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Canadian Unconventionals: The Low(er) Hanging Fruit

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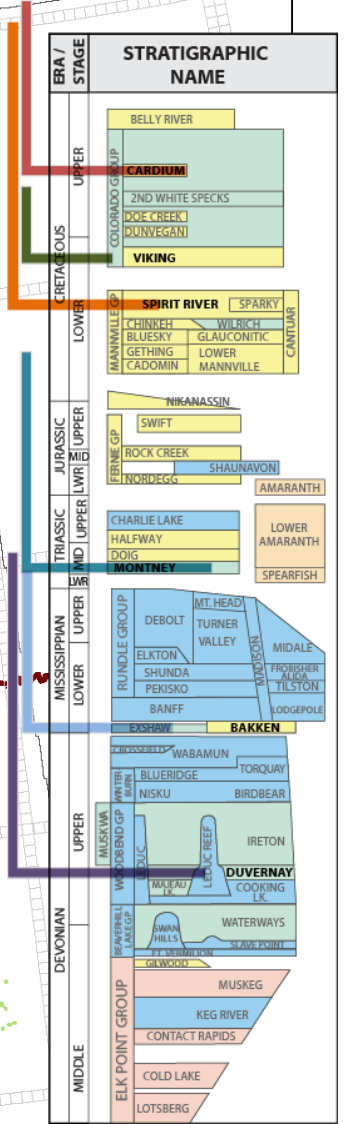
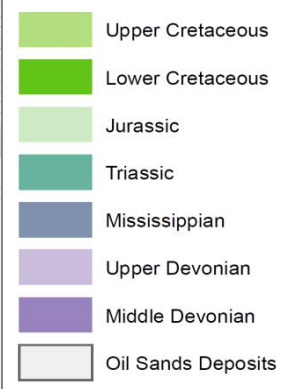
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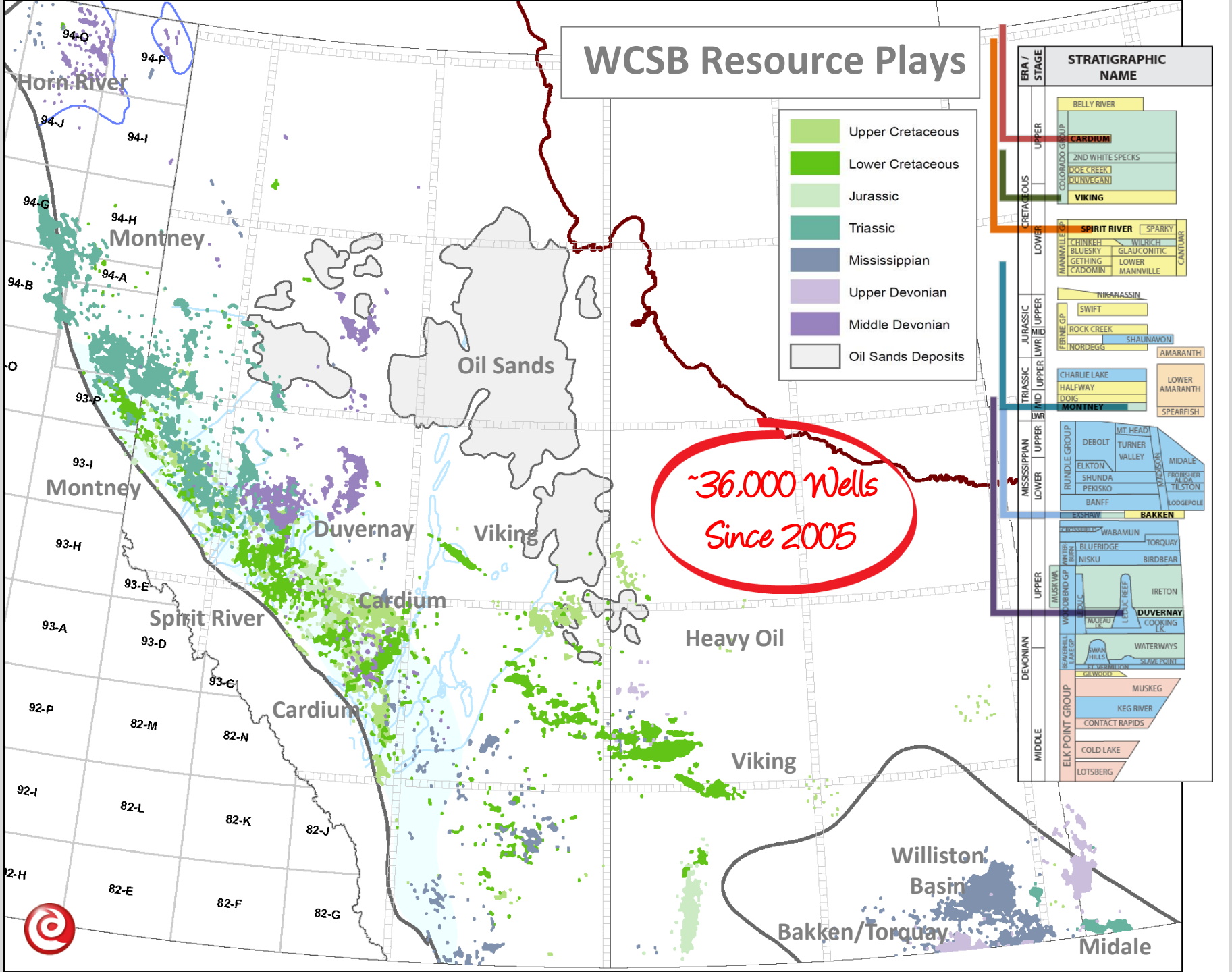
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Historical Trends

WCSB Resource Plays

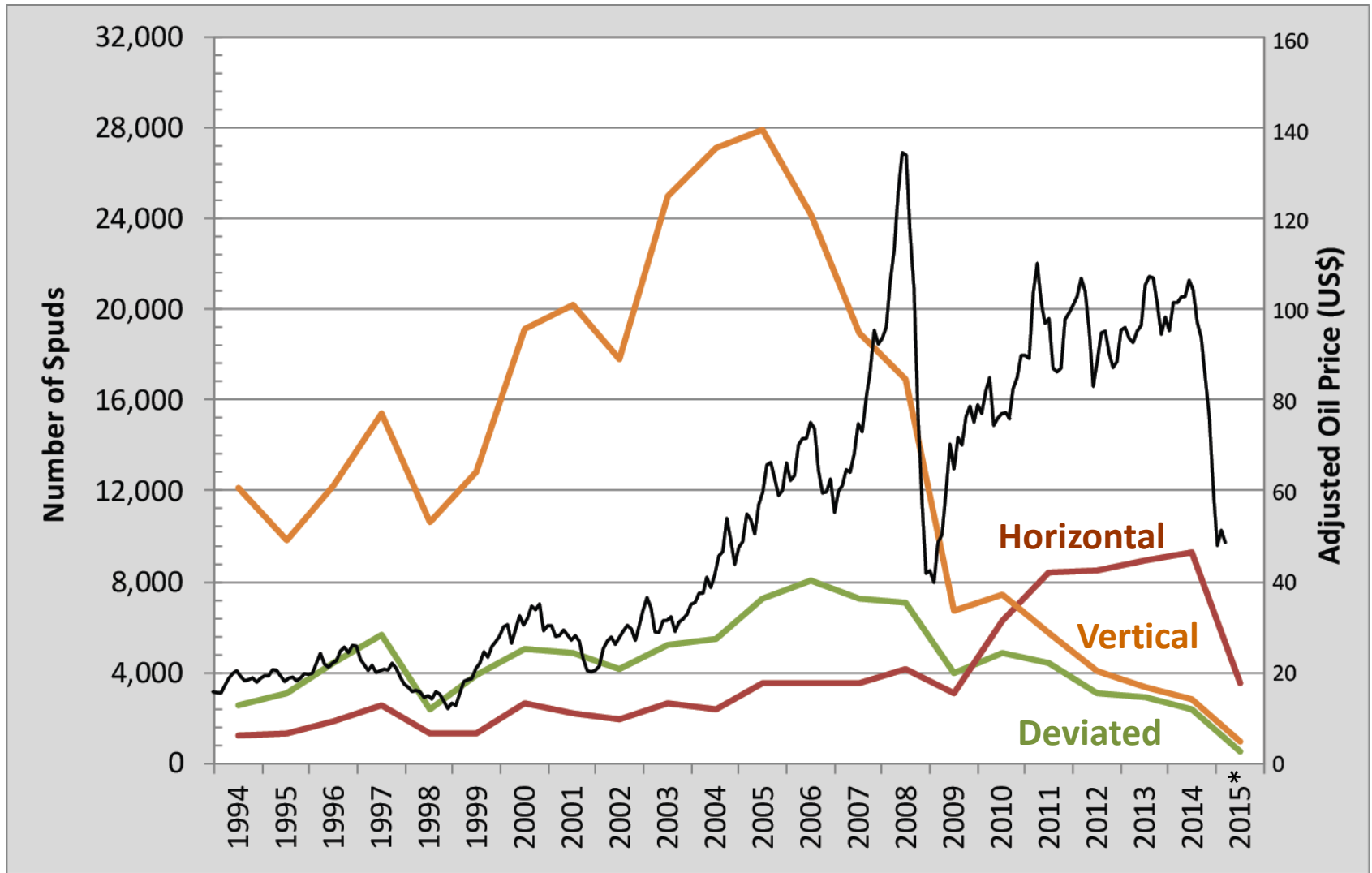


~36,000 Wells Since 2005



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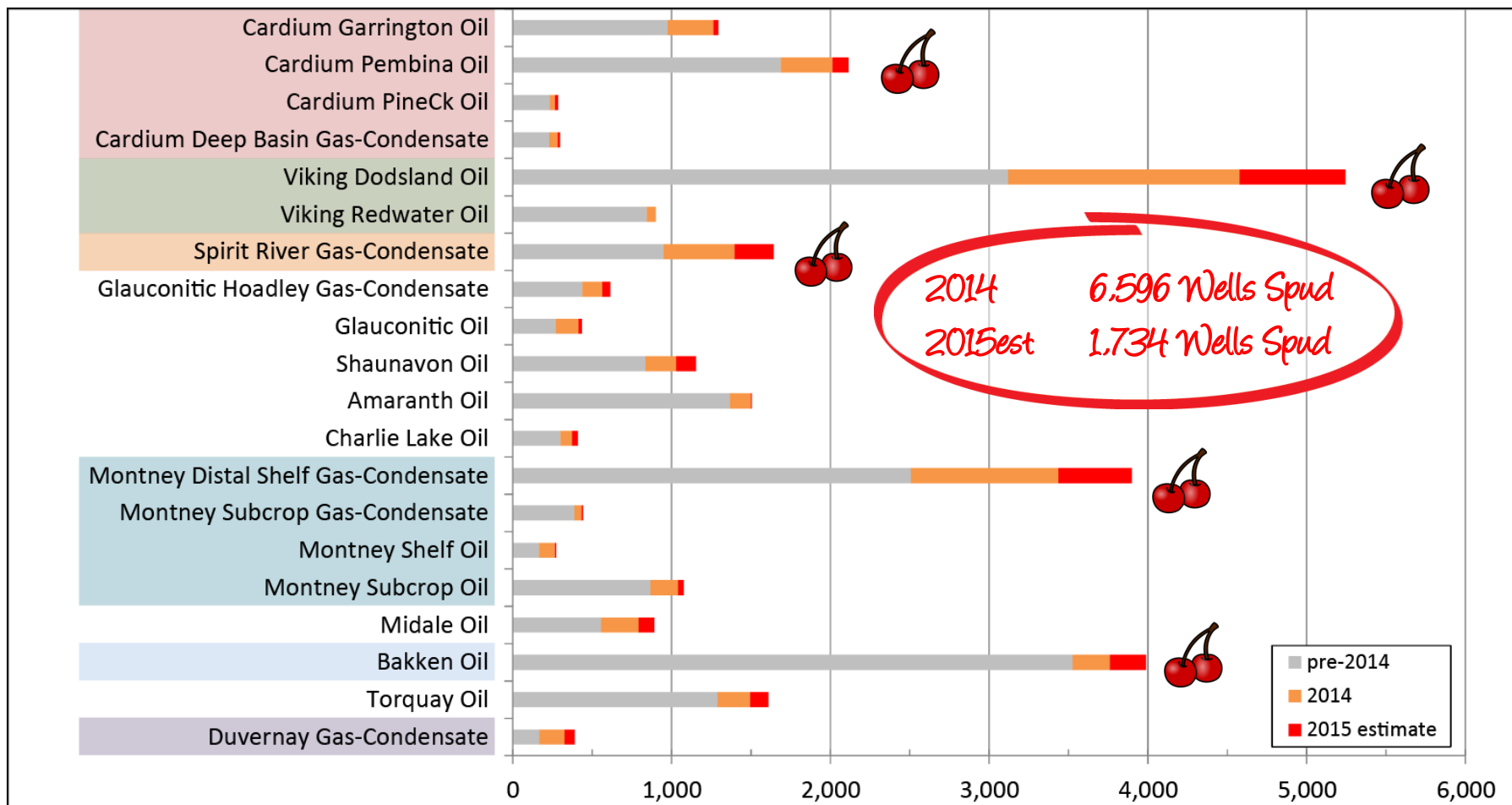
1994-2015 Vertical vs Horizontal Spuds



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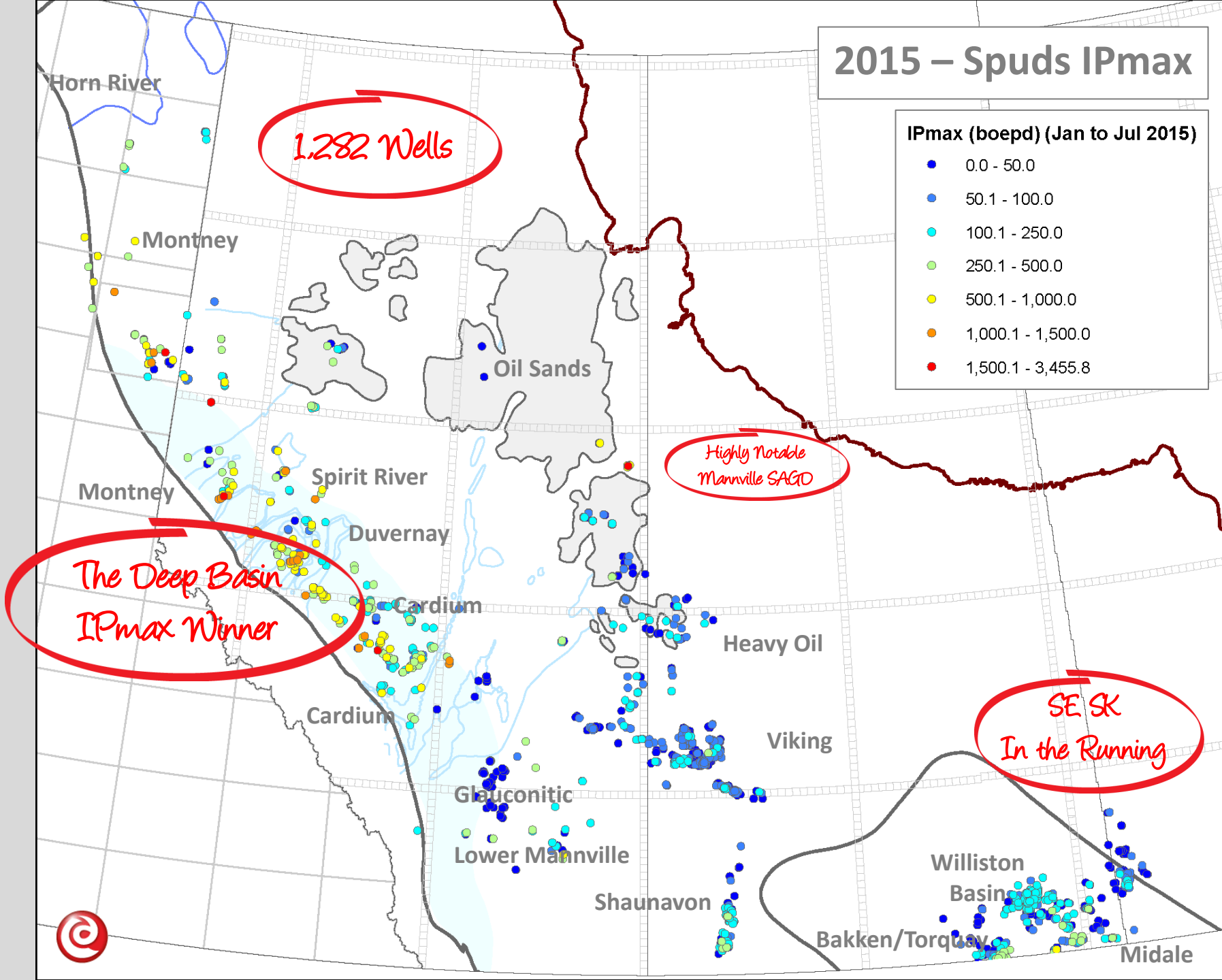
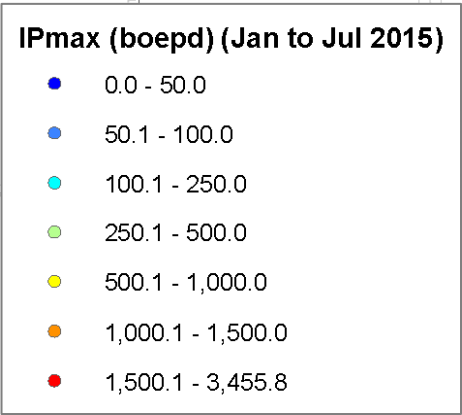
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Selected Resource Plays – Wells Spud by Year



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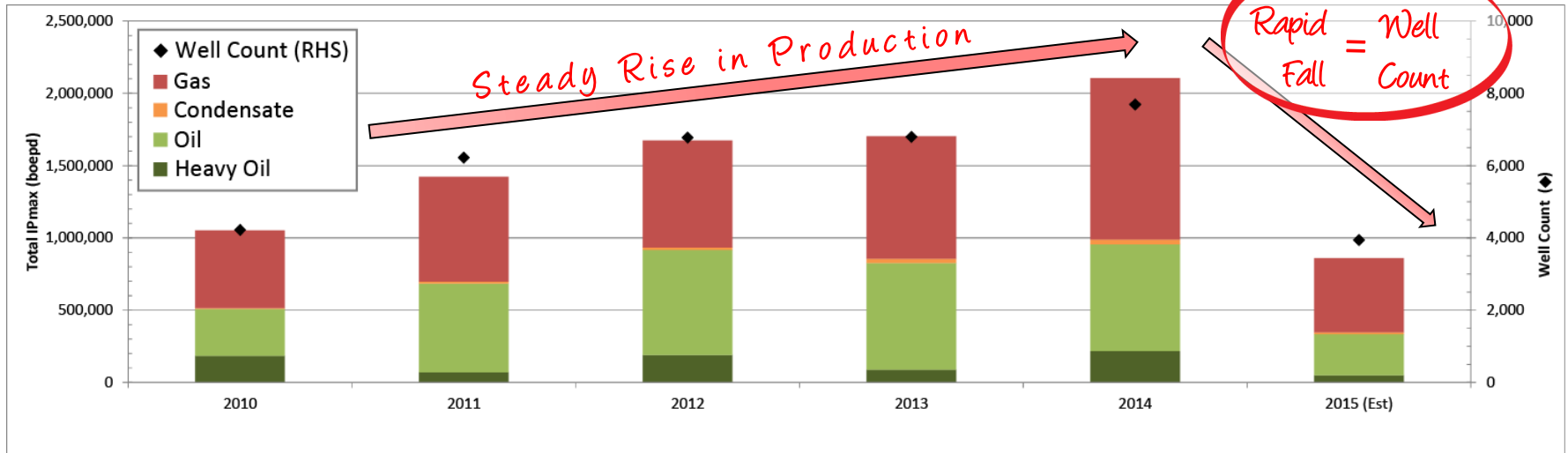
2015 – Spuds IPmax



