

Senate Resources

Development Outlook for ConocoPhillips North Slope Operated Fields

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Topics



Greater Kuparuk Area

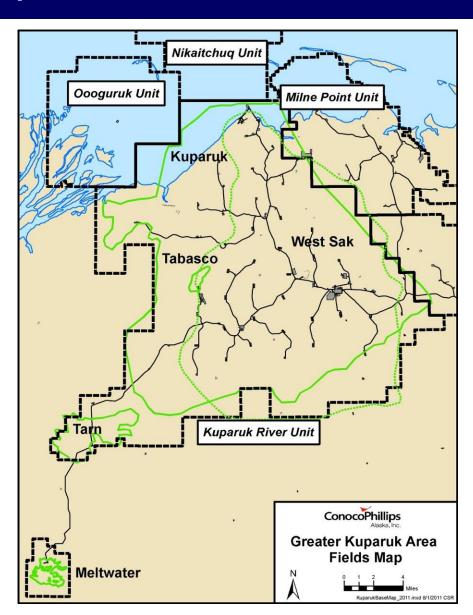
Western North Slope

Alaska North Slope Investment Challenges

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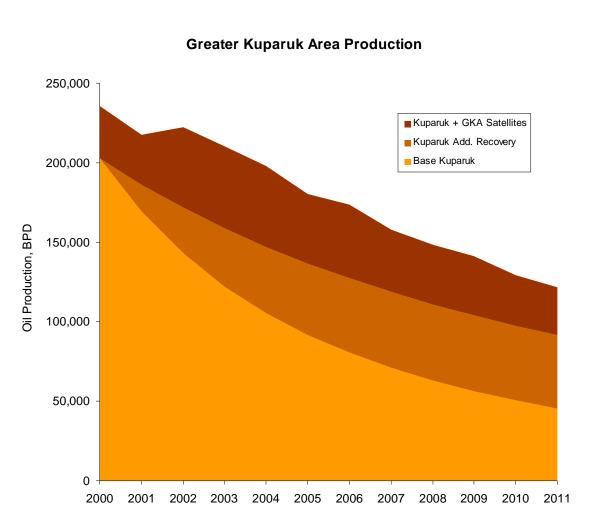
Greater Kuparuk Area (GKA)

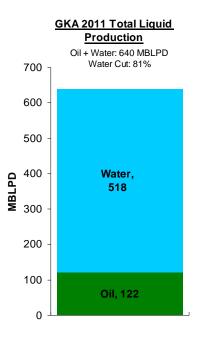
- Field start-up 1981
- 5 producing fields; COP operated
 - Kuparuk (waterflood, EOR)
 - West Sak (waterflood, VRWAG pilot)
 - Tarn (waterflood, EOR)
 - Tabasco (waterflood)
 - Meltwater (waterflood, EOR)
- 3 production facilities, 47 drill sites,
 ~1140 wells
- >2.4 billion barrels produced to date
- 3rd party processing of Pioneer's Oooguruk Field
- Current production: ~121 MBOPD



GKA Production







| 2011 | Oil | Water | Gas | |
|------------|---------|---------|---------|---|
| Production | STB/d | B/d | Mscf/d | |
| KRU | 91,391 | 480,630 | 203,578 | • |
| Meltwater | 2,671 | 589 | 9,873 | |
| Tabasco | 1,608 | 14,238 | 253 | |
| Tarn | 10,450 | 17,718 | 13,637 | |
| West Sak | 15,718 | 4,673 | 9,689 | |
| Total | 121.839 | 517.848 | 237.030 | • |

Total gas handled ~600,000 Mscfd including injection gas, gas lift, and fuel

GKA Work Plans

Development

- Continued coil tubing drilling (CTD) rig
- Ongoing rotary development program
- Evaluate water injection expansion at CPF1
- Shark Tooth appraisal well
- Evaluate 220 sq. miles of recently acquired seismic
- Evaluate enhanced recovery techniques

