# Onshore Canning Basin

NW WESTERN AUSTRALIA, ONSHORE

Reservoir:

**Grant Formation** 

Seal:

Intra-formational Grant Formation shales

### **HYDROCARBON POTENTIAL**

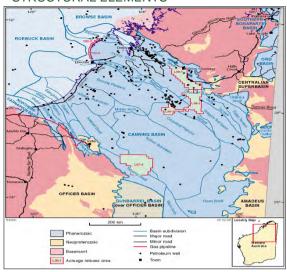
CATEGORY 1 and 2 (OGRA 2005)

Crude oil MMBL 0.11 Condensate MMBL 0 LPG MMBL 0 Sales gas Tcf 0.01

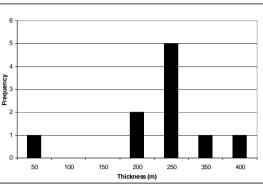
\*data from entire basin

### STRUCTURAL ELEMENTS

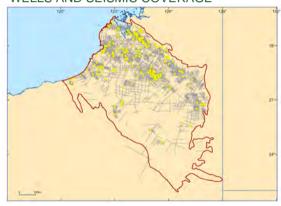
OIL AND GAS FIELDS



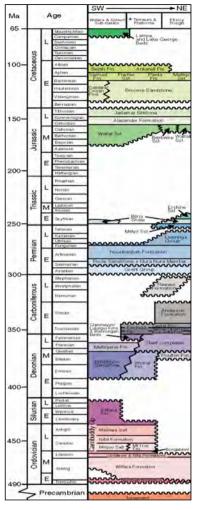
### RESERVOIR THICKNESS



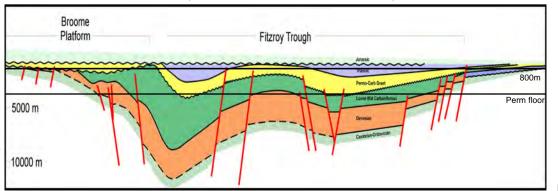
### WELLS AND SEISMIC COVERAGE



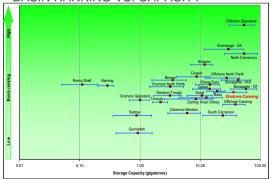
### STRATIGRAPHY



### REGIONAL CROSS SECTION (LOCATION IN OIL AND GAS FIELDS MAP)



## BASIN RANKING VS. CAPACITY

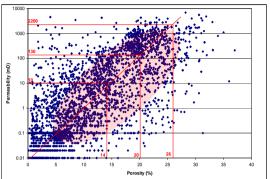


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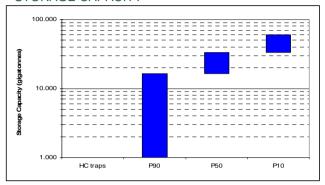
- •Regional Seal Area Figure
- •Top Seal Potential

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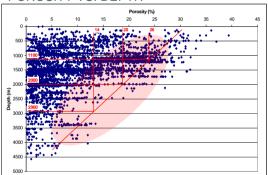
# POROSITY VS. PERMEABILITY \*Values from basin-wide dataset



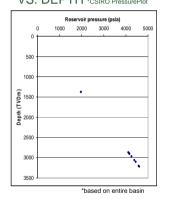
### STORAGE CAPACITY



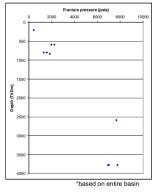
### POROSITY VS. DEPTH



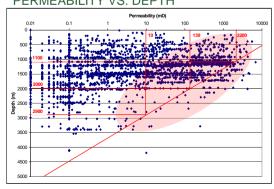
### RESERVOIR PRESSURE VS. DEPTH \*CSIRO PressurePlot

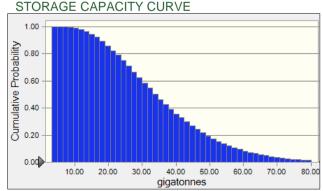


### FRACTURE PRESSURE VS. DEPTH \*CSIRO PressurePlot



### PERMEABILITY VS. DEPTH





### **BASIN RANKING**

Category	Description	Score	Weighting
Tectonics (Seismicity)	Low	5	0.00
Size	Very Large	4	0.06
Depth	Intermediate	3	0.10
Туре	Non-marine and Marine	0.04	
Faulting intensity	Moderate 2		0.14
Hydrogeology	Good	3	0.04
Geothermal	Moderate	2	0.05
Hydrocarbon potential	Medium	3	0.05
Maturity	Exploration	2	0.05
Coal and CBM	Shallow	2	0.00
Reservoir	Good	4	0.16
Seal	Good	4	0.18
Reservoir/Seal Pairs	Excellent	4	0.03
Onshore/Offshore	Onshore	3	0.00
Climate	Tropical	3	0.00
Accessibility	Difficult	2	0.00
Infrastructure	None	1	0.00
CO <sub>2</sub> sources	None	1	0.00
Knowledge level	Moderate	2	0.05
Data availability	Moderate	2	0.05
Overall Ranking			17

### STORAGE CAPACITY ESTIMATE

Parameter	Unit	Score (P90)	Score (P50)	Score (P10)	Distribution
Area of storage region	km²	13050	38000	83600	Triangular
Gross thickness of saline formation	m	50	200	300	Triangular
Average porosity of saline formation over thickness interval	%	15	18	21	Triangular
Density of CO <sub>2</sub> at average reservoir conditions	tonne/m <sup>3</sup>	0.5	0.6	0.7	Triangular
E-storage efficiency factor (% of total pore volume)	%	4	4	4	
Calculated storage potential	gigatonnes	16.5	33.3	59.8	

### POTENTIAL INJECTION PARAMETERS

Parameter	Unit	Shallow	Mid-Depth	Deep
Depth base seal	m	900	1800	2600
Formation thickness	m	200	200	300
Injection depth	m	1100	2000	2900
Porosity	%	26	20	14
Absolute permeability	mD	2200	130	10
Formation pressure	psia	1575	2860	4150
Fracture pressure	psia	2380	4330	6280

### DISCLAIMER

The purpose of these montages is to aid a high level evaluation of the geological storage potential of Australia's sedimentary basins for future CO<sub>2</sub> emissions. The evaluations are based on core analysis and other data derived from Geoscience Australia and other sources. However due to time constraints, it has not been possible to carry out the detailed evaluation of the data, which will be required for the next phase of analysis.

In this exercise, we sought to recognise a range of characteristics within each basin by identifying three sets of parameters at different locations and depths in the basin. The intent is to generate an indication of a range of storage capacity and potential injection rates. These capacities and rates are being used in high level reservoir modelling work to generate injection tariffs\* and capacity estimates. All of this work feeds into a process that provides indicative, conceptual transport and storage tariffs for CO<sub>2</sub> emissions captured in various parts of Australia.

This 'top down', simplistic approach seeks to describe the magnitude and range of potential costs for transport and storage in Australia, at a 'conceptual' level of accuracy. Clearly, any final investment decision would call on an increased understanding and level of accuracy through the usual project development process.

\* Cost per tonne of CO<sub>2</sub> avoided, calculated using the net present value of cash flows over a 25 year asset life.

### REFERENCES

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