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Rating: Buy S&P 500: 1409

EOG Resources Inc. Stock Outperforms

| Symbol | EOG | | <i>Ebitda Next Twelve Months ending 3/31/09 (US\$mm)</i> | | | |
|---|--------|--|--|-------|--|--|
| Rating | Buy | | North American Natural Gas/Ebitda (%) | 68 | | |
| Price (\$/sh) | 126.85 | | Natural Gas and Oil Production/Ebitda (%) | 100 | | |
| Pricing Date | 5/1/08 | | Adjusted Reserves/Production NTM | 10.0 | | |
| Shares (mm) | 250 | | EV/Ebitda | 6.3 | | |
| Market Capitalization (\$mm) | 31,700 | | PV/Ebitda | 5.7 | | |
| Debt (\$mm) | 1,900 | | Undeveloped Reserves (%) | 23 | | |
| Enterprise Value (EV) (\$mm) | 33,600 | | Natural Gas and Oil Ebitda (\$/mcfe) | 7.80 | | |
| Present Value (PV) (\$mm) | 30,700 | | Present Value Proven Reserves(\$/boe) | 23.80 | | |
| Net Present Value (\$/share) | 115 | | Present Value Proven Reserves(\$/mcfe) | 4.00 | | |
| Debt/Present Value | 0.06 | | Earnings Next Twelve Months (US\$/sh) | 9.83 | | |
| McDep Ratio - EV/PV | 1.10 | | Price/Earnings Next Twelve Months | 13 | | |
| Dividend Yield (%/year) | 0.4 | | Indicated Annual Dividend (US\$/sh) | 0.48 | | |
| Note: Estimated cash flow and earnings tied to one-year futures prices for oil and natural gas. | | | | | | |
| Reported results may vary widely from estimates. Estimated present value per share revised only infrequently | | | | | | |
| Estimated present value presumes a long-term price for oil of US\$80 a barrel and natural gas, \$11 a million but | | | | | | |
| For historical research on EOG since 2006 see http://www.mcdep.com/3eog.htm | | | | | | |

Summary and Recommendation

Gaining 42% in price in 2008 the stock of buy-recommended **EOG Resources (EOG)** has surged past estimated net present value (NPV) of \$115 a share. That prompted us to scale back to a one-and-a-half unlevered weight from a double weight in the illustrative McDep Energy Portfolio. First quarter results released after the market close on May 1 scored higher volume, cash flow and earnings than in our estimates of three months ago. Hedging losses left out of ongoing cash flow and earnings diminish the results somewhat. Projected volumes along with current futures prices promise a continuing high level of unlevered cash flow (Ebitda) (see table <u>Next Twelve Months Operating and Financial Estimates</u>). NPV is supported by projected cash flow capitalized at unlevered multiples (PV/Ebitda) related to reserve life (Adjusted R/P) (see table <u>Functional Cash Flow and Present Value</u>). Finally, oil price continues in an uptrend and there is catch up potential for natural gas (see chart <u>Six-Year Commodity Price Meter</u>).

