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2015 Korea National Oil Corporation Brochure

New Start, New Discovery



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New Start for the Future

The Korea National Oil Corportaion in Ulsan is at the heart of Korea's oil industry, raising Korea to 95th ranked global oil producer. KNOC is taking new strides toward establishing itself as an oil hub of Northeast Asia. While preparing the future of the nation's energy, global state-run Korea National Oil Corporation is expecting significant further development and growth.







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Connecting the future The Korea National Oil Corporation continues to develop its limitless capacity to ensure growth as a global E&P company, while also working for the wellbeing of the nation as a public enterprise, by pursuing a firm sense of corporate and social responsibility. Creating Value Beyond Energy VISION **Korea National Oil Corporation** Creating Energy Value **Bevond** Seek to achieve Expand our Define the core Become a global our ultimate goal, direction of our company with petroleum the happiness of business sustainable resources the nation growth 4 CORE **VALUES**

Business Portfolio

Exploration, Development, Production(E&P)

30 projects in 21 countries, including domestic continental shelf development

9 reserves nationwide with a total capacity of 146 million barrels of oil reserves, and securement of 92 million barrels

Northeast Asian Oil Hub

Management of Yeosu Tank Terminal (8.2 million barrel capacity) and design of Ulsan Tank Terminal (28.4 million barrel capacity)

Offshore Rig Management

Management of nation's sole semi-submersible offshore rig,
'Doosung', and a further 119 drilling wells globally

Oil Information Service Expert information and real-time oil-price information service 'Opinet' and online 'Petronet'

Selection of E&P's main technologies and training of technical professionals via 3-year technological self-sufficiency plan

Discount Gas Station

Business

Management of 1,142 gas stations in Korea

- Supply of oil products, improvement of facilities

**as of August 2015

Sustainability Management

R&D



Business Ethics

KNOC aims to fulfil leading international standards in ethical management through the establishment of global policy, enforcement of business ethics, and promotion of a culture of integrity. In 2014, KNOC ranked first among korean class-I public organizations in Public Corporation Integrity Evaluation for two consecutive years, was awarded the highest level (AAA) in KoBEX (Korean Business Ethics IndeX) for 8 consecutive years.



Social Contribution

KNOC is currently executing four social contribution strategies - Helping the Underprivileged 'Sunshine', Contributing to Local Society 'Happy Together', Fosterage of Future Leaders 'Dream Future', and Contributing to Global Society 'Global KNOC Family' — to establish itself as a public organization at the forefront of community culture. KNOC was awarded the 2015 Corporate Social Contribution Prize for its contribution to the social welfare and underprivileged aid sectors.



Environmental Management

KNOC is working to develop the safety and security of all its business locations and establish an eco-friendly working environment through the continuous improvement of the systematic and integrated 'HSEQ' (Health, Safety, Environment, Quality) management system. Various efforts are being made to strengthen the capability of HSE, through regular education programs and advanced prevention tactics designed to foster a culture of environmental management.