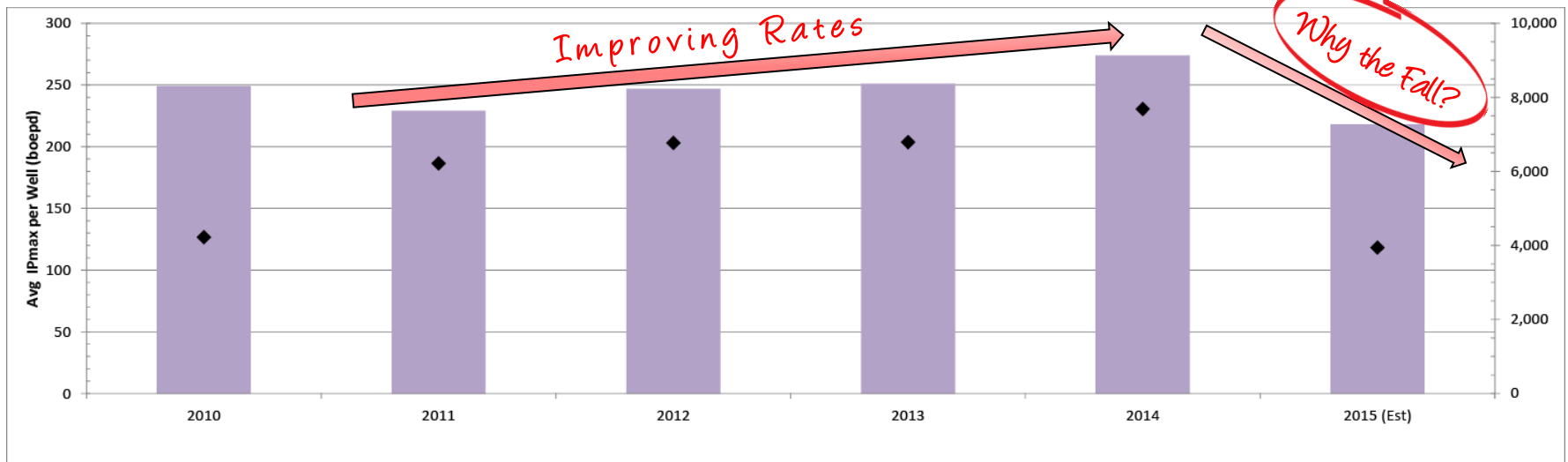
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WCSB Resource Wells - IPmax Trends

Total IPmax (boepd)

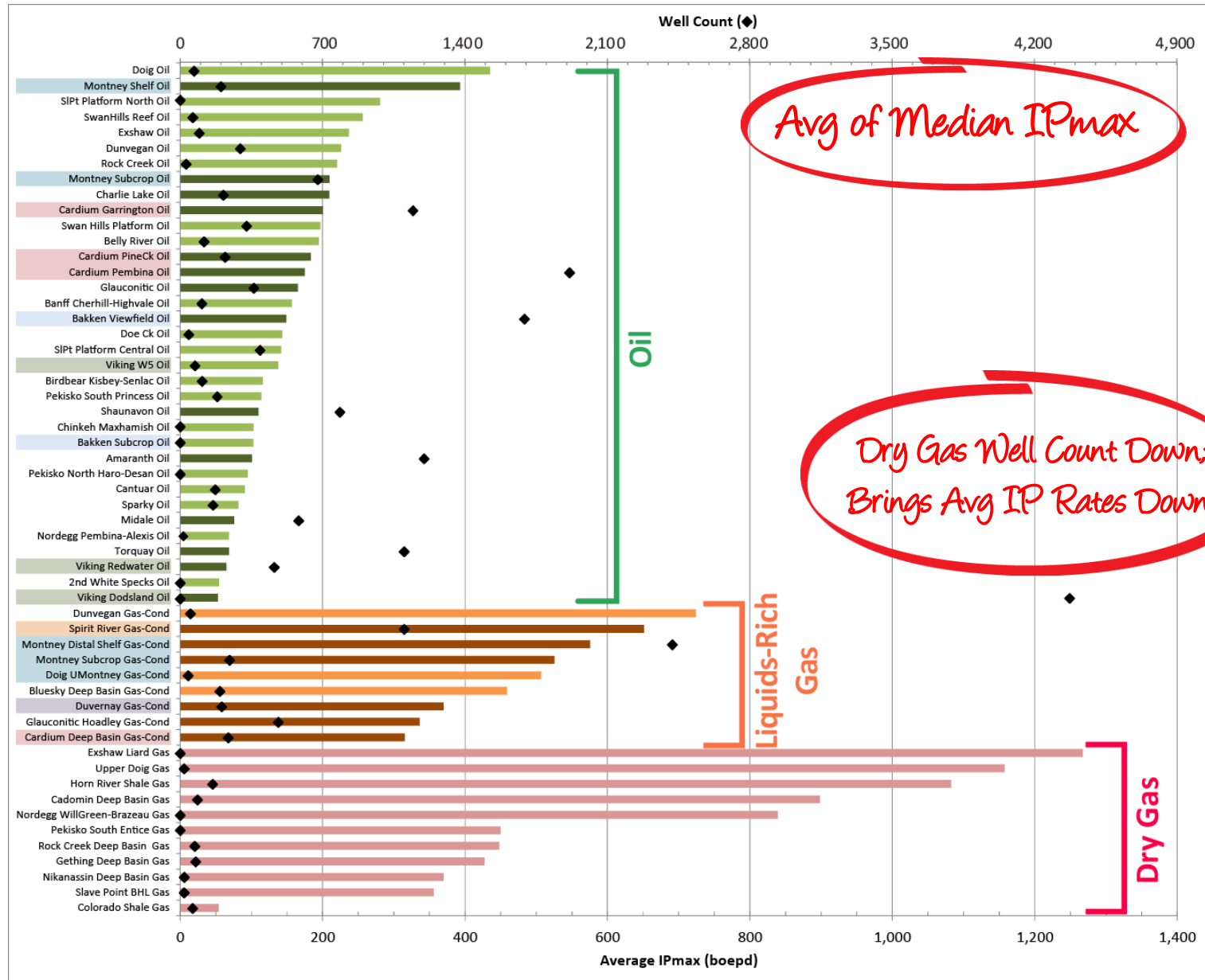


Average IPmax per well (boepd)



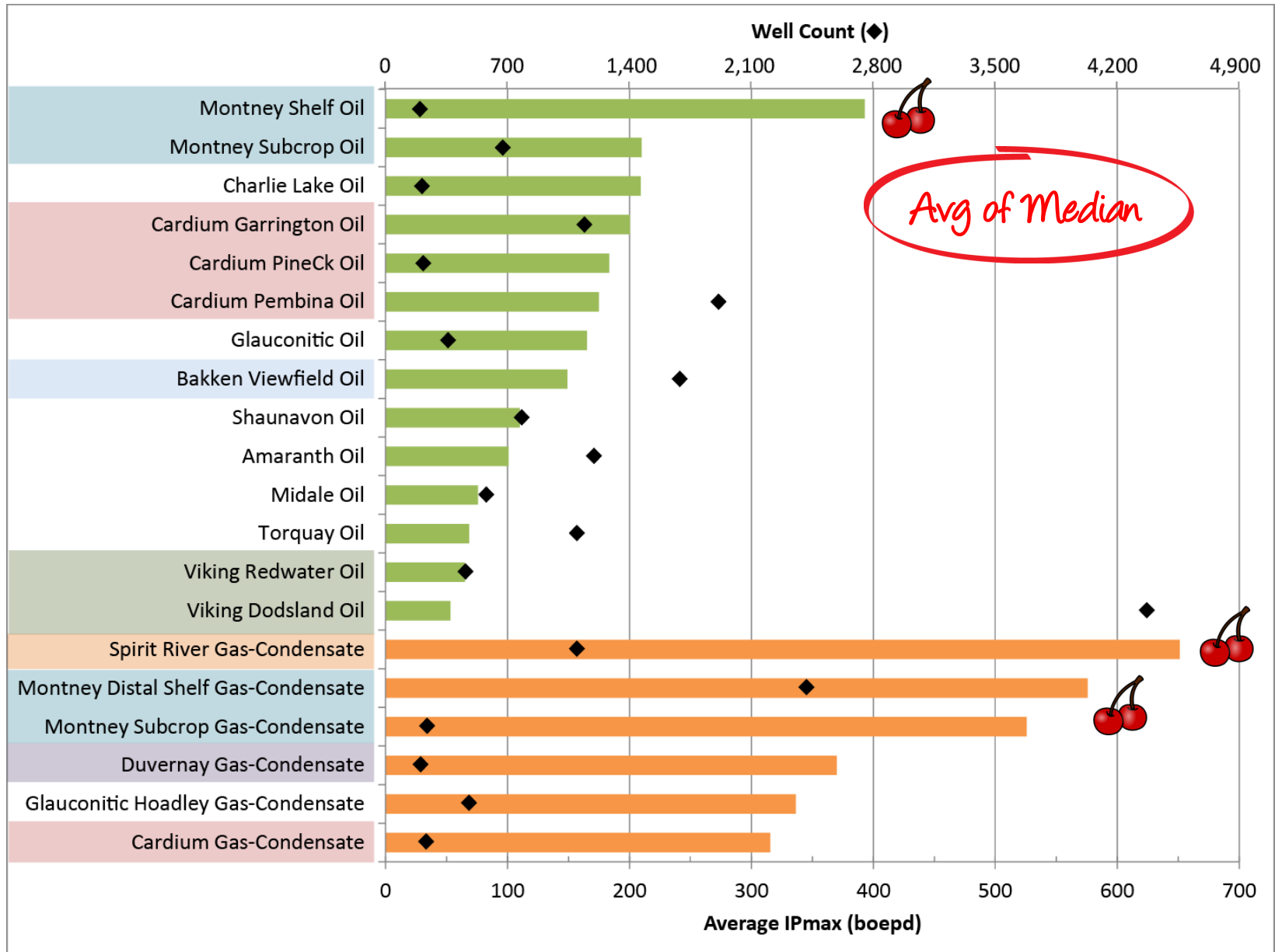
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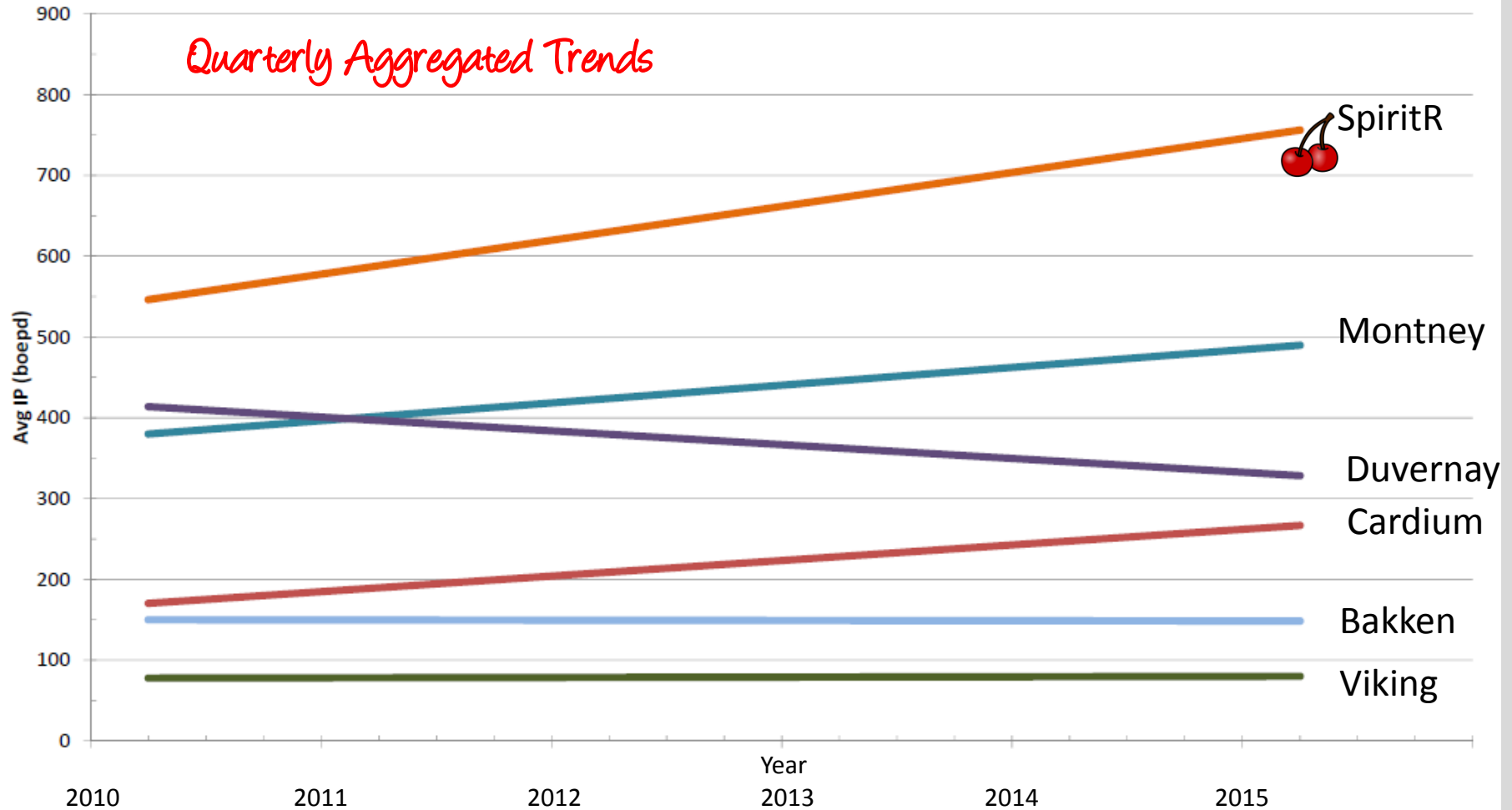
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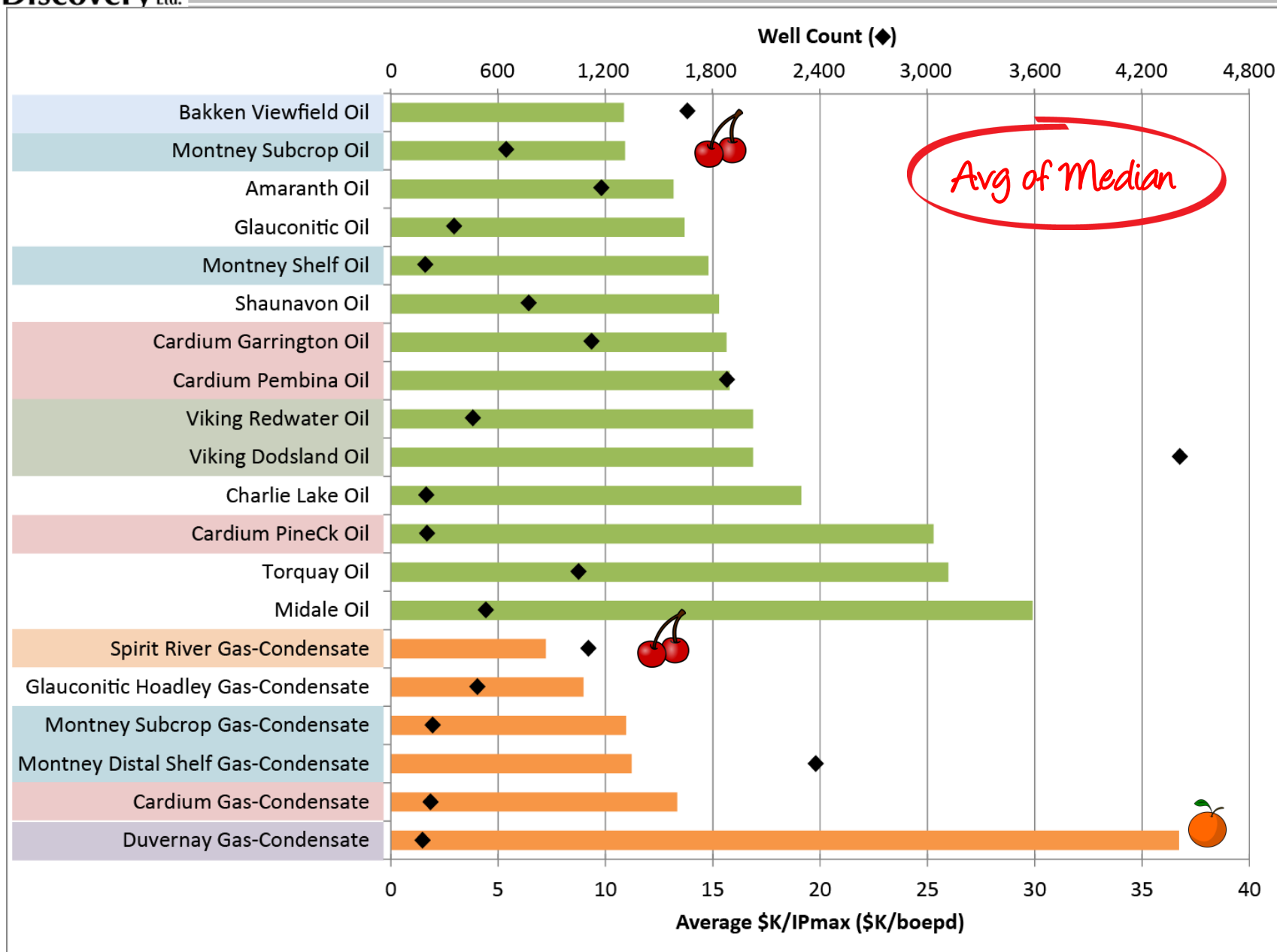
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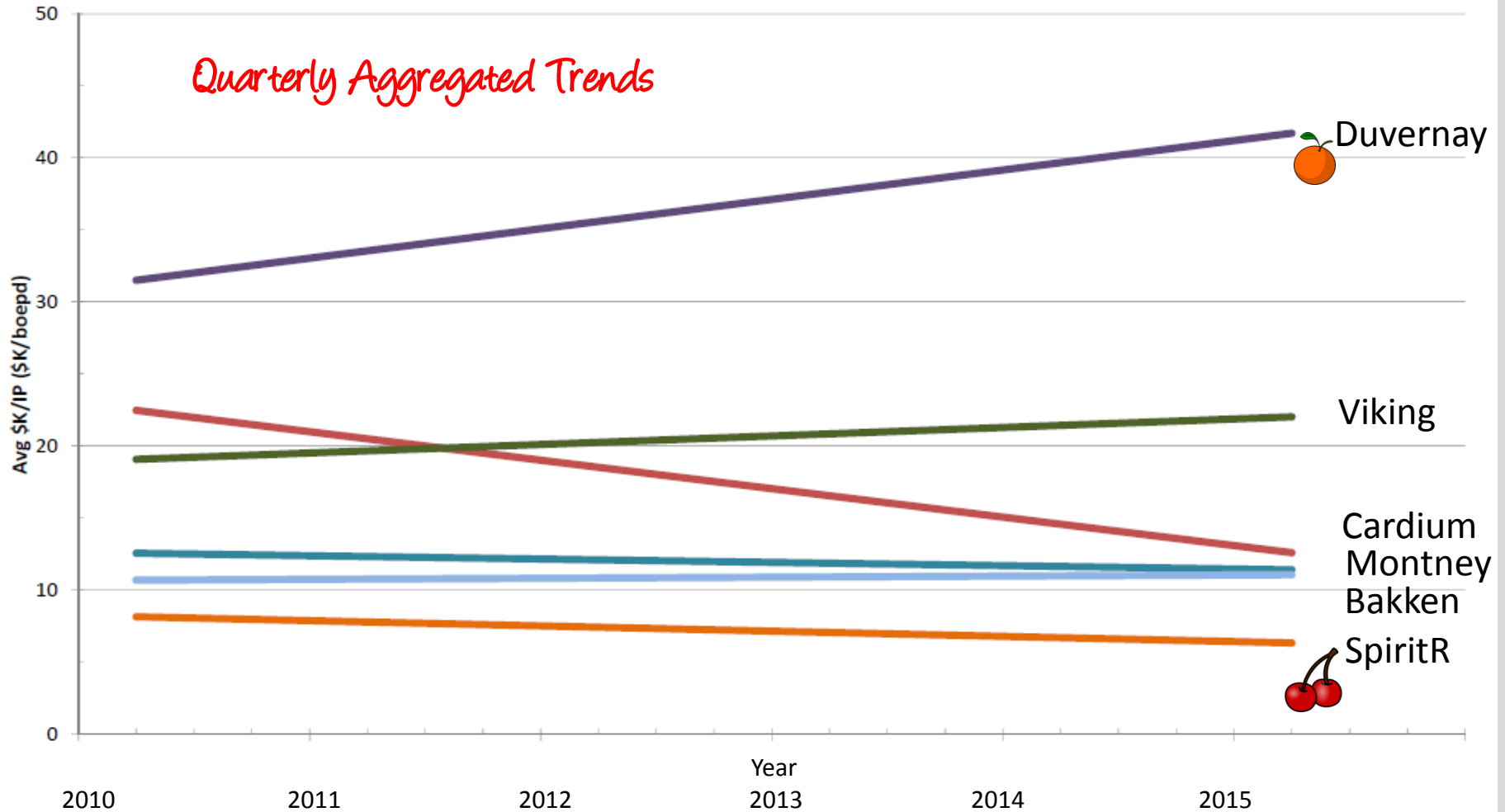
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Selected Resource Plays – Average \$K/BOEPD



