

Strategic Review *April 2013*





RUSPETRO

Disclaimer

The information contained in this presentation, which may include certain forward-looking information, is not to be relied upon for any particular purpose, and is not intended to be and shall not be deemed to be an offer, invitation or inducement to invest in or to sell or otherwise deal in any securities of Ruspetro plc or in any other investment, nor to provide or constitute any advice or recommendation in connection with any investment decision. Ruspetro plc makes no representation or warranty express or implied that the information or any such forward-looking information included in this presentation is accurate, comprehensive, verified or complete or of a satisfactory quality, or fitness for a particular purpose. Neither Ruspetro plc nor any other person or entity accepts liability for any loss of whatsoever nature or howsoever caused, arising directly or indirectly from the use of or reliance upon this presentation or any of the information it contains.

The intellectual property rights in this presentation and the information within belong to and remain with Ruspetro plc. Unless provisions to the contrary have been agreed with Ruspetro plc no party shall be permitted to reproduce, make available to third parties or publish this presentation or any part of the same or the information contained in it, in any form or manner.

RUSPETRO

Table of Contents

- 1. Overview
- 2. 2012 Field Review
- 3. Development Plan
- 4. Financing Plan
- 5. 2012 Financial Review



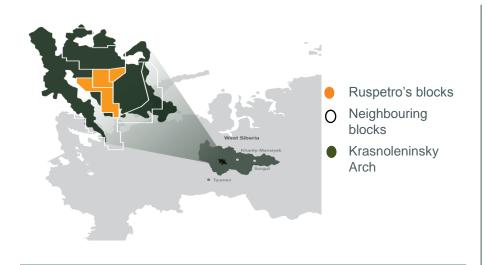
1. Overview

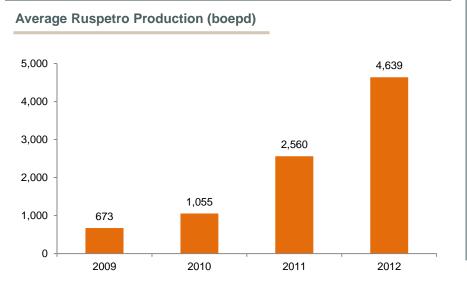




West Siberian Producer with Significant Reserve Base







- Large on-shore reserve base
 - Proved reserves of 234 million boe
 - 2P reserves of over 1.8 billion boe
 (c.17mn boe of condensate, 153mn boe of gas)
- Developed region and infrastructure
- Experienced management team with proven track record
- Commercialisation of gas production being developed

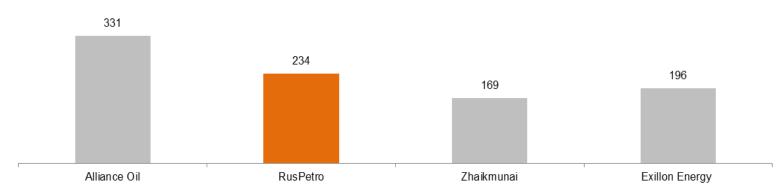
Source: Company Data and D&M.

Reserves of International Oil and Gas Companies Compared



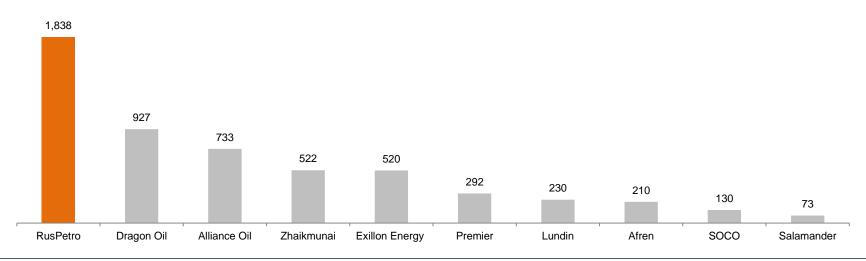
1P reserves (mmboe)





2P reserves (mmboe)

As per the latest company update, unless stated otherwise





2. 2012 Field Review







2012 Objectives Reviewed

- ✓ Build a team to efficiently develop, produce and sell hydrocarbons
- ✓ Develop the sales, treatment and access infrastructure required
- ✓ Improve reserve quality by increasing the proved category
- ✓ Develop a strategy to develop and monetize our gas resources
- Grow production towards a target of 10,400 boepd by the end of the year
- Refinance debt, extend maturity



