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Summary

Pacific Northwest National Laboratory conducted slug-test characterization at the final, completed BP-5 Remedial Investigation well 699-52-55A near the 200-East Area at the Hanford Site on April 22, 2008. The slug-test characterization was in support of the BP-5 Remedial Investigation. The portion of the unconfined aquifer tested is composed of sediments of the lower Ringold Formation and the underlying Elephant Mountain basalt flowtop. The basalt flowtop unit was included as part of the effective test-interval length for the slug-test analysis because the flowtop unit is hydraulically communicative with the unconfined aquifer. Estimates of hydraulic conductivity for the effective test-interval length represent composite values for the lower Ringold Formation and the underlying Elephant Mountain basalt flow top.

The slug-test responses for the BP-5 Remedial Investigation well 699-52-55A indicated a heterogeneous formation pattern (i.e., radial variation of hydraulic properties with distance from the well) with moderately low-permeability test conditions. The low-stress slug-test analyses for the aquifer formation at well 699-52-55A provided the most reliable estimates of hydraulic conductivity because of stress-dependence delayed effects and a slightly non-linear test response associated with the high-stress test. Hydraulic-conductivity estimates for the aquifer-formation outer radial zone ranged from 0.15 m/d (0.49 ft/d) for the high-stress test to 0.23 m/d (0.75 ft/d) for the low-stress test by employing the standard type-curve analysis method. The Bouwer and Rice analysis method provided aquifer-formation estimates of hydraulic conductivity that are ~10% lower (i.e., 0.13 m/d [0.43 ft/d] and 0.20 m/d [0.66 ft/d], respectively) than estimates provided by the type-curve method. This is consistent with comparison of results between these slug-test analysis methods reported in Butler (1998). The Bouwer and Rice analysis estimates of hydraulic conductivity for the artificially created inner radial zone ranged from 1.4 m/d (4.6 ft/d) for the high-stress test to 1.7 m/d (5.6 ft/d) for the low-stress test. Moderately low permeability test conditions and a relatively thin test interval at well 699-52-55A indicate that the unconfined aquifer is not very transmissive at this well location compared to most other well locations in the general 200-East Area.

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1.0 Introduction

Pacific Northwest National Laboratory conducted two different stress-level slug tests at well 699-52-55A, which is located north of the 200-East Area at the Hanford Site (Figure 1.1). The purpose of the slug tests was to provide hydraulic property information for the unconfined aquifer at the well 699-52-55A location. This type of areal characterization information is important for predicting/simulating contaminant migration (i.e., numerical flow/transport modeling) and designing proper monitor-well strategies within this area.

Section 2 describes the general hydrologic test system employed to perform the two slug tests. Section 3 discusses slug-test response and analysis methods. Section 4 presents pertinent information describing slug-testing activities and analysis results for the test/depth interval that was hydrologically characterized at this BP-5 well. Conclusions and references are provided in Sections 5 and 6, respectively. A well summary sheet is provided in Appendix A, a borehole lithologic log is presented in Appendix B, slug-test field notes are provided in Appendix C, and additional slug-test plots are shown in Appendix D.

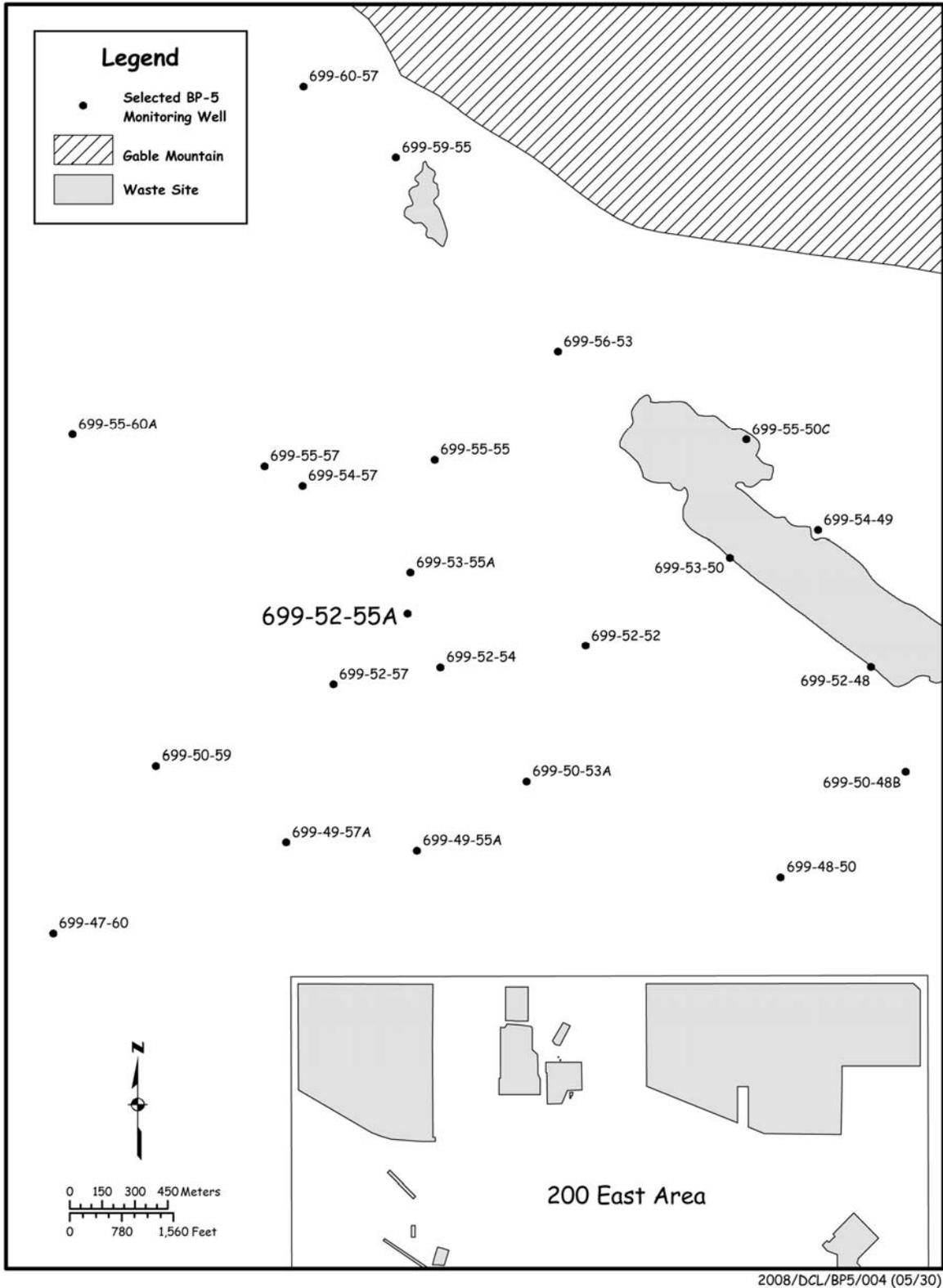


Figure 1.1. Map Showing Location of BP-5 Remedial Investigation Well 699-52-55A Tested

2.0 Hydrologic Test System Description

The following discussion of the general hydrologic test plan is taken primarily from similar slug-test characterization-program descriptions presented previously by Spane.^(a) Hydrologic testing was implemented within the final well screen after the well was completed. Two different, stress-level slug withdrawal tests were conducted within the test-interval section. The reason for using a multi-stress-level approach was to determine whether the associated slug-test responses exhibited either a variable or stress-level dependence. As noted in Butler (1998) and Spane et al. (2003a), tests exhibiting either variable or stress-level dependence can provide valuable information pertaining to the presence of dynamic well skin or non-linear (i.e., turbulence) test-response conditions occurring within the test section. The slug tests were initiated using two slugging rods of different, known displacement volumes. The slugging rods were lowered slowly into the fluid column until the rods were completely submerged. Water-level pressures were allowed to reach full recovery before initiating the slug-withdrawal tests. Because the test-depth interval was composed of low-permeability Ringold Formation sediments resting on the Elephant Mountain Basalt, the recovery times of the slug-withdrawal tests were expected to be several minutes or longer.

Figure 2.1 shows the general slug-test configuration for well 699-52-55A. The test-system configuration within the well-screen section included a downhole pressure transducer, a slugging rod lowered by a drilling rig, and a surface data-logger system. The 20-slot (0.020-in.) well-screen section had a length of 3.0 m (10 ft) and an I.D. dimension of 0.102 m (4 in.). A Druck, Inc. pressure transducer strain-gauge, 0- to 34.5-kPa (0- to 5-psig) pressure transducer was installed below the fluid-column surface within the well-screen section to monitor the downhole test-interval response during slug testing. Pressure-transducer measurements were recorded with a Campbell Scientific, Inc. model CR-10X™ data logger and downloaded to a portable laptop computer. Details of the well construction are provided in the well summary sheet (Appendix A).