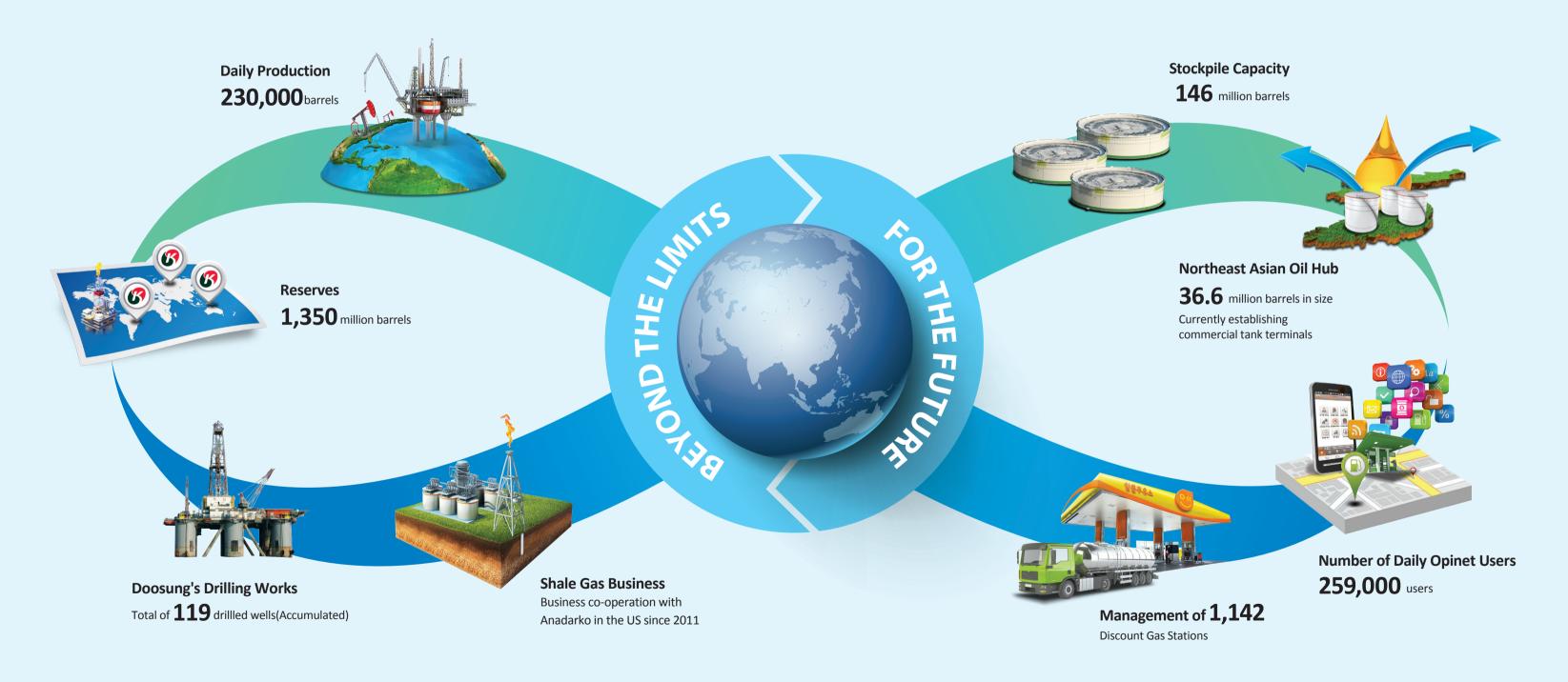


Coexistence Strategy

KNOC practices as a 'Global Oil Company Sharing Growth with Small and Medium Businesses', through seven business strategy directions, including reinforcing the competitiveness of small and medium sized businesses, encouraging fair business connections, and establishing foundations of momentum and a culture of shared growth. KNOC faithfully fulfills its social responsibilities as a public institution.

Exploring the future

Korea National Oil Corporation: Casting off the limits of today, discovering new hopes for energy, and advancing new, innovative ambition