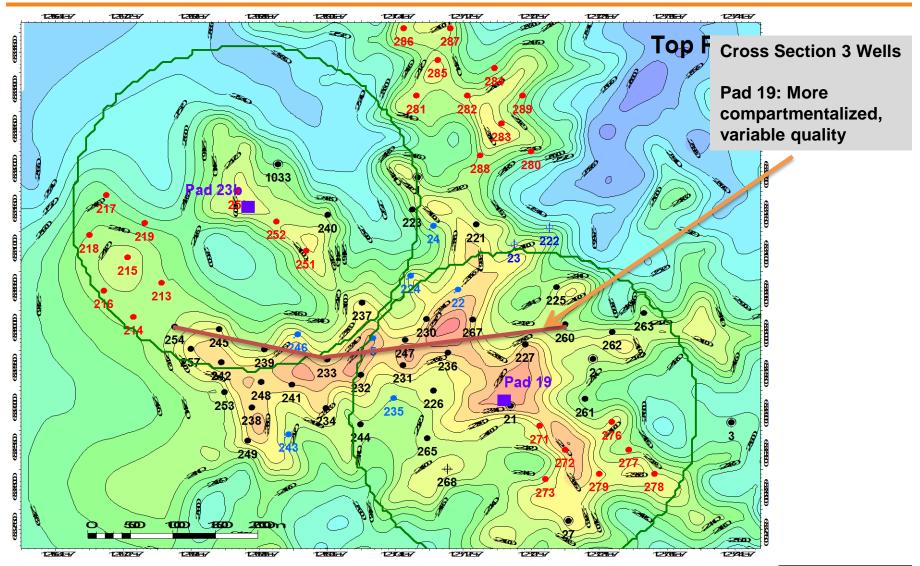
2012 Results Summary

Full year EBITDA of negative US\$6.2 million, Q4 2012 EBITDA positive at US\$2.4 million

	2012	2011	Change %
Revenue (US\$m)	76.23	38.72	+97%
Well head revenue per barrel (US\$/boe)	24.50	19.83	+24%
Oil and condensate production, total (boe)	1,697,950	935,003	+82%
Average production (boe)	4,639	2,560	+81%
Proved reserves (mm boe)	234	173	+35%
Probable reserves (mm boe)	1,604	1,372	+17%

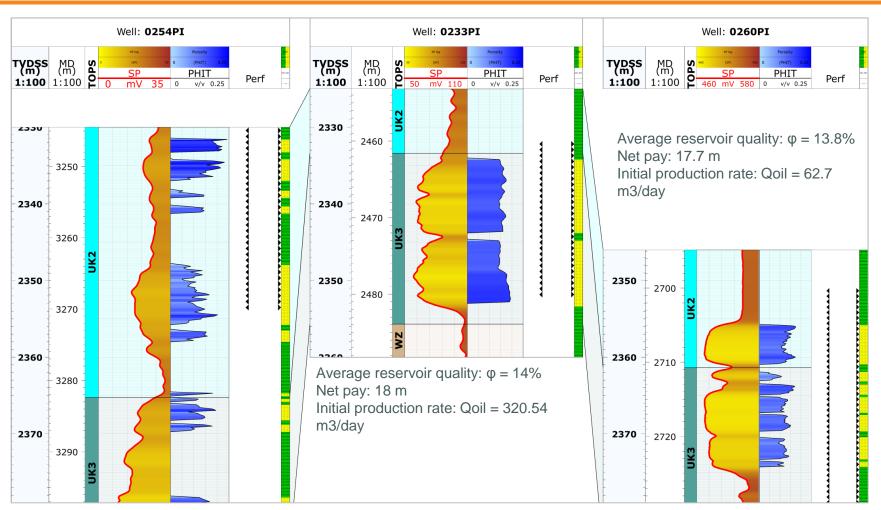


Crude Oil: 2012 Development Review



RUSPETRO

Log comparisons – 254b, 233, 260



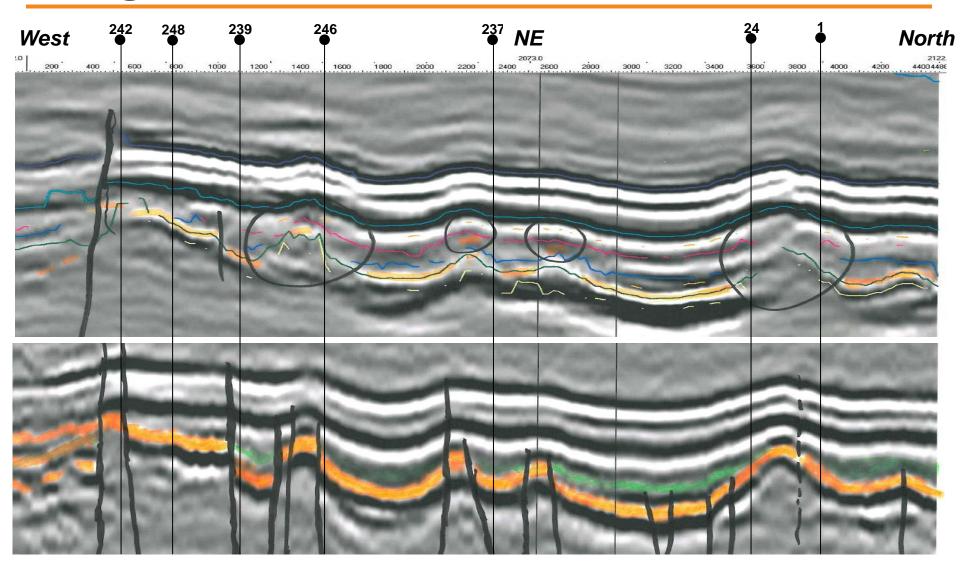
Average reservoir quality: $\phi = 14\%$

