

# API Joint Industry Task Force

- During the summer of 2010, experts from the industry were convened to form the Joint Industry Oil Spill Preparedness & Response Task Force (JITF) to address issues following the Deepwater Horizon incident

American Petroleum Institute

Ampol

Anadarko

Apache Corp.

Aramco Services Co.

Baker Hughes

BP

C&C Technologies

Chevron

ConocoPhillips

Dynamic Offshore

Ecosystem Mgmt. & Assoc.

ExxonMobil

GE Oil & Gas

Hess Corporation

Independent Petroleum Association of America

LOOP PLC

Marathon Oil

Marine Preservation Assoc.

Natl. Ocean Industries Assoc.

Oceaneering

Oil Mop, LLC

Oil Spill Response, Ltd.

Petrobras America, Inc.

Polaris Applied Science

Research Planning

Seacor Holdings

Shell

Statoil

Tesoro

Tidewater

Wild Well Control

# API JITF Findings

- Preliminary evaluations suggested that improvements can be made in many areas of spill response, including:
  - Improved planning and coordination
  - Optimizing the use of each response tool
  - Research and development (R&D)
  - Training/awareness
- Update issued 4Q, 2011

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OIL SPILL PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE  
TASK FORCE



INDUSTRY RECOMMENDATIONS to IMPROVE OIL SPILL PREPAREDNESS and RESPONSE

# Oil Spill Response R&D Focus

- Currently a reinvigorated focus on oil spill response R&D
- Today's meeting provides an opportunity to assemble a wide array of researchers in one place – Academia, Government, Industry
- Goals are to-
  - Introduce one another
  - Establish ongoing relationships
  - Set the stage for future meetings focused on R&D plans and results