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RRGE-2 TO RR61-6

INITIAL ATTEMPT

RR61-6 RESPONSE

RRCEZ to RR61-6 TEST March, 1979.

WELL RR61-6 Response (BUILDUP & FALLOFF)  
to initial attempt at test, (duration 11.3 hrs.)

RR61-6 RESPONSE BUILDUP

Initial Attempt. Discussion of results. Test duration 680 mins.  
 Initial displacement of barhole. 19 mins. Temperature not in equilibrium until 350 elapsed minutes.  
 Accepting the interval 350 - 680 mins as representative of quasi-equilibrium, apparent characteristics are:

$$S_{10} = 17.2 \text{ psi/log cycle}, \quad Q = 600 \text{ gpm}$$

$$\frac{Q}{S_{10}} = \underline{34.88 \text{ gpm/psi/cycle.}}$$

$$kh = 5759 \frac{Q}{S_{10}} \mu = 5759 \times 34.88 \times 0.2 = \underline{38,919 \text{ md ft.}}$$

$$T = \frac{kh}{1000} \times .3284 \frac{y}{4} = \frac{38,919}{1000} \times .3284 \times \frac{57.93}{.2}$$

$$= 38.92 \times .3284 \times 289.65$$

$$T = \underline{3702 \text{ gpd/ft.}}$$

RR61-6 RESPONSE FALLOFF

Initial Attempt. Recovery (falloff) permitted to ratio elapsed times of 17 undisturbed. Wellhead flow altered after this period and not reliable. Apparent characteristics are:

$$S_{10} = 21.5 \text{ psi/log cycle}, \quad Q = 600 \text{ gpm.}$$

$$\frac{Q}{S_{10}} = \underline{27.91 \text{ gpm/psi/log cycle.}}$$

RK61-6 Response Factor (initial attempt) cont'd.

$$K_h = 5759 \frac{Q}{S_o} u = 5759 \times 27.91 \times 0.2 = \underline{31,142 \text{ md ft.}}$$

$$T = \frac{K_h}{1000} \times .3284 \frac{J}{u} = \frac{31,142}{1000} \times .3284 \times \frac{57.93}{.2}$$

$$T = \underline{\underline{2962 \text{ gpd/ft.}}}$$

RR61-6 - INITIAL PULSE TEST RECOVERY

TIME	t	t'	Ratio t/t'	WHP
645				201.9
645.25	.25		2580	112.98
645.5	.50		1291	139.04
645.75	.75		861	135.1
646	1.0		646	132.2
646.25	1.25		517	130.02
646.50	1.50		431	128.22
646.75	1.75		370	126.92
647	2.0		323.5	125.42
647.5	2.5		259	123.3
648	3.0		216	121.6
649	4		162	118.9
650	5		130	116.8
651	6		109	115.7
652	7		93	114.4
653	8		82	113.3
654	9		73	112.2
655	10		65.5	111.3
657	12		55	109.6
659	14		47	108.2
660	15		44	107.5
665	20		33	104.8
670	25		27	102.7
675	30		22.5	101
680	35		19.4	99.4
685	40		17	87

pumps off.

flow diverted thru wellhead (69 ppm)  
 this is not clear what is  
 being done but evidently  
 influences recovery data  
 significantly. Only the  
 initial 40 minutes used.

Note wellhead temperature fell from 270°F to 240°F during  
 this 40 minute period. How significant is this in influencing  
 interpretation? This does not reflect the rate of change of temperature  
 in the borehole. Was temperature profile obtained?

RR9-6 - INITIAL PULSE, 600 gpm.

TIME	ELAPSED TIME (mins)	WELLHEAD PRESSURE (psia)	REMARKS
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Mar 19th

13:14:50	0	48.64	INITIAL SHUT IN
13:15:00	.17	63.13	
:10	.33	81.30	
:20	.50	82.60	
:30	.67	88.73	
:40	.83	106.34	
:50	1.0	113.75	
16:00	1.17	121.16	
:10	1.33	124.64	
:20	1.50	124.43	
:30	1.67	127.46	
:40	1.83	129.40	
:50	2.0	130.32	
17:00	2.5	132.00	
	3.5	134.85	
	3.5	137.16	
	4	138.63	
	4.5	140.12	
	5	140.14	
	6	141.97	
	7	143.64	
	8	144.97	
	9	146.20	
	10	147.30	
	12	149.15	
	14	150.81	
	16	151.92	
	18	153.14	
	20	154.56	
	25	157.47	
13:45:00	30	159.97	
	35	162.13	
	40	163.8	
	45	165.48	
	50	166.82	
	60	169.42	
	65	170.65	
	75	172.97	
	85	174.92	
	95	176.78	
	105	178.49	
	125	181.76	
	145	185.50	
16:00:00	165	188.73	

