

Reservoir Fluid Study
for
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Home Scurry S Pierson 6-19-2-29 (WLM)
South Pierson Field, Manitoba

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Gentlemen:

Samples of treater gas and oil were collected from the subject well on 1987 08 28 by a representative of Core Laboratories. The samples were then submitted to our Calgary laboratory for analysis.

Initially, the treater samples were physically recombined to the specified gas-oil ratio of 44.44 m³/m³ stock tank liquid. A portion of the recombined reservoir fluid was transferred, under pressure, to a high pressure, windowed cell and heated to the reported reservoir temperature of 42.0°C. The pressure-volume relations and the differential pressure depletion relations of the fluid were determined at this temperature. The viscosity of the fluid was also measured at the reservoir temperature for pressures exceeding the saturation pressure to atmospheric pressure. A two-stage separator test was then conducted, using a primary pressure of 131 kPa (gauge) at 54.4°C.

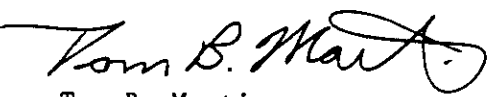
The solution gas-oil ratios and formation volume factor generated from this separator test have been adjusted using data from the pressure-volume relations test and the differential vaporization test.

The composition of the recombined reservoir fluid was determined by low temperature, fractional distillation.

Thank you for the opportunity to be of service. Please contact us if you have any questions concerning the enclosed data.

Yours truly,

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SECTION I

Tabular Data

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VOLUMETRIC DATA OF RESERVOIR FLUID SAMPLE

1. Saturation pressure (P_g) (bubble point) 4551 kPa (gauge) at 42.0 °C.

2. Thermal expansion (β_o) of reservoir fluid: Volume @ 42.0°C:
Volume @ 22.2°C

At 34474 kPa (Gauge) - 1.01732

3. Compressibility (C_o) of reservoir fluid @ reservoir temperature: Vol/Vol/kPa:

From 34474 kPa to 27579 kPa - 8.66×10^{-6}

From 27579 kPa to 20684 kPa - 9.06×10^{-6}

From 20684 kPa to 13790 kPa - 10.03×10^{-6}

From 13790 kPa to 6895 kPa - 10.83×10^{-6}

From 6895 kPa to 4551 kPa - 11.98×10^{-6}

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PRESSURE VOLUME RELATIONS AT 42.0°C

<u>PRESSURE</u> kPa <u>(Gauge)</u>	<u>RELATIVE</u> VOLUME <u>V/Vsat (1)</u>	<u>Y</u> <u>FUNCTION (2)</u>	<u>OIL</u> DENSITY <u>kg/m³</u>
34474	0.9711		798.2
27579	0.9769		793.5
20684	0.9830		788.6
13790	0.9898		783.2
6895	0.9972		777.4
6205	0.9980		776.8
5516	0.9989		776.1
Ps <u>4551</u>	<u>1.0000</u>		<u>775.2</u>
4378	1.0117	3.307	
4089	1.0349	3.156	
3709	1.0744	2.971	
3296	1.1338	2.761	
2910	1.2127	2.562	
2517	1.3292	2.360	
2172	1.4783	2.188	
1841	1.6883	2.027	
1572	1.9380	1.898	

(1) Cubic metres at indicated pressure and temperature per cubic metre of saturated oil.

(2) $Y = \frac{(P_{sat} - P)}{(P + 101.325)(\text{Relative Volume} - 1)}$

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DIFFERENTIAL VAPORIZATION AT 42.2°C

OIL PROPERTIES

	PRESSURE kPa (GAUGE)	OIL DENSITY kg/m ³ C _o	RELATIVE OIL VOLUME (1) B _o	RELATIVE TOTAL VOLUME (2) B _t	SOLUTION GAS-OIL RATIO (3) R _s	LIBERATED GAS-OIL RATIO R ₁
P _s	4551	775.2	1.196	1.196	53.67	0.00
	3861	775.7	1.191	1.268	50.69	2.98
	3034	777.9	1.183	1.409	46.78	6.89
	2413	779.8	1.175	1.597	43.40	10.27
	1724	782.7	1.164	2.011	38.77	14.90
	1014	787.3	1.148	3.139	32.37	21.30
	634	791.0	1.136	4.793	28.10	25.57
	0	824.7	1.022	59.838	0.00	53.67

Gravity of Residual Oil - 36.3° API @ 15.6°C

Density of Residual Oil - 842.4 kg/m³ @ 15.6°C

- (1) Cubic metres of oil at indicated pressure and temperature per cubic metre of residual oil at 15.0°C.
- (2) Cubic metres of oil plus liberated gas at indicated pressure and temperature per cubic metre of residual oil at 15.0°C.
- (3) Cubic metres of gas at 101.325 kPa (absolute) and 15.0°C per cubic metre of residual oil at 15.0°C.

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DIFFERENTIAL VAPORIZATION AT 42.0°C

GAS PROPERTIES

PRESSURE kPa (Gauge)	INCREMENTAL GAS RELATIVE DENSITY (1)	CUMULATIVE GAS RELATIVE DENSITY (1)	INCREMENTAL DEVIATION FACTOR (2)	GAS FORMATION VOLUME FACTOR (2) B_g	GAS EXPANSION FACTOR (3) 1/B_g
P _s <u>4551</u>					
3861	0.891	0.891	0.926	0.02595	38.54
3034	0.860	0.873	0.928	0.03287	30.42
2413	0.868	0.872	0.930	0.04107	24.35
1724	0.893	0.878	0.934	0.05682	17.60
1014	0.956	0.902	0.939	0.09349	10.70
634	1.049	0.926	0.947	0.14301	6.99
0	1.607	1.284	1.000	1.09589	0.91

- (1) AIR = 1.000
(2) Cubic metres of gas at indicated pressure and temperature per cubic metre at 101.325 kPa (absolute) at 15.0°C.
(3) Cubic metres of gas at 101.325 kPa (absolute) and 15.0°C per cubic metre at indicated pressure and temperature.

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RESERVOIR FLUID VISCOSITY AT 42.0°C

PRESSURE kPa (Gauge)	OIL VISCOSITY mPa.S	GAS VISCOSITY mPa.S (1)	OIL/GAS VISCOSITY RATIO
34474	1.783		
31026	1.720		
27579	1.657		
24132	1.596		
20684	1.533		
17237	1.470		
13790	1.407		
10342	1.345		
6895	1.282		
<u>4551</u>	<u>1.239</u>		
3861	1.268	0.0116	109.31
3034	1.324	0.0113	117.17
2413	1.379	0.0111	124.23
1724	1.439	0.0108	133.24
1014	1.568	0.0104	150.77
634	1.752	0.0100	175.20
0	2.939	0.0082	358.41

- (1) Calculated from the correlation by Lee, Eakin and Gonzalez:
"The Viscosity of Natural Gases". August 1966 - Journal of Petroleum
Technology.

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FLASH TEST OF TREATER OIL SAMPLE

STOCK TANK PRESSURE kPa (Gauge)	STOCK TANK TEMPERATURE °C	GAS-OIL RATIO R ₁ (1)	GAS-OIL RATIO R ₁ (2)	STOCK TANK OIL GRAVITY ° API @ 15.6°C	SEPARATOR VOLUME FACTOR B _o (3)	STOCK TANK VOLUME FACTOR (4)	RELATIVE DENSITY OF LIBERATED GAS (5)
131							
to							
0	15.0	-	<u>3.11</u>	38.4	1.041	-	0.976
		TOTAL	3.11				

This data was used to develop the recombined reservoir fluid; i.e., the treater gas and oil were physically recombined to the specified gas-oil ratio of 44.44 m³/m³ stock tank liquid.

- (1) Cubic metres of gas @ 101.325 kPa (absolute) and 15.0°C per cubic metre of oil @ indicated pressure and temperature.
- (2) Cubic metres of gas @ 101.325 kPa (absolute) and 15.0°C per cubic metre of stock tank oil @ 15.0°C.
- (3) Cubic metres of saturated oil @ 131 kPa (gauge) and 54.4°C per cubic metre of stock tank oil @ 15.0°C.
- (4) Cubic metres of oil @ indicated pressure and temperature per cubic metre of stock tank oil @ 15.0°C.
- (5) AIR - 1.000.

