LAS Version 2.0: A Digital Standard for Logs Update January 2014

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1.0 Abstract:

The LAS 2.0 log data standard was introduced in 1992 and continues to be popular. This paper updates the LAS 2.0 documentation and makes a minor change to the LAS 2.0 specifications to better reflect the technological advances made since its introduction.

The changes and clarifications are as follows:

- Line length is unrestricted in unwrapped mode (change)
- . The depth value divided by the step value must be a whole number (clarification)
- · Rounding of depth values is not acceptable. (clarification)
- The delimiters in a non-comment line are the first dot in the line, the first space after that dot and the last colon in the line. (clarification)
- Most LAS 2.0 files have a depth based index however a time based index is permitted (clarification).

2.0 Introduction:

This paper updates the LAS 2.0 documentation (Log ASCII Standard version 2.0). The updating was necessary to clarify some items not specifically stated in the earlier documentation and to better reflect the technological advances made since its introduction.

The LAS standard was introduced by the Canadian Well Logging Society in 1989 to standardize the organization of digital log curve information for personal computer users. It did this very successfully and the standard became popular worldwide. Version 1.2 was the first version and followed in September 1992 by version 2.0 to address some inconsistencies. A more versatile version LAS 3.0 was released in 1999 however at present, LAS 2.0 remains the dominant product. LAS 3.0 clarifies several of the poorly defined specifications of LAS 2.0 and provides expanded data storage capabilities, but has seen limited implementation.

3.0 LAS 2.0 Overview:

- An LAS file is a structured ASCII file containing log curve data and header information. The header information is located at the beginning of the file and followed by curve data.
- The standard was designed to simplify the exchange of digital log data between users.
- The LAS format is intended for optically presented log curves although other curves may also be included.
- The ASCII character set is limited to ASCII 13 (carriage return), ASCII 10 (line feed), and ASCII 32
 to ASCII 126 inclusive. All other ASCII characters are not allowed and it is suggested that
 software readers convert them to a space (removing them may cause issues if the character was
 intended to represent a space such as the tab character). Line termination will consist of ASCII
 13 ASCII 13 (CR LT) except for the last line.
- Each LAS 2.0 file contains only one continuous interval in the data section. For example, a repeat section would make up one file and the main pass another.
- LAS files end in ".LAS" so that they can be easily recognized.
- Each LAS file consists of sections. Sections begin with a header line defined as beginning with
 the "tilde character when it occurs as the first non-space character on a line. The character
 immediately following the tilde character defines the section with the remainder of the line
 being ignored. The characters "V", "W", "C", "P", "O", and "A" are reserved in the LAS 2.0
 standard. The sections defined by the LAS 2.0 standard are limited to one occurrence per file.
 Customer defined sections are permitted but must be located after the first section ("V) and
 before the last section ("A).
- The sections defined for the LAS 2.0 standard are as follows:
 - -"~U" (also known as "~VERSION INFORMATION SECTION") is a required section; has formatting requirements; must be the first section; identifies the version number and whether data is in "wrapped" or "un-wrapped" mode.
 - ""-W" (also known as "WELL INFORMATION SECTION") is a required section; has formatting requirements; is preferably the second section; contains information on the well name, location, and start and stop values of the data in this file.
 - "~C" (also known as ~CURVE INFORMATION SECTION") is a required section; has formatting requirements; contains curve mnemonics and their definitions in the order that they appear in the data section.
 - -""" (also known as "PARAMETER INFORMATION SECTION") is an optional section; has formatting requirements; contains information on parameters or constants relevant to the wellbore such as mud resistivity, wireline engineer, truck number et a.
 - -"~O" (also known as "~OTHER") is an optional section; has no formatting requirements; contains other information or comments.
 - ""-A" (also known as "ASCIL LOG DATA") is a required section; has formatting requirements; is the last section in the file and also referred to as the data section. The index of the data columns is either Depth or Time. The index values always appear in the first column and each column of data must be separated by at least one space (ASCII 32). All values in the ASCII log data section must be floating point or integer (long) values. Other formats such as Text or Exponential values are not supported.
- Two flags are used in LAS files: 1) "#" signifies a comment line when used as the first non-space character on a line and 2) ""~" signifies the beginning of a section when used as the first nonspace character on a line.