Net pay: 22.7 m

Initial production rate: Qoil = 436.76 m3/day

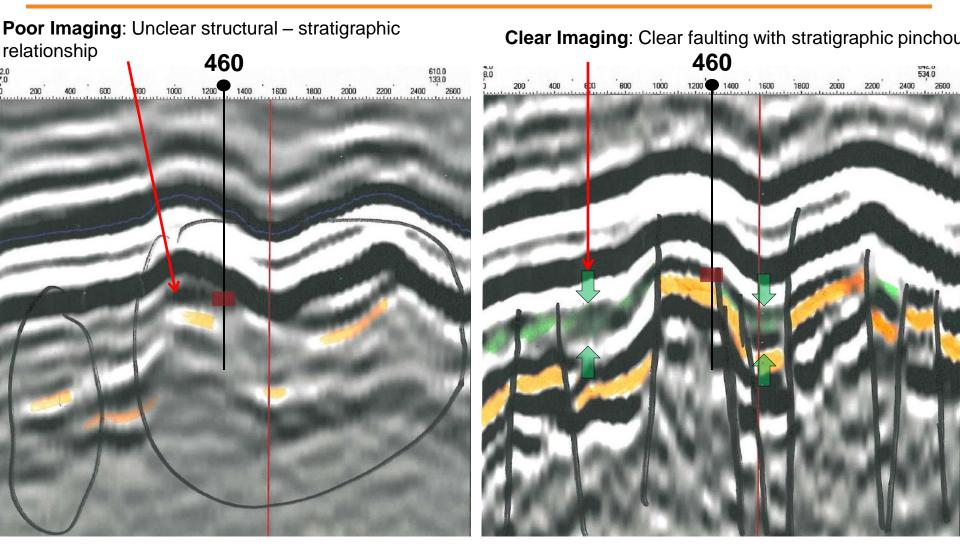
Resolution improvements after Reprocessing - along northern flank of P-I





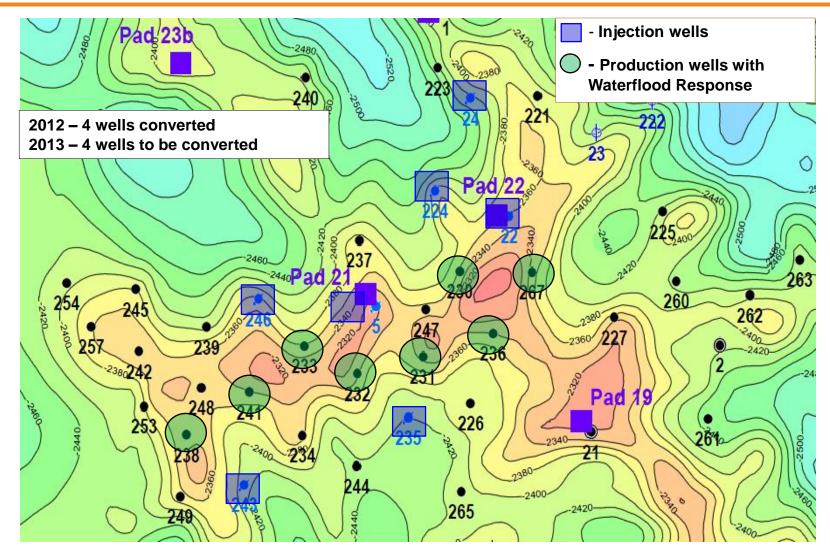
Well 460 (1992) western side of V-I License (north of Pad 25) Crestal location, limited reservoir, 3.3M³/D oil from poor UK4? Reprocessed seismic indicates prospective flank positions





