What’s New in the Gulf of Mexico

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ABSTRACT
The Gulf of Mexico continues to support a vibrant oil and gas industry with over 150 active players and approximately 4000 platforms providing 25% of the United States’ oil and gas supply.

Since the late nineties, industry has been exploring deeper and deeper, both geologically and in water depth, with production rising rapidly.

This paper will highlight key trends, emerging plays and important players in the Gulf of Mexico, with a focus on some recent significant discoveries, including those which have Canadian connections.