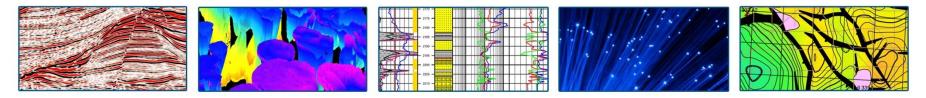


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This is TGS

- Leading provider of multi-client seismic data and related geoscientific products to the oil & gas industry
- Main offices: Houston and Oslo Regional offices: London, Perth, Calgary and Rio de Janeiro
- Fundamental values: Unmatched Quality and Service, Growth for Stakeholders
- Approximately 850 employees
- Traded on Oslo Stock Exchange, in OBX Index (25 most liquid shares at the OSE)
- Market Cap: ~\$3.5 billion

Leading and global provider of multi-client seismic data

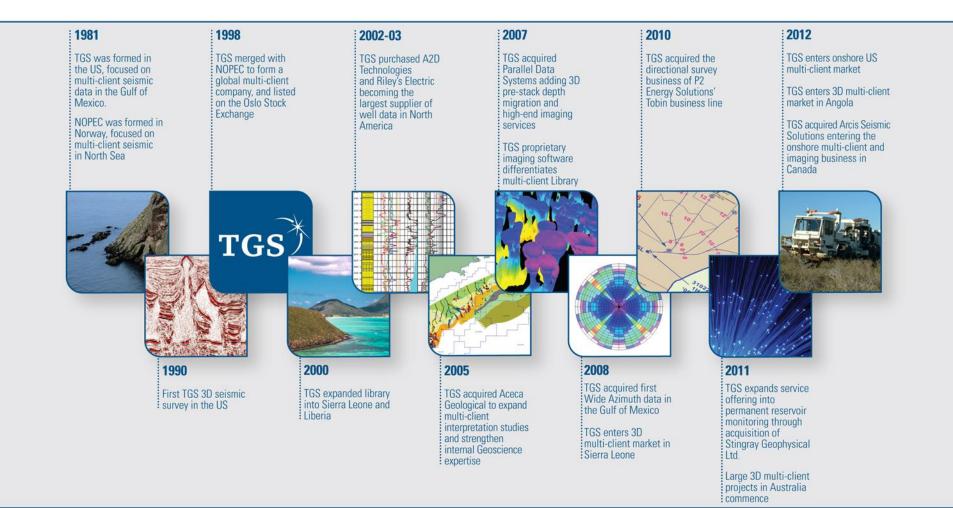


TGS Main Offices

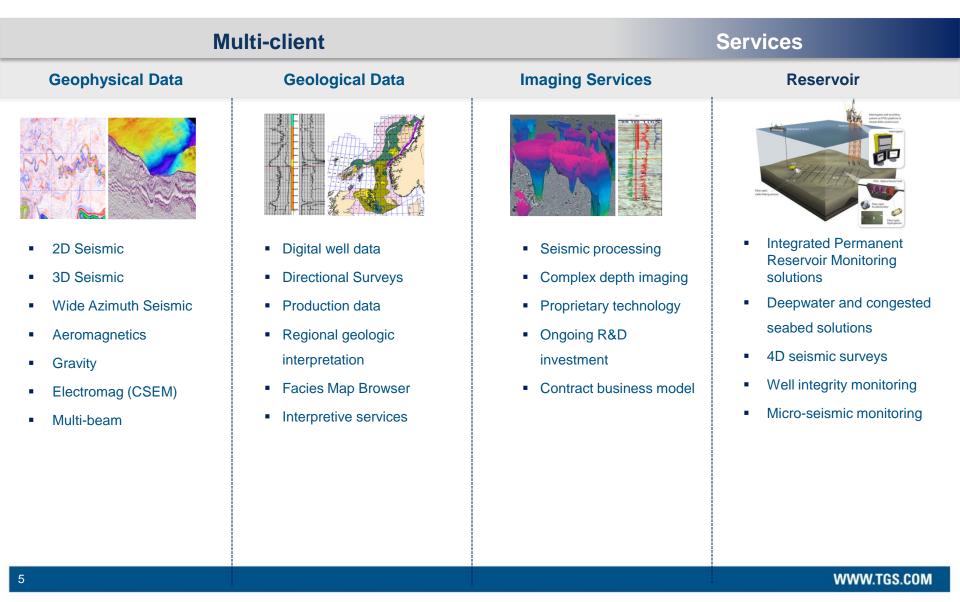


Company Milestones









Asset light business model

- Flexibility
- Investment decisions not driven by vessel utilization
- Vendor neutral philosophy allows access to capacity and technology as needed

Quality

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- Balance sheet
- People and culture
- Data processing
- Geoscience

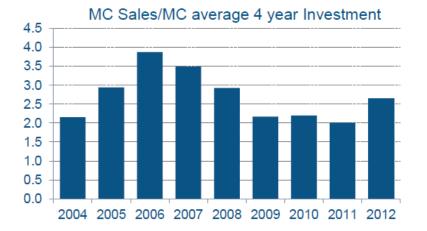
Global

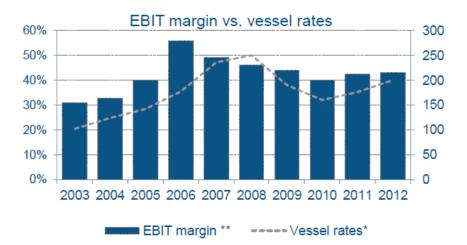
