



Eocene-Miocene Bombay Shelf Assessment Unit 80430101



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-  Bombay Geologic Province 8043

USGS PROVINCE: Bombay (8043) India

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TOTAL PETROLEUM SYSTEMS: Eocene-Miocene Composite (804301)

ASSESSMENT UNIT: Eocene-Miocene Bombay Shelf (80430101)

DESCRIPTION: This oil prone assessment unit is located offshore along the west coast of India. A pericratonic basin, it is characterized by extensive carbonate platform shelf development during Middle Eocene to Middle Miocene. The carbonates reached their maximum extent in late Oligocene covering much of the shelf from the Indus River Delta south.

SOURCE ROCKS: Thick deltaic clay and shale facies deposited in the Surat and Dahanu depressions and the shelf margin basin during the Eocene through early Miocene are the most likely source rocks. The shelf margin basin, Saurashtra and Kutch offshore areas, with less source rock has less potential. Kerogens are primarily terrestrial types II and III. Eocene through early Miocene shales in the Bombay offshore area have TOC values from 0.5 to 2.0 percent and higher for Eocene shales in the Dahanu depression

MATURATION: Thermal alteration index (TAI) values of 3 or higher reported for early Miocene and older rocks and vitrinite reflectance (Ro) values of 0.4 to 1.1 percent indicate temperatures were sufficiently high to generate oil and gas.

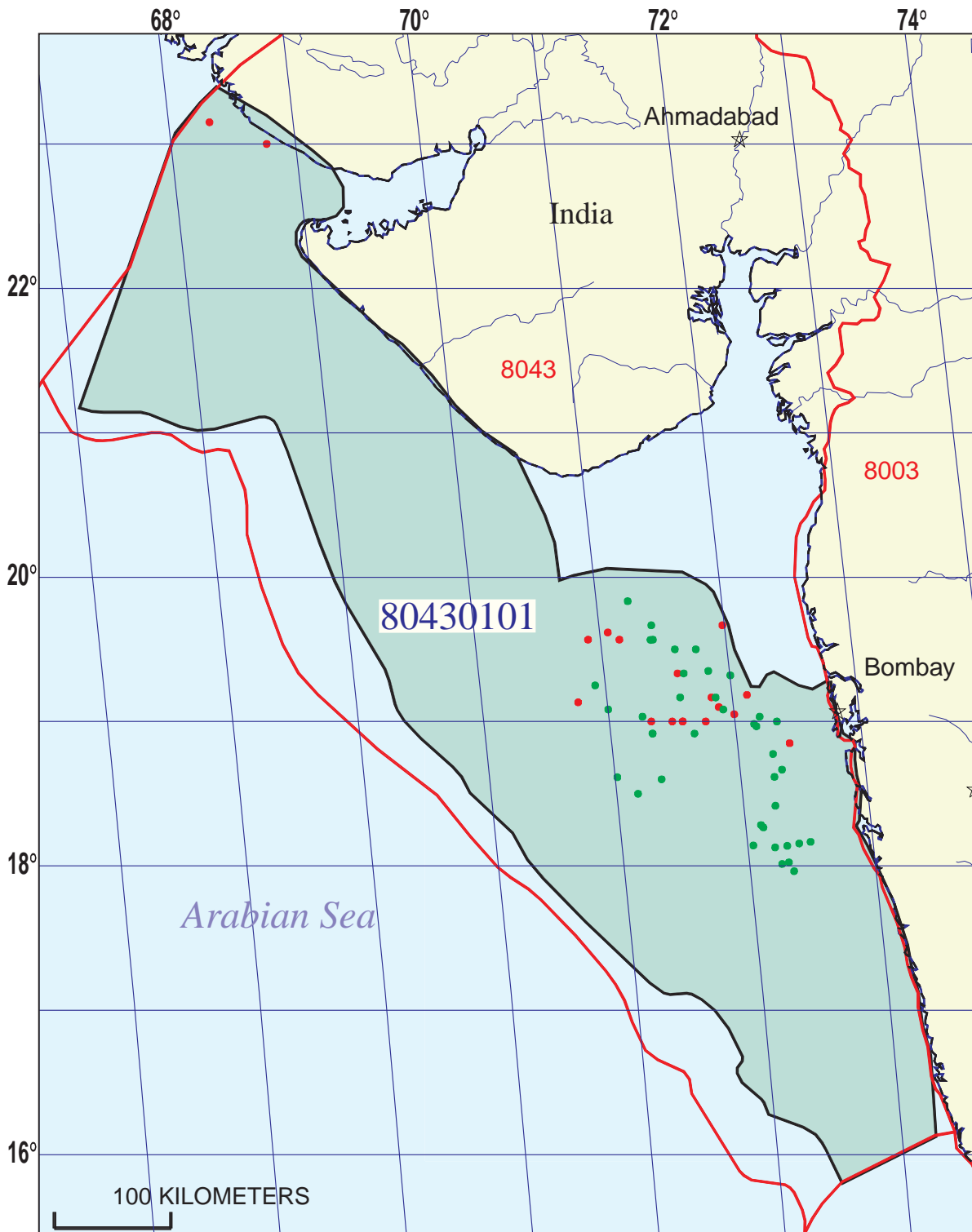
GENERATION AND MIGRATION: Burial history data indicate generation occurred during the Pliocene. Migration is primarily updip. Because shales on the carbonate platforms of the Bombay High and Ratnagiri Shelf are generally immature, it is likely that oil and gas migrated from early Miocene and older shales of the Surat and Dahanu depressions.

