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**Industry Update** 

**Upstream MLP/Trust Earnings Preview; Recalibrating Trust Ratings** 

In this Upstream MLP/ Royalty Trust E&P earnings update, we (1) mark to market our fourth quarter oil, natural gas, and natural gas liquids prices, (2) update our near-and long-term price deck, (3) discuss key themes for the upcoming earnings season, (4) examine the current state of the Upstream MLPs and their valuation vs. historical norms, (5) provide our 4Q13 distribution forecasts for each partnership/trust under coverage; (5) downgrade our rating on ECA Marcellus Trust I to Market Perform, (6) upgrade our ratings on SandRidge Mississippian Trust I and SandRidge Mississippian Trust II to Market Perform, and (7) upgrade our rating on SandRidge Permian Trust to Outperform.

Oil prices weigh down cash flow/earnings in 4Q13: While natural gas and NGL prices moved up slightly, oil prices fell by roughly 8% sequentially during 4Q13. The step down in oil prices was driven by several factors: (1) decreased geopolitical risk (i.e., Syria and Iran); (2) lingering worries about global demand; and (3) increase in the WTI/Brent spread as Gulf Coast oil prices decoupled from world markets due to growing U.S. domestic production. As a result of the lower-than-expected commodity prices, we are lowering some of our 4Q13 estimates as detailed in the final pages of this note.

North American oil supply is still growing faster than global oil demand; adjusting price deck: Our oil model continues to show global supply outpacing global demand for the next several years. The U.S. has been the oil market's #1 source of incremental growth for the past five years, and that is set to remain the case in 2014 and 2015. The U.S. increased total oil/liquids production by 1.2 MMbpd (12%) in 2013, and we model further growth of 1.75 MMbpd (or 15%) in 2014. We envision global inventories building by 1.5 MMbpd in 2014 after being relatively flat in the supply-interrupted 2013. This impending oil inventory build begs the question of "where will the oversupply go?" Our oil conclusion is that the fundamental oil glut will inevitably put downward pressure on oil prices.

	RJ&A Oil F	rice Estima	ates (as of J	lanuary 201	4)	
	2013 Actual	Q1 13A	Q2 13A	Q3 13A	Q4 13A	2013A
	WTI	\$94.00	\$94.00	\$106.00	\$98.00	\$98.00
	Brent	\$113.00	\$103.00	\$111.00	\$109.00	\$109.00
	Brent-WTI Spread	\$19.00	\$9.00	\$5.00	\$11.00	\$11.00
	2014 Estimates	Q1 14E	Q2 14E	Q3 14E	Q4 14E	2014E
	WTI Futures	\$95.81	\$93.90	\$91.96	\$90.33	\$93.00
	Old RJ Oil Est.	\$95.00	\$87.00	\$80.00	\$70.00	\$83.00
WTI	Current RJ Oil	\$98.00	\$94.00	\$88.00	\$80.00	\$90.00
	Brent Futures	\$108.00	\$105.99	\$104.77	\$104.96	\$105.93
	Old RJ Oil Est.	\$103.00	\$98.00	\$93.00	\$86.00	\$95.00
Brent	Current RJ Oil	\$108.00	\$104.00	\$100.00	\$96.00	\$102.00
	Brent-WTI Spread	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$12.00	\$16.00	\$12.00
	2015 Estimates	Q1 15E	Q2 15E	Q3 15E	Q4 15E	2015E
WTI	Current RJ Oil					\$75.00
Brent	Current RJ Oil					\$95.00
	Brent-WTI Spread					\$20.00
Source	e: Bloomberg. Thomson R	euters, Ray	mond Jame	s research		

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All in all, we are marking to market (i.e., increasing) our 2014 oil price forecast: Brent (from \$95 to \$102) and WTI (from \$83 to \$90). The implied WTI-Brent spread remains at an above-consensus \$12, as before. While our new 2014 forecast is less shockingly bearish than a year ago (when we were a whopping 20% below the futures curve), we are still 6% below futures for both Brent and WTI. For 2015, we are also bumping up Brent (from \$90 to \$95) and WTI (from \$70 to \$75) – again, the \$20 spread remaining the same. The widening spread assumes the U.S. oil export ban does **not** change over the next two years. Our new 2015 forecast is 6% below futures for Brent and 14% below futures for WTI. From a long-term perspective (2016-2020), we now think that the current U.S. oil supply growth rate will begin to fade, and there is a

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good chance that the global economy will concurrently gain more traction. In other words, global oil demand should begin to once again outpace oil supply growth, leading to modest price increases in the second half of the decade. Accordingly, we are increasing our long-term oil deck as follows: Brent (from \$90 to \$100) and WTI (from \$80 to \$90).

2014 U.S. Natural Gas Outlook: Plenty of U.S. Gas to Be Found at \$4.00 or Lower - Maintaining Our \$3.75 Forecast.

RJ&A Natur	RJ&A Natural Gas Price Estimates (as of January 2014)											
2013 H Hub Actual	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	2013							
2013 H Hub Actual	\$3.34	\$4.09	\$3.58	\$3.60	\$3.65							

2014 Estimates	Q1 14E	Q2 14E	Q3 14E	Q4 14E	2014E
Bloomberg Consensus	\$3.98	\$3.89	\$3.93	\$4.08	\$3.97
NYMEX Futures	\$4.26	\$4.13	\$4.17	\$4.26	\$4.20
Old RJ Gas Est.	\$4.00	\$3.50	\$3.50	\$4.00	\$3.75
Current RJ Gas	\$4.15	\$3.50	\$3.50	\$3.85	\$3.75

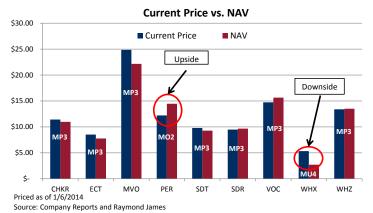
2015 Estimates	Q1 15E	Q2 15E	Q3 15E	Q5 15E	2015E
Bloomberg Consensus					\$4.34
NYMEX Futures					\$4.17
Current RJ Gas					\$3.75

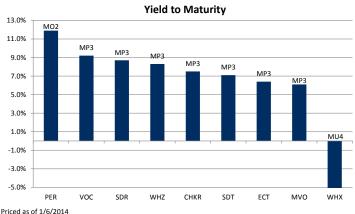
Source: Bloomberg, Thomson Reuters, Raymond James research

At this time last year, we thought 2014 U.S. natural gas prices would average \$3.75/MMBtu. We still think prices will average \$3.75 in 2014. Yes, we know the 2014 gas futures strip has surged well above \$4.00 as cold weather has drawn inventories sharply lower. In fact, the recent surge in the year-over-year gas storage deficit to more than 500 Bcf has driven gas prices so high that we are increasing our 1Q14 forecast to \$4.15/MMBtu. But we cannot assume that colder-than-normal weather will continue through the remainder of winter. Therefore, we remain of the view that strong U.S. gas supply growth will outpace slowly improving gas demand over the next two years. Specifically, we are looking for

Henry Hub to average \$3.75/MMBtu for both 2014 and 2015. Obviously, weather will continue to drive volatility, but the fundamentals suggest U.S. gas should trade mostly between \$3.25 and \$4.25. Beyond 2015, faster expansion of natural gasconsuming infrastructure in the U.S. should allow gas prices to slowly drift higher. Our long-term U.S. gas price deck remains \$4.25/MMBtu. [Note: For more information about our long-term view on oil/gas prices, please see our Stat of the Week note titled "Worrisome Oil & Gas Price Outlook Sets up Mixed 2014 for Stocks"]

2013 was the year to stay away from the royalty trust space; valuations are finally starting to look more attractive; upgrading PER to Outperform; Throughout the majority of 2013, we were extremely bearish on the Royalty Trust space with the vast majority of ratings at either Underperform or Market Perform. Due to the combination of a healthy pull back in the stock prices and a more constructive outlook on long-term oil prices, valuations have started to become more attractive. To kick off 2014, we are cleaning the deck and making a number of ratings. As a reminder, in our view, in order for a trust to be attractively valued it should have a yield to maturity of at least 8-9% to reward the investors for the inherent production and commodity price risk associated with these types of investments. In that light we are upgrading the SandRidge Permian Basin Trust from Market Perform to Outperform and setting an initial target price of \$14. Additionally, we are upgrading SandRidge Mississippian Trust I and SandRidge Mississippian Trust II to Market Perform. Lastly, we are downgrading our rating of ECA Marcellus Trust from Outperform to Market Perform due to the fact that the Trust is now trading in line with our NAV.

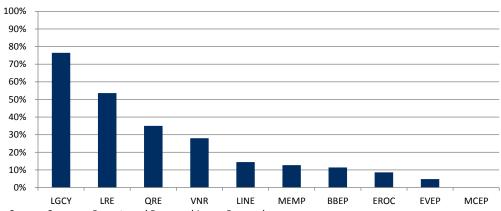




Cut off at -5% for chart purposes, WHX YTM is -58.7% Source: Company Reports and Raymond James Research

Freezing temperatures in the Permian Basin likely to negatively impact 4Q production: West Texas experienced two significant ice/snow storms, one in late November and the other in early December. Both storms damaged power lines and shut down freeways and highways. The freezing weather can impact oil and gas production in many ways. (1) First the freezing temperatures can bottleneck production as molecules in the pipelines freeze blocking the flow of oil and gas. This effect is largely temporary in nature with full production restoring once the temperatures rise above freezing. (2) The cold weather can knock off power to the pumps at the fields. Oil wells typically go onto some form of artificial lift by the end of their first year of production. The pumps that are used to help lift the oil and gas out of the ground are typically powered by electricity. In large storms it can take a while before the power at the field level has been restored. (3) Freezing temperatures can limit trucking traffic delaying the ability to empty field level storage tanks. If the tanks become full, operators have to shut-in or delay production. In our chart below, we show, on a percentage of proved reserves, the partnerships with the greatest exposure to the Permian Basin.

