



### Caltec



- The world leader in Surface Jet Pump (SJP) and compact separation systems for upstream oil and gas production enhancement
- Caltec offers application identification, design, optimisation and the provision of solutions based upon our proprietary SJP and compact separation technologies
- Extensive track record in adding value to major IOC and NOC clients worldwide
- Caltec is part of Petrofac Production Solutions
- Petrofac is a major international EPC service company. Worldwide offices.



### **Caltec Solutions**



### **SJP Based Production Enhancement systems:**

- Increase production from mature oil & gas fields and wells
- Boost the pressure of low pressure gas wells or fields
- Revive liquid loaded wells
- Eliminate or enhance intermediate compressors
- Debottleneck compressors
- Prevent gas flaring and venting
- Enhance artificially lifted wells (especially gas lift)

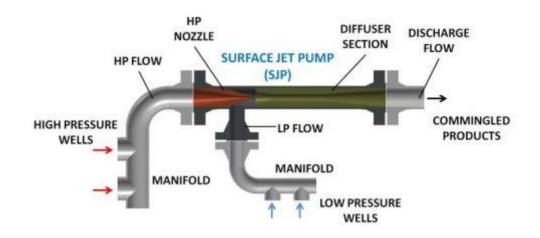
### **Compact Separation systems:**

- Phase splitting including gas liquid separation
- Sand separation
- Oil water separation
- Compact multiphase well testing using conventional meters

# Caltec's Surface Jet Pump (SJP)



(Otherwise known as an Eductor or Ejector or Velocity Spool™)





#### HP sources:

- HP wells
- HP gas from process system
- Compressor re-cycled gas
- HP oil / water (injection water)

### Features & Benefits of Caltec's SJP

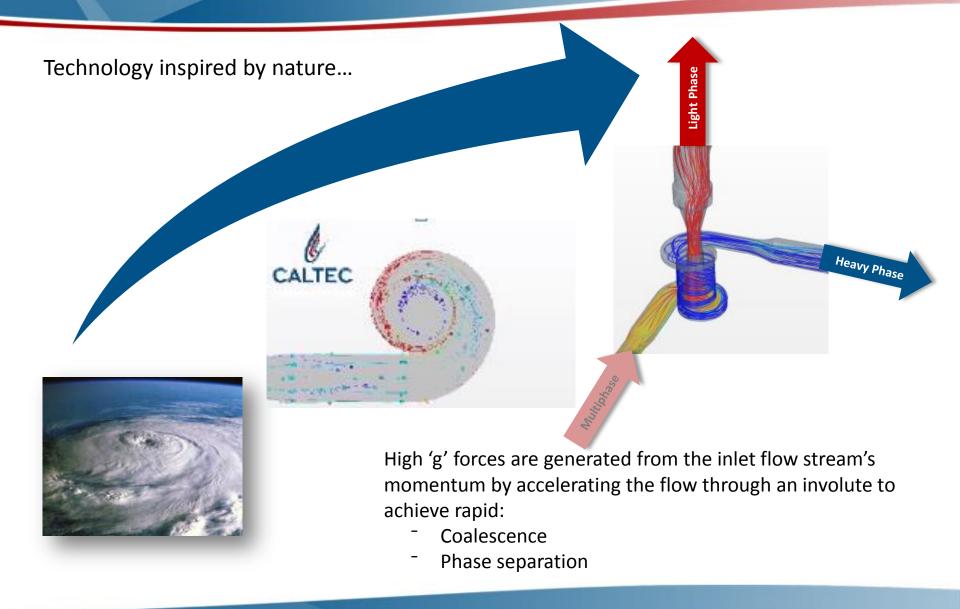


- Passive
- Utilises energy otherwise wasted
- Designed to international codes and standards
- Low weight
- Minimal footprint
- No moving parts
- Low CAPEX, very low OPEX
- Minimal control and instrumentation
- Easy and quick to install
- Low risk
- Short payback period



