UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported): February 12, 2007

COMSTOCK RESOURCES, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

STATE OF NEVADA (State or other jurisdiction incorporation) 000-16741

(Commission File Number)

94-1667468 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

5300 Town And Country Boulevard
Suite 500
Frisco, Texas 75034
(Address of principal executive offices)

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(Registrant's Telephone No.)

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Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition

The information in this Form 8-K and the Exhibit attached hereto shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

On February 12, 2007, Comstock Resources, Inc. ("Comstock") announced financial results for the three months and twelve months ended December 31, 2006. A copy of the press release announcing Comstock's earnings results for three months and twelve months ended December 31, 2006 is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

The earnings press release contains financial measures that are not in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States ("GAAP"). Comstock has provided reconciliations within the earnings release of the non-GAAP financial measures to the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures. Operating cash flow is presented in the earnings release because management believes it to be useful to investors as a common alternative measure of cash flows. EBITDAX is presented in the earnings release because management believes that EBITDAX, which represents Comstock's results from operations before interest, income taxes, and certain non-cash items, including depreciation, depletion and amortization and exploration expense, is a common alternative measure of operating performance used by certain investors and financial analysts. The non-GAAP financial measures described above should be considered in addition to, but not as a substitute for, measures of financial performance prepared in accordance with GAAP that are presented in the earnings release.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release dated February 12, 2007.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

COMSTOCK RESOURCES, INC.

Dated: February 12, 2007 By: /s/ M. JAY ALLISON

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NEWS RELEASE

For Immediate Release

COMSTOCK RESOURCES, INC. REPORTS FOURTH QUARTER AND ANNUAL 2006 FINANCIAL AND OPERATING RESULTS

FRISCO, TEXAS, February 12, 2007 - Comstock Resources, Inc. ("Comstock" or the "Company") (NYSE: CRK) today reported financial and operating results for the quarter and year ended December 31, 2006. The financial results include the operations of Bois d'Arc Energy, Inc. ("Bois d'Arc Energy" NYSE: BDE) effective January 1, 2006. Pro forma results for the three months and year ended December 31, 2005 assuming Bois d'Arc Energy was included as a consolidated subsidiary have been provided to facilitate comparison of the 2006 results to 2005 results in this press release.

Financial Results for the Three Months and Year Ended December 31, 2006

Comstock reported net income of \$8.4 million or 19¢ per diluted share for the three months ended December 31, 2006 as compared to net income of \$41.3 million or 96¢ per diluted share in the same quarter of 2005. Results for the fourth quarter of 2005 include an unrealized gain on derivatives of \$9.8 million. Without this item Comstock would have reported net income of \$35.5 million or 82¢ per diluted share for the fourth quarter of 2005. Lower natural gas prices caused oil and gas sales in the fourth quarter of 2006 to decrease by 11% to \$126.8 million as compared to pro forma consolidated sales of \$142.2 million in the same period last year. Comstock generated \$80.8 million in consolidated operating cash flow (before changes in working capital accounts) in 2006's fourth quarter, which represents an 18% decrease from 2005's fourth quarter pro forma consolidated cash flow of \$98.4 million. EBITDAX or earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation, depletion, amortization, exploration expense and other noncash expenses was \$92.7 million in 2006's fourth quarter as compared to 2005's pro forma consolidated third quarter EBITDAX of \$107.4 million.

For the year ended December 31, 2006, Comstock's oil and gas sales increased \$62.7 million or 14% to \$511.9 million from pro forma consolidated sales of \$449.2 million in 2005. Net income for the year ended December 31, 2006 was \$70.7 million, or \$1.61 per diluted share, as compared to net income of \$60.5 million or \$1.47 per diluted share in 2005. Net income for the year ended December 31, 2006 includes unrealized gains on derivative financial instruments of \$11.2 million and the impact of the new Texas business tax of \$1.3 million. Without these items, Comstock would have reported net income of \$64.6 million or \$1.48 per diluted share. Excluding the one time adjustments to reflect Bois d'Arc Energy's conversion to a corporation and its initial public offering and unrealized losses on derivatives, Comstock's net income for the year ended December 31, 2005 would have been \$91.0 million, or \$2.21 per diluted share. Operating cash flow (before changes in working capital accounts) generated by Comstock was \$348.5 million during 2006 as compared to pro forma consolidated cash flow of \$312.8 million for the same period in 2005. For the year ended December 31, 2006, EBITDAX was \$387.4 million as compared to pro forma consolidated EBITDAX of \$352.1 million for 2005.