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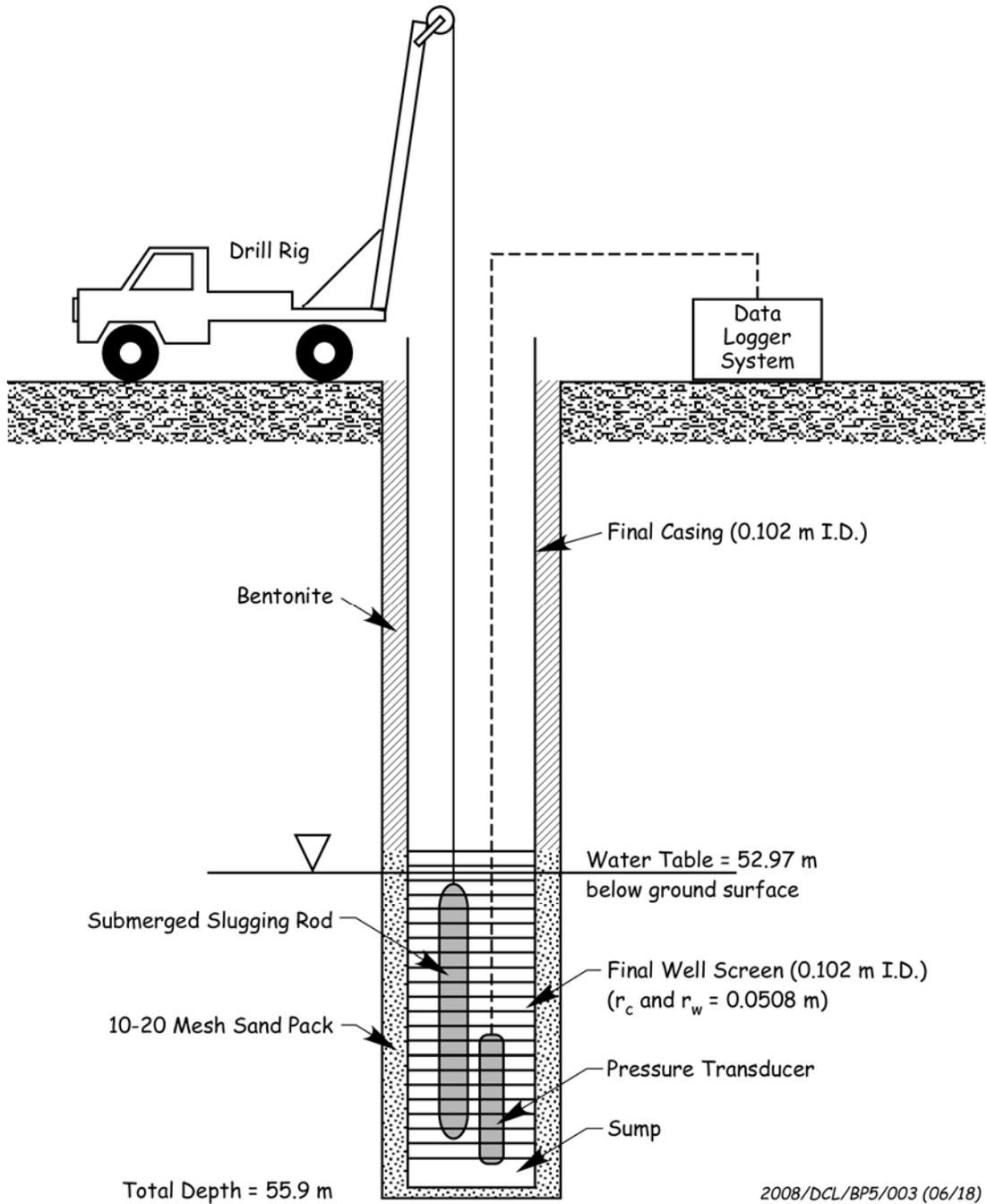


Figure 2.1. General Slug-Test Configuration within Well 699-52-55A

3.0 Slug-Test Response and Analysis

The following discussion pertaining to slug-test response and analysis is taken primarily from Spane.^(c) As shown in Figure 3.1 and discussed in Butler (1998) and Spane et al. (2003a), water levels within a test well can respond in one of three ways to the instantaneously applied stress of a slug test. These response model patterns are 1) an over-damped response, where the water levels recover in an exponentially decreasing recovery pattern, 2) an under-damped response, where the slug-test response oscillates above and below the initial static, with decreasing peak amplitudes with time, and 3) a critically damped response, where the slug-test behavior exhibits characteristics that are transitional to the over- and under-damped response patterns. Factors that control the type of slug-test response model that is exhibited within a well include a number of aquifer properties (hydraulic conductivity) and well-dimension characteristics (well-screen length, well-casing radius, well-radius, aquifer thickness [b], fluid-column length) and can be expressed by the response-damping parameter, C_D , which Butler (1998) reports for unconfined aquifer tests as:

$$C_D = \sqrt{\frac{g}{L_e} * \frac{r_c^2 \ln[R_e/r_w]}{2KL}} \quad (3.1)$$

where g = acceleration due to gravity, m/s^2

L_e = effective well water-column length, m

r_c = well casing radius, m; i.e., radius of well water-column that is active during testing

R_e = effective test radius parameter, m; as defined by Bouwer and Rice (1976)

r_w = well radius of well-screen length, m

K = hydraulic conductivity of test interval length, m/sec

L = well-screen length, m.

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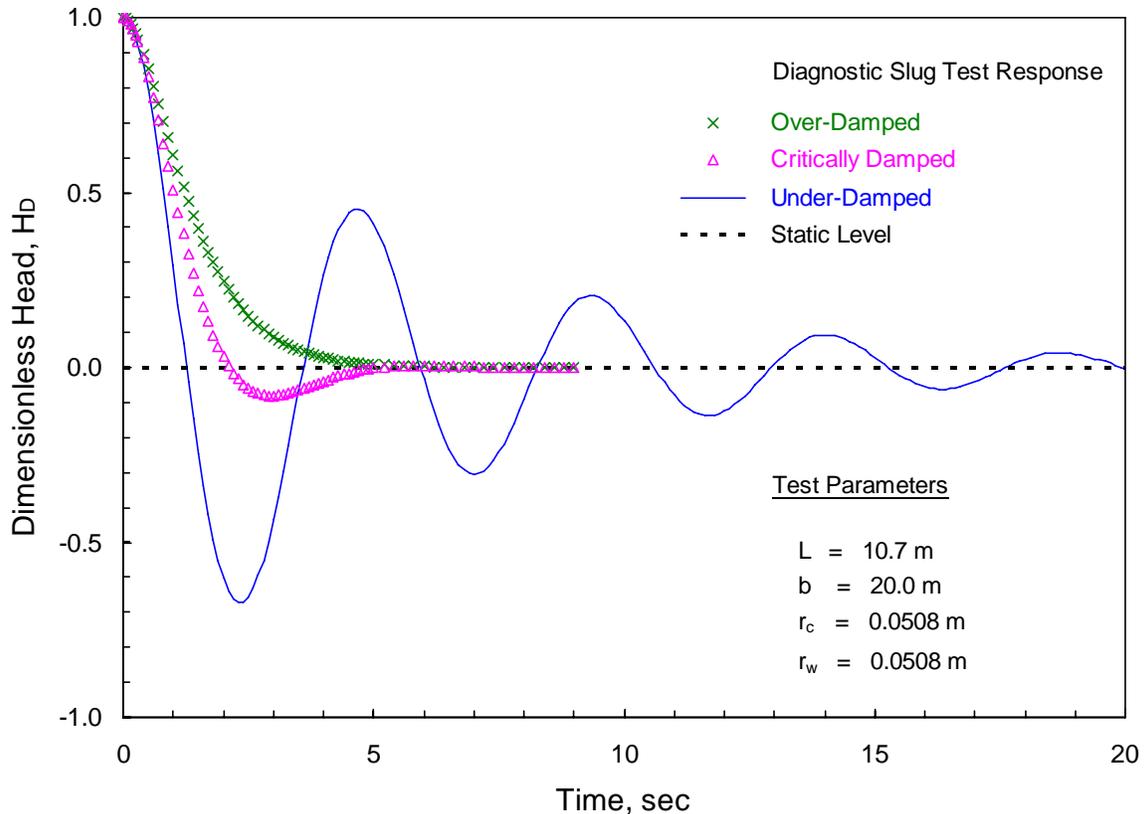


Figure 3.1. Diagnostic Slug-Test Response (taken from Spane and Newcomer 2008)

Given the multitude of possible combinations of aquifer properties, well-casing dimensions, and test-interval lengths, no universal C_D value ranges can be provided that describe slug-test response conditions. However, the following general guidelines on predicting slug-test responses are provided:

- $C_D > 3$ = over-damped response
- $C_D 1 - 3$ = critically damped response
- $C_D < 1$ = under-damped response.

An over-damped test response generally occurs within stress wells monitoring test formations of low to moderately high hydraulic conductivity (e.g., Ringold Formation) and are indicative of test conditions where frictional forces (i.e., resistance of groundwater flow from the test interval to the well) are predominant over test-system (i.e., Equation [3.1] parameters) inertial forces. Figure 3.2 shows predicted slug-test recovery as a function of hydraulic conductivity ($K^{(d)}$ range: 0.1 to 10 m/d [0.3 to 33 ft/d]; specific storage, $S_s = 0.00001 \text{ m}^{-1}$; ratio of vertical to horizontal hydraulic conductivity, $K_D = 1.0$; and 1.0-m [3.3-ft] test interval length) for test interval lengths exhibiting over-damped response characteristics and general test conditions at well 699-52-55A. As indicated in the figure, test interval lengths having hydraulic conductivity values of approximately 10 m/d (33 ft/d) or less should be readily resolved for tests exhibiting over-damped slug-test behavior. For over-damped slug tests, two different methods can be used for the slug-test analysis: the semi-empirical, straight-line analysis method described in Bouwer

(d) K refers to radial (i.e., horizontal) hydraulic conductivity throughout this report

and Rice (1976) and Bouwer (1989) and the type-curve-matching method for unconfined aquifers presented in Butler (1998). For over-damped slug tests, hydraulic-conductivity estimates obtained with the Bouwer and Rice analytical method are generally less reliable than corresponding estimates obtained with the type-curve-matching method, particularly for aquifer formations that behave elastically (Hyder and Butler 1995; Butler 1998). However, results of the Bouwer and Rice method are generally consistent with type-curve analysis results if the aquifer formation is thin, and therefore behaves inelastically, as is the case at the 699-52-55A well location. A detailed description of over-damped, slug-test-analysis methods is presented in Spane and Newcomer (2004).

