

Connate water saturation = swl = SWL

Minimal water saturation occurrence in the pore volume:

$$(1) \quad s_{wl} = \min s_w$$

Connate water saturation s_{wl} maybe equal to critical s_{wco} or less than critical $s_{wl} < s_{wco}$, like for example in petrogeologic rocks.

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