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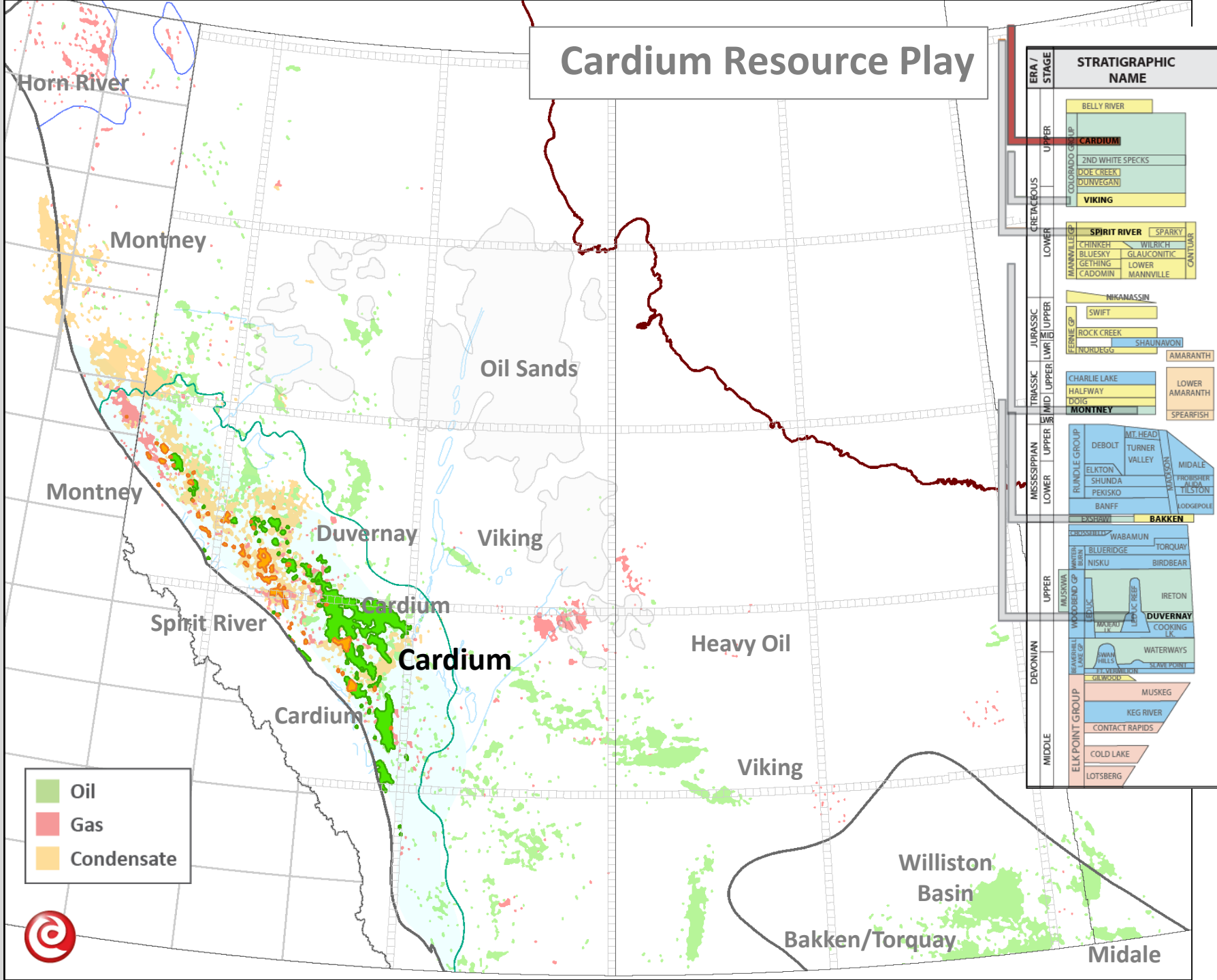
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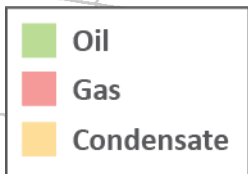
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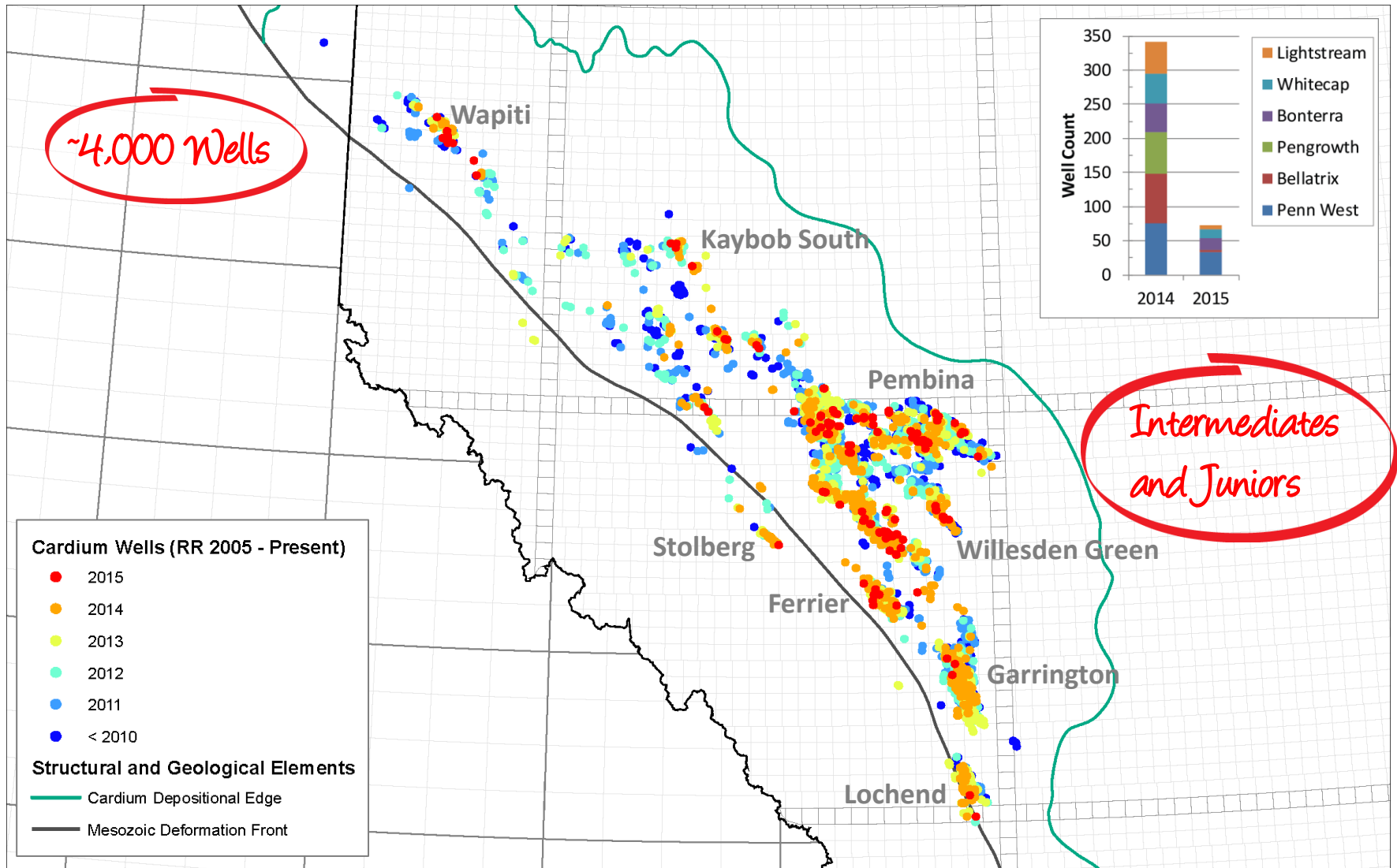
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Cardium Resource Play

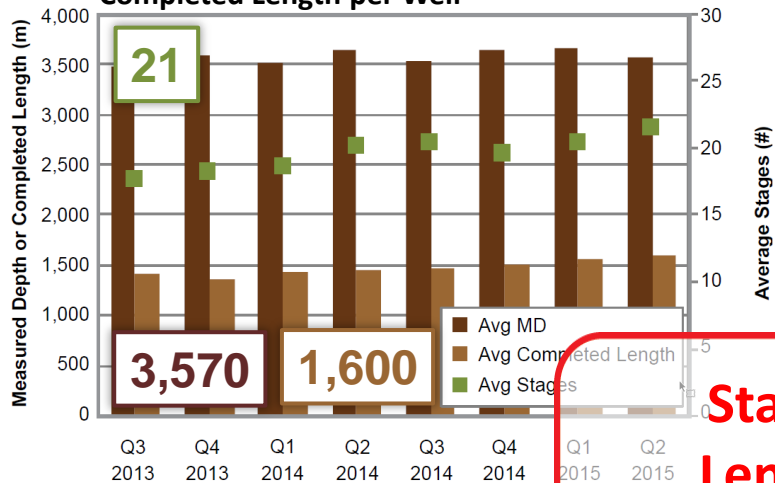


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CRETACEOUS	UPPER	BELLY RIVER CARDIUM 2ND WHITE SPECKS DOE CREEK DUNVEGAN VIKING
	LOWER	SPIRIT RIVER SPARKY CHINKEH BLUESKY GETTING CADOMIN WILRICH GLAUCONITIC LOWER MANNVILLE CANTUAR
	JURASSIC	NIKANASSIN SWIFT ROCK CREEK SHAUNAVON FERNIE GP FNUJEGG
	TRASSIC	CHARLIE LAKE HALFWAY DOIG MONTNEY AMARANTH LOWER AMARANTH SPEARFISH
MISSISSIPPIAN	UPPER	DEBOLT TURNER VALLEY ELKTON SHUNDA PEKISKO BANFF EXOBIW BAKKEN MT. HEAD MIDALE FROBISHER ALIDA TILSTON LODGEPOLE
	LOWER	
DEVONIAN	UPPER	MUSKWA WABAMUN TORQUAY BLUEBRIDGE NISKU BIRD BEAR IRETON COOKING LK WATERWAYS SLAVE POINT MUSKEG KEG RIVER CONTACT RAPIDS COLD LAKE LOTSBERG
	MIDDLE	

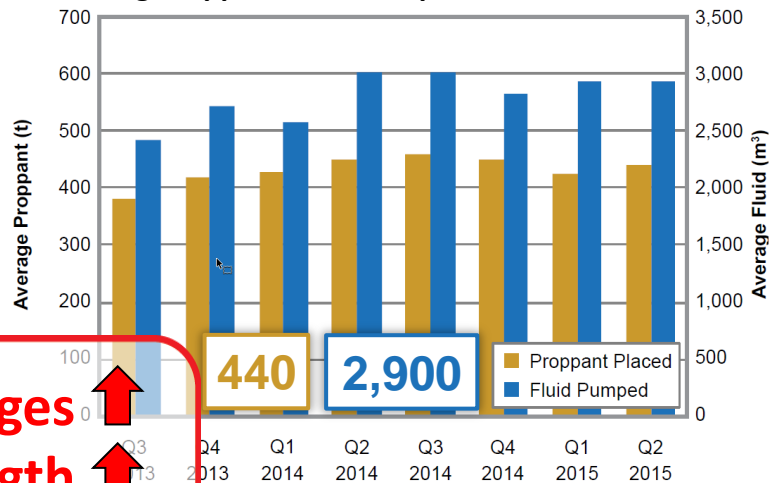




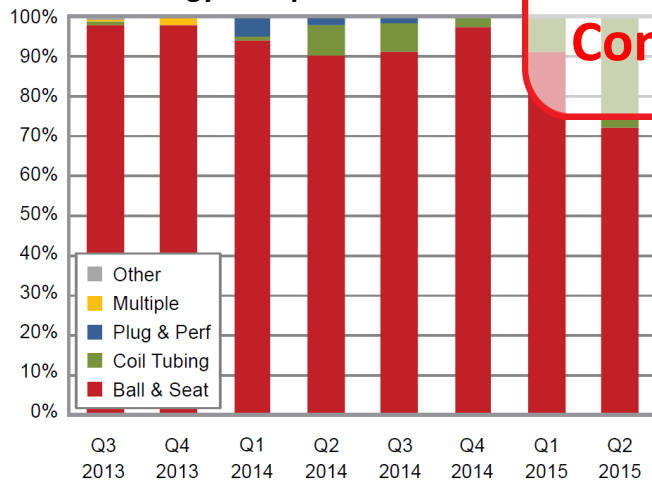
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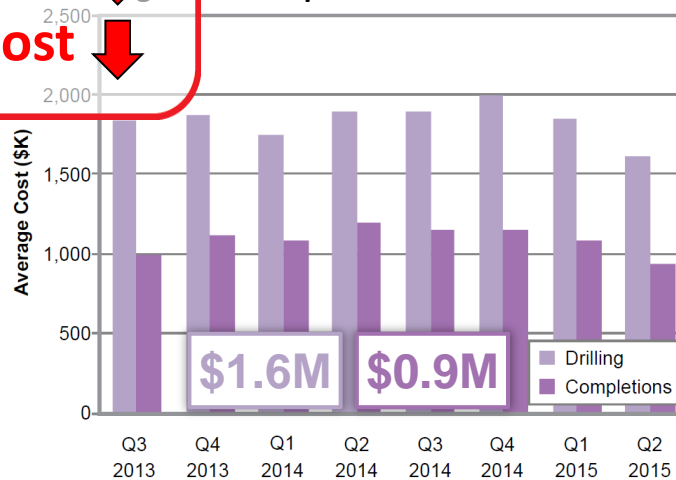
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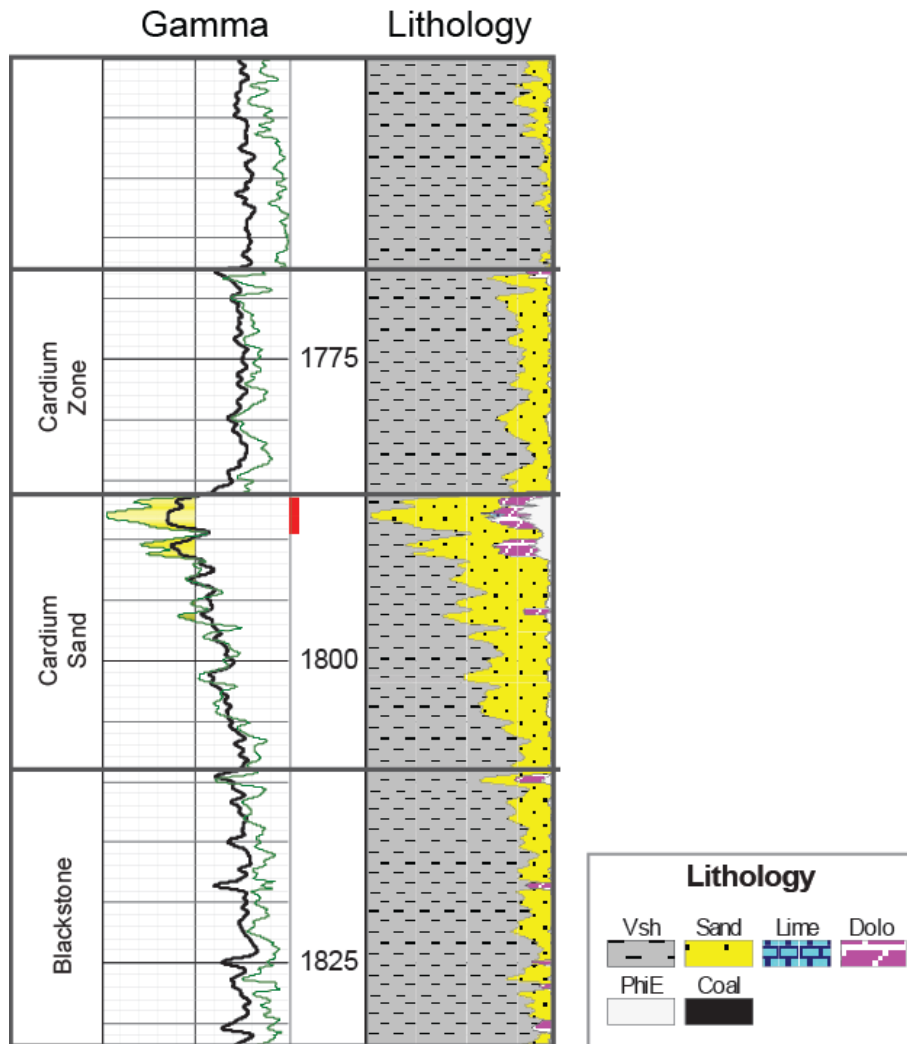
Technology Group Distribution



Avg D&C Costs per Well



14-20-50-12W5



Pros

- IPmax trend ↑
- \$K/IPmax trend ↓
- Drill, Comp Costs ↓
- Existing Infrastructure