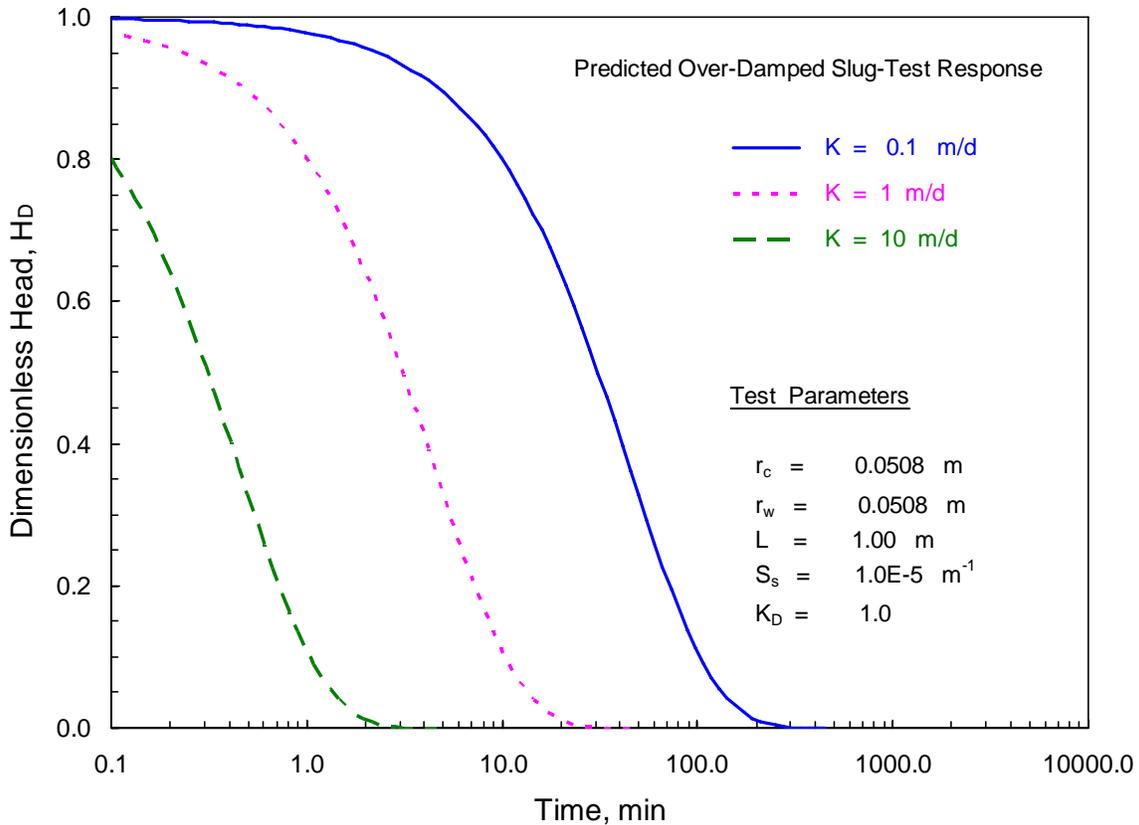


Figure 3.2. Over-Damped Slug-Test Response as a Function of Test-Interval Hydraulic Conductivity

Under-damped test-response patterns are exhibited within stress wells where inertial forces are predominant over formational frictional forces. This commonly occurs in wells with extremely long fluid columns (i.e., large water mass within the well column) and/or that penetrate highly permeable aquifers (e.g., Hanford formation). Tests exhibiting under-damped behavior should be conducted with very small stress-level applications. The slug-test response at well 699-52-55A did not exhibit an under-damped test-response pattern.

As mentioned previously, critically damped test responses are indicated by stress well water-level responses that are transitional between the over- and under-damped test conditions, as shown in Figure 3.1. They typically occur in wells that monitor test formations exhibiting intermediate to high hydraulic conductivity. As noted in Butler (1998), distinguishing between slug-test responses that are

over damped and critically damped may be difficult in some cases (i.e., due to test signal noise) when examined on arithmetic plots. Proper model identification may be enhanced when semi-log plots are used, i.e., log head versus time (e.g., Bouwer and Rice plot). Critically damped slug tests exhibit a diagnostic concave-downward pattern when plotted in this semi-log plot format. This is in contrast to over-damped response behavior, which displays either a linear or concave upward (elastic) pattern. Critically damped slug-test responses are influenced by processes (e.g., inertial) that are not accounted for in the previously discussed slug-test analytical methods (i.e., for over-damped tests). Because of this, slug tests exhibiting these response characteristics cannot be analyzed quantitatively with the Bouwer and Rice or standard type-curve methods. High-K analysis methods that can be employed for analyzing unconfined aquifer tests exhibiting response behavior that is either critically damped or under damped include those described in Springer and Gelhar (1991), Butler (1998), McElwee and Zenner (1998), McElwee (2001), Butler and Garnett (2000), and Zurbuchen et al. (2002). Because of the ease provided by a spreadsheet-based approach, the test-analysis method presented in Butler and Garnett (2000) is preferred for analyzing tests exhibiting critically damped behavior. A detailed discussion of this analytical procedure and method is presented in Spang and Newcomer (2004). The slug-test response at well 699-52-55A did not exhibit a critically damped test-response pattern.

Well 699-52-55A is screened across the water table, and the well-screen sand filter pack has a relatively high permeability compared to the permeability of the aquifer formation. Because of this test condition, the actual stress level imposed by the slugging rods on the test formation was lower than the theoretical stress level. This is due to the added pore volume of the sand filter pack at the time of slug-test initiation. For this test situation, the actual slug-test stress level is determined by projecting the observed early test response using linear regression back to the time of test initiation on a semi-log plot. For this case where the observed or projected slug-test stress level, H_p , is less than the theoretical stress level, H_o , an equivalent well radius, r_{eq} , must be used instead of the actual well casing radius, r_c , in the analytical methods. The r_{eq} value can be calculated by using the following relationship presented in Butler (1998):

$$r_{eq} = r_c \left(H_o / H_p \right)^{1/2}$$

4.0 Slug-Test Results

The following discussion presents pertinent information describing slug-testing activities and analysis results for the final, completed BP-5 Remedial Investigation well 699-52-55A. Table 4.1 presents slug-test information for the test/depth interval, while Table 4.2 summarizes the slug-test-analysis results. A geologic borehole log summary is provided in Appendix B, which can be referred to for a geologic description of the respective test/depth interval. The slug-test field notes for this well are provided in Appendix C. Additional slug-test plots are shown in Appendix D. The slug-test data are not included in this report due to the large volume of spreadsheet file data, but can be found in the project files.

Table 4.1. Slug-Test Characteristics for the Test/Depth Interval at BP-5 Remedial Investigation Well 699-52-55A

Test Well Number	Test Date	Test Parameters			Diagnostic Slug-Test Response Model	Hydrogeologic Unit Tested ^(a)
		Number of Slug Tests	Depth to Water (m bgs)	Depth/Test Interval (m bgs)		
699-52-55A	4/22/08	2	52.97	52.97 - 54.80 (1.83)	Heterogeneous Formation/Exponential-Decay (over-damped)	Lower Ringold Formation/Elephant Mountain Flow Top

(a) Assumed to be uniform within the well-screen section.

Table 4.2. Slug-Test Analysis Results for BP-5 Remedial Investigation Well 699-52-55A

Test Well Number	Test Number	Test Zone	Type-Curve Analysis Method		Bouwer and Rice Analysis Method
			Hydraulic Conductivity, $K,^{(a)}$ (m/d)	Specific Storage, S_s (m^{-1})	Hydraulic Conductivity, $K,^{(a)}$ (m/d)
699-52-55A	SW #1	Outer Zone Formation	0.23	1.00E-05	0.20
	SW #1	Artificially Created Inner Zone	NA	NA	1.7
	SW #2	Outer Zone Formation	0.15	1.00E-05	0.13
	SW #2	Artificially Created Inner Zone	NA	NA	1.4

(a) Assumed to be uniform within the well-screen section.
NA = Not analyzed

4.1 Well 699-52-55A

The borehole geology log (Appendix B) indicates that the test-interval section lies within sediments of the lower Ringold Formation and the underlying Elephant Mountain basalt flowtop. The lower Ringold Formation consists of gravelly sand (80% sand and 20% gravel) within the upper 0.37 m (1.2 ft) of the test-depth interval and silty gravelly sand (80% sand, 15% gravel, and 5% silt) within the underlying 0.67 m (2.2 ft) of the test-depth interval. The Elephant Mountain basalt flowtop consists of

basalt containing 20 to 25% sand within the bottom 0.79 m (2.6 ft) of the test-depth interval. The basalt flowtop unit was included as part of the effective test-interval length for the analysis because the flowtop unit is hydraulically communicative (i.e., pressure responses act dynamically to barometric pressure fluctuations and water-level response trends) with the unconfined aquifer (Spane and Newcomer 2004). This is consistent with the testing approach for characterization of Hanford formation sediments overlying the basalt flowtop at the nearby Liquid Effluent Retention Facility in the 200-East Area (Spane and Newcomer 2004).

Two slug withdrawal tests (one low-stress and one high-stress test) were conducted between 1036 hours and 1400 hours (Pacific Daylight Time [PDT]), April 22, 2008, after the well was constructed and developed in January 2008. The slug tests were conducted with two different sized slugging rods that were fully submerged in the water column; one with a fully submerged volume of 0.0035 m³ (0.125 ft³) and a larger one with a fully submerged volume of 0.0092 m³ (0.326 ft³) (see Appendix C for slugging rod dimensions). These fully submerged slug-rod volumes imparted a theoretical applied stress level of 0.44 m (1.4 ft) for the low-stress test and 1.14 m (3.7 ft) for the high-stress test within the 0.1016-m (4-in.) I.D. well screen. Downhole test-interval response pressures during testing were monitored with a 0- to 34.5-Pa (0- to 5-psig) pressure transducer set at a depth of ~56-m (~184-ft) bgs. The static depth-to-water for the test interval measured before testing was 52.97 m (173.79 ft) bgs.

A diagnostic analysis of slug tests conducted for this test/depth interval indicates a heterogeneous formation response condition (i.e., radial variation of hydraulic properties with distance from the well), as shown by a selected derivative plot in Figure 4.1. This test pattern exhibits an inner, radial-zone response during the initial fast-recovery portion of the test (i.e., higher permeability) that transitions to a slower test response (i.e., lower permeability) for the surrounding outer, radial-zone formation (Bouwer 1989). The presence of a high-permeability inner-zone reflects an artificially induced condition that was likely attributed to a sand filter pack with higher permeability. The thickness of the filter pack surrounding the well screen is 0.051 m (2 in.). Because of this artificially induced condition, only the outer-zone analysis results should be used for aquifer formation characterization at this well location.

Slug tests showing linear response characteristics for heterogeneous formation tests can be analyzed using the homogeneous formation analysis approaches described in Section 3.0 (Spane and Newcomer 2008). A comparison of the normalized, low- and high-stress, slug-test responses indicated stress dependence, with the higher stress test exhibiting a delayed test recovery (Figure 4.2). This delayed test-recovery response is attributed to a change in the effective length of the screen through which water flows into the well during the test. The observed H_0 value for the high-stress test was ~60% of the effective screen length, which is too large for analyzing slug tests conducted in wells screened across the water table, particularly in thin aquifers such as the case at well 699-52-55A, using approaches for homogeneous formation analyses (Butler 1998). The high-stress test results indicate a test response approaching a non-linear test condition, as shown by the slightly concave downward plot in Figure D.3. For this reason, the low-stress slug-test results (observed H_0 value ~25% of effective screen length), analyzed quantitatively using the approach for homogeneous formation analysis described in Butler (1998), provide a more reliable estimate of K than for the K estimate provided by the high-stress test analysis results.