- The sections "VERSION", "WELL", "CURVE" and "PARAMETER" use line delimiters. The delimiters
 are: 1) first dot in a line 2) first space after the first dot in a line and 3) the last colon in a line.
- · Example LAS files can be found at the end of this paper.

4.0 Software:

Software exists for LAS data and can be found on the CWLS website (www.cwls.org).

The Certify program was designed to verify that files meet the LAS standard and will identify any errors encountered. The checks are based on structure, not content. That is, it will not flag an empty well name field, but will recognize that required sections are missing or if a line is not structured correctly. In case of disagreement between this program and the printed LAS standard document, the document will be deemed to be correct. The Windows based LAS CERTIFY program was written by J. Karst of Schlumberger.

An LAS utility was written by C. Struyk. The utility includes the following processes:

- 1) reverse depth direction
- 2) convert LAS 1.2 to 2.0 and LAS 3.0 to LAS 2.0
- resample data
- 4) change depth from metres to feet or feet to metres
- 5) fix start depth and step issues
- 6) unwrap LAS files
- 7) wrap LAS files
- 8) Scan and fix some common errors in LAS files
- 9) Merge LAS files
- 10) Convert text files to LAS files
- 11) Check LAS files for errors

The above programs are not part of the LAS standard. The authors of these programs do not reserve any rights and do not warrant the programs for any specific purpose.

5.0 Details:

This portion of the paper provides a detailed look at all of the components of an LAS 2.0 file. Flags and delimiters are discussed first, followed by a discussion of the 'sections' as defined by the LAS 2.0 format. This portion of the paper is best understood by looking at the examples in the boxed areas and the examples provided at the end of this paper.

5.1 Flags

Certain characters are used to assist software in identifying specific lines within a file. The following flags are defined in the LAS 2.0 format:

"~" (tilde): The ASCII equivalent of this flag is decimal 126. This character is recognized as a flag when it occurs as the first non-space character on a line. This flag is used to mark the beginning of a section within an LAS file. The first letter directly after the tilde identifies the section. The upper case letters "V", "V", "P", "C", "O", and "A" in the space following a tilde

mark are reserved for use by the committee. The remainder of the line will be treated as

"#" (pound): The ASCII equivalent of this flag is decimal 35. This character is recognized as a flag when it occurs as the first non-space character on a line. This flag is used to indicate that the line is a comment line. Comment lines can appear anywhere above the "A section.

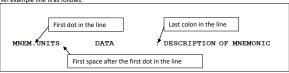
5.2 Line Delimiters

Three line delimiters are used in the "~V", "~V", "~C", and "~P" sections of LAS files. The line delimiters are as follows:

- a) the first dot in a line,
- b) the first space after the first dot in a line
- c) the last colon in a line

All non-comment lines in these sections must contain all three of the above delimiters.

An example line is as follows:



Where:

MNEM = mnemonic. This mnemonic can be of any length but must not contain any internal spaces, dots, or colons. Spaces are permitted in front of the mnemonic and between the end of the mnemonic and the dot.

UNITS = units of the mnemonic (if applicable). The units, if used, must be located directly after the dot. There must be no spaces between the units and the dot. The units can be of any length but must not contain any colons or internal spaces.

DATA = value of, or data relating to the mnemonic. This value or input can be of any length and can contain spaces, dots or colons as appropriate. It must be preceded by at least one space to demarcate it from the units and must be to the left of the last colon in the line.

DESCRIPTION = description or definition of the mnemonic. It is always located to the right of the last colon. The length of the line is no longer limited.

5.3 ~V (Version Information)

- This section is mandatory and must appear as the first section in the file.
- Only one "~V" section can occur in an LAS 2.0 file.
- It identifies the version of the LAS format and whether wrap mode is used.
- · This section must contain the following lines:

```
VERS. 2.0 : CWLS LOG ASCII STANDARD - VERSION 2.0
Refers to which version of LAS used.
and
WRAP. YES : Multiple lines per depth step
or
WRAP. NO : One line per depth step
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Refers to whether a wrap around mode was used in the data section. If the wrap mode is "NO", there is no limit to the line length. If wrap mode is used, the depth value will be on its own line and all lines of data will be no longer than 80 characters (including carriage return and line feed).

- There is no longer a line length limited on LAS files. The original LAS format was limited to a line length of 256 characters because of early computer limitations. Modern computer equipment does not have an issue with line lengths and therefore the line length limitation has been withdrawn. The updated LAS 2.0 standard retains the "WRAP YES" definition as an option and for backwards compatibility.
- Additional lines in the version section are optional.
- · The following is an example of a Version Information Section.