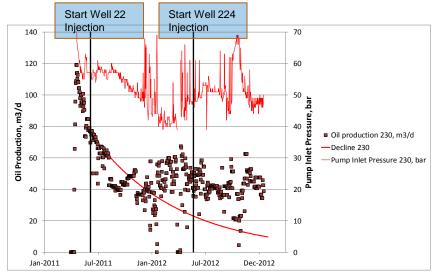


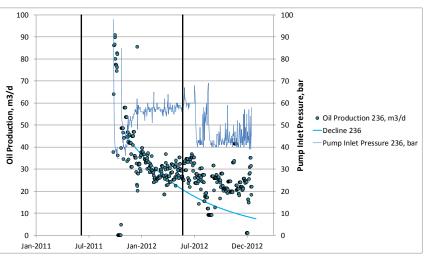
Crude Oil Waterflood Progress

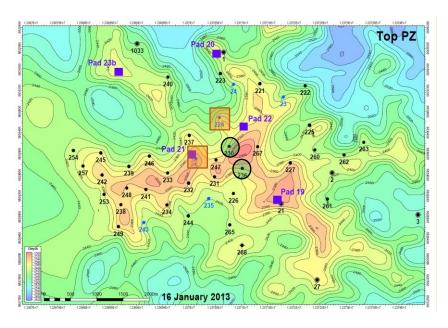




Waterflood Response – Wells 230,236

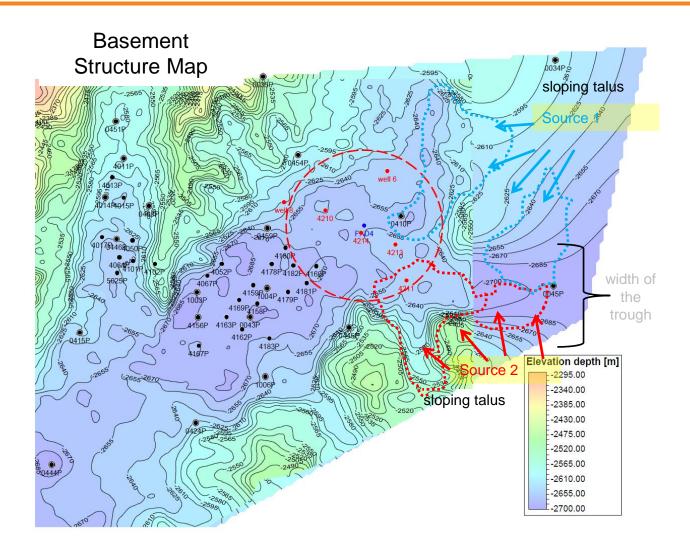






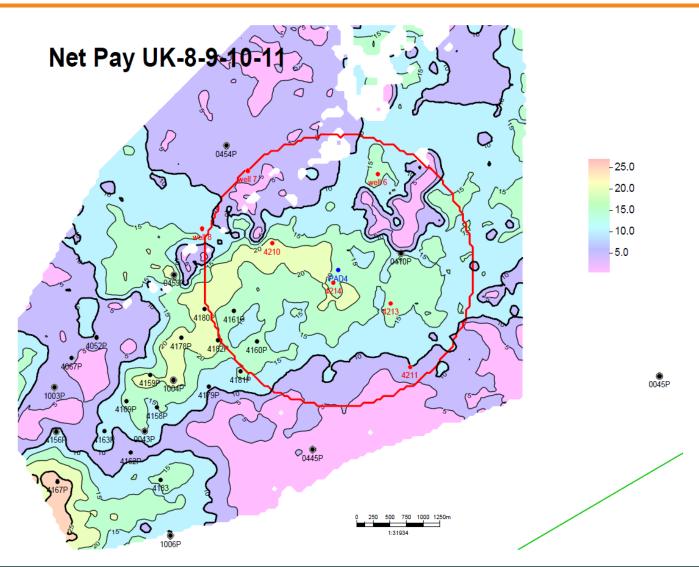


Gas/Condensate Review



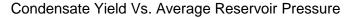


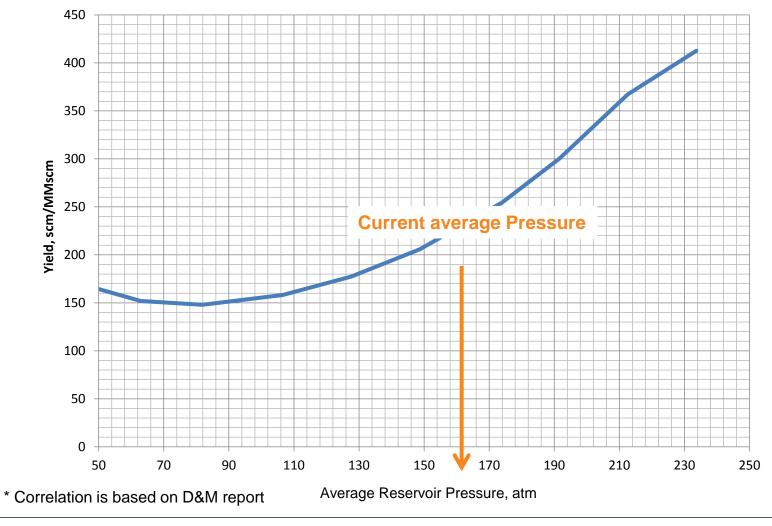
Gas/Condensate Review (cont'd)





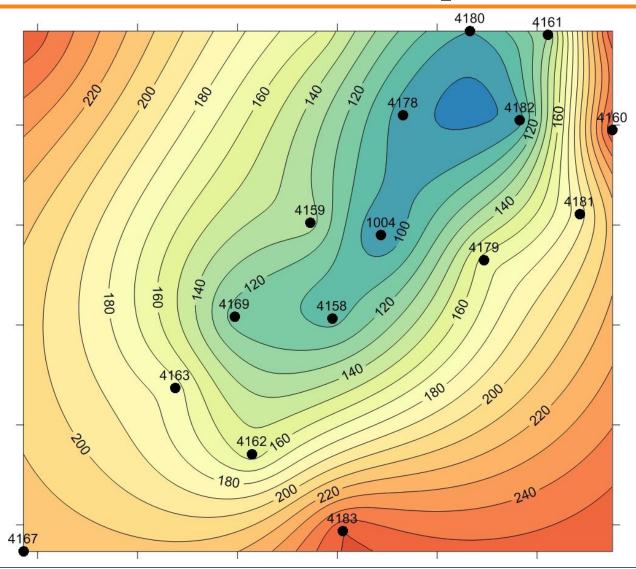








Average Reservoir Pressure (atmospheres)