RESERVOIR ROCKS: Oil and gas is produced from fractured basement through middle Miocene reservoirs with the most prolific being the platform carbonates such as the early Miocene L-III Limestone. Other significant reservoirs are the Miocene L-II Limestone, L-I Limestone, S-Sandstone, Eocene Bassein Limestone, and Eocene Panna Sandstone.

TRAPS AND SEALS: Discoveries to date are anticlines and faulted anticlines revealed by seismic surveys. The most prolific traps are located on paleo-highs developed in the Late Cretaceous or early Paleocene as a result of rifting. The most likely seal is a series of thick middle to late Miocene shales extending over the area.

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EXPLANATION

- Hydrography
- Shoreline
- 8043 — Geologic province code and boundary
- Country boundary
- Gas field centerpoint
- Oil field centerpoint
- 80430101 — Assessment unit code and boundary

Projection: Robinson. Central meridian: 0

**SEVENTH APPROXIMATION
NEW MILLENNIUM WORLD PETROLEUM ASSESSMENT
DATA FORM FOR CONVENTIONAL ASSESSMENT UNITS**

Date:..... 8/19/99
 Assessment Geologist:..... C.J. Wandrey
 Region:..... South Asia Number: 8
 Province:..... Bombay Number: 8043
 Priority or Boutique..... Priority
 Total Petroleum System:..... Eocene-Miocene Composite Number: 804301
 Assessment Unit:..... Eocene-Miocene Bombay Shelf Number: 80430101
 * Notes from Assessor Lower 48-all growth function.

CHARACTERISTICS OF ASSESSMENT UNIT

Oil (<20,000 cfg/bo overall) **or** Gas (≥20,000 cfg/bo overall):... Oil

What is the minimum field size?..... 1 mmboe grown (≥1 mmboe)
 (the smallest field that has potential to be added to reserves in the next 30 years)

Number of discovered fields exceeding minimum size:..... Oil: 37 Gas: 18
 Established (>13 fields) X Frontier (1-13 fields) Hypothetical (no fields)

Median size (grown) of discovered oil fields (mmboe):
 1st 3rd 49.3 2nd 3rd 9 3rd 3rd 22.3
 Median size (grown) of discovered gas fields (bcfg):
 1st 3rd 75.3 2nd 3rd 97.2 3rd 3rd 351.2

Assessment-Unit Probabilities:

<u>Attribute</u>	<u>Probability of occurrence (0-1.0)</u>
1. CHARGE: Adequate petroleum charge for an undiscovered field ≥ minimum size.....	1.0
2. ROCKS: Adequate reservoirs, traps, and seals for an undiscovered field ≥ minimum size.....	1.0
3. TIMING OF GEOLOGIC EVENTS: Favorable timing for an undiscovered field ≥ minimum size	1.0

Assessment-Unit GEOLOGIC Probability (Product of 1, 2, and 3):..... 1.0

4. **ACCESSIBILITY:** Adequate location to allow exploration for an undiscovered field
 ≥ minimum size..... 1.0

UNDISCOVERED FIELDS

Number of Undiscovered Fields: How many undiscovered fields exist that are ≥ minimum size?:
 (uncertainty of fixed but unknown values)

Oil fields:.....min. no. (>0) 7 median no. 80 max no. 160
 Gas fields:.....min. no. (>0) 5 median no. 45 max no. 100

Size of Undiscovered Fields: What are the anticipated sizes (**grown**) of the above fields?:
 (variations in the sizes of undiscovered fields)

Oil in oil fields (mmbo).....min. size 1 median size 9 max. size 500
 Gas in gas fields (bcfg):.....min. size 6 median size 70 max. size 2000

AVERAGE RATIOS FOR UNDISCOVERED FIELDS, TO ASSESS COPRODUCTS

(uncertainty of fixed but unknown values)

<u>Oil Fields:</u>	minimum	median	maximum
Gas/oil ratio (cfg/bo).....	1100	2200	3300
NGL/gas ratio (bngl/mmcf).....	10	20	30
<u>Gas fields:</u>	minimum	median	maximum
Liquids/gas ratio (bngl/mmcf).....	20	40	60
Oil/gas ratio (bo/mmcf).....			

