SALT MICROSTRUCTURES

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ABSTRACT

Microstructures can provide important information about deformation of salt. Standard petrographic techniques can be used to identify the deformation mechanism(s). The processes accounting for flow can be documented and mechanical data can be interpreted in light of a physical understanding. Examples of salt microstructures are discussed in this paper. Emphasis is given to practical application of petrofabric results.

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