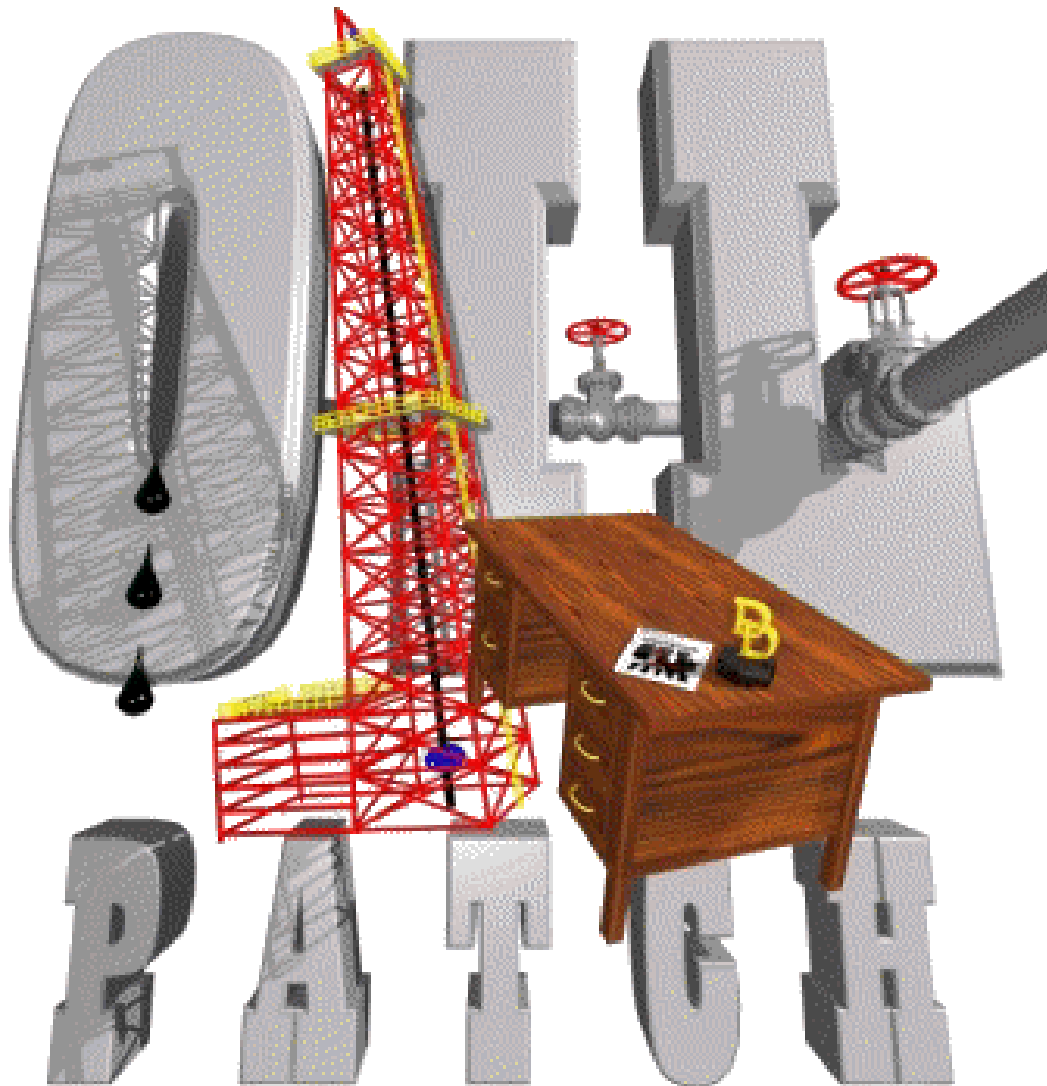


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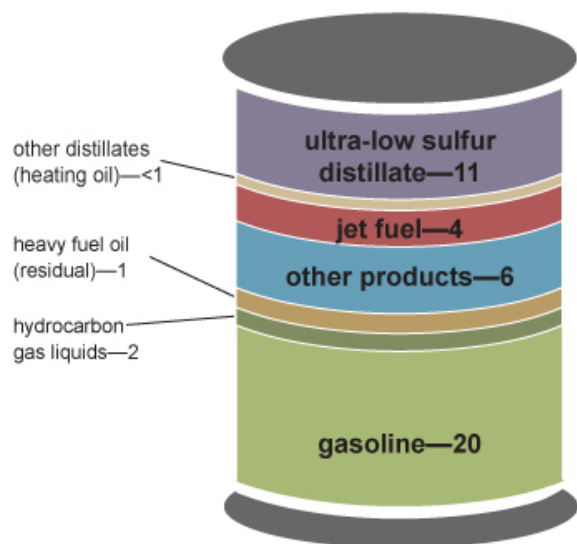
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 Nominating: Judy Guillot
 Program/IAN: Gaylen Guillory
 Scholarship: Gaylen Guillory

