PREVENTIVE METHOD TO CALCIUM CARBONATE SCALING BY THE ALKALINE SULPHIDE SCAVENGER Mohammed B. Al-Sultan*, Mykhailo I. Fyk** *PhD student(Irbil, Kurdistan) and **Asoc. Prof. NTU «KhPI», Kharkiv

Introduction: The alkaline sulphide scavengers most common H₂S scavenger type over the world the active martial of this kind of H₂S scavenger is the triazines, and the method (when there is good enough reaction time) - direct-injection into the storage tanks (reaction rate, contact time, and misting size & distribution contribute to the final scavenger performance (Fig A)) [1]. After long period of indirect injection of the alkaline sulphide scavengers, started a scale formed in the piping and pumps discharge [1].**Solution:** We found that 15 - 20 second enough to have the same result of H₂S scavenger if we injected to the storage tank, so - we come out with an **injection port** designed (Fig B) for achieve spraying H₂S scavenger and long contact time with the oil we reduced the H₂S in the oil almost up to 90 % after injecting by **port** (Fig C). Below charts (Fig D, E) showing the results after changing H₂S **injection port** to the downstream of the transfer pumps (H₂S concentration slightly increased). Pumps and tank issues (calcium carbonate scaling) had been solved (Fig E).



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