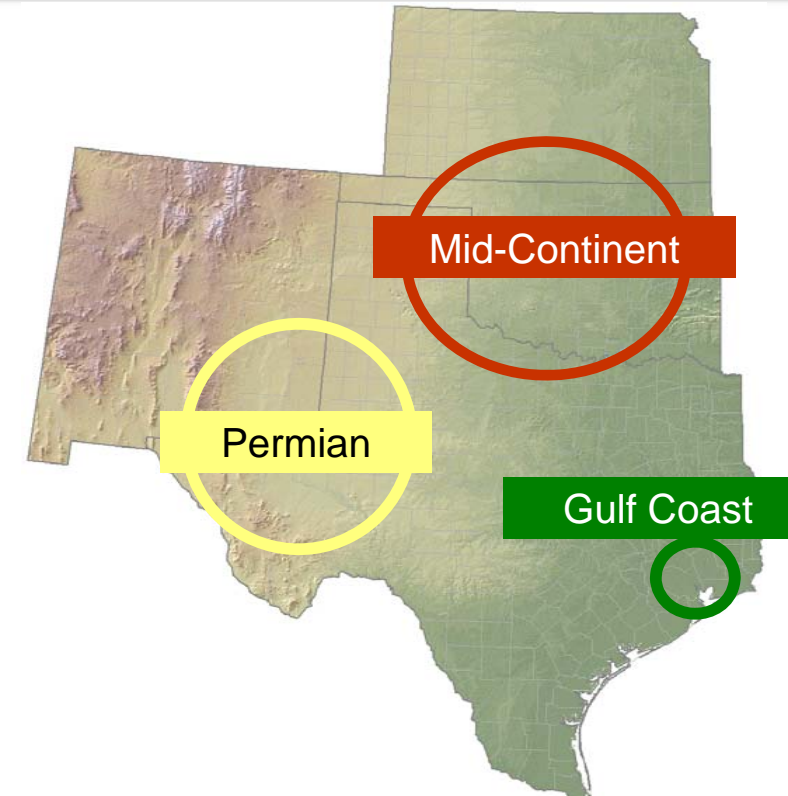




- Cimarex Energy Co. is an independent oil and gas exploration and production company with principal operations in the Mid-Continent, Permian Basin and Gulf Coast areas of the U.S.
- Our strategy centers on achieving consistent profitable growth in proved reserves and production through our drilling 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 (12/31/10, in millions)	85.2

Financial/Operational Highlights

(in millions, except per share)	Years ended December 31,	
	2010	2009
Oil, gas & NGL sales	1,558.6	962.4
Net income (loss) ⁽¹⁾	574.8	(311.9)
Net income (loss) - per share diluted	6.70	(3.82)
Cash flow from operating activities	1,130.4	675.2
Total equivalent proved reserves (Bcfe)	1,884	1,535
% gas	67%	77%
Production (MMcfe/d)	595.9	462.9
% gas	56%	70%

(1) The 2009 net loss includes a full-cost ceiling test write-down of \$502 million after-tax.

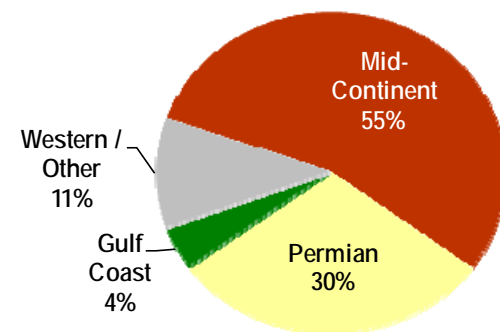
Region	YE 2010 Proved Reserves (Bcfe)	2010 Production (MMcfe/d)
Mid-Continent	1,029	255.4
Permian Basin	561	165.4
Gulf Coast	83	174.1
Western/other	211	1.0
	1,884	595.9

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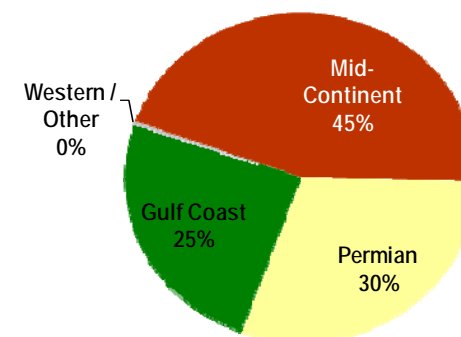
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2010 Reserves – 1.88 Tcfe



Q4 2010 Prod. 605 MMcfe/d



2010 Capital \$999 MM