### Compact Cyclonic Separation – Caltec's I-SEP®



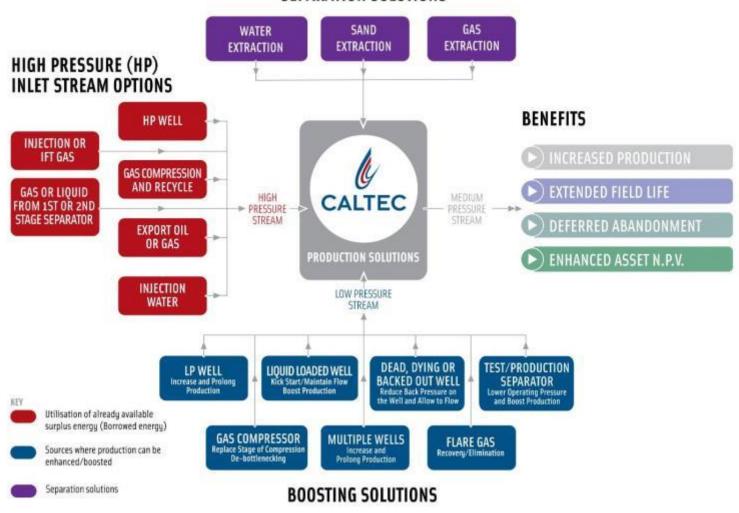




# **Typical Applications**



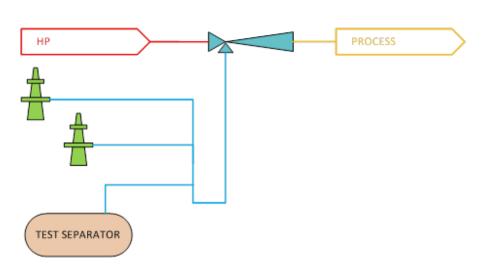
### SEPARATION SOLUTIONS

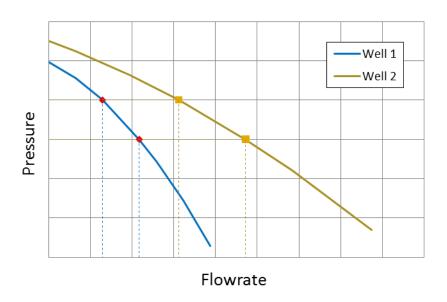






- Lowering the FWHP creates an increase in production determined by the PI curve
- SJP lowers the flowing pressure, delivering the fluids to production systems

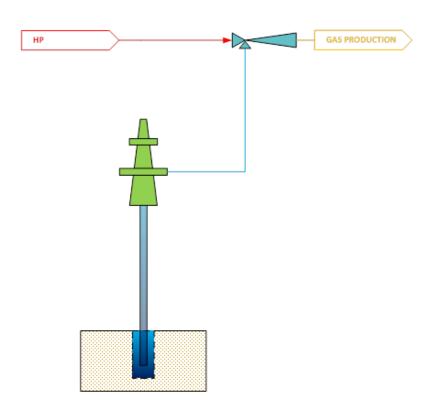




# Deliquification / Revival



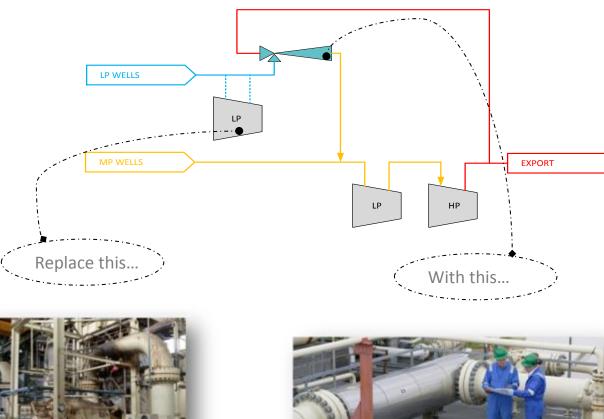
- SJP can be used to reduce the FWHP (and FBHP)
- Flashing leads to reduction in fluid density
  - Increased in-situ velocity sweeps liquids
- Can sometimes be a slow process, depending on length of riser, depth of well bore etc.



### **Compressor Removal**



- Remove a stage of compression
  - Save maintenance costs
  - Save on fuel gas
    - Export as sales gas instead
- Use later-stage compressor recycle to boost LP
- Rapid start-up / shutdown



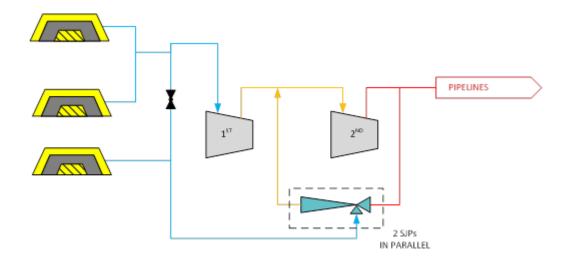




# Compressor Debottlenecking



- SJP to optimise compression
- Use HP gas from downstream compressors to boost LP
- Can be used to boost inlet pressure to compressor

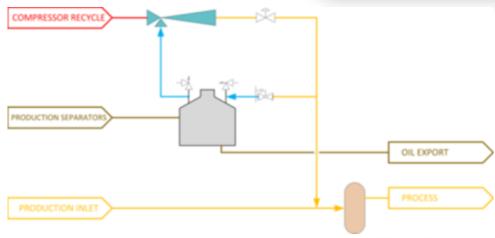


### Vent Gas Recovery



- Recover vent gas from crude oil storage tanks
  - Prevent hazardous emissions
  - Re-capture otherwise lost gas into the production process
- Maintain tank safety systems
  - Over-pressure protection
  - Vacuum protection