### Permian as a Percentage of Proved Reserves



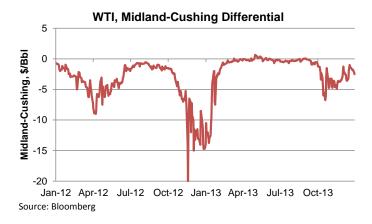
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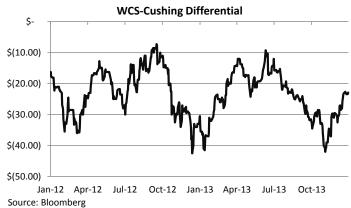
LGCY, LRE, and QRE most at risk to miss 4Q production estimates: As the chart above indicates, Legacy Reserves, LRR Energy, and QR Energy are the upstream MLPs with the most exposure to the Permian Basin. The weather will likely have a somewhat subdued effect on the rest of the group, but we suspect that 'weather-related issues' will be a common explanation for lower-than-expected production across the entire space during the upcoming earnings season. We would point out that any negative effects in 4Q13 are likely one-time in nature and should not have any spillover impact into 1Q14.

Crude differentials incrementally not helpful either: Given some of the crude bottleneck constraints, we continue to monitor regional crude pricing. As depicted in the charts below, Midland pricing, the price received by Permian producers for light sweet crude, realized an increase in its basis differentials (Midland vs. WTI contract price) during the fourth quarter. After having relatively minimal basis differential since March, the Midland differential kicked up a bit in 4Q13 with Midland prices averaging roughly \$3/bbl below the WTI price.

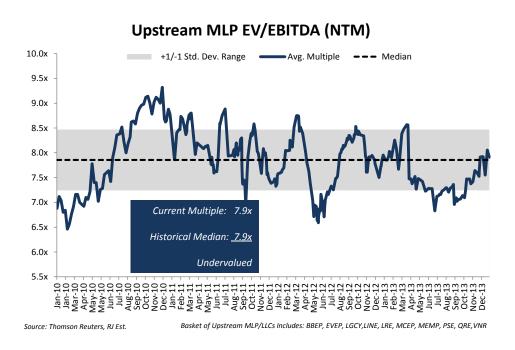
Another crude pricing point that we watch closely is the Western Canada Select (WCS) price, a blend of slightly heavier crudes. A lot of the mature producers in Wyoming and North Dakota have production that is loosely priced off of this benchmark. During 3Q13, WCS averaged roughly \$23/bbl below WTI. For the fourth quarter, this basis differential increased to ~\$31/bbl. Therefore, Wyoming and North Dakota producers that sell WCS quality crude will see lower net backs for their crude production in 4Q13 vs. 3Q13.

<sup>\*</sup>Pulled from latest company report



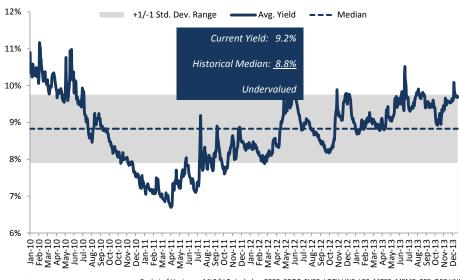


**EV/EBITDA** multiples in line with historical norms... Over the past few months, we have seen multiples (forward EV/EBITDA) in the upstream space rise nearly a full turn, coming in line with their historical median of 7.9x after spending most of 2013 in the 7.0 - 7.4x range. However, our forward EBITDA expectations are, in part, driven by our acquisition forecast as well as organic growth expectations. Over the last 12 months, this group completed over \$ 7 billion in acquisitions. For 2014, in total, we are modeling only \$2.5 billion, a number which we clearly expect the group to exceed. So while the forward multiple looks fairly priced at this point, there may be upside to our forecast if the group completes more acquisitions vs. our current expectations.



... But yields remain below the long-term averages: Despite seeing multiples expand over the past few months, yields have declined but still remain above historical averages. The average yield is currently 9.2% vs. historical mean of 8.8%. A portion of that can be contributed to slightly lower y/y distribution growth expectations due to the backwardated oil curve and relatively flat gas price curve. As a group, we are forecasting 3.2% y/y distribution growth in 2013 vs. ~2.7% y/y forecast for 2014. However, longer term we continue to believe that yield spreads for this group is too high and as the market reduces the risk premium associated with the asset class we will see yield compression across the space.

# **Upstream MLP Composite: Current Yield**



Source: Thomson Reuters, RJ Est. Basket of Upstream MLP/LLCs Includes: BBEP, EROC, EVEP, LGCY,LINE, LRE, MCEP, MEMP, PSE, QRE,VNR

Our top pick in the Upstream MLP / Royalty Trust space is Strong Buy-rated Memorial Production Partners (MEMP) and LinnCo (LNCO). Additionally, Outperform-rated, LINN Energy and EV Energy Partners have a tremendous amount of upside but more inherent near-term volatility.

## **Upstream MLP/LLCs**

As shown in the table below, we are expecting BreitBurn Energy to lead the group in sequential distribution growth this quarter. We are modeling a modest bump up to \$0.493, representing a 1.0% increase q/q and a 4.8% increase y/y. Other than BreitBurn, the only names we envision raising their distribution are EV Energy Partners and Legacy Reserves. We expect the remainder of partnerships to keep their distribution flat. On a y/y basis, Memorial's recent distribution hike puts them squarely at the front of the pack with 8.4% y/y distribution growth, followed by Mid-Con Energy at 4% y/y growth.

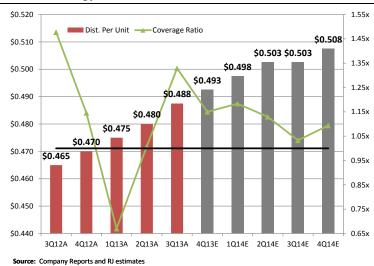
Upstream MLP	Di	stribution	s	Q/Q	Y/Y
Coverage Universe	4Q12A	3Q13A	4Q13E	Growth (%)	Growth (%)
BreitBurn Energy	\$0.470	\$0.488	\$0.493	1.0%	4.8%
Eagle Rock Energy Partners	\$0.220	\$0.150	\$0.150	0.0%	-31.8%
EV Energy	\$0.767	\$0.770	\$0.771	0.1%	0.5%
Legacy Reserves	\$0.570	\$0.585	\$0.590	0.9%	3.5%
LINN Energy	\$0.725	\$0.725	\$0.725	0.0%	0.0%
LRR Energy	\$0.480	\$0.488	\$0.488	0.0%	1.6%
Mid-Con Energy	\$0.495	\$0.515	\$0.515	0.0%	4.0%
Memorial Production	\$0.508	\$0.550	\$0.550	0.0%	8.4%
QR Energy	\$0.488	\$0.488	\$0.488	0.0%	0.0%
Vanguard Natural Resources	\$0.608	\$0.623	\$0.623	0.0%	2.5%

Source: Raymond James Research

Note: LRR 3Q13 distribution is an estimate

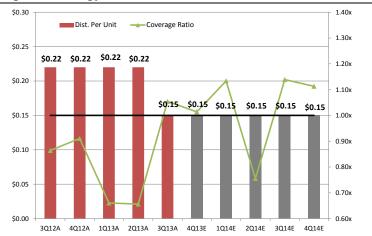
# **Forecasted Distributions and Coverage Ratios:**

#### **BreitBurn Energy Partners**



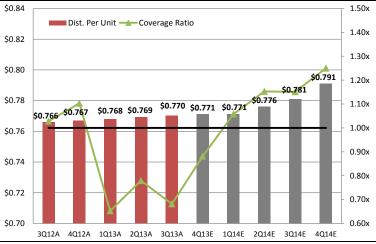
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### **Eagle Rock Energy Partners**



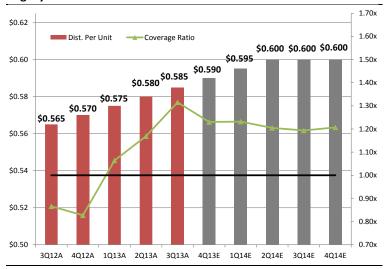
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## **EV Energy Partners**



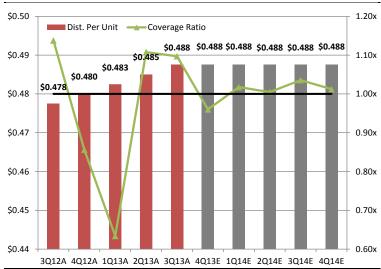
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## **Legacy Reserves**



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## **LRR Energy**



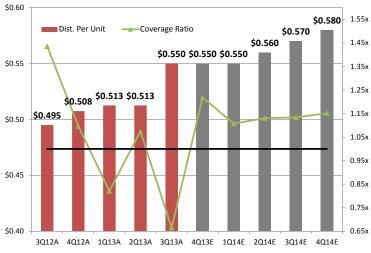
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### **Mid-Con Energy**



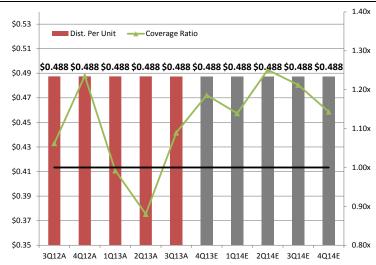
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#### **Memorial Production Partners**



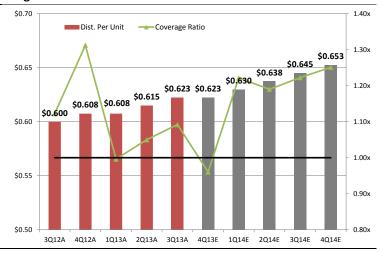
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### **QR Energy**



