

## 1. Hydrocarbon LICENCES, Netherlands Territory as at 28 May 2010

Changes in the licences for hydrocarbon exploration and production onshore, which took place during 2010 in the onshore Territory, are listed in the tables below. Also all current licence applications.

Total area	Under licence	Under licence
41 785 km <sup>2</sup>	22 518 km <sup>2</sup>	53.9 %

### EXPLORATION LICENCES, Netherlands Territory

#### Applied for

Licence	Publication	Date	Closing date	Applicant(s)
Schiermonnikoog-Noord *	Government Gazette 193	06-10-92		GDF
Noordoostpolder	Government Gazette 67	18-03-09	17-06-09	Cuadrilla
Terschelling-West	Government Gazette 758	24-12-09	25-03-10	Schylger
Hemelum	Government Gazette ..	21-05-10	20-08-10	

\* Current application, formerly published in Annual Report

## PRODUCTION LICENCES, Netherlands Territory

### Applied for

Licence	Publication	Date	Closing date	Applicant(s)
Terschelling *	Government Gazette 91	11-05-95		NAM
Akkrum *	Official Journal C 287	24-11-04		Wintershall cs
	Government Gazette 230	29-11-04		

\* Current application, formerly published in Annual Report

### Awarded

Licence holder	Licence	In force	km <sup>2</sup>
Smart Energy Solutions B.V. cs	Marknesse	27-01-10	77
Nederlandse Aardolie Maatschappij B.V. cs	Zuid-Friesland III	09-03-10	105
		Totaal	182

## 2. Hydrocarbon LICENCES, Continental Shelf as at 28 May 2010

Changes in the licences for hydrocarbon exploration and production, which took place during 2010 on the Continental Shelf, are listed in the tables below. Also all current licence applications.

Total area	Under licence	Under licence
56 814 km <sup>2</sup>	29 512 km <sup>2</sup>	51.9 %

### EXPLORATION LICENCES, Continental Shelf

#### Applied for

Licence	Publication	Date	Closing date	Applicant(s)
F13b *	Official Journal C 246 Govern.Gazette 19237	14-10-09	13-01-10	Petro-Canada cs
L11c	Official Journal C 22 Govern.Gazette 2049	29-01-10	30-04-10	Cirrus, GDF
M04	Official Journal C 33 Govern.Gazette 3484	10-02-10	12-05-10	Cirrus
D12b	Official Journal C 73 Govern.Gazette 5078	23-03-10	22-06-10	
T1	Official Journal C 132 Govern.Gazette ..	21-05-10	20-08-10	

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#### Awarded

Licence holder	Licence	In force	km <sup>2</sup>
Cirrus Energy Nederland B.V.	F12	17-02-10	401
Cirrus Energy Nederland B.V.	F15b & F15c	17-02-10	165
		Totaal	566

**Lapsed / relinquished**

<b>Licence holder</b>	<b>Licence</b>	<b>In force</b>	<b>km<sup>2</sup></b>
Wintershall Noordzee B.V. cs	D18b	24-02-10	139
		Totaal	139

**Prolonged**

<b>Licence holder</b>	<b>Licence</b>	<b>In force</b>	<b>km<sup>2</sup></b>
Smart Energy Solutions B.V. cs	Q10a	29-05-10	53
Smart Energy Solutions B.V. cs	Q7	29-05-10	419
		Totaal	472

## PRODUCTION LICENCES, Continental Shelf

### Applied for

Licence	Publication	Date	Closing date	Applicant(s)
A12b & B10a *	-	20-01-00		Chevron cs
B16a *	-	06-05-93		Chevron cs
B17a *	-	30-05-97		Venture cs
D18a *	-	04-07-97		GDF cs
Q2a *	-	26-07-06		Smart cs
A15a *	-	07-02-07		Venture cs
L6a	-	01-05-10		Wintershall cs

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### 3. Hydrocarbon LICENCES, company changes, name changes and legal mergers in 2010 as at 28 May 2010

The tables below list changes which took place during 2010, as a result of mutations in consortiums of companies that participate in licences as well as name changes of participating companies or name changes as a result of legal mergers.

#### Company changes in exploration licences

Licence	Relinquishing company	Acquiring company	In force	Neth. Gazette
Noord-Brabant E11	Northern Petroleum Nederland B.V. -	Brabant Resources B.V. XTO Netherlands Ltd.	14-04-10 13-05-10	6071

#### Company changes in production licences

Licence	Relinquishing company	Acquiring company	In force	Neth. Gazette
K10a	Cirrus Energy Nederland B.V. Energy06 Investments B.V.	-	27-02-10	3333
Z-Friesland III	Nederlandse Aardolie Maatschappij B.V.	Northern Petroleum Nederland B.V.	07-04-10	5533

#### Name changes

Previous company name	New company name

#### Legal mergers

Merging company	New company