```
~Version Information Section

VERS. 2.0 : CWLS log ASCII Standard -VERSION 2.0

WRAP. NO : One line per depth step
```

5.4 ~W (Well Information)

- This section is mandatory.
- Only one "~W" section can occur in an LAS 2.0 file.
- It identifies the well, its unique location identifier and indicates the start and stop depths (or times) of the file.
- · This section must contain the following lines with the mnemonics as indicated:

```
STRT.M nnn.nn : START DEPTH
```

Refers to the first depth (or time) in the file. The "nnn.nn" refers to the depth (or time) value. The value must be identical in value to the first depth (time) in the "ASCII section although its format may vary (123.45 is equivalent to 123.45000).

The number of decimals used is not restricted. If the index is depth, the units must be M (meters), F (feet) or FT (feet). Units must hen the lines relating to STRT, STOP, STEP and the index (first) channel in the "C section. If time, the units can be any unit that results in a floating point number representation of time. (dd/mm/yy or hh:mm:ss formats are not supported). The logical depth order (shallow to deep or deep to shallow) is optional.

Successive time index values must increase if the index is "Time". The start depth (or time) when divided by the step depth (or time) must be a whole number.

STOP.M nnn.n : STOP DEPTH

Same comments as for STRT except this value represents the LAST data line in the ~ASCII log data section. The stop depth when divided by the step depth must be a whole number.

STEP.M nnn.nn : STEP

Same comments as for STRT, except this value represents the actual difference between every successive index value in the "ASCII log data section. The sign (+ or -) represents the logical difference between each successive index value. (+ for increasing index values). The step must be identical in value between every index value throughout the file. If the step increment is not exactly consistent between every index sample, then the step must have a value of 0.

NULL. nnnn.nn : NULL VALUE

Refers to null values. Commonly used null values are -9999, -999.25 and -9999.25.

COMP. aaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa : COMPANY Refers to company name.

nerers to company name.

WELL . aaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa : WELL Refers to the well name.

FLD. aaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa : FIELD

Refers to the field name.

LOC. aaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa : LOCATION Refers to the well location.

PROV. aaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa : PROVINCE Refers to the province. For areas outside Canada this line may be replaced by:

CNTY: aaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa : COUNTY
STAT: aaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa : STATE
CTRY: aaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa : COUNTRY

SRVC. aaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa : SERVICE COMPANY Refers to logging company.

DATE. aaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa : DATE

Refers to date logged. The preferred data is of the form yyyy mm dd

UWI . aaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa : UNIQUE WELL ID

Refers to unique well identifier. Within Canada, the most common UWI consists of a 16

character string. Please exclude all dashes, slashes and spaces from such UWIs.

For areas outside of Canada this may be replaced by:

```
API . aaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa : API NUMBER
```

 Additional lines in the well information section are optional. There is no limit on the number of additional lines.

LIC. nnnnn : LICENCE NUMBER
Refers to a regulatory licence number. Required by ERCB in Alberta

. The following is an example of a Well Information Section in LAS version 2.0:

~Well In	nformation Section	
MNEM. UI	NIT VALUE/NAME DESCRIPT	ION
# -		
STRT.M	635.0000	:START DEPTH
STOP.M	400.0000	:STOP DEPTH
STEP.M	-0.125	:STEP
NULL.	-999.25	:NULL VALUE
COMP.	ANY OIL COMPANY INC.	: COMPANY
WELL.	ANY ET AL 12-34-12-34	:WELL
FLD .	WILDCAT	:FIELD
LOC .	12-34-12-34W5M	:LOCATION
PROV.	ALBERTA	: PROVINCE
SRVC.	ANY LOGGING COMPANY INC.	:SERVICE COMPANY
LIC .	12345	:ERCB LICENCE NUMBER
DATE.	13-DEC-86	:LOG DATE
JWI .	100123401234W500	:UNIQUE WELL ID

5.5 ~C (Curve Information)

- · This section is mandatory.
- Only one "~C" section can occur in an LAS 2.0 file.
- It describes the curves and its units in the order they appear in the ~ASCII log data section of the file
- . The mnemonics used are not restricted but must be defined on the line in which they appear.
- API curve codes are optional. (May be required by some regulatory agencies)
- The channels described in this section must be present in the data set.
- The first channel described is the index of all other channels, and is either Depth or Time. The
 only valid mnemonics for the index channel are DEPT, DEPTH or TIME.

The following is an example of a Curve Information Section with API codes.

#MNEM.UNIT API CO		CODE		Curve Description	
#					
DEPT .M			: :	1 DEPTH	
RHOB .K/M3	45 350	02 00	: :	2 BULK DENSITY	
NPH .VOL/VO	42 890	00 00	: :	NEUTRON POROSITY - SANDSTONE	
MSFL .OHMM	20 270	01 00	: .	4 Rxo RESISTIVITY	
SFLA .OHMM	07 222	01 00	: :	5 SHALLOW RESISTIVITY	
ILM .OHMM	07 120	44 00	: '	6 MEDIUM RESISTIVITY	
ILD .OHMM	07 120	46 00	: '	7 DEEP RESISTIVITY	
SP .MV	07 010	01 00	: :	S SPONTANEOUS POTENTIAL	
GR .GAPI	45 310	01 00	: :	9 GAMMA RAY	
CALI .MM	45 280	01 00	: :	10 CALIPER	

5.6 ~P (Parameter Information)

- This section is optional. It defines the input values of various parameters relating to this well.
 These input values can consist of numbers or words.
- Only one "~P" section can occur in an LAS 2.0 file.
- The mnemonics used are not restricted but must be defined on the line on which they appear.
- . There is no limit on the number of lines that can be used.
- . The following is an example of a Parameter Information Section.

~Para	meter	Information	Section		
#MNEM	1.UNIT		Value		Description
#					
MUD			GEL CHEM	:	Mud type
BHT	. DEGC		114.0000	:	Bottom Hole Temperature
BS	. MM		222.0000	:	Bit Size
CSGL	. M		345.7	:	Casing Depth
FD	.K/M3		999.9999	:	Fluid Density
MDEN	.K/M3		2650.0000	:	Logging Matrix Density
MATR			SAND	:	Neutron Matrix
FNUM			1.0000	:	Tortuosity Const. Archie's(a)
FEXP			2.000	:	Cementation Exp Archie's (m)
DFD	.K/M3		1200.0000	:	Mud Weight
DFV	.s		50.0000	:	Mud Viscosity
DFL	.c3		8.0000	:	Mud Fluid Loss
DFPH			10.00	:	Mud pH
RMFS	. OHMM		2.8200	:	Mud Filtrate Resistivity
EKB	. M		566.9700	:	Elevation Kelly Bushing
EGL	. M		563.6799	:	Elevation Ground Level

5.7 ~O (Other Information)

- · This section is optional. It is intended as a remarks or comments section.
- Only one "~O" section can occur in an LAS 2.0 file.
- This section has no delimiter requirements.
- The following is an example of an "Other Information Section"

~Other Information Section

The log digits for this well were hand digitized from poor half scale log prints. This was the best information available at the time. Every attempt should be made to track down the original films.

.Dec. 12,1990 John Doe, Petrophysics

5.8 ~A (ASCII Log Data)

- · The data section will always be the last section in a file.
- Only one "~A" section can occur in an LAS 2.0 file.
- · Embedded blank lines anywhere in the section are forbidden
- Each column of data must be separated by at least one space. Consistency of format on every line, while not required, is expected by many LAS readers. Right Justification of each column of data and the same width of all data fields is highly recommended.
- Line length in the data section of unwrapped files are no longer restricted
- . In wrap mode, the index channel will be on its own line
- In wrap mode, a line of data will be no longer than 80 characters. This includes a carriage return and line feed.

6.0 References

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Example #1 - LAS 2.0 in Unwrapped Mode