Q stabilized at 600 usgpm

Mar 19th

	TIME	ELAPSED TIME min.	WELLHEAD P. psia	REMARKS
May 19	16:30:00	195	191.78	
		225	193.45	
		255	194.48	
		285	195.32	
		315	196.00	
		345	196.79	
		405	198.10	
		465	199.35	
		525	200.10	
		585	201.00	
May 20	00:20	645	201.77	
		665	201.90	

RR61-6

INITIAL PULSE 600 gpm

TIME	ELAPSED TIME	TEMP. °F (chart readout)
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Mar 19th

13:15

0	196
3	201
6	204
9	205.5
12	207
15	210
18	211.5
21	213
24	214
27	215
30	216
33	217
36	218
39	219
42	220
45	221
48	222
51	223
54	224
57	225
60	226
+6 66	228
+6 72	230
+6 78	232
+6 84	234
+6 90	235.5
+6 96	237
+6 99	238
+6 105	240
+6 111	243
+6 117	246
+6 123	249
+6 129	252
+6 135	255
+6 141	258
+6 147	258
+6 153	260.5
+6 159	262.5
+6 171	264
+6 183	265.5
+6 195	266.5
+6 207	267
+42 249	268.5
+40 289	268.5
+35 324	271.5
+24 348	274

Total El. Time is

Total Elapsed

Time is: 665 min

approx stable for 5 1/2 hrs till end of run



RRCE-2 TO RRGT-6

SUSTAINED 21 DAY TEST

RRGT-6 RESPONSE

RRC1-6 RESPONSE (SUSTAINED TEST) BUILDUP.

Duration 21 days. Data describe reasonably straight line (Jacob) after 2000 min. Temperature quasi-stable at 270-273°F after 400 min. Temperature correction by density change-midpoint method (Bernuth) not satisfactory because effective mid point is not clearly enough understood. Selection of mid point influences correction significantly. Using arbitrary mid-point centred in open-hole segment of bore-hole provides reasonable fit between early buildup and very late thermally stable buildup data. The method is not effective in correcting data during rapid rate-of-change of temperature producing a non-linear plot.

The uncorrected wellhead pressure data and wellhead temperatures are shown vs time in Figure (x). Initial shut-in pressure prior to injection was

$$T = 200^\circ F \quad Q/S_{10} = \frac{600}{27} = 22.2 \text{ gpm/psi/cycle.}$$

$$u = 0.3 \text{ c}$$

$$j = 60.06 \text{ lb/ft}^3 \quad kh = 5759 \quad Q/S_{10} u = 5759 \times 22.2 \times .3 = \underline{\underline{38354 \text{ md.}}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla &= \frac{kh}{1000} \times .3284 \frac{j}{u} = \frac{38,354}{1000} \times .3284 \times \frac{60.06}{.3} \\ &= 38.354 \times .3284 \times 200.2 \end{aligned}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{2533 \text{ gpd/ft.}}}$$

$$T = 273^\circ$$

$$Q/S_{10} = \frac{600}{13} = 46.15 \text{ gpm/psi/cycle.}$$

$$u = 0.2$$

$$j = 58.14 \text{ lb/ft}^3$$

$$kh = 5759 \quad Q/S_{10} u = 5759 \times 46.15 \times .2 = 53,155 \text{ md.}$$

$$\nabla = \frac{kh}{1000} \times .3284 \frac{j}{u} = 53.155 \times .3284 \times 290.7 = 5074 \text{ gpd/ft.}$$

Semith Correction of buildup data for temperature influences:

Assume: Midpoint = 2778 ft.

Temperature at midpoint at end of test is 273°F.

Time required to reach midpoint at 600 gpm is 30 min.

