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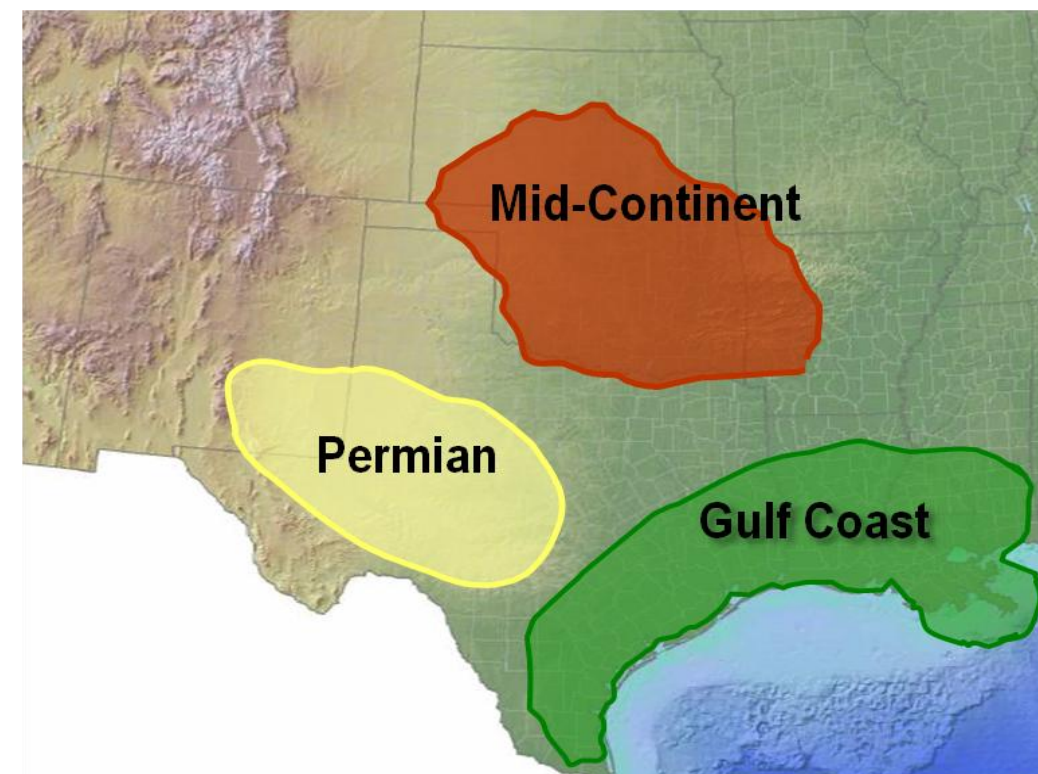
- Cimarex Energy Co. is an independent oil and gas exploration and production company with principal operations in the Mid-Continent, Permian Basin and Gulf Coast areas of the U.S.
- Our strategy centers on achieving consistent profitable growth in proved reserves and production by continually expanding our drilling program and maximizing cash flow from production operations. Acquisitions may be made from time to time, but our principal strategy is growth through the drill-bit.
- A cornerstone to our approach is detailed evaluation of each drilling decision based on its risk-adjusted discounted cash flow rate of return on investment. Our analysis includes estimates and assessments of potential reserve size, geologic and mechanical risks, expected costs and future production profiles.
 - Rate return focused
 - Drill internally generated prospects in order to achieve higher returns
 - Maintain a strong balance sheet

Stock Information

Ticker symbol	XEC
Stock exchange	NYSE
Shares outstanding (6/30/08, in millions)	83.1

Financial/Operational Highlights

(in millions, except per share)	Years ended December 31,		Six-months ended June 30,	
	2007	2006	2008	2007
Oil and gas sales	1,364.6	1,215.4	1,043.1	619.2
Net income	346.5	345.7	379.1	143.3
Net income - per share diluted	4.09	4.11	4.44	1.69
Cash flow from operating activities	994.7	878.4	697.6	433.3
Total equivalent proved reserves (Bcfe)	1,472	1,449	NA	NA
% gas	76%	75%	NA	NA
Production (MMcfe/d)	451.0	449.1	482.3	442.0
% gas	73%	76%	72%	73%



Region	YE 2007 Proved Reserves (Bcfe)	Q2 2008 Production (MMcfe/d)
Mid-Continent	617	219.2
Permian Basin	528	163.3
Gulf Coast	126	101.0
Western/other	202	4.9
	1,472	488.4

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