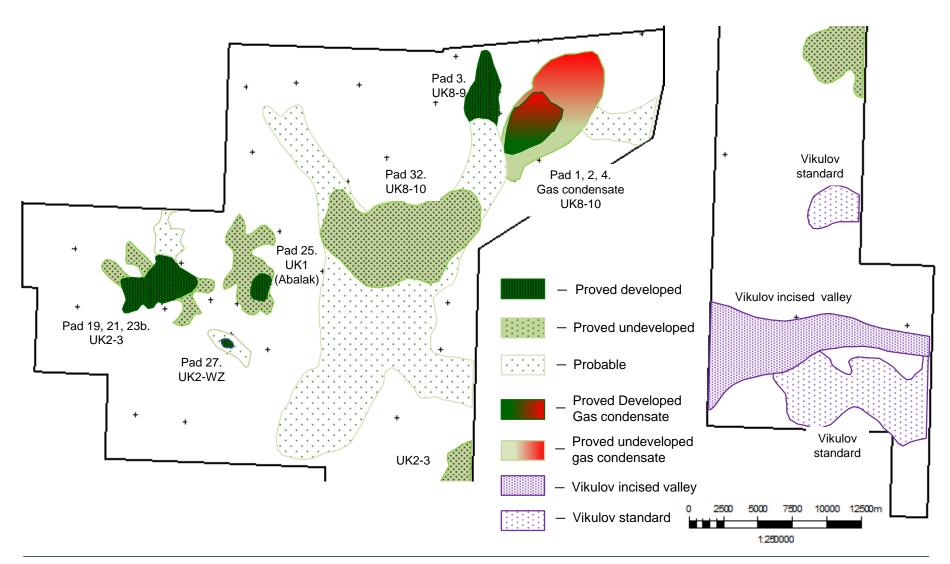


2012 Field Delineation Summary

- ✓ Discovered 171 million boe (2P) Gas/Condensate play in the north of the field
- Identified varying permeability across the field requiring different drilling and completion technologies
- Increased proved reserves by 35% to 234 million boe, increased probable reserves by 17% to 1.6 billion boe
- ✓ Constructed infrastructure to enable accelerated development of proved areas
- **✓** Established new sales routes and off take agreements
- ✓ Developed a sum of the parts development plan for the field to drive future growth



Prospectivity Map of the Field





3. Development Plan







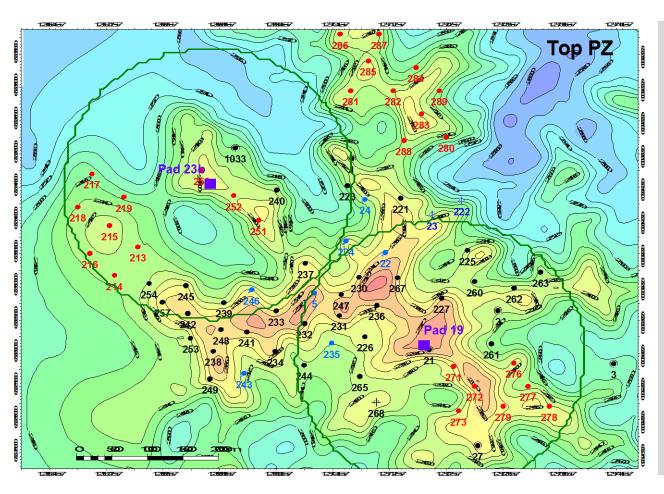
Current Portfolio and Development Plan

	Reserves (boe)	Current Production (boepd)	Development Plan
Crude Oil	1,667mm	5,200	 Appraise highly prospective western area of the field in Pad 23 area Use fit for purpose technology for lower permeability areas of the field Further expand the water flooding program Re-process seismic data and further develop geological model
Gas / Condensate / LPG	171mm	c.10,000	 Drilling Plan Drill gas/condensate wells to characterize the gas reservoir Focus on proven acreage of the field Necessary infrastructure already in place Gas Treatment Facility Progress discussions/negotiations with various parties (contractors, off-takers) for the monetisation of gas business Construction of Gas treatment facility At current production levels gas/associated products has potential to generate c.\$35-65mn revenue per year with minimal opex requirements
Bazhenov			 Conduct feasibility studies to determine the scale of reserves Preliminary estimates show significant resource potential No MET on production from Bazhenov reserves likely / possible
	D&M NPV	\$10.4bn ⁽¹⁾	



