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Total Mean Oil Resources
(Undiscovered Technically Recoverable Resources)

0.03
0.11
0.27
Williston Basin
3.84
0.03
0.05
0.07
0.64
Powder River Basin
0.04
0.04
Michigan Basin
0.99
0.03
0.06
0.13
0.10
0.20
0.00
0.01
1.56
0.03
0.02
0.12
0.06
0.05
0.02
0.55
Eastern Great Basin
0.14
0.07
0.21
0.49
0.39
0.05
0.40
0.08
0.21
1.06
Ventura Basin
0.07
0.02
0.98
Los Angeles Basin
0.03
0.01
0.24
0.02
1.26
2.76
Permian Basin
0.10
East Texas / Louisiana / Mississippi Salt Basins
0.02
3.38
0.35
Western Gulf Basin

10.56 3.98 10.36
NPRA
ANWR
0.17
0.97
Cook Inlet Basin

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Mean Total: 47.5 BBO

(Billions of Barrels of Oil)

Legend

Total Mean Oil–BBO (Billion Barrels of Oil)

- < 0.1
- 0.1 - 0.5
- 0.5 - 2.0
- > 2.0

Vintage by Province

- 1995
- 2001–2008