

SUMMARY OF ACTIVITY IN 1996

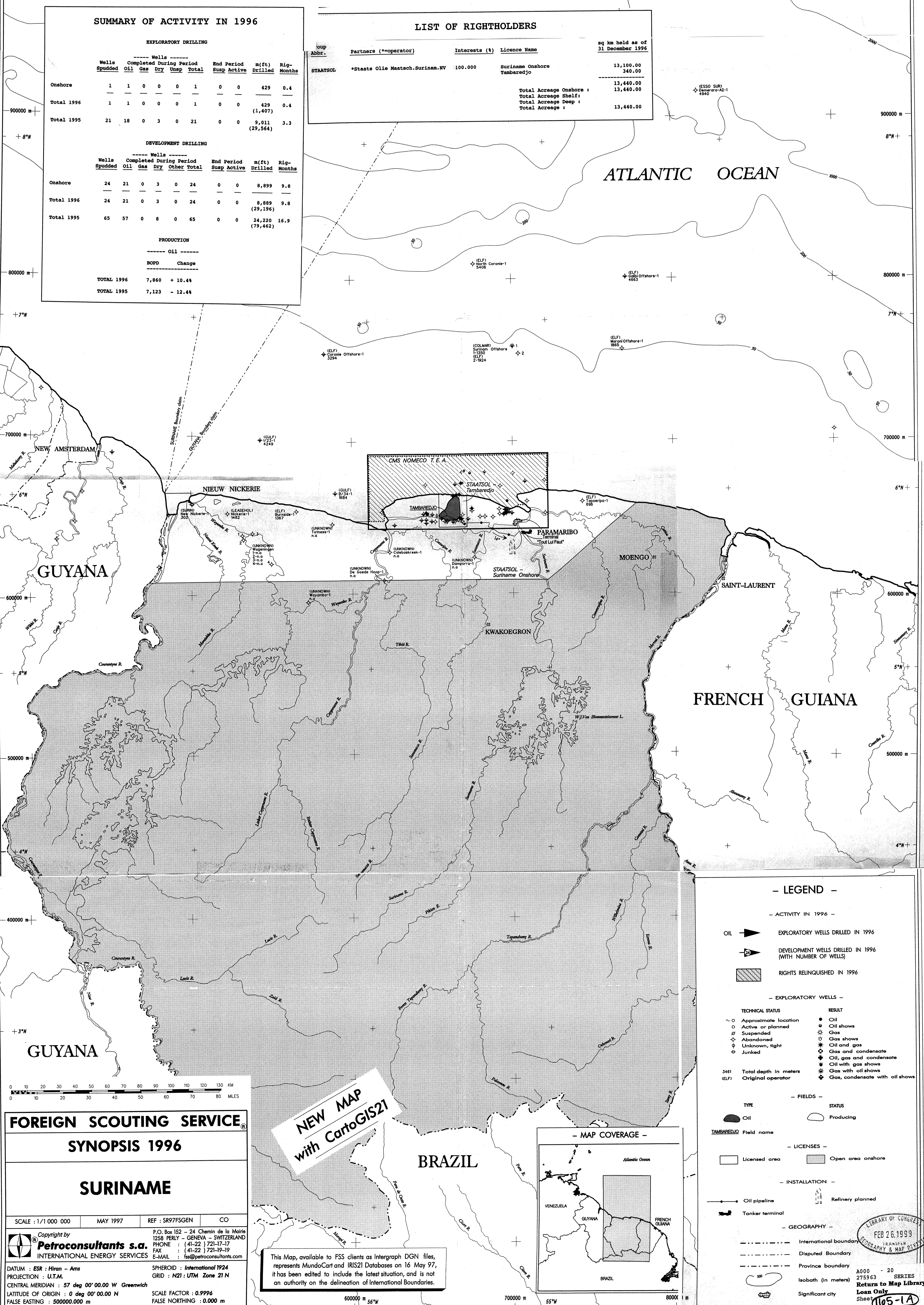
EXPLORATORY DRILLING									
	Wells Spudded					Completed During Period		m(ft) Drilled	Rigs- Months
	Oil	Gas	Dry	Unsp	Total	End Period Susp	Active		
Onshore	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	429	0.4
Total 1996	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	429 (1,407)	0.4
Total 1995	21	18	0	3	0	21	0	9,011 (29,564)	3.3

