

COMPANY ACTIVITY FORM SEISMIC

Please verify your company's SIC and NAICS codes. If they are incorrect, cross out and insert correct information:

SIC 1382 (Oil and Gas Field Exploration Services
geophysical surveying and mapping)

NAICS 541360 (Geophysical Surveying and Mapping Services)

Complete each of the questions below. Please keep in mind that all responses should pertain specifically to your company's operations in the U.S. Gulf of Mexico in 2000.

Location of Your Company's Work	Services Offered in 2000 In the U.S. Gulf of Mexico	Percentage of Work That Was Speculative vs. Proprietary
<p>What percentage of your 2000 work in the U.S. Gulf of Mexico was located at water depths of less than 300 meters versus 300 or more meters?</p> <p>0-300 meters _____%</p> <p>300 or more meters _____%</p>	<p>Which of the following services did your company offer in 2000 in the U.S. Gulf of Mexico? (Circle all that apply.)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Acquisition.....1 Processing2 Interpretation.....3</p>	<p>In 2000, what percentage of your company's work in the U.S. Gulf of Mexico was speculative versus proprietary to a particular client?</p> <p style="text-align: center;">_____ % Speculative _____ % Proprietary</p>

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Technology Used	Vessel Traversed Kilometers	Boats Used
<p>What percentage of your company's 2000 work in the U.S. Gulf of Mexico was:</p> <p>2D _____%</p> <p>3D _____%</p> <p>4D _____%</p> <p>OBC (ocean bottom cable) _____%</p>	<p>In 2000, how many vessel traversed kilometers did your company cover in the U.S. Gulf of Mexico?</p> <p>_____ kilometers</p>	<p>In 2000, did your company use its own boats, contract out for boats, or did you use a combination of your own boats and contract boats in the U.S. Gulf of Mexico? (Circle one.)</p> <p>Use own boats only 1</p> <p>Contract boats only 2 → When your company contracts boats, how often do you contract for maritime personnel as well? (Circle one.)</p> <p>Always 1</p> <p>Sometimes 2</p> <p>Rarely 3</p> <p>Never.. 4</p> <p>Combination of own and contract 3 →</p> <p>On average, how many boats, either owned or contracted, did your company use in the U.S. Gulf of Mexico in 2000?</p> <p>_____ boats</p>

FORM #1: 2000 EXPENDITURES SEISMIC

The expenditures below have been identified as major expense categories for seismic companies. If the categories correspond to how your company tracks expenses, please use them. If not, use your own categories, but provide detailed descriptions. Other points to note include:

1. At least 70% of your company's expenses for the U.S. Gulf of Mexico in 2000 should be reflected here. (Note: employee wages and burden are captured on another form.)
2. Please provide SIC or NAICS codes for your expenditures (Information regarding these codes can be found on the following website: <http://www.census.gov/epcd/www/naics.html>). If this information is not available, leave the SIC and NAICS columns blank.

EXAMPLE: THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF RECORDING CABLE EXPENSE SHOULD BE LISTED IN THE APPROPRIATE COLUMN.

NAICS Codes	SIC Codes	Expenditure Type	Expenditures in 2000
11111	111	Recording Cable Expense – Example Only	\$200,000
		Recording Table Devices	
		Boat Repairs	
		Boat Rental	
		Boat Fuel and Lube	
		Miscellaneous Mechanical Expense	
		Marine Energy Source Expense	
		Shipping and Crating	
		Equipment Rental	
		Aircraft Charter	
		Airfares	
		Other Expenses Please Specify Below:	

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FORM #2: 2000 EXPENDITURES BY GEOGRAPHIC AREA SEISMIC

Please take amounts from Form #1 and list by zip code. If a zip code breakdown is not possible, indicate what city and state the product or service came from. If city is not available, please record the state. If neither zip code, city, nor state information is available, please indicate as accurately as possible whether the item came from within the U.S. Gulf of Mexico region or without.

EXAMPLE: TOTAL RECORDING CABLE EXPENSES ARE \$200,000, WHICH IS PAID TO COMPANIES LOCATED IN THREE DIFFERENT ZIP CODES. (NOTE: IF ZIP CODE BREAKDOWN IS NOT AVAILABLE, A CITY/STATE BREAKDOWN OR, IF NECESSARY, A BREAKDOWN OF EXPENDITURES BY WITHIN VERSUS WITHOUT THE GULF OF MEXICO REGION COULD BE PROVIDED.)

Expenditure Type*	2000 Expenditures (\$)
Recording Cable Expense – Example Only	\$200,000
Zip Code #1	\$75,000
Zip Code #2	\$75,000
Zip Code #3	\$50,000
OR	
Houston, TX	\$150,000
New Orleans, LA	\$50,000
OR	
Texas	\$150,000
Louisiana	\$50,000
OR	
Within GOM	\$200,000
Without GOM	0

Expenditure Type*	2000 Expenditures (\$)

* In instances in which payment is made to a different address than the shipping address, record expenditure under area corresponding to shipping address.



FORM #3: WORK FORCE SEISMIC

A. What is the total number of full-time equivalent workers employed by your company who were involved in conducting seismic surveys and analysis for offshore oil and gas fields in 2000 in the U.S. Gulf of Mexico?

B. We recognize that different companies maintain financial data in different formats. Please provide as much information as possible below, in the format in which it is easiest to report.

In total, how much did your company spend on the following for workers involved in seismic surveys and analysis for offshore oil and gas fields in the U.S. Gulf of Mexico (GOM) in 2000? **Please pro-rate salaries for individuals who did not work full time on seismic-related activities.**

EXAMPLE: IF A WORKER SPENT 50% OF HIS TIME WORKING ON PLATFORM OR RIG CONSTRUCTION IN THE U.S. GULF OF MEXICO, ONLY INCLUDE 50% OF HIS SALARY IN YOUR CALCULATIONS.

Wages \$ _____

Benefits \$ _____

Wages and benefits (if reported jointly) \$ _____

FORM #4: EMPLOYEE COUNTS BY JOB CATEGORY AND ZIP CODE SEISMIC

Please include all employees involved in seismic surveys and analysis for offshore oil/gas fields in the U.S. Gulf of Mexico (GOM) in 2000.

EXAMPLE: SIX ENGINEERS WERE EMPLOYED, LIVING IN FOUR DIFFERENT ZIP CODES. TOGETHER, THEY ACCOUNT FOR 12,500 LABOR HOURS, DISTRIBUTED AS SHOWN BY ZIP CODE.

Job Category	Total # of Labor hours in 2000	Employee Residence Zip Code	Personnel Count
Engineer-Example Only	12,500	TOTAL	6
	4,200	70880	2
	2,100	70881	1
	2,000	70882	1
	4,200	70883	2



Job Category	Total # of Labor hours in 2000	Employee Residence Zip Code	Personnel Count

FORM #5: LABOR REQUIREMENTS SEISMIC

Please list all job categories relevant to performing seismic surveys and analysis in the U.S. Gulf of Mexico (GOM), the average wages and benefits that correspond to each category, and the total number of man-hours used of that labor category in 2000.

Job Category	Average Wages & Benefits	# Labor hours Used in 2000



Job Category	Average Wages & Benefits	# Labor hours Used in 2000

FUTURE PLANS FORM SEISMIC

Please complete the following questions about the future of your industry.

1. Do you anticipate any technological innovations in the next 2-5 years that would result in a reduction in your unit costs? **(Circle one.)**

Yes1

No.....2

What types of developments do you anticipate that will lead to a reduction in your unit cost?
(Please describe in as much detail as possible.)
