

PG4 2-D & 3-D SEISMIC DATA INTERPRETATION

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IN-HOUSE

COURSE OVERVIEW

This course is intended to give in-depth knowledge in Seismic Interpretation using advanced techniques. Step-by-step procedures will be discussed and many case examples will be studied.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Geophysicists, geologists, production geologists, and petrophysicists.

COURSE CONTENT

- **Seismic Reflection Interpretation:**
 - ⇒ Introduction to structural and stratigraphic seismic events.
 - ⇒ Assumptions made in data processing, seismic resolution.
 - ⇒ The seismic amplitude, reflection characteristics, reflection continuity and reflection features.
 - ⇒ Define key seismic events for interpretation.
 - ⇒ Tracing and time picking of a seismic horizon.
 - ⇒ Naming of reflections.
 - ⇒ Interpretation of seismically and geological complex areas.
- **Planning and preparation for the seismic interpretation:**
 - ⇒ Well data required, well data corrections, time-to-depth conversion of well data.
 - ⇒ Generation of synthetic seismograms and examination of well synthetics-to-seismic data tie at well locations.
- **Fault Interpretation:**
 - ⇒ review fault types and their features on a seismic section.
 - ⇒ Fault picking on the seismic data.
 - ⇒ Using of time-slice for fault interpretation.
 - ⇒ Fault cuts, fault interpretation on 3-D data volume.
 - ⇒ Calculation of fault heave.
 - ⇒ Fault polygons, and fault mapping.
- **Horizon Interpretation:**

- **Time-depth Conversion:**

- ⇒ Production of horizon-velocity maps.
- ⇒ Review available time- depth conversion methods, and using well data for time- depth conversion.

- **Presenting the Results of Interpretation:**

- ⇒ Structural and horizon maps in time (isochrons).
- ⇒ Generation of time-thickness maps (isochore), horizon-velocity maps.
- ⇒ Time-to-depth conversion of picked seismic events.
- ⇒ Generation of horizon depth maps, testing and correcting horizon-depth maps at well control points, and QC structural and horizon produced maps.

- **Mapping and Volumetrics:**

- ⇒ Horizon and fault maps.
- ⇒ Gridding of picked horizon and fault maps.
- ⇒ Data interpolation and smoothing, computations of isopach maps.
- ⇒ production of reservoir characteristics (i.e. porosity and

pore-fluid saturation over the field) maps, definition of OWC, GOC, and GWC.

- ⇒ investigation of reservoir compartmentalisation for volumetric computations and reserves' computations.

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