

NDPA Bulk Slides

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Presentation Outline

- **Economics**

- Current Activity and oil transportation dynamics
- Understanding current and future oil production
 - Pricing update
 - Activity
 - Oil forecasts
- North Dakota natural gas production
 - Flaring and gas capture
 - Natural gas liquids
- Pipeline construction update



Objective

Define where the Bakken/Three Forks system may be economic in the current oil price environment.

Method

Analyze past well performance across the region and estimate well economics for various production levels.

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Key Economic Assumptions

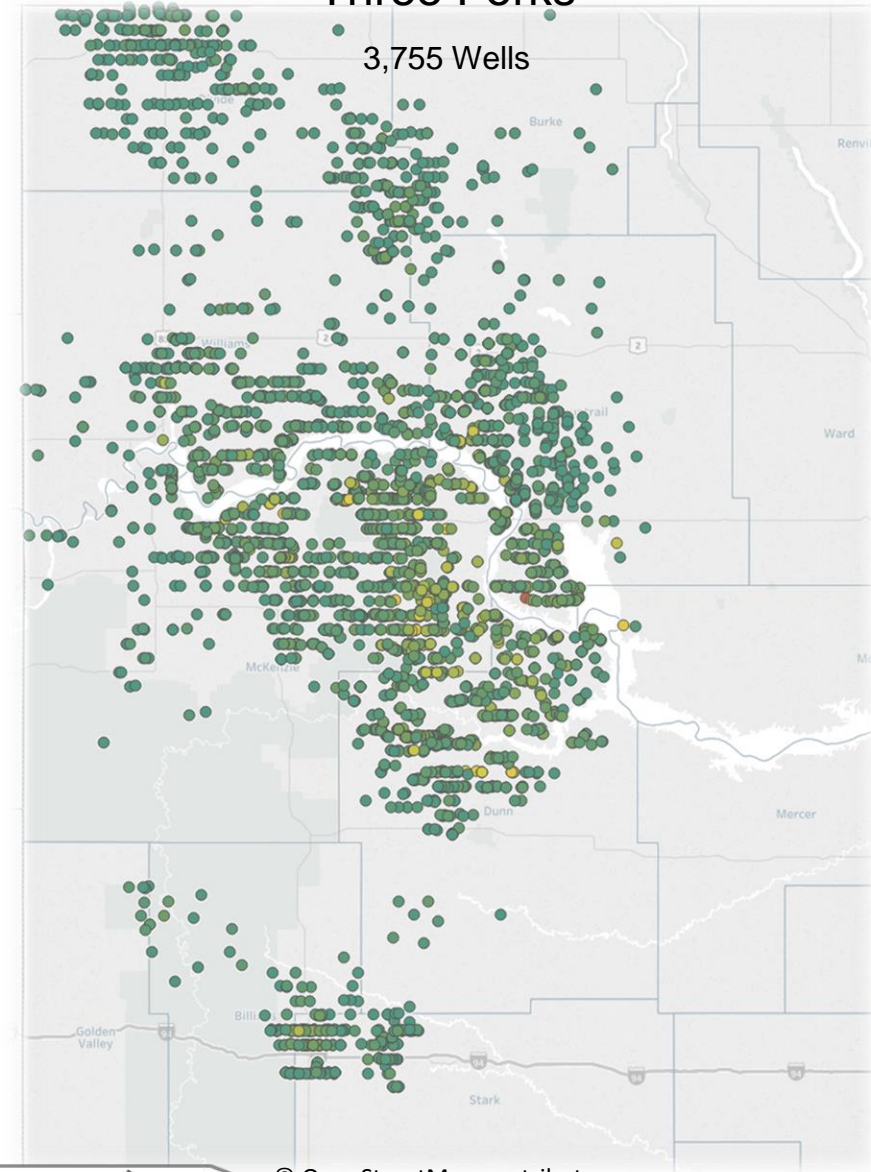
- \$6-\$8 Million Well Costs
- \$63/BBL & \$6.00/MCF Wellhead Pricing
- 1/6 Royalty
- Zero Flaring
- Assumed 10-20% IRR to drill (calculated after production taxes and royalties)
- No Tax Incentives Included
- Production rate is 30-day average
- All Bakken/Three Forks wells drilled in 2008+



Peak Month Minimum - 200 BOPD

Three Forks

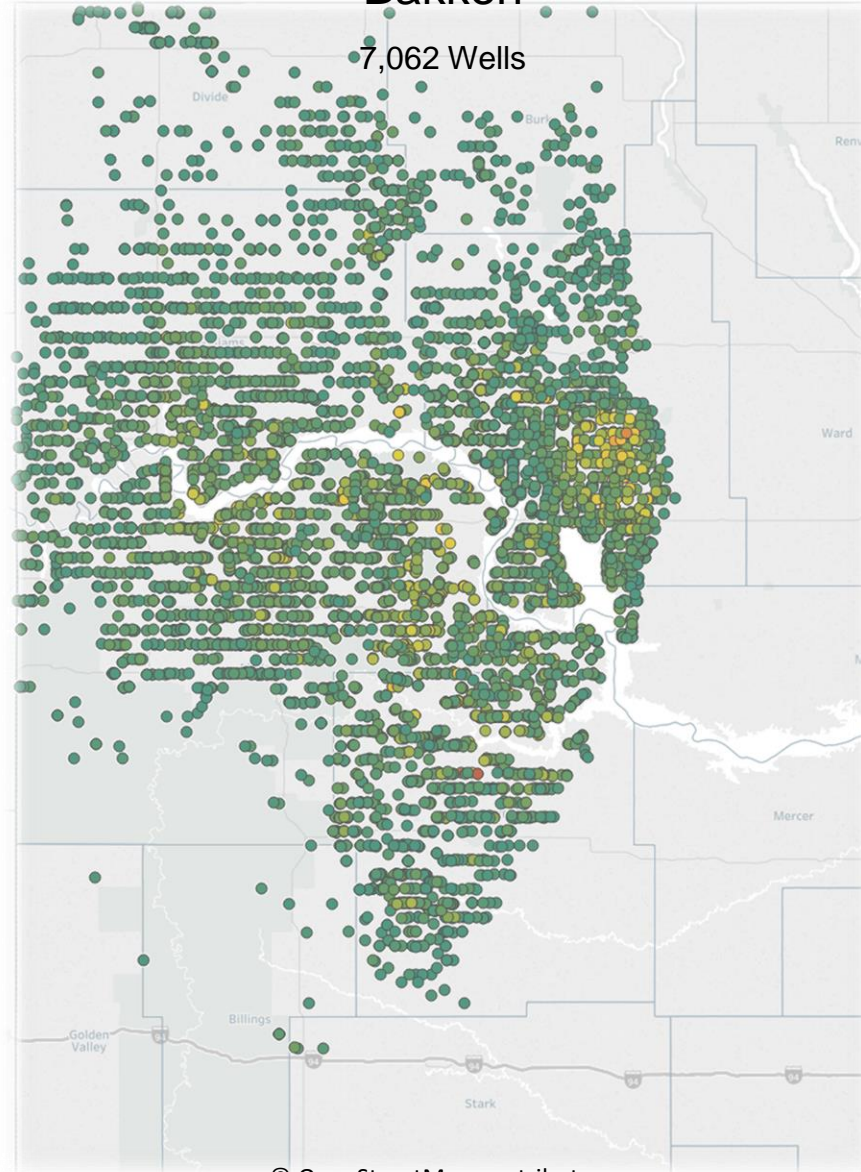
3,755 Wells



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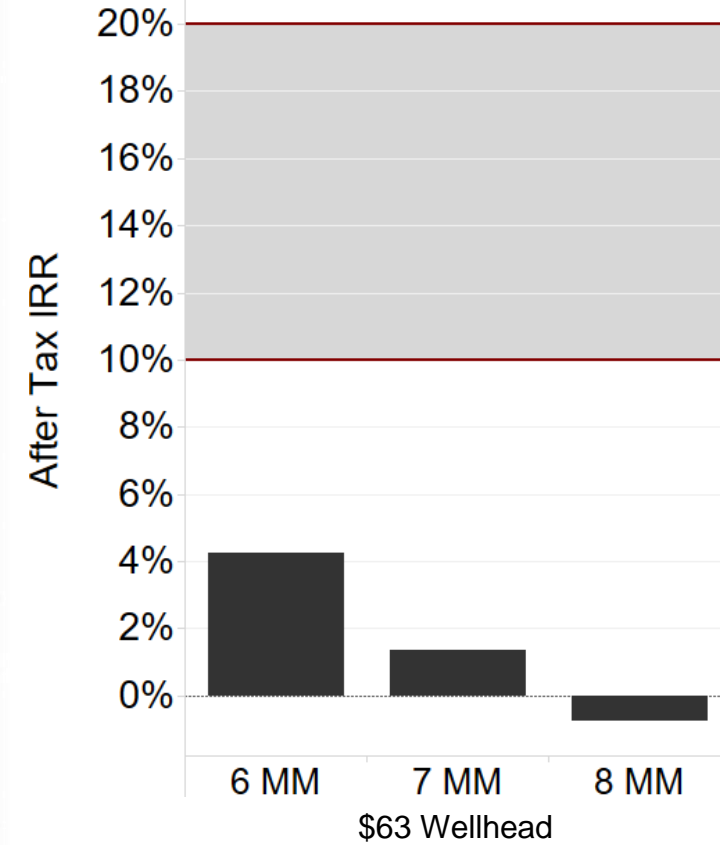
Bakken

7,062 Wells



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Peak Month BOPD / Well Cost
200



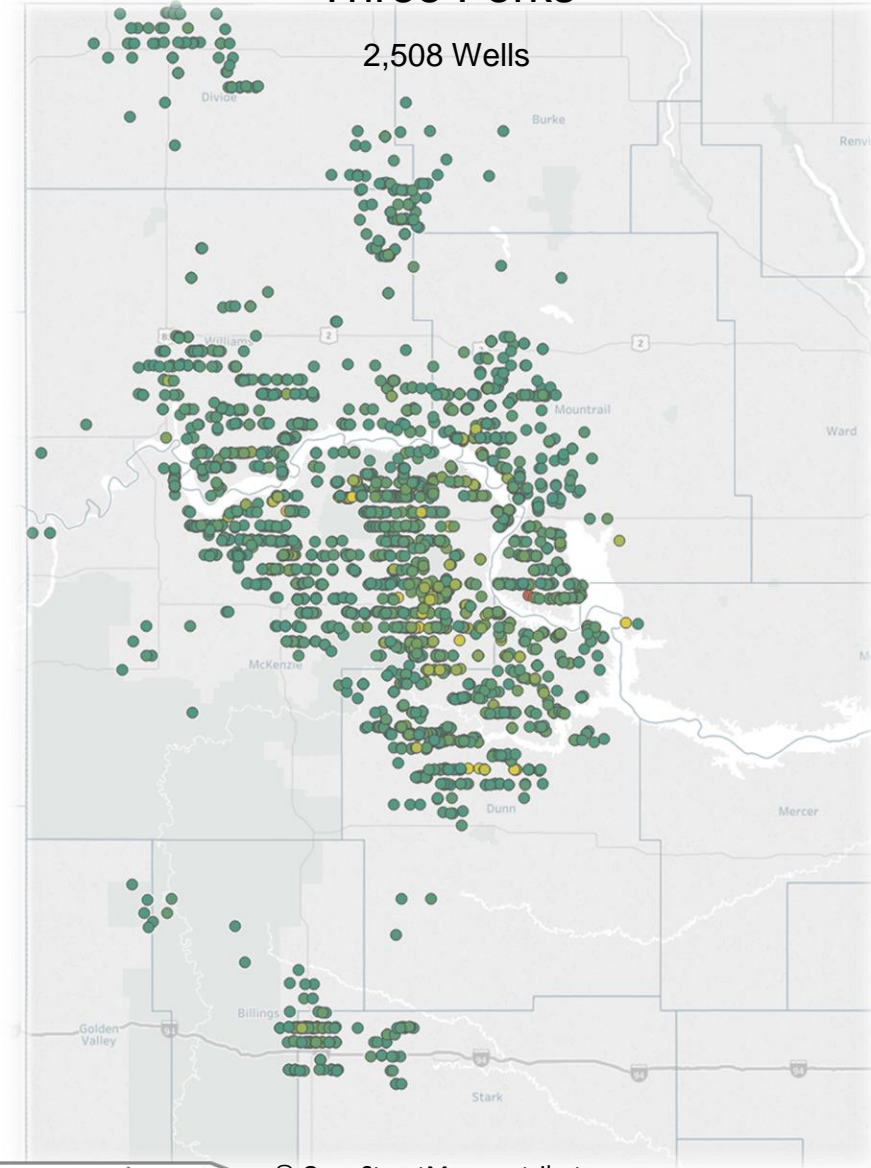
Peak Month Well Production, BOPD



Peak Month Minimum - 400 BOPD

Three Forks

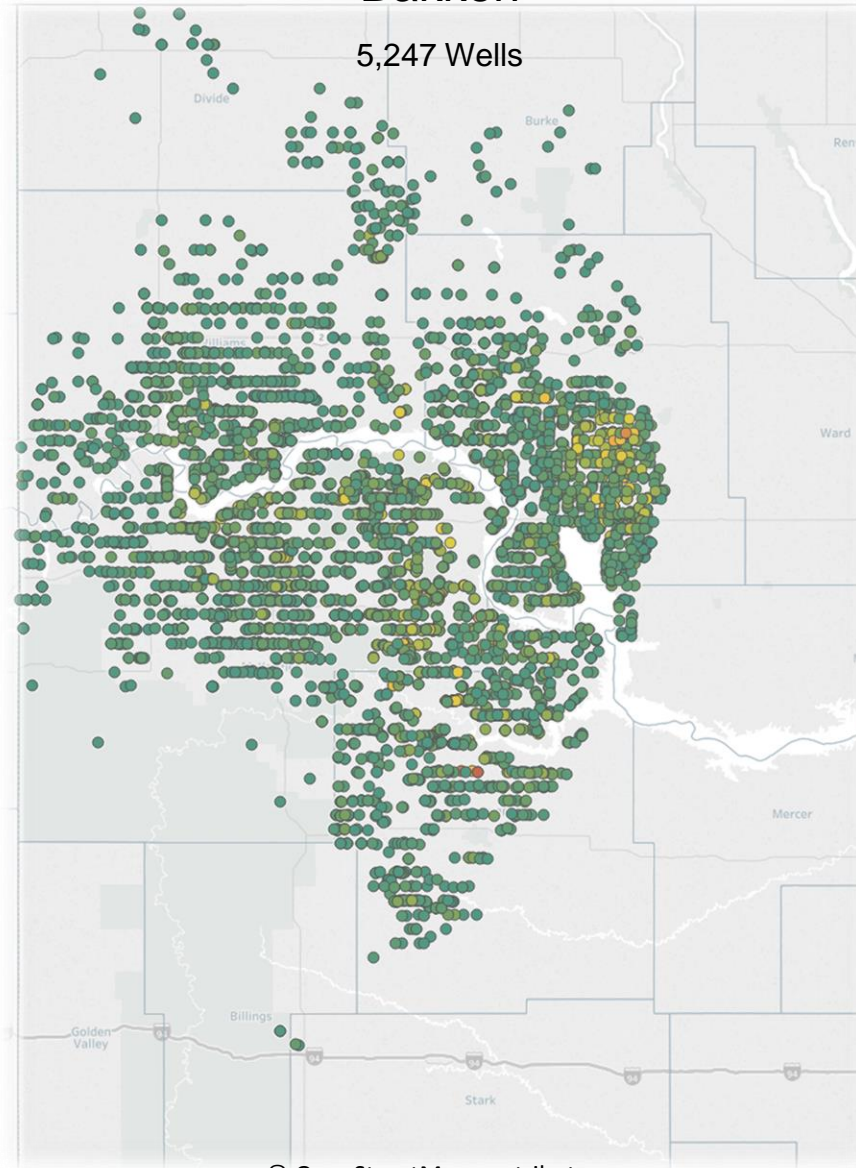
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Bakken

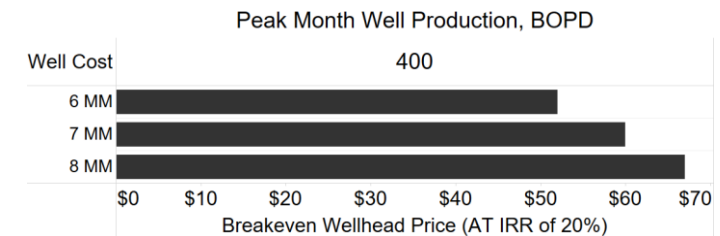
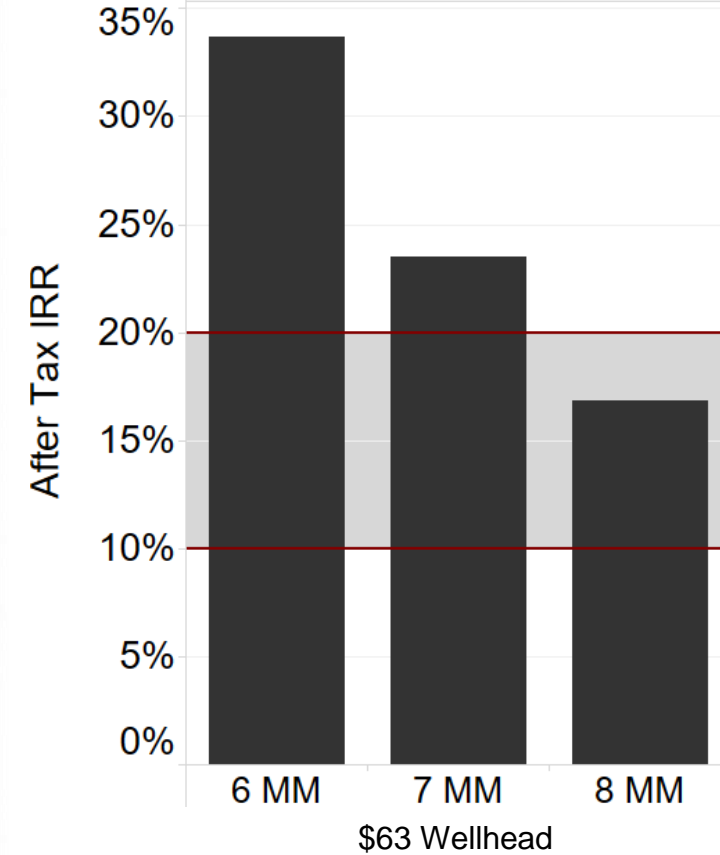
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Peak Month BOPD / Well Cost

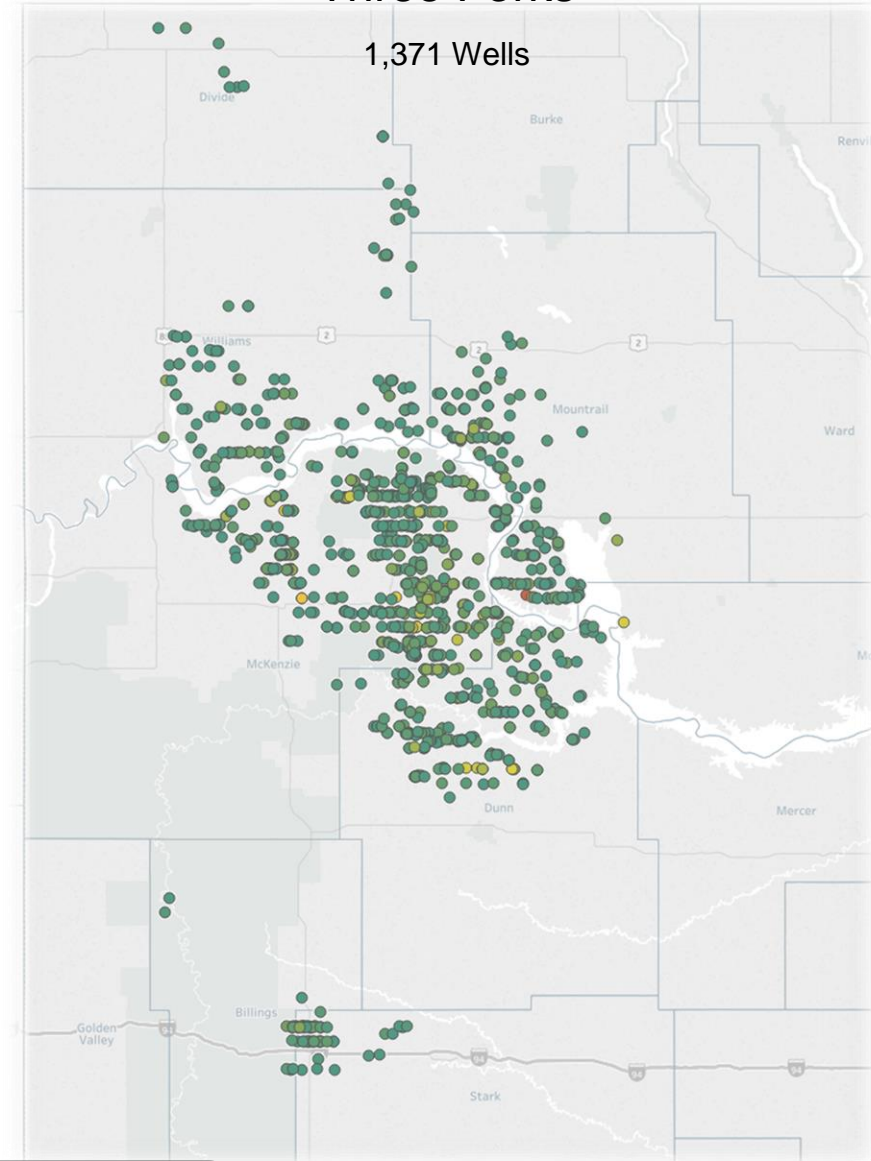
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Peak Month Minimum - 600 BOPD

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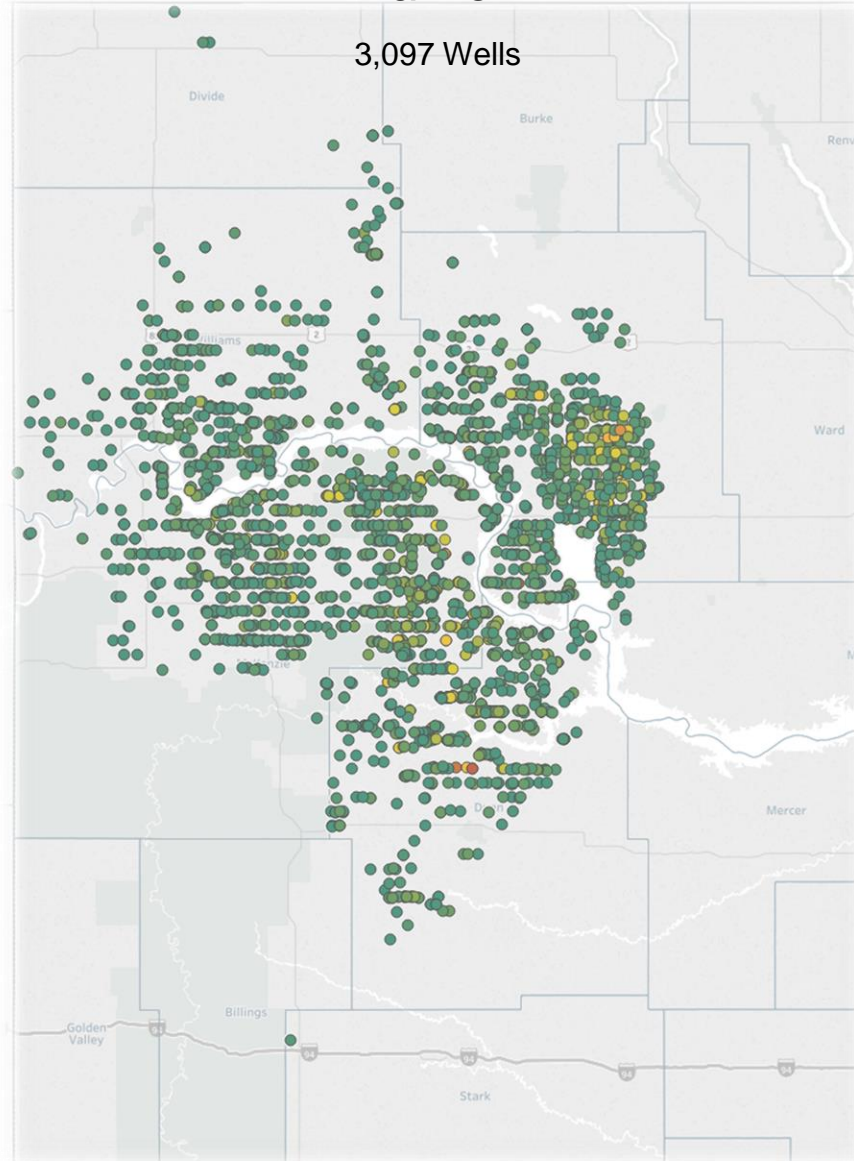
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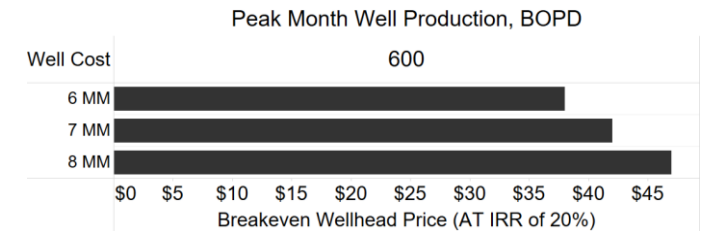
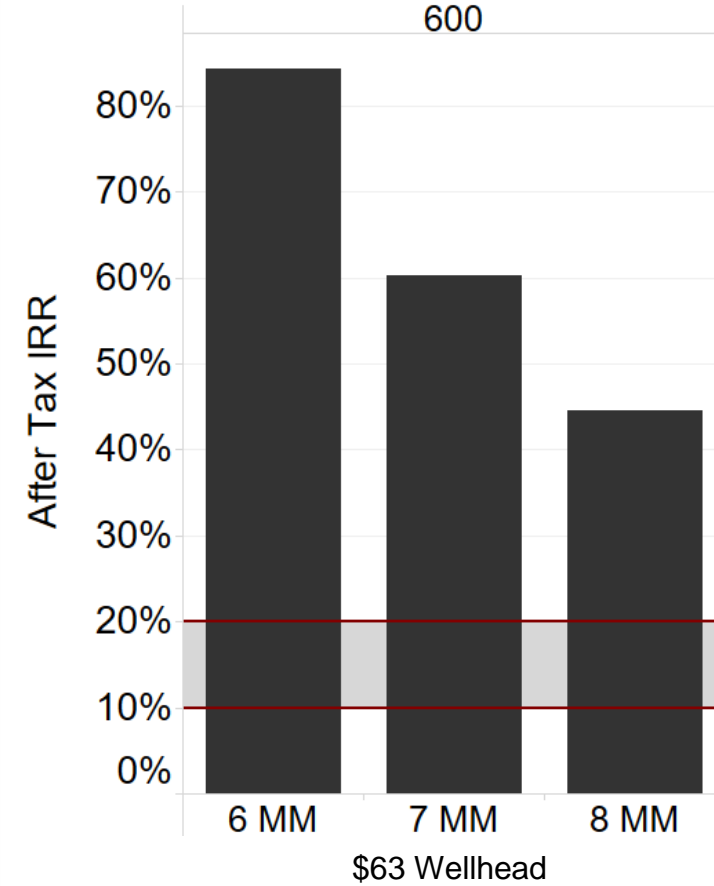
Bakken

3,097 Wells



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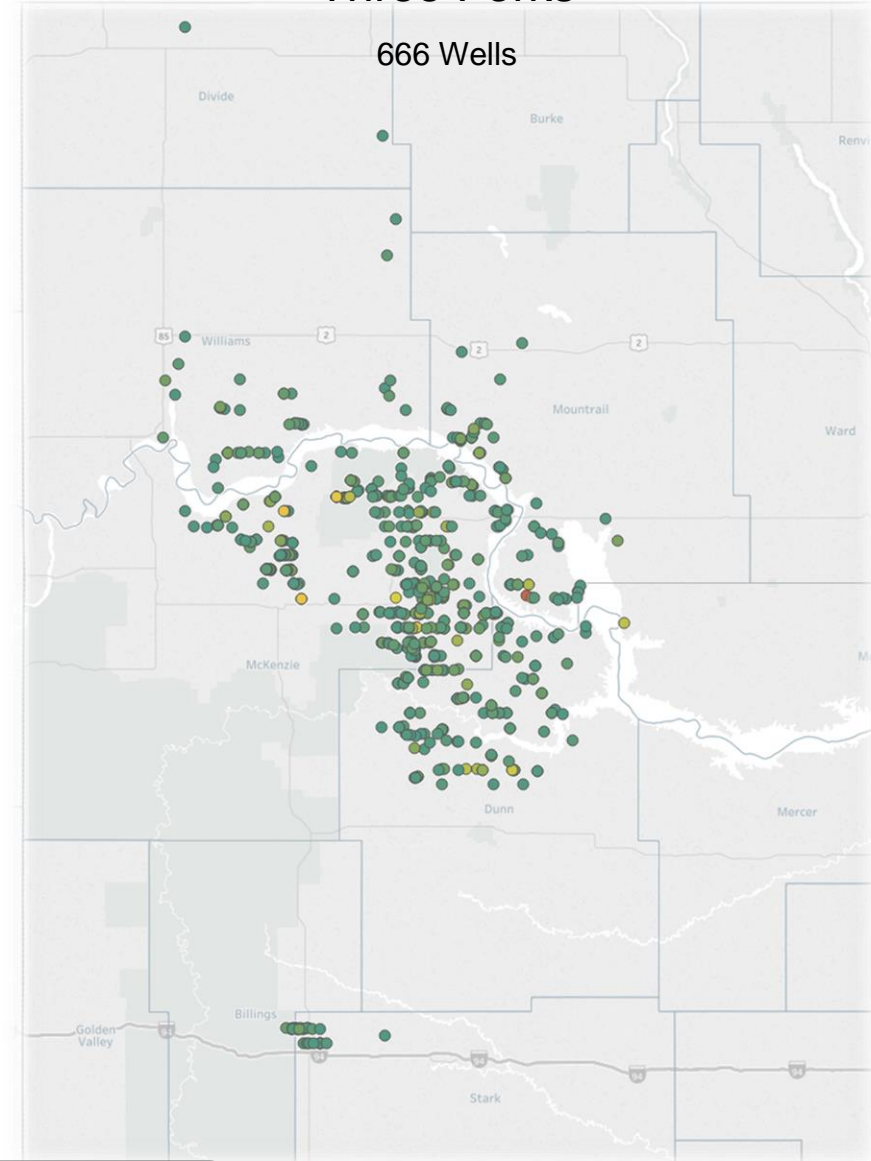
Peak Month BOPD / Well Cost



Peak Month Minimum - 800 BOPD

Three Forks

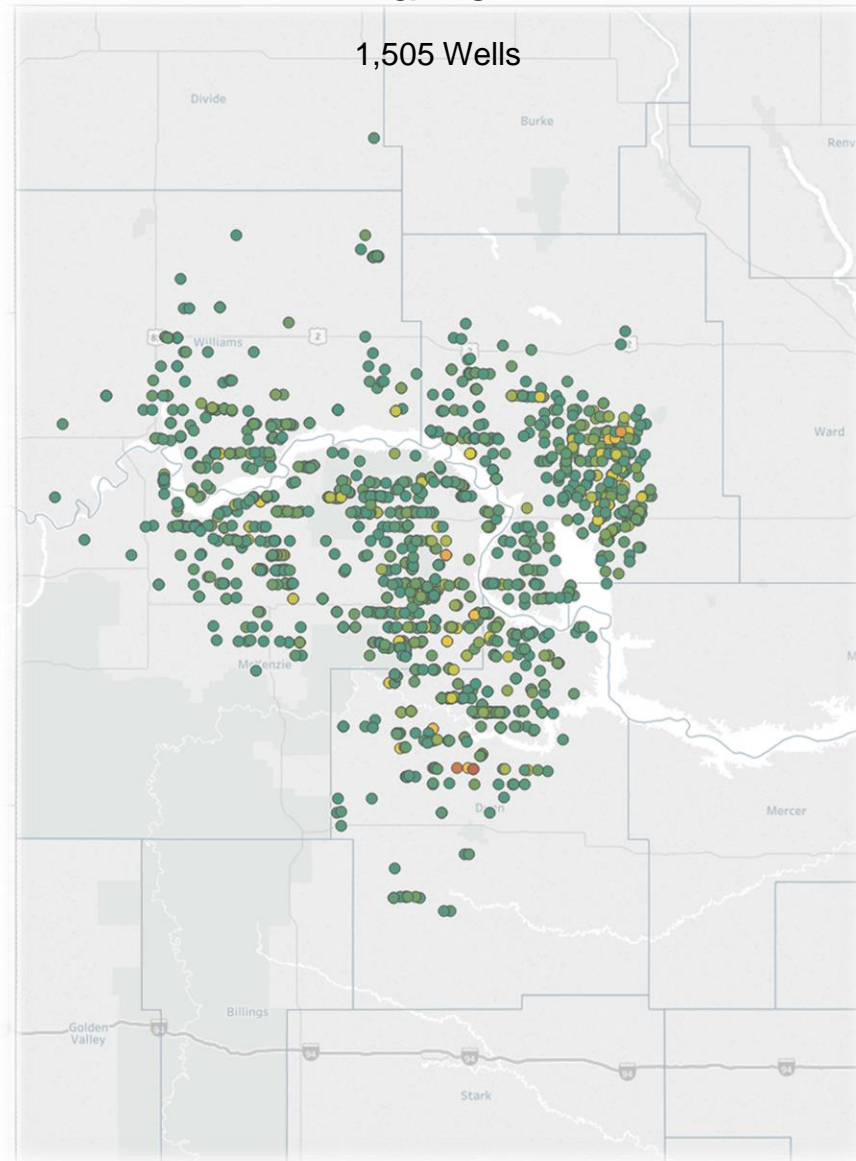
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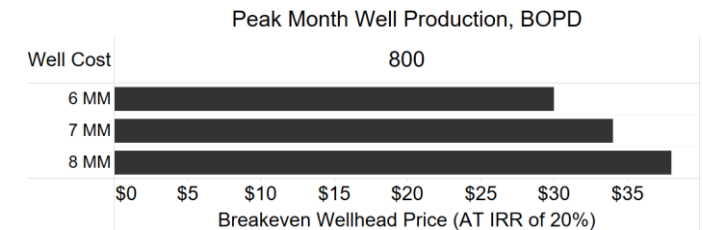
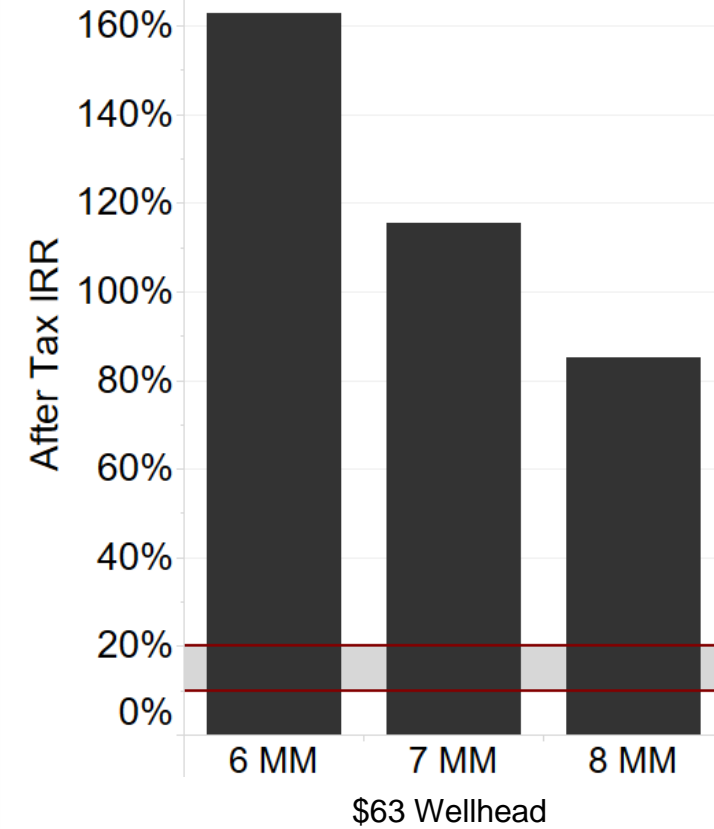
Bakken

