


CLAIMS			
State	# Claims Filed	# Checks Disbursed	\$ Disbursed
TX	4,974	3,302	\$10,149,074
LA	34,415	48,851	\$148,664,215
MS	25,641	12,303	\$29,459,434
AL	30,544	30,773	\$88,630,101
FL	38,868	22,947	\$72,109,159
GA	4,705	2,002	\$5,967,074
Other	12,104	4,465	\$13,255,629
Total	151,251	124,643	\$368,234,686

Gulf of Mexico Incident - Daily Dashboard - Period: 8/16/10 6AM – 8/17/10 6AM <i>Produced BP's Washington, DC Office</i> <i>Sources: BP and National Incident Command</i>	
Highlights: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Relief well intercept evaluations continue • BP prepares for transfer of claims process to Ken Feinberg and Gulf Coast Claims Facility • BP provides \$52 million in funding for behavior health support across Gulf Coast 	

RESPONSE ACTIVITY					
Activity		Prior 24hrs			Total
Oily water mixture recovered via skimming (bbls)		0			826,988
Location	LA	MS	AL	FL	
Boom Deployed or Assigned	2,214,329	77,350	252,025	14,800	2,558,504
Boom Staged	468,631	89,300	391,250	345,150	1,294,331
Ordered	–	–	–	–	0

RESPONSE EQUIPMENT						
	LA	MS	AL	FL	Drill Site	Total
Vessel of Opportunity	1,005	157	181	81	0	1,424
Barges	289	82	126	43	0	540
Other Vessels	465	372	380	277	41	1,535
Skimmers(Off-Near shore, Shallow Water)	–	–	–	–	–	835
Fixed Wing Aircraft	–	–	–	–	–	24
Helicopters	–	–	–	–	–	48
Total:	1,759	611	687	401	41	4,406

SHORELINE/BEACH IMPACT RESPONSE (Miles)					
Impact Areas	LA	MS	AL	FL	Total
Moderate to Heavy	111.5	11.4	5	2.3	130.2
Light to Trace	248.1	106.6	67.9	120.9	543.5
Total Removal Ops: <i>Since June 23</i>	3,191.1	1,915.8	1,597.3	4,234	10,938.2

MISCELLANEOUS		
	Prior 24hrs	Total
Wildlife Impacts	54	7,269
Response Personnel	–	30,072

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Sources: BP and National Incident Command



Topline

Relief Well / Intercept – BP continues to work with Thad Allen, National Incident Commander, to determine the best course of action regarding the final intercept of the relief well. BP engineers and the federal science team continue to evaluate ongoing test results and best ways to mitigate risks associated with intercepting the annulus and increasing the pressure in the annulus.

BP Readies for Transfer to Gulf Coast Claims Facility - BP's claims team, which has paid \$368 million to individuals and businesses, is in the final stages of preparing to transfer responsibility for individual and business claims related to the oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico to the Gulf Coast Claims Facility (GCCF) and Ken Feinberg on August 23.

In order to clarify the next steps and to ensure an orderly and efficient transfer of files and data, BP announced the following:

- BP will accept new claims into its system through Wednesday, August 18. From August 19 - 22, individuals and businesses will be asked to file a claim when the GCCF is operational on August 23.
- BP's Immediate Action Claims Team will continue to operate through Sunday, August 22, for existing claimants only. This team can be contacted at (800) 573-8249 and will work with those who have real emergencies with regard to an existing claim.
- Government entity claims will continue to be handled by BP's claims team. Effective August 23, the contact information for government entity claims is: online, www.bp.com/governmentclaims; by email, governmentclaims@worleyco.com; by mail, Government Entity Claims and Funding Requests, 1905 W. Thomas Street; Suite D-358, Hammond, LA 70401; by phone, (877) 710-4064; and by fax, (800) 810-5650.
- BP will continue to take phone calls regarding fraud at (877) 359-6281.

BP has made more than \$102 million in claims payments during the first 16 days of August. Payments to claimants in past months were \$134 million in July, \$93 million in June, and \$39 million in May, making this one of the largest claim payment programs conducted in a three and a half month period.

The GCCF will be announcing new contact and claims information this week. BP also will ensure that anyone contacting its existing claims phone lines or web sites is referred to the GCCF. Effective August 23, GCCF will be the only authorized organization managing business and individual claims related to the Deepwater Horizon Incident.

Press release: <http://www.bp.com/genericarticle.do?categoryId=2012968&contentId=7064522>

BP Provides \$52 million to Fund Behavioral Health Support Across Gulf Coast - BP announced that it is providing \$52 million to federal and state health organizations to fund behavioral health support and outreach programs across the US Gulf Coast region.

The funding will help residents link up with support that is available through providers in their communities, through a variety of local outreach programs and a special toll free phone line where people can turn for information on available services.

Specifically, BP is providing funding to five agencies, one at the federal level and one in each of the affected states.

- SAMHSA (Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration) - \$10m
- Louisiana Department of Health and Hospitals - \$15m
- Mississippi Department of Mental Health -- \$12m
- Alabama Department of Mental Health – \$12m
- Florida Department of Children and Families – \$3m

Press release: <http://www.bp.com/genericarticle.do?categoryId=2012968&contentId=7064459>

State Summaries – Shoreline Operations

LOUISIANA

OFFSHORE: Currently only sheening found, not suspected to be MC 252 oil.

