



Cased-Hole Shunted Screen System

Weatherford's shunt-tube technology (STT) shunted screen system is designed to allow slurry to bypass sections that have bridged prematurely during gravel-pack or frac-pack operations. With multiple apertures located on the tubes in each screen, the slurry flows to all sections of the wellbore, ensuring a complete annular pack is achieved.

In the cased-hole STT system, shunt tubes are arranged on screen and blank pipe. Welded blade-type centralizers provide screen centralization for a more uniform pack and protect the STT against crushing or wear during installation.

The type of application determines whether a pack tube system (PTS) or frac tube system (FTS) is used. Slurry can be pumped at designed rates until initial screen-out. After screen-out, the PTS is capable of rates up to 2 bbl/min per tube. For higher flow rates or sand concentrations, the FTS can achieve rates up to 8 bbl/min per tube.

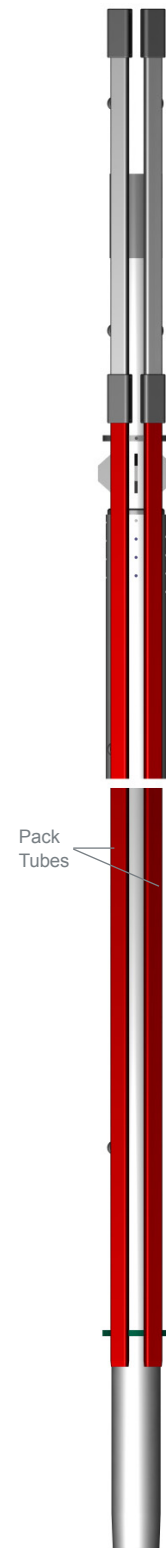
Built on Weatherford's conventional well screen products including UltraGrip™, UltraGrip HD, SuperFlo®, and ExcelFlo® screens, the STT system provides a wide range of options to meet specific well requirements. The STT system is specified as either a concentric or an eccentric configuration. An eccentric configuration increases base pipe size to reduce inflow pressure drop.

Applications

- High-rate gravel-pack and frac-pack completions
- High-angle wells (>40°)
- Long or deviated intervals, multi-zone completions
- Formations with large permeability variation

Features, Advantages and Benefits

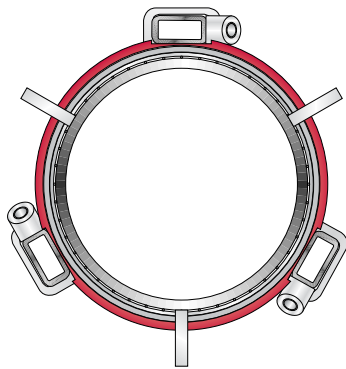
- The SST system increases gravel-pack success and well life by using multiple tube apertures to eliminate voids caused by sand-bridging.
- Timed threads provide joint-to-joint alignment of pack or frac tubes, ensuring straightforward makeup of the shunted screen system.



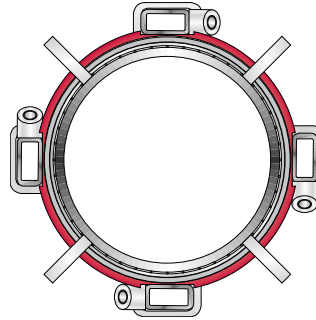
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Features, Advantages and Benefits (continued)

- Shunt-tube configuration can be optimized to accommodate most gravel-pack and frac-pack pumping rates by changing the number of shunt tubes or changing from concentric to eccentric design to provide a fit-for-purpose system.
- Each shunt tube functions independently of the others. In the event a shunt tube becomes plugged or damaged, preventing fluid from passing, the other shunt tubes continue to transport the slurry to ensure a successful annular pack.



3 PTS / 3 FTS



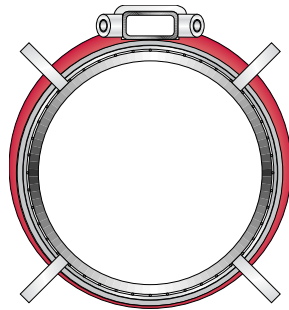
4 PTS / 4 FTS

Specifications

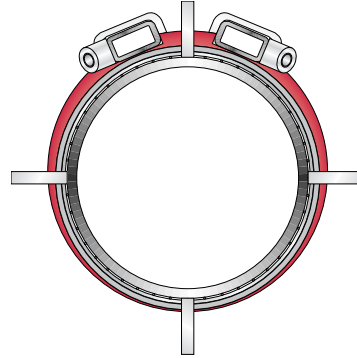
Concentric Cased-Hole Shunted Screen System with UltraGrip™ Screens					
Base Pipe Size (in./mm)	Screen OD (in./mm)	Pack Tube System Maximum OD* (in./mm)		Frac Tube System Maximum OD* (in./mm)	
		3 PTS	4 PTS	3 FTS	4 FTS
3.500 88.9	3.910 99.4	5.57 141.5		6.17 156.6	
4.000 101.6	4.420 112.2	6.06 154.0		6.65 168.9	
4.500 114.3	4.920 125.0	6.58 167.1		7.16 181.8	
5.000 127.0	5.410 137.4	7.07 179.7		7.65 194.3	
5.500 139.7	5.910 150.1	7.58 192.5		8.15 207.0	
6.625 168.3	7.030 178.7	8.70 221.0		9.27 235.3	

* Maximum OD dimension does not include configurable centralizer OD

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1 PTS / 1 FTS



2 PTS / 2 FTS

Specifications

Eccentric Cased-Hole Shunted Screen System with UltraGrip™ Screens					
Base Pipe Size (in./mm)	Screen OD (in./mm)	Pack Tube System Maximum OD* (in./mm)		Frac Tube System Maximum OD* (in./mm)	
		1 PTS	2 PTS	1 FTS	2 FTS
2.375 60.3	2.780 70.5	3.82 97.0	4.15 105.3	4.16 105.7	4.74 120.4
2.875 73.0	3.280 83.4	4.28 108.7	4.49 114.1	4.60 116.9	5.01 127.3
3.500 88.9	3.910 99.4	4.87 123.6	5.04 128.0	5.17 131.3	5.46 138.6
4.000 101.6	4.420 112.2	5.36 136.1	5.50 139.7	5.66 143.8	5.85 148.6
4.500 114.3	4.920 125.0	5.87 149.2	5.93 150.7	6.17 156.8	6.29 159.8
5.000 127.0	5.410 137.4	6.37 161.8	6.42 163.0	6.67 169.3	6.77 171.9
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Options

- STT: Inflow system (IS), bottom joint adaptor
- Well screen types: UltraGrip™ HD, *UltraGrip*, Superflo®, Excefflo®
- Screen metallurgy: 316L, INCOLOY® 825
- Pipe metallurgy: API grades, all chrome grades, duplex steel
- Outer shroud can be customized for distributed temperature sensing (DTS) equipment
- Specialty systems and metallurgies available upon request to meet specific completion criteria.

For Internal Use

Link to Endeca assembly part numbers: [Cased Hole Shunt Screen System](#)

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