Source: Company filings and Raymond James estimates

## **Vanguard Natural Resources**



Source: Company filings and Raymond James estimates

# **Upstream MLP Comp Sheet:**

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Marke	t Valuatioi	n Database					Reserv	e Data (20	012)				Enterpris	e Value			3-Year 2012-15
		Price	Current	Market Cap	Ent. Value	PF	PV 10	%	%	R/P	2012	2012	Flowing		EBITDA		Dist.
	Rating	1/7/14	Yield	(in \$MM)	(in \$MM)	Bcfe	(\$ MM)	Gas	Devl.	(Yrs)	PV 10	Mcfe	Boe/d	2013E	2014E	2015E	CAGR
BBEP	MO2	\$20.54	9.8%	\$2,386	\$4,291	1,206	\$3,142	47%	80%	16.4	137%	\$3.56	\$127,434	11.3x	8.2x	7.8x	3.14%
EROC	MP3	\$6.09	9.9%	\$969	\$2,165	350	\$605	56%	76%	12.6	358%	\$6.19	\$171,426	9.2x	11.3x	15.1x	-11.99%
EVEP	MO2	\$33.35	9.2%	\$1,612	\$2,696	967	\$942	67%	76%	15.8	286%	\$2.79	\$96,278	12.5x	7.9x	6.2x	3.19%
LGCY	MO2	\$28.33	8.3%	\$1,629	\$2,458	522	\$1,494	32%	90%	11.9	165%	\$4.71	\$122,616	8.8x	8.3x	8.6x	2.88%
LINE	MO2	\$32.27	9.0%	\$7,589	\$13,971	6,539	\$10,650	54%	65%	21.8	131%	\$2.14	\$101,880	9.2x	5.3x	5.1x	1.25%
LRE	MO2	\$17.29	11.3%	\$452	\$682	179	\$363	53%	85%	12.4	188%	\$3.80	\$103,123	8.8x	7.0x	6.3x	1.25%
MEMP	SB1	\$21.55	10.2%	\$1,204	\$1,970	1,067	\$1,663	62%	59%	24.6	118%	\$1.85	\$99,568	11.0x	6.6x	6.4x	7.23%
MCEP	MP3	\$23.00	9.0%	\$444	\$560	87	\$431	1%	67%	15.8	130%	\$6.44	\$222,699	9.1x	8.2x	9.3x	5.09%
QRE	MO2	\$17.33	11.3%	\$1,123	\$2,378	631	\$1,717	32%	75%	16.0	139%	\$3.77	\$131,772	8.9x	7.5x	7.6x	0.21%
VNR	MO2	\$29.81	8.4%	\$2,310	\$3,292	1,898	\$2,426	60%	89%	24.6	136%	\$1.73	\$93,406	10.4x	7.4x	6.7x	3.81%
Median			9.5%	\$1,408	\$2,418	799	\$1,578	53%	76%	15.9	138%	\$3.66	\$112,869	9.2x	7.7x	7.2x	3.0%
Mean			9.6%	\$1,972	\$3,446	1,345	\$2,343	46%	76%	17.2	179%	\$3.70	\$127,020	9.9x	7.8x	7.9x	1.6%

Source: Raymond James Research; Thomson

Distributions and	Coverage
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Distribu	ıtions and C	coverage												
			Dis	tribution per	Unit	Total	Unit Dist. Co	verage		Price/DCF			DCF (\$MM)	
		Price												
	Rating	1/7/14	12	13E	14E	12	13E	14E	12	13E	14E	12	13E	14E
BBEP	MO2	\$20.54	\$1.85	\$1.94	\$2.01	1.22x	1.06x	1.11x	14.09x	11.25x	8.79x	\$169	\$212	\$271
EROC	MP3	\$6.09	\$0.88	\$0.74	\$0.60	1.06x	0.81x	1.04x	18.52x	25.42x	24.36x	\$129	\$94	\$98
EVEP	MO2	\$33.35	3.06	3.08	3.12	1.07x	0.75x	1.15x	11.33x	15.32x	8.95x	142	105	180
LGCY	MO2	\$28.33	2.25	2.33	2.40	0.94x	1.20x	1.21x	15.72x	10.23x	9.43x	104	159	173
LINE	MO2	\$32.27	2.90	2.90	2.94	1.14x	0.97x	1.24x	11.17x	11.48x	6.15x	679	661	1,234
LRE	MO2	\$17.29	1.91	1.94	1.95	0.97x	0.92x	1.02x	10.92x	9.44x	7.31x	41	48	62
MEMP	SB1	\$21.55	1.96	2.13	2.26	1.32x	0.93x	1.13x	20.28x	11.47x	7.60x	59	105	158
MCEP	MP3	\$23.00	1.93	2.05	2.09	1.16x	1.23x	1.27x	10.60x	8.93x	8.52x	42	50	52
QRE	MO2	\$17.33	1.94	1.95	1.95	1.23x	1.04x	1.19x	9.85x	8.47x	6.83x	114	133	164
VNR	MO2	\$29.81	2.40	2.47	2.57	1.08x	1.03x	1.22x	7.95x	5.94x	4.26x	141	189	263
Median						1.11x	1.00x	1.17x	11.2x	10.7x	8.1x			
Mean						1.12x	0.99x	1.16x	13.0x	11.8x	9.2x			

Source: Raymond James Research; Thomson

# **Royalty Trusts**

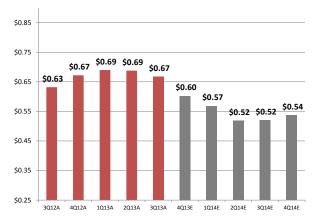
As shown in the table below, we expect SandRidge Mississippian Trust II and the ECA Marcellus Trust are the only two trusts expected to post sequential distribution growth this quarter. The remaining trusts are fighting the combination of declining production and weakening commodity prices. Note: MV Oil Trust has already announced their 4Q13 distribution of \$0.83. This missed our forecast, primarily due to lower-than-expected production.

Royalty Trust	Di	istribution	s	Q/Q	Y/Y
Coverage Universe	4Q12A	3Q13A	4Q13E	Growth (%)	Growth (%)
Chesapeake Granite Wash Trust	\$0.67	\$0.67	\$0.60	-9.7%	-10.3%
ECA Marcellus Trust I	\$0.68	\$0.39	\$0.41	5.1%	-39.9%
MV Oil Trust*	\$0.68	\$0.98	\$0.83	-15.3%	22.1%
SandRidge Permian Trust	\$0.60	\$0.65	\$0.59	-9.3%	-1.9%
SandRidge Miss. Trust I	\$0.65	\$0.60	\$0.57	-5.7%	-12.6%
SandRidge Miss. Trust II	\$0.53	\$0.54	\$0.57	6.0%	6.7%
VOC Energy Trust	\$0.26	\$0.53	\$0.52	-1.2%	101.5%
Whiting USA Trust I	\$0.58	\$0.59	\$0.56	-5.2%	-2.9%
Whiting USA Trust II	\$0.65	\$0.89	\$0.80	-10.1%	22.8%

Source: Raymond James Research

#### **Chesapeake Granite Wash Trust**

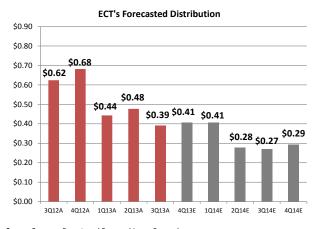
#### **CHKR's Forecasted Distribution**



Source: Company Reports and Raymond James Research

<sup>\* 3</sup>Q distribution already announced

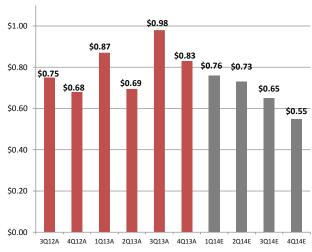
#### **ECA Marcellus Trust I**



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### **MV Oil Trust**

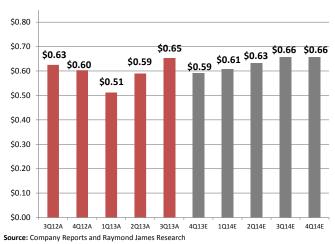
#### **MVO's Forecasted Distribution**



Source: Company Reports and RJ estimates

# **SandRidge Permian Trust**

#### **PER's Forecasted Distribution**



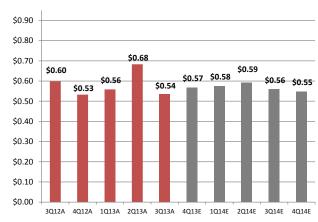
## SandRidge Mississippian Trust I

#### **SDT's Forecasted Distribution** \$0.70 **\$0.68** \$0.65 \$0.65 \$0.59 \$0.61 \$0.60 \$0.60 \$0.57 \$0.54 \$0.55 \$0.50 \$0.50 \$0.45 \$0.37 <sup>\$0.38</sup> \$0.40 \$0.35 4Q12A 1Q13A 2Q13A 3Q13A 4Q13E 1Q14E 2Q14E 3Q14E 4Q14E

Source: Company Reports and Raymond James Research

## SandRidge Mississippian Trust II

### **SDR's Forecasted Distribution**



Source: Company Reports and Raymond James Research

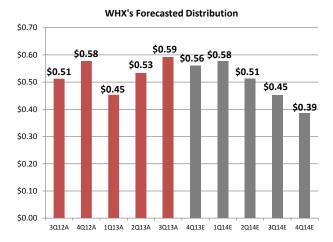
### **VOC Energy Trust**

#### **VOC's Forecasted Distribution**



Source: Company Reports and Raymond James Research

## Whiting USA Trust I



Source: Company Reports and Raymond James Research

# Whiting USA Trust II

#### **WHZ's Forecasted Distribution** \$1.00 \$0.89 \$0.90 \$0.82 \$0.80 \$0.76 \$0.74 \$0.73 \$0.70 \$0.65 \$0.63 \$0.62 \$0.60 \$0.49 \$0.50 \$0.40 \$0.30 \$0.20 4012A 1013A 2013A 3013A 4Q13E 1Q14E 2Q14E 3Q14E 4Q14E 3Q12A