For the homogeneous formation analysis, the standard type-curve method provided aquifer formation K estimates ranging from 0.15 m/d (0.49 ft/d) for the high-stress test to 0.23 m/d (0.75 ft/d) for the low-

stress test. A selected example of the test-analysis plots for this well is shown in Figure 4.3. For the Bouwer and Rice method, estimates of K for the outer-zone ranged between 0.13 m/d (0.43 ft/d) for the high-stress test and 0.20 m/d (0.66 ft/d) for the low-stress test, ~10% lower than estimates obtained for the type-curve method. A selected example of the Bouwer and Rice analysis plot for this well is shown in Figure 4.4. The reason for the close correspondence between the estimates is that the test interval is relatively thin, and therefore the aquifer behaves as an inelastic formation. This is consistent with previous comparisons between estimates using these slug-test analysis methods, as reported in Butler (1998). The estimates of hydraulic conductivity for the effective test-interval length at well 699-52-55A represent composite values for the lower Ringold Formation and the underlying Elephant Mountain basalt flow top. These moderately low estimates of hydraulic conductivity and a relatively thin test interval at well 699-52-55A indicate that the unconfined aquifer is not very transmissive at this well location compared to most other well locations in the general 200-East Area, such as reported in Spane et al. (2001), Spane et al. (2003b), and Spane and Newcomer (2004). As noted previously, the low-stress, outer-zone test results are considered to be more representative estimates of K for the aquifer formation.

Estimates of K for the inner-zone ranged from 1.4 to 1.7 m/d (4.6 to 5.6 ft/d) for the high- and low-stress tests, respectively. A selected example of the Bouwer and Rice analysis plots for the inner zone is shown in Figure 4.5. This high-permeable inner radial zone reflects an artificially induced condition that was attributed to a sand filter pack with higher permeability than the outer-zone formation. The plots for the high-stress test analysis for this well are provided in Appendix D.

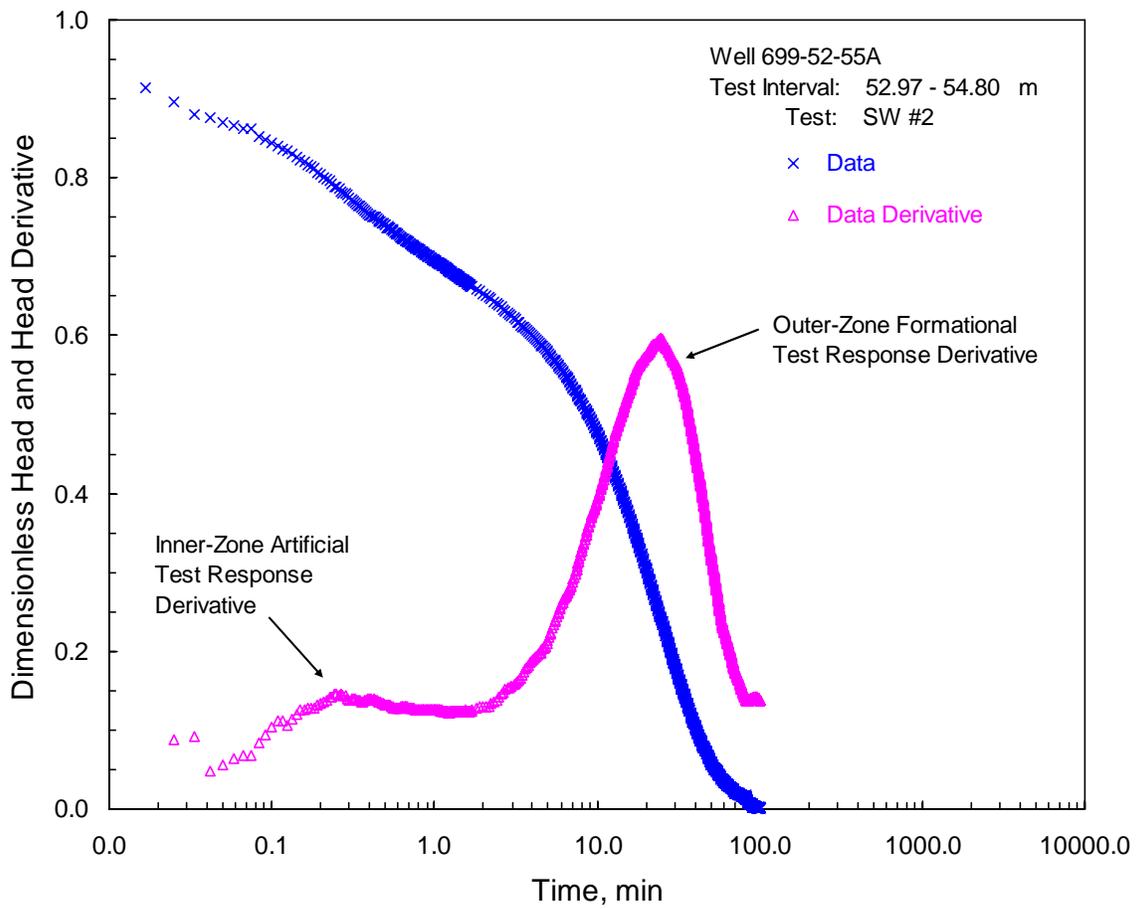


Figure 4.1. Diagnostic Analysis Plot for Well 699-52-55A

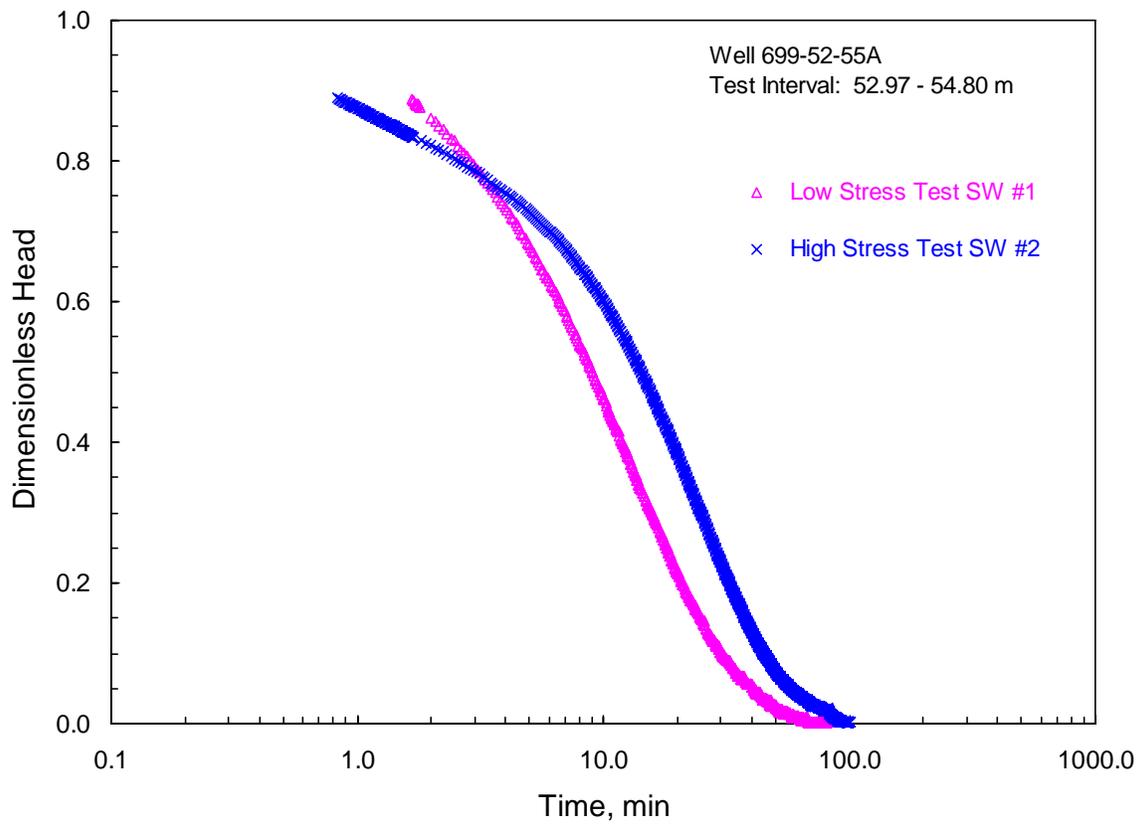


Figure 4.2. Comparison of Low-Stress and High-Stress Slug-Test Responses for Well 699-52-55A