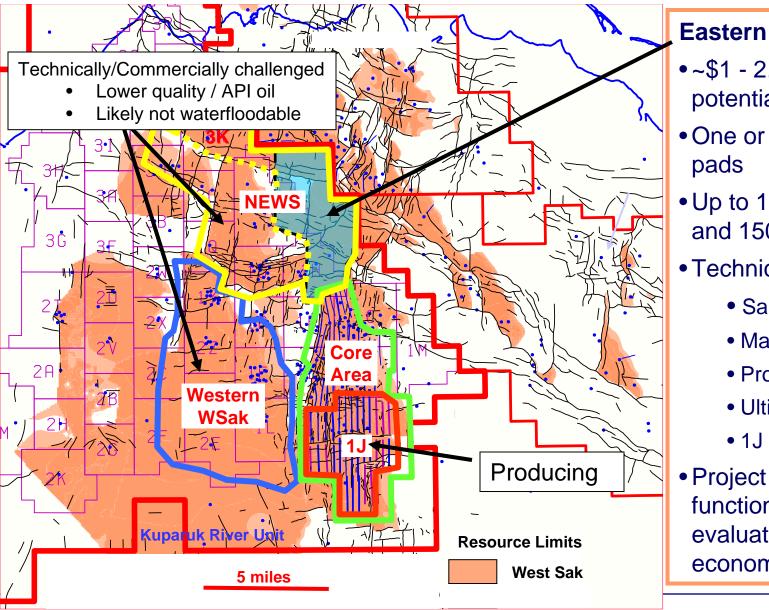
Maintenance / Renewal

- Kuparuk runway upgrade
- Smart pig program
- Well line upgrades
- 1 workover rig
- Ongoing O&M





GKA West Sak Viscous / Heavy Oil Resources



Eastern NEWS

- •~\$1 2.5 billion potential project
- One or two new well
- Up to 115 new wells and 150 MMBO
- Technically challenged
 - Sand control
 - Matrix bypass events
 - Productivity
 - Ultimate recovery
 - 1J history
- Project sanction a function of technical evaluation and economics

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Western North Slope (WNS) Development

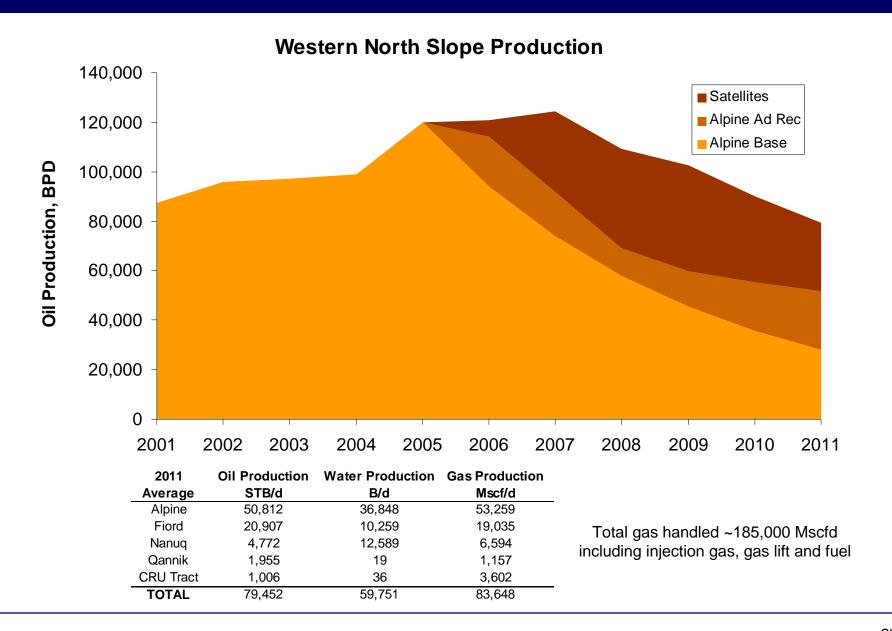
- First production in 2000
- Largest US onshore discovery since 1970s
- 4 producing pools; COP operator
 - Alpine (waterflood, EOR)
 - Fiord (waterflood, EOR)
 - Nanuq (waterflood, EOR)
 - Qannik (waterflood)
- 4 drill sites & processing plant
- 172 wells
- Current production: 77 MBOPD
- 413 million barrels produced to date