$\bar{w}$  at end of test at middepth is 58.14 lb/ft<sup>3</sup> at 273°F

$\bar{w}$ at	Temp (°F)	$\bar{w}$ (lb/ft <sup>3</sup> )	$\Delta \bar{w}$ (lb/ft <sup>3</sup> )	$\Delta P_{WH}$ (psi)
	150°	61.16		
	200°	60.06		
	220° F	59.61	19.29	21.43
	225° F	59.48	11.34	19.54
	230° F	59.35	1.21	17.64
	235° F	59.19	1.05	15.74
	240° F	59.08	0.94	13.84
	245° F	58.91	0.77	11.94
	250° F	58.80	0.66	10.04
	255° F	58.63	0.49	8.14
	260° F	58.54	0.40	6.24
	265° F	58.34	0.20	4.34
	270° F	58.22	0.08	2.44

$$\Delta P_{WH} = \Delta \bar{w} \frac{2778}{144} \text{ psi} \quad (\text{constant is } 19.29)$$

Midpoint (200')  
 $\Delta P_{WH} \times 13.13$

REMARKS

During late buildup. Temperature varied between 273° - 279°  
 This represents a difference in specific weight of 58.16 & 57.92 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>  
 = 0.24 lb/ft<sup>3</sup> or a pressure difference of 4.63 psi

Examining this qualitatively for the period following 1000 min: This exercise is not worth it.

Correction becomes non linear with middepth assumption of 2100'!

Time to inject borehole & introduce hotter water.

a) assume all water enters within 100' of casing foot.

$$V_{\text{casing}} = 11,024 \text{ gal.}$$

$$V_{\text{open}} = 612 \text{ gal}$$

$$V_{\text{total}} = 11,636 \text{ gal.}$$

at 600 gpm this is: 19.39 say 20 min

b) assume all water enters the entire open section.

$$V_{\text{casing}} = 11,024 \text{ gal.}$$

$$V_{\text{open}} = 13,219 \text{ gal}$$

$$V_{\text{total}} = 24,243 \text{ gal.}$$

at 600 gpm this is: 40.41 say 40 min

Temperature influences identified at time segments.

a. at wellhead initial 100 min. temp raised  $13^\circ\text{F}$ . ( $.13^\circ\text{F}/\text{min}$ )  
from  $219^\circ - 232^\circ (13^\circ\text{F})$

$$W_{\text{at } 219^\circ\text{F}} (V_f) = 0.016768 \quad / \quad 59.64 \text{ lb/cuft}$$

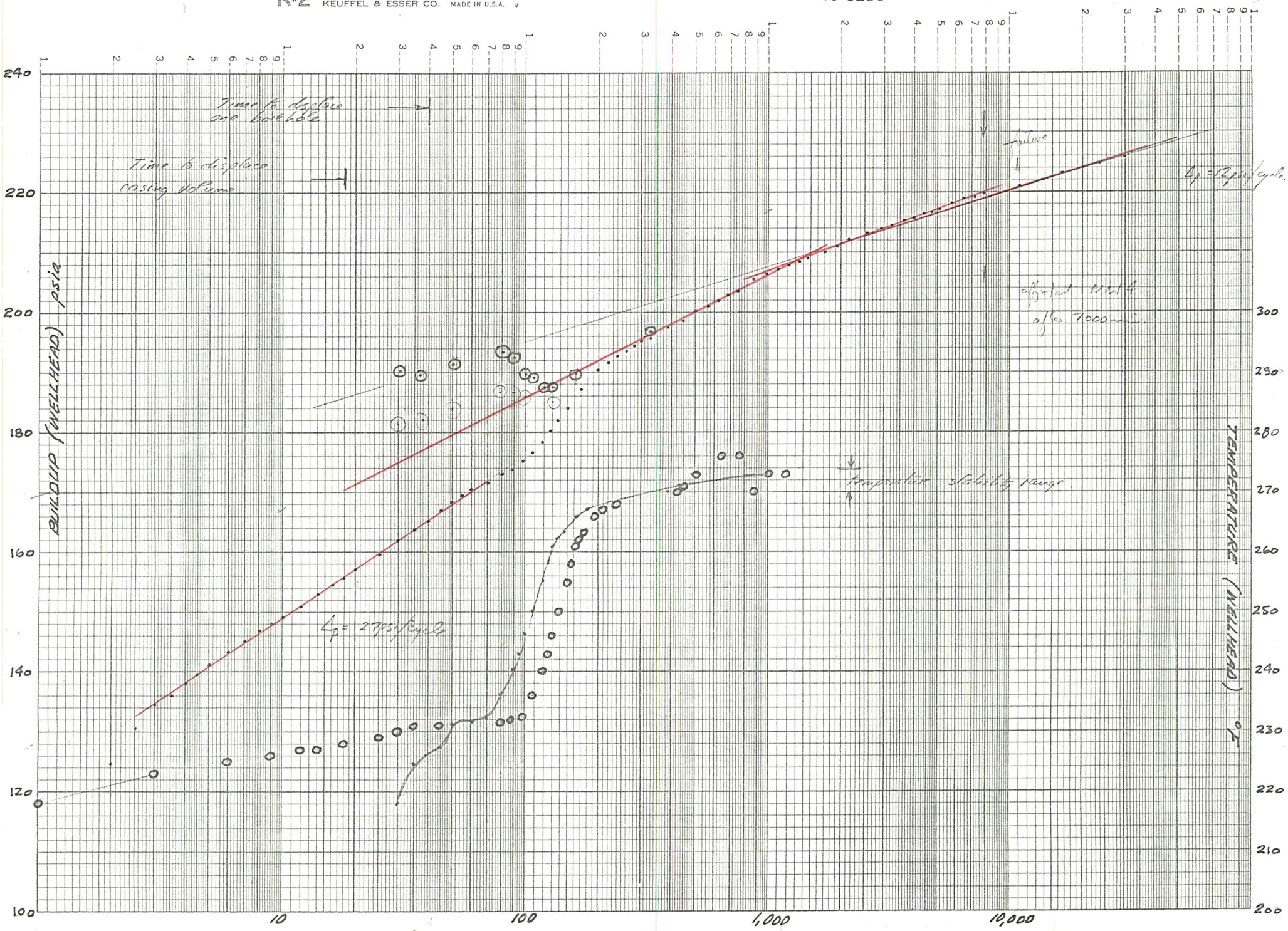
$$V_f \text{ (at } 232^\circ\text{F)} = 0.016864 \quad 59.30 \text{ lb/cf}$$