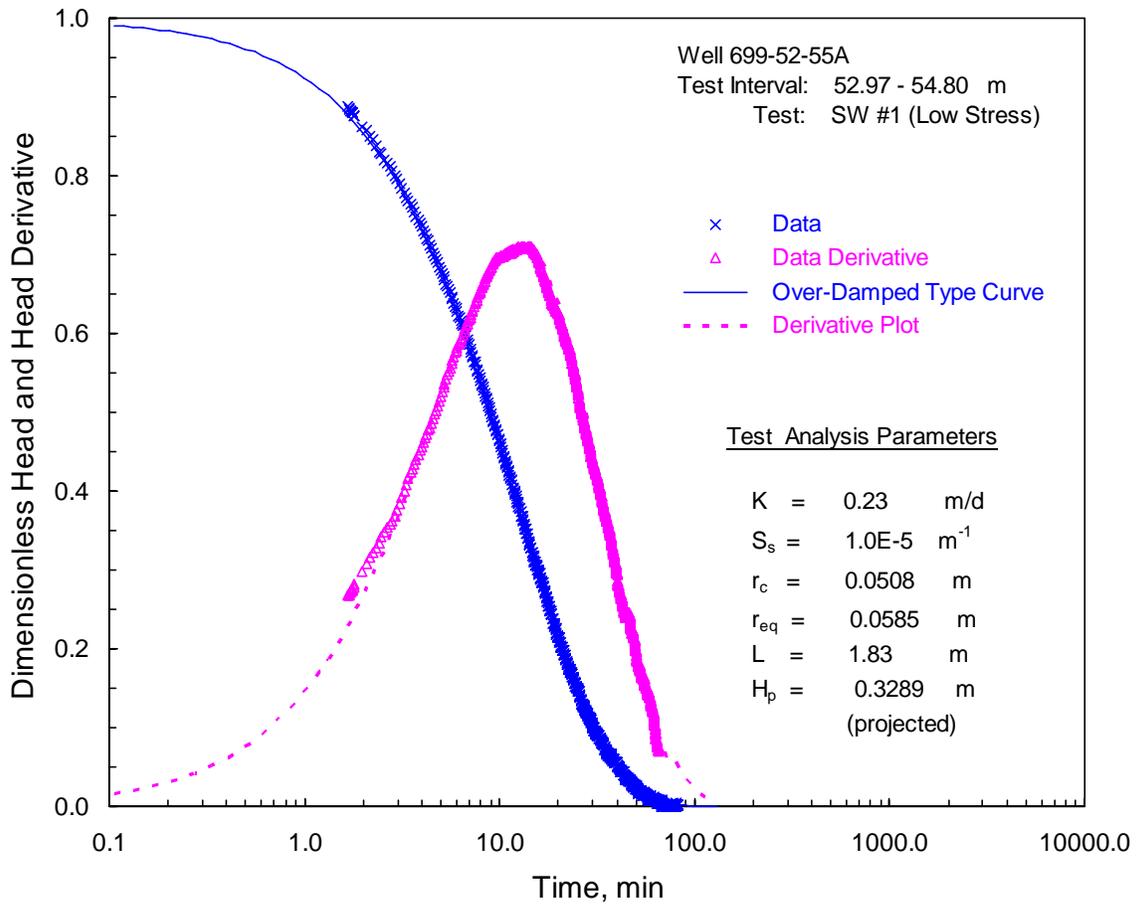


Figure 4.3. Selected Type-Curve Analysis Plot for Well 699-52-55A

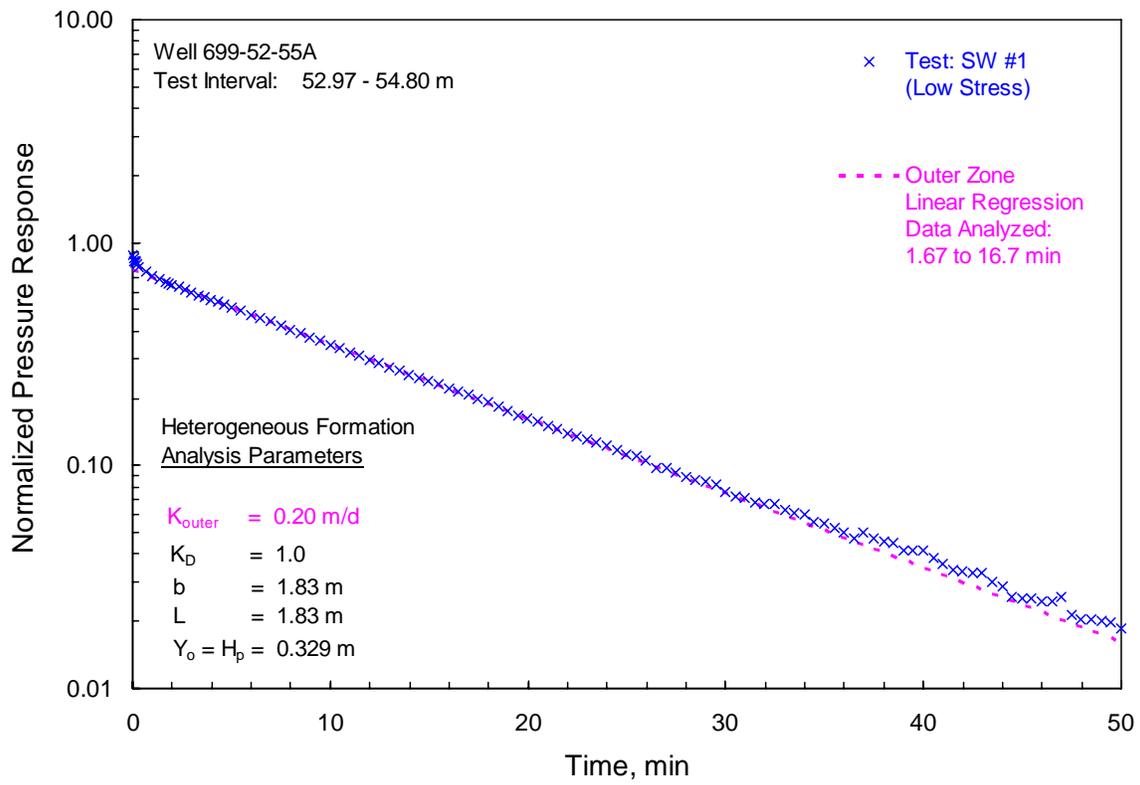


Figure 4.4. Selected Bouwer and Rice Analysis Plot for Outer Zone, Well 699-52-55A

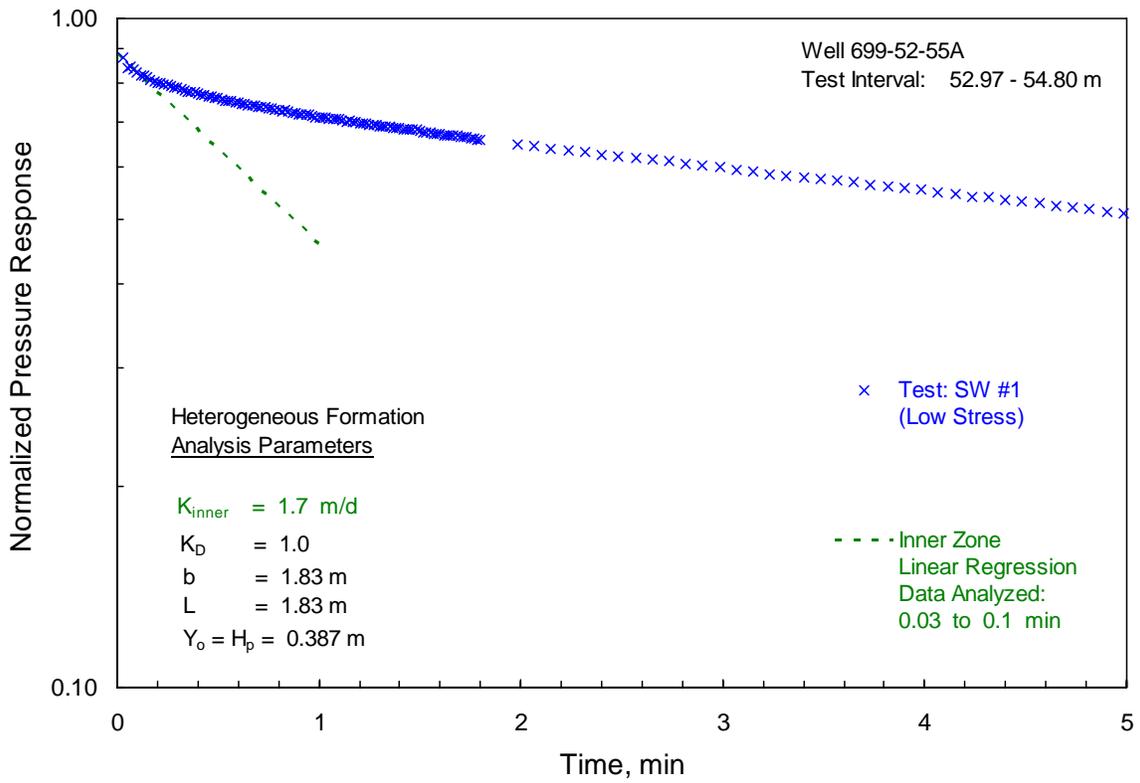


Figure 4.5. Selected Bouwer and Rice Analysis Plot for Inner Zone, Well 699-52-55A

5.0 Conclusions

Two slug-withdrawal tests using two different sized slug rods were conducted within a test/depth interval in the final, completed BP-5 well 699-52-55A. The test/depth interval represents the upper 1.83 m (6.0 ft) of the unconfined aquifer that is composed of sediments of the lower Ringold Formation within the upper 1.04 m (3.4 ft) and the Elephant Mountain basalt flowtop within the lower 0.79 m (2.6 ft). The basalt flowtop unit was included as part of the effective test-interval length for the analysis because the flowtop unit is hydraulically communicative with the unconfined aquifer. Estimates of hydraulic conductivity for this effective test-interval length represent composite values for the lower Ringold Formation and underlying basalt flowtop unit.

The slug-test analyses indicated a heterogeneous formation, exponential decay (over-damped) response pattern with moderately low permeability test conditions. The low-stress slug-test analyses provided the most reliable estimates of hydraulic conductivity because of stress-dependence delayed effects and a slightly non-linear test response associated with the high-stress test. This non-linear test condition was attributed to an observed initial displacement that was too high a percentage of the effective screen length for a well screen completed across the water table in a thin aquifer. For the results of the low-stress test analysis, a hydraulic conductivity value of 0.23 m/d (0.75 ft/d) for the aquifer formation was estimated by the method of type-curve-matching analysis, and a value of 0.20 m/d (0.66 ft/d) was estimated by the Bouwer and Rice analysis method. Hydraulic-conductivity estimates obtained with the Bouwer and Rice analytical method correspond within 10% of the estimates obtained with the type-curve method due to a relatively thin, inelastic test interval. These moderately low estimates of hydraulic conductivity and a relatively thin test interval at well 699-52-55A indicate that the unconfined aquifer is not very transmissive at this well location compared to most other well locations in the general 200-East Area. An estimate for low-stress, slug-test hydraulic conductivity for the inner zone, attributed to a higher-permeability sand filter pack, was 1.7 m/d (5.6 ft/d) using the Bouwer and Rice analysis method.