- Geographically diverse data library
- Leadership in mature basins
- Leadership in frontier basins











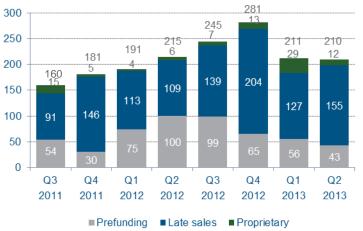
 TGS' multi-client projects return 2-2.5 times cost.

- Demand for data drives TGS performance
- TGS best at top of the cycles, but multiclient model also provides protection at the bottom of the cycle
- EBIT margin correlates strongly with oil price, E&P spending and vessel prices due to increased library sales

* Average vessel rates per year for an 8 streamer 3D boat. Source: ODS Petrodata. (Note that rates may differ from actual rates paid by TGS).

** TGS historical EBIT margins excluding one off items.





Net Revenues



Multi-client NBV and Investments (operational)

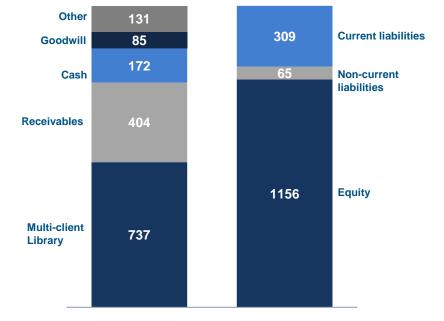


Cash Flow from Operations



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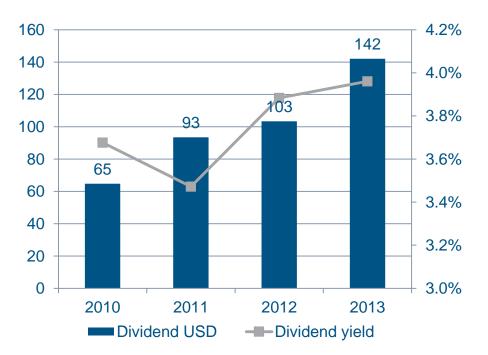


- Cash balance per Q2 2013 represents 172 MUSD
- Dividend of 142 MUSD paid in June 2013
- Strong balance sheet provides excellent opportunities to continue growth
 - M&A
 - Strong credit quality attracts prefunding
 - Flexibility

