

RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS
DRILLING, COMPLETION, AND PLUGGING SUMMARY

Annual

FOR PERIOD: JANUARY 1, 1982 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 1982

	State Totals			Activity by District for This Period											
	1982	1981	1980	01	02	03	04	05	06	7B	7C	08	8A	09	10
COMPLETIONS															
Oil Discovery	702	583	717	22	50	89	56	16	49	135	73	56	36	100	20
Oil Existing Field	15,594	15,044	11,605	2,503	193	1,480	323	345	431	2,172	1,033	2,189	1,662	2,407	856
Oil Completions-Total	16,296	15,627	12,322	2,525	243	1,569	379	361	480	2,307	1,106	2,245	1,698	2,507	876
Gas Discovery	1,421	1,279	1,324	36	313	212	488	32	52	148	30	25	2	50	33
Gas Existing Field	4,852	4,175	4,007	128	410	559	724	111	511	864	562	141	23	387	432
Gas Completions-Total	6,273	5,454	5,331	164	723	771	1,212	143	563	1,012	592	166	25	437	465
Service Completions-Total	629	460	593	33	18	37	12	32	36	113	12	137	96	93	10
TOTAL COMPLETIONS	23,198	21,541	18,246	2,722	984	2,377	1,603	536	1,079	3,432	1,710	2,548	1,819	3,037	1,351
NEW HOLES DRILLED															
Oil Discovery	693	537	641	22	50	84	52	16	48	137	74	56	34	100	20
Oil Existing Field	14,966	13,846	10,864	2,440	152	1,448	228	340	398	2,136	1,017	2,100	1,620	2,249	838
Oil Holes-Total	15,659	14,383	11,505	2,462	202	1,532	280	356	446	2,273	1,091	2,156	1,654	2,349	858
Gas Discovery	1,245	1,179	1,195	36	288	164	420	30	50	126	29	23	2	44	33
Gas Existing Field	4,201	3,599/r	3,432	128	332	389	560	111	504	700	548	135	19	334	441
Gas Holes-Total	5,446	4,778/r	4,627	164	620	553	980	141	554	826	577	158	21	378	474
Service Holes-Total	613	433	584	33	18	37	12	32	35	114	12	126	96	88	10
*Dry Wildcat	2,332	2,494	2,202	32	12	474	110	21	33	458	304	21	269	539	59
*Dry Existing Hole	2,747	2,634	1,572	84	31	266	382	90	121	341	247	271	163	660	91
*Dry Holes-Total	5,079	5,128	3,774	116	43	740	492	111	154	799	551	292	432	1,199	150
TOTAL NEW HOLES DRILLED	26,797	24,722/r	20,490	2,775	883	2,862	1,764	640	1,189	4,012	2,231	2,732	2,203	4,014	1,492
HOLES PLUGGED															
Oil	2,920	1,948	1,938	341	113	349	233	30	231	210	214	376	177	556	90
Gas	2,049	1,552	773	441	550	132	568	56	60	56	63	33	11	65	14
Service	236	243	189	0	4	27	18	19	17	23	9	59	26	30	4
*Dry	5,230	5,311	3,773	116	65	739	519	143	256	799	559	318	438	1,128	150
TOTAL HOLES PLUGGED	10,435	9,054	6,673	898	732	1,247	1,338	248	564	1,088	845	786	652	1,779	258

Total Completions Include: 396 Dual Oil, 259 Dual Gas, 15 Triple Gas, 5 Quadruple Gas, and 1 Quintuple Gas.

* Dry hole data not comparable due to changes in reporting system.
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REGULAR DRILLING APPLICATIONS	Drill	28,082	35,306	29,299	3,650	855	2,047	1,385	1,059	1,200	5,489	2,236	2,471	1,521	4,774	1,395
	Deepen	532	484	430	29	67	88	160	3	26	26	28	49	17	29	10
	Plugback	2,221	1,717	1,425	86	398	370	714	20	52	144	88	161	46	91	51
	Service	734	658	723	42	27	69	50	26	15	92	9	228	87	77	12
	Amended	9,655	9,775	7,565	753	493	995	846	209	460	2,115	860	706	423	1,357	438
	Total	41,224	47,940	39,442	4,560	1,840	3,569	3,155	1,317	1,753	7,866	3,221	3,615	2,094	6,328	1,906
MISCELLANEOUS DRILLING APPLICATIONS	Core	90	51	83	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	57	0	0	7
	Sulfur	15	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	0
	Uranium	212	712	1,561	107	40	57	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0
	Other*	85	133	171	0	0	65	0	0	0	2	0	5	8	5	0
	Total	402	910	1,815	128	40	122	0	0	0	2	5	85	8	5	7
RULE 37 FILED	Drill	2,977	3,330	3,222	265	102	376	131	68	269	277	190	507	382	266	144
	Deepen	115	132	147	6	29	16	14	1	8	5	4	16	1	15	0
	Plugback	430	329	400	14	73	146	74	4	28	11	13	44	2	11	10
	Total	3,522	3,791	3,769	285	204	538	219	73	305	293	207	567	385	292	154
RULE 37 GRANTED	Drill	2,099	2,252	2,545	184	97	324	122	46	230	191	147	287	156	180	135
	Deepen	106	135	123	7	24	17	11	2	9	6	1	9	4	16	0
	Plugback	359	338	363	9	62	126	60	3	23	8	10	35	2	15	6
	Total	2,564	2,725	3,031	200	183	467	193	51	262	205	158	331	162	211	141
RULE 37 DENIED	Total	6	7	3	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1

* Includes the following types of wells Observation, Brine Disposal, L. P. G. Storage, Oil and Gas Storage, and Water Supply