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## ***Estimated Oil and Gas Reserves Gulf of Mexico OCS Region, December 31, 2010*** **[OCS Report BOEM 2014-051](#)**

The Bureau of Ocean Energy Management (BOEM), Gulf of Mexico OCS Region, announces the availability of a new report, *Estimated Oil and Gas Reserves, Gulf of Mexico OCS Region, December 31, 2010*.

This report presents estimated Original Proved plus Probable Reserves, Cumulative Production, Proved plus Probable Reserves, and Reserves Justified for Development as of December 31, 2010. Original Proved plus Probable Reserves were estimated to be 21.50 billion barrels of oil and 191.1 trillion cubic feet of gas in 1,282 proved fields under the Federal submerged lands in the Gulf of Mexico OCS. Of these 1,282 fields, 454 have produced and expired. Cumulative Production from the 1,282 proved fields was 17.11 billion barrels of oil and 179.3 Tcf of gas trillion cubic feet of gas.

The Proved plus Probable Reserves (Original Proved plus Probable Reserves minus Cumulative Production) were estimated to be 4.39 billion barrels of oil and 11.8 trillion cubic feet of gas in 828 proved active fields of the Gulf of Mexico OCS. This report indicated Proved plus Probable oil reserves have decreased 6.0 percent and the Proved plus Probable gas reserves have decreased 11.3 percent as compared with the December 31, 2009, estimates.

Reserves Justified for Development were estimated to be 0.28 billion barrels of oil and 1.1 trillion cubic feet of gas. These reserves were associated with 116 active fields. In total, there were 832 proved and justified for development active fields located in Federal waters.

This report, along with supporting digital data, may be downloaded from the BOEM Web site through the [Reserves Inventory Program](#). For more information on OCS Report BOEM 2014-051 contact: Eric Kazanis at 504-736-2667 or Don Maclay at 504-736-2891.