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Appendix A

Well Summary Sheet for Well 699-52-55A

Appendix A: Well Summary Sheet for Well 699-52-55A

WELL SUMMARY SHEET		Start Date: 11/20/07	Page 1 of 3
		Finish Date: 1/22/08	
Well ID: C5861		Well Name: 699-52-55A	
Location: 600 Area N. of R.R., S. of 699-53-55A		Project: 200-BP-5 RI/FS	
Prepared By: Jeff Fetters / <i>G. HASZ A</i>	Date: 1/9/08	Reviewed By: <i>L. D. Walker</i>	Date: <i>1-30-08</i>
Signature: <i>Jeff Fetters</i>		Signature: <i>Geologist - LW 1-30-08</i>	
CONSTRUCTION DATA		GEOLOGIC/HYDROLOGIC DATA	
Description	Diagram	Depth in Feet	Graphic Log Lithologic Description/Groundwater Sample Depths (ft bgs)
12-in Flush Mount Well Wead 12-in Protective Casing: 0-1.5 ft bgs 6-in I.D. Type 304/304L Stainless Steel Protective Casing: 0.5-3.5 ft bgs with locking well cap Portland Cement Type I/II: 0 - 9.8 ft bgs Granular Bentonite Crumbles: 9.8 - 156.1 ft bgs 4-in I.D. Type Stainless Steel Type 304/304L, Schedule 10 Permanent Casing: -1.1 - 483.1 <i>169.8'</i> ft bgs <i>LW 1-30-08</i>			0-3 Eolian deposits (Sand) 3-10 Gravel G 10-19 Silty Sandy Gravel msG 19-30 Sand S 30-33 Gravelly Sand gS 33-40 Sandy Gravel sG 40-45 Gravel G 45-50 Silty Sandy Gravel msG 50-55 Silty Gravel mG 55-65 Silty Sandy Gravel msG 65-79 Gravel G 79-90 Sandy Gravel sG
All depths are in feet below ground surface. Borehole drilled with 11 3/4-in threaded casing 0.0-74.0 ft and 8-in threaded casing 74.0-176.8 ft All temporary drill casing was removed from the ground.			

WELL SUMMARY SHEET

Start Date: 11/20/07

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Finish Date: 1/22/08

Well ID: C5861

Well Name: 699-52-55A

Location: 600 Area N. of R.R., S. of 699-53-55A

Project: 200-BP-5 RI/FS

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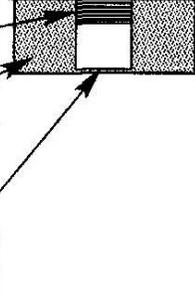
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CONSTRUCTION DATA

GEOLOGIC/HYDROLOGIC DATA

Description	Diagram	Depth in Feet	GEOLOGIC/HYDROLOGIC DATA	
			Graphic Log	Lithologic Description/Groundwater Sample Depths (ft bgs)
<p>All depths are in feet below ground surface.</p> <p>Borehole drilled with 11 3/4-in threaded casing 0.0-74.0 ft and 8-in threaded casing 74.0-176.8 ft</p> <p>All temporary drill casing was removed from the ground.</p> <p>Granular Bentonite Crumbles: 9.8 - 156.1 ft</p> <p>4-in I.D. Type Stainless Steel Type 304/304L, Schedule 10 Permanent Casing: -1.1 - 169.8 ft</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>169.8'</i> <i>LW 1-30-08</i></p> <p>3/8-in Bentonite Pellets: 156.1 - 160.1 ft bgs</p> <p>Primary Filter pack 10-20 Mesh Colorado Silica Sand: 160.1 - 183.1 ft bgs</p> <p>4-in I.D. Stainless Steel, Type 304, 20 Slot Screen (.020-in): 169.8 - 179.8 ft bgs</p>		90		90-105 Silty Sandy Gravel msG
		100		105-110 Sandy Gravel sG
		110		110-115 Gravel G
		115-123 Silty Sandy Gravel msG		
		120		123-130 Gravelly silt gM
		130		130-135 Gravelly Sand gS
		135-139 Gravel Silty Sand gmS		
		140		139-145 Silty Gravel Sand mgS
		145-147 Gravelly Silt gM		
		147-155 Silt M		
		150		155-157 Sandy Silty sM
		157-158 Sand S		
		160		158-170 Silty Sand mS
		170		170-175 Gravelly Sand gS
		175-177.2 Silty Gravelly Sand mgS		
		177.2-183.2 Basalt		

WELL SUMMARY SHEET		Start Date: 11/20/07	Page 3 of 3
		Finish Date: 1/22/08	
Well ID: C5861		Well Name: 699-52-55A	
Location: 600 Area N. of R.R., S. of 699-53-55A		Project: 200-BP-5 RI/FS	
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Signature: <i>Jeff Fetters</i>		Signature: <i>L. B. Walker</i>	
CONSTRUCTION DATA		GEOLOGIC/HYDROLOGIC DATA	
Description	Diagram	Depth in Feet	Lithologic Description/Groundwater Sample Depths (ft bgs)
4-in I.D. Stainless Steel, Type 304, 20 Slot Screen (.020-in): 169.8 - 179.8 ft bgs		180	177.2-183.3 Basalt 183.3' LW 1-30-08
Primary Filter pack 10-20 Mesh Colorado Silica Sand: 160.1 - 183.1 ft bgs		190	TD = 183.3' bgs
4-in I.D. Stainless Steel Sump: 179.8-183.1 ft bgs		200	
Natural Fill 183.1' → 183.3'		210	
		220	
		230	
		240	
		250	
		260	
All depths are in feet below ground surface.			
Borehole drilled with 11 3/4-in threaded casing 0.0-74 ft and 8-in threaded casing 74-176.8 ft			
All temporary drill casing was removed from the ground.			

Appendix B

Borehole Log for Well 699-52-55A

Appendix B: Borehole Log for Well 699-52-55A

BOREHOLE LOG						Page <u>1</u> of <u>5</u>
						Date: <u>11/20/07</u>
Well ID: <u>C5861</u>		Well Name: <u>699-52-55A</u>		Location: <u>600 Area N of RR, S. of 699-53-55A</u>		
Project: <u>200-BP-5 R1/Fs</u>				Reference Measuring Point: <u>ground surface</u>		
Depth (Ft.)	Sample		Graphic Log	Sample Description	Comments	
	Type No.	Blows Recovery				
5	grab			0-3' - wind blown Deposits (folian)	Cable Tool, 1 3/4" OD threaded casing	
				5' - Gravel (G) 90% gvl, 5% silt, 5% sand; gvl: 70% basalt 30% 2tz/others, 10cm-2mm (s); -VFP, R, Predom VCP; Snd: M-VF, R-SR, 20% basalt 30% 2tz; Silt: Dry, no Rxn HCl		
10	grab			10' - 1/3 brown	10' suspect larger gvl.	
				10' - Silty Sandy Gravel (msG) 60% gvl 10% sand, 30% silt; gvl: 6cm-2mm (VCP-VFP) R-SR	12' 20cm basalt boulder	
				80% basalt, 20% 2tz; Snd: VC-VF, A, 60% basalt 40% 2tz/others; Silt: Dry 10YR 4/1 Dk gray, mod Rxn HCl		
15	grab			15' - Silty Sandy Gravel, same lithology as above	Drilling rate ↓	
20	grab			19' - Sand (s) 90% sand 10% gvl; gvl: 9cm-2mm (Sc-VFP), 90% basalt 10% 2tz/others, R; Snd: VC-M, 90% basalt 10% 2tz/others, SR-SA, Dry, no Rxn HCl, gley 1 2.5/10y greenish black	19' Dr T.	
25	grab			25' - Sand (s) same lithology as above, 100% basalt gvl.		
30	grab		30' - gravelly sand (gs) lithology same as above w/ gvl to 20% gvl are 80% basalt 10% 2tz/others			
33	grab		33' - Sandy gravel (sg) 40% gvl 60% sand; gvl: 9cm-2mm (Sc-VFP), R, 70% basalt 30% 2tz; Snd: VC-F, 70% basalt 30% 2tz, SR, SA, Vwk Rxn HCl, Dry, 10YR 3/2 UDK grayish brown, Trace of clay			
35			35' - sandy gravel (SG) 75% gvl 25% sand; gvl: 90% basalt 10% 2tz 6cm-2mm (VCP-VFP), R; Snd: VC-VF, 60% basalt 40% 2tz, Dry, 10YR, 3/2 UDK grayish brown Vwk Rxn HCl	35' sand predom m grained		
				41' increase in "pea" sized gvl. ↓ Silt		
40	grab		40' - Gravel (G) 80% gvl 20% sand; gvl: 90% basalt 10% 2tz, R, 7cm-2mm (VCP-VFP); Snd: 70% basalt 30% 2tz SA-SR, VC-M, Dry, 10YR 3/2 No Rxn HCl	43' casing driving very hard.		

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BOREHOLE LOG					Page 2 of 5
Well ID: C5861		Well Name: 699-52-55A		Location: 600 area HoFRR, S of 699-53-55A	
Project: 200-BP-5 Ri/Es				Reference Measuring Point: Ground	
Depth (Ft.)	Sample		Graphic Log	Sample Description	Comments
	Type No.	Blows Recovery			
45	grab			45' Silty Sandy Gravel (msf); 70% gul 15% sand 15% silt; Gul: 10cm-2mm (sc-VFP) 70% basalt 30% qtz, R; Snd: 60% qtz 40% basalt, UC-VF Predom m-VF, SA-SR; silt: Dry, mod Rxn HCl	Cable Tool 11 3/4" casing 46' ↑ silt content
50	grab			2.5y 3/2 vdk gray brown 50' Silty Gravel (mg) 70% gul 5% sand 25% silt; Gul: 70% basalt 30% qtz, R, >12cm-2mm (sc-VFP); Silt: Moist, 10 YR 3/2, wk Rxn HCl; Snd: lithology same as above	53' DR ↓, casing driving hard.
55	grab			55' Silty Sandy Gravel (msf); 60% gul 20% sand 20% silt; Gul: 40% qtz 60% basalt, R, 2cm-2mm (sc-VFP); Snd: 70% qtz 40% basalt, UC-VF (Predom m-F) SA-A; silt: Slightly moist, 2.5y 4/2 dk grayish brown, wk Rxn HCl	
58	grab			58' Silty Sandy Gravel (msf); 80% sand 40% gul 10% silt; Gul: 60% basalt 40% qtz, 5cm-2mm, R; Snd: 50% basalt 50% qtz, A, SA, UC-VF (Predom m-F); Silt: Dry, 7.5y 4/2, brown wk Rxn HCl	
60	grab			60' lithology same as above	64' DR ↑
65	grab			65' Gravel (G) 80% gul 10% sand 10% silt; Gul: 50% basalt 50% qtz, 11cm-2mm, R; Snd: UC-VF Predom UC-C 50% basalt 50% qtz, SA-A; Silt: Slightly moist; 10 YR 4/2 dk grayish brown wk to mod Rxn HCl	65' moisture ↑ 67' DR ↓
70	grab			70' lithology same as above	68' noticeable amount of vesicular basalt cobbles
75	grab			75' lithology same as above	74' casing reduced from 11 3/4" - 8"
80	grab			79' Sandy Gravel (G); 70% gul 30% sand 10% silt; Gul: 60% basalt 40% others, R, 12cm-2mm (sc-VFP); Snd: UC-VF Predom F-VF, 90% qtz 10% basalt, A-SA, Dry, wk Rxn HCl, 2.5y 4/2 dk grayish brown	79' suspect gul > 10cm due to high amounts of fresh broken clasts.

