

#### 2016 INTERNATIONAL PERFORATING SYMPOSIUM GALVESTON

## A STEP CHANGE IN MULTISTAGE PERFORATING

IPS 16-21

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- Multistage Perforating in North America
- Horizontal Frac Operations
- Conventional Gun Systems
- New Technology for Multistage Perforating



# Multistage Perforating in North America



https://www.eia.gov/maps/maps.htm#shaleplay

## Horizontal Stage Frac Operation



#### Cost distribution for a fracturing operation



#### **Common Horizontal Frac Operation**

- Great amount of equipment and crews from various service companies
- Cost heavily influenced by Fracturing crew expenses
- Economical returns can only be achieved through maximized efficiency

# How Efficient is Efficient?

**Opportunities for WL improvement** 

- Time saved preparing gun string
- Time saved with faster rig-ups
- Time saved preventing misruns



# **Conventional Guns Reliability**

- Conventional Gun Systems have potential for service quality issues
- Wiring and assembly are critical points in the process



# **Conventional Gun Shop Operations**



## Intermediate Adapters



## Loading Process



## **Gun Strings**



# **Conventional Gun Shop Operations**





# **Conventional Wellsite Operations**

- Perforating strings range from 4 to 10 guns per string
- Radio Silence zone required
- Gun string electrical connections
- Detonators armed at the well site



# A Revolutionary Multistage Perforating System

A new benchmark for Multistage Perforating:

- Safest initiator system in the industry
- Improved Reliability
- Improved Operational Efficiency
  - Gun Shop
  - Well site

## Safety- Ballistic Interrupt



# Reliability & Efficiency - Gun Shop



## Intermediate Adapters



### Loading process



### **Gun Strings**



# Reliability & Efficiency - Well site







# North America Land Deployment



Wellsite Efficiency (Conventional vs. New Tech.)





# Specifications

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Gun Diameter in, (mm)	<b>2-7/8 , 3-1/8, 3-1/2</b> (73.0, 79.4, 88.9)
Gun Length ft, (m)	1, 2, 3, 5 (0.3, 0.6, 0.9, 1.5)
Shot Phasing/ Density	60°/6 shots per foot (60°/20 shots per meter)
Reliability	99.9 % or higher
Max Temperature / Pressure	340°F(171°C)— 18K Psi or 20Kpsi
Arming Options	Ballistic Interrupt Detonator / Radio Safe Detonator
Gun Housing type	Slick, Scalloped
Guns Selectivity	Up to 40 addresses



# Multistage Stimulation Perforating Solution



- Ballistic interrupter
- Addressable Switch Technology

#### Reliability



- Modular approach easier to load
- Pre-assembled from factory
- Fully disposable (no need for cleaning, quick TAT)



- No well site arming
- Tested and verified
- Optimized rig up

# North America Land Deployment

- 7 locations in North America
- Proven reliability 99.9%
- > 16,000 guns shot
- > 3,100 stages completed





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## **QUESTIONS?**

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