```
~VERSION INFORMATION
VERS.
                            2.0 : CWLS LOG ASCII STANDARD -VERSION 2.0
WRAP.
                           NO : ONE LINE PER DEPTH STEP
~WELL INFORMATION
#MNEM.UNIT
                          DATA
                                                          DESCRIPTION
 #-----
                           -----
STRT .M
                           1670.0000
                                                        :START DEPTH
STOP .M
STEP .M
                           1669.7500
                                                        :STOP DEPTH
-0.1250
-999.25
COMP ANY OIL COMPANY INC.
WELL ANY ET AL 12-34-12-34
FLD WILDCAT
LOC 'A
                                                        STEP
                                                        :NULL VALUE
                                                        · COMPANY
                                                        :WELT
                                                         :FIELD
                                                         :LOCATION
PROV
                 ALBERTA
                                                         : PROVINCE
                 ANY LOGGING COMPANY INC.
SRVC
                                                         :SERVICE COMPANY
DATE
                  13-DEC-86
                                                         :LOG DATE
                  100123401234W500
UWI
                                                         :UNIQUE WELL ID
        . 10012
                                                         :ERCB LICENCE NUMB
~CURVE INFORMATION
#MNEM.UNIT
                                                           CURVE DESCRIPTION
                          API CODES
#-----
                          -----
 DEPT .M
                                                  : 1 DEPTH
                          : 1 DEPTH
60 520 32 00 : 2 SONIC TRANSIT TIME
45 350 01 00 : 3 BULK DENSITY
42 890 00 00 : 4 NEUTRON POROSITY
07 220 01 00 : 5 SHALLOW RESISTIVITY
07 120 44 00 : 7 MEDIUM RESISTIVITY
07 120 46 00 : 8 DEPT PRSISTIVITY
 DT
        .US/M
 RHOB .K/M3
 NPHI .V/V
                        07 220 04 00
 SFLU .OHMM
 SFLA .OHMM 07 222 01 00
ILM .OHMM 07 120 44 00
ILD .OHMM 07 120 46 00
                                                  : 8 DEEP RESISTIVITY
~PARAMETER INFORMATION
#MNEM.UNIT
                            VALUE
                                               DESCRIPTION
                       -----
                                                -----
 MUD .
                          GEL CHEM : MUD TYPE
        .DEGC
                           35.5000
                                             : BOTTOM HOLE TEMPERATURE
 CSGL .M
                          124.6
SAND

    BASE OF CASING

                                             : NEUTRON MATRIX
 MATR
                          : NEUTRON MATRIX
2710.0000 : LOGGING MATRIX DENSITY
0.2160 : MUD FILTRATE RESISTIVITY
1525.0000 : DRILL FLUID DENSITY
 MDEN
        .OHMM
 RMF
         .K/M3
 DFD
~OTHER
    Note: The logging tools became stuck at 625 metres causing the
data between 625 metres and 615 metres to be invalid.
~A DEPTH
               DT
                      RHOB
                                    NPHI SFLU
                                                      SFLA
                                                                  ILM
1670.000 123.450 2550.000 0.450 123.450 123.450 110.200 05.600 1669.875 123.450 2550.000 0.450 123.450 123.450 110.200 05.600 669.750 123.450 2550.000 0.450 123.450 123.450 110.200 05.600
```

Example #2 - LAS 2.0 With Minimal Header Information in Unwrapped Mode.

