

Rapid Mobilization of TrackMaster Select in Mexico Recovers an Ongoing Exploration Well Sidetrack Successfully

Facing significant challenges in an ongoing sidetracking operation, a customer mobilized the TrackMaster Select* system at short notice to sidetrack 13³/₈ inch casing and deliver a successful casing exit.

CHALLENGE

To recover an exploration well sidetrack program, that had accumulated significant NPT, a customer required a rapid solution to conduct a successful sidetrack and allow drilling operations to recommence following the desired plan.

SOLUTION

WIS recommended and mobilized a TrackMaster Select system and experienced, local personnel at short notice to complete this sidetracking operation. This was done successfully and in a single trip.

RESULT

- Rapid mobilization of equipment and qualified, experienced, local personnel within 24 hours, resulted in the delivery of the casing exit in a single trip.
- Both the window and rat hole were completed in 9.7 hours.
- On the surface, the milling assembly used was found to be within allowable wear tolerances, confirming that the window was of high quality and full gauge.
- Subsequent directional drilling assemblies passed freely through the window, allowing drilling operations to continue.
- The customer recognized the success from WIS to recover this sidetrack operation after incurring significant NPT with an alternative equipment supplier.



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Wellbore Integrity Solutions Mexico, in collaboration with the client, successfully sidetracked 13³/₈ inch casing, achieving a high quality, smooth window in a single trip with the TrackMaster Select system.

A customer had experienced three unsuccessful attempts to sidetrack a wellbore using a whipstock system from an alternative supplier. These attempts had resulted in significant Non-Productive Time (NPT), of 25 hours, at the well site.

As an urgent corrective action, Wellbore Integrity Solutions (WIS) was contacted to mobilize a TrackMaster Select system and field personnel to create a new casing exit. WIS had the required inventory available locally and experienced local personnel to conduct the operation. After mobilization, the operation was completed flawlessly in a single trip in a total of 9.7 hours.

A full gauge, high-quality window was provided, and the subsequent directional drilling bottom hole assemblies passed through freely, to allow continued drilling operations.

OPERATIONAL DATA SUMMARY	
Casing Size, in.	133⁄8
Weight, Lb/ft	72
Grade	N80
Top of Whipstock, m	714.1
Operational Hours	9.7
Lithology	100% Shale



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