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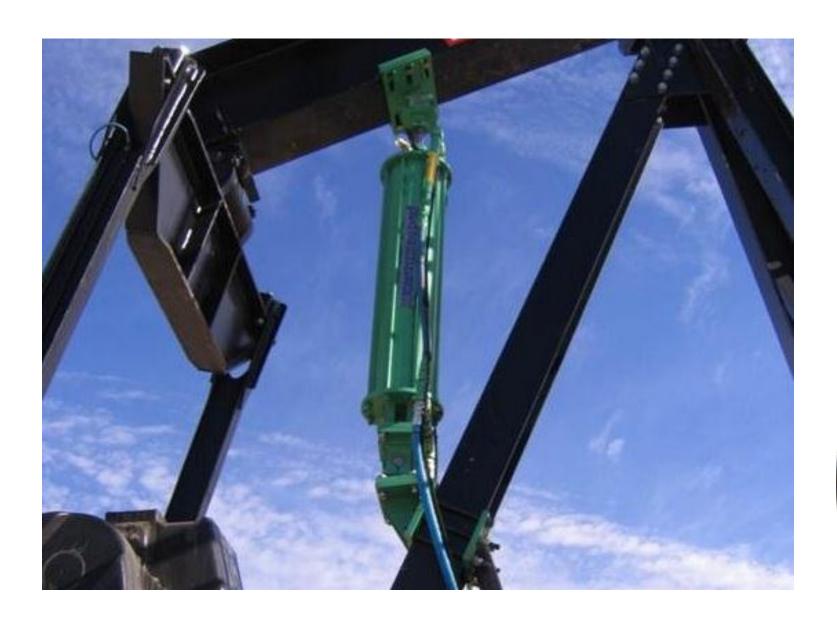


# Lowering Back Pressure, Optimizing Production and Reducing Costs With The Beam Gas Compressor™



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#### **Lets Talk About**

- How The Beam Gas Compressor<sup>™</sup> Operates
- Areas of Operation and Time In Service
- Rod Pumping Problems
- Economics
- Applications
- Installation Examples
- Case Studies

#### **How IT Works**

The Beam Gas Compressor™ <u>uses the</u> energy from the normal pumping action of the pump jack already on location.

The size of the BGC™ is configured to compress the daily gas production at the operator's desired casing pressure within the pumping unit's <u>normal</u> <u>operating run time</u>.

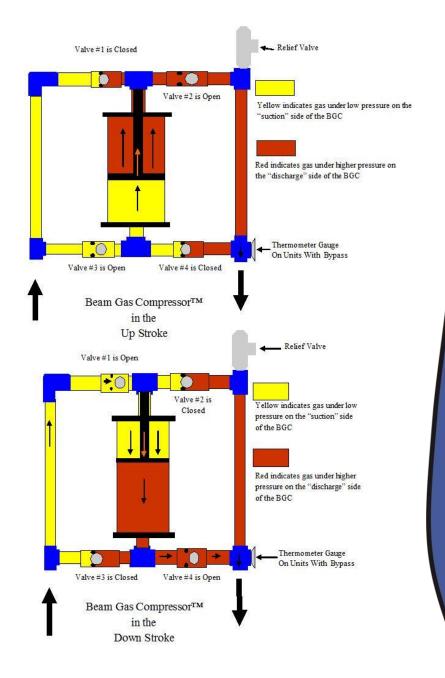
As the walking beam movement pumps the well, the Beam Gas Compressor™ draws produced gas from the casing through check valves and discharges it into the flow line down stream from the pumping tee. The gas rejoins the tubing production and flows to the separator and on to the gas sales line



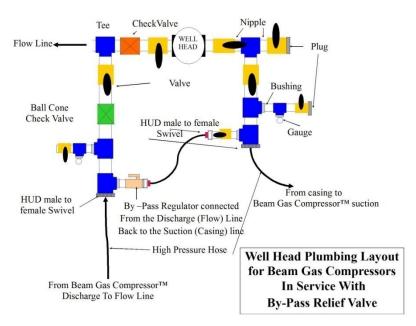
The BGC™ Is a double acting system and continually compresses gas in both directions providing-

