

# **Geomodeling** Fully Integrated 3D Interpretation

# **Release Notes**

GVERSE Geomodeling 2019.4





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## Introduction

We are pleased to announce the release of GVERSE® Geomodeling 2019.4.

This document provides an introduction to the GVERSE Geomodeling features and benefits. It also lists the changes available in this release.

## What is GVERSE Geomodeling?

GVERSE Geomodeling introduces an integrated environment for geological/reservoir modeling that incorporates existing mapping and cross section features of smartSECTION<sup>®</sup> with the 3D view. GVERSE Geomodeling takes advantage of existing XSection cross section by saving them to GVERSE Geomodeling interpretation folder in the common XSection/smartSECTION .*ssdx* format.

The application is part of the GVERSE application suite (http://www.gverse.com).

GVERSE consists of geoscience and engineering solutions focused on workflow optimization and enhancing productivity of teams working on diverse geological and geophysical projects.

#### **Main Features**

The main features of the Geomodeling application are as follows:

#### Integration

Observe the multi-disciplinary relationships in your geomodel with tightly integrated and synchronous Map, Cross Section and 3D views. GVERSE Geomodeling is designed for geoscientists who work with integrated data sets, including geological, petrophysical, geophysical, drilling, and GIS data. It includes an integrated Map, Cross Section, and 3D views of the geomodel which enables you to work in 2D and 3D views simultaneously. Use the GeoSurface Model tool to efficiently source and generate surfaces and faults and model complex geometries such as unconformities, channels, and subcrop maps, conformance relationships among surfaces, and fault offset and automatic fault polygon generation on all views of GVERSE Geomodeling.

#### • Integration with GVERSE Petrophysics

Considering the importance of petrophysics in understanding the reservoir, the application facilitates the representation of petrophysical properties (i.e. porosity, saturation and geomechanics etc.) based on GVERSE Petrophysics models. These petrophysical modeling results can be displayed on fence diagrams as curves to better understand character of the reservoir or on presentation templates on the Cross Section view.

#### Integration with GVERSE Geophysics

Incorporate your seismic interpretation into your geomodel with dynamically depth converted horizons, faults, and seismic backdrops on cross sections and fence diagrams. Update the velocity model with interpreted interwell points from your smartSTRAT geosteered well for the most up-to-date depth conversion possible.

#### Block Diagrams

GVERSE Geomodeling allows you to create block diagrams or gun sight sections that show intersection point of horizontal wellbore with the line of section as it drills through the target formations. In block diagrams, the line of section is laid perpendicular to the wellbore path and in the Cross Section view, they show penetration point of the horizontal wellbore drilling inside the target horizon. This helps the drillers in planning inside the drilling section unit as distances between wells can be shown in the block diagram.

Absolute and horizontal distances between wells drilling inside the same target can be determined easily in a block diagram. Likewise, Drilling Section Unit (DSU) boundary distances between corner wells and section boundary can also be determined in block diagrams. Additionally, you can add formation thickness, distance filtering on the basis of formations and wellbore custom properties to get the complete picture of drilling wells and their placement inside the respective target formations.

#### Fence Diagrams

Get a better understanding of the reservoir by creating fence diagrams of the open cross sections. This feature assists in construing and representing litho-stratigraphic relationship, pinchouts and truncations of units, unconformities, structural and stratigraphic traps and any other geological associations that exist in a region.

#### Co-blending

Validate the reservoir behavior by co-blending seismic attributes against interpolated curve properties, lateral lithofacies variation, and related structural geometries on cross sections and fence diagrams.

#### Interpolation

Log curve interpolation helps diagnose interplay between lithofacies, depositional trends as suggested by the log curve response. Advance your understanding of the reservoir by analyzing different geological sections and identifying lithofacies, stratigraphic sequences, and depositional trends from the interpolated logs.

#### Clipping Planes

In a complex geomodel, clipping plays a significant role in examining interrelationships and intrarelationships between surfaces and faults. Using GVERSE Geomodeling clipping tool, you can easily clip planes vertically or horizontally to keep a specific portion of the scene's geometry in focus and analyze trajectory of wells as they are drilled through geomodel surfaces.

#### Completion and Perforation Postings

Display Completion stages and Perforation clusters along the wellbore path in 3D View to identify the productive zones of the targeted formations.

#### Open XSection Cross Sections in GVERSE Geomodeling

Setup the loading of XSection cross-sections within the AOI of the active interpretation. This import feature validates the data in the file and tries to match the stratigraphic column, surfaces, faults, and even the file name until conflict dialogs are displayed where the user can easily define the desired stratigraphic columns, surfaces, faults, and file name manually

#### **Benefits**

Real-time Integrated Visualization of Results

GVERSE Geomodeling provides an integrated real-time map view, cross section view, and 3D visualization of a developing geomodel. Integrate petrophysical, geophysical, drilling, and GIS data into the interpretation and observe real time effect on a comprehensive geomodel.

#### Quick and Easy

As compared to traditional tools, GVERSE Geomodeling allows geoscientists to load and display large datasets with minimum time and effort required.

#### Scalability

GVERSE Geomodeling provides support for modeling surfaces created from wide range of datasets. Cross sections with high amount of wells and large aerial extents are handled in an efficient manner.

#### Flexibility

Features such as the ability to quick pick on Main Map view, clipping of 3D gird, developing fence diagrams, and creating regions and groups for wells offer greater flexibility in Interpretation workflows. Docking windows and panels provide the freedom to arrange the workspace as desired and saving complete state of the workspace facilitates the user to resume the work from where they left off.

