

Wellbore History

GENERAL

Well 25/10-12 S was drilled to test the Kopervik Prospect on the west flank of the Utsira High, close to the Hanz Field in the North Sea. The primary objective was to test the hydrocarbon potential of Late Jurassic Intra-Draupne Formation sandstone. Secondary objective was sandstones in the Early-Middle Jurassic sequence (Statfjord-Sleipner-Hugin units)

OPERATIONS AND RESULTS

Wildcat well 25/10-12 S was spudded with the semi-submersible installation Island Innovator on 27 October 2014. The well was drilled to a total depth of 1800 m in Early Eocene sediments in the Hordaland Group. While running the 9 5/8" casing, the string became differentially stuck at 1520 m. The well was plugged back to the 20" casing shoe and technically sidetracked as 25/10-12 ST2. The latter was drilled to final TD at 2597 m (2570 m TVD) in the Smith Bank Formation. Only MWD logs are available from the well. Wireline logging was attempted at TD of the 8 1/2" hole, however, due to problems below the 9 5/8" casing shoe, no logging was possible. The well was drilled with seawater and high viscosity pills down to 558 and with Aguadril mud from 558 m to TD.

Top Draupne Formation was penetrated at 2114 m (2087.3 m TVD). The Draupne Formation in the well consists of mudstones and interbedded thin beds of spiculitic sandstones. At 2124 m (2097.3 m TVD), the base of Draupne, there is a 1.7 m thick Intra-Draupne Formation sandstone. The well also penetrated 21 m and 19.5 m of high quality sand belonging to the Hugin and Sleipner Formations respectively, and approximately 198 m of Statfjord Group sediments with several well-developed sandy intervals. Some weak oil-shows were described in the Intra Draupne sandstones and in the Hugin-Sleipner sandstones, but no stain or cut were observed. The LWD pressure measurements showed a complex depletion history with five different pressure regimes implying several sealing intervals. The pressure points in the Triassic were hydrostatic.

Four conventional cores were cut in the sidetrack. Cores 1 and 2 were cut from 2113 to 2136 m with 79 % total recovery. The core-log depth shift was 1.2 m for both cores. Cores 3 and 4 were cut from 2157 to 2201 m with 93 % total recovery. The core-log depth shift was 0.0 m for both cores. Formation pressures were acquired using a Baker TesTrak LWD tool No fluid sample was taken.

The well was permanently abandoned on 18 January 2015 as a dry well.

TESTING

No drill stem test was performed.