

Sale Day Statistics

Sale Number: 194
Sale Identifier: CENTRAL GULF OF MEXICO
Sale Date: 16-MAR-2005
Region Name: Gulf of Mexico OCS Region

1.	a. Sum of High Bids:	\$353,961,798.00
	b. Sum of All Bids:	\$540,254,193.00
2.	a. Tracts/Blocks Offered:	4063 / 4063
	b. Acres/Hectares Offered:	21,429,724.16 ac
3.	a. Tracts/Blocks Receiving Bids:	428 / 428
	b. Acres/Hectares Receiving Bids:	2,131,741.37 ac
4.	a. Total Number of Bids:	651
	b. Average Number of Bids per Block:	1.52
5.	Total Number of Companies Participating:	80
6.	Bidding Statistics by Water Depth	

Water Depth	Blocks w/Bids	Acres/Hectares Receiving Bids	Sum of High Bids	Sum of All Bids
0-199 meters:	243	1,103,597.66	\$172,313,215	\$257,511,116
200-399 meters:	14	66,348.26	\$8,357,813	\$12,024,142
400-799 meters:	35	201,600.00	\$30,647,362	\$45,510,278
800-1599 meters:	55	315,910.49	\$68,196,874	\$125,220,738
1600+ meters:	81	444,284.96	\$74,446,534	\$99,987,919

7. Blocks Receiving Bids by Number of Bids per Block by Water Depth:

	total	0-199 m	200-399 m	400-799 m	800-1599 m	1600+m
1 Bid(s):	301	172	8	21	36	64
2 Bid(s):	75	39	3	9	10	14
3 Bid(s):	26	16	3	3	2	2
4 Bid(s):	16	10	0	1	5	0
5 Bid(s):	6	4	0	1	0	1
6 Bid(s):	2	1	0	0	1	0
7 Bid(s):	0	0	0	0	0	0
8 Bid(s):	2	1	0	0	1	0

8.	a. Block Receiving Greatest Number of Bids:	
	LAI West Cameron Area	132
	NH16-10 Mississippi Canyon	503
	b. Number of Bids for Block:	8
9.	a. Highest Bid on a Block:	\$21,157,755.00
	b. Area/Block:	LAI West Cameron Area 132
	c. Number of Bids for Block:	8
	d. Company(s) Participating in High Bid:	Stone Energy Corporation Dominion Exploration & Production, Inc.

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10. a.	Highest Bid per Acre/Hectare:	\$8,463.10
b.	Area/Block: LA1 West Cameron Area	132
c.	Number of Bids for Block:	8
d.	Company(s) Participating in High Bid	Stone Energy Corporation Dominion Exploration & Production, Inc.
11. a.	Number of 8(g) Blocks Offered:	139 (382,827.85 ac)
b.	Number of 8(g) Blocks Bid On:	34
c.	Total Number of Bids on 8(g) Blocks:	47
d.	Total Block Acreage/Hectarage of 8(g) Blocks Bid On:	118,560.63 ac
e.	Total Acreage/Hectarage of 8(g) Blocks Bid On:	77,577.49 ac
f.	Sum of High Bids on 8(g) Blocks:	\$16,234,189
g.	Sum of All Bids on 8(g) Blocks:	\$22,399,822
12. a.	Deepest Block Receiving a Bid: NG15-09 Amery Terrace	279 3377 Meters
b.	Number of bids:	1

13. Bidding Statistics by Lease Term:

Lease Term	Blocks w/Bids	Acres/Hectares Receiving Bids	Sum of High Bids	Sum of All Bid
a. 5 Year:	257	1,169,945.92	\$180,671,028	\$269,535,258
b. 8 Year:	35	201,600.00	\$30,647,362	\$45,510,278
c. 10 Year:	136	760,195.45	\$142,643,408	\$225,208,657

14. Bidding Statistics By Royalty Rate:

Royalty Rate	Blocks w/Bids	Acres/Hectares Receiving Bids	Sum of High Bids	Sum of All Bids
a. 12 1/2%	171	961,795.45	\$173,290,770	\$270,718,935
b. 16 2/3%	257	1,169,945.92	\$180,671,028	\$269,535,258

15. Top Ten Companies Based on Total High Bids Submitted:

Company	Total High Bids	Sum of High Bids
1. Dominion Exploration & Production, Inc.	25	\$52,300,892
2. Focus Exploration, LLC	25	\$10,176,565
3. Murphy Exploration & Production Company -	23	\$28,053,925
4. LLOG Exploration Offshore, Inc.	22	\$34,859,680
5. Energy Partners, Ltd.	22	\$15,052,672
6. Chevron U.S.A. Inc.	22	\$8,127,147
7. Remington Oil and Gas Corporation	21	\$9,732,884
8. Spinnaker Exploration Company, L.L.C.	19	\$17,013,825
9. Exxon Mobil Corporation	18	\$6,885,371
10. Magnum Hunter Production, Inc.	15	\$3,916,533

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16. Companies Submitting Top Ten Single Highest Bids

<u>Company</u>	<u>Protraction Name/Block</u>	<u>Water Depth</u>	<u>High Bid Amount</u>
1. * Dominion Exploration & Production, Inc. Stone Energy Corporation	West Cameron Area/132	0-199	\$21,157,755
2. * Murphy Exploration & Production Company - USA Dominion Exploration & Production, Inc. Pioneer Natural Resources USA, Inc. Spinnaker Exploration Company, L.L.C.	Mississippi Canyon/819	1600+	\$20,153,300
3. * Helis Oil & Gas Company, L.L.C. Houston Energy, L.P. Red Willow Offshore, LLC	Mississippi Canyon/519	1600+	\$12,777,777
4. * Murphy Exploration & Production Company - USA Spinnaker Exploration Company, L.L.C.	Mississippi Canyon/713	800-1599	\$10,376,500
5. * Dominion Exploration & Production, Inc.	Ship Shoal Area/138	0-199	\$8,855,555
6. * LLOG Exploration Offshore, Inc.	Mississippi Canyon/503	800-1599	\$6,770,000
7. * Dominion Exploration & Production, Inc.	West Cameron Area, West Addition/160	0-199	\$5,835,333
8. * Tana Exploration Company LLC	Ewing Bank/922	400-799	\$5,259,957
9. * LLOG Exploration Offshore, Inc.	Eugene Island Area/152	0-199	\$4,777,000
10. * Devon Energy Production Company, L.P.	Mississippi Canyon/588	800-1599	\$4,110,550

* Denotes the SUBMITTER