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2024

BOARD MEETINGS

GENERAL MEETINGS

January 17

January 24

March 20

March 27

May 15

May 22

July 17

July 24

September 11

September 18

November 13*

November 20*

*moved -Thanksgiving

Birthdays

Grace Bankston	June 4
Susan Miller	July 4
Evelyn McCurley-Ingram	July 13
Charlie Miller	July 26

July Membership Meeting

Life Without Petroleum

(video)

Review of 2024 ADDC Proposed Amendments

Club President's Newsletter

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June 2024

Westbank Members,

What a treat at the May meeting: Two very interesting industry speakers and three amazing students getting scholarships! Kudos to Theresa Adams for coordinating the speakers and to Gaylen Guillory, the Scholarship Committee, and club Board for their work. And CONGRATULATIONS to our Scholarship Recipients:

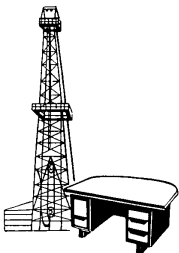
- Maddox Loftin, University of Southern Mississippi (nurse anesthetist) – Sponsor Linda Loftin
- Madelyn Miller, Southeastern Louisiana University (physical therapist) – Sponsor Charles Miller
- Victoria Miller, Southeastern Louisiana University (marketing and supply chain management) – Sponsor Charles Miller

The Scholarship Committee is in the throes of logistics for the Scholarship fundraiser, BUNCO on August 10th. Gaylen and Susan have tickets available for sale at \$20.00 each. Meatballs and spaghetti are on the menu. Gaylen is taking up donations to cover items not donated. Please contact Gaylen if you will donate food and non-food items. The standard list will be emailed to members this month.

Enjoy the last few weeks of spring, as summer will soon be upon us in all of its hot, sticky wonder.

Hope to see you at the meeting in July.

Judi Adams





2024 Scholarship Recipients

L-R: Gaylen Guillory (Scholarship Committee Chairman); Victoria Miller; Madelyn Miller, Maddox Loftin, Judi Adams (2024 Club President)



C&C Marine and Repair L.L.C.

Jonah Dowling, Chief Operating Officer and Matthew Dobson, Construction Manager, with C&C Marine and Repair, LLC, presented a Power Point Program, followed by a short video, to the Westbank Desk and Derrick Club members and guests on May 22, 2024.

C&C Marine and Repair LLC began operations in 1997 in a 5,000 square foot shop with 300 feet of waterfront on the Harvey Canal providing general steel repairs to inland barges. The current facility is located on the Gulf Intercoastal Waterway with 3200 linear feet of continuous waterfront. It consists of ten enclosed production and fabrication buildings totaling over 500,000 square feet. With enclosed fabrication buildings, including welding, steel plating, blasting, etc., C&C can fabricate and repair barges, and/or vessels no matter what the weather.

C&C Marine and Repair offers a variety of new construction and repair services for both inland and offshore marine industries. Due to C&C's commitment to adopting and integrating the latest in shipyard innovations, they have become the technological leader in marine fabrication and repair.

C&C Marine is a flexible facility. The facility has been building support vessels and components for the dredging industry since it began in 1997. What began as repairs to existing dredges has evolved into the fabrication of hopper, deck, anchor, supply and idler barges for the dredging industry. C&C recently completed fabrication of two Cutterhead Suction Dredges. They have also designed and built a variety of offshore supply vessels, ranging in size from 170' up to 280' in length. In addition to various certifications, i.e., flotels and carriages for methanol and LDHI, they have included different propulsion configurations including conventional, semi-diesel, electric and full diesel electric with Z-drive propulsion.

John Dowling explained that barges are moved around the yard with KAMAGs – Remote Control Vehicles (RCV). One or more KAMAGs are placed under the barge and they are remotely controlled to reposition the barge into one of the enclosed buildings for repair, blasting, etc.

