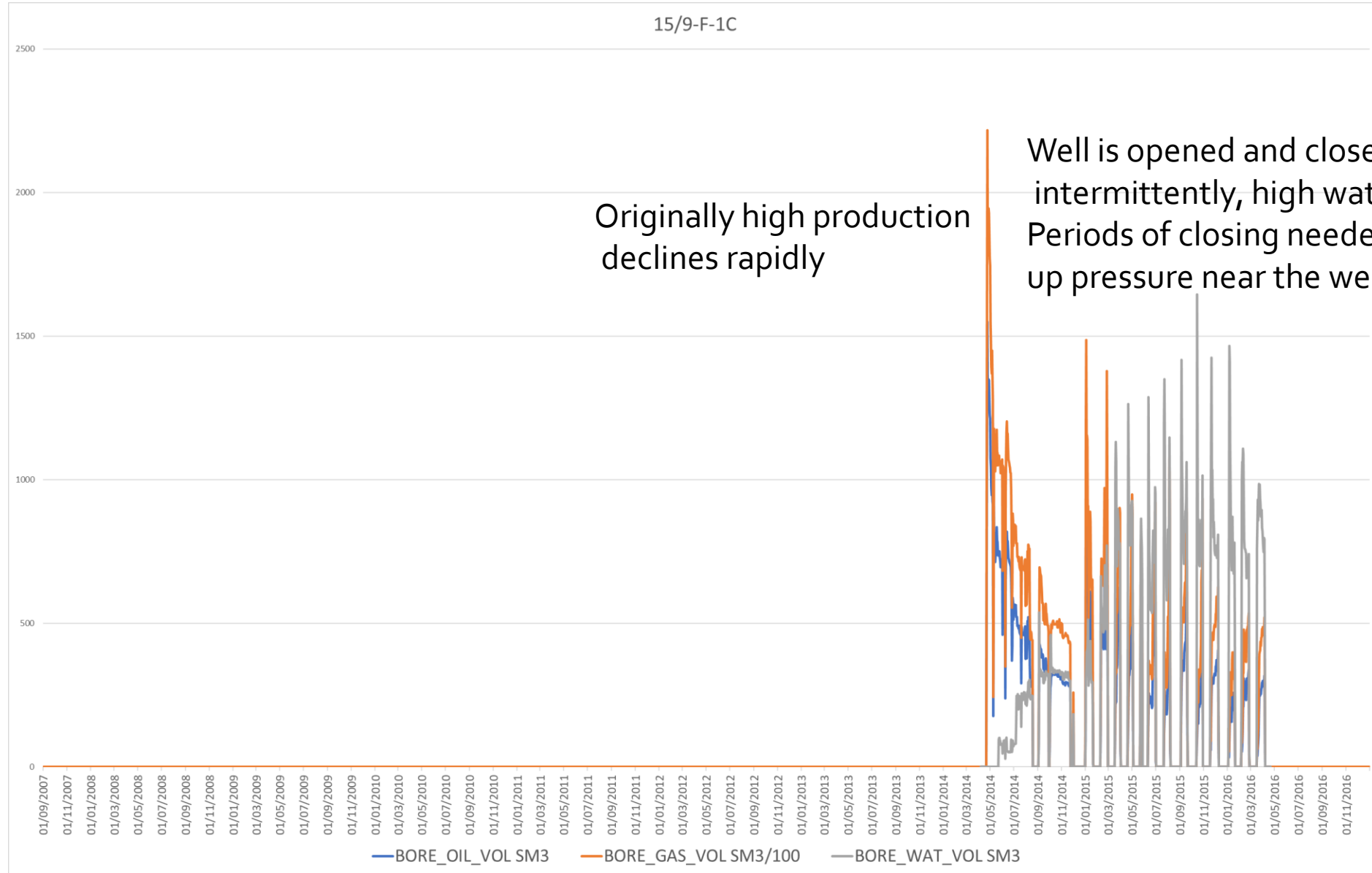
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