Production in the fourth quarter of 2006 totaled 18.2 Bcf equivalent of natural gas ("Bcfe"), a 33% increase from 2005's pro forma consolidated production of 13.6 Bcfe. For the year ended December 31, 2006 production totaled 67.3 Bcfe, an increase of 22%, as compared to pro forma consolidated production in 2005 of 55.0 Bcfe.

The Company's realized natural gas price averaged \$6.47 per Mcf in 2006's fourth quarter which was significantly lower than the average price of \$10.75 per Mcf in 2005's fourth quarter. Realized oil prices in the fourth quarter of 2006 averaged \$54.51 per barrel as compared to \$54.36 per barrel for the fourth quarter of 2005. For the year ended December 31, 2006, Comstock's realized natural gas price averaged \$6.95 per Mcf as compared to \$8.06 per Mcf in 2005. Comstock's realized oil price in 2006 was \$60.93 per barrel as compared to \$51.50 per barrel in 2005.

2006 Drilling Results

Comstock made capital expenditures of \$288.7 million during 2006 for its onshore acquisition, exploration and development activities and spent an additional \$1.1 million on other exploration costs. Onshore, Comstock drilled 122 onshore wells (89.6 net) in 2006. 117 (85.7 net) of the wells drilled were development wells and five (4.0 net) were exploratory. 113 of the development wells were successful and three (2.0 net) of the exploratory wells were successful. Comstock's drilling success rate for its onshore drilling program was 95% in 2006.

Comstock drilled 88 wells (69.3 net) in its East Texas/North Louisiana region. All but two of these were successful. These wells have been tested at a per well average rate of 1.4 million cubic feet of gas equivalent ("Mmcfe") per day. In 2007, Comstock plans to drill 116 (88.6 net) development wells in this region and currently has seven drilling rigs working in this region. In its South Texas region, Comstock drilled ten (4.3 net) successful wells in 2006. These wells have been tested at a per well average rate of 5.6 Mmcfe per day. In 2007, Comstock plans to drill 21 (11.5 net) wells in this region. Comstock drilled 24 wells (16.0 net) in its other regions during 2006. Seven (1.1 net) of the wells drilled were coal bed methane wells in the San Juan Basin in New Mexico. All but one of these were successful. These wells have been tested at a per well average rate of 0.9 Mmcfe per day. Comstock drilled eleven (10.5 net) wells in Mississippi. Nine of the eleven were successful and two were dry holes. These wells have been tested at a per well average rate of 153 barrels of oil per day. The remaining six (4.4 net) successful wells were drilled in Arkansas and Oklahoma. All but one of these were successful. In 2007, Comstock plans to drill 18 (16.4 net) wells in Mississippi and 15 (2.4 net) wells in certain of its other fields.

Comstock's offshore operations are conducted exclusively through its ownership of Bois d'Arc Energy. Bois d'Arc Energy made capital expenditures of \$244.6 million during 2006 for its acquisition, exploration and development activities and spent an additional \$4.6 million on geological and geophysical costs primarily for 3-D seismic data acquisition. Bois d'Arc successfully replaced 166% of 2006's production primarily through its 2006 drilling program. In 2006, Bois d'Arc Energy drilled ten (8.7 net) successful wells out of a total of 13 (11.2 net) wells drilled with three (2.5 net) dry holes. The largest discoveries made in 2006 included a well drilled at South Pelto 22, which proved up the "Sockeye" prospect and a discovery at Ship Shoal block 111, which proved up the "Steelhead" prospect.