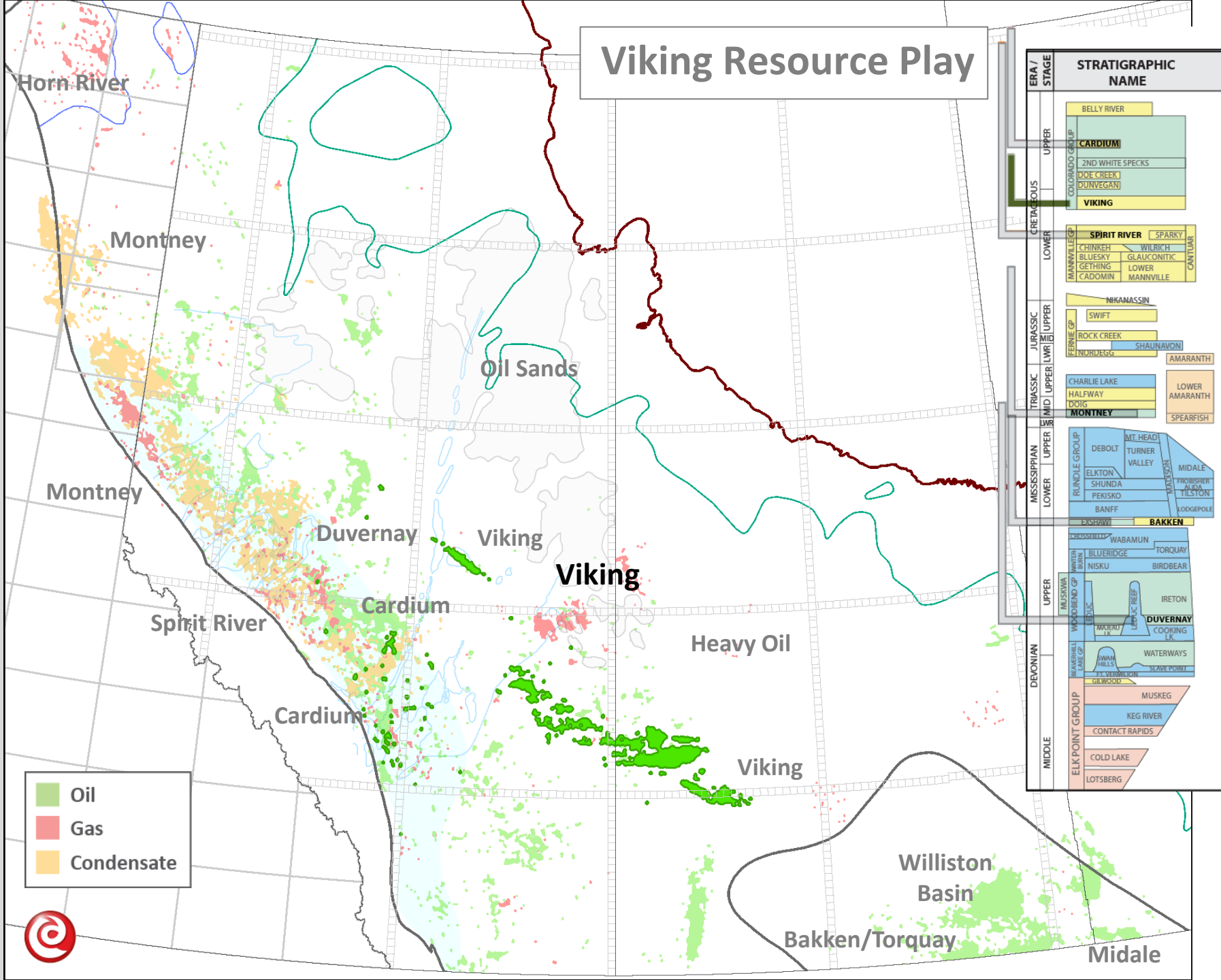
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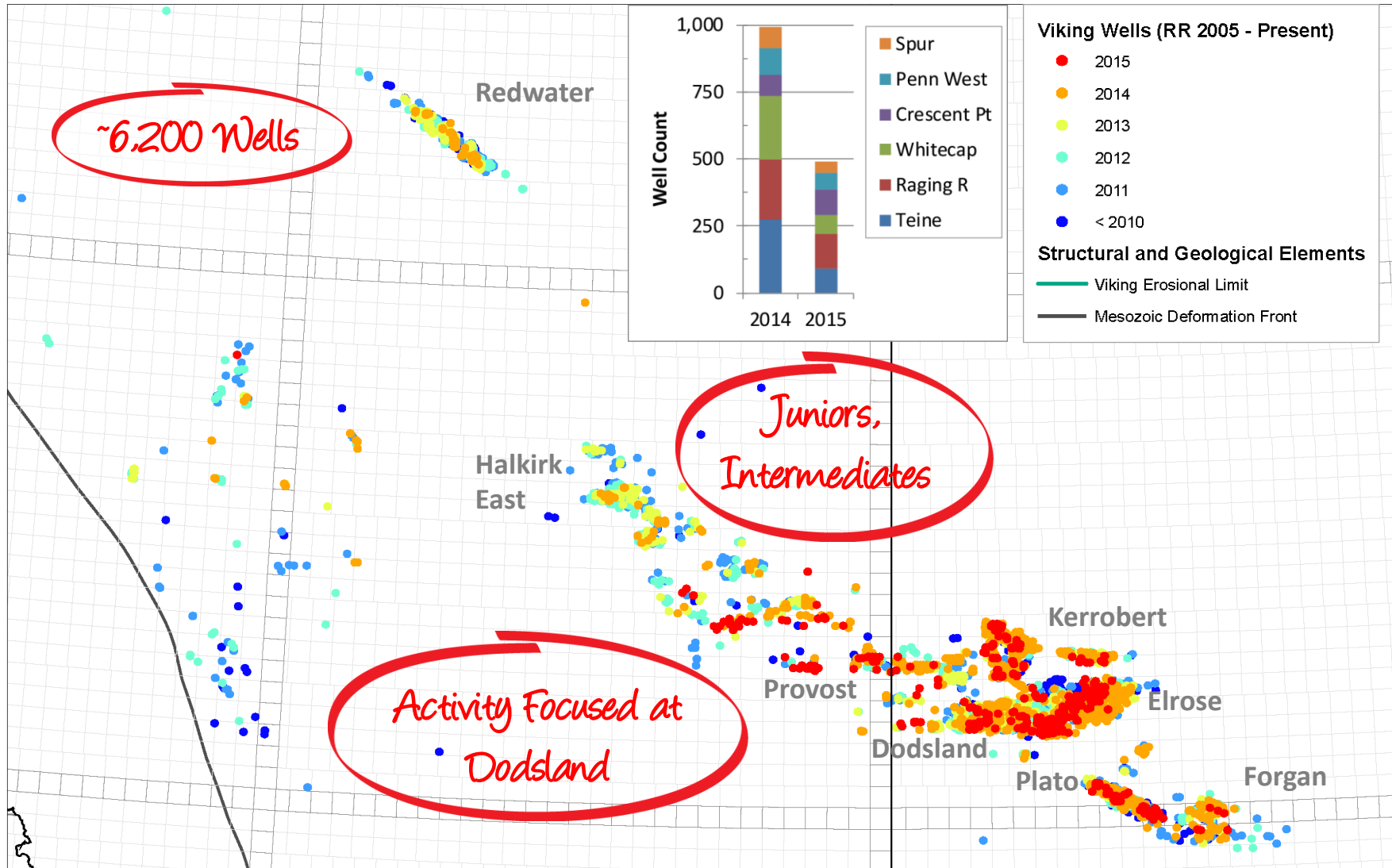
- 2014 vs 2015 Activity ↓
- Net Pay 2-15m

Summary

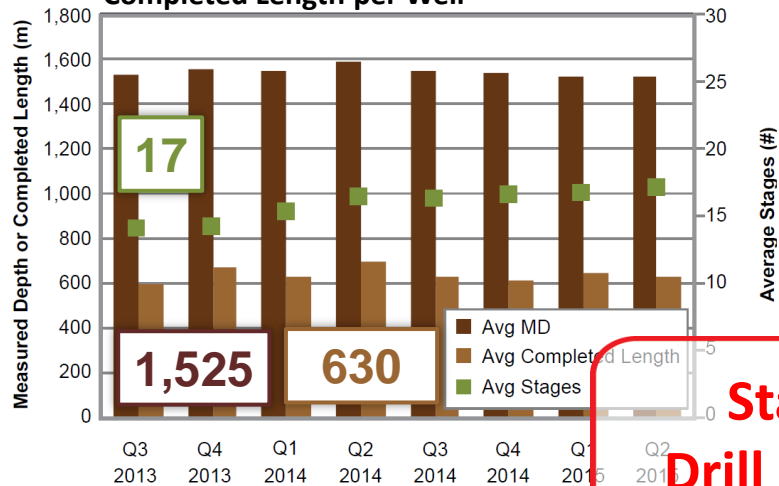
- Avg D&C Cost - \$2.7MM
- \$K/IPmax - \$17.0K

Viking Resource Play

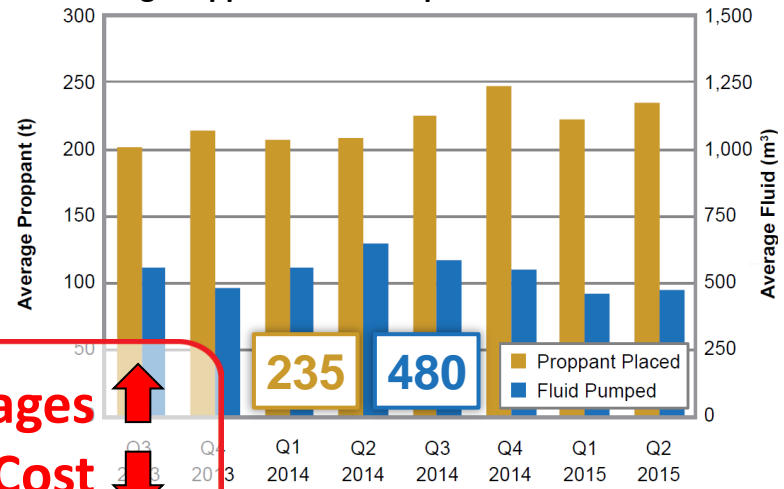




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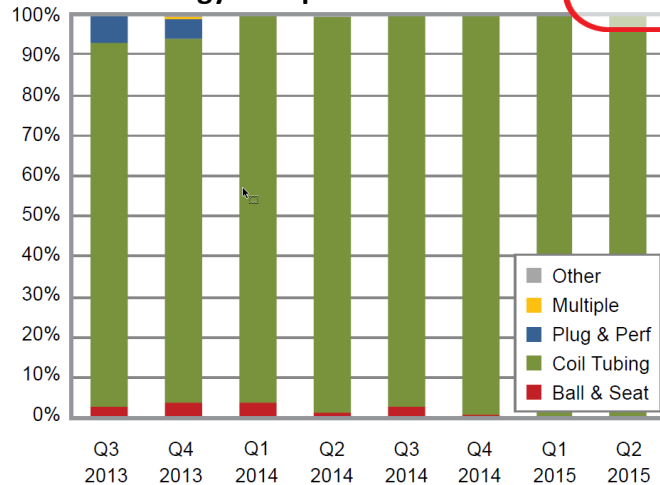


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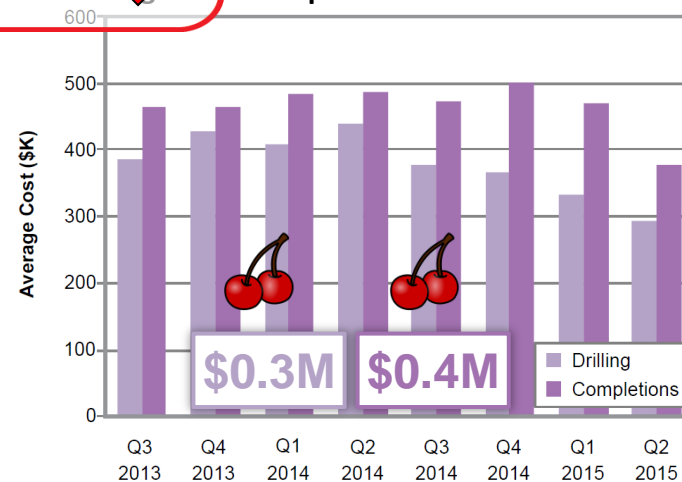


Stages
Drill Cost
Comp Cost

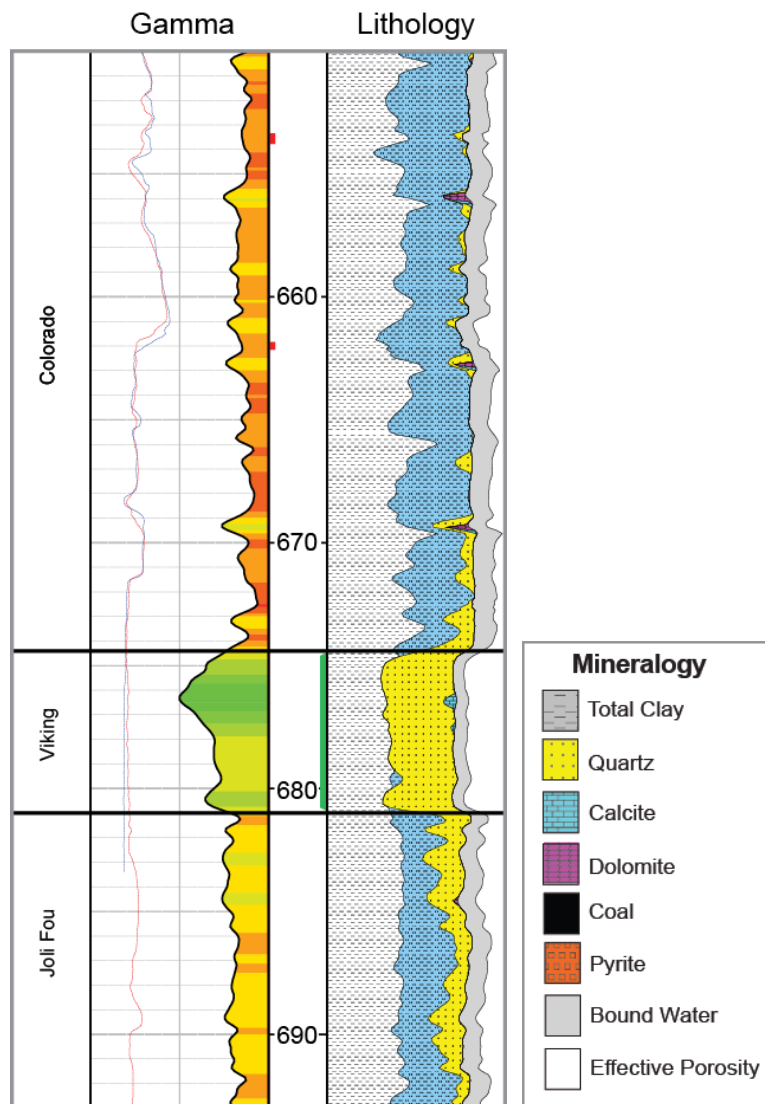
Technology Group Distribution



Avg D&C Costs per Well



3-23-31-21W3



Pros

- Most active play WCSB
- Lowest cost play WCSB
- IPmax trend steady ↔
- \$K/IPmax trend steady ↔
- Drill, Comp Costs ↓