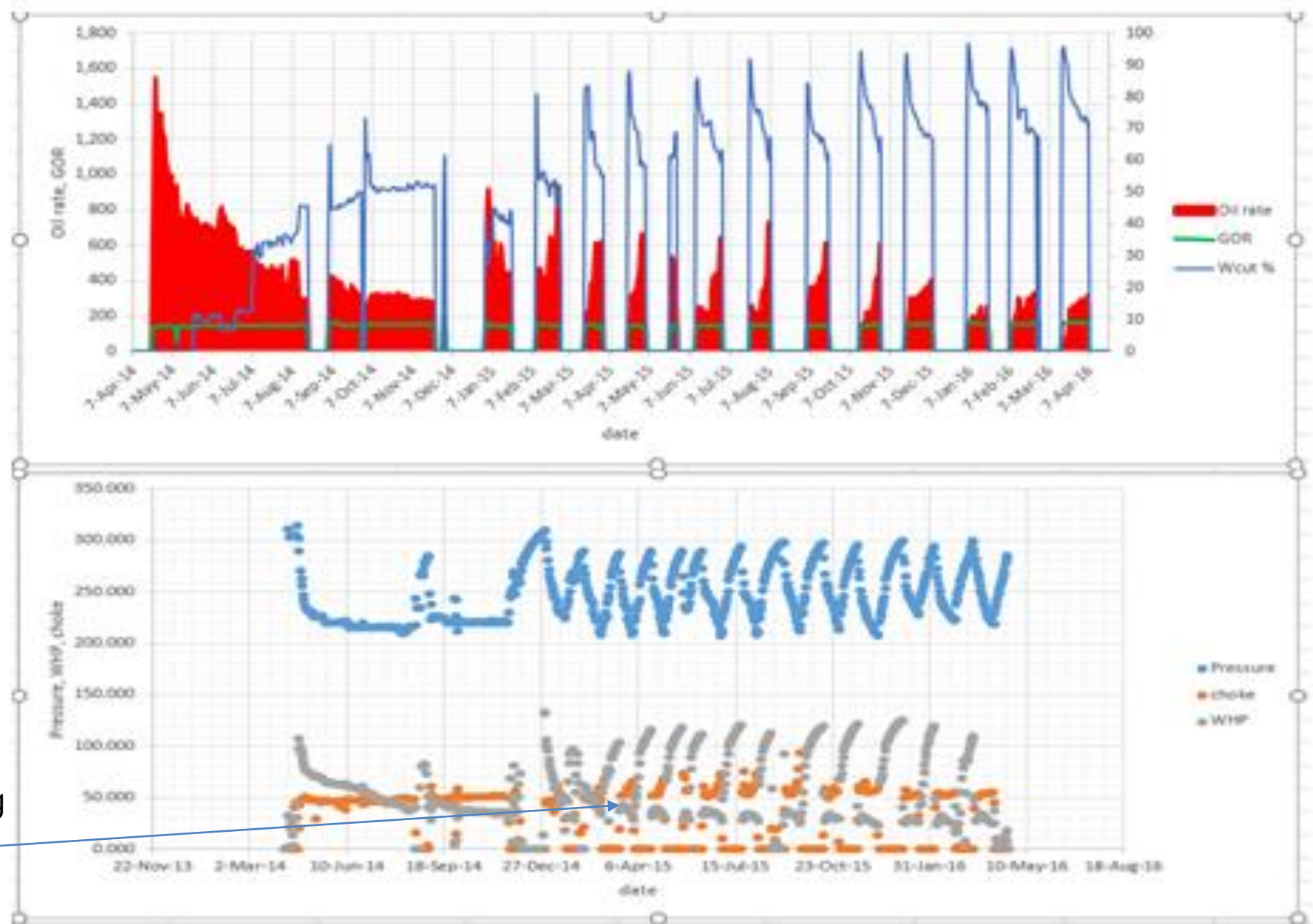
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15/9-F-1C