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SEPARATOR TEST OF RESERVOIR FLUID SAMPLE

SEPARATOR PRESSURE kPa (Gauge)	SEPARATOR TEMPERATURE °C	GAS-OIL RATIO R ₁ (1)	GAS-OIL RATIO R ₁ (2)	STOCK TANK OIL GRAVITY ° API @ 15.6°C	FORMATION VOLUME FACTOR B _o (3)	SEPARATOR VOLUME FACTOR (4)	RELATIVE DENSITY OF LIBERATED GAS (5)
4551							
to							
131	54.4	45.82	47.20			1.030	1.184
to							
0	26.7	3.05	<u>3.08</u>	37.6	1.178	1.009	N/M
		TOTAL	50.28				

N/M - Not measured due to insufficient liberated gas.

- (1) Cubic metres of gas @ 101.325 kPa (absolute) and 15.0°C per cubic metre of oil @ indicated pressure and temperature.
- (2) Cubic metres of gas @ 101.325 kPa (absolute) and 15.0°C per cubic metre of stock tank oil @ 15.0°C.
- (3) Cubic metres of saturated oil @ 4551 kPa (gauge) and 42.0°C per cubic metre of stock tank oil @ 15.0°C.
- (4) Cubic metres of oil @ indicated pressure and temperature per cubic metre of stock tank oil @ 15.0°C.
- (5) AIR - 1.000.

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LOCATION

WELL OR SAMPLE LOCATION NAME

KB ELEV. (m) GR ELEV. (m)

South Pierson, Manitoba

FIELD OR AREA

POOL OR ZONE

SAMPLER

TEST TYPE & NO.

TEST RECOVERY

Recombined Reservoir Fluid

POINT OF SAMPLE

AMT. & TYPE CUSHION

MUD RESISTIVITY

PUMPING

FLOWING

GAS LIFT

SWAB

WATER

m³/d

OIL

m³/d

GAS

m³/d

TEST INTERVALS (metres)

4551

e °C

e °C

42.0

SEPARATOR

RESERVOIR

CONTAINER
WHEN SAMPLED

CONTAINER
WHEN RECEIVED

SEPARATOR

--- PRESSURES, kPa (gauge) ---

--- TEMPERATURES, °C ---

DATE SAMPLED (Y/M/D)

DATE RECEIVED (Y/M/D)

87 11 01
DATE ANALYZED (Y/M/D)

DW
ANALYST

REMARKS

COMPONENT	MOLE FRACTION	MASS FRACTION	LIQUID VOLUME FRACTION
H ₂	0.0125	0.0026	0.0025
CO ₂	0.0001	0.0000	0.0000
H ₂ S	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
C ₁	0.1058	0.0125	0.0323
C ₂	0.0787	0.0174	0.0379
C ₃	0.0943	0.0306	0.0468
iC ₄	0.0182	0.0078	0.0107
C ₄	0.0603	0.0258	0.0342
iC ₅	0.0246	0.0131	0.0163
C ₅	0.0356	0.0189	0.0232
C ₆ ⁺	0.5699	0.8713	0.7961
TOTAL	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000

OBSERVED PROPERTIES OF C₆⁺ RESIDUE (15/15°C)

849.9 kg/m³
DENSITY

0.8507
RELATIVE DENSITY

34.9
API @ 15.5° C

208
RELATIVE MOLECULAR MASS

CALCULATED PROPERTIES OF TOTAL SAMPLE (15/15°C)

776.5 kg/m³
DENSITY

0.7772
RELATIVE DENSITY

50.6
API @ 15.5° C

135.99
RELATIVE MOLECULAR MASS

REMARKS

Refer to page 9 of 25 for extended
analysis of hexanes plus.

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SAMPLE POINT Recombined Reservoir Fluid

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Analysis of C₆+ Fraction

Boiling Point Range (°C)	Component	Carbon Number	Mole Fraction	Mass Fraction
36.1- 68.9	Hexanes	C ₆	0.0472	0.0339
68.9- 98.3	Heptanes	C ₇	0.0466	0.0388
98.3-125.6	Octanes	C ₈	0.0426	0.0405
125.6-150.6	Nonanes	C ₉	0.0325	0.0346
150.6-173.9	Decanes	C ₁₀	0.0385	0.0455
173.9-196.1	Undecanes	C ₁₁	0.0328	0.0426
196.1-215.0	Dodecanes	C ₁₂	0.0268	0.0379
215.0-235.0	Tridecanes	C ₁₃	0.0257	0.0393
235.0-252.2	Tetradecanes	C ₁₄	0.0226	0.0373
252.2-270.6	Pentadecanes	C ₁₅	0.0183	0.0324
270.6-287.8	Hexadecanes	C ₁₆	0.0167	0.0315
287.8-302.8	Heptadecanes	C ₁₇	0.0135	0.0269
302.8-317.2	Octadecanes	C ₁₈	0.0124	0.0263
317.2-330.0	Nonadecanes	C ₁₉	0.0124	0.0278
330.0-344.4	Eicosanes	C ₂₀	0.0094	0.0220
344.4-357.2	Heneicosanes	C ₂₁	0.0090	0.0222
357.2-369.4	Docosanes	C ₂₂	0.0075	0.0194
369.4-380.0	Tricosanes	C ₂₃	0.0069	0.0186
380.0-391.1	Tetracosanes	C ₂₄	0.0065	0.0184
391.1-401.7	Pentacosanes	C ₂₅	0.0058	0.0171
401.7-412.2	Hexacosanes	C ₂₆	0.0047	0.0144
412.2-422.2	Heptacosanes	C ₂₇	0.0045	0.0143
422.2-431.7	Octacosanes	C ₂₈	0.0042	0.0137
431.7-441.1	Nonacosanes	C ₂₉	0.0039	0.0131
441.1 PLUS	triacontanes Plus	C ₃₀ +	0.0259	0.1292
80.0	Benzene	C ₆ H ₆	0.0043	0.0028
110.6	Toluene	C ₇ H ₈	0.0170	0.0131
136.1-138.9	Ethylbenzene, p + m-Xylene	C ₈ H ₁₀	0.0164	0.0145
144.4	o-Xylene	C ₈ H ₁₀	0.0055	0.0048
168.9	1,2,4 Trimethylbenzene	C ₉ H ₁₂	0.0065	0.0065
48.9	Cyclopentane	C ₅ H ₁₀	0.0010	0.0006
72.2	Methylcyclopentane	C ₆ H ₁₂	0.0126	0.0088
81.1	Cyclohexane	C ₆ H ₁₂	0.0142	0.0099
101.1	Methylcyclohexane	C ₇ H ₁₄	0.0155	0.0126
	TOTAL		0.5699	0.8713
68.9 PLUS	Mole Fraction of C ₇ +			0.5217
68.9 PLUS	Mass Fraction of C ₇ +			0.8368
68.9 PLUS	Calculated Relative Molecular Mass of C ₇ +			219
68.9 PLUS	Calculated Relative Density of C ₇ +			0.8605
68.9 PLUS	Calculated Density of C ₇ + (kg/m ³)			859.8