No interest bearing debt and strong cash balance



- Dividend yield of 3.5% to 4.0% during last 4 years
- TGS holds approximately 1.2 million treasury shares
 - ~1% of shares
 - AGM has authorized to buy back up to 10% of shares
- Buy backs may be considered to adjust capital structure



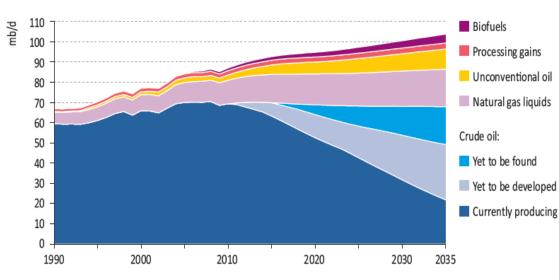
Dividend yield calculated based on share price at day of announcement



Outlook

Positive Market Drivers in Oil Services





World Liquid Fuel Supply

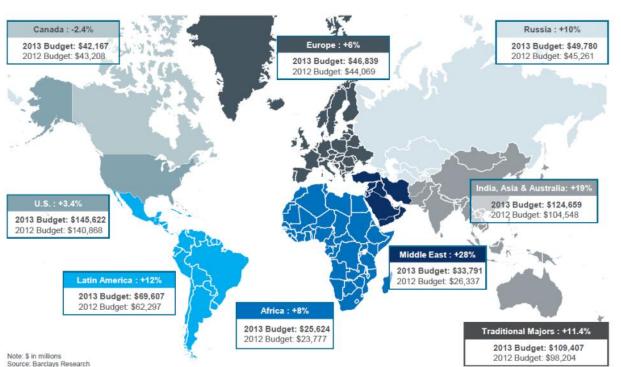
Source: IEA World Energy Outlook 2011

- Oil and gas reserves continue to decline
- More oil produced from existing reserves than we are discovering
- Political instability and closed markets reduces available acreage in known oil producing areas, putting more pressure on exploring new frontiers offshore and onshore

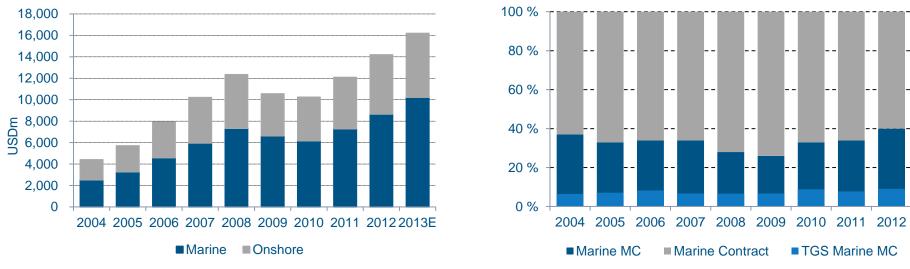
Increasing investments are required just to maintain reserve replacement



Barclays expect 2013 global E&P spending to reach 678 BUSD (revised June 2013)



- More than 300 oil and gas companies worldwide participated in the Barclays Capital survey about their spending intentions for 2013.
- According to the Barclays Capital survey (updated June 2013), global E&P spending in 2013 is expected to increase 9.9% to 678
 BUSD, versus 617 BUSD in 2012.
- Acceleration expected to be led by increased expenditures internationally (up 13%)
- Companies are on average basing 2013 capital spending budgets on an average oil price of \$86 WTI and \$101 Brent.



Seismic spending steadily increasing...

