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Hurricane Ivan
Evacuation and Production Shut-in Statistics
as of Friday, September 24, 2004

The next report will be issued Monday, September 27, 2004 at 1:00 pm CDT.

** This survey is reflective of 20 companies’ reports as of 11:30 a.m. Central Time.

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<th>Districts</th>
<th>Lake Jackson</th>
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<th>Lafayette</th>
<th>Houma</th>
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<tr>
<td>Platforms Evacuated</td>
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<td>Rigs Evacuated</td>
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<td>Oil, BOPD Shut-in</td>
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<td>465,342</td>
<td>471,469**</td>
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<td>Gas, MMCF/D Shut-In</td>
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<td>22.50</td>
<td>2,329.93</td>
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** Shut-in production rates do not include production lost due to the destroyed platforms.

These evacuations are equivalent to 4.06% of 764 manned platforms and 0.85% of 117 rigs currently operating in the GOM.

This shut-in oil production is equivalent to 27.73% of daily production of oil in GOM which is approximately 1.7 million BOPD.

This shut-in gas production is equivalent to 19.16% of the daily production of gas in the GOM which is approximately 12.3 BCFPD.

The cumulative (9/13/04-9/24/04) shut-in oil production is 10,031,084 bbls which equivalent to 1.658% of the yearly production of oil in the GOM which is approximately 605 million barrels.

The cumulative (9/13/04-9/24/04) shut-in gas production is 43.304 BCF which is equivalent to 0.973% 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.

MMS has also received one report regarding Tropical Storm Ivan for Friday, September 24, 2004 as of 11:30 a.m. CDT. The report included six platforms in the Lake Charles District as being evacuated with a combined shut-in production of 257 barrels of oil and 49 MMCF.

The Minerals Management Service is the federal agency in the U.S. Department of the Interior that manages the nation’s oil, natural gas, and other mineral resources on the Outer Continental Shelf in Federal offshore waters. The agency also collects, accounts for, and disburses mineral revenues from Federal and American Indian lands. MMS disbursed more than $8 billion in FY 2003 and more than $135 billion since the agency was created in 1982. Nearly $1 billion from those revenues go into the Land and Water Conservation Fund annually for the acquisition and development of state and Federal park and recreation lands.

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