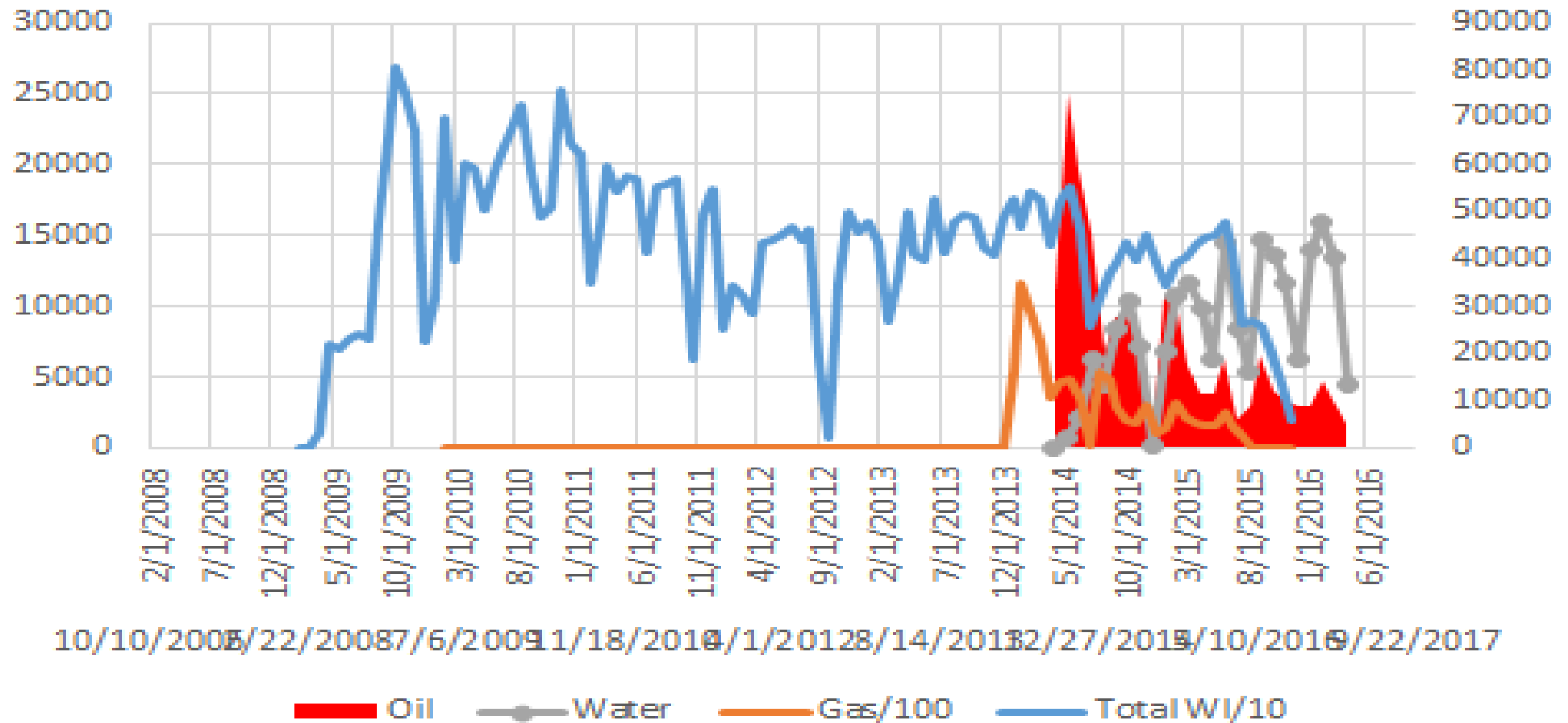


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