Crude Oil Development 2013

Pad 23 Appraisal

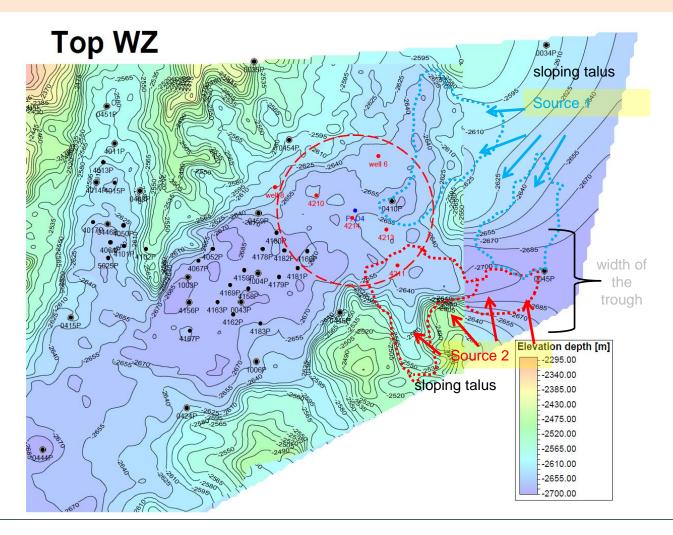


- Use 2012 well log data to refine approach to drilling in 2013
- Reprocess existing seismic data and refine geological model
- Design fit for purpose drilling and completion techniques for lower permeability formations
- Continue to develop waterflood program in Pad 21 area
- Acquire further 3D seismic
- MET legislation now being debated by the Duma may change the economics of production in 2014



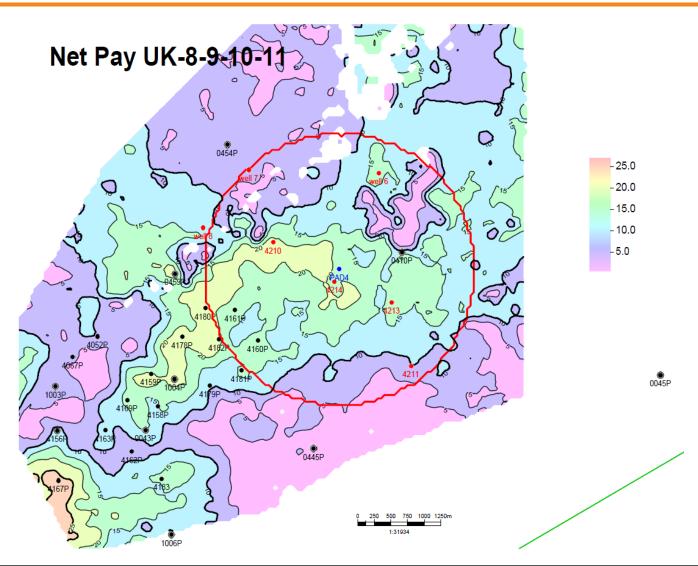
Gas/Condensate Development

2013 Drilling to further characterize gas/condensate reservoir in advance of gas sales





Gas/Condensate Development (cont'd)



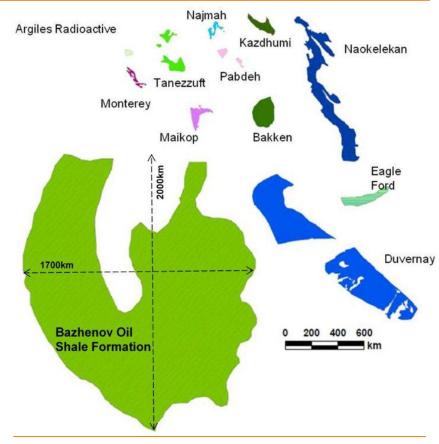
RUSPETRO

Ruspetro's Bazhenov Shale Oil Position

- The Bazhenov shale oil unconventional resource is one of the richest source rocks globally covering 2.3mn sq km in West Siberia.
- Ruspetro's license areas include 1,234 sq km (305,000 acres) of Bazhenov shale with an average thickness of 115' and relatively high TOC.

	Bazhenov Bakken		Eagle Ford	
			Late	
Geological age	Late Jurrassic	Devonian	Cretaceous	
Depth	7,500′	10,000	11-13,000	
Thickness	100-125	100	200-300	
Total Organic Content	12%	11%	5%	

Bazhenov relative size vs. global shale



Source: Neftex, Bernstein estimates.

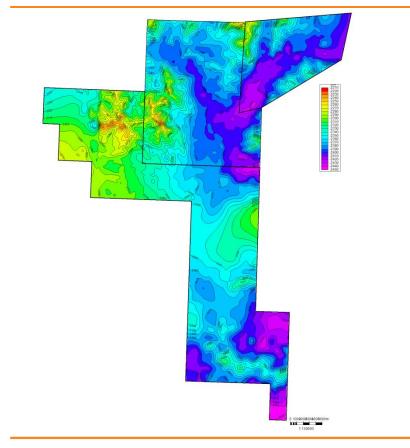
Ruspetro's Bazhenov Shale Oil position may provide a large scale development opportunity

RUSPETRO

Preliminary Bazhenov Shale Characterization

- Commissioned a report by DeGolyer & MacNaughton to assess the potential volumes of the Bazhenov Shale of the Krasnoleninskoye field.
- Initial petrophysical, geochemical and basin modeling is complete encompassing size, stratigraphy and structure.
- Bazhenov Reservoir characterization initially to include two vertical cores and analysis followed by integration of seismic, geological model, cores and logs for optimal well design for a Shale program.