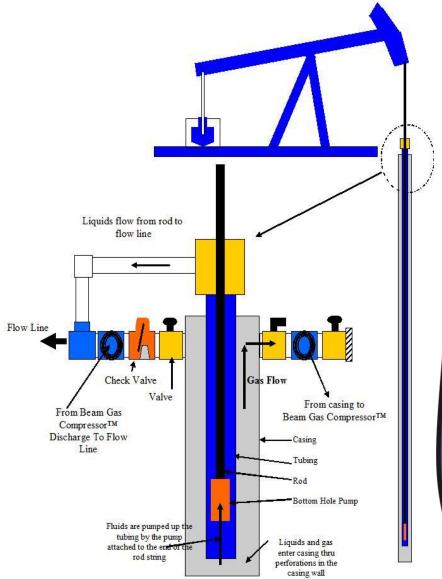
#### "DYNAMIC Compression





Relieves casing backpressure by drawing gas from the casing and compressing it into the flow line.





#### VALVE POSITION FIG. 1 From casing to Beam Gas Compressor<sup>TM</sup> By -Pass Regulator connected suction From Beam Gas From the Discharge (Flow) Line CompressorTM Back to the Suction (Casing) line. Discharge To Flow

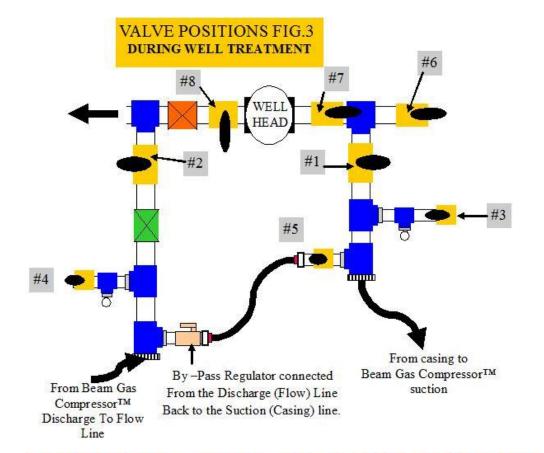
### Well Head Plumbing Normal Condition

#### DO NOT OPERATE VALVES WITH PUMPING UNIT RUNNING

Line

# VALVE #1 OPEN VALVE #2 OPEN VALVE #3 CLOSED VALVE #4 CLOSED VALVE #5 OPEN VALVE #6 CLOSED VALVE #7 OPEN VALVE #8 CLOSED

Well Head Plumbing Compressor Out of Service, During Well Treatment



#### DO NOT OPERATE VALVES WITH PUMPING UNIT RUNNING

# COMPRESSOR OUT OF SERVICE VALVE #1 CLOSED VALVE #2 CLOSED VALVE #3 OPEN VALVE #4 OPEN VALVE #5 OPEN VALVE #6 OPEN VALVE #7 OPEN VALVE #8 CLOSED

The BGC<sup>™</sup> can be mounted on pumping units from 25 to 912

All are a factor of Production, Pumping Unit Size & Settings and Casing/discharge pressure



This is a conventional mount from the Walking Beam to the PU Skid.

#### Non Lubricated for easier Installation



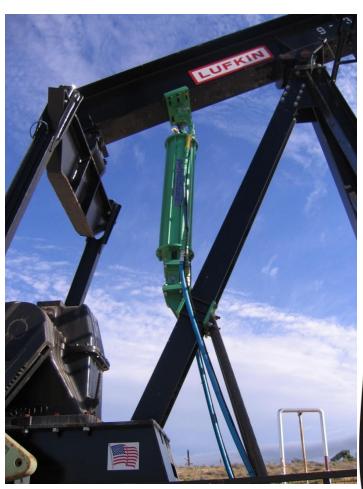
#### Non Lubricated for easier Operation



The units are mounted via brackets to the Walking beam and skid /sampson post At no time is anything mounted permanently To your pumping unit