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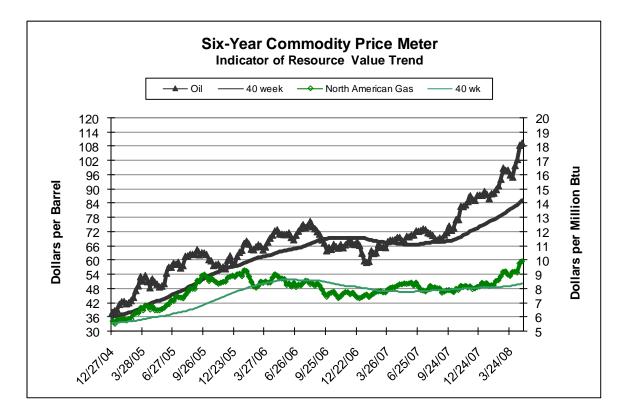
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| | EOG Resources Inc. | | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------|----------|-------|---------|---------|---------|----------|--------|---------|--|--|
| Operating and Financial Results | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | Next | | |
| | | | | | | | | | Twelve | | |
| | Q1 | Q4 | Year | Q1 | Q2E | Q3E | Q4E | Year | Months | | |
| | 3/31/07 | 12/31/07 | 2007 | 3/31/08 | 6/30/08 | 9/30/08 | 12/31/08 | 2008E | 3/31/09 | | |
| Volume | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Natural Gas (mmcfd) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| U.S. | 915 | 1,010 | 971 | 1,085 | 1,085 | 1,085 | 1,085 | 1,088 | 1,085 | | |
| Canada | 222 | 225 | 224 | 216 | 216 | 216 | 216 | 217 | 216 | | |
| Overseas | 283 | 261 | 275 | 248 | 248 | 248 | 248 | 249 | 248 | | |
| Total | 1,420 | 1,496 | 1,470 | 1,549 | 1,549 | 1,549 | 1,549 | 1,553 | 1,549 | | |
| Days | 90 | 92 | 365 | 91 | 91 | 92 | 92 | 366 | 365 | | |
| Oil (mbd) | 39 | 49 | 43 | 54 | 54 | 54 | 54 | 54 | 54 | | |
| Total gas & oil (bcf) | 149 | 164 | 630 | 171 | 171 | 173 | 173 | 686 | 685 | | |
| Total gas & oil (mmcfd) | 1,656 | 1,788 | 1,726 | 1,875 | 1,875 | 1,875 | 1,875 | 1,880 | 1,875 | | |
| Price | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Natural gas (\$/mcf) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Henry Hub (\$/mmbtu) | 6.81 | 6.97 | 6.87 | 8.02 | 10.75 | 11.49 | 11.85 | 10.52 | 11.58 | | |
| U.S. | 6.42 | 6.52 | 6.32 | 8.05 | 10.45 | 11.17 | 11.51 | 10.30 | 11.04 | | |
| Canada | 6.43 | 6.36 | 6.25 | 7.44 | 9.65 | 10.32 | 11.51 | 9.74 | 10.33 | | |
| Overseas | 3.10 | 4.31 | 3.01 | 4.27 | 4.27 | 4.27 | 4.27 | 4.27 | 4.27 | | |
| Total | 5.76 | 6.11 | 5.69 | 7.36 | 9.35 | 9.95 | 10.36 | 9.26 | 9.86 | | |
| Oil (\$/bbl) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| WTI Cushing | 58.08 | 90.67 | 72.28 | 97.94 | 116.85 | 116.98 | 115.03 | 111.70 | 115.57 | | |
| Worldwide | 53.50 | 81.19 | 66.11 | 89.58 | 106.87 | 106.99 | 105.20 | 102.18 | 105.71 | | |
| Total gas & oil (\$/mcf) | 5.87 | 7.61 | 6.62 | 8.68 | 10.82 | 11.32 | 11.60 | 10.61 | 11.21 | | |
| Revenue (\$mm) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Natural Gas | | | | | | | | | | | |
| U.S. | 529 | 606 | 2,239 | 795 | 1,031 | 1,115 | 1,149 | 4,091 | 4,371 | | |
| Canada | 128 | 132 | 511 | 146 | 190 | 205 | 229 | 770 | 814 | | |
| Overseas | 79 | 103 | 302 | 96 | 96 | 97 | 97 | 388 | 387 | | |
| Total | 736 | 841 | 3,052 | 1,037 | 1,318 | 1,418 | 1,476 | 5,248 | 5,572 | | |
| Oil | 190 | 363 | 1,033 | 443 | 529 | 535 | 527 | 2,034 | 2,099 | | |
| Other | (51) | 47 | 87 | | | | | - | - | | |
| Total | 875 | 1,251 | 4,171 | 1,481 | 1,847 | 1,953 | 2,002 | 7,283 | 7,671 | | |
| Expense | | | , | | | | | , | , | | |
| Cash costs | 164 | 336 | 1,016 | 482 | 573 | 600 | 612 | 2,267 | 2,364 | | |
| Ebitda (\$mm) | 711 | 915 | 3,155 | 999 | 1,293 | 1,367 | 1,402 | 5,060 | 5,370 | | |
| Exploration | 67 | 146 | 414 | 89 | 89 | 89 | 89 | 356 | 357 | | |
| Deprec., Deplet., & Amort. | 244 | 282 | 1.065 | 297 | 297 | 297 | 297 | 1,188 | 1.188 | | |
| Ebit | 400 | 487 | 1,677 | 613 | 907 | 981 | 1,016 | 3,516 | 3,825 | | |
| Interest | 8 | 16 | 48 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 48 | 48 | | |
| Ebt | 392 | 471 | 1,629 | 601 | 895 | 969 | 1,004 | 3,468 | 3,777 | | |
| Income Tax | 118 | 150 | 542 | 129 | 313 | 339 | 351 | 1,133 | 1,322 | | |
| Net Income (\$mm) | 274 | 321 | 1,087 | 472 | 581 | 630 | 652 | 2,336 | 2,455 | | |
| Shares (millions) | 247 | 249 | 248 | 250 | 250 | 250 | 250 | 2,000 | 250 | | |
| Per Share (\$) | 1.11 | 1.29 | 4.39 | 1.89 | 2.33 | 2.52 | 2.61 | 9.35 | 9.83 | | |
| Ebitda Margin | 77% | 76% | 77% | 67% | 70% | 70% | 70% | 69% | 70% | | |
| Tax Rate | 30% | 32% | 33% | 21% | 35% | 35% | 35% | 33% | 35% | | |

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| EOG Resources Inc. Functional Cash Flow and Present Value | | | | | | | | |
|---|-----------------|------------|---------------|-----------------|--------|--|--|--|
| | | | | | | | | |
| | NTM Ebitda | Adjusted | <i>PV</i> / | Value | | | | |
| | <u>(US\$mm)</u> | <u>R/P</u> | <u>Ebitda</u> | <u>(US\$mm)</u> | | | | |
| North American Natural Gas | 3,650 | 10.2 | 5.9 | 21,500 | 70% | | | |
| Rest of World Natural Gas | 270 | 11.9 | 7.4 | 2,000 | 7% | | | |
| Oil | 1,480 | 8.0 | 4.8 | 7,100 | 23% | | | |
| | 5,400 | 10.0 | 5.7 | 30,600 | 100% | | | |
| Debt (US\$mm) | | | | | 1,900 | | | |
| Net Present Value (US\$mm) | | | | | 28,700 | | | |
| Shares (mm) | | | | | 250 | | | |
| Net Present Value - Standard Estimate (US\$/sh) | | | | | | | | |
| NPV Approximation by Cash Flow Multiple Depending on Reserve Life (US\$/sh) | | | | | | | | |



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