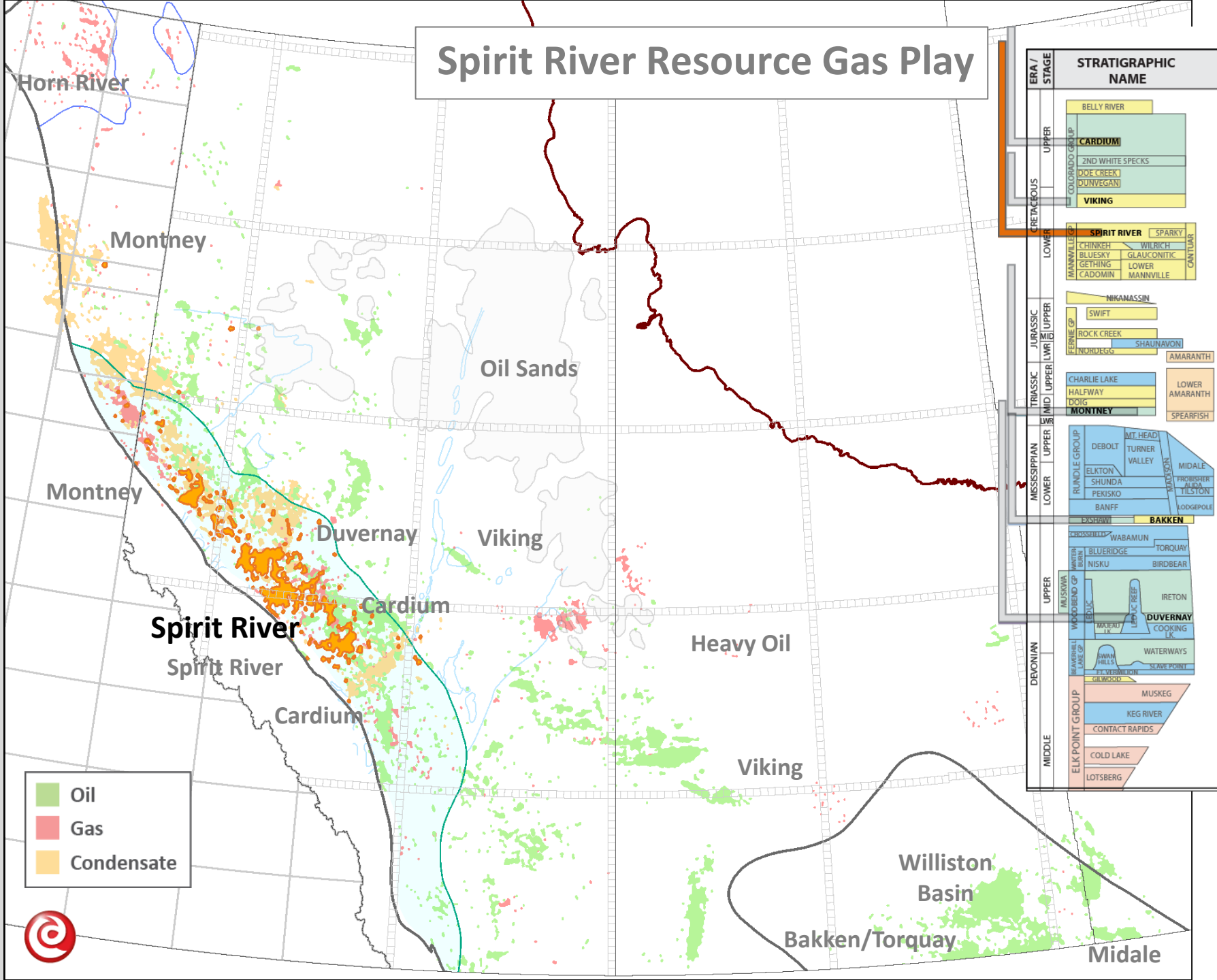
Cons

- Net Pay 5-10m

Summary

- Avg D&C Cost - \$0.7MM
- \$K/IPmax - \$15.0K

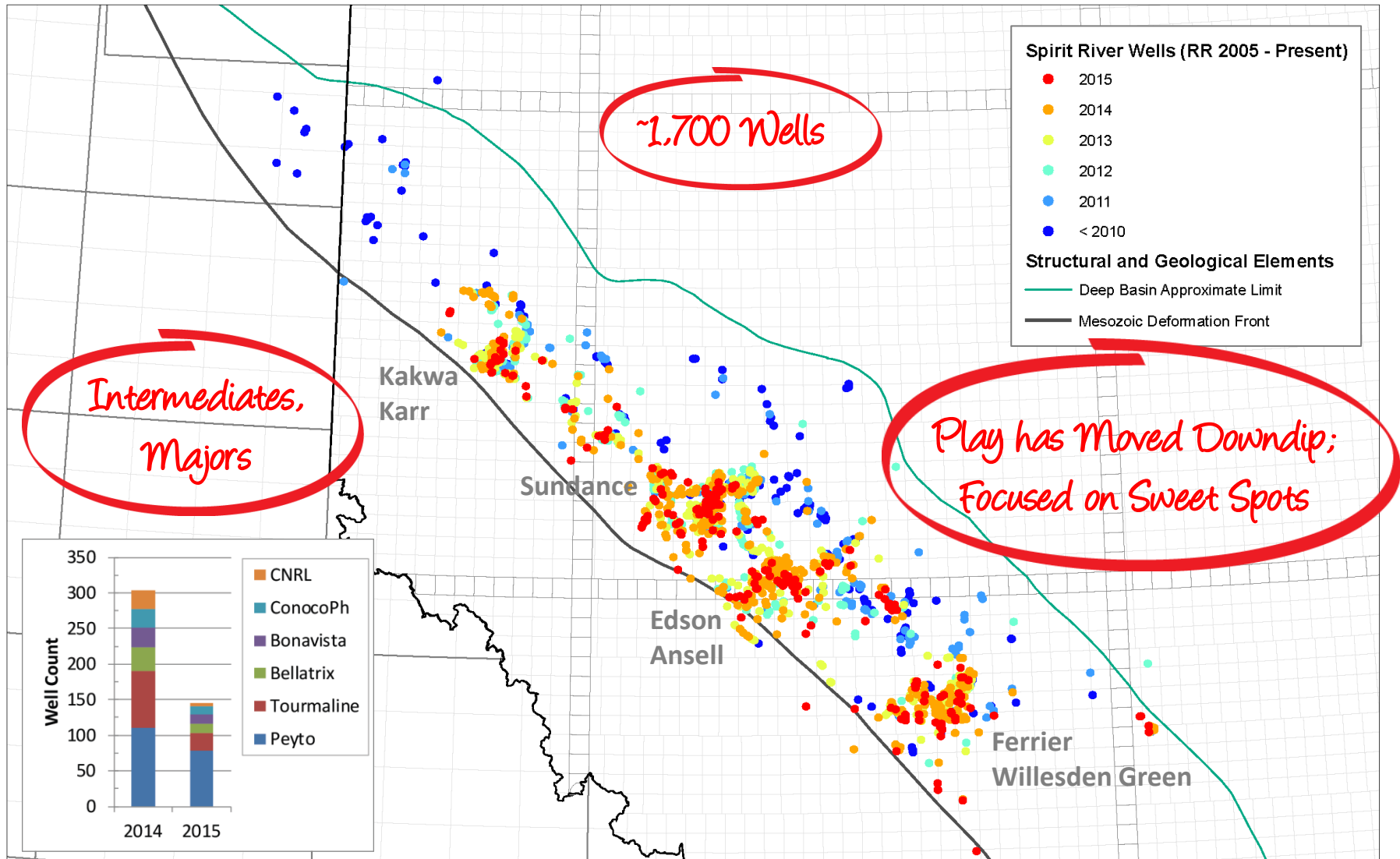
Spirit River Resource Gas Play



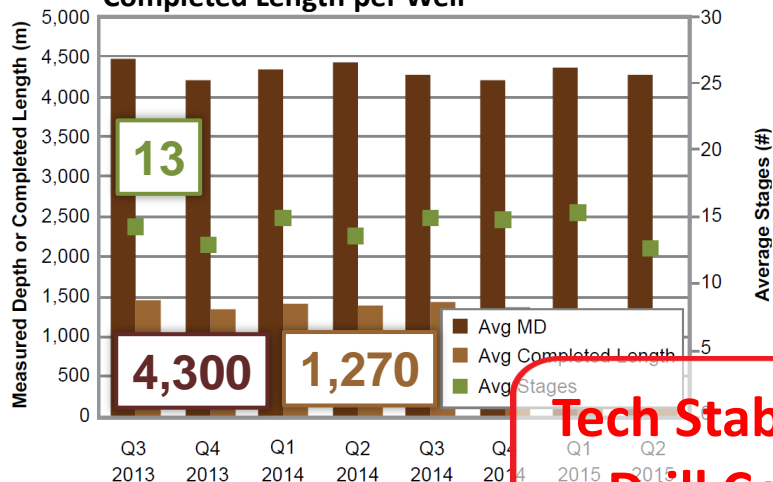
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	SWIFT
	ROCK CREEK
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	AMARANTH
TRIASSIC	CHARLIE LAKE
	HALFWAY
	DOIG
	MONTNEY
	SPEARFISH
MISSISSIPPIAN	DEBOLT
	ELKTON
	SHUNDA
	PEKISKO
	BANFF
MISSISSIPPIAN	MT. HEAD
	TURNER VALLEY
	MIDALE
	WYBURN
	WILSON
DEVONIAN	BAKKEN
	WABAMUN
	TORQUAY
	BIRDBEAR
	IRETON
DEVONIAN	DUVERNAY
	COOKING LK
	WATERWAYS
	SLAVE POINT
	MUSKEG
MIDDLE	KEG RIVER
	CONTACT RAPIDS
	COLD LAKE
	LOTSBERG
	ELK POINT GROUP

- Oil
- Gas
- Condensate

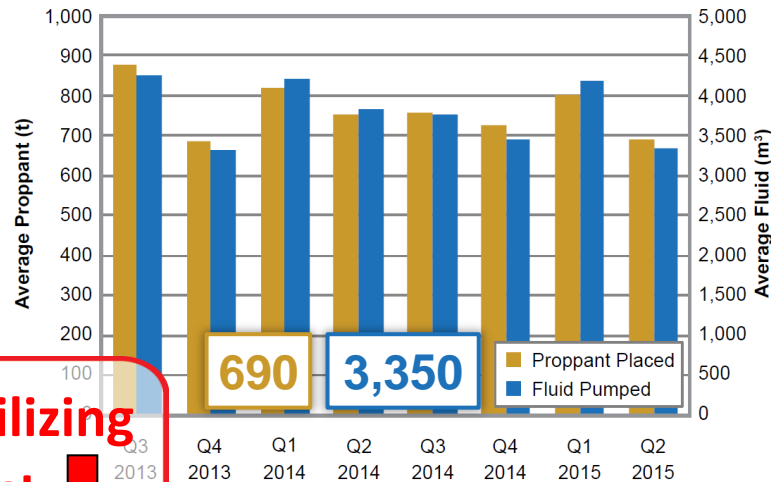




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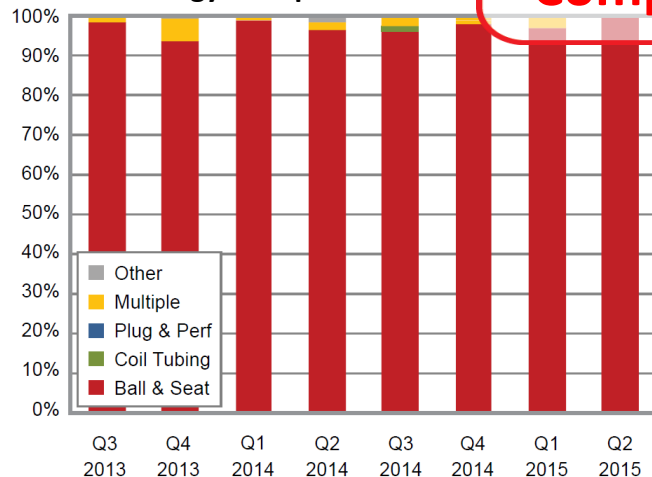


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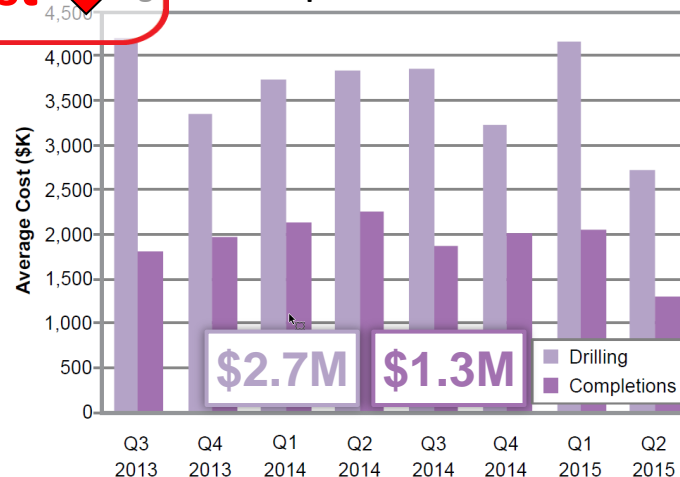


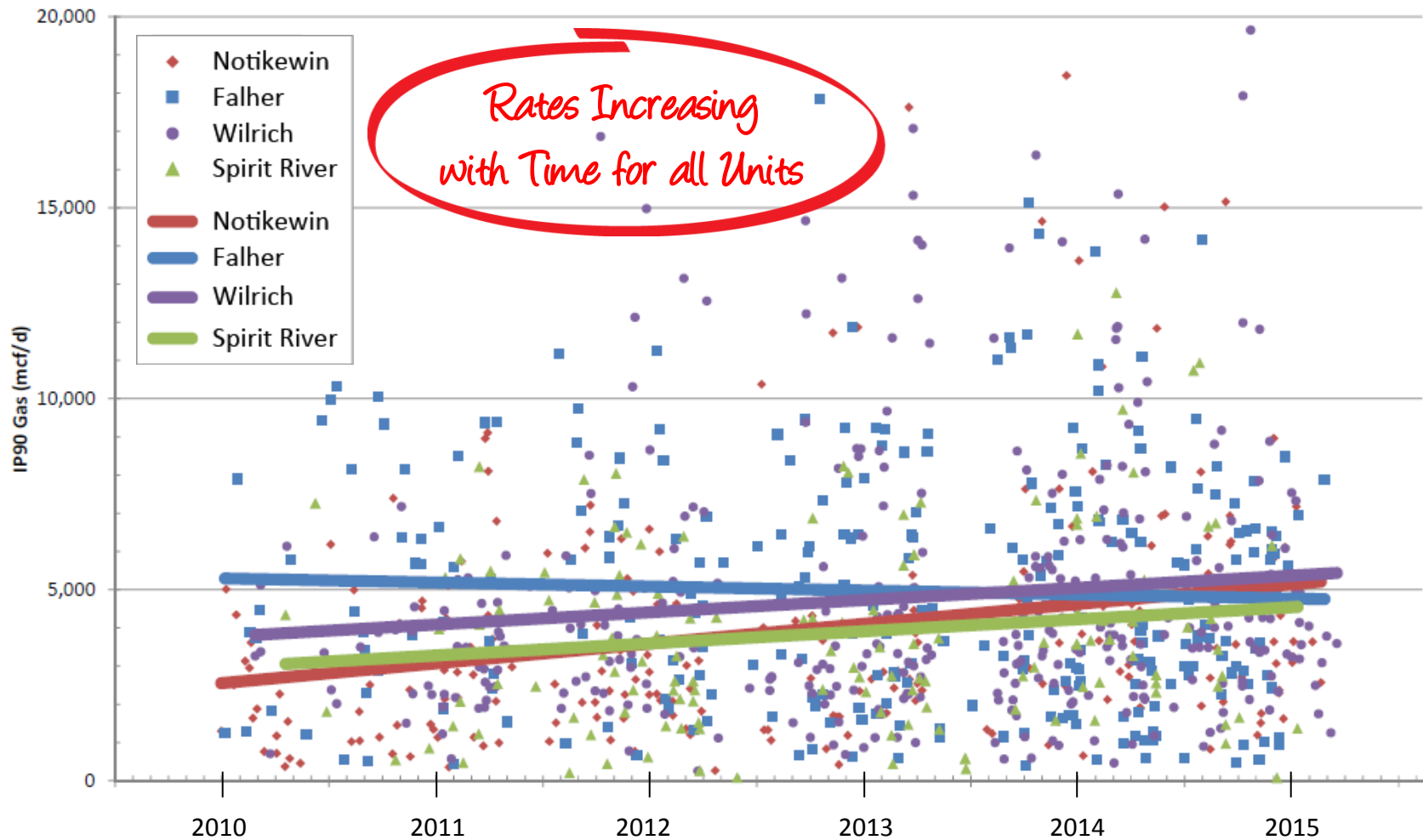
**Tech Stabilizing
Drill Cost
Comp Cost**

Technology Group Distribution



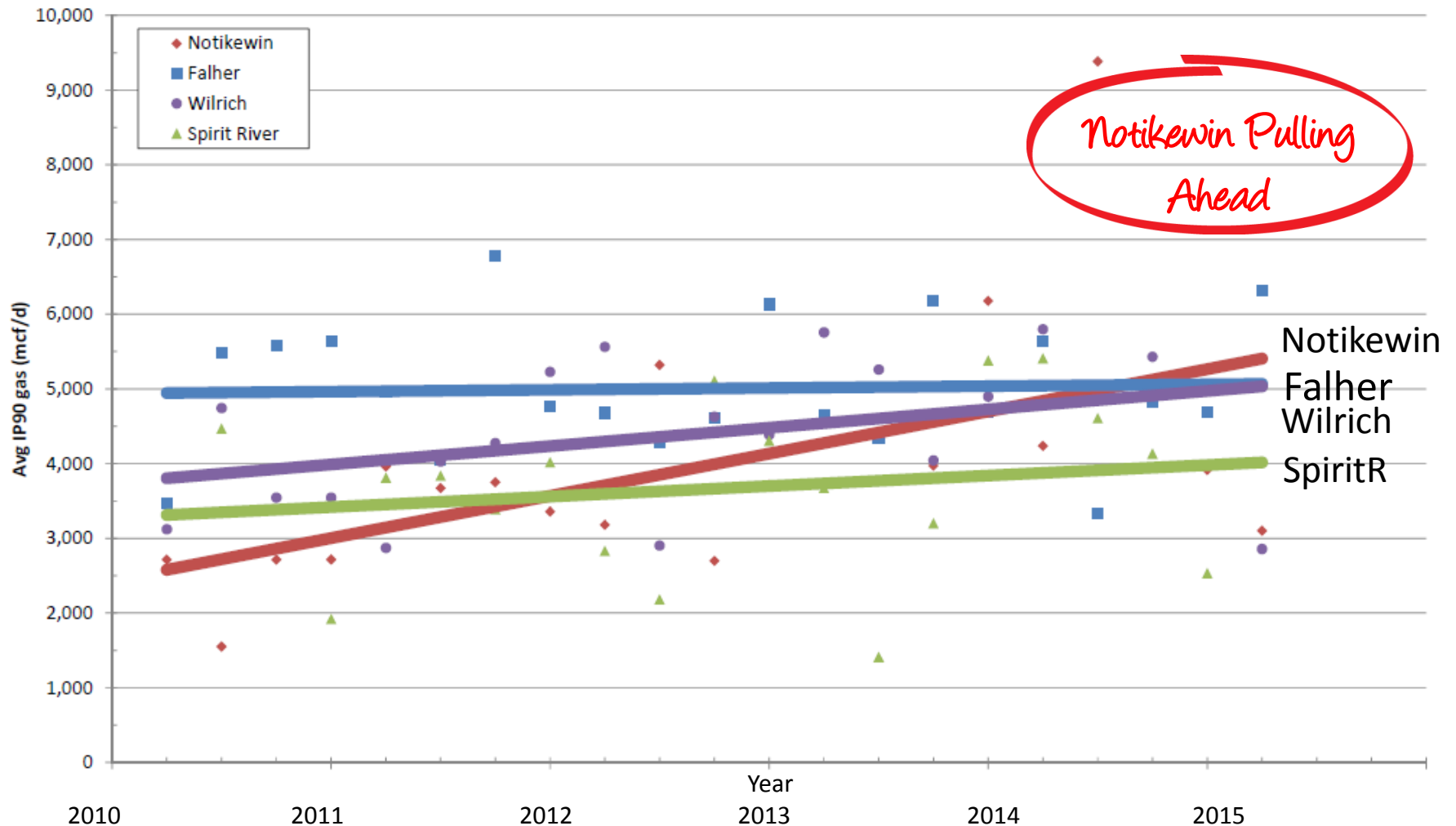
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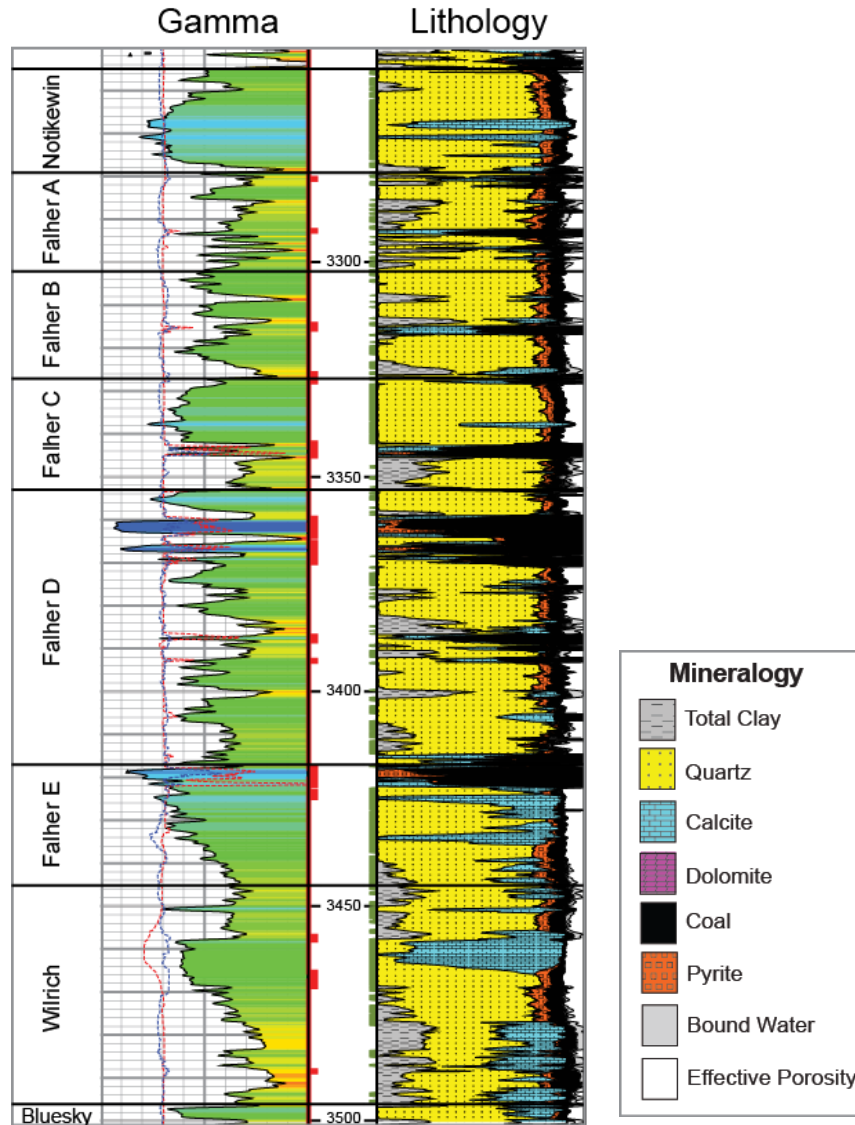