This press release may contain "forward-looking statements" as that term is defined in the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Such statements are based on management's current expectations and are subject to a number of factors and uncertainties which could cause actual results to differ materially from those described herein. Although the Company believes the expectations in such statements to be reasonable, there can be no assurance that such expectations will prove to be correct.

Comstock Resources, Inc. is a growing independent energy company based in Frisco, Texas and is engaged in oil and gas acquisitions, exploration and development primarily in Texas, Louisiana and the Gulf of Mexico through its ownership in Bois d'Arc Energy, Inc. (NYSE: BDE). The Company's stock is traded on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol CRK.

COMSTOCK RESOURCES, INC. CONSOLIDATED OPERATING RESULTS

(In thousands, except per share amounts)

	Three Months Ended December 31,							Twelve Months Ended December 31,						
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	 2006 As Reported Pro Forma ⁽¹⁾					2006	A	s Reported	P	ro Forma ⁽¹⁾				
Oil and gas sales	\$ 126,775	\$	93,366	\$	142,207	\$	511,928	\$	303,336	\$	449,242			
Operating expenses:														
Oil and gas operating	29,083		14,097		26,862		107,303		50,966		81,356			
Exploration	3,470		16		6,294		20,132		19,725		33,693			
Depreciation, depletion and amortization	49,465		15,970		24,923		153,922		63,338		95,977			
Impairment	275		_		590		10,444		3,400		3,990			
General and administrative, net	 9,031		5,518		8,580		31,769		16,533		24,017			
Total operating expenses	91,324		35,601		67,249		323,570		153,962		239,033			
Income from operations	35,451		57,765		74,958		188,358		149,374		210,209			
Other income (expenses):														
Interest income	288		155		203		1,012		1,604		610			
Other income	165		36		86		781		209		209			
Interest expense	(9,107)		(4,773)		(5,461)		(27,429)		(20,272)		(21,365)			
Loss on disposal of assets	_		_		_		_				(89)			
Gain on sale of stock by Bois d'Arc Energy			7.400		7.400		10.716		28,797		28,797			
Gain (loss) on derivatives	 108		7,489		7,489		10,716		(13,556)		(13,556)			
Total other income (expenses)	 (8,546)		2,907		2,317		(14,920)		(3,218)		(5,394)			
Income before income taxes, minority interest and equity in earnings of Bois d'Arc Energy	26,905		60,672		77,275		173,438		146,156		204,815			
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Provision for income taxes	(12,492)		(24,346)		(30,511)		(74,339)		(35,815)		(161,623)			
Equity in (earnings) loss of Bois 'Arc Energy	_		5,005		_		_		(49,862)		_			
Minority interest in earnings (loss) of														
Bois d'Arc Energy	 (6,001)		<u> </u>		(5,433)		(28,434)		<u> </u>		17,287			
Net income	\$ 8,412	\$	41,331	\$	41,331	\$	70,665	\$	60,479	\$	60,479			
Net income per share:														
Basic	\$ 0.20	\$	0.99	\$	0.99	\$	1.67	\$	1.54	\$	1.54			
	\$	\$		\$		\$		\$		\$				
Diluted	\$ 0.19	\$	0.96	\$	0.96	\$	1.61	3	1.47	3	1.47			
Weighted average common and common stock														
equivalent shares outstanding:														
Basic	 42,493		41,652		41,652		42,220		39,216		39,216			
Diluted	 43,707		43,114		43,114		43,556		41,154		41,154			

⁽¹⁾ Pro forma amounts include Bois d'Arc Energy as a consolidated subsidiary.

COMSTOCK RESOURCES, INC. CONSOLIDATED OPERATING RESULTS

(In thousands)