SELECTED ANCILLARY DATA FOR UNDISCOVERED FIELDS

(variations in the properties of undiscovered fields)

<u>Oil Fields:</u>	minimum	median	maximum
API gravity (degrees).....	28	38	48
Sulfur content of oil (%).....			
Drilling Depth (m)	500	2500	5000
Depth (m) of water (if applicable).....	0	100	1000
<u>Gas Fields:</u>	minimum	median	maximum
Inert gas content (%).....			
CO ₂ content (%).....			
Hydrogen-sulfide content (%).....			
Drilling Depth (m).....	500	2500	5000
Depth (m) of water (if applicable).....	0	100	1000

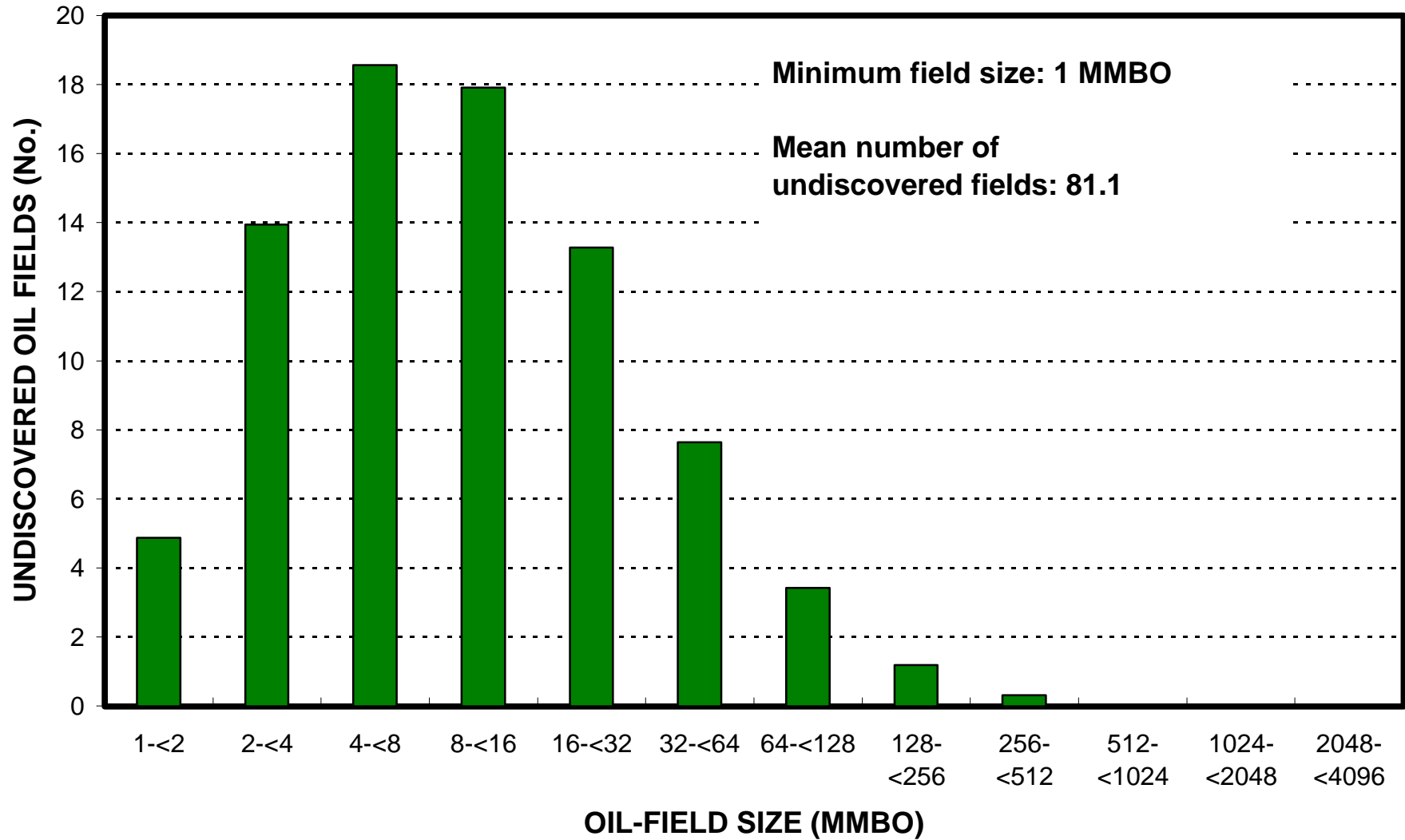
**ALLOCATION OF UNDISCOVERED RESOURCES IN THE ASSESSMENT UNIT
 TO COUNTRIES OR OTHER LAND PARCELS** (uncertainty of fixed but unknown values)

1. India represents 100 areal % of the total assessment unit

<u>Oil in Oil Fields:</u>	minimum	median	maximum
Richness factor (unitless multiplier):.....	_____	_____	_____
Volume % in parcel (areal % x richness factor):...	_____	<u>100</u>	_____
Portion of volume % that is offshore (0-100%).....	_____	<u>100</u>	_____
 <u>Gas in Gas Fields:</u>	 minimum	 median	 maximum
Richness factor (unitless multiplier):.....	_____	_____	_____
Volume % in parcel (areal % x richness factor):...	_____	<u>100</u>	_____
Portion of volume % that is offshore (0-100%).....	_____	<u>100</u>	_____

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Undiscovered Field-Size Distribution



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