WNS Field Rates





WNS Work Plans



Development

- Continued rotary drilling of extended-reach horizontal wells
- Ongoing stimulation program
- CD3 facility upgrade
- CD5 (Alpine West) development

Maintenance / Renewal

- Smart pigging program
- Pipeline upgrades
- Ongoing O&M





CD5 Development

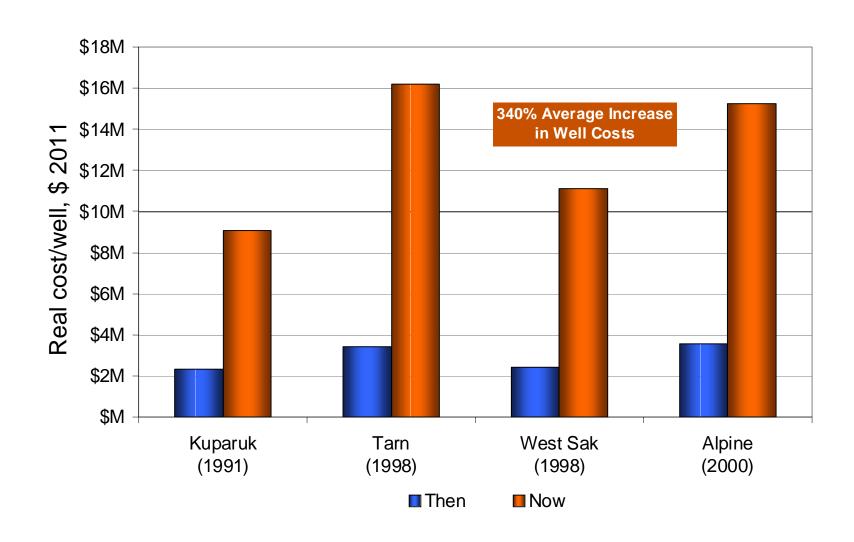
- Production estimate
 - 10 18,000 BOPD
- New drill site
 - Up to 33 well slots
 - Drillsite facilities, gravel road, pipelines and power
- Milestones
 - Project sanction 2012
 - Estimated production start-up 2015





Representative Drilling Costs, Then and Now ConocoPhillips Alaska





GKA and WNS Development Summary

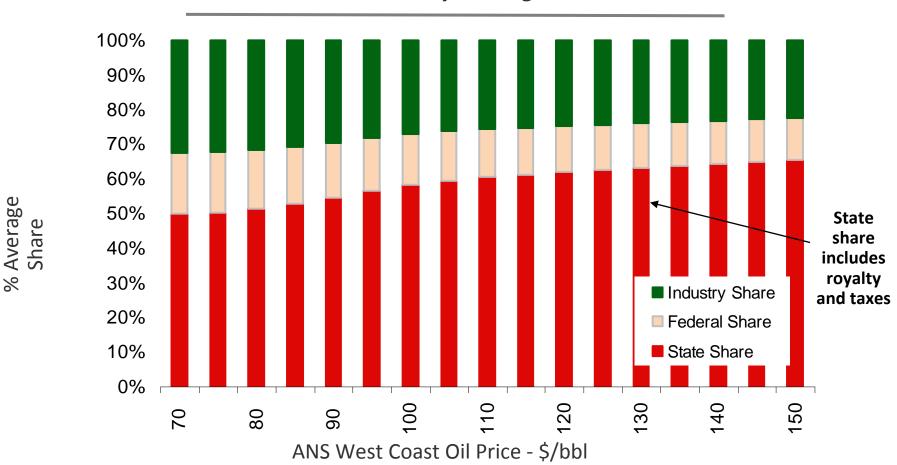


- Near term focus on light oil
 - Technology available
 - Greater potential to add near term rate
- Viscous oil maturing
 - Have made technological advancements
 - Core area West Sak on line at 14,000 BOPD
 - Evaluating next significant investment (Eastern NEWS)
 - Challenged technically and commercially
 - More engineering needed
- Evaluating heavy oil technologies
- Exploration and satellite targets