SPIRIT RIVER

Quarterly IP90 Production Trends



5-23-57-1W6



Pros

- Highest IP rates, trend
- \$K/IPmax
- Drill, Comp Costs
- Net Pay ~ 120m

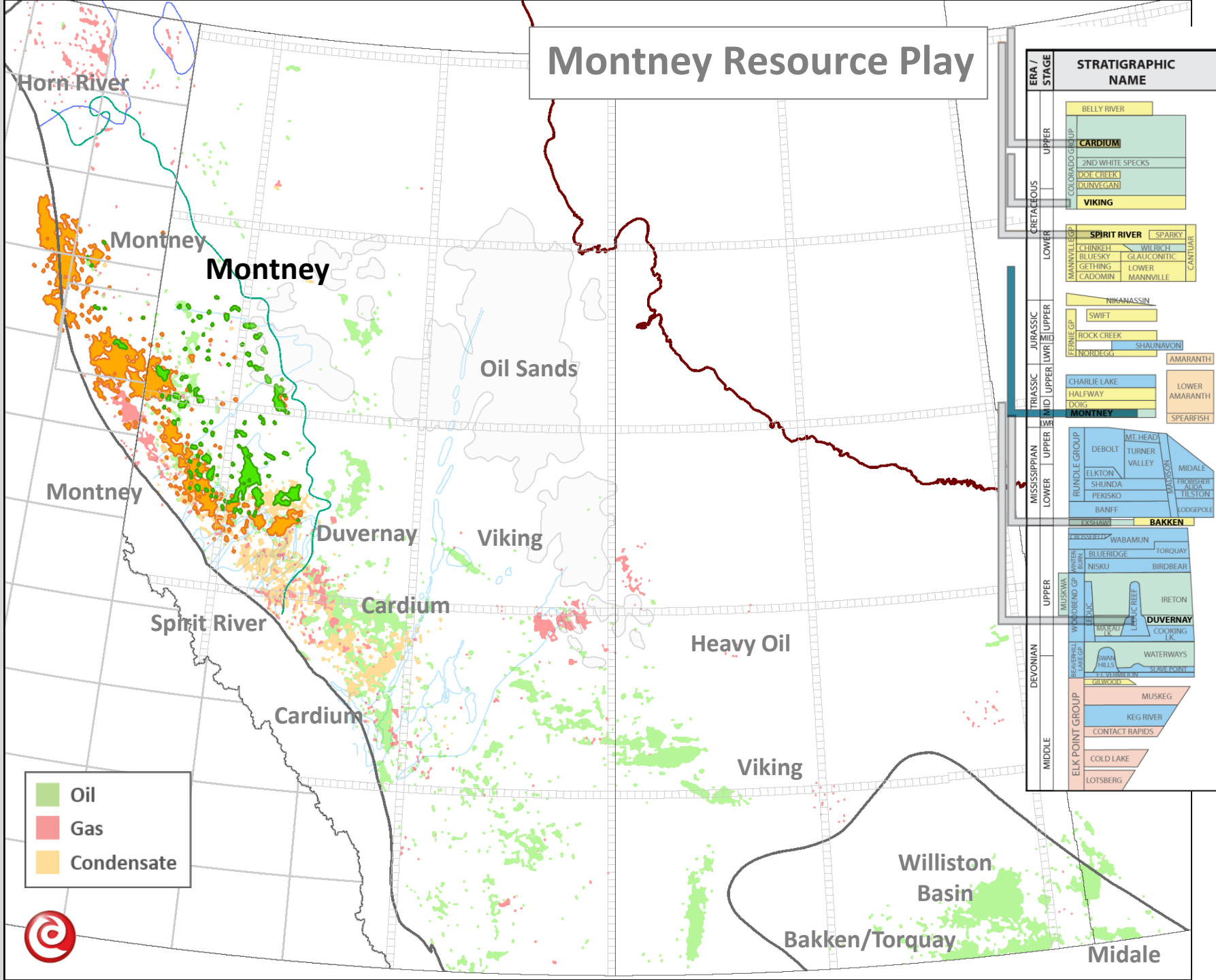
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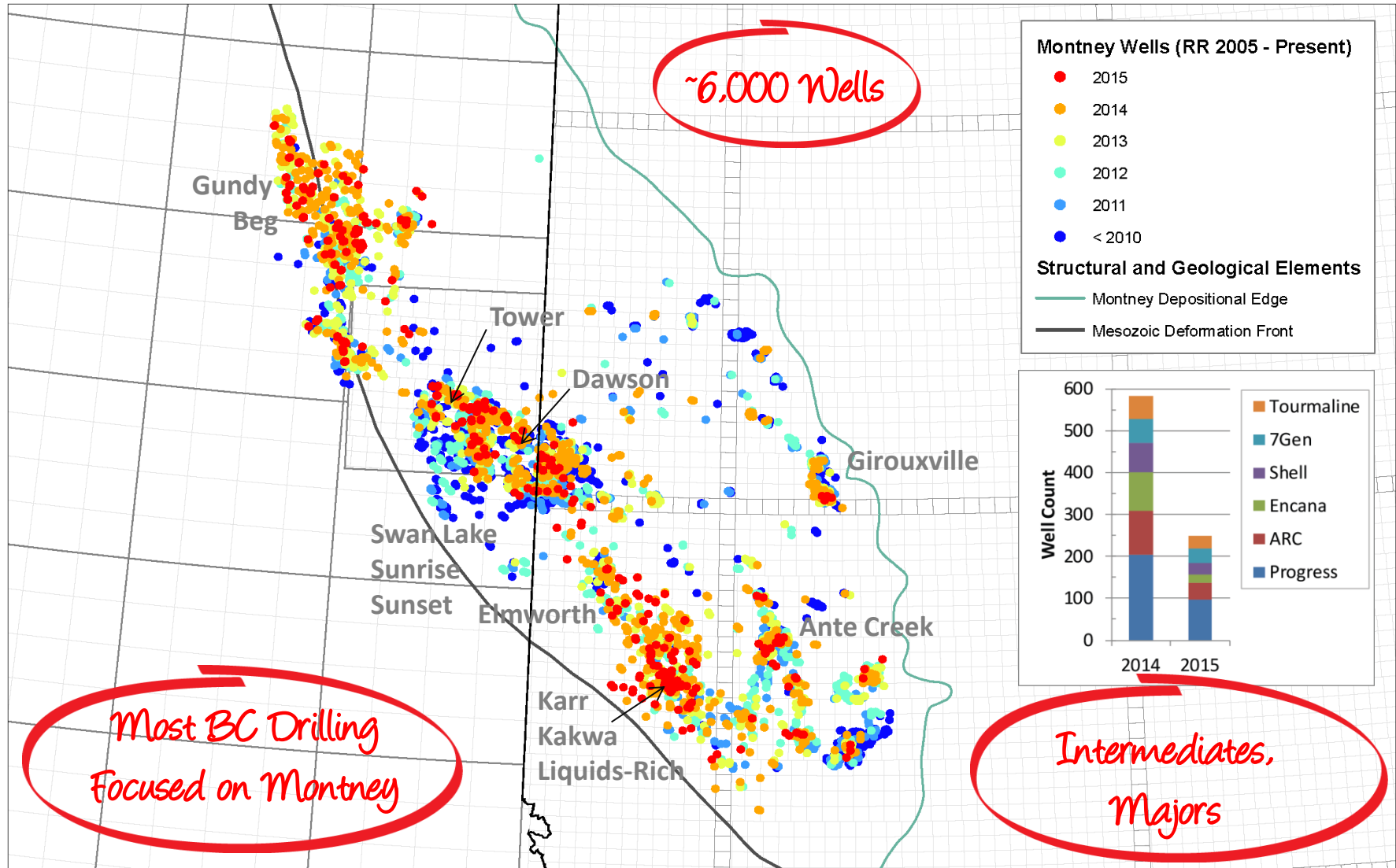
- Capital Intensive
- Reservoir heterogeneity
- Liquids variable

Summary

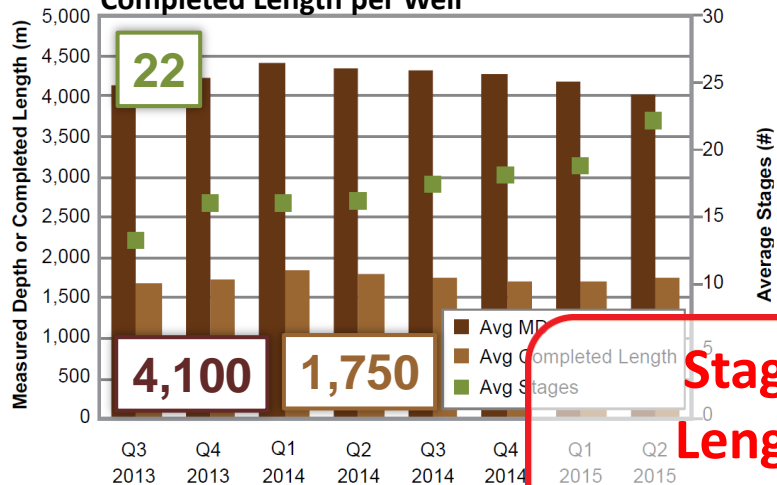
- Avg D&C Cost - \$4.0MM
- \$K/IPmax - \$6.3K

Montney Resource Play

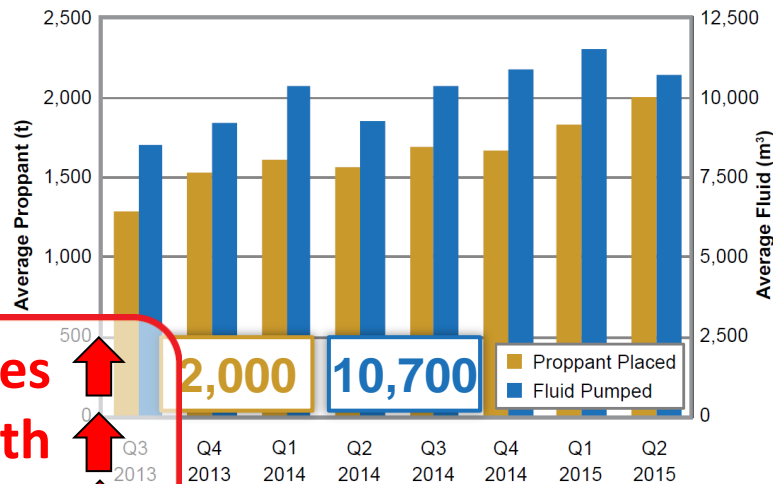




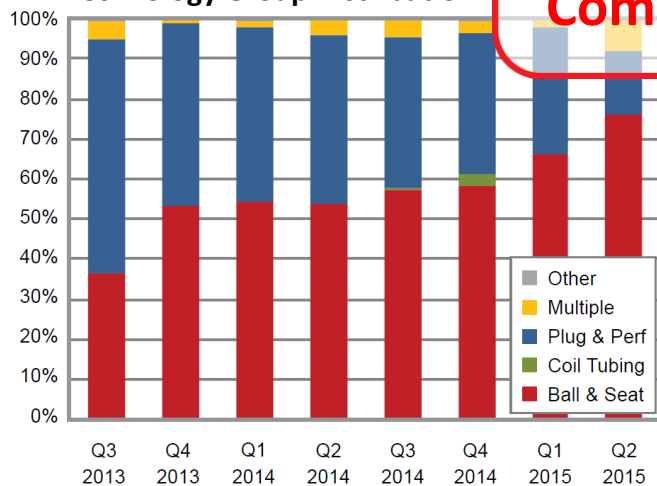
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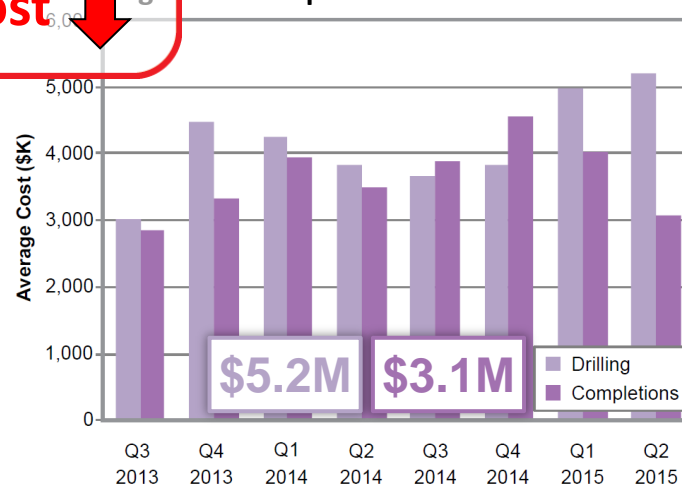


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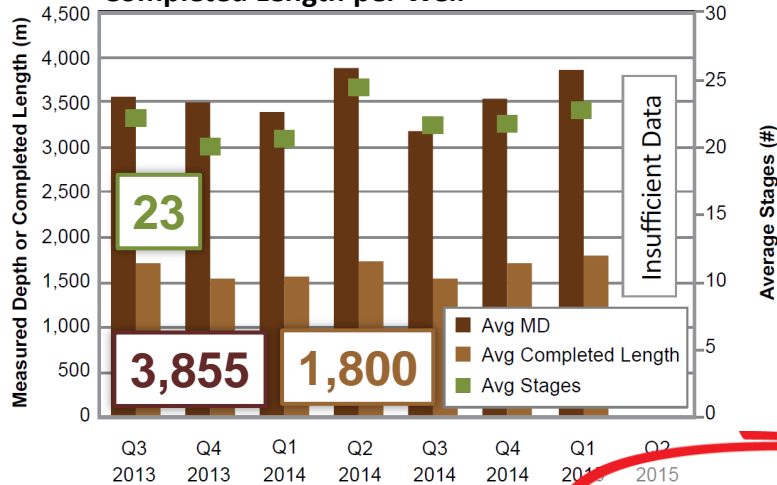


**Stages
Length
Proppant
Comp Cost**

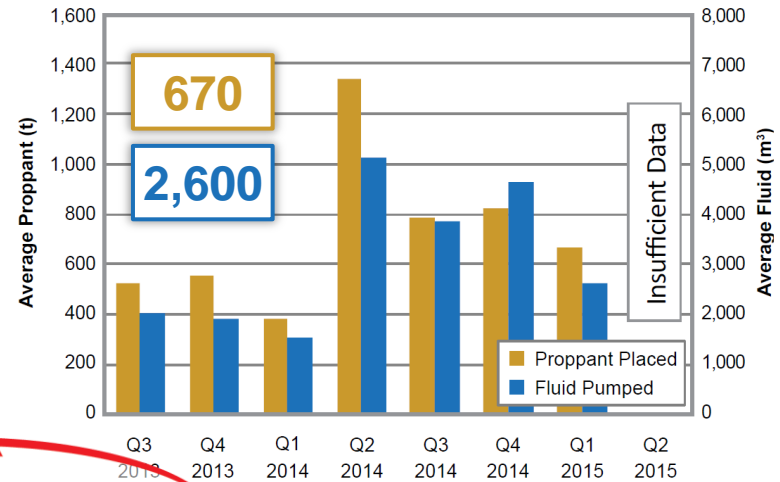
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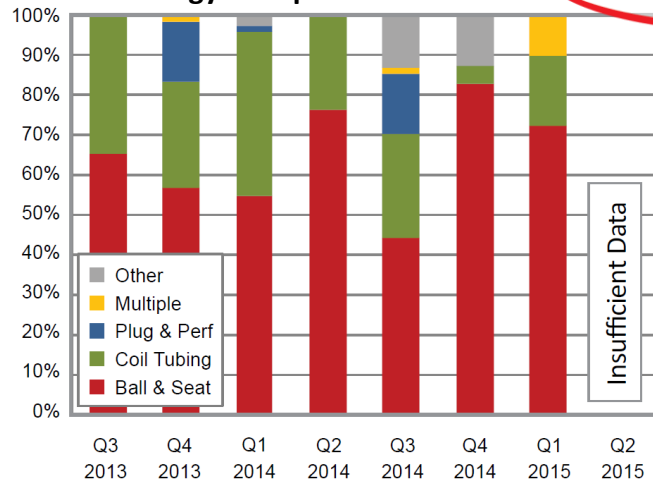
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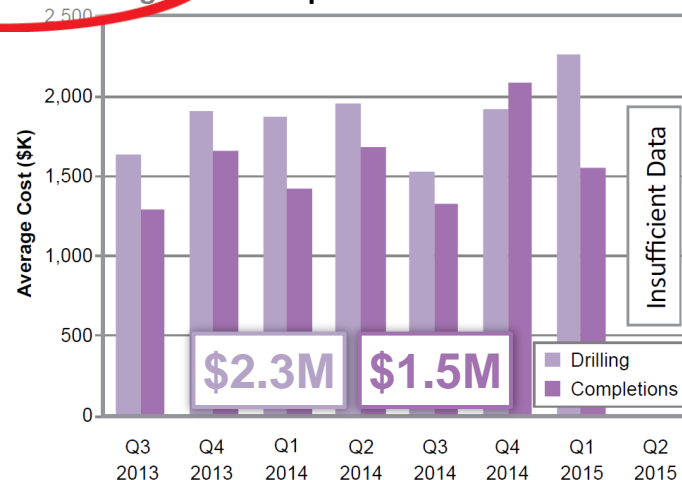
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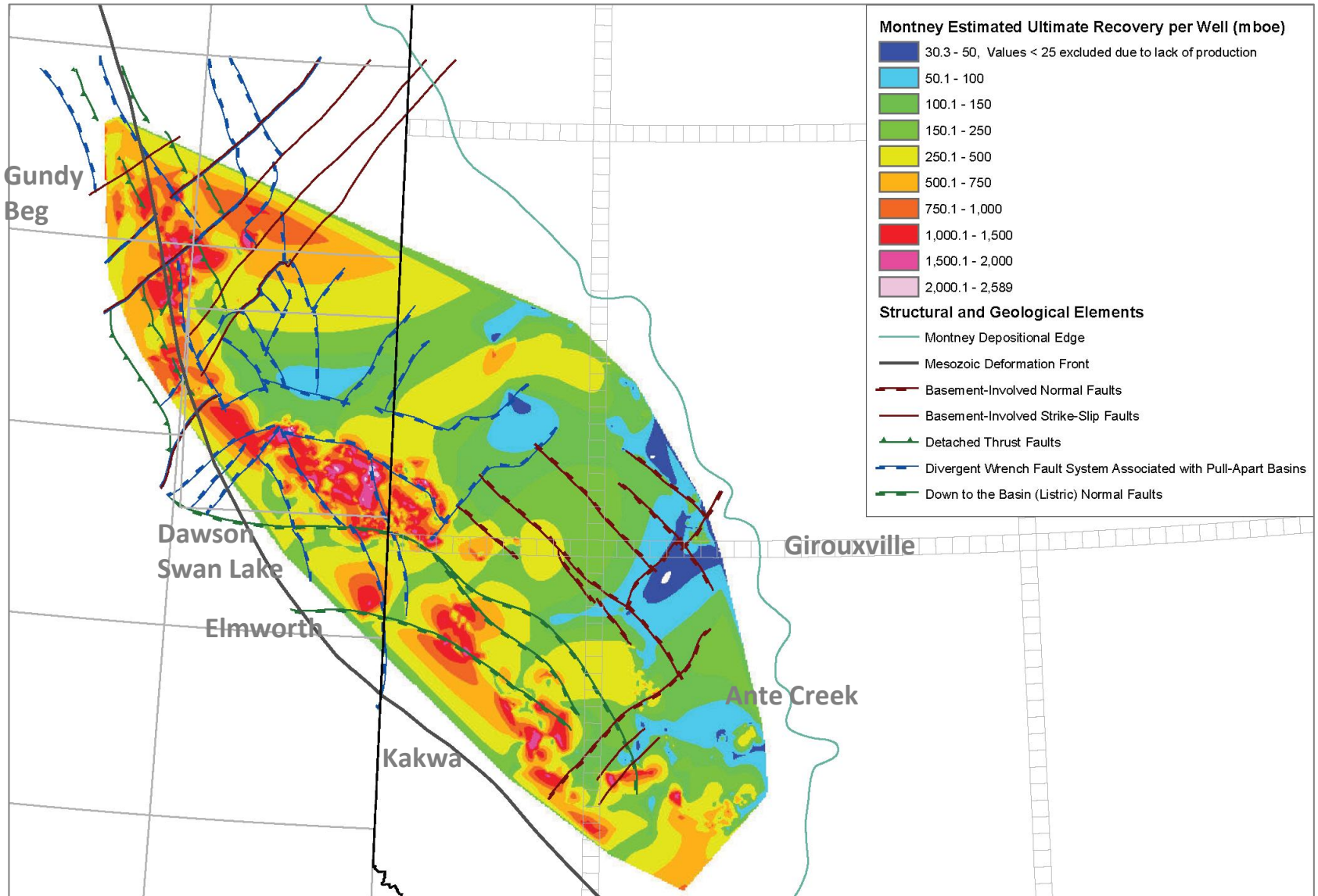
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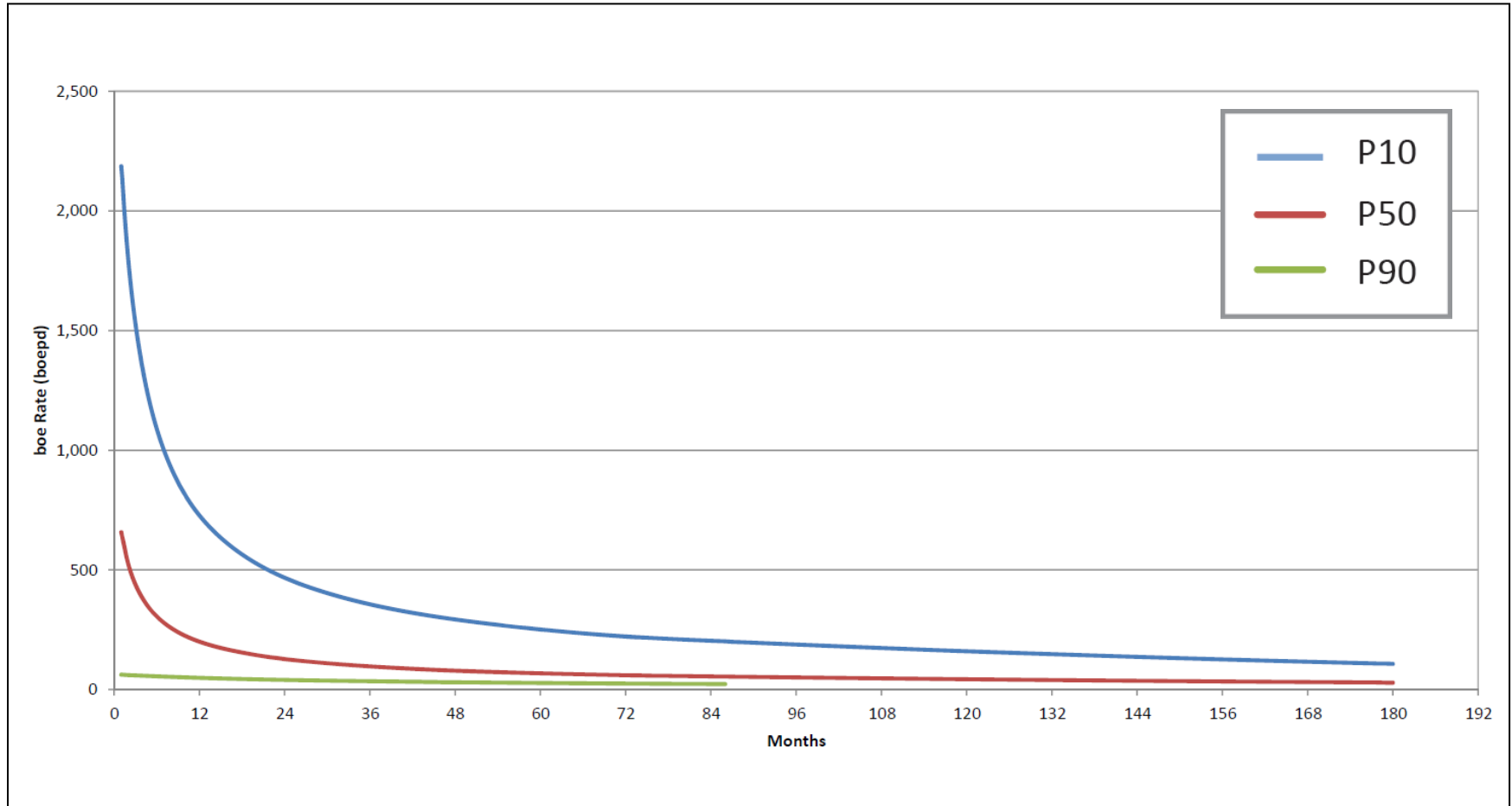
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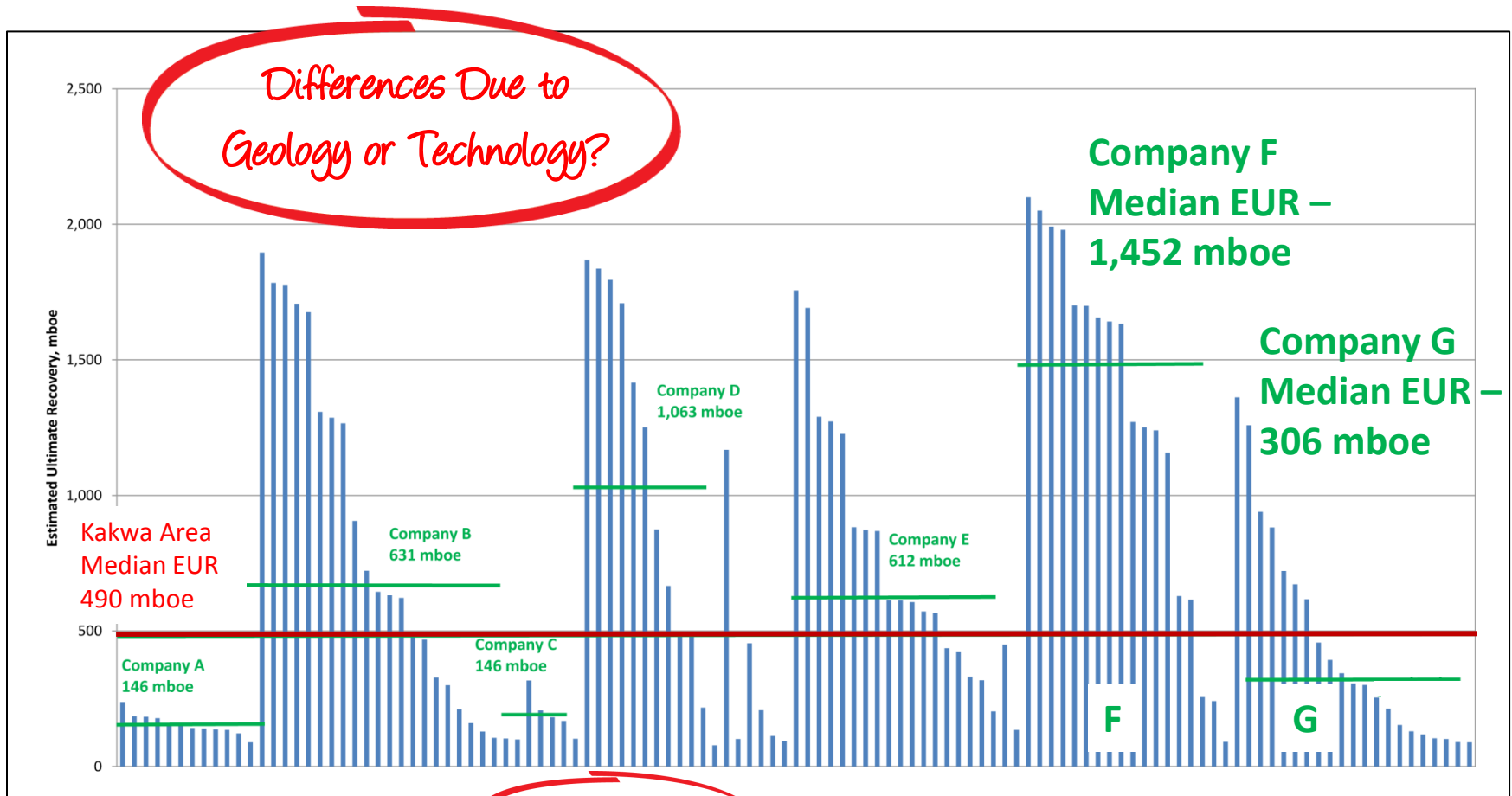