Matthew Dobson pointed out the Robotic Blast & Painting Facility in one of the slides. He explained that this robotic blasting technique can complete blasting a

When asked the number of employees at the facility, Jonah said there are approximately 300 employees. They have a dedicated staff of professionals focusing on building and delivering the highest quality marine vessels. Their staff includes inhouse architects, engineers and designers, along with support personnel, who work closely with customers to ensure that each project meets their expectations.

A member asked what product was used for blasting the barges? Matthew explained that instead of sand, a steel grit medium is used. This product can be reused and there is no more than two standard garbage cans of debris. PLUS, this debris is not harmful to our environment.

Following the presentation, and Q and A period, certificates of appreciation were presented to Jonah and Matthew.

By: Theresa Adams



C&C Marine; Matt Dobson

Westbank D&D: Theresa Adams

C&C Marine: Jonah Dowling

The Desk and Derrick Club of the Westbank will be collecting items for the residents at the Reserve, LA Veterans' Home.

This year, Susan is focusing on two main collections and distributions: MONTHS OF: JULY (July 4TH) and NOVEMBER. (Veterans' Day)

Let's help brighten the day for our retired service men and women.

Things they always need are socks, books, combs, brushes, shower caps, tissues, travel soaps, razors, shampoo, conditioners, pens, stationery, crossword puzzles and other games.

They really appreciate getting single-serving microwave items, like macaroni and cheese, rice-a-roni, oatmeal, and grits.

The residents of the Reserve, LA Veteran's Home will appreciate it.

Contact Susan Miller smiller7451@yahoo.com 504.908.6131



DESK AND DERRICK CLUB OF THE WESTBANK MAY MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES

President Judi Adams called the May 22, 2024 membership meeting, held at the Red Maple Restaurant, to order at 5:46 p.m. Susan Miller led the assembly with invocation and pledge of allegiance.

President Adams and committee chairmen reported:

- Welcome to all attendees and member birthdays
- Following dinner, Theresa Adams introduced speakers and presented them with a certificate of appreciation and told the club donated in their honor to the Scholarship Fund.
- ADDC President letter is in bulletin and online
- ADDC Convention is hosted by Central Region (September 24-29); hotel booking link is available online
- ADDC proposed amendments will be emailed to members in June and discussed at the July meeting.
- Southeast Region Director letter is in bulletin and online
- Jennifer Accardo, Lafayette Club, was elected 2025 SE Region Director
- Minutes of March meeting were printed in bulletin
- Treasurer Reports will be presented for review at the July meeting
- Linda Belsome is collecting for 50/50 drawing
- General Arrangements: 20 members and 11 guests (speakers and guests) in attendance; no meals owed
- Scholarship Committee presented scholarship recipients, Maddox Loftin, Madelyn Miller, and Victoria Miller with check for \$800 and certificate
- Reminders that Gaylen is collecting for Northshore Food Bank and Susan is collecting for Reserve retired veterans.
- 50/50 (\$47) was won by Evelyn McCurley-Ingram.

There being no further business, President Adams adjourned the meeting at 7:46 pm.



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JUNE 2024

Happy Summer! I hope you are all doing well. I know there has been some horrendous weather across Louisiana, Mississippi and Texas. I pray everyone made it through the storms unscathed.

On May 1st I, along with Baton Rouge Club members Judy Buckley and Beth Cannon, attended Industry Day hosted by Grow Louisiana Coalition. The event was held at the Capitol Park Museum, across from the Louisiana State Capitol Building, and featured over 30 companies and exhibits. There was also a delicious buffet for attendees to enjoy, as well as music and two bars. It was well attended by industry representatives as well as legislators and business owners. Grow Louisiana Coalition, along with Louisiana Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association (LMOGA) and Louisiana Oil & Gas Association (LOGA) host the event each year. If you can attend next year, I know you will find it very interesting.

As I mentioned in my last letter, I did receive the membership certificates and pins, however many of them are 1-year certificates for members with way more years of membership – some of them 20 years or more. I am in the process of getting these corrected.

Wendy asked if we were interested in having presidents’ meetings via Zoom. In response to the question, the Southeast Region presidents agreed that a meeting every other month would be worthwhile. I will work on setting up the first meeting in June. We will have meetings in June, August, October, and December. If anyone feels we need a meeting in between these months, we can certainly set one up. In August we will discuss the amendments to be voted on at Convention.

