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Gas Production from Coal Seam Gas/Deep Coal Seam Gas Reservoirs

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Message from the Guest Editors

Natural gas plays a pivotal role in transitioning into a lower carbon economy. Coal seams gas, also knowns as coalbed methane, is extracted from underground coal seams. Production forecasting, reserve estimation, history matching and simulations are complicated for coal seam reservoirs. In particular, relative permeability implications, heterogeneity, matrix shrinkage, in situ stresses and geomechanical effects are important factors that require further strong research. In addition, natural gas production and carbon dioxide sequestration in deep coal seams (depth >2000 m) opens new avenues for research in fluid flow modelling, hydraulic fracturing and gas sorption. This Special Issue aims to collect original research or review articles on coal seam gas/deep coal seam gas reservoirs from both a fundamental and an applied point of view. Reservoir engineering, geomechanics, reservoir simulation, production data analysis and history matching and related topics will be considered.

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