

1. LICENCES, Netherlands Territory as at 30 October 2009

Changes in the licences for the exploration, production and storage onshore, which took place during 2009 in the onshore Territory, are listed in the tables below. Also all current licence applications.

Total area	Under licence (km ²)	Under licence (%)
41 785 km ²		

EXPLORATION LICENCES, Netherlands Territory

Applied for

Licence	Publication	Date	Closing date	Applicant(s)
Schiermonnikoog-Noord *	Government Gazette 193	06-10-92		GDF
Zuidoost-Nederland *	Government Gazette 223	17-11-08	28-01-09	Queensland
Noordoostpolder	Government Gazette 67	18-03-09	17-06-09	Cuadrilla

* Current application, formerly published in Annual Report Oil and Gas

Lapsed/relinquished

Licence holder	Licence	In force	km ²
Nederlandse Aardolie Maatschappij B.V.	Andel IV	31-01-09	85
		Total	85

Awarded

Licence holder	Licence	In force	km ²
Smart Energy Solutions B.V. cs	Schagen	20-06-09	355
Cuadrilla Resources Ltd.	Noord-Brabant	14-10-09	1929
		Total	2 284

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		
Marknesse	Official Journal C 17	23-01-09	24-04-09	Smart
	Government Gazette 28	11-02-09		
Z-Friesland III	Official Journal C 99	30-04-09	30-07-09	NAM cs
	Government Gazette 95	27-05-09		

* Current application, formerly published in Annual Report Oil and Gas

Awarded

Licence holder	Licence	In force	km ²
		Total	

STORAGE LICENCES, Netherlands Territory

Applied for

Licence	Publication	Date	Closing date	Applicant(s)
Waalwijk-Noord *	-	26-04-04		Northern cs

* Current application, formerly published in Annual Report Oil and Gas

Awarded

Licence holder	Licence	In force	km ²
AKZO Nobel Salt B.V.	Winschoten	01-04-09	28
		Totaal	28

Prolonged

Licence holder	Licence	In force	km ²
TAQA Onshore B.V. cs	Bergermeer	04-04-09	19

2. LICENCES, Continental Shelf as at 30 October 2009

Changes in the licences for the exploration and production, which took place during 2009 on the Continental Shelf, are listed in the tables below. Also all current licence applications.

Total area	Under licence (km ²)	Under licence (%)
56 814 km ²		

EXPLORATION LICENCES, Continental Shelf

Applied for

Licence	Publication	Date	Closing date	Applicant(s)
F12	Publicatieblad EU, C 84 Staatscourant 85	08-04-09	08-07-09	Cirrus
F15b & F15c	Publicatieblad EU, C 84 Staatscourant 85	08-04-09	08-07-09	Cirrus
F13b	Publicatieblad EU, C 246	14-10-09	13-01-10	

* Current application, formerly published in Annual Report Oil and Gas

Lapsed / relinquished

Licence holder	Licence	In force	km ²
RWE Dea AG	B14	29-07-09	198
Ascent Resources Netherlands B.V.	M08a	19-08-09	264
Ascent Resources Netherlands B.V.	P4	19-08-09	170
Valhalla Oil and Gas Ltd.	F11	31-08-09	401
Totaal			1 033

Awarded

Licence holder	Licence	In force	km ²
Petro-Canada cs	F6b	07-04-09	390
Valhalla Oil and Gas Ltd.	F11	07-04-09	401
Wintershall Noordzee B.V. cs	K3e	22-04-09	258
GDF SUEZ E&P Nederland B.V.	E9	22-04-09	400
Tullow Netherlands B.V.	E11	22-04-09	401
GDF SUEZ E&P Nederland B.V.	E12	22-04-09	401
			Totaal 2 251

Prolonged

Licence holder	Licence	In force	km ²
Tullow Netherlands B.V.	E11	01-08-09	401
Cirrus Energy Nederland B.V. cs	L16b	30-10-09	176
			Total 577

Split

Licence holder	Licence	In force	km ²
- Original			
Cirrus Energy Nederland B.V.	Q16b		80
- After splitting			
Cirrus Energy Nederland B.V.	Q16b & Q16c-ondiep	17-02-09	80
Cirrus Energy Nederland B.V.	Q16b & Q16c-diep	17-02-09	80

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

* Current application, formerly published in Annual Report Oil and Gas

Awarded

Licence holder	Licence	In force	km ²
Petro-Canada Netherlands B.V.	P10b	07-04-09	100
Total E&P Nederland B.V. cs	K01b & K02a	20-06-09	75
		Total	175

Lapsed / relinquished

Licence holder	Licence	In force	km ²
		Total	

Split

Licence holder	Licence	In force	km ²
- Original			
- After splitting			

STORAGE LICENCES, Continental Shelf

Applied for

Licence	Publication	Date	Closing date	Applicant(s)
Q1-Helm *	-	22-07-08	-	Chevron

* Application withdrawn at 22-9-2009

3. LICENCES, company changes, name changes and legal mergers in 2009 as at 30 October 2009

The tables below list changes which took place during 2009, 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
Q16bc-ondiep	Cirrus Energy Nederland B.V.	Delta Hydrocarbons NL B.V.	17-02-09	37
Q16bc-diep	-	Energy06 Investments B.V.	17-02-09	37
Q2a	Wintershall Noordzee B.V.	Smart Energy Solutions B.V.	18-02-09	41
E13b	-	Dyas B.V.	14-03-09	54
E16b	-	Dyas B.V.	14-03-09	54

Company changes in production licences

Licence	Relinquishing company	Acquiring company	In force	Neth. Gazette
E15a	Total Gas Nederland B.V.	-	16-07-09	11851
E18a	Total Gas Nederland B.V.	-	16-07-09	11072
F13a	Total Gas Nederland B.V.	-	16-07-09	11852
E15b	Total Gas Nederland B.V.	-	16-07-09	11889
L11b	Chevron E. and P. Netherlands B.V.	-	14-07-09	12206
Q13a	TAQA Amstel Field B.V.	TAQA Offshore B.V.	14-07-09	12210
B18a	Venture Production Nederland B.V.	Venture F3 B.V.	16-09-09	- (*)
F03a	Venture Production Nederland B.V.	Venture F3 B.V.	16-09-09	- (*)

* Transfer as indicated in Annual Report 2008, has effectively never taken place

Name changes

Previous company name	New company name
Burlington Resources Nederland Petroleum B.V.	Nuon Exploration & Production The Netherlands B.V.
Goal Petroleum (Netherlands) B.V.	Total Gas Nederland B.V.
Oyster Energy B.V.	Elko Exploration B.V.