DEVELOPMENT DRILLING									
	Wells Spudded					Completed During Period		m(ft) Drilled	Rigs- Months
	Oil	Gas	Dry	Other	Total	End Period Susp	Active		
Onshore	24	21	0	3	0	24	0	8,899	9.8
Total 1996	24	21	0	3	0	24	0	8,889 (29,196)	9.8
Total 1995	65	57	0	8	0	65	0	24,220 (79,462)	16.9

PRODUCTION		
Oil		
BOPD	Change	
TOTAL 1996	7,860	+ 10.4%
TOTAL 1995	7,123	- 12.4%

LIST OF RIGHTHOLDERS

Group	Partners (*operator)	Interests (%)	Licence Name	sq km held as of 31 December 1996
STAATSOL	*Staats Olie Maatsch.Surinaam.N.V	100.000	Suriname Onshore Tamberedjo	13,100.00 340.00
				13,440.00
			Total Acreage Onshore :	13,440.00
			Total Acreage Shelf :	
			Total Acreage Deep :	13,440.00



LEGEND

ACTIVITY IN 1996

- EXPLORATORY WELLS DRILLED IN 1996
- DEVELOPMENT WELLS DRILLED IN 1996 (WITH NUMBER OF WELLS)
- RIGHTS RELINQUISHED IN 1996

EXPLORATORY WELLS

TECHNICAL STATUS	RESULT
○ Approximate location	● Oil
○ Active or planned	● Oil shows
○ Suspended	● Gas
○ Abandoned	● Gas shows
○ Unknown, light	● Oil and gas
○ Junked	● Gas and condensate
	● Oil, gas and condensate
	● Oil with gas shows
	● Gas with oil shows
	● Gas, condensate with oil shows

3461 Total depth in meters
ELFJ Original operator

FIELDS STATUS

- Oil
- Producing

TAMBAREDO Field name

LICENSES

- Licensed area
- Open area onshore

INSTALLATION

- Oil pipeline
- Refinery planned
- Tanker terminal

GEOGRAPHY

- International boundary
- Disputed boundary
- Province boundary
- Isobath (in meters)
- Significant city

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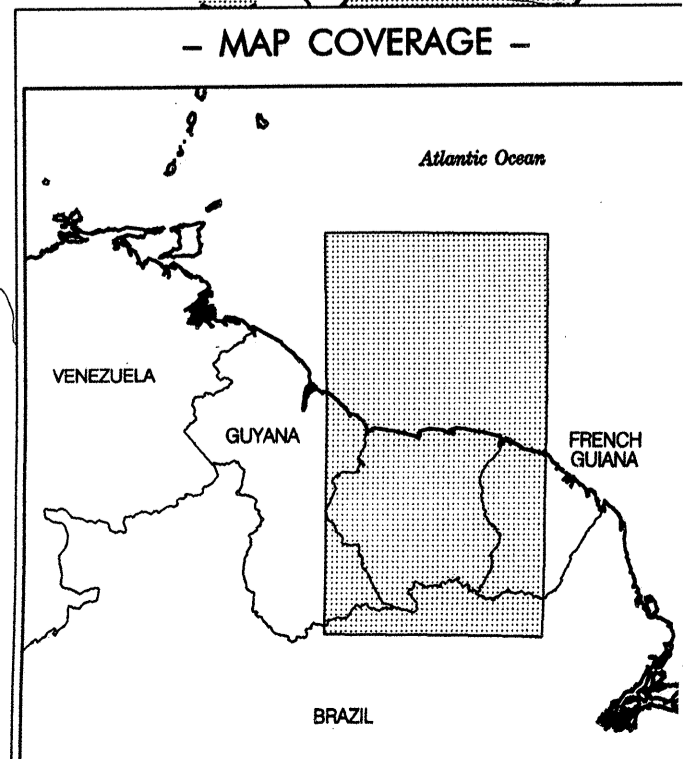
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DATUM : ESR : Hiron - Amis SPHEROID : International 1924
PROJECTION : U.T.M. GRID : N21 : UTM Zone 21 N
CENTRAL MERIDIAN : 57 deg 00' 00.00 W Greenwich
LATITUDE OF ORIGIN : 0 deg 00' 00.00 N
FALSE EASTING : 500000.000 m SCALE FACTOR : 0.9996
FALSE NORTHING : 0.000 m

NEW MAP
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