

The NewsRoom

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**Hurricane Ivan
Evacuation and Production Shut-in Statistics
as of Wednesday, September 29, 2004**

The next report will be issued Thursday, September 29, 2004 at 1:00 pm CDT.
For Information Concerning the Storm Click on www.BOEM.gov

This survey is reflective of 23 companies' reports as of 11:30 a.m. Central Time.

Districts	Lake Jackson	Lake Charles	Lafayette	Houma	New Orleans	Total
Platforms Evacuated	0	0	0	0	39	39
Rigs Evacuated	0	0	0	0	2	2
Oil, BOPD Shut-in	0	2,340	0	8,290	474,498	485,128**
Gas, MMCF/D Shut-In	0	10	4.00	37.84	2,270.12	2,321.96**

**Shut-in production rates do not include production lost due to the destroyed platforms.

These evacuations are equivalent to 5.10% of 764 manned platforms and 1.71% of 117 rigs currently operating in the GOM.

This shut-in oil production is equivalent to 28.53% of daily production of oil in GOM which is approximately 1.7 million BOPD.

This shut-in gas production is equivalent to 18.88% of the daily production of gas in the GOM which is approximately 12.3 BCFPD.

The cumulative (9/11/04-9/29/04) shut-in oil production is 12,409,705 bbls which is equivalent to 2.051% of the yearly production of oil in the GOM which is approximately 605 million barrels.

The cumulative (9/11/04-9/29/04) shut-in gas production is 55.539 BCF which is equivalent to 1.248% of the yearly production of gas in the GOM which is approximately 4.45 TCF.

These cumulative numbers reflect updated production numbers from all previous reports. In previous reports, there have been numerous questions regarding the increase of shut-in production on a day-to-day basis.

However, the reports only represent those received by 11:30 a.m. CDT. If a company does not report by 11:30 a.m. it is not included in the daily special information release, but it is included in the cumulative shut-in production.

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