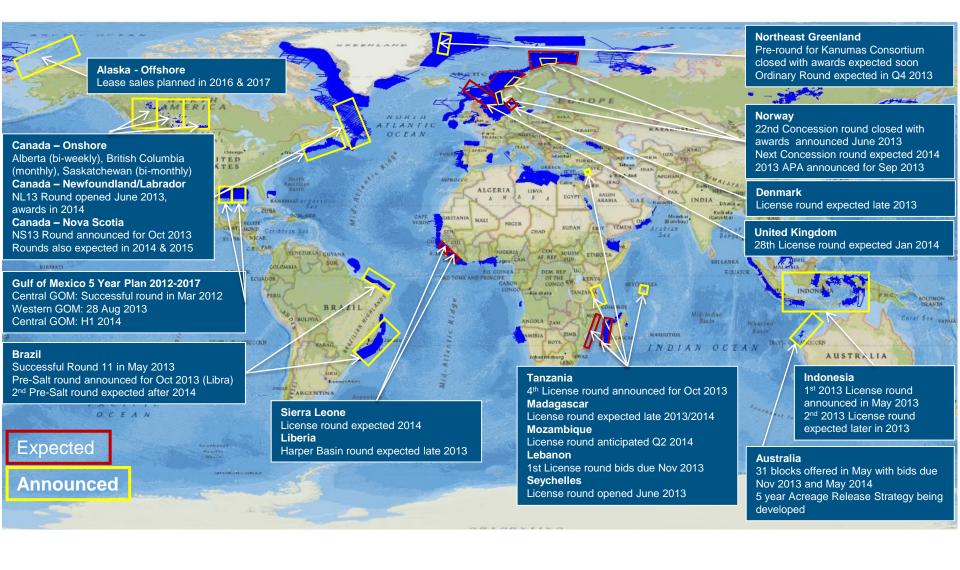
TGS available market growing:

- Strong growth in seismic spending both marine and onshore
- Total seismic revenues expected to reach \$16 billion in 2013 according to SEB research
- Multi-client driving growth represented 40% of total marine seismic revenues in 2012

Multi-client outgrowing contract

License Round Activity and TGS Positioning





Multi-client Seismic



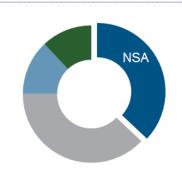
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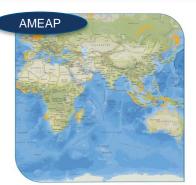
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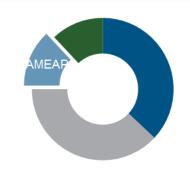
Share of Q2 2013 revenues









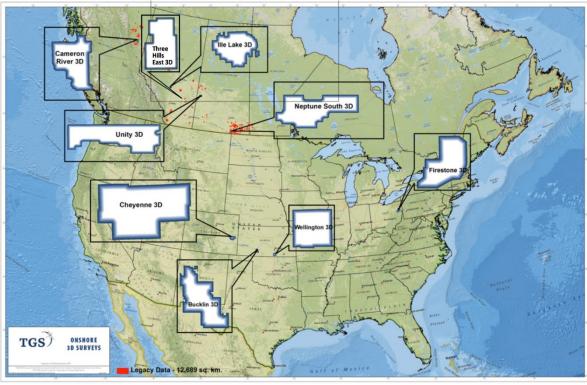


Key drivers for future investments and growth

- Application of modern seismic technology aids recent discoveries in mature North Sea market
- Application of complementary technology (such as controlled source electromagnetics) opens new investment opportunities
- New investments executed in preparation for 2014 license rounds
- Developing a dominant position in Barents Sea
- BOEM 5 year plan 2012-2017 provides visibility of GOM lease sales
- 2013 GOM Central Lease Sale had good alignment between areas of interest and TGS data
- Exploration success in new plays (Jurassic) positions TGS well with new investments
- 2013 Brazil license rounds fuel further industry interest
- Exciting opportunities in Latin America, Arctic and Eastern Canada
- Strong industry interest in the West African transform margin with proven potential
- Growing exploration interest in East Africa where BGP partnership positions TGS well for new projects
- South Atlantic pre-salt plays in Africa could hold potential similar to Brazil
- Increasing industry interest in Australia and legal framework facilitates new multi-client projects

Strong Position in Onshore Market





United States

Canada

- Firestone 3D expanded to 1050 km² of 3D data in liquid rich Utica play
- Bucklin 3D 678 km² of 3D data in Mississippi Lime oil play
- Wellington 3D 785 km² of 3D data in Mississippi Lime oil play
- Cheyenne 3D 1,689 km² of 3D data focused on liquids in Mississippian and Pennsylvanian intervals

