

Exercise 1

1. Use the relative permeability data as shown in table to plot the fractional flow curve for a linear reservoir system with the following properties:

Dip angle = 0° , absolute permeability = 50 md, $B_o = 1.20 \text{ bbl/STB}$

$B_w = 1.05 \text{ bbl/STB}$, $u_w = 0.5 \text{ cp}$, Cross-sectional area $A = 25000 \text{ ft}^2$

$\Delta\rho = 0.304 \text{ g/cm}^3$

S_w	k_{ro}	k_{rw}	k_{ro}/k_{rw}	$u_0 = 0.5 \text{ cp}$	$u_0 = 1.0 \text{ cp}$	$u_0 = 5 \text{ cp}$	$u_0 = 10 \text{ cp}$
				$fw_{0.5}$	$fw_{1.0}$	fw_5	fw_{10}
0.24	0.95	0					
0.3	0.89	0.01					
0.4	0.74	0.04					
0.5	0.45	0.09					
0.6	0.19	0.17					
0.65	0.12	0.22					
0.7	0.06	0.28					
0.75	0.03	0.36					
0.78	0	0.41					

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(1) Plot the fractional flow curve for the following values of oil viscosity:

$u_0 = 0.5, 1.0, 5, \text{ and } 10 \text{ cp.}$

(2) What conclusions can you draw?