
**CANADIAN NATURAL RESOURCES LIMITED ANNOUNCES
LADYFERN SALES PIPELINE IS ONSTREAM
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Canadian Natural Resources Limited (“Canadian Natural”) announces that the construction and commissioning of the Ladyfern Sales natural gas pipeline from the Ladyfern field to the TransCanada PipeLines Limited Owl Lake South meter station in Alberta has been completed. The 20”, 7.5 mile Ladyfern Sales line has a capacity of 600 million cubic feet per day, and came onstream March 8, 2002.

The pipeline is operated by Canadian Natural with the following ownership:

Canadian Natural	39.4486%
Murphy Oil Company Ltd.	14.4578%
Kaiser Energy Ltd.	11.6883%
Devon Canada Corporation	9.3233%
Talisman Energy Inc.	8.3333%
Alberta Energy Company Ltd.	7.2289%
Apache Canada Ltd.	6.7420%
Grey Wolf Exploration Inc.	2.7778%

As a result of the commissioning of the Ladyfern Sales Pipeline, Canadian Natural’s natural gas production from the Ladyfern pool has increased from approximately 175 million cubic feet per day to approximately 215 million cubic feet per day.

Canadian Natural is a senior exploration and production company, with operations focused in Western Canada, the North Sea and offshore West Africa.

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