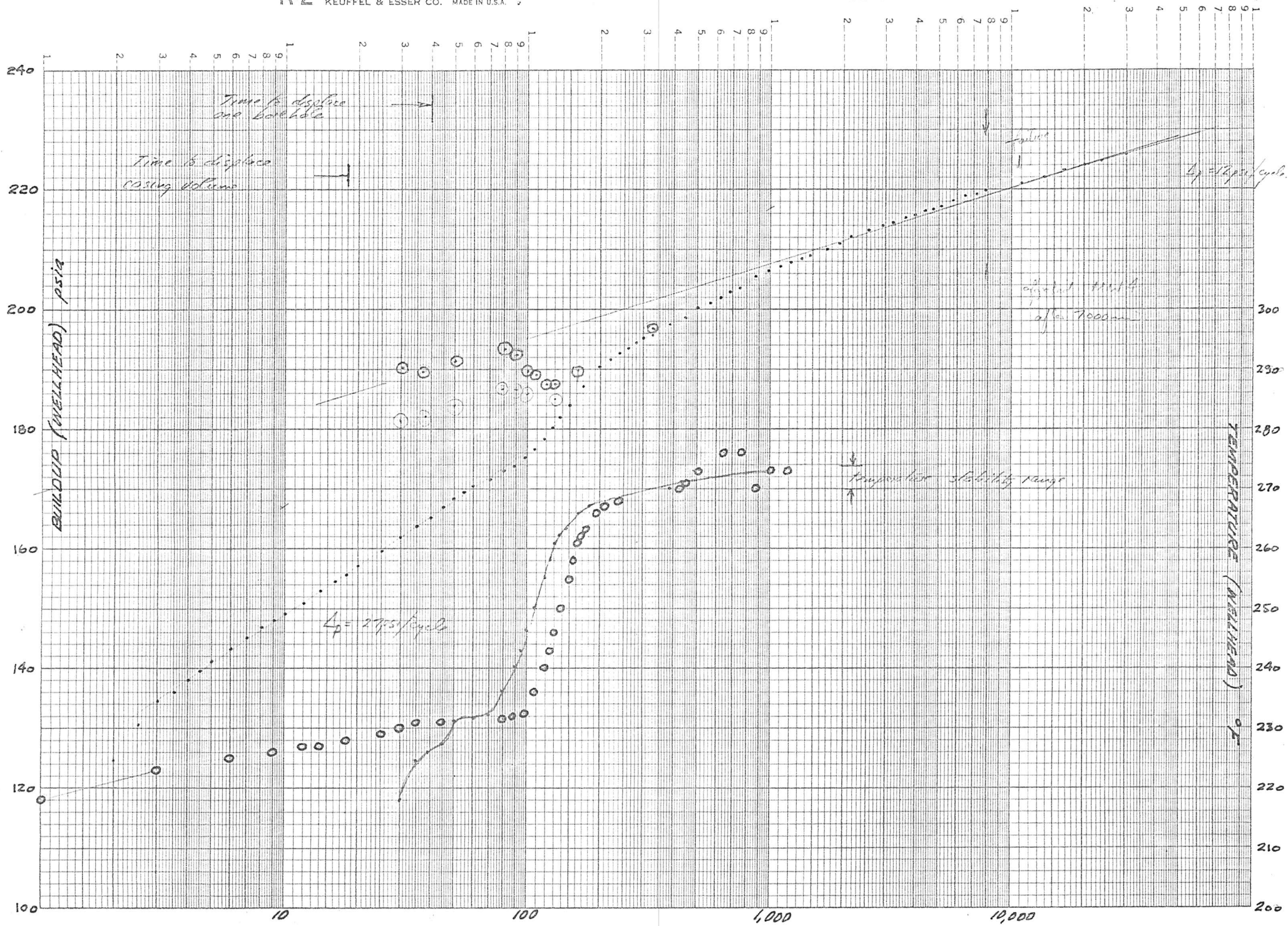
b) Mid point assumed to be 1698 (cased) plus  $\frac{1}{2}(2160) = 2778 \text{ ft.}$