Above is a BGC™ mounted to the Sampson post

#### **MAINTENANCE**

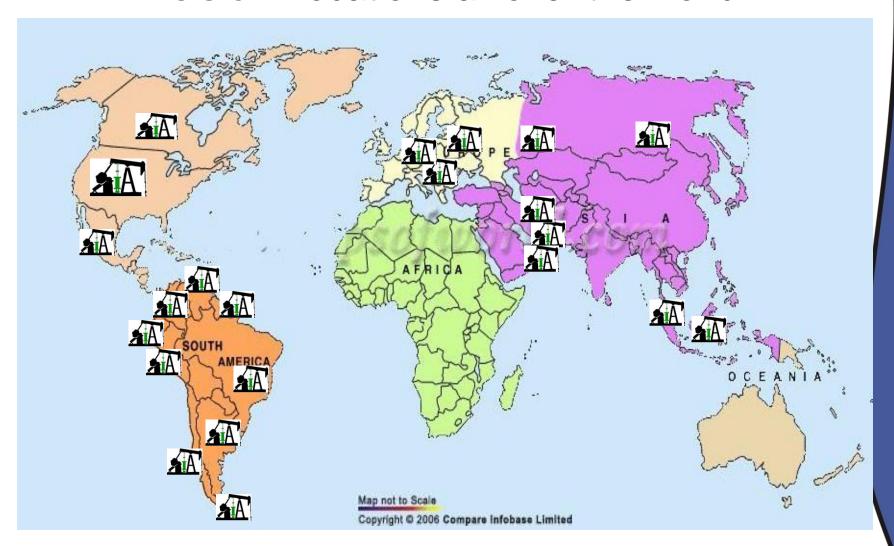
DAILY- Check Suction and Discharge Pressure Gauges against design specifications

WEEKLY- Check bolts and alignment of mounting brackets

MONTHLY- Check that all plumbing and pipe connections are secure. Verify Relief Pressure Valve is Operational at original settings.

WELL SERVICE: THE SUCTION LINE MUST BE PROTECTED FROM DIRT, SAND OR ANY OTHER MATTER WHEN THE WELL IS BEING SERVICED. ANY FOREIGN MATERIAL ALLOWED TO ENTER THE CYLINDER THROUGH THE SUCTION LINES WILL DAMAGE THE COMPRESSOR CYLINDER AND THE INTERNALS.

## Over 30 years of Manufacturing and Installing BGC's in locations all over the world.



#### **Rod Pumping Problems**

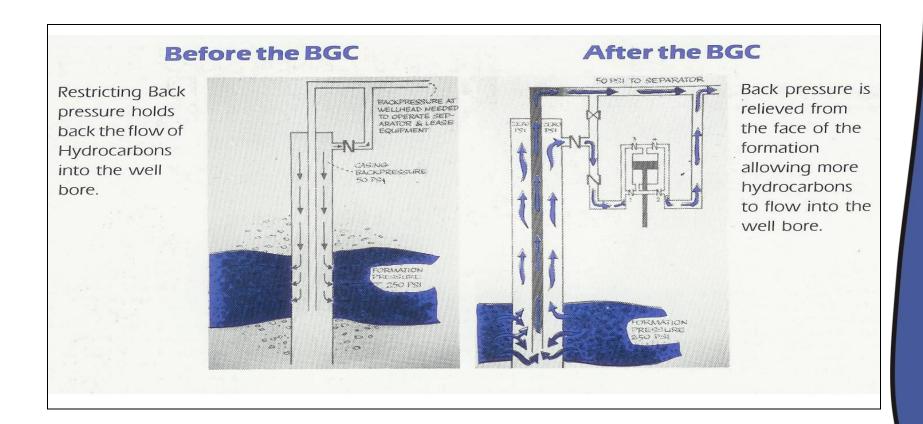
- Reversing decline curve.
- To increase fluid flow to the well bore.
- Making a marginal well to become economical.
- Gas interference (gas lock) in the Down Hole Pump
- Compressing low pressure gas to the production facilities
- To reduce gas compression energy consumption
- To Reduce gas compression noise
- Reducing operational costs due to premature pump, rod or tubing failure

#### Reversing decline curve



All producing Oil Wells have a Decline Curve. By using the Beam Gas Compressor™ at the point when bottom hole pressure (BHP) equals or comes close to surface pressure and "old dog can be taught new tricks". Look at the graph above and you can see how a well that was thought to be ready for sale or plugging was revitalized and entered a second phase of production without a tremendous capital expenditure or tertiary method of recovery