Twelve Months Ended December 31,

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			2005				-			2	005	
		2006		As Reported		Pro Forma ⁽¹⁾		2006	As	Reported	Pı	ro Forma ⁽¹⁾
Cash flow from operations:	_		_		_		_		_		_	
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$	90,305	\$	62,700	\$	93,747	\$	364,605	\$	217,954	\$	322,744
Excess tax benefit from stock based		F 20C						6.210				
compensation Increase in accounts receivable		5,296		0.200		22.012		6,218		12.020		22.216
		13,691		8,289		23,813		2,917		13,030		32,216
Increase (decrease) in other current assets Increase in accounts payable and		(3,665)		1,043		(2,303)		(3,526)		(616)		2,119
accrued expenses		(24,819)		(2,994)		(16,882)		(21,666)		(14,079)		(44,315)
Cash flow from operations	\$	80,808	\$	69,038	\$	98,375	\$	348,548	\$	216,289	\$	312,764
EBITDAX:												
Net income	\$	8,412	\$	41,331	\$	41,331	\$	70,665	\$	60,479	\$	60,479
Interest expense		9,107		4,773		5,461		27,429		20,272		21,365
Income tax expense		12,492		24,346		30,511		74,339		35,815		161,623
Depreciation, depletion and amortization		49,465		15,970		24,923		153,922		63,338		95,977
Exploration expense		3,470		16		6,294		20,132		19,725		33,693
Other non-cash items:												
Impairment		275		_		590		10,444		3,400		3,990
Loss on disposal of assets		_		_		_		_		_		89
Minority interest in earnings												
(loss) of Bois d'Arc Energy		6,001		_		5,433		28,434		_		(17,287)
Equity in (earnings) loss of												
Bois d'Arc Energy		_		(5,005)		_		_		49,862		_
Gain on sale of stock by Bois d'Arc												
Energy		_		_		_		_		(28,797)		(28,797)
Stock-based compensation		3,415		1,224		2,693		13,249		5,419		9,885
Unrealized (gain) loss on												
derivatives		69		(9,818)		(9,818)		(11,242)		11,087		11,087
EBITDAX	\$	92,706	\$	72,837	\$	107,418	\$	387,372	\$	240,600	\$	352,104

	As of December 31,											
			20	05								
	2006	A	s Reported	P	ro Forma ⁽¹⁾							
Balance Sheet Data:	 			<u></u>								
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 10,715	\$	89	\$	12,132							
Other current assets	88,113		52,681		90,686							
Property and equipment, net	1,773,626		706,928		1,368,859							
Investment in Bois d'Arc Energy	_		252,134		_							
Other	5,671		4,831		5,630							
Total assets	\$ 1,878,125	\$	1,016,663	\$	1,477,307							
Current liabilities	\$ 151,861	\$	68,117	\$	134,399							
Long-term debt	455,000		243,000		312,000							
Deferred income taxes	311,236		119,481		242,737							
Asset retirement obligation	57,116		3,206		38,240							
Minority interest in Bois d'Arc Energy	220,349		_		167,072							
Stockholders' equity	682,563		582,859		582,859							
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$ 1,878,125	\$	1,016,663	\$	1,477,307							

(1) Pro forma amounts include Bois d'Arc Energy as a consolidated subsidiary.

COMSTOCK RESOURCES, INC. OPERATING RESULTS

(\$ In thousands, except per unit amounts)

For the Three Months Ended December 31, 2006

Pro Forma Consolidated For the Three Months ended December 31, 2005

	Oı	ıshore ⁽¹⁾	Bois d	l'Arc Energy	Total	O	nshore ⁽¹⁾	Bois o	l'Arc Energy	F	Pro Forma Total ⁽²⁾
Oil production (thousand barrels)		225		350	 575		234		199	-	433
Gas production (million cubic											
feet - Mmcf		7,944		6,795	14,739		7,868		3,178		11,046
Total production (Mmcfe)		9,296		8,894	18,190		9,270		4,368		13,638
Oil sales	\$	11,147	\$	20,206	\$ 31,353	\$	11,725	\$	11,770	\$	23,495
Gas sales		49,354		46,068	95,422		81,641		37,071		118,712
Total oil and gas sales	\$	60,501	\$	66,274	\$ 126,775	\$	93,366	\$	48,841	\$	142,207
Average oil price (per barrel) Average gas price (per thousand	\$	49.46	\$	57.77	\$ 54.51	\$	50.17	\$	59.29	\$	54.36
cubic feet - Mcf)	\$	6.21	\$	6.78	\$ 6.47	\$	10.38	\$	11.67	\$	10.75
Average price (per Mcf equivalent)	\$	6.51	\$	7.45	\$ 6.97	\$	10.07	\$	11.18	\$	10.43
Lifting cost	\$	13,482	\$	15,601	\$ 29,083	\$	14,097	\$	12,765	\$	26,862
Lifting cost (per Mcf equivalent)	\$	1.45	\$	1.75	\$ 1.60	\$	1.52	\$	2.92	\$	1.97
Oil and Gas Capital Expenditures	\$	75,790	\$	52,812	\$ 128,602	\$	26,864	\$	63,839	\$	90,703