- Neptune South 218 km² of 3D data in Bakken oil play
- Unity North 130 km² of 3D data in Birdbear play of Western Saskatchewan
- Cameron River 461 km² of 3D data in liquids rich Triassic Montney and Doig unconventional fairways
- Ille Lake 180 km² of 3D data in the deep basin of Central Alberta
- Three Hills East 3D Data 150 km² of 3D data in Nisku and emerging Duvernay plays of South Central Alberta
- Legacy 3D Data 12,689 km²

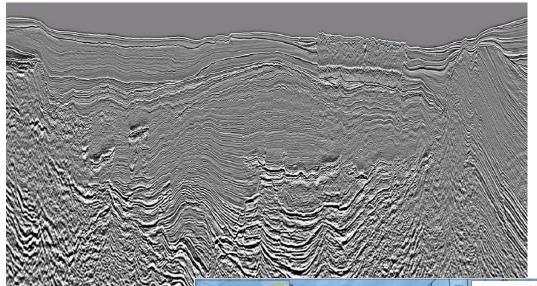
Enhancing Value through Clari-Fi[™] Reprocessing

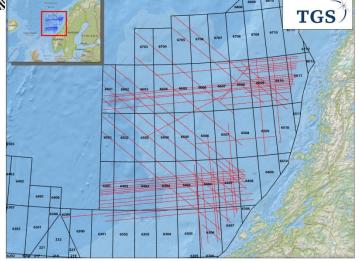
Clari-Fi[™]

- Processing methodology that increases bandwidth and improves imaging
- May be applied to conventionally acquired pre- or post-stack data
- Addresses ghost and earth filtering effects

Can be applied to both new projects and existing library data

 Norwegian Sea Example: Reprocessed over 15,000 km 2D data in the Norwegian Sea ahead of the September 2013 APA license round





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- Three year agreement with BGP to jointly acquire, process and market 2D and 3D multi-client seismic data offshore Madagascar and East Africa
- Leverage respective strengths to build a strong portfolio of new multi-client projects in highly prospective region

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- Cooperation agreement signed with EMGS to develop joint multi-client projects in defined areas in NW Europe
- TGS gains access to 2D/3D CSEM data to design and acquire new 3D seismic projects, while EMGS will be given access to TGS' 2D grid as the basis for planning new 3D CSEM projects



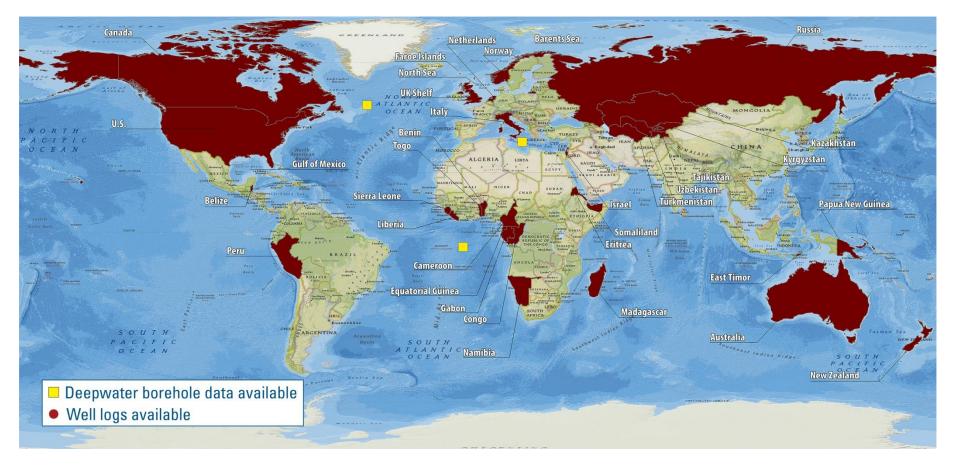
- LOI signed with Magseis covering exclusive multi-client partnership using new Ocean Bottom Seismic technology
- Joint projects being planned with promising customer feedback