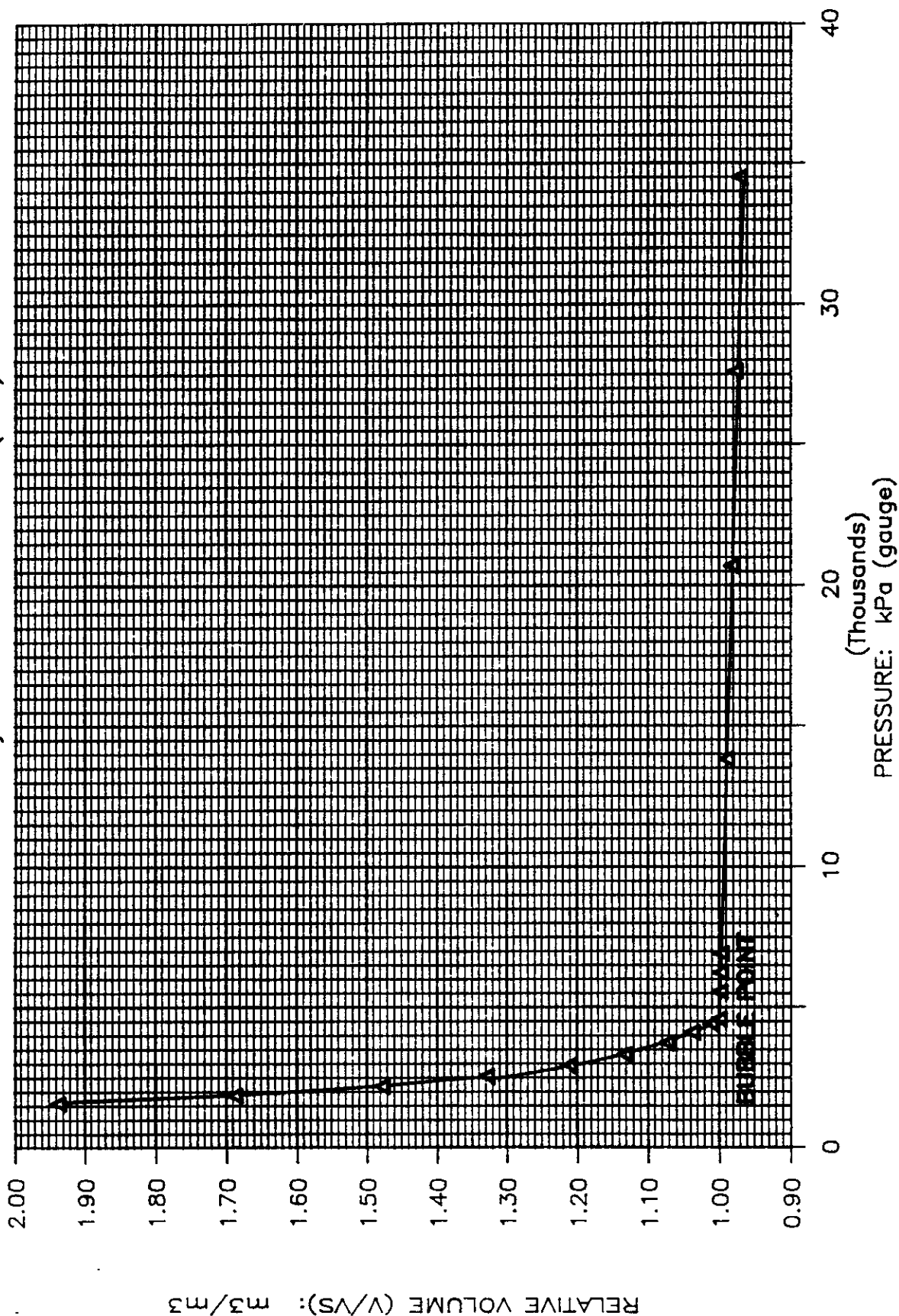
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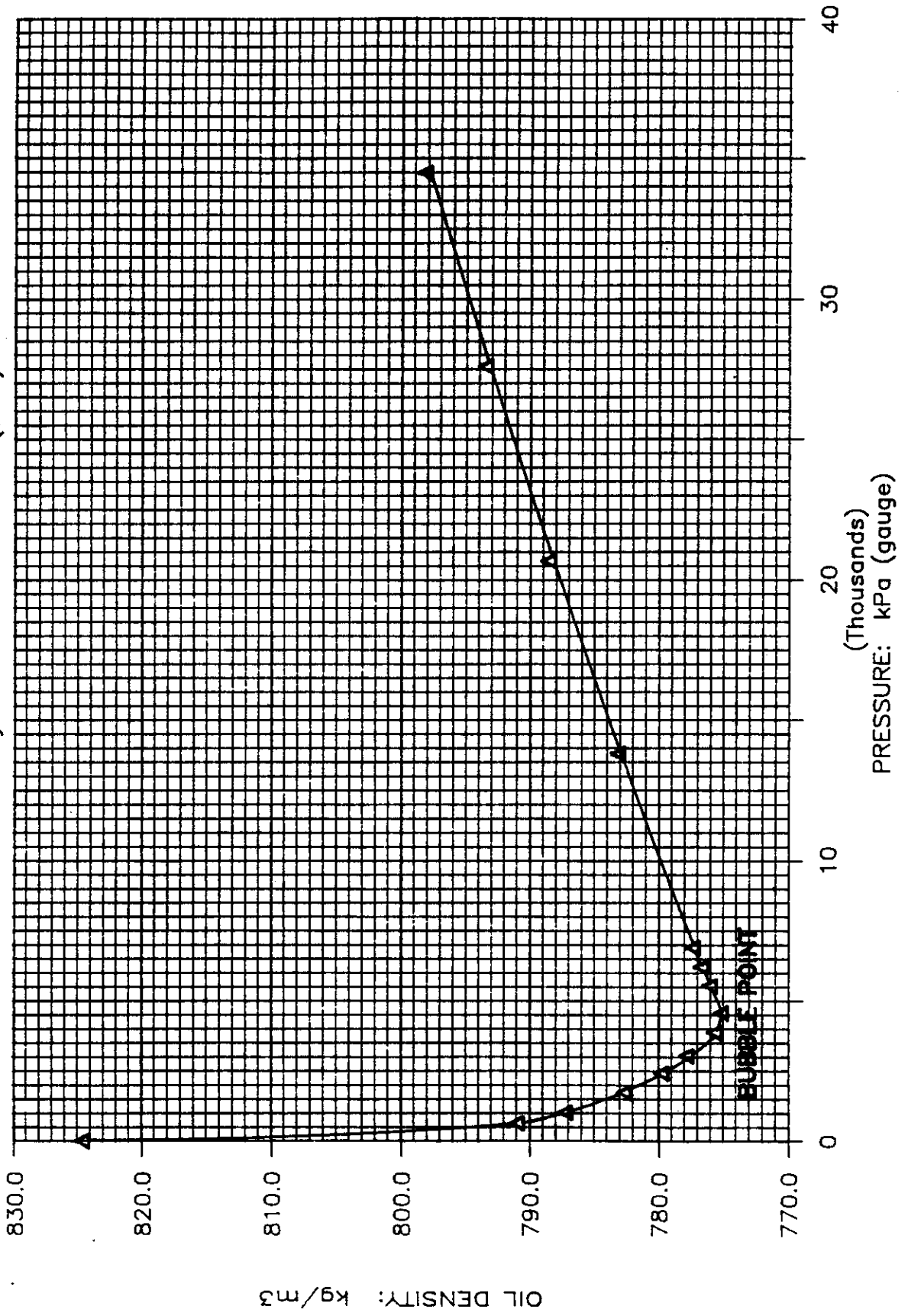
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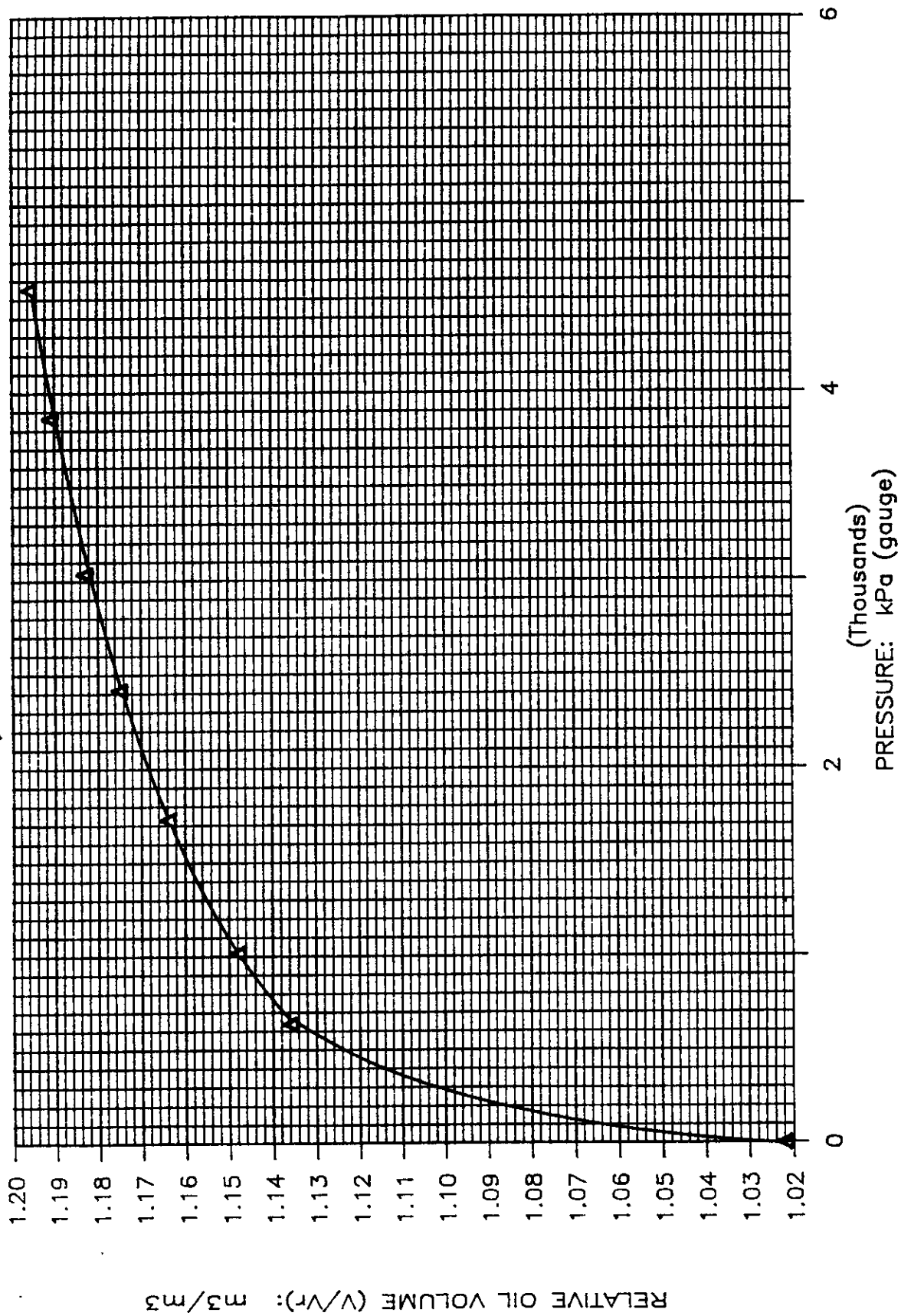