For the Year Ended December 31, 2006

Pro Forma Consolidated For the Year ended December 30, 2005

		Onshore ⁽¹⁾	Bois	d'Arc Energy		Total	C	Onshore ⁽¹⁾	Bois	d'Arc Energy		Pro Forma Total ⁽²⁾
Oil production (thousand barrels)		921		1,383		2,304		735		1,155		1,890
Gas production (million cubic												
feet - Mmcf)		30,271		23,183		53,454		28,742		14,896		43,638
Total production (Mmcfe)		35,797		31,481		67,278		33,151		21,825		54,976
Oil sales	\$	50,955	\$	89,421	\$	140,376	\$	36,259	\$	61,064	\$	97,323
Gas sales		206,263		165,289		371,552		228,547		123,372		351,919
Total oil and gas sales	\$	257,218	\$	254,710	\$	511,928	\$	264,806	\$	184,436	\$	449,242
Average oil price (per barrel)	\$	55.32	\$	64.66	\$	60.93	\$	49.34	\$	52.88	\$	51.50
Average gas price (per thousand cubic feet - Mcf)	¢	6.81	\$	7.13	¢	6.95	\$	7.95	\$	8.28	\$	8.06
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Average price (per Mcf equivalent)	\$	7.19	\$	8.09	\$	7.61	\$	7.99	\$	8.45	\$	8.17
Lifting cost	\$	53,903	\$	53,400	\$	107,303	\$	44,267	\$	37,089	\$	81,356
Lifting cost (per Mcf equivalent)	\$	1.51	\$	1.70	\$	1.59	\$	1.34	\$	1.70	\$	1.48
Oil and Gas Capital Expenditures	\$	288,729	\$	244,610	\$	533,339	\$	323,953	\$	187,562	\$	511.515

 $[\]overline{\text{(1) Includes the onshore results}} \text{ of operations of Comstock Resources, Inc.} \\$

⁽²⁾ Pro forma amounts include Bois d'Arc Energy as a consolidated subsidiary.

COMSTOCK RESOURCES, INC. REGIONAL ONSHORE OPERATING RESULTS

(\$ In thousands, except per unit amounts)

For the Three Months ended December 31, 2006 For the Three Months Ended December 31, 2005 East Texas East Texas South Total South Total North North Louisiana Texas Other Onshore Louisiana Texas Other Onshore 45 225 34 234 Oil production (thousand barrels) 28 152 61 139 Gas production (million cubic feet - Mmcf) 4,775 2,345 824 7,944 4,276 2,008 1,584 7,868 2,613 9,296 Total production (Mmcfe) 4,941 1,742 4,478 2,371 2,421 9,270 Oil sales \$ 1,658 \$ 2,547 \$ 6,942 \$ 11,147 \$ 2,060 \$ 3,562 \$ 6,103 11,725 29,304 15,179 4,871 49,354 45,013 21,755 14,873 81,641 Gas sales 93,366 30,962 \$ 17,726 20,976 \$ \$ 60,501 47.073 25.317 Total oil and gas sales 11.813 Average oil price (per barrel) \$ 59.21 \$ 56.60 \$ 45.67 \$ 49.46 \$ 60.59 \$ 58.39 \$ 43.91 \$ 50.17 Average gas price (per thousand cubic feet - Mcf) \$ 6.14 \$ 6.47 \$ 5.91 \$ 6.21 \$ 10.53 \$ 10.83 \$ 9.39 \$ 10.38 Average price (per Mcf \$ equivalent) 6.27 \$ 6.78 \$ 6.78 \$ 6.51 \$ 10.51 \$ 10.68 \$ 8.66 \$ 10.07 Lifting cost⁽¹⁾ \$ \$ 3,019 \$ 14,097 \$ 5,878 \$ 3,842 \$ 3,762 \$ 13,482 6,123 \$ 4,955 Lifting cost (per Mcf equivalent) \$ 1.19 \$ 1.47 \$ 2.16 \$ 1.45 \$ 1.37 \$ 2.09 \$ 1.25 \$ 1.52 Oil and Gas Capital Expenditures: Acquisitions \$ \$ \$ \$ 58 \$ \$ 58 \$ Leasehold costs 127 (1,266)1,132 (7) 803 463 423 1,689 7,701 Exploratory drilling 5 964 1.737 20 1 21 3,289 21,196 Development drilling 53,511 2.634 8,070 64,215 19,460 (1,553)Other development 1,987 1,378 516 3,881 1,721 424 1,755 3,900 55,625 8,710 11,455 75,790 22,042 4,196 626 26,864 Total