Keep those spicy programs and meetings rolling!

**Love to All!
Angie**

Report of Committee		Programs Committee	
Meeting	Regional Meeting	Date	04/03/2024
Location			
<p>ADDC Members,</p> <p>This is my first year chairing this committee and it really is a fun position getting to see all the different programs/educational material the clubs are presenting to their members. I cannot thank my regional committee and club program reps as they are so vital to the success of this committee. Thank you, Audra Horton, Dianne Badeaux, Cheryl Grimm, and Diana Walker. You ladies are amazing and so valuable to not only this committee, but the ADDC membership.</p> <p>The Programs Committee is responsible for receiving each club's monthly program report to ensure that ADDC maintains its IRS tax exempt status. For us to do this, we MUST receive the PROG 1 spreadsheet within seven (7) working days after your monthly meeting, even if your club did not have a meeting during the month. Please send the entire workbook each month, not just that month's tab. Reach out to your programs committee rep if you need help or have questions on completing your PROG 1 spreadsheet. We would love to work with you and guide you on making sure your spreadsheets are being filled out correctly.</p> <p>As a reminder to each club... You must have five meetings every year and four of those meetings MUST be industry related. So far some of our clubs are on a good pace to make this happen early in the year and should have all four industry-related meetings completed soon.</p> <p>I have not always been so intrigued to say I really wished I lived closer to a club, but some that I have read their programs I would totally love to be a guest at one of your meetings. Anytime I see an email come in from Cheryl Grimm, I hope it includes programs from the Three Rivers club. This is just my observation, but this club has caught my attention on your programs you are sharing with your members. Some of your clubs have the most interesting speakers, members presenting (bravo to those sharing their time and knowledge with members in their club), videos, and I can see so much preparation going in from clubs planning for events/club activities and for their success.</p> <p>Keep your programs interesting, members engaged, utilize your wonderful communities, and get members involved in planning your programs. Be creative with your programs and always plan for educational success throughout the year.</p> <p>We are blessed to be a part of one of the best educational organizations!!!</p>			
Signed	Kim Cadle	Date	04/05/2024

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June 2024

ADDC Membership

Hope everyone is doing well! We have had some crazy weather in Oklahoma, Texas, Arkansas, and Louisiana! Hopefully the worst is behind us all now.

The Regional Meetings have concluded. Thank you all for posting on your Facebook. The field trips looked very educational and some very fun ice breakers! I'm proud to announce that 2025 Region Directors have been elected!

- Central Region - Nichole Harney, Wichita Falls Club
- Northeast Region - Emily VanHaaften, Tri-State Club
- Southeast Region - Jennifer Accardo, Lafayette Club
- West Region - Wanda Guenther, Grande Prairie Club

Our Region and the ADDC Board will be in GREAT hands with these members that have stepped up.

Nominations are open for the following awards:

- **Distinguished Service Award** - the Association may present this award to individuals in recognition of outstanding service to the Petroleum, Energy and Allied Industries and/or the Association.
- **Special Achievement Award** - This may be granted to a club, club member or a committee within the Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs.

If you have any questions, please contact Helen Trujillo at htrujillo@rlbayless.com. The due date is **JULY 1, 2024, at 6:00 PM MST.**

Speaking of Nominations, **JUNE 10, 2024**, is the deadline for ADDC Board Nominations. We are currently accepting nominations for:

- President-Elect*
- Secretary*
- Treasurer*

A letter went out from Evelyn Green, ADDC Nominating Chair through ADO and the Region Directors. Please submit to Evelyn at evelyn@gbcminerals.com.

Val Williams and Pat Blanford, 2024 Convention Co-GAC's are working diligently on making the event in Dallas, TX on September 24-28 one you will not want to miss. Packets will be going out soon and will be available on the website.