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Well ID: C586 Well Name: 699-52-55A Location: 600 area N of RR. S. of 699-53-55A
Project: 200-BP-5 Ri/Fs Reference Measuring Point: ground

Depth (Ft.)	Sample		Graphic Log	Sample Description	Comments
	Type No.	Blows Recovery			
85	grab			85'- sandy gravel, lithology same as above	Cable Tool, 8" casing 85' noticeable amounts of vesicular basalt cobbles
90	grab			90'- Silty sandy Gravel (msG) 60% gul 30% snd 10% silt; gul: 50% basalt 50% rtz, 12cm-2mm (Sc-VFP); R; snd: 90% rtz 10% basalt, UC-VF (Predom F-VF) A-SA; silt: Moist, 10yr 4/3 Brown, Vwk Rxn HCl	90'- Suspect larger guls > 20cm, ↑ moisture clasts coated w/ moist silt
95	grab			95'- lithology same as above, silt is Dry	91' ↓ moisture
100	grab			100'- lithology same as above	
105	grab			105'- Sandy gravel (sG) 70% gul 30% snd; gul: 6cm-2mm (UC-VFP) 60% rtz 40% basalt, R; snd: 90% rtz 10% basalt, UC-VF (Predom F-VF) Dry, 7.5yr 4/2 brown, Vwk Rxn HCl	105' suspect larger guls due to amount of freshly broken angular clasts
110	grab			110'- gravel (g) 90% gul 10% snd; gul: 10cm-2mm (Sc-VFP) 50% basalt 50% rtz, R, (suspect larger guls > 10cm); snd: UC-VF 80% rtz 20% basalt, A-SA, Dry, 7.5yr 4/2 brown, Vwk Rxn HCl, Slight (weak) cementation	111' DR ↓
115	grab			115'- Silty sandy Gravel (msG) 80% gul 10% snd 10% silt; gul: 50% basalt 50% rtz, R, 10cm-2mm; snd: 50% b, 50% rtz, M-VF, A; silt: Dry, 5yr 4/1 Dk gray, Vwk Rxn HCl	
120	grab			120'- lithology same as above	
123	grab			123'- gravelly silty sand (gms) 60% snd, 30% gul 10% silt; gul: 50% basalt 50% rtz, R, 4cm-2mm (UP-VFP); snd: 60% rtz 40% basalt; UC-VF, A-SA; silt: Dry, 10yr 4/2 Dk grayish brown, Mod Rxn HCl, mod cementation	123' gravels size ↓

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Well ID: C5861		Well Name: 699-52-55A		Location: 600 AREA N. OF RR, S. OF 699-53-55A	
Project: 200-BP-5 R1/F5			Reference Measuring Point: GROUND		
Depth (Ft.)	Sample		Graphic Log	Sample Description	Comments
	Type No.	Blows Recovery			
125	grab			125' - lithology same as above, color to 7.5y 4/2 Brown	Cable Tool 8" casing
130	grab			130' - gravelly sand (gs) 70% sand 30% gul: gul: 50% basalt 50% 9tz, R, 4cm-2mm (VcF-VF) Snd: 60% 9tz 40% basalt, A-SA, Dry, 5y 4/2 olive gray, wk Rxn HCl	
135	grab			135' - gravelly silty sand (gm S) 70% sand 20% gul 10% silt: 80% 9tz 20% basalt, A-SA, Vc-VF (Prebm/135' basalt sand grains m-VF); gul: 50% basalt 50% 9tz, R-SR, 5cm-2mm larger than 9tz/others (Vc-VF); silt: Dry, 5y 5/2 olive gray, mod Rxn HCl	139' sand size &
140	grab			139' silty gravelly sand (msb); 40% gul 40% sand 20% silt, gul: 50% basalt 50% 9tz, R, 5cm-2mm (Vc-VF); sand: 80% 9tz 20% basalt, A-SA m-VF; Dry 10YR 5/2 grayish brown, mod Rxn HCl	141' cuttings not staying in drive barrel ↑ gul size ↑ 144' silt content
145	grab			142' - lithology same as above w/ wk cementation, strong Rxn HCl	145' - grab sample,
148	grab			145' - gravelly silt (gm) 80% silt 10% gul; gul: 50% basalt 50% 9tz, R, 6cm-2mm; sand: Vc-VF, 80% 9tz 20% basalt, A-SA; silt: Dry, 10YR 6/2 lt. brownish gray, mod Rxn HCl	sand Prebm F-VF 148' grab sample
149	grab				149' grab sample
150	grab			147-147.5 silt (m) slightly moist, wk-mod Rxn HCl, 10YR 4/2 dk grayish brown	
152	grab			148' lithology same as above	152' grab sample
155	grab			151' silt (m): slightly moist, 5y 5/3, olive, wk Rxn HCl, Rust Red mottling present	155' grab sample, Red-orange mottling
157	grab			153' - lithology same as above	
158	grab			155' - sandy silt (s/m) 80% sand 50% silt; sand: Vc, 80% 9tz, 20% basalt, A-SA; silt: slightly moist, 5y 4/3 olive wk Rxn HCl	157' - grab sample 158' - Prebm m-VF sand
160	grab			157' sand (s): Vc, slightly moist, 5y 5/3 olive, mod Rxn HCl, A-SA, no mottling present	160' grab sample
163	grab			158' silty sand (ms) 80% sand 15% silt 5% gul: gul 2cm-2mm, R, 50% basalt 50% 9tz; sand: Vc-VF, A-SA, 80% 9tz 20% basalt; silt: Dry 2.5Y 5/2 grayish brown, wk Rxn HCl	163' grab sample

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Date: 12/10/07

Well ID: C5861 Well Name: 699-52-55A Location: 600m N of BR S. of 699-52-55A

Project: 200-BP-5 R1/F5 Reference Measuring Point: GROUND

Depth (Ft.)	Sample		Graphic Log	Sample Description	Comments
	Type No.	Blows Recovery			
165	grab			165- lithology same as above, w/ mod rxn HCl	Cable Tool 8" casing 165' grab sample
167.5	grab				
170	grab			170- gravelly sand (gs): 80% sand 20% gravel; 50% basalt, 50%artz, SA-SR, 2cm-2mm (CP-VFP); Sand: VC-VF (Probab M-F) 70% basalt, 30%artz. A, Dry, 10YR 4/2 Dk grayish brown, wk rxn HCl, Basalt = larger grain size	170' grab sample
173.5	grab			173.5- lithology same as above, gravel to 3cm.	173.5' grab sample
175	grab	55		175- Silty gravelly sand (mgs) 80% sand 15% gravel, 5% silt; Gravel: 60% basalt 40%artz, R, 2cm-2mm (CP-VFP), Sand: VC-VF (Probab C-VC) 60% basalt 40%artz, A; silt: wet, no rxn HCl 10YR 3/2 VDK grayish brown	175' grab sample
174-176.5		75%		174-176.5- s.s. encountered large cobble, shoe damaged could not be removed.	S.S. 174-176.5- s.s. encountered large cobble, shoe damaged could not be removed.
177.2				177.2- Basalt: present as chips + fines in drill cuttings; non-vesicular basalt; very dark gray to black in color; 20-25% (by mass) sand, same lithology as sand above.	Contents dumped into bowl.
183.32'					183.32' = T.D. (1/4/08)
					Static WL = 173.5 (12/11/07)

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Appendix C

Slug-Test Field Notes for Well 699-52-55A

PNNL SLUG TEST FIELD MEASUREMENTS - FINAL, COMPLETED WELL (continuation sheet)

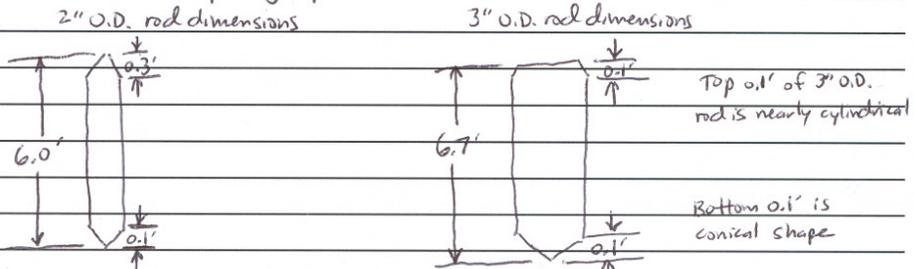
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Well ID: 699-52-55A

Test/Depth Interval: 173.79 - 179.8 ft bgs

Time: Field Notes:

- 0920 Lower 2" O.D. slug rod into water column slowly to upper mark. Upper mark is even with ground surface - well is flush-mounted. Rod is fully submerged $\Delta t = 5$ sec. Recovery is very slow.
- 4" ID casing is 1.0' below ground surface. 6" casing is 0.5' below ground surface.
- 1025 Water level has recovered to 9.76'
- 1033 9.7505'
- 1036 Initiate slug withdrawal test #1; 2" O.D. rod raised completely out of water column. Lower mark at least a foot above ground surface.
- ~1039 Changed Δt from 1 sec to 5 sec.
- 1155 Remove 2" O.D. rod from well and replace it with 3" O.D. rod.
- 1158 Lower 3" O.D. rod into water column to upper mark. Rod is completely submerged. Lower mark was moved down 0.7' because 3" O.D. rod is 6.7' long. (2" O.D. rod is 6.0' long)
- 1400 Initiate slug withdrawal test #2 using 3" O.D. rod. Rod was fully submerged; $\Delta t = 0.5$ sec
- 1402 Change Δt to 5 sec. Slow recovery
- 1522 Took well cap off and it disturbed water level readings a bit.
- 1557 D/W = 52.971 m bgs = 173.79' bgs E tape # WL3099
- 1602 Turn logger off. Data downloaded to file name CR10X-X16621-652-55A-S1-2.dat and backed it up on jump drive.