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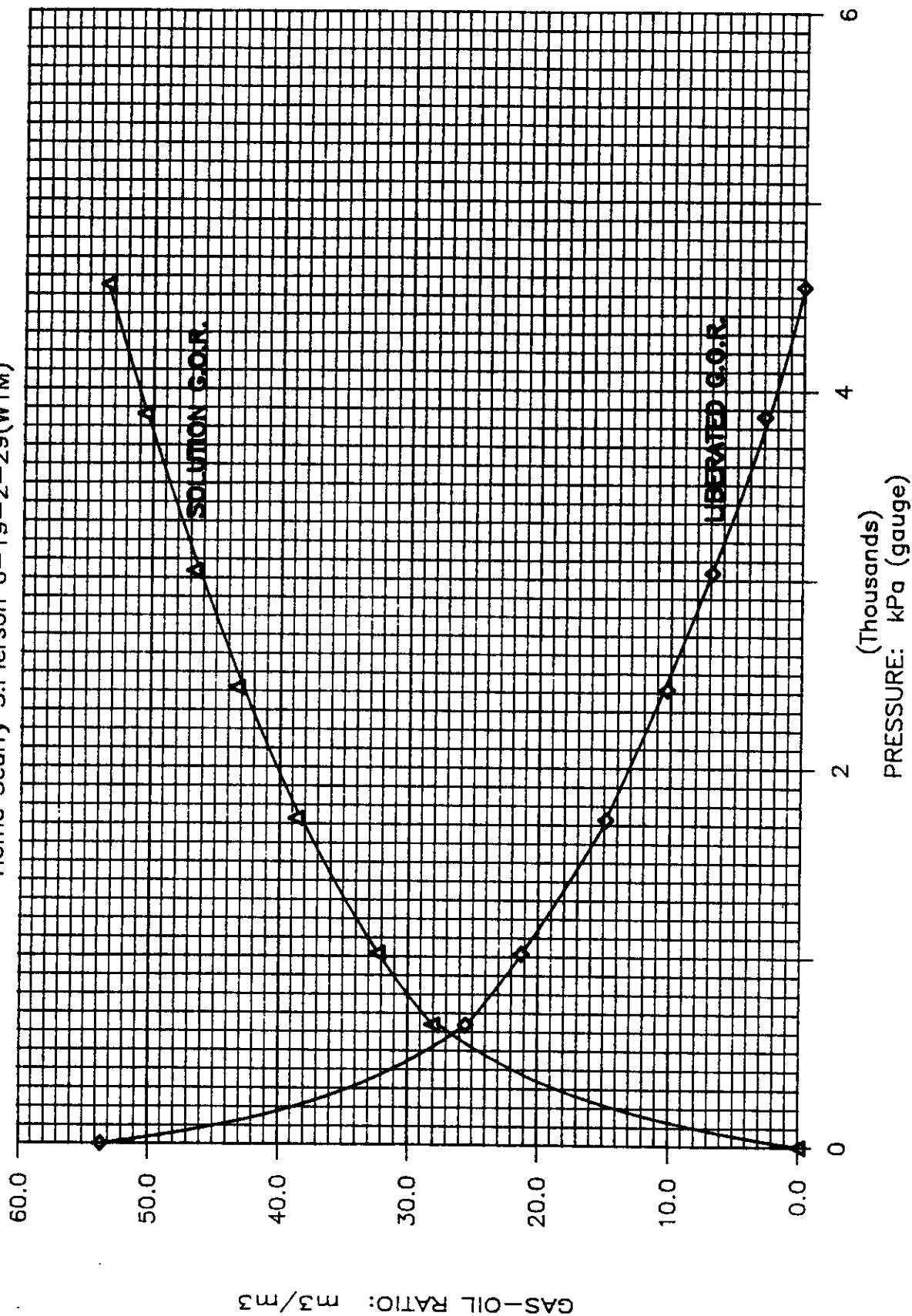
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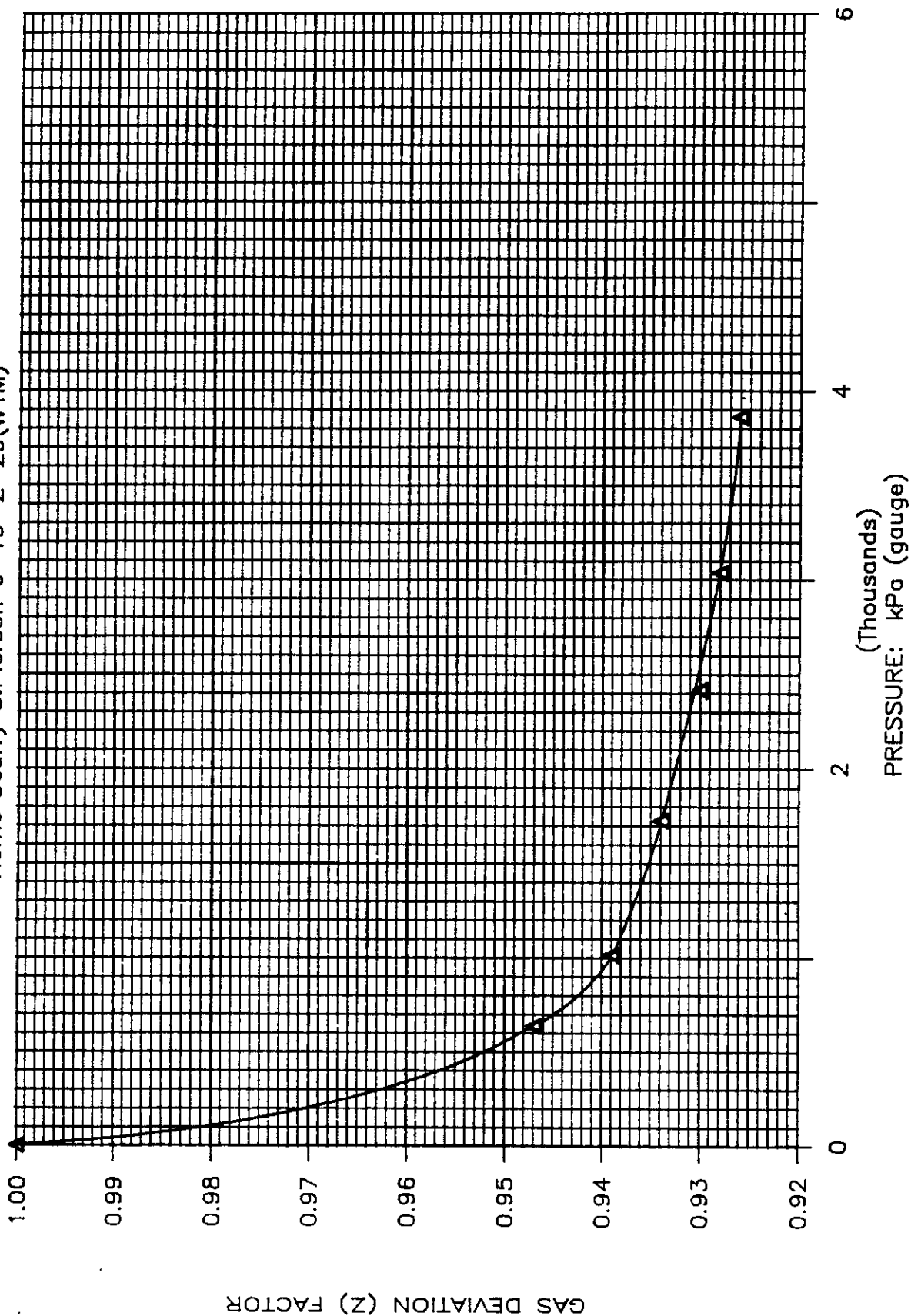
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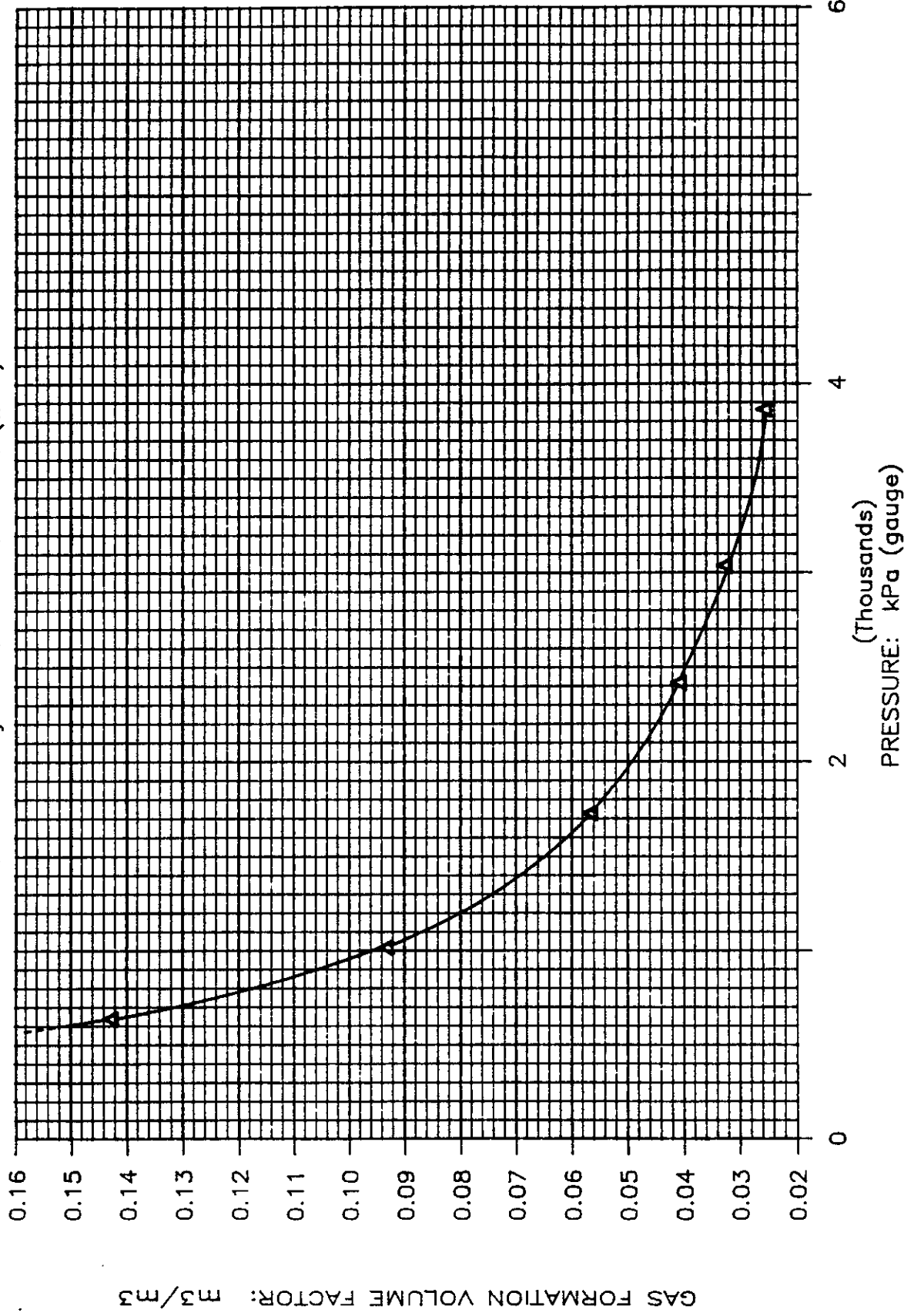