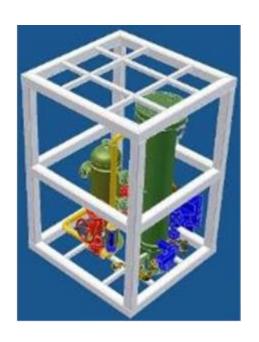




# Well Test/Multiphase Metering



- Multiphase well testing using conventional meters
- Separated flows can be recombined on the skid
- Low pressure drop (typically 1 bar)
- Compact size with low weight and small footprint. Highly mobile
- Can convert into a multiphase production boosting or well revival system with Caltec's patented Wellcom® SJP technology



Skid-mounted version



# Oil-Water Separation – Wx® Technology



- Consistent performance over a wide flow range
- Low sensitivity to inlet water cut above 50%
- Large turndown ratio, approx 10:1
- Operates inline at full wellhead or process pressure with low pressure drop across the system (generally 1-2 bar)
- No moving parts: very low maintenance, low inventory, minimal control required
- Very small footprint
- Inline modular design capable of flow rates of 1,000 – 50,000 bpd in a standard 36" pipe
- Tolerant to gas in the inlet stream performance is maintained with gas present
- Ideal for high pressure/high temperature wellhead and subsea applications

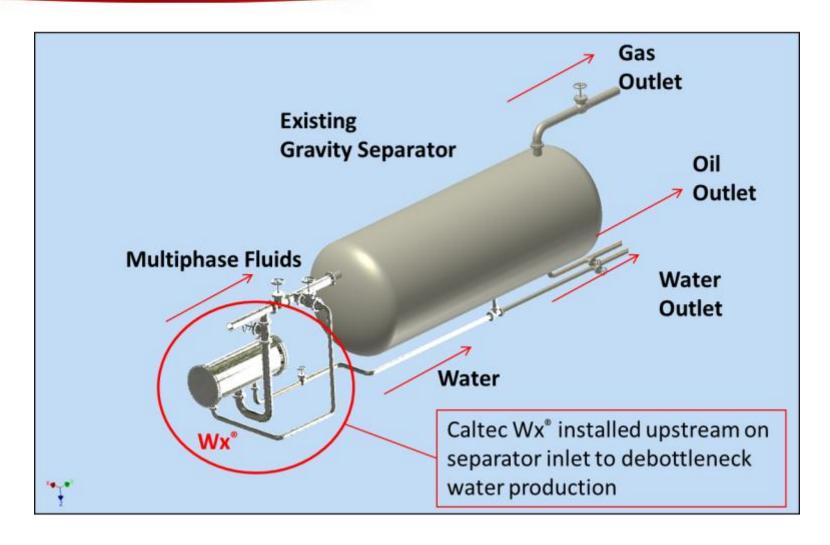


### **Typical Performance:**

- 60% 70% water extraction
- Water quality; 2,000 to 500 ppm oil in water

# Wx® for Debottlenecking Water from Gravity Separator







### **Case Histories**

### **Production Boosting**



#### **UKCS** - Offshore

#### Issue

 Near-by low pressure wells could not be tied-in due to the capacity limitation of the existing compression facilities.

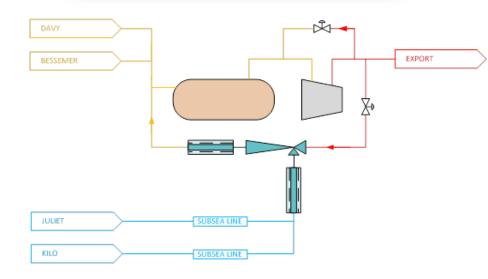
#### Solution

- Used SJP to draw in low pressure satellite wells (15km subsea tie-back)
- HP gas mmscfd at 1000 psig

#### Benefits

- Recovered extra 68 mmscfd of gas from LP wells (increase of 25%)
- Stabilised and unload liquid from LP wells
- Tolerant to liquid slugs
- Increased intake capacity of compressor





Award-winning solution

### **Production Boosting**

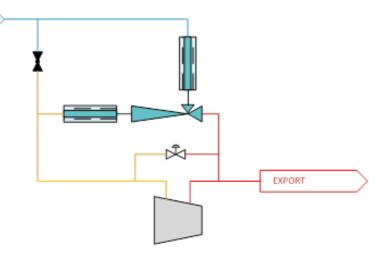


### Netherlands – Offshore

- Issue
  - Reducing gas production, compressor on constant recycle
  - New compressor or re-wheel required to increase production
- Solution
  - 16" SJP
  - SJP installed to use 92mmscfd HP gas at 84bara
  - LP flowrate of 94mmscfd at 20.5bara
- Benefits
  - LP gas from wells boosted by almost 6bar
  - Total gas production increased by 91mmscfd