#### To increase fluid flow to the well bore

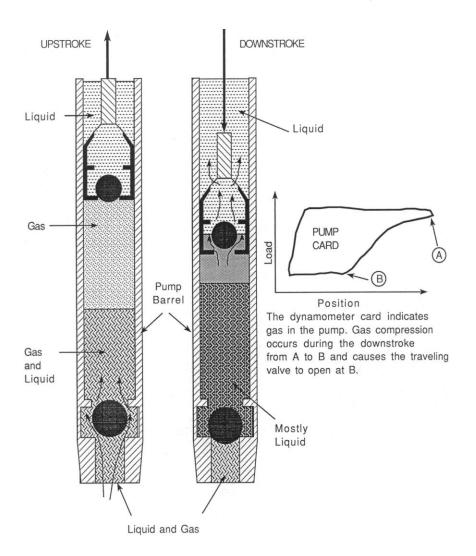


#### Making a marginal well to become economical

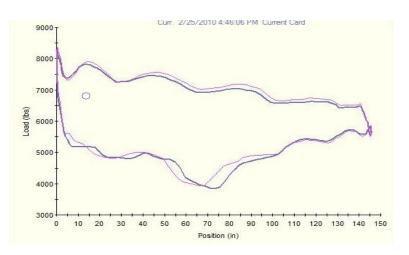


<b>Before Back Pressure Reduced</b>	After	\$ Increased Revenue	
STROKES PER MINUTE:	6.77	6.89	
TIME CYCLE IN % (.00):	84%	85%	
SUCTION PRESSURE GAUGE:	100	0	
DISCHARGE PRESSURE GAUGE:	100	100	
OIL PRODUCTION - BPD	3	8	\$151,300 Yearly
GAS PRODUCTION - MCFD	12	18	\$9,115 Yearly

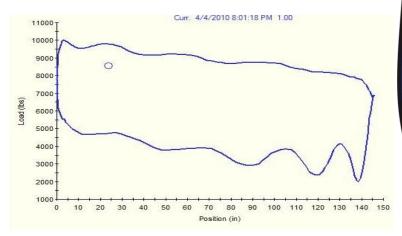
#### Gas interference (gas lock) in the Down Hole Pump



Above picture courtesy of Ecometer and Lynn Rowland.



#### Card Above is Before BGC<sup>™</sup> installed Card Below is After BGC<sup>™</sup> installed Installation Bakersfield, California



#### Compressing low pressure gas to the production facilities



Low bottom hole pressure wells have a problem to move the gas into higher pressure production lines and facilities because of this gas pressure builds up in the casing restricting flow of fluids to the well bore

it's The GREEN Machine™

#### To reduce gas compression energy consumption



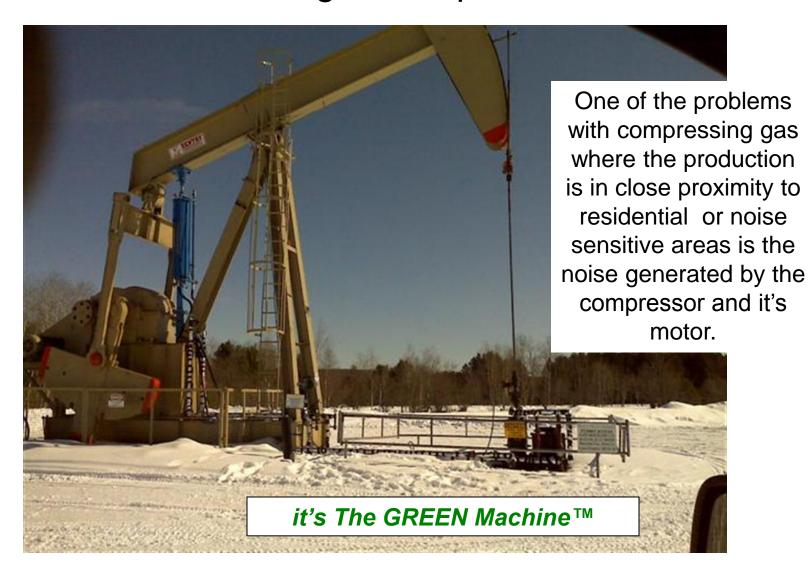
This location had been renting a skid mounted natural gas engine driven compressor by releasing it and purchasing a "Beam Operated Compressor" the operator reduced costs by

\$4.500 per month (\$3.000 per month rent/ 20mcfd gas consumption) or

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it's The GREEN Machine™

#### To reduce gas compression noise



## Reducing operational costs due to premature pump, rod or tubing failure



Work over repairs to Down Hole Pumps, the Rod String, and Tubing failure due to fluid pounding and rod buckling increases operating expenses of the well. Lost production during this work-over also results in the loss of revenue.