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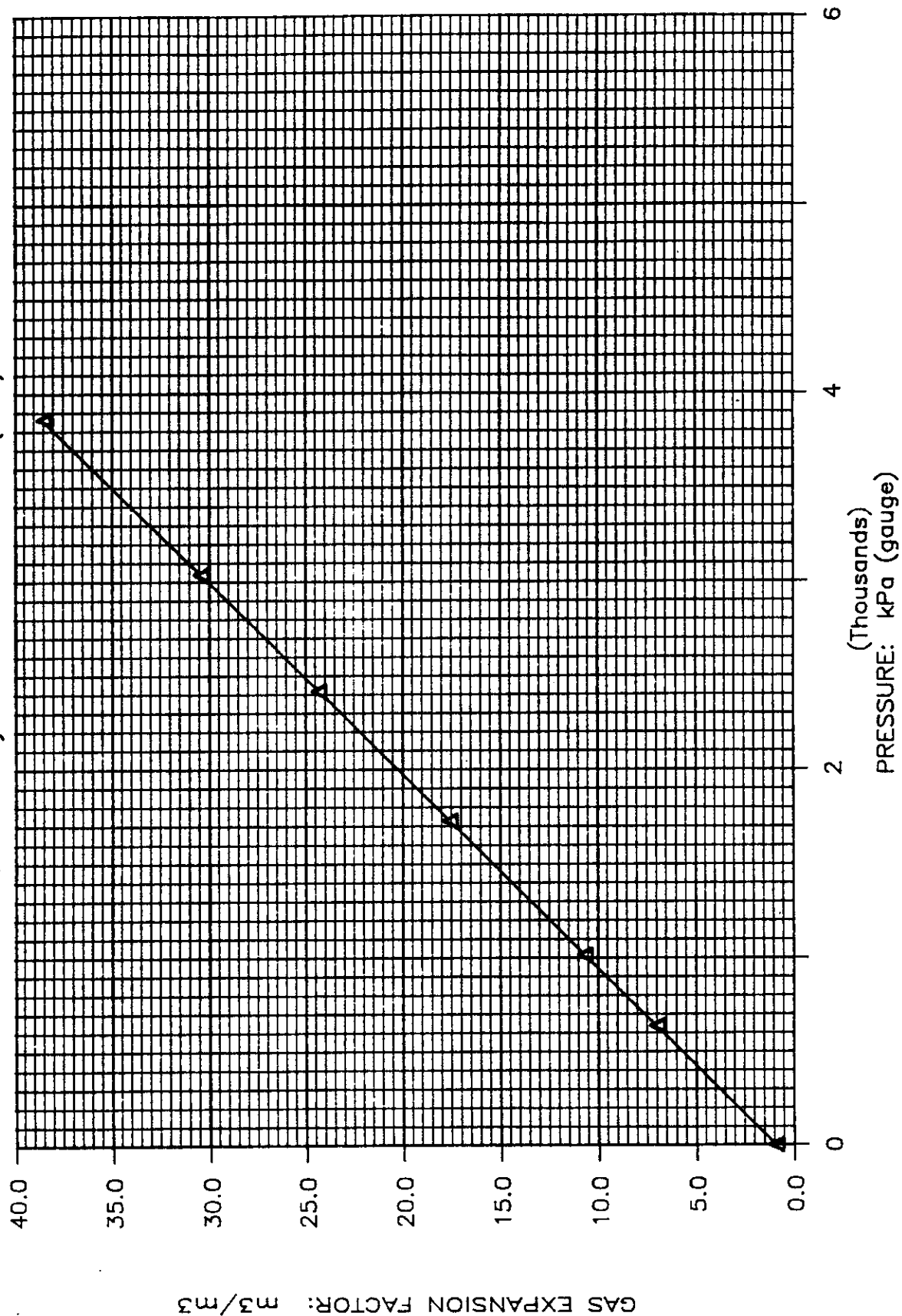
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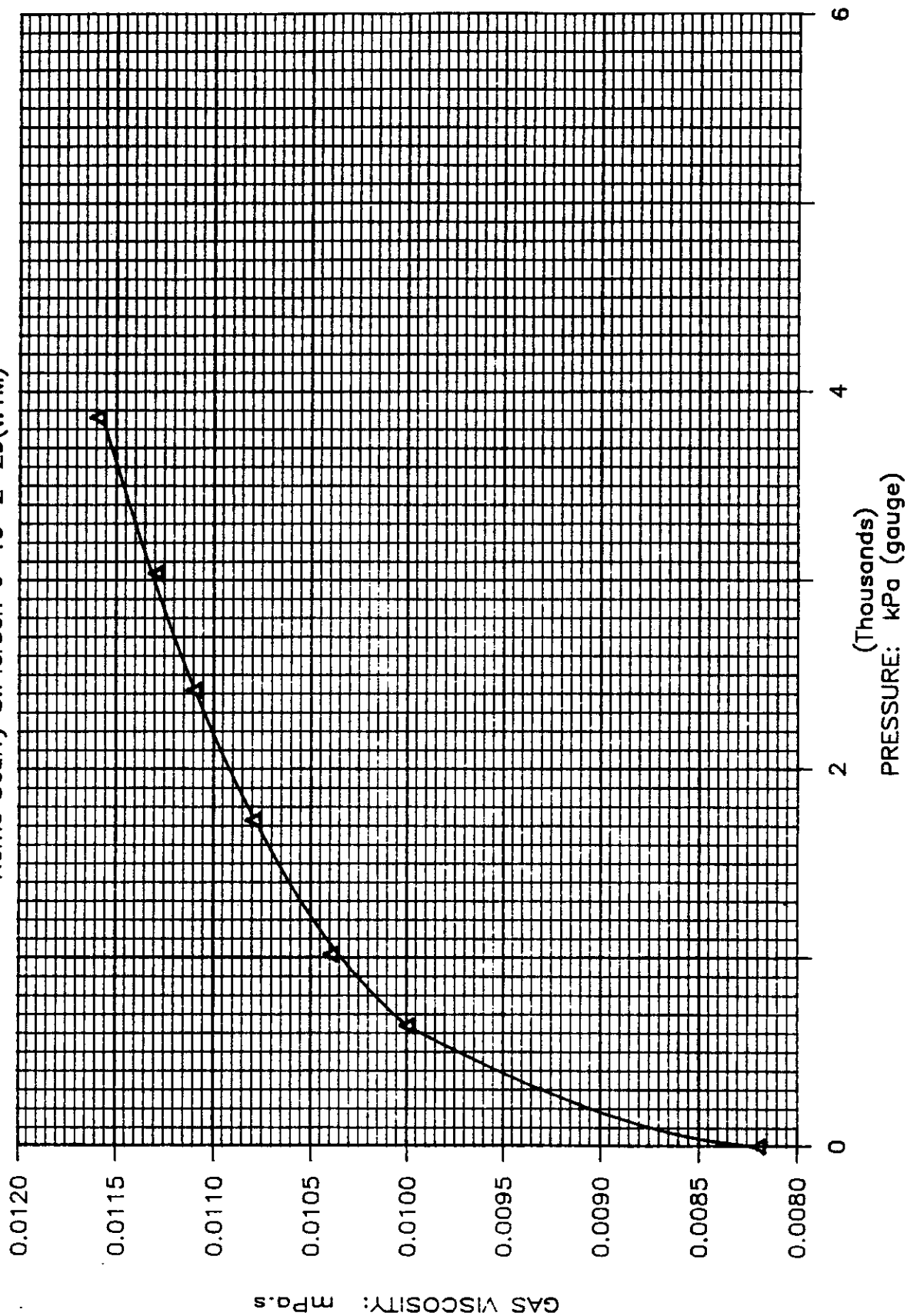
GAS EXPANSION FACTOR