"By installing an SJP in the recycle line of the existing compressor, we avoided a second stage compressor cum re-wheel (est. savings some €10M, first gas acceleration one year)"





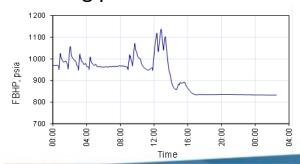
LP WELLS

### Multiphase Boosting

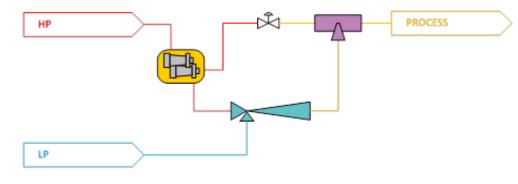


### Malaysia - FPSO

- Issue
  - Shut-in LP wells
- Solution
  - Multiphase HP wells used to reduce back-pressure
- Benefits
  - Used energy otherwise lost in choke from HP well
  - 20% pressure boost for LP wells
  - Increased production by over 35% (150 bpd)
  - Improved flow regime in well bore, stabilising production







### Avoid LP Field Back-Out



#### **UKCS** - Offshore

#### • Issue

 New HP wells would have backed-out LP wells by increasing pipeline pressure

#### Solution

 Using high pressure gas from the well to power the SJP enabled draw-in of the backed-out low pressure wells

### Benefits

- Backpressure on the LP wells reduced by 5 bar giving extra 22 mmscfd of gas (production increased by 110%)
- Better use of already available energy with minimum modification to the existing piping
- Increased the producing life and stability of the LP wells
- Delivered the combined flow at the required higher downstream pressure



### **Production Boosting**



### Malaysia - Offshore

#### Issue

 Multiple wells under-performing or shut-in

#### Solution

- Using HP gas from compressor to power the jet pump enabled production of 16 wells
- Boost of ~25 mmscfd from 40 barg to 50 barg
- HP gas ~60 mmscfd at 100 barg

#### Benefits

- Increased production of 14 mmscfd
- Additional connection to test separator enabled liquid unloading at low pressures
- Increased the producing life and stability of the LP wells



# Compressor Replacement



### **UK - Onshore**

- Issue
  - Operational costs with compressor and fuel gas consumption
- Solution
  - Removed 1<sup>st</sup> stage compressor by utilising the available energy from recycle gas from HP compressor
  - Boost of 19 mmscfd from 25 psig to 70 psig
  - HP gas 32 mmscfd at 1000 psig
- Benefits
  - Save 2 mmscfd fuel gas by removing LP compressor
  - Make use of available recycle gas
  - Saving a compressor for use elsewhere
  - Entire field being drawn in by SJP

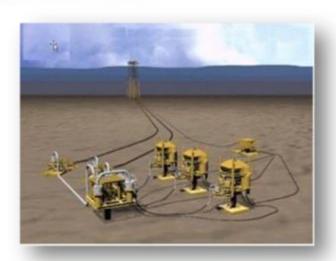


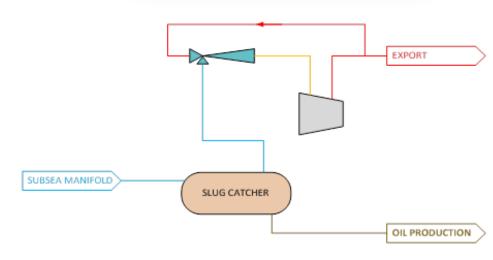
### Well Deliquification / Revival



### Gulf of Mexico - Offshore

- Issue
  - Wells shut-in and liquid loaded
- Solution
  - HP gas from the existing compressor on recycle used to power the Surface Jet Pump
- Benefits
  - Lowered arrival pressure at the platform by 200 psi
  - Reduction in liquids accumulated in the pipeline, causing a further 140 psi drop at the wellhead
  - Recovered 2.5 BSCF of otherwise lost reserves
  - Flow delivered at higher pressure to compressor suction increased compressor throughput





### Vent Gas Recovery



#### Mexico - Onshore

- Issues
  - Gas venting from crude storage tank
    - Environmental emissions
    - Safety risk from electrical storms
- Solution
  - Used SJP to capture vent gas
  - LP capacity of 0.3 mmscfd
  - HP gas 1.8 mmscfd at 62 barg
  - Recycle to maintain tank pressure
  - Discharged into inlet rectifier
- Benefits
  - No further emissions
  - Made use of available recycled gas





# CALTEC BOOSTING PRODUCTION AROUND THE WORLD