1,505 Wells



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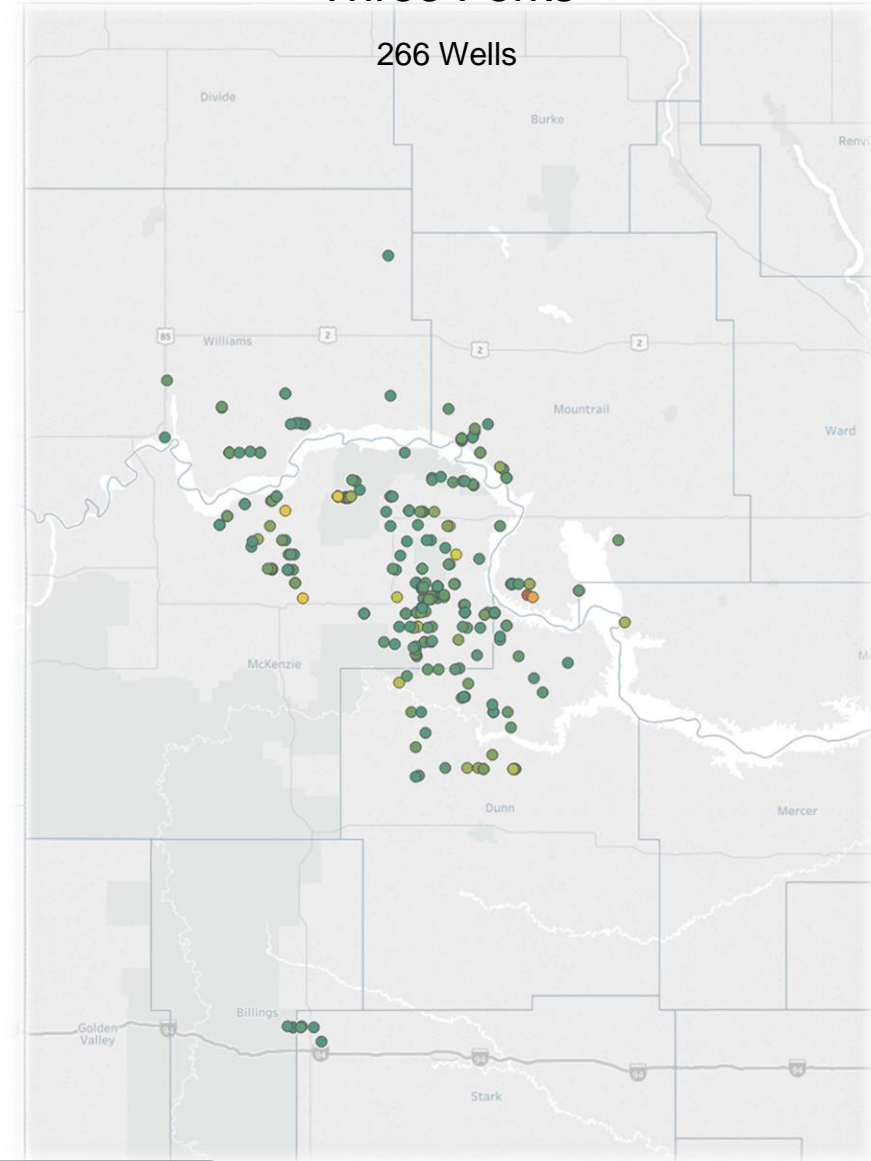
Peak Month BOPD / Well Cost



Peak Month Minimum – 1,000 BOPD

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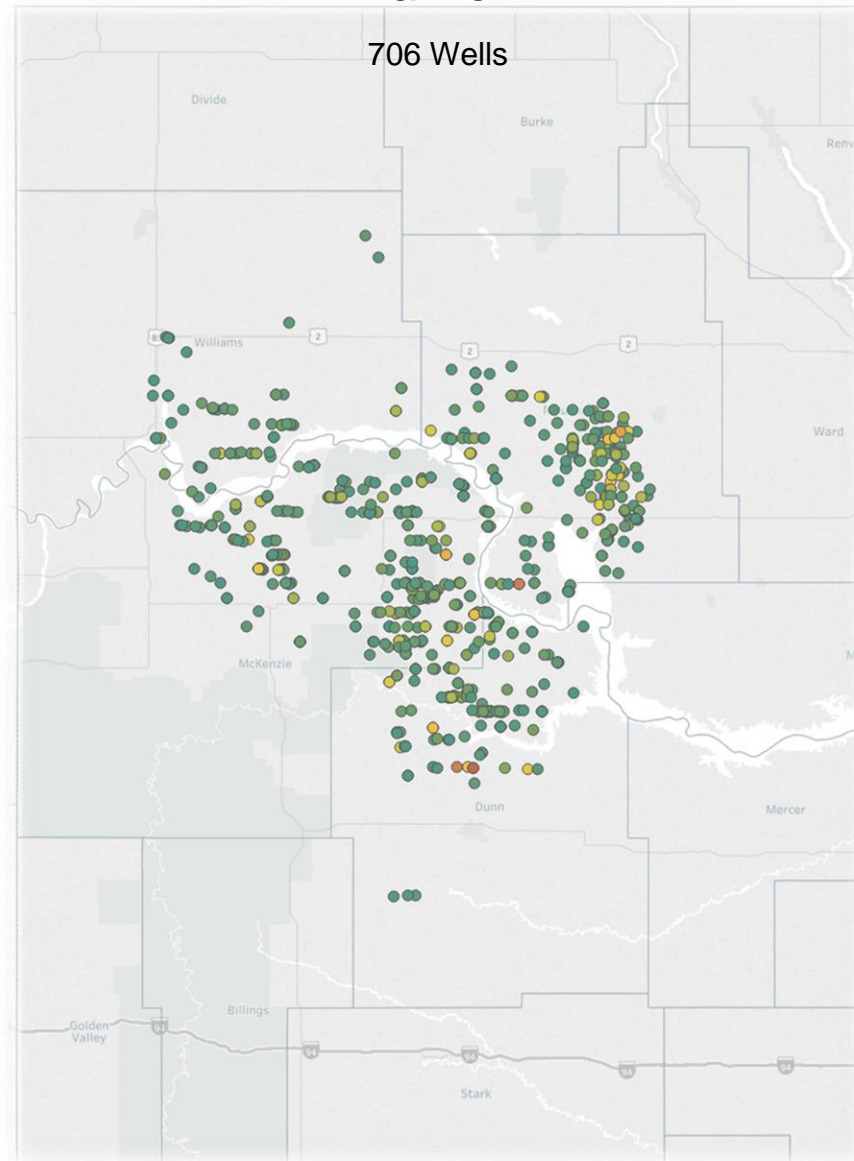
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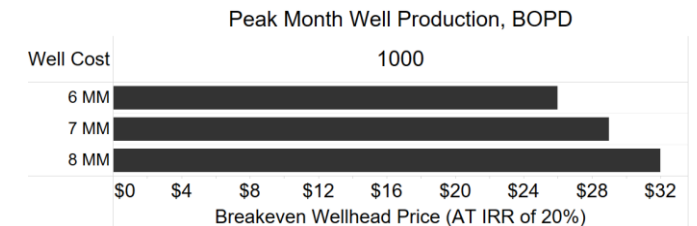
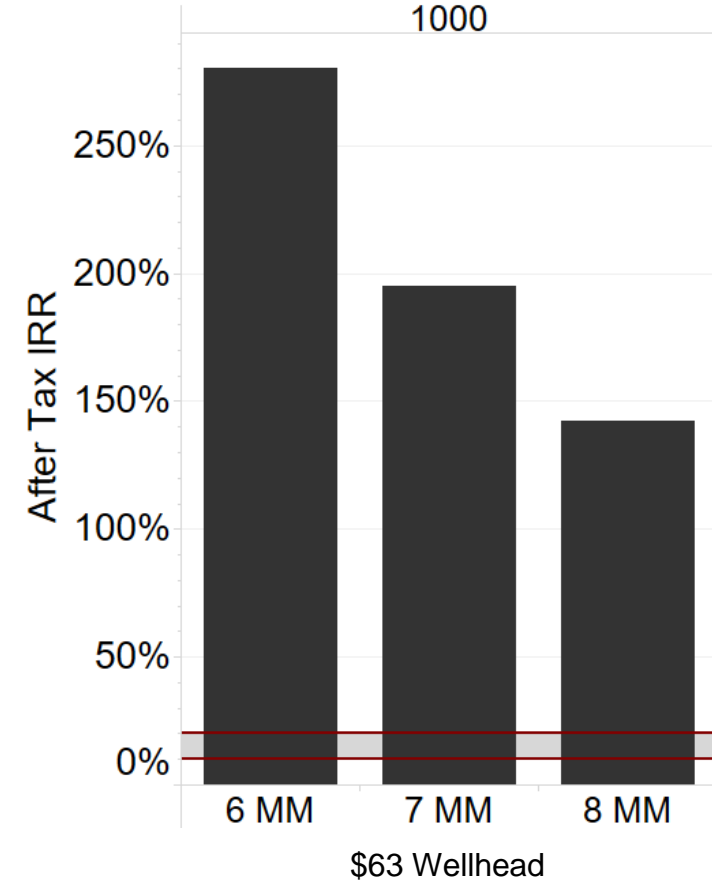
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706 Wells



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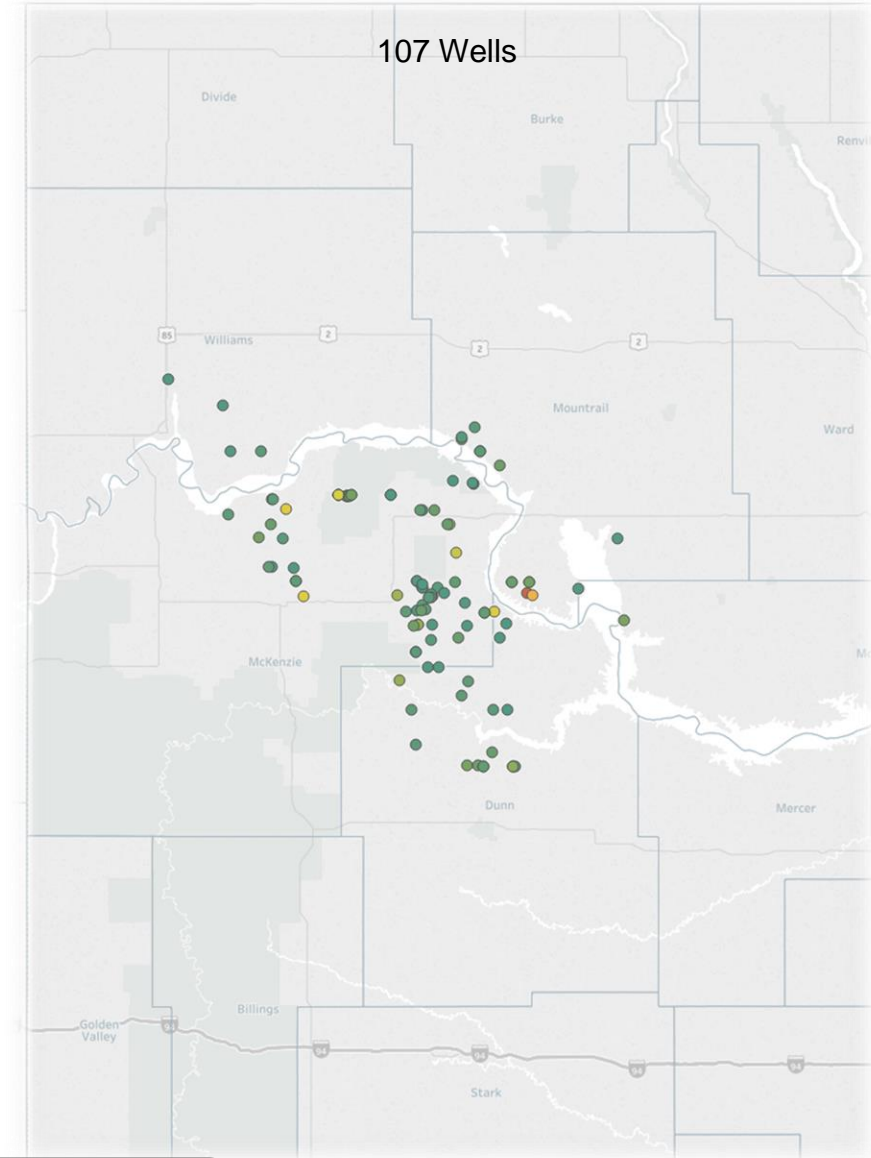
Peak Month BOPD / Well Cost



Peak Month Minimum – 1,250 BOPD

Three Forks

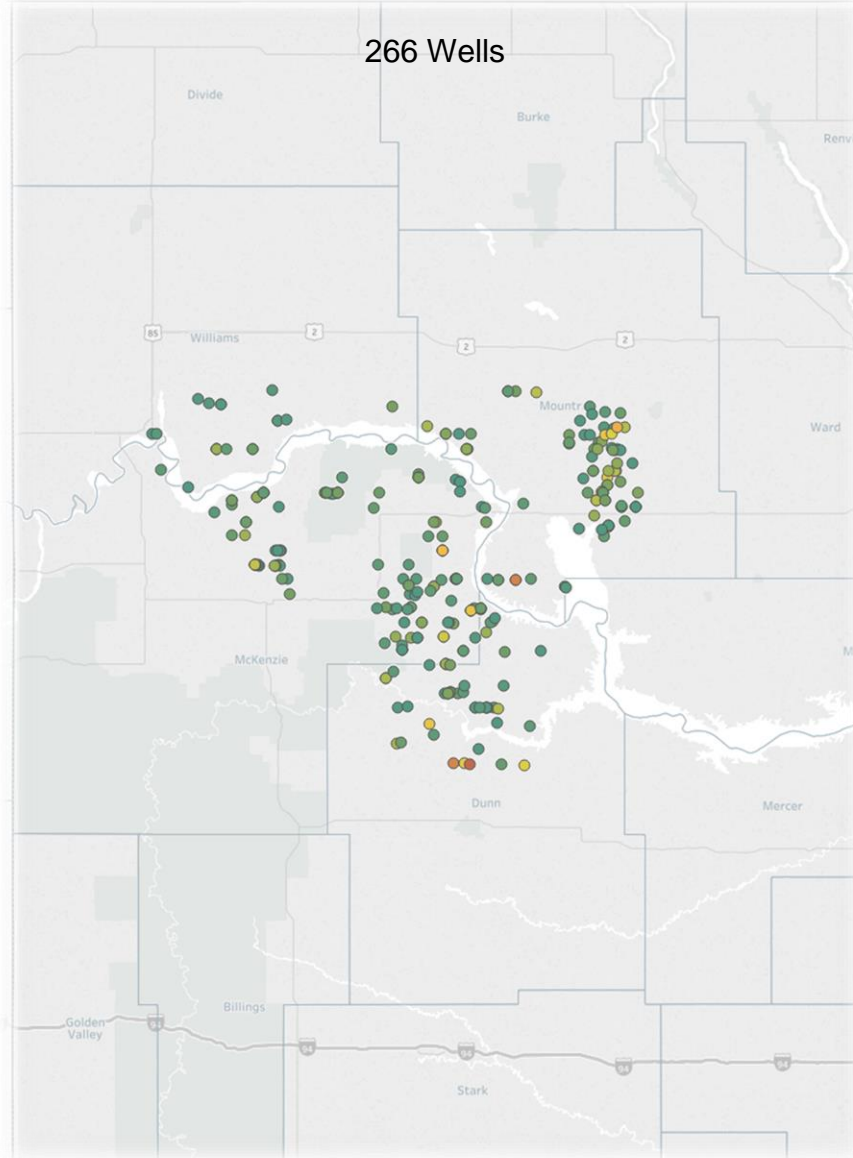
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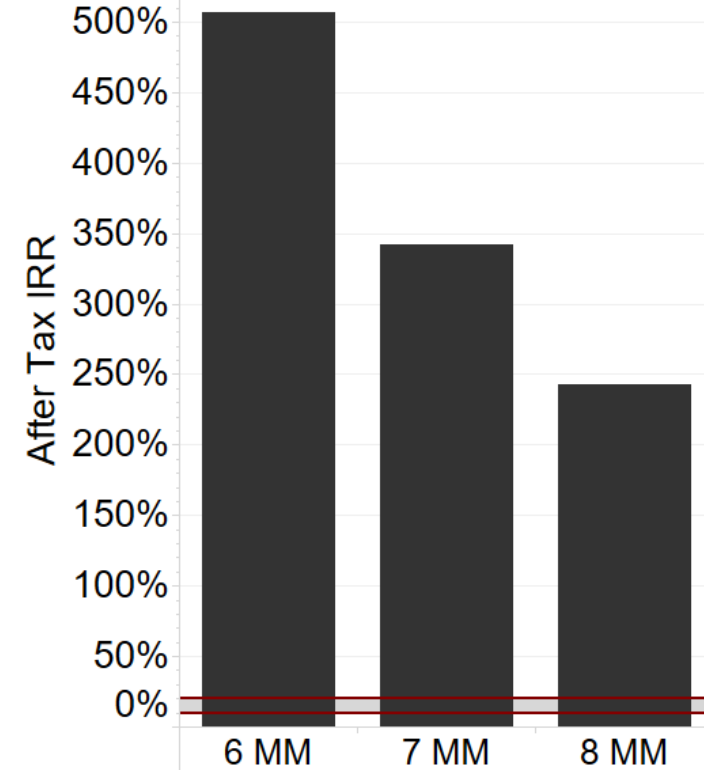
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Peak Month BOPD / Well Cost

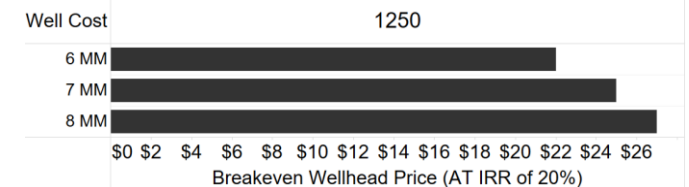
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\$63 Wellhead

Peak Month Well Production, BOPD

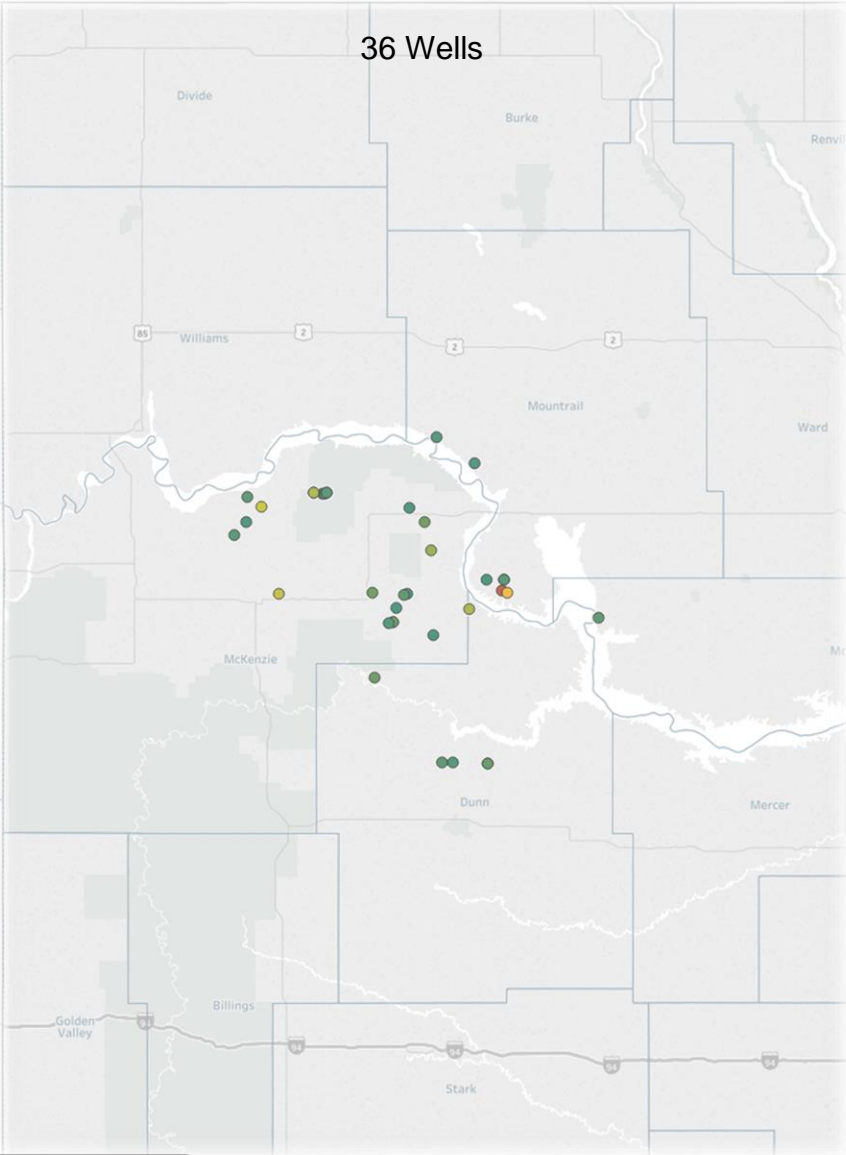
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Peak Month Minimum – 1,500 BOPD

Three Forks

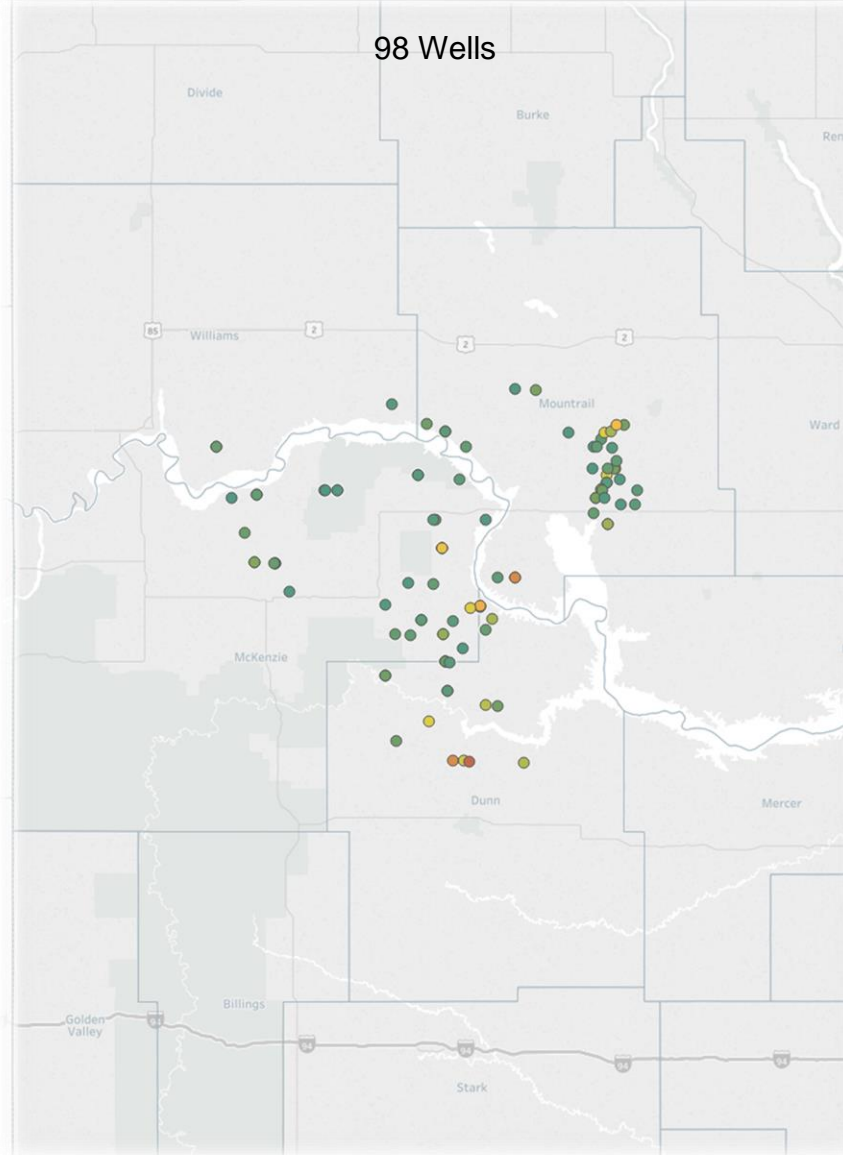
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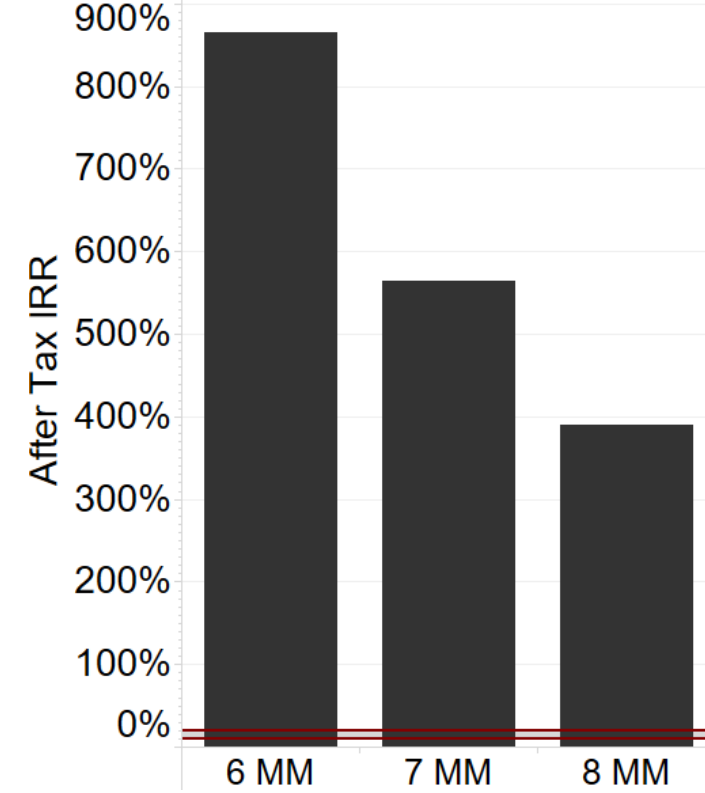
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Peak Month BOPD / Well Cost

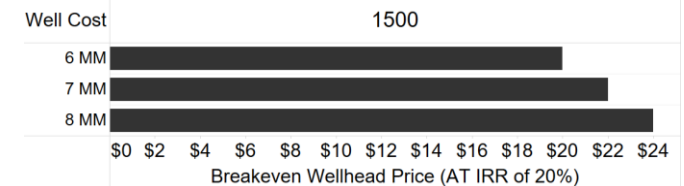
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\$63 Wellhead

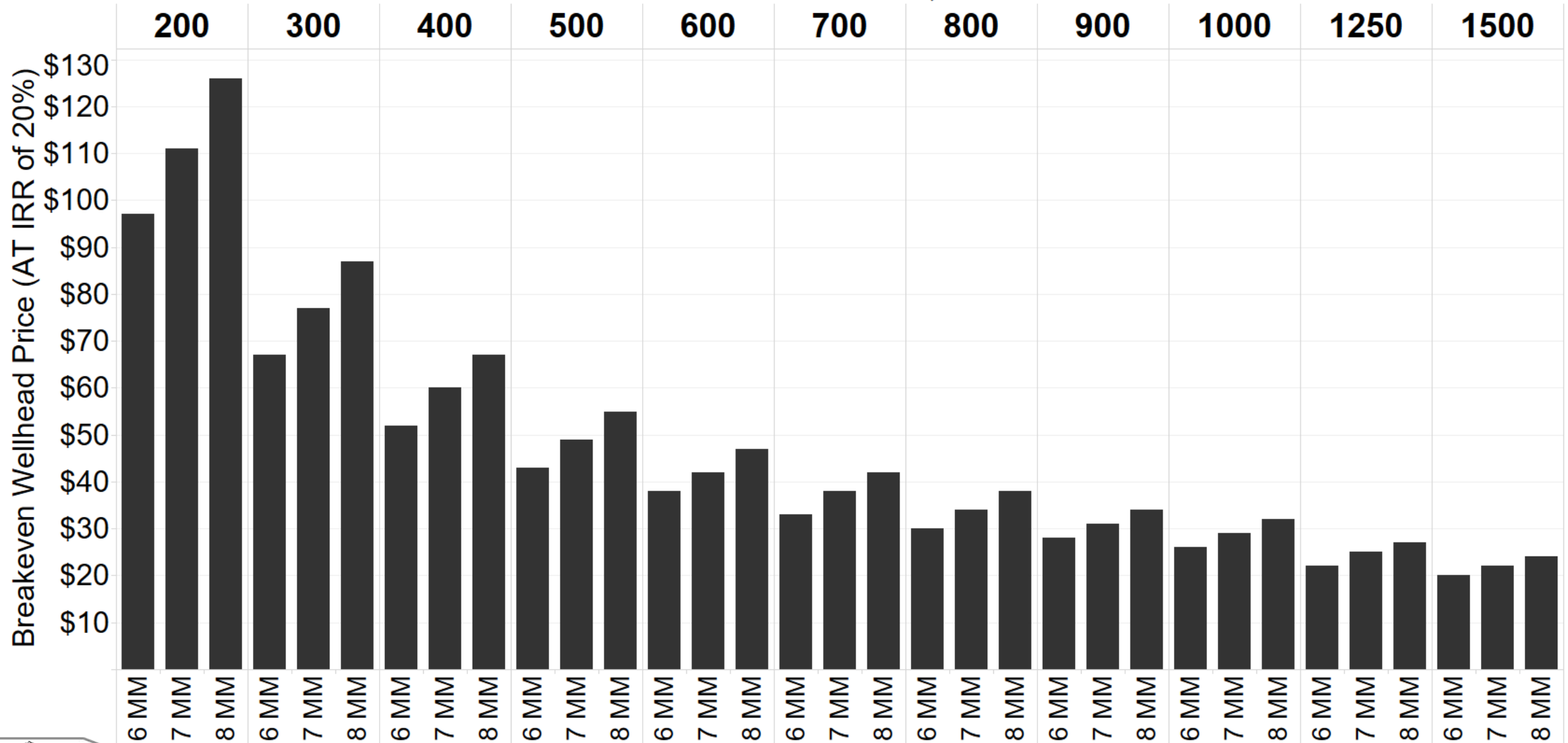
Peak Month Well Production, BOPD

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Breakeven Summary

Peak Month Well Production, BOPD / Well Cost



Understanding North Dakota's Bakken/Three Forks Potential*

**Version 1.1*

Updates & Modifications to Follow

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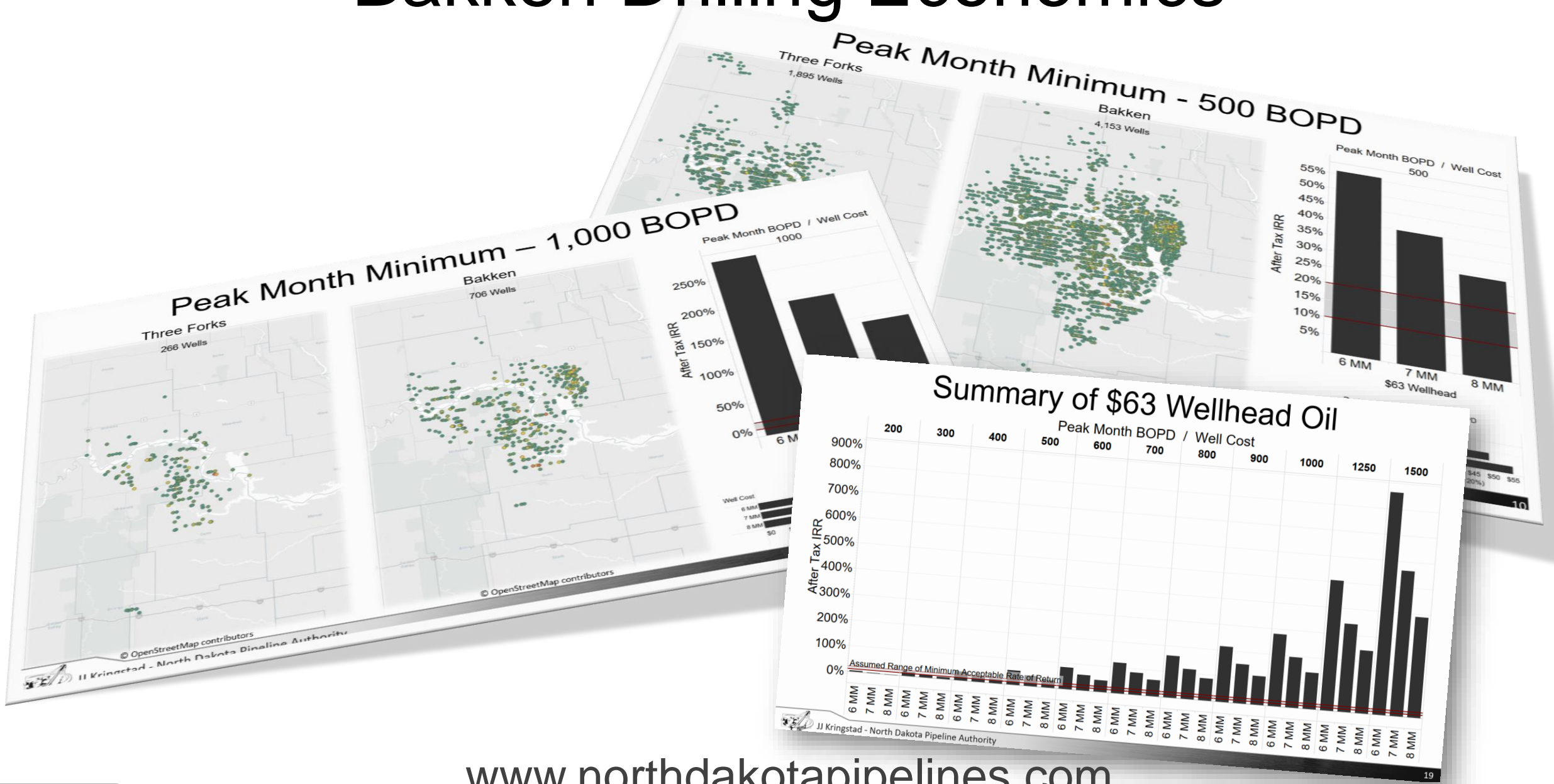


Key Assumptions & Considerations

- Two mile production zone buffers are set by an individual well's "peak month minimum" performance. Not all existing wells within a production zone have performed at the zone's "peak month minimum" for a variety of reasons.
- High degree of uncertainty surrounding the future development patterns of the middle and lower Three Forks "Benches".
- High degree of economic uncertainty as infill development intensifies and deeper Three Forks benches are developed.
- This work will be updated as new information becomes available.