#### **Economics**

Multiple BGC's™ vs Field Compression

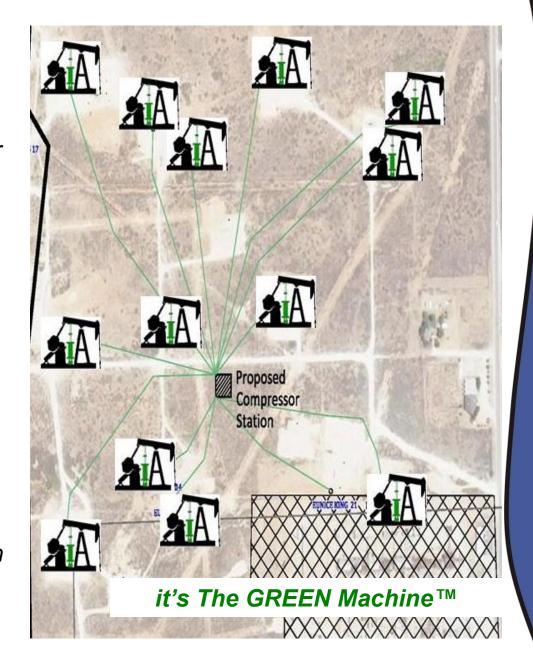
In this example a field compressor would cost over \$565,000 and 12 months to install, trench, lay new flowlines and permit

Installing multiple BGCs™ cost of \$300,000

No Permits
No Trenching
No new flowlines
Greater Compression at
each well head
Maintenance

The Operator predicts an additional \$500,000 in production Just waiting on the permits BGC

™ generates additional \$5 mill revenues



#### **Additional Applications**

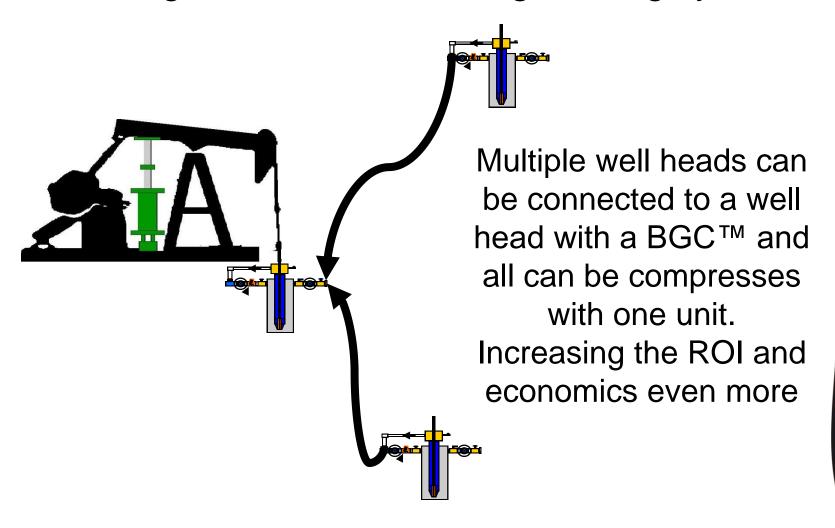
For remote locations where dependable gas compression is required and the only other kind of wellhead compression is extremely expensive.



# Using Two BGCs<sup>™</sup> on one Pumping Unit: -operated in parallel for high volumes -two stages for high line pressure



#### Using BGC as a low cost gathering system





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#### BEAM GAS COMPRESSOR™WELL DATA SHEET

#### COMPANY INFORMATION Revised 06-27-10 COMPANY PHONE FAX# **ADDRESS** CITY STATE ZIP PROJECT MANAGER CELL# **EMAIL ADDRESS** LEASE OPERATOR CELL# OTHER NAME PHONE#

