

Downhole cross-flow

Unscheduled flow between two or more [subsurface reservoirs](#) or between [subsurface reservoir](#) and surface connected to each other through through the [wellbore](#).

The industry differentiates two different types of [cross-flow](#):

[In-casing cross-flow \(ICX\)](#)

[Behind-casing cross-flow \(BCX\)](#)

See Also

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[[Well Drilling](#)] [[Well completion](#)] [[Production \(well flow status\)](#)] [[Injection \(well flow status\)](#)] [[Flowing \(well flow status\)](#)] [[Shut-in \(well flow status\)](#)]