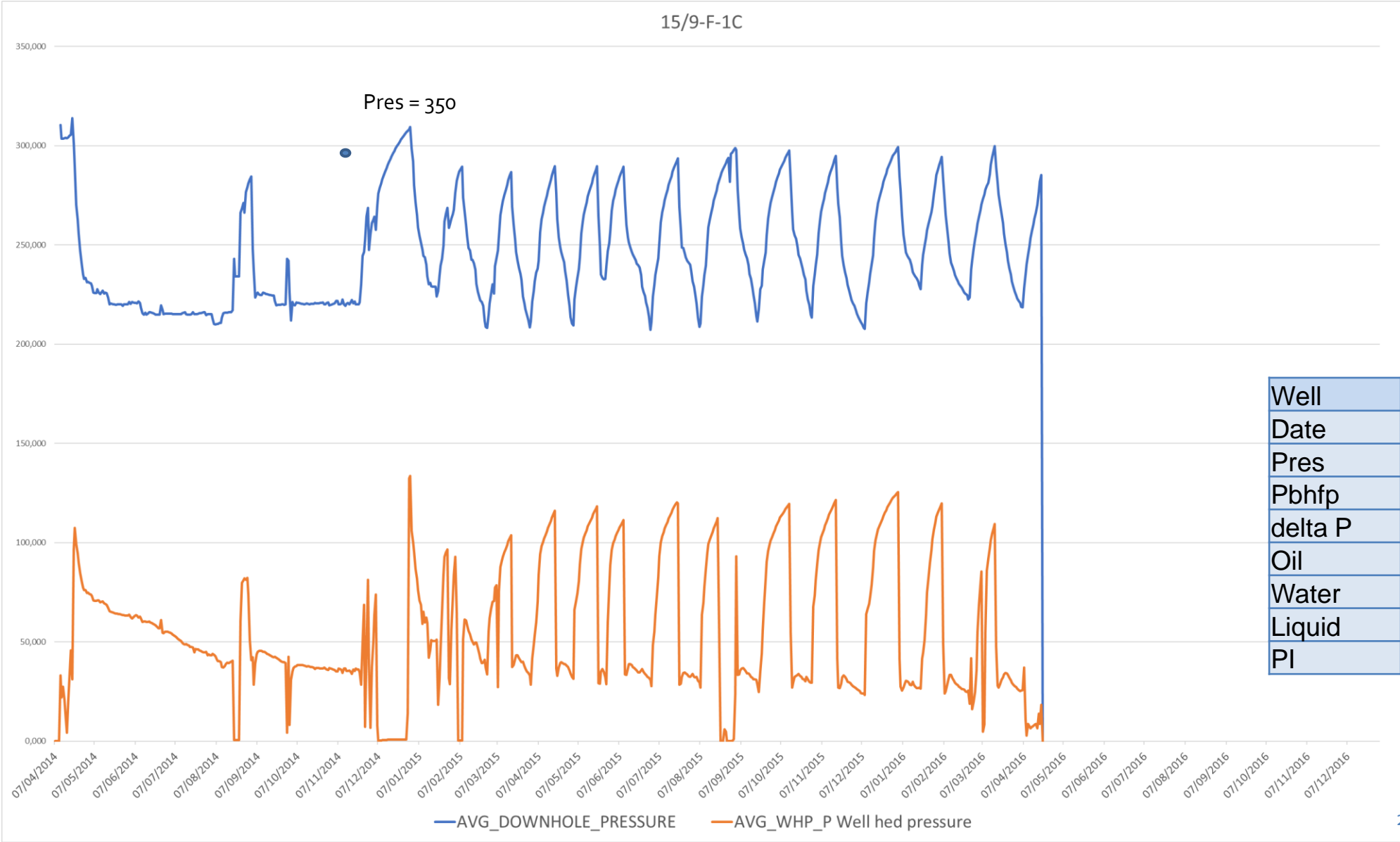


The intermittent opening of the well is confirmed was from the choke size.

