

## MC EB-1580 Treats Crude Oil to Pipeline Quality Costly Remediation Steam Treatments Eliminated

### BACKGROUND

In order to sell the oil, additional processing was required. Monthly, the tanks were steamed to reduce the BSW to pipeline spec. This was a costly process.

### ISSUES

An operator was having tanks of produced and treated oil rejected because it wasn't meeting pipeline spec.

### ANALYSIS

The operator asked Multi-Chem to find a solution for treating the rejected tanks of oil. Extensive testing was performed by the local Multi-Chem team and an emulsion breaker, MC EB-1580 was found to be the product of choice.

### RESOLUTION

Multi-Chem began a continuous injection of MC EB-1580 @ a rate of 2 gallons / day. The oil was well below pipeline spec and no longer requires "steam treatments".

### DELIVERED VALUE

With a daily investment of \$8.25, the tanks are now selling without problems. Additionally, the flow line pressures have been reduced owing to the reduction in viscosity of the properly treated crude. LOE has been reduced by eliminating the steam treatments.

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