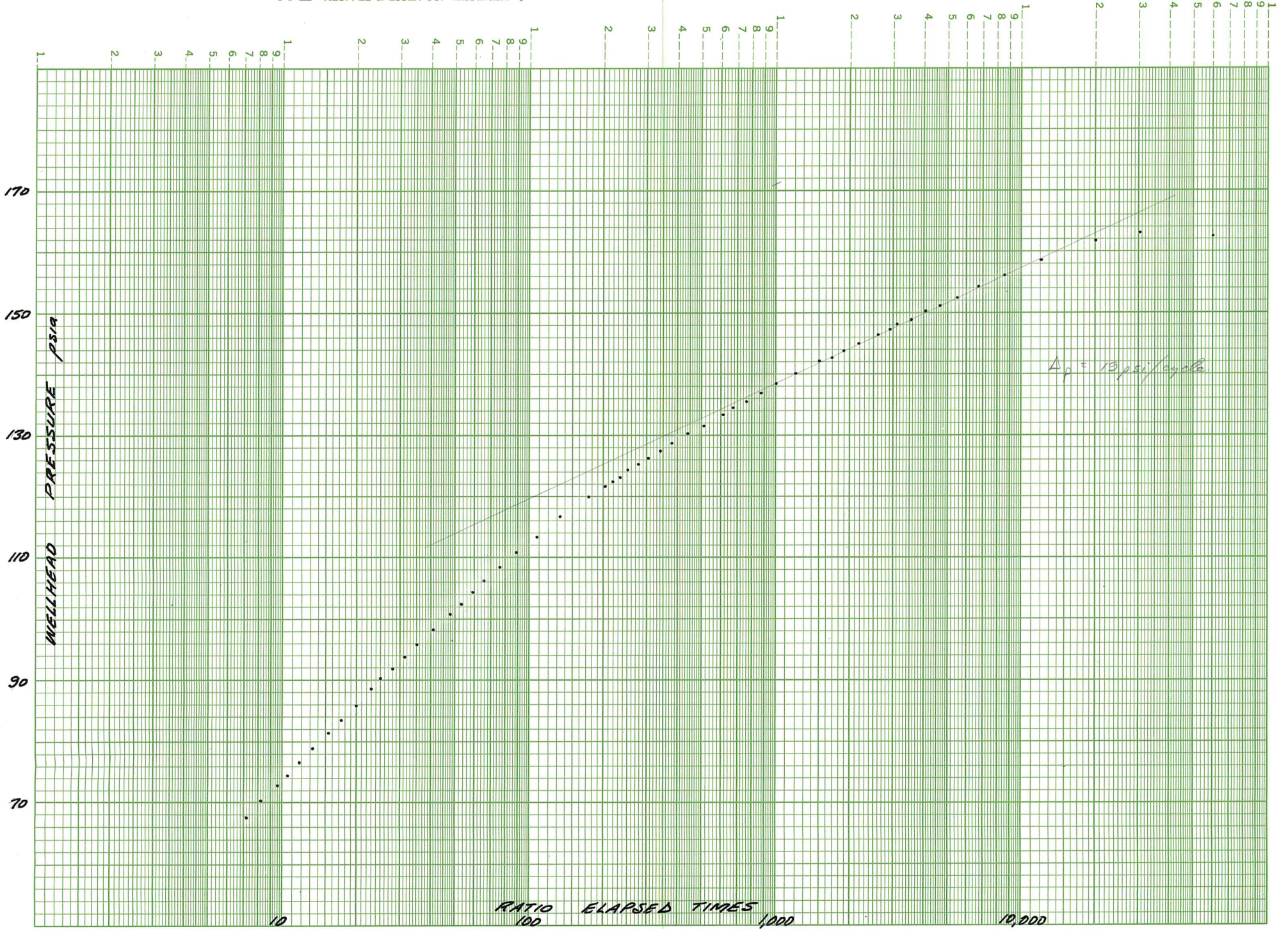
At  $t = 40 \text{ min.}$  one borehole volume will have been displaced at 600 gpm  
between  $t = 40 \text{ min}$  and  $t = 100 \text{ min.}$  (see figure x) the wellhead temperature  
remained reasonably stable at  $232^\circ\text{F}$ . Time to reach injector, wellhead  
through transit pipe from RRBE-2.  $T_{\text{initial}} = 267^\circ\text{F}$ . Temperature at RRBE-2 dropped  
to about  $255$  and rose  
again in foot day of  
pumping.