```
2.0 : CWLS LAS-VERSION 2.0
VERS.
                        NO : One line per depth step
WRAP.
                                               :START DEPTH
STRT.M
                                635.0000
                                634.8750
                                                :STOP DEPTH
STOP.M
                                 -0.1250
                                               :STEP
STEP M
NULL.
                                -999.25
                                               :NULL VALUE
COMP.
              ANY OIL COMPANY INC.
ANY ET AL 12-34-12-34
                                                :COMPANY
WELL.
                                                :WELL
FLD .
               WILDCAT
                                                :FIELD
               12-34-12-34W5M
LOC .
                                                :LOCATION
PROV.
               ALBERTA
                                                : PROVINCE
               ANY LOGGING COMPANY INC.
SRVC.
                                                :SERVICE COMPANY
DATE.
               13-DEC-86
                                                :LOG DATE
UWI.
               100123401234W500
                                                :UNIOUE WELL ID
LIC .
               23412
                                                 :ERCB LICENCE NUMB
~C
DEPT .M
RHOB .K/M3
NPHI .VOL/VOL
                                    : DEPTH
                                    : BULK DENSITY
                                    : NEUTRON POROSITY - SANDSTONE
MSFT.
        .OHMM
                                    : Rxo RESISTIVITY
SFLA
        .OHMM
                                       SHALLOW RESISTIVITY
TT.M
        .OHMM
                                       MEDIUM RESISTIVITY
TT.D
       .OHMM
                                       DEEP RESISTIVITY
SP
       .MV
                                       SPONTANEOUS POTENTIAL
~A
635.0000 2256.0000 0.4033 22.0781 22.0781 20.3438 3.6660 123.4 634.8750 2256.0000 0.4033 22.0781 22.0781 20.3438 3.6660 123.4
```

Example #3 - LAS 2.0 Wrapped Version

```
~VERSION INFORMATION
                    2.0 : CWLS log ASCII Standard -VERSION 2.0
YES : Multiple lines per depth step
VERS.
WRAP.
~WELL INFORMATION
#MNEM.UNIT
                         DATA
#-----
                      -----
                        910.0000
                                              :START DEPTH
STRT .M
       . M
                        909.5000
                                               :STOP DEPTH
STEP
                        -0.1250
                                               :STEP
       . M
      -999.25
ANY OIL COMPANY INC.
ANY ET AL 12-34-12-34
WILDCAT
12-34-12-34W5M
ALBERTA
ANY LOGGING COMPANY INC.
142085
                       -999.25
                                               :NULL VALUE
NULL
COMP
                                               :COMPANY
WELL
                                               :WELL
FLD
                                                :FIELD
LOC
                                                :LOCATION
PROV
                                               :PROVINCE
SRVC
                                               :SERVICE COMPANY
SON
              142085
13-DEC-86
                                               :SERVICE ORDER NUMBER
DATE
                                                :LOG DATE
UWI . 100123401234W500
LIC . 23412
                                               :UNIQUE WELL ID
                                               :LICENCE NUMB.
~CURVE INFORMATION
#MNEM.UNIT
                                             Curve Description
                                      : Depth
       .US/M
                                      : 1 Sonic Travel Time
RHOB .K/M
                                      : 2 Density-Bulk Density
        .V/V
NPHI
                                      : 3 Porosity -Neutron
        .OHMM
 RX0
                                      : 4 Resistivity -Rxo
       .OHMM
 RESS
                                      : 5 Resistivity -Shallow
        .OHMM
 RESM
                                      : 6 Resistivity -Medium
 RESD
        .OHMM
                                        7 Resistivity -Deep
                                      :
     .MV
                                      : 8 Spon. Potential
 SP
       .GAPI
 GR
                                        9 Gamma Ray
 CALI
       .MM
                                      : 10 Caliper
 DRHO
       .K/M3
                                      : 11 Delta-Rho
       .DBM
 EATT
                                      : 12 EPT Attenuation
 TPT.
       .NS/M
                                      : 13 TP -EPT
 PEF
                                      : 14 PhotoElectric Factor
       .V/V
 FFT
                                     : 15 Porosity -NML FFI
                                      : 16 Caliper-Differential
 DCAL .MM
       .K/M3
 RHGF
                                     : 17 Density-Formation
 RHGA .K/M3
                                     : 18 Density-Apparent
                                     : 19 Baselined SP
 SPBL .MV
       .GAPI
 GRC
                                     : 20 Gamma Ray BHC
 PHIA .V/V
                                     : 21 Porosity -Apparent
 PHID .V/V
                                     : 22 Porosity -Density
 PHIE .V/V
                                     : 23 Porosity -Effective
 PHIN .V/V
                                      : 24 Porosity -Neut BHC
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```
PHIC .V/V
                                : 25 Porosity -Total HCC
                                 : 26 Ro
R0
      .OHMM
RWA
      .OHMM
                                 : 27 Rfa
SW
                                 : 28 Sw -Effective
                                 : 29 Sh Idx -Min
MST
BVW
                                 : 30 BVW
                                 : 31 Flag -Gas Index
FGAS
PTDX
                                 : 32 Prod Idx
FBH
                                 : 33 Flag -Bad Hole
                                 : 34 Flag -HC Correction
FHCC
                                 : 35 Flag -Limit SWB
T.SWB
~A Log data section
910.000000
 -999.2500 2692.7075     0.3140   19.4086   19.4086    13.1709   12.2681
   -1.5010 96.5306 204.7177 30.5822 -999.2500 -999.2500 3.2515
 -999.2500
            4.7177 3025.0264 3025.0264 -1.5010 93.1378 0.1641
                             0.1641 11.1397
    0.0101
            0.1641 0.3140
                                              0.3304 0.9529
            0.1564
                                               0.0000 0.0000
    0.0000
                     0.0000
                            11.1397 0.0000
909.875000
 -999.2500 2712.6460   0.2886   23.3987   23.3987   13.6129   12.4744
   -1.4720 90.2803 203.1093 18.7566 -999.2500 999.2500 3.7058
 -999.2500
            3.1093 3004.6050 3004.6050 -1.4720 86.9078
                                                       0.1456
   -0.0015
            0.1456 0.2886 0.1456 14.1428
                                               0.2646 1.0000
    0.0000
            0.1456
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                            14.1428
                                      0.0000
                                               0.0000 0.0000
909.750000
 -999.2500 2692.8137
                     0.2730 22.5909 22.5909 13.6821 12.6146
                            3.1551 -999.2500 -999.2502
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    0.0101
          0.1435
    0.0000
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   -1.5010 93.3999 201.5826
           1.5826 2955.3528 2955.3528 -1.5010 89.7142
 -999.2500
                                                       0.1590
                                              0.3210
    0.0384
            0.1590 0.2765 0.1590 11.8600
    0.0000
            0.1538
                     0.0000 11.8600
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                     0.2996 13.9187 13.9187 12.9195 12.7016
   -1.4916 98.1214 201.7126 -4.5574 -999.2500 -999.2500 3.5967
 -999.2500 1.7126 2953.5940 2953.5940 -1.4916 94.2670 0.1880
            0.1880 0.2996 0.1880 8.4863 0.4490 0.8174
    0.0723
    0.0000 0.1537 0.0000 8.4863 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000
```

Example # 4 LAS 2.0 Time Based Data