Top Bazhenov Structure (3D, 2D & wells)

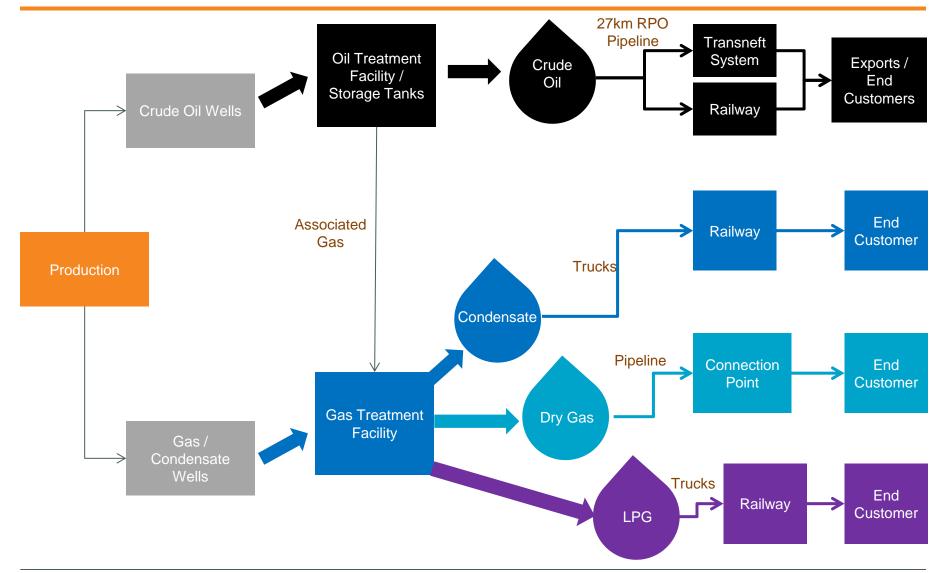


Source: Ruspetro, DeGoyler & McNaughton.

Ruspetro will continue characterization of Bazhenov in 2013 through its conventional drilling program

Ruspetro: Enhanced Business Model Post Construction of GTF







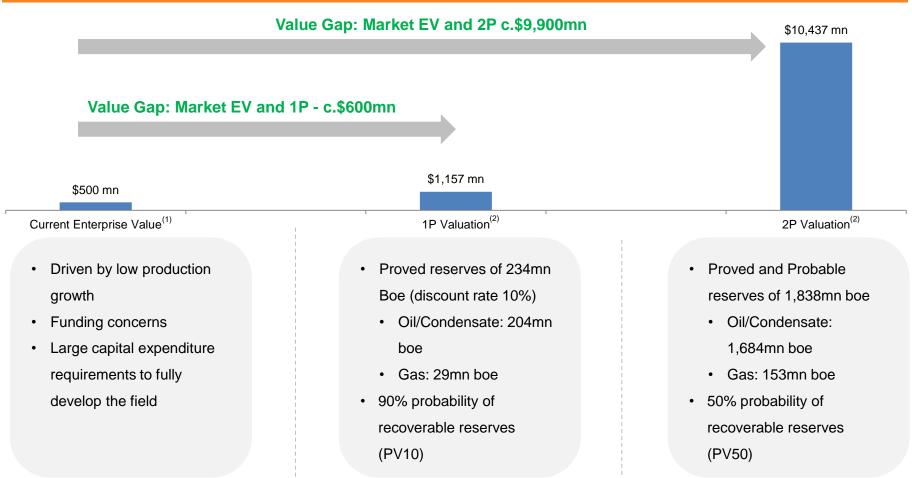
4. Financing Plan







Market vs. Fundamental Value



Company is considering various strategic options to bridge the gap between fundamental and market valuation



Closing The Gap: Strategic Timeline

Financial Restructuring

Monetisation of Gas Business

Develop Crude Oil

- Restructuring of Sberbank debt
 - Extension of existing facility
 - Interest waiver / New Facility
- Other debt / equity structures as Plan B

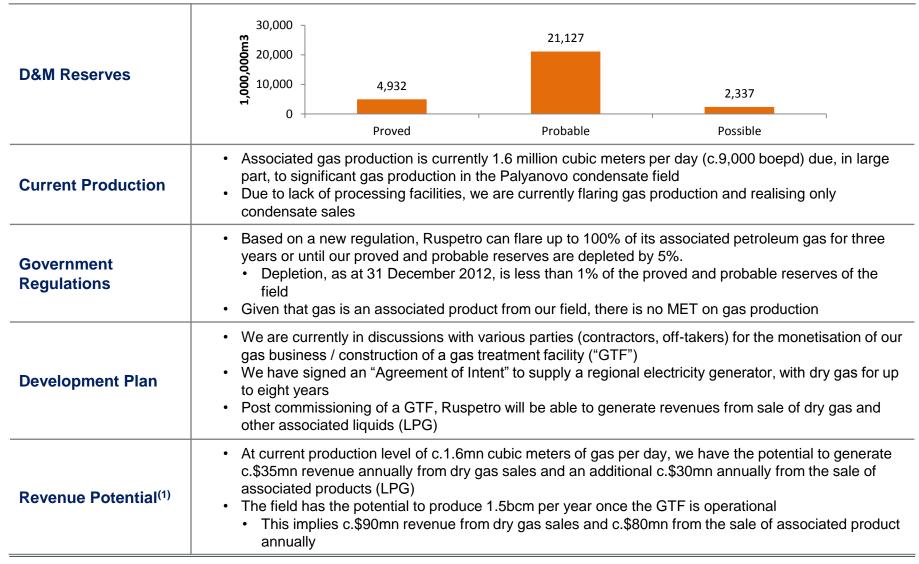
- Steps for gas monetisation
 - Long-term off-take contracts
 - Finance and Construct Gas
 Processing Plant
 - Financing proposals in negotiation now
 - Will accelerate or monetise opportunistically