Source: Company Reports and Raymond James Research

# **Royalty Trust Comp Sheet:**

Ray	mond James - U.S. Ro	yalty 1	rust Re	search	Unive	rse							
Marke	et Valuation Database												
			Price	Current	Yield to	Market Cap	2011A	2012A	2013E	2014E	Nat Gas	Trust	Expected
		Rating	1/8/2014	Yield	Maturity	(in \$MM)	Distr.	Distr.	Distr.	Distr.	Weighting	Туре	Maturity Date*
CHKR	Chesapeake Granite Wash Trust	MP3	\$11.24	23.8%	7.1%	\$525.5	\$1.31	\$2.57	\$2.65	\$2.14	53%	Drilling	2Q2031
ECT	ECA Marcellus Trust I	MP3	8.35	18.7%	6.2%	147.0	2.38	2.48	1.72	1.25	100%	Drilling	1Q2030
MVO	MV Oil Trust	MP3	25.27	13.1%	5.8%	290.6	3.60	3.40	3.38	2.69	3%	Developed	2Q2026
PER	SandRidge Permian Trust	MO2	12.45	20.9%	11.8%	653.6	1.28	2.38	2.34	2.55	4%	Drilling	1Q2031
SDT	SandRidge Miss. Trust I	MP3	9.60	25.0%	7.0%	268.8	2.68	2.85	2.37	1.79	50%	Drilling	4Q2030
SDR	SandRidge Miss. Trust II	MP3	9.32	23.0%	8.5%	463.4	NA	1.90	2.35	2.27	53%	Drilling	4Q2031
voc	VOC Energy Trust	MP3	14.88	14.2%	9.0%	253.0	1.86	2.01	1.94	1.88	12%	Developed	4Q2030
WHX	Whiting USA Trust I	MU4	5.37	43.9%	-58.7%	74.4	2.96	2.50	2.14	1.93	40%	Developed	1Q2015
WHZ	Whiting USA Trust II	MP3	13.35	26.7%	8.3%	245.6	NA	3.26	3.18	2.33	22%	Developed	4Q2021
Media	ı			23.0%	7.1%	268.8							
Mean				23.3%	0.6%	324.7							

Source: Thomson Reuters; Raymond James Research

# **Royalty Trust Comp Sheet based on Strip Pricing:**

Ray	mond James - U.S. Ro	yalty 1	Trust Re	search	Unive	rse							
Marke	et Valuation Database-Strip												
			Price	Current	Yield to	Market Cap	2011A	2012A	2013E	2014E	Nat Gas	Trust	Expected
		Rating	1/8/2014	Yield	Maturity	(in \$MM)	Distr.	Distr.	Distr.	Distr.	Weighting	Туре	Maturity Date*
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SDT	SandRidge Miss. Trust I	MP3	9.60	25.0%	6.4%	268.8	2.68	2.85	2.37	1.79	50%	Drilling	4Q2030
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Source: Thomson Reuters; Raymond James Research

 $<sup>\</sup>hbox{* last quarter to pay a normal distribution}\\$ 

<sup>\*</sup> last quarter to pay a normal distribution

	Ticker	Price	Target	Price	RJ R	ating	Suita	bility	RJ Entity
		Jan-08-14	Old	New	Old	New	Old	New	_
Exploration and Production									
BreitBurn Energy Partners L.P.	BBEP-NASDAQ	\$20.28	\$21.00	\$21.00	2	2	TR	TR	RJA
Chesapeake Granite Wash Trust	CHKR-NYSE	\$11.24	NM	NM	3	3	TR	TR	RJA
ECA Marcellus Trust I	ECT-NYSE	\$8.35	\$8.50	NM	2	3	TR	TR	RJA
EV Energy Partners L.P.	<b>EVEP-NASDAQ</b>	\$32.96	\$47.00	\$47.00	2	2	HR	HR	RJA
Legacy Reserves L.P.	LGCY-NASDAQ	\$28.30	\$29.00	\$29.00	2	2	TR	TR	RJA
LINN Energy, LLC	LINE-NASDAQ	\$32.73	\$35.00	\$35.00	2	2	TR	TR	RJA
LinnCo, LLC	LNCO-NASDAQ	\$32.12	\$37.00	\$37.00	1	1	TR	TR	RJA
LRR Energy L.P.	LRE-NYSE	\$17.27	\$18.00	\$18.00	2	2	TR	TR	RJA
Memorial Production Partners L.P.	MEMP-	\$21.63	\$24.00	\$24.00	1	1	TR	TR	RJA
	NASDAQ								
Mid-Con Energy Partners L.P.	MCEP-NASDAQ	\$22.55	NM	NM	3	3	TR	TR	RJA
MV Oil Trust	MVO-NYSE	\$25.27	NM	NM	3	3	TR	TR	RJA
QR Energy L.P.	QRE-NYSE	\$17.22	\$19.00	\$19.00	2	2	TR	TR	RJA
SandRidge Mississippian Trust I	SDT-NYSE	\$9.60	NM	NM	4	3	NM	TR	RJA
SandRidge Mississippian Trust II	SDR-NYSE	\$9.32	NM	NM	4	3	NM	TR	RJA
SandRidge Permian Trust	PER-NYSE	\$12.45	NM	\$14.00	3	2	TR	TR	RJA
Vanguard Natural Resources, LLC	VNR-NASDAQ	\$29.52	\$32.00	\$32.00	2	2	TR	TR	RJA
VOC Energy Trust	VOC-NYSE	\$14.88	NM	NM	3	3	TR	TR	RJA
Whiting USA Trust I	WHX-NYSE	\$5.37	NM	NM	4	4	NM	NM	RJA
Whiting USA Trust II	WHZ-NYSE	\$13.35	NM	NM	3	3	TR	TR	RJA
Midstream Suppliers									
Eagle Rock Energy Partners L.P.	EROC-NASDAQ	\$6.09	NM	NM	3	3	HR	HR	RJA

Prices are as of the most recent close on the indicated exchange. See Disclosures for rating and suitability definitions. RJA target prices are for a 12 month period.

# **Energy**

# **Exploration and Production**

BreitBurn	Energy	<b>Partners</b>	<b>L.P.</b> BBEP-	NASDAQ
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Rating: Outperform		Suitability: Total Return	
Current Price (Jan-08-14)	\$20.28	Target Price	\$21.00
52-Week Range	\$21.75 - \$14.01	BVPS (Sep-13)	\$17.72
Market Cap. (mil.)	\$2,022	Dividend/Yield	\$1.95/9.6%
Shares Out. (mil.)	99.7	ROE %	0%
Avg. Daily Vol. (10 day)	738,700	LT Debt (mil.)/% Cap.	\$1,846/41

•	ating PU	Q1 Mar	Q2 Jun	Q3 Sep	Q4 Dec	Full Year	<b>P/E</b> (Operating EPU)	Revenues (mil.)	Cash Flow/Share	<b>Adj.</b> EBITDA (mil.)
	2012A	\$0.05	\$0.14	\$0.26	\$0.11	\$0.57	35.6x	\$505	\$2.25	\$296
Old	2013E	(0.07)A	0.14A	0.24A	0.22	0.55		682	2.04	379
New	2013E	(0.07)A	0.14A	0.24A	0.23	0.57	35.6x	682	2.05	381
Old	2014E	0.25	0.20	0.16	0.15	0.76		916	2.17	514
New	2014E	0.26	0.23	0.18	0.18	0.84	24.1x	930	2.23	524

Rows may not add due to rounding and equity issuance.

Our \$21 target price represents an ~8.5x multiple to our 2014 EBITDA estimate, within the traditional upstream MLP range of 7-10x.

# **Chesapeake Granite Wash Trust CHKR-NYSE**

Rating: Market Perform		Suitability: Total Return	
Current Price (Jan-08-14)	\$11.24	Target Price	NM
52-Week Range	\$19.15 - \$9.90		
Market Cap. (mil.)	\$395	Dividend/Yield	\$2.68/23.8%
Shares Out. (mil.)	35.1	NAV	\$10.97
Avg. Daily Vol. (10 day)	248,261		
YTM	7.1%		

Ca	sh	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Full	P/Cash	Net
Dist.	/Unit	Mar	Jun	Sep	Dec	Year	Dist. per	Proceeds to
							<b>Unit Ratio</b>	s Trust (mil.)
	2012A	\$0.66	\$0.61	\$0.63	\$0.67	\$2.57	4.4x	\$112
Old	2013E	0.69A	0.69A	0.67A	0.61	2.66		100
New	2013E	0.69A	0.69A	0.67A	0.60	2.65	4.2x	100
Old	2014E	0.56	0.53	0.53	0.55	2.17		79
New	2014E	0.57	0.52	0.52	0.54	2.14	5.3x	78

Rows may not add due to rounding. Cash distribution per unit is the cash flow unitholders are entitled to through their ownership of the trust. Net proceeds to the trust is the amount of revenue the net wells have contributed to the trust before any operating expenses. 2012 net proceeds to trust adjusted for revised calculation methodology in model.

Target price not meaningful.