"I'd like to be known for stepping up, and encouraging others to do the same" ~ Leigh Anne Tuohy

Sincerely,
Wendy Sparks

Report of Committee		2024 ADDC Convention and Educational Conference	
Meeting	Region Meetings 2024	Date	4/2/2024
Location	Various		
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Convention Budget is being compiled at this time. Will need approval from Central Region Presidents and ADDC Board of Directors 2. Still requesting donations to help keep the costs to members down 3. The Central Region is working hard to put this convention together and are very excited to see everyone in Dallas, TX on 9/24/2024 to 9/28/2024 4. Hotel: DoubleTree Hilton Dallas Campbell Centre, Room Rate: \$135 Single, Double, Triple, Quad 5. Parking is free 6. Airports: Dallas/Fort Worth International and Dallas Love Field <p>Wednesday, September 25, 2024, Field Trips: FT-1 East Texas Oil Museum and Corrosion Lab Tour FT-2 EnLink and BKV Demo of actual CCS of producing natural gas well in Bridgeport, TX</p> <p>Thursday, September 26, 2024, Seminars Certification Seminar on Transportation S-1 President? You too can do it! S-2 Drilling Fluids – Cecil Duke Southeast Region Meeting</p> <p>Friday, September 27, 2024 Business Meeting Symposium Industry Luncheon Ice Breaker</p> <p>Saturday, September 28, 2024 Business Meeting Member Luncheon Post Convention Board Meeting Banquet</p> <p>Still working on Speakers for the Symposium, Industry Luncheon and Saturday night Banquet. Still working on trying to get the cost down on Audio-Visual. We hope to have a preliminary budget to the Central Region Presidents by the Region Meeting. We hope to have the packets out by the end of May.</p>			
Signed	Pat Blanford & Val Williams	Date	4/2/2024

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DISTINGUISHED MEMBER SERVICE AWARD
Nomination Form
Desk and Derrick Members

Entry deadline:

Forms must be received by the Public Relations Chairperson no later than July 1st. All entries must be submitted (either via e-mail/electronic file or postmarked via USPS) by 6:00 PM (CST). Electronic submissions are preferred. No exceptions will be made to the deadline. Late nominations will not be accepted.

The Public Relations Committee Chairperson will confirm receipt of nominations within one week.

Desk and Derrick members will be eligible for nomination.

Submit a separate form for each nomination. Clubs may submit more than one nomination per year. Nominations will be limited to five pages plus one cover page.

Submitted by Desk and Derrick Club: _____ Region _____

Club President Signature: _____ Date: _____

The _____ Club hereby nominates the following.

Person: (Name) _____

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DATE RECEIVED: _____

Reviewed by Committee: _____

Reviewed by ADDC Board: _____

Award Granted: _____

Distinguished Member Service Award Nomination Form

NOMINATION OF DESK AND DERRICK MEMBER

To qualify for this prestigious award Desk and Derrick members must demonstrate outstanding service and or contributions including, but not limited to:

1. Benefit to the Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs.
2. Years of membership.
3. The contribution to the Association must be well known and/or merit recognized.
4. The contribution must be shared with others (members, clubs, regions and/or committees) in the Association.
5. List any committees the member has served and/or chaired.
 - A. What has this member shared in way of public relations, education and/or other fields?
 - B. Has the individual contributed, developed new materials, and/or made improvements to existing procedures?
 - C. Has the individual been involved with a new or special project for Desk and Derrick?

Keep in mind the Public Relations Committee and the ADDC Board look at ALL criteria listed above.



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More than
114,000
gas driven controllers replaced
or removed from service

More than
14,100
zero-emission pneumatic controllers installed

2020 - 2022 MANUAL LIQUIDS UNLOADING PROGRAM

Monitored more than
107,300
manual liquids unloading events

2020 - 2022 PIPELINE BLOWDOWN PROGRAM

Emissions reduction practices
implemented during more than
11,800
pipeline blowdowns