2-1	3865	18" dia	
1-3	8861	10"	22,707
3-6	3155	10"	56,152
			12,872

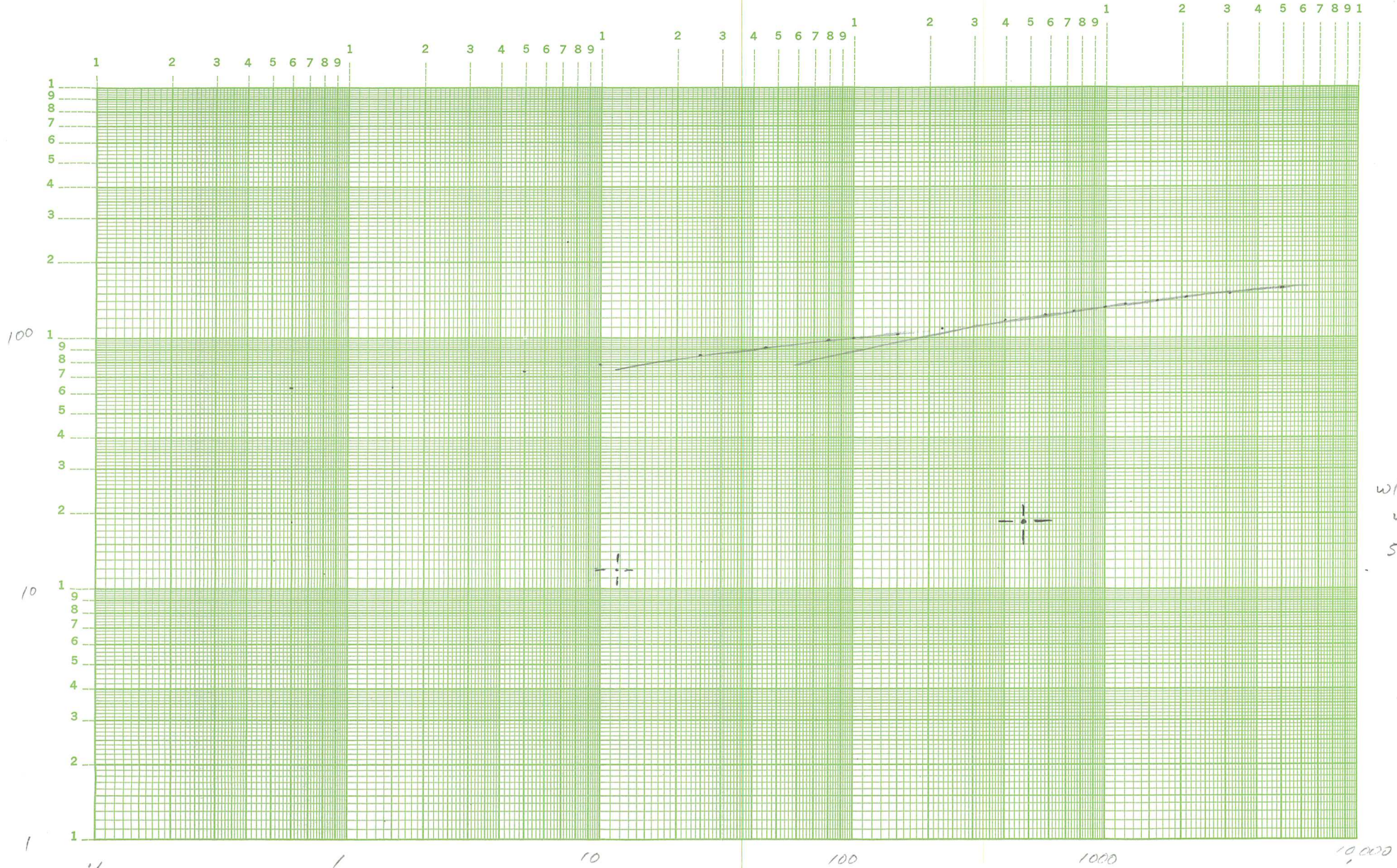
Route for injection was RRBE-2 to RRBE-1 & RRBE-3 to RRBE-6  
total line volume: 71731 gal. Time to flush at 600 gpm is 119 min.  
See temperature rise after approx 100 min (figure x)