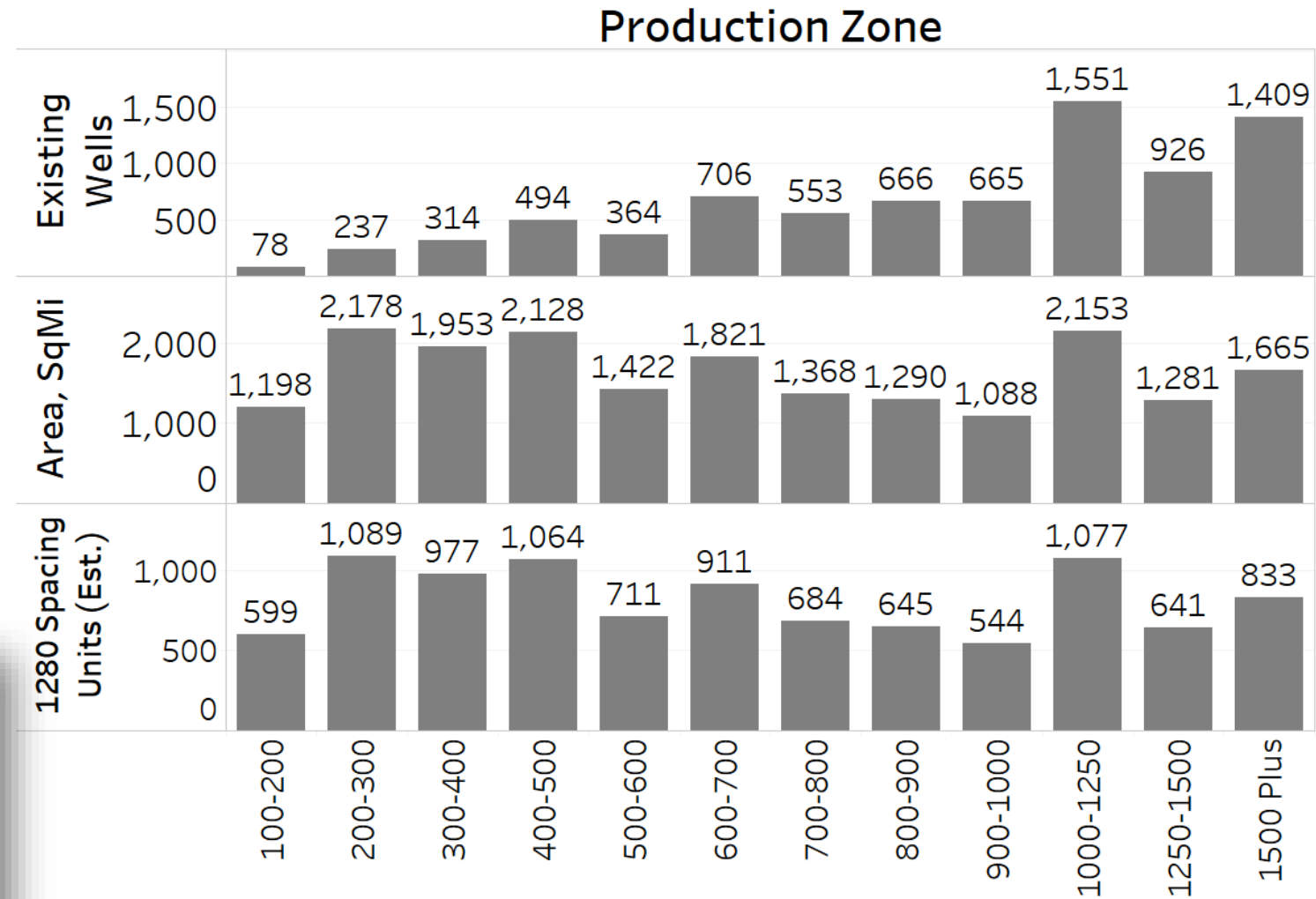
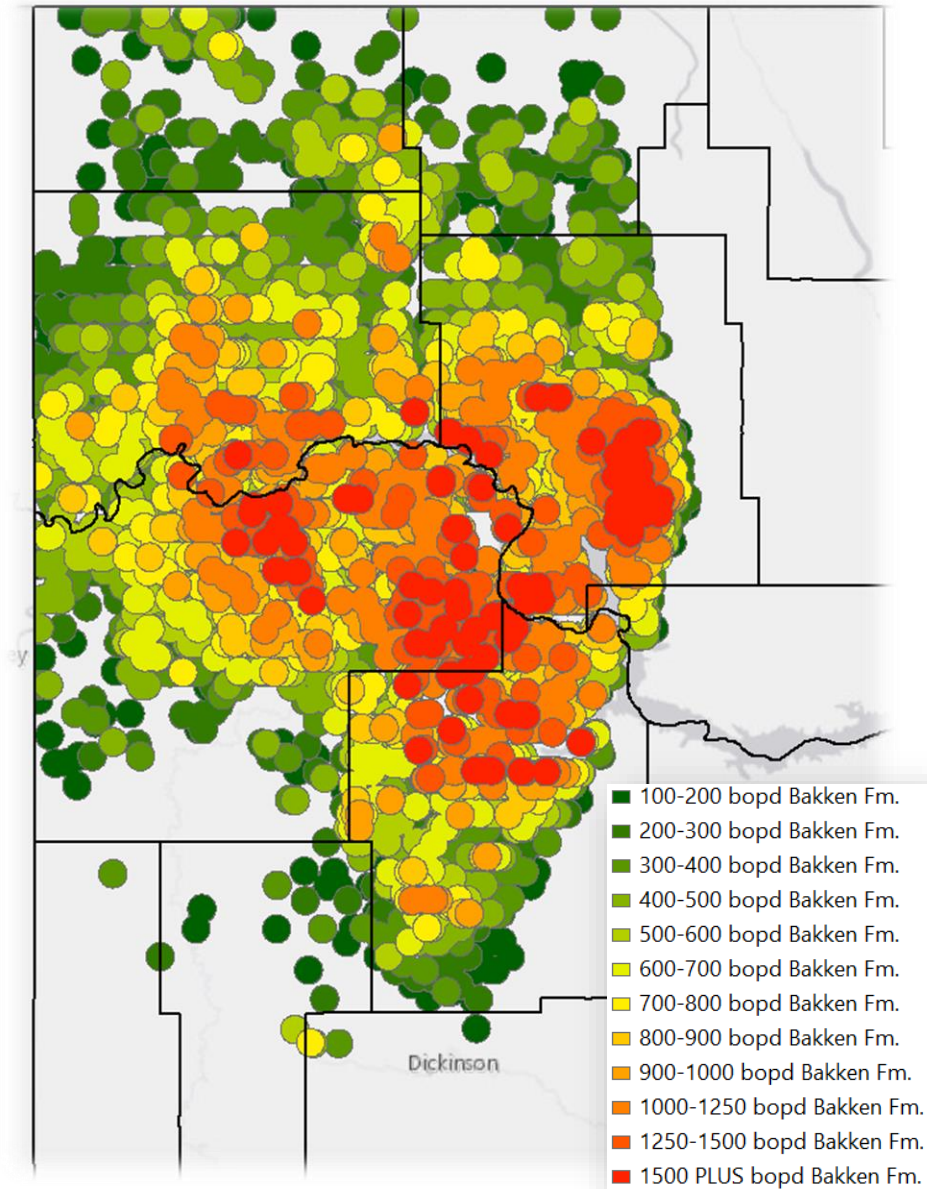
Bakken Drilling Economics



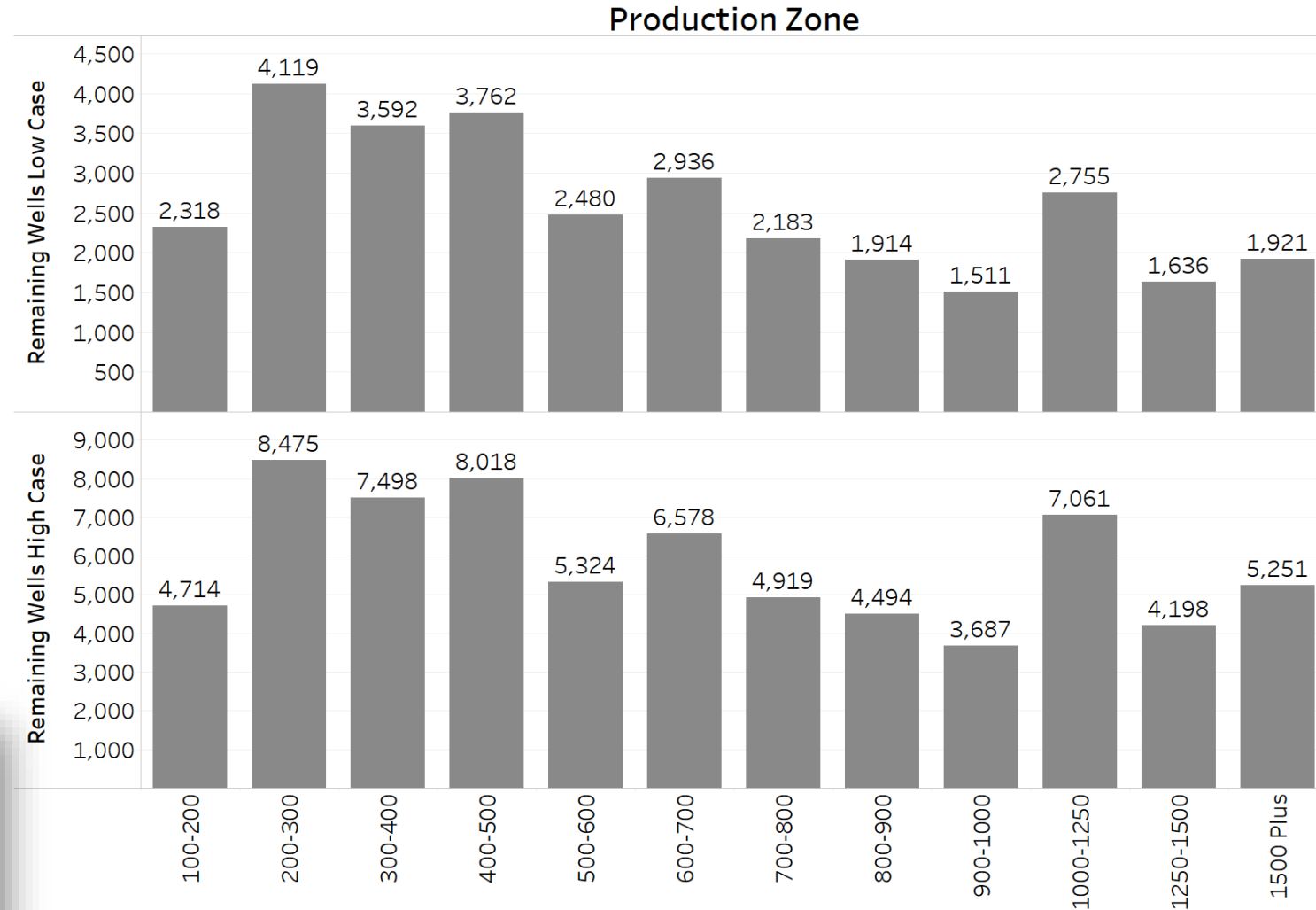
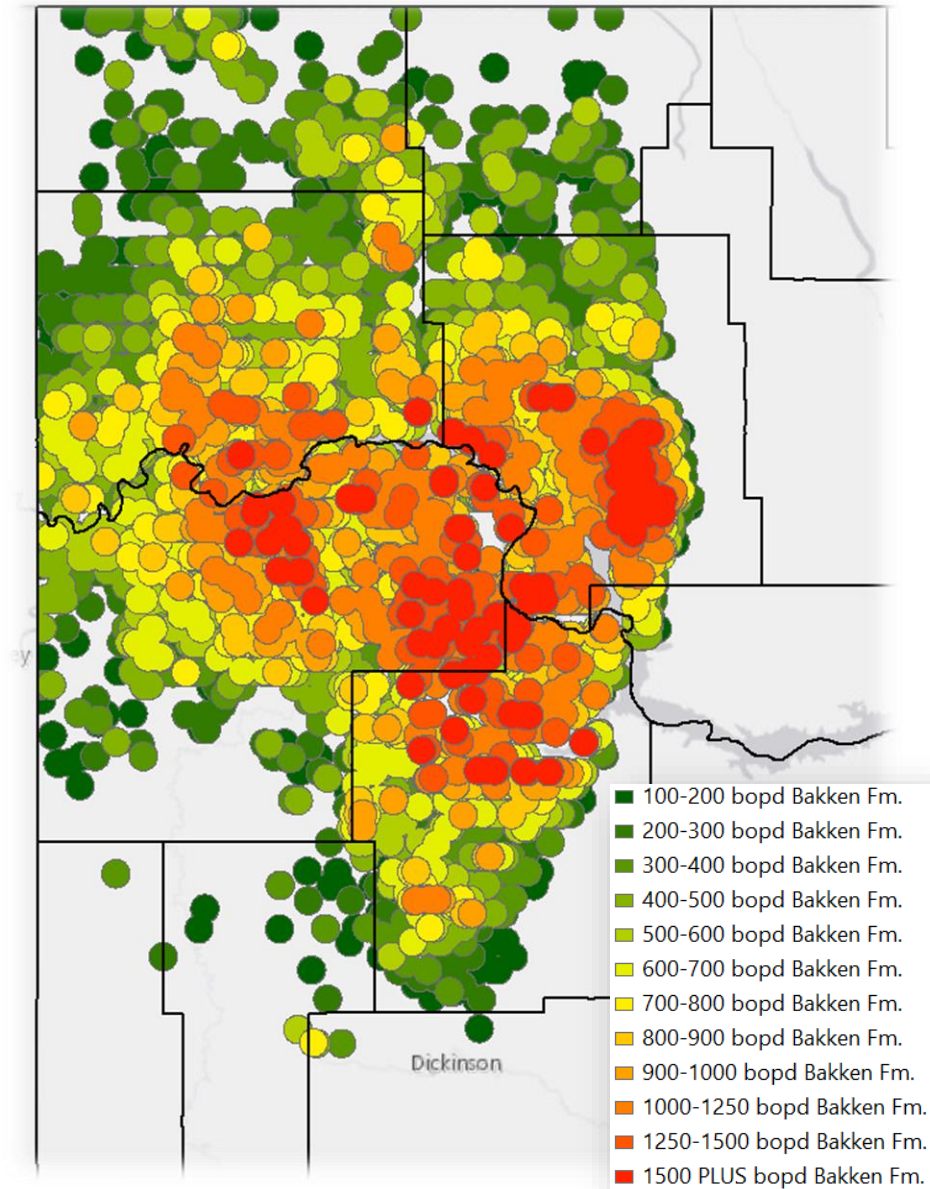
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Past Well Performance – Bakken Formation



Remaining Wells* – Bakken Formation



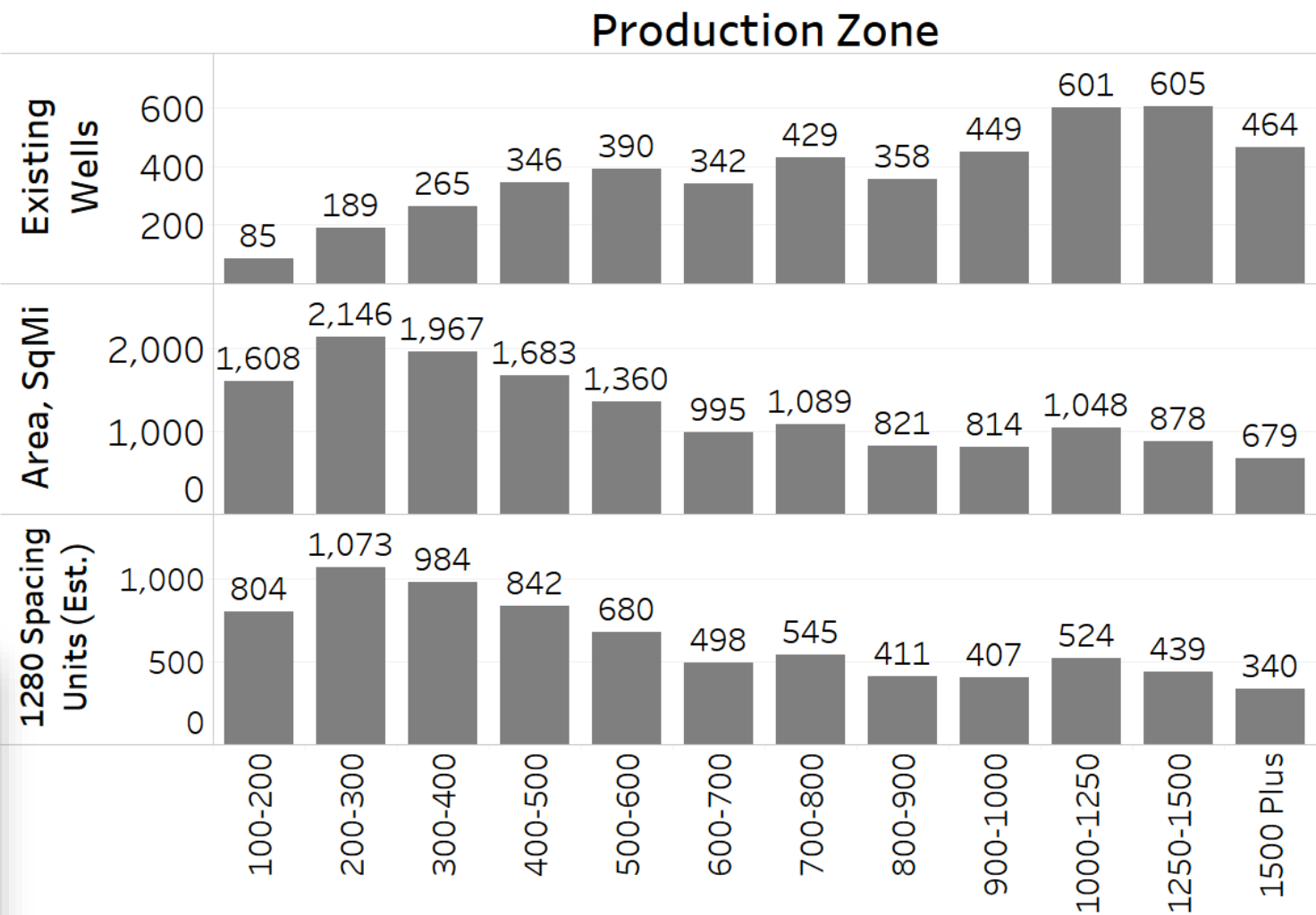
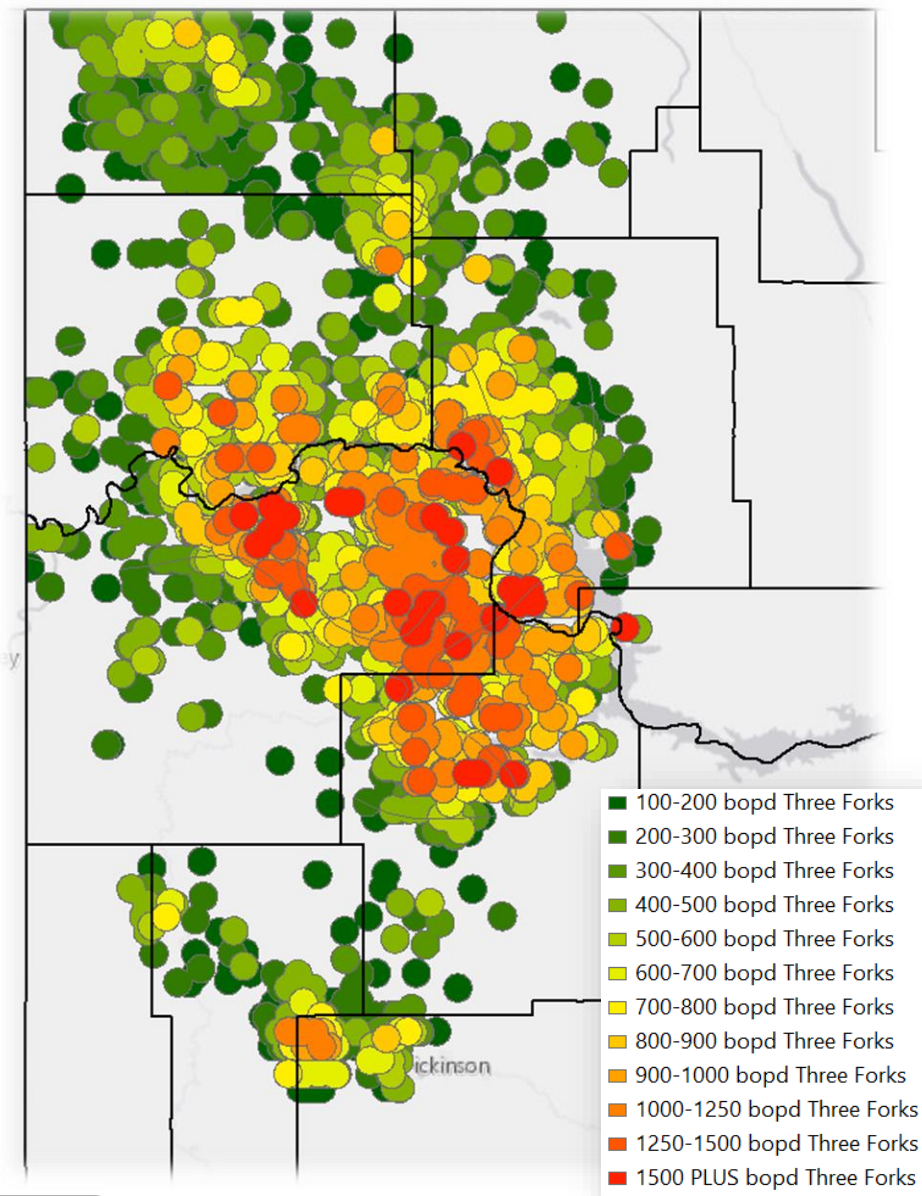
*Well Density Assumptions

Low Case = 4 Wells In Bakken Formation

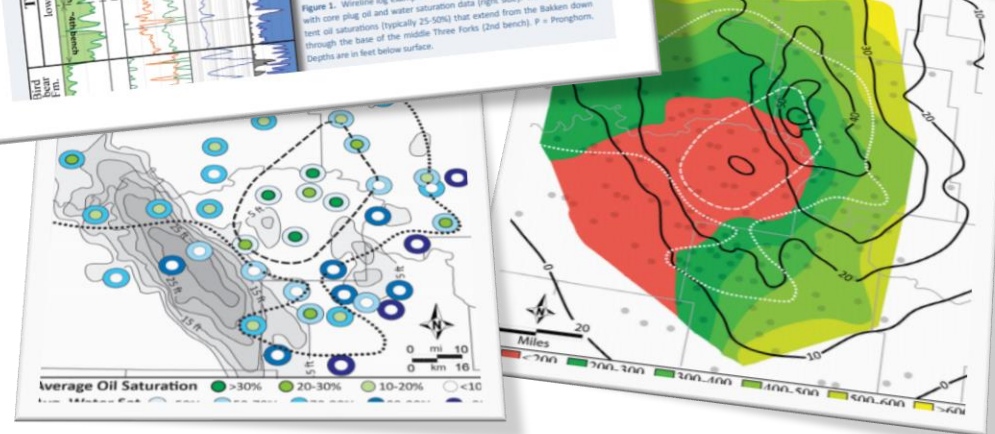
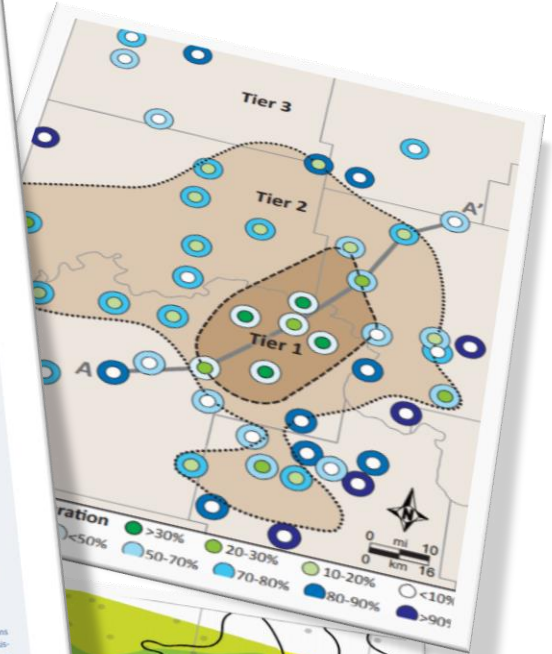
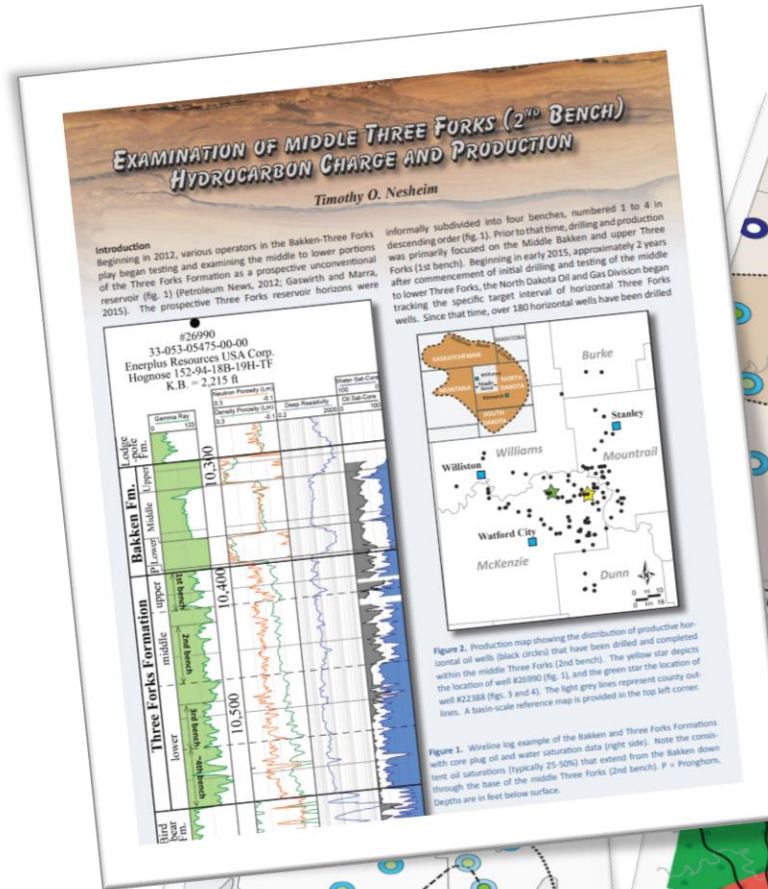
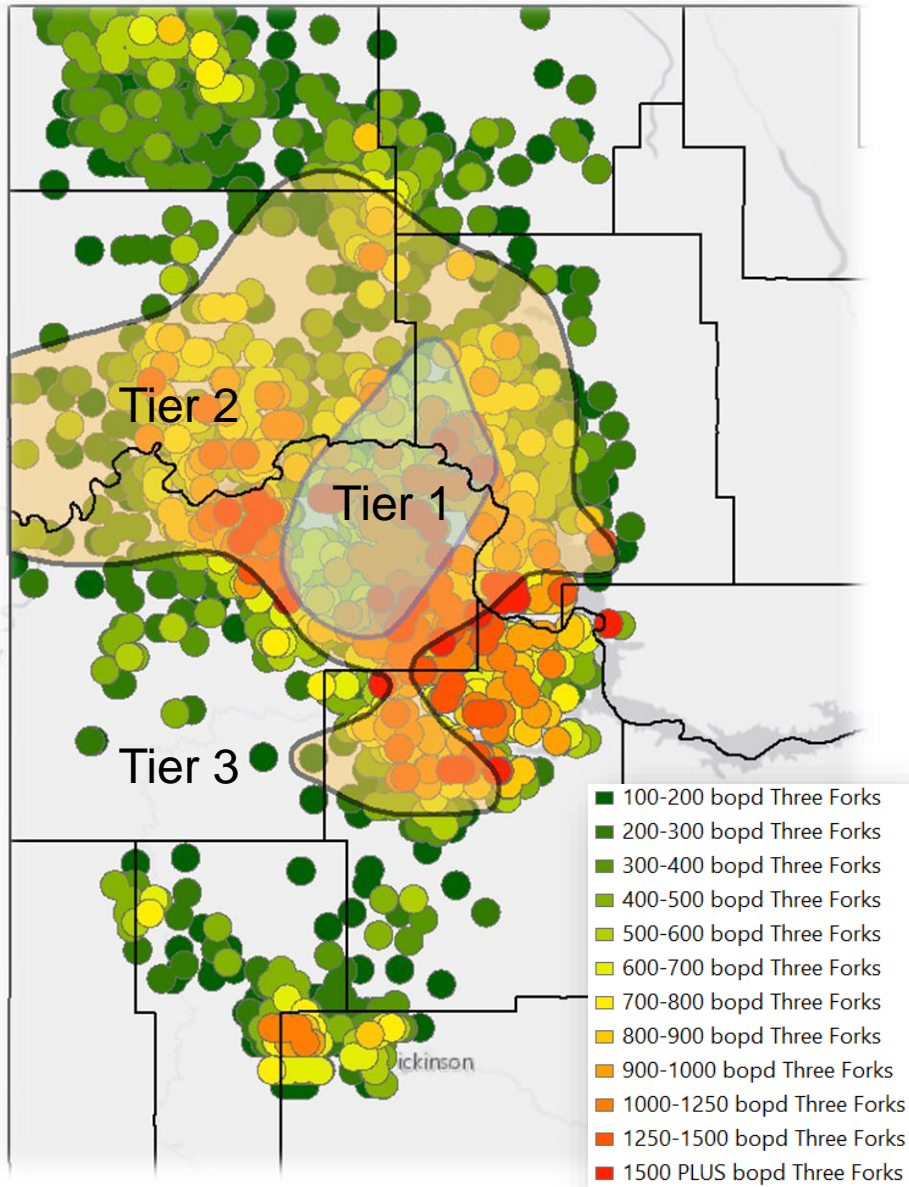
High Case = 8 Wells In Bakken Formation



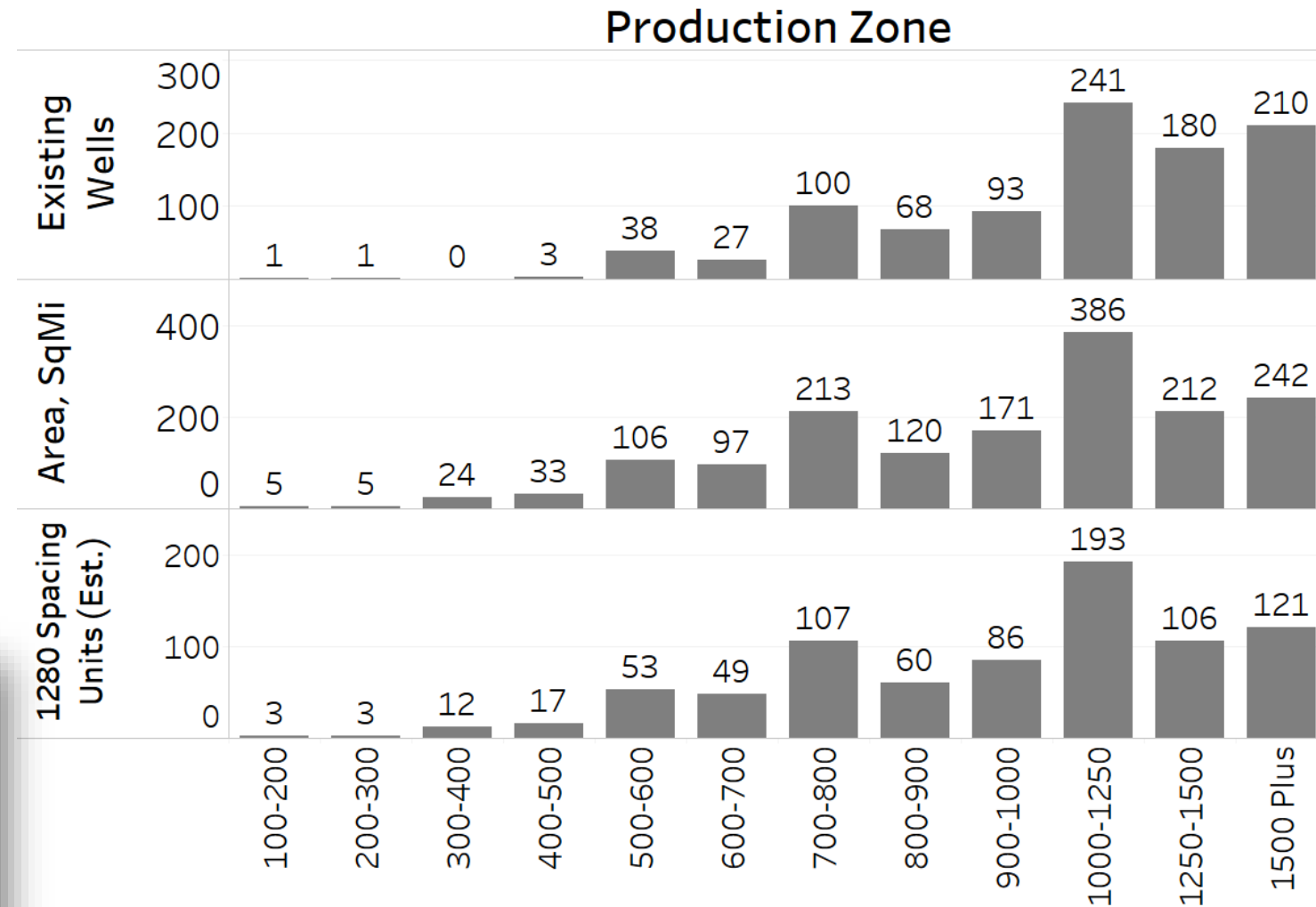
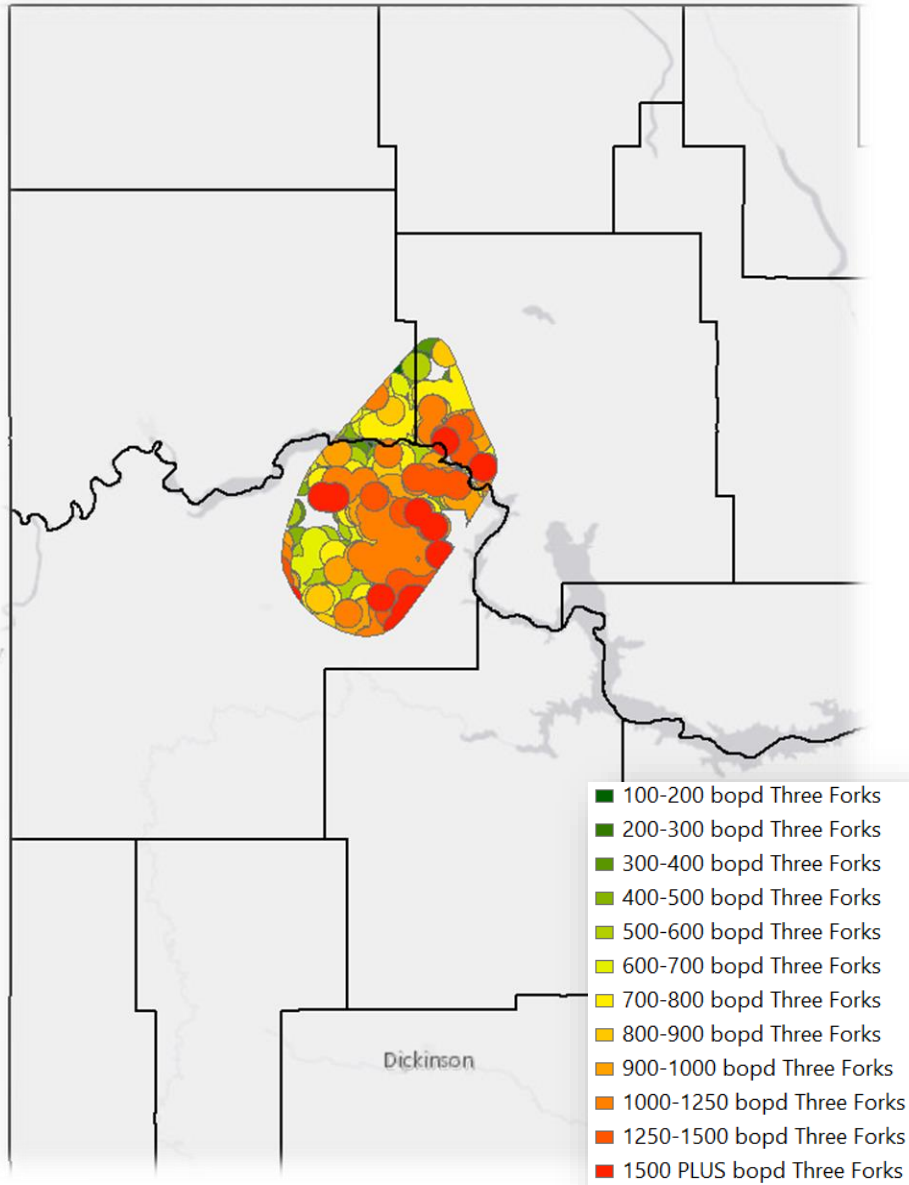
Past Well Performance – Three Forks Formation



