North Slope Oil and Gas Activity 2012
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Chukchi Sea OCS
Shell
Spill response and exploration plans approved by BSEE & BOEM respectively. Plans to use the Noble Discoverer drillship to drill up to 3 wells per drilling season on the Burger prospect in 2012 & 2013.

Statoil
Evaluating Amundsen and Augustine prospects identified by 3-D seismic acquired over Chukchi Sea leases in 2010. Conducted site surveys during summer 2011.

Pioneer Natural Resources
Two appraisal wells, Nuna 1 & Sikumi 1, targeting Torok Fm underway.

Repsol
Temporarily suspended all North Slope drilling after loss of well control due to shallow gas at Qugruk 2. Plan to drill exploration wells from 4 ice pads.

BP
Mine Point S-Pad heavy oil pilot utilizing cold heavy oil production with sand (CHOPS) technology; Four Ugnu Ss test wells.

Great Bear Petroleum, LLC
Acquired permits for 6 drill sites for year-round drilling along the Dalton Highway. Plan to drill, core, and test several shale oil exploration wells beginning in May, 2012. Awaiting rig and permits to drill.

Anadarko Petroleum
Rig-less frac and test of Chandler 1 well in progress.

ENI
Nikaitchuq Unit Schrader Bluff PA producing oil since February 2011.

Conoco Phillips
Received permission to build bridge over Colville River to access CDS and NPR-A.

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Royal Energy
High bidder on more than 100,000 acres in 2011 North Slope areawide lease sale, with intention of pursuing shale oil play.

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Shark Tooth No.1 well drilled in 1st quarter 2012.

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DIVISION OF OIL AND GAS AREAWIDE LEASE SALE
Areawide lease sales scheduled for Fall 2012, encompassing 14.7 million acres in North Slope, Beaufort Sea, and North Slope Foothills sale areas.

Roads to Resources Program
EIS in progress to evaluate Foothills West transporta- tion corridor to connect Umiat and Gubik to road system and promote exploration of foothills plays.

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GREAT BEAR PETROLEUM, LLC
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EPIR
Currently testing methane hydrate exchange process in Ignik Sikumi.

Kuparuk River

Teshekpuk Lake

National Petroleum Reserve - Alaska

Statoil
Assumed Badami Unit Operatorship. Plan to work over B1-16 & B1-21 wells & install gas lift to produce wells to plant. If schedule permits will drill the Red Wolf 2 exploration well, targeting the Kekiktuk.

Shell
Conditional approval from BOEMRE in August 2011 for exploration plan in Beaufort Sea OCS. Plans to use the Kulkuk floating drilling platform to drill up to 2 wells each on Sivulitq and Torpedo prospects in Camden Bay beginning in 2012.

Savant
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EIS in progress for pipeline to link Point Thomson to Badami; Record of Decision expected August 2012.

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