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- Exclusive right to license and market the majority of Fugro's multi-client 2D library and receive commission fees on the sales of this data
- The agreement covers more than 1,000,000 km of seismic data in areas of great strategic interest for TGS

Well Log Coverage by Country





- TGS owns and manages a global well log database
- Strong synergies with multi-client seismic data business

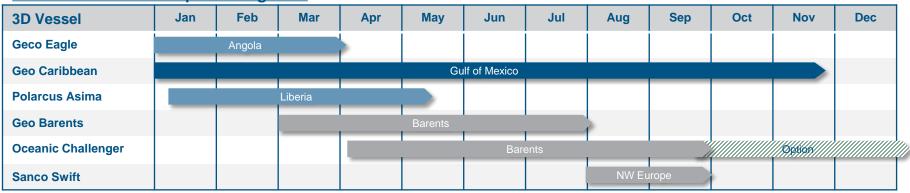
Acquisition Capacity Secured



NSA



3D Vessels committed per 31 Aug 2013



2D & CSEM Vessels committed per 31 Aug 2013

2D Vessel	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	Мау	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Akademik Shatskiy	Colombia						NW Europe & Greenland					
Geo Arctic				Sie	rra Leone		C	I Option Exercis	ed	Optio		
Sanco Spirit		Canada PGS JV										
BGP Challenger		Mad	agascar BGP	JV	>							
Atlantic Guardian					Baren	ts EMGS JV						

Land Crews committed per 31 Aug 2013

Crew	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	Мау	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Kansas Crew	Wellin	gton										
Ohio crew	Fireston	2										
Canada Crew 1	Cameron I	River								Three Hills		
Canada Crew 2	Ille Lake											
Colorado Crews 1 & 2										Cheyenne		

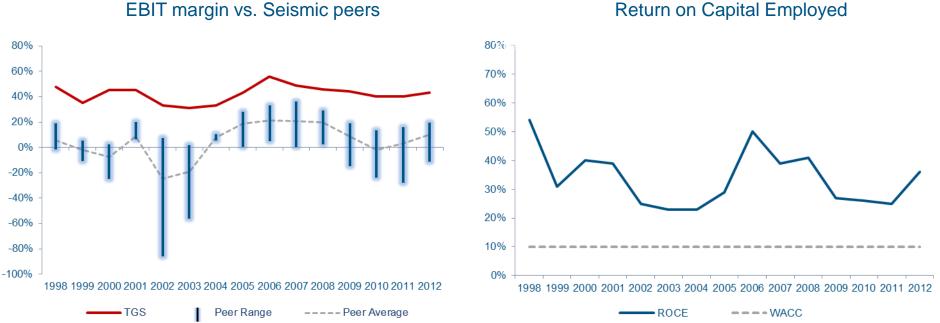
Summary



- Q2 revenues of 210 MUSD (with 47% EBIT margin)
- Q2 late sales of 155 MUSD (Second highest in Company's history)
- NOK 8 per share dividend paid in June 2013 (142 MUSD)
 - Dividend yield of 4%
- Quality of TGS data library demonstrated by strong customer demand
- Commercial agreements with BGP, EMGS and Magseis provide growth opportunities
- Full year 2013 guidance:
 - Multi-client investments 520 590 MUSD
 - Average pre-funding 40 50%
 - Average multi-client amortization rate 40 46%
 - Net revenues 920 1000 MUSD
 - Contract revenues approximately 5% of total revenues

TGS Performs in all Cycles





EBIT margin vs. Seismic peers

- Average EBIT margin above 40% Stable EBIT performance through the cycles
- ROCE significantly above WACC substantial value creation in any industry cycle

^{*}Peer group includes CGG, Fugro, Geokinetics, ION Geophysical, PGS, Western Geco, GGS Source Platou Markets and TGS



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