



Petroleum Registry of Alberta

Registry Alert

Changes to the Default Date Parameters of the User-requested Registry Ensure Complete Report

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June 10, 2005		Initial Release

Audience: All Stakeholders.

Purpose: This Alert informs Registry clients of a change to the default date parameters of the user-requested Registry Ensure Complete report.

Background: Prior to this change being implemented, the default date parameters for the user-requested Ensure Complete report were from Registry implementation (October 2002 production month) to the current date.

This constitutes a span of approximately 2.5 years of data, a span which increases with each passing month. Hundreds of report requests are made monthly during a period of heavy Registry use (i.e. 1-2 days prior to the DOE Allocation deadline), resulting in significant processing demands on the system, and associated performance impacts. Further, the historical default start date may result in each report containing a significant amount of data that is not intended to be analyzed by the end-user. (Many users request this report without any changes to the default settings).

After consultation with the Industry Registry Team and the CAPP/SEPAC Industry Benefits Committee, the default start date parameter on the Ensure Complete Report is being changed.



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Key Principles:

To reduce the amount of unnecessary processing on the Registry and to present users with a more concise, informational report, as of June 10, 2005, the default date parameters of the user-requested Ensure Complete report have now been changed to the **two most recent production months** – i.e. the “current” production month in the Registry and the current month less one. Example: A report requested on June 13th, 2005 with the default parameters unchanged would bring back results for April 2005 and May 2005 production months.

Registry clients who wish to have results returned for a longer period of time may simply change the date parameters on the Ensure Complete report request screen to the desired time span.

As this change only affects the user-requested Ensure Complete report, there are no changes to the date parameters used in the ‘sweep’ reports run by the Registry (approximately 25 days after the month of production) and by the DOE (approximately 43 days after the month of production).

For further information on the differences between the Registry and DOE versions of the Ensure Complete, please go to the Registry website: *Tips/Alerts/FAQs – Tips – Monthly Reporting Allocations: Differences between DOE and Registry Ensure Complete Reports Explained.*

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