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Production

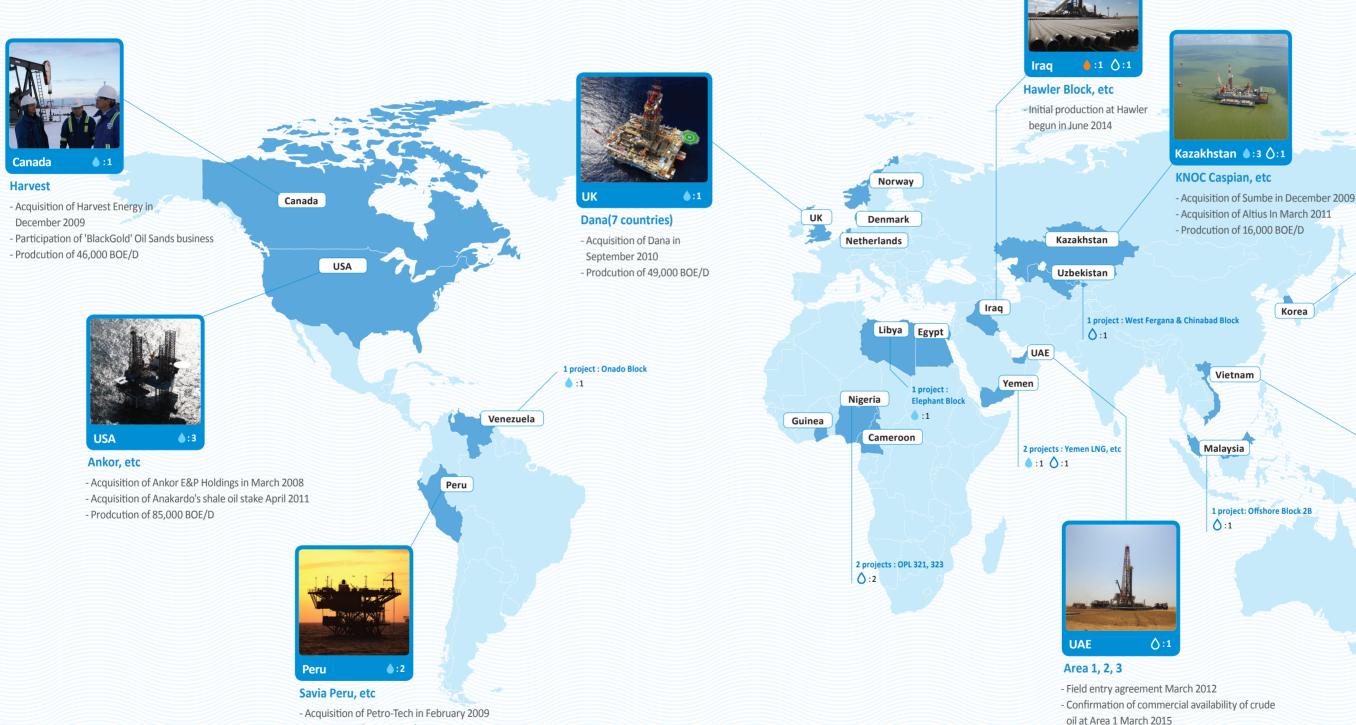
Development

Exploration

GLOBAL E&P

The Korea National Oil Corporation is actively participating in overseas oil and gas development for the stable supply of domestic resources. As of August 2015, KNOC is involved in 30 projects (including domestic) in 21 countries around the world.

- Prodcution of 9.000 BOE/D



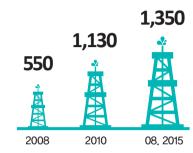
♦ :1 ♦ :5 Korea Donghae-1 Gas Field, etc - Korea's first commercial gas field - Initial production begun in July 2004 - Prodcution of 5,000 BOE/D Vietnam 11-2 Block, etc - Initial production at 15-1 site begun in November 2003 - Initial production at 11-2 site begun In November 2006 - Prodcution of 23,000 BOE/D

- Scheduled to begin production at end of 2017

Creating the Future

ENERGY

Reserve (unit : million barrels)





Daily Production

230,000 barrels

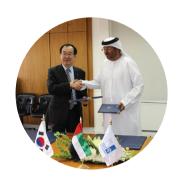


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Exploration & Production

Through 30 E&P projects in 21 countries around the world, KNOC produces an average of 230,000 barrels of oil daily. Since 2008, through large scale mergers and acquisitions, KNOC has established strategically based subsidiaries including Ankor in the US, Savia Peru in Peru, Harvest in Canada, Dana in the UK, KNOC Caspian and Altius in Kazakhstan. KNOC has created a synergy effect through this basis of connecting with regions' existing production activity and sharing skills and development experience.

The Donghae-1 gas field – discovered in 2004 thanks to ongoing exploration of Korea's continental shelf – saw an output of 165 billion cubic feet of natural gas and 3 million barrels of condensate between the beginning of commercial production and August 2015. In addition, development of the nearby Donghae-2 gas field is in progress, with aims to begin commercial production in July 2016. Furthermore, KNOC is making efforts to expand domestic oil reserves by preparing for the exploration of Donghae-8 Block on the continental shelf.



E&P Projects in UAE

Since the signing of an oil joint stockpiling and development MOU with ADNOC –national oil company of the United Arab Emirates, the world's seventh richest country in terms of natural resources – KNOC has vigorously conducted oil development activity in the UAE. Of the three blocks (Areas 1, 2, 3) currently part of the project, initial production in Area 1 (Haliba Structure) is expected to begin in 2017 after confirmation of commercially viable crude oil there. Utmost efforts are being made to secure additional resources in the remaining blocks.





