

# Exploration program and opportunities onshore and offshore Uruguay

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#### Uruguay: summary for new venture's

#### Offshore:

- Bidding Round process (I, II and III in 2014-2015), state-owned ANCAP call interested oil companies in carrying out exploration and exploitation activities in the Uruguayan continental shelf, under production sharing contracts.
- Plays. Paleozoic (pre-rift)/ Cretaceous (rift) source, stratigraphic Cretaceus/ Tertiary sands and structural rift traps, regional top seals.

#### Onshore:

- 'Open System' process, qualified oil companies can submit ANCAP an offer (area, working program, etc.): 1 year prospection or explorationexploitation contract. ANCAP analyze and award every quarter.
- Plays: Devonian/ Permian source shales, Permian and Cretaceus aeolian and fluvial sand reservoirs.



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#### The country:

- Excellent business environment, national and regional O&G markets,...
- Very nice place to work & live.
- The aim to spoil Brazilians fans in 2014 World Cup.



Uruguay - Ghana. World Cup 2010







## Uruguay Round II - Overview

 By 1st March 2012, 11 international Top Oil companies submitted their qualifications to bid:



















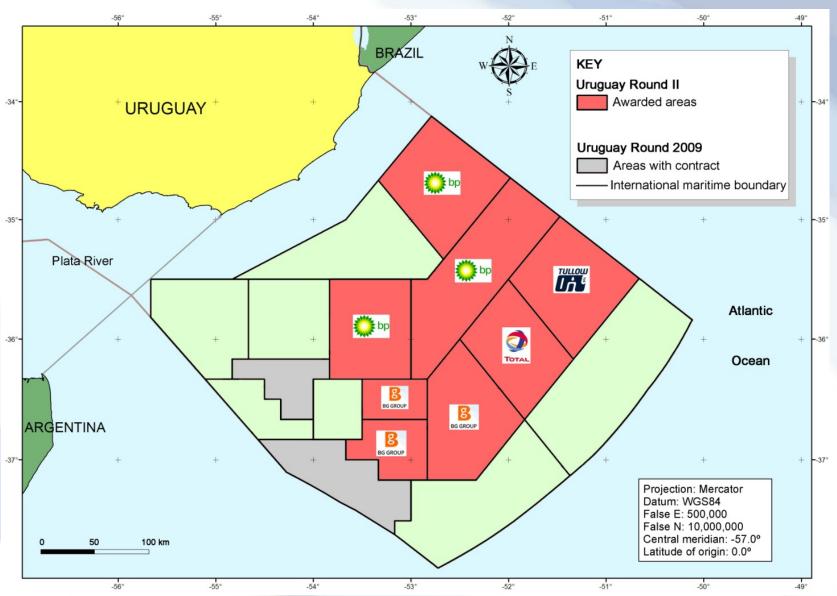




- By 29<sup>th</sup> March 2012, 19 offers were submitted for 8 areas (9) companies submited offers, competition in 5 areas)
- By 5<sup>th</sup> October 2012, 8 areas were awarded and the PSCs signed (after approval of the Executive branch).



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## Committed exploratory program 2012-15:

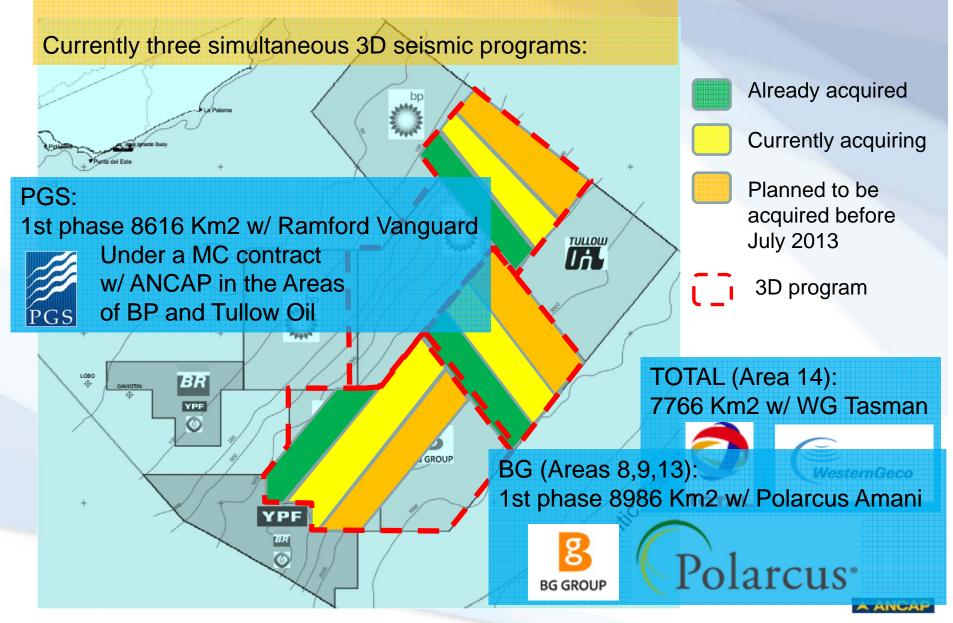
- 1 deepwater exploratory well
- 33.240 Km<sup>2</sup> of 3D seismic (1/3 of total offshore area)
- 3.000 Km of 2D seismic
- 13.080 Km<sup>2</sup> of 3D electromagnetism
- 130 seabed samples
- Additional geological studies