#### WELL INFORMATION

**Data Sheets** 

the design of

The basis

behind

a BGC

**EMAIL ADDRESS** 

9	WELL NAME				- 1	TON	IN LO	CATION		
10	GPS DAT A	LONG	SITUDE	3	35		LATI	TUDE		
11	PRODUCTION	OIL		WATER			TO	TAL FLUID	8	
12	GAS SALES MCFD		FUEL GA	\S	HEATER G	AS	$\neg$	TOTAL GA	SEXPECTE	D
13	PRESENT CAS	ING PR	ESSURE		204	DES	IRED	CASING PR	ESSURE	Decrease esc
14	BGC DISCHARGE	(FLOW)	INE) PRE	SSURE (PSI	G)	GAS	S IS:	SWEET	SC	DUR
15	PERFORATION	DEPTH	1		PUMP D	EPTH	,		PU MP SIZE	
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#### PUMPING UNIT INFORMATION

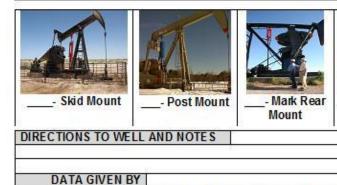
17	MAKE		MO	DEL SIZE	TIME CYCLE (% OF 24 HOU		
18	STYLE CO	DNVENTIONAL	-	MARK		AIR BALA	NCE
19	POLISH RO	D STROKE LEN	GTH	LC	NG	MED	SHORT
20	PRIME MOV	VER HP	GAS	ELEC	TRIC	STROKE	10 10

Fill in all Blank Areas Attach PHOTOS of Pumping Unit

- Mark Front

Mount

\_\_\_\_\_- Front
Extension Mount



#### Conventional BGC Installation



#### Front Mount BGC Installation



#### Mark II BGC Installation



#### Air Balance BGC Installation



#### **OPERATOR COMMENTS & CASE STUDIES**

- The following cases were based on several of the wells in the Indian Basin region of New Mexico
- Pay out is based on Oil = \$ 90.00 and
   Gas = \$ 4.00.
   Current pricing may be different but the percentage increases are typical

- In the Indian Basin, New Mexico, most of the wells were in the later stages of productivity curves and the operating company was looking for technologies that would maximize the life and production of their wells.
- The project had fifteen units installed in 2003 and are still in use today
- The Units were installed without any concern or stress carried to the Pumping Unit which greatly pleased the operating company
- The following are specific cases that had some or all of the problems associated with Rod Pumping Wells- Back Pressure, Gas Interference in the DHP.

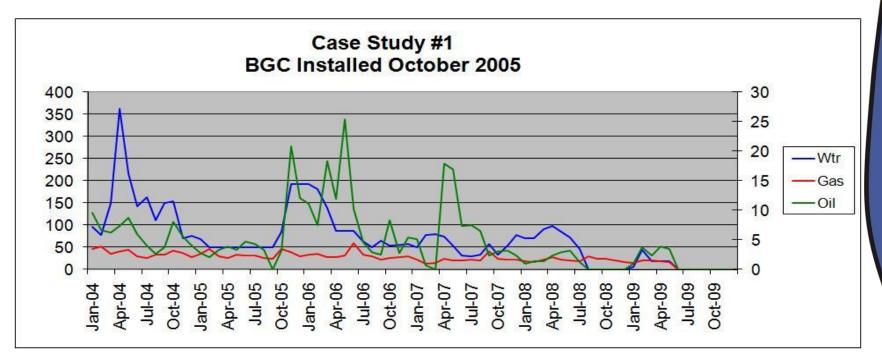
In these case studies, we have their production before and after installation of the beam gas compression systems.

	Parameter	Before BGC	After BGC	Increase	Increase in Nine Months Revenue
Indian Basin	Casing PSIG		0		
New Mexico	Oil, BPD	3.5	13.4	9.90	\$ 320.760,00
	Gas, MCFD	32.3	37.7	5.4	\$ 7.776,00
	1	1		Total Yearly Increase	\$ 328.536,00