15/9-F-1 C

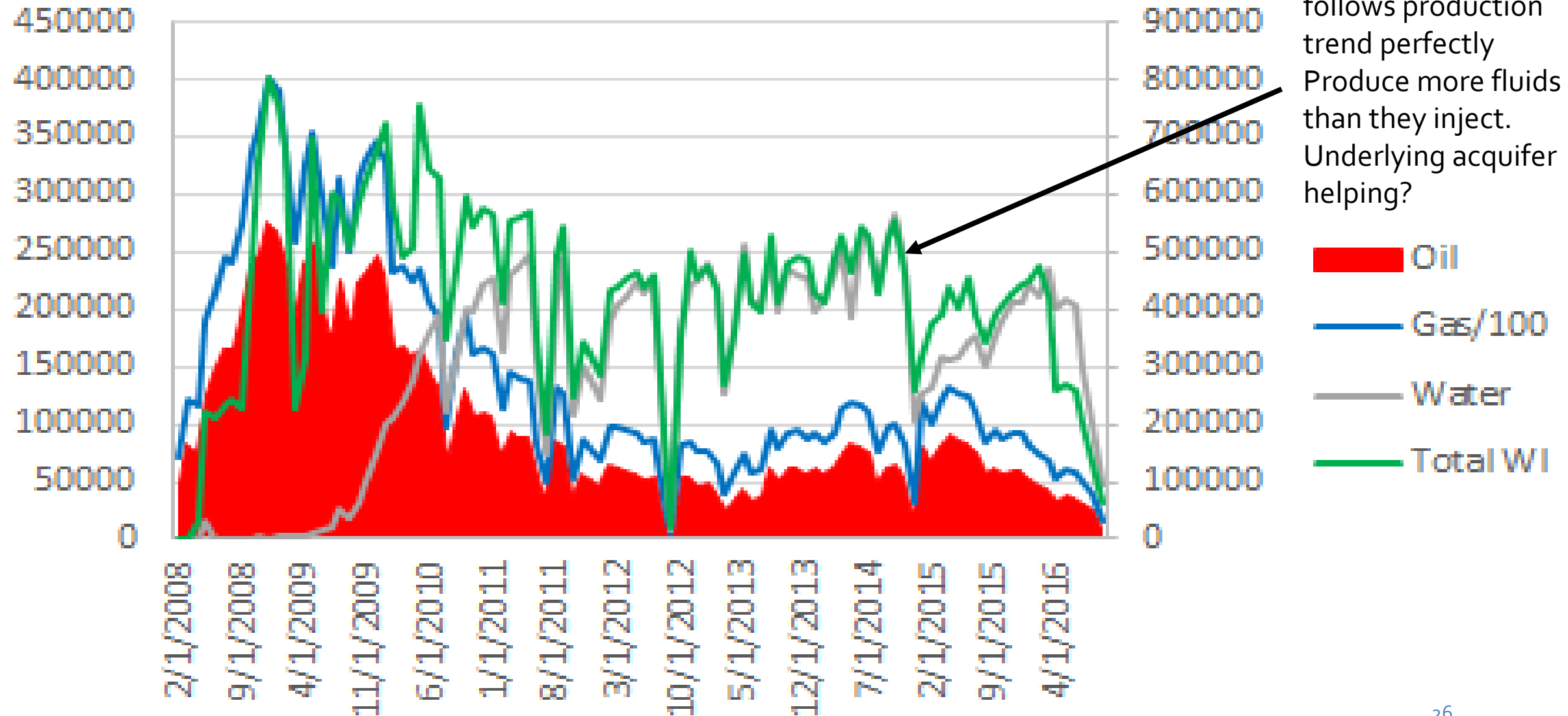


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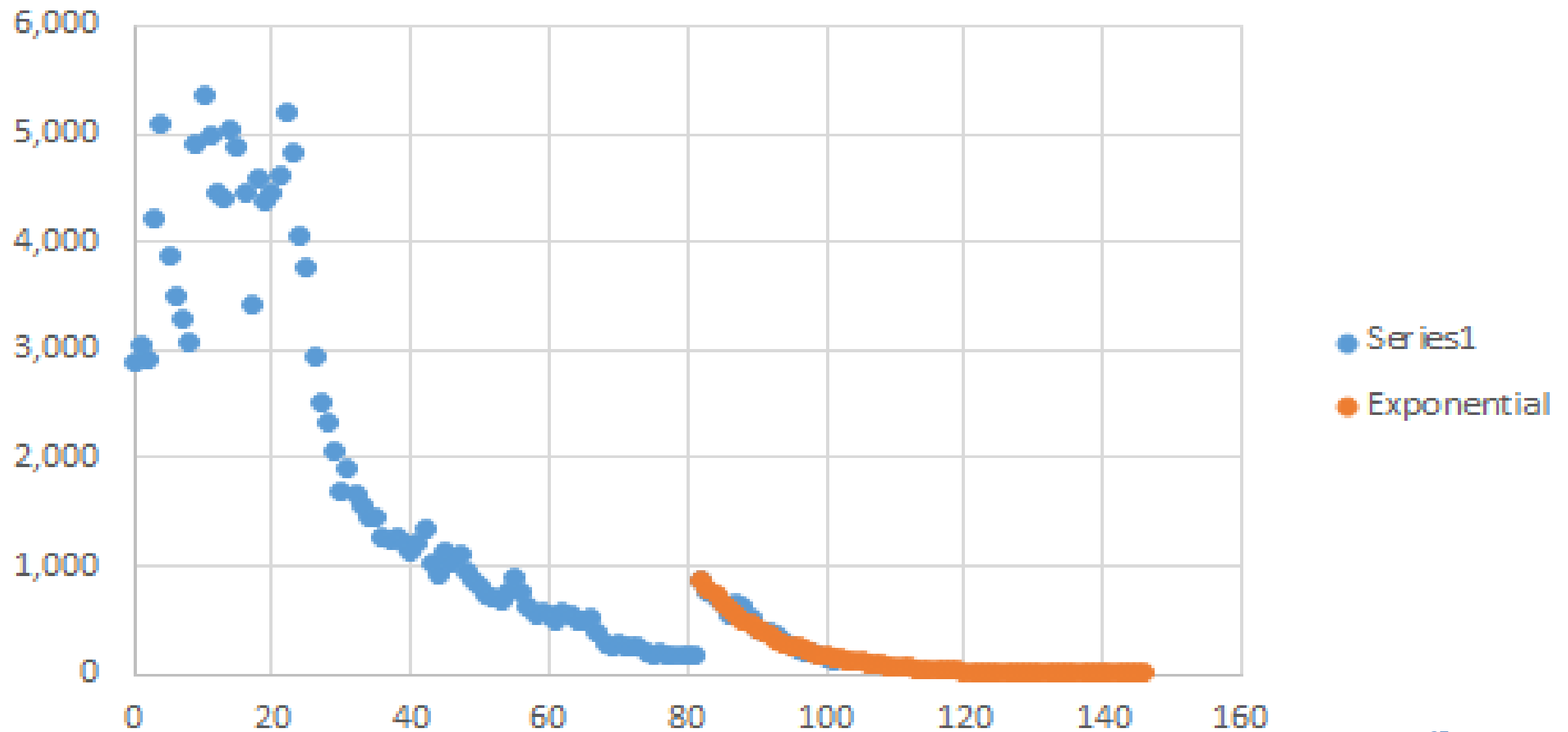


Well	15/9-F-1C