Estimated Ultimate Recovery (EUR) per Well



Kakwa-Karr BOE Type Curve

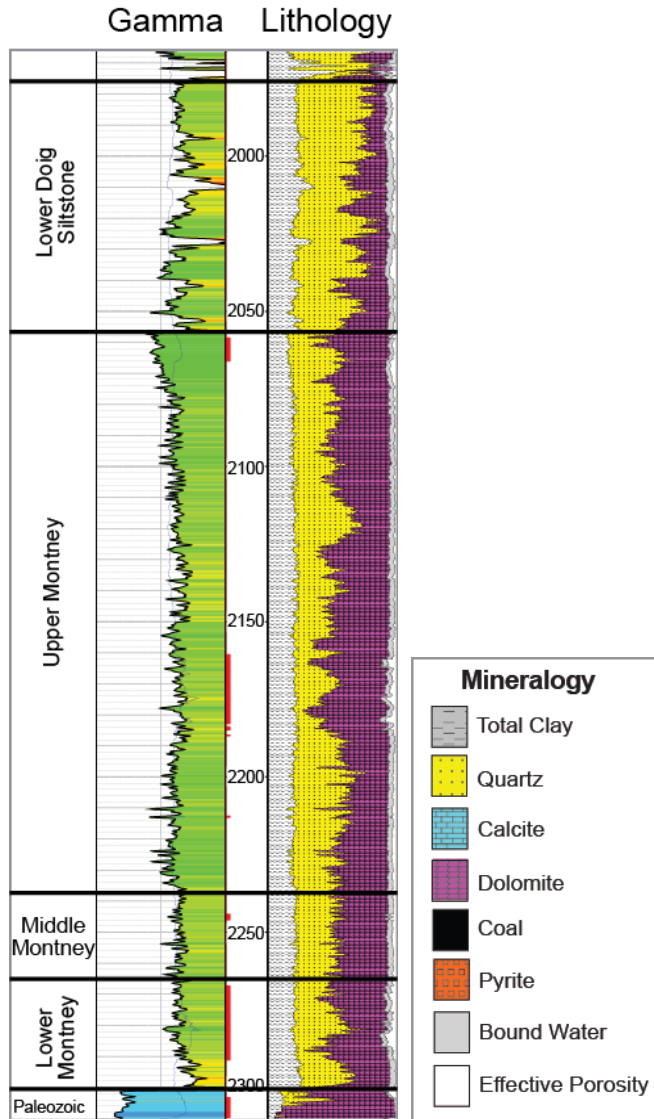




Company F vs Company G *Tech Wins*

- Bigger Completions (Longer Laterals, More Stages , More Proppant/Fluid)
- D&C Costs – 58% Higher
- EUR 4.7 X Greater

15-25-80-16W6



Pros

- IPmax trend ↑
- \$K/IPmax trend ↓
- Net Pay ~ 300m
- Potential for vertically stacked laterals

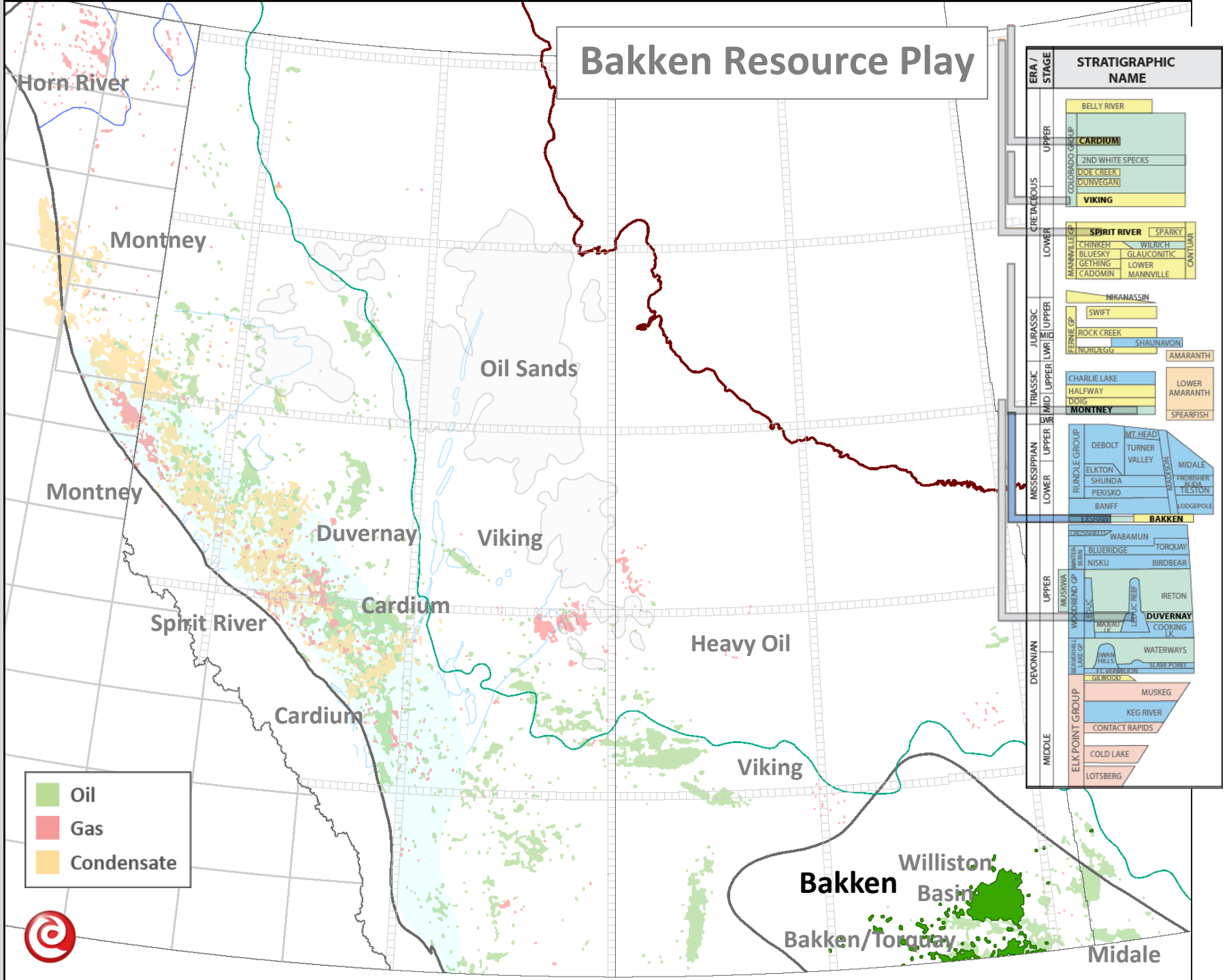
Cons

- Reservoir heterogeneity
- Variable liquids rates

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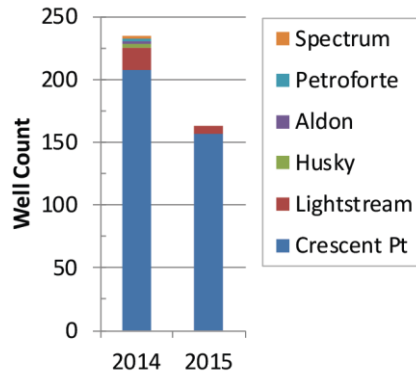
- Avg D&C Cost - \$8.3MM
- \$K/IPmax - \$16.3K

Bakken Resource Play



Bakken Wells (RR 2005 - Present)

- 2015
- 2014
- 2013
- 2012
- 2011
- < 2010



~4,000 Wells

- Waterflooding Improves RF from 12 to 30%
- Sliding Sleeve Technology Improves Waterflood Control

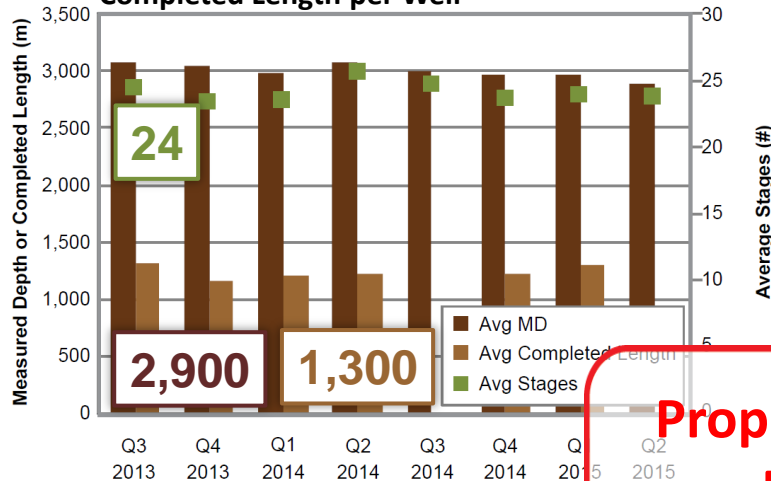
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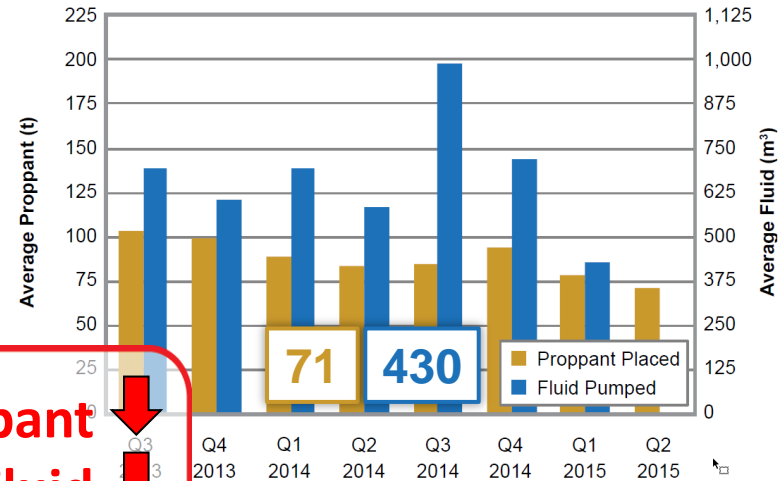
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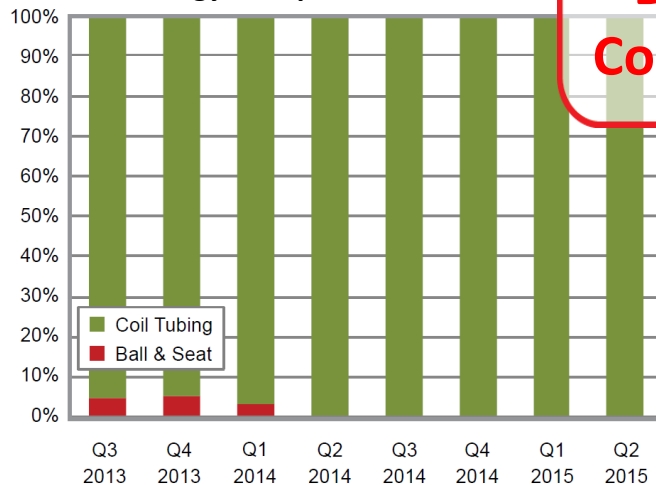
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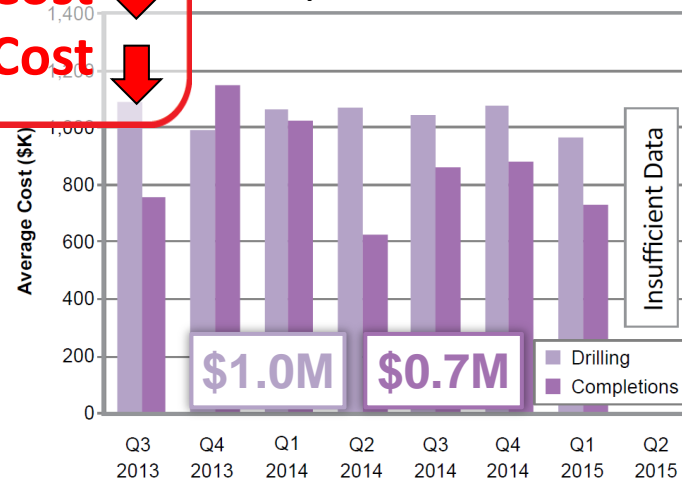


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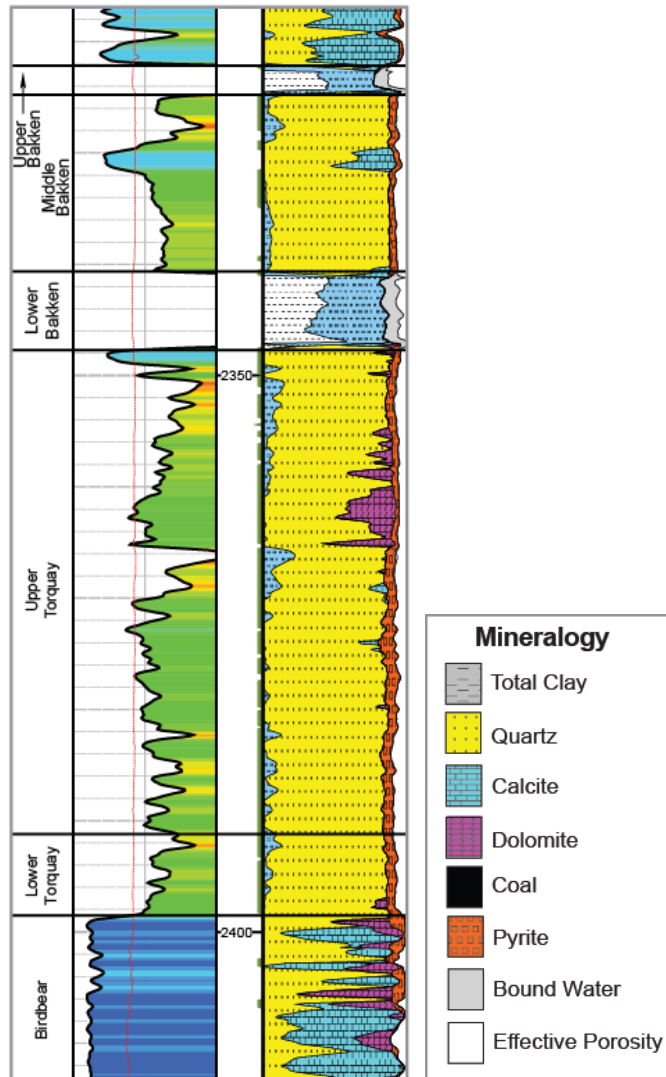