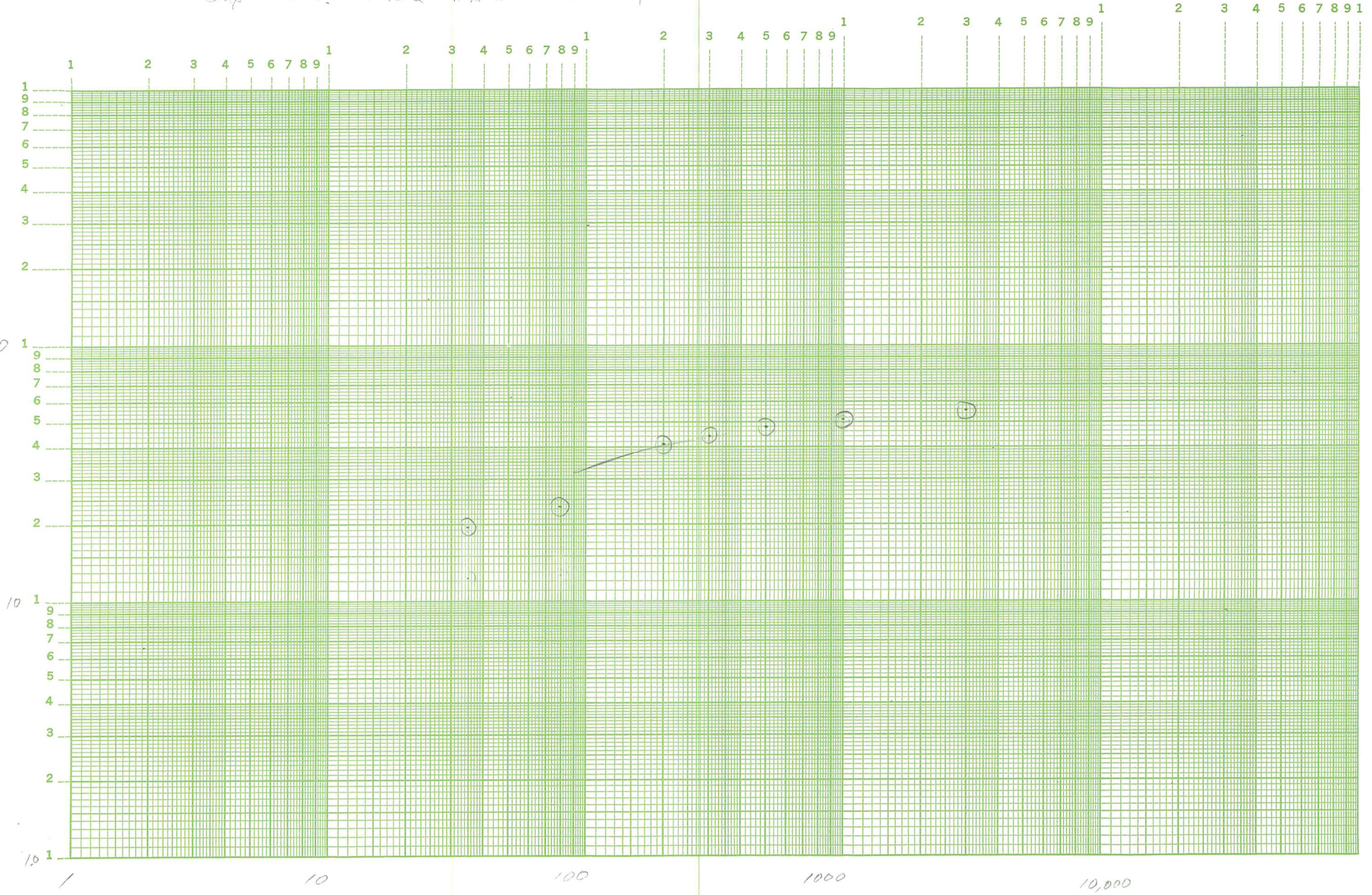


$w/u = 1$   
 $u = 10^{-3}$   
 $S = 18.5$

$$T = \frac{114.6 Q w(u)}{S} = 3716$$

This Reversy Method. RB61-6

Comp. calculated data KRSI-G Buildup.



Temperature response in RR61-6 borehole following the FEI 2-injection Test.

Temperature logs were run in RR61-6 eight, fifteen and twenty days after injection stopped. These logs show that the lower section of the RR61-6 borehole cooled very slowly and, <sup>the borehole</sup> did not equilibrate within twenty days. Wellhead temperature cooled to 72°F after 20 days. Fluid in the borehole below 1400 ft remained reasonably constant at 258-260°F. The temperature gradient from 72° to 255°F is entirely accommodated within the upper 1400 ft of fluid column. The interface between quasi-stable temperature fluid and the more rapidly cooling fluid lying at 1400 ft is approximately 300 ft above the foot of casing in the well.

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INSERT INTERPRETATION OF LITHOLOGICAL SIGNIFICANCE OF THIEF ZONE AND EXPLANATION OF COOLING.

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The temperature influence on wellhead falloff pressures will be dominantly density changes within the upper 1400 ft. of borehole. In attempting to adjust well head pressures for this effect a mid-depth of 700 ft. is accepted to average the temperature throughout this interval. For an indication of the influence of density, the apparent well head pressures after eight and fifteen days of falloff have been corrected for a temperature of

Midpoint accepted at 700 ft

Temperature at midpoint at injection completion: 263°F