The total amount of the exploratory activity is equivalent to U\$S 1562 MM



## Maritime exploration operations (Feb-13)



#### Multiclient Contracts in force

Company	Data
PGS	15.700 km <sup>2</sup> of 3D seismic
Spectrum	15.000 km of 2D seismic
GX TECHNOLOGY	2.800 km of 2D seismic
- Fugro	Petroleum Geology of Uruguay (Report)
Innovations in Petroleum Risk Management	Fluid Inclusion Stratigraphy of Lobo and Gaviotin Wells (Report)

Excelent bussiness environment for multiclient contracts opportunities



## **Uruguay Round III**

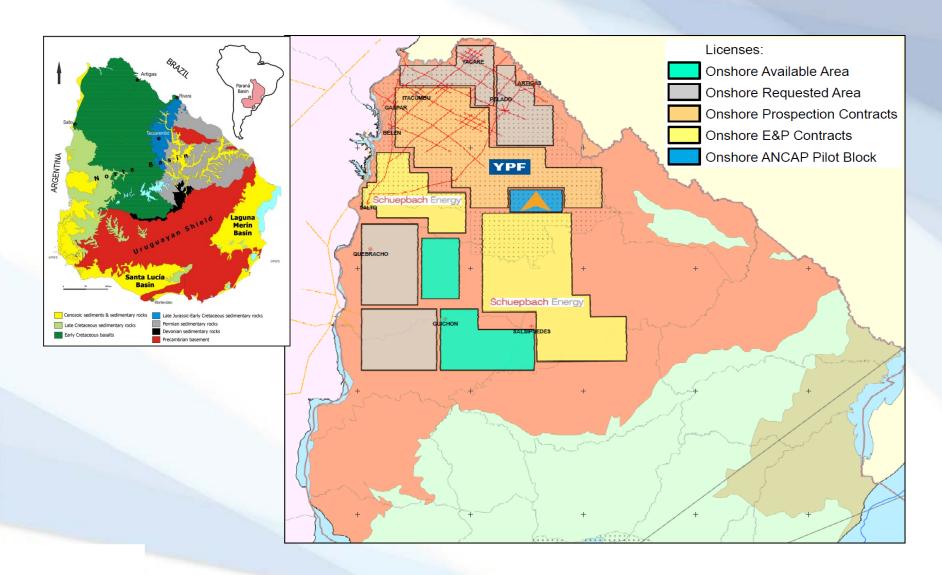
ANCAP plan to launch a new licensing Round in 2014-2015

#### Tentative Schedule for Uruguay Round III

Official Announcement	Second half of 2014
Submission of letter of Interest and documents for Bidders Qualification	
Oil Companies Qualification Announcement	2014 - 2015
Queries and requests for clarification	
Answer to Queries – Clarifications	
Submission of Proposals	
Opening of Proposals	
Final decision on best proposal for each Area	First half of 2015

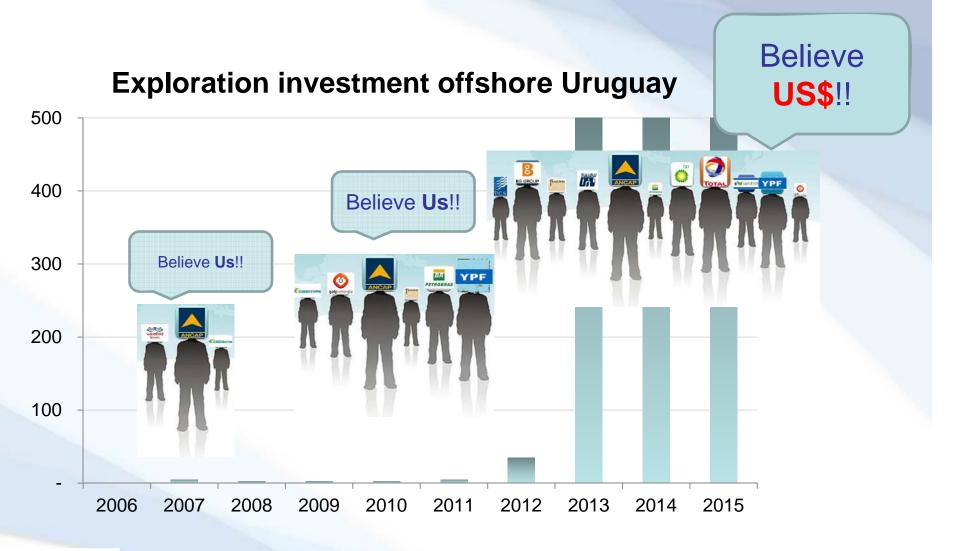


## Onshore exploration





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