# **ECA Marcellus Trust I** ECT-NYSE

Rating: Old: O	utperform				Suitability:	Total Return			
Current Price (Jar	า-08-14)	\$8.35			Target Price		Old: \$8.50	New: NM	
52-Week Range		\$19.1	7 - \$7.00						
Market Cap. (mil.	.)	\$147			Dividend/Yield			\$1	56/18.7%
Shares Out. (mil.)	)	17.6			NAV				\$7.76
Avg. Daily Vol. (10	0 day)	160,6	14						
YTM		6.2%							
Cash	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Full	P/Cash	Net		
Dist./Unit	Mar	Jun	Sep	Dec	Year	Dist. per	Proceeds to		
						<b>Unit Ratios</b>	Trust (mil.)		
2012A	\$0.57	\$0.60	\$0.62	\$0.68	\$2.48	3.4x	\$43		
Old 2013E	0.44A	0.48A	0.39A	0.42	1.73		36		
New 2013E	0.44A	0.48A	0.39A	0.41	1.72	4.9x	36		
Old 2014E	0.40	0.28	0.27	0.31	1.26		27		
New 2014E	0.41	0.28	0.27	0.29	1.25	6.7x	26		

Rows may not add due to rounding. Cash distribution per unit is the cash flow unitholders are entitled through their ownership of the trust. Net proceeds to the trust is the amount of revenue the net wells have contributed to the trust before any operating expenses.

Our new **Market Perform** rating on shares of ECA Marcellus Trust I is based on the trust trading near our calculated NAV and with a yield in line with the rest of the group.

FV	Fnergy	<b>Partners</b>	L.P.	FVFP-	NASDAO

Rating: Outperform		Suitability: High Risk	Suitability: High Risk			
Current Price (Jan-08-14)	\$32.96	Target Price	\$47.00			
52-Week Range	\$63.55 - \$30.53	BVPS (Sep-13)	\$22.58			
Market Cap. (mil.)	\$1,404	Dividend/Yield	\$3.08/9.3%			
Shares Out. (mil.)	42.6	NAV	\$12.80			
Avg. Daily Vol. (10 day)	356,479	LT Debt (mil.)/% Cap.	\$1,084/45			

Oper	ating	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Full	P/E	Revenues	Cash	Adj.
EF	U	Mar	Jun	Sep	Dec	Year	(Operating	(mil.)	Flow/Share	EBITDA
							EPU)			(mil.)
	2012A	\$0.50	\$0.41	\$0.46	\$0.42	\$1.79	18.4x	\$400	\$3.27	\$267
Old	2013E	(0.06)A	0.14A	0.13A	0.24	0.45		351	2.31	215
New	2013E	(0.06)A	0.14A	0.13A	0.26	0.46	71.7x	352	2.32	216
Old	2014E	0.44	0.49	0.48	0.54	1.95		499	3.47	332
New	2014E	0.46	0.52	0.52	0.58	2.09	15.8x	506	3.61	339

Rows may not add due to rounding. Operating EPU excludes mark-to-market hedging noise and asset sales.

Our \$47 target price consists of \$14 per unit in value from undeveloped Utica acreage, \$5 per unit from the Midstream assets, and \$28 per unit for the existing asset base.

# Legacy Reserves L.P. LGCY-NASDAQ

Rating: Outperform		Suitability: Total Return	
Current Price (Jan-08-14)	\$28.30	Target Price	\$29.00
52-Week Range	\$29.49 - \$24.20	BVPS (Sep-13)	\$10.30
Market Cap. (mil.)	\$1,622	Dividend/Yield	\$2.34/8.3%
Shares Out. (mil.)	57.3	Proved NAV/Unit	\$8.31
Avg. Daily Vol. (10 day)	113,001	LT Debt (mil.)/% Cap.	\$844/54

•	ating PU	Q1 Mar	Q2 Jun	Q3 Sep	Q4 Dec	Full Year	<b>P/E</b> (Operating EPU)	Revenues (mil.)	Cash Flow/Share	<b>Adj.</b> EBITDA (mil.)
	2012A	\$0.56	\$0.21	\$0.36	\$0.30	\$1.42	19.9x	\$352	\$2.12	\$197
Old	2013E	0.19A	0.28A	0.38A	0.36	1.20		488	2.83	283
New	2013E	0.19A	0.28A	0.38A	0.32	1.16	24.4x	484	2.79	280
Old	2014E	0.29	0.24	0.22	0.19	0.92		526	2.75	290
New	2014E	0.33	0.30	0.27	0.27	1.17	24.2x	530	2.90	297

Rows may not add due to rounding.

Our \$29 target price represents a  $^{\sim}9x$  multiple to our 2014 EBITDA estimate, within the traditional upstream MLP range of 7-10x.

# LINN Energy, LLC LINE-NASDAQ

Rating: Outperform		Suitability: Total Return	
Current Price (Jan-08-14)	\$32.73	Target Price	\$35.00
52-Week Range	\$39.50 - \$20.35	BVPS (Sep-13)	\$17.18
Market Cap. (mil.)	\$7,698	Dividend/Yield	\$2.90/8.9%
Shares Out. (mil.)	235.2	Proved NAV/Unit	\$21.28
Avg. Daily Vol. (10 day)	1,834,067	LT Debt (mil.)/% Cap.	\$6,513/58

•	ating PU	Q1 Mar	Q2 Jun	Q3 Sep	Q4 Dec	Full Year	<b>P/E</b> (Operating EPU)	Revenues (mil.)	Cash Flow/Share	<b>Adj.</b> EBITDA (mil.)
	2012A	\$0.25	\$0.31	\$0.45	\$0.41	\$1.43	22.9x	\$2,052	\$3.26	\$1,403
Old	2013E	0.16A	0.25A	0.37A	0.27	1.05		2,368	2.80	1,517
New	2013E	0.16A	0.25A	0.37A	0.28	1.06	30.9x	2,370	2.81	1,520
Old	2014E	0.75	0.56	0.57	0.49	2.37		3,982	3.65	2,547
New	2014E	0.67	0.62	0.63	0.58	2.50	13.1x	4,089	3.65	2,628

Rows may not add due to rounding and equity issuance.

Our \$35 target price is based off an 8x multiple to our 2014 EBITDA estimate, within the traditional upstream MLP range of 7-10x.

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# LinnCo, LLC LNCO-NASDAQ

Rating: Stron	ng Buy				Suitability:				
Current Price (J	lan-08-14)	\$32	.12		Target Price	Target Price			\$37.00
			.20 - \$23.03						
Market Cap. (m	\$1,3	\$1,118			ield			\$2.90/9.0%	
Shares Out. (mil.) 34.8				NAV				\$9.51	
Avg. Daily Vol.	2,1	51,265							
Operating	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Full	P/E	Revenues	Adj.	
EPU	Mar	Jun	Sep	Dec	Year	(Operating	(mil.)	EBITDA	
						EPU)		(mil.)	
2012A	\$0.25	\$0.31	\$0.45	\$0.41	\$1.43	22.5x	\$2,052	\$1,403	

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Rows may not add due to rounding and equity issuance.

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Our \$37 target price is based off an ~8x multiple to our 2014 EBITDA estimate, within the traditional upstream MLP range of 7-10x.

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Rating:	Outpe	erform				Suitability:	Total Return			
Current Pi	rice (Ja	n-08-14)	\$17.	27		Target Price	9			\$18.00
52-Week Range \$19.20 - \$13.13						BVPS (Sep-:	13)			\$10.20
Market Cap. (mil.) \$452						Dividend/Y	ield		9	\$1.94/11.2%
Shares Out. (mil.) 26.2					ROE %				5%	
Avg. Daily Vol. (10 day) 85,626				26		LT Debt (mi	il.)/% Cap.			\$245/50
Fixed Cov	erage		NA							
Operati	ing	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Full	P/E	Revenues	Cash	Adj.
EPU		Mar	Jun	Sep	Dec	Year	(Operating	(mil.)	Flow/Share	EBITDA
					EPU)			(mil.)		
20	012A	\$0.27	\$0.18	\$0.38	\$0.01	\$0.85	20.3x	\$112	\$1.85	\$68
Old 2	2013E	0.10A	0.30A	0.34A	0.32	1.08		122	1.82	78

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Rows may not add due to rounding and equity issuance.

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Our \$18 target price is based on a  $^{\sim}7x$  multiple to our 2014 EBITDA forecast, within the traditional upstream MLP range of 7-10x.

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# Memorial Production Partners L.P. MEMP-NASDAQ

Rating: Strong Buy			
Current Price (Jan-08-14)	\$21.63	Target Price	\$24.00
52-Week Range	\$22.29 - \$17.61	BVPS (Sep-13)	\$7.02
Market Cap. (mil.)	\$952	Dividend/Yield	\$2.20/10.2%
Shares Out. (mil.)	44.0	NAV	\$17.84
Avg. Daily Vol. (10 day)	425,663	LT Debt (mil.)/% Cap.	\$493/53

•	ating PU	Q1 Mar	Q2 Jun	Q3 Sep	Q4 Dec	Full Year	<b>P/E</b> (Operating EPU)	Revenues (mil.)	Cash Flow/Share	<b>Adj.</b> EBITDA (mil.)
	2012A	\$0.27	\$0.29	\$0.19	\$0.26	\$1.01	21.4x	\$122	\$2.60	\$80
Old	2013E	0.33A	0.36A	0.26A	0.55	1.54		278	2.01	181
New	2013E	0.33A	0.36A	0.26A	0.52	1.50	14.4x	276	1.99	179
Old	2014E	0.49	0.50	0.52	0.53	2.05		429	2.53	296
New	2014E	0.50	0.50	0.51	0.52	2.02	10.7x	424	2.52	292

Rows may not add due to rounding and equity issuance.

Our \$24 target price is based on a  $\sim$ 7.5x multiple to our 2014 EBITDA estimate, within the traditional upstream MLP range of 7-10x.