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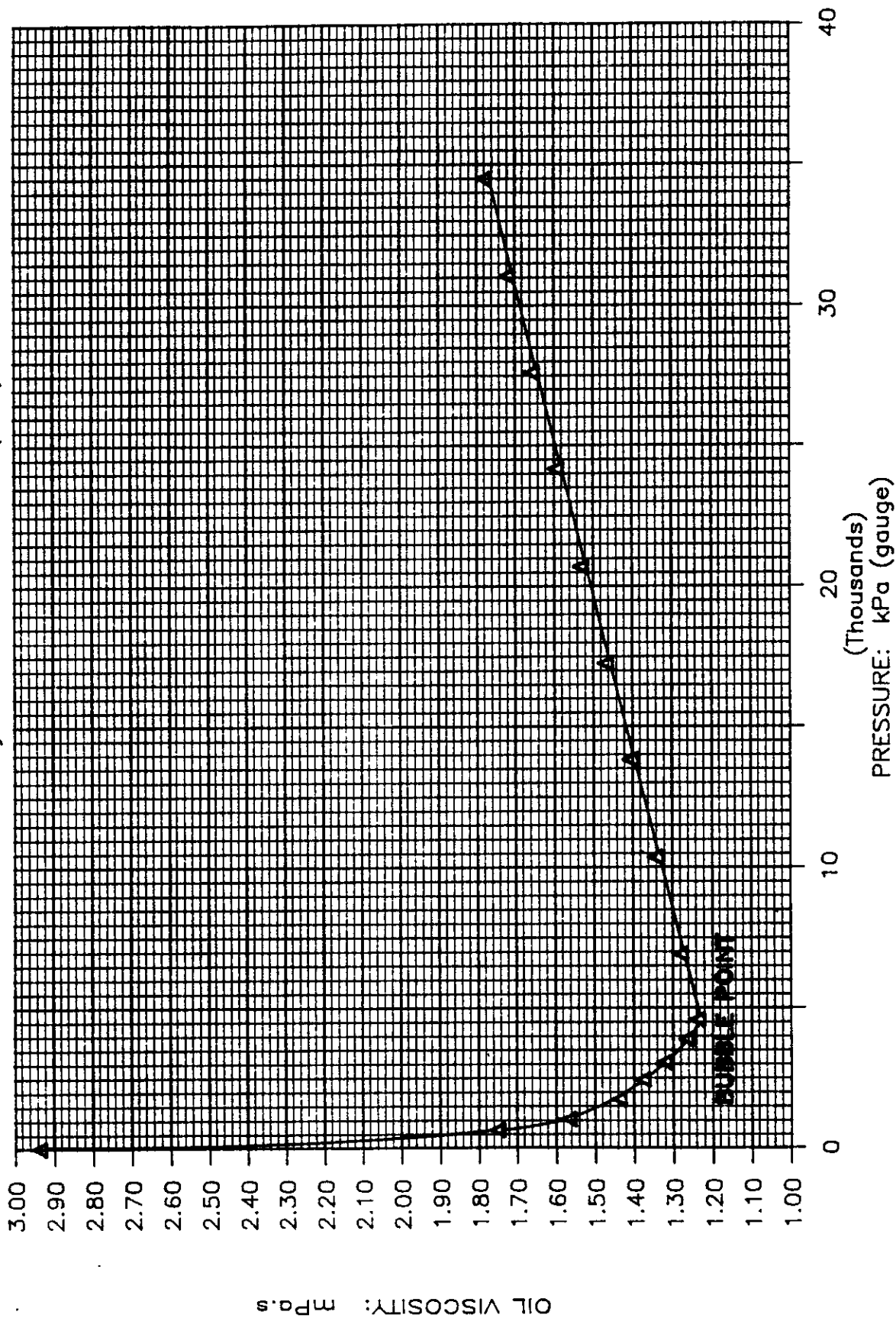
GAS VISCOSITY