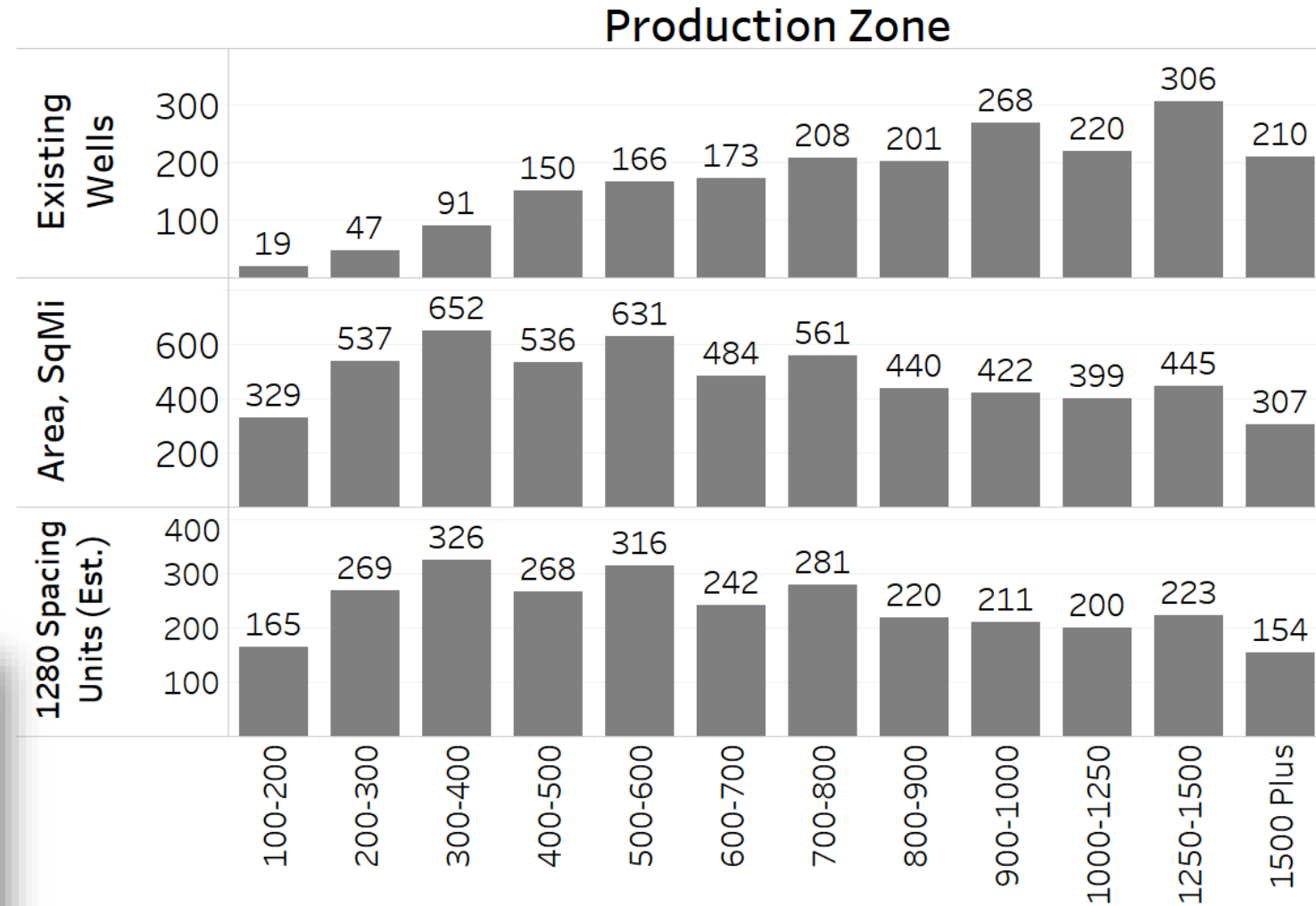
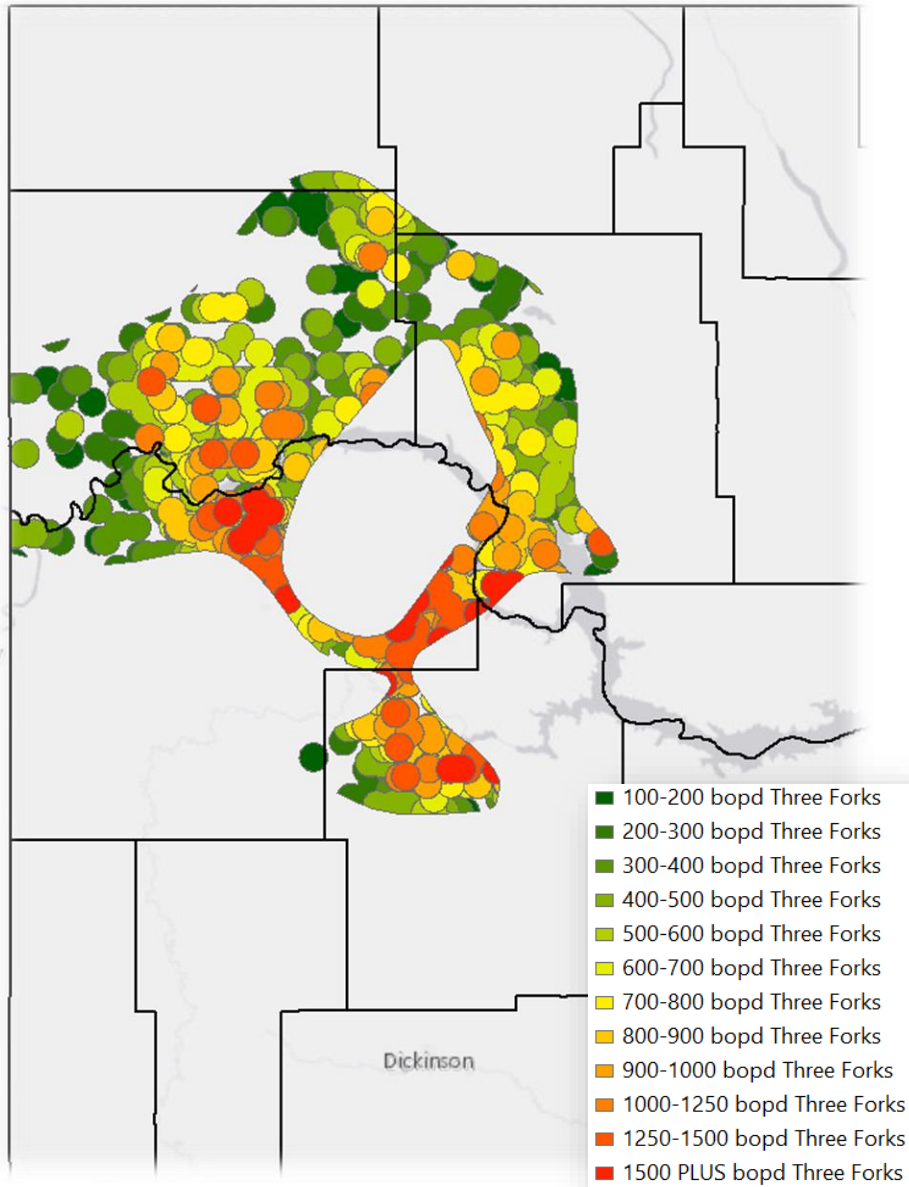
Tim Nesheim (NDGS) Three Forks Work



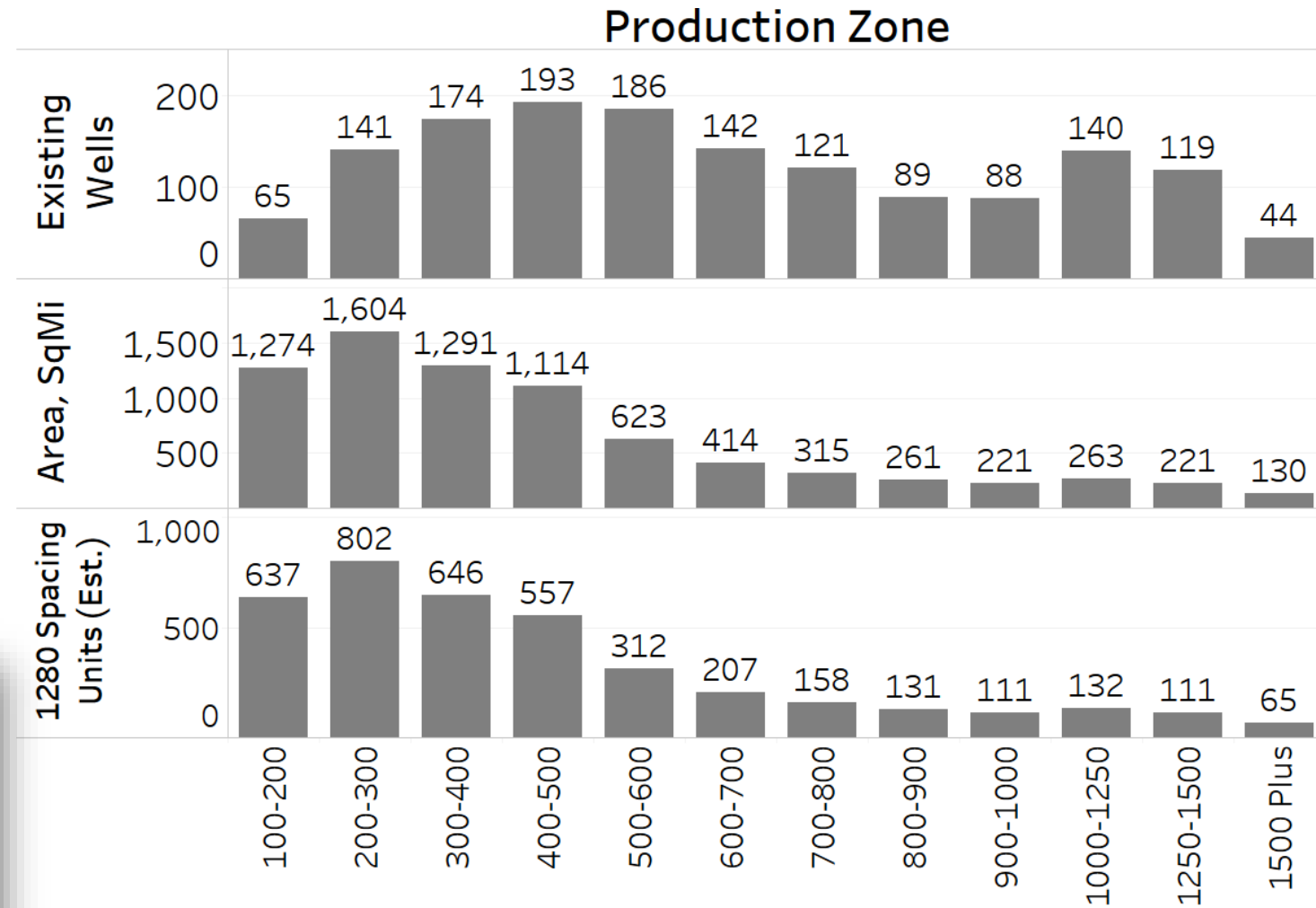
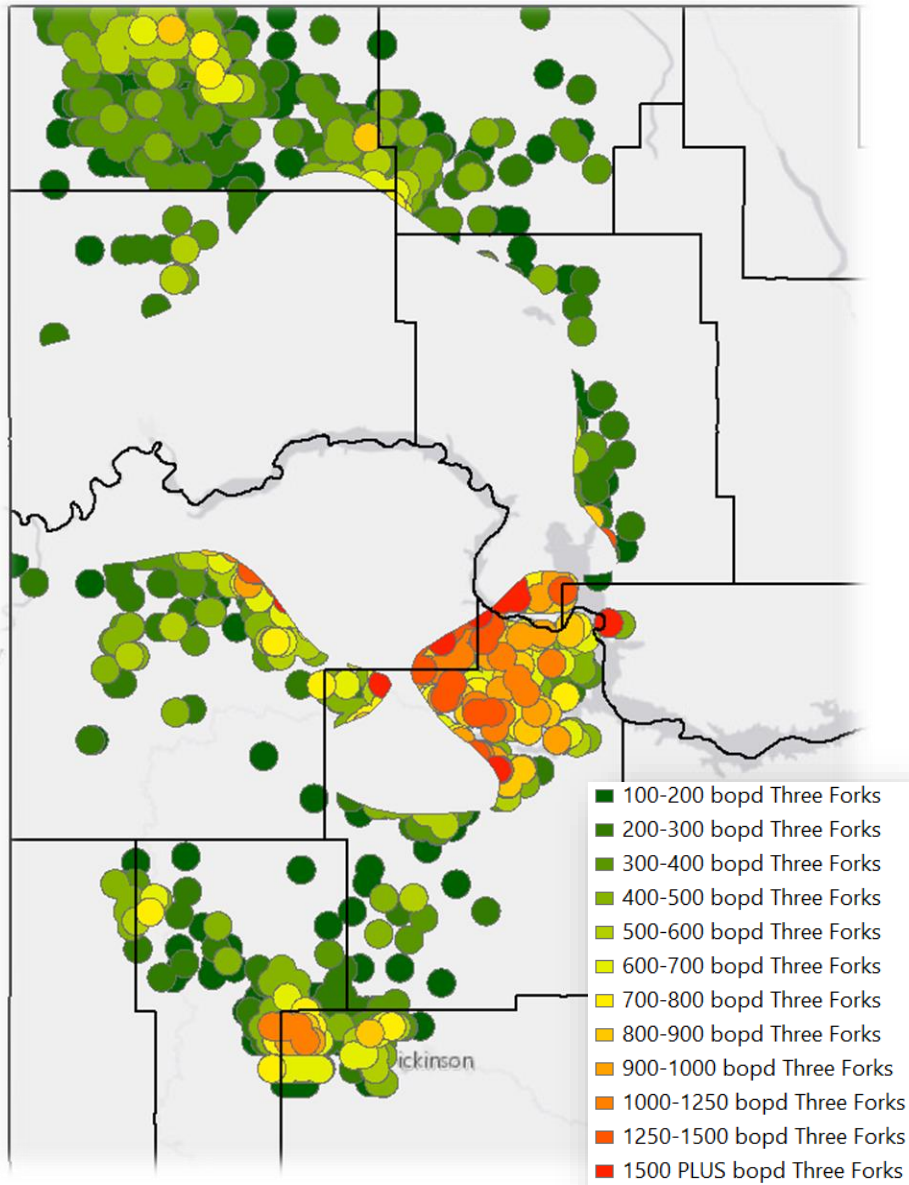
Past Well Performance – Three Forks Tier 1



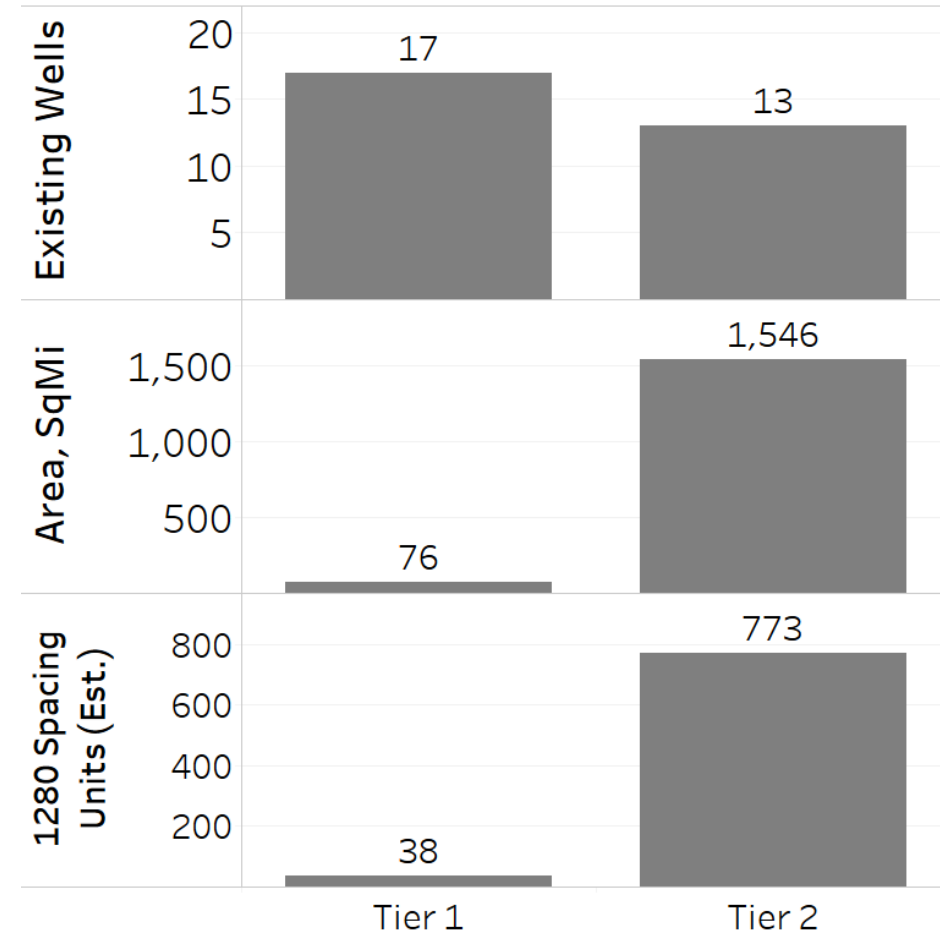
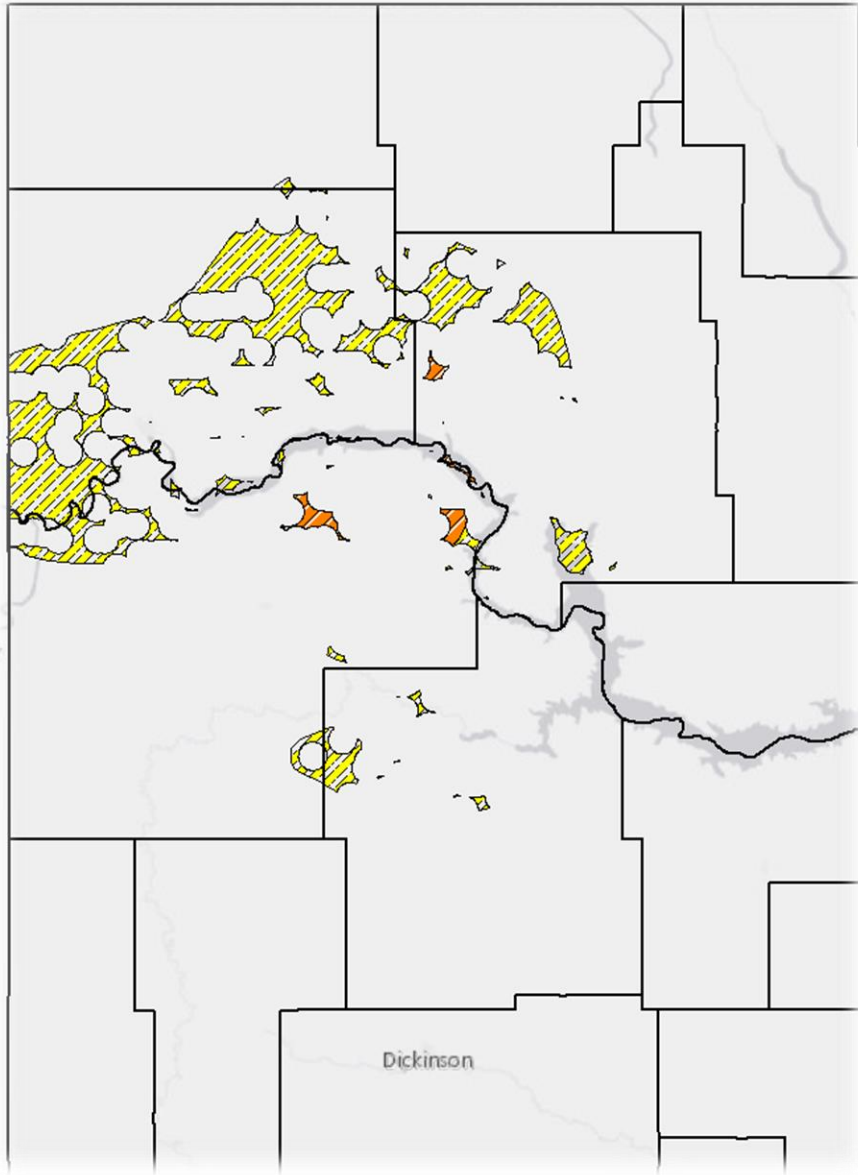
Past Well Performance – Three Forks Tier 2



Past Well Performance – Three Forks Tier 3



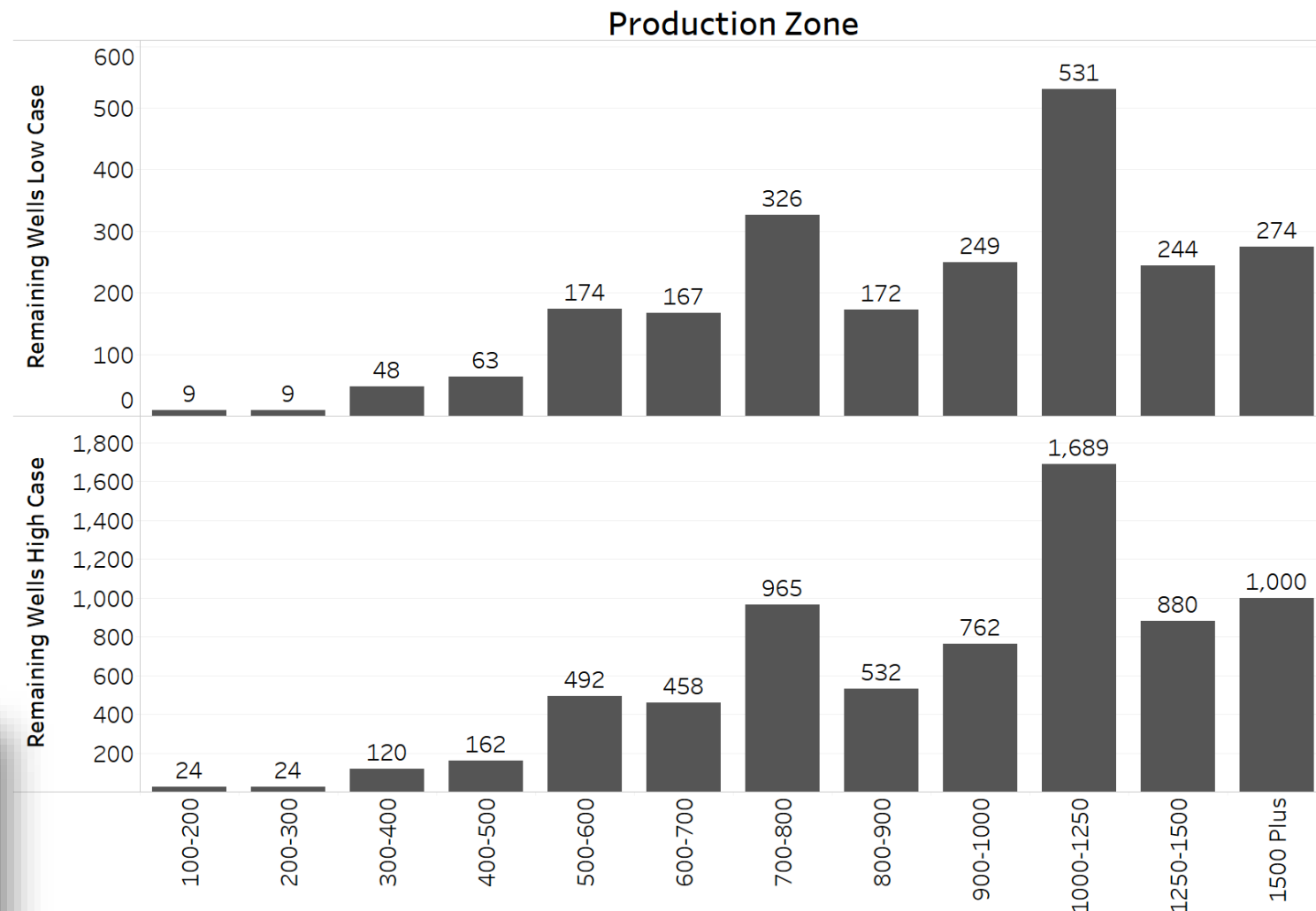
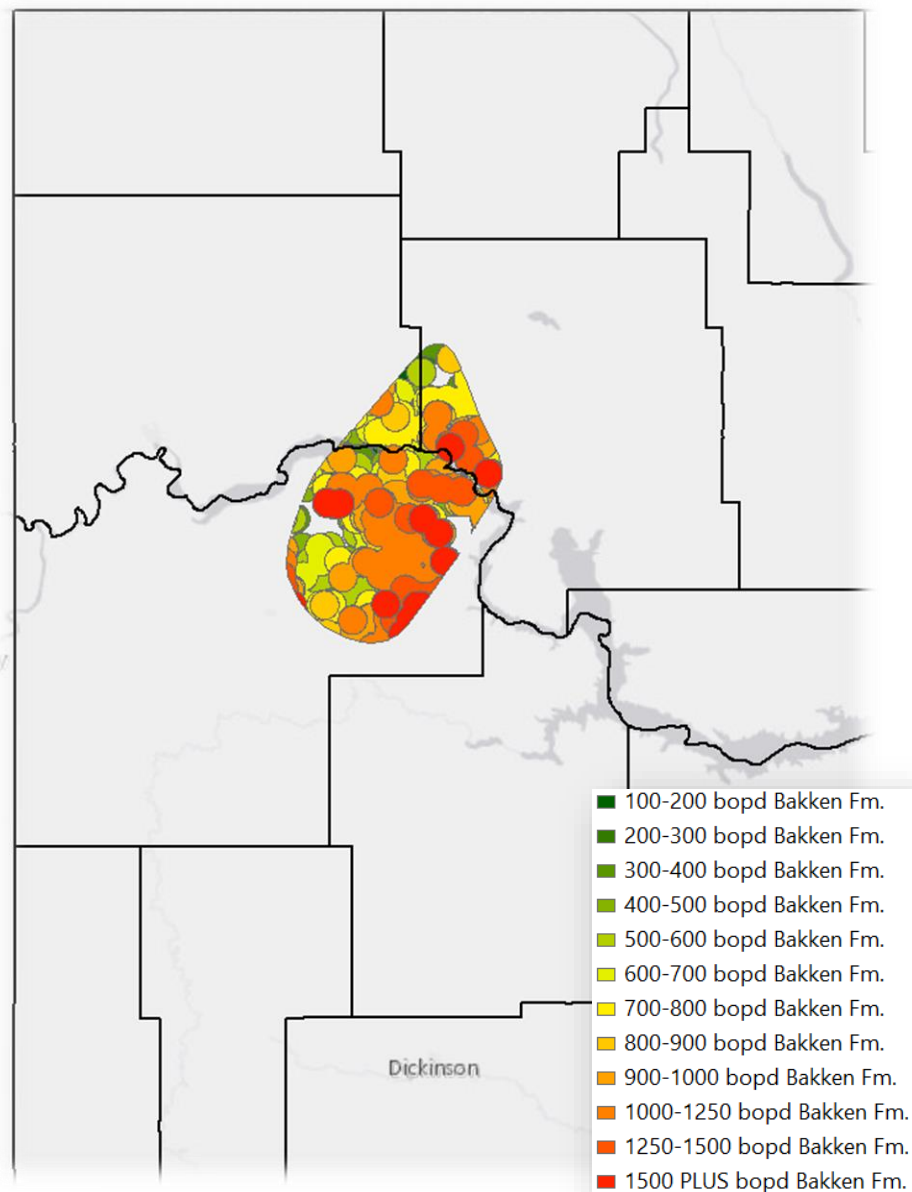
“Empty” Three Forks Tier 1 & 2



All Empty Regions Were Removed From Estimates/Calculations



Remaining Wells* – Three Forks Tier 1

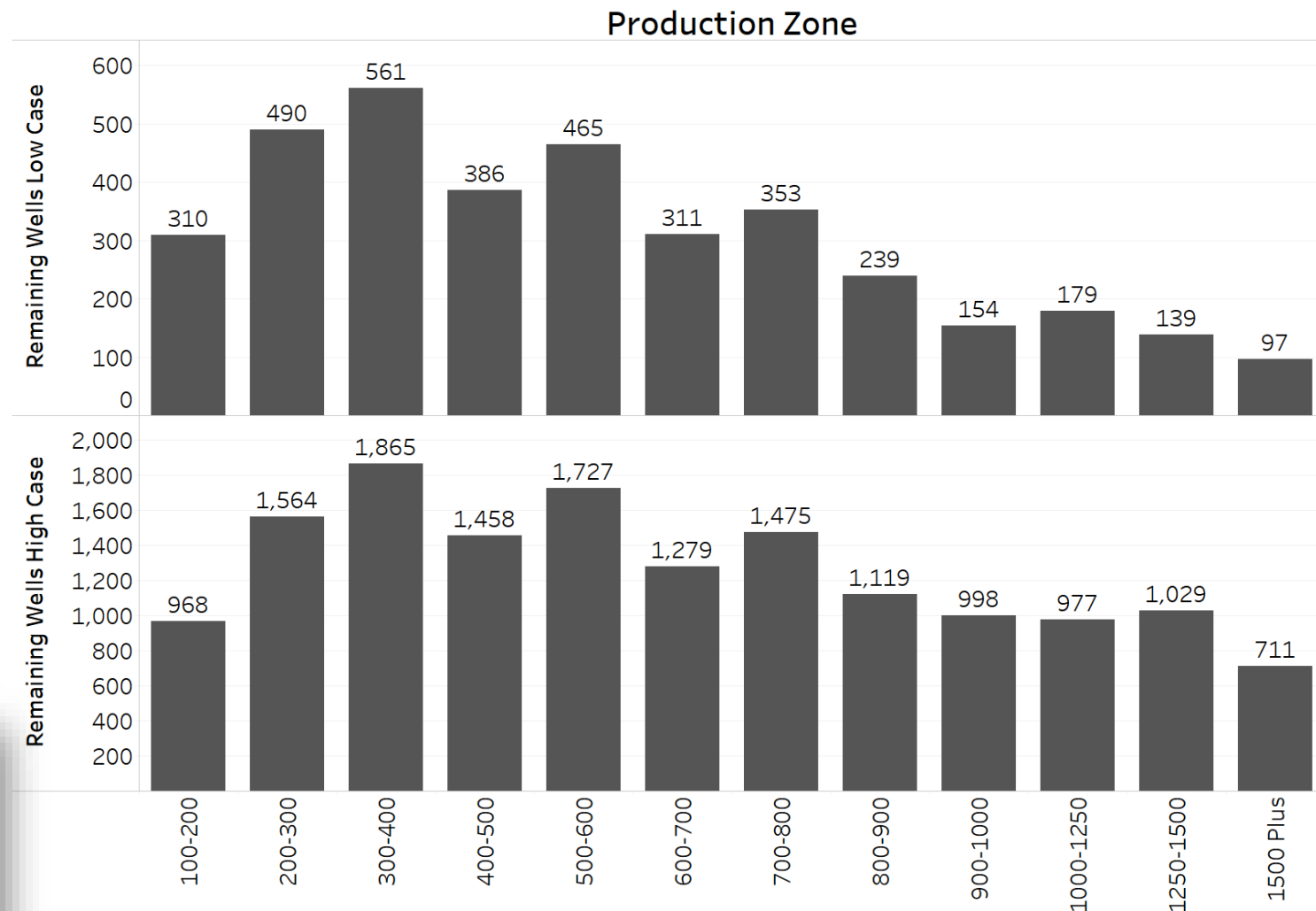
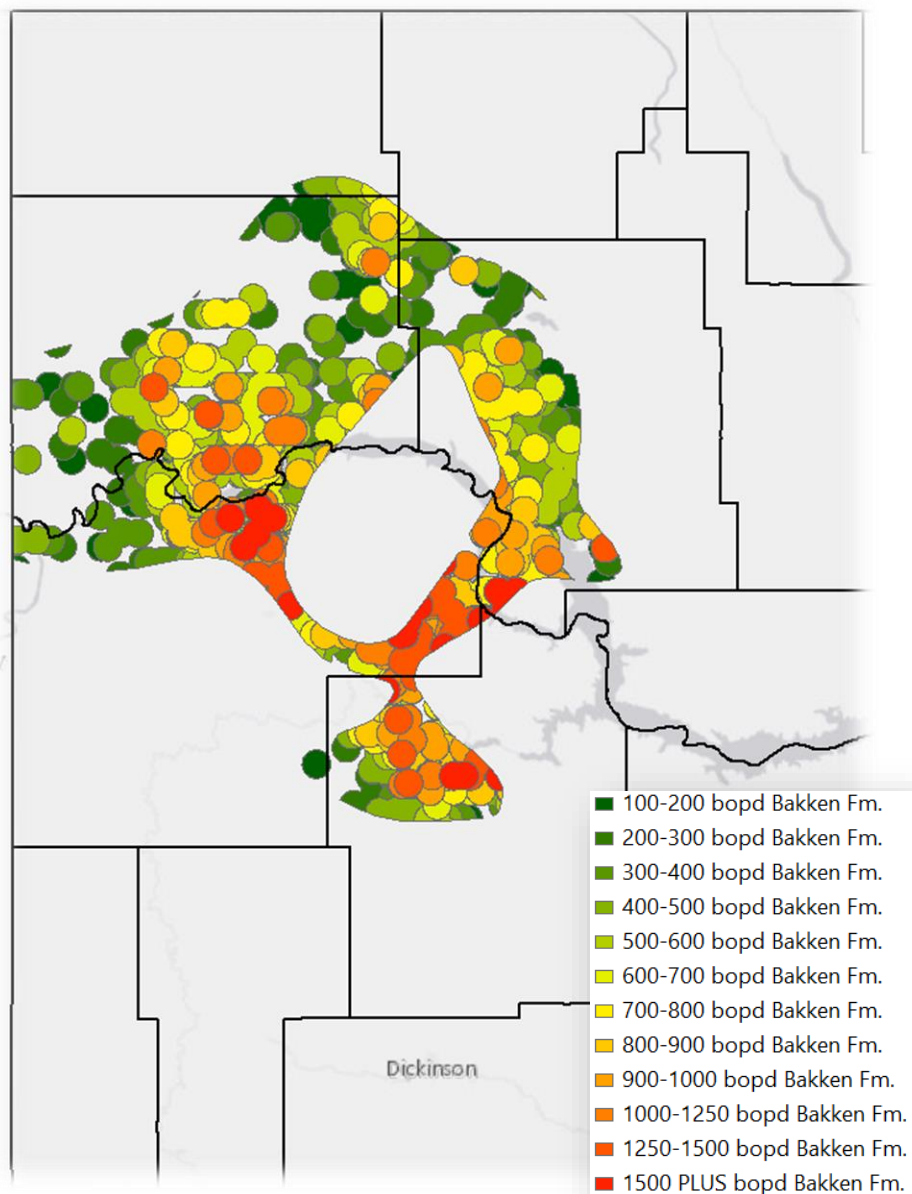