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Appendix D

Slug-Test SW #2 Plots for Well 699-52-55A

Appendix D: Slug-Test SW #2 Plots for Well 699-52-55A

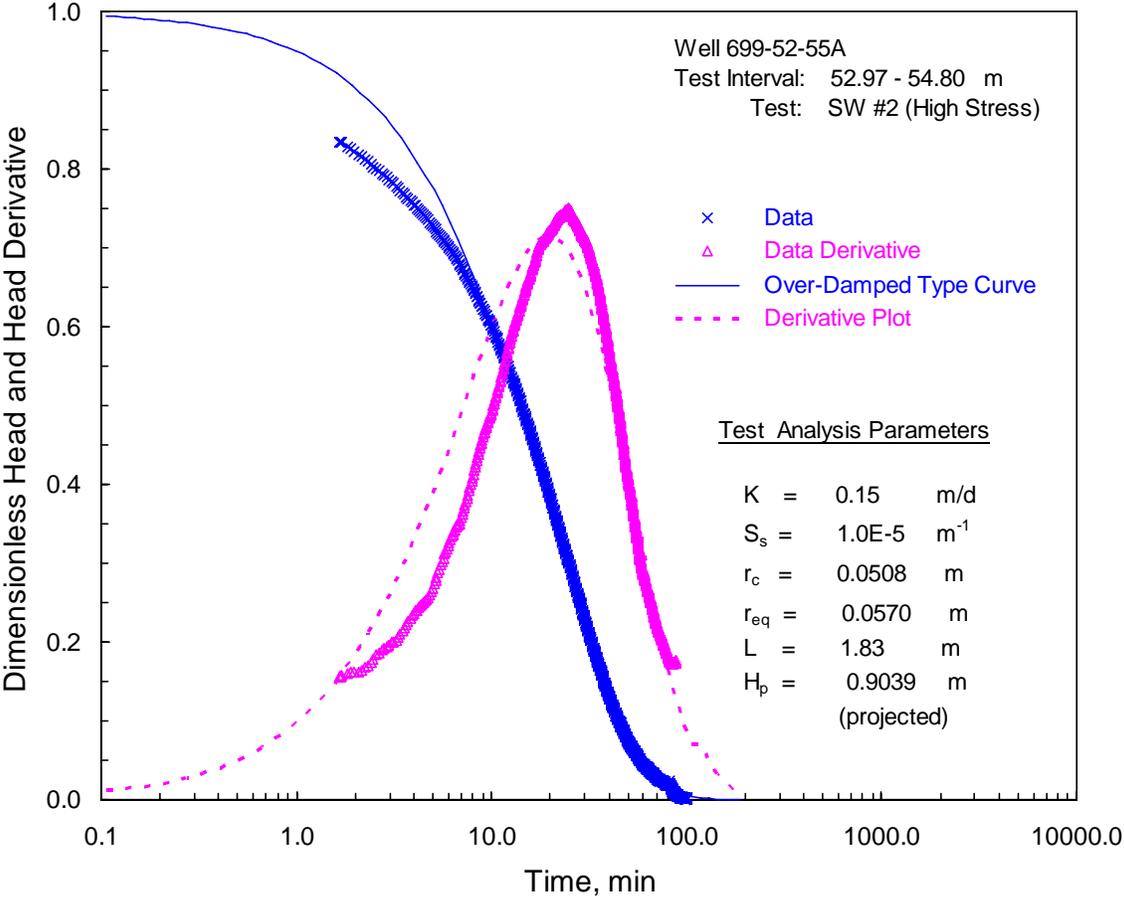


Figure D1. Type-Curve Analysis Plot for Test SW #2, Well 699-52-55A

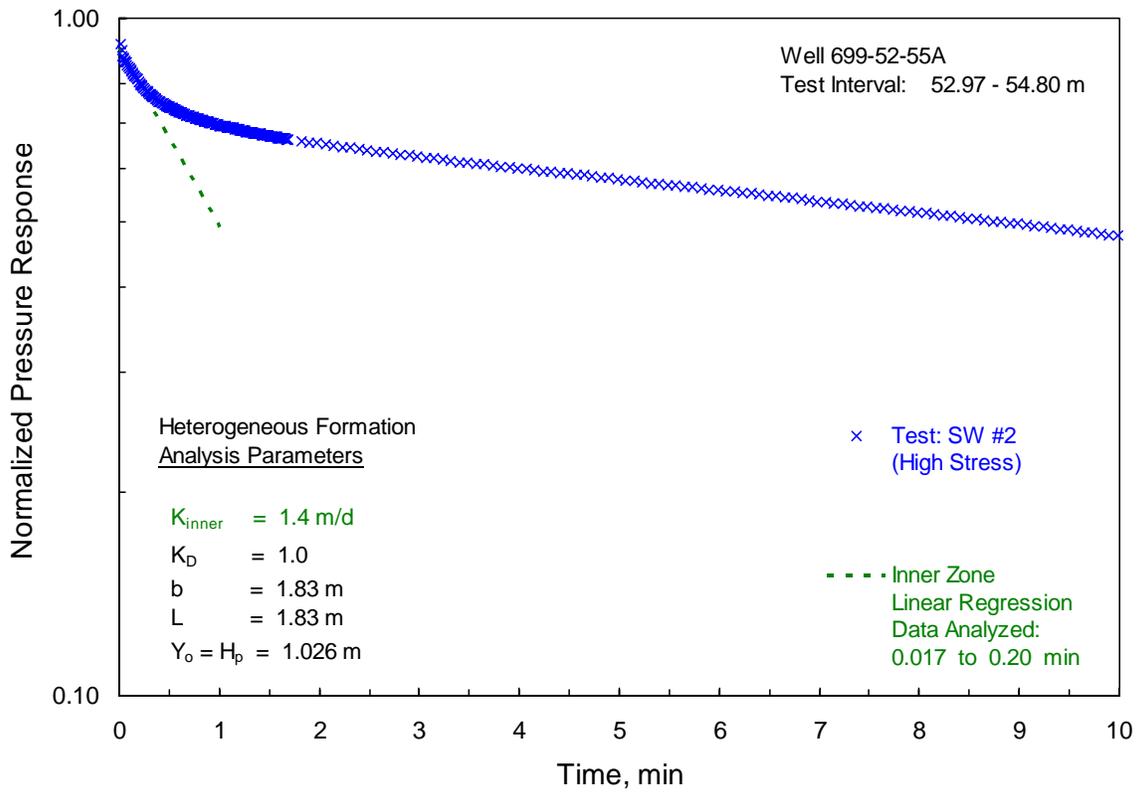


Figure D2. Bouwer and Rice Analysis Plot for Inner Zone, Test SW #2, Well 699-52-55A

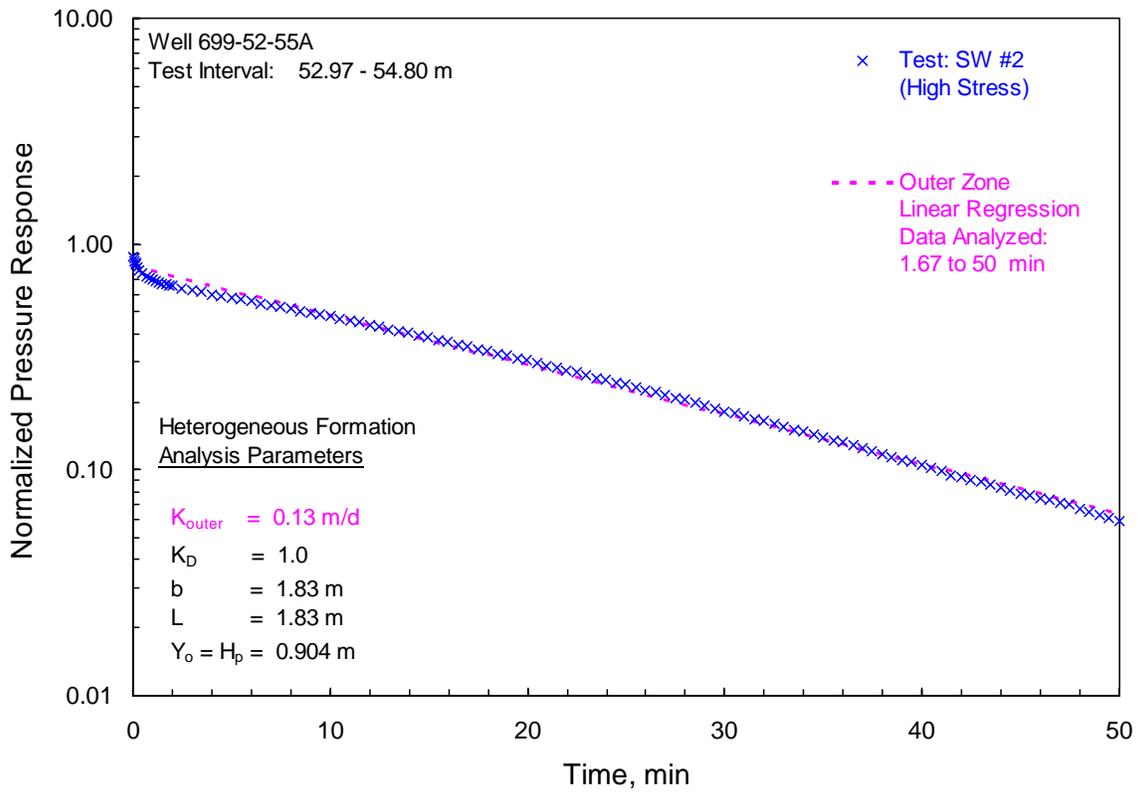


Figure D3. Bouwer and Rice Analysis Plot for Outer Zone, Test SW #2, Well 699-52-55A

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