Shale Gas Projects

Following the emergence of Shale Gas as the energy source of the future, KNOC have, since 2011, been developing technology along with the US's Anarkado and its shale business. In addition, we promote shale gas projects participation strategy by eliciting the selection of and entry into new areas promising productivity and business value. While short term partnership with US business allows the expanding of core technologies and management competence, long-term, KNOC aims to advance into further promising locations internationally.



Offshore Rig Management

Since the launch of Korea's sole offshore rig, Doosung, in 1984, KNOC has successfully drilled in a further 119 wells around the world. Through HSEQ - the introduction of environmental safety and health maintenance procedures and advanced equipment systems - to Doosung's advanced drilling vessels, Doosung has maintained 8 consecutive years of injury-free operation, as of August 2015. In addition, KNOC's active marketing strategies have resulted in stable profits and the securement of stable medium and long-term ('15~'17) supplies.

Oil Stockpile

With the aim of supplying stable oil resources for oil crisis, KNOC has worked hard to establish a total of nine stockpiling sites, including Ulsan, Geoje, and Yeosu, which have secured 92 million barrels of oil (as of August 2015) at facilities for a total of up to 146 million barrels of stockpiled oil.

In addition in 2014, KNOC further reinforced safety and security with the replacement of all partially deteriorated above-ground reserve tanks, while continuing to boast a record free from accidents and injury for 14 consecutive years thanks the improvement of the Process Safety Management (PSM) System



Oil Information Service Supply

In the midst of the uncertain global oil environment, KNOC makes the utmost of efforts to provide government agencies, global businesses, academic institutions, and peoples, rapid and accurate information on the industry. Through a variety of platforms, including the internet service, 'Petronet', and periodical publications, KNOC offers in-depth data on supply and demand and the worldwide oil market. The world's first real-time oil-price disclosure service 'Opinet', boasted 64 million users in 2014, and was selected as a 'Top 10 Public Mobile Applications' by the Ministry of Security and Public Administration in Korea.





International Joint Stockpile & Oil Trading

As well as creating profit through the management of store reserves within the scope of their original purpose, we are also working hard to improve the competitiveness of our oil reserves in other ways. We operate trading business by utilizing our oil reserves and facilities, actively managing international joint stockpiling through the use of non-invested margin trading facilities by attracting and storing oil producing countries' crude oil and petroleum goods. In addition, we are increasing our global asset value and contributing to the increase of our crisis reaction capabilities through the expansion of marketing, utilizing overseas exploration and production assets.



KNOC is propelling mid and long-term strategic oil hub* planning to transform Korea into a Northeast Asian center for energy. KNOC is in the midst of establishing a commercial tank terminal with a capacity of 36.6 million barrels (Yeosu: 8.2 million barrels, Ulsan: 28.4 million barrels) with the aim of supplying 270 million barrels of oil and generating economic effects of 3.3 billion US dollars by 2020. In addition, in order to establish a high and eco-friendly standard of infrastructure necessary to become a global oil hub, KNOC is also making great efforts to relax oil exchange related laws and institutionalized regulations.



Continuous Research and Development

From 2014, in order to expand our technological expertise, KNOC has implemented a three year ('14~'16) technology self-reliance plan. As an oil company, we are managing an increased focus on the promotion of a skilled labor force and the selection of strategically vital E&P techniques and construction projects as focal technologies. We are making increased efforts to expand technologies which will assist in the organic growth of our projects, such as technology for the shale gas development, heavy oil production, and reservoir simulation technology.

Discount Gas Stations

Discount gas stations, aiming to spread fair competition within the domestic distribution market and promote the stabilization of oil prices, expanded to include 1,142 gas stations between its first launch in December 2011 and the end of August 2015. This project is developing the domestic market from a monopoly dominated by four major companies into a fair and competitive market structure. The self-regulated inexpensive petroleum prices at discount gas stations offer much benefit to consumers, as they help regulate oil prices at other locations in the area.

Northeast Asian Oil Hub Project



* oil hub: a center for oil distribution and business operations via the establishment of a commercial tank terminal located on a major global oil route, offering storage for crude oil and other goods, and a variety of optional services