*Well Density Assumptions

Low Case = 4 Three Forks Wells Per DSU
 High Case = 10 Three Forks Wells Per DSU



Remaining Wells* – Three Forks Tier 2



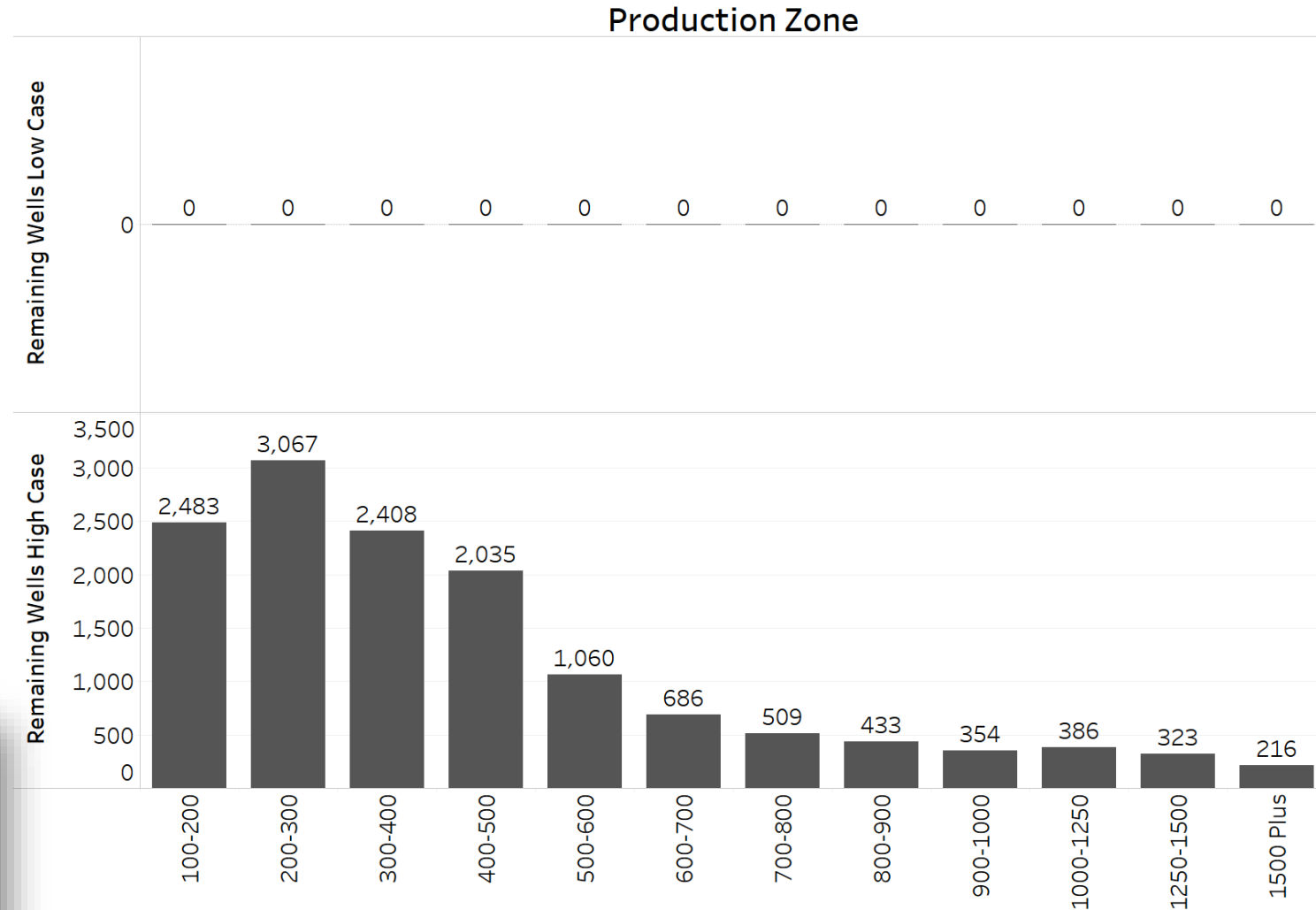
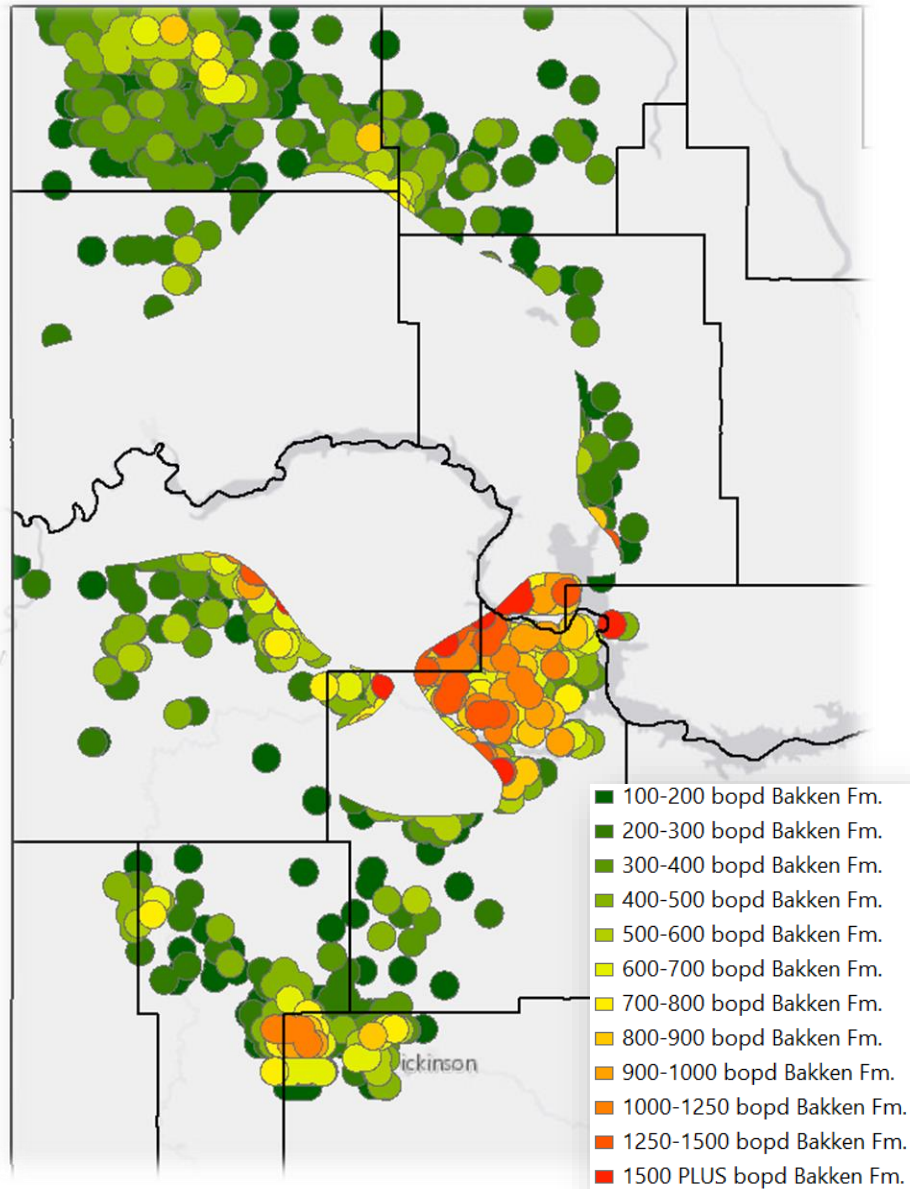
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Remaining Wells* – Three Forks Tier 3

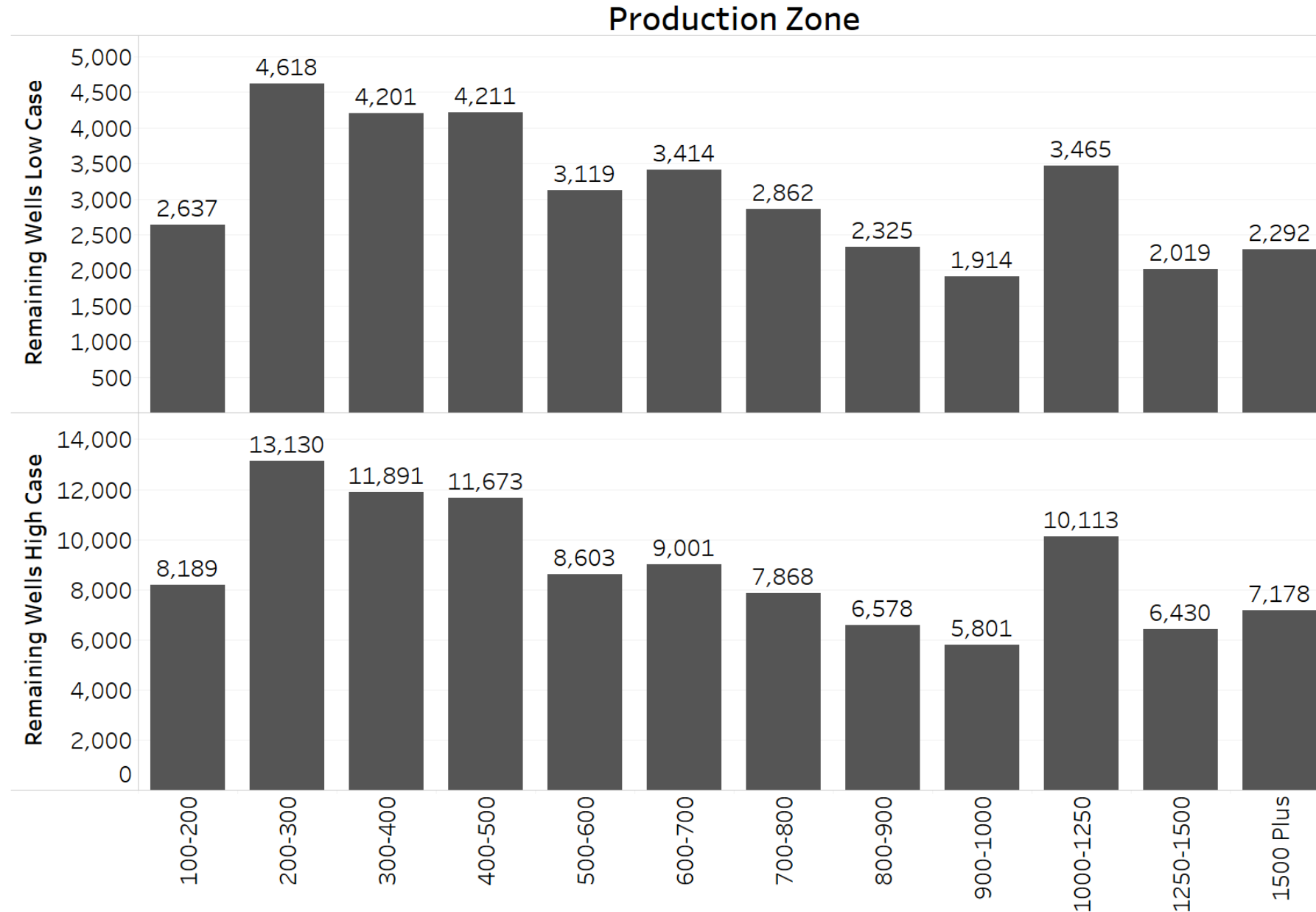


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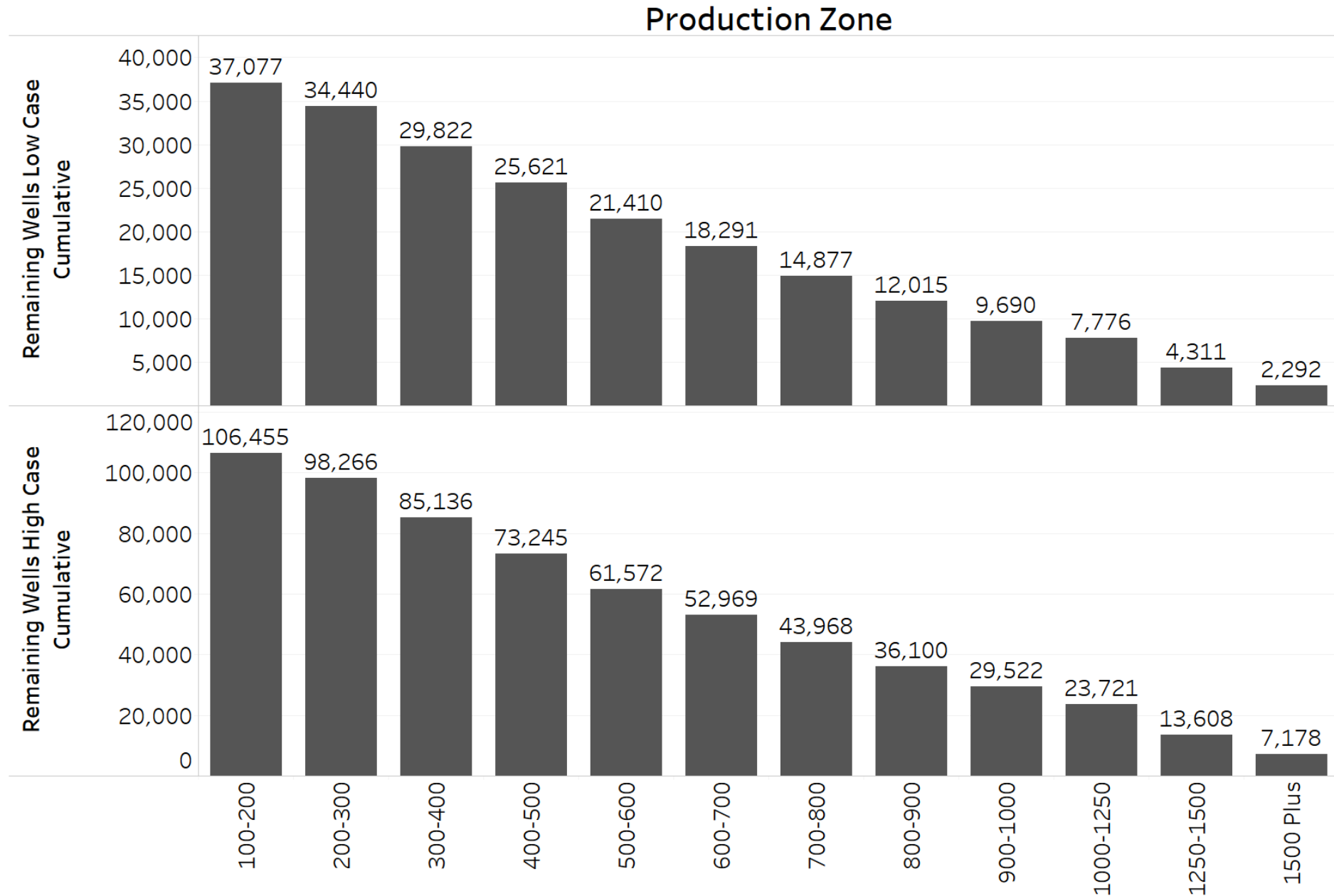
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Remaining Wells – All Bakken and Three Forks Tiers

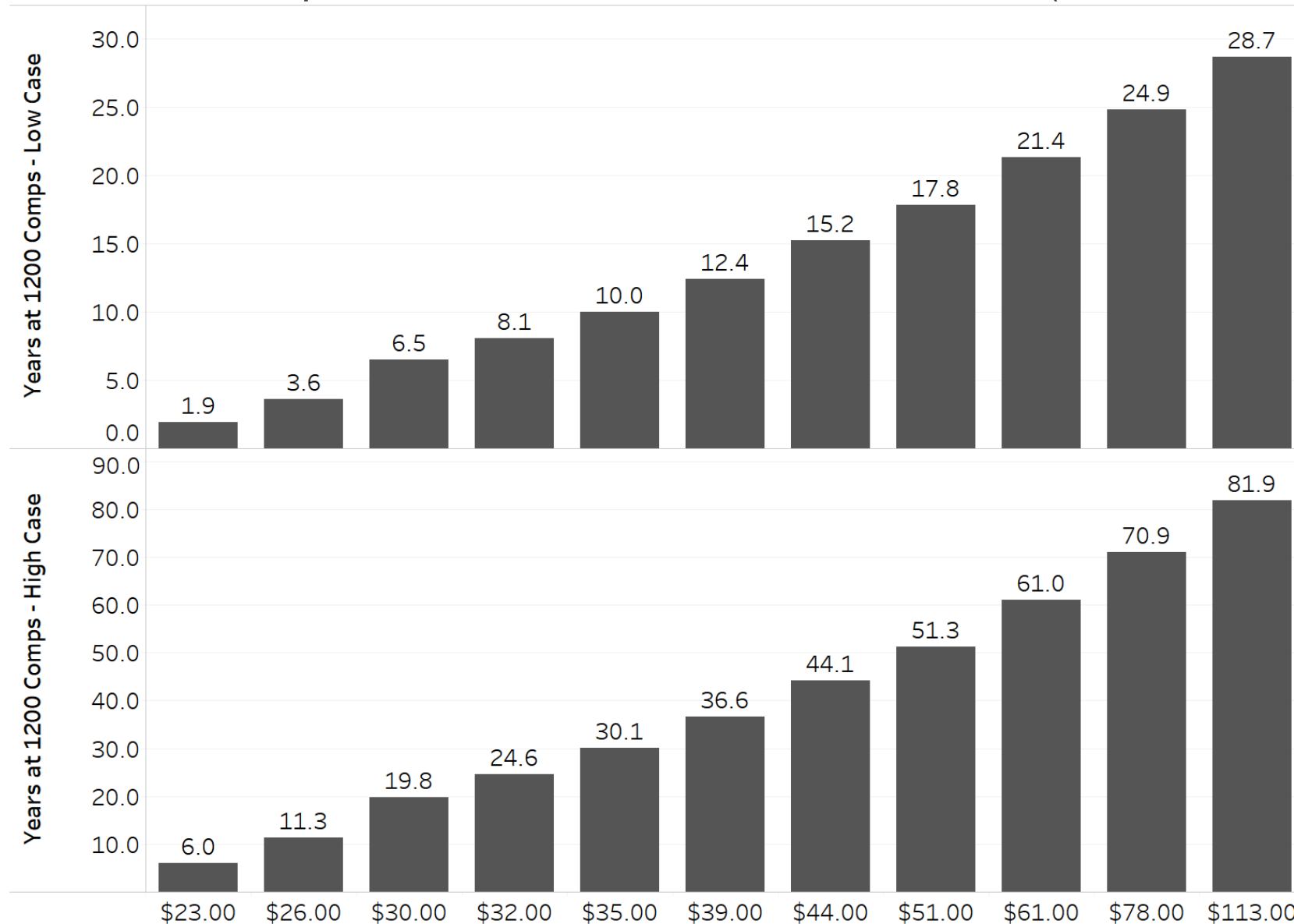


Cumulative Remaining Wells – Peak Month Minimum BOPD



Years Remaining* / Minimum Wellhead Oil Price

*Assumes 1,200 Completions Per Year and \$7MM Well Costs (20% After Tax IRR)

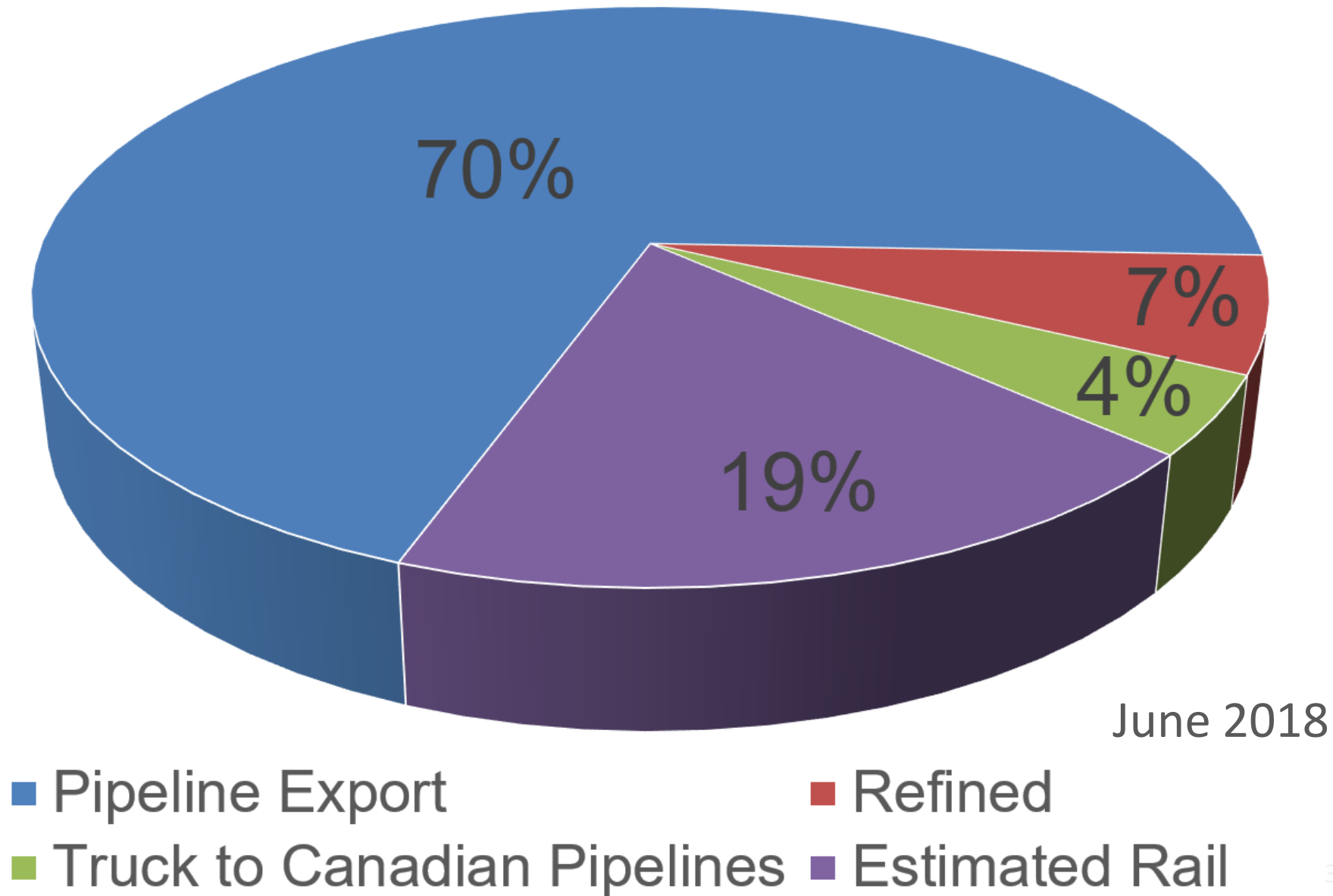


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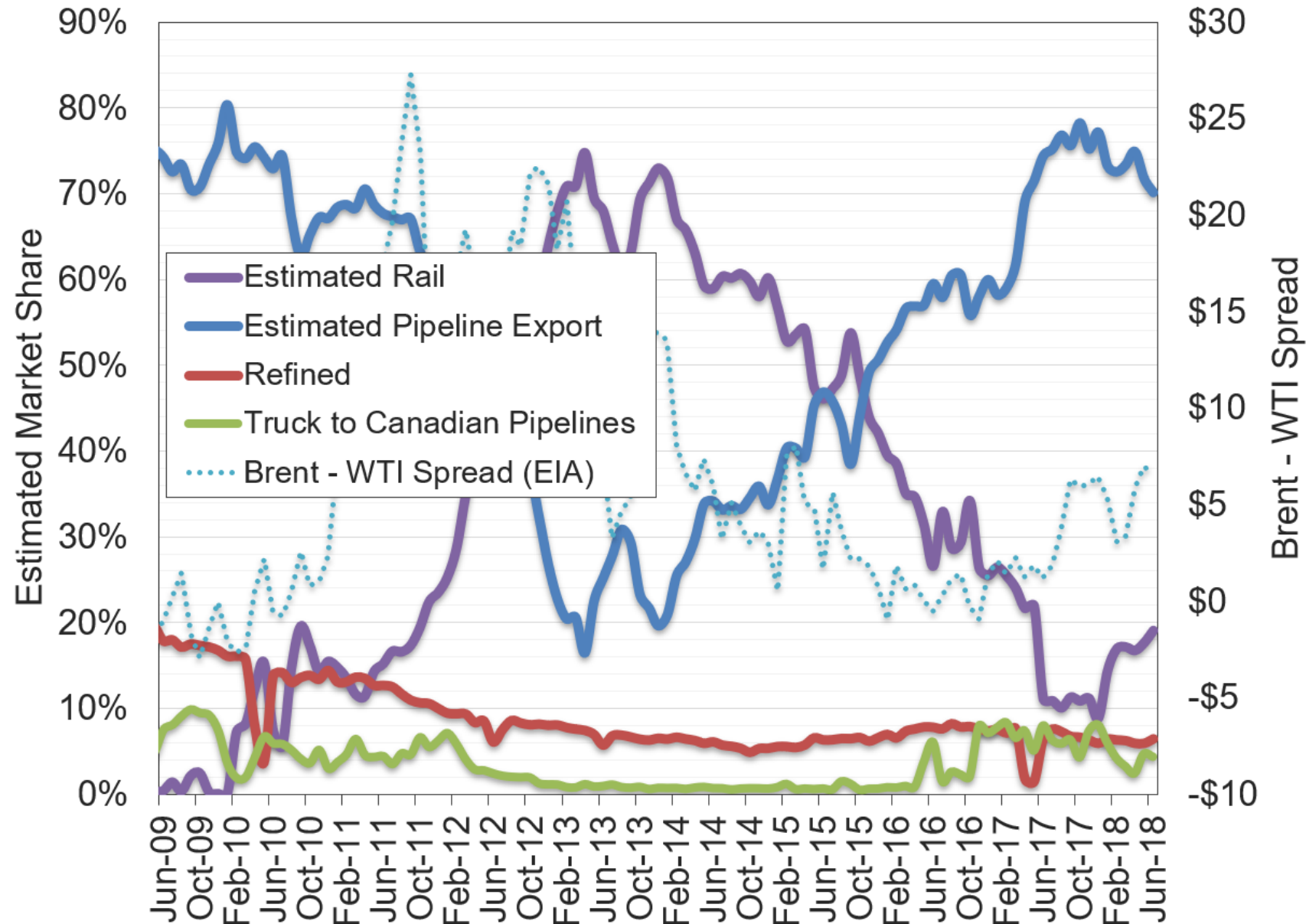
Estimated Williston Basin Oil Transportation



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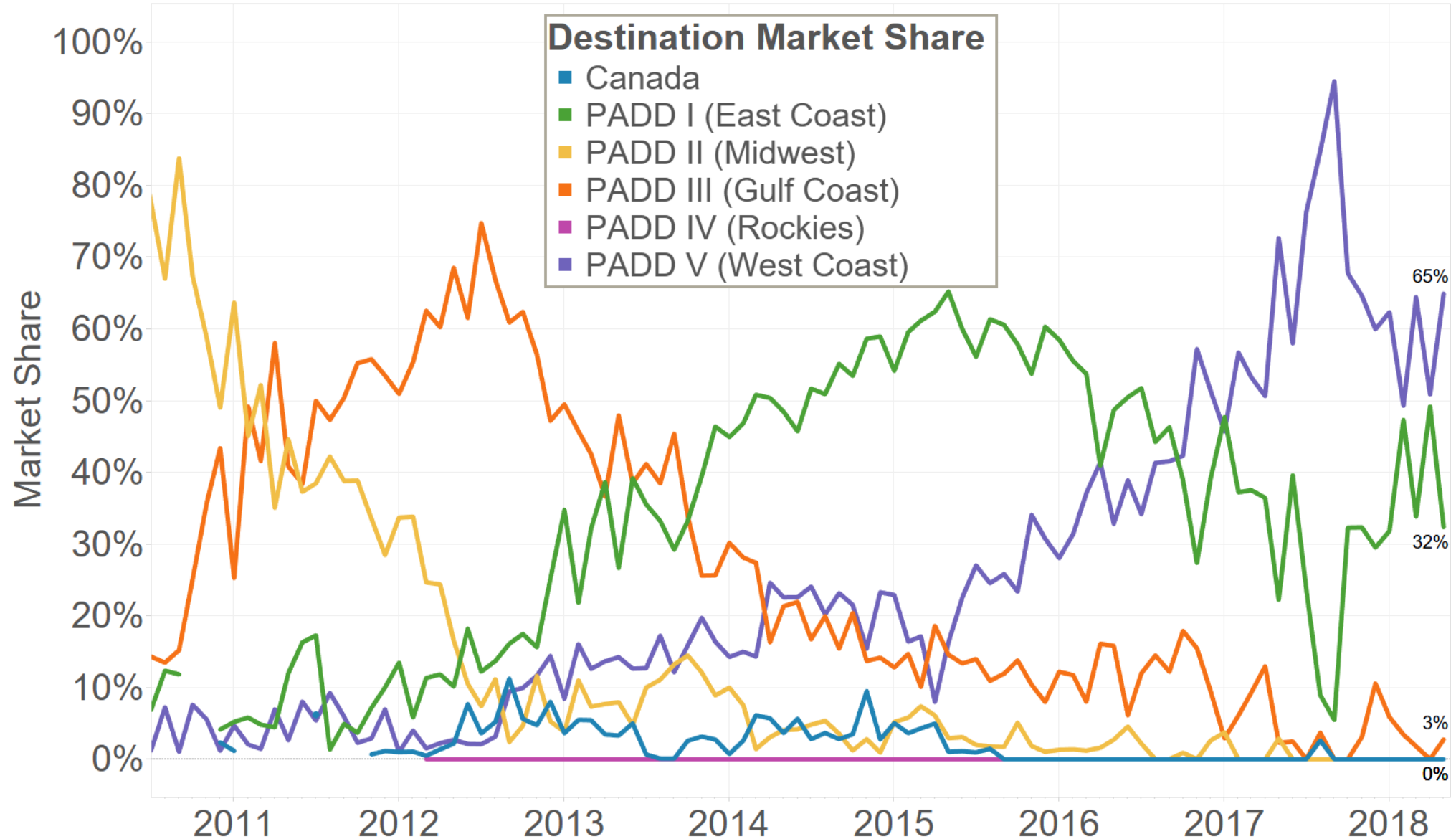
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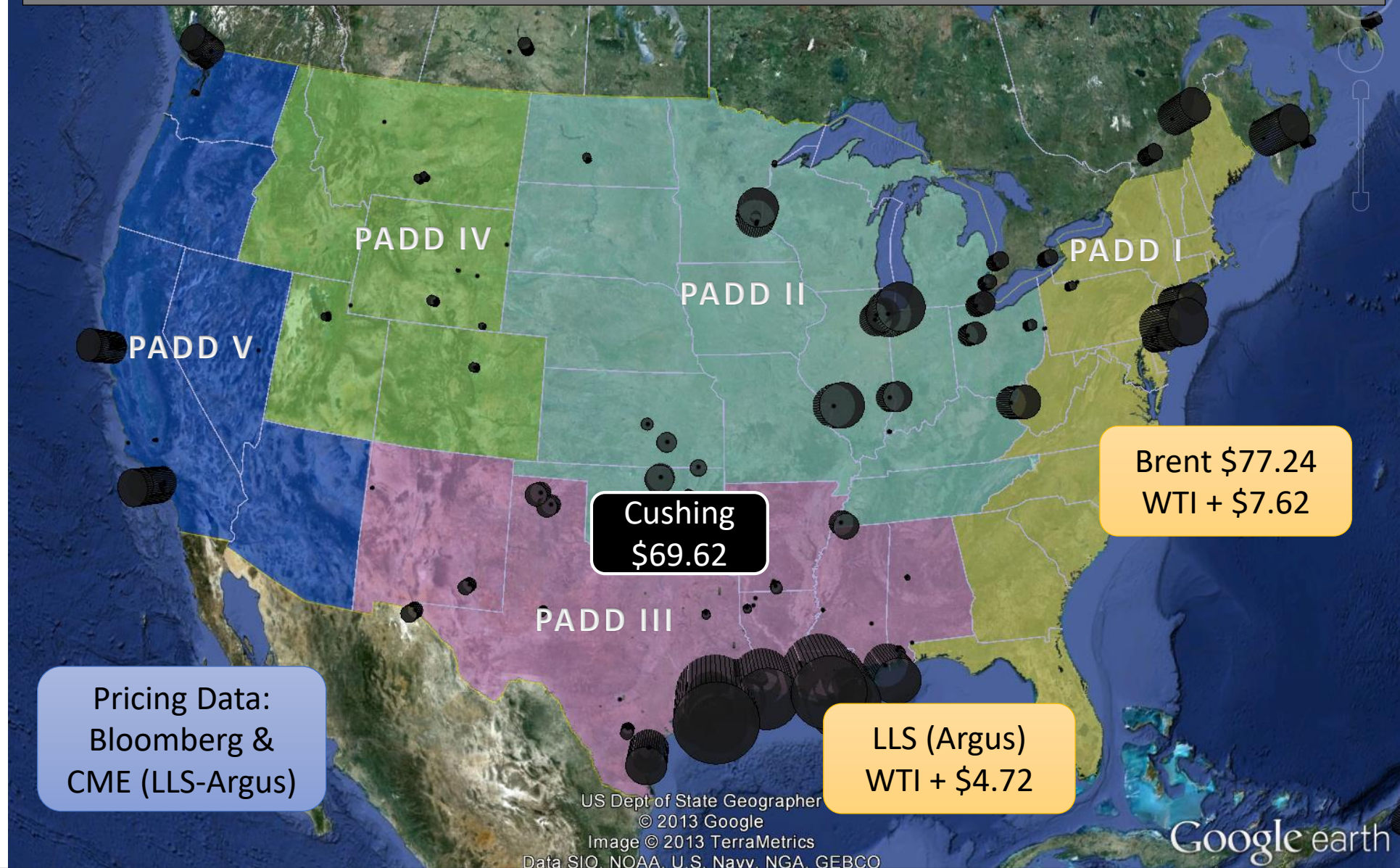
Rail Destinations Market Share (May 2018)



Data for Rail Destination Market Share Provided by the US Energy Information Administration



