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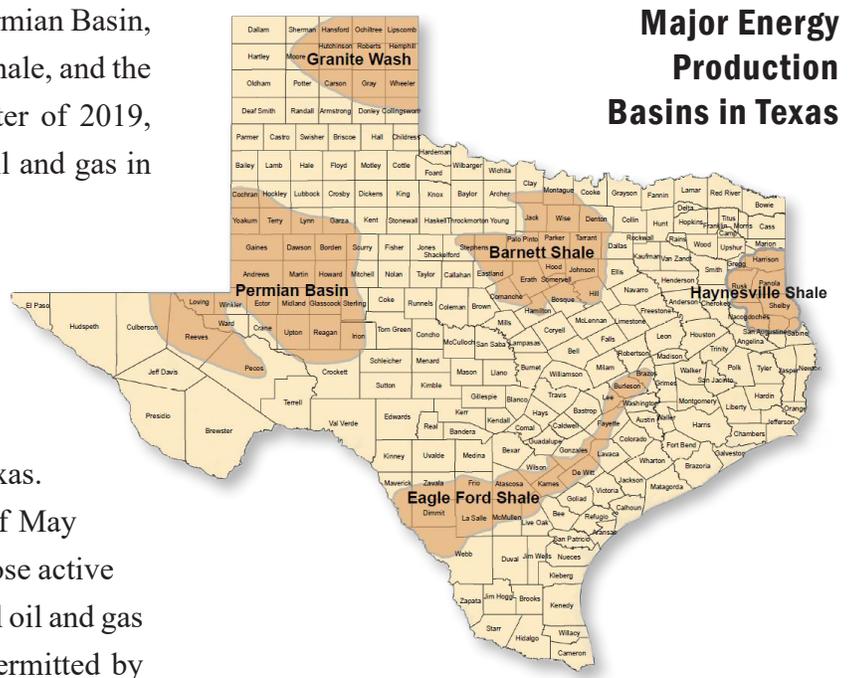
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Our mission is to serve Texas by our stewardship of natural resources and the environment, our concern for personal and community safety, and our support of enhanced development and economic vitality for the benefit of Texans.

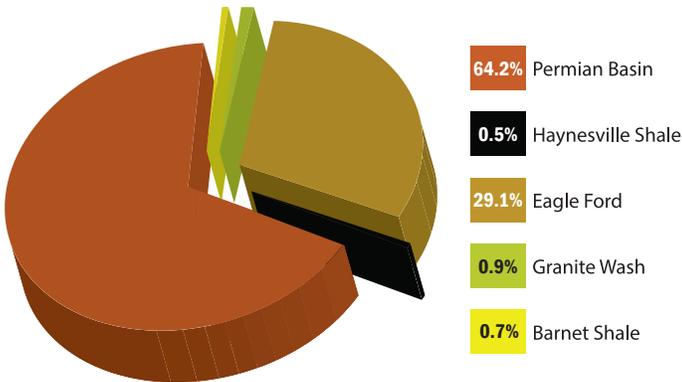
Texas Oil Production Update: May 2019

Texas hosts five major oil and gas fields: the Permian Basin, Eagle Ford Shale, Barnett Shale, Haynesville Shale, and the Granite Wash. In 2018, and in the first quarter of 2019, the Permian Basin generated the majority of oil and gas in Texas. The Eagle Ford serves as the second highest producing field in Texas.

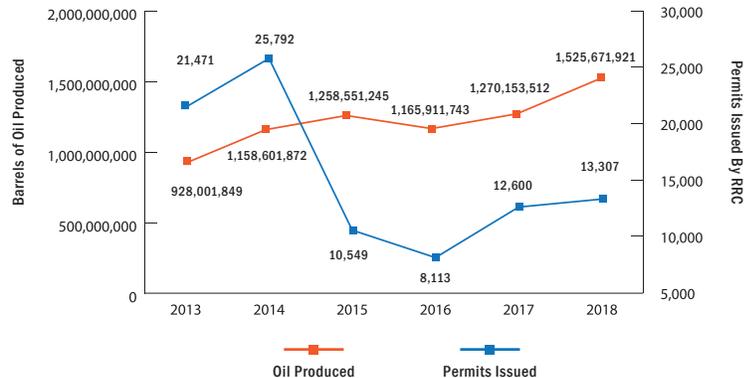
Texas is responsible for nearly half of the US's domestic oil production. As of April 30, 2019, there were 176,879 producing oil wells and 88,240 producing gas wells throughout Texas. According to the Baker Hughes rig count as of May 6th, 2019, there were 484 rigs statewide. Of those active rigs, 95 percent were located in the Permian. All oil and gas wells drilled and producing in this state are permitted by the Railroad Commission.



Texas: 2018 Oil Production by Basins



Texas Oil Production & RRC Drilling Permits Issued: 2013-2018



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