Temperature at midpoint after 8 days falloff

Temperature at midpoint after 15 days falloff

Reference  $\bar{w}$  at end of injection, at middepth (263°F) is .01712 58.41 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

$\bar{w}$  after 8 days falloff (160°F) is .01639 61.01 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

$\bar{w}$  after 15 days falloff (150°F) is .01634 61.20 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

$$\Delta P_{wh} = \Delta \bar{w} \frac{700(\text{psi})}{144}$$

Ratio - El. Vines

3.82

2.45

Reference temp (263°F)  
temp (160°F)  
temp (150°F)

$\bar{w}$   
58.41  
61.01  
61.20

$\Delta \bar{w} \times 4.86 =$   
2.6  
2.79

12.64  
13.56

These corrected values do not provide any analytical advantage. The procedure could be refined beyond a simple mid point approach to correct for density changes. Perhaps the most significant conclusion to be drawn from it is that the recovery was less complete than the uncorrected data suggests. Initial shut in pressure was reached after about eight days of falloff.

Accepting early recovery data as most representative provides the following estimates of Transmissivity

$$S_{10} = 19 \text{ psi/log cycle.}$$

$$Q = 600 \text{ gpm.}$$

$$Q/S_{10} = 31.58 \text{ gpm/psi/log cycle.}$$

Fluid temp 273°F

Fluid viscosity  $\approx$  0.2 centipoise Fluid density 57.93

$$k_h = 5759 \frac{Q}{5.10} \mu = 5759 \times 31.58 \times 0.2 = \underline{\underline{36,374 \text{ md ft}}}$$

$$V = \frac{k_h}{1000} \times .3284 \frac{\sigma}{\mu} = \frac{36,374}{1000} \times .3284 \times \frac{57.93}{.2} = \underline{\underline{3460 \text{ gpd/ft}}}$$