# Mid-Con Energy Partners L.P. MCEP-NASDAQ

Rating: Market Perform		Suitability: Total Return	
Current Price (Jan-08-14)	\$22.55	Target Price	NM
52-Week Range	\$27.05 - \$20.37	BVPS (Sep-13)	\$3.40
Market Cap. (mil.)	\$401	Dividend/Yield	\$2.06/9.1%
Shares Out. (mil.)	17.8	NAV	\$12.48
Avg. Daily Vol. (10 day)	61,801	LT Debt (mil.)/% Cap.	\$112/52

•	ating PU	Q1 Mar	Q2 Jun	Q3 Sep	Q4 Dec	Full Year	<b>P/E</b> (Operating EPU)	Revenues (mil.)	Cash Flow/Share	<b>Adj.</b> EBITDA (mil.)
<u> </u>	2012A	\$0.36	\$0.44	\$0.35	\$0.46	\$1.61	14.0x	\$65	\$2.24	\$48
Old	2013E	0.31A	0.58A	0.51A	0.57	1.96		87	2.57	62
New	2013E	0.31A	0.58A	0.51A	0.52	1.92	11.7x	86	2.53	61
Old	2014E	0.37	0.52	0.57	0.55	2.02		98	2.65	68
New	2014E	0.35	0.52	0.59	0.58	2.04	11.1x	97	2.65	68

Rows may not add due to rounding and equity issuance.

Target price not meaningful.

# **MV Oil Trust** MVO-NYSE

Rating: N	Marke	et Perforr	n			Suitability:	Total Return		
Current Pri	ice (Ja	in-08-14)	\$25	.27		Target Price	Target Price		NM
52-Week R	Range		\$32	.60 - \$23.11					
Market Ca	p. (mi	l.)	\$29	\$291			ield		\$3.32/13.1%
Shares Out. (mil.) 11.5			5		Proved NA\	//Share		\$22.19	
Avg. Daily Vol. (10 day) 89,473			173		LT Debt (mi	il.)/% Cap.		NM/NM	
YTM		5.89	6						
Cash		Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Full	P/Cash	Net	
Dist./Un	nit	Mar	Jun	Sep	Dec	Year	Year <b>Dist. per</b> Proceeds to		
							<b>Unit Ratios</b>	Trust (mil.)	
20	)13A	\$0.87	\$0.69	\$0.98	\$0.83	\$3.38	7.5x	\$40	
Old 20	)14E	0.76	0.73	0.65	0.55	2.69		32	
New 20	)14E	0.76	0.73	0.65	0.55	2.69	9.4x	32	
Old 20	)15E	UR	UR	UR	UR	2.05		24	

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Rows may not add due to rounding. Dividend represents future four quarter estimated distribution.

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Target price not meaningful.

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Rating: C	Outpe	rform				Suitability:	Total Return			
Current Pri	ice (Jai	1-08-14)	\$17.	22		Target Price	9			\$19.00
52-Week R	ange		\$18.69 - \$14.76			BVPS (Sep-:	13)			\$9.91
Market Cap	p. (mil	.)	\$768	3		Dividend/Y	ield			\$1.95/11.3%
Shares Out	. (mil.)	)	44.6			ROE %				5%
Avg. Daily \	Vol. (1	0 day)	286,	464		LT Debt (mi	il.)/% Cap.			\$896/52
Fixed Coverage NA										
Operatin	ng	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Full	P/E	Revenues	Cash	Adj.
EPU		Mar	Jun	Sep	Dec	Year	(Operating EPU)	(mil.)	Flow/Unit	EBITDA (mil.)
20	12A	\$0.40	\$0.20	\$0.30	\$(0.24)	\$0.67	25.7x	\$340	\$2.42	\$222
Old 20	)13E	0.27A	0.23A	0.29A	0.33	1.13		483	2.05	268
New 20	13E	0.27A	0.23A	0.29A	0.33	1.12	15.4x	480	2.03	267
Old 20	)14E	0.31	0.32	0.30	0.29	1.22		553	2.26	314
New 20	14E	0.32	0.34	0.33	0.33	1.32	13.0x	555	2.32	317

Rows may not add due to rounding and equity issuance. 2Q13 EPS revised for company restatement.

Our \$19 target price represents a  $^{\sim}7x$  multiple to our 2014 EBITDA estimate, within the traditional upstream MLP range of 7-10x.

# SandRidge Mississippian Trust I SDT-NYSE

Rating: Old	: Underperf	orm New	: Market Pe	erform	Suitability:	Old: Not Mea	ningful New	: Total Return
Current Price	(Jan-08-14)	\$9.6	0		Target Price	9		NM
52-Week Ran	ge	\$19.	85 - \$8.65					
Market Cap. (	mil.)	\$269	9		Dividend/Y	ield		\$2.36/24.6%
Shares Out. (r	nil.)	28.0	)		NAV			\$9.27
Avg. Daily Vol	. (10 day)	228,	809					
YTM		7.0%	6					
Cash	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Full	P/Cash	Net	
Dist./Unit	Mar	Jun	Sep	Dec	Year	Dist. per	Proceeds to	
			•			<b>Unit Ratios</b>	Trust (mil.)	
2012	A \$0.79	\$0.73	\$0.68	\$0.65	\$2.85	3.4x	\$85	
Old 2013	E 0.59A	0.61A	0.60A	0.57	2.37		63	
New 2013	E 0.59A	0.61A	0.60A	0.57	2.37	4.1x	63	
Old 2014	E 0.54	0.51	0.38	0.40	1.84		49	
New 2014	E 0.54	0.50	0.37	0.38	1.79	5.4x	48	

Rows may not add due to rounding. Cash distribution per unit is the cash flow unitholders are entitled to through their ownership of the trust. Net proceeds to the trust is the amount of revenue the net wells have contributed to the trust before any operating expenses.

Our new **Market Perform** rating on shares of SandRidge Mississippian Trust I is based on the trust trading near our calculated NAV and with a yield in-line with the rest of the group.

# SandRidge Mississippian Trust II SDR-NYSE

Rating: Old: Underperform	New: Market Perform	Suitability: Old: Not Mean	ingful New: Total Return
Current Price (Jan-08-14)	\$9.32	Target Price	NM
52-Week Range	\$18.95 - \$8.59		
Market Cap. (mil.)	\$463	Dividend/Yield	\$2.24/24.0%
Shares Out. (mil.)	49.7	NAV	\$9.67
Avg. Daily Vol. (10 day)	355,778		
YTM	8.5%		
Cash Q1 (	Q2 Q3 Q4	Full <b>P/Cash</b>	Net
<b>Dist./Unit</b> Mar J	un Sep Dec	Year <b>Dist. per</b>	Proceeds to
		Unit Ratios	Trust (mil.)
2012A \$0.27 \$0.	50 \$0.60 \$0.53	\$1.90 4.9x	\$103
Old 2013E 0.56A 0.	.68A 0.54A 0.57	2.35	124
New 2013E 0.56A 0.	.68A 0.54A 0.57	2.35 4.0x	124
Old 2014E 0.58 0.	.59 0.56 0.53	2.26	97
New 2014E 0.58 0.	.59 0.56 0.55	2.27 4.1x	97

Rows may not add due to rounding. Cash distribution per unit is the cash flow unitholders are entitled to through their ownership of the trust. Net proceeds to the trust is the amount of revenue the net wells have contributed to the trust before any operating expenses.

Our new **Market Perform** rating on shares of SandRidge Mississippian Trust II is based on the trust trading near our calculated NAV and with a yield in-line with the rest of the group.

# SandRidge Permian Trust PER-NYSE

Rating: (	Old: I	Market Pe	rform Ne	w: Outperf	orm	Suitability:	Total Return			
Current Pri	ice (Ja	n-08-14)	\$12	.45		Target Price	9		Old: NM	New: \$14.00
52-Week R	Range		\$19	.48 - \$11.57						
Market Ca	p. (mi	l.)	\$65	4		Dividend/Y	ield			\$2.34/18.8%
Shares Out	t. (mil.	.)	52.5	5		NAV				\$14.47
Avg. Daily	Vol. (1	.0 day)	459	,999						
YTM			11.8	3%						
Cash		Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Full	P/Cash	Net		
Dist./Un	nit	Mar	Jun	Sep	Dec	Year	Dist. per	Proceeds to		
							<b>Unit Ratios</b>	Trust (mil.)		
20	)12A	\$0.58	\$0.57	\$0.63	\$0.60	\$2.38	5.2x	\$136		
Old 20	013E	0.51A	0.59A	0.65A	0.59	2.34		132		
New 20	013E	0.51A	0.59A	0.65A	0.59	2.34	5.3x	132		
Old 20	)14E	0.61	0.63	0.66	0.66	2.55		141		
New 20	)14E	0.61	0.63	0.66	0.66	2.55	4.9x	142		

Rows may not add due to rounding. Cash distribution per unit is the cash flow unitholders are entitled to through their ownership of the trust. Net proceeds to the trust is the amount of revenue the net wells have contributed to the trust before any operating expenses.

Our new **Outperform** rating on shares of the SandRidge Permian Trust is based on the trust trading at a ~12% yield to maturity with ~20% upside to our calculated NAV. Our \$14 target price is based off our company NAV of \$14.47. Please

# Vanguard Natural Resources, LLC VNR-NASDAQ

Rating: Outperform		Suitability: Total Return	
Current Price (Jan-08-14)	\$29.52	Target Price	\$32.00
52-Week Range	\$29.93 - \$24.23	BVPS (Sep-13)	\$15.83
Market Cap. (mil.)	\$2,300	Dividend/Yield	\$2.49/8.4%
Shares Out. (mil.)	77.9	ROE %	-13%
Avg. Daily Vol. (10 day)	383,226	LT Debt (mil.)/% Cap.	\$958/61

Oper	ating	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Full	P/E	Revenues	Cash	Adj.
EF	U	Mar	Jun	Sep	Dec	Year	(Operating	(mil.)	Flow/Share	EBITDA
							EPU)			(mil.)
	2012A	\$0.41	\$0.17	\$0.34	\$0.27	\$1.18	25.0x	\$311	\$2.59	\$231
Old	2013E	0.26A	0.27A	0.29A	0.29	1.13		455	2.52	317
New	2013E	0.26A	0.27A	0.29A	0.31	1.15	25.7x	456	2.53	318
Old	2014E	0.35	0.29	0.31	0.34	1.29		677	3.07	438
New	2014E	0.37	0.31	0.34	0.37	1.39	21.2x	688	3.14	446

Rows may not add due to rounding and equity issuance.

