

SHALE STORY: eagle ford

Development of Texas' Eagle Ford shale formation is producing natural gas, oil, thousands of jobs and millions in tax revenue. The Eagle Ford is a prime example of the job-creating potential of the shale

revolution. New, domestic energy production in Texas, and in numerous other states from California to Pennsylvania, is providing a clear path forward for increased energy security and economic growth.

Eagle Ford Development by the Numbers

 The Eagle Ford Shale



In 2011, production in the Eagle Ford generated **\$25 billion** in revenue



Since 2010, natural gas production has **doubled** and oil production has increased **six fold**



Production in the Eagle Ford is projected to create **117,000 full time jobs** by 2021



In 2011, Production in the Eagle Ford generated:

47,000 full-time jobs directly related to oil and gas production

\$257 million in local government tax revenue

\$358 million in state tax revenue

\$3.1 billion in salaries and benefits to workers

Source: "Economic Impact of the Eagle Ford Shale," May, 2012.

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