2020-2022 COMPRESSOR PROGRAM

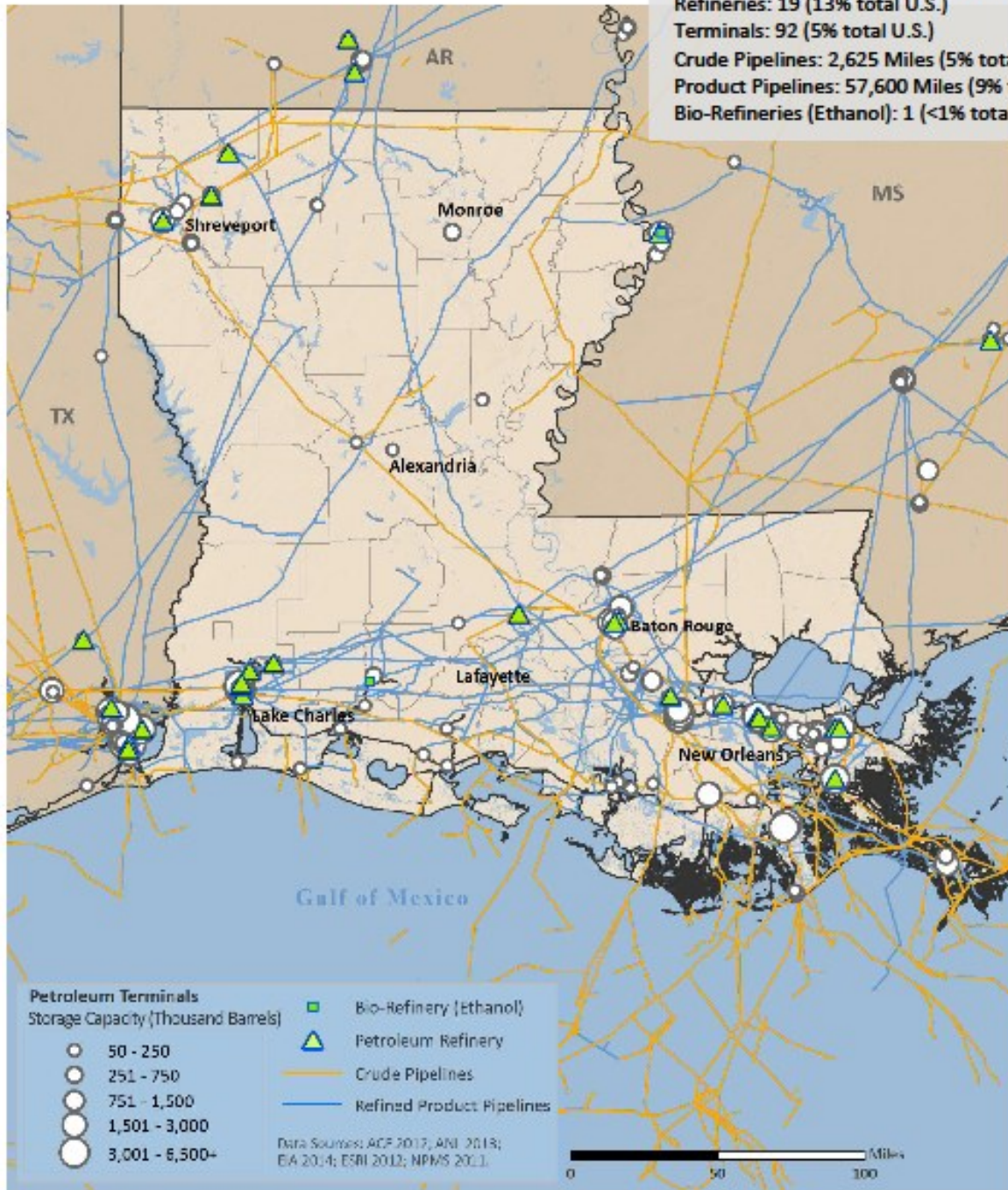
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10,000
reciprocating compressors

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One-Pot Creamy Chicken Pot Pie Pasta



Prep	Total	Servings
30 MIN	30 MIN	6

Ingredients

- 1 carton (32 oz) Progresso™ chicken broth
- 4 1/4 cups uncooked wide egg noodles (8 oz)
- 2 cups shredded cooked chicken
- 2 cups frozen mixed vegetables
- 1 teaspoon dried thyme leaves
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon pepper
- 1/2 cup half-and-half
- 2 tablespoons chopped Italian (flat-leaf) parsley, if desired

Steps

- 1 In 4- to 5-quart Dutch oven, add chicken broth, egg noodles, chicken, mixed vegetables, thyme, salt and pepper (ingredients will sit above liquid).
- 2 Heat to boiling. Reduce heat to medium; simmer uncovered 8 to 10 minutes, stirring occasionally, until most of liquid is absorbed and pasta is tender.
- 3 Stir in half-and-half, and continue cooking 1 to 2 minutes or until heated through. Top with parsley.

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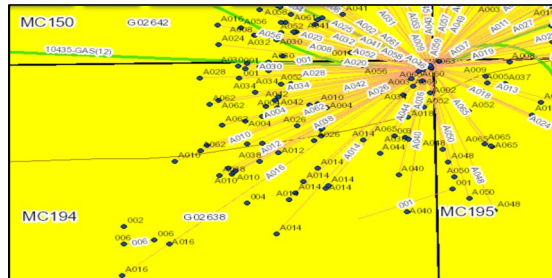
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