Investment decisions include evaluation of all factors affecting economic assessment – including cost, production, technical, regulatory and fiscal risks

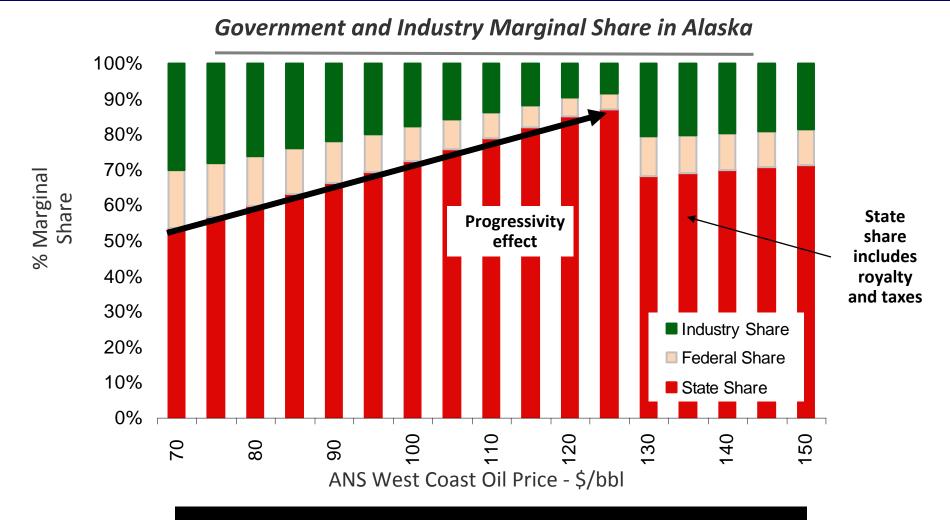


Government and Industry Average Share in Alaska



Progressivity is the Problem

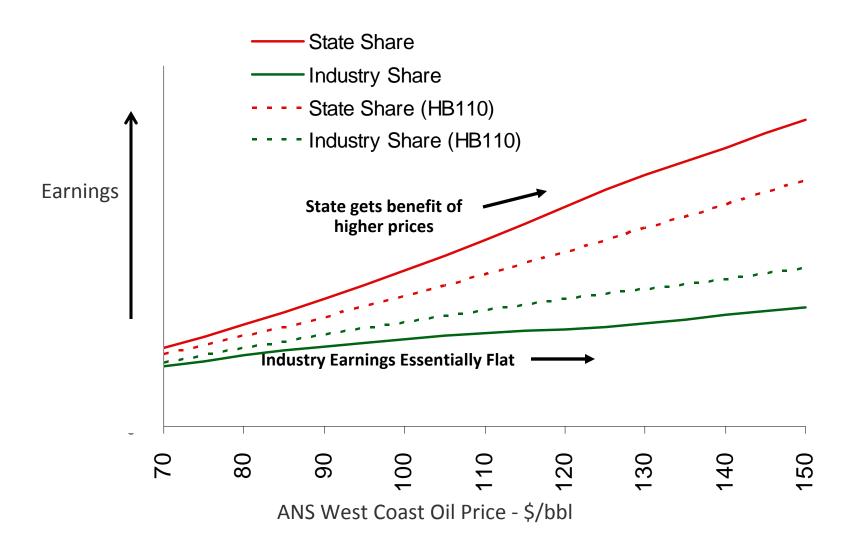




By comparison, industry marginal share in L48 40% to 50%

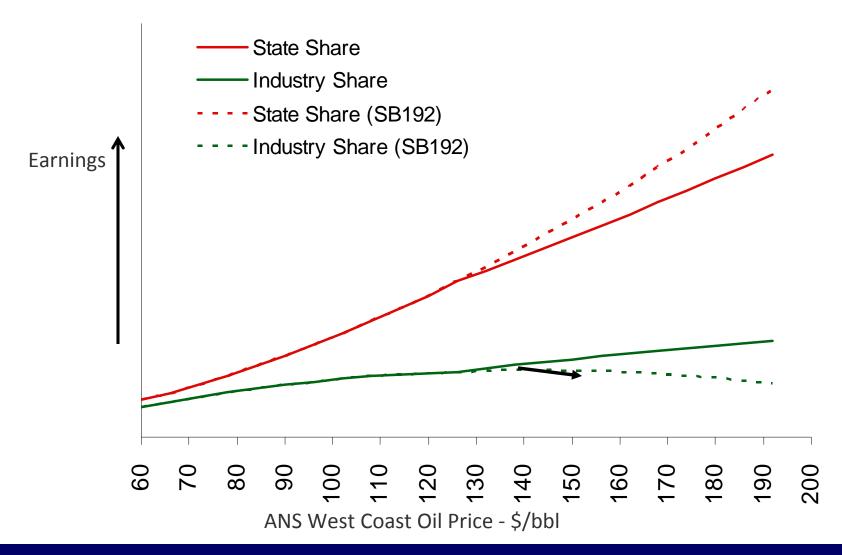






Is Marginal Take Important?

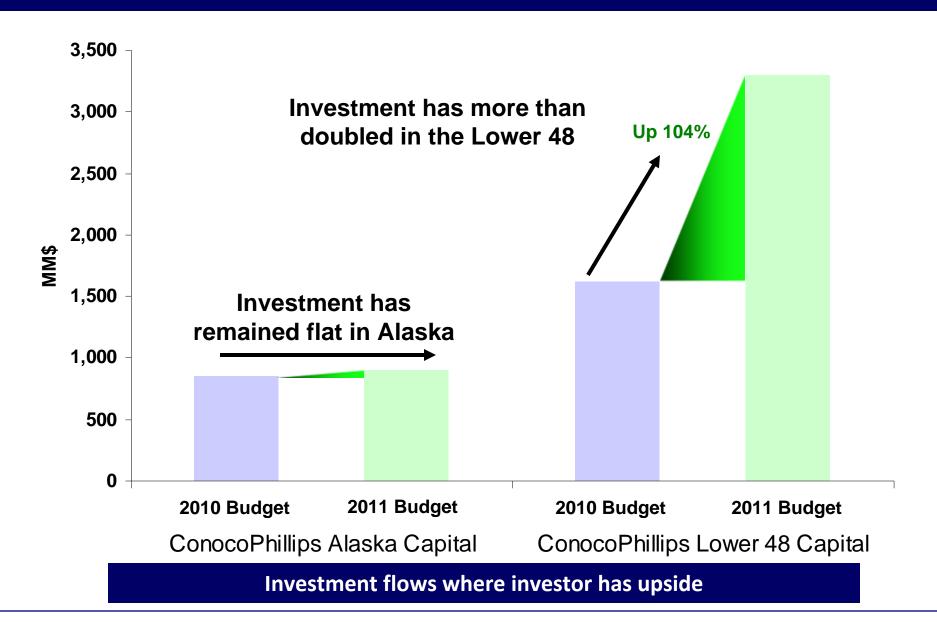




SB 192: With marginal government take > 100%, a case study in why marginal rates matter

Progressivity is the Problem





Will Alaska Benefit From Reduced Oil Taxes? ConocoPhillips



Last spring ConocoPhillips made the following commitments to Alaska if the business environment is improved:

- More effort to bring challenged oil to market
 - Increased drilling activity
- Pursue more satellite developments at Alpine and Kuparuk
- Pursue major projects in existing fields