## Installing GVERSE Geomodeling

GVERSE Geomodeling is installed seamlessly as part of the GeoGraphix installation. For system prerequisites and installation instructions, refer to the GeoGraphix Installation Guide on the GVERSE GeoGraphix Support Portal > Knowledge Center > <u>Release Notes and Installation Guides</u> page.

## What's New in GVERSE Geomodeling 2019.4

## Survey Points in Zone Reports

Create a Survey Point report of the position of the well within zone(s). This helps in ascertaining the distance of the survey point from the zone boundary.





### Apply Color on Type Logs and Correlation Logs

The user can now color the type logs and correlation logs, which allows users to differentiate between the correlation/type logs and the actual logs.

## View and Save Geobodies in Cross Section View

The users can now view and save geobodies in Cross Section view. The geobody properties can also be set in Cross Section view.



### View and Save Geobodies in 3D View

The users can now view and save geobodies in the 3D view. The geobody properties can also be set in the 3D view.



### Performance Improvements in Well Zone Calculations

Performance has been improved in various Well Zone Calculations workflows. The performance is enhanced specially while:

- Generating the error log
- Calculating well parameters
- Generating reports
- Saving reports
- Copying data from clipboard and pasting in any compatible application
- Using Angle as the starting parameter for calculations
- Reusing calculated data





## Calculate Well in Zone for Multiple Zones

Calculate the length and percent of the wellbore and other core and test date within a zone for multiple zones.



## Property Maps from ZoneManager Attributes

#### Generate on-the-fly property maps from attributes stored in any ZoneManager zone.



#### Improvements in TGS Connectivity

The mechanism to download items from the TGS shopping cart has been improved.

#### Calculate Parameters inside the Geobody

Well Length, Percentage, and some other parameters such as DST, Completions can now be calculated inside the geobody. This helps in determining high production or high risk areas.

#### Cursor Tracking between GVERSE Geomodeling and GVERSE Geophysics

The mouse cursor tracking functionality is now enabled between the views in GVERSE Geomodeling and GVERSE Geophysics. This results in an effective correlation between the two applications.



## Export Surface Points

Export well and interwell points from either map or cross section. Points can be exported as CSV, tab, or space delimited file.

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## Open GVERSE Geomodeling Cross Section as an Arbitrary Line in GVERSE Geophysics

This is another example of applications cross functioning seamlessly within the GVERSE GeoGraphix solution. You can now open any GVERSE Geomodeling cross section as an arbitrary line (arbline) in GVERSE Geophysics.



## Import Surface Points in ASCII XYZ Format

Surface points can be imported as interwell points in ASCII XYZ format, which aids in updating the geomodel.

#### Color Palette Control for Individual Versions of Seismic Backdrop

Individual color palettes can now be saved with different seismic versions, which allows you to view all versions with their respective color palettes.





## Save Zoom State

GVERSE Geomodeling saves the zoom level and state of the cross section and displays the same zoom level the next time a saved cross section is opened.



### Calculate Well Zone Statistics for Multiple Zones

Well zone statistics can now be calculated for multiple zones at the same time. This reduces the effort in calculating these statistics for different zones.

# Control Number of Decimal Places while Posting Data in Cross Section/Block Diagram

The users can now post numeric data up to the desired decimal places in Cross Section/Block diagrams.

## Offset Lines on Cross Sections hung on Modeled Surfaces

You can now create an offset surface which is same as the parent surface. This new surface can be shifted to any place. This offset surface can be used to create pre-drilled cross sections for target zones.



### Post MD values along Horizontal Distance in Projected Cross Sections

The MD values of the wellbore can be displayed along with horizontal distance values in Projected Cross Sections, which enables users to determine MD of the wellbore at a plane of cross section on a specific vertical scale.

### Support for Extended Well Name, ZoneManager Zone and Attributes map

Wells, ZoneManager Zones and Attribute Maps can have a name of up to 40 characters, which can be displayed within the entire GVERSE Geomodeling application.

## Ability to Post SCM Name for Surfaces in the Cross Section

Both the Surface Name and the Strat Column Name (SCM) can now be posted on wells along with surfaces correlation. The SCM name and surface posting can either be displayed between the first and the last well, or between all wells.



### Zones Tab Renamed

The Zones tab has been renamed to Thickness Maps in the GeoSurface Model Properties dialog, as well as the Data panel.

#### Introduction of What's New Dialog

A What's New dialog box launches when GVERSE Geomodeling is opened, which shows a list of new features being added to the release.

## **Fixed Issues**

This section lists the customer reported bugs that are fixed in this release.

ID	Description
218623	When the <b>Tie Points</b> panel was full of tie point records, a new record was added at the bottom of the list and was not visible without extensive scrolling. This issue has been fixed and now the new record is scrolled into view in the <b>Tie Points</b> panel.
220997	The surface did not show any kind of data (contours) in <b>Map view</b> when <b>GVERSE</b> <b>Geophysics</b> was selected as the surface source in the <b>Geosurface Model Properties</b> dialog box. This issue has been fixed.

## **Known Issues**

This section lists the known issues in this release.

ID	Description
222407	The <b>View Cross Section in GVERSE Geophysics</b> option is greyed out in the context menu if the cross sections are hidden from the <b>Map view</b> .
	Workaround: Display the cross sections in <b>Map view</b> by turning on their display from the <b>2D Data panel</b> . The option is enabled when cross sections are displayed in <b>Map view</b> .

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The Help window displays.

2. In the **Contents** pane, locate the **Third Party Acknowledgements** help topic as shown in the image below.



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