

Compact Compression Announces New Line of Casing Gas Compressors for Optimizing Oil Well Production

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Calgary, Ab, Mar. 18 /PRNewswire/ — Compact Compression Inc. – a specialty manufacturer of engineered natural gas compression packages – today announced the introduction of their brand new line of casing gas compressors.

In 2002, Compact Compression began operations with the plan to utilize engineering and manufacturing expertise to create a line of standard booster gas compressors that removed common 'hassles' from traditional gas compressors. Within 5 years, Compact Compression's customer base grew to an estimated 43% of the low horse power compressor market share within Western Canada.

With the sharp decline in natural gas prices, producers have focused their attention to oil producing assets and the need for natural gas booster compression dropped dramatically. Compact Compression's focus followed that of the producers and quickly discovered a gap in the casing gas compressor market.

Chris Blundell, President explains, "If an operator can realize incremental oil production and meet the gas recovery directives of the AEUB by capturing their casing gas, they have two effective options. One of those options is a walking beam activated compressor and the other is a casing gas compressor. The first option requires a lot of TLC that that operator does not have time for and the other can often prove to be too expensive."

Blundell continues, "By engineering a 'fit for purpose' package and designing it with the operator in mind, we are providing operators with an economical alternative with less of that day to day 'tweaking' and 'fiddling'. Any solution that can be installed in less than an hour and left alone is a preferred solution."

Staying with the 'Compact' theme, this new line of casing gas compressors requires no pad. This translates to easier installations and less of a footprint. With two large doors on each side of the machine, access for servicing is less of a hassle. Compact has also managed to minimize the cost to power this compressor due to the VFD Capacity Control. At current electricity costs, it is estimated that this feature alone could result in as much as \$2,000 of savings.

About Compact Compression

Compact Compression Inc. is a privately owned Alberta based company engaged in the design, manufacture, and service of small horsepower gas compression. We deliver technical and commercial advantages to our clients through innovation and development of Natural Gas enhanced recovery equipment. Our team of dedicated engineers, technicians, and support staff are committed to providing "Flexible, Reliable, Economical, Portable, and Operator Friendly Compression Packages" under 100HP.

More information on company and its product lines can be found at www.compactcompression.com