Date	20/11/2014
Pres	350
Pbhf _p	222,000
delta P	128,000
Oil	285
Water	303
Liquid	588
PI	4,59

Fluid Production VS Water Injection

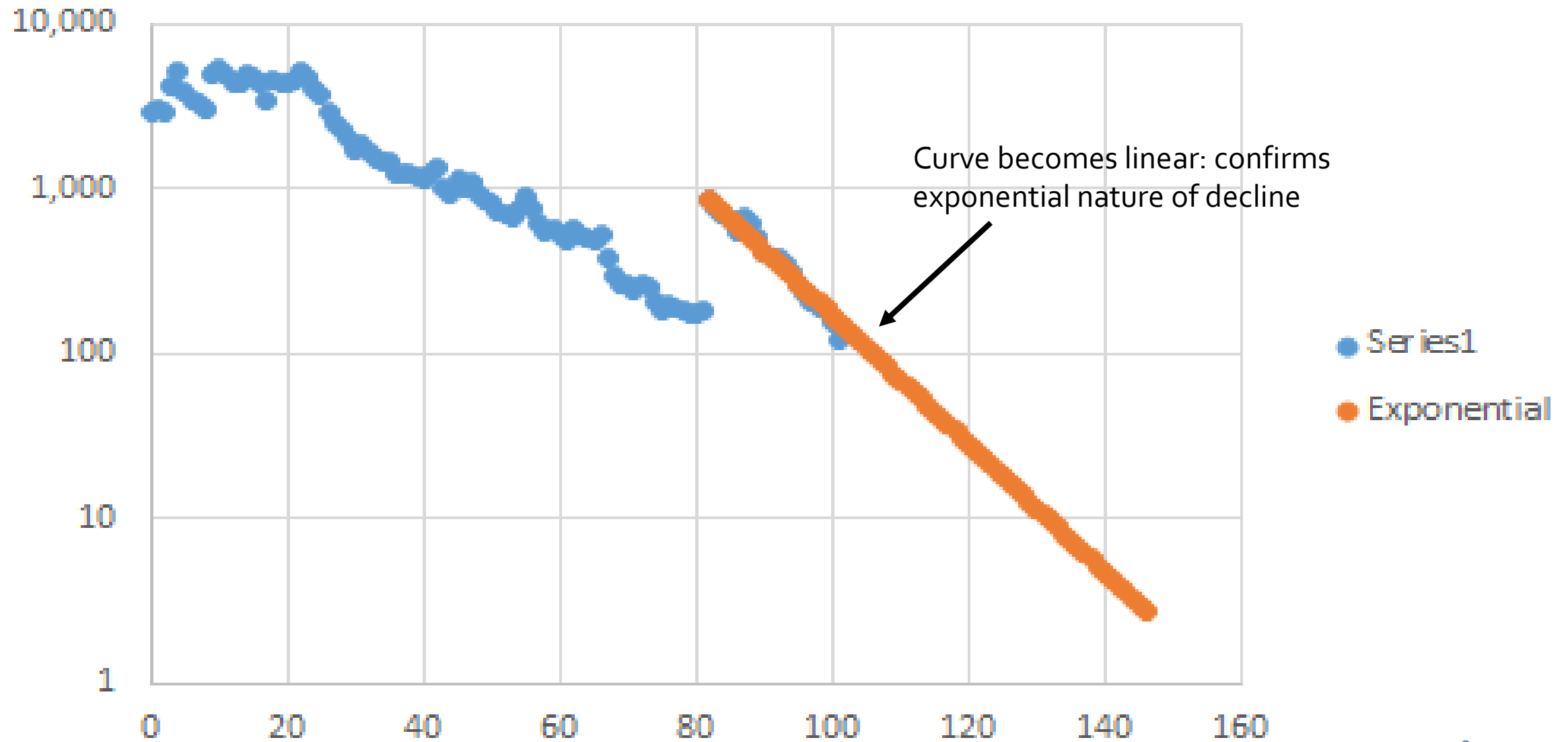


Well F-12 Decline curve



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Flow rate VS Time



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