

HP-RDT[™] formation tester



FORMATION EVALUATION | FORMATION TESTING

Integrated characterization section B

Reservoir description tool (RDT™) formation tester

New generation of downhole fluid composition

The Reservoir Description Tool (RDT™) Integrated Characterization Section (ICS) expands measurements of fluid composition downhole by using ICE Core® technology. Based on our unique multivariate optical computing technique, this enables high-resolution hydrocarbon compositional analysis.

Measurement of saturates, resins, aromatics, and asphaltenes (SARA)

With superior signal-to-noise ratio compared to conventional downhole techniques, our ICE Core technology uses direct optical computing of the full wavelength to create a unique fingerprint of the fluid, including differentiation of the C6+ SARA fractions.

Gas composition

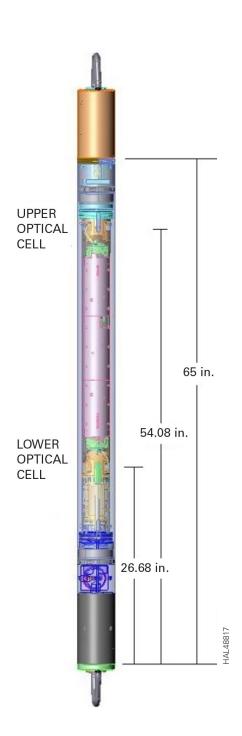
ICE Core technology measures single-phase gas components – C1, C2, C3, and $\rm CO_2$ gas. We also measure total gas GOR directly, not as an estimate from C1, making the measurement more accurate.

Display weight percentage

The ICS measures an absolute density of each measured component. It can be displayed in weight percentages, making the final results directly comparable to lab measurements with an easy-to-use composition display.

Sample purity determination

The ICS with multiple ICE Core samples uses gas and the liquid-phase composition to determine contamination. As methane gas isn't present in oil-based mud, the gas volume and GOR can be used. When combined with the saturates and aromatics composition, the change in liquid-phase content can also be determined as the SARA fingerprint of filtrate and native fluid differs.



DIMENSIONS AND	RATINGS					
Max Temperature		350°F (177°C)		300°F (149°C)		
Max Pressure			25,000 psi (172 MPa)		30,000 psi (207 MPa)	
OD			4.75 in. (12.065 cm)			
Length			5.40 ft (1.646 m)			
Weight			261 lb (118.38 kg)			
BOREHOLE CONDI	TIONS					
Borehole Fluids		Salt ■	Fresh =	0	il =	Air ■
Recommended Logging Speed			Stationary			
Tool Positioning		Centralized ■		Eccentralized ■		
OPTICAL SENSING	UNIT					
Quantity				Oı	ne	
Number of Channels			20			
Detectors			Single Thermopile			
Optical Window			Sapphire			
MEASUREMENTS						
		STRAIN GAUGE PRESS	URE TRANSDU			
Accuracy			Resolution			
	+/- 0.1% full scale		0.2 psi (1.4 KPa)			
	FLUID TEMPERATURE					
Accuracy			Resolution			
	3% full scale		0.02°F (-18°C)			
		S OPTICAL SENSOR VEF	RSION 2			
SENSOR	RANGE	ACCURACY			TYPE	
			Volatile Oil	Light Oil	Medium Oil	Gas/ Condensate
GOR	0 to 2000 GOR units	Greater of 200 scf/bbl or 20% of Range		✓	✓	
GOR	2000 to 4000 GOR units	Greater of 500 scf/bbl or 25% of Range	✓			
Methane	0.02 to 0.3 g/cc	10% Partial Density	✓	✓	✓	✓
Ethane	0.02 to 0.12 g/cc	15% Partial Density		✓	✓	✓
Pentane	0 to 0.04 g/cc	20% Partial Density		✓	✓	✓
CO ₂ (gas phase)	0.015 to 0.07 g/cc	20% Partial Density				✓
Saturates	0.3 to 0.7 g/cc	10% Partial Density		✓	✓	
Aromatics	0.05 to 0.3 g/cc	20% Partial Density		✓	✓	
C6 Plus	0.35 to 0.80 g/cc	10% Partial Density	✓	✓	✓	
Phase (water cut)	0 to 100%	10% by Volume		✓	✓	

For clean samples with less than 15% contamination, single-phase samples, and for transmittance better than 10% $\,$

DATA SHEET

THE RANGES FOR DIFFERENT FLUID TYPES ARE BASED ON TABLE BELOW +/- 15%					
OIL TYPE	RESERVOIR FLUID	API RANGE	GOR SCF/BBL		
Heavy	>0.875 g/cc	15 - 20 API	< 400		
Medium	0.690 - 0.875 g/cc	20 - 32 API	250 - 1,250		
Light	0.525 - 0.775 g/cc	32 - 40 API	1,000 - 1,750		
Volatile	0.400 - 0.740 g/cc	35 - 50 API	1,650 - 3,500		
Condensate	0.245 - 0.600 g/cc	40 - 65 API	3,200 - 25,000		
Wet Gas	0.010 - 0.450 g/cc	N/A	20,000 - 50,000		
Dry Gas	<0.375 g/cc	N/A	>50,000		

Note: • Table 4 excludes subcategories of Extra Heavy, Medium Heavy, and Medium Light.

• Table 4 ranges assume reservoir fluids from 3,000 to 15,000 psi and 150°F to 300°F.

PHYSICAL STRENGTHS		
Hardware	Tool Joints RDT	
Tension	200,000 lb (90,719 kg)*	
Compression	200,000 lb (90,719 kg)*	
Torque	600 ft-lb (813 N-m)*	

^{*} Strengths apply to new tools at 70°F (21°C) and 0 psi.

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