Crude Oil Prices – August 29, 2018

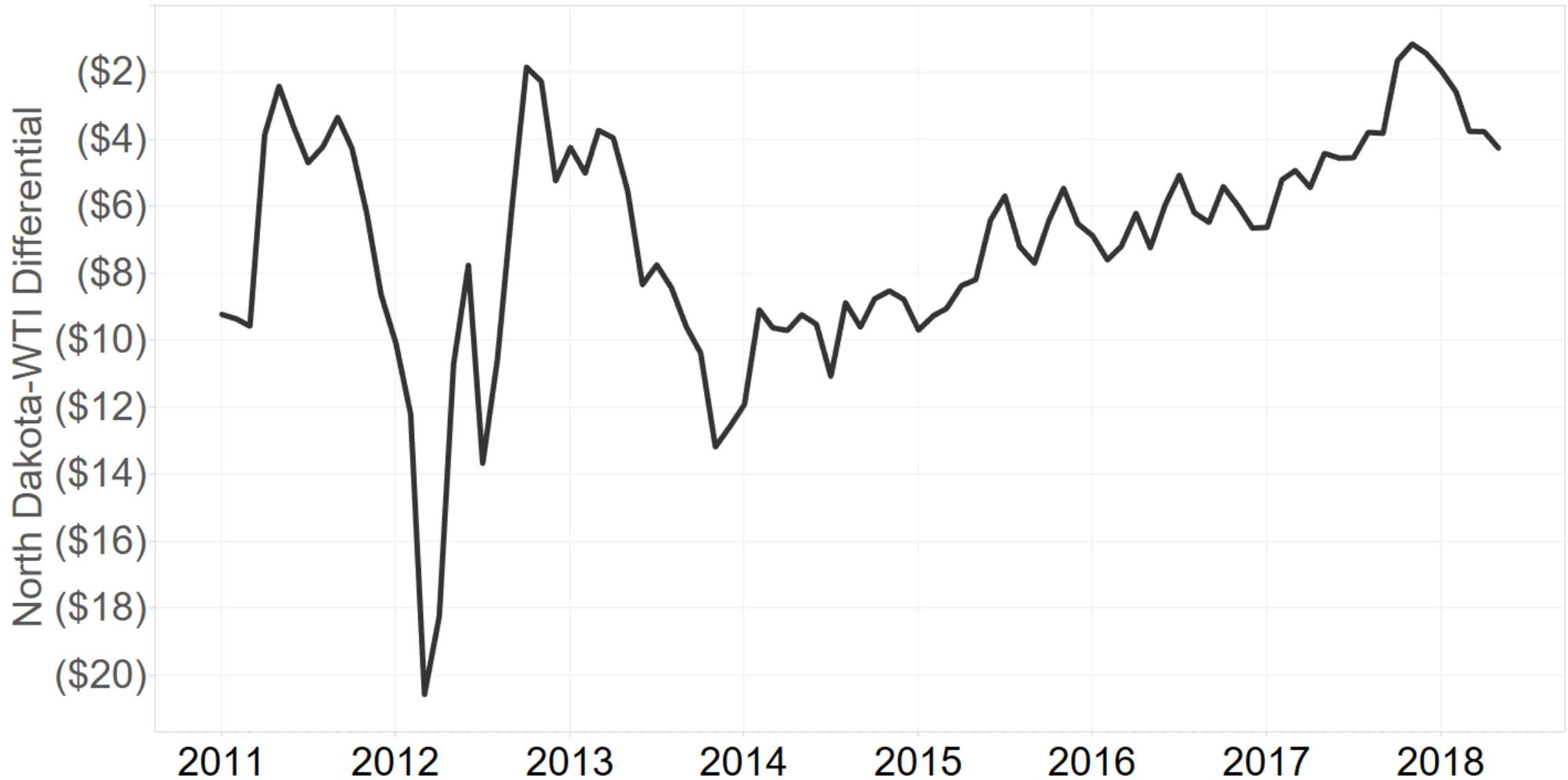


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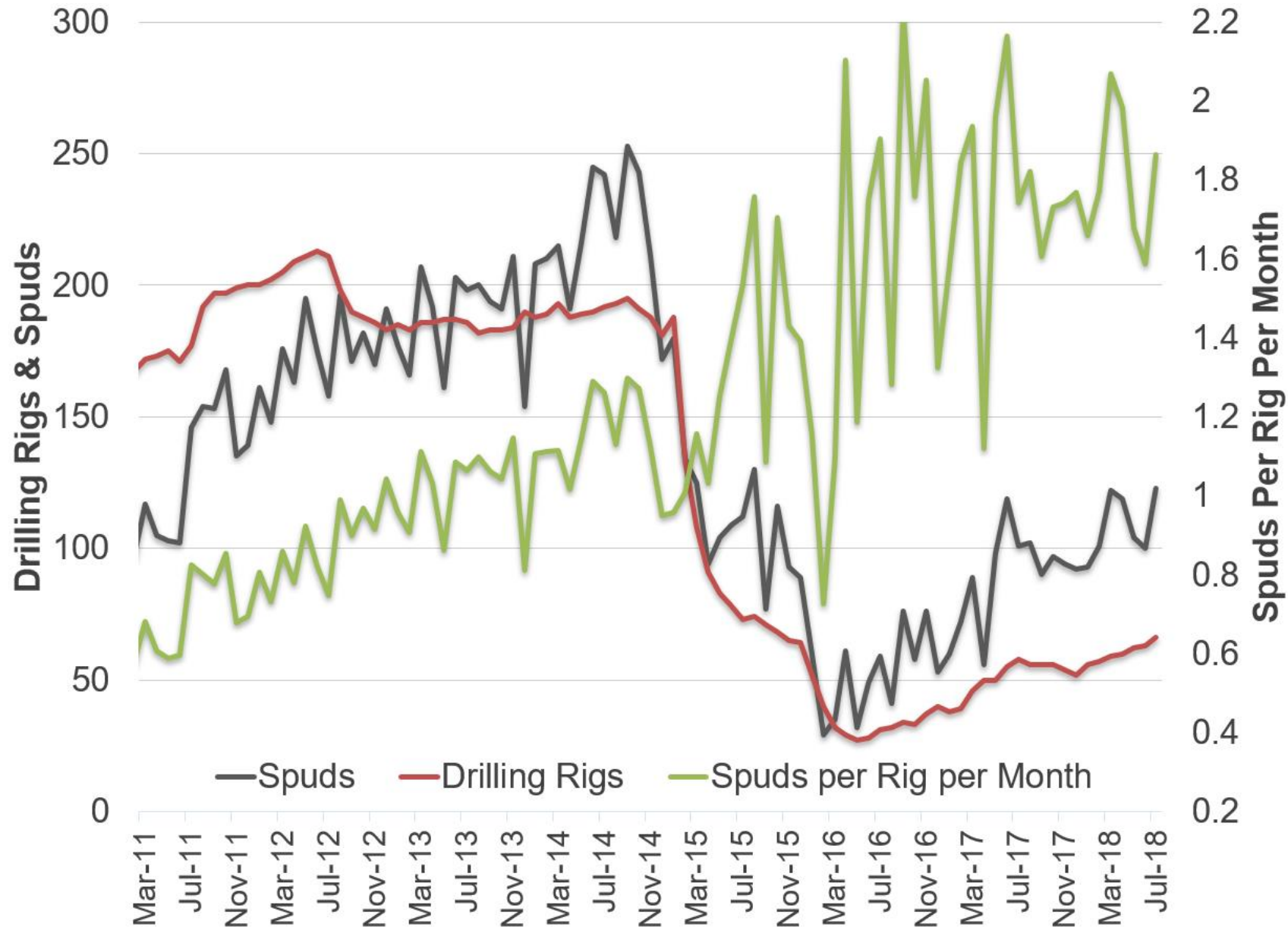
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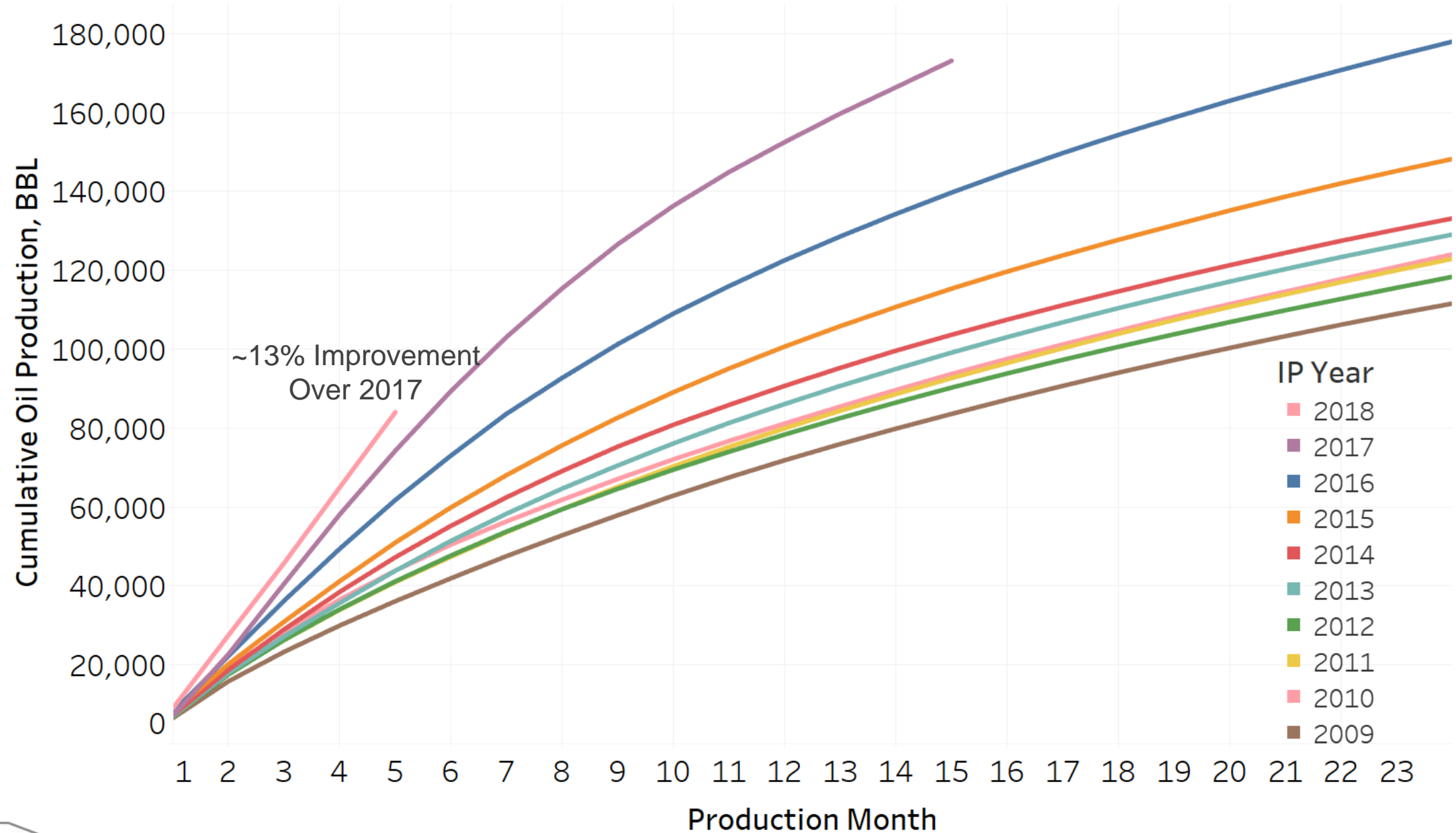
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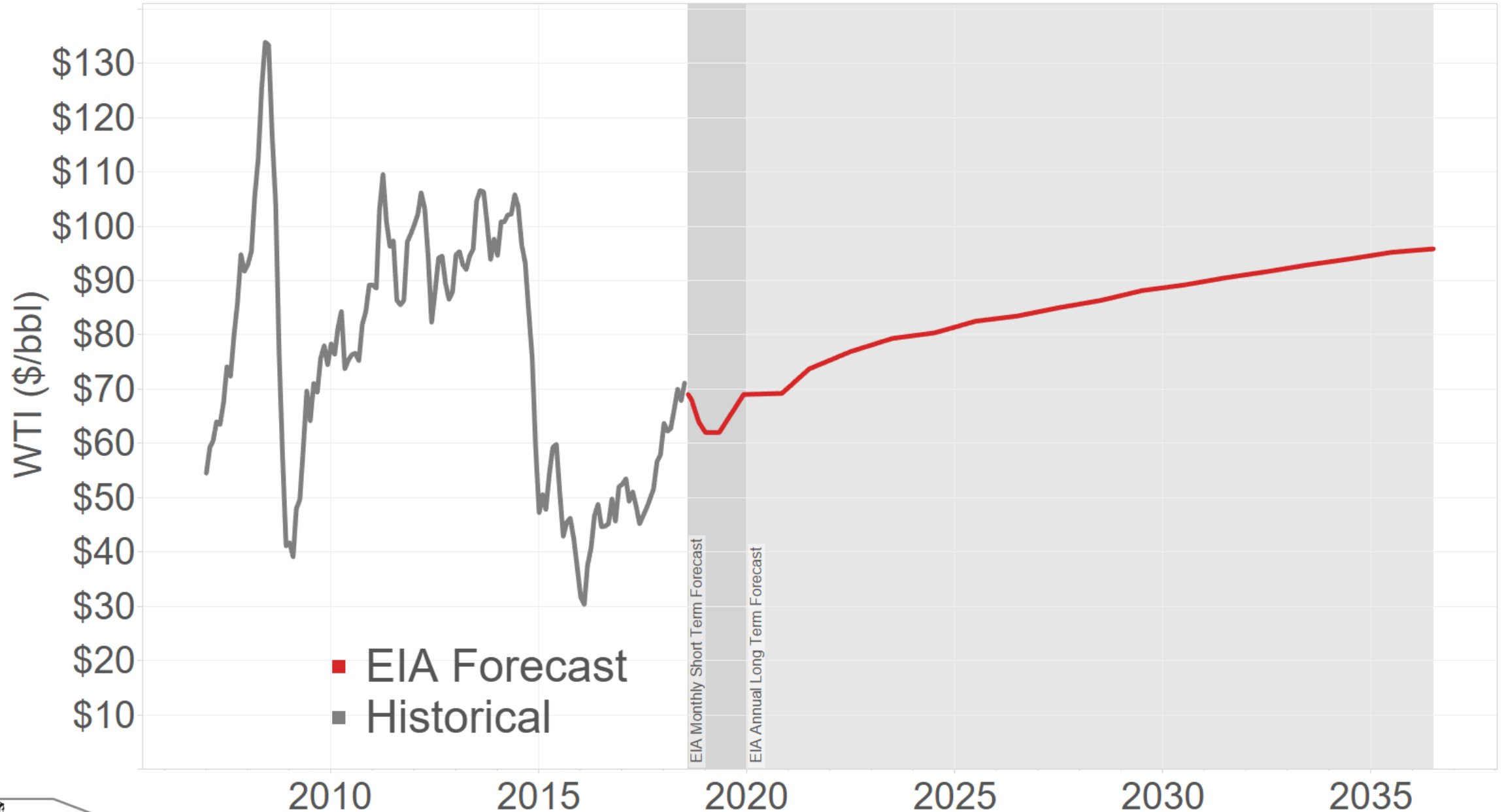
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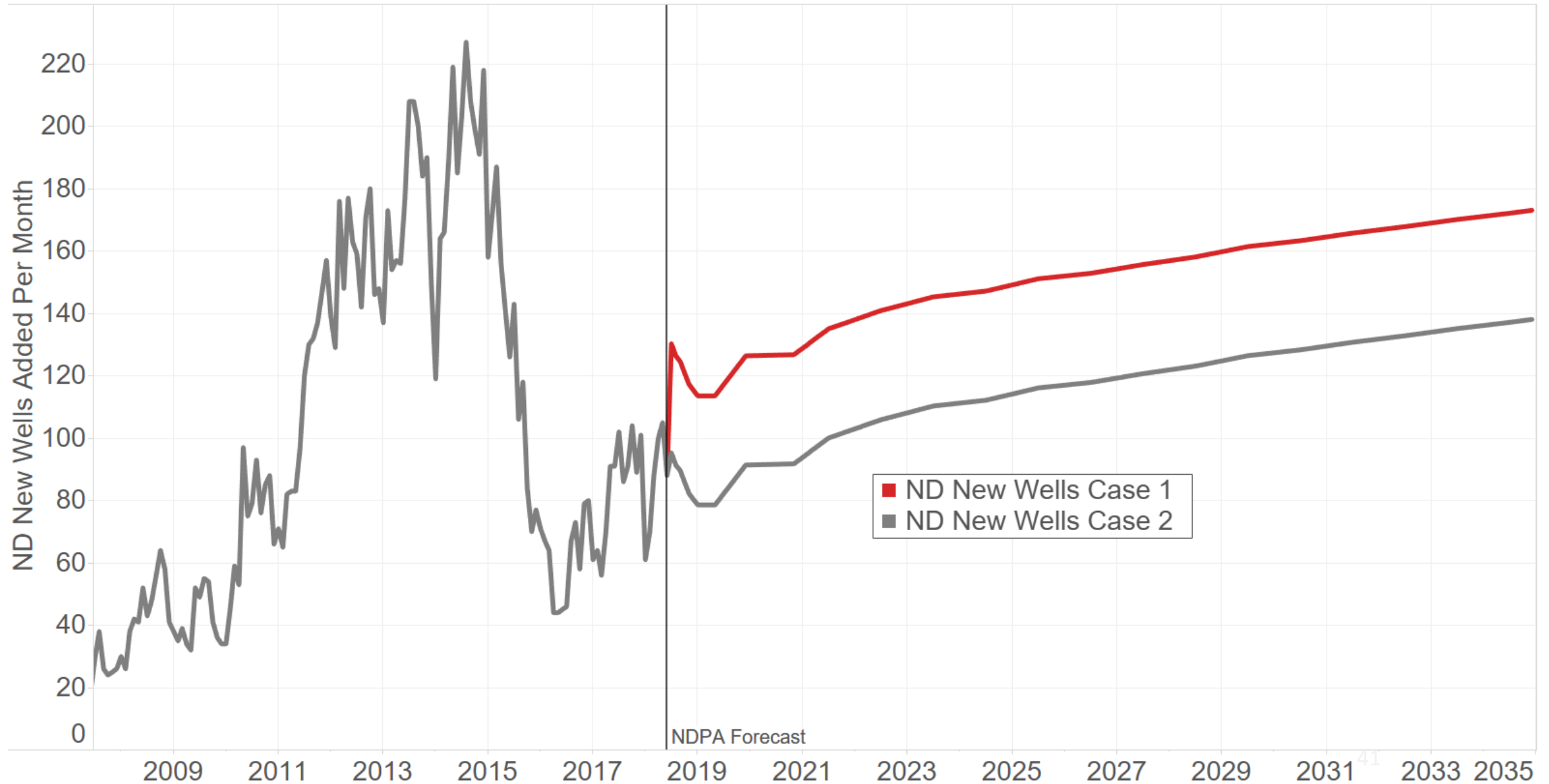
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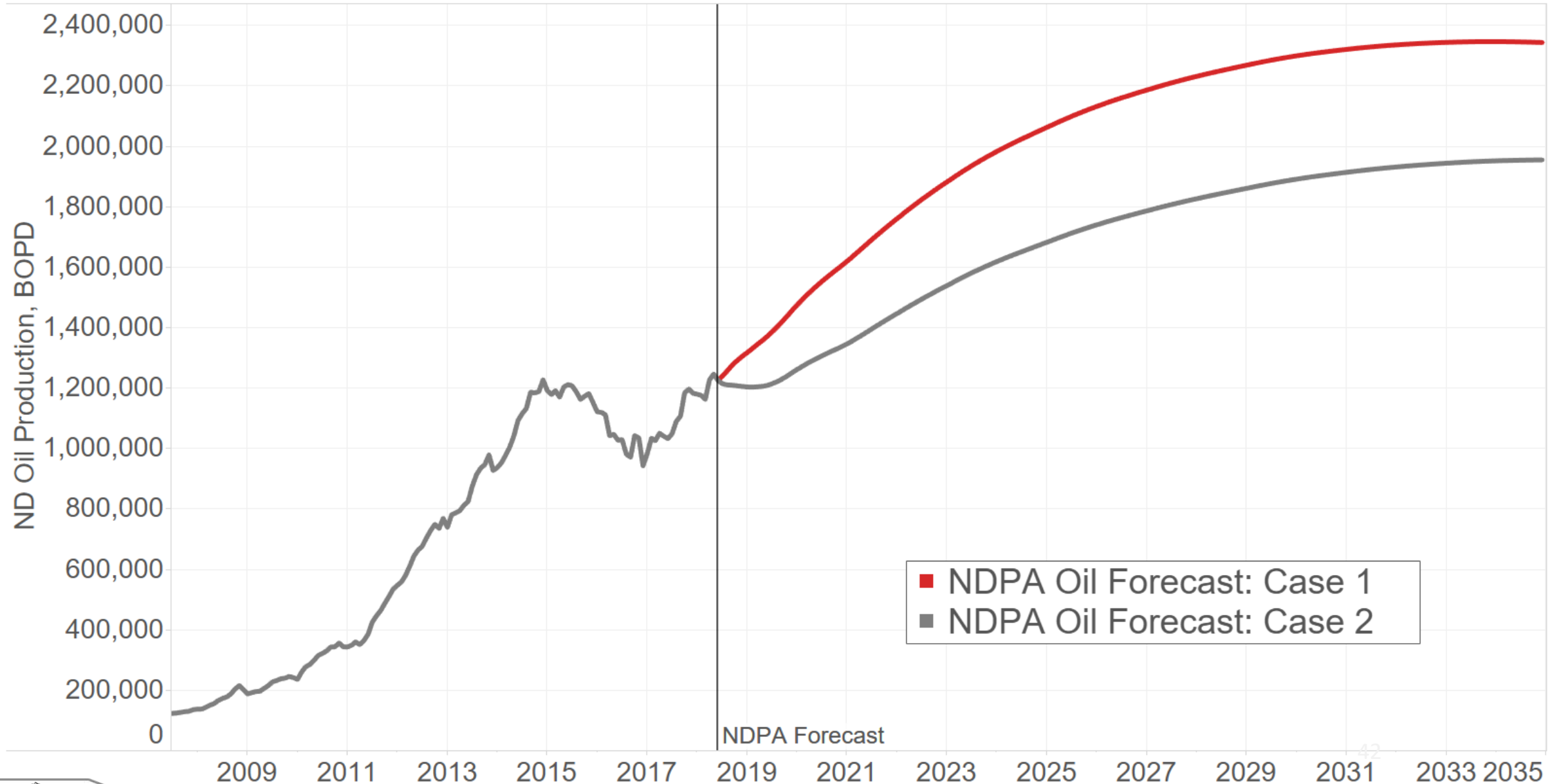
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North Dakota Forecast Activity Assumptions



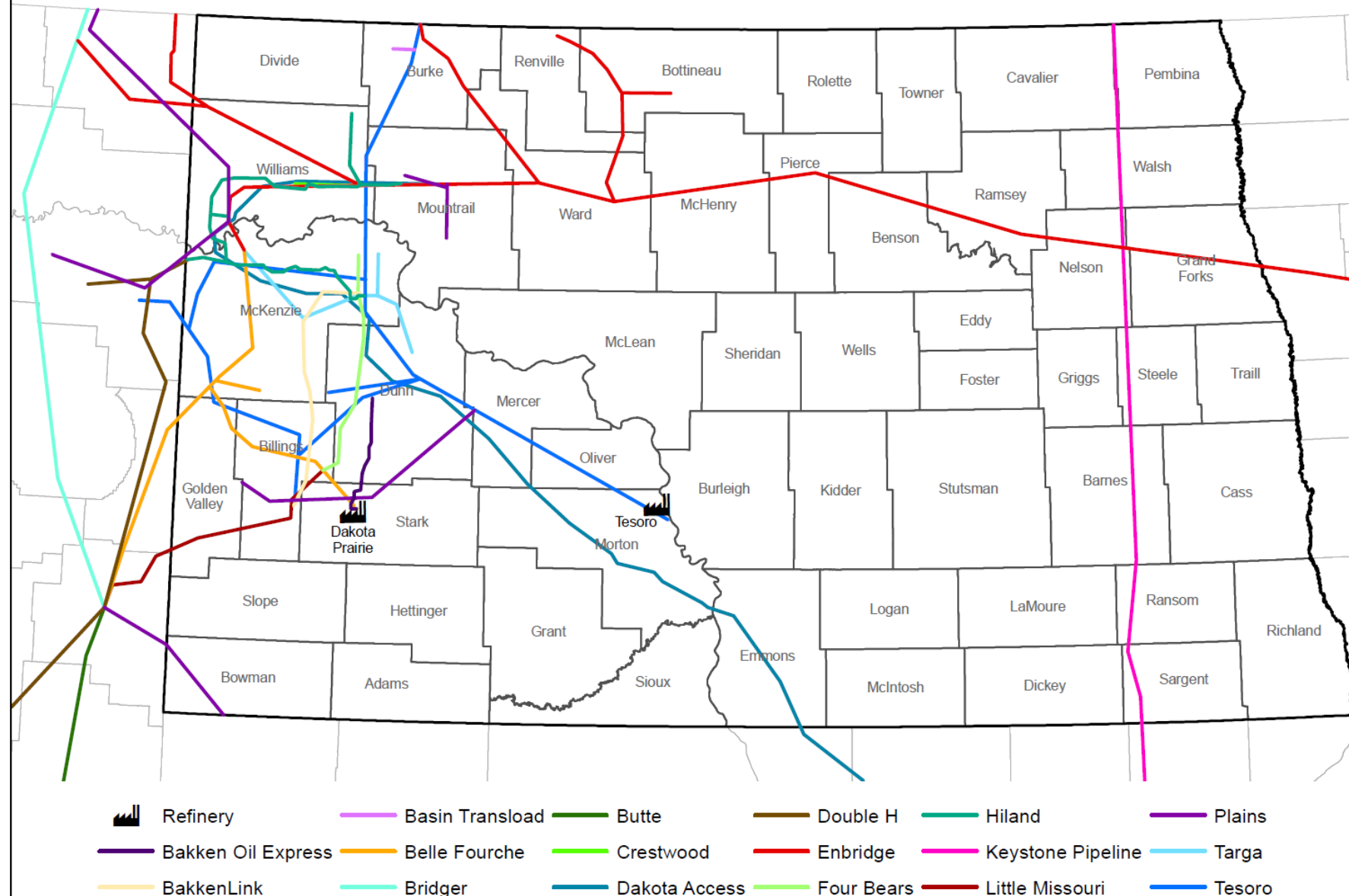
North Dakota Oil Production Forecast



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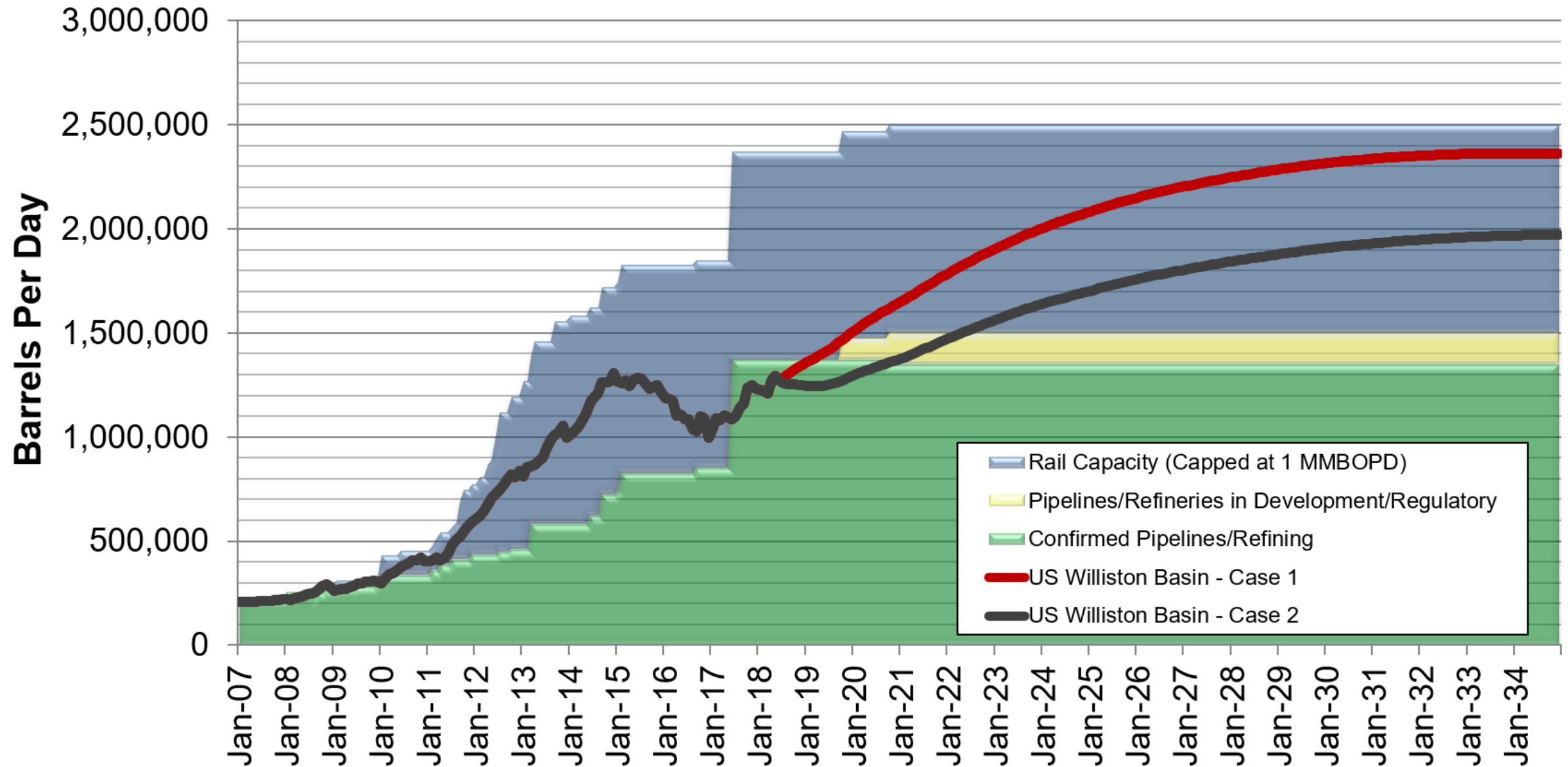
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Williston Basin Oil Production & Export Capacity, BOPD



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Natural Gas Update



Production

- Technology
- Markets



Gathering

- Capacity
- Connections



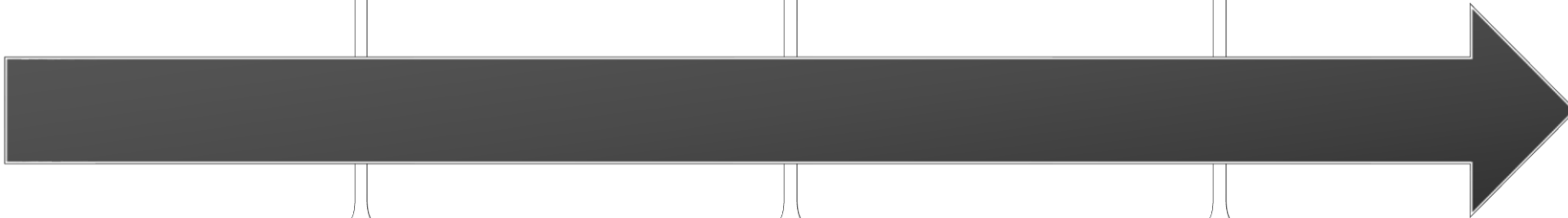
Processing

- Capacity
- Location



Transmission

- Dry Gas
- Natural Gas Liquids



Natural Gas Update



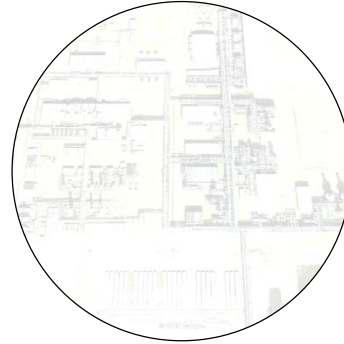
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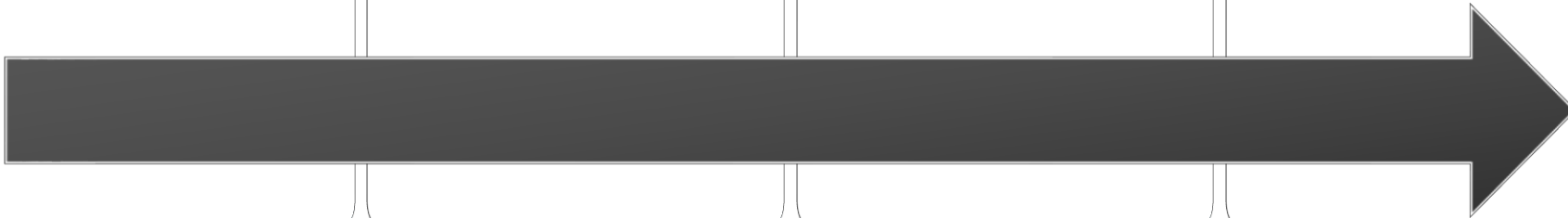
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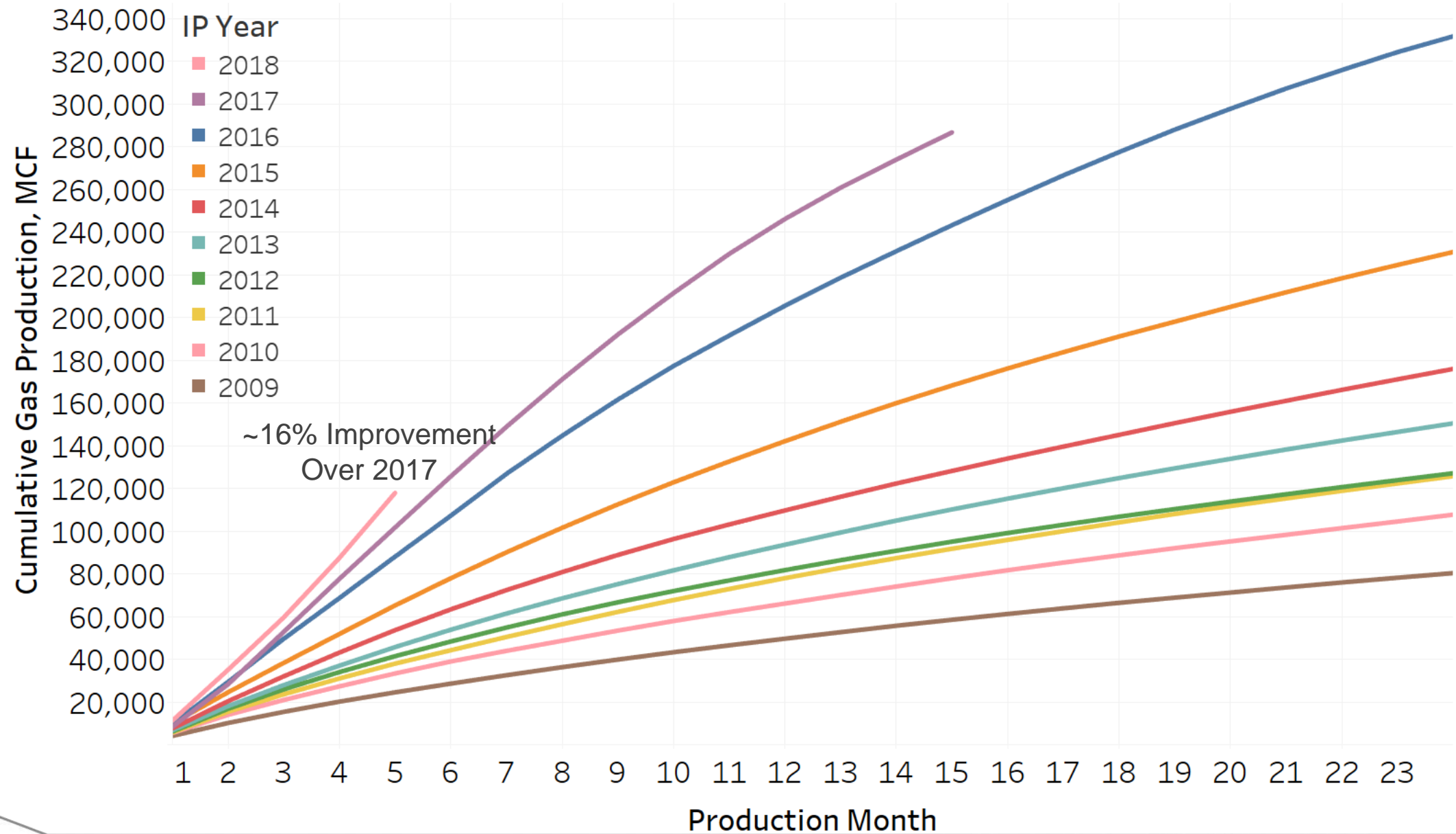