Our \$32 target price represents an ~8x multiple to our 2014 EBITDA estimate, within the traditional upstream MLP range of 7-10x.

# **VOC Energy Trust VOC-NYSE**

Rating:	: Mark	et Perform	)			Suitability:	Total Return		
Current	Rating: Market Perform  Current Price (Jan-08-14) \$14.88 52-Week Range \$17.51 - \$11.69  Market Cap. (mil.) \$253  Shares Out. (mil.) 17.0  Avg. Daily Vol. (10 day) 52,137  /TM 9.0%  Fixed Coverage NA  Cash Q1 Q2 Q3  Dist./Unit Mar Jun Sep					Target Price	NM		
52-Wee	k Range		\$17.	51 - \$11.69					
Market	Cap. (mi	il.)	\$253	3		Dividend/Y	ield		\$1.64/11.0%
Shares (	Out. (mil	.)	17.0			ROE %			30%
Avg. Da	ily Vol. (:	10 day)	52,1	37		LT Debt (m	il.)/% Cap.		\$0/0
YTM		•	9.0%	<b>6</b>					<u> </u>
Fixed Co	overage		NA						
Cas	sh	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Full	P/Cash	Net	
Dist./	'Unit	Mar	Jun	Sep	Dec	Year	Dist. per	Proceeds to	
				·			Unit Ratios	Trust (mil.)	
	2012A	\$0.69	\$0.60	\$0.46	\$0.26	\$2.01	7.4x	\$34	
Old	2013E	0.48A	0.41A	0.53A	0.55	1.98		34	
New	2013E	0.48A	0.41A	0.53A	0.52	1.94	7.7x	33	
Old	2014E	0.50	0.29	0.39	0.45	1.64		28	
New	2014E	0.52	0.34	0.47	0.55	1.88	7.9x	32	

Rows may not add due to rounding.

Target price not meaningful.

Whiting USA Trust I WHX-N	/SE
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Rating	: Unde	rperform				Suitability:	Not Meaning	ful	
Current	t Price (Ja	an-08-14)	\$5.3	7		Target Price	9		NM
52-Wee	ek Range		\$9.5	7 - \$3.29					
Market	Cap. (mi	il.)	\$75			Dividend/Y	ield		\$1.80/33.5%
Shares	Out. (mil	.)	13.9			ROE %			NM
Avg. Da	ily Vol. (	10 day)	222,	443		LT Debt (mi	il.)/% Cap.		NM/NM
YTM			-58.7	7%					
Ca	sh	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Full	P/Cash	Net	
Dist.	/Unit	Mar	Jun	Sep	Dec	Year	Dist. per	Proceeds to	
							<b>Unit Ratios</b>	Trust (mil.)	
	2012A	\$0.72	\$0.69	\$0.51	\$0.58	\$2.50	2.1x	\$36	
Old	2013E	0.45A	0.53A	0.59A	0.64	2.22		32	
New	2013E	0.45A	0.53A	0.59A	0.56	2.14	2.5x	31	
Old	2014E	0.55	0.45	0.38	0.30	1.68		24	

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Rows may not add due to rounding.

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Target price not meaningful.

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# Whiting USA Trust II WHZ-NYSE

Pating	• Mark	et Perform	,			Suitability	Total Return		
		an-08-14)	s \$13.	25		Target Price			NM
	ek Range	,		63 - \$12.49		raiget File	=		INIVI
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Market	Cap. (mi	II.)	\$246	ס		Dividend/Y	ield		\$2.96/22.2%
Shares	Out. (mil	.)	18.4			NAV			\$11.22
Avg. Da	aily Vol. (	10 day)	109,	956					
YTM			8.3%	, 0					
Ca	sh	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Full	P/Cash	Net	
Dist.	/Unit	Mar	Jun	Sep	Dec	Year	Dist. per	Proceeds to	
				·			Unit Ratios	Trust (mil.)	
	2012A	\$0.95	\$0.89	\$0.76	\$0.65	\$3.26	4.1x	\$60	
Old	2013E	0.63A	0.74A	0.89A	0.92	3.18		58	
New	2013E	0.63A	0.74A	0.89A	0.92	3.18	4.2x	58	
Old	2014E	0.77	0.63	0.51	0.42	2.33		43	

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Rows may not add due to rounding.

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Target price not meaningful.

# **Midstream Suppliers**

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Rating: Ma	rket Perfor	m			S	Suitabi	<b>lity:</b> Hig	gh Risk			
Current Price	(Jan-08-14)		\$6.09		-	Target	Price				NM
52-Week Ran	ge		\$10.52 - \$5.0	)1		BVPS (	Sep-13)				\$4.90
Market Cap. (	mil.)		\$951			Divide	nd/Yield				\$0.60/9.9%
Shares Out. (r	nil.)		156.1			ROE					-19%
Avg. Daily Vol	. (10 day)		1,713,059								
Proj. 3-Yr Casl	n Dist/Unit C	CAGR	-12.0%								-
EPU	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Full	I	P/E	Cash	Adj.	P/CashDi	stistrbution/Unit
	Mar	Jun	Sep	Dec	Yea	ır	Ratios	Dist./Unit	EBITDA		Ratios
									(mil.)		
2012A	\$(0.04)	\$0.63	\$(0.35)	\$(0.01)	\$0.2	2	27.7x	\$0.88	\$246	6.9x	
Old 2013E	(0.22)A	0.11A	(0.19)A	(0.03)	(0.3	3)		0.74	236		
New 2013E	(0.22)A	0.11A	(0.19)A	(0.04)	(0.3	34)	NM	0.74	234	8.2x	
Old 2014E	(0.02)	0.00	0.05	0.03	0.0	)5		0.60	184		
New 2014E	(0.01)	0.01	0.06	0.05	0.1	.1	55.4x	0.60	192	10.2x	

Rows may not add due to rounding and changes in the unit base.

Target price not meaningful.

# SandRidge Permian Trust

(\$ in thousands, except unit data)

SandRidge Permian Trust

Pricing & Production	2011	2012	Q113	Q213	Q313	Q413E	2013E	Q114E	Q214E	Q314E	Q414E	2014E
Commodity Price Forecast		1				1	1					
Gas - Henry Hub (\$ / MMbtu)	\$4.07	\$2.76	\$3.40	\$4.10	\$3.57	\$3.64	\$3.68	\$4.15	\$3.50	\$3.50	\$3.85	\$3.75
Oil - WTI (\$ / bbl)	\$92.91	\$96.99	\$91.00	\$94.00	\$105.82	\$97.56	\$97.10	\$98.00	\$94.00	\$88.00	\$80.00	\$90.00
Company Realizations (Pre-hedge)												
Gas - (\$ / Mcf)	\$2.13	\$2.22	\$2.85	\$3.08	\$3.08	\$3.09	\$3.03	\$3.53	\$2.98	\$2.98	\$3.27	\$3.19
Oil - WTI (\$ / bbl)	\$57.84	\$85.39	\$74.13	\$84.58	\$94.54	\$85.56	\$84.70	\$86.00	\$82.00	\$76.00	\$68.00	\$78.00
Production												
Gas (MMcf)	205	400	94	90	107	114	405	117	121	123	126	487
Oil & Liquids (Mbbls)	796	1,492	325	357	386	374	1,442	385	396	401	407	1,590
Total (MBoe)	830	1,559	341	372	404	393	1,509	405	416	422	428	1,671
Gas (MMcf/d)	0.6	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.3
Oil & Liquids (Mbbls/d)	2.2	4.1	3.6	3.9	4.2	4.1	4.0	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4
Total (MBoe/d)	2.3	4.3	3.8	4.1	4.4	4.3	4.1	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.6
% Oil			95%	96%	96%	95%		95%	95%	95%	95%	
Sequential Change			-10.7%	8.0%	7.4%	-2.7%		5.3%	1.7%	0.2%	1.6%	
Yr / Yr Change		87.8%	-5.7%	-3.7%	-4.2%	0.8%	-3.2%	18.8%	11.9%	4.4%	9.0%	10.7%