```
~VERSION INFORMATION
                       2.0 : CWLS LOG ASCII STANDARD -VERSION 2.0 NO : ONE LINE PER TIME STEP
 VERS.
WRAP.
~WELL INFORMATION
STRT .S 0.0000
STOP .S 1.5000
STEP .S 0.3000
                                                  :START TIME
                                                  :STOP TIME
STOP ...
STEP .S
NULL .
COMP .
                                                  :STEP
              -999.25
ANY OIL COMPANY INC.
ANY ET 12-34-12-34
WILDCAT
12-34-12-34W5
                                                  :NULL VALUE
                                                  : COMPANY
                                                  :WELL
WELL
FLD
                                                  :FIELD
                                                  :LOCATION
LOC
PROV
               ALBERTA
                                                  :PROVINCE
SRVC
               ANY LOGGING COMPANY INC.
                                                  :SERVICE COMPANY
               13-DEC-86
DATE
                                                  :LOG DATE
UWI
               100123401234W500
                                                  :UNIQUE WELL ID
~CURVE INFORMATION
                         : 1 ELAPSED TIME
ETIM .S
 BFR1 .OHMM
                         : 2 SINGLE PROBE 1 RESISTIVITY
BSG1
       .PSIG
                         : 3 SINGLE PROBE 1 STRAIN GAUGE PRESSURE
~PARAMETER INFORMATION
                        67.0 : BOTTOM HOLE TEMPERATURE
MRT .DEGC
GDEPT .M
                        3456.5 : GAUGE DEPTH
DFD .KG/M3
                        1000.0 : MUD WEIGHT
\sim \Delta
0.0000
               0.2125
                                16564.1445
0.3000
               0.2125
                                16564.1445
0.6000
               0.2125
                                 16564.2421
               0.2125
0.2125
                                 16564.0434
0.9000
               U.2125
0.2125
                                16564.0430
1.2000
1.5000
                                16564.0435
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