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OIL VISCOSITY

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SECTION III

Data Adjustment

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INTRODUCTION TO DATA ADJUSTMENT

Reservoir fluids, while being produced, simultaneously undergo two different thermodynamic processes. One is the flash separation process which occurs in surface separation facilities, and the second is insitu reservoir fluid expansion ultimately resulting in differential equilibrium separation of gas and oil in the reservoir during reservoir pressure decline.

Flash separation data are referenced to reservoir fluid volumes at saturation pressure (bubble point). The data are usable only at the specific instant when the reservoir pressure is equal to the saturation pressure as determined in the PVT study.

It is therefore necessary to adjust flash separation data to account for the insitu changes in reservoir fluid properties that will occur during primary pressure depletion. Both the flash solution gas-oil ratio data (R_g) and the flash formation volume factor data (B_o) requires adjustment for pressures above and below the saturation pressure.

The methods by which these adjustments are made are as follows:

A. Solution Gas-Oil Ratio (R_g)

Pressures above P_s : No correction is required as no gas will escape from solution at pressures above the saturation pressure. Therefore, R_g is equal to flash R_g at all pressures in excess of P_s .

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Pressures below P_g : Due to insitu differential equilibrium separator of gas and oil, flash separation data must be corrected as follows:

$$R_s = R_{sfb} - (R_{sdb} - R_{sd}) \frac{B_{ofb}}{B_{odb}}$$

R_s - Adjusted Solution Gas-Oil Ratio

R_{sfb} - Total Gas-Oil Ratio from Flash at Saturation Pressure

R_{sdb} - Gas-Oil Ratio from Differential Liberation at Saturation Pressure

R_{sd} - Gas-Oil Ratio from Differential Liberation at Pressure less than Saturation Pressure

B_{ofb} - Formation Volume Factor from Flash at Saturation Pressure

B_{odb} - Relative Oil Volume from Differential Liberation at Saturation Pressure

This correction must be made for all D.V. gas-oil ratio data points below saturation pressure.

B. Formation Volume Factor (B_o)

Pressures above P_g : Because flash formation volume factors are referenced to a volume at saturation pressure, B_o at pressures above saturation pressure must be corrected to account for oil compressibility. The adjustment is:

$$\text{Adjusted } B_o = B_{ofb} \times V/V_{sat}$$

Adjusted B_o - Flash Formation Volume Factor for Pressures above Saturation Pressure

B_{ofb} - Formation Volume Factor from Flash at Saturation Pressure

V/V_{sat} - Relative Volume from Pressure Volume Relations at Pressure above Saturation Pressure

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Pressures below P_g : Because insitu oil shrinkage occurs due to differential gas liberation at pressures below the saturation pressure (P_g), flash formation volume factors which are referenced to a volume at saturation pressure must be corrected to reflect insitu reservoir fluid shrinkage. The adjustment is as follows:

$$\text{Adjusted } B_o = B_{od} \frac{B_{ofb}}{B_{odb}}$$

Adjusted B_o - Flash Formation Volume Factors for Pressure below Saturation Pressure

B_{od} - Relative Oil Volume from Differential Liberation at Pressure below Saturation Pressure

B_{ofb} - Formation Volume Factor from Flash at Saturation Pressure

B_{odb} - Relative Oil Volume from Differential Liberation at Saturation Pressure

This adjustment must be made for all D.V. relative oil volumes below the saturation pressure.

The above adjustments have been made on your behalf and are reported on the following pages.

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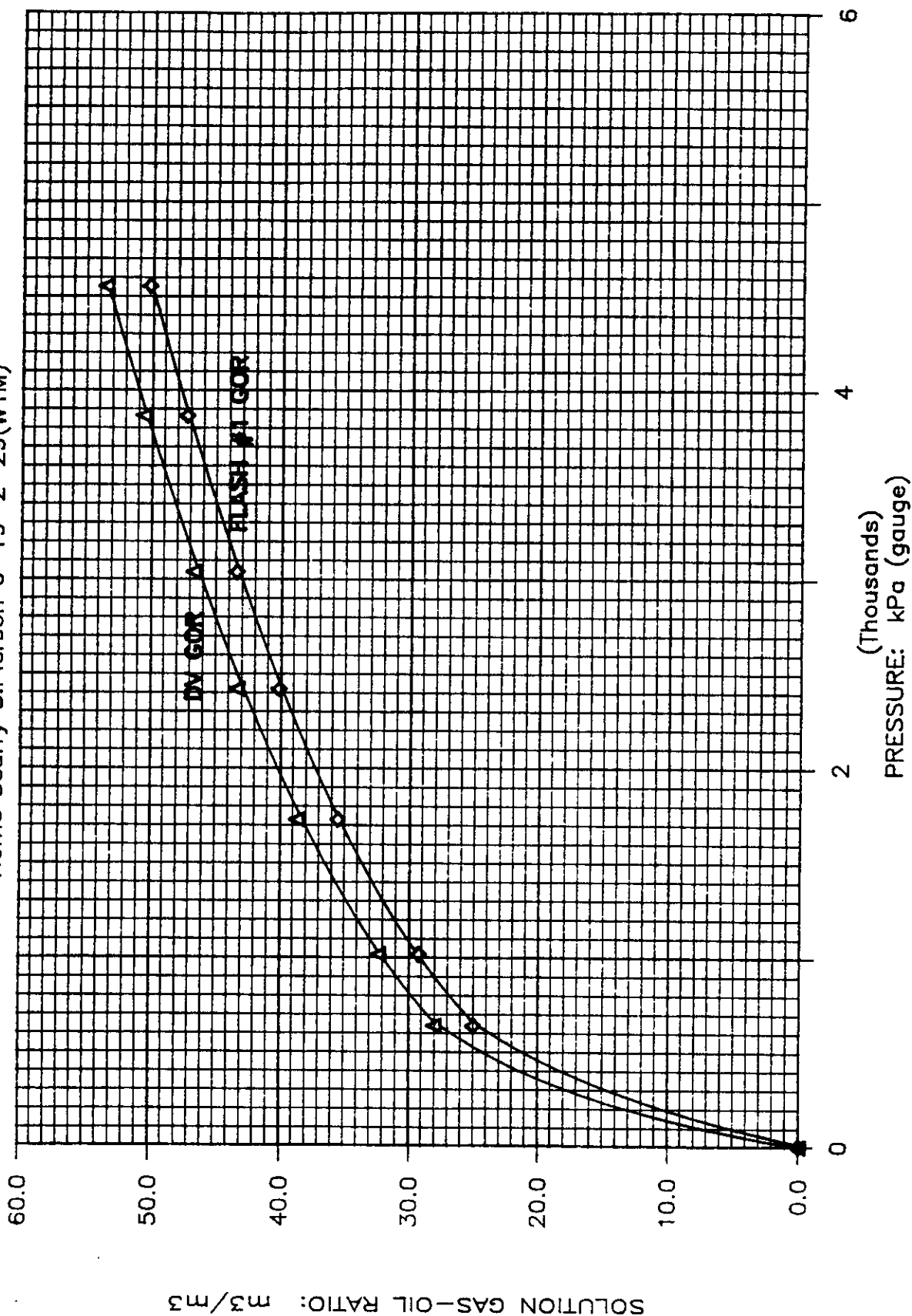
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ADJUSTED SOLUTION GAS-OIL RATIOS

PRESSURE kPa <u>(Gauge)</u>	DV GOR <u>R_g</u>	FLASH GOR <u>R_g</u>
34474	53.67	50.28
27579	53.67	50.28
20684	53.67	50.28
13790	53.67	50.28
6895	53.67	50.28
6205	53.67	50.28
5516	53.67	50.28
<u>4551</u>	<u>53.67</u>	<u>50.28</u>
3861	50.69	47.34
3034	46.78	43.49
2413	43.40	40.16
1724	38.77	35.60
1014	32.37	29.30
634	28.10	25.09
0	0.00	0.00

ADJUSTED SOLUTION GAS-OIL RATIOS

Home Scurry S. Pierson 6-19-2-29(W1M)