- Gas revenues to finance crude development
- Acceleration may include
 - Risk sharing with international service companies
 - Financial farm-in agreements
 - Different audience for conventional and Bazhenov

Restore Shareholder Value



Gas Commercialisation – Situation Overview





Financial Strategies for Gas Monetisation

	Own Plant	Existing Regional Plant
Description	Build own gas processing plant and pipelines	Process gas using processing plant of another company
Capital Expenditure Requirements	 Plant and pipeline Likely to be c.\$200- \$250 million 	PipelineLow capital expenditure (\$60-80mn)
Capacity	New plant can be customised to capacity requirements	Limited initial capacity available
Financing	Project finance / private debtVendor financing	Minimal financing required
Timeline	c.18-24 months	c.12 months

Financial Strategies for Development of Crude Oil



	Partnerships	Financial Farm-in Structure	
Target Audience	International service companies (drillers)	 Financial investors International service companies International and local oil & gas companies 	
Application	Horizontal well programBazhenov development	Development of crude oil using fit for purpose technology	
Possible Structures	Risk sharing agreements proportional to production and capital expenditures	Investment at the asset / license level	
Comments	We are currently exploring such structures with various local and international companies		



5. 2012 Financial Review

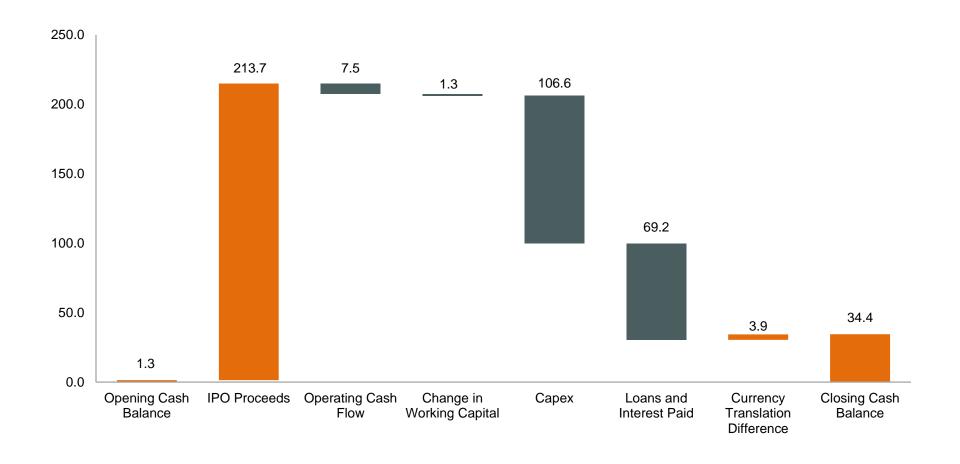






2012 Cash Flow

• 31 December 2012 cash balance of US\$34.4 million





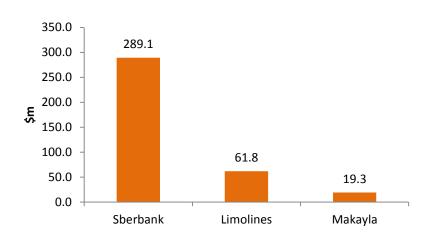
2012 Capital Expenditure

Item (US\$ '000)	2012	IPO Budget	Variance	Variance, %
New wells	66,014	44,400	21,614	+49%
Sales pipeline	4,078	8,900	(4,822)	-54%
Infield pipelines	11,476	4,450	7,026	+158%
Power facilities	2,992	8,000	(5,008)	-63%
Electricity lines	817	1,500	(683)	-46%
Pad construction	4,881	5,000	(119)	-8%
Oil processing facilities	6,674	15,650	(8,976)	57%
Other field infrastructure	1,689	5,780	(4,091)	-71%
Other Capital Expenditures	7,962		n/a	n/a
Surface Infrastructure Sub-Total	40,569	49,280	(8,711)	-18%
Total	106,583	93,680	12,904	+14%

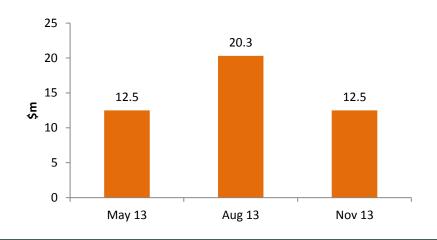


Financing Overview

2012 Year-End Current Debt Structure



2013 Debt Servicing Obligations



Restructuring - Currently Under Negotiation

- · Restructuring of Sberbank Debt
 - Discussions underway to extend the maturity of current debt
 - Debt restructuring may include interest waiver
- · Restructuring of Shareholder loans
 - Company continues to have discussions with the shareholders to extend the maturity of loans or convert them into equity

Source: Company data