SHORELINE: Currently Oiled: Heavy to Moderate: 113.9 miles; Light to Trace: 252.7 miles; Total: 366.6 miles.

INSHORE: Currently only light oiling found.

WILDLIFE: 250 wildlife specialists utilized 3 flights and 71 boats to search for and recover impacted wildlife.

AIR OPERATIONS: 54 flights

BOOM: Deployed 500 ft of hard boom, recovered 12,600 ft of hard boom; a net recovery of 12,100 ft of hard boom in the last 24 hrs. Retrieved boom is stranded, damaged, or a hazard to navigation.

MISSISSIPPI

SHORELINE: No new oiling reported. Crews continued beach cleaning operations on Harrison County beaches and removed tarballs from beaches west of Bayou Caddy. Crews conducted night operations in Hancock County.

NEARSHORE: Vessels of Opportunity assisted in wildlife, NOAA, and NRDA. Submerged Oil Assessment teams build up finished.

BOOM: Total deployed this period is 0 ft. Recovered 19,450 ft in last 24 hrs. Net recovery in last 24hrs is 19,450 ft. Crews removed containment boom and sorbent boom from marshes in Hancock County.

ALABAMA

SHORELINE: No new oil impacts reported. Crews continued beach cleaning in Gulf Shores, Ft. Morgan, and Orange Beach. Nine beach cleaning machines continued operations in Baldwin County.

NEARSHORE: Vessels of Opportunity continued boom removal in Baldwin County.

BOOM: Total deployed for this period is 0 ft. 34,150 ft recovered in last 24 hrs. Net recovery in last 24hrs is 34,150 ft. Crews continued phased boom removal in Baldwin and Mobile County.

FLORIDA

SHORELINE: No new oiling reported in the state of Florida. Re - oiling in the form of tarballs continued in Escambia, Santa Rosa, Okaloosa and Walton Counties. Crews performed limited manual and mechanical operations due to weather. Night operations conducted in Escambia, Santa Rosa, and Okaloosa Counties where weather permits.

NEARSHORE: Vessels of Opportunity and Inland Water Strike Teams were secured due to weather.

BOOM: Total deployed this period is 0 ft. 21,600 ft recovered in last 24 hrs. Net recovery in last 24 hrs is 21,600 ft. Boom removal operations were minimal due to adverse weather.

TEXAS

SHORELINE: No Shoreline Assessment and Cleanup currently scheduled.

INSHORE: Total recovered to date 118 cubic yards of oily solids.

NEARSHORE: Nothing significant to report.

OFFSHORE: Nothing significant to report.

WILDLIFE: Total wildlife to date: 1 injured sea turtle, 1 diseased bird (live), 2 injured birds (live), 1 bird/3 turtles found deceased - no visible oil on any wildlife.

BOOM: None utilized at this time.

Information Resources	
Claims <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Claims can be filed online at: www.bp.com/claims.• For detailed information about filing claims, including office location, documentation requirements and translators, visit BP's web site at: http://www.bp.com/sectiongenericarticle.do?categoryId=9033791&contentId=7062345• All claims data is posted on BP's website at: http://www.bp.com//sectiongenericarticle.do?categoryId=9034294@contentID=7063267	(800) 440-0858
Environment / Community Hotline – to report oil on the beach or shoreline or other environment or community impacts and access the Rapid Response Team	(866) 448-5816
Wildlife – to report and access care for impacted, i.e. oiled wildlife	(866) 557-1401
Volunteers – to request volunteer information	(866) 448-5816

<p>Worker Health and Respirator Use</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BP personal exposure monitoring program summary includes an explanation of the program and the results of the tests. To view the report, visit the BP website: http://www.bp.com/liveassets/bp_internet/globalbp/globalbp_uk_english/incident_response/STAGING/local_assets/downloads_pdfs/health_monitoring_summary_report_july.pdf. • U.S. Department of Labor's guidance on protecting worker health at: http://www.osha.gov/oilspills/interim-guidance-qa.html. This guidance answers commonly asked questions about <i>heat stress</i>, <i>use of respirators</i>, and <i>chemical exposure</i>. <p>BP Environmental Monitoring Program – several sampling and monitoring programs have been implemented. The data is posted on BP's website at: http://www.bp.com/sectiongenericarticle.do?categoryId=9033821&contentId=7062498#</p>	
<p>Interactive Mapping Websites – Interactive Mapping Tool smeant to provide a one-stop shop for detailed near-real-time information about the response to the Deepwater Horizon BP oil spill.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The BP mapping tool is located at: http://www.gulfofmexicoresponsemap.com. • The U.S. Government mapping tool that is located at: www.GeoPlatform.gov/gulfresponse. 	
<p>BP Website: www.bp.com</p>	
<p>Twitter: Oil_Spill_2010</p>	
<p>Facebook: Deepwater Horizon Response</p>	
<p>Joint Incident Command website: www.restorethegulf.gov</p>	