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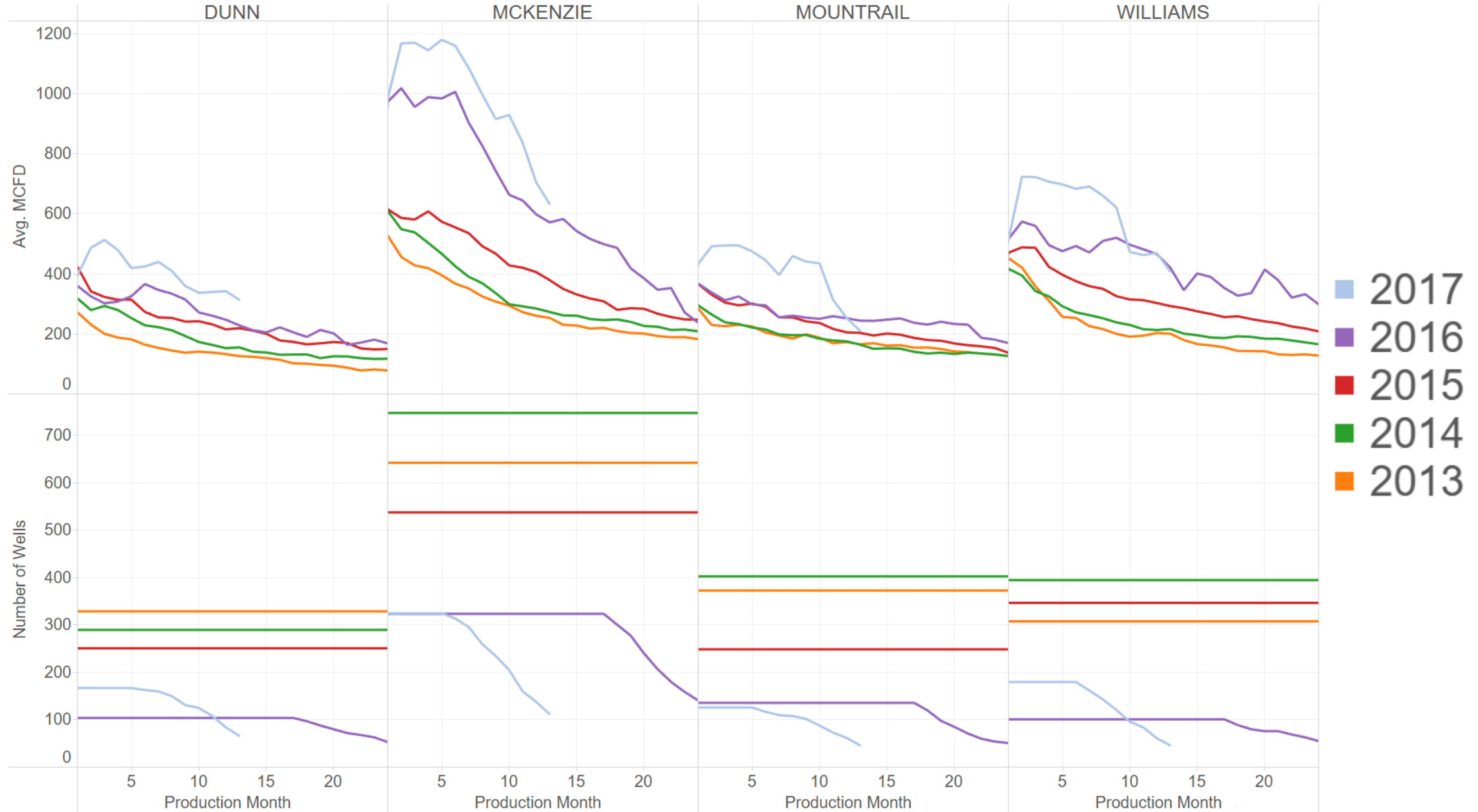
- Dry Gas
- Natural Gas Liquids



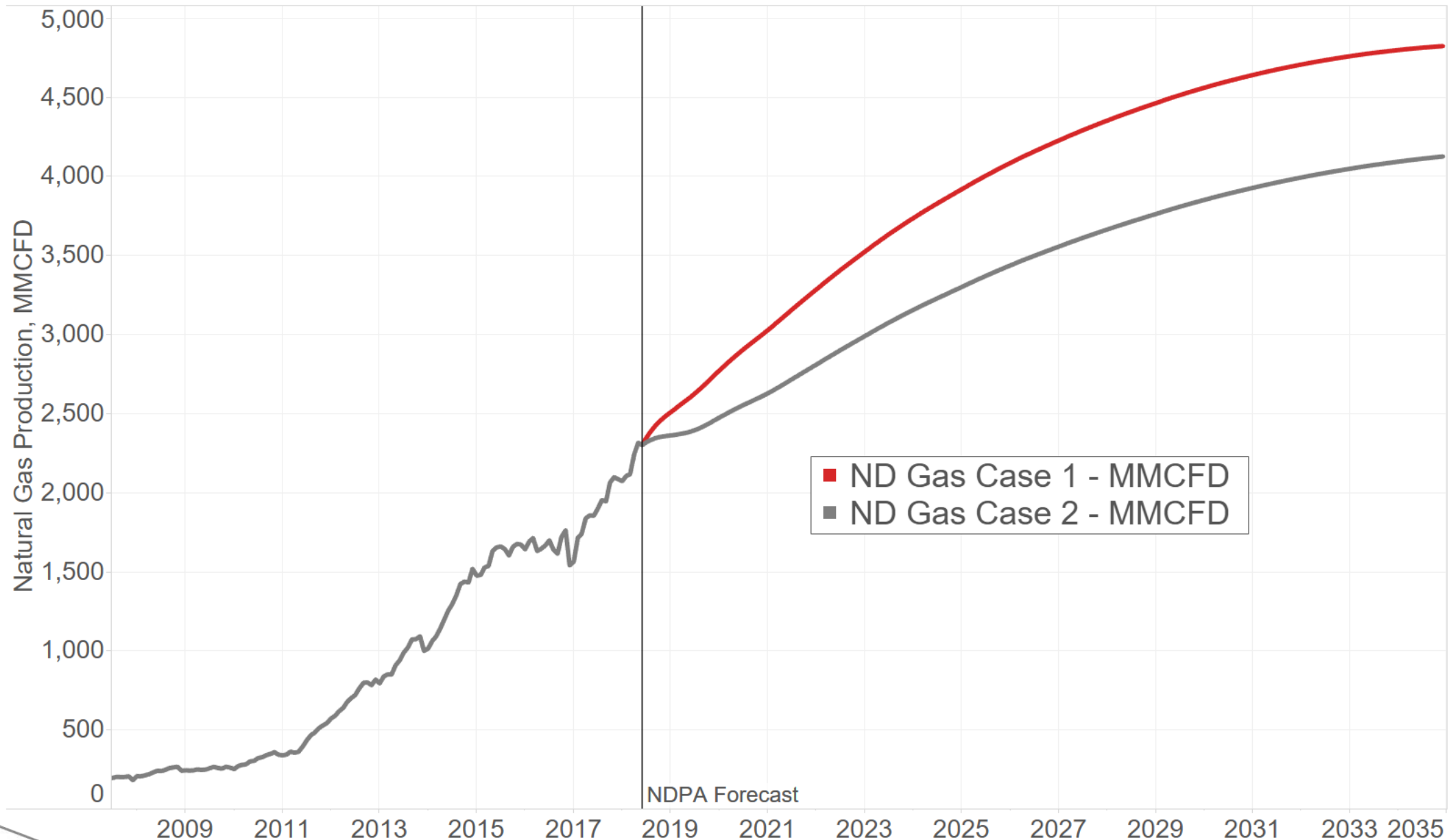
Statewide Gas Performance



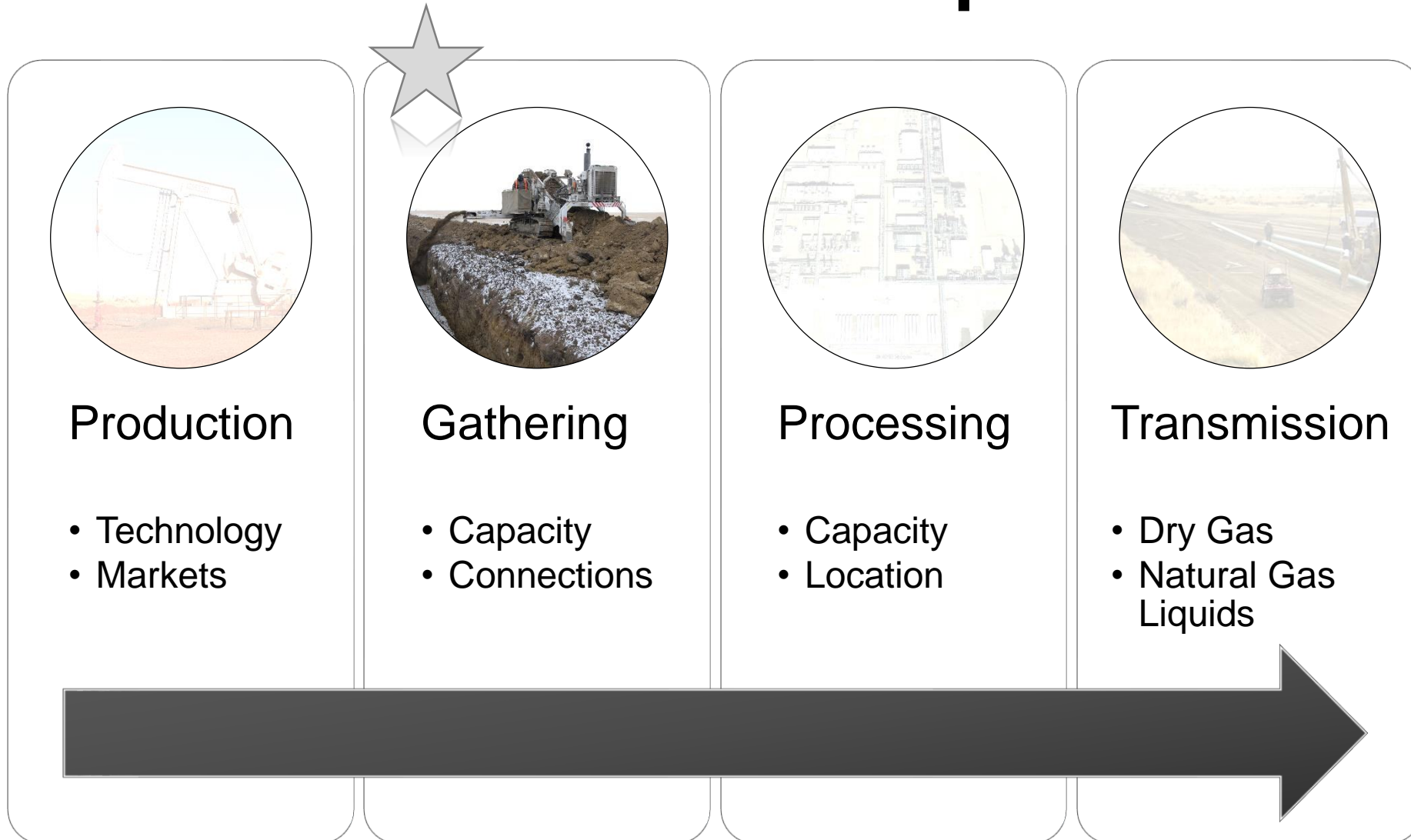
Bakken and Three Forks Well Performance



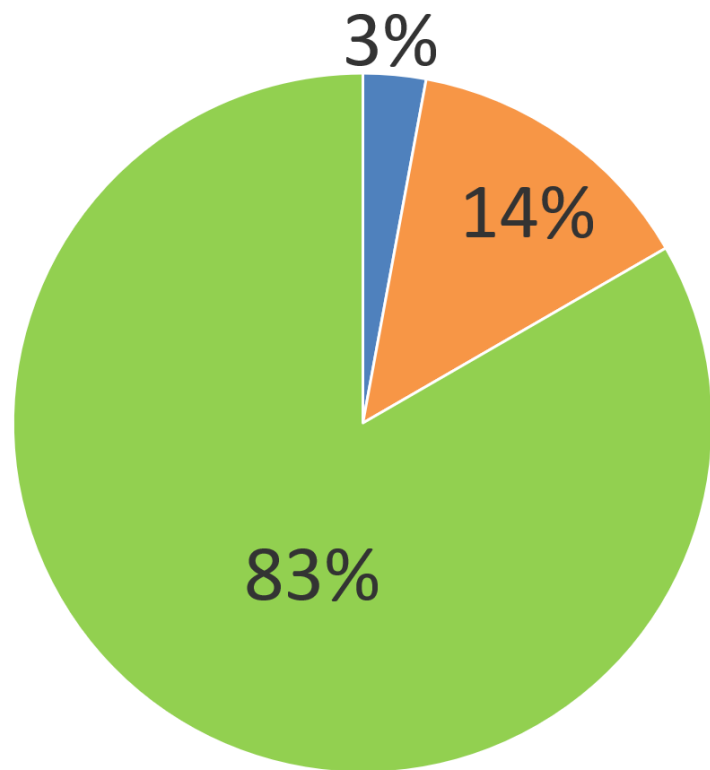
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Statewide

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Orange – % flared from wells with at least one mcf sold.

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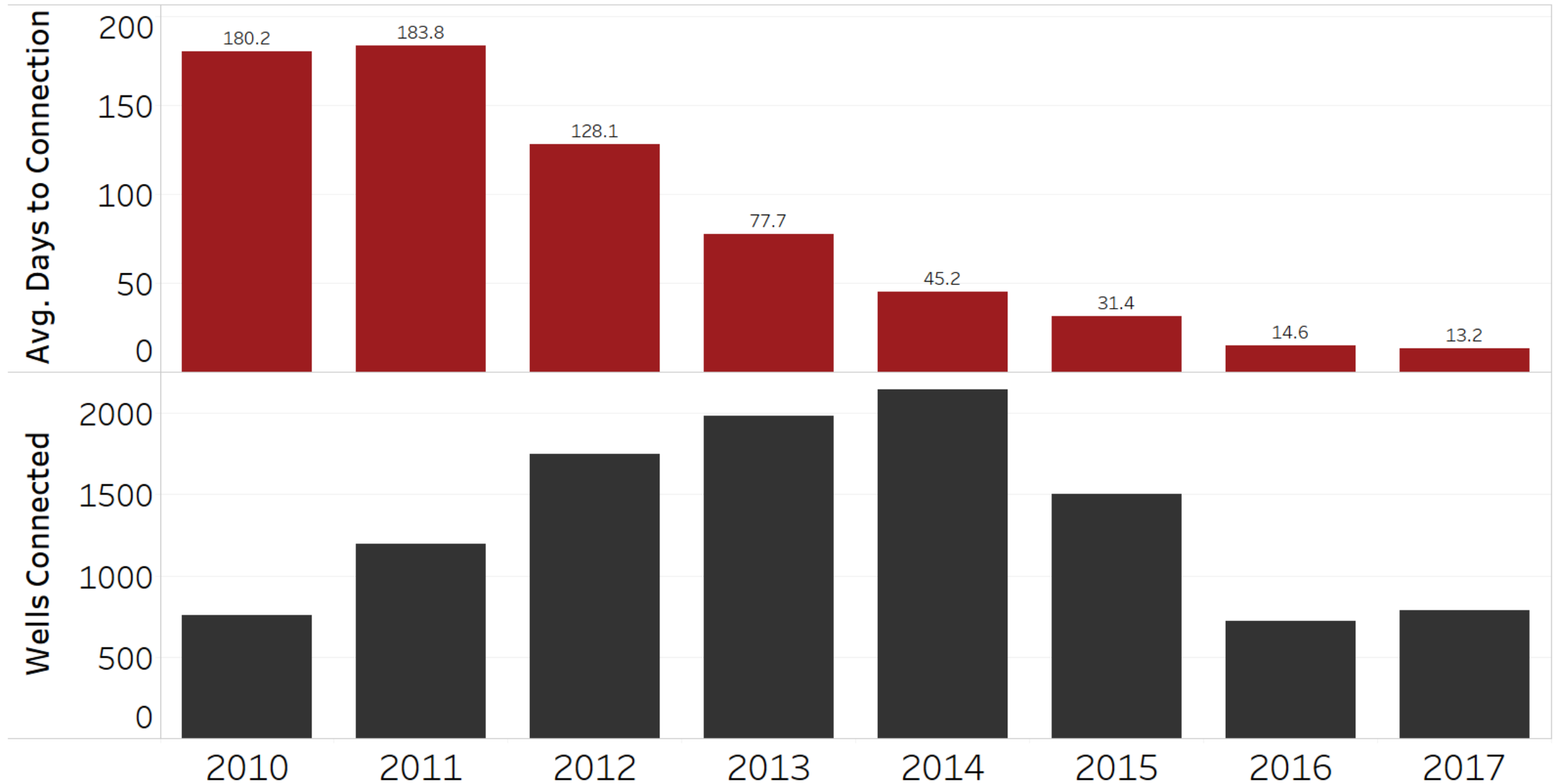
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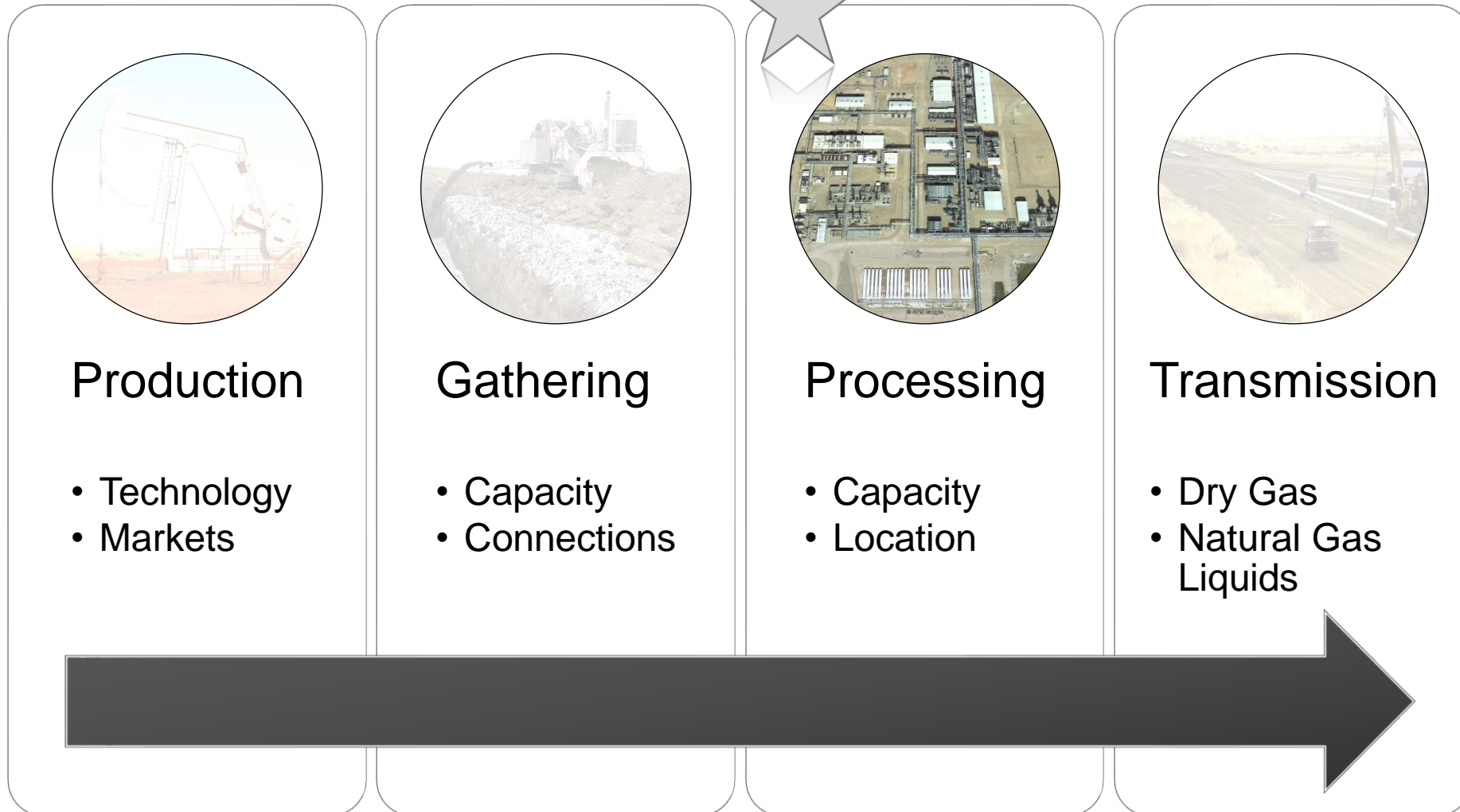


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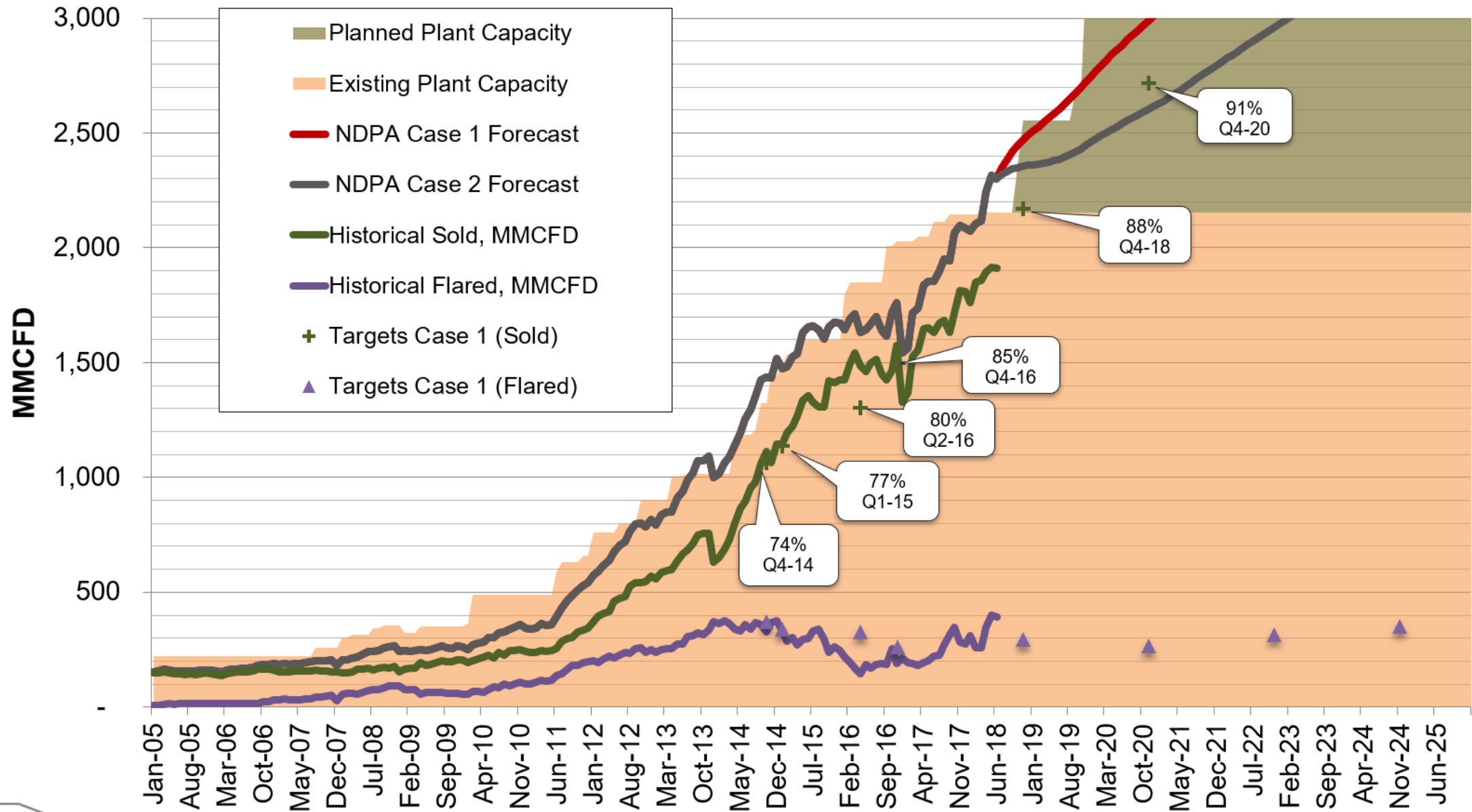
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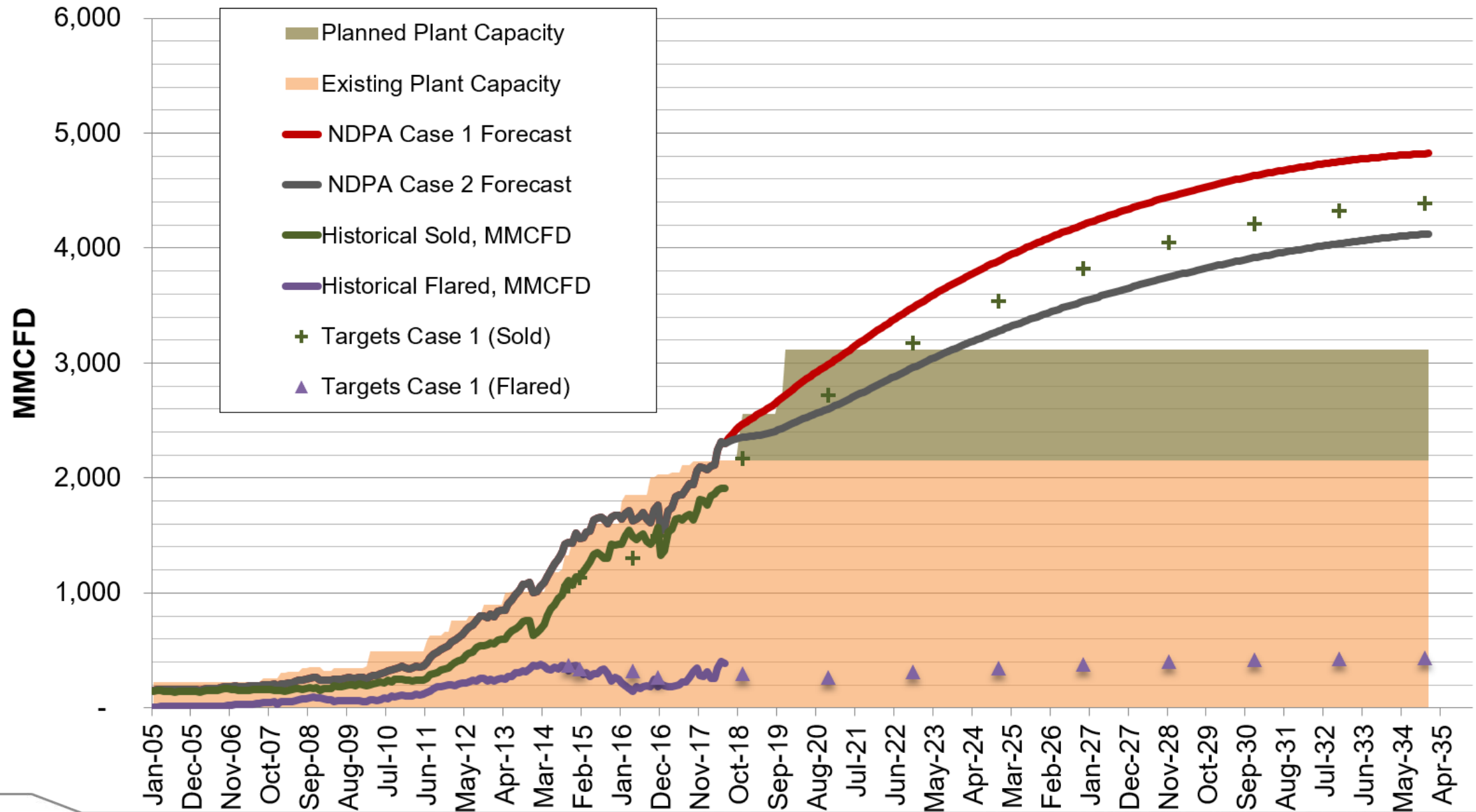
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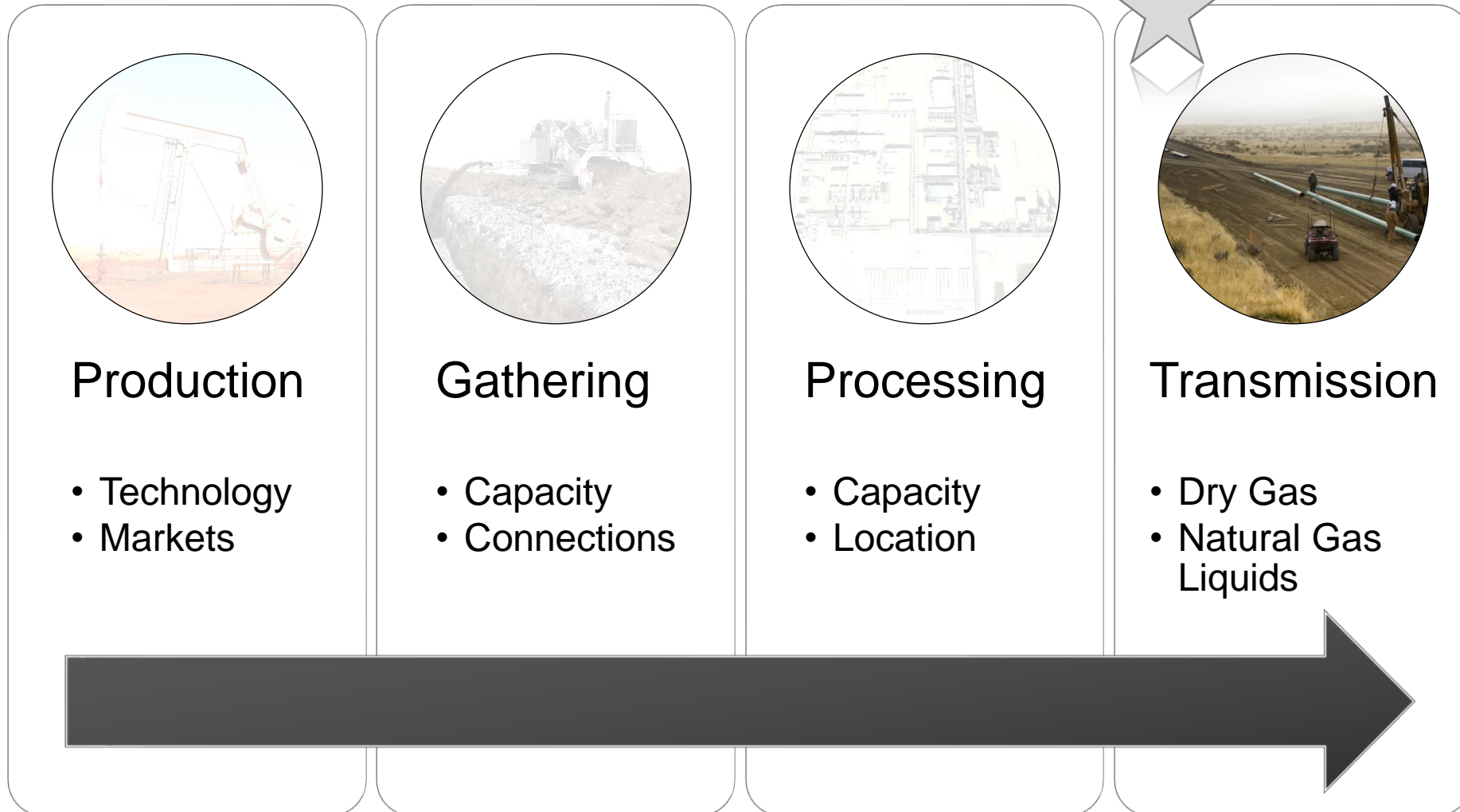
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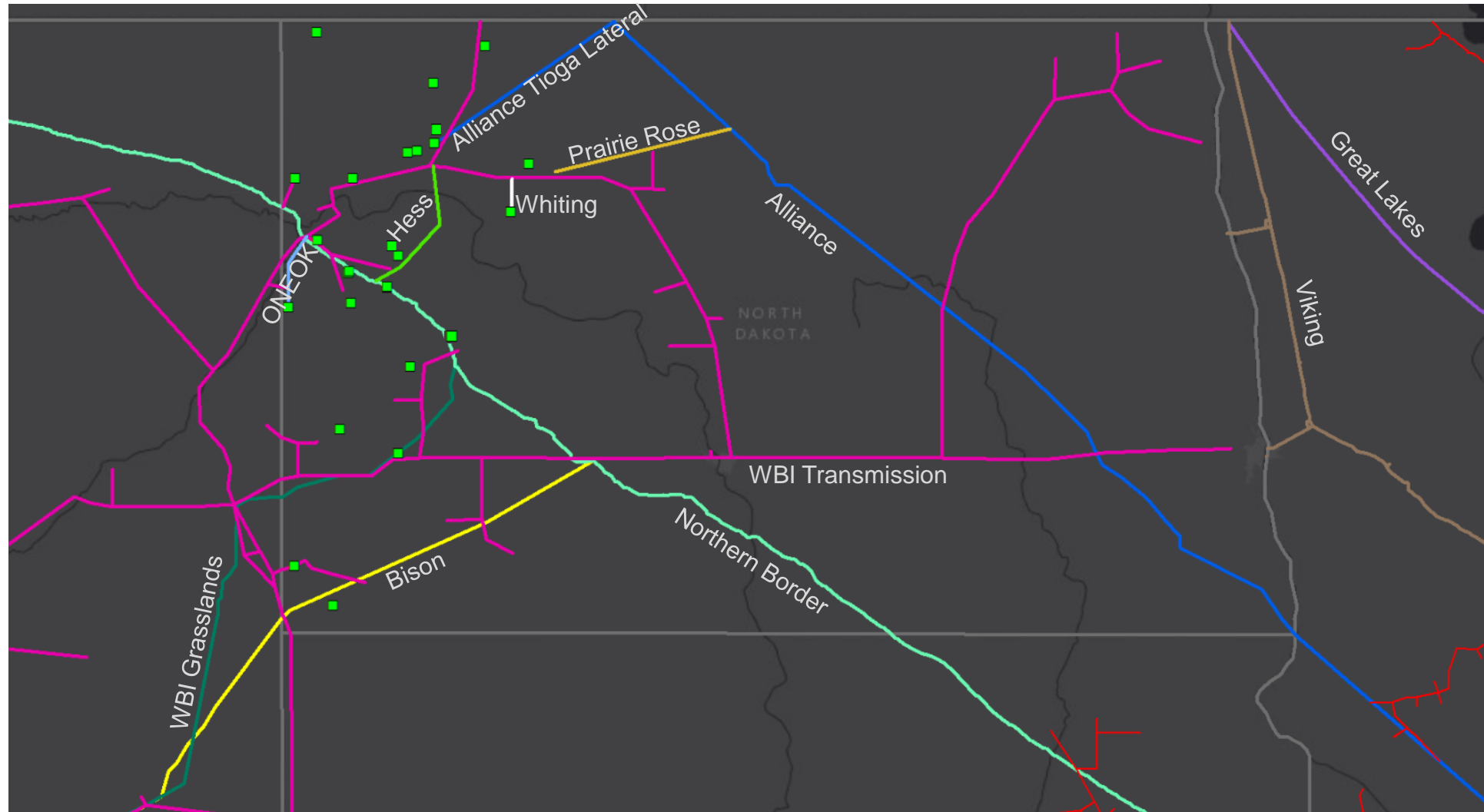
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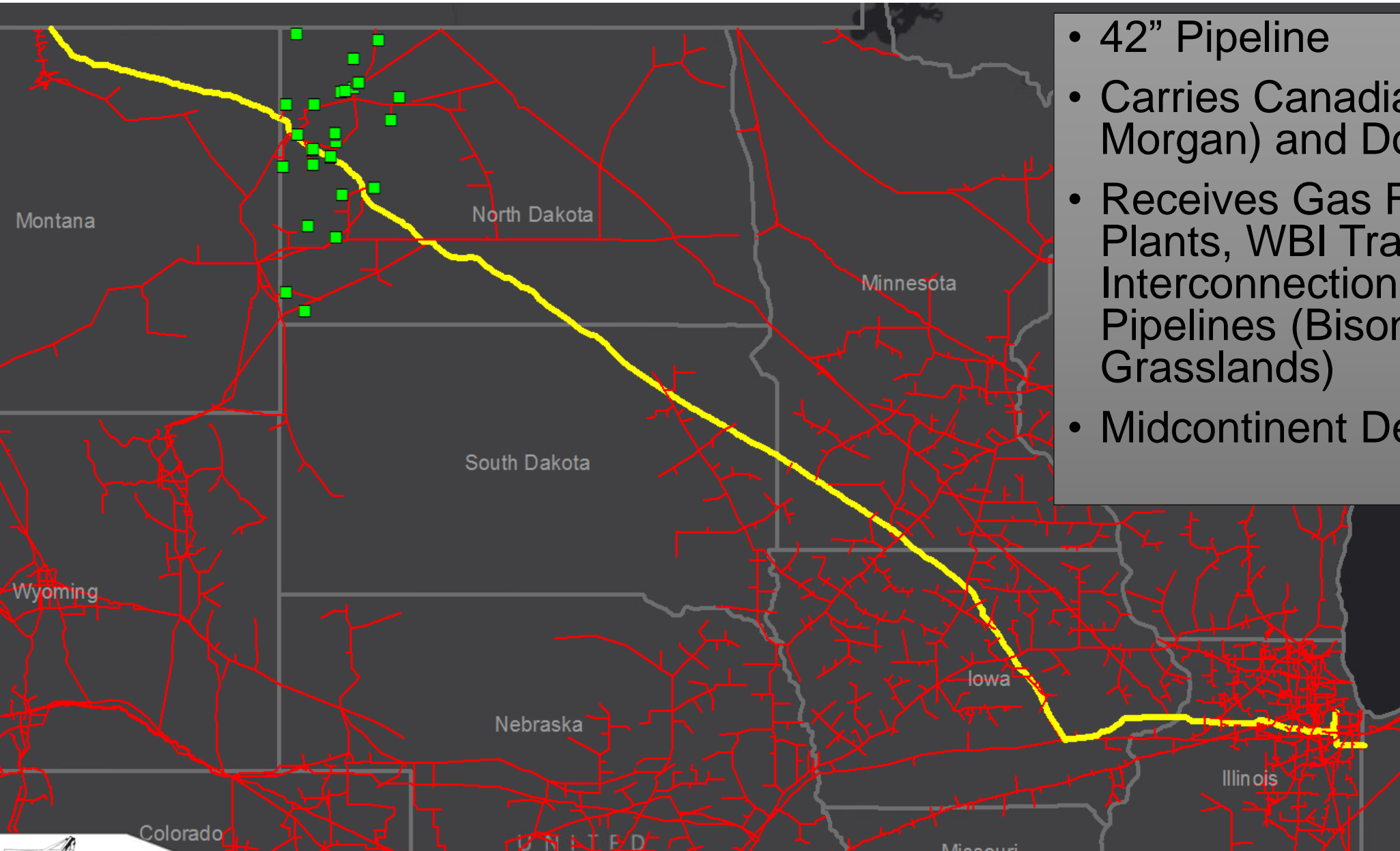


