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Mean Shale Gas Resources
(Undiscovered Technically Recoverable Resources)

7.48
Michigan Basin

125.42
Appalachian Basin

0.98
Denver Basin

3.79
Illinois Basin

11.42
Paradox Basin

22.82
Anadarko Basin

26.67
Arkoma Basin

35.13
Permian Basin

26.23
Fort Worth Basin

124.89
Gulf Coast

42.01
Alaska North Slope

Legend

Mean Shale Gas (TCFG)

- 0.01 - 5.00
- 5.01 - 15.00
- 15.01 - 30.00
- > 30.00

Vintage by Province

- 1995
- 2001–2013

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Mean Total: 425 TCFG

(Trillions of Cubic Feet of Gas)