**Proppant
Fluid
Drill Cost
Comp Cost**

Avg D&C Costs per Well



21/5-17-1-15W2



Pros

- Activity holding ↔
- IPmax trend steady ↔
- \$K/IPmax trend steady ↔
- Some overlap with Torquay play
- Waterflood improves RF

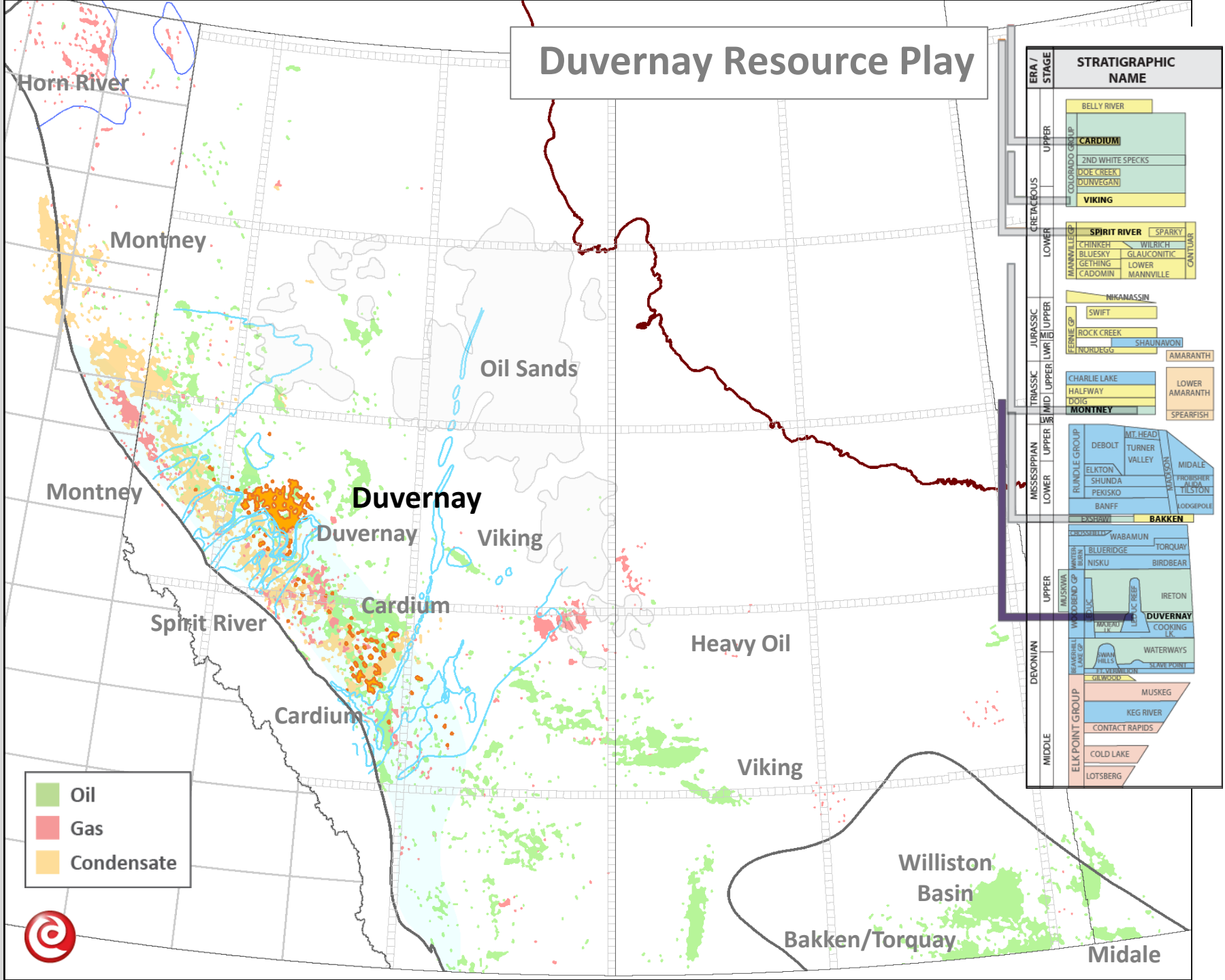
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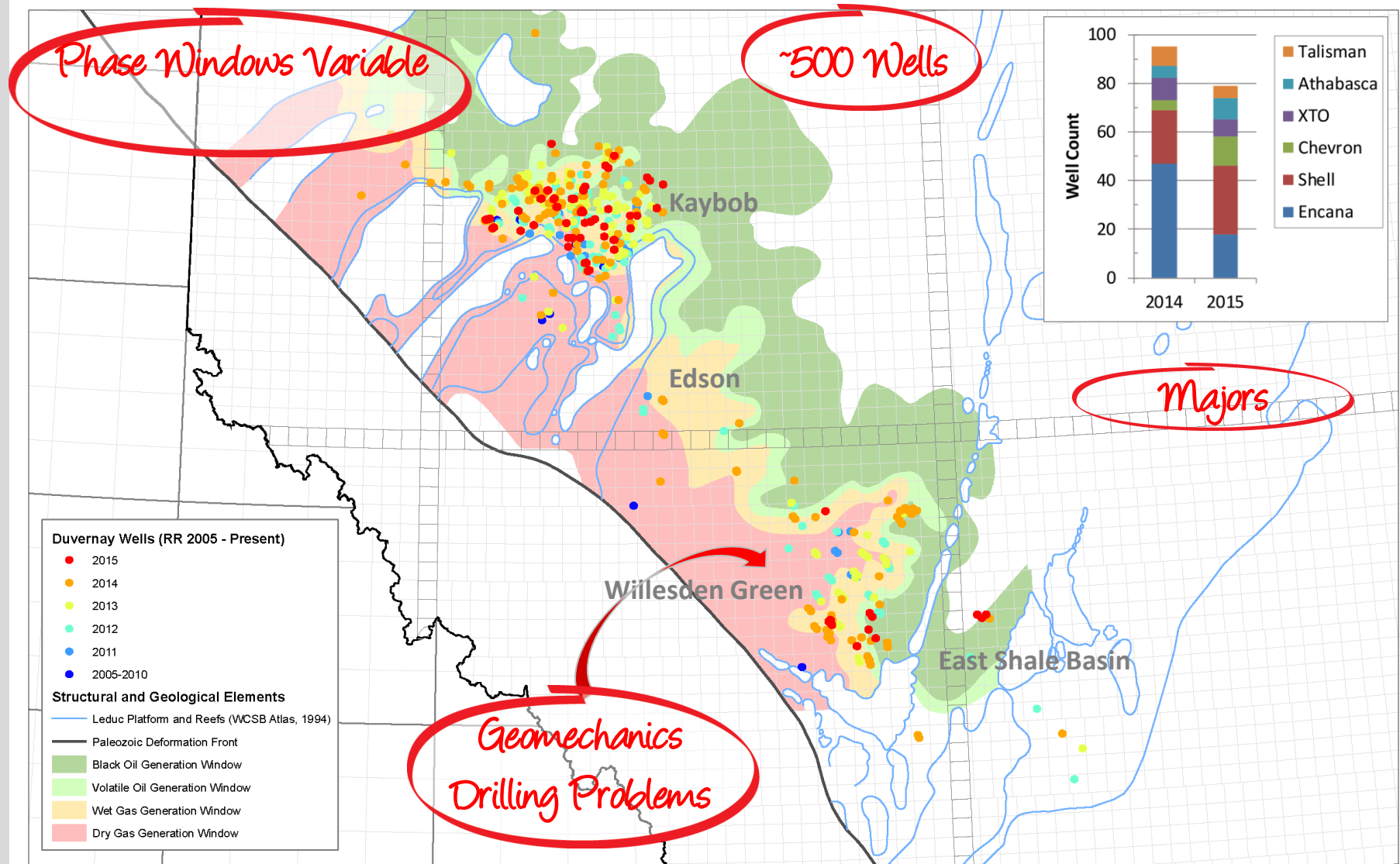
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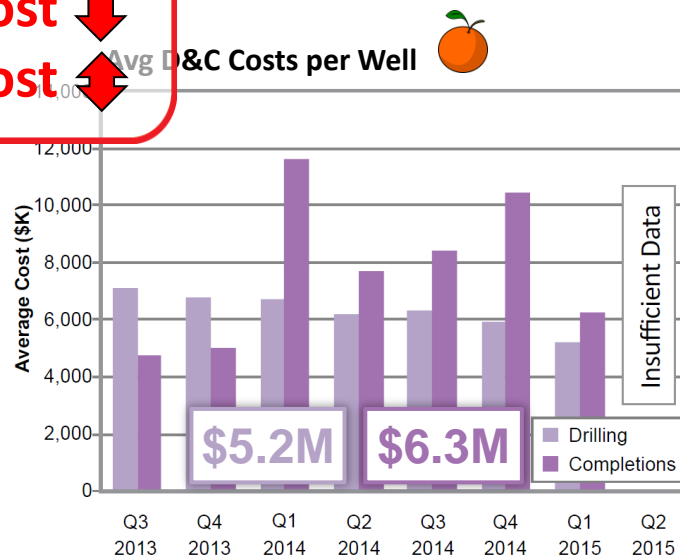
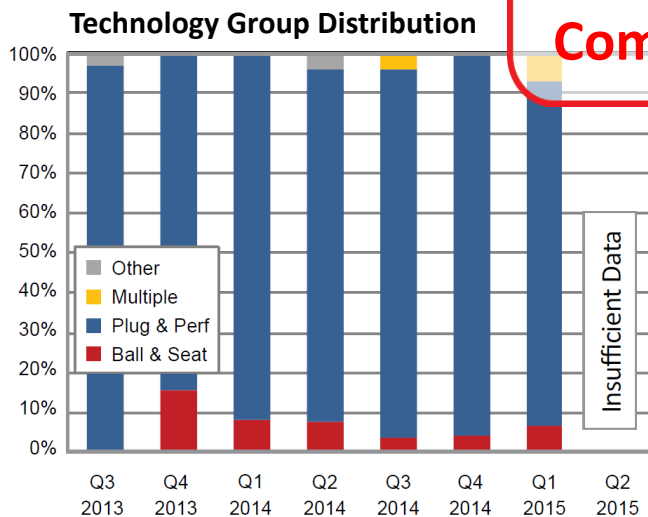
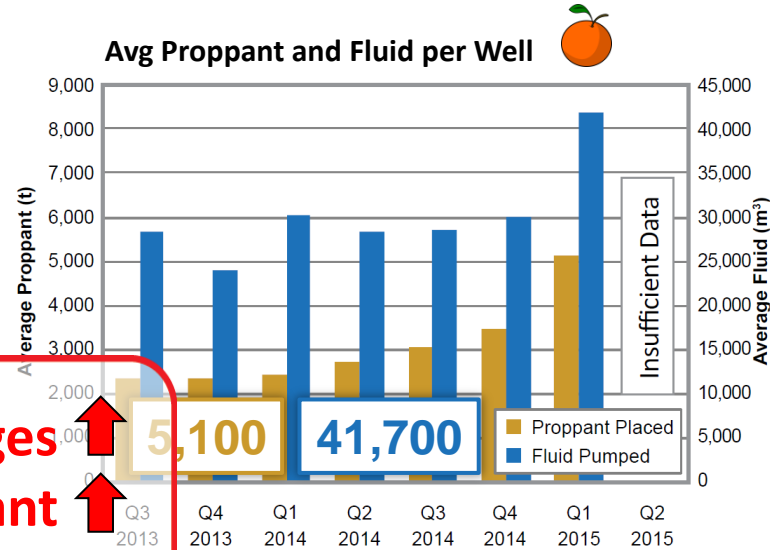
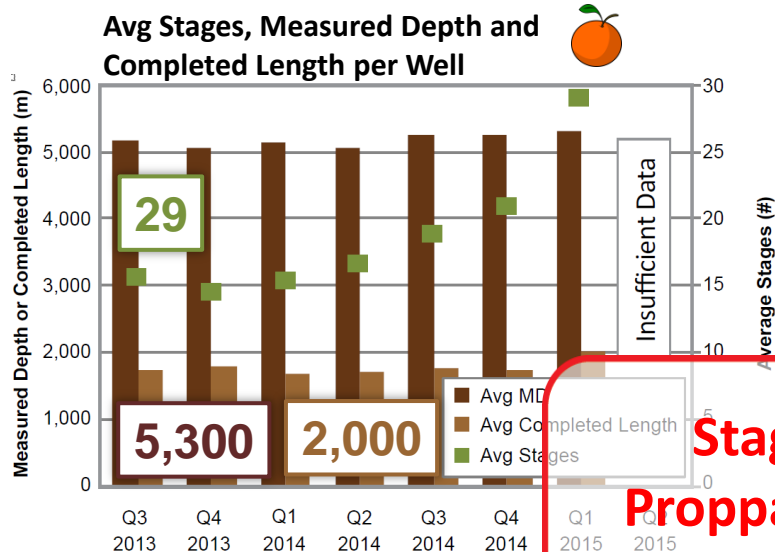
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- Avg D&C Cost - \$1.7MM
- \$K/IPmax - \$11.7K

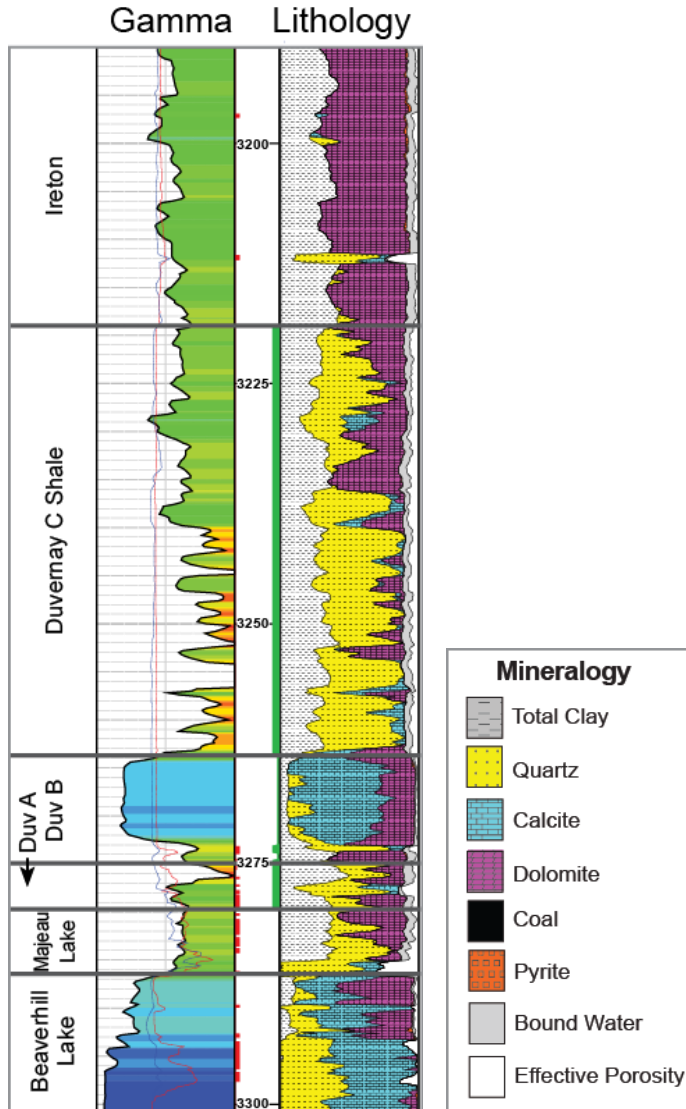
Duvernay Resource Play







16-4-62-21W5



Pros

- Developing play, still experimenting
- Net Pay up to 60m

Cons

- Phase window variable
- Geomechanics, drilling problems
- Capital Intensive

Summary

- Avg D&C Cost - \$11.5MM
- \$K/IPmax - \$38.5K

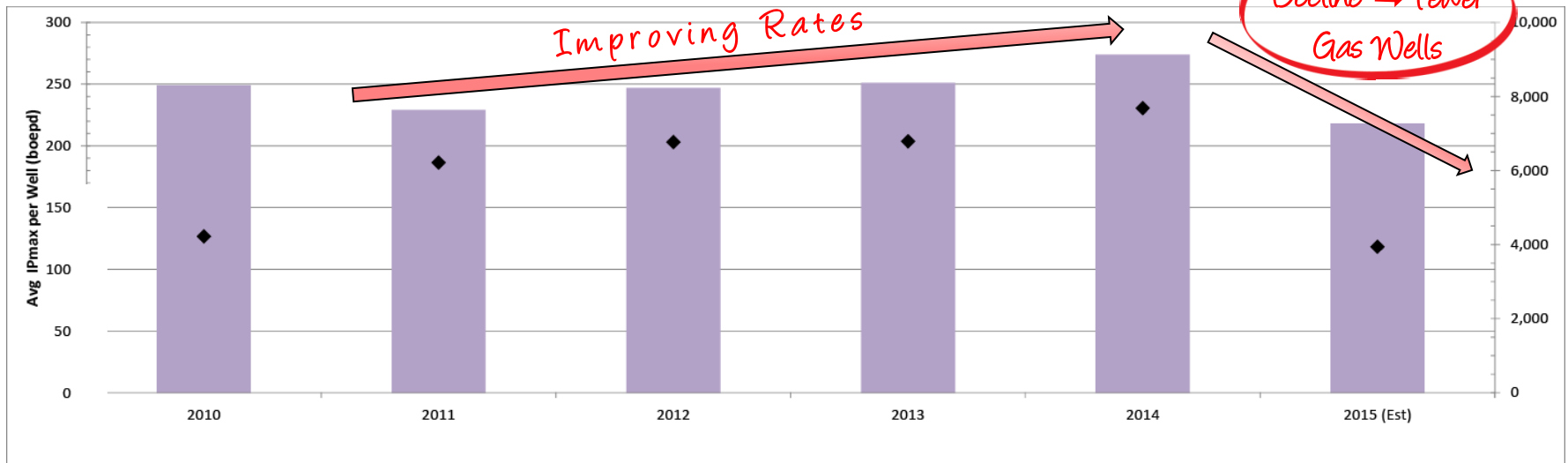
Conclusions

	Avg D&C Costs (\$MM) Q2 2015	Avg \$K/IPmax (\$K/boepd) Q1 2015
Cardium	\$2.7	17.0
Viking	\$0.7	15.0
Spirit River	\$4.0	6.3
Montney	\$8.3	16.3
Bakken	\$1.7	11.7
Duvernay	\$11.5	38.5*

* 2014Q2

WCSB Resource Wells - Average IPmax Trends

Average IPmax per well (boepd)



- Viking most active, followed by Montney and Spirit River
 - Bakken steady
 - Cardium sharp decline
 - Duvernay developing
- Spirit River and Montney liquids-rich plays produce at highest rates
- High-rate plays not necessarily the most economic (eg, Viking)
- Drilling/completion technologies continue to evolve
 - One size does not fit all
 - Secondary recovery, waterfloods on the rise
- Basin underexplored – there is more to discover

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	Triassic
	Mississippian
	Devonian
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