Quarterly Distributable Cash Flow Forecast		2011		2012	Q113	Q213	Q313	Q413E		2013E	Q114E	Q214E	Q314E	Q414E	2014E
Oil and Gas Sales Revenue	\$	69,960	\$	127,901	\$ 24,384	\$ 30,433	\$ 36,833	\$ 32,342	\$	123,992	\$ 33,547	\$ 32,841	\$ 30,854	\$ 28,108	\$ 125,350
Hedging Revenue		3,625		7,986	2,975	3,095	155	1,714		7,939	1,304	2,726	4,891	7,737	16,658
Total Revenue	\$	73,585	\$	135,887	\$ 27,359	\$ 33,528	\$ 36,988	\$ 34,056	\$	131,931	\$ 34,851	\$ 35,567	\$ 35,745	\$ 35,845	\$ 142,008
Expenses															
Trust Expense		856		1,124	743	539	187	580		2,048	580	580	580	580	2,320
Production Tax		5,725		9,593	1,829	2,282	2,578	2,426		9,115	2,516	2,463	2,314	2,108	9,401
Total Expenses	\$	6,581	\$	10,717	\$ 2,572	\$ 2,821	\$ 2,765	\$ 3,006	\$	11,164	\$ 3,096	\$ 3,043	\$ 2,894	\$ 2,688	\$ 11,721
Cash Available for Distributions	\$	67,004	\$	125,170	\$ 24,787	\$ 30,707	\$ 34,223	\$ 31,050	\$	120,767	\$ 31,755	\$ 32,524	\$ 32,851	\$ 33,157	\$ 130,287
Units Outstanding		52,500		52,500	52,500	52,500	52,500	52,500		52,500	52,500	52,500	52,500	52,500	52,50
Distributable Cash Flow Per Unit	\$	1.28	\$	2.38	\$ 0.47	\$ 0.58	\$ 0.65	\$ 0.59	\$	2.30	\$ 0.60	\$ 0.62	\$ 0.63	\$ 0.63	\$ 2.4
Target Cash Distribution Per Unit	\$	1.150	\$	2.280	\$ 0.640	\$ 0.660	\$ 0.700	\$ 0.730	\$	2.730	\$ 0.760	\$ 0.790	\$ 0.820	\$ 0.820	\$ 3.19
Subordination Threshold Per Unit	\$	0.920	\$	1.824	\$ 0.512	\$ 0.528	\$ 0.560	\$ 0.584	\$	2.184	\$ 0.608	\$ 0.632	\$ 0.656	\$ 0.656	\$ 2.55
Incentive Threshold Per Unit	\$	1.380	\$	2.736	\$ 0.768	\$ 0.792	\$ 0.840	\$ 0.876	\$	3.276	\$ 0.912	\$ 0.948	\$ 0.984	\$ 0.984	\$ 3.82
Cash Distribution Per Unit	s	1.28	s	2.38	\$ 0.51	\$ 0.59	\$ 0.65	\$ 0.59	s	2.34	\$ 0.61	\$ 0.63	\$ 0.66	\$ 0.66	\$ 2.5

(\$ in thousands, except unit data)																				
Pricing & Production	2011	2012	2013E	2014E	2015E	2016E	2017E	2018E	2019E	2020E	2021E	2022E	2023E	2024E	2025E	2026E	2027E	2028E	2029E	2030E
Commodity Price Forecast																	1		-	
Gas - Henry Hub (\$ / MMbtu)	\$4.07	\$2.76	\$3.68	\$3.75	\$4.25	\$4.36	\$4.47	\$4.58	\$4.69	\$4.81	\$4.93	\$5.05	\$5.18	\$5.31	\$5.44	\$5.58	\$5.72	\$5.86	\$6.01	\$6.16
Oil - WTI (\$ / bbl)	\$92.91	\$96.99	\$97.10	\$90.00	\$75.00	\$90.00	\$92.25	\$94.56	\$96.92	\$99.34	\$101.83	\$104.37	\$106.98	\$109.66	\$112.40	\$115.21	\$118.09	\$121.04	\$124.07	\$125.00
Company Realizations (Pre-hedge)																				1
Gas - (\$ / Mcf)	\$2.13	\$2.22	\$3.03	\$3.19	\$3.61	\$3.70	\$3.80	\$3.89	\$3.99	\$4.09	\$4.19	\$4.29	\$4.40	\$4.51	\$4.62	\$4.74	\$4.86	\$4.98	\$5.10	\$5.23
Oil - WTI (\$ / bbl)	\$57.84	\$85.39	\$84.70	\$78.00	\$63.00	\$78.00	\$80.25	\$82.56	\$84.92	\$87.34	\$89.83	\$92.37	\$94.98	\$97.66	\$100.40	\$103.21	\$106.09	\$109.04	\$112.07	\$113.00
Production																				ı
Gas (MMcf)	205	400	405	487	457	383	346	314	286	260	236	215	195	178	162	147	134	122	111	101
Oil & Liquids (Mbbls)	796	1,492	1,442	1,590	1,487	1,250	1,129	1,026	933	849	774	705	639	585	533	486	443	404	368	336
Total (MBoe)	830	1,559	1,509	1,671	1,564	1,314	1,187	1,078	981	893	813	740	671	614	560	510	465	424	387	353
Gas (MMcf/d)	0.6	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.3	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.
Oil & Liquids (Mbbls/d)	2.2	4.1	4.0	4.4	4.1	3.4	3.1	2.8	2.6	2.3	2.1	1.9	1.8	1.6	1.5	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.0	0.
Total (MBoe/d)	2.3	4.3	4.1	4.6	4.3	3.6	3.3	3.0	2.7	2.4	2.2	2.0	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.0
% Oil																				ı
Sequential Change																				
Yr / Yr Change		87.8%	-3.2%	10.7%	-6.4%	-16.0%	-9.7%	-9.2%	-9.0%	-9.0%	-8.9%	-8.9%	-9.3%	-8.5%	-8.9%	-8.8%	-8.8%	-8.8%	-8.8%	-8.99
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Quarterly Distributable Cash Flow Forecast	2011	2012	2013E	2014E	2015E	2016E	2017E	2018E	2019E	2020E	2021E	2022E	2023E	2024E	2025E	2026E	2027E	2028E	2029E	2030E
Oil and Gas Sales Revenue	\$ 69.960	\$ 127 901	\$ 123,992	\$ 125.350	\$ 95.356	6 00 000	S 91 927	\$ 85.895	\$ 80.365	e 75.044	S 70.479	\$ 66,007	S 61 537	\$ 57.916	S 54 258	\$ 50.843	\$ 47 646	\$ 44 640	\$ 41.839	\$ 38464

Oil and Gas Sales Revenue Hedging Revenue	\$ 69,960 3,625	\$ 1	127,901 7.986		,992 \$	125,350 16,658	\$ 95,356 31,882	\$ 98,93	\$ 91,	927 \$	85,895	\$ 80,36	5 \$	75,244	\$ 70,479	\$ 6	5,007	\$ 61,537	\$ 57,91	6 \$	54,258	\$ 50,84	3 \$	47,646 \$	44,640	\$ 4	1,839 \$	38,464
Total Revenue	\$ 73,585	\$ 1	135,887		,931 \$	142,008	\$ 127,238	\$ 98,93	\$ 91,	927 \$	85,895	\$ 80,36	5 \$	75,244	\$ 70,479	\$ 6	5,007	\$ 61,537	\$ 57,91	6 \$	54,258	\$ 50,84	3 \$	47,646 \$	44,640	\$ 4	1,839 \$	38,464
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Trust Expense	856		1,124		,048	2,320	2,320	2,32		342	2,400	2,46		2,522	2,585		2,649	2,716	2,78		2,853	2,92		2,997	3,072		3,149	3,228
Production Tax	5,725		9,593	9	,115	9,401	7,152	7,42	6,	895	6,442	6,02	7	5,643	5,286		4,951	4,615	4,34	4	4,069	3,81	3	3,573	3,348		3,138	2,885
Total Expenses	\$ 6,581	\$	10,717	\$ 11	,164 \$	11,721	\$ 9,472	\$ 9,74	\$ 9,	236 \$	8,842	\$ 8,48	в \$	8,165	\$ 7,871	\$	7,600	\$ 7,331	\$ 7,12	7 \$	6,922	\$ 6,73	8 \$	6,571 \$	6,420	\$	6,287 \$	6,113
Cash Available for Distributions	\$ 67,004	\$ 1	125,170	\$ 120	,767 \$	130,287	\$ 117,766	\$ 89,19	2 \$ 82,	691 \$	77,053	\$ 71,87	7 \$	67,079	\$ 62,608	\$ 5	3,407	\$ 54,206	\$ 50,78	9 \$	47,336	\$ 44,10	5 \$	41,075 \$	38,220	\$ 3	5,552 \$	32,351
Units Outstanding	52,500		52,500	52	2,500	52,500	52,500	52,50	52,	500	52,500	52,50	D	52,500	52,500	5	2,500	52,500	52,50	0	52,500	52,50	0	52,500	52,500	5	2,500	52,500
Distributable Cash Flow Per Unit	\$ 1.28	\$	2.38	\$	2.30 \$	2.48	\$ 2.24	\$ 1.7	) \$ 1	1.58 \$	1.47	\$ 1.3	7 \$	1.28	\$ 1.19	\$	1.11	\$ 1.03	\$ 0.9	7 \$	0.90	\$ 0.8	4 \$	0.78 \$	0.73	\$	0.68 \$	0.62
Target Cash Distribution Per Unit	\$ 1.150	\$	2.280	\$ 2	.730 \$	3.190	\$ 2.950	\$ 2.59	) \$ 2.	380 \$	2.220	\$ 2.07	0 \$	1.930	\$ 1.740	\$	1.580	\$ 1.450	\$ 1.31	0 \$	1.190	\$ 1.08	0 \$	0.980 \$	0.900	\$	0.810 \$	0.740
Subordination Threshold Per Unit	\$ 0.920	\$	1.824	\$ 2	.184 \$	2.552	\$ 2.360	\$ 2.07	2 \$ -	\$		\$ -	\$	-	ş -	\$		ş -	\$ -	\$		\$ -	\$	- \$	-	\$	- \$	-
Incentive Threshold Per Unit	\$ 1.380	\$	2.736	\$ 3	.276 \$	3.828	\$ 3.540	\$ 3.10	3 \$ -	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$	-	\$ -	\$	- \$	-	\$	- \$	-
Cash Distribution Per Unit	1,28		2.38		2.34 \$	2.55	\$ 2.36	S 1.8	3 5 1	1.58 S	1.47	S 1.3	7 S	1.28	S 1.19		1.11	\$ 1.03	\$ 0.9		0.90		4 \$	0.78 \$	0.73		0.68 \$	0.6

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