- BOPD Increase 9.9
- MCFD Increase 5.4
- Annual \$ Increase Revenue

+ \$ 328.536,00

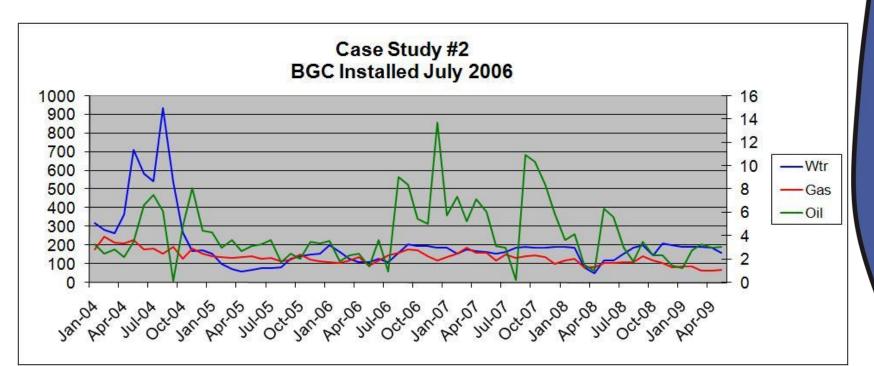




Indian Basin	Parameter	Before BGC	After BGC	Increase	Increase in Annual Revenue
	Casing PSIG	40	0		
NM	Oil, BPD	2.5	8.6	6.1	\$ 197.640,00
	Gas, MCFD	122	153	31	\$ 44,640.00
		'	1	Total Annual Increase	\$ 242.280,00

- BOPD Increase 6.1
- MCFD Increase 31
- Annual \$ IncreaseRevenue \$ 242.280,00



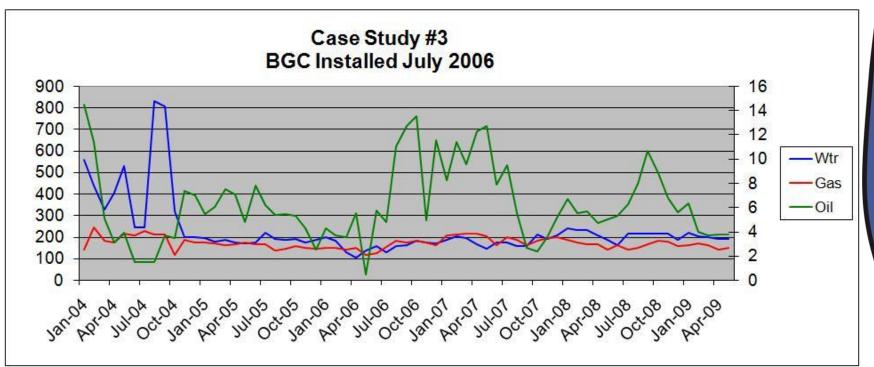


Indian Basin	Parameter	Before BGC	After BGC	Increase	Increase in Annual Revenue
	Casing PSIG	40	2		
NM	Oil, BPD	5	12	7	\$ 226.800,00
	Gas, MCFD	165	215	50	\$ 72,000.00
	,			Total Annual Increase	\$ 298.800,00

- BOPD Increase 7
- MCFD Increase 50
- Annual \$ Increase

Revenue \$ 298.800,00



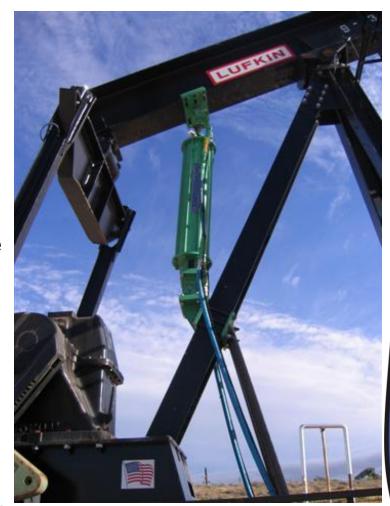


#### In conclusion:

By utilizing the energy derived from the Pumping Unit to operate the BGC<sup>™</sup> to compress casing head gas you can save on the energy cost of compression.

The BGC<sup>™</sup> joins with the reliable pumping unit as its prime mover. By utilizing the reliable Pumping Unit as the BGC's<sup>™</sup> prime mover operators enjoy a steady increase in production with a reliable compression system that is considered THE GREEN MACHINE<sup>™</sup> by the industry.

By combining a BGC<sup>™</sup> with the Beam Pump system you can increase the performance of the pumping system and solve many of the problems associated with rod pumping systems.





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