⁽¹⁾ Includes production taxes of \$2,551 and \$3,893 for the three months ended December 31, 2006 and 2005, respectively.

	For the Year ended December 31, 2006									For the Year Ended December 31, 2005								
		East Texas/ North Louisiana		South Texas		Other		Total Onshore		East Texas/ North Louisiana		South Texas		Other		Total Onshore		
Oil production (thousand barrels) Gas production (million cubic		117		209		595		921		97		239		399		735		
feet - Mmcf)		17,850		9,073		3,348		30,271		14,130		10,155		4,457		28,742		
Total production (Mmcfe)		18,550		10,328		6,919		35,797		14,710		11,586		6,855		33,151		
Oil sales	\$	7,295	\$	13,332	\$	30,328	\$	50,955	\$	5,243	\$	12,957	\$	18,059	\$	36,259		
Gas sales		119,106		65,594		21,563		206,263		114,186		79,720		34,641		228,547		
Total oil and gas sales	\$	126,401	\$	78,926	\$	51,891	\$	257,218	\$	119,429	\$	92,677	\$	52,700	\$	264,806		
Average oil price (per barrel) Average gas price (per thousand	\$	62.35	\$	63.79	\$	50.97	\$	55.32	\$	54.05	\$	54.21	\$	45.26	\$	49.34		
cubic feet - Mcf) Average price (per Mcf	\$	6.67	\$	7.23	\$	6.44	\$	6.81	\$	8.08	\$	7.85	\$	7.77	\$	7.95		
equivalent)	\$	6.81	\$	7.64	\$	7.50	\$	7.19	\$	8.12	\$	8.00	\$	7.69	\$	7.99		
Lifting cost ⁽²⁾	\$	23,107	\$	14,612	\$	16,184	\$	53,903	\$	17,823	\$	14,847	\$	11,597	\$	44,267		
Lifting cost (per Mcf equivalent)	\$	1.25	\$	1.41	\$	2.34	\$	1.51	\$	1.21	\$	1.28	\$	1.69	\$	1.34		
Oil and Gas Capital Expenditures:																		
Acquisitions	\$	912	\$	60,707	\$	_	\$	61,619	\$	128,455	\$	_	\$	73,334	\$	201,789		
Leasehold costs		620		6,358		2,955		9,933		1,415		2,123		1,530		5,068		
Exploratory drilling		_		6,039		1,737		7,776		_		14,933		277		15,210		
Development drilling		145,036		14,537		28,558		188,131		71,516		10,103		5,681		87,300		
Other development		13,307		2,374		5,589		21,270		8,632	_	1,567	_	4,387		14,586		
Total	\$	159,875	\$	90,015	\$	38,839	\$	288,729	\$	210,018	\$	28,726	\$	85,209	\$	323,953		

 $^{(2) \} Includes \ production \ taxes \ of \$11,341 \ and \$11,344 \ for \ the \ years \ ended \ December \ 31,2006 \ and \ 2005, \ respectively.$