COMPANY Home Oil Company Limited
WELL Home Scurry S Pierson 6-19-2-29

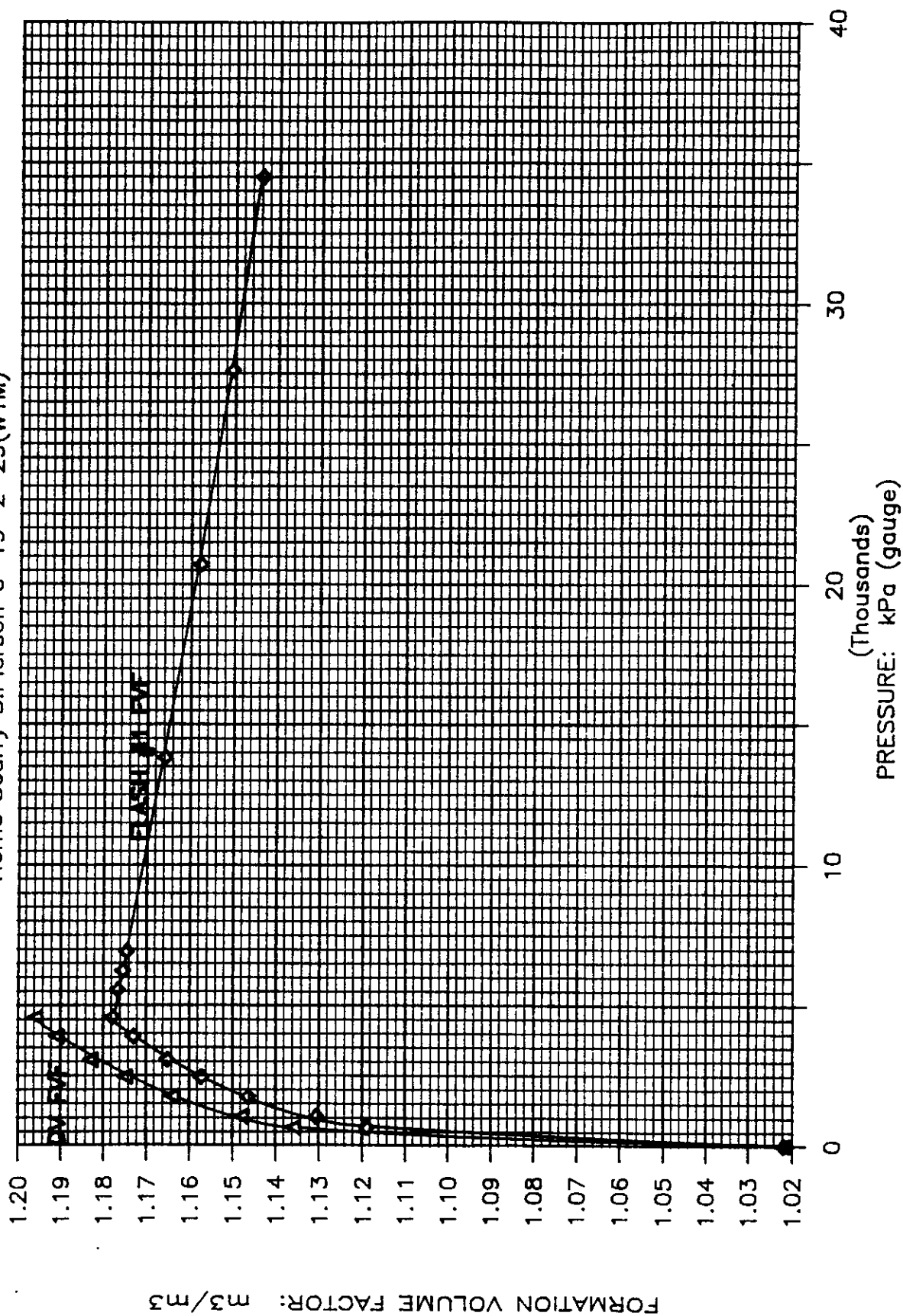
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ADJUSTED SOLUTION GAS-OIL RATIOS

PRESSURE kPa <u>(Gauge)</u>	DV FVF <u>B_o</u>	FLASH FVF <u>B_o</u>
34474		1.144
27579		1.151
20684		1.158
13790		1.166
6895		1.175
6205		1.176
5516		1.177
<u>4551</u>	<u>1.196</u>	<u>1.178</u>
3861	1.191	1.173
3034	1.183	1.165
2413	1.175	1.157
1724	1.164	1.146
1014	1.148	1.131
634	1.136	1.119
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ADJUSTED FORMATION VOLUME FACTORS

Home Scurry S. Pierson 6-19-2-29(W1M)





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November 30, 1987

Home Oil Company Limited
1700 Home Oil Tower
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Calgary, Alberta
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Attention: Mr. G. Martineau

Dear Sir:

Re: South Pierson Lower Amaranth B Pool
Reservoir PVT and Pressure Data

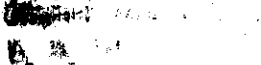
Your letter of November 19, 1987 with attached reservoir fluid PVT analysis and pressure buildup survey is acknowledged. Your prompt response to our request is appreciated.

While the pressure measured at 6-19-2-29 is well above the bubble point, I suggest that due to the remoteness of this well from other production and the Low reservoir permeability, this survey may not reflect the effects of continuous production on pressure levels. It is further suggested that such effects may be best determined by re survey of a well which has had significant cumulative production.

Pressure data obtained for the major developed Lower Amaranth Pool in Manitoba (Waskada Lower Amaranth A Pool) has indicated this pool to be subject to very severe primary pressure declines. This has resulted in the need for early implementation of pressure maintenance in this pool. As the South Pierson Lower Amaranth B Pool is geologically similar to the major Waskada pool, I suggest that further reservoir pressure data should be obtained to better define its producing characteristics and to help assess the need for and urgency of pressure maintenance. You are therefore requested to obtain a reservoir pressure survey of a minimum of one well which has had substantial cumulative production. You are further requested to submit the results of this test not later than January 31, 1988.

If you have any comments or questions with respect to the foregoing, please contact the undersigned at (204) 945-6574.

Your sincerely,


L.R. Dubreuil
Chief Petroleum Engineer
Petroleum Division

LRD/sml



1987-11-19

Manitoba Energy and Mines
555 - 330 Graham Avenue
Winnipeg, Manitoba
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Attention: Mr. L.R. Dubreuil

Dear Sir:

Re: South Pierson Lower Amaranth B Pool
PVT and Reservoir Pressure Data

Please find attached a reservoir fluid study that was conducted on samples collected from the subject field. Also attached is a flow and build-up test that was conducted this year to determine the reservoir pressure.

If additional information is required, please contact Mr. Greg Martineau in our Calgary office at (403) 232-7699.

Yours truly,

HOME OIL COMPANY LIMITED

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "R.R. Padget".

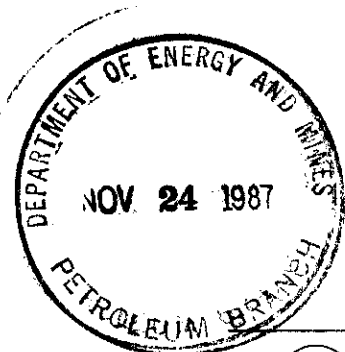
R.R. Padget, P. Eng.
Manager, Reservoir Engineering

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cc: G. Martineau
D. Botterill
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November 5, 1987

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CALGARY, Alberta T2P 2Z5

Attention: R.R. Padget,
Manager, Reservoir Engineering

Re: South Pierson Lower Amaranth B Pool
PVT Data

Dear Sir:

Drilling carried out by your Company over the past two years has resulted in the discovery and development of the subject Pool. Development drilling and early production performance indicates that the Pool is a significant discovery.

In order to properly evaluate and develop the Pool for maximum recovery, basic reservoir information should be obtained. One of the most important pieces of information that can be obtained for a new pool is a PVT analysis of a reservoir fluid sample. Due to the possibility that production may result in pressure drawdown below the bubble point, this data should be obtained early in the life of the reservoir.

We note that as of yet, no reservoir fluid PVT analysis has been submitted for the above Pool. You are therefore requested, pursuant to Section 93 of The Petroleum Drilling and Production Regulations to submit your plans to obtain this data. We request that your plans be submitted prior to December 1, 1987 and that a full PVT analysis be submitted prior to January 31, 1988. In addition, you are requested to submit plans for a survey designed to determine the average reservoir pressure of the Pool.

Any questions or comments in this regard may be directed to the undersigned.

Yours sincerely,

L.R. Dubreuil
Chief Petroleum Engineer
Petroleum Division

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