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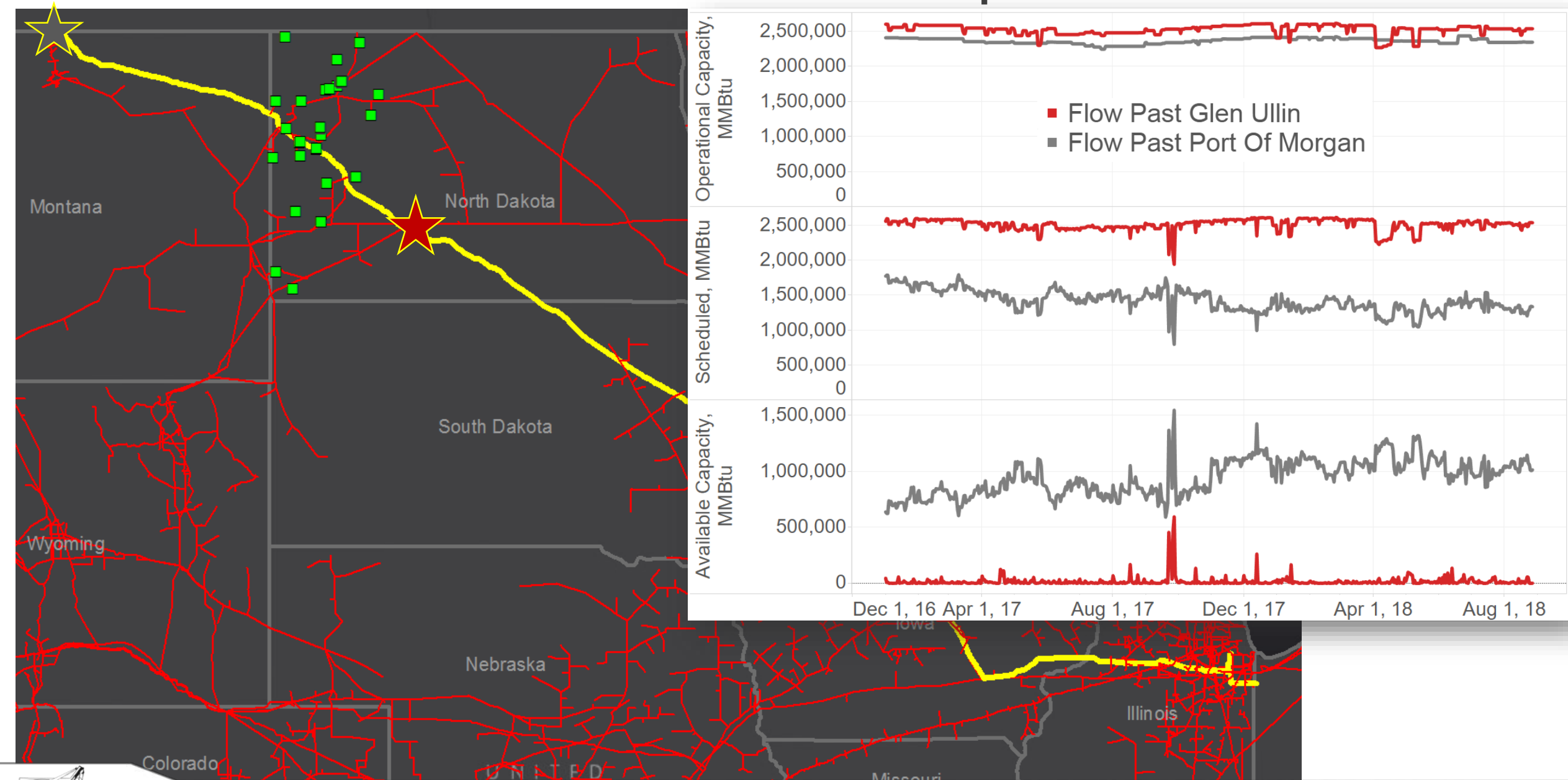


Northern Border Pipeline

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- Midcontinent Deliveries

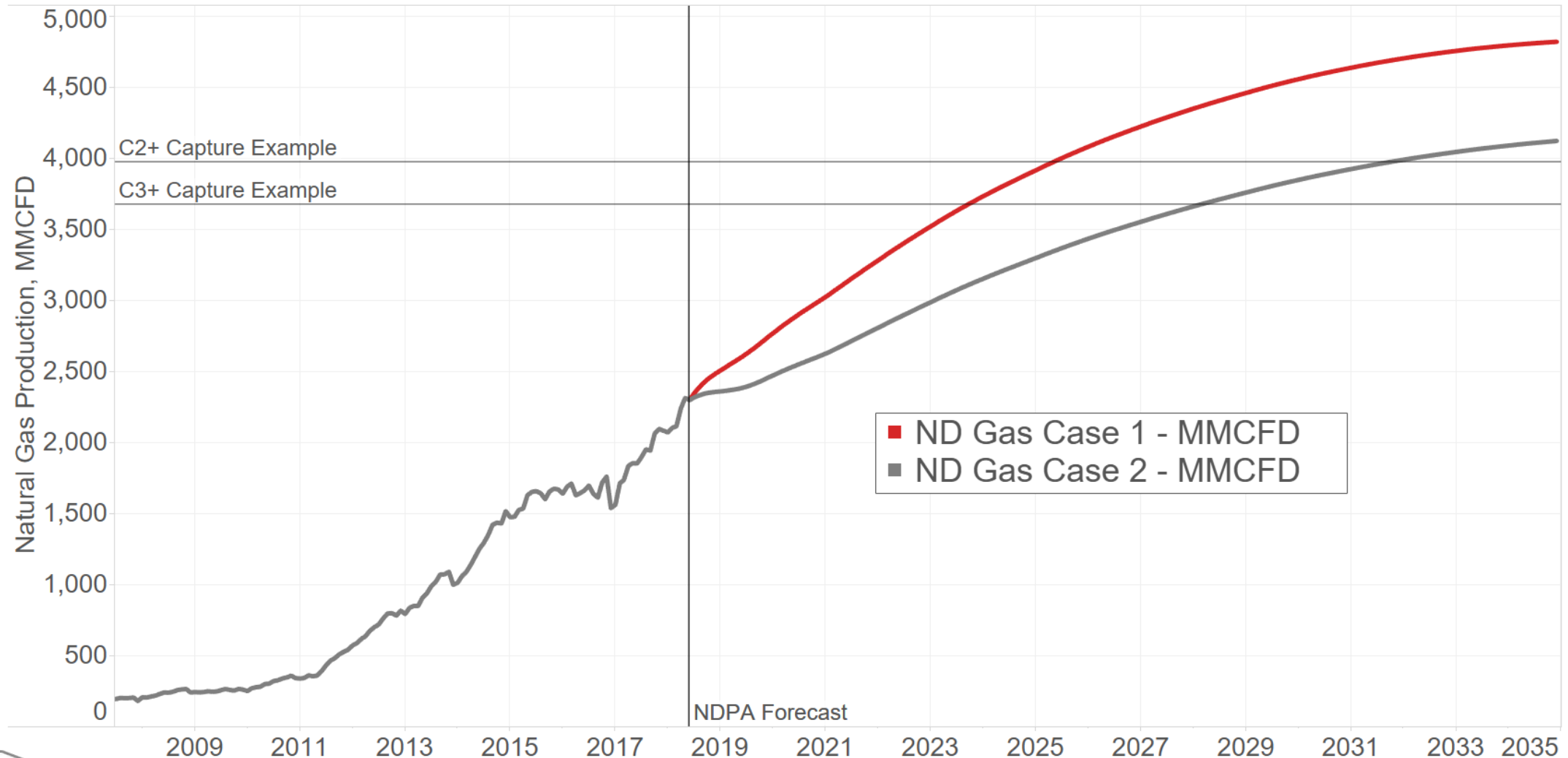


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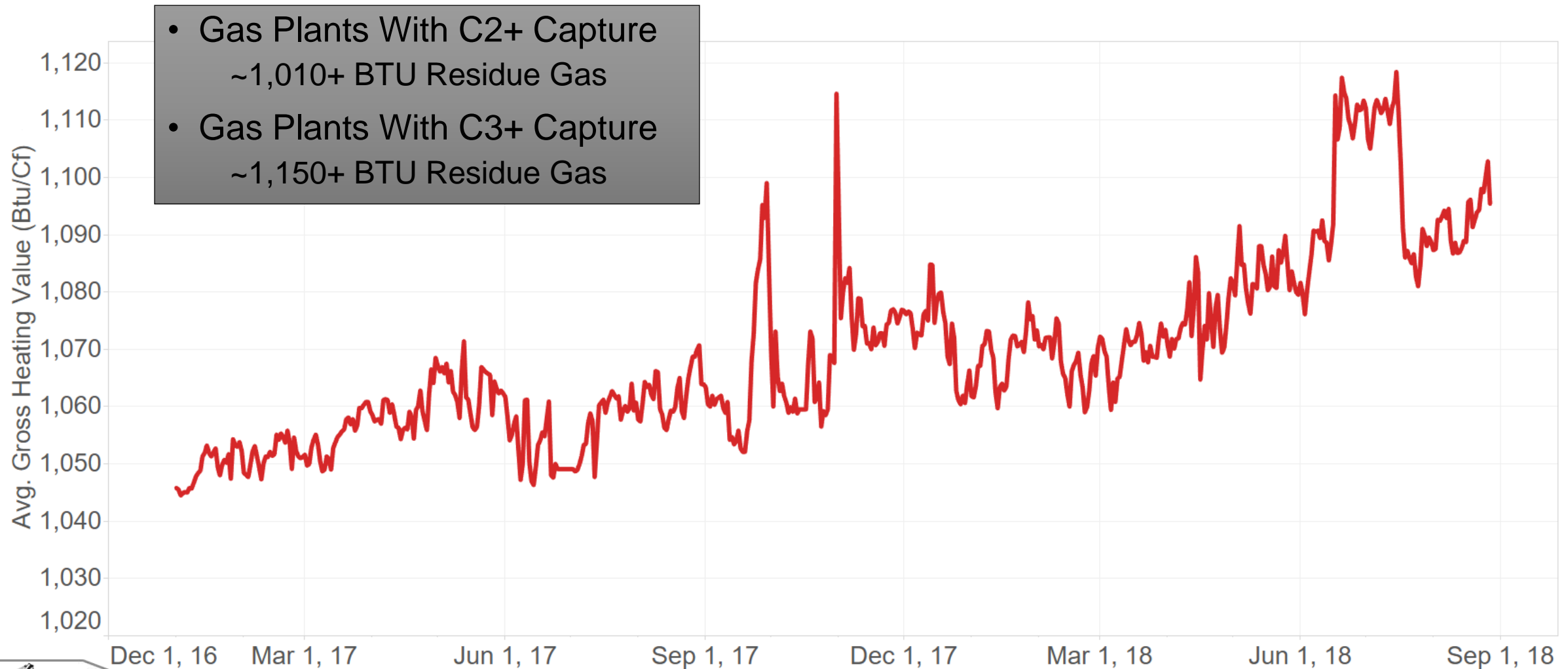
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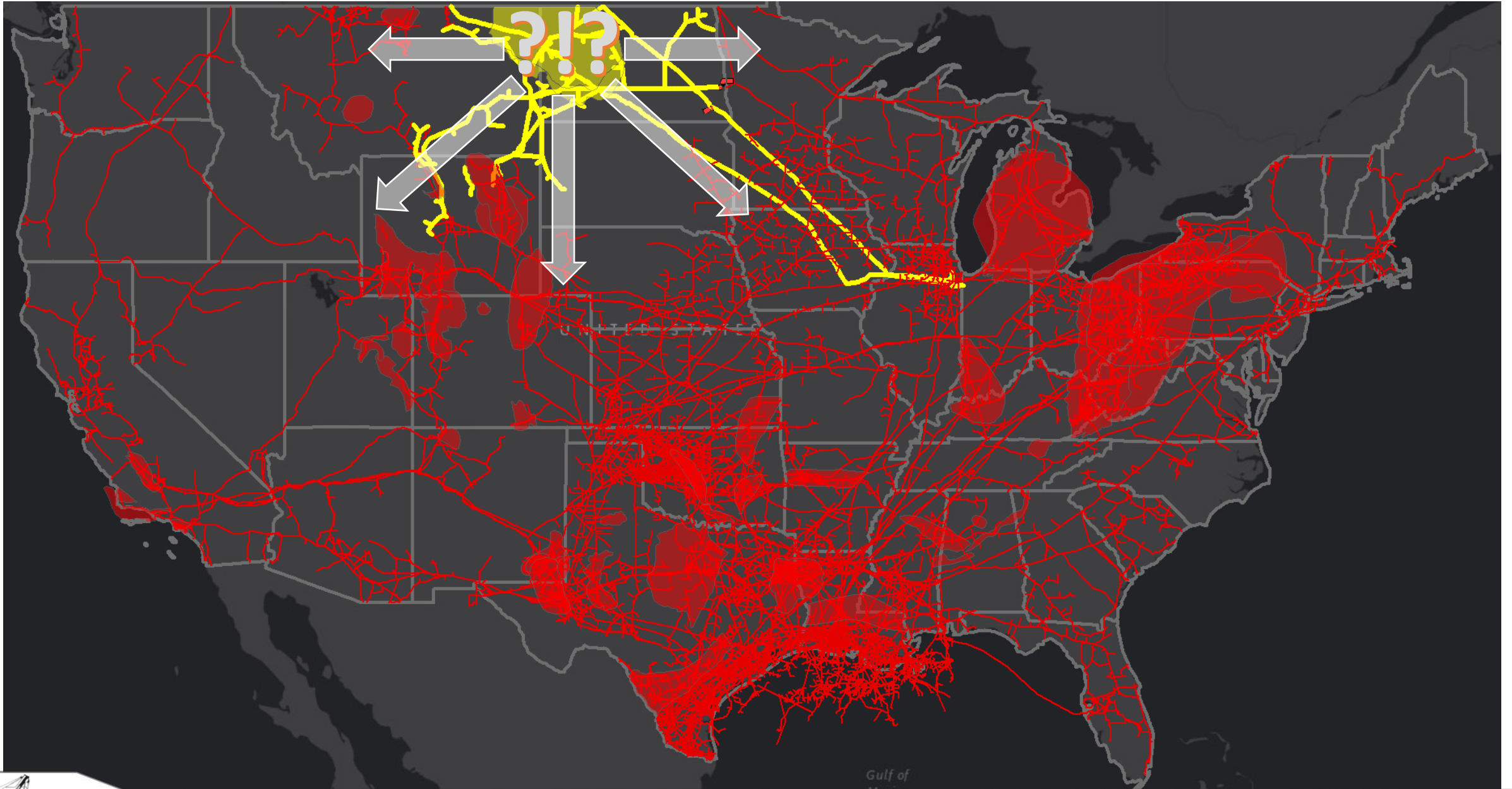


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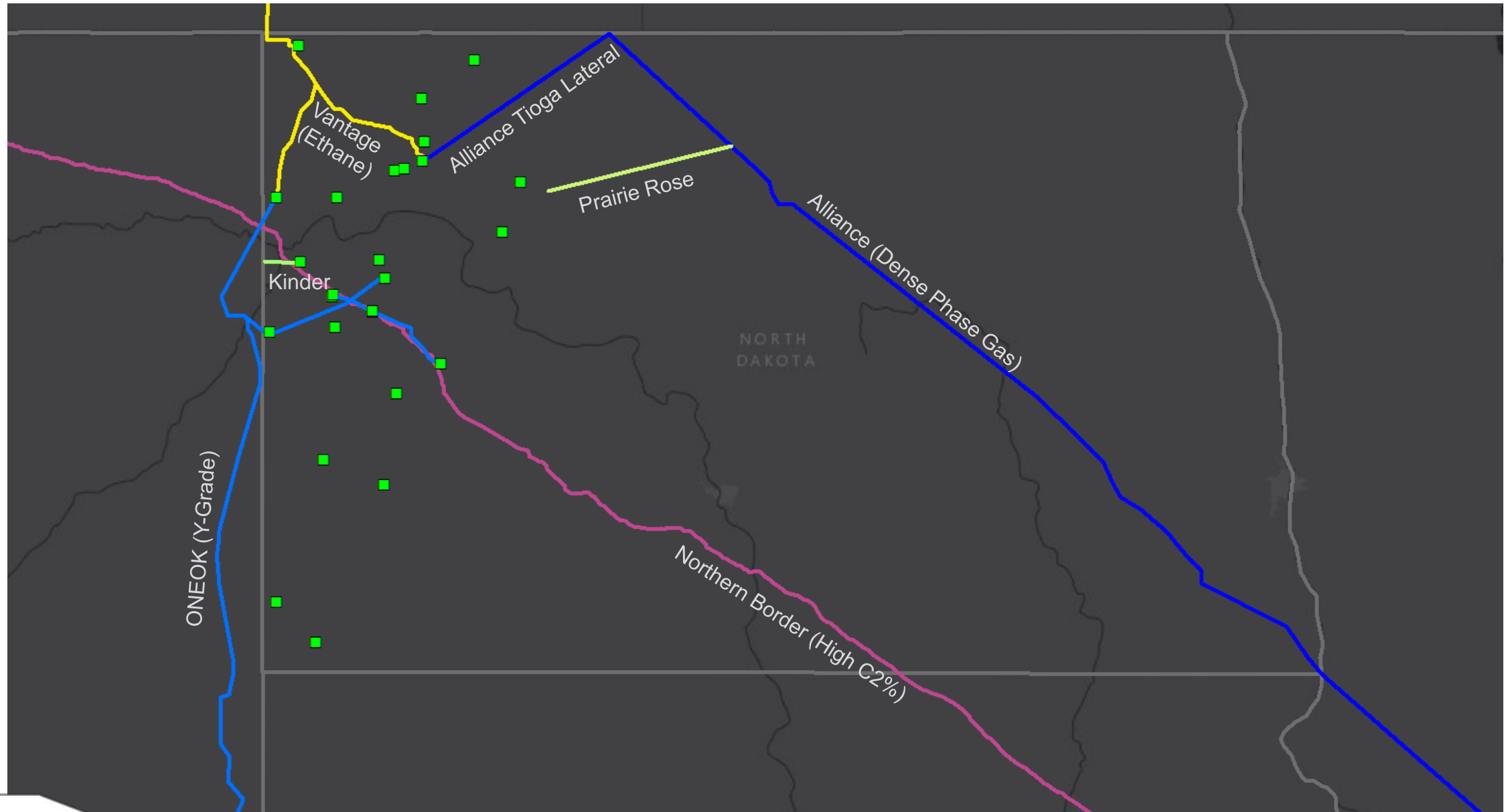
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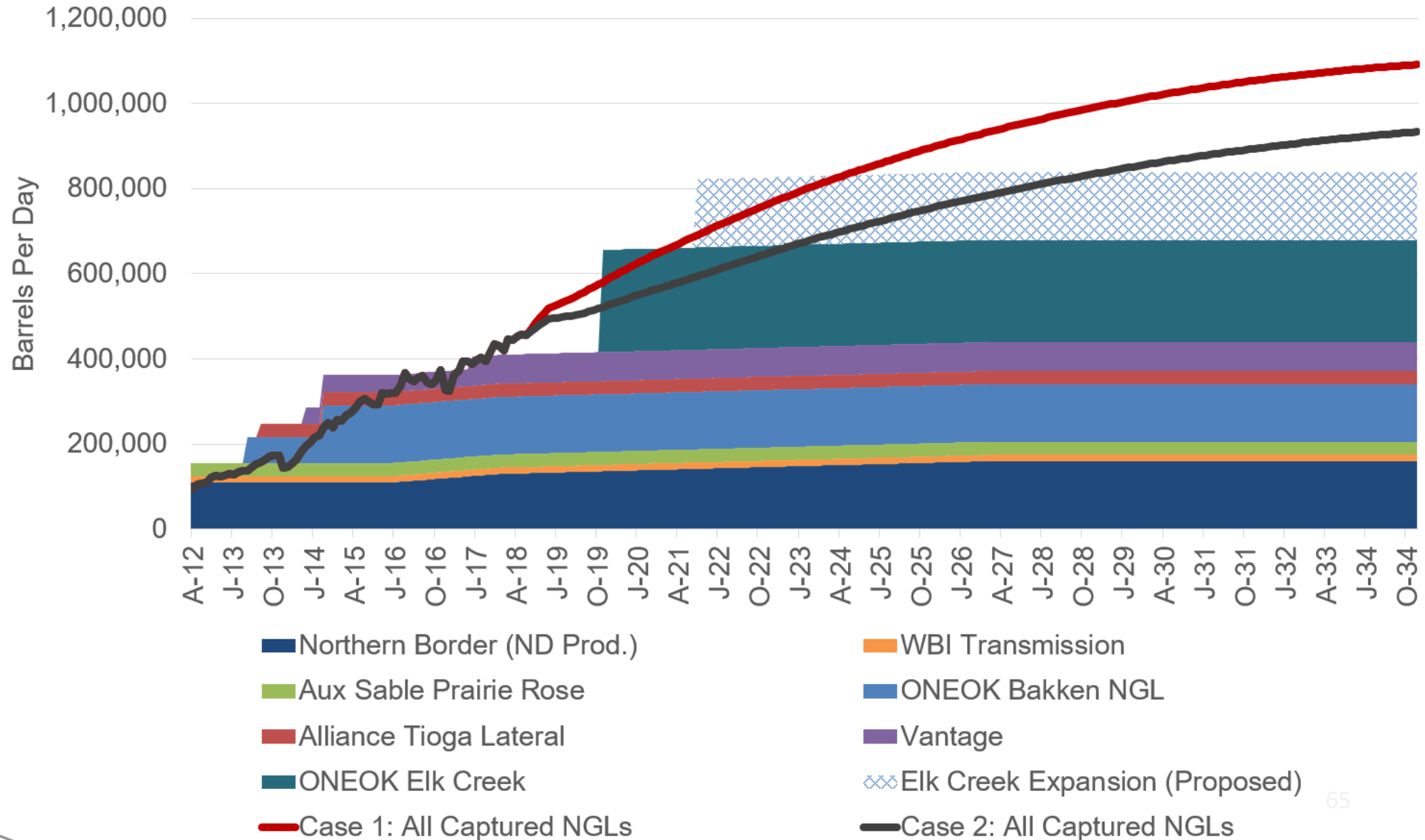
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Regional NGL Infrastructure



NGL Pipeline Takeaway Options



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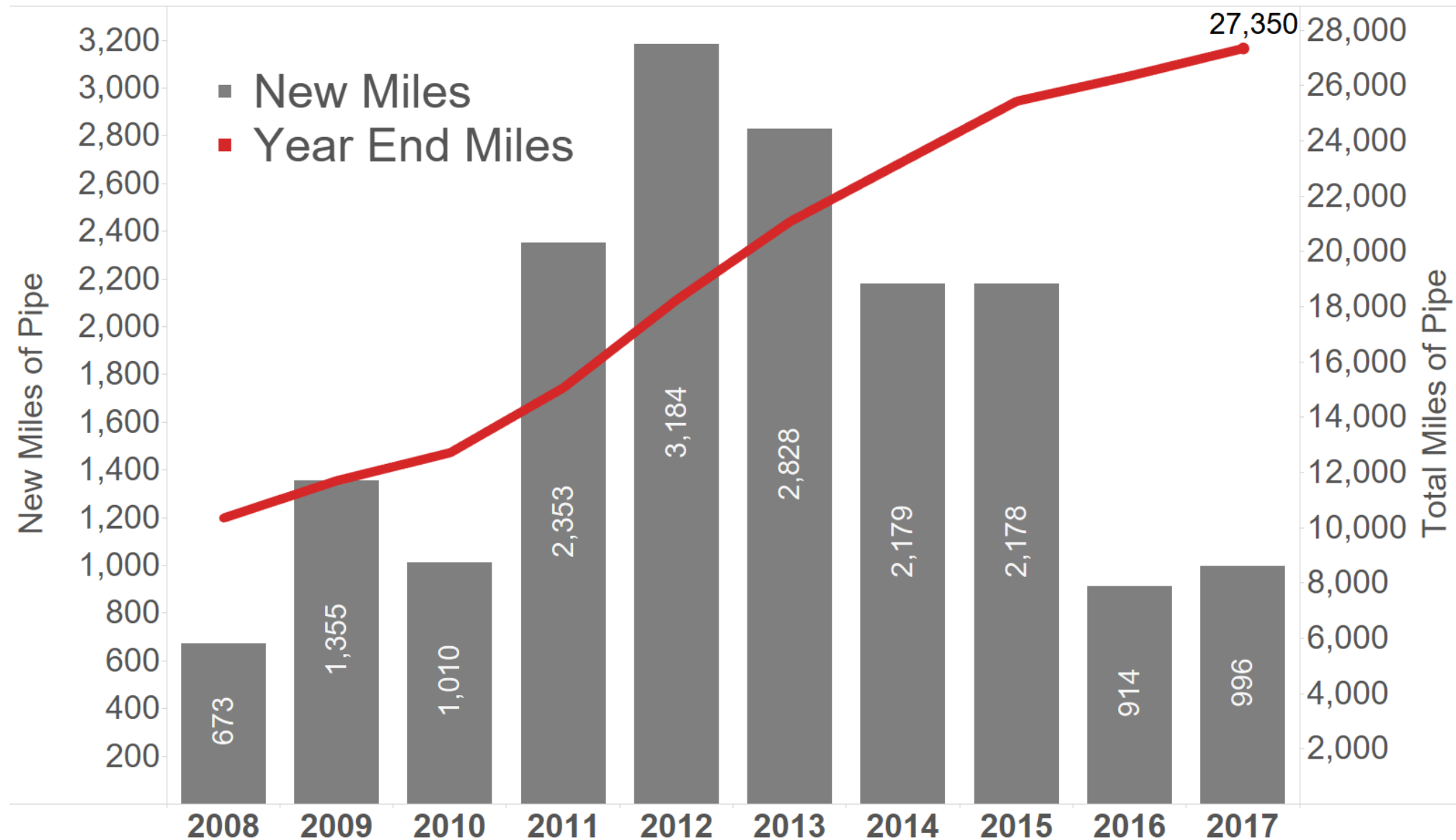


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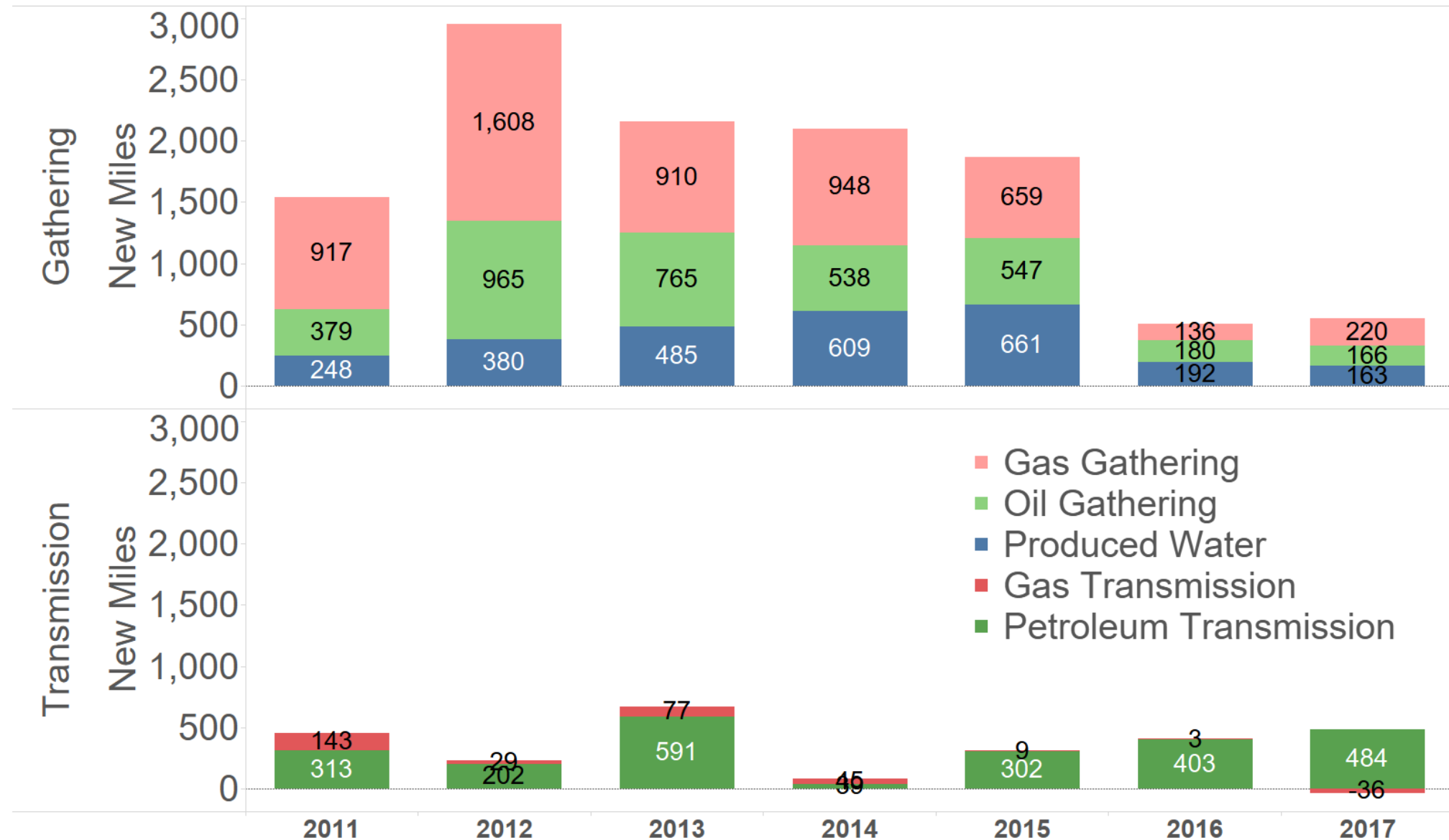
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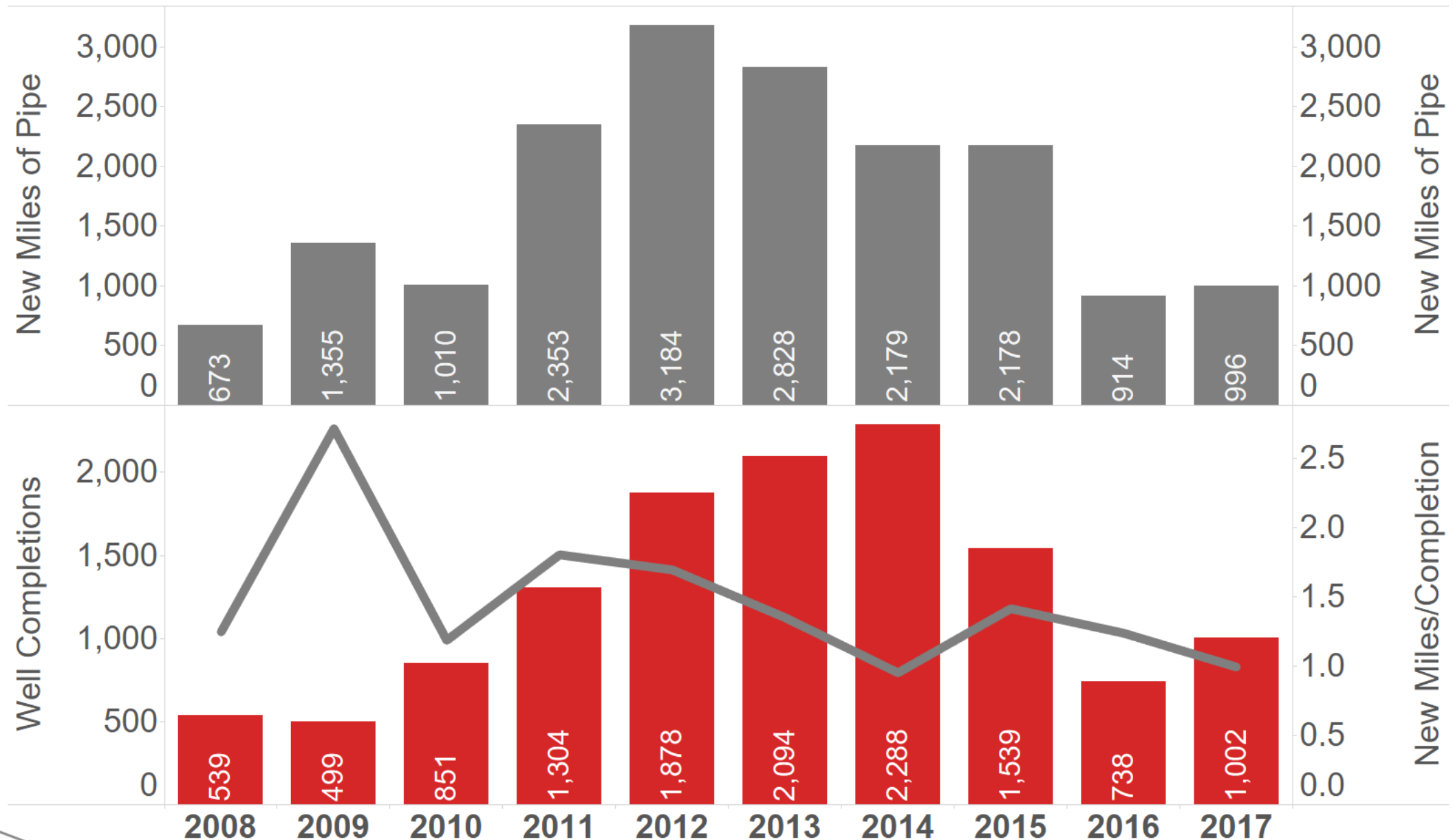
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